

## Triple-Balanced Mixer

Rev. V2

### Features

- LO 2.0 TO 26.0 GHz
- RF 2.0 TO 26.0 GHz
- IF 1.0 TO 15.0 GHz
- LO DRIVE +10 dBm (nominal)
- HIGH COMPRESSION POINT
- VERY WIDE BANDWIDTH

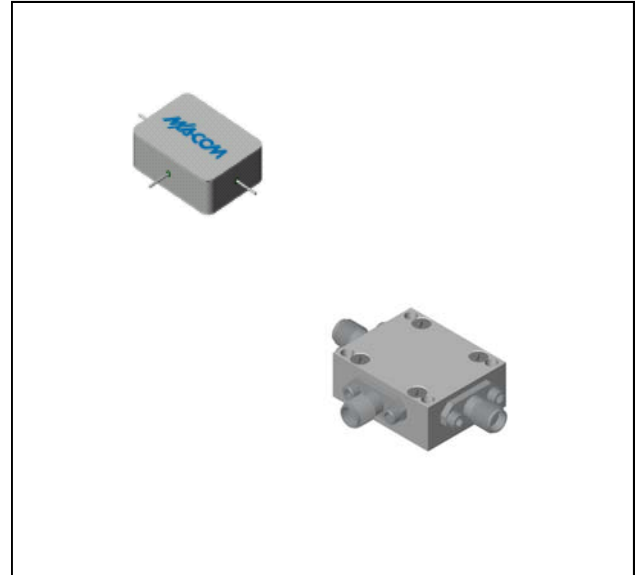
### Description

The M50 is a triple balanced mixer, designed for use in military, commercial and test equipment applications. The design utilizes Schottky ring quad diodes and broadband soft dielectric baluns to attain excellent performance. The use of high temperature solder and welded assembly processes used internally makes it ideal for use in manual, semi-automated assembly. Environmental screening available to MIL-STD-883, MIL-STD-202 or MIL-DTL-28837, consult factory.

### Ordering Information

| Part Number | Package           |
|-------------|-------------------|
| M50         | Minpac            |
| M50C        | SMA Connectorized |

### Product Image



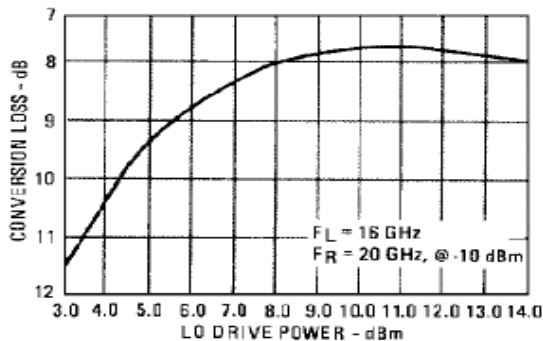
### Electrical Specifications: $Z_0 = 50\Omega$ $L_o = +10$ dBm (Downconverter application only)

| Parameter                                          | Test Conditions                                                                                                                                                        | Units | Typical | Guaranteed |                 |
|----------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|---------|------------|-----------------|
|                                                    |                                                                                                                                                                        |       |         | +25°C      | -54° to +85°C * |
| SSB Conversion Loss (max) & SSB Noise Figure (max) | fR = 2.5 to 18 GHz, fL = 2 to 18 GHz, fI = 2 to 10 GHz<br>fR = 2 to 18 GHz, fL = 2 to 26 GHz, fI = 2 to 12 GHz<br>fR = 2 to 26 GHz, fL = 2 to 26 GHz, fI = 2 to 15 GHz | dB    | 7.5     | 9.5        | 10.0            |
|                                                    |                                                                                                                                                                        |       | 8.0     | 10.5       | 11.0            |
|                                                    |                                                                                                                                                                        |       | 9.0     | 11.5       | 12.0            |
| Isolation, L to R (min)                            | fL = 2 to 3 GHz<br>fL = 3 to 26 GHz                                                                                                                                    | dB    | 30      | 15         | 13              |
|                                                    |                                                                                                                                                                        |       | 22      | 20         | 18              |
| Isolation, L to I (min)                            | fL = 2 to 7 GHz<br>fL = 7 to 26 GHz                                                                                                                                    | dB    | 30      | 15         | 13              |
|                                                    |                                                                                                                                                                        |       | 22      | 20         | 20              |
| 1 dB Conversion Comp.                              | fL @ +10 dBm                                                                                                                                                           | dBm   | +5      |            |                 |
| Input IP3                                          | fR1 = 5 GHz @ -6 dBm, fR2 = 5.01 GHz @ -6 dBm,<br>fL = 8 GHz @ 10 dBm<br>fR1 = 25 GHz @ -6 dBm, fR2 = 25.01 GHz @ -6 dBm,<br>fL = 15 GHz @ 10 dBm                      | dBm   | +15     |            |                 |
|                                                    |                                                                                                                                                                        |       | +15     |            |                 |

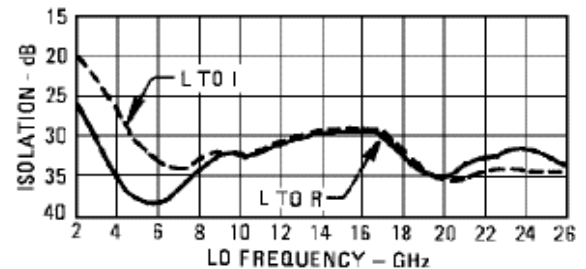
\* The M50C specification limits apply at 0°C to +50°C.

### Typical Performance Curves

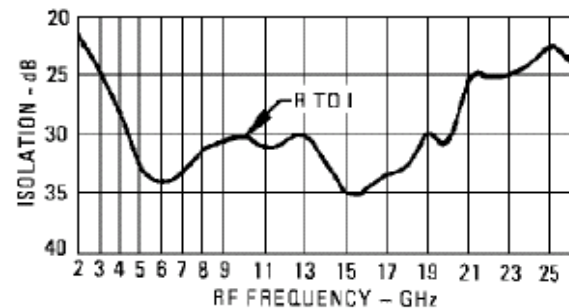
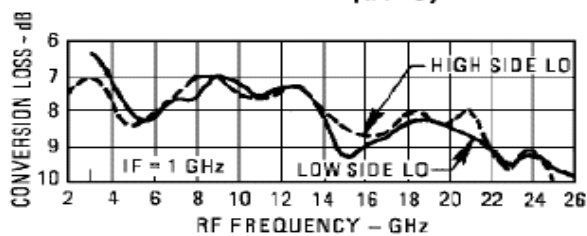
Conversion Loss vs. LO Drive Level



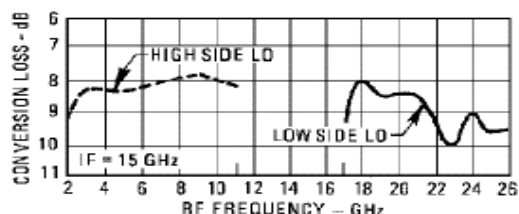
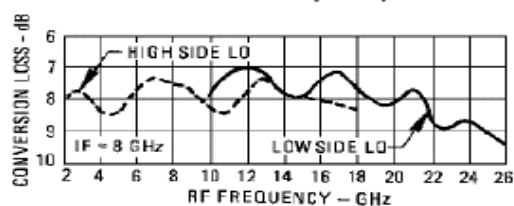
Isolation vs. Frequency



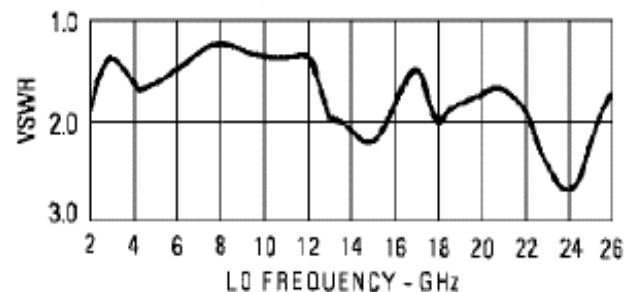
Conversion Loss vs. Frequency



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L-Port VSWR



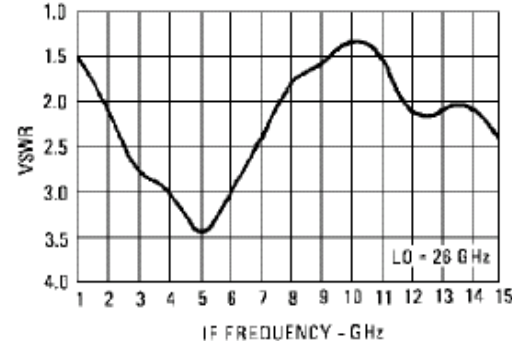
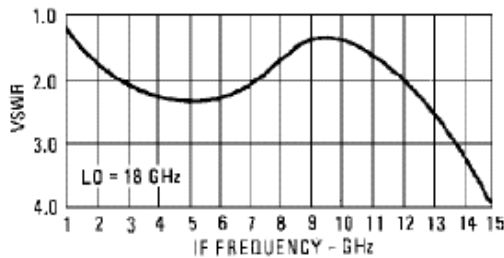
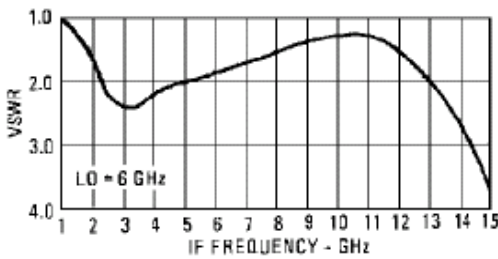
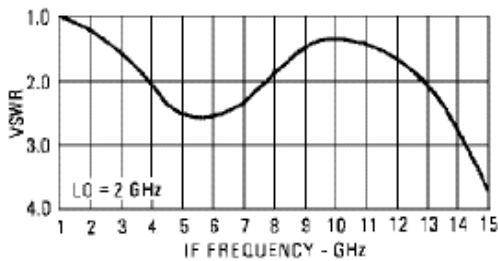
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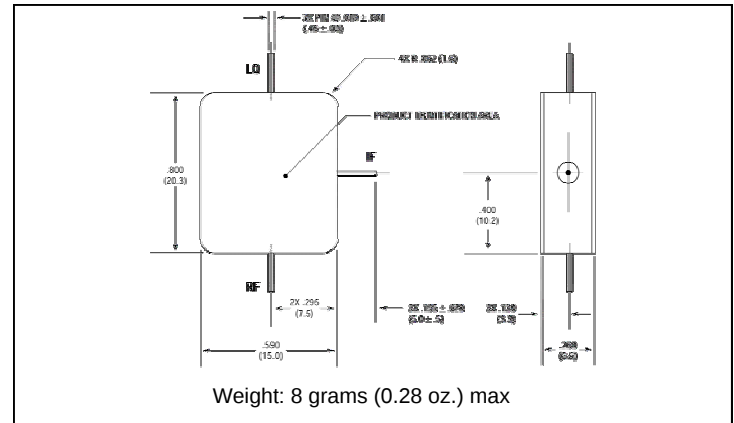
### Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Parameter             | Absolute Maximum                            |
|-----------------------|---------------------------------------------|
| Operating Temperature | -54°C to +100°C                             |
| Storage Temperature   | -65°C to +100°C                             |
| Peak Input Power      | +26 dBm max @ +25°C<br>+22 dBm max @ +100°C |
| Peak Input Current    | mA DC                                       |

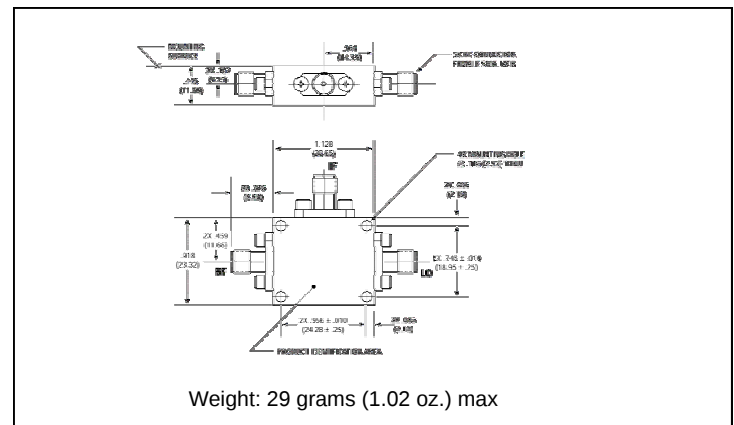
### I-Port VSWR



### Outline Drawing: Minpac \*



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Dimensions are inches (millimeters)  $\pm 0.015$  (0.38) unless otherwise specified.

### R-Port VSWR

