

**FEATURES**

- **CIC suitable package size**
- **low distortion compression limiting**
- **38dB maximum system gain, adjustable over a 38dB range**
- **output compression threshold, adjustable over 16dB range**
- **2nd order active low cut filter adjustable from 530Hz to 2.0kHz**
- **designed to drive a class D integrated receiver**
- **averaging detector**
- **flexibility to add high cut filter**

**DESCRIPTION**

The GS3044 CIC hybrid features AGC-O capability for low distortion output limiting with an active low cut filter in a package size suitable for CIC instruments. The circuit consists of an AGC preamplifier and output stage, capable of driving a class D integrated receiver. The compression control circuit, connected between the input and output of the AGC preamplifier, varies the current controlled resistance. It operates with an 8:1 compression ratio and uses an averaging detector with a time constant of 270ms, selected to provide optimal sound quality over a full range of sound and listening environments. The actual attack and release times are typically 40ms and 150ms respectively when the circuit is fully in the compression region of operation (measured times vary depending on gain and threshold settings).

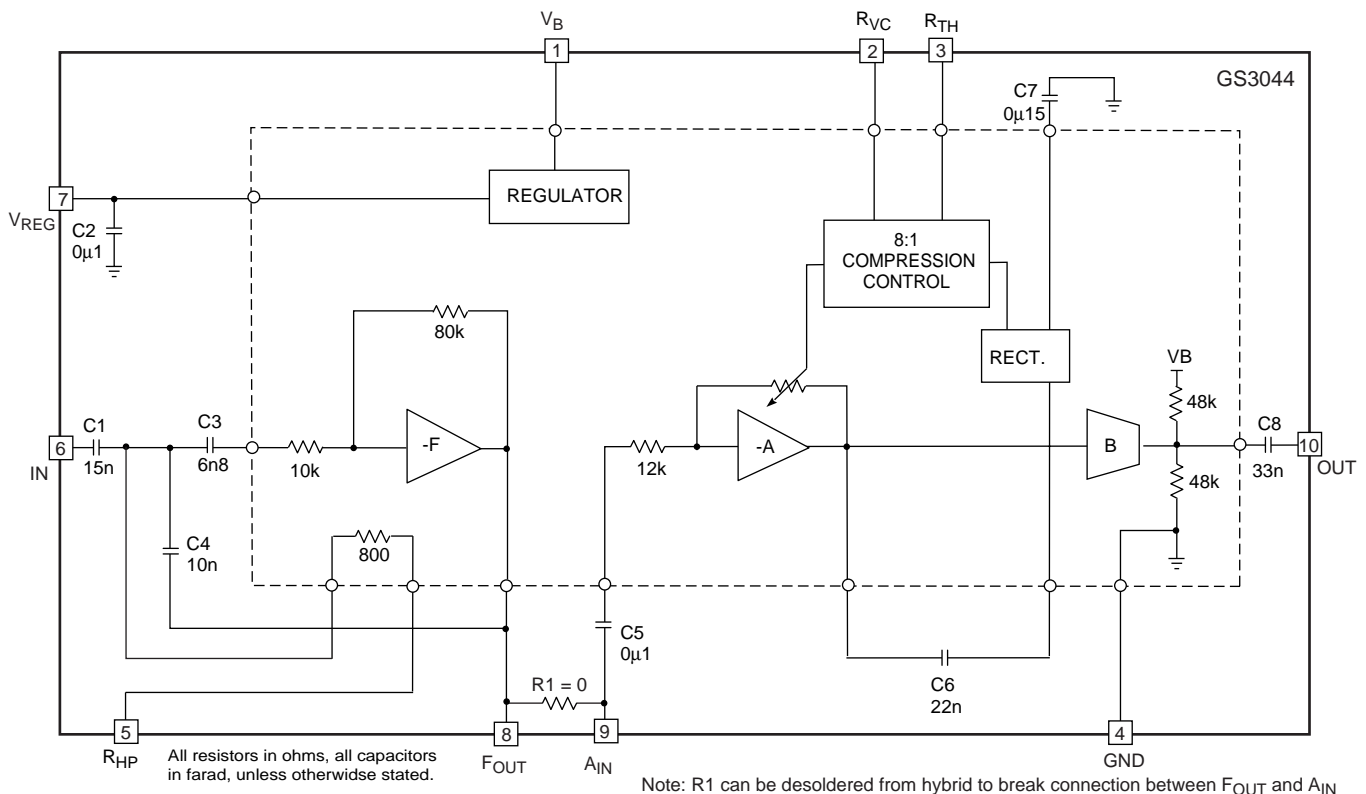
**STANDARD PACKAGING**

Hybrid typical dimensions:

0.180 x 0.110 x 0.070 in.

(4.57 x 2.79 x 1.78 mm)

The system gain, compression control and filter corner frequency can be adjusted by choosing three independent resistors or 100k trimmers. Maximum system gain is 38dB. It can be adjusted within a 38dB range. The output compression threshold can be adjusted within a 16dB range. The filter's corner frequency can be adjusted from 530Hz to 2kHz.



**BLOCK DIAGRAM**

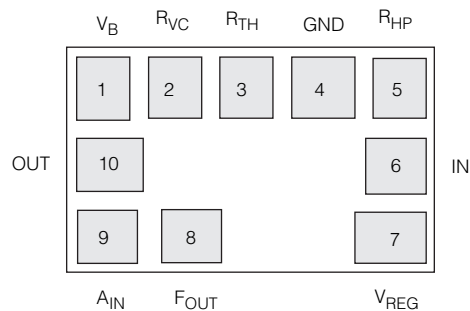
## ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

PARAMETER	VALUE
Supply Voltage	3 VDC
Power Dissipation	25 mW
Operating Temperature Range	-10° C to 40° C
Storage Temperature Range	-20° C to 70° C

**CAUTION**  
ELECTROSTATIC  
SENSITIVE DEVICES  
DO NOT OPEN PACKAGES OR HANDLE  
EXCEPT AT A STATIC-FREE WORKSTATION



## PAD CONNECTION



## ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

CONDITIONS: Frequency = 1 kHz, Temperature = 25°C, Supply Voltage  $V_B = 1.3$  V

PARAMETER	SYMBOL	CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS
Hybrid Current	$I_{AMP}$		-	235	340	$\mu$ A
Minimum Voltage	$V_B$		-	-	1.1	V
Total Harmonic Distortion	THD	$V_{IN} = -60$ dBV	-	0.5	1.0	%
Input Referred Noise	IRN	A weighted, $R_{HP} = 100$ k $\Omega$	-	4.4	-	$\mu$ V <sub>RMS</sub>
System Gain at Peak	$A_V$	Frequency = 2.8kHz, $R_{HP} = 100$ k $\Omega$	35	38	41	dB
Relative Gain at Peak with Low Cut, Note 3	$\Delta A_V$	Frequency = 2.8kHz, $R_{HP} = 0$	-	-1.0	-	dB
Relative Gain at 500Hz, Note 3	$\Delta A_{LF}$	Frequency = 500Hz, $R_{HP} = 100$ k $\Omega$	-	-3.0	-	dB
Relative Gain at 500Hz with Low Cut, Note 3	$\Delta A_{LC}$	Frequency = 500Hz, $R_{HP} = 0$	-27	-23	-19	dB
Relative Gain at 5kHz, Note 3	$\Delta A_{HF}$	Frequency = 5kHz, $R_{HP} = 100$ k $\Omega$	-	-3.0	-	dB
Regulator Voltage	$V_{REG}$		890	935	1000	mV
Power Supply Rejection Ratio	PSRR		49	56	-	dB
<b>AGC</b>						
Maximum Threshold (O/P Referred)	$TH_{MAX}$	$V_{IN} = -60$ dBV, Note 2	-43	-41	-39	dBV
Minimum Threshold (O/P Referred)	$TH_{MIN}$	$V_{IN} = -70$ dBV, $R_{TH} = 100$ k, Note 2	-59	-57	-55	dBV
VC Gain Range	$\Delta A_{VC}$	$R_{VC} = 100$ k $\Omega$ to 0 $\Omega$	35	38	41	dB
Compression Ratio High Threshold	CMP-H	$V_{IN} = -60$ dBV to -30dBV, $R_{TH} = 0$	8.0	9.0	10.0	ratio
Compression Ratio Low Threshold	CMP-L	$V_{IN} = -70$ dBV to -40dBV, $R_{TH} = 100$ k $\Omega$	6.5	7.3	9.0	ratio
Stage A Gain	$A_A$	$V_{IN} = -70$ dBV	24	27	30	dB
Compression Gain Range	$A_{RANGE}$	Note 1	47	53	55	dB
AGC Time Constant	$\tau_{AGC}$		-	270	-	ms
<b>OUTPUT STAGE</b>						
Gain	$A_B$		-	11	-	dB
Output Resistance	$R_{OP}$		-	24	-	k $\Omega$
<b>FILTER</b>						
Minimum Corner Frequency	$f_{C\_MIN}$		-	530	-	Hz
Maximum Corner Frequency	$f_{C\_MAX}$		-	2	-	kHz

All parameters and switches remain as shown in the Test Circuit unless otherwise stated in the CONDITIONS column.

NOTE: 1.  $A_{RANGE} = A_A - A_{AL}$  [ $V_{IN} = -20$ dBV,  $R_{TH} = 100$ k]  
2. Measured at output of Stage A  
3. Relative to System Gain at Peak

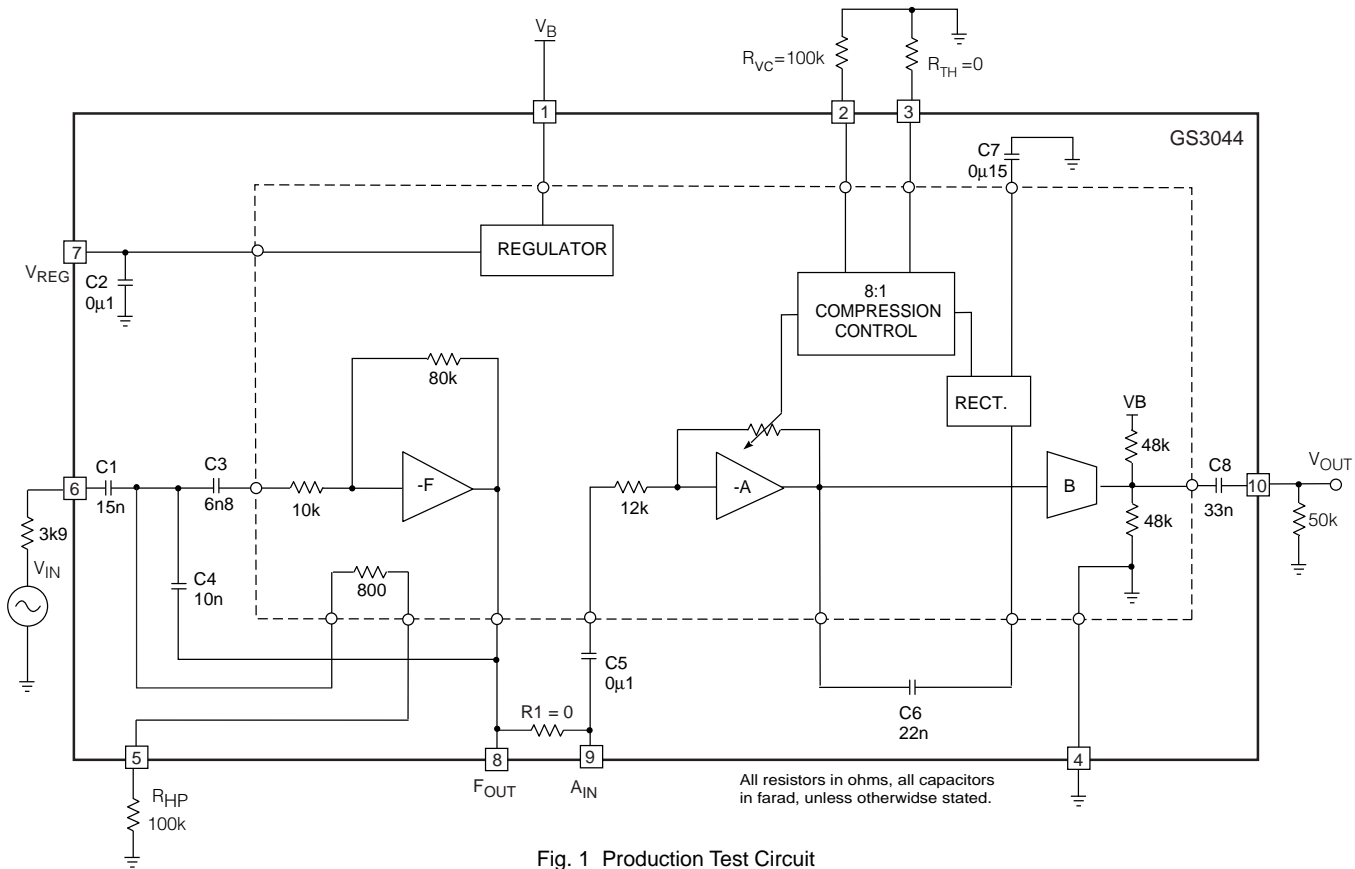


Fig. 1 Production Test Circuit

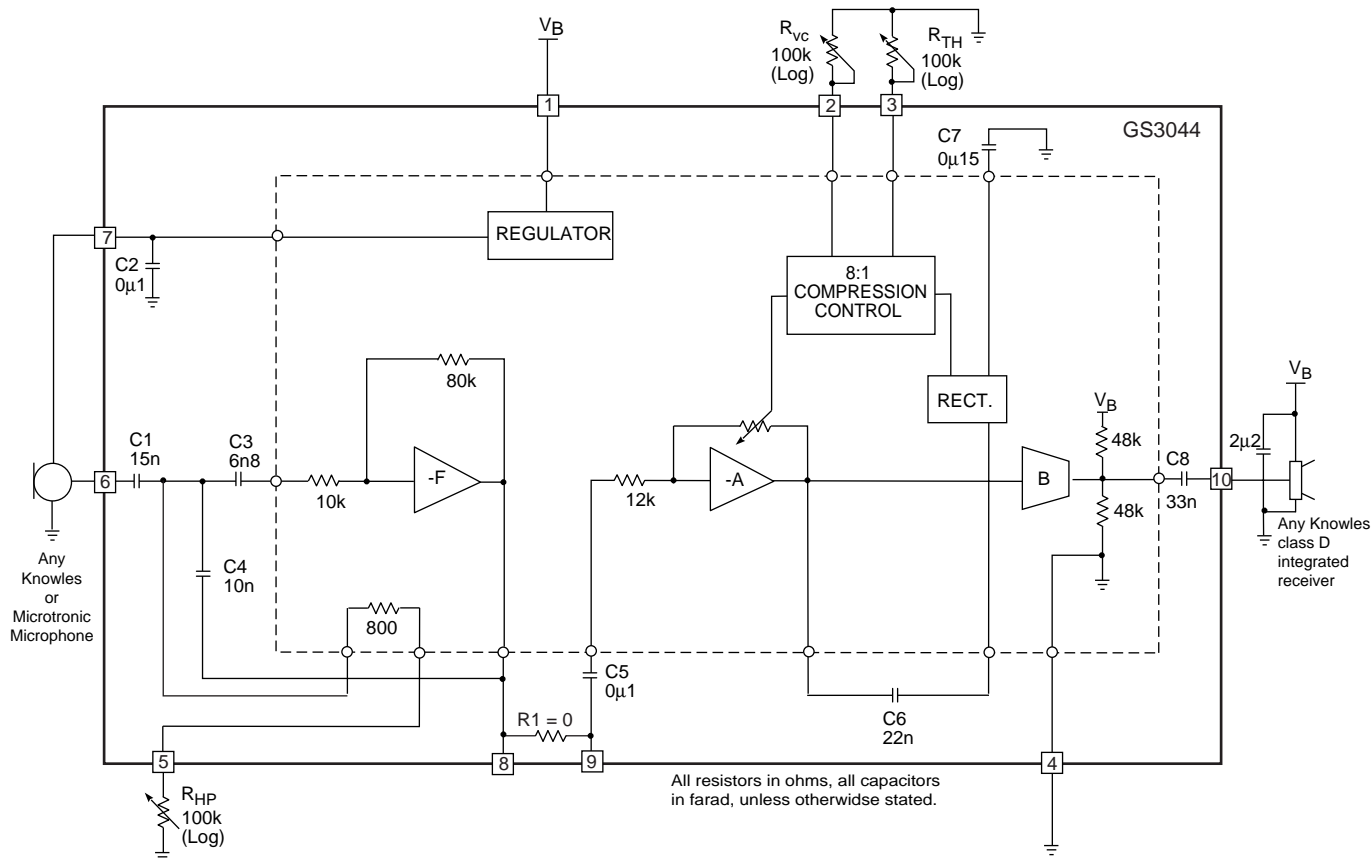


Fig. 2 Typical Application Circuit

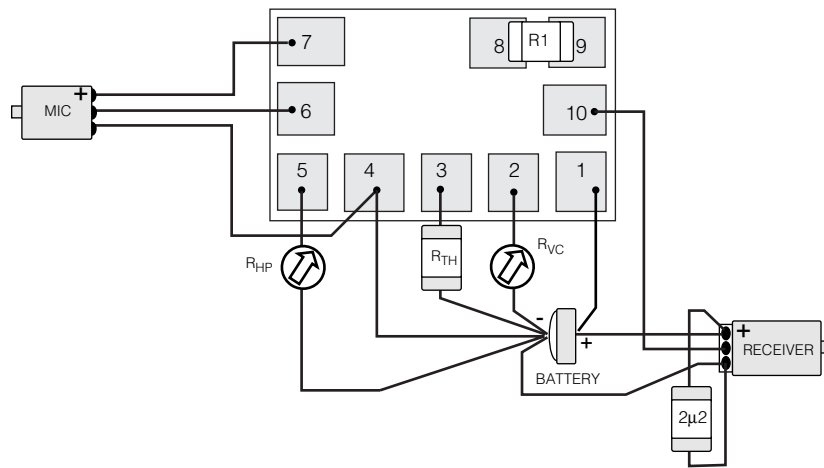


Fig. 3 Typical Hearing Instrument Assembly Diagram

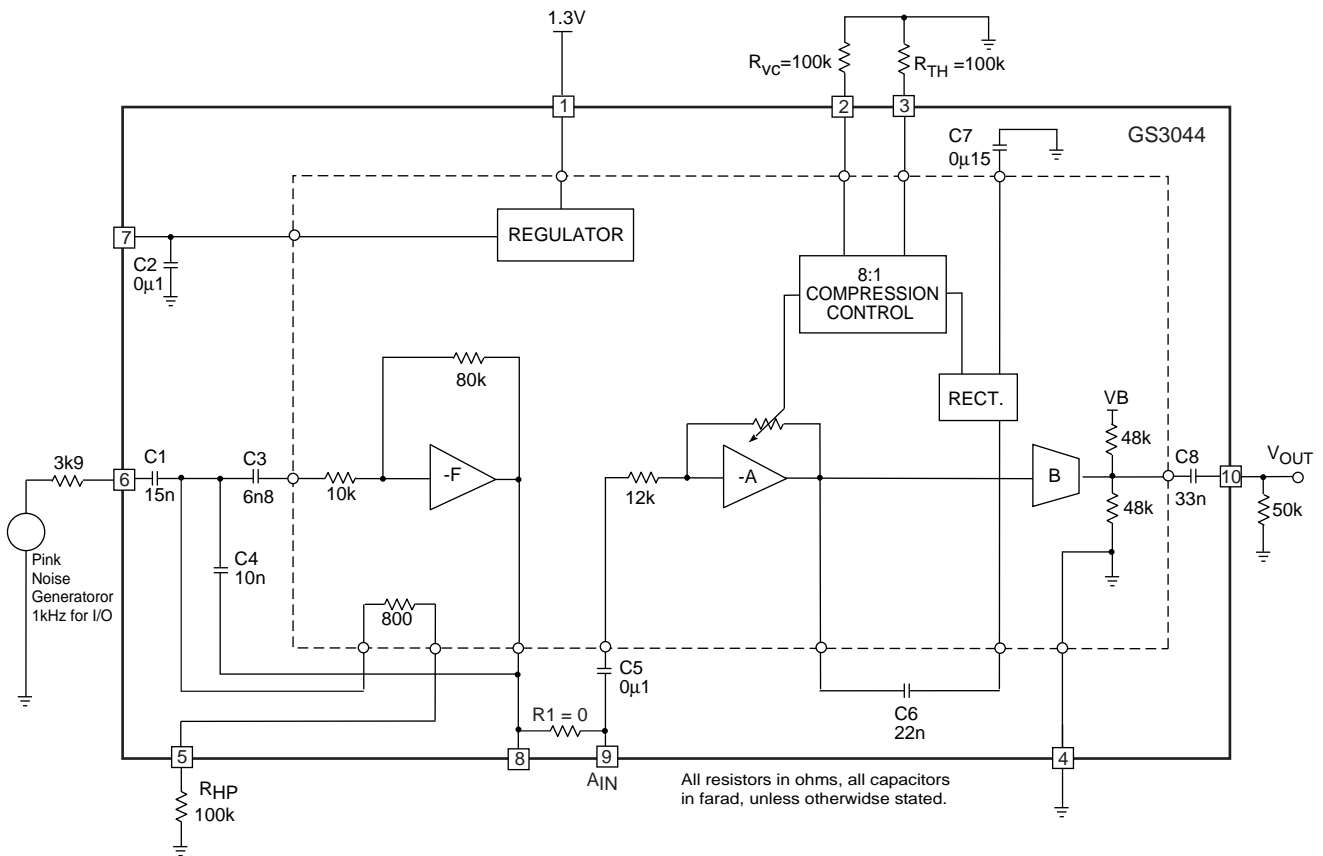


Fig. 4 Characterization Circuit (used to generate typical curves)

## TYPICAL PERFORMANCE CURVES

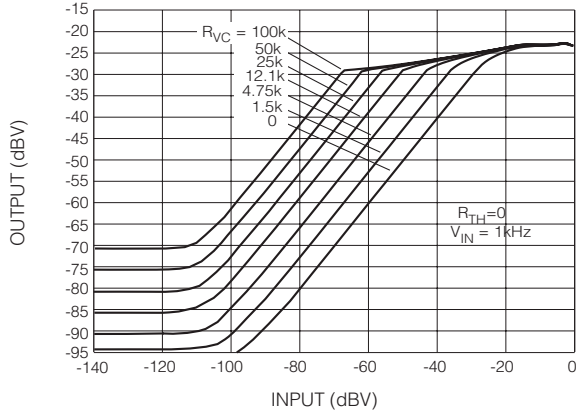


Fig. 5 Input vs Output Volume Control Settings

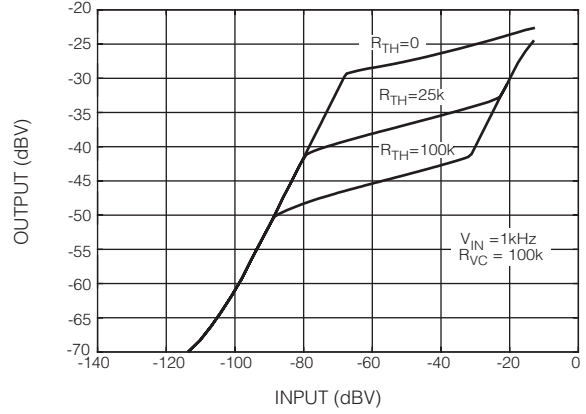


Fig. 6 Input vs Output Threshold Settings

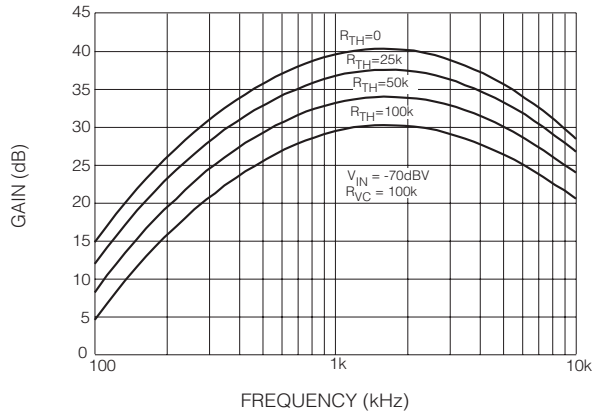


Fig. 7 Frequency Response vs  $R_{TH}$

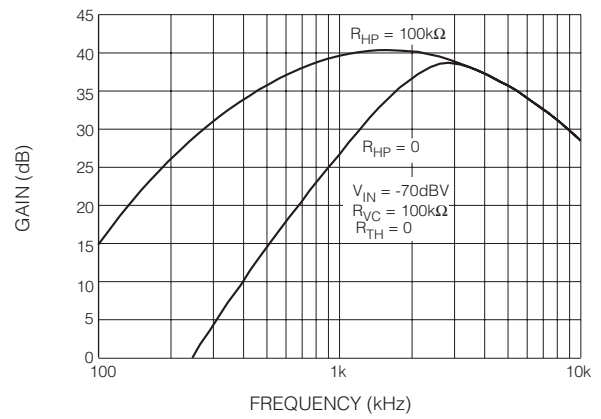


Fig. 8 Frequency Response vs  $R_{HP}$

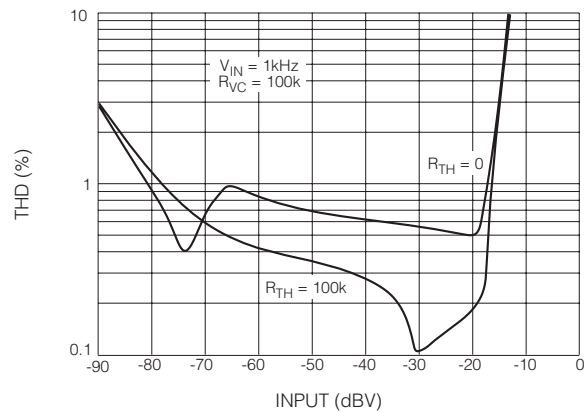


Fig. 9 THD vs Input

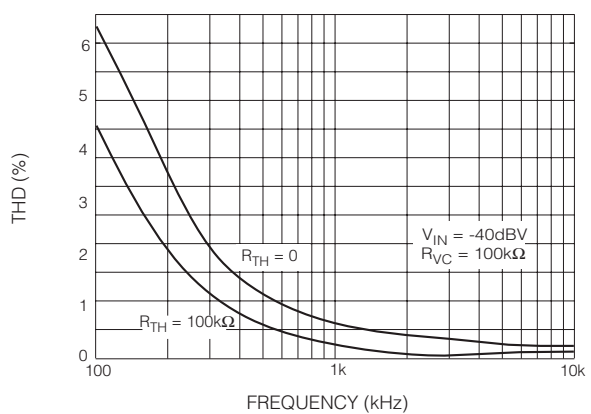
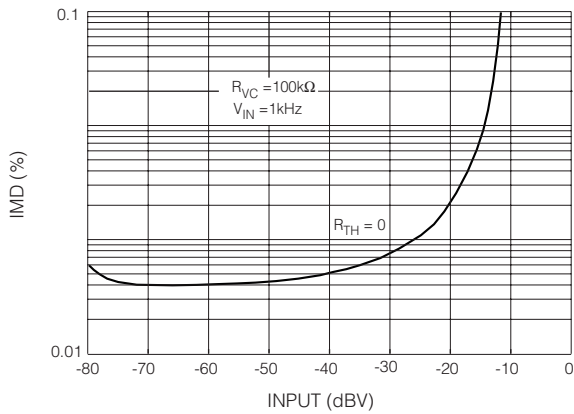
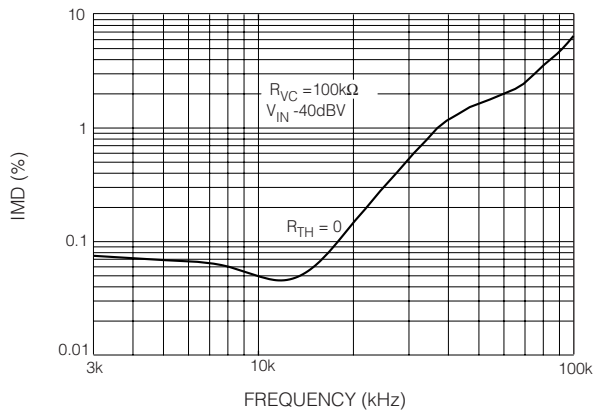


Fig. 10 THD vs Frequency

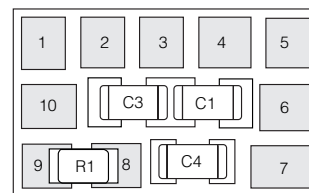
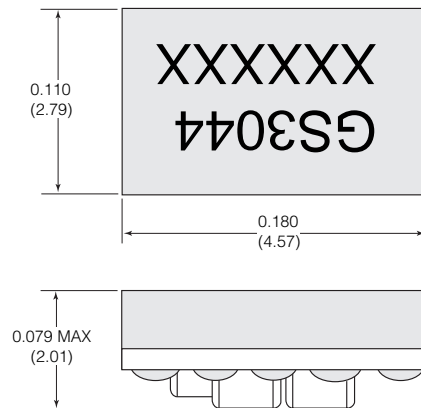


**Fig. 11 Intermodulation distortion vs Input**



**Fig. 12 Intermodulation Distortion vs Frequency**

**PACKAGE DIMENSIONS**



Dimensions are in inches.  
 Dimensions shown in parenthesis are in millimeters, converted from inches and include minor rounding errors.  
 1.0000 inches = 25.400mm.  
 Dimension tolerances ±0.003 (+0.08) unless otherwise stated.  
 Minimum Pad size: 0.027 x 0.026in (0.68 x 0.71mm)  
 XXXXXX - work order number.  
 This hybrid is designed for point-to-point manual soldering.

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**REVISION NOTES:**  
 Updated to Data Sheet; Correction to Figure 7.