

Balanced and Single IF Measurements CSO Mixers (3-9 GHz)

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Design of the IF board is for a 20 Ohm SIS IF impedance. The measurement uses standard 50 Ohm coaxial Radial Connectors. The test structures have been cooled at least 5X to LN₂, and remounted twice to confirm assembly repeatability.

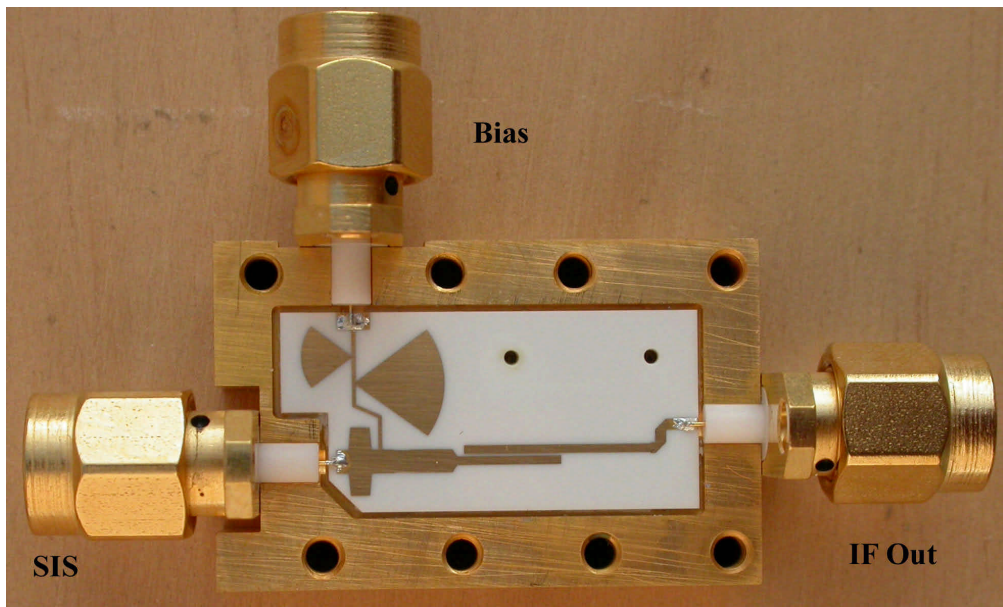


Fig. 1. Single IF test block for "Barney" en Correlation Rx.

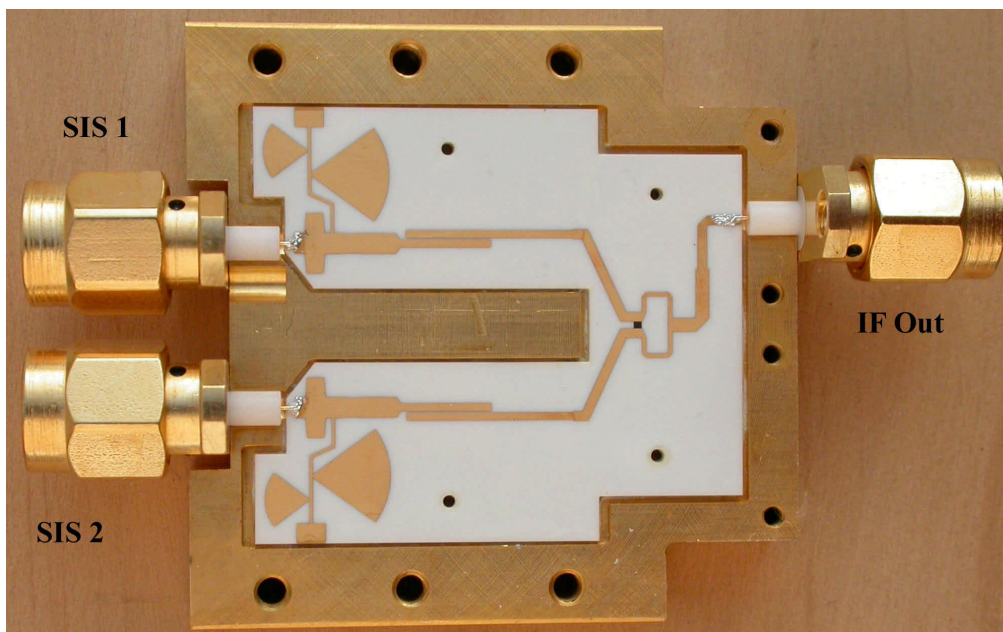


Fig. 2. Balanced IF test block.

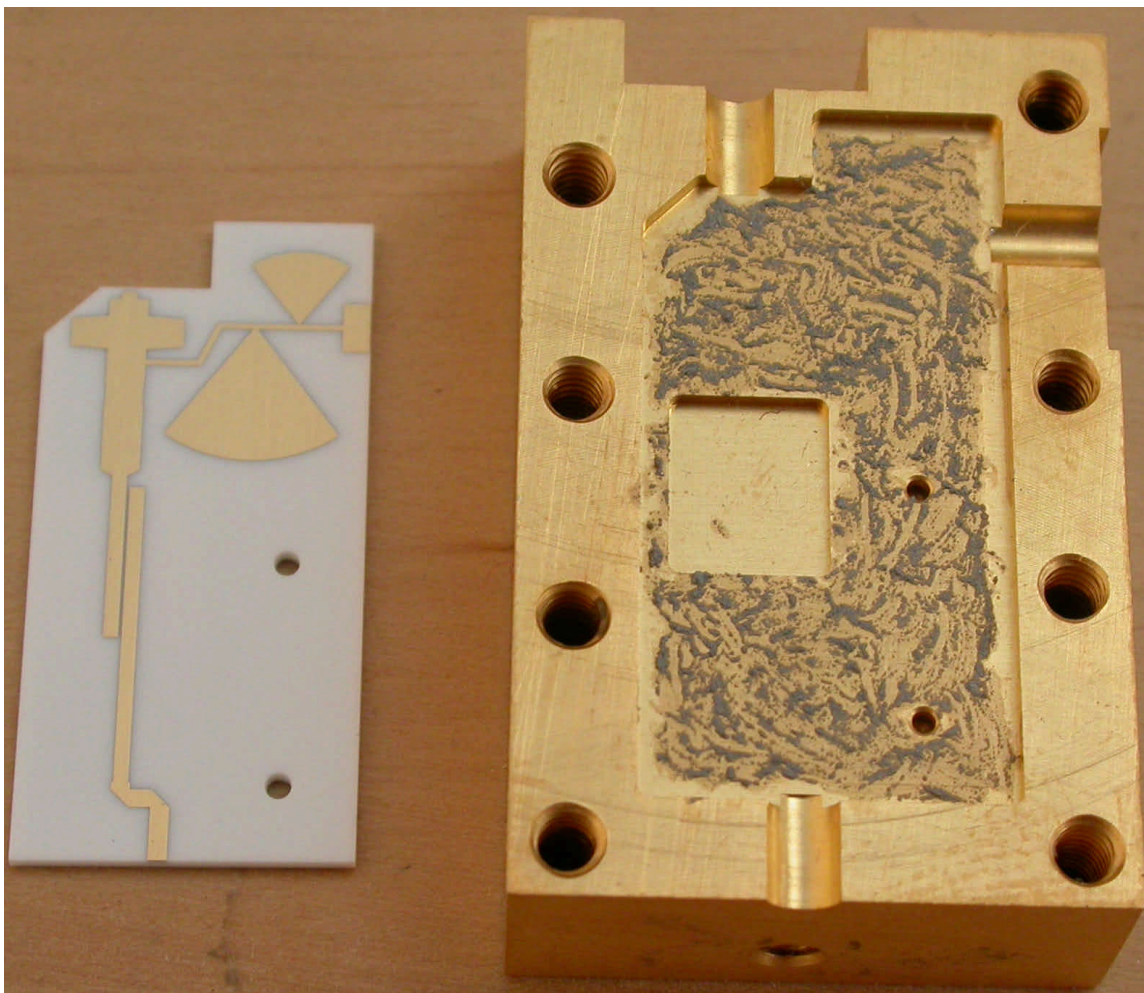


Fig. 3 Single IF test block for "Barney" en Correlation Rx assembly with Indium 290.

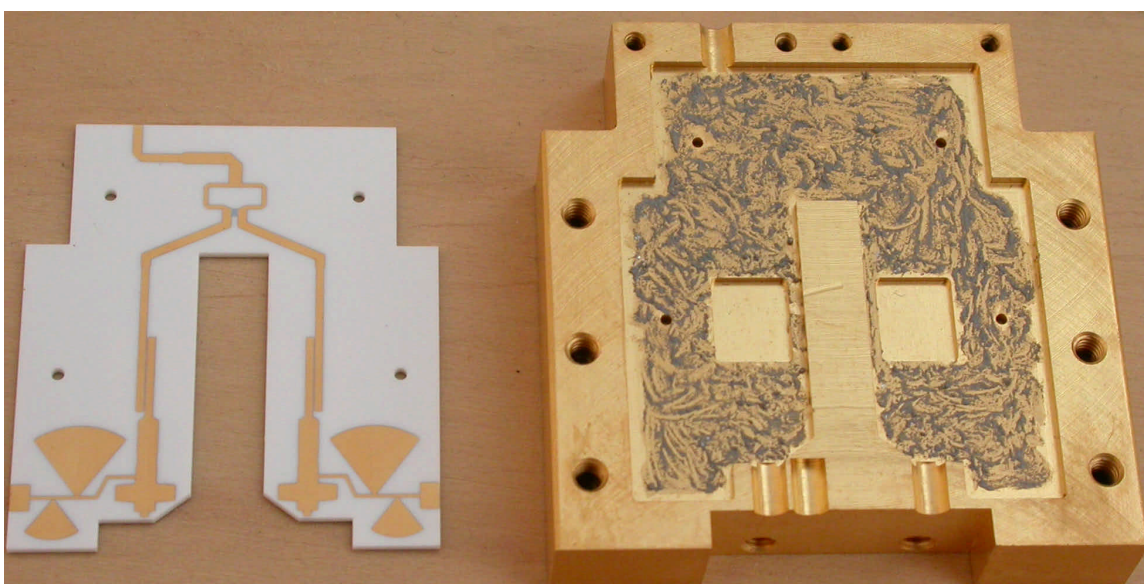


Fig. 4 Balanced IF test block with Indium 290.

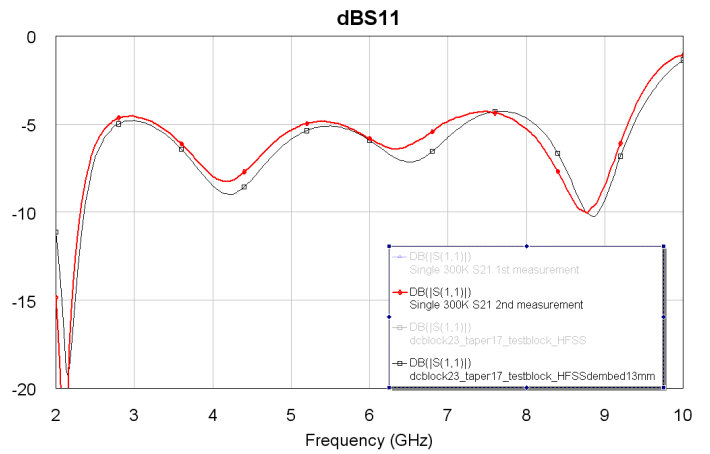
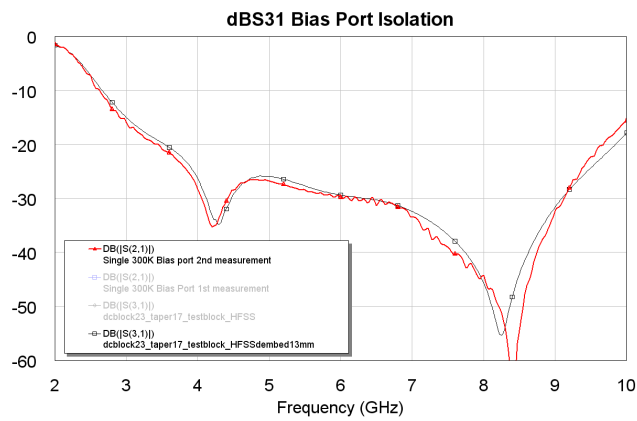
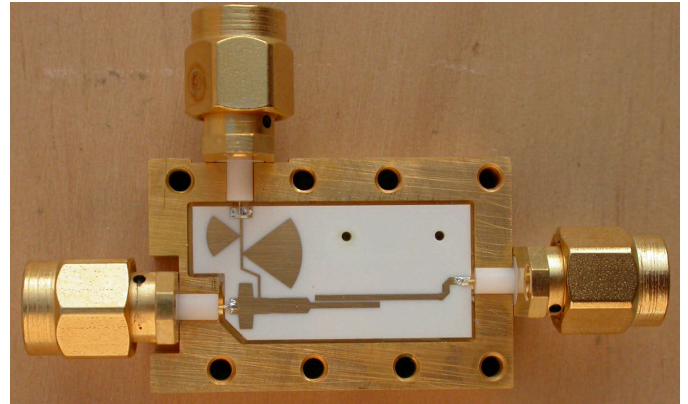
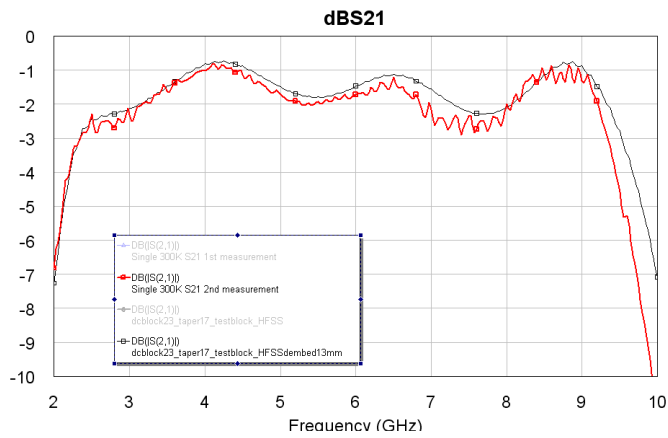


Fig. 5 Measured and Modeled IF response of “Barney” en Correlation Rx.

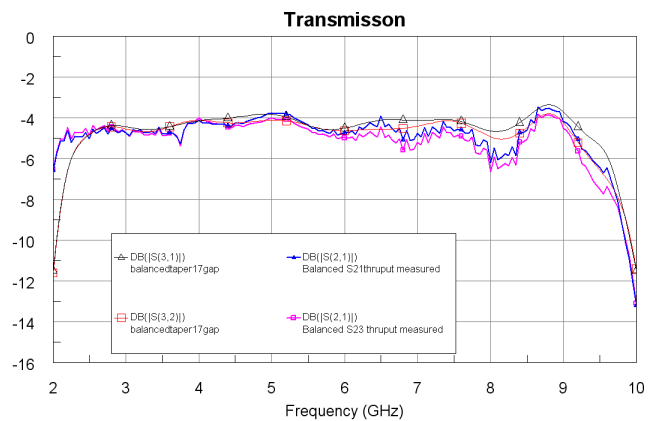
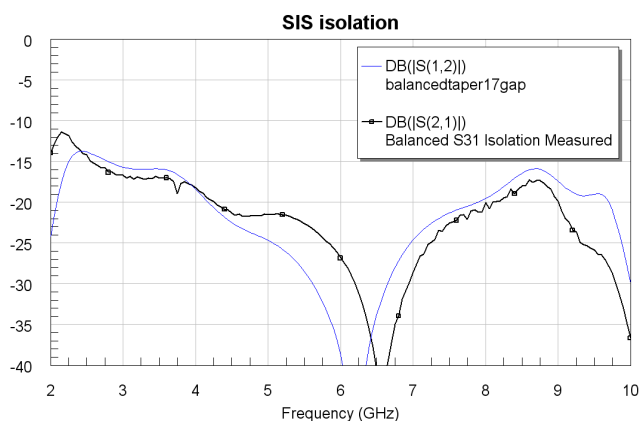
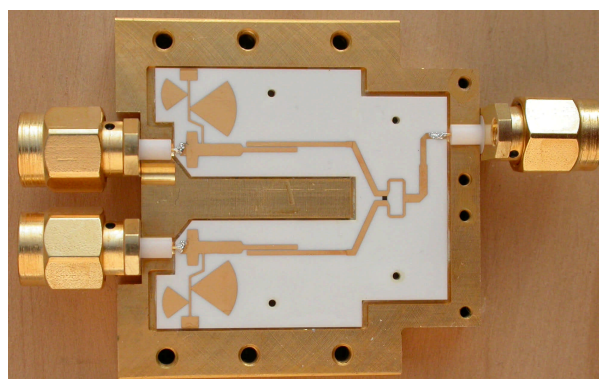
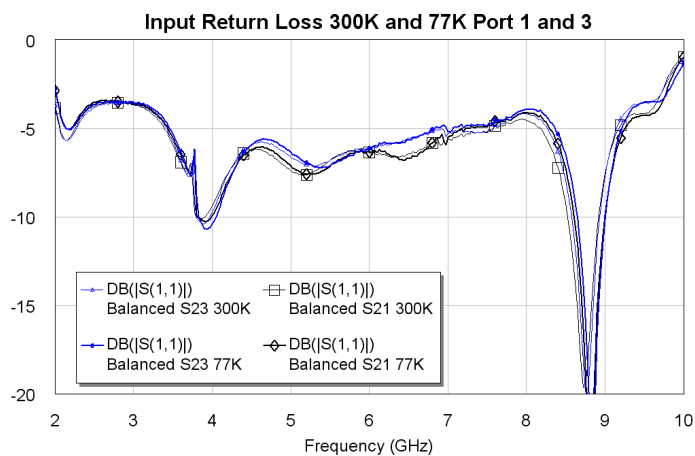


Fig. 6 Measured and Modeled IF response of the Balanced IF.

Temperature Dependence

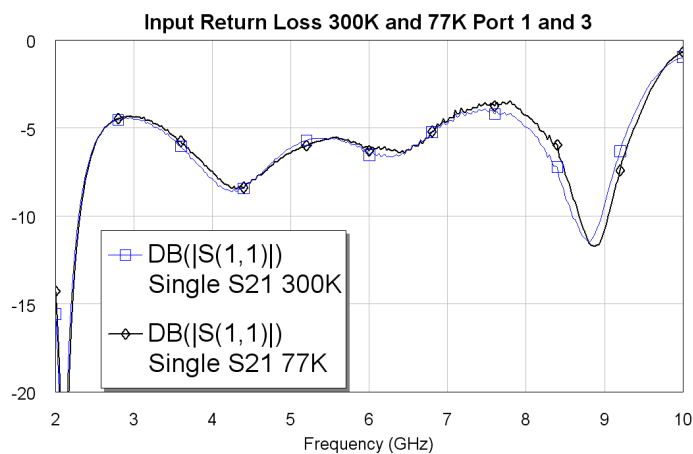
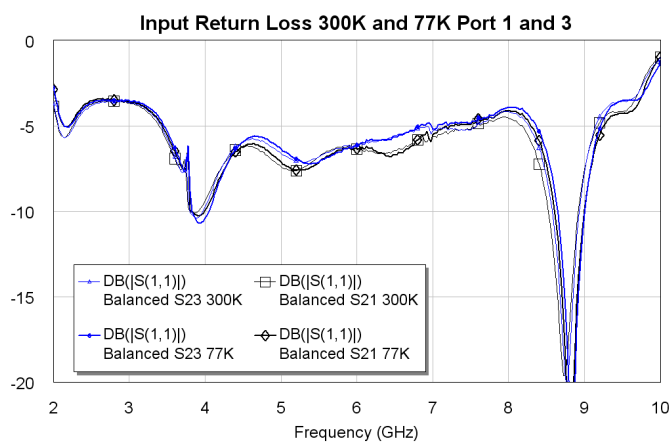


Fig. 7 Input Return Loss (50 Ohm, not 20 Ohm) of the test blocks at 300K and 77K.