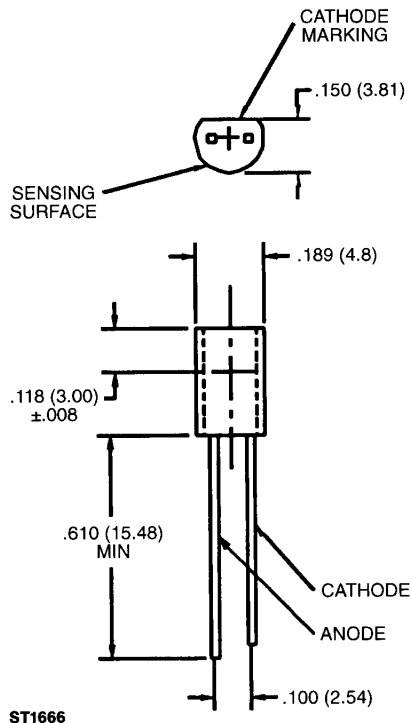


**PACKAGE DIMENSIONS**



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NOTES:  
1. DIMENSIONS ARE IN INCHES (mm).

**DESCRIPTION**

The QSE973 is a silicon PIN photodiode encapsulated in an infrared transparent, black, plastic sidelooker package.

**FEATURES**

- High sensitivity
- Low cost
- Plastic package is infrared transparent and tinted to attenuate visible light



## SIDELOOKER PIN PHOTODIODE

### ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS ( $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ Unless Otherwise Specified)

Storage Temperature .....	-40°C to +85°C
Operating Temperature .....	-40°C to +85°C
Soldering:	
Lead Temperature (Iron) .....	240°C for 5 sec. <sup>(2,3,4,5)</sup>
Lead Temperature (Flow) .....	260°C for 10 sec. <sup>(2,3,5)</sup>
Reverse Voltage .....	32 Volts
Power Dissipation .....	150 mW <sup>(1)</sup>

### ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS ( $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ Unless Otherwise Specified) (All measurements made under pulse conditions.)

PARAMETER	SYMBOL	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	UNITS	TEST CONDITIONS
Reverse Voltage	$V_R$	32	—	—	V	$I_R = 0.1 \text{ mA}$
Dark Reverse Current	$I_{R(D)}$	—	—	30	nA	$V_R = 10 \text{ V}$
Peak Sensitivity	$\lambda_{pk}$	—	930	—	nm	$V_R = 5 \text{ V}$
Reception Angle at 1/2 Power	$\theta$	—	$\pm 45$	—	Degrees	
Photosensitivity	S	30	—	—	$\mu\text{A}$	$E_e = 1.0 \text{ mW/cm}^2$ , $V_{CE} = 5\text{V}^{(6)}$
Capacitance	C	—	20	—	pf	$V_R = 3 \text{ V}$
Rise Time	$t_r$	—	50	—	nS	$V_R = 5 \text{ V}$ , $R_L = 1\text{K}\Omega$
Fall Time	$t_f$	—	50	—	nS	$V_R = 5 \text{ V}$ , $R_L = 1\text{K}\Omega$

### NOTES

1. Derate power dissipation linearly 2.50 mW/°C above 25°C.
2. RMA flux is recommended.
3. Methanol or Isopropyl alcohols are recommended as cleaning agents.
4. Soldering iron tip 1/16" (1.6 mm) from housing.
5. As long as leads are not under any stress or spring tension.
6. Light source is an GaAs LED emitting light at a peak wavelength of 940 nm.