



# Directional Coupler

## TCD-16-122-75X+

75Ω 16.5 dB 5 to 1250 MHz

### FEATURES

- Wideband, 5 to 1250 MHz
- Low mainline loss, 1.5 dB typ.
- Aqueous washable
- Leads for excellent solderability
- Protected by US Patent 6,140,887



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CASE STYLE: DB1627

### APPLICATIONS

- DOCSIS® 3.1 Systems
- VHF/UHF
- CATV
- Cellular

#### +RoHS Compliant

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### ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS AT 25°C

Parameter	Frequency (MHz)	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Frequency Range	—	5	—	1250	MHz
Mainline Loss <sup>1</sup> (above theoretical 0.1 dB)	5-50	—	1.5	2.0	dB
	50-1000	—	1.4	1.8	
	1000-1250	—	1.5	1.9	
Coupling	5-1250	—	16.5±0.5	—	dB
Coupling Flatness (±)	5-1250	—	±0.3	±0.6	dB
Directivity	5-50	15	20	—	dB
	50-1000	18	22	—	
	1000-1250	15	23	—	
Return Loss (Input)	5-50	13	15	—	dB
	50-1000	17	25	—	
	1000-1250	17	20	—	
Return Loss (Output)	5-50	14	16	—	dB
	50-1000	18	23	—	
	1000-1250	17	20	—	
Return Loss (Coupling)	5-50	10	12	—	dB
	50-1000	14	17	—	
	1000-1250	17	20	—	
Input Power	5-100	—	—	0.5	W
	100-1250	—	—	1.0	

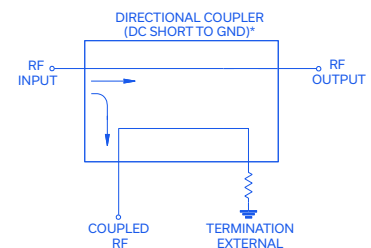
1. Mainline loss includes theoretical power loss at coupled port.

### MAXIMUM RATINGS

Parameter	Ratings
Operating Temperature	-40°C to 85°C*
Storage Temperature	-55°C to 100°C

Permanent damage may occur if any of these limits are exceeded.  
\* Case temperature is defined as temperature on ground leads.

### ELECTRICAL SCHEMATIC



\*Electrical schematic is for Directional coupler with internal transformer(s) and external termination



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**SURFACE MOUNT**

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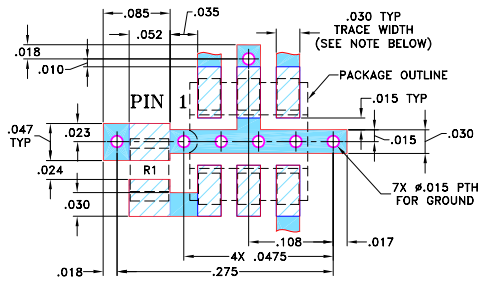
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### PIN CONNECTIONS

INPUT	3
OUTPUT	4
COUPLED	1
GROUND	2
75Ω TERM EXTERNAL	6
NOT USED	5

**PRODUCT MARKING:** DQ

### DEMO BOARD MCL P/N: TB-72 SUGGESTED PCB LAYOUT (PL-010)



RESISTOR R1: 75 ± 1% Ohm, 0805 SIZE

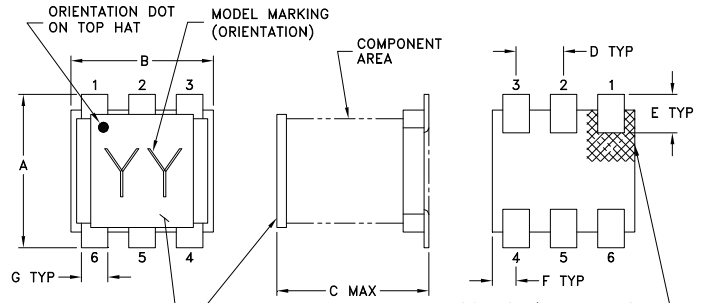
**NOTES:** 1. TRACE WIDTH IS SHOWN FOR ROGERS RO4350B WITH DIELECTRIC THICKNESS 0.030" ± 0.002"; COPPER: 1/2 OZ. EACH SIDE. FOR OTHER MATERIALS TRACE WIDTH MAY NEED TO BE MODIFIED.

2. BOTTOM SIDE OF THE PCB IS CONTINUOUS GROUND PLANE.

DENOTES PCB COPPER LAYOUT WITH SMOBC (SOLDER MASK OVER BARE COPPER)

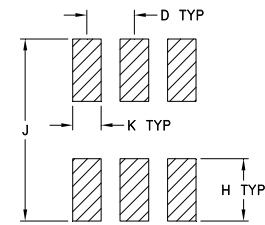
DENOTES COPPER LAND PATTERN FREE OF SOLDER MASK

### OUTLINE DRAWING



TOP-HAT / PICK & PLACE SURFACE AREA (10X.10) MIN  
TOP-HAT TOTAL THICKNESS: .013 inches MAX.

### PCB Land Pattern



SUGGESTED LAYOUT TOLERANCE TO BE WITHIN ±.002

### OUTLINE DIMENSIONS (Inches mm)

A	B	C	D	E	F
.160	.150	.160	.050	.040	.025
4.06	3.81	4.06	1.27	1.02	0.64
G	H	J	K		wt
.028	.065	.190	.030		grams
0.71	1.65	4.83	0.76		0.15

### TAPE & REEL INFORMATION: F47



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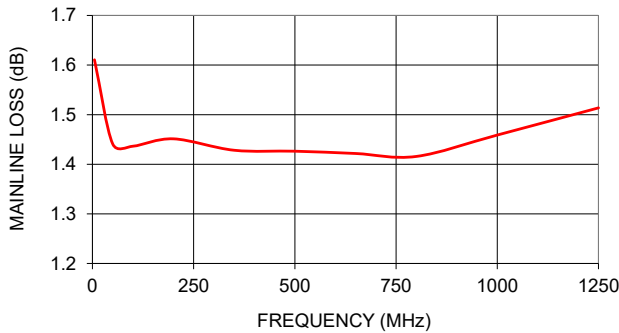
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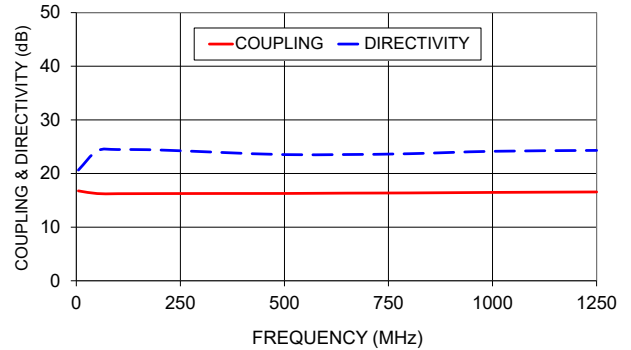
### TYPICAL PERFORMANCE DATA

Frequency (MHz)	Mainline Loss (dB)	Coupling (dB)	Directivity (dB)	Return Loss (dB)		
	In-Out			In	Out	Cpl
5	1.61	16.76	20.64	15.28	16.94	12.76
50	1.44	16.26	24.21	18.65	21.72	15.75
100	1.44	16.24	24.47	19.33	22.41	16.07
200	1.45	16.26	24.38	19.58	22.85	16.34
350	1.43	16.28	23.92	19.98	23.26	17.08
500	1.43	16.28	23.52	21.44	23.20	18.18
650	1.42	16.34	23.54	23.23	23.78	19.68
800	1.42	16.38	23.69	26.28	24.72	21.52
1000	1.46	16.48	24.14	30.79	26.51	24.16
1250	1.51	16.56	24.31	32.20	28.37	26.96

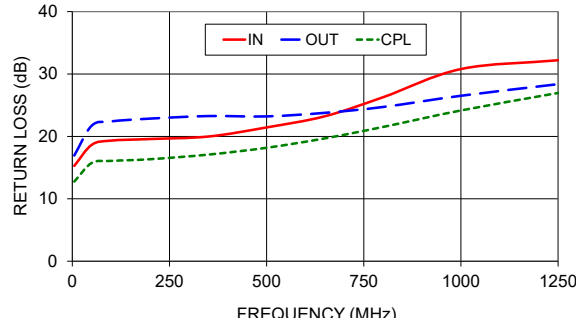
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RETURN LOSS



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