

DESCRIPTION

The MGF1423/1425 series devices are low noise GaAs FETs with N-channel schottky gates. These devices are suitable for a wide range of amplifier and oscillator applications in S to Ku-band. In die form, the devices are popular in broad band balanced amplifiers. In packaged form these devices are also available in low cost commercial versions as MGF1323 (tray packaged) and MGF1923 (tape & reel packaged).

FEATURES

- High linear power gain
- High output power at 1dB gain compression
- Low noise figure
- High associated gain

APPLICATION

- S- to Ku-band low noise amplifiers and oscillators.

ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS (T_a = 25°C)

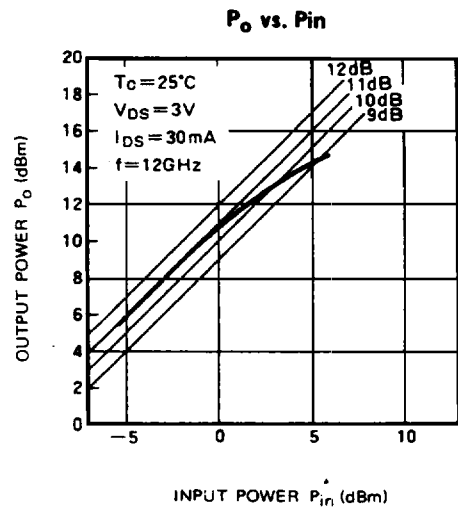
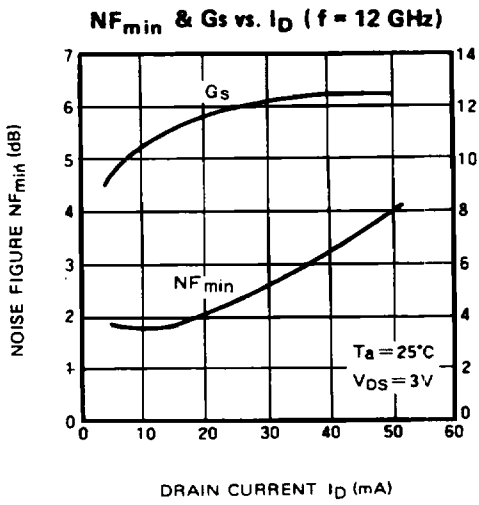
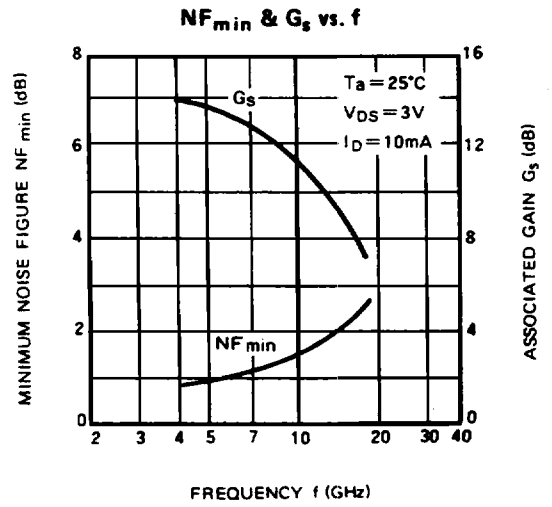
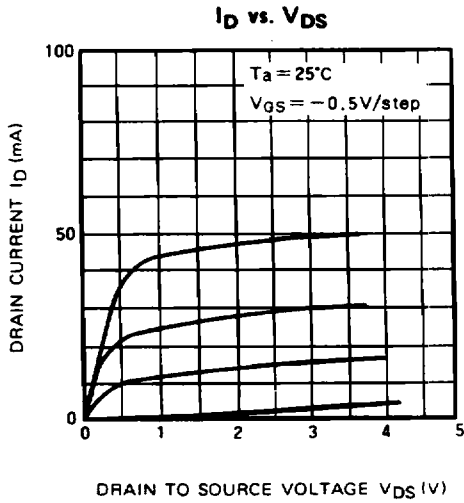
SYMBOL	PARAMETER	TYPE	RATINGS	UNIT
V _{GDO}	Gate to drain voltage		-6	V
V _{GSO}	Gate to source voltage		-6	V
I _D	Drain current	MGFC1423	80	mA
		MGF1323/1423/1923	70	
		MGFC1425	70	
		MGF1425	60	
P _T	Total power dissipation	MGFC1423	500	mW
		MGF1323/1423/1923	240	
		MGFC1425	350	
		MGF1425	200	
T _{ch}	Channel temperature	MGFC1423	175	°C
		MGF1323/1423/1923	175	
		MGFC1425	150	
		MGF1425	150	
T _{stg}	Storage temperature	MGFC1423	-55 ~ +175	°C
		MGF1323/1423/1923	-55 ~ +175	
		MGFC1425	-55 ~ +150	
		MGF1425	-55 ~ +150	
R _{TH}	Thermal resistance	MGFC1423/MGFC1425	228	°C/W
		MGF1323/1423/1425/1923	625	

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS ($T_a = 25^\circ\text{C}$)

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	TEST CONDITIONS	TYPE	LIMITS			UNIT
				MIN	TYP	MAX	
$V_{(BR)GDO}$	Gate to drain breakdown voltage	$I_G = -100 \mu\text{A}$		-6			V
$V_{(BR)GSO}$	Gate to source breakdown voltage	$I_G = -100 \mu\text{A}$		-6			V
I_{GSS}	Gate to source leakage current	$V_{GS} = -3\text{V}, V_{DS} = 0\text{V}$				10	μA
I_{DSS}	Saturated drain current	$V_{GS} = 0\text{V}, V_{DS} = 3\text{V}$	MGFC1423	40	60	80	mA
			MGF1323/1423/1923	40	60	80	
			MGFC1425	13	35	60	
			MGF1425	13	30	60	
$V_{GS(off)}$	Gate to source cut-off voltage	$V_{DS} = 3\text{V}, I_D = 100 \mu\text{A}$	MGFC1423	-0.5		-3.5	V
			MGF1323/1423/1923	-0.5		-3.5	
			MGFC1425	-0.3		-3.5	
			MGF1425	-0.3		-3.5	
g_m	Transconductance	$V_{DS} = 3\text{V}, I_D = 30 \text{mA}$	MGFC1423	20	35		mS
			MGF1323/1423/1923	20	35		
			MGFC1425	15	30		
			MGF1425	25	40		
NF_{min}	Minimum noise figure	$V_{DS} = 3\text{V}, I_D = 10 \text{mA}, f = 12 \text{GHz}$	MGFC1423			2.3	dB
			MGF1323/1423/1923			2.3	
			MGFC1425			1.7	
			MGF1425		1.4	1.6	
G_S	Associated gain	$V_{DS} = 3\text{V}, I_D = 10 \text{mA}, f = 12 \text{GHz}$	MGFC1423	8	10		dB
			MGF1323/1423/1923	8	10		
			MGFC1425	9	10.5		
			MGF1425	9	10.5		
P_{1dB}	Output power at 1dB gain compression	$V_{DS} = 3\text{V}, I_D = 30 \text{mA}, f = 12 \text{GHz}$		+10	+13		dBm
G_{LP}	Linear power gain	$V_{DS} = 3\text{V}, I_D = 30 \text{mA}, f = 12 \text{GHz}$		9	11		dB

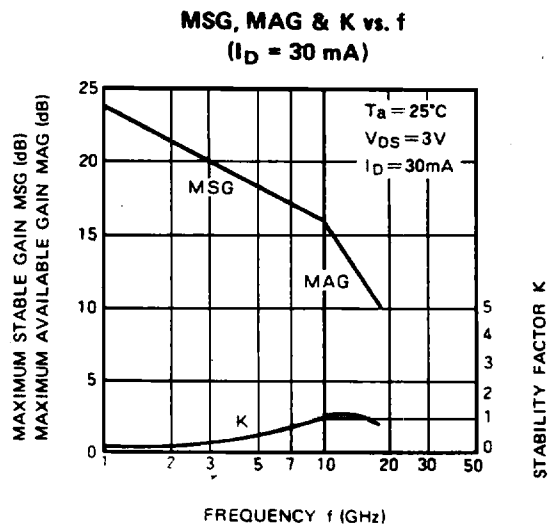
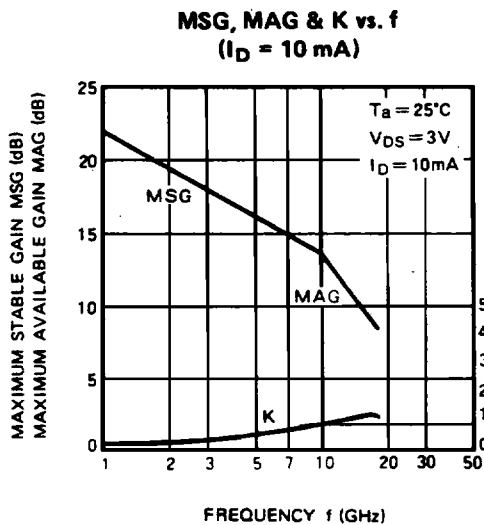
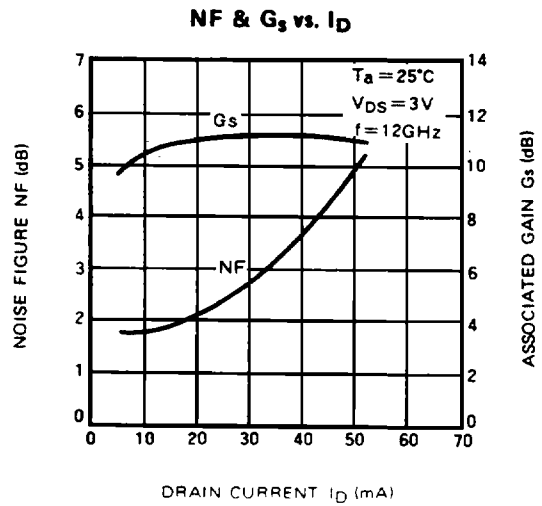
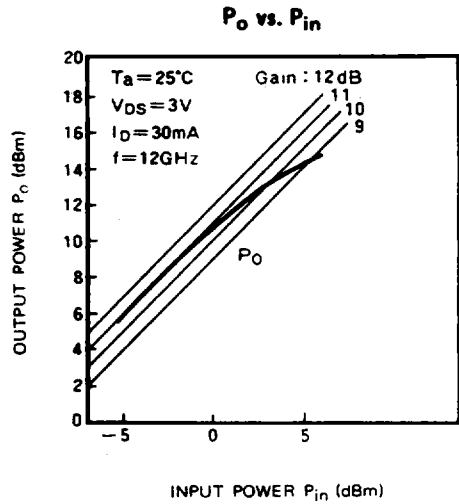
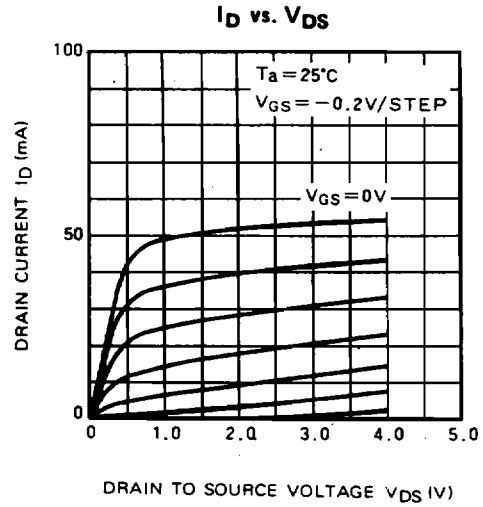
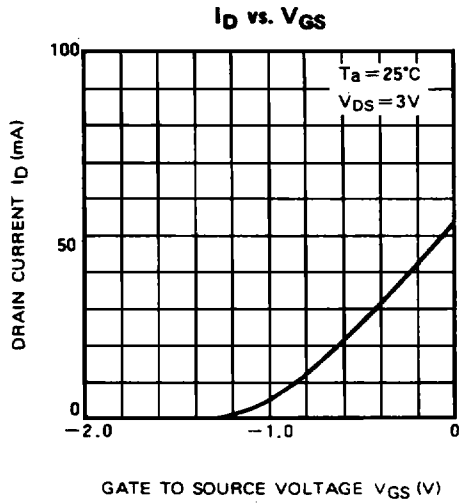
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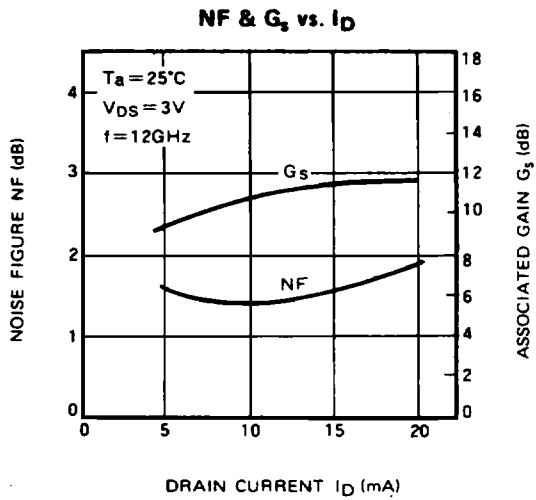
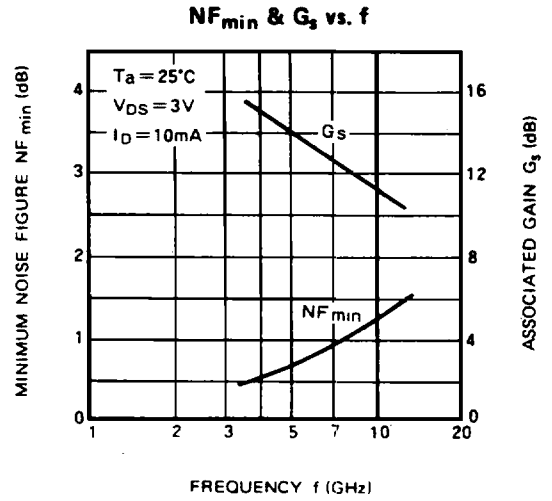
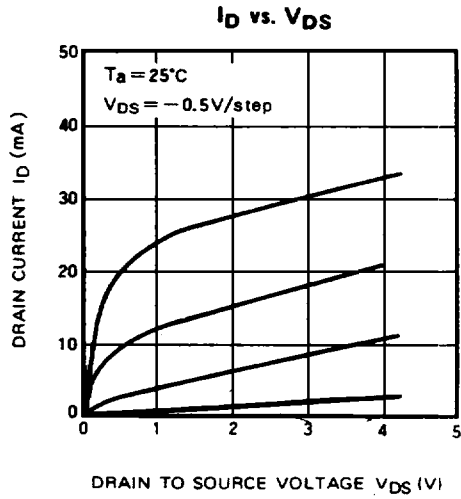
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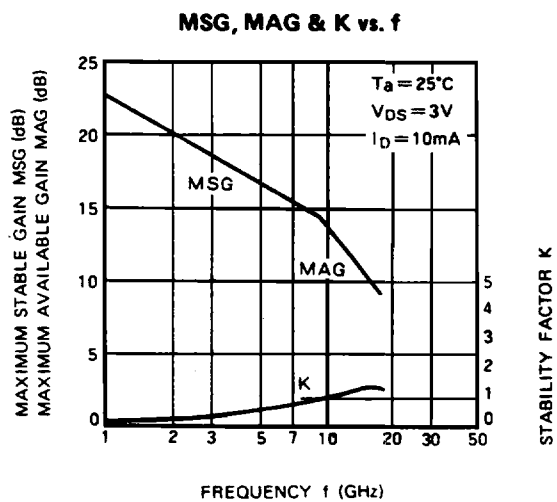
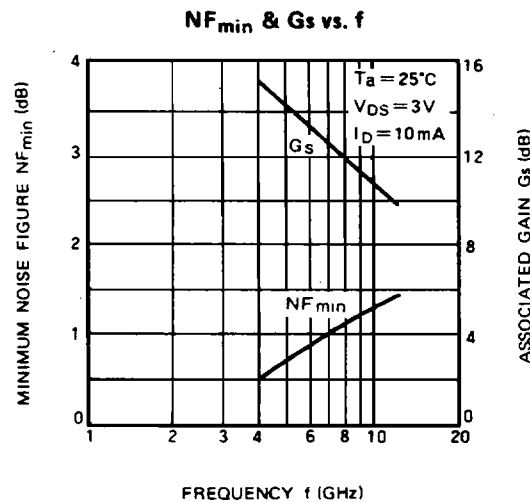
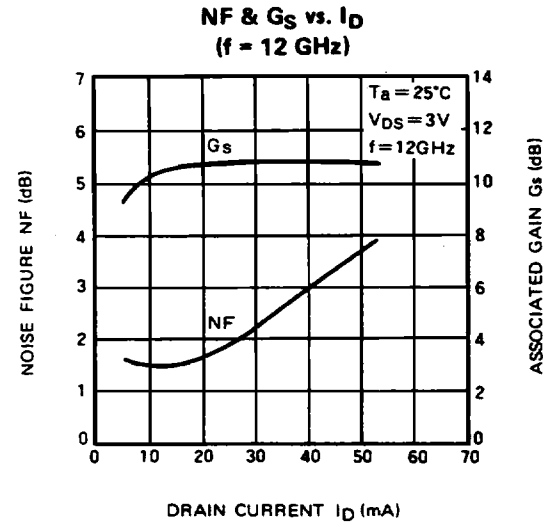
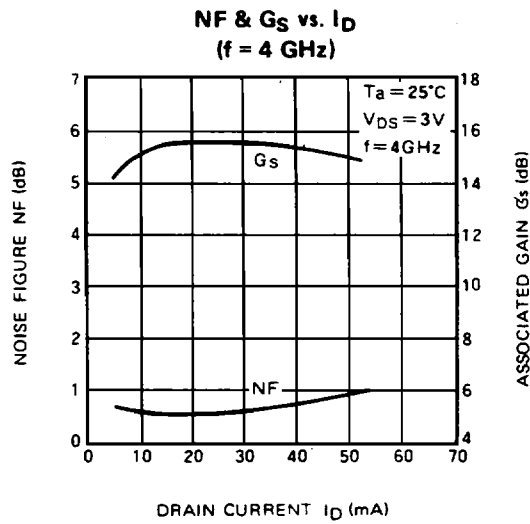
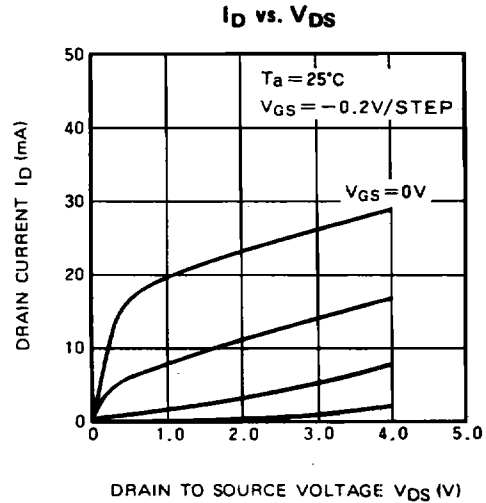
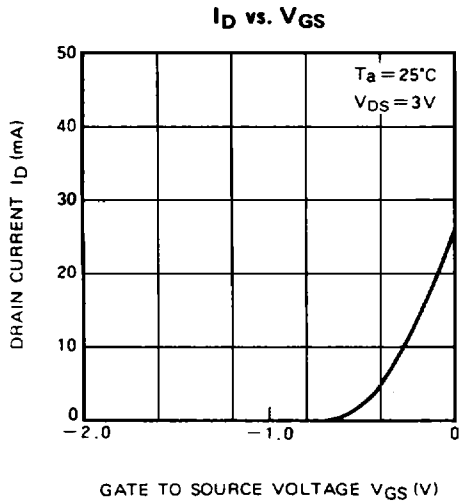
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MGF1425



MGFC1423 S PARAMETERS ($T_a = 25^\circ\text{C}$, $V_{DS} = 3\text{V}$, $I_D = 10\text{mA}$)

f (GHz)	S ₁₁		S ₁₂		S ₂₁		S ₂₂	
	Magn.	Angle(deg.)	Magn.	Angle(deg.)	Magn.	Angle(deg.)	Magn.	Angle(deg.)
1	0.973	-14.0	0.033	80.6	2.963	168.7	0.687	-11.7
2	0.948	-27.4	0.037	69.9	2.808	154.8	0.667	-16.0
3	0.918	-38.1	0.039	62.7	2.705	147.1	0.650	-20.3
4	0.885	-48.0	0.042	56.3	2.592	140.1	0.630	-24.2
5	0.857	-58.4	0.046	49.1	2.491	132.9	0.615	-28.4
6	0.832	-67.8	0.049	43.1	2.400	126.6	0.601	-32.4
7	0.807	-77.9	0.055	36.0	2.310	119.1	0.586	-36.5
8	0.786	-87.2	0.059	30.2	2.231	112.4	0.573	-40.4
9	0.761	-96.9	0.065	23.4	2.153	105.6	0.560	-44.6
10	0.738	-106.0	0.070	17.7	2.085	99.3	0.549	-48.8
11	0.718	-115.6	0.075	11.1	2.022	92.0	0.537	-53.2
12	0.700	-124.2	0.080	5.6	1.956	85.1	0.527	-57.4
13	0.675	-133.7	0.088	-1.4	1.893	78.2	0.516	-61.6
14	0.656	-142.4	0.095	-7.1	1.837	71.6	0.506	-65.8
15	0.632	-152.4	0.102	-14.1	1.779	64.6	0.495	-70.0
16	0.617	-161.4	0.112	-19.9	1.723	58.0	0.486	-74.8
17	0.595	-170.7	0.122	-26.9	1.670	51.3	0.473	-78.6
18	0.580	-179.4	0.133	-32.6	1.620	44.7	0.465	-82.9

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	Magn.	Angle(deg.)	Magn.	Angle(deg.)	Magn.	Angle(deg.)	Magn.	Angle(deg.)
0.5	0.989	-10.0	0.009	84.0	2.704	170.0	0.692	-8.0
1.0	0.986	-20.1	0.017	76.2	2.698	161.7	0.685	-14.9
1.5	0.981	-28.3	0.024	69.2	2.633	151.5	0.677	-21.6
2.0	0.971	-37.9	0.033	62.5	2.559	143.0	0.672	-27.2
2.5	0.955	-47.2	0.044	56.3	2.472	134.8	0.666	-34.5
3.0	0.933	-56.3	0.049	50.5	2.371	127.0	0.662	-40.6
3.5	0.919	-65.0	0.053	44.4	2.283	119.3	0.661	-47.0
4.0	0.902	-73.1	0.056	39.2	2.200	111.2	0.658	-53.0
4.5	0.883	-80.0	0.059	34.0	2.123	104.0	0.657	-58.2
5.0	0.869	-86.8	0.061	29.3	2.054	97.0	0.658	-63.1
5.5	0.853	-93.0	0.063	24.9	1.986	90.0	0.659	-67.9
6.0	0.845	-99.4	0.064	20.8	1.919	83.8	0.661	-72.3
6.5	0.834	-102.8	0.065	17.2	1.879	77.1	0.667	-76.6
7.0	0.824	-111.6	0.066	13.8	1.795	71.2	0.672	-80.8
7.5	0.814	-117.0	0.067	10.3	1.746	65.4	0.677	-84.9
8.0	0.804	-122.5	0.068	7.7	1.702	59.6	0.682	-88.9
8.5	0.794	-128.1	0.068	5.4	1.663	53.9	0.686	-93.0
9.0	0.785	-133.4	0.068	3.0	1.633	47.8	0.689	-96.0
9.5	0.775	-138.9	0.069	1.0	1.601	41.9	0.690	-100.1
10.0	0.765	-143.9	0.069	-0.4	1.574	35.2	0.690	-103.9
10.5	0.753	-149.0	0.069	-2.1	1.547	28.3	0.689	-107.0
11.0	0.739	-154.2	0.069	-3.7	1.528	22.1	0.686	-110.5
11.5	0.723	-159.3	0.069	-4.5	1.505	16.0	0.686	-113.9
12.0	0.708	-165.5	0.070	-6.0	1.496	10.5	0.689	-116.9
12.5	0.689	-171.6	0.071	-7.5	1.489	4.8	0.689	-120.0
13.0	0.668	-177.0	0.071	-8.3	1.489	0	0.689	-123.3
13.5	0.652	-183.0	0.072	-10.0	1.491	-5.2	0.686	-126.3
14.0	0.631	171.2	0.073	-11.8	1.496	-10.5	0.684	-129.9
14.5	0.610	165.2	0.075	-13.7	1.505	-16.0	0.681	-132.4
15.0	0.585	158.3	0.076	-15.8	1.515	-21.7	0.676	-135.0
15.5	0.562	150.3	0.079	-18.0	1.531	-27.0	0.668	-137.8
16.0	0.542	142.0	0.081	-20.5	1.549	-32.8	0.661	-140.8
16.5	0.519	133.7	0.084	-23.1	1.567	-39.4	0.653	-143.9
17.0	0.498	124.9	0.087	-26.5	1.585	-45.6	0.638	-146.5
17.5	0.476	117.0	0.091	-30.4	1.613	-52.3	0.624	-150.3
18.0	0.452	109.1	0.097	-34.5	1.633	-58.6	0.606	-154.8

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	Magn.	Angle (deg.)	Magn.	Angle (deg.)	Magn.	Angle (deg.)	Magn.	Angle (deg.)
0.5	0.992	- 11.1	0.007	83.7	3.467	169.5	0.661	- 7.3
1.0	0.987	- 21.6	0.014	76.0	3.400	161.0	0.647	- 14.9
1.5	0.979	- 32.8	0.020	70.1	3.334	152.5	0.638	- 21.4
2.0	0.962	- 41.7	0.027	63.8	3.266	144.1	0.628	- 28.2
2.5	0.944	- 50.8	0.033	56.4	3.199	136.0	0.622	- 34.6
3.0	0.916	- 58.3	0.038	52.0	3.065	128.1	0.617	- 39.5
3.5	0.889	- 69.7	0.042	46.9	2.955	120.3	0.612	- 46.0
4.0	0.875	- 80.2	0.044	42.8	2.835	112.2	0.610	- 51.1
4.5	0.853	- 85.4	0.046	38.8	2.716	104.7	0.610	- 55.9
5.0	0.840	- 91.2	0.048	35.2	2.600	97.2	0.610	- 60.7
5.5	0.827	- 96.8	0.050	32.0	2.495	89.7	0.611	- 65.8
6.0	0.810	-103.3	0.051	29.2	2.399	82.5	0.615	- 70.0
6.5	0.801	-109.1	0.051	26.3	2.312	75.6	0.622	- 73.8
7.0	0.796	-114.3	0.052	24.0	2.239	68.5	0.631	- 77.9
7.5	0.788	-120.2	0.052	22.0	2.170	61.5	0.645	- 81.7
8.0	0.775	-125.7	0.052	20.0	2.109	54.9	0.653	- 85.6
8.5	0.759	-130.8	0.053	18.2	2.054	47.9	0.657	- 90.0
9.0	0.747	-135.9	0.054	16.8	2.002	40.9	0.661	- 93.1
9.5	0.734	-140.8	0.056	15.4	1.961	35.3	0.663	- 97.3
10.0	0.725	-146.0	0.057	14.5	1.925	29.7	0.666	-101.0
10.5	0.712	-151.5	0.059	13.9	1.895	24.3	0.666	-104.1
11.0	0.691	-156.8	0.061	13.0	1.873	19.0	0.668	-106.8
11.5	0.675	-162.0	0.063	12.1	1.856	13.4	0.668	-110.1
12.0	0.650	-167.8	0.065	11.2	1.839	7.8	0.668	-112.5
12.5	0.628	-173.9	0.067	10.8	1.824	1.6	0.671	-115.3
13.0	0.610	179.9	0.069	9.7	1.809	- 4.0	0.674	-118.0
13.5	0.583	174.7	0.072	8.9	1.795	- 9.0	0.675	-120.1
14.0	0.560	167.7	0.076	7.9	1.789	-13.8	0.676	-122.4
14.5	0.541	159.4	0.080	6.0	1.784	-18.5	0.675	-125.1
15.0	0.521	151.4	0.085	4.0	1.784	-23.0	0.676	-128.0
15.5	0.501	145.2	0.090	0.8	1.786	-28.5	0.676	-130.7
16.0	0.478	136.9	0.095	- 2.6	1.795	-34.6	0.676	-133.6
16.5	0.449	128.8	0.101	- 7.1	1.807	-40.8	0.669	-136.3
17.0	0.436	115.7	0.108	-12.4	1.818	-46.8	0.653	-139.5
17.5	0.414	105.0	0.117	-17.7	1.830	-52.0	0.645	-142.6
18.0	0.399	96.3	0.128	-22.3	1.847	-57.9	0.631	-146.5

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1	0.974	-12.7	0.030	81.6	3.228	169.9	0.688	-11.8
2	0.950	-24.9	0.033	71.9	3.080	157.0	0.671	-16.0
3	0.920	-34.9	0.036	65.2	2.995	149.7	0.655	-20.2
4	0.887	-44.2	0.039	59.2	2.900	143.0	0.638	-24.0
5	0.857	-54.2	0.044	52.3	2.813	136.1	0.622	-28.2
6	0.829	-63.4	0.047	46.4	2.731	130.0	0.607	-32.0
7	0.800	-73.4	0.053	39.5	2.646	122.7	0.591	-36.1
8	0.775	-82.7	0.057	33.7	2.570	116.0	0.577	-40.0
9	0.747	-92.7	0.064	26.7	2.491	109.2	0.562	-44.0
10	0.724	-102.0	0.068	21.0	2.420	103.0	0.549	-48.0
11	0.698	-111.9	0.075	13.8	2.346	95.7	0.535	-52.1
12	0.677	-121.0	0.081	8.2	2.280	88.9	0.522	-56.1
13	0.651	-130.9	0.089	0.7	2.211	81.8	0.508	-60.0
14	0.633	-140.0	0.097	-4.5	2.150	75.3	0.497	-64.0
15	0.608	-150.4	0.106	-12.4	2.081	68.4	0.484	-67.9
16	0.591	-160.0	0.117	-17.3	2.020	61.8	0.473	-72.0
17	0.568	-169.9	0.127	-25.6	1.966	54.9	0.459	-75.9
18	0.553	-179.0	0.140	-30.0	1.905	48.2	0.450	-80.0

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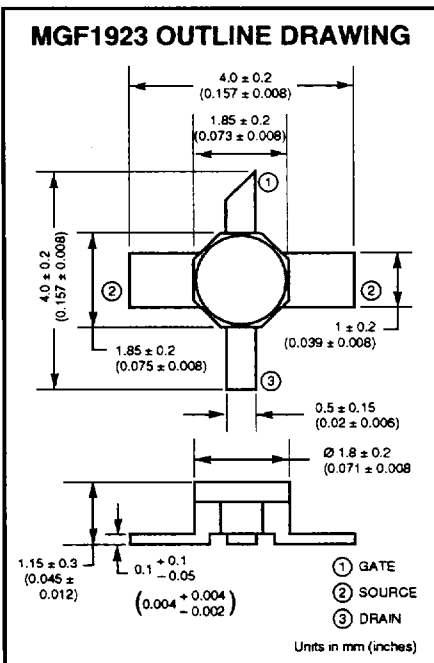
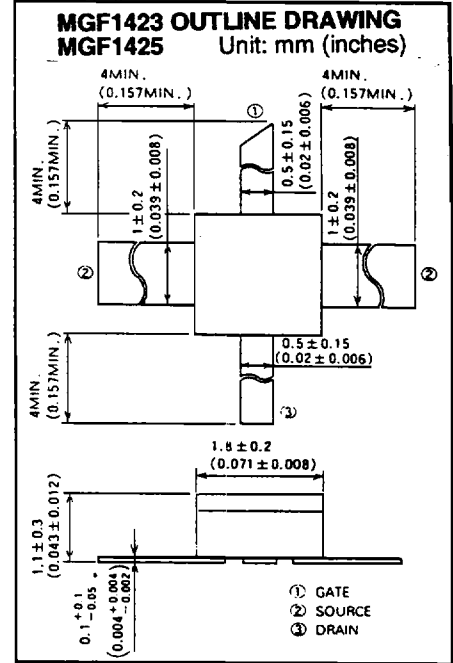
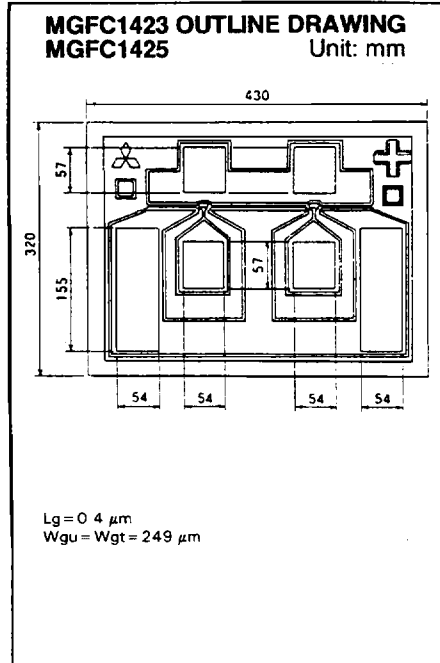
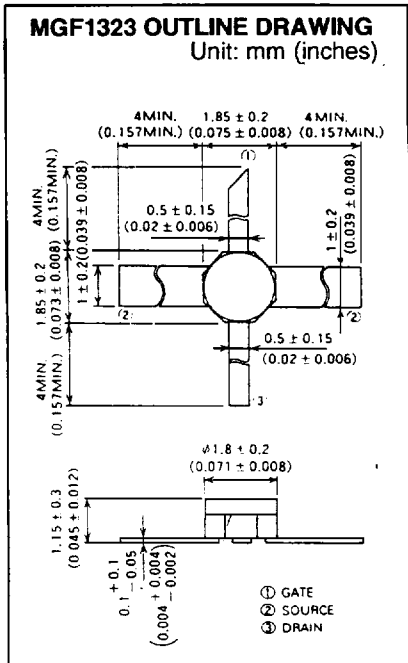
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	Magn.	Angle (deg.)	Magn.	Angle (deg.)	Magn.	Angle (deg.)	Magn.	Angle (deg.)
0.5	0.992	-11.0	0.009	83.4	3.467	170.0	0.668	-7.8
1.0	0.989	-22.1	0.018	74.8	3.400	160.1	0.662	-15.5
1.5	0.977	-32.1	0.026	67.3	3.311	150.0	0.655	-22.4
2.0	0.954	-42.4	0.036	60.0	3.217	140.0	0.646	-30.0
2.5	0.930	-53.3	0.043	53.8	3.090	131.2	0.638	-36.6
3.0	0.908	-63.7	0.049	48.1	2.968	122.5	0.631	-43.2
3.5	0.885	-73.6	0.053	42.3	2.851	115.6	0.625	-49.1
4.0	0.861	-83.0	0.057	37.9	2.723	108.1	0.621	-54.5
4.5	0.846	-91.3	0.059	33.7	2.615	100.8	0.618	-59.6
5.0	0.829	-99.1	0.061	29.3	2.512	94.1	0.617	-64.0
5.5	0.813	-106.0	0.063	25.4	2.427	86.5	0.619	-68.6
6.0	0.794	-112.3	0.064	22.2	2.333	79.7	0.622	-72.9
6.5	0.781	-119.1	0.065	18.5	2.252	72.6	0.628	-77.0
7.0	0.766	-124.5	0.066	15.5	2.188	65.7	0.633	-81.8
7.5	0.754	-130.1	0.067	12.3	2.126	59.2	0.638	-85.9
8.0	0.741	-136.0	0.067	9.3	2.065	52.6	0.643	-90.1
8.5	0.729	-141.8	0.068	6.5	2.007	46.1	0.646	-94.0
9.0	0.718	-147.8	0.068	4.5	1.941	40.1	0.648	-97.6
9.5	0.703	-153.5	0.068	3.0	1.894	34.0	0.651	-101.5
10.0	0.686	-159.0	0.069	2.0	1.851	28.3	0.652	-105.4
10.5	0.668	-164.6	0.070	1.2	1.820	23.3	0.653	-108.0
11.0	0.653	-171.0	0.071	0.7	1.799	17.9	0.653	-111.8
11.5	0.634	-176.9	0.072	0	1.778	12.0	0.653	-115.4
12.0	0.617	176.5	0.073	-0.5	1.758	5.8	0.653	-118.0
12.5	0.598	169.9	0.075	-2.5	1.738	0	0.653	-121.3
13.0	0.581	162.6	0.077	-3.8	1.732	-6.0	0.652	-124.5
13.5	0.562	154.8	0.079	-6.0	1.718	-11.8	0.650	-127.2
14.0	0.543	147.2	0.082	-8.3	1.708	-17.6	0.649	-130.2
14.5	0.528	139.5	0.085	-11.5	1.698	-23.5	0.647	-133.6
15.0	0.510	132.0	0.089	-14.0	1.698	-30.0	0.642	-136.5
15.5	0.495	123.7	0.093	-16.5	1.698	-36.1	0.640	-140.0
16.0	0.484	114.1	0.098	-19.8	1.698	-42.0	0.629	-143.8
16.5	0.473	104.3	0.103	-23.0	1.698	-48.3	0.617	-146.1
17.0	0.465	93.0	0.111	-27.5	1.698	-57.1	0.599	-149.0
17.5	0.457	80.0	0.120	-32.3	1.708	-71.0	0.579	-152.0
18.0	0.452	66.8	0.134	-38.0	1.718	-92.2	0.562	-154.9

MGF1423 NOISE PARAMETERS ($V_{DS} = 3V, I_D = 10mA$)

Frequency (GHz)	Γ_{OPT}		R_n (Ω)	NFmin (dB)
	MAG	ANG		
2	0.820	18.5	23.5	0.68
4	0.695	36.0	21	0.75
8	0.573	81.2	19	1.30
12	0.489	115.8	17	1.80
18	0.362	173.0	21	2.55

MGF1425 NOISE PARAMETERS ($V_{DS} = 3V, I_D = 10mA$)

Frequency (GHz)	Γ_{OPT}		R_n (Ω)	NFmin (dB)
	MAG	ANG		
2	0.813	19.7	23.5	0.57
4	0.681	34.3	21	0.60
8	0.527	79.5	19	1.20
12	0.462	114.4	17	1.50
18	0.325	176.6	21	2.20



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Part Number	Grade	Test at	Noise Figure	Notes
MGFC1423-T01	A	12GHz, sample	2.3	
MGFC1423-T02	B	12GHz, sample	2.3	
MGFC1423-T03	C	12GHz, sample	2.3	
MGFC1425-T01	A	12GHz, sample	1.7	
MGFC1425-T02	B	12GHz, sample	1.7	
MGFC1425-T03	C	12GHz, sample	1.7	
MGF1423-61-23	Industrial	12GHz, 100% RF	2.3	Ceramic package
MGF1425-61-16	Industrial	12GHz, 100% RF	1.6	Ceramic package
MGF1323-01	General	12GHz, sample	2.3	Ceramic package
MGF1923-01	General	12GHz, sample	2.3	Ceramic tape & reel package