

LTCC QUADRATURE HYBRID COUPLERS



DATA SHEET **W3H0526F** 7.13.2010

FEATURES

- Low Profile Surface Mount Package
- High Power
- Low Case Junction Resistance
- Low Insertion Loss
- Excellent Amplitude and Phase Balance
- High Isolation
- RoHS Compliant
- Tape and Reel for High Volume Production
- 100% RF Tested

APPLICATIONS

- Power Amplifiers
- Signal Distribution Networks
- Antenna Feeds
- Switch Networks
- High Power Combiners/Splitters
- Phase Shifters

GENERAL DESCRIPTION

The W3H0526F is a high performance 3dB hybrid coupler in a surface mount package. This low profile coupler handles up to 300 watts of CW power. The W3H0526F is designed for those demanding applications where low loss, excellent amplitude and phase balance are required.

The W3H0526F is manufactured with materials that have thermal expansion characteristics compatible with industry standard board materials like RO3003, RO4350, FR4 and others. The couplers are available in a RoHS compliant finish and packaged in tube.

ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS*

| 3dB HYBRID COUPLER | | | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------|---------------|----------------------------------|-------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|--|--|
| Frequency MHz | Isolation dB (min) | Insertion Loss dB (max) | VSWR (max) | Amplitude Balance dB (max) | Phase Error | Power Handling ** Watts CW | Operating Temperature °C | | | |
| 500-2600 | 18 | 0.5 | 1.3 | 0.6 | 90 ± 5 | 100 | -55 to +125 | | | |

Specification Notes:

- * Measured on Florida RF Labs test fixture. Specifications are subject to change without notice.
- ** Power rating is specified at 95°C base temperature





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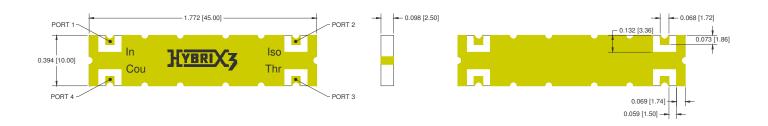


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COUPLER PIN CONFIGURATION AND MECHANICAL OUTLINE

| PORTS | P1 | P2 | P3 | P4 |
|-------|------|------|------|------|
| P1 | - | ISO | -90° | 0° |
| P2 | ISO | - | 0° | -90° |
| P3 | -90° | 0° | - | ISO |
| P4 | 0° | -90° | ISO | - |



COMMONLY USED ATTACHMENT MATERIALS

| Material | Composition | Thermal Conductivity (Watts/cm/°C) | Melting Temperature (°C) | |
|------------------|-------------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|--|
| Gold-Tin Solder | 80% Gold / 20% Tin | 0.58 | 280 | |
| Lead-Free Solder | 99.3% Tin – 0.7% Copper | N/A | 227 | |
| Lead-Free Solder | 96.5% Tin / 3.5% Silver | 0.33 | 221 | |
| Lead-Free Solder | 96.5% Tin / 3% Silver / 0.5% Copper | N/A | 217 - 220 | |
| Sn63 Solder | 63% Tin / 37% Lead | 0.49 | 183 | |





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TYPICAL PERFORMANCE AT 25°C

