

CMPA2935250S

250 W, 3.1 - 3.7 GHz, GaN MMIC, Power Amplifier

Description

The CMPA2935250S is a gallium nitride (GaN) High Electron Mobility Transistor (HEMT) based monolithic microwave integrated circuit (MMIC). GaN has superior properties compared to silicon or gallium arsenide, including higher breakdown voltage, higher saturated electron drift velocity and higher thermal conductivity. GaN HEMTs also offer greater power density and wider bandwidths compared to Si and GaAs transistors. This MMIC contains a two-stage reactively matched amplifier design approach enabling high power and power added efficiency to be achieved in a 8 mm x 8 mm surface mount (QFN package).



PN: CMPA2935250S Package Type: 8 x 8 QFN

Typical Performance Over 3.1 - 3.5 GHz ($T_c = 25$ °C)

Parameter	3.1 GHz	3.3 GHz	3.5 GHz	Units	
Small Signal Gain ^{1,2}	28.7	28.8	27.5	dB	
Output Power ^{1,3}	54.2	54.6	54.4	dBm	
Power Gain ^{1,3}	24.2	24.6	24.4	dB	
Power Added Efficiency ^{1,3}	61	63	59	%	

Features

- >60% Typical Power Added Efficiency
- 28 dB Small Signal Gain
- 250 W Typical P_{SAT} Operation up to 50 V
- High Breakdown Voltage
- High Temperature Operation

Note: Features are typical performance across frequency under 25°C operation. Please reference performance charts for additional details.

Applications

Civil and Military Pulsed **Radar Amplifiers**

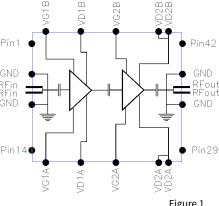


Figure 1.



 $^{{}^{1}}V_{DD} = 50 \text{ V, I}_{DO} = 500 \text{ mA}$

² Measured at Pin = -30 dBm

 $^{^3}$ Measured at Pin = 30 dBm and 300 μ s; Duty Cycle = 20%



Absolute Maximum Ratings (not simultaneous) at 25 °C

Parameter	Symbol	Rating	Units	Conditions
Drain-source Voltage	$V_{\mathtt{DSS}}$	150	VDC	25°C
Gate-source Voltage	V_{GS}	-10, +2	VDC	25°C
Storage Temperature	T_{STG}	-55, +150	°C	
Maximum Forward Gate Current	I _G	57.6	mA	25°C
Maximum Drain Current	I _{DMAX}	10.5	Α	
Soldering Temperature	T _s	260	°C	
Maximum Input Power	P _{IN}	34	dBm	

Electrical Characteristics (Frequency = 3.1 GHz to 3.5 GHz unless otherwise stated; $T_c = 25$ °C)

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Characteristics	Symbol	Min.	Тур.	Мах.	Units	Conditions
DC Characteristics						
Gate Threshold Voltage	$V_{\rm GS(TH)}$	-3.8	-3.0	-2.3	V	$V_{DS} = 10 \text{ V}, I_{D} = 57.6 \text{ mA}$
Gate Quiescent Voltage	$V_{GS(Q)}$	-	-2.7	-	$V_{_{DC}}$	$V_{DD} = 50 \text{ V}, I_{DQ} = 500 \text{ mA}$
Saturated Drain Current ¹	I _{DS}	37.4	53.6	-	Α	$V_{DS} = 6.0 \text{ V}, V_{GS} = 2.0 \text{ V}$
Drain-Source Breakdown Voltage	$V_{_{BD}}$	100	-	-	V	$V_{GS} = -8 \text{ V, I}_{D} = 57.6 \text{ mA}$
RF Characteristics ^{2,3}						
Small Signal Gain	S21 ₁	-	28	-	dB	Pin = -30 dBm, Freq = 3.1 - 3.5 GHz
Output Power	$P_{\mathtt{OUT1}}$	-	54.2	-	dBm	$V_{_{DD}}$ = 50 V, $I_{_{DQ}}$ = 500 mA, $P_{_{IN}}$ = 30 dBm, Freq = 3.1 GHz
Output Power	P_{OUT2}	-	54.6	-	dBm	$V_{_{DD}}$ = 50 V, $I_{_{DQ}}$ = 500 mA, $P_{_{IN}}$ = 30 dBm, Freq = 3.3 GHz
Output Power	Роитз	-	54.4	-	dBm	$V_{DD} = 50 \text{ V}, I_{DQ} = 500 \text{ mA}, P_{IN} = 30 \text{ dBm}, Freq = 3.5 \text{ GHz}$
Power Added Efficiency	$PAE_{\scriptscriptstyle 1}$	-	61	-	%	$V_{DD} = 50 \text{ V}, I_{DQ} = 500 \text{ mA}, P_{IN} = 30 \text{ dBm}, Freq = 3.1 \text{ GHz}$
Power Added Efficiency	PAE ₂	-	63	-	%	$V_{DD} = 50 \text{ V, I}_{DQ} = 500 \text{ mA, P}_{IN} = 30 \text{ dBm, Freq} = 3.3 \text{ GHz}$
Power Added Efficiency	PAE ₃	-	59	-	%	$V_{DD} = 50 \text{ V}, I_{DQ} = 500 \text{ mA}, P_{IN} = 30 \text{ dBm}, Freq = 3.5 \text{ GHz}$
Power Gain	$G_{_{P1}}$	-	24.2	-	dB	$V_{DD} = 50 \text{ V}, I_{DQ} = 500 \text{ mA}, P_{IN} = 30 \text{ dBm}, Freq = 3.1 \text{ GHz}$
Power Gain	G _{P2}	-	24.6	-	dB	$V_{DD} = 50 \text{ V}, I_{DQ} = 500 \text{ mA}, P_{IN} = 30 \text{ dBm}, Freq = 3.3 \text{ GHz}$
Power Gain	G _{P3}	_	24.4	_	dB	$V_{DD} = 50 \text{ V}, I_{DQ} = 500 \text{ mA}, P_{IN} = 30 \text{ dBm}, Freq = 3.5 \text{ GHz}$
Input Return Loss	S11	-	-15	_	dB	Pin = -30 dBm, 3.1 - 3.5 GHz
Output Return Loss	S22	-	-10	-	dB	Pin = -30 dBm, 3.1 - 3.5 GHz
Output Mismatch Stress	VSWR	-	_	3:1	Ψ	No damage at all phase angles
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Notes:

Thermal Characteristics

Parameter	Symbol	Rating	Units	Conditions
Operating Junction Temperature	T	225	°C	
Thermal Resistance, Junction to Case (packaged) ¹	$R_{\theta JC}$	0.47	°C/W	Pulse Width = 300 μs, Duty Cycle =20%

¹ Simulated for the CMPA2935250S at P_{DISS} = 149 W

¹ Scaled from PCM data

² Measured in CMPA2935250S high volume test fixture at 3.1, 3.3 and 3.5 GHz and may not show the full capability of the device due to source inductance and thermal performance.

 $^{^3}$ Unless otherwise noted: Pulse Width = 25 μ s, Duty Cycle = 1%



Test conditions unless otherwise noted: $V_D = 50 \text{ V}$, $I_{DO} = 500 \text{ mA}$, Pulse Width = 300 μ s, Duty Cycle = 20%, Pin = 30 dBm, $T_{BASE} = +25 \,^{\circ}\text{C}$

Output Power (dBm)

Figure 1. Output Power vs Frequency as a Function of Temperature

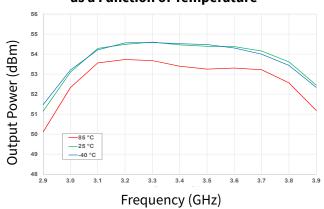


Figure 2. Output Power vs Frequency as a Function of Input Power

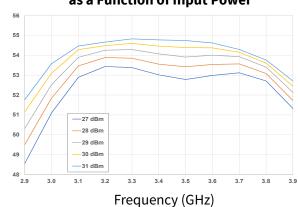


Figure 3. Power Added Eff. vs Frequency as a Function of Temperature

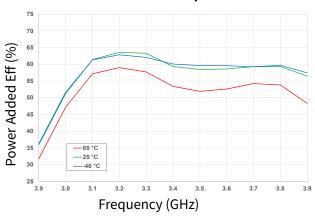


Figure 4. Power Added Eff. vs Frequency as a Function of Input Power

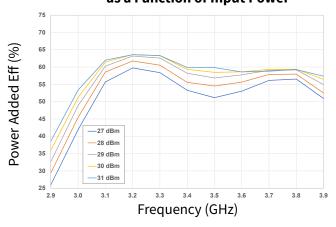


Figure 5. Drain Current vs Frequency as a Function of Temperature

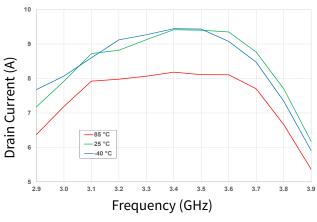
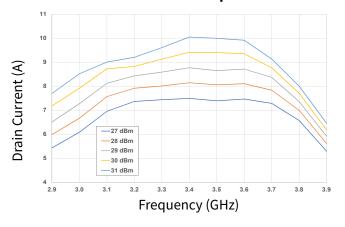


Figure 6. Drain Current vs Frequency as a Function of Input Power





Test conditions unless otherwise noted: $V_D = 50 \text{ V}$, $I_{DO} = 500 \text{ mA}$, Pulse Width = 300 μ s, Duty Cycle = 20%, Pin = 30 dBm, $T_{BASE} = +25 \,^{\circ}\text{C}$

Output Power (dBm)

Figure 7. Output Power vs Frequency as a Function of VD

(WBD)

50

50

50

50

48

50

48

50

40

40

50

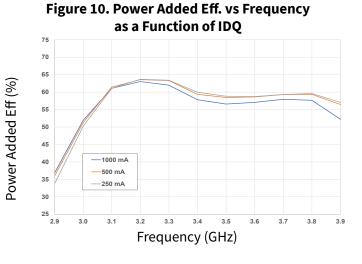
Frequency (GHz)

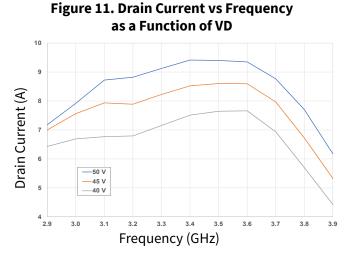
Figure 8. Output Power vs Frequency
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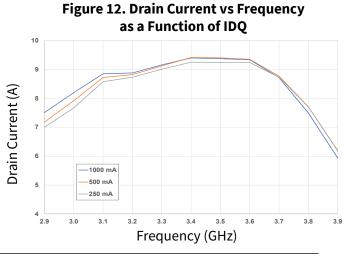
56
55
54
53
52
51
50
-1000 mA
-500 mA
-250 mA

48
2.9 3.0 3.1 3.2 3.3 3.4 3.5 3.6 3.7 3.8 3.9

Frequency (GHz)







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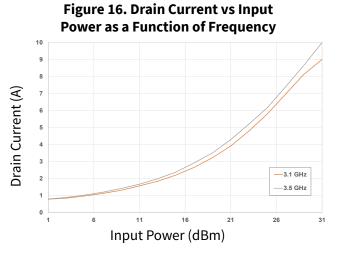
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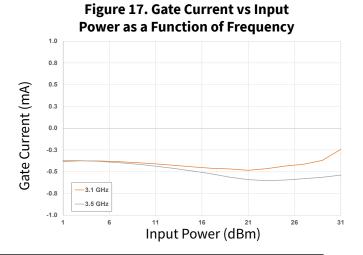
Figure 13. Output Power vs Input **Power as a Function of Frequency** 52 Output Power (dBm) 48 36 -3.1 GHz 3.5 GHz Input Power (dBm)

Figure 14. Power Added Eff. vs Input **Power as a Function of Frequency** Power Added Eff. (%) -3.1 GHz -3.5 GHz Input Power (dBm)

Figure 15. Large Signal Gain vs Input **Power as a Function of Frequency** 32 30 28 26 24 22 -3.1 GHz 20 3.5 GHz 18 31 26

LS Gain (dB) Input Power (dBm)







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Figure 18. Output Power vs Input Power as a Function of Temperature

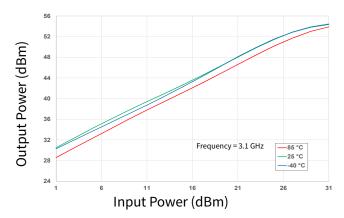


Figure 19. Power Added Eff. vs Input Power as a Function of Temperature

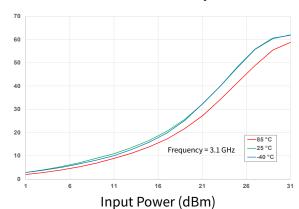


Figure 20. Large Signal Gain vs Input Power as a Function of Temperature

Power Added Eff. (%)



Figure 21. Drain Current vs Input Power as a Function of Temperature

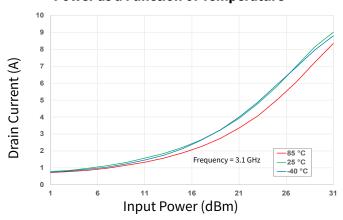
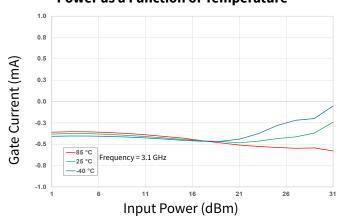


Figure 22. Gate Current vs Input Power as a Function of Temperature





Test conditions unless otherwise noted: $V_D = 50 \text{ V}$, $I_{DO} = 500 \text{ mA}$, Pulse Width = 300 μ s, Duty Cycle = 20%, Pin = 30 dBm, $T_{BASF} = +25 \,^{\circ}\text{C}$

Figure 23. Output Power vs Input Power as a Function of IDQ

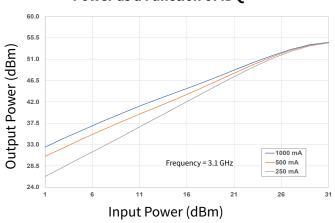


Figure 24. Power Added Eff. vs Input Power as a Function of IDQ

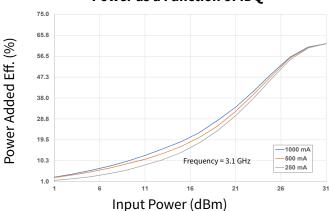


Figure 25. Large Signal Gain vs Input Power as a Function of IDQ

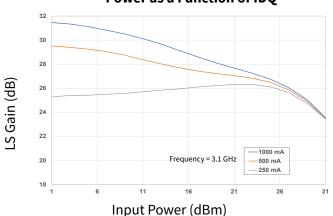


Figure 26. Drain Current vs Input Power as a Function of IDQ

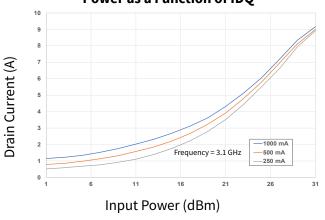
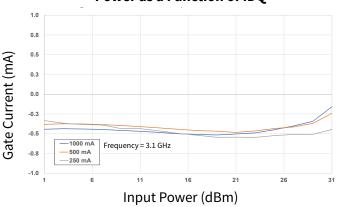


Figure 27. Gate Current vs Input Power as a Function of IDQ





Test conditions unless otherwise noted: $V_D = 50 \text{ V}$, $I_{DO} = 500 \text{ mA}$, Pulse Width = 300 μ s, Duty Cycle = 20%, Pin = 30 dBm, $T_{BASE} = +25 \,^{\circ}\text{C}$

3rd Harmonic Level (dBc)

Figure 28. 2nd Harmonic vs Frequency as a Function of Temperature

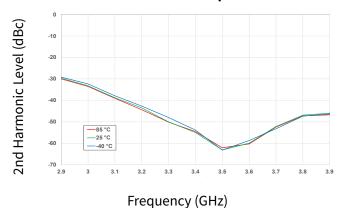
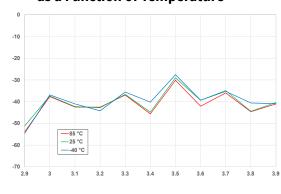


Figure 29. 3rd Harmonic vs Frequency as a Function of Temperature



Frequency (GHz)

Figure 30. 2nd Harmonic vs Output Power as a Function of Frequency

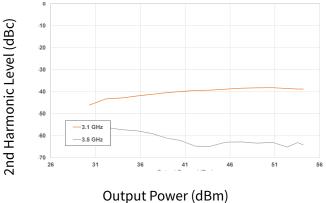
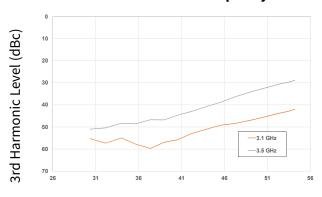


Figure 31. 3rd Harmonic vs Output Power as a Function of Frequency



out Power (dBm) Output Power (dBm)

Figure 32. 2nd Harmonic vs Output Power as a Function of IDQ

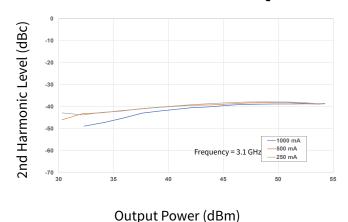
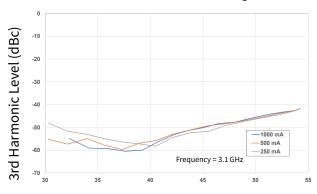


Figure 33. 3rd Harmonic vs Output Power as a Function of IDQ



Output Power (dBm)



Test conditions unless otherwise noted: $V_D = 50 \text{ V}$, $I_{DQ} = 500 \text{ mA}$, Pin = -30 dBm, $T_{BASE} = +25 \,^{\circ}\text{C}$

Figure 34. Gain vs Frequency as a Function of Temperature

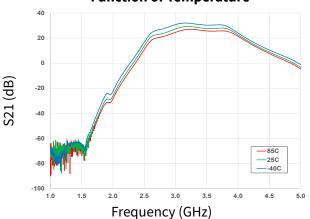


Figure 36. Input RL vs Frequency as a Function of Temperature

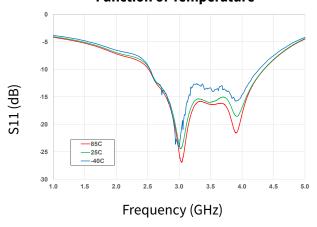


Figure 38. Output RL vs Frequency as a Function of Temperature

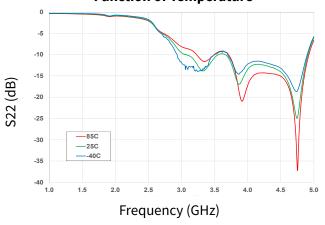


Figure 35. Gain vs Frequency as a Function of Temperature

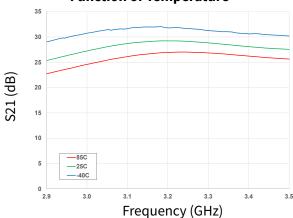


Figure 37. Input RL vs Frequency as a Function of Temperature

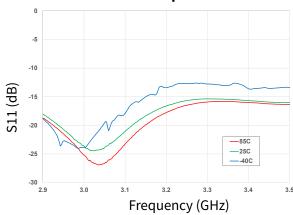
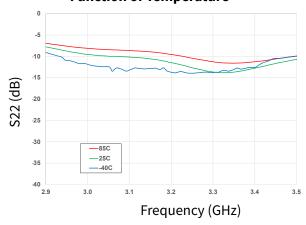
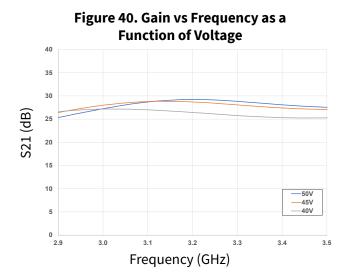


Figure 39. Output RL vs Frequency as a Function of Temperature





Test conditions unless otherwise noted: $V_D = 50 \text{ V}$, $I_{DQ} = 500 \text{ mA}$, Pin = -30 dBm, $T_{BASE} = +25 \,^{\circ}\text{C}$



Frequency (GHz)

Figure 42. Input RL vs Frequency as a Function Voltage

(QD) 115

-10

-15

-20

-25

-30

-40

-45

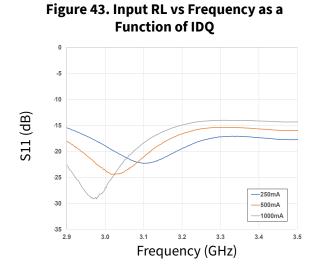
-40

-45

-40

-45

Frequency (GHz)



Function of Voltage

(8p) 275

-5

-20

-25

-30

2.9

3.0

3.1

3.2

3.3

3.4

3.5

Frequency (GHz)

Figure 44. Output RL vs Frequency as a

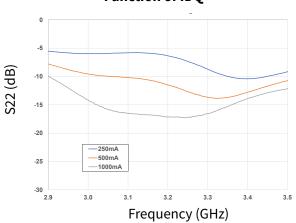
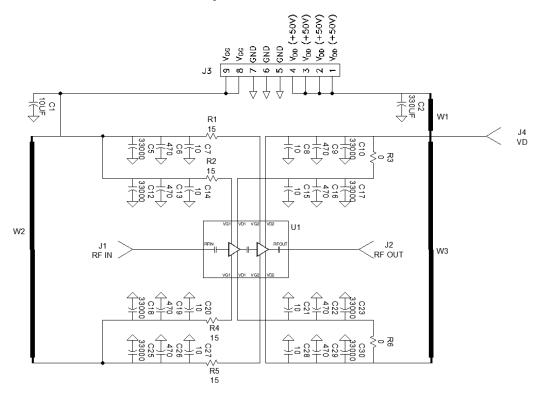


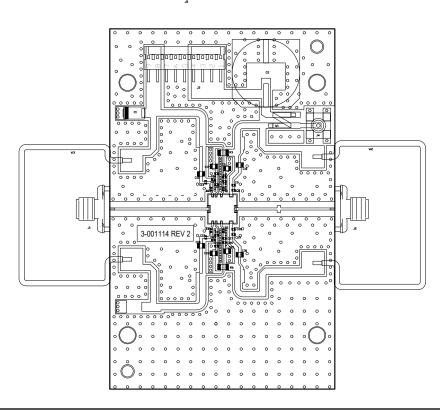
Figure 45. Output RL vs Frequency as a Function of IDQ



CMPA2935250S-AMP1 Demonstration Amplifier Schematic



CMPA2935250S-AMP1 Demonstration Amplifier Circuit Outline





CMPA2935250S-AMP1 Demonstration Amplifier Circuit Bill of Materials

Designator	Description	Qty
C7, C8, C14, C15, C20, C21, C27, C28	CAP, 10pF, +/-5%, pF,200V, 0402	8
C6, C9, C13, C16, C19, C22, C26, C29	CAP, 470PF, 10%, 100V, 0402, X7R	8
C5, C10, C12, C17, C18, C23, C25, C30	CAP, 33000PF, 0805,100V, X7R	8
C2	CAP, 330 UF, 20%, K16 CASE	1
C1	CAP, 10UF, 16V, TANTALUM	1
R1, R2, R4, R5	RES 15 OHM, +/-1%, 1/16W, 0402	4
R3, R6	RES 0.0 OHM 1/16W 1206 SMD	2
J1, J2	CONN, SMA, PANEL MOUNT JACK, FLANGE, 4-HOLE, BLUNT POST, 20MIL	2
J4	CONN, SMB, STRAIGHT JACK RECEPTACLE, SMT, 50 OHM, Au PLATED	1
J3	HEADER RT>PLZ .1CEN LK 9POS	1
W2, W3	WIRE, BLACK, 20 AWG ~ 2.5"	2
W1	WIRE, BLACK, 20 AWG ~ 3.0"	1
	PCB, TEST FIXTURE, RF-35TC, 0.010 THK, 8x8 Over-mold QFN EVAL BOARD	1
	2-56 SOC HD SCREW 3/16 SS	4
	#2 SPLIT LOCKWASHER SS	4
U1	CMPA2935250S	1
	CU BASEPLATE 2.5 X 4.0 X 0.25"	1
J5	WIRE ASSEMBLY, 9-PIN, CGH40090PP-TB	1

Electrostatic Discharge (ESD) Classifications

Parameter	Symbol	Class	Test Methodology
Human Body Model	НВМ	1B (≥ 500 V)	JEDEC JESD22 A114-D
Charge Device Model	CDM	II (≥ 200 V)	JEDEC JESD22 C101-C

Moisture Sensitivity Level (MSL) Classification

Parameter	Symbol	Level	Test Methodology
Moisture Sensitivity Level	MSL	3 (168 hours)	IPC/JEDEC J-STD-20



Product Dimensions CMPA2935250S (Package 8 x 8 QFN)

- NOTES:

 1. DIMENSIONING AND TOLERANCING CONFORM TO ASME Y14.5M. 1994.

 2. ALL DIMENSIONS ARE IN MILLIMETERS, O IS IN DECREES.

 3. IN IS THE TOTAL NUMBER OF TERMINALS.

 \$\int_{\text{0}}\text{DIMENSION A PEPLES TO METALUZED TERMINAL AND IS MEASURED BETWEEN 0.15 AND 0.30mm FROM TERMINAL IN:

 \$\int_{\text{0}}\text{DIMENSION IN REFERS TO THE NUMBER OF TERMINALS.}

- ⚠ DMENSION N REFERS TO THE NUMBER OF TERMINALS.

 ⚠ PIN #I ID ON TOP WILL BE LASER MARKED.

 7. BILATERAL COPLANARITY ZONE APPLIES TO THE EXPOSED HEAT SINK SLUG AS WELL AS THE TERMINALS.

 8. THIS DRAWING CONFORMS TO JEDEC REGISTERED OUTLINE MO—220

 9. ALL PLATED SURFACES ARE 100% TIN MATTE 0.010 mm +/- 0.005 mm.

 10. WITH WARMING ALCOMAGE CONTEX ON THE WOLDED PLASTIC BOOTY CORNERS.

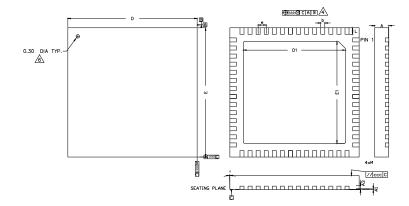
 11. DIMENSION TO DOES NOT INCLUDE MOLD PROTRUSIONS OR GATE BURRS.

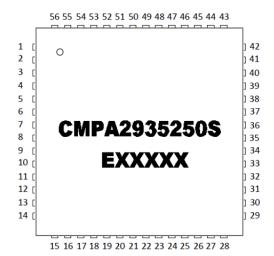
 MOLD PROTRUSIONS AND CATE BURRS SHALL NOT EXCEED JOSTEM SOR TERMINAL PROTRUSIONS. INTERTERMINAL MOLD PROTRUSIONS AND/OR TERMINAL PROTRUSIONS SHALL NOT EXCEED 0.20mm PER SIDE.

 13. DIMENSION AT 15 PRIMARLY FERMINAL PLATING, BUT MAY OR MAY NOT INCLUDE A SMALL PROTRUSION OF TERMINAL BORDING SMALL PROTRUSIONS CONTINUED TO TERMINAL PROTRUSIONS CONTINUED TO TERMINAL PLATING, BUT MAY OR MAY NOT INCLUDE A SMALL PROTRUSION OF TERMINAL BLOW THE BOTTOM SURFACE OF THE PACKAGE.

A	0.80	0.90	1.00
Al	0	0.02	0.05
A3		0.203REF.	
ь	0.18	0.23	0.30
D		8.0 BSC	
Dl		6.30BSC	
E		8.0 BSC	
El		6.30BSC	
e		0.50BSC	
L	0.35	0.40	0.45
θ	0		12
aaa		0.25	
bbb		0.10	
ccc		0.10	
M			0.05
N/s\		56	

SYMBOLS DIMENSIONS IN MILLIMETERS
MIN NOM MAX





PIN	DESC.	PIN	DESC.	PIN	DESC.	PIN	DESC.
1	NC	15	NC	29	NC	43	NC
2	NC	16	VG1A	30	NC	44	VD2B
3	NC	17	NC	31	NC	45	VD2B
4	NC	18	VD1A	32	NC	46	NC
5	RFGND	19	NC	33	RFGND	47	NC
6	NC	20	NC	34	NC	48	NC
7	RFIN	21	VG2A	35	RFOUT	49	NC
8	RFIN	22	NC	36	RFOUT	50	VG2B
9	NC	23	NC	37	NC	51	NC
10	RFGND	24	NC	38	RFGND	52	NC
11	NC	25	NC	39	NC	53	VD1B
12	NC	26	VD2A	40	NC	54	NC
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Part Number System

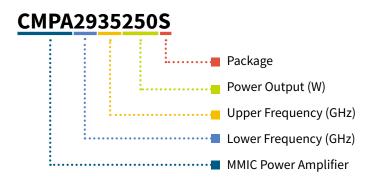


Table 1.

Parameter	Value	Units
Lower Frequency	3.1	GHz
Upper Frequency	3.5	GHz
Power Output	250	W
Package	Surface Mount	-

Note¹: Alpha characters used in frequency code indicate a value greater than 9.9 GHz. See Table 2 for value.

Table 2.

Character Code	Code Value
Α	0
В	1
С	2
D	3
Е	4
F	5
G	6
Н	7
J	8
К	9
Examples:	1A = 10.0 GHz 2H = 27.0 GHz



Product Ordering Information

Order Number	Description	Unit of Measure	Image
CMPA2935250S	GaN HEMT	Each	
CMPA2935250S-AMP1	Test board with GaN MMIC installed	Each	



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