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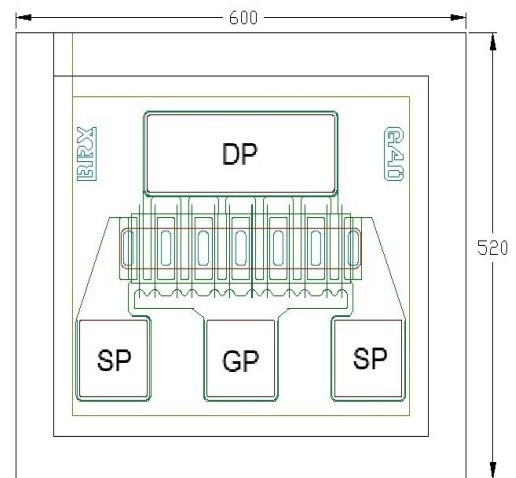
The BeRex BCG004 is a GaN Power HEMT die with a nominal 0.15 micron gate length and 960 micron gate width making the product ideally suited for amplifier applications where high-gain and high power from DC to 26 GHz. The product may be used in either wide-band or narrow-band applications. The BCG004 is produced using state of the art metallization with Si3N4 passivation and is screened to assure reliability.

Product Features

- 36.5 dBm Typical Saturated Output Power (P3dB) @ 12 GHz
- 10.5 dB Typical Saturated gain (G3dB) @ 12 GHz
- 55 % PAE Typical @ 12 GHz
- 0.15 X 960 Micron Recessed Gate

Applications

- Commercial
- Military / Hi-Rel.
- Test & Measurement



Chip dimensions : 600 X 520 microns
 Gate pad(GP) : 90 X 90 microns
 Drain pad(DP) : 250 X 90 microns
 Source pad(SP) : 90 X 90 microns
 Chip thickness : 75 microns

Typical Performance

SYMBOLS	PARAMETER/TEST CONDITIONS	TEST FREQUENCY	MIN.	TYPICAL	Max	UNIT
P3dB	Saturated Output Power @ P3dB (V _{ds} = 28V, I _d = 40mA)	12 GHz	35	36.5		dBm
G3dB	Power Gain @ P3dB (V _{ds} = 28V, I _d = 40mA)	12 GHz	9.0	10.5		dB
PAE	PAE @ P3dB (V _{ds} = 28V, I _d = 40mA)	12 GHz		55		%
I _{dss}	Saturated Drain Current (V _{gs} = 0.0 V, V _{ds} = 10.0 V)		420	520	620	mA
V _p	Pinch-off Voltage (I _{ds} = 0.96 mA, V _{ds} = 10 V)			-1.9		V
BV _{gd}	Drain Breakdown Voltage (I _g = 0.96 mA, source open)			84		V
BV _{gs}	Source Breakdown Voltage (I _g = 0.96 mA, drain open)			-6.5		V
R _{th}	Thermal Resistance			5.8		° C/W

MAXIMUM RATING (Ta = 25° C)

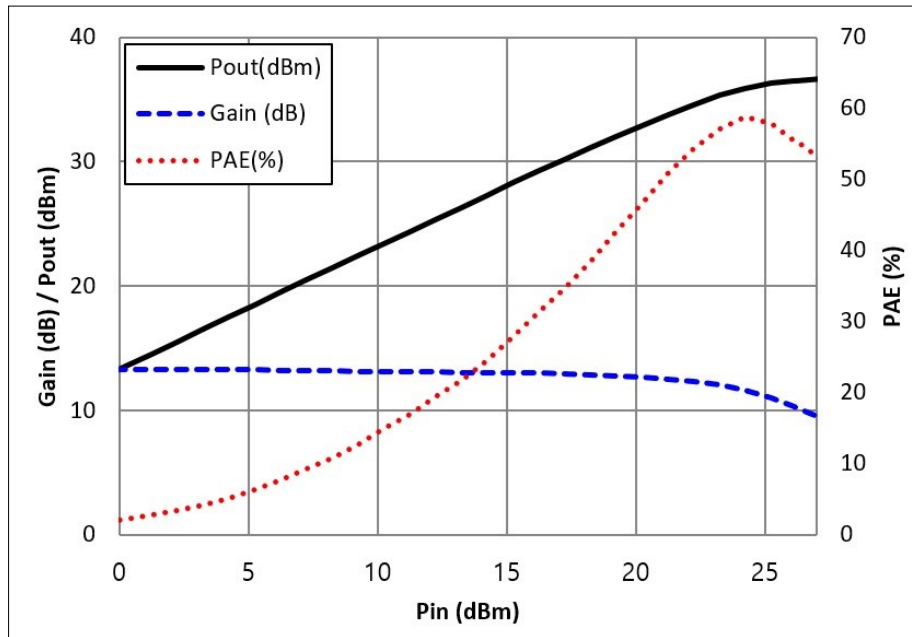
SYMBOLS	PARAMETERS	ABSOLUTE
V _{ds}	Drain-Source Voltage	90 V
V _{gs}	Gate-Source Voltage	-10 V
I _{ds}	Drain Current	1.2 A
I _{gsf}	Forward Gate Current	2 mA
T _{stg}	Storage Temperature	-60° C to 150° C
P _t	Total Power Dissipation	7.5 W

Exceeding any of the above Maximum Ratings will result in reduced MTTF and may cause permanent damage to the device.

S-PARAMETERS (V_{ds} = 28V, I_{ds} = 40mA, T = 25°C)

FREQ. [GHZ]	S11 [MAG]	S11 [ANG.]	S21 [MAG]	S21 [ANG.]	S12 [MAG]	S12 [ANG.]	S22 [MAG]	S22 [ANG.]
1	0.84	-76.84	14.82	131.66	0.046	46.72	0.52	-50.02
2	0.72	-122.16	9.84	105.90	0.056	33.72	0.39	-75.13
3	0.68	-152.17	7.19	89.22	0.066	25.54	0.33	-90.13
4	0.67	-172.79	5.57	75.78	0.067	23.15	0.31	-99.09
5	0.68	168.98	4.47	64.72	0.067	22.16	0.29	-108.09
6	0.69	154.48	3.70	54.68	0.070	21.64	0.30	-115.42
7	0.71	139.52	3.13	44.72	0.069	21.98	0.29	-123.06
8	0.74	128.59	2.65	36.12	0.073	23.85	0.30	-128.86
9	0.77	118.86	2.29	27.40	0.077	20.47	0.31	-135.56
10	0.79	111.57	1.98	20.42	0.078	18.77	0.32	-142.34
11	0.82	104.49	1.71	12.55	0.079	18.91	0.34	-149.87
12	0.86	99.98	1.50	6.45	0.083	23.18	0.35	-158.20
13	0.86	95.03	1.32	0.40	0.082	19.05	0.37	-162.83
14	0.88	90.91	1.17	-5.63	0.085	16.65	0.39	-168.64
15	0.90	88.25	1.06	-10.44	0.088	14.96	0.43	-175.17
16	0.90	87.19	0.95	-14.92	0.092	16.71	0.45	-179.70
17	0.92	85.63	0.87	-19.11	0.097	18.29	0.48	175.97
18	0.92	84.56	0.78	-22.59	0.096	14.36	0.50	173.85
19	0.91	83.68	0.72	-25.74	0.108	13.64	0.53	171.12
20	0.92	82.23	0.65	-29.03	0.111	15.54	0.56	167.25
21	0.91	78.12	0.62	-32.63	0.122	12.60	0.57	165.37
22	0.90	73.90	0.59	-36.07	0.128	10.47	0.59	162.82
23	0.88	70.62	0.54	-40.79	0.135	6.01	0.60	158.74
24	0.87	67.28	0.49	-43.25	0.145	4.01	0.59	154.81
25	0.89	64.44	0.46	-45.77	0.143	5.40	0.59	153.48
26	0.91	61.26	0.43	-47.46	0.148	4.36	0.62	148.75

PIN_POUT / Gain, PAE (@ 12 GHz)



(Vds = 28V, Idq = 40mA, T = 25 °C)

WIRE BONDING INFORMATION

Always follow wire bonding diagrams recommended by BeRex for each device to achieve optimum device performance and reliability. As a general rule, bonding temperature should be kept to a maximum of 280°C for no longer than 2 minutes for all bonding wires.

	<p>Using 1 mil. Diameter, Au bonding wires.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Gate to input transmission line - Length and Height : 900 μm x 250 μm - Number of wire(s) : 1 2. Drain to output transmission line - Length and Height : 400 μm x 250 μm - Number of wire(s) : 2 3. Source to ground plate - Length and Height : 250 μm x 300 μm - Number of wire(s) : 4 4. Gap "A" : 230 ~ 250 μm 5. Gap "B" : 130 ~ 150 μm
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Preliminary Datasheet

ESD Rating

ESD Testing Mode	Reference (Current Revision)	Resulting Classification
ESD - HBM	JDS - 001 - 2017	Class1A (Passes <500V)



Proper ESD procedures should be followed when handling this device.

HANDLING PRECAUTIONS

GaN HEMTs are very sensitive to and may be damaged by Electrostatic Discharge (ESD). Therefore, proper ESD precautions must be taken whenever you are handling these devices. It is critically important that all work surfaces, and assembly equipment, as well as the operator be properly grounded when handling these devices to prevent ESD damage.

DIE ATTACH RECOMMENDATIONS

BeRex recommends the “Eutectic” die attach using Au/Sn (80/20) pre-forms. The die attach station must have accurate temperature control, and the operation should be performed with parts no hotter than 300°C for less than 10 seconds. An inert forming gas (90% N₂/10% H₂) or clean, dry N₂ should be used.

Use of conductive epoxy (gold or silver filled) may also be acceptable for die-attaching low power devices.

SHIPPING & STORAGE

BeRex’s standard chip device shipping package consists of an antistatic “Gel-Pak”, holding the chips, placed inside a sealed metallized bag. This packaging is designed to provide a reasonable measure of protection from both mechanical and ESD damage.

Chip devices should be stored in a clean, dry Nitrogen gas environment at room temperature until they are required for assembly. Only open the shipping package or perform die assembly in a work area with a class 10,000 or better clean room environment to prevent contamination of the exposed devices.

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