

Twin Industries

Electronic Hardware Prototyping Tools

FEATURES

- Fits Analog Devices AD8317/8319 LFCSP packages
- 10 GHz frequency range
- Controller or Measurement mode
- Uses standard SMD passive parts
- RO-4350 board material
- Fits MicroAmp MH-series housings

The MicroAmp MB-12 circuit board is designed for rapid prototyping of RF log detector circuits using Analog Devices AD8317/8319 devices in LFCSP packages. It can be configured in measurement or controller modes by selectively installing the appropriate resistors. Using these detectors, the MB-12 can provide a wide dynamic range log detection function at frequencies up to 10 GHz. This board will fit the MicroAmp MH series of connectorized housings that allow it to be used as a stand-alone detector or cascaded with other MicroAmp boards for added versatility. Boards are fabricated from a high-performance 13 mil thick RO-4350 laminate with RoHS compatible ENIG plating (electroless nickel/immersion gold) on both the component side and the solid bottom ground plane. The board measures 0.490" x 0.590" and mounts into the housing with four #1-72 screws. Detector circuits can be easily designed and assembled with standard surface-mount passive components. It includes provisions for input DC blocking, impedance matching, and other RC components for adjusting performance parameters of the log detector. Pads for the input/output connectors allow the SMA center pins to be easily soldered to the board after it is installed into the housing, as well as large pads to connect the bias voltage and controller mode input pins to feed-throughs.



ASSEMBLY

| REF | SIZE | FUNCTION |
|-----|-------|-----------------------|
| C1 | 0402 | DC block |
| C2 | 0402 | DC block/bypass |
| C3 | 0603 | Bypass |
| C4 | 0603 | Bypass (not labeled) |
| C5 | 0603 | Lowpass filter |
| C6 | 0603 | Output lowpass filter |
| R1 | 0603 | Meas mode divider |
| R2 | 0603 | Meas mode divider |
| R3 | 0603 | Temp comp |
| R4 | 0603 | Output lowpass filter |
| R5 | 0603 | Input match |
| U1 | LFCSP | Log Detector IC |
| J1 | | RF input |
| J2 | | Log video output |
| J3 | | + Bias (not labeled) |
| J4 | | Controller mode input |
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