

THS7530 High-Speed, Fully Differential, Continuously Variable Gain Amplifier

1 Features

- Low Noise: $V_n = 1.1 \text{ nV}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$, Noise Figure = 9 dB
- Low Distortion:
 - HD₂ = -65 dBc, HD₃ = -61 dBc at 32 MHz
 - $IMD_3 = -62 \text{ dBc}$, $OIP_3 = 21 \text{ dBm at } 70 \text{ MHz}$
- 300-MHz Bandwidth
- Continuously Variable Gain Range: 11.6 dB to 46.5 dB
- · Gain Slope: 38.8 dB/V
- · Fully Differential Input and Output
- Output Common-Mode Voltage Control
- **Output Voltage Limiting**

2 Applications

- Time Gain Amplifiers in Ultra Sound, Sonar, and Radar
- Automatic Gain Control in Communication and Video
- System Gain Calibration in Communications
- Variable Gain in Instrumentation

3 Description

The THS7530 device is fabricated using Texas Instruments' state-of-the-art BiCom III SiGe complementary bipolar process. The THS7530 device is a DC-coupled, wide bandwidth amplifier with voltage-controlled gain. The amplifier has highimpedance differential inputs and low-impedance differential outputs with high-bandwidth gain control, output common-mode control, and output voltage clamping.

Signal-channel performance is exceptional with 300-MHz bandwidth, and third harmonic distortion of -61 dBc at 32 MHz with 1-V_{PP} output into 400 Ω .

Gain control is linear in dB with 0 V to 0.9 V varying the gain from 11.6 dB to 46.5 dB with 38.8-dB/V gain slope.

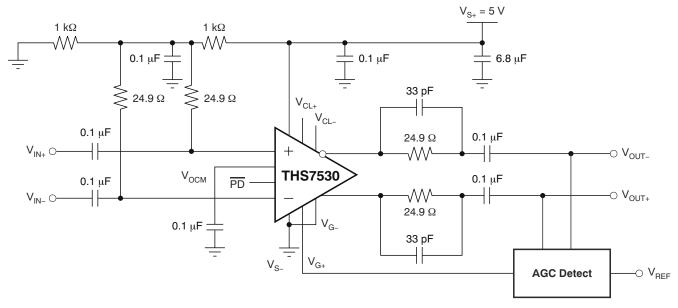
Output voltage limiting is provided to limit the output voltage swing and to prevent saturating following stages.

The device is characterized for operation over the industrial temperature range, -40°C to +85°C.

Device Information (1)

PART NUMBER	PACKAGE	BODY SIZE (NOM)		
THS7530	HTSSOP (14)	5.00 mm × 4.40 mm		

For all available packages, see the orderable addendum at the end of the data sheet.



Typical Application Circuit



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5 Pin Configuration and Functions

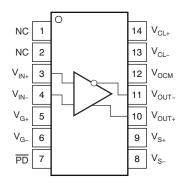


Figure 5-1. PWP Package 14-Pin HTSSOP With PowerPAD™ Top View

Pin Functions

P	PIN		DESCRIPTION
NAME	NO.	I/O	DESCRIPTION
NC	1		No internal connection
	2		No internal connection
PD	7	_	Power down, \overline{PD} = logic low puts the device into low power mode; \overline{PD} = logic high or open for normal operation
V _{CL}	13	I	Output negative clamp voltage input
V _{CL+}	14	I	Output positive clamp voltage input
V_{G-}	6	I	Gain setting negative input
V _{G+}	5	I	Gain setting positive input
V _{IN} _	4	I	Inverting amplifier input
V _{IN+}	3	I	Noninverting amplifier input
V _{OCM}	12	I	Output common-mode voltage input
V _{OUT}	11	0	Inverted amplifier output
V _{OUT+}	10	0	Noninverted amplifier output
V _{S-}	8	I	Negative amplifier power-supply input
V _{S+}	9	I	Positive amplifier power-supply input



6 Specifications

6.1 Absolute Maximum Ratings

Over operating free-air temperature range, unless otherwise noted. (1)

		MIN	MAX	UNIT
V _{S+} - V _{S-}	Supply voltage		5.5	V
V _I	Input voltage		±V _S	V
Io	Output current		65	mA
V _{ID}	Differential input voltage		±4	V
	Continuous power dissipation		See Section 6.4	
_	Maximum junction temperature		150	°C
1]	Maximum junction temperature for long term stability ⁽²⁾		125	°C
T _{stg}	Storage temperature	-65	150	°C

- (1) Stresses beyond those listed under Absolute Maximum Ratings may cause permanent damage to the device. These are stress ratings only, which do not imply functional operation of the device at these or any other conditions beyond those indicated under Recommended Operating Conditions. Exposure to absolute-maximum-rated conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.
- (2) The maximum junction temperature for continuous operation is limited by package constraints. Operation above this temperature may result in reduced reliability and/or lifetime of the device.

6.2 ESD Ratings

			VALUE	UNIT
		Human body model (HBM), per ANSI/ESDA/JEDEC JS-001 ⁽¹⁾	±3000	
V _(ESD)	Electrostatic discharge	Charged device model (CDM), per JEDEC specification JESD22-C101 ⁽²⁾	±1500	V
		Machine model (MM)	±200	

- (1) JEDEC document JEP155 states that 500-V HBM allows safe manufacturing with a standard ESD control process.
- (2) JEDEC document JEP157 states that 250-V CDM allows safe manufacturing with a standard ESD control process.

6.3 Recommended Operating Conditions

			MIN	NOM	MAX	UNIT
[V _S - to V _{S+}]	[V _S - to V _{S+}] Supply voltage			5	5.5	V
	Input common mode voltage	$[V_{S-} \text{ to } V_{S+}] = 5 \text{ V}$		2.5		V
	Output common mode voltage	$[V_{S-} \text{ to } V_{S+}] = 5 \text{ V}$		2.5		V
T _A	Operating free-air temperature		-40		85	°C

6.4 Thermal Information

		THS7530	
	THERMAL METRIC ⁽¹⁾	PWP (HTSSOP)	UNIT
		14 PINS	
R _{θJA}	Junction-to-ambient thermal resistance	50.4	°C/W
R _{0JC(top)}	Junction-to-case (top) thermal resistance	34.9	°C/W
$R_{\theta JB}$	Junction-to-board thermal resistance	29	°C/W
ΨЈТ	Junction-to-top characterization parameter	1.6	°C/W
ΨЈВ	Junction-to-board characterization parameter	28.7	°C/W
R _{0JC(bot)}	Junction-to-case (bottom) thermal resistance	3.2	°C/W

 For more information about traditional and new thermal metrics, see the Semiconductor and IC Package Thermal Metrics application report, SPRA953.

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6.5 Electrical Characteristics: Main Amplifier

 V_{S+} = 5 V, V_{S-} = 0 V, V_{OCM} = 2.5 V, V_{ICM} = 2.5 V, V_{G-} = 0 V, V_{G+} = 1 V (maximum gain), T_A = 25°C, AC performance measured using the AC test circuit shown in Figure 7-1 (unless otherwise noted). DC performance is measured using the DC test circuit shown in Figure 7-2 (unless otherwise noted)

PARAMETER	TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
AC PERFORMANCE					
Small-signal bandwidth	All gains, P _{IN} = –45 dBm		300		MHz
Slew rate ⁽¹⁾	1-V _{PP} Step, 25% to 75%, minimum gain		1250		V/µs
Settling time to 1% ⁽¹⁾	1-V _{PP} Step, minimum gain		11		ns
Harmonic distortion, 2nd harmonic	$f = 32$ MHz, $V_{O(PP)} = 1$ V, $R_{L(diff)} = 400$ Ω		-65		dBc
Harmonic distortion, 3rd harmonic	f = 32 MHz, $V_{O(PP)}$ = 1 V, $R_{L(diff)}$ = 400 $Ω$		-61		dBc
Third-order intermodulation distortion	P_O = -10 dBm each tone, f_C = 70 MHz, 200-kHz tone spacing		-62		dBc
Third-order output intercept point	f _C = 70 MHz, 200-kHz tone spacing		21		dBm
Noise figure (with input termination)	Source impedance: 50 Ω		9		dB
Total input voltage noise	f > 100 kHz		1.1		nV/√ H
DC PERFORMANCE—INPUTS	,	1		,	
	T _A = 25°C		20	39	
Input bias current	T _A = -40°C to +85°C			40	μA
Input bias current offset			<150		pA
	Minimum gain, T _A = 25°C		1.5	1.6	
Minimum input voltage	Minimum gain, T _A = -40°C to +85°C			1.7	V
	Minimum gain, T _A = 25°C	3.35	3.5		.,
Maximum input voltage	Minimum gain, T _A = -40°C to +85°C	3.2			V
	T _A = 25°C	56	114		
Common-mode rejection ratio	T _A = -40°C to +85°C	44			dB
Differential input impedance			8.5 3		kΩ p
DC PERFORMANCE—OUTPUTS				I	
	All gains, T _A = 25°C		±100	±340	.,
Output offset voltage	All gains, T _A = -40°C to +85°C			±480	mV
	T _A = 25°C	3.275	3.5		.,
Maximum output voltage high	T _A = -40°C to +85°C	3.25			V
	T _A = 25°C		1.5	1.7	
Minimum output voltage low	$T_A = -40$ °C to +85°C			1.8	V
	T _A = 25°C	±16	±37		
Output current		±10	±31		
- '	$T_A = -40^{\circ}\text{C to } +85^{\circ}\text{C}$	±16	137		mA
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Output impedance	T _A = -40°C to +85°C				
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Output impedance OUTPUT COMMON-MODE VOLTAGE Common-mode offset voltage	$T_A = -40$ °C to +85°C ONTROL $T_A = 25$ °C		15 32 1		Ω MHz V/V
Output impedance OUTPUT COMMON-MODE VOLTAGE Common-mode offset voltage Minimum input voltage	$T_A = -40$ °C to +85°C ONTROL $T_A = 25$ °C		15 32 1 4.5		Ω MHz V/V mV
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Output impedance OUTPUT COMMON-MODE VOLTAGE Common-signal bandwidth Gain Common-mode offset voltage Minimum input voltage Maximum input voltage Input impedance	$T_A = -40$ °C to +85°C ONTROL $T_A = 25$ °C		15 32 1 4.5 1.75 3.25		Ω MHz V/V mV V
Output impedance OUTPUT COMMON-MODE VOLTAGE Common-mode offset voltage Minimum input voltage Maximum input voltage Input impedance Default voltage, with no connect	$T_A = -40$ °C to +85°C ONTROL $T_A = 25$ °C		15 32 1 4.5 1.75 3.25 25 1		Ω MHz V/V mV V kΩ p
Output impedance OUTPUT COMMON-MODE VOLTAGE Common-signal bandwidth Gain Common-mode offset voltage Minimum input voltage Maximum input voltage Input impedance Default voltage, with no connect Input bias current GAIN CONTROL	$T_A = -40$ °C to +85°C ONTROL $T_A = 25$ °C		15 32 1 4.5 1.75 3.25 25 1 2.5		Ω MHz V/V mV V kΩ pl
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6.5 Electrical Characteristics: Main Amplifier (continued)

 V_{S+} = 5 V, V_{S-} = 0 V, V_{OCM} = 2.5 V, V_{ICM} = 2.5 V, V_{G-} = 0 V, V_{G+} = 1 V (maximum gain), T_A = 25°C, AC performance measured using the AC test circuit shown in Figure 7-1 (unless otherwise noted). DC performance is measured using the DC test circuit shown in Figure 7-2 (unless otherwise noted)

PARAMETER	TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT	
Maximum gain	V _{G+} = 0.9 V		46.5		dB	
Gain slope	V _{G+} = 0 V to 0.9 V		38.8		dB/V	
Gain slope variation	V _{G+} = 0 V to 0.9 V		±1.5		dB/V	
Online arman	V _{G+} = 0 V to 0.15 V		±4		-ID	
Gain error	V _{G+} = 0.15 V to 0.9 V		±2.25		- dB	
Gain control input bias current			<1		μΑ	
Gain control input resistance			40		kΩ	
Gain control bandwidth	Small signal –3 dB		15		MHz	
VOLTAGE CLAMPING						
Output voltages (V _{OUT±}) relative to clamp	Device In voltage limiting mode, T _A = 25°C		±25	±38	.,	
voltages (V _{CL±})	Device In voltage limiting mode, T _A = -40°C to +85°C			±60	mV	
Clamp voltage (V _{CL±}) input resistance	Device in voltage limiting mode		3.3		kΩ	
Clamp voltage (V _{CL±}) limits		V	′ _S _ to V _{S+}		V	
POWER SUPPLY						
0 17 1	T _A = 25°C		5	5.5	V	
Specified operating voltage	$T_A = -40$ °C to +85°C			5.5		
	T _A = 25°C		40	48	mA	
Maximum quiescent current	$T_A = -40$ °C to +85°C			49		
D	T _A = 25°C	70	77			
Power supply rejection (±PSRR)	$T_A = -40^{\circ}\text{C to } +85^{\circ}\text{C}$	45			dB	
POWER DOWN						
	TTL low = shut down, T _A = 25°C		1.4			
Enable voltage threshold	TTL low = shut down, T _A = -40°C to +85°C	1			V	
	TTL high = normal operation, T _A = 25°C		1.4			
Disable voltage threshold	TTL high = normal operation, T _A = -40°C to +85°C			1.65	V	
	T _A = 25°C		0.35	0.4		
Power-down quiescent current	$T_A = -40^{\circ}\text{C to } +85^{\circ}\text{C}$			0.45	mA	
	T _A = 25°C	±9		±16		
Input current high	T _A = -40°C to +85°C			±19	μA	
	T _A = 25°C		±109	±116	6 µA	
Input current low	T _A = -40°C to +85°C			±119		
Input impedance			50 1		kΩ pF	
Turnon time delay	Measured to 50% quiescent current		820		ns	
Turnoff time delay	Measured to 50% quiescent current		500		ns	
Forward isolation in power down			80		dB	
Input resistance in power down			> 1		ΜΩ	
Output resistance in power down			16		kΩ	

⁽¹⁾ Slew rate and settling time measured at amplifier output.

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6.6 Package Thermal Data

PACKAGE	PCB	T _A = 25°C POWER RATING ⁽¹⁾
PWP (14-pin) ⁽²⁾	See Section 11.	3 W

- (1) This data was taken using 2 oz trace and copper pad that is soldered directly to a 3 in × 3 in PCB.
- (2) The THS7530 incorporates a PowerPAD on the underside of the chip. The PowerpAD acts as a heatsink and must be connected to a thermally dissipative plane for proper power dissipation. Failure to do so may result in exceeding the maximum junction temperature which could permanently damage the device. See TI technical briefs SLMA002 and SLMA004 for more information about using the PowerPAD thermally enhanced package.

6.7 Typical Characteristics

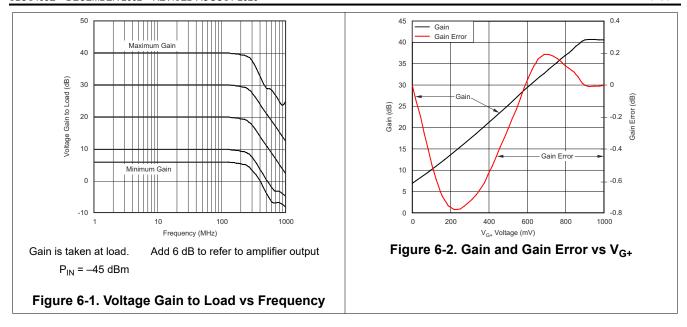
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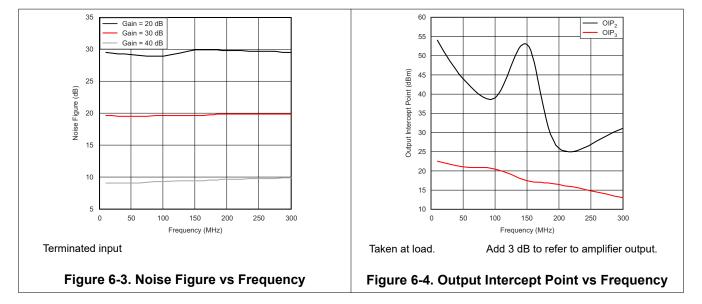
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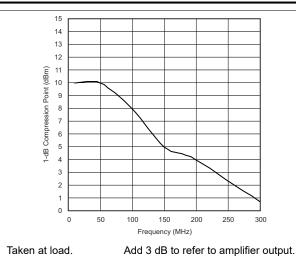
		FIGURE
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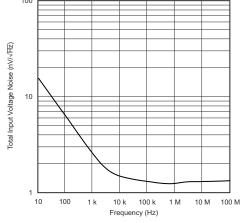
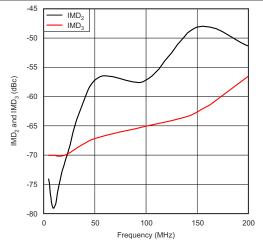
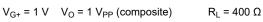


Figure 6-6. Total Input Voltage Noise vs Frequency

Taken at load.

Figure 6-5. 1-dB Compression Point vs Frequency





HD2 HD3 -52 -54 -56 Hd2 and HD3 (dBc) -60 -62 -64 -66 -68 10 60 70 40 Frequency (MHz) V_{G+} = 1 V $R_L = 400 \Omega$ $V_O = 1 V_{PP}$

Figure 6-8. Harmonic Distortion vs Frequency

Figure 6-7. Intermodulation Distortion vs Frequency

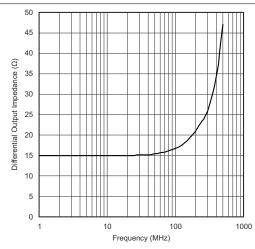


Figure 6-9. Differential Output Impedance of Main Amplifier vs Frequency

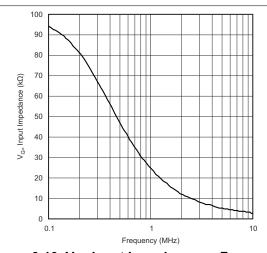


Figure 6-10. V_{G+} Input Impedance vs Frequency



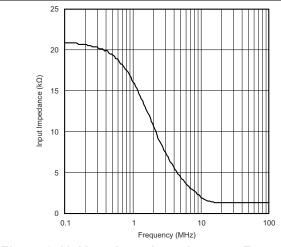


Figure 6-11. V_{OCM} Input Impedance vs Frequency

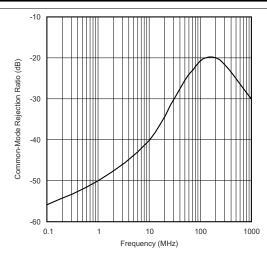
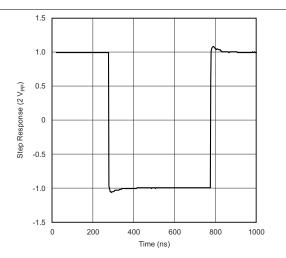
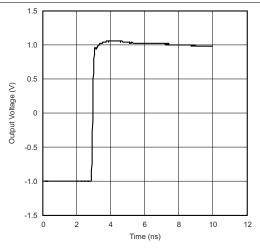


Figure 6-12. Common-Mode Rejection Ratio vs Frequency



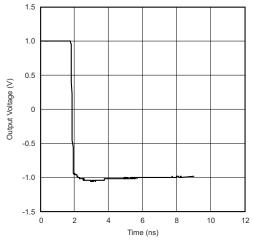
 R_L = 400 Ω At amplifier output and minimum gain



 $R_L = 400 \Omega$ At amplifier output and minimum gain







 $R_L = 400 \Omega$

At amplifier output and minimum gain

Figure 6-15. Step Response: Falling Edge

7 Parameter Measurement Information

7.1 Test Circuits

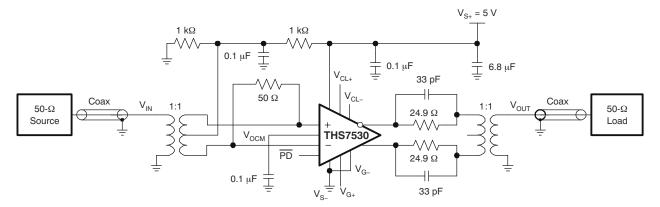


Figure 7-1. AC Test Circuit

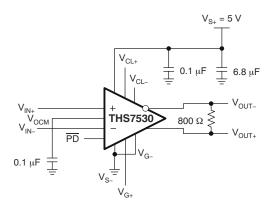


Figure 7-2. DC Test Circuit

8 Detailed Description

8.1 Overview

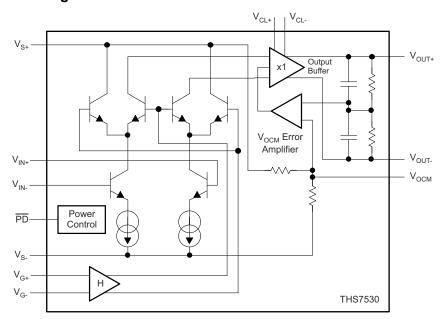
The THS7530 device is a fully-differential amplifier with 300-MHz bandwidth and with continually-variable gain from 11.6 dB to 46.5 dB. This amplifier together with an automatic gain control (AGC) circuit will precisely established a desired amplitude at its output.

The input architecture is a modified Gilbert cell. The output from the Gilbert cell is converted to a voltage and buffered to the output as a fully-differential signal. A summing node between the outputs is used to compare the output common-mode voltage to the V_{OCM} input. The V_{OCM} error amplifier then servos the output common-mode voltage to maintain it equal to the V_{OCM} input. Left unterminated, V_{OCM} is set to midsupply by internal resistors.

The gain control input is conditioned to give linear-in-dB gain control (block H). The gain control input is a differential signal from 0 V to 0.9 V which varies the gain from 11.6 dB to 46.5 dB.

 V_{CL+} and V_{CL-} provide inputs that limit the output voltage swing of the amplifier.

8.2 Functional Block Diagram



8.3 Feature Description

The main features of the THS7530 device are continually-variable gain control, common-mode voltage control, output voltage clamps, and power-down mode.

8.3.1 Continually-Variable Gain Control

The amplifier gain in dB is a linear function of the gain control voltage, which has a range of 0 V to 0.9 V. The slope of the gain control input is 38.8 dB/V with a gain range of 11.6 dB to 46.5 dB, which is 3.8 to 211.3 V/V, respectively. The bandwidth of the gain control is 15 MHz, typically.

The gain control is a differential input to reduce noise due to ground bounce, coupling, and so forth. The negative gain-control input V_{G-} can be below the negative supply by as much as 600 mV.

8.3.2 Common-Mode Voltage Control

The common-mode voltage control sets the common-mode voltage of the differential output. The gain of the control voltage is 1 V/V with a range of 1.75 V to 3.25 V above the negative supply. If unconnected, the common-mode voltage control is at mid-supply, typically 2.5 V above the negative supply. The bandwidth of the common-mode voltage control is an impressive 32 MHz.

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8.3.3 Output Voltage Clamps

Separate inputs, V_{CL-} and V_{CL+} , establish the minimum and maximum output voltages, respectively. The typical error of the output voltage compared to the clamp voltage is only 25 mV. This feature can be used to avoid saturating the inputs of a receiving device, thereby precluding long recovery times in the signal path.

8.3.4 Power-Down Mode

To minimize power consumption when idle, the THS7530 device has an active-low power-down control that reduces the guiescent current from 40 mA to 350 µA. The turnon delay is only 820 ns.

When in power-down mode, the THS7530 device has a 80-dB forward isolation to allow other devices to drive the same signal path with minimal interference from the idle THS7530 device.

8.4 Device Functional Modes

The THS7530 device has two functional modes: full-power mode and power-down mode. The power-down mode reduces the quiescent current of the device to 350 µA from a typical value of 40 mA.

With a turnon time of only 820 ns and a turnoff time of 500 ns, the power-down mode can be used to greatly reduce the average power consumption of the device without sacrificing system performance.

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9 Application and Implementation

Note

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9.1 Application Information

The THS7530 device is designed to work in a wide variety of applications requiring continuously variable gain and a fully-differential signal path. The common-mode voltage control and the output voltage clamps enable the THS7530 device to drive a diverse array of receiving circuits.

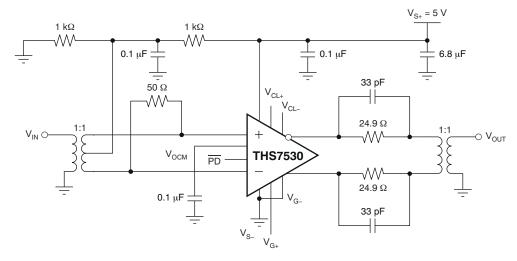


Figure 9-1. EVM Schematic: Designed for Use With Typical 50-Ω RF Test Equipment

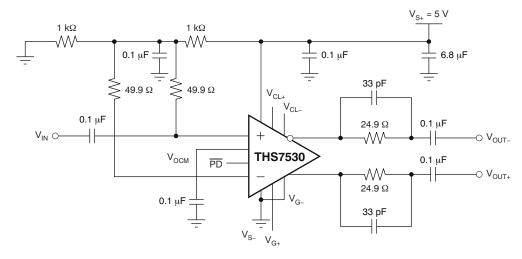


Figure 9-2. AC-Coupled Single-Ended Input With AC-Coupled Differential Output

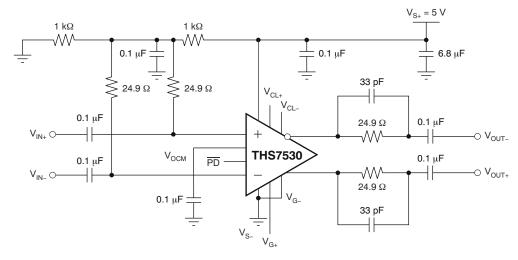


Figure 9-3. AC-Coupled Differential Input With AC-Coupled Differential Output

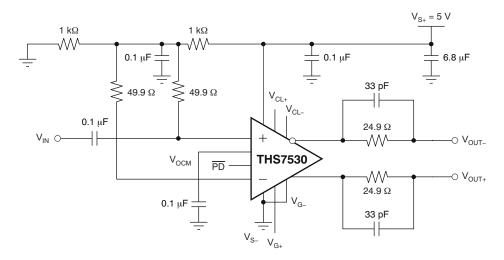


Figure 9-4. DC-Coupled Single-Ended Input With DC-Coupled Differential Output

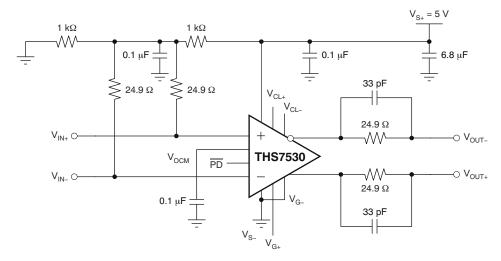


Figure 9-5. DC-Coupled Differential Input With DC-Coupled Differential Output



9.2 Typical Application

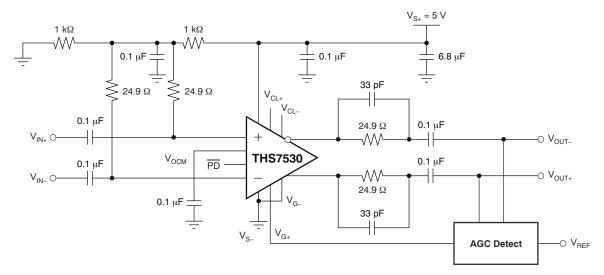


Figure 9-6. Typical Application Circuit

9.2.1 Design Requirements

A typical application circuit is shown in *Figure 9-6*. Two noteworthy aspects of this circuit are the customer's automatic gain control (AGC) circuit and the THS7530 input bias circuit.

The proper design of the AGC circuit is essential for the THS7530 device to operate properly in the customer's application. The method of detecting the amplitude of the differential output of the THS7530 device and creating the gain-control voltage, V_{G+} , from the detected amplitude and the reference amplitude, V_{ref} , are application-specific and beyond the scope of this document. The bandwidth of the amplitude of the THS7530 amplitude control is 15 MHz, which allows for rapid corrections of amplitude errors but which also allows noise from DC to 15 MHz to create an amplitude error. The trade-off between rapid amplitude correction and amplitude modulation due to noise is an important design consideration.

The input bias currents of the differential inputs of the THS7530 device are typically 20 μ A. When the differential inputs are AC-coupled, the bias currents must be supplied as shown in *Figure 9-6*. In this circuit, the DC bias voltage is mid-supply and the AC differential input impedance is 50 Ω . The 0.1- μ F capacitor between the two 24.9- Ω resistors creates an AC ground for the driving circuit.

9.2.2 Detailed Design Procedure

The THS7530 device is designed for nominal 5-V power supply from V_{S+} to V_{S-} .

The amplifier has fully differential inputs, V_{IN+} and V_{IN-} , and fully differential outputs, V_{OUT+} and V_{OUT-} The inputs are high impedance and outputs are low impedance. External resistors are recommended for impedance matching and termination purposes.

The inputs and outputs can be DC-coupled, but for best performance, the input and output common-mode voltage should be maintained at the midpoint between the two supply pins. The output common-mode voltage is controlled by the voltage applied to V_{OCM} . Left unterminated, V_{OCM} is set to midsupply by internal resistors. A 0.1- μ F bypass capacitor should be placed between V_{OCM} and ground to reduce common-mode noise. The input common-mode voltage defaults to midrail when left unconnected. For voltages other than midrail, V_{OCM} must be biased by external means. V_{IN+} and V_{IN-} both require a nominal 30- μ A bias current for proper operation. Therefore, ensure equal input impedance at each input to avoid generating an offset voltage that varies with gain.

Voltage applied from V_{G-} to V_{G+} controls the gain of the part with 38.8-dB/V gain slope. The input can be differential or single ended. V_{G-} must be maintained within –0.6 V and 0.8 V of V_{S-} for proper operation. The negative gain input should typically be tied directly to the negative power supply.

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V_{CL+} and V_{CL-} are inputs that limit the output voltage swing of the amplifier. The voltages applied set an absolute limit on the voltages at the output. Input voltages at V_{Cl} and V_{Cl} clamp the output, ensuring that neither output exceeds those values.

The power-down input is a TTL compatible input, referenced to the negative supply voltage. A logic low puts the THS7530 device in power-saving mode. In power-down mode the part consumes less than 1-mA current, the output goes high impedance, and a high amount of isolation is maintained between the input and output.

Power-supply bypass capacitors are required for proper operation. A 6.8-µF tantalum bulk capacitor is recommended if the amplifier is located far from the power supply and may be shared among other devices. A ceramic 0.1-uF capacitor is recommended within 0.1-in of the device power pin. The ceramic capacitors should be located on the same layer as the amplifier to eliminate the use of vias between the capacitors and the power pin.

Table 9-1. THS7530EVM Bill of Materials

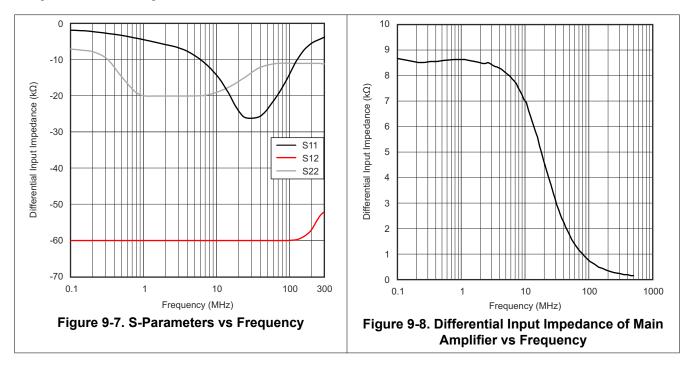
ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION	SIZE	REFERENCE DESIGNATOR	QTY	PART NUMBER
1	Bead, ferrite, 3 A, 80 Ω	1206	FB1	1	(Steward) HI1206N800R-00
2	Capacitor, tantalum, 6.8 mF, 35 V, 10%	D	C2	1	(AVX) TAJD685K035R
3	Capacitor, ceramic, 0.1 mF, X7R, 16V	508	C1	1	(AVX) 0508YC104KAT2A
5	Capacitor, ceramic, 0.1 mF, X7R, 50 V	805	C3, C7, C12, C13, C14, C15, C16, C17	8	(AVX) 08055C104KAT2A
6	Diode, Schottky, 20 V, 0.5 A	SOD-123	D1	1	(Diodes Inc.) B0520LW-7
7	Resistor, 10 Ω, 1/8 W, 1%	805	R24, R25, R26	3	(PHYCOMP) 9C08052A10R0FKHFT
8	Resistor, 24.9 Ω, 1/8 W, 1%	805	R9, R15	2	(PHYCOMP) 9C08052A24R9FKHFT
9	Resistor, 1 kΩ, 1.8W, 1%	805	R7, R12	2	(PHYCOMP) 9C08052A1001FKHFT
10	Resistor, 3.92 kΩ , 1/8 W, 1%	805	R1	1	(PHYCOMP) 9C08052A3921FKHFT
11	Resistor, 0 Ω, 1/4 W	1206	C4, C5	2	(PHYCOMP) 9C12063A0R00JLHFT
12	Resistor, 49.9 Ω, 1/4 W, 1%	1206	R4	1	(PHYCOMP) 9C12063A49R9FKRFT
13	Pot., ceramic, 1/4 inch square, 1 kΩ		R2	1	(Bourns) 3362P-1-102
14	Pot., ceramic, 1/4 inch square, 10 kΩ		R21, R22, R23	3	(Bourns) 3362P-1-103
15	IC, TLV2371	SOT-23	U2, U3, U4	3	(TI) TLV2371IDBVT
16	Transformer, 1:1	CD542	T1, T2	2	(Mini-Circuits) ADT1-1WT
17	Connector, edge, SMA PCB Jack		J3, J4	2	(Johnson) 142–0701–801
18	Jack, banana receptacle, 0.25-in diameter hole		J1, J2	2	(HH Smith) 101
19	Header, 0.1-in Ctrs, 0.025-in square pins	2 POS.	JP1	1	(Sullins) PZC36SAAN
20	Shunts		JP1	1	(Sullins) SSC02SYAN
21	Test point, black		TP2, TP3, TP4	3	(Keystone) 5001
22	Test points, red		TP1, TP8, TP9, TP10	4	(Keystone) 5000
23	Standoff, 4–40 Hex, 0.625-in Length			4	(Keystone) 1804
24	Screw, Phillips, 4–40, .250-in			4	SHR-0440-016-SN
25	IC, THS7530		U1	1	(TI) THS7530PWP
26	Board, printed circuit			1	(TI) EDGE # 6441987

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9.2.3 Application Curves

Figure 9-7 and Figure 9-8 highlight the input characteristics of the THS7530 device that should be used to design the circuit driving the THS7530 device.



10 Power Supply Recommendations

The THS7530 device is principally intended to operate with a nominal single-supply voltage of 5 V. Supply voltage tolerances of ±10% are supported. The absolute maximum supply is 5.5 V.

Supply decoupling is required, as described in Section 9.

Split (or bipolar) supplies can be used with the THS7530 device, as long as the total value across the device remains less than 5.5 V (absolute maximum).

11 Layout

11.1 Layout Guidelines

The THS7530 device is available in a thermally-enhanced PowerPAD™ package. Figure 11-1 shows the recommended number of vias and thermal land size recommended for best performance. Thermal vias connect the thermal land to internal or external copper planes and should have a drill diameter sufficiently small so that the via hole is effectively plugged when the barrel of the via is plated with copper. This plug is needed to prevent wicking the solder away from the interface between the package body and the thermal land on the surface of the board during solder reflow. The experiments conducted jointly with Solectron Texas indicate that a via drill diameter of 0.33 mm (13 mils, or .013 in) or smaller works well when 1-ounce copper is plated at the surface of the board and simultaneously plating the barrel of the via. If the thermal vias are not plugged when the copper plating is performed, then a solder mask material should be used to cap the vias with a dimension equal to the via diameter + 0.1 mm minimum. This prevents the solder from being wicked through the thermal via and potentially creating a solder void in the region between the package bottom and the thermal land on the surface of the PCB.

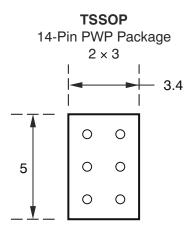


Figure 11-1. Recommended Thermal Land Size and Thermal Via Patterns (Dimensions in mm)

See TI's Technical Brief titled, *PowerPAD™ Thermally Enhanced Package* (SLMA002) for a detailed discussion of the PowerPAD™ package, its dimensions, and recommended use.



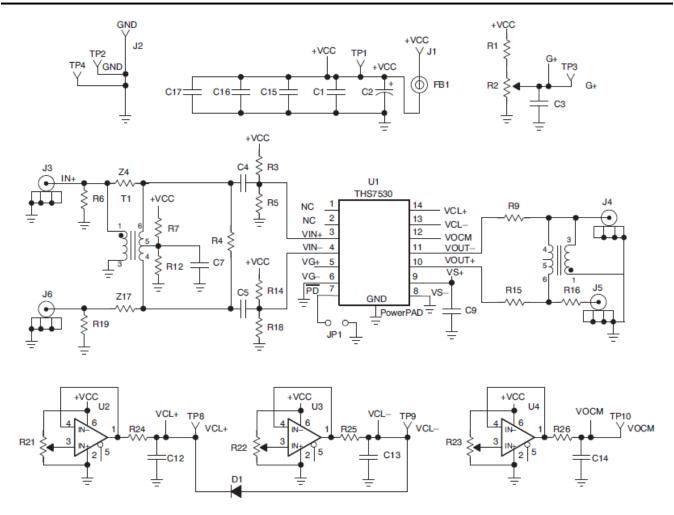


Figure 11-2. EVM Schematic

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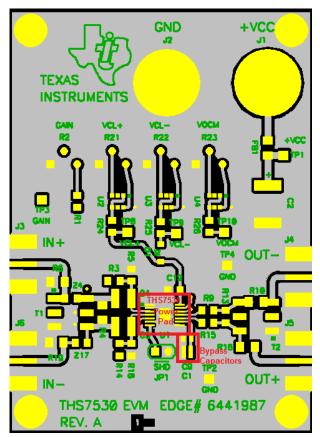


Figure 11-3. Layout Diagram (Top)

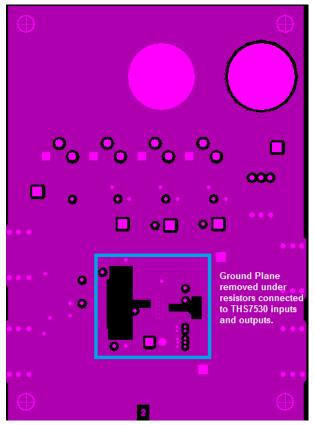


Figure 11-4. Layout Diagram (Ground)



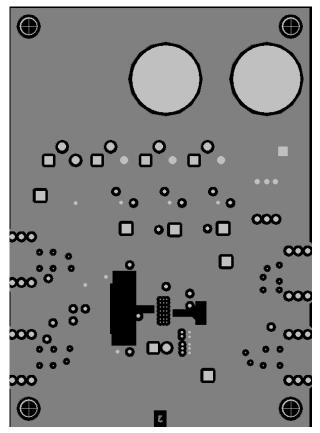


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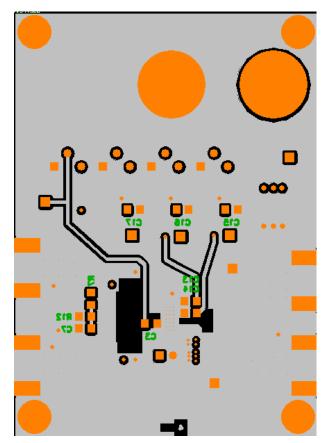


Figure 11-6. Layout Diagram (Bottom)

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12.1 Device Support

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12.1.2 Development Support

For the THS7530 PSpice Model, see SLOJ139.

For the THS7530 TINA-TI Spice Model, see SLAM020.

For the THS7530 TINA-TI Reference Design, see SLAC091.

12.2 Documentation Support

12.2.1 Related Documentation

For related documentation, see the following:

- THS7530 EVM Users Guide, SLOU161
- Noise Analysis for High-Speed Op Amps, SBOA066
- TI's Analog Signal Chain Guide, SLYB174
- PowerPAD™ Thermally Enhanced Package, SLMA002
- PowerPAD™ Made Easy, SLMA004

12.3 Support Resources

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12.6 Glossary

This glossary lists and explains terms, acronyms, and definitions.

13 Mechanical, Packaging, and Orderable Information

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PACKAGING INFORMATION

Orderable part number	Status	Material type	Package Pins	Package qty Carrier	RoHS	Lead finish/ Ball material	MSL rating/ Peak reflow	Op temp (°C)	Part marking (6)
						(4)	(5)		
THS7530PWP	Active	Production	HTSSOP (PWP) 14	90 TUBE	Yes	NIPDAU	Level-2-260C-1 YEAR	-40 to 85	THS7530
THS7530PWP.B	Active	Production	HTSSOP (PWP) 14	90 TUBE	Yes	NIPDAU	Level-2-260C-1 YEAR	-40 to 85	THS7530
THS7530PWPR	Active	Production	HTSSOP (PWP) 14	2000 LARGE T&R	Yes	NIPDAU	Level-2-260C-1 YEAR	-40 to 85	THS7530
THS7530PWPR.B	Active	Production	HTSSOP (PWP) 14	2000 LARGE T&R	Yes	NIPDAU	Level-2-260C-1 YEAR	-40 to 85	THS7530

⁽¹⁾ Status: For more details on status, see our product life cycle.

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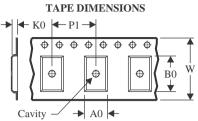
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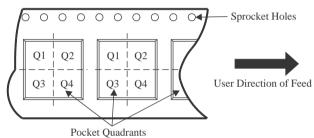
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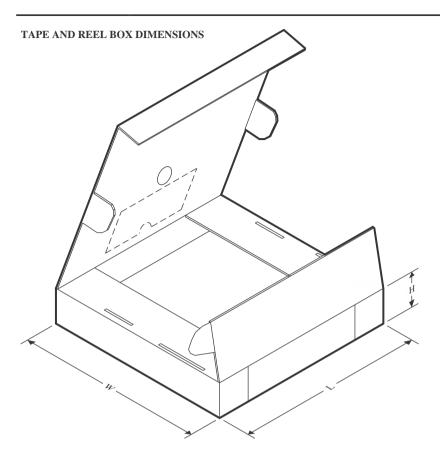
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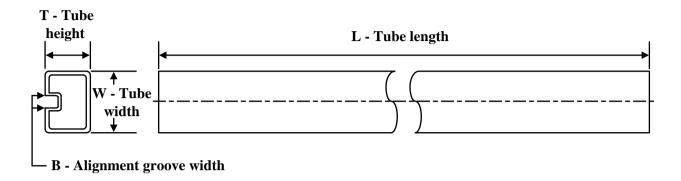
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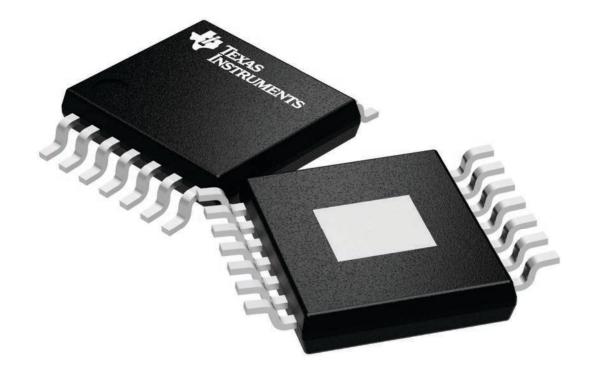
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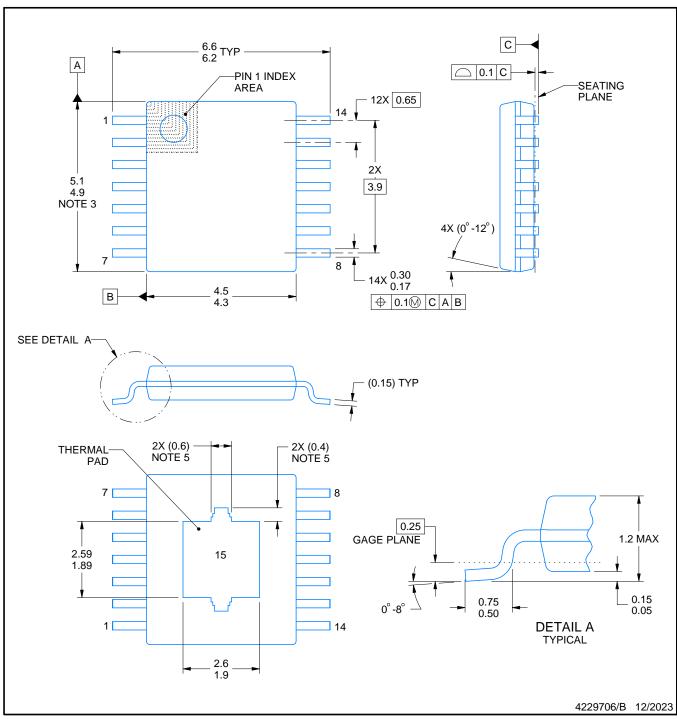
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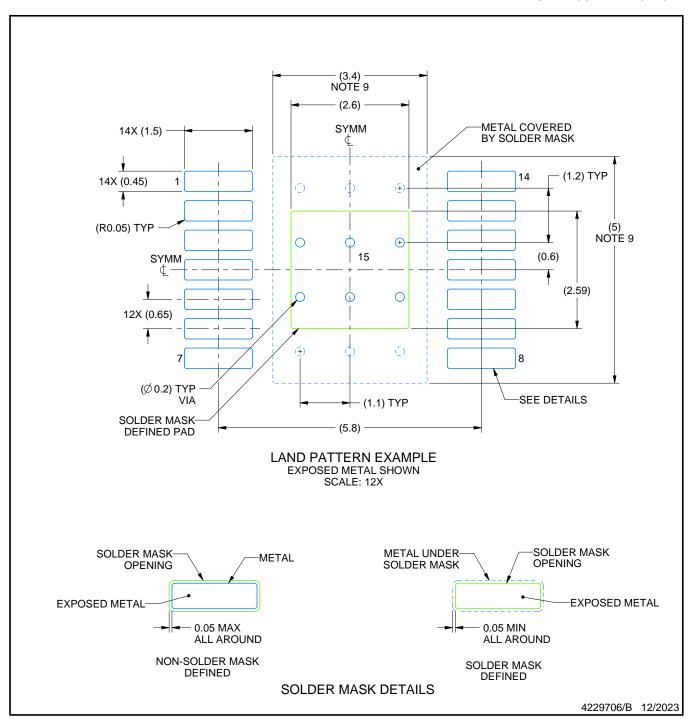
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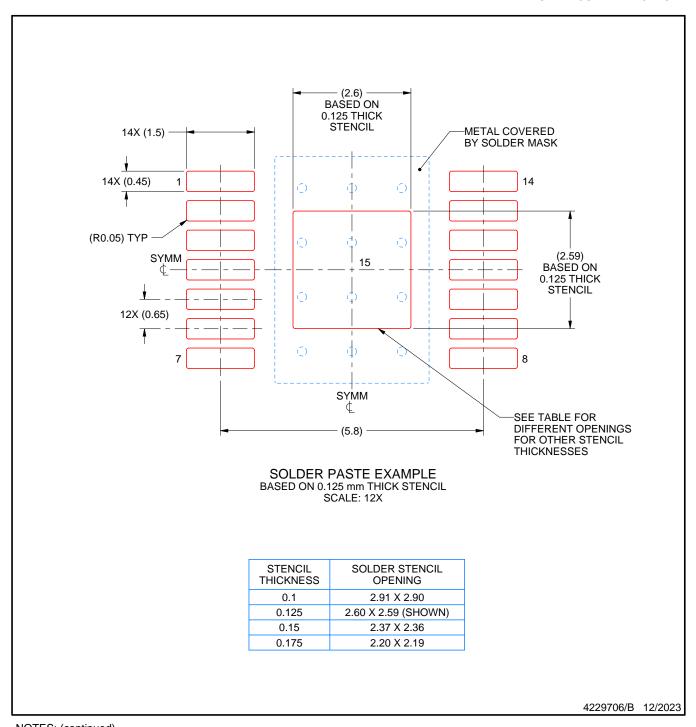


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- 6. Publication IPC-7351 may have alternate designs.
- 7. Solder mask tolerances between and around signal pads can vary based on board fabrication site.
- 8. This package is designed to be soldered to a thermal pad on the board. For more information, see Texas Instruments literature numbers SLMA002 (www.ti.com/lit/slma002) and SLMA004 (www.ti.com/lit/slma004).
- 9. Size of metal pad may vary due to creepage requirement.
- 10. Vias are optional depending on application, refer to device data sheet. It is recommended that vias under paste be filled, plugged or tented.



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