

## H.F. POWER TRANSISTOR

N-P-N silicon planar epitaxial transistor intended for use in class-AB operated high power industrial and military transmitting equipment in the h.f. band. The transistor presents excellent performance as a linear amplifier in s.s.b. applications. It is resistance stabilized and is guaranteed to withstand severe load mismatch conditions. Matched  $h_{FE}$  groups are available on request.

The transistor has a  $\frac{1}{2}$ " flange envelope with a ceramic cap. All leads are isolated from the flange.

### QUICK REFERENCE DATA

R.F. performance up to  $T_h = 25^\circ\text{C}$

mode of operation	$V_{CE}$ V	$I_C(ZS)$ A	f MHz	$P_L$ W	$G_p$ dB	$\eta_{dt}$ %	$d_3$ dB
s.s.b. (class-AB)	50	0,1	1,6 – 28	20 – 160 (P.E.P.)	> 14	> 40*	< -30

\* At 160 W P.E.P.

### MECHANICAL DATA

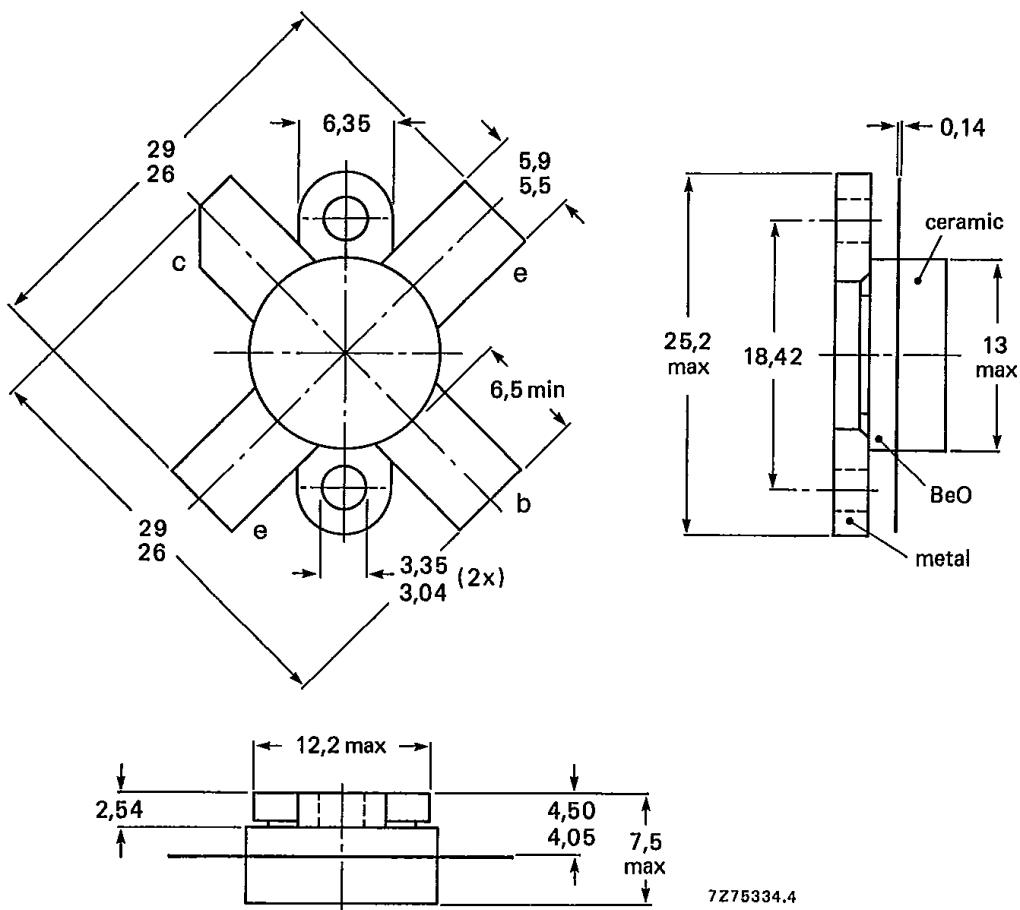
SOT-121A (see Fig. 1).

**PRODUCT SAFETY** This device incorporates beryllium oxide, the dust of which is toxic. The device is entirely safe provided that the BeO disc is not damaged.

## MECHANICAL DATA

Fig. 1 SOT-121.

Dimensions in mm



Torque on screw: min. 0,6 Nm (6 kg cm)  
max. 0,75 Nm (7,5 kg cm)

Recommended screw: cheese-head 4-40 UNC/2A

Heatsink compound must be applied sparingly and evenly distributed.

**RATINGS**

Limiting values in accordance with the Absolute Maximum System (IEC 134)

Collector-emitter voltage ( $V_{BE} = 0$ )

peak value

 $V_{CESM}$  max. 110 V

Collector-emitter voltage (open base)

 $V_{CEO}$  max. 53 V

Emitter-base voltage (open collector)

 $V_{EBO}$  max. 4 V

Collector current (average)

 $I_{C(AV)}$  max. 8 ACollector current (peak value);  $f > 1$  MHz $I_{CM}$  max. 20 AR.F. power dissipation ( $f > 1$  MHz);  $T_{mb} = 25$  °C $P_{rf}$  max. 245 W

Storage temperature

 $T_{stg}$  -65 to +150 °C

Operating junction temperature

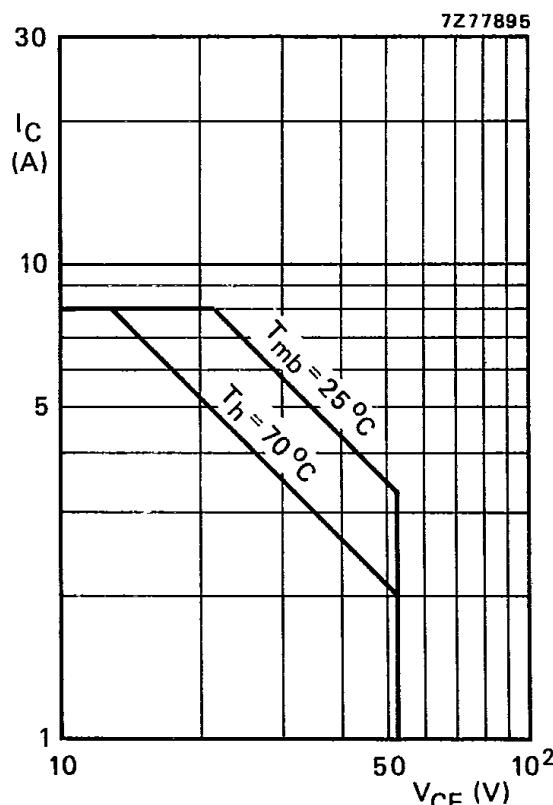
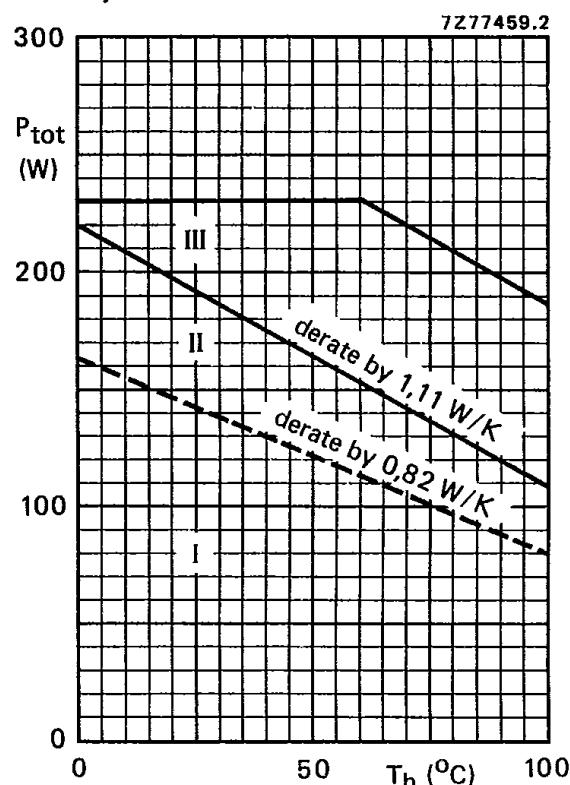
 $T_j$  max. 200 °C

Fig. 2 D.C. SOAR.

Fig. 3 R.F. power dissipation;  $V_{CE} \leq 50$  V;  $f \geq 1$  MHz.

I Continuous d.c. operation

II Continuous r.f. operation

III Short-time operation during mismatch

**THERMAL RESISTANCE** (dissipation = 100 W;  $T_{mb} = 90$  °C, i.e.  $T_h = 70$  °C)

From junction to mounting base (d.c. dissipation)

 $R_{th\ j-mb(dc)}$  = 1,0 K/W

From junction to mounting base (r.f. dissipation)

 $R_{th\ j-mb(rf)}$  = 0,7 K/W

From mounting base to heatsink

 $R_{th\ mb-h}$  = 0,2 K/W

## CHARACTERISTICS

 $T_j = 25^\circ\text{C}$ Collector-emitter breakdown voltage  
 $V_{BE} = 0; I_C = 25 \text{ mA}$  $V_{(BR)CES} > 110 \text{ V}$ Collector-emitter breakdown voltage  
open base;  $I_C = 100 \text{ mA}$  $V_{(BR)CEO} > 53 \text{ V}$ Emitter-base breakdown voltage  
open collector;  $I_E \approx 20 \text{ mA}$  $V_{(BR)EBO} > 4 \text{ V}$ Collector cut-off current  
 $V_{BE} = 0; V_{CE} = 53 \text{ V}$  $I_{CES} < 10 \text{ mA}$ Second breakdown energy;  $L = 25 \text{ mH}; f = 50 \text{ Hz}$   
open base $E_{SBO} > 12,5 \text{ mJ}$  $R_{BE} = 10 \Omega$  $E_{SBR} > 12,5 \text{ mJ}$ 

D.C. current gain \*

 $I_C = 4 \text{ A}; V_{CE} = 5 \text{ V}$  $h_{FE} \text{ typ. } 30$   
15 to 50

D.C. current gain ratio of matched devices \*

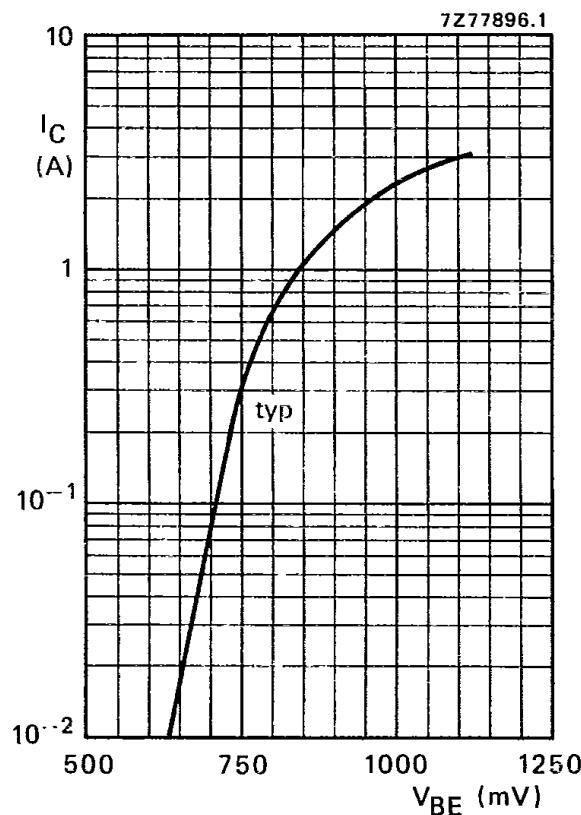
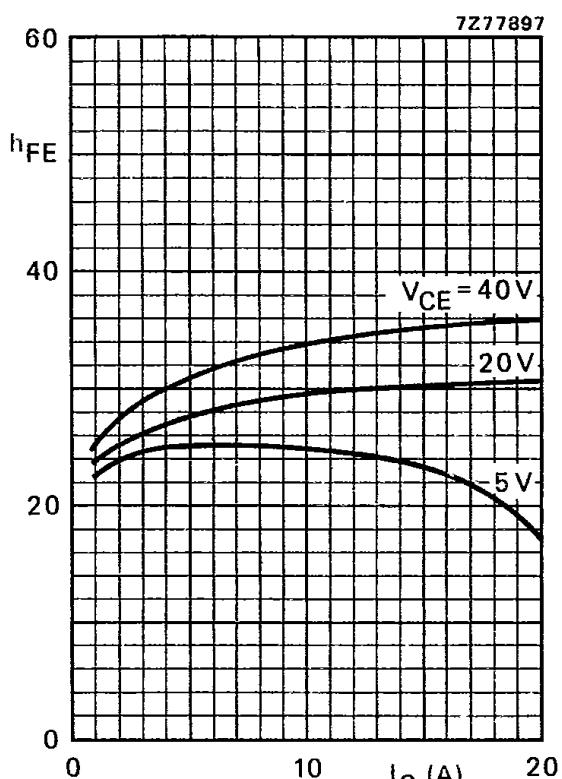
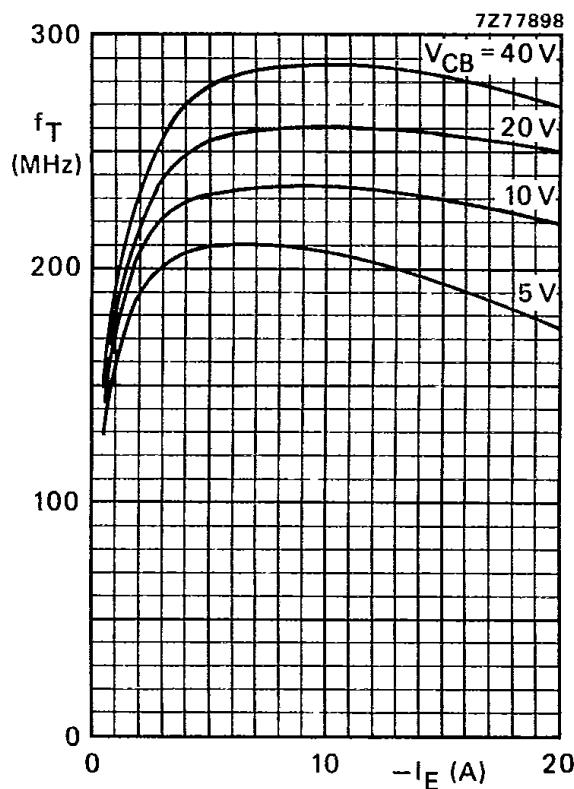
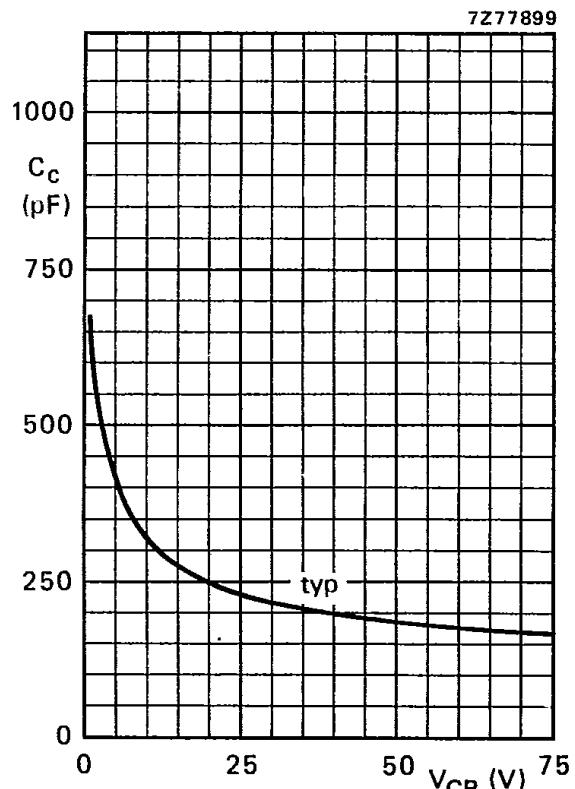
 $I_C = 4 \text{ A}; V_{CE} = 5 \text{ V}$  $h_{FE1}/h_{FE2} \leq 1,2$ 

Collector-emitter saturation voltage \*

 $I_C = 12,5 \text{ A}; I_B = 2,5 \text{ A}$  $V_{CEsat} \text{ typ. } 2,2 \text{ V}$ Transition frequency at  $f = 100 \text{ MHz}$  \* $-I_E = 4 \text{ A}; V_{CB} = 40 \text{ V}$  $f_T \text{ typ. } 270 \text{ MHz}$  $-I_E = 12,5 \text{ A}; V_{CB} = 40 \text{ V}$  $f_T \text{ typ. } 285 \text{ MHz}$ Collector capacitance at  $f = 1 \text{ MHz}$  $I_E = I_e = 0; V_{CB} = 50 \text{ V}$  $C_c \text{ typ. } 185 \text{ pF}$ Feedback capacitance at  $f = 1 \text{ MHz}$  $I_C = 150 \text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 50 \text{ V}$  $C_{re} \text{ typ. } 115 \text{ pF}$ 

Collector-flange capacitance

 $C_{cf} \text{ typ. } 3 \text{ pF}$ \* Measured under pulse conditions:  $t_p \leq 200 \mu\text{s}; \delta \leq 0,02$ .

Fig. 4  $V_{CE} = 40$  V;  $T_h \approx 25$  °C.Fig. 5 Typical values;  $T_j = 25$  °C.Fig. 6 Typical values;  $f = 100$  MHz;  $T_j = 25$  °C.Fig. 7  $I_E = I_e = 0$ ;  $f = 1$  MHz;  $T_j = 25$  °C.

## APPLICATION INFORMATION

R.F. performance in s.s.b. class-AB operation (linear power amplifier)

 $V_{CE} = 50 \text{ V}$ ;  $T_h = 25^\circ\text{C}$ ;  $f_1 = 28,000 \text{ MHz}$ ;  $f_2 = 28,001 \text{ MHz}$ 

output power W	$G_p$ dB	$\eta_{dt}(\%)$ at 160 W (P.E.P.)	$I_C$ (A)	$d_3$ dB *	$d_5$ dB *	$I_{C(ZS)}$ A
20 to 160 (P.E.P.)	> 14	> 40	< 4,0	< -30	< -30	0,1

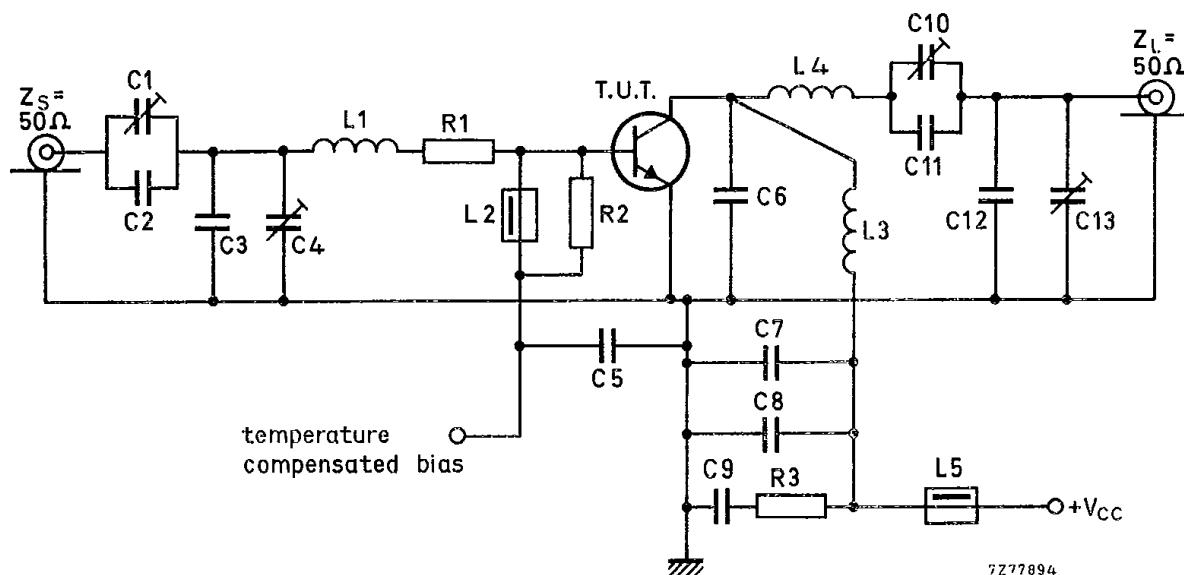


Fig. 8 Test circuit; s.s.b. class-AB.

## List of components:

C1 = C10 = 100 pF film dielectric trimmer

C2 = C6 = 27 pF ceramic capacitor (500 V)

C3 = 220 pF polystyrene capacitor

C4 = C13 = 100 pF film dielectric trimmer

C5 = C7 = 3,9 nF ceramic capacitor

C8 = 100 nF polyester capacitor

C9 = 2,2 µF moulded polyester capacitor

C11 = 68 pF ceramic capacitor (500 V)

C12 = 220 pF polystyrene capacitor

L1 = 88 nH; 3 turns Cu wire (1,0 mm); int. dia. 9,0 mm; length 6,1 mm; leads 2 x 5 mm

L2 = L5 = Ferroxcube wide-band h.f. choke, grade 3B (cat. no. 4312 020 36640)

L3 = 180 nH; 4 turns enamelled Cu wire (1,6 mm); int. dia. 12,0 mm; length 9,9 mm; leads 2 x 10 mm

L4 = 350 nH; 7 turns enamelled Cu wire (1,6 mm); int. dia. 12,0 mm; length 19,1 mm; leads 2 x 10 mm

R1 = 0,66 Ω; parallel connection of 5 x 3,3 Ω carbon resistors (± 5%; 0,5 W each)

R2 = 27 Ω carbon resistor (± 5%; 0,5 W)

R3 = 4,7 Ω carbon resistor (± 5%; 0,5 W)

\* Stated intermodulation distortion figures are referred to the according level of either of the equal amplified tones. Relative to the according peak envelope powers these figures should be increased by 6 dB.

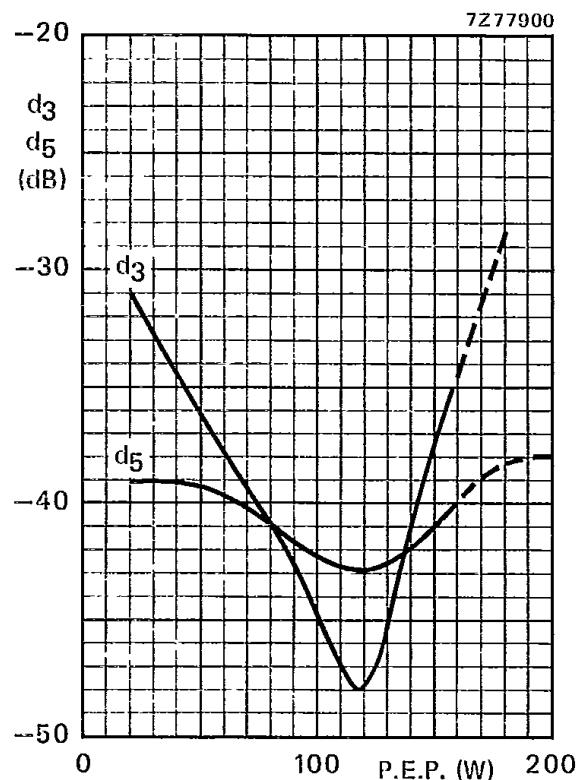


Fig. 9 Intermodulation distortion as a function of output power.\*

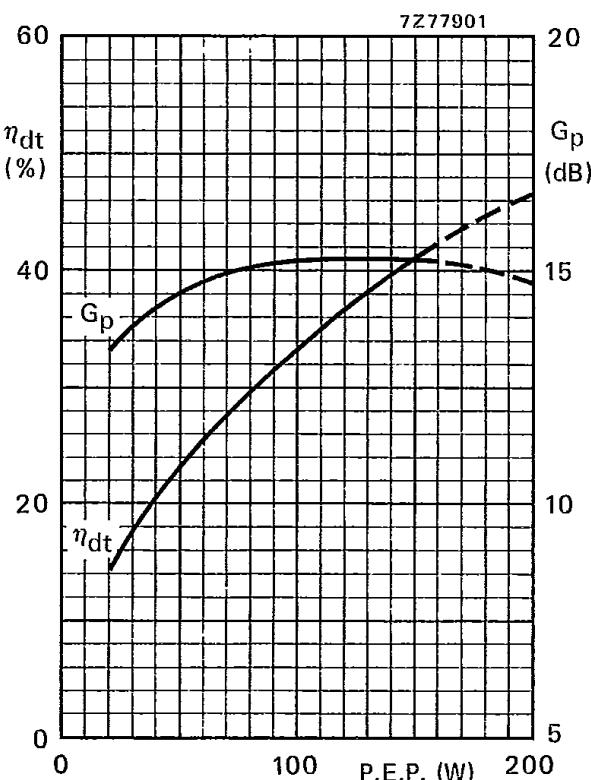


Fig.10 Double-tone efficiency and power gain as a function of output power.

Conditions for Figs 9 and 10:

V<sub>CE</sub> = 50 V; I<sub>C(ZS)</sub> = 0,1 A; f<sub>1</sub> = 28,000 MHz; f<sub>2</sub> = 28,001 MHz; T<sub>h</sub> = 25 °C; typical values.

#### Ruggedness

The BLW95 is capable of withstanding full load mismatch (VSWR = 50) up to 150 W (P.E.P.) under the following conditions:

V<sub>CE</sub> = 45V; f = 28 MHz; T<sub>h</sub> = 70 °C; R<sub>th</sub> mb-h = 0,2 K/W.

\* See note on previous page.

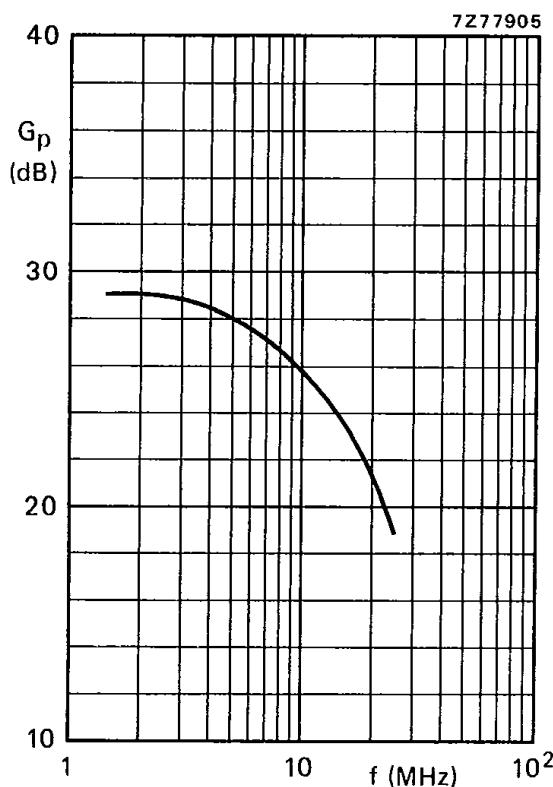


Fig. 11 Power gain as a function of frequency.

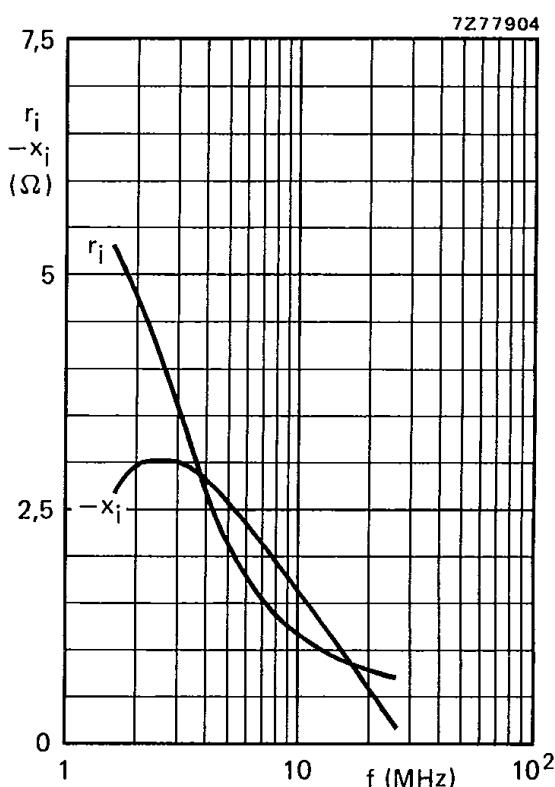


Fig. 12 Input impedance (series components) as a function of frequency.

Figs 11 and 12 are typical curves and hold for an unneutralized amplifier in s.s.b. class-AB operation.

Conditions:

$V_{CE} = 50$  V;  $I_C(ZS) = 0,1$  A;  $P_L = 160$  W (P.E.P.);  $T_h = 25$  °C;  $Z_L = 6,25 \Omega$  in series with 7,3 nH (in parallel with -188 pF).

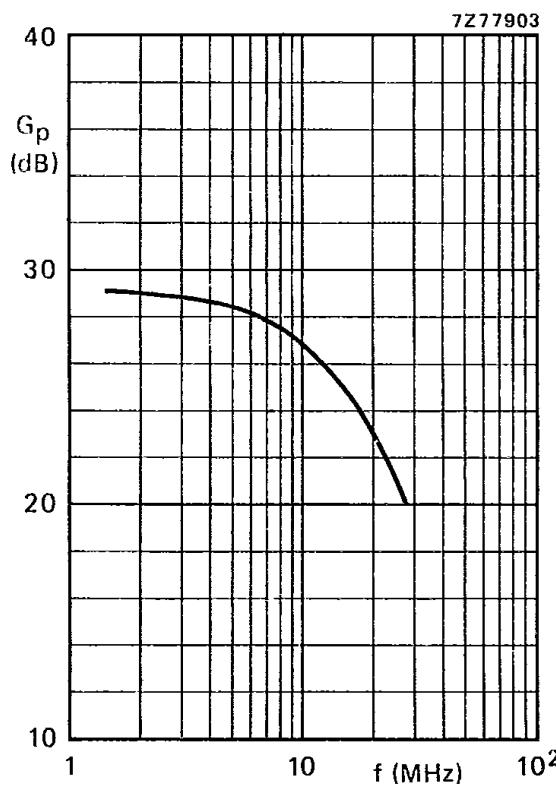


Fig. 13 Power gain as a function of frequency.

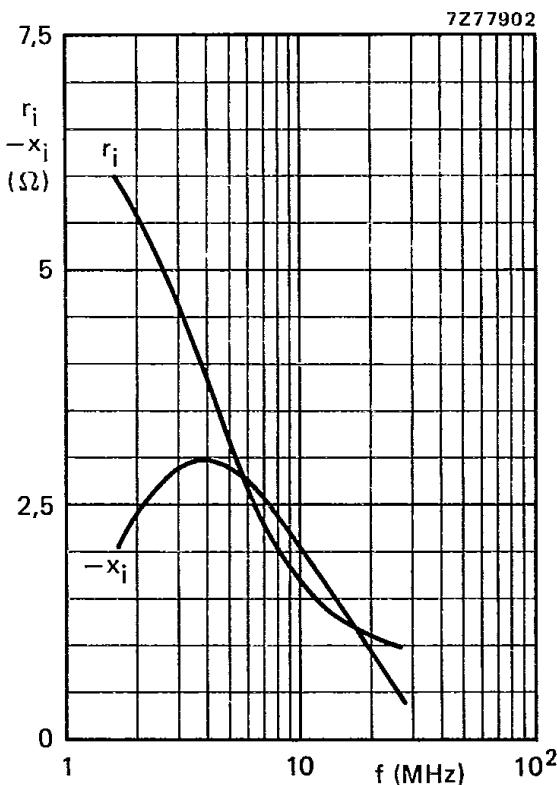


Fig. 14 Input impedance (series components) as a function of frequency.

Figs 13 and 14 are typical curves and hold for one transistor of a push-pull amplifier with cross-neutralization in s.s.b. class-AB operation.

Conditions:

$V_{CE} = 50$  V;  $I_C(ZS) = 0.1$  A;  $P_L = 160$  W (P.E.P.);  $T_h = 25$  °C;  $Z_L = 6.25 \Omega$  in series with 10.4 nH (in parallel with -267 pF); neutralizing capacitor: 82 pF.