The RF Line 860 MHz CATV Feedforward Amplifier

Designed for broadband applications requiring low–distortion amplification. Specifically intended for CATV market requirements. Two hybrid amplifiers along with couplers and delay lines are packaged together to provide extremely low distortion products at conventional CATV amplifier output levels.

- Specifically Designed to Provide Improved Performance in 860 MHz CATV Applications
- Distortion Components Reduced more than 20 dB from Conventional CATV Hybrid Amplifiers
- Specified for 128 Channel Performance
- Fully Shielded Metal Package



24 dB 40-860 MHz 128 CHANNEL CATV FEEDFORWARD AMPLIFIER



MAXIMUM RATINGS

| Rating | Symbol | Value | Unit |
|----------------------------------|------------------|-------------|------|
| Supply Voltage | VCC | 28 | V |
| RF Input Power | P _{in} | +55 | dBmV |
| Storage Temperature Range | T _{stg} | -40 to +100 | °C |
| Operating Case Temperature Range | ТС | -20 to +100 | °C |

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (T_C = 50°C, V_{CC} = 24 V, 75 Ω System)

| Characteristic Frequency Range Power Gain — 50 MHz | | Symbol | Min 40 23.4 +0.4 | Typ 24 +1 | Max 860 24.6 +1.6 ±0.3 | Unit MHz dB dB dB |
|---|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| | | BW G _p S — | | | | |
| | | | | | | |
| Gain Flatness | | | | | | |
| Return Loss — Input | f = 50 – 750 MHz f = 750 – 860 MHz | | | | | |
| Return Loss — Output | f = 50 – 750 MHz f = 750 – 860 MHz | ORL | 18 16 | _ | _ | dB |
| Composite Triple Beat (1) (V _{out} = +44 dBmV at ch. 2, 55.25 MHz to ch. M90, 853.25 MHz) | | CTB ₁₂₈ flat | _ | -70 | -66 | dB |
| Composite Second Order Beat (1) (V _{out} = +44 dBmV at ch. 2, 55.25 MHz to ch. M90, 853.25 MHz) | | CSO ₁₂₈ flat | _ | -73 | -68 | dB |
| DIN45004B (See Figure 2) | | DIN | _ | 130 | — | dBμV |
| Noise Figure (f = 50 MHz) (f = 860 MHz) | | NF | _ | _ | 9.0 13.0 | dB |
| DC Current | | IDC | _ | 660 | 725 | mA |

PERFORMANCE DERATE versus TEMPERATURE (TYP)

| Symbol | Characteristic | Test Conditions | −20 + 80°C | −20 + 100°C |
|--------|------------------------|-----------------|------------|-------------|
| ∆Gp | Change in Gain w/Temp. | 50 MHz | ±0.5 dB | ±0.6 dB |





PERFORMANCE MEASUREMENT Motorola test fixture: P/N FF124BTF is necessary for accurate measurement.

Figure 1. Block Diagram of Circuit



Figure 2. DIN45004B Test

PACKAGE DIMENSIONS



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