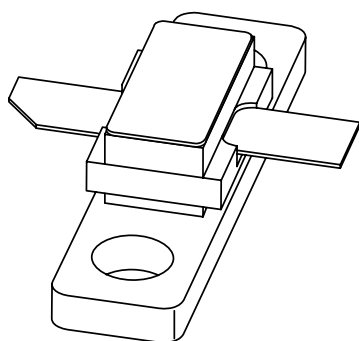


DATA SHEET



BLS2731-20 Microwave power transistor

Product specification
Supersedes data of 1998 Mar 06

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FEATURES

- Suitable for short and medium pulse applications
- Internal input and output matching networks for an easy circuit design
- Emitter ballasting resistors improve ruggedness
- Gold metallization ensures excellent reliability
- Interdigitated emitter-base structure provides high emitter efficiency
- Multicell geometry improves power sharing and reduces thermal resistance.

APPLICATIONS

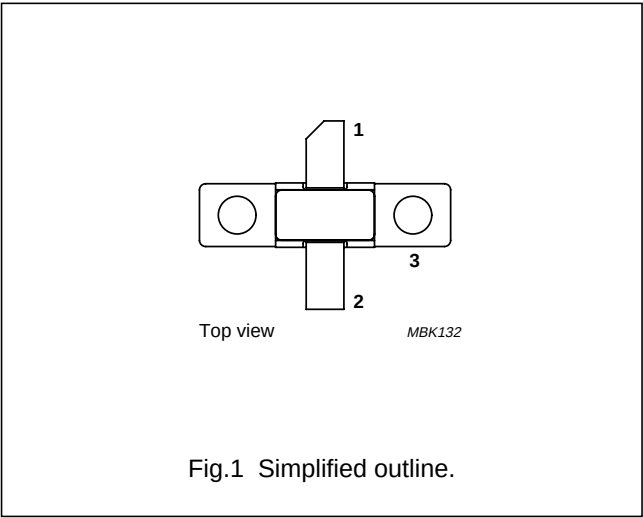
- Common base class-C pulsed power amplifiers for radar applications in the 2.7 to 3.1 GHz band.

DESCRIPTION

NPN silicon planar epitaxial microwave power transistor in a 2-lead rectangular flange package with a ceramic cap (SOT445C) with the common base connected to the flange.

PINNING - SOT445C

PIN	DESCRIPTION
1	collector
2	emitter
3	base connected to flange



QUICK REFERENCE DATA

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

MODE OF OPERATION	f (GHz)	V _{CB} (V)	P _L (W)	G _p (dB)	η _c (%)
Pulsed class-C	2.7 to 3.1	40	25	typ. 10	typ. 40

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	–	75	V
V_{CES}	collector-emitter voltage	$R_{BE} = 0$	–	75	V
V_{EBO}	emitter-base voltage	open collector	–	2	V
I_{CM}	peak collector current	$t_p \leq 100 \mu\text{s}$; $\delta \leq 10\%$	–	3	A
P_{tot}	total power dissipation	$t_p = 100 \mu\text{s}$; $\delta = 10\%$; $T_{mb} = 25^\circ\text{C}$	–	270	W
T_{stg}	storage temperature		–65	+200	$^\circ\text{C}$
T_j	operating junction temperature		–	200	$^\circ\text{C}$
T_{sld}	soldering temperature	up to 0.2 mm from ceramic cap; $t \leq 10 \text{ s}$	–	235	$^\circ\text{C}$

THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	VALUE	UNIT
$Z_{th\ j-h}$	thermal impedance from junction to heatsink	$t_p = 100 \mu\text{s}$; $\delta = 10\%$; note 1	0.65	K/W

Note

1. Equivalent thermal impedance under pulsed microwave operating conditions.

CHARACTERISTICS

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

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	UNIT
$V_{(BR)CBO}$	collector-base breakdown voltage	$I_C = 5 \text{ mA}$; open emitter	75	–	–	V
$V_{(BR)CES}$	collector-emitter breakdown voltage	$I_C = 5 \text{ mA}$; $V_{BE} = 0$	75	–	–	V
I_{CBO}	collector leakage current	$V_{CB} = 40 \text{ V}$; $I_E = 0$	–	–	0.5	mA
I_{CES}	collector leakage current	$V_{CE} = 40 \text{ V}$; $V_{BE} = 0$	–	–	0.5	mA
I_{EBO}	emitter leakage current	$V_{EB} = 1.5 \text{ V}$; $I_C = 0$	–	–	0.1	mA
h_{FE}	DC current gain	$V_{CB} = 5 \text{ V}$; $I_C = 0.5 \text{ A}$	40	–	–	
C_c	collector capacitance (die only)	$V_{CE} = 1 \text{ V}$; $I_E = i_e = 0$; $f = 1 \text{ MHz}$	–	10	–	pF

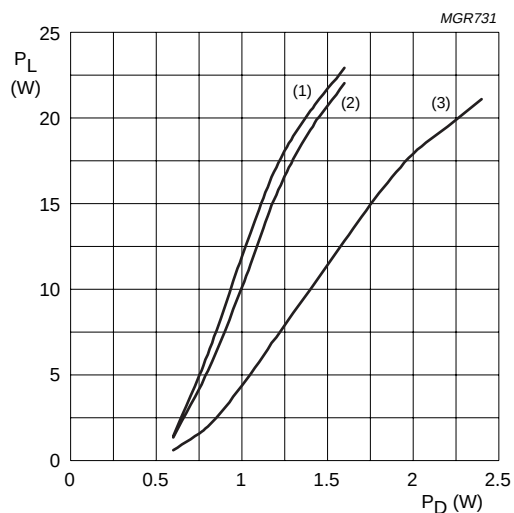
APPLICATION INFORMATION

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

MODE OF OPERATION	f (GHz)	V_{CE} (V)	P_L (W)	G_p (dB)	η_c (%)
Class-C; $t_p = 100 \mu\text{s}$; $\delta = 10\%$	2.7 to 3.1	40	≥ 20 typ. 25	≥ 9 typ. 10	≥ 35 typ. 40

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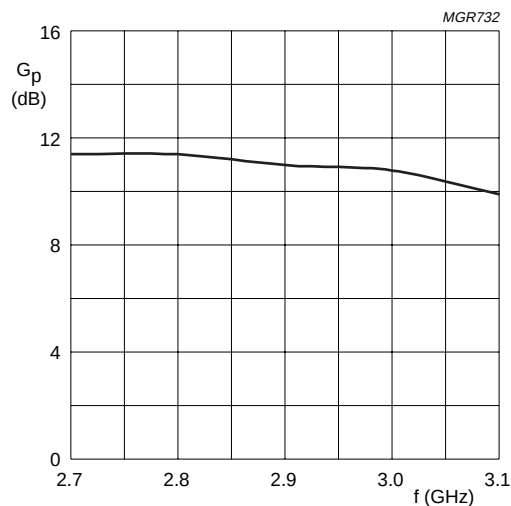
$V_{CB} = 40$ V; class-C; $t_p = 100$ μ s; $\delta = 10\%$.

(1) $f = 3.1$ GHz.

(2) $f = 2.7$ GHz.

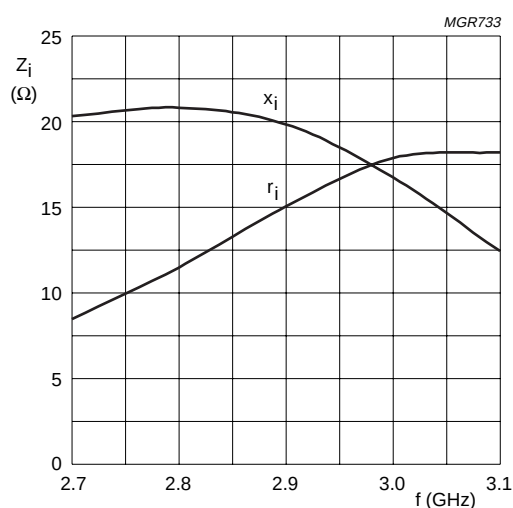
(3) $f = 2.9$ GHz.

Fig.2 Load power as a function of drive power; typical values.



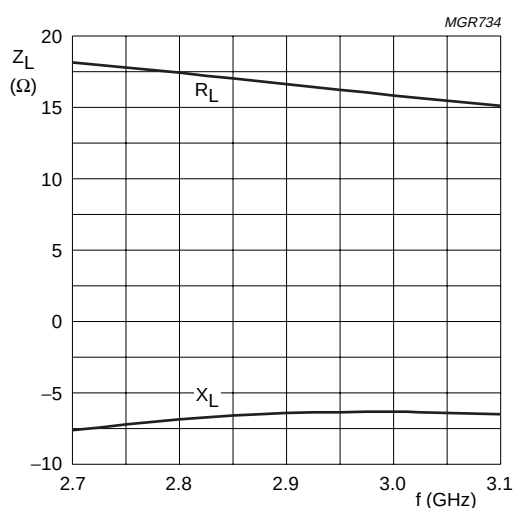
$V_{CB} = 40$ V; class-C; $P_L = 20$ W; $t_p = 100$ μ s; $\delta = 10\%$.

Fig.3 Power gain as function of frequency; typical values.



$V_{CB} = 40$ V; class-C; $P_L = 20$ W.

Fig.4 Input impedance as function of frequency (series components); typical values.

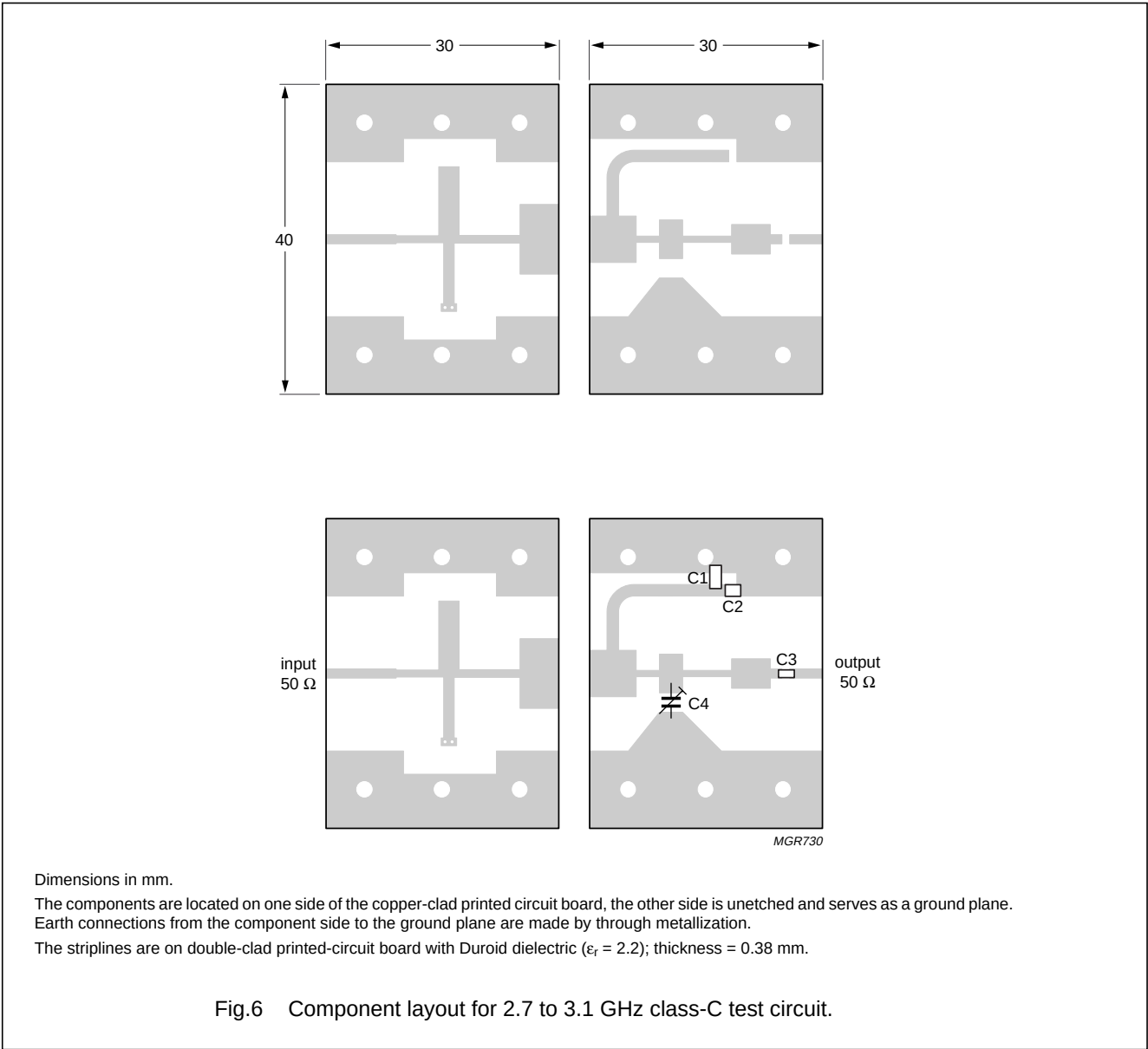


$V_{CB} = 40$ V; class-C; $P_L = 20$ W.

Fig.5 Load impedance as function of frequency (series components); typical values.

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List of components

COMPONENT	DESCRIPTION	VALUE
C1	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor; note 1	1 nF
C2	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor; note 2	10 pF
C3	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor; note 3	150 pF
C4	Tekelec trimmer type 37281SL	0.4 to 2.5 pF

Notes

1. American Technical Ceramics type 200A or capacitor of same quality.
2. American Technical Ceramics type 100A or capacitor of same quality.
3. American Technical Ceramics type 700A or capacitor of same quality.

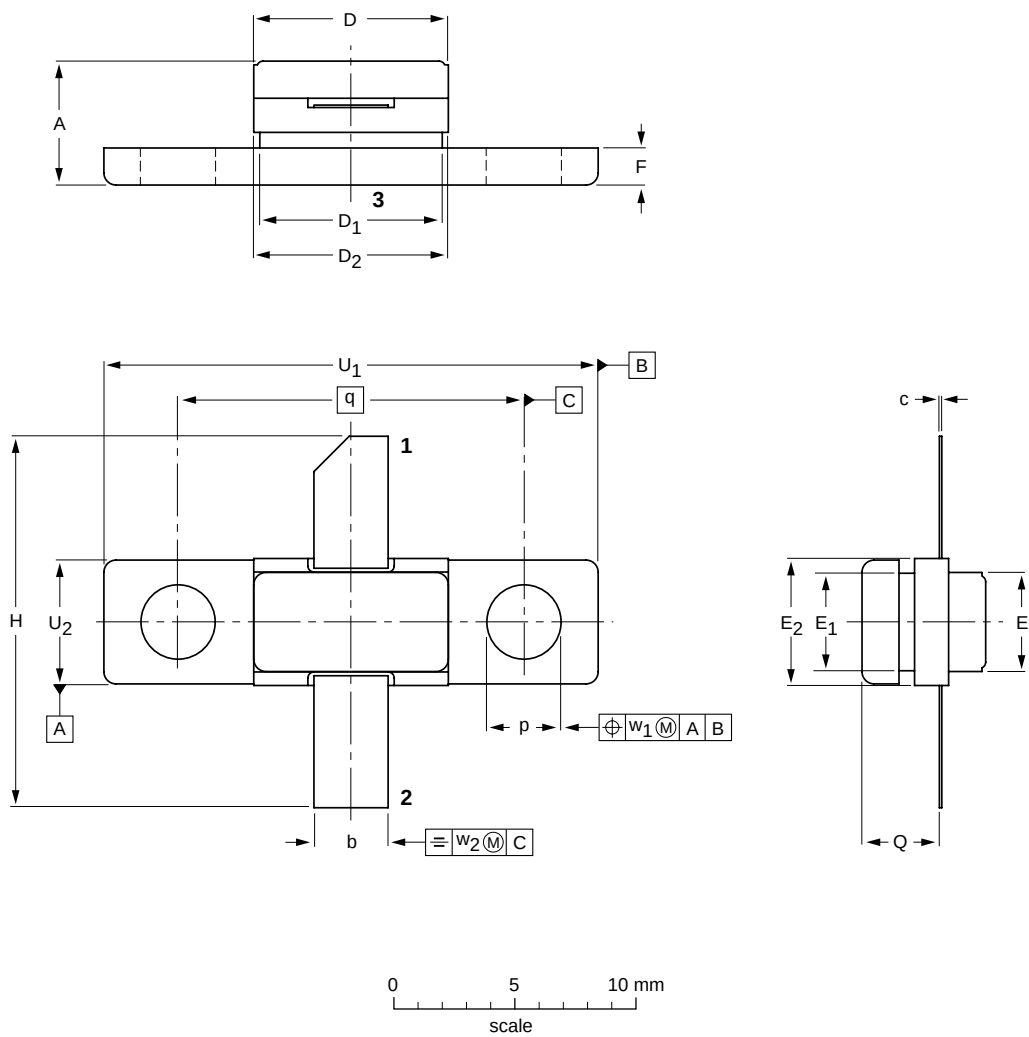
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PACKAGE OUTLINE

Flanged hermetic ceramic package; 2 mounting holes; 2 leads

SOT445C



DIMENSIONS (mm are the original dimensions)

UNIT	A	b	c	D	D1	D2	E	E1	E2	F	H	p	Q	q	U1	U2	w1	w2
mm	5.57 4.70	3.15 2.95	0.15 0.09	8.13 7.87	7.65 7.35	8.15 7.85	4.20 3.93	4.25 3.95	5.31 5.01	1.82 1.22	15.84 14.64	3.35 3.05	3.33 3.03	14.22	20.47 20.17	5.18 4.98	0.51	1.02

OUTLINE VERSION	REFERENCES				EUROPEAN PROJECTION	ISSUE DATE
	IEC	JEDEC	EIAJ			
SOT445C						97-05-23

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