

DATA SHEET

BFG425W

NPN 25 GHz wideband transistor

Product specification
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FEATURES

- Very high power gain
- Low noise figure
- High transition frequency
- Emitter is thermal lead
- Low feedback capacitance.

APPLICATIONS

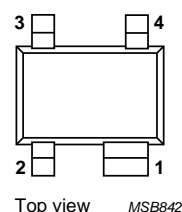
- RF front end
- Wideband applications, e.g. analog and digital cellular telephones, cordless telephones (PHS, DECT, etc.)
- Radar detectors
- Pagers
- Satellite television tuners (SATV)
- High frequency oscillators.

DESCRIPTION

NPN double polysilicon wideband transistor with buried layer for low voltage applications in a plastic, 4-pin dual-emitter SOT343R package.

PINNING

| PIN | DESCRIPTION |
|-----|-------------|
| 1 | emitter |
| 2 | base |
| 3 | emitter |
| 4 | collector |



Marking code: P5*

* = - : made in Hong Kong
 * = p : made in Hong Kong
 * = t : made in Malaysia

Fig.1 Simplified outline SOT343R.

QUICK REFERENCE DATA

| SYMBOL | PARAMETER | CONDITIONS | MIN. | TYP. | MAX. | UNIT |
|-----------|---------------------------|--|------|------|------|------|
| V_{CBO} | collector-base voltage | open emitter | — | — | 10 | V |
| V_{CEO} | collector-emitter voltage | open base | — | — | 4.5 | V |
| I_C | collector current (DC) | | — | 25 | 30 | mA |
| P_{tot} | total power dissipation | $T_s \leq 103\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ | — | — | 135 | mW |
| h_{FE} | DC current gain | $I_C = 25\text{ mA}$; $V_{CE} = 2\text{ V}$; $T_j = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ | 50 | 80 | 120 | |
| C_{re} | feedback capacitance | $I_C = 0$; $V_{CB} = 2\text{ V}$; $f = 1\text{ MHz}$ | — | 95 | — | fF |
| f_T | transition frequency | $I_C = 25\text{ mA}$; $V_{CE} = 2\text{ V}$; $f = 2\text{ GHz}$; $T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ | — | 25 | — | GHz |
| G_{max} | maximum power gain | $I_C = 25\text{ mA}$; $V_{CE} = 2\text{ V}$; $f = 2\text{ GHz}$; $T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ | — | 20 | — | dB |
| F | noise figure | $I_C = 2\text{ mA}$; $V_{CE} = 2\text{ V}$; $f = 2\text{ GHz}$; $\Gamma_S = \Gamma_{opt}$ | — | 1.2 | — | dB |

CAUTION

This product is supplied in anti-static packing to prevent damage caused by electrostatic discharge during transport and handling.

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LIMITING VALUES

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

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|-----------|--------------------------------|--|------|------|--------------------|
| V_{CBO} | collector-base voltage | open emitter | – | 10 | V |
| V_{CEO} | collector-emitter voltage | open base | – | 4.5 | V |
| V_{EBO} | emitter-base voltage | open collector | – | 1 | V |
| I_C | collector current (DC) | | – | 30 | mA |
| P_{tot} | total power dissipation | $T_s \leq 103\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$; note 1; see Fig.2 | – | 135 | mW |
| T_{stg} | storage temperature | | –65 | +150 | $^{\circ}\text{C}$ |
| T_j | operating junction temperature | | – | 150 | $^{\circ}\text{C}$ |

Note

1. T_s is the temperature at the soldering point of the emitter pins.

THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS

| SYMBOL | PARAMETER | VALUE | UNIT |
|---------------|---|-------|------|
| $R_{th\ j-s}$ | thermal resistance from junction to soldering point | 350 | K/W |

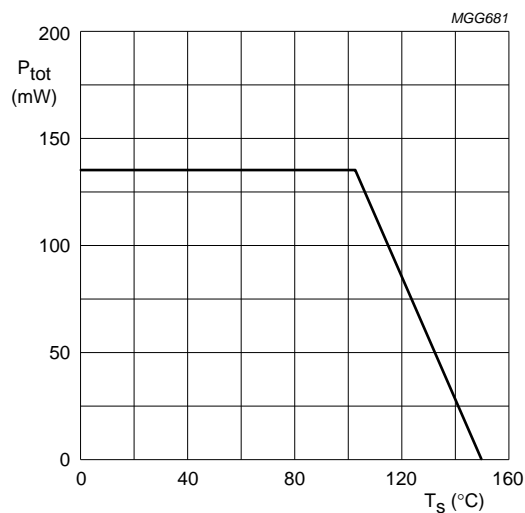


Fig.2 Power derating curve.

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

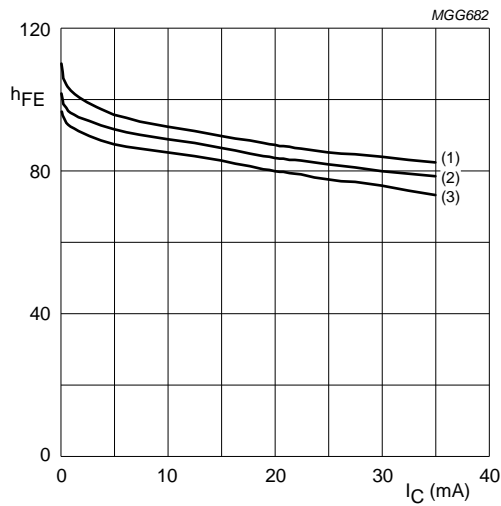
| SYMBOL | PARAMETER | CONDITIONS | MIN. | TYP. | MAX. | UNIT |
|---------------|---------------------------------------|--|------|------|------|------|
| $V_{(BR)CBO}$ | collector-base breakdown voltage | $I_C = 2.5\text{ }\mu\text{A}$; $I_E = 0$ | 10 | — | — | V |
| $V_{(BR)CEO}$ | collector-emitter breakdown voltage | $I_C = 1\text{ mA}$; $I_B = 0$ | 4.5 | — | — | V |
| $V_{(BR)EBO}$ | emitter-base breakdown voltage | $I_E = 2.5\text{ }\mu\text{A}$; $I_C = 0$ | 1 | — | — | V |
| I_{CBO} | collector-base leakage current | $I_E = 0$; $V_{CB} = 4.5\text{ V}$ | — | — | 15 | nA |
| h_{FE} | DC current gain | $I_C = 25\text{ mA}$; $V_{CE} = 2\text{ V}$; see Fig.3 | 50 | 80 | 120 | |
| C_c | collector capacitance | $I_E = i_e = 0$; $V_{CB} = 2\text{ V}$; $f = 1\text{ MHz}$ | — | 300 | — | fF |
| C_e | emitter capacitance | $I_C = i_c = 0$; $V_{EB} = 0.5\text{ V}$; $f = 1\text{ MHz}$ | — | 575 | — | fF |
| C_{re} | feedback capacitance | $I_C = 0$; $V_{CB} = 2\text{ V}$; $f = 1\text{ MHz}$; see Fig.4 | — | 95 | — | fF |
| f_T | transition frequency | $I_C = 25\text{ mA}$; $V_{CE} = 2\text{ V}$; $f = 2\text{ GHz}$; $T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$; see Fig.5 | — | 25 | — | GHz |
| G_{max} | maximum power gain; note 1 | $I_C = 25\text{ mA}$; $V_{CE} = 2\text{ V}$; $f = 2\text{ GHz}$; $T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$; see Figs 7 and 8 | — | 20 | — | dB |
| $ S_{21} ^2$ | insertion power gain | $I_C = 25\text{ mA}$; $V_{CE} = 2\text{ V}$; $f = 2\text{ GHz}$; $T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$; see Fig.8 | — | 17 | — | dB |
| F | noise figure | $I_C = 2\text{ mA}$; $V_{CE} = 2\text{ V}$; $f = 900\text{ MHz}$; $\Gamma_S = \Gamma_{opt}$; see Fig.13 | — | 0.8 | — | dB |
| | | $I_C = 2\text{ mA}$; $V_{CE} = 2\text{ V}$; $f = 2\text{ GHz}$; $\Gamma_S = \Gamma_{opt}$; see Fig.13 | — | 1.2 | — | dB |
| P_{L1} | output power at 1 dB gain compression | $I_C = 25\text{ mA}$; $V_{CE} = 2\text{ V}$; $f = 2\text{ GHz}$; $Z_S = Z_{S\text{ opt}}$; $Z_L = Z_{L\text{ opt}}$; note 2 | — | 12 | — | dBm |
| ITO | third order intercept point | $I_C = 25\text{ mA}$; $V_{CE} = 2\text{ V}$; $f = 2\text{ GHz}$; $Z_S = Z_{S\text{ opt}}$; $Z_L = Z_{L\text{ opt}}$; note 2 | — | 22 | — | dBm |

Notes

- G_{max} is the maximum power gain, if $K > 1$. If $K < 1$ then $G_{max} = \text{MSG}$; see Figs 6, 7 and 8.
- Z_S is optimized for noise; Z_L is optimized for gain.

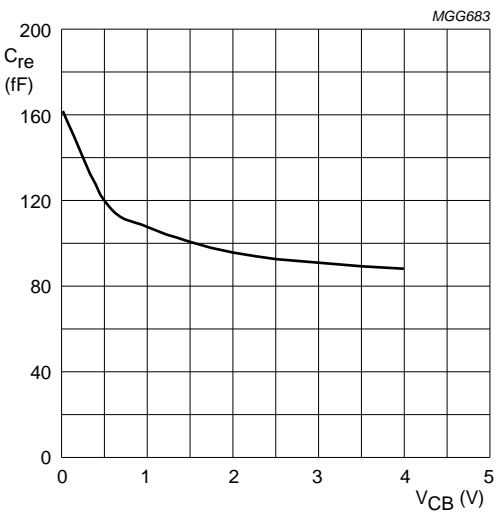
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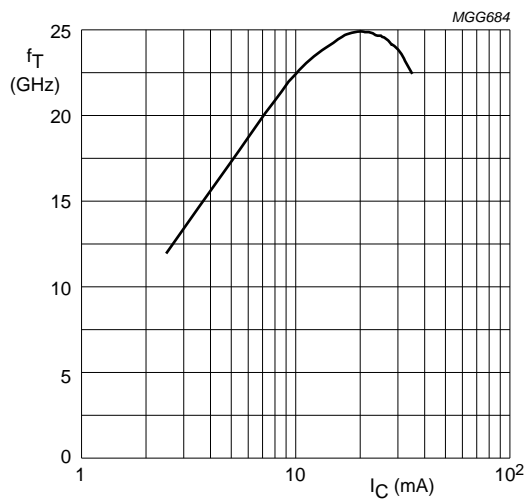
- (1) $V_{CE} = 3$ V.
- (2) $V_{CE} = 2$ V.
- (3) $V_{CE} = 1$ V.

Fig.3 DC current gain as a function of collector current; typical values.



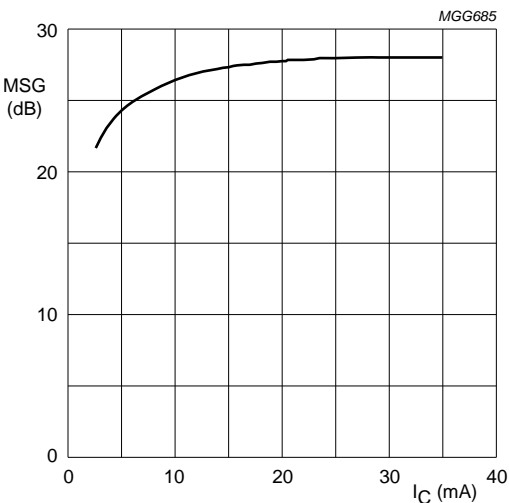
$I_C = 0$; $f = 1$ MHz.

Fig.4 Feedback capacitance as a function of collector-base voltage; typical values.



$V_{CE} = 2$ V; $f = 2$ GHz; $T_{amb} = 25$ °C.

Fig.5 Transition frequency as a function of collector current; typical values.

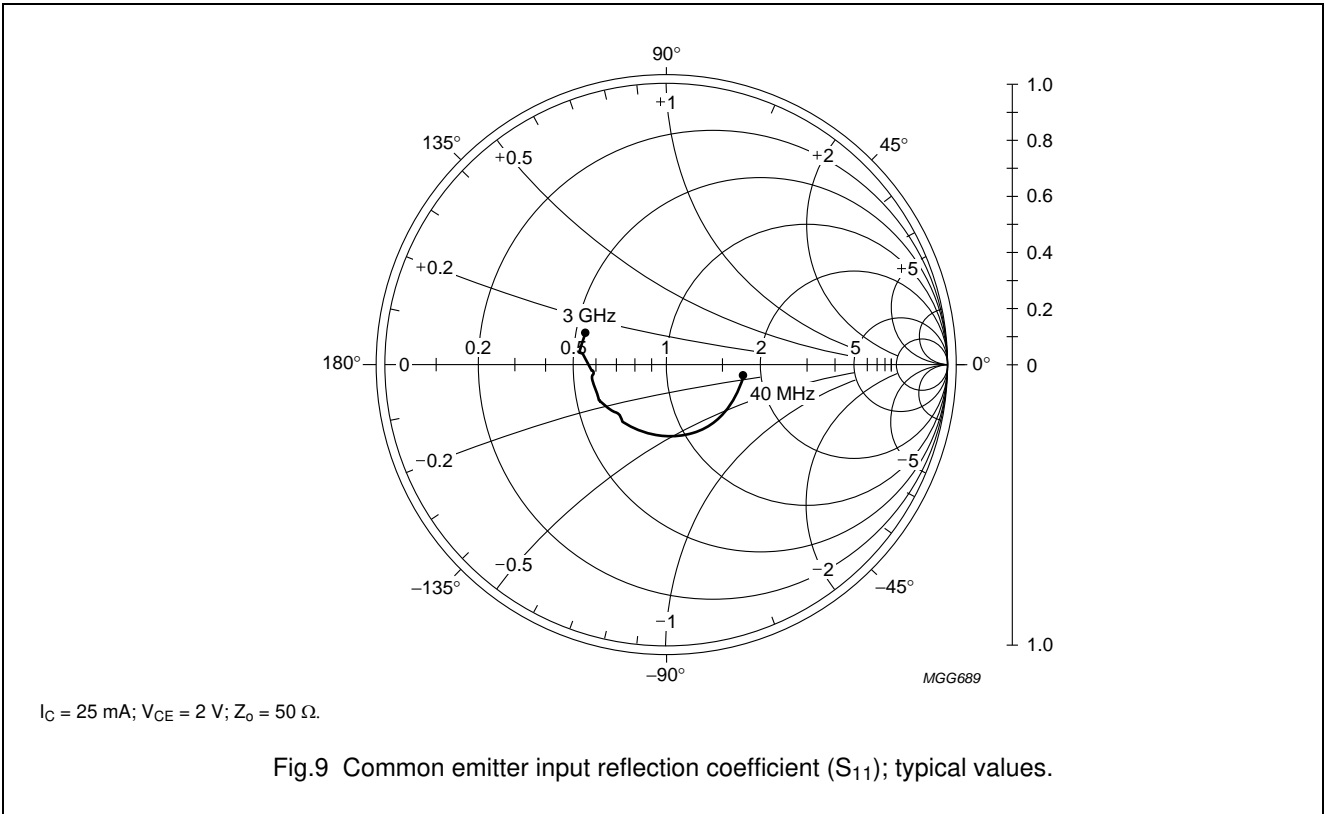
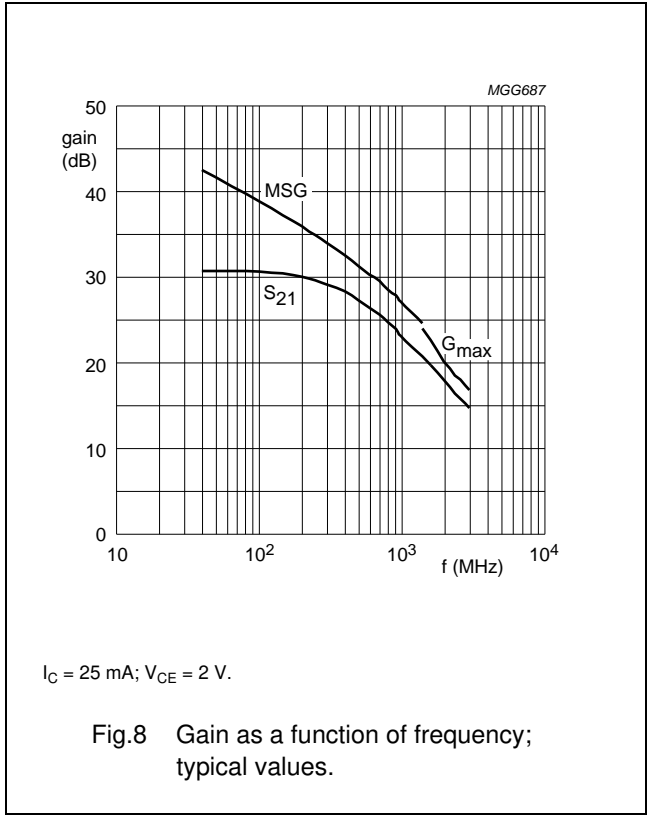
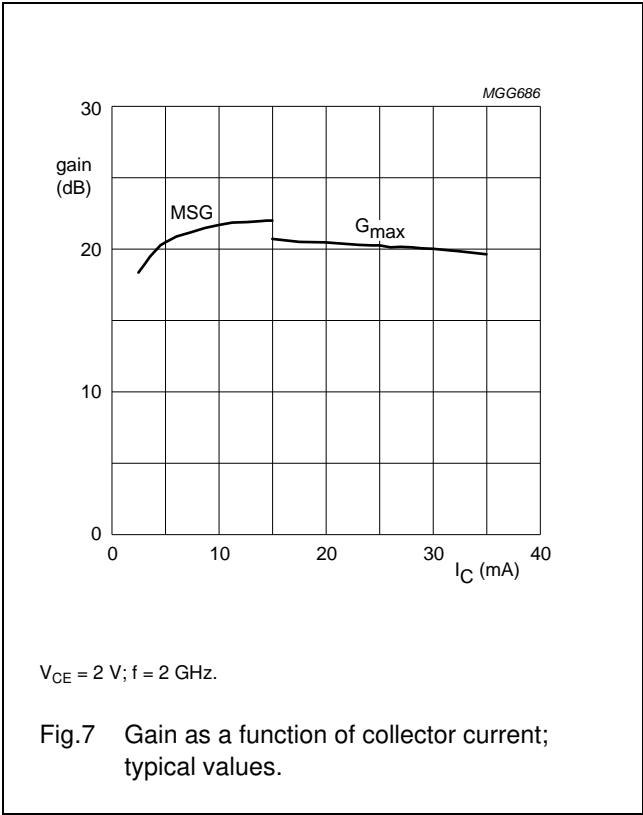


$V_{CE} = 2$ V; $f = 900$ MHz.

Fig.6 Maximum stable gain as a function of collector current; typical values.

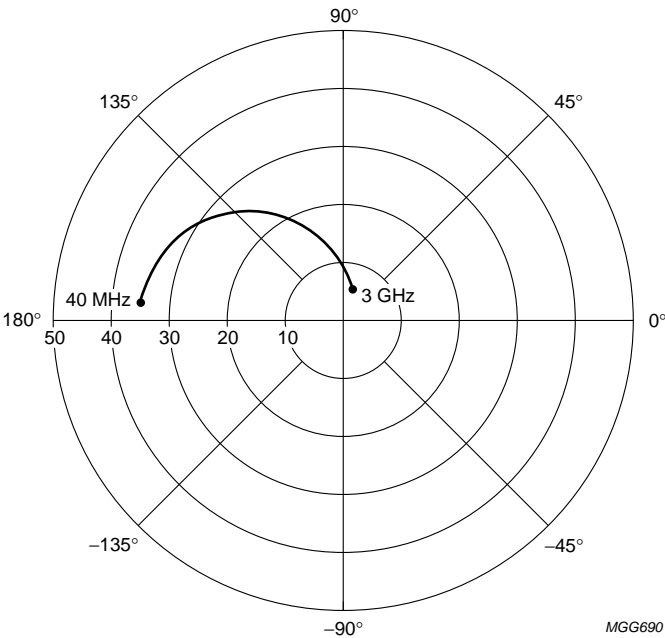
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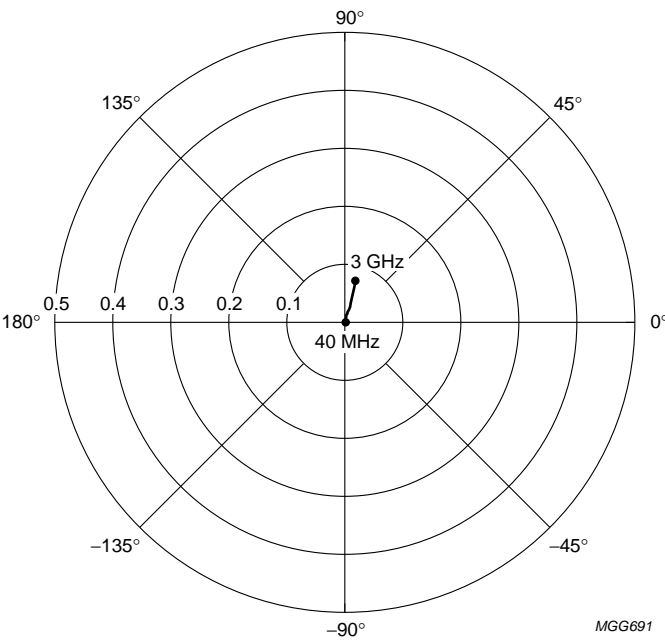
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$I_C = 25\text{ mA}$; $V_{CE} = 2\text{ V}$.

Fig.10 Common emitter forward transmission coefficient (S_{21}); typical values.

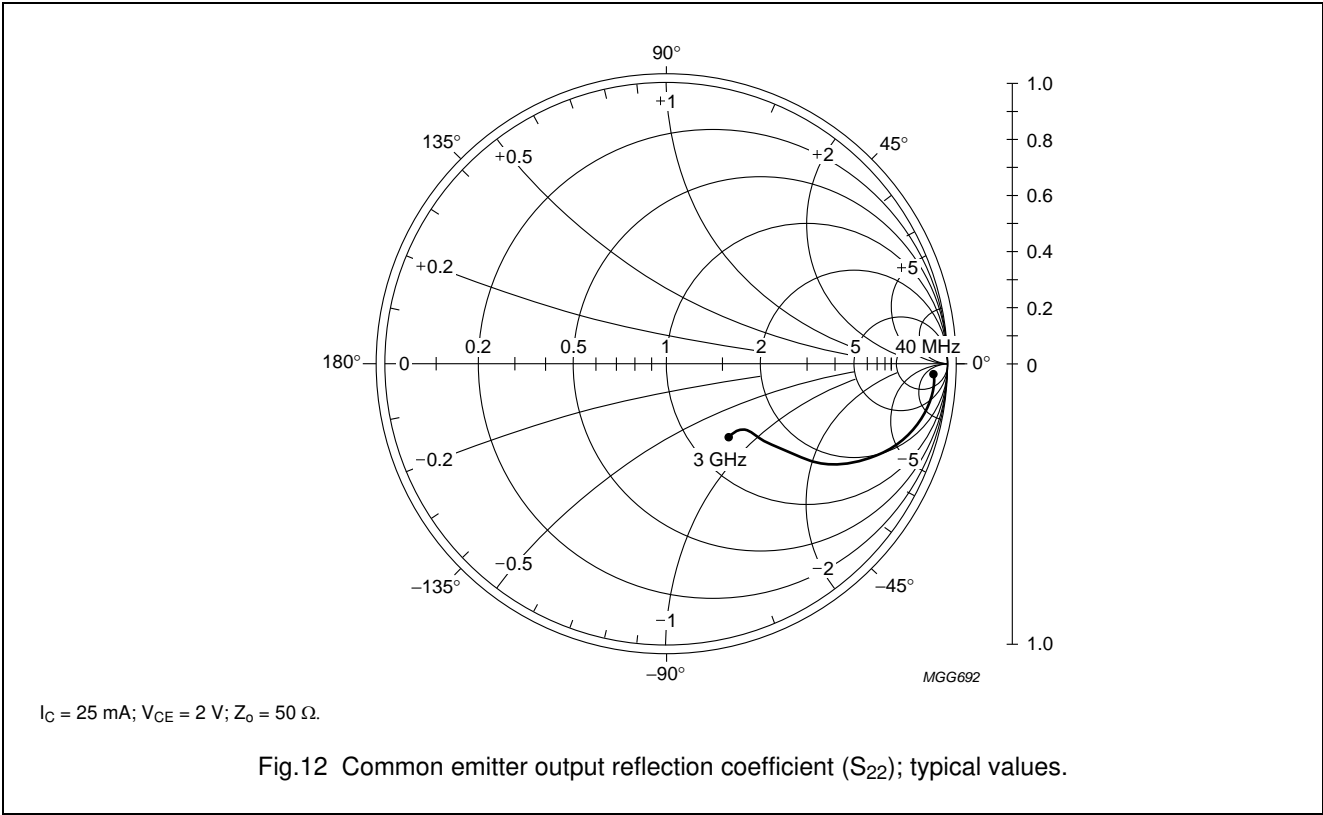


$I_C = 25\text{ mA}$; $V_{CE} = 2\text{ V}$.

Fig.11 Common emitter reverse transmission coefficient (S_{12}); typical values.

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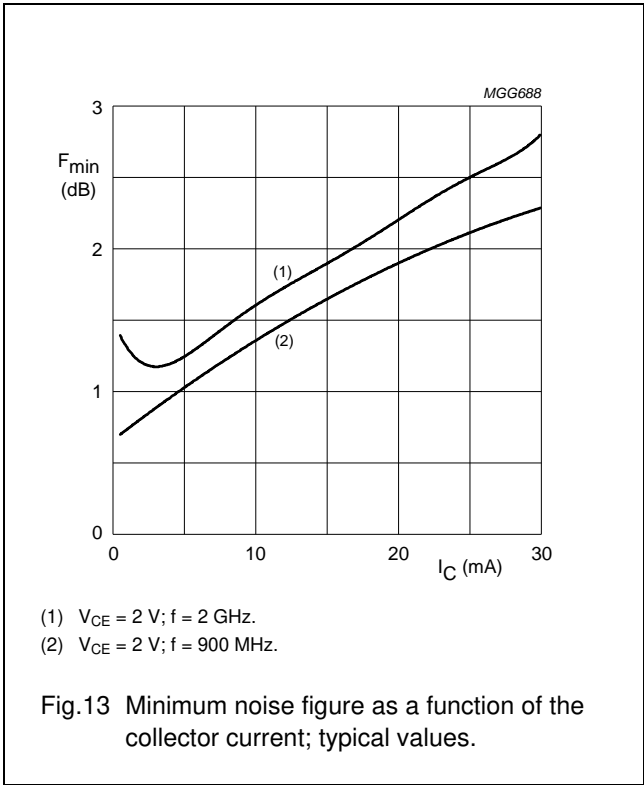
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Noise data

$V_{CE} = 2\text{ V}$; typical values.

| f (MHz) | I_C (mA) | F_{min} (dB) | Γ_{mag} | Γ_{angle} | r_n (Ω) |
|------------|---------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|-----------------------|
| 900 | 1 | 0.7 | 0.67 | 19.1 | 0.40 |
| | 2 | 0.8 | 0.48 | 17.8 | 0.27 |
| | 4 | 1 | 0.28 | 11.7 | 0.24 |
| | 10 | 1.4 | 0.02 | -63.9 | 0.19 |
| | 15 | 1.6 | 0.11 | -162.4 | 0.18 |
| | 20 | 1.9 | 0.19 | -165.5 | 0.18 |
| | 25 | 2.1 | 0.25 | -166.3 | 0.19 |
| | 30 | 2.3 | 0.29 | -166.5 | 0.19 |
| 2000 | 1 | 1.3 | 0.56 | 57.5 | 0.36 |
| | 2 | 1.2 | 0.43 | 57.2 | 0.25 |
| | 4 | 1.2 | 0.22 | 60.8 | 0.18 |
| | 10 | 1.6 | 0.06 | 137.4 | 0.19 |
| | 15 | 1.9 | 0.13 | -162.1 | 0.20 |
| | 20 | 2.2 | 0.17 | -155.5 | 0.20 |
| | 25 | 2.5 | 0.22 | -152.2 | 0.21 |
| | 30 | 2.8 | 0.27 | -150.8 | 0.25 |



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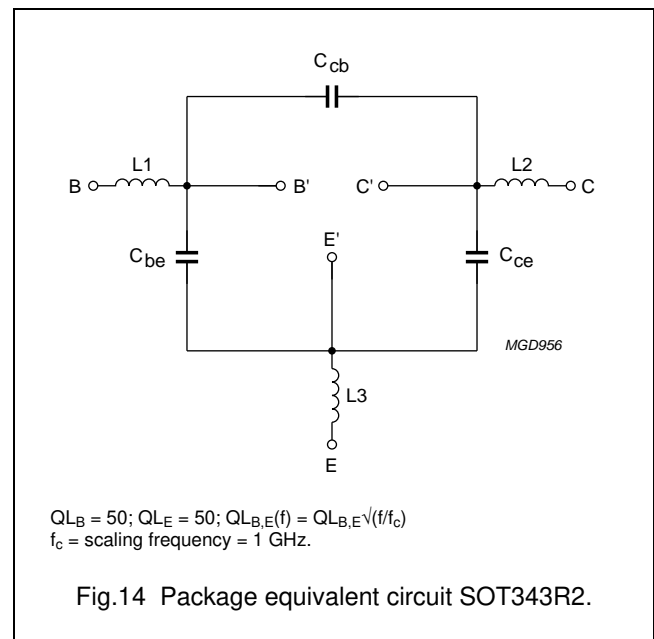
SPICE parameters for the BFG425W die

| SEQUENCE No. | PARAMETER | VALUE | UNIT |
|--------------|-----------|-------|------------|
| 1 | IS | 47.17 | aA |
| 2 | BF | 145.0 | — |
| 3 | NF | 0.993 | — |
| 4 | VAF | 31.12 | V |
| 5 | IKF | 304.0 | mA |
| 6 | ISE | 300.2 | fA |
| 7 | NE | 3.000 | — |
| 8 | BR | 11.37 | — |
| 9 | NR | 0.985 | — |
| 10 | VAR | 1.874 | V |
| 11 | IKR | 0.121 | A |
| 12 | ISC | 484.8 | aA |
| 13 | NC | 1.546 | — |
| 14 | RB | 14.41 | Ω |
| 15 | IRB | 0.000 | A |
| 16 | RBM | 6.175 | Ω |
| 17 | RE | 177.9 | m Ω |
| 18 | RC | 1.780 | Ω |
| 19 (1) | XTB | 1.500 | — |
| 20 (1) | EG | 1.110 | eV |
| 21 (1) | XTI | 3.000 | — |
| 22 | CJE | 310.9 | fF |
| 23 | VJE | 900.0 | mV |
| 24 | MJE | 0.346 | — |
| 25 | TF | 4.122 | ps |
| 26 | XTF | 68.20 | — |
| 27 | VTF | 2.004 | V |
| 28 | ITF | 1.525 | A |
| 29 | PTF | 0.000 | deg |
| 30 | CJC | 137.7 | fF |
| 31 | VJC | 556.9 | mV |
| 32 | MJC | 0.207 | — |
| 33 | XCJC | 0.500 | — |
| 34 (1) | TR | 0.000 | ns |
| 35 (1) | CJS | 667.5 | fF |
| 36 (1) | VJS | 418.3 | mV |
| 37 (1) | MJS | 0.239 | — |
| 38 | FC | 0.550 | — |

| SEQUENCE No. | PARAMETER | VALUE | UNIT |
|--------------|-----------|-------|----------|
| 39 (2)(3) | C_{bp} | 145 | fF |
| 40 (2) | R_{sb1} | 25 | Ω |
| 41 (3) | R_{sb2} | 19 | Ω |

Notes

1. These parameters have not been extracted, the default values are shown.
2. Bonding pad capacity C_{bp} in series with substrate resistance R_{sb1} between B' and E'.
3. Bonding pad capacity C_{bp} in series with substrate resistance R_{sb2} between C' and E'.



List of components (see Fig.14)

| DESIGNATION | VALUE | UNIT |
|-------------|-------|------|
| C_{be} | 80 | fF |
| C_{cb} | 2 | fF |
| C_{ce} | 80 | fF |
| L1 | 1.1 | nH |
| L2 | 1.1 | nH |
| L3 (note 1) | 0.25 | nH |

Note

1. External emitter inductance to be added separately due to the influence of the printed-circuit board.

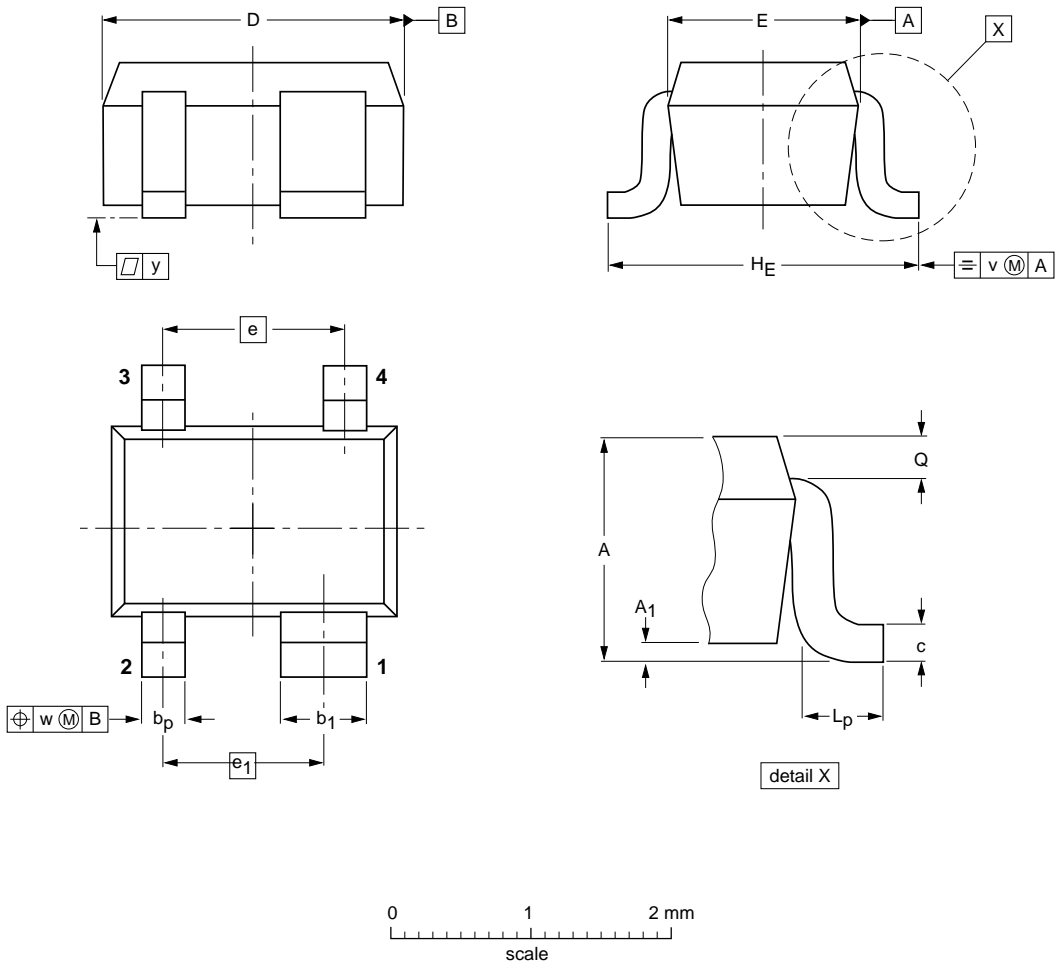
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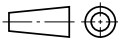
Plastic surface-mounted package; reverse pinning; 4 leads

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DIMENSIONS (mm are the original dimensions)

| UNIT | A | A ₁ max | b _p | b ₁ | c | D | E | e | e ₁ | H _E | L _p | Q | v | w | y |
|------|------------|-----------------------|----------------|----------------|--------------|------------|--------------|-----|----------------|----------------|----------------|--------------|-----|-----|-----|
| mm | 1.1 0.8 | 0.1 | 0.4 0.3 | 0.7 0.5 | 0.25 0.10 | 2.2 1.8 | 1.35 1.15 | 1.3 | 1.15 | 2.2 2.0 | 0.45 0.15 | 0.23 0.13 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.1 |

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