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GaAs MULTI-CHIP MODULE
MC-7846

870 MHz CATV 22 dB POWER DOUBLER AMPLIFIER

DESCRIPTION

The MC-7846 is a GaAs Multi-chip Module designed for use in CATV applications up to 870 MHz. This unit has low distortion, low noise figure and return loss across the entire frequency band.

Reliability and performance uniformity are assured by our stringent quality and control procedures.

FEATURES

- Low distortion
- High linear gain $G_L = 22.0 \text{ dB MIN. @ } f = 870 \text{ MHz}$
- Low return loss

<R> **ORDERING INFORMATION**

Part Number	Order Number	Package	Supplying Form
MC-7846	MC-7846-AZ	7-pin special with heatsink (Pb-Free)	25 pcs MAX./Tray

Remark To order evaluation samples, contact your nearby sales office.

Part number for sample order: MC-7846

ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS (T_A = +25°C)

Parameter	Symbol	Ratings	Unit
Supply Voltage	V _{DD}	30	V
Input Voltage ^{Note}	V _i	65.0	dBmV
Operating Case Temperature	T _c	-30 to +100	°C
Storage Temperature	T _{stg}	-40 to +100	°C

Note In case of single tone

Caution Observe precautions when handling because these devices are sensitive to electrostatic discharge.

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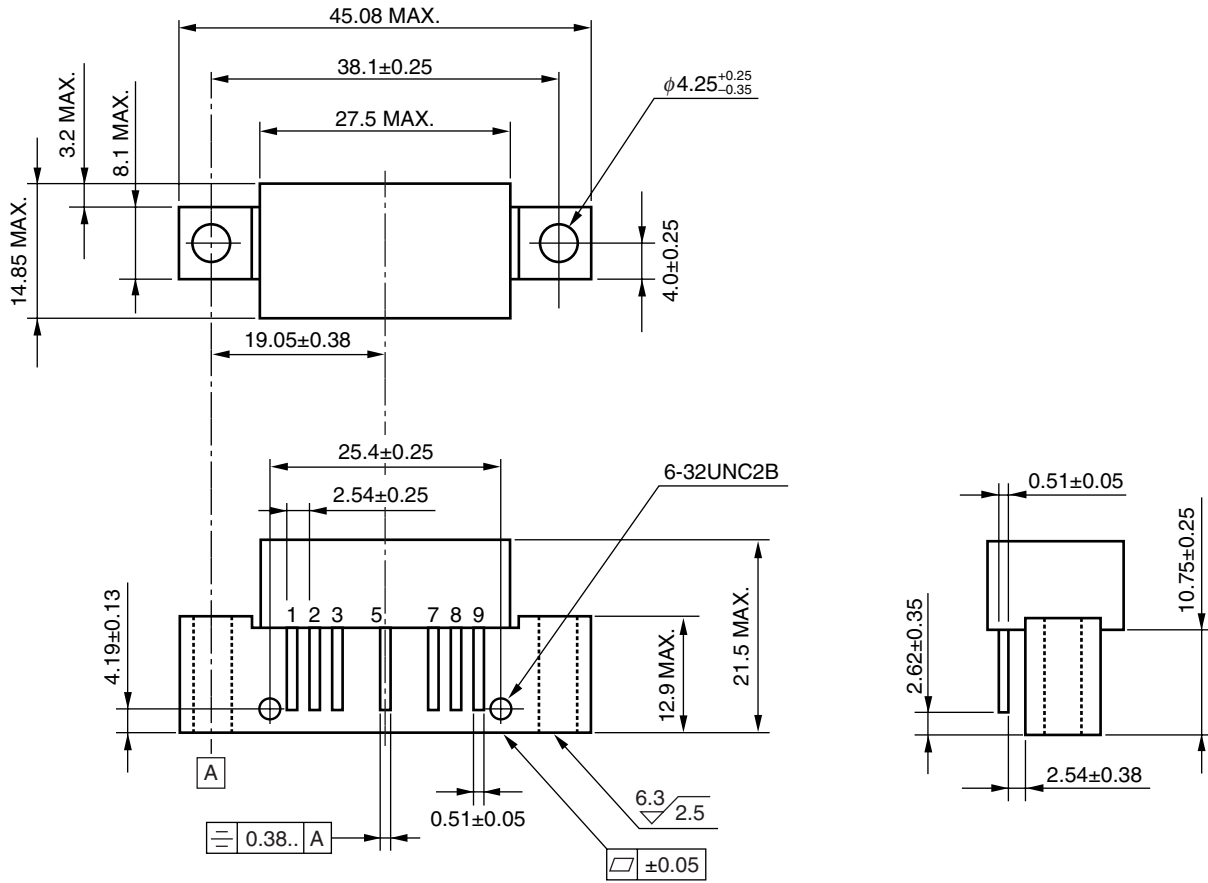
Parameter	Symbol	Test Conditions	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	Unit
Supply Voltage	V_{DD}		23.5	24.0	24.5	V
Input Voltage	V_i	110 channel, 10 dB tilted across the band	-	32.0	35.0	dBmV
Operating Case Temperature	T_c		-30	+25	+85	°C

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS ($T_c = 30 \pm 5^\circ\text{C}$, $V_{DD} = 24 \text{ V}$, $Z_s = Z_L = 75 \Omega$)

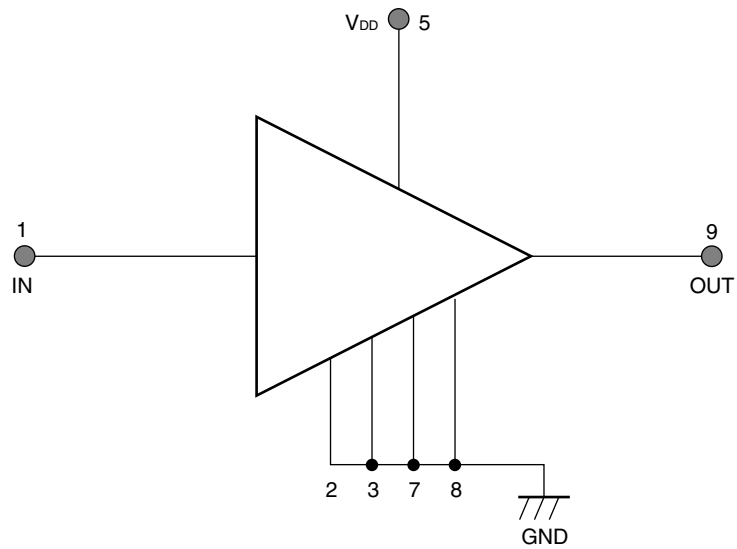
Parameter	Symbol	Test Conditions	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	Unit
Linear Gain	G_L	$f = 870 \text{ MHz}$	22.0	-	23.0	dB
Gain Slope	G_{Slope}	$f = 40 \text{ to } 870 \text{ MHz}$	0.6	1.0	1.4	dB
Gain Flatness	$G_{Flatness}$	$f = 40 \text{ to } 870 \text{ MHz}$, Peak to valley	-	-	0.6	dB
Noise Figure 1	NF1	$f = 50 \text{ MHz}$	-	-	6.0	dB
Noise Figure 2	NF2	$f = 870 \text{ MHz}$	-	-	6.5	dB
Operating Current	I_{DD}	RF OFF	275	-	375	mA
Composite Triple Beat	CTB	110 channel, $V_o = 50 \text{ dBmV}$ at 745.25 MHz, 10 dB tilted across the band	-	-	-60	dBc
Cross Modulation	XM		-	-	-55	dBc
Composite 2nd Order Beat	CSO		-	-	-63	dBc
Input Return Loss 1	RLi1	$f = 40 \text{ to } 160 \text{ MHz}$	20	-	-	dB
Input Return Loss 2	RLi2	$f = 160 \text{ to } 320 \text{ MHz}$	20	-	-	dB
Input Return Loss 3	RLi3	$f = 320 \text{ to } 640 \text{ MHz}$	19	-	-	dB
Input Return Loss 4	RLi4	$f = 640 \text{ to } 870 \text{ MHz}$	17	-	-	dB
Output Return Loss 1	RLo1	$f = 40 \text{ to } 160 \text{ MHz}$	20	-	-	dB
Output Return Loss 2	RLo2	$f = 160 \text{ to } 320 \text{ MHz}$	20	-	-	dB
Output Return Loss 3	RLo3	$f = 320 \text{ to } 640 \text{ MHz}$	19	-	-	dB
Output Return Loss 4	RLo4	$f = 640 \text{ to } 870 \text{ MHz}$	18	-	-	dB

PACKAGE DIMENSIONS

7-PIN SPECIAL WITH HEATSINK (UNIT: mm)



PIN CONNECTION



NOTE ON CORRECT USE

- (1) The space between PC board and root of the lead should be kept more than 1 mm to prevent undesired stress to the lead and also should be kept less than 4 mm to prevent undesired parasitic inductance. Recommended that space is 2.0 to 3.0 mm typical.
- (2) Recommended torque strength of the screw is 59 to 78 Ncm.
- (3) Form the ground pattern as wide as possible to minimize ground impedance.
(to prevent undesired oscillation)
All the ground pins must be connected together with wide ground pattern to decrease impedance difference.

RECOMMENDED SOLDERING CONDITIONS

This product should be soldered in the following recommended conditions. Other soldering methods and conditions than the recommended conditions are to be consulted with our sales representatives.

Soldering Method	Soldering Conditions	Condition Symbol
Pin Part Heating	Pin area temperature : less than 350°C ^{Note} Hour : Within 3 sec./pin	-

Note The point of pin part heating must be kept more than 1.2 mm distance from the root of lead.

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