High Reliability SP5T RF Switch 50MHz to 8000MHz

## Description

The F2955 is a high reliability, low insertion loss, $50 \Omega$ SP5T absorptive RF switch designed for a multitude of RF applications, including wireless communications. This device covers a broad frequency range from 50 MHz to 8000 MHz . In addition to providing low insertion loss, the F2955 also delivers excellent linearity and isolation performance while providing a $50 \Omega$ termination to the unused RF input ports. The F2955 also includes a patent-pending constant impedance ( $\left.\mathbf{K}_{[z]^{\top M}}\right)^{\top}$ feature. $\mathrm{K}_{[z]}$ improves system hot switching ruggedness, minimizes LO pulling in VCOs, and reduces phase and amplitude variations in distribution networks. It is also ideal for dynamic switching/selection between two or more amplifiers while avoiding damage to upstream/downstream sensitive devices, such as power amplifiers (PAs) and analog-todigital converters (ADCs).
The F2955 uses a single positive supply voltage supporting three logic control pins using either 3.3 V or 1.8 V control logic. Connecting a negative voltage to pin 20 disables the internal negative voltage generator and becomes the negative supply.

## Competitive Advantage

The F2955 provides constant impedance in all RF ports during transitions, improving a system's hot-switching ruggedness. The device also supports high-power handling and high isolation, particularly important for DPD receiver use.

- Constant impedance $\mathrm{K}_{\mathbf{| z |}}$ during switching transition
- RFX to RFC isolation $=49 \mathrm{~dB}$ at 4 GHz
- Insertion loss $=1.1 \mathrm{~dB}$ at 4 GHz
- IIP3: +60.5 dBm at 4 GHz
- Extended temperature: $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+105^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$


## Typical Applications

- Base Station 2G, 3G, 4G
- Portable Wireless
- Repeaters and E911 Systems
- Digital Pre-distortion
- Point-to-Point Infrastructure
- Public Safety Infrastructure
- Military Systems, JTRS Radios
- Cable Infrastructure
- Test / ATE Equipment


## Features

- Five symmetric, absorptive RF ports
- High isolation: 49 dB at 4000 MHz
- Low insertion loss: 1.1 dB at 4000 MHz
- High linearity:
- IIP2 of 114 dBm at 2000 MHz
- IIP3 of 60.5 dBm at 4000 MHz
- High operating power handling:
- 33dBm CW on selected RF port
- 27 dBm on terminated ports
- Single 2.7 V to 5.5 V supply voltage
- External negative supply option
- 3.3 V and 1.8 V compatible control logic
- Operating temperature: $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+105^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
- $4 \times 4 \mathrm{~mm} 24-\mathrm{QFN}$ package
- Pin compatible with competitors


## Block Diagram

Figure 1. Block Diagram


## Pin Assignments

Figure 2. Pin Assignments for $4 \times 4 \times 0.75 \mathrm{~mm}$ 24-QFN - Top View


## Pin Descriptions

Table 1. Pin Descriptions

| Number | Name | Description |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1,3,4,6,7,9,10,12, \\ & 13,15,21,23,24 \end{aligned}$ | GND | Ground these pins as close to the device as possible. |
| 2 | RF5 | RF5 Port. Matched to $50 \Omega$. If this pin is not OV DC, then an external coupling capacitor must be used. |
| 5 | RF4 | RF5 Port. Matched to $50 \Omega$. If this pin is not OV DC, then an external coupling capacitor must be used. |
| 8 | RF3 | RF5 Port. Matched to $50 \Omega$. If this pin is not OV DC, then an external coupling capacitor must be used. |
| 11 | RF2 | RF5 Port. Matched to $50 \Omega$. If this pin is not 0 V DC, then an external coupling capacitor must be used. |
| 14 | RF1 | RF5 Port. Matched to $50 \Omega$. If this pin is not 0 V DC, then an external coupling capacitor must be used. |
| 16 | VDD | Power Supply. Bypass to GND with capacitors as shown in the "Typical Application Circuit" (Figure 39) as close as possible to the pin. |
| 17 | V1 | Control pin to set the switch state. See Table 8. |
| 18 | V2 | Control pin to set the switch state. See Table 8. |
| 19 | V3 | Control pin to set the switch state. See Table 8. |
| 20 | VSSExt | External VSS negative voltage control. Connect to ground to enable on-chip negative voltage generator. To bypass and disable on chip generator connect this pin to an external VSS. |
| 22 | RFC | RF Common Port. Matched to $50 \Omega$ when one of the $5 R F$ ports is selected. If this pin is not $0 \mathrm{~V} D C$, then an external coupling capacitor must be used. |
|  | EPAD | Exposed Paddle. Internally connected to GND. Solder this exposed pad to a PCB pad that uses multiple ground vias to provide heat transfer out of the device into the PCB ground planes. These multiple ground vias are also required to achieve the specified RF performance. |

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

Stresses beyond those listed below may cause permanent damage to the device. Functional operation of the device at these or any other conditions beyond those indicated in the operational section of this specification is not implied. Exposure to absolute maximum rating conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.

Table 2. Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Parameter | Symbol | Minimum | Maximum | Unit |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| VDD to GND | $V_{D D}$ | -0.3 | +5.5 | V |
| V1, V2, V3 to GND | $V_{\text {cntl }}$ | -0.3 | $\begin{gathered} \text { Lower of } \\ \left(3.6, V_{D D}+0.3\right) \end{gathered}$ | V |
| RF1, RF2, RF3, RF4, RF5, RFC to GND | $V_{\text {RF }}$ | -0.3 | +0.3 | V |
| VSSEXt to GND | VSSExt | -4.0 | +0.3 | V |
| Input Power for Any One Selected RF Through Port ( $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{DD}}$ applied at 2 GHz and $\mathrm{T}_{\text {EPAD }}=+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) | Pmaxthru |  | 37 | dBm |
| Input Power for Any One Selected RF Terminated Port (VDD applied at 2 GHz and $\mathrm{T}_{\text {EPAD }}=+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) | Pmaxterm |  | 30 | dBm |
| Input Power for RFC When in the All Off State ( $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{DD}}$ applied at 2 GHz and $\mathrm{T}_{\text {EPAD }}=+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) | Pmaxcom |  | 33 | dBm |
| Continuous Power Dissipation ${ }^{[a]}\left(\mathrm{T}_{\text {EPAD }}=+95^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right.$ Max) | Pcont |  | 3 | W |
| Maximum Junction Temperature | TJMAX |  | +125 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Storage Temperature Range | Tst | -65 | +150 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Lead Temperature (soldering, 10s) | TLEAD |  | +260 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| ESD Voltage - HBM (Per JESD22-A114) | $V_{\text {ESDHBM }}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} 1500 \\ \text { (Class 1C) } \end{gathered}$ | V |
| ESD Voltage - CDM (Per JESD22-C101) | $V_{\text {ESDCDM }}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} 1000 \\ \text { (Class C3) } \end{gathered}$ | V |

[a] $T_{\text {EPAD }}=$ Temperature of the exposed paddle

## Recommended Operating Conditions

Table 3. Recommended Operating Conditions

| Parameter | Symbol | Condition |  | Minimum | Typical | Maximum | Unit |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Power Supply Voltages | VDD | Pin 20 grounded |  | 2.7 |  | 5.25 | V |
|  |  | Pin 20 driven with VSSExT |  | 2.7 |  | 5.25 |  |
|  | VSSEXt | Negative supply ${ }^{\text {[] }}$ |  | -3.6 | -3.4 | -3.2 |  |
| Operating Temperature Range | Tepad | Exposed paddle |  | -40 |  | +105 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| RF Frequency Range | $\mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{RF}}$ |  |  | 50 |  | 8000 | MHz |
| RF Continuous Input CW Power ${ }^{[b]}$ | PrF | Selected ports |  |  |  | 33 | dBm |
|  |  | Terminated ports ${ }^{[c]}$ |  |  |  | 27 |  |
| RF Continuous Input CW Power for Hot RF Switching [c] | Prfsw | RFC as the input | Switch to RF1 through RF5 |  |  | 27 | dBm |
|  |  |  | Switched into or out of all off state |  |  | 24 |  |
|  |  | RF1 through RF5 as the inputs | Switched to RFC or into term[c] |  |  | 27 |  |
|  |  |  | Switch into or out of all off conditions |  |  | 27 |  |
| RF1 through 5 Port Impedance | $\mathrm{Z}_{\text {RFX }}$ |  |  |  | 50 |  | $\Omega$ |
| RFC Port Impedance | $Z_{\text {RFC }}$ |  |  |  | 50 |  |  |

[a] For normal operation, connect $\mathrm{VSS}_{\text {Ext }}$ (pin 20) $=0 \mathrm{~V}$ to GND to enable the internal negative voltage generator. If $\mathrm{VSS}_{\text {Ext }}$ is applied to pin 20 , the on-chip negative voltage generator is disabled, completely eliminating any generator spurious responses.
[b] Levels based on $\mathrm{T}_{\text {EPAD }} \leq 85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. See Figure 3 for the power de-rating curve for higher case temperatures.
[c] In any of the insertion loss modes or when switching into any insertion loss mode, any 3 of the 4 remaining terminated port paths can be each exposed to the maximum stated power level during continuous or hot switching operation.

Figure 3. Maximum CW RF Input Operating Power vs. RF Frequency


## Electrical Characteristics (1)

Table 4. Electrical Characteristics
Typical application circuit (Figure 39), Normal Mode (VDD $=3.3 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{VSS}_{\text {ExT }}=0 \mathrm{~V}$ ) or Bypass Mode ( $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{DD}}=3.3 \mathrm{~V}$, VSSExT $=-3.3 \mathrm{~V}$ ), $\mathrm{T}_{\text {EPAD }}=+25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, $f_{R F}=2000 \mathrm{MHz}$, input power $=0 \mathrm{dBm}, \mathrm{Z}_{\mathrm{s}}=\mathrm{Z}_{\mathrm{L}}=50 \Omega, \mathrm{RFX}=$ one of the five input ports, and PCB board trace and connector losses are deembedded unless otherwise noted.

| Parameter | Symbol | Condition |  | Minimum | Typical | Maximum | Unit |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Logic Input High | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{H}}$ |  |  | $1.1{ }^{\text {[a] }}$ |  | Lower of (3.6, VDD) | V |
| Logic Input Low | VIL |  |  | -0.3 |  | 0.6 | V |
| Logic Current | $\mathrm{IH}_{\mathrm{H},} \mathrm{IL}^{\text {L }}$ | For each control pin |  | -2 |  | +2 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| VDD DC Current | lod | Normal Mode | 3.3 V or 1.8V logic |  | 290 | 360 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
|  |  | Bypass Mode | 3.3 V or 1.8V logic |  | 270 | 340 |  |
| DC Current (VSSExT) | Ivss | VSSExT $=-3.3 \mathrm{~V}$ |  |  | -46 | -60 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ |
| Insertion Loss RFX to RFC | IL | $\mathrm{frF}=900 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  |  | 0.93 | 1.4 | dB |
|  |  | $f_{R F}=2100 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  |  | 1.1 | 1.5 |  |
|  |  | $f_{\text {RF }}=2700 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  |  | 1.2 | 1.6 |  |
|  |  | $2700 \mathrm{MHz}<\mathrm{f}_{\text {RF }} \leq 4000 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  |  | 1.1 | 1.65 |  |
|  |  | $4000 \mathrm{MHz}<\mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{RF}} \leq 8000 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  |  | 2.3 |  |  |
| Insertion Loss Flatness | ILflat | 400 MHz to 38 <br> Any 400MHz r |  |  | 0.1 | 0.4 | dB |
| Minimum Isolation RFX to RFC [b]cc] | ISOC | $400 \mathrm{MHz} \leq \mathrm{f}_{\text {fF }} \leq 900 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 57.5 | 62 |  | dB |
|  |  | 900 MHz < frF $\leq 2100 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 51 | 55 |  |  |
|  |  | $2100 \mathrm{MHz}<\mathrm{f}_{\text {RF }} \leq 2700 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 49.5 | 54 |  |  |
|  |  | $2700 \mathrm{MHz}<\mathrm{f}_{\text {RF }} \leq 4000 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 45 | 49 |  |  |
|  |  | $4500 \mathrm{MHz} \leq \mathrm{f}_{\text {fF }} \leq 5500 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 43 | 44.8 |  |  |
| Minimum Isolation RFX to RFX [bld] | ISOX | $400 \mathrm{MHz} \leq \mathrm{f}_{\text {RF }} \leq 900 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 56.5 | 59 |  | dB |
|  |  | $900 \mathrm{MHz}<\mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{RF}} \leq 2100 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 50 | 53 |  |  |
|  |  | $2100 \mathrm{MHz}<\mathrm{f}_{\text {RF }} \leq 2700 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 48 | 51 |  |  |
|  |  | $2700 \mathrm{MHz}<\mathrm{f}_{\text {RF }} \leq 4000 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 44.5 | 48 |  |  |
|  |  | $4500 \mathrm{MHz} \leq \mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{RF}} \leq 5500 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 41 | 43 |  |  |

[a] Specifications in the minimum/maximum columns that are shown in bold italics are guaranteed by test. Specifications in these columns that are not shown in bold italics are guaranteed by design characterization.
[b] With one path always active.
[c] Minimum value specified for RFC to RF1 through RF4 only. Specification does not apply to RF5.
[d] Each of the 4 inputs to any other input, 4 states only, RF5 removed.

## Electrical Characteristics (2)

Table 5. Electrical Characteristics
Typical application circuit (Figure 39), Normal Mode ( $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{DD}}=3.3 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{VSS}$ ExT $=0 \mathrm{~V}$ ) or Bypass Mode ( $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{DD}}=3.3 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{VSS}$ ExT $=-3.3 \mathrm{~V}$ ), $\mathrm{T}_{\text {EPAD }}=+25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, $f_{R F}=2000 \mathrm{MHz}$, input power $=0 \mathrm{dBm}, Z_{s}=Z_{L}=50 \Omega, R F X=$ one of the five input ports, and PCB board trace and connector losses are de-embedded unless otherwise noted.

| Parameter | Symbol | Condition | Minimum | Typical | Maximum | Unit |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Minimum RFC Return Loss ${ }^{[b]}$ | RLRFC | $400 \mathrm{MHz} \leq \mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{RF}} \leq 900 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 23 |  | dB |
|  |  | $900 \mathrm{MHz}<\mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{RF}} \leq 2100 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 18 |  |  |
|  |  | $2100 \mathrm{MHz}<\mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{RF}} \leq 2700 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 16 |  |  |
|  |  | $2700 \mathrm{MHz}<\mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{RF}} \leq 4000 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 16 |  |  |
|  |  | $4500 \mathrm{MHz} \leq \mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{RF}} \leq 5500 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 23 |  |  |
| Minimum RFX Return Loss ${ }^{[b]}$ (Active Thru) | RLRFC_A | $400 \mathrm{MHz} \leq \mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{RF}} \leq 900 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 23 |  | dB |
|  |  | $900 \mathrm{MHz}<\mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{RF}} \leq 2100 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 16 |  |  |
|  |  | $2100 \mathrm{MHz}<\mathrm{ffF} \leq 2700 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 15 |  |  |
|  |  | $2700 \mathrm{MHz}<\mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{RF}} \leq 4000 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 14 |  |  |
|  |  | $4500 \mathrm{MHz} \leq \mathrm{ffF} \leq 5500 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 17 |  |  |
| Minimum RFX Return Loss ${ }^{[b]}$ (Terminated State) | RLRFX_T | $400 \mathrm{MHz} \leq \mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{RF}} \leq 900 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 30 |  | dB |
|  |  | $900 \mathrm{MHz}<\mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{RF}} \leq 2100 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 22 |  |  |
|  |  | $2100 \mathrm{MHz}<\mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{RF}} \leq 2700 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 20 |  |  |
|  |  | $2700 \mathrm{MHz}<\mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{RF}} \leq 4000 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 15 |  |  |
|  |  | $4500 \mathrm{MHz} \leq \mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{RF}} \leq 5500 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 14 |  |  |
| Maximum RFX Port VSWR During Switching | VSWR ${ }_{\text {T }}$ | From RFX Active to RFX Terminated |  | 1.7:1 |  |  |
|  |  | From RFX Terminated to RFX Active |  | 2:1 |  |  |
| Input 1dB Compression [c] | $I C P_{1 d B}$ |  | $34[$ [a] | 36.5 |  | dBm |
| Input 0.1dB Compression ${ }^{\text {[c] }}$ | $1 \mathrm{CP}_{0.1 \mathrm{~dB}}$ |  | 28 | 35 |  | dBm |
| Input IP2 (Insertion Loss State) | IIP2 | $\begin{aligned} & f_{R F 1}=2000 \mathrm{MHz}, f_{R F 2}=2010 \mathrm{MHz} \\ & R F_{\text {input }}=R F X, \mathrm{P}_{1 \mathrm{~N}}=+20 \mathrm{dBm} / \text { tone } \\ & f_{R F 1}+\mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{RF} 2}=4010 \mathrm{MHz} \end{aligned}$ |  | 114 |  | dBm |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & f_{R F 1}=4900 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{f}_{\text {RF2 }}=4910 \mathrm{MHz} \\ & R F \text { Input }=\mathrm{RFX}, \mathrm{P}_{1 \mathrm{~N}}=+20 \mathrm{dBm} / \text { tone } \\ & \mathrm{f}_{\text {RF1 }}+\mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{RF} 2}=9810 \mathrm{MHz} \end{aligned}$ |  | 106 |  |  |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & f_{R F 1}=5500 \mathrm{MHz}, \mathrm{f}_{\text {RF }}=5510 \mathrm{MHz} \\ & R \mathrm{FFinput}=\mathrm{RFX}, \mathrm{P}_{\mathrm{IN}}=+20 \mathrm{dBm} / \text { tone } \\ & \mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{RF} 1}+\mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{RF} 2}=11010 \mathrm{MHz} \end{aligned}$ |  | 111 |  |  |

[a] Specifications in the minimum/maximum columns that are shown in bold italics are guaranteed by test. Specifications in these columns that are not shown in bold italics are guaranteed by design characterization.
[b] With one path always active.
[c] The input 0.1 dB and 1 dB compression points are linearity figures of merit. Refer to the "Absolute Maximum Ratings" section 0 for the maximum RF input power and for maximum operating RF input power.

## Electrical Characteristics (3)

Table 6. Electrical Characteristics
Typical application circuit (Figure 39), Normal Mode ( $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{DD}}=3.3 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{VSS}_{\text {Ext }}=0 \mathrm{~V}$ ) or Bypass Mode ( $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{DD}}=3.3 \mathrm{~V}$, VSSExt $=-3.3 \mathrm{~V}$ ), $\mathrm{T}_{\text {EPAD }}=+25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, $\mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{RF}}=2000 \mathrm{MHz}$, input power $=0 \mathrm{dBm}, \mathrm{Z}_{\mathrm{s}}=\mathrm{Z}_{\mathrm{L}}=50 \Omega$, RFX $=$ one of the five input ports, and PCB board trace and connector losses are de-embedded unless otherwise noted.

| Parameter | Symbol | Condition |  | Minimum | Typical | Maximum | Unit |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Input IP3 | IIP3 | $\Delta f=5 \mathrm{MHz}$ <br> RF Input = RFX <br> $\mathrm{P}_{\text {IN }}=+15 \mathrm{dBm} /$ tone | $\mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{RF}}=400 \mathrm{MHz}$ | $45{ }^{\text {a] }}$ | 60.5 |  | dBm |
|  |  |  | $\mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{RF}}=2000 \mathrm{MHz}$ | 56 | 60 |  |  |
|  |  |  | $\mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{RF}}=4000 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 60.5 |  |  |
|  |  |  | $\mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{RF}}=4900 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 55 |  |  |
|  |  |  | $\mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{RF}}=5500 \mathrm{MHz}$ |  | 55 |  |  |
| Group Delay | GD |  |  |  | 0.43 | 1 | ns |
| Switching Time - Bypass $\left(\right.$ VSS $\left._{\text {EXT }}=-3.3 \mathrm{~V}\right){ }^{[b][c]}$ | tbp-on1 | 50\% CTRL to 90\% maximum RF power |  |  | 256 | 345 | ns |
|  | tsp-on2 | $50 \%$ CTRL to RF power settled to within $\pm 0.1 \mathrm{~dB}$ of maximum power |  |  | 285 |  |  |
|  | tbp.off | $50 \%$ CTRL to $10 \%$ maximum RF power |  |  | 256 | 345 |  |
| Switching Time -Normal $\left(V_{S S}{ }_{\text {EXT }}=0 \mathrm{~V}\right){ }^{[b][c]}$ | tn-on1 | $50 \%$ CTRL to $90 \%$ maximum RF power |  |  | 245 |  | ns |
|  | tn-on2 | $50 \%$ CTRL to RF power settled to within $\pm 0.1 \mathrm{~dB}$ of maximum power |  |  | 295 |  |  |
|  | tn-on3 | $50 \%$ CTRL to $99 \%$ RF maximum RF power |  |  | 350 |  |  |
|  | $\mathrm{t}_{\text {n-OFF1 }}$ | $50 \%$ CTRL to $10 \%$ maximum RF power |  |  | 200 |  |  |
|  | $\mathrm{t}_{\text {n-OFF2 }}$ | 50\% CTRL to 1\% maximum RF power |  |  | 245 |  |  |
| Maximum Switching Rate ${ }^{[d]}$ |  | Pin $20=$ GND |  |  | 25 |  | kHz |
|  |  | Pin $20=$ VSSExt applied |  |  | 290 |  |  |
| Maximum spurious level on any RF port ${ }^{[\mathrm{e}}$ ] | Spurmax | RF ports terminated into $50 \Omega$ <br> RFX connected to RFC |  |  | -120 |  | dBm |

[a] Specifications in the minimum/maximum columns that are shown in bold italics are guaranteed by test. Specifications in these columns that are not shown in bold italics are guaranteed by design characterization.
[b] $\mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{RF}}=1 \mathrm{GHz}$.
[c] RFC to RFX. In and out of all-off state [000].
[d] Minimum time required between switching of states $=1$ ( (Maximum Switching Rate).
[e] Spurious due to on-chip negative voltage generator. Typical generator fundamental frequency is 2.2 MHz .

## Thermal Characteristics

Table 7. Package Thermal Characteristics

| Parameter | Symbol | Value | Unit |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Junction-to-Ambient Thermal Resistance | $\theta_{\mathrm{JA}}$ | 41 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$ |
| Junction-to-Case Thermal Resistance <br> (Case is defined as the exposed paddle) | $\theta_{\mathrm{Jc}}$ | 6.4 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$ |
| Moisture Sensitivity Rating (Per J-STD-020) |  | MSL1 |  |

## Typical Operating Conditions (TOCs)

Unless otherwise noted for the TOC graphs on the following pages, the following conditions apply.

- $V_{D D}=3.3 \mathrm{~V}$.
- $\mathrm{T}_{\text {EPAD }}=+25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ (Temperature of exposed paddle).
- $f_{R F}=2000 \mathrm{MHz}$.
- RFX is the driven RF port, and RFC is the output port.
- $\quad$ PIN $=10 \mathrm{dBm}$ for all small signal tests.
- $P_{\text {IN }}=+15 \mathrm{dBm} /$ tone applied to selected RFX port for two-tone linearity tests.
- Two-tone frequency spacing $=5 \mathrm{MHz}$.
- $\mathrm{Z}_{\mathrm{s}}=\mathrm{Z}_{\mathrm{L}}=50 \Omega$.
- All unused RF ports terminated into $50 \Omega$.
- For insertion loss and isolation plots, RF trace and connector losses are de-embedded (see Figure 36 for the "EVKIT Trace and Connector Loss vs. Temperature" plot).
- Plots for isolation and insertion loss over temperature and voltage are for a typical path. For performance of a specific path, refer to the online S-Parameter file.


## Typical Performance Characteristics

Figure 4. Insertion Loss vs. Frequency over Selected Switch


Figure 6. Insertion Loss vs. Frequency over Voltage


Figure 8. RFC to RFX Isolation vs. Frequency


Figure 5. Insertion Loss vs. Frequency over Temperature


Figure 7. RFC to RFX Isolation vs. Frequency


Figure 9. Typical RFC to RFX Isolation vs. Frequency over Temperature


Figure 10. Typical RFC to RFX Isolation vs. Frequency over VDD


Figure 12. RFX to RFX Isolation vs. Frequency


Figure 14. Typical RFX to RFX Isolation vs. Frequency over VDD


Figure 11. RFX to RFX Isolation vs. Frequency


Figure 13. Typical RFX to RFX Isolation vs. Frequency over Temperature


Figure 15. RFX Return Loss vs. Frequency over Switch Path [Selected State]


Figure 16. Typical RFX Return Loss vs. Freq. over Temp. [Selected State]


Figure 18. RFC Return Loss vs. Frequency over Switch Path [Selected State]


Figure 20. Typical RFC Return Loss vs. Freq. over V DD [Selected State]


Figure 17. Typical RFX Return Loss vs. Frequency over VDD [Selected State]


Figure 19. Typical RFC Return Loss vs. Freq. over Temp. [Selected State]


Figure 21. RFX Return Loss vs. Frequenc y over Switch Path [Terminated State]


Figure 22. Typical RFX Return Loss vs. Freq. over Temp. [Terminated State]


Figure 24. Return Loss (During Switching) vs. Time


Figure 26. RFX Switching Time [RFX Terminated to RFX Active]


Figure 23. Typical RFX Return Loss vs. Freq. over VDD [Terminated State]


Figure 25. VSWR (During Switching) vs. Time


Figure 27. RFX Switching Time [RFX Active to RFX Terminated]


Figure 28. Switching Speed RFX to RFC All Off to On


Figure 30. RFX IIP3 vs. Frequency over Switch Path [Selected State]


Figure 32. RF2 IIP3 vs. Frequency over Temperature and Voltage


Figure 29. Switching Speed RFX to RFC On to All Off


Figure 31. RF1 IIP3 vs. Frequency over Temperature and Voltage


Figure 33. RF3 IIP3 vs. Frequency over Temperature and Voltage


Figure 34. RF4 IIP3 vs. Frequency over Temperature and Voltage


Figure 36. EVKIT Trace and Connector Loss vs. Temperature


Figure 35. RF5 IIP3 vs. Frequency over Temperature and Voltage


## Control Mode

To select the path of the F2915 use Table 8 to see the control voltage with either 1.8 V or 3.3 V logic.
Table 8. Switch Control Truth Table

| Mode | V3 | V2 | V1 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| All Off | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| RF1 On | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| RF2 On | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| RF3 On | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| RF4 On | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| RF5 On | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| All Off | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| All Off | 1 | 1 | 1 |

## Evaluation Kit Picture

Figure 37. Top View


Figure 38. Bottom View


## Evaluation Kit / Applications Circuit

Figure 39. Electrical Schematic


## Table 9. Bill of Material (BOM)

| Part Reference | QTY | Description | Manufacturer Part \# | Manufacturer |
| :---: | :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| C1, C3, C5, C7, C8, C9 | 6 | $100 \mathrm{pF} \pm 5 \%, 50 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{C} 0 \mathrm{G}$ Ceramic Capacitor (0402) | GRM1555C1H101J | Murata |
| C2 | 0 | Not Installed (0603) |  |  |
| C4 | 0 | Not Installed (0603) |  |  |
| C6 | 1 | $1000 \mathrm{pF} \pm 5 \%, 50 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{C0G}$ Ceramic Capacitor (0603) | GRM1885C1H102J | Murata |
| R1, R2, R3 | 3 | $0 \Omega \pm 1 \%, 1 / 10 \mathrm{~W}$, Resistor (0402) | ERJ-2GE0R00X | Panasonic |
| R4, R5, R6 | 3 | $100 \mathrm{k} \Omega \pm 1 \%, 1 / 10 \mathrm{~W}$, Resistor (0402) | ERJ-2RKF1003X | Panasonic |
| R7 | 1 | $15 \mathrm{k} \Omega \pm 1 \%, 1 / 10 \mathrm{~W}$, Resistor (0402) | ERJ-2RKF1502X | Panasonic |
| R8 | 1 | $22 \mathrm{k} \Omega \pm 1 \%, 1 / 10 \mathrm{~W}$, Resistor (0402) | ERJ-2RKF2202X | Panasonic |
| J1-J8 | 8 | Edge Launch SMA (0.375 inch pitch ground tabs) | $142-0701-851$ | Emerson Johnson |
| J9 | 1 | CONN HEADER VERT DBL 10 X 2 POS GOLD | 67997-120HLF | FCI |
| U1 | 1 | SP5T Switch 4mm x 4mm QFN24-EP | F2955NBGK | Renesas (IDT) |
|  | 1 | Printed Circuit Board | F29XX EVKIT Rev 02.0 | Renesas (IDT) |

## Evaluation Kit (EVKit) Operation

## External Supply Setup

1. Set up a VDD power supply in the voltage range of 2.7 V to 5.5 V and disable the power supply output.
2. If using the on-chip negative voltage generator, install a 2 -pin shunt to short pins 3 (GND) and 4 (VSSEXT) of J 9 .
3. If an external negative voltage supply is to be used, set its voltage within the range of -3.6 V to -3.2 V and disable it. Also, ensure there are no jumper connections on pins 3 and 4 of J 9 .

## Logic Control Setup

## Using the EVKIT to Manually Set the Control Logic

1. On connector J9, connect a 2 -pin shunt from pin 7 (VDD) to pin 8 (VDD_CTRL). This connection provides the VDD voltage supply to the Evaluation Board logic control pull-up network.
2. On connector 39 connect a 2-pin shunt from pin 9 (LVSEL2) to pin 10 (LVSEL). This connection enables $R 7$ ( $15 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ ) and $\mathrm{R} 8(22 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ ) to form a voltage divider to set the proper logic control levels to support the full voltage range of VDD. Note that when using the on-board R7 / R8 voltage divider, the current draw from the VDD supply will be higher by approximately VDD/37k $\Omega$.
3. Connector J9 has 3 logic input pins: V 1 (pin 20), V2 (pin 18), and V3 (pin 16). See Table 8 for the logic truth table. With the pull-up network enabled (as noted above), if these pins are left open, a logic HIGH will be provided through pull-up resistors R4, R5, and R6. To set a logic LOW to V1, V2, and V3, connect 2-pin shunts from pin 16 to pin 15 , pin 18 to pin 17 and pin 20 to pin 19, respectively.

## Using the External Control Logic

Pins 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10 of 39 should have no connection. External logic controls can be applied to 39 pins 16 (V3), 18 (V2) and 20 (V1). See Table 8 for the logic truth table.

## Turn On Procedure

1. Set up the supplies and Evaluation Board as noted in "External Supply Setup" and "Logic Control Setup" above.
2. Connect the preset disabled VDD power supply to pin 2 (VDD) and pin 1 (GND) of J9.
3. If the external negative voltage source is to be used, connect the disabled supply to pin 4 (VSSEXT) and pin 3 (GND) of J9. If using the on-chip negative supply, ensure that the 2-pin shunt is installed connecting pin 3 to pin 4 .
4. Enable the VDD supply and then enable the VSSEXT supply (if used).
5. Set the desired logic setting using V1, V2, and V3 to achieve the desired path setting, see Table 8. Note that external control logic should not be applied without VDD being applied first.

## Turn Off Procedure

1. If using external control logic, $\mathrm{V} 1, \mathrm{~V} 2$, and V 3 must be set to a logic LOW.
2. Disable any external VSSEXT supply.
3. Disable the VDD supply.

## Application Information

## Default Start-up

There are no internal pull-up or pull-down resistors on the control pins.

## Logic Control

Control pins V1, V2, and V3 are used to set the state of the SP5T switch (See Table 8).

## External $\mathbf{V}_{\text {ss }}$

The F2955 is designed with an on-chip negative voltage generator. This on-chip generator is enabled by connecting pin 20 of the device to ground. To disable the on-chip generator, apply a negative voltage to pin 20 (VSSExT) of the device within the range stated in the "Recommended Operating Conditions" (Table 3).

## Power Supplies

A common VDD power supply should be used for all pins requiring DC power. All supply pins should be bypassed with external capacitors to minimize noise and fast transients. Supply noise can degrade the noise figure, and fast transients can trigger ESD clamps and cause them to fail. Supply voltage change or transients should have a slew rate smaller than $1 \mathrm{~V} / 20 \mu \mathrm{~s}$. In addition, all control pins should remain at $0 \mathrm{~V}( \pm 0.3 \mathrm{~V})$ while the supply voltage ramps or while it returns to zero.

## Control Pin Interface

If control signal integrity is a concern and clean signals cannot be guaranteed due to overshoot, undershoot, ringing, etc., the following circuit at the input of each control pin is recommended. This applies to control pins 17,18 , and 19 as shown below.

Figure 40. Control Pin Interface Schematic


## Package Outline Drawings

The package outline drawings are appended at the end of this document and are accessible from the link below. The package information is the most current data available.
www.renesas.com/us/en/document/psc/24-vfafpn-package-outline-drawing-40-x-40-x-075-mm-body-05mm-pitch-epad-27-x-27-mmnbnbg24p3

## Marking Diagram

| IDTF2955 |
| :--- |
| NBGK |
| Z1528UZL |

Line 1 and 2 are the part number.
Line 3: "Z" is for the ASM Test Step.
Line 3: "YYWW" is the last two digits of the year plus the work week.
Line 3: "UZL" denotes the Assembler Code.

## Ordering Information

| Part Number | Package | MSL Rating | Carrier Type | Temperature Range |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| F2955NBGK | $4.0 \times 4.0 \times 0.75 \mathrm{~mm} 24-\mathrm{QFN}$ | MSL1 | Tray | $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+105^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| F2955NBGK8 | $4.0 \times 4.0 \times 0.75 \mathrm{~mm} 24-\mathrm{QFN}$ | MSL1 | Reel | $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+105^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| F2955EVBK | Evaluation Board |  |  |  |

## Revision History

| Date | Description of Change |
| :---: | :--- |
| February 7, 2023 | Updated disclaimer and POD links. |
| June 25, 2020 | - Rebranded the document as Renesas |
| February 21,2019 | - Corrected HBM ESD voltage in Table 2 |
| October 11,2018 | - Changed maximum value for "Maximum Junction Temperature" in Table 2 <br>  <br>  <br>  <br> - Changed maximum value for "VDD to GND" in Table 2 <br> - Updated maximum value for "Power Supply Voltages" in Table 3 |
| September 25, 2018 | Initial release. |




SIDE VIEW


RECOMMENDED LAND PATTERN
(PCB Top View, NSMD Design)

NOTES:

1. JEDEC compatibles.
2. All dimensions are in mm and angles are in degrees.
3. Use $\pm 0.05 \mathrm{~mm}$ for the non-toleranced dimensions.
4. Numbers in () are for references only.

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