

DXG1CH38A-200EF

RF Power GaN Transistor



1. Product profile

1.1 General description

DXG1CH38A-200EF is a 200 W RF GaN HEMT Transistor with first generation RF GaN technology from Dynax, which is ideal for cellular base station applications at frequencies from 3300 MHz to 3800 MHz.

Table 1. Typical performance

Freq (MHz)	P_{sat}^1 (dBm)	P_{avg}^2 (dBm)	η_D^2 (%)	G_P^2 (dB)	ACPR ² (dBc)
3400~3600	53.0	44.5	45.0	15.3	-30.0

¹ Test condition: Pulsed CW, Pulse width = 100 μ s, Duty cycle = 10 %.

² Typical Doherty performance in Dynax Demo with the device soldered onto the heatsink, test condition: $V_{\text{DS}} = 48$ V, $I_{\text{DQA}} = 180$ mA, $V_{\text{GSB}} = -5.0$ V, Single-Carrier W-CDMA, IQ magnitude clipping, Input signal PAR = 7.5 dB @ 0.01 % probability on CCDF. ACPR measured in 3.84 MHz channel bandwidth @ ± 5 MHz offset.

1.2 Features and benefits

- High efficiency, high gain
- Internally matched for broadband performance
- Designed for Digital Pre-Distortion error correction systems
- Optimized for Doherty applications

1.3 Applications

- RF power amplifier for base stations and multi carrier applications in the 3300 MHz to 3800 MHz frequency range

1.4 Lead-free and RoHS compliant



2. Pinning information

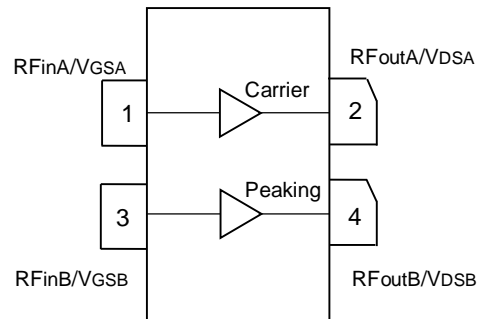


Fig 1. Pin configuration (Top view)

3. Ordering information

Table 2. Ordering information

Part number	Marking	Package type	Packaging information
DXG1CH38A-200EF	DXG1CH38A-200EF	780P2GB	Tray: Suffix = 20 units
			Tape and Reel: Suffix = 100 units; 44 mm Tape width; 13-inch Reel

4. Maximum ratings

Table 3. Maximum ratings

Parameter	Symbol	Rating	Unit
Drain-Source Voltage	V_{DSS}	150	V
Gate-Source Voltage	V_{GS}	-10 ~ +2	V
Operating Voltage	V_{DS}	0 ~ +55	V
Maximum Forward Gate Current	I_{GMAX}	23.0	mA
Storage Temperature Range	T_{STG}	- 65 ~ +150	°C
Operating Junction Temperature	T_J	225	°C
Absolute Maximum Channel Temperature ¹	T_{MAX}	275	°C

¹ Functional operation above 225°C has not been characterized and is not implied. Operation at T_{MAX} (275°C) reduces median time to failure by an order of magnitude; Operation beyond T_{MAX} could cause permanent damage.

5. Thermal characteristics

Table 4. Thermal characteristics

Parameter	Symbol	Value	Unit
Side A, Carrier			
Thermal Resistance at Average Power by Infrared Measurement, Active Die Surface-to-Case $T_{\text{base-plate}} = 85^{\circ}\text{C}$, $P_D = 25.5\text{ W}$	$R_{\text{thjc}}(\text{IR})$	2.9	$^{\circ}\text{C/W}$
Thermal Resistance at Average Power by Finite Element Analysis, Junction-to-Case $T_{\text{base-plate}} = 85^{\circ}\text{C}$, $P_D = 25.5\text{ W}$	$R_{\text{thjc}}(\text{FEA})$	3.8	$^{\circ}\text{C/W}$
Side B, Peaking			
Thermal Resistance at Average Power by Infrared Measurement, Active Die Surface-to-Case $T_{\text{base-plate}} = 85^{\circ}\text{C}$, $P_D = 6.4\text{ W}$	$R_{\text{thjc}}(\text{IR})$	1.9	$^{\circ}\text{C/W}$
Thermal Resistance at Average Power by Finite Element Analysis, Junction-to-Case $T_{\text{base-plate}} = 85^{\circ}\text{C}$, $P_D = 6.4\text{ W}$	$R_{\text{thjc}}(\text{FEA})$	2.4	$^{\circ}\text{C/W}$

6. ESD protection characteristics

Table 5. ESD protection characteristics

Test methodology	Class
Human Body Model (per JS-001-2012)	1A (> 250 V)
Charged Device Model (per JESD22-C101F)	C2 (> 500 V)

7. Moisture sensitivity level

Table 6. Moisture sensitivity level

Test methodology	Class
Moisture Sensitivity Level (per J-STD-020)	Level 1

8. Electrical characteristics (TA = 25°C unless otherwise noted)

Table 7. DC characteristics

Parameter	Symbol	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Side A, Carrier					
Drain-Source Leakage Current (V _{GS} = -10 V, V _{DS} = 150 V)	I _{DSS}	-	-	8.6	mA
Drain-Source Breakdown Voltage (V _{GS} = -10 V, I _D = 8.6 mA)	V _{(BR)DSS}	150	-	-	V
Gate Threshold Voltage (V _{DS} = 48 V, I _D = 8.6 mA)	V _{GS(th)}	-4.0	-2.9	-1.0	V
Gate Quiescent Voltage (V _{DS} = 48 V, I _D = 200 mA)	V _{GS(Q)}	-	-2.7	-	V
Side B, Peaking					
Drain-Source Leakage Current (V _{GS} = -10 V, V _{DS} = 150 V)	I _{DSS}	-	-	14.4	mA
Drain-Source Breakdown Voltage (V _{GS} = -10 V, I _D = 14.4 mA)	V _{(BR)DSS}	150	-	-	V
Gate Threshold Voltage (V _{DS} = 48 V, I _D = 14.4 mA)	V _{GS(th)}	-4.0	-2.9	-1.0	V
Gate Quiescent Voltage (V _{DS} = 48 V, I _D = 300 mA)	V _{GS(Q)}	-	-2.7	-	V

Table 8. RF characteristics (Typical Doherty performance – 3600 MHz) ¹

Parameter	Symbol	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Peak Output Power ²	P _{sat}	52.3	53.3	-	dBm
Drain Efficiency ³	η _D	38.1	45.1	-	%
Power Gain ³	G _P	13.4	15.0	16.6	dB

¹ Typical Doherty performance in Dynax DXG1CH38A-200EF production test fixture, test condition: V_{DS} = 48 V, I_{DQA} = 180 mA, V_{GSB} = -2.8 V + V_{GSQ} @ 200 mA.

² Test condition: Pulsed CW, Pulse width = 100 μs, Duty cycle = 10 %.

³ Test condition: P_{out} = 44.1 dBm Avg., Single-Carrier W-CDMA, IQ magnitude clipping, Input signal PAR = 7.5 dB @ 0.01 % probability on CCDF.

Table 9. Load mismatch

Parameter	Result
VSWR 10:1 at V _{DS} = 48 V, 200 W Pulsed CW output power, Pulse width = 100 μs, Duty cycle = 10%.	No device damage

9. Test information

9.1 Typical application circuit

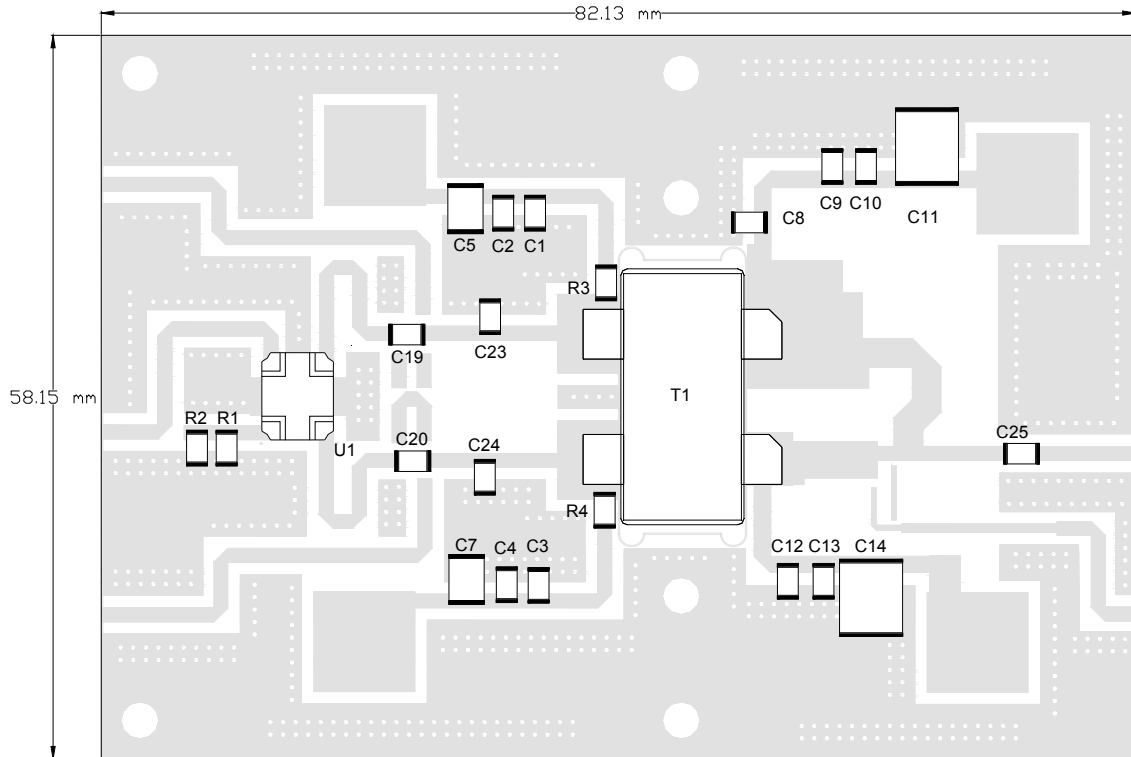


Fig 2. Component layout

Table 10. List of components

S/N	Type	Designator	Description	Value	Vendor
1	Cap	C1,C3,C9,C12,C19,C20,C25	ATC600F6R8JT250XT	6.8 pF	ATC
2	Cap	C2,C4,C10,C13	GRM21BR72A333KA01L	33 nF	Murata
3	Cap	C5,C7	GRM31CZ72A106KE	10 uF	Murata
4	Cap	C11,C14	C5750X7S2A106KT000N	10 uF	TDK
5	Cap	C23,C24	ATC600F0R9JT250XT	0.9 pF	ATC
6	Res	R3,R4	RC0805FR_0710RL	10 Ω	Yageo
7	Res	R1,R2	RC0805FR_07100RL	100 Ω	Yageo
8	HyBrid coupler	U1	CMX35Q05	5 dB	RN2
9	Transistor	T1	DXG1CH38A-200EF	/	Dynax
10	PCB	/	Rogers4350B	20 mil	Rogers

9.2 Graphic data

9.2.1 Pulsed CW

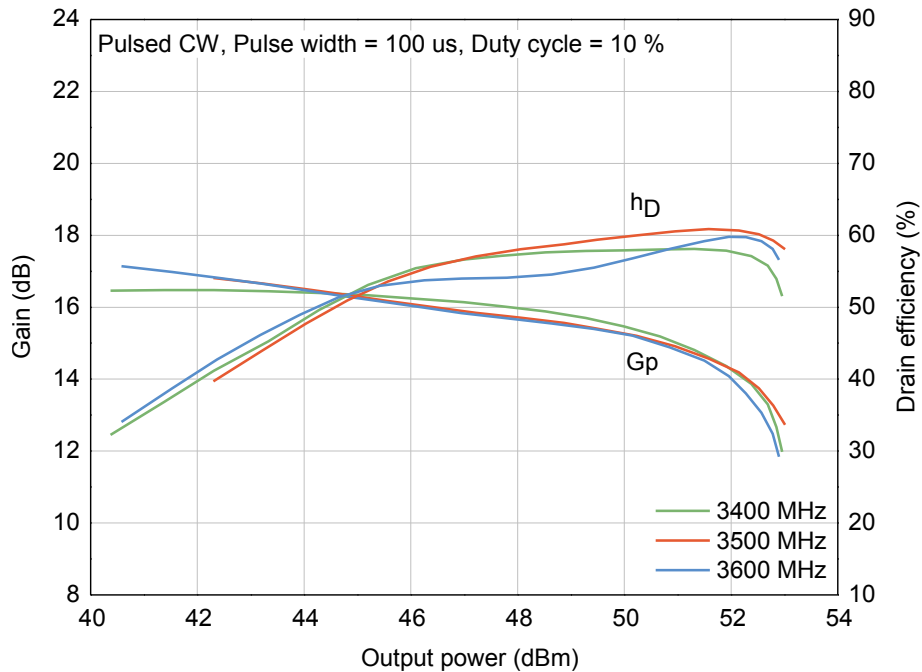


Fig 3. Power gain, Drain efficiency vs. Pulse output power

9.2.2 Single-Carrier W-CDMA

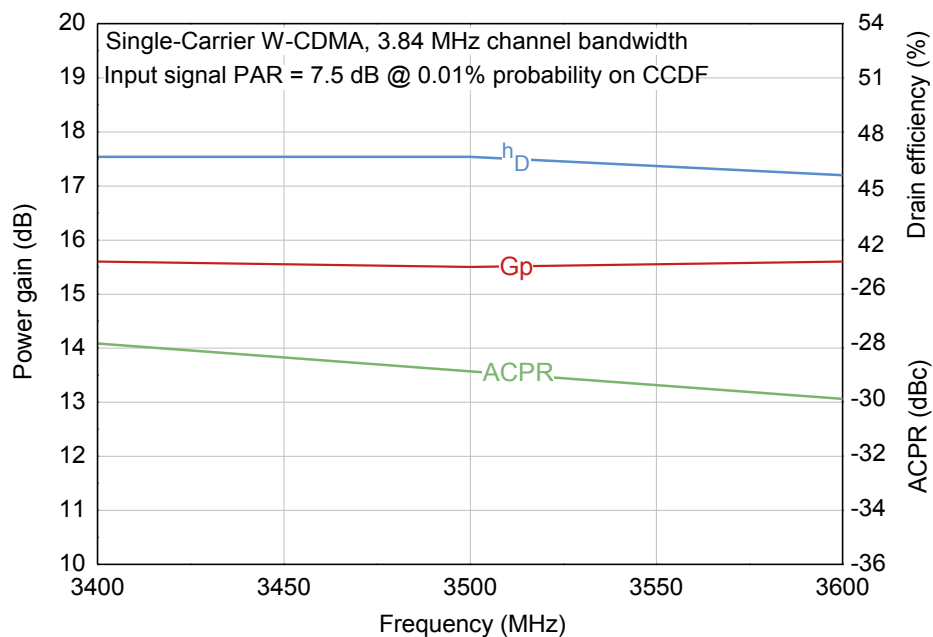


Fig 4. Power gain, Drain efficiency, ACPR vs. Frequency
Single-Carrier W-CDMA @ $P_{out} = 28.2$ Watts Avg.

10. Impedance information

Table 11. Typical impedance of carrier ¹

Maximum Output Power						
Freq (MHz)	Z _S (Ω)	Z _L (Ω)	G _P (dB)	P _{sat} (dBm)	P _{sat} (W)	η _D (%)
3400	22.3 + j12.7	7.5 - j4.2	20.0	50.4	110	68.7
3600	14.2 + j2.2	10.0 - j5.1	19.5	50.3	106	65.9
Maximum Drain Efficiency						
Freq (MHz)	Z _S (Ω)	Z _L (Ω)	G _P (dB)	P _{sat} (dBm)	P _{sat} (W)	η _D (%)
3400	22.3 + j12.7	3.5 - j3.5	21.6	49.0	79	76.3
3600	14.2 + j2.2	4.1 - j5.2	21.4	48.8	76	74.5

Table 12. Typical impedance of peaking ²

Maximum Output Power						
Freq (MHz)	Z _S (Ω)	Z _L (Ω)	G _P (dB)	P _{sat} (dBm)	P _{sat} (W)	η _D (%)
3400	21.9 + j0.4	6.5 - j9.3	19.0	52.0	158	66.2
3600	14.2 - j4.0	9.5 - j10.7	18.3	52.1	162	64.0
Maximum Drain Efficiency						
Freq (MHz)	Z _S (Ω)	Z _L (Ω)	G _P (dB)	P _{sat} (dBm)	P _{sat} (W)	η _D (%)
3400	21.9 + j0.4	4.2 - j7.0	20.4	50.9	123	73.3
3600	14.2 - j4.0	4.3 - j9.6	20.1	50.8	120	71.8

¹ V_{DS} = 48 V, I_{DQA} = 200 mA, Pulsed CW, Pulse width = 100 μs, Duty cycle = 10 %.

² V_{DS} = 48 V, I_{DQB} = 300 mA, Pulsed CW, Pulse width = 100 μs, Duty cycle = 10 %.

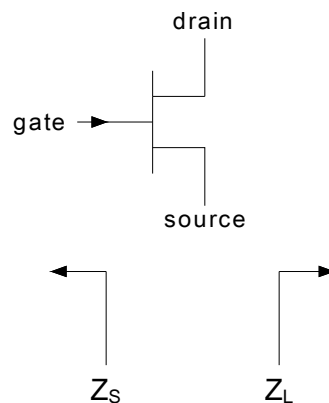


Fig 5. Definition of transistor impedance

11. Median lifetime

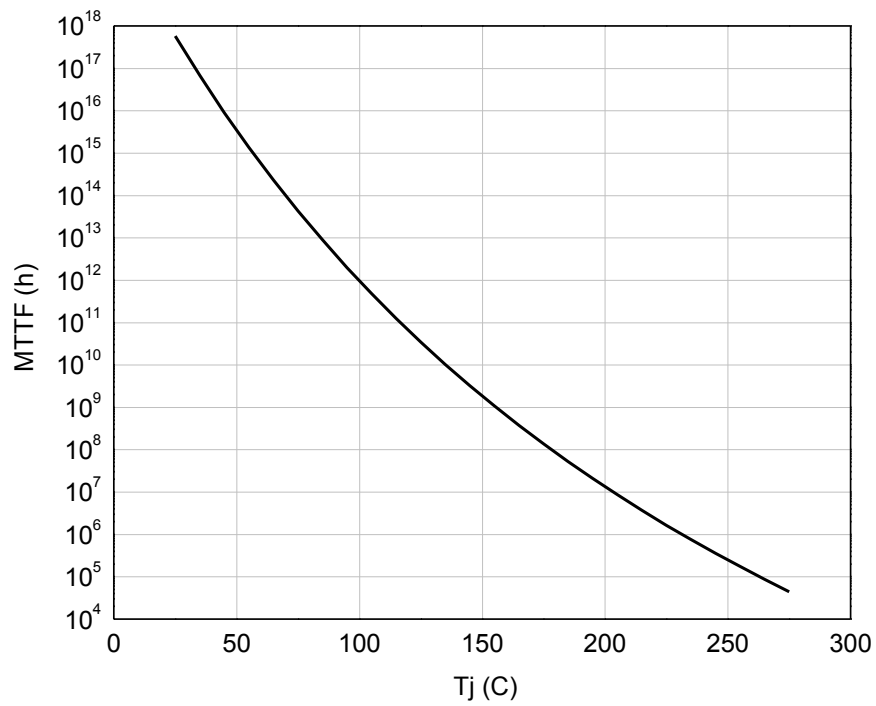
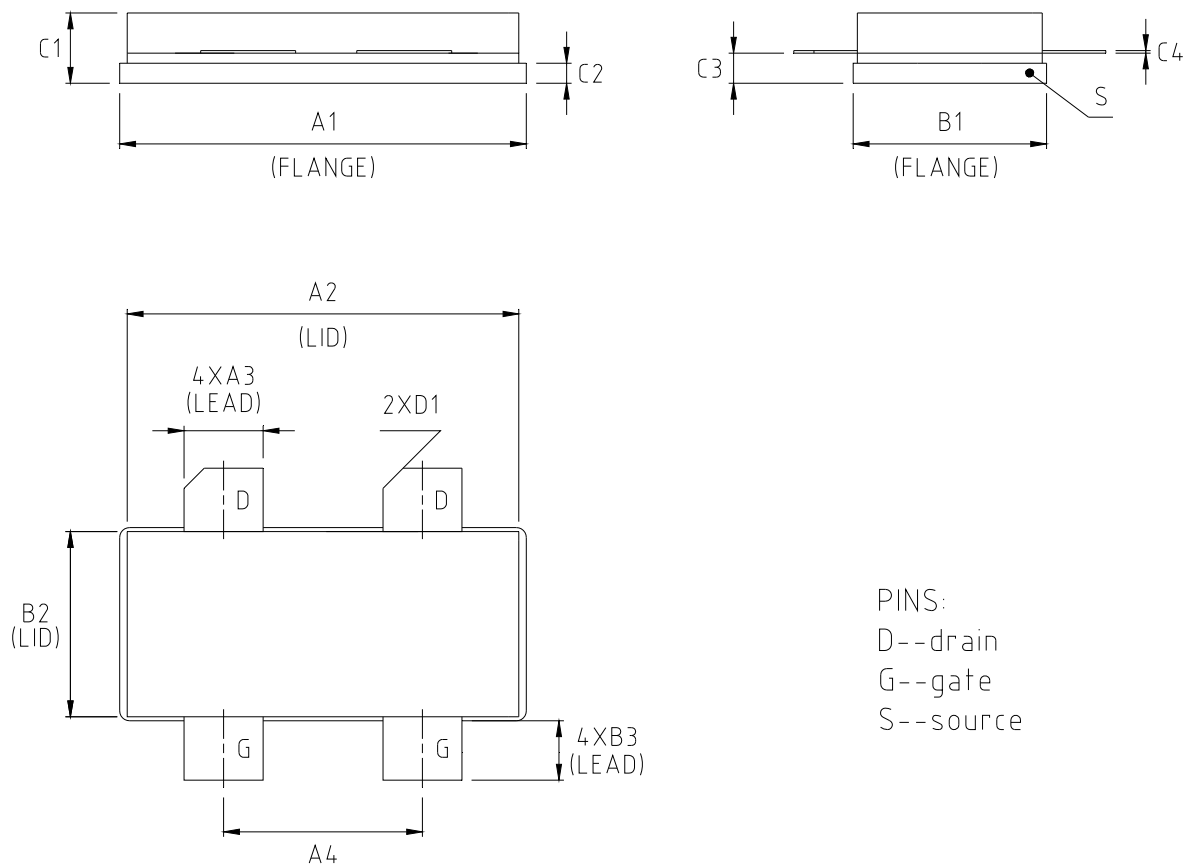


Fig 6. Median lifetime vs. channel temperature

12. Package outline



DIM	INCH		MILLIMETER	
	MIN	MAX	MIN	MAX
A1	0.805	0.815	20.45	20.70
A2	0.772	0.788	19.61	20.02
A3	0.153	0.162	3.87	4.13
A4	0.385	0.395	9.77	10.03
B1	0.380	0.390	9.65	9.91
B2	0.365	0.375	9.27	9.53
B3	0.108	0.128	2.75	3.25
C1	0.130	0.170	3.30	4.32
C2	0.035	0.045	0.89	1.14
C3	0.057	0.067	1.45	1.70
C4	0.003	0.006	0.08	0.15
D1	0.040 45° REF		1.02 45° REF	

Fig 7. Package outline — 780P2GB

13. Abbreviations

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Acronym	Description
CW	Continuous Waveform
ESD	Electro-Static Discharge
GaN	Gallium Nitride
HEMT	High Electron Mobility Transistor
MTTF	Median Time To Failure
VSWR	Voltage Standing Wave Ratio

14. Legal information

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