# Coaxial Low Noise Amplifier

50Ω 0.4 to 3.0 GHz

## **The Big Deal**

- Ultra Low Noise Figure, 0.38 dB typ.
- High Dynamic Range
- Ultra small connectorized package

### **Product Overview**

The ZX60-P33ULN+ (RoHS compliant) uses Mini-Circuits' E-PHEMT technology to offer ultra low noise figure over a broad frequency range and high IP3. Housed in a rugged, cost effective unibody chassis, this amplifier supports a wide variety of applications requiring moderate power output, low distortion and 50 ohm matched input/output ports.

## **Key Features**

| Feature   | Advantages  |
|---|---|
| Ultra Low Noise Figure, 0.38 dB<br>at 0.9 GHz   | Outstanding world class noise figure performance.   |
| High IP3 vs. DC power consumption<br>+34 dBm typical at 0.9 GHz<br>+38 dBm typical at 3 GHz | Combining Low Noise and High IP3 makes this model ideal for use in Low Noise Receiver Front End (RFE)                             |
| Max. Input Power, +14 to +22 dBm<br>(continuous)  | Ruggedized design operates to high input powers often seen at receiver inputs.  |
| Very Small Size, 0.75" x 0.74"  | The unique unibody size and construction enable the ZX60-P33ULN+ to be used in extremely compact con-<br>nectorized applications. |



Case Style: GC957

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#### **Features**

- Low Noise Figure, 0.46 dB typ. at 0.9 GHz
- High IP3, +34 dBm at 0.9 GHz and +38 dBm at 3 GHz • High Pout, P1dB, +17 dBm typ. at 0.9 GHz
- High Gain, 19.0 dB at 0.9 GHz

#### **Applications**

- Base station infrastructure
- Portable Wireless
- LTE
- GPS • GSM
- Airborne radar



**ZX60-P33ULN+** 

Case Style: GC957 Connectors Model SMA ZX60-P33ULN+

+RoHS Compliant

The +Suffix identifies RoHS Compliance. See our web site for RoHS Compliance methodologies and qualifications

#### Electrical Specifications at 25°C and 3.0 V unless noted

| Parameter                           | Condition (GHz) | Min. | Тур. | Max. | Units |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------|------|------|------|-------|
| Frequency Range                     |                 | 0.4  |      | 3.0  | GHz   |
|                                     | 0.4             |      | 0.43 |      |       |
|                                     | 0.9             |      | 0.38 | 0.70 |       |
| Noise Figure                        | 1.5             |      | 0.46 |      | dB    |
|                                     | 2.0             |      | 0.49 |      |       |
|                                     | 3.0             |      | 0.90 |      |       |
|                                     | 0.4             |      | 24.5 |      |       |
|                                     | 0.9             | 17.3 | 19.0 | 21.1 |       |
| Gain                                | 1.5             |      | 14.8 |      | dB    |
|                                     | 2.0             |      | 12.4 |      |       |
|                                     | 3.0             |      | 8.8  |      |       |
|                                     | 0.4             |      | 17.3 |      |       |
|                                     | 0.9             |      | 17.4 |      |       |
| Output Power @ 1 dB compression     | 1.5             | 15.5 | 17.4 |      | dBm   |
|                                     | 2.0             |      | 17.6 |      |       |
|                                     | 3.0             |      | 17.5 |      |       |
|                                     | 0.4             |      | 30.3 |      |       |
|                                     | 0.9             | 30.6 | 33.6 |      |       |
| Output IP3                          | 1.5             |      | 35.3 |      | dBm   |
|                                     | 2.0             |      | 36.2 |      |       |
|                                     | 3.0             |      | 38.0 |      |       |
|                                     | 0.4             |      | 1.90 |      |       |
|                                     | 0.9             |      | 1.90 |      |       |
| Input VSWR                          | 1.5             |      | 1.90 |      | :1    |
|                                     | 2.0             |      | 1.90 |      |       |
|                                     | 3.0             |      | 1.80 |      |       |
|                                     | 0.4             |      | 1.20 |      |       |
|                                     | 0.9             |      | 1.20 |      |       |
| Output VSWR                         | 1.5             |      | 1.30 |      | :1    |
|                                     | 2.0             |      | 1.30 |      |       |
|                                     | 3.0             |      | 1.30 |      |       |
| Active Directivity (Isolation-Gain) | 0.4-3.0         |      | 4    |      | dB    |
| DC Supply Voltage                   |                 |      | 3.0  |      | V     |
| Supply Current                      |                 | —    | 56   | 67   | mA    |

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#### **Maximum Ratings**

| Parameter                        | Ratings   |  |  |  |  |
|----------------------------------|---|--|--|--|--|
| Operating Temperature            | -40°C to 85°C Case  |  |  |  |  |
| Storage Temperature              | -55°C to 100°C  |  |  |  |  |
| DC Voltage                       | 5.5 V   |  |  |  |  |
| Input RF Power (no damage) Vd=3V | +27 dBm (5 minutes max.)<br>+14 dBm to 1.5 GHz and +22 dBm over 1.5 to 3 GHz (continuous) |  |  |  |  |
| Power Consumption                | 0.5 W   |  |  |  |  |

Permanent damage may occur if any of these limits are exceeded.

#### **Outline Drawing**



NOTE: When soldering the DC connections, caution must be used to avoid overheating the DC terminal. See Application Note. <u>AN-40-010</u>.

#### Outline Dimensions (inch )

| А     | В     | С     | D     | Е    | F    | G     | н     | J    | к    | L    | М    | N     | Р    | Q    | R    | wt    |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|-------|-------|------|------|------|------|-------|------|------|------|-------|
| .74   | .75   | .46   | 1.18  | .04  | .17  | .45   | .59   | .33  | .21  | .22  | .18  | 1.00  | .37  | .18  | .106 | grams |
| 18.80 | 19.05 | 11.68 | 29.97 | 1.02 | 4.32 | 11.43 | 14.99 | 8.38 | 5.33 | 5.59 | 4.57 | 25.40 | 9.40 | 4.57 | 2.69 | 23.0  |

# Typical Performance Data/Curves

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| FREQUENCY<br>(MHz) | GAIN<br>(dB) | DIRECTIVITY<br>(dB) | VSWR<br>(:1) |     | POUT<br>at 1dB<br>COMPR.<br>(dBm) | NOISE<br>FIGURE<br>(dB) | OUTPUT<br>IP3<br>(dBm) |
|--------------------|--------------|---------------------|--------------|-----|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|
|                    |              |                     | IN           | OUT |                                   |                         |                        |
| 400.0              | 24.06        | 3.7                 | 1.9          | 1.2 | 17.3                              | 0.43                    | 30.3                   |
| 900.0              | 18.71        | 3.4                 | 1.9          | 1.2 | 17.5                              | 0.38                    | 33.6                   |
| 1500.0             | 14.52        | 3.7                 | 1.9          | 1.3 | 17.4                              | 0.46                    | 35.3                   |
| 2000.0             | 12.10        | 3.9                 | 1.9          | 1.3 | 17.6                              | 0.49                    | 36.2                   |
| 3000.0             | 8.49         | 4.7                 | 1.8          | 1.3 | 17.5                              | 0.90                    | 38.0                   |



#### **Additional Notes**

- A. Performance and quality attributes and conditions not expressly stated in this specification document are intended to be excluded and do not form a part of this specification document.
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