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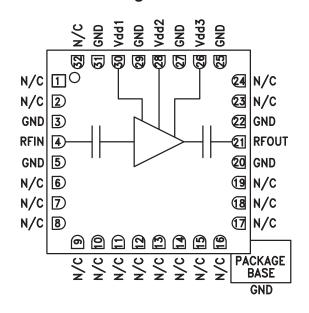
SMT PHEMT LOW NOISE AMPLIFIER, 9 - 18 GHz

Typical Applications

The HMC516LC5 is ideal for use as a LNA or driver amplifier for:

- Point-to-Point Radios
- Point-to-Multi-Point Radios & VSAT
- Test Equipment and Sensors
- Military

Functional Diagram



Features

Noise Figure: 2 dB

Gain: 20 dB OIP3: +25 dBm

Single Supply: +3V @ 65 mA 50 Ohm Matched Input/Output RoHS Compliant 5x5 mm Package

General Description

The HMC516LC5 is a high dynamic range GaAs pHEMT MMIC Low Noise Amplifier (LNA) housed in a leadless "Pb free" RoHS compliant SMT package. The HMC516LC5 provides 20 dB of small signal gain, 2 dB of noise figure and has an output IP3 of +25 dBm. The P1dB output power of +13 dBm enables the LNA to also function as a LO driver for balanced, I/Q or image reject mixers. The HMC516LC5 allows the use of surface mount manufacturing techniques.

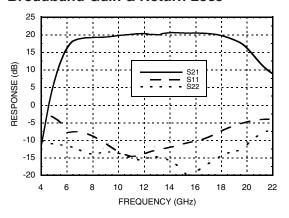
Electrical Specifications, $T_{\Delta} = +25^{\circ}$ C, Vdd 1, 2, 3 = +3V

| Parameter | Min. | Тур. | Max. | Min. | Тур. | Max. | Units |
|--|------|--------|-------|---------|-------|-------|--------|
| Frequency Range | | 9 - 12 | | 12 - 18 | | | GHz |
| Gain | 17.5 | 20 | | 18 | 20.5 | | dB |
| Gain Variation Over Temperature | | 0.015 | 0.025 | | 0.015 | 0.025 | dB/ °C |
| Noise Figure | | 2.0 | 2.5 | | 2.0 | 2.5 | dB |
| Input Return Loss | | 10 | | | 10 | | dB |
| Output Return Loss | | 12 | | | 12 | | dB |
| Output Power for 1 dB Compression (P1dB) | | 13 | | | 14 | | dBm |
| Saturated Output Power (Psat) | | 15 | | | 16 | | dBm |
| Output Third Order Intercept (IP3) | | 25 | | | 25 | | dBm |
| Supply Current (Idd)(Vdd = +3V) | | 65 | 88 | | 65 | 88 | mA |

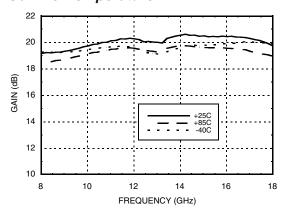


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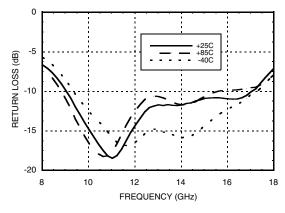
Broadband Gain & Return Loss



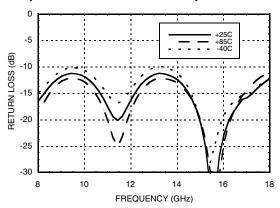
Gain vs. Temperature



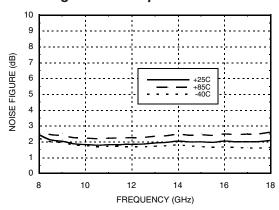
Input Return Loss vs. Temperature



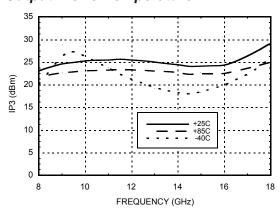
Output Return Loss vs. Temperature



Noise Figure vs. Temperature



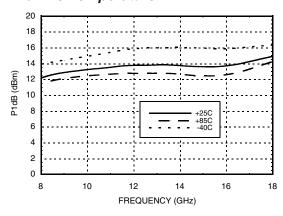
Output IP3 vs. Temperature



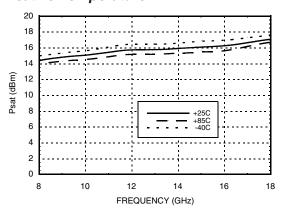


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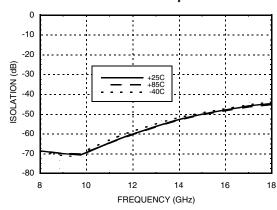
P1dB vs. Temperature



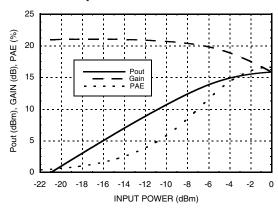
Psat vs. Temperature



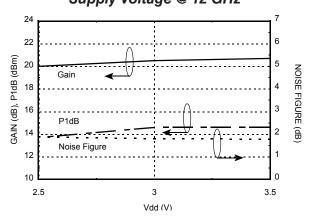
Reverse Isolation vs. Temperature



Power Compression @ 12 GHz



Gain, Noise Figure & Power vs. Supply Voltage @ 12 GHz





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Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Drain Bias Voltage (Vdd1, Vdd2, Vdd3) | +4 Vdc |
|--|----------------|
| RF Input Power (RFIN)(Vdd = +3.0 Vdc) | +5 dBm |
| Channel Temperature | 175 °C |
| Continuous Pdiss (T= 85 °C) (derate 14 mW/°C above 85 °C) | 1.17 W |
| Thermal Resistance (channel to die bottom) | 76.9 °C/W |
| Storage Temperature | -65 to +150 °C |
| Operating Temperature | -40 to +85 °C |
| ESD Sensitivity (HBM) | Class 1A |

Typical Supply Current vs. Vdd

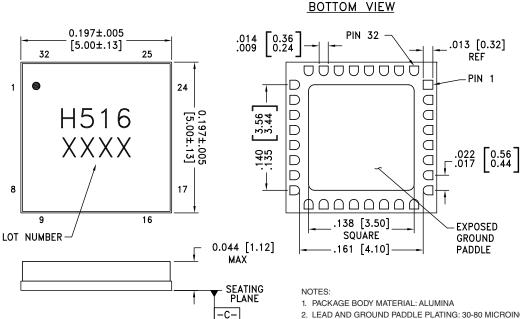
| Vdd (V) | ldd (mA) |
|---------|----------|
| +2.5 | 61 |
| +3.0 | 65 |
| +3.5 | 69 |

Note: Amplifier will operate over full voltage range shown above.



ELECTROSTATIC SENSITIVE DEVICE OBSERVE HANDLING PRECAUTIONS

Outline Drawing



- 2. LEAD AND GROUND PADDLE PLATING: 30-80 MICROINCHES GOLD OVER 50 MICROINCHES MINIMUM NICKEL
- 3. DIMENSIONS ARE IN INCHES [MILLIMETERS]
- 4. LEAD SPACING TOLERANCE IS NON-CUMULATIVE
- 5. PACKAGE WARP SHALL NOT EXCEED 0.05mm DATUM
- 6. ALL GROUND LEADS AND GROUND PADDLE MUST BE SOLDERED TO PCB RF GROUND

Package Information

| Part Number | Package Body Material | Lead Finish | MSL Rating | Package Marking [2] |
|-------------|-----------------------|------------------|------------|---------------------|
| HMC516LC5 | Alumina, White | Gold over Nickel | MSL3 [1] | H516 XXXX |

^[1] Max peak reflow temperature of 260 $^{\circ}\text{C}$

^{[2] 4-}Digit lot number XXXX



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Pin Descriptions

| Pin Number | Function | Description | Interface Schematic |
|---------------------------------|------------|---|---------------------|
| 1, 2, 6 - 19, 23 - 24, 32 | GND | This pin may be connected to RF/DC ground. Performance will not be affected. | |
| 4 | RFIN | This pin is AC coupled and matched to 50 Ohms. | RFIN ○── |
| 30, 28, 26 | Vdd1, 2, 3 | Power Supply Voltage for the amplifier. External bypass capacitors of 100 pF and 2.2 μF are required. | Vdd1,2,3 |
| 21 | RFOUT | This pin is AC coupled and matched to 50 Ohms. | — —○ RFOUT |
| 3, 5, 20, 22, 25, 27, 29, 31 | GND | These pins and package bottom must be connected to RF/DC ground. | = GND |

Application Circuit

