

# Cascadable Amplifier 100 to 1200 MHz

Rev. V3

#### **Features**

• VERY LOW NOISE: 1.8 dB (TYP.)

• HIGH OUTPUT POWER: +19 dBm (TYP.)

• HIGH POWER ADDED EFFICIENCY: 20%

#### **Description**

The A1212 RF amplifier is a discrete hybrid design, which uses thin film manufacturing processes for accurate performance and high reliability.

This feedback amplifier design uses 2 GaAs FET transistors In parallel, and displays impressive performance characteristics over a broadband frequency range.

An RF choke is used for DC power supply decoupling.

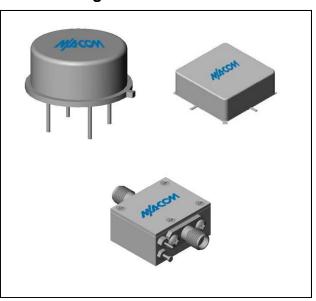
Both TO-8 and Surface Mount packages are hermetically sealed, and MIL-STD-883 environmental screening is available.

#### **Ordering Information**

Part Number	Package	
A1212	TO-8	
SMA1212	Surface Mount	
CA1212 **	SMA Connectorized	

<sup>\*\*</sup> The connectorized version is not RoHs compliant.

#### **Product Image**



# Electrical Specifications: $Z_0 = 50\Omega$ , $V_{CC} = +5 V_{DC}$

	Units	Typical	Guaranteed	
Parameter		25°C	0º to 50ºC	-54º to +85ºC*
Frequency	GHz	0.1-1.2	0.1-1.2	0.1-1.2
Small Signal Gain (min)	dB	14.0	12.5	11.5
Gain Flatness (max)	dB	±0.6	±1.0	±1.2
Reverse Isolation	dB	23		
Noise Figure (max)	dB	1.8	2.3	2.7
Power Output @ 1 dB comp. (min)	dBm	19.0	17.0	16.0
IP3	dBm	+29		
IP2	dBm	+40		
Second Order Harmonic IP	dBm	+46		
VSWR Input / Output (max)		1.8:1 / 1.8:1	2.1:1 / 2.1:1	2.3:1 / 2.3:1
DC Current @ 5 Volts (max)	mA	70	75	85

## **Absolute Maximum Ratings**

Parameter	Absolute Maximum	
Storage Temperature	-62°C to +125°C	
Case Temperature	+125°C	
DC Voltage	+8 V	
Continuous Input Power	+13 dBm	
Short Term Input power (1 minute max.)	50 mW	
Peak Power (3 µsec max.)	0.5 W	
"S" Series Burn-In Temperature (case)	+125°C	

#### Thermal Data: $V_{CC} = +5 V_{DC}$

Parameter	Rating
Thermal Resistance $\theta_{jc}$	182°C/W
Transistor Power Dissipation P <sub>d</sub>	0.147W
Junction Temperature Rise Above Case T <sub>jc</sub>	+26°C

<sup>\*</sup> Over temperature performance limits for part number CA1212, guaranteed from 0°C to +50°C only.

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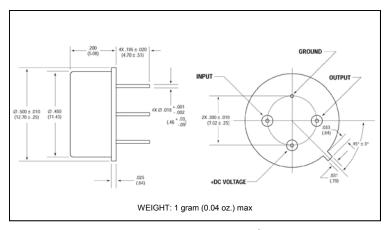
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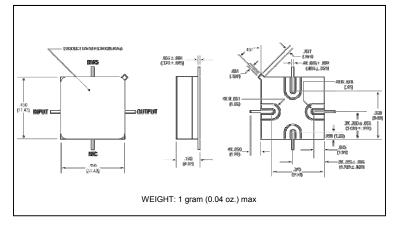
# Typical Performance Curves at +25°C

# Small Signal Gain 300 500 700 900 Noise Figure Power Output (1dB Gain Compression) 700 900 1100 Intercept Point Frequency (MHz) **VSWR** 1300 1100

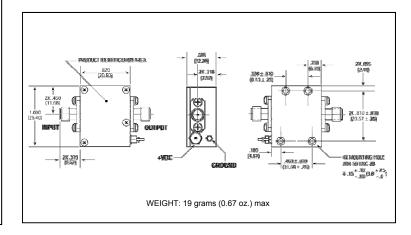
# Outline Drawing: TO-8 \*



## **Outline Drawing: Surface Mount**



# Outline Drawing: SMA Connectorized



\* Dimensions are inches (millimeters) ±0.015 (0.38) unless otherwise specified.

Commitment to produce in volume is not guaranteed.

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