

# ULTRA·REL<sup>®</sup> Ceramic Hermetic Frequency Mixers

## MAC Series

300 MHz to 12 GHz LO Levels 4 to 17 dBm

### The Big Deal

- 3-Year Guarantee
- Hermetically sealed LTCC construction
- Low-profile case, 0.06" high
- Priced for outstanding VALUE



CASE STYLE: DZ1650

### Product Overview

Mini-Circuits MAC mixers employ a unique new design and a highly repeatable, tightly controlled, automated process that delivers industry-leading reliability at a remarkably affordable price. Schottky diode quads meeting our strict specifications are bonded to a multilayer integrated LTCC substrate, and then hermetically sealed under a controlled atmosphere with gold-plated covers and eutectic AuSn solder. These passive, double-balanced mixers have been tested to MIL requirements for gross leak, fine leak, thermal shock, vibration, acceleration, mechanical shock, and HTOL, and every MAC mixer is backed with our 3-year guarantee.

[Click here for more about the MAC mixer](#)

### Key Features

Feature	Advantages
Low, Flat Conversion Loss	No need to compensate for variations over frequency.
Hermetically Sealed	Ideal for use anywhere long-term reliability adds bottom-line value: high moisture areas, busy production lines, high-speed distribution centers, heavy industry, outdoor settings, and unmanned facilities, as well as military applications.
Rugged LTCC/Hermetic Construction	Demonstrated reliability in harsh, physically abusive environments with high vibration, acceleration, and/or mechanical shock.
Wide Operating Temperature Range	Guaranteed performance from -55 to +125°C. MAC mixers have also passed thermal shock testing from -55 to +150°C, through 1000 cycles, 15 minutes per cycle.
Exposed Termination Ends	Our unique case design allows for easy visual inspection of side solder fillets per IPC-A-610 section 8.3.4.6, and features gold-plated terminations for excellent solderability.
Incredible Performance/Price	Game-changing affordability brings Hi-Rel hermetic mixers within the reach of commercial budgets.

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# Ceramic, Hermetically Sealed Frequency Mixer WIDE BAND

## MAC-42+

Level 7 (LO Power+7 dBm) 1000 to 4200 MHz



CASE STYLE: DZ1650

### Maximum Ratings

Operating Temperature	-55°C to 125°C
Storage Temperature	-65°C to 150°C
RF Power	50 mW
IF Current	40 mA

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

### Pin Connections

LO	10
RF	5
IF	3
GROUND	1,2,4,6,7,8,9

### Features

- wide bandwidth, 1000 to 4200 MHz
- low conversion loss, 6.2 dB typ.
- excellent L-R isolation, 35 dB typ.
- LTCC double balanced mixer
- aqueous washable
- low cost
- low profile, 0.060"
- protected by US Patent 7,027,795
- **3-YEAR GUARANTEE - The Most Reliable Mixers**

### Applications

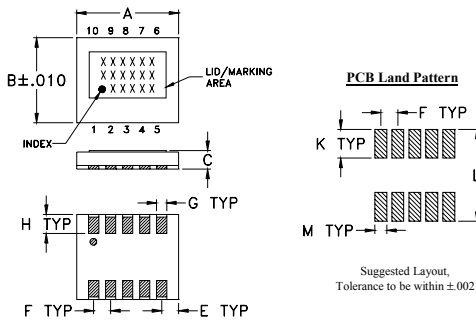
- cellular
- PCN
- fixed satellite
- WCDMA
- defense radar
- defense communications

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

**Available Tape and Reel at no extra cost**

Reel Size	Devices/Reel
7"	10, 20, 50, 100, 200, 500
13"	1000

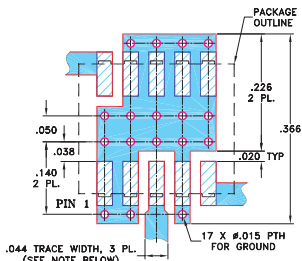
### Outline Drawing



### Outline Dimensions (inch/mm)

A	B	C	D	E	F	G
.30	.250	.060	--	.050	.050	.030
7.62	6.35	1.52	--	1.27	1.27	0.76
H	J	K	L	M	wt	
.056	--	.085	.270	.035	grams	
1.42	--	2.16	6.86	0.89	0.29	

### Demo Board MCL P/N: TB-956+ Suggested PCB Layout (PL-045)



- NOTES: 1. TRACE WIDTH IS SHOWN FOR ROGERS RO4350B WITH DIELECTRIC THICKNESS .020" ± .0015"; 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

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### Electrical Specifications at 25°C

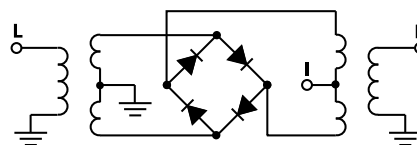
Parameter	Condition (MHz)	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Units
Frequency Range, LO/RF			1000 - 4200		MHz
Frequency Range, IF			DC - 1500		MHz
Conversion Loss*	1000 - 4200	--	6.2	7.7	dB
LO to RF Isolation	1000 - 4200	27	40	--	dB
LO to IF Isolation	1000 - 4200	14	23	--	dB
IP3	1000 - 4200	--	14	--	dBm
RF Input Power at 1 dB Compression	1000 - 4200		+1		dBm

\*Conversion Loss measured at 30 MHz IF.

### Typical Performance Data at 25°C and LO=+7dBm

Frequency (MHz)	Conversion Loss (dB)	Isolation L-R (dB)	Isolation L-I (dB)	VSWR RF Port (:1)	VSWR LO Port (:1)
1000.1	5.82	34.41	22.17	2.68	4.05
1200.1	5.90	44.73	24.41	3.65	2.37
1400.1	5.58	38.44	23.23	3.20	2.20
1600.1	5.91	37.99	23.37	3.19	2.90
1800.1	5.96	40.12	22.57	2.96	3.31
2000.1	6.11	38.77	23.06	2.71	3.44
2200.1	6.10	38.37	19.65	2.67	3.70
2400.1	5.57	39.18	19.43	2.03	4.00
2600.1	6.38	40.31	20.11	2.32	3.58
2800.1	6.04	40.90	21.50	2.36	3.03
3000.1	5.36	40.23	24.87	2.01	2.55
3200.1	5.54	35.64	27.78	2.01	2.58
3300.1	5.56	34.60	28.15	1.84	2.30
3400.1	5.83	34.22	28.23	1.93	2.40
3600.1	6.04	31.45	26.51	2.84	2.39
3800.1	6.69	29.45	24.12	3.52	2.78
3900.1	6.53	28.87	24.78	3.35	3.10
4000.1	6.55	29.29	22.14	3.47	3.53
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4200.1	6.58	29.35	16.07	3.13	4.20

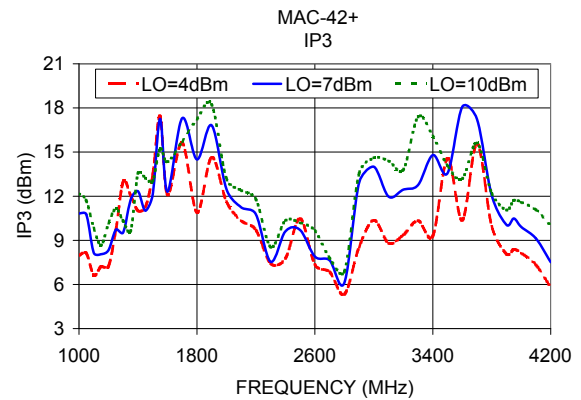
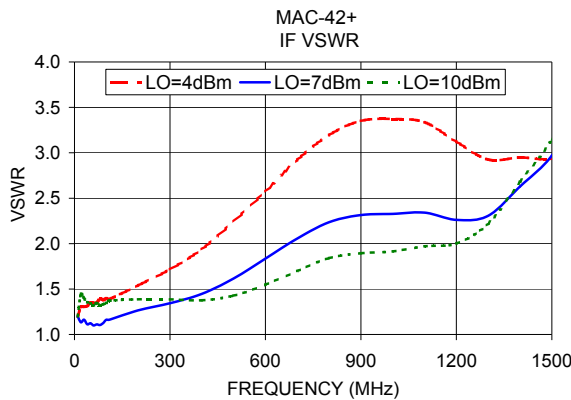
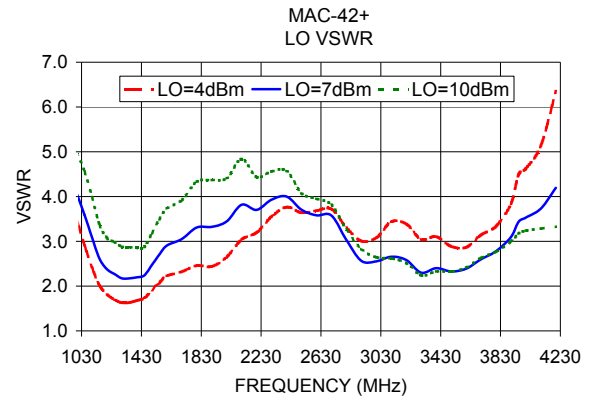
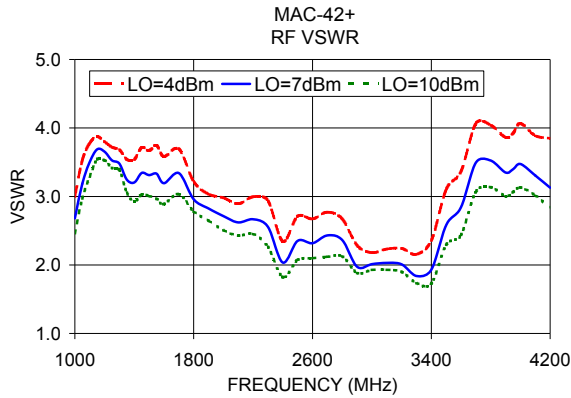
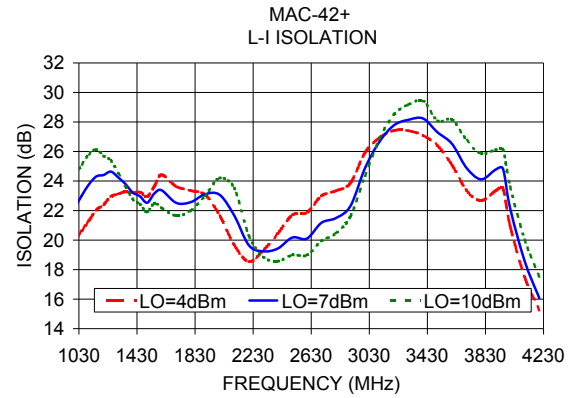
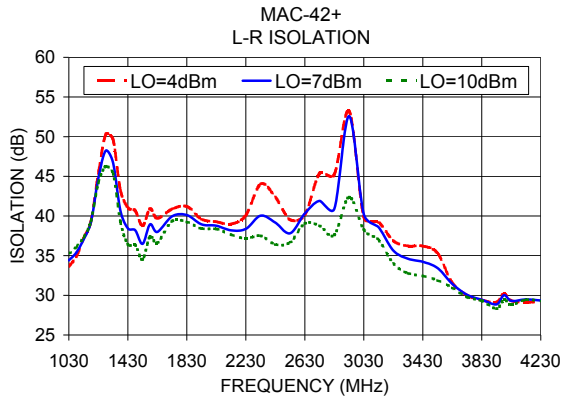
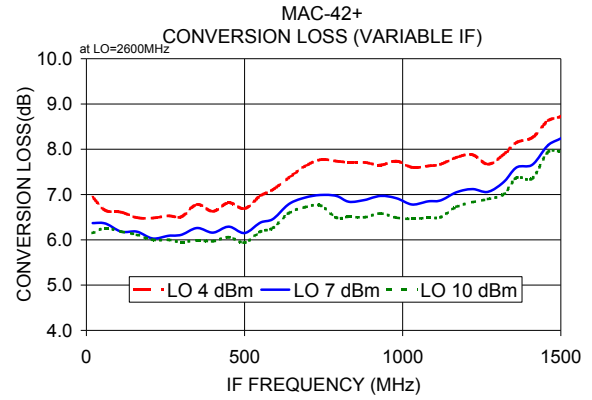
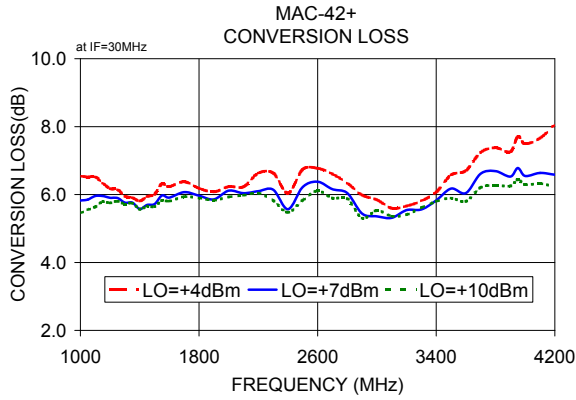
### Electrical Schematic



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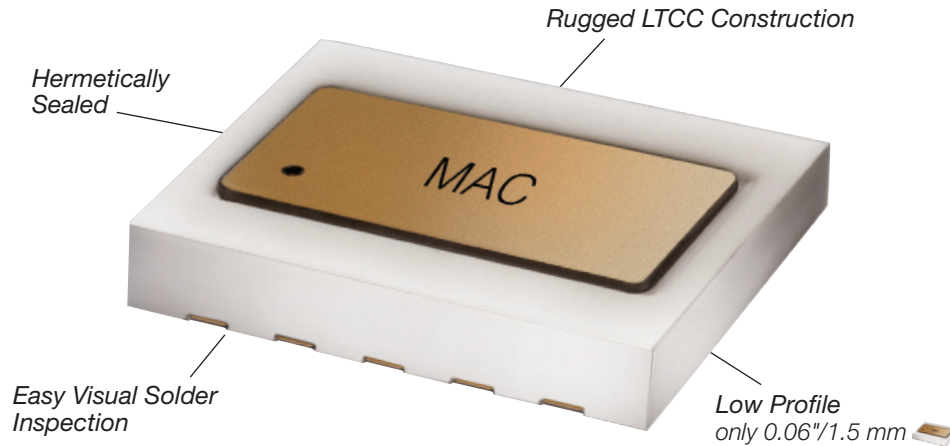


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# Designed and Built for Long-Term Reliability in **HOSTILE ENVIRONMENTS**



## Mini-Circuits MAC mixers meet or exceed the following qualifications:

<b>Gross Leak</b>	MIL-STD-202 Method 112, Condition D (100% of all MAC Mixers we ship)
<b>Fine Leak</b>	MIL-STD-202 Method 112, Condition C, Procedure IIIa
<b>Thermal Shock</b>	MIL-STD-202 Method 107 (-55/+100C°, 1000 cycles, 15 minutes) (-55/+150C°, 1000 cycles, 15 minutes)
<b>Vibration</b>	MIL-STD-202 Method 204, Condition D (10-2000Hz sine, 20g, 3 axis, 12 c.y.ea.)
<b>Acceleration</b>	MIL- STD-883 Method 2001, Condition E
<b>Mechanical Shock</b>	MIL-STD-202 Method 213, Condition A
<b>HTOL</b>	MIL-STD-202 Method 108, Condition D (1000 hours, 125°C, at rated LO level)
<b>Multiple Reflow</b>	JESD22-B102
<b>Bend Test</b>	JESD22-B113
<b>Adhesion Strength</b>	Push test >10lb



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