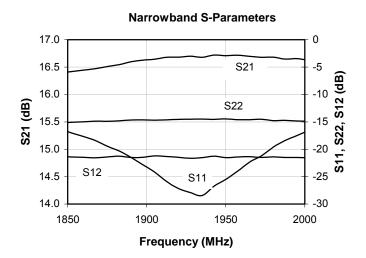
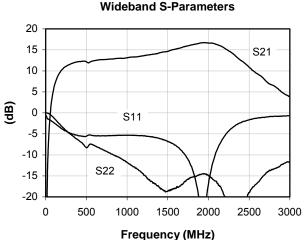
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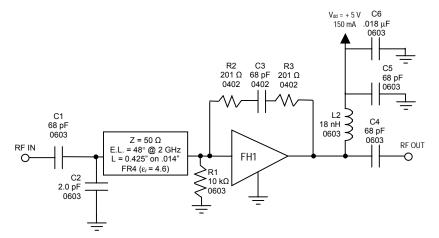
This application note details the operation and schematic of an application circuit using a WJ Communications FH1 device optimized for gain in the 1850 – 1990 MHz frequency band. This circuit is unconditionally stable and offers a gain of 16 dB while providing excellent performance for IP3, P1dB, and noise figure. The WJ Communications low-cost FET requires only a single supply that can be sourced directly from a voltage regulator. This circuit is ideal for use as a driver amplifier for wireless infrastructure equipment requiring high linearity at 1960 MHz, including GSM, TDMA, CDMA, GPRS, EDGE, and WCDMA 3G technologies.

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Frequency	1930 MHz	1990 MHz
S21 – Gain	16.7 dB	16.6 dB
S11 - Input R.L.	-25 dB	-18 dB
S22 - Output R.L.	-14 dB	-14 dB
Output P1dB	20.6 dBm	20.6 dB
Output IP3 ¹	41.5 dBm	41.0 dBm
Noise Figure	2.4 dB	2.5 dB
Bias	5 V @	140 mA







Bill of Materials

Ref. Des.	Value	Part Num / Size
C1, C4, C5	68 pF	size 0603
C2	2.0 pF	AVX ACCU-F 06035J2R0B
C3	68 pF	size 0402
C4	.018 µF	10%, 50V, X7R, 0805
R1	10 kΩ	size 0603
R2, R3	201 Ω	size 0402
U1	FH1	SOT-89
L2	18 nH	TOKO LL1608-FH15NJ

Notes:

- The application circuit should be biased directly into a constant voltage DC regulator. A dropping resistor is NOT required for biasing this device.
- The feedback incorporates the parasitics of the resistors as well as their placement into the design and thus two resistors are required for the feedback. They should not be combined into one resistor.
- 3. The application board material is 14 mil FR4 (er = 4.6)