

## GaAs MMIC SP6T NON-REFLECTIVE SWITCH, DC - 3.0 GHz

### Typical Applications

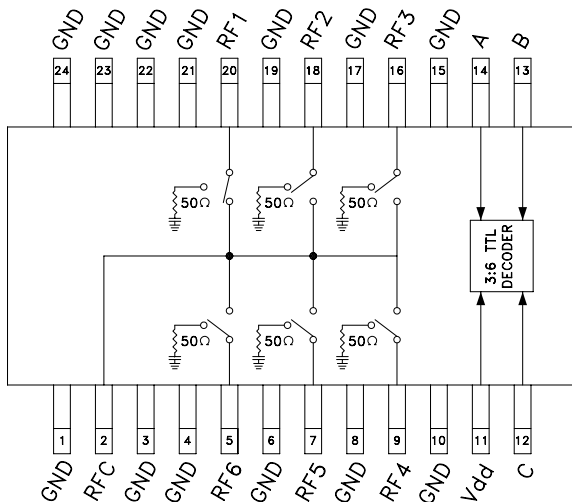
The HMC252QS24 is ideal for:

- Base Station
- CATV / DBS
- MMDS & WirelessLAN
- Test Equipment

### Features

- Low Insertion Loss (2 GHz): 0.9 dB
- Single Positive Supply: Vdd = +5V
- Integrated 3:6 TTL Decoder
- 24 Lead QSOP Package

### Functional Diagram



### General Description

The HMC252QS24 is a low-cost non-reflective SP6T switch in a 24-lead QSOP package featuring wideband operation from DC to 3.0 GHz. The switch offers a single positive bias and true TTL/CMOS compatibility. A 3:6 decoder is integrated on the switch requiring only 3 control lines and a positive bias to select each path. The HMC252QS24 SP6T replaces multiple configurations of SP4T and SPDT MMIC switches and logic drivers.

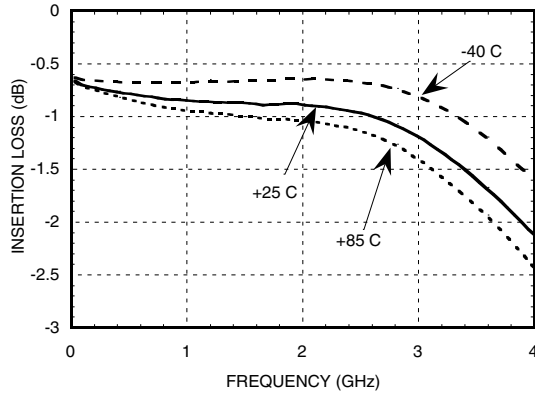
### Electrical Specifications,

$T_A = +25^\circ\text{C}$ , For TTL Control and Vdd = +5V in a 50 Ohm System

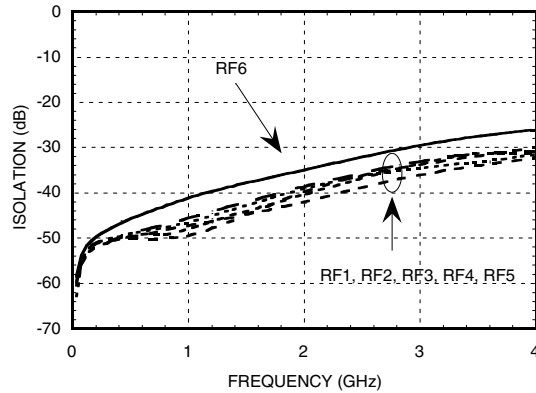
Parameter	Frequency	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Units
Insertion Loss	DC - 1.0 GHz		0.8	1.2	dB
	DC - 2.0 GHz		0.9	1.3	dB
	DC - 2.5 GHz		1.0	1.5	dB
	DC - 3.0 GHz		1.3	1.8	dB
Isolation	DC - 1.0 GHz	38	41		dB
	DC - 2.0 GHz	32	35		dB
	DC - 2.5 GHz	29	32		dB
	DC - 3.0 GHz	26	29		dB
Return Loss	"On State"	DC - 2.5 GHz	14	18	dB
		DC - 3.0 GHz	7	12	dB
Return Loss	RF1-6 "Off State"	0.3 - 3.0 GHz	8	12	dB
		0.5 - 2.5 GHz	11	15	dB
Input Power for 1dB Compression	0.3 - 3.0 GHz	21	24		dBm
Input Third Order Intercept (Two-Tone Input Power = +7 dBm Each Tone)	0.3 - 3.0 GHz	42	46		dBm
Switching Characteristics	0.3 - 3.0 GHz	tRISE, tFALL (10/90% RF)		35	ns
		tON, tOFF (50% CTL to 10/90% RF)		120	ns

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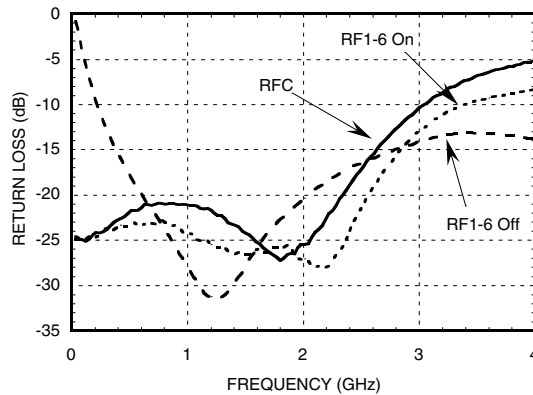
**Insertion Loss**



**Isolation**



**Return Loss**



**Bias Voltage & Current**

Vdd Range = +5.0 Vdc ± 10%		
Vdd (Vdc)	Idd (Typ.) (mA)	Idd (Max.) (mA)
+5.0	5.0	8.0

**TTL/CMOS Control Voltages**

State	Bias Condition
Low	0 to +0.8 Vdc @ 5uA Typ.
High	+2.0 to +5.0 Vdc @ 70 uA Typ.

**Truth Table**

Control Input			Signal Path State
A	B	C	RFCOM to:
LOW	LOW	LOW	RF1
HIGH	LOW	LOW	RF2
LOW	HIGH	LOW	RF3
HIGH	HIGH	LOW	RF4
LOW	LOW	HIGH	RF5
HIGH	LOW	HIGH	RF6
LOW	HIGH	HIGH	ALL OFF
HIGH	HIGH	HIGH	ALL OFF

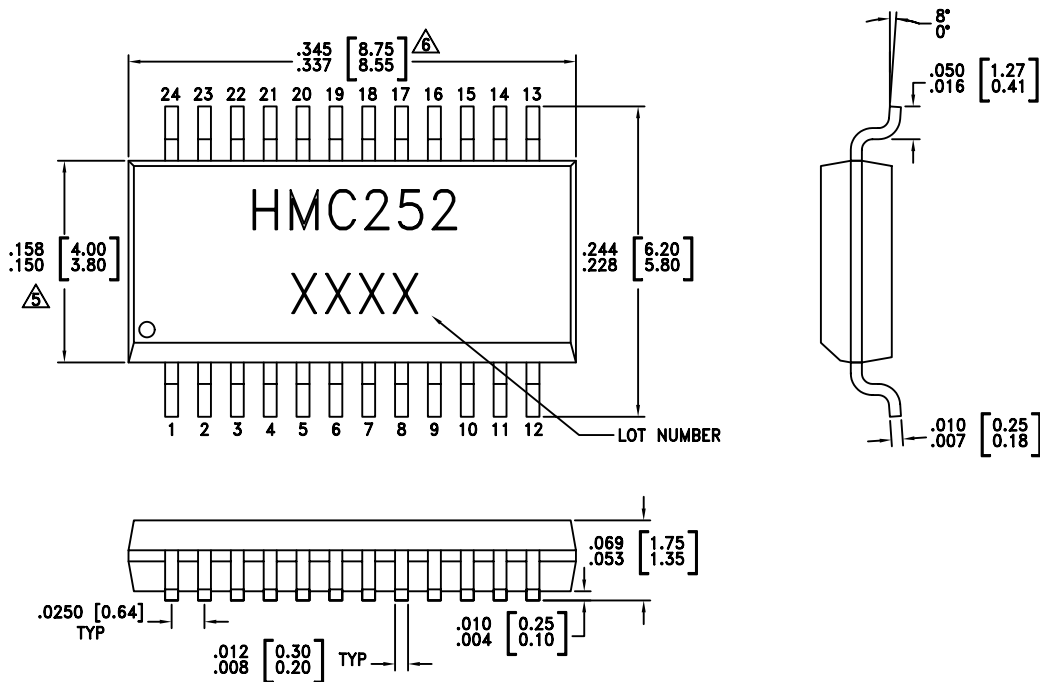
- NOTE:
- DC Blocking capacitors are required at ports RFC and RF1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6.
  - Input is reflective when "ALL OFF" state is selected.

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### Absolute Maximum Ratings

Bias Voltage Range (Port Vdd)	+7.0 Vdc
Control Voltage Range (A, B, C)	-0.5V to Vdd +1 Vdc
Channel Temperature	150 °C
Thermal Resistance (Insertion Loss Path)	240 °C/W
Thermal Resistance (Terminated Path)	260 °C/W
Storage Temperature	-65 to +150 °C
Operating Temperature	-40 to +85 °C
Maximum Input Power Vdd = +5 Vdc	+20 dBm (0.05 - 0.5 GHz) +26 dBm (0.5 - 3.0 GHz)

### Outline Drawing



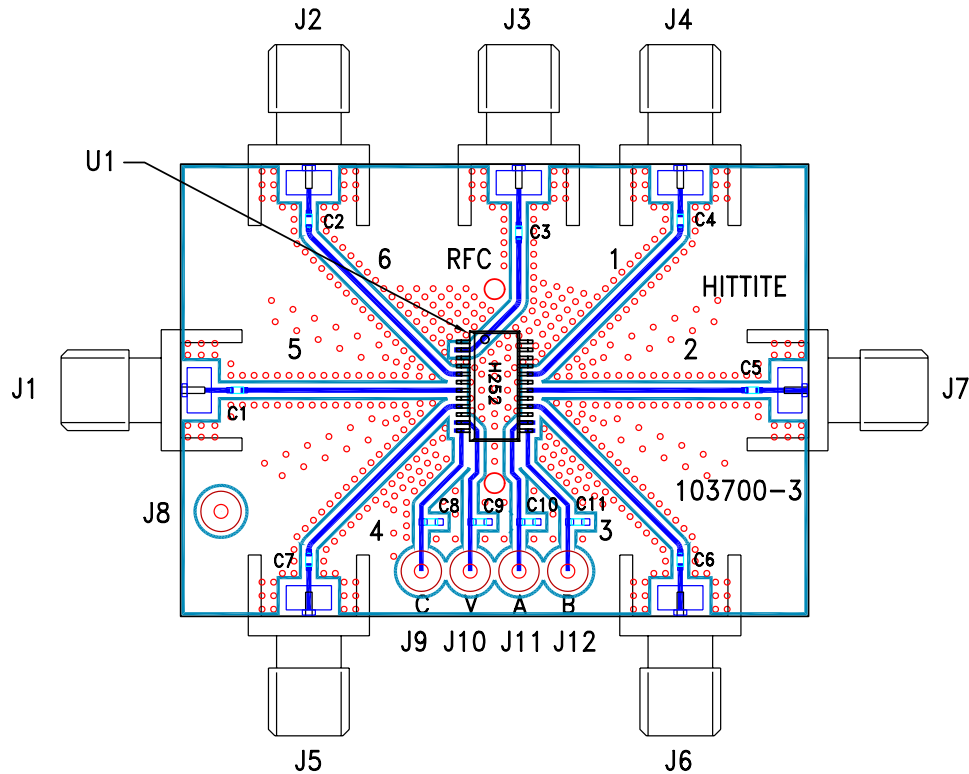
NOTES:

- PACKAGE BODY MATERIAL: LOW STRESS INJECTION MOLDED PLASTIC SILICA AND SILICON IMPREGNATED.
- LEADFRAME MATERIAL: COPPER ALLOY
- LEADFRAME PLATING: Sn/Pb SOLDER
- DIMENSIONS ARE IN INCHES [MILLIMETERS].
- $\Delta$  DIMENSION DOES NOT INCLUDE MOLDFLASH OF 0.15mm PER SIDE.
- $\nabla$  DIMENSION DOES NOT INCLUDE MOLDFLASH OF 0.25mm PER SIDE.
- ALL GROUND LEADS MUST BE SOLDERED TO PCB RF GROUND.

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### Evaluation Circuit Board



The circuit board used in the final application should be generated with proper RF circuit design techniques. Signal lines at the RF ports should have 50 ohm impedance while the package ground leads should be connected directly to the ground plane similar to that shown above. A sufficient number of VIA holes should be used to connect the top and bottom ground planes. The evaluation circuit board shown above is available from Hittite Microwave Corporation upon request.

### List of Material

Item	Description
J1 - J7	PC Mount SMA Connector
J8 - J12	DC Pin
C1 - C7	100 pF Capacitor, 0402 Pkg.
C8 - C11	10,000 pF Capacitor, 0603 Pkg.
U1	HMC252QS24 SP8T Switch
PCB*	103700 Eval Board

\* Circuit Board Material: Rogers 4350



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