

# BIPOLAR ANALOG INTEGRATED CIRCUIT

# $\mu$ PC8116GR

## 500 MHz, AM/ASK RECEIVER IC

### DESCRIPTION

The  $\mu$ PC8116GR is a Silicon monolithic IC designed for AM/ASK receiver. This IC consists of mixer, oscillator, IF amplifier, Limiter amplifier, OP Amp., and builds in power save function and RSSI function.

The 20-pin plastic SSOP package is suitable for high-density surface mounting.

This IC is manufactured using NEC's 20 GHz fr NESAT™III silicon bipolar process. This process uses direct silicon nitride passivation film and gold electrodes. These materials can protect the chip surface from pollution and prevent corrosion/migration. Thus, this IC realizes excellent performance, uniformity and reliability.

### FEATURES

- Supply voltage :  $V_{CC} = 2.7$  to  $5.5$  V
- Low current consumption :  $I_{CC} = 4.1$  mA TYP. @  $V_{CC} = V_{PS} = 3.0$  V
- Wideband response :  $f_{RF} = 100$  to  $500$  MHz
- Power save function :  $I_{CCPS} = 1$   $\mu$ A MAX. @  $V_{CC} = 3.0$  V,  $PS = 0$  V
- High-density surface mounting : 20-pin plastic SSOP ( $6.7 \times 4.4 \times 1.5$  mm)

### ORDERING INFORMATION

Part Number	Package	Supplying Form
$\mu$ PC8116GR-E1	20-pin plastic SSOP (5.72 mm (225))	Embossed tape 12 mm wide. Pin 1 is in tape pull-out direction. QTY 2.5 kpcs/reel.

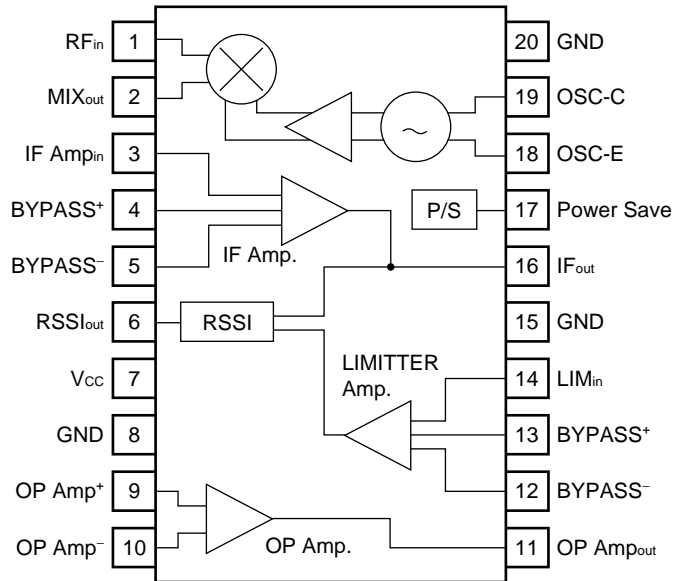
**Remark** To order evaluation samples, please contact your local NEC sales office. (Part number for sample order:  $\mu$ PC8116GR)

### Caution Electro-static sensitive devices

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PIN CONNECTIONS AND INTERNAL BLOCK DIAGRAM

(Top View)



**ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS**

Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	Ratings	Unit
Supply Voltage	V <sub>CC</sub>	T <sub>A</sub> = +25°C	6.0	V
Power Dissipation	P <sub>D</sub>	Mounted on double-sided copper clad 50 × 50 × 1.6 mm epoxy glass PWB at T <sub>A</sub> = +85°C	430	mW
Operating Ambient Temperature	T <sub>A</sub>		-40 to +85	°C
Storage Temperature	T <sub>stg</sub>		-55 to +150	°C

**RECOMMENDED OPERATING RANGE**

Parameter	Symbol	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	Unit
Supply Voltage	V <sub>CC</sub>	2.7	3.0	5.5	V
Operating Ambient Temperature	T <sub>A</sub>	-40	+25	+85	°C

**ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (Unless otherwise specified, T<sub>A</sub> = +25°C, V<sub>CC</sub> = V<sub>PS</sub> = 3 V)**

Parameter	Symbol	Test Conditions	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	Unit
<b>Total Block</b>						
Circuit Current	I <sub>CC</sub>	no signals <b>Note 1</b>	2.6	4.1	5.7	mA
RSSI Sensitivity	RSSI <sub>sen</sub>	f <sub>RF</sub> = 315 MHz, f <sub>OSC</sub> = 304.3 MHz, P <sub>OSC</sub> = -10 dBm, ΔV <sub>RSSI</sub> ≥ 3 mV/dB <b>Note 1</b>	-	-95	-90	dBm
Powersave Current	I <sub>PS</sub>	17 pin = GND <b>Note 1</b>	-	-	1.0	μA
<b>Mixer Block</b>						
RF Input Band Width	BW <sub>RF</sub>	f <sub>IF</sub> = 10.7 MHz, f <sub>RF</sub> > f <sub>OSC</sub> , -3 dB down <b>Note 2</b>	100	-	500	MHz
LO Input Band Width	BW <sub>LO</sub>	f <sub>IF</sub> = 10.7 MHz, f <sub>RF</sub> > f <sub>OSC</sub> , -3 dB down <b>Note 2</b>	100	-	500	MHz
Mixer Gain	G <sub>MIX</sub>	f <sub>RF</sub> = 315 MHz, P <sub>RF</sub> = -50 dBm, f <sub>OSC</sub> = 304.3MHz, P <sub>osc</sub> = -10 dBm, Input:LC matching <b>Note 1</b>	8	11	14	dB
<b>IF Amp. Block</b>						
IF Output Band Width	BW <sub>IF</sub>	P <sub>in</sub> = -80 dBm, -3dB down <b>Note 2</b>	0.3	-	15	MHz
<b>OP Amp. Block</b>						
OP Amp. Band Width	BW <sub>OP</sub>	P <sub>in</sub> = -50 dBm, -3dB down <b>Note 2</b>	1	-	-	MHz
OP Amp. Gain	G <sub>OP</sub>	f <sub>in</sub> = 200 kHz, P <sub>in</sub> = -50 dBm <b>Note 2</b>	50	57	-	dB

**Notes 1.** By test circuit 1

**2.** By test circuit 2

**STANDARD CHARACTERISTICS (Unless otherwise specified, T<sub>A</sub> = +25°C, V<sub>CC</sub> = V<sub>P/S</sub> = 3.0 V)**

Parameter	Symbol	Test conditions	Value for reference	Unit
IF Amplifier Gain	G <sub>IF</sub>	f <sub>in</sub> = 10.7 MHz, P <sub>in</sub> = -100 dBm, Input:LC Matching <b>Note</b>	55	dB
RSSI Linearity	ΔRSSI/ ΔP <sub>RF</sub>	f <sub>RF</sub> = 315 MHz, f <sub>OSC</sub> = 304.3 MHz, P <sub>OSC</sub> = -10 dBm, P <sub>RF</sub> = -30 to -90 dBm <b>Note</b>	±3	dB
LO to RF Isolation	LO-RF <sub>ISL</sub>	f <sub>OSC</sub> = 304.3 MHz/-10 dBm <b>Note</b>	-50	dBm
RF to LO Isolation	RF-LO <sub>ISL</sub>	f <sub>RF</sub> = 315 MHz/-30 dBm <b>Note</b>	-50	dBm

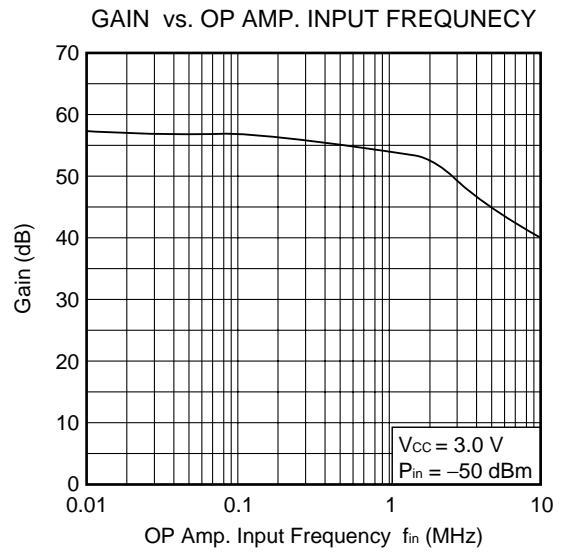
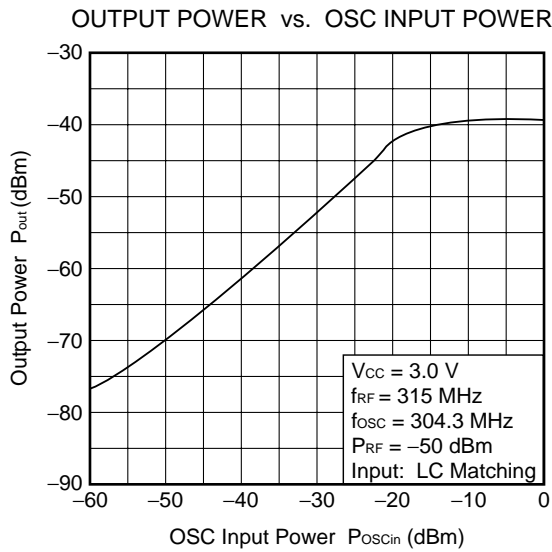
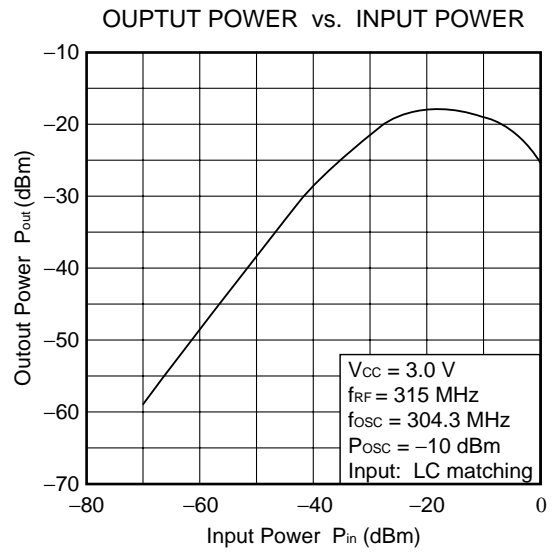
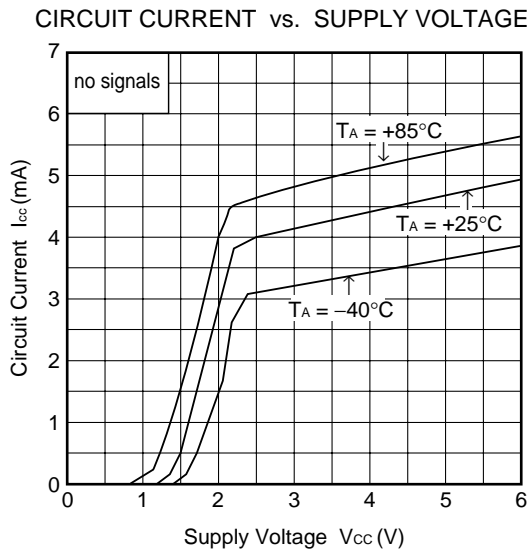
**Note** By test circuit 1

PIN EXPLANATION

Pin No.	Pin Name	Pin Voltage (V)	Function and Application	Internal Equivalent Circuit
1	RF <sub>in</sub>	1.95	Input pin of RF Mixer.	
2	MIX <sub>out</sub>	2.1	Output pin of Mixer. This pin is assigned for emitter follower output with Low-impedance.	
3	IF Amp <sub>in</sub>	2.38	Input pin of IF Amplifier.	
4	BYPASS <sup>+</sup>	2.38	Bypass pin for IF Amplifier. Capacitor for filter should be connected between 4 pin and 5 pin.	
5	BYPASS <sup>-</sup>	2.38		
6	RSSI <sub>out</sub>	0.9	RSSI signal output pin.	
7	V <sub>cc</sub>	-	Supply voltage pin.	
8	GND	-	Ground pin of OP Amp Block.	
9	OP Amp <sup>+</sup>	2.1	Input pin of OP Amp. In case of single input, 9 pin or 10 pin should be grounded through capacitor.	
10	OP Amp <sup>-</sup>	2.1		

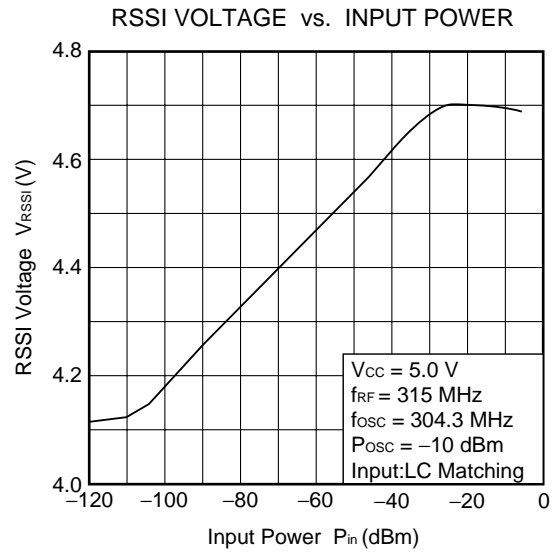
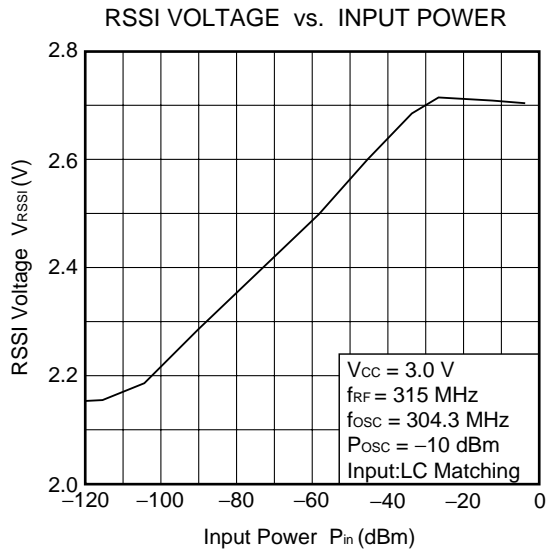
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11	OP Amp <sub>out</sub>	0.77	Output pin of OP Amp.							
12	BYPASS <sup>-</sup>	2.38	Bypass pin for OP Amp. Capacitor for filter should be connected between 12 pin and 13 pin.							
13	BYPASS <sup>+</sup>	2.38								
14	LIM <sub>in</sub>	2.38	Input pin of Limiter Amplifier.							
15	GND	-	Ground pin of Limiter Amp., RSSI, and regulator.							
16	IF <sub>out</sub>	1.55	IF signal output pin. Generally, Crystal filter is connected between 16 pin and 14 pin.							
17	Power Save	0 to 3.0	Power save control pin can be controlled ON/SLEEP state with bias as follows; <table border="1" style="margin: 10px auto;"> <thead> <tr> <th>V<sub>PS</sub> (V)</th> <th>STATE</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>V<sub>CC</sub></td> <td>ON</td> </tr> <tr> <td>GND</td> <td>SLEEP</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	V <sub>PS</sub> (V)	STATE	V <sub>CC</sub>	ON	GND	SLEEP	
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V <sub>CC</sub>	ON									
GND	SLEEP									
18	OSC-E	1.31	Oscillator signal input pins. Oscillator circuit should be connected between 18 pin and 19 pin.							
19	OSC-C	3.0								
20	GND	-			Ground pin of Mixer, IF Amplifier, and Oscillator.					

**TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS (Unless otherwise specified,  $T_A = +25^\circ\text{C}$ ,  $V_{CC} = 3.0\text{ V}$ )**

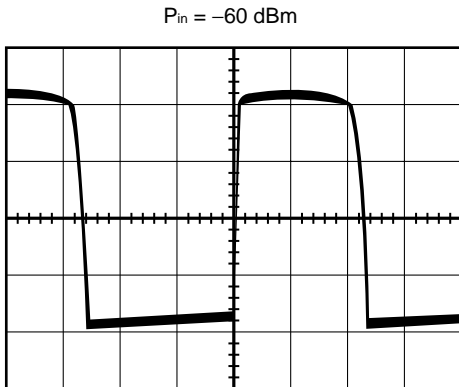


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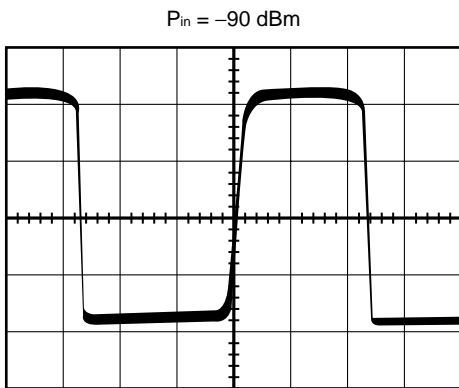
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OP Amplifier Output



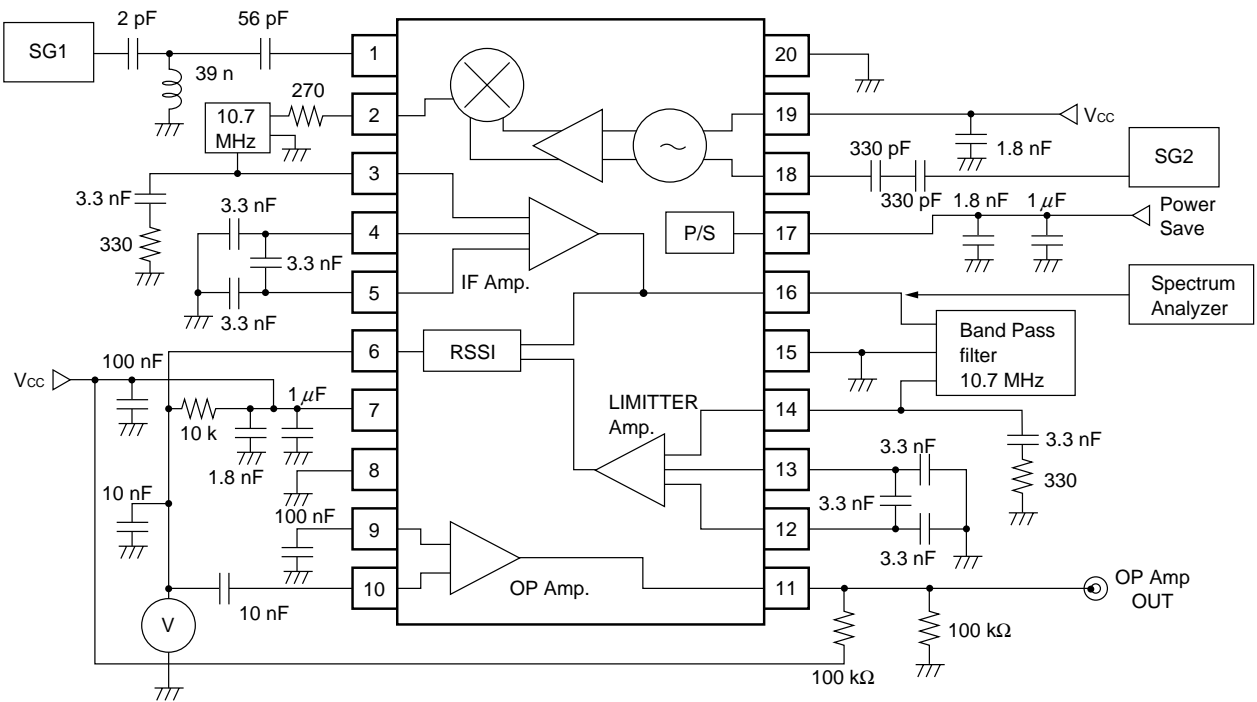
Test Conditions:  $f_{RF} = 315\text{ MHz}$   
 $f_{OSC} = 304.3\text{ MHz}$   
 AM : 1 kHz, 90%  
 $V_{CC} = 3.0\text{ V}$



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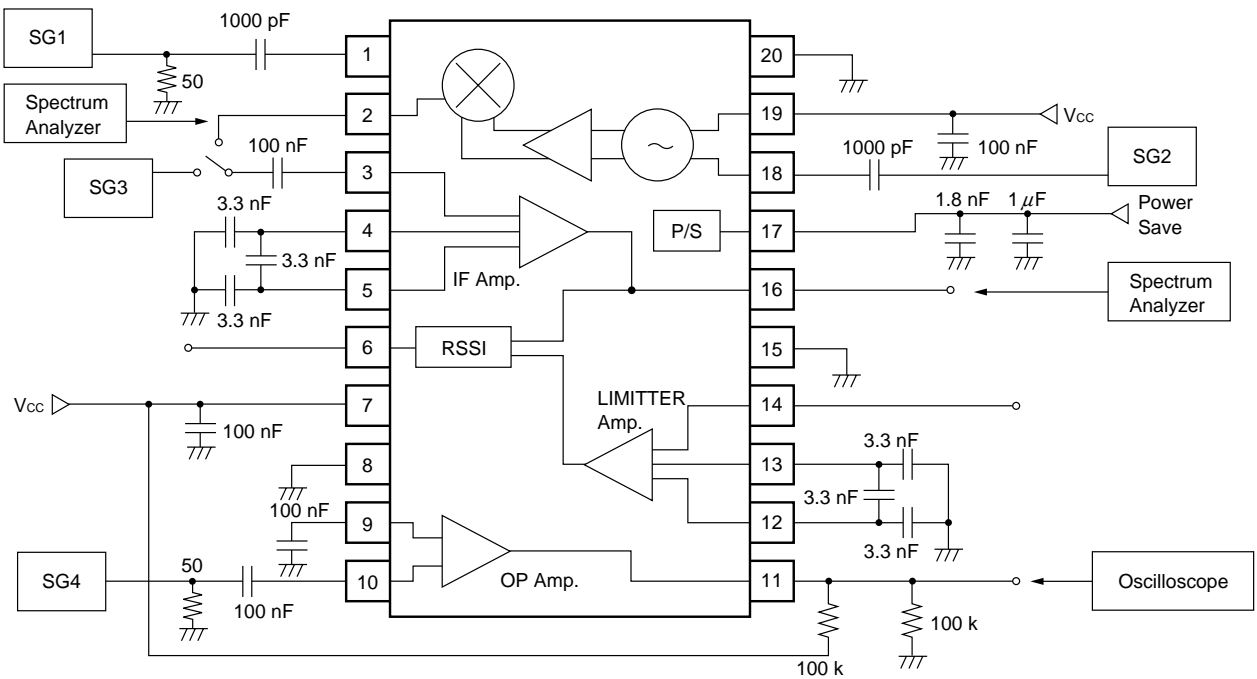


TEST CIRCUIT1



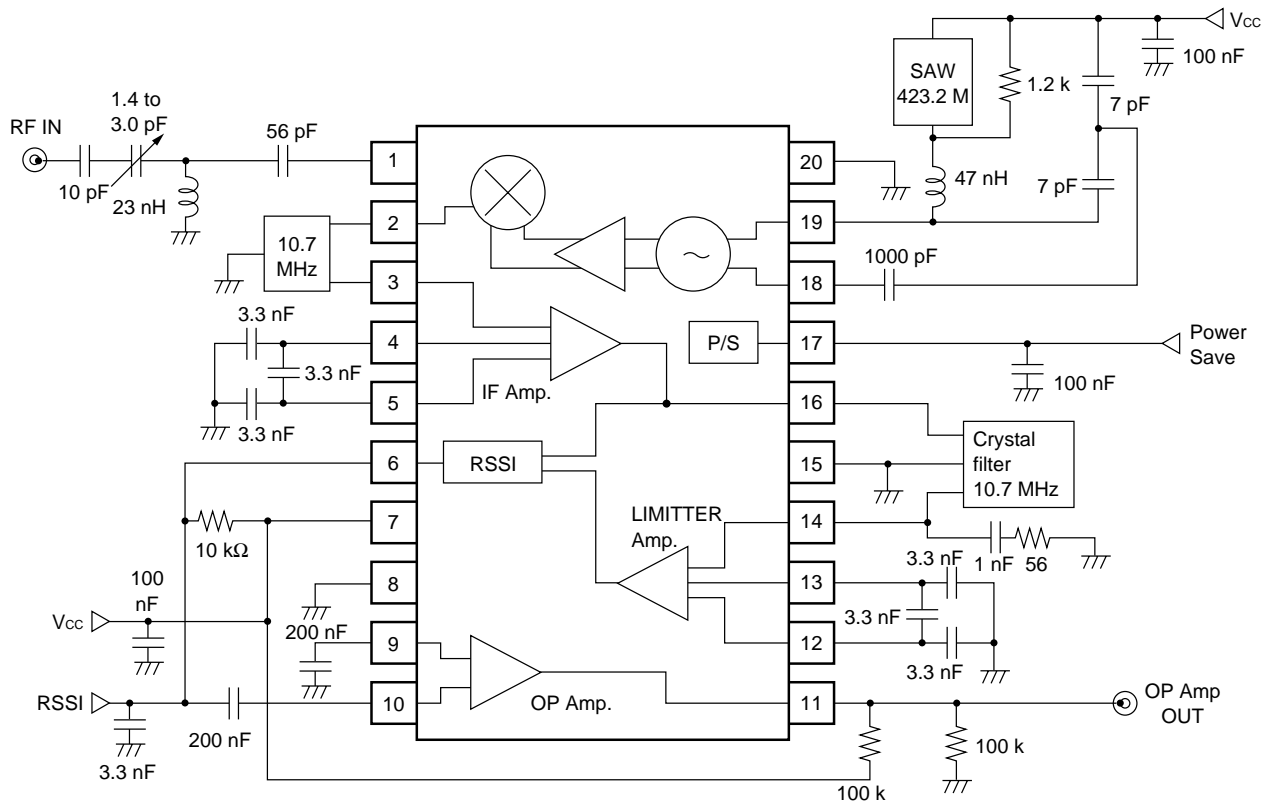
- Remarks**
1. Measured by High-impedance Probe (1 MHz, 1.5pF)
  2. 17 pin: GND, 11 pin: OPEN in case of measurement of powersave current

TEST CIRCUIT2



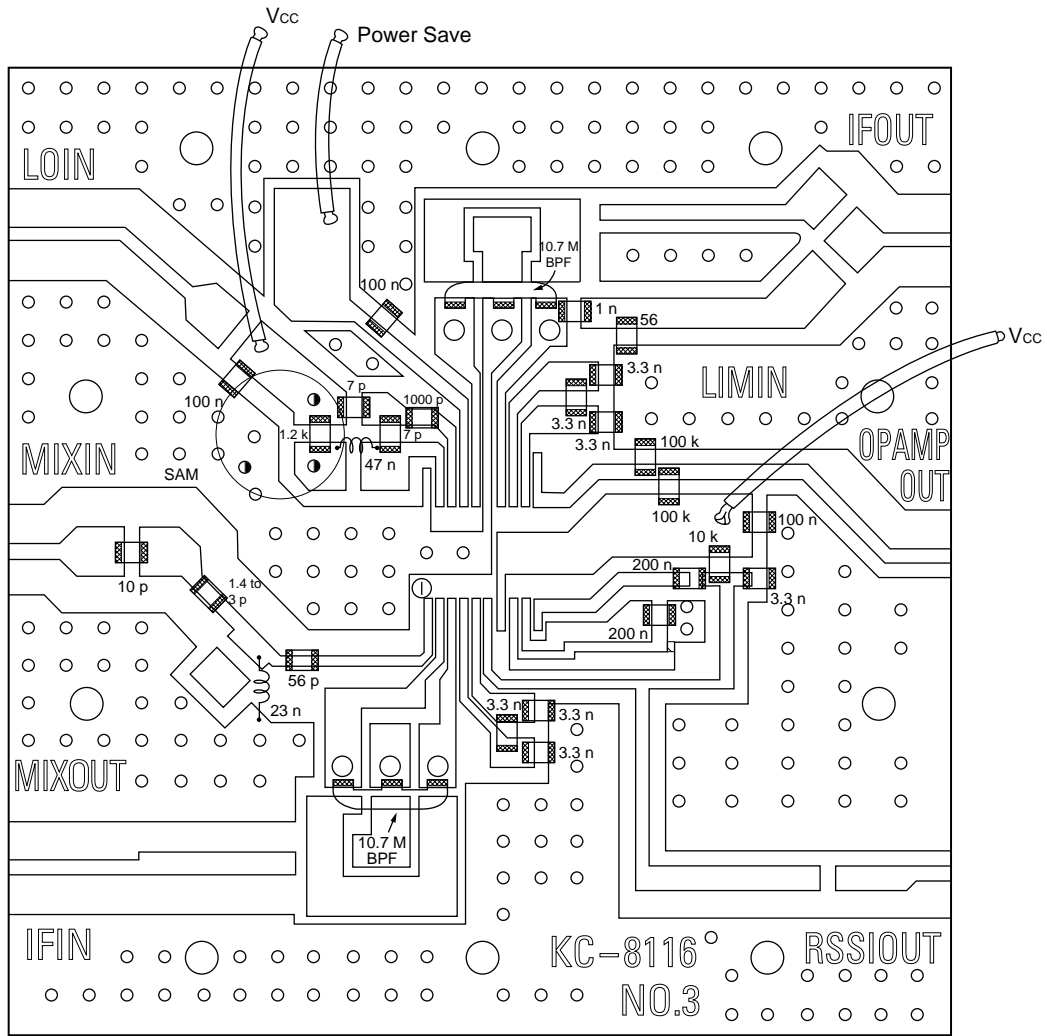
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APPLICATION CIRCUIT EXAMPLE (@f<sub>RF</sub> = 433.6 MHz)



The application circuits and their parameters are for reference only and are not intended for use in actual design-ins.

ILLUSTRATION OF THE APPLICATION CIRCUIT ASSEMBLED ON EVALUATION BOARD

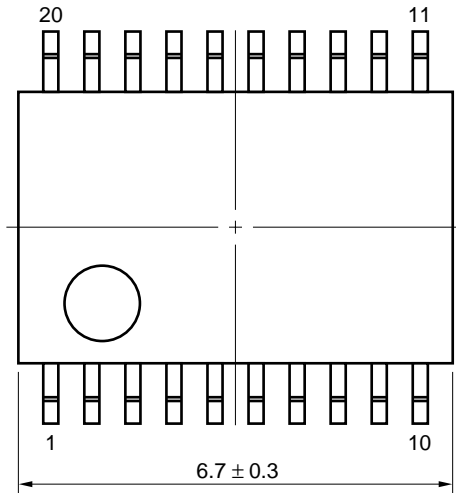


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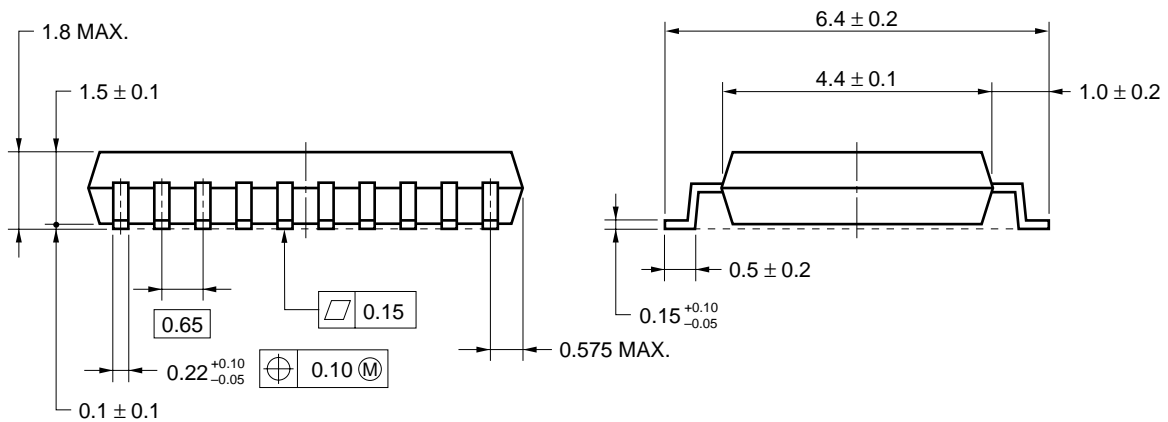
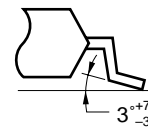
- \*1) Backside is GND pattern
- \*2) ○ shows through holes
- \*3) ▨ pattern should be removed on this application
- \*4) ▩ shows short circuited strip for ground

PACKAGE DIMENSIONS

20 PIN PLASTIC SSOP (5.72 mm (225)) (UNIT: mm)



detail of lead end



**NOTE** Each lead centerline is located within 0.10 mm of its true position (T.P.) at maximum material condition.

**NOTE ON CORRECT USE**

- (1) Observe precautions for handling because of electro-static sensitive devices.
- (2) Form a ground pattern as wide as possible to minimize ground impedance (to prevent abnormal oscillation).
- (3) Keep the track length of the ground pins as short as possible.
- (4) Connect a bypass capacitor (example: 1 000 pF) to the Vcc pin.
- (5) Frequency signal input/output pins must be each coupled with capacitor for DC cut.

**RECOMMENDED SOLDERING CONDITIONS**

This product should be soldered under the following recommended conditions. For soldering methods and conditions other than those recommended below, contact your NEC sales representative.

Soldering Method	Soldering Conditions	Recommended Condition Symbol
Infrared Reflow	Package peak temperature: 235°C or below Time: 30 seconds or less (at 210°C) Count: 3, Exposure limit: None <sup>Note</sup>	IR35-00-3
VPS	Package peak temperature: 215°C or below Time: 40 seconds or less (at 200°C) Count: 3, Exposure limit: None <sup>Note</sup>	VP15-00-3
Wave Soldering	Soldering bath temperature: 260°C or below Time: 10 seconds or less Count: 1, Exposure limit: None <sup>Note</sup>	WS60-00-1
Partial Heating	Pin temperature: 300°C Time: 3 seconds or less (per side of device) Exposure limit: None <sup>Note</sup>	—

**Note** After opening the dry pack, keep it in a place below 25°C and 65% RH for the allowable storage period.

**Caution** Do not use different soldering methods together (except for partial heating).

For details of recommended soldering conditions for surface mounting, refer to information document SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE MOUNTING TECHNOLOGY MANUAL (C10535E).

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