



Bandpass Filter

BFHKL-1982+

50Ω 17.5 to 22.2 GHz

THE BIG DEAL

- LTCC Band Pass Filter with Integrated Interposer Board
- Wide Stopband Rejection, Typ. 35 dB up to 46.5 GHz
- Small Size, 4.95x3.65 mm
- Shielded Construction
- Protected by US Patents 11,638,370 and 11,744,057

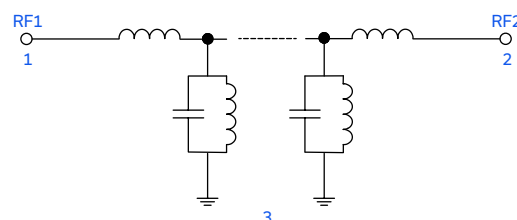


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APPLICATIONS

- Test & Measurement Equipment

FUNCTIONAL DIAGRAM



PRODUCT OVERVIEW

BFHKL-1982+ is a miniature low temperature co-fired ceramic (LTCC) ultra-high stopband rejection band pass filter with a 17.5 to 22.2 GHz passband supporting a variety of applications. This model achieves 35 dB typical stopband rejection up to 46.5 GHz, when mounted on coplanar waveguide layouts. Housed in a small 4.95 mm by 3.65 mm ceramic form factor, the filter is ideal for dense signal chain PCB layouts where it complements MMIC size and performance. The BFHKL family with integrated interposer board enables installation onto PCB layouts with automated manufacturing equipment. This model provides low insertion loss of typically 3.4 dB from 17.5-21 GHz and 4.3 dB from 21-22.2 GHz due to its rugged monolithic construction. The LTCC fabrication process assures minimal RF performance variation while delivering a product that is well suited for environmental extremes of high humidity and temperature.

KEY FEATURES

Features	Advantages
Surface Mountable Due to Integrated Interposer Board	Enables installation with automated manufacturing equipment making this suitable for high-volume processes.
Wide Rejection	Provides high stopband rejection of 35 dB typical up to 46.5 GHz.
Small Size (4.95x3.65 mm)	Allows for high layout density of circuit boards, while minimizing effects of parasitics.
Wide Operating and Storage Temperature, -55 to 125°C	Enables use in high reliability and extreme environment condition such as aerospace & defense applications.
Cost Effective	LTCC is a scalable technology that is cost effective due to ease of production in high-volume



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ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS^{1,2,3} AT +25°C

Parameter	F#	Frequency (GHz)	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Units
Passband	F2-F3	Center Frequency ⁴		19.85		GHz
		17.5 – 21		3.4	4.5	dB
		21 – 22.2		4.3	4.9	dB
		17.5 – 22.2		8		dB
Stopband, Lower	DC-F1	0.1 – 11	55	65		dB
		11 – 12.6	40	50		
Stopband, Upper	F4-F5	27.5 – 29	30	50		dB
		29 – 37.5	25	45		
		37.5 – 46.5		35		

1. Tested on Evaluation Board P/N TB-BFHKI-1982C+. Measured with the connector and feedline effects de-embedded using the 2XThru IEEE P370 method.

2. Bi-directional RF1 and RF2 ports can be interchanged.

3. This component should not be used as a DC-block. In applications where DC voltage and/or current is present at either the input or output ports, external DC blocking capacitors are required.

4. Typical variation $\pm 5\%$.

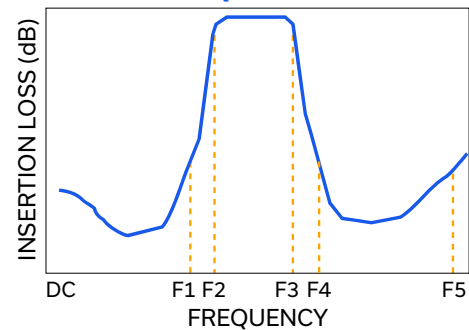
ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS⁵

Parameter	Ratings
Operating Temperature	-55 °C to +125 °C
Storage Temperature	-55 °C to +125 °C
Input Power ⁶	1 W

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

6. Power rating applies only to signals within the passband. Power rating above +25°C operating temperature decreases linearly to 0.5 W at +125°C.

TYPICAL FREQUENCY RESPONSE





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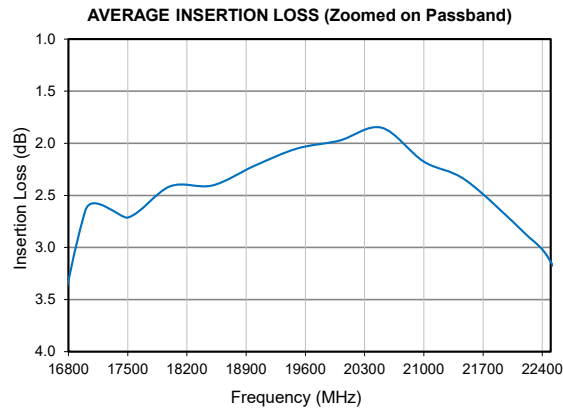
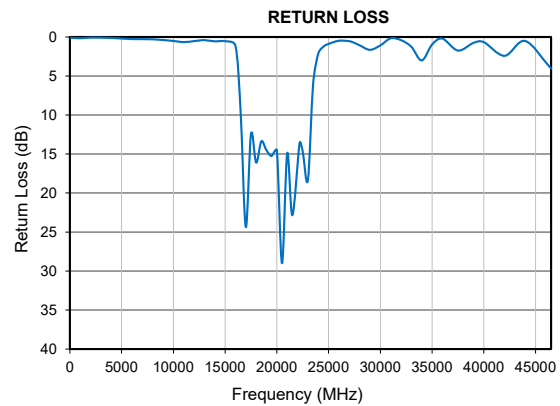
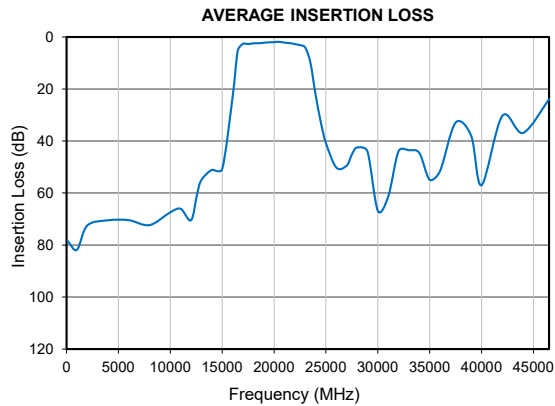
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TYPICAL PERFORMANCE GRAPHS





FUNCTIONAL DIAGRAM

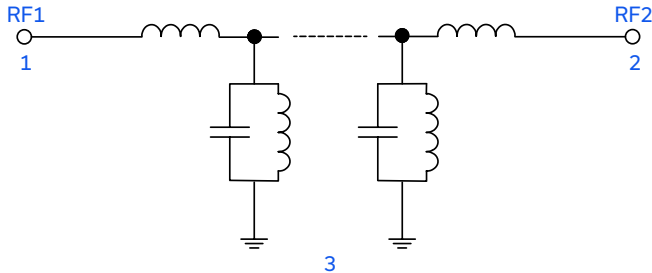
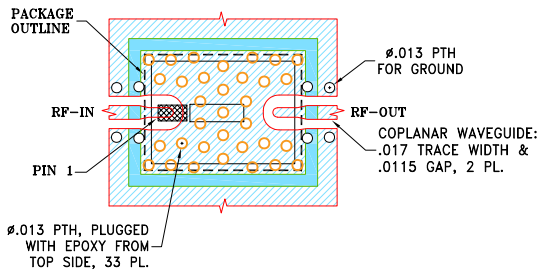


Figure 1. BFHKI-1982+ Functional Diagram

PAD DESCRIPTION

Function	Pad Number	Description
RF1(Note 2)	1	Connects to RF Input Port
RF2(Note 2)	2	Connects to RF Output Port
GROUND	3	Connects to Ground on PCB, (See drawing PL-753)

SUGGESTED PCB LAYOUT (PL-753)

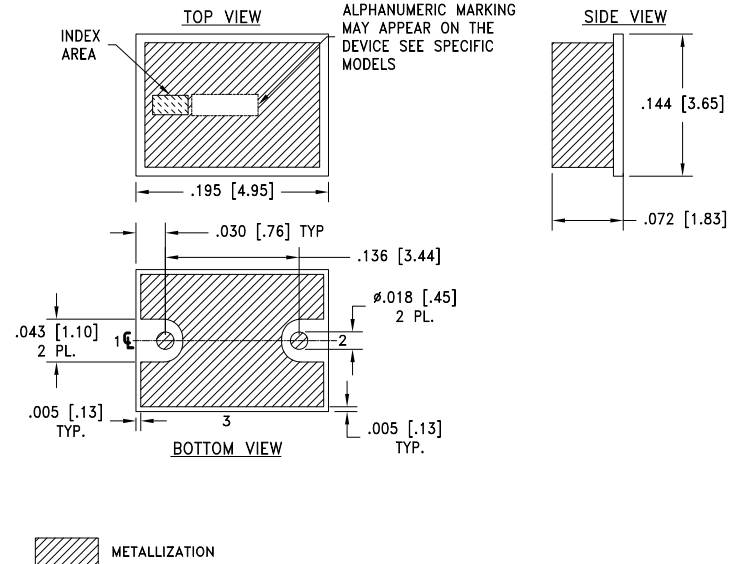


NOTES:

- TRACE WIDTH & GAP PARAMETERS ARE SHOWN FOR ROGERS R04350B WITH DIELECTRIC THICKNESS .010"; COPPER: 1/2 OZ. FOR OTHER MATERIALS TRACE WIDTH AND GAP MAY NEED TO BE MODIFIED.
 - BOTTOM SIDE OF THE PCB ARE CONTINUOUS GROUND PLANE.
- DENOTES PCB COPPER LAYOUT WITH SMOBC (SOLDER MASK OVER BARE COPPER)
 DENOTES COPPER LAND PATTERN FREE OF SOLDER MASK

Figure 2. Suggested PCB Layout for BFHKI-1982+

CASE STYLE DRAWING



Weight: .135 grams.

Dimensions are in inches [mm]. Tolerances: 2 PL $\pm .01$; 3 PL $\pm .005$

PRODUCT MARKING*: F598

*Marking may contain other features or characters for internal lot control.



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ADDITIONAL DETAILED INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE ON OUR DASHBOARD.

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Performance Data & Graphs	Data Graphs S-Parameter (S2P Files) Data Set (.zip file) De-embedded to device pads
Case Style	NM3237 Finish: Gold over Nickel Plating
RoHS Status	Compliant
Tape and Reel	TR-F77
Suggested Layout for PCB Design	PL-753
Evaluation Board	TB-BFHKI-1982C+ Gerber File
Environmental Rating	ENV06T12

NOTES

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