



# **Electronic Attenuator**

The MC3340 is a simple but very effective electronic attenuator. This device offers up to 80 dB of attenuation control for frequencies to 1.0 MHz. THD (distortion) is less than 1% – up to 15 dB attenuation and less than 3% – up to 40 dB.

Typical uses include instrumentation control, remote control audio amplifiers, electronic games, and CATV (cable TV) set-top converter audio control.

• Designed for use in:

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DC Operated Volume Control

Compression and Expansion Amplifier Applications

- Controlled by DC Voltage or External Variable Resistor
- Economical 8-Pin Dual-In-Line Package

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SEMICONDUCTOR TECHNICAL DATA



PLASTIC PACKAGE CASE 626

MAXIMUM RATINGS $(T_A = T_A)$	+25°C, unless otherwise noted.)
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Rating	Symbol	Value	Unit
Power Supply Voltage	VCC	20	Vdc
Power Dissipation @ $T_A = 25^{\circ}C$ Derate above $T_A = 25^{\circ}C$	PD	1.2 10	W mW/°C
Operating Ambient Temperature Range	Т <sub>А</sub>	0 to +75	°C

ORDERING INFORMATION					
Operating Device Temperature Range		Package			
MC3340P	$T_A = 0^\circ$ to +75°C	Plastic DIP			



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ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (ein = 100 mVrms, f = 1.0 kHz, V <sub>CC</sub> = 16 Vdc, T <sub>A</sub> = +25°C, unless otherwise noted.)						
Circuit	Characteristics	Min	Тур	Max	Unit	
$\begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{c} e_{in} \\ 1 \\ \mu F \\ 2 \\ \hline \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\$	Operating Power Supply Voltage	0.8	-	18	Vdc	
	Control Terminal Sink Current, Pin 2 (e <sub>in</sub> = 0)	-	-	2.0	mAdc	
	Maximum Input Voltage	_	-	0.5	Vrms	
	Voltage Gain	11	13	1	dB	
	Attenuation Range from Maximum Gain (V2 = 6.5 Vdc)	70	80	_	dB	
	Total Harmonic Distortion (Pin 2 Gnd) (e <sub>in</sub> = 100 mVrms, e <sub>o</sub> = A <sub>V</sub> • e <sub>in)</sub>	_	0.6	1.0	%	

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Figure 2. Representative Schematic Diagram









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#### **OUTLINE DIMENSIONS**



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