



DC1103A : 3.5GHz WiMAX Power Amplifier

Product Description

This product is a linear amplifier operating for IEEE802.16 broadband wireless applications in 3.3 to 3.8GHz. The device is manufactured on InGaP/GaAs HBT process and delivers 30dB gain. It has 2.5% EVM at 24dBm output power from a single +3.3V power supply. It features an integrated detector for antenna power, integrated 20dB step attenuator and on/off power control. No external circuits are required for RF impedance matching, thus reducing external components. It is packaged in a 4x4 QFN style package.

Typical Application

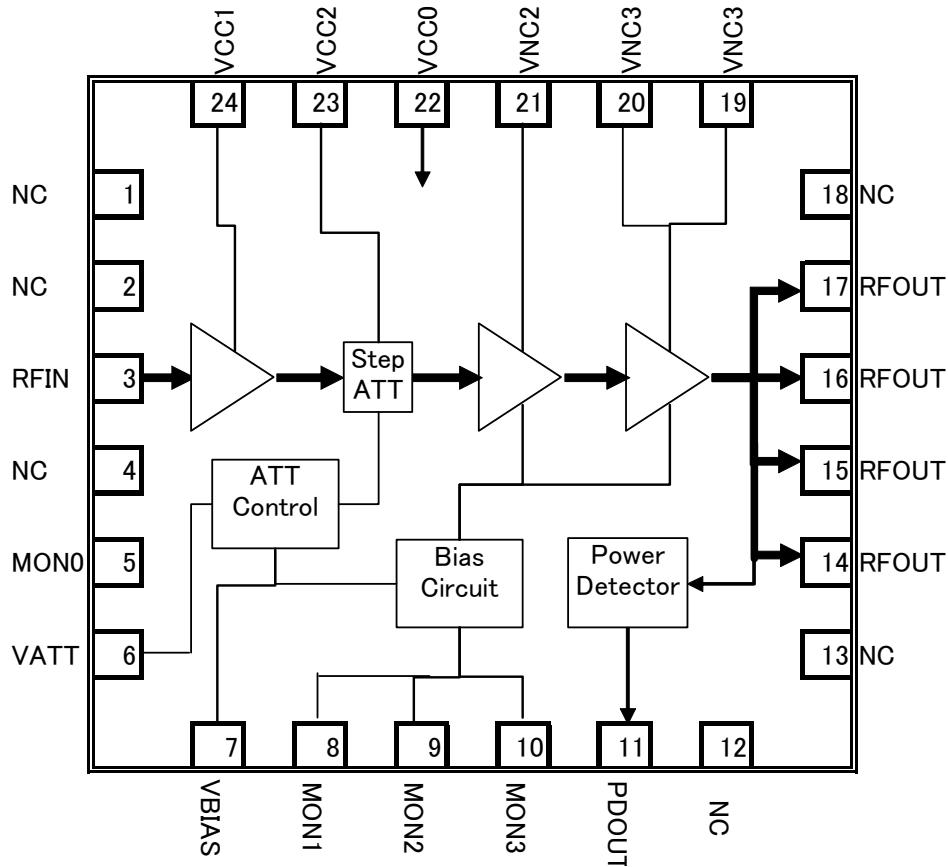
- WiMAX transceivers
- Fixed Broadband Wireless

Key Features

- 3.3GHz to 3.8GHz Operation
- 30dB Gain
- 30dBm P1dB @ 3.3V
- 2.5% EVM, Pout=24dBm, 3.3V IEEE802.16OFDM, 64QAM
- Power up/down control < 1us
- Integrated 20dB Step Attenuator
- 50 Ohm Matched RF ports
- On-Chip Power Detector

| Parameter | Specification | | | Unit | Condition |
|---------------------------------|---------------|------|------|------|--------------------------------|
| | Min. | Typ. | Max. | | |
| Overall | | | | | |
| Frequency Range | 3300 | | 3800 | MHz | |
| OP1dB | | 30 | | dBm | Vcc=3.3V |
| | | 33 | | dBm | Vcc=4.5V |
| Gain | | 30 | | dB | |
| Attenuator Step | | 20 | | dB | |
| NF | | 7 | | | |
| IM3 | | -40 | | dBc | Pout=19dBm per tone |
| OIP3 | | 42 | | dBm | |
| EVM | | 2.5 | | % | Pout=24.0dBm, 802.16OFDM@3.3V |
| | | 2.5 | | % | Pout=27.0dBm, 802.16OFDM@4.5V |
| Power-Added Efficiency | | 10 | | % | Pout=24.0dBm, 802.16OFDM@3.3V, |
| Power Detector Voltage at 16dBm | | +0.5 | | V | High impedance load |
| Power Detector Voltage at 30dBm | | +2.5 | | V | |
| Power Supply | | | | | |
| Power Supply Voltage | 3.0 | 3.3 | 4.6 | V | |
| Operation Current | | 300 | | mA | Pout=24.0dBm, 802.16OFDM@3.3V, |
| Quiescent Current | | 180 | | mA | 30% duty cycle. |
| Turn ON/OFF Time | | | 1 | us | |

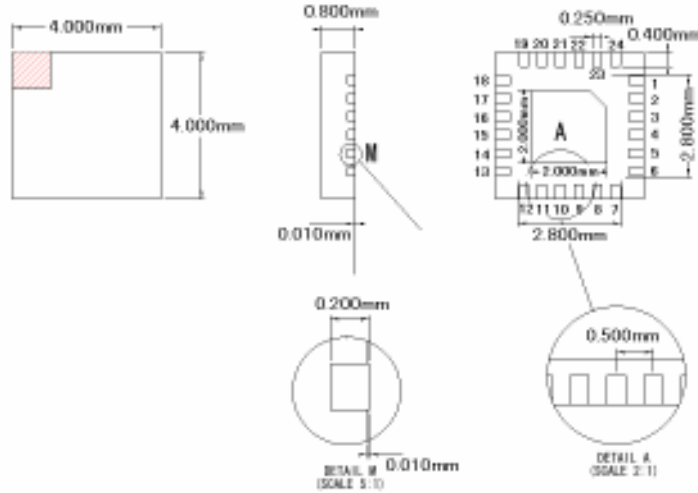
Functional Block Diagram



Pin Definitions

| PIN No | Name | Descriptions |
|----------------|-------|--|
| 3 | RFIN | RF input PIN. 50 ohm terminated internally. |
| 5 | MON0 | Bias Monitor 0.(Open) |
| 6 | VATT | Step Attenuator Control. ('H'=-20dB, 'L'=0dB) |
| 7 | VBIAS | BIAS control and shut down.('H'=-Normal operation, 'L'=Shut Down) |
| 8 | MON1 | Bias Monitor 1. |
| 9 | MON2 | Bias Monitor 2. |
| 10 | MON3 | Bias Monitor 3. |
| 11 | PDOUT | Output of Power Detector. |
| 14-17 | RFOUT | RF output pins. |
| 19,20 | VNC3 | Power supply for the Output stage. |
| 21 | VNC2 | Power supply for the 2nd stage. |
| 22 | VCC0 | Power supply for Bias Circuit. |
| 23 | VCC2 | Power supply for Step Attenuator. |
| 24 | VCC1 | Power Supply for 1st stage. |
| Pkg Base | GND | The backside of the package should be connected to the ground and provides heat sinking. |
| 1,2,4,12,13,18 | NC | These pins are not connected but should be grounded. |

Package Outline : QFN 24Pin (4mm x 4mm x 0.8 mm)



Evaluation Board Schematic

