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7.6 – 7.8 GHz Multi-Stage Power Amplifier

FEATURES

- 7.6–7.8GHz Operating Frequency Range
- 37.0dBm Output Power at 2dB Compression
- 31.0 dB Typical Power Gain @2dB gain compression
- Non-Hermetic Metal Flange Package

APPLICATIONS

- Point-to-point and point-to-multipoint radio
- Military Radar Systems



Caution! ESD sensitive device.

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (Tb = 25 °C, 50 ohm, VD1=7V, VD2=10V, Vgg=-5V)

SYMBOL	PARAMETER/TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	ТҮР	MAX	UNITS
F	Operating Frequency Range	7.6		7.8	GHz
P2dB	Output Power at 2dB Gain Compression		37.0		dBm
G2dB	B Gain @2dB gain compression		31		dB
∆Gain	in Gain Flatness		±1.0		dB
Input RL	Input Return Loss		-12	-8	dB
Output RL	Output Return Loss		-15	-10	dB
VD1	Drain Supply Voltage 1		7		V
VD2	Drain Supply Voltage 2		10		V
I _{DQ1}	Quiescent Drain Current 1		200		mA
I _{DQ2}	Quiescent Drain Current 2		2600	3000	mA
Vgg	Gate Supply Voltage		-5		V
Rth	Thermal Resistance		2.4		°C/W
Tb	Operating Base Plate Temperature	- 30		+ 80	°C



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MAXIMUM RATINGS @25°C^{1,2}

SYMBOL	CHARACTERISTIC	ABSOLUTE	CONTINUOUS ^{1,2}
V _{D1}	Drain Supply Voltage 1	12V	8V
V _{D2}	Drain Supply Voltage 2	14V	10V
V_{gg}	Gate Supply Voltage	-10V	-6 V
l _{gg}	Gate Current	150mA	50 mA
P _{IN}	Input Power	20dBm	@ Pout 2dB compression
Т _{сн}	Channel Temperature	175°C	175°C
T _{STG}	Storage Temperature	-65/175°C	-65/175°C
Ρτ	Total Power Dissipation	37.5W	37.5W

Notes: 1. Operating the device beyond any of the above rating may reduce MTTF and cause permanent damage.

2. Bias conditions must also satisfy the following equation $Vdd^{+}Idd < (T_{CH} - Tb)/R_{TH}$

Package Dimension and Pin Assignment



* NC: No connection inside the package



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Application Note

- 1. The package should be screwed onto a good heat sink and ground
- 2. Turn on/off sequence is required:

---to turn on: apply -5V first, then +7V and +10V.

---to turn off: turn +7V and +10V off first, then turn -5V off

3. Recommended External Bias Circuit and Internal Block Diagram



Typical Performance: P1dB & G1dB (@Vds=10.0V, Idsq=2700mA)



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S11 S21 S12 S22 Freq GHz Mag Mag Mag Ang Mag Ang Ang Ang 6.0 0.2739 -126.02 78.75 0.1621 -92.98 7.8680 157.28 0.0038 6.2 -143.95 14.1273 0.0025 0.1503 -121.39 0.2135 65.93 -121.90 6.4 0.1461 -152.50 23.4034 -28.46 0.0025 -128.06 0.1000 -153.57 -127.90 6.6 0.1155 -139.22 35.9707 0.0027 -59.16 0.0534 -49.77 47.3280 129.69 6.8 0.1449 -135.08 0.0017 45.82 0.1889 -85.17 7.0 0.1663 -148.04 53.8634 28.59 0.0033 45.58 0.2179 -128.727.2 0.1563 -151.11 53.5623 -69.47 0.0004 103.89 0.1500 -142.99 7.4 0.1880 -153.11 49.5049 -160.95 0.0017 -99.64 0.1878 -135.61 7.6 0.2437 -170.31 46.4079 112.81 0.0045 -20.74 0.2598 -156.350.2399 159.50 44.4597 23.45 149.12 0.2348 171.42 7.8 0.0038 142.63 37.8991 -63.19 158.82 163.79 8.0 0.1948 0.0029 0.1796 8.2 0.1805 138.04 32.6948 -142.76 0.0029 24.78 0.1824 165.68 139.44 0.2126 8.4 0.1789 127.05 31.7834 0.0068 59.47 154.82 8.6 0.1849 110.83 33.6484 55.37 0.0014 23.03 0.2254 144.31 8.8 85.62 34.7505 0.0040 0.2497 130.34 0.1373 -39.89 -81.51 9.0 0.0932 91.29 29.2272 -139.08 0.0036 -81.65 0.2166 108.53

S-PARAMETERS (VD1=10V, I_{DQ1} =2700mA, VD2=7V, I_{DQ2} =180mA)

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