

ART500PE1 & ART500PE2

Power LDMOS transistor

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Product data sheet

1. Product profile

1.1 General description

Based on Advanced Rugged Technology (ART), this 500 W LDMOS RF transistor has been designed to cover a wide range of applications for ISM, broadcast and communications. The unmatched transistor has a frequency range of 1 MHz to 250 MHz.

Table 1. Application information

Test signal	f	V _{DS}	P _L	G _p	η _D
	(MHz)	(V)	(W)	(dB)	(%)
CW	13.56	50	320	30	78
CW	13.56	65	500	28	75
CW	27	50	330	28	80
CW	27	65	500	28.5	76
CW	41	50	330	27	80
CW	41	65	500	27.5	76
CW	50	50	320	27	73
CW	50	65	500	26	70
CW	81	50	325	26	81
CW	81	65	500	26.5	77

1.2 Features and benefits

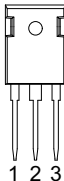
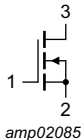
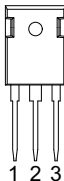
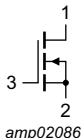
- Mirrored pin-out versions for easy flexible usage in a push-pull configuration
- High breakdown voltage enables class E operation up to V_{DS} = 53 V
- Qualified up to a maximum of V_{DS} = 65 V
- Characterized from 30 V to 65 V to support a wide range of applications
- Integrated dual sided ESD protection enables class C operation and complete switch-off of the transistor
- Excellent ruggedness with no device degradation
- High efficiency
- Excellent thermal stability
- Designed for broadband operation
- For RoHS compliance see the product details on the Ampleon website

1.3 Applications

- Industrial, scientific and medical applications
 - ◆ Plasma generators
 - ◆ MRI systems
 - ◆ Particle accelerators
 - ◆ Defrosting
 - ◆ Industrial heating
- Broadcast
 - ◆ FM radio
 - ◆ VHF TV
- Non cellular communications
- Switch mode power supplies

2. Pinning information

Table 2. Pinning

Pin	Description		Simplified outline	Graphic symbol
ART500PE1				
1	gate			 amp02085
2	source	[1]		
3	drain			
ART500PE2				
1	drain			 amp02086
2	source	[1]		
3	gate			

[1] Also connected to the exposed backside of the package.

3. Ordering information

Table 3. Ordering information

Package name	Orderable part number	12NC	Packing description	Min. orderable quantity (pieces)
TO-247-3F-1	ART500PE1QZ	9349 6112 0125	10Tube; 300-fold; dry pack	300
TO-247-3F-1	ART500PE2QZ	9349 6112 4125	10Tube; 300-fold; dry pack	300

4. Limiting values

Table 4. Limiting values

In accordance with the Absolute Maximum Rating System (IEC 60134).

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Max	Unit
V_{DS}	drain-source voltage	[1]	-	200	V
V_{GS}	gate-source voltage		-9	+13	V
T_{stg}	storage temperature		-65	+150	°C
T_j	junction temperature	[2]	-	225	°C

[1] Specified over lifetime at maximum operating temperature.

[2] Continuous use at maximum temperature will affect the reliability.

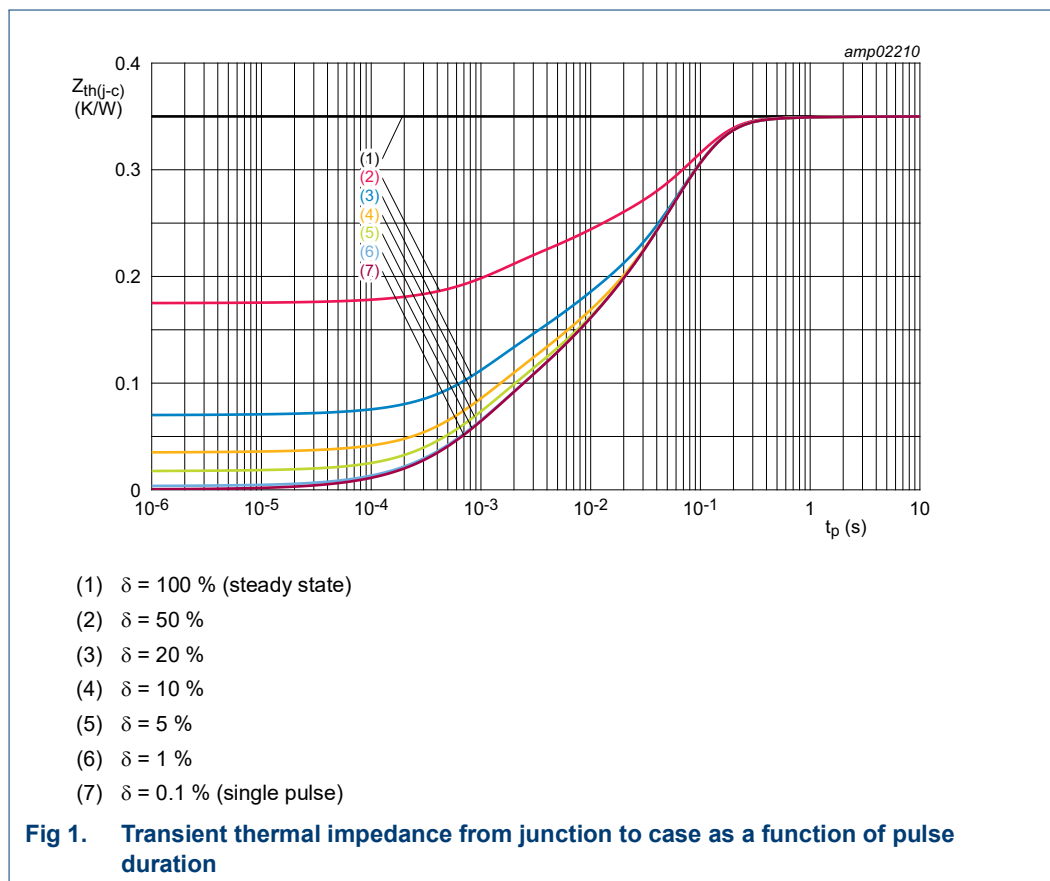
5. Thermal characteristics

Table 5. Thermal characteristics

According to standard MIL-STD-883E.

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Typ	Unit
$R_{th(j-c)}$	thermal resistance from junction to case	$T_j = 75\text{ °C}$, measured under RF condition	[1] 0.35	K/W

[1] Refer to application note AN221014 on the Ampleon website.



6. Characteristics

Table 6. DC characteristics

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

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
$V_{(BR)DS}$	drain-source breakdown voltage	$V_{GS} = 0\text{ V}$; $I_D = 2.8\text{ mA}$	203	208	-	V
$V_{GS(th)}$	gate-source threshold voltage	$V_{DS} = 20\text{ V}$; $I_D = 307\text{ mA}$	1.6	2.1	2.6	V
I_{DSS}	drain leakage current	$V_{GS} = 0\text{ V}$; $V_{DS} = 65\text{ V}$	-	-	1.4	μA
I_{DSX}	drain cut-off current	$V_{GS} = V_{GS(th)} + 3.75\text{ V}$; $V_{DS} = 20\text{ V}$	-	43.5	-	A
I_{GSS}	gate leakage current	$V_{GS} = 13\text{ V}$; $V_{DS} = 0\text{ V}$	-	-	140	nA
$R_{DS(on)}$	drain-source on-state resistance	$V_{GS} = V_{GS(th)} + 3.75\text{ V}$; $I_D = 10.745\text{ A}$	-	0.176	-	Ω

Table 7. AC characteristics

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

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
C_{rs}	feedback capacitance	$V_{GS} = 0\text{ V}$; $V_{DS} = 50\text{ V}$; $f = 1\text{ MHz}$	-	1.70	-	pF
		$V_{GS} = 0\text{ V}$; $V_{DS} = 65\text{ V}$; $f = 1\text{ MHz}$	-	1.65	-	pF
C_{iss}	input capacitance	$V_{GS} = 0\text{ V}$; $V_{DS} = 50\text{ V}$; $f = 1\text{ MHz}$	-	325	-	pF
		$V_{GS} = 0\text{ V}$; $V_{DS} = 65\text{ V}$; $f = 1\text{ MHz}$	-	325	-	pF
C_{oss}	output capacitance	$V_{GS} = 0\text{ V}$; $V_{DS} = 50\text{ V}$; $f = 1\text{ MHz}$	-	113	-	pF
		$V_{GS} = 0\text{ V}$; $V_{DS} = 65\text{ V}$; $f = 1\text{ MHz}$	-	101	-	pF

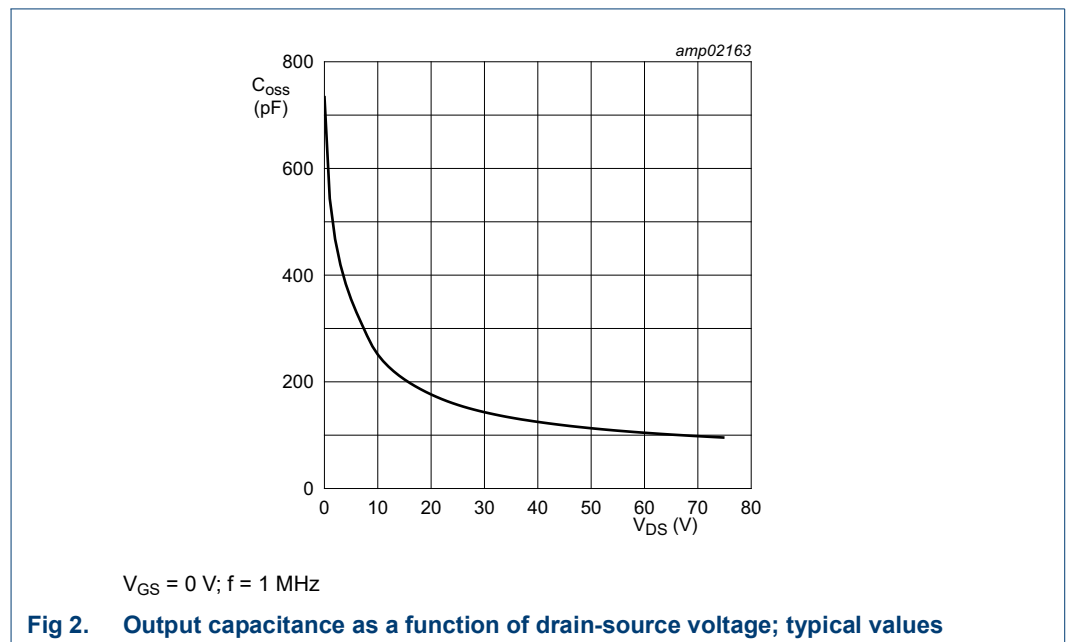


Table 8. RF characteristics

Test signal: CW pulsed; $t_p = 100 \mu s$; $\delta = 10 \%$; $f = 225 \text{ MHz}$; RF performance at $V_{DS} = 65 \text{ V}$; $I_{DQ} = 50 \text{ mA}$; $T_{case} = 25 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$; unless otherwise specified; in a class-AB production test circuit.

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
G_p	power gain	$P_L = 500 \text{ W}$	20.0	21.3	-	dB
RL_{in}	input return loss	$P_L = 500 \text{ W}$	-	-16	-9	dB
η_D	drain efficiency	$P_L = 500 \text{ W}$	67	71	-	%

7. Test information

7.1 Ruggedness in class-AB operation

The ART500PE is capable of withstanding a load mismatch corresponding to $VSWR \geq 65 : 1$ through all phases under the following conditions: $V_{DS} = 65 \text{ V}$; $I_{DQ} = 50 \text{ mA}$; $P_L = 500 \text{ W}$ pulsed; $t_p = 100 \mu s$; $\delta = 10 \%$; $f = 225 \text{ MHz}$.

7.2 Impedance information

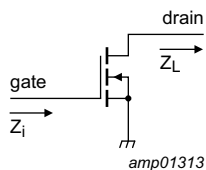


Fig 3. Definition of transistor impedance

Table 9. Typical impedance

Simulated Z_i and Z_L device impedance; impedance info at $V_{DS} = 65 \text{ V}$ and $P_L = 500 \text{ W}$.

f	Z_i	Z_L
(MHz)	(Ω)	(Ω)
225	$1.2 + 2.0 j$	$2.5 - 0.9 j$

7.3 Test circuit

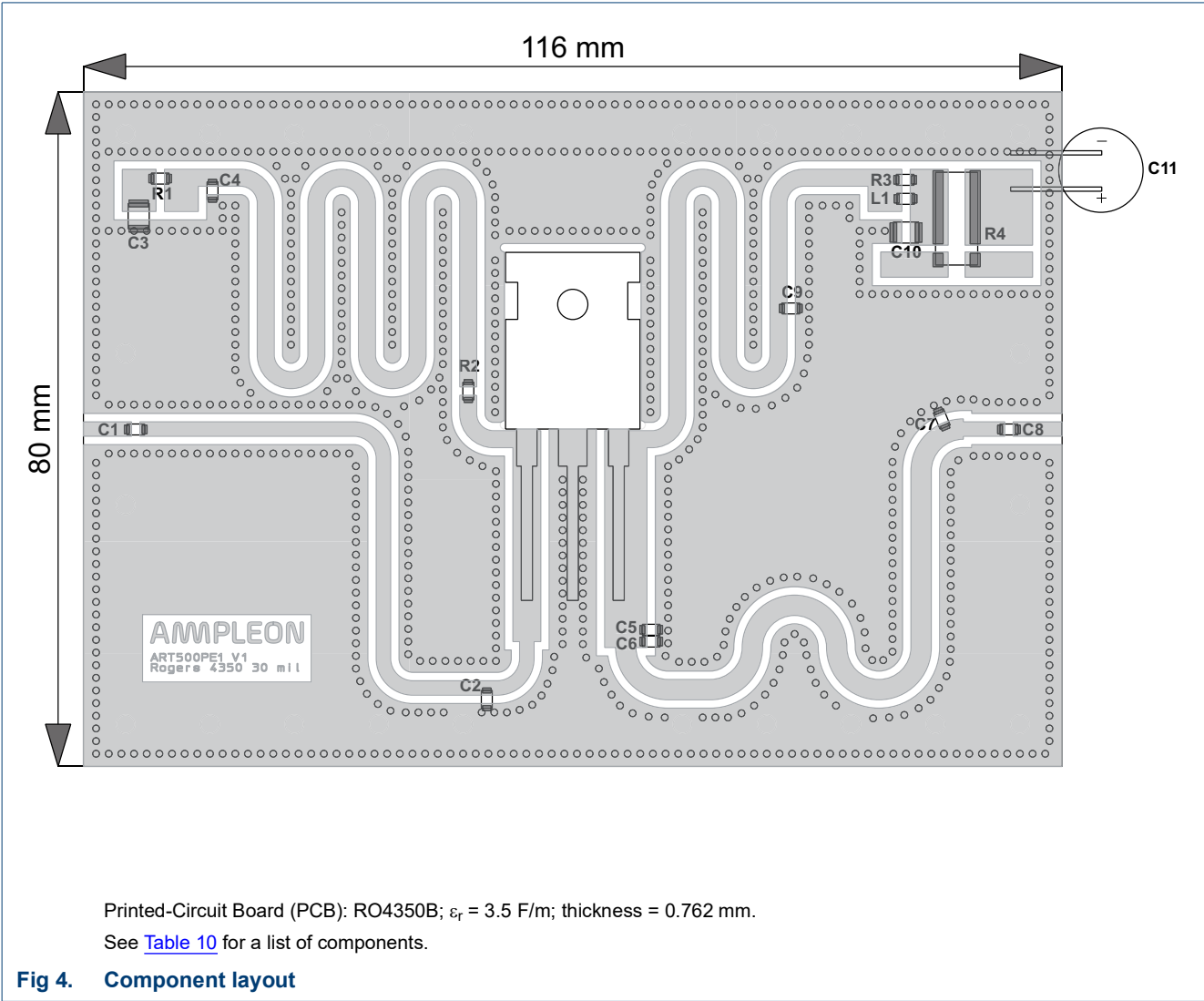


Table 10. List of components

For test circuit see [Figure 4](#).

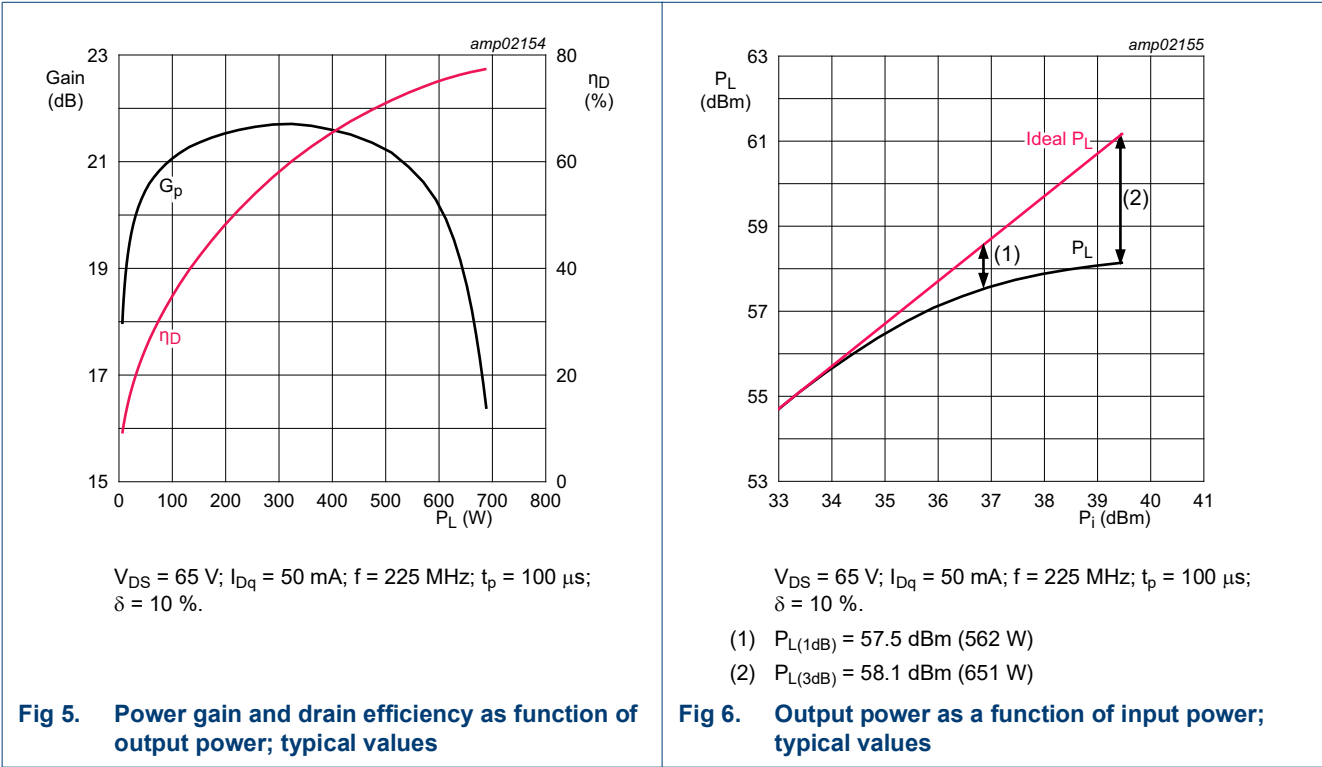
Component	Description	Value	Remarks
C1, C4, C8, C9	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	470 pF [1]	
C2	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	56 pF [1]	
C5	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	82 pF [1]	
C6	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	4.7 pF [1]	
C7	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	12 pF [1]	
C3, C10	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	4.7 μ F	100 V
C11	electrolytic capacitor	1000 μ F	100 V
R1	chip resistor	8.2 Ω	SMD 1206
R2	chip resistor	5.1 Ω	SMD 1206

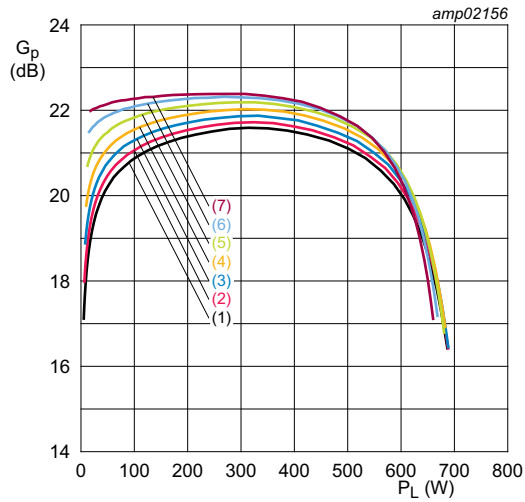
Table 10. List of components ...continued
For test circuit see Figure 4.

Component	Description	Value	Remarks
R3	chip resistor	6.8 Ω	SMD 1206
R4	shunt resistor	0.01 Ω	
L1	inductor	47 nH	Coilcraft 1812SMS-47NJLC

[1] American Technical Ceramics type 800B or capacitor of same quality

7.4 Graphical data

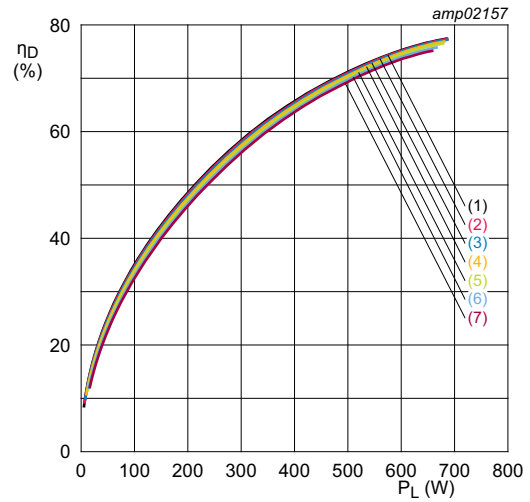




$V_{DS} = 65 \text{ V}$; $f = 225 \text{ MHz}$; $t_p = 100 \text{ } \mu\text{s}$; $\delta = 10 \text{ } \%$.

- (1) $I_{Dq} = 25 \text{ mA}$
- (2) $I_{Dq} = 50 \text{ mA}$
- (3) $I_{Dq} = 100 \text{ mA}$
- (4) $I_{Dq} = 200 \text{ mA}$
- (5) $I_{Dq} = 400 \text{ mA}$
- (6) $I_{Dq} = 700 \text{ mA}$
- (7) $I_{Dq} = 1000 \text{ mA}$

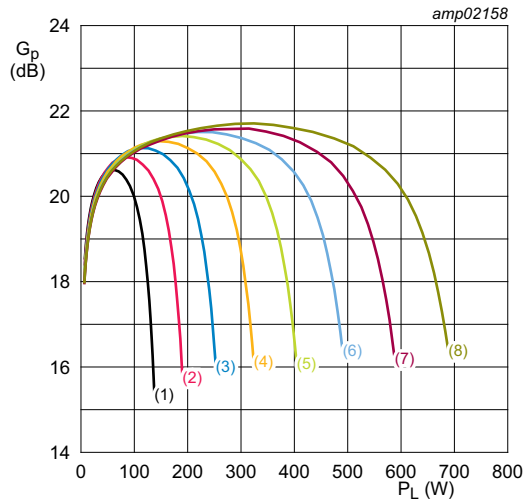
Fig 7. Power gain as a function of output power; typical values



$V_{DS} = 65 \text{ V}$; $f = 225 \text{ MHz}$; $t_p = 100 \text{ } \mu\text{s}$; $\delta = 10 \text{ } \%$.

- (1) $I_{Dq} = 25 \text{ mA}$
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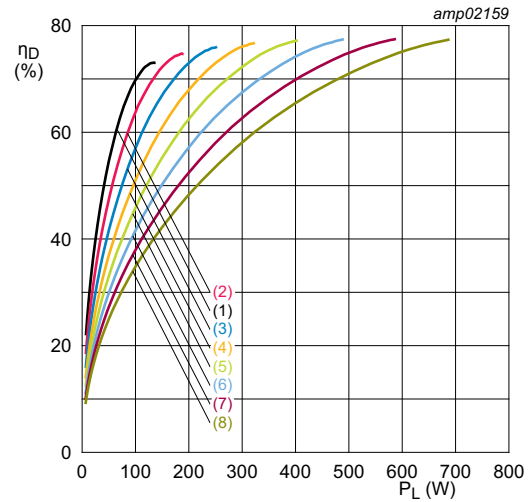
Fig 8. Drain efficiency as a function of output power; typical values



$I_{DQ} = 50 \text{ mA}$; $f = 225 \text{ MHz}$; $t_p = 100 \text{ }\mu\text{s}$; $\delta = 10 \text{ }\%$.

- (1) $V_{DS} = 30 \text{ V}$
- (2) $V_{DS} = 35 \text{ V}$
- (3) $V_{DS} = 40 \text{ V}$
- (4) $V_{DS} = 45 \text{ V}$
- (5) $V_{DS} = 50 \text{ V}$
- (6) $V_{DS} = 55 \text{ V}$
- (7) $V_{DS} = 60 \text{ V}$
- (8) $V_{DS} = 65 \text{ V}$

Fig 9. Power gain as a function of output power; typical values



$I_{DQ} = 50 \text{ mA}$; $f = 225 \text{ MHz}$; $t_p = 100 \text{ }\mu\text{s}$; $\delta = 10 \text{ }\%$.

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8. Package outline

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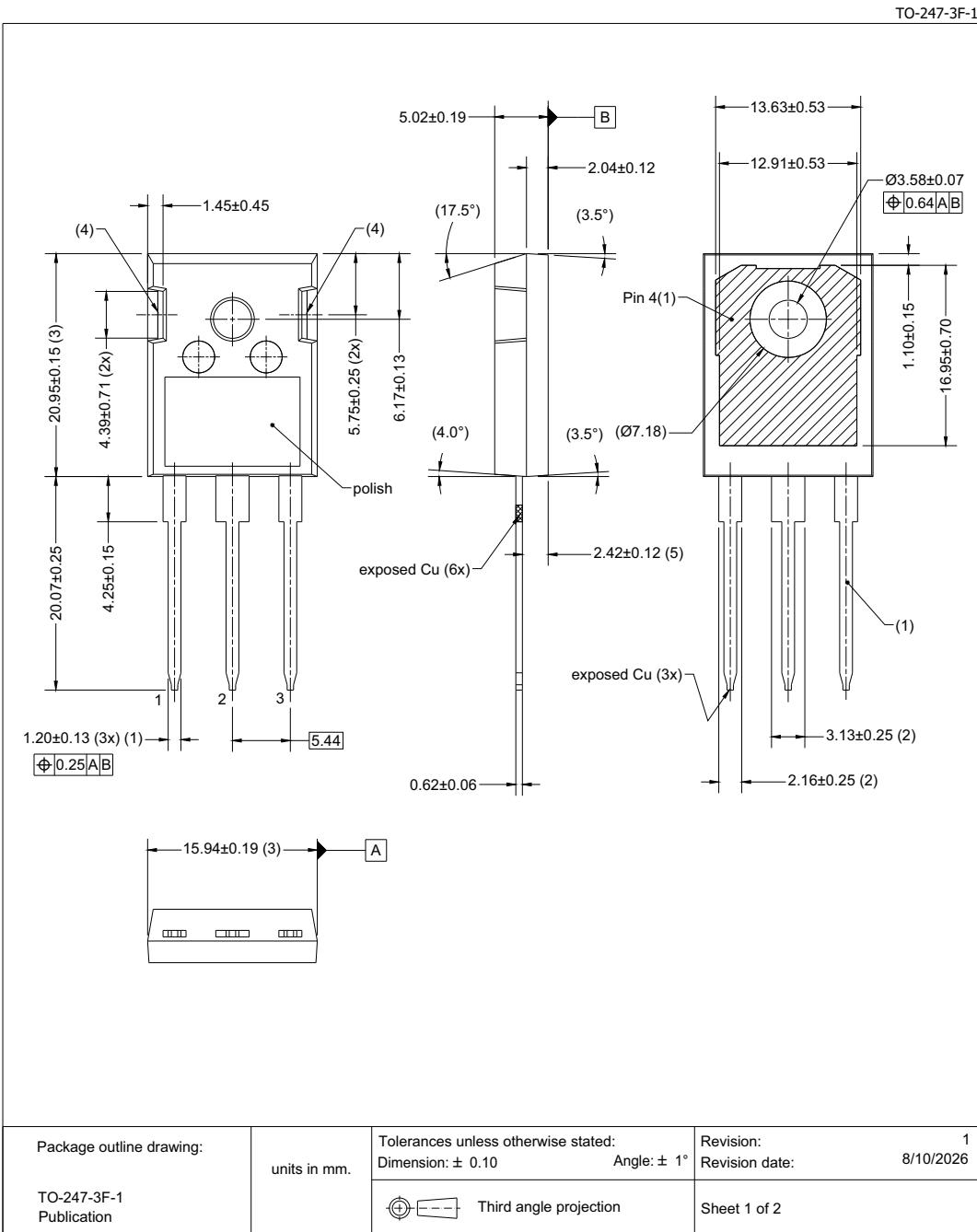


Fig 11. Package outline TO-247-3F-1 (sheet 1 of 2)

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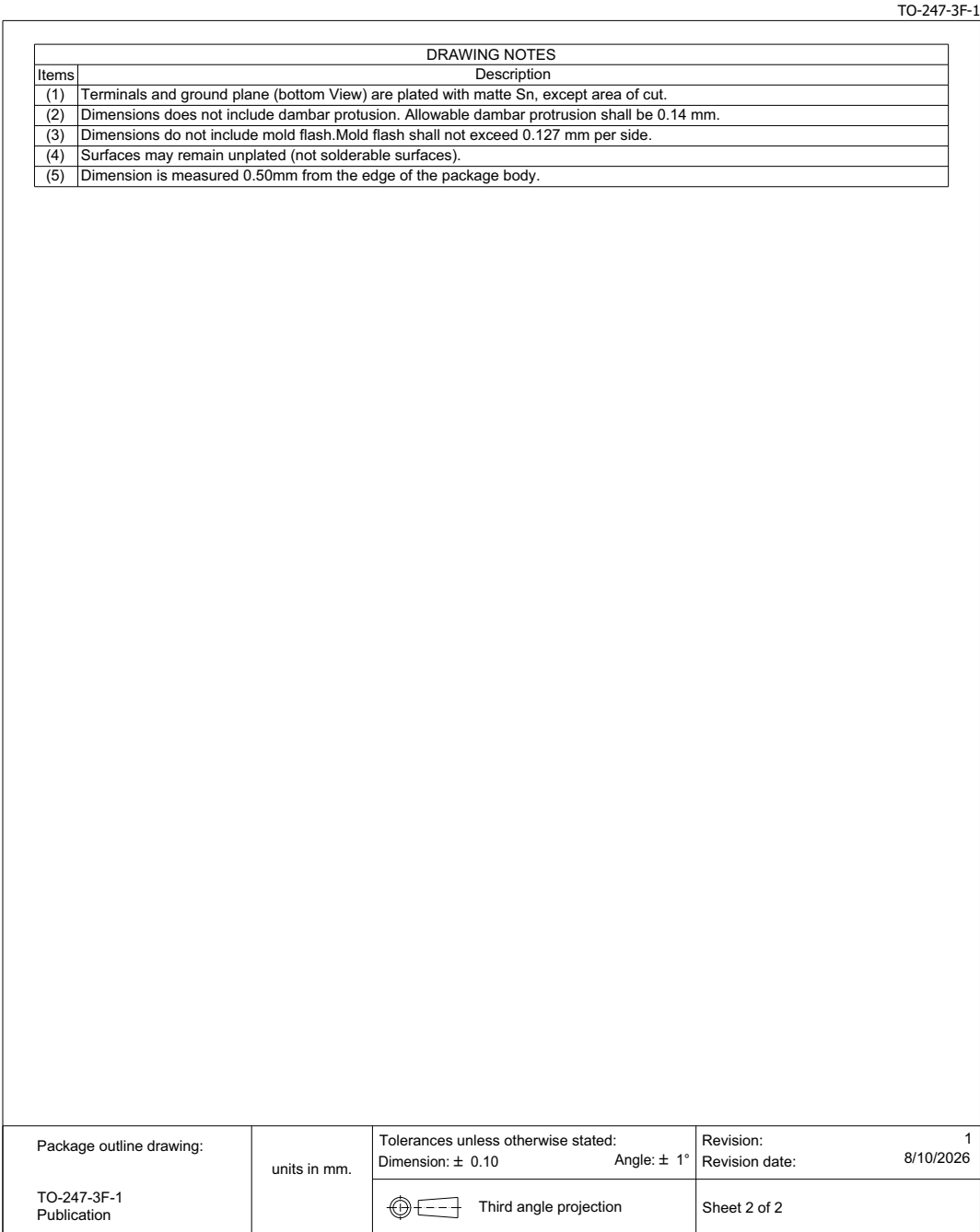


Fig 12. Package outline TO-247-3F-1 (sheet 2 of 2)

9. Handling information

CAUTION



This device is sensitive to ElectroStatic Discharge (ESD). Observe precautions for handling electrostatic sensitive devices.

Such precautions are described in the *ANSI/ESD S20.20*, *IEC/ST 61340-5*, *JESD625-A* or equivalent standards.

Table 11. ESD sensitivity

ESD model	Class
Charged Device Model (CDM); According to ANSI/ESDA/JEDEC standard JS-002	C2a
Human Body Model (HBM); According to ANSI/ESDA/JEDEC standard JS-001	2

10. Abbreviations

Table 12. Abbreviations

Acronym	Description
CW	Continuous Wave
ESD	ElectroStatic Discharge
FM	Frequency Modulation
ISM	Industrial, Scientific and Medical
LDMOS	Laterally Diffused Metal-Oxide Semiconductor
MRI	Magnetic Resonance Imaging
RoHS	Restriction of Hazardous Substances
UHF	Ultra High Frequency
VHF	Very High Frequency
VSWR	Voltage Standing Wave Ratio

11. Revision history

Table 13. Revision history

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12. Legal information

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