

# BLF2425M6L180P; BLF2425M6LS180P

Power LDMOS transistor

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Product data sheet

## 1. Product profile

### 1.1 General description

180 W LDMOS power transistor for various applications such as ISM and industrial heating at frequencies from 2400 MHz to 2500 MHz.

**Table 1. Typical performance**

*RF performance at  $T_{case} = 25\text{ °C}$  in a common source class-AB production test circuit.*

| Test signal | f<br>(MHz) | $I_{Dq}$<br>(mA) | $V_{DS}$<br>(V) | $P_{L(AV)}$<br>(W) | $G_p$<br>(dB) | $\eta_D$<br>(%) |
|-------------|------------|------------------|-----------------|--------------------|---------------|-----------------|
| CW          | 2450       | 10               | 28              | 180                | 13.3          | 53.5            |

### 1.2 Features and benefits

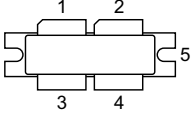
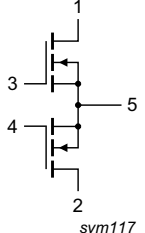
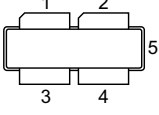
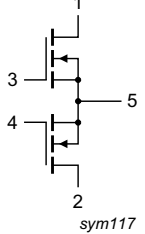
- Easy power control
- Integrated ESD protection
- High efficiency
- Excellent thermal stability
- Designed for broadband operation (2400 MHz to 2500 MHz)
- Internally matched for ease of use
- Compliant to Directive 2002/95/EC, regarding Restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS)

### 1.3 Applications

- RF power amplifiers for CW applications in the 2400 MHz to 2500 MHz frequency range such as ISM and industrial heating.

## 2. Pinning information

Table 2. Pinning

| Pin                              | Description | Simplified outline  | Graphic symbol   |
|----------------------------------|-------------|---|--|
| <b>BLF2425M6L180P (SOT539A)</b>  |             |   |  |
| 1                                | drain1      |  | <br>sym117  |
| 2                                | drain2      |   |  |
| 3                                | gate1       |   |  |
| 4                                | gate2       |   |  |
| 5                                | source      |   |  |
| <b>BLF2425M6LS180P (SOT539B)</b> |             |   |  |
| 1                                | drain1      |  | <br>sym117 |
| 2                                | drain2      |   |  |
| 3                                | gate1       |   |  |
| 4                                | gate2       |   |  |
| 5                                | source      |   |  |

[1] Connected to flange.

## 3. Ordering information

Table 3. Ordering information

| Type number     | Package |   |         |
|-----------------|---------|---|---------|
|                 | Name    | Description   | Version |
| BLF2425M6L180P  | -       | flanged balanced ceramic package; 2 mounting holes; 4 leads | SOT539A |
| BLF2425M6LS180P | -       | earless flanged balanced ceramic package; 4 leads           | SOT539B |

## 4. Limiting values

Table 4. Limiting values

In accordance with the Absolute Maximum Rating System (IEC 60134).

| Symbol    | Parameter            | Conditions | Min  | Max  | Unit |
|-----------|----------------------|------------|------|------|------|
| $V_{DS}$  | drain-source voltage |            | -    | 65   | V    |
| $V_{GS}$  | gate-source voltage  |            | -0.5 | +13  | V    |
| $T_{stg}$ | storage temperature  |            | -65  | +150 | °C   |
| $T_j$     | junction temperature |            | -    | 225  | °C   |

## 5. Thermal characteristics

Table 5. Thermal characteristics

| Symbol           | Parameter                                | Conditions                                    | Typ  | Unit |
|------------------|--|---|------|------|
| $R_{th(j-case)}$ | thermal resistance from junction to case | $T_{case} = 80\text{ °C}; P_L = 180\text{ W}$ | 0.38 | K/W  |

## 6. Characteristics

Table 6. DC characteristics

$T_j = 25\text{ °C}$  per section; unless otherwise specified.

| Symbol        | Parameter                        | Conditions  | Min | Typ | Max | Unit          |
|---------------|----------------------------------|---|-----|-----|-----|---------------|
| $V_{(BR)DSS}$ | drain-source breakdown voltage   | $V_{GS} = 0\text{ V}; I_D = 1.44\text{ mA}$                 | 65  | -   | -   | V             |
| $V_{GS(th)}$  | gate-source threshold voltage    | $V_{DS} = 10\text{ V}; I_D = 144\text{ mA}$                 | 1.4 | 1.8 | 2.4 | V             |
| $I_{DSS}$     | drain leakage current            | $V_{GS} = 0\text{ V}$                                       |     |     |     |               |
|               |                                  | $V_{DS} = 28\text{ V}$                                      | -   | -   | 3   | $\mu\text{A}$ |
|               |                                  | $V_{DS} = 65\text{ V}$                                      | -   | -   | 5   | $\mu\text{A}$ |
| $I_{DSX}$     | drain cut-off current            | $V_{GS} = V_{GS(th)} + 3.75\text{ V}; V_{DS} = 10\text{ V}$ | -   | 24  | -   | A             |
| $I_{GSS}$     | gate leakage current             | $V_{GS} = 11\text{ V}; V_{DS} = 0\text{ V}$                 | -   | -   | 300 | nA            |
| $g_{fs}$      | forward transconductance         | $V_{DS} = 10\text{ V}; I_D = 7.2\text{ A}$                  | -   | 10  | -   | S             |
| $R_{DS(on)}$  | drain-source on-state resistance | $V_{GS} = V_{GS(th)} + 3.75\text{ V}; I_D = 5\text{ A}$     | -   | 0.1 | -   | $\Omega$      |

Table 7. RF characteristics

Test signal: CW;  $f = 2450\text{ MHz}; V_{DS} = 28\text{ V}; I_{Dq} = 10\text{ mA}; T_{case} = 25\text{ °C}$  unless otherwise specified in a class-AB production test circuit.

| Symbol    | Parameter         | Conditions           | Min  | Typ  | Max | Unit |
|-----------|-------------------|----------------------|------|------|-----|------|
| $G_p$     | power gain        | $P_L = 180\text{ W}$ | 11.0 | 13.3 | -   | dB   |
| $\eta_D$  | drain efficiency  | $P_L = 180\text{ W}$ | 50   | 53.5 | -   | %    |
| $RL_{in}$ | input return loss | $P_L = 180\text{ W}$ | -    | -15  | -9  | dB   |

## 7. Test information

### 7.1 Ruggedness in class-AB operation

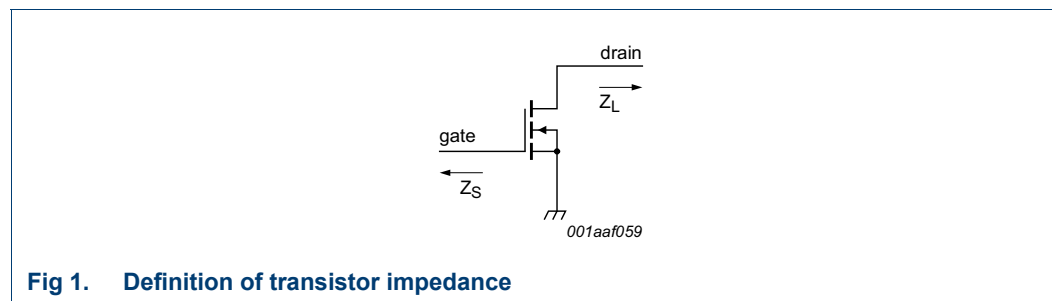
The BLF2425M6L180P and BLF2425M6LS180P are capable of withstanding a load mismatch corresponding to  $V_{SWR} = 5 : 1$  through all phases under the following conditions:  $V_{DS} = 28\text{ V}; I_{Dq} = 10\text{ mA}; P_L = 180\text{ W}$  (CW);  $f = 2450\text{ MHz}$ .

## 7.2 Impedance information

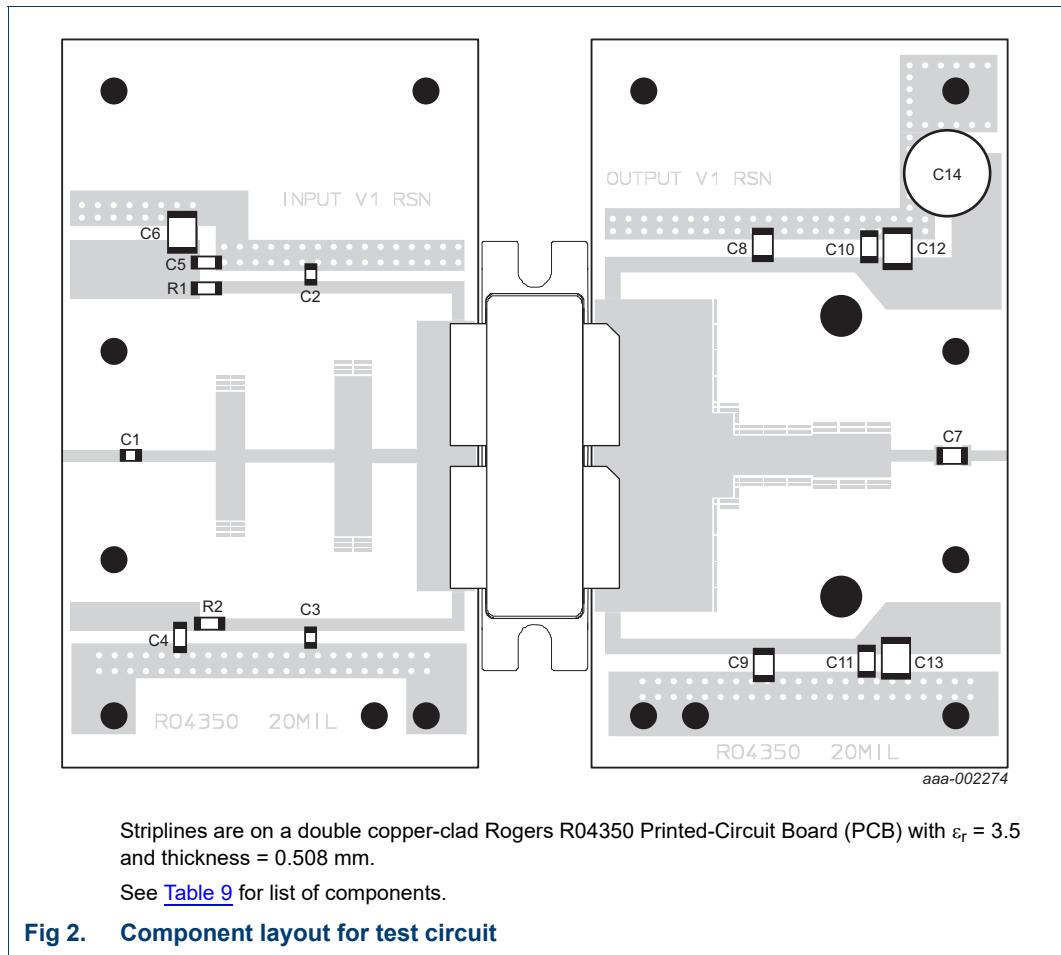
**Table 8. Typical impedance**

Measured load-pull data. Typical values per section.  
 $Z_S$  and  $Z_L$  defined in [Figure 1](#).

| f<br>(MHz) | $Z_S$<br>( $\Omega$ ) | $Z_L$<br>( $\Omega$ ) |
|------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| 2400       | 5.9 – j8.0            | 2.8 – j3.1            |
| 2450       | 8.4 – j7.6            | 2.5 – j3.1            |
| 2500       | 10.6 – j5.8           | 2.3 – j3.0            |



7.3 Test circuit



**Table 9. List of components**

For test circuit, see [Figure 2](#).

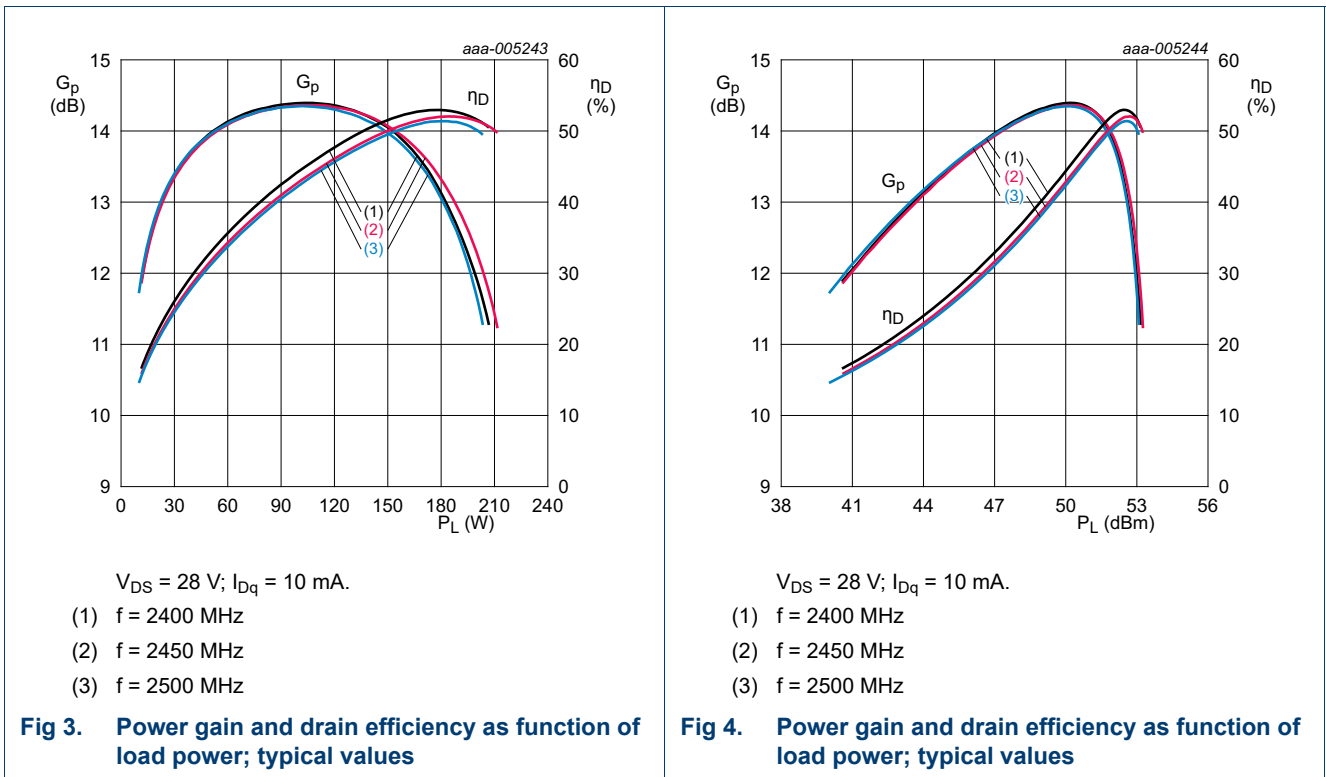
| Component        | Description                       | Value             | Remarks  |
|------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------|----------|
| C1, C2, C3       | multilayer ceramic chip capacitor | 15 pF             | [1]      |
| C4, C5, C10, C11 | multilayer ceramic chip capacitor | 220 nF            | SMD 1206 |
| C6, C12, C13     | multilayer ceramic chip capacitor | 4.7 $\mu$ F       |          |
| C7               | multilayer ceramic chip capacitor | 39 pF             | [2]      |
| C8, C9           | multilayer ceramic chip capacitor | 6.8 pF            | [3]      |
| C14              | electrolytic capacitor            | 220 $\mu$ F, 63 V |          |
| R1, R2           | chip resistor                     | 6.2 $\Omega$      | SMD 1206 |

[1] American technical ceramics type 100A or capacitor of same quality.

[2] American technical ceramics type 800B or capacitor of same quality.

[3] American technical ceramics type 100B or capacitor of same quality.

7.4 Graphical data



8. Package outline

Flanged balanced ceramic package; 2 mounting holes; 4 leads

SOT539A

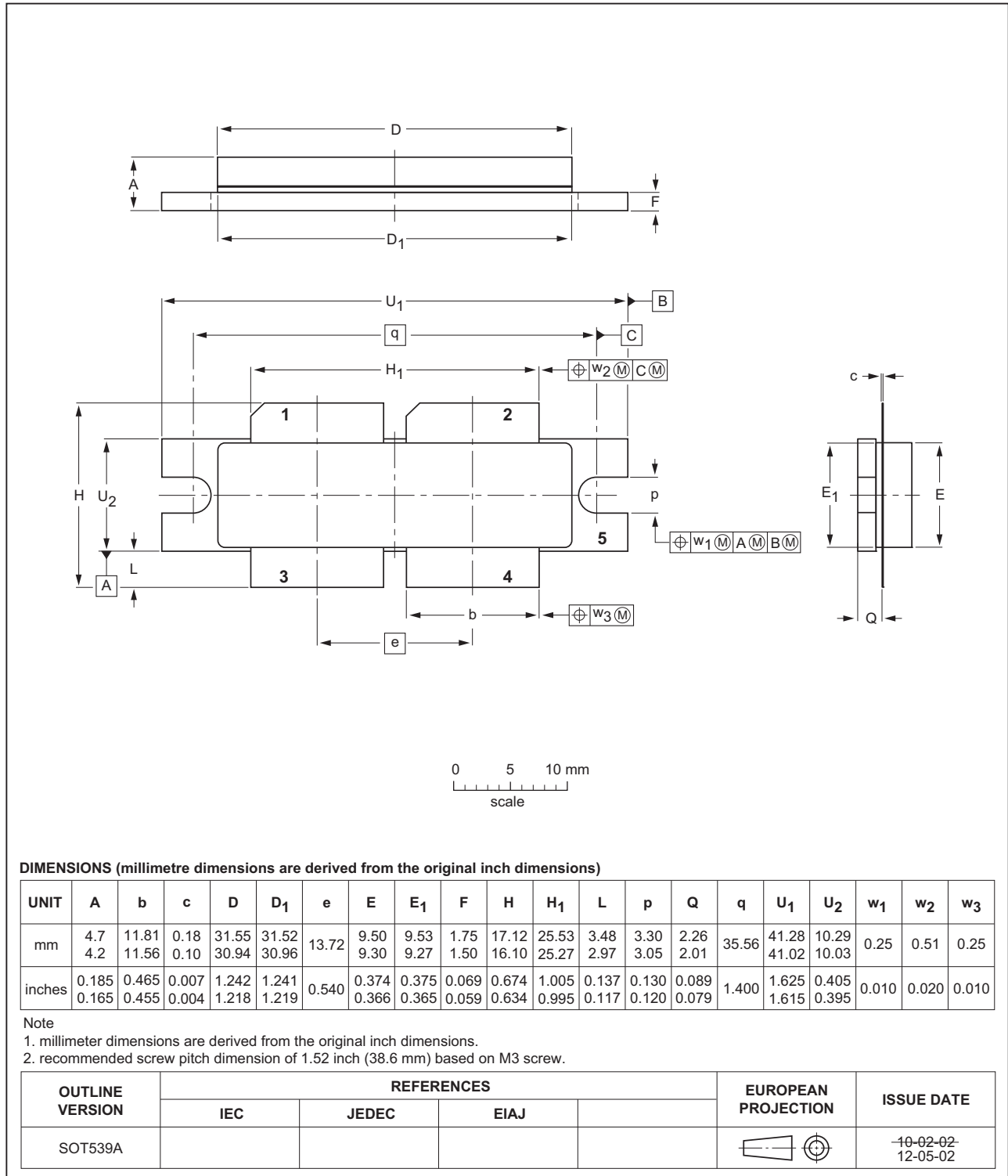


Fig 5. Package outline SOT539A

Earless flanged balanced ceramic package; 4 leads

SOT539B

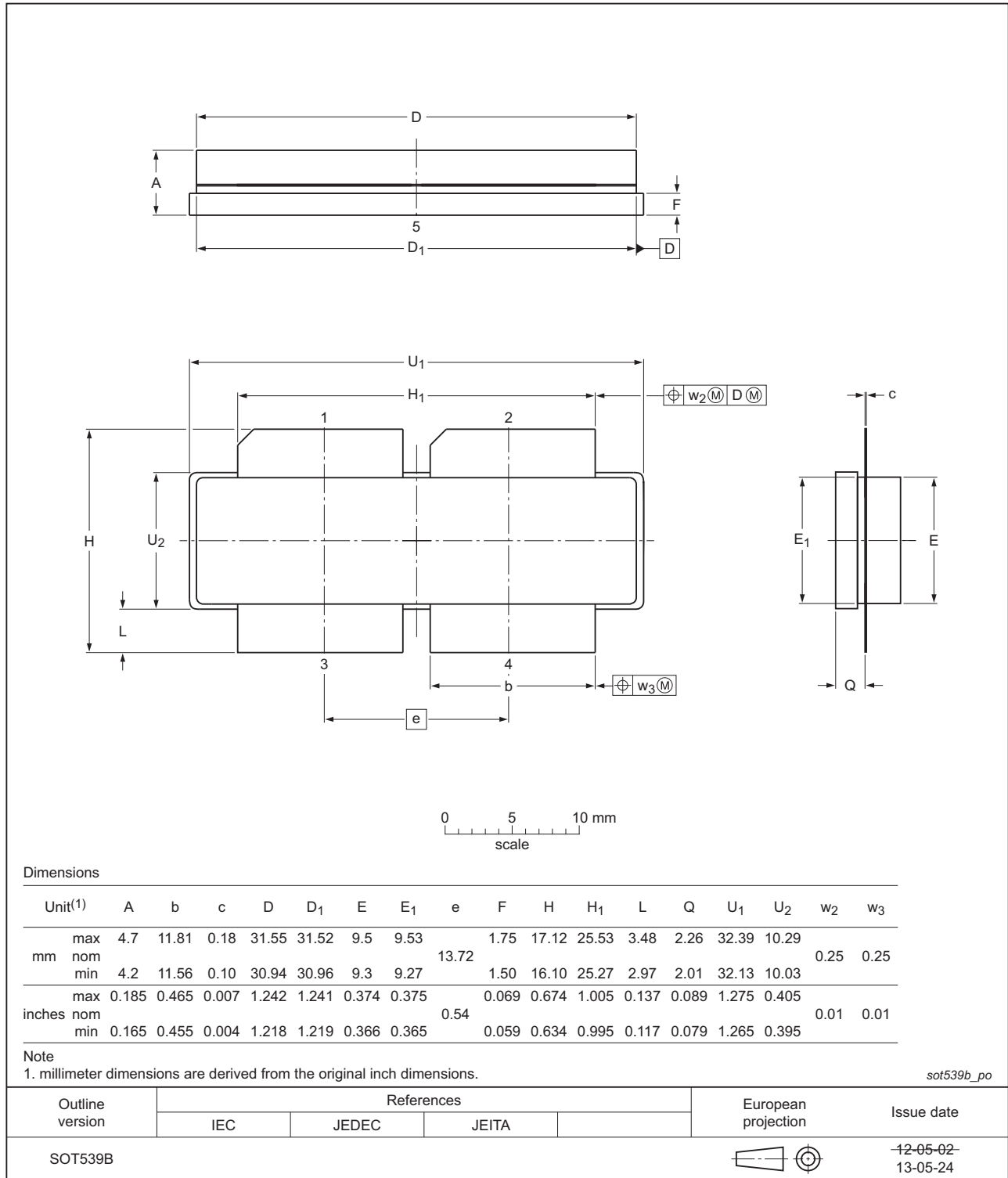


Fig 6. Package outline SOT539B



## 9. Handling information

**CAUTION**



This device is sensitive to ElectroStatic Discharge (ESD). Observe precautions for handling electrostatic sensitive devices.

Such precautions are described in the *ANSI/ESD S20.20, IEC/ST 61340-5, JESD625-A* or equivalent standards.

## 10. Abbreviations

Table 10. Abbreviations

| Acronym | Description                                  |
|---------|--|
| CW      | Continuous Wave                              |
| ESD     | ElectroStatic Discharge                      |
| ISM     | Industrial, Scientific and Medical           |
| LDMOS   | Laterally Diffused Metal-Oxide Semiconductor |
| SMD     | Surface Mounted Device                       |
| VSWR    | Voltage Standing-Wave Ratio                  |

## 11. Revision history

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| Document ID                   | Release date   | Data sheet status    | Change notice | Supersedes                    |
|-------------------------------|--|----------------------|---------------|-------------------------------|
| BLF2425M6L180P_25M6LS180P#4   | 20150901   | Product data sheet   | -             | BLF2425M6L180P_25M6LS180P v.3 |
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| BLF2425M6L180P_25M6LS180P v.2 | 20120920   | Product data sheet   | -             | BLF2425M6L180P_25M6LS180P v.1 |
| BLF2425M6L180P_25M6LS180P v.1 | 20120207   | Objective data sheet | -             | -                             |

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