

# CGH27060F

## 60 W Peak, 28V, GaN HEMT for Linear Communications from VHF to 3 GHz

Cree's CGH27060F is a gallium nitride (GaN) high electron mobility transistor (HEMT) designed specifically for high efficiency, high gain and wide bandwidth capabilities, which makes the CGH27060F ideal for VHF, Comms, 3G, 4G, LTE, 2.3-2.9GHz WiMAX and BWA amplifier applications. The unmatched transistor is supplied in a ceramic/metal flange package.



Package Type: 440193  
PN: CGH27060F

### Typical Performance Over 2.3-2.7GHz ( $T_c = 25^\circ\text{C}$ ) of Demonstration Amplifier

| Parameter                 | 2.3 GHz | 2.4 GHz | 2.5 GHz | 2.6 GHz | 2.7 GHz | Units |
|---------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|-------|
| Small Signal Gain         | 15.1    | 14.7    | 14.3    | 14.3    | 14.5    | dB    |
| EVM @ 39 dBm              | 2.35    | 2.16    | 2.01    | 2.13    | 2.82    | %     |
| Drain Efficiency @ 39 dBm | 28.3    | 27.6    | 27.3    | 26.7    | 26.3    | %     |
| Input Return Loss         | 10.0    | 7.3     | 6.0     | 7.0     | 10.3    | dB    |

**Note:**

Measured in the CGH27060F-TB amplifier circuit, under 802.16 OFDM, 3.5 MHz Channel BW, 1/4 Cyclic Prefix, 64 QAM Modulated Burst, 5 ms Burst, Symbol Length of 59, Coding Type RS-CC, Coding Rate Type 2/3, PAR = 9.8 dB @ 0.01 % Probability on CCDF.

### Features

- VHF - 3.0 GHz Operation
- 14 dB Small Signal Gain
- 8.0 W  $P_{AVE}$  at < 2.0 % EVM
- 27 % Drain Efficiency at 8 W Average Power
- WiMAX Fixed Access 802.16-2004 OFDM
- WiMAX Mobile Access 802.16e OFDMA



Large Signal Models Available for SiC & GaN



## Absolute Maximum Ratings (not simultaneous) at 25 °C Case Temperature

| Parameter                                         | Symbol     | Rating    | Units | Conditions |
|---------------------------------------------------|------------|-----------|-------|------------|
| Drain-Source Voltage                              | $V_{DS}$   | 84        | Volts | 25 °C      |
| Gate-to-Source Voltage                            | $V_{GS}$   | -10, +2   | Volts | 25 °C      |
| Storage Temperature                               | $T_{STG}$  | -65, +150 | °C    |            |
| Operating Junction Temperature                    | $T_J$      | 225       | °C    |            |
| Maximum Forward Gate Current                      | $I_{GMAX}$ | 15        | mA    | 25 °C      |
| Maximum Drain Current <sup>1</sup>                | $I_{DMAX}$ | 6         | A     | 25 °C      |
| Soldering Temperature <sup>2</sup>                | $T_S$      | 245       | °C    |            |
| Screw Torque                                      | $\tau$     | 80        | in-oz |            |
| Thermal Resistance, Junction to Case <sup>3</sup> | $R_{JC}$   | 2.8       | °C/W  | 85 °C      |
| Case Operating Temperature <sup>3</sup>           | $T_C$      | -40, +150 | °C    |            |

Note:

<sup>1</sup> Current limit for long term, reliable operation

<sup>2</sup> Refer to the Application Note on soldering at [www.cree.com/products/wireless\\_appnotes.asp](http://www.cree.com/products/wireless_appnotes.asp)

<sup>3</sup> Measured for the CGH27060F at  $P_{DISS} = 56$  W.

## Electrical Characteristics ( $T_C = 25^\circ\text{C}$ )

| Characteristics                                                                                                                  | Symbol       | Min. | Typ. | Max.   | Units  | Conditions                                                                            |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|------|------|--------|--------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>DC Characteristics<sup>1</sup></b>                                                                                            |              |      |      |        |        |                                                                                       |
| Gate Threshold Voltage                                                                                                           | $V_{GS(th)}$ | -3.5 | -3.0 | -2.0   | VDC    | $V_{DS} = 10$ V, $I_D = 14.4$ mA                                                      |
| Gate Quiescent Voltage                                                                                                           | $V_{GS(Q)}$  | -    | -2.7 | -      | VDC    | $V_{DD} = 28$ V, $I_{DQ} = 300$ mA                                                    |
| Saturated Drain Current                                                                                                          | $I_{DS}$     | 11.6 | 14.0 | -      | A      | $V_{DS} = 6.0$ V, $V_{GS} = 2$ V                                                      |
| Drain-Source Breakdown Voltage                                                                                                   | $V_{BR}$     | 120  | -    | -      | VDC    | $V_{GS} = -8$ V, $I_D = 14.4$ mA                                                      |
| <b>RF Characteristics<sup>2,3</sup> (<math>T_C = 25^\circ\text{C}</math>, <math>F_0 = 2.5</math> GHz unless otherwise noted)</b> |              |      |      |        |        |                                                                                       |
| Small Signal Gain                                                                                                                | $G_{SS}$     | 11.0 | 13.0 | -      | dB     | $V_{DD} = 28$ V, $I_{DQ} = 300$ mA                                                    |
| Drain Efficiency <sup>4</sup>                                                                                                    | $\eta$       | 21   | 24   | -      | %      | $V_{DD} = 28$ V, $I_{DQ} = 300$ mA, $P_{AVE} = 8$ W                                   |
| Error Vector Magnitude                                                                                                           | EVM          | -    | 2.0  | -      |        | $V_{DD} = 28$ V, $I_{DQ} = 300$ mA, $P_{AVE} = 8$ W                                   |
| Output Mismatch Stress                                                                                                           | VSWR         | -    | -    | 10 : 1 | $\Psi$ | No damage at all phase angles,<br>$V_{DD} = 28$ V, $I_{DQ} = 300$ mA, $P_{AVE} = 8$ W |
| <b>Dynamic Characteristics</b>                                                                                                   |              |      |      |        |        |                                                                                       |
| Input Capacitance                                                                                                                | $C_{GS}$     | -    | 19.0 | -      | pF     | $V_{DS} = 28$ V, $V_{gs} = -8$ V, $f = 1$ MHz                                         |
| Output Capacitance                                                                                                               | $C_{DS}$     | -    | 5.9  | -      | pF     | $V_{DS} = 28$ V, $V_{gs} = -8$ V, $f = 1$ MHz                                         |
| Feedback Capacitance                                                                                                             | $C_{GD}$     | -    | 0.8  | -      | pF     | $V_{DS} = 28$ V, $V_{gs} = -8$ V, $f = 1$ MHz                                         |

Notes:

<sup>1</sup> Measured on wafer prior to packaging.

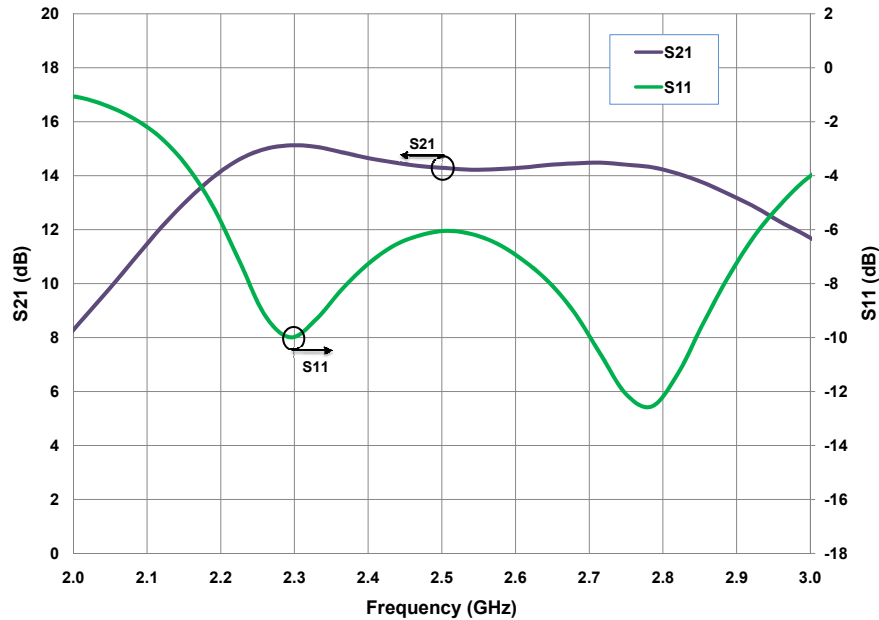
<sup>2</sup> Measured in the CGH27060F-TB test fixture.

<sup>3</sup> Under 802.16 OFDM, 3.5 MHz Channel BW, 1/4 Cyclic Prefix, 64 QAM Modulated Burst, 5 ms Burst, Symbol Length of 59, Coding Type RS-CC, Coding Rate Type 2/3, PAR = 9.8 dB @ 0.01 % Probability on CCDF.

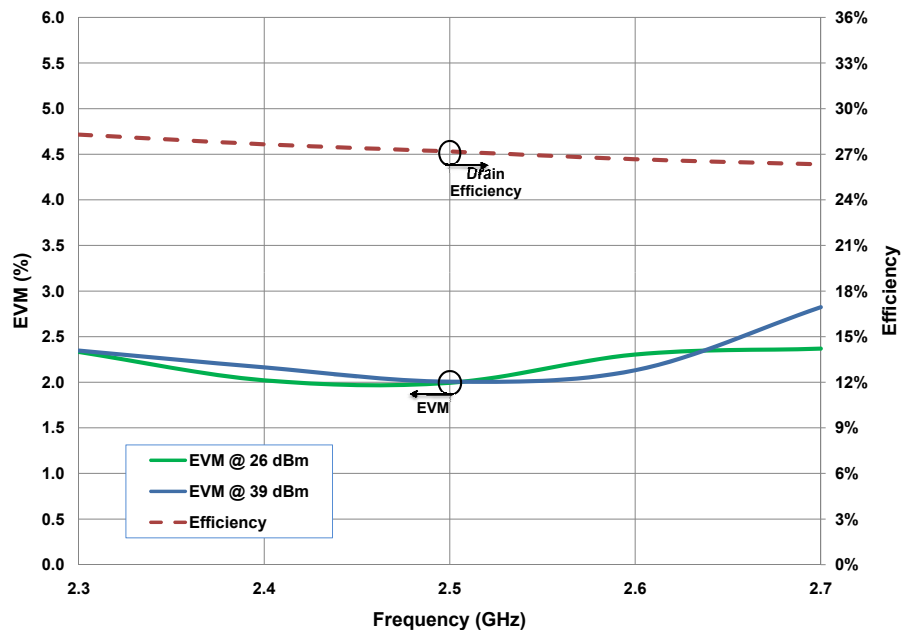
<sup>4</sup> Drain Efficiency =  $P_{out} / P_{dc}$ .

## Typical WiMAX Performance

**Gain and Return Loss vs Frequency of CGH27060F in Broadband Amplifier Circuit CGH27060F-TB,  $V_{DD} = 28\text{ V}$ ,  $I_{DQ} = 300\text{ mA}$**



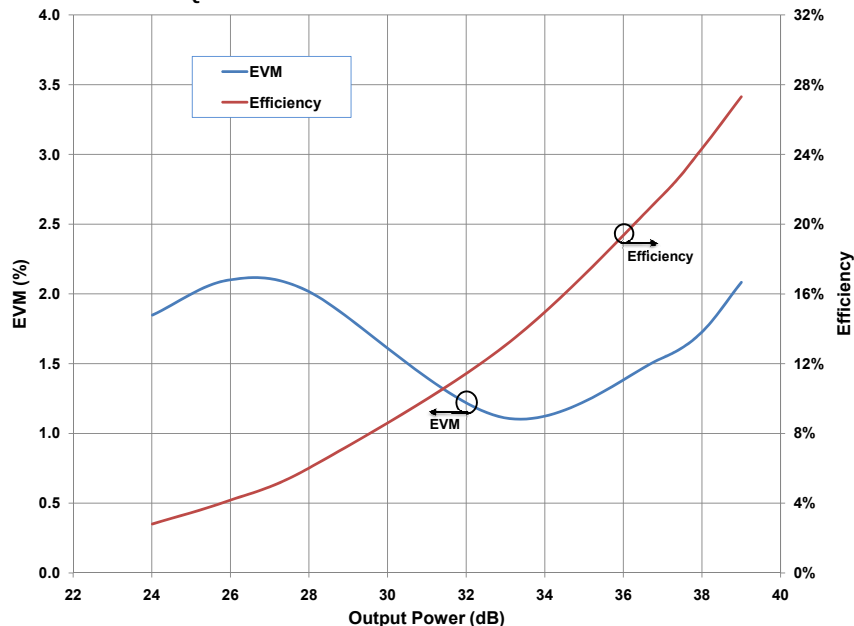
**Typical EVM at 24 dBm and 39 dBm vs Frequency of CGH27060F in Broadband Amplifier Circuit CGH27060F-TB**



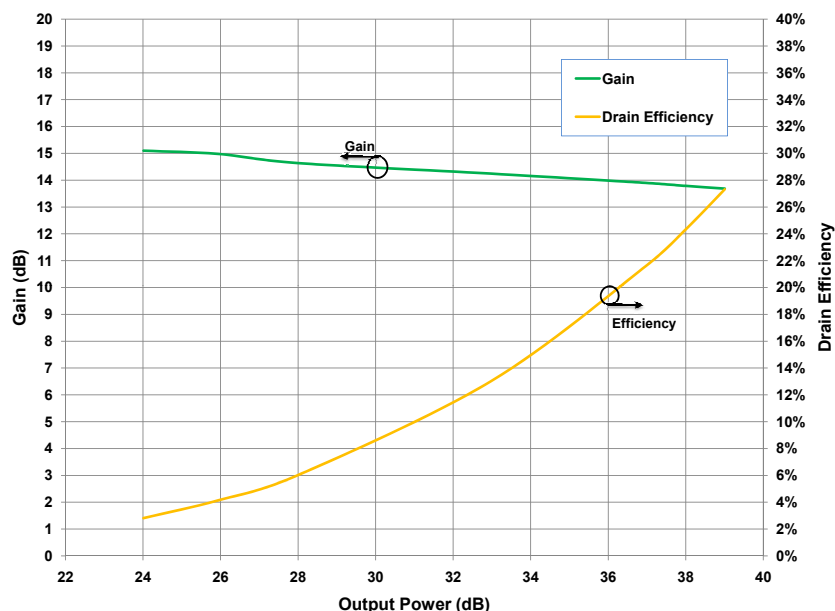
Note:  
Under 802.16-2004 OFDM, 3.5 MHz Channel BW, 1/4 Cyclic Prefix, 64 QAM Modulated Burst, Symbol Length of 59, Coding Type RS-CC, Coding Rate Type 2/3.

## Typical WiMAX Performance

**Drain Efficiency and EVM vs Output Power of the CGH27060F in the CGH27060F-TB**  
 $V_{DD} = 28\text{ V}$ ,  $I_{DQ} = 300\text{ mA}$ , 802.16-2004 OFDM, PAR = 9.8 dB



**Typical Gain and Efficiency versus Power Output of CGH27060F in the CGH27060F-TB**  
 $V_{DD} = 28\text{ V}$ ,  $I_{DQ} = 300\text{ mA}$ , 802.16-2004 OFDM, PAR=9.8 dB



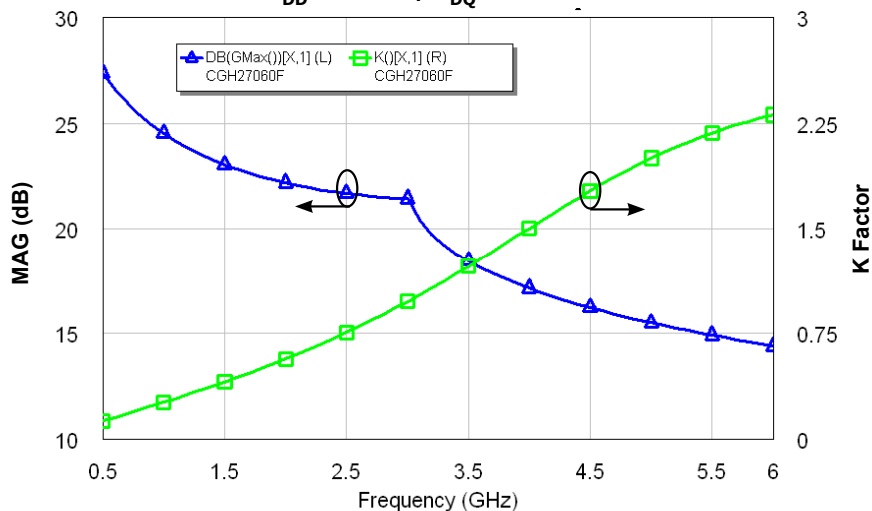
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## Typical Performance Data

### Simulated Maximum Available Gain and K Factor of the CGH27060F

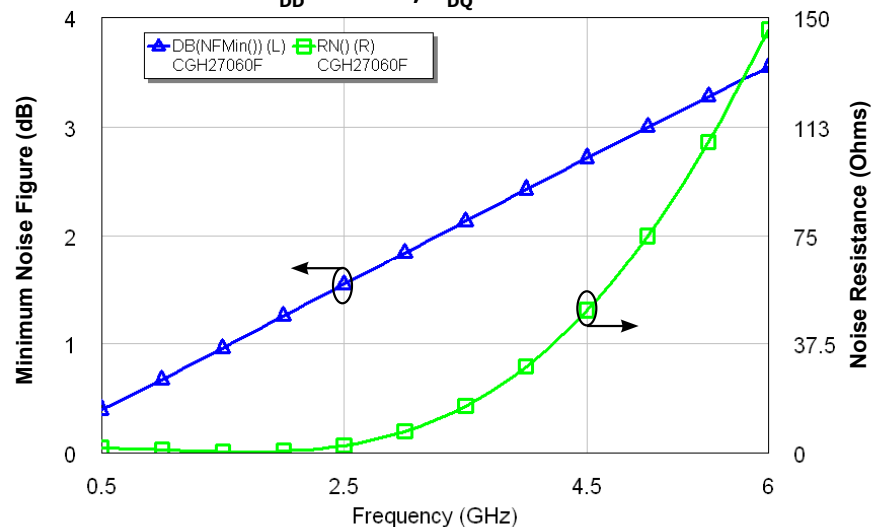
$V_{DD} = 28\text{ V}$ ,  $I_{DQ} = 300\text{ mA}$



## Typical Noise Performance

### Simulated Minimum Noise Figure and Noise Resistance vs Frequency of the CGH27015

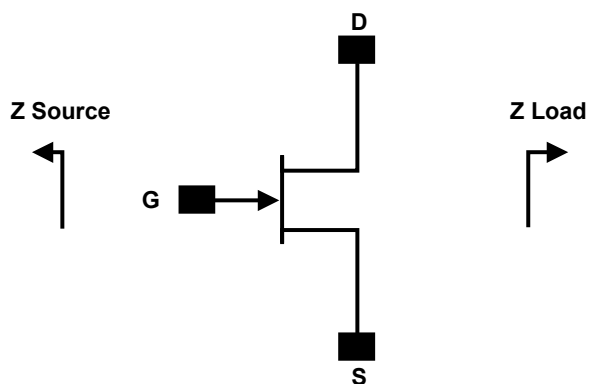
$V_{DD} = 28\text{ V}$ ,  $I_{DQ} = 100\text{ mA}$



## Electrostatic Discharge (ESD) Classifications

| Parameter           | Symbol | Class            | Test Methodology    |
|---------------------|--------|------------------|---------------------|
| Human Body Model    | HBM    | 1A (> 250 V)     | JEDEC JESD22 A114-D |
| Charge Device Model | CDM    | II (200 < 500 V) | JEDEC JESD22 C101-C |

## Source and Load Impedances



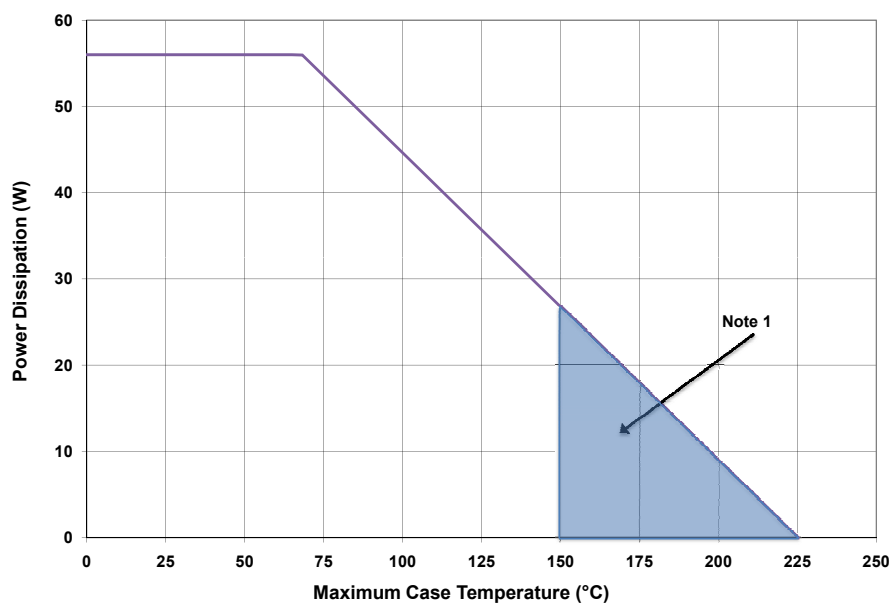
| Frequency (MHz) | Z Source       | Z Load         |
|-----------------|----------------|----------------|
| 500             | $3.34 + j4.56$ | $10.8 + j8.24$ |
| 1000            | $2.07 + j0.05$ | $6.18 + j4.17$ |
| 2000            | $1.3 - j3.37$  | $4.65 + j0.05$ |
| 3000            | $1.64 - j8.15$ | $4.75 - j3.4$  |
| 4000            | $1.9 - j10.8$  | $4.56 - j7.9$  |

Note 1.  $V_{DD} = 28V$ ,  $I_{DQ} = 300mA$  in the 440193 package.

Note 2. Optimized for  $P_{SAT}$  and PAE.

Note 3. When using this device at low frequency, series resistors should be used to maintain amplifier stability.

## CGH27060 Power Dissipation De-rating Curve

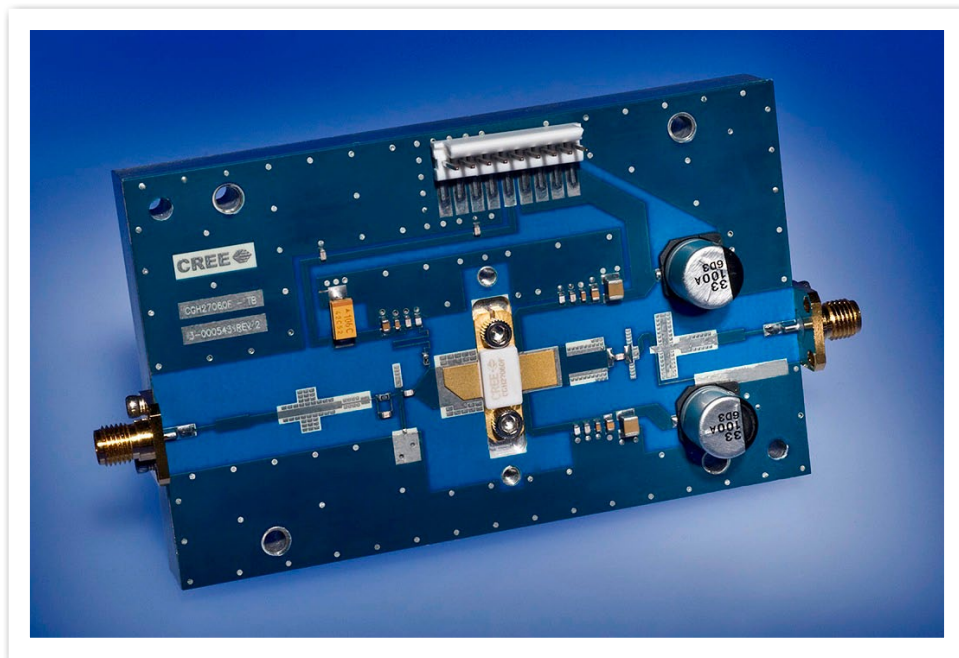


Note 1. Area exceeds Maximum Case Operating Temperature (See Page 2).

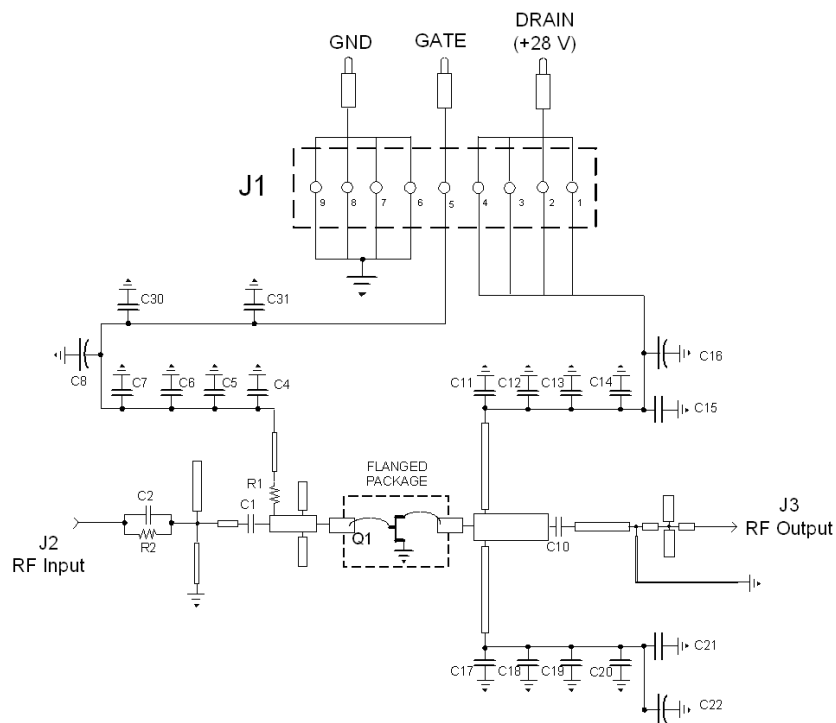
## CGH27060F-TB Demonstration Amplifier Circuit Bill of Materials

| Designator         | Description                         | Qty |
|--------------------|-------------------------------------|-----|
| R1                 | RES, 1/16W, 0603, 1%, 5.1 OHMS      | 1   |
| R2                 | RES, 1/16W, 0603, 1%, 100 OHMS      | 1   |
| C6,C13,C19         | CAP, 470PF, 10%,100V, 0603          | 3   |
| C16,C22            | CAP, 33 UF, 20%, G CASE             | 1   |
| C15,C21            | CAP, 1.0UF, 100V, 10%, X7R, 1210    | 1   |
| C8                 | CAP 10UF 16V TANTALUM               | 1   |
| C10                | CAP, 8.2pF, +/-5%, 100B             | 1   |
| C1                 | CAP, 0.9pF, +/-0.05pF, 0603         | 1   |
| C2                 | CAP, 2.2pF, +/-0.1pF, 0603          | 1   |
| C4,C11,C17         | CAP, 10.0pF,+/-5%, 0603             | 3   |
| C5,C12,C18,C30,C31 | CAP, 82pF, +/-5%, 0603              | 5   |
| C7,C14,C20         | CAP,33000PF, 0805,100V, X7R         | 3   |
| J2,J3              | CONN SMA STR PANEL JACK RECP        | 1   |
| J1                 | HEADER RT>PLZ .1CEN LK 9POS         | 1   |
| -                  | PCB, RO4350B, Er = 3.48, h = 20 mil | 1   |
| -                  | CGH27060F                           | 1   |

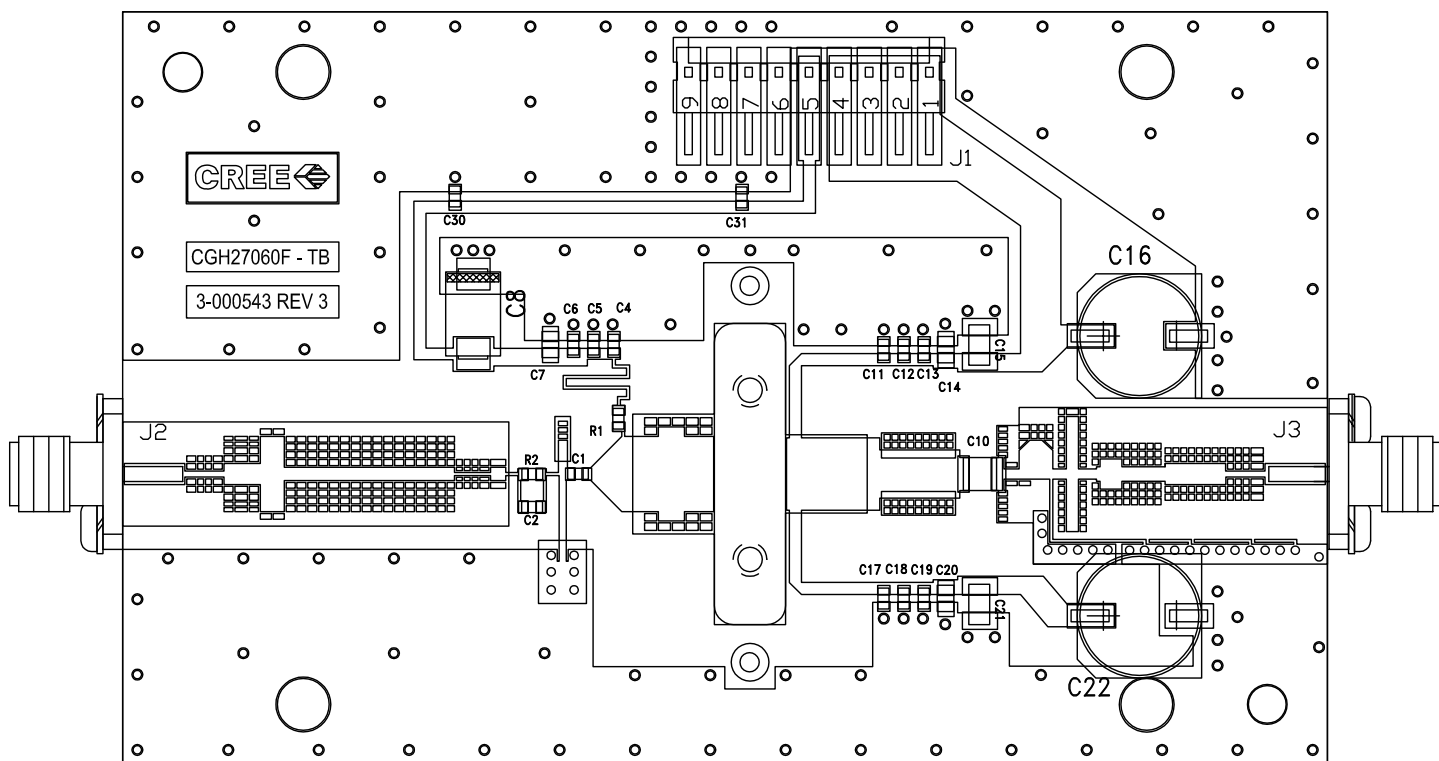
## CGH27060F-TB Demonstration Amplifier Circuit



## CGH27060F-TB Demonstration Amplifier Circuit Schematic



## CGH27060F-TB Demonstration Amplifier Circuit Outline





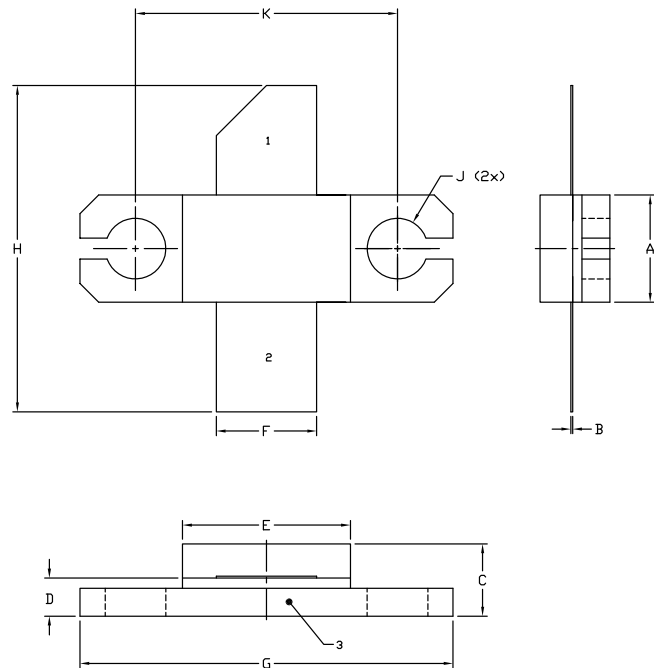


## Typical Package S-Parameters for CGH27060 (Small Signal, $V_{DS} = 28\text{ V}$ , $I_{DQ} = 300\text{ mA}$ , angle in degrees)

| Frequency | Mag S11 | Ang S11 | Mag S21 | Ang S21 | Mag S12 | Ang S12 | Mag S22 | Ang S22 |
|-----------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| 500 MHz   | 0.935   | -171.10 | 7.31    | 80.30   | 0.013   | -4.81   | 0.629   | -171.50 |
| 600 MHz   | 0.935   | -173.48 | 6.08    | 76.43   | 0.013   | -7.68   | 0.635   | -171.81 |
| 700 MHz   | 0.936   | -175.34 | 5.20    | 72.85   | 0.013   | -10.25  | 0.642   | -171.96 |
| 800 MHz   | 0.937   | -176.87 | 4.54    | 69.47   | 0.013   | -12.62  | 0.649   | -172.04 |
| 900 MHz   | 0.937   | -178.19 | 4.03    | 66.24   | 0.013   | -14.82  | 0.656   | -172.11 |
| 1.0 GHz   | 0.938   | -179.38 | 3.62    | 63.13   | 0.013   | -16.89  | 0.664   | -172.18 |
| 1.1 GHz   | 0.939   | -179.54 | 3.28    | 60.12   | 0.013   | -18.84  | 0.672   | -172.28 |
| 1.2 GHz   | 0.939   | -178.52 | 3.00    | 57.20   | 0.012   | -20.69  | 0.680   | -172.42 |
| 1.3 GHz   | 0.940   | -177.55 | 2.77    | 54.36   | 0.012   | -22.44  | 0.688   | -172.60 |
| 1.4 GHz   | 0.941   | -176.60 | 2.57    | 51.59   | 0.012   | -24.10  | 0.695   | -172.83 |
| 1.5 GHz   | 0.942   | -175.68 | 2.39    | 48.89   | 0.012   | -25.67  | 0.703   | -173.11 |
| 1.6 GHz   | 0.942   | -174.77 | 2.24    | 46.24   | 0.012   | -27.15  | 0.710   | -173.42 |
| 1.7 GHz   | 0.943   | -173.87 | 2.11    | 43.66   | 0.012   | -28.56  | 0.718   | -173.78 |
| 1.8 GHz   | 0.943   | -172.96 | 2.00    | 41.12   | 0.011   | -29.88  | 0.724   | -174.18 |
| 1.9 GHz   | 0.944   | -172.04 | 1.90    | 38.63   | 0.011   | -31.12  | 0.731   | -174.61 |
| 2.0 GHz   | 0.944   | -171.11 | 1.81    | 36.19   | 0.011   | -32.29  | 0.737   | -175.07 |
| 2.1 GHz   | 0.944   | -170.16 | 1.73    | 33.78   | 0.011   | -33.39  | 0.743   | -175.57 |
| 2.2 GHz   | 0.944   | -169.19 | 1.67    | 31.41   | 0.011   | -34.42  | 0.748   | -176.10 |
| 2.3 GHz   | 0.945   | -168.19 | 1.61    | 29.06   | 0.011   | -35.38  | 0.753   | -176.65 |
| 2.4 GHz   | 0.944   | -167.16 | 1.55    | 26.74   | 0.010   | -36.28  | 0.758   | -177.23 |
| 2.5 GHz   | 0.944   | -166.10 | 1.51    | 24.43   | 0.010   | -37.11  | 0.762   | -177.83 |
| 2.6 GHz   | 0.944   | -165.00 | 1.47    | 22.14   | 0.010   | -37.88  | 0.765   | -178.45 |
| 2.7 GHz   | 0.944   | -163.85 | 1.43    | 19.85   | 0.010   | -38.60  | 0.769   | -179.10 |
| 2.8 GHz   | 0.943   | -162.64 | 1.41    | 17.56   | 0.010   | -39.27  | 0.771   | -179.77 |
| 2.9 GHz   | 0.942   | -161.38 | 1.38    | 15.27   | 0.010   | -39.90  | 0.774   | -179.54 |
| 3.0 GHz   | 0.941   | -160.06 | 1.36    | 12.96   | 0.010   | -40.48  | 0.776   | -178.82 |
| 3.2 GHz   | 0.939   | -157.18 | 1.34    | 8.27    | 0.010   | -41.54  | 0.778   | -177.32 |
| 3.4 GHz   | 0.935   | -153.93 | 1.33    | 3.43    | 0.010   | -42.52  | 0.779   | -175.73 |
| 3.6 GHz   | 0.931   | -150.21 | 1.34    | -1.65   | 0.010   | -43.50  | 0.778   | -174.01 |
| 3.8 GHz   | 0.925   | -145.88 | 1.37    | -7.06   | 0.010   | -44.60  | 0.774   | -172.17 |
| 4.0 GHz   | 0.916   | -140.74 | 1.43    | -12.95  | 0.011   | -45.95  | 0.769   | -170.17 |
| 4.2 GHz   | 0.906   | -134.55 | 1.50    | -19.47  | 0.011   | -47.77  | 0.760   | -167.98 |
| 4.4 GHz   | 0.891   | -126.90 | 1.61    | -26.85  | 0.012   | -50.32  | 0.749   | -165.56 |
| 4.6 GHz   | 0.872   | -117.26 | 1.75    | -35.39  | 0.013   | -53.96  | 0.733   | -162.84 |
| 4.8 GHz   | 0.848   | -104.85 | 1.92    | -45.48  | 0.014   | -59.15  | 0.713   | -159.74 |
| 5.0 GHz   | 0.817   | -88.57  | 2.14    | -57.60  | 0.016   | -66.44  | 0.688   | -156.11 |
| 5.2 GHz   | 0.784   | -67.16  | 2.37    | -72.25  | 0.018   | -76.37  | 0.654   | -151.74 |
| 5.4 GHz   | 0.759   | -39.85  | 2.58    | -89.71  | 0.020   | -89.30  | 0.609   | -146.35 |
| 5.6 GHz   | 0.757   | -8.00   | 2.70    | -109.65 | 0.021   | -104.92 | 0.546   | -139.55 |
| 5.8 GHz   | 0.788   | -24.14  | 2.67    | -130.98 | 0.022   | -122.14 | 0.460   | -130.98 |
| 6.0 GHz   | 0.836   | -52.18  | 2.49    | -152.33 | 0.021   | -139.60 | 0.347   | -119.94 |

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# Product Dimensions CGH27060F (Package Type — 440193)



- NOTES:
1. DIMENSIONING AND TOLERANCING PER ANSI Y14.5M, 1982.
  2. CONTROLLING DIMENSION: INCH.
  3. ADHESIVE FROM LID MAY EXTEND A MAXIMUM OF 0.020" BEYOND EDGE OF LID.
  4. LID MAY BE MISALIGNED TO THE BODY OF THE PACKAGE BY A MAXIMUM OF 0.008" IN ANY DIRECTION.
  5. ALL PLATED SURFACES ARE NI/AU

| DIM | INCHES |       | MILLIMETERS |       |
|-----|--------|-------|-------------|-------|
|     | MIN    | MAX   | MIN         | MAX   |
| A   | 0.225  | 0.235 | 5.72        | 5.97  |
| B   | 0.004  | 0.006 | 0.10        | 0.15  |
| C   | 0.145  | 0.165 | 3.68        | 4.19  |
| D   | 0.077  | 0.087 | 1.96        | 2.21  |
| E   | 0.355  | 0.365 | 9.02        | 9.27  |
| F   | 0.210  | 0.220 | 5.33        | 5.59  |
| G   | 0.795  | 0.805 | 20.19       | 20.45 |
| H   | 0.670  | 0.730 | 17.02       | 18.54 |
| J   | Ø .130 |       | 3.30        |       |
| k   | 0.562  |       | 14.28       |       |

PIN 1. GATE  
PIN 2. DRAIN  
PIN 3. SOURCE



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