

R-C Thermal Model Parameters

DESCRIPTION

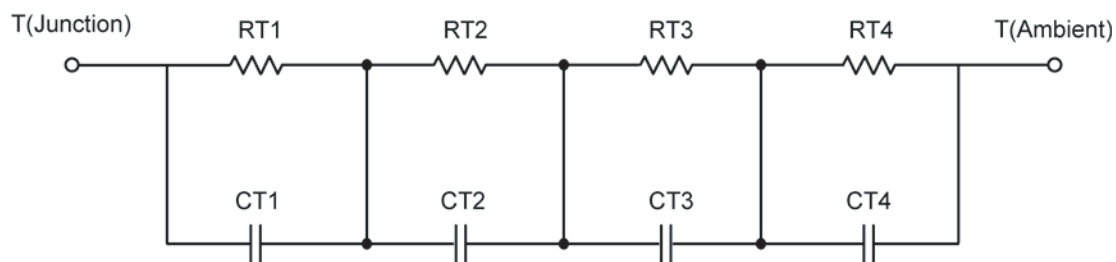
The parametric values in the R-C thermal model have been derived using curve-fitting techniques. These techniques are described in "[A Simple Method of Generating Thermal Models for a Power MOSFET](#)"[1]. When implemented in P-Spice, these values have matching characteristic curves to the Single Pulse Transient Thermal Impedance curves for the MOSFET.

R-C values for the electrical circuit in the Foster/Tank and Cauer/Filter configurations are included.

Note:

For a detailed explanation of implementing these values in P-SPICE, refer to [Application Note AN609 Thermal Simulations Of Power MOSFETs on 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	10.0177	31.7011 m	N/A
RT2	9.8110	369.0422 m	N/A
RT3	5.3482	1.2338	N/A
RT4	42.4788	560.1538 m	N/A
Thermal Capacitance (Joules/°C)			
Junction to	Ambient	Case	Foot
CT1	172.8286 m	1.4806 m	N/A
CT2	1.3368	3.9197 m	N/A
CT3	17.0410 m	32.4252 m	N/A
CT4	1.9908	59.3005 m	N/A

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R-C THERMAL MODEL FOR FILTER CONFIGURATION**R-C VALUES FOR FILTER CONFIGURATION**

Thermal Resistance ($^{\circ}\text{C}/\text{W}$)			
Junction to	Ambient	Case	Foot
RF1	3.8432	5.0406 m	N/A
RF2	11.7098	534.1573 m	N/A
RF3	15.1342	1.2925	N/A
RF4	36.8529	374.2277 m	N/A
Thermal Capacitance (Joules/ $^{\circ}\text{C}$)			
Junction to	Ambient	Case	Foot
CF1	7.7264 m	1.1252 m	N/A
CF2	75.0873 m	1.6646 m	N/A
CF3	441.5888 m	20.3311 m	N/A
CF4	1.5525	1.2171 m	N/A

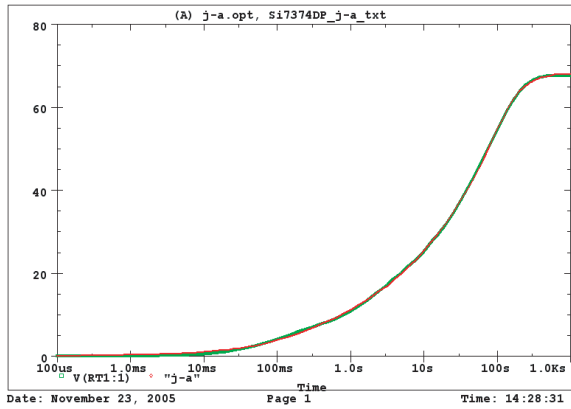
Note: NA indicates not applicable

Reference:

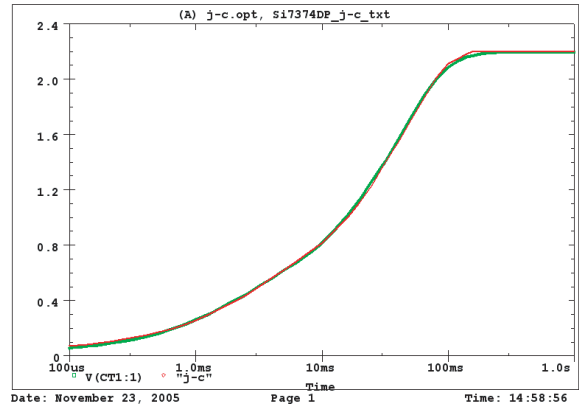
[1] "A Simple Method of Generating Thermal Models for a Power MOSFET" by Wharton McDaniel and Kandarp Pandya. IEEE / SEMITHERM 2002



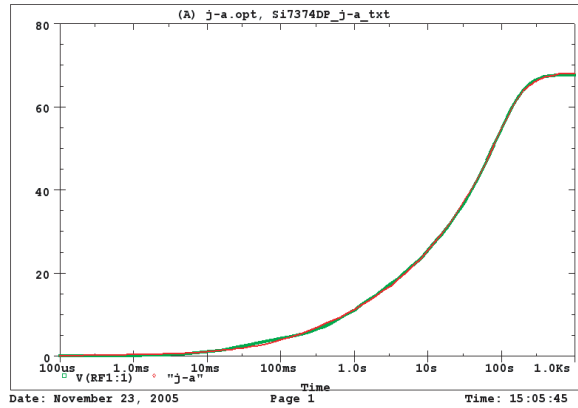
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Si7374DP Tank j-c Temperature: 27.0



Si7374DP Filter j-a Temperature: 27.0



Si7374DP Filter j-c Temperature: 27.0

