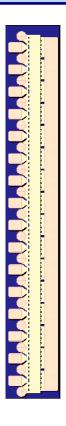
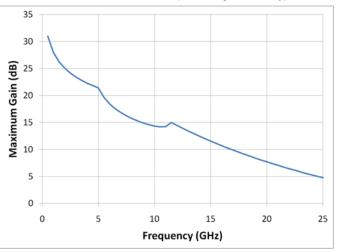


90 Watt Discrete Power GaN on SiC HEMT



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Key Features

- Frequency Range: DC 18 GHz
- 49.6 dBm Nominal Psat at 3 GHz
- 52% Maximum PAE
- 17.5 dB Nominal Power Gain
- Bias: Vd = 28 32 V, Idq = 2 A, Vg = -3.6 V Typical
- Technology: 0.25 um Power GaN on SiC
- Chip Dimensions: 0.82 x 4.56 x 0.10 mm

Primary Applications

- Defense & Aerospace
- Broadband Wireless

Product Description

The TriQuint TGF2023-20 is a discrete 20 mm GaN on SiC HEMT which operates from DC-18 GHz. The TGF2023-20 is designed using TriQuint's proven 0.25um GaN production process. This process features advanced field plate techniques to optimize microwave power and efficiency at high drain bias operating conditions.

The TGF2023-20 typically provides 49.6 dBm of saturated output power with power gain of 17.5 dB at 3 GHz. The maximum power added efficiency is 52% which makes the TGF2023-20 appropriate for high efficiency applications.

Lead-free and RoHS compliant



Table I Absolute Maximum Ratings <u>1</u>/

| Symbol | Parameter | Value | Notes |
|--------|-----------------------------|------------|-----------|
| Vd | Drain Voltage | 40 V | <u>2/</u> |
| Vg | Gate Voltage Range | -50 to 0 V | |
| Vdg | Drain-Gate Voltage | 80 V | |
| ld | Drain Current | 20 A | <u>2/</u> |
| lg | Gate Current | 112 mA | |
| Pin | Input Continuous Wave Power | 43 dBm | <u>2/</u> |
| Tch | Channel Temperature | 200 °C | |

- These ratings represent the maximum operable values for this device. Stresses beyond those listed under "Absolute Maximum Ratings" may cause permanent damage to the device and / or affect device lifetime. These are stress ratings only, and functional operation of the device at these conditions is not implied.
- 2/ Combinations of supply voltage, supply current, input power, and output power shall not exceed the maximum power dissipation listed in Table IV.

Table II Recommended Operating Conditions

| Symbol | Parameter | Value |
|----------|------------------------------|-----------|
| Vd | Drain Voltage | 28 - 32 V |
| ldq | Drain Current | 2 A |
| Id_Drive | Drain Current under RF Drive | 6 A |
| Vg | Gate Voltage | -3.6 V |



Table III RF Characterization Table 1/

Bias: Vd = 28 V, Idq = 2000 mA, Vg = -3.6V Typical

| SYMBOL | PARAMETER | 3 GHz | 6 GHz | 10 GHz | 14 GHz | UNITS |
|-------------------|---------------------------|-------|-------|--------|--------|-------|
| Power Tuned: | | | | | | |
| Psat | Saturated Output Power | 49.6 | 48.8 | 48.6 | 47.1 | dBm |
| PAE | Power Added Efficiency | 53 | 51 | 46 | 37 | % |
| Gain | Power Gain | 17.2 | 11.1 | 8.4 | 5.1 | dB |
| Efficiency Tuned: | | | | | | |
| Psat | Saturated Output Power | 48.3 | 47.1 | 48.3 | 47.1 | dBm |
| PAE | Power Added Efficiency | 58 | 58 | 48 | 38 | % |
| Gain | Power Gain | 16.5 | 11.7 | 8.7 | 5.0 | dB |

| SYMBOL | PARAMETER | 3 GHz | 6 GHz | 10 GHz | 14 GHz | UNITS |
|-------------------|----------------------|-------|-------|--------|--------|-------|
| Power Tuned: | | | | | | |
| Rp <u>2</u> / | Parallel Resistance | 79.3 | 81.9 | 61.5 | 49.9 | Ω•mm |
| Cp <u>2</u> / | Parallel Capacitance | 0.524 | 0.348 | 0.426 | 0.432 | pF/mm |
| Efficiency Tuned: | | | | | | |
| Rp <u>2</u> / | Parallel Resistance | 153 | 171 | 72.1 | 53.1 | Ω•mm |
| Cp <u>2</u> / | Parallel Capacitance | 0.426 | 0.372 | 0.414 | 0.472 | pF/mm |

^{1/} Values in this table are engineering estimates scaled from measurements on the 1.25 mm GaN/SiC unit cell (see TGF2023-01 datasheet)

^{2/} Large signal equivalent output network (normalized) (see figure, pg 7)



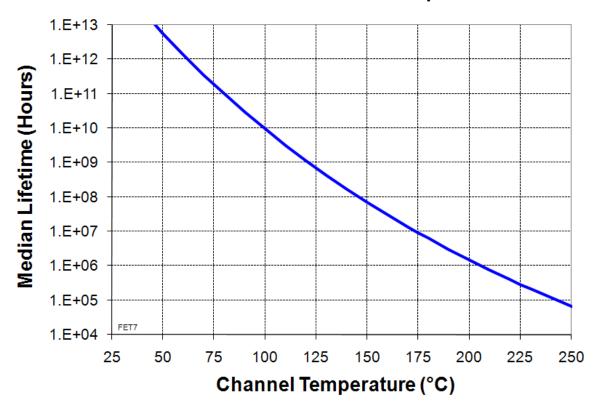
Table IV Power Dissipation and Thermal Properties 1/

| Parameter | Test Conditions | Value | Notes |
|---|--|--|------------|
| Maximum Power Dissipation | Tbaseplate = 75 °C | Pd = 128 W Tchannel = 200 °C Tm = 1.5E+6 Hrs | <u>2</u> / |
| Thermal Resistance, θjc | Vd = 28 V Id = 2 A Pd = 56 W Tbaseplate = 70 °C | θjc = 1.0 (°C/W) Tchannel = 126 °C Tm = 6.4E+8 Hrs | |
| Thermal Resistance, θjc Under RF Drive | Vd = 28 V Id = 5.92 A Pout = 49.6 dBm Pd = 79.3 W Tbaseplate = 70 °C | θjc = 1.0 (°C/W) Tchannel = 149 °C Tm = 7.5E+7 Hrs | |
| Mounting Temperature | 30 Seconds | 320 °C | |
| Storage Temperature | | -65 to 150 °C | |

- 1/ Assumes eutectic attach using 1mil thick 80/20 AuSn mounted to a 10mil CuMo Carrier Plate
- 2/ Channel operating temperature will directly affect the device median lifetime. For maximum life, it is recommended that channel temperatures be maintained at the lowest possible levels.

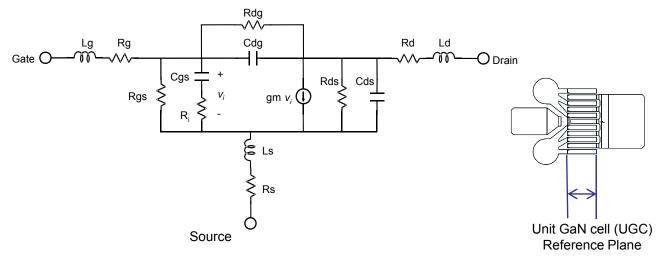


Median Lifetime vs Channel Temperature





Linear Model for 1.25 mm Unit GaN Cell (UGC)

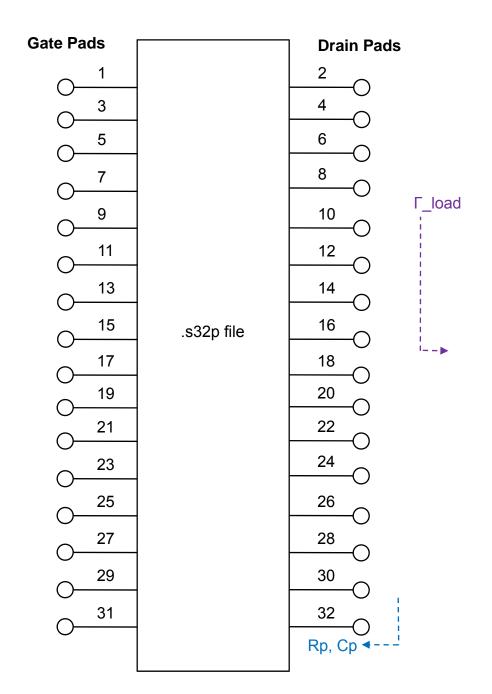


| MODEL PARAMETER | Vd=28V Idq=125mA | UNITS |
|--------------------|---------------------|-------|
| Rg | 0.78 | Ω |
| Rs | 0.13 | Ω |
| Rd | 1.28 | Ω |
| gm | 0.270 | S |
| Cgs | 1.79 | pF |
| Ri | 0.26 | Ω |
| Cds | 0.308 | pF |
| Rds | 123.6 | Ω |
| Cgd | 0.064 | pF |
| Tau | 2.78 | pS |
| Ls | 0.0058 | nH |
| Lg | -0.013 | nH |
| Ld | 0.018 | nH |
| Rgs | 8900 | Ω |
| Rgd | 1730000 | Ω |



Complete 20mm GaN HEMT Linear Model

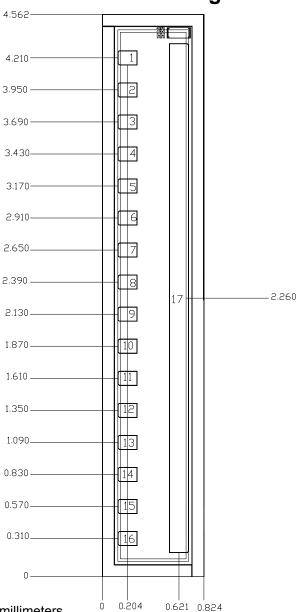
Includes 16 UGC, 17 vias, and 32 bonding pads







Mechanical Drawing



Units: millimeters

Thickness: 0.100

Die x,y size tolerance: +/- 0.050

Chip edge to bond pad dimensions are shown to center of pad Ground is backside of die

| Bond Pad #1 - 16 | Vg | 0.154 x 0.115 |
|------------------|----|---------------|
| Bond Pad #17 | Vd | 0.154 x 4.130 |

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Assembly Notes

Component placement and adhesive attachment assembly notes:

- Vacuum pencils and/or vacuum collets are the preferred method of pick up.
- Air bridges must be avoided during placement.
- The force impact is critical during auto placement.
- Organic attachment (i.e. epoxy) can be used in low-power applications.
- Curing should be done in a convection oven; proper exhaust is a safety concern.

Reflow process assembly notes:

- Use AuSn (80/20) solder and limit exposure to temperatures above 300°C to 3-4 minutes, maximum.
- An alloy station or conveyor furnace with reducing atmosphere should be used.
- · Do not use any kind of flux.
- Coefficient of thermal expansion matching is critical for long-term reliability.
- · Devices must be stored in a dry nitrogen atmosphere.

Interconnect process assembly notes:

- · Ball bonding is the preferred interconnect technique, except where noted on the assembly diagram.
- Force, time, and ultrasonics are critical bonding parameters.
- Aluminum wire should not be used.
- Devices with small pad sizes should be bonded with 0.0007-inch wire.

Ordering Information

| Part | ECCN | Package Style |
|------------|-------------|----------------|
| TGF2023-20 | 3A001.b.3.b | GaN on SiC Die |

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