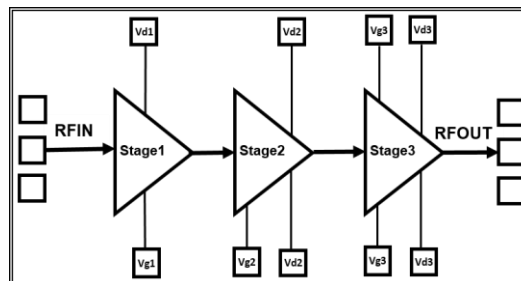


16 – 18 GHz 10W GaN High Power Amplifier

Features

- ♦ Frequency Range : 16 – 18 GHz
- ♦ Small signal Gain : 21 dB
- ♦ Power Gain : 13 dB
- ♦ Psat : 40 dBm (typ)
- ♦ PAE : 24%
- ♦ Die Size: 4.9 mm × 2.1 mm x 0.1mm



Typical Applications

- ♦ Communications
- ♦ Electronic Warfare
- ♦ Test Instrumentation
- ♦ EMC Amplifier

Description

The ASL 4059 is a three stage High Power Amplifier designed to operate from 16 to 18 GHz frequency band. This Amplifier features 40dBm saturated output power with power gain of 13dB. The power amplifier designed using highly reliable AlGaIn/GaN HEMT process.

Absolute Maximum Ratings¹

Parameter	Absolute Maximum	Units
Drain supply voltage	35	volts
Drain current (Idq)	2.5	A
Max Peak input power overdrive ⁽²⁾	33	dBm
Operating temperature	-50 to +85	°C
Storage Temperature	-65 to +150	°C

1. Operation beyond these limits may cause permanent damage to the component
2. We recommend to limit the Pin at 7dB Compression

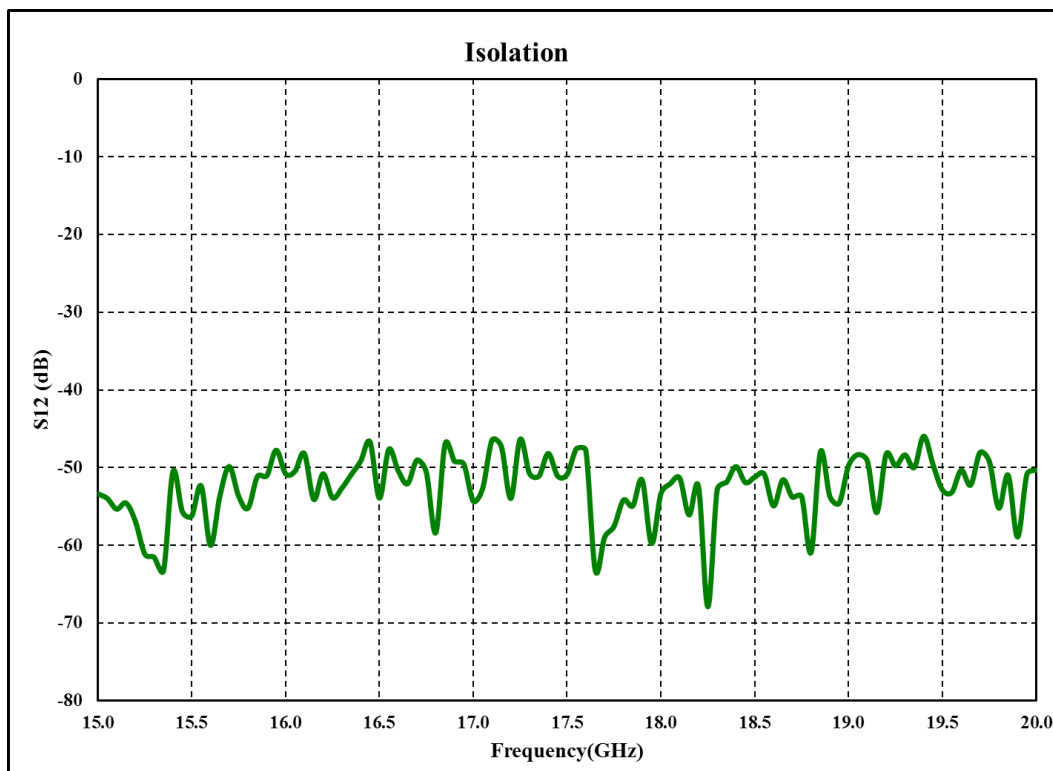
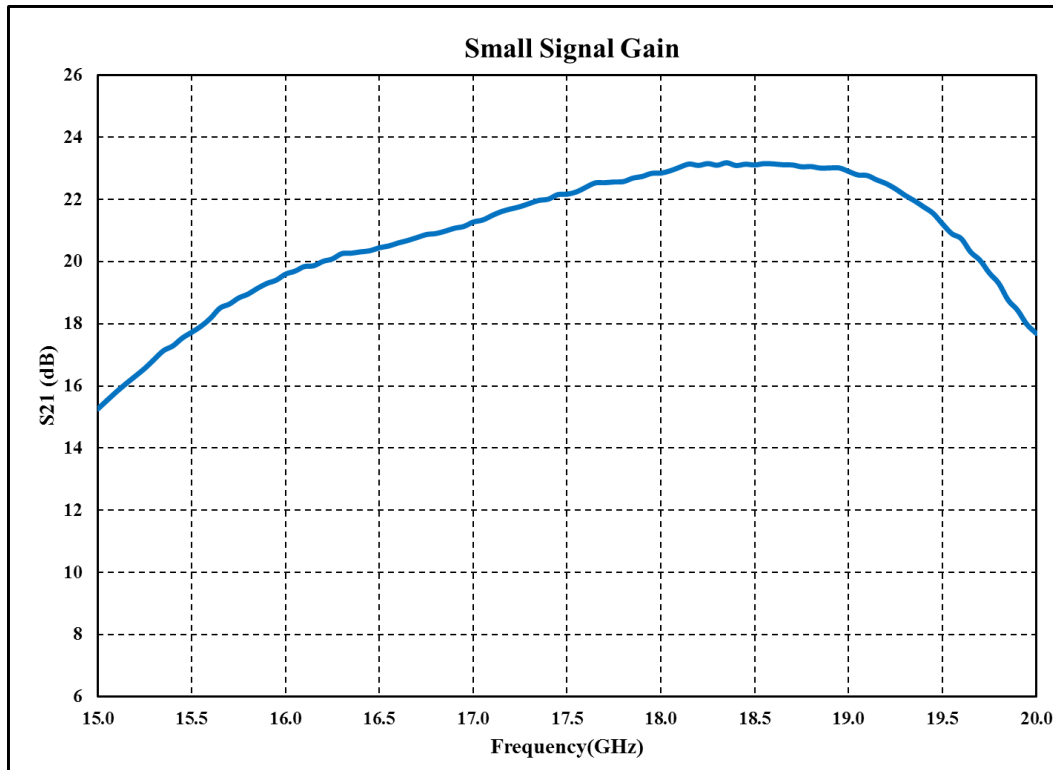
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 $V_d = 28\text{V}$, $I_{dq} = 120\text{mA}$, Pulse Duty Cycle = 10%

S.No	Parameter	Typical Value	Units
1	Frequency	16 – 18	GHz
2	Small Signal Gain	21	dB
3	Input Return Loss	6	dB
4	Output Return Loss	10	dB
5	Saturated Output Power	40	dBm
6	Power Gain	13	dB
7	PAE	24	%
8	Drain Voltage (V_d)	28	V
9	Quiescent Current (I_{dq})	120	mA
10	Saturated current	170	mA
11	Die Size	4.9 x 2.1 x 0.1	mm

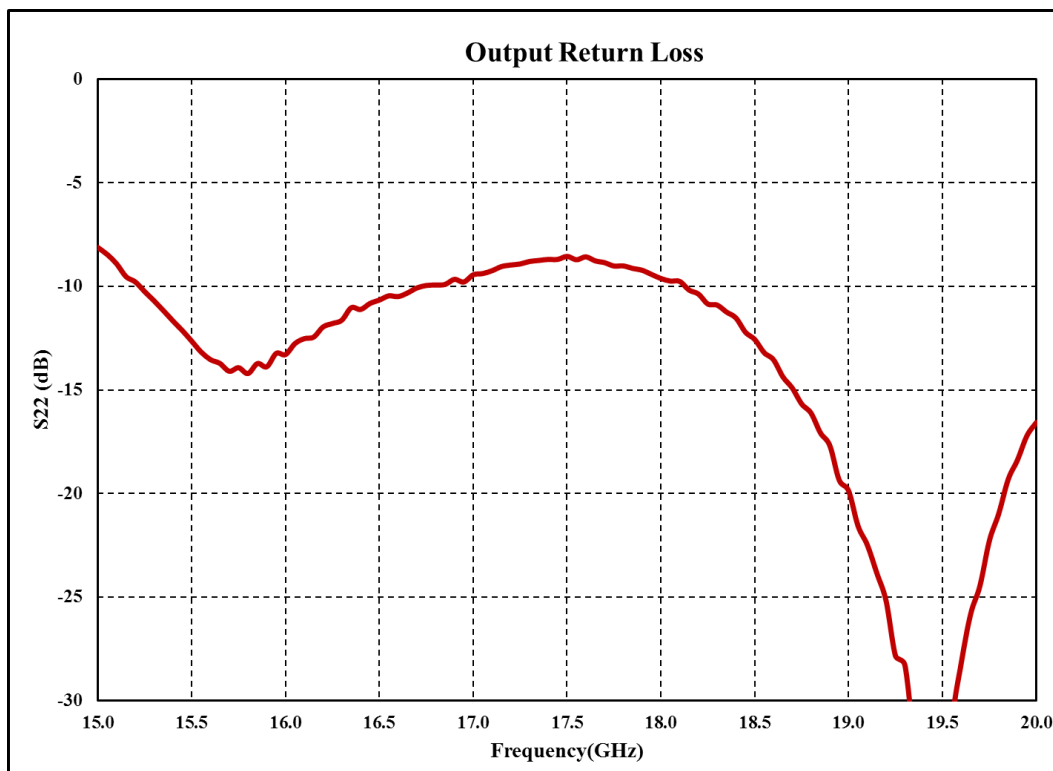
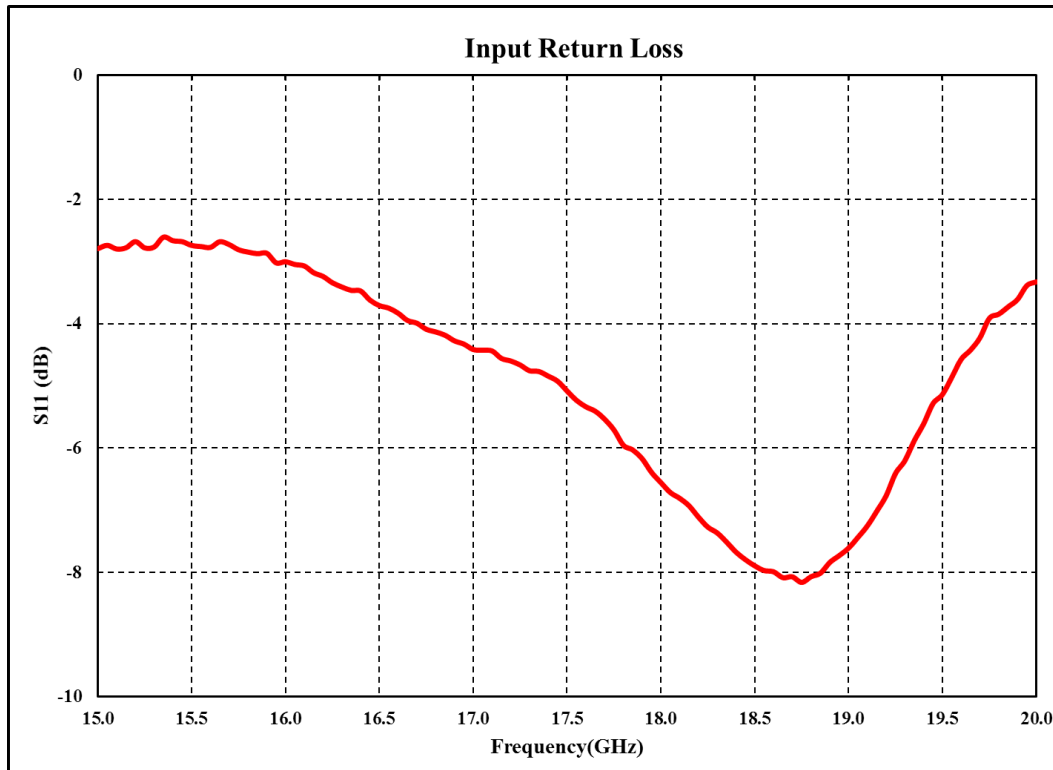
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1. The above parameters specified are measured in 50-Ohm test fixture.
2. Adjust V_g between -4.5V to -2.5V to achieve required I_{dq} .

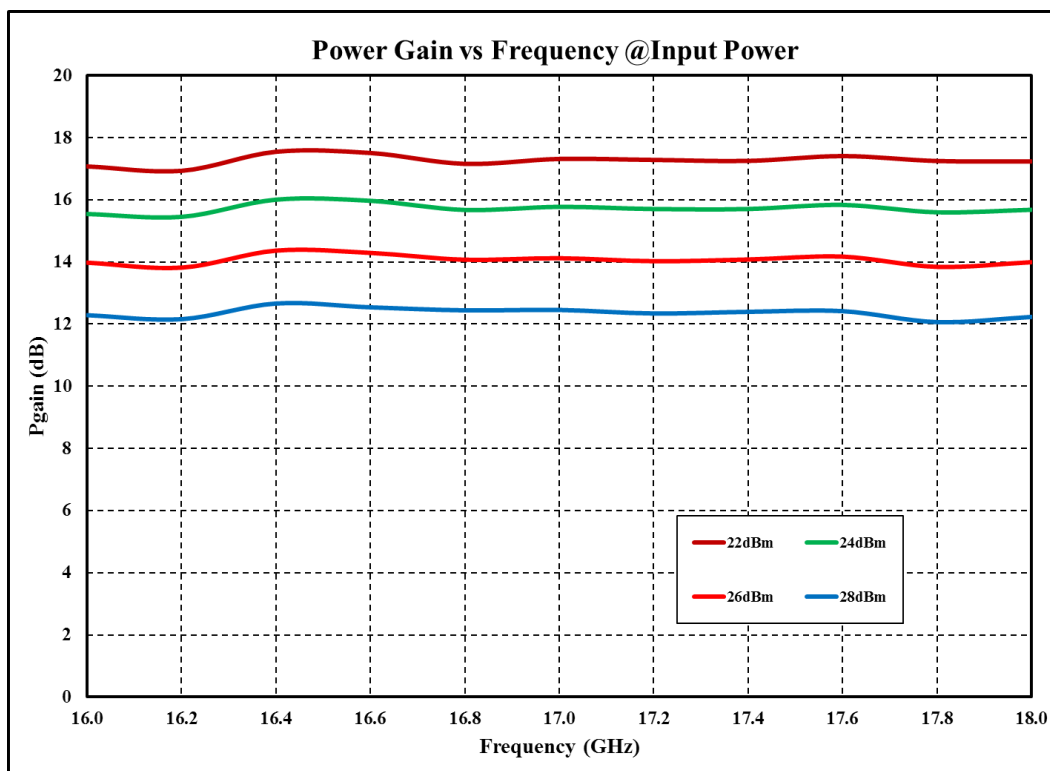
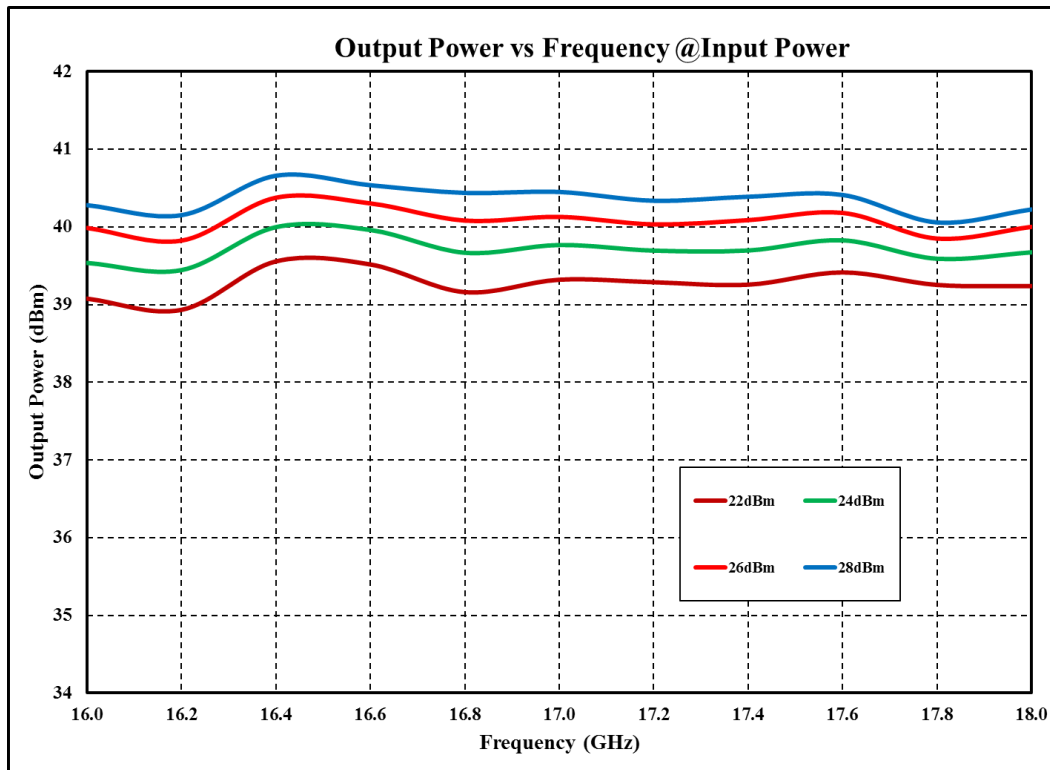
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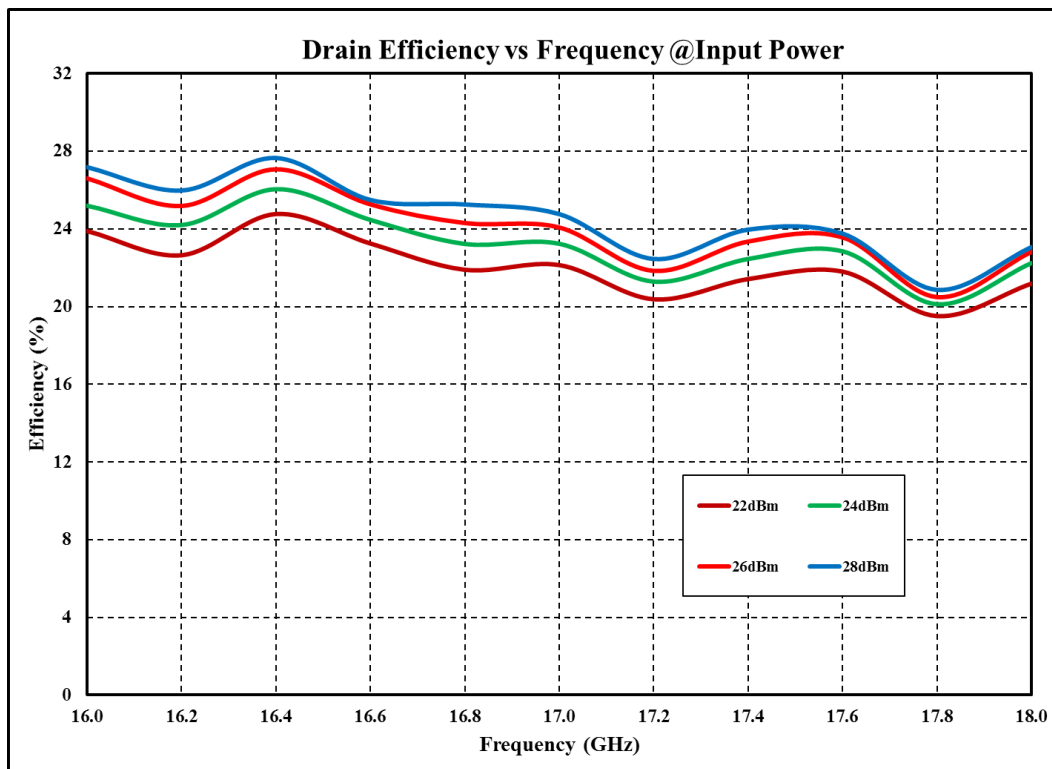
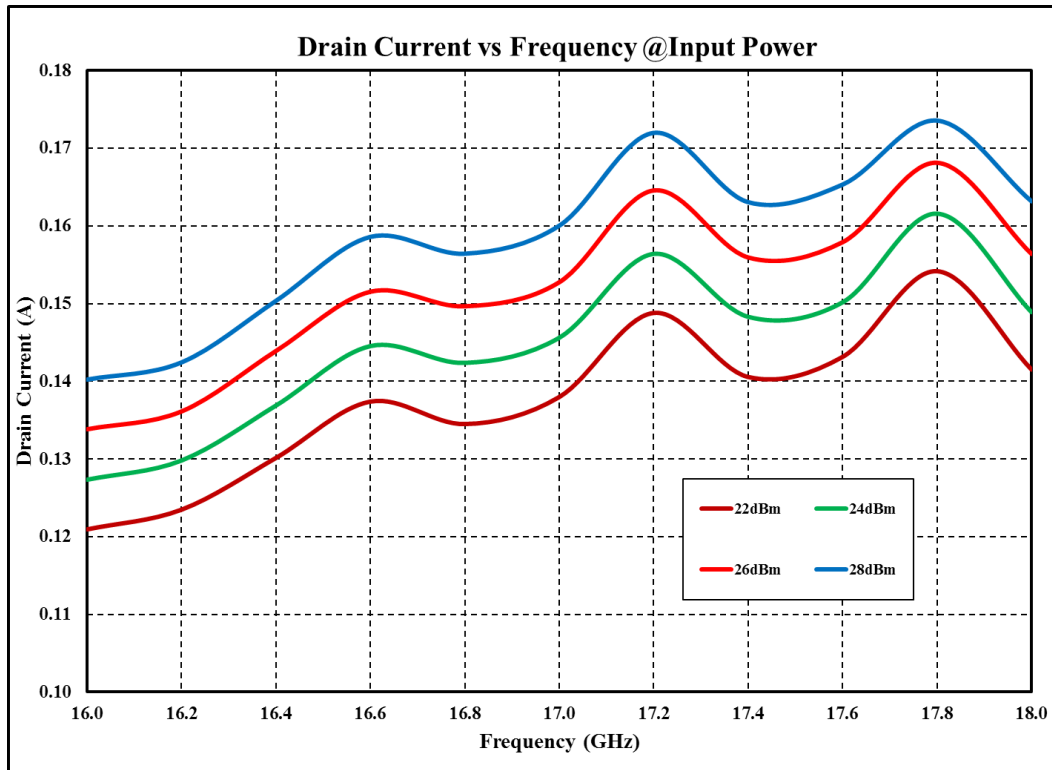
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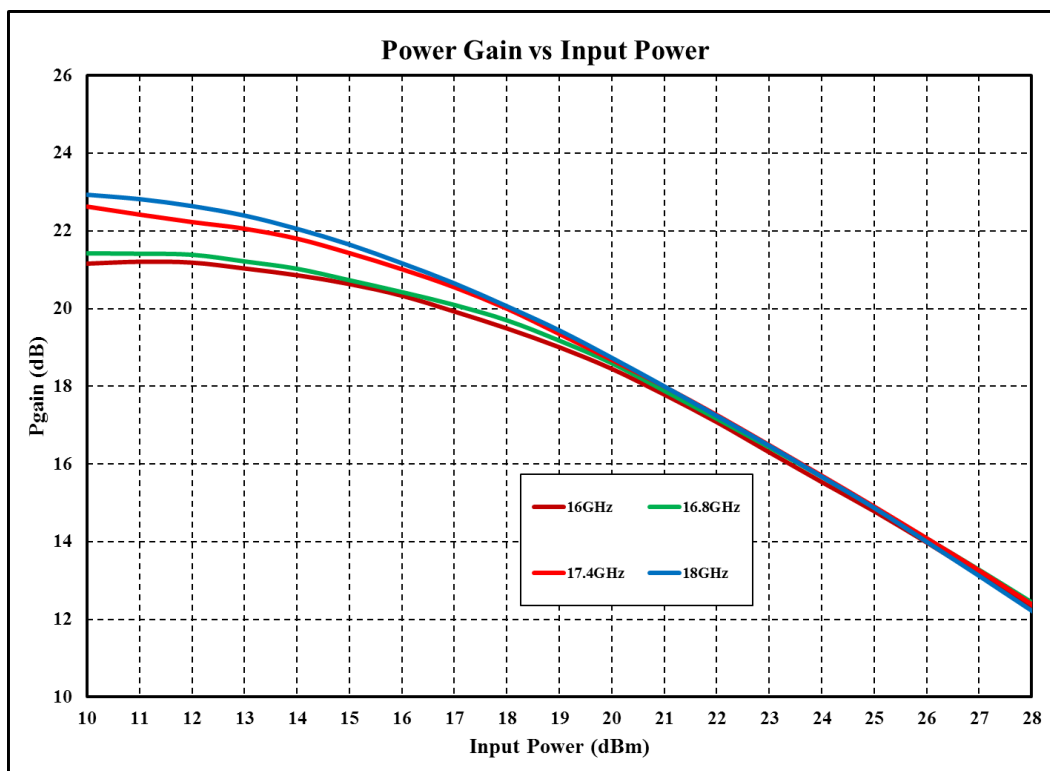
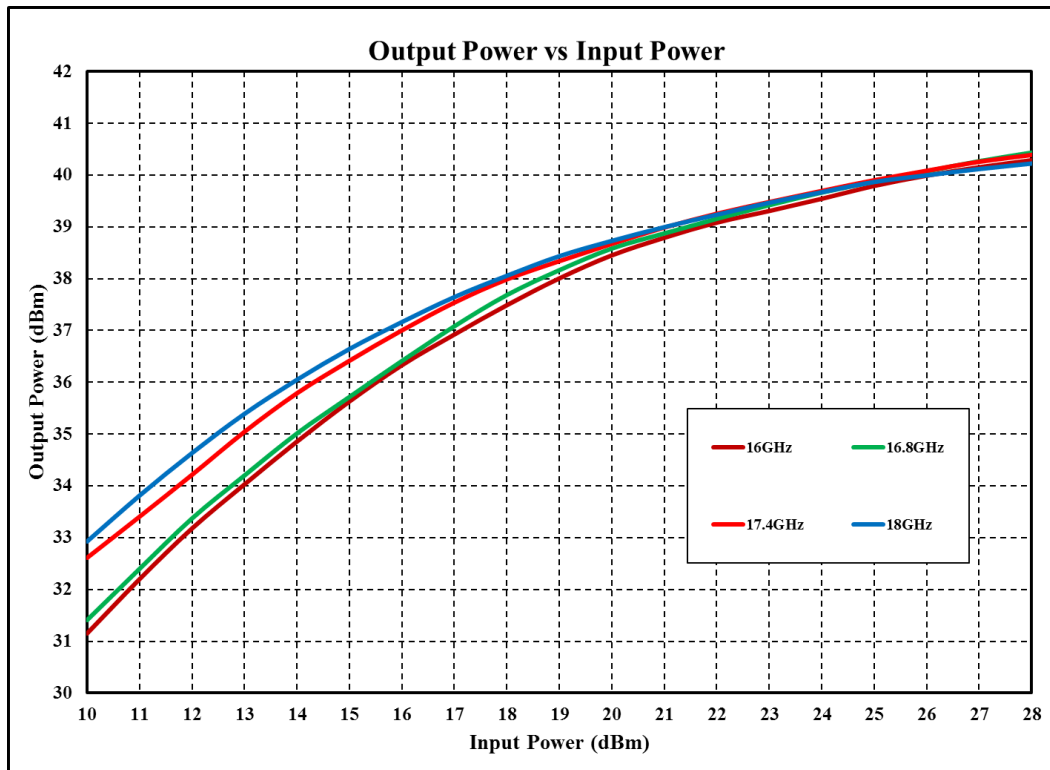
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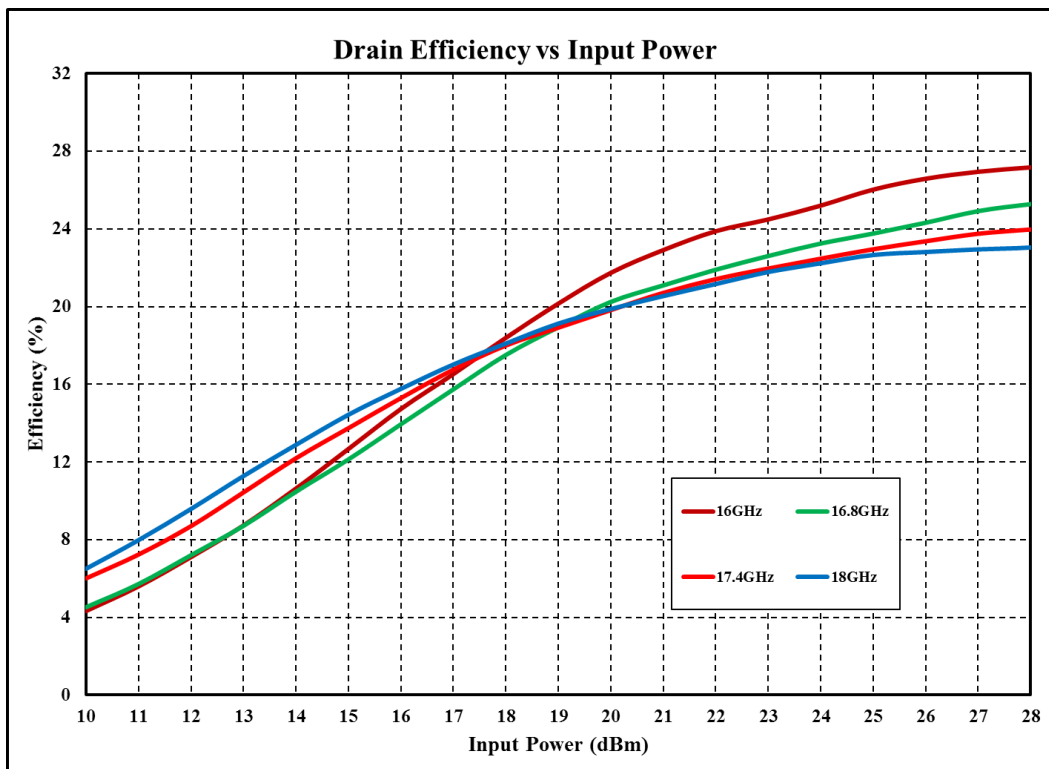
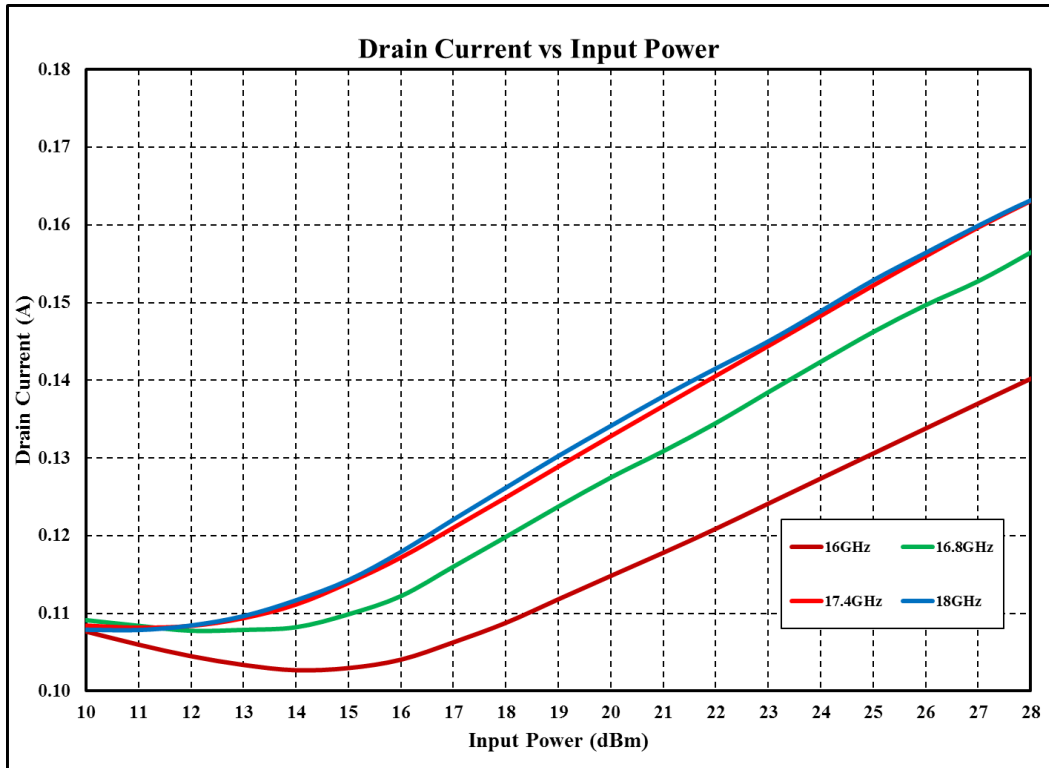
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Bond Pad Location

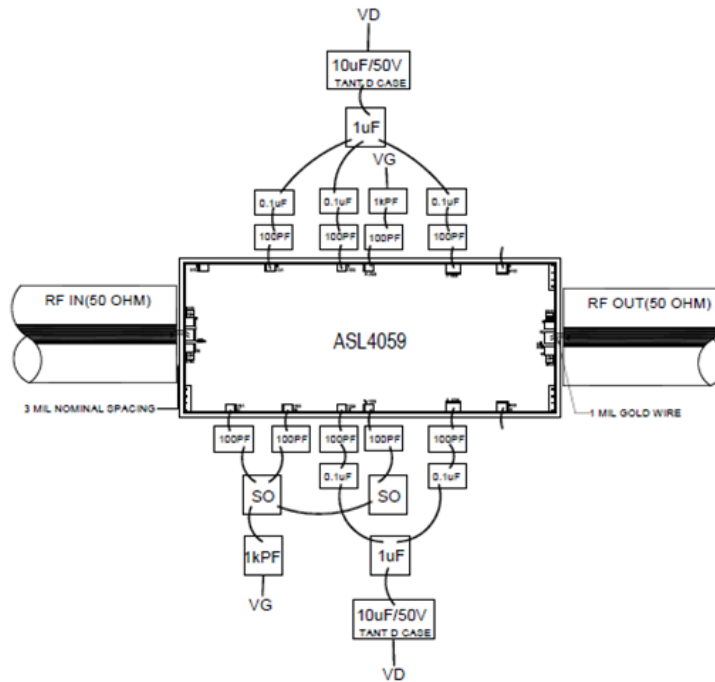


Units: millimeters (inches)

Note:

1. Pad no. 1 : RF IN
2. Pad no. 10 : RF Out
3. Pad no. 17 : Vg1
4. Pad no. 4 : Vd1
5. Pad no. 16 : Vg2
6. Pad no. 5,15 : Vd2
7. Pad no. 6,14 : Vg3
8. Pad no. 7,13 : Vd3
9. Pad no. 2,3,8,9,11,12,18 : GND

Recommended Assembly Diagram



S.No	Component Value	Description
1	100 pF (Gate Bypass)	Cap, D10/D12, 16V
2	100 pF (Drain Bypass)	Cap, D10/D12, 50V
3	1 KpF	Cap, 0402 X7R, 16V
4	0.1 uF	Cap, 0402 X7R, 50V
5	1 uF	Cap, 0402 or 0603 X7R, 50V
6	10 uF	TANT Cap, D case, 35V or 50V

Note:

1. Input and output 50 ohm lines are preferably on 5mil or 10mil RT Duroid substrate.
2. Use high thermal conductive material for die mounting/die attachment for long-term reliability.



GaN MMIC devices are susceptible to Electrostatic discharge. Proper precautions should be observed during handling, assembly & testing

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