



LOW NOISE, HIGH GAIN SIGE HBT



Package: SOT-343



Product Description

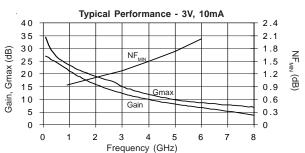
GaN HEMT

InP HBT

RF MEMS **LDMOS**

RFMD's SGA8343Z is a high performance Silicon Germanium Heterostructure Bipolar Transistor (SiGe HBT) designed for operation from DC to 6GHz. The SGA8343Z is optimized for 3V operation but can be biased at 2V for low-voltage battery operated systems. The device provides high gain, low NF, and excellent linearity at a low cost. It can be operated at very low bias currents in applications where high linearity is not required. The matte tin finish on the lead-free package utilizes a post annealing process to mitigate tin whisker formation and is RoHS compliant per EU Direc-

tive 2002/95. This package is also manufactured with Optimum Technology Matching® Applied green molding compounds that contain no antimony trioxide nor halogenated fire retardants. GaAs HBT GaAs MESFET InGaP HBT SiGe BiCMOS 40 Si BiCMOS 35 30 Gmax (dB) SiGe HBT NF 25 GaAs pHEMT 20 Si CMOS 15 Si BJT



Features

- DC to 6GHz Operation
- 0.9dB NF_{MIN} at 0.9GHz
- 24dB GMAX at 0.9GHz
- |GOPT|=0.10 at 0.9GHz
- OIP3=+28dBm, P1dB=+9dBm
- Low Cost, High Performance, Versatility

Applications

- Analog and Digital Wireless Systems
- 3G, Cellular, PCS, RFID
- Fixed Wireless, Pager Systems
- Driver Stage for Low Power Applications
- Oscillators

Parameter		Specification		Unit	Condition	
Farameter	Min.	Min. Typ. Max		UIIIL	Condition	
Maximum Available Gain		23.9		dB	0.9GHz, Z _S =Z _S *, Z _L =Z _L *	
		19.3		dB	1.9GHz	
		17.7		dB	2.4GHz	
Minimum Noise Figure		0.94		dB	0.9GHz, Z _S =Gamma _{OPT} , Z _L =Z _L *	
		1.10		dB	1.9GHz	
		1.18		dB	2.4GHz	
Insertion Gain	21.0	22.0	23.0	dB	0.9GHz, Z _S =Z _L =50Ω ^[1]	
Noise Figure		1.40	1.75	dB	1.9 GHz, LNA Application Circuit Board ^[2]	
Gain	15.5	16.5	17.5	dB	1.9 GHz, LNA Application Circuit Board ^[2]	
Output Third Order Intercept Point	25.8	27.8		dBm	1.9 GHz, LNA Application Circuit Board ^[2]	
Output 1dB Compression Point	7.5	9.0		dBm	1.9 GHz, LNA Application Circuit Board ^[2]	
DC Current Gain	120	180	300			
Breakdown Voltage	5.7	6.0		V	collector - emitter	
Thermal Resistance		200		°C/W	junction - lead	
Operating Voltage			4.0	V	collector - emitter	
Operating Current			50	mA	collector - emitter	

Test Conditions_{CE}=3V, I_{CQ}=10 mA, 25 °C (unless otherwise noted), [1] 100% tested - Insertion gain tested using a 50W contact board (no matching circuitry) during final production test. [2] Sample tested - Samples pulled from each wafer/package lot. Sample test specifications are based on statistical data from sample test measurements. The test fixture is an engineering application circuit board (parts are pressed down on the board). The application circuit represents a trade-off between the optimal noise match and input return loss.

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Absolute Maximum Ratings

Parameter	Rating	Unit
Collector Current (ICE)	72	mA
Base Current (IB)	1	mA
Collector - Emitter Voltage (VCE)	5	V
Collector - Base Voltage (VCB)	12	V
Emitter - Base Voltage (VEB)	4.5	V
RF Input Power (PIN)	5	dBm
Storage Temperature Range (TSTOR)	-40 to +150	°C
Power Dissipation (PDISS)	350	mW
operating Junction Temperature (TJ)	+150	°C

Operation of this device beyond any one of these limits may cause permanent damage. For reliable continuous operation, the device voltage and current must not exceed the maximum operating values specified in the table on page one.



Caution! ESD sensitive device.

Exceeding any one or a combination of the Absolute Maximum Rating conditions may cause permanent damage to the device. Extended application of Absolute Maximum Rating conditions to the device may reduce device reliability. Specified typical performance or functional operation of the device under Absolute Maximum Rating conditions is not implied.

RoHS status based on EUDirective 2002/95/EC (at time of this document revision).

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Typical Performance - Engineering Application Circuits

Freq (GHz)	VS (V)	VCE (V)	ICQ (mA)	NF (dB)	Gain (dB)	P1dB (dBm)	OIP3 ^[1] (dBm)	S11 (dB)	S22 (dB)	Comments
0.90	53.0	3.0	12	1.25	18.2	9	27.3	-16	-18	series feedback
1.575	3.3	2.7	10	1.25	15.7	6.8	26.5	-10	-25	
1.90	5.0	3.0	12	1.4	16.5	9	27.8	-9	-24	
2.40	3.3	2.7	10	1.6	14.4	9	27.5	-13	-24	

[3] POUT=0dBm per tone, 1MHz tone spacing.
Refer to the application note for additional RF data, PCB layouts, BOMs, biasing instructions, and other key issue to be considered.

Peak Performance Under Optimum Matching Conditions

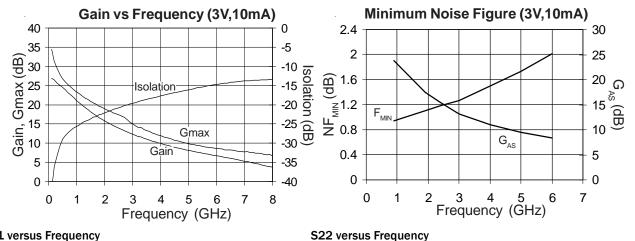
Freq	VCE	ICQ	NF	GMAX	P1dB	OIP3
(GHz)	(V)	(mA)	(dB) ^[2]	(dB)	(dBm) ^[4]	(dBm) ^[4]
0.90	2	10	0.90	23.7	10	25
0.90	3	10	0.94	23.9	13	29
1.90	2	10	1.05	19.1	10	25
1.90	3	10	1.10	19.3	13	29
2.40	2	10	1.15	17.4	10	25
2.40	3	10	1.18	17.7	13	29

[2] $Z_S = \Gamma_{OPT}$, $Z_L = Z_L^*$, The input matching circuit loss have been de-embedded.

[3] $Z_S = Z_{SOPT}$, $Z_L = Z_{LOPT}$, where Z_{SOPT} and Z_{LOPT} have been tuned for max P1dB (current allowed to drive-up with constant VCE). [4] $Z_S = Z_{SOPT}$, $Z_L = Z_{LOPT}$, where Z_{SOPT} and Z_{LOPT} have been tuned for max OIP3. Note: Optimum NF, P1dB, and OIP3 performance cannot be achieved simultaneously.

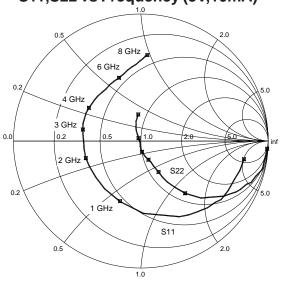


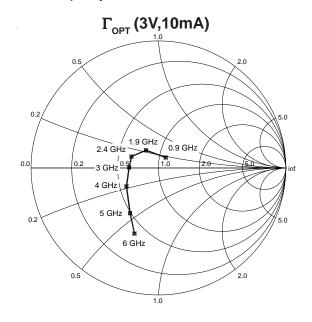
Typical Performance - De-embedded S-Parameters



S11 versus Frequency

S11,S22 vs Frequency (3V,10mA)





Note:

S-parameters are de-embedded to the device leads with ZS=ZL= 50Ω . De-embedded S-parameters can be downloaded from our website (www.rfmd.com)

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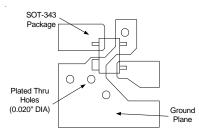
Typical Performance - Noise Parameters - 3V, 10 mA

Frequency (GHz)	NFMIN (dB) ^[5]	$\Gamma_{ extsf{OPT}}$ Mag <ang< th=""><th>r_n (Ω)</th><th>GMAX (dB)</th></ang<>	r _n (Ω)	GMAX (dB)
0.9	0.94	0.10<55	0.11	23.88
1.9	1.1	0.71<125	0.10	19.33
2.4	1.18	0.25<157	0.09	17.66
3	1.27	0.23<179	0.09	15.01
4	1.5	0.29<-150	0.12	11.94
5	1.73	0.42<-122	0.18	9.84
6	2.02	0.55<-110	0.24	8.62

^[5] $Z_S = \Gamma_{OPT}$, $Z_L = Z_L^*$, NF_{MIN} is a noise parameter for which the input matching circuit losses have been de-embedded. The noise parameters were measured using a Maury Microwave Automated Tuner System. The device was mounted on a 0.010" PCB with plated-thru holes close to pins 2 and 4.

Pin	Function	Description
1	BASE	RF input/base pin.
2, 4	EMITTER	Connection to ground. Use multiple via holes to reduce emitter inductance.
3	COLLECTOR	RF output/collector bias.

Recommended PCB Layout

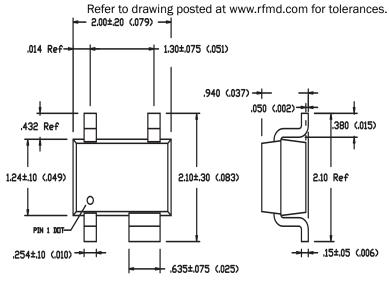


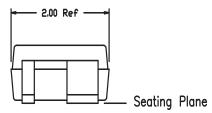
Use multiple plated-thru via holes located close to the package pins to ensure a good RF ground connection to a continuous groundplane on the backside of the board.



Package Drawing

Dimensions in inches (millimeters)





Scale (mm) 1:2

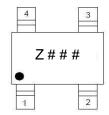
Notes:

- 1. Lead Base Metal Copper Olin 194
- 2. Lead Finish

Std PN - Sn/Pb Sn => 80%

Z Option - 100% Matte Sn - .010 (.0004) min thk

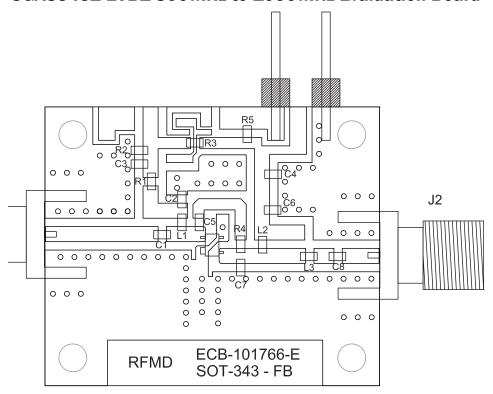
Part Identification



LotXref trace code begins with "Z".



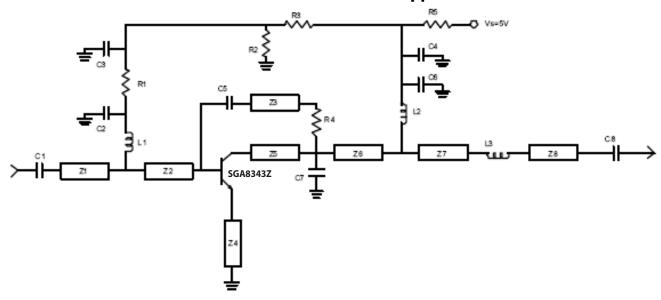
SGA8343Z-EVB1 800MHz to 1000MHz Evaluation Board



Ref. Des	Part Number	Value
C1, 2, 6, 8	ROHM MCH185A390J	39pF
C7	ROHM MCH185AOR5C	0.5 pF
C3, 4, 5	Samsung CL 10B104K0NC	0.1μF
L1	TOKO LL 1608-FS18NJ	18nH
L2	TOKO LL 1608-FSR12J	120nH
L3	TOKO LL 1608-FS6N8J	6.8nH
R1	ROHM MCR03J5R1	5.1Ω
R2	ROHM MCR03J911	910Ω
R3, 4	ROHM MCR03J242	2.4ΚΩ
R5	ROHM MCRO.J161	160Ω
Z1	non-critical	50Ω
Z2	4.0 degrees at 900 MHz	50Ω
Z3	11.5 degrees at 900 MHz	63Ω
Z4	5.0 degrees at 900 MHz	50Ω
Z5	3.6 degrees at 900 MHz	50Ω
Z6	3.7 degrees at 900 MHz	50Ω
Z7	7.1 degrees at 900MHz	50Ω
Z8	non-critical	50Ω

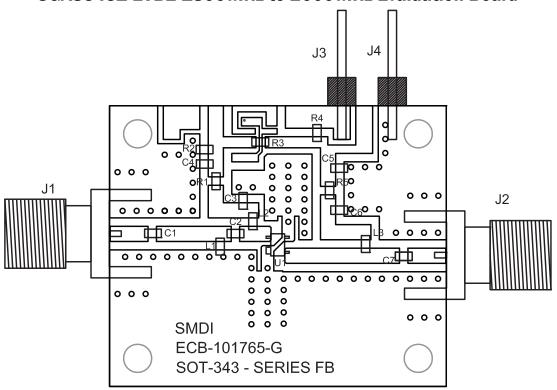


SGA8343Z-EVB1 800 MHz to 1000 MHz Application Schematic





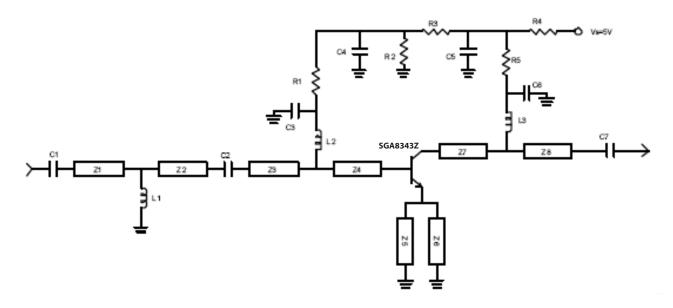
SGA8343Z-EVB2 1800MHz to 2000MHz Evaluation Board



Ref. Des	Part Number	Value
C1, 7	ROHM MCH185A390J	39pF
C2	ROHM MCH185A2R2C	2.2pF
C3, 6	ROHM MCH185A100D	10 pF
C4, 5	Samsung CL10B104K0NC	0.1μF
L1	TOKO LL 1608-FS3N9S	3.9nH
L2	TOKO LL 1608-FS18NJ	18nH
L3	TOKO LL 1608-FS3N3S	3.3 nH
R1, 5	ROHM MCR03J5R1	5.1Ω
R2	ROHM MCR03J911	910Ω
R3	ROHM MCR03J242	2.4ΚΩ
R4	ROHM MCRO.J161	160Ω
Z1	non-critical	50Ω
Z2	3.9 degrees at 1900MHz	50Ω
Z3	4.7 degrees at 1900MHz	50Ω
Z4	6.4 degrees at 900MHz	50Ω
Z5	9.8 degrees at 1900MHz	50Ω
Z6	9.8 degrees at 1900MHz	50Ω
Z7	28.7 degrees at 1900MHz	50Ω
Z8	non-critical	50Ω

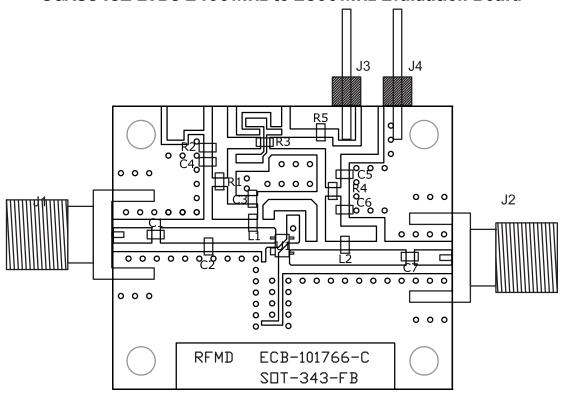


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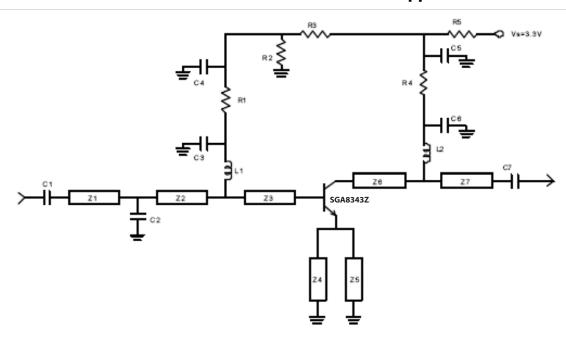
SGA8343Z-EVB3 2400 MHz to 2500 MHz Evaluation Board



Ref. Des	Part Number	Value
C1, 3, 6, 7	ROHM MCH185A5R6D	5.6pF
C2	ROHM MCH185A010C	1.0 pF
C4. 5	Samsung CL 10B104KONC	0.1μF
L1	TOKO LL 1608-FS10NJ	10 nH
L2	TOKO LL 1608-FS2N7S	2.7 nH
R1, 4	ROHM MCR03J100	10Ω
R2	ROHM MCR03J102	1ΚΩ
R3	ROHM MCR03J222	2.2ΚΩ
R5	ROHM MCR50J620	62Ω
Z1	non-critical	50Ω
Z2	8.2 degrees at 2440 MHz	50Ω
Z3	21.7 degrees at 2440MHz	50Ω
Z4	6.2 degrees at 2440 MHz	50Ω
Z5	6.2 degrees at 2440 MHz	50Ω
Z6	23.8 degrees at 2440 MHz	50Ω
Z7	non-critical	50Ω

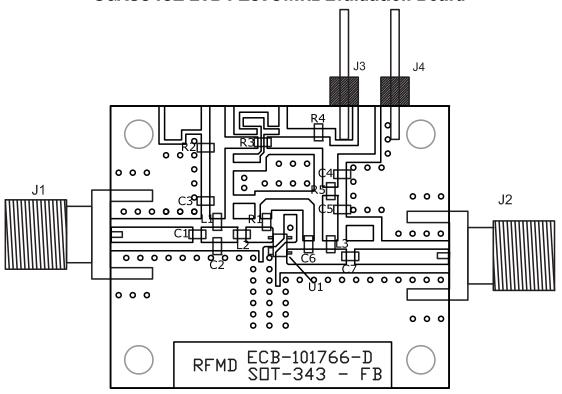


SGA8343Z-EVB3 2400 MHz to 2500 MHz Application Schematic





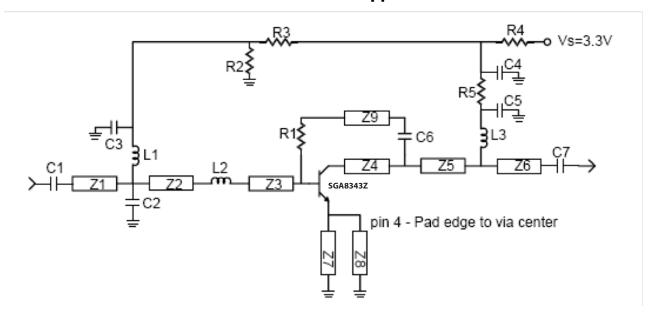
SGA8343Z-EVB4 1575MHz Evaluation Board



Ref. Des	Part Number	Value
C1, 5, 7	ROHM MCH185A150J	15 pF
C2	ROHM MCH185A1R2C	1.2pF
C3, 4, 6	Samsung CL 10B104KONC	0.1μF
L1	TOKO LL 1608-FS39NJ	39nH
L2	TOKO LL 1608-FS1N8S	1.8 nH
L3	TOKO LL 1608-FS3N9S	3.9 nH
R1, 3	ROHM MCR03J222	2.2ΚΩ
R2	ROHM MCR03J102	1.0ΚΩ
R4	ROHM MCR03J620	62Ω
R5	ROHM MCR03J100	10Ω
Z1	non-critical	50Ω
Z2	6.5 degrees at 1575 MHz	50Ω
Z3	7.8 degrees at 1575 MHz	50Ω
Z4	6.4 degrees at 1575 MHz	50Ω
Z5	6.4 degrees at 1575 MHz	50Ω
Z6	non-critical	50Ω
Z7	11.1 degrees at 1575MHz	50Ω
Z8	6.3 degrees at 1575 MHz	50Ω
Z9	26.0 degrees at 1575MHz	60Ω



SGA8343Z-EVB4 1575MHz Application Schematic



Ordering Information

Ordering Code	Description
SGA8343ZSQ	Standard 25 piece bag
SGA8343ZSR	Standard 100 piece reel
SGA8343Z	Standard 1000 piece reel
SGA8343ZPCK1	800 MHz to 1000 MHz PCBA with 5-piece sample bag
SGA8343ZPCK2	1800 MHz to 2000 MHz PCBA with 5-piece sample bag
SGA8343ZPCK3	2400 MHz to 2500 MHz PCBA with 5-piece sample bag
SGA8343ZPCK4	1575 MHz PCBA with 5-piece sample bag