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# CXA1594L/L-S

# All Band TV Tuner IC (VHF-CATV-UHF)

#### Description

The CXA1594L/L-S is a single chip tuner IC which performs as an oscillator mixer for VHF/CATV bands and UHF bands. An IF amplifier is also provided.

Use of this IC enables a large reduction of external parts in addition to the miniaturization of the tuner, improving manufacturing productivity, reliability, and ease of design.

This IC is similar in circuit to CXA1355L with pin arrangements modified to simplify installation in tuners.

#### Features

- On-chip UHF band OSC and MIX
- Low noise figure
- Reduced spurious interference
- Superior cross modulation distortion
- Ultra-small package ensures tuner miniaturization

#### Applications

- CTV tuner
- CATV UP-DOWN converter
- FM detector for 2IF satellite broadcasts

#### Structure

Bipolar silicon monolithic IC

#### Block Diagram and Pin Configuration



#### Absolute Maximum Ratings (Ta=25 °C)

- Supply voltage Vcc 12 V
- Storage temperature Tstg -55 to +150 °C
- Allowable power dissipation
  Pp 800 mW

#### **Recommended Operating Conditions**

- Supply voltage Vcc 8.1 to 9.9 V
- Ambient temperature Topr -20 to +75 °C



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## **Pin Description**

Pin No.	Symbol	Typical voltage (V)	Equivalent circuit	Description	
1	IF OUT	Under VHF operation 5.4 Under UHF operation 5.4	Vcc 40 1 777 777	IF output.	
2	VHF IN1	2.8  3.2		VHF input. Normally a condenser is connected at Pin 2 to GND	
4	VHF IN2	2.8 3.2		and Pin 4 is used for input.	
3	MIX OUT1	7.8	3 3 3 5 4 3 3 3 3 3 4 4 3 3 3 3 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4	Doubles as mixer output	
5	MIX OUT2	7.8		and IF amp input.	
6	GND	0		GND	
7	SW	3V or more	7 → 30k → 30k ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓	U/V switch pin. Connect 9V source through a resistor of about 5kΩ for VHF reception; leave OPEN (0V) for UHF.	

Pin No.	Symbol	Typical voltage (V)	Equivalent circuit	Description	
8	Vcc	9.0		Power supply (9V).	
9	V OSCB	2.8  3.4		VHF oscillator. Since Pin 11 is an open collector, connect power	
11	V OSCC	9.0  9.0	→ → → → → → → → → → → → → → → → → → →	supply through a choke coil or a resistor of about 500Ω .	
10	UHF IN1	3.2 2.8		UHF input. The differential signal input	
12	UHF IN2	3.2  2.8		to Pin 11 and 12.	
13	GND	0		GND	
14	U OSCC	9.0  9.0		UHF oscillator.	
15	U OSCB2	3.4  2.8		Since Pin 14 is an open collector, connect power supply through a choke coil or a resistor of about $500\Omega$ .	
16	U OSCB1	3.4  2.8		50032 .	

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Electrical	Characteristics
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See Electrical Characteristics Test Circuit. (Ta=25 °C , Vcc=9V)

Item	Symbol	Test conditions	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit
Current and a second	lccV	VHF operation No signal	33.5	45.0	57,5	mA
Supply current	IccU	UHF operation No signal	35.0	46.0	60.0	mA
	CG1	VHF operation frr=55MHz Input level40dBm	22.0	25.0	28.0	dB
Conversion	CG2	VHF operation frr=470MHz Input level40dBm	22.0	25.0	28.0	dB
gain * 1	CG3	UHF operation fre=470MHz Input level40dBm	28.5	31.5	34.5	dB
	CG4	UHF operation fre=890MHz Input level40dBm	26.0	29.0	32.0	dB
	NF1	VHF operation fre=55MHz		12.0	14.0	dB
Mataa Kauna X 1	NF2	VHF operation far=470MHz		13.5	15.5	dB
Noise figure * 1	NF3	UHF operation fre=470MHz		8.5	10.5	dB
	NF4	UHF operation fre=890MHz		10.5	13.0	dB
	CM1	VHF operation fo=55MHz fuo=±12MHz	92.0	95.0		dBµ
1% cross modulation	CM2	VHF operation fb=470MHz fub=±12MHz	88.0	91.0		dΒμ
* 1 * 2	СМЗ	UHF operation fp=470MHz fup=±12MHz	85.0	88.0		dΒμ
	CM4	UHF operation fo=890MHz fuo=±12MHz	85.0	88.0		dΒμ
Max. output power	Pomax (sat)	$50\Omega$ load	+8.0	+12.0	,	dBm

\*1 Measured value for untuned inputs.

Matching NF (noise figure) results in approximately the below values. NF2 (fRF=470MHz): 12dB typ. NF4 (fRF=890MHz): 10dB typ. For VHF the input is unbalanced and for UHF input is balanced.

<sup>\*2</sup> Optimal reception frequency (fp) input level is -33dBm Interrupt frequency (fup) is 100kHz at 40% AM; Interrupt frequency level when measured with spectrum analyzer at S/I=46dB.



**Electrical Characteristics Test Circuit** 

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#### **Description of Operation** (See Electrical Characteristics Test Circuit Application Circuit)

(1) VHF Oscillator Circuit

Differential amplifier type oscillator circuit with output at Pin 11 and input at Pin 9.

Provide oscillation through applying positive feedback by inputting Pin 11 output through a combination capacitor followed by an LC resonator circuit and a feedback capacitor to Pin 9. Note that if the parasitic capacitance between Pins 9 and 11 is too large, a positive feedback is returned through the parasitic capacitance and abnormal oscillation may occur.

Since Pin 11 is an open collector, connect the power supply through a choke coil or a resistor rated between 510 and  $1k\Omega$ . When using a choke coil, note that parasitic oscillation may occur if Q is too large.

(2) VHF Mixer Circuit

The mixer circuit employs a double balance mixer for reduce local oscillator signal leakage. The RF is input to Pins 2 and 4. For normal use one pin is grounded and the other pin is the RF input. The RF signal is converted to IF signal with the oscillator signal. The input to the IF amplifier is output to Pins 3 and 5 simultaneously.

(3) UHF Oscillator Circuit

UHF oscillator is formed from a differential amplifier just like the VHF oscillator.

Oscillation should be provided at the point between the transistor base and collector at the differential input as shown in the Application Circuit.

Since Pin 14 is an open collector, connect the power supply through a choke coil or a resistor rated between 510 and  $1k\Omega$ .

(4) UHF Mixer Circuit

Double balance mixer is same as VHF mixer. The RF signal is input to Pins 10 and 12. The recommended input method is a balanced differential input from pre-stage double tune circuit. Otherwise, the conditions and usage are the same as for the VHF Mixer Circuit.

(5) IF Amplifier Circuit

The mixer output signal is amplified by the IF amplifier and output to Pin 1. The output impedance is nealy equal  $50\Omega$ .

(6) U/V Switch Circuit

U/V mode is selected by the DC voltage at Pin 7. UHF operation is chosen by OPEN (0V) input and VHF operation by an input of 3V or more. Normally the U/V switch is implemented through the combination of a  $5.1k\Omega$  resistor switching between open/9V.

#### **Notes on Operation**

Care should be taken in placing external parts because high frequencies are present. Adjust accordingly to prevent heat problems with special care for Pins 6 and 13 (GND) whose heat dissipations accumulate.

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f - Reception frequency (MHz)



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## VHF Input Impedance



# UHF Input Impedance



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Package Outline Unit : mm



16pin SZIP (Plastic) 225mil