

# **Broadband CATV Amplifier** 50 - 1000 MHz

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#### **Features**

- 75 Ω Input / Output Match
- 3.8 dB Noise Figure
- 9 dB Gain
- Lead-Free SOT-89 Package
- Halogen-Free "Green" Mold Compound
- RoHS\* Compliant and 260°C Reflow Compatible

#### **Description**

M/A-COM's MAAM-007807 CATV amplifier is a GaAs MMIC which exhibits low distortion in a miniature lead-free surface mount package. MAAM-007807 employs a monolithic single stage design featuring a convenient 75 Ω input/output impedance that minimizes the number of external components required.

The MAAM-007807 provides low noise and high linearity. It is ideally suited for set top boxes, home gateways and other broadband internet based appliances.

The MAAM-007807 is fabricated using M/A-COM's pHEMT process to realize low noise and low distortion. The process features full passivation for robust performance and reliability.

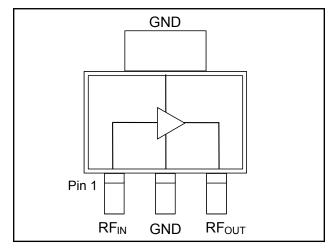
# Ordering Information <sup>1,2</sup>

| Part Number        | Package           |
|--------------------|-------------------|
| MAAM-007807-TR1000 | 1000 piece reel   |
| MAAM-007807-TR3000 | 3000 piece reel   |
| MAAM-007807-000SMB | Sample Test Board |

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

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#### **Functional Schematic**



## Pin Configuration

| Pin No. | Pin Name          | Description              |  |  |
|---------|-------------------|--------------------------|--|--|
| 1       | RF <sub>IN</sub>  | RF Input                 |  |  |
| 2       | GND               | Ground                   |  |  |
| 3       | RF <sub>out</sub> | RF Output / Drain Supply |  |  |

# **Absolute Maximum Ratings** 3,4,5

| Parameter                         | Absolute Maximum |
|-----------------------------------|------------------|
| RF Input Power                    | 8 dBm            |
| Voltage                           | 8.0 volts        |
| Operating Temperature             | -40°C to +85°C   |
| Junction Temperature <sup>6</sup> | +150°C           |
| Storage Temperature               | -65°C to +150°C  |

- 3. Exceeding any one or combination of these limits may cause permanent damage to this device.
- 4. M/A-COM does not recommend sustained operation near these survivability limits.
- 5. These operating conditions will ensure MTTF >  $1 \times 10^6$  hours.
- 6. Junction Temperature  $(T_J) = T_C + \Theta jc * (V * I)$ Typical thermal resistance (Θjc) = 86° C/W.
  - a) For  $T_C = 25^{\circ}C$ ,

T<sub>J</sub> = 51°C @ 5 V, 60 mA

b) For  $T_C = 85^{\circ}C$ ,

T<sub>J</sub> = 109°C @ 5 V, 55 mA

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<sup>\*</sup> Restrictions on Hazardous Substances, European Union Directive 2002/95/EC.



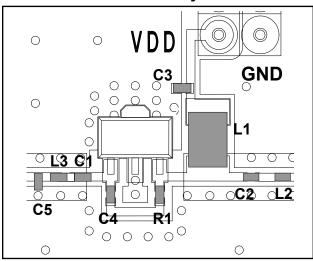
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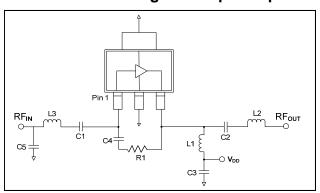
## Electrical Specifications: $T_A = 25$ °C, Freq: 50 - 1000 MHz, $V_{DD} = 5$ Volts, $Z_0 = 75$ $\Omega$

| Parameter                   | Test Conditions                                | Units | Min. | Тур. | Max. |
|-----------------------------|--|-------|------|------|------|
| Gain                        | _  | dB    | 8    | 9    | 10   |
| Gain Flatness               | _  | dB    | _    | 0.4  | 8.0  |
| Noise Figure                | _  | dB    | _    | 3.8  | 4.8  |
| Input Return Loss           | _  | dB    | _    | 18   | _    |
| Output Return Loss          | _  | dB    | _    | 18   | _    |
| Output IP3                  | 6 MHz Spacing, +4 dBm output per tone          | dBm   | _    | 35   | _    |
| Composite Triple Beat, CTB  | 132 channels, +15 dBmV / channel at the input. | dBc   | _    | -75  | _    |
| Composite Second Order, CSO | 132 channels, +15 dBmV / channel at the input. | dBc   | _    | -65  | _    |
| P1dB                        | _  | dBm   |      | 17   | _    |
| I <sub>DD</sub>             | 5 Volts  | mA    | 50   | 60   | 70   |

### **Recommended Board Layout**



#### **Schematic Including Off-Chip Components**



## **Off-Chip Component Values**

| Component       | Value   | Package |  |  |
|-----------------|---------|---------|--|--|
| C1 - C4         | 0.01 μF | 0402    |  |  |
| C5              | 0.8 pF  | 0402    |  |  |
| L1 <sup>7</sup> | 1 μH    | 1210    |  |  |
| L2              | 3.3 nH  | 0402    |  |  |
| L3              | 6.8 nH  | 0402    |  |  |
| R1              | 300 Ω   | 0402    |  |  |

<sup>7.</sup> L1 supplied from EPCOS, part number B82422A1102K100

### **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 electricity. Proper ESD control techniques should be used when handling these devices.

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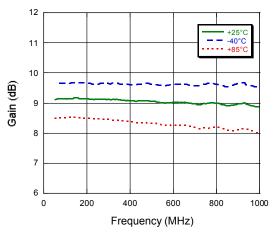


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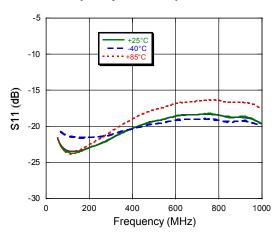
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## **Typical Performance Curves**

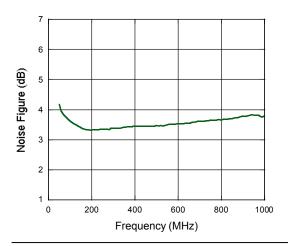
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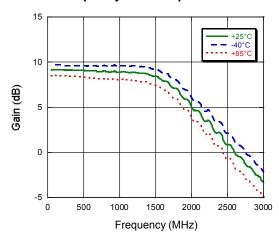
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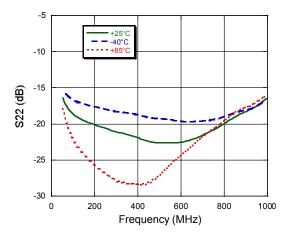
#### Noise Figure @ +25° C



#### Gain vs. Frequency over Temperature to 3 GHz



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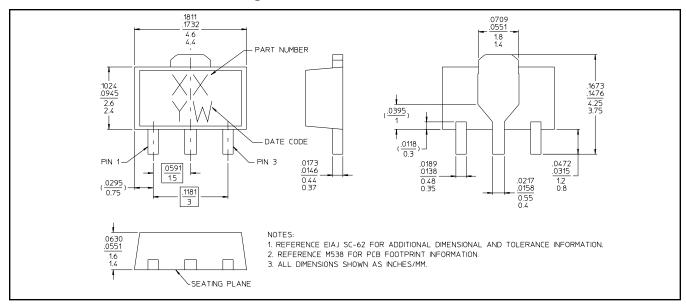
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## Lead-Free SOT-89 Plastic Package<sup>†</sup>



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup> Reference Application Note M538 for lead-free solder reflow recommendations. Meets JEDEC moisture sensitivity level 1 requirements. Plating is 100% matte tin over copper.

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