AMT1115 13 – 18GHz Power Amplifier Chip



Key Features:

Frequency range: 13 – 18GHz
Typical small signal gain: 22dB
Typical output power: 33.5dBm
Voltage bias: Vd = 8V, Vg = -0.6V

• Chip dimensions: 2.5mm x 1.4mm x 0.1mm

Applications: wireless communication, transceiver module, radio telecommunication etc.

Description:

AMT1115 chip is a Gallium Arsenide (GaAs) designed high performance power amplifier for 16 - 28GHz frequency range. It uses dual voltage operation, with drain voltage Vds at 8V, it offers 22dB linear gain, and 33.5dBm saturated output power. This chip is designed with ground through metal vias on the back technology. All chip products are 100% RF tested.

Absolute Maximum Ratings (Ta = 25°C)

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Remark
Vd	Drain Voltage	+11V	
Pin	Input Signal Power	15dBm	
Tch	Operating Temperature	175°C	
Tm	Sintering Temperature	310°C	30s, N ₂ protection
Tstg	Storage Temperature	-65 ~ +150°C	

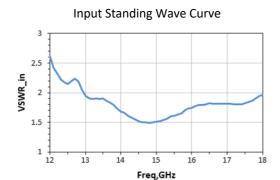
[1] Operation outside any of the Absolute Maximum Ratings may cause permanent device damage.

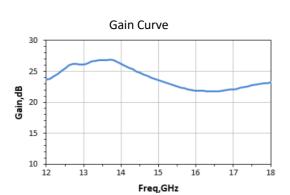
Electrical Characteristics (Ta = 25°C)

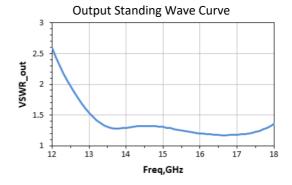
Symbol	Parameter	Test Condition	Value		Unit	
			Min	Typical	Max	
G	Small Signal Gain		21	22	26	dB
Id	Operation Current	Vd = 8V, Vg=-0.6V	-	1.1	-	Α
VSWR_in	Input SW	F: 13 ~ 18GHz	-	1.8	1.9	-
VSWR_out	Output SW		-	1.3	1.5	-
Gp	Power Gain	Vd = 8V, Vg=-0.6V	-	23.5	-	dB
Po(sat)	Saturated Output Power	F: 13 ~ 18GHz	-	33.5	-	dBm
PAE	Power Added Efficiency	Duty Cycle : 20%	-	30	-	%

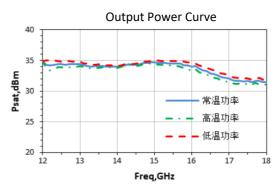
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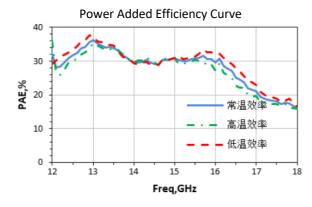
Typical Performance



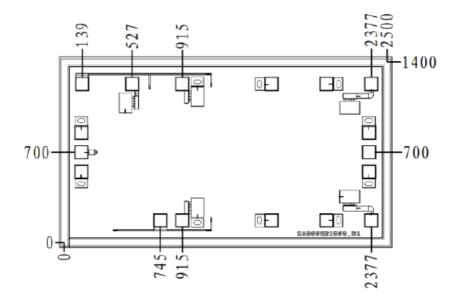




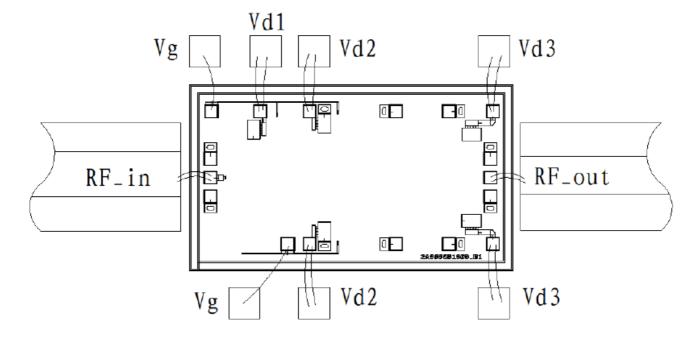




Chip Dimensions (Unit: µm)



Chip Layout Diagram



Pad Definition

Symbol	Function	Dimension	Equivalent Circuit
RF_in	RF signal input port, connecting to external 50Ω system. DC blocking capacitor is not needed, if external DC current is applied to this pad.	100*100μm²	RF_in O
RF_out	RF signal output port, connecting to external 50Ω system, no need to add DC blocking capacitor.	100*100μm²	RF_out
Vg	Amplifier gate bias, need external 100pF, 1000pF capacitor.	100*100μm²	Vg o
Vd1	Amplifier drain bias, need external 100pF, 1000pF capacitor.	100*100μm²	-P_H→ Vd1
Vd2	Amplifier drain bias, need external 100pF, 1000pF capacitor.	100*100μm²	Vd2
Vd3	Amplifier drain bias, need external 100pF, 1000pF capacitor.	100*100μm²	14 m

Please see Appendix A for details.