

# BC847 series

45 V, 100 mA NPN general-purpose transistors

Rev. 9 — 23 September 2014

Product data sheet

## 1. Product profile

### 1.1 General description

NPN general-purpose transistors in Surface-Mounted Device (SMD) plastic packages.

Table 1. Product overview

Type number <sup>[1]</sup>	Package			PNP complement
	Nexperia	JEITA	JEDEC	
BC847	SOT23	-	TO-236AB	BC857
BC847A				BC857A
BC847B				BC857B
BC847C				BC857C
BC847W	SOT323	SC-70	-	BC857W
BC847AW				BC857AW
BC847BW				BC857BW
BC847CW				BC857CW
BC847T	SOT416	SC-75	-	BC857T
BC847AT				BC857AT
BC847BT				BC857BT
BC847CT				BC857CT
BC847AM	SOT883	SC-101	-	BC857AM
BC847BM				BC857BM
BC847CM				BC857CM

[1] Valid for all available selection groups.

### 1.2 Features and benefits

- General-purpose transistors
- SMD plastic packages
- Three different gain selections
- AEC-Q101 qualified

### 1.3 Applications

- General-purpose switching and amplification

## 1.4 Quick reference data

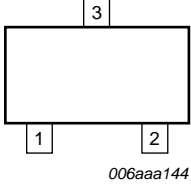
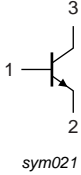
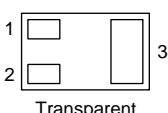
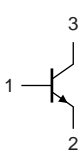
Table 2. Quick reference data

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit	
$V_{CE0}$	collector-emitter voltage	open base	-	-	45	V	
$I_C$	collector current		-	-	100	mA	
$h_{FE}$	DC current gain	$V_{CE} = 5\text{ V}; I_C = 2\text{ mA}$	[1]	110	-	800	
	$h_{FE}$ group A		110	180	220		
	$h_{FE}$ group B		200	290	450		
	$h_{FE}$ group C		420	520	800		

[1]  $T_{amb} = 25\text{ °C}$  unless otherwise specified

## 2. Pinning information

Table 3. Pinning

Pin	Description	Simplified outline	Graphic symbol
<b>SOT23, SOT323, SOT416</b>			
1	base	 006aaa144	 sym021
2	emitter		
3	collector		
<b>SOT883</b>			
1	base	 Transparent top view	 sym021
2	emitter		
3	collector		

### 3. Ordering information

Table 4. Ordering information

Type number <sup>[1]</sup>	Package		
	Name	Description	Version
BC847	-	plastic surface-mounted package; 3 leads	SOT23
BC847A			
BC847B			
BC847C			
BC847W	SC-70	plastic surface-mounted package; 3 leads	SOT323
BC847AW			
BC847BW			
BC847CW			
BC847T	SC-75	plastic surface-mounted package; 3 leads	SOT416
BC847AT			
BC847BT			
BC847CT			
BC847AM	SC-101	leadless ultra small plastic package; 3 solder lands; body 1.0 × 0.6 × 0.5 mm	SOT883
BC847BM			
BC847CM			

[1] Valid for all available selection groups.

### 4. Marking

Table 5. Marking codes

Type number	Marking code <sup>[1]</sup>	Type number	Marking code <sup>[1]</sup>
BC847	1H*	BC847T	1N
BC847A	1E*	BC847AT	1E
BC847B	1F*	BC847BT	1F
BC847C	1G*	BC847CT	1G
BC847W	1H*	BC847AM	D4
BC847AW	1E*	BC847BM	D5
BC847BW	1F*	BC847CM	D6
BC847CW	1G*		

[1] \* = placeholder for manufacturing site code

## 5. Limiting values

**Table 6. 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	-	50	V
$V_{CEO}$	collector-emitter voltage	open base	-	45	V
$V_{EBO}$	emitter-base voltage	open collector	-	6	V
$I_C$	collector current		-	100	mA
$I_{CM}$	peak collector current	single pulse; $t_p \leq 1$ ms	-	200	mA
$I_{BM}$	peak base current	single pulse; $t_p \leq 1$ ms	-	100	mA
$P_{tot}$	total power dissipation	$T_{amb} \leq 25$ °C	[1]		
	SOT23		-	250	mW
	SOT323		-	200	mW
	SOT416		-	150	mW
	SOT883		[2]	250	mW
$T_j$	junction temperature		-	150	°C
$T_{amb}$	ambient temperature		-65	+150	°C
$T_{stg}$	storage temperature		-65	+150	°C

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

[2] Device mounted on an FR4 PCB with 60  $\mu$ m copper strip line, standard footprint.

## 6. Thermal characteristics

**Table 7. Thermal characteristics**

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
$R_{th(j-a)}$	thermal resistance from junction to ambient	in free air	[1]			
	SOT23		-	-	500	K/W
	SOT323		-	-	625	K/W
	SOT416		-	-	833	K/W
	SOT883		[2]	-	-	500

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

[2] Device mounted on an FR4 PCB with 60  $\mu$ m copper strip line, standard footprint.

## 7. Characteristics

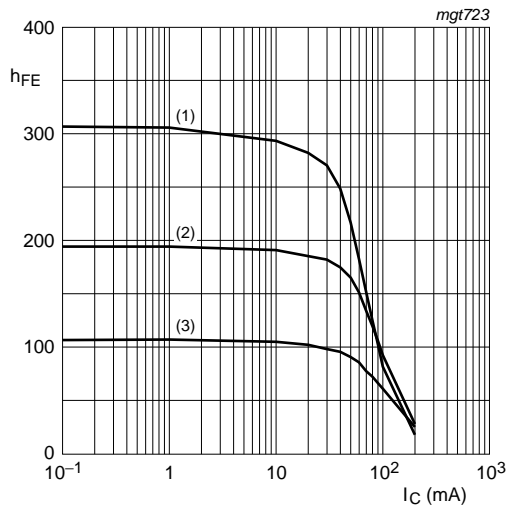
**Table 8. Characteristics**

$T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$  unless otherwise specified.

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit	
$I_{CBO}$	collector-base cut-off current	$V_{CB} = 30\text{ V}; I_E = 0\text{ A}$	-	-	15	nA	
		$V_{CB} = 30\text{ V}; I_E = 0\text{ A}; T_j = 150\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$	-	-	5	$\mu\text{A}$	
$I_{EBO}$	emitter-base cut-off current	$V_{EB} = 5\text{ V}; I_C = 0\text{ A}$	-	-	100	nA	
$h_{FE}$	DC current gain	$V_{CE} = 5\text{ V}; I_C = 10\text{ }\mu\text{A}$					
	$h_{FE}$ group A		-	170	-		
	$h_{FE}$ group B		-	280	-		
	$h_{FE}$ group C		-	420	-		
	DC current gain	$V_{CE} = 5\text{ V}; I_C = 2\text{ mA}$	110	-	800		
	$h_{FE}$ group A		110	180	220		
	$h_{FE}$ group B		200	290	450		
	$h_{FE}$ group C		420	520	800		
$V_{CEsat}$	collector-emitter saturation voltage	$I_C = 10\text{ mA}; I_B = 0.5\text{ mA}$	-	90	200	mV	
		$I_C = 100\text{ mA}; I_B = 5\text{ mA}$	[1]	200	400	mV	
$V_{BEsat}$	base-emitter saturation voltage	$I_C = 10\text{ mA}; I_B = 0.5\text{ mA}$	[2]	700	-	mV	
		$I_C = 100\text{ mA}; I_B = 5\text{ mA}$	[2]	900	-	mV	
$V_{BE}$	base-emitter voltage	$I_C = 2\text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 5\text{ V}$	[2]	580	660	700	mV
		$I_C = 10\text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 5\text{ V}$	-	-	770	mV	
$f_T$	transition frequency	$V_{CE} = 5\text{ V}; I_C = 10\text{ mA}; f = 100\text{ MHz}$	100	-	-	MHz	
$C_c$	collector capacitance	$V_{CB} = 10\text{ V}; I_E = i_e = 0\text{ A}; f = 1\text{ MHz}$	-	-	1.5	pF	
$C_e$	emitter capacitance	$V_{EB} = 0.5\text{ V}; I_C = i_c = 0\text{ A}; f = 1\text{ MHz}$	-	11	-	pF	
NF	noise figure	$I_C = 200\text{ }\mu\text{A}; V_{CE} = 5\text{ V}; R_S = 2\text{ k}\Omega; f = 1\text{ kHz}; B = 200\text{ Hz}$	-	2	10	dB	

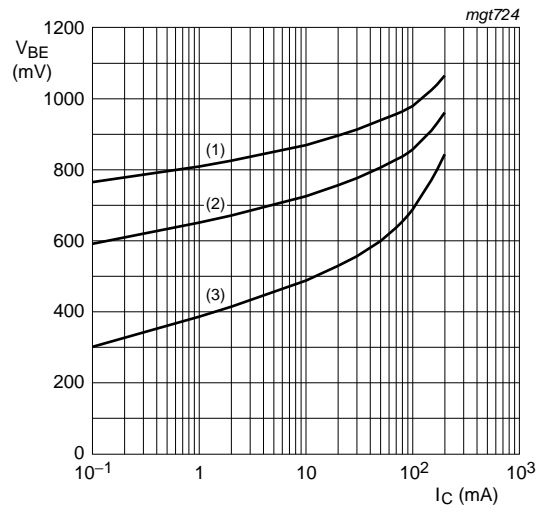
[1] Pulse test:  $t_p \leq 300\text{ }\mu\text{s}; \delta = 0.02$ .

[2]  $V_{BE}$  decreases by approximately 2 mV/K with increasing temperature.



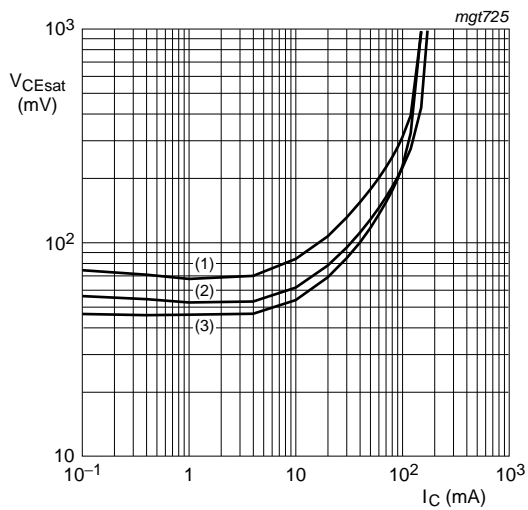
$V_{CE} = 5\text{ V}$   
 (1)  $T_{amb} = 150\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$   
 (2)  $T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$   
 (3)  $T_{amb} = -55\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$

**Fig 1. Group A: DC current gain as a function of collector current; typical values**



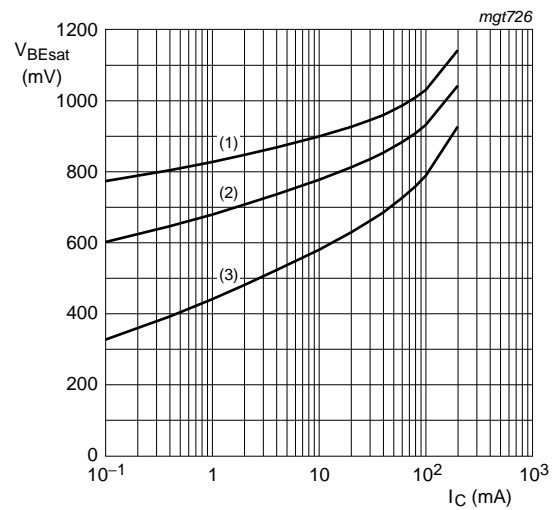
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**Fig 2. Group A: Base-emitter voltage as a function of collector current; typical values**



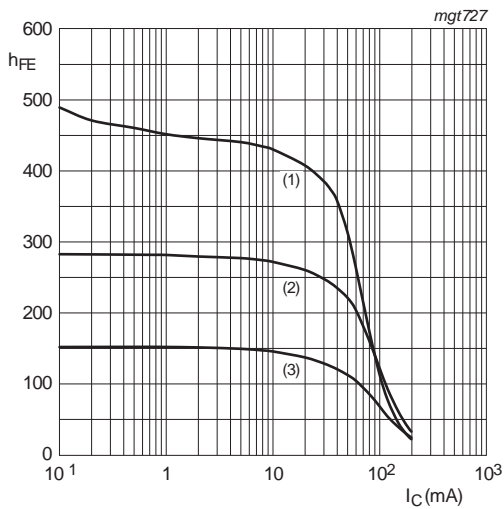
$I_C/I_B = 20$   
 (1)  $T_{amb} = 150\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$   
 (2)  $T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$   
 (3)  $T_{amb} = -55\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$

**Fig 3. Group A: Collector-emitter saturation voltage as a function of collector current; typical values**



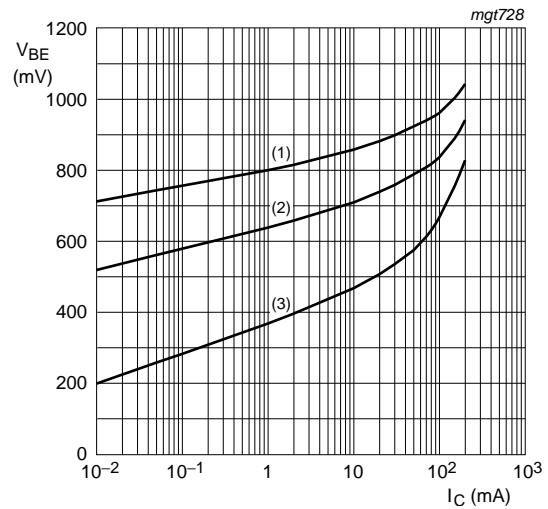
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 (2)  $T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$   
 (3)  $T_{amb} = 150\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$

**Fig 4. Group A: Base-emitter saturation voltage as a function of collector current; typical values**



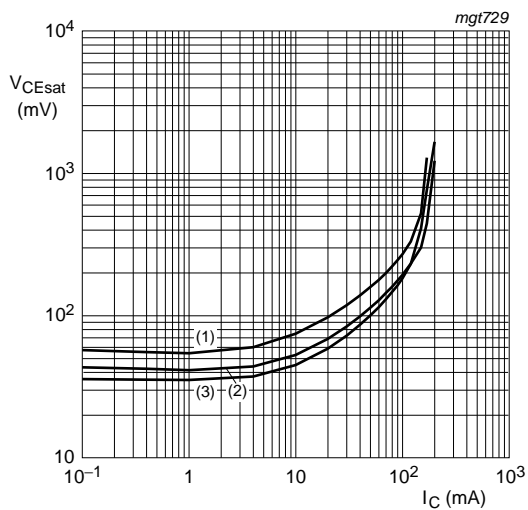
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**Fig 5. Group B: DC current gain as a function of collector current; typical values**



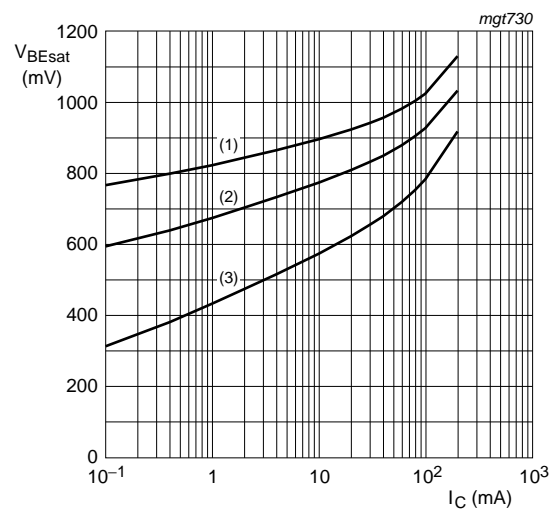
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 (1)  $T_{amb} = -55\text{ °C}$   
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**Fig 6. Group B: Base-emitter voltage as a function of collector current; typical values**



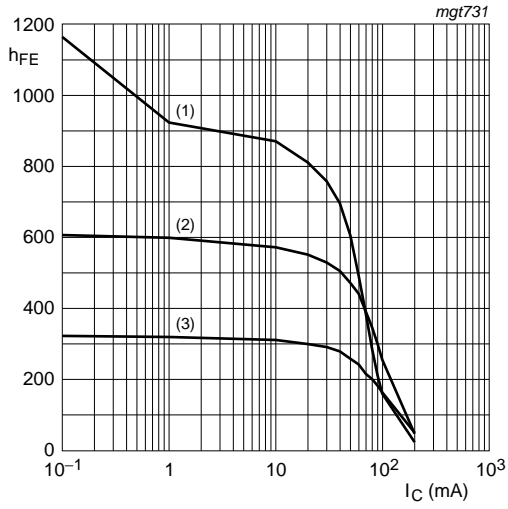
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**Fig 7. Group B: Collector-emitter saturation voltage as a function of collector current; typical values**



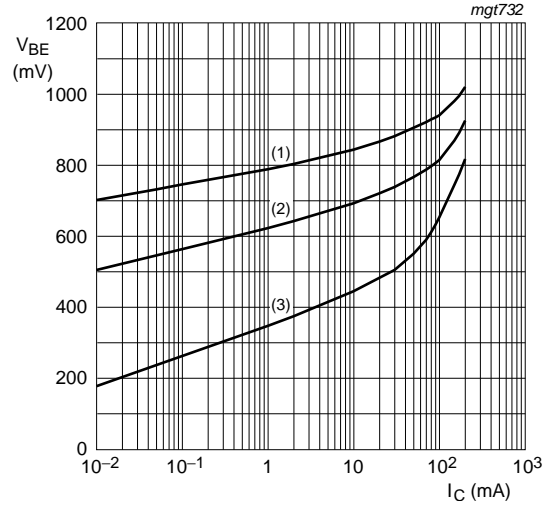
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 (1)  $T_{amb} = -55\text{ °C}$   
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**Fig 8. Group B: Base-emitter saturation voltage as a function of collector current; typical values**



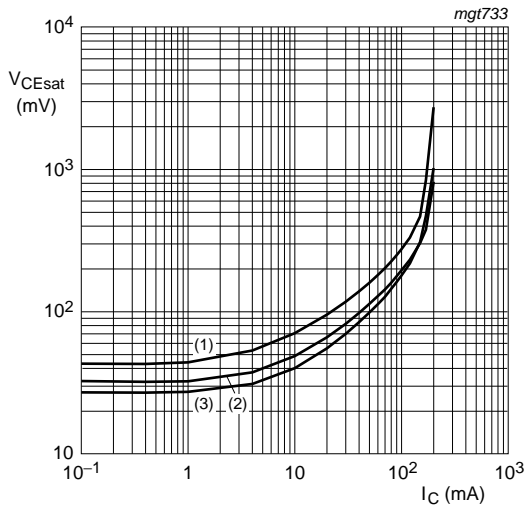
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**Fig 9. Group C: DC current gain as a function of collector current; typical values**



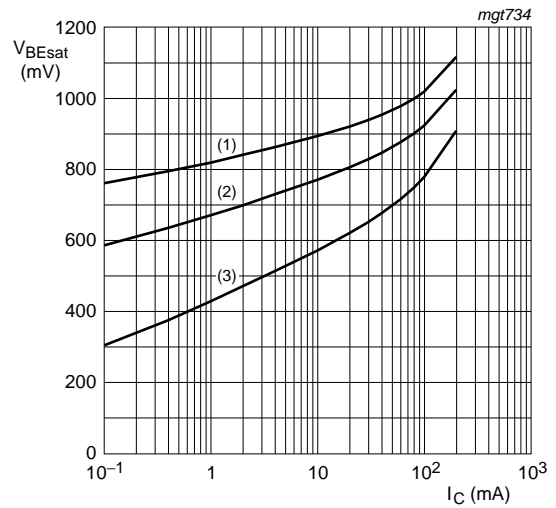
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**Fig 10. Group C: Base-emitter voltage as a function of collector current; typical values**



$I_C/I_B = 20$   
 (1)  $T_{amb} = 150\text{ °C}$   
 (2)  $T_{amb} = 25\text{ °C}$   
 (3)  $T_{amb} = -55\text{ °C}$

**Fig 11. Group C: Collector-emitter saturation voltage as a function of collector current; typical values**



$I_C/I_B = 10$   
 (1)  $T_{amb} = -55\text{ °C}$   
 (2)  $T_{amb} = 25\text{ °C}$   
 (3)  $T_{amb} = 150\text{ °C}$

**Fig 12. Group C: Base-emitter saturation voltage as a function of collector current; typical values**

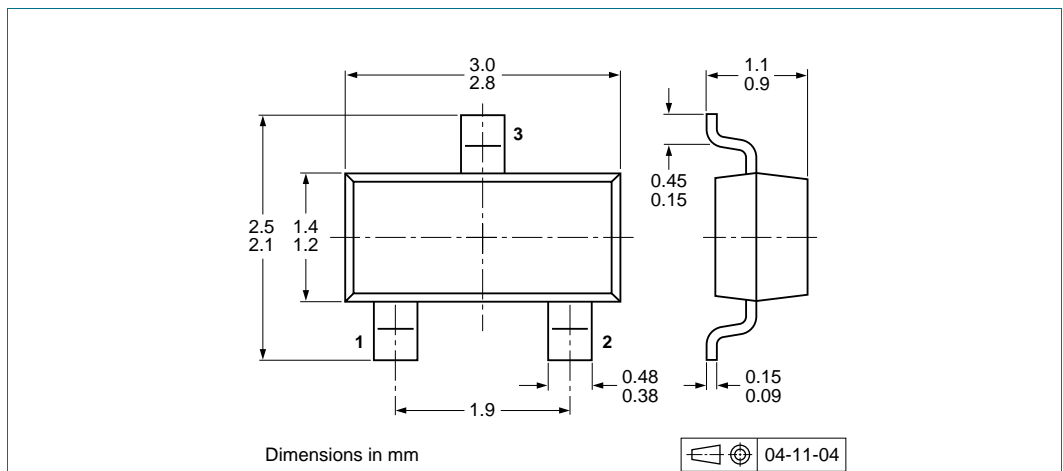


## 8. Test information

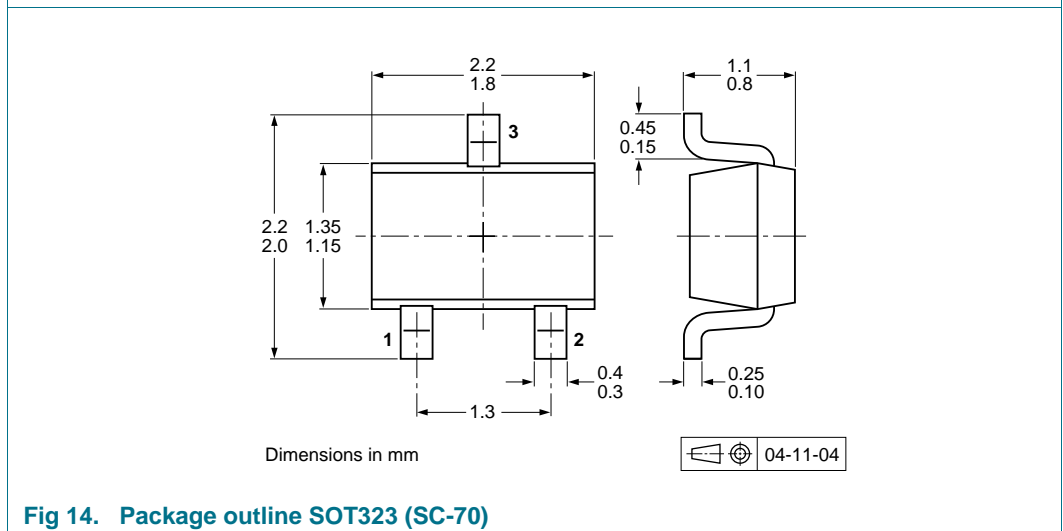
### 8.1 Quality information

This product has been qualified in accordance with the Automotive Electronics Council (AEC) standard *Q101 - Stress test qualification for discrete semiconductors*, and is suitable for use in automotive applications.

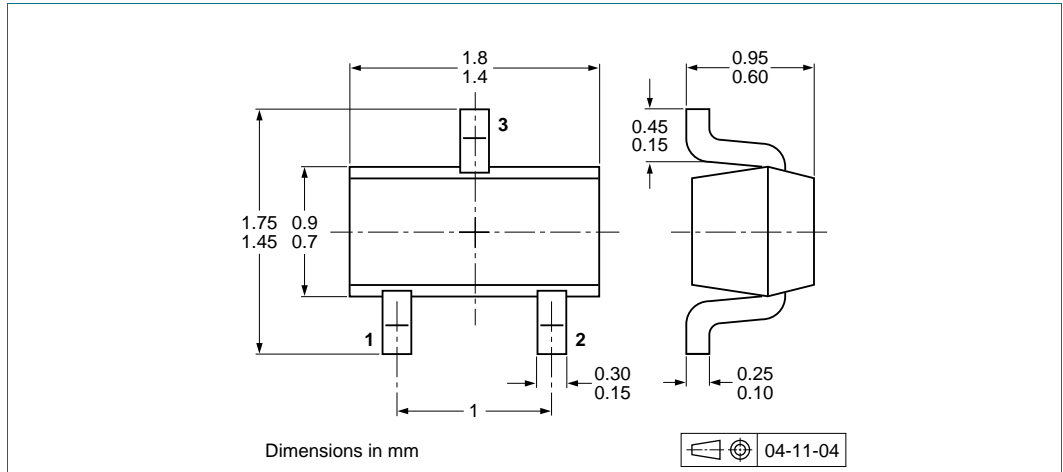
## 9. Package outline



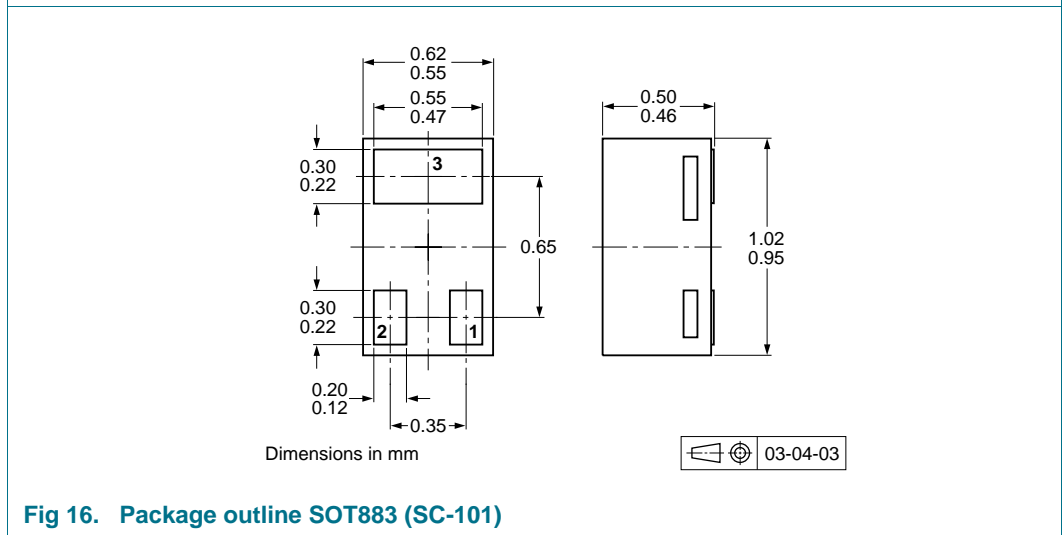
**Fig 13. Package outline SOT23 (TO-236AB)**



**Fig 14. Package outline SOT323 (SC-70)**



**Fig 15. Package outline SOT416 (SC-75)**



**Fig 16. Package outline SOT883 (SC-101)**

10. Soldering

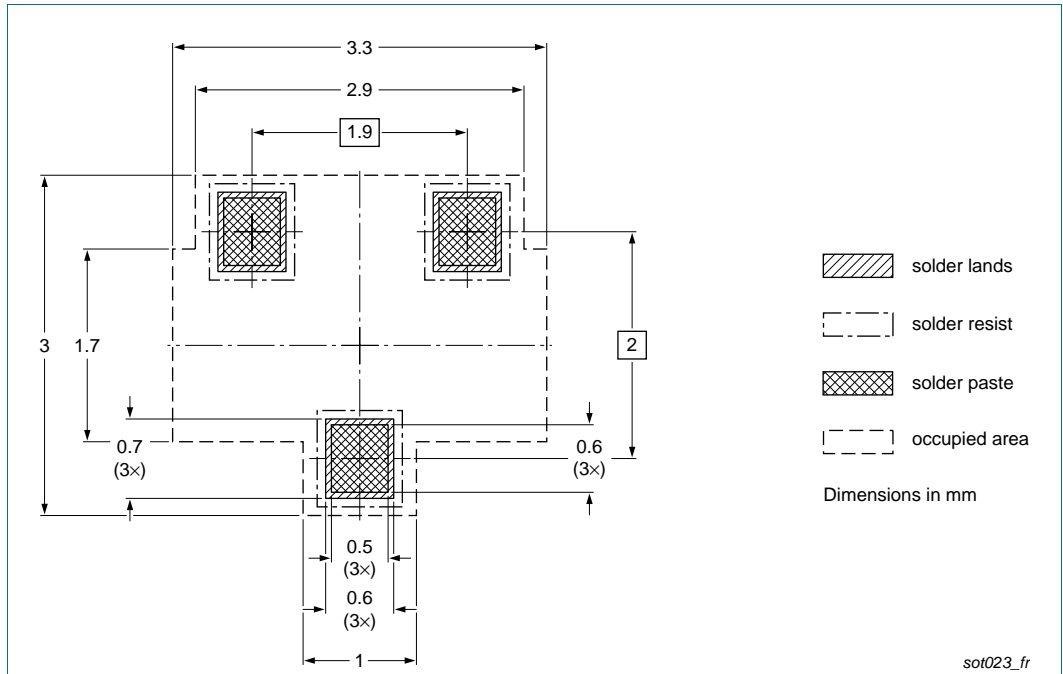


Fig 17. Reflow soldering footprint SOT23 (TO-236AB)

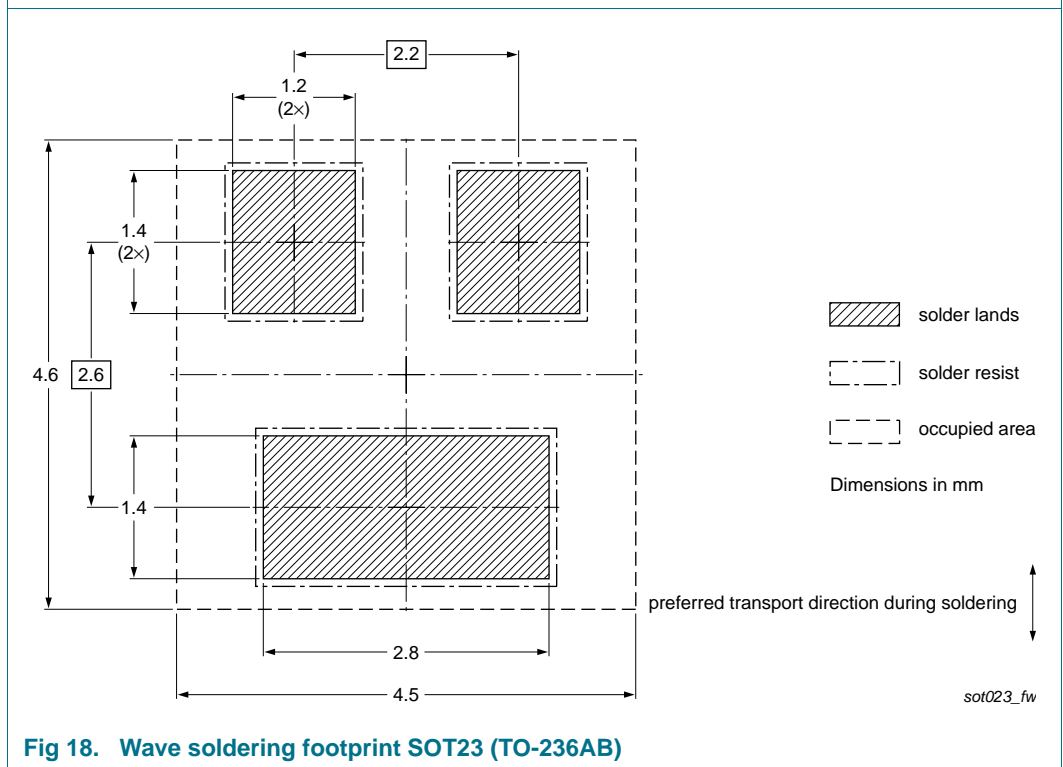
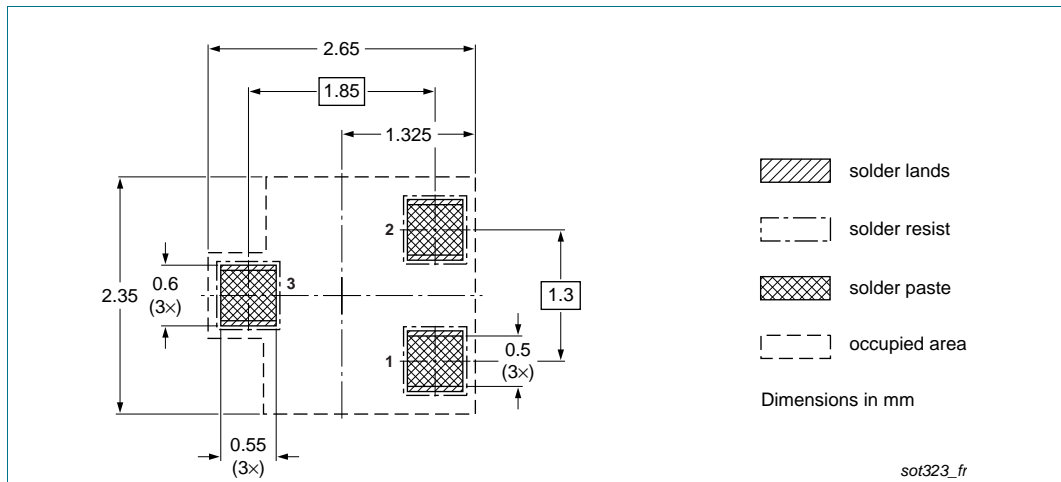
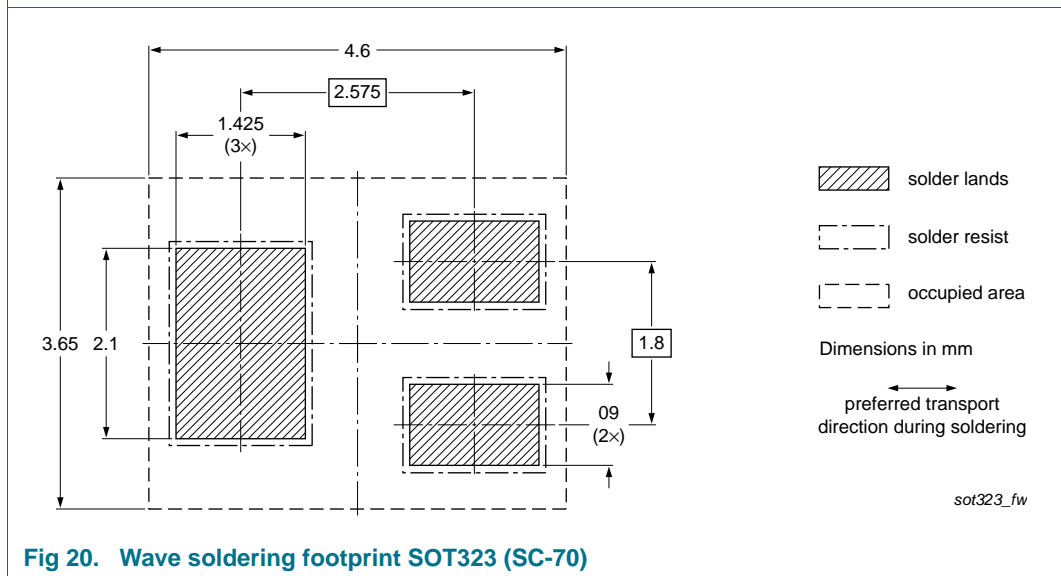


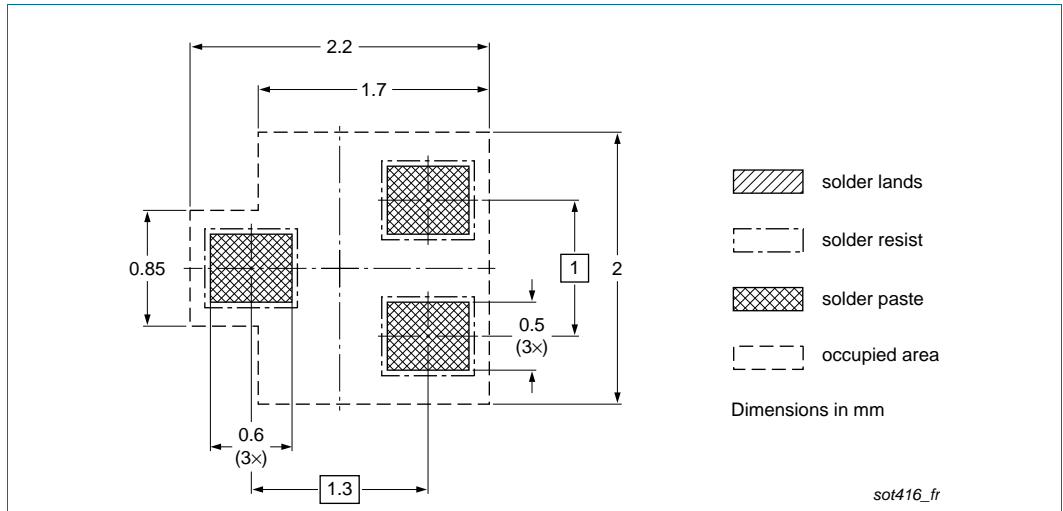
Fig 18. Wave soldering footprint SOT23 (TO-236AB)



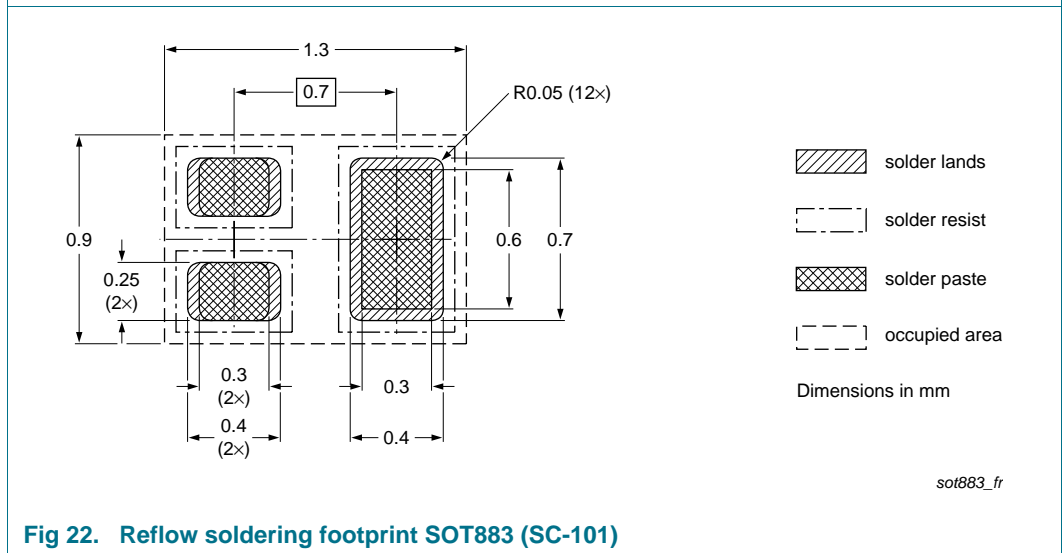
**Fig 19. Reflow soldering footprint SOT323 (SC-70)**



**Fig 20. Wave soldering footprint SOT323 (SC-70)**



**Fig 21. Reflow soldering footprint SOT416 (SC-75)**



**Fig 22. Reflow soldering footprint SOT883 (SC-101)**

## 11. Revision history

Table 9. Revision history

Document ID	Release date	Data sheet status	Change notice	Supersedes
BC847_SER v.9	20140923	Product data sheet	-	BC847_SER v.8
Modifications:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <a href="#">Section 1.2 “Features and benefits”</a>: updated</li><li>• <a href="#">Section 5 “Limiting values”</a>: updated</li><li>• <a href="#">Figure 5</a>: corrected</li><li>• <a href="#">Section 8 “Test information”</a>: added</li><li>• <a href="#">Section 12 “Legal information”</a>: updated</li></ul>			
BC847_SER v.8	20120820	Product data sheet	-	BC847_BC547_SER v.7
BC847_BC547_SER v.7	20081210	Product data sheet	-	BC847_BC547_SER v.6
BC847_BC547_SER v.6	20050519	Product data sheet	-	-

## 12. Legal information

### 12.1 Data sheet status

Document status <sup>[1][2]</sup>	Product status <sup>[3]</sup>	Definition
Objective [short] data sheet	Development	This document contains data from the objective specification for product development.
Preliminary [short] data sheet	Qualification	This document contains data from the preliminary specification.
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