

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 P-SPICE, 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 P-SPICE 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 P-SPICE Platform".

R-C THERMAL MODEL FOR TANK CONFIGURATION



R-C VALUES FOR TANK CONFIGURATION			
THERMAL RESISTANCE (°C/W)			
Junction to	Ambient	Case	Foot
RT1	12.3498	N/A	12.7452
RT2	35.6279	N/A	20.8236
RT3	41.6187	N/A	20.8313
RT4	40.4036	N/A	20.3366
THERMAL CAPACITANCE (Joules/°C)			
Junction to	Ambient	Case	Foot
CT1	187.6991 u	N/A	65.6989 u
CT2	4.0499 m	N/A	653.3579 u
CT3	20.6870 m	N/A	4.1253 m
CT4	1.7507	N/A	1.8300 m

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	13.2793	N/A	16.4588
RF2	47.0412	N/A	30.2740
RF3	31.2679	N/A	23.6650
RF4	38.4116	N/A	4.7044
THERMAL CAPACITANCE (Joules/°C)			
Junction to	Ambient	Case	Foot
CF1	174.4226 u	N/A	60.6897 u
CF2	3.0928 m	N/A	363.2633 u
CF3	24.2604 m	N/A	943.2779 u
CF4	1.8894	N/A	51.2933 m

Note

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