

**Preliminary**

**6 GHz - 10 GHz Diode Mixer**

**Model I-M13**

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cuits (MMIC), is ideal for a wide range of applications in space communications, smart munitions, and avionics and electronic combat systems.

**TRW MMIC chips offer**

- High performance across a broad range of frequencies
- Greater reliability than the hybrids they replace
- Reduced size and weight, leading to smaller, lighter components
- Lower cost, achieved through volume production

**Description**

- Broadband, double-balanced mixer configuration
- Four-diode mixer with passive baluns

**Chip Data**

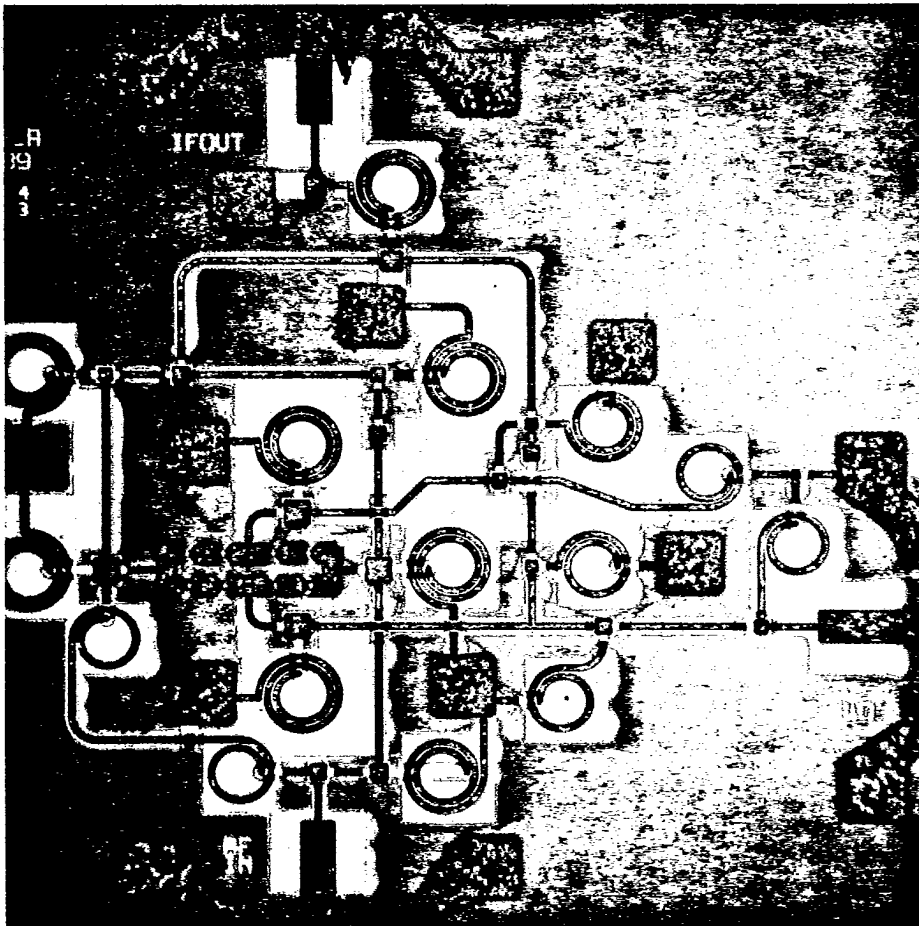
- Technology: 0.5-micron MESFET
- Chip size: 2.1mm x 2.7mm
- Self-biased

**Ambient Performance**

- Frequency range: 6 GHz to 10 GHz
- LO frequency: 10.9 GHz to 15.3 GHz
- IF: 3.9 GHz to 6 GHz
- Input/output VSWR: 2.0:1
- LO power drive: 15 dBm to 20 dBm
- Port-to-port isolation: >20 dB
- Conversion loss: 8-10 dB
- Output P1 dB: 5 dBm

**Applications**

- Broadband general-purpose down-converters



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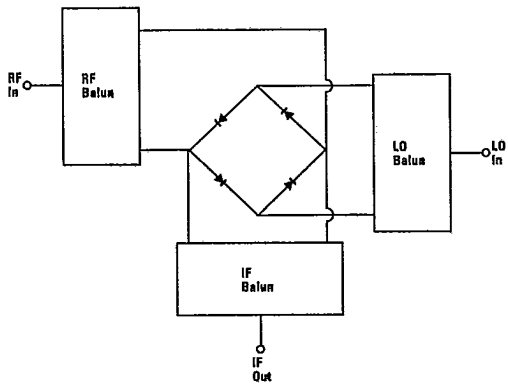
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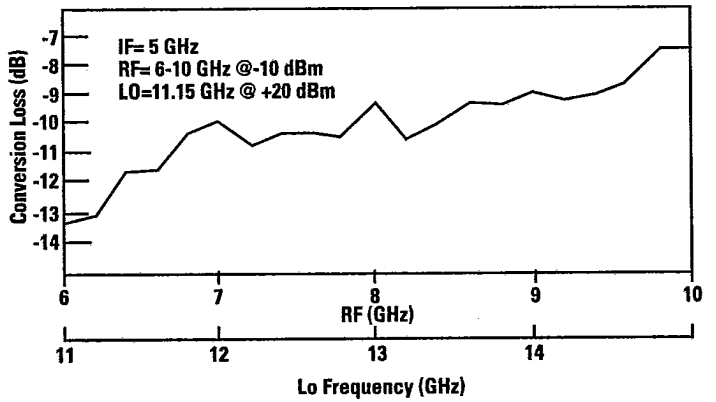


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Simplified schematic of MMIC 6 GHz - 10 GHz diode mixer



Conversion loss (dB) vs. RF/LO frequency (GHz)



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