FEATURES
- 28 dB Gain
- 40 MHz to 1 GHz Operating Range
- 0.5 dB Gain Flatness
- 24 V Supply
- Supply Current: 430 mA (Typ.)
- Very Low Distortion & Noise
- Robust Design and Insensitive to Voltage Transients
- GaAs Monolithic IC-Based
- Standard SOT-115J Package
- Ruggedized design with integrated ring wave surge protection
- Superior ESD protection, >7kV

APPLICATIONS
- Distribution Nodes, System Amplifiers, and Line Extenders in CATV Systems

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION
The ACA2788 is a GaAs Hybrid Amplifier for CATV HFC distribution systems. It consists of two pairs of parallel amplifiers that are optimized for exceptionally low distortion and noise figure with input and output transient voltage protection. The ACA2788 is offered in a standard SOT-115J package.

Figure 1: Simplified Hybrid Internal Arrangement

Table 1: SOT-115J Pinning

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<td>3</td>
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<td>-</td>
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### Table 3: Operating Ranges

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### Table 4: Electrical Characteristics

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**Notes:**
(1) 79 analog NTSC channels to 550 MHz + 75 digital QAM channels (at -6 dB offset) with 15.5 dB tilt referenced to +55 dBmV output power at 1GHz.
(2) 79 analog NTSC channels with flat output of +44 dBmV at 550 MHz plus 53 digital channels to -6 dB offset to 1GHz.
(3) +58 dBmV Output (referenced to 1 GHz); 79 NTSC Analog Channels; 14 dB tilt at 1 GHz; plus 75 digital channels with QAM at -6 dB offset above 550 MHz.
Figure 3: Hybrid Line Amp Physical Outline

Figure 4: Branding Specification
## ORDERING INFORMATION

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