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A passive double-layer microstrip array for the construction of millimeter-wave spatial power-combining amplifiers

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A passive double-layer microstrip array for the construction of millimeter-wave quasioptical amplifiers has been demonstrated. A total insertion loss of 3.1 dB was measured for a 138 element divider/combiner at 35.1 GHz. The 3-dB bandwidth is larger than 1 GHz. The array incorporates microstrip-slot-microstrip transitions with an insertion loss of 0.2 dB at the design frequency and microstrip patch antennas with an estimated efficiency of approximately 72%.

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