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TOSHIBA BIPOLAR LINEAR INTEGRATED CIRCUIT TA8238K

SILICON MONOLITHIC

7.3W × 2CH AUDIO POWER IC

The TA8238K is dual audio power amplifier for consumer

It contains various kind of protectors and the function of stand-by switch.

FEATURES

- Output Power
 - : POUT(1) = 7.3W (Typ.)

 $(V_{CC} = 13.2V, f = 1kHz, THD = 10\%, R_1 = 2\Omega)$

: POUT(2) = 6.4W (Typ.)

 $(V_{CC} = 14.4V, f = 1kHz, THD = 10\%, R_L = 4\Omega)$

: POUT(3) = 5.3W (Typ.)

 $(V_{CC} = 13.2V, f = 1kHz, THD = 10\%, R_L = 4\Omega)$

Total Harmonic Distortion

: THD = 0.1% (Typ.)

 $(V_{CC} = 13.2V, f = 1kHz, P_{out} = 1W, R_L = 4\Omega)$

Built In Stand-By Switch Function

: I STBY = 1μ A (Typ.)

(With Pin[®] set at High, power is turned ON.)

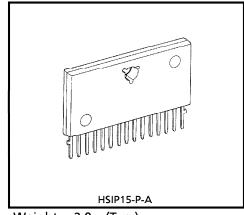
Built In Junction Temperature Detection Function

(Pin1): 10mV/°C)

- Built In Various Protection Circuits
 - : Over Voltage, Thermal Shut Down

Out to GND, Out to VCC

- Operating Supply Voltage
 - : $V_{CC (opr.)} = 6 \sim 18V$



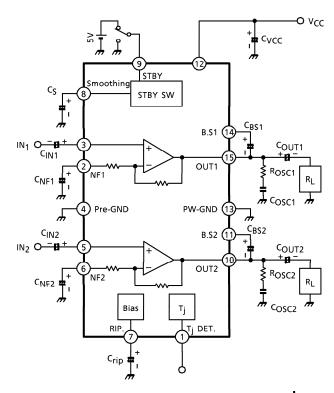
Weight: 3.9g (Typ.)

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BLOCK DIAGRAM

$$(G_V = 52dB)$$



CAUTION AND APPLICATION METHOD

(Description is made only on the single channel.)

1. Voltage Gain Adjustment

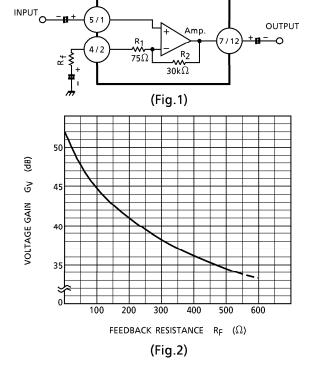
The closed loop voltage gain (G_V) is determined by R_1 , R_2 and R_f .

$$G_V = 20 log \frac{R_f + R_1 + R_2}{R_f + R_1}$$
 (dB)

When $R_f = 0$, $G_V = 52dB$ (Typ.) is given.

The voltage gain is reduced when R_f is increased. (Fig.2)

With the voltage gain reduced, since the oscillation stability is reduced, refer to the items 3.



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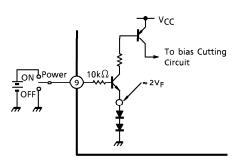
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2. Stand-by SW Function

By means of controlling pin (Stand-by terminal) to High and Low, the power supply can be set to ON and OFF. The threshold voltage of pin (s set at 2.1V (3VBE), and the Power Supply current is about 1μ A (Typ.) at the stand-by state.

Control Voltage pin 9: V (SB)

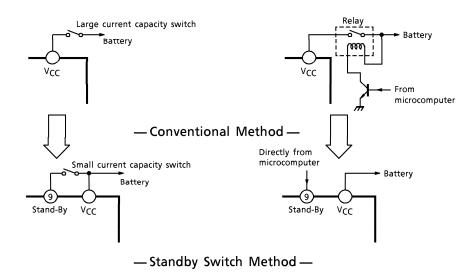
| Stand-By | Power | V (SB) (V) |
|----------|-------|-------------------|
| ON | OFF | 0~2 |
| OFF | ON | 3~V _{CC} |



(Fig.3)With Pin[®] Set to High, Power is Turned ON.

Advantage of Stand-by SW

- (1) Since V_{CC} can directly be controlled to ON, OFF by the microcomputer, the switching relay can be omitted.
- (2) Since the control current is microscopic, the switching relay of small current capacity is satisfactory for switching.



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3. Preventive Measure Against Oscillation

COSC: For preventing the oscillation, it is advisable to use COSC, the condenser of polyester film having small characteristic fluctuation of the temperature and the frequency.

The resistance R to be series applied to C_{OSC} is effective for phase correction of high frequency, and improves the oscillation allowance.

- (1) Voltage gain to be used (G_V Setting)
- (2) Capacity value of condenser
- (3) Kind of condenser
- (4) Layout of printed board

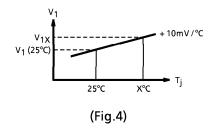
In case of its use with the voltage gain G_V reduced or with the feedback amount increased, care must be taken because the phase-inversion is caused by the high frequency resulting in making the oscillation liable generated.

4. Junction Temperature Detecting pin①

Using temperature characteristic of a band gap circuit and in proportion to junction temperature, pin① DC voltage: V_2 rises at about $+10\text{mV}/^{\circ}\text{C}$ temperature characteristic. So, the relation between V_2 at $T_j = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$ and V_{2x} at $T_j = x^{\circ}\text{C}$ is decided by the following expression:

T (x°C) =
$$\frac{V_{2x} - V_2 (25^{\circ}C)}{10 \text{mV} / {^{\circ}C}} + 25 (^{\circ}C)$$

In deciding a heat sink size, a junction temperature can be easily made clear by measuring voltage at this pin while a backside temperature of IC was so far measured using a thermocouple type thermometer.



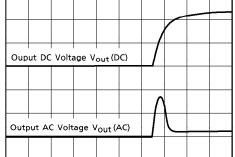
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5. Pop Noise

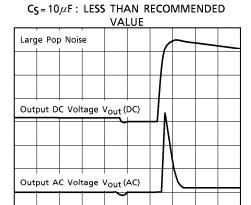
The pop noise is reduced by the time constant τ of pin \otimes : smoothing.

Therefore, we recommend $C_S = 100 \mu F$, which is between pin® and GND, because the pop noise will become worse by using the smaller capacity of C_S .





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MAXIMUM RATINGS (Ta = 25°C)

| CHARACTERISTIC | SYMBOL | RATING | UNIT |
|----------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|------|
| Peak Supply Voltage (0.2s) | V _{CC} (surge) | 50 | V |
| DC Supply Voltage | V _{CC} (DC) | 20 | V |
| Operating Supply Voltage | V _{CC} (opr) | 18 | V |
| Output Current (peak) | I _O (peak) | 4.5 | Α |
| Power Dissipation | PD | 15 | W |
| Operating Temperature | T _{opr} | - 30∼85 | °C |
| Storage Temperature | T _{stg} | - 55∼150 | °C |

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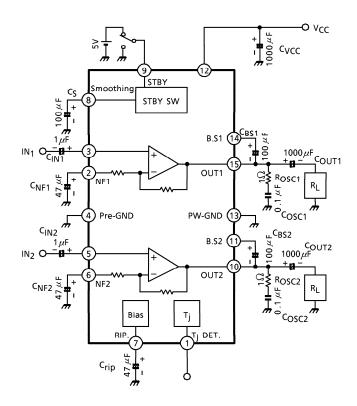
ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

(Unless otherwise specified, V_{CC} = 13.2V, f = 1kHz, R_g = 600 Ω , R_L = 4 Ω , Ta = 25°C)

| CHARACTERISTIC | SYMBOL | TEST CIR- CUIT | TEST CONDITION | MIN. | TYP. | MAX. | UNIT |
|------------------------------|------------------|----------------------|--|------|------|----------|------------|
| Quiescent Current | I _{ccq} | _ | V _{in} = 0 | _ | 60 | 150 | mA |
| | Pout (1) | _ | THD = 10%, $R_L = 2\Omega$ | _ | 7.3 | <u> </u> | W |
| Output Power | Pout (2) | _ | V _{CC} = 14.4V, THD = 10% | _ | 6.4 | _ | W |
| | Pout (3) | _ | THD = 10% | 4.8 | 5.3 | _ | W |
| Total Harmonic Distortion | THD | - | P _{out} = 1W | _ | 0.1 | 0.5 | % |
| Voltage Gain | GV | _ | $V_{out} = 0.775V_{rms}$ (0dBm) | 50 | 52 | 54 | dB |
| Voltage Gain Ratio | ⊿G _V | _ | V _{out} = 0.775V _{rms} (0dBm) | - 1 | 0 | 1 | dB |
| Output Noise Voltage | V _{NO} | — | $R_g = 0\Omega$, BW = 20Hz~20kHz | _ | 0.2 | 0.7 | mV_{rms} |
| Ripple Rejection Ratio | R.R. | _ | $ f_{ripple} = 100 Hz, \\ V_{out} = 0.775 V_{rms} (0 dBm), \\ R_g = 600 \Omega $ | 40 | 57 | _ | dB |
| Cross Talk | C.T. | | $R_g = 600\Omega$, $V_{out} = 0.775V_{rms}$ (0dBm) | _ | 65 | _ | dB |
| Input Resistance | R _{IN} | | _ | _ | 30 | _ | kΩ |
| Stand-By Current | ISTBY | _ | Pin 9: GND | _ | 1 | 10 | μ A |

TEST CIRCUIT

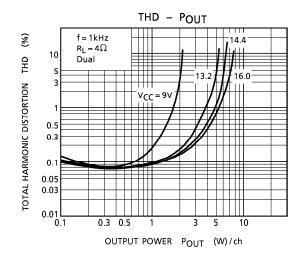
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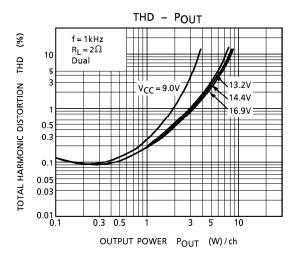


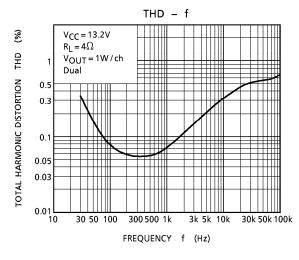
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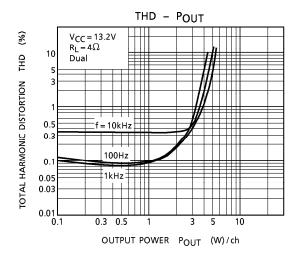
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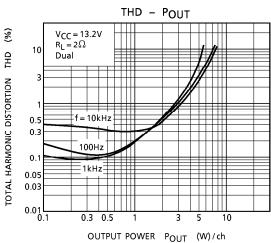
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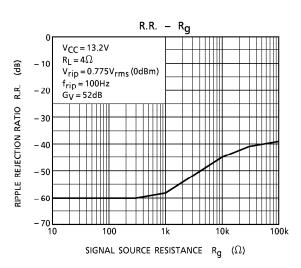








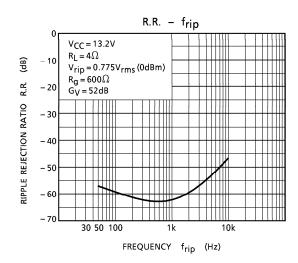


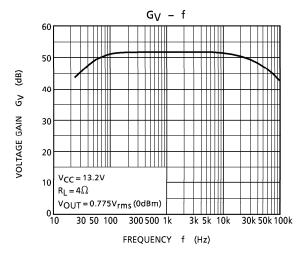


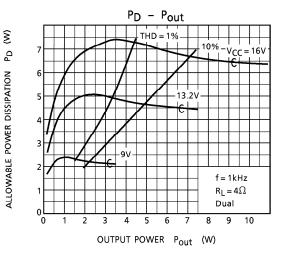
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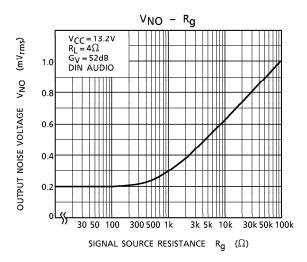
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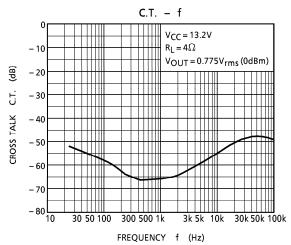
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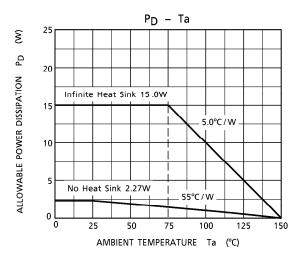










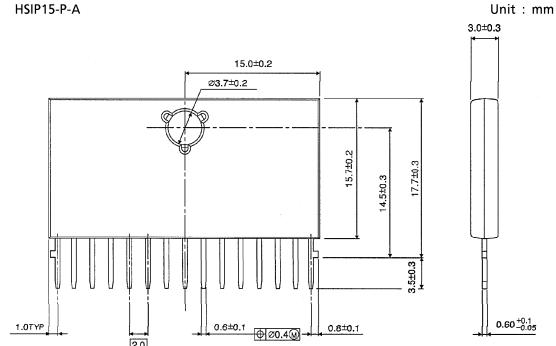


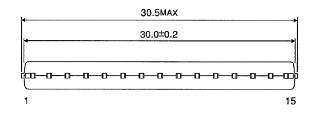
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