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BIPOLAR ANALOG INTEGRATED CIRCUIT $\mu PC3231GV$

GENERAL PURPOSE 5 V 100 MHz AGC AMPLIFIER

DESCRIPTION

The μ PC3231GV is a silicon monolithic IC designed for use as AGC amplifier for digital CATV, cable modem and digital terrestrial systems. This IC consists of gain control amplifier and video amplifier.

The package is 8-pin SSOP (Shrink Small Outline Package) suitable for surface mount.

This IC is manufactured using our 30 GHz fmax UHS0 (Ultra High Speed Process) silicon bipolar process.

This process uses silicon nitride passivation film. This material can protect chip surface from external pollution and prevent corrosion/migration. Thus, this IC has excellent performance, uniformity and reliability.

FEATURES

- Low distortion : $IM_3 = 53.5 \text{ dBc TYP}$. @ single-ended output, $V_{out} = 105 \text{ dB}\mu V (0.5 V_{P-P}) / \text{tone}$
- Low noise figure : NF = 5.0 dB TYP. @ maximum gain
- Wide AGC dynamic range
- : GCR_{in} = 61 dB TYP. @ input prescribe : V_{out} = 1.0 V_P-p TYP. @ single-ended output
- On-chip video amplifier : Vo
- Supply voltage : Vcc = 5.0 V TYP.
- Packaged in 8-pin SSOP suitable for surface mounting

APPLICATION

• Digital terrestrial TV/Digital CATV/Cable modem receivers

ORDERING INFORMATION

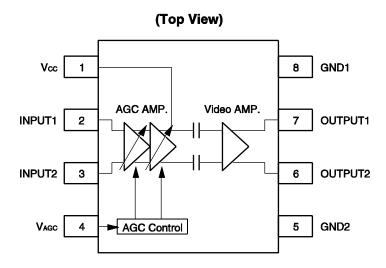
Part Number	Order Number	Package	Marking	Supplying Form
μPC3231GV-E1	μΡC3231GV-E1-A	8-pin plastic SSOP (4.45 mm (175)) (Pb-Free)	3231	 Embossed tape 8 mm wide Pin 1 indicates pull-out direction of tape Qty 1 kpcs/reel

Remark To order evaluation samples, contact your nearby sales office. Part number for sample order: μ PC3231GV-A

Caution: Observe precautions when handling because these devices are sensitive to electrostatic discharge

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INTERNAL BLOCK DIAGRAM AND PIN CONNECTIONS



PRODUCT LINE-UP OF 5 V AGC AMPLIFIER

Part Number	lcc (mA)	Gмах (dB)	Gміn (dB)	GCR (dB)	NF (dB)	IM₃ (dBc)	Package
μPC3217GV	23	53	0	53	6.5	50 Note1	8-pin SSOP (4.45 mm (175))
μPC3218GV	23	63	10	53	3.5	50 Note1	
μPC3219GV	36.5	42.5	0	42.5	9.0	58 Note1	
μPC3221GV	33	60	10	50	4.2	56 Note1	
μPC3231GV	36	65	4	61	5.0	53.5 ^{Note2}	

Notes 1. f1 = 44 MHz, f2 = 45 MHz, $V_{out} = 0.7 V_{p-p}$ /tone, single-ended output **2.** f1 = 44 MHz, f2 = 45 MHz, $V_{out} = 0.5 V_{p-p}$ /tone, single-ended output

PIN EXPLANATIONS

Pin No.	Pin Name	Applied Voltage (V)	Pin Voltage (V) ^{Note}	Function and Application	Internal Equivalent Circuit
1	Vcc	4.5 to 5.5	-	Power supply pin. This pin should be externally equipped with bypass capacitor to minimize ground impedance.	
2	INPUT1	_	1.32	Signal input pins to AGC amplifier. This pin should be coupled with capacitor for DC cut.	AGC Control
3	INPUT2	_	1.32		
4	Vage	0 to Vcc	_	Gain control pin. This pin's bias govern the AGC output level. Minimum Gain at V _{AGC} : 0 to 0.1 V Maximum Gain at V _{AGC} : 2.7 to 3.3 V Recommended to use AGC voltage with externally resister (example: 1 kΩ).	1 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4
5	GND2	0	_	Ground pin. This pin should be connected to system ground with minimum inductance. Ground pattern on the board should be formed as wide as possible.	
6	OUTPUT2	-	1.91	Signal output pins of video amplifier. This pin should be coupled with capacitor for DC cut.	
7	OUTPUT1	_	1.91		
8	GND1	0	_	Ground pin. This pin should be connected to system ground with minimum inductance. Ground pattern on the board should be formed as wide as possible. All ground pins must be connected together with wide ground pattern to decrease impedance difference.	

Note Pin voltage is measured at Vcc = 5.0 V.

ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

Parameter	Symbol	Test Conditions	Ratings	Unit
Supply Voltage	Vcc	T _A = +25°C	6.0	V
Gain Control Voltage Range	VAGC	T _A = +25°C	0 to Vcc	V
Power Dissipation	PD	T _A = +85°C Note	250	mW
Storage Temperature	Tstg		-55 to +150	°C

Note Mounted on double-sided copper-clad 50 \times 50 \times 1.6 mm epoxy glass PWB

RECOMMENDED OPERATING RANGE

Parameter	Symbol	Test Conditions	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	Unit
Supply Voltage	Vcc		4.5	5.0	5.5	V
Operating Ambient Temperature	TA	Vcc = 4.5 to 5.5 V	-40	+25	+85	°C
Gain Control Voltage Range	VAGC		0	-	3.3	V
Operating Frequency Range	fвw		30	I	90	MHz

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

(TA = +25°C, Vcc = 5 V, f = 45 MHz, Zs = 50 Ω , ZL = 250 Ω , single-ended output)

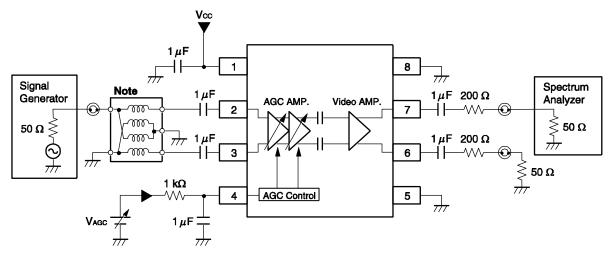
Parameter	Symbol	Test Conditions		MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	Unit
DC Characteristics							
Circuit Current	lcc	Vcc = 5 V, No input signal	Note 1	28	36	44	mA
AGC Voltage High Level	VAGC (H)	@ Maximum gain	Note 1	2.7	-	3.3	V
AGC Voltage Low Level	VAGC (L)	@ Minimum gain	Note 1	0	-	0.1	V
RF Characteristics							
IF Input Voltage Range	fıFin	fc = -3 dB	Note 1	30	-	90	MHz
Maximum Voltage Gain	Gмах	$V_{AGC} = 2.7 V$, $P_{in} = -60 dBm$	Note 1	62.5	65	67.5	dB
Minimum Voltage Gain	Gmin	$V_{AGC} = 0.1 V$, $P_{in} = -30 dBm$	Note 1	0	4	7	dB
Gain Control Range (input prescribe)	GCRin	VAGC = 0.1 to 2.7 V	Note 1	55.5	61	-	dB
Gain Control Range (output prescribe)	GCRout	Vout = 1.0 Vp-p	Note 1	45	55	-	dB
Output Voltage	Vout	$P_{in} = -61$ to -6 dBm	Note 1	-	1.0	-	V _{p-p}
Maximum Output Voltage	Voclip	Vagc = 3.0 V	Note 1	2.0	3.3	-	V _{p-p}
Noise Figure	NF	Vagc = 3.0 V	Note 2	-	5.0	6.5	dB
3rd Order Intermodulation Distortion	IM3	f1 = 44 MHz, f2 = 45 MHz, $P_{in} = -20 \text{ dBm/tone},$ $V_{out} = 105 \text{ dB}\mu V (0.5 V_{P-P}) / \text{tone}$	e Note 1	50	53.5	_	dBc
Input Impedance	Zin	VAGC = 0 V	Note 3	-	1.35//6	_	kΩ//pF

Notes 1. By measurement circuit 1

2. By measurement circuit 2

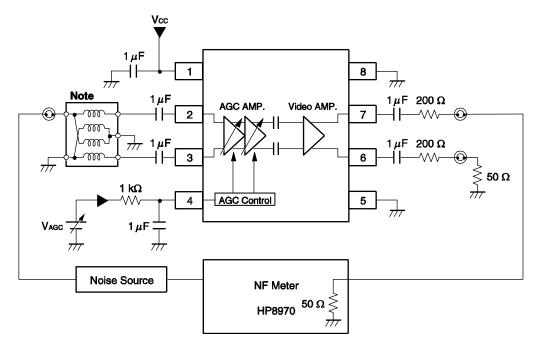
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MEASUREMENT CIRCUIT 1



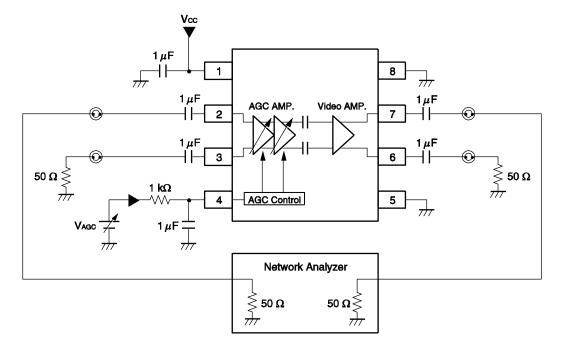
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MEASUREMENT CIRCUIT 2

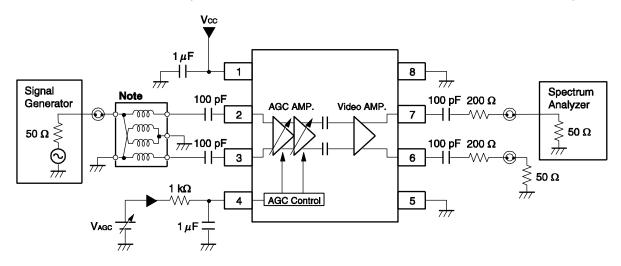


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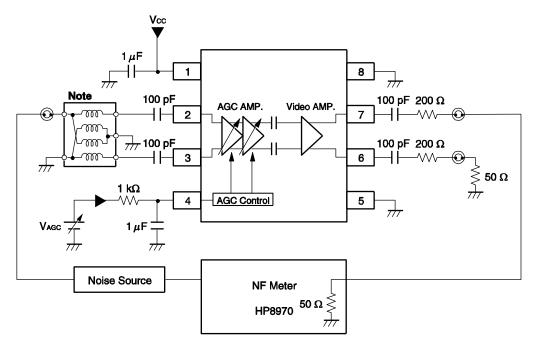
MEASUREMENT CIRCUIT 3



MEASUREMENT CIRCUIT 4 (PRESSURE IMPROVEMENT RECOMMENDATION CIRCUIT)



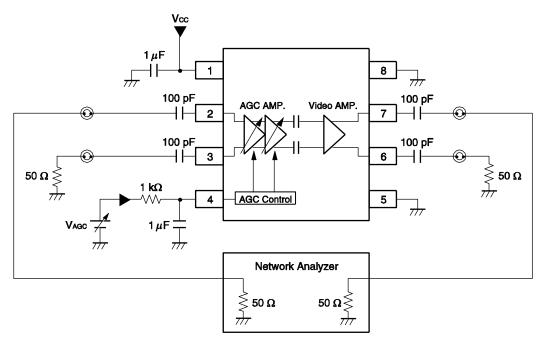
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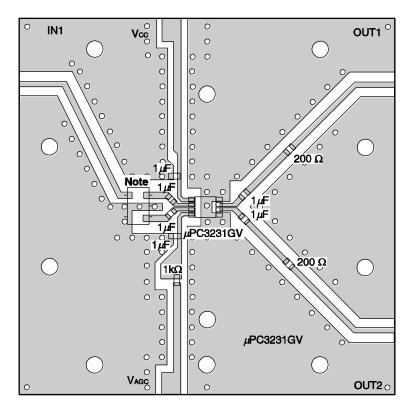
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MEASUREMENT CIRCUIT 6 (PRESSURE IMPROVEMENT RECOMMENDATION CIRCUIT)



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ILLUSTRATION OF THE TEST CIRCUIT ASSEMBLED ON EVALUATION BOARD (MEASUREMENT CIRCUIT 1)

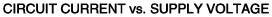


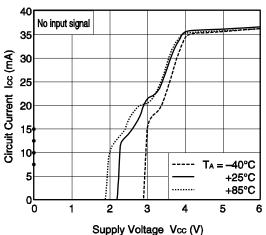
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Remarks

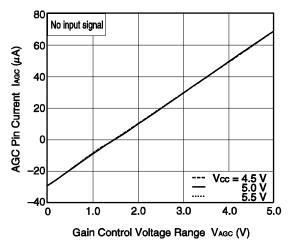
- 1. Back side: GND pattern
- 2. Au plated on pattern
- 3. \circ O: Through hole

TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS (TA = +25°C , unless otherwise specified)

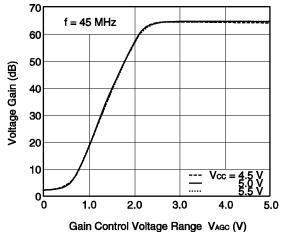




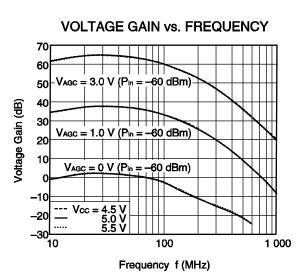
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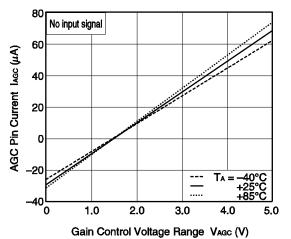
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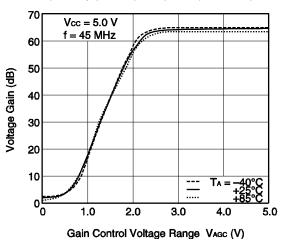
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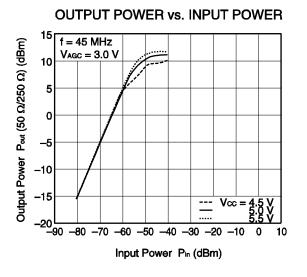


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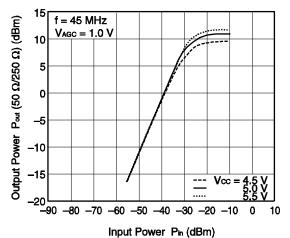


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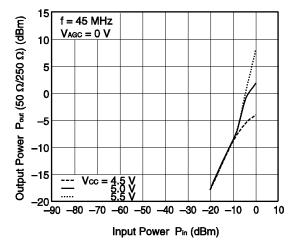




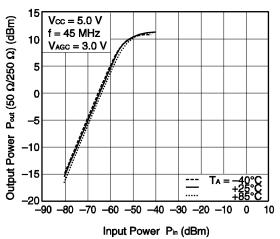
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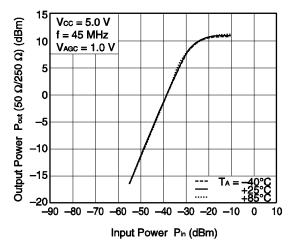
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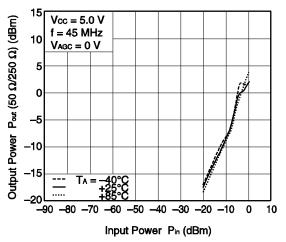
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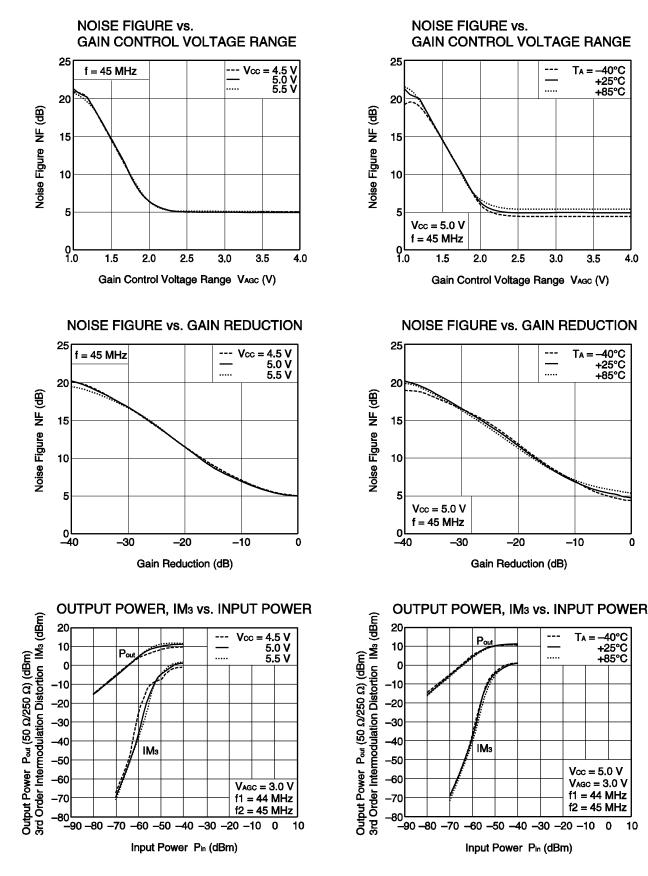
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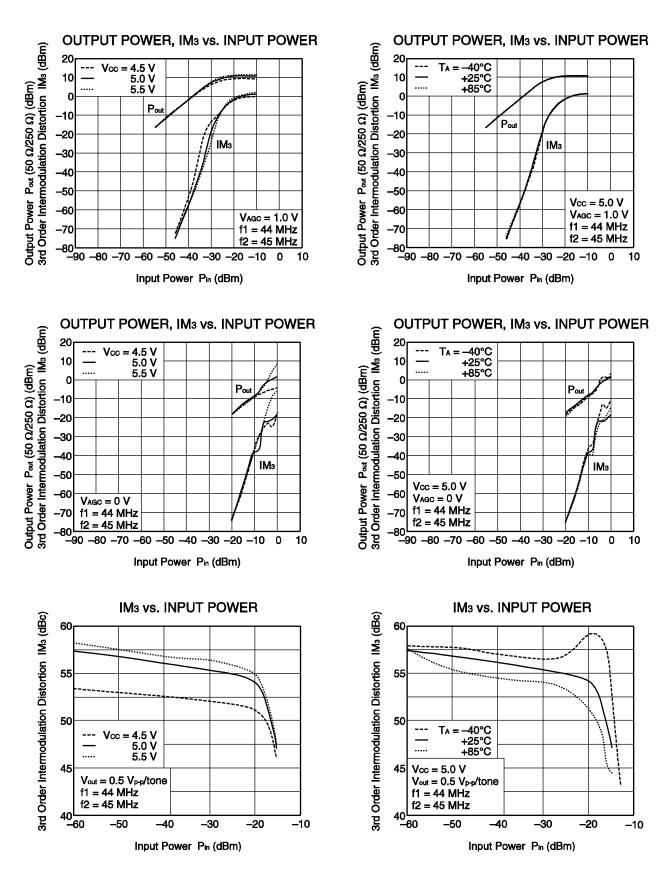




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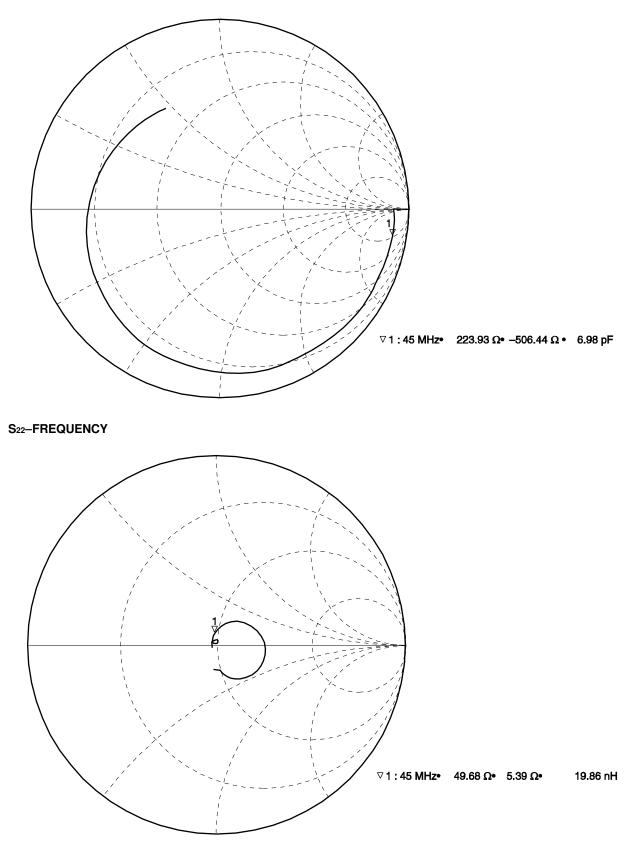
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S-PARAMETERS (TA = +25°C, Vcc = 5.0 V, VAGc = 0 V)

S11-FREQUENCY

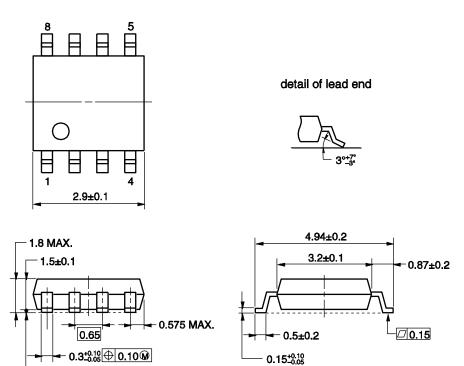


Data Sheet PU10658EJ01V0DS

PACKAGE DIMENSIONS

8-PIN PLASTIC SSOP (4.45 mm (175)) (UNIT: mm)

- 0.1±0.1



NOTES ON CORRECT USE

- (1) Observe precautions for handling because of electro-static sensitive devices.
- (2) Form a ground pattern as widely as possible to minimize ground impedance (to prevent undesired oscillation).

All the ground pins must be connected together with wide ground pattern to decrease impedance difference.

(3) The bypass capacitor should be attached to Vcc line.

RECOMMENDED SOLDERING CONDITIONS

This product should be soldered and mounted under the following recommended conditions. For soldering methods and conditions other than those recommended below, contact your nearby sales office.

Soldering Method	Soldering Conditions	Condition Symbol	
Infrared Reflow	Peak temperature (package surface temperature) Time at peak temperature Time at temperature of 220°C or higher Preheating time at 120 to 180°C Maximum number of reflow processes Maximum chlorine content of rosin flux (% mass)	: 260°C or below : 10 seconds or less : 60 seconds or less : 120±30 seconds : 3 times : 0.2%(Wt.) or below	IR260
Wave Soldering	Peak temperature (molten solder temperature) Time at peak temperature Preheating temperature (package surface temperature) Maximum number of flow processes Maximum chlorine content of rosin flux (% mass)	: 260°C or below : 10 seconds or less : 120°C or below : 1 time : 0.2%(Wt.) or below	WS260
Partial Heating	Peak temperature (pin temperature) Soldering time (per side of device) Maximum chlorine content of rosin flux (% mass)	: 350°C or below : 3 seconds or less : 0.2%(Wt.) or below	HS350

Caution Do not use different soldering methods together (except for partial heating).