

# TDSW020A2T

Product Specification  
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## dc – 20 GHz Absorptive GaAs SPDT

### Switch Features

- Frequency Range: dc – 20 GHz
- Low Insertion Loss: 3 dB(Max)
- Isolation: >40 dB
- Input & Output Return Loss: > 15 dB
- Input P1dB: 28 dBm
- Die Size: 1.5 mm × 1.5 mm × 0.1 mm
- Package\*: 5 mm x 5 mm Hermetic Ceramic QFN

### Typical Applications

- Radar
- Military & Space
- Instrumentation

### Description

The Teledyne TDSW020A2T is a wide band, absorptive, single pole, double throw (SPDT) Switch covering dc to 20 GHz. The switch features insertion loss of 3 dB(max) and greater than 40 dB Isolation up to 20 GHz. The input power for 1dB compression is 28 dBm typical. The switch operates on +5V/-5V supplies with minimal dc power consumption and is controlled using TTL-compatible voltage levels. The die is fabricated using a robust 0.15  $\mu\text{m}$  InGaAs pHEMT technology. The switch will be available in both space screened die form and an alternative 5 mm x 5 mm hermetic sealed QFN package\* with space level screening.

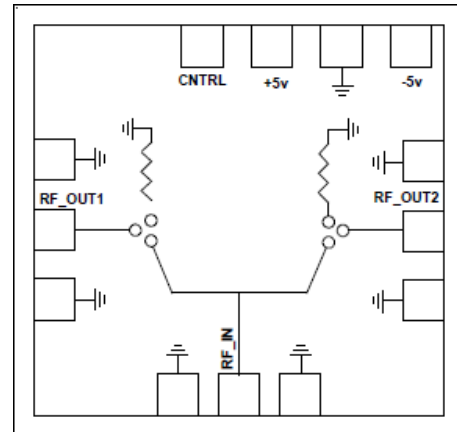
### Absolute Maximum Ratings<sup>1</sup>

| Parameter             | Absolute Maximum | Units |
|-----------------------|------------------|-------|
| RF Input Power        | 35               | dBm   |
| Control Voltage       | -0.5 to +5.5     | V     |
| ON State              | +6               | V     |
| OFF State             | -6               | V     |
| Operating temperature | -40 to +85       | °C    |
| Storage Temperature   | -65 to +150      | °C    |

#### Note:

1. Operation beyond these limits may cause permanent damage to the component.

Figure 1 TDSW020A2T Functional Diagram



\* Package preview: Contact factory for availability.

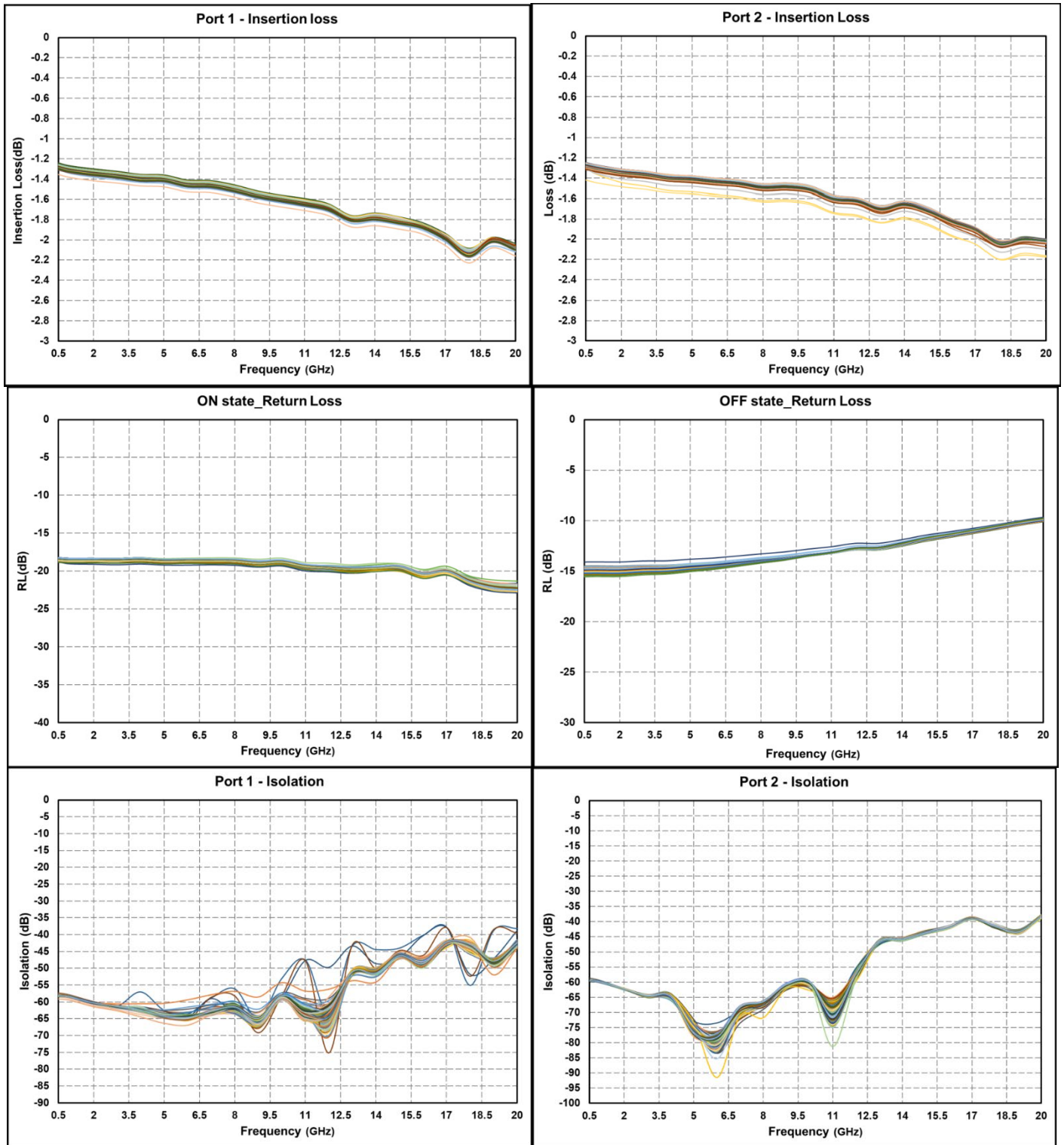
**Electrical Specifications for Bare Die @  $T_A = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ,  $Z_0 = 50\ \Omega$ <sup>3, 4, 5</sup>**

| Parameter                        | Minimum             | Typical | Maximum             | Units |
|----------------------------------|---------------------|---------|---------------------|-------|
| Frequency Range                  | dc                  |         | 20.0                | GHz   |
| Insertion Loss                   |                     | 2.2     | 3.0                 | dB    |
| Input Return Loss                |                     | -17     | -15                 | dB    |
| Output Return Loss               |                     | -17     | -15                 | dB    |
| Off State Return Loss            |                     | -15     | -10                 | dB    |
| Isolation                        | -37                 | -40     |                     | dB    |
| Input P1dB                       |                     | 28      |                     | dBm   |
| +5 V Supply Voltage ( $V_{DD}$ ) | 4.5                 | 5.0     | 5.5                 | V     |
| -5 V Supply Voltage ( $V_{SS}$ ) | -5.5                | -5.0    | -4.5                | V     |
| +5 V Supply Current ( $I_{DD}$ ) |                     | 0.86    | 1.5                 | mA    |
| -5 V Supply Current ( $I_{SS}$ ) | -0.5                | -0.11   |                     | mA    |
| CNTRL $V_{IH}$                   | $0.7 \times V_{DD}$ | 5       | 5.5                 | V     |
| CNTRL $V_{IL}$                   | -0.5                | 0       | $0.3 \times V_{DD}$ | V     |

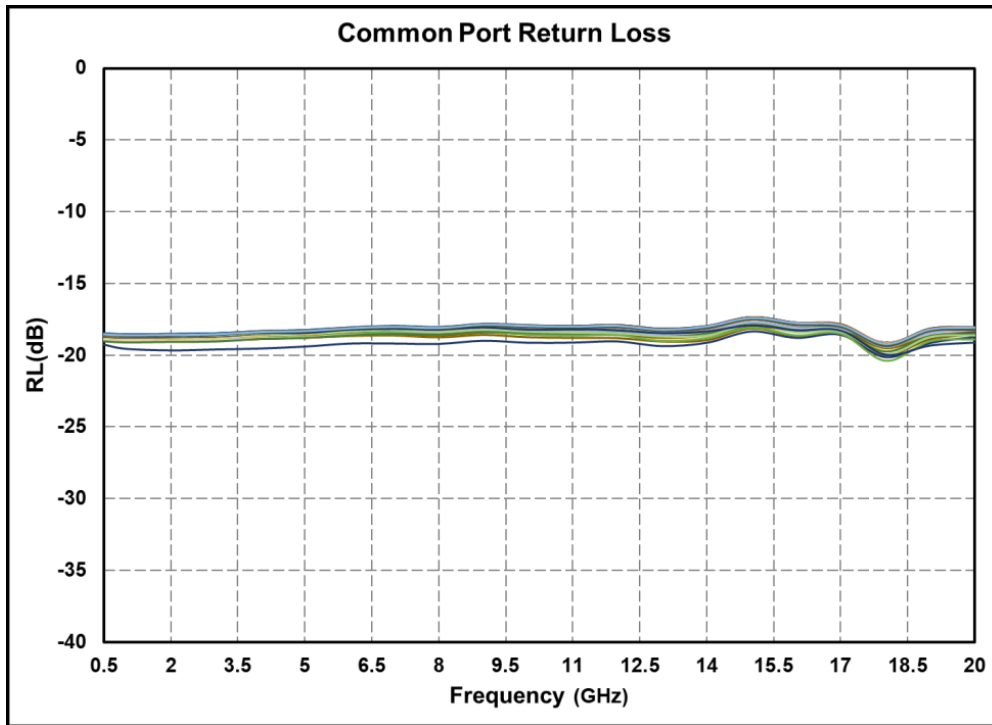
**Notes:**

3. The RF input & output ports are dc coupled.
4. For reliable operation external dc blocking capacitors are required at the RF input & output ports
5. Bare/unpackaged die only. Contact factory for information about packaged die product

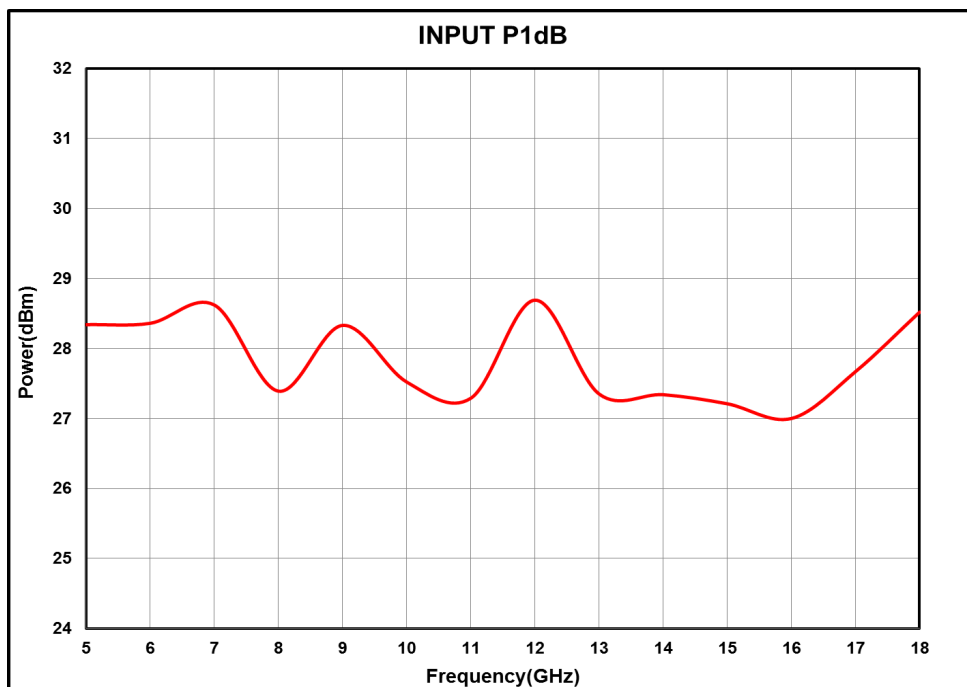
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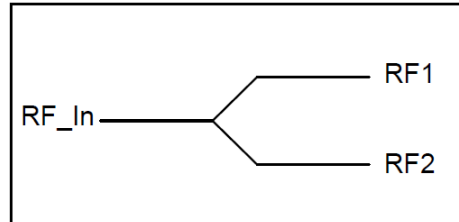
**Test Fixture Data Bare Die @  $T_A = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ,  $Z_o = 50\ \Omega$**



## Truth Table

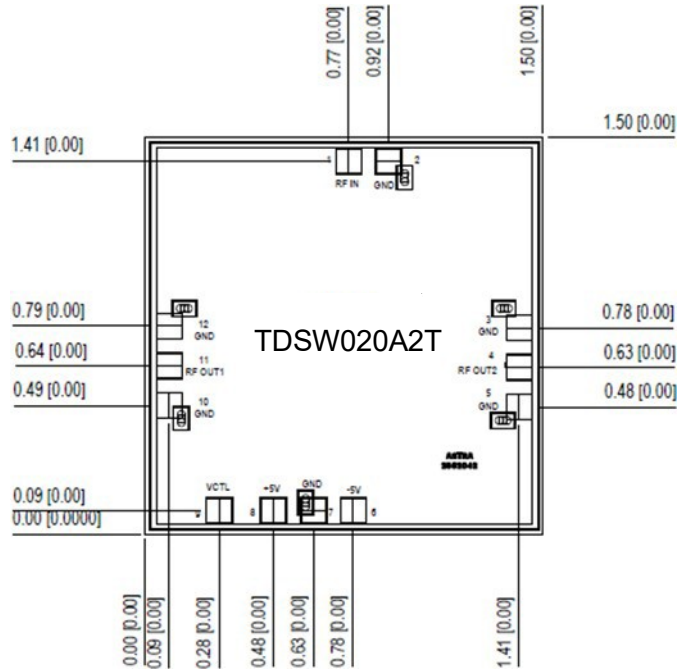
### Control Voltage

| State    | Bias condition |
|----------|----------------|
| Low "0"  | 0 to 0.5 V     |
| High "1" | 3.3 V to 5.0 V |



| Ctrl_vol | RF_In to RF1 | RF_In to RF2 |
|----------|--------------|--------------|
| 0(Low)   | Off          | On           |
| 1(High)  | On           | Off          |

## RF and dc Pad Details



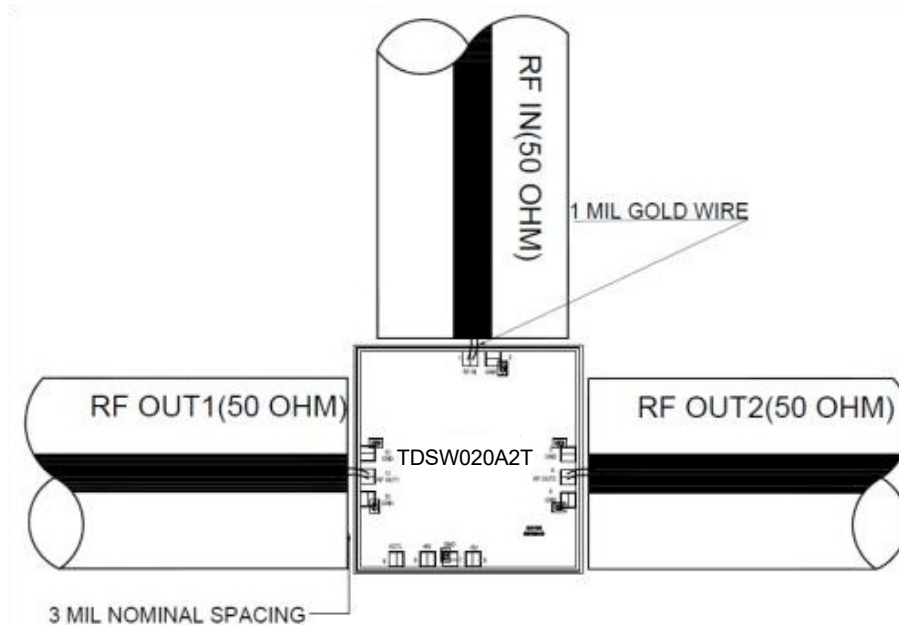
**Units** : millimeters (inches)

**Notes:**

1. All RF bond pads are 110 μm x 110 μm and dc bond pads are 100 μm x 100 μm

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|----|-----------------------|-----------|
| 2. | Pad no. 1             | : RF IN   |
| 3. | Pad no. 2,3,5,7,10,12 | : GND     |
| 4. | Pad no. 11            | : RF OUT1 |
| 5. | Pad no.6              | : -5 V    |
| 6. | Pad no.8              | : +5 V    |
| 7. | Pad no.9              | : Vctrl   |
| 8. | Pad no.4              | : RFOUT2  |

## Recommended Die Assembly Diagram



### Notes:

1. Two 1 mil (0.0254 mm) bond wires of minimum length should be used for RF input, RF output.
2. Input and output 50-ohm lines are preferably on 5 mil or 10 mil RT Duroid substrate.
3. The RF input & output ports are dc decoupled on-chip.
4. Coefficient of thermal expansion matching is recommended for reliability purpose.
5. Use high thermal conductive material for die mounting for long term reliability.
6. Maintain base plate temperature less than 70<sup>0</sup>C under RF operation for optimum performance.

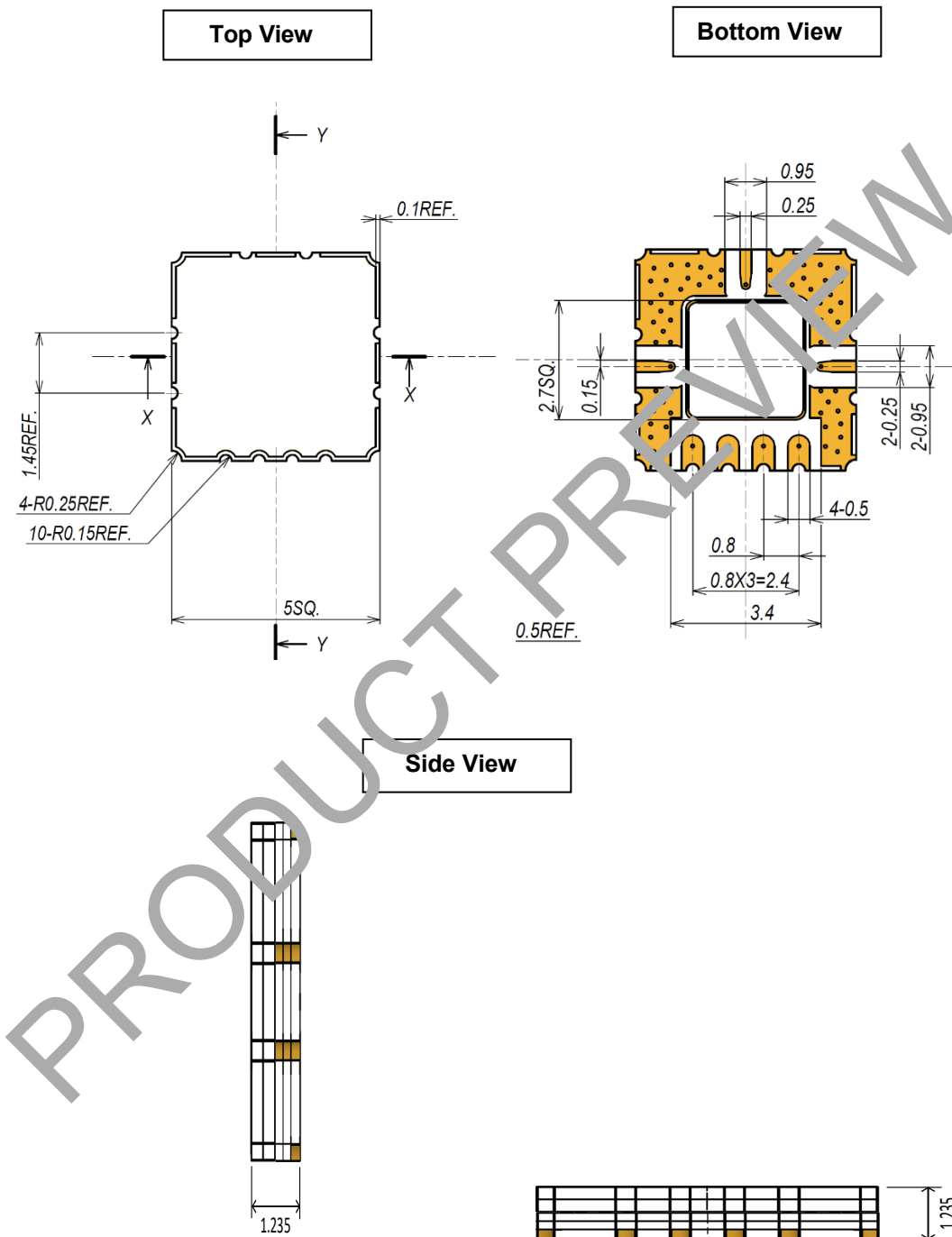
**Die attach:** For Epoxy attachment, use of a two-component conductive epoxy is recommended. An epoxy fillet should be visible around the total die periphery. If Eutectic attachment is preferred, use of flux less AuSn (80/20) 1 - 2 mil thick preform solder is recommended. Use of AuGe preform should be strictly avoided.

**Wire bonding:** For dc pad connections use either ball or wedge bonds. For best RF performance, use of 150 - 200  $\mu$ m length of wedge bonds is advised. Single Ball bonds of 250 - 300  $\mu$ m though acceptable, may cause a deviation in RF performance.



***GaAs MMIC devices are susceptible to Electrostatic discharge. Proper precautions should be observed during handling, assembly & testing***

**CQFN Package Diagram\***



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## Part Number Ordering Details

The TDSW020A2T RF Switch is available in the following die and 5 mm x 5 mm ceramic QFN\* configurations.

| Part Number    | Description    | Packaging | Notes                                       |
|----------------|----------------|-----------|---|
| TDSW020A2T-98  | EM DIE         | Gel-Pack  |   |
| TDSW020A2T-99  | FM DIE         | Gel-Pack  | w/ Method 2010 space visual                 |
| TDSW020A2T-00  | EVK            | Module    | EVK for packaged device                     |
| TDSW020A2T-01* | EM Flight Unit | CQFN*     | 25 °C testing only                          |
| TDSW020A2T-11* | FM Flight Unit | CQFN*     | Contact factory for space screening options |

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## Document Revision History

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