GaN Doherty Hybrid Amplifier

RPAM37508-25

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Product Features

- TD-LTE band 3700~3800MHz
- Power gain 25dB, Psat 50W
- Main Doherty amp. efficiency 45% @ Pavg=9W
- Input/Output Impedance 50ohm
- 2-Stage Doherty Amplifier
- GaN on SiC Technology
- Copper clad laminates board
- 13x17x2.2mm size SMD package

Applications

- Massive MIMO
- 4G/5G LTE Technology
- TDD or FDD- LTE system
- AAS(Active Antenna System)
- Small cell





Package Type: PP-1S

Description

The RPAM37508-25 is a fully integrated micro-strip Doherty GaN Hybrid power amplifier module designed for applications in 5G Massive MIMO systems, small cells, and low power remote radio heads. RPAM Series is an integrated 2-stage power amplifier module, 50ohm input and output impedance matched device can deliver up to 50W of saturation power. This device is size 13x17x2.2mm and is packaged in a plastic surface mount package.

Electrical Specifications @ Vds=30V, Ta=25 °C

PARAMETER	UNIT	MIN	TYP	MAX	CONDITION
Frequency Range	MHz	3700	3750	3800	ZS = ZL = 50 ohm
Power Gain		-	25	-	
Gain Flatness	dB	-1	-	+1	-
Input Return Loss		-	-15	-	
Pout @ Average	dBm	_	39	-	8W
Pout @ Saturation	dBm	-	47		Pulse Width=20us, Duty cycle 10%
ACLR @ BW 20MHz 1FA	dBc	-	-28	-25	Non DPD
LTE (PAPR 7.0dB)			-54	-	With DPD
Doherty Efficiency	- %	VIT	45	com	Daya=0W
Total Efficiency	70		41		Pavg=9W
Supply Voltage	e V -	-4.9	-2.8	-2.0	Vgd
		-4.9	-2.8	-2.0	Vgc
		-4.9	-4.5	-3.0	Vgp
		-	30	-	Vds

Caution

The drain voltage must be supplied to the device after the gate voltage is supplied

Turn on → Turn on the Gate voltage supply and last turn on the Drain voltage supplies

Turn off → Turn off the Drain voltage and last turn off the Gate voltage

Note

1. ACLR Measured Pout=39dBm @ fc± 20MHz / 18.03MHz LTE 20MHz 1FA PAPR=7.0dB @ 0.01% probability on CCDF

Mechanical Specifications

PARAMETER	UNIT	TYPICAL	RATING
Mass	g	4.0	-
Dimension	mm	13 x 17 x 2.2	±0.15

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Absolute Maximum Ratings

PARAMETER	UNIT	RATING	SYMBOL	CONDITION
Gate-Source Voltage	V	- 10 ∼ 0	Vgd Vgc Vgp	Tc=25°C
Drain-Source Voltage	V	50	Vds	Tc=25°C
Gate Current	mA	1.2 3.6 7.2	Drive Carrier Peaking	Tc=25°C
Power Dissipation	W	23	P_D	Tc=85°C
Operating Junction Temperature	°C	225	$T_{\rm J}$	-
Operating Case Temperature	°C	-30 ~ 85	Tc	-
Storage Temperature	°C	-40 ~ 100	T _{STG}	-
Soldering Temperature*1	°C	260	Ts	30s Max.
RF Input Level (Pulse)	dBm	34	Pin	Tc=25°C

^{*1} Reflow cycle limit: 1time

Operating Voltages & Input level

PARAMETER	UNIT	MIN	ТҮР	MAX	SYMBOL
Drain Voltage 1	V	29.5	30	30.5	Vds1
Drain Voltage 2	-	29.5	30	30.5	Vds2
Gate Voltage (on-state)	V	-4.9	Vgd*2	-2.0	Vgd
Gate Voltage (on-state)	V	-4.9	Vgc*3	-2.0	Vgc
Gate Voltage (on-state)	V	-4.9	Vgp*4	-3.0	Vgp
Gate Voltage (off-state)	V		-8		Vgd
Gate Voltage (off-state)	V	-	-8		Vgc
Gate Voltage (off-state)	V	-	-8	- /	Vgp
RF Input Level (Pulse)	dBm	-	-	30	Pin

^{*2} Vgd(Pin#28) set : Drive amp. Idq 30mA

ESD Level

PARAMETER	STANDARD	RESULT	
НВМ	JESD22-A114E	Class 1A/ passed Voltage 500V	
MM	JESD22-A115C	Class A/ passed Voltage 100V	

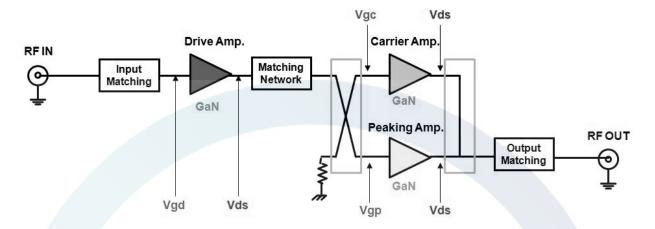
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^{*3} Vgc(Pin#25) set: Carrier Idq 90mA±5%

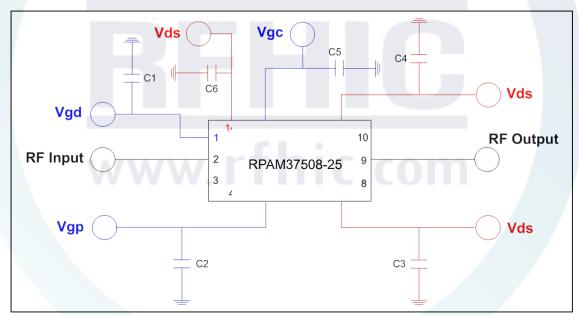
^{*4} Vgp(Pin#8) set: Lower Vgp of Δ-1.35V at Peaking Idq 10mA



Block Diagram



Application Circuit



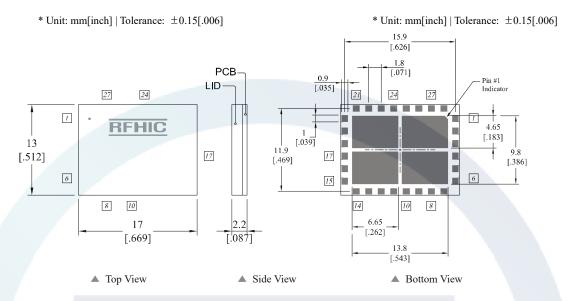
Bill of Material (Evaluation board)

LOCATION	Part Number	Value	Manufacturer
C3, C4, C6	1812B225K101CT	2.2uF / 100V	WALSIN
C1, C2, C5	GRM1885C1H101JA01D	100pF / 50V	MURATA
PCB	RO4350B	2Layer, 20mil, 1oz	ROGERS

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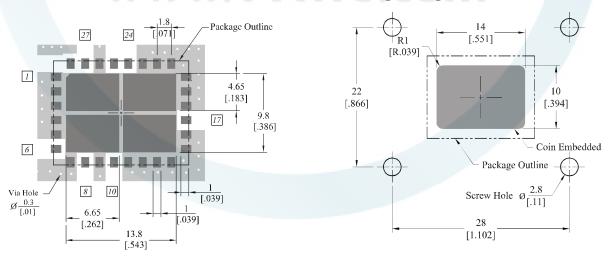
Package Dimensions (Type: PP-1R)



Pin Description							
Pin No Function Pin No Function Pin No Function Pin No Function							
6	RF In	10	Vds	24	Vds	27	Vds
8	Vgp	17	RF Out	25	Vgc	28	Vgd
All other pins Ground							

Recommended Pattern

Mounting Configuration & Coin Embedded



* Mounting Configuration Notes

- 1. For the proper performance of the device, Ground / Thermal via holes must be designed to remove heat.
- 2. To properly use heatsink, ensure the ground/thermal via hole region to contact the heatsink. We recommend the mounting screws be added near the heatsink to mount the board
- 3. In designing the necessary RF trace, width will depend upon the PCB material and construction.
- 4. Use 1 oz. Copper minimum thickness for the heatsink.
- 5. Do not put solder mask on the backside of the PCB in the region where the board contacts the heatsink

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- 6. We recommend adding as much copper as possible to inner and outer layers near the part to ensure optimal thermal performance.
- 7. We recommend that the PCB with the RF device in a hybrid package is not washed to remove the flux.

Ordering Information

Part Number	Package Design	
	-R (Reel)	
RPAM37508-25	-B (Bulk)	
	-EVB (Evaluation Board)	

Revision History

Part Number	Release Date	Version	Modification	Data Sheet Status
RPAM37508-25	2019.01.30	0.1	Initial release	Preliminary



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