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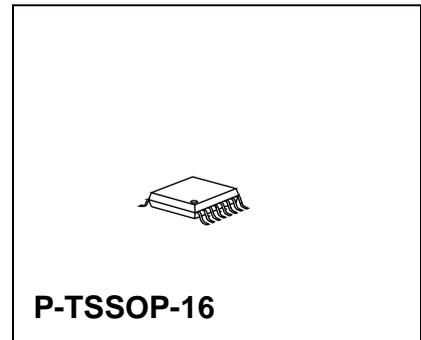
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Bipolar IC

1 Overview

1.1 Functional Description, Benefits

- New B6HF bipolar technology, 25GHz ft
- Frequency range up to 3.0 GHz
- Small outline P-TSSOP 16 package
- 2.7-4.5V supply voltage
- -40°C to +85°C operational temperature range
- Standby function
- Reduced external components
- High isolation between mixer ports
- Good crosstalk performance



MIXER:

- Universal Gilbert cell mixer with adjustable mixer current
- Frequency range up to 3GHz
- Comparable with SO42P or TBB042G
- LO can be driven with external source or internal oscillator

OSCILLATOR :

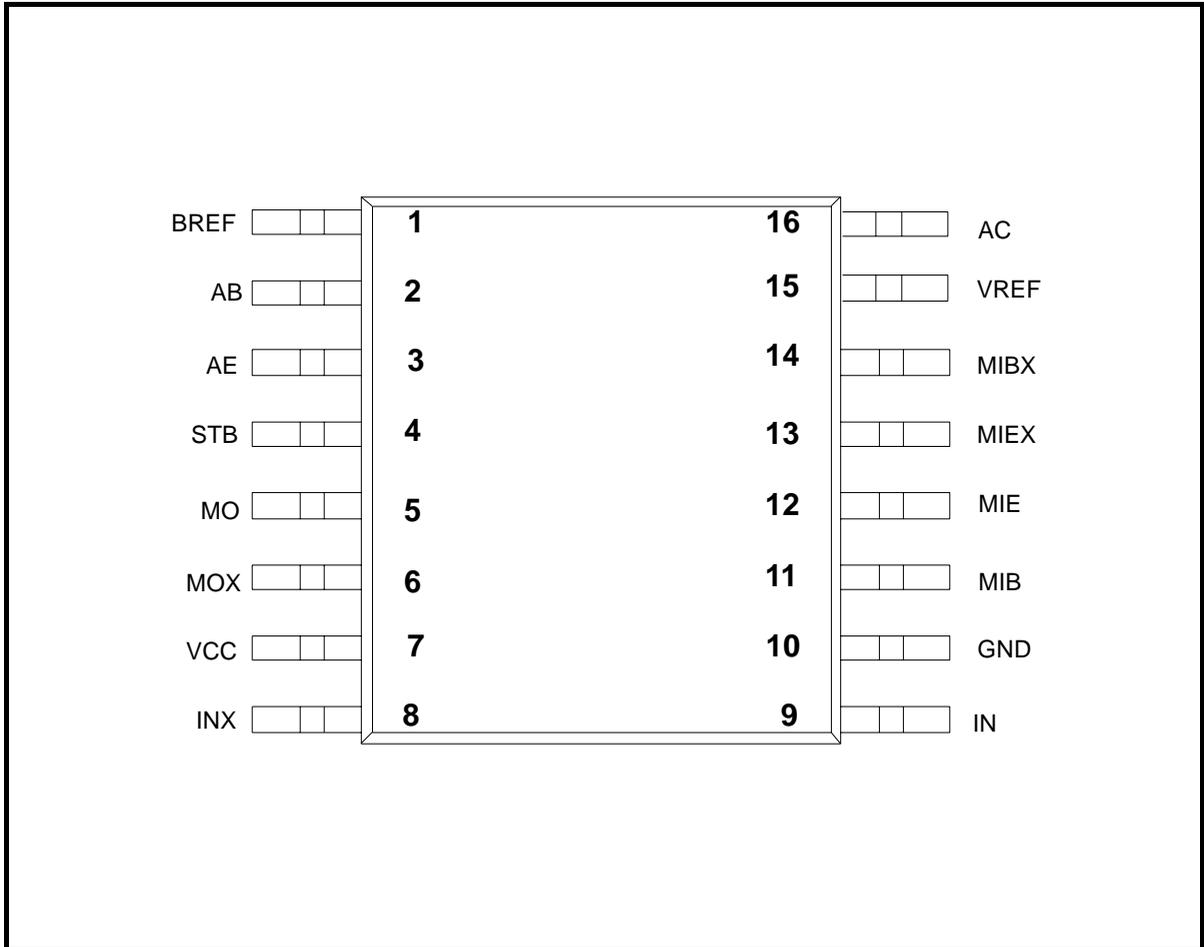
- Internal biased single transistor stage
- Multi purpose operation possible (oscillator, amplifier)
- Low noise performance
- Current adjustable

1.2 Applications:

- All wireless systems
- Various TV and SAT applications

| Type | Ordering Code | Package |
|-----------|---------------|------------|
| TDA6131XS | | P-TSSOP-16 |

1.3 Pin Configuration
(top view)

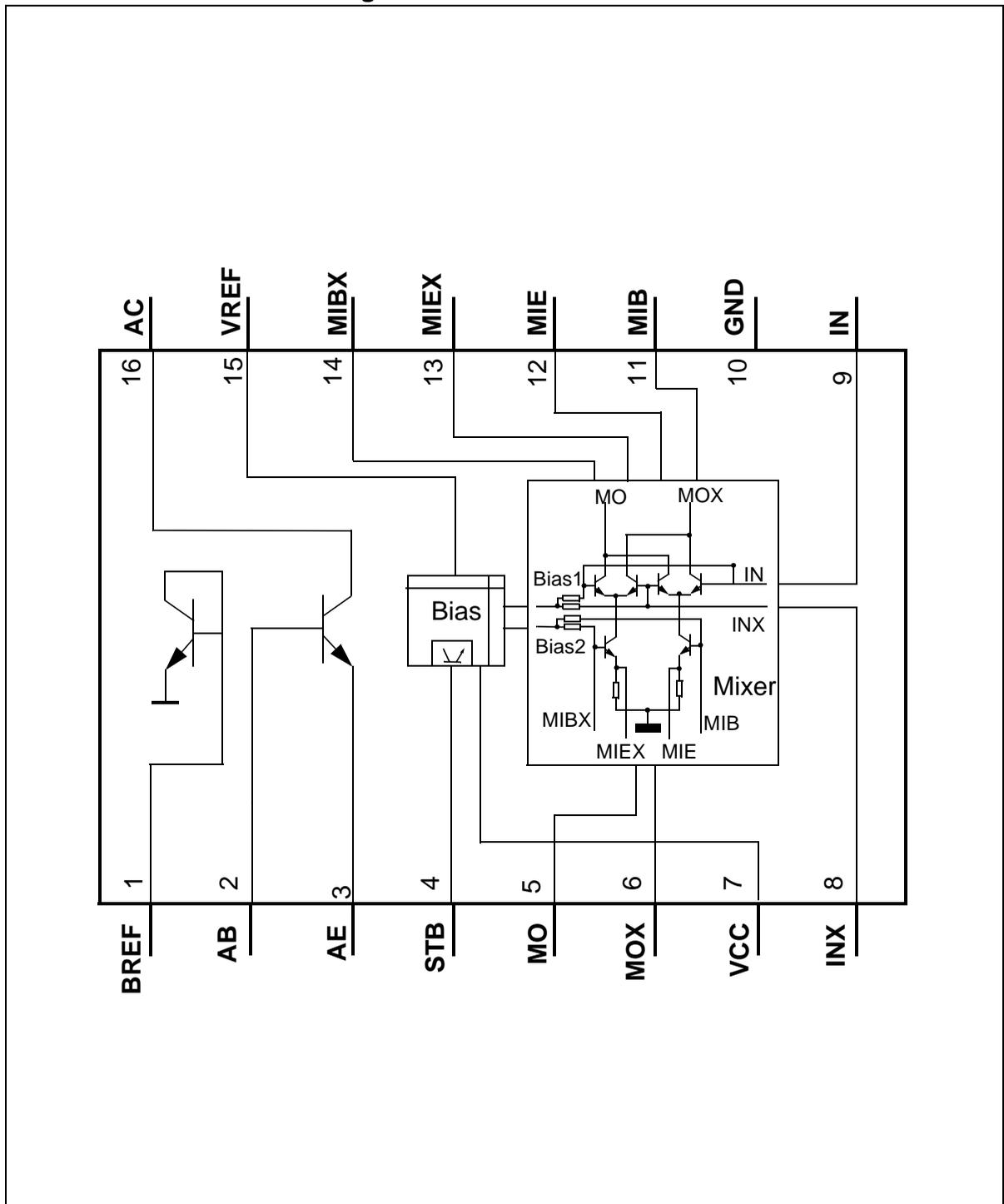


P-TSSOP-16

1.4 Pin Definitions and Functions

| Pin No. | Symbol | Function |
|---------|--------|---|
| 1 | BREF | Reference voltage for amplifier/oscillator V_{BE} |
| 2 | AB | Amplifier / Oscillator base |
| 3 | AE | Amplifier / Oscillator emitter |
| 4 | STB | Standby circuit |
| 5 | MO | Mixer signal open collector output, not inverted |
| 6 | MOX | Mixer signal open collector output, inverted, |
| 7 | VCC | Voltage supply |
| 8 | INX | Mixer signal base input, inverted |
| 9 | IN | Mixer signal base input, not inverted |
| 10 | GND | Ground |
| 11 | MIB | Mixer local oscillator base input, not inverted |
| 12 | MIE | Mixer local oscillator emitter input, not inverted |
| 13 | MIEX | Mixer local oscillator emitter input, inverted |
| 14 | MIBX | Mixer local oscillator base input, inverted |
| 15 | VREF | Constant reference voltage |
| 16 | AC | Amplifier / Oscillator collector |

1.5 Functional Block Diagram



1.6 Circuit Description

MIXER

The mixer used in this design is a general purpose up-/down conversion gilbert cell mixer that can be used in various configurations. The RF can enter the IC either via the pins MIE/MIEX or via MIB/MIBX. Using an external supplied local oscillator at IN/INX a converted output signal is created at the open collector output pins MO/MOX. In a second configuration the RF should be connected to the pins IN/INX and the pins MIB/MIBX/MIE/MIEX need to be connected to an external tank circuit, thus forming for example an colpitts oscillator using the internal transistor stages. In both cases the open collector pins MO/MOX need to be connected to an external supply voltage. To improve the mixer performance external resistors at MIE/MIEX make it possible to adjust the mixer current. The RF connections to the mixer input can be single ended or balanced, capacitive or inductive. Supply voltage for the mixer has to be connected to the pin VCC and to GND.

OSCILLATOR / AMPLIFIER

Using the additional transistor stage it is possible to realize via external components an oscillator or an amplifier circuit. Base AB, emitter AE and collector AC are external available. To adjust the amplifier/oscillator current using a current mirror the internal reference voltage at VREF has to be connected to BREF with an external resistor and BREF needs to be connected to the base AB. This can be done via a resistor and/or a choke. External matching networks at the in- and output of the transistor stage will improve the amplifier performance.

COMMON

Differential signals and symmetrical circuits are used throughout the mixer part of the IC. An internal bias driver generates supply voltage and temperature compensated reference voltages. The STB pin allows the IC to be switched in a low power mode. The pins BREF, VREF, STB, VCC, IN, INX, and MO, MOX are ESD protected.

1.7 Absolute Maximum Ratings

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

Ambient temperature $T_{amb} = -40^{\circ}\text{C}...+85^{\circ}\text{C}$

| # | Parameter | Symbol | Limit Values | | Units | Remarks |
|----|------------------------------------|-----------------|--------------|-------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------|
| | | | Min | Max | | |
| 1 | Supply Voltage | V_S | -0.3 | 5.0 | V | |
| 2 | Input Voltage MIE/X | $V_{MIE/MIE X}$ | -0.3 | 1.9 | V | $V_S = 0$, MIB/X open |
| 3 | Input Voltage MIB/X | $V_{MIB/MIB X}$ | -0.3 | 1.9 | V | |
| 4 | Input Voltage IN/INX | $V_{IN/IN X}$ | 0.6 | $V_S+0.3$ 5.0max. | V V | |
| 5 | Input Voltage AB | V_{AB} | -0.3 | $V_{AC}+0.3$ 3.5max. | V V | |
| 6 | Input Voltage AE | V_{AE} | -0.3 | 0.6 | V | |
| 7 | Output Voltage VREF | V_{VREF} | 1.3 | 2.0 | V | |
| 8 | Input Voltage STB | V_{STB} | -0.3 | $V_S+0.3$ 5.0max. | V V | |
| 9 | Output Voltage BREF | V_{BREF} | -0.3 | 3.5 | V | |
| 10 | Open Collector Output Voltage | $V_{MO/MOX}$ | 1.7 | $V_S+0.3$ 5.0max. | V V | |
| 11 | Open Collector Output Voltage | V_{AC} | -0.3 | 3.5 | V | Base open |
| 12 | Open Collector Output Voltage | V_{AC} | -0.3 | 7.0 | V | $R_B < 50\text{K}\Omega$ |
| 13 | Amplifier / Oscillator Current | I_{AC} | | 30 | mA | |
| 14 | Reference Current | I_{BREF} | | 3 | mA | |
| 15 | Differential Input Voltage | $V_{I_{DIFF}}$ | | 2.0 | V_{PP} | |
| 16 | Junction Temperature | T_j | | 125 | $^{\circ}\text{C}$ | |
| 17 | Storage Temperature | T_S | -40 | 125 | $^{\circ}\text{C}$ | |
| 18 | Thermal Resistance | R_{thJA} | | 213 | K/W | 1) |
| 19 | ESD integrity, pins 1,5,6,7,8,9,15 | V_{ESD} | -1000 | 1000 | V | 2) |

1) Attention: Do not exceed the maximum. junction temperature

2) HBM according to MIL STD 883D, method 3015.7 and EOS/ESD Assn. Standard S5.1-1993

1.8 Operational Range

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

Supply voltage $V_{VCC} = 2.7V \dots 4.5V$, Ambient temperature $T_{amb} = -40^{\circ}C \dots 85^{\circ}C$

| # | Parameter | Symbol | Limit Values | | Units | Remarks |
|---|--------------------------------|-------------|--------------|-------|-------|---------|
| | | | Min | Max | | |
| 1 | AB Input Frequency | f_{AI} | | 3000 | MHz | |
| 2 | MIE/X or MIB/X Input Frequency | f_{MI} | | 3000 | MHz | |
| 3 | IN/X Input Frequency | f_{IN} | | 3000 | MHz | |
| 4 | MO/X Intermediate Frequency | f_{MO} | | 3000 | MHz | |
| 5 | Standby Voltage On | STB_{ON} | 2.0 | V_S | V | |
| 6 | Standby Voltage Off | STB_{OFF} | 0 | 0.5 | V | |

1.9 AC/DC Characteristics

AC/DC characteristics involve the spread of values guaranteed within the specified supply voltage and ambient temperature range. Typical characteristics are the median of the production.

Supply voltage $V_{VCC} = 2.7V \dots 4.5V$, Ambient temperature $T_{amb} = +25^{\circ}C$

| # | Parameter | Symbol | Limit Values | | | Units | Test Conditions | Test Circuit |
|---|-----------|--------|--------------|-----|-----|-------|-----------------|--------------|
| | | | Min | Typ | Max | | | |

Supply Current

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|--------------------------|------------------|--|------|--|---------|--|--------------------------|
| 1a | Supply current, total IC | $I_{4,5,6,7,16}$ | | 7.8 | | mA | STB ON, $R_1=R_2=\infty$ $R_{DC}=820\Omega$ | 1, $I_{AC}=5.5$ mA |
| 1b | Supply current, total IC | $I_{4,5,6,7,16}$ | | 13.1 | | mA | STB ON, $R_1=R_2=\infty$ $R_{DC}=330\Omega$ | 1, $I_{AC}=10$ mA |
| 1c | Supply current, total IC | $I_{4,5,6,7,16}$ | | 11.1 | | mA | STB ON, $R_1=R_2=180\Omega$ $R_{DC}=820\Omega$ | 1, $I_{AC}=5.5$ mA |
| 2 | Supply current, total IC | $I_{4,5,6,7,16}$ | | <20 | | μA | STB OFF, $R_{DC}=820\Omega$ | 1 |

* Minimum value for external resistors at MIE/MIEX: $R_1=R_2=68\Omega$

* Minimum value for external resistor between VREF and BREF: $R_{DC}=180\Omega$

AC/DC Characteristics

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| # | Parameter | Symbol | Limit Values | | | Unit | Test Conditions | Test Circuit |
|---|-----------|--------|--------------|-----|-----|------|-----------------|--------------|
| | | | Min | Typ | Max | | | |

MIXER, Signal Input MIE/MIEX, Downconversion, R1,2=180Ohm

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|--|--------------|--|-----|--|-----|----------|----|
| 1 | Max. input level, 1db compression at MO/X, IF= 45MHz | P_{MI} | | -15 | | dBm | f=0.9GHz | 1 |
| 2 | Input intercept point, $\Delta f=800kHz$, IF= 45MHz | $IICP3_{MI}$ | | 0 | | dBm | f=0.9GHz | 1 |
| 3 | Noise figure, ssb (NF _{ssb} ≈NF _{dsb} +3dB) IF=45MHz | F_{MI} | | 9 | | dB | f=0.9GHz | 1* |

MIXER, Local Oscillator Input IN/INX, Downconversion, R1,2=180Ohm

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|-------------|----------|--|----|--|-----|----------|-----|
| 4 | Input level | P_{LO} | | -3 | | dBm | f=0.9GHz | 1** |
|---|-------------|----------|--|----|--|-----|----------|-----|

MIXER, Signal Output MO/MOX, Downconversion, R1,2=180Ohm

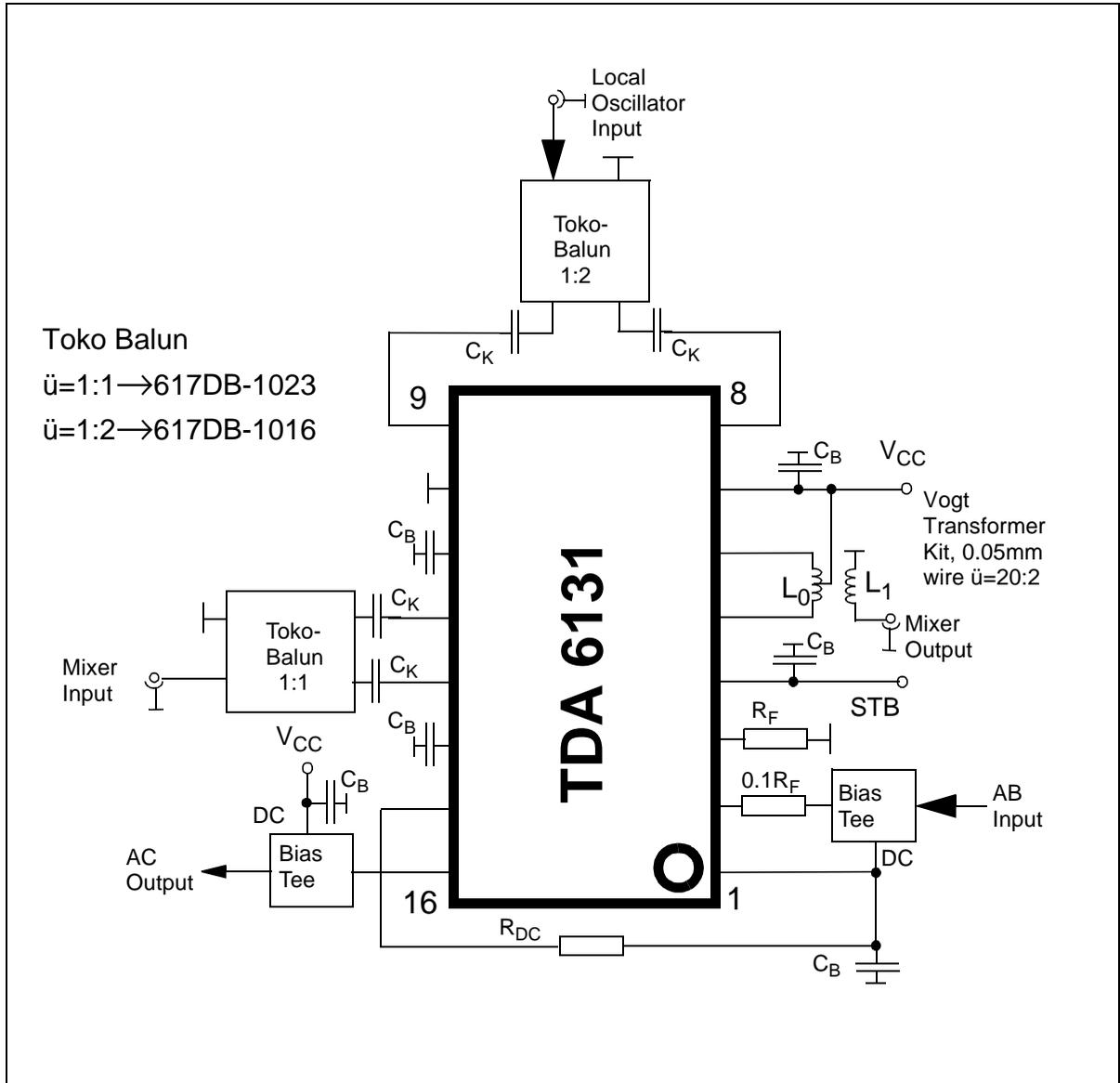
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|---|----------------------|--------------|--|------|--|------|-------------|---|
| 5 | Output current | I_{MO+MOX} | | 4.0 | | mA | incl. R1,R2 | 1 |
| 6 | Output resistance | R_{MODiff} | | 32 | | kOhm | IF=45MHz | 1 |
| 7 | Output capacitance | C_{MODiff} | | 0.36 | | pF | IF=45MHz | 1 |
| 8 | Power gain, IF=45MHz | P_{MI} | | 15 | | db | f=0.9GHz | 1 |

* matching network used

** referenced for specified mixer performance

1.10 Test Circuit

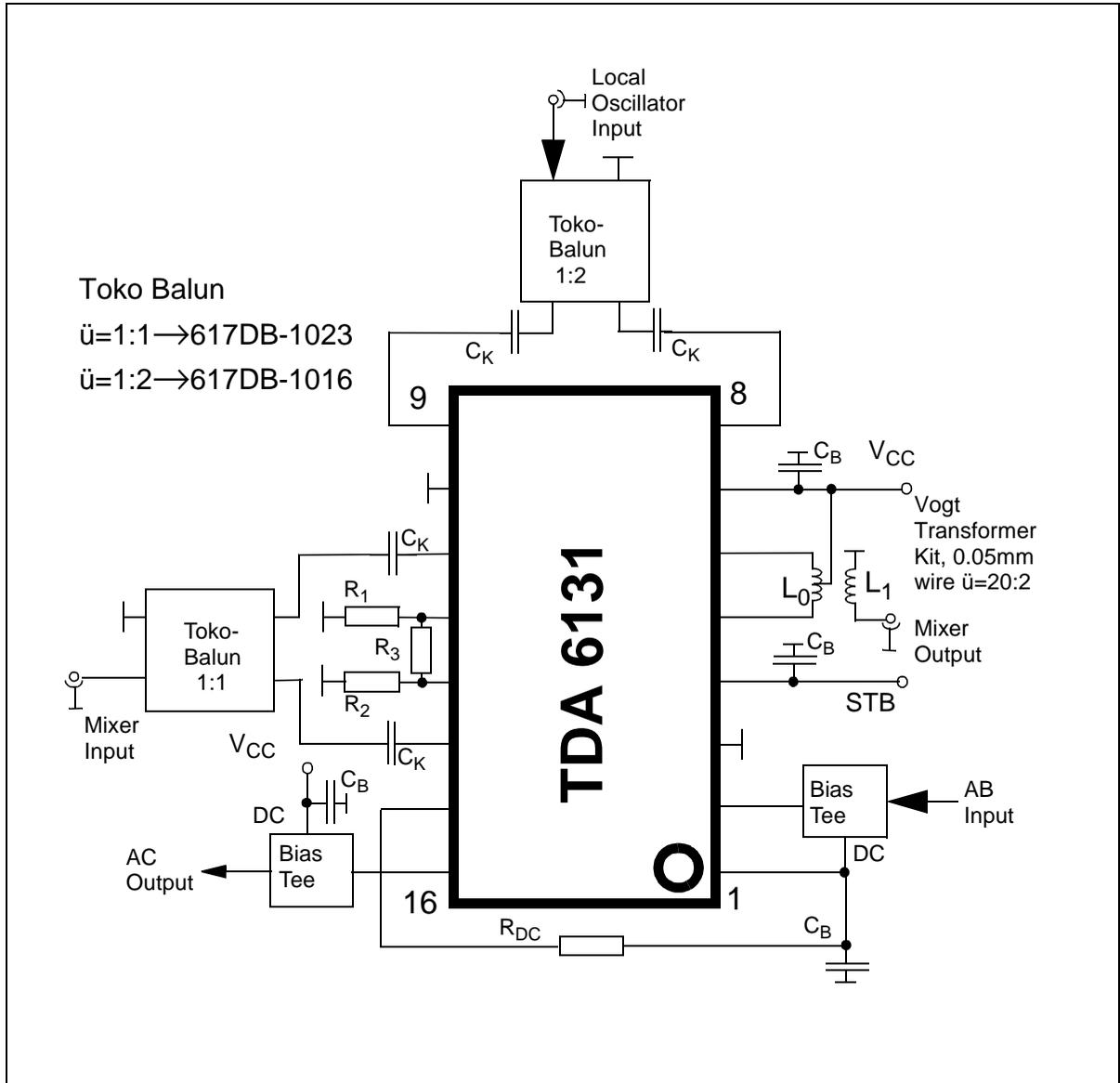
Test Circuit 1



Mixer Circuit Base Grounded,
 Amplifier With Feedback Resistor

1.11 Test Circuit

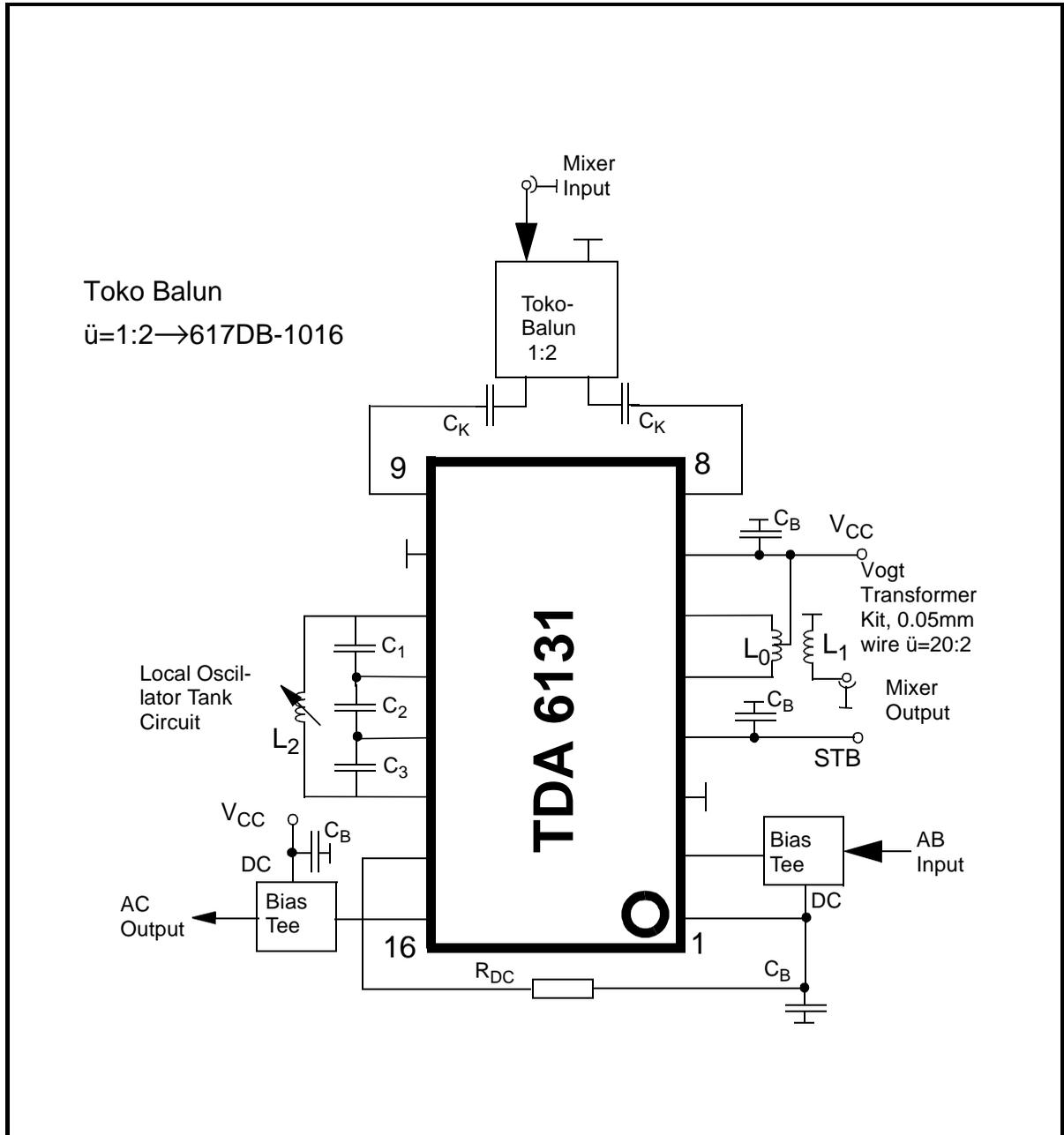
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Mixer Circuit Emitter Grounded,
 Mixer Current Increased With Resistor R_1, R_2

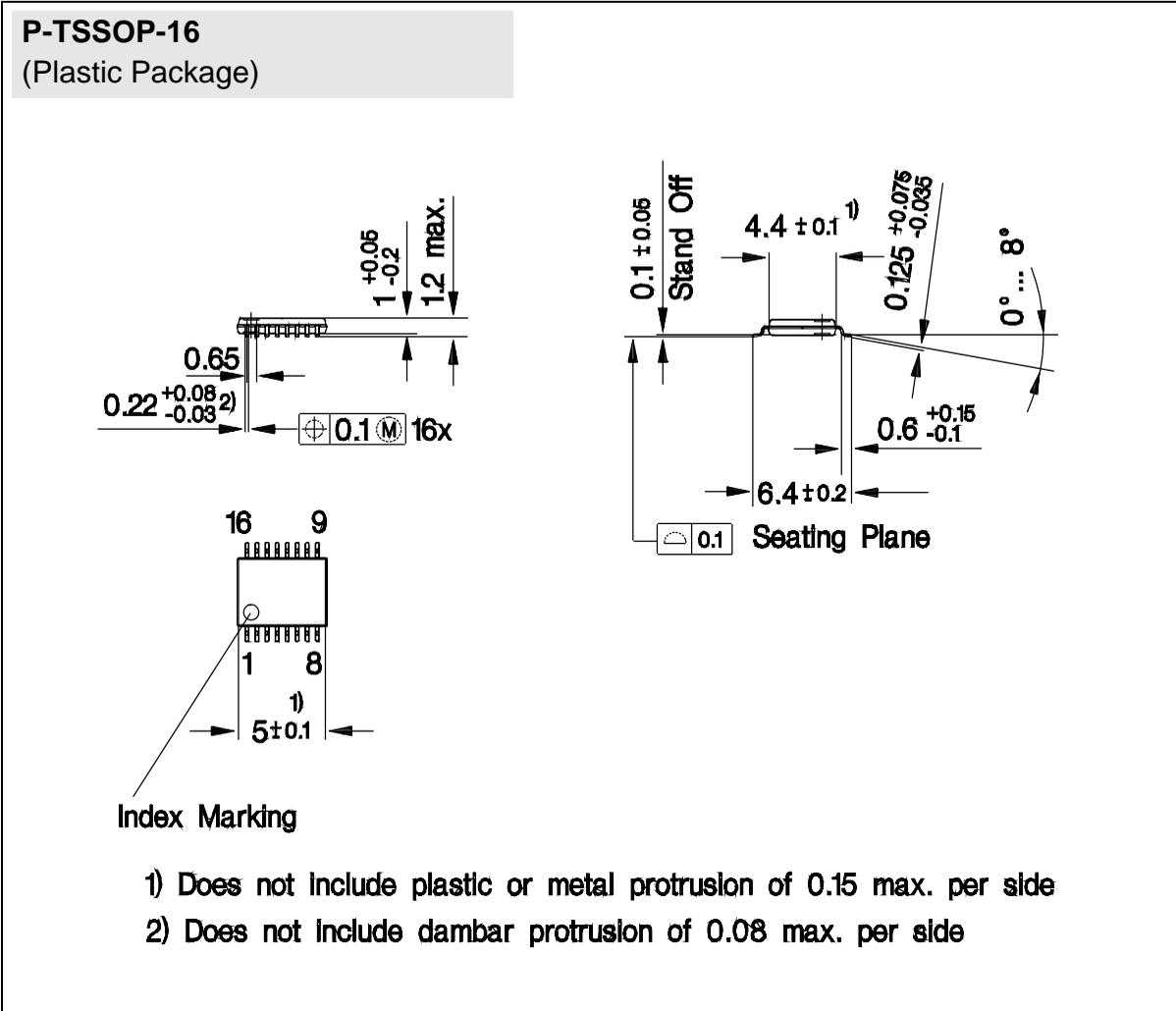
1.12 Test Circuit

Test Circuit 3



Mixer With Internal Oscillator

2 Package Outlines



Sorts of Packing

Package outlines for tubes, trays etc. are contained in our Data Book "Package Information".

SMD = Surface Mounted Device

Dimensions in mm