

# General Purpose PHEMT Chip



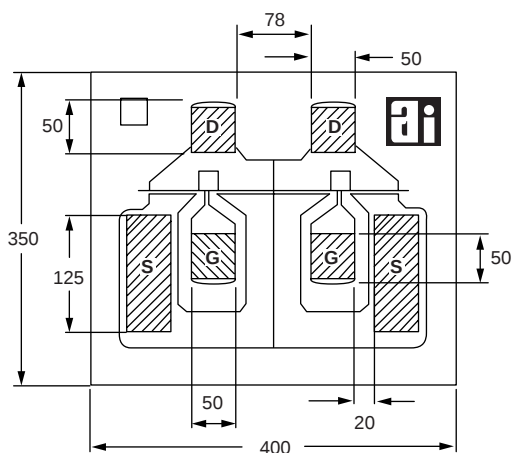
AFP02N8-000

## Features

- Low Noise Figure, 1.25 dB @ 4 GHz
- High Associated Gain, 15.0 dB @ 4 GHz
- High MAG, > 18 dB @ 4 GHz
- 0.7  $\mu\text{m}$  Ti/Pd/Au Gates
- Passivated Surface

## Description

The AFP02N8-000 general purpose PHEMT chip has excellent gain and noise performance through X band, making it suitable for a wide range of commercial and military applications. The device employs 0.7  $\mu\text{m}$  Ti/Pd/Au gates and surface passivation to ensure a rugged, reliable part.



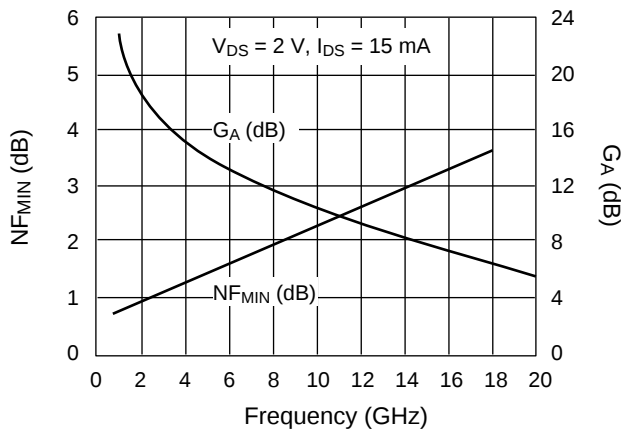
## Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Characteristic                       | Value            |
|--------------------------------------|------------------|
| Drain to Source Voltage ( $V_{DS}$ ) | 6 V              |
| Gate to Source Voltage ( $V_{GS}$ )  | -3 V             |
| Drain Current ( $I_{DS}$ )           | $I_{DSS}$        |
| Gate Current ( $I_{GS}$ )            | 10 $\mu\text{A}$ |
| Total Power Dissipation ( $P_T$ )    | 300 mW           |
| Storage Temperature ( $T_{ST}$ )     | -65 to +150°C    |
| Channel Temperature ( $T_{CH}$ )     | 175°C            |

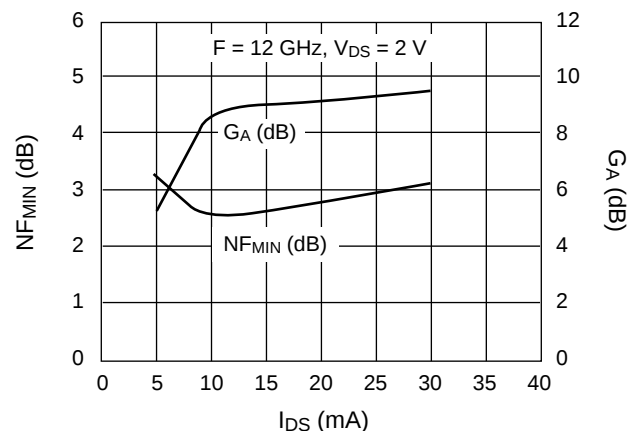
## Electrical Specifications at 25°C

| Parameter                                      | Test Conditions                                                          | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Unit |
|------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|------|------|------|
| Saturated Drain Current ( $I_{DSS}$ )          | $V_{DS} = 2 \text{ V}$ , $V_{GS} = 0 \text{ V}$                          | 25.0 | 45.0 | 90.0 | mA   |
| Transconductance ( $g_m$ )                     | $V_{DS} = 2 \text{ V}$ , $I_{DS} = 15 \text{ mA}$                        | 40.0 | 55.0 |      | mS   |
| Pinch-off Voltage ( $V_P$ )                    | $V_{DS} = 2 \text{ V}$ , $I_{DS} = 0.3 \text{ mA}$                       | -0.2 | -0.6 | -2.0 | V    |
| Gate to Source Breakdown Voltage ( $V_{bgs}$ ) | $I_{GS} = -200 \mu\text{A}$                                              | -4.0 | -6.0 |      | V    |
| Noise Figure (NF)                              | $V_{DS} = 2 \text{ V}$ , $I_{DS} = 15 \text{ mA}$ , $F = 4 \text{ GHz}$  |      | 1.25 | 1.75 | dB   |
| Associated Gain ( $G_A$ )                      |                                                                          | 14.0 | 15.0 |      | dB   |
| Noise Figure (NF)                              | $V_{DS} = 2 \text{ V}$ , $I_{DS} = 15 \text{ mA}$ , $F = 12 \text{ GHz}$ |      | 2.6  | 3.0  | dB   |
| Associated Gain ( $G_A$ )                      |                                                                          | 8.5  | 9.4  |      | dB   |

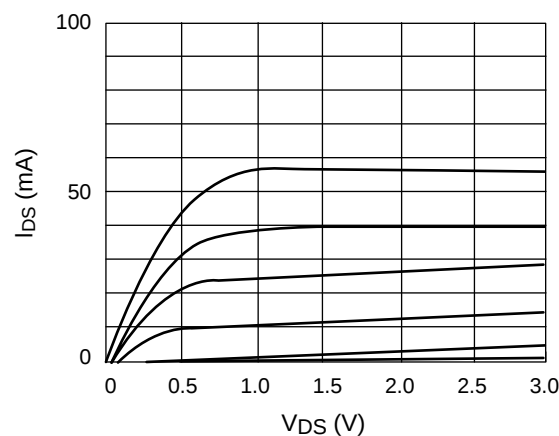
Typical Performance Data



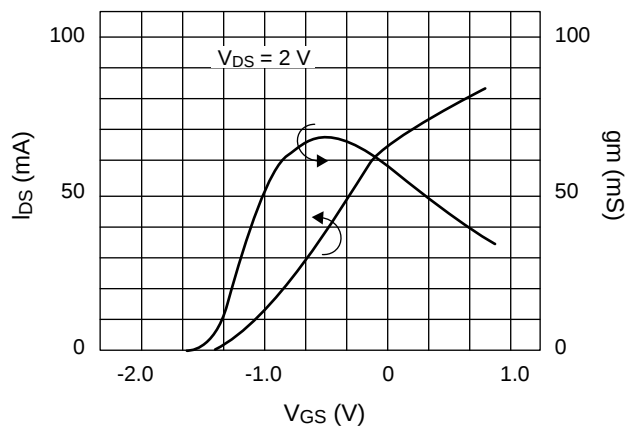
RF Minimum Noise Figure ( $NF_{MIN}$ ) and Associated Gain ( $G_A$ ) vs. Frequency (GHz)



RF Minimum Noise Figure ( $NF_{MIN}$ ) and Associated Gain ( $G_A$ ) vs. Drain Current ( $I_{DS}$ )



DC Drain Current ( $I_{DS}$ ) vs. Drain Voltage ( $V_{DS}$ ) as a Function of Gate to Source Voltage ( $V_{GS}$ )



DC Drain Current ( $I_{DS}$ ) and Transconductance ( $gm$ ) vs. Gate to Source Voltage ( $V_{GS}$ )

## Typical Noise Parameters

( $V_{DS} = 2\text{ V}$ ,  $I_{DS} = 15\text{ mA}$ )

| Freq.<br>(GHz) | NF <sub>MIN</sub><br>(dB) | $\Gamma_{opt}$ |         | R <sub>N</sub> /50 | G <sub>A</sub> (dB) |
|----------------|---------------------------|----------------|---------|--------------------|---------------------|
|                |                           | Mag.           | Ang.    |                    |                     |
| 1              | 0.70                      | 0.88           | 13.30   | 0.01               | 23.00               |
| 2              | 0.88                      | 0.78           | 27.30   | 0.13               | 18.30               |
| 4              | 1.22                      | 0.62           | 53.60   | 0.27               | 15.35               |
| 6              | 1.59                      | 0.52           | 77.60   | 0.31               | 13.22               |
| 8              | 1.95                      | 0.46           | 99.40   | 0.31               | 11.67               |
| 10             | 2.30                      | 0.44           | 119.20  | 0.29               | 10.30               |
| 12             | 2.63                      | 0.44           | 136.90  | 0.25               | 9.24                |
| 14             | 3.00                      | 0.46           | 152.80  | 0.21               | 8.25                |
| 16             | 3.35                      | 0.50           | 166.90  | 0.17               | 7.49                |
| 18             | 3.70                      | 0.54           | 179.30  | 0.15               | 6.59                |
| 20             | 4.00                      | 0.57           | -169.90 | 0.16               | 5.46                |
| 22             | 4.37                      | 0.59           | -160.60 | 0.20               | 5.05                |
| 24             | 4.73                      | 0.60           | -152.70 | 0.28               | 4.85                |
| 26             | 5.10                      | 0.57           | -146.20 | 0.39               | 4.86                |

Both noise and S-parameters include bond wires. Two gate bond wires and two drain wires are each approximately 325  $\mu\text{m}$  (13 mil) long. Four source bond wires (2 each side) are each approximately 200  $\mu\text{m}$  (8 mil) long. All wire is 17  $\mu\text{m}$  (0.7 mil) diameter gold.

## Typical S-Parameters ( $V_{DS} = 2\text{ V}$ , $I_{DS} = 10\text{ mA}$ )

| Freq.<br>(GHz) | S <sub>11</sub> |         | S <sub>21</sub> |        | S <sub>12</sub> |       | S <sub>22</sub> |        | k     | S <sub>21</sub><br>(dB) | MAG/<br>MSG (dB) |
|----------------|-----------------|---------|-----------------|--------|-----------------|-------|-----------------|--------|-------|-------------------------|------------------|
|                | Mag.            | Ang.    | Mag.            | Ang.   | Mag.            | Ang.  | Mag.            | Ang.   |       |                         |                  |
| 2              | 0.946           | -37.71  | 3.892           | 150.07 | 0.041           | 67.60 | 0.739           | -15.73 | 0.216 | 11.803                  | 19.774           |
| 3              | 0.909           | -54.69  | 3.615           | 138.06 | 0.057           | 58.11 | 0.714           | -22.39 | 0.273 | 11.162                  | 18.022           |
| 4              | 0.866           | -70.13  | 3.322           | 126.96 | 0.068           | 50.39 | 0.688           | -27.24 | 0.350 | 10.428                  | 16.889           |
| 5              | 0.830           | -84.40  | 3.016           | 116.85 | 0.078           | 42.85 | 0.658           | -32.95 | 0.426 | 9.589                   | 15.873           |
| 6              | 0.801           | -96.78  | 2.747           | 108.11 | 0.084           | 36.92 | 0.640           | -37.16 | 0.494 | 8.777                   | 15.146           |
| 7              | 0.776           | -107.46 | 2.504           | 100.24 | 0.088           | 32.24 | 0.621           | -40.57 | 0.577 | 7.973                   | 14.542           |
| 8              | 0.760           | -117.10 | 2.285           | 93.26  | 0.091           | 28.30 | 0.607           | -44.11 | 0.643 | 7.178                   | 13.998           |
| 9              | 0.746           | -125.45 | 2.098           | 86.79  | 0.093           | 25.09 | 0.599           | -47.10 | 0.715 | 6.436                   | 13.533           |
| 10             | 0.733           | -131.77 | 1.937           | 81.28  | 0.095           | 22.67 | 0.589           | -50.14 | 0.795 | 5.743                   | 13.094           |
| 11             | 0.723           | -138.16 | 1.805           | 75.95  | 0.096           | 20.83 | 0.589           | -52.95 | 0.855 | 5.130                   | 12.742           |
| 12             | 0.714           | -143.64 | 1.687           | 70.89  | 0.097           | 19.25 | 0.585           | -55.52 | 0.929 | 4.542                   | 12.403           |
| 13             | 0.702           | -148.82 | 1.586           | 66.16  | 0.097           | 17.91 | 0.583           | -58.82 | 1.014 | 4.006                   | 11.418           |
| 14             | 0.696           | -153.98 | 1.502           | 61.42  | 0.098           | 16.87 | 0.581           | -61.53 | 1.071 | 3.533                   | 10.232           |
| 15             | 0.689           | -158.65 | 1.424           | 56.91  | 0.098           | 16.14 | 0.577           | -64.16 | 1.152 | 3.070                   | 9.259            |
| 16             | 0.681           | -163.77 | 1.359           | 52.41  | 0.098           | 15.37 | 0.579           | -67.35 | 1.214 | 2.664                   | 8.625            |
| 17             | 0.671           | -168.77 | 1.300           | 47.92  | 0.099           | 15.16 | 0.574           | -70.36 | 1.291 | 2.279                   | 7.944            |
| 18             | 0.666           | -173.79 | 1.243           | 43.61  | 0.099           | 14.58 | 0.570           | -73.60 | 1.367 | 1.889                   | 7.373            |

### Typical S-Parameters ( $V_{DS} = 2\text{ V}$ , $I_{DS} = 30\text{ mA}$ )

| Freq.<br>(GHz) | $S_{11}$ |         | $S_{21}$ |        | $S_{12}$ |       | $S_{22}$ |        | k    | $S_{21}$<br>(dB) | MAG/<br>MSG (dB) |
|----------------|----------|---------|----------|--------|----------|-------|----------|--------|------|------------------|------------------|
|                | Mag.     | Ang.    | Mag.     | Ang.   | Mag.     | Ang.  | Mag.     | Ang.   |      |                  |                  |
| 2              | 0.942    | -41.56  | 4.452    | 148.27 | 0.034    | 67.38 | 0.630    | -16.20 | 0.27 | 12.97            | 21.17            |
| 3              | 0.904    | -59.91  | 4.086    | 135.96 | 0.047    | 58.52 | 0.606    | -22.82 | 0.33 | 12.23            | 19.39            |
| 4              | 0.863    | -76.17  | 3.703    | 124.86 | 0.056    | 51.14 | 0.585    | -27.90 | 0.42 | 11.37            | 18.20            |
| 5              | 0.829    | -90.97  | 3.328    | 114.87 | 0.064    | 44.47 | 0.559    | -33.10 | 0.50 | 10.44            | 17.16            |
| 6              | 0.804    | -103.55 | 3.007    | 106.34 | 0.069    | 39.39 | 0.545    | -37.24 | 0.58 | 9.56             | 16.39            |
| 7              | 0.783    | -114.26 | 2.717    | 98.74  | 0.072    | 35.51 | 0.530    | -40.37 | 0.68 | 8.68             | 15.77            |
| 8              | 0.770    | -123.73 | 2.467    | 92.01  | 0.075    | 32.58 | 0.522    | -43.96 | 0.74 | 7.84             | 15.17            |
| 9              | 0.759    | -131.90 | 2.253    | 85.83  | 0.076    | 30.08 | 0.517    | -47.08 | 0.83 | 7.06             | 14.72            |
| 10             | 0.747    | -138.10 | 2.075    | 80.51  | 0.078    | 28.62 | 0.509    | -50.12 | 0.92 | 6.34             | 14.25            |
| 11             | 0.741    | -144.38 | 1.928    | 75.43  | 0.079    | 27.69 | 0.512    | -52.73 | 0.98 | 5.70             | 13.88            |
| 12             | 0.731    | -149.68 | 1.797    | 70.53  | 0.080    | 27.07 | 0.512    | -55.37 | 1.07 | 5.09             | 11.96            |
| 13             | 0.721    | -154.66 | 1.684    | 65.99  | 0.082    | 26.39 | 0.510    | -58.89 | 1.14 | 4.53             | 10.86            |
| 14             | 0.716    | -159.81 | 1.594    | 61.39  | 0.084    | 26.21 | 0.509    | -61.45 | 1.19 | 4.05             | 10.17            |
| 15             | 0.711    | -164.36 | 1.508    | 57.05  | 0.085    | 26.37 | 0.508    | -64.01 | 1.25 | 3.57             | 9.45             |
| 16             | 0.703    | -169.44 | 1.437    | 52.71  | 0.086    | 26.37 | 0.511    | -67.45 | 1.32 | 3.15             | 8.86             |
| 17             | 0.696    | -174.29 | 1.371    | 48.36  | 0.088    | 26.51 | 0.507    | -70.47 | 1.38 | 2.74             | 8.26             |
| 18             | 0.690    | -179.19 | 1.308    | 44.18  | 0.090    | 26.72 | 0.504    | -73.67 | 1.44 | 2.33             | 7.69             |