

## The RF MOSFET Line

# RF Power Field-Effect Transistor

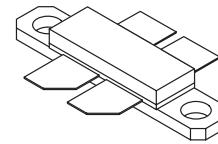
## N-Channel Enhancement-Mode Lateral MOSFET

Designed for broadband commercial and industrial applications with frequencies from 470 – 860 MHz. The high gain and broadband performance of this device make it ideal for large-signal, common source amplifier applications in 28 volt transmitter equipment.

- Typical Two-Tone Performance @ 860 MHz, 28 Volts, Narrowband Fixture
  - Output Power – 100 Watts PEP
  - Power Gain – 13.5 dB
  - Efficiency – 36%
  - IMD – –31 dBc
- Typical Performance at 860 MHz, 28 Volts, Broadband Fixture
  - Output Power – 100 Watts PEP
  - Power Gain – 12 dB
  - Efficiency – 36%
  - IMD – –34 dBc
- 100% Tested for Load Mismatch Stress at All Phase Angles with 5:1 VSWR @ 28 Vdc, 860 MHz, 100 Watts CW
- Excellent Thermal Stability
- Characterized with Differential Large-Signal Impedance Parameters

**MRF374**

470 – 860 MHz, 100 W, 28 V  
LATERAL N-CHANNEL  
BROADBAND  
RF POWER MOSFET



CASE 375F-04, STYLE 1  
NI-650

### MAXIMUM RATINGS

Rating	Symbol	Value	Unit
Drain-Source Voltage	V <sub>DSS</sub>	65	Vdc
Gate-Source Voltage	V <sub>GS</sub>	±20	Vdc
Drain Current – Continuous (per Side)	I <sub>D</sub>	7	Adc
Total Device Dissipation @ T <sub>C</sub> = 25°C Derate above 25°C	P <sub>D</sub>	270 1.25	W W/°C
Storage Temperature Range	T <sub>stg</sub>	– 65 to +150	°C
Operating Junction Temperature	T <sub>J</sub>	200	°C

### THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS

Characteristic	Symbol	Max	Unit
Thermal Resistance, Junction to Case	R <sub>θJC</sub>	0.65	°C/W

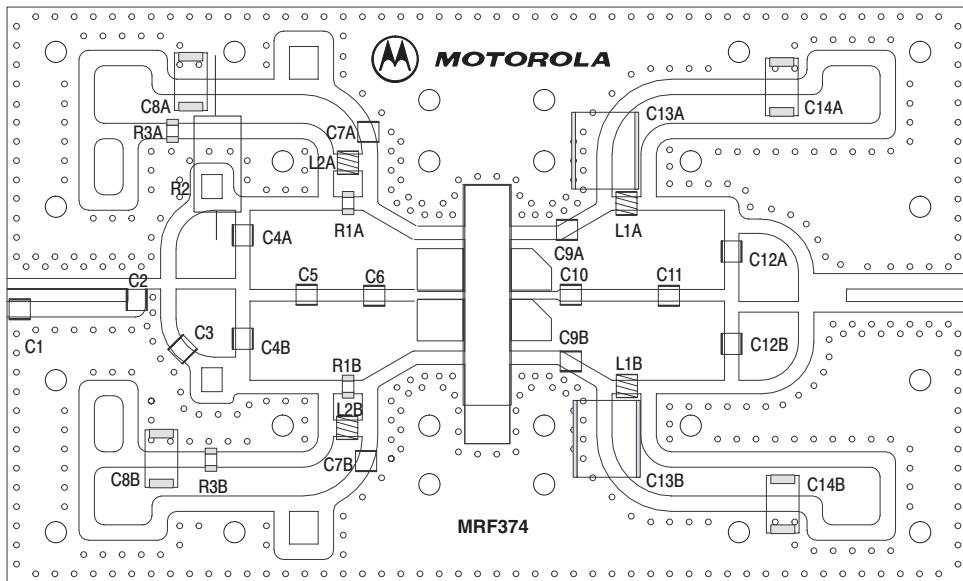
NOTE – **CAUTION** – MOS devices are susceptible to damage from electrostatic charge. Reasonable precautions in handling and packaging MOS devices should be observed.

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

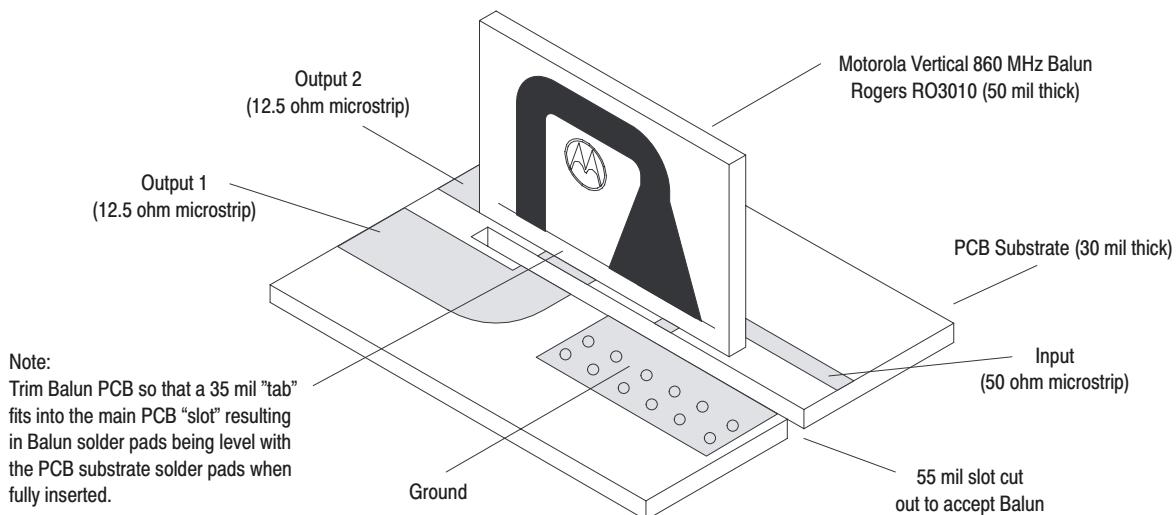
Characteristic	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
<b>OFF CHARACTERISTICS</b>					
Drain–Source Breakdown Voltage (per Side) ( $V_{GS} = 0 \text{ Vdc}$ , $I_D = 1 \mu\text{A}$ per Side)	$V_{(BR)DSS}$	65	—	—	Vdc
Zero Gate Voltage Drain Current (per Side) ( $V_{DS} = 28 \text{ Vdc}$ , $V_{GS} = 0 \text{ Vdc}$ )	$I_{DSS}$	—	—	1	$\mu\text{Adc}$
Gate–Source Leakage Current (per Side) ( $V_{GS} = 20 \text{ Vdc}$ , $V_{DS} = 0 \text{ Vdc}$ )	$I_{GSS}$	—	—	1	$\mu\text{Adc}$
<b>ON CHARACTERISTICS</b>					
Gate Threshold Voltage (per Side) ( $V_{DS} = 10 \text{ V}$ , $I_D = 200 \mu\text{A}$ per Side)	$V_{GS(\text{th})}$	2	3.5	4	Vdc
Gate Quiescent Voltage (per Side) ( $V_{DS} = 28 \text{ V}$ , $I_D = 100 \text{ mA}$ per Side)	$V_{GS(Q)}$	3	4.2	5	Vdc
Drain–Source On–Voltage (per Side) ( $V_{GS} = 10 \text{ V}$ , $I_D = 3 \text{ A}$ per Side)	$V_{DS(\text{on})}$	—	0.56	0.8	Vdc
Forward Transconductance (per Side) ( $V_{DS} = 10 \text{ V}$ , $I_D = 3 \text{ A}$ per Side)	$g_{fs}$	2.2	2.8	—	S
<b>DYNAMIC CHARACTERISTICS (1)</b>					
Input Capacitance (per Side) ( $V_{DS} = 28 \text{ V}$ , $V_{GS} = 0 \text{ V}$ , $f = 1 \text{ MHz}$ )	$C_{iss}$	—	80	—	pF
Output Capacitance (per Side) ( $V_{DS} = 28 \text{ V}$ , $V_{GS} = 0 \text{ V}$ , $f = 1 \text{ MHz}$ )	$C_{oss}$	—	45	—	pF
Reverse Transfer Capacitance (per Side) ( $V_{DS} = 28 \text{ V}$ , $V_{GS} = 0 \text{ V}$ , $f = 1 \text{ MHz}$ )	$C_{rss}$	—	3.5	—	pF
<b>FUNCTIONAL CHARACTERISTICS, TWO-TONE TESTING (2)</b>					
Common Source Power Gain ( $V_{DD} = 28 \text{ Vdc}$ , $P_{out} = 100 \text{ W PEP}$ , $I_{DQ} = 400 \text{ mA}$ , $f_1 = 857 \text{ MHz}$ , $f_2 = 863 \text{ MHz}$ )	$G_{ps}$	12.5	13.5	—	dB
Drain Efficiency ( $V_{DD} = 28 \text{ Vdc}$ , $P_{out} = 100 \text{ W PEP}$ , $I_{DQ} = 400 \text{ mA}$ , $f_1 = 857 \text{ MHz}$ , $f_2 = 863 \text{ MHz}$ )	$\eta$	30	36	—	%
Intermodulation Distortion ( $V_{DD} = 28 \text{ Vdc}$ , $P_{out} = 100 \text{ W PEP}$ , $I_{DQ} = 400 \text{ mA}$ , $f_1 = 857 \text{ MHz}$ , $f_2 = 863 \text{ MHz}$ )	IMD	—28	—31	—	dB
Load Mismatch ( $V_{DD} = 28 \text{ Vdc}$ , $P_{out} = 100 \text{ W CW}$ , $I_{DQ} = 400 \text{ mA}$ , $f = 860 \text{ MHz}$ , VSWR 5:1 at All Phase Angles of Test)		No Degradation in Output Power			
<b>TYPICAL TWO-TONE BROADBAND</b>					
Common Source Power Gain ( $V_{DD} = 28 \text{ Vdc}$ , $P_{out} = 100 \text{ W PEP}$ , $I_{DQ} = 500 \text{ mA}$ , $f_1 = 857 \text{ MHz}$ , $f_2 = 863 \text{ MHz}$ )	$G_{ps}$	—	12	—	dB
Drain Efficiency ( $V_{DD} = 28 \text{ Vdc}$ , $P_{out} = 100 \text{ W PEP}$ , $I_{DQ} = 500 \text{ mA}$ , $f_1 = 857 \text{ MHz}$ , $f_2 = 863 \text{ MHz}$ )	$\eta$	—	36	—	%
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(1) Each side of device measured separately.

(2) Measured in push–pull configuration.



**Vertical Balun Mounting Detail**



**Figure 1. Narrowband Component Layout**

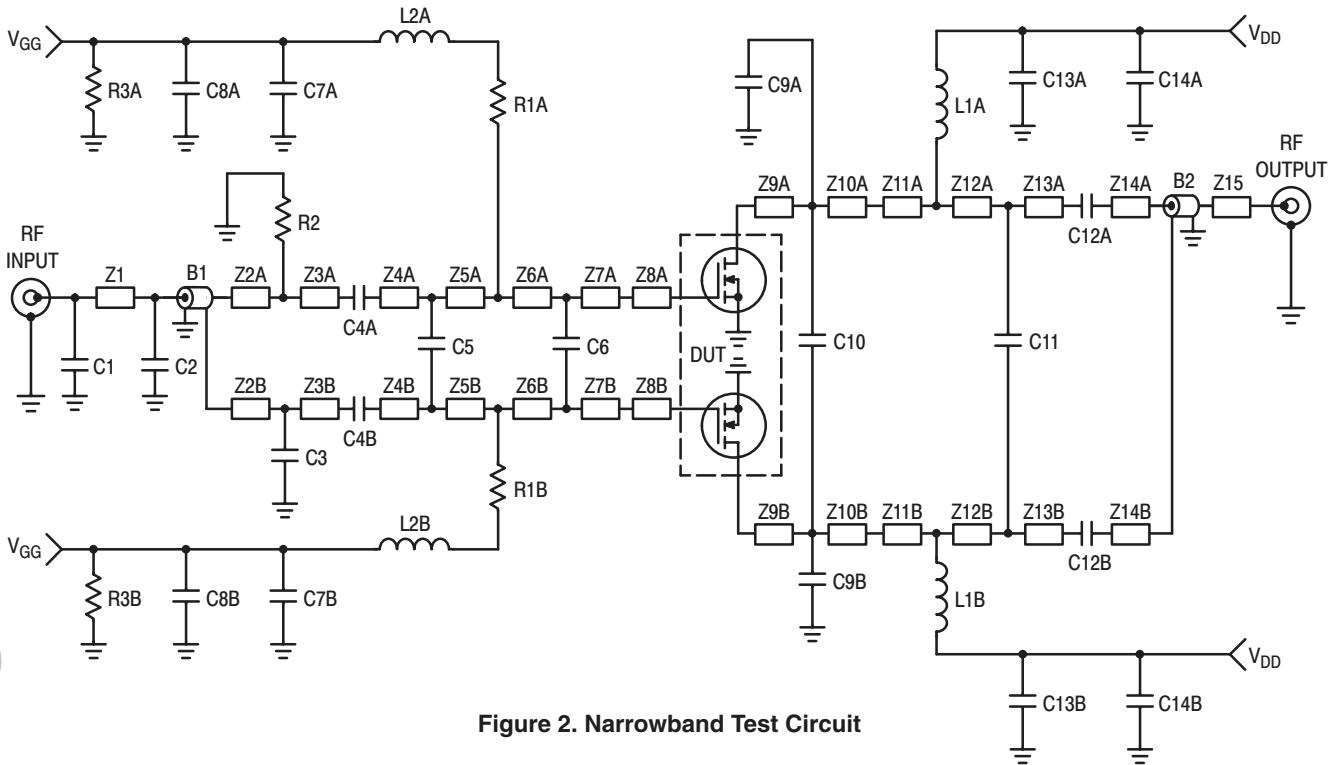
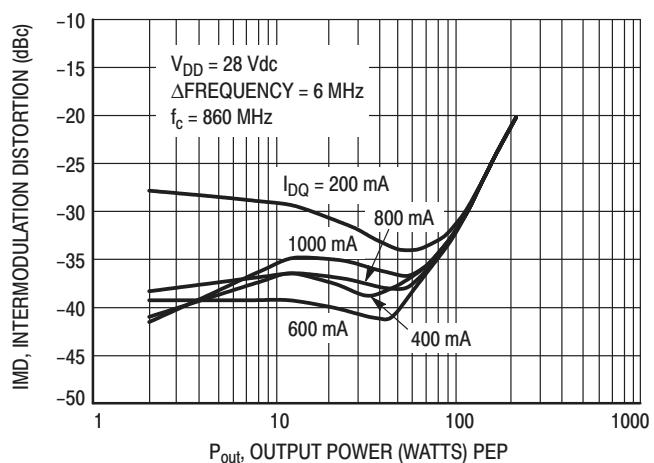
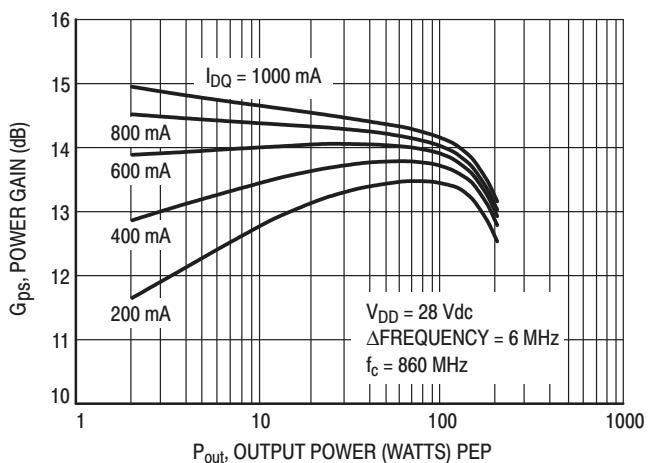


Figure 2. Narrowband Test Circuit

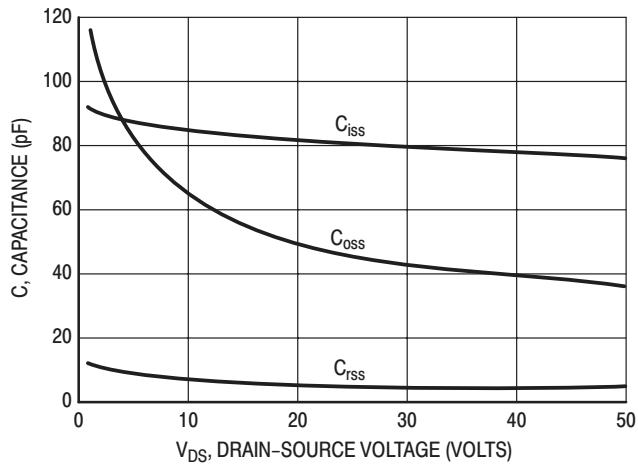
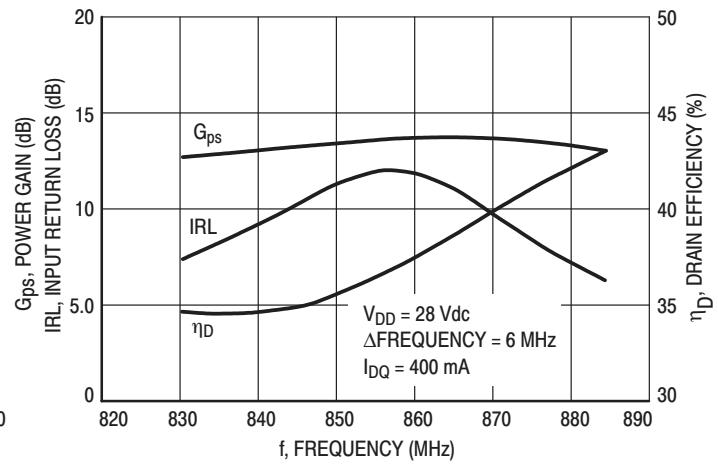
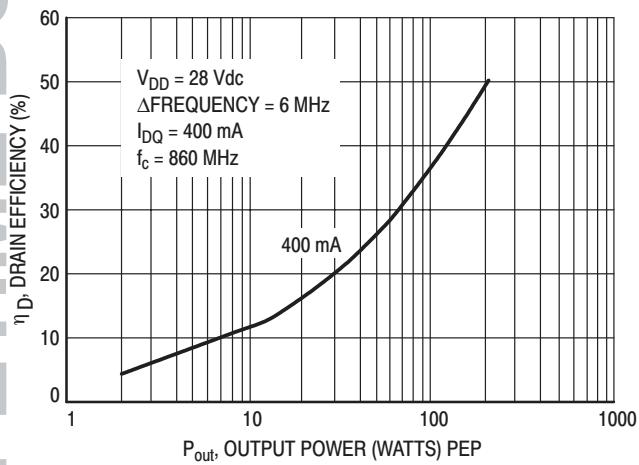
Table 1. Narrowband Component Designations and Values

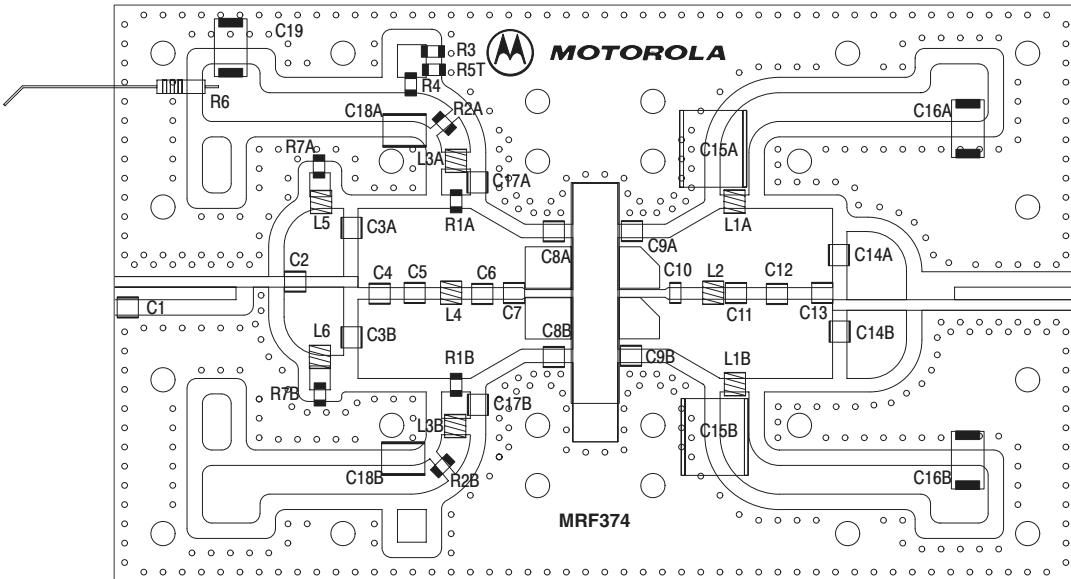
Designation	Description
C1	0.3 pF, ATC, Case B
C2	3.0 pF, ATC, Case B
C3, C5	1.8 pF, ATC, Case B
C4A, B, C12A, B	47 pF, ATC, Case B
C6	10 pF, ATC, Case B
C7A, B	68 pF, ATC, Case B
C8A, B	10 µF, 35 V Kemet P/N T491D106K35AS
C9A, B	15 pF, ATC, Case B
C10	5.6 pF, ATC, Case B
C11	5.1 pF, ATC, Case B
C12	3.0 pF, ATC, Case B
C13A, B	2.2 µF, 100 V, Vishay P/N VJ3640Y225KXBAT
C14A, B	22 µF, 35 V Kemet P/N T491D226K35AS
L1A, B	5.0 nH, Coilcraft P/N A02T
L2A, B	8.0 nH, Coilcraft P/N A03T
R1A, B	180 Ω, Vishay Dale Chip Resistor, 1/4 W (1210)
R2	10 Ω, Dale Axial Carbon Resistor, 1 W
R3A, B	3.3 kΩ, Vishay Dale Chip Resistor (1206)
PCB	MRF374 Printed Circuit Board Rev 03, Rogers RO4350, Height 30 mils, $\epsilon_r = 3.48$
Balun B1A, B	860 MHz Vertical Balun, 4:1 Impedance Translation (i.e., $12.5 \Omega : 50 \Omega$ ), Printed Circuit Board Rev 01, Rogers RO3010, Height 50 mils, $\epsilon_r = 10.2$
Connectors	N-Type (female), M/A-Com P/N 3052-1648-10
Heatsink	Motorola P/N 99-1RH-2C 3" X 5" Bedstead
Insert	Motorola P/N 99-7RI-1D Insert for LDMOS µ650 in 3" X 5" Bedstead
Protective Cover	Motorola P/N 99-2PC-2B
End Plates	2) Motorola P/N 94-7GB-1EPL, End Plate for Type-N Connector
Banana Jack and Nut	2) Johnson P/N 108-0904-001
Brass Banana Jack	2) H.H. Smith P/N SM-101

## TYPICAL TWO-TONE NARROWBAND CHARACTERISTICS



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Vertical Balun Mounting Detail

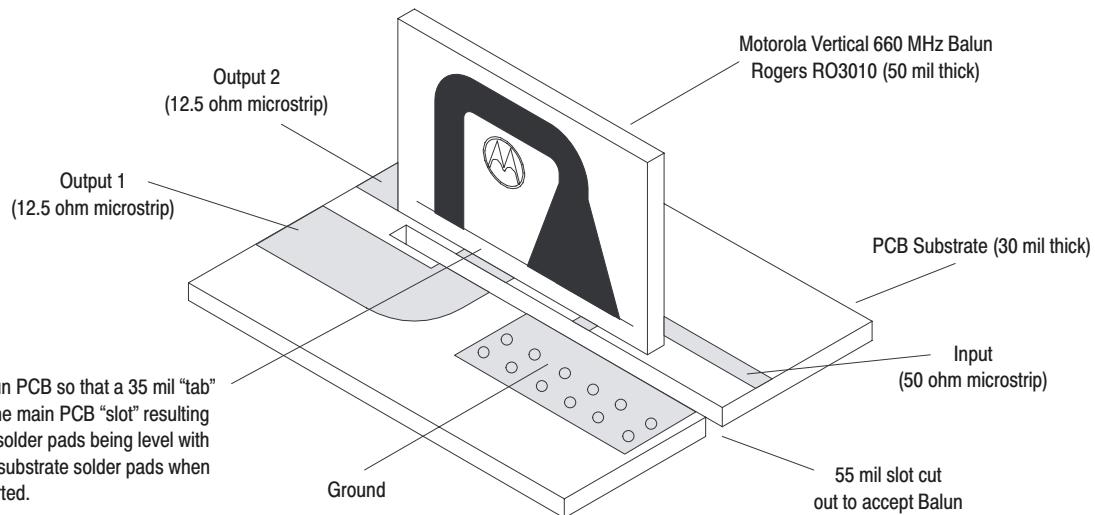


Figure 8. Broadband Component Layout

**Table 2. Broadband Component Designations and Values**

Designation	Description
C1	0.8 pF, ATC, Case B
C2	8.2 pF, ATC, Case B
C3A, B, C14A, B	100 pF, ATC, Case B
C4	7.5 pF, ATC, Case B
C5	3.0 pF, ATC, Case B
C6	9.1 pF, ATC, Case B
C7	15 pF, ATC, Case B
C8A, B	12 pF, ATC, Case B
C9A, B	4.7 pF, ATC, Case B
C10	10 pF, ATC, Case B
C11	3.6 pF, ATC, Case B
C12	3.0 pF, ATC, Case B
C13	2.7 pF, ATC, Case B
C15A, B	3.3 $\mu$ F, 100 V, Vitramon P/N VJ3640Y335KXBAT
C16A, B	22 $\mu$ F, 35 V, Kemet P/N T491D226K035AS
C17A, B	3.9 pF, ATC, Case B
C18A, B	2.2 $\mu$ F, 50 V, Vitramon P/N VJ2225Y225KXAAT
C19	10 $\mu$ F, 35 V, Kemet P/N T491D106K035AS
L1A, B, L3A, B, L4, L5	8.0 nH, Coilcraft P/N A03T
L2, L6	12.5 nH, Coilcraft P/N A04T
R1A, B	22 $\Omega$ , Vishay Dale Chip Resistor, 1/4 W (1206)
R2A, B, R7A, B	10 $\Omega$ , Vishay Dale Chip Resistor, 1/4 W (1206)
R3	390 $\Omega$ , Vishay Dale Chip Resistor (1206)
R4	2.4 k $\Omega$ , Vishay Dale Chip Resistor (1206)
R5T	470 $\Omega$ Thermistor, KOA SPEER MOT P/N 0680149M01
R6	6.8 k $\Omega$ , Vishay Dale Resistor, 1/2 W (Axial Lead)
PCB	MRF374 Printed Circuit Board Rev 03, Rogers RO4350, Height 30 mils, $\epsilon_r = 3.48$
Balun B1, B2	Vertical 660 MHz Broadband Balun, Printed Circuit Board Rev 01, Rogers RO3010, Height 50 mils, $\epsilon_r = 10.2$

f MHz	Z <sub>in</sub> $\Omega$	Z <sub>OL*</sub> $\Omega$
470	5.79 - j0.97	4.54 + j2.82
660	4.52 + j0.50	4.21 + j3.04
860	3.16 + j3.73	3.86 + j3.44

Z<sub>in</sub> = Input impedance from the transistor.

Z<sub>OL\*</sub> = Complex conjugate of the optimum load at a given voltage, P1dB, gain, efficiency, bias current and frequency.

Note: Z<sub>in</sub> and Z<sub>OL</sub> are measured impedances taken from gate-to-gate and drain-to-drain, respectively.

**Table 3. Broadband Push-Pull Balanced Fixture Impedances**

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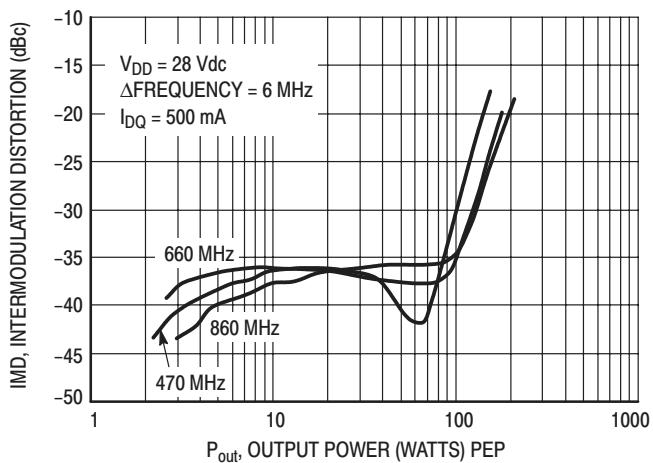


Figure 9. Broadband Intermodulation Distortion versus Output Power

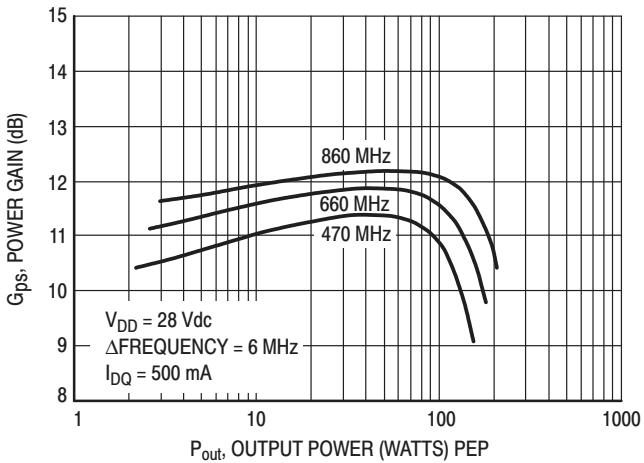


Figure 10. Broadband Power Gain versus Output Power

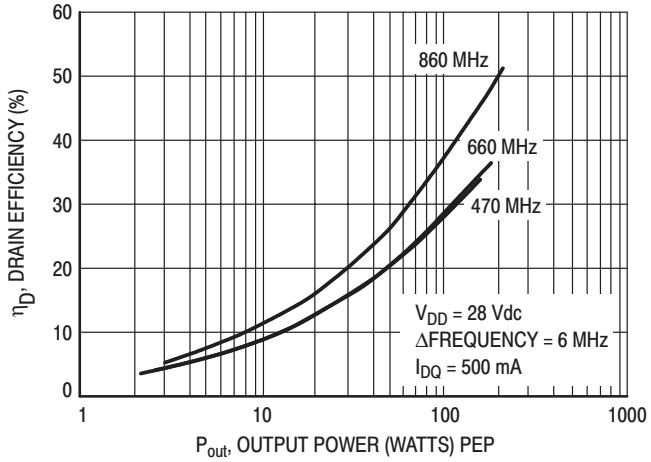


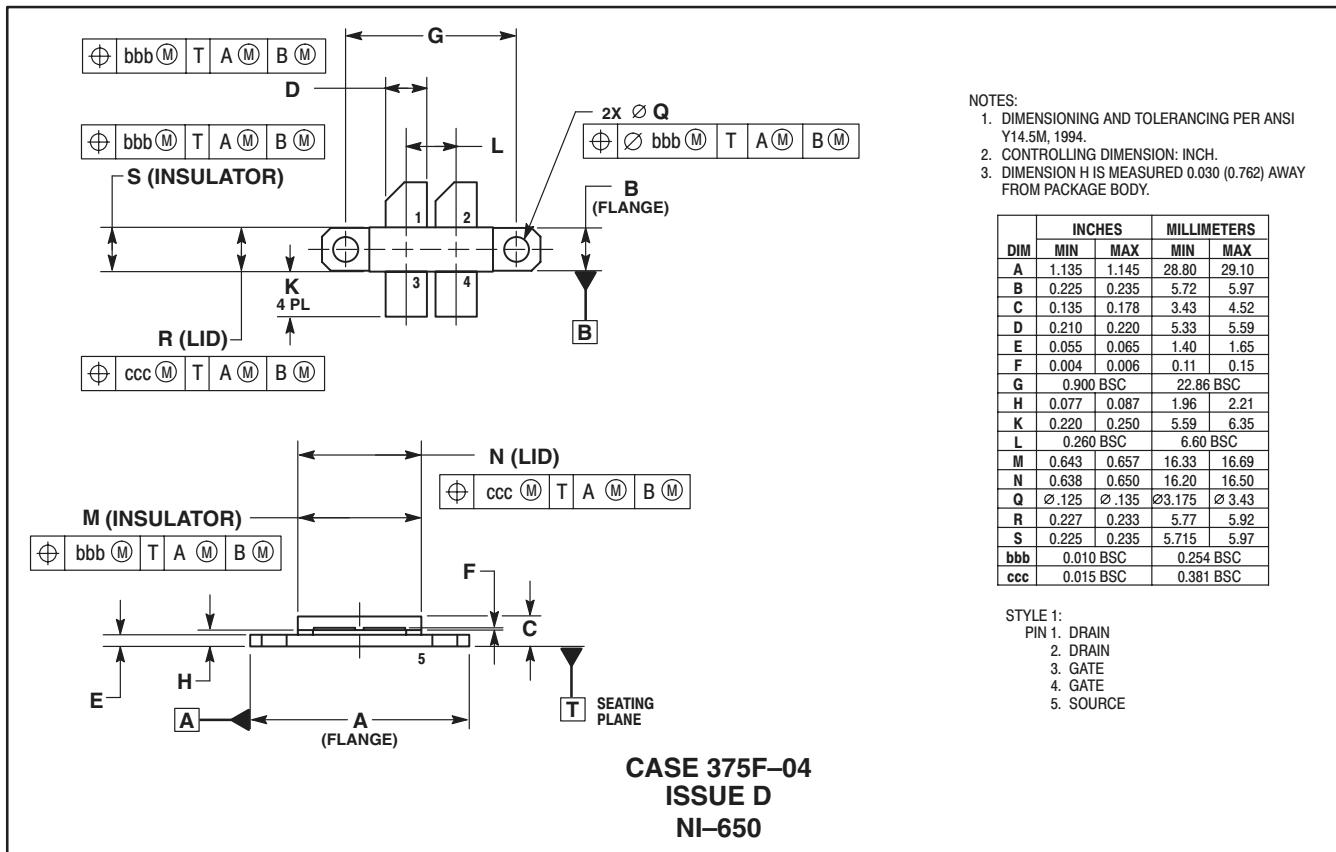
Figure 11. Broadband Efficiency versus Output Power

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