

GT4123, GT4123A Two Channel Video Multipliers

DATA SHEET

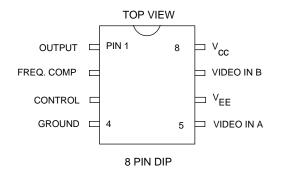
FEATURES

- two-quadrant video multiplication
- 20 MHz 0.1 dB video & control channel bandwidth
- · one external frequency compensation adjustment
- ultra low differential gain & differential phase
- convenient 8 pin package

APPLICATIONS

- Multimedia Graphics Overlay
- Production switchers
- Linear Keyers

PIN CONNECTIONS



ORDERING INFORMATION

| Part Number | Package Type | Temperature Range | | | |
|--------------|--------------|-------------------------------|--|--|--|
| GT4123 - CDA | 8 pin PDIP | 0° to 70°C | | | |
| GT4123 - CKA | 8 pin SOIC | 0° to 70° C | | | |
| GT4123ACDA | 8 pin PDIP | 0° to 70° C | | | |
| GT4123ACKA | 8 pin SOIC | 0° to 70° C | | | |



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DESCRIPTION

The GT4123 and GT4123A are monolithic dual-channel video multipliers for use in a wide range of applications including broadcast and multimedia.

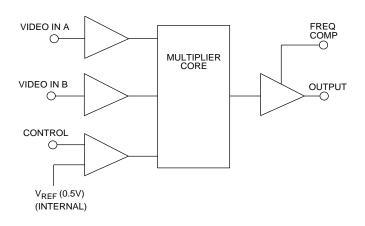
Featuring two wideband video inputs and a single control input, they achieve high quality video mixing of the two video input signals to a single output by implementing the function:

$$V_{O} = [(V_{C} \bullet V_{A}) + (1 - V_{C}) \bullet V_{B}]$$

where V_C is the control input voltage, which may be varied continuously over the range 0 to 1V with respect to the ground pin, and V_A and V_B are the video input signals.

The GT4123 operates with typical power supply voltages of ± 10 volts and draws 15 mA of current. The GT4123A typically operates from +12 and -5 volt supplies. Both are available in 8 pin PDIP and 8 pin SOIC.

An Application Note entitled "Using the GT4123 and GT4123A Video MIxer ICs" (Document No. 520 - 61) is available from Gennum Corporation.



FUNCTIONAL BLOCK DIAGRAM

Document No. 520 - 38 - 3

ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

| PARAMETER | VALUE |
|--------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|
| Supply Voltage (V _S) | ±13.5 V |
| Operating Temperature Range | $0^\circ~C \leq T_A^{} \leq 70^\circ~C$ |
| Storage Temperature Range | -65° C \leq T _S \leq 150° C |
| Lead Temperature (Soldering, 10 Sec) | 260° C |
| Video Input Voltage (V_A, V_B) to ground | ±5 V |
| Control Input Voltage (V_C) to ground | ±5 V |
| Video Input Differential Voltage ($V_A - V_B$) | ±5 V |

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS GT4123 $V_{s} = \pm 10V, T_{A} = 0^{\circ}C \text{ to } 70^{\circ}C, R_{L} = 10k\Omega \text{ unless otherwise shown.}$

| | PARAMETER | SYMBOL | CONDITIONS | MIN | TYP | MAX | UNITS |
|--------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|-------|--------|------|---------|
| POWER SUPPLIES | Supply Voltage | V _s | Operating Range | ±9 | ±10 | ±12 | V |
| | + Supply Current | I+ | | - | 15 | 19.5 | mA |
| | - Supply Current | I- | | - | 13 | 17.0 | mA |
| SIGNAL CHANNEL | Common Mode Input Signal | V _{IN CM} | | - | - | 5 | V |
| | Bandwidth | BW _{0.1} | at ±0.1 dB V _{IN} = 150 mVp-p | 20 | 25 | - | MHz |
| | Bandwidth | BW3 | at -3 dB V _{IN} = 1 Vp-p | - | 80 | - | MHz |
| | Frequency Response | - | DC -10 MHz | - | ±0.05 | - | dB |
| | Differential Gain | ∂g | V _{IN} = 40 IRE at 3.58 MHz | - | 0.01 | 0.05 | % |
| | Differential Phase | др | V _{IN} = 40 IRE at 3.58 MHz | - | 0.01 | 0.05 | degrees |
| | Signal to Noise | S/N | $V_{SIG} = 1 V, BW = 5 MHz$ | 64 | 70 | - | dB |
| | Gain | A _{VL} | 100 kHz (β = 100%) | -0.02 | -0.005 | - | dB |
| | Delay | t d SIG | | - | 4 | 10 | ns |
| | Off Isolation & Crosstalk | V _{A or B} /V _O | $f_{SIG} = 5 \text{ MHz} \text{ (see note 1)}$ | 70 | 75 | - | dB |
| | | V _C /V _{A or B} | $f_{SIG} = 5 \text{ MHz} \text{ (see note 2)}$ | 80 | 85 | - | dB |
| | Input Resistance | R _{IN} | f=1 MHz | 150 | - | - | kΩ |
| | Input Capacitance | C _{IN} | | - | 2.0 | - | pF |
| | Output Resistance | R _{OUT} | f=1 MHz (see Figure 9) | - | - | 0.1 | Ω |
| | Output Capacitance | C _{OUT} | | - | 2.0 | - | pF |
| CONTROL CHANNEL | Bandwidth | BW _{0.1} | at ±0.1 dB V _{IN} = 150 mVp-p | 20 | 25 | - | MHz |
| | Bandwidth | BW ₃ | at -3 dB V _{IN} = 1 Vp-p | - | 80 | - | MHz |
| | Delay | t _{D CONT} | | - | 4 | 10 | ns |
| | Linearity | | 10% to 90% range | - | 1 | - | % |
| | Control Breakthrough | | $V_{\rm C} = 0$ to 1 V $f_{\rm C} = 1$ to 10 MHz | - | - | -35 | dB |
| | Crossfade Balance | | $V_{\rm C} = 0$ to 1 V $f_{\rm C} = 3.58$ MHz | - | 5 | 10 | mVp-p |
| | Control Range | V _C | (see Figure 10) | 0 | - | +1 | V |

NOTE: 1. $V_{A \text{ or } B} = +1 \text{ Vp-p output taken from OUTPUT}$

2. V_{C} = +1 Vp-p output taken from V_{A} or V_{B}

| | PARAMETER | SYMBOL | CONDITIONS | MIN | TYP | MAX | UNITS |
|--------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|-------|--------|------|---------|
| | Supply Voltage | Vs | Operating Range | +9 | +12 | ±12 | V |
| POWER SUPPLIES | | | | -3 | -5 | | |
| | + Supply Current | I+ | | - | 15 | 19.5 | mA |
| | - Supply Current | I- | | - | 13 | 17.0 | mA |
| SIGNAL CHANNEL | Common Mode Input Signal | V _{IN CM} | | - | - | 5 | V |
| | Bandwidth | BW _{0.1} | at ±0.1 dB V _{IN} = 150 mVp-p | 20 | 25 | - | MHz |
| | Bandwidth | BW3 | at -3 dB V _{IN} = 1 Vp-p | - | 80 | - | MHz |
| | Frequency Response | | DC -10 MHz | - | ±0.05 | - | dB |
| | Differential Gain | ∂g | V _{IN} = 40 IRE at 3.58 MHz | - | 0.02 | 0.05 | % |
| | Differential Phase | 9b | V _{IN} = 40 IRE at 3.58 MHz | - | 0.02 | 0.05 | degrees |
| | Signal to Noise | S/N | $V_{SIG} = 1 \text{ V}, \text{ BW} = 5 \text{ MHz}$ | 64 | 70 | - | dB |
| | Gain | A _{VL} | 100 kHz (β = 100%) | -0.02 | -0.005 | - | dB |
| | Delay | t _{d SIG} | | - | 4 | 10 | ns |
| | Off Isolation & Crosstalk | V _{A or B} /V _O | f _{SIG} = 5 MHz (see note 1) | 70 | 75 | - | dB |
| | | V _C /V _{A or B} | $f_{SIG} = 5 \text{ MHz} \text{ (see note 2)}$ | 80 | 85 | - | dB |
| | Input Resistance | R _{IN} | f=1MHz | 150 | - | - | kΩ |
| | Input Capacitance | C _{IN} | | - | 2.0 | - | pF |
| | Output Resistance | R _{OUT} | f=1MHz (see Figure 9) | - | - | 0.1 | Ω |
| | Output Capacitance | C _{OUT} | | - | 2.0 | - | pF |
| CONTROL CHANNEL | Bandwidth | BW _{0.1} | at ±0.1 dB V _{IN} = 150 mVp-p | 20 | 25 | - | MHz |
| | Bandwidth | BW3 | at -3 dB V _{IN} = 1 Vp-p | - | 80 | - | MHz |
| | Delay | t _{D CONT} | | - | 4 | 10 | ns |
| | Linearity | | 10% to 90% range | - | 1 | - | % |
| | Control Breakthrough | | $V_{\rm C} = 0$ to 1 V $f_{\rm C} = 1$ to 10 MHz | - | - | -35 | dB |
| | Crossfade Balance | | $V_{\rm C} = 0$ to 1 V $f_{\rm C} = 3.58$ MHz | - | 5 | 10 | mVp-p |
| | Control Range | V _C | (see Figure 10) | 0 | - | +1 | V |

$\label{eq:constraint} \textbf{ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS GT4123A} \qquad \textbf{V}_{S} = \pm 12 \textbf{V}, \ \textbf{-5V}, \ \textbf{T}_{A} = 0\,^{\circ}\text{C} \text{ to } 70\,^{\circ}\text{C}, \ \textbf{R}_{L} = 10 \textbf{k} \Omega \text{ unless otherwise shown}.$

NOTE: 1. $V_{A \text{ or } B} = +1$ Vp-p output taken from OUTPUT

2. V_C = + 1 Vp-p output taken from V_A or V_B

DETAILED DESCRIPTION

The GT4123 and GT4123A are the first dedicated single device, two input video mixer ICs available to the professional video and multimedia markets.

The internal topology of the devices is shown in Figure 1.

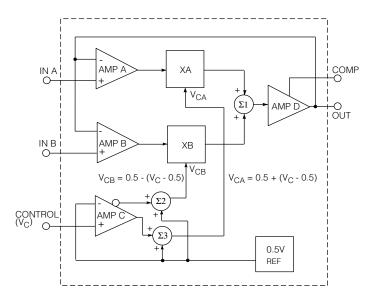


Fig. 1 Functional Block Diagram of the GT4123 and GT4123A

Each input signal is applied to a conventional differential amplifier (AMPA and AMPB). From the amplifiers, the signals are applied to analog multiplier circuits (XA and XB) whose outputs are the product of the input signals and internally generated controlling voltages V_{CA} and V_{CB} .

These voltages are derived from a unity gain differential amplifier (AMP C) whose outputs (true and invert) are the difference between an externally applied CONTROL voltage (V_c) and an internal 0.5 volt reference voltage. In addition, the internal DC offset of 0.5 volts is applied to the controlling voltage summing circuits $\Sigma 2$ and $\Sigma 3$.

Therefore,

$$V_{CA} = 0.5V + (VC - 0.5V)$$
 and
 $V_{CB} = 0.5V - (VC - 0.5V)$

When the CONTROL input (V_C) equals 0.5 volts, V_{CA} and V_{CB} = 0.5 volts and exactly 50% of each input signal passes to the output of the multiplier stages.

When V_C is less than 0.5 volts, V_{CA} reduces and V_{CB} increases in proportion so that less of the Channel A signal and more of the Channel B signal is transferred. Similarly, when V_C is greater than 0.5 volts, the opposite occurs.

The SPAN or control range is internally set so that a CONTROL voltage of 0 volts completely cuts off Channel A and fully turns on Channel B. Similarly, a CONTROL voltage of 1 volt will fully turn on Channel A and completely turn Channel B off.

Figure 10 shows the CONTROL transfer characteristics of the GT4123 and GT4123A.

There is a small 'dead band' at either extreme of the CONTROL input. The amount of 'dead band' is about 100 mV and is shown in Figure 10. The CONTROL input can be preceded by an operational amplifier so biased as to overcome this 'dead band' as well as level shift the control signal so that other than 0 to 1 volt ranges can be used. The bandwidth of the CONTROL input is sufficient to allow very fast keying and is in the order of 20 MHz at -0.1 dB.

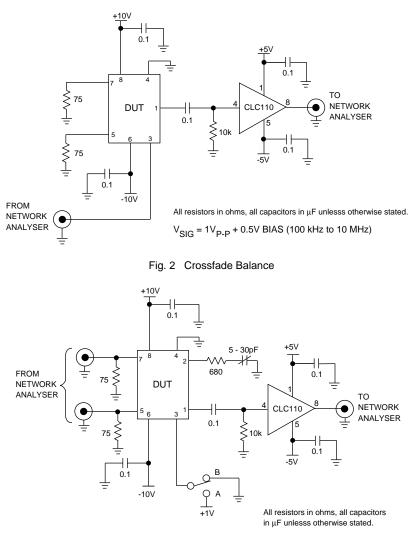
The linear portion of the transfer characteristic has a linearity of 1% or better.

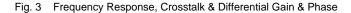
The outputs from the multipliers are applied to an analog summing circuit (Σ 1) whose output feeds a wideband amplifier (Amp D) and presents the mixed signals to the outside world. The inverting inputs of each input amplifier are directly connected to the output.

In this manner the closed loop gain is nearly unity providing wideband, stable operation. Because the devices have only 8 pins and require virtually no external parts in order to function, they lend themselves to high density, multi-functional PC board layouts. Several devices can be used in parallel applications such as R-G-B mixers and four-layer keyers where close control law tracking is essential.

The only difference between the GT4123 and the GT4123A is the fact that the latter device can operate with non-equal power supplies. The negative supply can be as low as -3 volts unlike the GT4123 which can only operate down to ± 9 volt supplies.

GT4123 / GT4123A TEST CIRCUITS





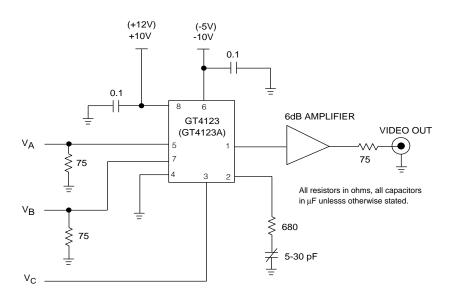
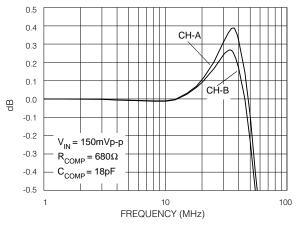
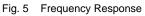


Fig. 4 Typical Application Circuit





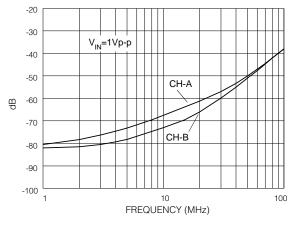


Fig. 6 Crosstalk vs Frequency

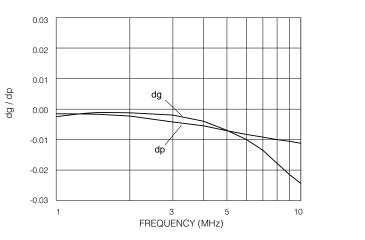


Fig. 7 Differential Gain & Phase vs Frequency

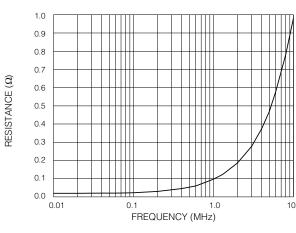


Fig. 9 Output Resistance vs Frequency

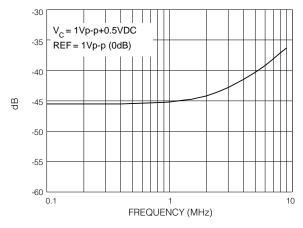


Fig. 8 Crossfade Balance vs Frequency

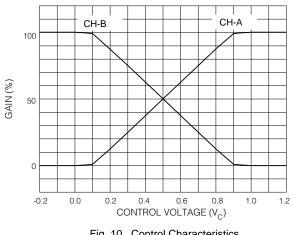


Fig. 10 Control Characteristics

TYPICAL PERFORMANCE CURVES FOR GT4123 / GT4123A

Revision Notes: Detailed Description added.

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