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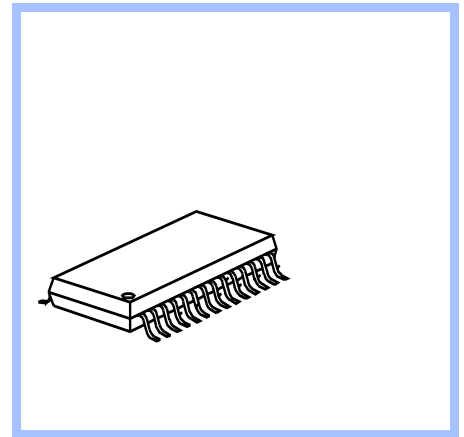
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## Product Info

### General Description

The IC is a very low power consumption single chip ASK Single Conversion Receiver for receive frequencies between 385 and 406MHz. The Receiver offers a high level of integration and needs only a few external components. The device contains a low noise amplifier (LNA), a double balanced mixer, a fully integrated VCO, a PLL synthesiser, a crystal oscillator, a limiter with RSSI generator, a data filter, a data comparator (slicer) and a peak detector. Additionally there is a power down feature to save battery life.

### Package



### Features

- Low supply current ( $I_s = 4.8\text{mA typ.}$ )
- Supply voltage range  $5\text{V} \pm 10\%$
- Temperature range  $-40^\circ\text{C} \dots +85^\circ\text{C}$
- Power down mode with very low supply current (50nA typ)
- Fully integrated VCO and PLL Synthesiser
- RF input sensitivity  $< -110\text{dBm}$
- 390MHz band
- Selectable reference frequency
- Limiter with RSSI generation, operating at 10.7MHz
- 2nd order low pass data filter with external capacitors
- Data slicer with self-adjusting threshold

### Application

- Keyless Entry Systems
- Remote Control Systems
- Fire Alarm Systems
- Low Bitrate Communication Systems

### Ordering Information

| Type                       | Ordering Code | Package      |
|----------------------------|---------------|--------------|
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# 2 Product Description

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## 2.1 Overview

The IC is a very low power consumption single chip ASK Superheterodyne Receiver (SHR) for the frequency band 390MHz. The SHR offers a high level of integration and needs only a few external components. The device contains a low noise amplifier (LNA), a double balanced mixer, a fully integrated VCO, a PLL synthesiser, a crystal oscillator, a limiter with RSSI generator, a data filter, a data comparator (slicer) and a peak detector. Additionally there is a power down feature to save battery life.

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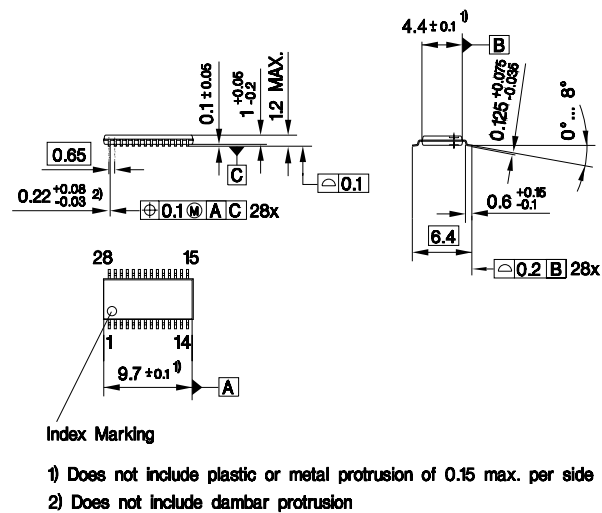
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- Data slicer with self-adjusting threshold
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## 2.4 Possible Receive Ranges

- 385...406MHz (high-side injected)
- 406...428MHz (low-side injected)
- 781...823MHz (high-side injected)
- 803...844MHz (low-side injected)

## 2.5 Package Outlines



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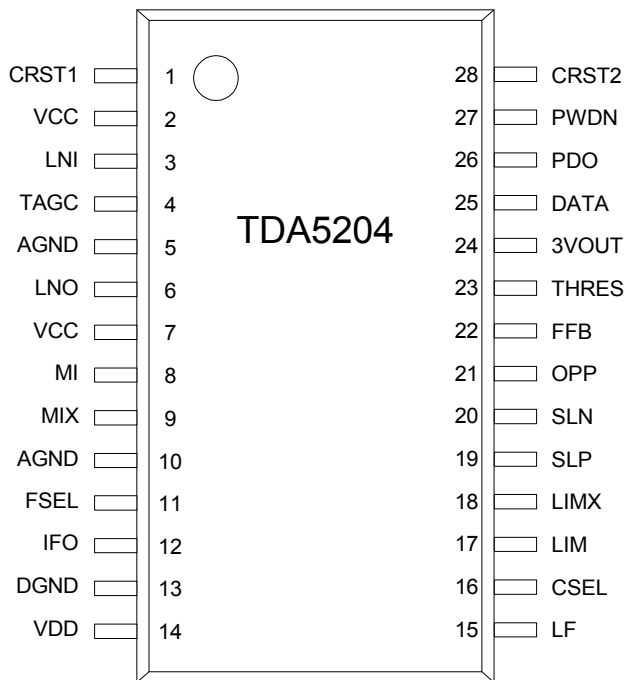


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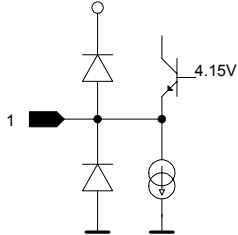
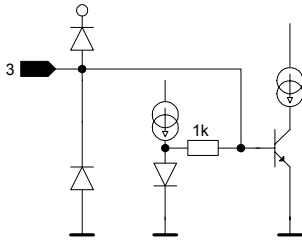
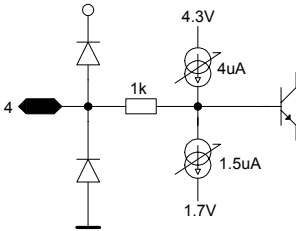
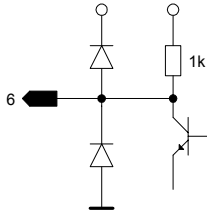
### 3.1 Pin Configuration



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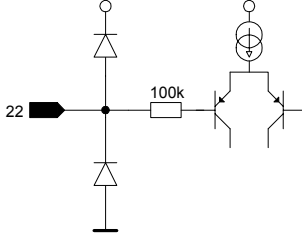
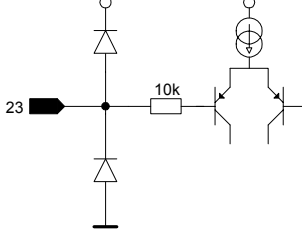
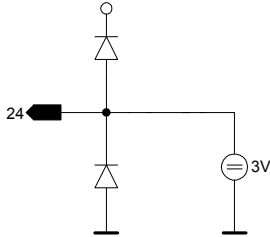
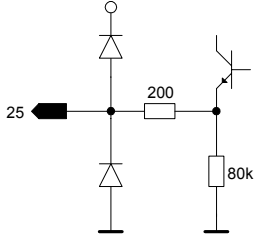
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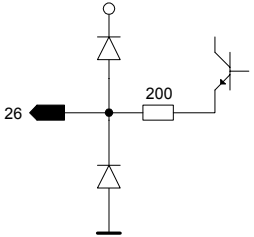
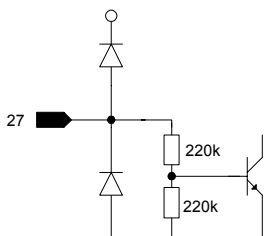
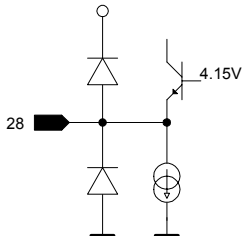
### 3.2 Pin Definition and Function

| Table 3-1 Pin Definition and Function |        |   |                              |
|---------------------------------------|--------|---|------------------------------|
| Pin No.                               | Symbol | Equivalent I/O-Schematic  | Function                     |
| 1                                     | CRST1  |    | External Crystal Connector 1 |
| 2                                     | VCC    |   | 5V Supply                    |
| 3                                     | LNI    |  | LNA Input                    |
| 4                                     | TAGC   |  | AGC Time Constant Control    |
| 5                                     | AGND   |   | Analogue Ground Return       |
| 6                                     | LNO    |  | LNA Output                   |
| 7                                     | VCC    |   | 5V Supply                    |

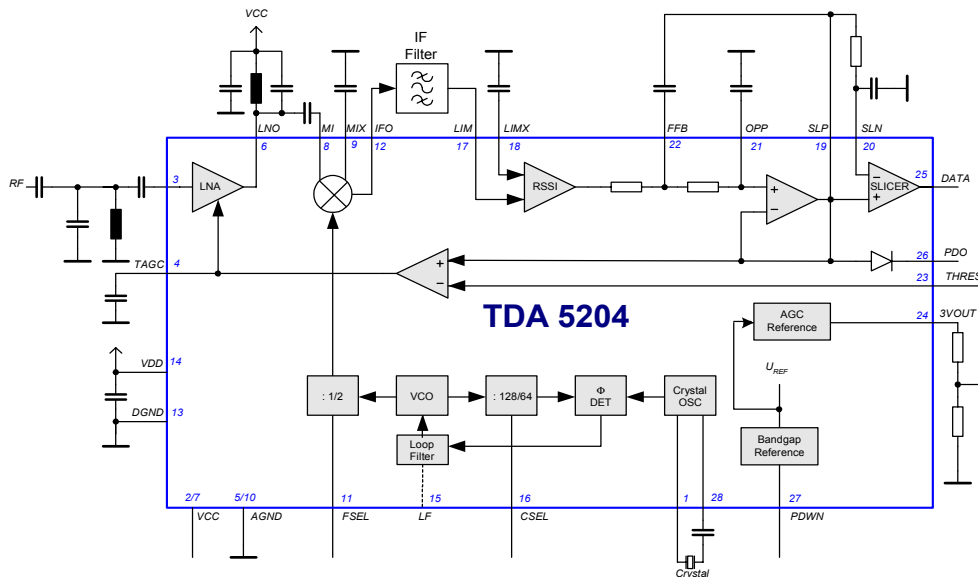
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| <p>8<br/>MI</p>    |  | <p>Mixer Input<br/><br/>Complementary Mixer Input</p>   |
| <p>10<br/>AGND</p> |  | <p>Analogue Ground Return</p>                           |
| <p>11<br/>FSEL</p> |  | <p>390MHz:<br/>not applicable - has to be left open</p> |
| <p>12<br/>IFO</p>  |  | <p>10.7 MHz IF Mixer Output</p>                         |
| <p>13<br/>DGND</p> |  | <p>Digital Ground Return</p>                            |
| <p>14<br/>VDD</p>  |  | <p>5V Supply (PLL Counter Circuitry)</p>                |
| <p>15<br/>LF</p>   |  | <p>PLL Filter Access Point (Loop Filter)</p>            |

|    |      |  |   |
|----|------|--|---|
| 16 | CSEL |  | 6.xx or 12.xx MHz Quartz Selector                                       |
| 17 | LIM  |  | Limiter Input   |
| 18 | LIMX |  | Complementary Limiter Input   |
| 19 | SLP  |  | Data Filter Output<br>Data Slicer Positive Input<br>Peak Detector Input |
| 20 | SLN  |  | Data Slicer Negative Input  |
| 21 | OPP  |  | OpAmp Noninverting Input  |

|    |       |   |                          |
|----|-------|---|--------------------------|
| 22 | FFB   |    | Data Filter Feedback Pin |
| 23 | THRES |    | AGC Threshold Input      |
| 24 | 3VOUT |  | 3V Reference Output      |
| 25 | DATA  |  | Data Output              |

|    |       |   |   |
|----|-------|---|---|
| 26 | PDO   |    | Peak Detector Output  |
| 27 | PDWN  |    | <p>Power Down Input</p> <p>Vs --&gt; Power ON<br/>GND---&gt; Power Down</p> |
| 28 | CRST2 |  | External Crystal Connector 2  |

### 3.3 Functional Block Diagram



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Figure 3-2 Main Block Diagram

### 3.4 Functional Blocks

#### 3.4.1 Low Noise Amplifier (LNA)

The LNA is an on-chip cascode amplifier with a voltage gain of 15 to 20dB. The gain figure is determined by the external matching networks situated ahead of LNA and between the LNA output **LNO** (Pin 6) and the Mixer Inputs **MI** and **MIX** (Pins 8 and 9). The noise figure of the LNA is approximately 2dB, the current consumption is 500µA. The gain can be reduced by approximately 18dB. The switching point of this AGC action can be determined externally by applying a threshold voltage at the **THRES** pin (Pin 23). This voltage is compared internally with the received signal (RSSI) level generated by the limiter circuitry. In case that the RSSI level is higher than the threshold voltage the LNA gain is reduced and vice versa. The threshold voltage can be generated by attaching a voltage divider between the **3VOUT** pin (Pin 24) which provides a temperature stable 3V output generated from the internal bandgap voltage and the **THRES** pin as described in Section 4.1. The time constant of the AGC action can be determined by connecting a capacitor to the **TAGC** pin (Pin 4) and should be chosen along with the appropriate threshold voltage according to the intended operat-



ing case and interference scenario to be expected during operation. The optimum choice of AGC time constant and the threshold voltage is described in Section 4.1.

### 3.4.2 Mixer

The Double Balanced Mixer downconverts the input frequency (RF) 390MHz to the intermediate frequency (IF) at 10.7MHz with a voltage gain of approximately 21dB. A low pass filter with a corner frequency of 20MHz is built on chip in order to suppress RF signals to appear at the IF output ( **IFO** pin). The IF output is internally consisting of an emitter follower that has a source impedance of approximately 330Ω to facilitate interfacing the pin directly to a standard 10.7MHz ceramic filter without additional matching circuitry.

### 3.4.3 PLL Synthesizer

The Phase Locked Loop synthesiser consists of a VCO, an asynchronous divider chain, a phase detector with charge pump and a loop filter and is fully implemented on-chip. The VCO is including spiral inductors and varactor diodes. It's nominal centre frequency is 800MHz. The **FSEL** pin (Pin 11) has to be left open. No additional components are necessary. The oscillator signal is fed both to the synthesiser divider chain and to the downconverting mixer. The VCO signal is divided by two before it is fed to the mixer. The loop filter is also realised fully on-chip.

### 3.4.4 Crystal Oscillator

The on-chip crystal oscillator circuitry allows for utilisation of quartzes both in the 6 and 12MHz range as the overall division ratio of the PLL can be switched between 64 and 128 via the **CSEL** (Pin 16 ) pin according to the following table.

| Table 3-2 CSEL Pin Operating States |                   |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------|
| CSEL                                | Crystal Frequency |
| Open                                | 6.xx MHz          |
| Shorted to ground                   | 12.xx MHz         |

The calculation of the value of the necessary quartz load capacitance is shown in Section 4.3, the quartz frequency calculation is explained in Section 4.4.

### 3.4.5 Limiter

The Limiter is an AC coupled multistage amplifier with a cumulative gain of approximately 80dB that has a bandpass-characteristic centred around 10.7MHz. It has an input impedance of 330  $\Omega$  to allow for easy interfacing to a 10.7MHz ceramic IF filter. The limiter circuit acts as a Receive Signal Strength Indicator (RSSI) generator which produces a DC voltage that is directly proportional to the input signal level as can be seen in Figure 4.1. This signal is used to demodulate the ASK receive signal in the subsequent baseband circuitry and to turn down the LNA gain by approximately 18dB in case the input signal strength is too strong as described in Section 3.4.1 and Section 4.1.

### 3.4.6 Data Filter

The data filter comprises an OP-Amp with a bandwidth of 100kHz used as a voltage follower and two 100k $\Omega$  on-chip resistors. Along with two external capacitors a 2nd order Sallen-Key low pass filter is formed. The selection of the capacitor values is described in Section 4.2.

### 3.4.7 Data Slicer

The data slicer is a fast comparator with a bandwidth of 100 kHz. This allows for a maximum receive data rate of approximately 120kBaud. The maximum achievable data rate also depends on the IF Filter bandwidth and the local oscillator tolerance values. Both inputs are accessible. The output delivers a digital data signal (CMOS-like levels) for the detector. The self-adjusting threshold on **pin SLN** (pin 20) its generated by RC-term or peak detector depending on the baseband coding scheme. The data slicer threshold generation alternatives are described in more detail in Section 4.5.

### 3.4.8 Peak Detector

The peak detector generates a DC voltage which is proportional to the peak value of the receive data signal. An external RC network is necessary. The output can be used as an indicator for the signal strength and also as a reference for the data slicer. The maximum output current is approx. 900 $\mu$ A.

### 3.4.9 Bandgap Reference Circuitry

A Bandgap Reference Circuit provides a temperature stable reference voltage for the device. A power down mode is available to switch off all subcircuits which is controlled by the **PWDN pin** (Pin 27) as shown in the following table. The supply current drawn in this case is typically 50nA.

| <b>PWDN</b>            | <b>Operating State</b> |
|------------------------|------------------------|
| Open or tied to ground | Powerdown Mode         |
| Tied to Vs             | Receiver On            |

# 4 Applications

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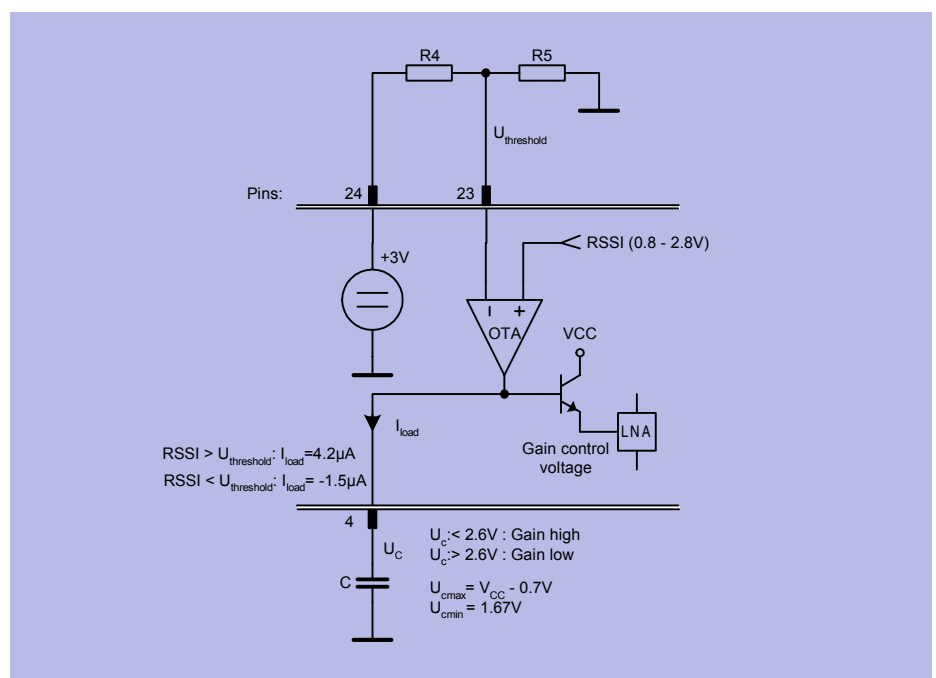
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## 4.1 LNA and Automatic Gain Control (AGC)

The AGC extends the dynamic range of the receiver.

The automatic gain control in the TDA5204 is a narrow-band control loop which compares the receive signal strength signal (RSSI, 0.8V to 2.8V) from the limiter with a fixed threshold voltage applied to **pin 23** (THRES).

In the following figure the internal circuitry of the LNA automatic gain control is shown.

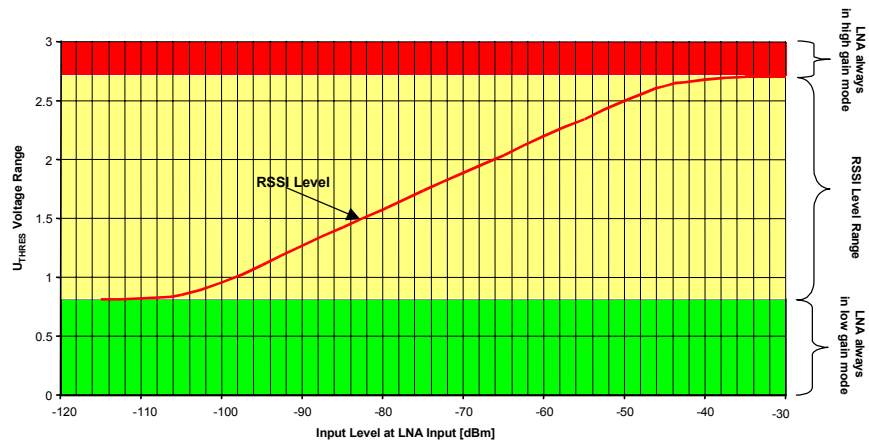


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Figure 4-1 LNA Automatic Gain Control Circuitry

The fixed voltage on **pin 23** is generated on the external voltage divider. The comparator is a transimpedance amplifier (OTA), which creates a positive current (+4.2µA) in the case the RSSI level is larger than the threshold voltage. Otherwise the current is -1.5µA. This leads to an asymmetric fast-attack and slow-release behaviour and thus to fast reaction to the low gain mode and slow reaction to the high gain mode.

This current is converted into a control voltage over an external capacitor C attached to **pin 4** (TAGC) which defines the gain of the LNA. The limits of the control voltages for the LNA on pin4 are 1.67V for high gain mode and Vcc-0.7V for low gain mode.



RSSI-AGC.wmf

Figure 4-2 RSSI Level and Permissive AGC Threshold Level

The value of the capacitor defines the response time of the AGC. For a stable control loop the capacitor value should be at least 47nF.

The AGC can be disabled by tying the THRES-pin either to GND or to VCC as shown here:

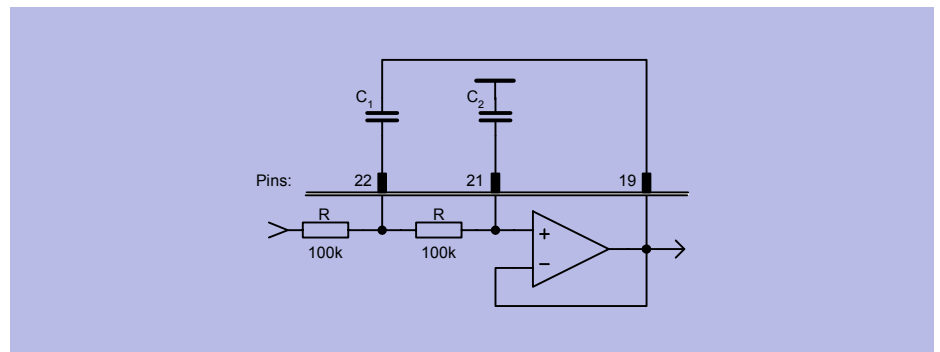
LNA high gain: - **pin 23** (THRES) shorted to VCC

LNA low gain: - **pin 23** (THRES) shorted to GND

In these cases capacitor and voltage divider are not necessary.

## 4.2 Data Filter Design

Utilising the on-board voltage follower and the two 100kΩ on-chip resistors a 2nd order Sallen-Key low pass data filter can be constructed by adding 2 external capacitors between **pins 19** (SLP) and **22** (FFB) and to **pin 21** (OPP) as depicted in the following figure and described in the following formulas<sup>1</sup>.



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Figure 4-3 Data Filter Design

(1)

$$C_1 = \frac{2 \cdot Q \sqrt{b}}{R \cdot 2\pi f_{3dB}}$$

(2)

$$C_2 = \frac{\sqrt{b}}{4Q \cdot R \cdot \pi f_{3dB}}$$

with

$$Q = \frac{\sqrt{b}}{a}$$

(3) the quality factor of the poles

where

in case of a Bessel filter

$$a = 1.3617, b = 0.618$$

and thus

$$Q = 0.577$$

and in case of a Butterworth filter

$$a = 1.41, b = 1$$

and thus

$$Q = 0.71$$

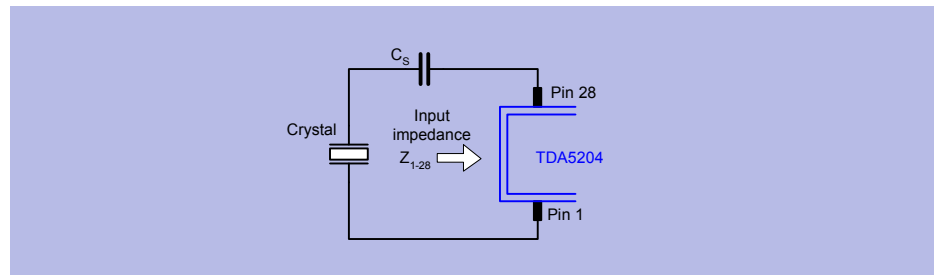
Example: Butterworth filter with  $f_{3dB} = 5\text{kHz}$  and  $R = 100\text{k}\Omega$ :

$$C_1 = 450\text{pF}, C_2 = 225\text{pF}$$

1. taken from Tietze/Schenk: Halbleiterschaltungstechnik, Springer Berlin, 1999

### 4.3 Quartz Load Capacitance Calculation

The value of the capacitor necessary to achieve that the quartz oscillator is operating at the intended frequency is determined by the reactive part of the negative resistance of the oscillator circuit as shown in Section 5.1.3 and by the quartz specifications given by the quartz manufacturer.



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Figure 4-4 Determination of Series Capacitance Value for the Quartz Oscillator

The quartz oscillator input impedance consists of a negative resistance and an inductance L.

Crystal specified with load capacitance

$$C_s = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{C_L} + (2\pi f)^2 L}$$

with  $C_L$  the load capacitance (refer to the quartz crystal specification).

Examples with typ. values:

6.26 MHz:  $C_L = 12 \text{ pF}$      $L=21\mu\text{H}$      $C_S = 8.6 \text{ pF}$

12.52 MHz:  $C_L = 12 \text{ pF}$      $L=19\mu\text{H}$      $C_S = 5 \text{ pF}$

These values may be obtained by putting two capacitors in series to the quartz.



## 4.4 Quartz Frequency Calculation

The quartz frequency is calculated by using the following formula:

$$f_{QU} = (f_{RF} \pm 10.7\text{MHz}) / r \quad (1),$$

with

- $f_{RF}$  .... receive frequency
- +/- ... high-side / low-side injected
- $f_{LO}$  .... local oscillator (PLL) frequency ( $f_{RF} \pm 10.7$ )
- $f_{QU}$  .... quartz oscillator frequency
- r .... ratio of local oscillator (PLL) frequency and quartz frequency as shown in the subsequent table.

| Table 4-1                   |                       |                      |               |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|---------------|
| frequency range<br>$f_{RF}$ | high-side<br>injected | low-side<br>injected | FSEL<br>Pin11 |
| 385...406MHz                | X                     |                      | open          |
| 406...428MHz                |                       | X                    | open          |
| 781...823MHz                | X                     |                      | GND           |
| 803...844MHz                |                       | X                    | GND           |

| Table 4-2               |               |
|-------------------------|---------------|
| quartz crystal<br>range | CSEL<br>Pin16 |
| 6.xx MHz                | open          |
| 12.xx MHz               | GND           |

| Table 4-3 |      |                                |
|-----------|------|--------------------------------|
| FSEL      | CSEL | Ratio r<br>( $f_{LO}/f_{QU}$ ) |
| open      | open | 64                             |
| open      | GND  | 32                             |
| GND       | open | 128                            |
| GND       | GND  | 64                             |

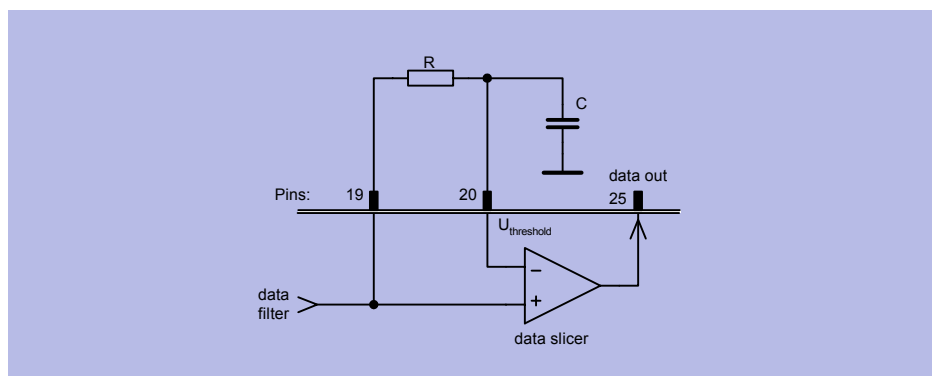
Example:  $f_{RF}=390\text{MHz}$

$$f_{QU}=(390\text{MHz}+10.7\text{MHz}) / 64 = 6.2609375\text{MHz}$$

$$f_{QU}=(390\text{MHz}+10.7\text{MHz}) / 32 = 12.521875\text{MHz}$$

## 4.5 Data Slicer Threshold Generation

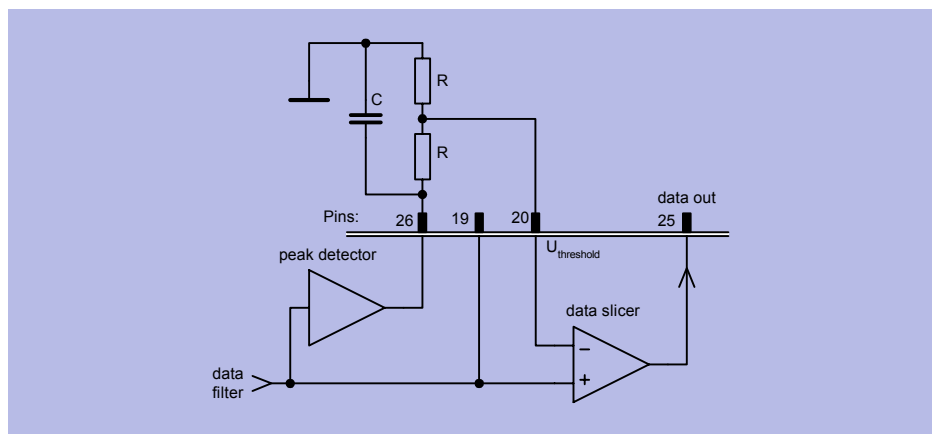
The threshold of the data slicer can be generated in two ways, depending on the signal coding scheme used. In case of a signal coding scheme without DC content such as Manchester coding the threshold can be generated using an external R-C integrator as shown in the following . The cut-off frequency of the R-C integrator has to be lower than the lowest frequency appearing in the data signal. In order to keep distortion low, the minimum value for R is 20kΩ.



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Figure 4-5 Data Slicer Threshold Generation with External R-C Integrator

Another possibility for threshold generation is to use the peak detector in connection with two resistors and one capacitor as shown in the following figure. The component values are depending on the coding scheme and the protocol used.



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Figure 4-6 Data Slicer Threshold Generation Utilising the Peak Detector

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## 5.1 Electrical Data

### 5.1.1 Absolute Maximum Ratings



#### WARNING

The maximum ratings may not be exceeded under any circumstances, not even momentarily and individually, as permanent damage to the IC will result.

**Table 5-1 Absolute Maximum Ratings, Ambient temperature  $T_{AMB} = -40^{\circ}\text{C} \dots +85^{\circ}\text{C}$**

| # | Parameter               | Symbol     | Limit Values |      | Unit               | Remarks                                      |
|---|-------------------------|------------|--------------|------|--------------------|--|
|   |                         |            | min          | max  |                    |  |
| 1 | Supply Voltage          | $V_s$      | -0.3         | 5.5  | V                  |  |
| 2 | Junction Temperature    | $T_j$      | -40          | +125 | $^{\circ}\text{C}$ |  |
| 3 | Storage Temperature     | $T_s$      | -60          | +150 | $^{\circ}\text{C}$ |  |
| 4 | Thermal Resistance      | $R_{thJA}$ |              | 114  | K/W                |  |
| 5 | ESD integrity, all pins | $V_{ESD}$  | -1           | +1   | kV                 | HBM according to MIL STD 883D, method 3015.7 |

## 5.1.2 Operating Range

Within the operating range the IC operates as explained in the circuit description. The AC/DC characteristic limits are not guaranteed.

Supply voltage:  $V_{CC} = 4.5V \dots 5.5V$

**Table 5-2 Operating Range, Ambient temperature  $T_{AMB} = -40^{\circ}C \dots +85^{\circ}C$**

| # | Parameter            | Symbol     | Limit Values |     | Unit | Test Conditions   | L | Item |
|---|----------------------|------------|--------------|-----|------|---|---|------|
|   |                      |            | min          | max |      |   |   |      |
| 1 | Supply Current       | $I_S$      |              | 6.4 | mA   | $f_{RF} = 390MHz$   |   |      |
| 2 | Power Down Current   | $I_{PWDN}$ |              | 250 | nA   |   |   |      |
| 3 | Receiver Input Level | $RF_{in}$  | -110         | -13 | dBm  | @ source impedance 50Ω, BER 2E-3, average power level, Manchester encoded datarate 4kBit, 280kHz IF Bandwidth, with AGC | ■ |      |
| 4 | Receive Frequency    | $f_{RF}$   | 385          | 406 | MHz  |   |   |      |

■ This value is guaranteed by design.

### 5.1.3 AC/DC Characteristics

AC/DC characteristics involve the spread of values guaranteed within the specified voltage and ambient temp. range. Typical characteristics are the median of the production. The device performance parameters marked with ■ were measured on an Infineon evaluation board as described in Section 5.2. Currents flowing into the device are denoted as positive currents and vice versa.

**Table 5-3 AC/DC Characteristics with  $T_A$  25 °C,  $V_{VCC} = 4.5 \dots 5.5$  V**

| #  | Parameter  | Symbol        | Limit Values       |      |     | Unit | Test Conditions  | L | Item |
|--|--|---------------|--------------------|------|-----|------|--|---|------|
|  |  |               | min                | typ  | max |      |  |   |      |
| <b>Supply</b>                                    |  |               |                    |      |     |      |  |   |      |
| <b>Supply Current</b>                            |  |               |                    |      |     |      |  |   |      |
| 1  | Supply current, standby mode                                   | $I_{S\ PDWN}$ |                    | 50   | 150 | nA   | Pin 27 (PDWN) open or tied to 0 V                      |   |      |
| 2  | Supply current   | $I_S$         |                    | 4.8  | 5.5 | mA   |  |   |      |
| <b>LNA</b>                                       |  |               |                    |      |     |      |  |   |      |
| <b>Signal Input LNI (PIN 3), high gain mode</b>  |  |               |                    |      |     |      |  |   |      |
| 1  | Average Power Level at BER = 2E-3 (Sensitivity)                | $RF_{in}$     |                    | -112 |     | dBm  | Manchester encoded datarate 4kBit, 280kHz IF Bandwidth | ■ |      |
| 2  | Input impedance, $f_{RF} = 390$ MHz                            | $S_{11\ LNA}$ | 0.879 / -31 deg    |      |     |      |  | ■ |      |
| 3  | Input level @ 1dB C.P. $f_{RF}=390$ MHz                        | $P1dB_{LNA}$  |                    | -14  |     | dBm  |  | ■ |      |
| 4  | Input 3 <sup>rd</sup> order intercept point $f_{RF} = 390$ MHz | $IIP3_{LNA}$  |                    | -10  |     | dBm  | $f_{in} = 390$ MHz                                     | ■ |      |
| 5  | LO signal feedthrough at antenna port                          | $LO_{LNI}$    |                    | -119 |     | dBm  |  | ■ |      |
| <b>Signal Output LNO (PIN 6), high gain mode</b> |  |               |                    |      |     |      |  |   |      |
| 1  | Gain $f_{RF} = 390$ MHz  | $S_{21\ LNA}$ | 1.578 / 141.8deg   |      |     |      |  | ■ |      |
| 2  | Output impedance, $f_{RF} = 390$ MHz                           | $S_{22\ LNA}$ | 0.8822 / -12.13deg |      |     |      |  | ■ |      |
| 3  | Voltage Gain Antenna to MI $f_{RF} = 390$ MHz                  | $G_{AntMI}$   |                    | 21   |     | dB   |  | ■ |      |
| 4  | Noise Figure   | $NF_{LNA}$    |                    | 2    |     | dB   | excluding matching network loss - see Appendix         | ■ |      |
| <b>Signal Input LNI, low gain mode</b>           |  |               |                    |      |     |      |  |   |      |
| 1  | Input impedance, $f_{RF} = 390$ MHz                            | $S_{11\ LNA}$ | 0.903 / -31.8deg   |      |     |      |  | ■ |      |
| 2  | Input level @ 1dB C. P. $f_{RF} = 390$ MHz                     | $P1dB_{LNA}$  |                    | -7   |     | dBm  | matched input  | ■ |      |

**Table 5-3 AC/DC Characteristics with  $T_A$  25 °C,  $V_{CC} = 4.5 \dots 5.5$  V (continued)**

|   | Parameter  | Symbol              | Limit Values      |      |       | Unit | Test Conditions    | L | Item |
|---|--|---------------------|-------------------|------|-------|------|--------------------|---|------|
|   |  |                     | min               | typ  | max   |      |                    |   |      |
| <b>Signal Input LNI, <math>V_{THRES} = GND</math>, low gain mode</b>  |  |                     |                   |      |       |      |                    |   |      |
| 3   | Input 3 <sup>rd</sup> order intercept point $f_{RF} = 390$ MHz | IIP3 <sub>LNA</sub> |                   | -13  |       | dBm  | $f_{in} = 390$ MHz | ■ |      |
| <b>Signal Output LNO, <math>V_{THRES} = GND</math>, low gain mode</b> |  |                     |                   |      |       |      |                    |   |      |
| 1   | Gain $f_{RF} = 390$ MHz  | $S_{21}$ LNA        | 0.1834 / 144deg   |      |       |      |                    | ■ |      |
| 2   | Output impedance, $f_{RF} = 390$ MHz                           | $S_{22}$ LNA        | 0.897 / -12.4deg  |      |       |      |                    | ■ |      |
| 3   | Voltage Gain Antenna to MI $f_{RF} = 390$ MHz                  | $G_{AntMI}$         |                   | 2    |       | dB   |                    | ■ |      |
| <b>Signal 3VOUT (PIN 24)</b>  |  |                     |                   |      |       |      |                    |   |      |
| 1   | Output voltage   | $V_{3VOUT}$         | 2.9               | 3    | 3.1   | V    |                    |   |      |
| 2   | Load current out   | $I_{3VOUT}$         |                   |      | -50   | μA   |                    |   |      |
| <b>Signal THRES (PIN 23)</b>  |  |                     |                   |      |       |      |                    |   |      |
| 1   | Input Voltage range  | $V_{THRES}$         | 0                 |      | $V_S$ | V    | see chapter 4.1    |   |      |
| 2   | LNA low gain mode  | $V_{THRES}$         | 0                 |      | 0.5   | V    |                    |   |      |
| 3   | LNA high gain mode   | $V_{THRES}$         | 3.3               |      | $V_S$ | V    |                    |   |      |
| 4   | Current in   | $I_{THRES\_in}$     |                   | -5   |       | nA   |                    | ■ |      |
| <b>Signal TAGC (PIN 4)</b>  |  |                     |                   |      |       |      |                    |   |      |
| 1   | Current out, LNA low gain state                                | $I_{TAGC\_out}$     | -2.5              | -4.2 | -5.5  | μA   | RSSI > $V_{THRES}$ |   |      |
| 2   | Current in, LNA high gain state                                | $I_{TAGC\_in}$      | 0.5               | 1.5  | 4     | μA   | RSSI < $V_{THRES}$ |   |      |
| <b>MIXER</b>  |  |                     |                   |      |       |      |                    |   |      |
| <b>Signal Input MI/MIX (PINS 8/9)</b>                                 |  |                     |                   |      |       |      |                    |   |      |
| 1   | Input impedance, $f_{RF} = 390$ MHz                            | $S_{11}$ MIX        | 0.9413 / -13.1deg |      |       |      |                    | ■ |      |
| 2   | Input 3 <sup>rd</sup> order intercept point                    | IIP3 <sub>MIX</sub> |                   | -25  |       | dBm  |                    | ■ |      |
| <b>Signal Output IFO (PIN 12)</b>                                     |  |                     |                   |      |       |      |                    |   |      |
| 1   | Output impedance   | $Z_{IFO}$           |                   | 330  |       | Ω    |                    | ■ |      |
| 2   | Conversion Voltage Gain $f_{RF}=390$ MHz                       | $G_{MIX}$           |                   | +21  |       | dB   |                    | ■ |      |
| 3   | Noise Figure, SSB (~DSB NF+3dB)                                | NF <sub>MIX</sub>   |                   | 13   |       | dB   |                    | ■ |      |
| 4   | RF to IF isolation   | $A_{RF-IF}$         |                   | 46   |       | dB   |                    | ■ |      |

**Table 5-3 AC/DC Characteristics with  $T_A$  25 °C,  $V_{CC} = 4.5 \dots 5.5$  V (continued)**

|  | Parameter                            | Symbol            | Limit Values |           |             | Unit      | Test Conditions   | L | Item |
|--|--------------------------------------|-------------------|--------------|-----------|-------------|-----------|-------------------|---|------|
|  |                                      |                   | min          | typ       | max         |           |                   |   |      |
| <b>LIMITER</b>                         |                                      |                   |              |           |             |           |                   |   |      |
| <b>Signal Input LIM/X (PINS 17/18)</b> |                                      |                   |              |           |             |           |                   |   |      |
| 1                                      | Input Impedance                      | $Z_{LIM}$         | 264          | 330       | 396         | $\Omega$  |                   | ■ |      |
| 2                                      | RSSI dynamic range                   | $DR_{RSSI}$       | 60           | 70        | 80          | dB        |                   | ■ |      |
| 3                                      | RSSI linearity                       | $LIN_{RSSI}$      |              | $\pm 1$   |             | dB        |                   | ■ |      |
| 4                                      | Operating frequency (3dB points)     | $f_{LIM}$         | 5            | 10.7      | 23          | MHz       |                   | ■ |      |
| 5                                      | RSSI Level at Data Filter Output SLP | $RSSI_{low}$      | 0.4          | 0.8       | 1.2         | V         | Limiter_in: 10uV  |   |      |
| 6                                      | RSSI Level at Data Filter Output SLP | $RSSI_{high}$     | 2.3          | 2.8       | 3.2         | V         | Limiter_in: 100mV |   |      |
| <b>DATA FILTER</b>                     |                                      |                   |              |           |             |           |                   |   |      |
| 1                                      | Max. useable bandwidth               | $BW_{BB}$<br>FILT |              | 100       |             | kHz       |                   | ■ |      |
| <b>SLICER</b>                          |                                      |                   |              |           |             |           |                   |   |      |
| <b>Signal Output DATA (PIN 25)</b>     |                                      |                   |              |           |             |           |                   |   |      |
| 1                                      | Max. useable bandwidth               | $BW_{BB}$<br>SLIC |              | 100       |             | kHz       |                   | ■ |      |
| 2                                      | LOW output voltage                   | $V_{SLIC\_L}$     | 0            |           | 100         | mV        |                   |   |      |
| 3                                      | HIGH output voltage                  | $V_{SLIC\_H}$     | $V_S - 1.2$  | $V_S - 1$ | $V_S - 0.7$ | V         |                   |   |      |
| 4                                      | Output current                       | $I_{SLIC\_out}$   | -400         | -800      | -1100       | $\mu A$   | high level drive  |   |      |
| 5                                      | Output impedance                     | $R_{out}$         | 60           | 80        | 100         | $k\Omega$ | low level drive   |   |      |
| <b>PEAK DETECTOR</b>                   |                                      |                   |              |           |             |           |                   |   |      |
| <b>Signal Output PDO (PIN 26)</b>      |                                      |                   |              |           |             |           |                   |   |      |
| 1                                      | Load current                         | $I_{load}$        | -500         | -950      | -1200       | $\mu A$   |                   |   |      |
| 2                                      | Leakage current                      | $I_{leakage}$     | 0            | 700       | 2000        | nA        |                   |   |      |



**Table 5-3 AC/DC Characteristics with  $T_A$  25 °C,  $V_{CC} = 4.5 \dots 5.5$  V (continued)**

|  | Parameter | Symbol | Limit Values |     |     | Unit | Test Conditions | L | Item |
|--|-----------|--------|--------------|-----|-----|------|-----------------|---|------|
|  |           |        | min          | typ | max |      |                 |   |      |

**CRYSTAL OSCILLATOR**
**Signals CRSTL1, CRISTL 2, (PINS 1/28)**

|   |                              |                         |   |      |    |          |                                    |   |  |
|---|------------------------------|-------------------------|---|------|----|----------|------------------------------------|---|--|
| 1 | Operating frequency          | $f_{CRSTL}$             | 1 |      | 14 | MHz      | fundamental mode, series resonance |   |  |
| 2 | Negative Resistance @ ~6MHz  | $Re\{Z_{1-28}\}$        |   | -750 |    | $\Omega$ |                                    | ■ |  |
| 3 | Negative Resistance @ ~12MHz | $Re\{Z_{1-28}\}$        |   | -450 |    | $\Omega$ |                                    | ■ |  |
| 4 | Input Inductance @ ~6MHz     | $Im\{Z_{1-28}\}/2\pi f$ |   | 21   |    | $\mu H$  |                                    | ■ |  |
| 5 | Input Inductance @ ~12MHz    | $Im\{Z_{1-28}\}/2\pi f$ |   | 19   |    | $\mu H$  |                                    | ■ |  |

**PLL**
**Signal LF (PIN 15)**

|   |                                  |            |     |      |   |   |  |  |  |
|---|----------------------------------|------------|-----|------|---|---|--|--|--|
| 1 | Tuning voltage relative to $V_S$ | $V_{TUNE}$ | 0.5 | 1.05 | 2 | V |  |  |  |
|---|----------------------------------|------------|-----|------|---|---|--|--|--|

**POWER DOWN Pin**
**Signal PDWN (PIN 27)**

|   |   |              |     |    |       |         |               |   |  |
|---|---|--------------|-----|----|-------|---------|---------------|---|--|
| 1 | Powerdown Mode On                               | $PWDN_{ON}$  | 0   |    | 0.8   | V       |               |   |  |
| 2 | Powerdown Mode Off                              | $PWDN_{Off}$ | 2.8 |    | $V_S$ | V       |               |   |  |
| 3 | Input bias current                              | $I_{PWD}$    |     | 19 |       | $\mu A$ | Power On Mode | ■ |  |
| 4 | Start-up Time until valid IF signal is detected | $T_{SU}$     |     |    | 1     | ms      |               |   |  |

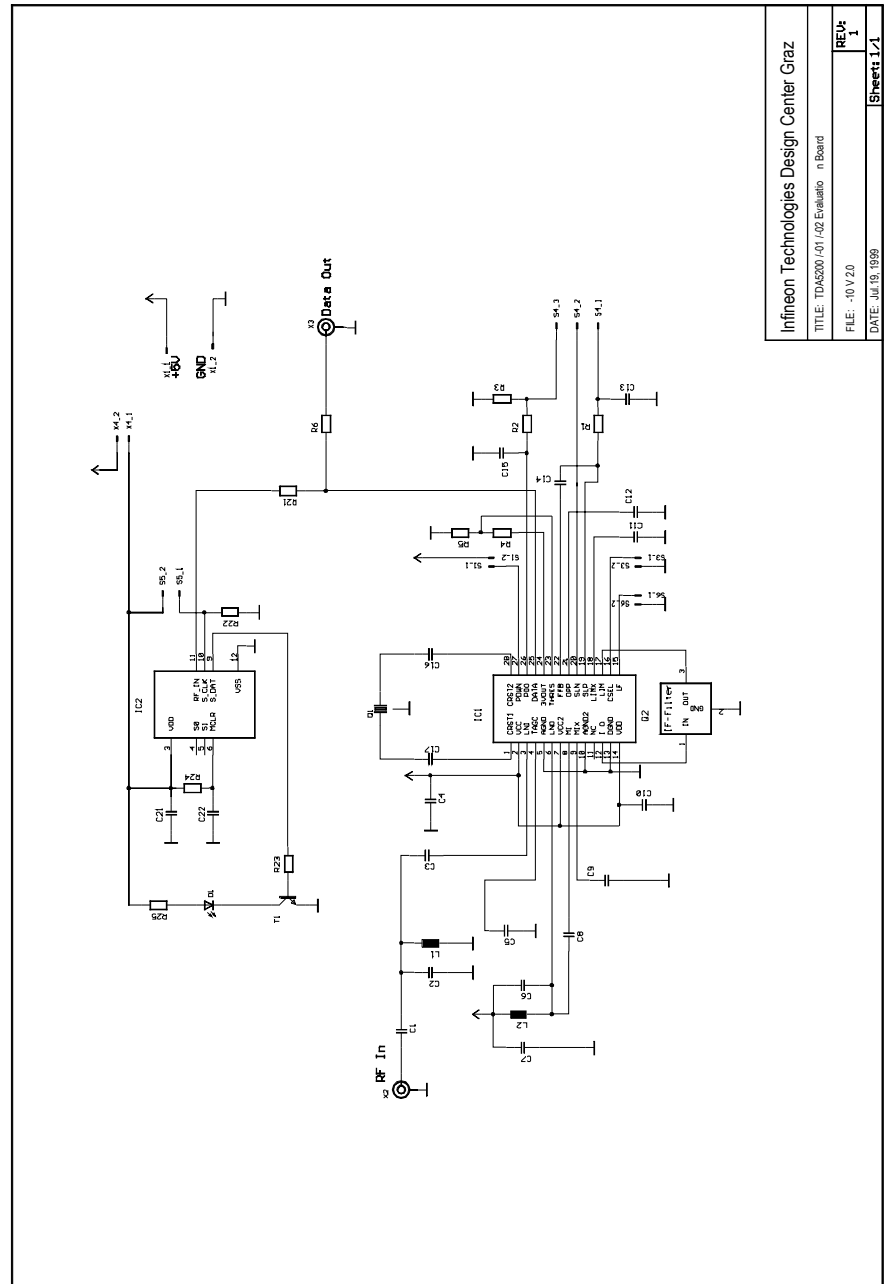
**PLL DIVIDER**
**Signal CSEL (PIN 16)**

|   |                            |            |     |    |     |         |                  |   |  |
|---|----------------------------|------------|-----|----|-----|---------|------------------|---|--|
| 1 | $f_{CRSTL}$ range 6.xxMHz  | $V_{CSEL}$ | 1.4 |    | 4   | V       | or open          |   |  |
| 2 | $f_{CRSTL}$ range 12.xxMHz | $V_{CSEL}$ | 0   |    | 0.2 | V       |                  |   |  |
| 3 | Bias current CSEL          | $I_{CSEL}$ |     | -5 |     | $\mu A$ | CSEL tied to GND | ■ |  |

■ Measured only in lab.

## 5.2 Test Circuit

The device performance parameters marked with ■ in Section 5.1.3 were measured on an Infineon evaluation board. This evaluation board can be obtained together with evaluation boards of the accompanying transmitter device TDA51xx in an evaluation kit that may be ordered on the INFINEON RKE Webpage [www.infineon.com/rke](http://www.infineon.com/rke)



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Figure 5-1 Schematic of the Evaluation Board

### 5.3 Test Board Layouts

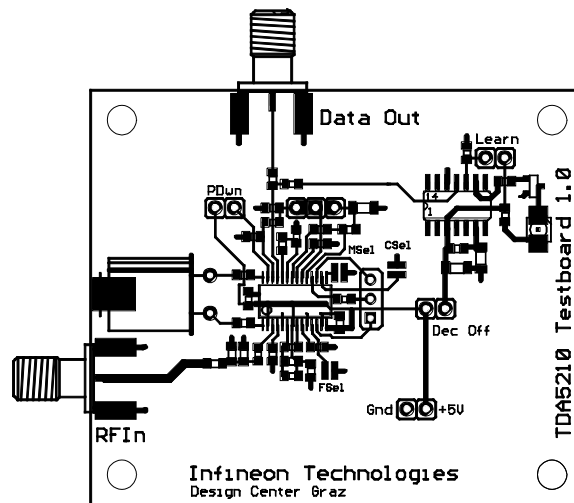


Figure 5-2 Top Side of the Evaluation Board (TDA5210 Testboard is the same)

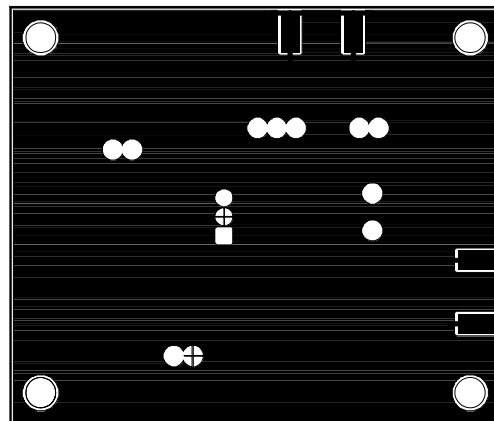


Figure 5-3 Bottom Side of the Evaluation Board

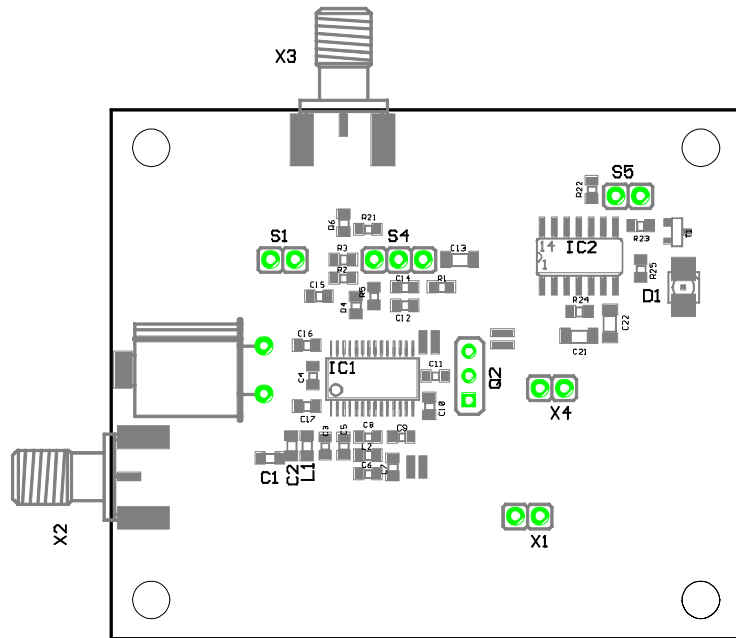


Figure 5-4 Component Placement on the Evaluation Board

## 5.4 Bill of Materials

The following components are necessary for evaluation of the TDA5204 at 390MHz without use of a Microchip HCS515 decoder.

**Table 5-4 Bill of Materials**

| Ref            | Value                 | Specification   |
|----------------|-----------------------|---|
| R1             | 100kΩ                 | 0805, ± 5%  |
| R2             | 100kΩ                 | 0805, ± 5%  |
| R3             | 820kΩ                 | 0805, ± 5%  |
| R4             | 120kΩ                 | 0805, ± 5%  |
| R5             | 180kΩ                 | 0805, ± 5%  |
| R6             | 10kΩ                  | 0805, ± 5%  |
| L1             | 15nH                  | Toko, PTL2012-F15N0G  |
| L2             | 10pF <sup>a</sup>     | 0805, COG, ± 2%   |
| C1             | 1.8pF                 | 0805, COG, ± 0.1pF  |
| C2             | 6.8pF                 | 0805, COG, ± 0.1pF  |
| C3             | 6.8pF                 | 0805, COG, ± 0.1pF  |
| C4             | 100pF                 | 0805, COG, ± 5%   |
| C5             | 47nF                  | 1206, X7R, ± 10%  |
| C6             | 12nH <sup>b</sup>     | Toko, PTL2012-F15N0G  |
| C7             | 100pF                 | 0805, COG, ± 5%   |
| C8             | 33pF                  | 0805, COG, ± 5%   |
| C9             | 100pF                 | 0805, COG, ± 5%   |
| C10            | 10nF                  | 0805, X7R, ± 10%  |
| C11            | 10nF                  | 0805, X7R, ± 10%  |
| C12            | 220pF                 | 0805, COG, ± 5%   |
| C13            | 47nF                  | 0805, X7R, ± 10%  |
| C14            | 470pF                 | 0805, COG, ± 5%   |
| C15            | 47nF                  | 0805, X7R, ± 10%  |
| C16            | 12pF                  | 0805, COG, ± 0.1pF  |
| C17            | 12pF                  | 0805, COG, ± 2%   |
| Q2             | (390MHz + 10.7MHz)/32 | HC49/U, fundamental mode, C <sub>L</sub> = 12pF,<br>12.521875 MHz: Jauch Q12.521875-S11-1252-12-10/20 |
| F1             | SFE10.7MA5-A          | Murata  |
| X2, X3         | 142-0701-801          | Johnson   |
| X1, X4, S1, S5 |                       | 2-pole pin connector  |
| S4             |                       | 3-pole pin connector, or not equipped   |
| IC1            | TDA 5204              | Infineon  |

a. / b. The coil is at the place of the capacity and vice versa.

The following components are necessary in addition to the above mentioned ones for evaluation of the TDA5204 in conjunction with a Microchip HCS515 decoder.

**Table 5-5 Bill of Materials Addendum**

| <b>Ref</b> | <b>Value</b> | <b>Specification</b> |
|------------|--------------|----------------------|
| R21        | 22kΩ         | 0805, ± 5%           |
| R22        | 100kΩ        | 0805, ± 5%           |
| R23        | 22kΩ         | 0805, ± 5%           |
| R24        | 820kΩ        | 0805, ± 5%           |
| R25        | 560kΩ        | 0805, ± 5%           |
| C21        | 100nF        | 1206, X7R, ± 10%     |
| C22        | 100nF        | 1206, X7R, ± 10%     |
| IC2        | HCS515       | Microchip            |
| T1         | BC 847B      | Infineon             |
| D1         | LS T670-JL   | Infineon             |

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