

# Schottky Barrier Beam Lead and Packaged Ring Quads

V3.00

## Features

- Small Physical Size for Microstrip Mounting
- High Reliability
- Closely Matched Junctions for High Isolation
- High Barriers for LO Power Levels up to +27 dBm
- Minimum Parasitics for Broadband Designs

## Description

### Single Barrier Ring Quads

Each Schottky barrier diode quad consists of four closely matched diodes connected in a ring configuration. The four diodes are formed monolithically to assure close matching of electrical characteristics: capacitance, forward voltage and series resistance. The beam lead construction assures minimum junction capacitance, minimum connection lead inductance and permits the interconnection of the diodes into rings at the wafer level.

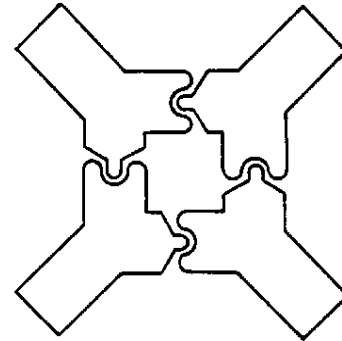
### Dual Barrier Ring Quads

Each dual barrier ring quad consists of eight Schottky diodes connected in a ring configuration. Each arm of the quad consists of two high barrier Schottky diodes. The structure is formed monolithically to assure close matching of electrical characteristics. They are available in the low cost 1008 package.

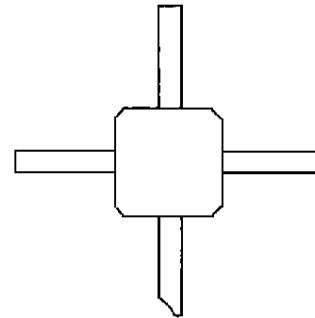
### Medium Barrier Cross-Over Quads

M/A-COM's ring quads are available in beam lead form and five stripline case styles which are compatible with microstrip assembly techniques. The 226 case style is hermetically sealed and should be used in either harsh environments or high reliability military systems. The 228 case style is a low-cost package of similar size to the 226 case style. Case style 227 is suggested for either high frequency or wide bandwidth applications. Case style 963 has the lowest parasitics and is suggested for widest bandwidth applications. Case style 1008 is a low cost moderate frequency package used in many double balanced mixers through 2 GHz.

## Case Styles



**264**



**1008**

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Specifications @  $T_A = +25^\circ\text{C}$ 

Model <sup>1</sup> Number	Frequency Band	Maximum Capacitance $C_j$ (pF)	Maximum <sup>1</sup> Capacitance Difference $\Delta C_T$ (pF)	Typical <sup>2</sup> Forward Voltage $V_F$ (Volts)	Maximum <sup>2</sup> Forward Voltage Difference $\Delta V_F$ (Volts)	Maximum <sup>3</sup> Series Resistance $R_S$ (Ohms)
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## Low Barrier Ring Quads

MA40430	L-S	0.55	0.10	0.25	0.02	7
MA40431	L-S	0.40	0.10	0.25	0.02	7
MA40432	L-S	0.50	0.10	0.25	0.02	7
MA40439	L-S	0.50	0.20	0.25	0.02	7
MA40433	C	0.30	0.05	0.27	0.02	10
MA40437	C-X	0.25	0.10	0.27	0.02	10
MA40435	X	0.20	0.05	0.30	0.02	12
MA40284	X-Ku	0.10	0.05	0.31	0.02	18

## Medium Barrier Ring Quads

MA40440	L-S	0.50	0.10	0.35	0.02	7
MA40442	L-S	0.50	0.10	0.35	0.02	7
MA40449	L-S	0.50	0.20	0.35	0.02	7
MA40443	C	0.30	0.05	0.37	0.02	10
MA40444	C	0.30	0.10	0.37	0.02	10
MA40446	X	0.20	0.05	0.41	0.02	12
MA40447	Ku	0.15	0.05	0.41	0.02	12
MA40450	X-Ku	0.15	0.05	0.41	0.02	12
MA40285	X-Ku	0.10	0.05	0.41	0.02	18

## High Barrier Ring Quads

MA40490	L-S	0.50	0.10	0.55	0.02	7
MA40499	L-S	0.50	0.20	0.55	0.02	7
MA40493	C	0.30	0.05	0.57	0.02	10
MA40496	X	0.20	0.05	0.61	0.02	12
MA40497	Ku	0.15	0.05	0.61	0.02	12
MA40286	X-Ku	0.10	0.05	0.61	0.02	18

## Notes:

- $C_T$  is measured across diagonal contacts.  $\Delta C_T$  is measured across adjacent contacts. Capacitance is measured at zero bias and 1 MHz.
- $V_F$  and  $\Delta V_F$  are measured across adjacent contacts at  $I_F = 1$  mA.
- Series resistance,  $R_S$ , is determined by subtracting the junction resistance,  $R_j$ , from the measured value of dynamic (slope) resistance,  $R_T$ :  
 $R_S = R_T - R_j$  Ohms  
 Junction resistance is computed from:  
 $R_j = 26/I_F$  Ohms  
 $I_F$  is the forward current in mA.
- All of these parts are available in case styles 226, 227, 228, 264, 963 and 1008. To order add case style as suffix i.e., MA40430-1008.

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## Specifications @ $T_A = +25^\circ\text{C}$ (Cont'd)

### Dual High Barrier Beam Lead Ring Quads

Model <sup>5</sup> Number	Frequency Band	Junction Capacitance $C_j$ (pF)		Maximum <sup>3</sup> Junction Capacitance Difference $\Delta C_j$ (pF)	Typical <sup>2</sup> Resistance $R_T$ ( $\Omega$ )	Typical <sup>4</sup> Forward Voltage $V_F$ (V)	Maximum <sup>4</sup> Forward Voltage Difference $\Delta V_F$ (V)
		Min.	Max.				
MA40482	S	0.20	0.30	0.10	14	1.10	0.020
MA40483	X	0.12	0.20	0.10	20	1.14	0.020

**Notes:**

- $C_j$  is measured across diagonal leads at  $V_R = 0\text{V}$  and  $f = 1\text{ MHz}$ .  $C_j$  is comprised of the capacitance of two diode junctions in series.
- $R_S$  is the diode series resistance which is the dynamic resistance,  $R_T$ , minus the junction resistance,  $R_j$ . The junction resistance is  $R_j = 26/I_F$  is the DC bias current expressed in milliamperes.  $R_T$  is measured for  $I_F = 10\text{ mA}$  and the junction resistance,  $R_j$ , is subtracted from  $R_T$  to determine  $R_S$ .  $R_S$  is measured across adjacent quad leads and it is comprised of the series resistance of two diode junctions in series.
- $\Delta C_j$  is measured across adjacent quad leads at  $V_R = 0\text{V}$  and  $f = 1\text{ MHz}$ .
- $V_F$  and  $\Delta V_F$  are measured across adjacent quad leads at  $I_F = 1.0\text{ mA}$ .  $V_F$  is comprised of the forward voltage of two diode junctions in series.
- All of these parts are available in case styles 226, 228, 264, 963 and 1008. To order add case style as suffix to the part number, i.e., MA40482-1008.

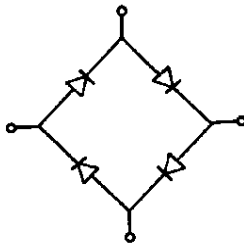
### Medium Barrier Crossover Quads

Model Number	Case Style	Frequency Band	Total <sup>1</sup> Capacitance $C_T$ (pF)	Maximum <sup>1</sup> Total Capacitance Difference $\Delta C_T$ (pF)	Maximum <sup>2</sup> Series Resistance $R_S$ (Ohms)	Typical <sup>3</sup> Forward Voltage $V_F$ (Volts)	Maximum <sup>3</sup> Forward Voltage Difference $\Delta V_F$ (Volts)
MA40472	1008	L	1.20	0.10	7	0.330	0.020
MA40471	1008	S	0.60	0.10	7	0.350	0.020

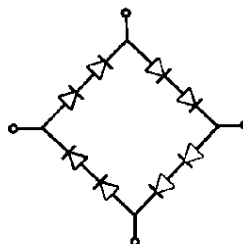
**Notes:**

- $C_T$  and  $\Delta C_T$  are measured across adjacent leads 1-4 and 2-3 at  $V_R = 0\text{V}$  and  $f = 1\text{ MHz}$ .
- $R_S$  is the diode series resistance which is the dynamic resistance  $R_T$  minus the junction resistance  $R_j$ . The junction resistance is  $R_j = 26/I_F$  where  $I_F$  is the DC bias current expressed in milliamperes.  $R_T$  is measured for  $I_F = 10\text{ mA}$  and the junction resistance,  $R_j$ , is subtracted from  $R_T$  to determine  $R_S$ .  $R_S$  is calculated across leads 1-2, 2-4, 3-4 and 1-3. ( $R_S = R_T - R_j$ )
- $V_F$  and  $\Delta V_F$  are measured across adjacent leads at  $I_F = 1\text{ mA}$ .

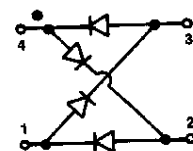
**SINGLE BARRIER RING QUAD CIRCUIT  
TOP VIEW PACKAGED**



**DUAL BARRIER RING QUAD  
CIRCUIT TOP VIEW**



**CROSS-OVER QWUAD CIRCUIT  
TOP VIEW PACKAGED**

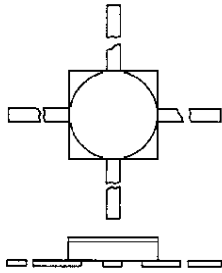


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## Absolute Maximum Ratings at 25°C

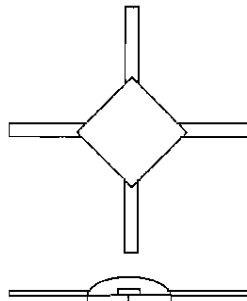
Parameter	Absolute Maximum
Operating and Storage Temperature Range of Junctions	-65°C to +150°C (Case Style 226) -65°C to +125°C (Case Style 227, 228, 963, 1008)
Maximum Power Dissipation (derate linearly to zero allowable dissipation at 150°C)	75 mW/junction
Soldering Temperature (Plastic Packages)	235°C for 10 sec. (Case Style 226) 150°C for 5 sec. (Case Styles 227, 228, 963, 1008)
Beam Strength	2g (Case Styles 264 and 905)

## Case Styles (See appendix for complete dimensions.)



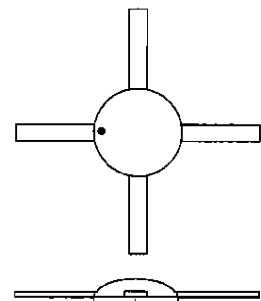
**226**

(Hermetic Ceramic Package)



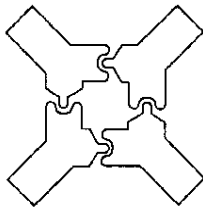
**227**

(Plastic Encapsulation)



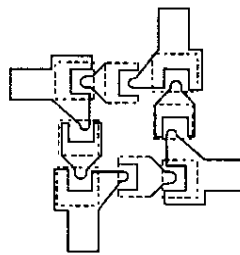
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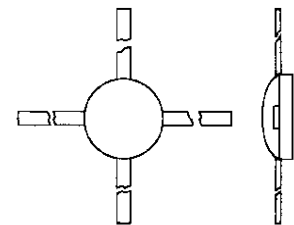
**264**

(Beam Lead)



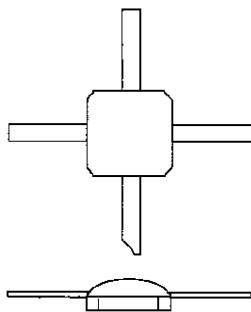
**905**

(Dual Barrier Beam Lead)



**963**

(Plastic Encapsulation)



**1008**

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