

ACFF-1024

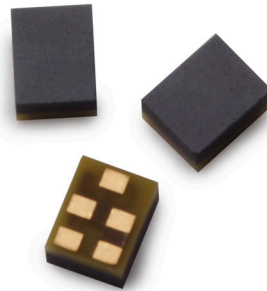
ISM Bandpass Filter (2401 – 2482 MHz)



Data Sheet



Lead (Pb) Free
RoHS 6 fully
compliant



Description

The Avago ACFF-1024 is a miniaturized Bandpass Filter designed for use in the 2.4 GHz Industrial, Scientific and Medical (ISM) band.

The ACFF-1024 is designed to enable concurrent operation of Wireless LAN and Bluetooth applications that coexist with other wireless standards, such as 2.5 GHz WiMAX, PCS, and LTE Bands 7 and 40, without performance degradations due to interference.

The ACFF-1024 is designed with Avago Technologies' innovative Film Bulk Acoustic Resonator (FBAR) technology, which makes possible ultra-small, high-Q filters at a fraction of their usual size.

The ACFF-1024 also utilizes Avago Technologies' advanced Microcap bonded-wafer technology. This chip scale miniaturization process results in a package size of only 1.4 x 1.1 mm and maximum height of 0.80 mm.

The ACFF-1024 is compatible with high volume, lead-free SMT soldering processes and can be direct surface mounted to a PCB or a transfer molded module.

Features

- 50 Ω Input/Output
- No external matching required
- Low Insertion Loss, High Interference Rejection
 - Enables concurrent use of other 2.5 GHz Bands
- Subminiature Size
 - 1.1 x 1.4 mm Footprint
 - 0.80 mm Max Height
- High Power Rating
 - +27 dBm Abs Max Input Power
- Operating Temperature Range
 - -40 °C to +85 °C
- Environmental
 - RoHS 6 Compliant
 - Halogen free
 - TBBPA Free

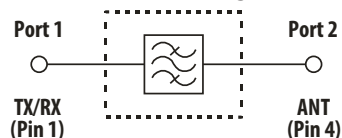
Specifications

- Performance guaranteed -30 °C to +85 °C
- Low Insertion Loss
- High Interferer Rejection

Applications

802.11 b/g/n WLAN Access Point and Small Cell BTS with embedded WLAN functionality

Functional Block Diagram



ACFF-1024 Electrical Specifications ^[2], $Z_0 = 50 \Omega$, T_c ^[1]

Symbol	Parameter	Units	-30 °C to +85 °C		-40 °C	
			Min	Typ ^[3]	Max	Typ
S21	Insertion Loss ^[4]	dB				
	2402.5 – 2421.5 MHz (Wi-Fi Ch 1)			1.6	2.6	1.8
	2407.5 – 2426.5 MHz (Wi-Fi Ch 2)			1.4	2.2	1.6
	2412.5 – 2471.5 MHz (Wi-Fi Ch 3 – 11)			1.3	2.0	1.3
	2457.5 – 2476.5 MHz (Wi-Fi Ch 12)			1.5	2.1	1.5
	2462.5 – 2481.5 MHz (Wi-Fi Ch 13)			1.7	3.0	1.6
ΔS_{21}	Amplitude Ripple (p-p) ^[4] , +25 °C	dB				
	2402.5 – 2421.5 MHz (Wi-Fi Ch 1)			1.0		1.4
	2407.5 – 2426.5 MHz (Wi-Fi Ch 2)			0.8		1.1
	2412.5 – 2471.5 MHz (Wi-Fi Ch 3 – 11)			0.7		0.9
	2457.5 – 2476.5 MHz (Wi-Fi Ch 12)			0.6		0.7
	2462.5 – 2481.5 MHz (Wi-Fi Ch 13)			1.0		0.9
S21	Attenuation, 800 – 2300 MHz	dB	45	54		54
S21	Attenuation ^[5] in LTE Band 40, 2300 – 2365 MHz	dB	50	53		52
S21	Attenuation ^[5] in LTE Band 40, 2365 – 2370 MHz	dB				
	–40 °C					58
	–30 °C to +25 °C		50	58		
	+25 °C to +55 °C		43	58		
	+55 °C to +85 °C		30	53		
S21	Attenuation ^[5] in LTE Band 7 (WiMAX), 2500 – 2505 MHz	dB				
	–40 °C					64
	–30 °C to –10 °C		42	56		
	–10 °C to +25 °C		52	59		
	+25 °C to +85 °C		55	64		
S21	Attenuation ^[5] in LTE Band 7 (WiMAX), 2505 – 2690 MHz	dB	57	67		68
S21	Attenuation ^[5] in LTE Band 38, 2570 – 2620 MHz	dB	55	68		68
S21	Attenuation, 2690 – 7500 MHz	dB	40	55		55
2H	2nd Harmonic Level, CW Tone, 2442 MHz, 22.5 dBm at Port 1	dBc	57	67		
S11, S22	Return Loss (SWR), 2402.5 – 2481.5 MHz, +25 °C	dB	9	16 (1.4)	(2.1)	16 (1.4)

Notes:

1. T_c is the case temperature and is defined as the temperature of the underside of the Filter where it makes contact with the circuit board.
2. Min/Max specifications are guaranteed at the indicated temperature, unless otherwise noted.
3. Unless otherwise noted, Typical data is the average value (arithmetic mean) of the parameter over the indicated band at 25 °C.
4. Channel average Insertion Loss, which is obtained by averaging |S21| over the center 19 MHz of channels and converting to dB value.
5. Channel average Insertion Loss, which is obtained by averaging |S21| over 5 MHz channels and converting to dB value.

Absolute Maximum Ratings ^[1]

Parameter	Unit	Value
Storage temperature	°C	–40 to +125
Maximum RF Input Power to Pin 1 (Port 1, Tx/Rx) ^[4]	dBm	+27

Maximum Recommended Operating Conditions ^[2]

Parameter	Unit	Value
Operating temperature, T_c ^[3]	°C	–40 to +85

Notes:

1. Operation in excess of any one of these conditions may result in permanent damage to the device.
2. The device will function over the recommended range without degradation in reliability or permanent change in performance, but is not guaranteed to meet electrical specifications.
3. T_c is defined as case temperature, the temperature of the underside of the Filter where it makes contact with the circuit board.
4. The ACFF-1024 is not symmetrical. Port 1 (Pin 1) is designed for higher power handling and is connected to the Tx/Rx blocks; Port 2 (Pin 4) is connected to the system antenna.

ACFF-1024 Typical Performance at $T_c = 25^\circ\text{C}$

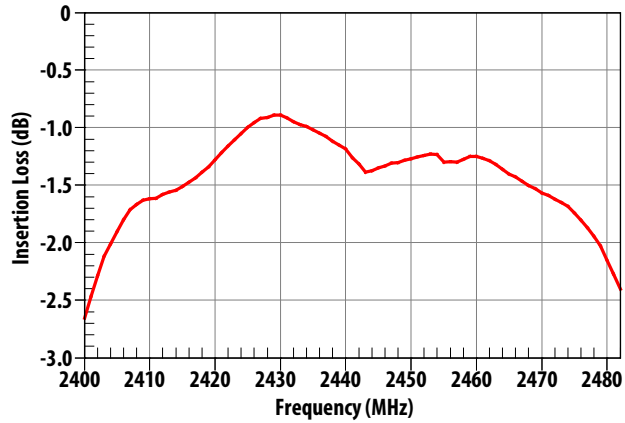


Figure 1. Insertion Loss, 2400 – 2482 MHz

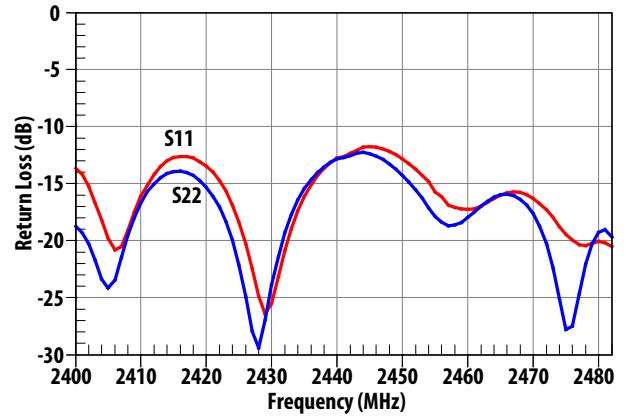


Figure 2. Input, Output Port Return Loss, 2400 – 2482 MHz

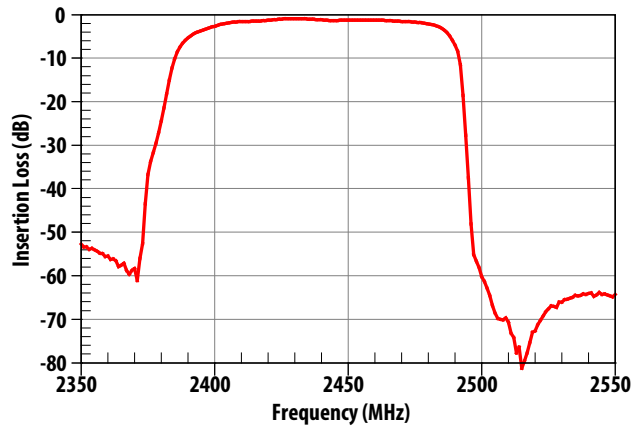


Figure 3. Attenuation, 2350 – 2550 MHz

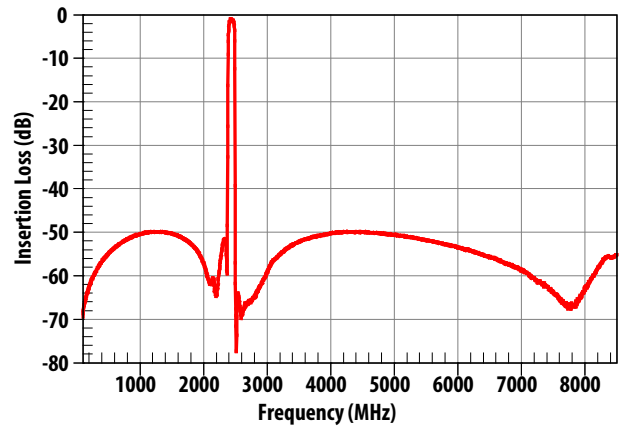


Figure 4. Wideband Attenuation, 100 – 8000 MHz

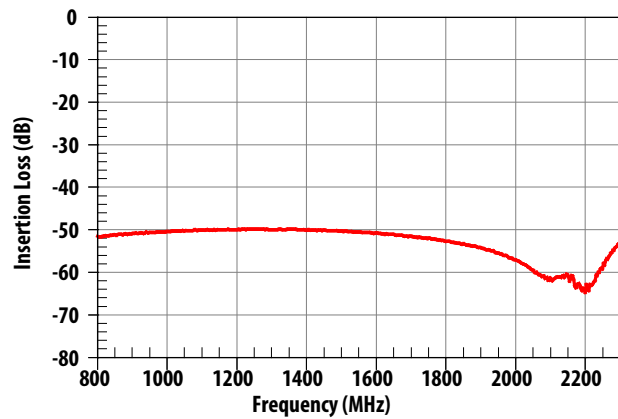


Figure 5. Attenuation, 800 – 2300 MHz

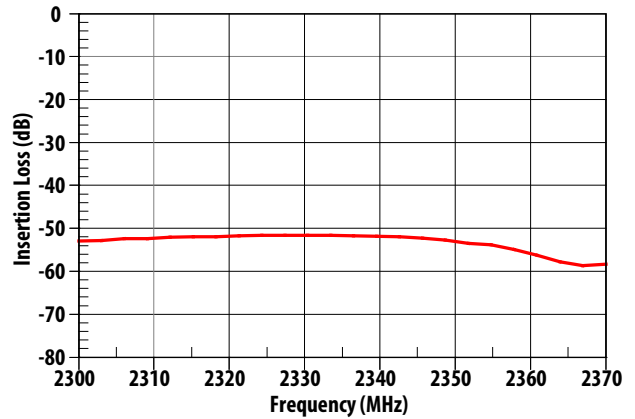


Figure 6. Rejection in LTE Band 40 (2300 – 2370 MHz)

ACFF-1024 Typical Performance at $T_c = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$

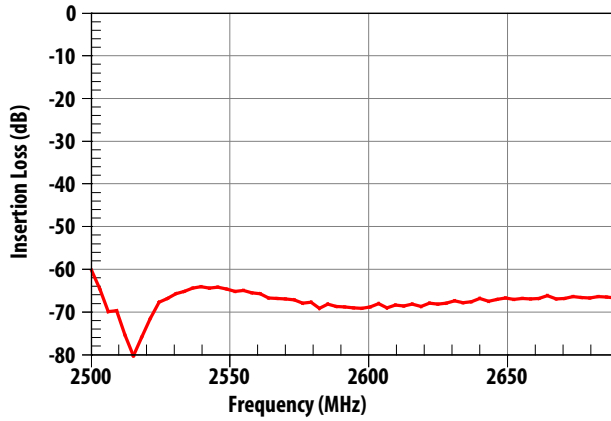


Figure 7. Rejection in 2.5 GHz WiMAX and LTE Band 7 (2500 – 2690 MHz)

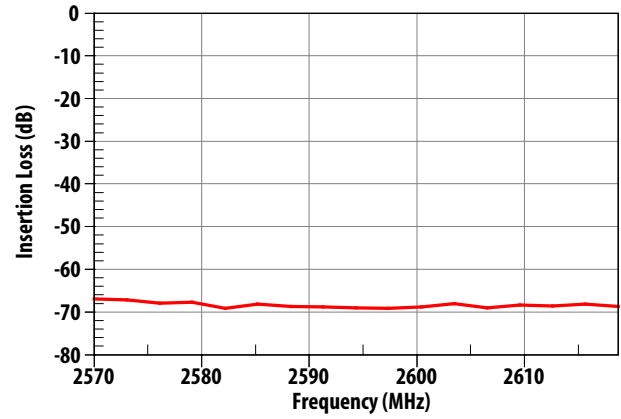


Figure 8. Rejection in LTE Band 38 (2570 – 2620 MHz)

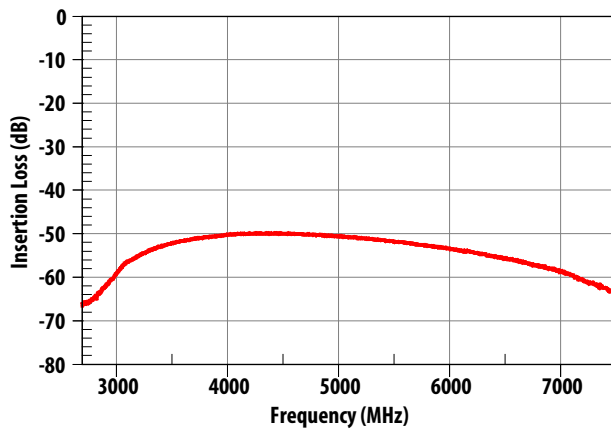


Figure 9. Attenuation, 2690 – 7500 MHz

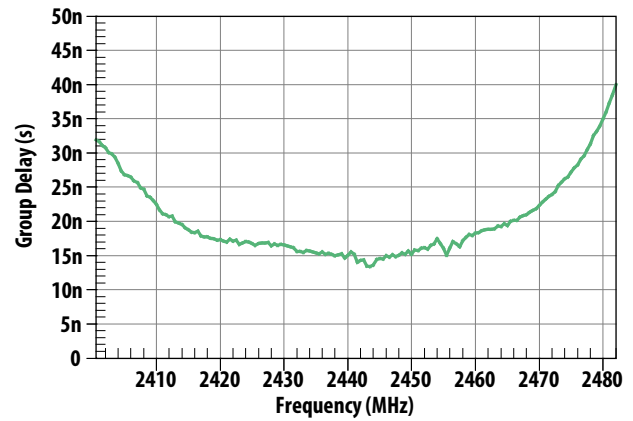


Figure 10. Group Delay (ns), 2400 – 2482 MHz

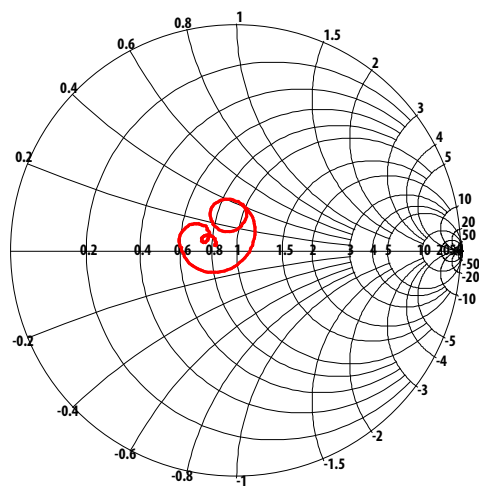


Figure 11. Input Port Impedance, 2400 – 2482 MHz

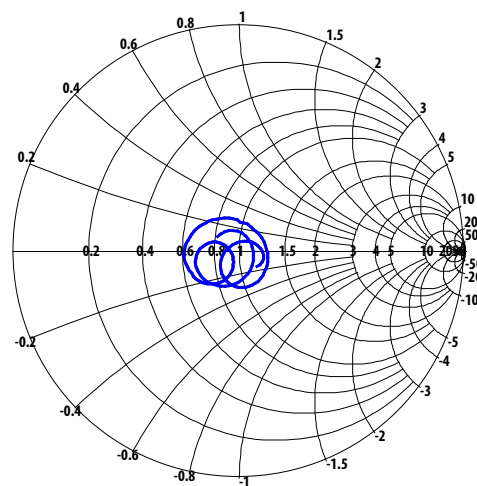


Figure 12. Output Port Impedance, , 2400 – 2482 MHz

ACFF-1024 Performance at Low Temperature

Typical performance of the ACFF-1024 at low temperature is shown in Figure 13 and Figure 14 for $T_c = 25^\circ\text{C}$ and -40°C .

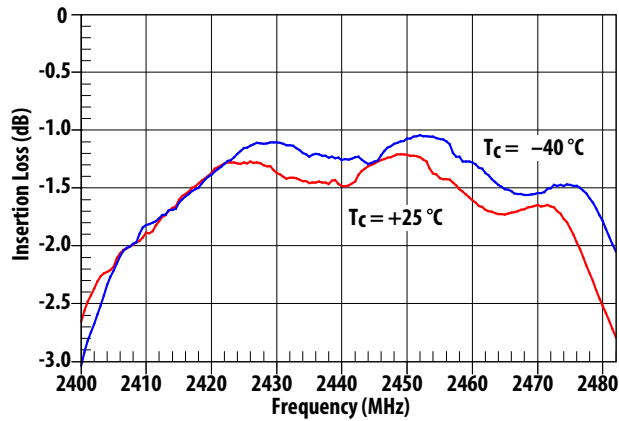


Figure 13. Insertion Loss, 2400 – 2482 MHz, $+25^\circ\text{C}$ and -40°C

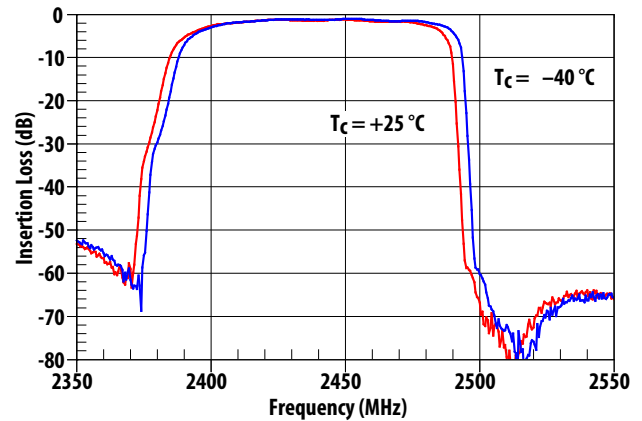


Figure 14. Attenuation, 2350 – 2550 MHz, $+25^\circ\text{C}$ and -40°C

Note: These data are measured on units different from those in previous performance graphs.

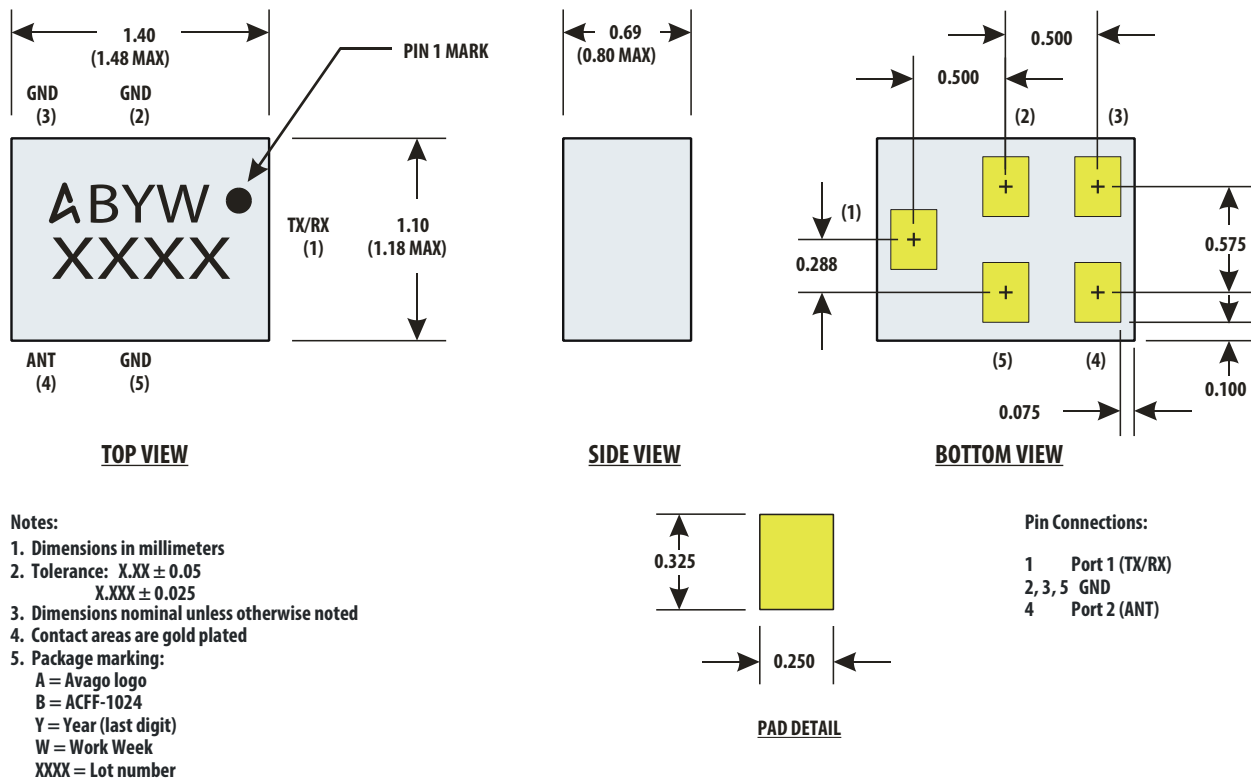


Figure 15. Package Outline Drawing and Marking

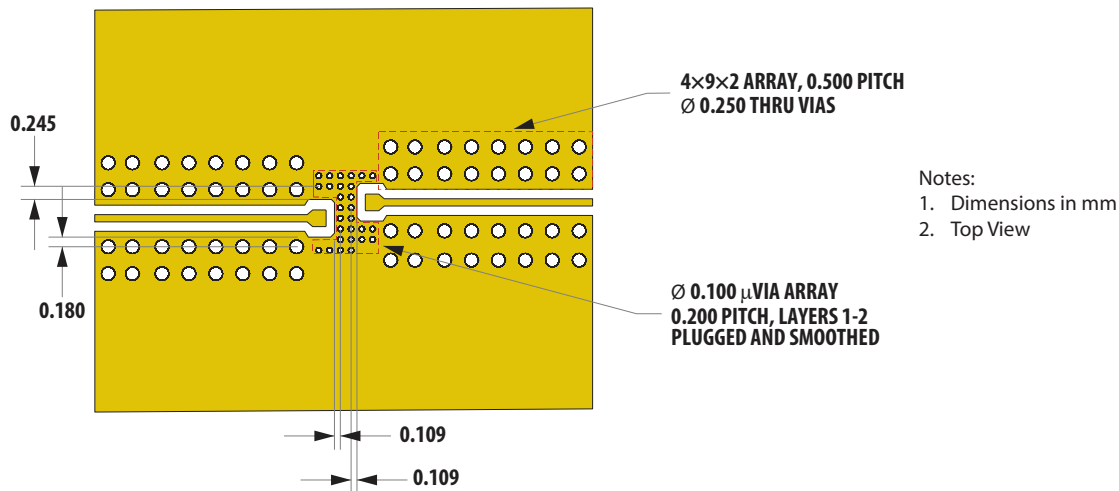


Figure 16. PCB Layout

A circuit board layout using the principles illustrated in Figure 16 is recommended to optimize performance of the ACFF-1024.

Note: The ACFF-1024 is not symmetrical. Pin 1 (Port 1) is designed for higher power handling and should be connected to the Tx/Rx block; Pin 4 (Port 2) is connected to the system antenna.

High isolation between Input and Output is achieved by:

1. Maintaining a continuous ground plane around the I/O connections and filter land print area, and
2. Surrounding the I/O ports with sufficient ground vias to enclose the connections in a "Faraday cage."

Due to the limitation of the PCB via to PCB thickness aspect ratio, micro vias ($\varnothing 0.100$) are used in the area between land pads to connect metal Layer1 and Layer2. For all other areas, larger thru vias are used to connect all layers.

Ground vias under the ACFF-1024 mounting area also provide heat sinking for the device to minimize shifting of the pass band over temperature.

Table 1. PCB Stack-up

Layer	Type	Material	Thickness (mm)	Dielectric Constant (ϵ_r)
Layer 1	Conductor	Copper	0.055	
	Dielectric	Nelco N4000 13EP	0.075	3.4
Layer 2	Conductor	Copper	0.040	
	Dielectric	Nelco N4000 13EP	0.590	3.4
Layer 3	Conductor	Copper	0.040	
	Dielectric	Nelco N4000 13EP	0.075	3.4
Layer 4	Conductor	Copper	0.055	

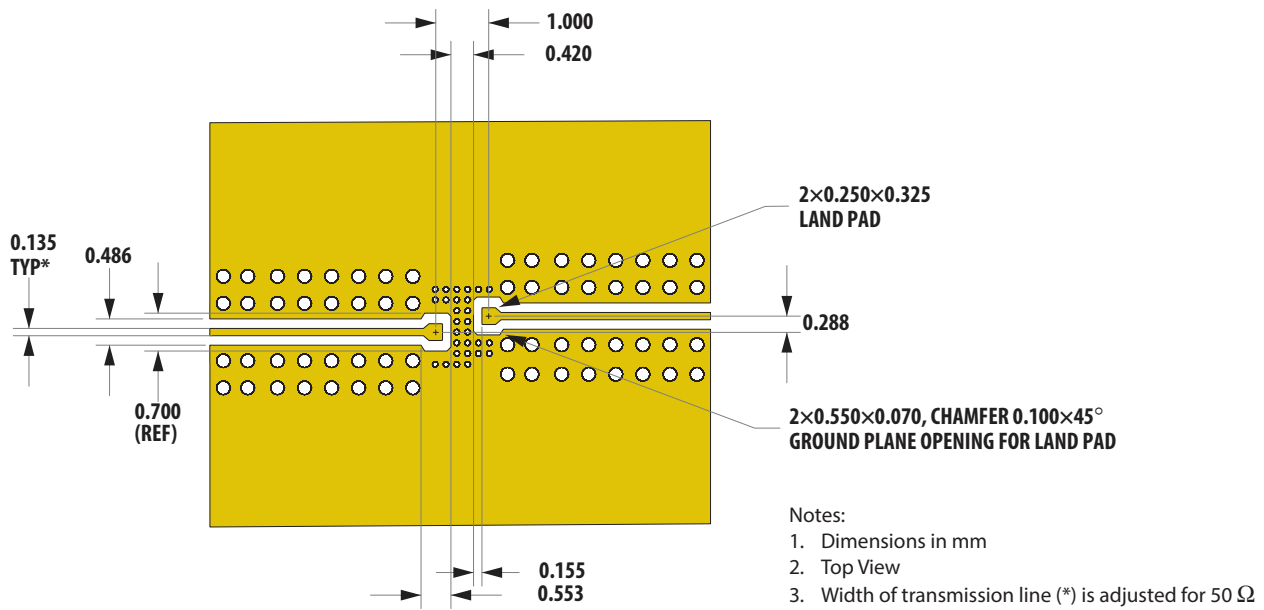


Figure 17. Recommended PCB Layout

A recommended PCB layout design is shown in Figure 17. Transmission line dimensions (*) should be adjusted to maintain Z_0 of 50 Ω .

The land pads of this PCB pattern are 1:1 with the ACFF-1024 bottom metal pads.

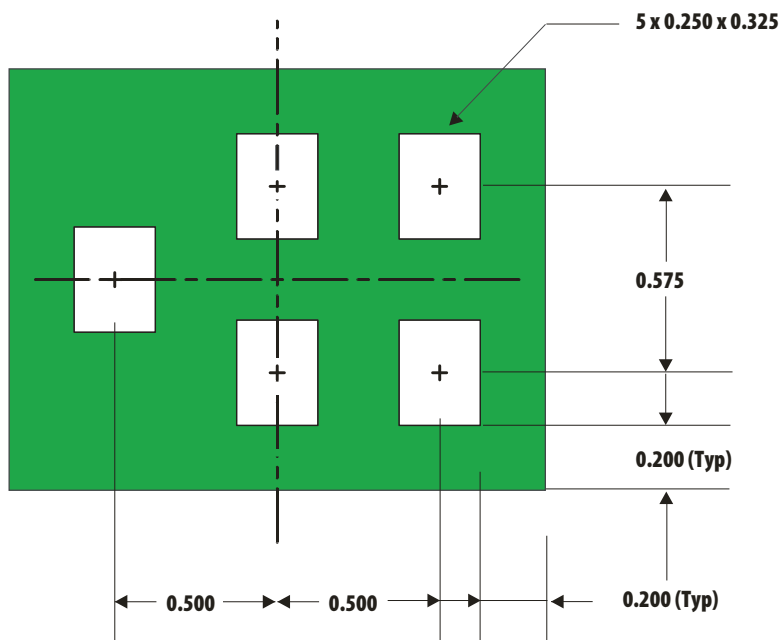


Figure 18. Recommended Solder Mask (Dimensions in mm)

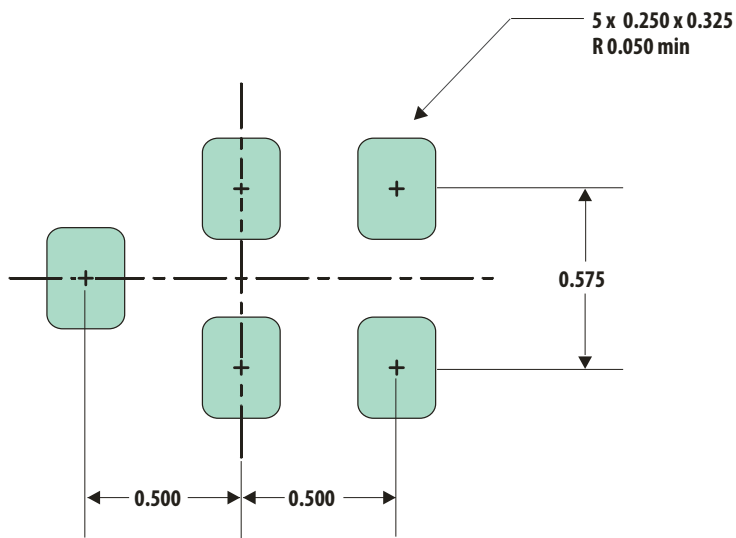


Figure 19. Recommended Solder Stencil (Dimensions in mm)

The recommended solder stencil is designed such that the apertures match the opening in the solder mask 1:1.

A minimum corner radius of 50 μm is recommended to increase reliability of solder paste release from the stencil.

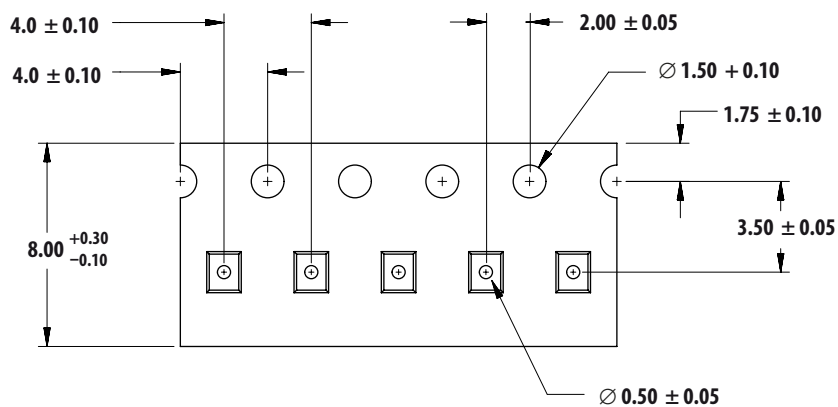


Figure 20. SMT Tape Packing

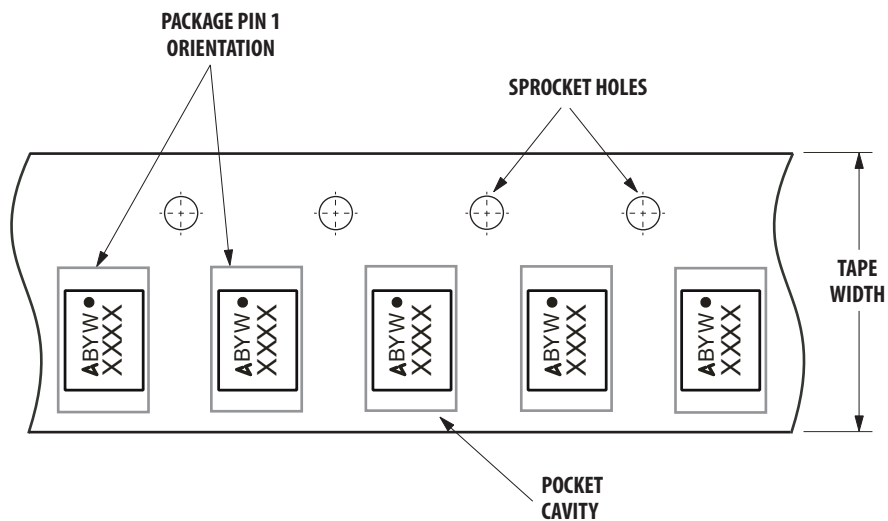


Figure 21. Orientation in Tape

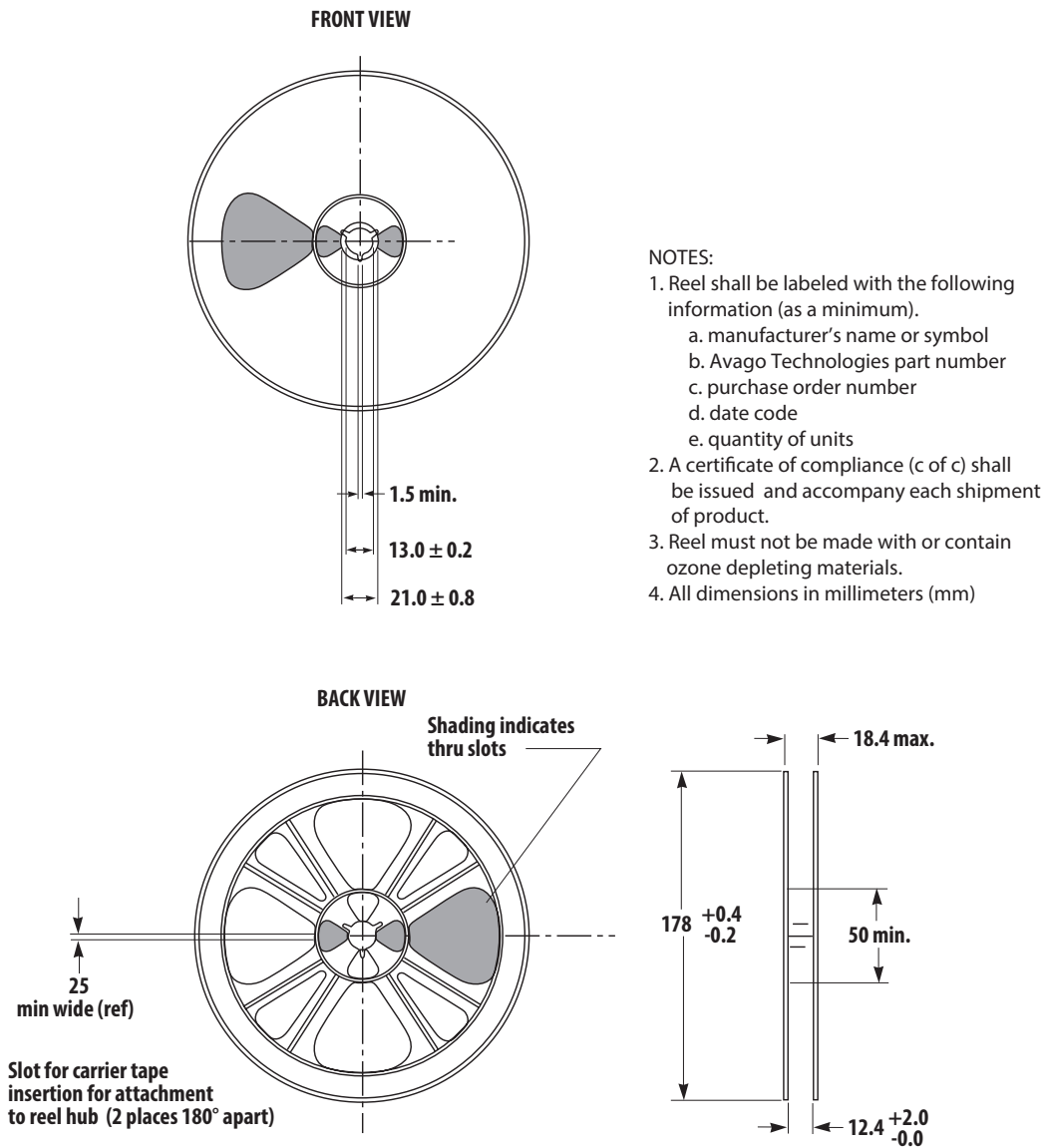


Figure 22. SMT Reel Drawing

Package Moisture Sensitivity

Feature	Test Method	Performance
Moisture Sensitivity Level (MSL) at 260 °C	JESD22-A113D	Level 3

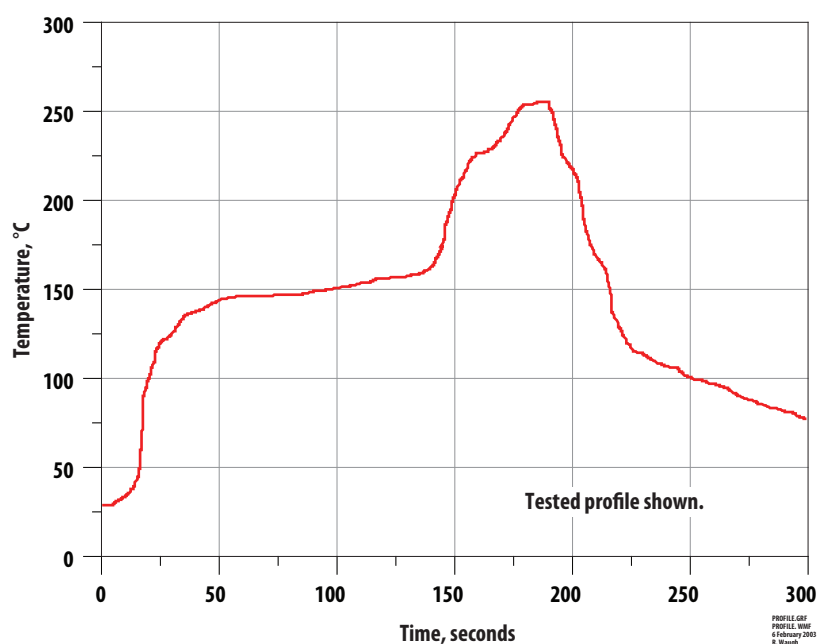


Figure 23. Verified SMT Solder Profile

Ordering Information

Part Number	No. of Devices	Container
ACFF-1024-BLK	100	Tape strip in Anti-static bag
ACFF-1024-TR1	3000	7-inch (178 mm) Reel

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