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A 2--18-GHz Monolithic Distributed Amplifier Using Dual-Gate GaAs FET's

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This paper describes a 2--18-GHz monolithic distributed amplifier with over 6-dB gain, ± 0.5 -dB gain flatness, and less than 2.0:1 VSWR. Measured noise figure is below 7.5 dB, and power output capability is greater than 17 dBm. The amplifier is designed with dual-gate GaAs FET's instead of single-gate FET's for maximum gain over the design bandwidth. Cascaded amplifier performance will also be presented.

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