

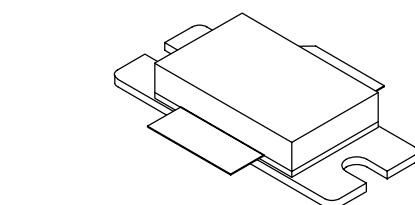
The RF Sub-Micron MOSFET Line
RF Power Field Effect Transistors
N-Channel Enhancement-Mode Lateral MOSFETs

Designed for W-CDMA base station applications with frequencies from 2110 to 2170 MHz. Suitable for TDMA, CDMA and multicarrier amplifier applications. To be used in Class AB for PCN - PCS/cellular radio and WLL applications.

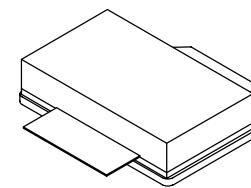
- Typical 2-carrier W-CDMA Performance for $V_{DD} = 28$ Volts, $I_{DQ} = 1600$ mA, $f_1 = 2.1125$ GHz, $f_2 = 2.1225$ GHz, Channel bandwidth = 3.84 MHz, adjacent channels at ± 5 MHz, ACPR and IM3 measured in 3.84 MHz bandwidth. Peak/Avg = 8.5 dB @ 0.01% probability on CCDF.
 Output Power — 20 Watts
 Efficiency — 18%
 Gain — 13 dB
 IM3 — -43 dBc
 ACPR — -45 dBc
- 100% Tested under 2-carrier W-CDMA
- Internally Matched, Controlled Q, for Ease of Use
- High Gain, High Efficiency and High Linearity
- Integrated ESD Protection
- Designed for Maximum Gain and Insertion Phase Flatness
- Capable of Handling 5:1 VSWR, @ 28 Vdc, 2170 MHz, 125 Watts (CW) Output Power
- Excellent Thermal Stability
- Characterized with Series Equivalent Large-Signal Impedance Parameters
- In Tape and Reel. R3 Suffix = 250 Units per 56 mm, 13 inch Reel.

MRF21125R3
MRF21125SR3

2170 MHz, 125 W, 28 V
LATERAL N-CHANNEL
RF POWER MOSFETs



CASE 465B-03, STYLE 1
 NI-880
 MRF21125R3



CASE 465C-02, STYLE 1
 NI-880S
 MRF21125SR3

MAXIMUM RATINGS

Rating	Symbol	Value	Unit
Drain-Source Voltage	V_{DSS}	65	Vdc
Gate-Source Voltage	V_{GS}	-0.5, +15	Vdc
Total Device Dissipation @ $T_C = 25^\circ\text{C}$ Derate above 25°C	P_D	330 1.89	Watts $W/\text{^\circ C}$
Storage Temperature Range	T_{stg}	-65 to +150	$^\circ\text{C}$
Operating Junction Temperature	T_J	200	$^\circ\text{C}$

THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS

Characteristic	Symbol	Value (1)	Unit
Thermal Resistance, Junction to Case	$R_{\theta JC}$	0.53	$^\circ\text{C/W}$

(1) Refer to AN1955/D, *Thermal Measurement Methodology of RF Power Amplifiers*. Go to <http://www.motorola.com/semiconductors/rf>. Select Documentation/Application Notes - AN1955.

NOTE - **CAUTION** - MOS devices are susceptible to damage from electrostatic charge. Reasonable precautions in handling and packaging MOS devices should be observed.

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ESD PROTECTION CHARACTERISTICS

Test Conditions	Class
Human Body Model	2 (Minimum)
Machine Model	M3 (Minimum)

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS ($T_C = 25^\circ\text{C}$ unless otherwise noted)

Characteristic	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
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OFF CHARACTERISTICS

Drain-Source Breakdown Voltage ($V_{GS} = 0 \text{ Vdc}$, $I_D = 100 \mu\text{A}$)	$V_{(BR)DSS}$	65	—	—	Vdc
Gate-Source Leakage Current ($V_{GS} = 5 \text{ Vdc}$, $V_{DS} = 0 \text{ Vdc}$)	I_{GSS}	—	—	1	μA
Zero Gate Voltage Drain Leakage Current ($V_{DS} = 28 \text{ Vdc}$, $V_{GS} = 0 \text{ Vdc}$)	I_{DSS}	—	—	10	μA

ON CHARACTERISTICS

Forward Transconductance ($V_{DS} = 10 \text{ Vdc}$, $I_D = 3 \text{ Adc}$)	g_{fs}	—	10.8	—	S
Gate Threshold Voltage ($V_{DS} = 10 \text{ V}$, $I_D = 300 \mu\text{A}$)	$V_{GS(\text{th})}$	2	—	4	Vdc
Gate Quiescent Voltage ($V_{DS} = 28 \text{ V}$, $I_D = 1300 \text{ mA}$)	$V_{GS(Q)}$	2.5	3.9	4.5	Vdc
Drain-Source On-Voltage ($V_{GS} = 10 \text{ V}$, $I_D = 1 \text{ A}$)	$V_{DS(\text{on})}$	—	0.12	—	Vdc

DYNAMIC CHARACTERISTICS

Reverse Transfer Capacitance (1) ($V_{DS} = 28 \text{ Vdc}$, $V_{GS} = 0$, $f = 1 \text{ MHz}$)	C_{rss}	—	5.4	—	pF
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FUNCTIONAL TESTS (In Motorola Test Fixture, 50 ohm system) 2-carrier W-CDMA, 3.84 MHz Channel Bandwidth, IM3 measured in 3.84 MHz Bandwidth. Peak/Avg = 8.5 dB @ 0.01% probability on CCDF.

Common-Source Amplifier Power Gain ($V_{DD} = 28 \text{ Vdc}$, $P_{out} = 20 \text{ W Avg}$, 2-carrier W-CDMA, $I_{DQ} = 1600 \text{ mA}$, $f_1 = 2112.5 \text{ MHz}$, $f_2 = 2122.5 \text{ MHz}$ and $f_1 = 2157.5 \text{ MHz}$, $f_2 = 2167.5 \text{ MHz}$)	G_{ps}	12	13	—	dB
Drain Efficiency ($V_{DD} = 28 \text{ Vdc}$, $P_{out} = 20 \text{ W Avg}$, 2-carrier W-CDMA, $I_{DQ} = 1600 \text{ mA}$, $f_1 = 2112.5 \text{ MHz}$, $f_2 = 2122.5 \text{ MHz}$ and $f_1 = 2157.5 \text{ MHz}$, $f_2 = 2167.5 \text{ MHz}$)	n	17	18	—	%
Third Order Intermodulation Distortion ($V_{DD} = 28 \text{ Vdc}$, $P_{out} = 20 \text{ W Avg}$, 2-carrier W-CDMA, $I_{DQ} = 1600 \text{ mA}$, $f_1 = 2112.5 \text{ MHz}$, $f_2 = 2122.5 \text{ MHz}$ and $f_1 = 2157.5 \text{ MHz}$, $f_2 = 2167.5 \text{ MHz}$; IM3 measured at $f_1 - 10 \text{ MHz}$ and $f_2 + 10 \text{ MHz}$ referenced to carrier channel power.)	IM3	—	-43	-40	dBc
Adjacent Channel Power Ratio ($V_{DD} = 28 \text{ Vdc}$, $P_{out} = 20 \text{ W Avg}$, 2-carrier W-CDMA, $I_{DQ} = 1600 \text{ mA}$, $f_1 = 2112.5 \text{ MHz}$, $f_2 = 2122.5 \text{ MHz}$ and $f_1 = 2157.5 \text{ MHz}$, $f_2 = 2167.5 \text{ MHz}$; ACPR measured at $f_1 - 5 \text{ MHz}$ and $f_2 + 5 \text{ MHz}$ referenced to carrier channel power.)	ACPR	—	-45	-40	dBc
Input Return Loss ($V_{DD} = 28 \text{ Vdc}$, $P_{out} = 20 \text{ W Avg}$, 2-carrier W-CDMA, $I_{DQ} = 1600 \text{ mA}$, $f_1 = 2112.5 \text{ MHz}$, $f_2 = 2122.5 \text{ MHz}$ and $f_1 = 2157.5 \text{ MHz}$, $f_2 = 2167.5 \text{ MHz}$)	IRL	—	-12	-9.0	dB
Output Mismatch Stress ($V_{DD} = 28 \text{ Vdc}$, $P_{out} = 125 \text{ W CW}$, $I_{DQ} = 1600 \text{ mA}$, $f = 2170 \text{ MHz}$, VSWR = 5:1, All Phase Angles at Frequency of Test)	Ψ	No Degradation In Output Power Before and After Test			

(1) Part is internally matched both on input and output.

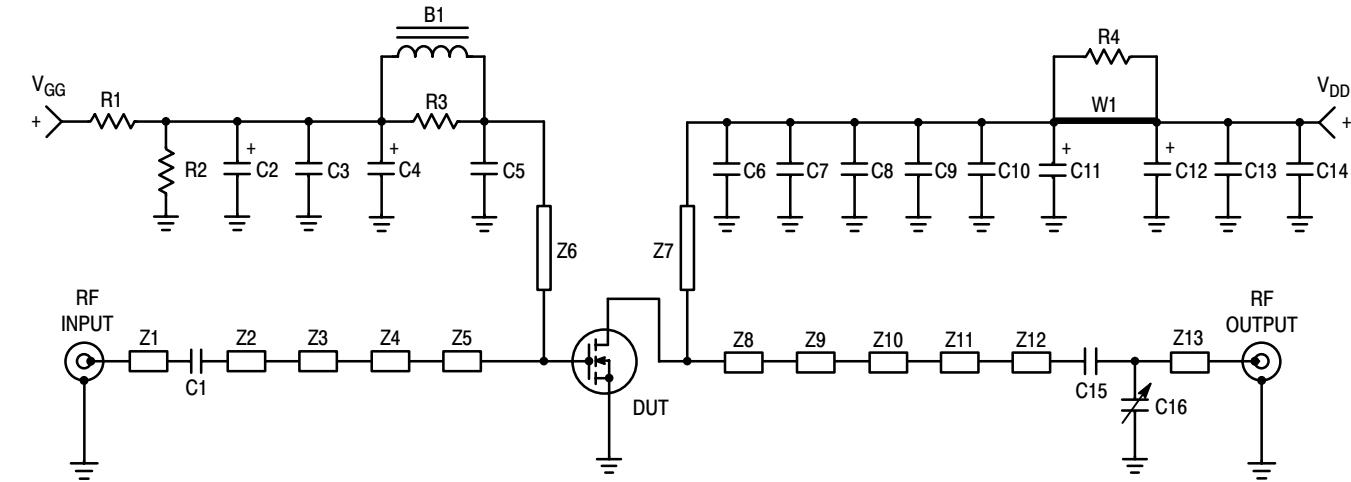
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ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS — continued ($T_C = 25^\circ\text{C}$ unless otherwise noted)

Characteristic	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
TYPICAL TWO-TONE PERFORMANCE (In Motorola Test Fixture)					
Common-Source Amplifier Power Gain ($V_{DD} = 28 \text{ Vdc}$, $P_{out} = 125 \text{ W PEP}$, $I_{DQ} = 1600 \text{ mA}$, $f_1 = 2110 \text{ MHz}$, $f_2 = 2120 \text{ MHz}$ and $f_1 = 2160 \text{ MHz}$, $f_2 = 2170 \text{ MHz}$)	G_{ps}	—	12	—	dB
Drain Efficiency ($V_{DD} = 28 \text{ Vdc}$, $P_{out} = 125 \text{ W PEP}$, $I_{DQ} = 1600 \text{ mA}$, $f_1 = 2110 \text{ MHz}$, $f_2 = 2120 \text{ MHz}$ and $f_1 = 2160 \text{ MHz}$, $f_2 = 2170 \text{ MHz}$)	η	—	34	—	%
Intermodulation Distortion ($V_{DD} = 28 \text{ Vdc}$, $P_{out} = 125 \text{ W PEP}$, $I_{DQ} = 1600 \text{ mA}$, $f_1 = 2110 \text{ MHz}$, $f_2 = 2120 \text{ MHz}$ and $f_1 = 2160 \text{ MHz}$, $f_2 = 2170 \text{ MHz}$)	IMD	—	-30	—	dBc
TYPICAL CW PERFORMANCE					
Common-Source Amplifier Power Gain ($V_{DD} = 28 \text{ Vdc}$, $P_{out} = 125 \text{ W CW}$, $I_{DQ} = 1600 \text{ mA}$, $f_1 = 2170.0 \text{ MHz}$)	G_{ps}	—	11.5	—	dB
Drain Efficiency ($V_{DD} = 28 \text{ Vdc}$, $P_{out} = 125 \text{ W CW}$, $I_{DQ} = 1600 \text{ mA}$, $f = 2170.0 \text{ MHz}$)	η	—	46	—	%

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Z1	1.212" x 0.082" Microstrip	Z8	0.600" x 1.056" Microstrip
Z2	0.236" x 0.082" Microstrip	Z9	0.179" x 0.219" Microstrip
Z3	0.086" x 0.254" Microstrip	Z10	0.100" x 0.336" Microstrip
Z4	0.357" x 0.082" Microstrip	Z11	0.534" x 0.142" Microstrip
Z5	0.274" x 1.030" Microstrip	Z12	0.089" x 0.080" Microstrip
Z6	0.466" x 0.050" Microstrip	Z13	0.620" x 0.080" Microstrip
Z7	0.501" x 0.050" Microstrip	PCB	Arlon GX0300-55-22, 0.030", $\epsilon_r = 2.55$

Figure 1. MRF21125 Test Circuit Schematic

Table 1. MRF21125 Test Circuit Component Designations and Values

Designators	Description
B1	Ferrite Bead (Square), Fair Rite #2743019447
C1	9.1 pF Chip Capacitor, B Case, ATC #100B9R1CCA500X
C2, C4, C11, C12	22 μ F, 35 V Tantalum Surface Mount Chip Capacitors, Kemet #T491X226K035AS4394
C3, C7	20000 pF Chip Capacitors, B Case, ATC #100B203JCA50X
C5, C14	5.1 pF Chip Capacitors, B Case, ATC #100B5R1CCA500X
C6	100000 pF Chip Capacitor, B Case, ATC #100B104JCA50X
C8	10000 pF Chip Capacitor, B Case, ATC #100B103JCA50X
C9	7.5 pF Chip Capacitor, B Case, ATC #100B7R5CCA500X
C10	1.2 pF Chip Capacitor, B Case, ATC #100B1R2CCA500X
C13	0.1 μ F Chip Capacitor, Kemet #CDR33BX104AKWS
C15	16 pF Chip Capacitor, B Case, ATC #100B160KP500X
C16	0.6 - 4.5 pF Variable Capacitor, Johanson Gigatrim #27271SL
R1	1.0 k Ω , 1/8 W Chip Resistor
R2	560 k Ω , 1/8 W Chip Resistor
R3	4.7 Ω , 1/8 W Chip Resistor
R4	12 Ω , 1/8 W Chip Resistor
W1	Solid Copper Buss Wire, 16 AWG

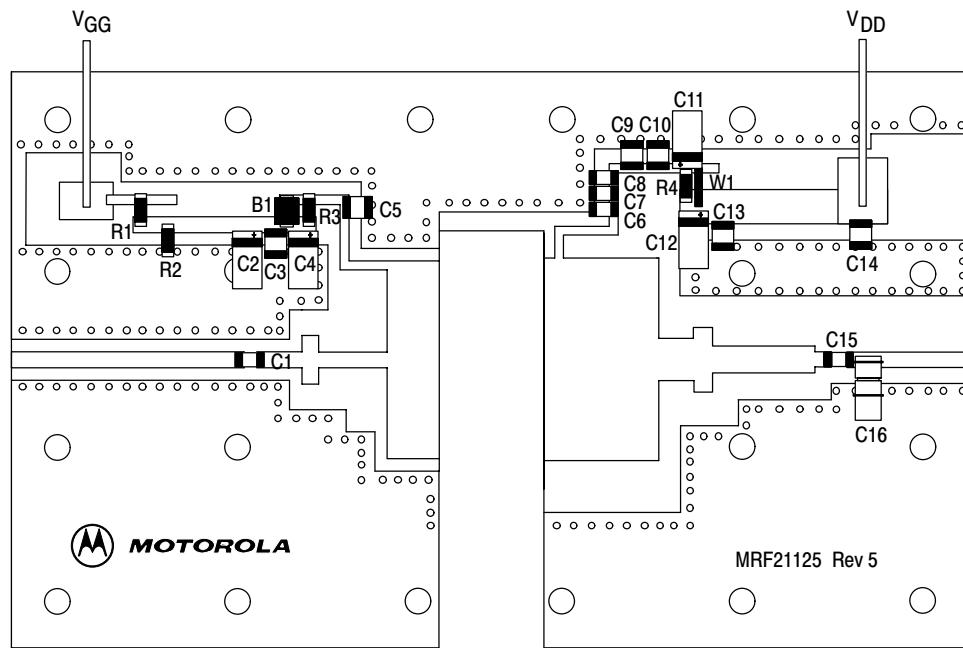
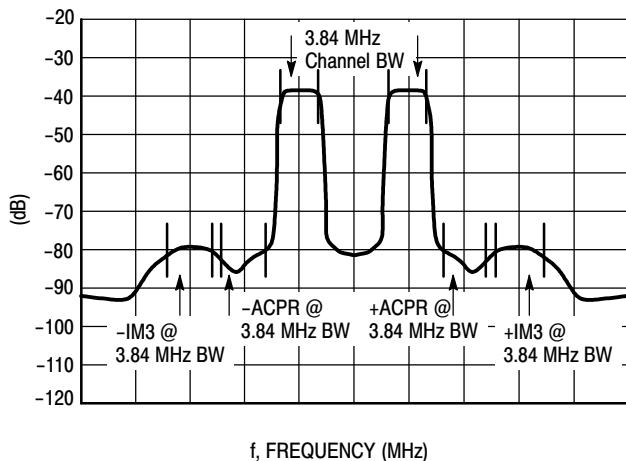
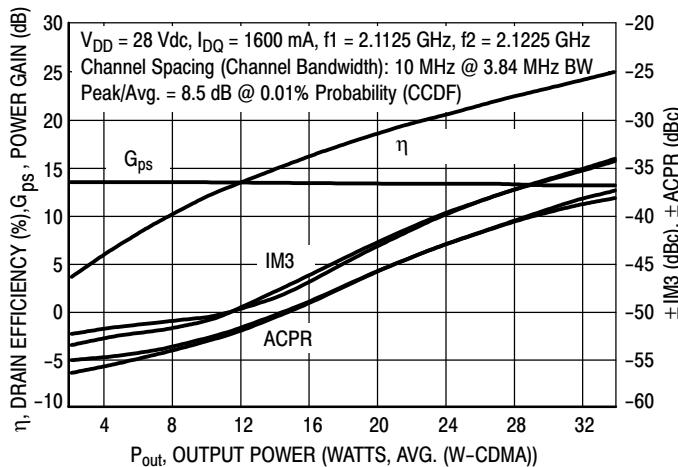


Figure 2. MRF21125 Test Circuit Component Layout

TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS



**Figure 3. 2-Carrier (10 MHz Spacing)
W-CDMA Spectrum**



**Figure 4. 2-Carrier W-CDMA ACPR, IM3,
Power Gain and Drain Efficiency versus
Output Power**

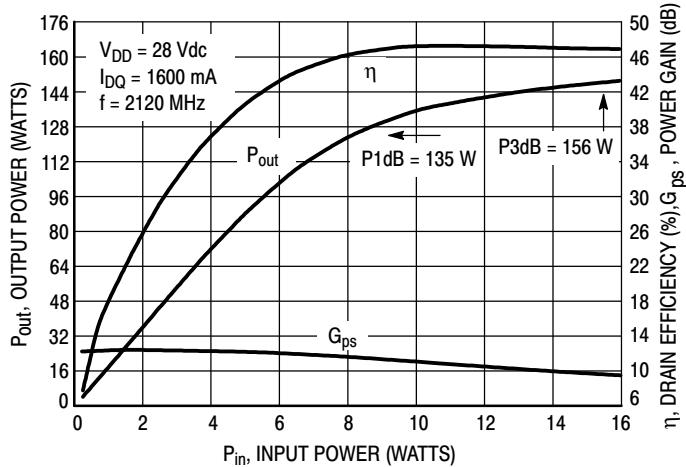


Figure 5. CW Performance

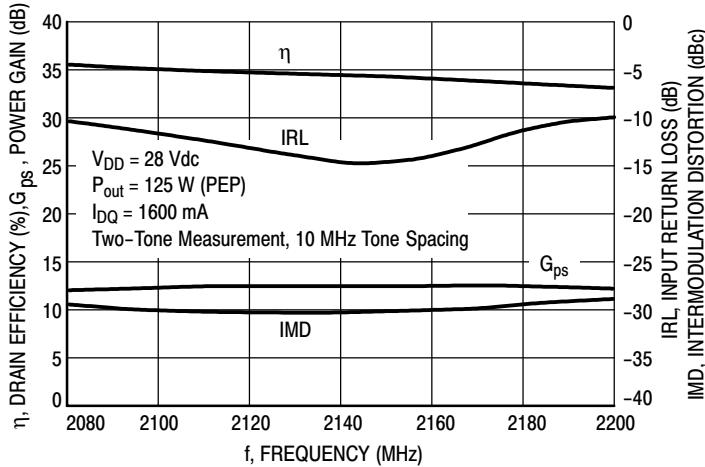
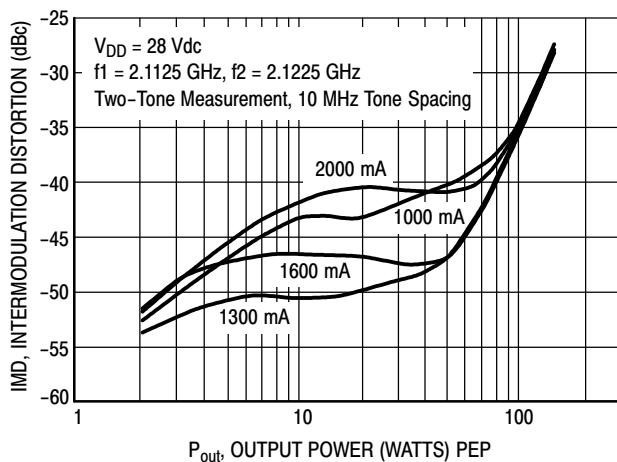


Figure 6. Broadband Linearity Performance



**Figure 7. Intermodulation Distortion versus
Output Power**

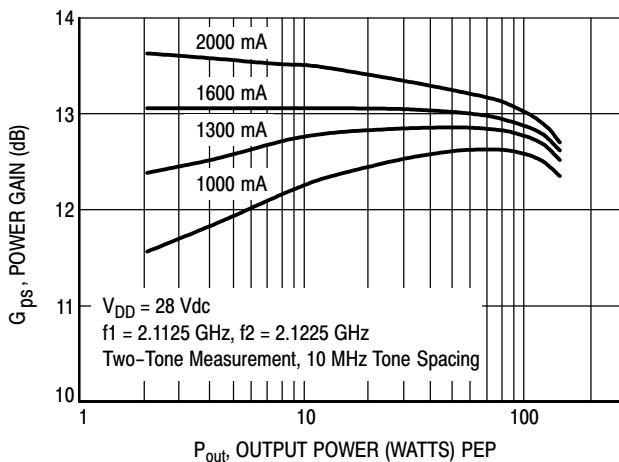
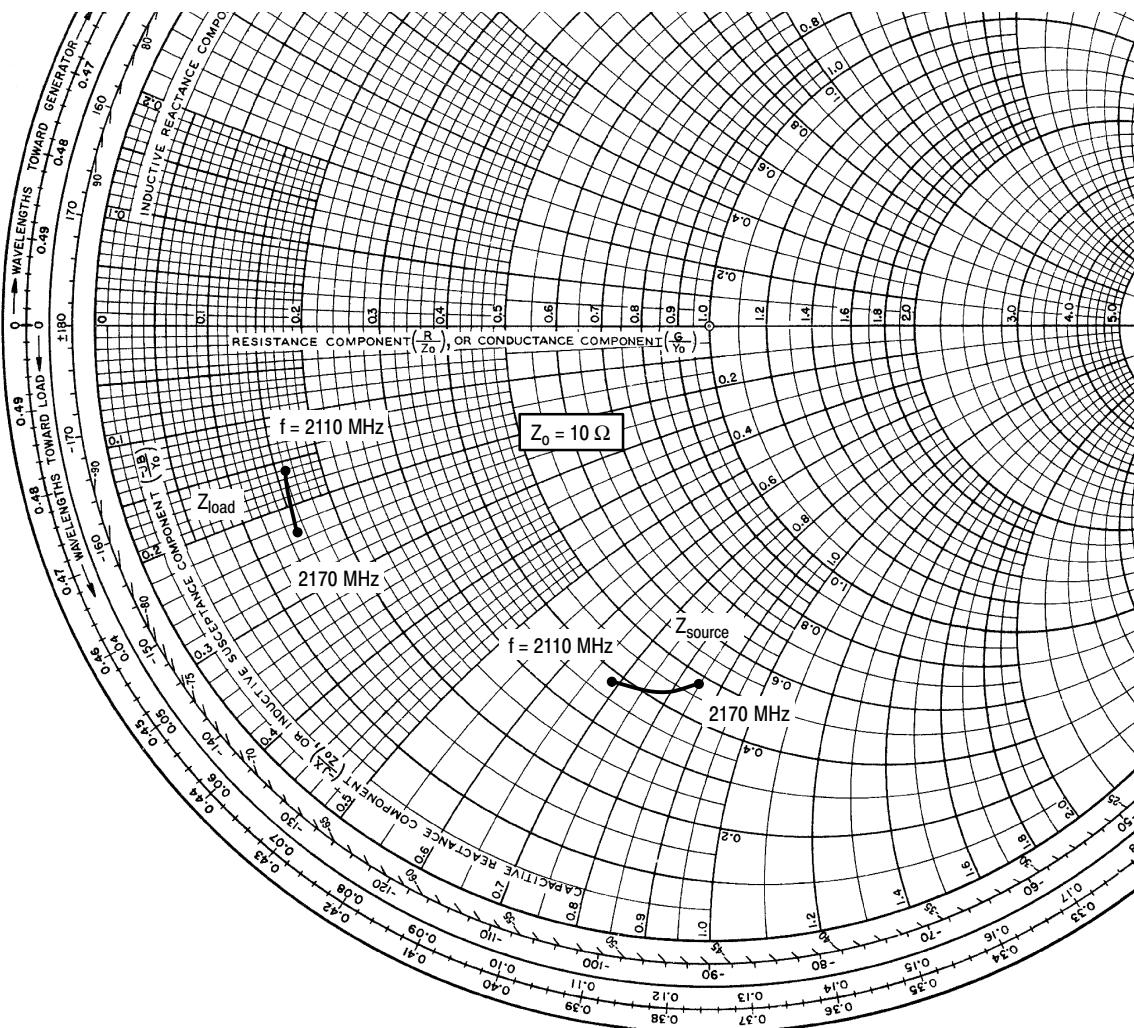


Figure 8. Power Gain versus Output Power



$V_{DD} = 28$ V, $I_{DQ} = 1600$ mA, $P_{out} = 20$ W (Avg.), 2-Carrier W-CDMA

f MHz	Z_{source} Ω	Z_{load} Ω
2110	$3.81 - j6.86$	$1.56 - j1.58$
2140	$4.33 - j7.90$	$1.53 - j1.90$
2170	$4.84 - j8.46$	$1.48 - j2.26$

Z_{source} = Test circuit impedance as measured from gate to ground.

Z_{load} = Test circuit impedance as measured from drain to ground.

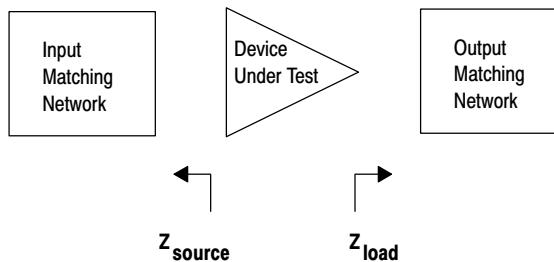


Figure 9. Series Equivalent Input and Output Impedance

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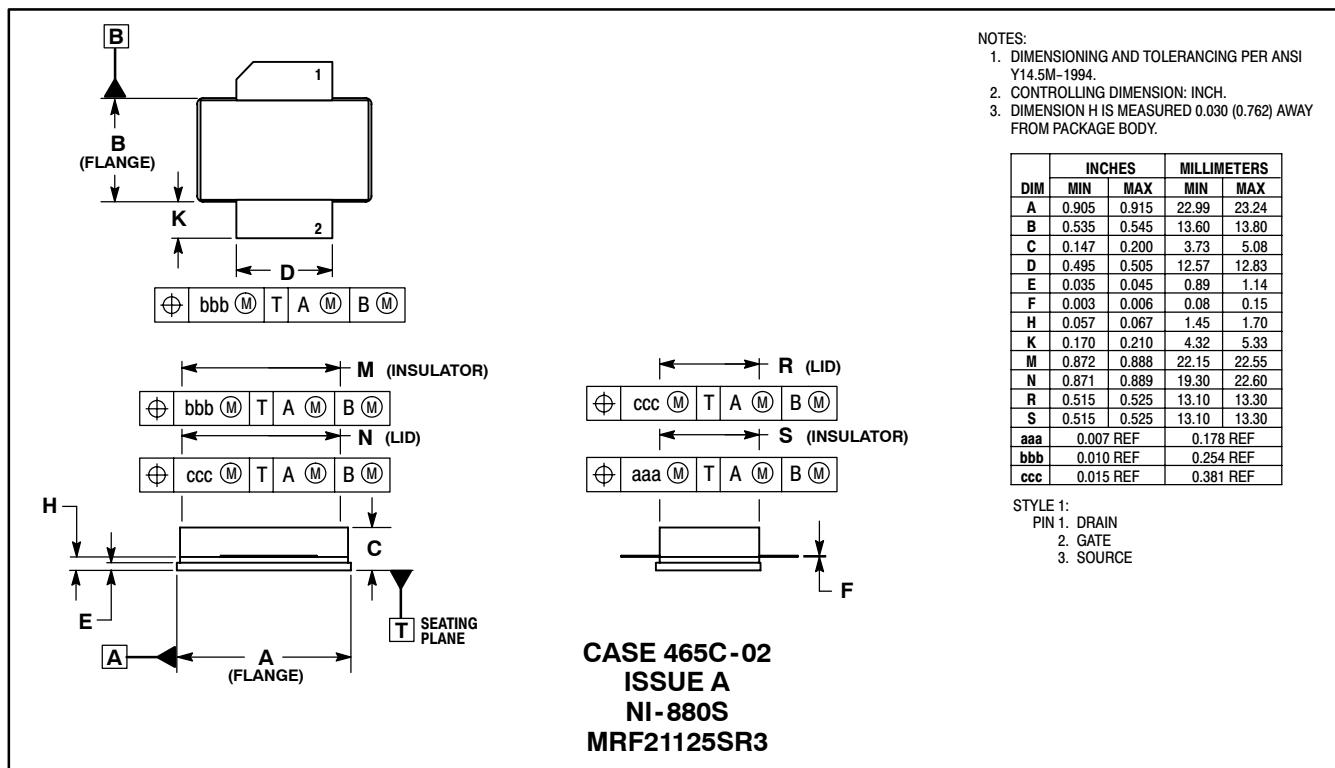
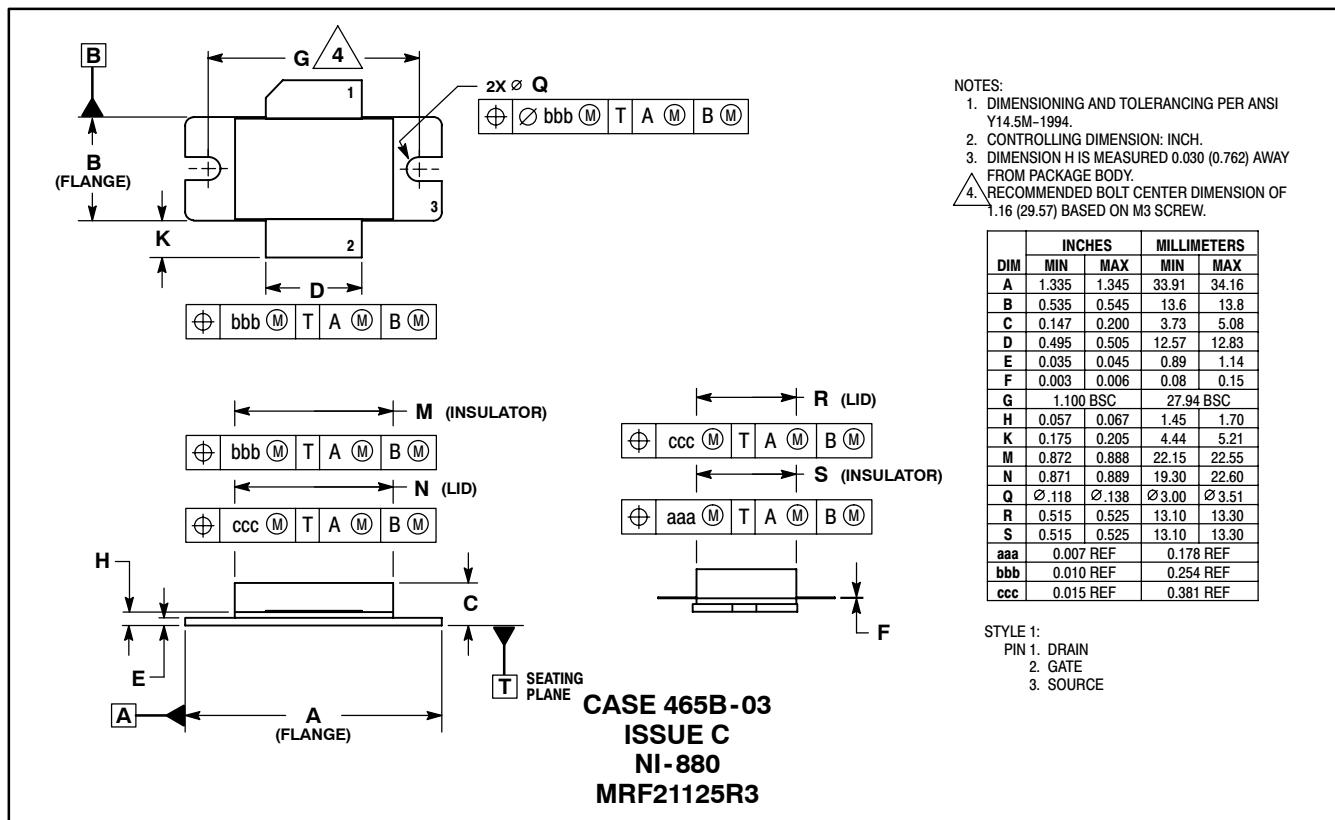
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