

The RF Line

NPN Silicon

RF Power Transistor

... designed primarily for wideband large-signal output amplifier stages in the 100 to 500 MHz frequency range.

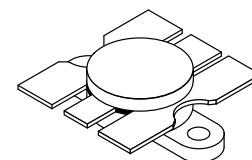
- Guaranteed Performance @ 400 MHz, 28 Vdc
Output Power = 40 Watts
Minimum Gain = 9.0 dB
- Built-In Matching Network for Broadband Operation
- 100% Tested for Load Mismatch at all Phase Angles with 30:1 VSWR
- Gold Metallization System for High Reliability Applications

MRF326

40 W, 225 to 400 MHz
CONTROLLED "Q"
BROADBAND RF POWER
TRANSISTOR
NPN SILICON

MAXIMUM RATINGS

Rating	Symbol	Value	Unit
Collector-Emitter Voltage	V_{CEO}	33	Vdc
Collector-Base Voltage	V_{CBO}	60	Vdc
Emitter-Base Voltage	V_{EBO}	4.0	Vdc
Collector Current — Continuous — Peak	I_C	4.5 6.0	Adc
Total Device Dissipation @ $T_C = 25^\circ\text{C}$ (1) Derate above 25°C	P_D	110 0.63	Watts W/ $^\circ\text{C}$
Storage Temperature Range	T_{stg}	-65 to +150	$^\circ\text{C}$



CASE 316-01, STYLE 1

THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS

Characteristic	Symbol	Max	Unit
Thermal Resistance, Junction to Case	$R_{\theta JC}$	1.6	$^\circ\text{C/W}$

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

Characteristic	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
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OFF CHARACTERISTICS

Collector-Emitter Breakdown Voltage ($I_C = 40$ mAdc, $I_E = 0$)	$V_{(BR)CEO}$	33	—	—	Vdc
Collector-Emitter Breakdown Voltage ($I_C = 40$ mAdc, $V_{BE} = 0$)	$V_{(BR)CES}$	60	—	—	Vdc
Emitter-Base Breakdown Voltage ($I_E = 4.0$ mAdc, $I_C = 0$)	$V_{(BR)EBO}$	4.0	—	—	Vdc
Collector-Base Breakdown Voltage ($I_C = 40$ mAdc, $I_E = 0$)	$V_{(BR)CBO}$	60	—	—	Vdc
Collector Cutoff Current ($V_{CB} = 30$ Vdc, $I_E = 0$)	I_{CBO}	—	—	4.0	mAdc

ON CHARACTERISTICS

DC Current Gain ($I_C = 2.0$ Adc, $V_{CE} = 5.0$ Vdc)	h_{FE}	20	50	80	—
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DYNAMIC CHARACTERISTICS

Output Capacitance ($V_{CB} = 28$ Vdc, $I_E = 0$, $f = 1.0$ MHz)	C_{ob}	—	45	60	pF
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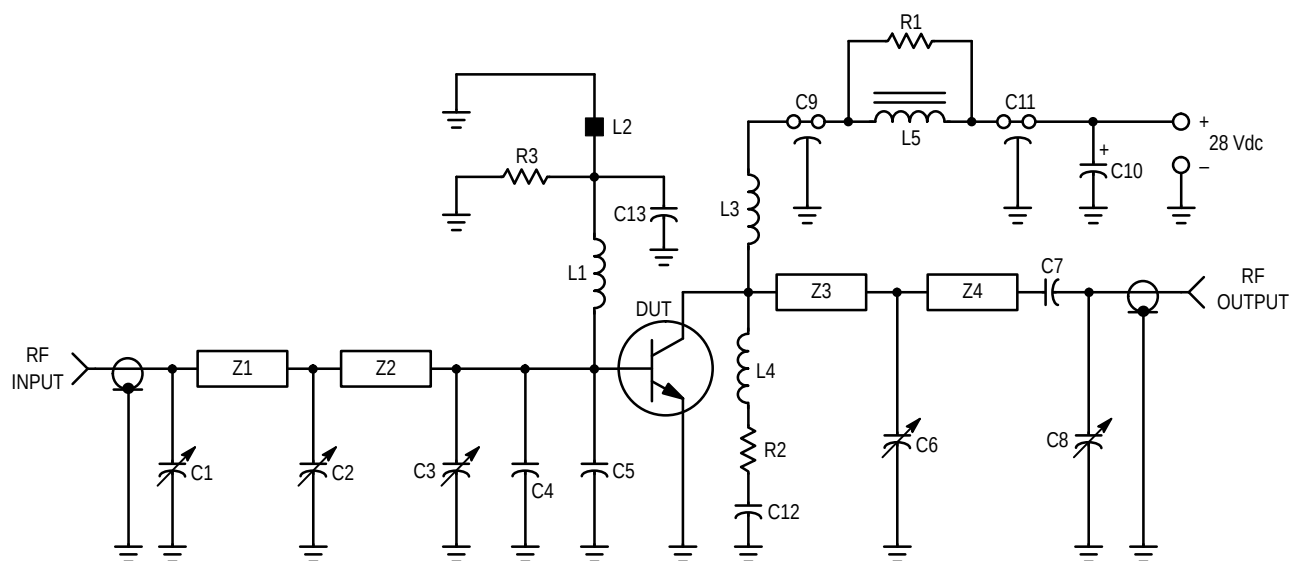
NOTE:

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1. This device is designed for RF operation. The total device dissipation rating applies only when the device is operated as an RF amplifier.

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

Characteristic	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
FUNCTIONAL TESTS (Figure 1)					
Common-Emitter Amplifier Power Gain ($V_{CC} = 28\text{ Vdc}$, $P_{Out} = 40\text{ W}$, $f = 400\text{ MHz}$, $I_C\text{ Max} = 2.85\text{ Adc}$)	G_{PE}	9.0	11	—	dB
Collector Efficiency ($V_{CC} = 28\text{ Vdc}$, $P_{Out} = 40\text{ W}$, $f = 400\text{ MHz}$, $I_C\text{ Max} = 2.85\text{ Adc}$)	η	50	—	—	%
Load Mismatch ($V_{CC} = 28\text{ Vdc}$, $P_{Out} = 40\text{ W CW}$, $f = 400\text{ MHz}$, $VSWR = 30:1$ All Phase Angles)	ψ	No Degradation in Output Power			



C1 — 1.0–10 pF Johanson, Capacitor (JMC 5201)
 C2, C3, C6, C8 — 1.0–20 pF Johanson Capacitor
 C4, C5 — 36 pF ATC “B” Style Chip Capacitor
 C7, C9, C13 — 100 pF UNELCO Capacitor
 C11 — 680 pF Feedthru
 C10 — 1.0 μF 50 V Tantalum
 C12 — 0.1 μF Erie Redcap
 L1 — 8 Turns #26 AWG Enameled, 1/16” ID Closewound
 L2, L5 — Ferroxcube VK200–19/4B Ferrite Choke

L3 — 8 Turns #20 AWG Enameled, 1/4” ID Closewound
 L4 — 4 Turns #26 AWG 0.1” ID
 R1 — 10 Ohm 2.0 W Carbon
 R2, R3 — 10 Ohm 1.0 W Carbon
 Z1 — Microstrip 0.19” W x 1.28” L
 Z2 — Microstrip 0.28” W x 1.0” L
 Z3 — Microstrip 0.31” W x 1.0” L
 Z4 — Microstrip 0.31” W x 0.9” L
 Board — Glass Teflon $\epsilon_r = 2.56$ $t = 0.062$ ”
 Input/Output Connectors — Type N UG58 A/U

Figure 1. 400 MHz Test Amplifier

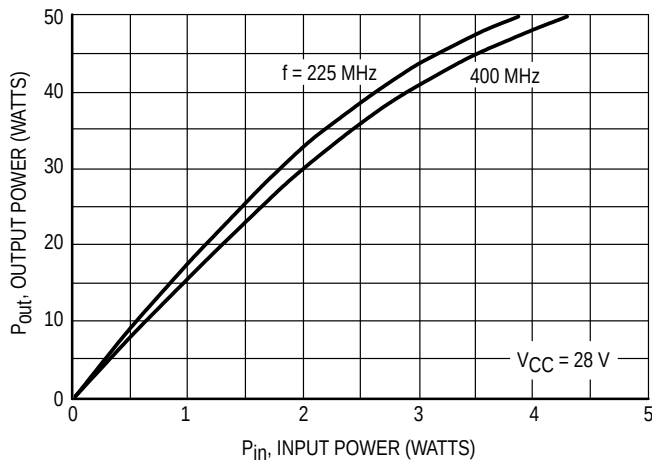


Figure 2. Output Power versus Input Power

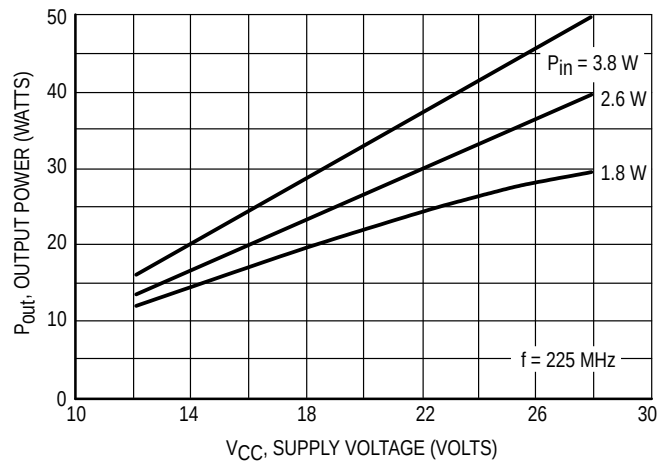
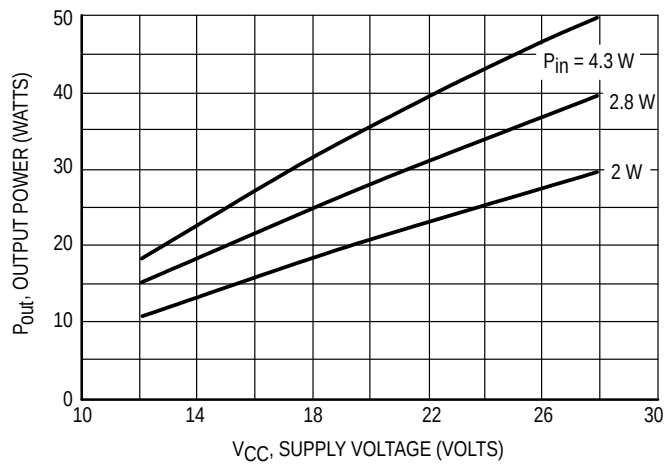
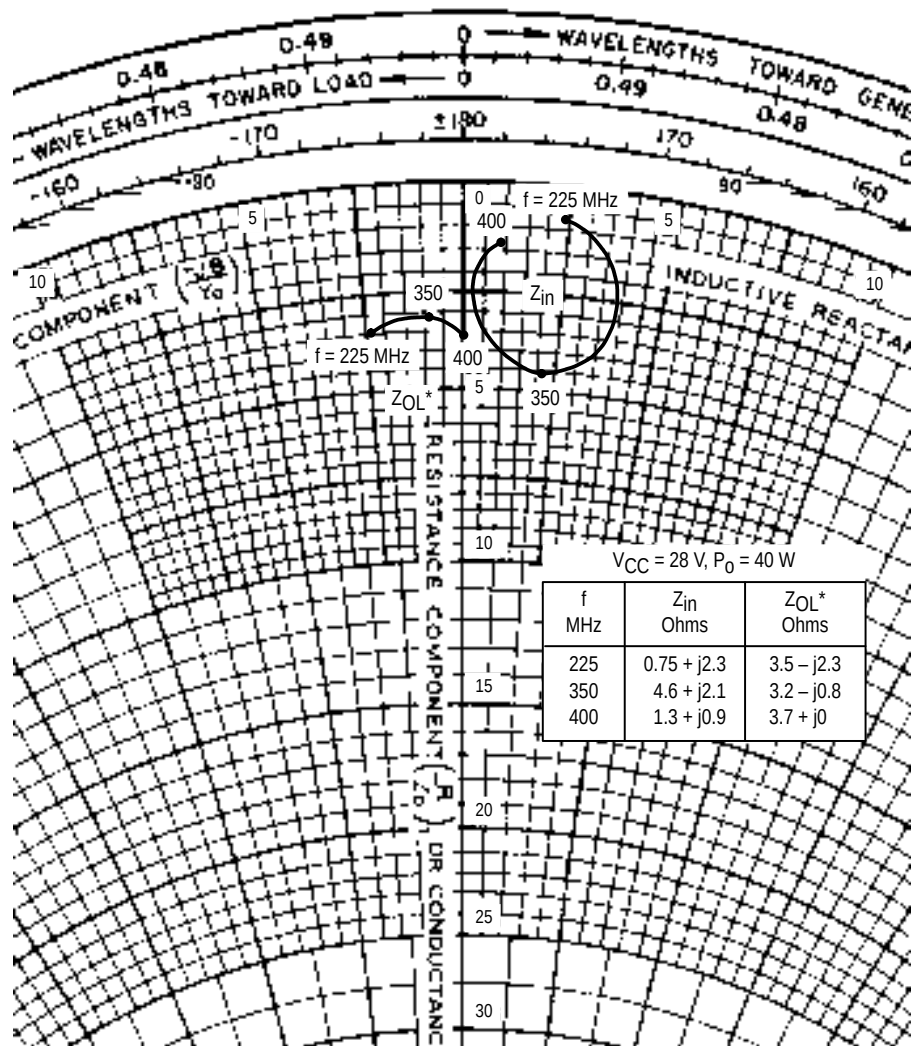


Figure 3. Output Power versus Supply Voltage



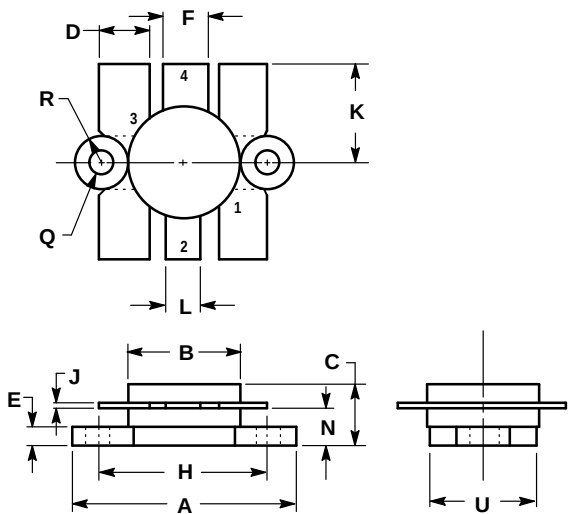
**Figure 4. Output Power versus Supply Voltage
f = 400 MHz**



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

Figure 5. Series Equivalent Input-Output Impedance

PACKAGE DIMENSIONS



NOTES:
1. FLANGE IS ISOLATED IN ALL STYLES.

DIM	INCHES		MILLIMETERS	
	MIN	MAX	MIN	MAX
A	24.38	25.14	0.960	0.990
B	12.45	12.95	0.490	0.510
C	5.97	7.62	0.235	0.300
D	5.33	5.58	0.210	0.220
E	2.16	3.04	0.085	0.120
F	5.08	5.33	0.200	0.210
H	18.29	18.54	0.720	0.730
J	0.10	0.15	0.004	0.006
K	10.29	11.17	0.405	0.440
L	3.81	4.06	0.150	0.160
N	3.81	4.31	0.150	0.170
Q	2.92	3.30	0.115	0.130
R	3.05	3.30	0.120	0.130
U	11.94	12.57	0.470	0.495

STYLE 1:
PIN 1. EMITTER
2. COLLECTOR
3. EMITTER
4. BASE

CASE 316-01
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