

Ceramic

Bandpass Filter

BFCN-2491+

50Ω

1950 to 3190 MHz

The Big Deal

- Small size 3.2mm x 1.6mm
- Pass band (1950 to 3190 MHz)
- High rejection in upper stopband



CASE STYLE: FV1206-7

Product Overview

The BFCN-2491+ LTCC Band Pass Filter achieves a miniature size and high repeatability of performance. Wrap-around terminations minimize variations in performance due to parasitics. Covering 1950 to 3190 MHz, these units offer excellent rejection over a deep stopband.

Key Features

Feature	Advantages
Small Size (3.20mm x 1.6 mm)	Allows for high layout density of circuit boards, while minimizing effects of parasitics.
Rejection peaks close to pass band	Provides good rejection of signals close to the pass band, for improved system performance.
Wide stopband	No regrowth out to 3 rd harmonic permits filter to be used in presence of wideband interfering signals.
LTCC construction	Provides a rugged package that is well suited for tough environments including high humidity and high temperature extremes.

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Features

- Small size
- Temperature stable
- Hermetically sealed
- LTCC construction

Applications

- Harmonic Rejection
- Transmitters / Receivers



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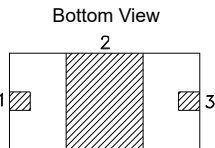
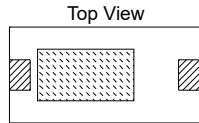
+RoHS Compliant

The +Suffix identifies RoHS Compliance. See our web site for RoHS Compliance methodologies and qualifications

Maximum Ratings

Operating Temperature	-55°C to +100°C
Storage Temperature	-55°C to +100°C
RF Power Input	1W max.

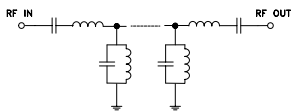
Permanent damage may occur if any of these limits are exceeded.



Pad Connections

Input	1
Output	3
Ground	2

Functional Schematic



Electrical Specifications^{1,2} at 25°C

Parameter	F#	Frequency (MHz)	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit	
Pass Band	Center Frequency	—	—	2491	—	MHz	
	Insertion Loss	F1-F2	—	1.2	3.0	dB	
	Return Loss	F1-F2	1950-3190	—	15	—	dB
Stop Band, Lower	Insertion Loss	DC-F3	DC-1440	20	22	—	dB
Stop Band, Upper	Insertion Loss	F4-F5	4500-10000	20	29	—	dB

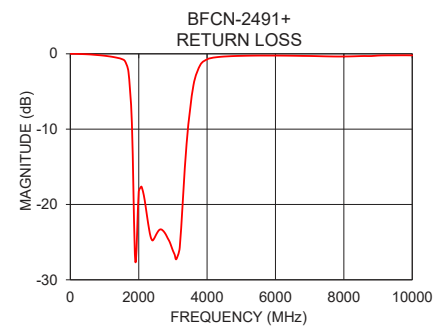
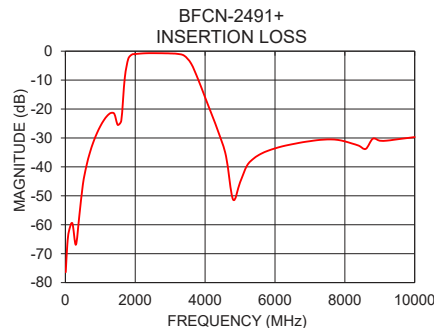
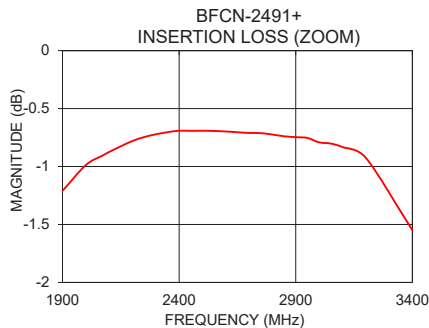
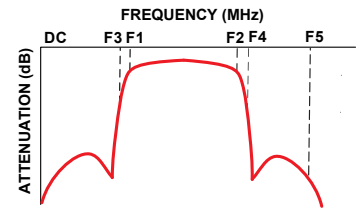
1. Measured on Mini-Circuits Characterization Test Board TB-812+.

2. This filter is not intended for use as a DC Blocking circuit element. In Application where DC voltage is present at either input or output ports, blocking capacitors are required at the corresponding RF port.

Typical Performance Data at 25°C

Frequency (MHz)	Insertion Loss (dB)	Return Loss (dB)
500	-46.14	-0.06
1000	-25.95	-0.26
1400	-21.64	-0.56
1700	-9.28	-2.41
1800	-2.67	-9.20
2200	-0.78	-20.19
2600	-0.70	-23.38
3200	-0.92	-25.70
3400	-1.55	-11.95
3600	-4.30	-4.19
4200	-22.20	-0.49
4600	-36.37	-0.34
7000	-31.12	-0.29
8600	-33.77	-0.29
10000	-29.70	-0.21

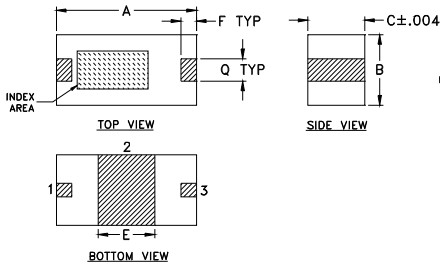
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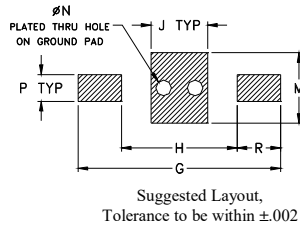
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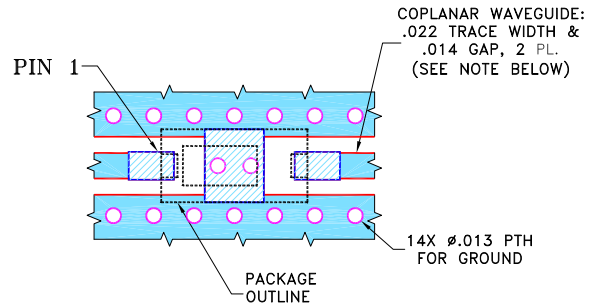
Outline Drawing



PCB Land Pattern



Demo Board MCL P/N: TB- 812+ Suggested PCB Layout (PL-439)



NOTES:

1. COPLANAR WAVEGUIDE IS SHOWN FOR ROGERS R04350B WITH DIELECTRIC THICKNESS $.010" \pm .001"$, COPPER: 1/2 OZ. EACH SIDE. FOR OTHER MATERIALS TRACE WIDTH AND GAP 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.

Product Marking: N/A

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Outline Dimensions (inch/mm)

A	B	C	E	F	G	H
.126	.063	.051	.051	.014	.183	.104
3.20	1.60	1.30	1.30	0.36	4.65	2.64
J	M	N	P	Q	R	wt
.051	.063	.014	.024	.020	.039	grams
1.30	1.60	0.36	0.61	0.51	0.99	.020

Additional Notes

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