



## AS2164 - Quad voltage exponentially controlled amplifier (VCA)

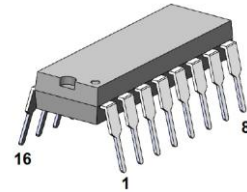
### Features

- protection from negative supply turned OFF
- four high performance VCAs in a single package
- no external trimming
- 120 dB gain range
- 0,07 dB gain matching (unity gain)
- class A or AB operation

### Applications

- Remote, Automatic, or Computer Volume Controls
- Automotive Volume/Balance/Faders
- Compressor/Limiters/Compondors
- Noise Reduction Systems
- Automatic Gain Controls
- Voltage Controlled Filters
- Special Sound Processors

**AS2164**  
 PDIP-16, 300mil, 2.54 mm



**AS2164D**  
 SOIC-16, 150 Mil, 1.27 mm



### General Description

AS2164 contains four independent voltage controlled amplifiers (VCAs) in a single package. High performance (dynamic range 100 dB) provides excellent use of VCA's in gain control applications. Each VCA offers current inputs and outputs for maximum design flexibility, as well as a  $-33$  mV/ dB ground control port. All channels are closely matched to within 0,07 dB at unity gain, and 0,24 dB at 40 dB of attenuation. A 120 dB gain range is possible.

A single resistor tailors operation between full Class A and AB modes.

AS2164 is internally protected in situations where negative supply is turned OFF.

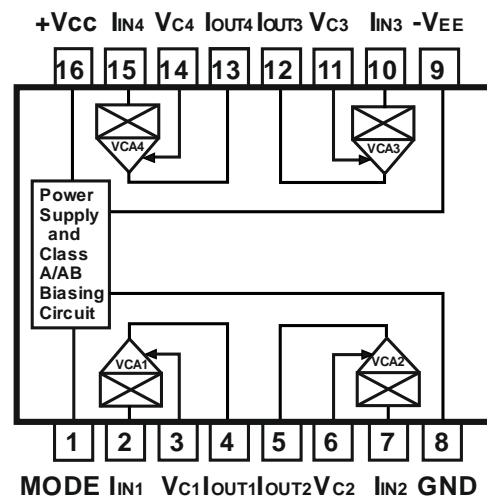
The AS2164 will operate over a wide supply voltage range of  $\pm 4$  V to  $\pm 18$  V.

PART NUMBER	PACKAGE	BODY SIZE (NOM)
AS2164	PDIP-16	300mil, 2.54 mm pitch
AS2164D	SOIC-16	150 Mil, 1.27 mm pitch

### Pin Information

Pin No	Pin Name	Description
1	MODE	Mode select
2	I <sub>IN1</sub>	Input current 1
3	V <sub>C1</sub>	Control voltage 1
4	I <sub>OUT1</sub>	Output current 1
5	I <sub>OUT2</sub>	Output current 2
6	V <sub>C2</sub>	Control voltage 2
7	I <sub>IN2</sub>	Input current 2
8	GND	Ground
9	V <sub>EE</sub>	Negative supply
10	I <sub>IN3</sub>	Input current 3
11	V <sub>C3</sub>	Control voltage 3
12	I <sub>OUT3</sub>	Output current 3
13	I <sub>OUT4</sub>	Output current 4
14	V <sub>C4</sub>	Control voltage 4
15	I <sub>IN4</sub>	Input current 4
16	V <sub>CC</sub>	Positive supply

Figure 1 Block and Connection Diagram





**Absolute Maximum Ratings**

Unless otherwise specified,  $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$

Parameter	Symbol	Value	Unit
Supply voltage	$V_{CC}, V_{EE}$	+18, -18	V
Input, Output, Control Voltages	$V_{IN}, V_O, V_C$	V- ~ V+	V
Output Short Circuit Duration to GND		Indefinite	sec
Storage Temperature Range	Tstg	-65~+150	$^\circ\text{C}$
Operating Temperature Range	Topr	-40~+85	$^\circ\text{C}$
Junction Temperature Range	Tj	-65~+150	$^\circ\text{C}$
Lead Temperature Range (Soldering 60 sec)		+300	$^\circ\text{C}$

**Electrical Characteristics**

$V_{CC} = +15\text{ V}$ ,  $V_{EE} = -15\text{ V}$ ,  $A_V = 0\text{ dB}$ ,  $0\text{ dB}\mu = 0,775\text{ V rms}$ ,  $V_{IN} = 0\text{ dB}\mu$ ,  $R_{IN} = R_{OUT} = 30\text{ k}\Omega$ ,  $f = 1\text{ kHz}$ ,  $-40^\circ\text{C} < T_A < +85^\circ\text{C}$  using Typical Application Circuit (Class AB), unless otherwise noted.

Typical specifications apply at  $T_A = +25^\circ\text{C}$ .

Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Units
<b>POWER SUPPLY</b>						
Supply Voltage Range	$V_{CC}, V_{EE}$		$\pm 4$		$\pm 18$	V
Supply Current	$I_S$	Class AB		7,5	8,5	mA
Power Supply Rejection Ratio	PSRR	60Hz		90		dB
<b>AUDIO SIGNAL PATHS</b>						
Noise	$V_{NO}$	$V_{IN} = \text{GND}$ , 20 kHz Bandwidth		-94		dB $\mu$
Headroom	HR	Clip point=1%THD+N		22		dB $\mu$
Total Harmonic Distortion	THD	2nd and 3rd Harmonics Only				
		$A_V = 0\text{ dB}$ , Class A		0,03	0,1	%
		$A_V = \pm 20\text{ dB}$ , Class A <sup>1</sup>		0,15		%
		$A_V = 0\text{ dB}$ , Class AB		0,16	1	%
		$A_V = \pm 20\text{ dB}$ , Class AB <sup>1</sup>		0,3		%
Channel Separation	Sep			-110		dB
Unity Gain Bandwidth	GB	$C_F = 10\text{ pF}$		500		kHz
Slew Rate	SR	$C_F = 10\text{ pF}$		0,7		mA/ $\mu\text{s}$
Input Bias Current	$I_{IB}$			$\pm 10$		nA
Output Offset Current	$I_{OO}$	$V_{IN} = 0$		$\pm 60$		nA
Output Compliance	$V_{OC}$			$\pm 100$		mV
<b>CONTROL PORTS</b>						
Input Impedance	$R_{IN}$			10,5		k $\Omega$
Gain Constant	$G_C$	After 60 seconds operation		-33		mV/dB
Gain Constant Temperature Coefficient	TCG <sub>C</sub>			-3300		ppm/ $^\circ\text{C}$
Control Feedthrough	$V_{CF}$	$A_V = 0\text{ dB}$ to -40dB Gain Range <sup>2</sup>	-8,5	1,5	8,5	mV
Gain Matching, Channel-to-Channel	$G_M$	$A_V = 0\text{ dB}$		0,07		dB
		$A_V = -40\text{ dB}$		0,24		dB
Maximum Attenuation	$G_A$		-90	-110		dB
Maximum Gain	$G_{MAX}$		17	+22	23	dB

**NOTES**

<sup>1</sup> -10 dB $\mu$  input @ 20 dB gain; +10 dB $\mu$  input @ -20 dB gain.

<sup>2</sup> +25 $^\circ\text{C}$  to +85 $^\circ\text{C}$ .

Specifications subject to change without notice.

Figure 2 Typical Application and Test Circuit

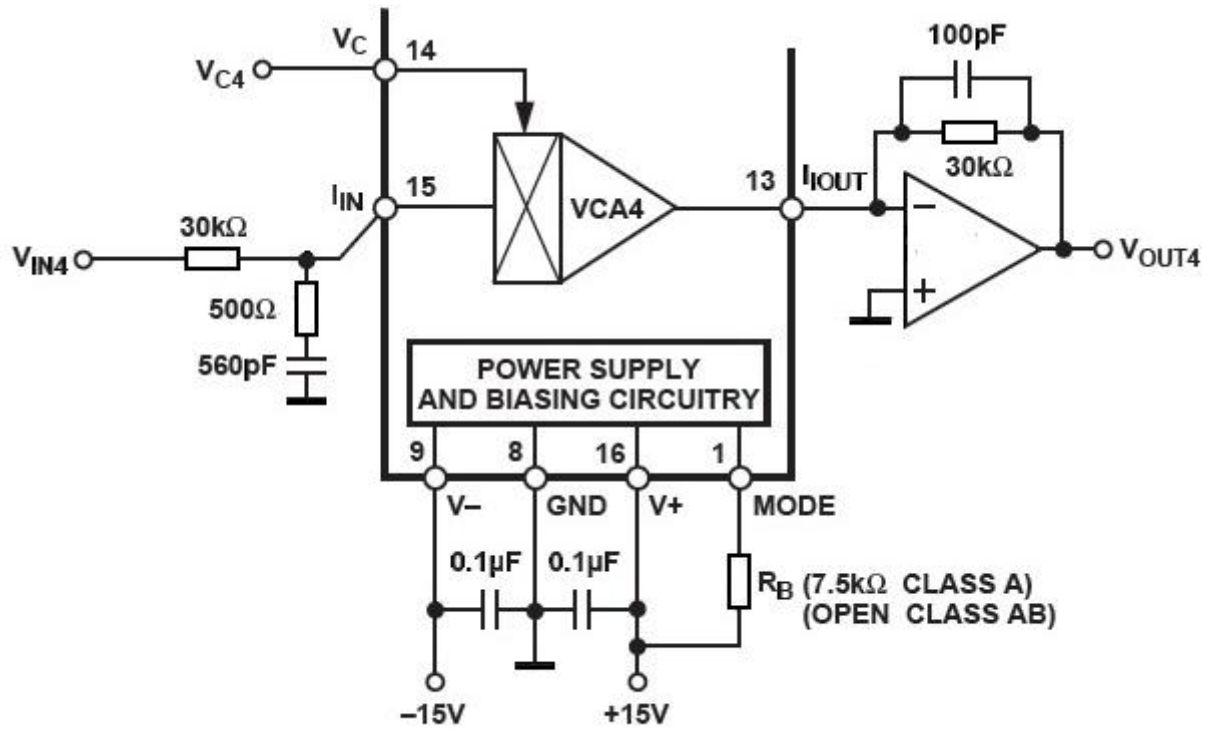
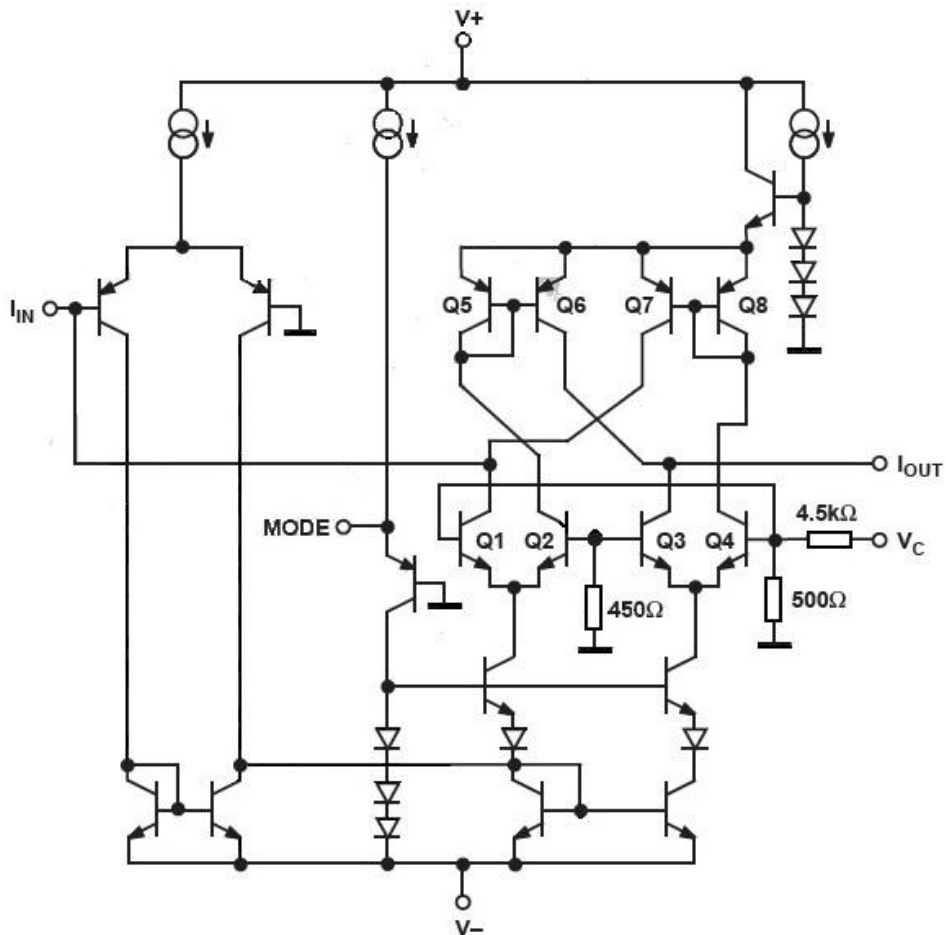


Figure 3 Simplified Schematic (One Channel)

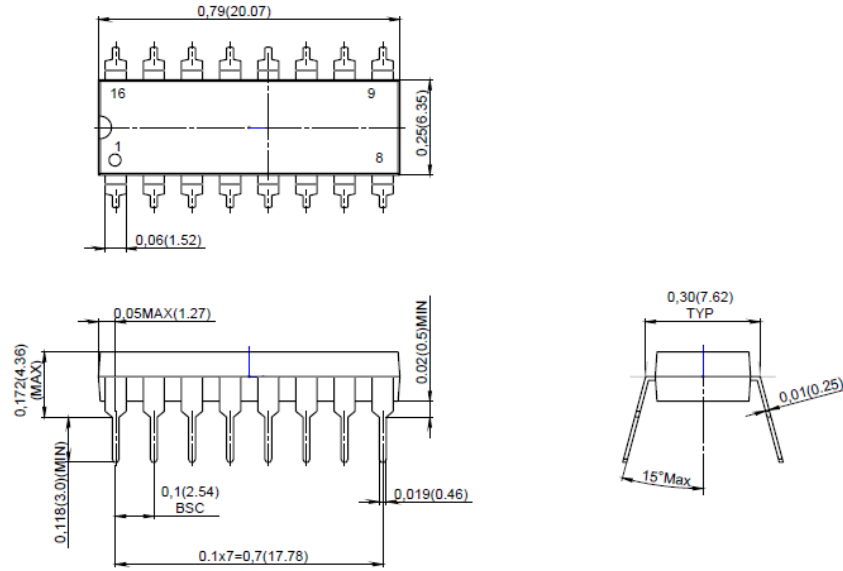




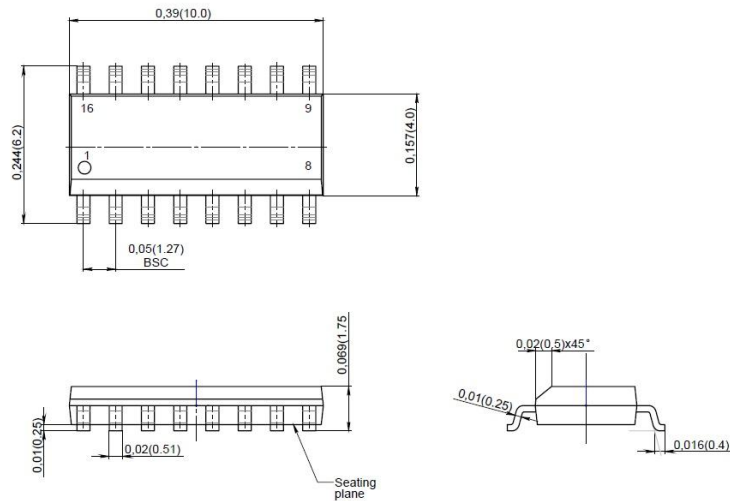
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AS2164D	SOIC-16 (150 Mil, 1.27)

Package Information

Units: inch (mm)  
 PDIP-16 (300 Mil)



SOIC-16 (150 mil)



Revision history

Date	Revision	Changes
26-Mar-2019	1	Preliminary version 1
12-Aug-2019	2	Changes in Specifications
28-Oct-2019	3	SOIC-16 – new package