



# R-C Thermal Model Parameters

## DESCRIPTION

The parametric values in the R-C thermal model have been derived using curve-fitting techniques. R-C values for the electrical circuit in the Foster/tank and Cauer/filter configurations are included. When implemented in PSpice, these values have matching characteristic curves to the single-pulse transient thermal impedance curves for the MOSFET.

These RC values can be used in the PSpice simulation to evaluate the thermal behavior of the MOSFET junction temperature under a defined power profile. These techniques are described in application note AN609, "Thermal Simulation of Power MOSFETs on the PSpice Platform".

## R-C THERMAL MODEL FOR TANK CONFIGURATION



R-C VALUES FOR TANK CONFIGURATION			
THERMAL RESISTANCE (°C/W)			
Junction to	Ambient	Case	Foot
RT1	12.4702	405.3475m	n/a
RT2	7.9712	531.1154m	n/a
RT3	2.7141	501.3474m	n/a
RT4	26.9253	655.7343m	n/a
THERMAL CAPACITANCE (Joules/°C)			
Junction to	Ambient	Case	Foot
CT1	8.9087	27.8249m	n/a
CT2	153.0722m	1.3534m	n/a
CT3	12.6484m	9.8135m	n/a
CT4	1.9134	209.5236m	n/a

### Note

- n/a indicates not applicable

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R-C THERMAL MODEL FOR FILTER CONFIGURATION



R-C VALUES FOR FILTER CONFIGURATION			
THERMAL RESISTANCE (°C/W)			
Junction to	Ambient	Case	Foot
RF1	4.2288	660.6712m	n/a
RF2	8.0007	770.0099m	n/a
RF3	15.5678	240.4948m	n/a
RF4	22.1097	428.4273m	n/a
THERMAL CAPACITANCE (Joules/°C)			
Junction to	Ambient	Case	Foot
CF1	15.7729m	1.0354m	n/a
CF2	170.0161m	6.7731m	n/a
CF3	1.1544	82.9449m	n/a
CF4	1.1925	255.8682m	n/a

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