

FHX13X, FHX14X

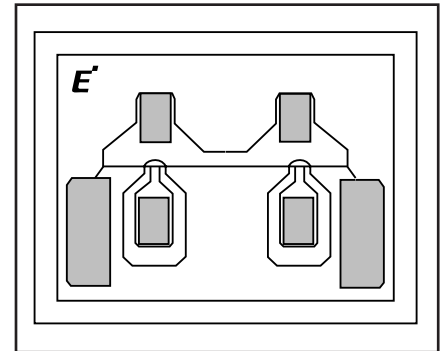
GaAs FET & HEMT Chips

FEATURES

- Low Noise Figure: 0.45dB (Typ.)@f=12GHz (FHX13)
- High Associated Gain: 13.0dB (Typ.)@f=12GHz
- $L_g \leq 0.15\mu\text{m}$, $W_g = 200\mu\text{m}$
- Gold Gate Metallization for High Reliability

DESCRIPTION

The FHX13X, FHX14X are Super High Electron Mobility Transistor (SuperHEMT™) intended for general purpose, ultra-low noise and high gain amplifiers in the 2-18GHz frequency range. The devices are well suited for telecommunication, DBS, TVRO, VSAT or other low noise applications.



Eudyna stringent Quality Assurance Program assures the highest reliability and consistent performance.

ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATING (Ambient Temperature $T_a=25^\circ\text{C}$)

| Item | Symbol | Rating | Unit |
|-------------------------|-----------|-------------|------------------|
| Drain-Source Voltage | V_{DS} | 3.5 | V |
| Gate-Source Voltage | V_{GS} | -3.0 | V |
| Total Power Dissipation | P_{t^*} | 180 | mW |
| Storage Temperature | T_{stg} | -65 to +175 | $^\circ\text{C}$ |
| Channel Temperature | T_{ch} | 175 | $^\circ\text{C}$ |

*Note: Mounted on Al_2O_3 board (30 x 30 x 0.65mm)

Eudyna recommends the following conditions for the reliable operation of GaAs FETs:

1. The drain-source operating voltage (V_{DS}) should not exceed 2 volts.
2. The forward and reverse gate currents should not exceed 0.2 and -0.05mA respectively with gate resistance of 4000 Ω .
3. The operating channel temperature (T_{ch}) should not exceed 80 $^\circ\text{C}$.

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (Ambient Temperature $T_a=25^\circ\text{C}$)

| Item | Symbol | Test Conditions | Limit | | | Unit |
|-------------------------------|-----------|---|--|------|------|---------------------------|
| | | | Min. | Typ. | Max. | |
| Saturated Drain Current | I_{DSS} | $V_{DS} = 2\text{V}$, $V_{GS} = 0\text{V}$ | 10 | 30 | 60 | mA |
| Transconductance | g_m | $V_{DS} = 2\text{V}$, $I_{DS} = 10\text{mA}$ | 35 | 50 | - | mS |
| Pinch-off Voltage | V_p | $V_{DS} = 2\text{V}$, $I_{DS} = 1\text{mA}$ | -0.1 | -0.7 | -1.5 | V |
| Gate Source Breakdown Voltage | V_{GSO} | $I_{GS} = -10\mu\text{A}$ | -3.0 | - | - | V |
| Noise Figure | FHX13X | NF | - | 0.45 | 0.50 | dB |
| Associated Gain | | G_{as} | $V_{DS} = 2\text{V}$ $I_{DS} = 10\text{mA}$ $f = 12\text{GHz}$ | 11.0 | 13.0 | - |
| Noise Figure | FHX14X | NF | - | 0.55 | 0.60 | dB |
| Associated Gain | | G_{as} | | 11.0 | 13.0 | - |
| Thermal Resistance | R_{th} | Channel to Case | - | 220 | 300 | $^\circ\text{C}/\text{W}$ |

Note: RF parameter sample size 10pcs. criteria (accept/reject)=(2/3)

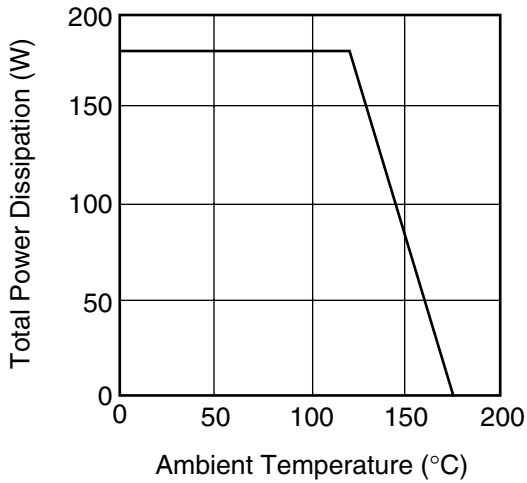
The chip must be enclosed in a hermetically sealed environment for optimum performance and reliability.

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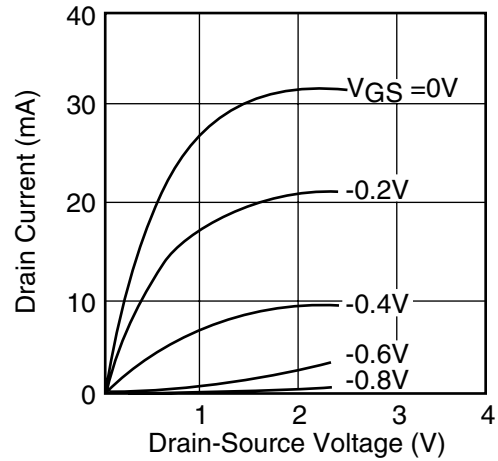
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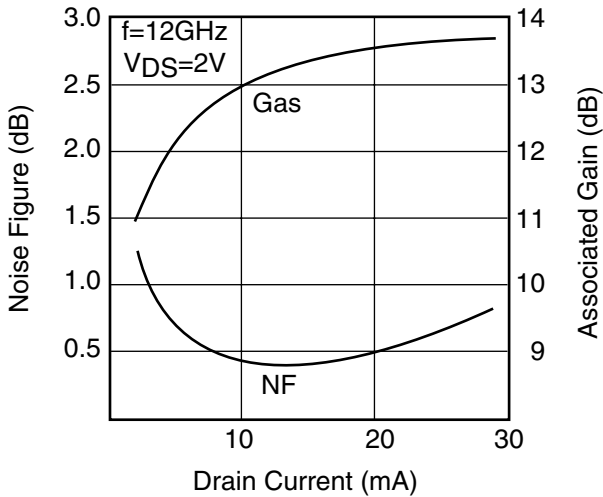
POWER DERATING CURVE



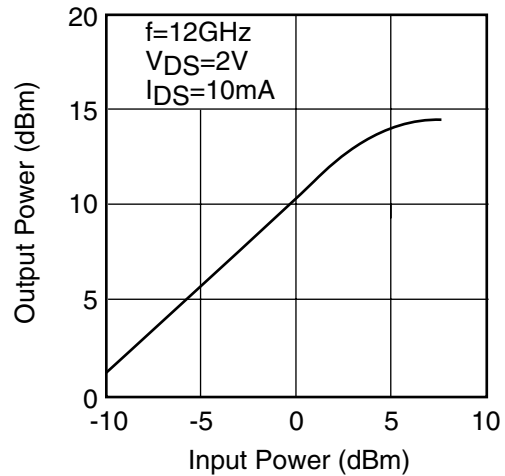
DRAIN CURRENT vs. DRAIN-SOURCE VOLTAGE



NF & Gas vs. I_{DS}



OUTPUT POWER vs. INPUT POWER

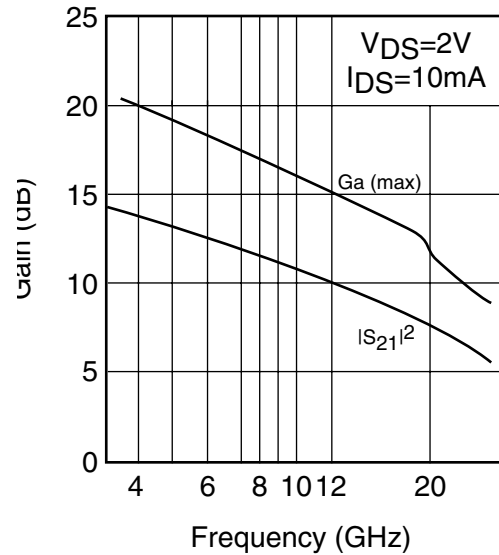


NOISE PARAMETERS

V_{DS}=2V, I_{DS}=10mA

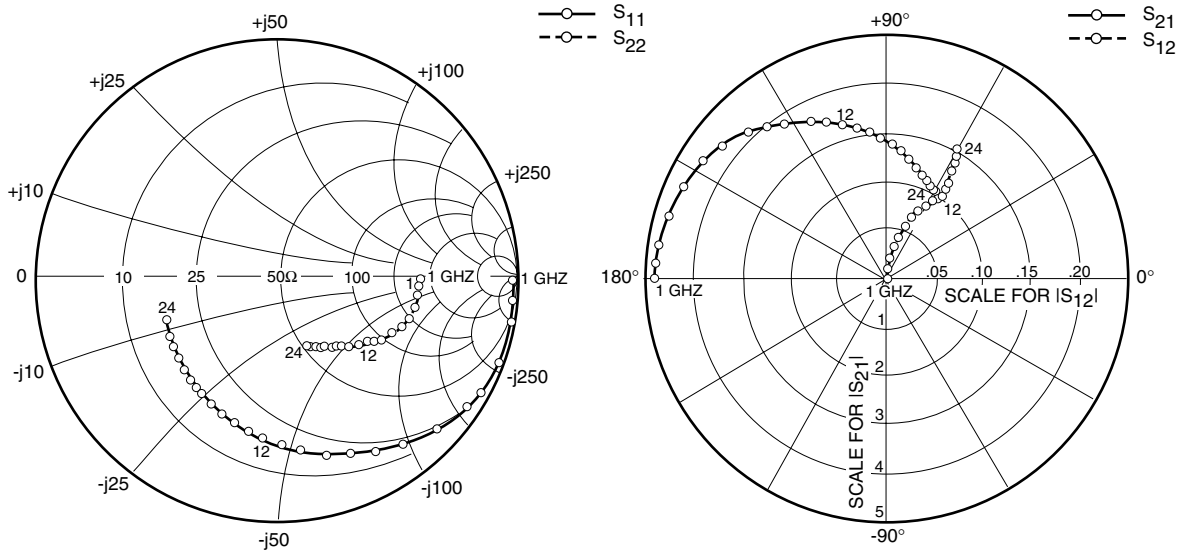
| Freq. (GHz) | Γ _{opt} | | NF _{min} (dB) | Rn/50 |
|-------------|------------------|-------|------------------------|-------|
| | (MAG) | (ANG) | | |
| 2 | 0.92 | 13 | 0.28 | 0.65 |
| 4 | 0.84 | 25 | 0.30 | 0.54 |
| 6 | 0.77 | 38 | 0.32 | 0.41 |
| 8 | 0.71 | 51 | 0.34 | 0.31 |
| 10 | 0.66 | 65 | 0.39 | 0.23 |
| 12 | 0.61 | 79 | 0.45 | 0.17 |
| 14 | 0.58 | 93 | 0.56 | 0.12 |
| 16 | 0.56 | 108 | 0.68 | 0.09 |
| 18 | 0.54 | 122 | 0.86 | 0.07 |
| 20 | 0.52 | 136 | 1.03 | 0.07 |
| 22 | 0.50 | 150 | 1.22 | 0.07 |
| 24 | 0.46 | 162 | 1.43 | 0.07 |

Ga (max) & |S₂₁|² vs. FREQUENCY



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S-PARAMETERS

$V_{DS} = 2V, I_{DS} = 10mA$

| FREQUENCY (MHZ) | S11 | | S21 | | S12 | | S22 | |
|--------------------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|------|-------|-------|
| | MAG | ANG | MAG | ANG | MAG | ANG | MAG | ANG |
| 100 | 1.000 | -0.9 | 4.899 | 179.2 | 0.001 | 89.5 | 0.601 | -0.5 |
| 500 | 0.999 | -4.7 | 4.894 | 175.9 | 0.006 | 87.7 | 0.601 | -2.3 |
| 1000 | 0.995 | -9.4 | 4.876 | 171.9 | 0.013 | 85.5 | 0.599 | -4.6 |
| 2000 | 0.981 | -18.6 | 4.806 | 163.9 | 0.025 | 81.1 | 0.591 | -9.2 |
| 3000 | 0.958 | -27.7 | 4.696 | 156.1 | 0.037 | 77.0 | 0.580 | -13.5 |
| 4000 | 0.929 | -36.4 | 4.555 | 148.6 | 0.048 | 73.2 | 0.565 | -17.7 |
| 5000 | 0.895 | -44.9 | 4.392 | 141.5 | 0.057 | 69.8 | 0.548 | -21.5 |
| 6000 | 0.860 | -53.0 | 4.215 | 134.8 | 0.066 | 66.8 | 0.530 | -25.0 |
| 7000 | 0.823 | -60.7 | 4.034 | 128.4 | 0.074 | 64.2 | 0.512 | -28.3 |
| 8000 | 0.786 | -68.1 | 3.852 | 122.4 | 0.080 | 62.0 | 0.493 | -31.3 |
| 9000 | 0.751 | -75.3 | 3.675 | 116.8 | 0.086 | 60.2 | 0.475 | -34.0 |
| 10000 | 0.718 | -82.1 | 3.506 | 111.5 | 0.092 | 58.9 | 0.458 | -36.6 |
| 11000 | 0.687 | -88.7 | 3.345 | 106.5 | 0.096 | 57.8 | 0.442 | -39.0 |
| 12000 | 0.659 | -95.0 | 3.194 | 101.8 | 0.101 | 57.1 | 0.426 | -41.3 |
| 13000 | 0.633 | -101.2 | 3.054 | 97.3 | 0.105 | 56.6 | 0.412 | -43.6 |
| 14000 | 0.610 | -107.2 | 2.923 | 93.0 | 0.108 | 56.4 | 0.399 | -45.8 |
| 15000 | 0.590 | -113.0 | 2.801 | 88.9 | 0.112 | 56.4 | 0.386 | -47.9 |
| 16000 | 0.572 | -118.7 | 2.688 | 85.0 | 0.116 | 56.6 | 0.375 | -50.1 |
| 17000 | 0.556 | -124.2 | 2.584 | 81.3 | 0.120 | 56.9 | 0.364 | -52.3 |
| 18000 | 0.543 | -129.6 | 2.487 | 77.7 | 0.124 | 57.3 | 0.353 | -54.6 |
| 19000 | 0.532 | -134.9 | 2.397 | 74.2 | 0.129 | 57.8 | 0.344 | -56.9 |
| 20000 | 0.523 | -140.0 | 2.314 | 70.8 | 0.133 | 58.4 | 0.335 | -59.4 |
| 21000 | 0.516 | -145.0 | 2.236 | 67.5 | 0.138 | 58.9 | 0.326 | -62.0 |
| 22000 | 0.511 | -149.8 | 2.164 | 64.4 | 0.144 | 59.5 | 0.318 | -64.7 |
| 23000 | 0.507 | -154.6 | 2.096 | 61.3 | 0.150 | 60.0 | 0.310 | -67.5 |
| 24000 | 0.505 | -159.2 | 2.033 | 58.3 | 0.156 | 60.5 | 0.303 | -70.5 |

NOTE:* The data includes bonding wires.

n: number of wires Gate n=2 (0.3mm length, 20μm Dia Au wire)
 Drain n=2 (0.3mm length, 20μm Dia Au wire)
 Source n=4 (0.3mm length, 20μm Dia Au wire)

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