

# **VCO-118S/STC**

#### HIGH RELIABILITY MILITARY AND SPACE VCO

Package: Module, 22.86mmx22.86mmx13.97mm

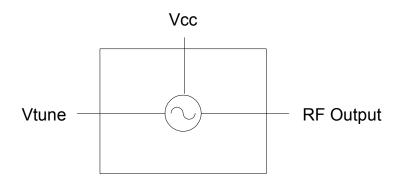


#### **Features**

- 250 MHz to 500 MHz VCO
- 15V Operation
- +13.0dBm Typical Output Power
- -100dBc/Hz at 10kHz
- -123dBc/Hz at 100kHz
- -148dBc/Hz at 1000kHz

## **Applications**

- Instrumentation
- Aerospace
- Test Equipment
- Plug and Play



#### Functional Block Diagram

## **Product Description**

RFMD's VCO-118S/STC is a hybrid assembled voltage controlled oscillator integrated into a connectorized module. The VCO-118 features an integrated resonator and tuning varactors. The part features excellent performance over temperature.

#### **Ordering Information**

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## **Absolute Maximum Ratings**

Parameter	Rating	Unit
Supply Voltage (V <sub>CC</sub> )	17	V
V <sub>TUNE</sub>	0 to 22	V
Storage Temperature	-65 to 150	°C
Operating Temperature	-55 to 100	°C
ESD JESD22 - A114 Human Body Model (HBM)		V



#### Caution! ESD sensitive device.

Exceeding any one or a combination of the Absolute Maximum Rating conditions may cause permanent damage to the device. Extended application of Absolute Maximum Rating conditions to the device may reduce device reliability. Specified typical performance or functional operation of the device under Absolute Maximum Rating conditions is not implied.

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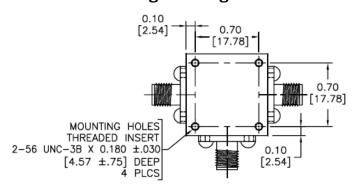
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Parameter	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit	Condition	
Frequency						
Frequency Range	250		500	MHz	100% Production Tested	
Tuning Voltage						
250MHz	0	1.3		V <sub>DC</sub>	100% Production Tested	
500MHz		17.6	20	V <sub>DC</sub>	100% Production Tested	
Tuning Sensitivity						
250MHz	11.9	15.8	19.8	MHz/V	100% Production Tested	
312.5MHz	12.6	16.8	21	MHz/V	100% Production Tested	
375MHz	14.9	19.8	24.8	MHz/V	100% Production Tested	
437.5MHz	13.1	17.4	21.8	MHz/V	100% Production Tested	
500MHz	6.2	8.3	10.8	MHz/V	100% Production Tested	
Output Power	10	13	16	dBm	100% Production Tested	
Output Phase Noise						
10 kHz		-100	-94	dBc/Hz	100% Production Tested	
100 kHz		-123	-117	dBc/Hz	100% Production Tested	
1000kHz		-148	-142	dBc/Hz	100% Production Tested	
Power Supply	14.75	15	15.25	V	100% Production Tested	
Supply Current		14.5	16	mA	100% Production Tested	
Harmonic Suppression					100% Production Tested	
2nd Harmonic		-12	-10	dBc	100% Production Tested	
3rd Harmonic		-12	-10	dBc	100% Production Tested	
Spurious (Non-Harmonic)			-80	dBc		
Frequency Pushing		1	3	MHz p-p	14.75V to 15.25V	
Frequency Pulling		10	13	MHz p-p	12dB RL	
Output Impedance		50		Ω		
3dB Modulation Bandwidth	5000	10000		kHz	$Z_G=50\Omega$	
Tune Port Impedance (DC)		50		kΩ		



Pin	Function	Description
1	VTUNE	Tuning voltage.
2	VCC	Supply voltage.
3	RF Output	VCO RF output.

# **Pin Out and Package Drawing**



PINOUT	FUNCTION			
PIN	vco	MIXER	POWER DIVIDER	
1	TUNING VOLTAGE	RF PORT	OUT 2	
2	SUPPLY VOLTAGE	X PORT	IN	
3	RF OUTPUT	LO PORT	OUT 1	

