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## Low Pass Filter

50Ω

DC<sup>1</sup> to 490 MHz

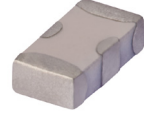
LFCN-490+

## FEATURES

- Excellent power handling, 8.5 W
- Small size
- 7 sections
- Temperature stable
- LTCC construction
- Protected by U.S Patent 6,943,646

## APPLICATIONS

- Harmonic rejection
- VHF/UHF transmitters/receivers



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CASE STYLE: FV1206

**+RoHS Compliant**

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

ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS<sup>1,2</sup> AT +25°C

| Parameter | F#             | Frequency (MHz) | Min.     | Typ. | Max. | Units |
|-----------|----------------|-----------------|----------|------|------|-------|
| Passband  | Insertion Loss | DC-F1           | DC-490   | —    | 1.2  | dB    |
|           | Freq. Cut-Off  | F2              | 650      | 3.0  | —    | dB    |
|           | VSWR           | DC-F1           | DC-490   | 1.2  | —    | :1    |
| Stopband  | Rejection Loss | F3              | 800      | 20   | —    | dB    |
|           |                | F4-F5           | 880-2500 | —    | —    |       |
|           | VSWR           | F6              | 6000     | 20   | —    | :1    |
|           |                | F3-F6           | 800-6000 | 20   | —    |       |

1. In Applications where DC isolation to ground is required, coupling capacitors are recommended to avoid DC leakage. Alternatively, if DC pass IN-OUT is required, Mini-Circuits' "D" suffix version of this model will support DC IN-OUT, and provide >100 MOhm isolation to ground.

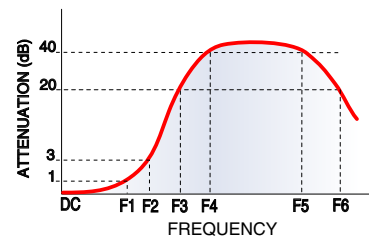
2. Measured on Mini-Circuits Characterization Test Board TB-LFCN-490+.

## ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

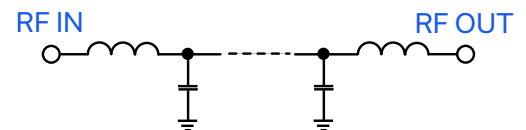
| Parameter                   | Ratings             |
|-----------------------------|---------------------|
| Operating Temperature       | -55°C to +100°C     |
| Storage Temperature         | -55°C to +100°C     |
| RF Power Input <sup>3</sup> | 8.5 W max. at +25°C |

3. Passband rating, derate linearly to 3.5 W at +100°C ambient.  
Permanent damage may occur if any of these limits are exceeded.

## TYPICAL FREQUENCY RESPONSE



## FUNCTIONAL SCHEMATIC



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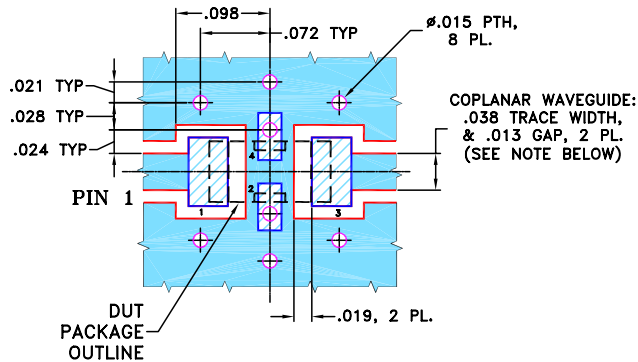
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## PIN CONNECTIONS

|        |     |
|--------|-----|
| RF IN  | 1   |
| RF OUT | 3   |
| GROUND | 2,4 |

PRODUCT MARKING: ZE

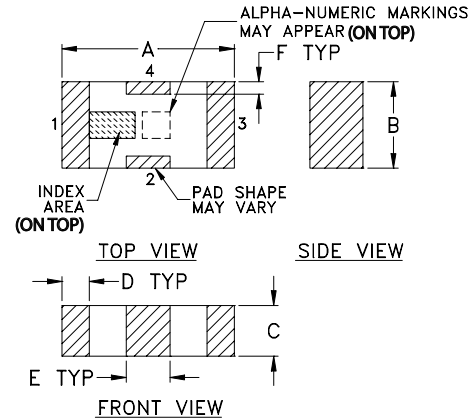
DEMO BOARD MCL P/N: TB-LFCN-490+  
SUGGESTED PCB LAYOUT (PL-137)



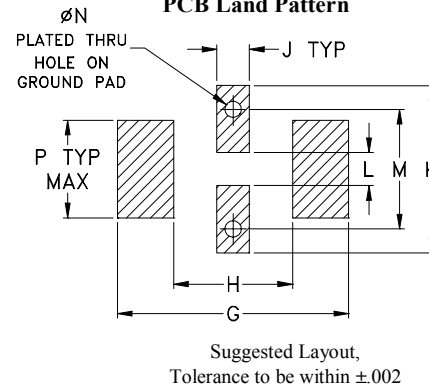
**NOTES:** 1. COPLANAR WAVEGUIDE PARAMETERS ARE SHOWN FOR ROGERS RO4350B WITH THICKNESS .020" ± .0015".  
COPPER: 1/2 OZ. EACH SIDE.  
FOR OTHER MATERIALS TRACE WIDTH & GAP MAY NEED TO BE MODIFIED.

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

## OUTLINE DRAWING



## PCB Land Pattern



## OUTLINE DIMENSIONS (Inches mm)

| A    | B    | C    | D    | E    | F    | G    |       |
|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|
| .126 | .063 | .037 | .020 | .032 | .009 | .169 |       |
| 3.20 | 1.60 | 0.94 | 0.51 | 0.81 | 0.23 | 4.29 |       |
| H    | J    | K    | L    | M    | N    | P    | wt    |
| .087 | .024 | .122 | .024 | .087 | .012 | .071 | grams |
| 2.21 | 0.61 | 3.10 | 0.61 | 2.21 | 0.30 | 1.80 | .020  |

## TAPE &amp; REEL INFORMATION: F71



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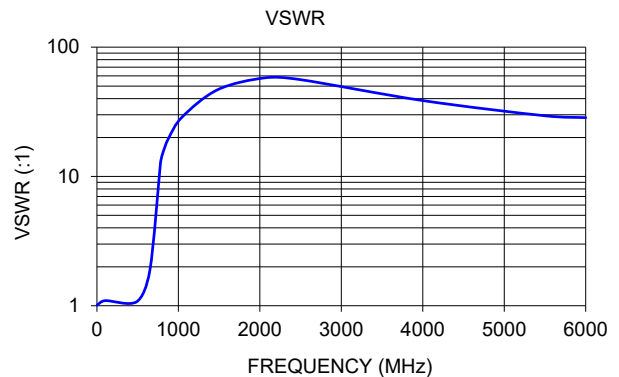
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## TYPICAL PERFORMANCE DATA AT +25°C

| Frequency (MHz) | Insertion Loss (dB) | VSWR (:1) |
|-----------------|---------------------|-----------|
| 1               | 0.05                | 1.01      |
| 100             | 0.25                | 1.09      |
| 490             | 0.82                | 1.08      |
| 650             | 2.45                | 1.88      |
| 780             | 26.27               | 12.71     |
| 790             | 30.75               | 13.70     |
| 810             | 41.27               | 15.26     |
| 880             | 48.37               | 19.76     |
| 1050            | 39.38               | 28.96     |
| 1485            | 67.14               | 46.96     |
| 2065            | 66.75               | 57.91     |
| 2500            | 54.57               | 56.04     |
| 4000            | 36.98               | 38.61     |
| 5500            | 24.86               | 29.46     |
| 6000            | 24.74               | 28.49     |



## NOTES

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