

**3.7~4.2GHz BAND 16W INTERNALLY MATCHED GaAs FET****DESCRIPTION**

The MGFC42V3742 is an internally impedance-matched GaAs power FET especially designed for use in 3.7 ~ 4.2 GHz band amplifiers. The hermetically sealed metal-ceramic package guarantees high reliability.

**FEATURES**

- Class A operation
- Internally matched to  $50\Omega$  system
- High output power  
 $P_{1dB} = 18W$  (TYP) @ 3.7 ~ 4.2 GHz
- High power gain  
 $G_{LP} = 10$  dB (TYP) @ 3.7 ~ 4.2 GHz
- High power added efficiency  
 $\eta_{add} = 32\%$  (TYP) @ 3.7 ~ 4.2 GHz,  $P_{1dB}$
- Hermetically sealed metal-ceramic package
- Low distortion [Item: -51]  
 $IM_3 = -45$  dBc (TYP) @  $P_o = 31$  (dBm) S.C.L.

**APPLICATION**

Item-01: 3.7~4.2 GHz band power amplifiers.

Item-51: Digital radio communication.

**QUALITY GRADE**

- IG

**ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS** ( $T_a = 25^\circ C$ )

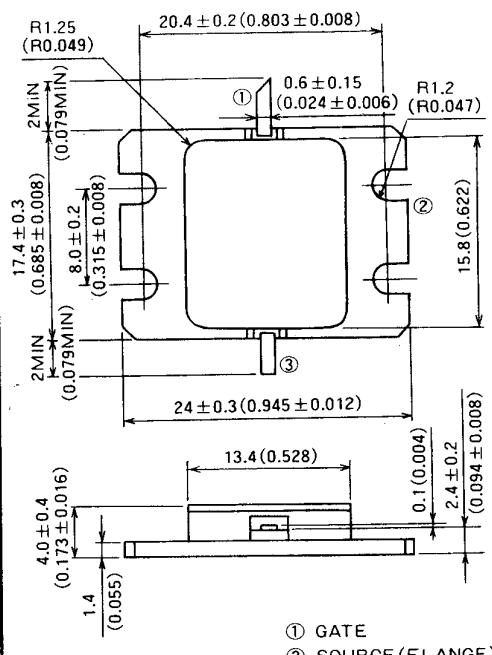
Symbol	Parameter	Ratings	Unit
$V_{GDO}$	Gate to drain voltage	-15	V
$V_{GS0}$	Gate to source voltage	-15	V
$I_D$	Drain current	12	A
$I_{GR}$	Reverse gate current	-40	mA
$I_{GF}$	Forward gate current	+84	mA
$P_T$	Total power dissipation *1	78.9	W
$T_{ch}$	Channel temperature	175	$^\circ C$
$T_{stg}$	Storage temperature	-65 ~ +175	$^\circ C$

\*1:  $T_c = 25^\circ C$

**ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS** ( $T_a = 25^\circ C$ )

Symbol	Parameter	Test conditions	Limits			Unit
			Min	Typ	Max	
$i_{oss}$	Saturated drain current	$V_{DS} = 3V, V_{GS} = 0V$	—	9	12	A
$g_m$	Transconductance	$V_{DS} = 3V, I_D = 4.4A$	—	4	—	S
$V_{GS(off)}$	Gate to source cut-off voltage	$V_{DS} = 3V, I_D = 80mA$	-2	-3	-4	V
$P_{1dB}$	Output power at 1dB gain compression	$V_{DS} = 10V, I_D = 4.5A, f = 3.7 \sim 4.2GHz$	41.5	42.5	—	dBm
$G_{LP}$	Linear power gain		9	10	—	dB
$I_D$	Drain current		—	5.4	—	A
$\eta_{add}$	Power added efficiency		—	32	—	%
$IM_3$	3rd order IM distortion *1		-42	-45	—	dBc
$R_{th(ch-c)}$	Thermal resistance *2	$\Delta V_f$ method	—	—	1.9	$^\circ C/W$

\*1: Item-51, 2-tone test  $P_o = 31$  dBm Single Carrier Level  $f = 4.2GHz \Delta f = 10MHz$ , \*2: Channel to case

**OUTLINE DRAWING** Unit: millimeters (inches)

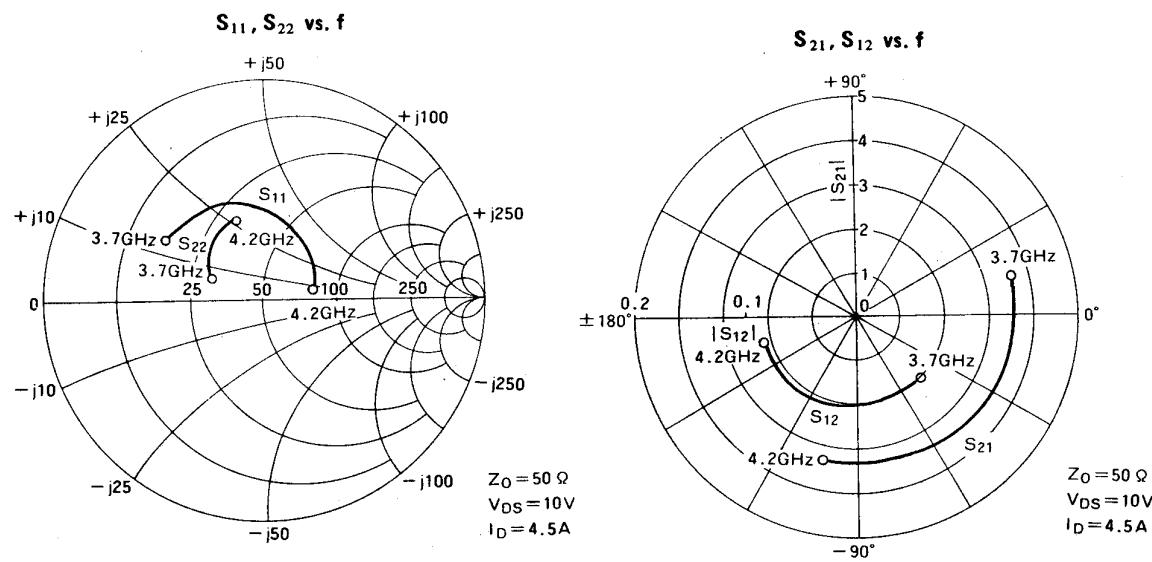
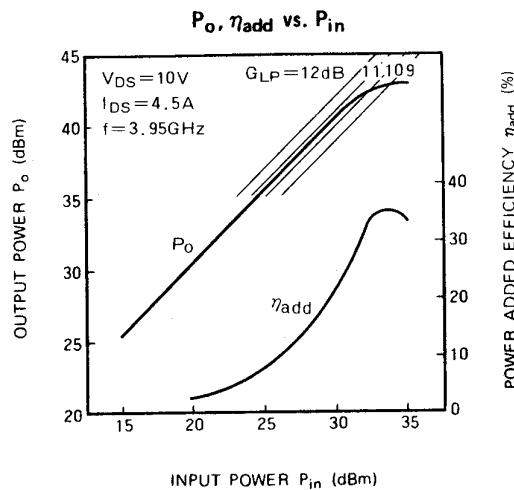
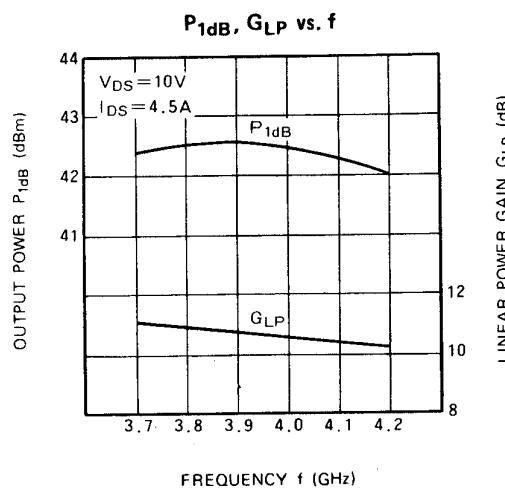
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**RECOMMENDED BIAS CONDITIONS**

- $V_{DS} = 10V$
- $I_D = 4.5A$
- $R_g = 25\Omega$
- Refer to Bias Procedure

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**TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS** ( $T_a = 25^\circ\text{C}$ )



**S PARAMETERS** ( $T_a = 25^\circ\text{C}$ ,  $V_{DS} = 10V$ ,  $I_{DS} = 4.5A$ )

f (GHz)	S Parameters (TYP.)							
	$S_{11}$		$S_{21}$		$S_{12}$		$S_{22}$	
	Magn.	Angle (deg.)	Magn.	Angle (deg.)	Magn.	Angle (deg.)	Magn.	Angle (deg.)
3.7	0.51	149	3.65	13	0.080	48	0.26	159
3.8	0.49	129	3.55	-9	0.080	72	0.32	148
3.9	0.47	110	3.50	-34	0.083	97	0.34	138
4.0	0.41	90	3.48	-54	0.086	117	0.37	129
4.1	0.33	54	3.39	-77	0.084	139	0.38	119
4.2	0.24	11	3.31	-103	0.086	163	0.38	108