

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	2.2188	N/A	5.6185
RT2	9.3874	N/A	1.5458
RT3	25.1681	N/A	4.1159
RT4	48.2257	N/A	13.7198
Thermal Capacitance (Joules/°C)			
Junction to	Ambient	Case	Foot
CT1	2.3101 m	N/A	15.1421 m
CT2	22.2166 m	N/A	477.7940 u
CT3	69.8983 m	N/A	7.4209 m
CT4	1.3194	N/A	82.8661 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	3.6502	N/A	1.5543
RF2	21.5633	N/A	9.0942
RF3	14.5451	N/A	5.8468
RF4	45.2414	N/A	8.5047
Thermal Capacitance (Joules/ $^{\circ}\text{C}$)			
Junction to	Ambient	Case	Foot
CF1	2.7949 m	N/A	787.7637 u
CF2	20.7899 m	N/A	3.4318 m
CF3	99.3450 m	N/A	37.5073 m
CF4	1.2184	N/A	83.8493 m

Note

NA indicates not applicable

