

# CGHV37400F

400 W, 3.5 - 3.7 GHz, 50-Ohm Input/Output Matched, GaN HEMT for S-Band Radar Systems

## Description

WolfSpeed's CGHV37400F is a gallium nitride (GaN) high electron mobility transistor (HEMT) designed specifically with high efficiency, high gain and wide bandwidth capabilities, which makes the CGHV37400F ideal for 3.5 - 3.7 GHz S-Band radar amplifier applications. The transistor is matched to 50-ohms on the input and 50-ohms on the output. The CGHV37400F is based on WolfSpeed's high power density 50 V, 0.4  $\mu\text{m}$  GaN-on-Silicon Carbide (SiC) foundry process. The transistor is supplied in a ceramic metal flange package, type 440217.



Package Type: 440217  
PN: CGHV37400F

## Typical Performance Over 3.5-3.7 GHz ( $T_c = 25^\circ\text{C}$ ) of Demonstration Amplifier

| Parameter        | 3.5 GHz | 3.6 GHz | 3.7 GHz | Units |
|------------------|---------|---------|---------|-------|
| Output Power     | 555     | 560     | 555     | W     |
| Gain             | 11.4    | 11.5    | 11.4    | dB    |
| Drain Efficiency | 55      | 55      | 55      | %     |

Note: Measured in the CGHV37400F-AMP application circuit, under 100  $\mu\text{s}$  pulse width, 10% duty cycle,  $P_{IN} = 46 \text{ dBm}$

## Features

- 3.3 - 3.8 GHz Operation
- 525 W Typical Output Power
- 11.5 dB Power Gain
- 55% Typical Drain Efficiency
- 50 Ohm Internally Matched
- <0.3 dB Pulsed Amplitude Droop



Large Signal Models Available for ADS and MWO





## Absolute Maximum Ratings (not simultaneous)

| Parameter                                   | Symbol            | Rating    | Units | Conditions                                     |
|---|-------------------|-----------|-------|--|
| Pulse Width                                 | PW                | 100       | μs    |  |
| Duty Cycle                                  | DC                | 10        | %     |  |
| Drain-Source Voltage                        | V <sub>DSS</sub>  | 150       | V     | 25°C   |
| Gate-to-Source Voltage                      | V <sub>GS</sub>   | -10, +2   |       |  |
| Storage Temperature                         | T <sub>STG</sub>  | -65, +150 | °C    |  |
| Operating Junction Temperature              | T <sub>J</sub>    | 225       |       |  |
| Maximum Forward Gate Current                | I <sub>GMAX</sub> | 80        | mA    | 25°C   |
| Maximum Drain Current <sup>1</sup>          | I <sub>DMAX</sub> | 24        | A     |  |
| Soldering Temperature <sup>2</sup>          | T <sub>S</sub>    | 245       | °C    |  |
| Screw Torque                                | τ                 | 40        | in-oz |  |
| Pulsed Thermal Resistance, Junction to Case | R <sub>θJC</sub>  | 0.22      | °C/W  | 100 μsec, 10%, 85°C, P <sub>DISS</sub> = 418 W |
| Case Operating Temperature                  | T <sub>C</sub>    | -40, +125 | °C    |  |

Notes:

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

<sup>2</sup> Refer to the Application Note on soldering at [wolfspeed.com/rf/document-library](http://wolfspeed.com/rf/document-library)

## Electrical Characteristics

| Characteristics  | Symbol              | Min.  | Typ. | Max. | Units           | Conditions  |
|--|---------------------|-------|------|------|-----------------|---|
| <b>DC Characteristics<sup>1</sup> (T<sub>C</sub> = 25°C)</b>   |                     |       |      |      |                 |   |
| Gate Threshold Voltage   | V <sub>GS(th)</sub> | -3.8  | -3.0 | -2.3 | V <sub>DC</sub> | V <sub>DS</sub> = 10 V, I <sub>D</sub> = 83.6 mA  |
| Gate Quiescent Voltage   | V <sub>GS(Q)</sub>  | –     | -2.7 | –    |                 | V <sub>DS</sub> = 50 V, I <sub>D</sub> = 1.0 A  |
| Saturated Drain Current <sup>2</sup>   | I <sub>DS</sub>     | 54.3  | 77.7 | –    | A               | V <sub>DS</sub> = 6.0 V, V <sub>GS</sub> = 2.0 V  |
| Drain-Source Breakdown Voltage   | V <sub>BR</sub>     | 125   | –    | –    | V <sub>DC</sub> | V <sub>GS</sub> = -8 V, I <sub>D</sub> = 83.6 mA  |
| <b>RF Characteristics<sup>3</sup> (T<sub>C</sub> = 25°C, F<sub>0</sub> = 3.5 - 3.7 GHz unless otherwise noted)</b> |                     |       |      |      |                 |   |
| Output Power at 3.5 GHz  | P <sub>OUT1</sub>   | 400   | 525  | –    | W               | V <sub>DD</sub> = 50 V, I <sub>DQ</sub> = 1000 mA, P <sub>IN</sub> = 46 dBm                                       |
| Output Power at 3.7 GHz  | P <sub>OUT2</sub>   |       |      | –    |                 |   |
| Drain Efficiency at 3.5 GHz  | DE <sub>1</sub>     | 50    | 55   | –    | %               |   |
| Drain Efficiency at 3.7 GHz  | DE <sub>2</sub>     |       |      | –    |                 |   |
| Small Signal Gain  | S <sub>21</sub>     | 11.75 | 14   | –    | dB              | V <sub>DD</sub> = 50 V, I <sub>DQ</sub> = 1000 mA, P <sub>IN</sub> = -10 dBm                                      |
| Input Return Loss  | S <sub>11</sub>     | –     | -9   | -4   |                 |   |
| Output Return Loss   | S <sub>22</sub>     | –     | -6   |      |                 |   |
| Amplitude Droop  | D                   | –     | -0.3 | –    |                 | V <sub>DD</sub> = 50 V, I <sub>DQ</sub> = 1000 mA, P <sub>IN</sub> = 46 dBm                                       |
| Output Stress Match <sup>4</sup>   | VSWR                | –     | 5:1  | –    | Ψ               | No damage at all phase angles, V <sub>DD</sub> = 50 V, I <sub>DQ</sub> = 1000 mA, P <sub>IN</sub> = 46 dBm Pulsed |

Notes:

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

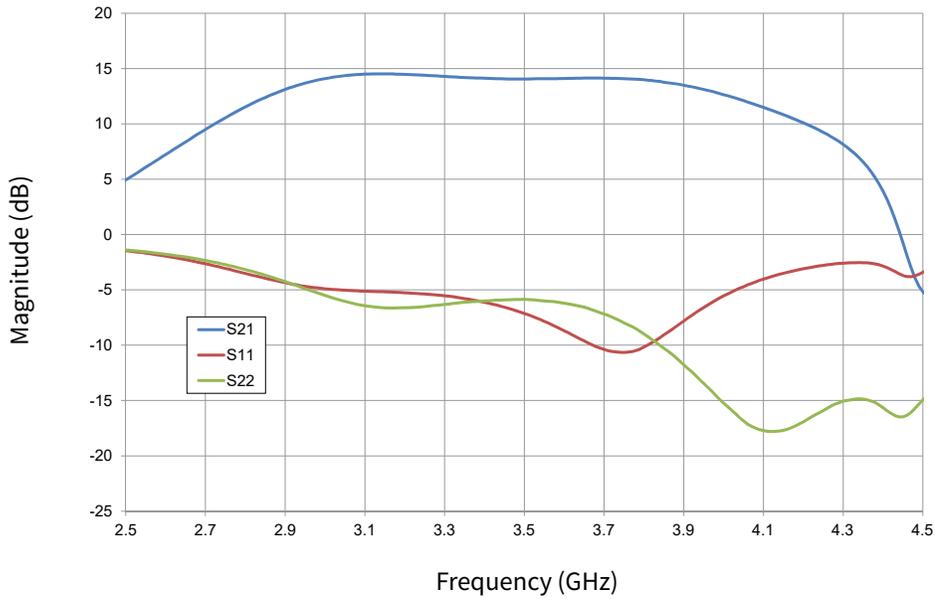
<sup>2</sup> Scaled from PCM data

<sup>3</sup> Measured in CGHV37400F-AMP. Pulse Width = 100 μs, Duty Cycle = 10%

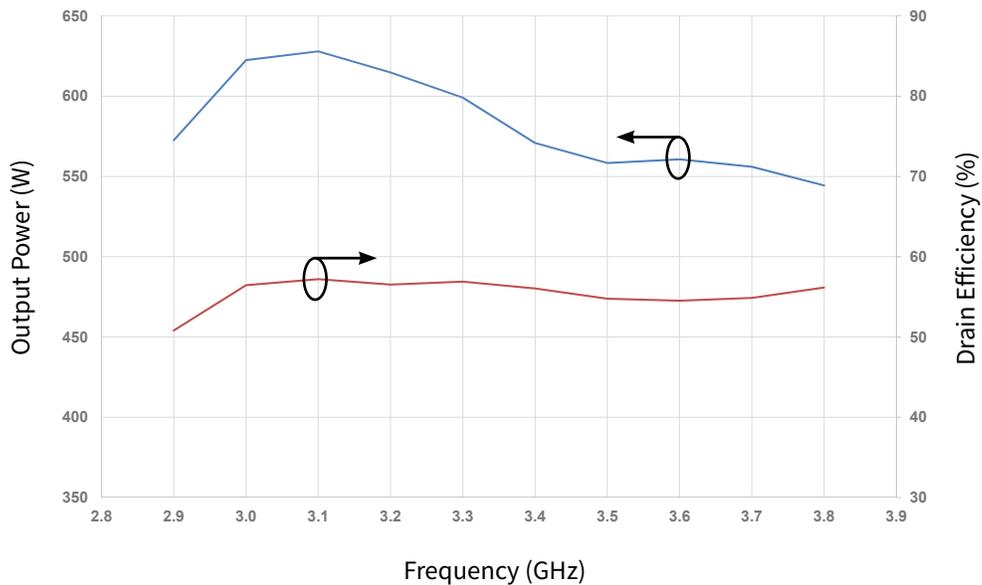
<sup>4</sup> The device is not recommended for 5:1 VSWR applications below 3.3 GHz



Typical Performance



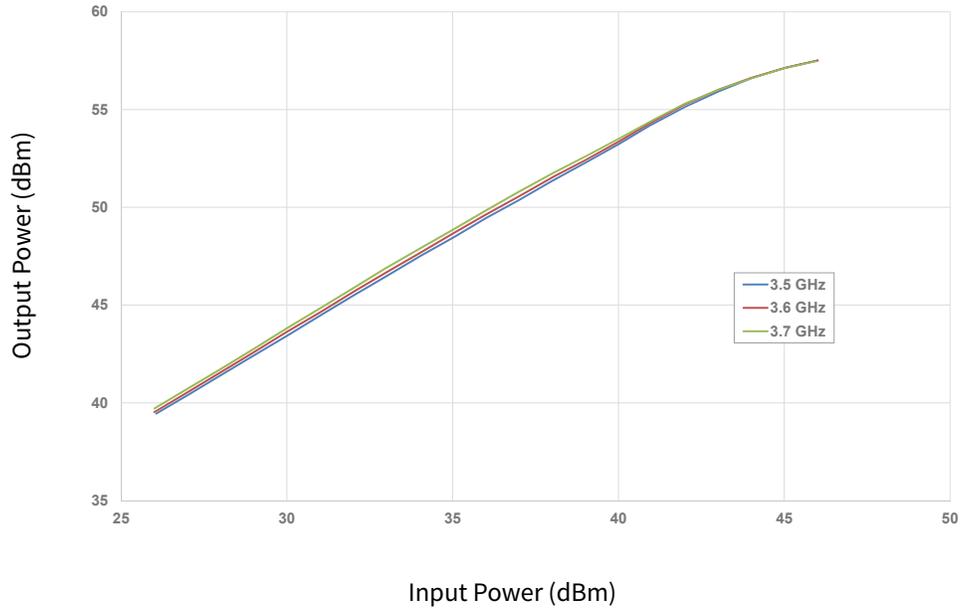
**Figure 1.** Typical Small Signal Gain and Return Losses vs Frequency  
 $V_{DD} = 50\text{ V}$ ,  $I_{DQ} = 1.0\text{ A}$



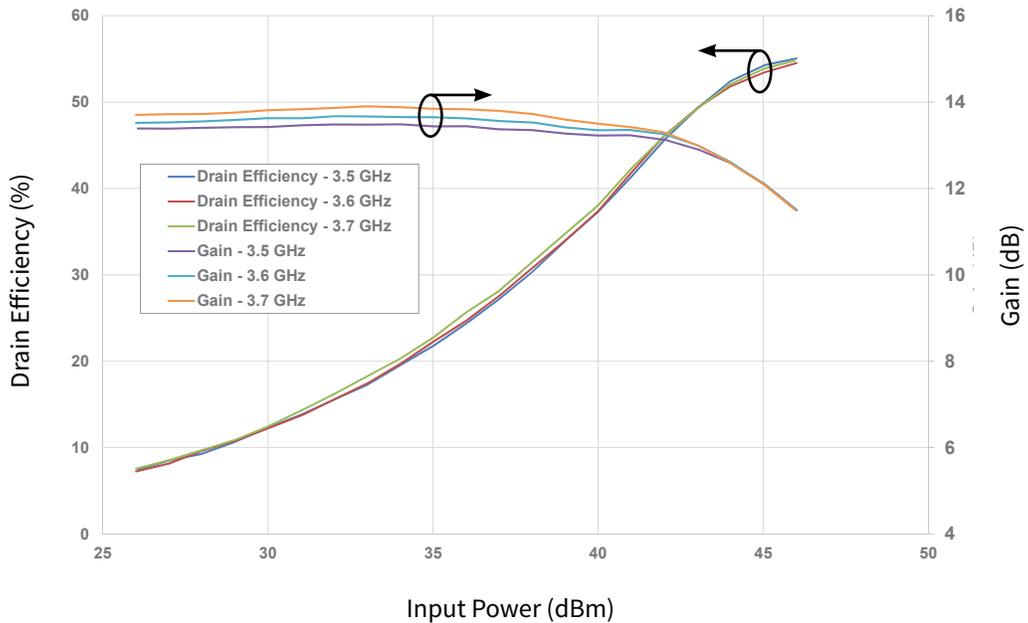
**Figure 2.** CGHV37400F Output Power and Drain Efficiency vs Frequency  
 $V_{DD} = 50\text{ V}$ ,  $I_{DQ} = 1.0\text{ A}$ ,  $P_{IN} = 46\text{ dBm}$ , Pulse Width =  $100\mu\text{s}$ , Duty Cycle = 10%,  
 $T_{CASE} = 25^\circ\text{C}$



Typical Performance



**Figure 3.** Typical Output Power vs Input Power of the CGHV37400F  
 $V_{DD} = 50\text{ V}$ ,  $I_{DQ} = 1.0\text{ A}$ , Pulse Width =  $100\mu\text{s}$ , Duty Cycle = 10%,  $T_{CASE} = 25^\circ\text{C}$



**Figure 4.** CGHV37400F Drain Efficiency and Gain vs Input Power  
 $V_{DD} = 50\text{ V}$ ,  $I_{DQ} = 1.0\text{ A}$ , Pulse Width =  $100\mu\text{s}$ , Duty Cycle = 10%,  $T_{CASE} = 25^\circ\text{C}$



## CGHV37400F-AMP Application Circuit Bill of Materials

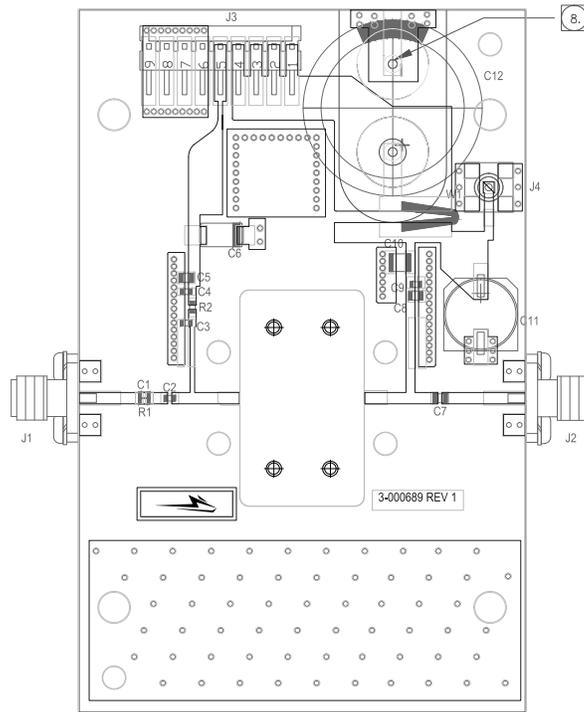
| Designator | Description                             | Qty |
|------------|---|-----|
| R1         | RES, 511, OHM, +/- 1%, 1/16W, 0603      | 1   |
| R2         | RES, 5.1, OHM, +/- 1%, 1/16W, 0603      | 1   |
| C1         | CAP, 6.8pF, +/-0.25%, 250V, 0603        | 1   |
| C2, C7, C8 | CAP, 10.0pF, +/-1%, 250V, 0805          | 3   |
| C3         | CAP, 10.0pF, +/-5%, 250V, 0603          | 1   |
| C4, C9     | CAP, 470pF, 5%, 100V, 0603, X           | 2   |
| C5         | CAP, 33000pF, 0805, 100V, X7R           | 1   |
| C6         | CAP, 10μF 16V TANTALUM                  | 1   |
| C10        | CAP, 1.0μF, 100V, 10%, X7R, 1210        | 1   |
| C11        | CAP, 33μF, 20%, G CASE                  | 1   |
| C12        | CAP, 3300μF, +/-20%, 100V, ELECTROLYTIC | 1   |
| J1,J2      | CONN, SMA, PANEL MOUNT JACK, FL         | 2   |
| J3         | HEADER, RT>PLZ, 0.1CEN LK 9POS          | 1   |
| J4         | CONNECTOR; SMB, Straight, JACK, SMD     | 1   |
| W1         | CABLE, 18 AWG, 4.2                      | 1   |
| -          | PCB, RO4350, 2.5 X 4.0 X 0.030          | 1   |
| Q1         | CGHV37400F                              | 1   |

## Electrostatic Discharge (ESD) Classifications

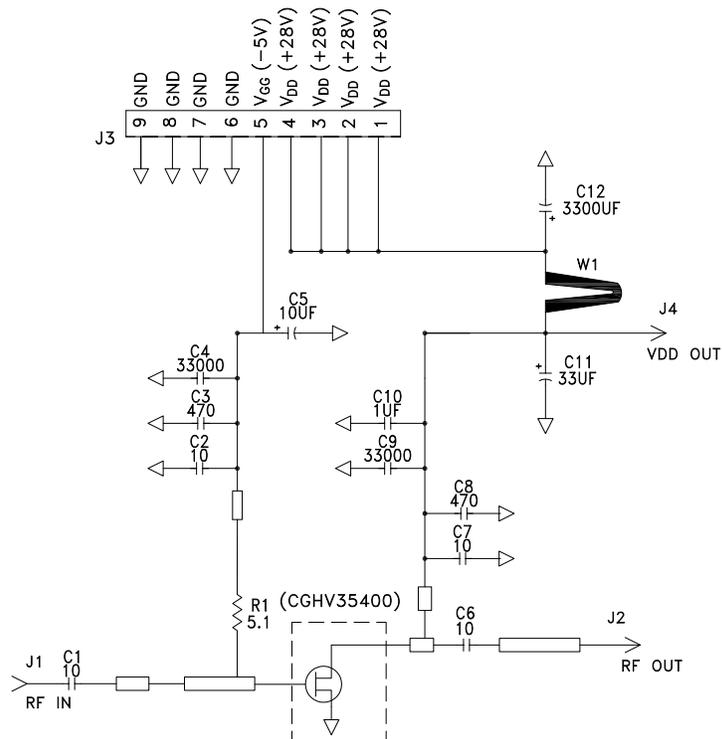
| Parameter           | Symbol | Class | Classification Level           | Test Methodology    |
|---------------------|--------|-------|--------------------------------|---------------------|
| Human Body Model    | HBM    | TBD   | ANSI/ESDA/JEDEC JS-001 Table 3 | JEDEC JESD22 A114-D |
| Charge Device Model | CDM    | TBD   | ANSI/ESDA/JEDEC JS-002 Table 3 | JEDEC JESD22 C101-C |



### CGHV37400F-AMP Application Circuit Outline



### CGHV37400F-AMP Application Circuit Schematic

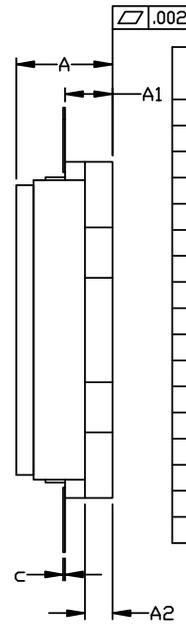
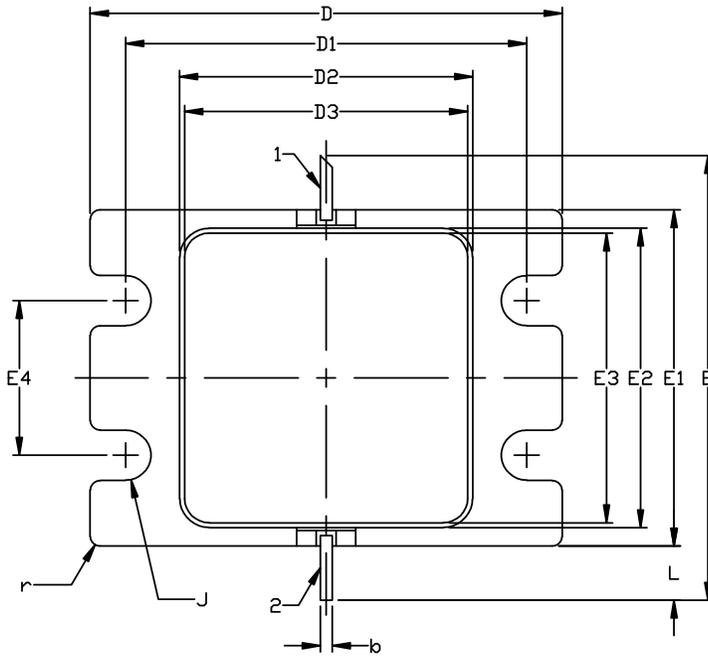




### Product Dimensions CGHV37400F (Package Type — 440217)

NOTES: (UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED)

1. INTERPRET DRAWING IN ACCORDANCE WITH ANSI Y14.5M-2009
2. ADHESIVE FROM LID MAY EXTEND A MAXIMUM OF .020 BEYOND EDGE OF LID
3. LID MAY BE MISALIGNED TO THE BODY OF PACKAGE BY A MAXIMUM OF .008 IN ANY DIRECTION
4. ALL PLATED SURFACES ARE GOLD OVER NICKEL



1. GATE
2. DRAIN

| DIM | INCHES   |        | MILLIMETERS |       | NOTES |
|-----|----------|--------|-------------|-------|-------|
|     | MIN      | MAX    | MIN         | MAX   |       |
| A   | 0.188    | 0.198  | 4.78        | 5.03  |       |
| A1  | 0.088    | 0.100  | 2.24        | 2.54  | 2x    |
| A2  | 0.049    | 0.061  | 1.24        | 1.55  |       |
| b   | 0.022    | 0.026  | 0.56        | 0.66  | 2x    |
| c   | 0.002    | 0.006  | 0.05        | 0.15  |       |
| D   | 0.935    | 0.955  | 23.75       | 24.26 |       |
| D1  | 0.797    | 0.809  | 20.24       | 20.55 | 2x    |
| D2  | 0.581    | 0.593  | 14.76       | 15.06 |       |
| D3  | 0.563    | 0.571  | 14.30       | 14.50 |       |
| E   | 0.906    |        | 23.01       |       | REF   |
| E1  | 0.679    | 0.691  | 17.25       | 17.55 |       |
| E2  | 0.604    | 0.616  | 15.34       | 15.65 |       |
| E3  | 0.586    | 0.594  | 14.88       | 15.09 |       |
| E4  | 0.309    | 0.321  | 7.85        | 8.15  | 2x    |
| J   | Ø0.097   | Ø0.107 | Ø2.46       | Ø2.72 | 4x    |
| L   | 0.090    | 0.130  | 2.29        | 3.30  | 2x    |
| r   | 0.02 TYP |        | 0.51 TYP    |       | 12x   |



## Part Number System

### CGHV37400F



**Table 1.**

| Parameter                    | Value  | Units |
|------------------------------|--------|-------|
| Upper Frequency <sup>1</sup> | 3.7    | GHz   |
| Power Output                 | 400    | W     |
| Package                      | Flange | —     |

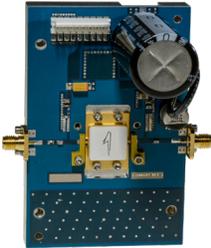
Note:

<sup>1</sup> Alpha characters used in frequency code indicate a value greater than 9.9 GHz. See Table 2 for value

**Table 2.**

| Parameter | Value                          |
|-----------|--------------------------------|
| A         | 0                              |
| B         | 1                              |
| C         | 2                              |
| D         | 3                              |
| E         | 4                              |
| F         | 5                              |
| G         | 6                              |
| H         | 7                              |
| J         | 8                              |
| K         | 9                              |
| Examples  | 1A = 10.0 GHz<br>2H = 27.0 GHz |

**Product Ordering Information**

| Order Number   | Description                        | Unit of Measure | Image   |
|----------------|------------------------------------|-----------------|---|
| CGHV37400F     | GaN HEMT                           | Each            |  |
| CGHV37400F-AMP | Test board with GaN HEMT installed | Each            |  |

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