

Cascadable Amplifier 5 to 600 MHz

Rev. V3

Features

• FLAT BANDWIDTH: ±.2 dB (TYP.)

LOW VSWR: 1.3:1 (TYP.)

WIDE POWER SUPPLY RANGE: +8 to +15 VOLTS

Description

The A5-6 RF amplifier is a discrete hybrid design, which uses thin film manufacturing processes for accurate performance and high reliability.

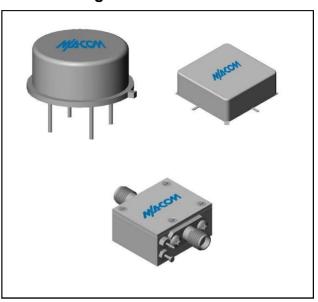
This single stage bipolar transistor feedback amplifier design displays impressive performance over a broadband frequency range. Both TO-8 and Surface Mount packages are Hermetically sealed, and MIL-STD-883 environmental screening is available.

Ordering Information

| Part Number | Package | |
|-------------|----------------------|--|
| A5-6 | TO-8 | |
| SMA5-6 | Surface Mount | |
| CA5-6 | SMA Connectorized ** | |

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

Product Image



Electrical Specifications: $Z_0 = 50\Omega$, $V_{CC} = +15 V_{DC}$

| Parameter | Units | Typical | Guaranteed | |
|------------------------------------|-------|---------------|---------------|----------------|
| | | 25°C | 0° to 50°C | -54° to +85°C* |
| Frequency | MHz | 1-700 | 6-600 | 6-600 |
| Small Signal Gain (min) | dB | 16.0 | 15.0 | 14.5 |
| Gain Flatness (max) | dB | ±0.2 | ±0.7 | ±0.7 |
| Reverse Isolation | dB | 20 | | |
| Noise Figure (max) | dB | 4.5 | 5.5 | 6.0 |
| Power Output @ 1 dB comp. (min) | dBm | 8.5 | 7.0 | 6.5 |
| IP3 | dBm | +21 | | |
| IP2 | dBm | +38 | | |
| Second Order Harmonic IP | dBm | +42 | | |
| VSWR Input / Output (max) | | 1.3:1 / 1.3:1 | 1.8:1 / 1.8:1 | 2.0:1 / 2.0:1 |
| DC Current @ 15 Volts (max) | mA | 24 | 27 | 29 |

Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Parameter | Absolute Maximum | |
|--|---------------------|--|
| Storage Temperature | -62°C to +125°C | |
| Case Temperature | +125°C | |
| DC Voltage | +17 V | |
| Continuous Input Power | +13 dBm | |
| Short Term Input power (1 minute max.) | 50 mW | |
| Peak Power (3 µsec max.) | 0.5 W | |
| "S" Series Burn-In Temperature (case) | +125°C | |

Thermal Data: $V_{CC} = +15 V_{DC}$

| Parameter | Rating |
|---|---------|
| Thermal Resistance θ_{jc} | 170°C/W |
| Transistor Power Dissipation P _d | 0.184 W |
| Junction Temperature Rise Above Case T _{jc} | +31°C |

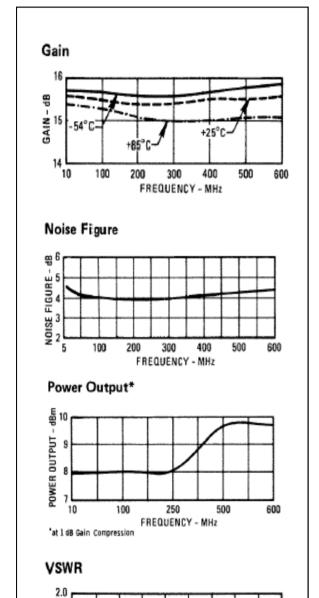
^{1 *} Over temperature performance limits for part number CA5-6, guaranteed from 0°C to +50°C only.



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Typical Performance Curves at +25°C



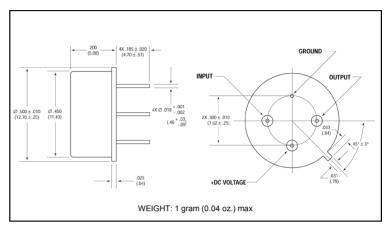
OUTPUT

200 300 400

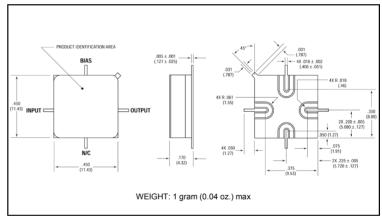
FREQUENCY - MHz

500

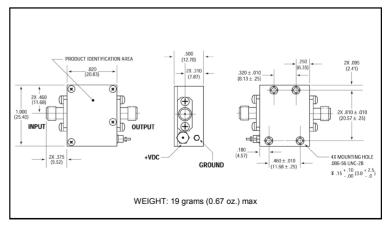
Outline Drawing: TO-8 *



Outline Drawing: Surface Mount *



Outline Drawing: SMA Connectorized *



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

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