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### FEATURES

- Passive I/Q mixer
- RF and LO range: 2.5 GHz to 8.5 GHz
- Wide IF range: dc to 4 GHz
- Single-ended RF, LO, and IF
- Conversion loss (downconverter): 9 dB (typical)
- Image rejection (downconverter): 25 dBc (typical)
- SSB noise figure (downconverter): 11.5 dB (typical)
- Input IP3 (downconverter): 20 dBm (typical)
- Input P1dB compression point (downconverter): 13 dBm (typical)
- Input IP2 (downconverter): 58 dBm (typical)
- RF to IF isolation (downconverter): 22 dB (typical)
- LO to RF isolation (downconverter): 48 dB (typical)
- LO to IF isolation (downconverter): 38 dB (typical)
- Amplitude balance (downconverter):  $\pm 0.5$  dB (typical)
- Phase balance (downconverter):  $\pm 5^\circ$  (typical)
- RF return loss: 13 dB (typical)
- LO return loss 13 dB (typical)
- IF return loss: 17 dB (typical)
- Exposed pad, 4 mm  $\times$  4 mm, 24-terminal, ceramic LCC package

### APPLICATIONS

- Test and measurement instrumentation
- Military, aerospace, and radar
- Direct conversion receivers

### GENERAL DESCRIPTION

The HMC8193 is a passive, in phase/quadrature (I/Q), monolithic microwave integrated circuit (MMIC) mixer that can be used either as an image rejection mixer for receiver operations, or as a single-sideband upconverter for transmitter operations from 2.5 GHz to 8.5 GHz. The inherent I/Q architecture of the HMC8193 offers excellent image rejection and thereby eliminates the need for expensive filtering of unwanted sidebands. The mixer also provides excellent local oscillator (LO) to radio frequency (RF) and LO to intermediate frequency (IF) isolation and reduces the effect of LO leakage to ensure signal integrity.

### FUNCTIONAL BLOCK DIAGRAM

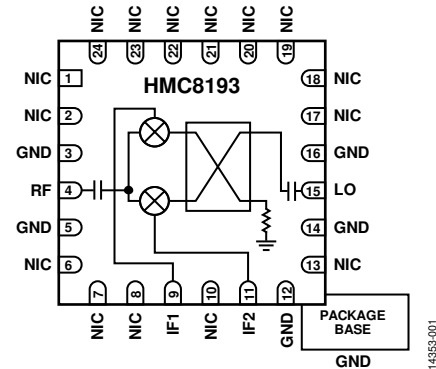


Figure 1.

Being the HMC8193 is a passive mixer, it does not require any dc power sources. The device offers a lower noise figure than an active mixer, ensuring superior dynamic range for high performance and precision applications.

The HMC8193 is fabricated on a gallium arsenide (GaAs), metal semiconductor field effect transistor (MESFET) process and uses Analog Devices, Inc., mixer cells and a 90° hybrid. It is available in a compact, 4 mm  $\times$  4 mm, 24-lead LCC package and operates over the  $-40^\circ\text{C}$  to  $+85^\circ\text{C}$  temperature range. An evaluation board for this device is also available.

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### 1/2018—Rev. 0 to Rev. A

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Changed Single-Sideband (SSB) Noise Figure Parameter from 15 dB Typical to 11.5 dB Typical, Table 1 .....	3
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### 8/2017—Revision 0: Initial Version

## SPECIFICATIONS

T<sub>A</sub> = 25°C, IF = 100 MHz, and LO drive = 18 dBm; all measurements performed as downconverter with lower sideband selected, unless otherwise noted.

Table 1.

Parameter	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
RADIO FREQUENCY	RF	2.5		8.5	GHz
LOCAL OSCILLATOR	LO				
Frequency		2.5		8.5	GHz
Drive Level			18		dBm
INTERMEDIATE FREQUENCY	IF	DC		4	GHz
RF PERFORMANCE AS DOWNCONVERTER					
Conversion Loss			9	11	dB
Image Rejection		23	25		dBc
Single-Sideband (SSB) Noise Figure			11.5		dB
Input Third-Order Intercept	IP3	16	20		dBm
Input 1 dB Compression Point	P1dB		13		dBm
Input Second-Order Intercept	IP2		58		dBm
Isolation					
RF to IF		13	22		dB
LO to RF		37	48		dB
LO to IF		30	38		dB
Amplitude Balance			±0.5		dB
Phase Balance			±5		Degrees
RF PERFORMANCE AS UPCONVERTER					
Conversion Loss			8.5		dB
Sideband Rejection			23		dBc
Input Third-Order Intercept	IP3		21		dBm
RETURN LOSS PERFORMANCE					
RF			13		dB
LO			13		dB
IFx			17		dB

## ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

Table 2.

Parameter	Rating
RF Input Power	21 dBm
LO Input Power	25 dBm
IF Input Power	21 dBm
IF Source/Sink Current	6 mA
Continuous Power Dissipation, $P_{DISS}$ ( $T_A = 85^\circ\text{C}$ , Derate 12.44 mW/ $^\circ\text{C}$ Above $85^\circ\text{C}$ )	1120 mW
Maximum Junction Temperature	$175^\circ\text{C}$
Maximum Peak Reflow Temperature (MSL3)	$260^\circ\text{C}$
Operating Temperature Range	$-40^\circ\text{C}$ to $+85^\circ\text{C}$
Storage Temperature Range	$-65^\circ\text{C}$ to $+150^\circ\text{C}$
Electrostatic Discharge (ESD) Sensitivity	
Human Body Model (HBM)	2000 V
Field Induced Charged Device Model (FICDM)	1250 V

Stresses at or above those listed under Absolute Maximum Ratings may cause permanent damage to the product. This is a stress rating only; functional operation of the product at these or any other conditions above those indicated in the operational section of this specification is not implied. Operation beyond the maximum operating conditions for extended periods may affect product reliability.

## THERMAL RESISTANCE

Thermal performance is directly linked to printed circuit board (PCB) design and operating environment. Careful attention to PCB thermal design is required.

Table 3. Thermal Resistance

Package Type	$\theta_{JA}$	$\theta_{JC}$	Unit
E-24-1 <sup>1</sup>	120	80	$^\circ\text{C}/\text{W}$

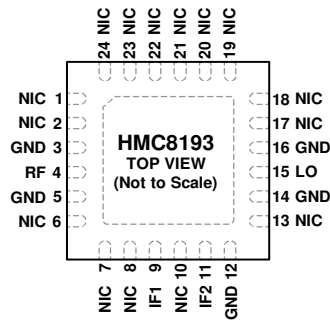
<sup>1</sup> Thermal impedance simulated values are based on a JEDEC 252P test board with  $4 \times 4$  thermal vias. See JEDEC JESD51-12 for additional information.

## ESD CAUTION



**ESD (electrostatic discharge) sensitive device.** Charged devices and circuit boards can discharge without detection. Although this product features patented or proprietary protection circuitry, damage may occur on devices subjected to high energy ESD. Therefore, proper ESD precautions should be taken to avoid performance degradation or loss of functionality.

# PIN CONFIGURATION AND FUNCTION DESCRIPTIONS



- NOTES**
1. NOT INTERNALLY CONNECTED. NO CONNECTION IS REQUIRED. THESE PINS CAN BE CONNECTED TO RF/DC GROUND WITHOUT AFFECTING PERFORMANCE.
  2. EXPOSED PAD. THE EXPOSED PAD MUST BE CONNECTED TO RF/DC GROUND.

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Figure 2. Pin Configuration

Table 4. Pin Function Descriptions

Pin No.	Mnemonic	Description
1, 2, 6 to 8, 10, 13, 17 to 24	NIC	Not Internally Connected. No connection is required. These pins can be connected to RF/dc ground without affecting performance.
3, 5, 12, 14, 16	GND	Ground Connect. These pins and package bottom must be connected to RF/dc ground. See Figure 3 for the interface schematic.
4	RF	Radio Frequency. This pin is ac-coupled and matched to 50 Ω. See Figure 5 for the interface schematic.
9	IF1	First and Quadrature Intermediate Frequency. This pin is dc-coupled. For applications not requiring operation to dc, dc block this port externally using a series capacitor with a value selected to pass the necessary IF frequency range. For operation to dc, this pin must not source or sink more than 6 mA of current; otherwise, the device does not function and may fail. See Figure 4 for the interface schematic.
11	IF2	Second Quadrature Intermediate Frequency. This pin is dc-coupled. For applications not requiring operation to dc, dc block this port externally using a series capacitor with a value selected to pass the necessary IF frequency range. For operation to dc, this pin must not source or sink more than 6 mA of current; otherwise, the device does not function and may fail. See Figure 4 for the interface schematic.
15	LO	Local Oscillator. This pin is ac-coupled and matched to 50 Ω. See Figure 6 for the interface schematic.
	EPAD	Exposed Pad. The exposed pad must be connected to RF/dc ground.

## INTERFACE SCHEMATICS



Figure 3. GND Interface Schematic

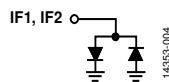


Figure 4. IF1, IF2 Interface Schematic

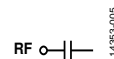


Figure 5. RF Interface Schematic

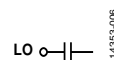


Figure 6. LO Interface Schematic

# TYPICAL PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS

## DOWNCONVERTER PERFORMANCE

### Downconverter Performance at IF = 100 MHz, Lower Sideband

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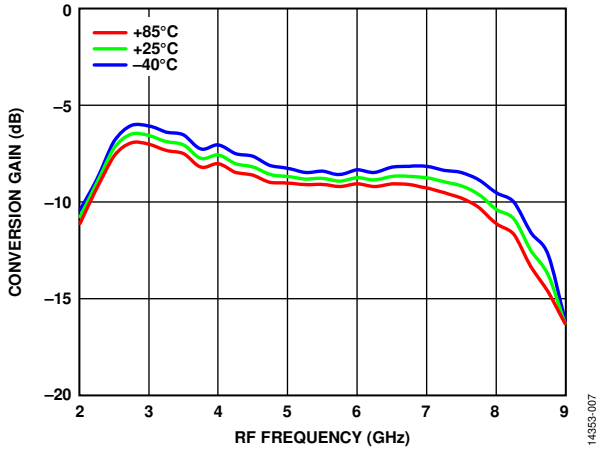


Figure 7. Conversion Gain vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

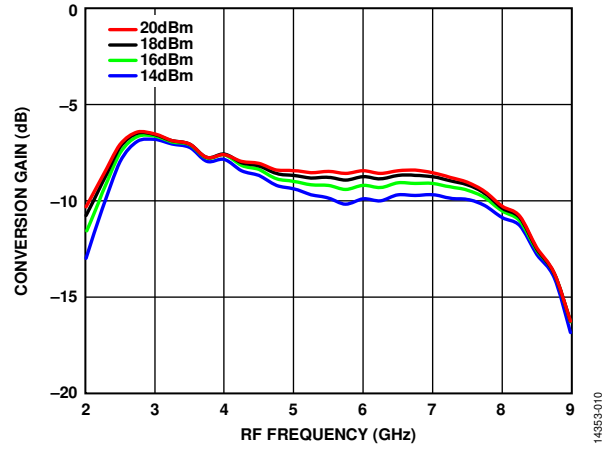


Figure 10. Conversion Gain vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

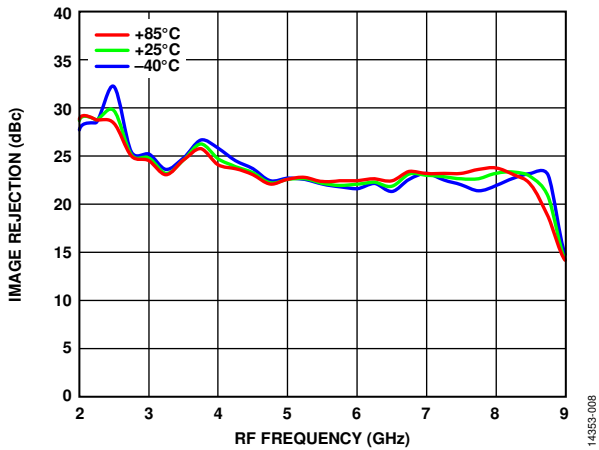


Figure 8. Image Rejection vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

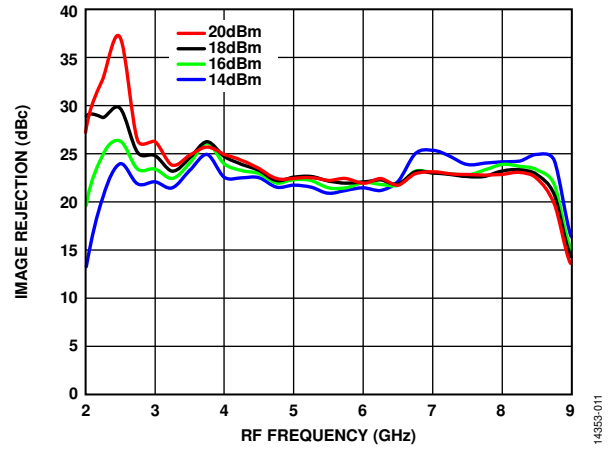


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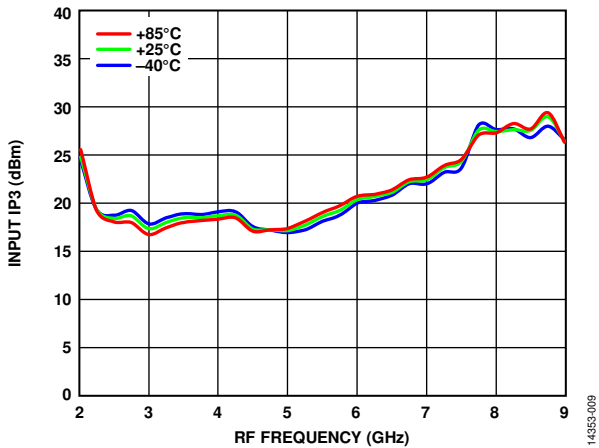


Figure 9. Input IP3 vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

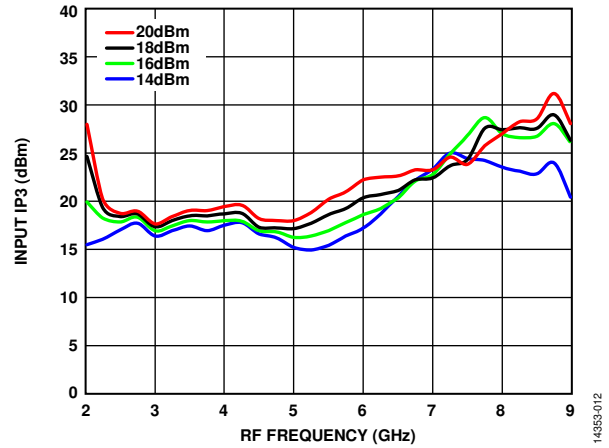


Figure 12. Input IP3 vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

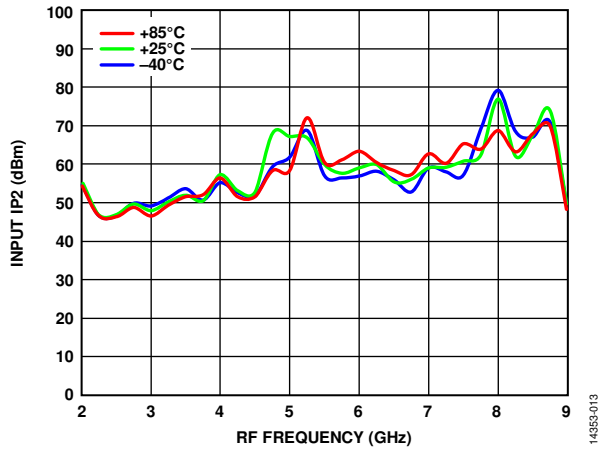


Figure 13. Input IP2 vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

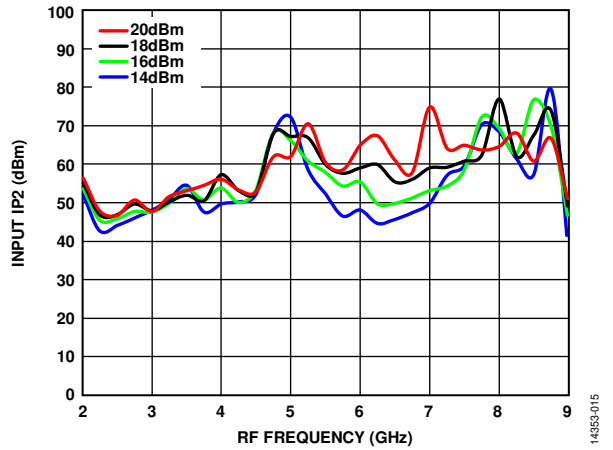


Figure 15. Input IP2 vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

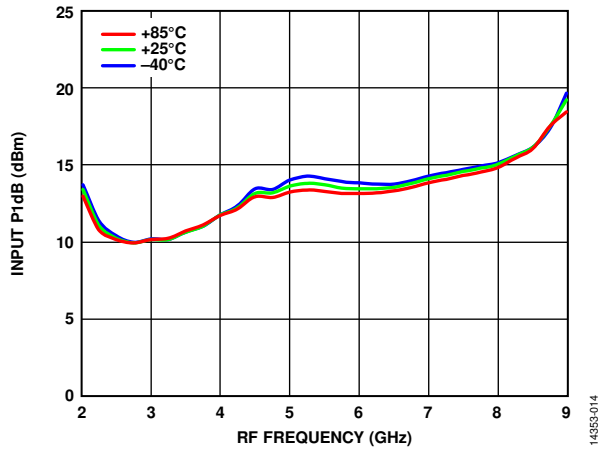


Figure 14. Input P1dB vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

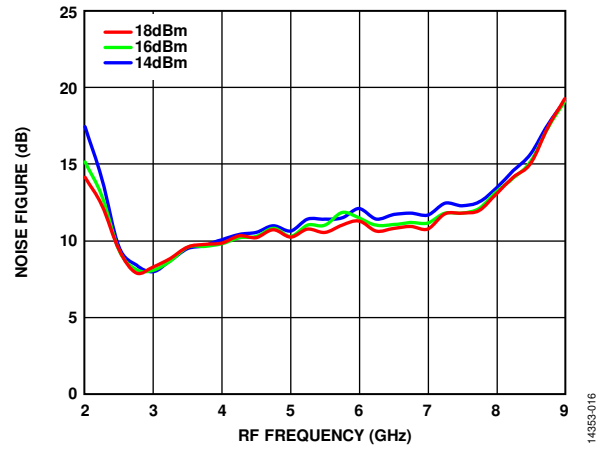


Figure 16. Noise Figure vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives



**Downconverter Performance at IF = 1000 MHz, Lower Sideband**

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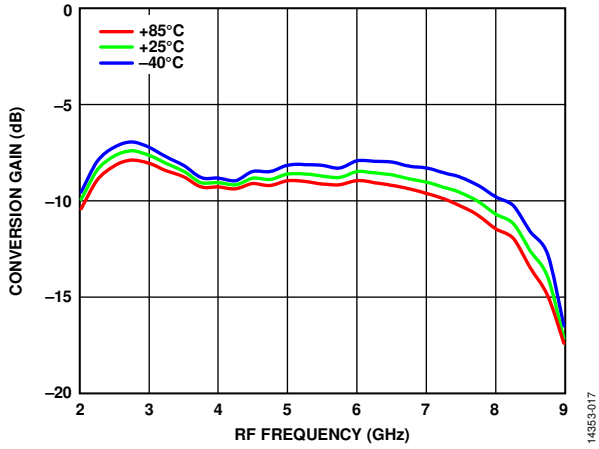


Figure 17. Conversion Gain vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

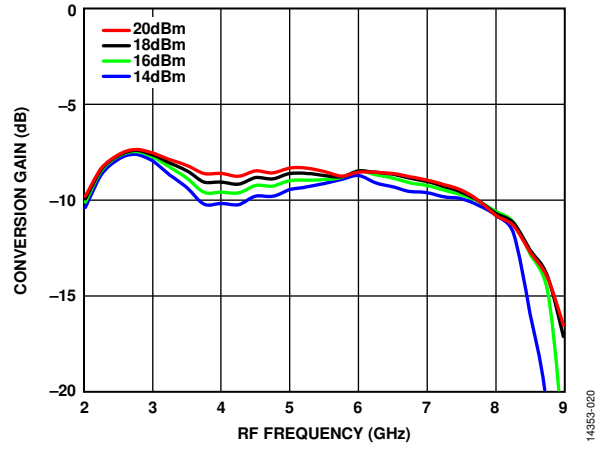


Figure 20. Conversion Gain vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

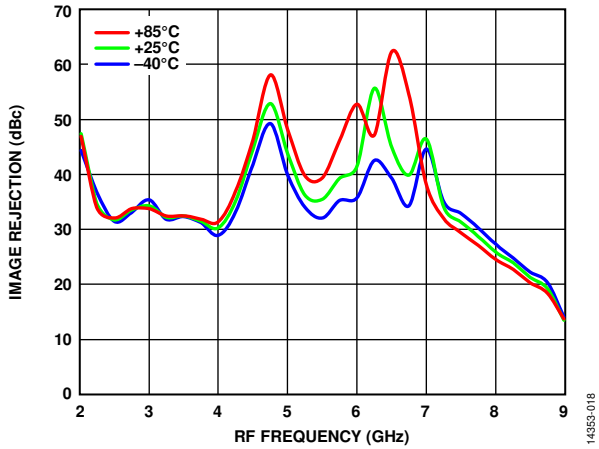


Figure 18. Image Rejection vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

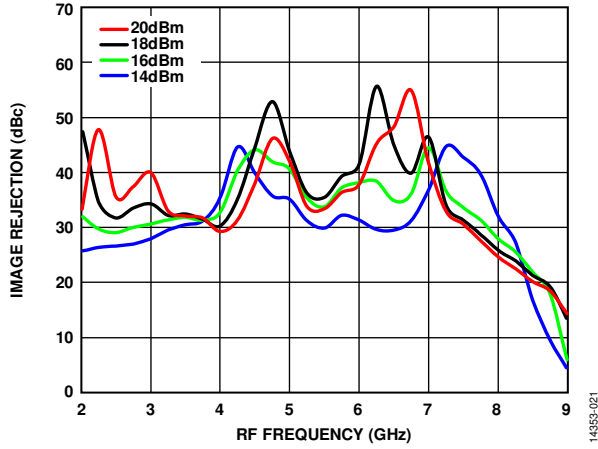


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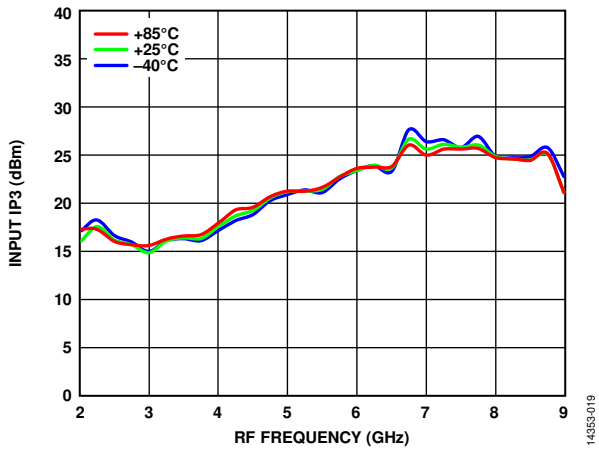


Figure 19. Input IP3 vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

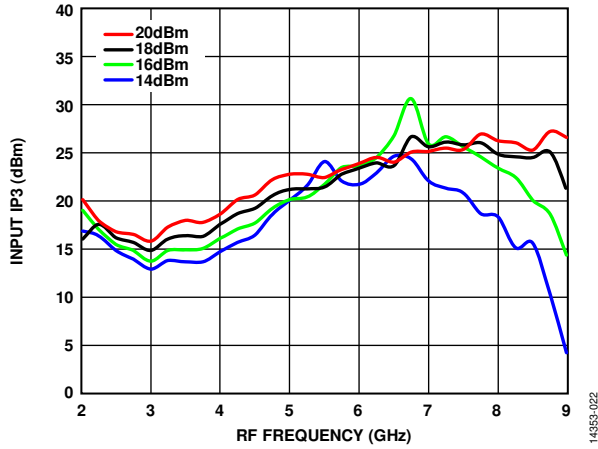


Figure 22. Input IP3 vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

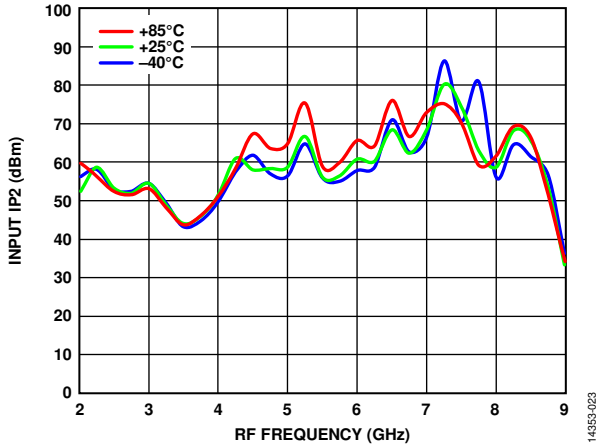


Figure 23. Input IP2 vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

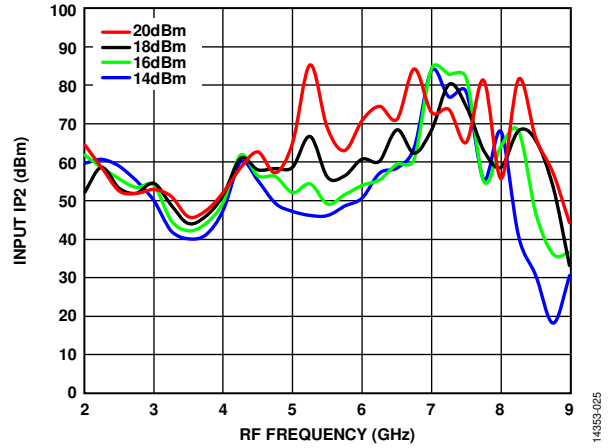


Figure 25. Input IP2 vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

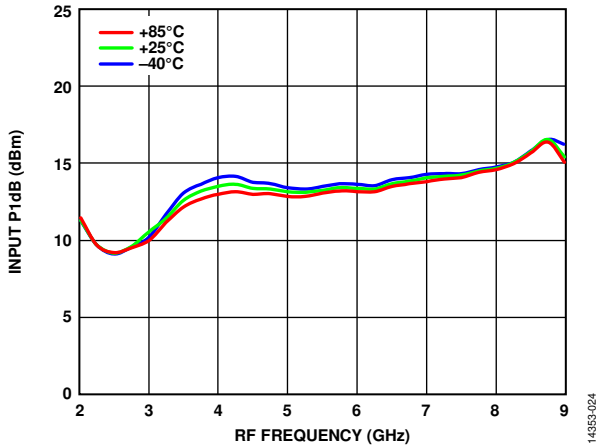


Figure 24. Input P1dB vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

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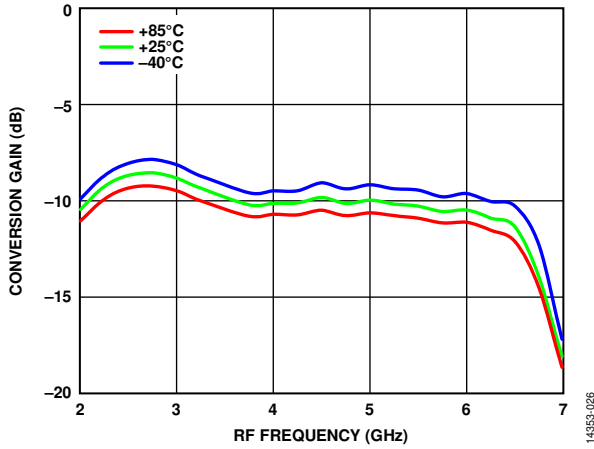


Figure 26. Conversion Gain vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

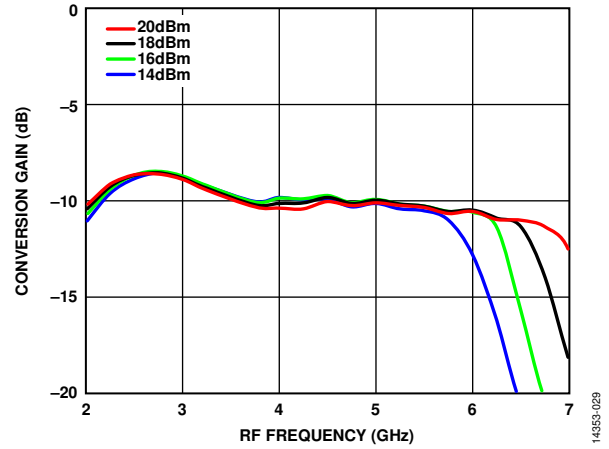


Figure 29. Conversion Gain vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

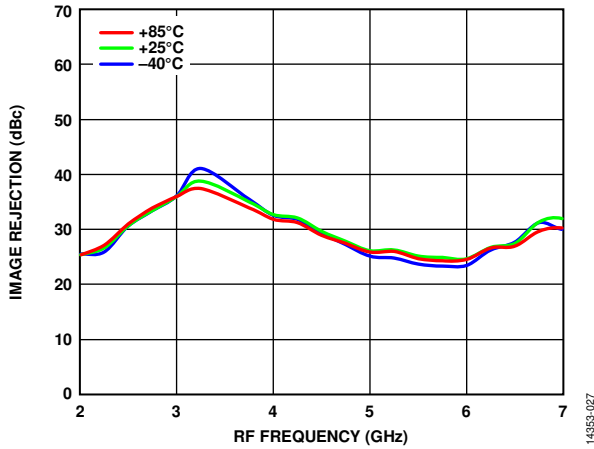


Figure 27. Image Rejection vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

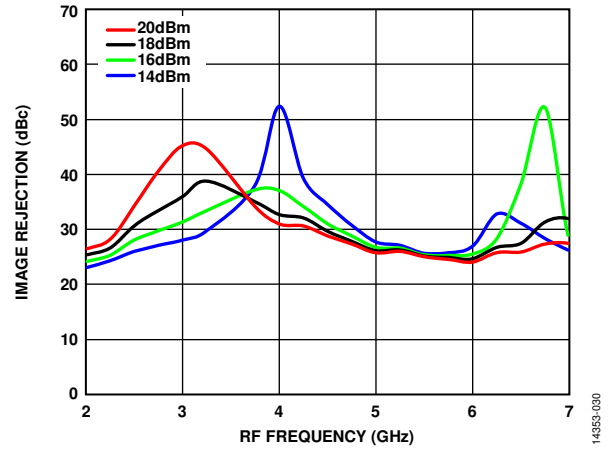


Figure 30. Image Rejection vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

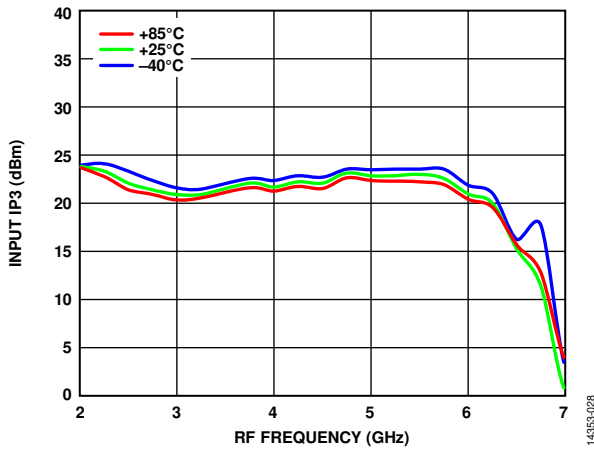


Figure 28. Input IP3 vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

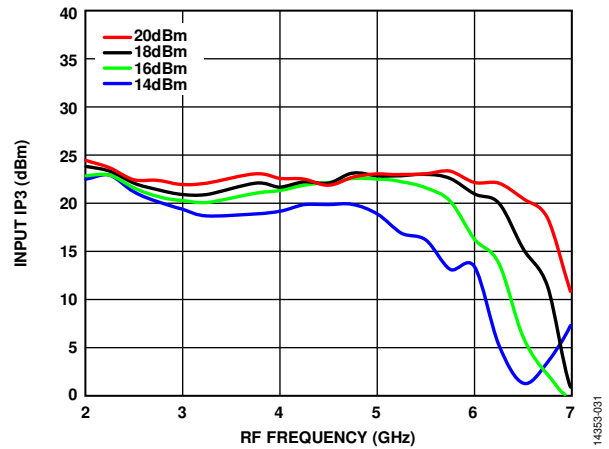


Figure 31. Input IP3 vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

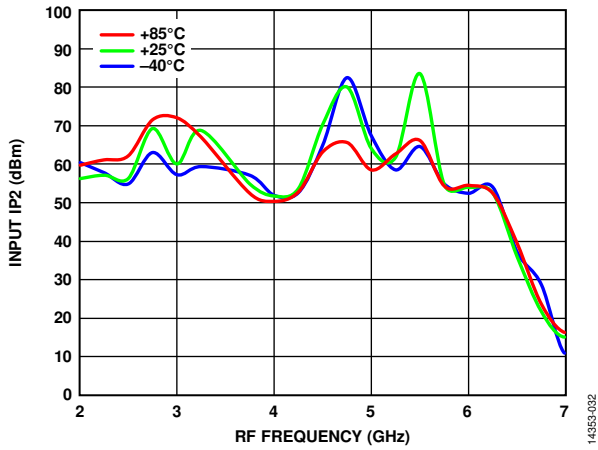


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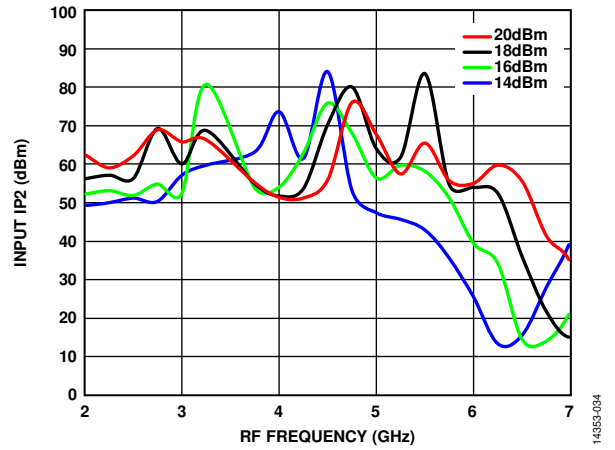


Figure 34. Input IP2 vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

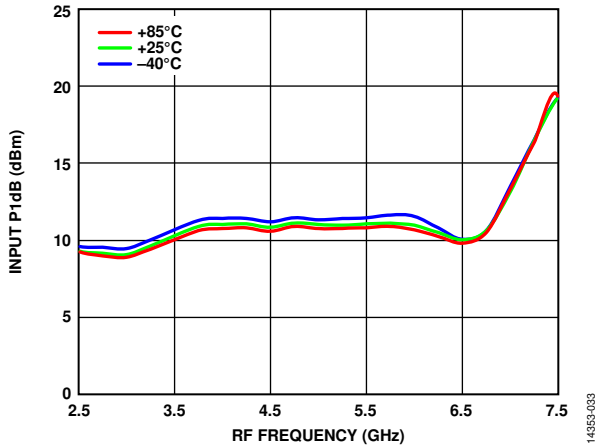


Figure 33. Input P1dB vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

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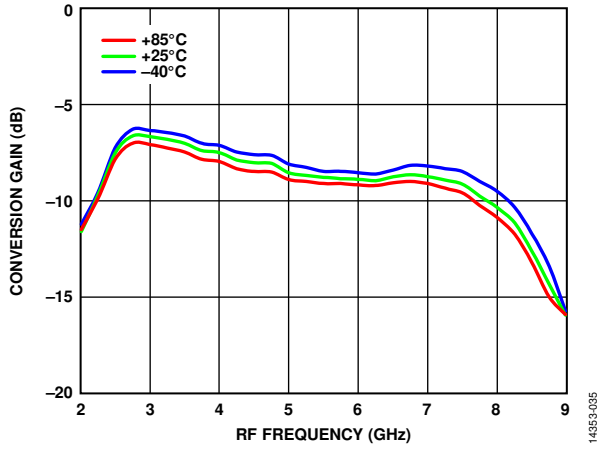


Figure 35. Conversion Gain vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

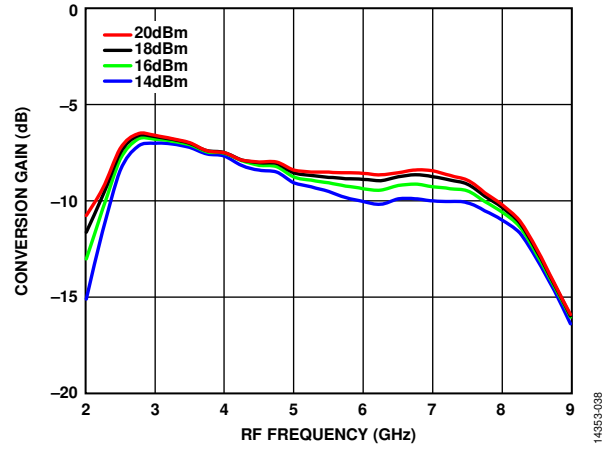


Figure 38. Conversion Gain vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

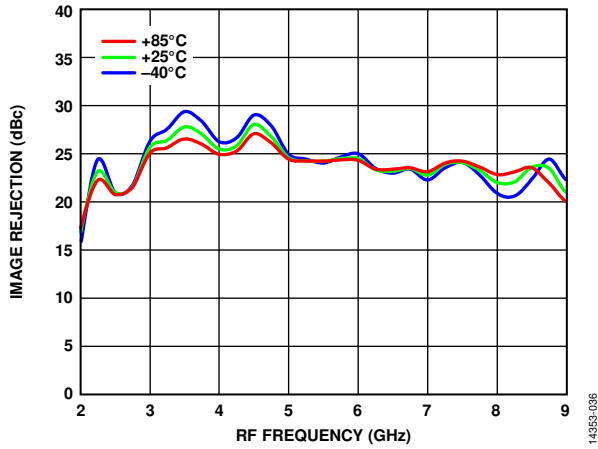


Figure 36. Image Rejection vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

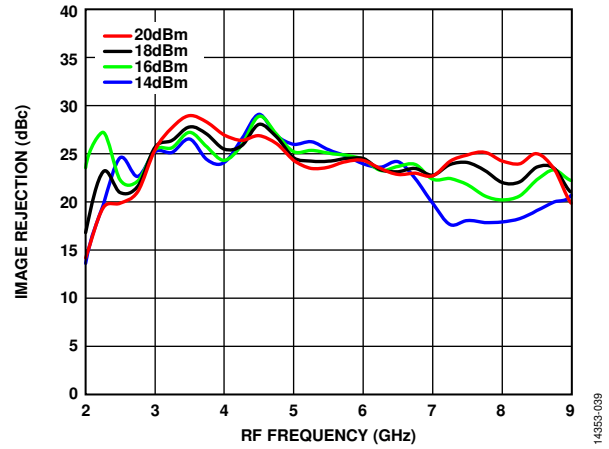


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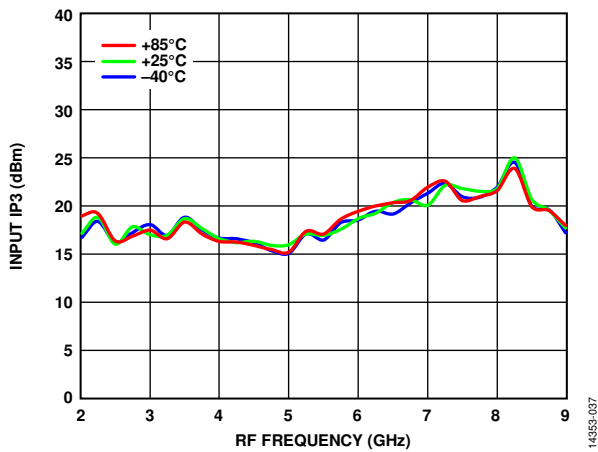


Figure 37. Input IP3 vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

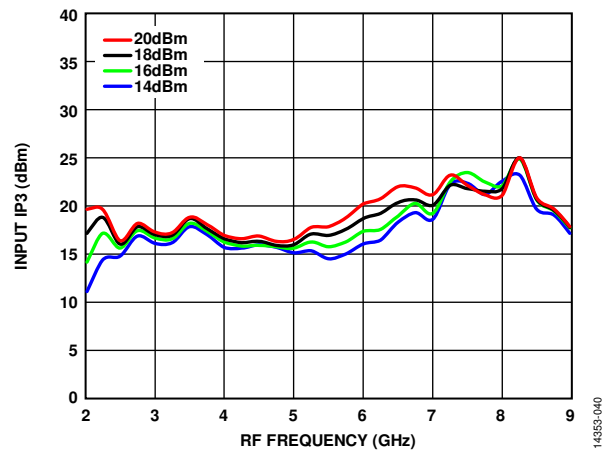


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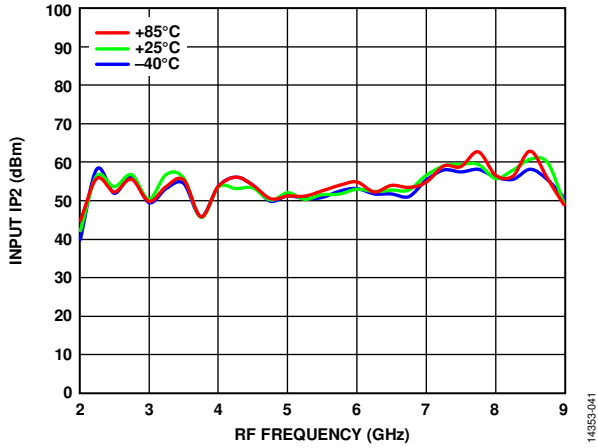


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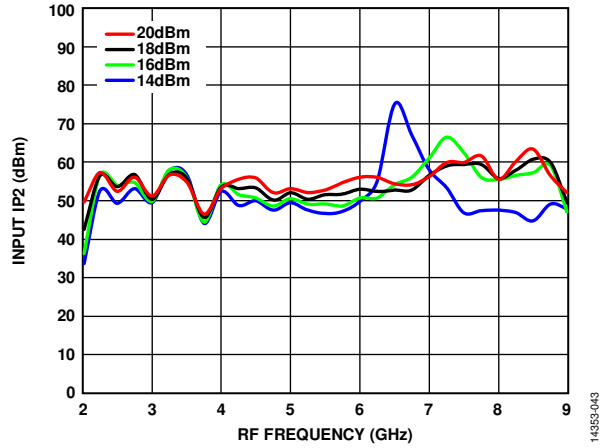


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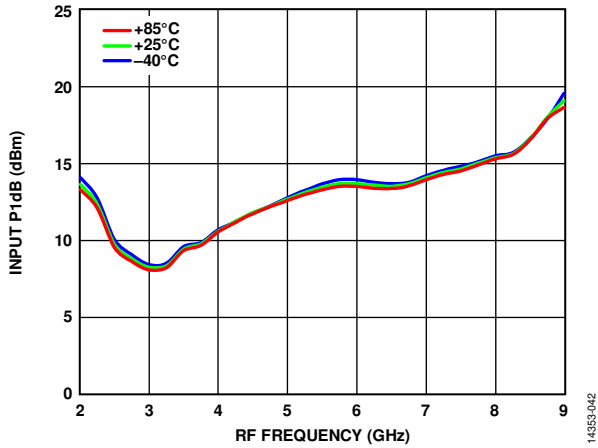


Figure 42. Input P1dB vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

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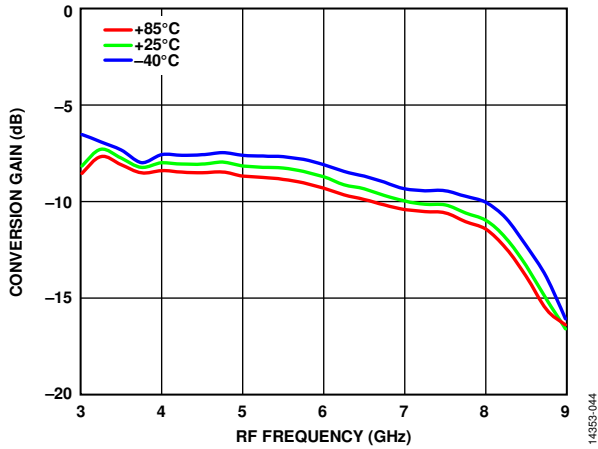


Figure 44. Conversion Gain vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

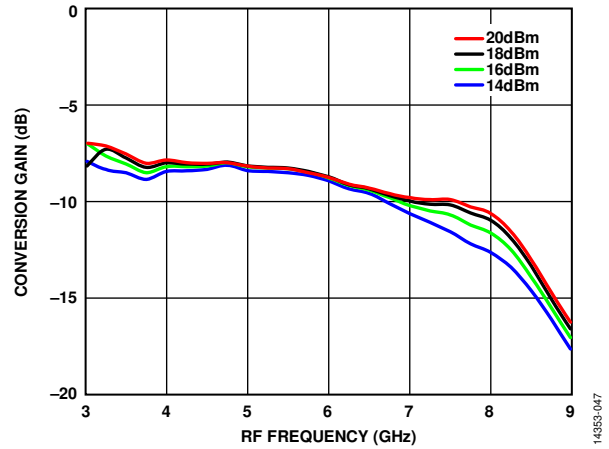


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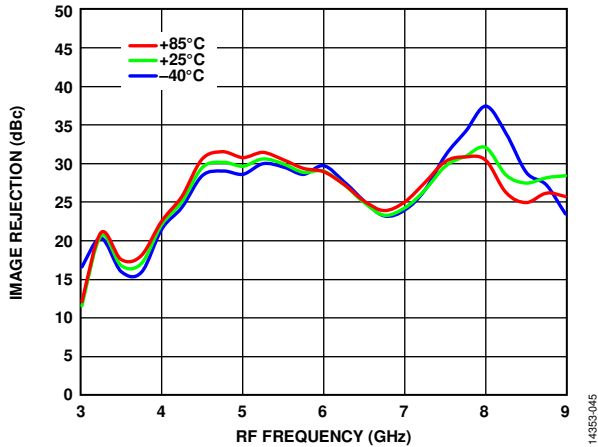


Figure 45. Image Rejection vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

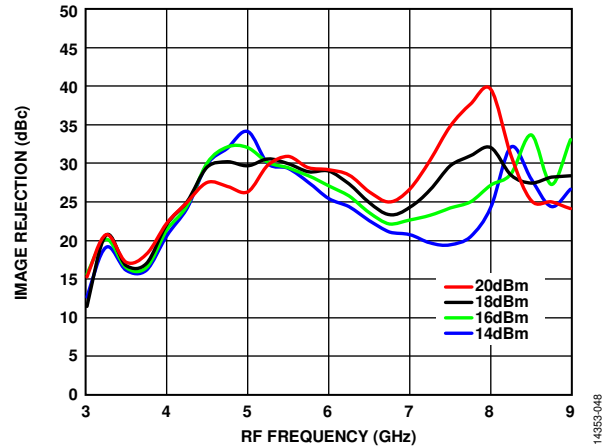


Figure 48. Image Rejection vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

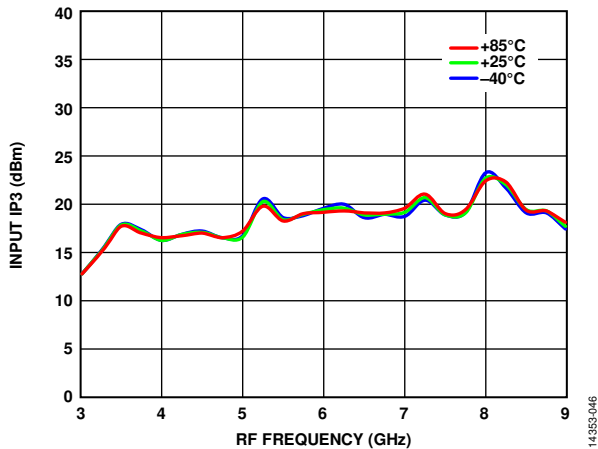


Figure 46. Input IP3 vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

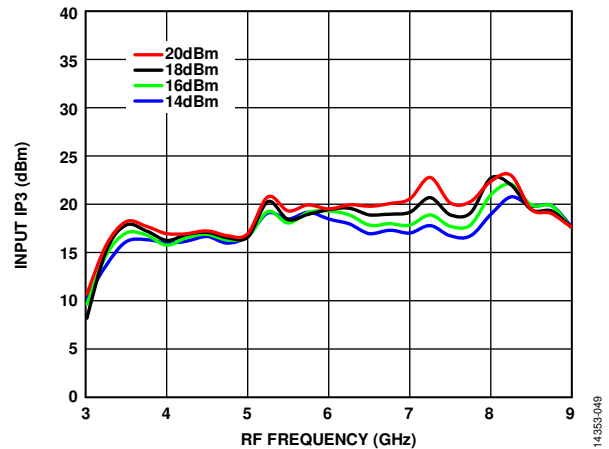


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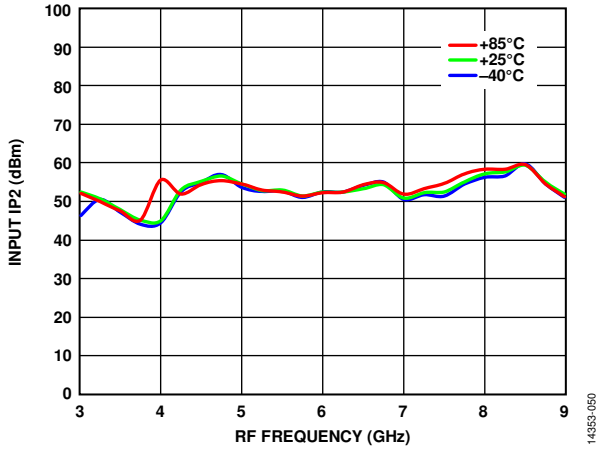


Figure 50. Input IP2 vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

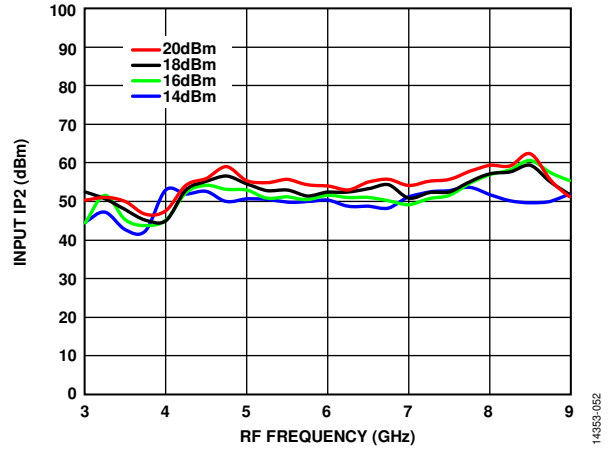


Figure 52. Input IP2 vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

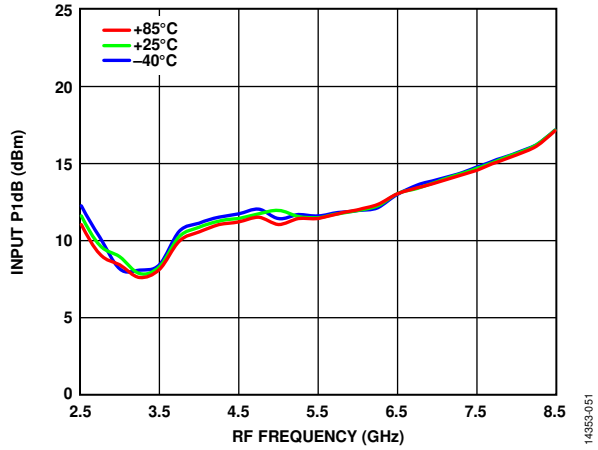


Figure 51. Input P1dB vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures



**Downconverter Performance at IF = 3500 MHz, Upper Sideband**

Data taken at LO drive = 18 dBm and T<sub>A</sub> = 25°C, unless otherwise noted.

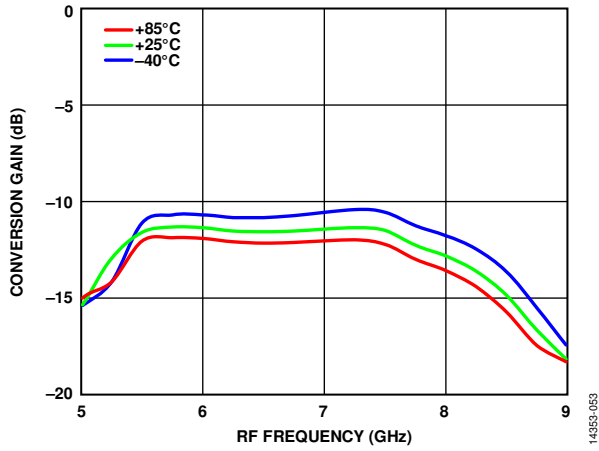


Figure 53. Conversion Gain vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

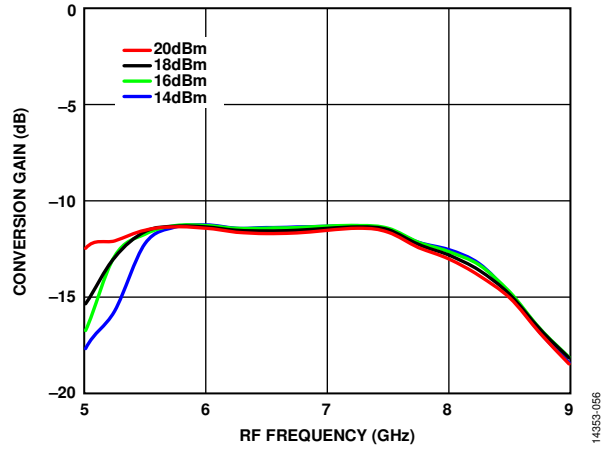


Figure 55. Conversion Gain vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

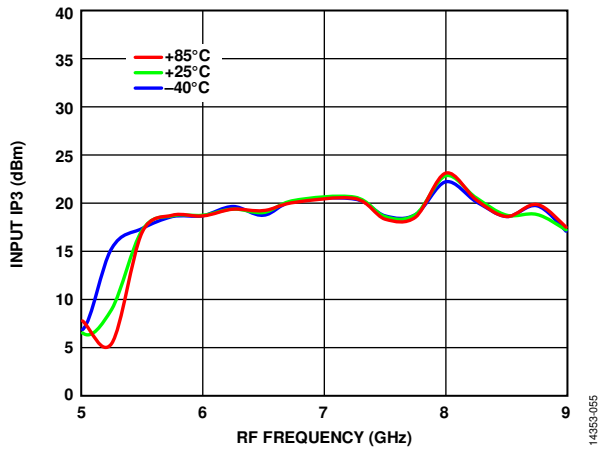


Figure 54. Input IP3 vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

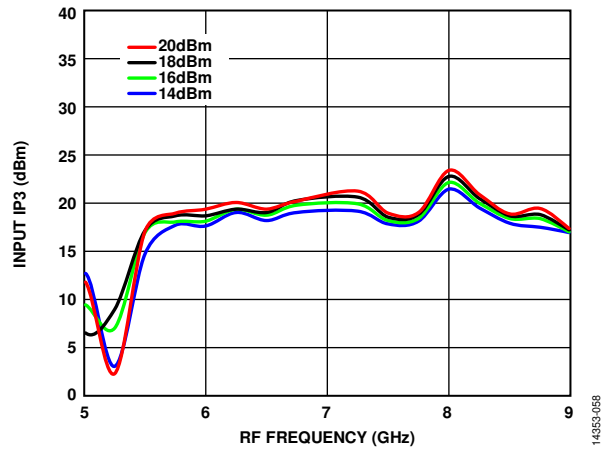


Figure 56. Input IP3 vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

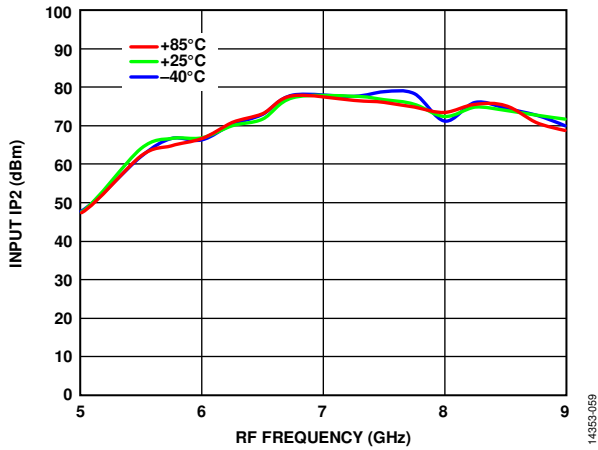


Figure 57. Input IP2 vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

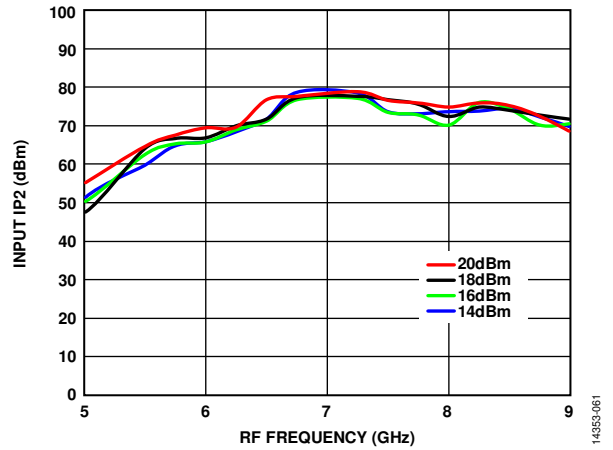


Figure 59. Input IP2 vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

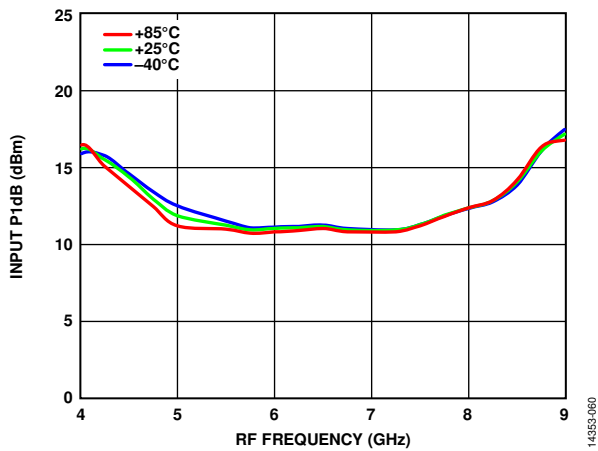


Figure 58. Input P1dB vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

**UPCONVERTER PERFORMANCE**

**Upconverter Performance at IF = 100 MHz, Lower Sideband**

Data taken at LO drive = 18 dBm and T<sub>A</sub> = 25°C, unless otherwise noted.

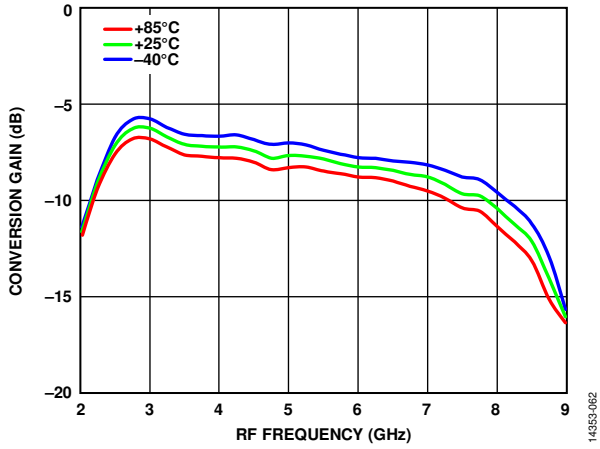


Figure 60. Conversion Gain vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

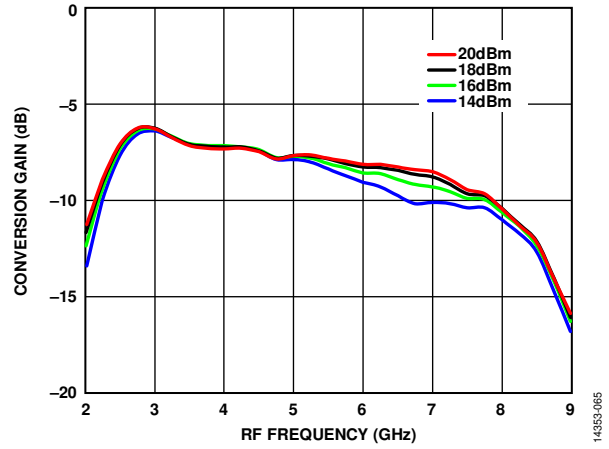


Figure 63. Conversion Gain vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

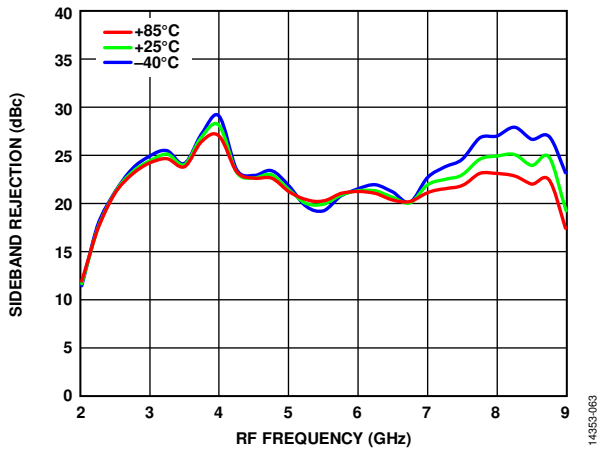


Figure 61. Sideband Rejection vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

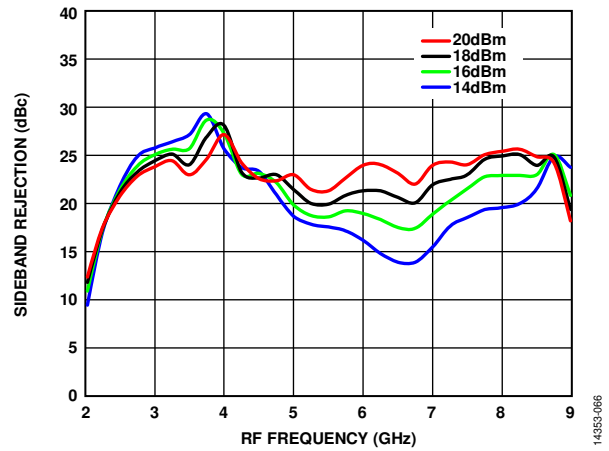


Figure 64. Sideband Rejection vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

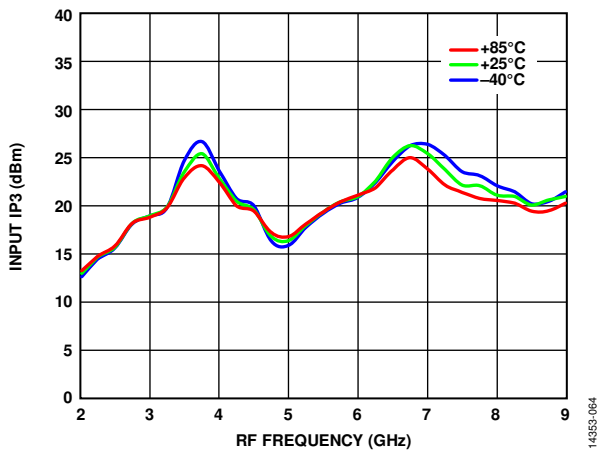


Figure 62. Input IP3 vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

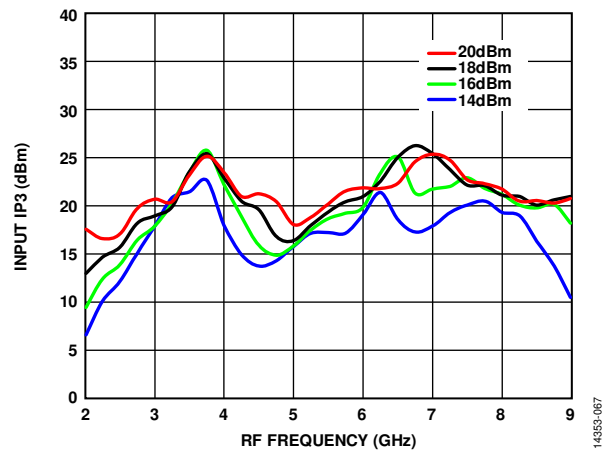


Figure 65. Input IP3 vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

**Upconverter Performance at IF = 1000 MHz, Lower Sideband**

Data taken at LO drive = 18 dBm and  $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ , unless otherwise noted.

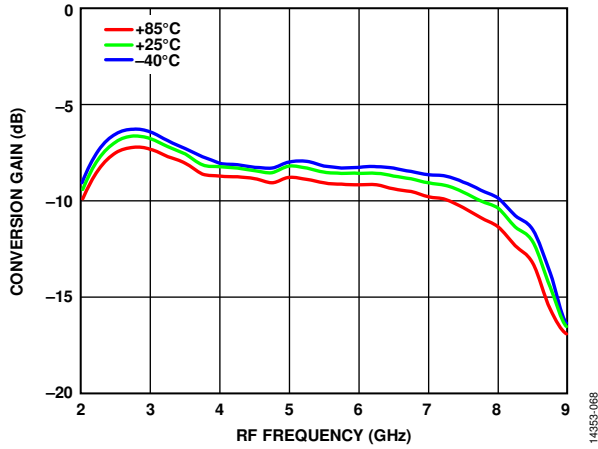


Figure 66. Conversion Gain vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

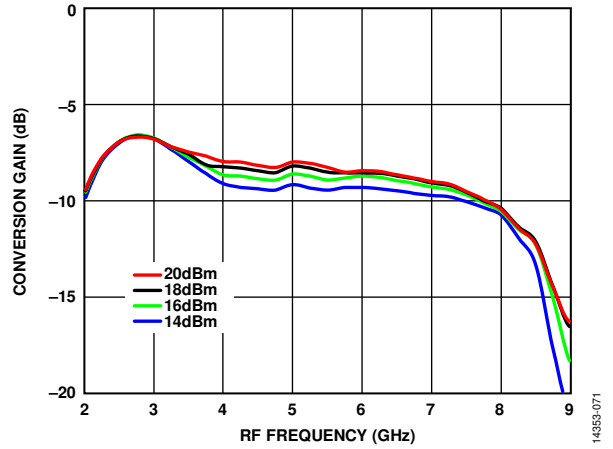


Figure 69. Conversion Gain vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

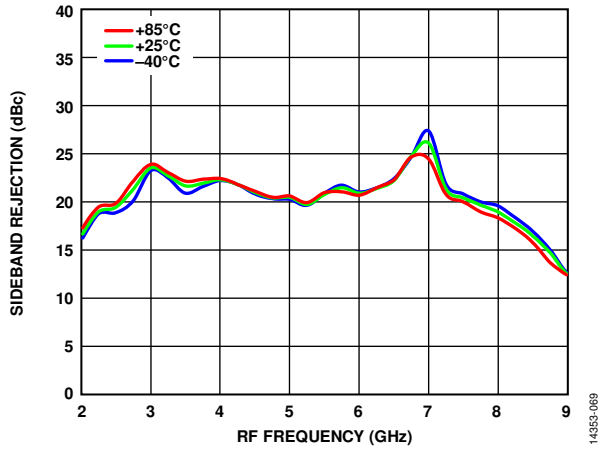


Figure 67. Sideband Rejection vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

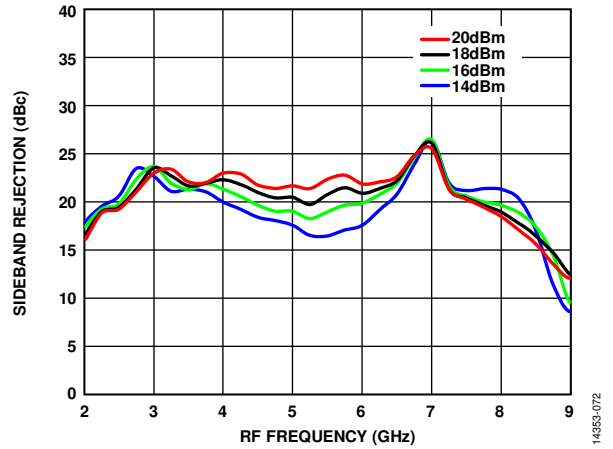


Figure 70. Sideband Rejection vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

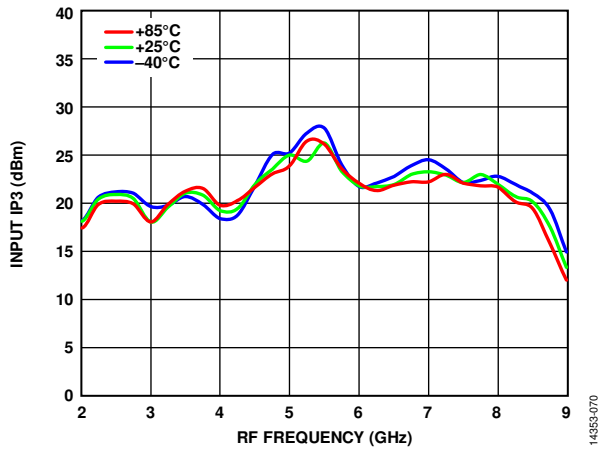


Figure 68. Input IP3 vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

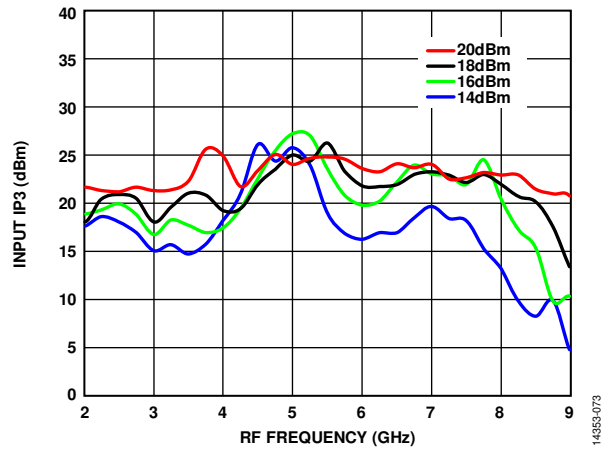


Figure 71. Input IP3 vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

**Upconverter Performance at IF = 3500 MHz, Lower Sideband**

Data taken at LO drive = 18 dBm and T<sub>A</sub> = 25°C, unless otherwise noted.

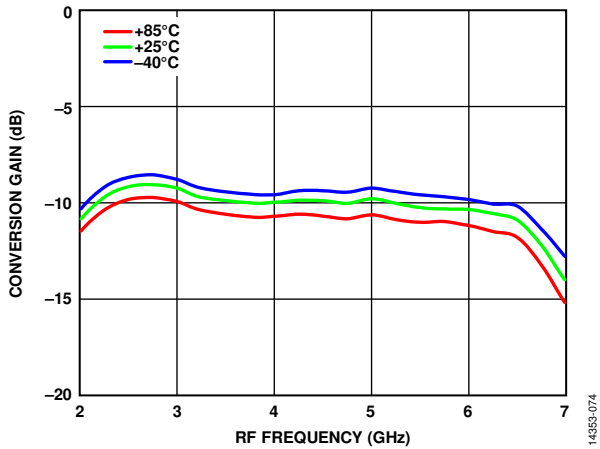


Figure 72. Conversion Gain vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

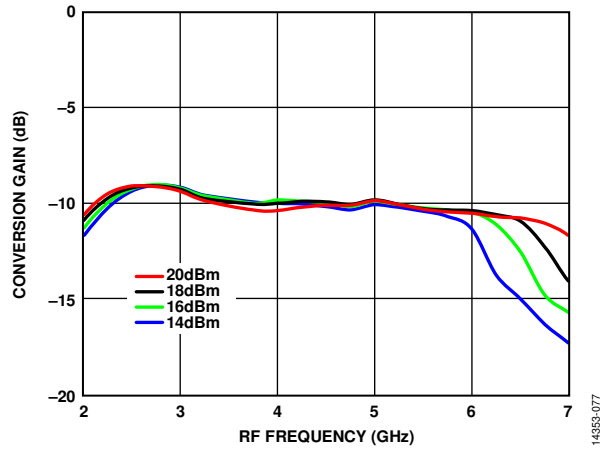


Figure 75. Conversion Gain vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

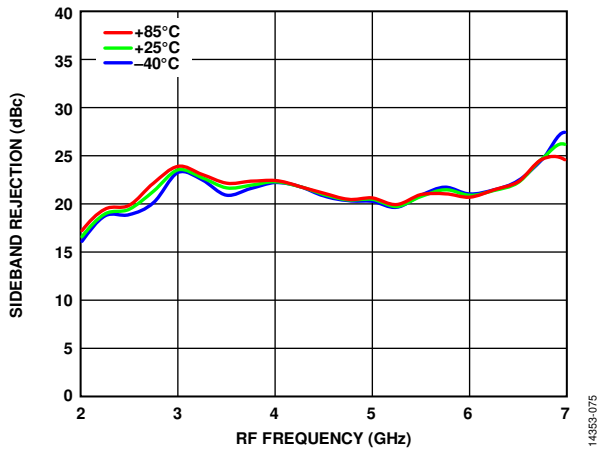


Figure 73. Sideband Rejection vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

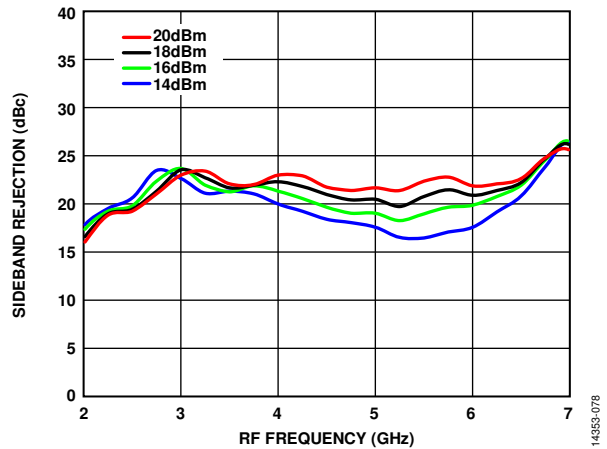


Figure 76. Sideband Rejection vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

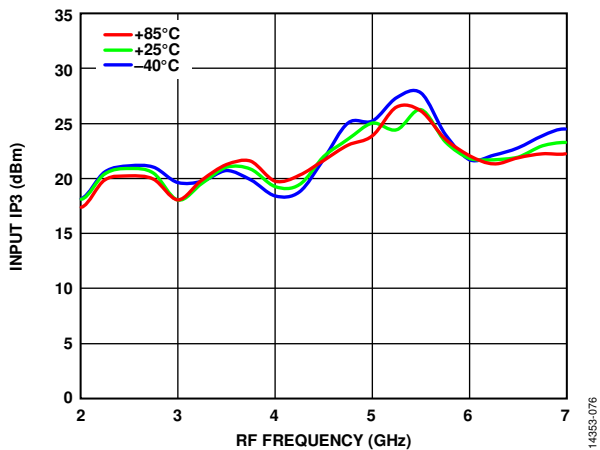


Figure 74. Input IP3 vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

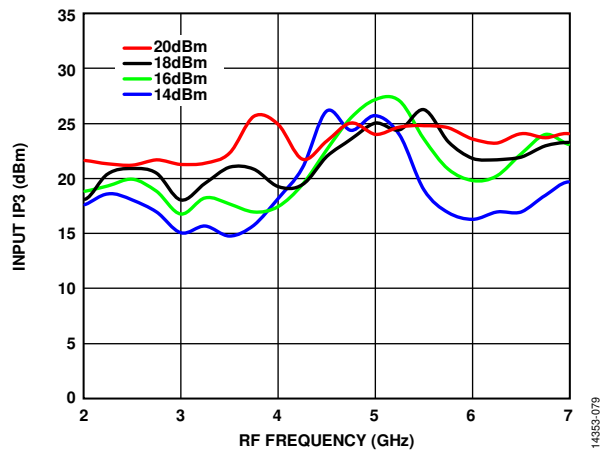


Figure 77. Input IP3 vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

**Upconverter Performance at IF = 100 MHz, Upper Sideband**

Data taken at LO drive = 18 dBm and  $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ , unless otherwise noted.

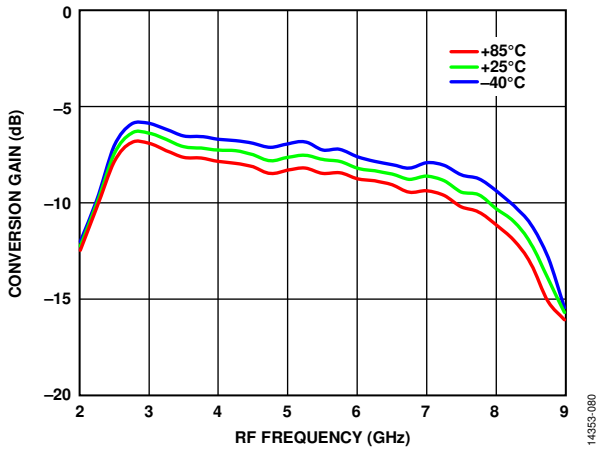


Figure 78. Conversion Gain vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

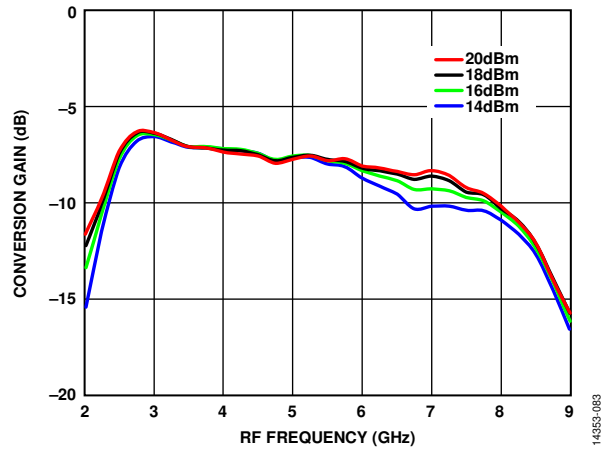


Figure 81. Conversion Gain vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

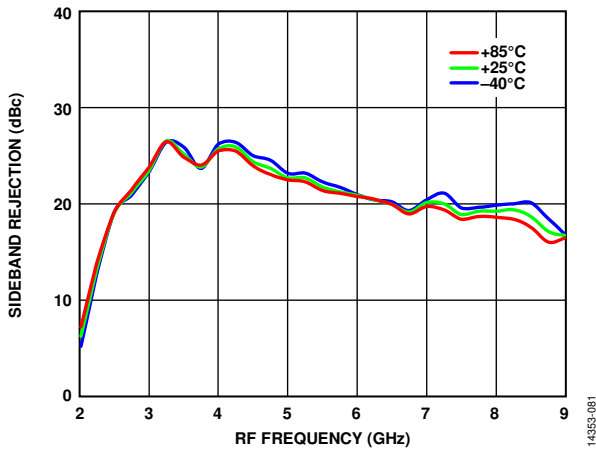


Figure 79. Sideband Rejection vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

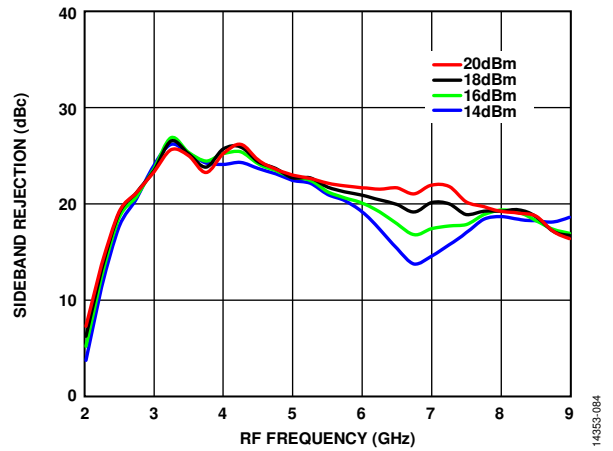


Figure 82. Sideband Rejection vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

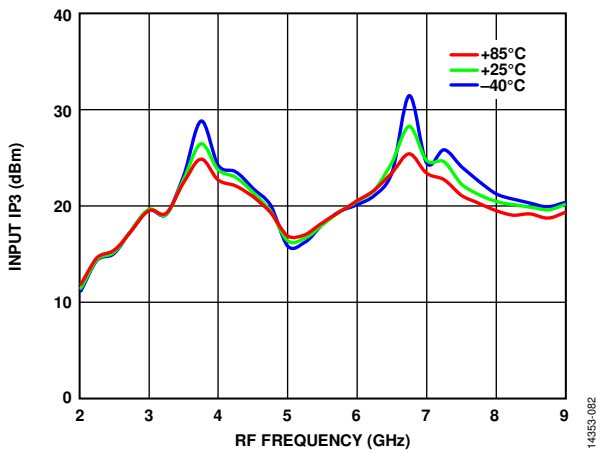


Figure 80. Input IP3 vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

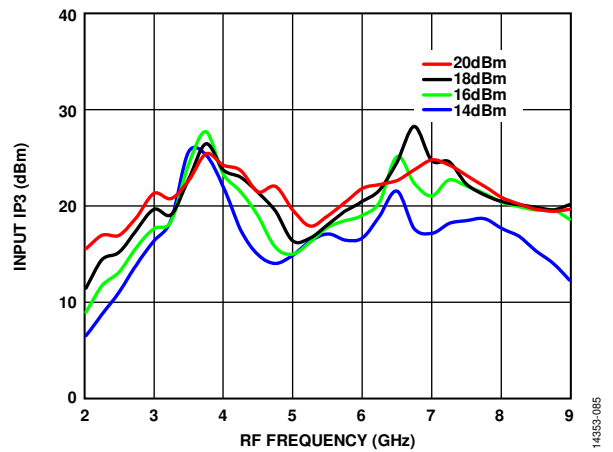


Figure 83. Input IP3 vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

**Upconverter Performance at IF = 1000 MHz, Upper Sideband**

Data taken at LO drive = 18 dBm and T<sub>A</sub> = 25°C, unless otherwise noted.

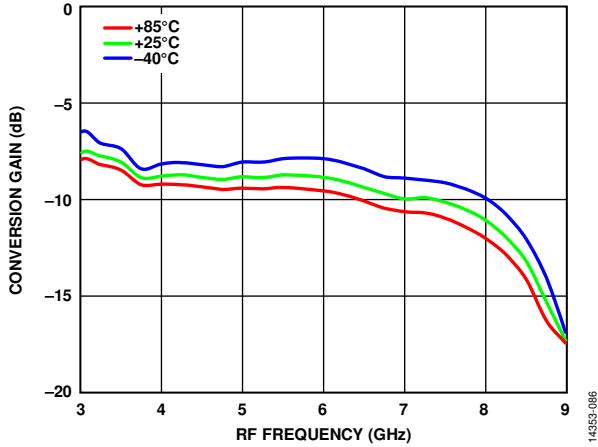


Figure 84. Conversion Gain vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

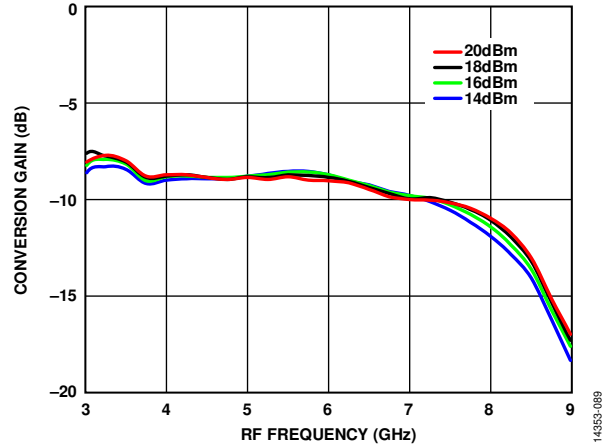


Figure 87. Conversion Gain vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

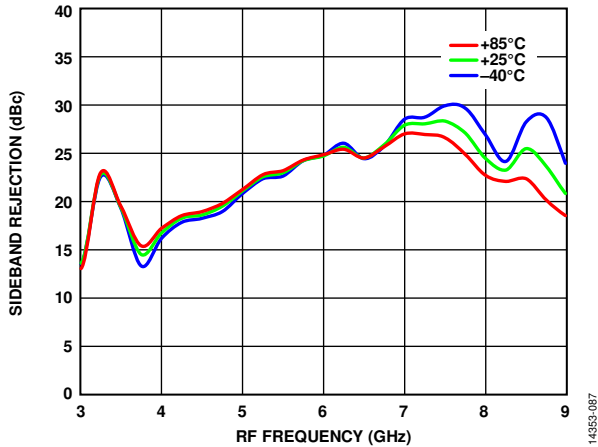


Figure 85. Sideband Rejection vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

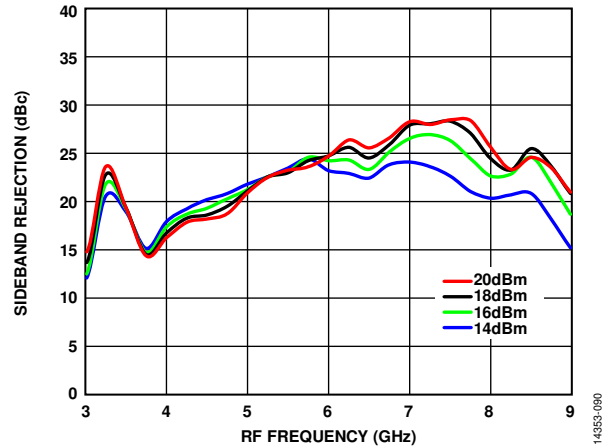


Figure 88. Sideband Rejection vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

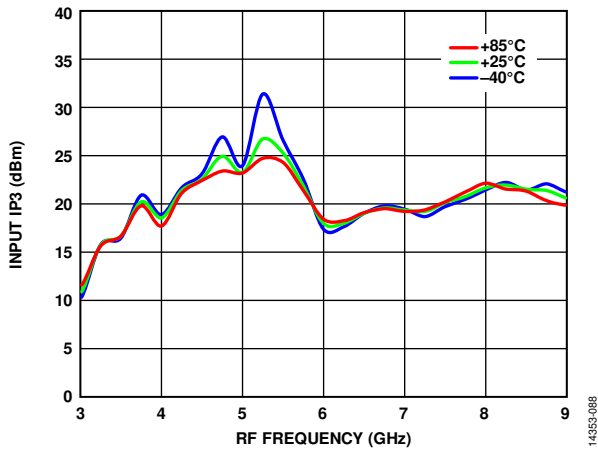


Figure 86. Input IP3 vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

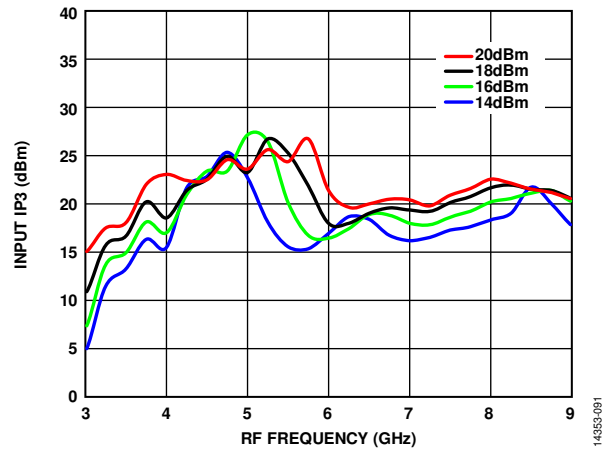


Figure 89. Input IP3 vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

**Upconverter Performance at IF = 3500 MHz, Upper Sideband**

Data taken at LO drive = 18 dBm and T<sub>A</sub> = 25°C, unless otherwise noted.

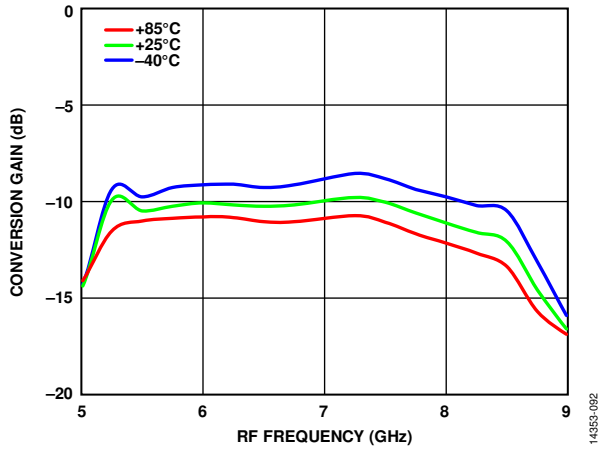


Figure 90. Conversion Gain vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

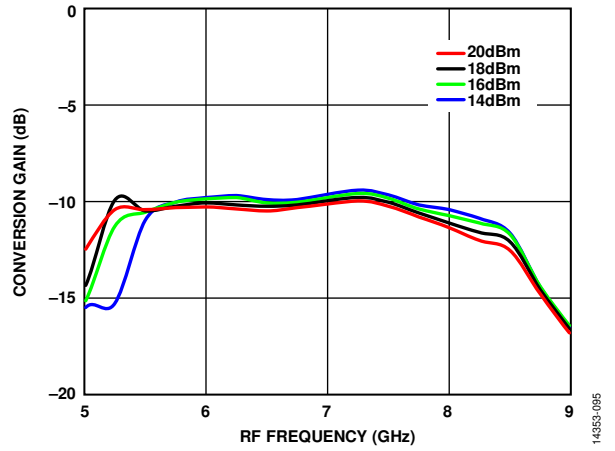


Figure 92. Conversion Gain vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

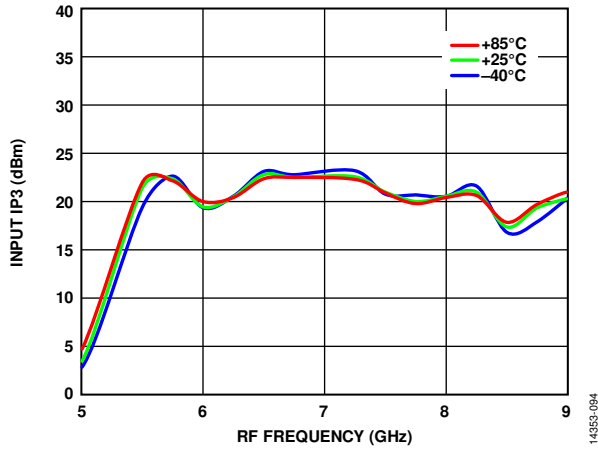


Figure 91. Input IP3 vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

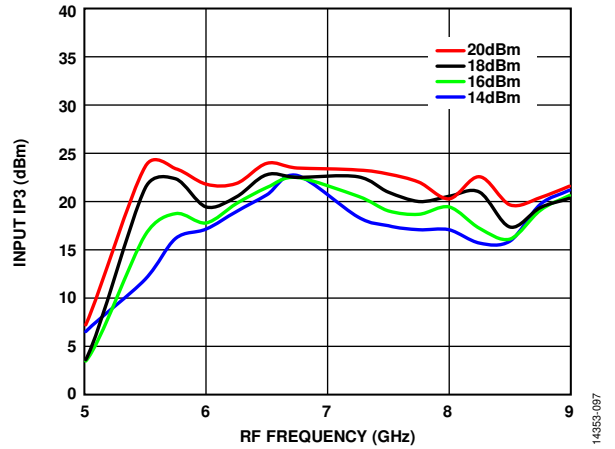


Figure 93. Input IP3 vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives



**ISOLATION AND RETURN LOSS**

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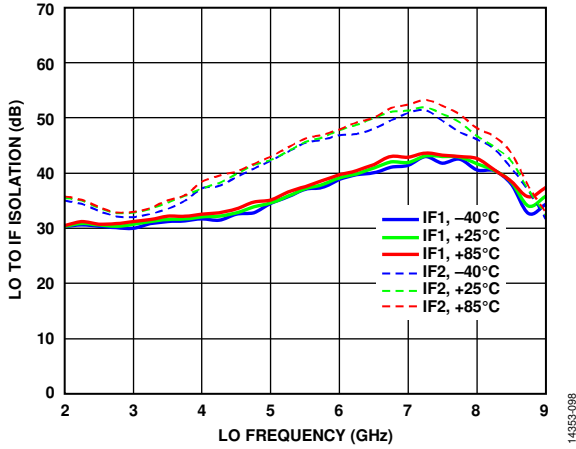


Figure 94. LO to IF Isolation vs. LO Frequency at Various Temperatures

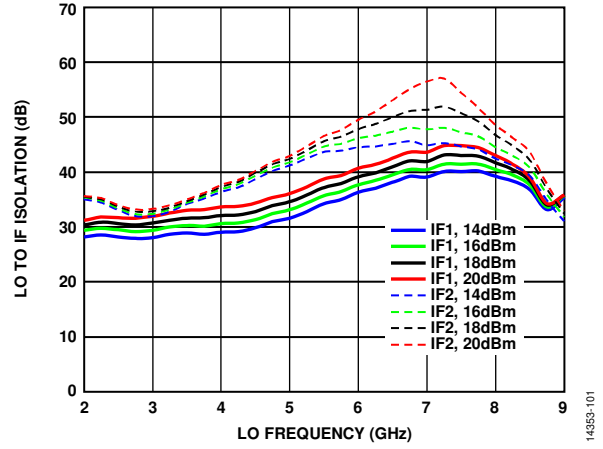


Figure 97. LO to IF Isolation vs. LO Frequency at Various LO Drives

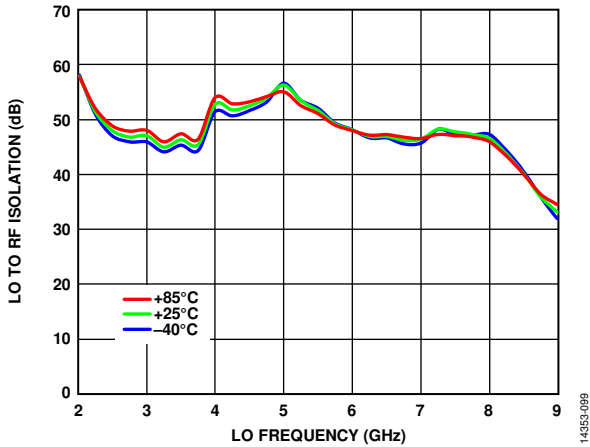


Figure 95. LO to RF Isolation vs. LO Frequency at Various Temperatures

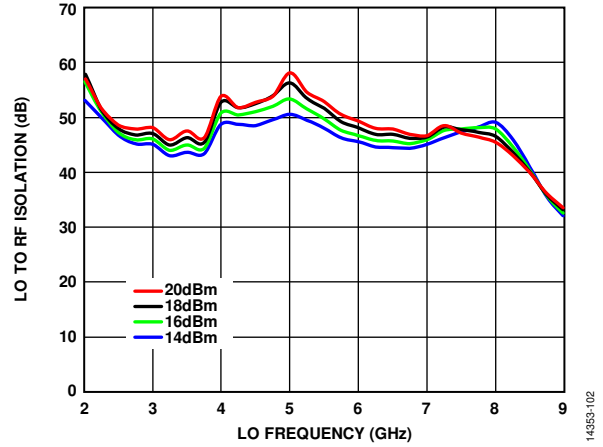


Figure 98. LO to RF Isolation vs. LO Frequency at Various LO Drives

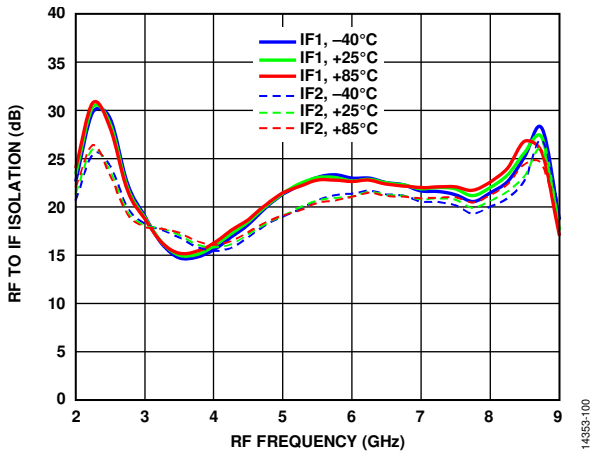


Figure 96. RF to IF Isolation vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures

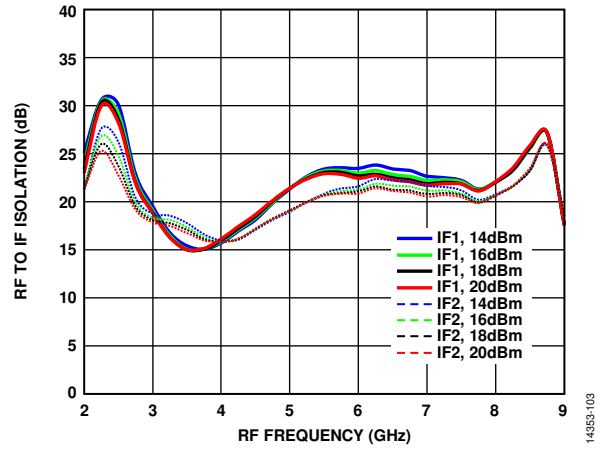


Figure 99. RF to IF Isolation vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives

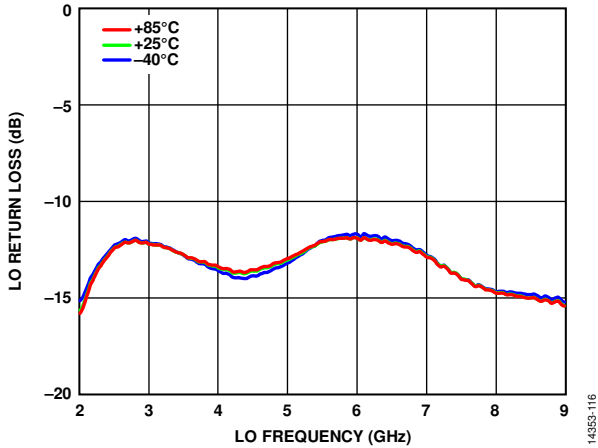


Figure 100. LO Return Loss vs. LO Frequency at Various Temperatures

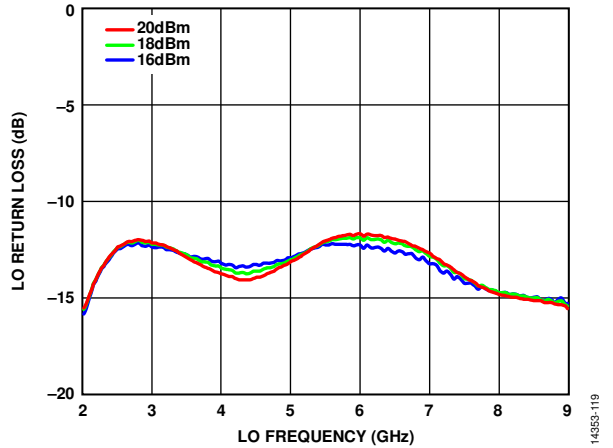


Figure 103. LO Return Loss vs. LO Frequency at Various LO Drives

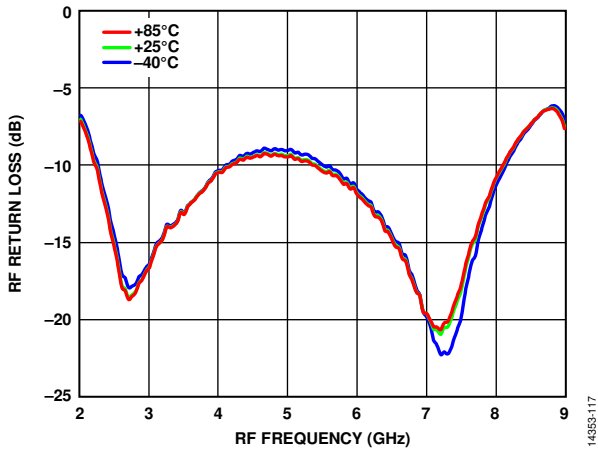


Figure 101. RF Return Loss vs. RF Frequency at Various Temperatures  
LO Frequency = 5.5 GHz

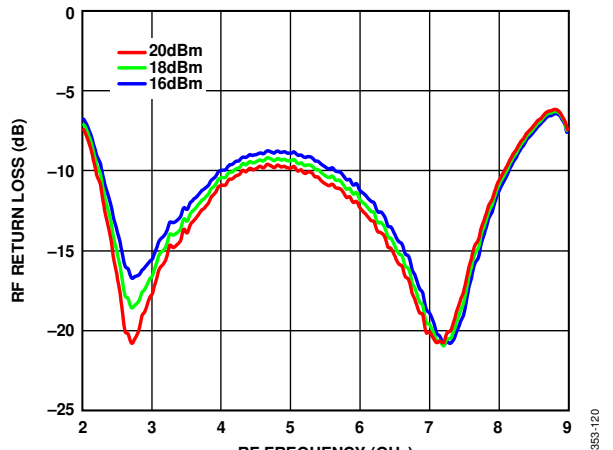


Figure 104. RF Return Loss vs. RF Frequency at Various LO Drives  
LO Frequency = 5.5 GHz

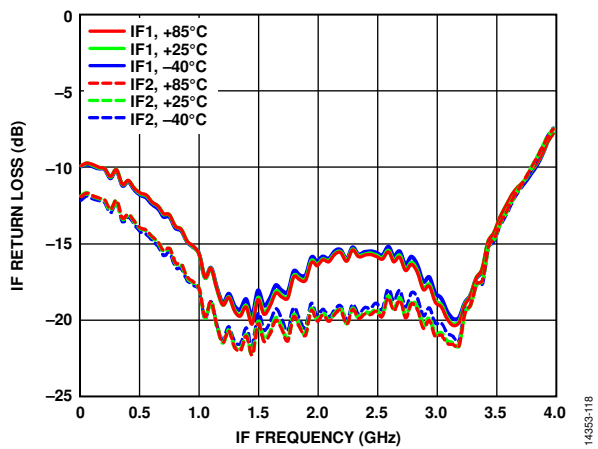


Figure 102. IF Return Loss vs. IF Frequency at Various Temperatures  
LO Frequency = 5.5 GHz

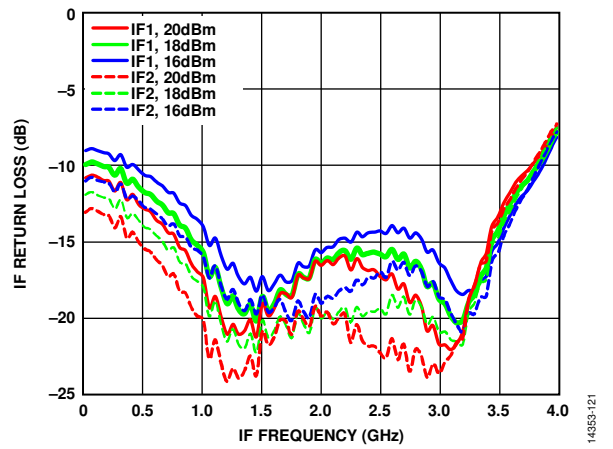


Figure 105. IF Return Loss vs. IF Frequency at Various LO Drives  
LO Frequency = 5.5 GHz