

CT2 Front End IC

Description

U7001BG is a monolithic GaAs transmit/ receive front end with power amplifier, low noise amplifier and antenna switch. It is specially designed for operation in

CT2 band and suitable for a frequency range of 839 MHz to 952 MHz with external matching.

Features

- Low supply voltage 3.6 V typical (min. 2.7 V)
- High power added efficiency (typ. 46%)
- Low power consumption in receive mode
- Power down control pin for low noise amplifier
- Gain control and power down control of power amplifier
- Low noise amplifier (NF_{max} : 2.0 dB)
- Optional high output power 50 mW @ 5 V supply voltage
- SSO-20 plastic package

Benefits

- Extended talk time due to low power consumption and high PAE
- Few external components and very small package save space

Block Diagram

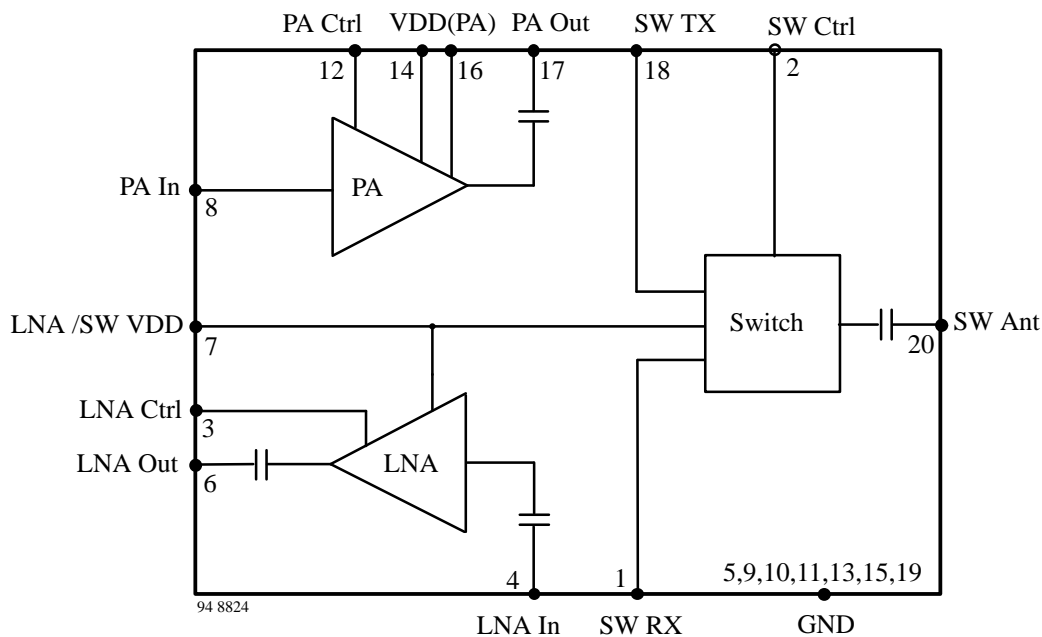
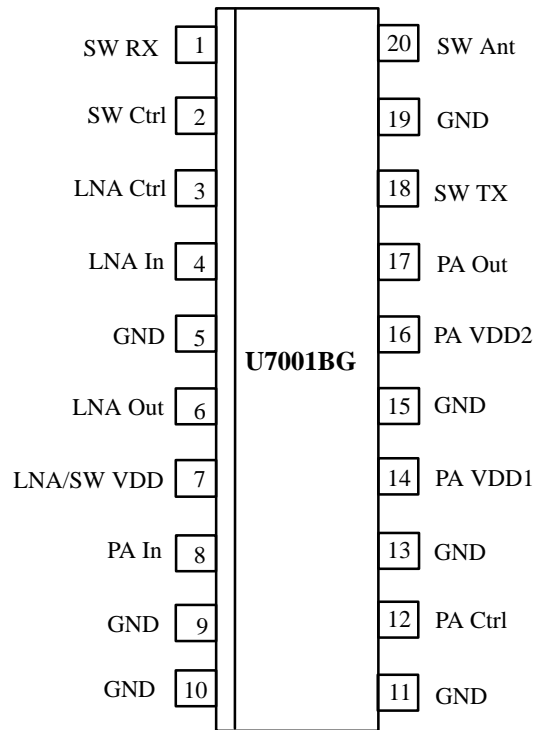


Figure 1. Block diagram

Pin Description



Pin	Symbol	Function
1	SW RX	Switch RX output
2	SW Ctrl	Switch control input
3	LNA Ctrl	LNA control input
4	LNA In	Low noise amplifier input
5,9,10, 11,13 15,19	GND	Ground
6	LNA Out	LNA output
7	LNA/SW VDD	LNA & Switch power supply voltage
8	PA In	Power amplifier input
12	PA Ctrl	PA control input
14	PA VDD1	PA power supply voltage 1
16	PA VDD2	PA power supply voltage 2
17	PA Out	PA output
18	SW TX	Switch TX input
20	SW Ant	Switch antenna output

Absolute Maximum Ratings

Parameters	Symbol	Value	Unit
Supply voltages Pins 7, 14 and 16	VDD	+ 7	V
Input voltages Pins 4, 8, 18 and 20	V _i	0 to VDD	V
Control voltages Pins 2, 3 and 12	V _C	0 to VDD	V
Channel temperature	T _{ch}	125	°C
Storage temperature range	T _{stg}	- 40 to + 125	°C

Thermal Resistance

Parameters	Symbol	Value	Unit
Channel ambient SSO 20	R _{thch}	140	K/W

Operating Range

Parameters	Symbol	Value	Unit
Supply voltage Pin 7	LNA/SW VDD	2.7 to 5.0	V
Supply voltage Pins 14 and 16	VDD	2.7 to 5.0	V
Ambient temperature range	T _{amb}	- 40 to + 85	°C

Electrical Characteristics Low Noise Amplifier (LNA)

Test conditions (unless otherwise specified): **VDD = 2.9 V**, $T_{amb} = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$, referred to test circuit.
System impedance $Z_o = 50 \Omega$, $f_{RF} = 866 \text{ MHz}$

Parameters	Test Conditions / Pins	Symbol	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Supply voltage range	Pin 7	VDD	2.9	3.6	5.0	V
Supply current	@ VDD = 2.9 V, Pin 7	I _s		2.7	3.0	mA
Supply current	@ VDD = 2.9 V, Pin 7; LNA Ctrl = 2.9 V; LNA "off"	I _s			10	μA
Frequency range	Pin 4	f	839	900	952	MHz
Linear power gain	Pins 4 and 6	G _p	15	17		dB
Noise figure	Pins 4 and 6	NF		1.8	2.0	dB
Compression	Pins 4 and 6	P _{-1dB}	-29	-27		dBm
Third order input intercept point	Pins 4 and 6	IIP3	-19	-17		dBm
Isolation	Pins 6 and 4 (from output to input)	Isol _{LNA}	20	25		dB
Input impedance	Pin 4			50		Ω
Output impedance	Pin 6		50	100		Ω
LNA control voltage	Pin 3: LNA Mode "on" Pin 3: LNA Mode "off"	LNA Ctrl	VDD-0.5	0.0 VDD	0.5	V

Test conditions (unless otherwise specified): **VDD = 2.7 V**, $T_{amb} = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$, referred to test circuit.
System impedance $Z_o = 50 \Omega$; $f_{RF} = 866 \text{ MHz}$

Parameters	Test Conditions / Pins	Symbol	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Supply voltage range	Pin 7	VDD	2.9	3.6	5.0	V
Supply current	@ VDD = 2.7 V, Pin 7	I _s		2.7	3.0	mA
Supply current	@ VDD = 2.7 V, Pin 7; LNA Ctrl = 2.7 V; LNA "off"	I _s			10	μA
Frequency range	Pin 4	f	839	900	952	MHz
Linear power gain	Pins 4 and 6	G _p	14	16		dB
Noise figure	Pins 4 and 6	NF		1.8	2.0	dB
Compression	Pins 4 and 6	P _{-1dB}	-29	-28		dBm
Third order input intercept point	Pins 4 and 6	IIP3	-19	-18		dBm
Isolation	Pins 6 and 4 (from output to input)	Isol _{LNA}	20	25		dB
Input impedance	Pin 4			50		Ω
Output impedance	Pin 6		50	100		Ω
LNA control voltage	Pin 3: LNA Mode "on" Pin 3: LNA Mode "off"	LNA Ctrl	VDD-0.5	0.0 VDD	0.5	V

Electrical Characteristics Power Amplifier

Test conditions (unless otherwise specified); **VDD = 5.0 V**, PA Ctrl = 5 V, Tamb = 25°C, referred to test circuit.
System Impedance Zo = 50 Ω; f_{RF} = 866 MHz

Parameters	Test Conditions / Pins	Symbol	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Supply voltage range	Pins 14 and 16	VDD1,2	2.7	3.6	5.0	V
Supply current	Pins 14 and 16	I _s		35	38	mA
Supply current	Pin 12	I _{ctrl}		0.5	1.5	mA
Frequency range	Pin 8	f	839	900	952	MHz
Linear power gain	Pins 8 and 17	G _p	30	33		dB
Power response	@ P _{in} = - 14 dBm					
Output Power	At 3 dB gain compression; Pin 17	P _{out}	16	17		dBm
Gain control range	Pins 17 and 12	G _c	30	33		dB
Gain control voltage	Pout = Pout _{max}	PA Ctrl		4.5	VDD	V
Gain control voltage	Pout = Pout _{max} - 16 dB	PA Ctrl		1.5		V
Gain control voltage	Pout = Pout _{min}	PA Ctrl		0.0		V
Switching time	Pins 12 and 17					
Turn on time	90% Pout _{max}	t _{on}		2		μs
Turn off time	10% Pout _{max}	t _{off}		5		μs
Harmonic levels	At 3 dB gain compression		- 20	- 25		dBc
Isolation	Pins 17 and 8 (from output to input)	Isol _{PA}	20	25		dB
Input matching	Pin 8	VSWR _{in}	1.9 : 1	1.6 : 1		
Output matching	Pin 17	VSWR _{out}		tbd		
Power added efficiency	Pin 17	η _{P_{AE}}	40	46		%
Input impedance	Pin 8	Z _{in}		50		Ω
Output impedance	Pin 17	Z _{out}		50		Ω

Electrical Characteristics Power Amplifier

Test conditions (unless otherwise specified); **VDD = 3.6 V**, PA Ctrl = 3.6 V, Tamb = 25°C, referred to test circuit.
System impedance Zo = 50 Ω; f_{RF} = 866 MHz

Parameters	Test Conditions / Pins	Symbol	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Supply voltage range	Pins 14 and 16	VDD1,2	2.7	3.6	5.0	V
Supply current	Pins 14 and 16	I _s		28	32	mA
Supply current	Pin 12	I _{ctrl}		0.25	1.0	mA
Frequency range	Pin 8	f	839	900	952	MHz
Linear power gain	Pins 8 and 17	G _p	30	33		dB
Power response	@ P _{in} = - 14 dBm					
Output Power	At 3 dB gain compression; Pin 17	P _{out}	13	14		dBm
Gain control range	Pins 17 and 12	G _c	30	33		dB
Gain control voltage	Pout = Pout _{max}	PA Ctrl		2.9	VDD	V
Gain control voltage	Pout = Pout _{max} - 16 dB	PA Ctrl		1.5		V
Gain control voltage	Pout = Pout _{min}	PA Ctrl		0.0		V
Switching time	Pins 12 and 17					
Turn on time	90% Pout _{max}	t _{on}		2		μs
Turn off time	10% Pout _{max}	t _{off}		5		μs
Harmonic levels	At 3 dB gain Compression		- 20	- 25		dBc
Isolation	Pins 17 and 8 (from output to input)	Isol _{PA}	20	25		dB
Input matching	Pin 8	VSWR _{in}	1.9 : 1	1.6 : 1		
Output matching	Pin 17	VSWR _{out}		tbd		
Power added efficiency	Pin 17	η _{P_{AE}}	40	46		%
Input impedance	Pin 8	Z _{in}		50		Ω
Output impedance	Pin 17	Z _{out}		50		Ω

Electrical Characteristics Power Amplifier

Test conditions (unless otherwise specified); **VDD = 2.7 V**, PA Ctrl = 2.7 V, $T_{amb} = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$, referred to test circuit.
System impedance $Z_o = 50 \Omega$; $f_{RF} = 866 \text{ MHz}$

Parameters	Test Conditions / Pins	Symbol	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Supply voltage range	Pins 14 and 16	VDD1,2	2.7	3.6	5.0	V
Supply current	Pins 14 and 16	I_s			28	mA
Supply current	Pin 12	I_{ctrl}		0.25	1.0	mA
Frequency range	Pin 8	f	839	900	952	MHz
Linear power gain	Pins 8 and 17	Gp	28	30		dB
Power response	@ $P_{in} = -15 \text{ dBm}$					
Output Power	At 3 dB gain compression; Pin 17	P_{out}	11	12		dBm
Gain control range	Pins 17 and 12	G_c	30	33		dB
Gain control voltage	$P_{out} = P_{out_{max}}$	PA Ctrl		2.7	VDD	V
Gain control voltage	$P_{out} = P_{out_{max}} - 16 \text{ dB}$	PA Ctrl		1.5		V
Gain control voltage	$P_{out} = P_{out_{min}}$	PA Ctrl		0.0		V
Switching time	Pins 12 and 17					
Turn on time	90% $P_{out_{max}}$	t_{on}		2		μs
Turn off time	10% $P_{out_{max}}$	t_{off}		5		μs
Harmonic levels	At 3 dB gain compression		-20	-25		dBc
Isolation	Pins 16, 8 (from output to input)	$Isol_{PA}$	20	25		dB
Input matching	Pin 8	$VSWR_{in}$	1.9 : 1	1.4 : 1		
Output matching	Pin 16	$VSWR_{out}$		tbd		
Power added efficiency	Pin 16	η_{PAE}		40	46	%
Input impedance	Pin 8	Z_{in}		50		Ω
Output impedance	Pin 16	Z_{out}		50		Ω

Electrical Characteristics Antenna Switch

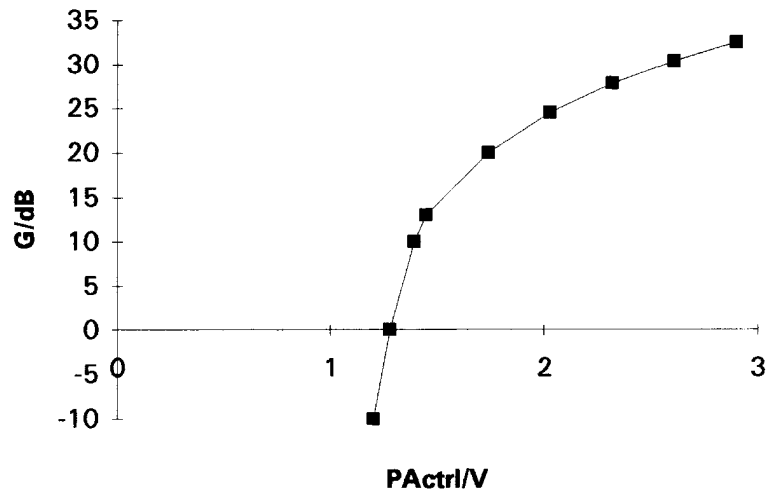
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System impedance $Z_o = 50 \Omega$; $f_{RF} = 866 \text{ MHz}$

Parameters	Test Conditions / Pins	Symbol	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Supply voltage range	Pin 7	LNA/SW VDD	2.7	3.6	5.0	V
Frequency range	Pins 1, 18 and 20	f	839	900	952	MHz
Insertion loss	@ $P_{in} = +16 \text{ dBm}$; Pin 18 to Pin 20; "TX Mode"	IL_{TX}		1.0	1.3	dB
Isolation	@ $P_{in} = +16 \text{ dBm}$; Pin 18 to Pin 1; "TX Mode"	$Isol_{TX}$	20	23		dB
Insertion loss	@ $P_{in} = -26 \text{ dBm}$; Pin 20 to Pin 2; "RX Mode"	IL_{RX}		1.0	1.3	dB
Isolation	@ $P_{in} = -26 \text{ dBm}$; Pin 20 to Pin 18; "RX Mode"	$Isol_{TX}$	20	23		dB
Switch control	RX Mode; Pin 2	SW Ctrl	0	0	0.3	V
	TX Mode	SW Ctrl	$V_{DD} - 0.5$	V_{DD}	$V_{DD} + 0.5$	V
Input impedance	TX Mode; Pin 18	Z_{in}		50		Ω
"	RX Mode; Pin 1	Z_{in}		50		Ω
Output impedance	RX TX-Mode; Pin 20	Z_{out}		50		Ω

Test conditions (unless otherwise specified); **VDD = 2.7 V**, $T_{amb} = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$, referred to test circuit.
System impedance $Z_o = 50 \Omega$; $f_{RF} = 866 \text{ MHz}$

Parameters	Test Conditions / Pins	Symbol	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Supply voltage range	Pin 7	LNA/SW VDD	2.7	3.6	5.0	V
Frequency range	Pins 1, 18 and 20	f	839	900	952	MHz
Insertion loss	@ $P_{in} = +14 \text{ dBm}$; Pin 18 to Pin 20; "TX Mode"	IL_{TX}		1.0	1.3	dB
Isolation	@ $P_{in} = +14 \text{ dBm}$; Pin 18 to Pin 1; "TX Mode"	$Isol_{TX}$	20	23		dB
Insertion loss	@ $P_{in} = -26 \text{ dBm}$; Pin 20 to Pin 2; "RX Mode"	IL_{RX}		1.0	1.3	dB
Isolation	@ $P_{in} = -26 \text{ dBm}$; Pin 20 to Pin 18; "RX-Mode"	$Isol_{TX}$	20			dB
Switch control	RX Mode; Pin 2	SW Ctrl	0	0	0.3	V
	TX Mode; Pin 2	SW Ctrl	$V_{DD} - 0.5$	V_{DD}	$V_{DD} + 0.5$	V
Input impedance	TX Mode; Pin 18	Z_{in}		50		Ω
Input impedance	RX Mode; Pin 1	Z_{in}		50		Ω
Output impedance	RX TX-Mode; Pin 20	Z_{out}		50		Ω

Gain Variation with Vctrl



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Figure 2. Gain variation of power amplifier with switch and filter. @ VDD = 3.6 V (typical values)

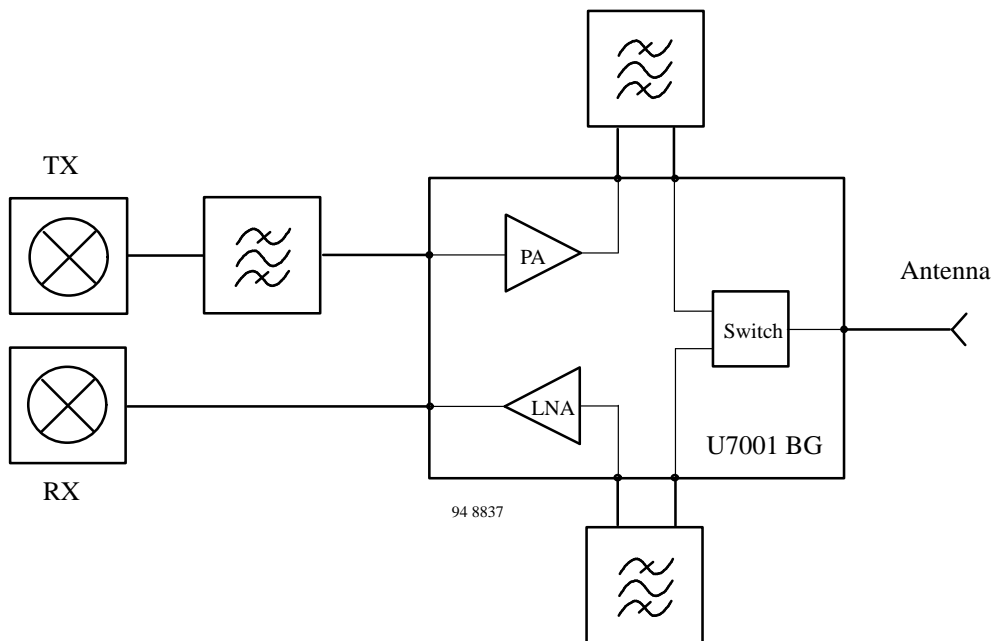


Figure 3. Application 1

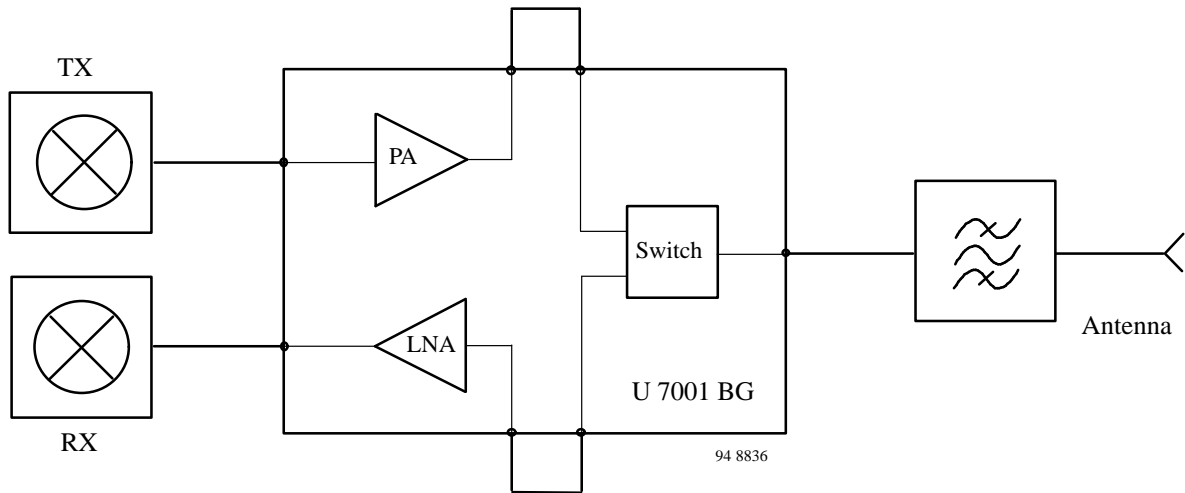


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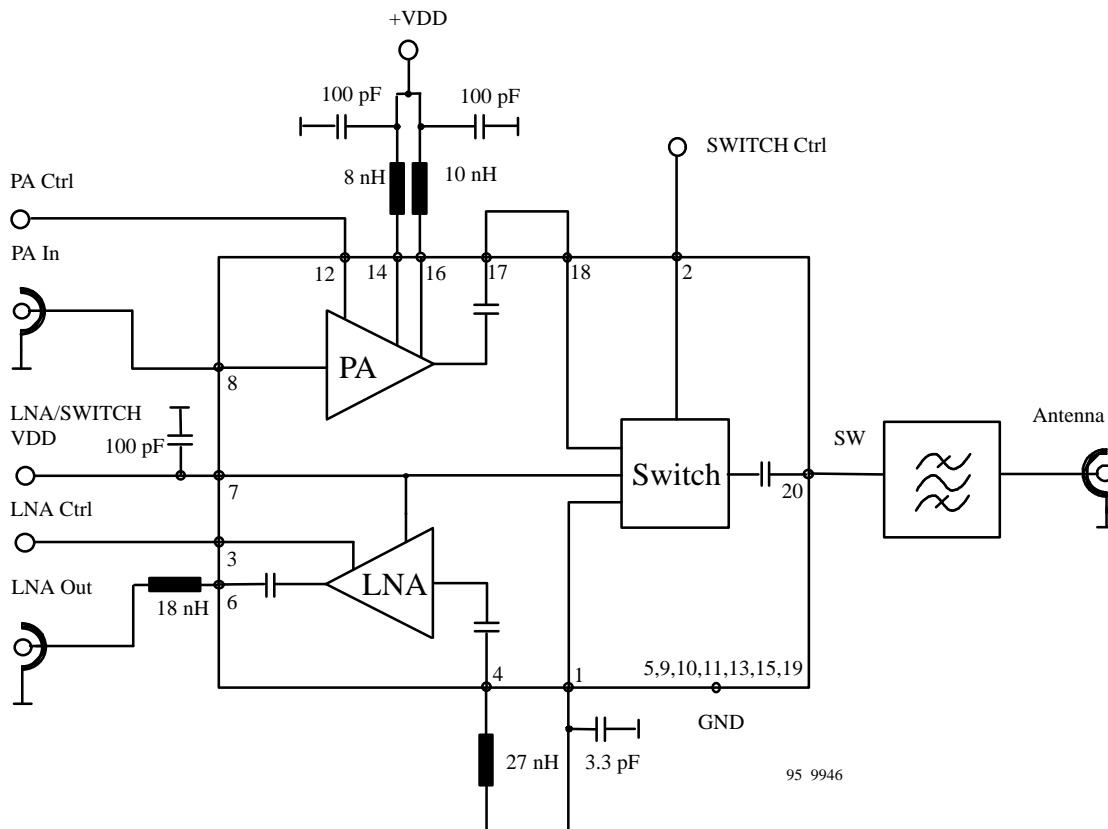


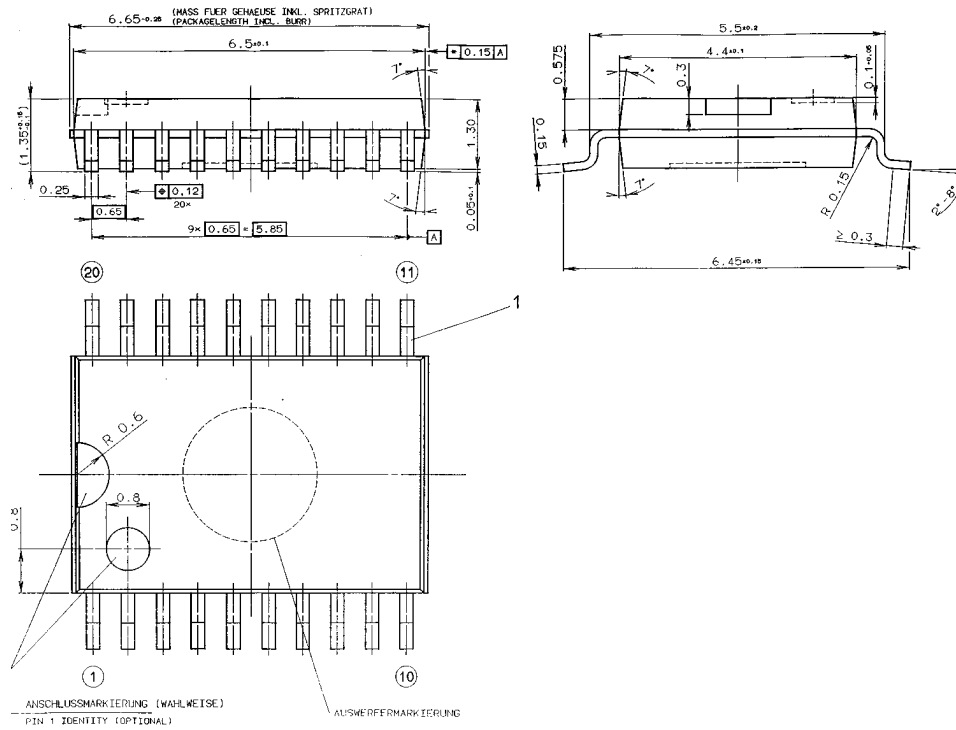
Figure 5. Application for minimal component count

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