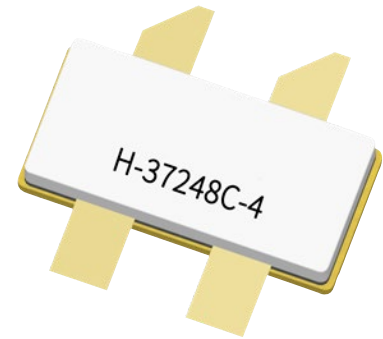


GTRA263902FC

Thermally-Enhanced High Power RF GaN on SiC Amplifier, 370 W, 48 V, 2495 – 2690 MHz

Description

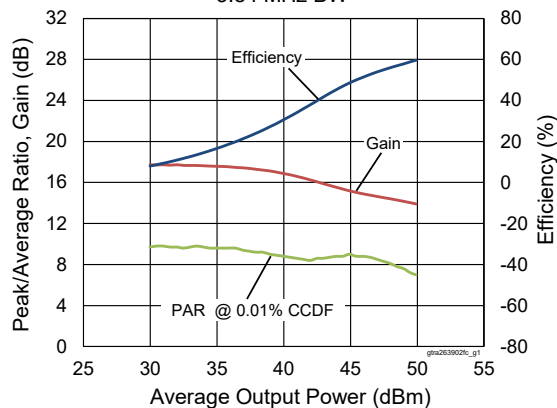
The GTRA263902FC is a 370-watt (P_{3dB}) GaN on SiC HEMT D-mode amplifier for use in multi-standard cellular power amplifier applications. It features input matching, high efficiency, and a thermally-enhanced package with earless flange.



Package Types: H-37248C-4
PN: GTRA263902FC

Single-carrier WCDMA Drive-up

$V_{DD} = 48\text{ V}$, $I_{DQ(MAIN)} = 200\text{ mA}$,
 $V_{GS(PEAK)} = -6.0\text{ V}$, $f = 2690\text{ MHz}$,
3GPP WCDMA signal, PAR = 10 dB,
3.84 MHz BW



Features

- GaN on SiC HEMT technology
- Input matched
- Typical Pulsed CW performance, 2690 MHz, 48 V, combined outputs
 - Output power at $P_{3dB} = 370\text{ W}$
 - Efficiency = 70%
 - Gain = 15 dB
- Capable of handling 10:1 VSWR @48 V, 56 W (CW) output power
- Human Body Model class 1A (per ANSI/ESDA/ JEDEC JS-001)
- Low thermal resistance
- Pb-free and RoHS compliant

RF Characteristics

Single-carrier WCDMA Specifications (tested in the Doherty production test fixture)

$V_{DD} = 48\text{ V}$, $I_{DQ} = 200\text{ mA}$, $V_{GS(PEAK)} = V_{GS} @ I_{DQ} = 280\text{ mA} - 3.0\text{ V}$, $P_{OUT} = 56.2\text{ W}$ avg, $f = 2690\text{ MHz}$, 3GPP signal, channel bandwidth = 3.84 MHz, peak/average = 10 dB @ 0.01% CCDF

| Characteristic | Symbol | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Unit |
|------------------------------|----------|------|------|------|------|
| Linear Gain | G_{ps} | 12.5 | 13.8 | — | dB |
| Drain Efficiency | η_D | 50 | 54 | — | % |
| Adjacent Channel Power Ratio | ACPR | — | -27 | -23 | dBc |
| Output PAR @ 0.01% CCDF | OPAR | 5 | 6.7 | — | dB |

Note:

All published data at $T_{CASE} = 25^\circ\text{C}$ unless otherwise indicated

ESD: Electrostatic discharge sensitive device—observe handling precautions!



DC Characteristics

| Characteristic | Symbol | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Unit | Conditions |
|---------------------------------------|---------------|------|------|------|------|---|
| Drain-source Breakdown Voltage (Main) | $V_{BR(DSS)}$ | 150 | — | — | V | $V_{GS} = -8\text{ V}, I_D = 10\text{ mA}$ |
| Drain-source Breakdown Voltage (Peak) | | | | | | $V_{GS} = -8\text{ V}, I_{DS} = 10\text{ mA}$ |
| Drain-source Leakage Current (Main) | I_{DSS} | — | — | 2.7 | mA | $V_{GS} = -8\text{ V}, V_{DS} = 10\text{ V}$ |
| Gate Threshold Voltage (main) | $V_{GS(th)}$ | -3.8 | -3 | -2.3 | V | $V_{DS} = 10\text{ V}, I_D = 20\text{ mA}$ |
| Gate Threshold Voltage (peak) | | | | | | $V_{DS} = 10\text{ V}, I_D = 28.8\text{ mA}$ |

Recommended Operating Conditions

| Parameter | Symbol | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Unit | Conditions |
|------------------------|-------------|------|------|------|------|---|
| Operating Voltage | V_{DD} | 0 | — | 55 | V | |
| Gate Quiescent Voltage | $V_{GS(Q)}$ | — | -3 | — | | $V_{DS} = 48\text{ V}, I_D = 200\text{ mA}$ |

Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Parameter | Symbol | Value | Unit |
|---------------------------|-----------|-------------|------|
| Drain-source Voltage | V_{DSS} | 125 | V |
| Gate-source Voltage | V_{GS} | -10 to +2 | |
| Gate Current | I_G | 20 | mA |
| Drain Current | I_D | 7.5 | A |
| Junction Temperature | T_J | 225 | °C |
| Storage Temperature Range | T_{STG} | -65 to +150 | |

Operation above the maximum values listed here may cause permanent damage. Maximum ratings are absolute ratings; exceeding only one of these values may cause irreversible damage to the component. Exposure to absolute maximum rating conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability. For reliable continuous operation, the device should be operated within the operating voltage range (V_{DD}) specified above.

Thermal Characteristics

| Characteristics | Symbol | Value | Unit | Conditions |
|---------------------------|-----------------|-------|------|--|
| Thermal Resistance (main) | $R_{\theta JC}$ | 1.8 | °C/W | $T_{CASE} = 70^\circ\text{C}, P_{DISS} = 77\text{ DC}$ |

Ordering Information

| Type and Version | Order Code | Package Description | Shipping |
|--------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|----------------------|
| GTRA263902FC V2 R0 | GTRA263902FC-V2-R0 | H-37248C-4, earless flange | Tape & Reel, 50 pcs |
| GTRA263902FC V2 R2 | GTRA263902FC-V2-R2 | H-37248C-4, earless flange | Tape & Reel, 250 pcs |

Typical RF Performance (data taken in production test fixture)

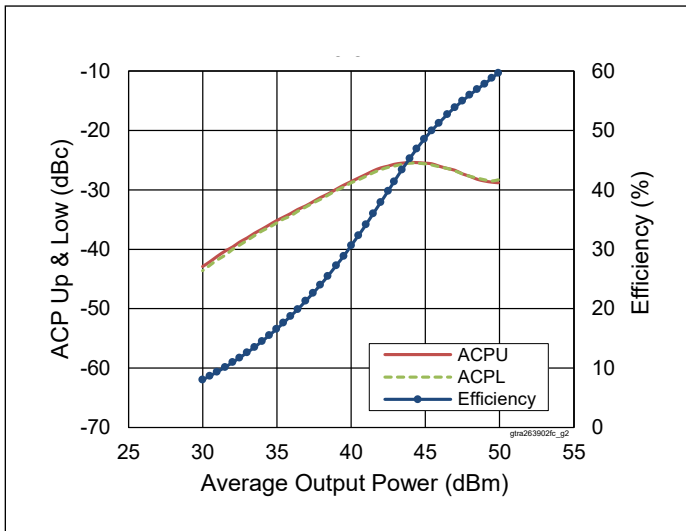


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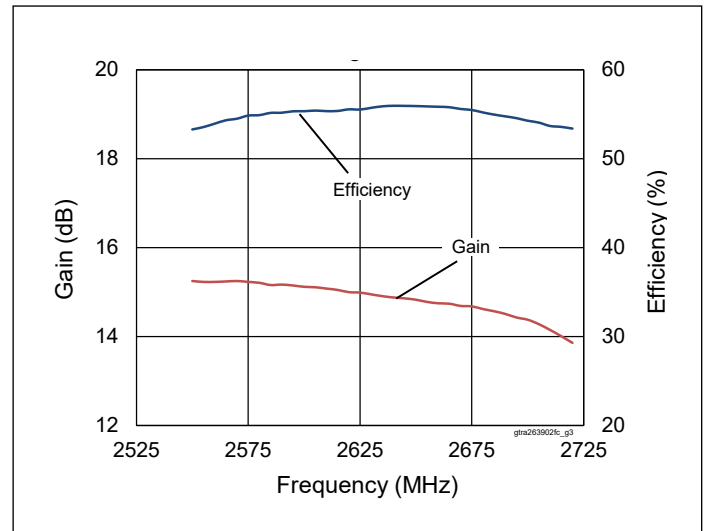


Figure 2. Single-carrier WCDMA Broadband Performance

$V_{DD} = 48\text{ V}$, $I_{DQ(MAIN)} = 200\text{ mA}$,
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 3GPP WCDMA signal, PAR = 10 dB

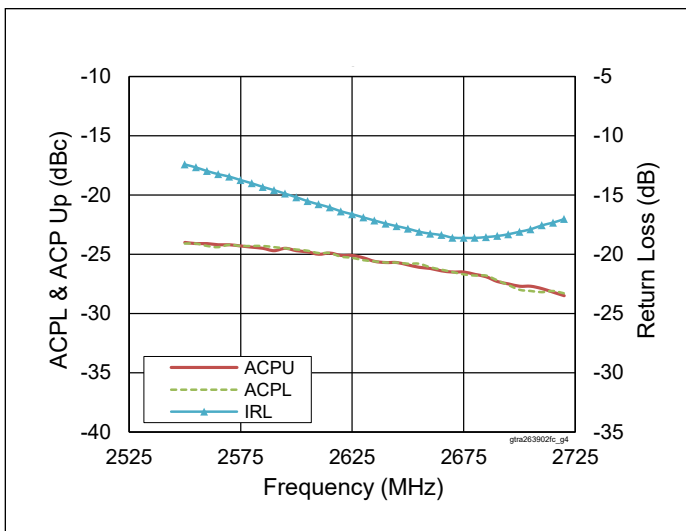


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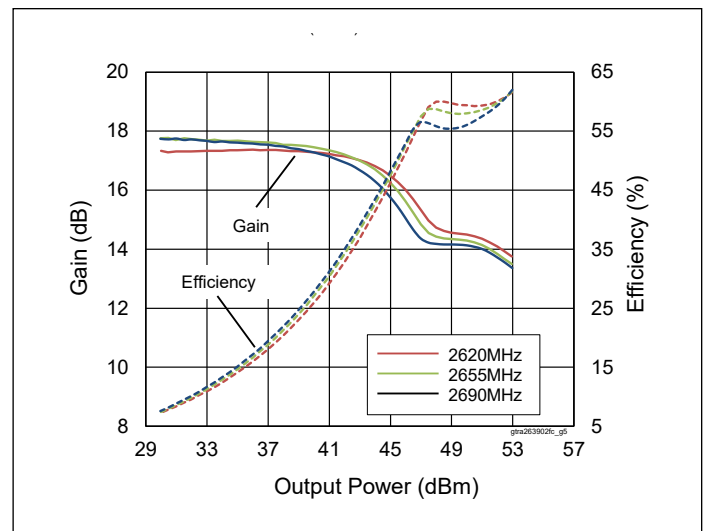


Figure 4. CW Performance

$V_{DD} = 48\text{ V}$, $I_{DQ(MAIN)} = 200\text{ mA}$,
 $V_{GS(PEAK)} = -6.0\text{ V}$

Typical RF Performance (cont.)

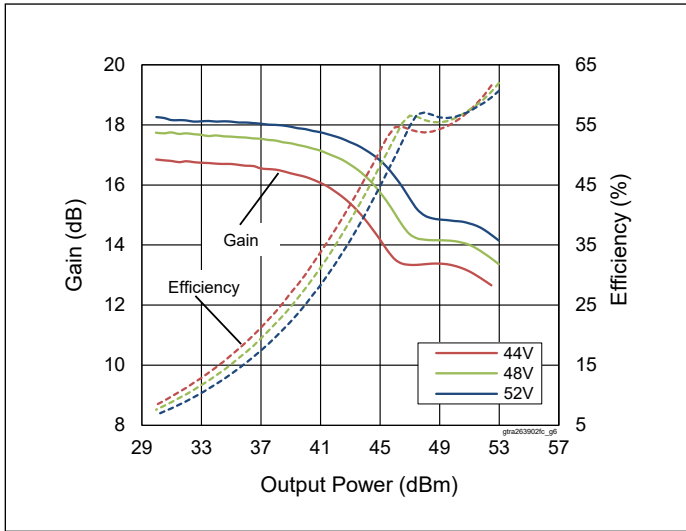


Figure 5. CW Performance at various V_{DD}

$I_{DQ(MAIN)} = 200 \text{ mA}$, $V_{GS(PEAK)} = -6.0 \text{ V}$,
 $f = 2690 \text{ MHz}$

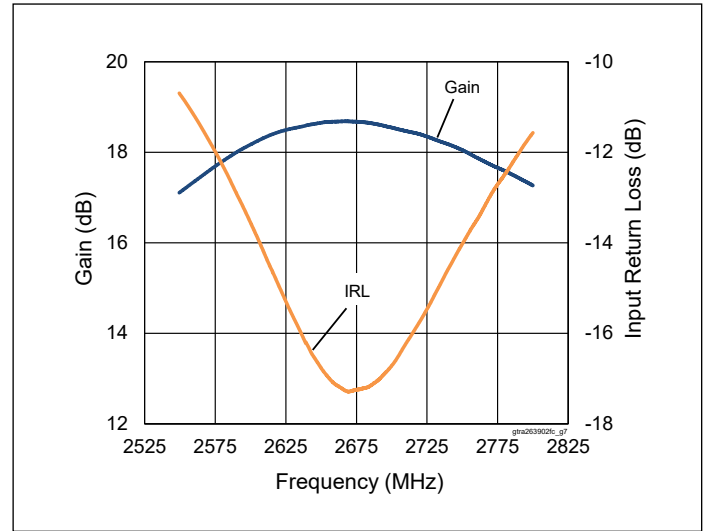


Figure 6. CW Performance Small Signal Gain & Input Return Loss

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Load Pull Performance

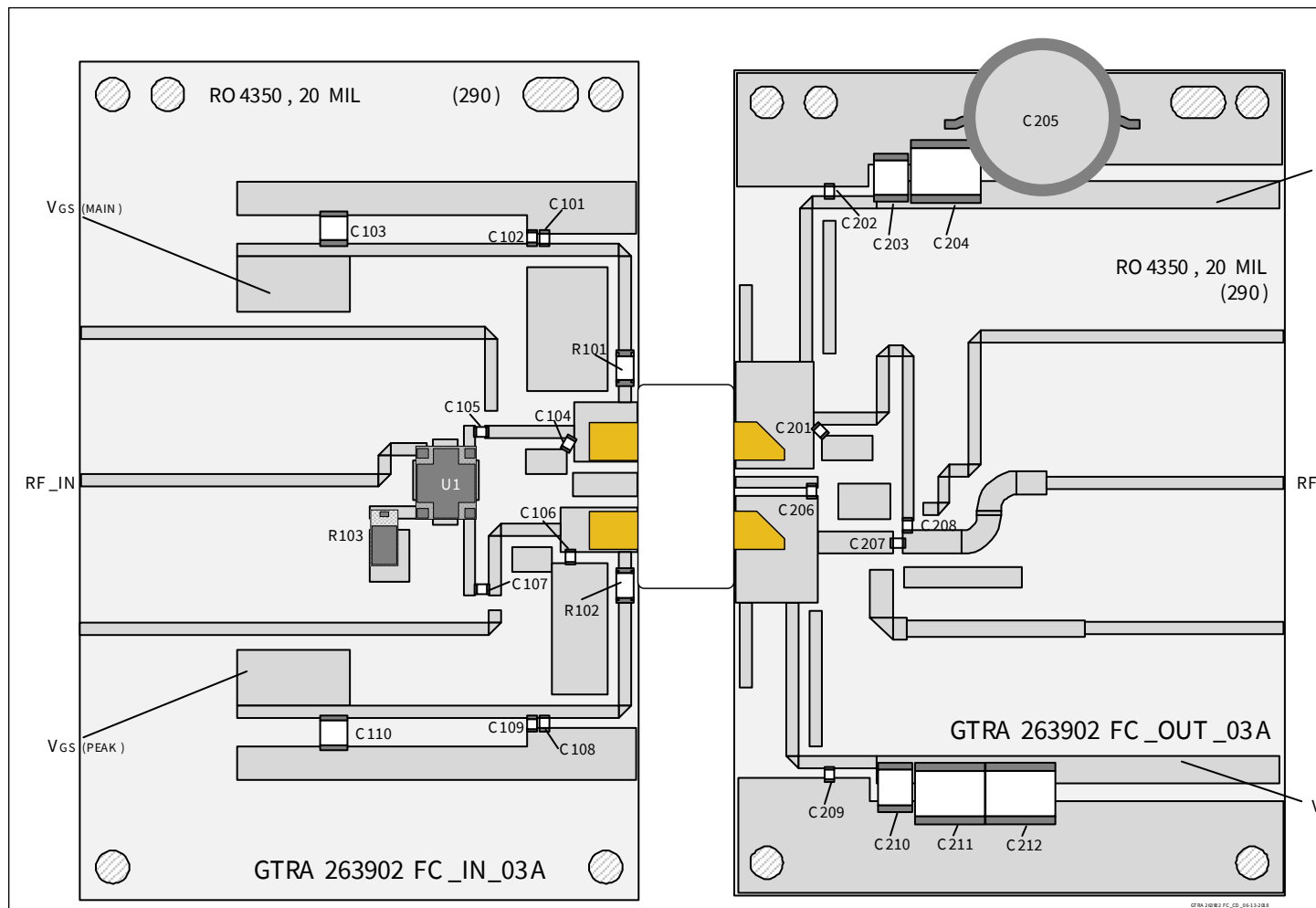
Main Side Load Pull Performance – Pulsed CW signal: 10 μs , 10% duty cycle, 48 V, $I_{DQ} = 200 \text{ mA}$, class AB

| P_{3dB} | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------|----------------|----------------|-----------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|----------------------|-----------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|
| Max Output Power | | | | | | | Max Drain Efficiency | | | | |
| Freq [MHz] | $Z_S [\Omega]$ | $Z_L [\Omega]$ | Gain [dB] | P_{3dB} [dBm] | P_{3dB} [W] | η_D [%] | $Z_L [\Omega]$ | Gain [dB] | P_{3dB} [dBm] | P_{3dB} [W] | η_D [%] |
| 2620 | 10.4 – j6.7 | 3.88 – j4.7 | 16.37 | 52.80 | 190.55 | 65.2 | 2.84 – j2.35 | 18.15 | 50.98 | 125.3 | 75.3 |
| 2690 | 7.6 – j6.7 | 3.91 – j5.35 | 15.79 | 52.85 | 192.75 | 62.4 | 2.55 – j2.27 | 18.05 | 50.69 | 117.2 | 76.6 |

Peak Side Load Pull Performance – Pulsed CW signal: 10 μs , 10% duty cycle, 48 V, $V_{GS(PEAK)} = -5 \text{ V}$, class C

| P_{3dB} | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------|----------------|----------------|-----------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|----------------------|-----------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|
| Max Output Power | | | | | | | Max Drain Efficiency | | | | |
| Freq [MHz] | $Z_S [\Omega]$ | $Z_L [\Omega]$ | Gain [dB] | P_{3dB} [dBm] | P_{3dB} [W] | η_D [%] | $Z_L [\Omega]$ | Gain [dB] | P_{3dB} [dBm] | P_{3dB} [W] | η_D [%] |
| 2620 | 16.8 – j16.8 | 2.35 – j3.92 | 14.72 | 54.55 | 285.1 | 68.1 | 1.68 – j2.17 | 16 | 52.29 | 169.43 | 77.6 |
| 2690 | 20 – j7.5 | 2.5 – j4.37 | 14.32 | 54.67 | 293.1 | 66.4 | 2.14 – j2.52 | 15.3 | 53.12 | 205.11 | 77.7 |

Reference Circuit, 2620 – 2690 MHz



Reference circuit assembly diagram (not to scale)

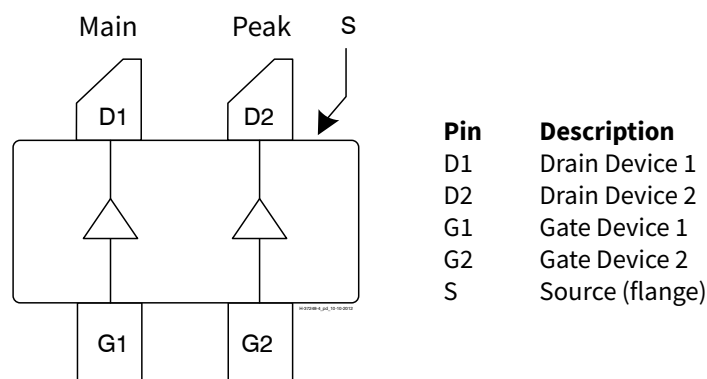
Reference Circuit Assembly

| | |
|-----------------------|---|
| DUT | GTRA263902FC-V2 |
| Test Fixture Part No. | LTA/GTRA263902FC-V2 |
| PCB | Rogers 4350, 0.508 mm [0.020"] thick, 2 oz. copper, $\epsilon_r = 3.66$, $f = 2620 - 2690$ MHz |

Components Information

| Component | Description | Manufacturer | P/N |
|------------------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|
| Input | | | |
| C101, C105, C107, C108 | Capacitor, 10 pF | ATC | ATC800A100JT250T |
| C102, C109 | Capacitor, 1 μ F | Murata Electronics North America | GRM21BR71H105KA12L |
| C103, C110 | Capacitor, 10 μ F | Taiyo Yuden | UMK325C7106MM-T |
| C104 | Capacitor, 1.0 pF | ATC | ATC600S1R0JT250T |
| C106 | Capacitor, 1.2 pF | ATC | ATC600S1R2JT250T |
| R101, R102 | Resistor, 5.6 ohms | Panasonic Electronic Components | ERJ-8RQJ5R6V |
| R103 | Resistor, 50 ohms | Richardson | C16A50Z4 |
| U1 | Hybrid Coupler | Anaren | X3C26P1-03S |
| Output | | | |
| C201, C206 | Capacitor, 1.5 pF | ATC | ATC600S1R5JT250T |
| C202, C209 | Capacitor, 10 pF | ATC | ATC800A100JT250T |
| C203, C210 | Capacitor, 1 μ F | TDK Corporation | C4532X7R2A105M230KA |
| C204, C211, C212 | Capacitor, 10 μ F | AVX Corporation | 2225PC105KAT1A |
| C205 | Capacitor, 220 μ F | Panasonic Electronic Components | ECA-2AHG221 |
| C207, C208 | Capacitor, 10 pF | ATC | ATC600F100JW250T |

Pinout Diagram (top view)



Package Outline Specifications (top view) – Package H-37248C-4

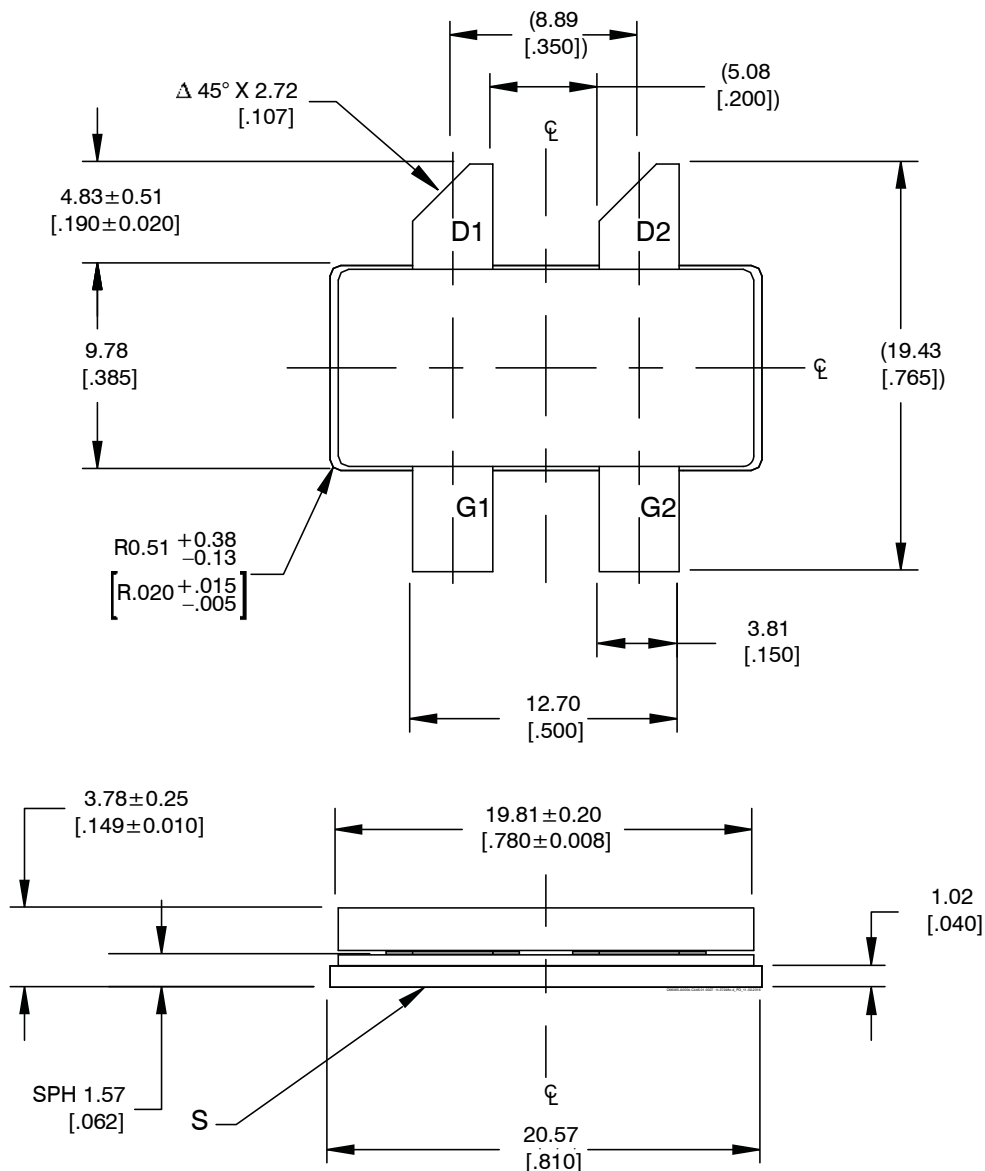


Diagram Notes—unless otherwise specified:

1. Interpret dimensions and tolerances per ASME Y14.5M-1994
2. Primary dimensions are mm, alternate dimensions are inches
3. All tolerances ± 0.127 [0.005]
4. Pins: D1, D2 – drain, G1, G2 – gate, S – source (flange)
5. Lead thickness: 0.13 ± 0.05 [0.005 \pm 0.002]
6. Gold plating thickness: 1.14 ± 0.38 micron [45 \pm 15 microinch]

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