

MMIC, LOW NOISE, SHUTDOWN FEATURE

Monolithic Amplifier

TSY-173LN+

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THE BIG DEAL

- Positive Gain Slope
- Shutdown Feature
- Excellent Noise Figure, 1.2dB Typ.
- Built-In ESD Protection Circuits (Class 1C)

50Ω 13.5 to 17 GHz

Low Current Operation, 13.2mA



Generic photo used for illustration purposes only CASE STYLE: MC1630-1

+ROHS Compliant The +Suffix identifies RoHS Compliance. See our web site for RoHS Compliance methodologies and qualifications

APPLICATIONS

- Point to Point ODU System
- Fixed Satellite
- Radio Location
- Mobile

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The TSY-173LN+ is a GaAs E-PHEMT based low noise MMIC Amplifier with shutdown feature with a unique combination of low noise (1.2dB Typ.), and Low Current (13.2mA Typ.) It is suitable for receiver application. This design operates on a single supply of 3V. It is well-matched to 50Ω and comes in a tiny, low profile package (2x2mm 6 Lead), accommodating dense circuit board layouts.

KEY FEATURES

| Feature | Advantages | | | |
|---|--|--|--|--|
| Low noise, 1.2dB Typical from 13.5 – 17GHz | Enables lower system noise figure performance. | | | |
| Positive Gain Slope vs. Frequency +0.6 dB/GHz from 13.5 GHz to 15 GHz +0.4 dB/GHz from 15 GHz to 17 GHz | Useful for compensating negative gain slope of most wideband microwave components and eliminating the need for equalization. | | | |
| Shutdown Feature | Allow users to turn on and off the amplifier with pulsed signals while keeping the power supply at constant voltage. | | | |
| Integrated DC Blocks and Bias-Tee | Saves motherboard space and minimizes overall cost. Very User Friendly. | | | |
| Small Size (2x2 mm 6L MCLP) | Tiny footprint saves space in dense layouts while providing low inductance, repeatable transitions, and excel- lent thermal contact to the PCB. | | | |

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ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS¹ AT 25°C, 50Ω, UNLESS NOTED

| Parameter | Condition (GHz) | Amplifier - ON | | | Amplifier- OFF | Units | |
|---|-----------------|----------------|--------------|------|----------------|---------|--|
| Falameter | Condition (GHZ) | Min. Typ. | | Max. | Тур. | Onits | |
| Frequency range | | 13.5 | | 17 | 13.5-17 | GHz | |
| | 13.5 | | 1.2 | | _ | | |
| | 14 | | 1.2 | | | | |
| Noise Figure | 15 | | 1.1 | | | dB | |
| | 16 | | 1.2 | | - | | |
| | 17 | | 1.2 | | _ | | |
| | 13.5 | 14.2 | 15.6 | 17 | -14.8 | | |
| | 14 | | 16 | | -14.7 | | |
| Gain | 15 | 15.1 | 16.5 | 18 | -15.1 | dB | |
| | 16 | | 16.8 | | -15.6 | | |
| | 17 | 15.2 | 16.7 | 18.2 | -16.7 | | |
| | 13.5 | | 16.4 | | 2.6 | | |
| | 14 | | 18.9 | | 2.7 | | |
| Input Return Loss | 15 | | 18.8 | | 3.1 | dB | |
| | 16 | | 15.4 | | 3.3 | | |
| | 17 | | 16.6 | | 3.2 | | |
| | 13.5 | | 11.7 | | 8.8 | dB | |
| | 14 | | 14.9 | | 8.0 | | |
| Output Return Loss | 15 | | 21.4 | | 6.0 | | |
| | 16 | | 20.3 | | 5.9 | | |
| | 17 | | 16 | | 5.2 | | |
| | 13.5 | | 9.3 | | - | | |
| Output P1dB | 14 | | 9.4 | | - | dBm | |
| (AMP-ON) | 15 | | 8.7 | | - | | |
| | 16 | | 8.4 | | - | | |
| | 17 13.5 | | 6.6 | | | | |
| | 13.5 | | 22.4 22.9 | | _ | | |
| Output IP3 | 14 | | 22.9 | | _ | dBm | |
| (Pout = -10 dBm/Tone) | 16 | | 24.2 | | _ | UDIII | |
| | 17 | | 21.9 | | _ | | |
| Device Operating Voltage(VDD) | | 2.75 | 3 | 3.25 | 3 | V | |
| Device Operating Current (IDD) | | | 13.2 | 19 | 0.00012 | mA | |
| Control Voltage (VC) | | 2.25 | 2.5 | 2.75 | 0 | V | |
| Control Current (IC) | | | 0.56 | | 0 | mA | |
| DC Current (IDD) Variation Vs. Temperature ² | | | 11.54 | | _ | uA/deg(| |
| DC Current (IDD) Variation Vs. Voltage ³ | | | 0.014 | | _ | mA/mV | |
| Thermal Resistance | | | 106.7 | | _ | degC/W | |

1. Measured on Mini-Circuits Characterization Test Board TB-TSY-173LN+. See Characterization Test & Application Circuit (Fig. 1)

2. Device Current Variation vs. Temperature= (Current in mA at 85°C - Current in mA at -45°C)/130°C

3. Device Current Variation vs. Voltage = (Current in mA at 3.25V – Current in mA at 2.75V) / ((3.25V-2.75V)*1000 mA/mV)

MAXIMUM RATINGS⁴

| Parameter | Ratings | | |
|-------------------------------------|----------------|--|--|
| Operating temperature (ground lead) | -40°C to 85°C | | |
| Storage temperature | -65°C to 150°C | | |
| Junction Temperature | 130°C | | |
| Total power dissipation | 0.42W | | |
| Input power (CW) | +22 dBm | | |
| DC voltage at VC | 3V | | |
| DC voltage at VDD | 8V | | |

4. Permanent damage may occur if any of those limits are exceeded. Electrical maximum ratings are not intended for continuous normal operation.

TRUTH TABLE + SWITCHING TIME SPECIFICATION

| Truth Table | | | VC Typ. | VC Max. | Units |
|---|----------------------------------|------|------------|------------|-------|
| Amplifier- ON | | | 2.5 | 2.75 | V |
| Amplifier -OFF | | | 0 | 0.2 | V |
| Switching Time Parameter | | Min. | Тур. | Max. | Units |
| Amplifier ON to OFF | OFF Time (50% Control to 10% RF) | | 13.7 | | ns |
| | FALL Time (90% RF to 10% RF) | | 8.8 | | ns |
| Amplifier ON Time (50% Control to 90% RF) | | | 52.4 | | ns |
| OFF to ON | RISE Time (10% RF to 90% RF) | | 38.8 | | ns |
| Control Voltage Leakage (Rising Edge) | | | 0.64 | | mV |
| Control Voltage Leakage (Falling Edge) | | | 1.45 | | mV |

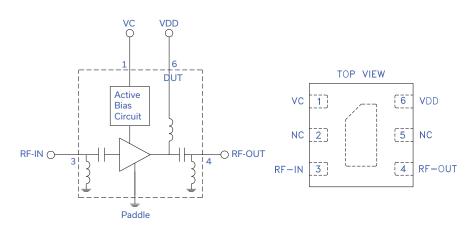
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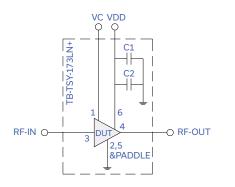
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SIMPLIFIED SCHEMATIC AND PAD DESCRIPTION



| Function | Pad Number | Description (Fig 1) | |
|------------------|---------------|--|--|
| VC | 1 | Control Voltage Pad for Shutdown (VC) | |
| RF - IN | 3 | RF Input Pad | |
| RF-OUT | 4 | RF Output Pad | |
| VDD | 6 | DC Power Supply (VDD) | |
| No Connection | 2 & 5 | Not used internally. Connected to ground on Test Board | |
| Ground | Paddle | Soldered to Ground | |

CHARACTERIZATION TEST & APPLICATION CIRCUIT



| Component | Size | Value | Part Number | Manufacturer |
|-----------|------|-------|--------------------|--------------|
| C1 | 0402 | 0.1uF | GRM155R71C104KA88D | Murata |
| C2 | 0402 | 100pF | GRM1555C1H101JA01D | Murata |

Fig 1. Application and Characterization Circuit

Note: This block diagram is used for characterization. (DUT is soldered on Mini-Circuits Characterization test board TB-TSY-173LN+)

Gain, Return loss, Output power at 1dB compression (P1dB), output IP3 (OIP3) and noise figure measured using Agilent's N5242A PNA-X microwave network analyzer.

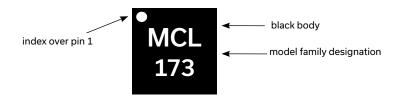
Conditions:

1. Gain and Return loss: Pin= -25dBm

Output IP3 (OIP3): Two tones, spaced 1 MHz apart, -10 dBm/tone at output.
Switching Time: RF Signal: Pin = -10dBm, fRF =15GHz

VDD = 3V, VC = Pulse Signal at 100Hz with Vhigh =2.5V and Vlow =0V & 50% Duty Cycle.

PRODUCT MARKING



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