



PBHV9540X

400 V, 0.5 A PNP high-voltage low V_{CEsat} transistor

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Product data sheet

1. General description

PNP high-voltage low V_{CEsat} transistor in a SOT89 (SC-62) medium power and flat lead Surface-Mounted Device (SMD) plastic package.

NPN complement: PBHV8540X

2. Features and benefits

- High voltage
- Low collector-emitter saturation voltage V_{CEsat}
- High collector current capability I_C and I_{CM}
- High collector current gain h_{FE} at high I_C

3. Applications

- Electronic ballast for fluorescent lighting
- LED driver for LED chain module
- LCD backlighting
- High Intensity Discharge (HID) front lighting
- Hook switch for wired telecom
- Switch Mode Power Supply (SMPS)

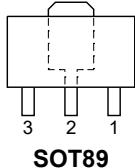
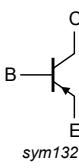
4. Quick reference data

Table 1. Quick reference data

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
V_{CEO}	collector-emitter voltage	open base	-	-	-400	V
I_C	collector current		-	-	-0.5	A
I_{CM}	peak collector current	single pulse; $t_p \leq 1$ ms	-	-	-1	A
h_{FE}	DC current gain	$V_{CE} = -5$ V; $I_C = -20$ mA; $T_{amb} = 25$ °C	140	-	450	
R_{CEsat}	collector-emitter saturation resistance	$I_C = -200$ mA; $I_B = -40$ mA; pulsed; $t_p = 300$ µs; $\delta \leq 0.02$; $T_{amb} = 25$ °C	-	-	2000	mΩ

5. Pinning information

Table 2. Pinning information

Pin	Symbol	Description	Simplified outline	Graphic symbol
1	E	emitter		
2	C	collector		
3	B	base		

6. Ordering information

Table 3. Ordering information

Type number	Package			Version
	Name	Description		
PBVH9540X	SOT89	plastic, surface-mounted package; 3 leads; 1.5 mm pitch; 4.5 mm x 2.5 mm x 1.5 mm body		SOT89

7. Marking

Table 4. Marking codes

Type number	Marking code ^[1]
PBVH9540X	%4H

[1] % = placeholder for manufacturing site code

8. Limiting values

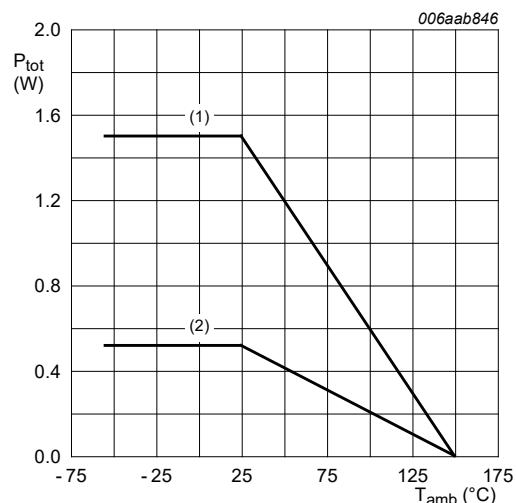
Table 5. Limiting values

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

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Max	Unit	
V_{CBO}	collector-base voltage	open emitter	-	-400	V	
V_{CEO}	collector-emitter voltage	open base	-	-400	V	
V_{CESM}	collector-emitter peak voltage	$V_{BE} = 0$ V	-	-400	V	
V_{EBO}	emitter-base voltage	open collector	-	-7	V	
I_C	collector current		-	-0.5	A	
I_{CM}	peak collector current	single pulse; $t_p \leq 1$ ms	-	-1	A	
I_B	base current		-	-250	mA	
P_{tot}	total power dissipation	$T_{amb} \leq 25$ °C	[1]	-	0.52	W
			[2]	-	1.5	W
T_j	junction temperature		-	150	°C	
T_{amb}	ambient temperature		-55	150	°C	
T_{stg}	storage temperature		-65	150	°C	

[1] Device mounted on an FR4 PCB, single-sided copper, tin-plated and standard footprint.

[2] Device mounted on an FR4 PCB, single-sided copper, tin-plated, mounting pad for collector 6 cm².



(1) FR4 PCB, mounting pad for collector 6 cm^2

(2) FR4 PCB, standard footprint

Fig. 1. Power derating curves

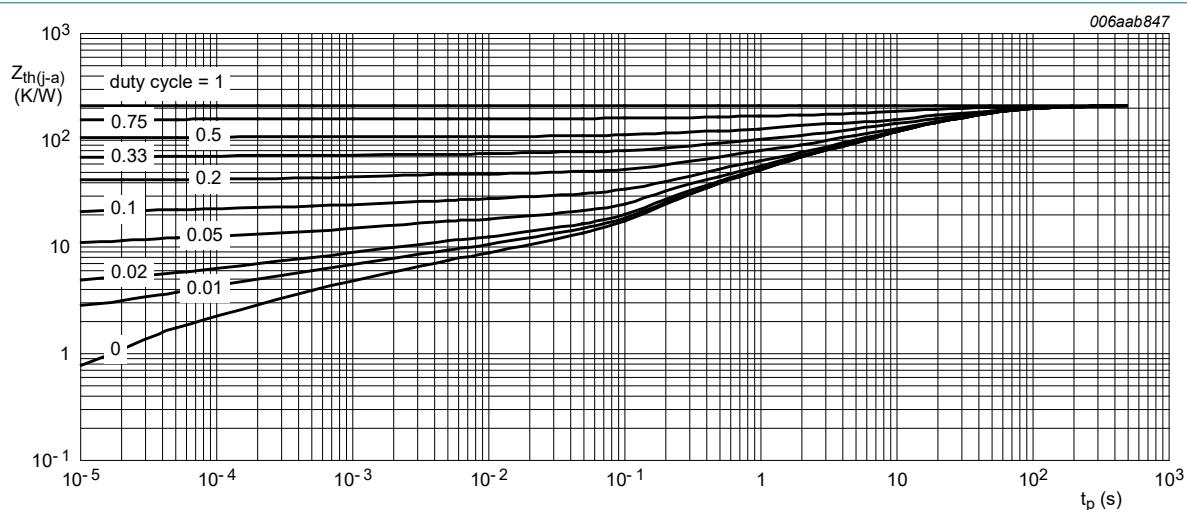
9. Thermal characteristics

Table 6. Thermal characteristics

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions		Min	Typ	Max	Unit
$R_{th(j-a)}$	thermal resistance from junction to ambient	in free air	[1]	-	-	240	K/W
			[2]	-	-	83	K/W
$R_{th(j-sp)}$	thermal resistance from junction to solder point			-	20	-	K/W

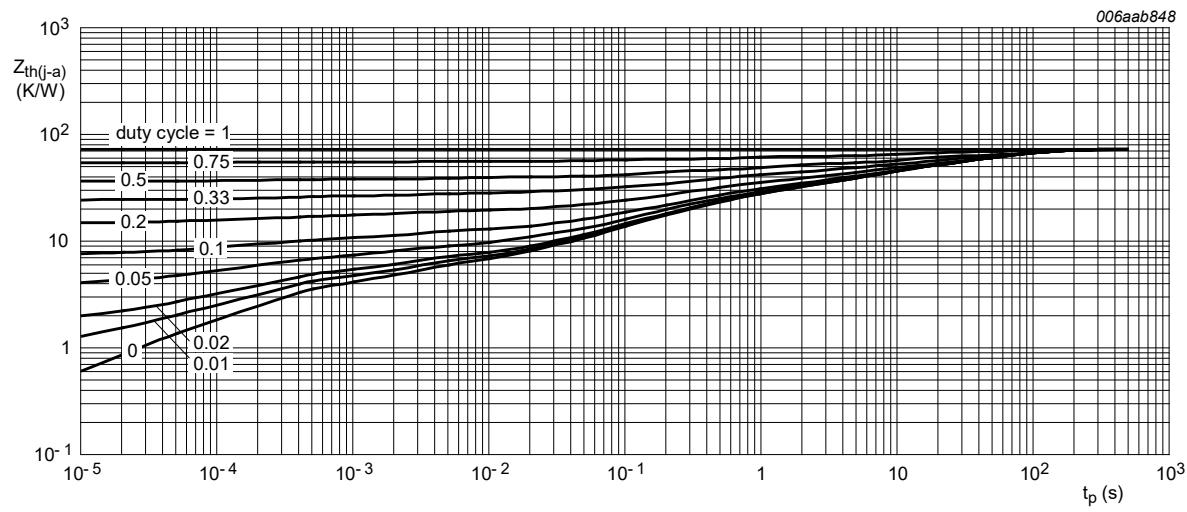
[1] Device mounted on an FR4 PCB, single-sided copper, tin-plated and standard footprint.

[2] Device mounted on an FR4 PCB, single-sided copper, tin-plated, mounting pad for collector 6 cm².



FR4 PCB, standard footprint

Fig. 2. Transient thermal impedance from junction to ambient as a function of pulse duration; typical values



FR4 PCB, mounting pad for collector 6 cm²

Fig. 3. Transient thermal impedance from junction to ambient as a function of pulse duration; typical values

10. Characteristics

Table 7. Characteristics

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
$V_{(BR)EBO}$	emitter-base breakdown voltage	$I_E = -100 \mu A; I_C = 0 A; T_{amb} = 25^\circ C$	-7	-	-	V
I_{CBO}	collector-base cut-off current	$V_{CB} = -320 V; I_E = 0 A; T_{amb} = 25^\circ C$	-	-	-100	nA
		$V_{CB} = -320 V; I_E = 0 A; T_j = 150^\circ C$	-	-	-10	μA
I_{CES}	collector-emitter cut-off current	$V_{CE} = -320 V; V_{BE} = 0 V; T_{amb} = 25^\circ C$	-	-	-100	nA
I_{EBO}	emitter-base cut-off current	$V_{EB} = -7 V; I_C = 0 A; T_{amb} = 25^\circ C$	-	-	-100	nA
h_{FE}	DC current gain	$V_{CE} = -5 V; I_C = -20 mA; T_{amb} = 25^\circ C$	140	-	450	
		$V_{CE} = -5 V; I_C = -100 mA; \text{pulsed}; t_p \leq 300 \mu s; \delta \leq 0.02; T_{amb} = 25^\circ C$	140	-	400	
V_{CEsat}	collector-emitter saturation voltage	$I_C = -100 mA; I_B = -20 mA; \text{pulsed}; t_p \leq 300 \mu s; \delta \leq 0.02; T_{amb} = 25^\circ C$	-	-	-250	mV
		$I_C = -200 mA; I_B = -40 mA; \text{pulsed}; t_p \leq 300 \mu s; \delta \leq 0.02; T_{amb} = 25^\circ C$	-	-	-400	mV
R_{CEsat}	collector-emitter saturation resistance	$I_C = -200 mA; I_B = -40 mA; \text{pulsed}; t_p = 300 \mu s; \delta \leq 0.02; T_{amb} = 25^\circ C$	-	-	2000	$m\Omega$
V_{BEsat}	base-emitter saturation voltage	$I_C = -100 mA; I_B = -10 mA; \text{pulsed}; t_p \leq 300 \mu s; \delta \leq 0.02; T_{amb} = 25^\circ C$	-	-	-0.9	V
		$I_C = -200 mA; I_B = -40 mA; \text{pulsed}; t_p \leq 300 \mu s; \delta \leq 0.02; T_{amb} = 25^\circ C$	-	-	-1	V
V_{BE}	base-emitter voltage	$V_{CE} = -10 V; I_C = -200 mA; \text{pulsed}; t_p \leq 300 \mu s; \delta \leq 0.02; T_{amb} = 25^\circ C$	-	-	-0.9	V
t_d	delay time	$V_{CC} = -6.2 V; I_C = -100 mA; I_{Bon} = -10 mA; I_{Boff} = 20 mA; T_{amb} = 25^\circ C$	-	60	-	ns
t_r	rise time		-	3650	-	ns
t_{on}	turn-on time		-	3710	-	ns
t_s	storage time		-	810	-	ns
t_f	fall time		-	900	-	ns
t_{off}	turn-off time		-	1710	-	ns
f_T	transition frequency	$V_{CE} = -5 V; I_C = -50 mA; f = 100 MHz; T_{amb} = 25^\circ C$	-	65	-	MHz
C_c	collector capacitance	$V_{CB} = -10 V; I_E = 0 A; i_e = 0 A; f = 1 MHz; T_{amb} = 25^\circ C$	-	14	-	pF
C_e	emitter capacitance	$V_{EB} = -0.5 V; I_C = 0 A; i_c = 0 A; f = 1 MHz; T_{amb} = 25^\circ C$	-	235	-	pF

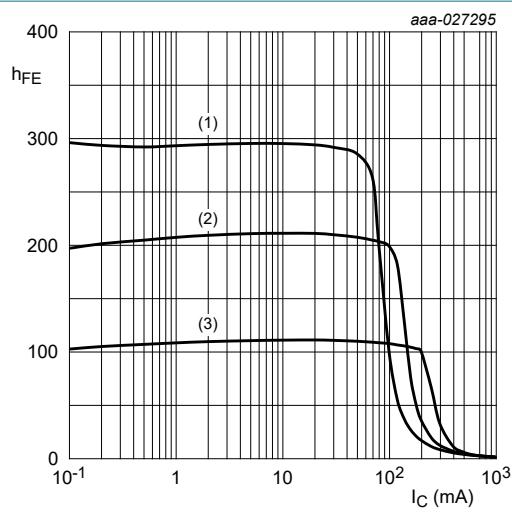


Fig. 4. DC current gain as a function of collector current; typical values

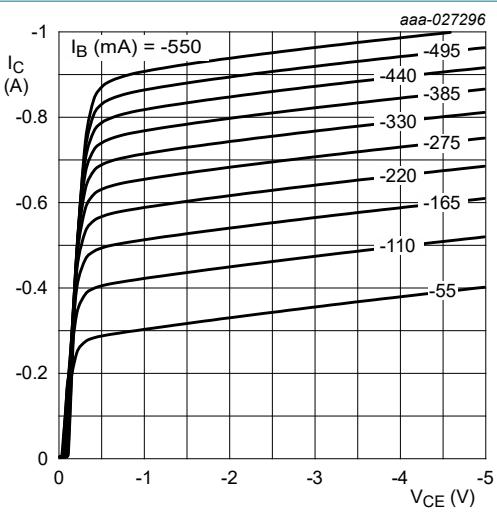


Fig. 5. Collector current as a function of collector-emitter voltage; typical values

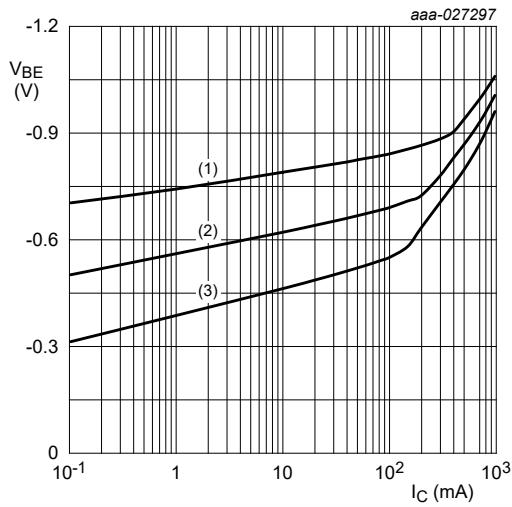


Fig. 6. Base-emitter voltage as a function of collector current; typical values

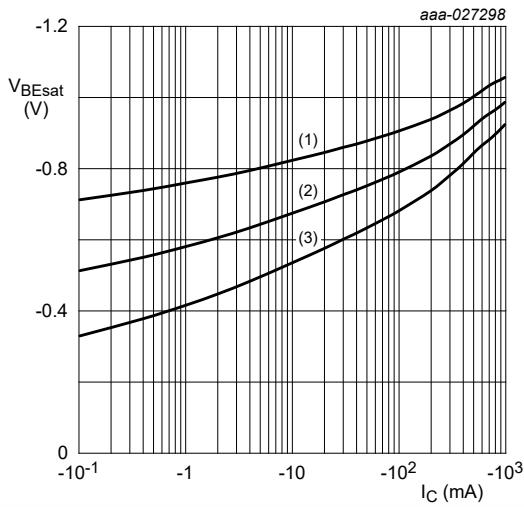
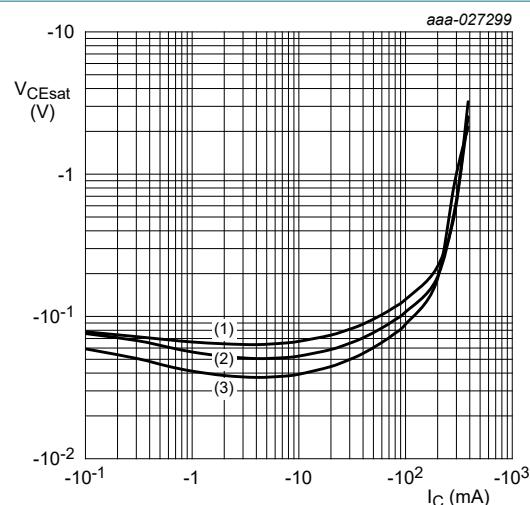
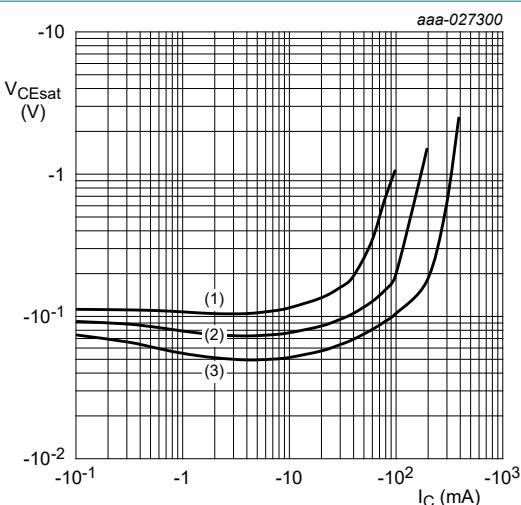


Fig. 7. Base-emitter saturation voltage as a function of collector current; typical values



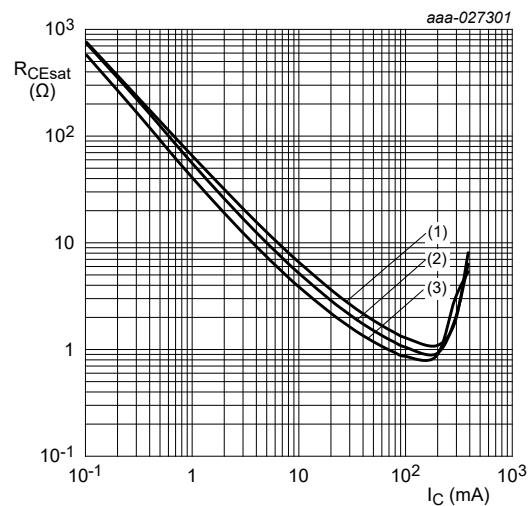
$I_C/I_B = 5$
 (1) $T_{amb} = 100 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$
 (2) $T_{amb} = 25 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$
 (3) $T_{amb} = -55 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$

Fig. 8. Collector-emitter saturation voltage as a function of collector current; typical values



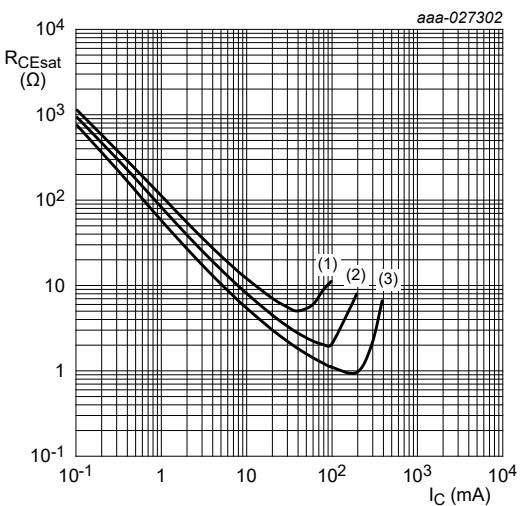
$T_{amb} = 25 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$
 (1) $I_C/I_B = 20$
 (2) $I_C/I_B = 10$
 (3) $I_C/I_B = 5$

Fig. 9. Collector-emitter saturation voltage as a function of collector current; typical values



$I_C/I_B = 5$
 (1) $T_{amb} = 100 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$
 (2) $T_{amb} = 25 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$
 (3) $T_{amb} = -55 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$

Fig. 10. Collector-emitter saturation resistance as a function of collector current; typical values



$T_{amb} = 25 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$
 (1) $I_C/I_B = 20$
 (2) $I_C/I_B = 10$
 (3) $I_C/I_B = 5$

Fig. 11. Collector-emitter saturation resistance as a function of collector current; typical values

11. Test information

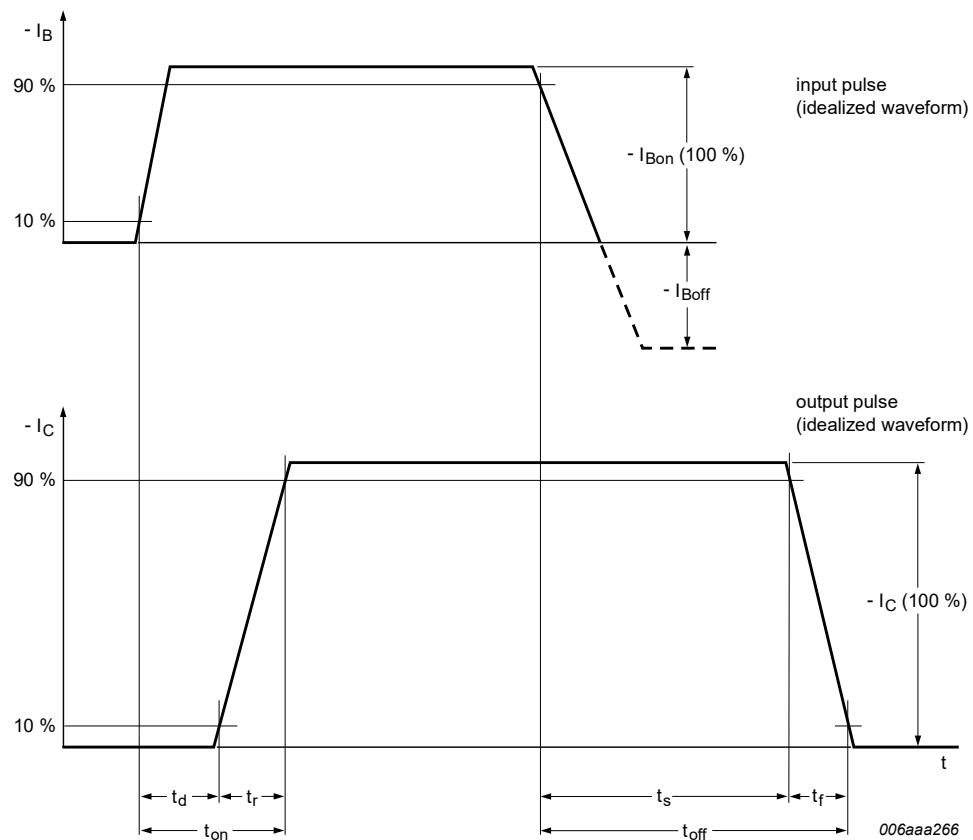


Fig. 12. Transistor switching time definition

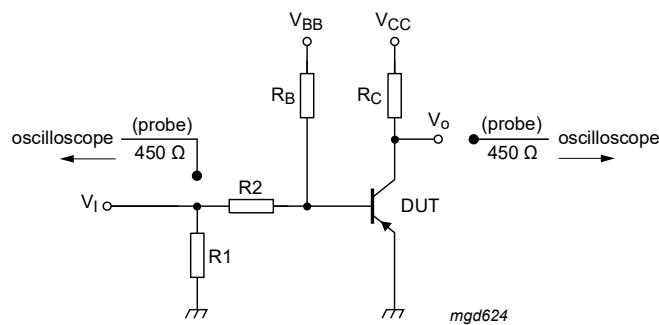


Fig. 13. Test circuit for switching times

12. Package outline

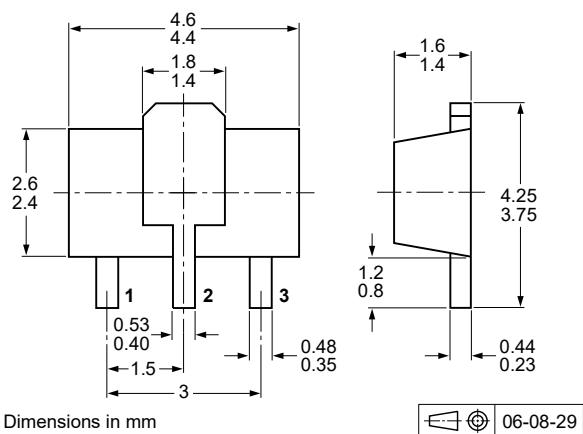


Fig. 14. Package outline SOT89

13. Soldering

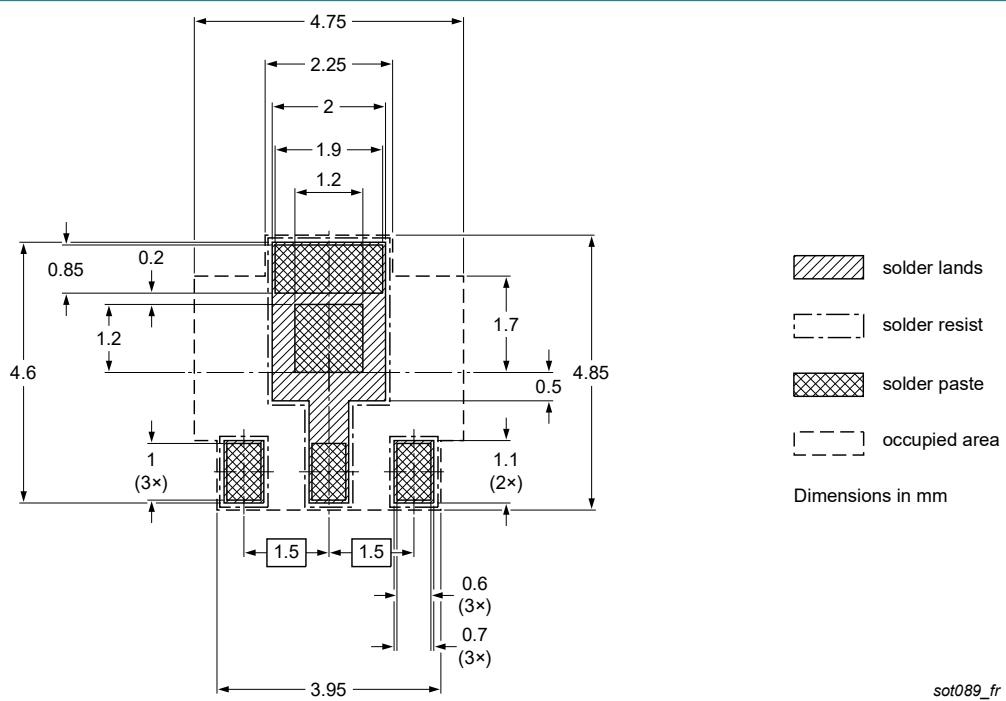


Fig. 15. Reflow soldering footprint for SOT89

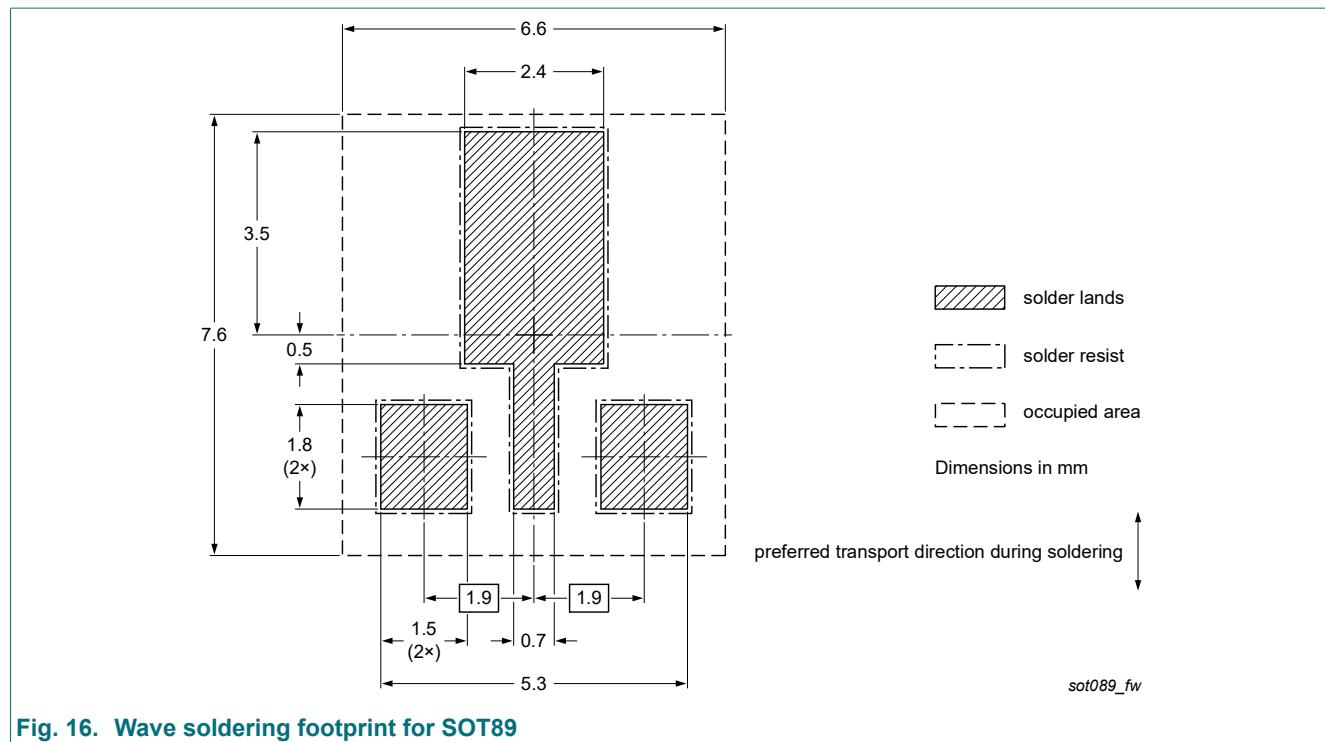


Fig. 16. Wave soldering footprint for SOT89

14. Revision history

Table 8. Revision history

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