

DATA SHEET

LV1721E50R

NPN microwave power transistor

Product specification
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FEATURES

- Interdigitated structure provides high emitter efficiency
- Diffused emitter ballasting resistor provides excellent current sharing and withstanding a high VSWR
- Gold metallization realizes very stable characteristics and excellent lifetime
- Multicell geometry gives good balance of dissipated power and low thermal resistance
- Internal input and output prematching ensures good stability and allows an easier design of wideband circuits.

APPLICATIONS

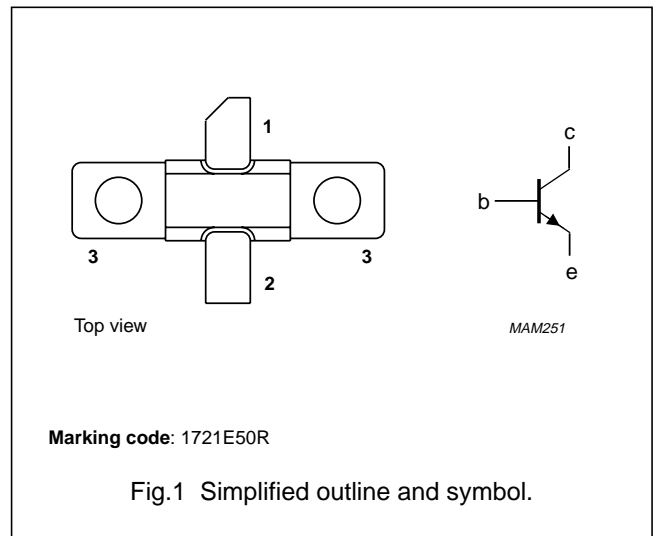
- Common emitter class-A amplifiers in CW conditions for military and professional applications in the 1.7 GHz to 2.1 GHz band.

DESCRIPTION

NPN silicon planar epitaxial microwave power transistor in a SOT445A metal ceramic flange package with the emitter connected to the flange.

PINNING - SOT445A

PIN	DESCRIPTION
1	collector
2	base
3	emitter connected to flange



QUICK REFERENCE DATA

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MODE OF OPERATION	f (GHz)	V_{CE} (V)	I_C (A)	P_{L1} (W)	G_{po} (dB)	$Z_i; Z_L$ (Ω)
Class-A (CW)	1.7 to 2.1	16	1.1	≥ 5	≥ 7	see Fig 6

WARNING

Product and environmental safety - toxic materials

This product contains beryllium oxide. The product is entirely safe provided that the BeO slab 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.

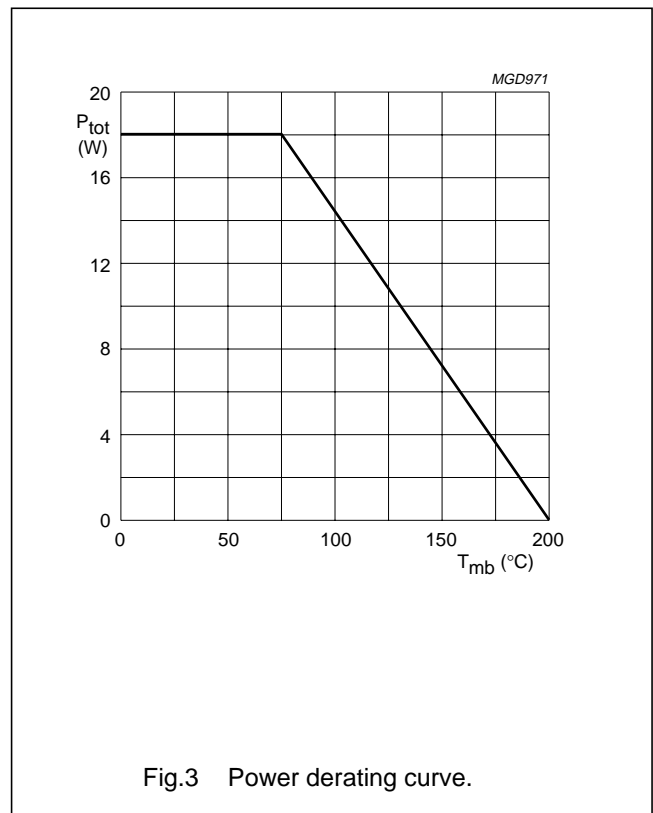
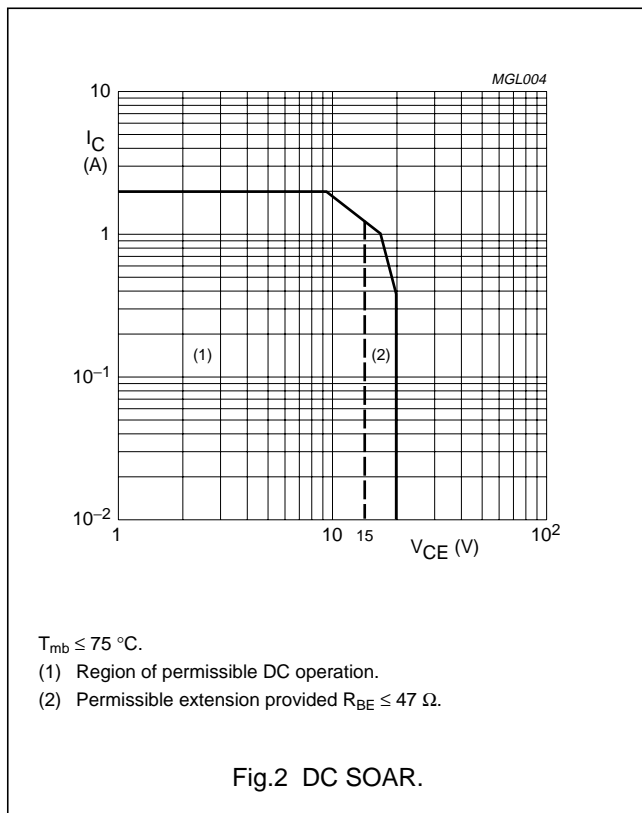
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LIMITING VALUES

In accordance with the Absolute Maximum Rating System (IEC 134).

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN.	MAX.	UNIT
V_{CBO}	collector-base voltage	open emitter	–	40	V
V_{CER}	collector-emitter voltage	$R_{BE} = 47 \Omega$	–	20	V
V_{CEO}	collector-emitter voltage	open base	–	15	V
V_{EBO}	emitter-base voltage	open collector	–	3	V
I_C	collector current (DC)		–	2	A
P_{tot}	total power dissipation	$T_{mb} \leq 75 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	–	18	W
T_{stg}	storage temperature		–65	+200	$^\circ\text{C}$
T_j	operating junction temperature		–	200	$^\circ\text{C}$
T_{sld}	soldering temperature	at 0.1 mm from case; $t \leq 10 \text{ s}$	–	235	$^\circ\text{C}$



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THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MAX.	UNIT
$R_{th\ j-mb}$	thermal resistance from junction to mounting-base	$T_j = 75\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	4	K/W
$R_{th\ mb-h}$	thermal resistance from mounting-base to heatsink	$T_j = 75\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$; note 1	0.7	K/W

Note

- See "Mounting recommendations in the General part of handbook SC19a".

CHARACTERISTICS

$T_{mb} = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ unless otherwise specified

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	UNIT
I_{CBO}	collector cut-off current	$V_{CB} = 20\text{ V}; I_E = 0$	–	–	0.5	mA
		$V_{CB} = 40\text{ V}; I_E = 0$	–	–	2.5	mA
I_{CER}	collector cut-off current	$V_{CE} = 20\text{ V}; R_{BE} = 47\ \Omega$	–	–	25	mA
I_{CEO}	collector cut-off current	$V_{CE} = 15\text{ V}; I_B = 0$	–	–	2	mA
I_{EBO}	emitter cut-off current	$V_{EB} = 1.5\text{ V}; I_C = 0$	–	–	100	μA
h_{FE}	DC current gain	$V_{CE} = 3\text{ V}; I_C = 1\text{ A}$	15	–	100	

APPLICATION INFORMATION

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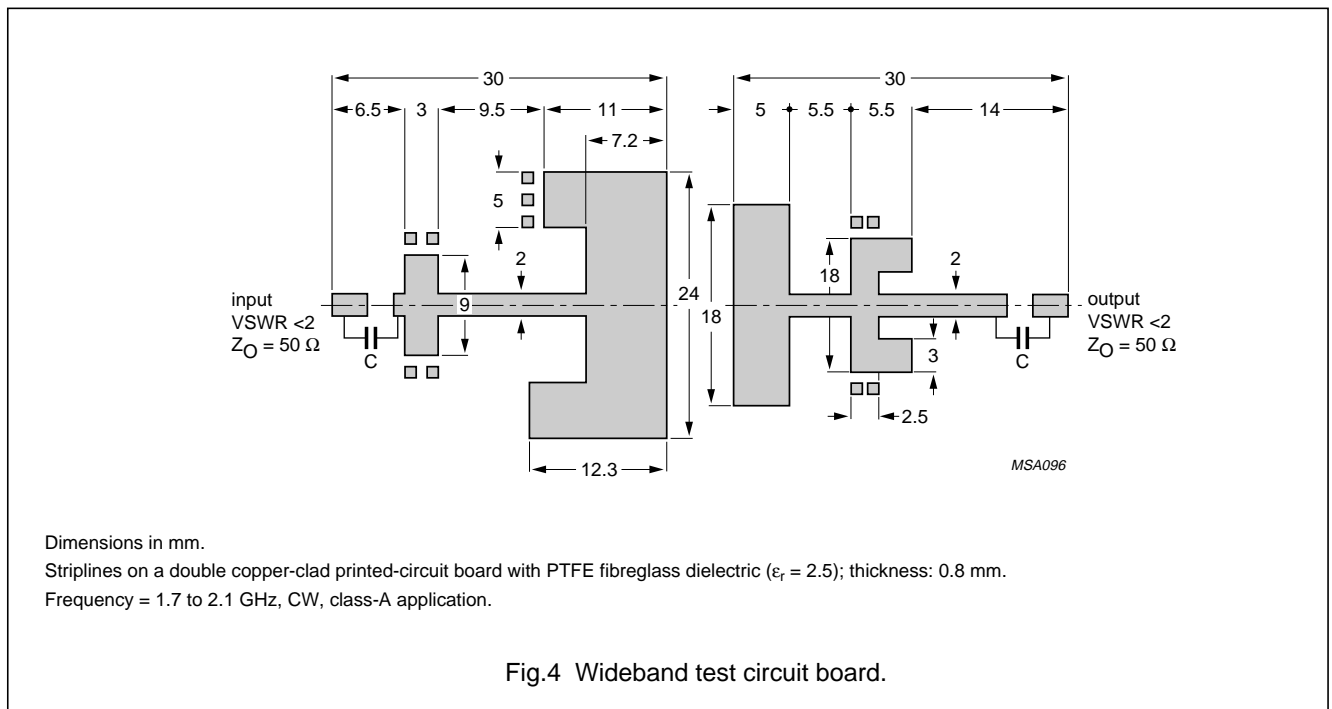
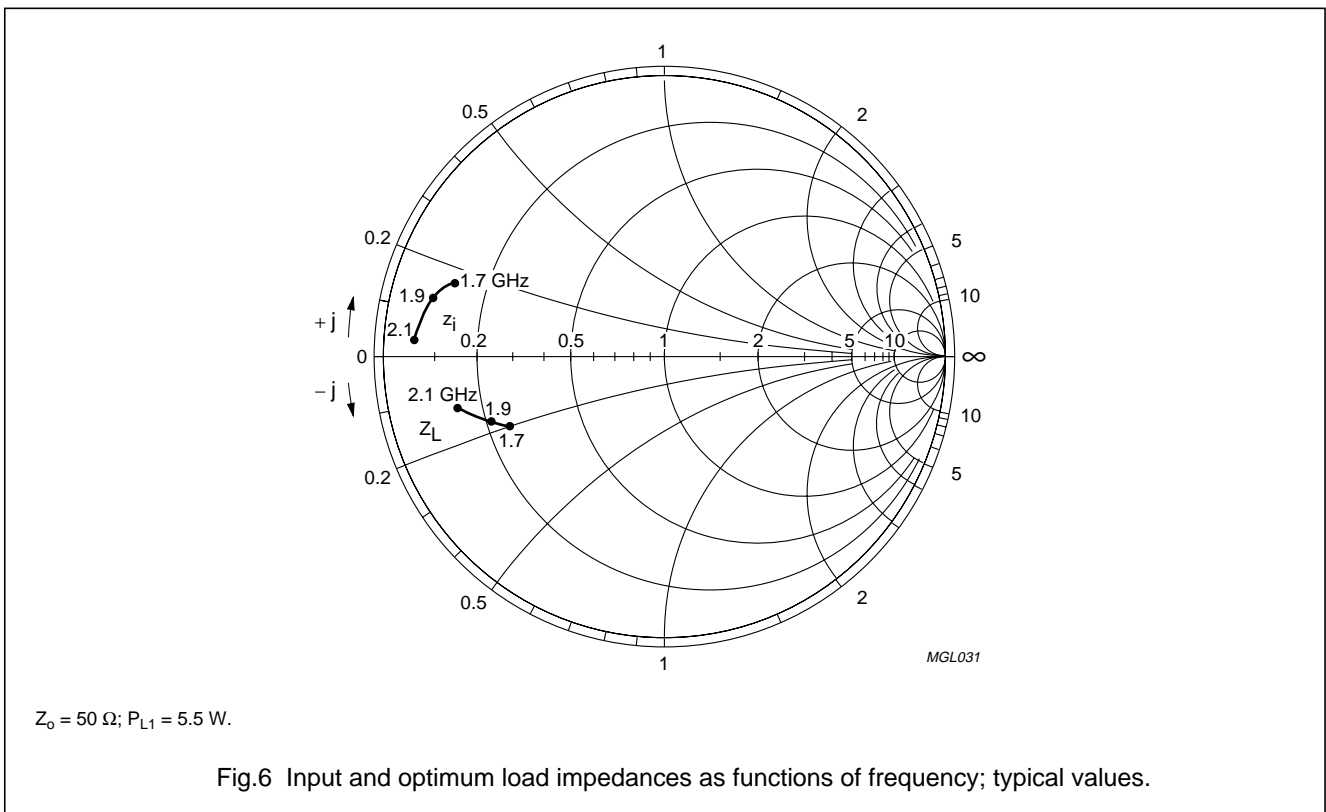
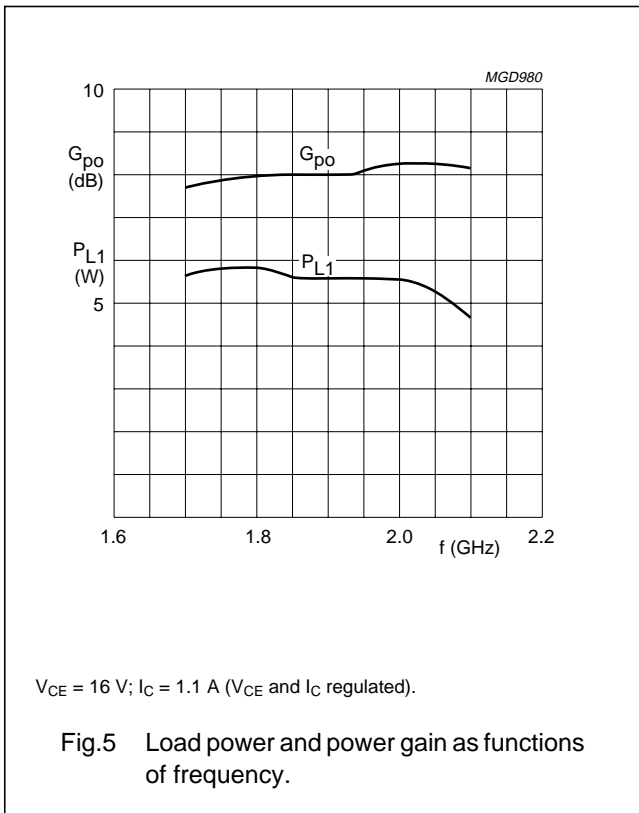


Fig.4 Wideband test circuit board.

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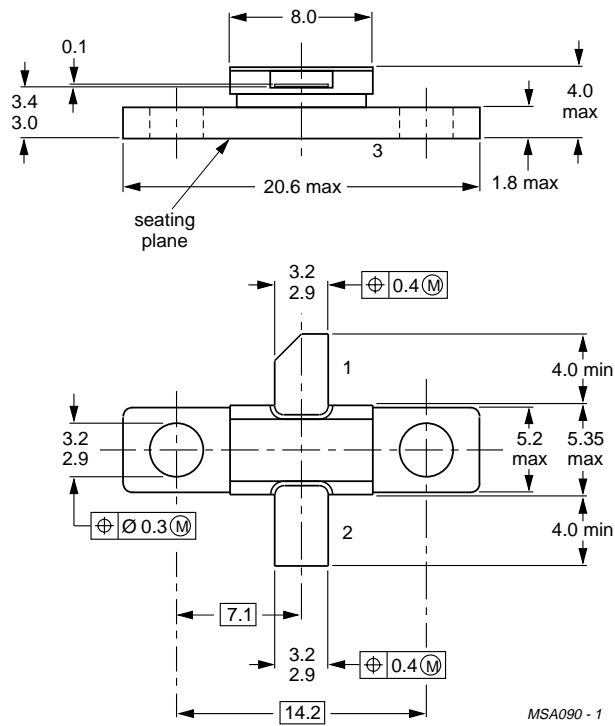
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PACKAGE OUTLINE



Dimensions in mm.
Torque on screw: Max. 0.4 Nm
Recommended screw: M2.5 or cheesehead 4-40 UNC/2A.

Fig.7 SOT445A.

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Data Sheet Status	
Objective specification	This data sheet contains target or goal specifications for product development.
Preliminary specification	This data sheet contains preliminary data; supplementary data may be published later.
Product specification	This data sheet contains final product specifications.
Limiting values	
Limiting values given are in accordance with the Absolute Maximum Rating System (IEC 134). Stress above one or more of the limiting values may cause permanent damage to the device. These are stress ratings only and operation of the device at these or at any other conditions above those given in the Characteristics sections of the specification is not implied. Exposure to limiting values for extended periods may affect device reliability.	
Application information	
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