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Product profile 1.

1.1 General description

The CLF3H0060-30 and CLF3H0060S-30 are 30 W general purpose, unmatched broadband GaN-SiC HEMT transistors that are usable in the frequency range from DC to 6.0 GHz. The device utilizes a thermally enhanced package which supports both CW and pulsed applications.

Table 1. **Typical performance**

RF performance at T_{case} = 25 °C; V_{DS} = 50 V; I_{Dq} = 60 mA; in a class-AB broadband demo.

Test signal	f	PL	Gp	ησ
	(MHz)	(W)	(dB)	(%)
CW [1]	960	30	20.18	60.61
	1050	30	20.33	60.34
	1150	30	20.51	62.17
	1250	30	20.46	66.10
	1350	30	19.97	66.40
	1400	30	19.32	65.10
pulsed CW [1][2]	960	30	20.24	61.62
	1050	30	20.40	61.58
	1150	30	20.56	62.87
	1250	30	20.57	67.10
	1350	30	20.10	67.80
	1400	30	19.44	66.48

[1] Measured on a 960 MHz to 1400 MHz broadband circuit.

[2] $t_p = 100 \ \mu s; \delta = 10 \%$.

Table 2. **Typical performance**

RF performance at $T_{case} = 25 \ ^{\circ}C$; $V_{DS} = 50 \ V$; $I_{Dq} = 100 \ mA$; in a class-AB broadband demo.

Test signal	f	PL	G _p	ησ
	(MHz)	(W)	(dB)	(%)
CW [1]	500	30	15.52	62.67
	700	30	15.37	53.75
	1000	30	15.17	49.14
	1400	30	14.87	47.38
	2000	30	15.20	47.86
	2500	30	15.36	47.37

[1] Measured on a 500 MHz to 2500 MHz broadband circuit.

Table 3. Typical performance

RF performance at T_{case} = 25 °C; V_{DS} = 50 V; I_{Dq} = 60 mA; in a class-AB broadband demo.

Test signal	f	PL	VSWR	Test voltage	Result
	(MHz)	(W)		(V)	
CW [1]	1300	30	15 : 1 at all phase angles	50	no device degradation
pulsed CW [2][3]	2500	30	15 : 1 at all phase angles	50	no device degradation

[1] Measured on a 1300 MHz narrowband circuit.

[2] Measured on a 2500 MHz narrowband circuit.

[3] $t_p = 100 \ \mu s; \delta = 10 \%.$

1.2 Features and benefits

- 30 W general purpose broadband RF power GaN HEMT
- High efficiency
- Low thermal resistance
- Excellent ruggedness
- Designed for broadband operation in the frequency range from DC to 6.0 GHz
- For RoHS compliance see the product details on the Ampleon website
- Large signal models in ADS and MWO are available on the Ampleon website

2. Pinning information

Table 4. Pir	nning			
Pin	Description		Simplified outline	Graphic symbol
CLF3H0060-3	0 (SOT1227A)			
1	drain		4	1
2	gate			
3	source	[1]		2 +
				amp01464
CLF3H0060S	-30 (SOT1227B)			
1	drain		2	1
2	gate			
3	source	[1]		2 →

[1] Connected to flange.

3. Ordering information

Table 5. Ordering information						
Package name	Orderable part number	12NC	Packing description	Min. orderable quantity (pieces)		
SOT1227A	CLF3H0060-30U	9349 603 36112	Tray; 20-fold; non-dry pack	20		
SOT1227B	CLF3H0060S-30U	9349 603 37112	Tray; 20-fold; non-dry pack	20		

4. Limiting values

Table 6. Limiting values

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

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Max	Unit
V _{DS}	drain-source voltage		-	150	V
V _{GS}	gate-source voltage		-8	+2	V
I _{GF}	forward gate current	external R_{G} = 5 Ω	-	11	mA
T _{stg}	storage temperature		-65	+150	°C
Tj	junction temperature	<u>[1]</u>	-	225	°C

[1] Continuous use at maximum temperature will affect the reliability, for details refer to the online MTF calculator.

5. Thermal characteristics

Table 7. Thermal characteristics

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Тур	Unit
R _{th(s-c)(IR)} [1]	thermal resistance from active die surface to case by Infrared measurement	$T_{case} = 85 \text{ °C}; V_{DS} = 50 \text{ V};$ $I_{Dq} = 70 \text{ mA}; P_{dis} = 24 \text{ W}$	3.2	K/W
R _{th(ch-c)(FEA)} [2]	thermal resistance from active die channel to case by Finite Element Analysis	$T_{case} = 85 \text{ °C}; V_{DS} = 50 \text{ V};$ $I_{Dq} = 70 \text{ mA}; P_{dis} = 24 \text{ W}$	5.6	K/W

[1] Infrared (IR) thermal values are for reference only and cannot be used to determine performance or reliability.

[2] Finite Element Analysis (FEA) thermal values have been used for the online MTF calculator.

6. Characteristics

Table 8. DC characteristics

 $T_{case} = 25 \ ^{\circ}C$; unless otherwise specified.

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
V _{(BR)DSS}	drain-source breakdown voltage	$V_{GS} = -8 \text{ V}; \text{ I}_{D} = 5 \text{ mA}$	150	-	-	V
V _{GS(th)}	gate-source threshold voltage	$V_{DS} = 6 V; I_D = 50 mA$	-	-2.9	-	V
I _{DSX}	drain cut-off current	$V_{GS} = 2 V; V_{DS} = 6 V$	-	3.9	-	А
I _{GSS}	gate leakage current	V _{GS} = 11 V; V _{DS} = 6 V	-	-	43.75	nA
g fs	forward transconductance	$V_{GS} = 0 V; V_{DS} = 6 V$	-	1.22	-	S
R _{DS(on)}	drain-source on-state resistance	$V_{GS} = 0 V; V_{DS} = 100 mV$	-	75	-	mΩ

Table 9.AC characteristics

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

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
C _{iss}	input capacitance	$V_{GS} = -8 V; V_{DS} = 50 V; f = 1 MHz$ [1]	-	6.06	-	pF
C _{oss}	output capacitance	$V_{GS} = -8 V; V_{DS} = 50 V; f = 1 MHz$ [1]	-	3.17	-	pF
C _{rss}	reverse transfer capacitance	$V_{GS} = -8 \text{ V}; V_{DS} = 50 \text{ V}; f = 1 \text{ MHz}$ [1]	-	0.26	-	pF

[1] Include package.

Table 10. RF characteristics

Test signal: pulsed CW; $t_p = 100 \ \mu s$; $\delta = 10 \ \%$; $V_{DS} = 50 \ V$; $I_{Dq} = 70 \ mA$; $T_{case} = 25 \ C$; unless otherwise specified; in a class-AB production circuit measured at 2500 MHz.

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
G _p	power gain	P _L = 30 W	15.5	17	-	dB
RL _{in}	input return loss	P _L = 30 W	-	–15	-	dB
η _D	drain efficiency	P _L = 30 W	57	61.5	-	%

7. Application information

7.1 Demo circuit information (f = 960 MHz to 1400 MHz)



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Table 11. List of components For test circuit see Figure 1.

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Component	Description	Value	Remarks
C1	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	82 pF	ATC 100A
C2	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	100 nF	B37941X5104K062
C3	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	10 pF	GRM21BR72E103KW03L
C4	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	2.7 pF	ATC 100A
C5	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	1 nF	GRM21AR72E102KW01D
C6	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	82 pF	ATC 100A
C7	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	3.9 pF	ATC 100A
C8	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	3.6 pF	ATC 100A
C9	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	4.7 μF	CGA6M3X7S2A475M200AE
C10	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	4.7 μF	GRM55ER72A475KA01L
C11	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	11 pF	ATC 100A
C12	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	10 nF	VJ1206Y103KXCT
C13	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	1 μF	GRM31CR72A105KA01L
C14	electrolytic capacitor	220 μF, 63 V	EEUFR1J221LB
L1	surface mount inductor	3.3 nH	B82496C3339A
L2	surface mount inductor	100 nH	MLZ2012DR10DT
L3	ferrite bead	47 $Ω$ at 100 MHz	2743019447
R1	SMD resistor	10 kΩ	0805
R2	SMD resistor	4.7 Ω	0805
R3	current sense resistor	10 mΩ	FC4L64R010FER
W1	connector		
W2	PTFE wire		
T1	PNP general purpose transistor		BC857A
T2	N-channel MOSFET		PSMN8R2-80YS
Т3	DUT		CLF3H0060(S)-30
X1	GaN bias module		Ampleon

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7.2 Graphical data (f = 960 MHz to 1400 MHz)



7.2.1 CW performance

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7.2.2 2-Tone CW performance

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7.2.3 Pulsed CW performance

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7.3 Demo circuit information (f = 500 MHz to 2500 MHz)

Table 12.List of componentsFor test circuit see Figure 17.

Component	Description	Value	Remarks
C1	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	8.2 pF	ATC 600F
C2	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	0.8 pF	ATC 600F
C3	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	100 nF, 50 V	0805 generic
C4	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	10 nF, 50 V	0805 generic
C5	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	22 pF, 100 V	0805 generic
C6	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	1 nF, 100 V	0805 generic
C7	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	10 pF	ATC 600F
C8	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	1.1 pF	ATC 600F
C9	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	0.5 pF	ATC 600F
C10	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	22 pF	ATC 600F
C11	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	100 pF	ATC 100B
C12	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	1000 pF	ATC 100B
C13	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	1 μF, 100 V	1206 generic
C14	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	10 μF, 100 V	TDK C550X7S2A106M
C15	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	1 nF, 200 V	1210 generic
C16	electrolytic capacitor	470 μF, 63 V	PCE3667CT-ND
L1	ceramic chip inductor	10 nH	Coilcraft: 1008CS-100X
L2	ferrite bead	47 Ω at 100 MHz	2743019447

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Table 12. List of components ...continued For tost airwit and Figure 17

Component	Description	Value	Remarks
L3	air core inductor	12 nH	Coilcraft: GA3094
R1	SMD resistor	10 kΩ	0805
R2	SMD resistor	10 Ω	0805
R3	current sense resistor	5 mΩ	RL7520WT-R005-F
R4	resistor	200 Ω	LR12010T0200J
T1	PNP general purpose transistor		BC857A
T2	N-channel MOSFET		PSMN8R2-80YS
Т3	DUT		CLF3H0060(S)-30
X1	GaN bias module		Ampleon

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7.4 Graphical data (f = 500 MHz to 2500 MHz)



7.4.1 CW performance

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7.4.2 2-Tone CW performance

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8. Test information

8.1 Load-pull impedance information

The measured load-pull impedances are shown below. Impedance reference plane defined at device leads. Measurements performed with Ampleon test fixtures. Test temperature set at 25 °C with a pulsed CW signal; $t_p = 100 \ \mu$ s; $\delta = 10 \ \%$; RF performance at $V_{DS} = 50 \ V$; $I_{Dq} = 100 \ mA$.

Table 13.Typical impedance

Typical values unless otherwise specified.

f	Z _S	Z _L (maximum P _{L(M)})	Z_L (maximum ղ _D)
(MHz)	(Ω)	(Ω)	(Ω)
1000	2.1 + j9.3	24.0 + j9.0	35.0 + j38.0
1400	2.0 + j4.7	21.0 + j10.0	20.0 + j22.0
1700	1.8 + j1.5	19.0 + j8.3	16.0 + j15.0
2000	2.0 – j1.2	16.0 + j6.2	16.0 + j12.0
2500	2.5 – j5.0	14.0 + j1.7	7.6 + j7.8
2700	2.3 – j6.4	12.0 + j1.3	5.1 + j6.7
3000	3.6 – j7.7	13.0 – j1.2	7.2 + j4.1
3500	4.7 – j12.6	11.8 – j3.7	8.0 + j0.9
4000	6.0 – j15.7	10.9 – j5.9	7.5 – j3.5
4500	6.8 – j17.0	9.7 – j9.5	6.1 – j6.6
5000	6.8 – j19.1	8.9 – j12.0	5.9 – j9.8

[1] Z_S and Z_L defined in Figure 28.



 Z_S is the measured source pull impedance presented to the device. Z_L is the measured load pull impedance presented to the device.

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9. Package outline



Fig 29. Package outline SOT1227A

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Fig 30. Package outline SOT1227B

10. 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 14.ESD sensitivity

ESD model	Class
Charged Device Model (CDM); According to ANSI/ESDA/JEDEC standard JS-002	
Human Body Model (HBM); According to ANSI/ESDA/JEDEC standard JS-001	1A 🔁

[1] CDM classification C2B is granted to any part that passes after exposure to an ESD pulse of 750 V.

[2] HBM classification 1A is granted to any part that passes after exposure to an ESD pulse of 250 V.

11. Abbreviations

Table 15. Abbreviations			
Acronym	Description		
ADS	Advanced Design System		
CW	Continuous Wave		
DUT	Device Under Test		
ESD	ElectroStatic Discharge		
GaN	Gallium Nitride		
HEMT	High Electron Mobility Transistor		
MOSFET	Metal-Oxide Semiconductor Field-Effect Transistor		
MTF	Median Time to Failure		
MWO	Microwave Office		
PTFE	Polytetrafluorethylene		
SMD	Surface Mounted Device		
RoHS	Restriction of Hazardous Substances		
SiC	Silicon Carbide		
VSWR	Voltage Standing Wave Ratio		

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Table 16. Revision history				
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