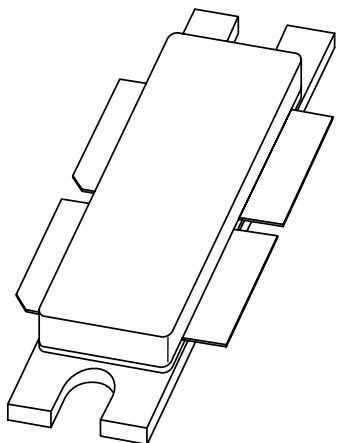


# DATA SHEET



**BLF2048**  
UHF push-pull power  
LDMOS transistor

Preliminary specification

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**UHF push-pull power LDMOS transistor****BLF2048****FEATURES**

- High power gain
- Easy power control
- Excellent ruggedness
- Source on underside eliminates DC isolators, reducing common mode inductance
- Designed for broadband operation (HF to 2.2 GHz).

**APPLICATIONS**

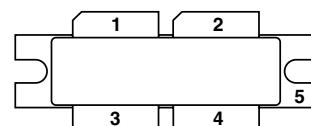
- Common source class-AB operation for PCN and PCS applications in the 1800 to 2200 MHz frequency range.

**DESCRIPTION**

Push-pull silicon N-channel enhancement mode lateral D-MOS transistor encapsulated in a 4-lead flange package (SOT539A) with a ceramic cap. The common source is connected to the mounting flange.

**PINNING - SOT539A**

PIN	DESCRIPTION
1	drain 1
2	drain 2
3	gate 1
4	gate 2
5	source connected to flange



Top view MBK880

Fig.1 Simplified outline.

**QUICK REFERENCE DATA**

RF performance at  $T_h = 25^\circ\text{C}$  in a common source test circuit.

MODE OF OPERATION	f (MHz)	V <sub>DS</sub> (V)	P <sub>L</sub> (W)	G <sub>p</sub> (dB)	η <sub>D</sub> (%)	d <sub>im</sub> (dBc)
2-tone, class-AB	f <sub>1</sub> = 2200; f <sub>2</sub> = 2200.1	26	120 (PEP)	>10	>30	≤-25
		28	140 (PEP)	typ. 11.2	typ. 31	typ. -25

**LIMITING VALUES**

In accordance with the Absolute Maximum Rating System (IEC 134).

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	MIN.	MAX.	UNIT
V <sub>DS</sub>	drain-source voltage	–	65	V
V <sub>GS</sub>	gate-source voltage	–	±15	V
I <sub>D</sub>	drain current (DC)	–	18	A
T <sub>stg</sub>	storage temperature	-65	+150	°C
T <sub>j</sub>	junction temperature	–	200	°C

**CAUTION**

This product is supplied in anti-static packing to prevent damage caused by electrostatic discharge during transport and handling. For further information, refer to Philips specs.: SNW-EQ-608, SNW-FQ-302A and SNW-FQ-302B.

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**THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS**

<b>SYMBOL</b>	<b>PARAMETER</b>	<b>CONDITIONS</b>	<b>VALUE</b>	<b>UNIT</b>
$R_{th\ j\text{-}mb}$	thermal resistance from junction to mounting-base	$P_L = 120\text{ W}; T_{mb} = 50\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ , note 1	0.35	K/W
$R_{th\ mb\text{-}h}$	thermal resistance from mounting-base to heatsink		0.15	K/W

**Note**

- Thermal resistance is determined under nominal 2-tone RF operating conditions.

**CHARACTERISTICS** $T_j = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ; per section unless otherwise specified.

<b>SYMBOL</b>	<b>PARAMETER</b>	<b>CONDITIONS</b>	<b>MIN.</b>	<b>TYP.</b>	<b>MAX.</b>	<b>UNIT</b>
$V_{(BR)DSS}$	drain-source breakdown voltage	$V_{GS} = 0; I_D = 1.4\text{ mA}$	65	—	—	V
$V_{GSth}$	gate-source threshold voltage	$V_{DS} = 10\text{ V}; I_D = 140\text{ mA}$	1.5	—	3.5	V
$I_{DSS}$	drain-source leakage current	$V_{GS} = 0; V_{DS} = 26\text{ V}$	—	—	10	$\mu\text{A}$
$I_{DSX}$	drain cut-off current	$V_{GS} = V_{GSth} + 9\text{ V}; V_{DS} = 10\text{ V}$	18	—	—	A
$I_{GSS}$	gate leakage current	$V_{GS} = \pm 15\text{ V}; V_{DS} = 0$	—	—	250	nA
$g_{fs}$	forward transconductance	$V_{DS} = 10\text{ V}; I_D = 5\text{ A}$	—	4	—	S
$R_{DSon}$	drain-source on-state resistance	$V_{GS} = V_{GSth} + 9\text{ V}; I_D = 5\text{ A}$	—	0.17	—	$\Omega$
$C_{rs}$	feedback capacitance	$V_{GS} = 0; V_{DS} = 26\text{ V}; f = 1\text{ MHz};$ note 1	—	3.4	—	pF

**Note**

- Capacitance of die only.

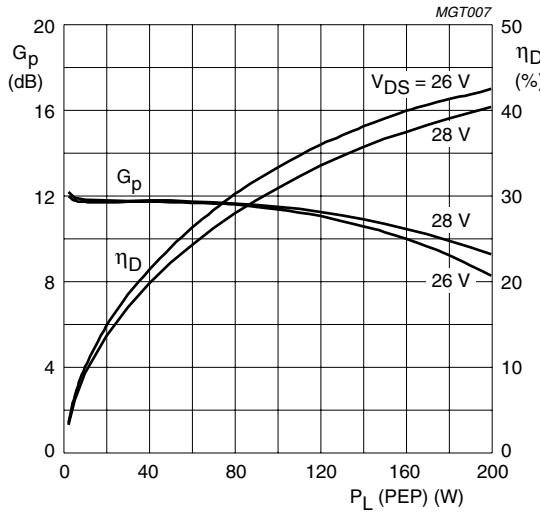
**APPLICATION INFORMATION**RF performance in a common source class-AB circuit.  $T_h = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ;  $R_{th\ j\text{-}h} = 0.5\text{ K/W}$ ; unless otherwise specified.

<b>MODE OF OPERATION</b>	<b>f (MHz)</b>	<b><math>V_{DS}</math> (V)</b>	<b><math>I_{DQ}</math> (mA)</b>	<b><math>P_L</math> (W)</b>	<b><math>G_p</math> (dB)</b>	<b><math>\eta_D</math> (%)</b>	<b><math>d_{im}</math> (dBc)</b>
2-tone, class-AB	$f_1 = 2200; f_2 = 2200.1$	26	2 x 400	120 (PEP)	>10	>30	$\leq -25$
		28	2 x 400	140 (PEP)	typ. 11.2	typ. 31	typ. -25

**Ruggedness in class-AB operation**The BLF2048 is capable of withstanding a load mismatch corresponding to  $VSWR = 10 : 1$  through all phases under the following conditions:  $V_{DS} = 26\text{ V}$ ;  $f = 2200\text{ MHz}$ ,  $P_L = 120\text{ W}$  (CW).

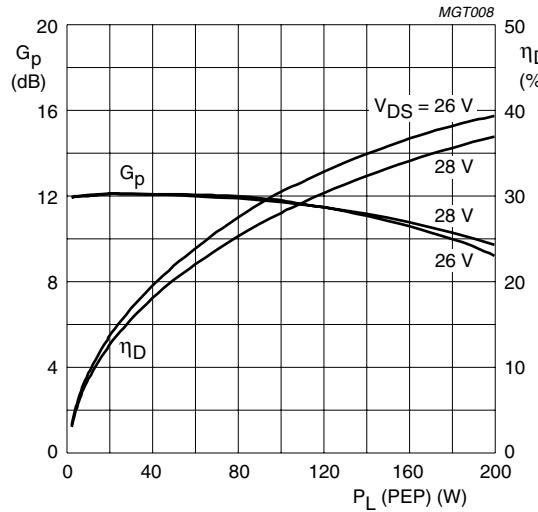
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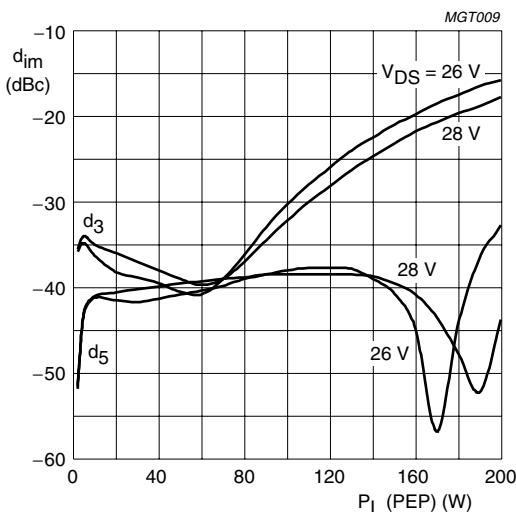
$f_1 = 2000$  MHz;  $f_2 = 2000.1$  MHz;  
 $I_{DQ} = 2 \times 400$  mA;  $T_h \leq 25$  °C.

Fig.2 Power gain and drain efficiency as functions of peak envelope load power; typical values.



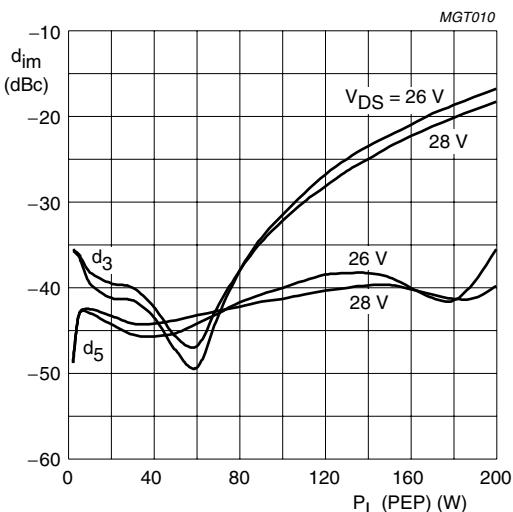
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Fig.3 Power gain and drain efficiency as functions of peak envelope load power; typical values.



$f_1 = 2000$  MHz;  $f_2 = 2000.1$  MHz;  
 $I_{DQ} = 2 \times 400$  mA;  $T_h \leq 25$  °C.

Fig.4 Intermodulation distortion as a function of peak envelope load power; typical values.

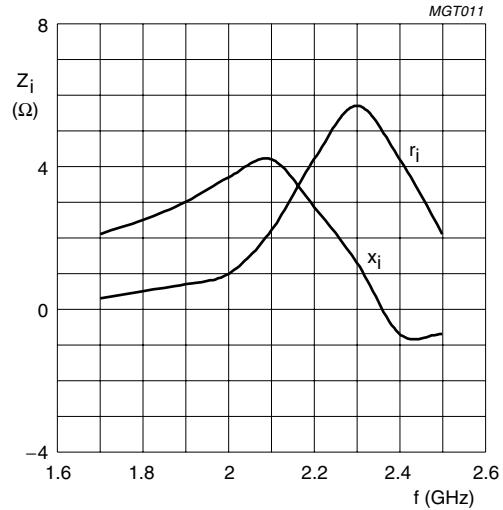


$f_1 = 2200$  MHz;  $f_2 = 2200.1$  MHz;  
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Fig.5 Intermodulation distortion as a function of peak envelope load power; typical values.

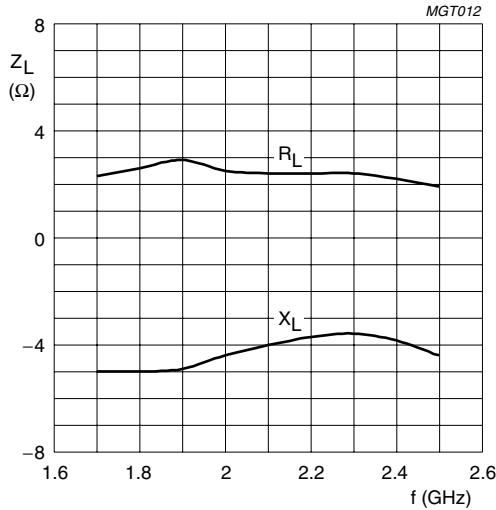
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$V_{DS} = 26$  V;  $I_{DQ} = 2 \times 400$  mA;  $P_L = 160$  W (total device);  
 $T_h \leq 25$  °C.

Fig.6 Input impedance per section as a function of frequency (series components); typical values.

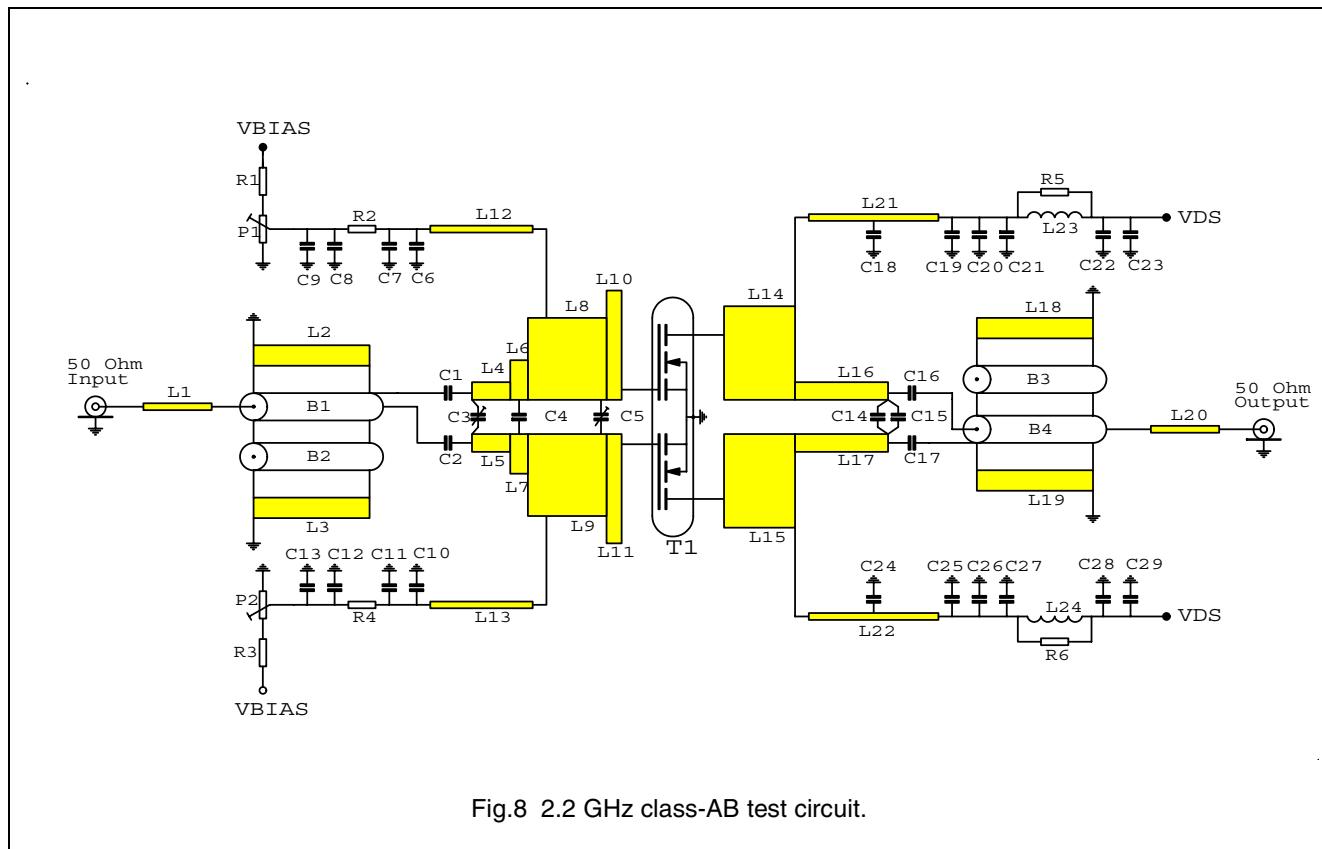


$V_{DS} = 26$  V;  $I_{DQ} = 2 \times 400$  mA;  $P_L = 160$  W (total device);  
 $T_h \leq 25$  °C.

Fig.7 Load impedance per section as a function of frequency (series components); typical values.

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## List of components (see Figs 8 and 9)

COMPONENT	DESCRIPTION	VALUE	DIMENSIONS	CATALOGUE NO.
C1, C2	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor; note 1	5.1 pF		
C3, C5	Tekelec variable capacitor	0.6 to 4.5 pF		
C4	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor; note 1	2.4 pF		
C6, C10	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor; note 2	100 pF		
C7, C11	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor; note 2	18 pF		
C8, C12, C23, C29	tantalum SMD capacitor	4.7 µF; 35 V		
C9, C13, C24, C30	tantalum SMD capacitor	10 µF; 35 V		
C14	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor; note 3	1 pF		
C15	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor; note 3	0.5 pF		
C16	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor; note 1	1.5 pF		
C17, C18	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor; note 1	10 pF		
C19, C25	MKT ceramic chip capacitor	33 nF		2222 370 11333
C20, C26	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor; note 2	6.2 pF		
C21, C27	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor	100 nF		2222 581 16641
C22, C28	multilayer ceramic chip capacitor; note 1	8.2 pF		

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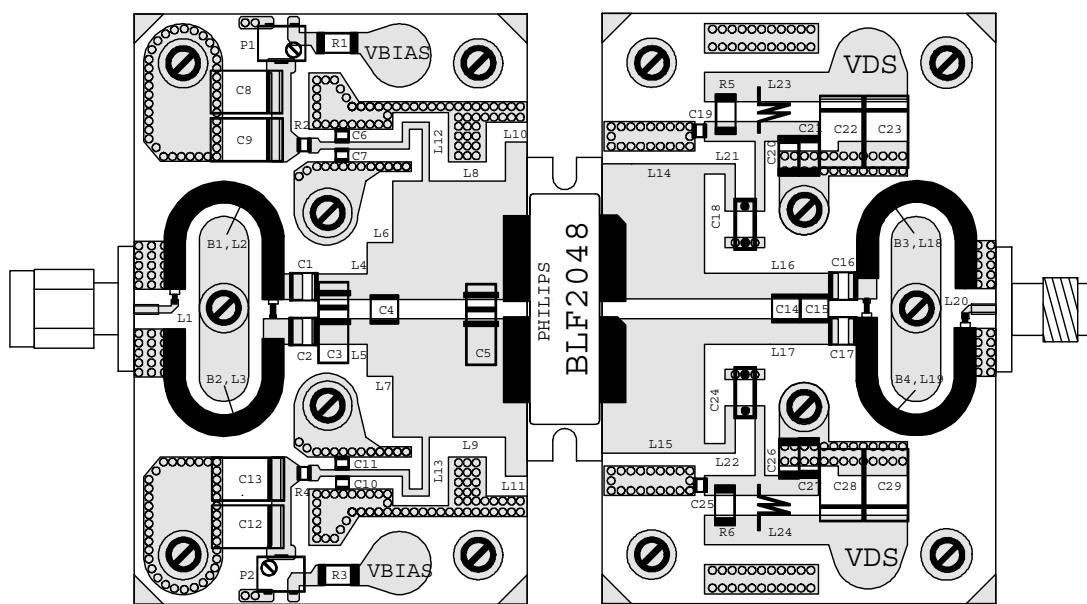
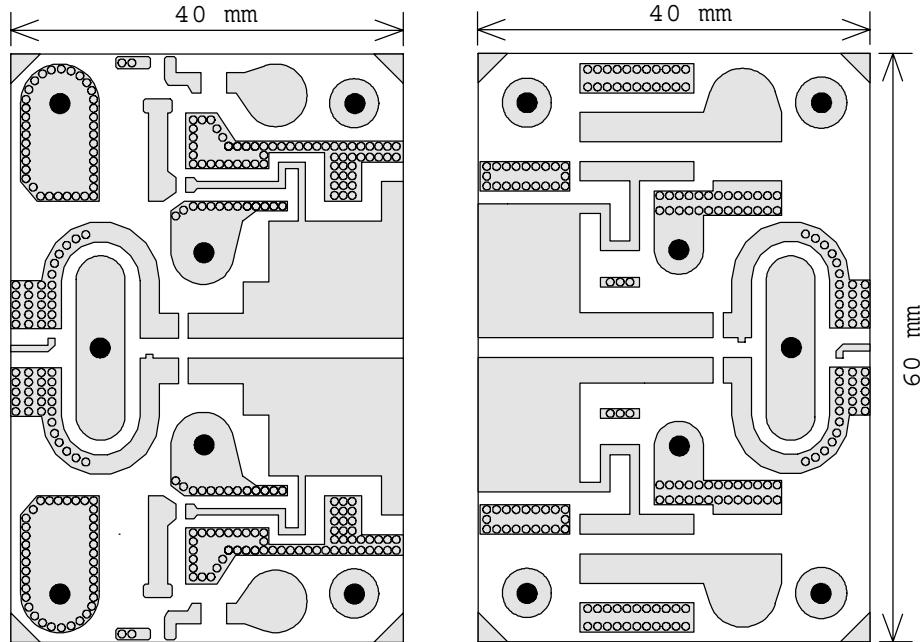
COMPONENT	DESCRIPTION	VALUE	DIMENSIONS	CATALOGUE NO.
L1	stripline; note 4	47 Ω	4.5 × 1 mm	
L2, L3, L18, L19	stripline; note 4		15 × 2 mm	
L4, L5	stripline; note 4		5.6 × 2.6 mm	
L6, L7	stripline; note 4		2.6 × 5.8 mm	
L8, L9	stripline; note 4		11.5 × 12 mm	
L10, L11	stripline; note 4		2.2 × 16 mm	
L12, L13	stripline; note 4	57 Ω	1/4 λ at 2.2 GHz	
L14, L15	stripline; note 4		10.4 × 13.7 mm	
L16, L17	stripline; note 4		13.6 × 2.6 mm	
L20	stripline; note 4	47 Ω	4 × 1 mm	
L21, L22	stripline; note 4	47 Ω	1/4 λ at 2.2 GHz	
L23, L24	1 turn enamelled 0.7 mm copper wire		int.dia. 7 mm; length: tbf	
B1, B4	balun of semi-rigid cable	50 Ω		
B2, B3	semi-rigid cable; note 5	50 Ω		
R1, R3, R5, R6	metal film resistor	5.6 Ω, 0.6 W		
R2, R4	metal film resistor	10 Ω, 0.6 W		
P1, P2	variable resistor (multiturn)	5 kΩ		

**Notes**

1. American Technical Ceramics type 100B or capacitor of same quality.
2. American Technical Ceramics type 100A or capacitor of same quality.
3. American Technical Ceramics type 180R or capacitor of same quality.
4. Semi-rigid cable soldered along the stub to establish balance.
5. The striplines are on a double copper-clad printed-circuit board with Teflon dielectric ( $\epsilon_r = 6.15$ ); thickness 0.64 mm.

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Dimensions in mm.

The components are situated on one side of the copper-clad printed-circuit board with Teflon dielectric ( $\epsilon_r = 6.15$ ), thickness 0.64 mm.  
The other side is unetched and serves as a ground plane.

Fig.9 Component layout for 2.2 GHz class-AB test circuit.

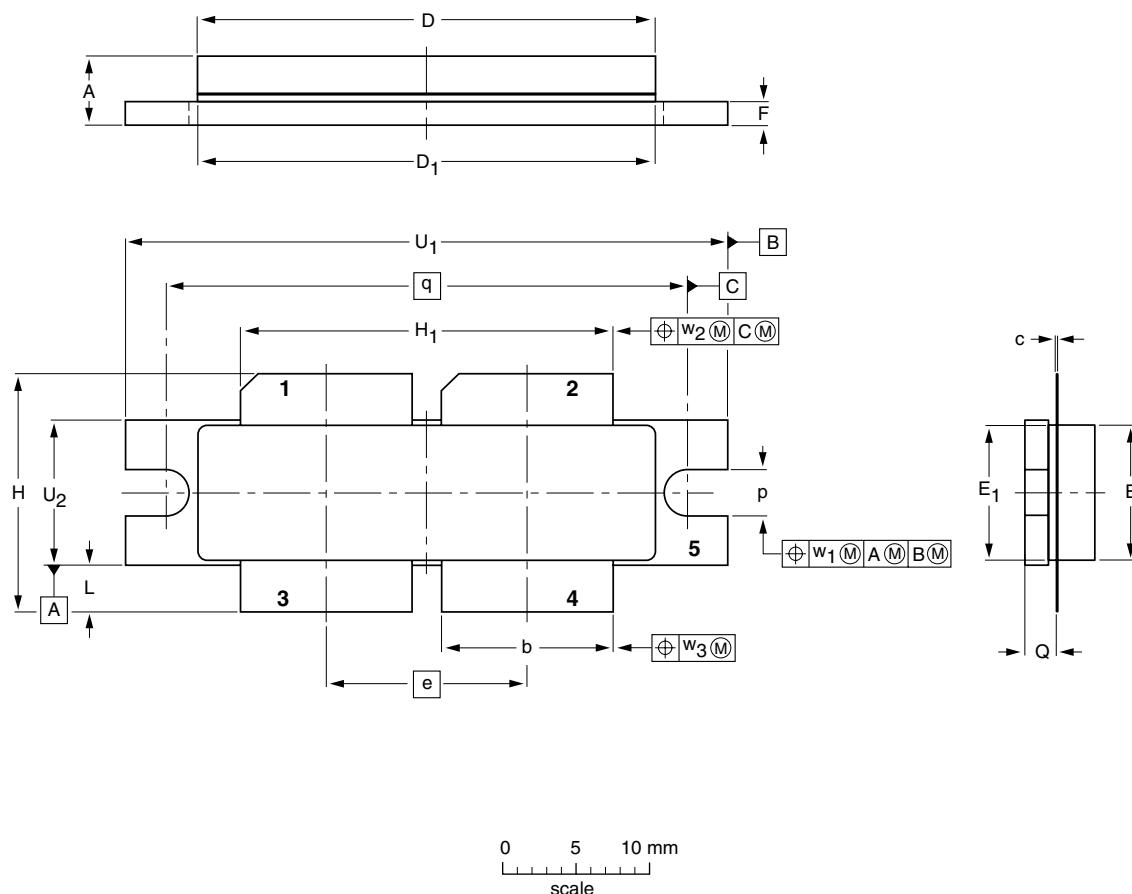
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## PACKAGE OUTLINE

Flanged balanced LDMOST ceramic package; 2 mounting holes; 4 leads

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DIMENSIONS (millimetre dimensions are derived from the original inch dimensions)

UNIT	A	b	c	D	D <sub>1</sub>	e	E	E <sub>1</sub>	F	H	H <sub>1</sub>	L	p	Q	q	U <sub>1</sub>	U <sub>2</sub>	w <sub>1</sub>	w <sub>2</sub>	w <sub>3</sub>
mm	5.33 3.96	11.81 11.56	0.15 0.08	31.55 30.94	31.52 30.96	13.72	9.50 9.30	9.53 9.27	1.75 1.50	17.12 16.10	25.53 25.27	3.73 2.72	3.30 3.05	2.31 2.01	35.56 41.28 41.02	10.29 10.03	0.25	0.51	0.25	
inches	0.210 0.156	0.465 0.455	0.006 0.003	1.242 1.218	1.241 1.219	0.540	0.374 0.366	0.375 0.365	0.069 0.059	0.674 0.634	1.005 0.995	0.147 0.107	0.130 0.120	0.091 0.079	1.400 1.625 1.615	0.405 0.395	0.010	0.020	0.010	

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