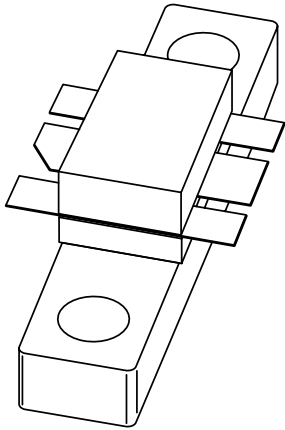


DATA SHEET



BLV59 UHF linear power transistor

Product specification
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FEATURES

- Internal input matching to achieve an optimum wideband capability and high power gain
- Emitter-ballasting resistors for lower junction temperatures
- Titanium-platinum-gold metallization ensures long life and excellent reliability.

APPLICATIONS

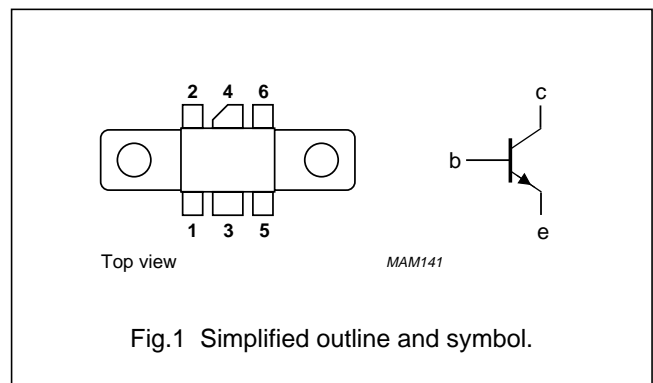
- UHF linear amplifiers in television transmitters.

DESCRIPTION

NPN silicon planar epitaxial power transistor encapsulated in a 6-lead SOT171A flange package with a ceramic cap. All leads are isolated from the flange.

PINNING - SOT171A

PIN	SYMBOL	DESCRIPTION
1	e	emitter
2	e	emitter
3	b	base
4	c	collector
5	e	emitter
6	e	emitter



QUICK REFERENCE DATA

RF performance at $T_h = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ in a common emitter class-AB circuit.

MODE OF OPERATION	f (MHz)	V_{CE} (V)	P_L (W)	G_p (dB)	η_c (%)
CW, class-AB	860	25	30	>7	>50

WARNING

Product and environmental safety - toxic materials

This product contains beryllium oxide. The product is entirely safe provided that the BeO disc is not damaged. All persons who handle, use or dispose of this product should be aware of its nature and of the necessary safety precautions. After use, dispose of as chemical or special waste according to the regulations applying at the location of the user. It must never be thrown out with the general or domestic waste.

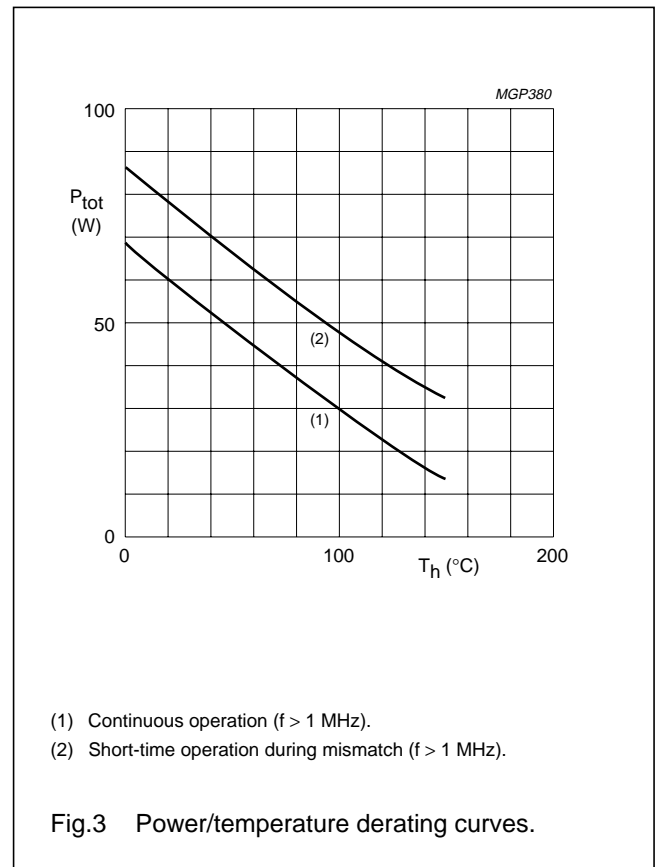
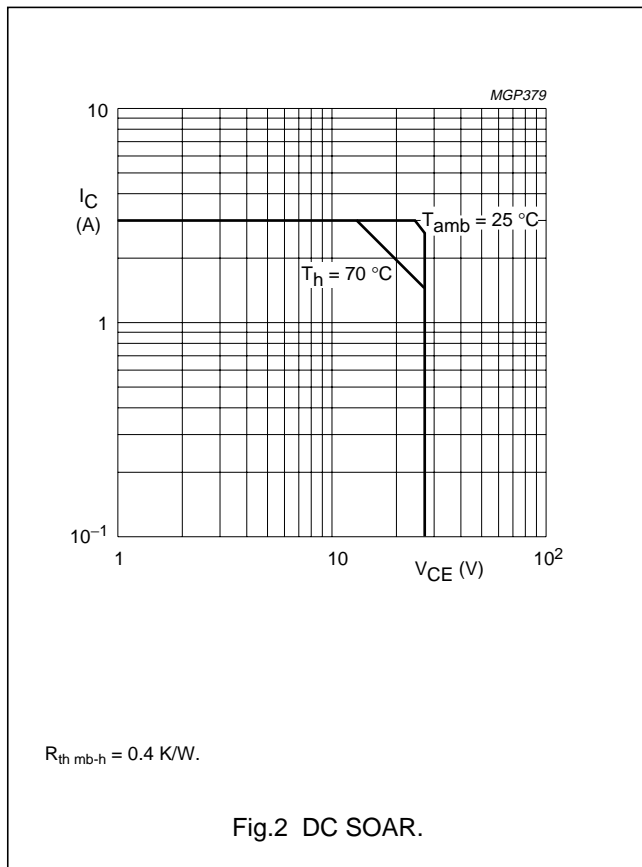
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LIMITING VALUES

In accordance with the Absolute Maximum Rating System (IEC 134).

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN.	MAX.	UNIT
V_{CBO}	collector-base voltage	open emitter	–	50	V
V_{CEO}	collector-emitter voltage	open base	–	27	V
V_{EBO}	emitter-base voltage	open collector	–	3.5	V
I_C	collector current (DC)		–	3	A
$I_{C(AV)}$	average collector current		–	3	A
I_{CM}	peak collector current	$f > 1$ MHz	–	9	A
P_{tot}	total power dissipation	$T_{mb} = 25\text{ °C}; f > 1$ MHz	–	70	W
T_{stg}	storage temperature		–65	+150	°C
T_j	operating junction temperature		–	200	°C



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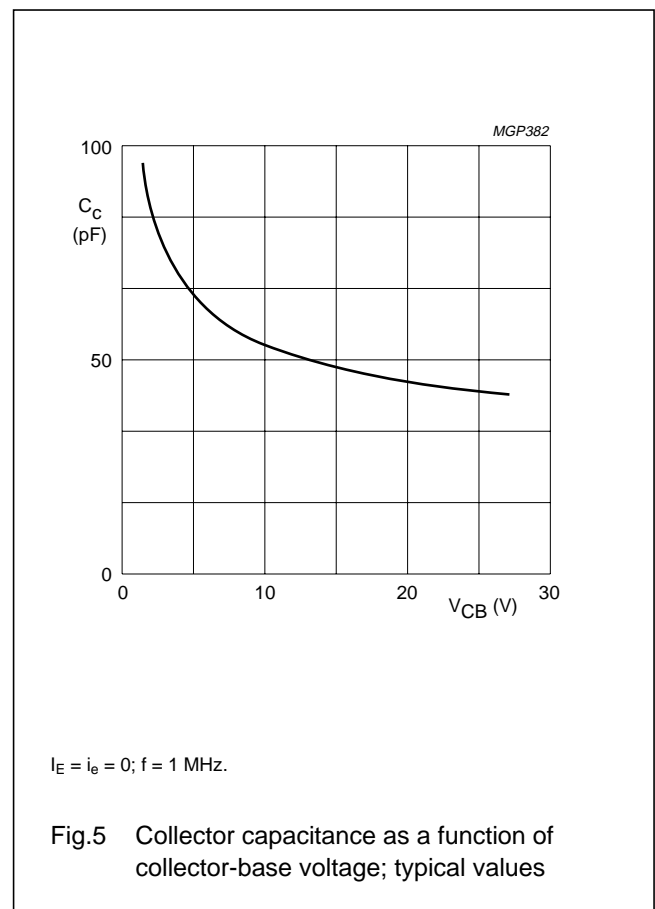
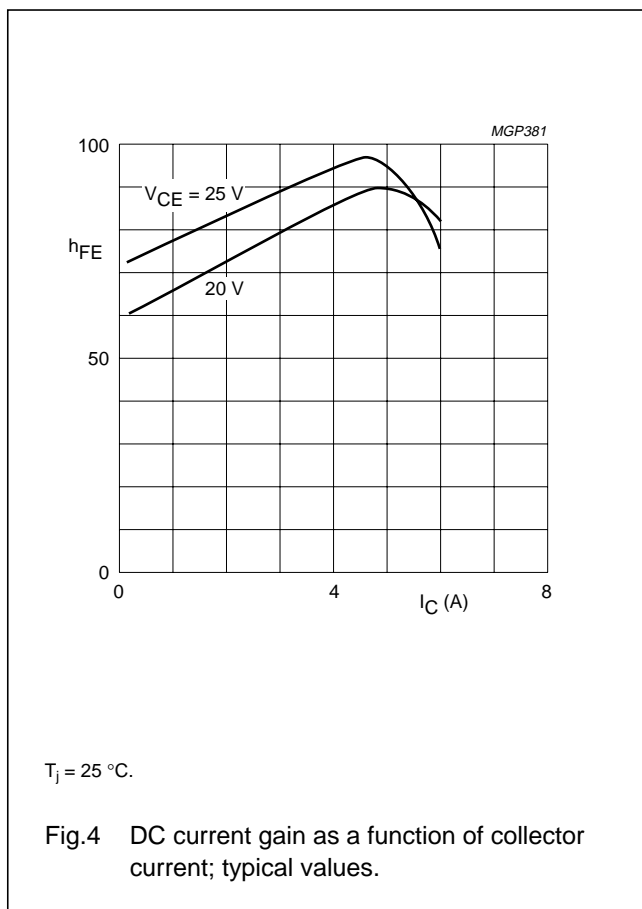
THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	VALUE	UNIT
$R_{th\ j-mb}$	thermal resistance from junction to mounting base	$T_{mb} = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$, $P_{tot} = 50\text{ W}$	2.3	K/W
$R_{th\ mb-h}$	thermal resistance from mounting base to heatsink		0.4	K/W

CHARACTERISTICS

$T_j = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ unless otherwise specified.

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	UNIT
$V_{(BR)CBO}$	collector-base breakdown voltage	open emitter; $I_C = 50\text{ mA}$	50	–	–	V
$V_{(BR)CEO}$	collector-emitter breakdown voltage	open base; $I_C = 100\text{ mA}$	27	–	–	V
$V_{(BR)EBO}$	emitter-base breakdown voltage	open collector; $I_E = 10\text{ mA}$	3.5	–	–	V
I_{CES}	collector leakage current	$V_{CE} = 27\text{ V}$; $V_{BE} = 0$	–	–	10	mA
$E_{(SBR)}$	second breakdown energy	$L = 25\text{ mH}$; $f = 50\text{ Hz}$; $R_{BE} = 10\ \Omega$	4	–	–	mJ
h_{FE}	DC current gain	$V_{CE} = 24\text{ V}$; $I_C = 2\text{ A}$	15	–	–	
C_c	collector capacitance	$V_{CB} = 25\text{ V}$; $I_E = i_e = 0$; $f = 1\text{ MHz}$	–	44	–	pF
C_{re}	feedback capacitance	$V_{CE} = 25\text{ V}$; $I_C = 0$; $f = 1\text{ MHz}$	–	30	–	pF
C_{cf}	collector-flange capacitance		–	2	–	pF



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APPLICATION INFORMATION

RF performance up to $T_h = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ in a common emitter class-AB circuit; $R_{th\text{ mb-h}} = 0.4\text{ K/W}$.

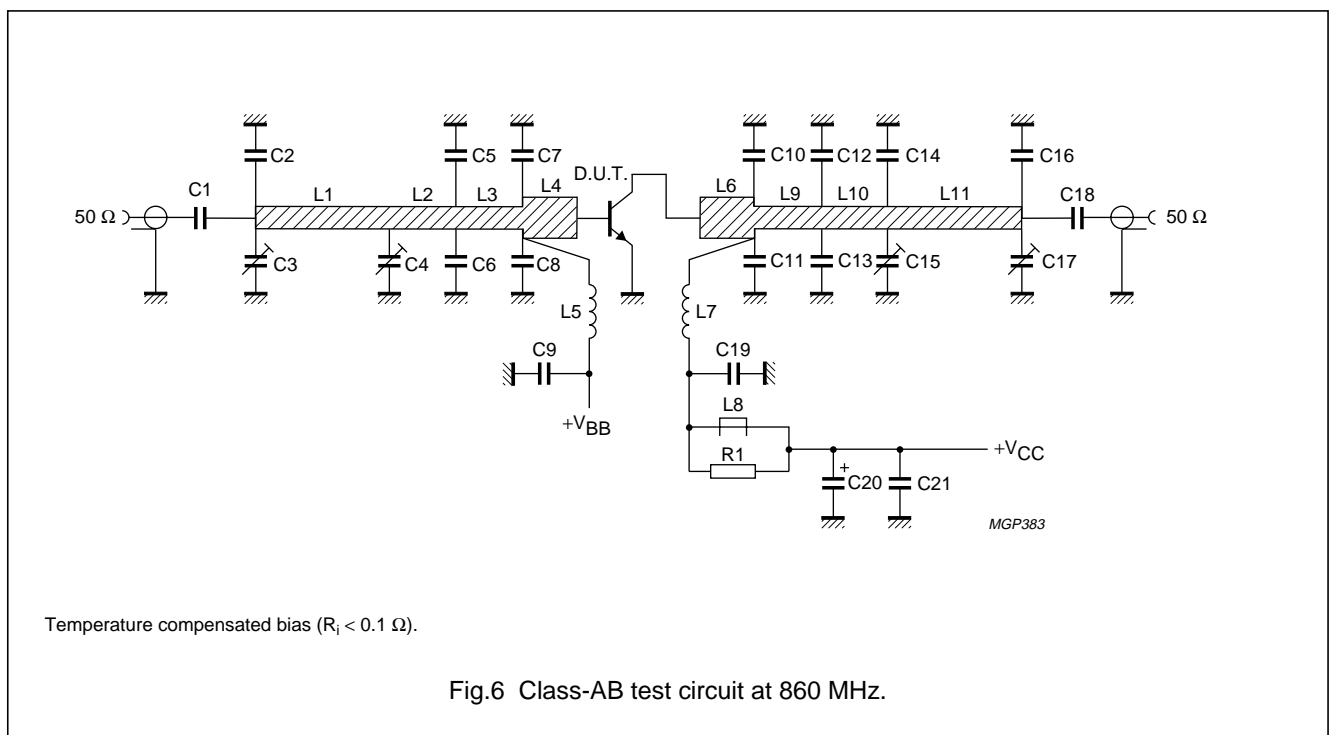
MODE OF OPERATION	f (MHz)	V _{CE} (V)	I _{C(zs)} (mA)	G _p (dB)	P _L (W)	η _c (%)	ΔG _p (dB) ⁽¹⁾
CW, class-AB	860	25	60	>7 typ. 8.5	30	>50 typ. 55	<1 typ. 0.2

Note

- Assuming a 3rd order amplitude transfer characteristic, 1 dB gain compression corresponds with 30% sync input/25% sync output compression in television service (negative modulation, C.C.I.R. system).

Ruggedness in class-AB operation

The BLV59 is capable of withstanding a load mismatch corresponding to VSWR = 10 through all phases at rated load power under the following conditions: V_{CE} = 25 V; f = 860 MHz; T_h = 25 °C; R_{th mb-h} = 0.4 K/W; I_{C(zs)} = 60 mA.



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List of components (see Figs 6 and 7).

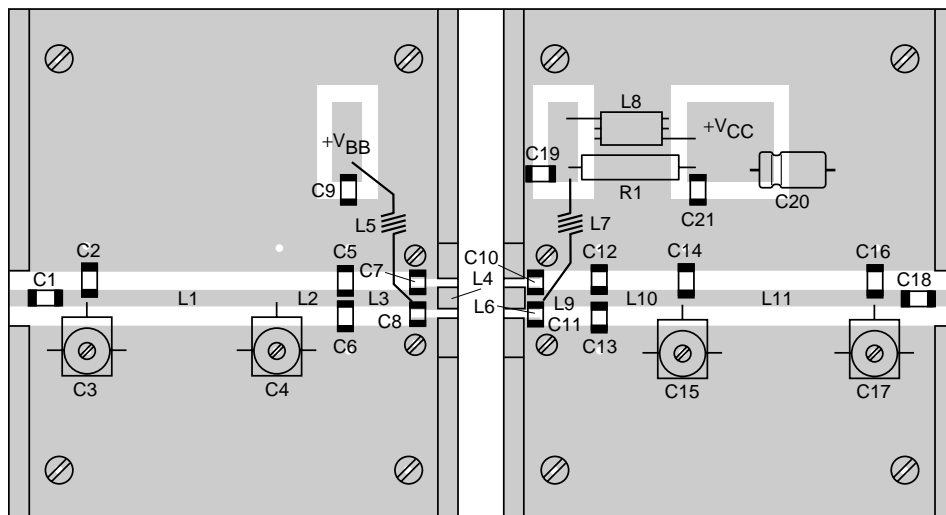
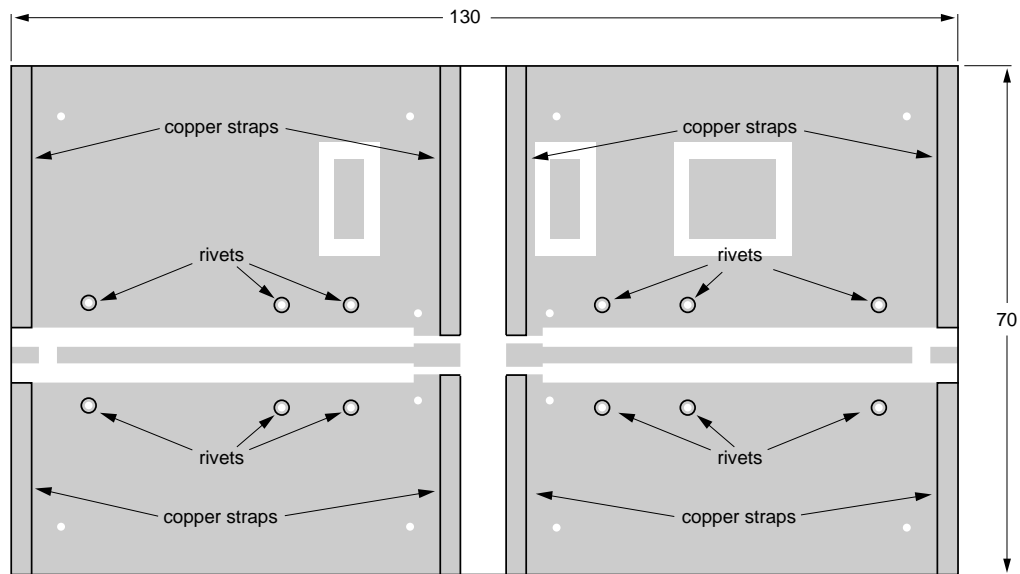
COMPONENT	DESCRIPTION	VALUE	DIMENSIONS	CATALOGUE No.
C1, C18	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor; note 1	33 pF		
C2, C14, C16	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor; note 1	3.6 pF		
C3, C4, C15, C17	film dielectric trimmer	1.4 to 5.5 pF		2222 809 09001
C5, C6	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor; note 1	1.8 pF		
C7, C8	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	6.2 pF		
C9, C21	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor; note 1	330 pF		
C10, C11	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor; note 2	5.6 pF		
C12	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor; note 1	5.6 pF		
C13	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor; note 1	6.2 pF		
C19	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor; note 1	10 pF		
C20	electrolytic capacitor	6.8 μ F; 63 V		
L1, L11	stripline; note 3	50 Ω	26 mm \times 2.4 mm	
L2, L3	stripline; note 3	50 Ω	9.5 mm \times 2.4 mm	
L4	stripline; note 3	42.6 Ω	6 mm \times 3 mm	
L5	4 turns of closely wound 0.4 mm enamelled copper wire	60 nH	int. diameter 3 mm leads 2 \times 5 mm	
L6	stripline; note 3	42.6 Ω	4 mm \times 3 mm	
L7	4 turns of closely wound 1 mm enamelled Cu wire	45 nH	int. diameter 4 mm leads 2 \times 5 mm	
L8	Ferroxcube HF choke	grade 3B		4312 020 36642
L9	stripline; note 3	50 Ω	9 mm \times 2.4 mm	
L10	stripline; note 3	50 Ω	13.5 mm \times 2.4 mm	
R1	metal film resistor	10 Ω \pm 5%; 1 W		

Notes

- American Technical Ceramics (ATC) capacitor, type 100B or other capacitor of the same quality.
- American Technical Ceramics (ATC) capacitor, type 100A or other capacitor of the same quality.
- The striplines are on a double copper-clad printed-circuit board with PTFE fibre-glass dielectric ($\epsilon_r = 2.2$); thickness $\frac{1}{32}$ ".

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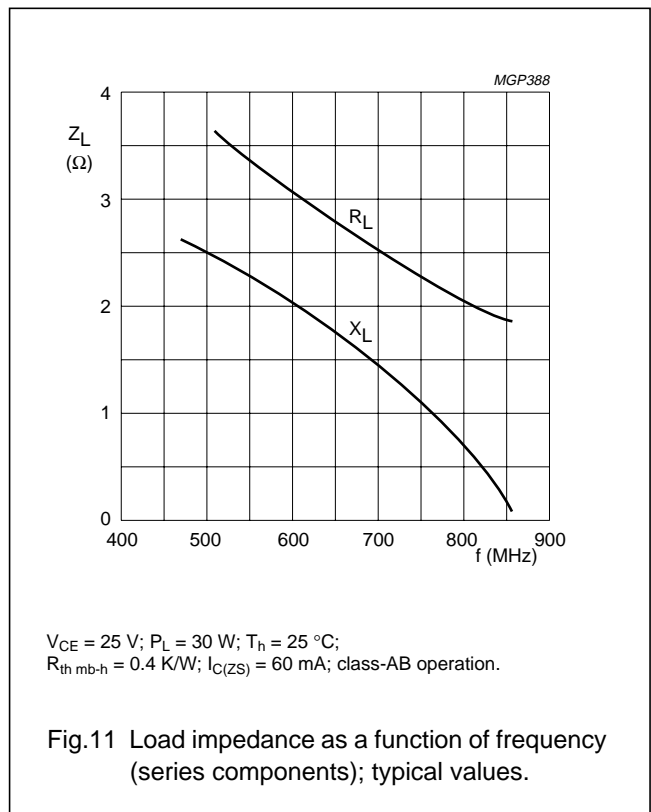
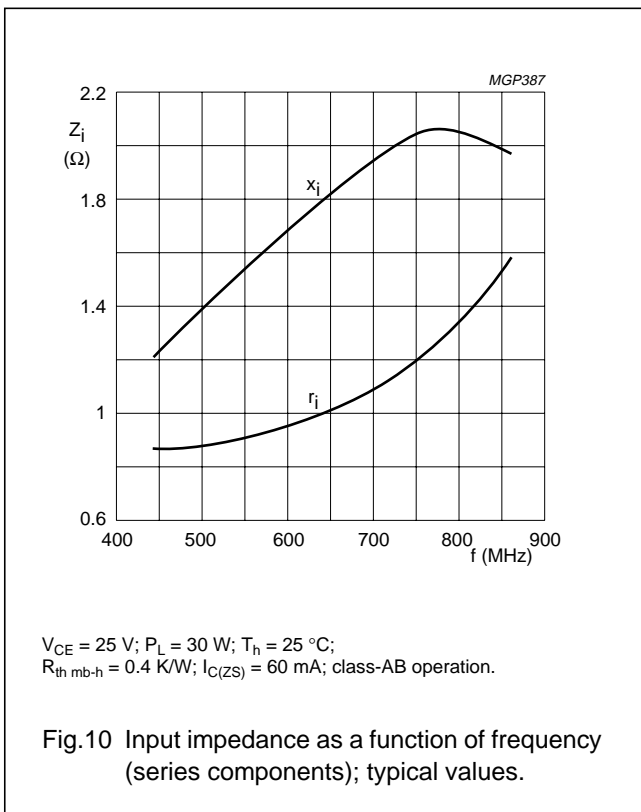
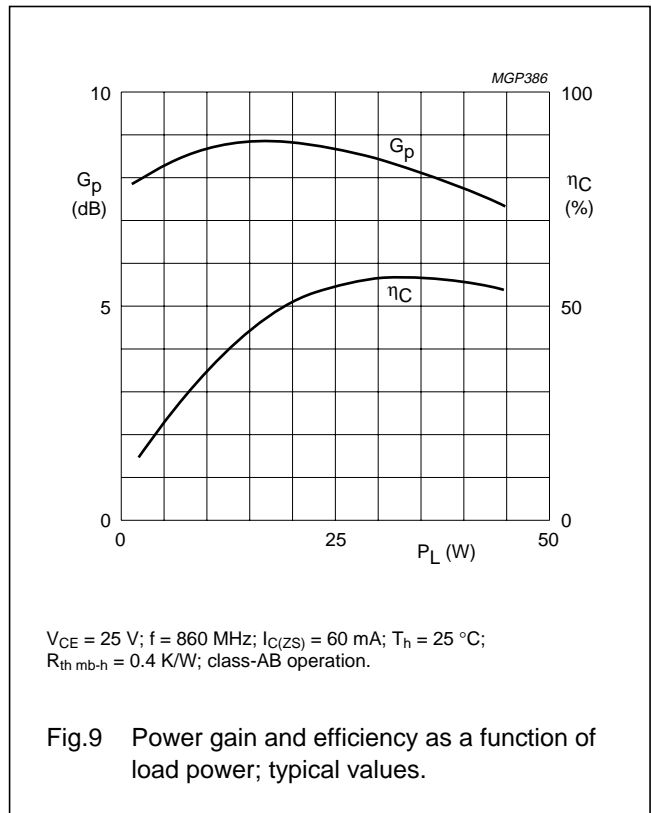
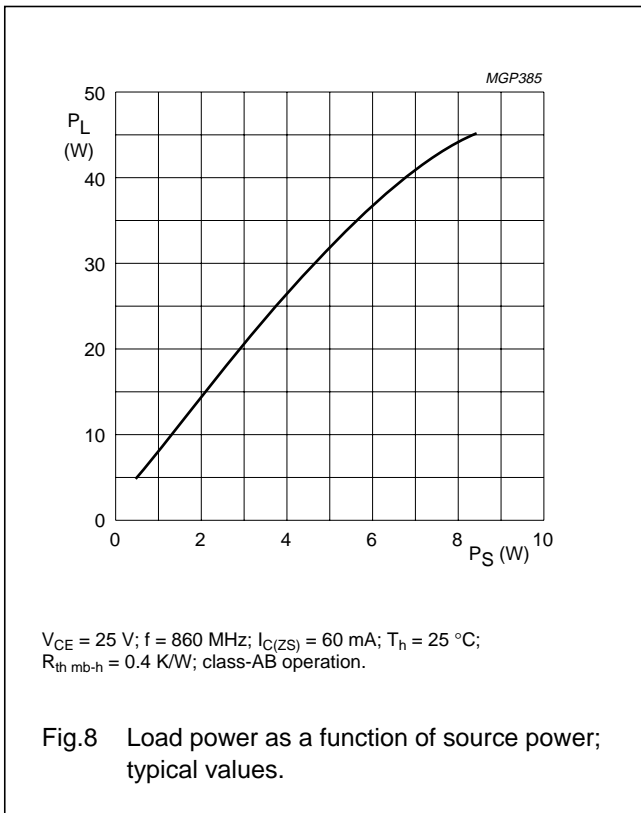
Dimensions in mm.

The components are situated on one side of the copper-clad PTFE-glass board, the other side is unetched and serves as a ground plane. Earth connections are made by fixing screws, hollow rivets and copper straps around the board and under the bases to provide a direct contact between the copper on the component side and the ground plane.

Fig.7 Printed-circuit board and component layout for 860 MHz class-AB test circuit.

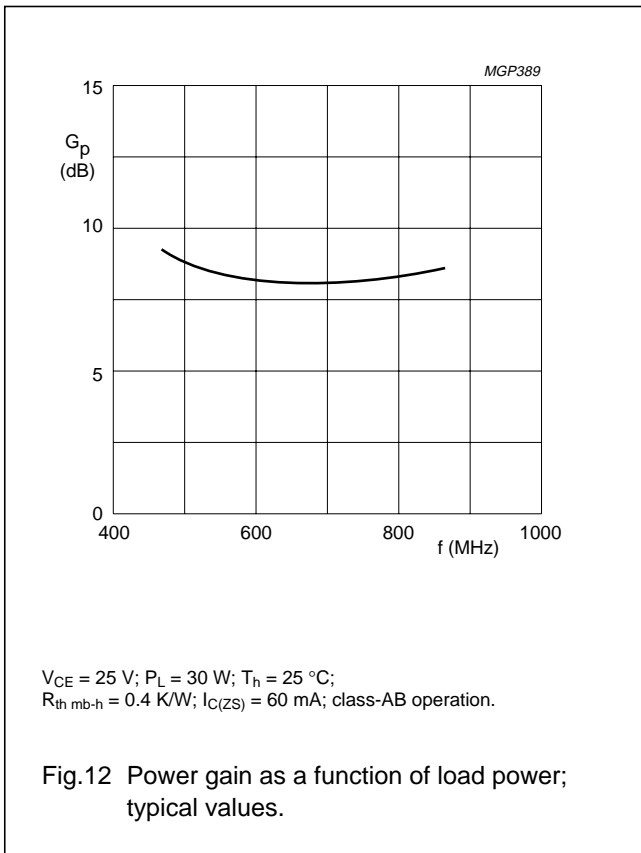
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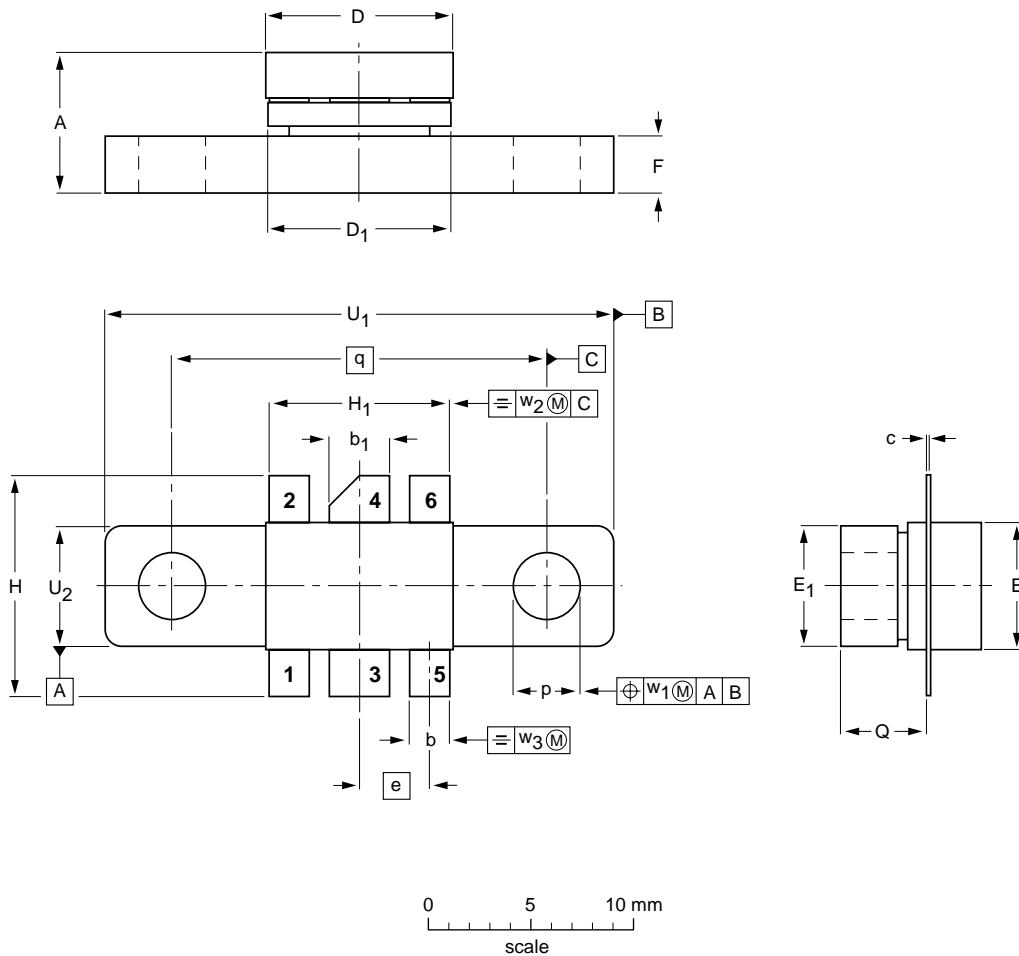
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PACKAGE OUTLINE

Flanged ceramic package; 2 mounting holes; 6 leads

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DIMENSIONS (millimetre dimensions are derived from the original inch dimensions)

UNIT	A	b	b ₁	c	D	D ₁	E	E ₁	e	F	H	H ₁	p	Q	q	U ₁	U ₂	w ₁	w ₂	w ₃
mm	6.81 6.07	2.15 1.85	3.20 2.89	0.16 0.07	9.25 9.04	9.30 8.99	5.95 5.74	6.00 5.70	3.58	3.05 2.54	11.31 10.54	9.27 9.01	3.43 3.17	4.32 4.11	18.42	24.90 24.63	6.00 5.70	0.51	1.02	0.26
inches	0.268 0.239	0.085 0.073	0.126 0.114	0.006 0.003	0.364 0.356	0.366 0.354	0.234 0.226	0.236 0.224	0.140	0.120 0.100	0.445 0.415	0.365 0.355	0.135 0.125	0.170 0.162	0.725	0.980 0.970	0.236 0.224	0.02	0.04	0.01

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