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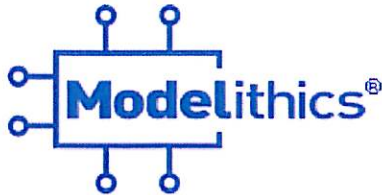
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New Broad-Band Data and Models Available for Piconics Conical Inductors

Piconics and Modelithics Release New Broad-band Data and Models for a Series of Conical Inductors

Tyngsboro, MA and Tampa, FL (December 15, 2010) Piconics and Modelithics have released new broad-band, 0.04 to 65 GHz, data and models for a six different conical inductor products. Measured data, acquired using series and shunt mount fixtures, is now available for free download from Modelithics website at <http://www.modelithics.com/mvp/Piconics/>. Broad-band equivalent circuit models for these same conical inductor products were also developed and will be included with version 8.0 of Modelithics COMPLETE Library of active and passive microwave component models. Version 8.0 of Modelithics COMPLETE Library is anticipated in Q1 with compatibility options for Agilent Advanced Design System and Genesys, as well as AWR Microwave Office Software.

Brian Goodhue, VP of Engineering at Piconics commented that "our customers have been requesting broader-band data and models for our popular conical inductors and we were very pleased to be able to provide this updated design information for them through our partnering with Modelithics." Modelithics President and CEO Larry Dunleavy commented that, "we are delighted to add Piconics as a new Modelithics Vendor Partner (MVP) this year and look forward to supporting our mutual customers efforts to improve their design efficiency through better data and models for critical components such as are available from Piconics



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