# NPN Silicon RF Power Transistor

. . . designed for 24 volt UHF large—signal, common—base amplifier applications in industrial and commercial FM equipment operating in the range of 804–960 MHz.

- Specified 24 Volt, 900 MHz Characteristics
   Output Power = 30 Watts
   Power Gain = 7.0 dB Min
   Efficiency = 55% Min
- Series Equivalent Large—Signal Characterization
- Capable of 30:1 VSWR Load Mismatch at Rated Output Power and Supply Voltage
- Gold Metallized, Emitter Ballasted for Long Life and Resistance to Metal Migration
- · Silicon Nitride Passivated

# MRF894

30 W, 900 MHz RF POWER TRANSISTOR NPN SILICON



**CASE 319-07, STYLE 1** 

#### **MAXIMUM RATINGS**

Rating	Symbol	Value	Unit
Collector–Emitter Voltage	VCEO	30	Vdc
Collector-Base Voltage	Vcво	50	Vdc
Emitter–Base Voltage	VEBO	4.0	Vdc
Collector Current — Continuous	IC	7.0	Adc
Total Device Dissipation @ T <sub>C</sub> = 25°C (1)  Derate above 25°C	P <sub>D</sub>	115 0.66	Watts W/°C
Storage Temperature Range	T <sub>stg</sub>	-65 to +150	°C

#### THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS

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Characteristic	Symbol	Max	Unit
Thermal Resistance, Junction to Case (2)	R <sub>0</sub> JC	1.5	°C/W

#### **ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS** (T<sub>C</sub> = 25°C unless otherwise noted.)

Characteristic	Symbol	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
OFF CHARACTERISTICS					
Collector–Emitter Breakdown Voltage (IC = 25 mAdc, IB = 0)	V(BR)CEO	30	_	_	Vdc
Collector-Emitter Breakdown Voltage (IC = 25 mAdc, VBE = 0)	V(BR)CES	50	_	_	Vdc
mitter-Base Breakdown Voltage (I <sub>E</sub> = 5.0 mAdc, I <sub>C</sub> = 0) V(BR)EBO 4.0		4.0	_	_	Vdc
Collector Cutoff Current (V <sub>CB</sub> = 30 Vdc, I <sub>E</sub> = 0)	ICBO	_	_	10	mAdc

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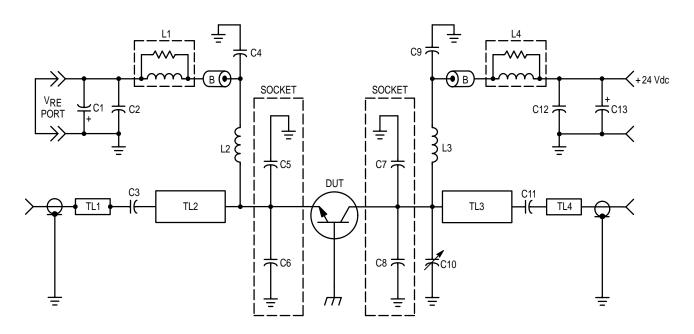
1. This device is designed for RF operation. The total device dissipation rating applies only when the device is operated as an RF amplifier.





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

Characteristic	Symbol	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
ON CHARACTERISTICS					
DC Current Gain (I <sub>C</sub> = 2.0 Adc, V <sub>CE</sub> = 5.0 Vdc)	hFE	10	_	120	_
DYNAMIC CHARACTERISTICS					
Output Capacitance (V <sub>CB</sub> = 30 Vdc, I <sub>E</sub> = 0, f = 1.0 MHz)	C <sub>ob</sub>	_	45	_	pF
FUNCTIONAL TESTS					
Common–Base Amplifier Power Gain (P <sub>Out</sub> = 30 W, V <sub>CC</sub> = 24 Vdc, f = 900 MHz)	GPE	7.0	8.5	_	dB
Collector Efficiency (P <sub>Out</sub> = 30 W, V <sub>CC</sub> = 24 Vdc, f = 900 MHz)	η	55	60	_	%



B — Ferrite Bead, Ferroxcube 56–590–65–3B

C1, C13 — 5.0  $\mu$ F, 50 Vdc

C2, C12 — 1000 pF Unelco

C3, C11 — 47 pF, 100 Mil Chip Capacitor

C4, C9 — 91 pF, Mini-Underwood

C5, C6 — 12 pF, Mini-Underwood C7 — 18 pF, Mini–Underwood C8 — 24 pF, Mini–Underwood

C10 — 0.8-8.0 pF Johanson Gigatrim

L1, L4 — 11 Turns #20 Enameled Over 10  $\Omega$  Carbon Resistor

L2, L3 — 4 Turns #20 Enameled, .15" ID

TL1, TL4 — Micro Strip Line, 50  $\Omega$ 

TL2 — Micro Strip,  $Z_0=30~\Omega,~\lambda/4~@$  875 MHz TL3 — Micro Strip,  $Z_0=22~\Omega,~\lambda/4~@$  875 MHz Board — 0.032" Glass Teflon

2 oz. Cu CLAD,  $\varepsilon_r$  = 2.55

Figure 1. 850-900 MHz Broadband Circuit Schematic

### **TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS**

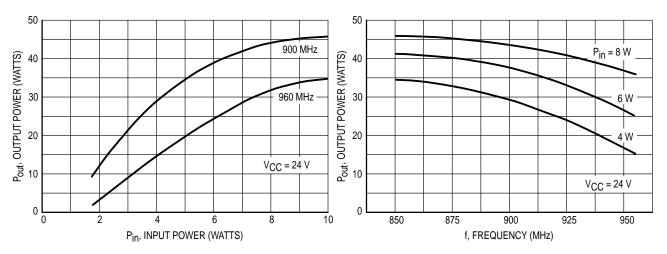


Figure 2. Output Power versus Input Power

Figure 3. Output Power versus Frequency

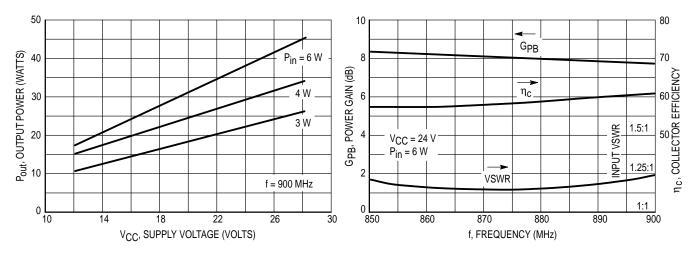
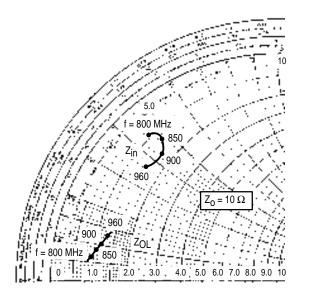


Figure 4. Output Power versus Supply Voltage

Figure 5. Typical Broadband Circuit Performance



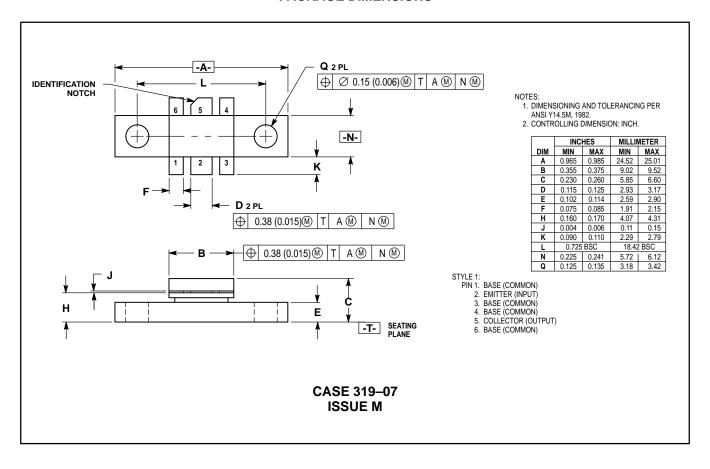
 $V_{CC}$  = 24 Vdc,  $P_{out}$  = 30 W

f Frequency MHz	Z <sub>in</sub> Ohms	Z <sub>OL</sub> * Ohms
800	0.9 + j4.5	1.0 + j0.7
850	1.3 + j4.7	1.1 + j0.9
900	1.6 + j4.4	1.2 + j1.1
960	1.5 + j3.7	1.2 + j1.3

Z<sub>OL</sub>\* = Conjugate of the optimum load impedance into which the device output operates at a given output power, voltage and frequency.

Figure 6. Series Equivalent Impedance

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