

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.

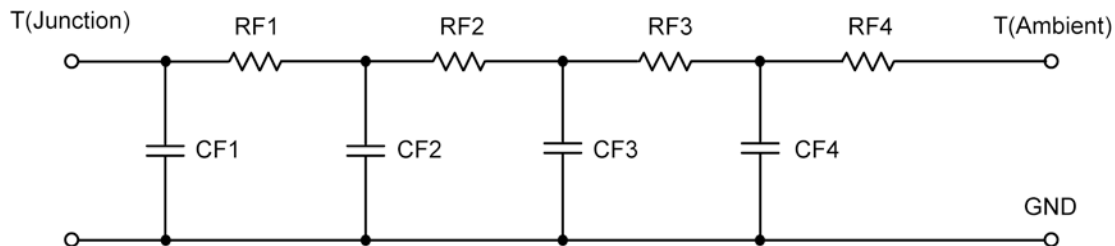
These RC values can be used in the P-SPICE simulation to evaluate the thermal behavior of the MOSFET junction temperature under a defined power profile. These techniques are described in Application Note AN609, "Thermal Simulation of Power MOSFETs on the P-Spice Platform."

R-C THERMAL MODEL FOR TANK CONFIGURATION



R-C VALUES FOR TANK CONFIGURATION			
Thermal Resistance (°C/W)			
Junction to	Ambient	Case	Foot
RT1	3.6506	N/A	1.1404
RT2	52.0627	N/A	6.0133
RT3	12.0050	N/A	8.7732
RT4	17.2817	N/A	5.0731
Thermal Capacitance (Joules/°C)			
Junction to	Ambient	Case	Foot
CT1	5.2117 m	N/A	18.7205 m
CT2	1.4294	N/A	72.4104 m
CT3	50.2100 m	N/A	254.7636 m
CT4	123.3758 m	N/A	9.2230 m

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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	7.0833	N/A	2.9636
RF2	25.1418	N/A	5.8927
RF3	27.9181	N/A	7.7935
RF4	24.8568	N/A	4.3502
Thermal Capacitance (Joules/ $^{\circ}\text{C}$)			
Junction to	Ambient	Case	Foot
CF1	7.2554 m	N/A	4.5411 m
CF2	39.4753 m	N/A	4.8993 m
CF3	1.0080	N/A	82.2551 m
CF4	1.7521	N/A	401.5883 m

Note

NA indicates not applicable

