SAW Filters for GPS Applications



General Description

ICS offers a range of surface acoustic wave (SAW) devices to be used in GPS applications. Designed with low loss and excellent rejection characteristics, the ICS product offering includes front-end RF bandpass filters, intermediate frequency (IF) filters, and a delay line to provide a complete system solution. The GPS SAW filters are lead-free and RoHS-compliant.

Front-End RF Bandpass Filters

The SF1575BA02505S and SF157BA02056S are 1575.42-MHz bandpass filters that offer low loss, excellent rejection, and miniature surface-mount packaging to meet the needs of small form-factor GPS receivers.

IF Filter

Designed for IF-stage filtering, the SF0185BA02302S is centered at 185.76 MHz with a bandwidth of 4.48 MHz. This part offers tight rejection, low-amplitude ripple, and low-phase ripple.

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Delay Line

The SF1575DL03104S is a 1575-MHz SAW delay line designed for use in GPS, satellite, and other high-end communications applications.

RF Filters

Part Number	Fc	Min. Bandwidth	Max. Insertion Loss	Rejection	Amplitude Ripple	Package
SF1575BA02505S	1575.42 MHz	2.4 MHz	1.8 dB	30 dB @ -75 MHz 30 dB @ +50 MHz	1.0 dB	SMP0303 (3.0 x 3.0 mm)
SF1575BA02506S	1575.42 MHz	2.4 MHz	2.0 dB	30 dB @ -75 MHz 30 dB @ +50 MHz	1.0 dB	SMP0202 (2.4 x 2.0 mm)

IF Filters

Part Number	Fc	Min. Bandwidth	Max. Insertion Loss	Rejection	GD Ripple	Package
SF0185BA02302S	185.76 MHz	4.48 MHz	25 dB	42 dB @ -9.54 MHz 42 dB @ +9.46 MHz	2.0 ns p-p max.	SMP0907 (9.1 x 7.1 mm)

Delay Lines

Part Number	Fc	Min. Bandwidth	Max. Insertion Loss	Average Group Delay	GD Ripple	Package
SF01575DL03104S	1575 MHz	20 MHz	23 dB	230 ns max.	2.0 dB	SMP0505 (5.0 x 5.0 mm)

ICS also offers custom and semi-custom devices to match your frequency plan and requirements. Please contact the ICS representative nearest you with your details.



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Package Diagrams (All dimensions in millimeters)

SMP0202





SMP0303



SMP0505





Units: mm

Pad Configuration: Input: Input Return: 2 Output: Output Return: 6 Ground: 1, 4, 5, 8

SMP0907







Units: mm

Pad Configuration:					
Input:	9				
Input Return:	8				
Output:	4				
Output Return:	3				
Ground:	1, 2,				

5, 6, 7, 10, 11

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