

## **Dual Pair Anti-Parallel Non-Magnetic PIN Diode**

Rev. V5

#### **Features**

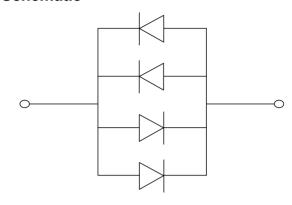
- · Designed for MRI Applications
- · Anti-Parallel Self Bias Arrangement
- Non-Magnetic Surface Mount Package
- SPC Process for Superior Parametric Repeatability
- RoHS\* Compliant and 260°C Reflow Compatible

### **Description**

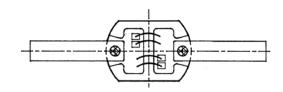
The MA44781 device acts as a passive switch using silicon PIN diodes in a surface mount package. There are two sets of two PIN diode pairs constructed in opposing configurations. The package is sealed with a non-conductive epoxy resin and is suitable for surface mount applications.

The MA44781 device is well suited for MRI passive switching applications. The PIN diodes become a high Q, R-C network under small signal and behave as an effective passive rectifier or short circuit under high RF signal to tune and de-tune the resonant MRI tank circuit. The anti-parallel doublet arrangement provides for more efficient RF power handling.

#### **Schematic**



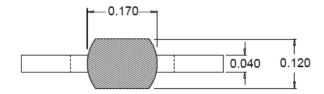
#### **Internal Construction**

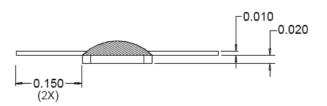


# Ordering Information

Part Number	Package
MA44781	ODS-1134

## Case Style 1134





All Dimensions shown as inches

<sup>\*</sup> Restrictions on Hazardous Substances, European Union Directive 2011/65/EU.



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## **Electrical Specifications:**

## $T_A = +25$ °C, Breakdown Voltage @ $I_R = 10 \mu A$ , $V_b = 60 V$ Minimum

Parameter	Test Conditions	Units	Min.	Тур.	Max.
Forward Voltage	I <sub>F</sub> = 20 μA	V	0.500	_	0.780
Delta Forward Voltage	I <sub>F</sub> = 20 μA (between each diodes)	mV		+/- 30	_
Junction Capacitance (per diode)	f = 1 MHz, V <sub>R</sub> = -6.0 V	pF	0.15	_	0.50
Total Capacitance	V <sub>R</sub> = 0 V	pF	1.5	_	3.5

## **Absolute Maximum Ratings<sup>1</sup>**

Parameter	Absolute Maximum		
Reverse Voltage	60 V		
Forward Current (Per Diode Pair) <sup>2</sup>	2 A		
Total Power Dissipation <sup>3</sup>	2 W		
Operating Temperature	-55°C to +125°C		
Storage Temperature	-55°C to +125°C		
Junction Temperature	+175°C		

Operation of this device above any one of these parameters may cause permanent damage.

#### **Handling Procedures**

Please observe the following precautions to avoid damage:

#### **Static Sensitivity**

These electronic devices are sensitive to electrostatic discharge (ESD) and can be damaged by static electricity. Proper ESD control techniques should be used when handling these devices.

<sup>2.</sup> Total current per diode= I (rms) + I (dc) @ +25°C

Please refer to application note M538 for surface mounting instructions.

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