



Thin-Film Cascadable Amplifier 5 to 500 MHz

Technical Data

UTO/UTC 520 Series

Features

- **Frequency Range: 5 to 500 MHz**
- **Output Power: +12.0 dBm**
- **5 Volt Supply**
- **Temperature Compensated**
- **Surface Mount Option**

Applications

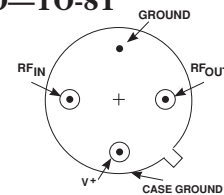
- **IF/RF Amplification**
- **Surface Mount Assembly**
- **High Efficiency or Battery Powered Systems**

Description

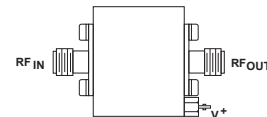
The 520 Series is a highly-efficient low-voltage unit for use where power considerations are important. Output choke coupling, resistive feedback and active bias combine to provide a low-noise medium-gain amplifier that is temperature compensated and relatively insensitive to bias voltage variations. Blocking capacitors couple the RF through the amplifier. The 520 Series amplifiers are available in three packages: the surface mount PlanarPak PP-38 (.375 in. x .375 in.) case, the TO-8 hermetic case and the connectorized TC-1A case.

Pin Configuration

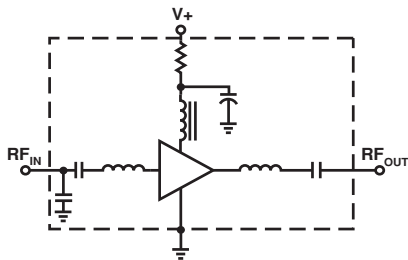
UTO—TO-8T



UTC—TC-1A



Schematic



Maximum Ratings

Parameter	Maximum
DC Voltage	+10 Volts
Continuous RF Input Power	+13 dBm
Operating Case Temperature	-55 to +125°C
Storage Temperature	-62 to +150°C
"R" Series Burn-In Temperature	+125°C

Thermal Characteristics¹

θ_{JC}	105°C/W
Active Transistor Power Dissipation	108 mW
Junction Temperature Above Case Temperature	11°C
MTBF (MIL-HDBK-217E, A_{UF} @ 90°C)	1,012,000 Hrs.

Weight: (typical) PPA—0.5 grams; UTO—2.1 grams; UTC—21.5 grams

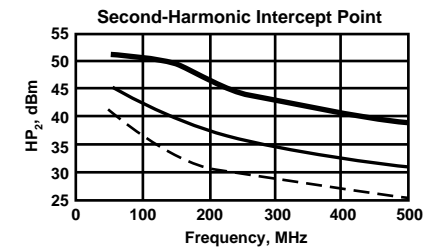
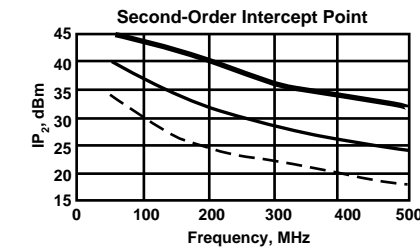
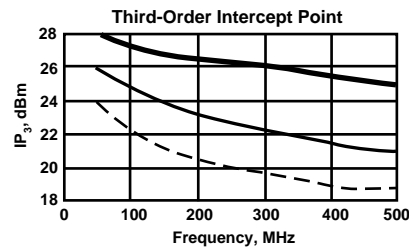
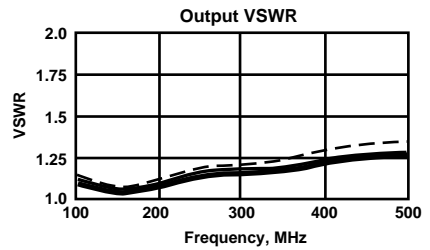
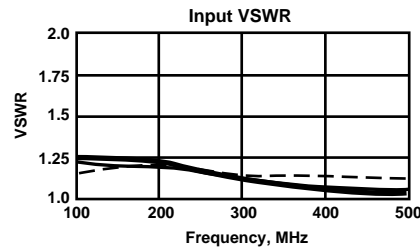
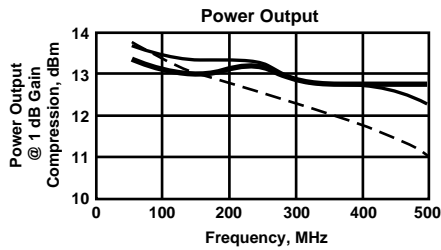
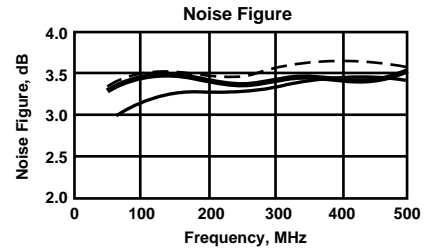
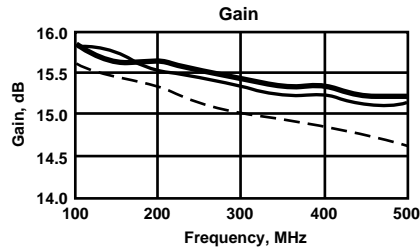
Electrical Specifications

(Measured in 50 Ω system @ +5 VDC nominal unless otherwise noted)

Symbol	Characteristic	Typical $T_C = 25^\circ\text{C}$	Guaranteed Specifications		Unit
			$T_C = 0$ to 50°C	$T_C = -55$ to $+85^\circ\text{C}$	
BW	Frequency Range	5-900	5-500	5-500	MHz
GP	Small Signal Gain (Min.)	14.5	14.0	13.0	dB
—	Gain Flatness (Max.)	± 0.2	± 0.7	± 1.0	dB
NF	Noise Figure (Max.)	3.5	4.5	5.0	dB
P_{1dB}	Power Output @ +1 dB Comp. (Min.)	+13.0	+11.0	+10	dBm
—	Input VSWR (Max.)	<1.3:1	2.0:1	2.0:1	—
—	Output VSWR (Max.)	<1.5:1	2.0:1	2.0:1	—
IP_3	Two Tone 3rd Order Intercept Point	+22.0	—	—	dBm
IP_2	Two Tone 2nd Order Intercept Point	+21.0	—	—	dBm
HP_2	One Tone 2nd Harmonic Intercept Point	+30.0	—	—	dBm
I_D	DC Current	33	—	—	mA

Typical Performance Over Temperature (@ +5 VDC unless otherwise noted)

Key: $+25^\circ\text{C}$ —
 $+85^\circ\text{C}$ —
 -55°C —



Automatic Network Analyzer Measurements (Typical production unit @ +25°C ambient)**Numerical Readings****Bias = 5.00 Volts**

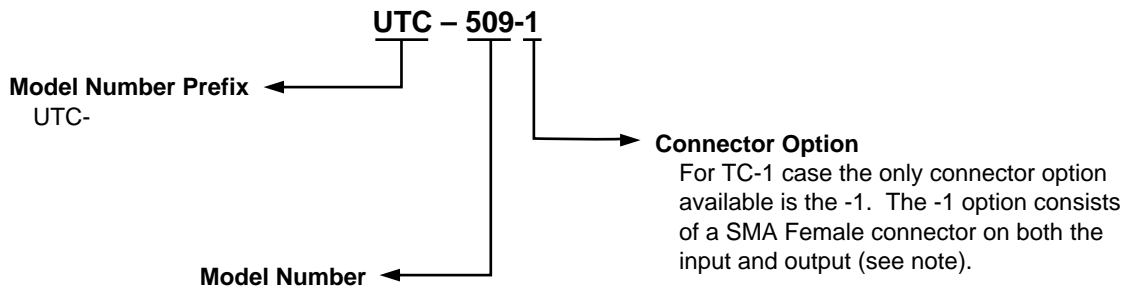
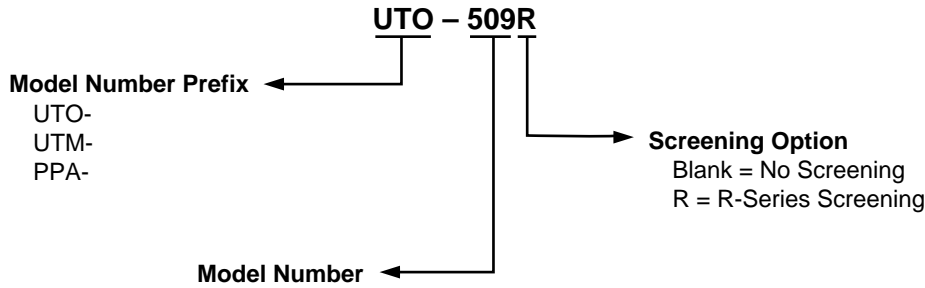
FREQUENCY MHz	VSWR IN	GAIN dB	PHASE DEGREES	PHASE DEV	GROUP DELAY ns	VSWR OUT	ISOLATION dB
100.0	1.05	15.88	163.82	.55	.00	1.16	20.82
200.0	1.08	15.64	146.85	-.55	.45	1.17	19.74
300.0	1.08	15.48	131.42	-.12	.44	1.20	19.89
400.0	1.11	15.42	115.36	-.31	.43	1.21	20.09
500.0	1.11	15.44	100.25	.43	.42	1.24	19.82
600.0	1.10	15.44	85.10	—	.44	1.24	19.70
700.0	1.06	15.33	68.49	—	.49	1.23	19.25
800.0	1.07	15.18	49.52	—	.54	1.25	19.19
900.0	1.30	15.18	29.39	—	.57	1.32	19.14
1000.0	1.70	15.04	8.29	—	.62	1.49	19.05
1100.0	2.47	14.54	-14.96	—	.68	1.82	19.45
1200.0	4.29	13.49	-40.58	—	.72	2.29	19.94
1300.0	9.20	12.12	-66.49	—	.72	2.77	21.27
1400.0	29.86	9.86	-92.07	—	.68	3.31	22.51

LINEARIZATION RANGE: 100.0 to 500.0 MHz

S-Parameters**Bias = 5.00 Volts**

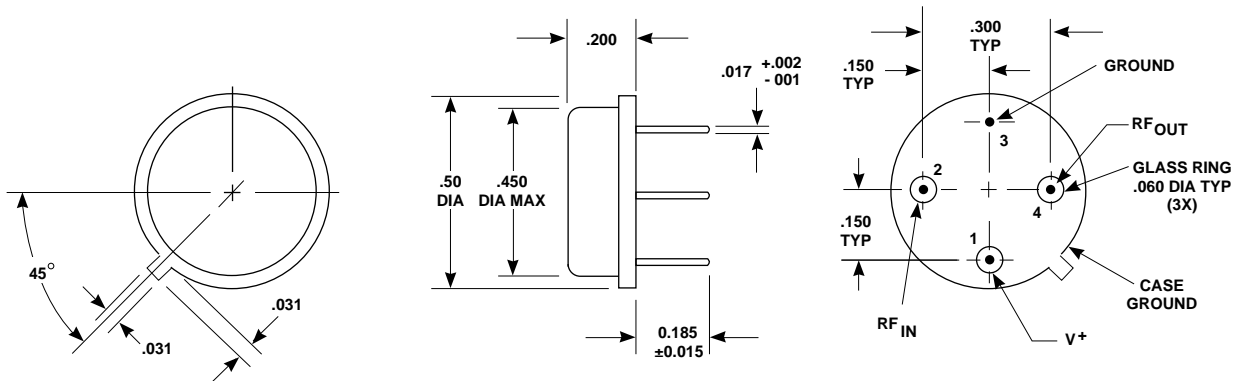
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	Mag	Ang	dB	Ang	dB	Ang	Mag	Ang
100.00	.017	-110.2	15.784	166.0	-19.897	-4.6	.084	9.2
200.00	.024	-74.9	15.645	150.4	-19.967	-9.8	.099	3.3
300.00	.040	-79.9	15.527	135.9	-19.833	-15.1	.111	-7.3
400.00	.055	-85.1	15.433	121.2	-19.866	-20.8	.121	-21.9
500.00	.058	97.0	15.443	107.7	-19.691	-27.0	.125	-38.3
600.00	.054	-98.1	15.392	94.0	-19.634	-31.7	.127	-59.4
700.00	.036	-87.9	15.247	78.5	-19.392	-37.3	.120	-88.8
800.00	.037	-15.1	15.200	60.4	-19.238	-45.3	.122	-132.2
900.00	.108	3.7	15.345	41.3	-18.958	-54.2	.159	179.3
1000.00	.225	-6.3	15.210	19.3	-18.894	-66.3	.240	134.1
1100.00	.376	-22.7	14.695	-5.5	-19.105	-81.4	.368	95.7
1200.00	.537	-42.2	13.294	-31.6	-19.936	-93.7	.484	62.6
1300.00	.655	-60.7	11.020	-56.7	-21.578	-107.8	.554	32.2
1400.00	.733	-77.1	7.779	-81.2	-23.721	-119.3	.586	6.9
1500.00	.776	-89.7	4.409	-101.3	-25.143	-123.6	.588	-13.5
1600.00	.793	-99.8	.829	-116.6	-27.134	-128.0	.570	-30.3
1700.00	.793	-108.2	-3.026	-130.0	-28.339	-128.6	.566	-44.5
1800.00	.792	-115.5	-7.425	-140.9	-29.546	-126.0	.564	-55.4
1900.00	.797	-122.2	-13.994	-147.4	-29.889	-129.9	.562	-65.1
2000.00	.806	-127.7	-23.981	-117.9	-30.912	-134.1	.568	-74.8

Product Options



Note: R-Series screening is not available in the TC-1 case as the case is non-hermetic.

Case Drawings TO-8T



APPROXIMATE WEIGHT 2.1 GRAMS

- NOTES (UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED):
1. DIMENSIONS ARE SPECIFIED IN INCHES
 2. TOLERANCES: xx ± .02
 xxx ± .010

TC-1A

