

Cascadable Amplifier 5 to 500 MHz

Rev. V3

Features

- HIGH GAIN TWO STAGES: 27.5 dB (TYP.)
- HIGH OUTPUT LEVEL: +12.7 dBm (TYP.)
- LOW NOISE FIGURE: 3.0 dB (TYP.)

Description

The A76-1 RF amplifier is a discrete hybrid design, which uses thin film manufacturing processes for consistent performance and high reliability.

This 2 stage bipolar transistor feedback amplifier design displays impressive performance over a broadband frequency range. An active DC biasing network insures temperature-stable performance.

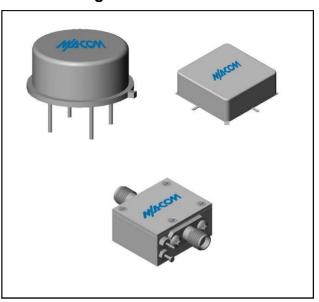
Both TO-8 and Surface Mount packages are hermetically sealed, and MIL-STD-883 environmental screening is available.

Ordering Information

| Part Number | Package | |
|-------------|-------------------|--|
| A76-1 | TO-8 | |
| SMA76-1 | Surface Mount | |
| CA76-1 ** | SMA Connectorized | |

^{**} The connectorized version is not RoHs compliant.

Product Image



Electrical Specifications: $Z_0 = 50\Omega$, $V_{CC} = +5 V_{DC}$

| Parameter | Units | Typical | Guaranteed | |
|------------------------------------|-------|---------------|---------------|----------------|
| | | 25°C | 0° to 50°C | -54° to +85°C* |
| Frequency | MHz | 3-600 | 5-500 | 5-500 |
| Small Signal Gain (min) | dB | 27.5 | 26.0 | 25.0 |
| Gain Flatness (max) | dB | ±0.3 | ±0.8 | ±1.0 |
| Reverse Isolation | dB | 36 | | |
| Noise Figure (max) | dB | 3.0 | 4.0 | 4.5 |
| Power Output @ 1 dB comp. (min) | dBm | 12.7 | 12.0 | 11.0 |
| IP3 | dBm | +26 | | |
| IP2 | dBm | +36 | | |
| Second Order Harmonic IP | dBm | +41 | | |
| VSWR Input / Output (max) | | 1.5:1 / 1.5:1 | 1.9:1 / 1.9:1 | 2.0:1 / 2.0:1 |
| DC Current @ 5 Volts (max) | mA | 48 | 51 | 53 |

Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Parameter | Absolute Maximum | |
|------------------------------------------|---------------------|--|
| Storage Temperature | -62°C to +125°C | |
| Case Temperature | 125°C | |
| DC Voltage | +10 V | |
| Continuous Input Power | +6 dBm | |
| Short Term Input power (1 minute max.) | 40 mW | |
| Peak Power (3 µsec max.) | 0.5 W | |
| "S" Series Burn-In Temperature (case) | 125°C | |

Thermal Data: $V_{CC} = +5 V_{DC}$

| Parameter | Rating | |
|---------------------------------------------------------|---------|--|
| Thermal Resistance θ_{jc} | 146°C/W | |
| Transistor Power Dissipation P _d | 0.136 W | |
| Junction Temperature Rise Above Case T _{jc} | 20°C | |

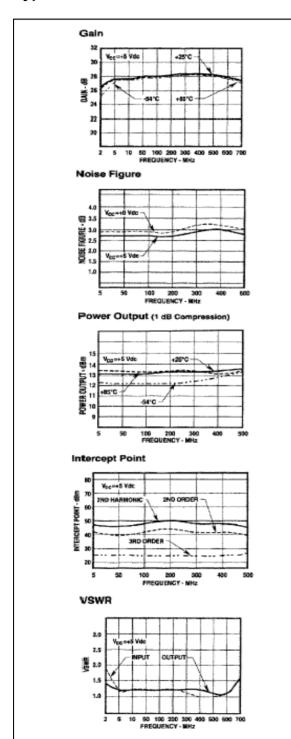
^{1 *} Over temperature performance limits for part number CA76-1, guaranteed from 0°C to +50°C only.



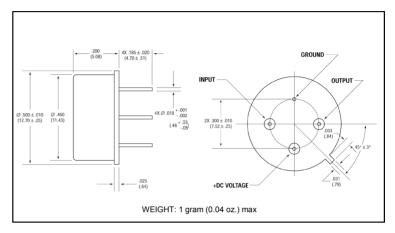
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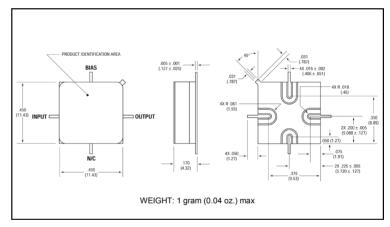
Typical Performance Curves at +25°C



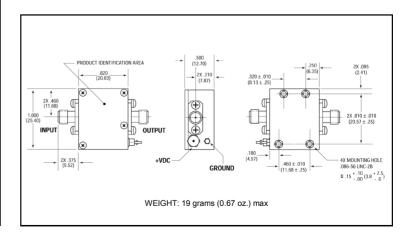
Outline Drawing: TO-8 *



Outline Drawing: Surface Mount



Outline Drawing: SMA Connectorized *



* Dimensions are inches (millimeters) ±0.015 (0.38) unless otherwise specified.