

AMMC-5024

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Lifecycle status: **Active**

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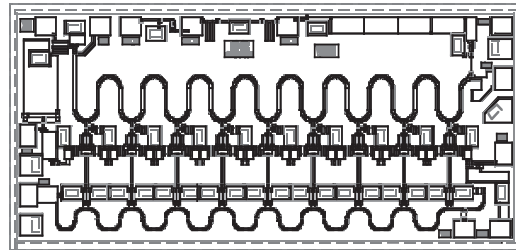
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Data Sheet



Chip Size: 2350 x 1050 μm (92.5 x 41.3 mils)
Chip Size Tolerance: $\pm 10 \mu\text{m}$ (± 0.4 mils)
Chip Thickness: $100 \pm 10 \mu\text{m}$ (4 ± 0.4 mils)
Pad Dimensions: $80 \times 80 \mu\text{m}$ (2.95 ± 0.4 mils)

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Absolute Maximum Ratings^[1]

Symbol	Parameters/Conditions	Units	Min.	Max.
V_{dd}	Positive Drain Voltage	V		10
I_{dd}	Total Drain Current	mA		340
V_{g1}	First Gate Voltage	V	-9.5	0
I_{g1}	First Gate Current	mA	-38	+1
V_{g2}	Second Gate Voltage	V	-3.5	+4
I_{g2}	Second Gate Current	mA	-20	
P_{in}	CW Input Power	dBm		17
T_{ch}	Operating Channel Temperature	$^{\circ}\text{C}$		+150
T_b	Operating Backside Temperature	$^{\circ}\text{C}$	-55	
T_{stg}	Storage Temperature	$^{\circ}\text{C}$	-65	+165
T_{max}	Max. Assembly Temp (60 sec max)	$^{\circ}\text{C}$		+300

Notes:

1. Absolute maximum ratings for continuous operation unless otherwise noted.

AMMC-5024 DC Specifications/Physical Properties ^[1]

Symbol	Parameters and Test Conditions	Units	Min.	Typ.	Max.
I_{dss}	Saturated Drain Current ($V_{dd}=7\text{ V}$, $V_{g1}=0\text{ V}$, $V_{g2}=\text{open circuit}$)	mA	265	350	385
V_p	First Gate Pinch-off Voltage ($V_{dd}=7\text{ V}$, $I_{dd}=30\text{ mA}$, $V_{g2}=\text{open circuit}$)	V		-8.2	
V_{g2}	Second Gate Self-bias Voltage ($V_{dd}=7\text{ V}$, $I_{dd}=200\text{ mA}$, $V_{g2}=\text{open circuit}$)	V		2.75	
I_{dsmin} (V_{g1})	First Gate Minimum Drain Current ($V_{dd}=7\text{ V}$, $V_{g1}=-7\text{ V}$, $V_{g2}=\text{open circuit}$)	mA		47	
I_{dsmin} (V_{g2})	Second Gate Minimum Drain Current ($V_{dd}=7\text{ V}$, $V_{g1}=0\text{ V}$, $V_{g2}=-3.5\text{ V}$)	mA		105	
θ_{ch-b}	Thermal Resistance ^[2] (Backside temperature, $T_b = 25^\circ\text{C}$)	$^\circ\text{C/W}$		16.2	

RF Specifications for High Power Applications ^[2, 3] ($V_{dd}=7\text{ V}$, $I_{dd}(Q)=200\text{ mA}$, $Z_{in}=Z_o=50\Omega$)

Symbol	Parameters and Test Conditions	Units	Min.	Typ.	Max.
$ S_{21} ^2$	Small-signal Gain	dB	14	16	18
$\Delta S_{21} ^2$	Small-signal Gain Flatness	dB		± 0.75	± 2
RL_{in}	Input Return Loss	dB	12	16.9	
RL_{out}	Output Return Loss	dB	10	16.8	
$ S_{12} ^2$	Isolation	dB	26	28	
P_{-1dB}	Output Power @ 1 dB Gain Compression	f = 22 GHz dBm	21	22.5	
P_{sat}	Saturated Output Power	f = 22 GHz dBm	23	24.5	
OIP3	Output 3 rd Order Intercept Point, $Rf_{in1} = Rf_{in2} = 2\text{ dBm}$, f = 22 GHz, $\Delta f = 2\text{ MHz}$	dBm	27	30	
NF	Noise Figure ($V_{ds} = 3\text{ V}$, $I_{ds} = 140\text{ mA}$)	f = 26 GHz dB f = 40 GHz dB		4.6 7.2	6.5 9

RF Specifications for High Gain and Low Power Applications ^[2, 3] ($V_{dd}=4\text{ V}$, $I_{dd}(Q)=160\text{ mA}$, $Z_{in}=Z_o=50\Omega$)

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$ S_{21} ^2$	Small-signal Gain	dB		17.5	
$\Delta S_{21} ^2$	Small-signal Gain Flatness	dB		± 1.5	
RL_{in}	Minimum Input Return Loss	dB		13	
RL_{out}	Minimum Output Return Loss	dB		13	
$ S_{12} ^2$	Isolation	dB		30	
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NF	Noise Figure	f = 26 GHz dB f = 40 GHz dB		3.7 5.5	

Notes:

1. Backside temperature $T_b = 25^\circ\text{C}$ unless otherwise noted.
2. Channel to board Thermal Resistance is measured using QFI method.
3. 100% on-wafer RF test is done at frequency = 2, 10, 20, 30 and 40 GHz, except as noted.

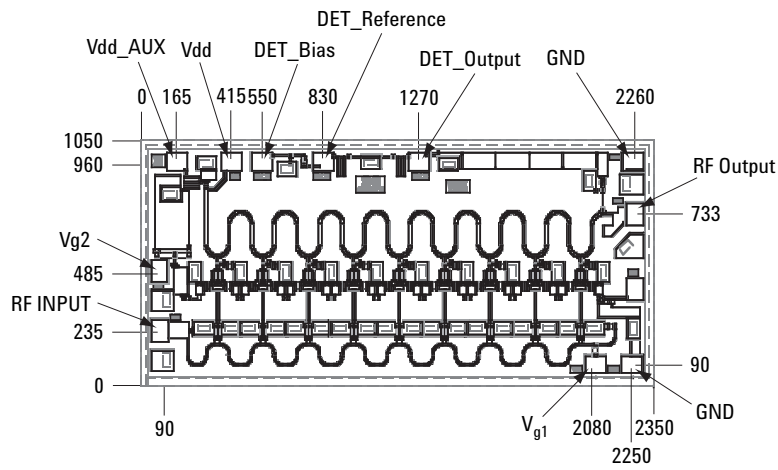


Figure 20. AMMC-5024 Bonding Pad Locations. (dimensions in micrometers)

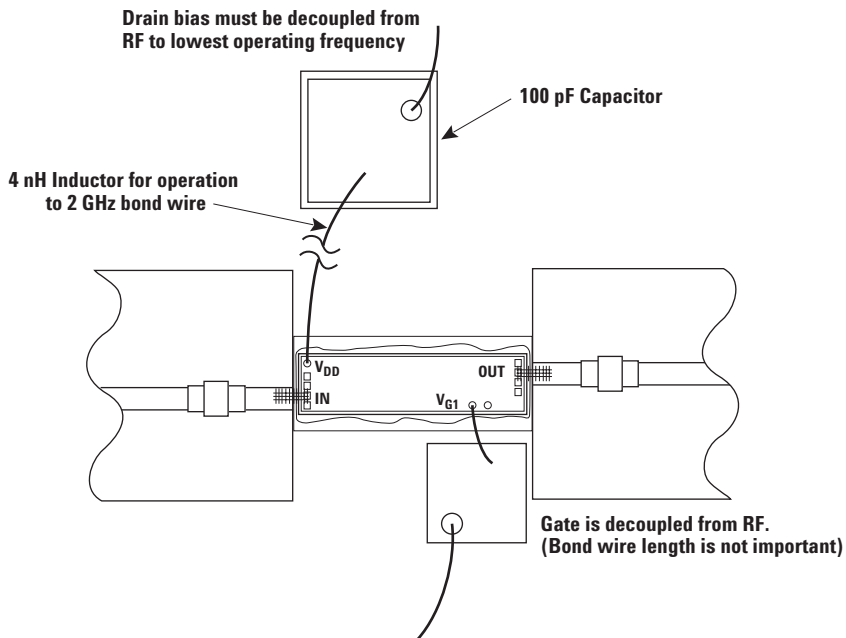


Figure 21. AMMC-5024 Assembly Diagram.

Ordering Information

AMMC-5024-W10 = 10 devices per tray

AMMC-5024-W50 = 50 devices per tray