



47 dB Gain, 2 Watt, 6 GHz to 12 GHz, Broadband  
High Gain Amplifier, 42 dBm IP3, 6 dB NF, SMA

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PE15A3506

PE15A3506 is a 2W wideband coaxial power amplifier operating in the 6 to 12 GHz frequency range. The amplifier offers 33 dBm min of P1db and high 47 dB typical small signal gain with the excellent gain flatness of  $\pm 1.5$  dB max and an outstanding output IP3 performance of 42 dBm. This excellent technical performance is achieved through the use of hybrid MIC design and advanced GaAs PHEMT devices. The amplifier requires typically a +12V DC power supply. The connectorized SMA module is unconditionally stable and includes built-in voltage regulation, bias sequencing, and reverse bias protection for added reliability. The amplifier operates over the temperature range of  $-55^{\circ}\text{C}$  and  $+85^{\circ}\text{C}$ .

### Features

- 6 GHz to 12 GHz Frequency Range
- P1dB: 33 dBm min
- High Small Signal Gain: 47 dB typical
- Gain Flatness:  $\pm 1.5$  dB
- High output IP3: 42 dBm
- Noise Figure: 6.0 dB
- Reverse Isolation: 50 dB
- 50 Ohms Input and Output Matched
- $-55$  to  $+85^{\circ}\text{C}$  Operating Temperature
- Unconditionally Stable
- Regulated Supply & Bias Sequencing
- Hermetically Sealed Module
- Overvoltage External Protection for Easy Repair

### Applications

- Electronic Warfare
- Electronic Countermeasures
- Radar Systems
- Telecom Infrastructure
- Test Instrumentation
- Military & Space
- Communication Systems
- Satellite Communication
- Microwave Radio Systems
- Driver Amplifier
- High Power Output Amplifier

**Electrical Specifications** (TA =  $+25^{\circ}\text{C}$ , DC Voltage = 12Volts, DC Current = 2,500mA)

Description	Minimum	Typical	Maximum	Units
Frequency Range	6		12	GHz
Gain		47		dB
Gain Flatness		$\pm 1.5$		dB
Output at 1 dB Compression Point	+33			dBm
Output 3 <sup>rd</sup> Intercept Point		+42		dBm
Reverse Isolation		50		dB
Noise Figure		6	6.5	dB
Input VSWR			2:1	
Output VSWR			2:1	
Operating DC Voltage	11	12	15	Volts
Operating DC Current		2,500		mA
Operating Temperature Range (OTR)	-55		+85	$^{\circ}\text{C}$

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### Absolute Maximum Rating

Parameter	Rating	Units
Source Voltage	+16	Volts
RF input Power	+17	dBm
Operating Temperature (base-plate)	-55 to +85	°C
Storage Temperature	-65 to +95	°C



ESD Sensitive Material,  
Transport material in  
Approved ESD bags.  
Handle only in approved  
ESD Workstation.

**Compliance Certifications** (visit [www.Pasternack.com](http://www.Pasternack.com) for current document)

RoHS Compliant

### Plotted and Other Data

Notes:

- Values at +25 °C, sea level
- ESD Sensitive Material, Transport material in Approved ESD bags. Handle only in approved ESD Workstation.
- Heat Sink Required for Proper Operation, Unit is cooled by conduction to heat sink.

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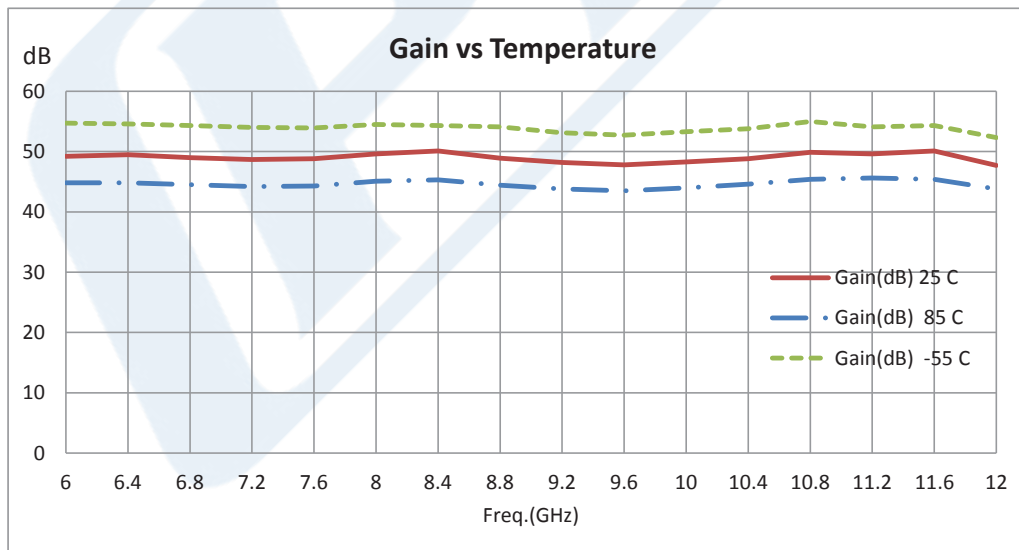
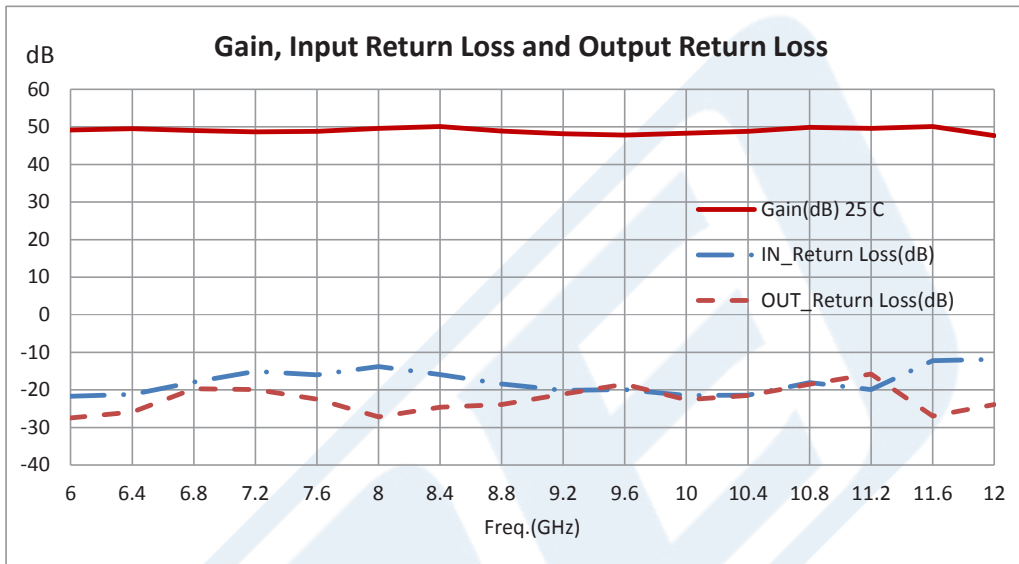


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### Power Data



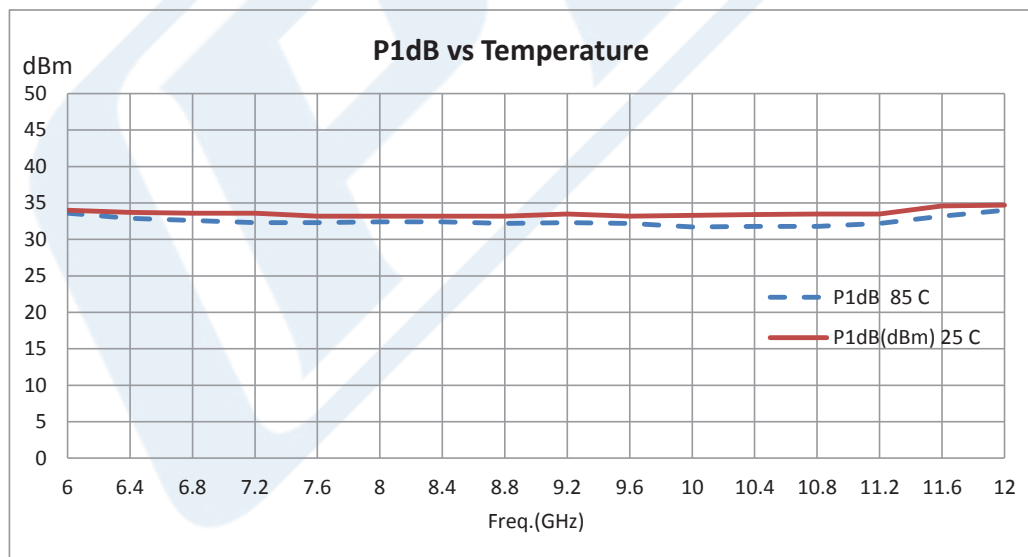
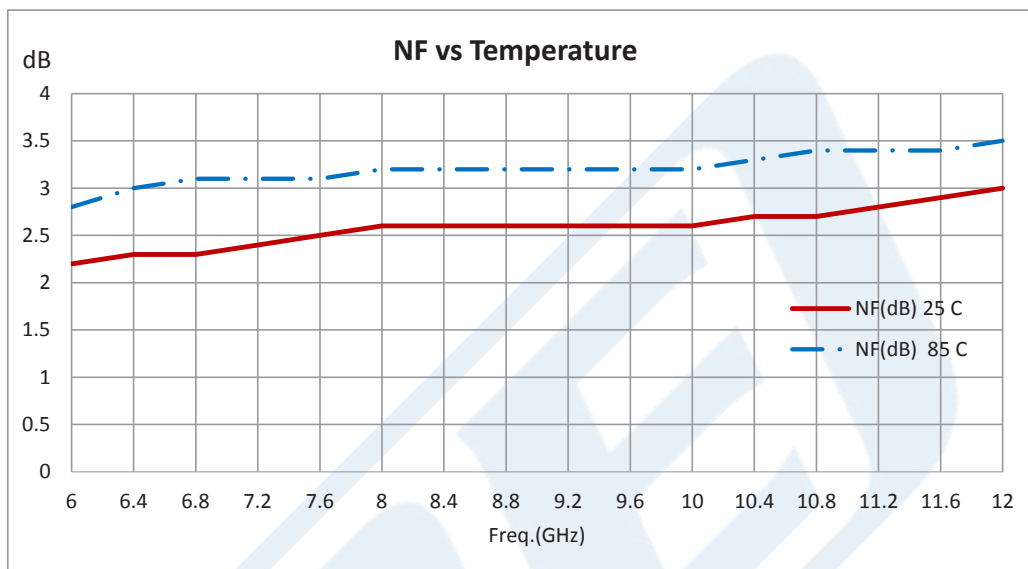
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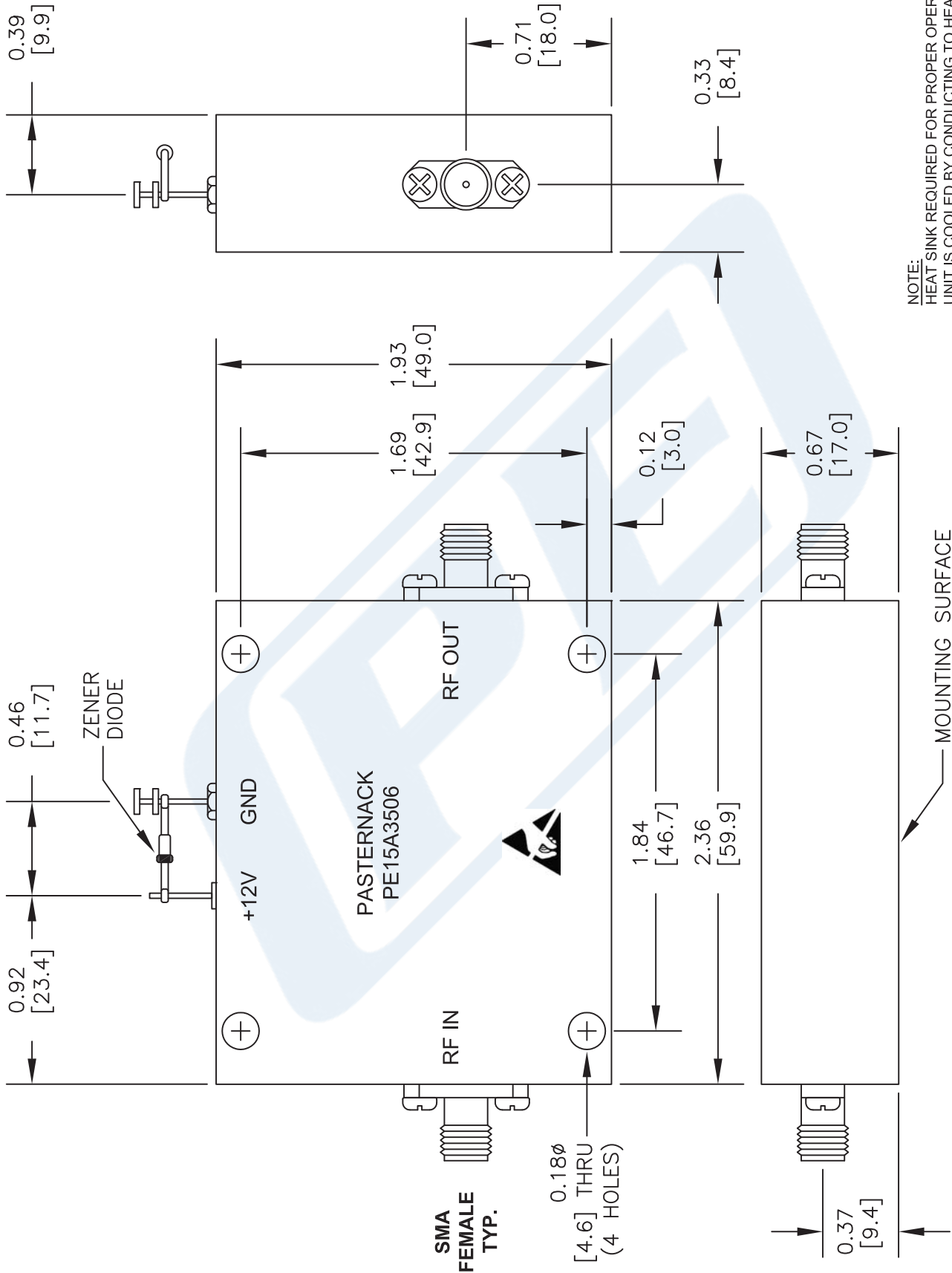
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# PE15A3506 CAD Drawing

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NOTE:  
HEAT SINK REQUIRED FOR PROPER OPERATION,  
UNIT IS COOLED BY CONDUCTING TO HEAT SINK.

## NOTES:

1. UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED ALL DIMENSIONS ARE NOMINAL.
2. ALL SPECIFICATIONS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE AT ANY TIME.
3. DIMENSIONS ARE IN INCHES [mm].

## DWG TITLE

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