



# RF LDMOS Wideband Integrated Power Amplifiers

The A3I25D080N integrated Doherty circuit is designed with on-chip matching that makes it usable from 2300 to 2690 MHz. This multi-stage structure is rated for 20 to 32 V operation and covers all typical cellular base station modulation formats.

## 2600 MHz

- Typical Doherty Single-Carrier W-CDMA Characterization Performance:  $V_{DD} = 28$  Vdc,  $I_{DQ(Carrier)} = 175$  mA,  $V_{GS(Peaking)} = 1.85$  Vdc,  $P_{out} = 8.5$  W Avg., Input Signal PAR = 9.9 dB @ 0.01% Probability on CCDF. (1)

Frequency	$G_{ps}$ (dB)	PAE (%)	ACPR (dBc)
2496 MHz	29.7	36.7	-37.9
2590 MHz	29.6	37.0	-37.5
2690 MHz	29.4	36.1	-36.2

## 2300 MHz

- Typical Doherty Single-Carrier W-CDMA Performance:  $V_{DD} = 28$  Vdc,  $I_{DQ(Carrier)} = 182$  mA,  $V_{GS(Peaking)} = 2.42$  Vdc,  $P_{out} = 8.9$  W Avg., Input Signal PAR = 9.9 dB @ 0.01% Probability on CCDF. (1)

Frequency	$G_{ps}$ (dB)	PAE (%)	ACPR (dBc)
2300 MHz	30.3	36.1	-36.2
2350 MHz	30.2	35.5	-38.7
2400 MHz	30.2	35.2	-39.5

## Features

- Integrated Doherty splitter and combiner
- RF decoupled drain pins reduce overall board space
- On-chip matching (50 ohm input, DC blocked)
- Integrated quiescent current temperature compensation with enable/disable function (2)

1. All data measured in fixture with device soldered to heatsink.  
 2. Refer to AN1977, *Quiescent Current Thermal Tracking Circuit in the RF Integrated Circuit Family*, and to AN1987, *Quiescent Current Control for the RF Integrated Circuit Device Family*. Go to <http://www.nxp.com/RF> and search for AN1977 or AN1987.

**A3I25D080N**  
**A3I25D080GN**

**2300–2690 MHz, 8.3 W Avg., 28 V**  
**AIRFAST RF LDMOS**  
**INTEGRATED POWER AMPLIFIERS**

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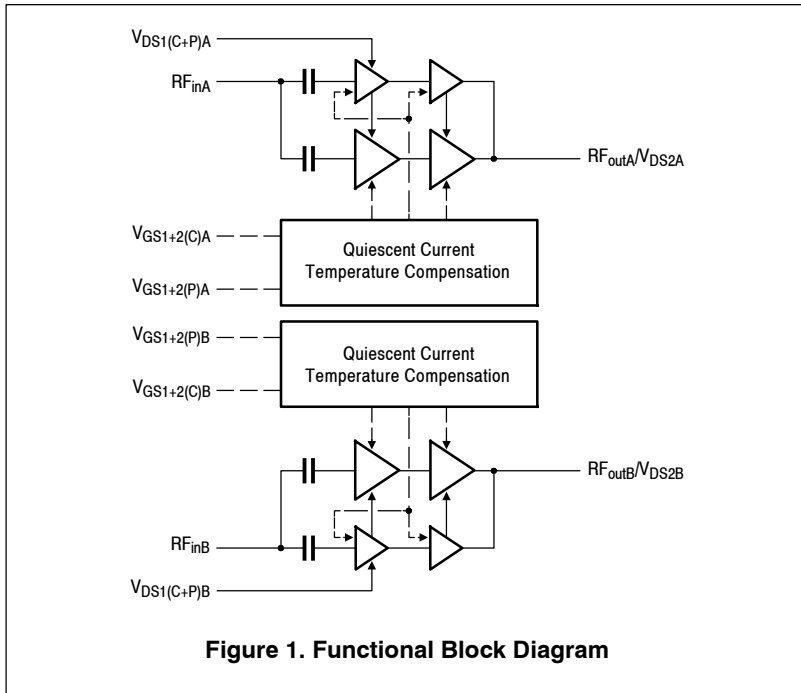


Figure 1. Functional Block Diagram

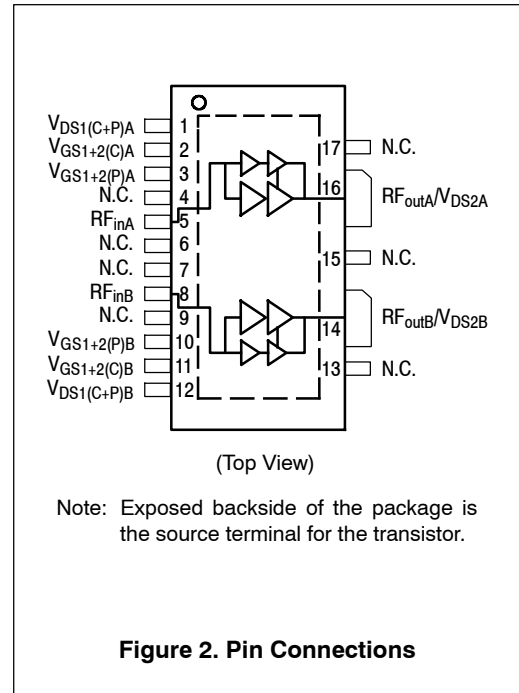


Figure 2. Pin Connections

Table 1. Maximum Ratings

Rating	Symbol	Value	Unit
Drain-Source Voltage	$V_{DSS}$	-0.5, +65	Vdc
Gate-Source Voltage	$V_{GS}$	-0.5, +10	Vdc
Operating Voltage	$V_{DD}$	32, +0	Vdc
Storage Temperature Range	$T_{stg}$	-65 to +150	°C
Case Operating Temperature Range	$T_C$	-40 to +150	°C
Operating Junction Temperature Range (1)	$T_J$	-40 to +225	°C
Input Power	$P_{in}$	23	dBm

Table 2. Thermal Characteristics

Characteristic	Symbol	Value (2)	Unit
Thermal Resistance, Junction to Case Case Temperature 85°C, 8.3 W, 2590 MHz Stage 1, 28 Vdc, $I_{DQ(Carrier)} = 175$ mA Stage 2, 28 Vdc, $V_{GS(Peaking)} = 1.92$ Vdc	$R_{\theta JC}$	5.6 1.2	°C/W

Table 3. ESD Protection Characteristics

Test Methodology	Class
Human Body Model (per JS-001-2017)	1B
Charge Device Model (per JS-002-2014)	C2

Table 4. Moisture Sensitivity Level

Test Methodology	Rating	Package Peak Temperature	Unit
Per JESD22-A113, IPC/JEDEC J-STD-020	3	260	°C

1. Continuous use at maximum temperature will affect MTTF.

2. Refer to AN1955, *Thermal Measurement Methodology of RF Power Amplifiers*. Go to <http://www.nxp.com/RF> and search for AN1955.

**Table 5. Electrical Characteristics** ( $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$  unless otherwise noted)

Characteristic	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
<b>Carrier Stage 1 and Stage 2 — Off Characteristics</b>					
Zero Gate Voltage Drain Leakage Current ( $V_{DS} = 65\text{ Vdc}$ , $V_{GS} = 0\text{ Vdc}$ )	$I_{DSS(TOTAL)}$	—	—	10	$\mu\text{A dc}$
Zero Gate Voltage Drain Leakage Current ( $V_{DS} = 32\text{ Vdc}$ , $V_{GS} = 0\text{ Vdc}$ )	$I_{DSS(TOTAL)}$	—	—	1	$\mu\text{A dc}$
<b>Carrier Stage 1 and Stage 2 — On Characteristics</b>					
Gate Threshold Voltage <sup>(1)</sup> ( $V_{DS} = 10\text{ Vdc}$ , $I_D = 16\ \mu\text{A dc}$ )	$V_{GSC(th)}$	0.9	1.3	1.9	Vdc
Gate Quiescent Voltage ( $V_{DS} = 28\text{ Vdc}$ , $I_{DQ(Carrier)} = 175\text{ mA dc}$ )	$V_{GSC(Q)}$	—	2.0	—	Vdc
Fixture Gate Quiescent Voltage ( $V_{DD} = 28\text{ Vdc}$ , $I_{DQ(Carrier)} = 175\text{ mA dc}$ , Measured in Functional Test)	$V_{GGC(Q)}$	4.2	4.9	5.7	Vdc
<b>Peaking Stage 1 and Stage 2 — On Characteristics</b>					
Gate Threshold Voltage <sup>(1)</sup> ( $V_{DS} = 10\text{ Vdc}$ , $I_D = 31\ \mu\text{A dc}$ )	$V_{GSP(th)}$	0.9	1.4	2.1	Vdc

1. Each side of device measured separately.

(continued)

**Table 5. Electrical Characteristics** ( $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$  unless otherwise noted) (continued)

Characteristic	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
<b>Functional Tests</b> <sup>(1,2)</sup> (In NXP Production Test Fixture, 50 ohm system) $V_{DD} = 28\text{ Vdc}$ , $I_{DQ(\text{Carrier})} = 175\text{ mA}$ , $V_{GS(\text{Peaking})} = 1.92\text{ Vdc}$ , $P_{\text{out}} = 8.3\text{ W Avg.}$ , $f = 2690\text{ MHz}$ , Single-Carrier W-CDMA, IQ Magnitude Clipping, Input Signal PAR = 9.9 dB @ 0.01% Probability on CCDF. ACPR measured in 3.84 MHz Channel Bandwidth @ $\pm 5\text{ MHz}$ Offset.					
Power Gain	$G_{ps}$	27.2	29.2	32.0	dB
Power Added Efficiency	PAE	34.0	35.6	—	%
Adjacent Channel Power Ratio	ACPR	—	-35.5	-33.0	dBc
$P_{\text{out}}$ @ 3 dB Compression Point, CW	P3dB	56.2	71.6	—	W

**Wideband Ruggedness** <sup>(3)</sup> (In NXP Characterization Test Fixture, 50 ohm system)  $I_{DQ(\text{Carrier})} = 175\text{ mA}$ ,  $V_{GS(\text{Peaking})} = 1.85\text{ Vdc}$ ,  $f = 2600\text{ MHz}$ , Additive White Gaussian Noise (AWGN) with 10 dB PAR

ISBW of 400 MHz at 30 Vdc, 16.6 W Avg. Modulated Output Power (3 dB Input Overdrive from 8.3 W Avg. Modulated Output Power)	No Device Degradation				
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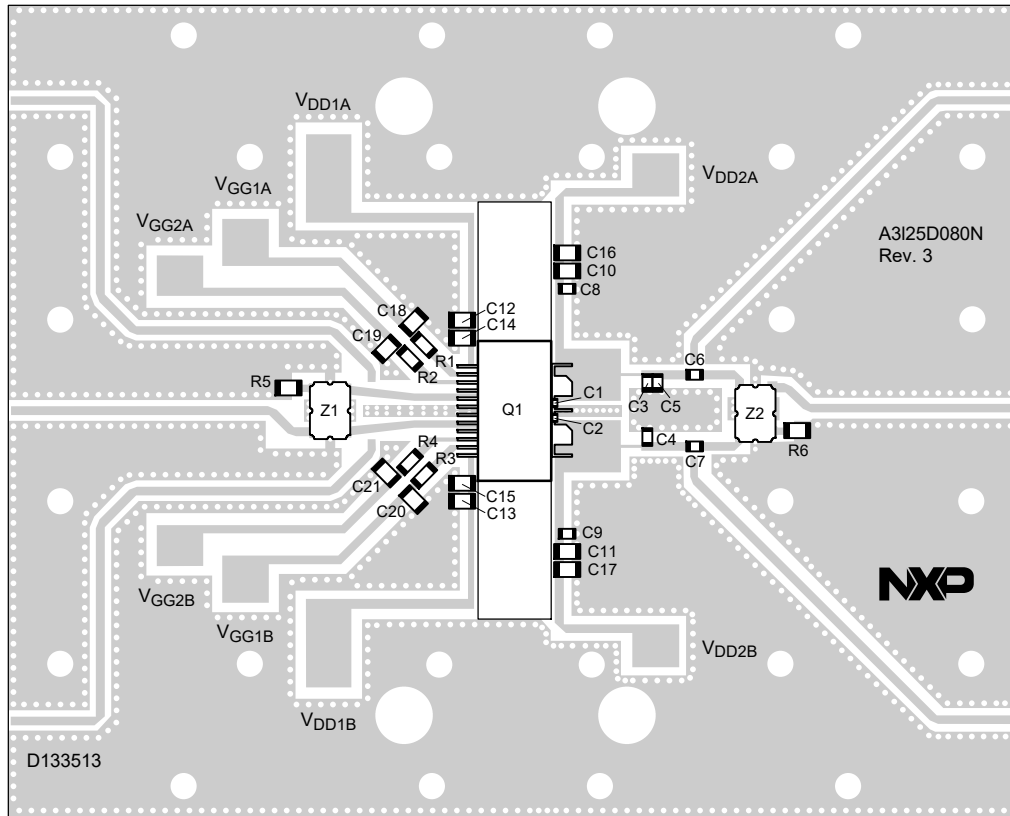
**Typical Performance** <sup>(3)</sup> (In NXP Characterization Test Fixture, 50 ohm system)  $V_{DD} = 28\text{ Vdc}$ ,  $I_{DQ(\text{Carrier})} = 175\text{ mA}$ ,  $V_{GS(\text{Peaking})} = 1.85\text{ Vdc}$ , 2496–2690 MHz Bandwidth

$P_{\text{out}}$ @ 3 dB Compression Point <sup>(4)</sup>	P3dB	—	85.0	—	W
AM/PM (Maximum value measured at the P3dB compression point across the 2496–2690 MHz frequency range.)	$\Phi$	—	-14	—	°
VBW Resonance Point (IMD Third Order Intermodulation Inflection Point)	$VBW_{res}$	—	260	—	MHz
Quiescent Current Accuracy over Temperature <sup>(5)</sup> with 2.4 k $\Omega$ Gate Feed Resistors (-40°C to +85°C) Stage 1 with 2.4 k $\Omega$ Gate Feed Resistors (-40°C to +85°C) Stage 2	$\Delta I_{QT}$	—	9.52 12.79	—	%
Gain Flatness in 194 MHz Bandwidth @ $P_{\text{out}} = 8.5\text{ W Avg.}$	$G_F$	—	0.3	—	dB
Gain Variation over Temperature (-40°C to +85°C)	$\Delta G$	—	0.032	—	dB/°C
Output Power Variation over Temperature (-40°C to +85°C)	$\Delta P_{3dB}$	—	0.013	—	dB/°C

**Table 6. Ordering Information**

Device	Tape and Reel Information	Package
A3I25D080NR1	R1 Suffix = 500 Units, 44 mm Tape Width, 13-inch Reel	TO-270WB-17
A3I25D080GNR1		TO-270WBG-17

- Part internally input and output matched.
- Measurements made with device in straight lead configuration before any lead forming operation is applied. Lead forming is used for gull wing (GN) parts.
- All data measured in fixture with device soldered to heatsink.
- $P_{3dB} = P_{avg} + 7.0\text{ dB}$  where  $P_{avg}$  is the average output power measured using an unclipped W-CDMA single-carrier input signal where output PAR is compressed to 7.0 dB @ 0.01% probability on CCDF.
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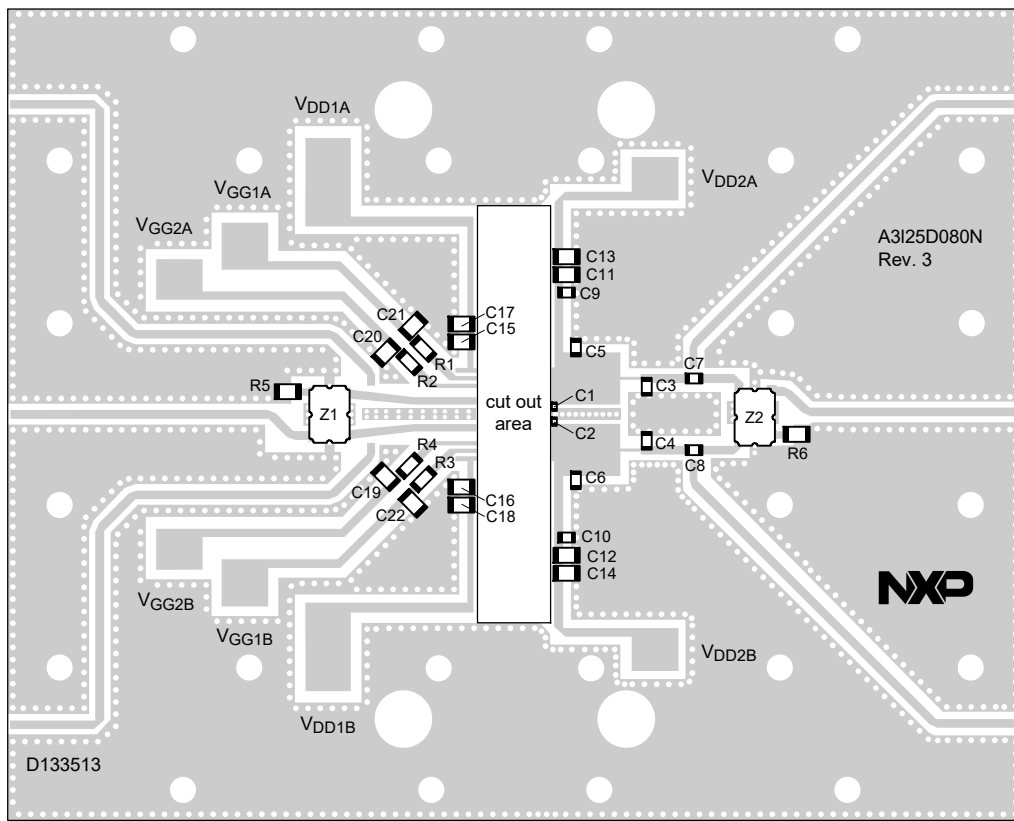
Note: All data measured in fixture with device soldered to heatsink.

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Figure 3. A3I25D080N Characterization Test Circuit Component Layout — 2496–2690 MHz

Table 7. A3I25D080N Characterization Test Circuit Component Designations and Values — 2496–2690 MHz

Part	Description	Part Number	Manufacturer
C1, C2	2.4 pF Chip Capacitor	600L2R4AT200T	ATC
C3, C4	1.2 pF Chip Capacitor	600F1R2BT250XT	ATC
C5	0.2 pF Chip Capacitor	600F0R2BT250XT	ATC
C6, C7, C8, C9	20 pF Chip Capacitor	600F200JT250XT	ATC
C10, C11, C12, C13, C14, C15, C16, C17	10 $\mu$ F Chip Capacitor	GRM32EC72A106KE05L	Murata
C18, C19, C20, C21	4.7 $\mu$ F Chip Capacitor	GRM31CR71H475KA12L	Murata
Q1	RF Power LDMOS Transistor	A3I25D080N	NXP
R1, R2, R3, R4	2.4 k $\Omega$ , 1/4 W Chip Resistor	CRCW12062K40FKEA	Vishay
R5, R6	50 $\Omega$ , 8 W Termination Chip Resistor	C8A50Z4B	Anaren
Z1, Z2	2300–2900 MHz, 90°, 3 dB Hybrid Coupler	X3C26P1-03S	Anaren
PCB	Rogers RO4350B, 0.020", $\epsilon_r = 3.66$	D133513	MTL



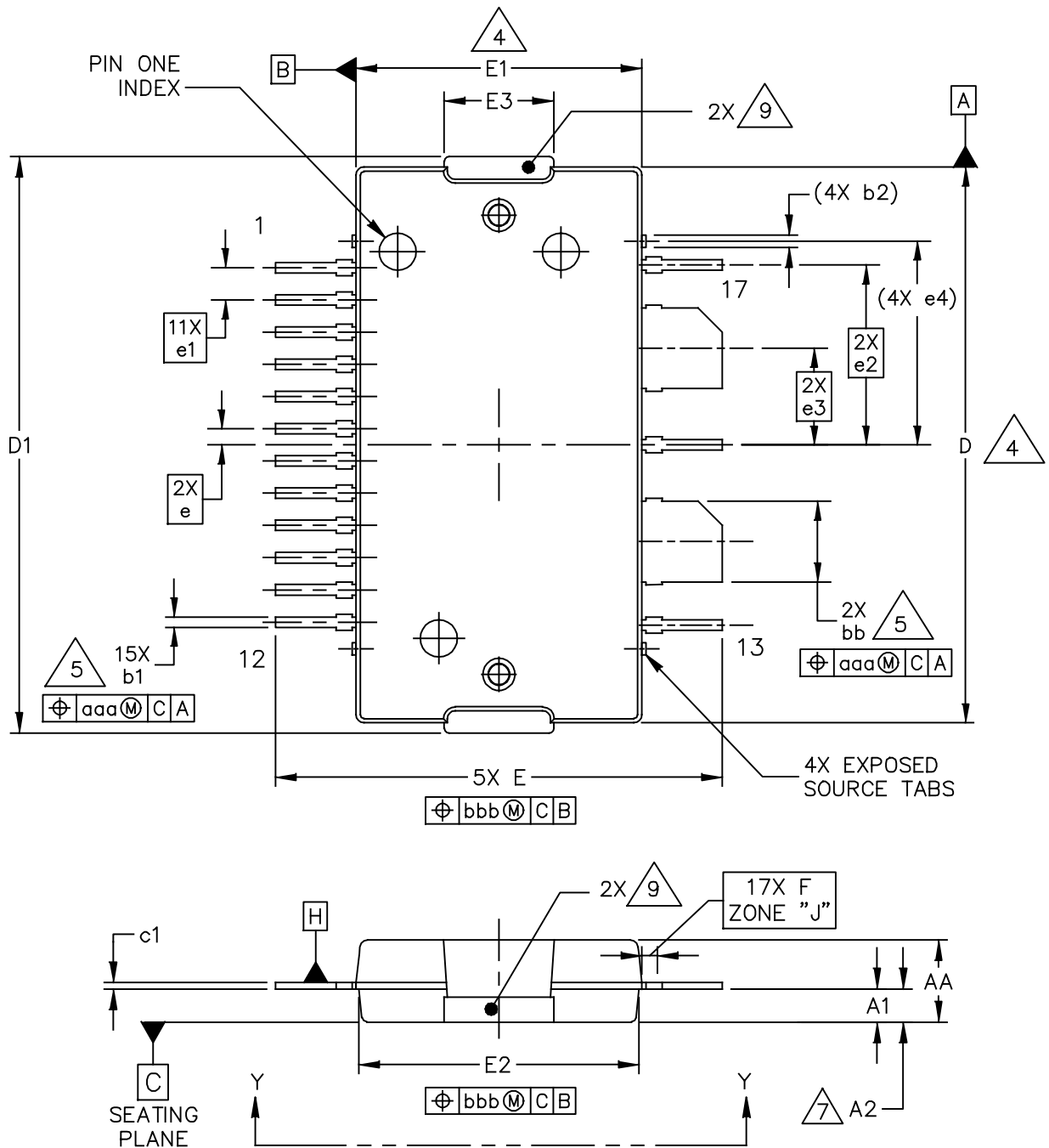
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Figure 4. A3I25D080N Test Circuit Component Layout — 2300–2400 MHz

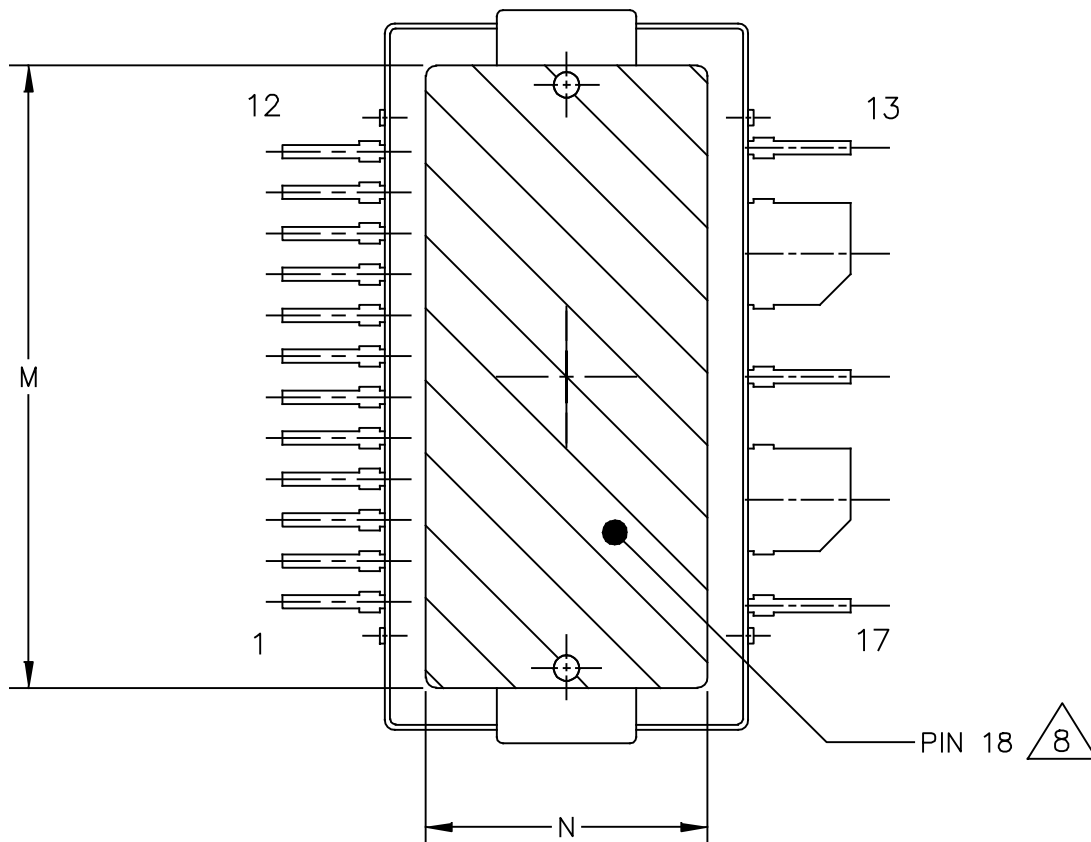
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C3, C4	1.1 pF Chip Capacitor	600F1R1BT250XT	ATC
C5, C6	0.8 pF Chip Capacitor	600F0R8BT250XT	ATC
C7, C8, C9, C10	20 pF Chip Capacitor	600F200JT250XT	ATC
C11, C12, C13, C14, C15, C16, C17, C18	10 $\mu$ F Chip Capacitor	GRM32EC72A106KE05L	Murata
C19, C20, C21, C22	4.7 $\mu$ F Chip Capacitor	GRM31CR71H475KA12L	Murata
R1, R2, R3, R4	2.4 k $\Omega$ , 1/4 W Chip Resistor	CRCW12062K40FKEA	Vishay
R5, R6	50 $\Omega$ , 8 W Termination Chip Resistor	C8A50Z4B	Anaren
Z1, Z2	2300–2900 MHz, 90°, 3 dB Hybrid Coupler	X3C26P1-03S	Anaren
PCB	Rogers RO4350B, 0.020", $\epsilon_r = 3.66$	D133513	MTL

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DIM	INCH		MILLIMETER		DIM	INCH		MILLIMETER	
	MIN	MAX	MIN	MAX		MIN	MAX	MIN	MAX
AA	.099	.105	2.51	2.67	bb	.097	.103	2.46	2.62
A1	.039	.043	0.99	1.09	b1	.010	.016	0.25	0.41
A2	.040	.042	1.02	1.07	b2	-----	.019	-----	0.48
D	.688	.692	17.48	17.58	c1	.007	.011	0.18	0.28
D1	.712	.720	18.08	18.29	e	.020 BSC		0.51 BSC	
E	.551	.559	14.00	14.20	e1	.040 BSC		1.02 BSC	
E1	.353	.357	8.97	9.07	e2	.223 BSC		5.66 BSC	
E2	.346	.350	8.79	8.89	e3	.120 BSC		3.05 BSC	
E3	.132	.140	3.35	3.56	e4	.253 INFO ONLY		6.43 INFO ONLY	
F	.025 BSC		0.64 BSC		aaa	.004		0.10	
M	.600	-----	15.24	-----	bbb	.008		0.20	
N	.270	-----	6.86	-----					

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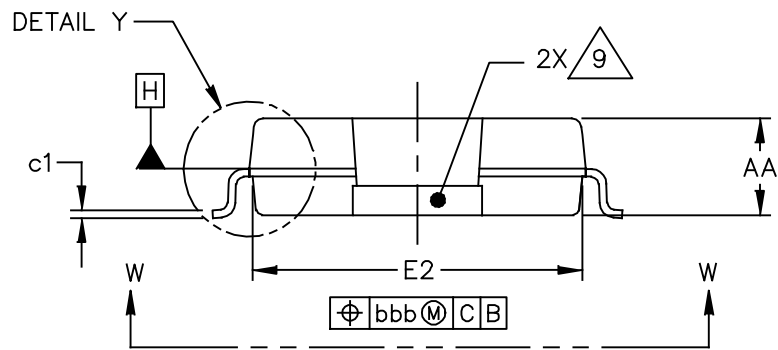
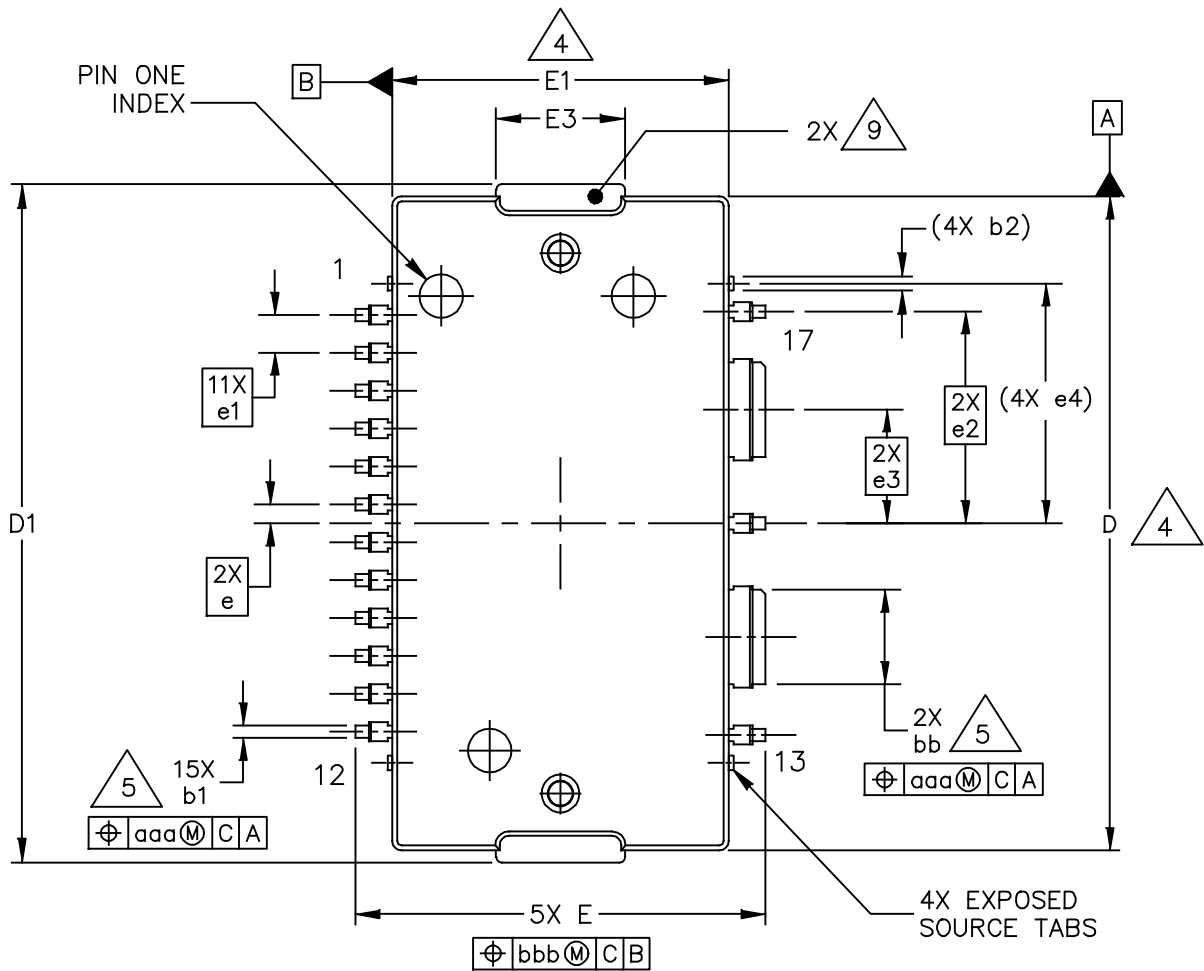
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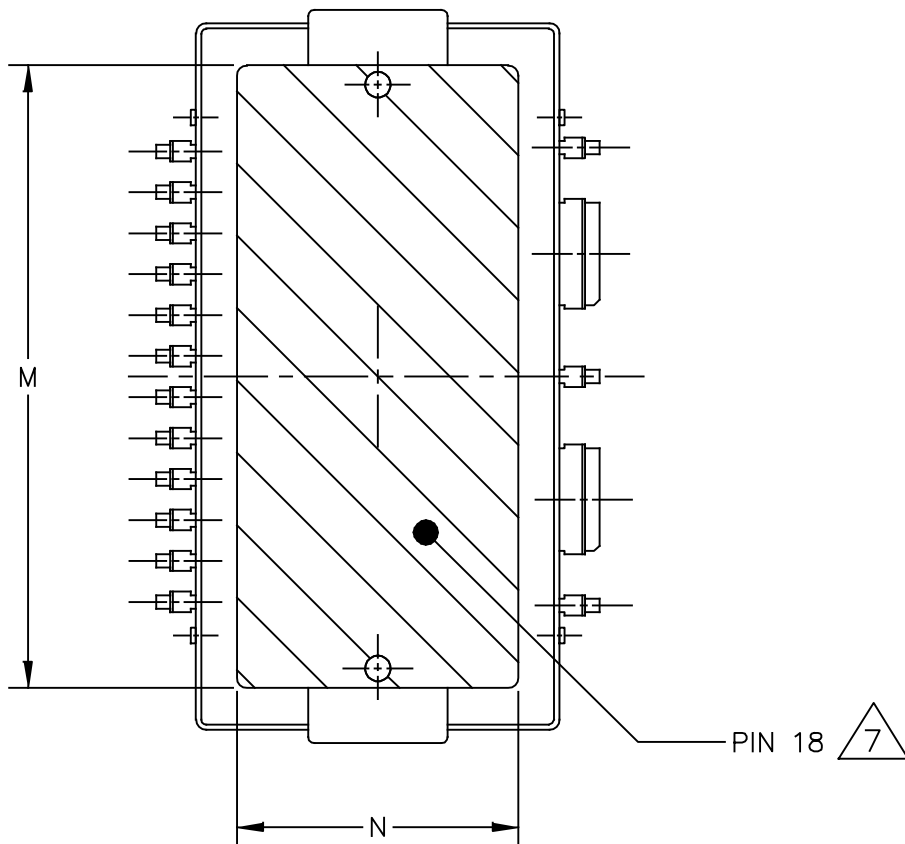
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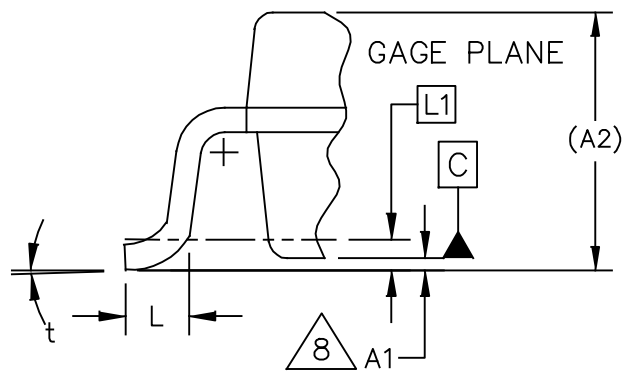
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E2	.346	.350	8.79	8.89	e3	.120 BSC		3.05 BSC	
E3	.132	.140	3.35	3.56	e4	.253 INFO ONLY		6.43 INFO ONLY	
L	.018	.024	0.46	0.61	t	2'	8'	2'	8'
L1	.010 BSC		0.25 BSC		aaa	.004		0.10	
M	.600	----	15.24	----	bbb	.008		0.20	
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## PRODUCT DOCUMENTATION, SOFTWARE AND TOOLS

Refer to the following resources to aid your design process.

### Application Notes

- AN1907: Solder Reflow Attach Method for High Power RF Devices in Plastic Packages
- AN1955: Thermal Measurement Methodology of RF Power Amplifiers
- AN1977: Quiescent Current Thermal Tracking Circuit in the RF Integrated Circuit Family
- AN1987: Quiescent Current Control for the RF Integrated Circuit Device Family

### Software

- .s2p File

### Development Tools

- Printed Circuit Boards

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