

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	21.4531	N/A	3.4548
RT2	5.2501	N/A	11.7274
RT3	13.6152	N/A	7.4925
RT4	44.6816	N/A	2.3253
Thermal Capacitance (Joules/°C)			
Junction to	Ambient	Case	Foot
CT1	109.6108 m	N/A	185.6016 m
CT2	2.1473 m	N/A	88.5401 m
CT3	26.6271 m	N/A	9.1880 m
CT4	1.4542	N/A	742.4343 u

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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	5.8488	N/A	2.8487
RF2	20.5135	N/A	9.4381
RF3	17.5854	N/A	10.0088
RF4	41.0523	N/A	2.7044
Thermal Capacitance (Joules/°C)			
Junction to	Ambient	Case	Foot
CF1	1.6000 m	N/A	632.0179 u
CF2	19.3942 m	N/A	8.1358 m
CF3	118.2449 m	N/A	60.0864 m
CF4	1.4594	N/A	63.1557 m

Note

NA indicates not applicable

