

0.5W Single-Bias and Prematched GaAs Power PHEMTs using SMT package

FEATURES

- Prematched for 5~10 GHz
- 0.5W Typical Output Power at 5~10GHz
- 7dB Typical Linear Power Gain at 10GHz
- High Linearity: IP3 = 37 dBm Typical at 5~10GHz
- High Power Added Efficiency: Nominal PAE of 30% at 5~10GHz
- Breakdown Voltage: BV_{DGO} ≥ 15V
- Wg = 1.2 mm
- 100 % DC Tested
- Suitable for High Reliability Application
- Lost Cost SMT Ceramic Package

PHOTO ENLARGEMENT



DESCRIPTION

The TC3943 is a Single-bias and prematched GaAs PHEMT. It is designed for use in low cost, high volume, and 5~10 GHz 0.5W amplifiers. It provides a typical gain of 7dB and P1dB of 27dBm at 10GHz. The single positive drain bias is 8V and the typical drain-source current is 150mA. The device is packaged in copper based ceramic 10 pins SMT packages. The copper based carrier of the package allows direct soldering of the device to the PCB.

ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS ($T_A=25^{\circ}$ C)

Symbol	CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
P _{1dB}	Output Power at 1dB Gain Compression Point, $f = 10$ GHz $V_{DS} = 8$ V	26	27		dBm
G_{L}	Linear Power Gain, $f = 10$ GHz $V_{DS} = 8V$	6	7		dB
IP3	Intercept Point of the 3^{rd} -order Intermodulation, $f = 10$ GHz $V_{DS} = 8V$, $*P_{SCL} = 14$ dBm		37		dBm
PAE	Power Added Efficiency at 1dB Compression Power, $f = 10$ GHz		30		%
I_{DS}	Drain-Source Current at V _{DS} = 8V		150		mA
BV_{DGO}	Drain-Gate Breakdown Voltage at I _{DGO} = 0.6mA	15	18		Volts

Note: *P_{SCL}: Output Power of Single Carrier Level.

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ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS (T_A=25 °C)

Symbol	Parameter	Rating	
V _{DS}	Drain-Source Voltage	10V	
P_{in}	RF Input Power, CW	26 dBm	
P_{T}	Continuous Dissipation	1.9 W	
T_{CH}	Channel Temperature	175 °C	
T_{STG}	Storage Temperature	- 65 °C to +175 °C	

RECOMMANDED OPERATING CONDITION

Symbol	Parameter	Rating	
$V_{ m DS}$	Drain to Source Voltage	8V	

HANDLING PRECAUTIONS:

The user must operate in a clean, dry environment. Electrostatic Discharge (ESD) precautions should be observed at all stages of storage, handling, assembly, and testing. The static discharge must be less than 300V.

EVALUATION BOARD

PCB Material: RO4003

ER = 3.38

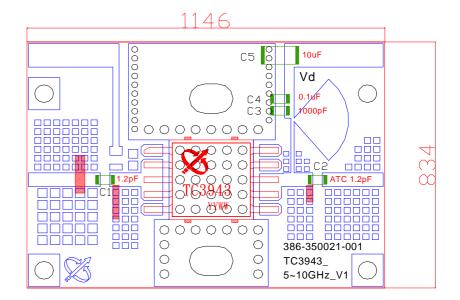
Thickness = 20 mil

Unit: mil

* DXF file of the PCB can be downloaded from our web-site at www.transcominc.com.tw

* Application Notes:

For better heat sinking and grounding, it's recommended to have the via holes beneath TC3943 filled with solder and have two screws besides TC3943 installed on the PCB area.



Evaluation Board Parts List

Part Type	Qt'y	Reference Designator	Description	Manufacturer	Part Number
Capacitor	1	C1	(0603) 1.2pF±5%	Murata	GRM39COG1R2C50V
Capacitor	1	C2	(0805) 1.2pF±0.1pF	ATC	ATC 600F 1R2BT (1.2pF±0.1pF 250WVDC)
Capacitor	1	C3	(0603) 1000pF±10%	Murata	GRM39X7R102K50V
Capacitor	1	C4	(0603) 0.1µF±20%	Murata	GRM39Y5V104Z25V
Capacitor	1	C5	(0603) 10μF±20%	Murata	GRM42-6Y5V106Z25V (GRM31CF5E106ZA01L)

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