

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	14.6069	N/A	3.5653
RT2	5.2515	N/A	10.7587
RT3	52.5882	N/A	1.8164
RT4	22.2677	N/A	3.8596
THERMAL CAPACITANCE (Joules/°C)			
Junction to	Ambient	Case	Foot
CT1	3.3585 m	N/A	813.8292 u
CT2	660.4486 u	N/A	2.6061 m
CT3	1.2672	N/A	317.1266 m
CT4	36.2949 m	N/A	21.6815 m

Note

N/A indicates not applicable

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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	7.2691	N/A	8.2425
RF2	15.9979	N/A	7.9316
RF3	20.6375	N/A	2.4415
RF4	50.8537	N/A	1.3844
THERMAL CAPACITANCE (Joules/°C)			
Junction to	Ambient	Case	Foot
CF1	511.3698 u	N/A	710.3537 u
CF2	2.9334 m	N/A	3.0841 m
CF3	39.0221 m	N/A	9.4373 m
CF4	1.2805	N/A	487.6336 m

Note

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