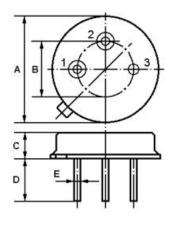


# SAW FILTER

Part Number: VTF303N

The VTF303N 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 303.875 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)

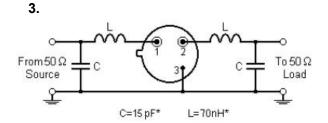


Pin	Configuration		
1	Input / Output		
2	Output / Input		
3	Case Ground		

Dimension	Data (unit: mm)			
Α	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			

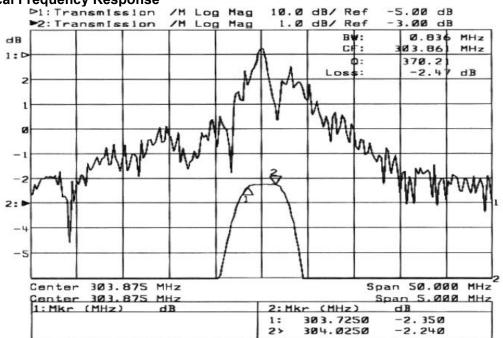
2. Marking Test Circuit

VTF 303N



Color: Black or Blue

4. Typical Frequency Response





#### 5. Performance

### 5-1. Maximum Rating

Rating		Value	Unit
CW RF Power Dissipation		+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 <sub>A</sub>	-10 to +60	$^{\circ}$

#### 5-2. Electronic Characteristics

Characteristic  Center Frequency (center frequency between 3dB points)		Minimum	Typical	Maximum	Unit	
		f <sub>C</sub>		303.875		MHz
Insertion Loss		IL		3.0	4.5	dB
3dB Bandwidth	i	BW <sub>3</sub>		600	800	kHz
Rejection	at f <sub>C</sub> -21.4MHz (Image)		40	50		dB
	at f <sub>C</sub> -10.7MHz (LO)		20	30	22.4	
	Ultimate		2	60	228	
Temperature	Turnover Temperature	To	25		55	$^{\circ}$
	Turnover Frequency	fo		f <sub>C</sub>		MHz
	Frequency Temperature Coefficient	FTC		0.032		ppm/℃ <sup>2</sup>
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.
- 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<sub>C</sub>. 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<sub>C</sub> 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:  $f = f_0 [1 FTC (T_0 T_C)^2]$ .
- The specifications of this device are based on the test circuit shown above and subject to change or obsolescence without notice.
- All equipment designs utilizing this product must be approved by the appropriate government agency prior to manufacture or sale.
- 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@vtorch.ca