



# AKD4563A

## Evaluation board Rev.A for AK4563A

### GENERAL DESCRIPTION

AKD4563A is an evaluation board for the 16bit 4ch A/D and 2ch D/A converter, AK4563A. The AKD4563A can evaluate A/D converter D/A converter separately in addition to loopback mode (A/D → D/A). The A/D section can be evaluated by interfacing with AKM's DAC evaluation boards directly. The AKD4563A has the interface with AKM's wave generator using ROM data and AKM's ADC evaluation boards. Therefore, it's easy to evaluate the D/A section. The AKD4563A also has the digital audio interface and can achieve the interface with digital audio systems via opt-connector.

### ■ Ordering guide

AKD4563A --- Evaluation board for AK4563A  
 (Cable for connecting with printer port of IBM-AT,  
 compatible PC and control software are packed with this.)

### FUNCTION

- Compatible with 2 types of interface
  - Direct interface with AKM's A/D & D/A converter evaluation boards
  - DIT/DIR with optical input/output
- BNC connector for an external clock input
- 10pin Header for serial control mode

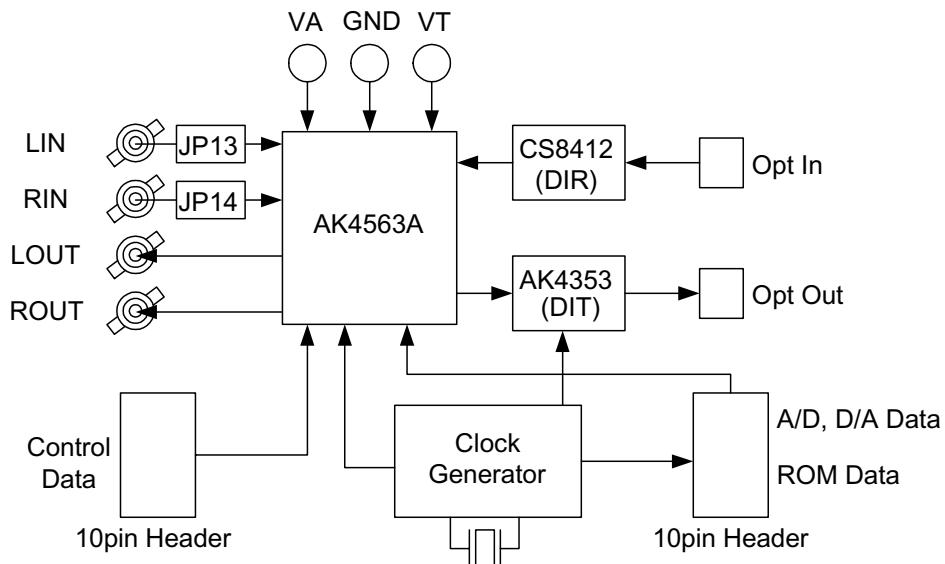


Figure 1. AKD4563A Block Diagram

\* Circuit diagram and PCB layout are attached at the end of this manual.

## 1. Evaluation Board Manual

### ■ Input / Output circuits & Set-up jumper pin for Input / Output circuits

#### (1) Input circuits

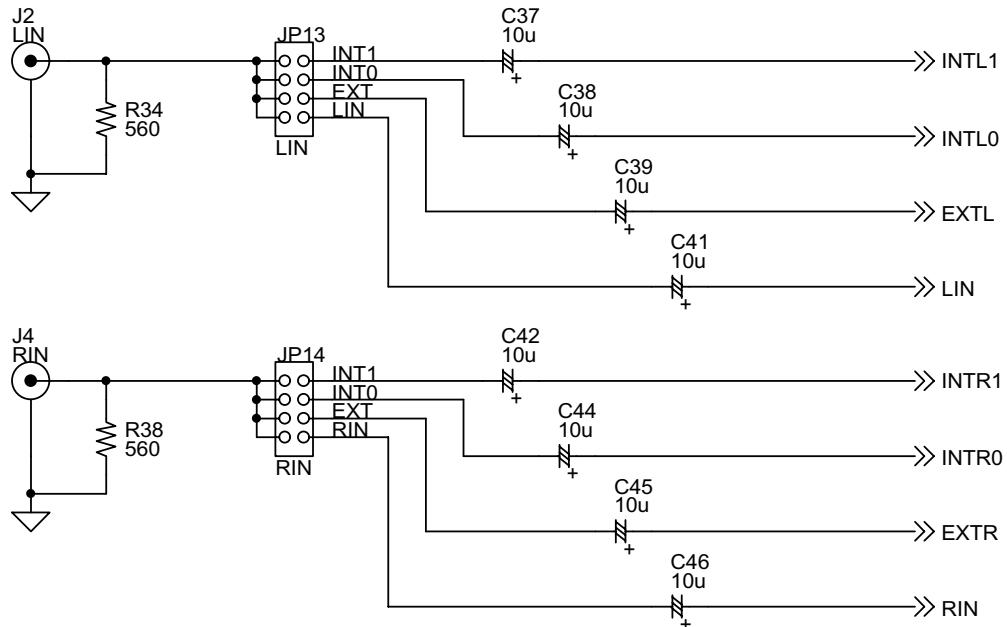
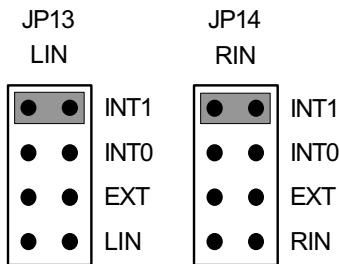
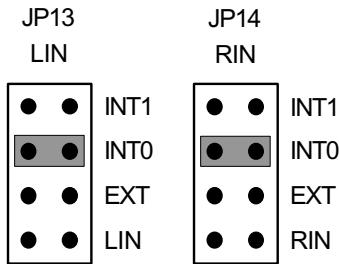


Figure 2. LIN/RIN Input circuits

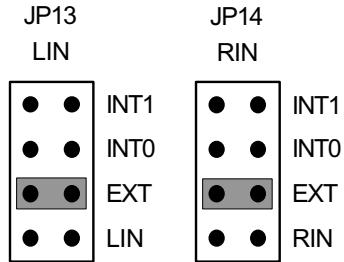
1. Analog signal is input to INTL1 and INTR1 pins via J2 and J4 connectors.



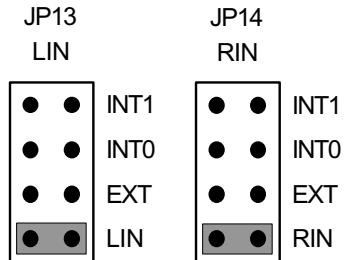
2. Analog signal is input to INTL0 and INTR0 pins via J2 and J4 connectors.



3. Analog signal is input to EXTL and EXTR pins via J2 and J4 connectors.



4. Analog signal is input to LIN and RIN pins via J2 and J4 connectors.



## (2) Output circuits

Analog signal is output to LOUT and ROUT pins via J3 and J5 connectors.

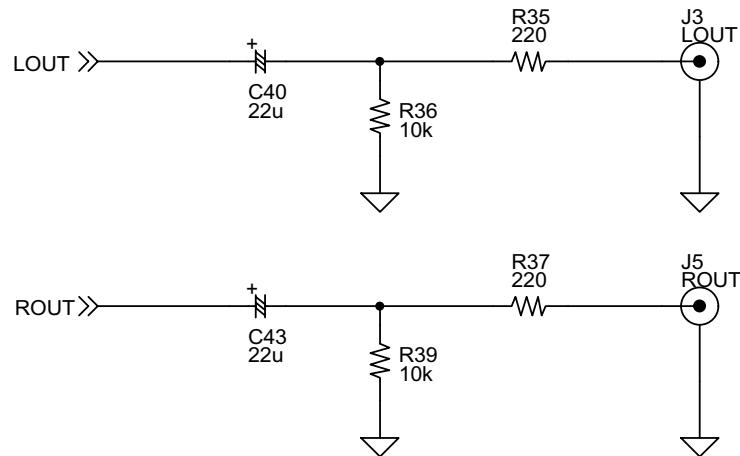


Figure 3. LOUT/ROUT output circuits

\* AKM assumes no responsibility for the trouble when using the above circuit examples.

## ■ Operation sequence

### 1) Set up the power supply lines.

[VA]	(orange)	= 2.3 ~ 3.0V	: for VA of AK4563A (typ. 2.5V)
[VT]	(orange)	= 1.5 ~ 3.0V	: for VT of AK4563A (typ. 2.5V)
[D2V]	(orange)	= 1.5 ~ 3.0V	: for 74LVC541 (typ. 2.5V)
[D5V]	(red)	= 3.6 ~ 5.0V	: for logic (typ. 5.0V)
[AGND]	(black)	= 0V	: for analog ground
[DGND]	(black)	= 0V	: for logic ground

Each supply line should be distributed from the power supply unit.  
VT and D2V must be same voltage level.

### 2) Set up the evaluation mode, jumper pins and DIP switches. (See the followings.)

### 3) Power on.

The AK4563A and AK4353 should be reset once bringing SW1, 2 “L” upon power-up.

## ■ Evaluation mode

### Applicable Evaluation Mode

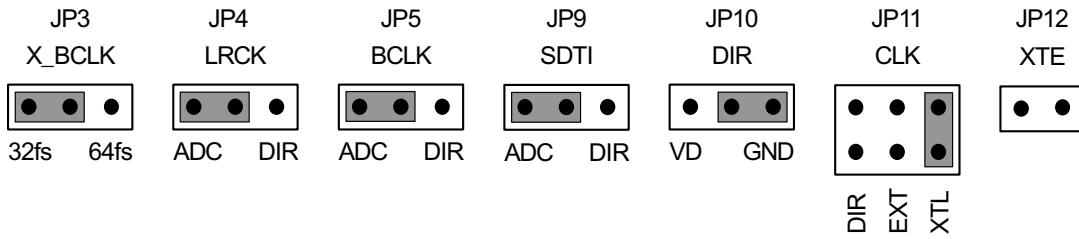
- 1) Evaluation of loopback mode (default)
- 2) Evaluation of D/A using ideal sine wave generated by ROM data
- 3) Evaluation of D/A using A/D converted data
- 4) Evaluation of D/A using DIR (Optical Link)
- 5) Evaluation of A/D using D/A converted data
- 6) Evaluation of A/D using DIT (Optical Link)
- 7) All interface signals including master clock are fed externally.

### 1) Evaluation of loopback mode. <default>

Nothing should be connected to PORT3 and PORT4. In case of using external clock through a BNC connector (J1), select EXT on JP11 (CLK) and short JP12 (XTE). When SDTO0 is connected with SDTI, JP8 (SD0/1) selects SD0 side. When SDTO1 is connected with SDTI, JP8 (SD0/1) selects SD1 side.

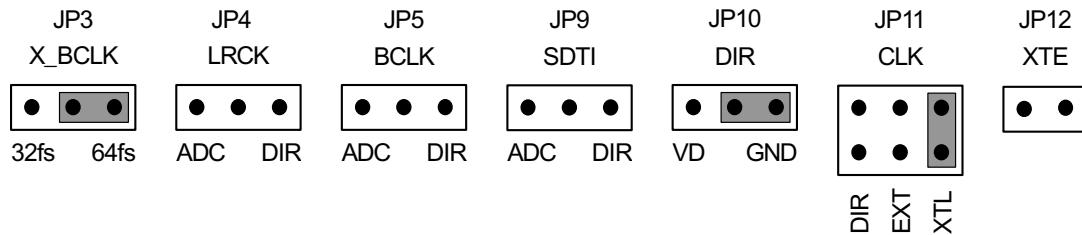
Table 1. AK4563A audio data I/F format and Setting JP3

AK4563A				JP3 (X_BCLK)
DIF1	DIF0	SDTO0/SDTO1 (ADC)	SDTI (DAC)	
0	0	16bit MSB justified	16bit LSB justified	32fs
0	1	16bit LSB justified	16bit LSB justified	64fs
1	0	16bit MSB justified	16bit MSB justified	32fs or 64fs
1	1	I <sup>2</sup> S Compatible	I <sup>2</sup> S Compatible	32fs or 64fs



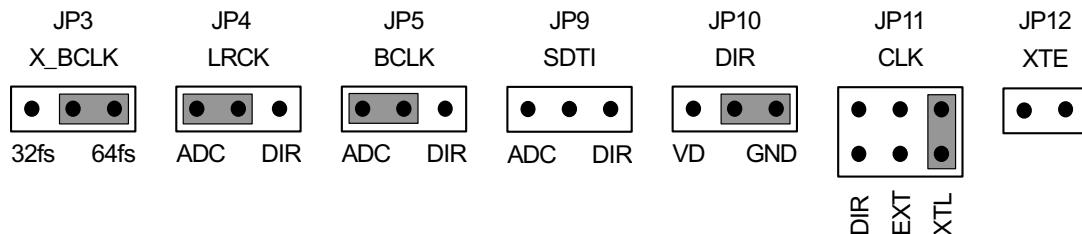
2) Evaluation of D/A using A/D converted data from ideal sine wave generated by ROM data.

Digital signals generated by AKD43XX are used. PORT3 is used for the interface with AKD43XX. Master clock is sent from AKD4563A to AKD43XX and BCLK, LRCK, SDTI are sent from AKD43XX to AKD4563A. Nothing should be connected to PORT1, PORT4. In case of using external clock through a BNC connector (J1), select EXT on JP11 (CLK) and short JP12 (XTE).



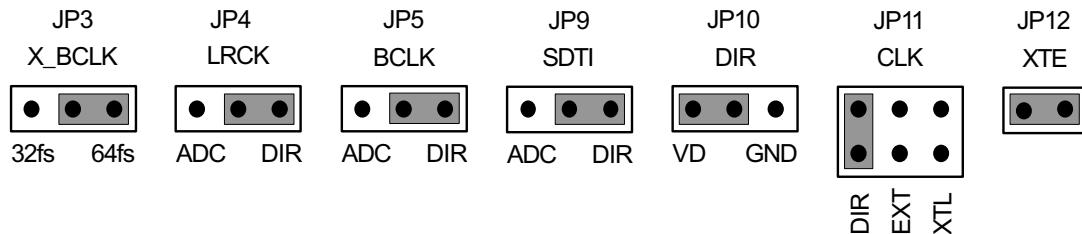
3) Evaluation of D/A using A/D converted data.

It is possible to make evaluation in the form of analog inputs and analog outputs by interfacing with various AKM's A/D evaluation boards with PORT3. Nothing should be connected to PORT1, PORT4. In case of using external clock through a BNC connector (J1), select EXT on JP11 (CLK) and short JP12 (XTE).



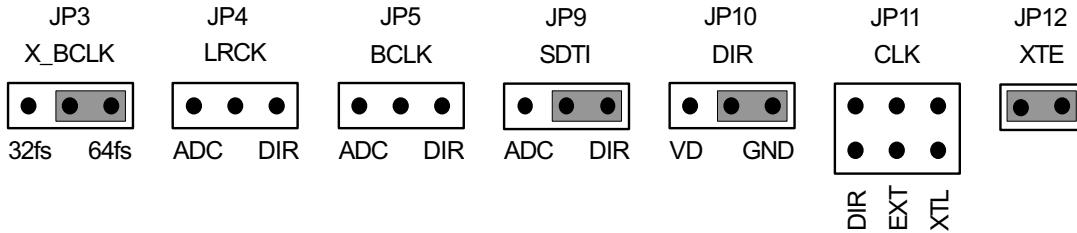
4) Evaluation of D/A using DIR. (Optical link)

PORT4 (DIR) is used. DIR generates MCLK, BCLK, LRCK and SDATA from the received data through optical connector (TORX176). Used for the evaluation using CD test disk. Nothing should be connected to PORT1, PORT3.



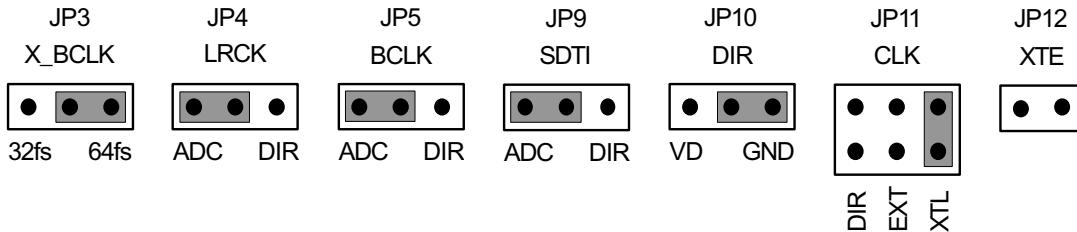
5) Evaluation of A/D using D/A converted data.

It is possible to make evaluation in the form of analog inputs and analog outputs by interfacing with various AKM's D/A evaluation boards with PORT3. Nothing should be connected to PORT4. When SDTO0 is supplied from PORT1, JP8 (SD0/1) selects SD0 side. When SDTO1 is supplied from PORT1, JP8 (SD0/1) selects SD1 side.



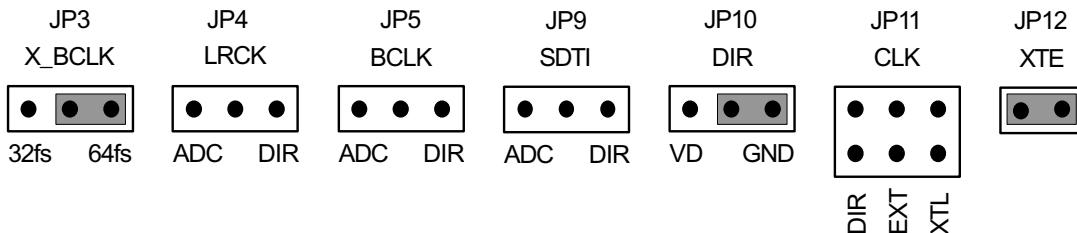
6) Evaluation of A/D using DIT. (Optical link)

PORT1 (DIT) is used. DIT generates audio bi-phase signal from received data and which is output through optical connector (TOTX176). It is possible to connect AKM's D/A converter evaluation boards on the digital-amplifier which equips DIR input. Nothing should be connected PORT3 and PORT4. In case of using external clock through a BNC connector (J1), select EXT on JP11 (CLK) and short JP12 (XTE). When SDTO0 is supplied from PORT1, JP8 (SD0/1) selects SD0 side. When SDTO1 is supplied from PORT1, JP8 (SD0/1) selects SD1 side.



7) All interfacing signals (MCLK, BCLK, LRCK) are fed from the external circuit through PORT3.

Under the following set up, all external signals needed for the AK4563A to operate could be fed through PORT3. In case of interfacing external sources to D/A converter, JP7 (SDTO) should be open. And in case of using A/D data to externally, JP9 (SDTI) is set ADC side. When JP9 (SDTI) is open, the A/D data can be output from the PORT3, if JP7 (SDTO) is short.



### ■ DIP Switch set up

[SW3] (MODE): Setting evaluation mode of CS8412(DIR)  
ON is “1”, OFF is “0”.

Table 2. AK4563Aaudio data I/F format and setting SW3 and JP6

AK4563A		MODE	SW3			JP6
DIF1	DIF0		M0	M1	M2	
0	0	16bit LSB justified	1	0	1	THR
0	1	16bit LSB justified	1	0	1	THR
1	0	16bit MSB justified	0	0	0	INV
1	1	I <sup>2</sup> S Compatible	0	1	0	THR

SW3 and AK4563A format must be same audio data format.

### ■ Other jumper pins set up

1. JP1 (GND) : Analog ground and Digital ground  
OPEN : Separated.  
SHORT : Common. (The connector “DGND” can be open.) <default>
2. JP2 (VT) : D2V and VT  
OPEN : Separated. <default>  
SHORT : Common. (The connector “VT” can be open.)
3. JP6 (PHASE) : Phase of BCLK using DIR  
THR : BCLK is coincides with AK4563A. (16bit LSB justified and I<sup>2</sup>S compatible for DAC.)  
INV : BCLK is inverted. (16bit MSB justified for DAC.)
4. JP7 (SDTO) : Analog ground and Digital ground  
\*Always open.
5. JP8 (SD0/1) : Select SDTO0 or SDTO1  
SD0 : Select SDTO0.  
SD1 : Select SDTO1.

### ■ The function of the toggle SW

Upper-side is “H” and lower-side is “L”.

[SW1] (PDN): Power down of AK4563A. Keep “H” during normal operation.

[SW2] (DIT): Power down of AK4353. Keep “H” during normal operation.

### ■ Indication for LED

[LED1] (VERF): Monitor VERF pin of the CS8412. LED turns on when some error has occurred to CS8412.

[LED2] (PREM): Indicate whether the input data of CS8412 is pre-emphasized or not.

**■ Serial Control**

The AK4563A can be controlled via the printer port (parallel port) of IBM-AT compatible PC. Connect PORT2 (CTRL) with PC by 10 wire flat cable packed with the AKD4563A.

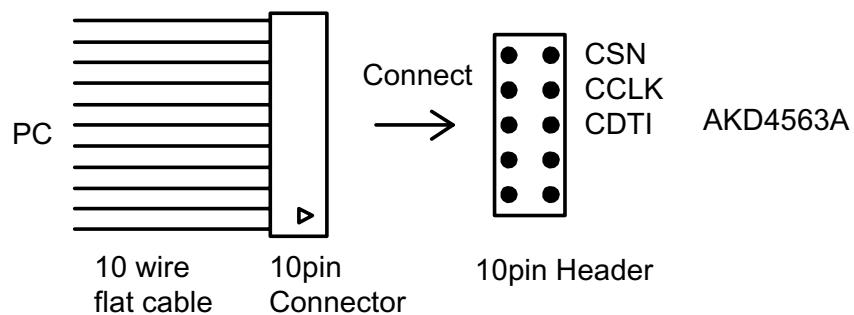


Figure 4. Connect of 10 wire flat cable

## 2. Control Software Manual

### ■ Set-up of evaluation board and control software

1. Set up the AKD4563A according to previous term.
2. Connect IBM-AT compatible PC with AKD4563A by 10-line type flat cable (packed with AKD4563A). Take care of the direction of 10pin header. (This control software does not operate on Windows NT, therefore please operate it on Windows95/98.)
3. Insert the floppy-disk labeled "AKD4563A Control Program ver 1.0" into the floppy-disk drive.
4. Access the floppy-disk drive and double-click the icon of "akd4563a.exe" to set up the control program.
5. Then please evaluate according to the follows.

### ■ Explanation of each buttons

#### (1) About AK4563A

1. [Port Setup] : Set up the printer port.
2. [Write default] : Initialize the register of AK4563A.
3. [Function1] : Dialog to write data by keyboard operation.
4. [Function2] : Dialog to evaluate IPGA and OPGA.
5. [Write] : Dialog to write data by mouse operation.

#### (2) About AK4353

1. [MSB] : MSB justified for DIT mode in AK4353.
2. [LSB] : LSB justified for DIT mode in AK4353.
3. [I<sup>2</sup>S] : I<sup>2</sup>S compatible for DIT mode in AK4353.

Note 1. Evaluation mode of AK4353 and AK4563A is same mode.

Note 2. The default of AK4353 is MCLK=256fs and I<sup>2</sup>S compatible mode.

Note 3. MCLK of AK4353 is fixed to 256fs.

### ■ Explanation of each dialog

1. [Function1 Dialog] : Dialog to write data by keyboard operation

Address Box: Input register address in 2 figures of hexadecimal.

Data Box: Input register data in 2 figures of hexadecimal.

If you want to write the input data to AK4563A, click "OK" button. If not, click "Cancel" button.

## 2. [Function2 Dialog] : Dialog to evaluate IPGA

This dialog corresponds to only addr=07H.

Address Box: Input register address in 2 figures of hexadecimal.

Start Data Box: Input start data in 2 figures of hexadecimal.

End Data Box: Input end data in 2 figures of hexadecimal.

Interval Box: Data is written to AK4563A by this interval.

Step Box: Data changes by this step.

Mode Select Box:

If you check this check box, data reaches end data, and returns to start data.

[Example] Start Data = 00, End Data = 09

Data flow: 00 01 02 03 04 05 06 07 08 09 09 08 07 06 05 04 03 02 01 00

If you do not check this check box, data reaches end data, but does not return to start data.

[Example] Start Data = 00, End Data = 09

Data flow: 00 01 02 03 04 05 06 07 08 09

If you want to write the input data to AK4563A, click “OK” button. If not, click “Cancel” button.

## 3. [Write Dialog] : Dialog to write data by mouse operation

There are dialogs corresponding to each register.

Click the “Write” button corresponding to each register to set up the dialog. If you check the check box, data becomes “H” or “1”. If not, “L” or “0”.

If you want to write the input data to AK4563A, click “OK” button. If not, click “Cancel” button.

### ■ Operation flow

Keep the following flow surely.

1. Set up the control program according to explanation above.
2. Click “Port Setup” button.
3. Click “Write default” button.
4. Set up evaluation mode of AK4353.
5. Then set up the dialog and input data.

### ■ Indication of data

Input data is indicated on the register map. Red letter indicates “H” or “1” and blue one indicates “L” or “0”. Blank is the part that is not defined in the datasheet.

### ■ Attention on the operation

If you set up Function1 or Function2 dialog, input data to all boxes. Attention dialog is indicated if you input data or address that is not specified in the datasheet or you click “OK” button before you input data. In that case set up the dialog and input data once more again. These operations does not need if you click “Cancel” button or check the check box.

<b>MEASUREMENT RESULTS</b>
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## [Measurement condition]

- Measurement unit: Audio Precision, System Two
- MCLK : 256fs
- BCLK : 64fs
- fs : 48kHz
- Bit : 16bit
- Power Supply : VA=VD=VT=2.5V
- Interface : DIR/DIT
- Temperature : Room

## [Measurement Results]

Parameter	Input Pin	Result (Lch / Rch)		Unit
<b>ADC Analog Input Characteristics</b>				
S/(N+D) (-2.0dB Input)	INTL0 / INTR0 INTL1 / INTR1 EXTL / EXTR LIN / RIN	86.0 / 86.0 86.0 / 86.0 86.0 / 86.0 85.6 / 85.6		dB
D-Range (A-weighted)	INTL0 / INTR0 INTL1 / INTR1 EXTL / EXTR LIN / RIN	88.6 / 88.6 88.6 / 88.6 88.6 / 88.6 88.1 / 88.1		dB
S/N (A-weighted)	INTL0 / INTR0 INTL1 / INTR1 EXTL / EXTR LIN / RIN	88.6 / 88.6 88.6 / 88.6 88.6 / 88.6 88.1 / 88.1		dB
Interchannel Isolation	INTL0 / INTR0 INTL1 / INTR1 EXTL / EXTR LIN / RIN	106.8 / 108.4 108.1 / 108.2 109.4 / 106.5 107.4 / 107.5		dB
<b>DAC Analog Output Characteristics</b>				
S/(N+D)	-	88.0 / 89.0		dB
D-Range (A-weighted)	-	92.3 / 92.3		dB
S/N (A-weighted)	-	92.9 / 92.9		dB
Interchannel Isolation	-	107.8 / 107.0		dB

[ADC Plot]

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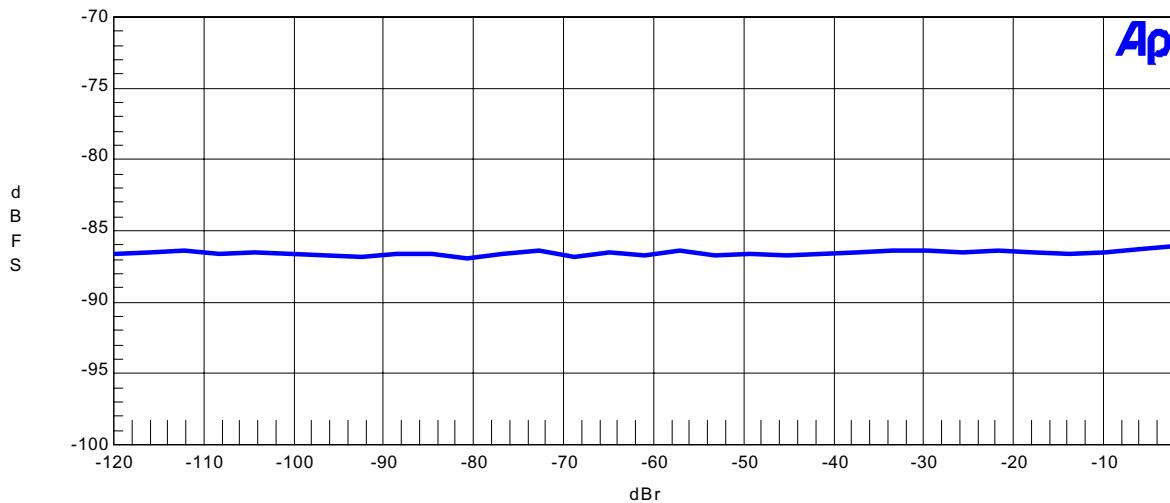
AK4563A ADC THD+N vs. Input Level  
VA=VD=VT=2.5V, fs=48kHz, fin=1kHz

Figure 1. THD+N vs. Input Level

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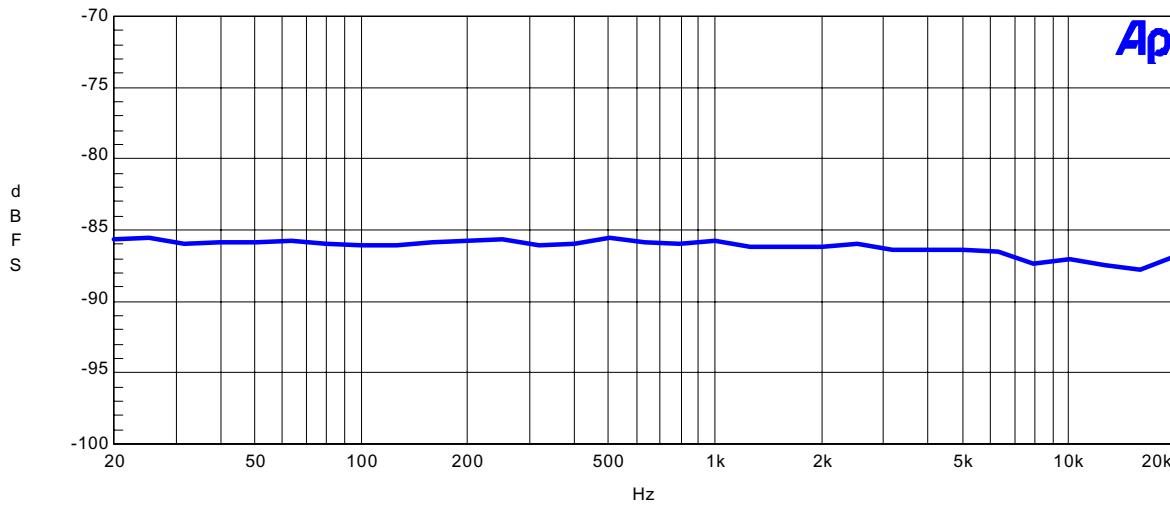
AK4563A ADC THD+N vs. Input Frequency  
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Figure 2. THD+N vs. Input Frequency

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AK4563A ADC Linearity  
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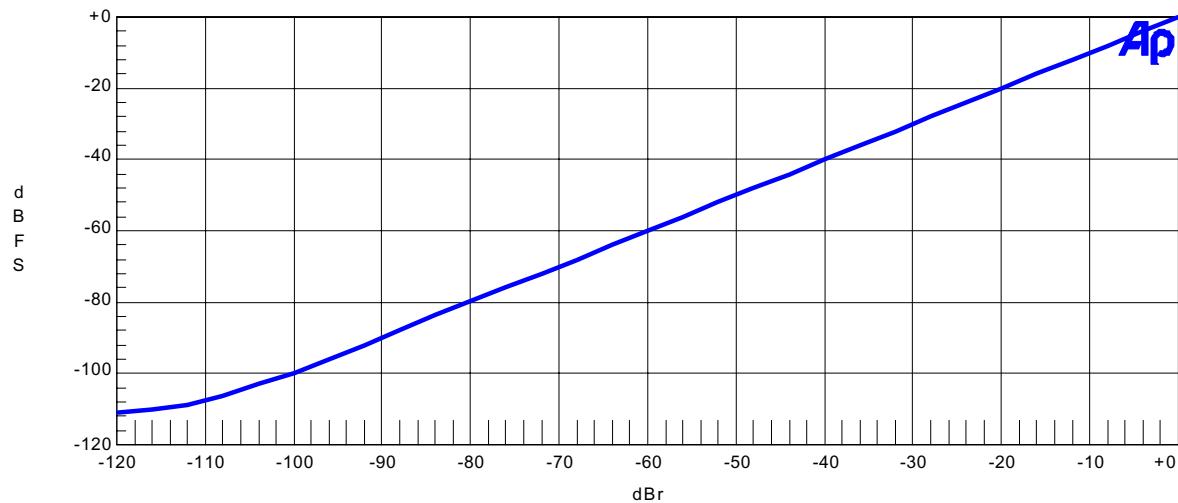


Figure 3. Linearity

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AK4563A ADC Frequency Response  
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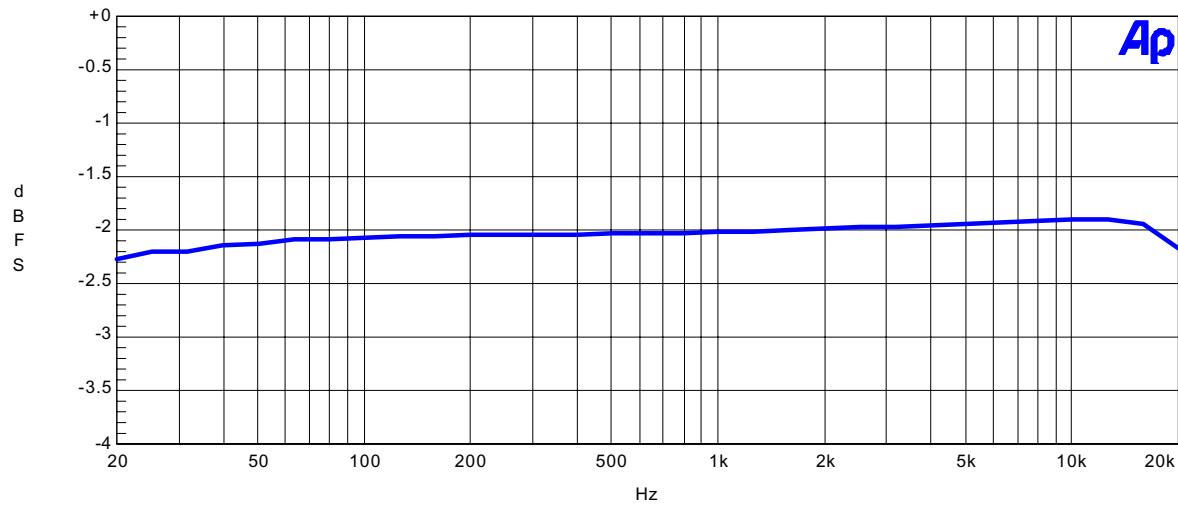


Figure 4. Frequency Response

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AK4563A ADC Crosstalk  
VA=VD=VT=2.5V, fs=48kHz, Input=-2.0dB<sub>r</sub>

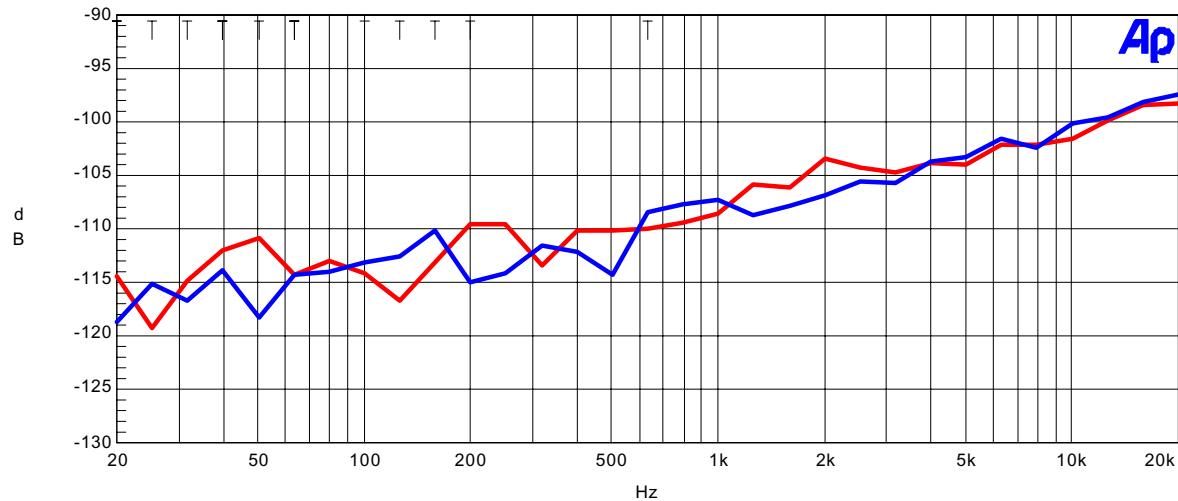


Figure 5. Crosstalk

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AK4563A ADC FFT Plot  
VA=VD=VT=2.5V, fs=48kHz, Input=-2.0dB<sub>r</sub>, fin=1kHz

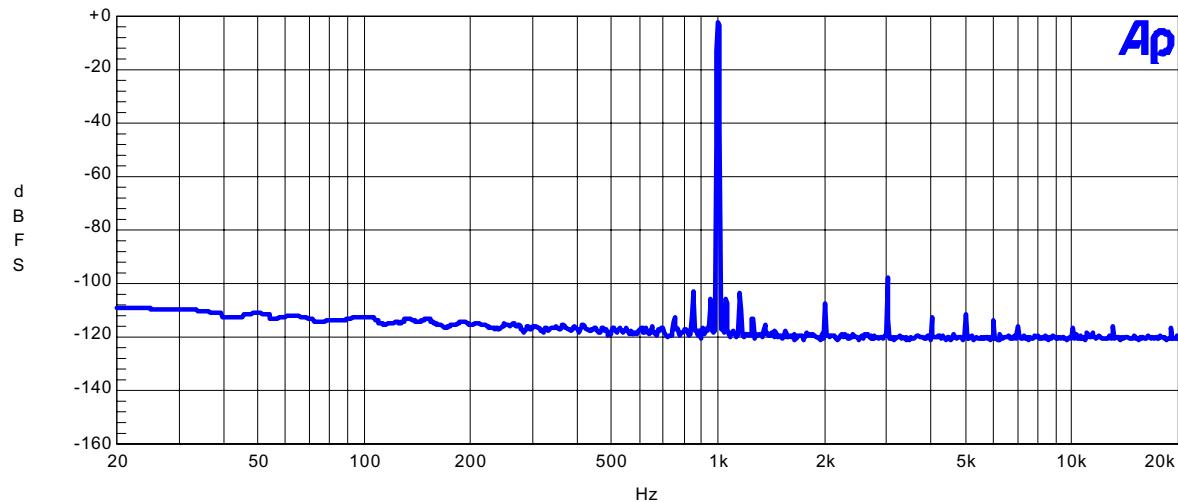


Figure 6. FFT Plot

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AK4563A ADC FFT Plot  
VA=VD=VT=2.5V, fs=48kHz, Input=-60dB<sub>r</sub>, fin=1kHz

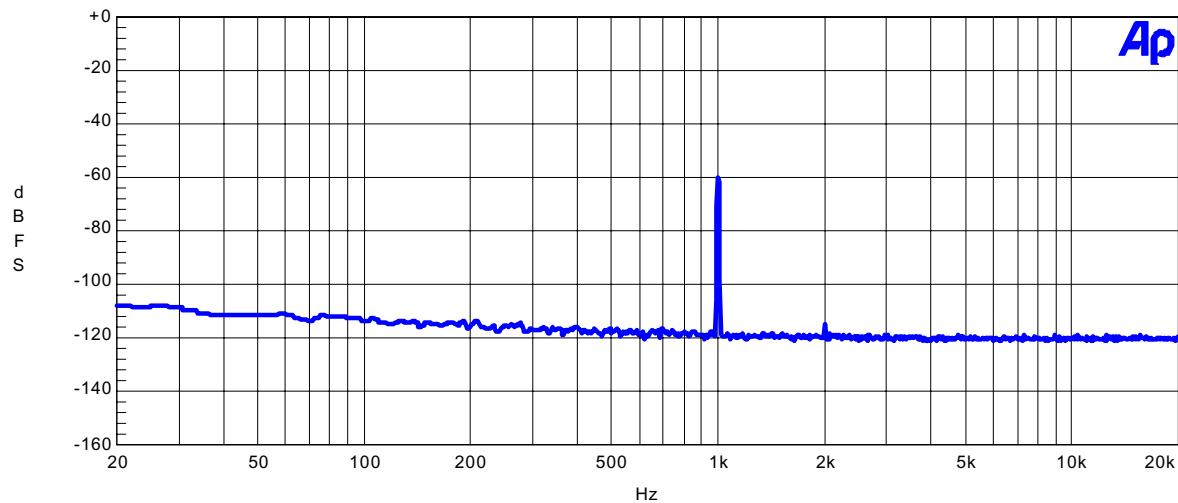


Figure 7. FFT Plot

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AK4563A ADC FFT Plot  
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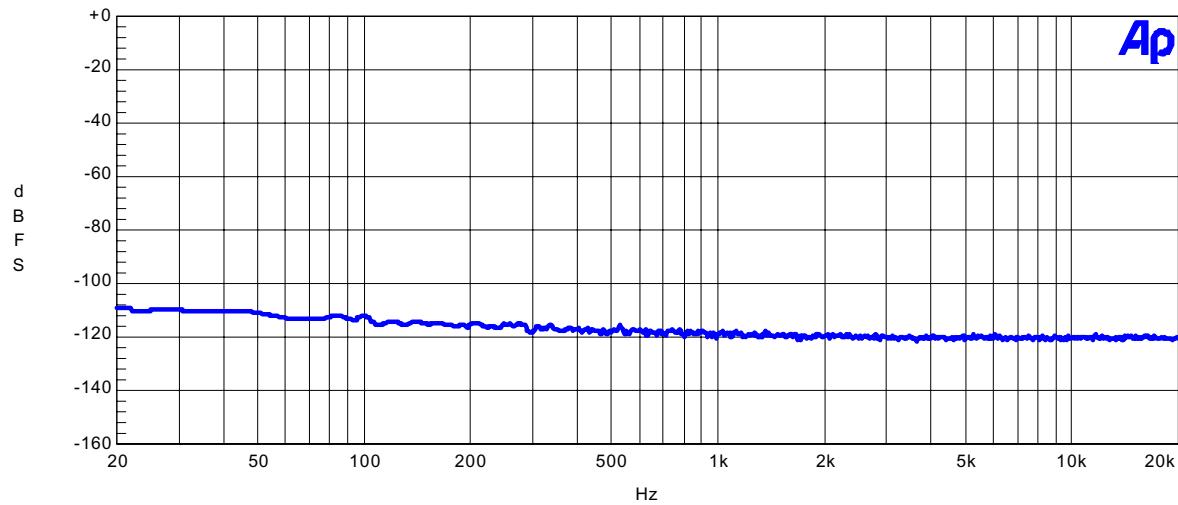


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[DAC Plot]

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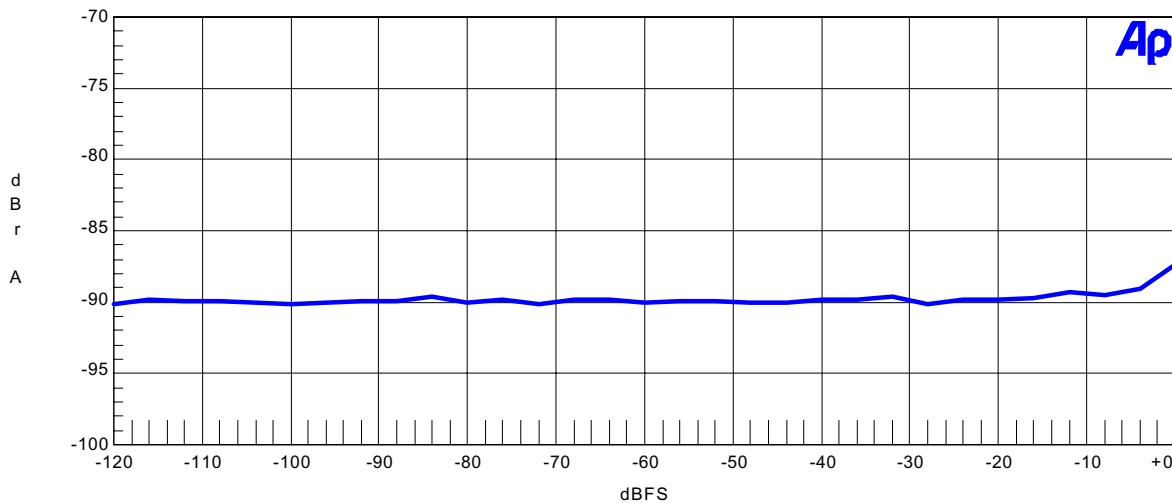
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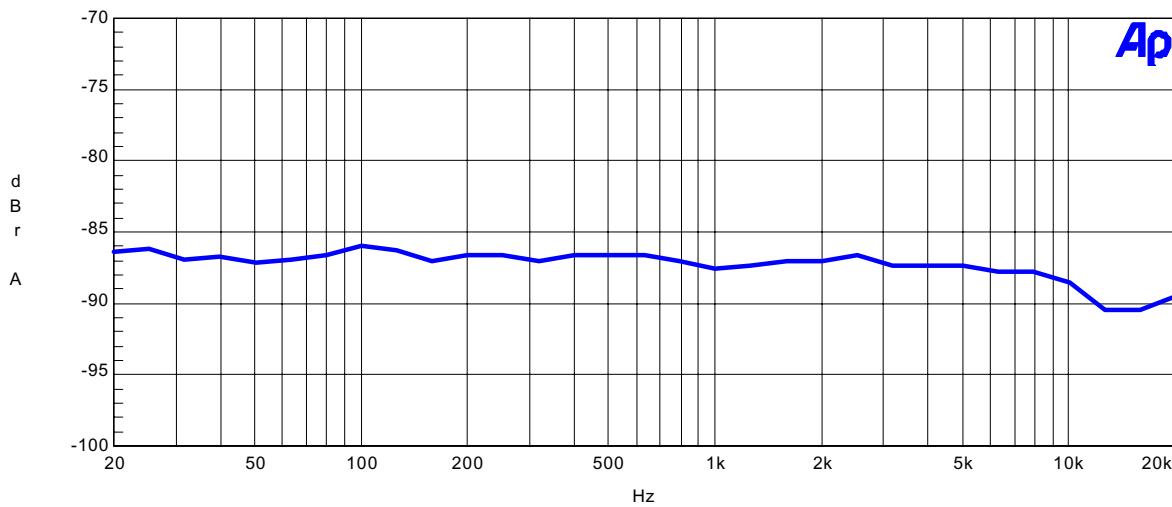
AK4563A DAC THD+N vs. Input Frequency  
VA=VD=VT=2.5V, fs=48kHz, Input=0dBFS

Figure 2. THD+N vs. Input Frequency

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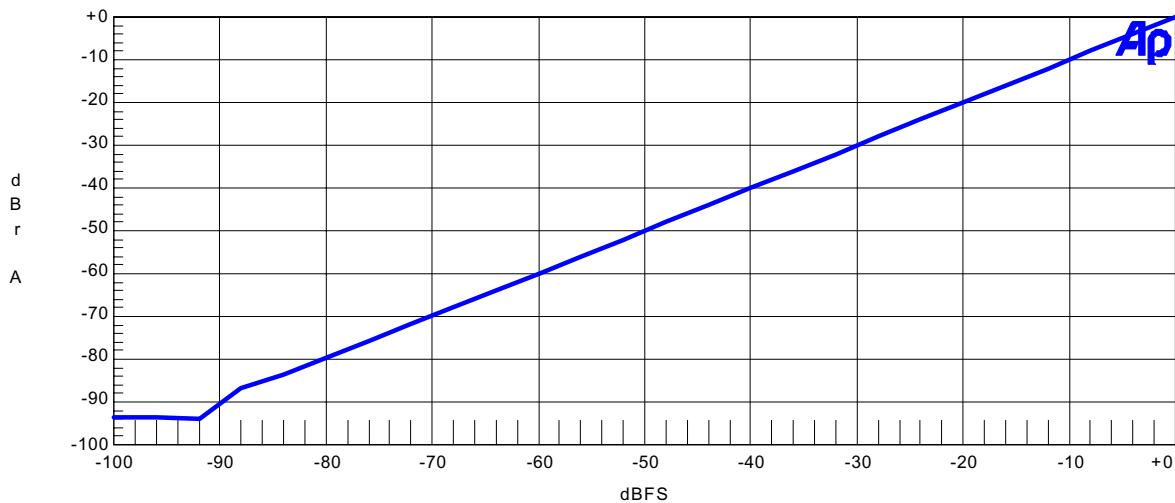


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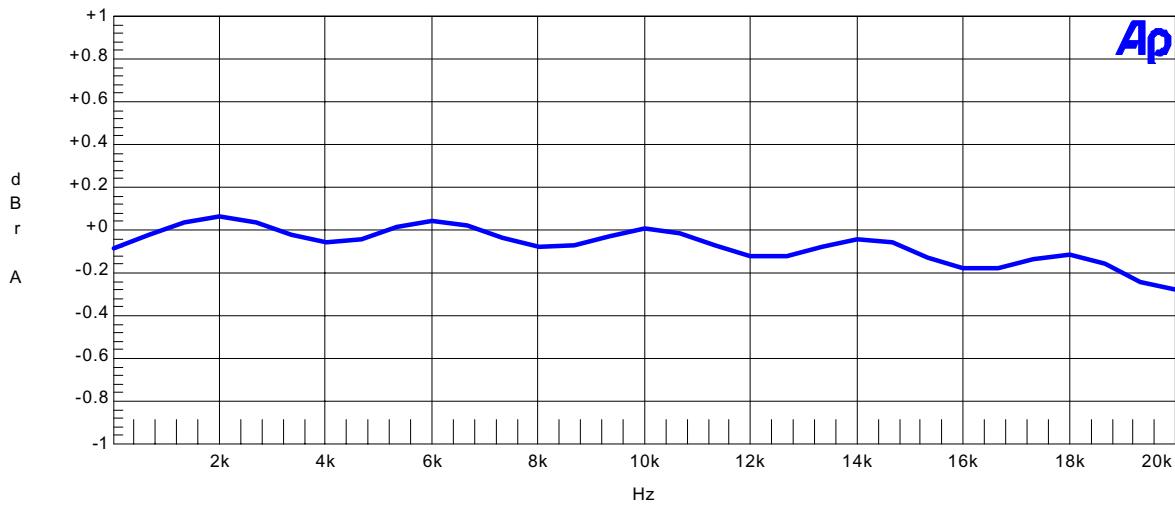


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AK4563A DAC Crosstalk  
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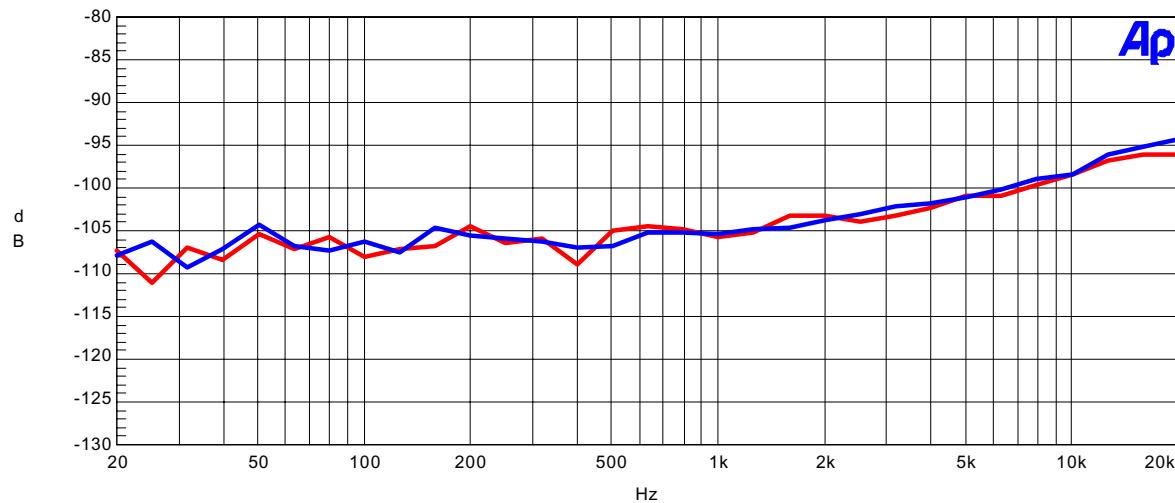


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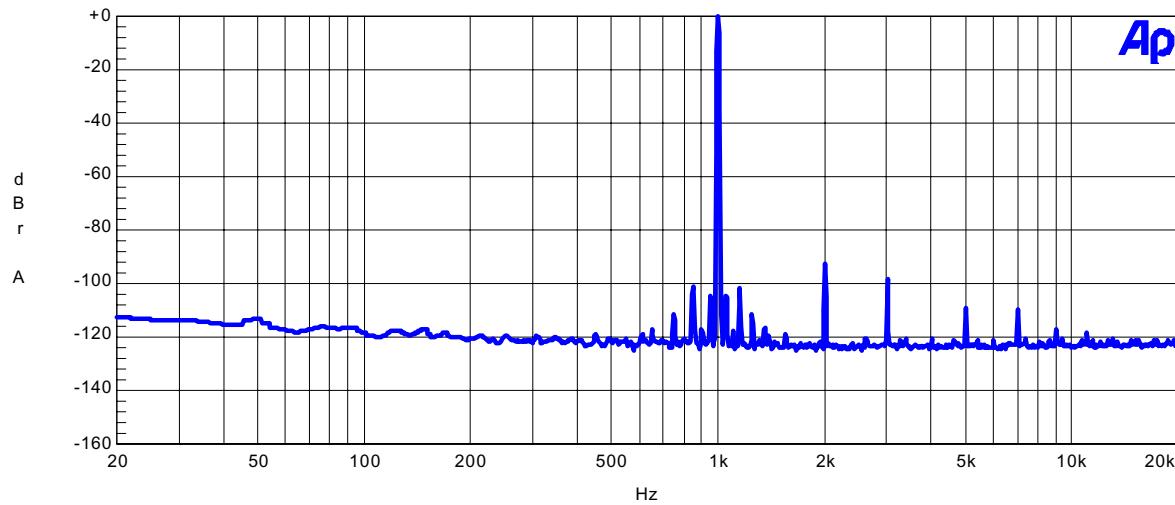


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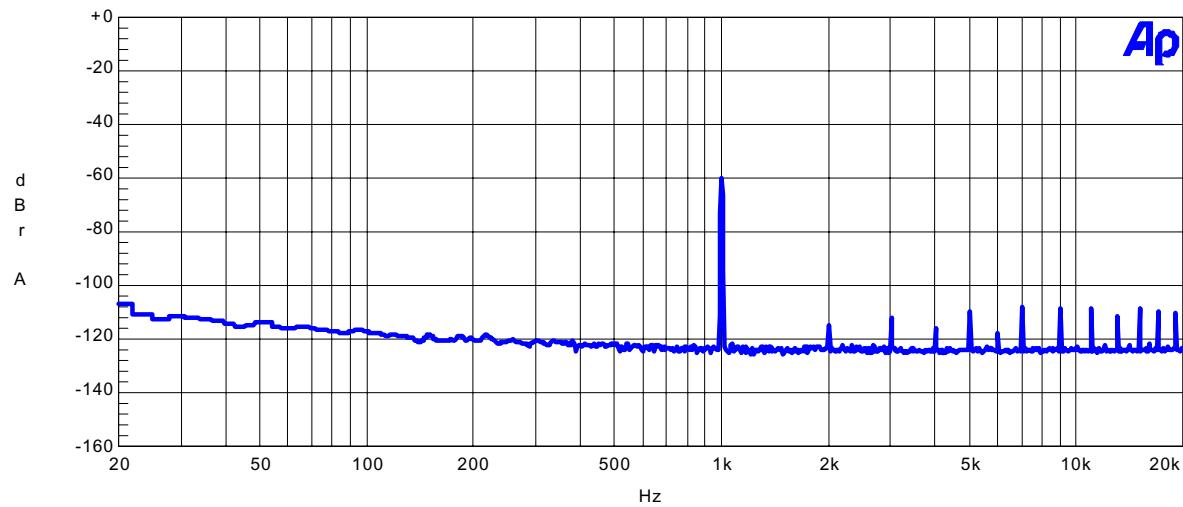


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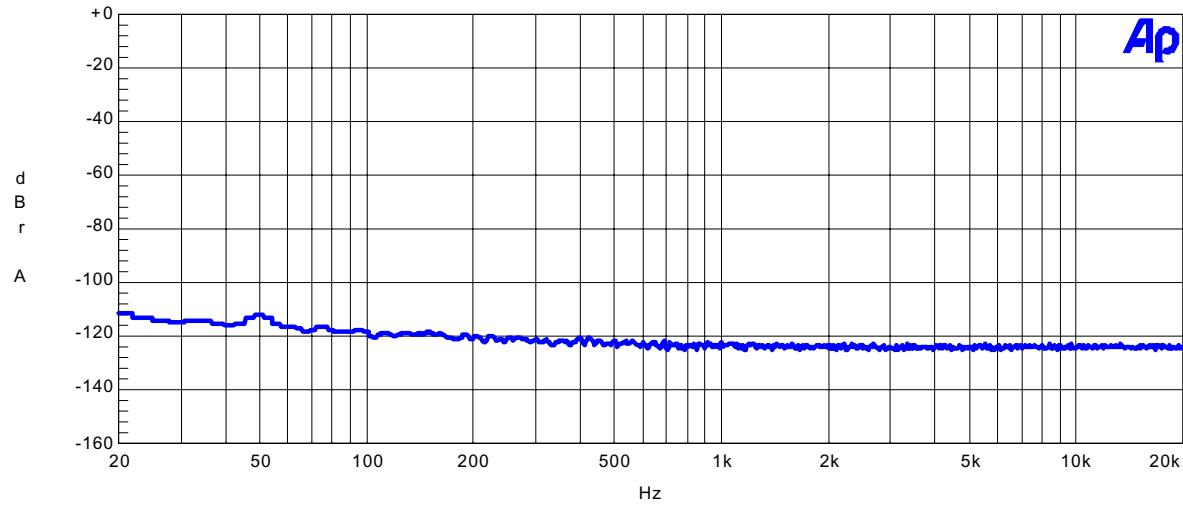
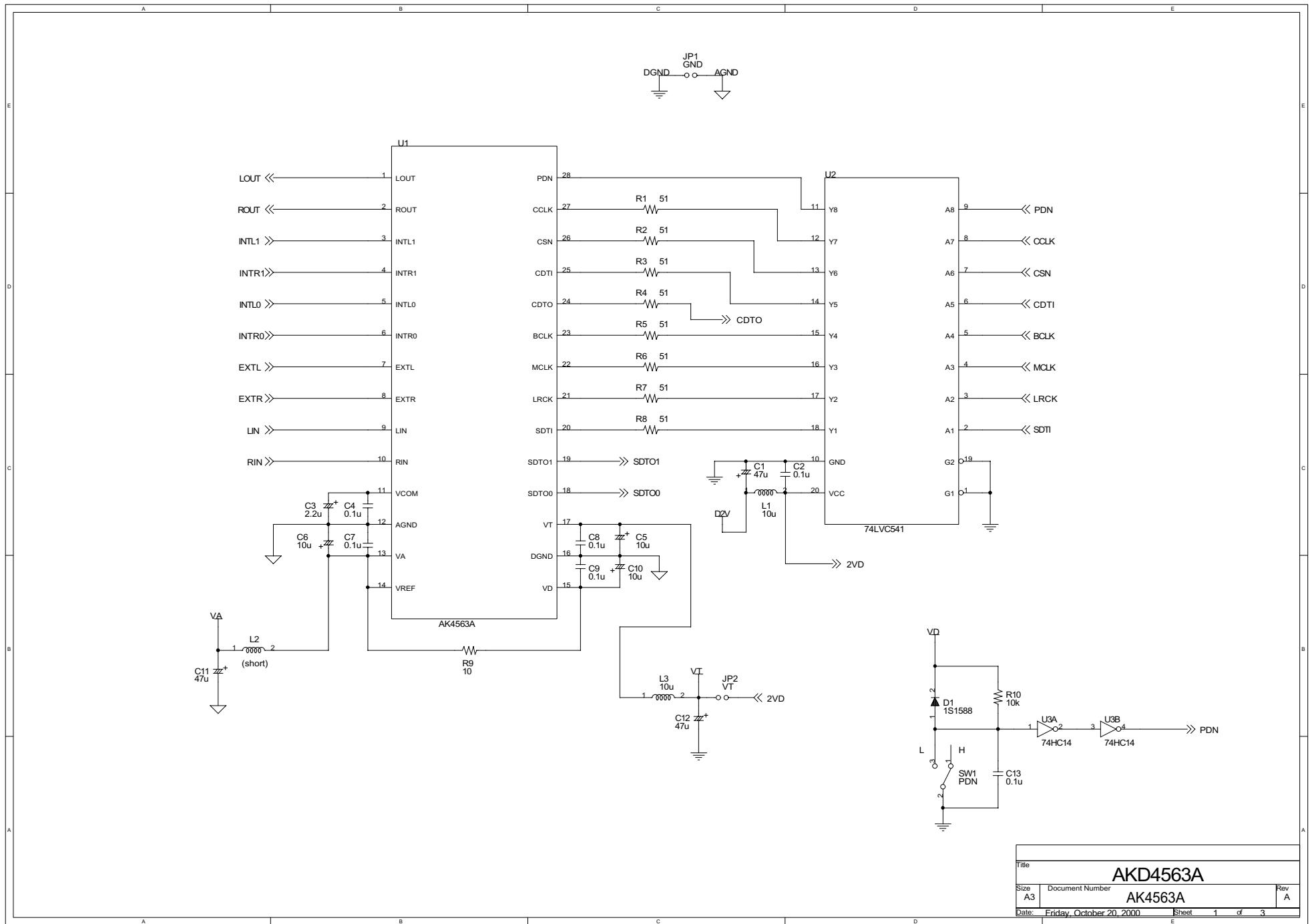
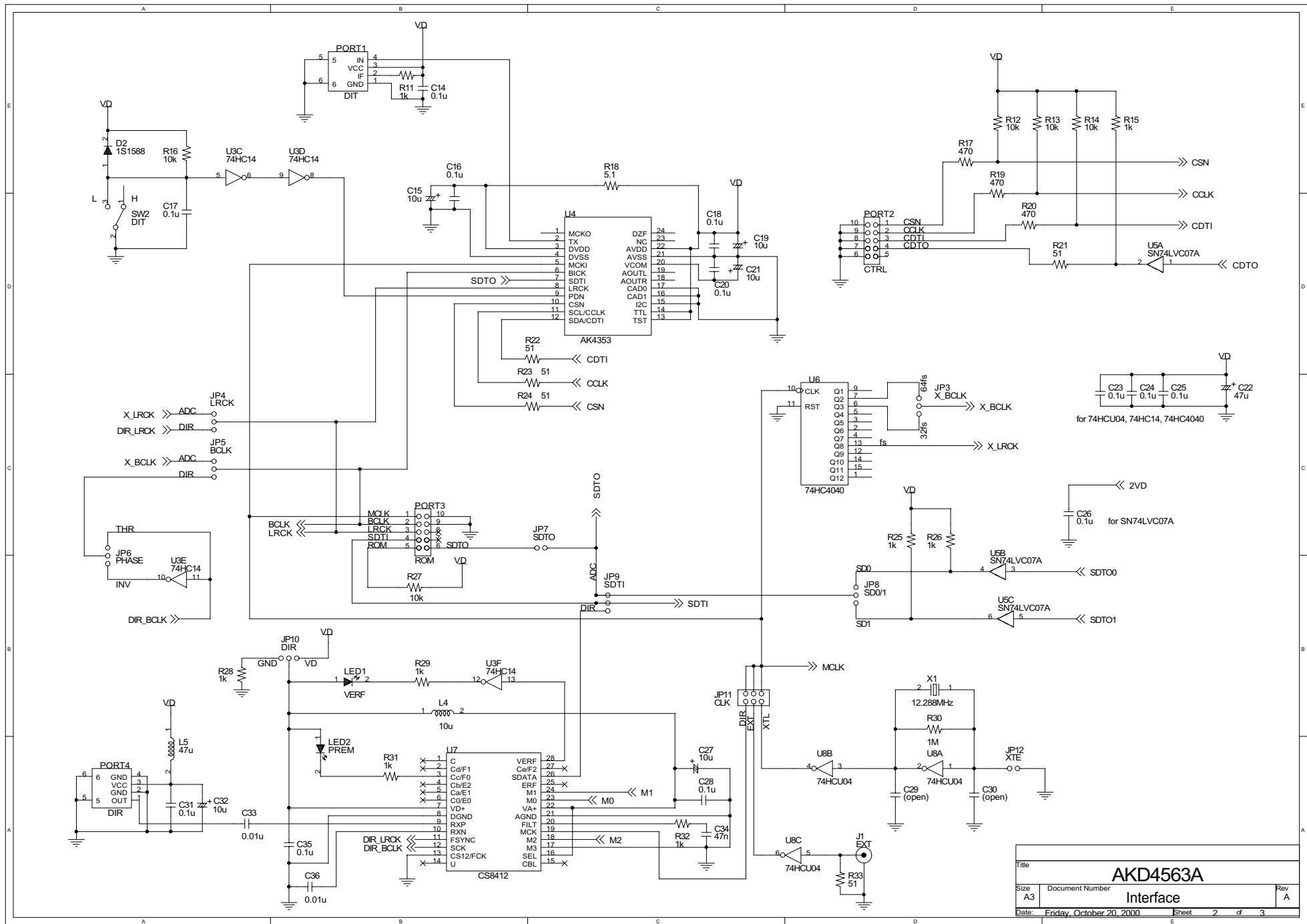


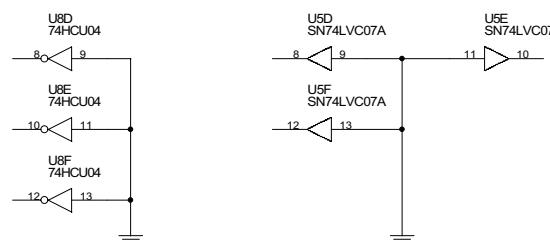
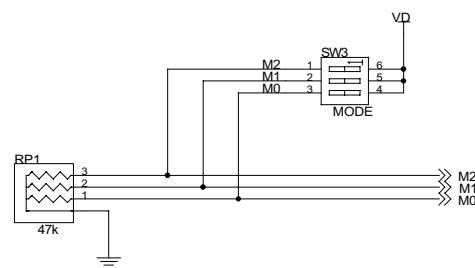
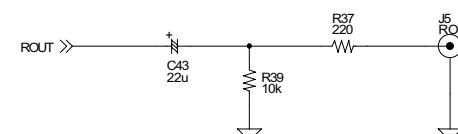
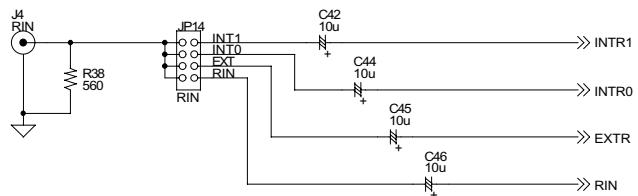
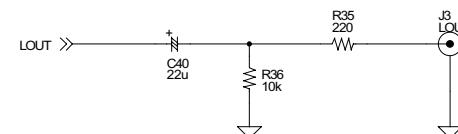
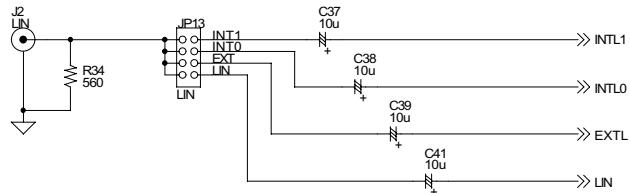
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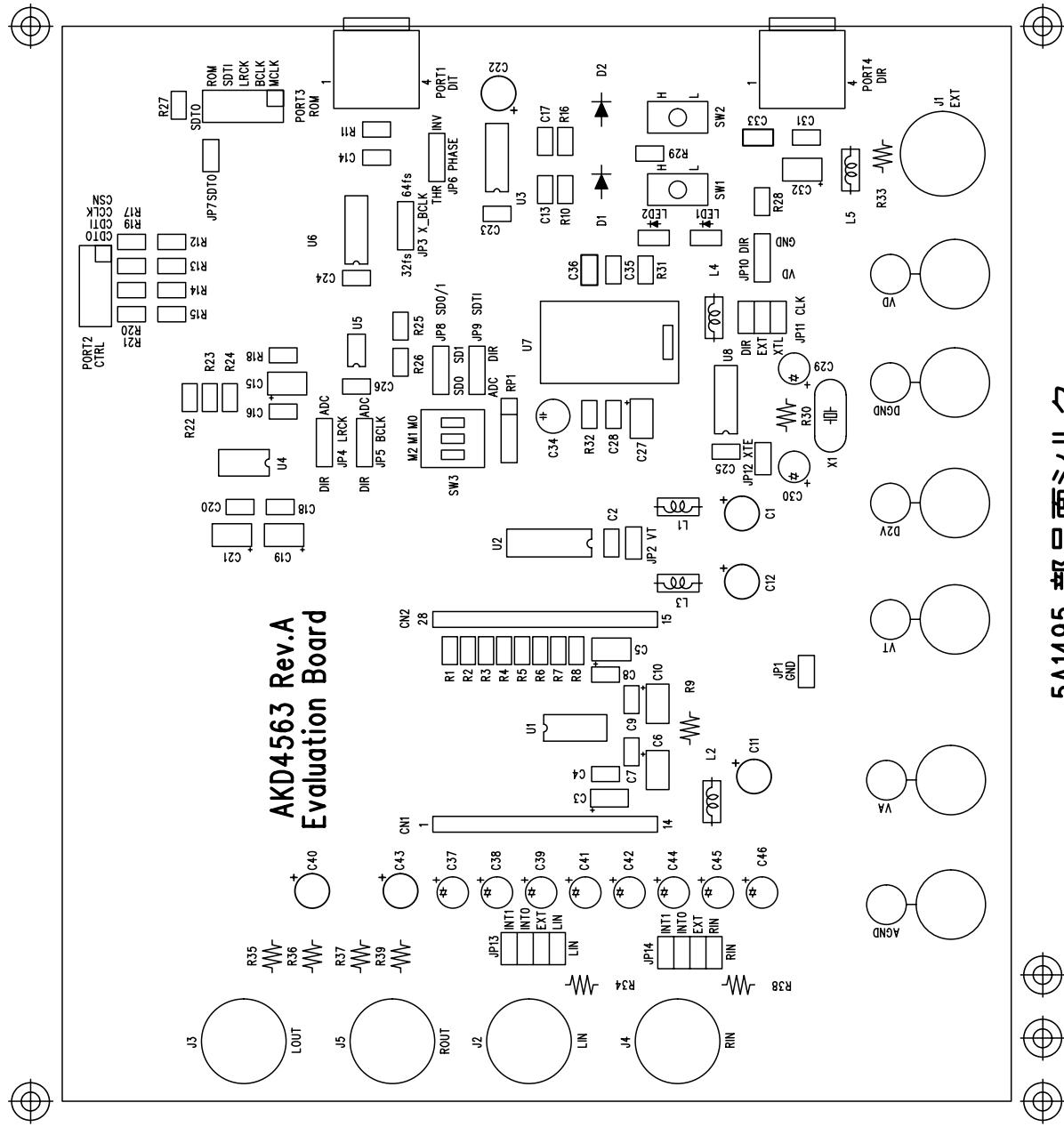


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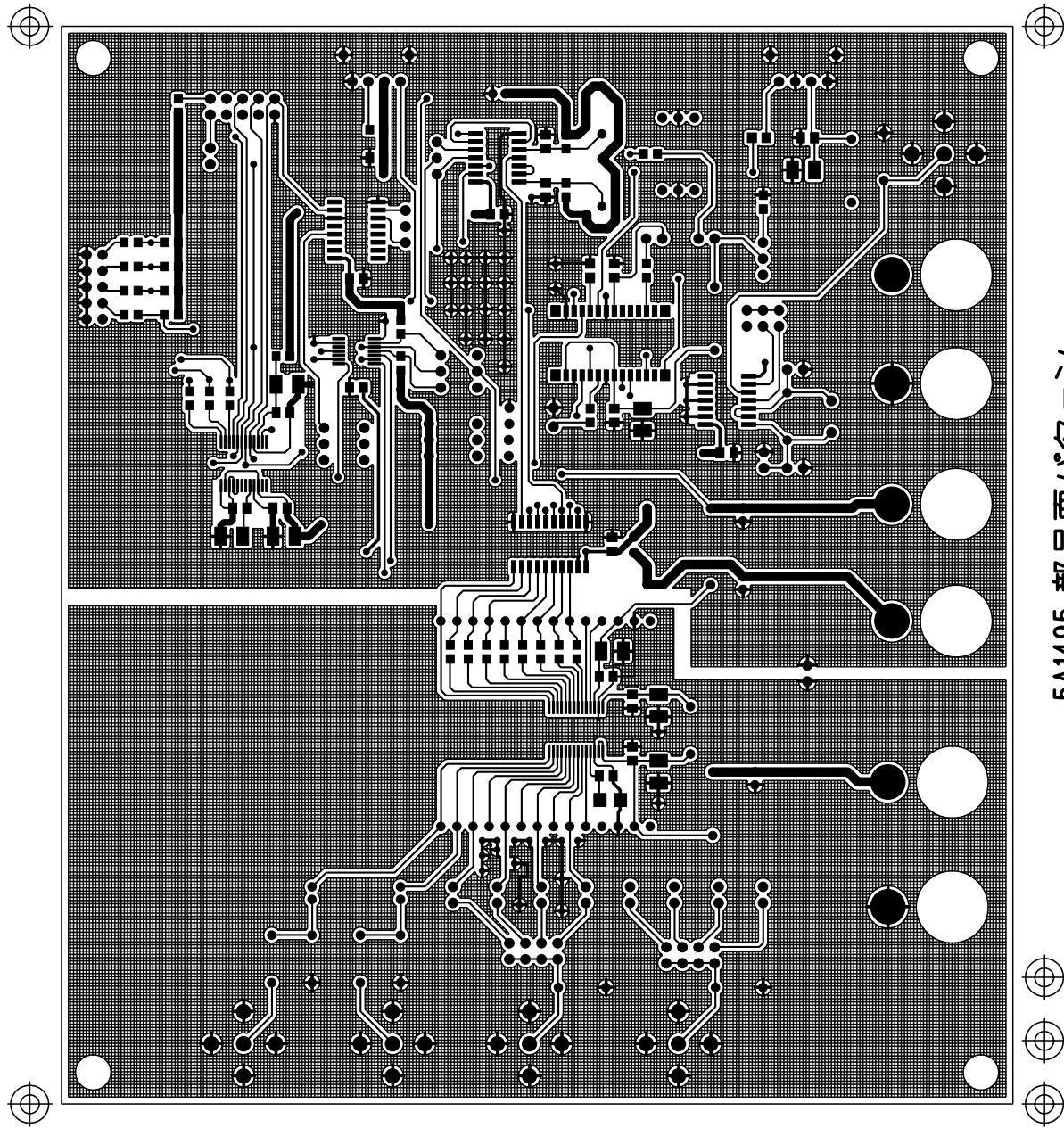


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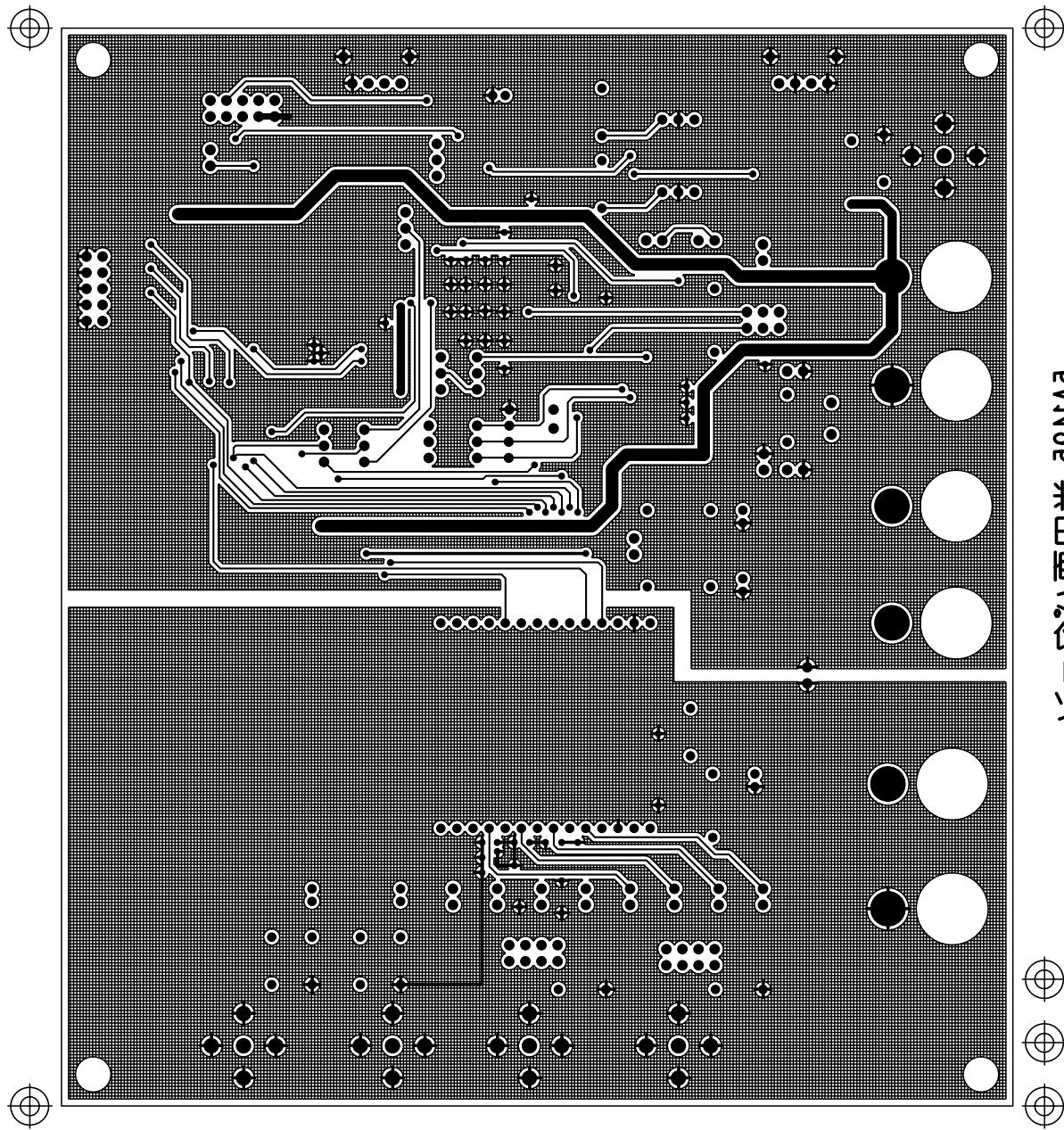
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