	525C-x	ISOMET
	RF Driver	1106

The 525C series Digital Modulation Drivers are designed to operate with Isomet 200MHz high speed AO modulators and frequency shifters for digital (On:Off) control of the laser beam intensity.

Contained in these Drivers are a SAW resonator, a wideband mixer, and a RF Power amplifier. A high speed, balanced ring modulator is used to switch the carrier amplitude under the control of the modulation input. The resulting double sideband AM signal is subsequently amplified by a Class A MOSFET amplifier stage.

Efficient heat transfer from the driver requires that the mounting base be attached to an external heat sink not exceeding 60°C in temperature. The supply to the 525C-2 driver is internally regulated and thus will accept a wide DC power input range. The DC input is not internally regulated on C-L variant.

## **SPECIFICATIONS**

 $50\Omega$  Nominal

TTL compatible

(10mA input current)

2:1 Max

>40dB

± 0.01%

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Output impedance: Load Mismatch VSWR:

RF On-Off Ratio:

Digital Input:

Frequency Accuracy: Frequency Stability:

DC Power Input: 525C-L 525C-2

Temperature Range:

Mounting Orientation: Dimensions: mounting face must not exceed 70°C.

> 2.7V = RF ON, < 0.8V = RF OFF

+9Vdc regulated to  $\pm$  1%, < 250mA

0°C to 60°C ambient, temperature at

+22 to +30Vdc regulated to  $\pm$  1%, < 500mA

See Outline, reverse side.

## PERFORMANCE

Model	Centre Frequency	Minimum <u>Rise Time</u>	RF Drive <u>Power</u>	Supply
525C-L	200MHz	3nsec	>0.45 W	+9V
525C-2	200MHz	3nsec	>2.0 W	+22 to +30V

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