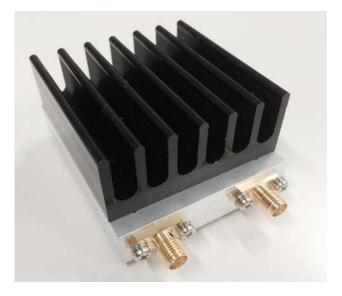
PLL Synthesizer User's Manual

DPL-4.2GF

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DPL-4.2GFH



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1. General Description

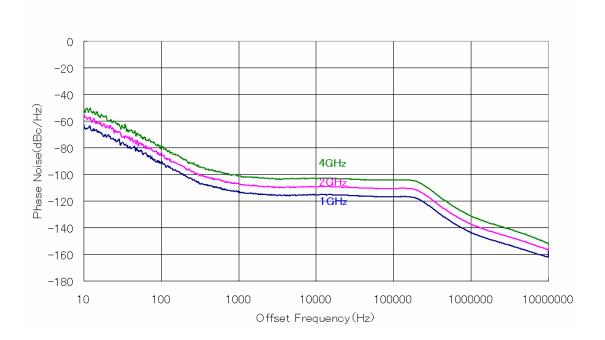
DPL-4.2GF is a frequency synthesizer which can generate any frequency from 50MHz to 4.2GHz,

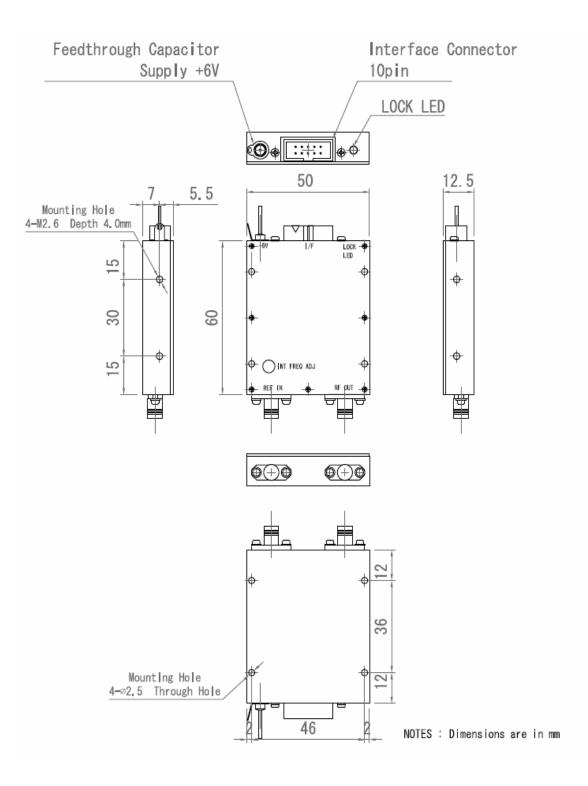
utilizing PLL technique(Phase Locked Loop) in 1Hz step. It can be used as a clock source or local oscillator for any application because of its excellent phase noise and low spurious level. When a sine wave is needed, put a low pass filter at the outside of the module to remove the harmonics.

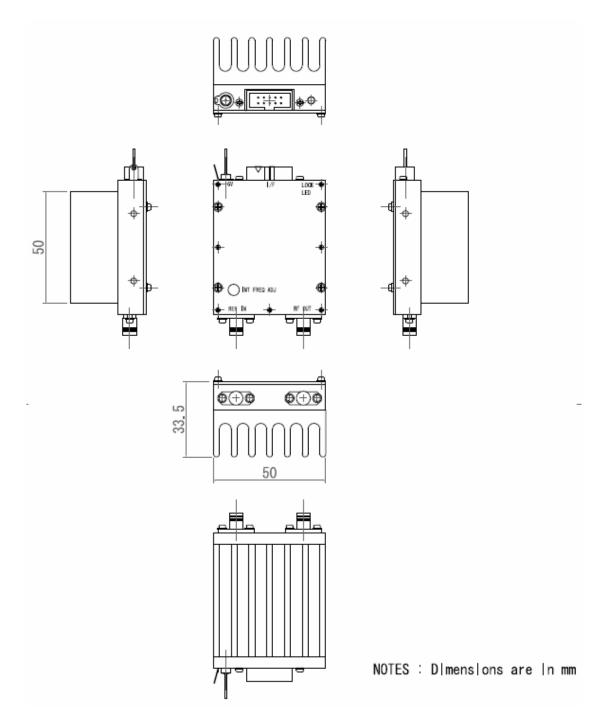
2. Specification

| Power Supply/Current Frequency Range Frequency Resolution Output Level Output Impedance Spurious Harmonics Phase Noise 4 GHz(typical) | +6V+/-5%、<700mA 50MHz-4.2GHz 1Hz step >+10dBm 50Ω < -60dBc < -8dBc -80dBc/Hz @100Hz -97dBc/Hz @10kHz -102dBc/Hz @10kHz -105dBc/Hz @100kHz -126dBc/Hz @1MHz |
|--|--|
| Internal Reference Clock Accuracy External Reference Clock and Level External Clock Input Impedance Lock Time | <pre><±2ppm 0-50 degree C 10MHz -6dBm ~ +6dBm High Impedance (>1kΩ) max 5msec (1) SPI : from SPI_STRB rise edge to detection of PLL_LD (2) SCI : from receipt of "CR" to detection of PLL_LD</pre> |
| Operating Temperature Range | 0~+50 degree C (In case of being installed with Thermal resistance 5.0 degree C/W heat sink) |
| Outer Dimensions | 50mmx60mmx12.5mm |
| Weight | about 80gs(module) about 160gs(including Heat Sink) |
| Interface | (1) Asynchronous Serial Communication 9600bps, 8 bit, 1 stop bit, non parity 3.3V CMOS level (2) SPI serial communication 3 bytes data 3.3V CMOS level |

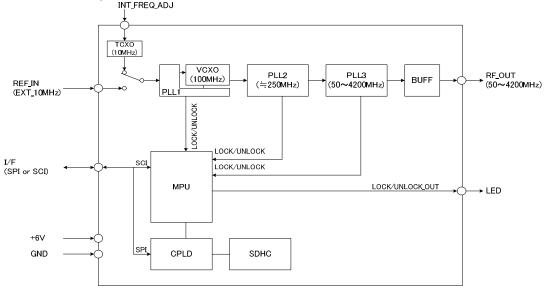
Phase Noise







4. Circuit Configuration



5. Connector, Interface

| (1) External 10MHz Input | SMA-J |
|--------------------------|---|
| (2) Output Supply Pin | SMA-J 50Ω |
| (3) Power Supply Pin | Feedthrough Capacitor Supply +6V |
| (4) Internal Freq Adjust | Frequency adjustment for internal reference clock |
| (5) I/F Connector | 2.54mm 5x2 10pin |
| | Connector for Flat Cable |
| | Part number : HIROSE HIF3FC-10PA-2.54DSA |
| | |

Pin Assignment

| Din numbor | Namo | Description |
|------------------------|---------------|--|
| <u>Pin number</u> 1 | Name GND | Description Signal GND |
| 2 | GND | Signal GND |
| 3 | Power Supply | Power Input +6V |
| Ū | i ower cupply | Connected to Feedthrough capacitor internally |
| 4 | INT/EXT | Mode selection pin, External or Internal reference clock |
| | | HIGH: Internal LOW: External Internally pulled up |
| 5 | LOCK | PLL lock status output |
| | | HIGH: lock LOW: unlock 3.3V CMOS level |
| 6 | /CS | Chip select under SPI mode |
| | | Input low active. 3.3V CMOS |
| _ | / - | Internally pulled up |
| 7 | RXD | Asynchronous serial RX data 3.3V CMOS level |
| | | Internally pulled up |
| 8 | SDI | Serial data input under SPI mode |
| | | 3.3V CMOS level |
| 9 | TXD | Asynchronous serial TX data |
| 10 | | 3.3V CMOS level |
| 10 | CLK | Serial input under SPI mode 3.3V CMOS level |
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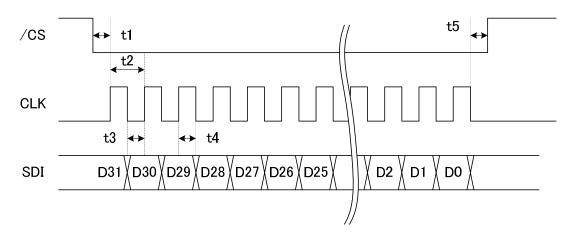
6. Thermal Consideration

Power dissipation of this module is about 4.2 watts, so in order to flow heat, mount this module on chassis firmly. Or, installing heat sink of heat resistance less than 5.0(degree C/W) is recommended. Refer to Page 5 outer dimensions about mounting holes. It will be more effective if silicon compound is put on the surface of the mounting section of the module.

- 7. Control by SPI serial data
- (1) SPI specification
 - Max clock speed Data bits width Logic level

20MHz 32bits (Frequency data bits) 3.3V CMOS

(2) Timing characteristic



| | Timing characteristic | | |
|-----------|----------------------------------|-----|------|
| Parameter | Condition | Min | Unit |
| t1 | CLK set up time to /CS | 50 | ns |
| t2 | CLK period | 50 | ns |
| t3 | SDI set up time to CLK rise edge | 10 | ns |
| t4 | SDI hold time to CLK rise edge | 10 | ns |
| t5 | /CS set up time to CLK rise edge | 50 | ns |

(3) Command Definitions

32 bits frequency data is transferred by serial data. Bit definition is as follows.

| Bit # | Name | Bit width | Remarks |
|-----------|-----------|--------------|--|
| Bit[31:0] | Frequency | 32 bits | Frequency data in 1 KHz resolution in binary |

For example, when you set 4.2GHz, frequency data of Hz unit must be converted to binary data. Therefore, 4.2GHz is converted to FA56EA00(hex) in 32 bits binary data.

8. Control by asynchronous serial data How to set from a PC serial port(RS-232C) is explained below.

8-1. Communication specification

| Speed | 9600bps |
|--------------|-----------|
| Data bits | 8 bits |
| Stop bits | 1 bit |
| Parity | none |
| Flow control | none |
| Logic level | 3.3V CMOS |

8-2. Interface Option

USB interface, USBIF-01 is available as an option for DPL-4.2GF.

8-3. Command definitions

Character strings marked as double quotation marks " " means ASCII code. CR and LF are control codes which means 0D(hex) and 0A(hex). If any invalid command is entered, "INVALID DATA" CR LF"*" is returned. All characters used for input should be uppercase. When a normal command is entered, "*" is returned. Also the entered data is echoed back.

8-3-1. Frequency setting command

For frequency setting, the input can be made in MHz, KHz and Hz unit.

(1) Setting in GHz

For setting 4GHz, input the following data.. "4G"CR All the data below 100MHz is set to "0".

In case of setting 4.2GHz, set in MHz like below because a decimal point cannot be used.

(2) Setting in MHz

For setting 2400MHz, input the following data. "2400M"CR All the data below 100KHz is set to "0".

(3) Setting in KHz

For setting 2400002KHz, input the following data. "2400002K"CR Or "2400002"CR 8-3-2. READ Command

By entering "READ"CR, the currently set frequency is output. The response is as follows

"ffffffffKHz"CR LF

"fffffff" shows the frequency of currently outputting in KHz unit.

8-3-3. SAVE Command

By entering "SAVE"CR, the current frequency can be memorized into EEPROM.

When the power is on next time, the stored data can be output. If any invalid command is entered, "ERROR"CR LF"*" is returned.

9. Shipping Inspection

100% inspection shall be performed for the electrical specification in 2.

10. Warranty

If any defect is found due to the manufacturer's improper production or design within one year after delivery, a repair or a replacement shall be performed under the manufacturer's responsibility.

- 11. Others
 - 11-1. This product, which employs a CMOS device may be easily damaged by static electricity. Digital Signal Technology, Inc. assumed no liability for damages that may occur as the result of handling by users even though the above warranty period.
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