M2E / M2EC / SM2E



Double-Balanced Mixer

Rev. V4

Features

- LO 10 TO 1000 MHz
- RF 10 TO 1000 MHz
- F DC TO 600 MHz
- LO DRIVE: +20 dBm (nominal)
- HIGH INTERCEPT POINT: +30 dBm (TYP.)
- HERMETICALLY SEALED

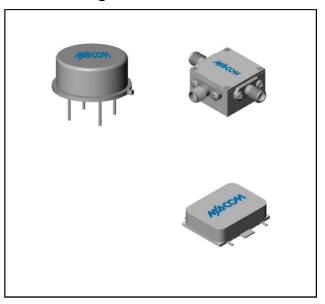
Description

The M2E is a double balanced mixer, designed for use in military, commercial, and test equipment applications. The design utilizes Schottky ring quad diodes and broadband ferrite baluns to attain excellent performance. This mixer can also be used as a phase detector and/or bi-phase modulator since the IF port is DC coupled to the diodes. Environmental screening is available to MIL-STD-883, MIL-STD-202, or MIL-DTL-28837, consult factory.

Ordering Information

| Part Number | Package | |
|-------------|-------------------|--|
| M2E | TO-8 | |
| M2EC | SMA Connectorized | |
| SM2E | Surface Mount | |

Product Image



Electrical Specifications: $Z_0 = 50\Omega$ Lo = +20 dBm (Downconverter application only)

| Parameter Test Conditions | | Units | Typical | Guaranteed | |
|--|--|----------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| raidilletei | rest conditions | | | +25°C | -54° to +85°C * |
| SSB Conversion Loss (max) & SSB Noise Figure (max) | fR = 0.01 to 0.3 GHz, fL = 0.01 to 0.3 GHz, fl = 0.01 to 0.2 GHz fR = 0.01 to 0.3 GHz, fL = 0.01 to 0.3 GHz, fl = 0.01 to 0.6 GHz fR = 0.01 to 1 GHz, fL = 0.01 to 1 GHz, fl = 0.01 to 0.2 GHz fR = 0.01 to 1 GHz, fL = 0.01 to 1 GHz, fl = 0.01 to 0.6 GHz | dB dB dB dB | 7.0 8.0 8.5 10.0 | 7.5 9.0 9.5 11.0 | 7.8 9.3 9.8 11.3 |
| Isolation, L to R (min) | fL = 0.01 to 0.1 GHz fL = 0.1 to 0.4 GHz fL = 0.4 to 1 GHz | dB dB dB | 40 35 25 | 35 25 18 | 34 24 17 |
| Isolation, L to I (min) | fL = 0.01 to 0.1 GHz fL = 0.1 to 0.4 GHz fL = 0.4 to 1 GHz | dB dB dB | 45 35 20 | 35 25 14 | 34 24 13 |
| 1 dB Conversion Comp. | fL = +25 dBm | dBm | +20 | | |
| Input IP3 | | dBm | +30 | | |

^{*} The M2EC specification limits apply at 0°C to +50°C.

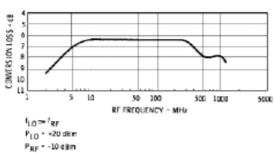


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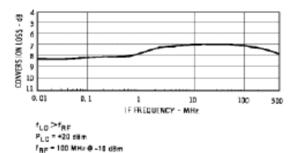
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Typical Performance Curves

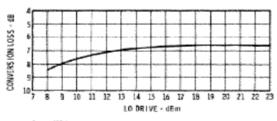
Conversion Loss vs. Frequency



f_{1F} - BETWEEN 1 MHz and 100 MHz

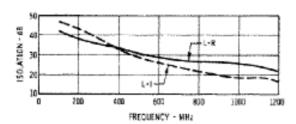


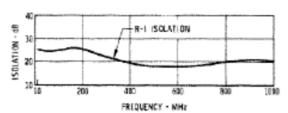
Conversion Loss vs. LO Drive



f_{LO} = 400 MHz PRC = 300 MHz @ - 10 dBm

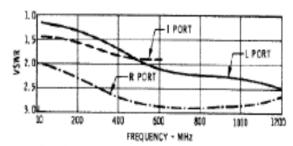
Isolation





f_{LD} = 700 MHz 8 + 20 d8m Pgg = -30 dBm

VSWR



PRF - PIF - - 10 dBm

PLO * +20 dBm

f_{LC} • 1000 MHz



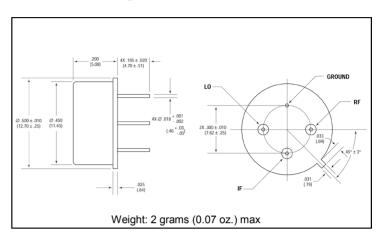
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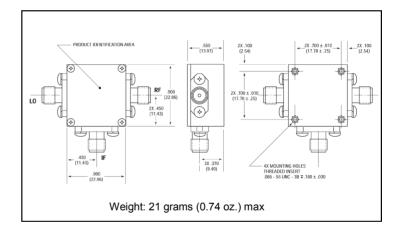
Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Parameter | Absolute Maximum | | |
|-----------------------|---|--|--|
| Operating Temperature | -54°C to +100°C | | |
| Storage Temperature | -65°C to +100°C | | |
| Peak Input Power | +27 dBm max @ +25°C dBm max @ +100°C | | |
| Peak Input Current | 100 mA DC | | |

Outline Drawing: TO-8 *

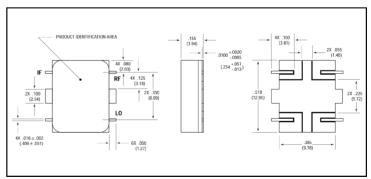


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