BGU7042

1 GHz wideband low-noise amplifier with bypass

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1. Product profile

1.1 General description

The BGU7042 MMIC is a 3.3 V wideband amplifier with bypass mode. It is designed specifically for high linearity, low-noise applications over a frequency range of 40 MHz to 1 GHz. It is especially suited for Set-Top Box applications.

The LNA is housed in a 6-pin SOT363 plastic SMD package.

1.2 Features and benefits

- Voltage supply of 3.3 V
- Internally biased
- Programmable between G_p = 10 dB and bypass
- Flat gain between 40 MHz and 1 GHz
- Noise figure of 3.8 dB
- High linearity with an $IP3_O$ of 29 dBm
- 75 Ω input and output impedance
- Power-down during bypass mode
- Bypass mode current consumption < 5 mA
- ESD protection > 2 kV Human Body Model (HBM) and >1.5 kV Charged Device Model (CDM) on all pins

1.3 Applications

- Terrestrial and cable Set-Top Boxes (STB)
- Silicon and “Can” tuners
- Personal and Digital Video Recorders (PVR and DVR)
- Home networking and in-house signal distribution

1.4 Quick reference data

Table 1. Quick reference data

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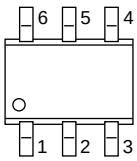
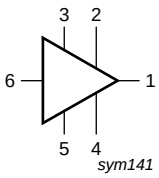
Symbol	Parameter	Conditions		Min	Typ	Max	Unit
V_{CC}	supply voltage	RF input AC coupled		3.1	3.3	3.5	V
$I_{CC(tot)}$	total supply current	G_p = 10 dB mode	[1]	-	38	-	mA
		bypass mode	[1]	-	3	-	mA
T_{amb}	ambient temperature			−10	-	+70	°C
NF	noise figure	G_p = 10 dB mode	[1]	-	3.8	-	dB
		bypass mode	[1]	-	2.5	-	dB
$P_{L(1dB)}$	output power at 1 dB gain compression	1 GHz; G_p = 10 dB mode	[1]	-	12	-	dBm
$IP3_O$	output third-order intercept point	G_p = 10 dB mode	[1][2]	-	29	-	dBm

[1] Mode depends on setting of V_{CTRL}; see Table 8.

[2] The fundamental frequency (f_1) is 1000 MHz. The intermodulation product (IM3) is $2 \times f_2 - f_1$, where $f_2 = f_1 \pm 1$ MHz. Input power P_i = −10 dBm.

2. Pinning information

Table 2. Pinning

Pin	Description	Simplified outline	Graphic symbol
1	RF_OUT		
2	V_{CC}		
3	n.c.		
4	CTRL		
5	GND		
6	RF_IN		

3. Ordering information

Table 3. Ordering information

Type number	Package		
	Name	Description	Version
BGU7042	-	plastic surface-mounted package; 6 leads	SOT363

4. Marking

Table 4. Marking codes

Type number	Marking code	Description
BGU7042	*VB	* = p : made in Hong Kong
		* = W : made in China
		* = t : made in Malaysia

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5. Limiting values

Table 5. Limiting values

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

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions		Min	Max	Unit
V_{CC}	supply voltage	RF input AC coupled		–0.6	3.5	V
$V_{ctrl(Gp)}$	power gain control voltage	pin CTRL	[1]	0	V_{CC}	V
$I_{CC(tot)}$	total supply current			-	60	mA
P_{tot}	total power dissipation	$T_{sp} \leq 100$ °C	[2]	-	250	mW
P_i	input power	single tone		-	10	dBm
T_{stg}	storage temperature			–65	+150	°C
T_j	junction temperature			-	150	°C
T_{amb}	ambient temperature			–10	+70	°C
V_{ESD}	electrostatic discharge voltage	Human Body Model (HBM); according to JEDEC standard 22-A114E		2	-	kV
		Charged Device Model (CDM); according to JEDEC standard 22-C101B		1.5	-	kV

[1] $V_{ctrl(Gp)}$ must not exceed V_{CC}; I_{CTRL} must be limited to 5 mA (maximum).

[2] T_{sp} is the temperature at the solder point of the ground lead.

Remark: $V_{ctrl(Gp)}$ must not exceed V_{CC}; I_{CTRL} must be limited to a maximum of 5 mA.

6. Thermal characteristics

Table 6. Thermal characteristics

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Typ	Unit
$R_{th(j-sp)}$	thermal resistance from junction to solder point		240	K/W

7. Characteristics

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$\|S_{21}\|^2$	insertion power gain	G_p = 10 dB mode	[1]	-	10	-	dB
		bypass mode	[1]	-	–2	-	dB
SL_{sl}	slope straight line	G_p = 10 dB mode		-	–1	-	dB
FL	flatness of frequency response	G_p = 10 dB mode		-	0.2	-	dB
NF	noise figure	G_p = 10 dB mode	[1]	-	3.8	-	dB
		bypass mode	[1]	-	2.5	-	dB

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Table 7. Characteristics *...continued*

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Symbol	Parameter	Conditions		Min	Typ	Max	Unit
RL_{in}	input return loss	G_p = 10 dB mode	[1]	-	21	-	dB
		bypass mode	[1]	-	10	-	dB
RL_{out}	output return loss	G_p = 10 dB mode	[1]	-	12	-	dB
		bypass mode	[1]	-	10	-	dB
$P_{L(1dB)}$	output power at 1 dB gain compression	1 GHz; G_p = 10 dB mode	[1]	-	12	-	dBm
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Table 8. Gain selection (pin CTRL)

−10 °C ≤ T_{amb} ≤ +70 °C; recommended power-up condition: V_{CTRL} = logic 0 or < 0.7 V.

$V_{ctrl(Gp)}$ (V_{CTRL}) (V)	Mode
≤ 0.7	bypass
≥ 1.5	G_p = 10 dB

Remark: $V_{ctrl(Gp)}$ must not exceed V_{CC}; I_{CTRL} must be limited to a maximum of 5 mA.

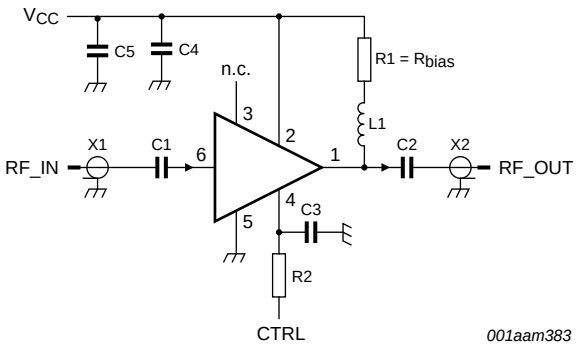
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8.1 Application circuit

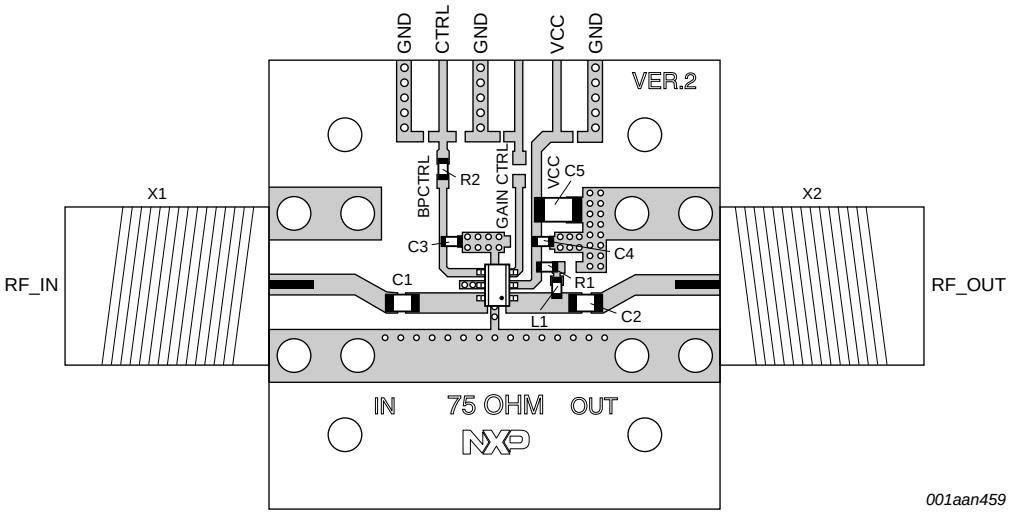


Components are listed in Table 9.

Fig 1. BGU7042 application circuit

All control and supply lines must be decoupled properly. The decoupling capacitors must be placed as close to the device as possible.

8.2 Application circuit board layout



PCB material = FR4.

PCB thickness = 1.6 mm.

PCB size = 30 mm × 30 mm.

ε_r = 4.5; thickness of copper layer = 35 μm.

Components are listed in Table 9.

Fig 2. BGU7042 application circuit board layout

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Table 9. List of components

See Figure 1 and Figure 2.

Component	Description	Value		Remarks	Function
C1, C2	capacitor	10 nF			DC blocking
C3, C4	capacitor	10 nF			decoupling
C5	capacitor	10 μF			decoupling
L1	chip ferrite bead	1.5 kΩ	[1]	Murata BLM18HE152SN1DF	RF choke
R1	resistor	7.5 Ω	[1]	R_{bias}	bias setting
R2	resistor	1.8 kΩ			current limiting
X1, X2	connector	75 Ω		F-connector, edge mount PCB reflow type, Bomar 861V509ER6	input/output

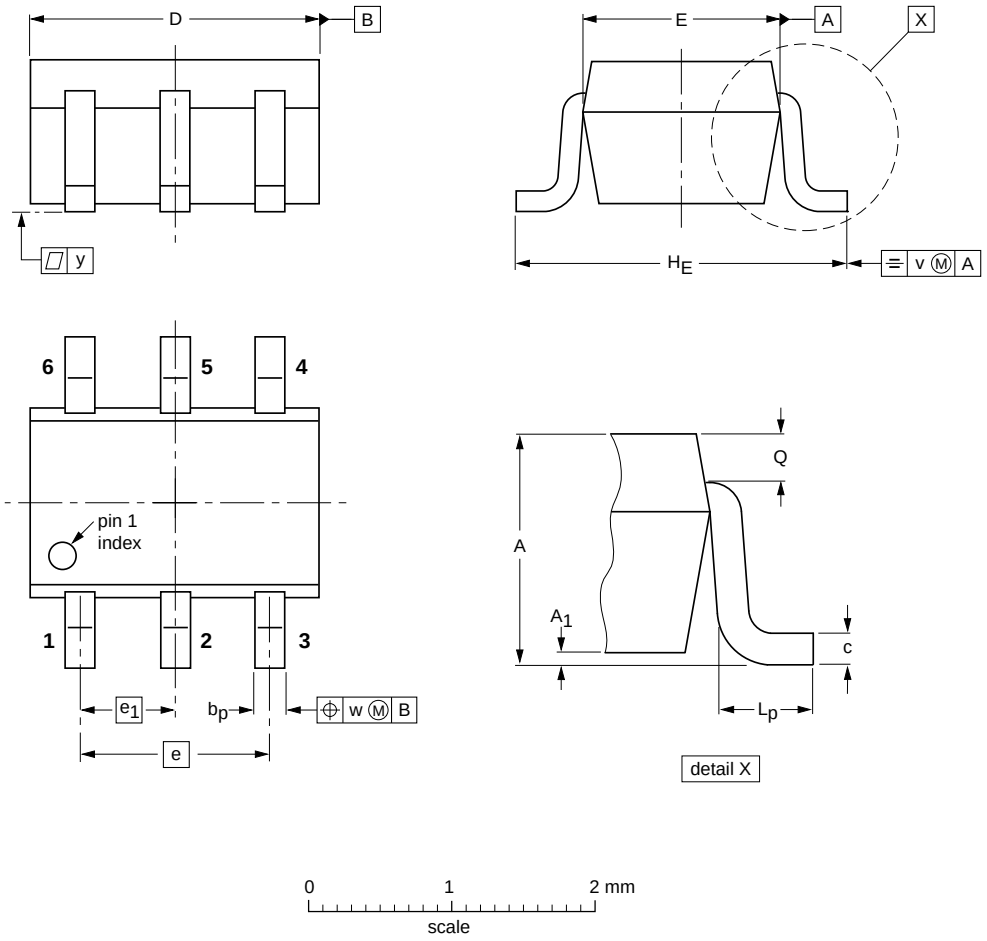
[1] L1 and R1 must have a power rating of 0.1 W or higher.

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9. Package outline

Plastic surface-mounted package; 6 leads **SOT363**



DIMENSIONS (mm are the original dimensions)

UNIT	A	A_1 max	b_p	c	D	E	e	e_1	H_E	L_p	Q	v	w	y
mm	1.1 0.8	0.1	0.30 0.20	0.25 0.10	2.2 1.8	1.35 1.15	1.3	0.65	2.2 2.0	0.45 0.15	0.25 0.15	0.2	0.2	0.1

OUTLINE VERSION	REFERENCES				EUROPEAN PROJECTION	ISSUE DATE
	IEC	JEDEC	JEITA			
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Fig 3. Package outline SOT363

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10. Abbreviations

Table 10. Abbreviations

Acronym	Description
AC	Alternating Current
DC	Direct Current
ESD	ElectroStatic Discharge
LNA	Low-Noise Amplifier
MMIC	Monolithic Microwave Integrated Circuit
PCB	Printed-Circuit Board
RF	Radio Frequency
SMD	Surface-Mounted Device

11. Revision history

Table 11. Revision history

Document ID	Release date	Data sheet status	Change notice	Supersedes
BGU7042 v.2	20110913	Product data sheet		BGU7042 v.1
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BGU7042 v.1	20110208	Product data sheet	-	-

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