



# UPC1678GV

## 2 GHz MEDIUM POWER BROADBAND SILICON MMIC AMPLIFIER

### FEATURES

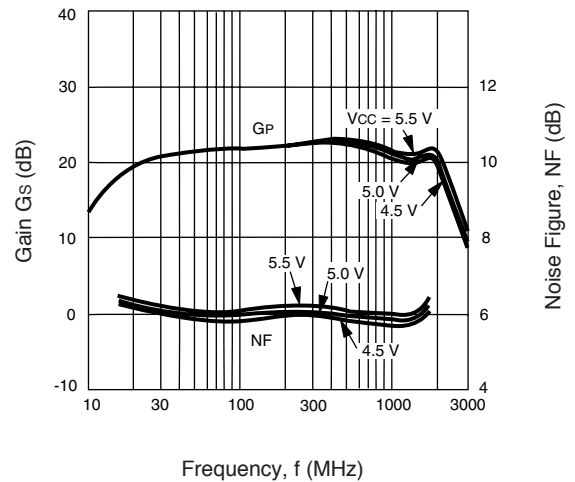
- **HIGH OUTPUT POWER:** +18 dBm PSAT
- **EXCELLENT FREQUENCY RESPONSE:**  
2.0 GHz TYP at 3 dB Down
- **HIGH POWER GAIN:** 23 dB TYP at 500 MHz
- **SINGLE SUPPLY VOLTAGE:** 5 V
- **AVAILABLE IN TAPE AND REEL**

### DESCRIPTION

NEC's UPC1678GV is a silicon monolithic integrated circuit designed as a wide-band amplifier covering the HF to UHF bands. The device features high output power, 18 dBm TYP, high gain, 23 dB TYP and operates from a single 5 volt supply.

NEC's stringent quality assurance and test procedures ensure the highest reliability and performance.

NOISE FIGURE AND GAIN  
vs. FREQUENCY AND VOLTAGE



### ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (TA = 25°C, VCC = +5 V, f = 500 MHz, ZL = Zs = 50 Ω)

PART NUMBER PACKAGE OUTLINE			UPC1678GV S08		
SYMBOLS	PARAMETERS AND CONDITIONS	UNITS	MIN	TYP	MAX
I <sub>CC</sub>	Circuit Current at No Input Signal	mA	40	49	60
G <sub>s</sub>	Small Signal Gain	dB	21	23	25
f <sub>3dB</sub>	Upper Limit Operating Frequency at 3 dB down below the Gain at 100 MHz	MHz	1700	2000	
P <sub>SAT</sub>	Saturated Output Power, P <sub>IN</sub> = +3 dBm	dBm	+15.5	+17.5	
NF	Noise Figure	dB	—	6.0	8.0
RL <sub>IN</sub>	Input Return Loss	dB	11	14	
RL <sub>OUT</sub>	Output Return Loss	dB	1	4	
ISOL	Isolation	dB	30	35	

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**ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS<sup>1</sup>** (T<sub>A</sub> = 25°C)

SYMBOLS	PARAMETERS	UNITS	RATINGS
V <sub>CC</sub>	Power Supply Voltage	V	-0.5 to 6.0
P <sub>IN</sub>	Input Power	dBm	+10
P <sub>T</sub>	Total Power Dissipation <sup>2</sup>	mW	330
T <sub>OP</sub>	Operating Temperature	°C	-45 to +85
T <sub>STG</sub>	Storage Temperature	°C	-55 to +150

Notes:

1. Operation in excess of any one of these parameters may result in permanent damage.
2. Mounted on 50 x 50 x 1.6 mm glass epoxy PWB at T<sub>A</sub> = +85°C.

**RECOMMENDED OPERATING CONDITIONS**

SYMBOLS	CHARACTERISTICS	UNITS	MIN	TYP	MAX
V <sub>CC</sub>	Supply Voltage	V	4.5	5.0	5.5
T <sub>OP</sub>	Operating Temperature	°C	-40	+25	+85

**PIN DESCRIPTIONS**

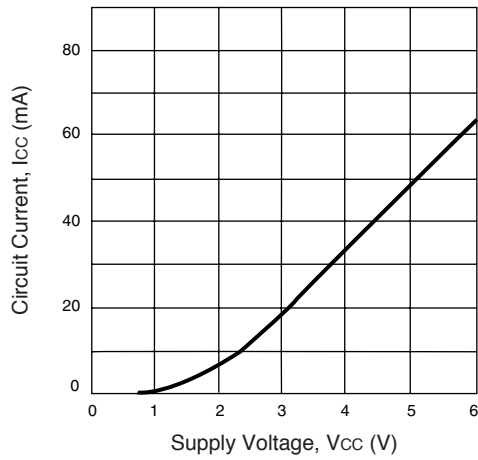
Pin No.	Pin Name	Applied Voltage (V)	Description	Internal Equivalent Circuit
1	Input	–	Signal input pin. An internal matching circuit, configured with resistors, enables a 50 Ω connection over a wide band. A multi-feedback circuit is designed to cancel the deviations of h <sub>FE</sub> and resistance. This pin must be coupled to the signal source with a blocking capacitor.	
5	Output	Voltage same as V <sub>CC</sub> through external inductor	Signal output pin. This output is designed as an open collector for Darlington transistors. Connect an inductor between this pin and V <sub>CC</sub> pin to supply current to the internal output transistors. The inductor should be selected for high frequency use and small DC resistance.	
8	V <sub>CC</sub>	4.5 to 5.5	Power supply pin. This pin should be externally equipped with a bypass capacitor to minimize ground impedance.	
6 7	GND	0	Ground pins of internal input stage. Form a ground pattern as wide as possible to minimize ground impedance.	
2 3 4	GND	0	Ground pins of internal output stage. All the ground pins including pins 6 and 7 must be connected together with a wide ground pattern to decrease impedance difference.	

Note:

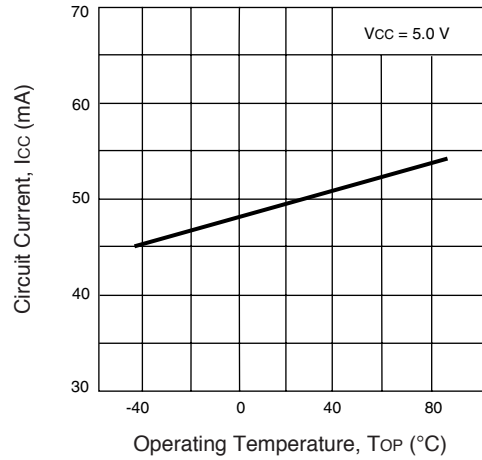
Pin Voltage for Pin 1 is 1.17, measured at V<sub>CC</sub> = V<sub>OUT</sub> = 5.0 V.

**TYPICAL PERFORMANCE CURVES** ( $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ )

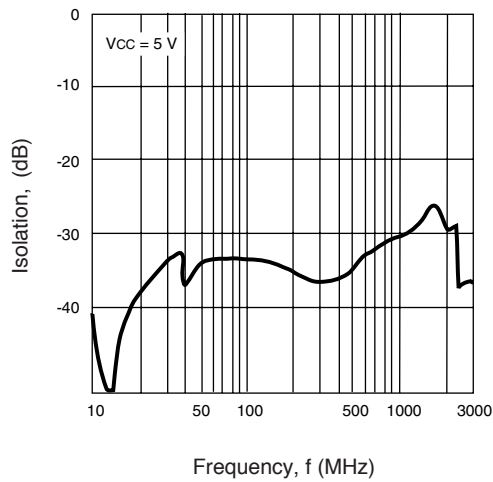
**CIRCUIT CURRENT vs. SUPPLY VOLTAGE**



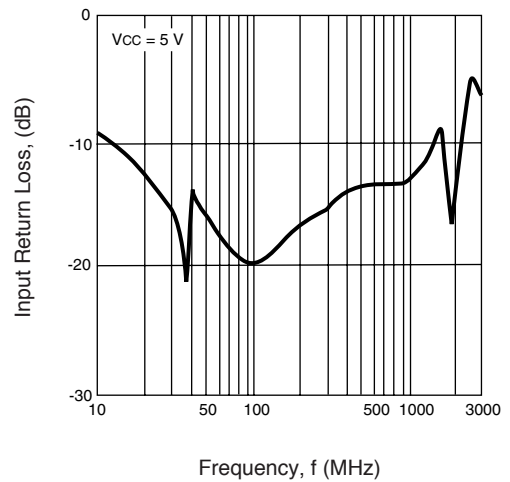
**CIRCUIT CURRENT vs. OPERATING TEMPERATURE**



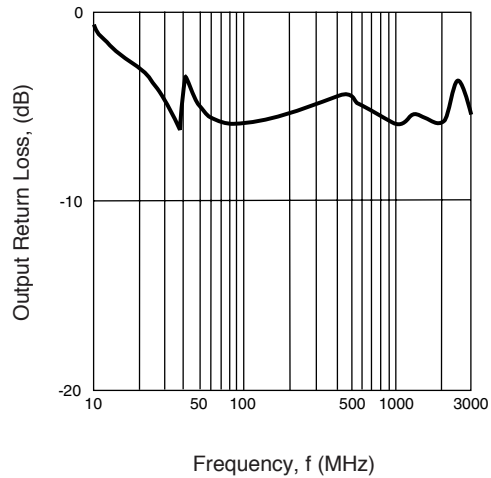
**ISOLATION vs. FREQUENCY**



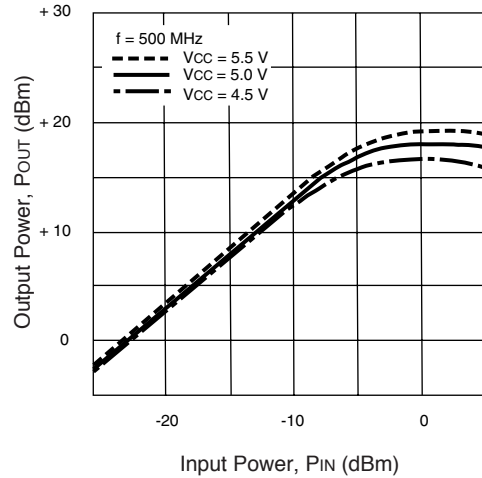
**INPUT RETURN LOSS vs. FREQUENCY**



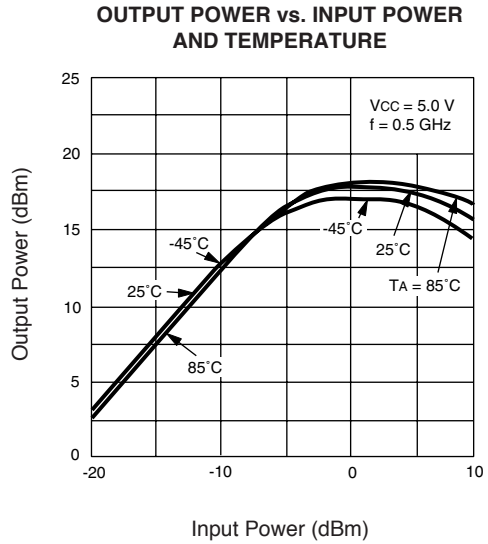
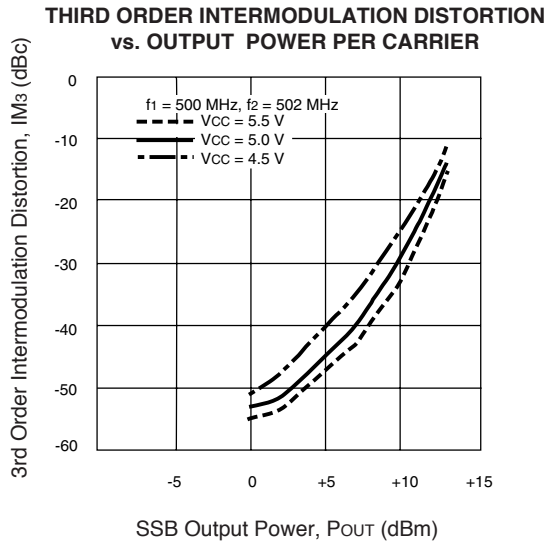
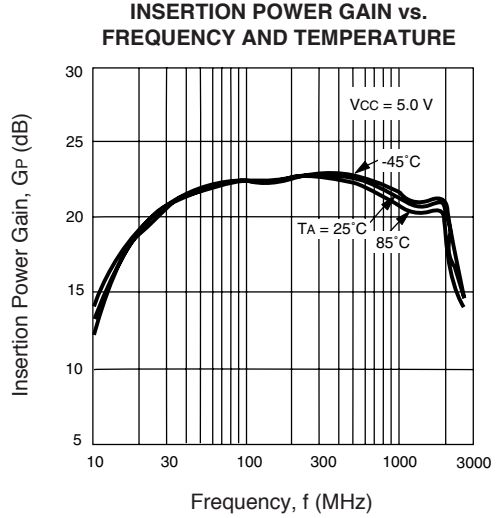
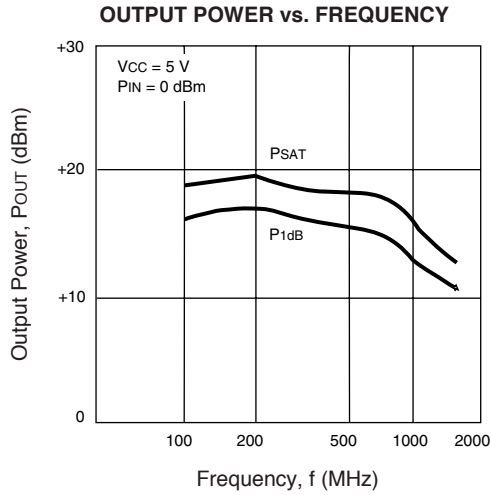
**OUTPUT RETURN LOSS vs. FREQUENCY**



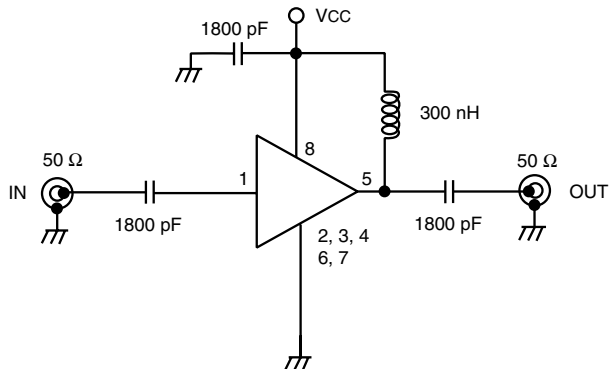
**OUTPUT POWER vs. INPUT POWER**



TYPICAL PERFORMANCE CURVES (TA = 25°C)



TEST CIRCUIT

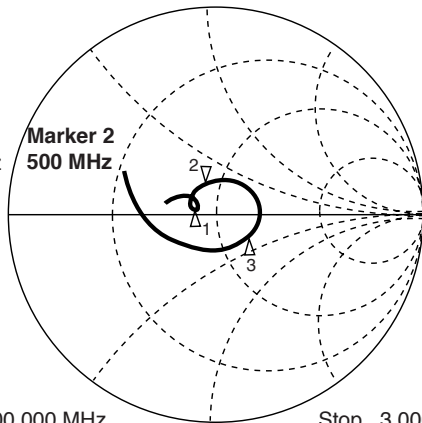


Precautions: 1) These devices are ESD sensitive. Use proper precautionary measures when handling and installing these devices.

**TYPICAL SCATTERING PARAMETERS** ( $V_{CC} = 5.0\text{ V}$ ,  $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ )

**S11 Frequency**

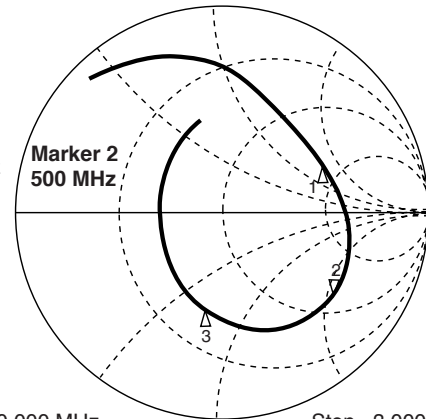
- 1: 40.846  $\Omega$   
1.9785  $\Omega$   
100 MHz
- 2: 43.174  $\Omega$   
12.344  $\Omega$   
500 MHz
- 3: 66.441  $\Omega$   
-14.414  $\Omega$   
1.7 GHz



Start 10.000 000 MHz Stop 3,000.000 MHz

**S22 Frequency**

- 1: 121.86  $\Omega$   
71.563  $\Omega$   
100 MHz
- 2: 77.645  $\Omega$   
-111.17  $\Omega$   
500 MHz
- 3: 26.904  $\Omega$   
-34.393  $\Omega$   
1.7 GHz



Start 10.000 000 MHz Stop 3,000.000 MHz

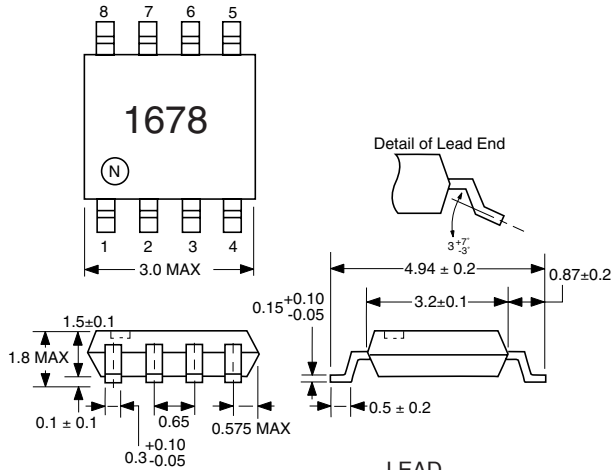
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$V_{CC} = 5\text{ V}$ ,  $I_{CC} = 50\text{ mA}$

FREQUENCY (GHz)	S11		S21		S12		S22		K	S21 (dB)
	MAG	ANG	MAG	ANG	MAG	ANG	MAG	ANG		
0.05	0.136	157	10.2	36	0.018	3	0.683	89	1.59	23.0
0.10	0.106	164	12.1	18	0.025	26	0.609	53	1.25	23.8
0.20	0.126	165	13.2	3	0.020	15	0.621	22	1.34	24.6
0.40	0.174	144	14.4	-17	0.017	50	0.673	-10	1.24	26.4
0.60	0.184	119	15.0	-35	0.024	71	0.657	-37	0.85	27.9
0.80	0.150	107	14.6	-52	0.033	75	0.619	-64	0.78	26.5
1.00	0.102	115	15.1	-70	0.038	77	0.599	-89	0.78	26.0
1.20	0.112	148	14.0	-88	0.040	83	0.585	-116	0.81	25.4
1.40	0.169	151	12.4	-114	0.046	92	0.542	-142	0.81	24.4
1.60	0.180	137	11.3	-131	0.054	99	0.449	-163	0.86	23.2
1.80	0.146	121	7.6	-144	0.063	101	0.335	-177	1.10	18.8
2.00	0.072	89	6.2	-159	0.073	102	0.224	-177	1.25	16.2
2.20	0.045	-37	4.6	-157	0.081	100	0.192	-163	1.49	13.4
2.40	0.137	-84	3.9	-164	0.085	97	0.206	-157	1.60	12.1
2.50	0.180	-95	3.9	-161	0.088	95	0.219	-158	1.54	12.2

**OUTLINE DIMENSIONS** (Units in mm)

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- LEAD CONNECTIONS**
- 1. Input      5. Output
  - 2. GND       6. GND
  - 3. GND       7. GND
  - 4. GND       8. Vcc

**ORDERING INFORMATION (Solder Contains Lead)**

PART NUMBER	QTY
UPC1678GV-E1	1000/REEL

Note: Embossed tape, 8 mm wide. Pin 1 is in tape pull-out direction.

**ORDERING INFORMATION (Pb-Free)**

PART NUMBER	QTY
UPC1678GV-E1-A	1000/REEL

Note: Embossed tape, 8 mm wide. Pin 1 is in tape pull-out direction.

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