

## Narrow-Band YBCO Superconducting Parallel-Coupled Coplanar Waveguide Band-Pass Filters at 10 GHz

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High-T<sub>c</sub> superconducting coplanar waveguide (CPW) three-pole, four-pole, and five-pole band-pass filters fabricated from in situ sputter deposited YBa<sub>2</sub>Cu<sub>3</sub>O<sub>7-x</sub> thin-films on LaAlO<sub>3</sub> substrates with dimensions 10x25 mm are presented. The design is based on the evaluation of CPW test chips integrating differing resonators and transmission line structures. The measured data were fed into a CAD program using general transmission line elements instead of CPW elements. Both YBCO and gold versions were constructed and mounted in gold-plated brass test fixtures. At liquid nitrogen temperature (77 K), the filters were characterized by center frequencies at 10 GHz and bandwidths smaller than 1.3 %. Total insertion loss and out-of-band rejection values of the complete packaged devices were better than 2.2 dB and 30 dB, respectively.

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