



# BIPOLAR ANALOG INTEGRATED CIRCUIT $\mu$ PC2794GS

# FREQUENCY DOWN CONVERTER FOR VHF TO UHF BAND TV/VCR TUNER

# DESCRIPTION

The  $\mu$ PC2794GS is a Silicon monolithic IC designed for TV/VCR tuner applications. This IC consists of a double balanced mixer (DBM), local oscillator, preamplifier for precscaler operation, IF amplifier, regulator, UHF/VHF switching circuit, and so on. This one-chip IC covers a wide frequency band from VHF to UHF bands. This IC is packaged in 20-pin SOP (Small Outline Package) suitable for surface mounting.

#### **FEATURES**

- VHF to UHF bands operation.
- Low distortion CM: VHF (@free 470 MHz) 96 dB $\mu$ 
  - UHF (@frf = 890 MHz) 92 dB $\mu$
- Supply voltage : 9 V
- Packaged in 20-pin SOP suitable for surface mounting

# **ORDERING INFORMATION**

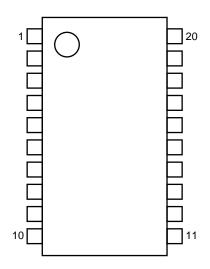
| Part Number  | Package                      | Package Style   |
|--------------|------------------------------|---|
| μPC2794GS-E1 | 20-pin plastic SOP (300 mil) | Embossed tape 24 mm wide. 2.5 k/REEL.<br>Pin 1 indicates pull-out direction of tape |

For evaluation sample order, please contact your local NEC office. (Part number for sample order: µPC2794GS)

Caution electro-static sensitive device

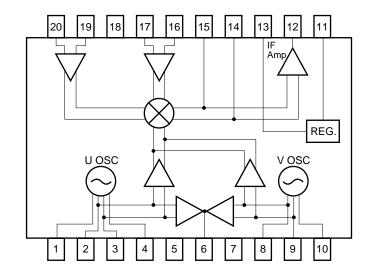
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# PIN CONFIGURATION (Top View)



| 2.  |                   | (Tr. 2)<br>(Tr. 1) |
|-----|-------------------|--------------------|
| ••• | OSC OUTPUT        |                    |
| 7.  | GND               |                    |
| 8.  | VHF OSC Base      | (Tr. 1)            |
| 9.  | VHF OSC Base      | (Tr. 2)            |
| 10. | VHF OSC Collector | (Tr. 1)            |
| 11. | REG               |                    |
| 12. | IF OUTPUT         |                    |
| 13. | Vcc               |                    |
| 14. | MIX OUTPUT        |                    |
| 15. | MIX OUTPUT        |                    |
| 16. | VHF RF INPUT      |                    |
| 17. | VHF RF INPUT      |                    |
| 18. | GND               |                    |
| 19. | UHF RF INPUT      |                    |
| 20. | UHF RF INPUT      |                    |

#### **INTERNAL BLOCK DIAGRAM**



#### PIN EXPLANATION

| Pin No. | Symbol                       | Pin Voltage TYP.<br>above: VHF mode<br>below: UHF mode | Function and Explanation   | Equivalent Circuit   |
|---------|------------------------------|--|--|--|
| 1       | UOSC<br>collector<br>(Tr. 1) | 6.90   | Collector pin of UHF oscillator.<br>Assemble LC resonator with 2<br>pin through capacitor $\simeq 1$ pF to<br>oscillate with active feedback loop.   |  |
| 2       | UOSC<br>base (Tr. 2)         | 6.00<br>3.90   | Base pin of UHF oscillator<br>with balance amplifier. Connected<br>to LC resonator through feedback<br>capacitor $\simeq$ 300 pF.  |  |
| 3       | UOSC<br>base (Tr. 1)         | 6.00   | Base pin of UHF oscillator<br>with balance amplifier.<br>Connected to LC resonator   |  |
| 4       | UOSC<br>collector<br>(Tr. 2) | 6.90   | through feedback capacitor <u>~</u> 300 pF.<br>Collector pin of UHF oscillator<br>with balance amplifier. Assemble<br>LC resonator with 3 pin through<br>capacitor <u>~</u> 1 pF to oscillate with<br>active feedback loop.<br>Double balanced oscillator with |  |
| 5       | UB                           | 9.0  | transistor 1 and transistor 2.<br>Switching pin for VHF or UHF<br>operation.<br>VHF operation = open<br>UHF operation = 9.0 V  |  |
| 6       | OSC<br>output                | 5.40   | UHF and VHF oscillator output<br>pin. In case of F/S tuner<br>application, connected PLL<br>symthesizer IC's input pin.  | REG  |
|         |                              | 5.40   |  | G<br>T<br>T<br>T<br>T<br>T<br>T<br>T<br>T<br>T<br>T<br>T<br>T<br>T |
| 7       | GND                          | 0.0  | GND pin of VHF and UHF oscillator.   |  |
| 8       | VOSC                         | 3.50   | Base pin of VHF oscillator.  |  |
|         | base<br>(Tr. 1)              | 5.90   | Grounded through capacitor $\simeq$ 10 pF.   | 8 10 9<br>   |
| 9       | VOSC<br>base<br>(Tr. 2)      | 3.50   | Base pin of VHF oscillator.<br>Assemble LC resonator with<br>10 pin to oscillate with active   |  |
|         | (11. 2)                      | 5.90   | feedback loop.   |  |
| 10      | VOSC<br>collector            | 6.20   | Collector pin of VHF oscillator.<br>Connected to LC resonator  |  |
|         | (Tr. 1)                      | 6.90   | through feedback capacitor $\simeq$ 3 pF.  |  |

| Pin No. | Symbol                | Pin Voltage TYP.<br>above: VHF mode<br>below: UHF mode | Function and Explanation                                     | Equivalent Circuit |
|---------|-----------------------|--|--|--------------------|
| 11      | REG                   | 6.90   | Monitor pin of regulator output                              |                    |
|         |                       | 6.90   | voltage.   |                    |
| 12      | IF output             | 2.60   | IF output pin of VHF-UHF band functions.                     |                    |
|         |                       | 2.60   |  |                    |
| 13      | Vcc                   | 9.0  | Power supply pin for VHF-                                    |                    |
|         |                       | 9.0  | UHF band functions.  |                    |
| 14      | MIX                   | 7.10   | VHF and UHF MIX output pins.                                 |                    |
|         | output1               | 7.00   | These pins should be   |                    |
| 15      |                       | IX 7.10 adjust intermedia                              | equipped with tank circuit to adjust intermediate frequency. |                    |
|         | output2               | 7.00   | adjust internediate frequency.                               |                    |
| 16      | VRF input<br>(bypass) | 2.75   | Bypass pin for VHF MIX input.<br>Grounded through capacitor. | from<br>VHF<br>OSC |
|         |                       | 2.80   |  |                    |
| 17      | VRF input             | 2.75   | VRF signal input pin from antenna.                           |                    |
|         |                       | 2.80   |  |                    |
| 18      | GND                   | 0.0  | GND pin of MIX, IF amplifier and regulator.                  |                    |
|         |                       | 0.0  |  |                    |
| 19      | URF input<br>(bypass) | -  | Bypass pin for UHF MIX input.<br>Grounded through capacitor. |                    |
|         |                       | 2.65   | 1  |                    |
| 20      | URF input             | _  | URF signal input pin from antenna.                           |                    |
|         |                       | 2.65   |  |                    |

#### ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS (T<sub>A</sub> = 25 °C unless otherwise specified)

| Parameter                     | Symbol | Condition                     | Rating      | Unit |
|-------------------------------|--------|-------------------------------|-------------|------|
| Supply Voltage 1              | Vcc    |                               | 11.0        | V    |
| Supply Voltage 2              | UB     |                               | 11.0        | V    |
| Power dissipation             | PD     | $T_{A} = 80 \ ^{\circ}C^{*1}$ | 700         | mW   |
| Operating ambient temperature | TA     |                               | -40 to +80  | °C   |
| Storage temperature           | Tstg   |                               | -60 to +150 | °C   |

\*1 Mounted on  $50 \times 50 \times 1.6$  mm double copper epoxy glass board.

# **RECOMMENDED OPERATING RANGE**

| Parameter                     | Symbol | MIN. | TYP. | MAX. | Unit |
|-------------------------------|--------|------|------|------|------|
| Supply voltage 1              | Vcc    | 8.0  | 9.0  | 10.0 | V    |
| Supply voltage 2              | UB     | 8.0  | 9.0  | 10.0 | V    |
| Operating ambient temperature | TA     | -20  | +25  | +80  | °C   |

#### ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (TA = 25 °C, Vcc = 9 V, fif = 45 MHz, $P_{osc}$ = -10 dBm)

| Parameter              | Symbol    | Test Conditions                                    |    | MIN. | TYP. | MAX. | Unit |
|------------------------|-----------|--|----|------|------|------|------|
| Circuit Current 1      | lcc1      | @VHF, no input signal                              | *1 | 36.0 | 48.0 | 56.0 | mA   |
| Circuit Current 2      | Icc2      | @UHF, no input signal                              | *1 | 37.0 | 50.0 | 60.0 | mA   |
| Conversion Gain 1      | CG1       | frf = 55 MHz, Prf = -30 dBm                        | *2 | 19.5 | 23.0 | 26.5 | dB   |
| Conversion Gain 2      | CG2       | frf = 200 MHz, Prf = -30 dBm                       | *2 | 19.5 | 23.0 | 26.5 | dB   |
| Conversion Gain 3      | CG3       | frf = 470 MHz, Prf = −30 dBm                       | *2 | 20.5 | 24.0 | 27.5 | dB   |
| Conversion Gain 4      | CG4       | frf = 470 MHz, Prf = −30 dBm                       | *2 | 28.5 | 32.0 | 35.5 | dB   |
| Conversion Gain 5      | CG5       | frf = 890 MHz, Prf = -30 dBm                       | *2 | 28.5 | 32.0 | 35.5 | dB   |
| Noise Figure 1         | NF1       | frf = 55 MHz                                       | *3 | _    | 11.0 | 14.0 | dB   |
| Noise Figure 2         | NF2       | frf = 200 MHz                                      | *3 | _    | 11.0 | 14.0 | dB   |
| Noise Figure 3         | NF3       | frf = 470 MHz                                      | *3 | _    | 11.0 | 14.0 | dB   |
| Noise Figure 4         | NF4       | frf = 470 MHz                                      | *3 | _    | 9.0  | 12.0 | dB   |
| Noise Figure 5         | NF5       | frf = 890 MHz                                      | *3 | _    | 10.0 | 13.0 | dB   |
| Maximum Output Power 1 | Po (sat)1 | frf = 55 MHz, Prf = 0 dBm                          | *2 | 10.0 | 13.0 | _    | dBm  |
| Maximum Output Power 2 | Po (sat)2 | frf = 200 MHz, Prf = 0 dBm                         | *2 | 10.0 | 13.0 | _    | dBm  |
| Maximum Output Power 3 | Po (sat)3 | frf = 470 MHz, Prf = 0 dBm                         | *2 | 10.0 | 13.0 | _    | dBm  |
| Maximum Output Power 4 | Po (sat)4 | $f_{RF} = 470 \text{ MHz}, P_{RF} = 0 \text{ dBm}$ | *2 | 10.0 | 13.0 | _    | dBm  |
| Maximum Output Power 5 | Po (sat)5 | $f_{RF} = 890 \text{ MHz}, P_{RF} = 0 \text{ dBm}$ | *2 | 10.0 | 13.0 | _    | dBm  |

\*1 By measurement circuit 1

\*2 By measurement circuit 2

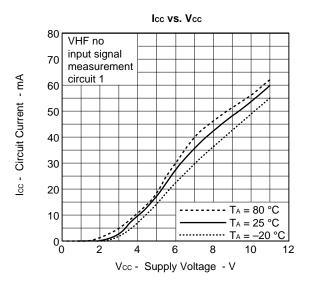
\*3 By measurement circuit 3

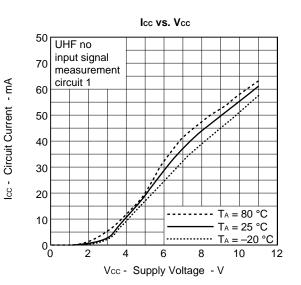
# STANDARD CHARACTERISTICS (Reference Values) (T<sub>A</sub> = 25 $^{\circ}$ C, V<sub>CC</sub> = 9 V)

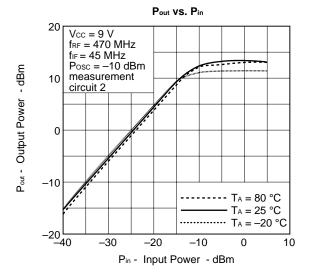
| Parameter                         | Symbol | Test Conditions  |    | Value for Reference | Unit |
|-----------------------------------|--------|--|----|---------------------|------|
| 1 % cross-modulation distortion 1 | CM1    | $\label{eq:fdes} \begin{array}{l} f_{des} = 55 \mbox{ MHz}, \mbox{ funces} = f_{des} + 6 \mbox{ MHz}, \\ P_{des} = -30 \mbox{ dBm}, \mbox{ fiF} = 45 \mbox{ MHz}, \\ P_{osc} = -10 \mbox{ dBm}, \mbox{ AM} \mbox{ 100 \mbox{ kHz}}, \mbox{ 30 \mbox{ \%}} \\ modulation, \mbox{ DES/CM} = 46 \mbox{ dBc} \end{array}$  | *1 | 100                 | dΒμ  |
| 1 % cross-modulation distortion 2 | CM2    | $    f_{des} = 200 \text{ MHz}, \text{ fundes} = f_{des} + 6 \text{ MHz}, $ $    P_{des} = -30 \text{ dBm}, \text{ fir} = 45 \text{ MHz}, $ $    P_{osc} = -10 \text{ dBm}, \text{ AM } 100 \text{ kHz}, 30 \text{ \%} $ modulation, DES/CM = 46 dBc   | *1 | 100                 | dΒμ  |
| 1 % cross-modulation distortion 3 | CM3    | $\label{eq:fdes} \begin{array}{l} f_{des} = 470 \mbox{ MHz}, \mbox{ fundes} = f_{des} + 6 \mbox{ MHz}, \\ P_{des} = -30 \mbox{ dBm}, \mbox{ fir} = 45 \mbox{ MHz}, \\ P_{osc} = -10 \mbox{ dBm}, \mbox{ AM} \mbox{ 100 \mbox{ kHz}}, \mbox{ 30 \mbox{ \%}} \\ modulation, \mbox{ DES/CM} = 46 \mbox{ dBc} \end{array}$ | *1 | 96                  | dΒμ  |
| 1 % cross-modulation distortion 4 | CM4    | $\label{eq:fdes} \begin{array}{l} f_{des} = 470 \mbox{ MHz, } f_{undes} = f_{des} + 6 \mbox{ MHz, } \\ P_{des} = -30 \mbox{ dBm, } f_{IF} = 45 \mbox{ MHz, } \\ P_{osc} = -10 \mbox{ dBm, } AM \mbox{ 100 } \mbox{ kHz, } 30 \mbox{ \% } \\ modulation, \mbox{ DES/CM} = 46 \mbox{ dBc} \end{array}$                   | *1 | 94                  | dΒμ  |
| 1 % cross-modulation distortion 5 | CM5    | $\label{eq:fdes} \begin{array}{l} f_{des} = 890 \mbox{ MHz},  f_{undes} = f_{des} + 6 \mbox{ MHz}, \\ P_{des} = -30  dBm,  fIF = 45  MHz, \\ P_{osc} = -10  dBm,  AM  100  kHz,  30  \% \\ modulation,  DES/CM = 46  dBc \end{array}$  | *1 | 92                  | dΒμ  |

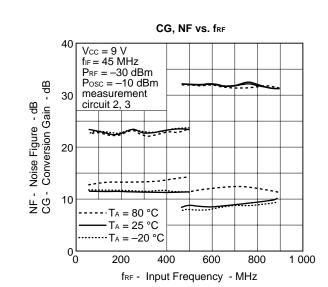
\*1 By measurement circuit 4

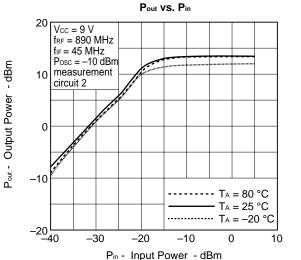
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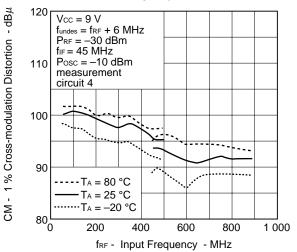




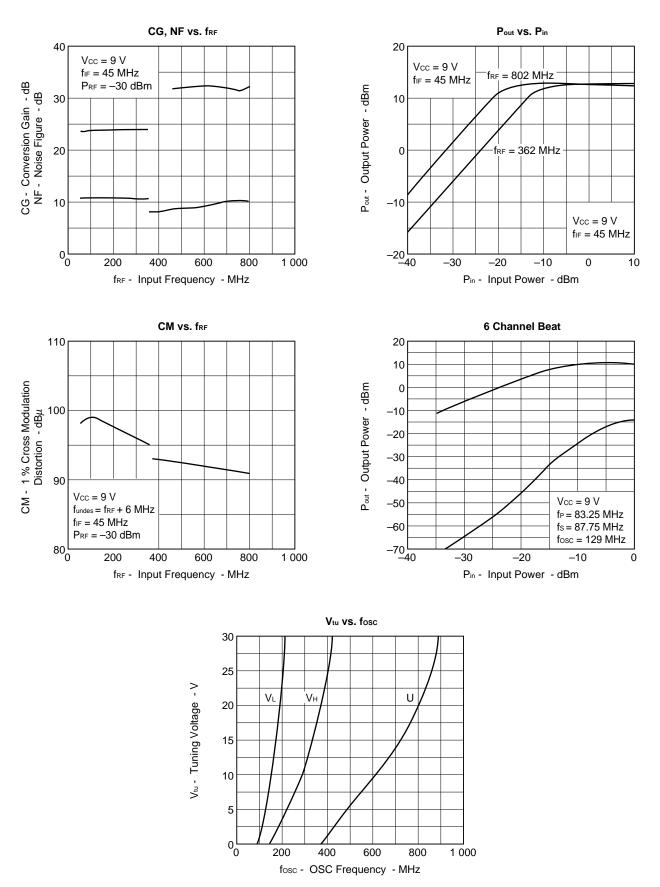




CM vs. frf

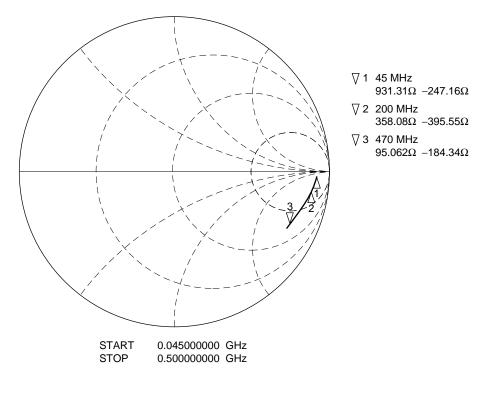


#### STANDARD CHARACTERISTICS (by application circuit example)

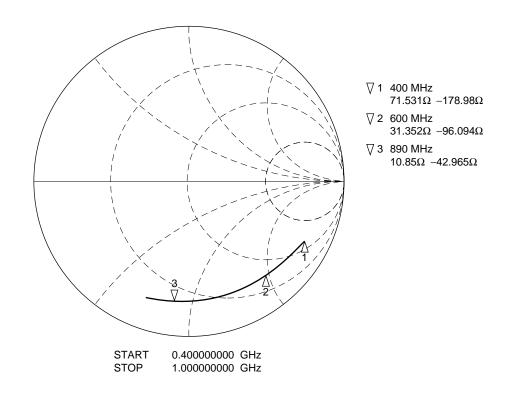


# INPUT IMPEDANCE (by measurement circuit 5)

# <VRF INPUT: 17 PIN>

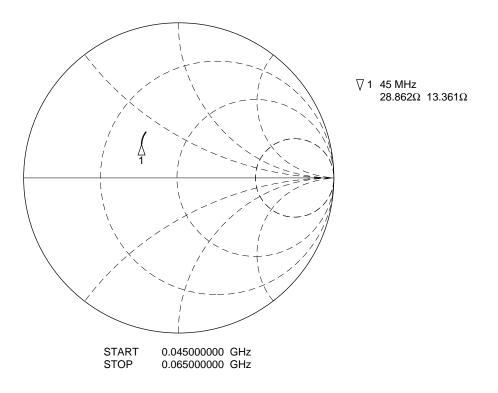


<URF INPUT: 20 PIN>

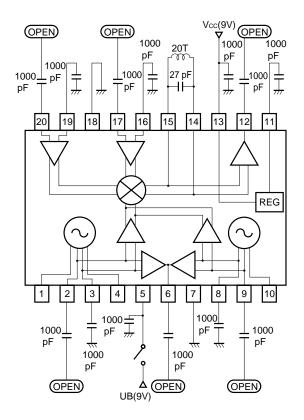


# **OUTPUT IMPEDANCE (by measurement circuit 5)**

#### <IF OUTPUT: 12 PIN>

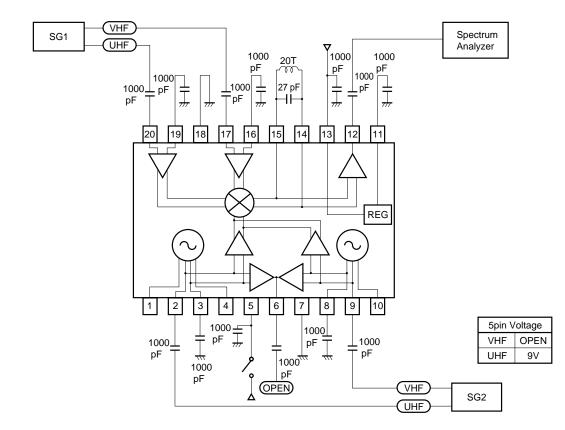


# **MEASUREMENT CIRCUIT 1**

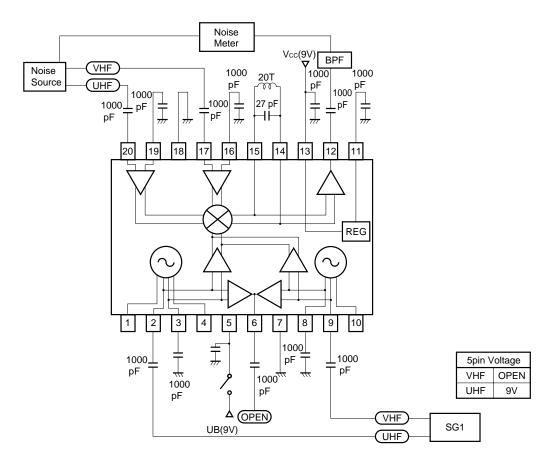


| 5pin Voltage |    |  |  |  |  |
|--------------|----|--|--|--|--|
| VHF OPEN     |    |  |  |  |  |
| UHF          | 9V |  |  |  |  |

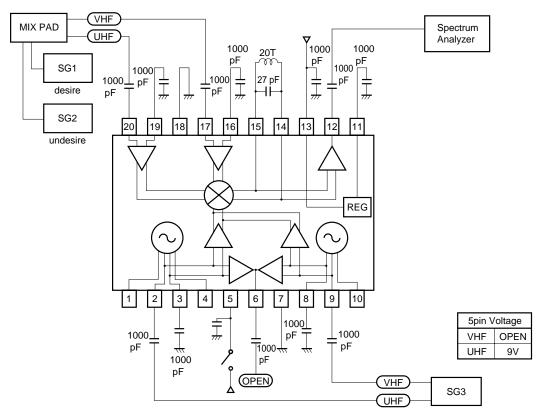
**MEASUREMENT CIRCUIT 2** 



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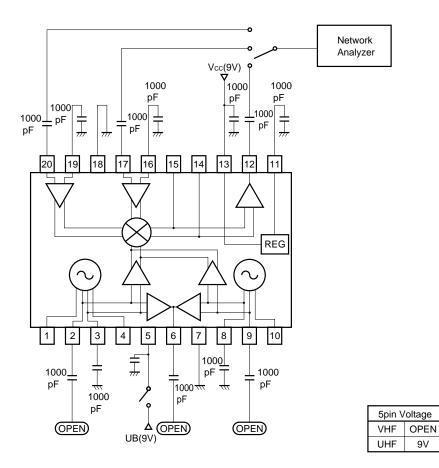


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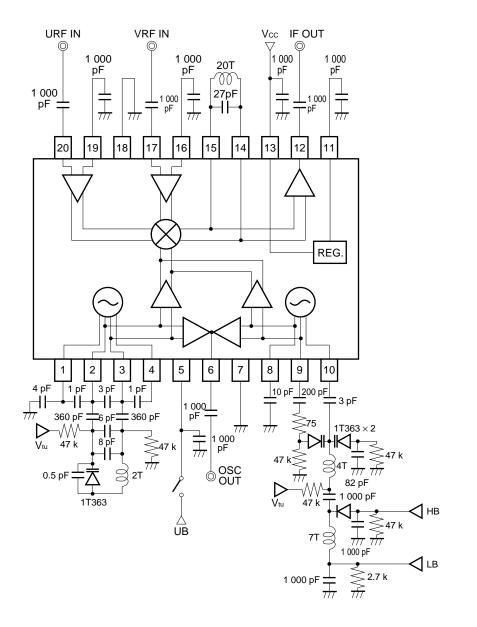


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# **MEASUREMENT CIRCUIT 5**



#### APPLICATION CIRCUIT EXAMPLE



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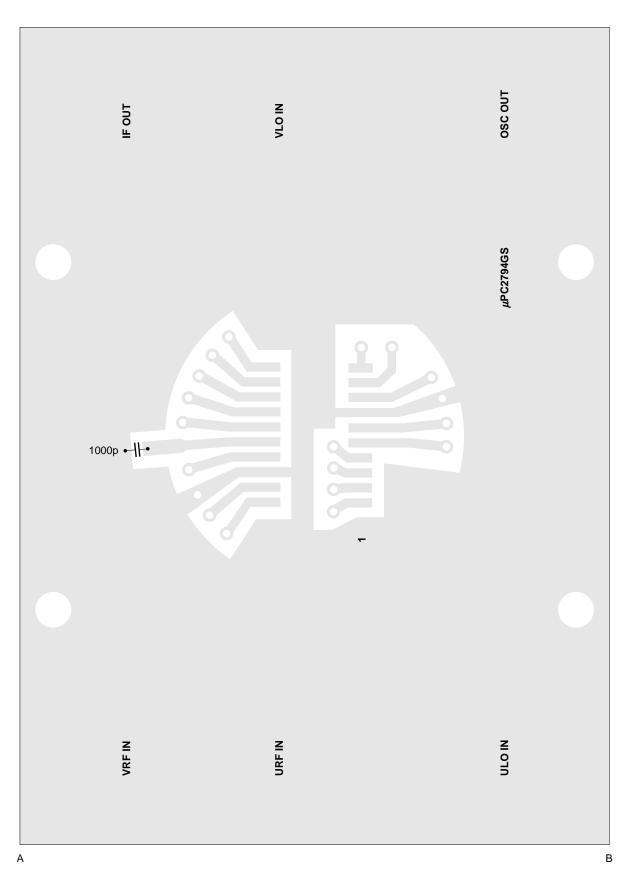
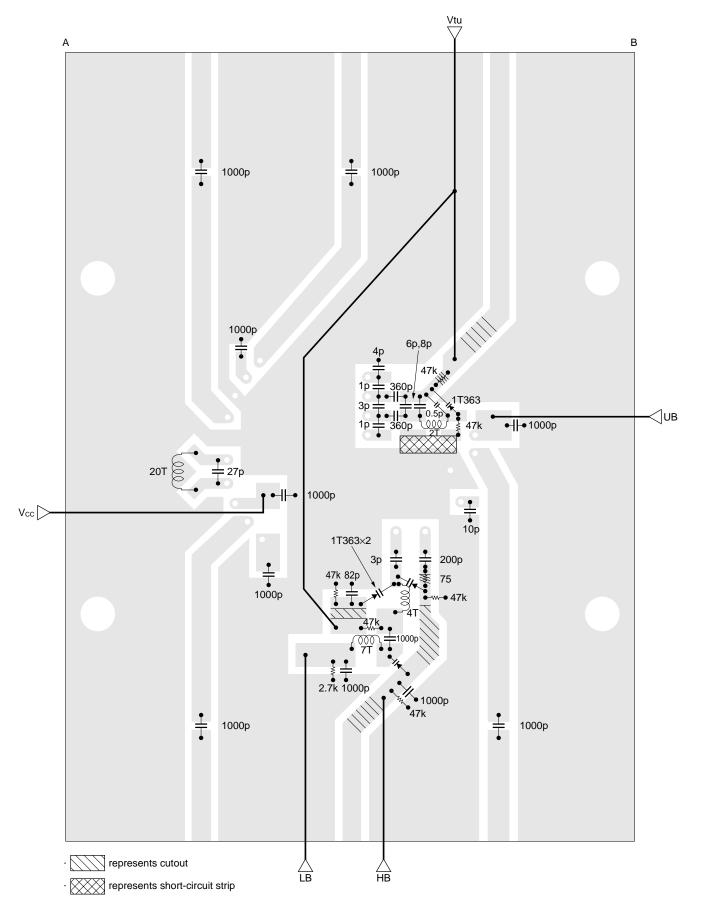


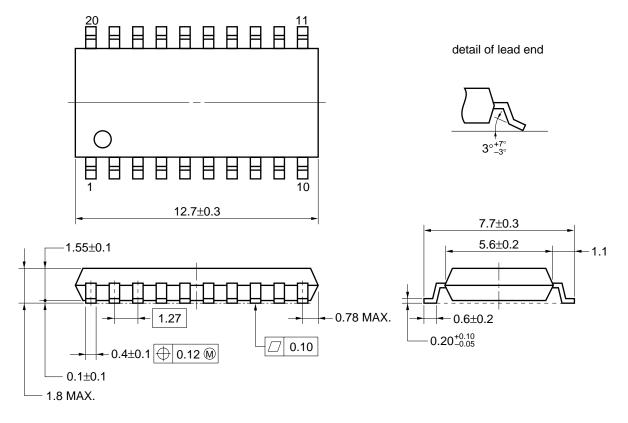
ILLUSTRATION OF THE EVALUATION BOARD FOR APPLICATION CIRCUIT EXAMPLE (Surface)



# ILLUSTRATION OF THE EVALUATION BOARD FOR APPLICATION CIRCUIT EXAMPLE (Back side)

# PACKAGE DIMENSIONS

\* 20 PIN PLASTIC SOP (300 mil) (UNIT: mm)



NOTE Each lead centerline is located within 0.12 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 widely as possible to minimize ground impedance (to prevent undesires oscillation).
- (3) Keep the track length of the ground pins as short as possible.
- (4) A low pass filter must be attached to Vcc line.
- (5) A matching circuit must be externally attached to output port.

# **RECOMMENDED SOLDERING CONDITIONS**

The following conditions (see table below) must be met when soldering this product.

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

#### μ**PC2794GS**

| Soldering Process      | Soldering Conditions   | Symbol    |
|------------------------|--|-----------|
| Infrared ray reflow    | Peak package's surface temperature: 235 °C or below,<br>Reflow time: 30 seconds or below (210 °C or higher),<br>Number of reflow process: 3, Exposure limit <sup>*1</sup> : None | IR35-00-3 |
| VPS                    | Peak package's surface temperature: 215 °C or below,<br>Reflow time: 40 seconds or below (200 °C or higher),<br>Number of reflow process: 3, Exposure limit <sup>*1</sup> : None | VP15-00-3 |
| Partial heating method | Terminal temperature: 300 °C or below,<br>Flow time: 3 seconds or below,<br>Exposure limit*1: None   |           |

\*1 Exposure limit before soldering after dry-pack package is opened. Storage conditions: 25 °C and relative humidity at 65 % or less.

Caution Do not apply more than single process at once, except for "Partial heating method".

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