

SAW BASED TRANSMITTER DESIGN NOTES

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The major benefit of a SAW resonator results in a low cost SRD transmitter and local oscillator. For example SAW resonator is widely used in the RKE transmitter. In this type of application, most customers want a compact size and a coin cell battery. The way to get the best performance under there condition is very difficult for most engineers. In order to help our customers to design-in with our SAW resonator, here we have some suggested schematic with components value and PCB layout for their reference.

1. SAW Based Transmitter for 300 – 500 MHz

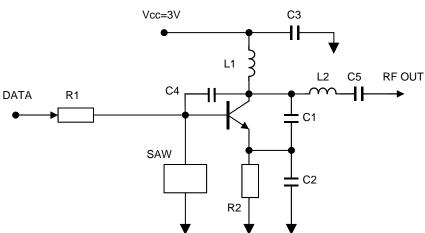
a). Murata SAW Resonator Part Number and Frequency

Freq. (MHz) 303.825 315 418 433.92

Part No. RO2104A, D, E RO2073A, D, E RO2103A RO2101A, D, E

Applied Area AU, Asia, US US, Asia US, UK AU, EU, India

b) Transmitter Schematic



d) Components Value

Transistor: BFS-17A,

MMBTH-10LT1, NE68030 etc.

C1: 1 – 5.1 pF C2: 8.2 – 18 pF C3: 470pF

C4: 1 pF

L1: 18 - 33 nH

R1: Adjust for output power

R2: 100 Ohm

L2 and C5 impedance match option..

Figure 1

2. SAW Based Transmitter for 800 – 1000 MH a).

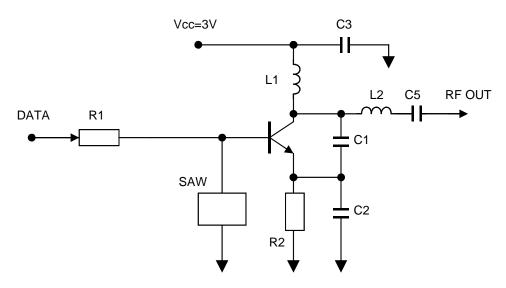
Murata SAW Resonator Part Number and Frequency

Freq. (MHz) 868.35 916.5

Part No. RO2164A, D, E RO2144A, D, E

Applied Area AU, EU US,

b) Transmitter Schematic



L2 and C5 impedance match option..

Figure 2

d) Components Value

Transistor: MMBR-901, NE68030 etc.

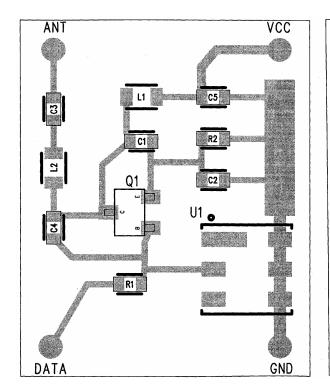
C1: 1 – 2.2 pF C2: 5.1 – 8.2 pF C3: 220pF

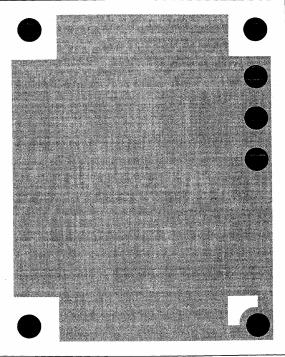
L1: 3.9 - 6.8 nH

R1: Adjust for output power

R2: 100 Ohm

3. PCB Layout





Dimensions: 0.5" x 0.6"