

The RF Line
VHF Power Transistors

The TP2330 device is intended for use in VHF transmitter output stages where high gain is desired.

Use of gold metallization and diffused emitter ballast resistors result in enhanced reliability and ruggedness.

- 175 MHz
- 30 W — P_{out}
- 12.5 V — V_{CC}
- High Gain — 10 dB @ 175 MHz

MAXIMUM RATINGS

Rating	Symbol	Value	Unit
Collector-Emitter Voltage	V_{CEO}	16	Vdc
Collector-Base Voltage	V_{CBO}	36	Vdc
Emitter-Base Voltage	V_{EBO}	4	Vdc
Collector Current — Continuous	I_C	8	Adc
Total Device Dissipation @ $T_C = 25^\circ\text{C}$ Derate above 25°C	P_D	80 0.46	Watts W/°C
Operating Junction Temperature	T_J	200	°C
Storage Temperature Range	T_{stg}	-65 to +200	°C

THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS

Characteristic	Symbol	Max	Unit
Thermal Resistance, Junction to Case	$R_{\theta JC}$	2.2	°C/W

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS ($T_C = 25^\circ\text{C}$ unless otherwise noted)

Characteristic	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
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OFF CHARACTERISTICS

Collector-Emitter Breakdown Voltage ($I_C = 50\text{ mA}$, $I_B = 0$)	$V_{(BR)CEO}$	16	—	—	Vdc
Collector-Base Breakdown Voltage ($I_C = 50\text{ mA}$, $I_E = 0$)	$V_{(BR)CBO}$	36	—	—	Vdc
Emitter-Base Breakdown Voltage ($I_E = 5\text{ mA}$, $I_C = 0$)	$V_{(BR)EBO}$	4	—	—	Vdc
Collector Cutoff Current ($V_{CE} = 15\text{ V}$, $V_{BE} = 0$)	I_{CES}	—	—	10	mAdc

ON CHARACTERISTICS

DC Current Gain ($I_C = 1\text{ A}$, $V_{CE} = 5\text{ V}$)	h_{FE}	20	—	250	—
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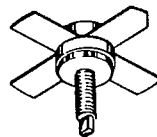
DYNAMIC CHARACTERISTICS

Output Capacitance ($V_{CB} = 15\text{ V}$, $I_E = 0$, $f = 1\text{ MHz}$)	C_{ob}	—	70	100	pF
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TP2330
TP2330F

30 W — 175 MHz
VHF POWER
TRANSISTORS



.380 SOE
CASE 145D-01, STYLE 1
TP2330



.380 SOE F
CASE 211-07, STYLE 1
TP2330F

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS — continued ($T_C = 25^\circ\text{C}$ unless otherwise noted)

Characteristic	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Unit	
FUNCTIONAL TESTS						
Common-Emitter Amplifier Power Gain ($V_{CE} = 12.5\text{ V}$, $P_{Out} = 30\text{ W}$, $f = 175\text{ MHz}$)	TP2330 TP2330F	GPE	10 9	— —	— —	dB
Collector Efficiency ($V_{CE} = 12.5\text{ V}$, $P_{Out} = 30\text{ W}$, $f = 175\text{ MHz}$)		η_c	60	—	—	%
Load Mismatch ($V_{CE} = 12.5\text{ V}$, $P_{Out} = 30\text{ W}$, $f = 175\text{ MHz}$, Load VSWR = $\infty:1$, All Phase Angles)		ψ	No Degradation in Output Power			
Input Impedance, Common Emitter (Typ) ($V_{CE} = 12.5\text{ V}$, $P_{Out} = 30\text{ W}$, $f = 175\text{ MHz}$)			$Z_{in} = 1.05 + j0.5\text{ Ohms}$			
Load Impedance, Common Emitter (Typ) ($V_{CE} = 12.5\text{ V}$, $P_{Out} = 30\text{ W}$, $f = 175\text{ MHz}$)			$Z_{Load} = 2.7 + j0.2\text{ Ohms}$			

TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS

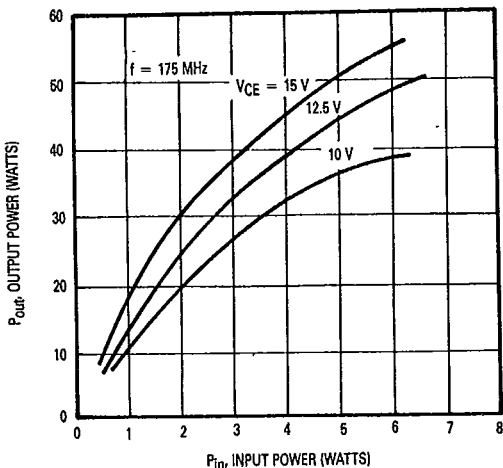


Figure 1. Output Power versus Frequency

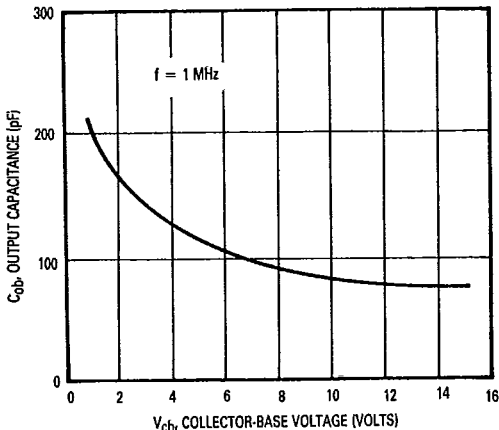


Figure 2. Output Capacitance versus Voltage

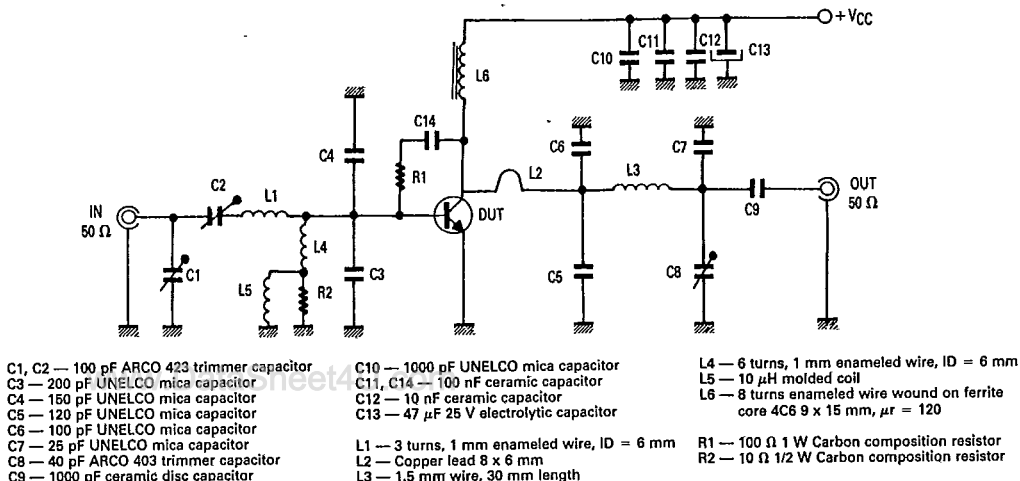


Figure 3. 175 MHz Test Circuit