2N5590 (SILICON)

NPN SILICON RF POWER TRANSISTOR

. . . designed for 13.6 volt, VHF large signal power amplifier applications required in military and industrial equipment operating to 240 MHz.

- Low lead inductance stripline package for easier design and increased broadband capability.
- Balanced Emitter Construction for increased Safe Operating Area. The 2N5590 is designed to withstand an Open or Shorted Load at rated Output Power.
- Specified 13.6 Volt, 175 MHz Characteristics —
  Output Power = 10 Watts
  Minimum Gain = 5.2 dB
  Efficiency = 50%

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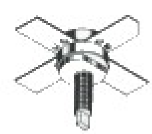
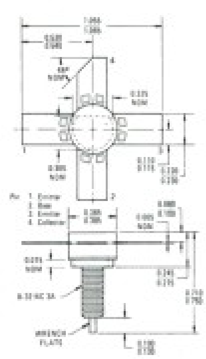


*MAXIMUM RATINGS

Rating	Symbol	Value	Unit
Collector-Emitter Voltage	V_{CEO}	18	Vdc
Collector-Base Voltage	V_{CB}	36	Vdc
Emitter-Base Voltage	V_{EB}	4.0	Vdc
Collector Current — Continuous	I_C	2.0	Adc
Total Device Dissipation @ $T_A = 25^oC$ Derate above 25^oC	P_D	30 171	Watts $mW/^oC$
Operating and Storage Junction Temperature Range	T_J, T_{stg}	-65 to +200	^oC

*Indicates JEDEC Registered Data.



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

Characteristic	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
OFF CHARACTERISTICS					
*Collector-Emitter Sustaining Voltage (Note 1) (I_C = 200 mAdc, I_B = 0)	$V_{CEO(sus)}$	18	–	–	Vdc
*Collector-Emitter Sustaining Voltage (Note 1) (I_C = 200 mAdc, R_{BE} = 0)	$V_{CES(sus)}$	36	–	–	Vdc
*Emitter-Base Breakdown Voltage (I_E = 2.5 mAdc, I_C = 0)	BV_{EBO}	4.0	–	–	Vdc
Collector Cutoff Current (V_{CB} = 15 Vdc, I_E = 0)	I_{CBO}	–	–	1.0	mAdc
ON CHARACTERISTICS					
*DC Current Gain (I_C = 250 mAdc, V_{CE} = 5.0 Vdc)	h_{FE}	5.0	–	–	–
DYNAMIC CHARACTERISTICS					
*Output Capacitance (V_{CB} = 15 Vdc, I_E = 0, f = 0.1 to 1.0 MHz)	C_{ob}	–	35	70	pF
FUNCTIONAL TEST					
*Power Input (Figure 1) (P_{out} = 10 W, V_{CE} = 13.6 Vdc, f = 175 MHz)	P_{in}	–	–	3.0	Watts
*Common-Emitter Amplifier Power Gain (Figure 1) (P_{out} = 10 W, V_{CE} = 13.6 Vdc, f = 175 MHz)	G_{PE}	5.2	–	–	dB
Collector Efficiency (Figure 1) (P_{out} = 10 W, V_{CE} = 13.6 Vdc, f = 175 MHz)	η	50	–	–	%

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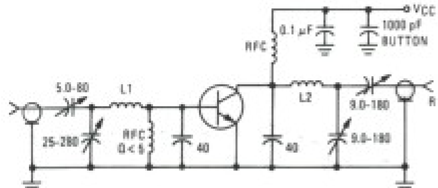
Note 1: Pulsed through 25 mH inductor.

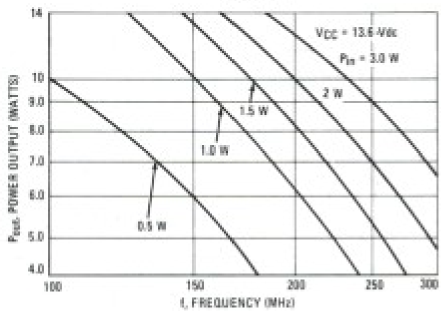
FIGURE 1 — 175 MHz TEST CIRCUIT



All capacitance values in pF unless otherwise indicated
L1 – 1-3/8" length of #14 AWG Wire
L2 – 1 Turn #14 AWG Wire, 3/8" Dia. 1-1/2" Long

POWER OUTPUT versus FREQUENCY

FIGURE 2



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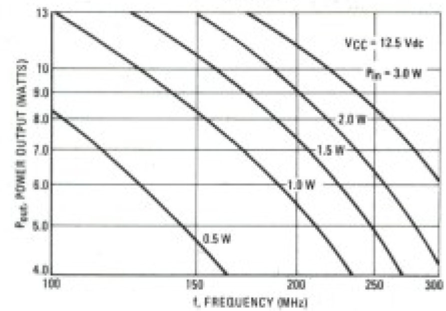


FIGURE 4 – POWER OUTPUT versus POWER INPUT

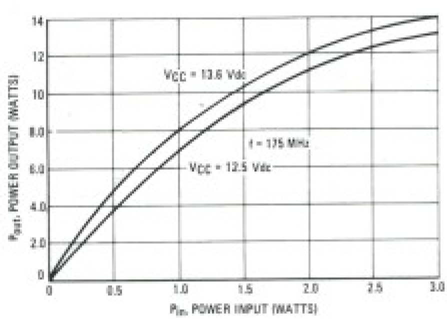
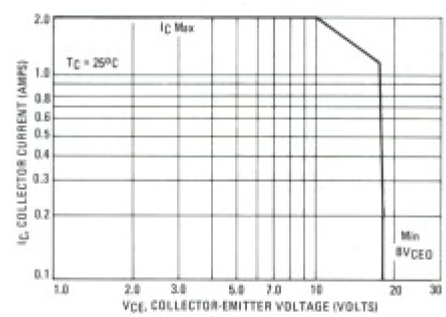


FIGURE 5 – DC SAFE OPERATING AREA



PARALLEL EQUIVALENT INPUT RESISTANCE versus FREQUENCY

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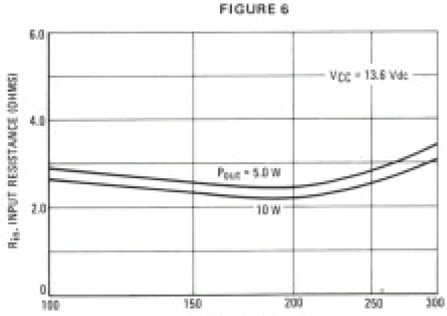

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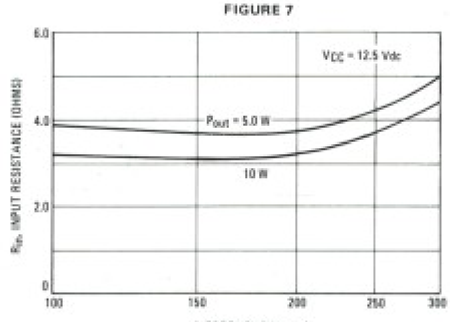

PARALLEL EQUIVALENT INPUT CAPACITANCE versus FREQUENCY

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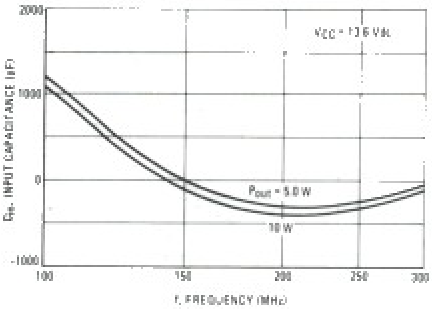

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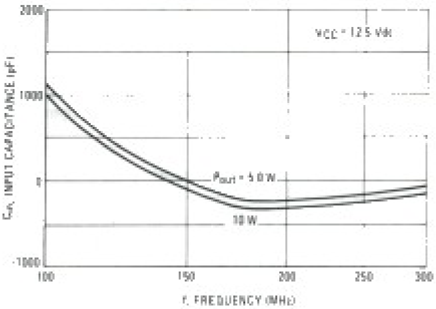
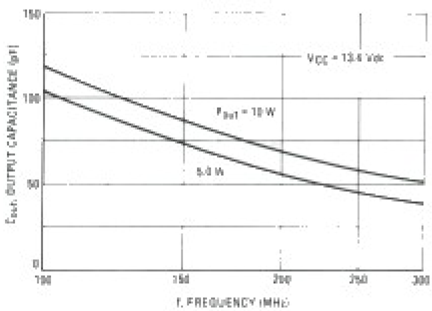


PARALLEL EQUIVALENT OUTPUT CAPACITANCE versus FREQUENCY

FIGURE 10



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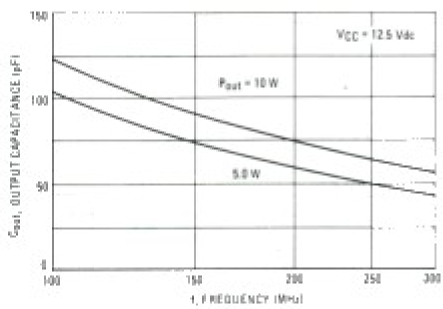
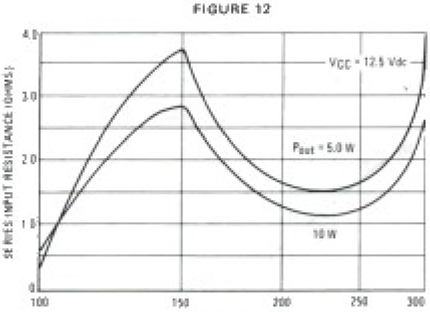


SERIES INPUT IMPEDANCE versus FREQUENCY

FIGURE 12



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