



NPN 5 GHz wideband transistor



BFR92A

FEATURES

- High power gain
- Low noise figure
- Low intermodulation distortion.

APPLICATIONS

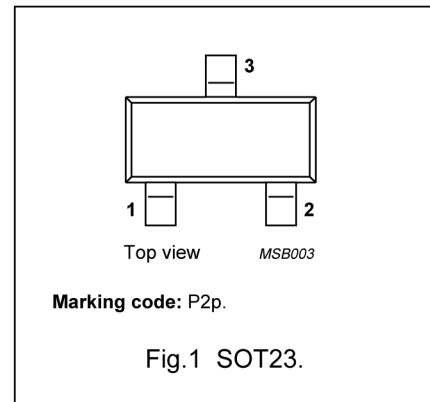
- RF wideband amplifiers and oscillators.

DESCRIPTION

NPN wideband transistor in a plastic SOT23 package.
PNP complement: BFT92.

PINNING

| PIN | DESCRIPTION |
|-----|-------------|
| 1 | base |
| 2 | emitter |
| 3 | collector |



QUICK REFERENCE DATA

| SYMBOL | PARAMETER | CONDITIONS | TYP. | MAX. | UNIT |
|-----------|-------------------------------|--|------|------|------|
| V_{CBO} | collector-base voltage | | – | 20 | V |
| V_{CEO} | collector-emitter voltage | | – | 15 | V |
| I_C | collector current (DC) | | – | 25 | mA |
| P_{tot} | total power dissipation | $T_s \leq 95^\circ\text{C}$ | – | 300 | mW |
| C_{re} | feedback capacitance | $I_C = i_c = 0; V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}; f = 1 \text{ MHz}$ | 0.35 | – | pF |
| f_T | transition frequency | $I_C = 15 \text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}; f = 500 \text{ MHz}$ | 5 | – | GHz |
| G_{UM} | maximum unilateral power gain | $I_C = 15 \text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}; f = 1 \text{ GHz}; T_{amb} = 25^\circ\text{C}$ | 14 | – | dB |
| | | $I_C = 15 \text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}; f = 2 \text{ GHz}; T_{amb} = 25^\circ\text{C}$ | 8 | – | dB |
| F | noise figure | $I_C = 5 \text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}; f = 1 \text{ GHz}; \Gamma_s = \Gamma_{opt}; T_{amb} = 25^\circ\text{C}$ | 2.1 | – | dB |
| V_O | output voltage | $d_{im} = -60 \text{ dB}; I_C = 14 \text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}; R_L = 75 \Omega; f_p + f_q - f_r = 793.25 \text{ MHz}$ | 150 | – | mV |

LIMITING VALUES

In accordance with the Absolute Maximum Rating System (IEC 134).

| SYMBOL | PARAMETER | CONDITIONS | MIN. | MAX. | UNIT |
|-----------|---------------------------|--|------|------|------|
| V_{CBO} | collector-base voltage | open emitter | – | 20 | V |
| V_{CEO} | collector-emitter voltage | open base | – | 15 | V |
| V_{EBO} | emitter-base voltage | open collector | – | 2 | V |
| I_C | collector current (DC) | | – | 25 | mA |
| P_{tot} | total power dissipation | $T_s \leq 95^\circ\text{C}; \text{ note 1; see Fig.3}$ | – | 300 | mW |
| T_{stg} | storage temperature | | -65 | +150 | °C |
| T_j | junction temperature | | – | 175 | °C |

Note

1. T_s is the temperature at the soldering point of the collector pin.

THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS

| SYMBOL | PARAMETER | CONDITIONS | VALUE | UNIT |
|---------------|---|--------------------------------|-------|------|
| $R_{th\ j-s}$ | thermal resistance from junction to soldering point | $T_s \leq 95^\circ C$; note 1 | 260 | K/W |

Note

- T_s is the temperature at the soldering point of the collector pin.

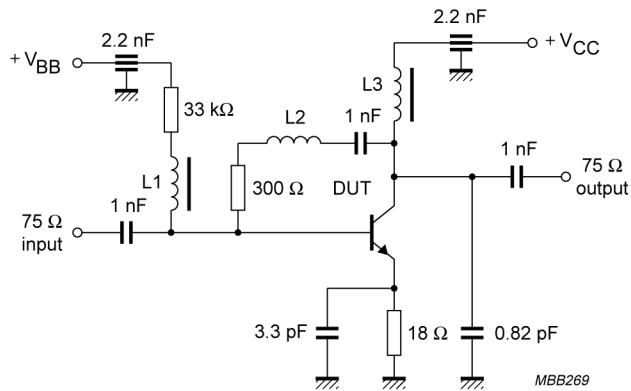
CHARACTERISTICS

$T_j = 25^\circ C$ unless otherwise specified.

| SYMBOL | PARAMETER | CONDITIONS | MIN. | TYP. | MAX. | UNIT |
|-----------|---|--|------|------|------|------|
| I_{CBO} | collector leakage current | $I_E = 0; V_{CB} = 10 V$ | — | — | 50 | nA |
| h_{FE} | DC current gain | $I_C = 15 \text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}$; see Fig.4 | 40 | 90 | — | |
| C_c | collector capacitance | $I_E = i_e = 0; V_{CB} = 10 \text{ V}; f = 1 \text{ MHz}$; see Fig.5 | — | 0.6 | — | pF |
| C_e | emitter capacitance | $I_C = i_c = 0; V_{EB} = 10 \text{ V}; f = 1 \text{ MHz}$ | — | 1.2 | — | pF |
| C_{re} | feedback capacitance | $I_C = i_c = 0; V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}; f = 1 \text{ MHz}$ | — | 0.35 | — | pF |
| f_T | transition frequency | $I_C = 15 \text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}; f = 500 \text{ MHz}$; see Fig.6 | — | 5 | — | GHz |
| G_{UM} | maximum unilateral power gain (note 1) | $I_C = 15 \text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}; f = 1 \text{ GHz}$; $T_{amb} = 25^\circ C$ | — | 14 | — | dB |
| | | $I_C = 15 \text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}; f = 2 \text{ GHz}$; $T_{amb} = 25^\circ C$ | — | 8 | — | dB |
| F | noise figure | $I_C = 5 \text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}; f = 1 \text{ GHz}$; $\Gamma_s = \Gamma_{opt}$; $T_{amb} = 25^\circ C$; see Figs 13 and 14 | — | 2.1 | — | dB |
| | | $I_C = 5 \text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}; f = 2 \text{ GHz}$; $\Gamma_s = \Gamma_{opt}$; $T_{amb} = 25^\circ C$; see Figs 13 and 14 | — | 3 | — | dB |
| V_O | output voltage | notes 2 and 3 | — | 150 | — | mV |
| d_2 | second order intermodulation distortion | notes 2 and 4; see Fig.16 | — | -50 | — | dB |

Notes

- G_{UM} is the maximum unilateral power gain, assuming S_{12} is zero and $G_{UM} = 10 \log \frac{|S_{21}|^2}{(1 - |S_{11}|^2)(1 - |S_{22}|^2)} \text{ dB}$.
- Measured on the same die in a SOT37 package (BFR90A).
- $d_{im} = -60 \text{ dB}$ (DIN 45004B); $I_C = 14 \text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}; R_L = 75 \Omega$; $\text{VSWR} < 2$; $T_{amb} = 25^\circ C$
 $V_p = V_O$ at $d_{im} = -60 \text{ dB}$; $f_p = 795.25 \text{ MHz}$;
 $V_q = V_O - 6 \text{ dB}$; $f_q = 803.25 \text{ MHz}$;
 $V_r = V_O - 6 \text{ dB}$; $f_r = 805.25 \text{ MHz}$;
measured at $f_p + f_q - f_r = 793.25 \text{ MHz}$.
- $I_C = 14 \text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}; R_L = 75 \Omega$; $\text{VSWR} < 2$; $T_{amb} = 25^\circ C$
 $V_p = 60 \text{ mV}$ at $f_p = 250 \text{ MHz}$;
 $V_q = 60 \text{ mV}$ at $f_q = 560 \text{ MHz}$;
measured at $f_p + f_q = 810 \text{ MHz}$.



$L_1 = L_3 = 5 \mu\text{H}$ choke.

$L_2 = 3$ turns 0.4 mm copper wire, internal diameter 3 mm, winding pitch 1 mm.

Fig.2 Intermodulation distortion and second harmonic distortion MATV test circuit.

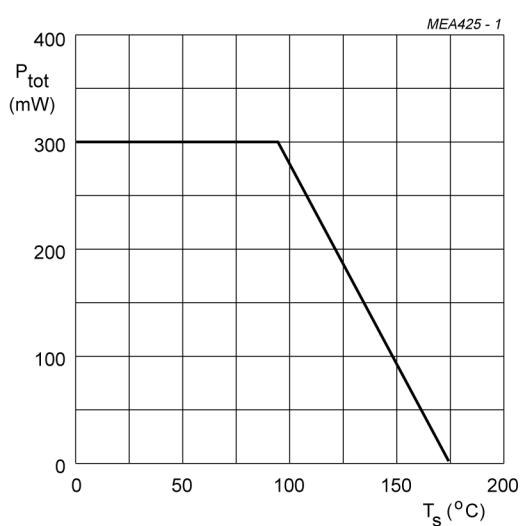
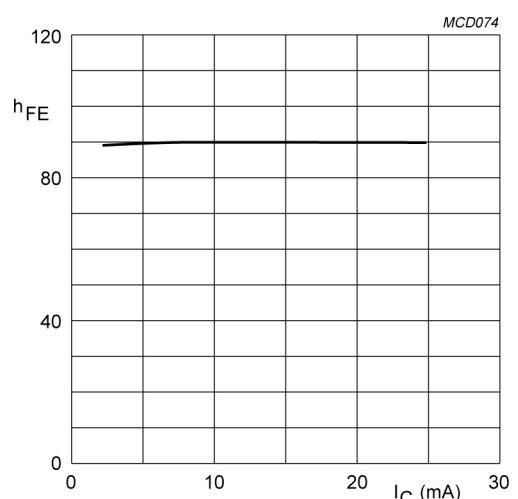
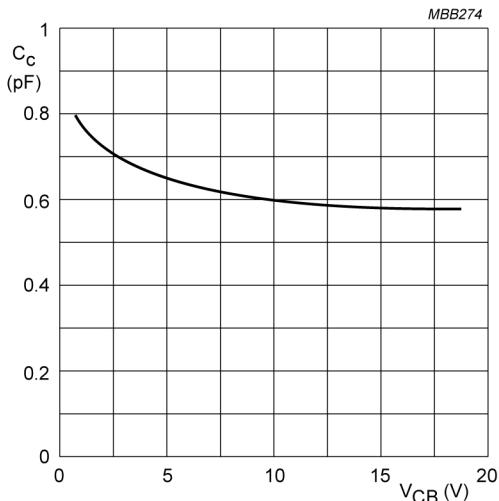


Fig.3 Power derating curve.



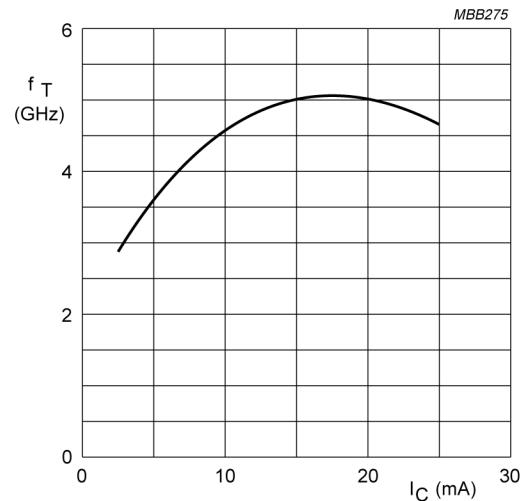
$V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}; T_j = 25 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}.$

Fig.4 DC current gain as a function of collector current; typical values.



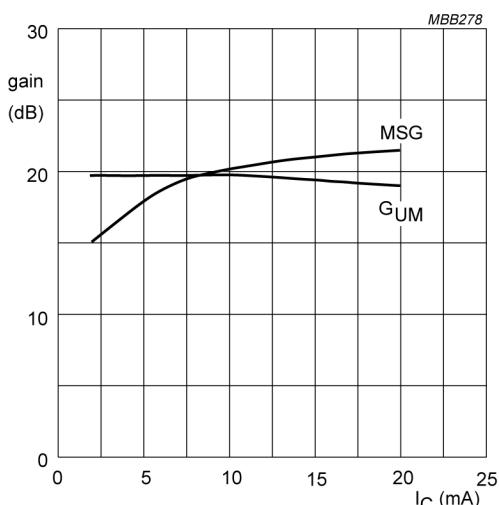
$I_C = i_c = 0$; $f = 1$ MHz; $T_j = 25$ °C.

Fig.5 Collector capacitance as a function of collector-base voltage; typical values.



$V_{CE} = 10$ V; $f = 500$ MHz; $T_{amb} = 25$ °C.

Fig.6 Transition frequency as a function of collector current; typical values.

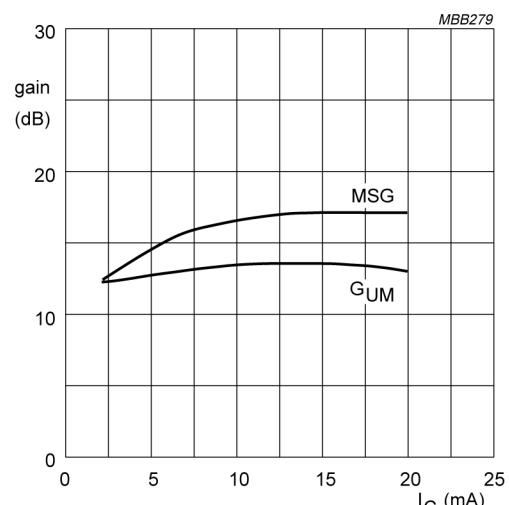


$V_{CE} = 10$ V; $f = 500$ MHz.

MSG = maximum stable gain;

GUM = maximum unilateral power gain.

Fig.7 Gain as a function of collector current; typical values.

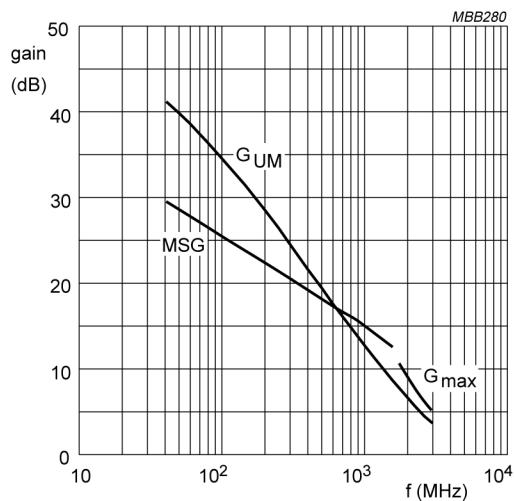


$V_{CE} = 10$ V; $f = 1$ GHz.

MSG = maximum stable gain;

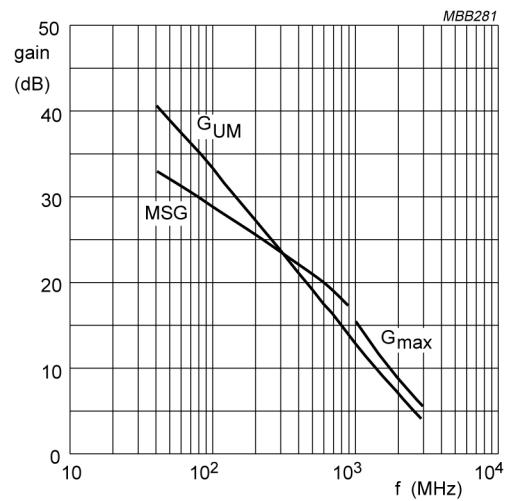
GUM = maximum unilateral power gain.

Fig.8 Gain as a function of collector current; typical values.



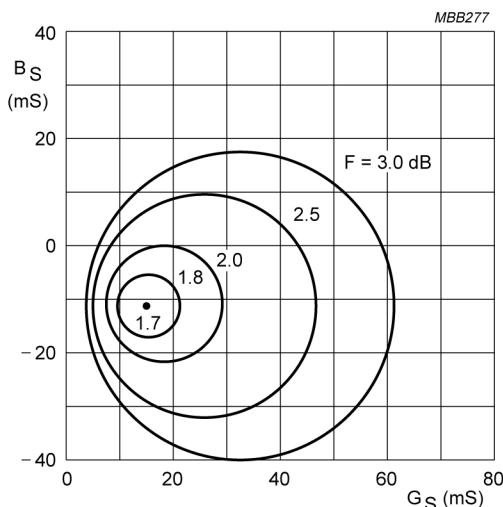
$I_C = 5$ mA; $V_{CE} = 10$ V.
 G_{UM} = maximum unilateral power gain; MSG = maximum stable gain;
 G_{max} = maximum available gain.

Fig.9 Gain as a function of frequency;
typical values.



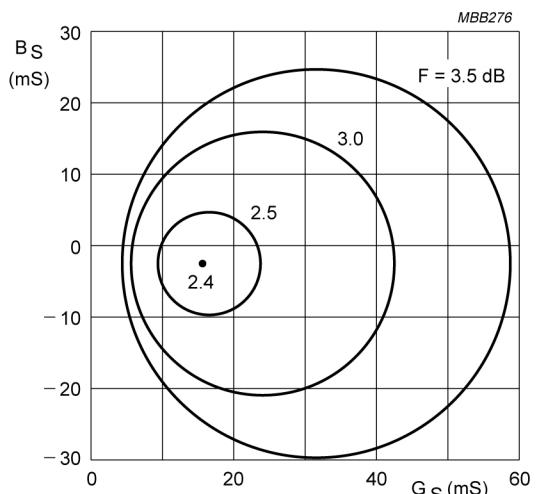
$I_C = 15$ mA; $V_{CE} = 10$ V.
 G_{UM} = maximum unilateral power gain; MSG = maximum stable gain;
 G_{max} = maximum available gain.

Fig.10 Gain as a function of frequency;
typical values.



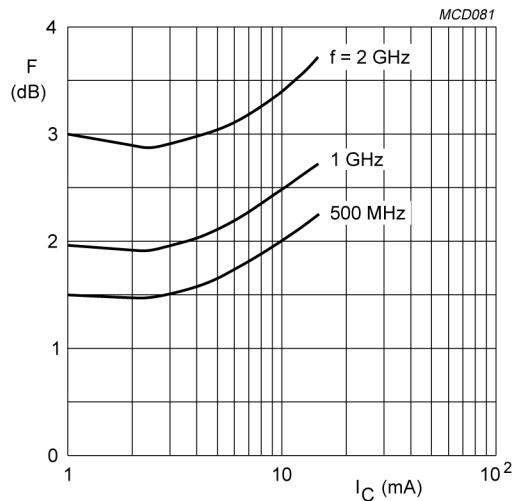
$I_C = 4$ mA; $V_{CE} = 10$ V; $f = 800$ MHz.

Fig.11 Circles of constant noise figure;
typical values.



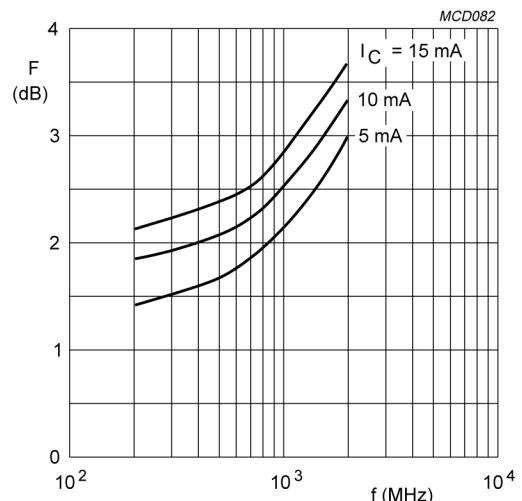
$I_C = 14$ mA; $V_{CE} = 10$ V; $f = 800$ MHz.

Fig.12 Circles of constant noise figure;
typical values.



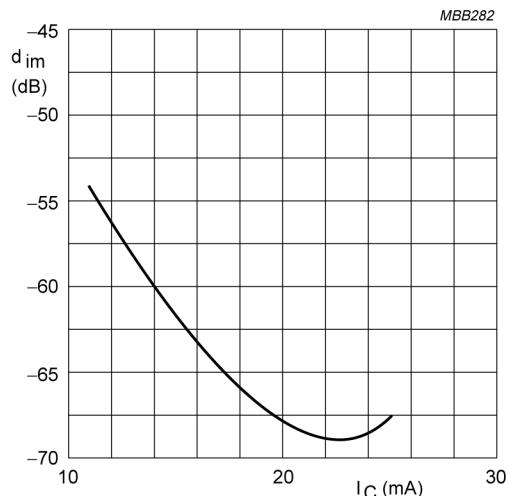
$V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}$.

Fig.13 Minimum noise figure as a function of collector current; typical values.



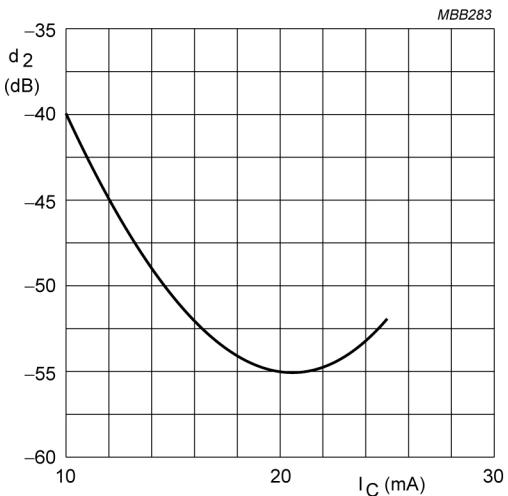
$V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}$.

Fig.14 Minimum noise figure as a function of frequency; typical values.



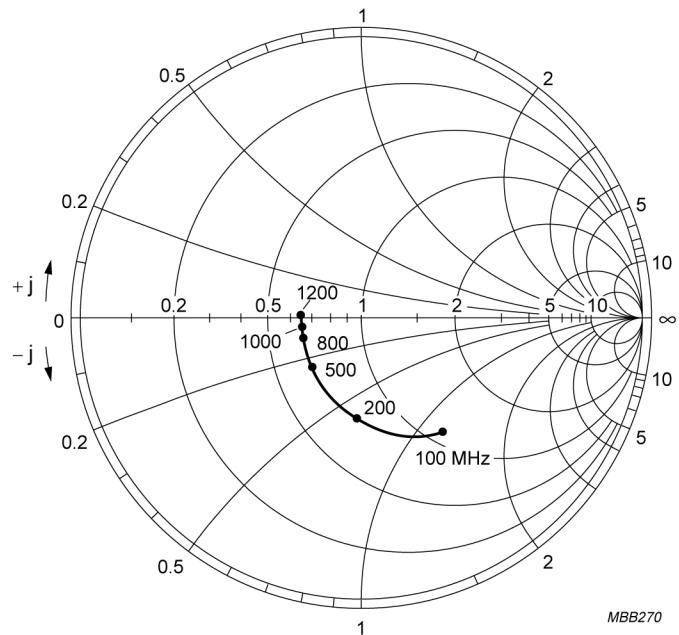
$V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}; V_O = 150 \text{ mV} (43.5 \text{ dBmV}); f_p + f_q - f_r = 793.25 \text{ MHz}; T_{amb} = 25^\circ\text{C}$.
Measured in MATV test circuit (see Fig.2).

Fig.15 Intermodulation distortion; typical values.



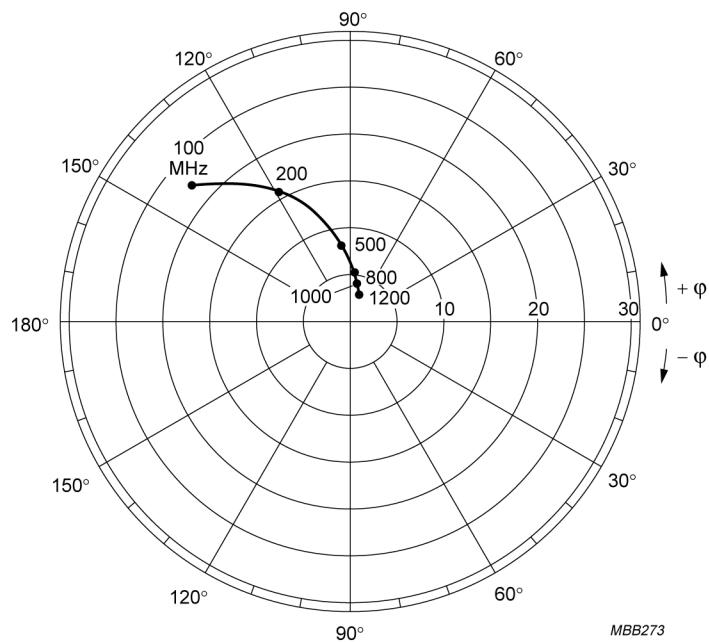
$V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}; V_O = 60 \text{ mV}; f_p + f_q - f_r = 810 \text{ MHz}; T_{amb} = 25^\circ\text{C}$.
Measured in MATV test circuit (see Fig.2).

Fig.16 Second order intermodulation distortion; typical values.



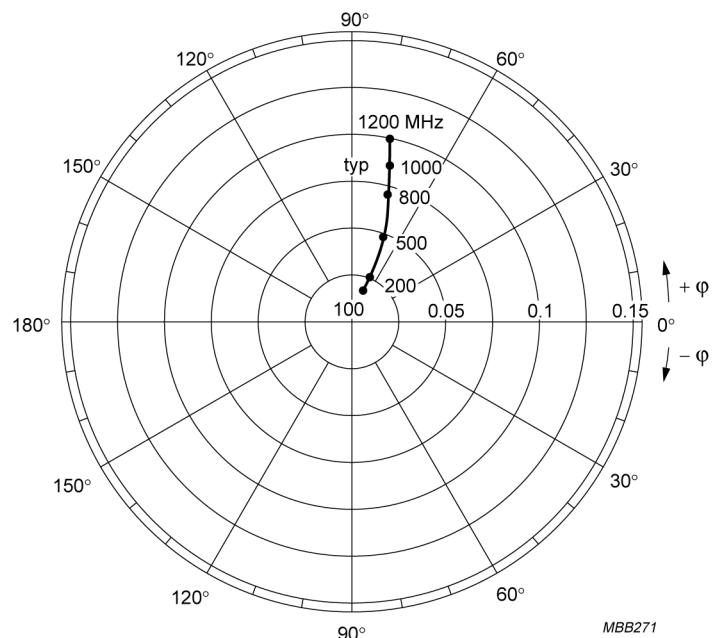
$I_C = 14 \text{ mA}$; $V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}$; $Z_0 = 50 \Omega$; $T_{amb} = 25^\circ \text{C}$.

Fig.17 Common emitter input reflection coefficient (S_{11}); typical values.



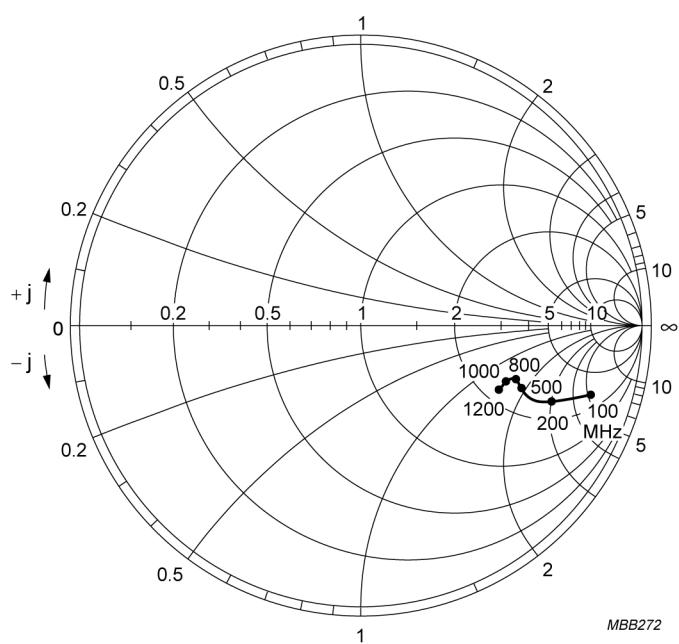
$I_C = 14 \text{ mA}$; $V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}$; $T_{amb} = 25^\circ \text{C}$.

Fig.18 Common emitter forward transmission coefficient (S_{21}); typical values.



$I_C = 14 \text{ mA}$; $V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}$; $T_{amb} = 25^\circ\text{C}$.

Fig.19 Common emitter reverse transmission coefficient (S_{12}); typical values.



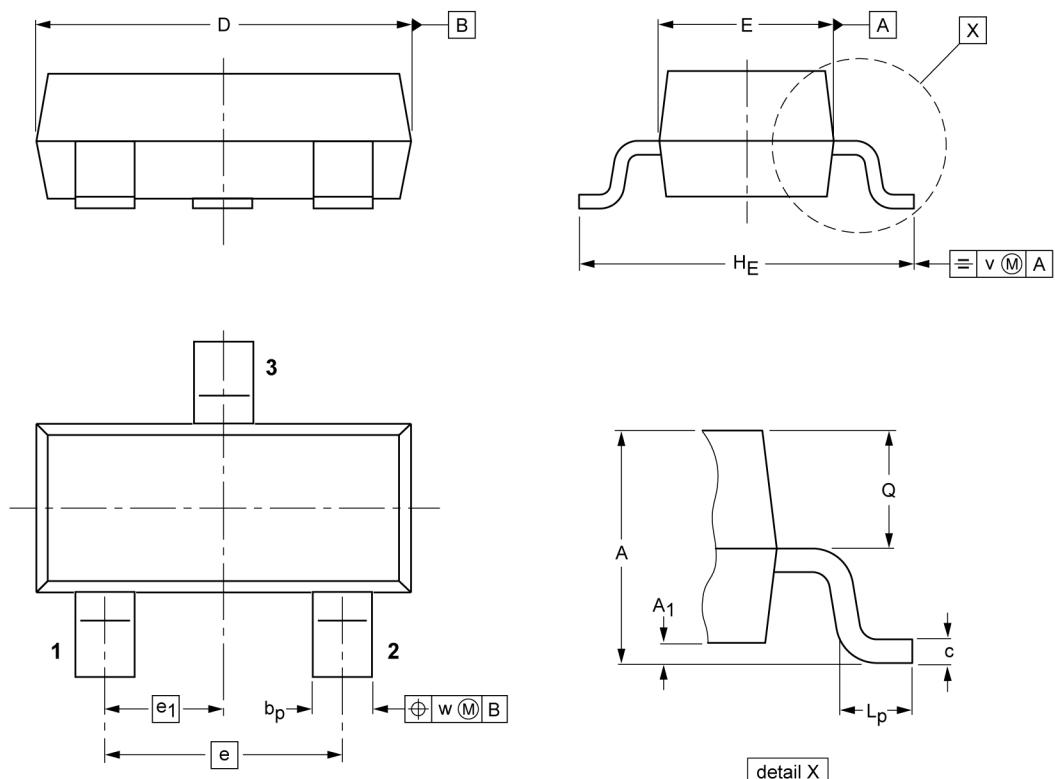
$I_C = 14 \text{ mA}$; $V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}$; $Z_0 = 50 \Omega$; $T_{amb} = 25^\circ\text{C}$.

Fig.20 Common emitter output reflection coefficient (S_{22}); typical values.

PACKAGE OUTLINE

Plastic surface mounted package; 3 leads

SOT23



0 1 2 mm
scale

DIMENSIONS (mm are the original dimensions)

| UNIT | A | A_1 max. | b_p | c | D | E | e | e_1 | H_E | L_p | Q | v | w |
|------|------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|------------|------------|-----|-------|------------|--------------|--------------|-----|-----|
| mm | 1.1 0.9 | 0.1 | 0.48 0.38 | 0.15 0.09 | 3.0 2.8 | 1.4 1.2 | 1.9 | 0.95 | 2.5 2.1 | 0.45 0.15 | 0.55 0.45 | 0.2 | 0.1 |

| OUTLINE VERSION | REFERENCES | | | | EUROPEAN PROJECTION | ISSUE DATE |
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| SOT23 | | | | | | 97-02-28 |