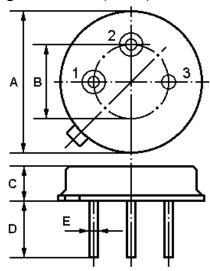


SAW FILTER

Part Number: VTF916M

The **VTF916M** is a low-loss, compact, and economical surface-acoustic-wave (**SAW**) filter in a low-profile metal **TO-39** case designed to provide front-end selectivity in **916.500** MHz receivers. Receiver designs using this filter include superhet with 10.7 MHz or 500 kHz IF, direct conversion and superregen.

1. Package Dimension (TO-39)



Pin	Configuration				
1	Input / Output				
2	Output / Input				
3	Case Ground				

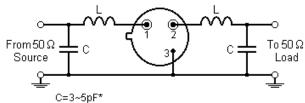
Dimension	Data (unit: mm)			
А	9.15±0.20			
В	5.08±0.20			
С	3.30±0.20			
D	3±0.20 / 5±0.20			
E	0.45±0.10			

2. Marking

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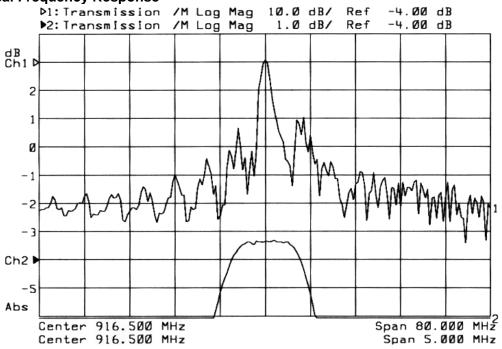
Color: Black or Blue

3. Test Circuit



L=2 turns of 0.5mm insulated Copper, 2.0 ID

4. Typical Frequency Response



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5. Performance

5-1.Maximum Rating

Rating	Value	Unit	
CW RF Power Dissipation	Р	+10	dBm
DC Voltage Between Any Two Pins	$V_{ m DC}$	±30	V
Storage Temperature Range	$T_{ m stg}$	-40 to +85	$^{\circ}$
Operating Temperature Range	T _A	-10 to +60	$^{\circ}$

5-2. Electronic Characteristics

Characteristic		Minimum	Typical	Maximum	Unit	
Center Frequency (center frequency between 3dB points)		f _C		916.500		MHz
Insertion Loss		IL		3.5	5.0	dB
3dB Bandwidth		BW ₃		1200		kHz
Rejection	at f _C -21.4MHz (Image)		33	40		dB
	at f _C -10.7MHz (LO)		15	35		
	Ultimate			60		
Temperature	Turnover Temperature	To	25		55	$^{\circ}$ C
	Turnover Frequency	f _O		f _C		MHz
	Frequency Temperature Coefficient	FTC		0.032		ppm/°C²
Frequency Aging Absolute Value during the First Year		fA		10		ppm/yr

(i) CAUTION: Electrostatic Sensitive Device. Observe precautions for handling!

- 1. The frequency $f_{\mathbb{C}}$ is defined as the midpoint between the 3dB frequencies.
- 2. Unless noted otherwise, all measurements are made with the filter installed in the specified test fixture that is connected to a 50Ω test system with VSWR≤1.2:1. The test fixture L and C are adjusted for minimum insertion loss at the filter center frequency, f_C. Note that insertion loss, bandwidth, and passband shape are dependent on the impedance matching component values and quality.
- 3. Unless noted otherwise, specifications apply over the entire specified operating temperature range.
- Frequency aging is the change in f_C with time and is specified at +65°C or less. Aging may exceed the specification for prolonged temperatures above +65°C. Typically, aging is greatest the first year after manufacture, decreasing in subsequent years.
- 5. Turnover temperature, T_0 , is the temperature of maximum (or turnover) frequency, f_0 . The nominal frequency at any case temperature, T_C , may be calculated from: $f = f_0 [1 FTC (T_0 T_C)^2]$.
- 6. The specifications of this device are based on the test circuit shown above and subject to change or obsolescence without notice.
- 7. All equipment designs utilizing this product must be approved by the appropriate government agency prior to manufacture or sale.
- 8. Our liability is only assumed for the Surface Acoustic Wave (SAW) component(s) per se, not for applications, processes and circuits implemented within components or assemblies.
- 9. For questions on technology, prices and delivery, please contact our sales offices or e-mail info@v-torch.com

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