

# 1 V SILICON MMIC FREQUENCY CONVERTER

### UPC8103T UPC8108T

### **FEATURES**

- 1 VOLT SUPPLY VOLTAGE: Vcc = 1~2.0 V
- EXTREMELY LOW CURRENT:

UPC8103T: Icc = 1.0 mA @ 1 V Typical UPC8108T: Icc = 1.5 mA @ 1 V Typical

BANDWIDTH UP TO 930 MHz:

UPC8103T: frF = 150 MHz ~ 330 MHz UPC8108T: frF = 150 MHz ~ 930 MHz

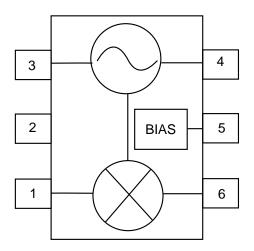
- SUPER SMALL T06 PACKAGE
- TAPE AND REEL PACKAGING AVAILABLE

### **DESCRIPTION**

The UPC8103T and UPC8108T are VHF and UHF low voltage Frequency Downconverters manufactured using the NESAT III MMIC process. Working off a 1 volt supply, the UPC8103T typically draws only 1 mA, while the UPC8108T typically draws 1.5 mA. The UPC8108T operates in the UHF band while the UPC8103T, drawing less current, operates best in the VHF band. Both devices were designed for low power pager applications.

NEC's stringent quality assurance and test procedures ensure the highest reliability and performance.

### INTERNAL BLOCK DIAGRAM



### ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (TA = 25°C, Vcc = 1 V, fif = 20 MHz, Zs = 50 Ω)

PART NUMBER PACKAGE OUTLINE			UPC8103T T06			UPC8108T T06			
SYMBOLS	PARAMETERS AND CONDITIONS		UNITS	MIN	TYP	MAX	MIN	TYP	MAX
Icc	Circuit Current (no signal)		mA	0.55	1	1.4	1.0	1.5	2.1
CG <sup>1</sup>	Conversion Gain	frf = 150 MHz, PLo = -21 dBm	dB	13	16	19	17.5	20.5	23.5
		fRF = 280 MHz, PLO = -21 dBm	dB	12.5	15.5	18.5	17	20	23
		fRF = 330 MHz, PLO = -21 dBm	dB	12.5	15.5	18.5	17	20	23
		fRF = 450 MHz, PLO = -21 dBm	dB				16	19	22
		fRF = 930 MHz, $PLO = -21 dBm$	dB				12	15	18
NF <sup>2</sup>	Noise Figure	frf = 150 MHz, PLo = -21 dBm	dB		13			13	
	•	fRF = 150 MHz, PLO = -10 dBm	dB		9			8.5	
		fRF = 280 MHz, PLO = -21 dBm	dB		11.5			12	
		fRF = 280 MHz, PLO = -10 dBm	dB		8			7	
		fRF = 330 MHz, PLO = -21 dBm	dB		12			13	
		fRF = 330 MHz, PLO = -10 dBm	dB		9			8	
		fRF = 450 MHz, $PLO = -21 dBm$	dB					13.5	
		fRF = 450 MHz, $PLO = -10 dBm$	dB					8	
		fRF = 930 MHz, $PLO = -21 dBm$	dB					18	
		fRF = 930 MHz, PLO = -10 dBm	dB					11.5	

### Notes:

- 1.  $ZL = 2 K\Omega$ , measured using test circuit #1.
- 2.  $ZL = 50 \Omega$ , measured using test circuit #2.

### ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS<sup>1</sup> ( $T_A = 25$ °C)

SYMBOLS	PARAMETERS	UNITS	RATINGS	
Vcc	Supply Voltage	V	4.0	
PD	Power Dissipation <sup>2</sup>	mW	280	
Тор	Operating Temperature	°C	-25 to +75	
Тѕтс	Storage Temperature	°C	-55 to +150	
PRF Maximum RF Input Power		dBm	-25	

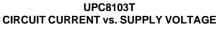
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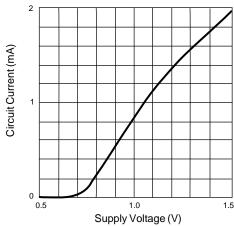
- Operation in excess of any one of these parameters may result in permanent damage.
- 2. Mounted on a 50 x 50 x 1.6 mm epoxy glass PWB (TA = +85°C).

# RECOMMENDED OPERATING CONDITIONS

SYMBOLS	PARAMETERS	UNITS	MIN	TYP	MAX
Vcc	Supply Voltage	V	1.0	1.05	2.0
Тор	Operating Temperature	°C	-25	+25	+75
fRF RF range for UPC8103		MHz	150	-	330
	UPC8108T	MHz	150	-	930

### TYPICAL PERFORMANCE CURVES (TA = 25°C, APPLICATION CIRCUIT)

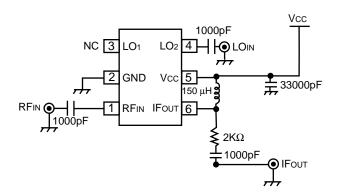




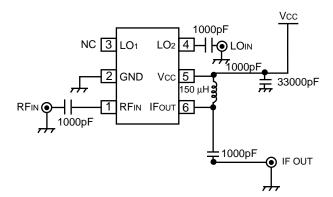
# OUTPUT POWER vs. INPUT POWER -10 -10 -20 -30 -40 -50 -40 -30 -20 -10 Input Power (dBm)

### **TEST CIRCUITS**

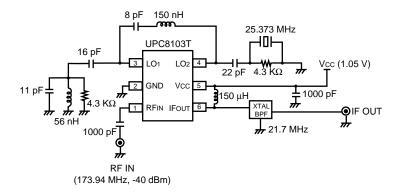
### 1. $RL = 2 K\Omega$



### 2. RL = 50 $\Omega$



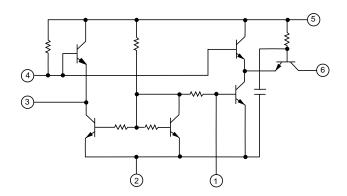
### **APPLICATION CIRCUIT (UPC8103T ~ 170 MHZ)**



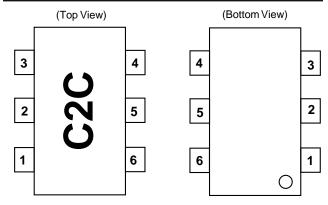
### Notes:

- 1. LO Frequency is the 6th overtone of the crystal.
- 2. Series resonant circuit between pins 3 and 4 is at the desired LO frequency.
- 3. 4.3  $k\Omega$  parallel resistor with the crystal, suppresses the fundamental oscillation.

### **EQUIVALENT CIRCUIT**



### **LEAD CONNECTIONS**



- 1. RF INPUT
- 2. GND
- 3. LO<sub>1</sub>
- 4. LO<sub>2</sub>
- 5. Vcc
- 6. IF OUTPUT

Note: Package Markings C2C: UPC8103T

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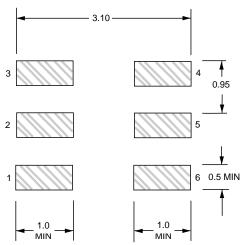
### **OUTLINE DIMENSIONS** (Units in mm)

# 2.9±0.2 0.95 1.9±0.2 2 1.9±0.2 2 1.9±0.2 0.95 1.0±0.2 0.05 1.1 0.1 0.8 0 to 0.1

Note:

All dimensions are typical unless otherwise specified.

# RECOMMENDED P.C.B. LAYOUT (Units in mm)



### **ORDERING INFORMATION**

PART NUMBER	QTY			
UPC8103T-E3	3K/Reel			
UPC8108T-E3	3K/Reel			

Note:

Embossed Tape, 8 mm wide.

Pins 1, 2 and 3 are in tape pull-out direction.