



LET9120M

RF power transistor from the LdmoST family
of n-channel enhancement-mode lateral MOSFETs

Preliminary data

Features

- Excellent thermal stability
- Common source configuration push-pull
- $P_{OUT} = 120\text{ W}$ with 18 dB gain @ 860 MHz
- Internal input matching
- BeO-free package

Description

The LET9120M is a common source n-channel enhancement-mode lateral field-effect RF power transistor designed for broadband commercial and industrial applications at frequencies up to 1.0 GHz.

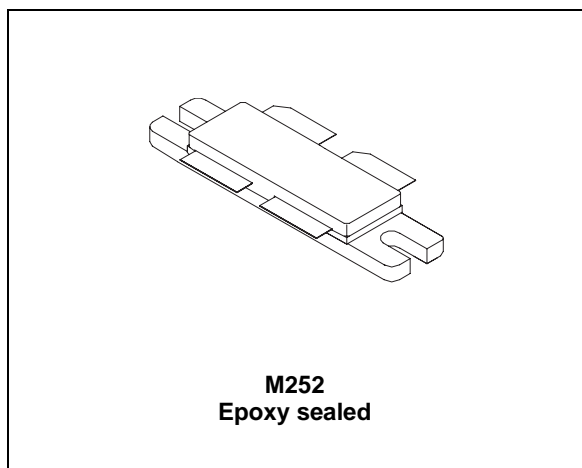


Figure 1. Pin connection

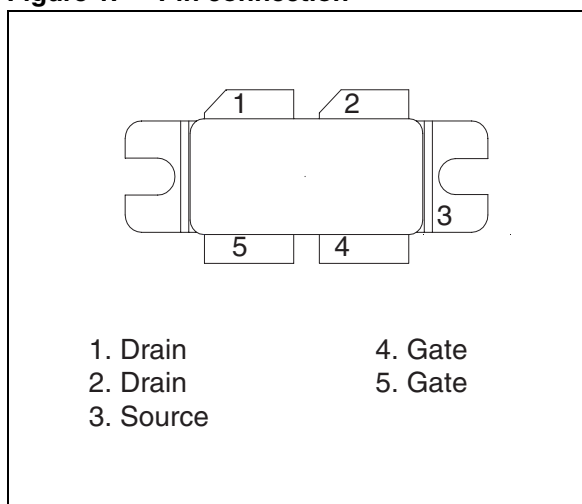


Table 1. Device summary

| Order code | Package | Branding |
|------------|---------|----------|
| LET9120M | M252 | LET9120M |

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1 Electrical data

1.1 Maximum ratings

Table 2. Absolute maximum ratings ($T_{CASE} = 25\text{ °C}$)

| Symbol | Parameter | Value | Unit |
|---------------|---|-------------|------|
| $V_{(BR)DSS}$ | Drain-source voltage | 80 | V |
| V_{GS} | Gate-source voltage | ± 20 | V |
| I_D | Drain current | 18 | A |
| P_{DISS} | Power dissipation (@ $T_c = 70\text{ °C}$) | 217 | W |
| T_J | Max. operating junction temperature | 200 | °C |
| T_{STG} | Storage temperature | -65 to +150 | °C |

1.2 Thermal data

Table 3. Thermal data

| Symbol | Parameter | Value | Unit |
|------------|------------------------------------|-------|------|
| R_{thJC} | Junction - case thermal resistance | 0.6 | °C/W |

2 Electrical characteristics

$$T_{\text{CASE}} = +25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$$

2.1 Static

Table 4. Static (per section)

| Symbol | Test conditions | | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|---------------|
| $V_{(\text{BR})\text{DSS}}$ | $V_{\text{GS}} = 0\text{ V}$ | $I_{\text{DS}} = 10\text{ mA}$ | 80 | | | V |
| I_{DSS} | $V_{\text{GS}} = 0\text{ V}$ | $V_{\text{DS}} = 28\text{ V}$ | | | 1 | μA |
| I_{GSS} | $V_{\text{GS}} = 5\text{ V}$ | $V_{\text{DS}} = 0\text{ V}$ | | | 1 | μA |
| $V_{\text{GS(Q)}}$ | $V_{\text{DS}} = 28\text{ V}$ | $I_{\text{D}} = 100\text{ mA}$ | 2.0 | | 5.0 | V |
| $V_{\text{DS(ON)}}$ | $V_{\text{GS}} = 10\text{ V}$ | $I_{\text{D}} = 3\text{ A}$ | | 0.9 | 1.2 | V |
| G_{FS} | $V_{\text{DS}} = 10\text{ V}$ | $I_{\text{D}} = 3\text{ A}$ | 2.5 | | | mho |
| C_{OSS} | $V_{\text{GS}} = 0\text{ V}$ | $V_{\text{DS}} = 28\text{ V}$ | | 29 | | pF |
| | | $f = 1\text{ MHz}$ | | | | |

Note: Device is internally input matched.

2.2 Dynamic

Table 5. Dynamic

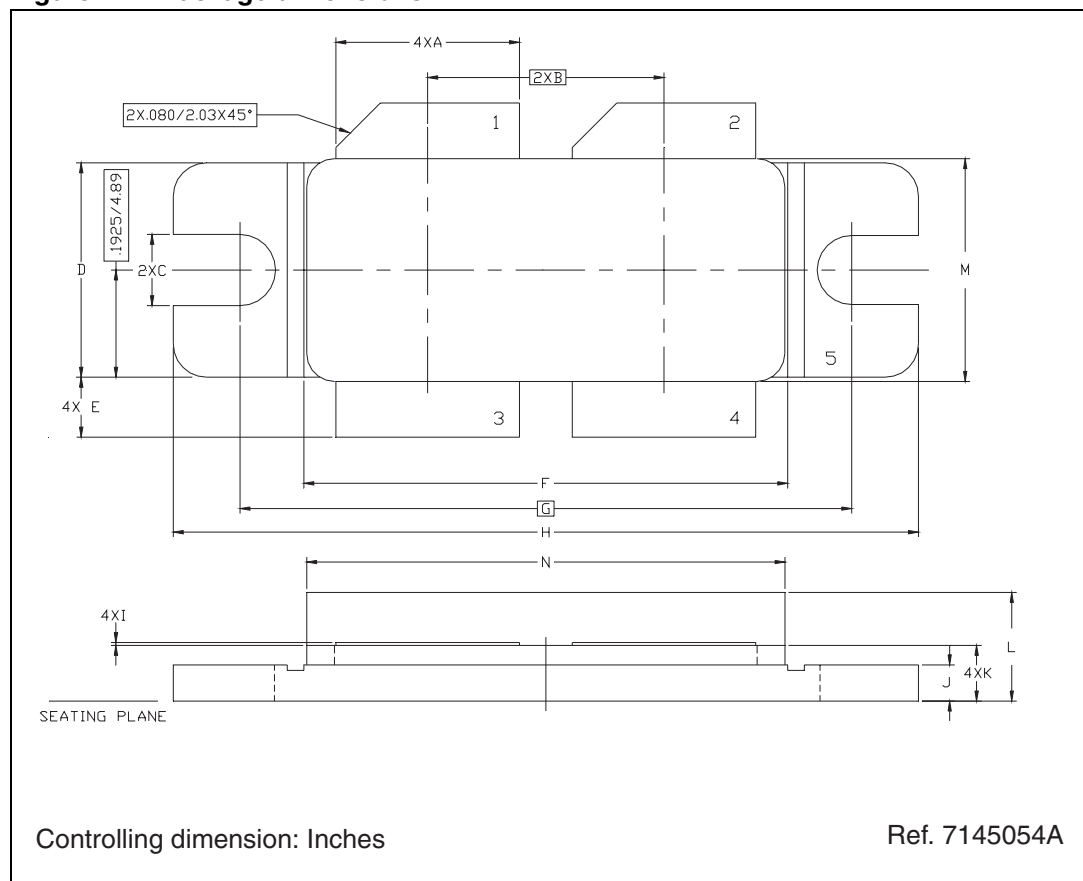
| Symbol | Test conditions | | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
|-------------------|-------------------------------|--|-----|-----|-----|------|
| P_{OUT} | $V_{\text{DD}} = 32\text{ V}$ | $I_{\text{DQ}} = 400\text{ mA}$ $f = 860\text{ MHz}$ | 120 | | - | W |
| G_{PS} | $V_{\text{DD}} = 32\text{ V}$ | $I_{\text{DQ}} = 400\text{ mA}$ $P_{\text{OUT}} = 120\text{ W}$ $f = 860\text{ MHz}$ | 16 | 18 | | dB |
| η_{D} | $V_{\text{DD}} = 32\text{ V}$ | $I_{\text{DQ}} = 400\text{ mA}$ $P_{\text{OUT}} = 120\text{ W}$ $f = 860\text{ MHz}$ | 50 | 65 | | % |

3 **Package mechanical data**

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Table 6. M252 (.400 x .860 4L BAL N/HERM W/FLG) mechanical data

| Dim. | mm. | | | inch | | |
|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| | Min | Typ | Max | Min | Typ | Max |
| A | 8.13 | | 8.64 | .320 | | .340 |
| B | | 10.80 | | | .425 | |
| C | 3.00 | | 3.30 | .118 | | .130 |
| D | 9.65 | | 9.91 | .380 | | .390 |
| E | 2.16 | | 2.92 | .085 | | .115 |
| F | 21.97 | | 22.23 | .865 | | .875 |
| G | | 27.94 | | | 1.100 | |
| H | 33.91 | | 34.16 | 1.335 | | 1.345 |
| I | 0.10 | | 0.15 | .004 | | .006 |
| J | 1.52 | | 1.78 | .060 | | .070 |
| K | 2.36 | | 2.74 | .093 | | .108 |
| L | 4.57 | | 5.33 | .180 | | .210 |
| M | 9.96 | | 10.34 | .392 | | .407 |
| N | 21.64 | | 22.05 | .852 | | .868 |

Figure 2. Package dimensions

4 Revision history

Table 7. Document revision history

| Date | Revision | Changes |
|-------------|----------|---|
| 10-Nov-2009 | 1 | First Issue. |
| 11-Feb-2010 | 2 | Changed test condition for $V_{(BR)DSS}$ in Table 4: Static (per section) . |

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