

HMC486LP5 / 486LP5E

SURFACE MOUNT PHEMT 2 WATT POWER AMPLIFIER, 7 - 9 GHz



Typical Applications

The HMC486LP5(E) is ideal for:

- Point-to-Point Radios
- Point-to-Multi-Point Radios
- Test Equipment and Sensors
- Military End-Use

Features

Saturated Power: +33 dBm @ 20% PAE

Output IP3: +40 dBm

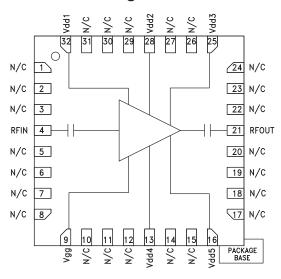
Gain: 22 dB

Supply: +7V @ 1300 mA

50 Ohm Matched Input/Output

32 Lead 5x5mm SMT Package: 25mm²

Functional Diagram



General Description

The HMC486LP5(E) is a high dynamic range GaAs pHEMT MMIC 2 Watt Power Amplifier housed in a leadless 5x5 mm surface mount packages. Operating from 7 to 9 GHz, the amplifier provides 22 dB of gain, +33 dBm of saturated power and 20% PAE from a +7V supply voltage. Output IP3 is +40 dBm typical. The RF I/Os are DC blocked and matched to 50 Ohms for ease of use. The HMC486LP5(E) eliminate the need for wire bonding, allowing use of surface mount manufacturing techniques.

Electrical Specifications, $T_{\Delta} = +25^{\circ}$ C, Vdd1, 2, 3, 4, 5 = +7V, Idd = 1300 mA*

Parameter	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Units
Frequency Range	7 - 8		8 - 9			GHz	
Gain	18	21		19	22		dB
Gain Variation Over Temperature		0.05	0.07		0.05	0.07	dB/ °C
Input Return Loss		12			17		dB
Output Return Loss		8			5		dB
Output Power for 1 dB Compression (P1dB)	29	32		28	31		dBm
Saturated Output Power (Psat)		33			32		dBm
Output Third Order Intercept (IP3)		41			38		dBm
Noise Figure		7.0			7.5		dB
Supply Current (Idd)(Vdd = +7V, Vgg = -0.3V Typ.)		1300			1300		mA

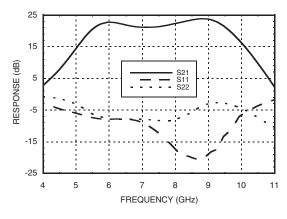
^{*} Adjust Vgg between -2 to 0V to achieve Idd = 1300 mA typical.



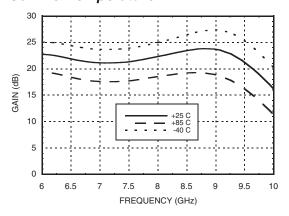


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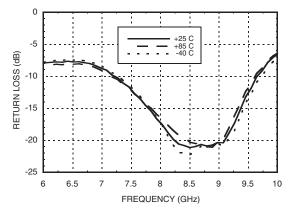
Broadband Gain and Return Loss



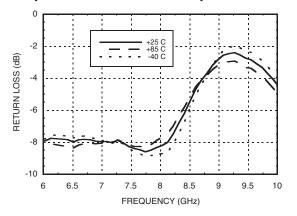
Gain vs. Temperature



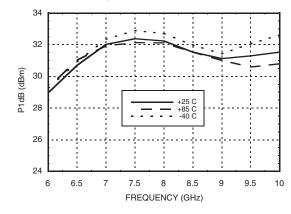
Input Return Loss vs. Temperature



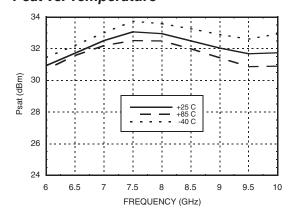
Output Return Loss vs. Temperature



P1dB vs. Temperature



Psat vs. Temperature

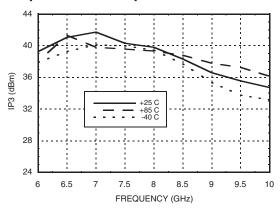




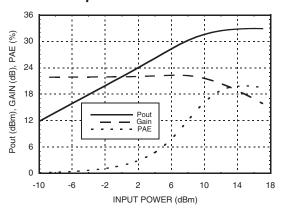


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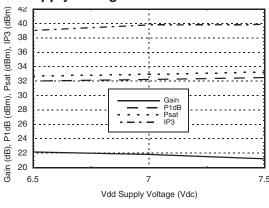
Output IP3 vs. Temperature



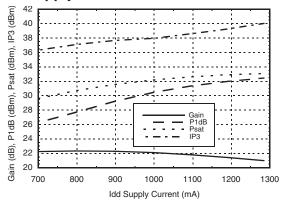
Power Compression @ 8 GHz



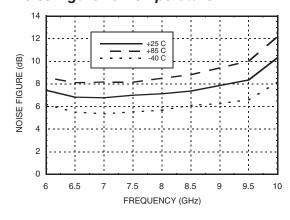
Gain, Power & OIP3 vs. Supply Voltage @ 8 GHz



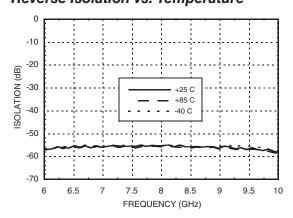
Gain, Power & OIP3 vs. Supply Current @ 8 GHz



Noise Figure vs. Temperature



Reverse Isolation vs. Temperature

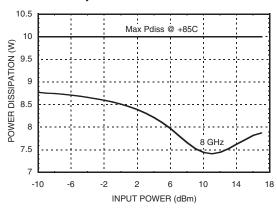






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Power Dissipation*



^{*} Please refer to "Thermal Management for Surface Mount Components" application note at www.hittite.com/



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Typical Supply Current vs. Vdd

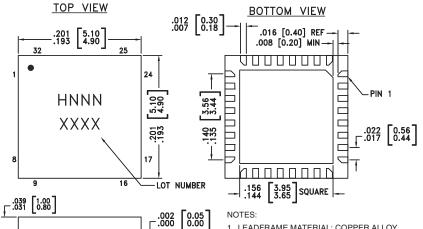
Vdd (V)	Idd (mA)		
+6.5	1330		
+7.0	1300		
+7.5	1285		

Note: Amplifier will operate over full voltage ranges shown above. Vgg adjusted to achieve Idd= 1300 mA at +7V.

Absolute Maximum Ratings

+8V	
-2 to 0V	
+20 dBm	
150 °C	
10 W	
6.5 °C/W	
-65 to +150 °C	
-40 to +85 °C	
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Outline Drawing



- 1. LEADFRAME MATERIAL: COPPER ALLOY
- 2. DIMENSIONS ARE IN INCHES [MILLIMETERS]
- 3. LEAD SPACING TOLERANCE IS NON-CUMULATIVE.
- PAD BURR LENGTH SHALL BE 0.15mm MAXIMUM. PAD BURR HEIGHT SHALL BE 0.05mm MAXIMUM.
- 5. PACKAGE WARP SHALL NOT EXCEED 0.05mm.
- 6. ALL GROUND LEADS AND GROUND PADDLE MUST BE SOLDERED TO PCB RF GROUND.
- 7. REFER TO HITTITE APPLICATION NOTE FOR SUGGESTED LAND PATTERN.

Package Information

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Part Number	Package Body Material	Lead Finish	MSL Rating	Package Marking [3]	
HMC486LP5	Low Stress Injection Molded Plastic	Sn/Pb Solder	MSL1 [1]	H486 XXXX	
HMC486LP5E	HMC486LP5E RoHS-compliant Low Stress Injection Molded Plastic		MSL1 [2]	H486 XXXX	

- [1] Max peak reflow temperature of 235 °C
- [2] Max peak reflow temperature of 260 °C
- [3] 4-Digit lot number XXXX





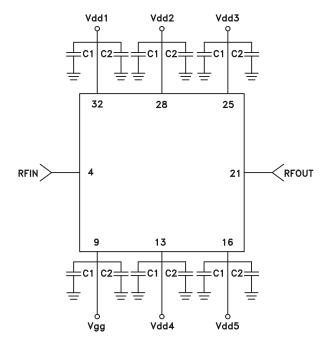
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Pin Descriptions

Pin Number	Function	Description	Interface Schematic	
1-3, 5-8, 10-12, 14, 15, 17-20, 22-24, 26, 27, 29-31	N/C	No connection required. These pins may be connected to RF/DC ground without affecting performance.		
4	RFIN	This pin is AC coupled and matched to 50 Ohms.	RFIN ○──	
9	Vgg	Gate control for amplifier. Adjust to achieve Idd of 1300 mA. Please follow "MMIC Amplifier Biasing Procedure" Application Note. External bypass capacitors of 100 pF and 2.2 µF are required.	Vgg	
21	RFOUT	This pin is AC coupled and matched to 50 Ohms.	— —○ RFOUT	
32, 28, 25, 13, 16	Vdd1, Vdd2, Vdd3, Vdd4, Vdd5	Power Supply Voltage for the amplifier. External bypass capacitors of 100 pF and 2.2 μF are required.	OVdd1,2,3,4,5	
Package Bottom	GND	Ground: Backside of package has exposed metal ground slug that must be connected to ground through a short path. Vias under the device are required		

Application Circuit

Component	Value
C1	100 pF
C2	2.2 μF

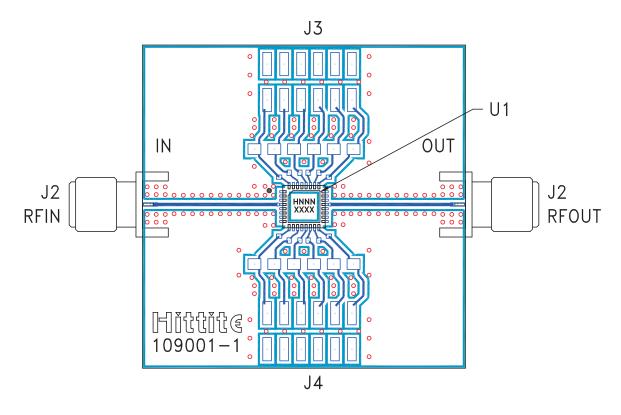






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Evaluation PCB



List of Materials for Evaluation PCB 108190 [1]

Item	Description	
J1, J2	SRI PC Mount SMA Connector	
J3, J4	2mm DC Header	
C1 - C6	100 pF Capacitor, 0402 Pkg.	
C7 - C12	2.2µF Capacitor, Tantalum	
U1	HMC486LP5(E) Amplifier	
PCB [2]	108188 Evaluation PCB	

^[1] Reference this number when ordering complete evaluation PCB

The circuit board used in this application should use RF circuit design techniques. Signal lines should have 50 Ohm impedance while the package ground leads and exposed paddle should be connected directly to the ground plane similar to that shown. A sufficient number of via holes should be used to connect the top and bottom ground planes. Copper filled vias under the device are recommended. The evaluation board should be mounted to an appropriate heat sink. The evaluation circuit board shown is available from Hittite upon request.

^[2] Circuit Board Material: Rogers 4350.