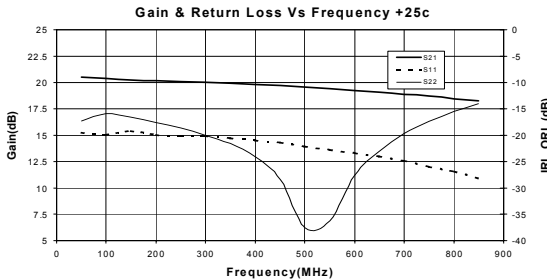




## Product Description

Sirenza Microdevices' SBF-5089 is a high performance InGaP/GaAs Heterojunction Bipolar Transistor MMIC Amplifier. A Darlington configuration designed with InGaP process technology provides broadband performance up to 0.5 GHz with excellent thermal performance. The heterojunction increases breakdown voltage and minimizes leakage current between junctions. Cancellation of emitter junction non-linearities results in higher suppression of intermodulation products. Only a single positive supply voltage, DC-blocking capacitors, a bias resistor, and an optional RF choke are required for operation.

The matte tin finish on Sirenza's lead-free package utilizes a post annealing process to mitigate tin whisker formation and is RoHS compliant per EU Directive 2002/95. This package is also manufactured with green molding compounds that contain no antimony trioxide nor halogenated fire retardants.



# SBF-5089

# SBF-5089Z



## DC-500 MHz, Cascadable

## InGaP/GaAs HBT MMIC Amplifier



## Product Features

- Available in Lead Free, RoHS compliant, & Green packaging
- IP3 = 41dBm @ 240MHz
- Stable Gain Over Temperature
- Robust 1000V ESD, Class 1C
- Operates From Single Supply
- Low Thermal Resistance

## Applications

- Receiver IF Applications
- Cellular, PCS, GSM, UMTS
- IF Amplifier
- Wireless Data, Satellite Terminals

| Symbol               | Parameter                             | Units | Frequency                    | Min.         | Typ.                 | Max.         |
|----------------------|---------------------------------------|-------|------------------------------|--------------|----------------------|--------------|
| G                    | Small Signal Gain                     | dB    | 70 MHz<br>240 MHz<br>500 MHz | 18.5<br>18.0 | 20.5<br>20.0<br>19.5 | 21.5<br>21.0 |
| P <sub>1dB</sub>     | Output Power at 1dB Compression       | dBm   | 70 MHz<br>240 MHz<br>400 MHz | 19.2         | 21<br>21<br>20.7     |              |
| OIP <sub>3</sub>     | Output Third Order Intercept Point    | dBm   | 70 MHz<br>240 MHz<br>400 MHz | 37.5         | 39.0<br>41.0<br>39.5 |              |
| IRL                  | Input Return Loss                     | dB    | 500 MHz                      | 14           | 18                   |              |
| ORL                  | Output Return Loss                    | dB    | 500 MHz                      | 12           | 16                   |              |
| NF                   | Noise Figure                          | dB    | 500 MHz                      |              | 2.8                  | 3.8          |
| V <sub>D</sub>       | Device Operating Voltage              | V     |                              | 4.5          | 4.9                  | 5.3          |
| I <sub>D</sub>       | Device Operating Current              | mA    |                              | 82           | 90                   | 98           |
| R <sub>TH, J-L</sub> | Thermal Resistance (junction to lead) | °C/W  |                              |              | 43                   |              |

**Test Conditions:** V<sub>S</sub> = 8 V, I<sub>D</sub> = 90 mA Typ., OIP<sub>3</sub> Tone Spacing = 1 MHz, P<sub>out</sub> per tone = 0 dBm  
R<sub>BIAS</sub> = 33 Ohms, T<sub>L</sub> = 25°C, Z<sub>S</sub> = Z<sub>L</sub> = 50 Ohms, App circuit page 4

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### Typical RF Performance at Key Operating Frequencies

| Symbol           | Parameter                          | Unit | Frequency (MHz) |      |      |      |      |      |
|------------------|------------------------------------|------|-----------------|------|------|------|------|------|
|                  |                                    |      | 70              | 100  | 240  | 400  | 500  | 850  |
| G                | Small Signal Gain                  | dB   | 20.5            | 20.4 | 20.1 | 19.8 | 19.5 | 18.2 |
| OIP <sub>3</sub> | Output Third Order Intercept Point | dBm  | 39              | 39   | 41   | 39.5 | 39   | 34   |
| P <sub>1dB</sub> | Output Power at 1dB Compression    | dBm  | 21.0            | 21.0 | 21.0 | 20.7 | 20.8 | 18.6 |
| IRL              | Input Return Loss                  | dB   | 19.4            | 19.9 | 20.1 | 20.9 | 22.0 | 26.8 |
| ORL              | Output Return Loss                 | dB   | 17.2            | 15.8 | 18.6 | 24.0 | 37.5 | 15.5 |
| S <sub>12</sub>  | Reverse Isolation                  | dB   | 25.2            | 22.4 | 22.3 | 22.3 | 22.3 | 22.4 |
| NF               | Noise Figure                       | dB   | 2.7             | 2.8  | 2.7  | 2.8  | 2.8  | 2.8  |

**Test Conditions:**  $V_S = 8\text{ V}$        $I_D = 90\text{ mA Typ.}$       OIP<sub>3</sub> Tone Spacing = 1 MHz, Pout per tone = 0 dBm  
 $R_{BIAS} = 33\text{ Ohms}$        $T_L = 25^\circ\text{C}$        $Z_S = Z_L = 50\text{ Ohms}$  using app circuit see page 4

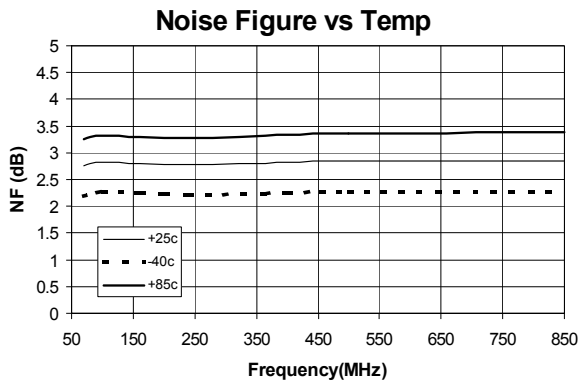
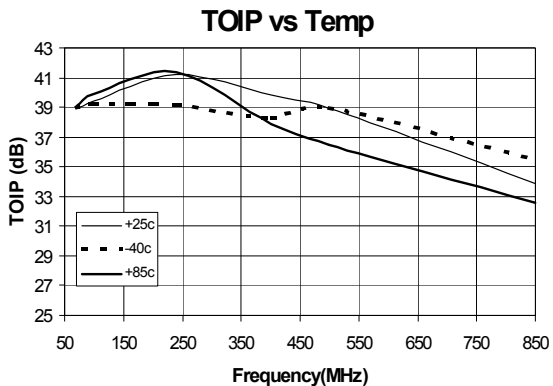
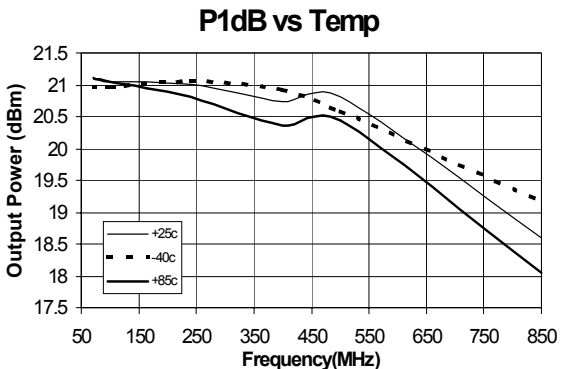
### Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Parameter                       | Absolute Limit |
|---------------------------------|----------------|
| Max. Device Current ( $I_D$ )   | 150 mA         |
| Max. Device Voltage ( $V_D$ )   | 6 V            |
| Max. RF Input Power             | +19 dBm        |
| Max Operating Dissipated Power  | 0.8 W          |
| Max. Junction Temp. ( $T_J$ )   | +150°C         |
| Operating Temp. Range ( $T_L$ ) | -40°C to +85°C |
| Max. Storage Temp.              | +150°C         |

Operation of this device beyond any one of these limits may cause permanent damage. For reliable continuous operation, the device voltage and current must not exceed the maximum operating values specified in the table on page one.

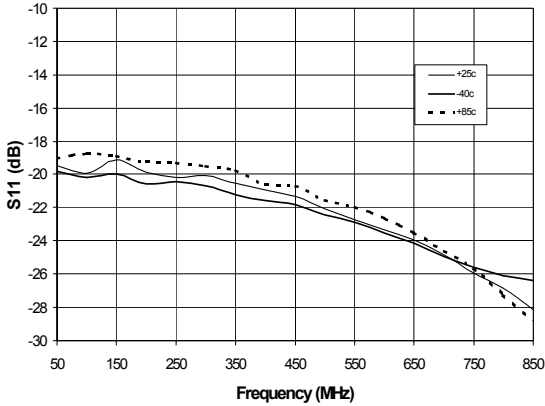
Bias Conditions should also satisfy the following expression:

$$I_D V_D < (T_J - T_{L}) / R_{TH} \quad T_L = T_{LEAD}$$

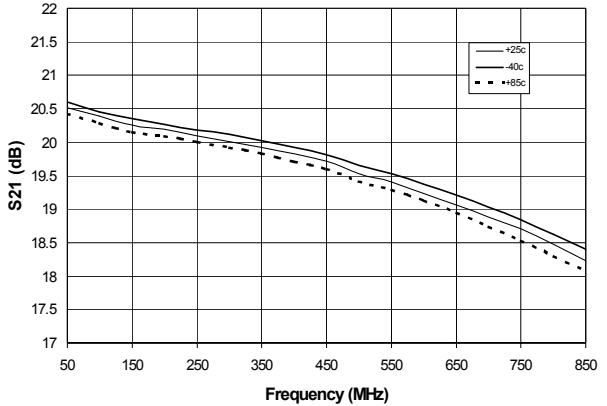


**Test Conditions :  $V_s = 8v$ , R-bias = 33ohm,  $I_d = 90mA$ , Temp = +25c**

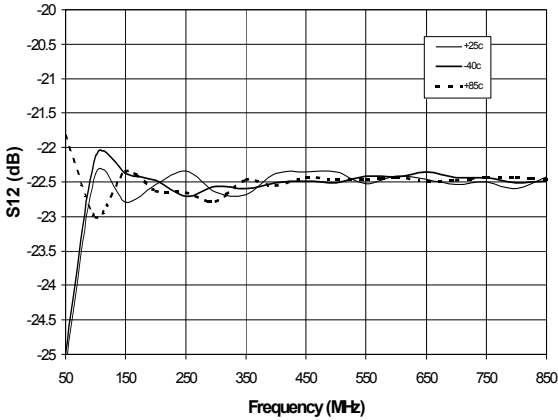
**$|S_{11}|$  vs. Frequency**



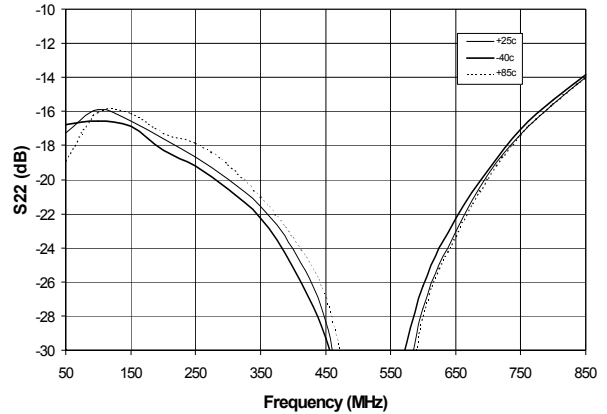
**$|S_{21}|$  vs. Frequency**



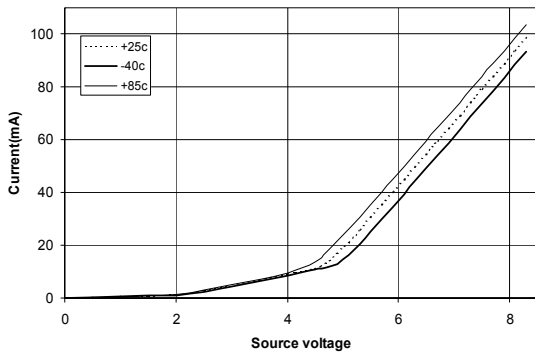
**$|S_{12}|$  vs. Frequency**



**$|S_{22}|$  vs. Frequency**

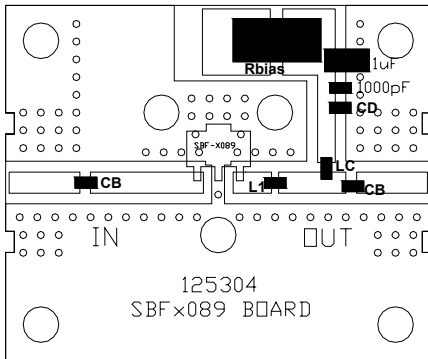
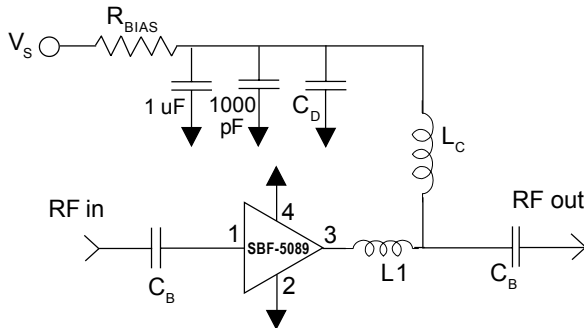


**Bias Sweep vs. Temperature**

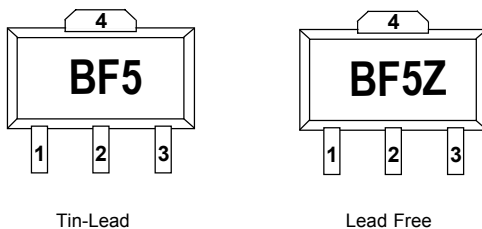


**NOTE: Output Return Loss Can be improved at low end of band with L1 selection, see Page 4 app circuit.**

**Basic Application Circuit**



**Part Identification Marking**



**Caution: ESD sensitive**  
Appropriate precautions in handling, packaging and testing devices must be observed.

**Application Circuit Element Values**

| Reference Designator | Frequency (Mhz) |         |         |        |       |
|----------------------|-----------------|---------|---------|--------|-------|
|                      | 70              | 100     | 240     | 500    | 850   |
| C <sub>B</sub>       | 1uF             | 1000 pF | 1000 pF | 220 pF | 100pF |
| C <sub>D</sub>       | 1 uF            | 100 pF  | 100 pF  | 100 pF | 68 pF |
| L <sub>C</sub>       | 6.8uH           | 1.2 uH  | 1.2uH   | 68 nH  | 33 nH |
| L1                   | 6.8nH           | 6.8nH   | 6.8nH   | 6.8nH  | 6.8nH |

**Recommended Bias Resistor Values for I<sub>D</sub>=90mA**

$$R_{BIAS} = (V_S - V_D) / I_D$$

| Supply Voltage(V <sub>S</sub> ) | 7.5 V | 8 V  | 10 V | 12 V |
|---------------------------------|-------|------|------|------|
| R <sub>BIAS</sub>               | 27 Ω  | 33 Ω | 55 Ω | 77 Ω |

Note: R<sub>BIAS</sub> provides DC bias stability over temperature.

**Mounting Instructions**

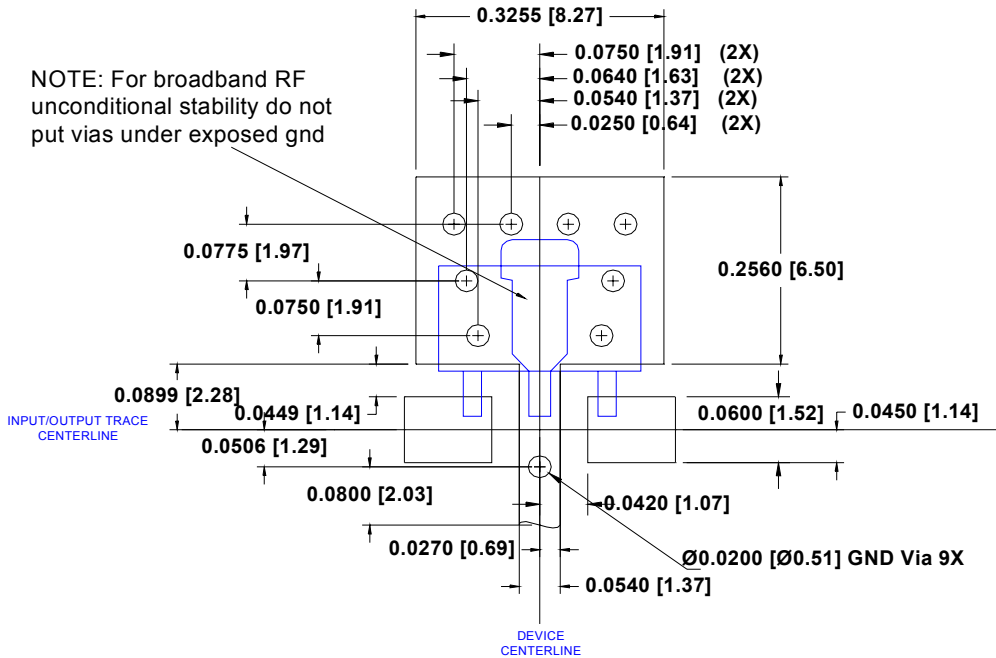
- NOTE: For broadband RF unconditional stability do not put GND vias under the exposed backside GND paddle.
- Solder the copper pad on the backside of the device package to the ground plane.
- Use a large ground pad area with many plated through-holes as shown.
- We recommend 1 or 2 ounce copper. Measurement for this data sheet were made on a 31 mil thick FR-4 board with 1 ounce copper on both sides.

| Pin # | Function    | Description   |
|-------|-------------|---|
| 1     | RF IN       | RF input pin. This pin requires the use of an external DC blocking capacitor chosen for the frequency of operation.             |
| 2, 4  | GND         | Connection to ground. Use via holes for best performance to reduce lead inductance as close to ground leads as possible.        |
| 3     | RF OUT/BIAS | RF output and bias pin. DC voltage is present on this pin, therefore a DC blocking capacitor is necessary for proper operation. |

**Part Number Ordering Information**

| Part Number | Reel Size | Devices/Reel |
|-------------|-----------|--------------|
| SBF-5089    | 7"        | 1000         |
| SBF-5089Z   | 7"        | 1000         |

**PCB Pad Layout**  
Dimensions in inches [millimeters]



**See Application Note AN-075  
For Package Outline Drawing**