

DATA SHEET

TDA1521A

2 x 6 W hi-fi audio power amplifier

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2 x 6 W hi-fi audio power amplifier**TDA1521A****GENERAL DESCRIPTION**

The TDA1521A is a dual hi-fi audio power amplifier encapsulated in a 9-lead plastic power package. The device is especially designed for mains fed applications (e.g. stereo tv sound and stereo radio).

Features

- Requires very few external components
- Input muted during power-on and off
(no switch-on or switch-off clicks)
- Low offset voltage between output and ground
- Excellent gain balance between channels
- Hi-fi according to IEC 268 and DIN 45500
- Short-circuit-proof
- Thermally protected.

QUICK REFERENCE DATA**Stereo applications**

Supply voltage range	V_P	$\pm 7,5$ to $\pm 21,0$ V	
Output power at THD = 0,5%, $V_P = \pm 12$ V	P_O	typ.	6 W
Voltage gain	G_V	typ.	30 dB
Gain balance between channels	ΔG_V	typ.	0,2 dB
Ripple rejection	SVRR	typ.	60 dB
Channel separation	α	typ.	70 dB
Noise output voltage	$V_{no(rms)}$	typ.	70 μ V

PACKAGE OUTLINE

TDA1521A: 9-lead single in-line; plastic power (SOT 110B); SOT110-1; 1996 July 22.

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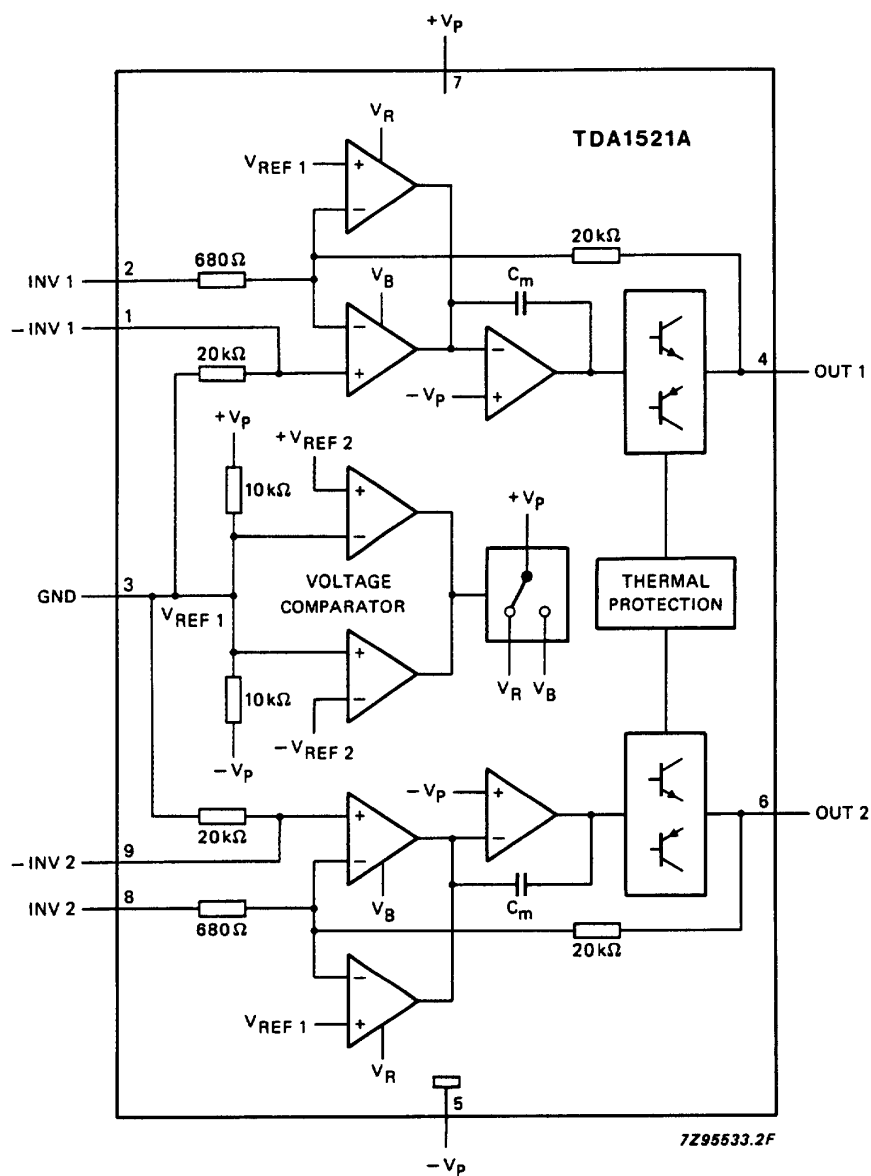


Fig.1 Block diagram.

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PINNING

1	–INV1	non-inverting input 1	5	–V _P	negative supply (symmetrical) ground (asymmetrical)
2	INV1	inverting input 1	6	OUT2	output 2
3	GND	ground (symmetrical) ½ V _P (asymmetrical)	7	+ V _P	positive supply
4	OUT1	output 1	8	INV2	inverting input 2
			9	–INV2	non-inverting input 2

FUNCTIONAL DESCRIPTION

This hi-fi stereo power amplifier is designed for mains fed applications. The circuit is designed for both symmetrical and asymmetrical power supply systems. An output power of 2 × 6 watts (THD = 0,5%) can be delivered into an 8 Ω load with a symmetrical power supply of ± 12 V.

The gain is fixed internally at 30 dB. Internal gain fixing gives low gain spread and very good balance between the amplifiers (0,2 dB).

A special feature of this device is a mute circuit which suppresses unwanted input signals during switching on and off. Referring to Fig.12, the 100 µF capacitor creates a time delay when the voltage at pin 3 is lower than an internally fixed reference voltage. During the delay the amplifiers remain in their DC operating mode but are isolated from the non-inverting inputs on pins 1 and 9.

Two thermal protection circuits are provided, one monitors the average junction temperature and the other the instantaneous temperature of the power transistors. Both protection circuits activate at 150 °C allowing safe operation to a maximum junction temperature of 150 °C without added distortion.

RATINGS

Limiting values in accordance with the Absolute Maximum System (IEC 134)

PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	SYMBOL	MIN.	MAX.	UNIT
Supply voltage	pin 7	$V_P = V_{7-3}$	–	+21	V
	pin 5	$-V_P = V_{5-3}$	–	–21	V
Non-repetitive peak output current	pins 4 and 6	I_{OSM}	–	4	A
Total power dissipation	see Fig.2	P_{tot}			
Storage temperature range		T_{stg}	–55	+ 150	°C
Junction temperature		T_j	–	150	°C
Short-circuit time: outputs short-circuited to ground (full signal drive)	see note 1				
	symmetrical power supply	t_{sc}	–	1	hour
	asymmetrical power supply	t_{sc}	–	1	hour

Note

- For asymmetrical power supplies (at short circuiting of the load) the maximum supply voltage is limited to $V_P = 28$ V.

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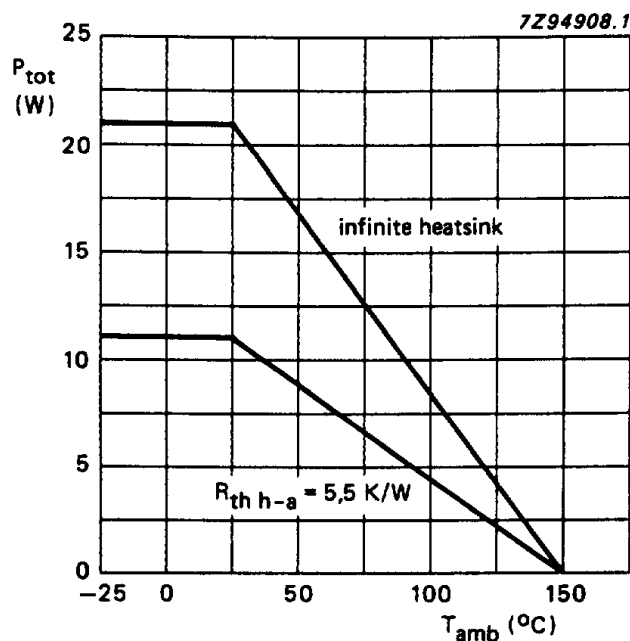


Fig.2 Power derating curve.

THERMAL RESISTANCE

From junction to case

$$R_{th\ j-c} = 6\text{ K/W}$$

HEATSINK DESIGN EXAMPLE

With derating of 6 K/W, the value of heatsink thermal resistance is calculated as follows:

given $R_L = 8\ \Omega$ and $V_P = \pm 12\text{ V}$, the measured maximum dissipation is 7.8 W; then, for a maximum ambient temperature of 60 °C, the required thermal resistance of the heatsink is

$$R_{th\ h-a} = \frac{150 - 60}{7.8} - 6 = 5.5\text{ K/W}$$

Note: The metal tab (heatsink) has the same potential as pin 5 ($-V_P$).

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CHARACTERISTICS

PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	SYMBOL	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	UNIT
Supply voltage range						
operating mode		V_P	$\pm 7,5$	$\pm 12,0$	$\pm 20,0$	V
input mute mode		V_P	$\pm 2,0$	–	$\pm 5,8$	V
Repetitive peak output current		I_{ORM}	–	–	2,2	A
Operating mode: symmetrical power supply; test circuit as per Fig.11; $V_P = \pm 12$ V; $R_L = 8 \Omega$; $T_{amb} = 25$ °C; $f = 1$ kHz						
Total quiescent current	without R_L	I_{tot}	18	40	70	mA
Output power	THD = 0,5%	P_O	5	6	–	W
	THD = 10%	P_O	6,5	8,0	–	W
Total harmonic distortion	$P_O = 4$ W	THD	–	0,15	0,2	%
Power bandwidth	THD = 0,5%					
	note 1	B		20 to 16 k		Hz
Voltage gain		G_V	29	30	31	dB
Gain balance		ΔG_V	–	0,2	1,0	dB
Noise output voltage (r.m.s. value); unweighted (20 Hz to 20 kHz)	$R_S = 2$ k Ω	$V_{no(rms)}$	–	70	140	μ V
Input impedance		$ Z_i $	14	20	26	k Ω
Ripple rejection	note 2	SVRR	40	60	–	dB
Channel separation	$R_S = 0 \Omega$	α	46	70	–	dB
Input bias current		I_{ib}	–	0,3	–	μ A
DC output offset voltage	with respect to ground	V_{OFF}	–	30	200	mV
Input mute mode: symmetrical power supply; test circuit as per Fig.11; $V_P = \pm 4$ V; $R_L = 8 \Omega$; $T_{amb} = 25$ °C; $f = 1$ kHz						
Total quiescent current	without R_L	I_{tot}	9	30	40	mA
Output voltage	$V_i = 600$ mV	V_{out}	–	0,6	1,8	mV
Noise output voltage (r.m.s. value); unweighted (20 Hz to 20 kHz)	$R_S = 2$ k Ω	$V_{no(rms)}$	–	70	140	μ V
Ripple rejection	note 2	SVRR	35	55	–	dB
DC output offset voltage	with respect to ground	V_{OFF}	–	40	200	mV

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PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	SYMBOL	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	UNIT
Operating mode: asymmetrical power supply; test circuit as per Fig.12; $V_P = 24\text{ V}$; $R_L = 8\ \Omega$; $T_{\text{amb}} = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$; $f = 1\text{ kHz}$						
Total quiescent current		I_{tot}	18	40	70	mA
Output power	THD = 0,5%	P_o	5	6	—	W
	THD = 10%	P_o	6,5	8	—	W
Total harmonic distortion	$P_o = 4\text{ W}$	THD	—	0,13	0,2	%
Power bandwidth	THD = 0,5%			40 to		
	note 1	B		16 k		Hz
Voltage gain		G_v	29	30	31	dB
Gain balance		ΔG_v	—	0,2	1,0	dB
Noise output voltage (r.m.s. value); unweighted (20 Hz to 20 kHz)	$R_S = 2\text{ k}\Omega$	$V_{\text{no(rms)}}$	—	70	140	μV
Input impedance		$ Z_i $	14	20	26	$\text{k}\Omega$
Ripple rejection		SVRR	35	44	—	dB
Channel separation	$R_S = 0\ \Omega$	α	—	45	—	dB

Notes to the characteristics

1. Power bandwidth at $P_{o\text{ max}} - 3\text{ dB}$.
2. Ripple rejection at $R_S = 0\ \Omega$, $f = 100\text{ Hz}$ to 20 kHz ; ripple voltage = 200 mV (r.m.s. value) applied to positive or negative supply rail.

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APPLICATION INFORMATION

Input mute circuit

The input mute circuit operates only during switching on and off of the supply voltage. The circuit compares the $\frac{1}{2}$ supply voltage (at pin 3) with an internally fixed reference voltage (V_{ref}), derived directly from the supply voltage. When the voltage at pin 3 is lower than V_{ref} the non-inverting inputs (pins 1 and 9) are disconnected from the amplifier. The voltage at pin 3 is determined by an internal voltage divider and the external 100 μ F capacitor.

During switching on, a time delay is created between the reference voltage and the voltage at pin 3, during which the input terminal is disconnected, (as illustrated in Fig.3).

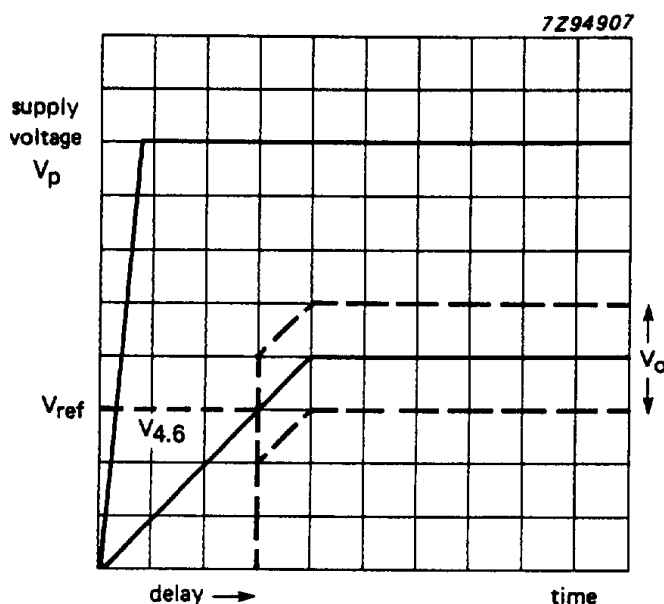


Fig.3 Input mute circuit; time delay.

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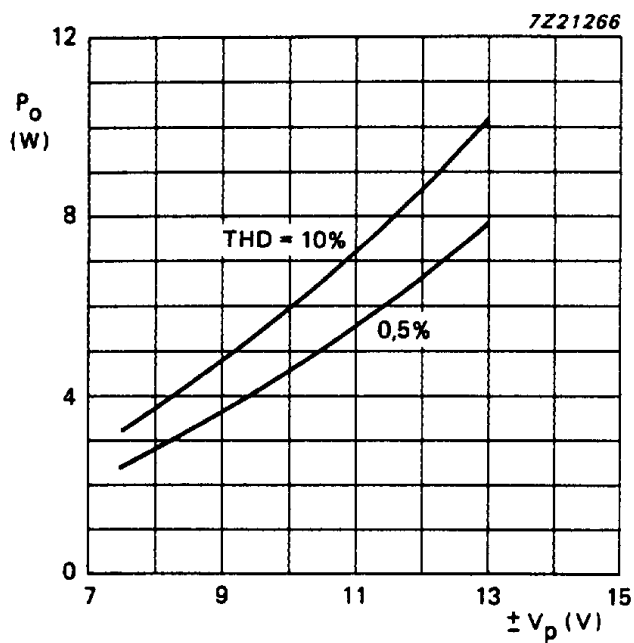


Fig.4 Output power as a function of supply voltage; symmetrical supply; $R_L = 8 \Omega$; $f = 1 \text{ kHz}$.

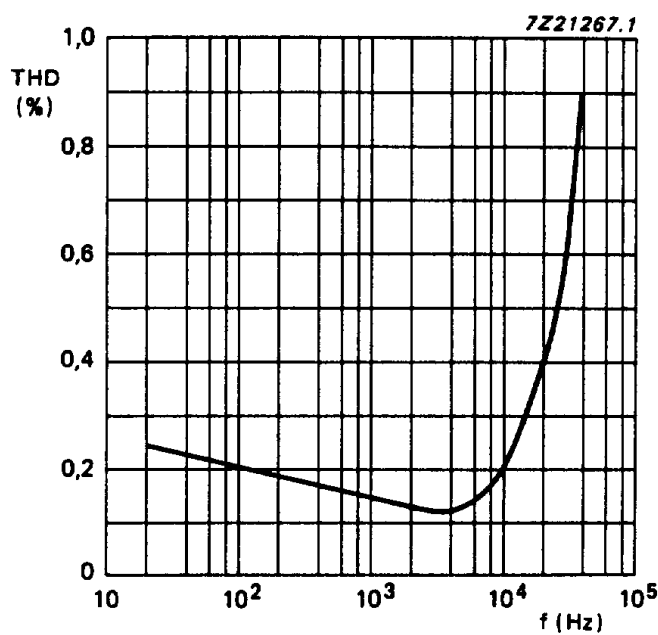


Fig.5 Distortion as a function of frequency; symmetrical supply; $V_p = \pm 12 \text{ V}$; $R_L = 8 \Omega$; $P_o = 3 \text{ W}$.

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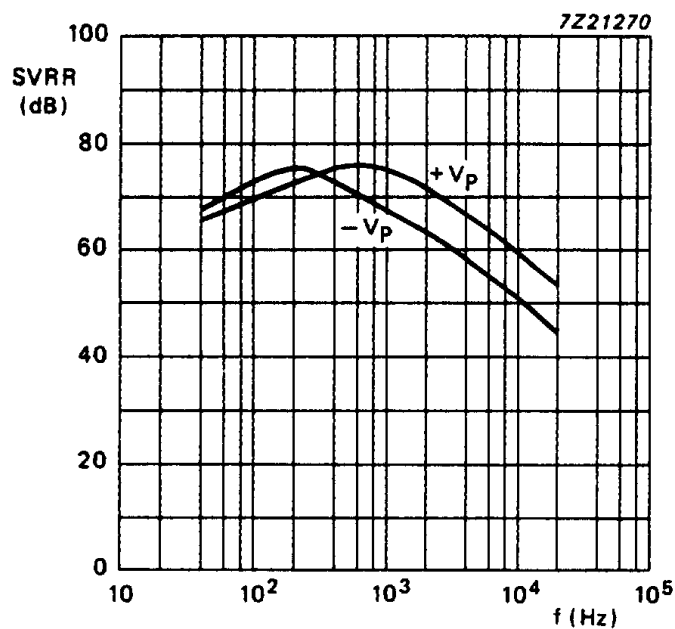


Fig.6 Supply voltage ripple rejection; symmetrical supply, $V_P = \pm 12$ V; $V_{RR} = 200$ mV.

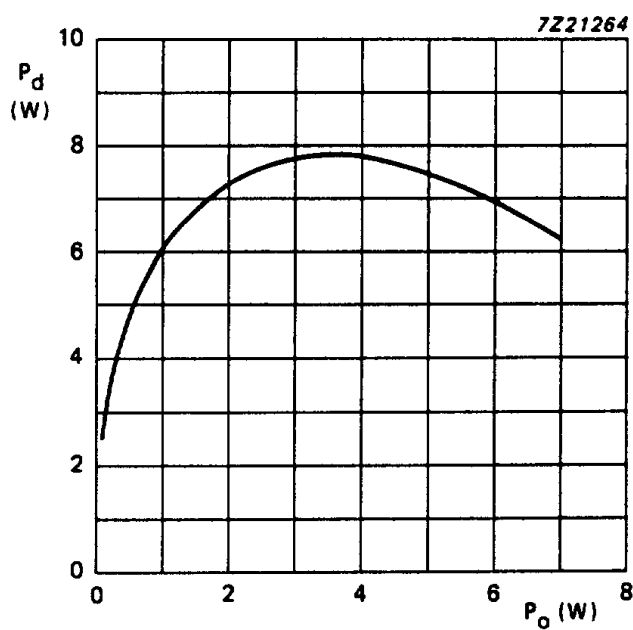


Fig.7 Power dissipation as a function of output power; asymmetrical supply; $V_S = 24$ V; $R_L = 8 \Omega$; $f = 1$ kHz.

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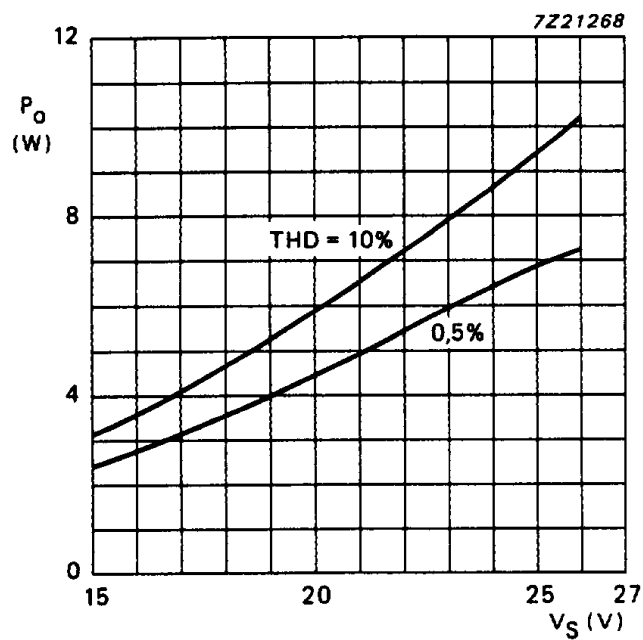


Fig.8 Output power as a function of supply voltage; asymmetrical supply; $R_L = 8 \Omega$; $f = 1$ kHz.

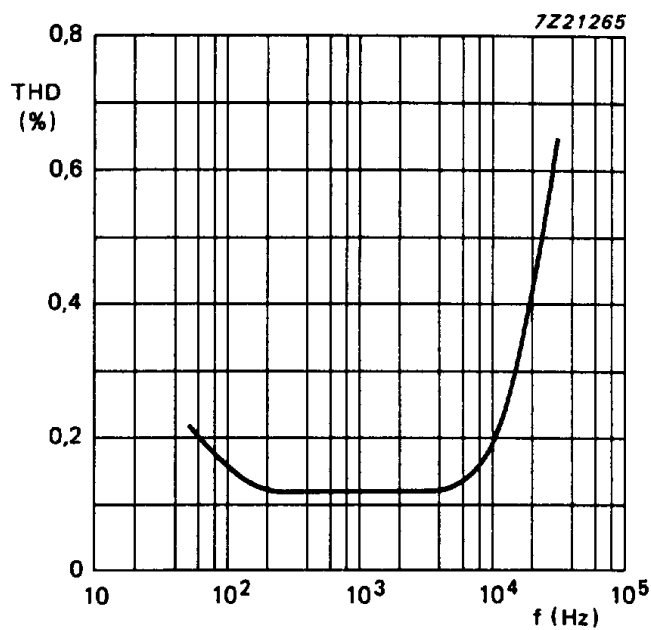


Fig.9 Distortion as a function of frequency; asymmetrical supply; $V_S = 24$ V; $R_L = 8 \Omega$; $P_o = 3$ W.

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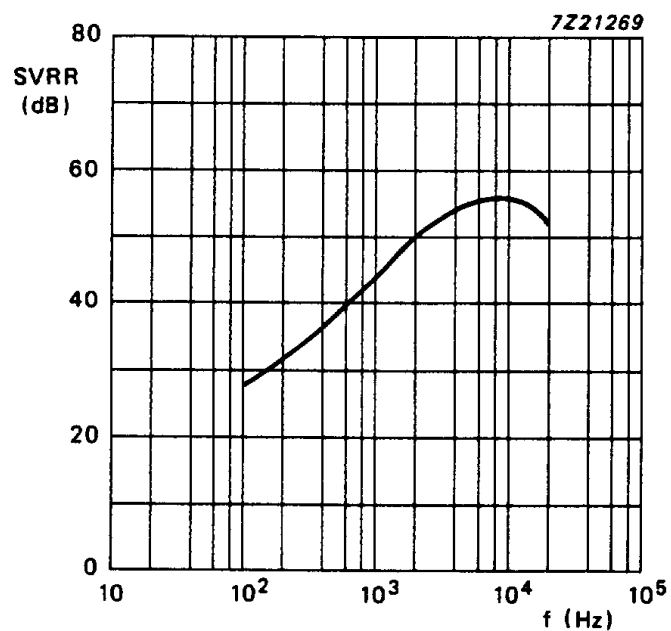


Fig.10 Supply voltage ripple rejection; asymmetrical supply; $V_S = 24$ V; $V_{RR} = 200$ mW.

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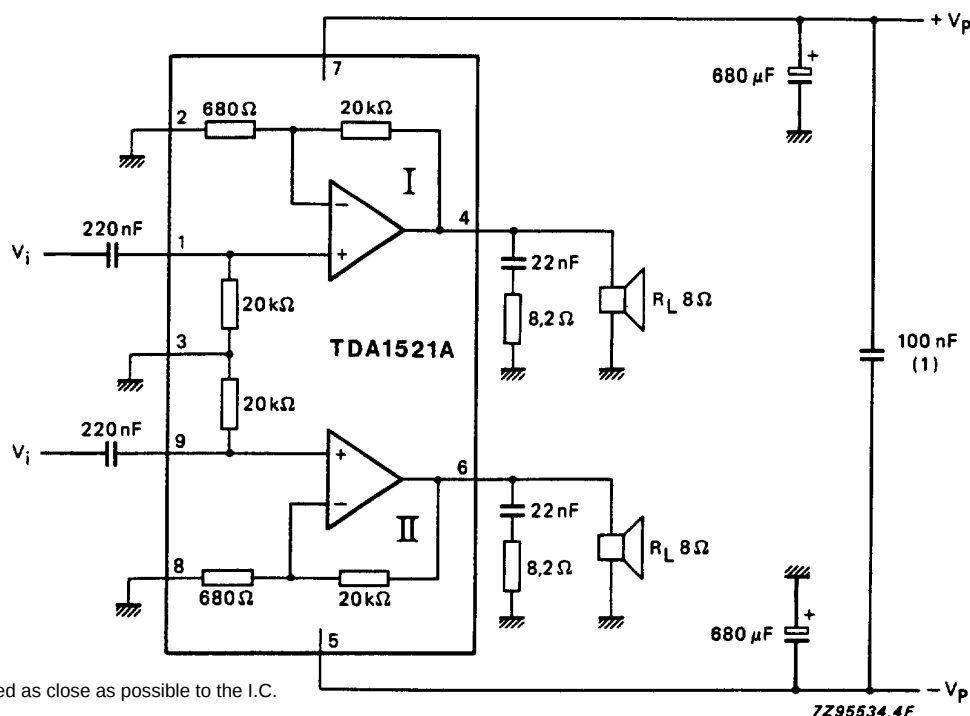


Fig.11 Test and application circuit; symmetrical power supply.

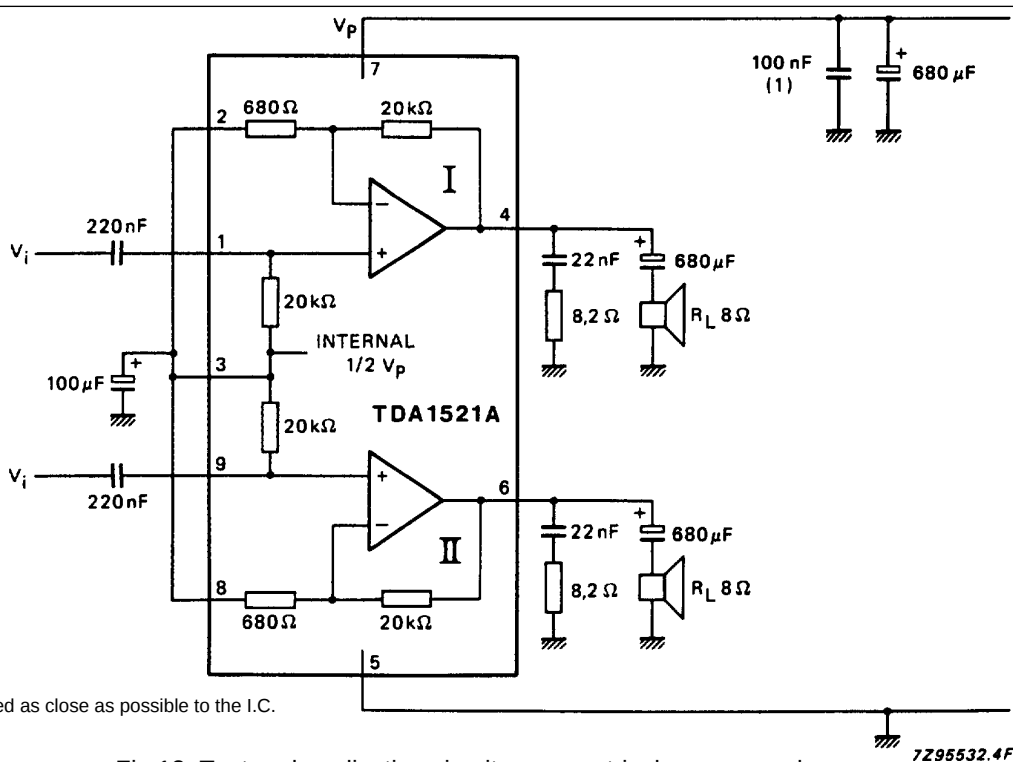


Fig.12 Test and application circuit; asymmetrical power supply.

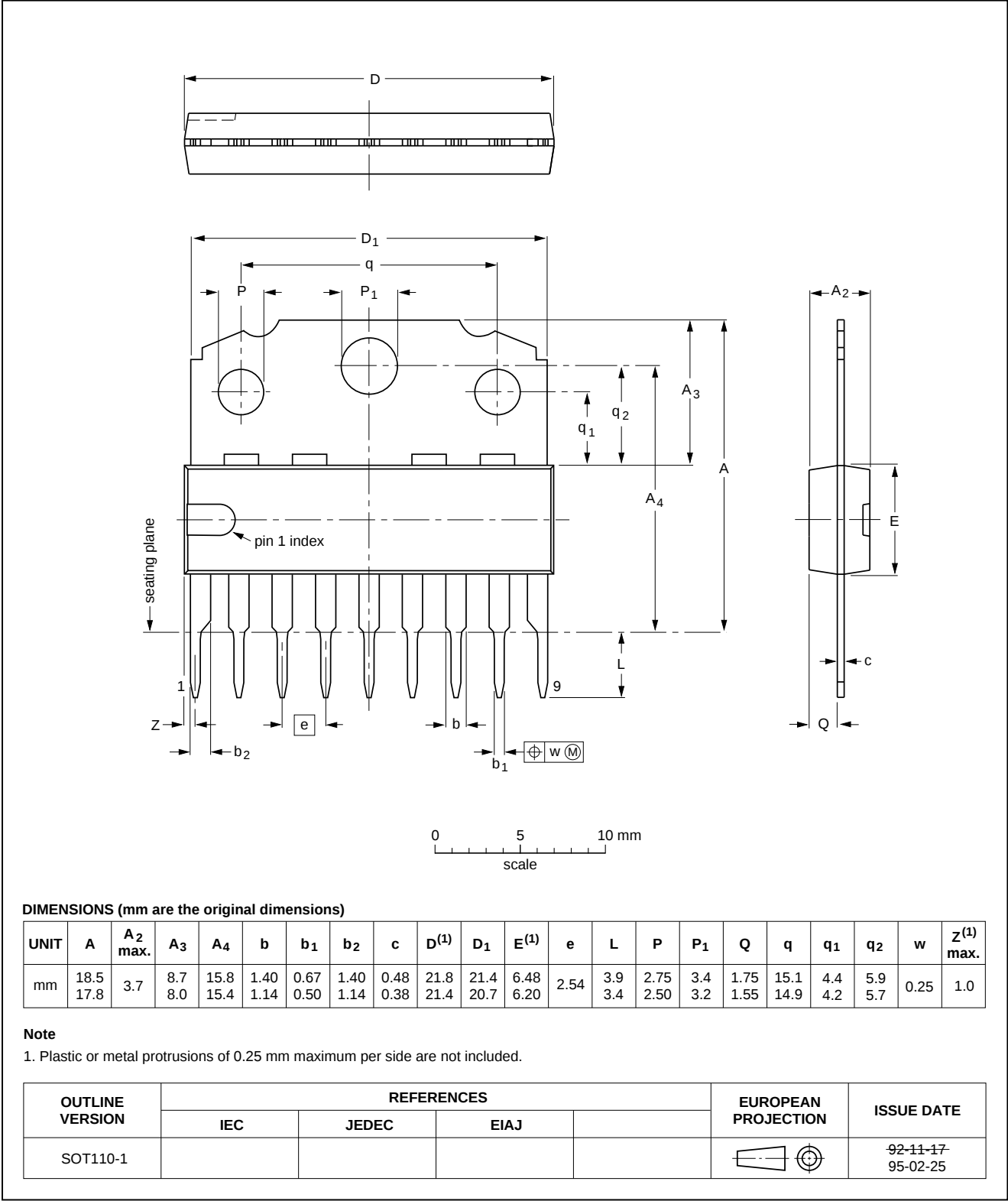
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PACKAGE OUTLINE

SIL9MPF: plastic single in-line medium power package with fin; 9 leads

SOT110-1



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SOLDERING**Introduction**

There is no soldering method that is ideal for all IC packages. Wave soldering is often preferred when through-hole and surface mounted components are mixed on one printed-circuit board. However, wave soldering is not always suitable for surface mounted ICs, or for printed-circuits with high population densities. In these situations reflow soldering is often used.

This text gives a very brief insight to a complex technology. A more in-depth account of soldering ICs can be found in our *"IC Package Databook"* (order code 9398 652 90011).

Soldering by dipping or by wave

The maximum permissible temperature of the solder is 260 °C; solder at this temperature must not be in contact with the joint for more than 5 seconds. The total contact time of successive solder waves must not exceed 5 seconds.

The device may be mounted up to the seating plane, but the temperature of the plastic body must not exceed the specified maximum storage temperature ($T_{stg\ max}$). If the printed-circuit board has been pre-heated, forced cooling may be necessary immediately after soldering to keep the temperature within the permissible limit.

Repairing soldered joints

Apply a low voltage soldering iron (less than 24 V) to the lead(s) of the package, below the seating plane or not more than 2 mm above it. If the temperature of the soldering iron bit is less than 300 °C it may remain in contact for up to 10 seconds. If the bit temperature is between 300 and 400 °C, contact may be up to 5 seconds.

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