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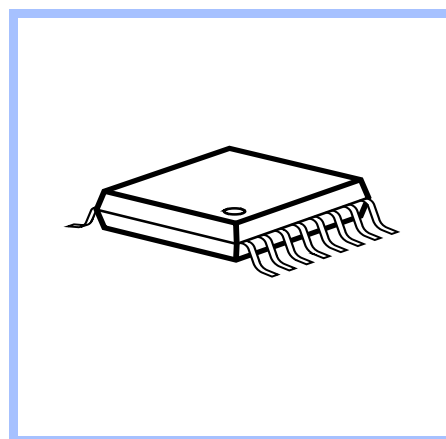
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Product Info

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- Remote control systems
- Alarm systems
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Ordering Information

Type	Ordering Code	Package
TDA 5102	Q67036-A1175	P-TSSOP-16
available on tape and reel		

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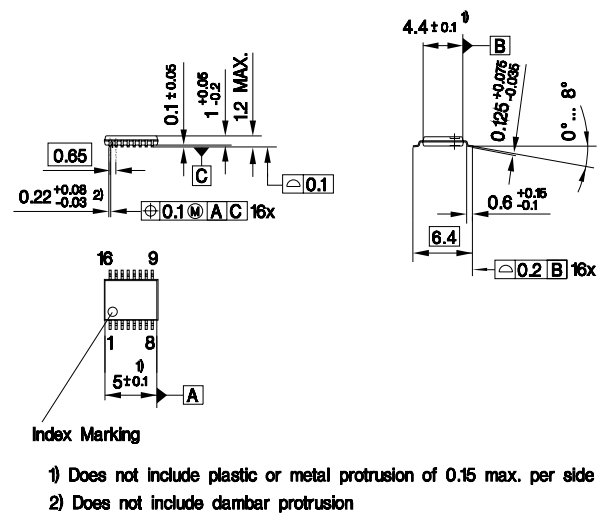


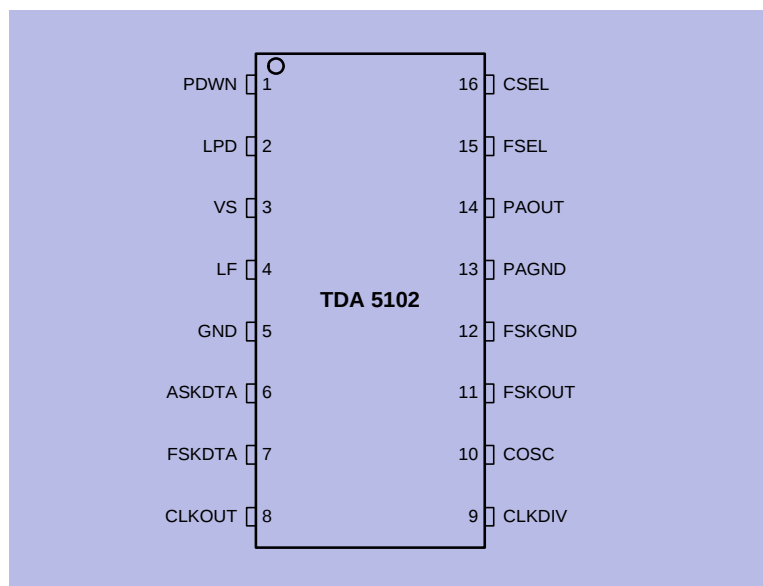
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3.1 Pin Configuration



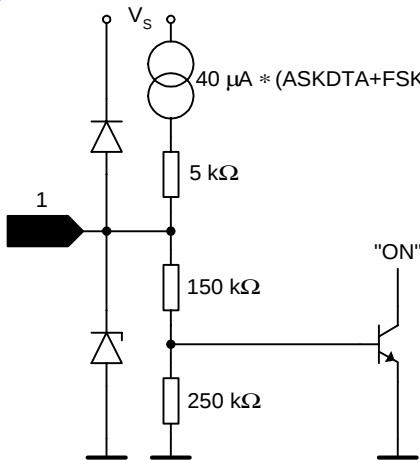
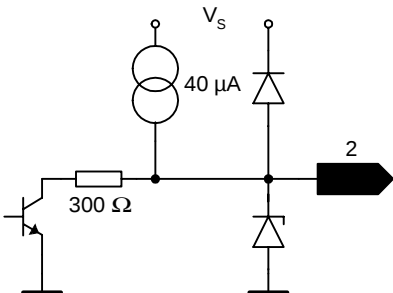
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Figure 3-1 IC Pin Configuration

Table 3-1		
Pin No.	Symbol	Function
1	PDWN	Power Down Mode Control
2	LPD	Low Power Detect Output
3	VS	Voltage Supply
4	LF	Loop Filter
5	GND	Ground
6	ASKDTA	Amplitude Shift Keying Data Input
7	FSKDTA	Frequency Shift Keying Data Input
8	CLKOUT	Clock Driver Output
9	CLKDIV	Clock Divider Control
10	COSC	Crystal Oscillator Input
11	FSKOUT	Frequency Shift Keying Switch Output
12	FSKGND	Frequency Shift Keying Ground
13	PAGND	Power Amplifier Ground
14	PAOUT	Power Amplifier Output
15	FSEL	Frequency Range Selection: Has to be left open for 915 MHz operation
16	CSEL	Crystal Frequency Selection (7.15 or 14.3 MHz)

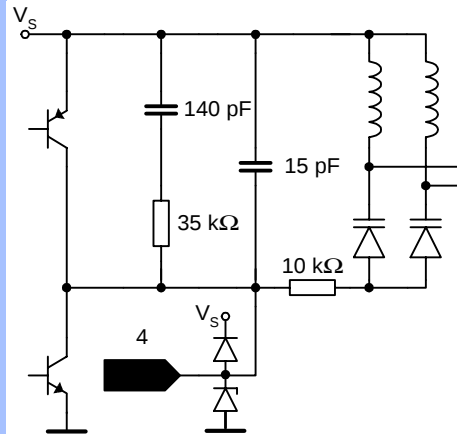
3.2 Pin Definitions and Functions

Table 3-2

Pin No.	Symbol	Interface Schematic	Function
1	PDWN		Disable pin for the complete transmitter circuit. A logic low (PDWN < 0.7 V) turns off all transmitter functions. A logic high (PDWN > 1.5 V) gives access to all transmitter functions. PDWN input will be pulled up by 40 µA internally by either setting FSKDTA or ASKDTA to a logic high-state.
2	LPD		This pin provides an output indicating the low-voltage state of the supply voltage VS. VS < 2.15 V will set LPD to the low-state. An internal pull-up current of 40 µA gives the output a high-state at supply voltages above 2.15 V.
3	VS		This pin is the positive supply of the transmitter electronics. An RF bypass capacitor should be connected directly to this pin and returned to GND (pin 5) as short as possible.

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LF



Output of the charge pump and input of the VCO control voltage.
The loop bandwidth of the PLL is 150 kHz when only the internal loop filter is used. The loop bandwidth may be reduced by applying an external RC network referencing to the positive supply VS (pin 3).

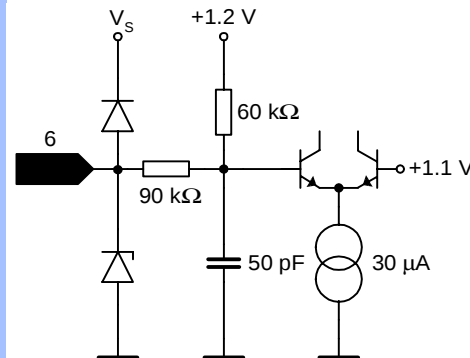
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GND

General ground connection.

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ASKDTA



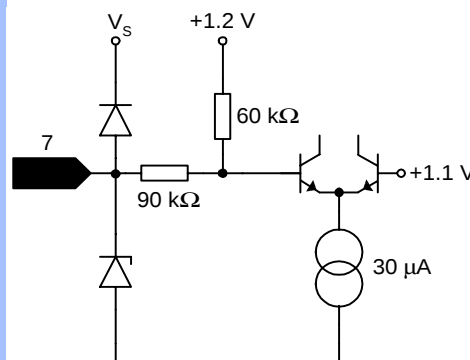
Digital amplitude modulation can be imparted to the Power Amplifier through this pin.

A logic high (ASKDTA > 1.5 V or open) enables the Power Amplifier.

A logic low (ASKDTA < 0.5 V) disables the Power Amplifier.

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FSKDTA

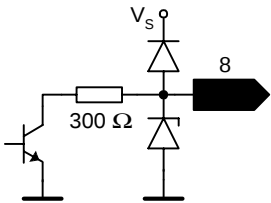
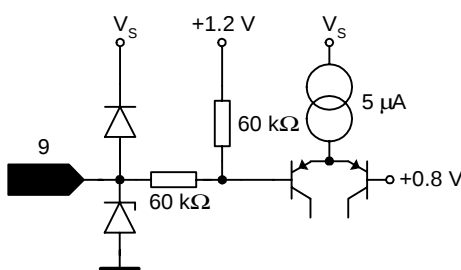
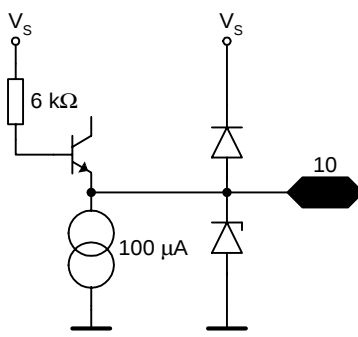
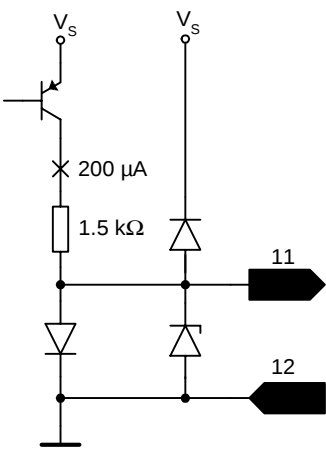


Digital frequency modulation can be imparted to the Xtal Oscillator by this pin. The VCO-frequency varies in accordance to the frequency of the reference oscillator.

A logic high (FSKDTA > 1.5V or open) sets the FSK switch to a high impedance state.

A logic low (FSKDTA < 0.5 V) closes the FSK switch from FSKOUT (pin 11) to FSKGND (pin 12).

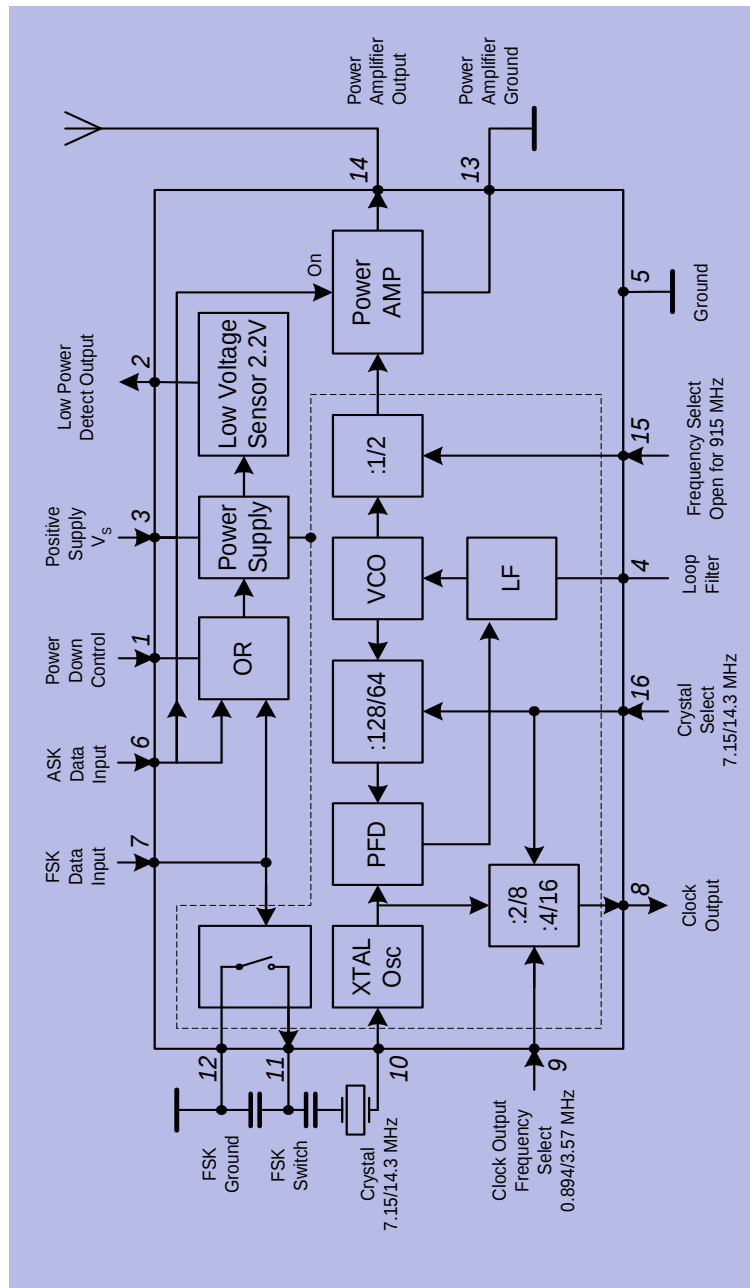
A capacitor can be switched to the reference crystal network this way. The Xtal Oscillator frequency will be shifted giving the designed FSK frequency deviation.

8	CLKOUT		Clock output to supply an external device. An external pull-up resistor has to be added in accordance to the driving requirements of the external device. A clock frequency of 3.57 MHz is selected by a logic low at CLKDIV input (pin9). A clock frequency of 894 kHz is selected by a logic high at CLKDIV input (pin9).
9	CLKDIV		This pin is used to select the desired clock division rate for the CLKOUT signal. A logic low (CLKDIV < 0.2 V) applied to this pin selects the 3.57 MHz output signal at CLKOUT (pin 8). A logic high (CLKDIV open) applied to this pin selects the 894 kHz output signal at CLKOUT (pin 8).
10	COSC		This pin is connected to the reference oscillator circuit. The reference oscillator is working as a negative impedance converter. It presents a negative resistance in series to an inductance at the COSC pin.
11	FSKOUT		This pin is connected to a switch to FSKGND (pin 12). The switch is closed when the signal at FSKDTA (pin 7) is in a logic low state. The switch is open when the signal at FSKDTA (pin 7) is in a logic high state. FSKOUT can switch an additional capacitor to the reference crystal network to pull the crystal frequency by an amount resulting in the desired FSK frequency shift of the transmitter output frequency.

Functional Description

12	FSKGND	Ground connection for FSK modulation output FSKOUT.
13	PAGND	Ground connection of the power amplifier. The RF ground return path of the power amplifier output PAOUT (pin 14) has to be concentrated to this pin.
14	PAOUT	RF output pin of the transmitter. A DC path to the positive supply VS has to be supplied by the antenna matching network.
15	FSEL	This pin has to be left open to select the 915 MHz transmitter frequency range. A logic low (FSEL < 0.5 V) applied to this pin sets the transmitter to the 457 MHz frequency range. A logic high (FSEL open) applied to this pin sets the transmitter to the 915 MHz frequency range.
16	CSEL	This pin is used to select the desired reference frequency. A logic low (CSEL < 0.2 V) applied to this pin sets the internal frequency divider to accept a reference frequency of 7.15 MHz. A logic high (CSEL open) applied to this pin sets the internal frequency divider to accept a reference frequency of 14.3 MHz.

3.3 Functional Block diagram



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Figure 3-2 Functional Block diagram

3.4 Functional Blocks

3.4.1 PLL Synthesizer

The Phase Locked Loop synthesizer consists of a Voltage Controlled Oscillator (VCO), an asynchronous divider chain, a phase detector, a charge pump and a loop filter. It is fully implemented on chip. The tuning circuit of the VCO consisting of spiral inductors and varactor diodes is on chip, too. Therefore no additional external components are necessary. The nominal center frequency of the VCO is 915 MHz. The oscillator signal is fed both, to the synthesizer divider chain and to the power amplifier. The overall division ratio of the asynchronous divider chain is 128 in case of a 7.15 MHz crystal or 64 in case of a 14.3 MHz crystal and can be selected via CSEL (pin 16). The phase detector is a Type IV PD with charge pump. The passive loop filter is realized on chip.

3.4.2 Crystal Oscillator

The crystal oscillator operates either at 7.15 MHz or at 14.3 MHz.

The reference frequency can be chosen by the signal at CSEL (pin 16).

Table 3-3

CSEL (pin 16)	Crystal Frequency
Low ¹⁾	7.15 MHz
Open ²⁾	14.3 MHz

1) Low: Voltage at pin < 0.2 V

2) Open: Pin open

For both quartz frequency options, 894 kHz or 3.57 MHz are available as output frequencies of the clock output CLKOUT (pin 8) to drive the clock input of a micro controller.

The frequency at CLKOUT (pin 8) is controlled by the signal at CLKDIV (pin 9)

Table 3-4

CLKDIV (pin 9)	CLKOUT Frequency
Low ¹⁾	3.57 MHz
Open ²⁾	894 kHz

1) Low: Voltage at pin < 0.2 V

2) Open: Pin open

To achieve FSK transmission, the oscillator frequency can be detuned by a fixed amount by switching an external capacitor via FSKOUT (pin 11).

The condition of the switch is controlled by the signal at FSKDTA (pin 7).

Table 3-5

FSKDTA (pin7)	FSK Switch
Low ¹⁾	CLOSED
Open ²⁾ , High ³⁾	OPEN

1) Low: Voltage at pin < 0.5 V

2) Open: Pin open

3) High: Voltage at pin > 1.5 V

3.4.3 Power Amplifier

For operation at 915 MHz, the power amplifier is fed directly from the voltage controlled oscillator. It is possible to feed the power amplifier with the VCO frequency divided by 2. This is controlled by FSEL (pin 15) as described in the table below.

Table 3-6

FSEL (pin 15)	Radiated Frequency Band
Low ¹⁾	457 MHz
Open ²⁾	915 MHz

1) Low: Voltage at pin < 0.5 V

2) Open: Pin open

The Power Amplifier can be switched on and off by the signal at ASKDTA (pin 6).

Table 3-7

ASKDTA (pin 6)	Power Amplifier
Low ¹⁾	OFF
Open ²⁾ , High ³⁾	ON

1) Low: Voltage at pin < 0.5 V

2) Open: Pin open

3) High: Voltage at pin > 1.5 V

The Power Amplifier has an Open Collector output at PAOUT (pin 14) and requires an external pull-up coil to provide bias. The coil is part of the tuning and matching LC circuitry to get best performance with the external loop antenna. To achieve the best power amplifier efficiency, the high frequency voltage swing at PAOUT (pin 14) should be twice the supply voltage.

The power amplifier has its own ground pin PAGND (pin 13) in order to reduce the amount of coupling to the other circuits.

3.4.4 Low Power Detect

The supply voltage is sensed by a low power detector. When the supply voltage drops below 2.15 V, the output LPD (pin 2) switches to the low-state. To minimize the external component count, an internal pull-up current of 40 μ A gives the output a high-state at supply voltages above 2.15 V.

The output LPD (pin 2) can either be connected to ASKDTA (pin 6) to switch off the PA as soon as the supply voltage drops below 2.15 V or it can be used to inform a micro-controller to stop the transmission after the current data packet.

3.4.5 Power Modes

The IC provides three power modes, the POWER DOWN MODE, the PLL ENABLE MODE and the TRANSMIT MODE.

3.4.5.1 Power Down Mode

In the POWER DOWN MODE the complete chip is switched off.

The current consumption is typically 0.3 nA at 3 V 25°C.

3.4.5.2 PLL Enable Mode

In the PLL ENABLE MODE the PLL is switched on but the power amplifier is turned off to avoid undesired power radiation during the time the PLL needs to settle. The turn on time of the PLL is determined mainly by the turn on time of the crystal oscillator and is typically less than 1 msec, depending on the crystal.

The current consumption is typically 3.5 mA.

3.4.5.3 Transmit Mode

In the TRANSMIT MODE the PLL is switched on and the power amplifier is turned on too.

The current consumption of the IC is typically 7 mA when using a proper transforming network at PAOUT, see Figure 4-1.

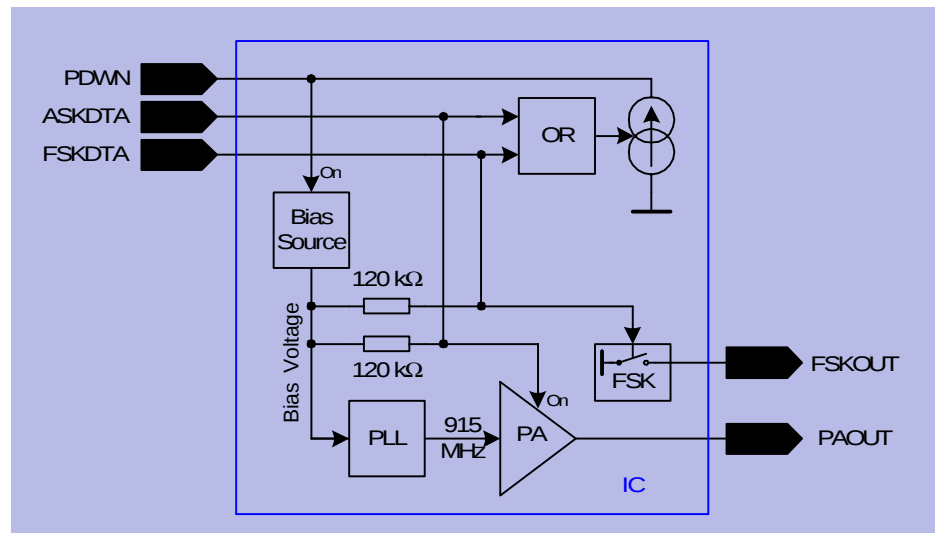
3.4.5.4 Power mode control

The bias circuitry is powered up via a voltage $V > 1.5$ V at the pin PDWN (pin 1). When the bias circuitry is powered up, the pins ASKDTA and FSKDTA are pulled up internally.

Forcing the voltage at the pins low overrides the internally set state.

Alternatively, if the voltage at ASKDTA or FSKDTA is forced high externally, the PDWN pin is pulled up internally via a current source. In this case, it is not necessary to connect the PDWN pin, it is recommended to leave it open.

The principle schematic of the power mode control circuitry is shown in Figure 3-5.



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Figure 3-5 Power mode control circuitry

Table 3-8 provides a listing of how to get into the different power modes

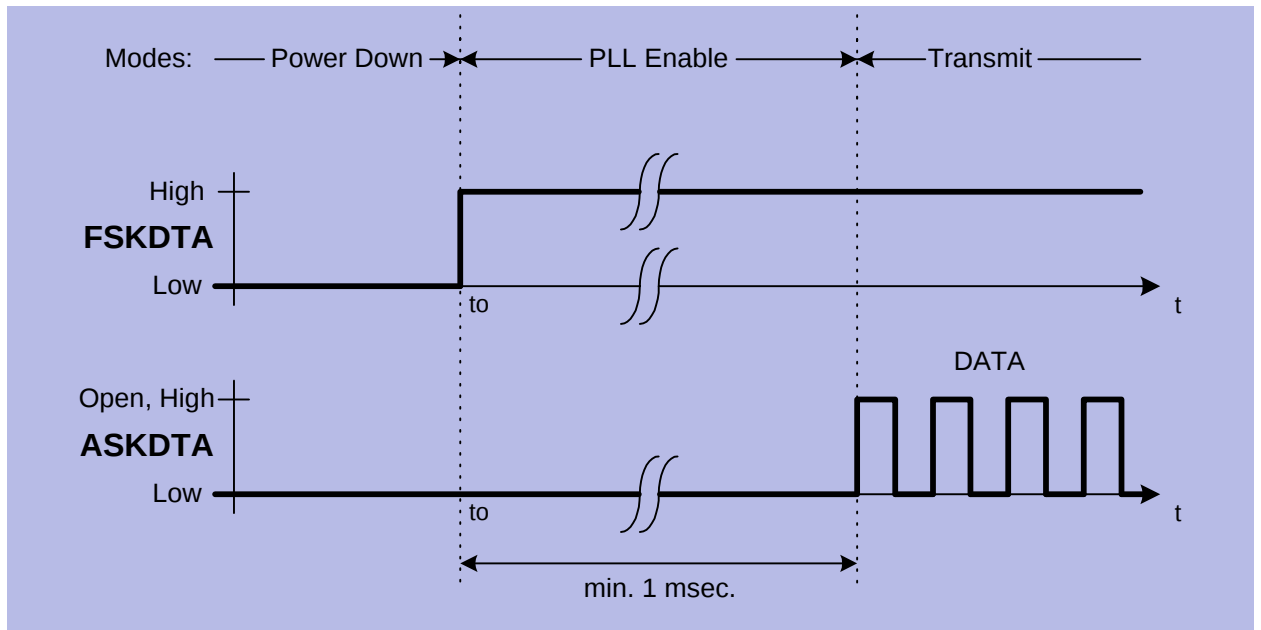
Table 3-8			
PDWN	FSKDTA	ASKDTA	MODE
Low ¹⁾	Low, Open	Low, Open	POWER DOWN
Open ²⁾	Low	Low	
High ³⁾	Low, Open, High	Low	PLL ENABLE
Open	High	Low	
High	Low, Open, High	Open, High	TRANSMIT
Open	High	Open, High	
Open	Low, Open, High	High	

- 1) Low: Voltage at pin < 0.7 V (PDWN)
Voltage at pin < 0.5 V (FSKDTA, ASKDTA)
- 2) Open: Pin open
- 3) High: Voltage at pin > 1.5 V

Other combinations of the control pins PDWN, FSKDTA and ASKDTA are not recommended.

3.4.6 Recommended timing diagrams for ASK- and FSK-Modulation

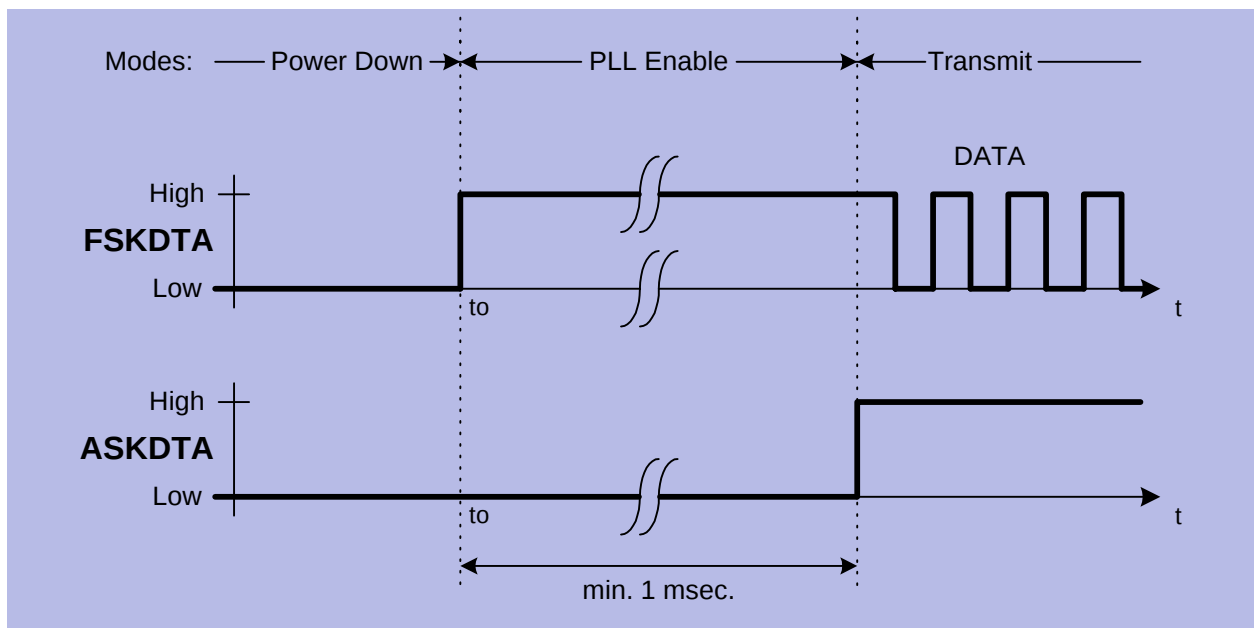
ASK Modulation using FSKDTA and ASKDTA, PDWN not connected



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Figure 3-6 ASK Modulation

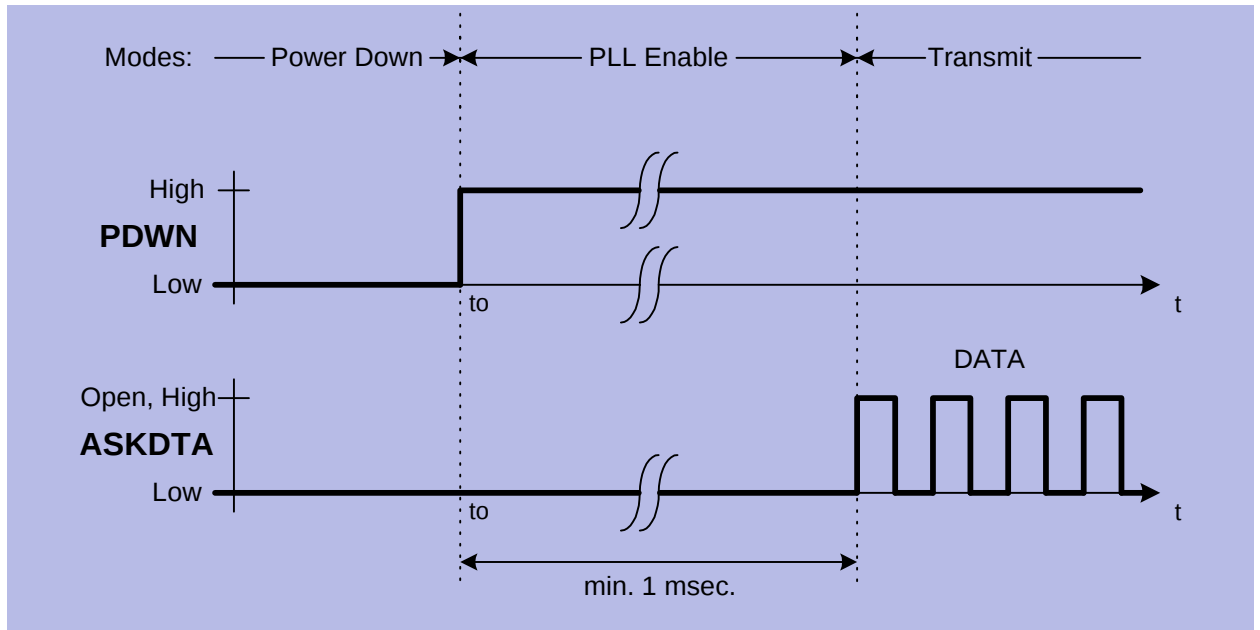
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Figure 3-7 FSK Modulation

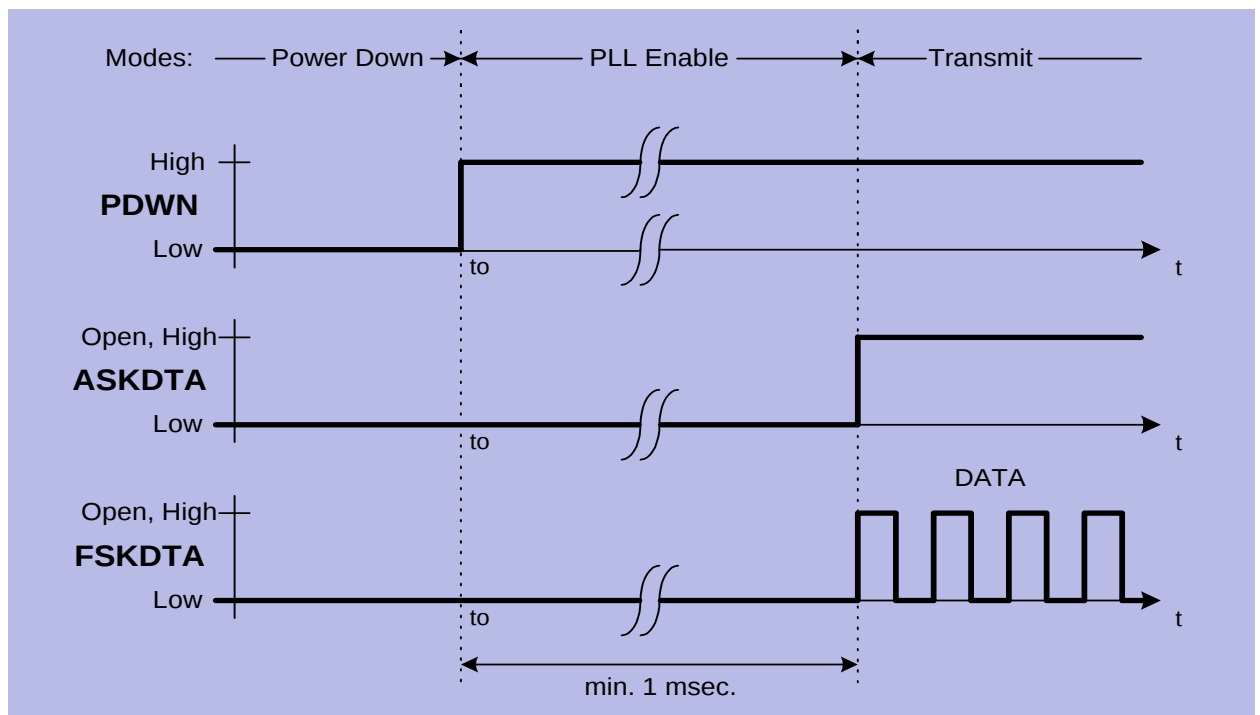
Alternative ASK Modulation, FSKDTA not connected.



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Figure 3-8 Alternative ASK Modulation

Alternative FSK Modulation



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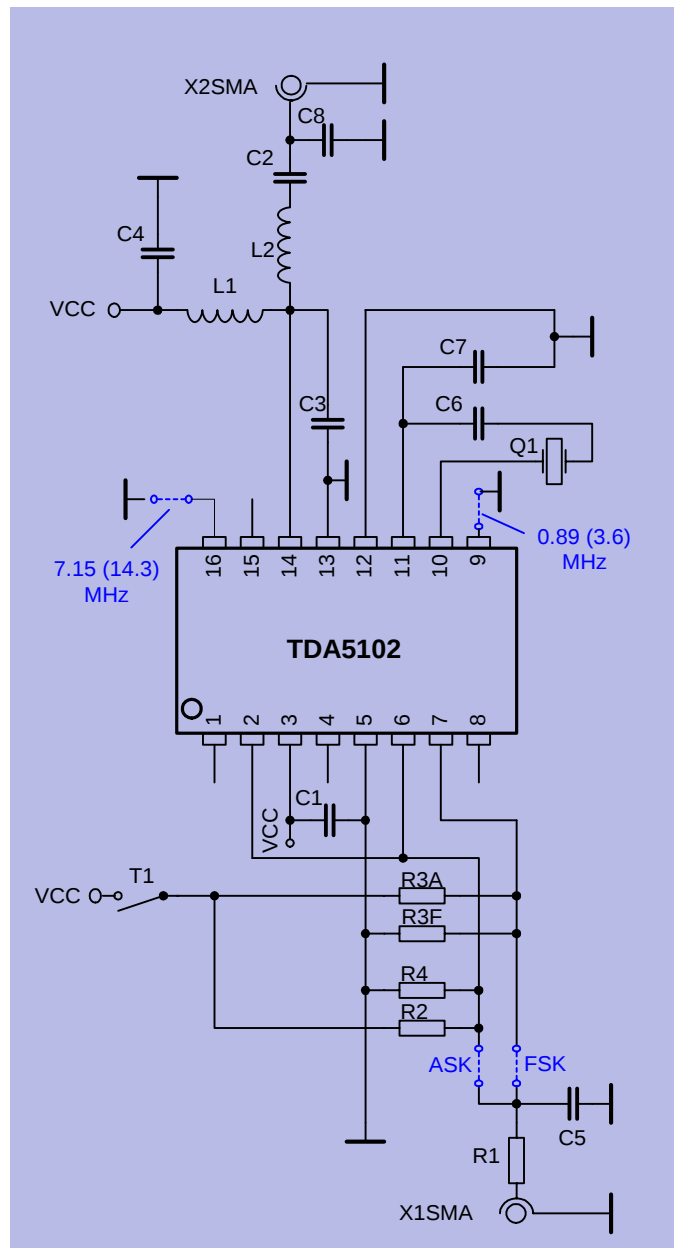
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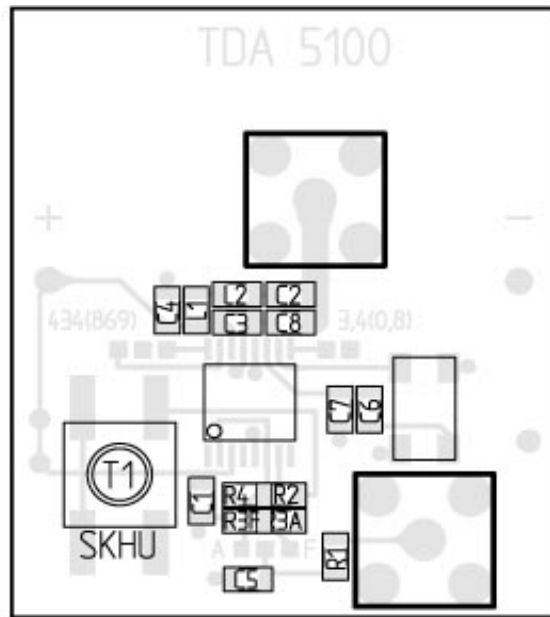
4.1 50 Ohm-Output Testboard Schematic



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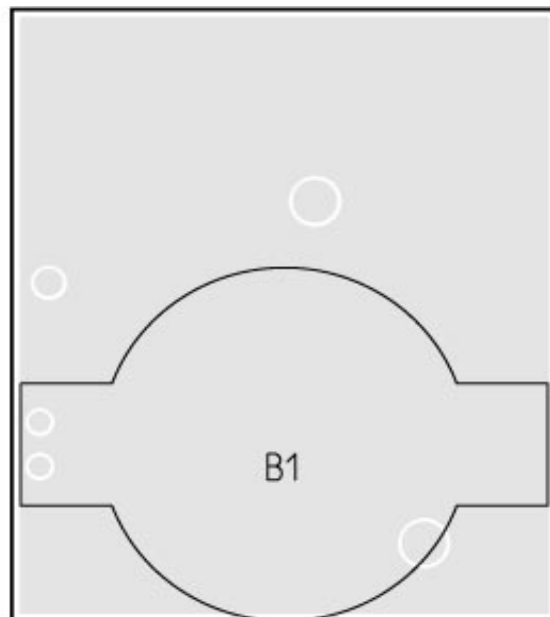
Figure 4-1 50 Ω -Output testboard schematic

4.2 50 Ohm-Output Testboard Layout



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Figure 4-2 Top Side of TDA 5102-Testboard with 50 Ω -Output.
It is the same testboard as for the TDA 5100.



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Figure 4-3 Bottom Side of TDA 5102-Testboard with 50 Ω -Output.
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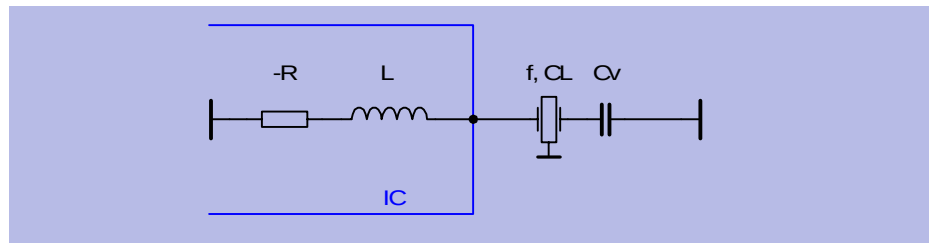
4.3 Bill of material (50 Ohm-Output Testboard)

Table 4-1 Bill of material			
Part	ASK 915 MHz	FSK 915 MHz	Specification
R1	4.7 k Ω	4.7 k Ω	0805, $\pm$ 5%
R2		12 k Ω	0805, $\pm$ 5%
R3A	15 k Ω		0805, $\pm$ 5%
R3F		15 k Ω	0805, $\pm$ 5%
R4	open	open	0805, $\pm$ 5%
C1	47 nF	47 nF	0805, X7R, $\pm$ 10%
C2	47 pF	47 pF	0805, COG, $\pm$ 5%
C3	2.7 pF	2.7 pF	0805, COG, $\pm$ 0.1 pF
C4	100 pF	100 pF	0805, COG, $\pm$ 5%
C5	1 nF	1 nF	0805, X7R, $\pm$ 10%
C6	5.6 pF	5.6 pF	0805, COG, $\pm$ 0.1 pF
C7	0 Ω Jumper	47 pF	0805, COG, $\pm$ 5% 0805, 0 Ω Jumper
C8	8.2 pF	8.2 pF	0805, COG, $\pm$ 5%
L1	33 nH	33 nH	TOKO LL2012-J
L2	15 nH	15 nH	TOKO LL1608-J
Q3	14.3 MHz	14.3 MHz	
IC1	TDA 5102	TDA 5102	
B1	Battery clip	Battery clip	HU2031-1, RENATA
T1	Push-button	Push-button	replaced by a short
X1	SMA-S	SMA-S	SMA standing
X2	SMA-S	SMA-S	SMA standing

4.4 Hints

1. Application Hints on the crystal oscillator

As mentioned before, the crystal oscillator achieves a turn on time less than 1 msec. To achieve this, a NIC oscillator type is implemented in the TDA 5102. The input impedance of this oscillator is a negative resistance in series to an inductance. Therefore the load capacitance of the crystal CL (specified by the crystal supplier) is transformed to the capacitance C_v .



$$C_v = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{CL} + \omega^2 L} \quad \text{Formula 1)}$$

CL : crystal load capacitance for nominal frequency

ω : angular frequency

L : inductivity of the crystal oscillator

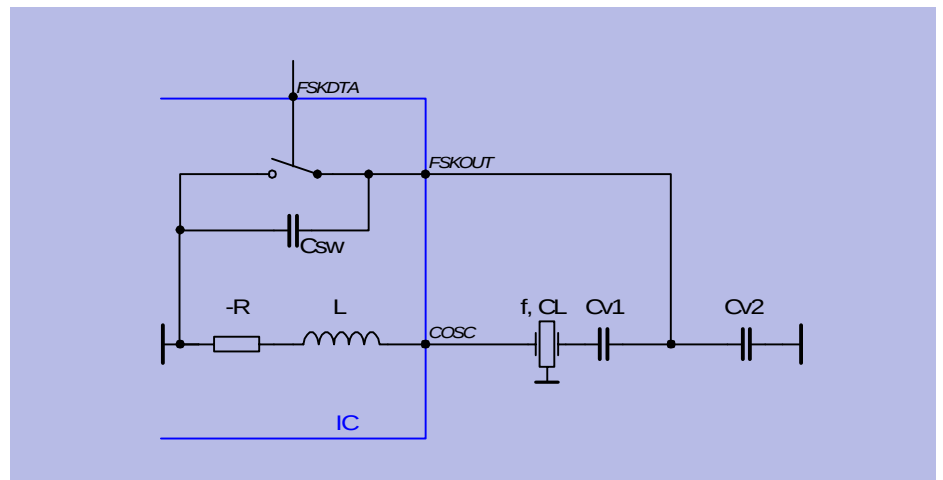
Example for the ASK-Mode:

Referring to the application circuit, in ASK-Mode the capacitance C_7 is replaced by a short to ground. Assume a crystal frequency of 14.3 MHz and a crystal load capacitance of $CL = 20$ pF. The inductance L is specified within the electrical characteristics at 14.3 MHz to a value of $11 \mu\text{H}$. Therefore C_6 is calculated to 7.2 pF.

$$C_v = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{CL} + \omega^2 L} = C_6$$

Example for the FSK-Mode:

FSK modulation is achieved by switching the load capacitance of the crystal as shown below.



The frequency deviation of the crystal oscillator is multiplied with the divider factor N of the Phase Locked Loop to the output of the power amplifier. In case of small frequency deviations (up to +/- 1000 ppm), the two desired load capacitances can be calculated with the formula below.

$$CL_{\pm} = \frac{CL \mp C_0 \frac{\Delta f}{N * f_1} \left(1 + \frac{2(C_0 + CL)}{C_1}\right)}{1 \pm \frac{\Delta f}{N * f_1} \left(1 + \frac{2(C_0 + CL)}{C_1}\right)}$$

- C_L : crystal load capacitance for nominal frequency
- C_0 : shunt capacitance of the crystal
- f : frequency
- ω : $\omega = 2\pi f$: angular frequency
- N : division ratio of the PLL
- df : peak frequency deviation

Because of the inductive part of the TDA 5102, these values must be corrected by formula 1). The value of $Cv_{\pm}$ can be calculated.

If the FSK switch is closed, C_v - is equal to C_{v1} (C6 in the application diagram).
If the FSK switch is open, C_{v2} (C7 in the application diagram) can be calculated.

$$C_{v2} = C7 = \frac{C_{sw} * C_{v1} - (C_{v+}) * (C_{v1} + C_{sw})}{(C_{v+}) - C_{v1}}$$

C_{sw} : parallel capacitance of the FSK switch (3 pF)

Remark: These calculations are only approximations. The necessary values depend on the layout also and must be adapted for the specific application board.

2. Design hints on the buffered clock output (CLKOUT)

The CLKOUT pin is an open collector output. An external pull up resistor (R_L) should be connected between this pin and the positive supply voltage. The value of R_L is depending on the clock frequency and the load capacitance CLD (PCB board plus input capacitance of the microcontroller). R_L can be calculated to:

$$R_L = \frac{1}{f_{CLKOUT} * 8 * CLD}$$

Table 4-2

$f_{CLKOUT} =$ 894 kHz		$f_{CLKOUT} =$ 3.57 MHz	
CLD[pF]	R_L [kOhm]	CLD[pF]	R_L [kOhm]
5	27	5	6.8
10	12	10	3.3
20	6.8	20	1.8

Remark: To achieve a low current consumption and a low spurious radiation, the largest possible R_L should be chosen.

5 Reference

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5.1 Absolute Maximum Ratings

The AC / DC characteristic limits are not guaranteed. The maximum ratings must not be exceeded under any circumstances, not even momentarily and individually, as permanent damage to the IC may result.

Table 5-1

Parameter	Symbol	Limit Values		Unit	Remarks
		Min	Max		
Junction Temperature	T_J	-40	150	°C	
Storage Temperature	T_S	-40	125	°C	
Thermal Resistance	R_{thJA}		230	K/W	
Supply voltage	V_S	-0.3	4.0	V	
ESD integrity, all pins	V_{ESD}	-1	+1	kV	100 pF, 1500 Ω
ESD integrity, pins 11 and 14 not tested	V_{ESD}	-2	+2	kV	100 pF, 1500 Ω

Ambient Temperature under bias: $T_A = -25$ to $+85^\circ\text{C}$

5.2 Operating Range

Within the operational range the IC operates as described in the circuit description.

Table 5-2

Parameter	Symbol	Limit Values		Unit	Test Conditions
		Min	Max		
Supply voltage	V_S	2.1	4.0	V	
Ambient temperature	T_A	-25	85	°C	

5.3 AC/DC Characteristics

5.3.1 AC/DC Characteristics at 3V, 25°C

Table 5-3 Supply Voltage $V_S = 3\text{ V}$, Ambient temperature $T_{\text{amb}} = 25^\circ\text{C}$

Parameter	Symbol	Limit Values			Unit	Test Conditions
		Min	Typ	Max		
Current consumption						
Power down mode	I _{S PDWN}		0.3	100	nA	V (Pins 1, 6, and 7) < 0.2 V
PLL enable mode	I _{S PLL_EN}		3.3	4.2	mA	
Transmit mode	I _{S TRANSM}		7	9	mA	Load tank see Figure 4-1
Power Down Mode Control (Pin 1)						
Power down mode	V _{PDWN}	0		0.7	V	V _{ASKDTA} < 0.2 V V _{FSKDTA} < 0.2 V
PLL enable mode	V _{PDWN}	1.5		V _S	V	V _{ASKDTA} < 0.5 V
Transmit mode	V _{PDWN}	1.5		V _S	V	V _{ASKDTA} > 1.5 V
Input bias current PDWN	I _{PDWN}			30	μA	V _{PDWN} = V _S
Low Power Detect Output (Pin 2)						
Internal pull up current	I _{LPD1}	30			μA	V _S = 2.3 V ... V _S
Input current low voltage	I _{LPD2}	1			mA	V _S = 1.9 V ... 2.1 V
Loop Filter (Pin 4)						
VCO tuning voltage	V _{LF}	V _S - 1.5		V _S - 0.7	V	f _{VCO} = 915 MHz
Output frequency range 915 MHz-band	f _{OUT, 915}	902	915	928	MHz	V _S -V _{LF} = 0.54V...1.76V V _{FSEL} = open
ASK Modulation Data Input (Pin 6)						
ASK Transmit disabled	V _{ASKDTA}	0		0.5	V	
ASK Transmit enabled	V _{ASKDTA}	1.5		V _S	V	
Input bias current ASKDTA	I _{ASKDTA}			30	μA	V _{ASKDTA} = V _S
Input bias current ASKDTA	I _{ASKDTA}	-20			μA	V _{ASKDTA} = 0 V
ASK data rate	f _{ASKDTA}			20	kHz	

Table 5-3 Supply Voltage $V_S = 3\text{ V}$, Ambient temperature $T_{\text{amb}} = 25^\circ\text{C}$

Parameter	Symbol	Limit Values			Unit	Test Conditions
		Min	Typ	Max		
FSK Modulation Data Input (Pin 7)						
FSK Switch on	V _{FSKDTA}	0		0.5	V	
FSK Switch off	V _{FSKDTA}	1.5		V _S	V	
Input bias current FSKDTA	I _{FSKDTA}			30	μA	V _{FSKDTA} = V _S
Input bias current FSKDTA	I _{FSKDTA}	-20			μA	V _{FSKDTA} = 0 V
FSK data rate	f _{FSKDTA}			20	kHz	
Clock Driver Output (Pin 8)						
Output current (Low)	I _{CLKOUT}	1			mA	V _{CLKOUT} = V _S
Output current (High)	I _{CLKOUT}			5	μA	V _{CLKOUT} = 0 V
Saturation Voltage (Low)	V _{SATL}			0.56	V	I _{CLKOUT} = 1 mA
Clock Divider Control (Pin 9)						
Setting Clock Driver output frequency f _{CLKOUT} =3.57 MHz	V _{CLKDIV}	0		0.2	V	
Setting Clock Driver output frequency f _{CLKOUT} =894 kHz	V _{CLKDIV}				V	pin open
Input bias current CLKDIV	I _{CLKDIV}			30	μA	V _{CLKDIV} = V _S
Input bias current CLKDIV	I _{CLKDIV}	-20			μA	V _{CLKDIV} = 0 V
Crystal Oscillator Input (Pin 10)						
Load capacitance	C _{COSCmax}			5	pF	
Serial Resistance of the crystal				100	Ω	f = 7.15 MHz
Input inductance of the COSC pin			12		μH	f = 7.15 MHz
Serial Resistance of the crystal				100	Ω	f = 14.3 MHz
Input inductance of the COSC pin			11		μH	f = 14.3 MHz
FSK Switch Output (Pin 11)						
On resistance	R _{FSKOUT}			220	Ω	V _{FSKDTA} = 0 V
On capacitance	C _{FSKOUT}			6	pF	V _{FSKDTA} = 0 V
Off resistance	R _{FSKOUT}	10			kΩ	V _{FSKDTA} = V _S
Off capacitance	C _{FSKOUT}			1.5	pF	V _{FSKDTA} = V _S

Table 5-3 Supply Voltage $V_S = 3\text{ V}$, Ambient temperature $T_{\text{amb}} = 25^\circ\text{C}$

Parameter	Symbol	Limit Values			Unit	Test Conditions
		Min	Typ	Max		
Power Amplifier Output (Pin 14)						
Output Power ¹⁾ transformed to 50 Ohm	P _{OUT915}	0	2	4	dBm	f _{OUT} = 915 MHz V _{FSEL} = open
Frequency Range Selection (Pin 15)						
Transmit frequency 915 MHz	V _{FSEL}				V	pin open
Transmit frequency 457 MHz	V _{FSEL}	0		0.5	V	
Input bias current FSEL	I _{FSEL}			30	μA	V _{FSEL} = V _S
Input bias current FSEL	I _{FSEL}	-20			μA	V _{FSEL} = 0 V
Crystal Frequency Selection (Pin 16)						
Crystal frequency 7.15 MHz	V _{CSEL}	0		0.2	V	
Crystal frequency 14.3 MHz	V _{CSEL}				V	pin open
Input bias current CSEL	I _{CSEL}			50	μA	V _{CSEL} = V _S
Input bias current CSEL	I _{CSEL}	-25			μA	V _{CSEL} = 0 V

- 1) Power amplifier in overcritical C-operation.
Matching circuitry as used in the 50 Ohm-Output Testboard.
Tolerances of the passive elements not taken into account.

5.3.2 AC/DC Characteristics at 2.1 V ... 4.0 V, -25°C ... +85°C

Table 5-4 Supply Voltage $V_S = 2.1\text{ V} \dots 4.0\text{ V}$, Ambient temperature $T_{\text{amb}} = -25^\circ\text{C} \dots +85^\circ\text{C}$

Parameter	Symbol	Limit Values			Unit	Test Conditions
		Min	Typ	Max		
Current consumption						
Power down mode	I _{S PDWN}			250	nA	V (Pins 1, 6, and 7) < 0.2 V
PLL enable mode	I _{S PLL_EN}		3.3	4.6	mA	
Transmit mode	I _{S TRANSM}		7	9.5	mA	Load tank see Figure 4-1 and 4-2
Power Down Mode Control (Pin 1)						
Power down mode	V _{PDWN}	0		0.5	V	V _{ASKDTA} < 0.2 V V _{FSKDTA} < 0.2 V
PLL enable mode	V _{PDWN}	1.5		V _S	V	V _{ASKDTA} < 0.5 V
Transmit mode	V _{PDWN}	1.5		V _S	V	V _{ASKDTA} > 1.5 V
Input bias current PDWN	I _{PDWN}			30	μA	V _{PDWN} = V _S
Low Power Detect Output (Pin 2)						
Internal pull up current	I _{LPD1}	30			μA	V _S = 2.3 V ... V _S
Input current low voltage	I _{LPD2}	1			mA	V _S = 1.9 V ... 2.1 V
Loop Filter (Pin 4)						
VCO tuning voltage	V _{LF}	V _S - 1.74		V _S - 0.52	V	f _{VCO} = 915 MHz
Output frequency range 915 MHz-band	f _{OUT, 915}	905	915	925	MHz	V _S -V _{LF} = 0.4V...1.95V V _{FSEL} = open
ASK Modulation Data Input (Pin 6)						
ASK Transmit disabled	V _{ASKDTA}	0		0.5	V	
ASK Transmit enabled	V _{ASKDTA}	1.5		V _S	V	
Input bias current ASKDTA	I _{ASKDTA}			30	μA	V _{ASKDTA} = V _S
Input bias current ASKDTA	I _{ASKDTA}	-20			μA	V _{ASKDTA} = 0 V
ASK data rate	f _{ASKDTA}			20	kHz	

Table 5-4 Supply Voltage $V_S = 2.1 \text{ V} \dots 4.0 \text{ V}$, Ambient temperature $T_{\text{amb}} = -25^\circ\text{C} \dots +85^\circ\text{C}$

Parameter	Symbol	Limit Values			Unit	Test Conditions
		Min	Typ	Max		
FSK Modulation Data Input (Pin 7)						
FSK Switch on	V _{FSKDTA}	0		0.5	V	
FSK Switch off	V _{FSKDTA}	1.5		V _S	V	
Input bias current FSKDTA	I _{FSKDTA}			30	μA	V _{FSKDTA} = V _S
Input bias current FSKDTA	I _{FSKDTA}	-20			μA	V _{FSKDTA} = 0 V
FSK data rate	f _{FSKDTA}			20	kHz	
Clock Driver Output (Pin 8)						
Output current (Low)	I _{CLKOUT}	1			mA	V _{CLKOUT} = V _S
Output current (High)	I _{CLKOUT}			5	μA	V _{CLKOUT} = 0 V
Saturation Voltage (Low) ¹⁾	V _{SATL}			0.5	V	I _{CLKOUT} = 0.8 mA
Clock Divider Control (Pin 9)						
Setting Clock Driver output frequency f _{CLKOUT} =3.57 MHz	V _{CLKDIV}	0		0.2	V	
Setting Clock Driver output frequency f _{CLKOUT} =894 kHz	V _{CLKDIV}				V	pin open
Input bias current CLKDIV	I _{CLKDIV}			30	μA	V _{CLKDIV} = V _S
Input bias current CLKDIV	I _{CLKDIV}	-20			μA	V _{CLKDIV} = 0 V
Crystal Oscillator Input (Pin 10)						
Load capacitance	C _{COSCmax}			5	pF	
Serial Resistance of the crystal				100	Ω	f = 7.15 MHz
Input inductance of the COSC pin			12		μH	f = 7.15 MHz
Serial Resistance of the crystal				100	Ω	f = 14.3 MHz
Input inductance of the COSC pin			11		μH	f = 14.3 MHz
FSK Switch Output (Pin 11)						
On resistance	R _{FSKOUT}			220	Ω	V _{FSKDTA} = 0 V
On capacitance	C _{FSKOUT}			6	pF	V _{FSKDTA} = 0 V
Off resistance	R _{FSKOUT}	10			kΩ	V _{FSKDTA} = V _S
Off capacitance	C _{FSKOUT}			1.5	pF	V _{FSKDTA} = V _S

Table 5-4 Supply Voltage $V_S = 2.1 \text{ V} \dots 4.0 \text{ V}$, Ambient temperature $T_{\text{amb}} = -25^\circ\text{C} \dots +85^\circ\text{C}$

Parameter	Symbol	Limit Values			Unit	Test Conditions
		Min	Typ	Max		
Power Amplifier Output (Pin 14)						
Output Power ²⁾ at 915 MHz transformed to 50 Ohm.	P _{OUT, 915}	-2.3	0.2	1.8	dBm	V _S = 2.1 V
	P _{OUT, 915}	-2.0	2	4.9	dBm	V _S = 3.0 V
V _{FSEL} = open	P _{OUT, 915}	-1.7	3.2	7.2	dBm	V _S = 4.0 V
Frequency Range Selection (Pin 15)						
Transmit frequency 915 MHz	V _{FSEL}				V	pin open
Transmit frequency 457 MHz	V _{FSEL}	0		0.5	V	
Input bias current FSEL	I _{FSEL}			30	μA	V _{FSEL} = V _S
Input bias current FSEL	I _{FSEL}	-20			μA	V _{FSEL} = 0 V
Crystal Frequency Selection (Pin 16)						
Crystal frequency 7.15 MHz	V _{CSEL}	0		0.2	V	
Crystal frequency 14.3 MHz	V _{CSEL}				V	pin open
Input bias current CSEL	I _{CSEL}			50	μA	V _{CSEL} = V _S
Input bias current CSEL	I _{CSEL}	-25			μA	V _{CSEL} = 0 V

- 1) Derating linearly to a saturation voltage of max. 140 mV at $I_{\text{CLKOUT}} = 0 \text{ mA}$
- 2) Matching circuitry as used in the 50 Ohm-Output Testboard for 915 MHz operation.
Range @ 2.1 V, +25°C: 0.2 dBm +/- 1.0 dBm
Temperature dependency at 2.1 V: +0.6 dBm@-25°C and -1.5 dBm@+85°C, reference +25°C.
Range @ 3.0 V, +25°C: 2.0 dBm +/- 2.0 dBm
Temperature dependency at 3.0 V: +0.9 dBm@-25°C and -2.0 dBm@+85°C, reference +25°C.
Range @ 4.0 V, +25°C: 3.2 dBm +/- 2.7 dBm
Temperature dependency at 4.0 V: +1.3 dBm@-25°C and -2.2 dBm@+85°C, reference +25°C.
Tolerances of the passive elements not taken into account.

A smaller load impedance reduces the supply-voltage dependency.
A higher load impedance reduces the temperature dependency.