

Pulsed L-Watt Heterojunction Bipolar Transistors at 35 GHz

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High-peak power-pulsed operation of common emitter AlGaAs-GaAs HBT's at 35 GHz is reported. A 1.0 W peak power with 2.3-dB associated gain and power-added efficiency of 28% is obtained. Small devices gave up to 43% power-added efficiency with 190 mW output at 4.8-dB gain. Pulse length was 300 nS and duty cycle was 33%. The device design, small signal characteristics, and power results obtained are described.

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