The RF MOSFET Line Power Field Effect Transistor

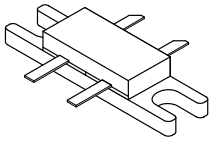
N–Channel Enhancement–Mode MOSFET

MRF166W

40 W, 500 MHz TMOS BROADBAND RF POWER FET

Designed primarily for wideband large–signal output and driver stages to 500 MHz.

- Push–Pull Configuration Reduces Even Numbered Harmonics
- Typical Performance at 400 MHz, 28 Vdc
  Output Power = 40 Watts
  Gain = 13 dB
  Efficiency = 50%
- Typical Performance at 175 MHz, 28 Vdc
  Output Power = 40 Watts
  Gain = 17 dB
  Efficiency = 60%
- Excellent Thermal Stability, Ideally Suited for Class A Operation
- Facilitates Manual Gain Control, ALC and Modulation Techniques
- 100% Tested for Load Mismatch at All Phase Angles with 30:1 VSWR
- Low C_{rss} — 4.5 pF @ V_{DS} = 28 Volts
- Circuit board photomaster available upon request by contacting RF Tactical Marketing in Phoenix, AZ.



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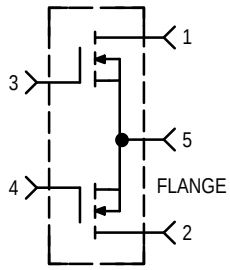


MAXIMUM RATINGS (T_J = 25°C unless otherwise noted)

Rating	Symbol	Value	Unit
Drain–Gate Voltage	V_{DSS}	65	Vdc
Drain–Gate Voltage (R_{GS} = 1.0 MΩ)	V_{DGR}	65	Vdc
Gate–Source Voltage	V_{GS}	± 40	Adc
Drain Current — Continuous	I_D	8.0	ADC
Total Device Dissipation @ T_C = 25°C Derate above 25°C	P_D	175 1.0	Watts °C/W
Storage Temperature Range	T_{stg}	–65 to +150	°C
Operating Junction Temperature	T_J	200	°C

THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS

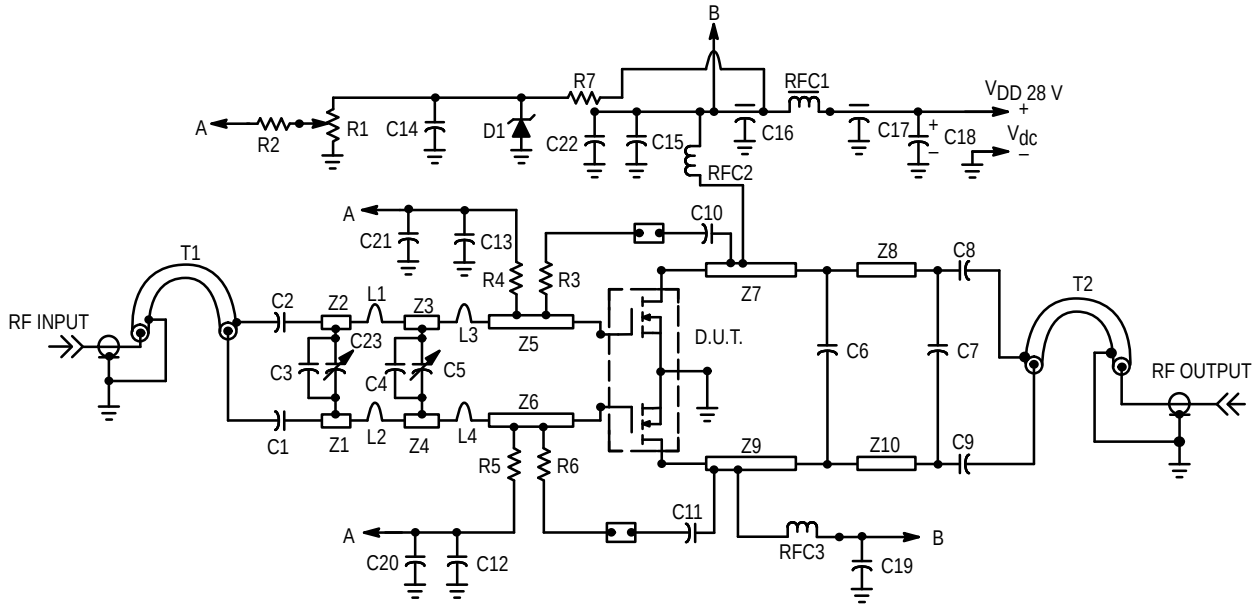
Thermal Resistance — Junction to Case	$R_{\theta JC}$	1.0	°C/W

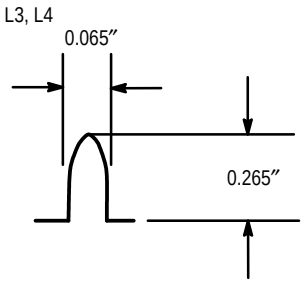
NOTE: Handling and Packaging — MOS devices are susceptible to damage from electrostatic charge. Reasonable precautions in handling and packaging MOS devices should be observed.

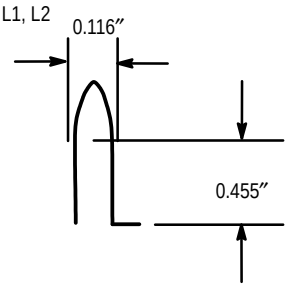
ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (T_C = 25°C unless otherwise noted)

Characteristic	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
OFF CHARACTERISTICS (1)					
Drain–Source Breakdown Voltage (V_{GS} = 0 Vdc, I_D = 5.0 mA)	$V_{(BR)DSS}$	65	—	—	Vdc
Zero Gate Voltage Drain Current (V_{DS} = 28 Vdc, V_{GS} = 0 Vdc)	I_{DSS}	—	—	1.0	mA
Gate–Source Leakage Current (V_{GS} = 40 Vdc, V_{DS} = 0 Vdc)	I_{GSS}	—	—	1.0	μA
ON CHARACTERISTICS (1)					
Gate Threshold Voltage (V_{DS}= 10 Vdc, I_D = 25 mA)	$V_{GS(th)}$	1.0	3.0	6.0	Vdc
Forward Transconductance (V_{DS}= 10 Vdc, I_D = 1.5 A)	g_{fs}	600	800	—	mS
DYNAMIC CHARACTERISTICS (1)					
Input Capacitance (V_{DS} = 28 Vdc, V_{GS} = 0 Vdc, f = 1.0 MHz)	C_{iss}	—	30	—	pF
Output Capacitance (V_{DS} = 28 Vdc, V_{GS} = 0 Vdc, f = 1.0 MHz)	C_{oss}	—	35	—	pF
Reverse Transfer Capacitance (V_{DS} = 28 Vdc, V_{GS} = 0 Vdc, f = 1.0 MHz)	C_{rss}	—	4.5	—	pF
FUNCTIONAL CHARACTERISTICS (2)					
Common Source Power Gain (V_{DD} = 28 Vdc, P_{out} = 40 W, f = 400 MHz, I_{DG} = 100 mA)	G_{ps}	11	13	—	dB
Drain Efficiency (V_{DD} = 28 Vdc, P_{out} = 40 W, f = 400 MHz, I_{DG} = 100 mA)	η	45	50	—	%
Electrical Ruggedness (V_{DD} = 28 Vdc, P_{out} = 40 W, f = 400 MHz, I_{DG} = 100 mA) Load VSWR = 30:1, All phase angles at frequency of test	Ψ	No Degradation in Output Power			

(1) Each transistor chip measured separately.
(2) Both transistor chips operating in a push–pull amplifier.







C1, C2, C8, C9, C12, C13, C15	270 pF, Chip Cap
C3	5.6 pF, Chip Cap
C4	20 pF, Chip Cap
C5	0 – 20 pF, Johanson*
C6	8.2 pF, Chip Cap
C7	15 pF, Chip Cap
C10, C11, C14, C19, C20, C21, C22	0.01 μF
C16, C17	680 pF, Feedthru
C18	10 μF, 50 V
C23	0 – 10 pF, Johanson*
D1	IN5343 – Motorola Zener
L1, L2	Hair Pin Inductor #18 AWG, 0.065 W x 0.265 H
L3, L4	Hair Pin Inductor #18 AWG, 0.116 W x 0.445 H

RFC1	Ferroxcube VK–200–19/4B
RFC2, RFC3	10T, ID = 1/4″, 18 AWG
R1	10 kΩ, 10T
R2	9.2 kΩ, 1/2 W
R3, R6	330 Ω, 1.0 W
R4 R5	520 Ω, 1/4 W
R7	1.5 kΩ, 1/2 W
T1, T2	Balun 2.0″, 50 Ω Semi–Rigid Coax
Z1, Z2	0.120 x 0.467″
Z3, Z4	0.120 x 0.55″ *
Z5, Z6	0.120 x 0.49″
Z7, Z9	0.120 x 0.85″
Z8, Z10	0.120 x 0.6″ for C6

* C4, C5 Center of Z3 and Z4

Board Material – Teflon® Fiberglass

Dielectric Thickness = 0.030″, ε_r = 2.55 Copper Clad, 2.0 oz. Copper

Figure 1. MRF166 400 MHz Test Circuit Schematic

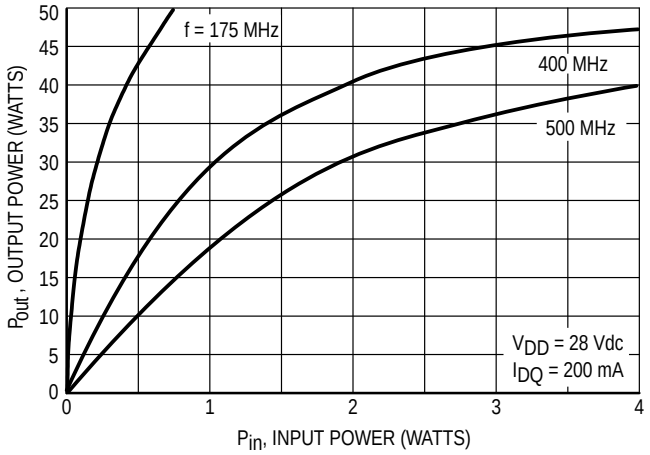


Figure 2. Output Power versus Input Power

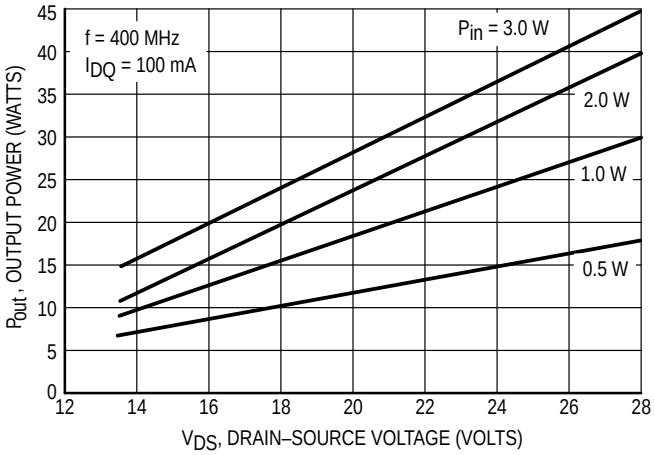


Figure 3. Output Power versus Voltage

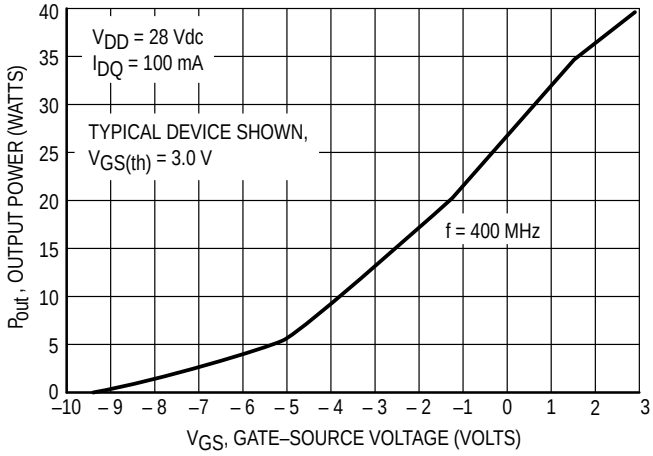


Figure 4. Output Power versus Gate Voltage

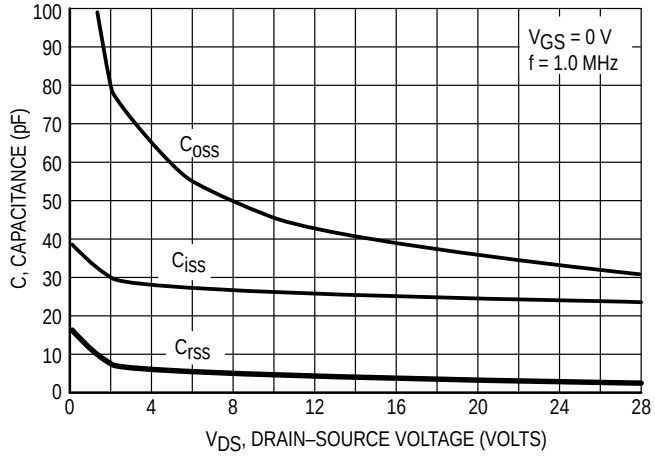
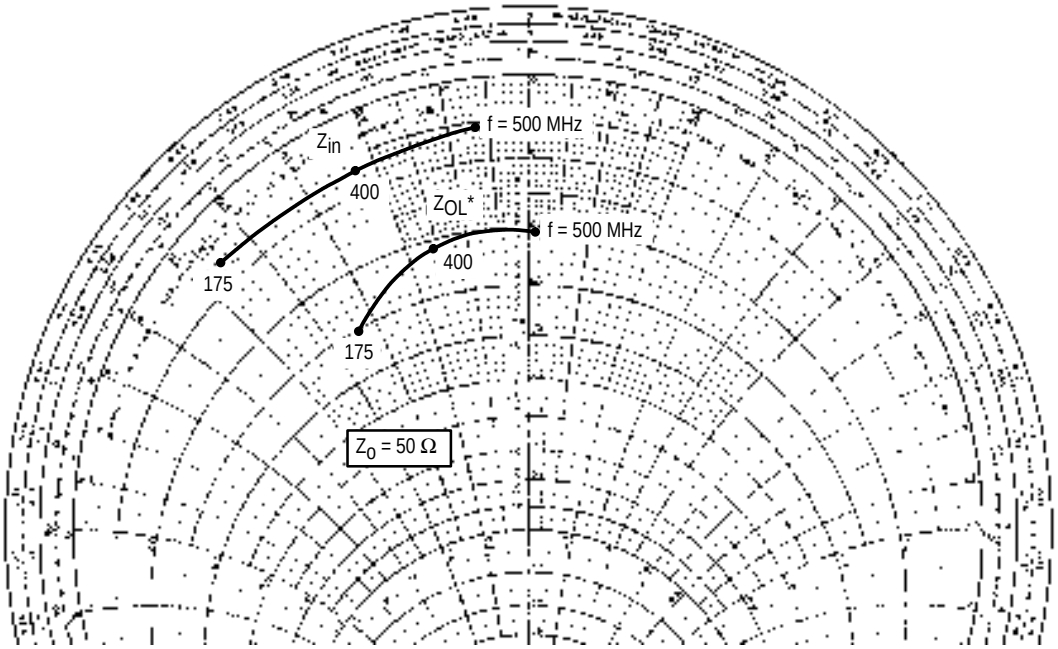


Figure 5. Capacitance versus Voltage



V_{DD} = 28 Vdc, I_{DQ} = 100 mA, P_{out} = 40 W

f MHz	Z_{in} Ohms	Z_{OL}* Ohms
175	3.7 – j 22.4	15.2 – j 16.6
400	3.6 – j 10.99	10.3 – j 7.99
500	2.6 – j 3.2	10.2 + j 0.5

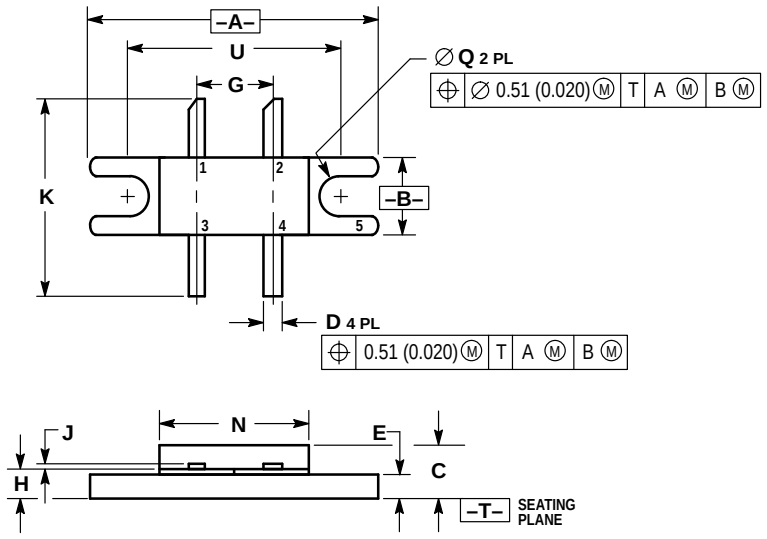
Table 1. Input and Output Impedances

Z_{OL}* = Conjugate of the optimum load impedance into which the device output operates at a given output power, voltage and frequency.

NOTE: Input and output impedance values given are measured from gate to gate and drain to drain respectively.

Figure 6. Series Equivalent Input/Output Impedance

PACKAGE DIMENSIONS



NOTES:
1. DIMENSIONING AND TOLERANCING PER ANSI Y14.5M, 1982.
2. CONTROLLING DIMENSION: INCH.

	INCHES		MILLIMETERS	
DIM	MIN	MAX	MIN	MAX
A	0.965	0.985	24.52	25.01
B	0.245	0.265	6.23	6.73
C	0.165	0.185	4.20	4.69
D	0.050	0.070	1.27	1.77
E	0.070	0.080	1.78	2.03
G	0.254 BSC		6.45 BSC	
H	0.095	0.105	2.42	2.66
J	0.003	0.006	0.08	0.15
K	0.625	0.675	15.88	17.14
N	0.495	0.520	12.58	13.20
Q	0.120	0.140	3.05	3.55
U	0.725 BSC		18.42 BSC	

STYLE 1:
PIN 1. DRAIN
2. DRAIN
3. GATE
4. GATE
5. SOURCE

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