

# BGA7350

50 MHz to 250 MHz high linearity Si variable gain amplifier;  
24 dB gain range

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Product data sheet

## 1. Product profile

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### 1.1 General description

The BGA7350 MMIC is a dual independently digitally controlled IF Variable Gain Amplifier (VGA) operating from 50 MHz to 250 MHz. Each IF VGA amplifies with a gain range of 24 dB and at its maximum gain setting delivers 17 dBm output power at 1 dB gain compression and a superior linear performance.

The BGA7350 Dual IF VGA is optimized for a differential gain error of less than  $\pm 0.1$  dB for accurate gain control and has a total integrated gain error of less than  $\pm 0.4$  dB.

The gain controls of each amplifier are separate digital gain-control word, which is provided externally through two sets of 5 bits.

The BGA7350 is housed in a 32 pins 5 mm  $\times$  5 mm leadless HVQFN32 package.

### 1.2 Features and benefits

- Dual independent digitally controlled 24 dB gain range VGAs, with 5-bit control interface
- 50 MHz to 250 MHz frequency operating range
- Gain step size: 1 dB  $\pm$  0.1 dB
- 18.5 dB power gain
- Fast gain stage switching capability
- 17 dBm output power at 1 dB gain compression
- 5 V single supply operation with power-down control
- Logic-level shutdown control pin reduces supply current
- Excellent ESD protection at all pins
- Moisture sensitivity level 2
- Unconditionally stable
- Compliant to Directive 2002/95/EC, regarding Restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS)

### 1.3 Applications

- Compatible with W-CDMA / WiMAX / LTE base-station infrastructure / multi carrier systems
- Multi channel receivers
- General use for ADC driver applications



## 1.4 Quick reference data

**Table 1. Quick reference data**

$A\_EN = "1"$ ;  $B\_EN = "1"$  (VGA enabled). Typical values at  $V_{CC} = 5\text{ V}$ ;  $I_{CC} = 245\text{ mA}$ ; Tuned for  $f_{IF} = 172\text{ MHz}$ ;  $B = 28\text{ MHz}$ ;  $T_{case} = 25\text{ °C}$ ; Differential input resistance matched to  $140\ \Omega$ ; Differential output resistance matched to  $200\ \Omega$ ; unless otherwise specified; see [Section 11](#) "Application information".

| Symbol             | Parameter                             | Conditions                                     | Min  | Typ       | Max  | Unit     |
|--------------------|---------------------------------------|--|------|-----------|------|----------|
| $V_{CC}$           | supply voltage                        | $V_{CC(A)} + V_{CC(B)}$                        | 4.75 | 5         | 5.25 | V        |
| $I_{CC}$           | supply current                        | $I_{CC(A)} + I_{CC(B)}$                        |      |           |      |          |
|                    |                                       | $A\_EN = "0"$ ; $B\_EN = "0"$                  | -    | 3         | 5    | mA       |
|                    |                                       | $A\_EN = "1"$ ; $B\_EN = "1"$                  | -    | 245       | 280  | mA       |
| $G_p$              | power gain                            | maximum gain                                   | [1]  | 17.5      | 18.5 | 19.5 dB  |
|                    |                                       | minimum gain                                   | [2]  | -7        | -5.5 | -4 dB    |
| $R_{i(dif)}$       | differential input resistance         |  | 100  | 140       | 180  | $\Omega$ |
| $R_{o(dif)}$       | differential output resistance        |  | 160  | 200       | 240  | $\Omega$ |
| NF                 | noise figure                          | maximum gain                                   | [1]  | -         | 6    | 8 dB     |
|                    |                                       | increased rate per gain step                   | -    | 0.8       | 1    | dB       |
| $IP3_O$            | output third-order intercept point    | upper 5 gain steps                             | [1]  | -         | 43   | - dBm    |
| $P_{L(1dB)}$       | output power at 1 dB gain compression | upper 5 gain steps                             | [1]  | -         | 17   | - dBm    |
| $E_{G(dif)}$       | differential gain error               |  | -    | $\pm 0.1$ | -    | dB       |
| $E_{\varphi(dif)}$ | differential phase error              | upper 12 dB gain range                         | -    | 1.5       | -    | deg      |
|                    |                                       | per gain step (for all consecutive gain steps) | -    | 0.5       | -    | deg      |

[1] Maximum gain; gain code = 00000.

[2] Minimum gain; gain code = 11000.

## 2. Pinning information

### 2.1 Pinning

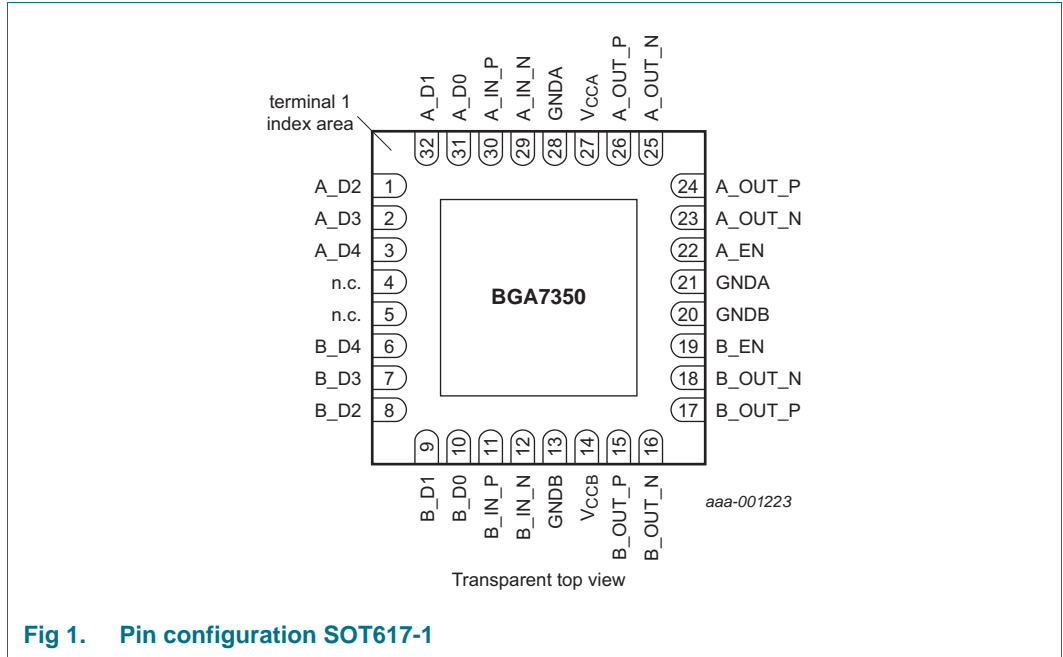


Fig 1. Pin configuration SOT617-1

### 2.2 Pin description

Table 2. Pin description

| Symbol           | Pin    | Description                                     |
|------------------|--------|---|
| A_D2             | 1      | MSB – 2 for gain control interface of channel A |
| A_D3             | 2      | MSB – 1 for gain control interface of channel A |
| A_D4             | 3      | MSB for gain control interface of channel A     |
| n.c.             | 4      | not connected [1]                               |
| n.c.             | 5      | not connected [1]                               |
| B_D4             | 6      | MSB for gain control interface of channel B     |
| B_D3             | 7      | MSB – 1 for gain control interface of channel B |
| B_D2             | 8      | MSB – 2 for gain control interface of channel B |
| B_D1             | 9      | LSB + 1 for gain control interface of channel B |
| B_D0             | 10     | LSB for gain control interface of channel B     |
| B_IN_P           | 11     | channel B positive input [2]                    |
| B_IN_N           | 12     | channel B negative input [2]                    |
| GNDB             | 13, 20 | ground for channel B                            |
| V <sub>CCB</sub> | 14     | supply voltage for channel B                    |
| B_OUT_P          | 15, 17 | channel B positive output [2]                   |
| B_OUT_N          | 16, 18 | channel B negative output [2]                   |
| B_EN             | 19     | power enable pin for channel B                  |
| GNDA             | 21, 28 | ground for channel A                            |

**Table 2. Pin description** ...continued

| Symbol           | Pin        | Description                                     |
|------------------|------------|---|
| A_EN             | 22         | power enable pin for channel A                  |
| A_OUT_N          | 23, 25     | channel A negative output <a href="#">[2]</a>   |
| A_OUT_P          | 24, 26     | channel A positive output <a href="#">[2]</a>   |
| V <sub>CCA</sub> | 27         | supply voltage for channel A                    |
| A_IN_N           | 29         | channel A negative input <a href="#">[2]</a>    |
| A_IN_P           | 30         | channel A positive input <a href="#">[2]</a>    |
| A_D0             | 31         | LSB for gain control interface of channel A     |
| A_D1             | 32         | LSB + 1 for gain control interface of channel A |
| GND              | GND paddle | RF ground and DC ground <a href="#">[3]</a>     |

[1] Pin to be left open.

[2] Each channel should be independently enabled with logic HIGH and disabled with logic LOW.

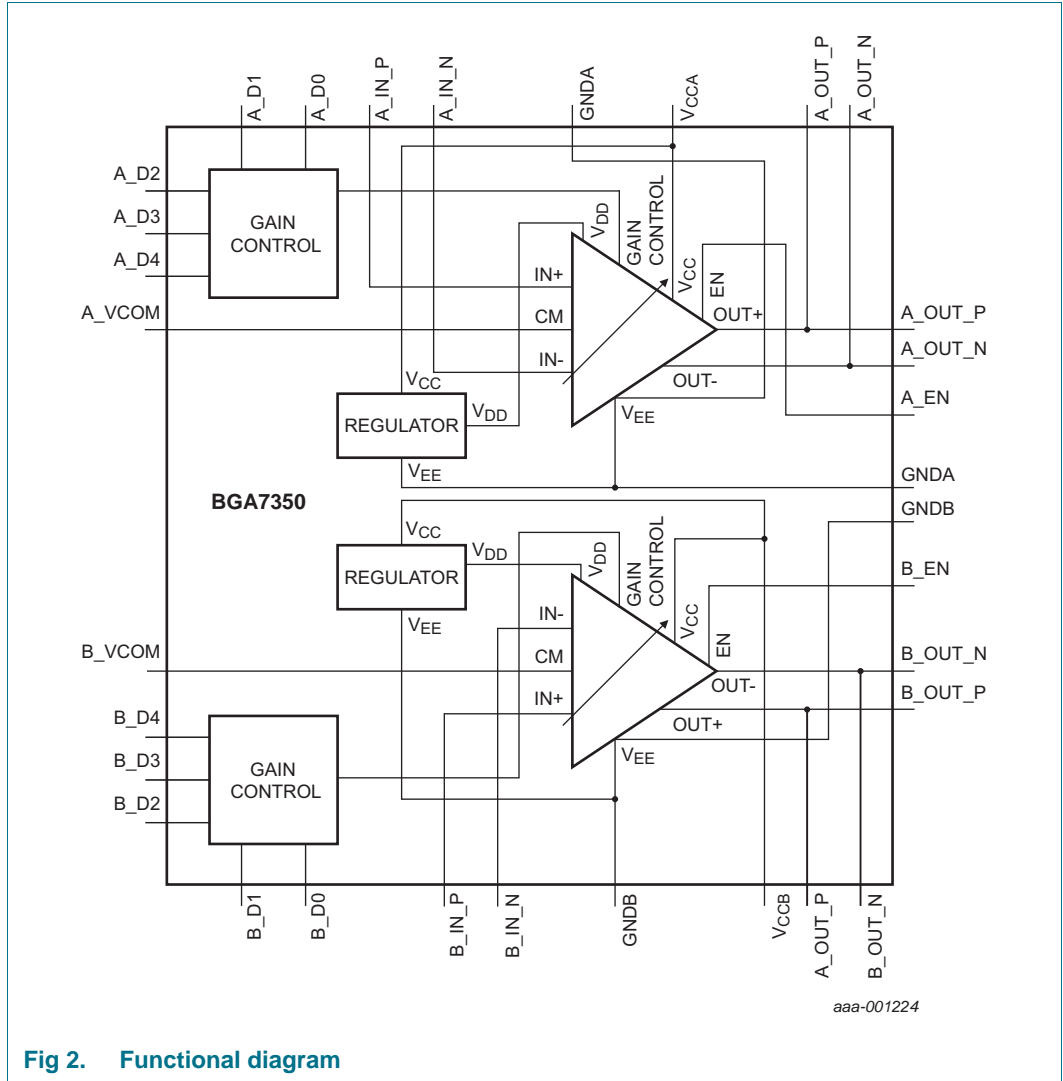
[3] The center metal base of the SOT617-1 also functions as heatsink for the VGA.

### 3. Ordering information

**Table 3. Ordering information**

| Type number | Package |  | Version  |
|-------------|---------|--|----------|
|             | Name    | Description  |          |
| BGA7350     | HVQFN32 | plastic thermal enhanced very thin quad flat package; no leads; 32 terminals; body 5 × 5 × 0.85 mm | SOT617-1 |

**4. Functional diagram**



**Fig 2. Functional diagram**

**5. Enable control**

**Table 4. Enable / disable control settings**

| Mode       | Function description  | Mode description | Enable |      | V <sub>EN</sub> (V) |      | I <sub>en</sub> (μA) |     |
|------------|-----------------------|------------------|--------|------|---------------------|------|----------------------|-----|
|            |                       |                  | A_EN   | B_EN | Min                 | Max  | Min                  | Max |
| A_EN, B_EN | VGA function off      | Disable          | "0"    | "0"  | 0                   | 0.8  | -                    | 1   |
| A_EN, B_EN | VGA in operating mode | Enable           | "1"    | "1"  | 1.6                 | 5.25 | -                    | 1   |

## 6. Limiting values

**Table 5. Limiting values**

In accordance with the Absolute Maximum Rating System (IEC 60134).

| Symbol      | Parameter                       | Conditions   | Min  | Max  | Unit |
|-------------|---------------------------------|--|------|------|------|
| $V_{CC(A)}$ | supply voltage (A)              |  | [1]  | 6    | V    |
| $V_{CC(B)}$ | supply voltage (B)              |  | [1]  | 6    | V    |
| $V_{AEN}$   | voltage on pin A_EN             |  | -0.6 | 6    | V    |
| $V_{BEN}$   | voltage on pin B_EN             |  | -0.6 | 6    | V    |
| $V_{AD0}$   | voltage on pin A_D0             |  | -0.6 | 6    | V    |
| $V_{AD1}$   | voltage on pin A_D1             |  | -0.6 | 6    | V    |
| $V_{AD2}$   | voltage on pin A_D2             |  | -0.6 | 6    | V    |
| $V_{AD3}$   | voltage on pin A_D3             |  | -0.6 | 6    | V    |
| $V_{AD4}$   | voltage on pin A_D4             |  | -0.6 | 6    | V    |
| $V_{BD0}$   | voltage on pin B_D0             |  | -0.6 | 6    | V    |
| $V_{BD1}$   | voltage on pin B_D1             |  | -0.6 | 6    | V    |
| $V_{BD2}$   | voltage on pin B_D2             |  | -0.6 | 6    | V    |
| $V_{BD3}$   | voltage on pin B_D3             |  | -0.6 | 6    | V    |
| $V_{BD4}$   | voltage on pin B_D4             |  | -0.6 | 6    | V    |
| $V_{AIN}$   | voltage on pin A_IN             |  | -0.6 | 6    | V    |
| $V_{BIN}$   | voltage on pin B_IN             |  | -0.6 | 6    | V    |
| $P_{i(RF)}$ | RF input power                  |  | -    | 20   | dBm  |
| $T_{case}$  | case temperature                |  | -40  | +85  | °C   |
| $T_j$       | junction temperature            |  | -    | 150  | °C   |
| $V_{ESD}$   | electrostatic discharge voltage | Human Body Model (HBM);<br>According JEDEC standard 22-A114E     | -    | 4000 | V    |
|             |                                 | Charged Device Model (CDM);<br>According JEDEC standard 22-C101B | -    | 2000 | V    |
|             |                                 | Machine Model (MM);<br>According JEDEC standard 22-A115          | -    | 400  | V    |

[1] All digital pins may not exceed  $V_{CC}$  as the internal ESD circuit can be damaged. To prevent this it is recommended that  $V_{AEN}$  and  $V_{BEN}$  are limited to a maximum of 5 mA.

## 7. Thermal characteristics

**Table 6. Thermal characteristics**

| Symbol         | Parameter                                       | Conditions  | Typ | Unit |
|----------------|---|---|-----|------|
| $R_{th(j-sp)}$ | thermal resistance from junction to solderpoint | $T_{case} = 85\text{ °C}$ ; $V_{CC} = 5\text{ V}$ ;<br>$I_{CC} = 245\text{ mA}$ | 17  | K/W  |

## 8. Static characteristics

**Table 7. Characteristics**

$A\_EN = "1"; B\_EN = "1"$  (both channels enabled). Typical values at  $V_{CC} = 5\text{ V}; T_{case} = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ; unless otherwise specified.

| Symbol   | Parameter                | Conditions                 | Min  | Typ | Max  | Unit |
|----------|--------------------------|----------------------------|------|-----|------|------|
| $V_{CC}$ | supply voltage           | $V_{CC(A)} + V_{CC(B)}$    | 4.75 | 5   | 5.25 | V    |
| $I_{CC}$ | supply current           | $I_{CC(A)} + I_{CC(B)}$    |      |     |      |      |
|          |                          | $A\_EN = "0"; B\_EN = "0"$ | -    | 3   | 5    | mA   |
|          |                          | $A\_EN = "1"; B\_EN = "1"$ | -    | 245 | 280  | mA   |
| $V_{IH}$ | HIGH-level input voltage | [1]                        | 1.6  | -   | 5.25 | V    |
| $V_{IL}$ | LOW-level input voltage  | [1]                        | -    | -   | 0.8  | V    |
| $P_L$    | power dissipation        |                            | -    | 1.2 | 1.5  | W    |

[1] Voltage on the control pins.

## 9. Dynamic characteristics

**Table 8. Characteristics**

$A\_EN = "1"; B\_EN = "1"$  (VGA enabled). Typical values at  $V_{CC} = 5\text{ V}; I_{CC} = 245\text{ mA}$ ; Tuned for  $f_{IF} = 172\text{ MHz}; B = 28\text{ MHz}; T_{case} = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ; Differential input resistance matched to  $140\text{ }\Omega$ ; Differential output resistance matched to  $200\text{ }\Omega$ ; unless otherwise specified; see [Section 11 "Application information"](#).

| Symbol           | Parameter                | Conditions                                     | Min  | Typ       | Max  | Unit          |
|------------------|--------------------------|--|------|-----------|------|---------------|
| $G_p$            | power gain               | maximum gain                                   | [1]  |           |      |               |
|                  |                          | $f = 50\text{ MHz}; B = 15\text{ MHz}$         | -    | 19.5      | -    | dB            |
|                  |                          | $f = 172\text{ MHz}; B = 28\text{ MHz}$        | 17.5 | 18.5      | 19.5 | dB            |
|                  |                          | $f = 250\text{ MHz}; B = 28\text{ MHz}$        | -    | 18.0      | -    | dB            |
|                  |                          | minimum gain                                   | [2]  |           |      |               |
|                  |                          | $f = 50\text{ MHz}; B = 15\text{ MHz}$         | -    | -4.5      | -    | dB            |
|                  |                          | $f = 172\text{ MHz}; B = 28\text{ MHz}$        | -7   | -5.5      | -4   | dB            |
|                  |                          | $f = 250\text{ MHz}; B = 28\text{ MHz}$        | -    | -6.0      | -    | dB            |
| $\Delta G_{adj}$ | gain adjustment range    |  | [1]  | 24        | -    | dB            |
| $G_{step}$       | gain step                |  | -    | 1         | -    |               |
| $G_{flat}$       | gain flatness            |  | [1]  | 0.1       | -    | dB            |
| $E_{G(dif)}$     | differential gain error  |  | -    | $\pm 0.1$ | -    | dB            |
| $E_{G(itg)}$     | integrated gain error    | upper 12 dB gain range                         | -    | $\pm 0.3$ | -    | dB            |
|                  |                          | full gain range                                | -    | $\pm 0.4$ | -    | dB            |
| $E_{\phi(dif)}$  | differential phase error | upper 12 dB gain range                         | -    | 1.5       | -    | deg           |
|                  |                          | per gain step (for all consecutive gain steps) | -    | 0.5       | -    | deg           |
| $t_{s(step)G}$   | gain step settling time  | per 1.5 dB of steady state                     | -    | 5         | 15   | ns            |
|                  |                          | per 0.1 dB of steady state                     | -    | 20        | 40   | ns            |
| $t_{d(grp)}$     | group delay time         |  | -    | 150       | -    | ps            |
| $t_{pu}$         | power-up time            |  | -    | -         | 1    | $\mu\text{s}$ |

**Table 8. Characteristics ...continued**

$A\_EN = "1"$ ;  $B\_EN = "1"$  (VGA enabled). Typical values at  $V_{CC} = 5\text{ V}$ ;  $I_{CC} = 245\text{ mA}$ ; Tuned for  $f_{IF} = 172\text{ MHz}$ ;  $B = 28\text{ MHz}$ ;  $T_{case} = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ ; Differential input resistance matched to  $140\text{ }\Omega$ ; Differential output resistance matched to  $200\text{ }\Omega$ ; unless otherwise specified; see [Section 11](#) "Application information".

| Symbol                 | Parameter                             | Conditions                  | Min     | Typ | Max | Unit     |     |
|------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------|-----|-----|----------|-----|
| $R_{i(dif)}$           | differential input resistance         |                             | 100     | 140 | 180 | $\Omega$ |     |
| $R_{o(dif)}$           | differential output resistance        |                             | 160     | 200 | 240 | $\Omega$ |     |
| $\alpha_{isol(ch-ch)}$ | isolation between channels            |                             | 50      | -   | -   | dB       |     |
| CMRR                   | common-mode rejection ratio           |                             | 40      | -   | -   | dB       |     |
| IP3 <sub>O</sub>       | output third-order intercept point    | Upper 5 gain steps          | [3]     |     |     |          |     |
|                        |                                       | f = 50 MHz                  | [4]     | -   | 43  | -        | dBm |
|                        |                                       | f = 172 MHz                 | [5]     | -   | 43  | -        | dBm |
|                        |                                       | f = 250 MHz                 | [6]     | -   | 41  | -        | dBm |
| IP2 <sub>O</sub>       | output second-order intercept point   | Upper 5 gain steps          | [3]     |     |     |          |     |
|                        |                                       | f = 50 MHz                  | [7]     | -   | 85  | -        | dBm |
|                        |                                       | f = 172 MHz                 | [8]     | -   | 70  | -        | dBm |
|                        |                                       | f = 250 MHz                 | [9]     | -   | 70  | -        | dBm |
| P <sub>L(1dB)</sub>    | output power at 1 dB gain compression | Upper 5 gain steps          | [3]     |     |     |          |     |
|                        |                                       | f = 50 MHz                  |         | -   | 17  | -        | dBm |
|                        |                                       | f = 172 MHz                 |         | -   | 17  | -        | dBm |
|                        |                                       | f = 250 MHz                 |         | -   | 17  | -        | dBm |
| $\alpha_{2H}$          | second harmonic level                 | maximum gain                | [1][10] | -   | -80 | -        | dBc |
|                        |                                       | gain step 12                | [2][10] | -   | -80 | -        | dBc |
| NF                     | noise figure                          | maximum gain                | [1]     | -   | 6   | 8        | dB  |
|                        |                                       | increase rate per gain step |         | -   | 0.8 | 1        | dB  |

[1] Maximum gain; gain code = 00000.

[2] Minimum gain; gain code = 11000.

[3] Gain code = 00000, 00001, 00010, 00011, 00100.

[4] P<sub>L</sub> = 2 dBm per tone; spacing = 2 MHz (f<sub>1</sub> = 49 MHz; f<sub>2</sub> = 51 MHz)

[5] P<sub>L</sub> = 2 dBm per tone; spacing = 2 MHz (f<sub>1</sub> = 171 MHz; f<sub>2</sub> = 173 MHz)

[6] P<sub>L</sub> = 2 dBm per tone; spacing = 2 MHz (f<sub>1</sub> = 249 MHz; f<sub>2</sub> = 251 MHz)

[7] P<sub>L</sub> = 2 dBm per tone (f<sub>1</sub> = 30 MHz; f<sub>2</sub> = 80 MHz; f<sub>meas</sub> = 50 MHz)

[8] P<sub>L</sub> = 2 dBm per tone (f<sub>1</sub> = 82 MHz; f<sub>2</sub> = 90 MHz; f<sub>meas</sub> = 172 MHz)

[9] P<sub>L</sub> = 2 dBm per tone (f<sub>1</sub> = 120 MHz; f<sub>2</sub> = 130 MHz; f<sub>meas</sub> = 250 MHz)

[10] P<sub>L</sub> = 5 dBm one tone (f = 86 MHz; f<sub>meas</sub> = 172 MHz)



Table 9. Gain control

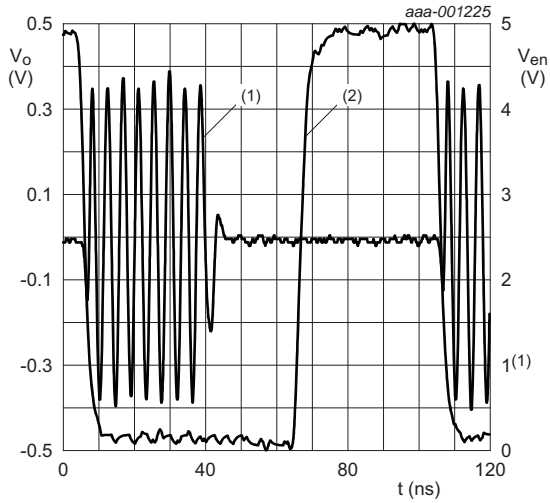
| gain step | input to either A_D0 to A_D4 pins<br>or B_D0 to B_D4 pins | nominal power gain (dB) |
|-----------|---|-------------------------|
| 0         | 00000   | 18.5                    |
| 1         | 00001   | 17.5                    |
| 2         | 00010   | 16.5                    |
| 3         | 00011   | 15.5                    |
| 4         | 00100   | 14.5                    |
| 5         | 00101   | 13.5                    |
| 6         | 00110   | 12.5                    |
| 7         | 00111   | 11.5                    |
| 8         | 01000   | 10.5                    |
| 9         | 01001   | 9.5                     |
| 10        | 01010   | 8.5                     |
| 11        | 01011   | 7.5                     |
| 12        | 01100   | 6.5                     |
| 13        | 01101   | 5.5                     |
| 14        | 01110   | 4.5                     |
| 15        | 01111   | 3.5                     |
| 16        | 10000   | 2.5                     |
| 17        | 10001   | 1.5                     |
| 18        | 10010   | 0.5                     |
| 19        | 10011   | -0.5                    |
| 20        | 10100   | -1.5                    |
| 21        | 10101   | -2.5                    |
| 22        | 10110   | -3.5                    |
| 23        | 10111   | -4.5                    |
| 24        | 11000   | -5.5                    |
| -         | > 11000   | -5.5                    |

## 10. Moisture sensitivity

Table 10. Moisture sensitivity level

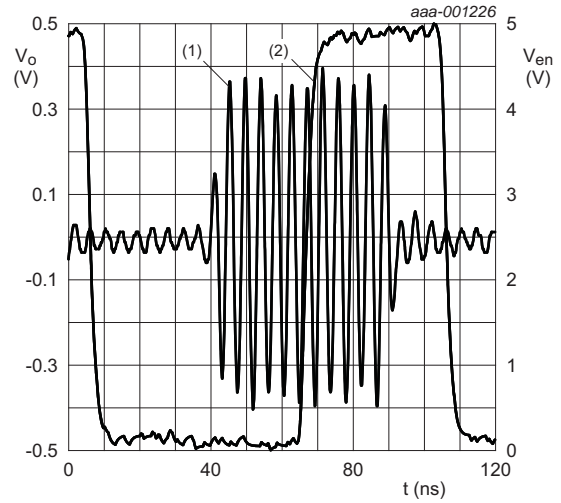
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## 11. Application information



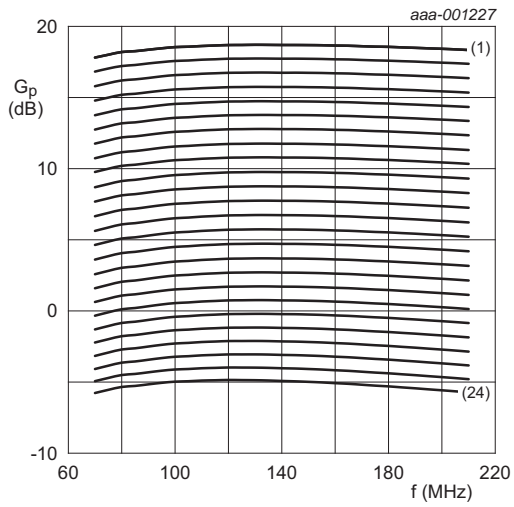
- (1)  $V_o$
- (2)  $V_{en}$

**Fig 3. Enable time response**



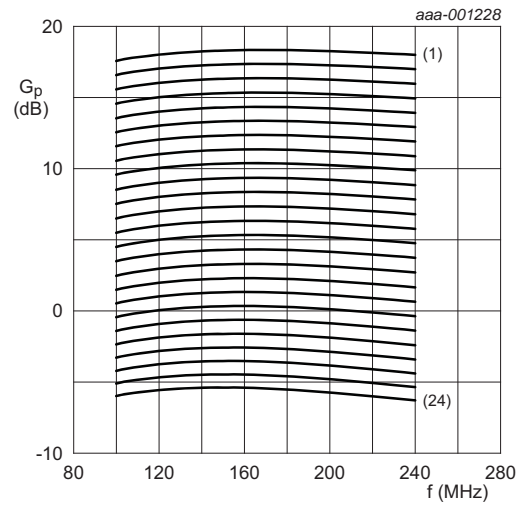
- (1)  $V_o$
- (2)  $V_{en}$

**Fig 4. Gain step response**



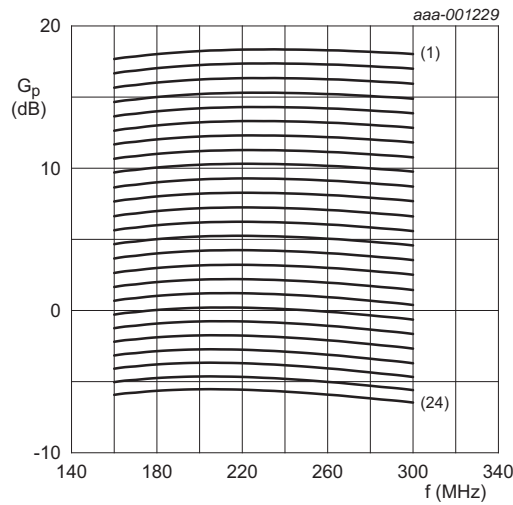
Tuned for  $f_{IF} = 140$  MHz;  $P_L = 5$  dBm; step size 1 dB.  
 (1) gain step 0 (maximum gain)  
 (25) gain step 24 (minimum gain)

**Fig 5. Power gain as a function of frequency**



Tuned for  $f_{IF} = 172$  MHz;  $P_L = 5$  dBm; step size 1 dB.  
 (1) gain step 0 (maximum gain)  
 (25) gain step 24 (minimum gain)

**Fig 6. Power gain as a function of frequency**



Tuned for  $f_{IF} = 230$  MHz;  $P_L = 5$  dBm; step size 1 dB.  
 (1) gain step 0 (maximum gain)  
 (25) gain step 24 (minimum gain)

**Fig 7. Power gain as a function of frequency**

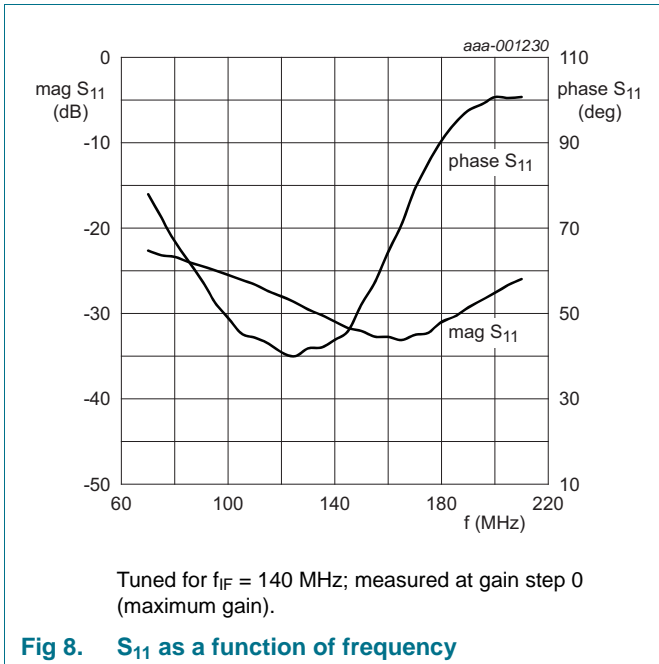


Fig 8. S<sub>11</sub> as a function of frequency

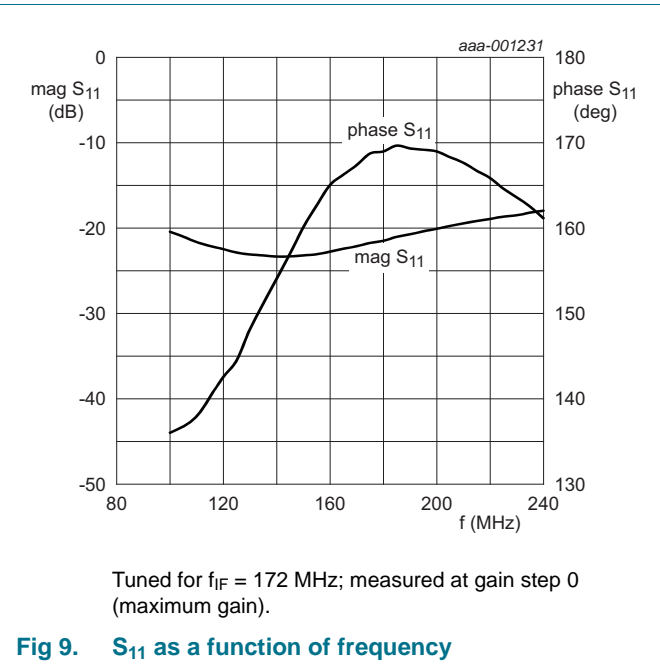


Fig 9. S<sub>11</sub> as a function of frequency

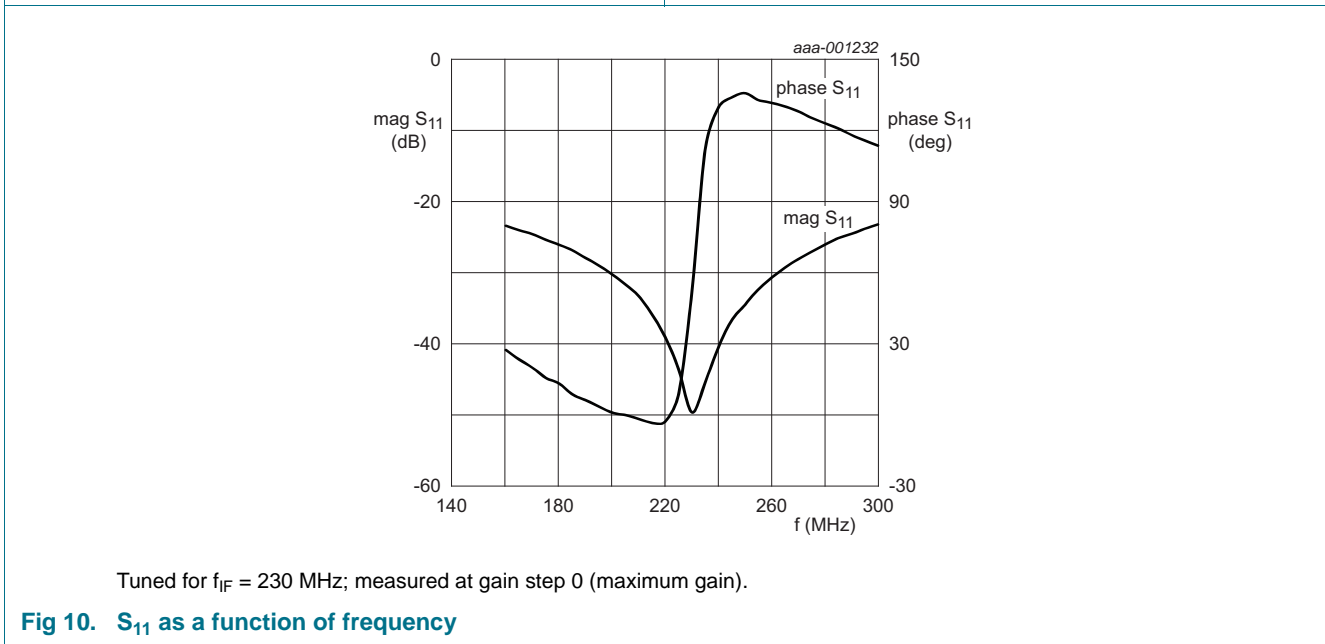
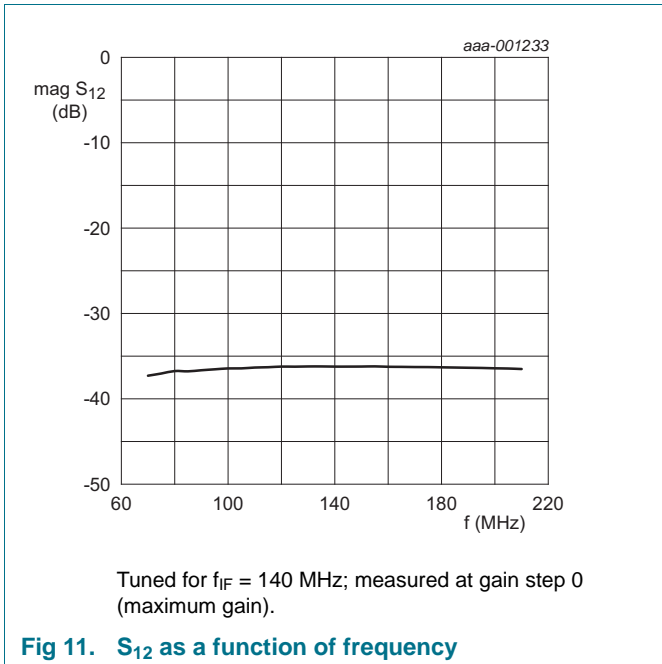
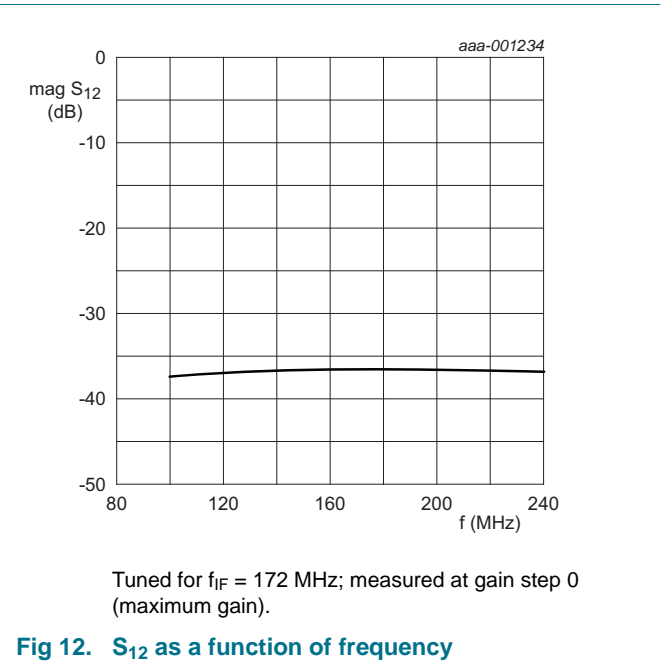


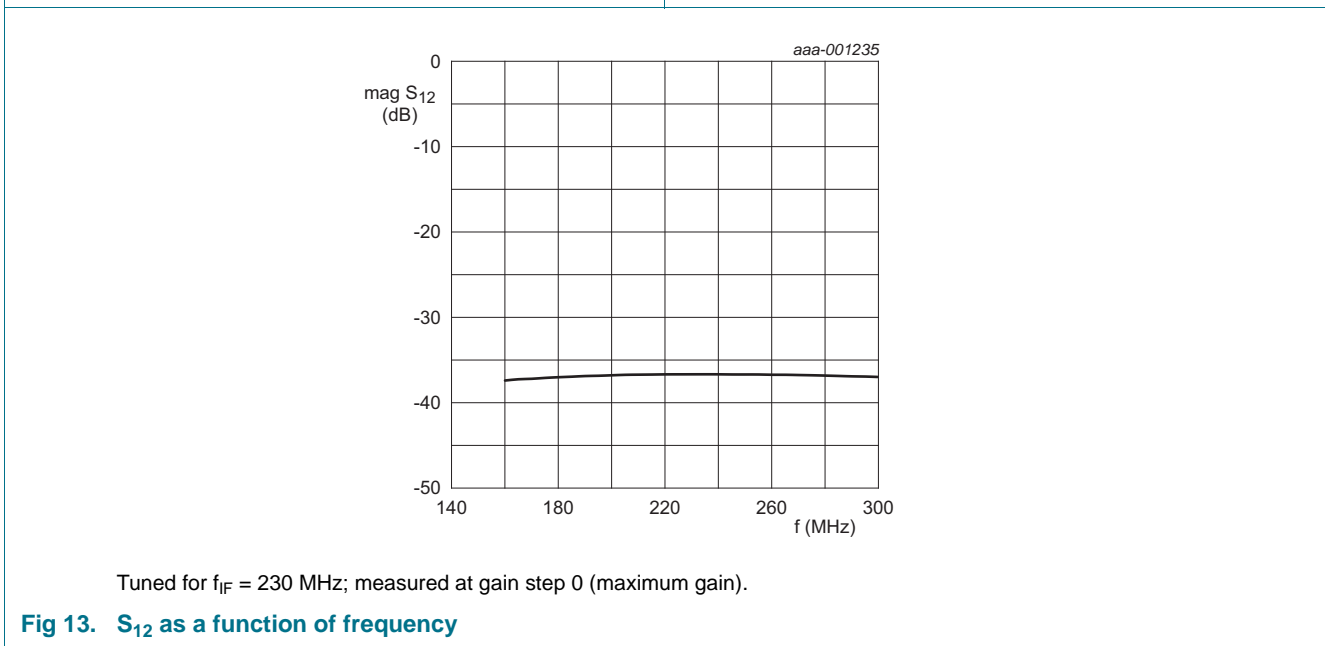
Fig 10. S<sub>11</sub> as a function of frequency



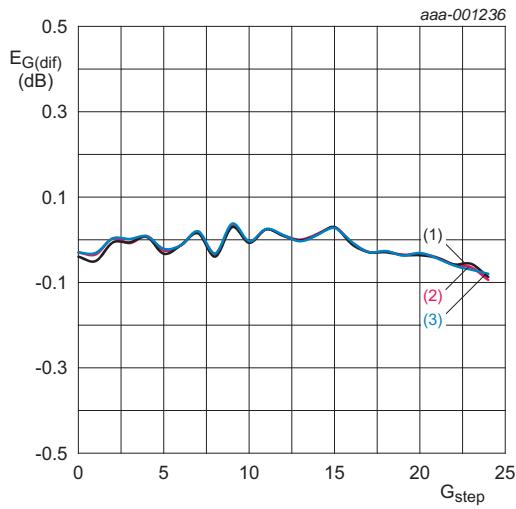
**Fig 11.  $S_{12}$  as a function of frequency**



**Fig 12.  $S_{12}$  as a function of frequency**

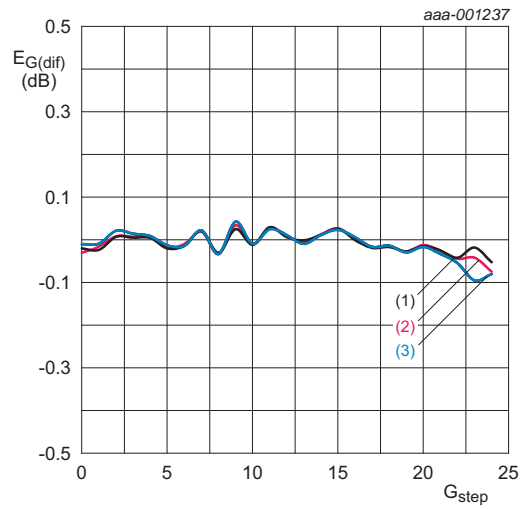


**Fig 13.  $S_{12}$  as a function of frequency**



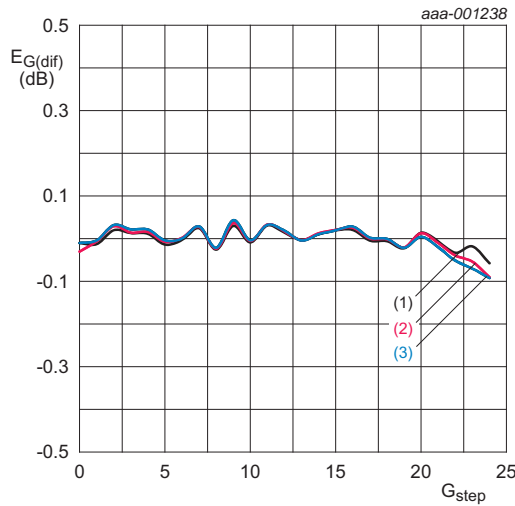
- Tuned for  $f_{IF} = 140$  MHz.
- (1)  $T_{amb} = -40$  °C
  - (2)  $T_{amb} = +25$  °C
  - (3)  $T_{amb} = +85$  °C

**Fig 14. Differential gain error as a function of gain step**



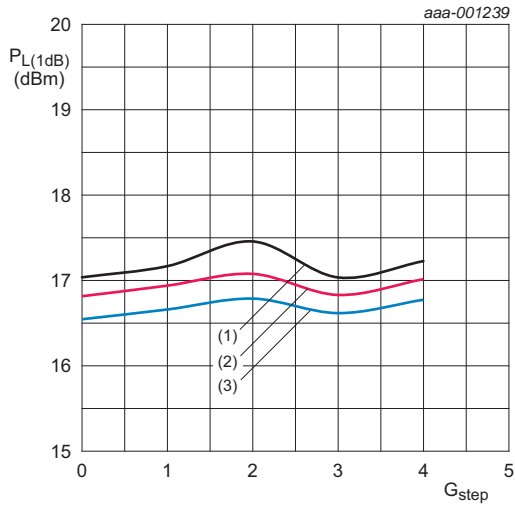
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- (1)  $T_{amb} = -40$  °C
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  - (3)  $T_{amb} = +85$  °C

**Fig 15. Differential gain error as a function of gain step**



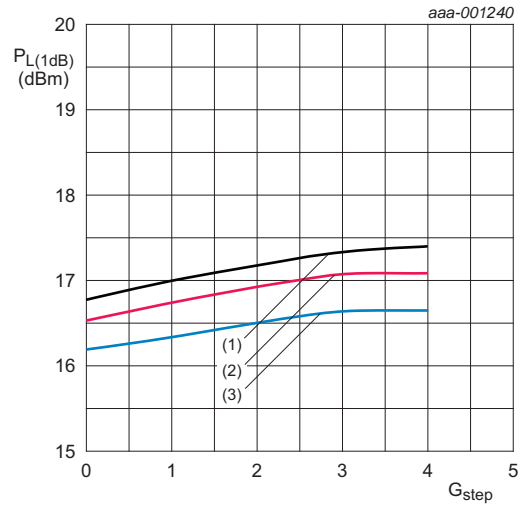
- Tuned for  $f_{IF} = 230$  MHz.
- (1)  $T_{amb} = -40$  °C
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  - (3)  $T_{amb} = +85$  °C

**Fig 16. Differential gain error as a function of gain step**



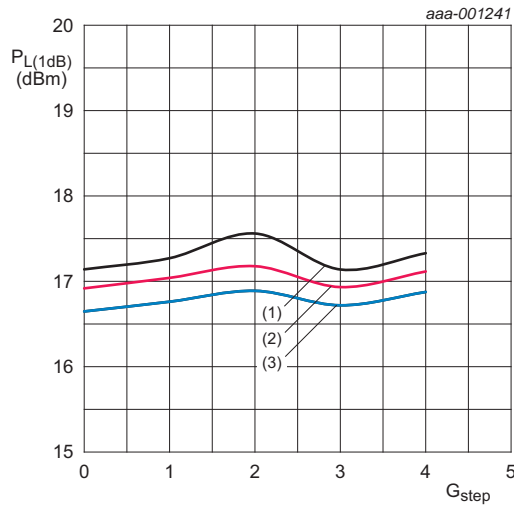
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 (1)  $T_{amb} = -40$  °C  
 (2)  $T_{amb} = +25$  °C  
 (3)  $T_{amb} = +85$  °C

**Fig 17. output power at 1 dB gain compression as a function of gain step**



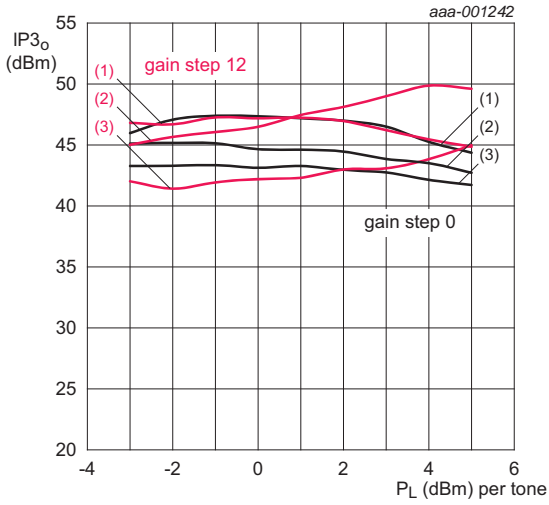
Tuned for  $f_{IF} = 172$  MHz.  
 (1)  $T_{amb} = -40$  °C  
 (2)  $T_{amb} = +25$  °C  
 (3)  $T_{amb} = +85$  °C

**Fig 18. output power at 1 dB gain compression as a function of gain step**



Tuned for  $f_{IF} = 230$  MHz.  
 (1)  $T_{amb} = -40$  °C  
 (2)  $T_{amb} = +25$  °C  
 (3)  $T_{amb} = +85$  °C

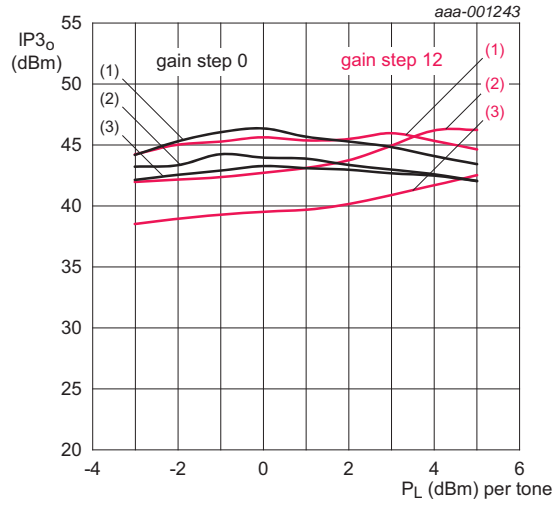
**Fig 19. output power at 1 dB gain compression as a function of gain step**



Tuned for  $f_{IF} = 140$  MHz.

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- (3)  $T_{amb} = +85$  °C

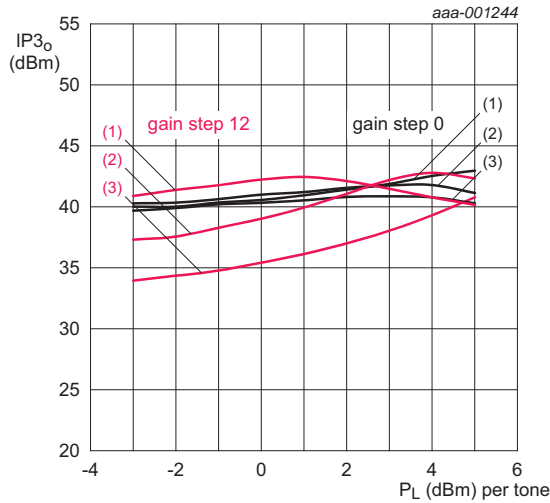
**Fig 20. Output third order intercept point as a function of output power per tone**



Tuned for  $f_{IF} = 172$  MHz.

- (1)  $T_{amb} = -40$  °C
- (2)  $T_{amb} = +25$  °C
- (3)  $T_{amb} = +85$  °C

**Fig 21. Output third order intercept point as a function of output power per tone**

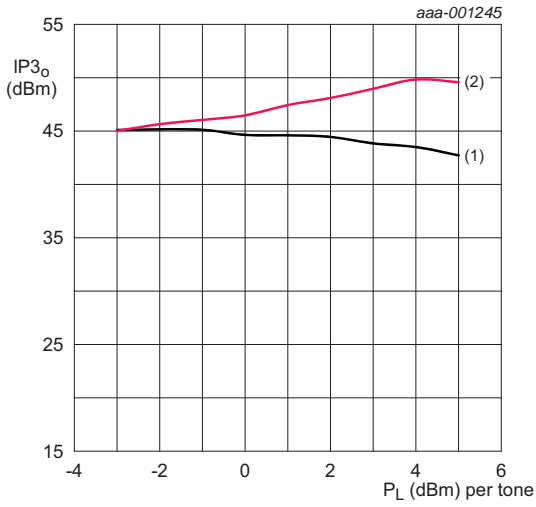


Tuned for  $f_{IF} = 230$  MHz.

- (1)  $T_{amb} = -40$  °C
- (2)  $T_{amb} = +25$  °C
- (3)  $T_{amb} = +85$  °C

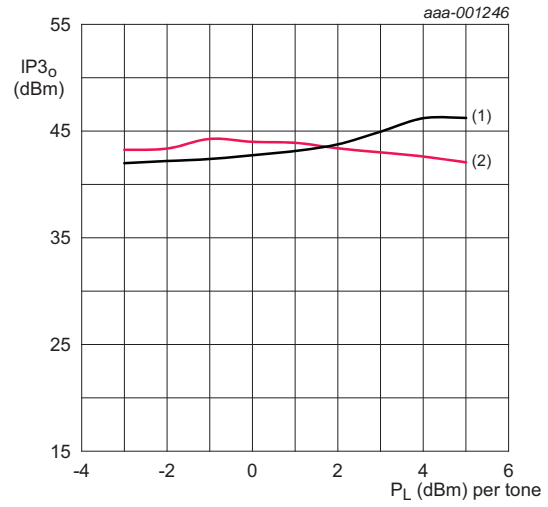
**Fig 22. Output third order intercept point as a function of output power per tone**





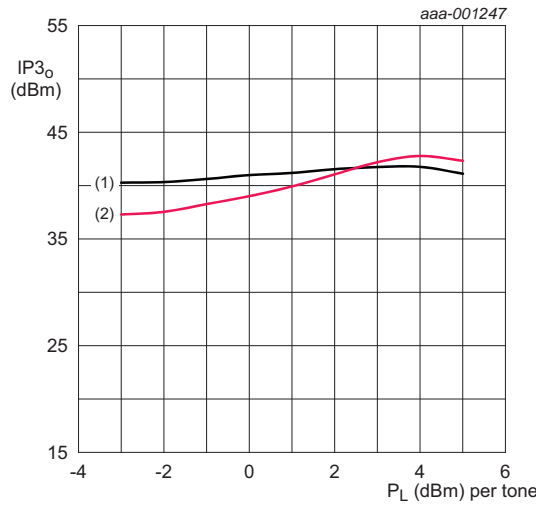
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 (1) gain step 0  
 (2) gain step 12

**Fig 23. Output third order intercept point as a function of output power per tone**



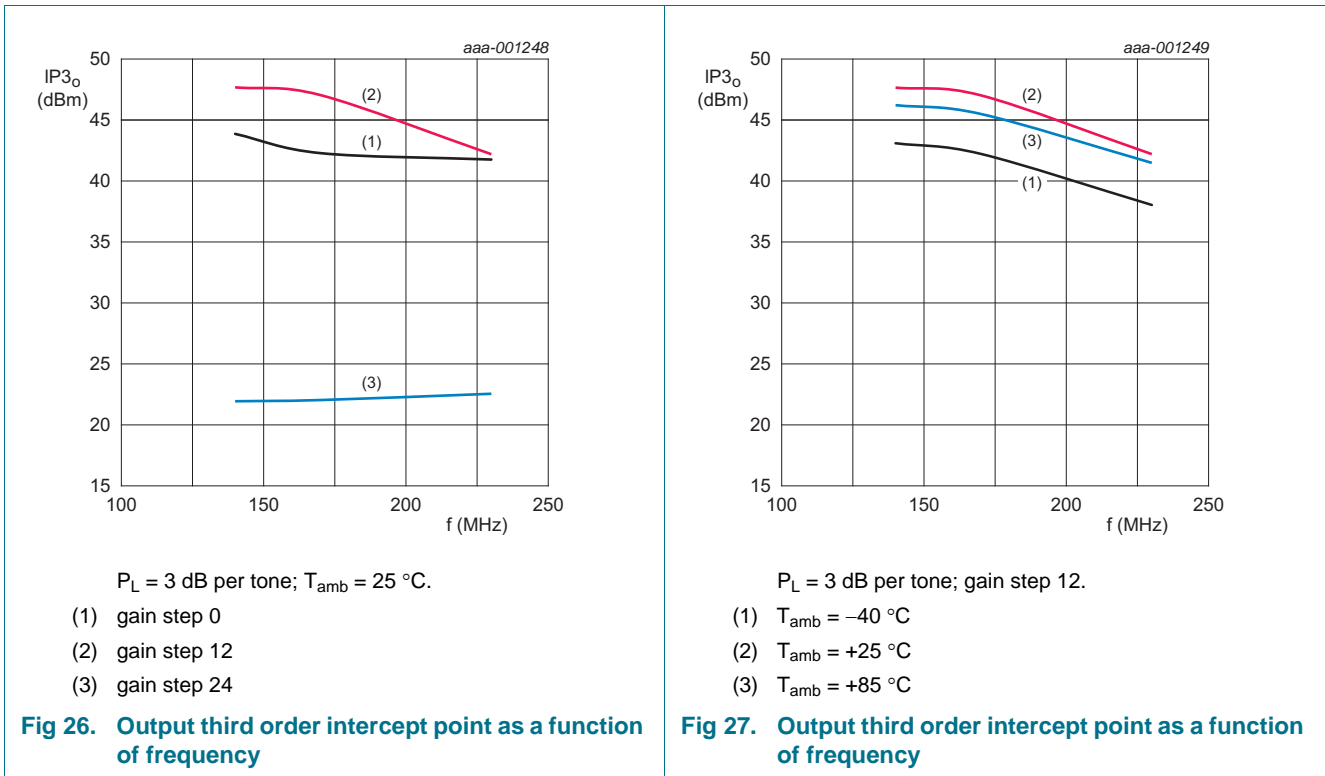
Tuned for  $f_{IF} = 172$  MHz.  
 (1) gain step 0  
 (2) gain step 12

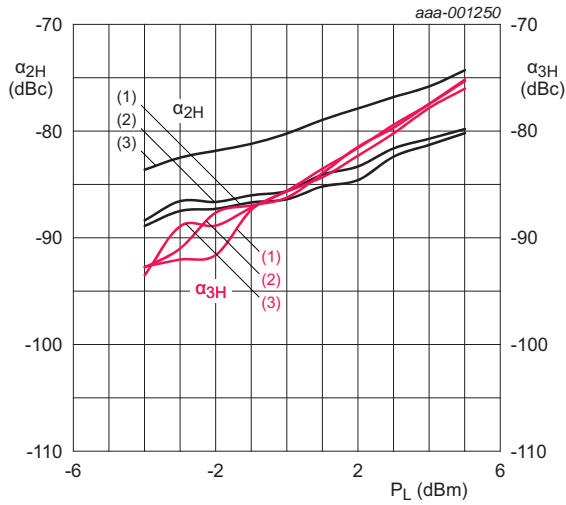
**Fig 24. Output third order intercept point as a function of output power per tone**



Tuned for  $f_{IF} = 230$  MHz.  
 (1) gain step 0  
 (2) gain step 12

**Fig 25. Output third order intercept point as a function of output power per tone**

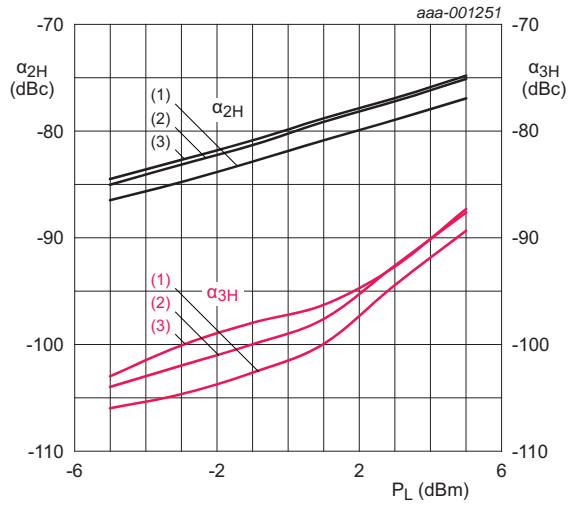




Tuned for  $f_{IF} = 86$  MHz;  $f_{2H} = 172$  MHz;  $f_{3H} = 258$  MHz; gain step 0 (maximum gain).

- (1)  $T_{amb} = -40$  °C
- (2)  $T_{amb} = +25$  °C
- (3)  $T_{amb} = +85$  °C

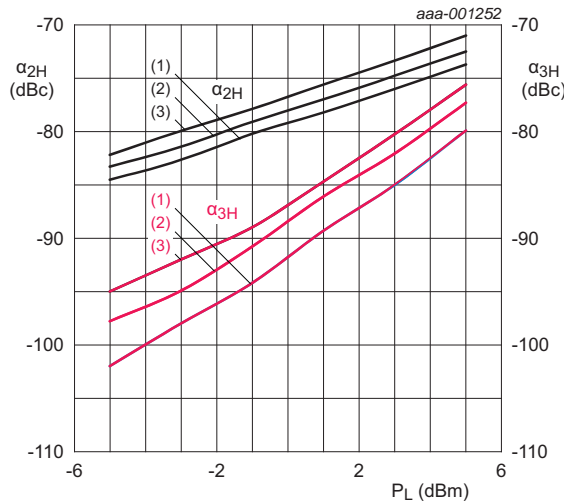
Fig 28. Second harmonic level and third harmonic level as a function of output power



Tuned for  $f_{IF} = 140$  MHz;  $f_{2H} = 280$  MHz;  $f_{3H} = 420$  MHz; gain step 0 (maximum gain).

- (1)  $T_{amb} = -40$  °C
- (2)  $T_{amb} = +25$  °C
- (3)  $T_{amb} = +85$  °C

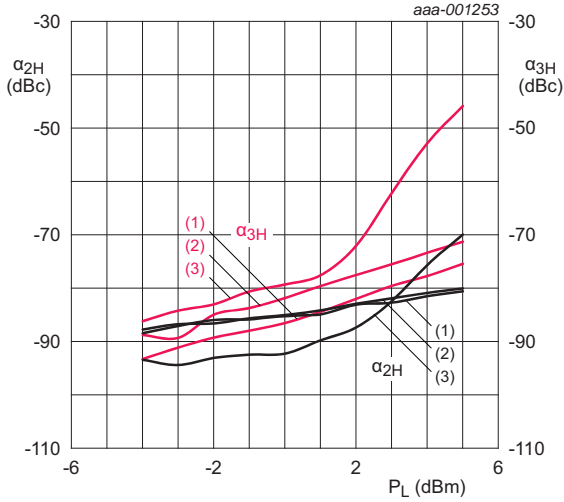
Fig 29. Second harmonic level and third harmonic level as a function of output power



Tuned for  $f_{IF} = 230$  MHz;  $f_{2H} = 460$  MHz;  $f_{3H} = 690$  MHz; gain step 0 (maximum gain).

- (1)  $T_{amb} = -40$  °C
- (2)  $T_{amb} = +25$  °C
- (3)  $T_{amb} = +85$  °C

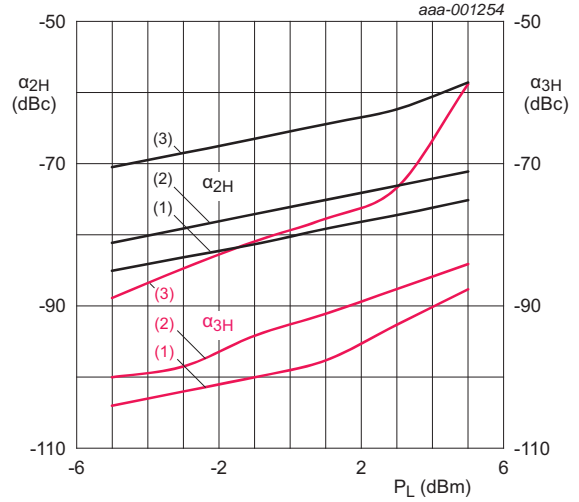
Fig 30. Second harmonic level and third harmonic level as a function of output power



Tuned for  $f_{IF} = 86 \text{ MHz}$ ;  $f_{2H} = 172 \text{ MHz}$ ;  $f_{3H} = 358 \text{ MHz}$ ;  $T_{amb} = 25 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ .

- (1) gain step 0
- (2) gain step 12
- (3) gain step 24

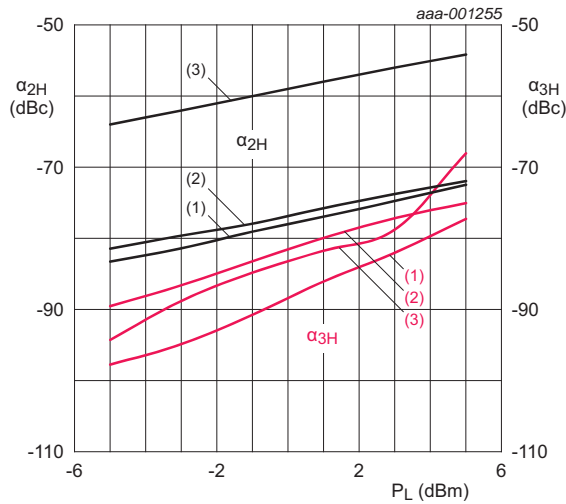
**Fig 31. Second harmonic level and third harmonic level as a function of output power**



Tuned for  $f_{IF} = 140 \text{ MHz}$ ;  $f_{2H} = 280 \text{ MHz}$ ;  $f_{3H} = 420 \text{ MHz}$ ;  $T_{amb} = 25 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ .

- (1) gain step 0
- (2) gain step 12
- (3) gain step 24

**Fig 32. Second harmonic level and third harmonic level as a function of output power**

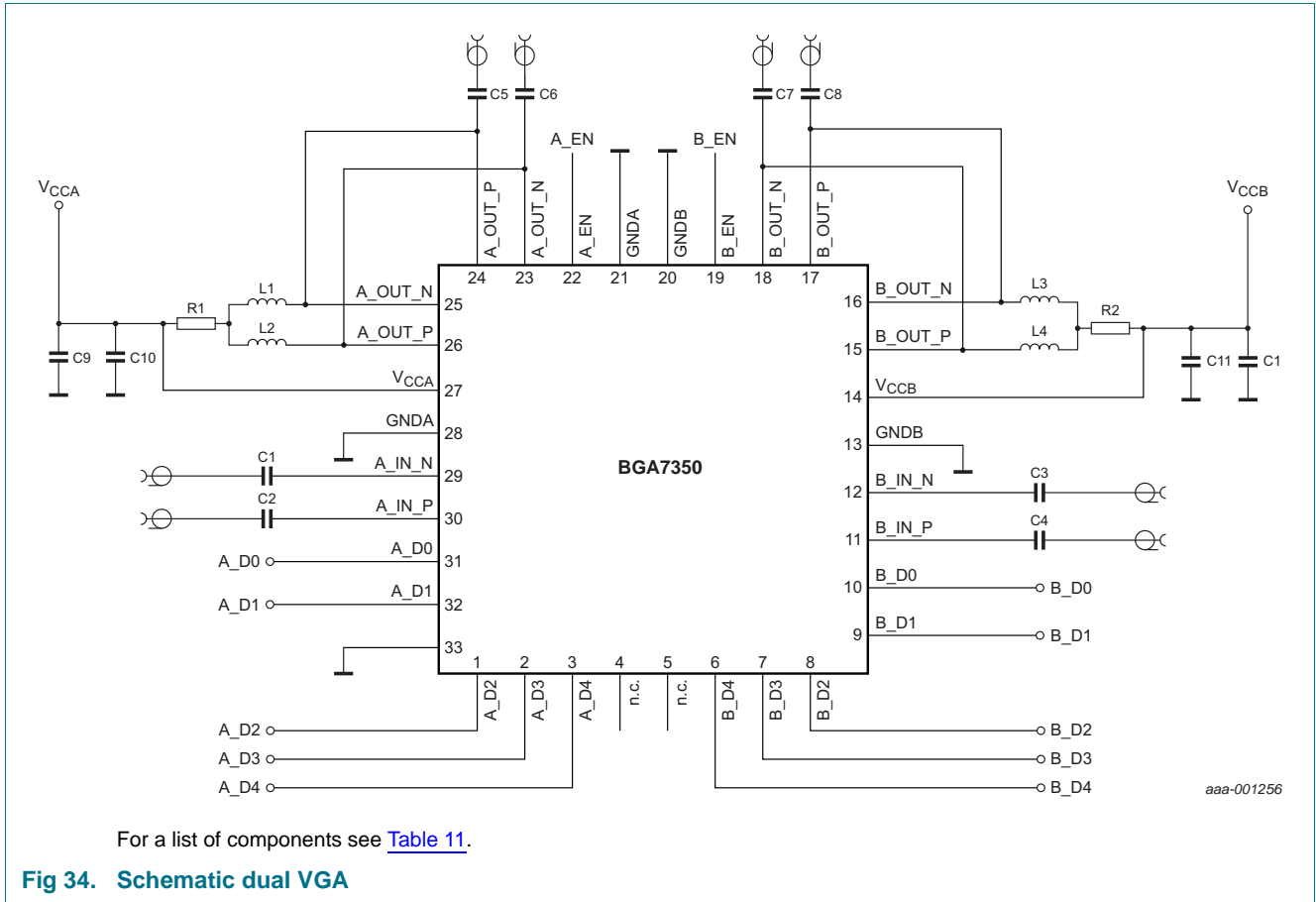


Tuned for  $f_{IF} = 230 \text{ MHz}$ ;  $f_{2H} = 460 \text{ MHz}$ ;  $f_{3H} = 690 \text{ MHz}$ ;  $T_{amb} = 25 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ .

- (1) gain step 0
- (2) gain step 12
- (3) gain step 24

**Fig 33. Second harmonic level and third harmonic level as a function of output power**

11.1 Schematic dual VGA

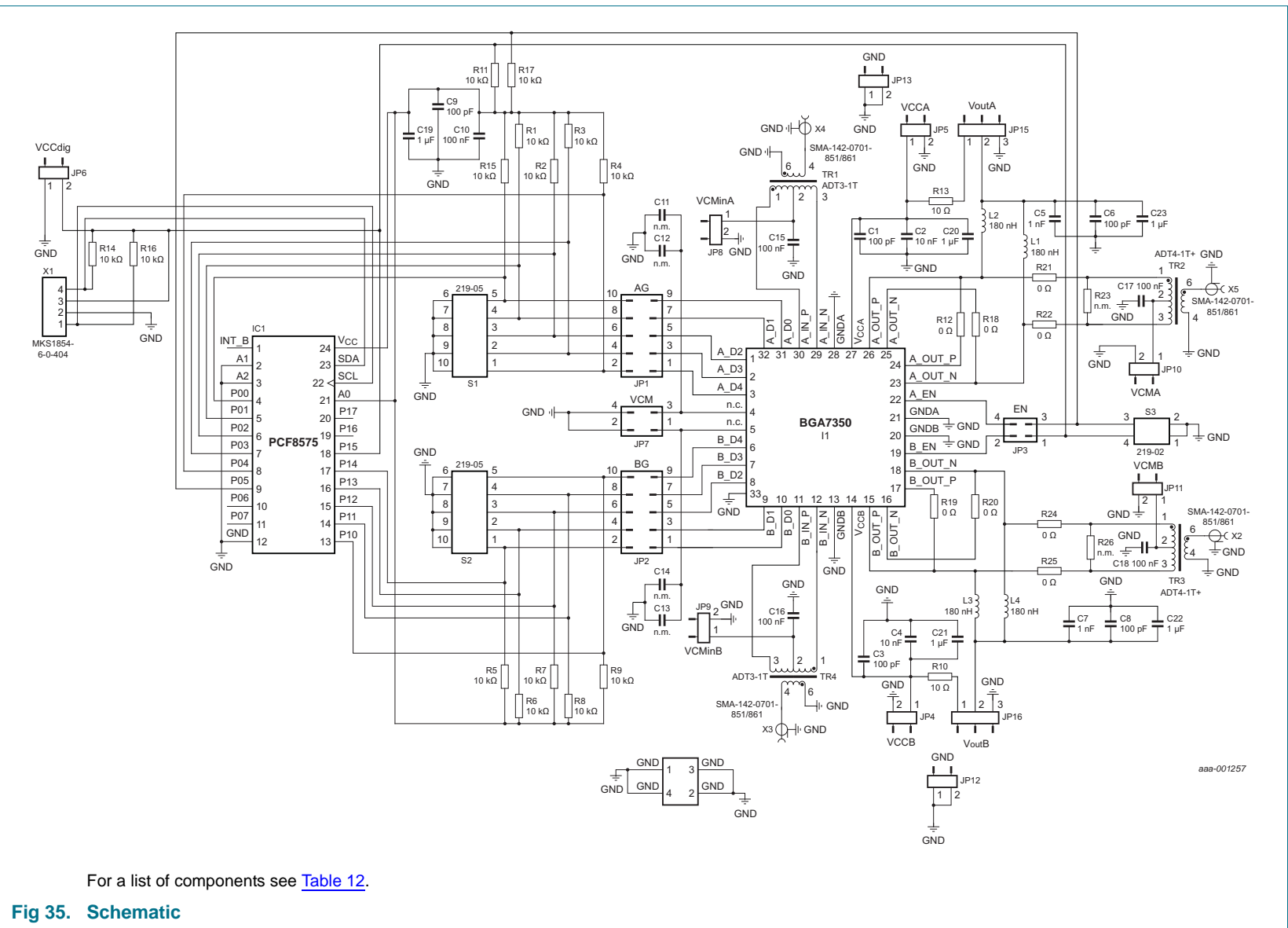


**Table 11. List of components**

For schematic see [Figure 34](#).

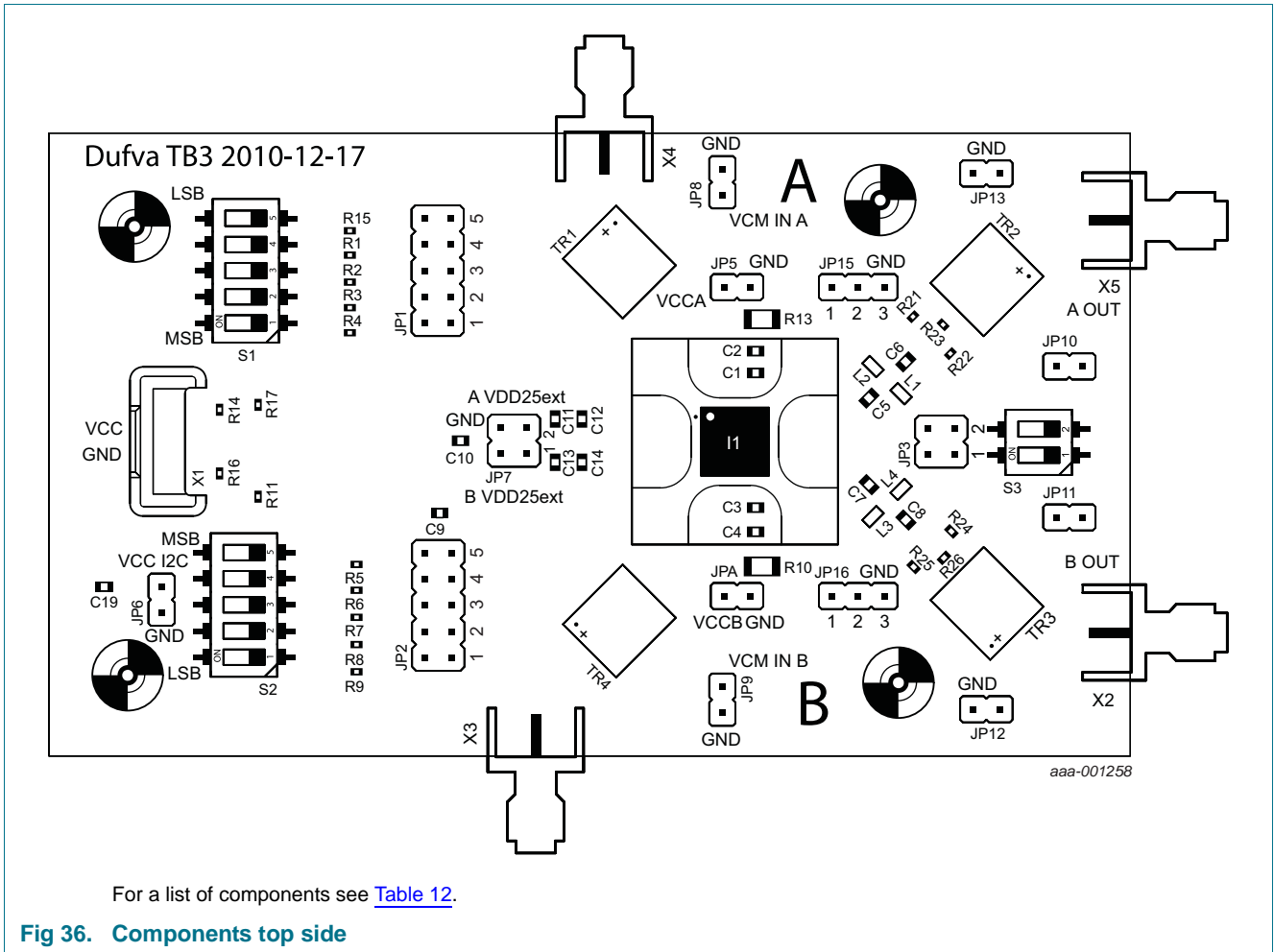
| Component                               | Description | Conditions  | Value   | Remarks |
|---|-------------|-------------|---------|---------|
| C1, C2, C3, C4, C5, C6, C7, C8, C9, C11 | capacitor   |             | 1 nF    |         |
| C10, C12                                | capacitor   |             | 100 pF  |         |
| L1, L2, L3, L4                          | inductor    | f = 50 MHz  | 1200 nH | 0603LS  |
|   |             | f = 172 MHz | 120 nH  | 0603LS  |
|   |             | f = 250 MHz | 56 nH   | 0603LS  |
| R1, R2                                  | resistor    |             | 0 Ω     |         |

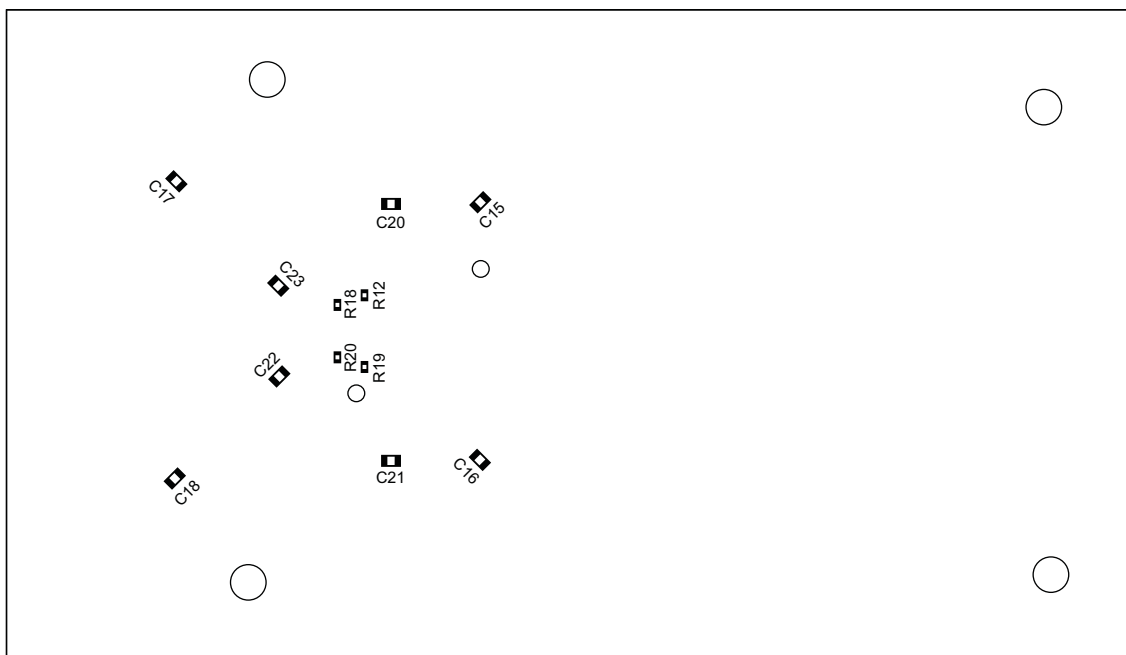
11.2 Application PCB



For a list of components see [Table 12](#).

Fig 35. Schematic





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For a list of components see [Table 12](#).

**Fig 37. Components bottom side**

**Table 12. List of components**

See [Figure 35](#), [Figure 36](#) and [Figure 37](#).

| Component               | Description | Conditions | Value     | Size | Remarks     |
|-------------------------|-------------|------------|-----------|------|-------------|
| C1, C3, C6, C8, C9      | capacitor   |            | 100 pF    | 0603 |             |
| C2, C4                  | capacitor   |            | 10 nF     | 0603 |             |
| C5, C7                  | capacitor   |            | 1 nF      | 0603 |             |
| C10, C15, C16, C17, C18 | capacitor   |            | 100 nF    | 0603 |             |
| C11                     | capacitor   |            | -         | 0603 | not mounted |
| C12                     | capacitor   |            | -         | 0603 | not mounted |
| C13                     | capacitor   |            | -         | 0603 | not mounted |
| C14                     | capacitor   |            | -         | 0603 | not mounted |
| C19, C20, C21, C22, C23 | capacitor   |            | 1 $\mu$ F | 0603 |             |
| I1                      | BGA7350     |            | -         |      |             |
| JP1                     | jumper      |            | -         | JP5  | AG          |
| JP2                     | jumper      |            | -         | JP5  | BG          |
| JP3                     | jumper      |            | -         | JP2  | EN          |
| JP4                     | jumper      |            | -         | JP2  | VCCB        |
| JP5                     | jumper      |            | -         | JP2  | VCCA        |
| JP6                     | jumper      |            | -         | JP2  | VCCdig      |
| JP7                     | jumper      |            | -         | JP2  | VCM         |
| JP8                     | jumper      |            | -         | JP2  | VCMInA      |



Table 12. List of components

See [Figure 35](#), [Figure 36](#) and [Figure 37](#).

| Component      | Description     | Conditions                 | Value       | Size | Remarks                 |
|----------------|-----------------|----------------------------|-------------|------|-------------------------|
| JP9            | jumper          |                            | -           | JP2  | VCMInB                  |
| JP10           | jumper          |                            | -           | JP2  | VCMA                    |
| JP11           | jumper          |                            | -           | JP2  | VCMB                    |
| JP12           | jumper          |                            | -           | JP2  | GND                     |
| JP13           | jumper          |                            | -           | JP2  | GND                     |
| JP15           | jumper          |                            | -           | JP3  | VoutA                   |
| JP16           | jumper          |                            | -           | JP3  | VoutB                   |
| L1, L2, L3, L4 | inductor        | $f_{IF} = 140 \text{ MHz}$ | 150 nH      | 0603 | dependent on PCB layout |
|                |                 | $f_{IF} = 172 \text{ MHz}$ | 100 nH      | 0603 | dependent on PCB layout |
|                |                 | $f_{IF} = 230 \text{ MHz}$ | 56 nH       | 0603 | dependent on PCB layout |
| R1             | resistor        |                            | 10 $\Omega$ | 0402 |                         |
| R2             | resistor        |                            | 10 $\Omega$ | 0402 |                         |
| R3             | resistor        |                            | 10 $\Omega$ | 0402 |                         |
| R4             | resistor        |                            | 10 $\Omega$ | 0402 |                         |
| R5             | resistor        |                            | 10 $\Omega$ | 0402 |                         |
| R6             | resistor        |                            | 10 $\Omega$ | 0402 |                         |
| R7             | resistor        |                            | 10 $\Omega$ | 0402 |                         |
| R8             | resistor        |                            | 10 $\Omega$ | 0402 |                         |
| R9             | resistor        |                            | 10 $\Omega$ | 0402 |                         |
| R10            | resistor        |                            | 10 $\Omega$ | 1206 |                         |
| R11            | resistor        |                            | 10 $\Omega$ | 0402 |                         |
| R12            | resistor        |                            | 0 $\Omega$  | 0402 |                         |
| R13            | resistor        |                            | 10 $\Omega$ | 1206 |                         |
| R14            | resistor        |                            | 10 $\Omega$ | 0402 |                         |
| R15            | resistor        |                            | 10 $\Omega$ | 0402 |                         |
| R16            | resistor        |                            | 10 $\Omega$ | 0402 |                         |
| R17            | resistor        |                            | 10 $\Omega$ | 0402 |                         |
| R18            | resistor        |                            | 0 $\Omega$  | 0402 |                         |
| R19            | resistor        |                            | 0 $\Omega$  | 0402 |                         |
| R20            | resistor        |                            | 0 $\Omega$  | 0402 |                         |
| R21            | resistor        |                            | 0 $\Omega$  | 0402 |                         |
| R22            | resistor        |                            | 0 $\Omega$  | 0402 |                         |
| R23            | resistor        |                            | -           | 0402 | not mounted             |
| R24            | resistor        |                            | 0 $\Omega$  | 0402 |                         |
| R25            | resistor        |                            | 0 $\Omega$  | 0402 | not mounted             |
| R26            | resistor        |                            | -           | 0402 |                         |
| S1             | DIP-switch      |                            | -           |      | CTS-219-05              |
| S2             | DIP-switch      |                            | -           |      | CTS-219-05              |
| S3             | DIP-switch      |                            | -           |      | CTS-219-02              |
| TR1            | 1:3 transformer |                            | -           |      | Mini Circuits ADT3-1T+  |

**Table 12. List of components**See [Figure 35](#), [Figure 36](#) and [Figure 37](#).

| Component | Description     | Conditions | Value | Size | Remarks                |
|-----------|-----------------|------------|-------|------|------------------------|
| TR2       | 1:4 transformer |            | -     |      | Mini Circuits ADT4-1T+ |
| TR3       | 1:3 transformer |            | -     |      | Mini Circuits ADT4-1T+ |
| TR4       | 1:4 transformer |            | -     |      | Mini Circuits ADT3-1T+ |
| X1        | -               |            | -     |      | not mounted            |
| X2        | SMA-connector   |            | -     |      | BOUT_P                 |
| X3        | SMA-connector   |            | -     |      | BIN_P                  |
| X4        | SMA-connector   |            | -     |      | AIN_P                  |
| X5        | SMA-connector   |            | -     |      | AOUT_P                 |

12. Package outline

HVQFN32: plastic thermal enhanced very thin quad flat package; no leads; 32 terminals; body 5 x 5 x 0.85 mm

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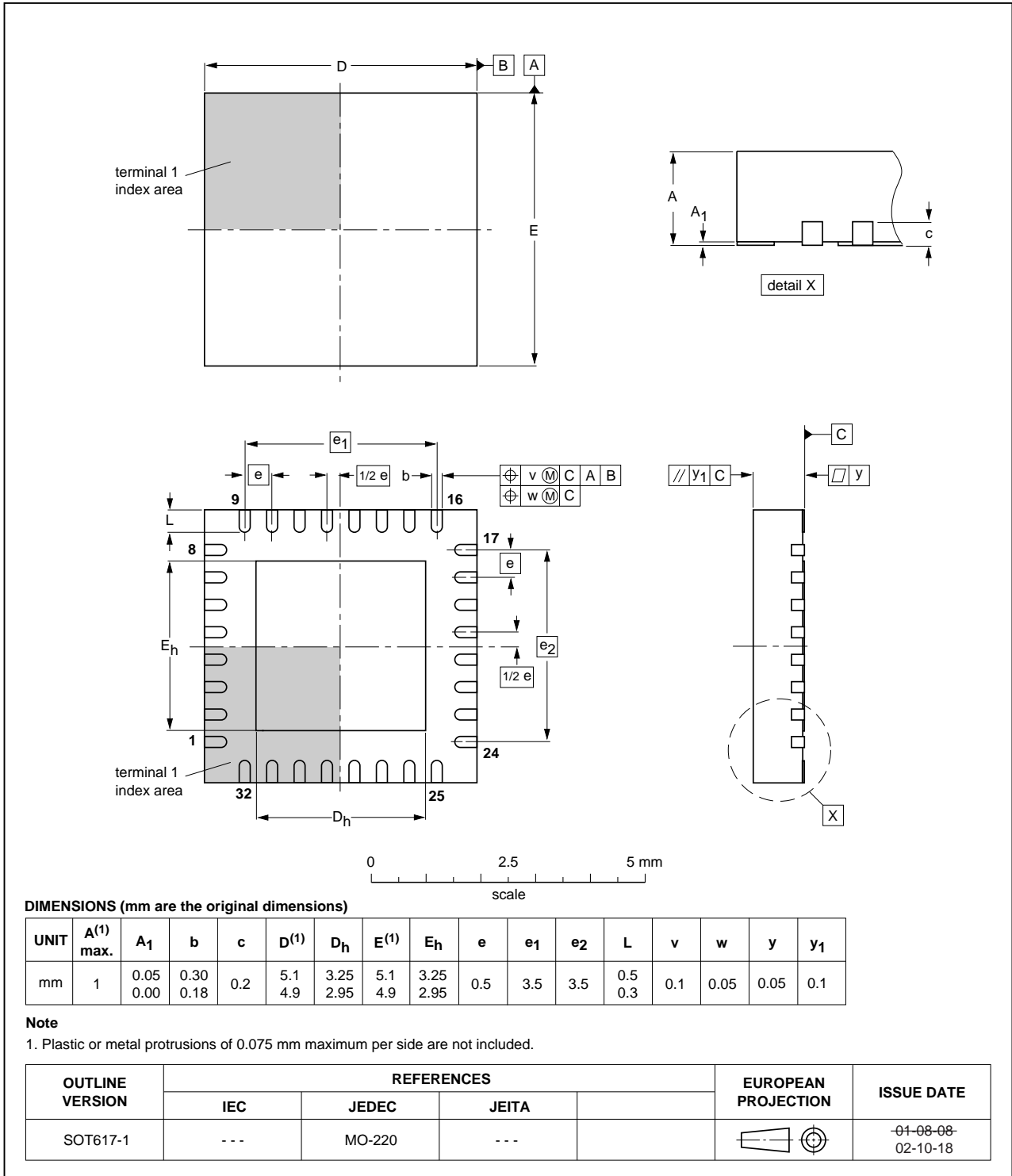


Fig 38. Package outline SOT617-1 (HVQFN32)

## 13. Abbreviations

**Table 13. Abbreviations**

| Acronym | Description                                     |
|---------|---|
| ADC     | Analog-to-Digital Converter                     |
| DC      | Direct Current                                  |
| DIP     | Dual In-line Package                            |
| EMI     | ElectroMagnetic Interference                    |
| ESD     | ElectroStatic Discharge                         |
| GSM     | Global System for Mobile Communications         |
| HTOL    | High Temperature Operating Life                 |
| HVQFN   | Heatsink Very-thin Quad Flat-pack No-leads      |
| IF      | Intermediate Frequency                          |
| LSB     | Least Significant Bit                           |
| LTE     | Long Term Evolution                             |
| MMIC    | Monolithic Microwave Integrated Circuit         |
| MSB     | Most Significant Bit                            |
| PCB     | Printed-Circuit Board                           |
| RF      | Radio Frequency                                 |
| SMA     | SubMiniature version A                          |
| WiMAX   | Worldwide Interoperability for Microwave Access |
| W-CDMA  | Wideband Code Division Multiple Access          |

## 14. Revision history

**Table 14. Revision history**

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