

# DATA SHEET

## **BFG25AW** **BFG25AW/X; BFG25AW/XR** NPN 5 GHz wideband transistor

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### FEATURES

- Low current consumption (100  $\mu$ A to 1 mA)
- Low noise figure
- Gold metallization ensures excellent reliability.

### APPLICATIONS

They are intended for wideband applications in UHF low power amplifiers, such as pocket telephones, paging systems.

### DESCRIPTION

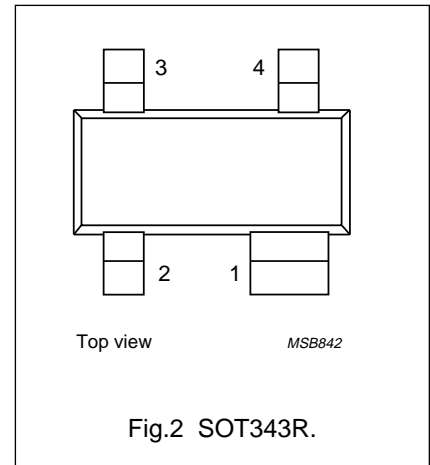
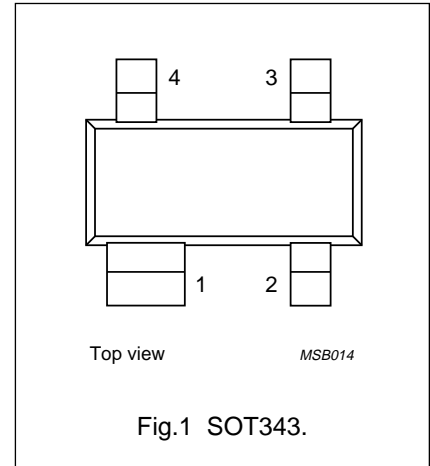
NPN silicon planar epitaxial transistors in plastic, 4-pin dual-emitter SOT343 and SOT343R packages.

### MARKING

| TYPE NUMBER | CODE |
|-------------|------|
| BFG25AW     | N6   |
| BFG25AW/X   | V1   |
| BFG25AW/XR  | V3   |

### PINNING

| PIN                           | DESCRIPTION |
|-------------------------------|-------------|
| <b>BFG25AW</b> (see Fig.1)    |             |
| 1                             | collector   |
| 2                             | base        |
| 3                             | emitter     |
| 4                             | emitter     |
| <b>BFG25AW/X</b> (see Fig.1)  |             |
| 1                             | collector   |
| 2                             | emitter     |
| 3                             | base        |
| 4                             | emitter     |
| <b>BFG25AW/XR</b> (see Fig.2) |             |
| 1                             | collector   |
| 2                             | emitter     |
| 3                             | base        |
| 4                             | emitter     |



### QUICK REFERENCE DATA

| SYMBOL    | PARAMETER                     | CONDITIONS   | MIN. | TYP. | MAX. | UNIT |
|-----------|-------------------------------|--|------|------|------|------|
| $V_{CB0}$ | collector-base voltage        | open emitter   | –    | –    | 8    | V    |
| $V_{CEO}$ | collector-emitter voltage     | open base  | –    | –    | 5    | V    |
| $I_C$     | collector current (DC)        |  | –    | –    | 6.5  | mA   |
| $P_{tot}$ | total power dissipation       | up to $T_s = 85\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$   | –    | –    | 500  | mW   |
| $h_{FE}$  | DC current gain               | $I_C = 0.5\text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 1\text{ V}$   | 50   | 80   | 200  |      |
| $C_{re}$  | feedback capacitance          | $I_C = 0; V_{CE} = 1\text{ V}; f = 1\text{ MHz}$   | –    | 0.2  | 0.3  | pF   |
| $f_T$     | transition frequency          | $I_C = 1\text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 1\text{ V}; f = 500\text{ MHz}; T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ | 3.5  | 5    | –    | GHz  |
| $G_{UM}$  | maximum unilateral power gain | $I_C = 0.5\text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 1\text{ V}; f = 1\text{ GHz}; T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ | –    | 16   | –    | dB   |
| F         | noise figure                  | $\Gamma_s = \Gamma_{opt}; I_C = 1\text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 1\text{ V}; f = 1\text{ GHz}$              | –    | 2    | –    | dB   |

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**LIMITING VALUES**

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

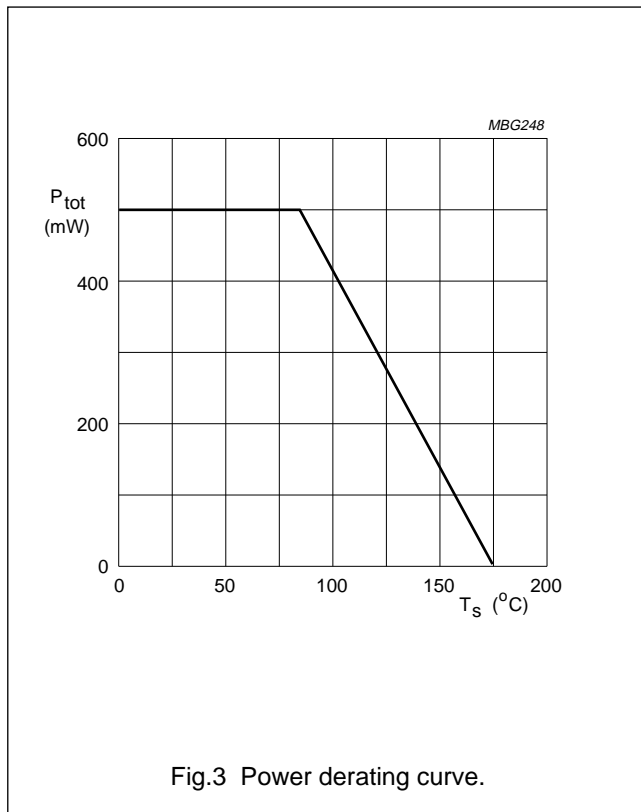
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|------------------|---------------------------|---|------|------|------|
| V <sub>CBO</sub> | collector-base voltage    | open emitter                                    | –    | 8    | V    |
| V <sub>CEO</sub> | collector-emitter voltage | open base                                       | –    | 5    | V    |
| V <sub>EBO</sub> | emitter-base voltage      | open collector                                  | –    | 2    | V    |
| I <sub>C</sub>   | collector current (DC)    |   | –    | 6.5  | mA   |
| P <sub>tot</sub> | total power dissipation   | up to T <sub>s</sub> = 85 °C; see Fig.3; note 1 | –    | 500  | mW   |
| T <sub>stg</sub> | storage temperature       |   | –65  | +150 | °C   |
| T <sub>j</sub>   | junction temperature      |   | –    | 175  | °C   |

**THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS**

| SYMBOL              | PARAMETER   | CONDITIONS                           | VALUE | UNIT |
|---------------------|---|--------------------------------------|-------|------|
| R <sub>th j-s</sub> | thermal resistance from junction to soldering point | up to T <sub>s</sub> = 85 °C; note 1 | 180   | K/W  |

**Note to the “Limiting values” and “Thermal characteristics”**

1. T<sub>s</sub> is the temperature at the soldering point of the collector pin.



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T<sub>j</sub> = 25 °C (unless otherwise specified).

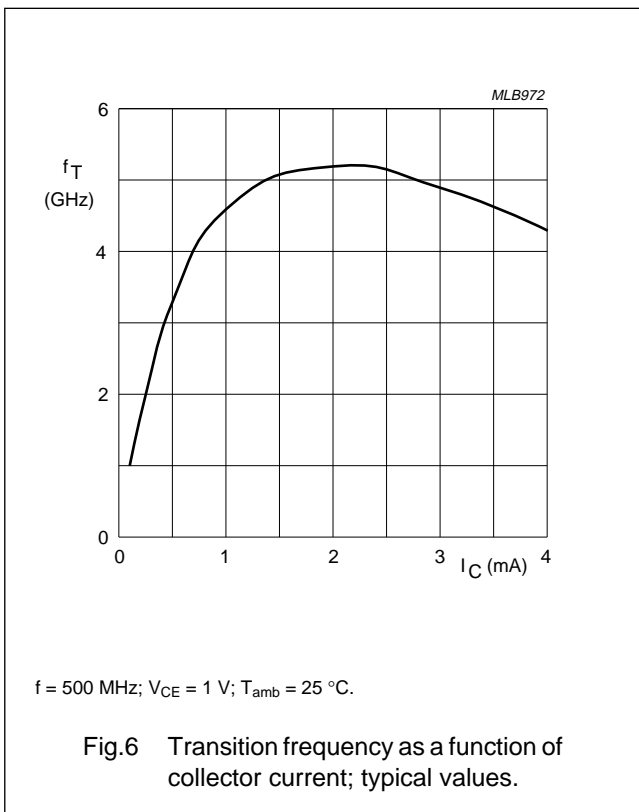
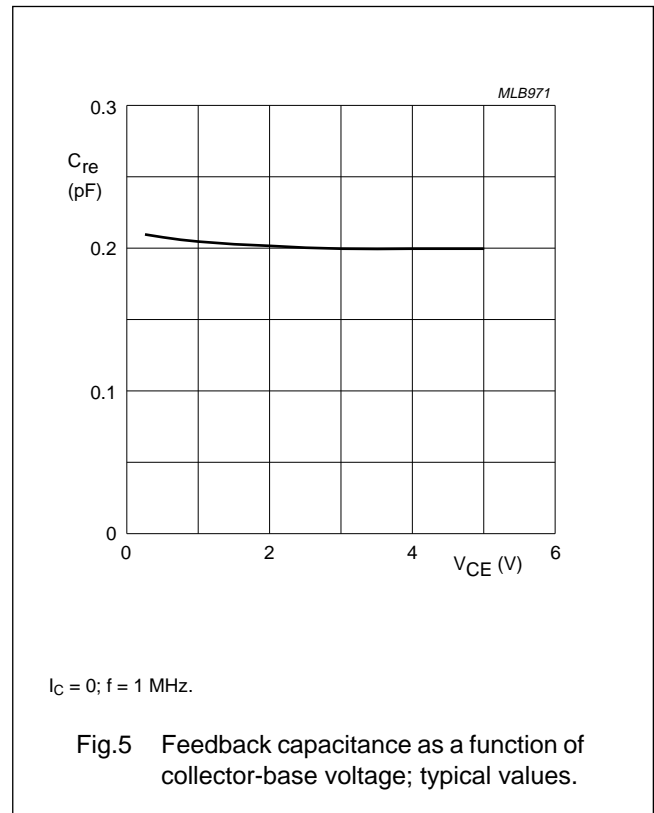
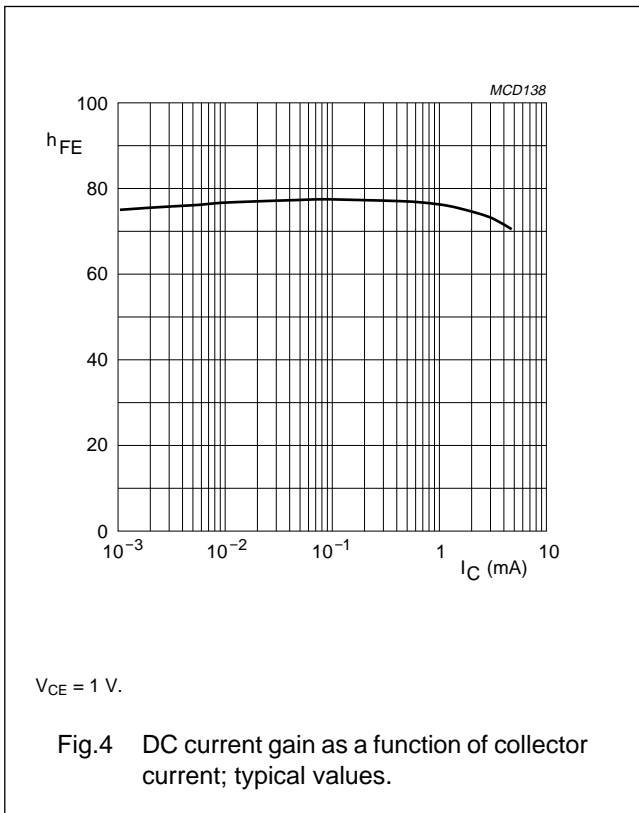
| SYMBOL               | PARAMETER                             | CONDITIONS   | MIN. | TYP. | MAX. | UNIT |
|----------------------|---------------------------------------|--|------|------|------|------|
| V <sub>(BR)CBO</sub> | collector-base breakdown voltage      | open emitter; I <sub>C</sub> = 100 μA; I <sub>E</sub> = 0  | –    | –    | 8    | V    |
| V <sub>(BR)CEO</sub> | collector-emitter breakdown voltage   | open base; I <sub>C</sub> = 1 mA; I <sub>B</sub> = 0   | –    | –    | 5    | V    |
| V <sub>(BR)EBO</sub> | emitter-base breakdown voltage        | open collector; I <sub>E</sub> = 100 μA; I <sub>C</sub> = 0                                      | –    | –    | 2    | V    |
| I <sub>CBO</sub>     | collector cut-off current             | open emitter; V <sub>CB</sub> = 5 V; I <sub>E</sub> = 0  | –    | –    | 50   | nA   |
| h <sub>FE</sub>      | DC current gain                       | I <sub>C</sub> = 0.5 mA; V <sub>CE</sub> = 1 V   | 50   | 80   | 200  |      |
| C <sub>re</sub>      | feedback capacitance                  | I <sub>C</sub> = 0; V <sub>CE</sub> = 1 V; f = 1 MHz   | –    | 0.2  | 0.3  | pF   |
| f <sub>T</sub>       | transition frequency                  | I <sub>C</sub> = 1 mA; V <sub>CE</sub> = 1 V; f = 1 GHz;<br>T <sub>amb</sub> = 25 °C             | 3.5  | 5    | –    | GHz  |
| G <sub>UM</sub>      | maximum unilateral power gain; note 1 | I <sub>C</sub> = 0.5 mA; V <sub>CE</sub> = 1 V; f = 1 GHz;<br>T <sub>amb</sub> = 25 °C           | –    | 16   | –    | dB   |
|                      |                                       | I <sub>C</sub> = 0.5 mA; V <sub>CE</sub> = 1 V; f = 2 GHz;<br>T <sub>amb</sub> = 25 °C           | –    | 8    | –    | dB   |
| F                    | noise figure                          | Γ <sub>s</sub> = Γ <sub>opt</sub> ; I <sub>C</sub> = 0.5 mA; V <sub>CE</sub> = 1 V;<br>f = 1 GHz | –    | 1.9  | –    | dB   |
|                      |                                       | Γ <sub>s</sub> = Γ <sub>opt</sub> ; I <sub>C</sub> = 1 mA; V <sub>CE</sub> = 1 V;<br>f = 1 GHz   | –    | 2    | –    | dB   |

## Note

1. G<sub>UM</sub> is the maximum unilateral power gain, assuming s<sub>12</sub> is zero.  $G_{UM} = 10 \log \frac{|s_{21}|^2}{(1 - |s_{11}|^2)(1 - |s_{22}|^2)}$  dB.

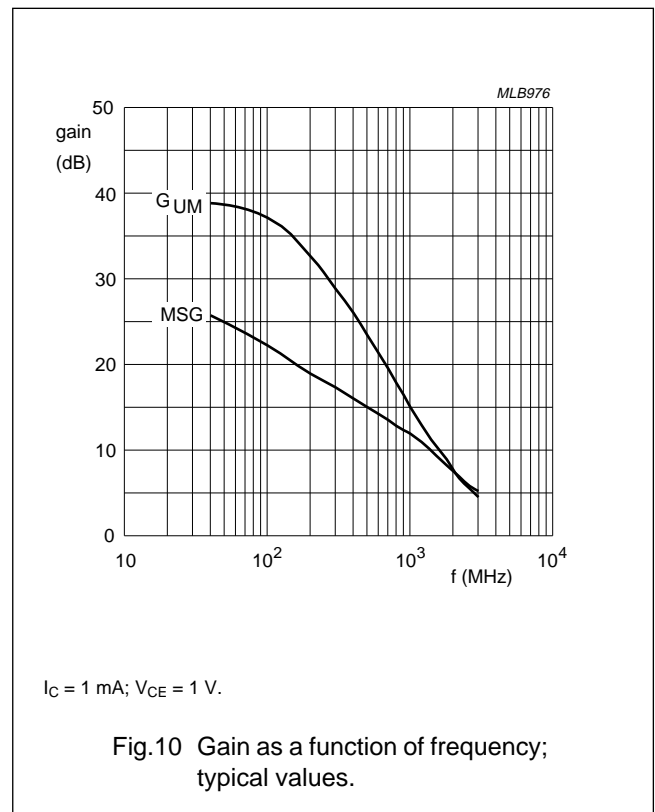
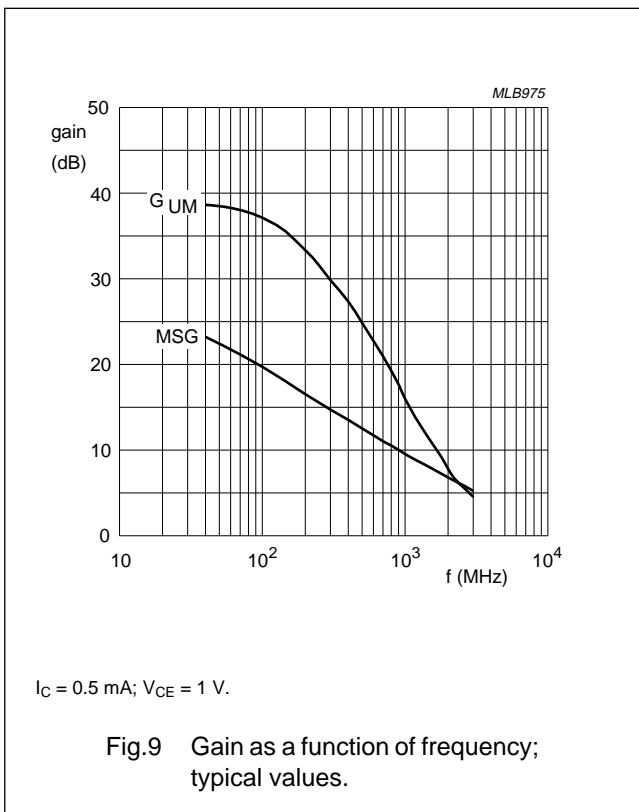
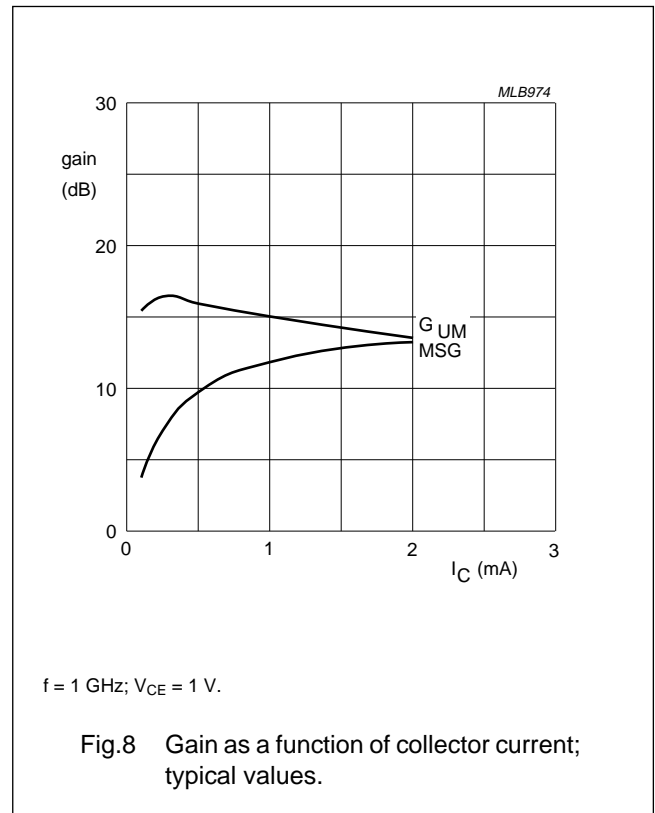
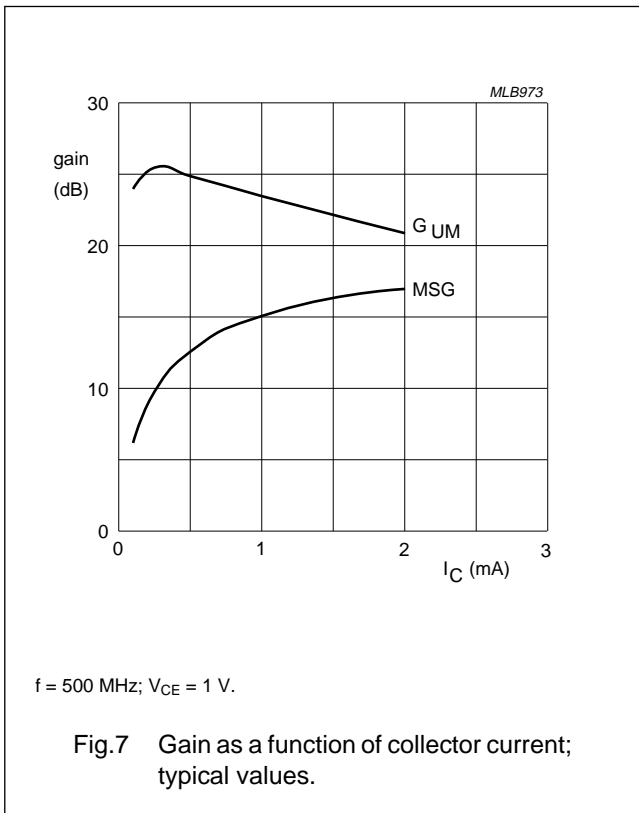
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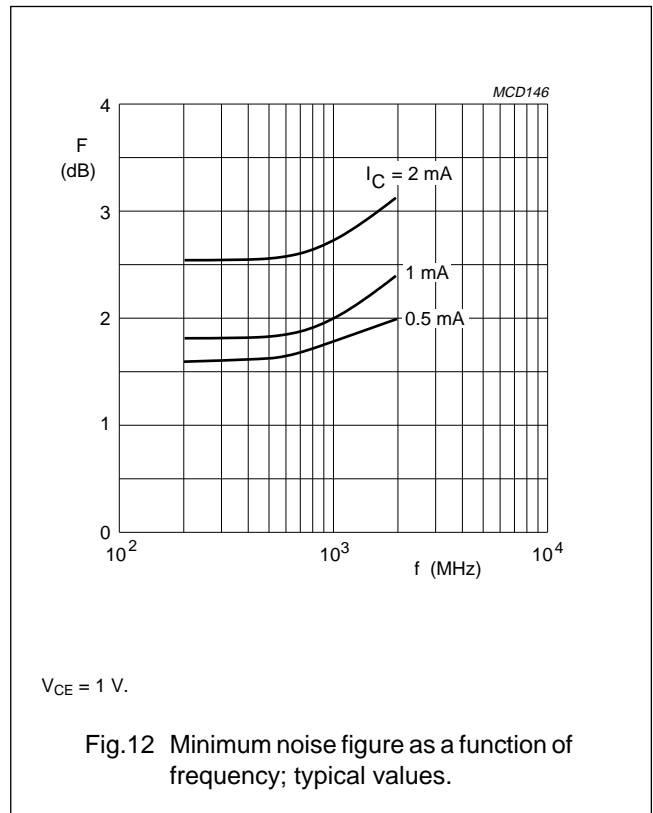
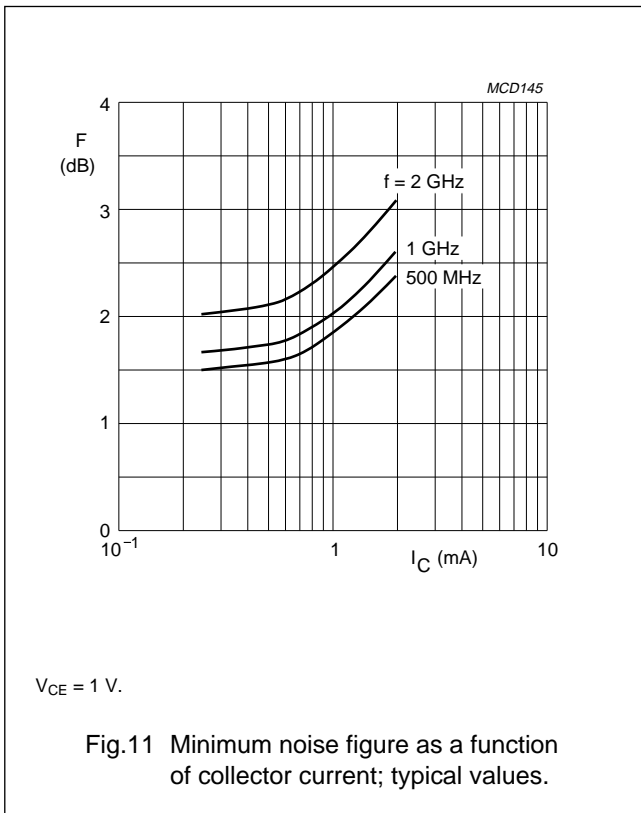
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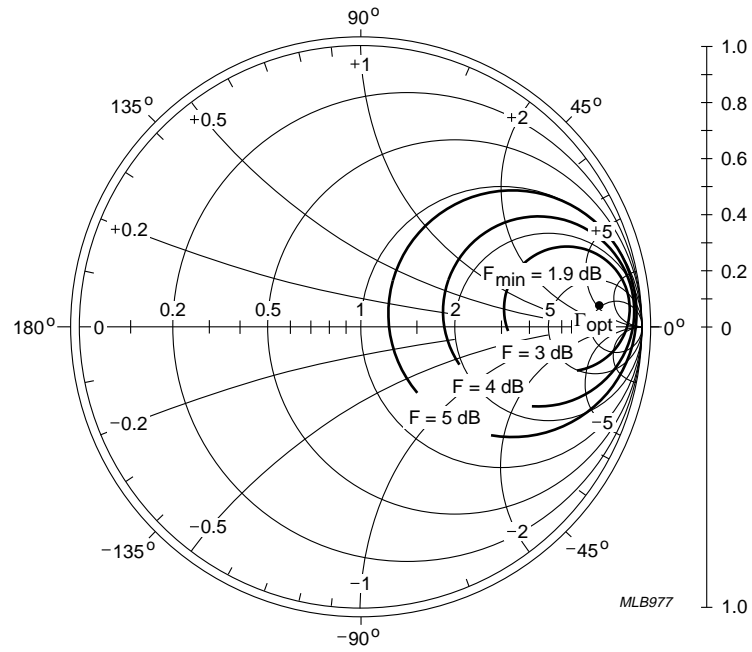
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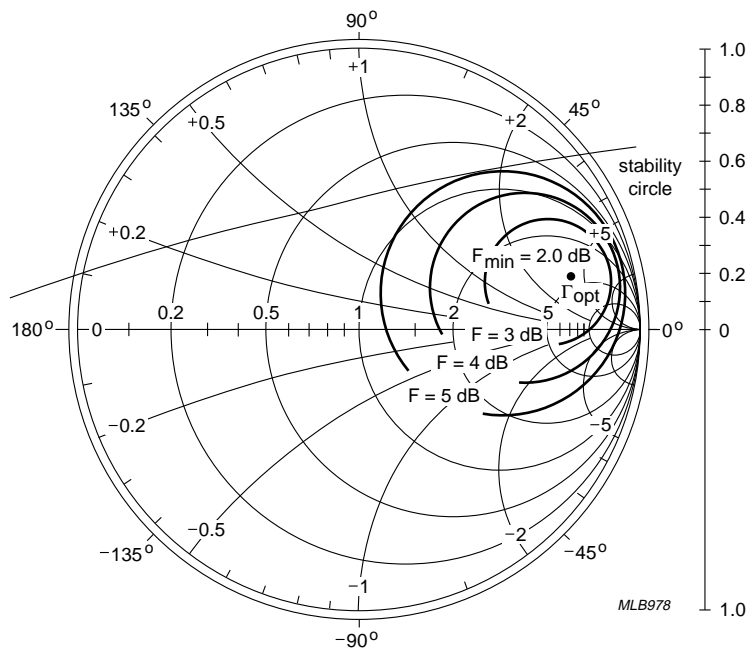
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$f = 500 \text{ MHz}$ ;  $V_{CE} = 1 \text{ V}$ ;  $I_C = 1 \text{ mA}$ ;  $Z_0 = 50 \Omega$ .

Fig.13 Common emitter noise figure circles; typical values.



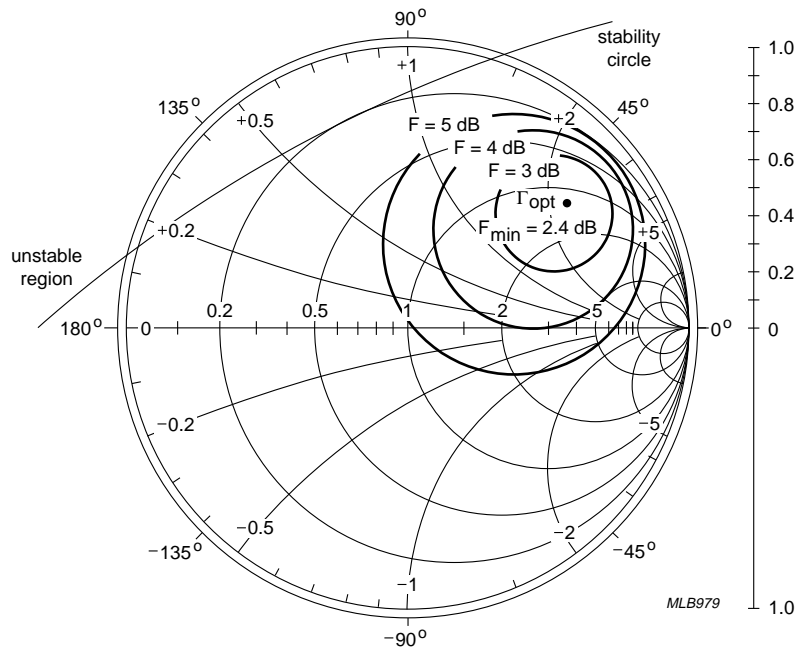
$f = 1 \text{ GHz}$ ;  $V_{CE} = 1 \text{ V}$ ;  $I_C = 1 \text{ mA}$ ;  $Z_0 = 50 \Omega$ .

Fig.14 Common emitter noise figure circles; typical values.



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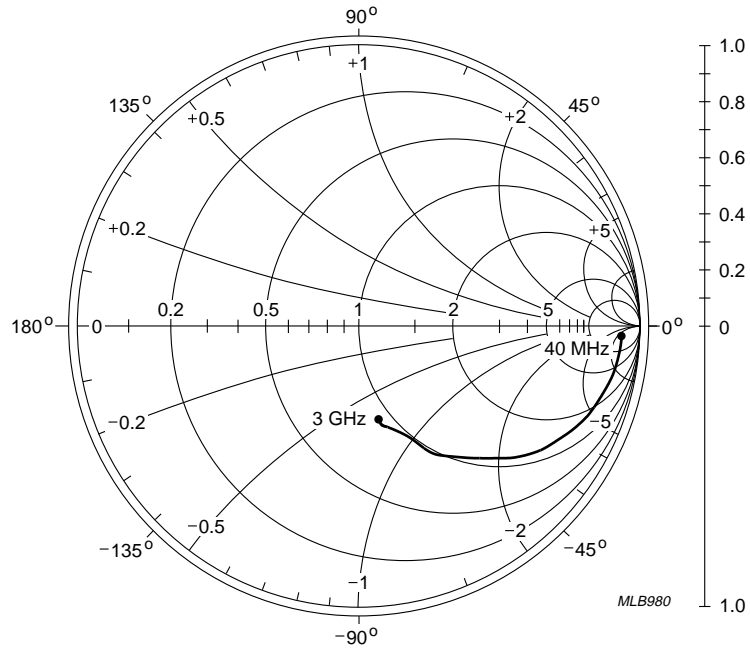
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f = 2 GHz; V<sub>CE</sub> = 1 V; I<sub>C</sub> = 1 mA; Z<sub>o</sub> = 50 Ω.

Fig.15 Common emitter noise figure circles; typical values.

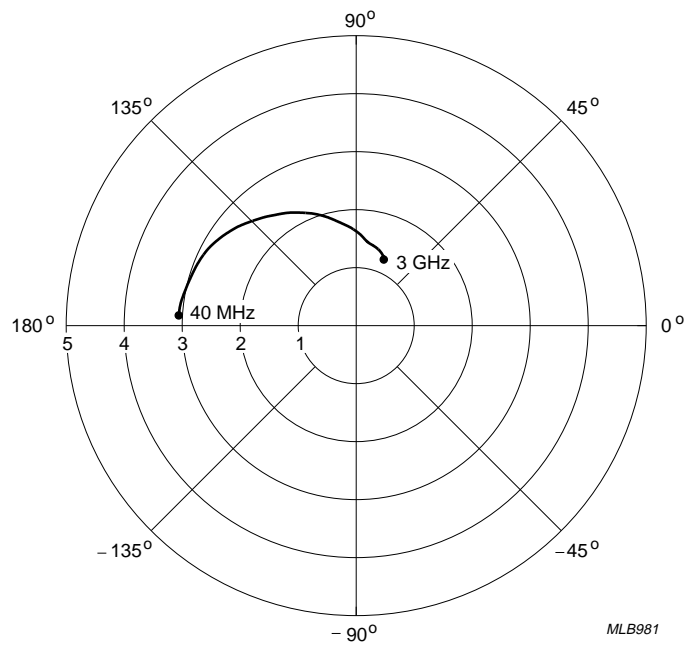
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$V_{CE} = 1\text{ V}; I_C = 1\text{ mA}; Z_0 = 50\ \Omega$ .

Fig.16 Common emitter input reflection coefficient ( $s_{11}$ ); typical values.

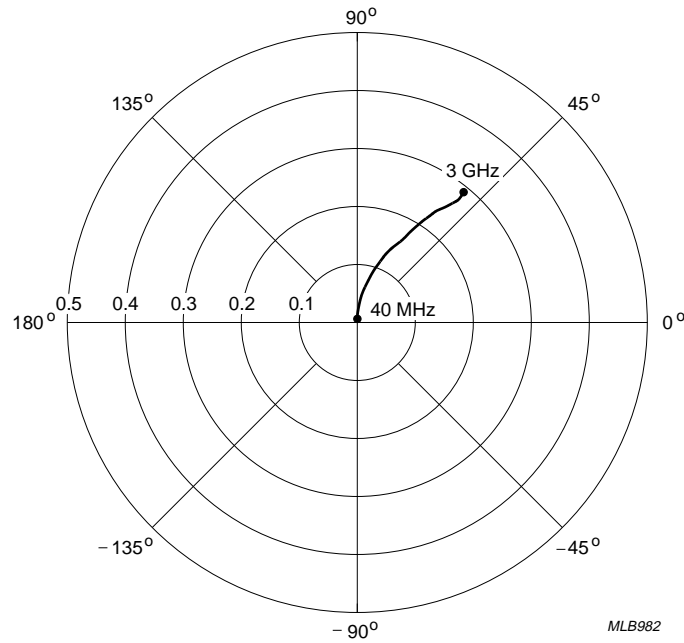


$V_{CE} = 1\text{ V}; I_C = 1\text{ mA}$ .

Fig.17 Common emitter forward transmission coefficient ( $s_{21}$ ); typical values.

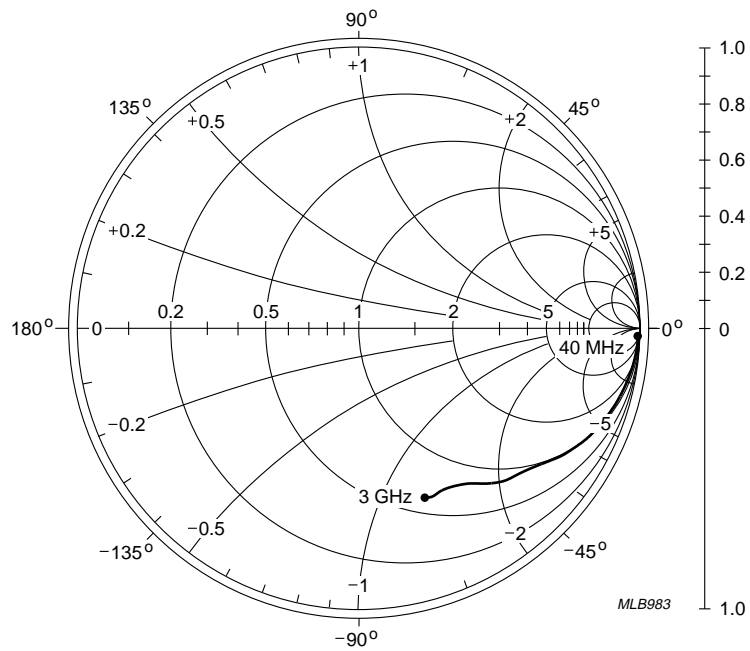
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$V_{CE} = 1\text{ V}; I_C = 1\text{ mA}$ .

Fig.18 Common emitter reverse transmission coefficient ( $s_{12}$ ); typical values.



$V_{CE} = 1\text{ V}; I_C = 1\text{ mA}; Z_0 = 50\ \Omega$ .

Fig.19 Common emitter output reflection coefficient ( $s_{22}$ ); typical values.

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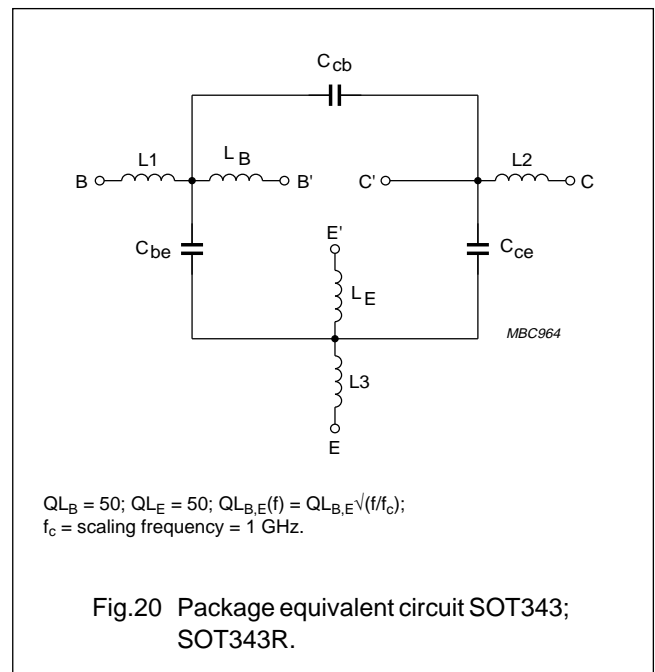
SPICE parameters for the BFG25W crystal

| SEQUENCE No.      | PARAMETER | VALUE | UNIT |
|-------------------|-----------|-------|------|
| 1                 | IS        | 13.77 | aA   |
| 2                 | BF        | 85.65 | –    |
| 3                 | NF        | 0.980 | –    |
| 4                 | VAF       | 50.80 | V    |
| 5                 | IKF       | 10.00 | A    |
| 6                 | ISE       | 2.199 | fA   |
| 7                 | NE        | 1.857 | –    |
| 8                 | BR        | 16.97 | –    |
| 9                 | NR        | 0.986 | –    |
| 10                | VAR       | 2.491 | V    |
| 11                | IKR       | 188.0 | mA   |
| 12                | ISC       | 205.1 | aA   |
| 13                | NC        | 1.107 | –    |
| 14                | RB        | 80.00 | Ω    |
| 15                | IRB       | 1.000 | μA   |
| 16                | RBM       | 80.00 | Ω    |
| 17                | RE        | 7.911 | Ω    |
| 18                | RC        | 5.300 | Ω    |
| 19 <sup>(1)</sup> | XTB       | 0.000 | –    |
| 20 <sup>(1)</sup> | EG        | 1.110 | eV   |
| 21 <sup>(1)</sup> | XTI       | 3.000 | –    |
| 22                | CJE       | 223.0 | fF   |
| 23                | VJE       | 669.7 | mV   |
| 24                | MJE       | 0.060 | –    |
| 25                | TF        | 5.112 | ps   |
| 26                | XTF       | 7.909 | –    |
| 27                | VTF       | 1.338 | V    |
| 28                | ITF       | 5.662 | mA   |
| 29                | PTF       | 15.37 | deg  |
| 30                | CJC       | 229.0 | fF   |
| 31                | VJC       | 394.7 | mV   |
| 32                | MJC       | 0.043 | –    |
| 33                | XCJC      | 0.050 | –    |
| 34                | TR        | 13.26 | ns   |
| 35 <sup>(1)</sup> | CJS       | 0.000 | F    |

| SEQUENCE No.      | PARAMETER | VALUE | UNIT |
|-------------------|-----------|-------|------|
| 36 <sup>(1)</sup> | VJS       | 750.0 | mV   |
| 37 <sup>(1)</sup> | MJS       | 0.000 | –    |
| 38                | FC        | 0.988 | –    |

Note

1. These parameters have not been extracted, the default values are shown.



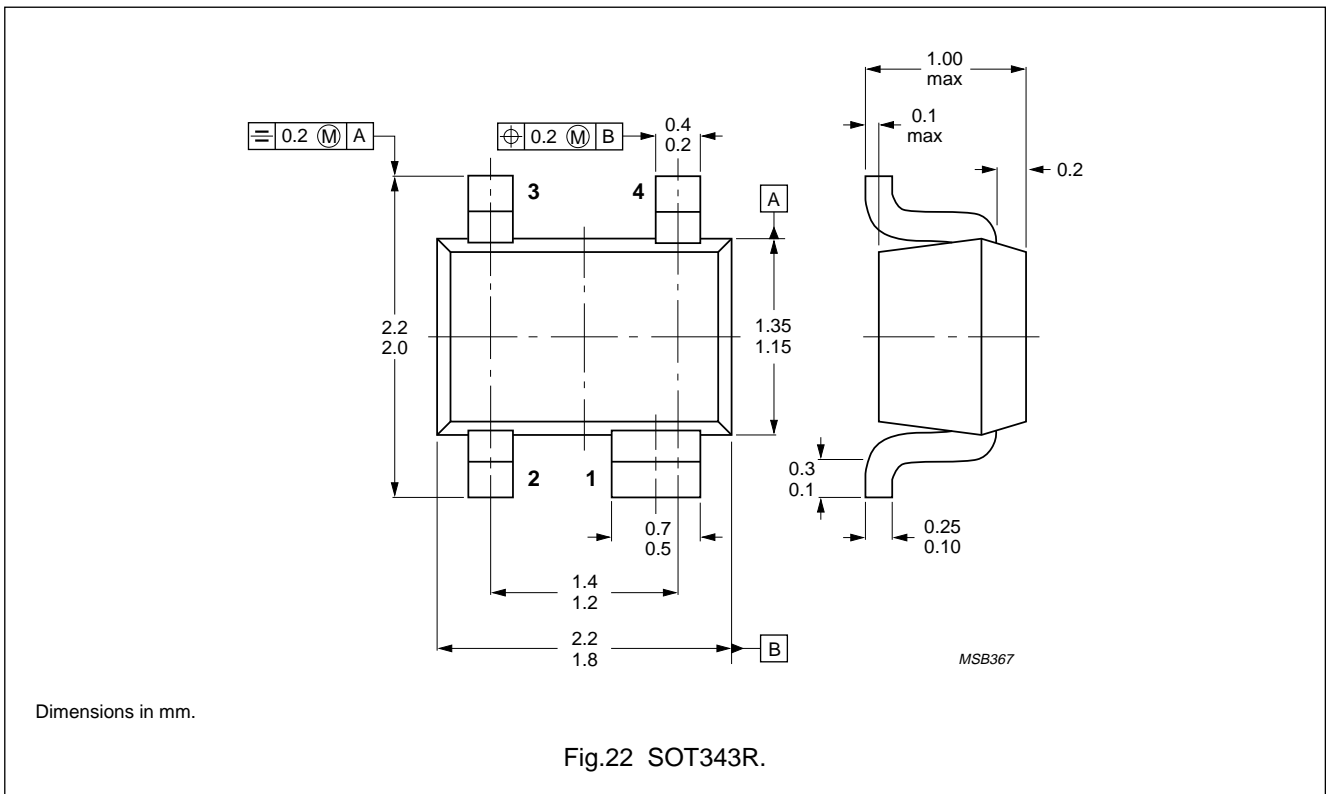
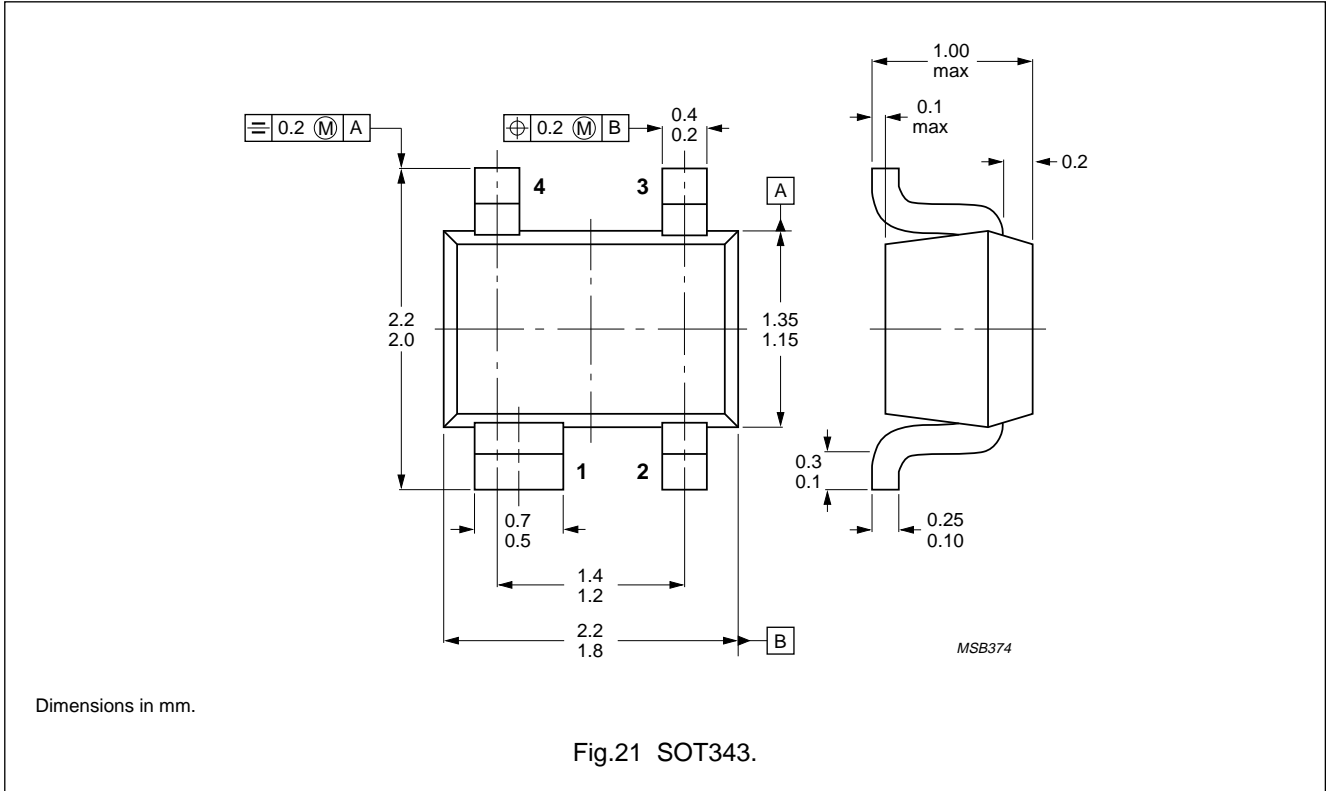
List of components (see Fig.20)

| DESIGNATION     | VALUE | UNIT |
|-----------------|-------|------|
| C <sub>be</sub> | 70    | fF   |
| C <sub>cb</sub> | 50    | fF   |
| C <sub>ce</sub> | 115   | fF   |
| L1              | 0.34  | nH   |
| L2              | 0.10  | nH   |
| L3              | 0.25  | nH   |
| L <sub>B</sub>  | 0.40  | nH   |
| L <sub>E</sub>  | 0.40  | nH   |

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PACKAGE OUTLINES



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| <b>Data Sheet Status</b>  |   |
|---|---|
| Objective specification   | This data sheet contains target or goal specifications for product development.       |
| Preliminary specification   | This data sheet contains preliminary data; supplementary data may be published later. |
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