SAW Components

SAW band-stop filter

Automotive telematics

Series/type:	**B3473**
Ordering code:	**B39731B3473H910**
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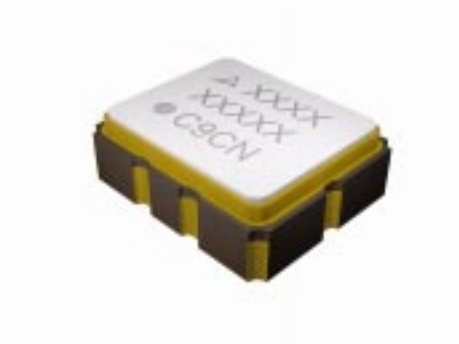
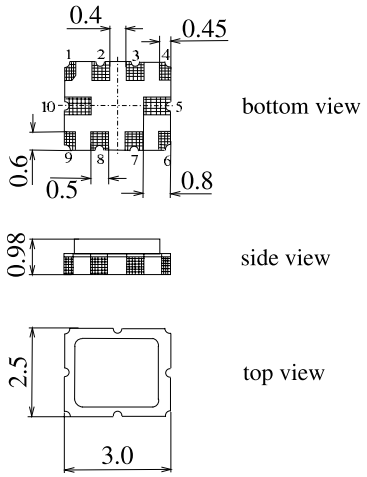
Application

- Low-loss RF band-stop filter for DVB-T
- LTE 700 Tx and Rx suppression
- Low insertion loss
- Low amplitude ripple
- Usable passband width 224MHz
- Impedance at input and output 50 Ω
- Unbalanced to unbalanced operation



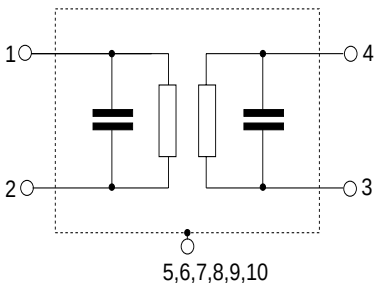
Features

- Package size 3.0 × 2.5 × 0.98 mm³
- Package code QCC10G
- RoHS compatible
- Approximate weight 0.027 g
- Package for **S**urface **M**ount **T**echnology (**SMT**)
- **E**lectrostatic **S**ensitive **D**evice (**ESD**)
- Ni, gold-plated terminals
- Lead free soldering compatible with J - STD20C
- AEC-Q200 qualified component family
- **M**oisture **S**ensitivity **L**evel 1



Pin configuration

■	1	Input
■	2, 3	Coupling pin
■	4	Output
■	6, 9	To be grounded
■	5, 7, 8, 10	Case ground



Data sheet SMD

Characteristics (including losses in the matching network)

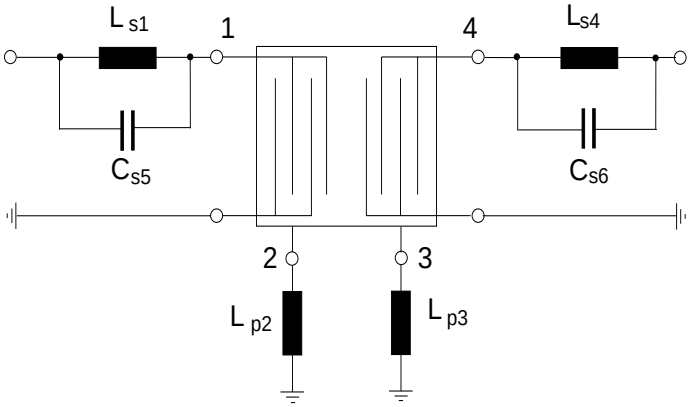
Temperature range for specification: T = –40 ˚C to +85 ˚C
Terminating source impedance: Z_S = 50 Ω and matching network
Terminating load impedance: Z_L = 50 Ω and matching network

		min.	typ. @ 25 ˚C	max.	
Nominal center frequency	f_N	—	725.50	—	MHz
Minimum insertion attenuation	α_{min}				
470.00 ... 694.00 MHz		—	1.0	2.0	dB
Maximum insertion attenuation	α_{max}				
470.00 ... 672.00 MHz		—	2.5	3.0	dB
672.00 ... 694.00 MHz		—	5.5	6.3	dB
Attenuation	α				
174.00 ... 210.00 MHz		20.0	35.0	—	dB
703.00 ... 748.00 MHz		10.0	27.0	—	dB
758.00 ... 803.00 MHz		5.0	10.0	—	dB
1710.00 ... 1980.00 MHz		12.0	19.0	—	dB

Maximum ratings

Operable temperature range	T	–45/+125	˚C	
Storage temperature range	T_{stg}	–45/+125	˚C	
DC voltage	V_{DC}	6	V	
Source power at				
703 ... 748 MHz 758 ... 803 MHz	P_{IN}	21.0	dBm	continuous wave

Matching network (element values depend on PCB layout)



L_{s1} = 2.2 nH
L_{p2} = 10 nH
L_{p3} = 10 nH
L_{s4} = 1.5 nH
C_{s5} = 22 pF
C_{s6} = 33 pF
Q factor of inductors:
40 @ 770 MHz

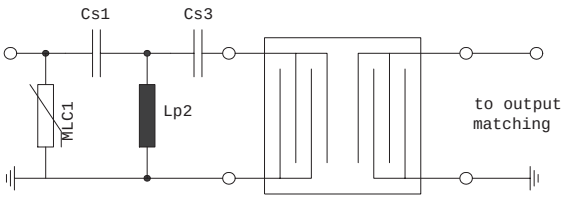
ESD protection of SAW filters

SAW filters are **E**lectro **S**tatic **D**ischarge sensitive devices. To reduce the probability of damages caused by ESD, special matching topologies have to be applied. In general, “ESD matching” has to be ensured at that filter port, where electrostatic discharge is expected.

Electrostatic discharges predominantly appear at the antenna input of RF receivers. Therefore only the input matching of the SAW filter has to be designed to short circuit or to block the ESD pulse.

Below three figures show recommended “ESD matching” topologies.

For wideband filters the high-pass ESD matching structure needs to be at least of 3rd order to ensure a proper matching for any impedance value of antenna and SAW filter input. The required component values have to be determined from case to case.



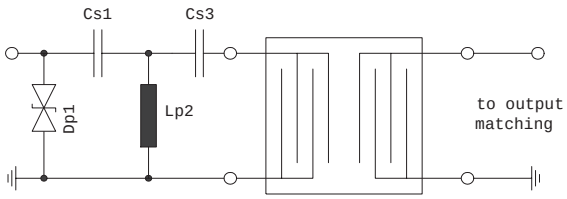


Fig. 1 MLC varistor plus ESD matching **Fig. 2 Suppressor diode plus ESD matching**

In cases where minor ESD occur, following simplified “ESD matching” topologies can be used alternatively.

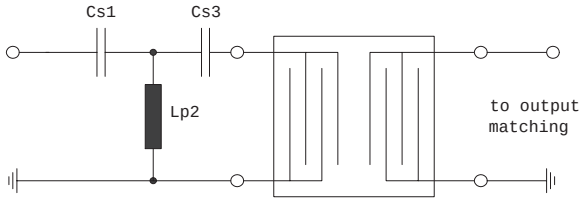


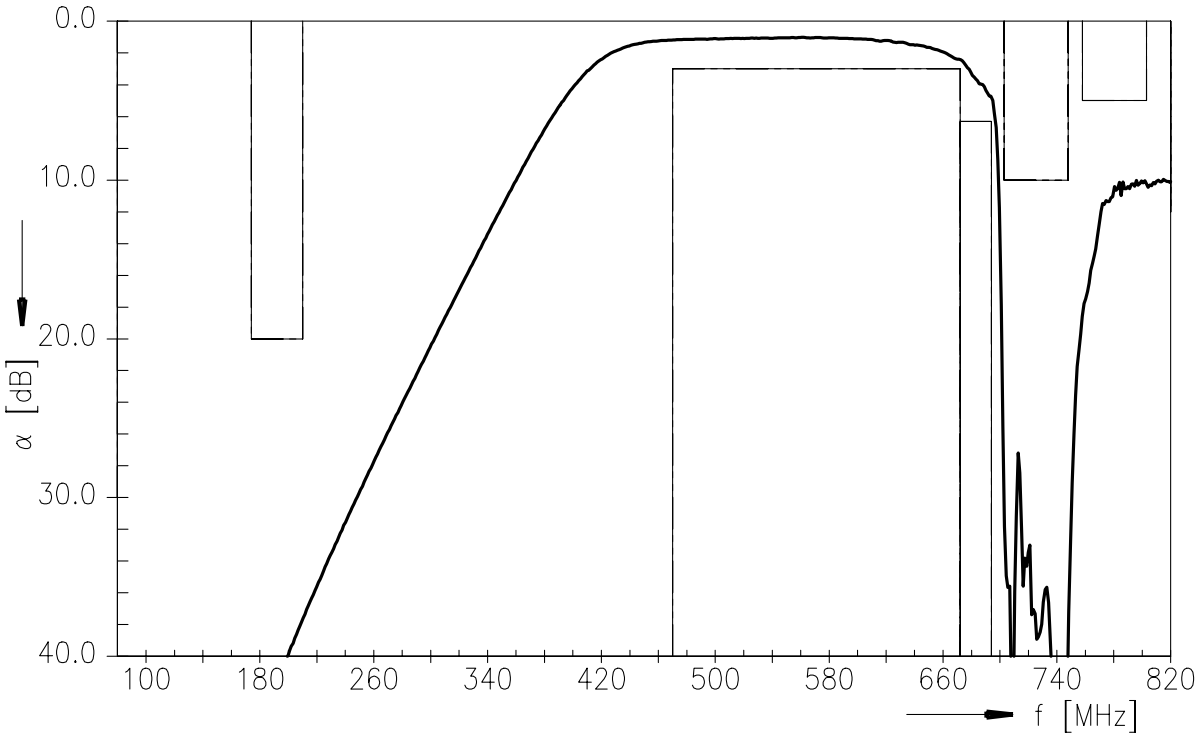
Fig. 3 3rd order high-pass structure for basic ESD protection

In all three figures the shunt inductor Lp2 could be replaced by a shorted microstrip with proper length and width. If this configuration is possible depends on the operating frequency and available pcb space.

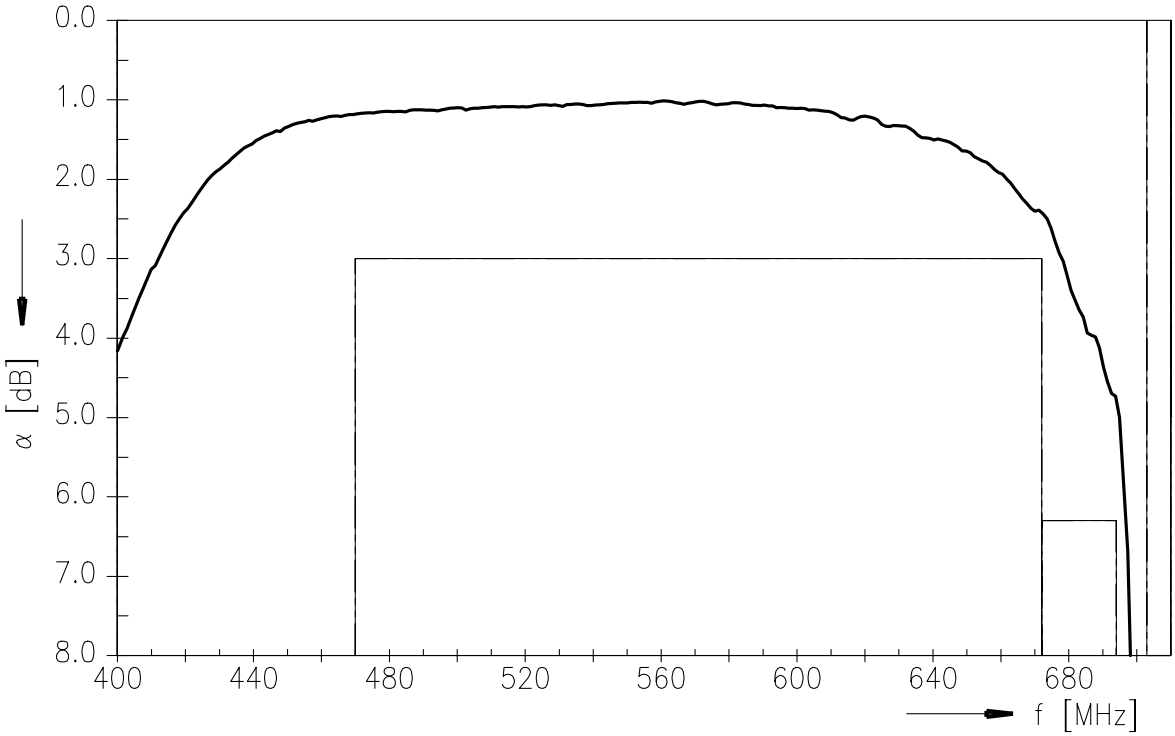
Effectiveness of the applied ESD protection has to be checked according to relevant industry standards or customer specific requirements.

For further information, please refer to EPCOS Application report:“ESD protection for SAW filters”. This report can be found under www.epcos.com/rke. Click on “Application Notes”

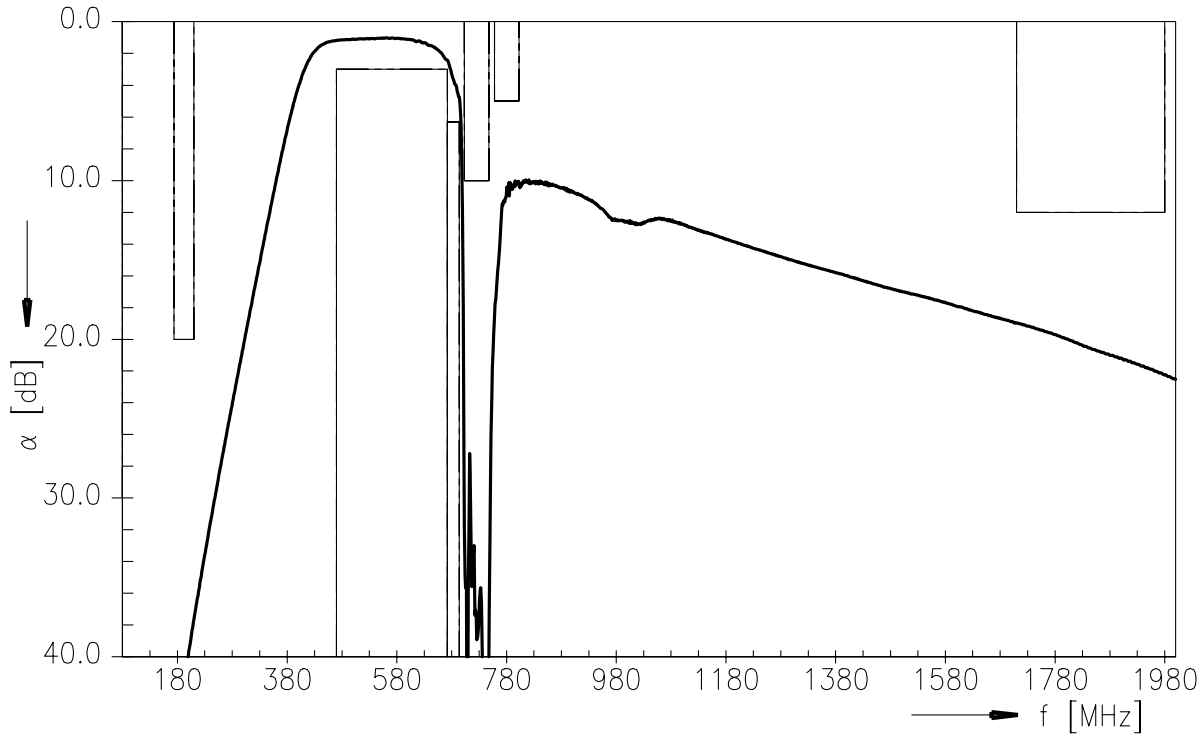
Transfer function



Transfer function (pass band)



Transfer function (wide band)



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Soldering profile	S_6001
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