



W Band Ranging Sensor Module, Single Channel, 94 GHz, Bias Tuned

Description:

Model SSP-94310-S1-B is a W band ranging sensor module based on FMCW radar principles. This sensor module is designed and manufactured for measurements of a moving or stationary target's speed and distance. The sensor module has a center frequency of 94 GHz and takes a nominal bias of +4.0 VDC/650 mA. The frequency modulation bandwidth of ± 250 MHz is realized via a bias tuned Gunn oscillator. The advantages of implementing bias tuned oscillator are the lower cost and consistent frequency tuning linearity which are both desirable for volume production. The sensor module is configured with a bias tuned oscillator, an isolator, a directional coupler, a circulator and a balanced mixer. The directional coupler is used to sample the LO power to pump the mixer, and the circulator is used as a TX/RX diplexer. Various antennas can be integrated with the module to form sensor heads for many system applications.



Features:

- 94.0 GHz FMCW Operation
- Low FM/AM Noise and High Sensitivity
- Low Harmonic Emission
- Common Tx/Rx Port

Applications:

- True Ranging Radar Systems
- High Resolution Target Detection Systems
- Military Surveillance Systems

Electrical Specifications:

Parameter	Minimum	Typical	Maximum
Tx Frequency Range	93.75 GHz	94.00 GHz	94.25 GHz
Tx Output Power		+10 dBm	
FMCW Tuning Bandwidth		± 250 MHz	
Rx Frequency Range	93.75 GHz	94.00 GHz	94.25 GHz
Rx IF Frequency Range	DC		1 GHz
Rx Conversion Loss		11 dB	
Bias Tuning Voltage Range		+3.5 to +4.5 V _{DC}	+5.5 V _{DC}
Bias Tuning Speed*		1 mS	
Frequency Stability		-6.0 MHz/°C	
Power Stability		-0.04 dB/°C	
Bias Voltage	+3.5 V _{DC}	+4.0 V _{DC}	+4.5 V _{DC}
Bias Current		650 mA	950 mA
Specification Temperature		+25°C	
Operating Temperature	0°C		+50°C

*Bias tuning speed can be improved per request.





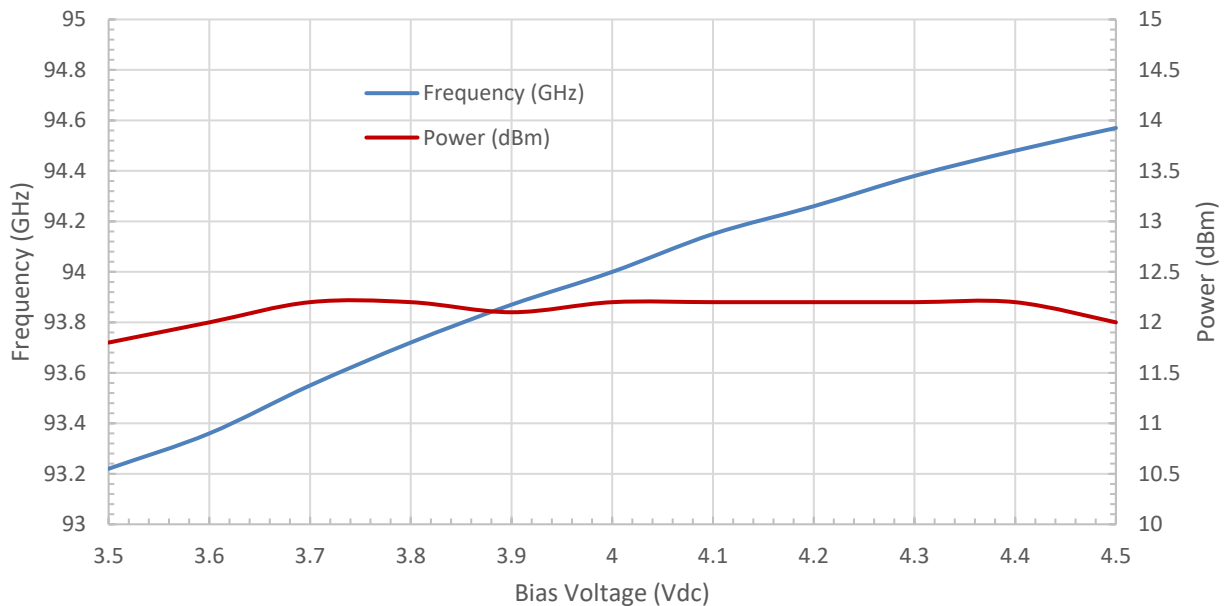
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Mechanical Specifications:

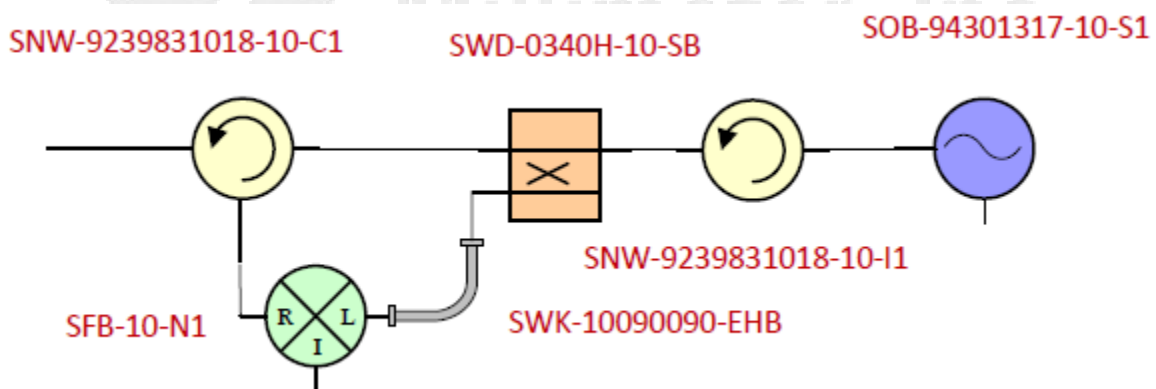
Item	Specification
Tx/Rx Port	WR-10 Waveguide with UG-387/U-M Flange
IF Port	SMA (F)
DC Bias Port	Solder Pins
Case Material	Aluminum and Brass
Finish	Gold Plated
Size	3.03" (W) X 1.99" (H) X 6.56" (L)
Weight	5.0 Oz
Outline	SM-NWEV-S1-B

Typical Frequency and Power Output vs. Bias Voltage

Bias: +3.5 to +4.5 Vdc/740 mA

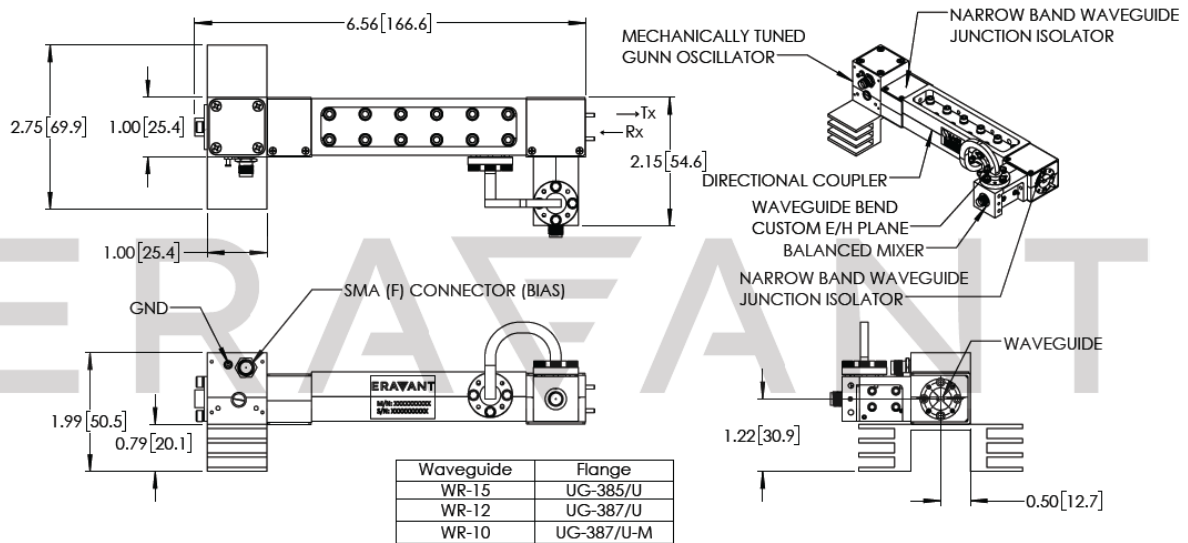


Block Diagram:



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Mechanical Outline: (Unless otherwise specified, all dimensions are in inches)



Note:

- All data are presented using a limited sample lot. Actual data may vary unit to unit.
- All testing was performed under +35 °C case temperature.
- Eravant reserves the right to change the information presented without notice.

Caution:

- Exceeding absolute maximum ratings shown will damage the device.
- The device is static sensitive. Always follow ESD rules when working with the device.
- Proper torque, 8.0 ± 0.4 inch-pounds (0.90 ± 0.02 Nm), should be applied. **Eravant torque wrench, model SCH-08008-S1, is highly recommended.**
- Any foreign objects in the waveguide will cause performance degradation and possibly damage the device.
- The case temperature of the device shall never exceed **+50 °C**. Use a proper heatsink or fan if necessary.

