



GaAs MMIC FUNDAMENTAL MIXER 3 - 11 GHz

Typical Applications

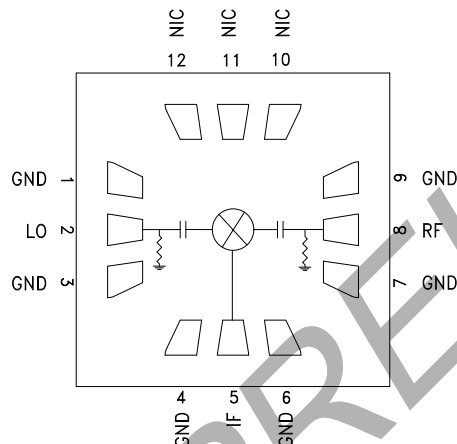
The HMC787ALC3B is ideal for:

- WiMAX Infrastructure
- Microwave Radio
- ISM & UWB Radios
- Test Equipment & Sensors
- Military End-Use

Features

- Conversion Loss: 8.8 dB
- LO to RF Isolation: 56 dB
- LO to IF Isolation: 44 dB
- RF to IF Isolation: 23 dB
- Input Third-Order Intercept (IP3): 23 dBm
- Input Second-Order Intercept (IP2): 62 dBm
- Input Power for 1 dB Compression (P1dB): 15 dBm
- Passive Double-Balanced Topology
- Wide IF Bandwidth: DC - 4 GHz
- No External Matching Required
- 12 Lead 3 mm x 3 mm SMT Package

Functional Diagram



General Description

The HMC787ALC3B is a general purpose double balanced mixer in a leadless RoHS compliant SMT package that can be used as an upconverter or downconverter between 3 and 11 GHz. This mixer is fabricated in a GaAs MESFET process and requires no external components or matching circuitry. The HMC787ALC3B provides excellent LO to RF and LO to IF isolation due to optimized balun structures and operates with LO drive level of 17 dBm. The ceramic SMT package eliminates the need for wire bonding and is compatible with high volume surface mount manufacturing techniques.

Electrical Specifications, $T_A = +25^\circ\text{C}$, $IF = 100\text{ MHz}$, $LO\text{ Power} = 17\text{ dBm}$ [1]

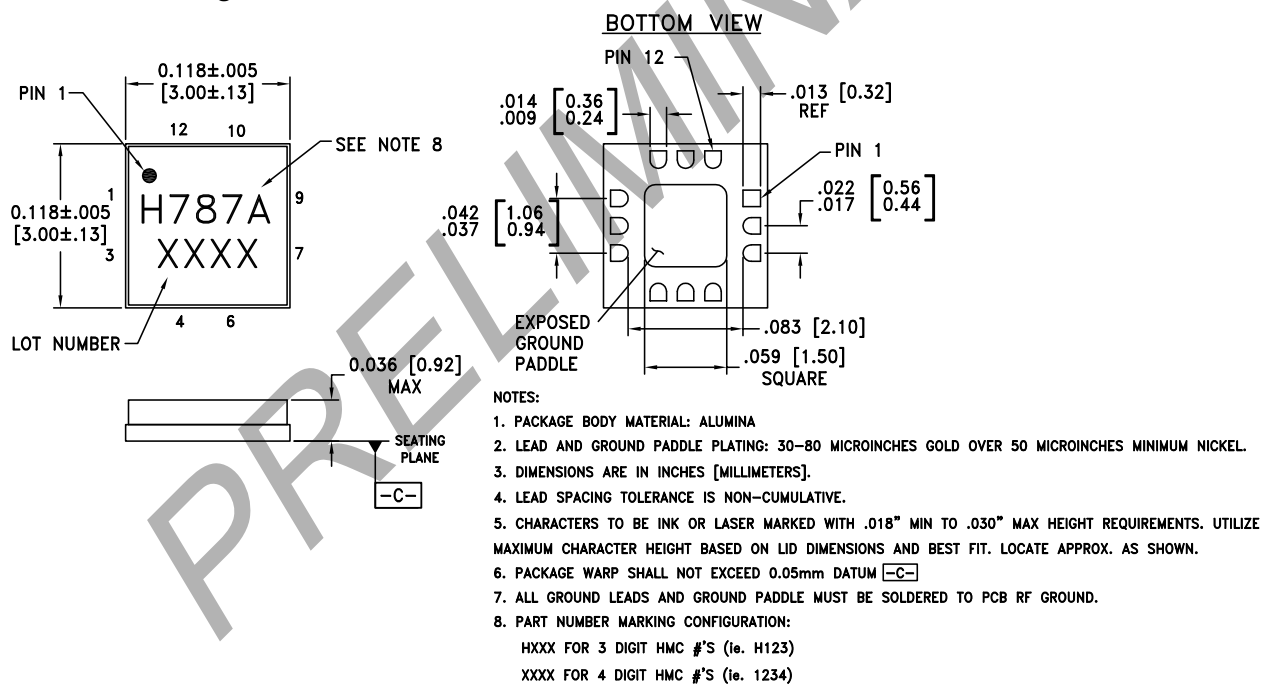
Parameter	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Units
RF Frequency Range	3		11	GHz
LO Frequency Range	3		11	GHz
IF Frequency Range	DC		4	GHz
Conversion Loss		8.8	10	dB
Noise Figure, Single Sideband (SSB)		8.8	10	dB
LO to RF Isolation		56		dB
LO to IF Isolation	32	44		dB
RF to IF Isolation	15	23		dB
Input Third-Order Intercept (IP3)		23		dBm
Input Second-Order Intercept (IP2)		62		dBm
Input Power for 1 dB Gain Compression (P1dB)		15		dBm

[1] Unless otherwise noted, all measurements performed as downconverter with upper sideband selected, $IF = 100\text{ MHz}$

Absolute Maximum Ratings

RF Input	26 dBm
IF Input	26 dBm
LO Drive	26 dBm
Channel Temperature	150 °C
Continuous Pdiss (T = 85 °C) (derate (TBD) mW/°C above 85 °C)	(TBD) mW
Thermal Resistance (R _{TH}) (junction to ground paddle)	(TBD) °C/W
Storage Temperature	-65 to +150 °C
Operating Temperature	-40 to +85 °C

Outline Drawing



Package Information

Part Number	Package Body Material	Lead Finish	MSL Rating ^[2]	Package Marking ^[1]
HMC787ALC3B	RoHS-compliant Low Stress Injection Molded Plastic	100% matte Sn	MSL3	H787A XXXX

[1] 4-Digit lot number XXXX

[2] Max peak reflow temperature of 260 °C

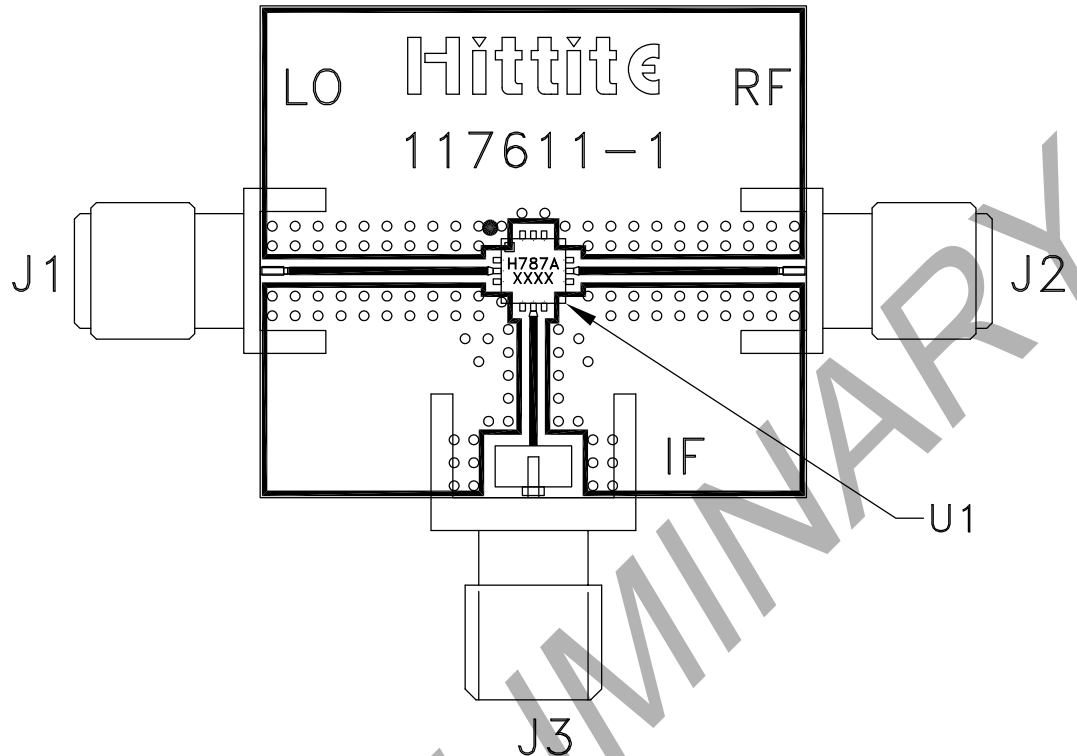


Pin Descriptions

Pin Number	Function	Description	Pin Schematic
1, 3, 4, 6, 7, 9	GND	Ground Connect. These pins and the exposed ground paddle must be connected to RF/dc ground.	
2	LO	Local Oscillator Port. This pin is dc-coupled and matched to 50 Ohms.	
5	IF	Intermediate Frequency Port. This pin is dc-coupled. For applications not requiring operation to dc, block this pin externally using a series capacitor with a value chosen to pass the necessary IF frequency range. For operation to dc, this pin must not source or sink more than 4 mA of current or device non-functionality or device failure may result.	
8	RF	Radio Frequency port. This pin is dc-coupled and matched to 50 Ohms.	
10, 11, 12	NIC	No Internal Connection. These pins are not connected internally.	

PRELIMINARY

Evaluation PCB



Evaluation Order Information

Item	Contents	Part Number
Evaluation PCB Only	HMC787ALC3B Evaluation PCB	EV1HMC787ALC3B [1]

[1] Reference this number when ordering Evaluation PCB Only

List of Materials for Evaluation

Item	Description
J1, J2	SRI SMA Connector
J3	Johnson SMA Connector
U1	HMC787ALC3B
PCB [1]	117611 Evaluation Board

[1] Circuit Board Material: Rogers 4350 or Arlon 25FR

The circuit board used in the application should use RF circuit design techniques. Signal lines should have 50 Ohm impedance while the package ground leads and exposed paddle should be connected directly to the ground plane similar to that shown. A sufficient number of via holes should be used to connect the top and bottom ground planes. The evaluation circuit board shown is available from Analog Devices upon request.