

BPC2425M9X250

Power LDMOS module

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Product data sheet

1. Product profile

1.1 General description

250 W LDMOS power module for Industrial, Scientific and Medical (ISM) applications at frequencies from 2400 MHz to 2500 MHz. The module is designed for high-power CW applications.

Table 1. Test information

Typical RF performance at $V_{DS} = 32\text{ V}$; $T_{mb} = 25\text{ °C}$; $I_{Dq} = 50\text{ mA}$.

Test signal	f	V_{DS}	P_L	G_p	η_D
	(MHz)	(V)	(W)	(dB)	(%)
CW	2450	32	300	17	61
CW pulsed [1]	2450	32	300	17.5	63

[1] Pulse width is 300 μs ; duty cycle is 50 %.

1.2 Features and benefits

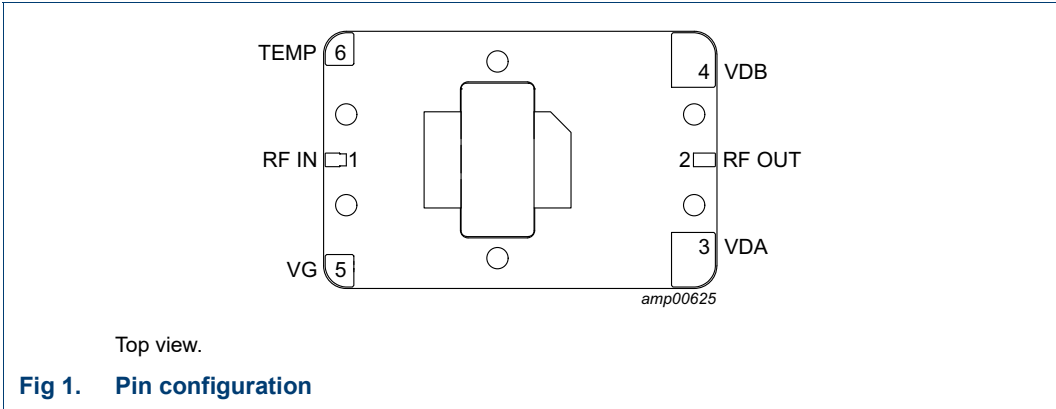
- High efficiency
- Small size: 52 × 34 mm
- Input/output 50 Ω matched
- Designed for broadband operation (2400 MHz to 2500 MHz)
- Built-in temperature sensor
- Built-in temperature compensation networks
- 100 % RF testing in production
- For RoHS compliance see the product details on the Ampleon website

1.3 Applications

- RF power amplifiers for CW applications in the 2400 MHz to 2500 MHz frequency range such as industrial heating and drying, scientific, medical, plasma lighting and solid state cooking

2. Pinning information

2.1 Pinning



2.2 Pin description

Table 2. Pin description

Symbol	Pin	Description
RF IN	1	RF input
RF OUT	2	RF output
VDA	3	drain-source voltage, pin A [1]
VDB	4	drain-source voltage, pin B [1]
VG	5	gate-source voltage
TEMP	6	temperature sensor

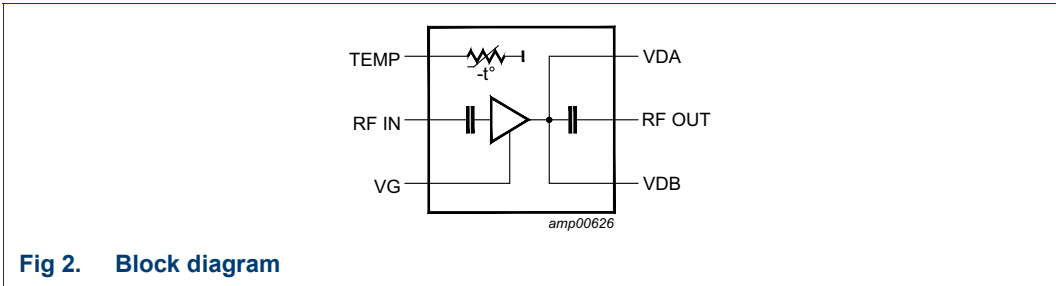
[1] Drain voltage must be applied for both pins VDA and VDB

3. Ordering information

Table 3. Ordering information

Type number	Package		
	Name	Description	Version
BPC2425M9X250	-	pallet; 6 mounting holes; 6 terminations	-

4. Block diagram



5. Limiting values

Table 4. Limiting values

In accordance with the Absolute Maximum Rating System (IEC 60134).

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Max	Unit
V_{DS}	drain-source voltage	non operating	0	65	V
V_{GS}	gate-source voltage	non operating	-6	+13	V
T_{stg}	storage temperature		-65	+85	°C
T_{mb}	mounting base temperature	[1]	0	60	°C

[1] Continuous use at maximum temperature will affect the reliability, for details refer to the online MTF calculator.

6. Characteristics

Table 5. DC characteristics

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
$V_{(BR)DSS}$	drain-source breakdown voltage	$V_{GS} = 0\text{ V}$; $I_D = 2.7\text{ mA}$	65	-	-	V
$V_{GS(th)}$	gate-source threshold voltage	$V_{DS} = 32\text{ V}$; $I_D = 50\text{ mA}$	-	1.75	-	V
I_{DSS}	drain leakage current	$V_{GS} = 0\text{ V}$; $V_{DS} = 32\text{ V}$	-	-	4.20	μA
R_{GS}	gate-source resistance		300	1500	5000	Ω
C_{iss}	input capacitance	VG pin	-	0.01	-	μF
		VD pin	-	1	-	μF

Table 6. RF Characteristics

Test signal: CW; RF performance at $T_{mb} = 25\text{ °C}$; $V_{DS} = 32\text{ V}$; $I_{Dq} = 50\text{ mA}$; unless otherwise specified; in a class-AB production test circuit.

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
G_p	power gain	$P_L = 280\text{ W}$; $f = 2450\text{ MHz}$	17	18	-	dB
$P_{L(1dB)}$	output power at 1 dB gain compression	$f = 2450\text{ MHz}$	-	280	-	W
$P_{L(3dB)}$	output power at 3 dB gain compression	$f = 2450\text{ MHz}$	-	310	-	W
f	frequency	$P_L = 250\text{ W}$	2400	-	2500	MHz
G_{flat}	gain flatness	$P_L = 250\text{ W}$; $f = 2400\text{ MHz}$ to $f = 2500\text{ MHz}$	-	1.5	-	dB
RL_{in}	input return loss	$P_L = 60\text{ W}$; $f = 2400\text{ MHz}$ to $f = 2500\text{ MHz}$	-	-15	-5	dB
η_D	drain efficiency	$P_L = 300\text{ W}$; $f = 2450\text{ MHz}$	56	61	-	%
$\alpha_{sup(H)}$	harmonic suppression	$P_L = 300\text{ W}$; $f = 2450\text{ MHz}$	-	30	-	dBc

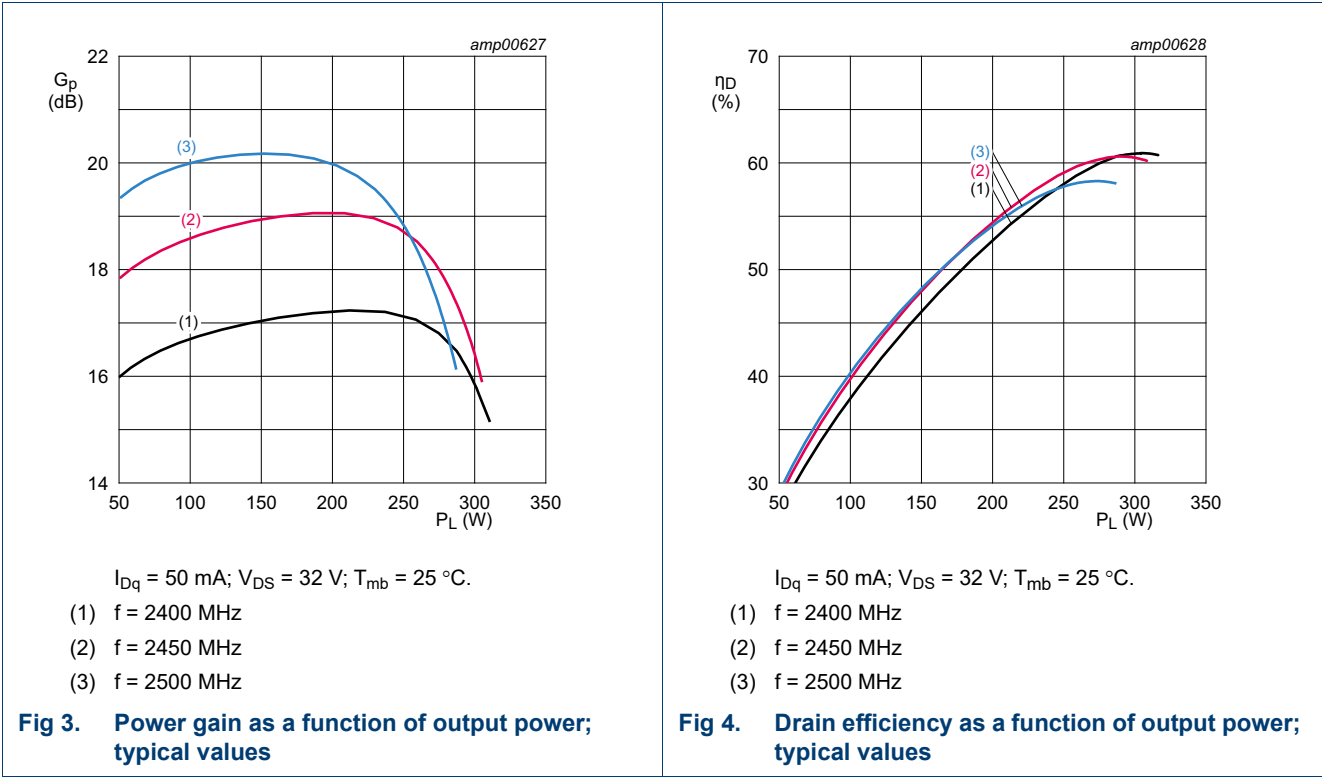
6.1 Ruggedness in class-AB operation

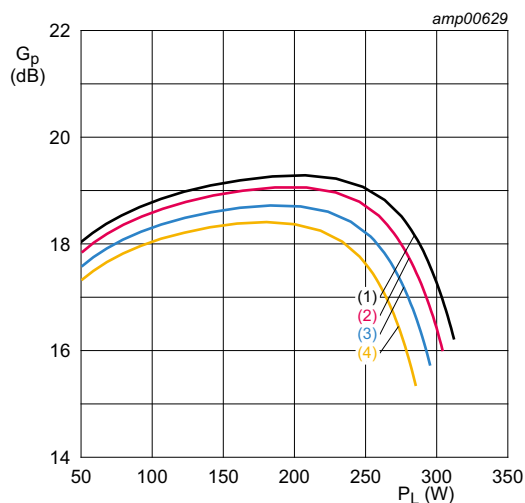
The BPC2425M9X250 is capable of withstanding a load mismatch corresponding to $VSWR = 4 : 1$ through all phases with a time rate of 15 ms/degree under the following conditions: $V_{DS} = 32\text{ V}$; $I_{Dq} = 50\text{ mA}$; $P_L = 250\text{ W}$ (CW); $f = 2450\text{ MHz}$; $T_{mb} = 25\text{ °C}$.

7. Test information

7.1 Graphical data

7.1.1 CW

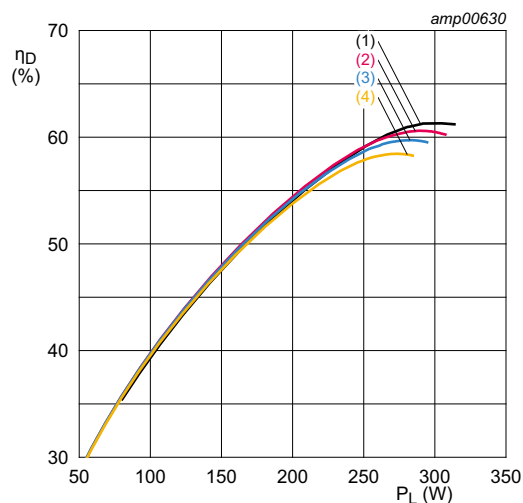




$I_{Dq} = 50 \text{ mA}$; $V_{DS} = 32 \text{ V}$; $f = 2450 \text{ MHz}$.

- (1) $T_{mb} = 5 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$
- (2) $T_{mb} = 25 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$
- (3) $T_{mb} = 40 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$
- (4) $T_{mb} = 60 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$

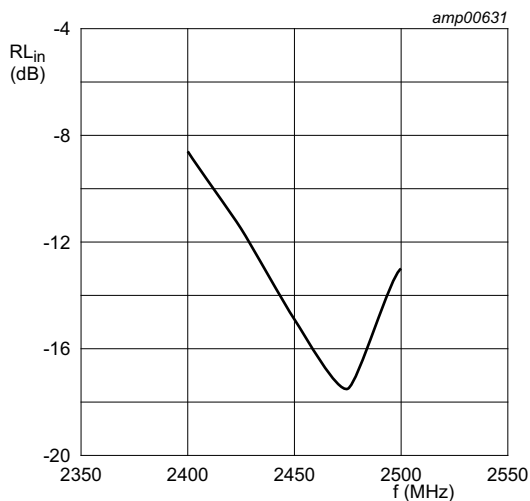
Fig 5. Power gain as a function of output power; typical values



$I_{Dq} = 50 \text{ mA}$; $V_{DS} = 32 \text{ V}$; $f = 2450 \text{ MHz}$.

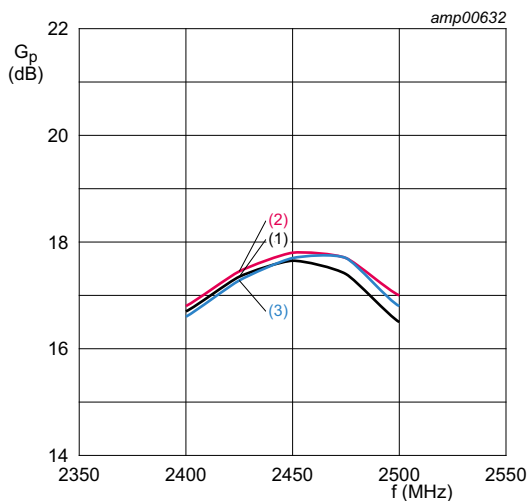
- (1) $T_{mb} = 5 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$
- (2) $T_{mb} = 25 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$
- (3) $T_{mb} = 40 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$
- (4) $T_{mb} = 60 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$

Fig 6. Drain efficiency as a function of output power; typical values



$I_{Dq} = 50 \text{ mA}$; $V_{DS} = 32 \text{ V}$; $P_L = 280 \text{ W}$.

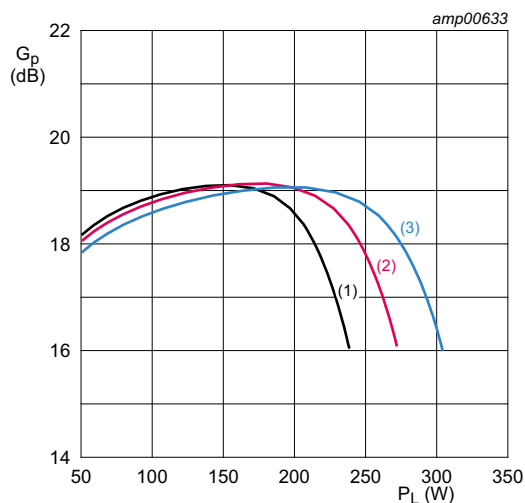
Fig 7. Input return loss as a function of frequency; typical values



$I_{Dq} = 50 \text{ mA}$.

- (1) $V_{DS} = 28 \text{ V}$; $P_L = 220 \text{ W}$
- (2) $V_{DS} = 30 \text{ V}$; $P_L = 250 \text{ W}$
- (3) $V_{DS} = 32 \text{ V}$; $P_L = 280 \text{ W}$

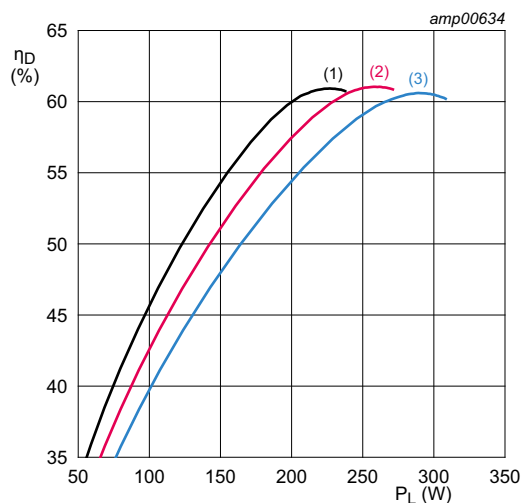
Fig 8. Power gain as a function of frequency; typical values



$I_{Dq} = 50$ mA; $T_{mb} = 25$ °C; $f = 2450$ MHz.

- (1) $V_{DS} = 28$ V
- (2) $V_{DS} = 30$ V
- (3) $V_{DS} = 32$ V

Fig 9. Power gain as a function of output power; typical values

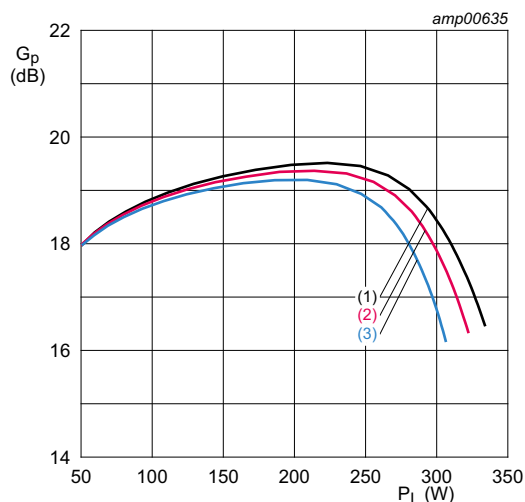


$I_{Dq} = 50$ mA; $T_{mb} = 25$ °C; $f = 2450$ MHz.

- (1) $V_{DS} = 28$ V
- (2) $V_{DS} = 30$ V
- (3) $V_{DS} = 32$ V:

Fig 10. Drain efficiency as a function of output power; typical values

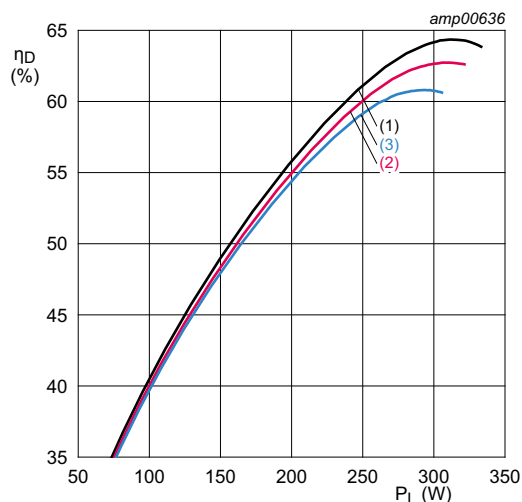
7.1.2 CW pulsed



$I_{Dq} = 50$ mA; $V_{DS} = 32$ V; $T_{mb} = 25$ °C; $f = 2450$ MHz.

- (1) $t_p = 300$ μs; $\delta = 10$ %
- (2) $t_p = 300$ μs; $\delta = 50$ %
- (3) $t_p = 300$ μs; $\delta = 90$ %

Fig 11. Power gain as a function of output power; typical values



$I_{Dq} = 50$ mA; $V_{DS} = 32$ V; $T_{mb} = 25$ °C; $f = 2450$ MHz.

- (1) $t_p = 300$ μs; $\delta = 10$ %
- (2) $t_p = 300$ μs; $\delta = 50$ %
- (3) $t_p = 300$ μs; $\delta = 90$ %

Fig 12. Drain efficiency as a function of output power; typical values

8. Package outline

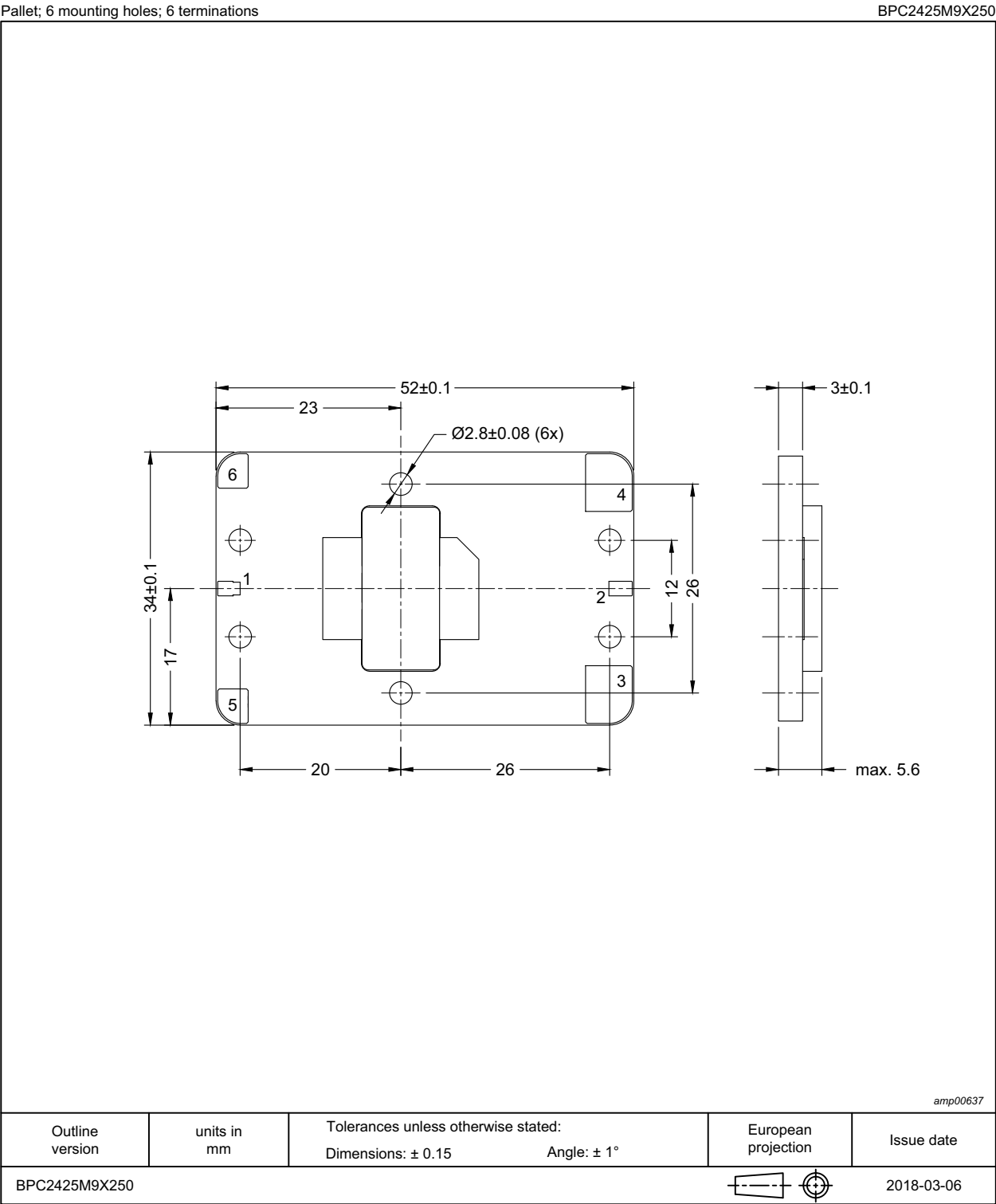


Fig 13. Package outline

9. Handling information

CAUTION



This device is sensitive to ElectroStatic Discharge (ESD). Observe precautions for handling electrostatic sensitive devices.

Such precautions are described in the *ANSI/ESD S20.20*, *IEC/ST 61340-5*, *JESD625-A* or equivalent standards.

Table 7. ESD sensitivity

ESD model	Class
Charged Device Model (CDM); According to ANSI/ESDA/JEDEC standard JS-002	C1 [1]
Human Body Model (HBM); According to ANSI/ESDA/JEDEC standard JS-001	1C [2]

[1] CDM classification C1 is granted to any part that passes after exposure to an ESD pulse of 250 V, but fails after exposure to an ESD pulse of 500 V.

[2] HBM classification 1C is granted to any part that passes after exposure to an ESD pulse of 1000 V, but fails after exposure to an ESD pulse of 2000 V.

10. Abbreviations

Table 8. Abbreviations

Acronym	Description
CW	Continuous Wave
LDMOS	Laterally Diffused Metal-Oxide Semiconductor
MTF	Median Time to Failure
RoHS	Restriction of Hazardous Substances
VSWR	Voltage Standing Wave Ratio

11. Revision history

Table 9. Revision history

Document ID	Release date	Data sheet status	Change notice	Supersedes
BPC2425M9X250 v.1	20180329	Product data sheet	-	-

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