# The RF Line NPN Silicon RF Power Transistor

 $\dots$  designed primarily for wideband large-signal output amplifier stages in 30-200 MHz frequency range.

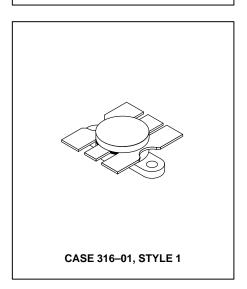
- Guaranteed Performance at 150 MHz, 28 Vdc Output Power = 100 W Minimum Gain = 9.0 dB
- Built-In Matching Network for Broadband Operation
- 100% Tested for Load Mismatch at all Phase Angles with 30:1 VSWR
- · Gold Metallization System for High Reliability
- High Output Saturation Power Ideally Suited for 30 W Carrier/120 W Peak AM Amplifier Service
- Guaranteed Performance in Broadband Test Fixture

#### **MAXIMUM RATINGS**

Rating	Symbol	Value	Unit
Collector–Emitter Voltage	VCEO	35	Vdc
Collector-Base Voltage	V <sub>CBO</sub>	65	Vdc
Emitter–Base Voltage	V <sub>EBO</sub>	4.0	Vdc
Collector Current — Continuous — Peak (10 seconds)	lC	12 18	Adc
Total Device Dissipation @ T <sub>C</sub> = 25°C (1) Derate above 25°C	PD	270 1.54	Watts W/°C
Storage Temperature Range	T <sub>stg</sub>	-65 to +150	°C

# **MRF317**

100 W, 30-200 MHz CONTROLLED Q BROADBAND RF POWER TRANSISTOR NPN SILICON



#### THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS

	Characteristic	Symbol	Max	Unit
Ī	Thermal Resistance, Junction to Case		0.65	°C/W

## **ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS** ( $T_C = 25^{\circ}C$ unless otherwise noted.)

Characteristic	Symbol	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
OFF CHARACTERISTICS			•		
Collector–Emitter Breakdown Voltage (I <sub>C</sub> = 100 mAdc, I <sub>B</sub> = 0)	V(BR)CEO	35	_	_	Vdc
Collector–Emitter Breakdown Voltage (I <sub>C</sub> = 100 mAdc, V <sub>BE</sub> = 0)	V(BR)CES	65	_	_	Vdc
Collector–Base Breakdown Voltage (I <sub>C</sub> = 100 mAdc, I <sub>E</sub> = 0)	V(BR)CBO	65	_	_	Vdc
Emitter–Base Breakdown Voltage (I <sub>E</sub> = 10 mAdc, I <sub>C</sub> = 0)	V(BR)EBO	4.0	_	_	Vdc
Collector Cutoff Current (V <sub>CB</sub> = 30 Vdc, I <sub>E</sub> = 0)	ICBO	_	_	5.0	mAdc
ON CHARACTERISTICS					
DC Current Gain	h <sub>FE</sub>	10	25	80	_

NOTE:

(continued)

1. This device is designed for RF operation. The total device dissipation rating applies only when the device is operated as an RF amplifier.





 $(I_C = 5.0 \text{ Adc}, V_{CE} = 5.0 \text{ Vdc})$ 

# **ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS** — **continued** $(T_C = 25^{\circ}C)$ unless otherwise noted.)

Characteristic	Symbol	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
DYNAMIC CHARACTERISTICS					
Output Capacitance (V <sub>CB</sub> = 28 Vdc, I <sub>E</sub> = 0, f = 1.0 MHz)	C <sub>ob</sub>	_	150	175	pF
FUNCTIONAL TESTS (Figure 2)					
Common–Emitter Amplifier Power Gain (V <sub>CC</sub> = 28 Vdc, P <sub>Out</sub> = 100 W, f = 150 MHz, I <sub>C</sub> (Max) = 6.5 Adc)	GPE	9.0	10	_	dB
Collector Efficiency (V <sub>CC</sub> = 28 Vdc, P <sub>out</sub> = 100 W, f = 150 MHz, I <sub>C</sub> (Max) = 6.5 Adc)	η	55	60	_	%
Load Mismatch (V <sub>CC</sub> = 28 Vdc, P <sub>out</sub> = 100 W CW, f = 150 MHz, VSWR = 30:1 all phase angles)	Ψ	No Degradation in Output Power			

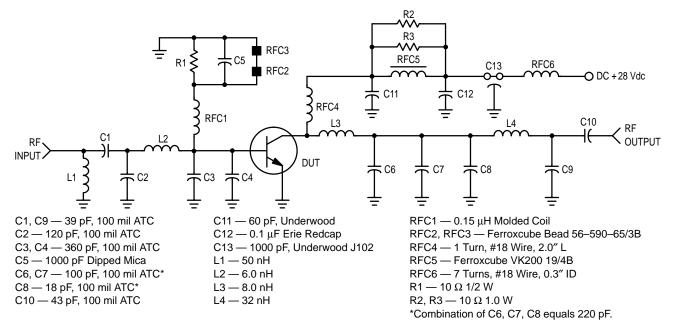


Figure 1. 110-160 MHz Broadband Amplifier — Test Fixture Schematic

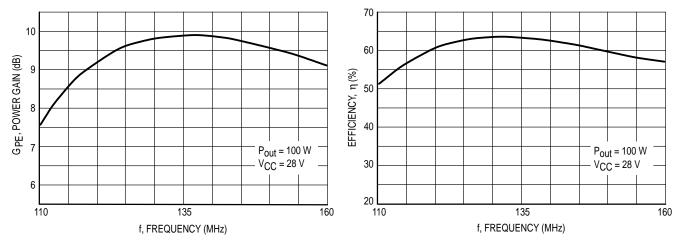


Figure 2. Power Gain versus Frequency **Broadband Test Fixture** 

Figure 3. Efficiency versus Frequency **Broadband Test Fixture** 

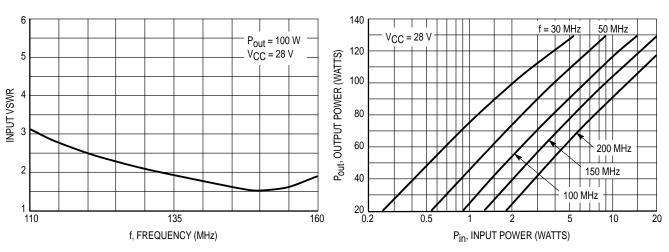
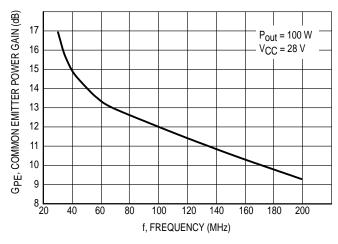


Figure 4. Input VSWR versus Frequency **Broadband Test Fixture** 

Figure 5. Output Power versus Input Power

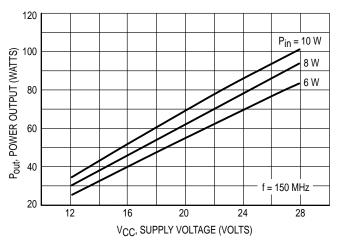
## **TYPICAL PERFORMANCE CURVES**



120 P<sub>in</sub> = 10 W 8 W P<sub>out</sub>, POWER OUTPUT (WATTS) 100 6 W 80 60 40 f = 100 MHz 20 12 16 20 24 28 V<sub>CC</sub>, SUPPLY VOLTAGE (VOLTS)

Figure 6. Power Gain versus Frequency

Figure 7. Power Output versus Supply Voltage



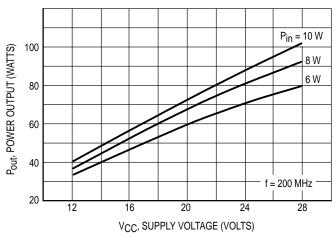
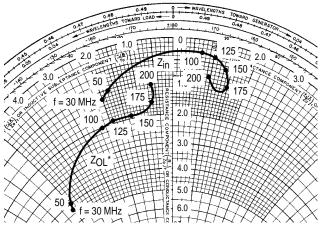


Figure 8. Power Output versus Supply Voltage

Figure 9. Power Output versus Supply Voltage

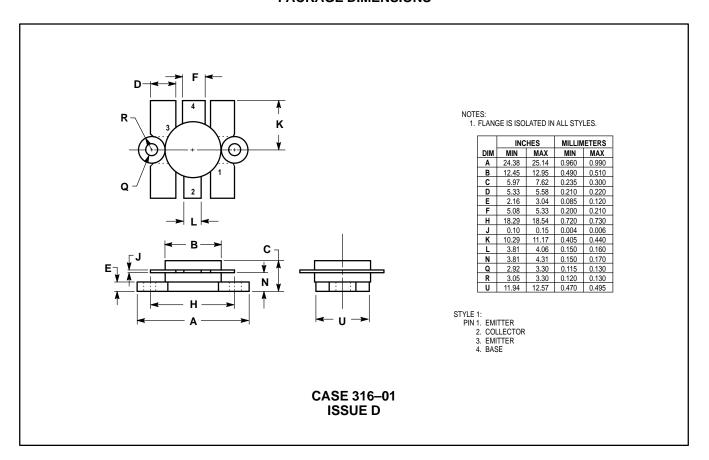


$V_{CC} = 28 \text{ V}, P_{out} = 100 \text{ W}$			
f MHz	Z <sub>in</sub> OHMS	Z <sub>OL</sub> * OHMS	
30	1.2 – j2.0	4.3 – j5.0	
50	1.0 – j1.8	4.0 – j4.9	
100	0.3 + j0.7	2.0 - j2.3	
125	0.3 + j1.0	1.9 – j1.9	
150	0.6 + j1.3	1.9 – j1.3	
175	1.0 + j1.5	1.6 – j0.6	
200	0.9 + j1.0	1.1 – j0.6	

 $Z_{OL}^*$  = Conjugate of the optimum load impedance into which the device output operates at a given output power, voltage and frequency.

Figure 10. Series Equivalent Input-Output Impedance

## **PACKAGE DIMENSIONS**



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