

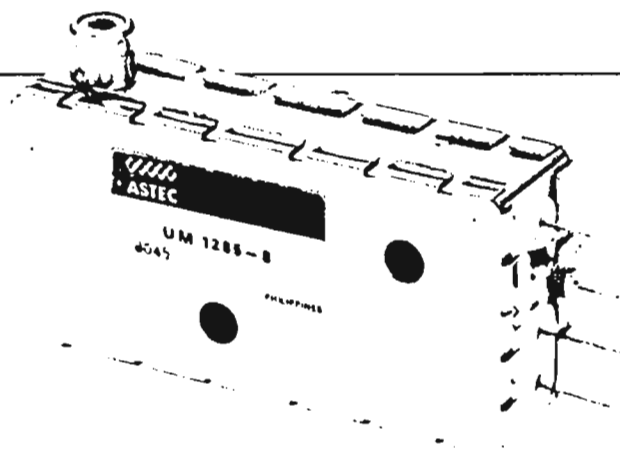
# UM 1285-8 VHF Intercarrier Vestigial Sideband Modulator

## DESCRIPTION

The UM1285-8 is a high performance Intercarrier Vestigial Sideband Modulator which is primarily intended for use in color TV games, VTR's, computer graphics, Teletext and view data adapters. The UM1285-8 has a very linear transfer characteristic which ensures a good grey scale, controlled chroma levels and freedom from sync compression with its associated frame and line jitter problems. Good subcarrier intermodulation performance minimizes the on-screen bar pattern due to chroma and sound subcarrier beats.

## FEATURES:

- ☐ Compact and Low Profile.
- ☐ Rugged and Stable.
- ☐ Good Modulation Linearity.
- ☐ Low Chroma/Sound Beat Product (55dB Typical).
- ☐ Pretuned Vision Carriers CH3, CH4.
- ☐ Pretuned Sound Subcarrier 4.5MHz.
- ☐ Pretuned Vestigial Sideband Filter.
- ☐ Built-In Voltage Regulator.
- ☐ Negative Transfer Characteristic.
- ☐ Low Radiation (FCC Approvable).
- ☐ For Color Application.
- ☐ 75 Ohm Output from a Standard Phono Socket.
- ☐ Designed for PCB Insertion.



## ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS:

Applied voltage between Pin 1, 3, 4, and Case (See Pin Connection) should be from  $-3.0V$  to  $+15V$ .

Applied voltage between Pin 3 and Case should be from  $-3.0V$  to  $+8.0V$ . (Refer to Table 1 for higher voltage application.)

Operating Temperature Range =  $0^{\circ}C$  to  $+45^{\circ}C$ .

Storage Temperature Range =  $-20^{\circ}C$  to  $+70^{\circ}C$ .

## CHARACTERISTICS

The UM1285-8 is designed to operate over a supply voltage range of 6V to 15V. A built-in 5.0V voltage regulator is provided to achieve excellent stability against voltage change. An external series resistor is required on the supply voltage input for current limiting purposes. Table 1 shows the value of the series resistor required for various supply voltages.

Modulation occurs when a positive going voltage is applied to the video input pin. The transfer characteristic is negative (See Graph). As a result, a positive going input causes the RF output to decrease. Peak RF output is specified when the video input is at 2.2V.

The user can select between CH3 and CH4 operation by switching the Channel Select Pin to ground (0V) for CH3 or to an open circuit for CH4.

| Supply Voltage $V_{CC}$ | Volt | 6.0 | 7.5 | 9.0 | 12.0 | 15.0 |
|-------------------------|------|-----|-----|-----|------|------|
| Series Resistor $R_S$   | Ohm  | 0   | 47  | 100 | 180  | 270  |

Table 1: Series Resistor with respect to supply voltage.

## FCC APPROVAL

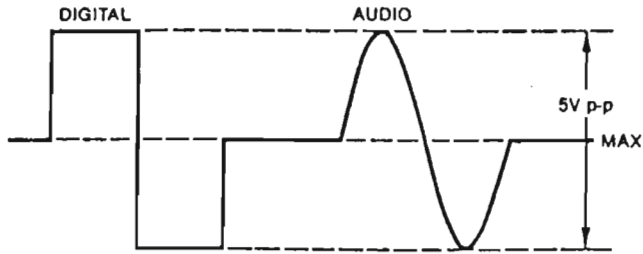
The UM1285-8 is FCC approvable due to its very low radiation, stabilized carrier oscillators, and vestigial sideband filter which ensures that all sideband components outside FCC limits are greater than 30dB down.

## NOTE:

To use the UM1285-8 in the USA, it is absolutely mandatory that the finished product using this device, in its final production form, first be submitted to the FCC for testing and certification under the 'TV device, Class 1' classification.

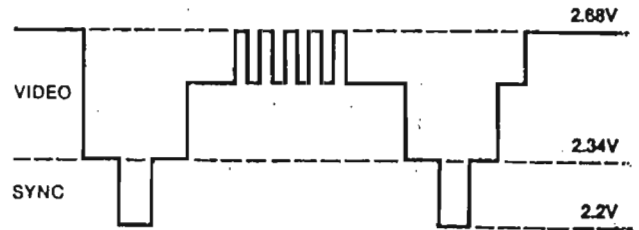
## TYPICAL INPUT WAVEFORM

AC Coupled Input



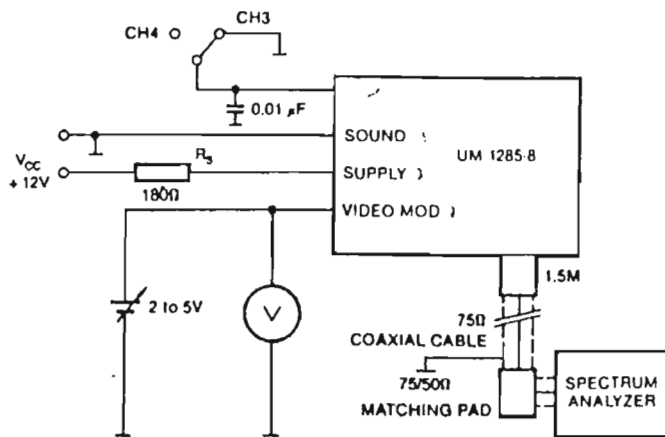
TYPICAL SOUND UP SETUP

DC Coupled Input



TYPICAL MODULATION INPUT VOLTAGE SETUP

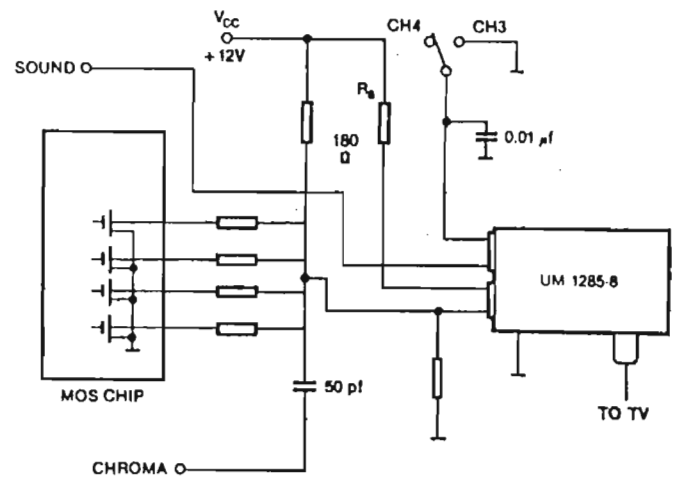
## TEST CIRCUIT



### NOTE:

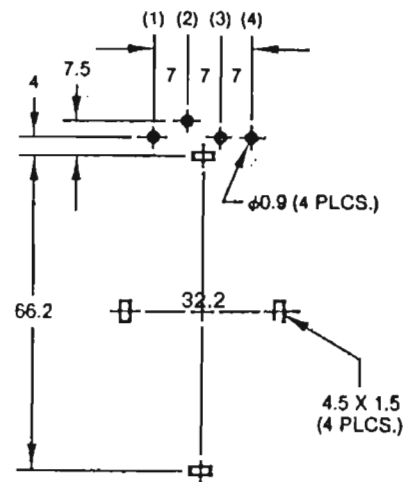
1. In case of testing with 50Ω I/P spectrum analyzer, matching pad of 75/50Ω (ATTEN 10dB) should be employed.
2. Standard RF coaxial cable should be 1.5M long and 75Ω characteristic Impedance.

## TYPICAL APPLICATION



## RECOMMENDED PCB HOLE CENTERS (COMPONENT SIDE) (millimeters)

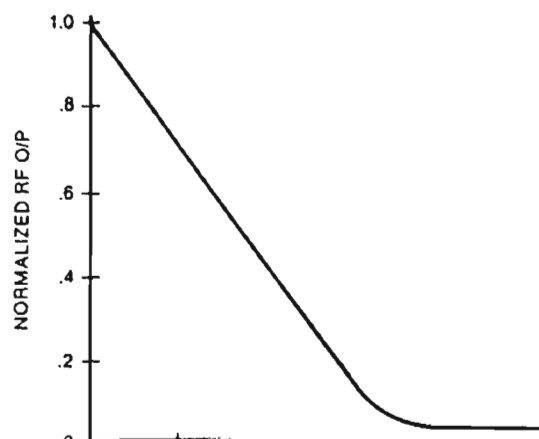
| LEAD | FUNCTION                             |
|------|--------------------------------------|
| 1    | Composite Video Input ( $V_{MOD}$ ). |
| 2    | Supply ( $V_{CC}$ ).                 |
| 3    | Audio Input ( $V_{SMOD}$ ).          |
| 4    | Channel Select.                      |
| Case | Ground.                              |



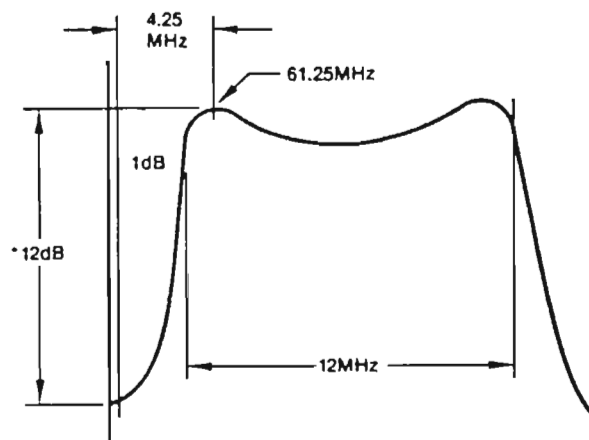
RF output LOAD = 75 Ohms

| SYMBOL              | DESCRIPTION                                  | MIN                                    | TYP   | MAX         | UNIT                     |
|---------------------|----------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|-------|-------------|--------------------------|
| $F_C$               | CH3 Video Carrier @ 25°C                     | 61.00                                  | 61.25 | 61.50       | MHz                      |
| $F_C$               | CH4 Video Carrier @ 25°C                     | 67.40                                  | 67.65 | 67.90       | MHz                      |
| $F_{SC}$            | Sound Carrier @ 25°C                         | 4.480                                  | 4.500 | 4.520       | MHz                      |
| $V_O(HI)$           | Video Carrier Output<br>( $V_{MOD} = 2.2V$ ) | 0.8                                    | 1.5   | 2.5         | mV <sub>RMS</sub>        |
| $V_O(LO)$           | Video Carrier Output<br>( $V_{MOD} = 2.8V$ ) | 14                                     | 18    |             | - dB w.r.t.<br>$V_O(HI)$ |
| $V_{OSC}$           | Sound Carrier Output                         | 26                                     | 22    | 18          | - dB w.r.t.<br>$V_O(HI)$ |
| $V_S$               | Spurious/Harmonic                            |                                        |       | 30          | - dB w.r.t.<br>$V_O(HI)$ |
| $V_{SWR}$           | Voltage Standing Wave Ratio<br>(CH3 and CH4) |                                        | 1.7   | 2.5         |                          |
| $\Delta F_C(T)$     | $\Delta F$ for change in temp                |                                        |       | $\pm 10$    | kHz/°C                   |
| $\Delta F_{SC}(T)$  | $\Delta F$ for change in temp                |                                        |       | $\pm 750$   | Hz/°C                    |
| $\Delta F_C$        | $\Delta F$ for 1 Volt change in $V_{CC}$     |                                        |       | $\pm 30kHz$ | kHz/V                    |
| $\Delta F_{SC}$     | $\Delta F$ for 1 Volt change in $V_{CC}$     |                                        |       | $\pm 5kHz$  | kHz/V                    |
| $Z_O$               | RF Output Impedance                          |                                        | 75    |             | Ohm                      |
| $RF_{BW}$           | -3dB Bandwidth (RF)                          |                                        |       |             |                          |
|                     | CH3                                          | 10                                     | 14    |             | MHz                      |
|                     | CH4                                          | 4.5                                    | 5.0   |             | MHz                      |
| $I_{CC}$            | Supply Current                               |                                        | 30    | 40          | mA                       |
| $\Delta F/\Delta V$ | Frequency Modulating Sensitivity             | 4.0                                    | 8     | 12          | kHz/Volt                 |
| 920kHz              | Chroma/Sound Beat Level                      | 48                                     | 55    |             | - dB w.r.t.<br>$V_O(HI)$ |
| $Z_{IN}$            | Video Input Impedance                        | See Modulation Transfer Characteristic |       |             |                          |

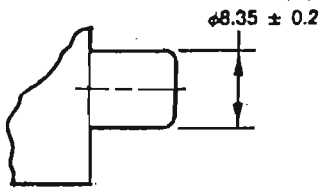
### TYPICAL TRANSFER CHARACTERISTIC



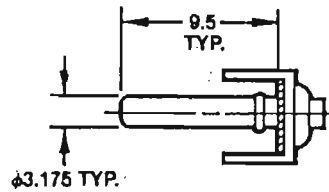
### TYPICAL BANDPASS FILTER RESPONSE



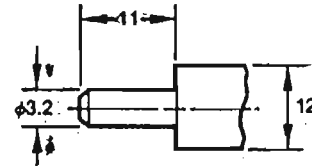
## RF OUTPUT SOCKET (millimeters)



PHONO SOCKET



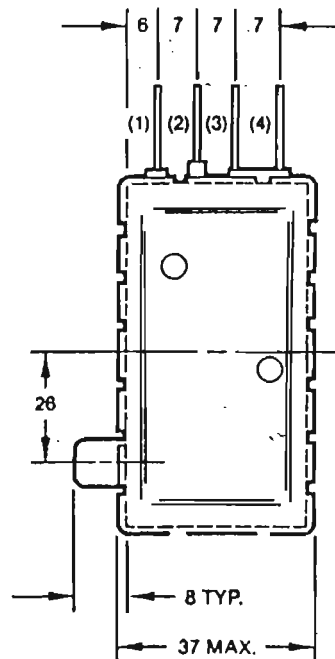
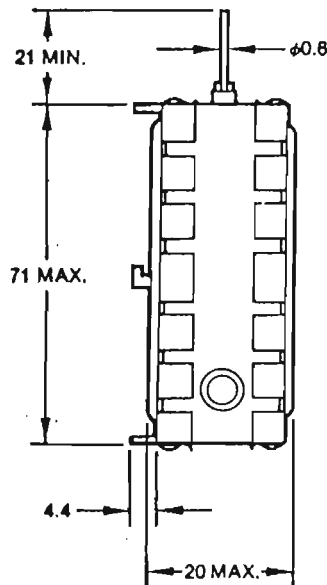
TYPICAL PHONO PLUG



STANDARD TEST PIN

*The modulator shall completely accept a standard test pin; as an assurance against excessive solder, etc. blocking up phono socket.*

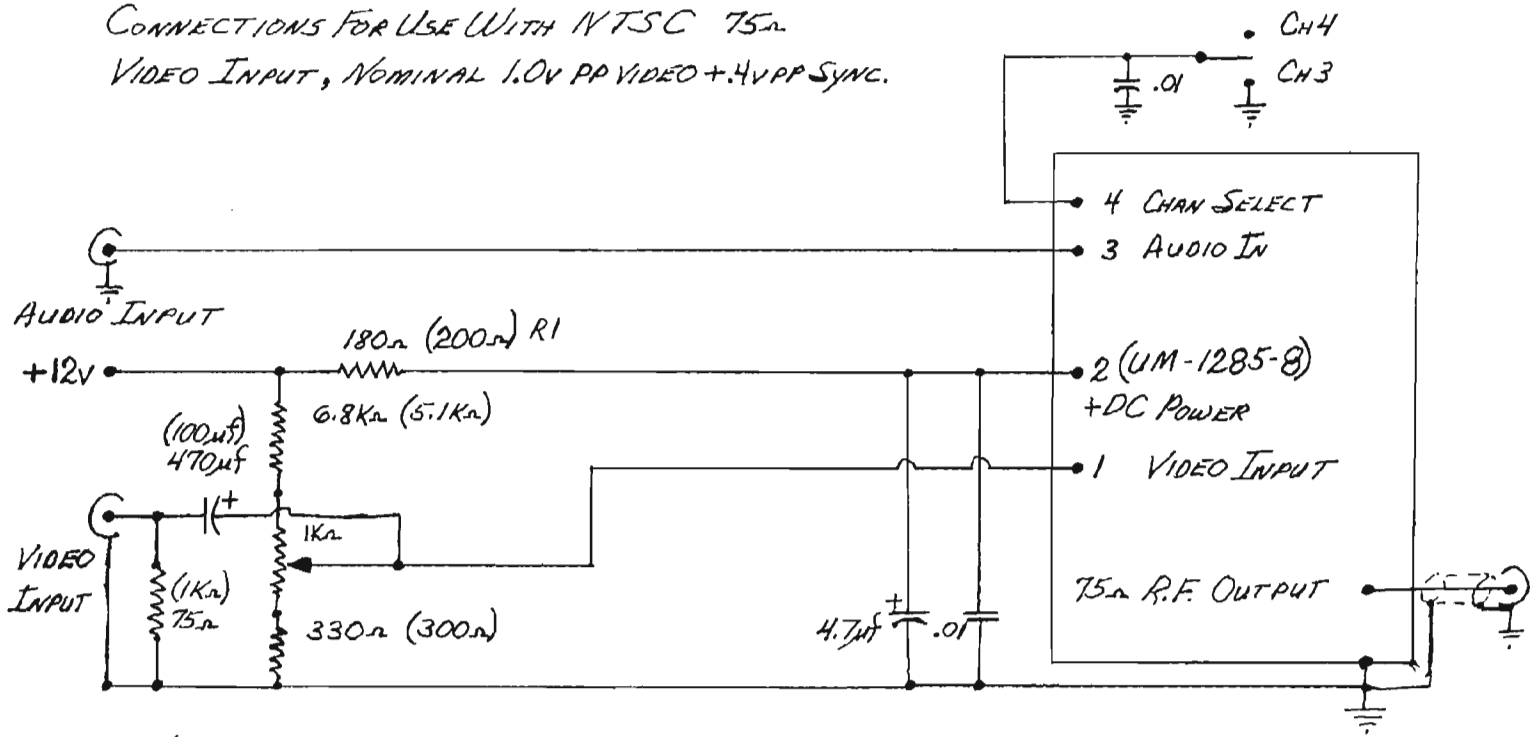
## OUTLINE DRAWING FOR UM1285-8 (millimeters)



### STANDARD PACKING

225 units in a shipping carton  
Shipping Carton:  
Gross Weight: 40 lbs. or 18 kg  
Size: 12x18x16 in. or 30x45x40 cm  
Volume: 2 cu. ft. or 0.054 cu. m.

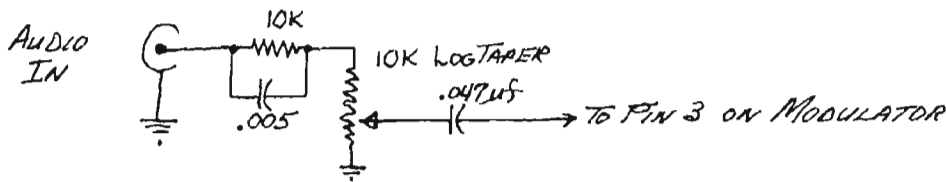
CONNECTIONS FOR USE WITH VTSC 75 $\Omega$   
 VIDEO INPUT, NOMINAL 1.0V PP VIDEO +.4VPP SYNC.



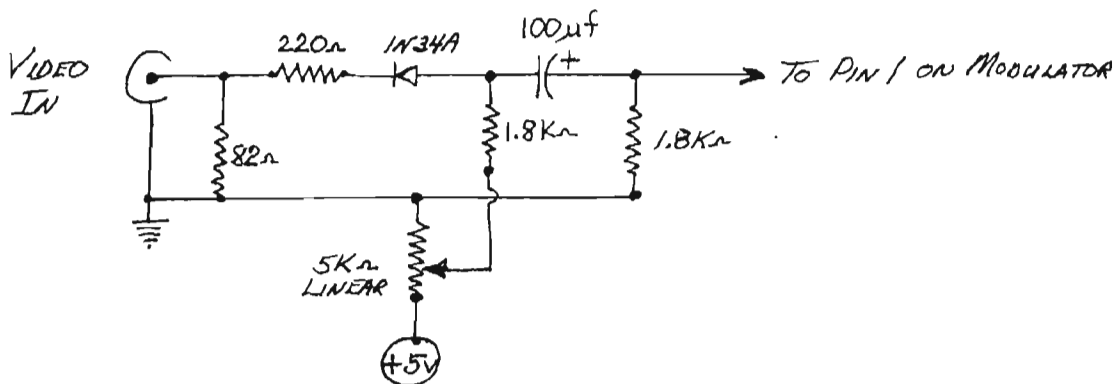
NOTES:

1. VALUES IN ( ) FOR HIGH IMPEDANCE INPUT.
2. NORMAL VALUES FOR STD 75 $\Omega$  SUCH AS CAMERA OR VCR.
3. UNIT WILL OPERATE FROM 6V TO 15V D.C. INPUT. ADJUST R1 ACCORDINGLY NOM CURRENT: 40MA.

FOR HIGH LEVEL AUDIO WITH PREEMPHASIS



ALTERNATE VIDEO INPUT



ALL RESISTORS IN OHMS: 1/4W, 10%  
 ALL CAPACITORS IN μF