

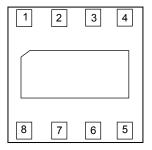
FEATURES

- Extremely Low supply current (<1µA).
- >45dB mute attenuation.
- Shunt operation.
- SOFTMUTE during normal operation.
- Built-in expansion capability, SOFTMUTE out for driving additional channels.
- Instantaneous. Power-up and Power-down muting.
- ESD protected outputs.
- 1.5V to 2.7V supply operation.
- Compact 2 x 2 x 0.6mm 8 lead DFN.

APPLICATIONS

- Cell phones
- PDA's
- Portable DVD players
- Portable MP3 players
- Notebook Audio
- Set-top boxes
- Digital Video Recorders
- LCD TVs
- Home Theater systems

Pin Layout



GENERAL DESCRIPTION

PA4201 (PUNK) is a low power (I_{CC}< 1 μA) monolithic CMOS mixed signal device.

PUNK's primary function is to control power supply transition noise in audio circuits and systems.

PUNK boasts several features that make it a "one of a kind" product on the market. Most prominent is the feature that allows the designer to implement SOFTMUTE on an audio line during normal operation. PUNK is an exceptional product for multi-channel devices as it is capable of expanding the

SOFTMUTE operation into systems such as $Dolby^{\ensuremath{\mathbb{R}}}5.1$, $DTS^{\ensuremath{\mathbb{T}}}$.

PUNK requires few external components for its operation, working from low to medium supply voltages of 1.5V to 2.7V.

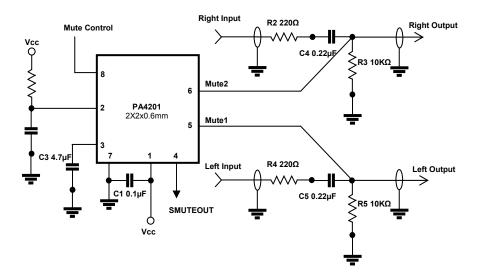
On power-up and power-down the audio inputs to succeeding amplifiers are switched to a convenient low impedance voltage rail. Muting the amplifiers, preventing the audible pop, that is normally heard in the headset.

PUNK operates as a passive shunt device. So the designer does not have to worry about the PUNK introducing any kind of noise or distortion into the system. While consuming less than $1\mu A$ of supply current PUNK provides more than 45dB of mute attenuation at the audio lines.

PUNK is equipped with ESD (Human Body Model) protection circuitry on the outputs.

PUNK is available as an 8L low profile 0.6mm DFN package and is specified for operation over the -40° C to $+85^{\circ}$ C temperature range.

Typical Application Circuit







PIN OUT

| Pin | Name | Function | | | | |
|-----|----------|---|--|--|--|--|
| 1 | VCC | Positive power supply. 1.5V to 2.7V ±10% | | | | |
| 2 | RCS | Power On mute delay resistor-capacitor connection | | | | |
| 3 | CEXT | Soft mute delay capacitor | | | | |
| 4 | SMUTEOUT | Soft Mute OUT for multiple channels | | | | |
| 5 | MUTE1 | Open Drain output of NFET 1 | | | | |
| 6 | MUTE2 | Open Drain output of NFET 2 | | | | |
| 7 | GND | Ground | | | | |
| 8 | MUTECONT | Mute control signal from microprocessor | | | | |

ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

Sustained operation at or above the following ratings is not recommended. Catastrophic and irreversible damage will occur to the device at or above these ratings.

| Symbol | Description | Rating |
|--------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Vx | Voltage at any pin | -0.3 to 7.0+ 0.3 V |
| IX | Current at any pin | 500mA |
| ТА | Ambient Temperature | 150 °C |
| TS | Storage Temperature | 200 °C |
| TSOL | Soldering Temperature | 260 °C |



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RECOMMENDED OPERATING CONDITIONS:

DC OPERATING CONDITIONS

Unless otherwise specified, $V_{DD}=3 \pm 10\%$, $T_A = Ambient Temperature = 25 \ ^{\circ}C$.

| Symbol | Parameter | Condition | | Unit | | | |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|--|----------------------|---------|------|------------------|--|
| Symbol | Parameter | Condition | Min | Typical | Max | Unit | |
| V _{DD} | Power Supply | Normal Operation | 1.5 | | 3.0 | V | |
| I _{DD} | Supply Current | Normal Operation | | | 1 | μA | |
| T _A | Ambient Temperature | Normal Operation | -40 | | 85 | °C | |
| V _{OH} | Logic High O/P Voltage | Ι _{ΟΗ} =100μΑ | V _{DD} -0.1 | | | V | |
| V _{OL} | Logic Low O/P Voltage | I _{OL} =-100μA | | | 0.2 | V | |
| V _{IH} | Logic High I/P Voltage | I _{IH} =1μA | V _{DD} -0.3 | | | V | |
| V _{IL} | Logic Low I/P Voltage | I _{IL} =1µA | | | 0.3 | V | |
| P | FET ON Resistance | V _{DD} = 2.7V, V _{DFET} = 0.4V | | 0.88 | 1.1 | Ω | |
| R _{ON} | FET ON Resistance | V _{CC} = 5.5V, V _{DFET} = 0.4V | | 0.55 | 0.66 | | |
| R _{FLAT(ON)} | ON Resistance Flatness | Over Input Voltage Range | | 3.55 | | mΩ | |
| THD | Total Harmonic Distortion | RL = 32 Ω, 30mW, f = 1kHz | | .020 | | % | |
| X _{TALK} | Crosstalk (on) | F = 20kHz | | -100 | | dB | |
| V _{SIG} | Analog Signal Range | Normal Operation | | | 0.7 | V _{RMS} | |

MUTE OPERATING CONDITIONS

| Symbol | Parameter | Condition | | Unit | | |
|---------------------|--------------------------|---|-----|---------|-----|------|
| Symbol | Falameter | Condition | Min | Typical | Max | Unit |
| M _{OFFD} | Mute release delay | Mute Control =VIL Set by ext. RC network at RCS pin | 10 | | | mS |
| M _{STD} | Soft mute fall/rise time | Mute Control transitions to VIH. Set by ext. capacitor CEXT | 1 | | | mS |
| M _{PDEL} * | Mute ON Delay | Mute control signal, Low to High transition | | | 1 | μS |
| N _{FETV} * | NFET open drain volt | | | | 7.0 | V |

* Guaranteed by design

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TURN ON TIME

| C _{ext} µF | t _{softmute} in ms |
|---------------------|-----------------------------|
| 0.1 | 36.03 |
| 0.2 | 71.06 |
| 0.3 | 97.4 |
| 0.4 | 110.05 |
| 0.5 | 117.2 |

CAPACITIVE LOAD

| Max Cap Load @ SMUTEOUT | | | | | | |
|-------------------------|------|---------------------|--|--|--|--|
| V _{DD} | T mS | C _{EXT} nF | | | | |
| 5.5 | 18 | 20 | | | | |
| 3.3 | 20 | 15 | | | | |
| 2.7 | 20 | 15 | | | | |





THEORY OF OPERATION

STARTUP

During Startup, the Power supply ramps from 0V to VCC. This time is usually in excess of 20ms. As soon

as this change in voltage is sensed, PUNK latches the Mute Controller outputs to HIGH, thus "muting" the lines. This is the Startup Operation (figure 1). The duration for which the controller outputs are latched

HIGH can be controlled by an external RC circuit. When the voltage at this RC pin reaches a certain threshold, the mute controller releases the lines (Gate voltage is LOW) and Normal Operation starts.

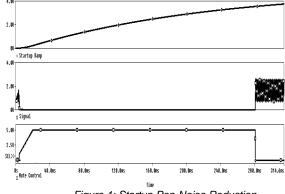


Figure 1: Startup Pop-Noise Reduction

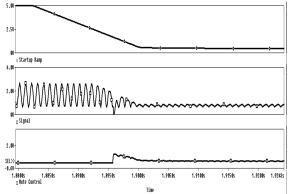


Figure 2: Shutdown Pop-Noise Reduction

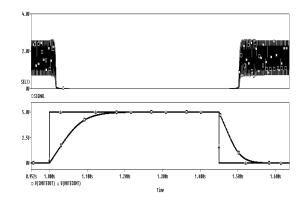


Figure 3: SOFT mute operation

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SHUTDOWN

During Shutdown, the reverse process happens. As the power supply reaches the threshold on its way down, the mute controller again latches the outputs to HIGH, thus "muting" the lines (figure 2). This muting prevents unwanted signal spikes from getting to the power amplifiers. However, for optimal performance, it is suggested to mute the lines using the MUTECONT signal before power down. This process will ensure that the pop noise involved during shutdown is diminished

SOFTMUTE

During normal operation, PUNK is in OFF state. But if there arises a situation when the audio lines need to be muted, the designer can do this by asserting the MUTECONT signal to HIGH. This will initiate a SOFTMUTE sequence (figure 3). When the MUTECONT signal is asserted, the mute controller gradually ramps the control voltages in a "SOFT" fashion so as to provide a soft mute operation. The mute delay is fully controllable by the designer by using an external capacitor at CEXT. Typical values of CEXT are between 0.1μ F and 0.5μ F. The reverse happens when the MUTECONT signal is released. This operation is explained in detail in the Application Circuit section.



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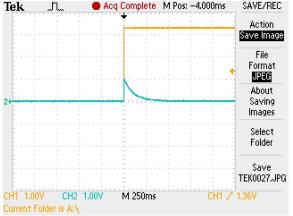


Figure 4: Startup Pop-Noise without PUNK



Figure 5: Shutdown Pop-Noise without PUNK

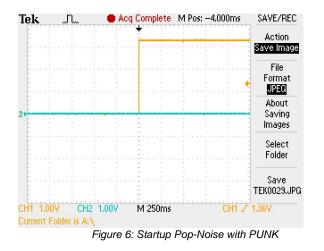




Figure 7: Shutdown Pop-Noise with PUNK



Figure8: Audio Mute Enable



Figure 9: Audio Mute Disable



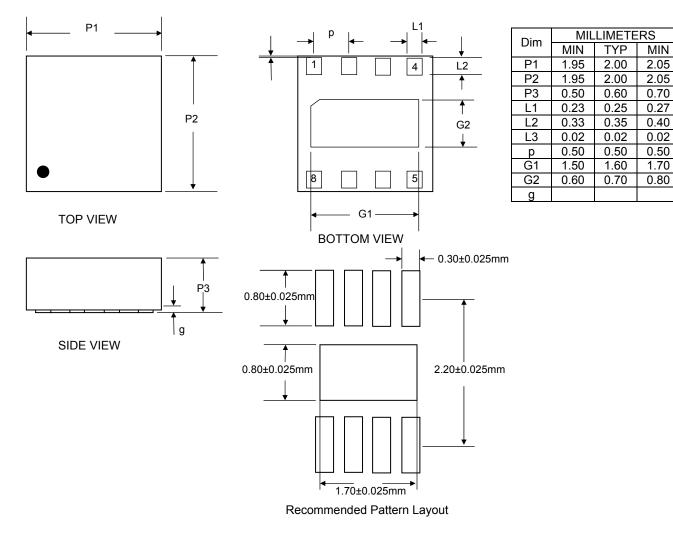
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Pop-Up-Noise Killer

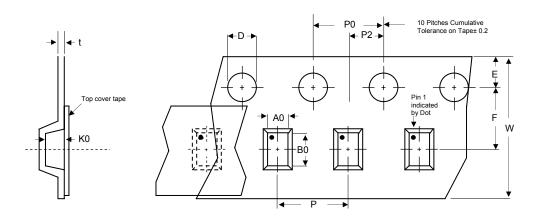


PA4201 Pop-Up-Noise Killer

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| Reel Dia | A0 | B0 | K0 | D | E | F | W | P0 | P2 | Р | t-max |
|----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| 178 (7") | 2.00±0.10 | 2.00±0.10 | 0.65±0.10 | 1.50±0.10 | 1.75±0.10 | 3.50±0.05 | 8.00±0.30 | 4.00±0.10 | 2.00±0.05 | 4.00±0.10 | 0.25 |



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