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QRZ-3000-PA ZigBee Transceiver

Description

The QRZ-3000-PA is a miniature 2.4 GHz Direct Sequence Spread Spectrum ZigBee transceiver. It includes all RF hardware and a micro-controller to manage the communications link. The micro-controller manages all communications task including configuration, data packaging, and clear channel selection. The result is a complete wireless data communications solution.

The QRZ-3000-PA package is unique because of its small form factor ($49.5 \times 40 \text{ mm}^2$), It has an on-board chip antenna and the availability of external dipole antenna SMA connector. No competitive products can offer a solution as flexible, convenient, and easy to integrate,

There are four QRZ-3000 models; the QRZ-3000 with the on-board chip antenna and dipole antenna SMA connector, the QRZ-3000-PA with power amplifier, low noise amplifier and dipole antenna SMA connector. The power amplifier enhances the transmission power and low noise amplifier increase receiving signal sensitivity. The power amplifier, low noise amplifier while the QRZ-3000 lowers system cost and simplifies integration. Development Kits are available for each version. Two pin-compatible variants are also available, the QRZ-3000A and QRZ-3000A-PA, for applications with pre-loaded transceiver program requirements. The QRZ-3000A is same hardware as QRZ-3000 with pre-loaded transceiver program. The QRZ-3000A-PA is same hardware as QRZ-3000-PA with pre-loaded transceiver program.

Models

- QRZ-3000: Includes on-board chip antenna and Dipole Antenna Connector
- QRZ-3000-PA: Includes Power Amplifier, Low Noise Amplifier and Dipole Antenna Connector
- QRZ-3000A: Transceiver program pre-loaded QRZ-3000
- QRZ-3000A-PA: Transceiver program pre-loaded QRZ-3000A
- QRZ-2200K: 2 nodes Development Kit
- QRZ-2400K: 4 nodes Development Kit

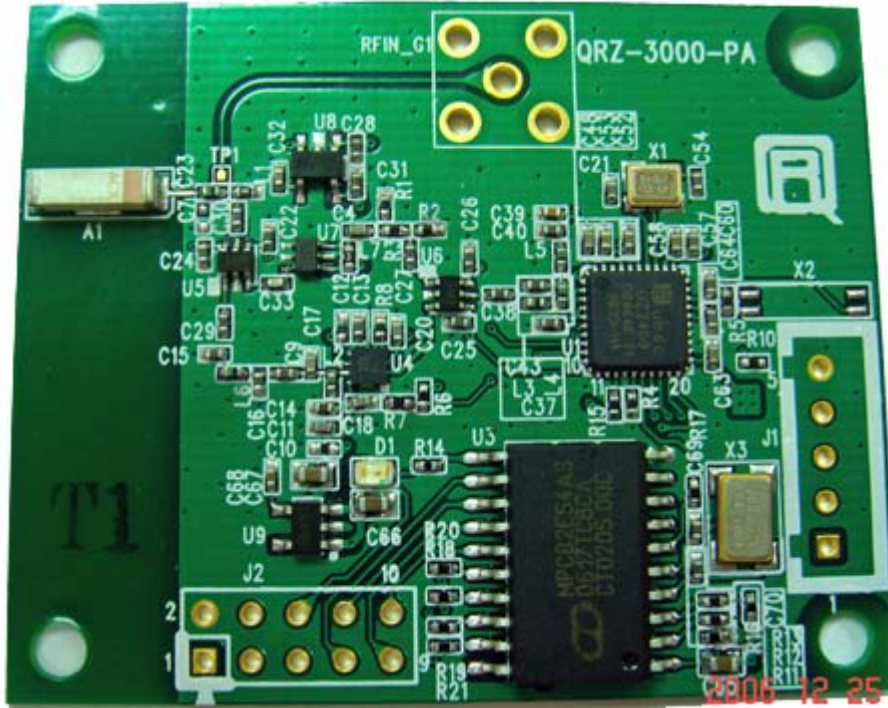
Features

- $49.5 \times 40 \text{ mm}^2$ PCBA package with 2 connectors
- Utilizes globally available 2.4 GHz ISM band
- Control and Configuration with AT commands.
- 65535 unique node addresses, IDs allow multiple large networks to coexist.
- Programmable Transmit Power Output, max. 15 dBm
- Complete IEEE 802.15.4 spec compliant

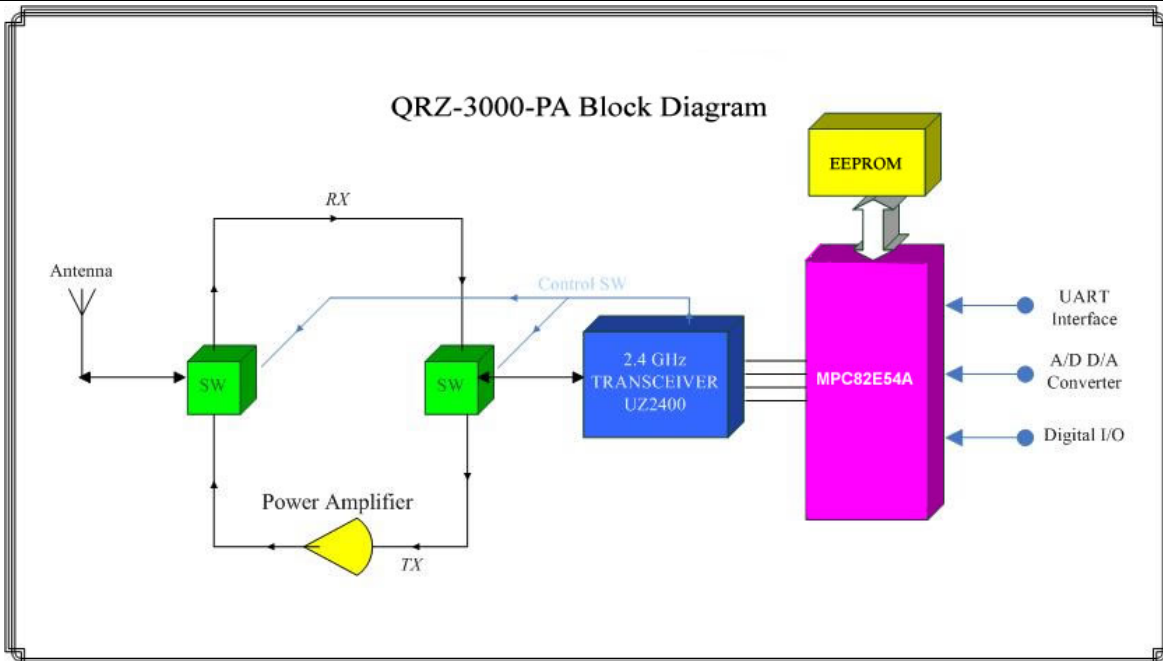


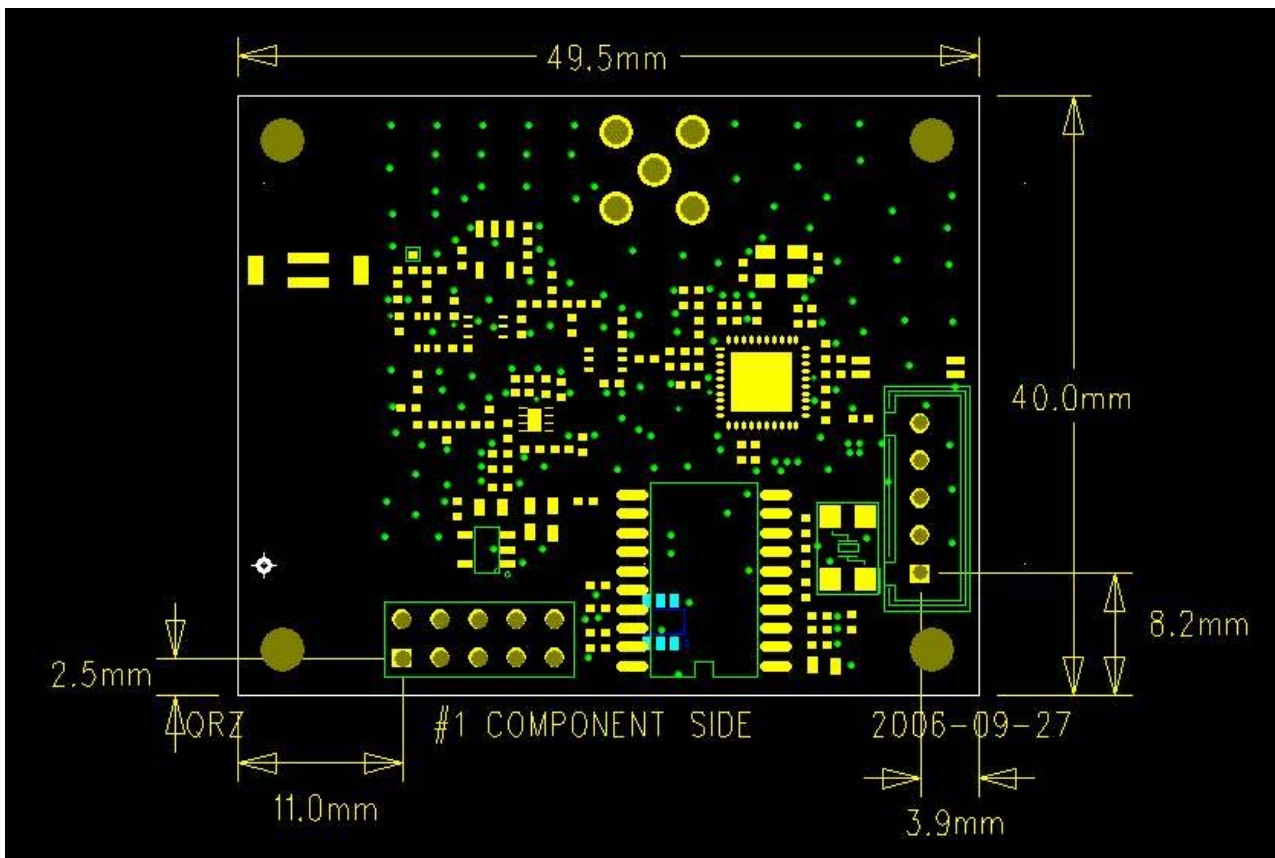
- Typical Receiver Sensitivity –95 dBm
- Typical Throughput rate 250,000 bps
- Obstructed signal range to 500 meters @ 15 dBm
- Multiple Low Power Operating modes

QRZ-3000-PA ZigBee Transceiver Module



QRZ-3000-PA MECHANICAL SPECIFICATIONS





Note : The thickness of PCB board (including PCB and components) is 3.632 mm

Using the QRZ-3000-PA Power Saving Modes

The QRZ-3000-PA includes several low power operating modes to permit the most efficient use of the available power. Below are descriptions of the available selections.

ACTIVE: In Active Mode, all QRZ-3000-PA circuits are powered and available for immediate action. This includes the RF receiver which actively monitors the air for an incoming communications request. Two sub-modes are classified as TX-ACTIVE and RX-ACTIVE. The current consumption of TX-ACTIVE is 22 mA while RX-ACTIVE is 18 mA.

IDLE: In Idle mode, all QRZ-3000-PA RF circuits are shut down but the communications controller remains active to accept AT commands. The QRZ-3000-PA cannot respond to incoming RF communications requests in Power-Down mode. If a transmit RF or receive RF command is received, The QRZ-3000-PA can activate the RF section in under 200 microseconds. Current draw in Idle Mode is less than 7.5 milliamps.

STANDBY: In Standby mode, all QRZ-3000-PA RF, MAC and Base Band circuits are powered-down with sleep clock remains active to minimize power consumption. The



QRZ-3000-PA cannot accept commands or respond to incoming RF communications requests from Standby mode. Any input on TXD awakens the transceiver. Current draw in Standby Mode is less than 3.5 uA.

DEEP SLEEP: In Deep Sleep Mode, all QRZ-3000-PA circuits are shutdown except digital-side power. Current draw in Deep Sleep Mode is only 2 uA.

WAKE-UP: QRZ-3000-PA has two wake-up modes: timed wake-up and immediate wake-up. Timed wake-up has two sub-modes: beacon and non-beacon modes. However, if programmer sets both “main counter” and “remain counter” zero, QRZ-3000-PA will not wake up without immediate wake-up. QRZ-3000-PA can be wakened up externally. It can also be wakened up by setting internal register.

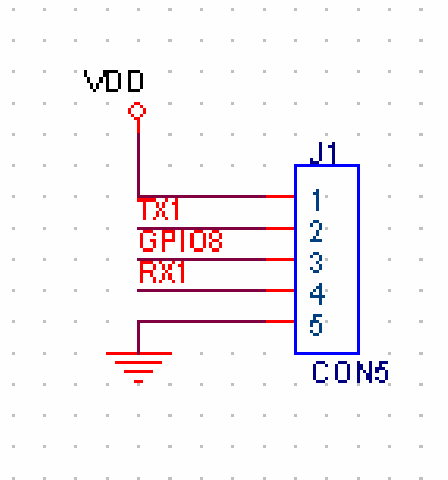
QRZ-3000-PA CONNECTORS PIN CONFIGURATION

QRZ-3000-PA uses Megawin MPC82E54A as MCU. It is an 8051 base MCU and reserves 10 GPIO pins for external controlling by application. Each pin can be a general I/O pin and programmed it by user directly. Furthermore, most of these pins can be used as special purpose function. Thereof TX, RX pins can be programmed as UART for data communication. For example, user is easy to connect these pins with RS485 transceivers such as 75176, MAX485, or programs to a 10-bit ADC, or PCA.

QRZ-3000-PA ZigBee transceiver provides J1, J2 two connectors for application usage. The J1 connector circuit and pin configuration show as below in which VDD and GND are used for power supply. The TX and RX are used for UART transmitting and receiving data. But TX and RX are used in pair. That means you can't use TX or RX only and use another pin as GPIO. The pin 3 is a MCU GPIO pin and defined as port 1.3. In programming stage, TX, VDD and GND of J1 are also defined as Megawin ISP programming interface for downloading the program



Connector J1 Pin Configuration



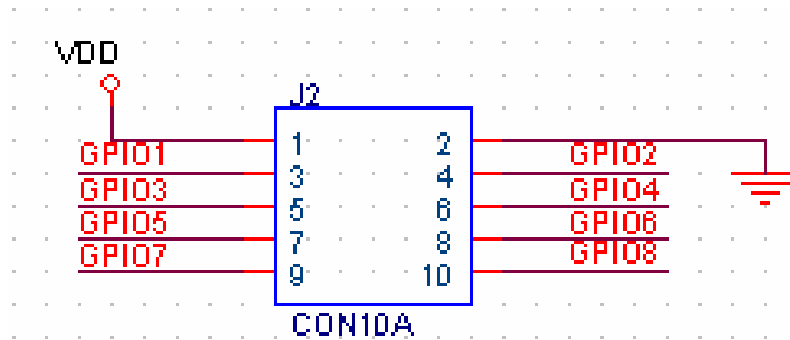
Connector J1 Pin Configuration

Signal	Pin	Description
VDD	1	3.3 Volt power for the QRZ-3000-PA
TX	2	GPIO, also used as UART TX, transmit Data is the data input to the QRZ-3000-PA
RX	3	GPIO, also used as UART RX, received Data is the data output from the QRZ-3000-PA.
P1.3	4	GPIO8, also used as ADC3, this pin is same pin as J2 pin 10
GND	5	Common voltage reference for the QRZ-3000-PA

The J2 connector circuit and the pin configuration show as below in which VDD and GND are used for power supply. The pin 3 to P10 are MCU GPIO pins and defined as port 1.0~port 1.3, port3.3~port3.5, port3.7 respectively. These GPIO pins can interface with other devices such as sensor, LED, host controller, push button, joystick or power relays through a 5x2 connector. All of these GPIO pins can be programmed as other functions such as external interrupt, 10-bit ADC (3 sets), timer (16-bit), PGA(Programmable Counter Array) etc. The detail function definitions have showed as below.



Connector J2 Pin Configuration



Connector J2 Pin Configuration

Signal	Pin	Description
VDD	1	3.3 Volt power for the QRZ-3000-PA
GND	2	Common voltage reference for the QRZ-3000-PA
GPIO1	3	GPIO port 3.3, may be programmed as either a digital input or digital output. It also can be programmed as external interrupt
GPIO2	4	GPIO port 3.4, may be programmed as either a digital input or digital output. It also can be programmed as external clock input to PCA as alternative clock input to timer-0
GPIO3	5	GPIO port 3.5, may be programmed as either a digital input or digital output. It also can be programmed as external clock input to PCA as alternative clock input to timer-1
GPIO4	6	GPIO port 3.7, may be programmed as either a digital input or digital output. It also can be programmed as external clock input to PCA
GPIO5	7	GPIO port 1.0, may be programmed as either a digital input or digital output. It also can be programmed as analog to digital converter (ADC0)
GPIO6	8	GPIO port 1.1, may be programmed as either a digital input or digital output. It also can be programmed as analog to digital converter (ADC1)
GPIO7	9	GPIO port 1.2, may be programmed as either a digital input or digital output. It also can be programmed as analog to digital converter (ADC2)
GPIO8	10	GPIO port 1.3, may be programmed as either a digital input or digital output. It also can be programmed as analog to digital converter (ADC3)



Absolute Maximum Rating	
VCC	3.6V
Storage temperature	-40°C to +120°C
Operating temperature Range	-30°C to +80°C

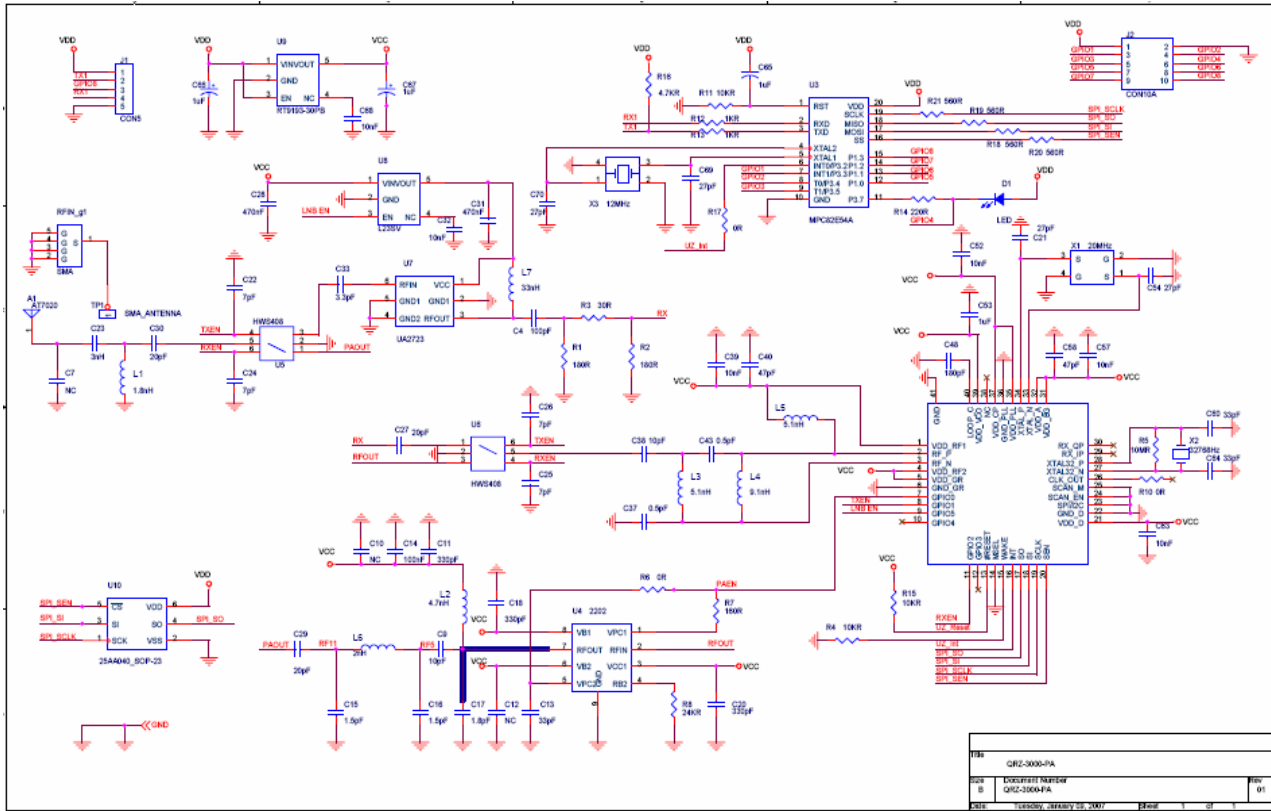
WARNING: Exceeding any of these ratings will void the warranty and may damage the device

QRZ-3000-PA ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Parameters	Min	Typ	Max	Units
Supply Voltage for RF, analog and digital circuits	2.4		3.6	V
Supply Voltage for Digital I/O	2.4	3.3	3.6	V
Current Consumption				
ACTIVE TX Mode @ 15 dBm		77		mA
ACTIVE RX Mode		18		mA
IDLE Mode		7.5		mA
STANDBY Mode		3.5		uA
DEEP SLEEP Mode		2		uA
Output Power	-23.75	15		dBm
Wireless Receive Sensitivity		-95		dBm
Range thru no Physical Obstructions @ 15 dBm		500		meter
Selectable Channels		16		channel
Frequency Band	2.400		2.4835	GHz
Antenna Output Impedance		50		Ohms



QRZ-3000-PA CIRCUIT DIAGRAM

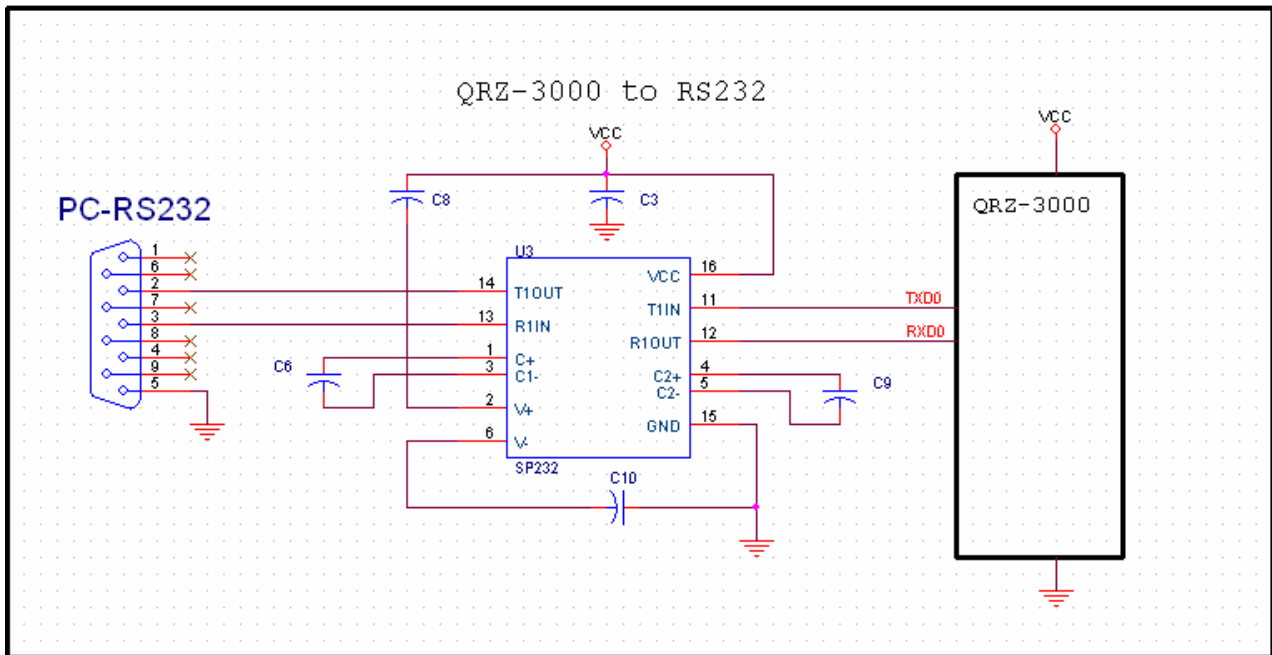


PART LIST OF QRZ-3000-PA CIRCUIT DIAGRAM

Item	Quantity	Reference	Part	Description
1	1	A1	AT7020	LCC8
2	1	C4	100pF	0402
3	1	C7	NC	0402
4	1	C9	10pF	0402
5	2	C10,C12	NC	0402
6	3	C11,C18,C20	330pF	0402
7	1	C13	33pF	0402
8	1	C14	100nF	0402
9	2	C16,C15	1.5pF	0402
10	1	C17	1.8pF	0402
11	2	C21,C54	27pF	0402
12	4	C22,C24,C25,C26	7pF	0402
13	1	C23	3nH	0402
14	2	C27,C29	20pF	0402
15	2	C31,C28	470nF	0402



16	1	C30	20pF	0402
17	1	C32	10nF	0402
18	1	C33	3.3pF	0402
19	2	C37,C43	0.5pF	0402
20	1	C38	10pF	0402
21	4	C39,C52,C58,C63	10nF	0402
22	2	C57,C40	47pF	0402
23	1	C48	180pF	0402
24	1	C53	1uF	0402
25	2	C60,C64	33pF	0402
26	3	C65,C66,C67	1uF	0805
27	1	C68	10nF	0402
28	2	C69,C70	27pF	0402
29	1	D1	LED	0805
30	1	J1	CON5	WAFER-A2501WV-5P
31	1	J2	CON10A	HD5X2_2.54
32	1	L1	1.8nH	0402
33	1	L2	4.7nH	0402
34	2	L5,L3	5.1nH	0402
35	1	L4	9.1nH	0402
36	1	L6	2nH	0402
37	1	L7	33nH	0402
38	1	RFIN_g1	SMA	
39	2	R2,R1	180R	0402
40	1	R3	30R	0402
41	1	R4	10KR	0402
42	1	R5	10MR	0402
43	2	R6,R17	0R	0402
44	1	R7	160R	0402
45	1	R8	24KR	0402
46	1	R10	0R	0402
47	2	R15,R11	10KR	0402
48	2	R12,R13	1KR	0402
49	1	R14	220R	0402
50	1	R16	4.7KR	0402
51	4	R18,R19,R20,R21	560R	0402



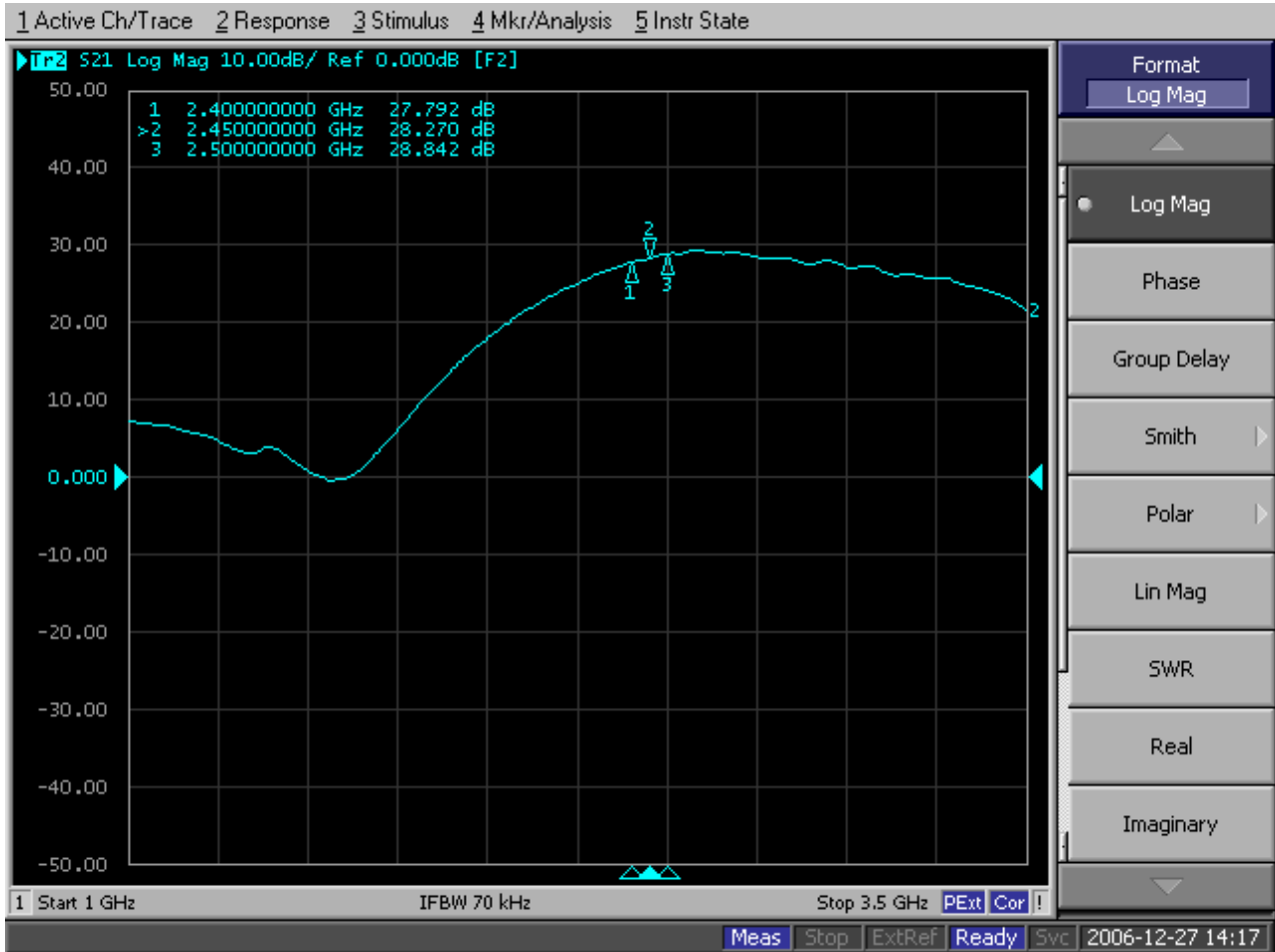
RF PERFORMANCE

For an RF power amplifier, the performance degrades when output power reaches the non-linearity region. The maximum linear power of PA depends on P1dB point and signal complexity such as modulation, data length and data rate. For UP2202, linear gain is around 27dB and P1dB output power is 26 dBm. To optimize the maximum output power, the output power of UZ2400 (that is, the input power of UP2202) should be adjusted for various system needs.



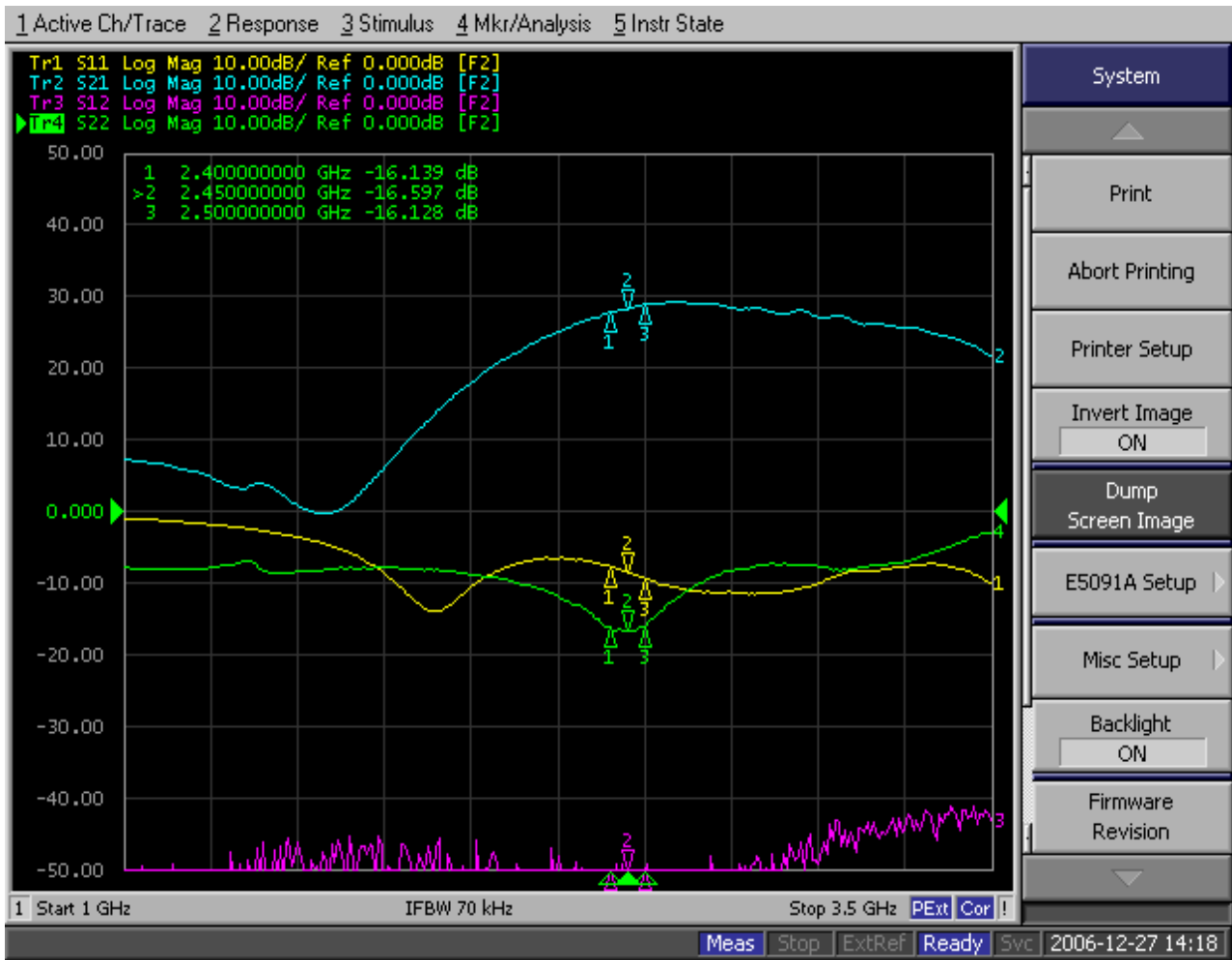
RF PERFORMANCE TEST DATA

Maximum PA output power 28.79dB





Return Loss: -16.5dB



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