

### FEATURES

- 12 dB Gain
- 50 to 1000 MHz Frequency Range
- Noise Figure: 2.3 dB
- Single +5 V Supply
- Small SOT-89 Package
- RoHS Compliant/Lead-free

### APPLICATIONS

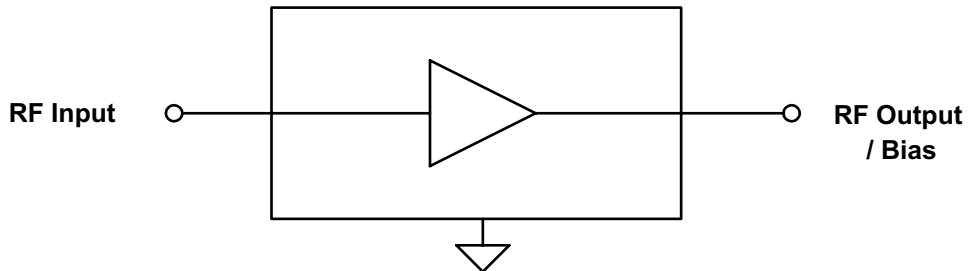
- Low Noise Amplifier for CATV Set-Top Boxes
- CATV Drop Amplifier



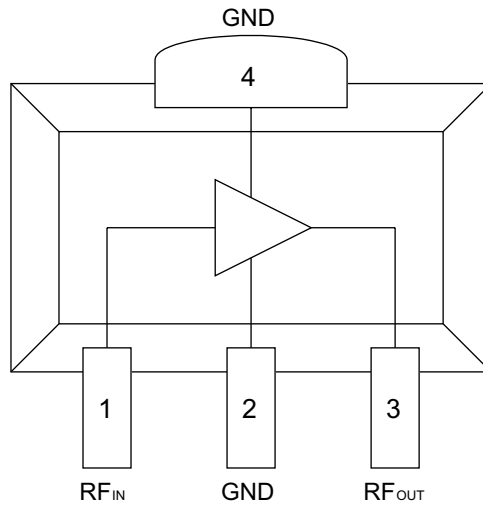
### PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

The ADA1200 is a highly linear amplifier developed to meet the stringent requirements of CATV systems. Offered in a low cost SOT-89 package, this GaAs MESFET design offers low noise and low distortion over a wide frequency range. The device is ideally

suited for applications as a Low Noise Amplifier in CATV Set-Top Boxes, and as a Drop Amplifier in CATV distribution systems. The ADA1200 requires a single +5 V supply, and typically consumes 400 mW of power.



**Figure 1: Block Diagram**



**Figure 2: Pinout**

**Table 1: Pin Description**

PIN	NAME	DESCRIPTION
1	RF <sub>IN</sub>	RF INPUT
2	GND	Ground
3	RF <sub>OUT</sub>	RF Output / Bias
4	GND	Ground

## ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Table 2: Absolute Minimum and Maximum Ratings

PARAMETER	MIN	MAX	UNIT
Device Voltage ( $V_{CC}$ )	0	+9	VDC
RF Input Power ( $P_{IN}$ )	-	+10	dBm
Storage Temperature ( $T_{STG}$ )	-40	+150	°C
Channel Temperature	-	+150	°C

Stresses in excess of the absolute ratings may cause permanent damage. Functional operation is not implied under these conditions. Exposure to absolute ratings for extended periods of time may adversely affect reliability.

Table 3: Operating Ranges

PARAMETER	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
RF Input/Output Frequency (f)	50	-	1000	MHz
Supply Voltage ( $V_{DD}$ )	-	+5	-	VDC
Case Temperature ( $T_C$ )	-40	-	+100	°C

The device may be operated safely over these conditions; however, parametric performance is guaranteed only over the conditions defined in the electrical specifications.

**Table 4: Electrical Specifications**  
 (T<sub>A</sub> = +25 °C, V<sub>DD</sub> = +5 VDC, f = 50 to 860 MHz, 75 Ω system, ref. Figure 3)

PARAMETER	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
Gain	10.5	12	13	dB
Noise Figure	-	2.3	3.5	dB
CSO <sup>(1)</sup> CH 5 & 6 (77.25 MHz & 83.25 MHz)	-	-	-57	dBc
CSO <sup>(1)</sup> all other channels	-	-	-59	dBc
CTB <sup>(1)</sup>	-	-75	-64	dBc
XMOD <sup>(1)</sup>	-	-73	-63	dBc
P1dB	-	66	-	dBmV
OIP <sup>(2)</sup>	+101	-	-	dBmV
3-Tone OIP3 <sup>(3)</sup>	+81	-	-	dBmV
Input Return Loss	-	-25	-16	dB
Output Return Loss	-	-25	-16	dB
Thermal Resistance (θ <sub>JC</sub> )	-	-	50	°C/W
Supply Current	-	80	100	mA

Notes:

- (1) 132 total channels, flat input; 110 analog channels @ +15 dBmV per channel; 22 digital channels (757.25 MHz to 871.25 MHz) @ 6 dB below analog channels; Standard NTSC channel plan (55.25 MHz to 871.25 MHz)
- (2) Two tones, 38 dBmV per tone at input (439.25 MHz and 853.25 MHz); IMD2 measured at 414.00 MHz.
- (3) Three tones, 38 dBmV per tone at input (67.25, 439.25 MHz, 853.25 MHz); IMD3 measured at 481.25 MHz (note that the related 2-tone IP3 is 3 dB higher than the 3-tone IP3).

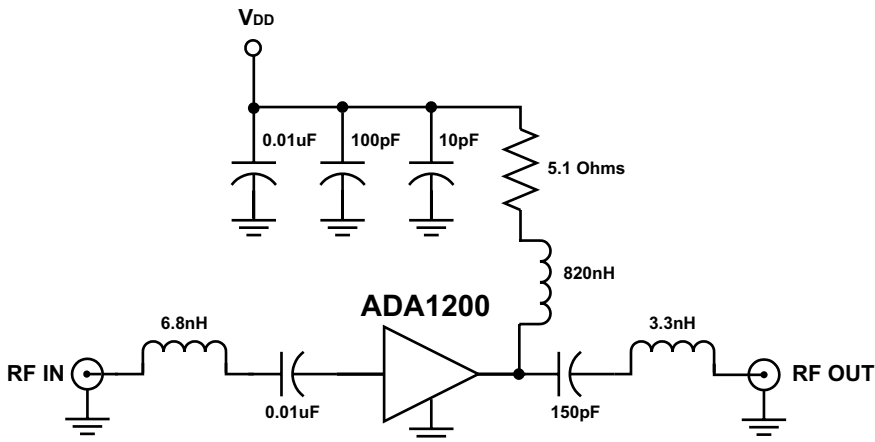
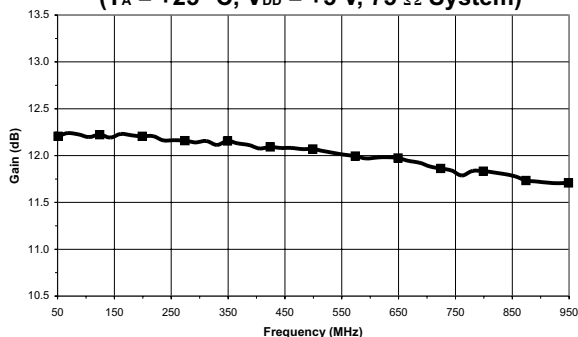


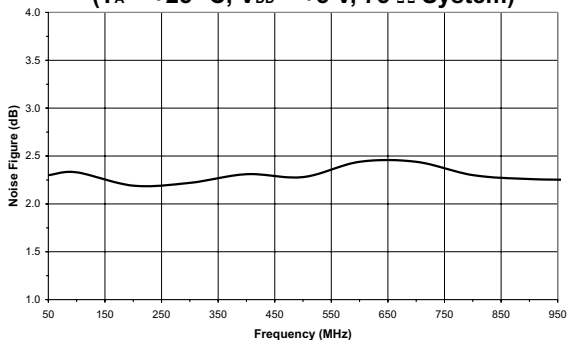
Figure 3: Test Circuit

PERFORMANCE DATA

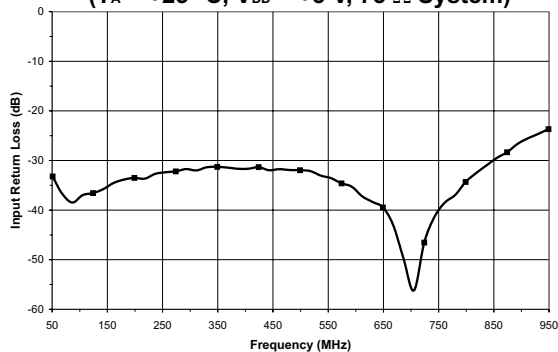
**Figure 4: Gain vs. Frequency**  
 (T<sub>A</sub> = +25 °C, V<sub>DD</sub> = +5 V, 75 Ω System)



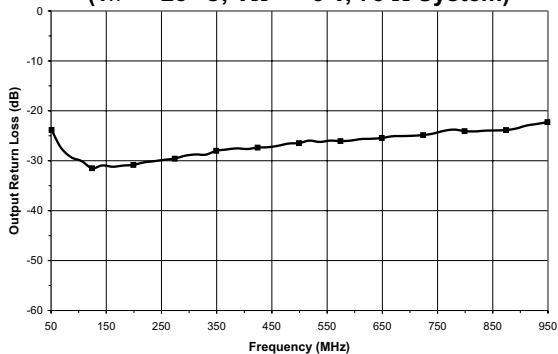
**Figure 5: Noise Figure vs. Frequency**  
 (T<sub>A</sub> = +25 °C, V<sub>DD</sub> = +5 V, 75 Ω System)



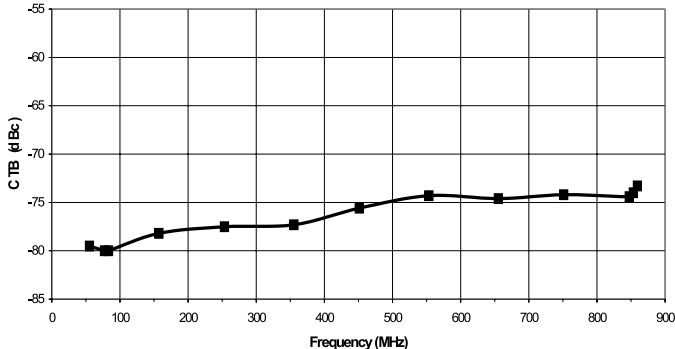
**Figure 6: Input Return Loss vs. Frequency**  
 (T<sub>A</sub> = +25 °C, V<sub>DD</sub> = +5 V, 75 Ω System)



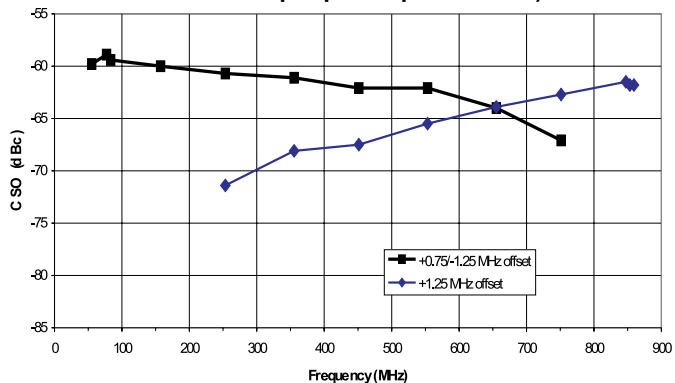
**Figure 7: Output Return Loss vs. Frequency**  
 (T<sub>A</sub> = +25 °C, V<sub>DD</sub> = +5 V, 75 Ω System)



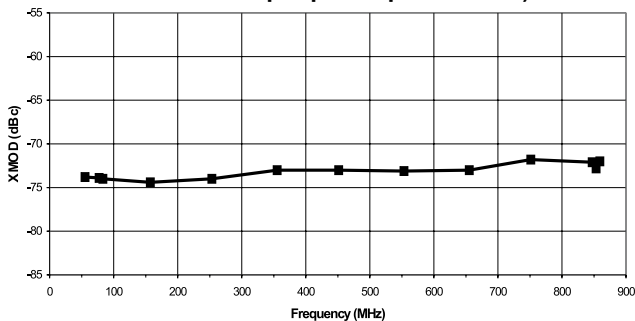
**Figure 8: CTB vs. Frequency**  
 (TA = +25°C, VDD = +5 V, 132 analog channels,  
 +15 dBmV input power per channel)



**Figure 9: CSO vs. Frequency**  
 (TA = +25°C, VDD = +5 V, 132 analog channels,  
 +15 dBmV input power per channel)

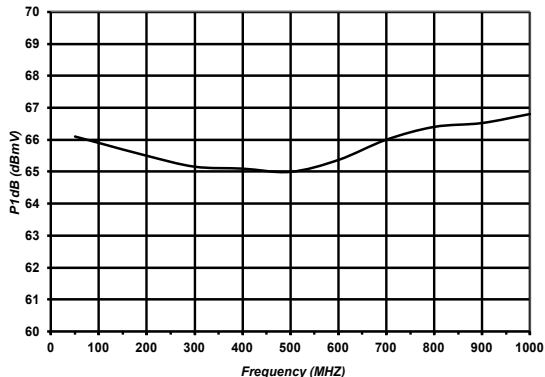


**Figure 10: XMOD vs. Frequency**  
 (TA = +25°C, VDD = +5 V, 132 analog channels,  
 +15 dBmV input power per channel)



P1DB MEASUREMENTS

Figure 11: ADA1200 P1dB vs. Frequency



MER MEASUREMENTS

Figure 12: ADA1200 MER – 64 QAM @ 85 MHz

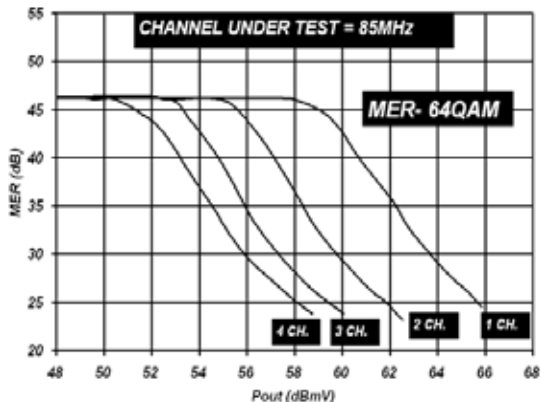


Figure 13: ADA1200 MER – 64 QAM @ 543 MHz

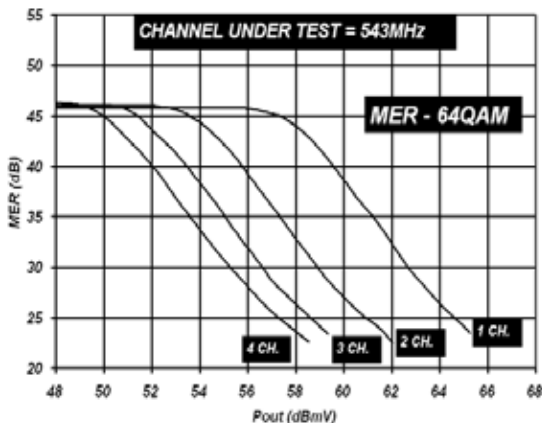


Figure 14: ADA1200 MER – 64 QAM @ 987 MHz

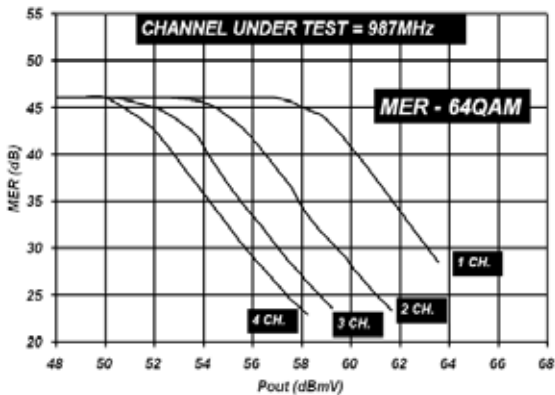
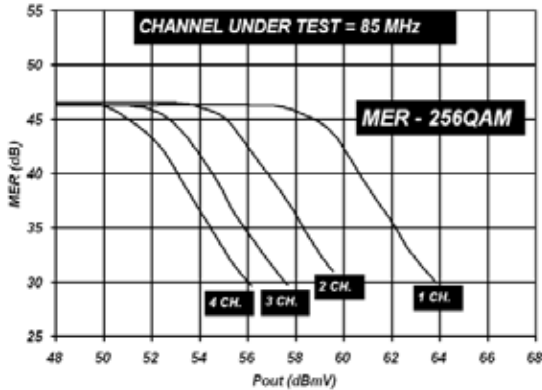


Figure 15: ADA1200 MER – 256 QAM @ 85 MHz



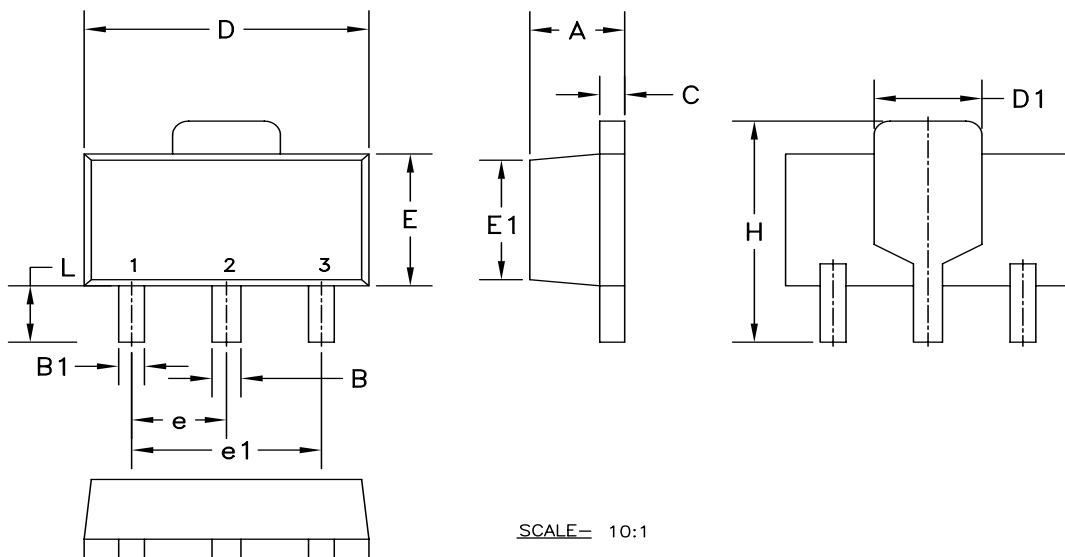


## APPLICATION INFORMATION

**Table 5: In Circuit S-Parameters**  
 ( $T_A = +25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ,  $V_{DD} = +5.0\text{ VDC}$ ,  $75\ \Omega$  system, ref. Figure 3)

FREQ	S11		S21		S12		S22		K Factor
	MHz	DB	ANG	DB	ANG	DB	ANG	DB	
25	-17.8	-108.4	11.6	-140.4	-17.2	37.8	-13.0	-146.5	1.01
50	-31.1	-103.9	12.3	-171.3	-16.5	8.8	-23.9	-170.5	1.12
100	-37.9	-37.5	12.3	168.9	-16.5	-8.9	-30.2	-169.0	1.12
150	-35.8	-8.2	12.3	155.8	-16.5	-20.6	-31.0	-155.9	1.12
200	-35.2	-1.9	12.2	144.2	-16.6	-30.4	-30.6	-153.9	1.13
250	-33.6	-1.0	12.2	133.3	-16.6	-39.9	-30.1	-157.2	1.13
300	-32.7	-1.6	12.2	122.9	-16.7	-49.2	-29.1	-160.8	1.13
350	-31.9	-3.2	12.1	112.5	-16.7	-58.0	-28.0	-164.1	1.14
400	-32.0	-11.4	12.1	102.1	-16.7	-66.9	-27.4	-167.7	1.14
450	-32.8	-17.0	12.1	91.8	-16.8	-75.8	-27.0	-172.2	1.15
500	-33.2	-23.2	12.1	81.6	-16.8	-84.8	-26.3	-175.8	1.15
550	-35.9	-33.7	12.0	71.4	-16.9	-93.7	-26.3	-112.0	1.16
600	-40.1	-57.8	12.0	61.2	-17.0	-102.6	-25.7	124.4	1.16
650	-46.2	-113.4	12.0	50.8	-17.1	-111.6	-25.3	174.1	1.17
700	-38.1	145.8	11.9	40.5	-17.1	-121.3	-25.0	39.0	1.18
750	-31.0	127.6	11.8	30.0	-17.2	-129.9	-25.0	174.8	1.19
800	-28.2	117.1	11.8	20.1	-17.3	-138.1	-23.6	163.8	1.20
850	-25.0	107.3	11.7	9.6	-17.5	-147.6	-23.3	166.6	1.21
900	-22.4	97.7	11.7	-0.7	-17.5	-156.9	-23.2	167.7	1.22
950	-20.3	90.3	11.6	-11.4	-17.6	-166.0	-22.2	164.1	1.23
1000	-18.3	82.4	11.5	-22.1	-17.8	-175.6	-20.9	160.4	1.24

**PACKAGE OUTLINE**



SYMBOL	INCHES	
	MIN.	MAX.
A	0.055	0.063
B	0.017	0.022
B1	0.014	0.019
C	0.014	0.017
D	0.173	0.181
D1	0.066	0.070
E	0.090	0.099
E1	0.084	0.086
e	0.059	BSC
e1	0.118	BSC
H	0.155	0.167
L	0.029	0.041

**NOTES:**

1. CONTROLLING DIMENSIONS: INCHES.
2. TOP PACKAGE ANGLE IS 9° = 1°/-2° TOLERANCE. PACKAGE ANGLE IS 3° MAX.
3. PACKAGE CORNER RADIUS IS 5 MILS MAX ON ALL CORNERS.
4. SHINNY PACKAGE FINISH ON ALL SIDES EXCEPT TOP SIDE. FINISH MINIMUM MATTE OF 10-14VDI.

**Figure 18: S24 Package Outline – SOT-89**

**TOP BRAND**



**NOTES:**

1. ANADIGICS LOGO SIZE: X=0.040±0.010 Y=0.048±0.010
2. PART NUMBER: FOUR NUMERIC CHARACTERS
3. WAFER LOT NUMBER: LLLL= FOUR NUMERIC CHARACTERS  
NN= TWO ALPHABETIC CHARACTERS
4. TYPE : ELITE  
SIZE : 2-POINT  
COLOR : LASER

**Figure 19: Branding Specification**



**ORDERING INFORMATION**

<b>PART NUMBER</b>	<b>TEMPERATURE RANGE</b>	<b>PACKAGE DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>COMPONENT PACKAGING</b>
ADA1200GS24Q1	-40 to +100°C	SOT-89 Package	1,000 piece Tape and Reel

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