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Field-modulating plate (FP) InGaP MESFET with high breakdown voltage and low distortion

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This paper describes a successfully developed field-modulating plate (FP) InGaP MESFET with an extremely high breakdown voltage of 100 V. The FP-FET, consisting of a 2.62 mm gate width, delivered an output power of 4.3 W and an output power density of 1.6 W/mm at 1.95 GHz operated at a drain bias (V_d) of 55 V. A low 3rd-order intermodulation distortion (IM3) of -31 dBc was also achieved at 8 dB back-off from saturation power. These results show the developed FET is suited for applications in the next generation cellular base station.

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