



IQSTAR2019-WB-AMP

RF Power Amplifier GaN on SiC HEMT 10W, 28V, 3.4 - 4 GHz

Description

IQSTAR can generate multiple measurement data in short time. If these capabilities are combined with the sweep plan feature, the user may face some difficulties to retrieve the key information among ,all these data. The Whiteboard was developed to allow a maximum data exploration with no compromise on the flexibility.

This workspace example has be done to present the whiteboard capabilities, including differents type of measurement files, resulting from a HPA device characterization (S-Parameters, PowerSweep, 2-tones, Modulated signal and DPD evaluation))



Small Signal Gain and Return Loss vs Frequency Quiescent Command (Drain) 26.0 +H۷ 24.0 [2 / 3] 28.0 Device Description IDSq=150mA IDSq=100mA [2/3] IDSq=200mA 20 15 10 Gain and Return Loss (dB) 5 0 -5 -10 S21: Vds=26V, IDSg=150mA S11; Vds=26V, IDSq=150mA -15 S22; Vds=26V, IDSq=150mA -20 5 D ŵ င် က 4 4.5-2.75 Ŕ 1.25 ŝ Frequency (GHz)

Features

- Pictures
- Table
- Slider with data interpolation
- Custom data
- PDF export
- 3D Graph
- Advanced filter selection

S-Parameters Applications

1) Import *.S2P files from 'Files' tab in 'Whiteboard Tools' on the rigth side on the windows.

2) Move the sliders to select 'Quiescent Voltage' value and 'Quiescent Current' value to display.

Absolute Maximum Ratings

Parameter	Rating	Units
Breakdown Voltage, BVdg	120	v
Gate Voltage (VGS)	-10 to +2	v
Drain Voltage (VDS)	+28	v
RF Input Power	+32	dBm
VSWR Mismatch, P1dB Pulse (10% duty cycle, 100u width), T25°C	10:1	

DC Characteristics

Parameter	Conditions	Min	Тур	Max	Units
Gate Threshold Voltage	VDS=10V, Id=3.6mA	-3.6	-3.0	-2.4	V
Gate Quiescent Voltage	VDS=28V, ID=200mA		-2.7		v
Saturated Drain Current	VDS=6.0V, VGS=2.0V	2.59	3.5		A
Drain-Source Breakdown Voltage	VGS=-5V, IDS=3.6mA	120			v

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1-Tone Power Sweep vs Frequency Sweep Application

Import '1-tone.imx' file from 'Files' tab in 'Whiteboard Tools' on the rigth side on the windows.
Move the sliders to select 'Gain compression level' value and/or 'Frequency' value to display the associated results.





Video Bandwidth Application

1) Import 'VBW.imx' file from 'Files' tab in 'Whiteboard Tools' on the rigth side on the windows



IQSTAR2019-WB-AMP LTE Power Sweep vs Frequency Sweep Application

1) Import 'Modulated_LTEXMHzDPD.imx' files from 'Files' tab in 'Whiteboard Tools' on the rigth side on the windows 2) Move the sliders to select 'Modulation signal shape' and/or 'Frequency' value to display the associated results.



Digital Pre-distortion evaluation

1) Select a point in the ACPR(dBc) vs Pout(W) plot above to display the DPD results corresponding to this power level poin



+H

3.8

48.3

40.1

31.9 (%)

23.7

15.5

7.3

-0.9

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Efficiency