

GaAs SP6T 2.5 V High Power Switch Dual- / Tri- / Quad-Band GSM Applications

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Features

- Dual- / tri- / quad-band GSM / GPRS / EDGE
- 2.5V Operation
- Harmonics: -70 dBc @ +34.5 dBm & 1 GHz
- Insertion Loss: 0.5 dB @ 1 GHz
- Tx - Rx Isolation: 41 dB @ 2 GHz
- Lead-Free 4 mm 20-Lead PQFN Package
- RoHS Compliant* and 260°C Reflow Compatible

Description

M/A-COM's MASW-000105 is a GaAs PHEMT MMIC single pole six throw (SP6T) high power switch in a 4 mm PQFN package. Designed for dual-, tri-, or quad-band GSM/GPRS/EDGE mobile devices, the MASW-000105 is ideally suited for applications where high power, low control voltage, low insertion loss, high isolation, small size and low cost are required. This part can be used in all systems operating up to 2.5 GHz requiring high power at low control voltage.

The MASW-000105 is fabricated using a 0.5 micron gate length GaAs PHEMT process. The process features full passivation for performance and reliability.

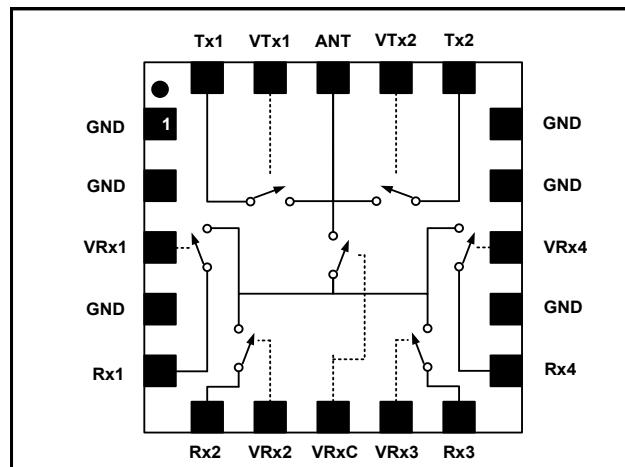
The MASW-000105 can also be purchased in die form as the MASWSS0091.

Ordering Information^{1,2}

Part Number	Package
MASW-000105-TR3000	3000 piece reel
MASW-000105-001SMB	Sample Test Board

1. Reference Application Note M513 for reel size information.
2. All sample boards include 5 loose parts.

Functional Block Diagram



Pin Configuration

Pin No.	Function	Description
1	GND	Ground
2	GND	Ground
3	VRx1	Rx1 Control
4	GND	Ground
5	Rx1	Rx1 Port
6	Rx2	Rx2 Port
7	VRx2	Rx2 Control
8	VRxC	Rx Common Control
9	VRx3	Rx3 Control
10	Rx3	Rx3 Port
11	Rx4	Rx4 Port
12	GND	Ground
13	VRx4	Rx4 Control
14	GND	Ground
15	GND	Ground
16	Tx2	Tx2 Port
17	VTx2	Tx2 Control
18	ANT	ANT Pad
19	VTx1	Tx1 Control
20	Tx1	Tx1 Port
21	Paddle ³	RF and DC Ground

3. The exposed pad centered on the package bottom must be connected to RF and DC ground.

* Restrictions on Hazardous Substances, European Union Directive 2002/95/EC.

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Electrical Specifications: $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$, $V_C = 0\text{V}/2.5\text{V}$, $Z_0 = 50 \Omega$ ⁴

Parameter	Test Conditions		Units	Min.	Typ.	Max.
Insertion Loss ⁵	Ant - Tx	0.5 - 1.0 GHz 1.0 - 2.0 GHz	dB	- -	0.5 0.7	0.7 -
	Ant - Rx	0.5 - 1.0 GHz 1.0 - 2.0 GHz	dB	- -	1.0 1.3	1.2 -
Isolation	T _x to R _x , T _x On	0.5 - 1.0 GHz 1.0 - 2.0 GHz	dB	40 - 41	47	-
	T _x to T _x , T _x On	0.5 - 1.0 GHz 1.0 - 2.0 GHz	dB	20 - 21	27 21	-
	R _x to T _x , R _x On	0.5 - 1.0 GHz 1.0 - 2.0 GHz	dB	- -	26 21	-
	R _x to R _x , R _x On	0.5 - 1.0 GHz 1.0 - 2.0 GHz	dB	- -	37 33	-
Return Loss	0.5 - 1.0 GHz 1.0 - 2.0 GHz	dB	- -	18 16	-	-
T _x P0.1dB	V _C = 0 V / 2.5 V	dBm	-	36	-	-
R _x P1dB	V _C = 0 V / 2.5 V	dBm	-	24	-	-
IP3	T _x to ANT ANT to R _x	dBm	- -	60 50	-	-
2nd Harmonic	0.5 - 1.0 GHz 1.0 - 2.0 GHz	dBc	- -	71 70	-	-
3rd Harmonic	0.5 - 1.0 GHz 1.0 - 2.0 GHz	dBc	- -	74 66	-	-
Trise, Tfall	10% to 90% RF, 90% to 10% RF	μs	-	0.5	-	-
Ton, Toff	50% control to 90% RF, 50% control to 10% RF	μs	-	0.9	-	-
Transients	In Band	mV	-	30	-	-
Control Current	V _C = 2.5 V	μA	-	20	50	

4. External DC blocking capacitors are required on all RF ports.

5. Insertion loss can be optimized by varying the DC blocking capacitor value, e.g. 100 pF for 0.5 GHz - 2.0 GHz.

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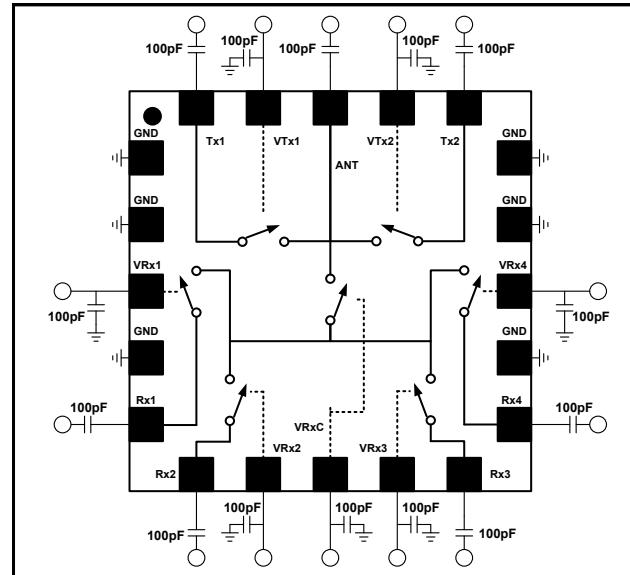
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Absolute Maximum Ratings ^{6,7}

Parameter	Absolute Maximum
Input Power (0.5 - 2.5 GHz, 2.5V Control)	+38 dBm
Voltage	+8.5 volts
Operating Temperature	-40°C to +85°C
Storage Temperature	-65°C to +150°C

6. Exceeding any one or combination of these limits may cause permanent damage to this device.
7. M/A-COM does not recommend sustained operation near these survivability limits.

Functional Schematic



Truth Table ^{8,9}

VTx1	VTx2	VRxC	VRx1	VRx2	VRx3	VRx4	ANT-Tx1	ANT-Tx2	ANT-Rx1	ANT-Rx2	ANT-Rx3	ANT-Rx4
1	0	0	0	0	0	0	On	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off
0	1	0	0	0	0	0	Off	On	Off	Off	Off	Off
0	0	1	1	0	0	0	Off	Off	On	Off	Off	Off
0	0	1	0	1	0	0	Off	Off	Off	On	Off	Off
0	0	1	0	0	1	0	Off	Off	Off	Off	On	Off
0	0	1	0	0	0	1	Off	Off	Off	Off	Off	On

8. Differential voltage, V (state 1) -V (state 0), must be 2.5 V minimum.

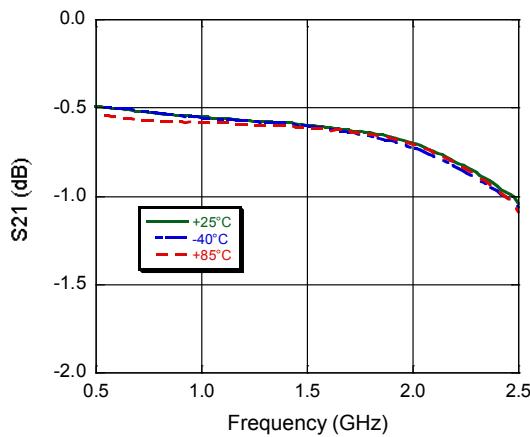
9. State 0 = 0 V to +0.2 V, State 1 = 2.5 V to 5 V.

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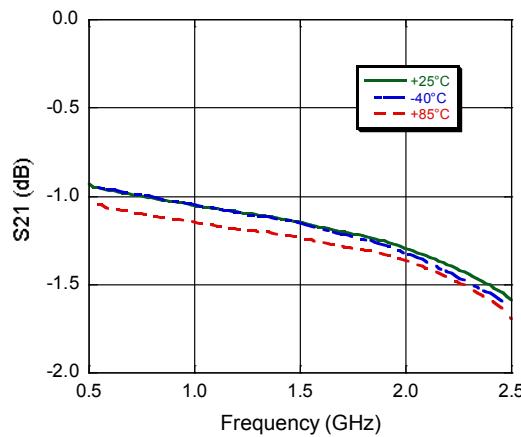
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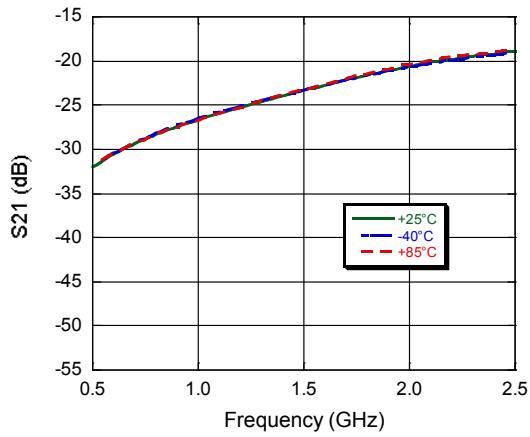
T_x Insertion Loss



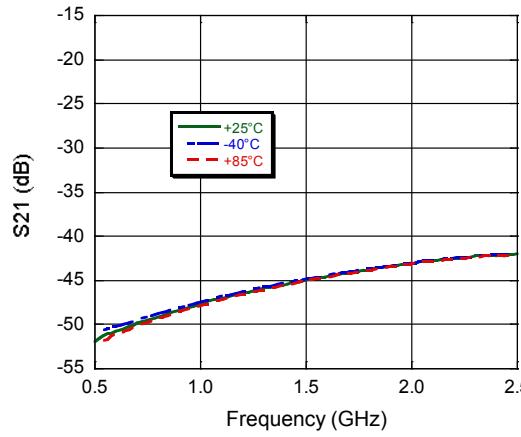
R_x Insertion Loss



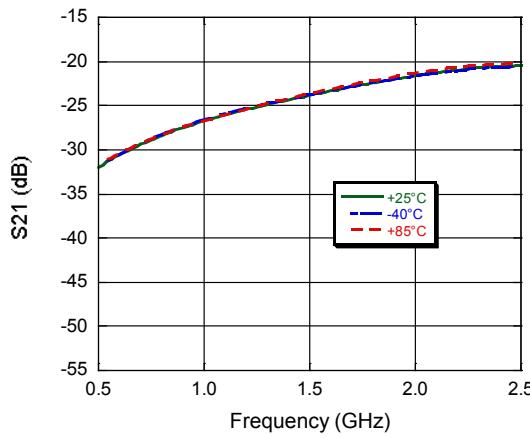
T_x - T_x Isolation



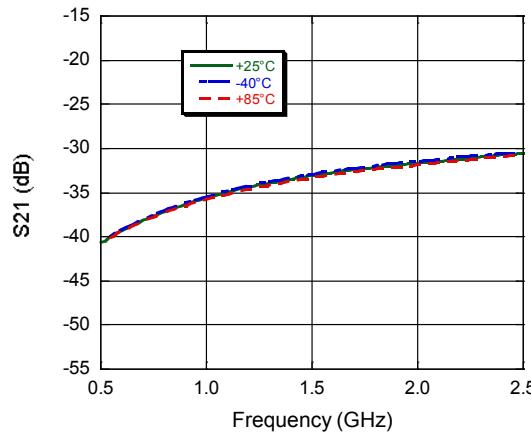
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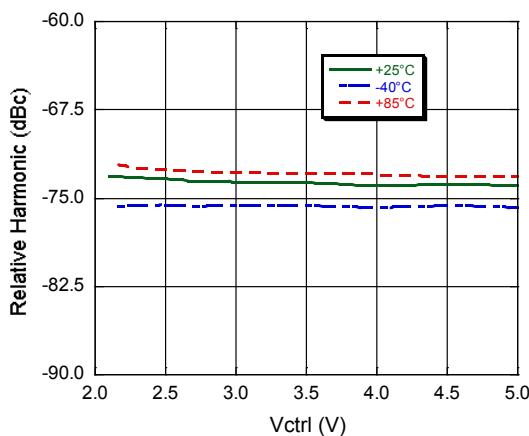
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3rd Harmonic vs. Vctrl @ 1 GHz, Pin = +35 dBm,
100% Duty Cycle



Qualification

Qualified to M/A-COM specification REL-201, Process Flow -2.

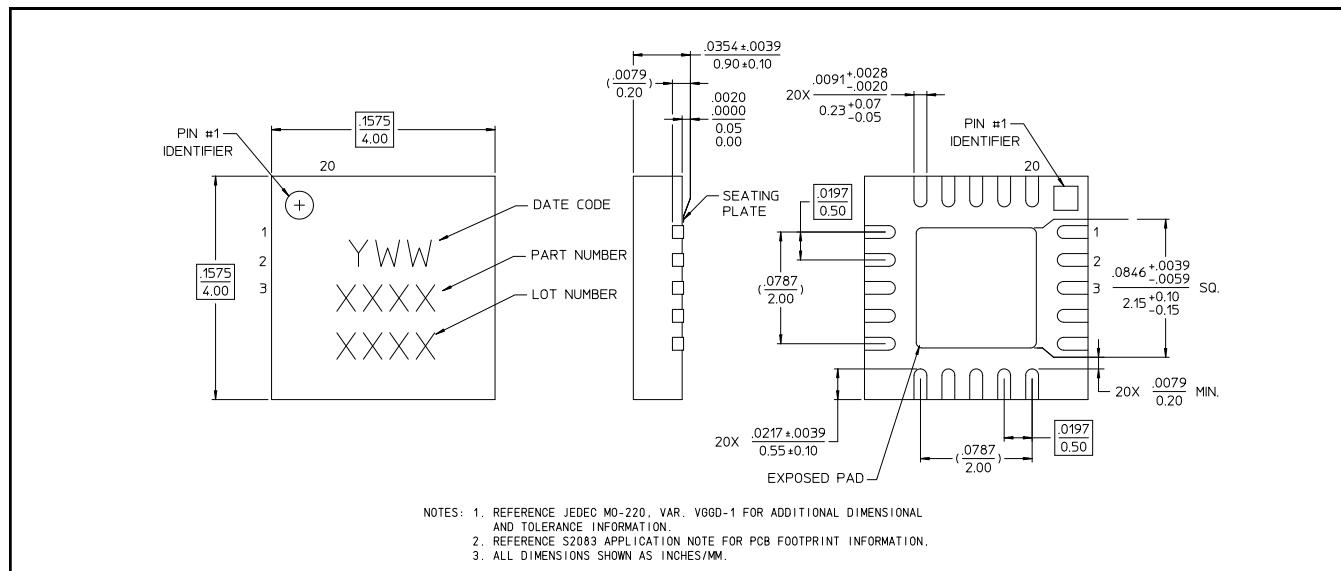
Handling Procedures

Please observe the following precautions to avoid damage:

Static Sensitivity

Gallium Arsenide Integrated Circuits are sensitive to electrostatic discharge (ESD) and can be damaged by static electricity. Proper ESD control techniques should be used when handling these devices.

Lead Free 4 mm 20-lead PQFN [†]



[†]Reference Application Note S2083 for lead-free solder reflow recommendations.

Meets JEDEC moisture sensitivity level 1 requirements.

Plating is 100% matte tin over copper.

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