



# PBSS301NX

12 V, 5.3 A NPN low V<sub>CEsat</sub> (BISS) transistor

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Product data sheet

## 1. General description

NPN low V<sub>CEsat</sub> Breakthrough In Small Signal (BISS) transistor in a SOT89 (SC-62/TO-243) small and flat lead Surface-Mounted Device (SMD) plastic package.

PNP complement: PBSS301PX.

## 2. Features and benefits

- Low collector-emitter saturation voltage V<sub>CEsat</sub>
- High collector current capability I<sub>C</sub> and I<sub>CM</sub>
- High collector current gain (h<sub>FE</sub>) at high I<sub>C</sub>
- High efficiency due to less heat generation
- Smaller required Printed-Circuit Board (PCB) area than for conventional transistors
- AEC-Q101 qualified

## 3. Applications

- DC-to-DC conversion
- MOSFET gate driving
- Motor control
- Charging circuits
- Power switches (e.g. motors, fans)

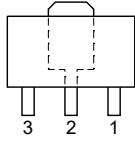
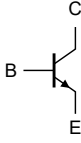
## 4. Quick reference data

Table 1. Quick reference data

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
V <sub>CEO</sub>	collector-emitter voltage	open base	-	-	12	V
I <sub>C</sub>	collector current		-	-	5.3	A
I <sub>CM</sub>	peak collector current	single pulse; t <sub>p</sub> ≤ 1 ms	-	-	10.6	A
R <sub>CEsat</sub>	collector-emitter saturation resistance	I <sub>C</sub> = 4 A; I <sub>B</sub> = 200 mA; pulsed; t <sub>p</sub> ≤ 300 μs; δ ≤ 0.02; T <sub>amb</sub> = 25 °C	-	28	40	mΩ

## 5. Pinning information

Table 2. Pinning information

Pin	Symbol	Description	Simplified outline	Graphic symbol
1	E	emitter	 <p style="text-align: center;"><b>SOT89</b></p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">sym123</p>
2	C	collector		
3	B	base		

## 6. Ordering information

Table 3. Ordering information

Type number	Package		
	Name	Description	Version
<a href="#">PBSS301NX</a>	SOT89	plastic, surface-mounted package; 3 leads; 1.5 mm pitch; 4.5 mm x 2.5 mm x 1.5 mm body	<a href="#">SOT89</a>

## 7. Marking

Table 4. Marking codes

Type number	Marking code[1]
PBSS301NX	%5B

[1] % = placeholder for manufacturing site code

## 8. Limiting values

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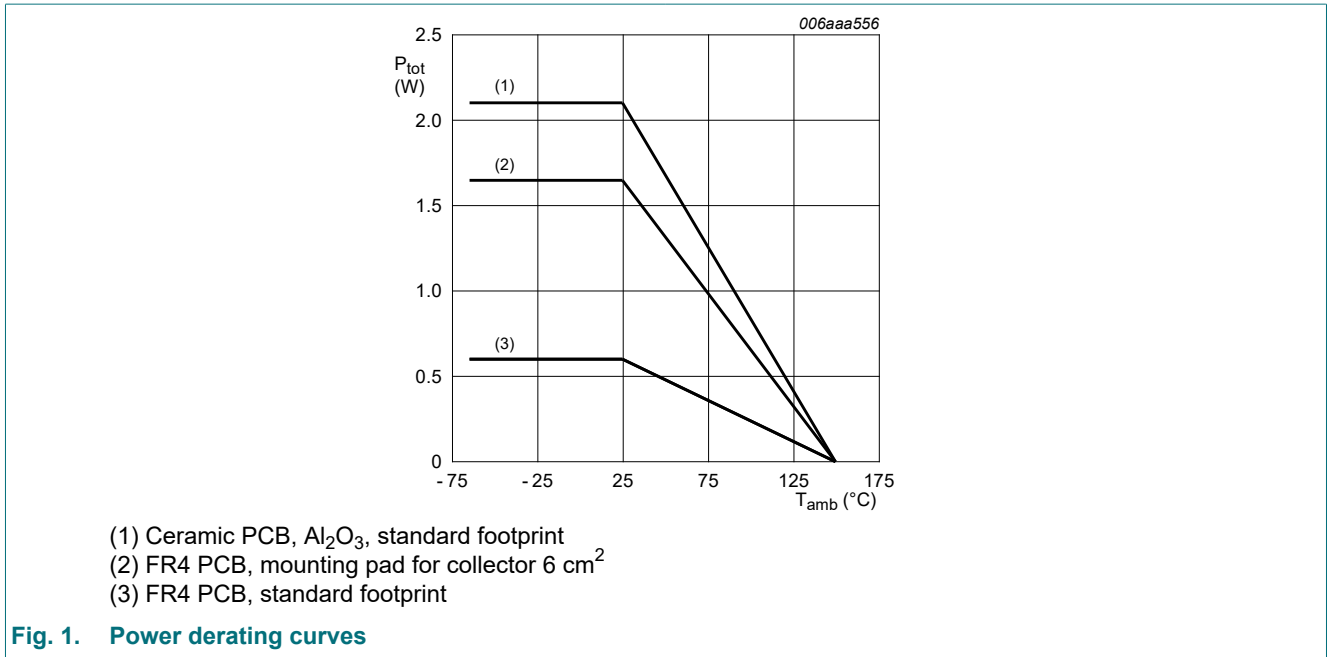
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Symbol	Parameter	Conditions		Min	Max	Unit
$V_{CBO}$	collector-base voltage	open emitter		-	12	V
$V_{CEO}$	collector-emitter voltage	open base		-	12	V
$V_{EBO}$	emitter-base voltage	open collector		-	5	V
$I_C$	collector current			-	5.3	A
$I_{CM}$	peak collector current	single pulse; $t_p \leq 1$ ms		-	10.6	A
$P_{tot}$	total power dissipation	$T_{amb} \leq 25$ °C	[1]	-	0.6	W
			[2]	-	1.65	W
			[3]	-	2.1	W
$T_j$	junction temperature			-	150	°C
$T_{amb}$	ambient temperature			-65	150	°C
$T_{stg}$	storage temperature			-65	150	°C

[1] Device mounted on an FR4 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 cm<sup>2</sup>.

[3] Device mounted on a ceramic PCB, Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>, standard footprint.

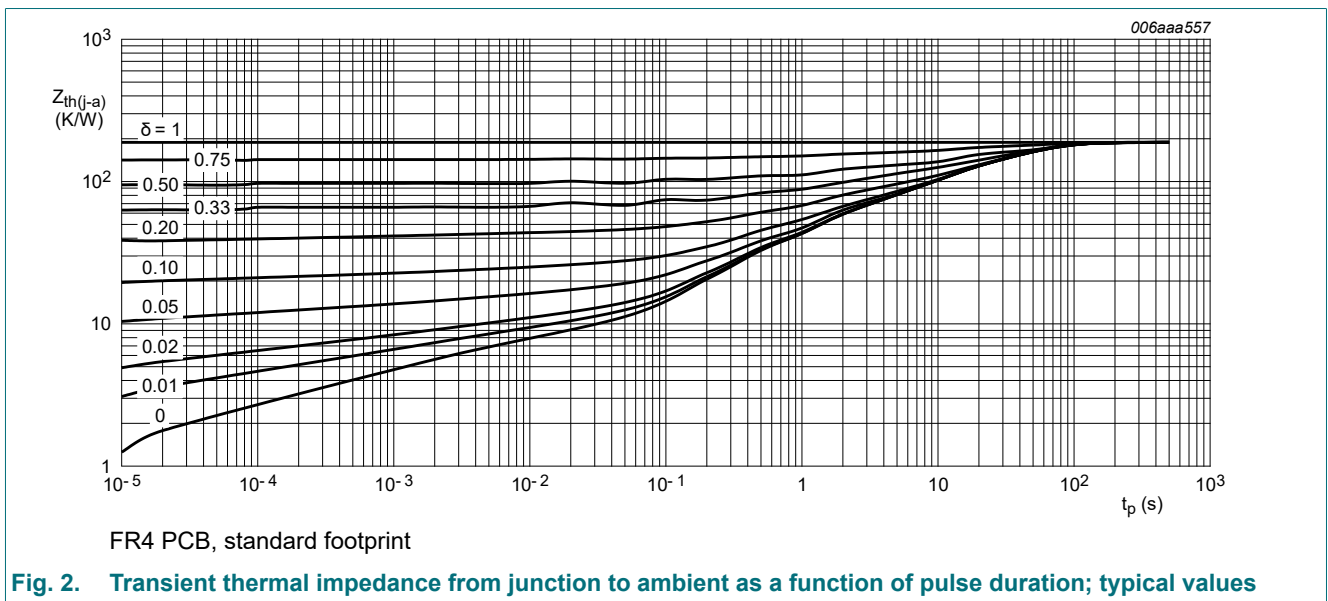


## 9. Thermal characteristics

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Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit	
R <sub>th(j-a)</sub>	thermal resistance from junction to ambient	in free air	[1]	-	-	208	K/W
			[2]	-	-	76	K/W
			[3]	-	-	60	K/W
R <sub>th(j-sp)</sub>	thermal resistance from junction to solder point		-	-	20	K/W	

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- [2] Device mounted on an FR4 PCB, single-sided copper, tin-plated, mounting pad for collector 6 cm<sup>2</sup>.
- [3] Device mounted on a ceramic PCB, Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>, standard footprint.



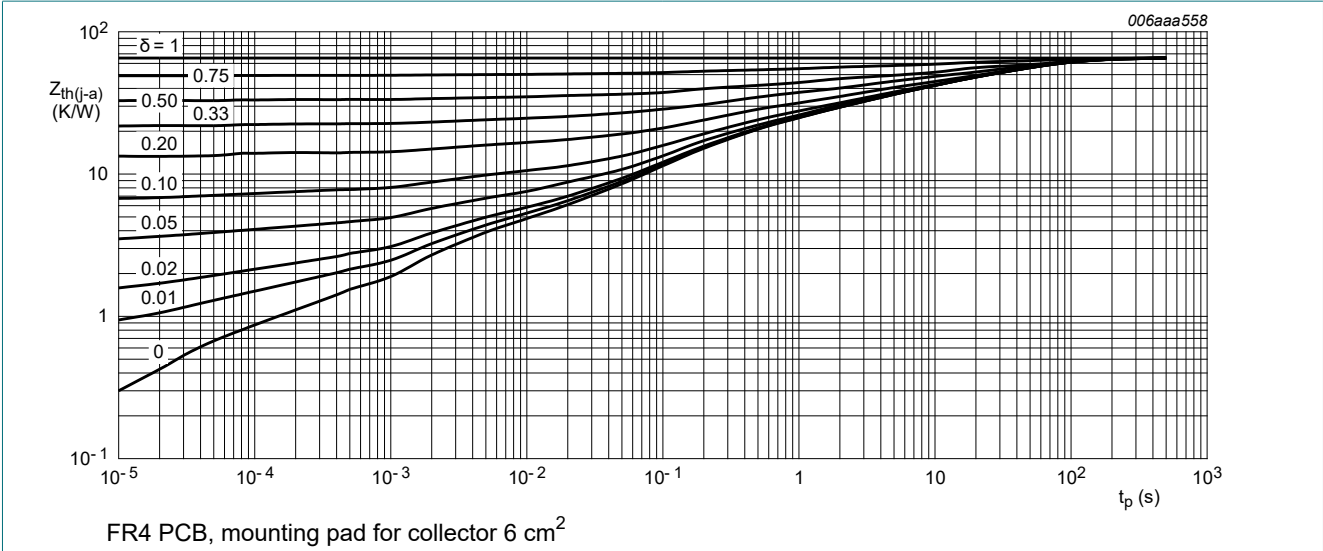


Fig. 3. Transient thermal impedance from junction to ambient as a function of pulse duration; typical values

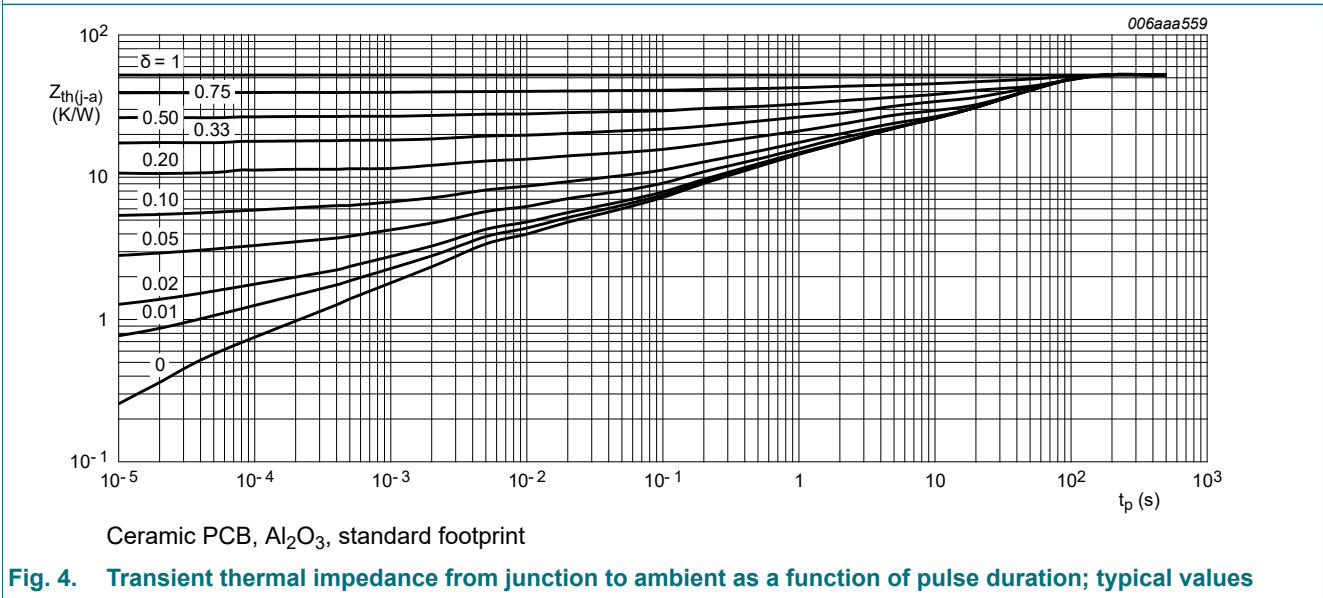


Fig. 4. Transient thermal impedance from junction to ambient as a function of pulse duration; typical values

## 10. Characteristics

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Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
$I_{CBO}$	collector-base cut-off current	$V_{CB} = 12\text{ V}; I_E = 0\text{ A}; T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	-	-	100	nA
		$V_{CB} = 12\text{ V}; I_E = 0\text{ A}; T_J = 150\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	-	-	50	$\mu\text{A}$
$I_{EBO}$	emitter-base cut-off current	$V_{EB} = 5\text{ V}; I_C = 0\text{ A}; T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	-	-	100	nA
$h_{FE}$	DC current gain	$V_{CE} = 2\text{ V}; I_C = 0.5\text{ A}; \text{pulsed}; t_p \leq 300\text{ }\mu\text{s}; \delta \leq 0.02; T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	300	530	-	
		$V_{CE} = 2\text{ V}; I_C = 1\text{ A}; \text{pulsed}; t_p \leq 300\text{ }\mu\text{s}; \delta \leq 0.02; T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	300	520	-	
		$V_{CE} = 2\text{ V}; I_C = 2\text{ A}; \text{pulsed}; t_p \leq 300\text{ }\mu\text{s}; \delta \leq 0.02; T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	250	480	-	
		$V_{CE} = 2\text{ V}; I_C = 4\text{ A}; \text{pulsed}; t_p \leq 300\text{ }\mu\text{s}; \delta \leq 0.02; T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	200	420	-	
		$V_{CE} = 2\text{ V}; I_C = 6\text{ A}; \text{pulsed}; t_p \leq 300\text{ }\mu\text{s}; \delta \leq 0.02; T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	200	340	-	
$V_{CEsat}$	collector-emitter saturation voltage	$I_C = 0.5\text{ A}; I_B = 50\text{ mA}; \text{pulsed}; t_p \leq 300\text{ }\mu\text{s}; \delta \leq 0.02; T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	-	18	25	mV
		$I_C = 1\text{ A}; I_B = 50\text{ mA}; \text{pulsed}; t_p \leq 300\text{ }\mu\text{s}; \delta \leq 0.02; T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	-	35	50	mV
		$I_C = 1\text{ A}; I_B = 10\text{ mA}; \text{pulsed}; t_p \leq 300\text{ }\mu\text{s}; \delta \leq 0.02; T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	-	50	70	mV
		$I_C = 2\text{ A}; I_B = 40\text{ mA}; \text{pulsed}; t_p \leq 300\text{ }\mu\text{s}; \delta \leq 0.02; T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	-	70	100	mV
		$I_C = 4\text{ A}; I_B = 200\text{ mA}; \text{pulsed}; t_p \leq 300\text{ }\mu\text{s}; \delta \leq 0.02; T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	-	110	160	mV
		$I_C = 4\text{ A}; I_B = 400\text{ mA}; \text{pulsed}; t_p \leq 300\text{ }\mu\text{s}; \delta \leq 0.02; T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	-	100	140	mV
		$I_C = 4\text{ A}; I_B = 40\text{ mA}; \text{pulsed}; t_p \leq 300\text{ }\mu\text{s}; \delta \leq 0.02; T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	-	125	190	mV
		$I_C = 5.3\text{ A}; I_B = 265\text{ mA}; \text{pulsed}; t_p \leq 300\text{ }\mu\text{s}; \delta \leq 0.02; T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	-	140	200	mV
$R_{CEsat}$	collector-emitter saturation resistance	$I_C = 4\text{ A}; I_B = 200\text{ mA}; \text{pulsed}; t_p \leq 300\text{ }\mu\text{s}; \delta \leq 0.02; T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	-	28	40	m $\Omega$
		$I_C = 4\text{ A}; I_B = 40\text{ mA}; \text{pulsed}; t_p \leq 300\text{ }\mu\text{s}; \delta \leq 0.02; T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	-	32	48	m $\Omega$
$V_{BEsat}$	base-emitter saturation voltage	$I_C = 1\text{ A}; I_B = 100\text{ mA}; \text{pulsed}; t_p \leq 300\text{ }\mu\text{s}; \delta \leq 0.02; T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	-	0.81	0.9	V
		$I_C = 4\text{ A}; I_B = 400\text{ mA}; \text{pulsed}; t_p \leq 300\text{ }\mu\text{s}; \delta \leq 0.02; T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	-	0.92	1.05	V
$V_{BEon}$	base-emitter turn-on voltage	$V_{CE} = 2\text{ V}; I_C = 2\text{ A}; \text{pulsed}; t_p \leq 300\text{ }\mu\text{s}; \delta \leq 0.02; T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	-	0.75	0.85	V
$t_d$	delay time	$V_{CC} = 12.5\text{ V}; I_C = 3\text{ A}; I_{Bon} = 0.15\text{ A}; I_{Boff} = -0.15\text{ A}; T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	-	15	-	ns
$t_r$	rise time		-	40	-	ns
$t_{on}$	turn-on time		-	55	-	ns
$t_s$	storage time		-	195	-	ns
$t_f$	fall time		-	75	-	ns
$t_{off}$	turn-off time		-	270	-	ns

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
$f_T$	transition frequency	$V_{CE} = 10\text{ V}$ ; $I_C = 3\text{ A}$ ; $f = 100\text{ MHz}$ ; $T_{amb} = 25\text{ °C}$	-	140	-	MHz
$C_c$	collector capacitance	$V_{CB} = 10\text{ V}$ ; $I_E = 0\text{ A}$ ; $i_e = 0\text{ A}$ ; $f = 1\text{ MHz}$ ; $T_{amb} = 25\text{ °C}$	-	125	160	pF

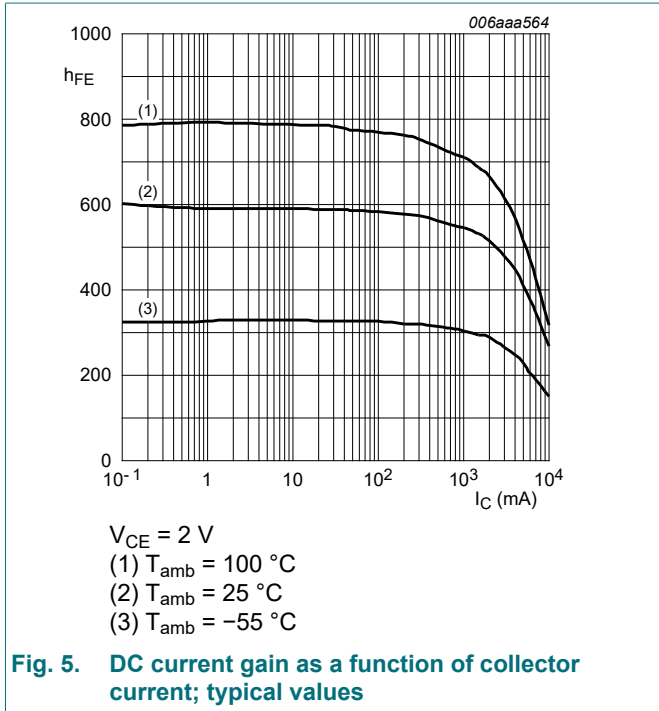


Fig. 5. DC current gain as a function of collector current; typical values

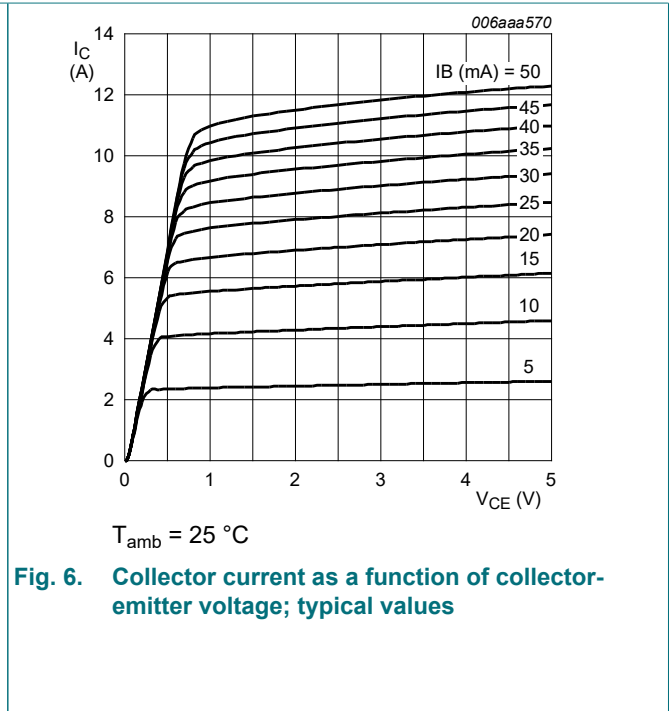


Fig. 6. Collector current as a function of collector-emitter voltage; typical values

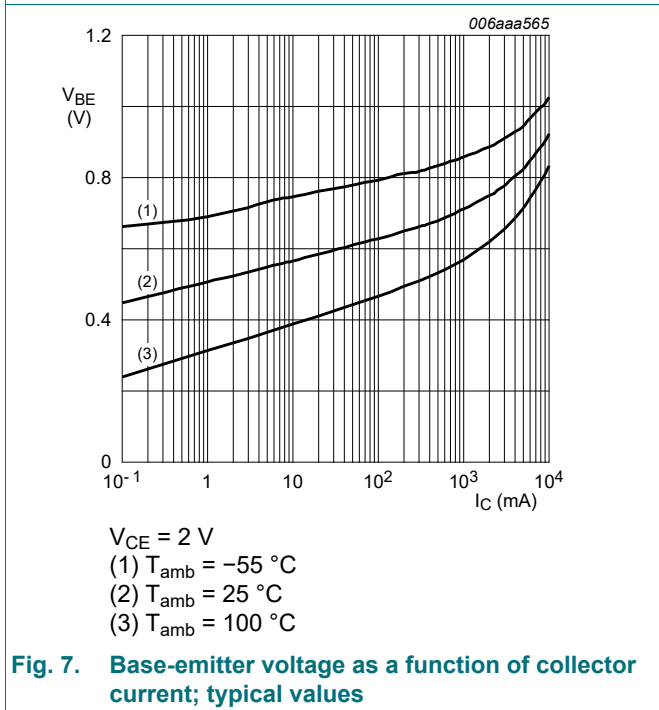


Fig. 7. Base-emitter voltage as a function of collector current; typical values

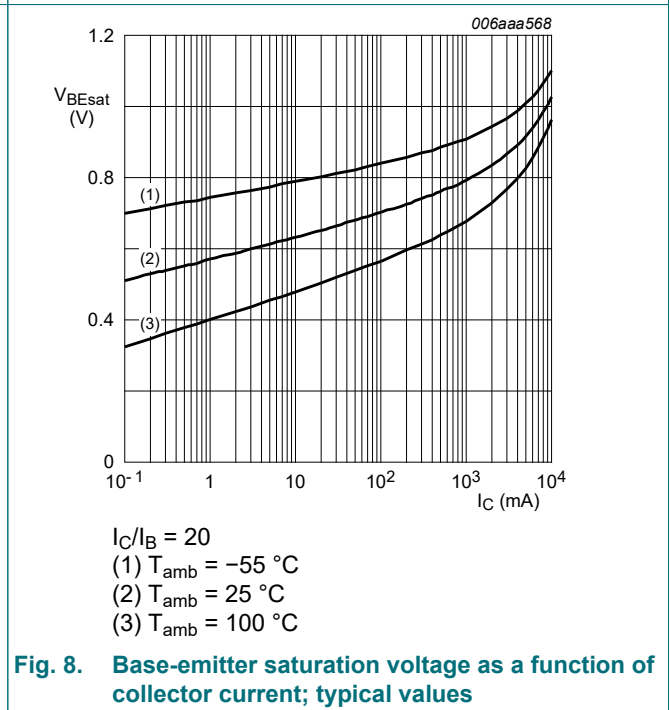


Fig. 8. Base-emitter saturation voltage as a function of collector current; typical values

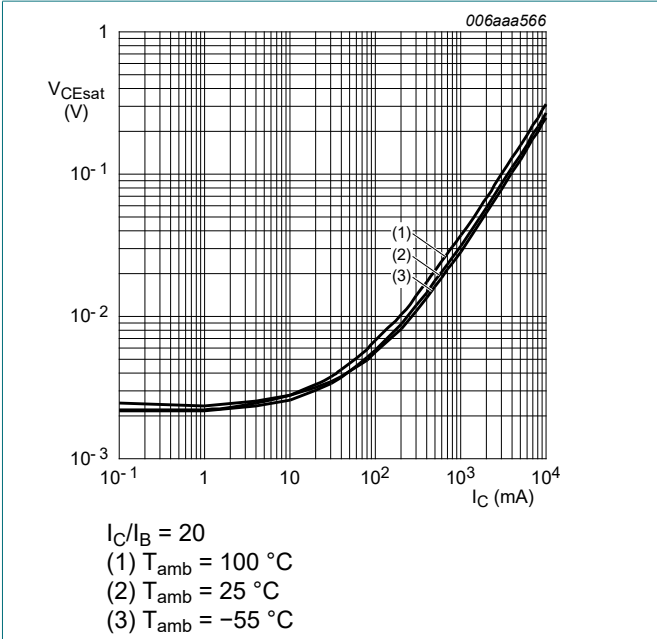


Fig. 9. Collector-emitter saturation voltage as a function of collector current; typical values

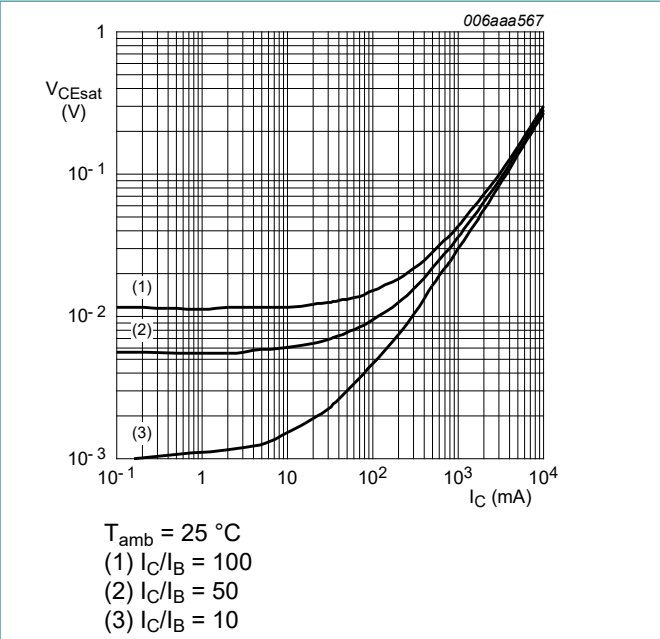


Fig. 10. Collector-emitter saturation voltage as a function of collector current; typical values

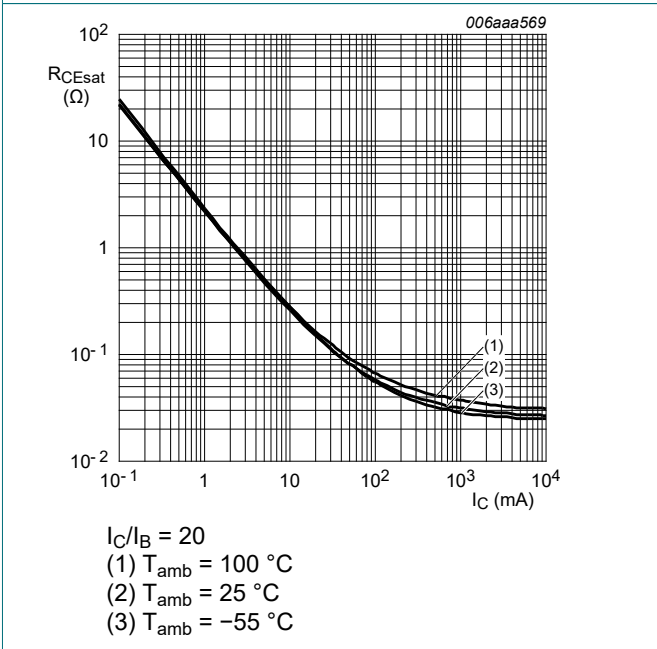


Fig. 11. Collector-emitter saturation resistance as a function of collector current; typical values

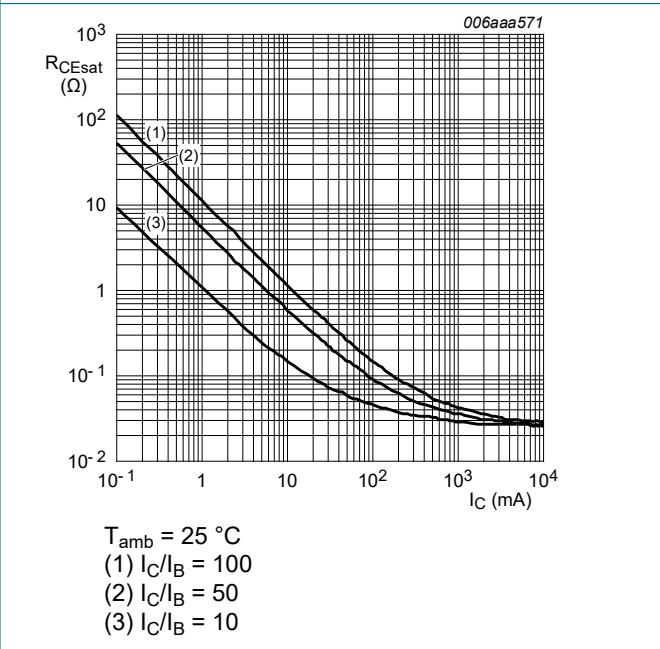


Fig. 12. Collector-emitter saturation resistance as a function of collector current; typical values

## 11. Test information

### 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.

## 12. Package outline

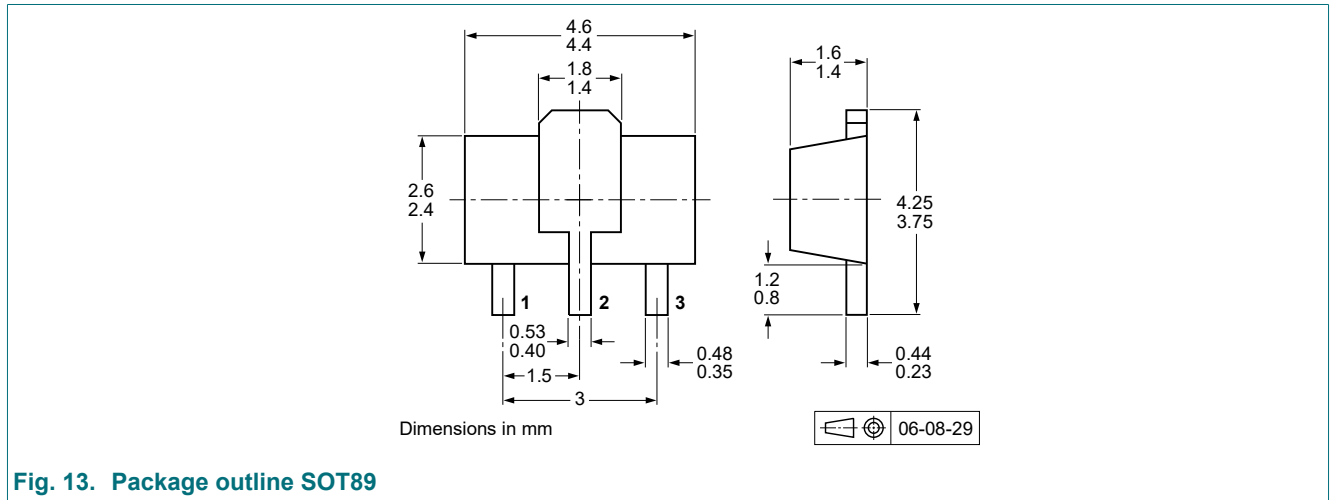


Fig. 13. Package outline SOT89

## 13. Soldering

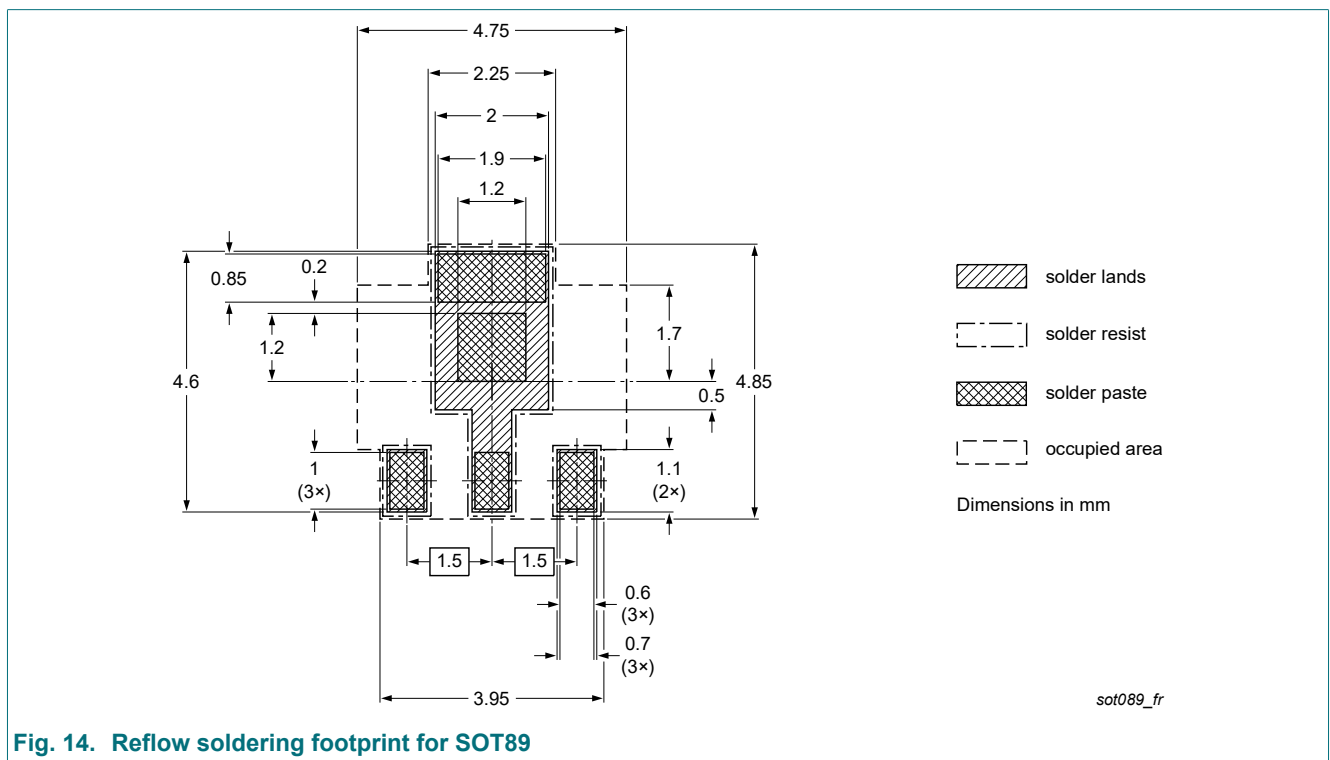


Fig. 14. Reflow soldering footprint for SOT89



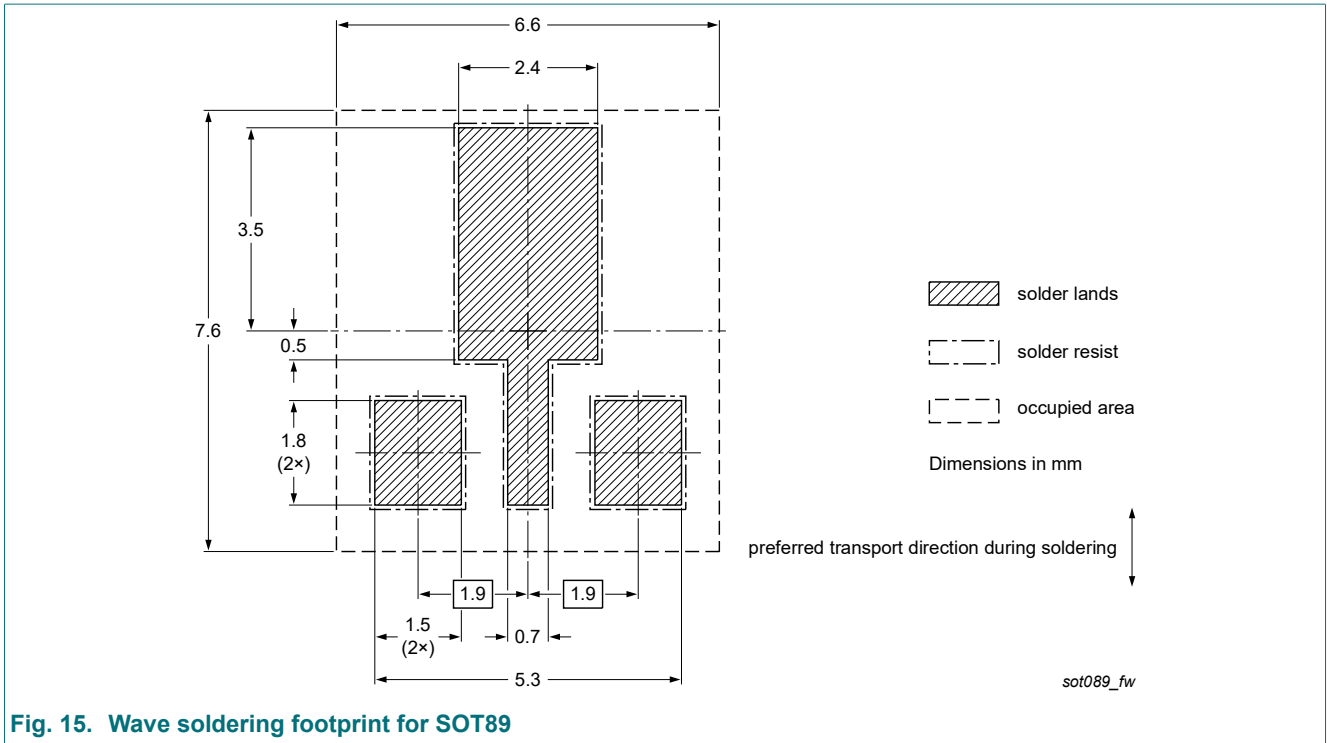


Fig. 15. Wave soldering footprint for SOT89

## 14. Revision history

Table 8. Revision history

Data sheet ID	Release date	Data sheet status	Change notice	Supersedes
PBSS301NX v.3	20240206	Product data sheet	-	PBSS301NX v.2
Modifications:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>The format of this data sheet has been redesigned to comply with the identity guidelines of Nexperia.</li><li>Legal texts have been adapted to the new company name where appropriate.</li><li>Section "Packing information" removed.</li></ul>			
PBSS301NX v.2	20091117	Product data sheet	-	PBSS301NX v.1
PBSS301NX v.1	20060822	Product data sheet	-	-

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