

# FAN7024 675mW CMOS Mono Power Amplifier with Shutdown

## **Features**

- Continuous Average Power is 675mW (8 $\Omega$ )
- Low THD: Typical  $0.3\%$  @ Po=500mW
- PSRR@217Hz, Input Terminated : 60dB

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- Do Not Need Output Coupling Capacitor or Bootstrap Capacitor
- Low Shutdown Current: Typical 0.1µA
- Shutdown: High Active
- Click & Pop Suppression circuitry
- Built in TSD Circuit

## **Typical Applications**

- Cellular Phone
- ï PDA
- Portable Audio Systems

### **Description**

The FAN7024 is a bridge connected audio power amplifier capable of delivering 675mW of continuous average power to an 8Ω load with less than 0.3%(THD) from a 5V power supply. The FAN7024 requires few external components and operates on low supply voltage from 2.3V to 5.5V. Since the FAN7024 does not require output coupling capacitors, bootstrap capacitors, or snubber networks, it is ideally suited

for low power portable systems that require minimum volume and weight. The FAN7024 features an externally controlled gain and low power consumption shutdown mode (0.1uA,typ.). Additional FAN7024 features include thermal shutdown protection, unity gain stability, and external gain set.



## **Internal Block Diagram**



## **Pin Assignments**



## **Pin Definitions**

( ) : 10MLP



## **Absolute Maximum Ratings (Note 2)**



## **Recommended Operating Conditions (Note 2)**



## **Electrical Characteristics(Note1,2)**

 $(R_L = 8\Omega,$  Ta = 25°C, unless otherwise specified)



Note 1 : All voltages are measured with respect to the ground pin, unless otherwise specified.

Note 2 : Absolute Maximum Ratings indicate limits beyond which damage to the device may occur. Recommended Operating Conditions indicate conditions for which the device is functional, but do not guarantee specific performance limits. Electrical Characteristics state DC and AC electrical specifications under particular test conditions which guarantee specific performance limits. This assumes that the device is whitin the Operating Ratings. Specifications are not guaranteed for parameters where no limit is given, however, the typical value is a good indication of device performance.

## **Typical Application Circuit**



## **External Components Descriptions**





## **Performance Chracteristics**







### **Performance Characteristics (Continued)**



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## **Application Informations**

#### **Power Supply Bypassing**

Proper power supply bypassing is critical for low noise and high power supply rejection. A larger capacitor may help to increase immunity to the supply noise. However, considering economical design, attaching 10uF electrolytic capacitor or tantalum capacitor with 0.1uF ceramic capacitor to the VDD pin as close as possible is enough to get a good supply noise rejection. The capacitor location on both the bypass pin and power supply pin should be as close to the device as possible. Connecting a 1uF capacitor, CB, between the bypass pin and ground improves the internal bias voltage's stability and improves the amplifier's PSRR. The PSRR improvements increase as the bypass pin capacitor value increases. The selection of bypass capacitors, especially CB, depends on desired PSRR requirements, click and pop performance as explained in the section, **Proper Selection of External Components**, system cost, and size constraints.

#### **Shutdown Function**

In order to reduce power consumption while not in use, the FAN7024 contains a shutdown function(pin 1) to externally turn off the amplifierís bias circuitry. This shutdown feature turns the amplifier off when a logic high is placed on the shutdown pin. The trigger point between a logic low and high level is typically half supply. It is best to switch between ground and supply to provide maximum device performance. By switching the shutdown pin to the VDD, the supply current of the FAN7024 will be minimized in the shutdown mode. While the device isdisabled with shutdown pin voltages less than VDD, the shutdown current may be greater than the typical value of 0.1uA. In either case, the shutdown pin should be tied to a definite voltage because leaving the pin floating may result in an unwanted state change. In many applications, a microcontroller or microprocessor output is used to control the shutdown circuitry which provides a quick, smooth transition into shutdown. Another solution is to use a single-pole, single-throw switch in conjunction with an external pull-up resistor. When the switch is closed, the shutdown pin is connected to ground and the device is enabled. If the switch is open, the FAN7024 will be disabled through the external pull-up resistor. This scheme guarantees that the shutdown pin will not float. This prevents unwanted state changes.

#### **Bridge Configuration Explantion**

As shown in typical appliction circuit, the FAN7024 has two operational amplifiers internally, allowing for a few different amplifier configurations. The first amplifier's gain is externally configurable, while the second amplifier is internally fixed in a unity-gain, inverting configuration. The close-loop gain of the first amplifier is set by selecting the ratio of RF to RI while the second amplifier's gain is fixed by two internal  $20k\Omega$  resistors. In the typical application circuit, the output of the first amplifier serves as the input of the second amplifier which results in both amplifiers producing signals indentical in magnitude, but out of phase 180°. Consequently the differential gain of the device is

$$
A_{VD} = 2 \cdot \frac{R_F}{R_I} \tag{1}
$$

By driving the load differentially through outputs VO1 and VO2, an amplifier configuration commonly referred to as "bridged mode" is established. Bridged mode operation is different from the classical single-ended amplifier configuration where one side of its load is connected to ground.

A bridge amplfier design has a few distinct advantages over the single-ended configuration, as it provides differential drive to the load, thus doubling output swing for a specified supply voltage. Four times the output power is possible as compared to a single-ended amplifier under the same conditions. This increase in attainable output power assumes that the amplifier is not current limited or clipped.

A bridgge configuration , such as the one used in FAN7024, also creates a second advantage over single-ended amplifiers. Since the differential outputs, VO1 and VO2, are biased at half-suppy, no net DC voltage exists across the load. This eliminates the need for an output coupling capacitor which is required in a single supply, single-ended amplifier configuration. If an output coupling capacitor is not used in a single-ended configuration, the half-supply bias across the load would result in both increased internal IC power dissipation as well as permanant loudspeaker damage.

#### **Adaptive Q-current Control Circuit**

Among the several kinds of the analog amplifiers, a class-AB amplifier satisfies moderate total harmonic distortion(THD) and the efficiency. In general, the output distortion is proportional to the quiescent-current(Q-current) of the output stage, but power efficiency is inversely propotional to that. To satisfy both needs, an adaptive Q-current control(AQC) technique is proposed. The AQC circuit controls the Q-current with respect to the amount of the output distortion, whereas it is not activated when no input signals are applied or no output distortion is sensed.

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#### **Power Dissipation**

Power dissipation is a major concern when designing any power amplifier and must be thoroughly uderstood to ensure a successful design. Equation (2) states the maximum power dissipation point for a bridged amplifier operating at a given supply voltage and driving a specified output load.

$$
P_{DMAX} = 4 \cdot \frac{V_{DD}^2}{2\pi^2 R_L} \tag{2}
$$

Since the FAN7024 is driving a bridged amplifier, the internal maximum power dissipation point of the FAN7024 results from equation (2). Even with the large internal power dissipation, the FAN7024 does not require heat sinking over a wide range of ambient temperature. From equation (2), assuming a 5V power supply and an  $8\Omega$  load, the maximum power dissipation point is 633mW. The maximum power dissipation point obtained from equation (2) must not be greater than the power dissipation that results from equation  $(3)$  :

$$
P_{DMAX} = \frac{(T_{JMAX} - T_A)}{R_{thja}} \tag{3}
$$

For package 8MSOP(FAN7024MU), Rthja=190°C/W, TJMAX=150°C for the FAN7024.

Depending on the ambient temperature,  $T_A$ , of the system surroundings, equation (3) can be used to find the maximum internal power dissipation supported by the IC packaging. If the result of equation (2) is greater than that of equation (3), then decrease the supply voltage, increase the load impedance, or reduce the ambient temperature, TA. If these measures are insufficient, a heat sink can be added to reduce TA. For the typical application of a 5V power supply, with 8Ω load, the maximum ambient temperature possible without violating the maximum junction temperature is approximately 30°C provided that device operation is around the power dissipation point. Internal power dissipation is a function of output power and thus, if typical operation is not around the maximum power dissipation point, the ambient temperature can be increased. Refer to the **Performance Characteristics** curves for power dissipation information for lower output powers.

#### **Proper Selection of External Components**

Selection of external components in applications using integrated power amplifiers is critical to optimize device and system performance. While the FAN7024 is tolerant of external component combinations, consideration to component values must be used to maximize overall system quality. The FAN7024 is unity-gain stable and this gives a designer maximum system flexibility. The FAN7024 should be used in low gain configurations to minimize THD+N values and maximize the signal-to-noise ratio. Low gain configurations require large input signals to obtain a given output power. Besides gain, one of the major considerations is the closed-loop bandwidth of the amplifier. The input coupling capacitor, C<sub>I</sub>, forms a first order high pass filter which limits low frequency response. This value should be chosen based on needed frequency response for a few distinct reasons.

#### **Selection of Capacitor Size**

In the typical application, an input capacitor, CI, is required to allow the amplifier to bias the input signal to the proper DC level for optimum operation. In this case, CI and RI form a high-pass filter with the corner frequency

$$
f_c = \frac{1}{2\pi R_l C_l} \tag{4}
$$

The value of CI is important to consider, as it directly affects the bass(low frequency) performance of the circuit. Clearly a certain sized capacitor is needed to couple in low frequencies without severe attenuation. But in many cases the speakers used in portable systems, whether internal or external, have little ability to reproduce signals below 150Hz. Thus using large input capacitor may not increase systme performance. In addition to systme cost and size, click and pop performance is affected by the size of the input coupling capacitor, CI. A larger input coupling capacitor requires more charge to reach its quiescent DC voltage(normally VDD/2). This charge comes from the output via feedback and is apt to create pops upon device enable. Thus, by minimizing the capacitor size based on necessary low frequency response, turn-on pops can be minimized. Besides minimizing the input capacitor sizes, careful consideration should be paid to the bypass capacitor value. Bypass capacitor, CB, is the most critical component to minimize turn-on pops since it determines how fast the FAN7024 turns on. The slower the FAN7024's outputs ramp to their quiescent DC voltage(normally V<sub>DD</sub>/2), the smaller the turn-on pop. Thus choosing CB equal to 1.0uF along with a small value of CI(in the range of 0.1uF to 0.39uF), should produce a clickless and popless shutdown function. While the device will function properly, (no oscillations or motorboating), with CB equal to 0.1uF, the device will be much more susceptible to turn-on clicks and pops. Thus, a value of CB equal to 1uF or larger is recommended in all but the most cost sensitive designs.

#### **Pop Noise Reduction**

The FAN7024 contains circuitry to minimize turn-on and shutdown transients or 'clicks and pop'. For this discussion, turn-on refers to either applying the power supply voltage or when the shutdown mode is deactivated.

To reduce the pop noise, the FAN7024 has some delay. During that delay, the input capacitor is precharged and the normal operation is prepared. Such delay time can be controlled by choosing CB. The delay time is expressed as

$$
t_{delay} = 2.5V \cdot \frac{C_B}{40uA} + 20ms \tag{5}
$$

## **Mechanical Dimensions**

### **Package**

**Dimensions in millimeters**

 $\frac{1}{0.15 \pm 0.008}$ 



**8MSOP**

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**Package**

**Dimensions in millimeters**





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### **Ordering Information**



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