

## Cascadable Amplifier 10 to 2000 MHz

Rev. V3

#### **Features**

- HIGH OUTPUT LEVEL: +15 dBm (TYP.)
- HIGH THIRD ORDER I.P.: +28 dBm (TYP.)
- WIDE POWER SUPLLY RANGE: +5 TO +15 VOLTS

#### Description

The A37 RF amplifier is a discrete thin film hybrid design, which incorporates the use of thin film manufacturing processes for accurate performance and high reliability. This single stage bipolar transistor feedback amplifier design displays impressive performance over a broadband frequency range. An active DC biasing network is used for temperature-stable performance, in addition to an RF Choke, used for power supply decoupling.

Both TO-8 and Surface Mount packages are hermetically sealed.

and MIL-STD-883 environmental screening is available.

### Ordering Information

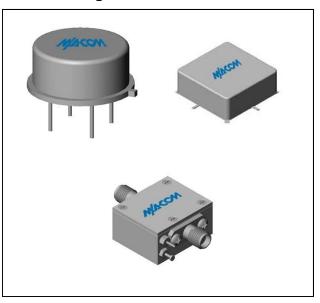
Part Number	Package	
A37	TO-8	
SMA37	Surface Mount	
CA37 **	SMA Connectorized	

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

# Electrical Specifications: $Z_0 = 50\Omega$ , $V_{CC} = +15 V_{DC}$

Parameter	Units	Typical	Guaranteed	
Farameter	Units	25°C	0º to 50ºC	-54º to +85ºC*
Frequency	MHz	5-2100	10-2000	10-2000
Small Signal Gain (min)	dB	10.0	8.5	8.0
Gain Flatness (max)	dB	±0.3	±0.8	±1.0
Reverse Isolation	dB	14		
Noise Figure (max)	dB	6.8	7.5	8.0
Power Output @ 1 dB comp. (min)	dBm	15.0	14.0	13.5
IP3	dBm	+28		
IP2	dBm	+36		
Second Order Harmonic IP	dBm	+41		
VSWR Input / Output (max)		1.6:1 / 1.6:1	2.0:1 / 2.0:1	2.1:1 / 2.1:1
DC Current @ 15 Volts (max)	mA	47	50	53

#### Product Image



### **Absolute Maximum Ratings**

Parameter	Absolute Maximum	
Storage Temperature	-62°C to +125°C	
Case Temperature	125°C	
DC Voltage	+17 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: $V_{CC} = +15 V_{DC}$

Parameter	Rating	
Thermal Resistance $\theta_{jc}$	145°C/W	
Transistor Power Dissipation P <sub>d</sub>	0.428 W	
Junction Temperature Rise Above Case T <sub>jc</sub>	62°C	

<sup>\*</sup> Over temperature performance limits for part number CA37, guaranteed from 0°C to +50°C only.

Commitment to produce in volume is not guaranteed.

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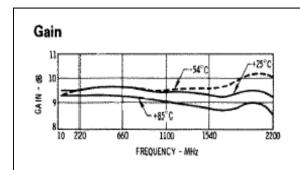
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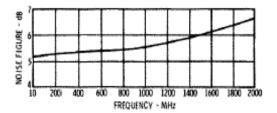
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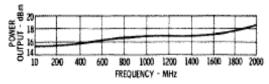
## Typical Performance Curves at +25°C



#### Noise Figure



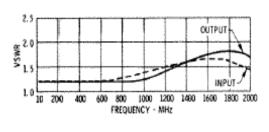
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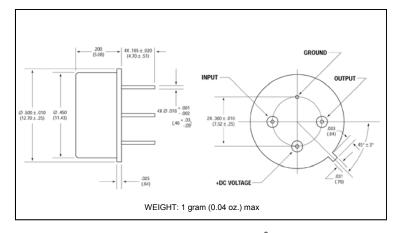
\*at 1 dB Gain Compression

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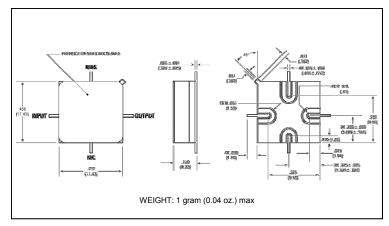
#### **VSWR**



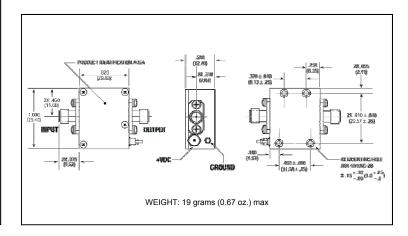
## Outline Drawing: TO-8 \*



# Outline Drawing: Surface Mount



# Outline Drawing: SMA Connectorized \*



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

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