

## GaAs MMIC Power Amplifier Chip, 14-18GHz

### Performance characteristics

Frequency range: 14-18GHz  
 Small Signal Gain: 30 dB  
 Gain flatness:  $\pm 0.2$  dB  
 P-1dB: 26.5dBm  
 Psat: 27.5 dBm  
 PAE: 44%  
 Power supply: +5 V/ 220 mA  
 50Ohm input/output  
 100% on-chip testing  
 Chip size : 2.32 x 1.23 x 0.1mm

### Product Introduction

GPA-1418C is a broadband amplifier chip based on GaAs technology, covering a frequency range of 14~18GHz, with a small signal gain of 30dB, a Psat output power of 27.5dBm , and an efficiency of 44% . The chip is powered by a +5V power supply. The chip through-hole metallization process ensures good grounding, and the back side is metallized, which is suitable for eutectic sintering or conductive adhesive bonding process.

#### Use restriction parameter <sup>1</sup>

Maximum drain voltage	+7 V
Maximum input power	+20dBm
Operating temperature	-55 ~ + 85 °C
Storage temperature	-65 ~ +150°C

【1】 Exceeding any of these maximum limits may cause permanent damage.

#### Electrical parameters ( TA = +25°C , Vd = +5V, Ids = 220 mA)

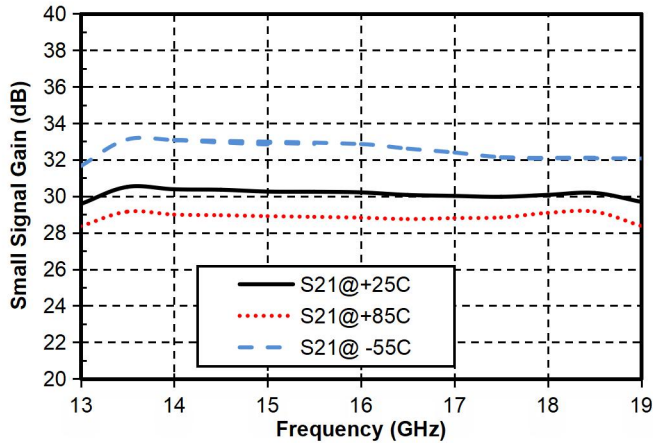
Index	Minimum	Typical Value	Maximum	Unit
Frequency Range	14-18			GHz
Small Signal Gain	-	30	-	dB
Gain Flatness		$\pm 0.2$		dB
P -1 dB	-	26.5	-	dBm
Psat	-	27.5	-	dBm
PAE		44		%
Input return loss	-	16		dB
Output return loss	-	16		dB
Quiescent Current		220		mA

\* By tuning the Vg terminal voltage from -2V to 0V , the recommended Vg terminal voltage is -0.8V .

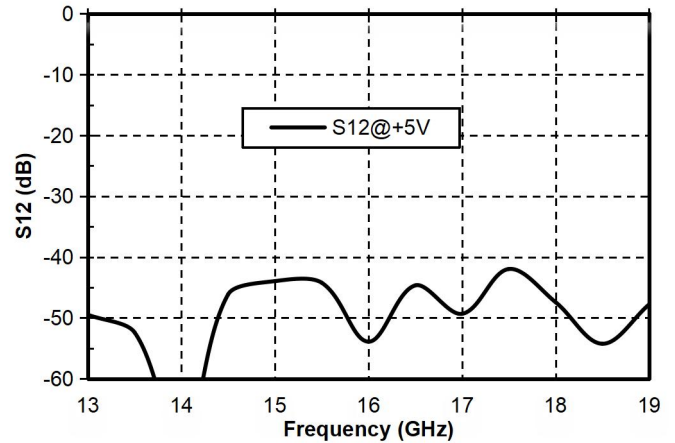
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Main index test curve

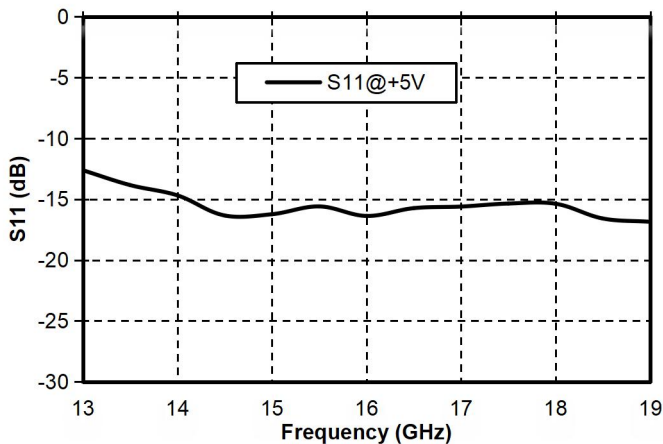
Gain vs. Frequency



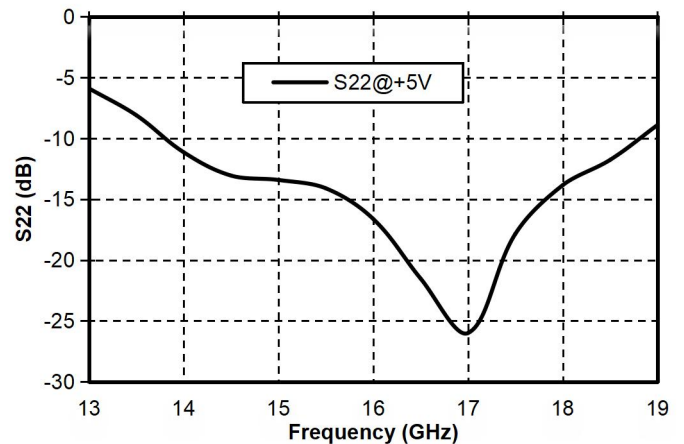
Reverse Isolation vs. Frequency



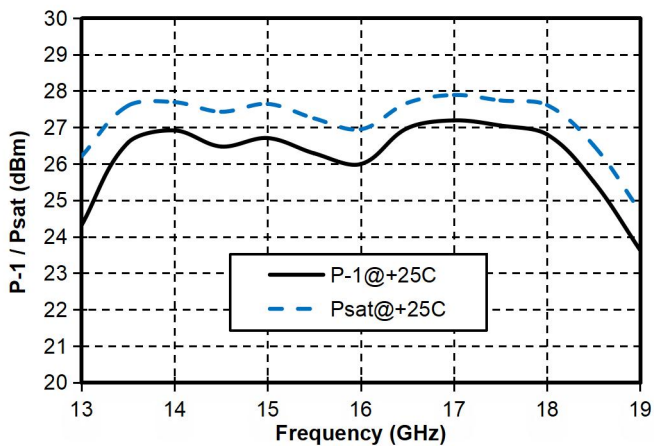
Input Return Loss vs. Frequency



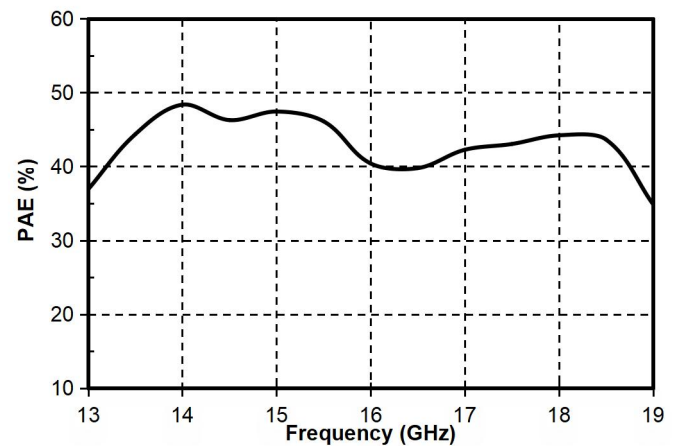
Output Return Loss vs. Frequency



P-1/ Psat vs. Frequency

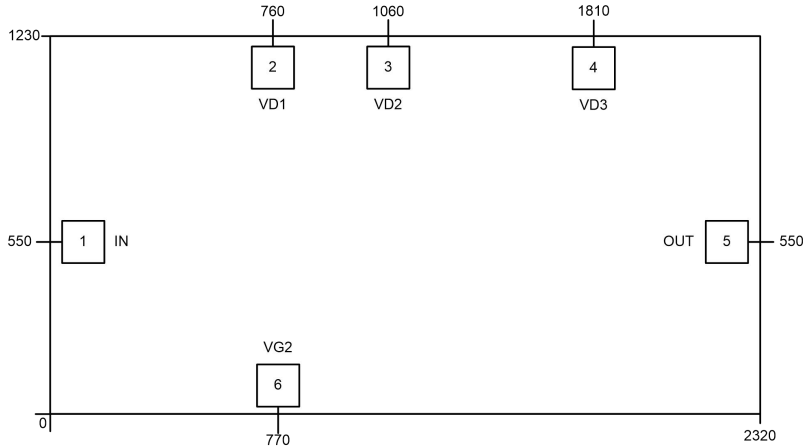


PAE vs. Frequency



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### Appearance structure <sup>2</sup>



【 2 】 The units in the figure are all micrometers ( dimensional tolerance :  $\pm 50\mu\text{m}$  .)

### Bonding point definition

Bonding point number	Function Symbol	Functional Description
1	RF IN	RF signal input terminal, no DC blocking capacitor required
5	RF OUT	RF signal output terminal, no DC blocking capacitor required
2, 3, 4	V D1~VD3	Amplifier drain bias, external 100pF , 1000pF bypass capacitor required
6	VG	Amplifier gate bias, external 100pF , 1000pF bypass capacitor required
Chip bottom	GND	The bottom of the chip needs to be in good contact with the RF and DC grounds

### Recommended assembly diagram

