



# PBSS4230PAN-Q

30 V, 2 A NPN/NPN low  $V_{CEsat}$  transistor

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Product data sheet

## 1. General description

NPN/NPN low  $V_{CEsat}$  transistor in a leadless medium power DFN2020-6 (SOT1118) Surface-Mounted Device (SMD) plastic package.

PNP/PNP complement: PBSS5230PAP-Q

## 2. Features and benefits

- Very low collector-emitter saturation voltage  $V_{CEsat}$
- High collector current capability  $I_C$  and  $I_{CM}$
- High collector current gain  $h_{FE}$  at high  $I_C$
- Reduced Printed-Circuit Board (PCB) requirements
- High efficiency due to less heat generation
- Qualified according to AEC-Q101 and recommended for use in automotive applications

## 3. Applications

- Load switch
- Battery-driven devices
- Power management
- Charging circuits
- Power switches (e.g. motors, fans)

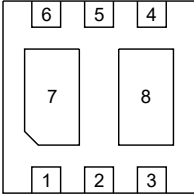
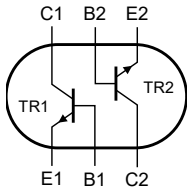
## 4. Quick reference data

Table 1. Quick reference data

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
<b>Per transistor</b>						
$V_{CEO}$	collector-emitter voltage	open base	-	-	30	V
$I_C$	collector current		-	-	2	A
$I_{CM}$	peak collector current	single pulse; $t_p \leq 1$ ms	-	-	3	A
$R_{CEsat}$	collector-emitter saturation resistance	$I_C = 1$ A; $I_B = 0.1$ A; pulsed; $t_p \leq 300$ $\mu$ s; $\delta \leq 0.02$ ; $T_{amb} = 25$ °C	-	-	145	m $\Omega$

5. Pinning information

Table 2. Pinning information

Pin	Symbol	Description	Simplified outline	Graphic symbol
1	E1	emitter TR1	 <p>Transparent top view <b>DFN2020-6 (SOT1118)</b></p>	 <p><i>sym140</i></p>
2	B1	base TR1		
3	C2	collector TR2		
4	E2	emitter TR2		
5	B2	base TR2		
6	C1	collector TR1		
7	C1	collector TR1		
8	C2	collector TR2		

6. Ordering information

Table 3. Ordering information

Type number	Package		
	Name	Description	Version
<a href="#">PBSS4230PAN-Q</a>	DFN2020-6	plastic, leadless thermal enhanced ultra thin small outline package; no leads; 6 terminals; 0.65 mm pitch; 2 mm x 2 mm x 0.65 mm body	<a href="#">SOT1118</a>

7. Marking

Table 4. Marking codes

Type number	Marking code
PBSS4230PAN-Q	2G

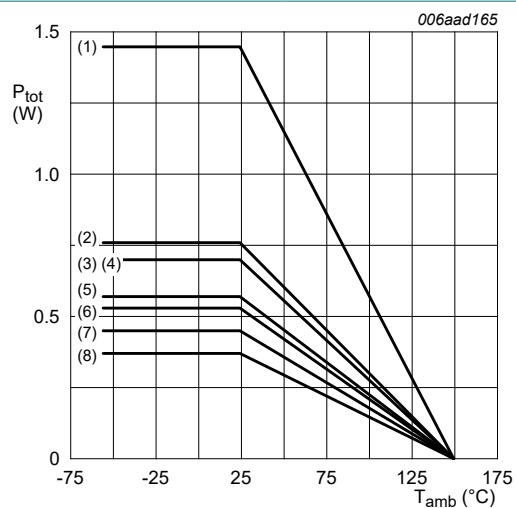
8. Limiting values

Table 5. Limiting values

In accordance with the Absolute Maximum Rating System (IEC 60134).

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions		Min	Max	Unit
Per transistor						
V <sub>CBO</sub>	collector-base voltage	open emitter		-	30	V
V <sub>CEO</sub>	collector-emitter voltage	open base		-	30	V
V <sub>EBO</sub>	emitter-base voltage	open collector		-	7	V
I <sub>C</sub>	collector current			-	2	A
I <sub>CM</sub>	peak collector current	single pulse; t <sub>p</sub> ≤ 1 ms		-	3	A
I <sub>B</sub>	base current			-	0.3	A
I <sub>BM</sub>	peak base current	single pulse; t <sub>p</sub> ≤ 1 ms		-	1	A
P <sub>tot</sub>	total power dissipation	T <sub>amb</sub> ≤ 25 °C	[1]	-	370	mW
			[2]	-	570	mW
			[3]	-	530	mW
			[4]	-	700	mW
			[5]	-	450	mW
			[6]	-	760	mW
			[7]	-	700	mW
			[8]	-	1450	mW
Per device						
P <sub>tot</sub>	total power dissipation	T <sub>amb</sub> ≤ 25 °C	[1]	-	510	mW
			[2]	-	780	mW
			[3]	-	730	mW
			[4]	-	960	mW
			[5]	-	620	mW
			[6]	-	1040	mW
			[7]	-	960	mW
			[8]	-	2000	mW
T <sub>j</sub>	junction temperature			-	150	°C
T <sub>amb</sub>	ambient temperature			-55	150	°C
T <sub>stg</sub>	storage temperature			-65	150	°C

- [1] Device mounted on an FR4 PCB, single-sided 35 µm copper strip line, tin-plated and standard footprint.
- [2] Device mounted on an FR4 PCB, single-sided 35 µm copper strip line, tin-plated, mounting pad for collector 1 cm<sup>2</sup>.
- [3] Device mounted on 4-layer PCB 35 µm copper strip line, tin-plated and standard footprint.
- [4] Device mounted on 4-layer PCB 35 µm copper strip line, tin-plated, mounting pad for collector 1 cm<sup>2</sup>.
- [5] Device mounted on an FR4 PCB, single-sided 70 µm copper strip line, tin-plated and standard footprint.
- [6] Device mounted on an FR4 PCB, single-sided 70 µm copper strip line, tin-plated, mounting pad for collector 1 cm<sup>2</sup>.
- [7] Device mounted on 4-layer PCB 70 µm copper strip line, tin-plated and standard footprint.
- [8] Device mounted on 4-layer PCB 70 µm copper strip line, tin-plated, mounting pad for collector 1 cm<sup>2</sup>.



- (1) 4-layer PCB 70  $\mu\text{m}$ , mounting pad for collector 1  $\text{cm}^2$
- (2) FR4 PCB 70  $\mu\text{m}$ , mounting pad for collector 1  $\text{cm}^2$
- (3) 4-layer PCB 70  $\mu\text{m}$ , standard footprint
- (4) 4-layer PCB 35  $\mu\text{m}$ , mounting pad for collector 1  $\text{cm}^2$
- (5) FR4 PCB 35  $\mu\text{m}$ , mounting pad for collector 1  $\text{cm}^2$
- (6) 4-layer PCB 35  $\mu\text{m}$ , standard footprint
- (7) FR4 PCB 70  $\mu\text{m}$ , standard footprint
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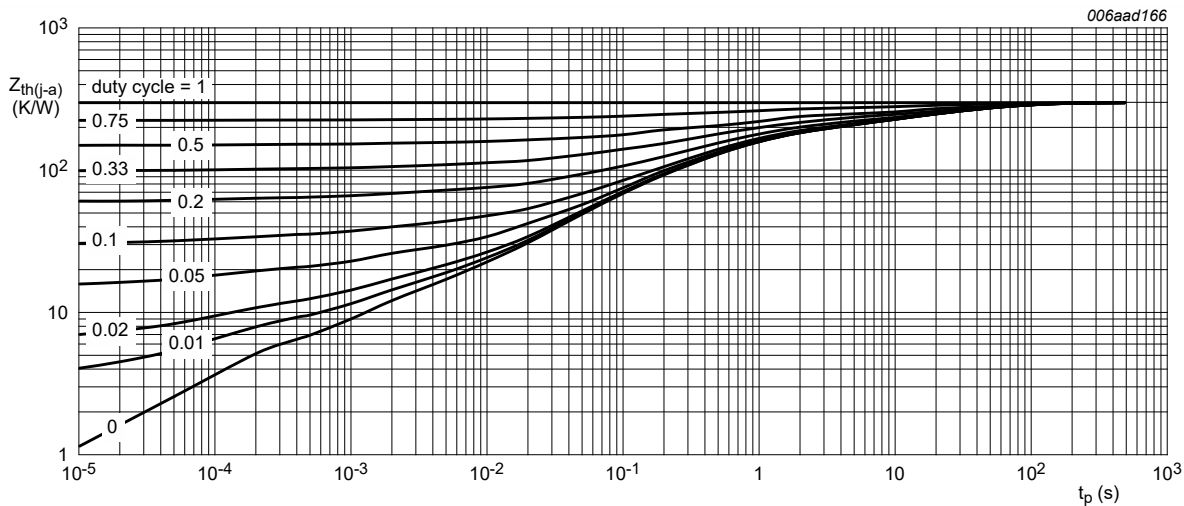
**Fig. 1. Per transistor: power derating curves**

9. Thermal characteristics

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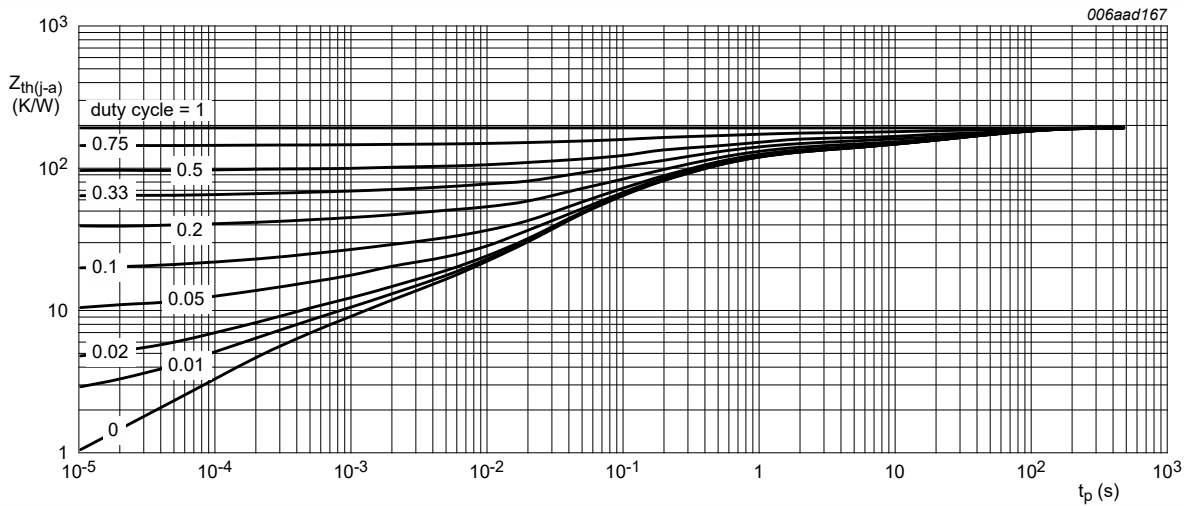
Symbol	Parameter	Conditions		Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Per transistor							
R <sub>th(j-a)</sub>	thermal resistance from junction to ambient	in free air	[1]	-	-	338	K/W
			[2]	-	-	219	K/W
			[3]	-	-	236	K/W
			[4]	-	-	179	K/W
			[5]	-	-	278	K/W
			[6]	-	-	164	K/W
			[7]	-	-	179	K/W
			[8]	-	-	86	K/W
R <sub>th(j-sp)</sub>	thermal resistance from junction to solder point			-	-	30	K/W
Per device							
R <sub>th(j-a)</sub>	thermal resistance from junction to ambient	in free air	[1]	-	-	245	K/W
			[2]	-	-	160	K/W
			[3]	-	-	171	K/W
			[4]	-	-	130	K/W
			[5]	-	-	202	K/W
			[6]	-	-	120	K/W
			[7]	-	-	130	K/W
			[8]	-	-	63	K/W

- [1] Device mounted on an FR4 PCB, single-sided 35 µm copper strip line, tin-plated and standard footprint.
- [2] Device mounted on an FR4 PCB, single-sided 35 µm copper strip line, tin-plated, mounting pad for collector 1 cm<sup>2</sup>.
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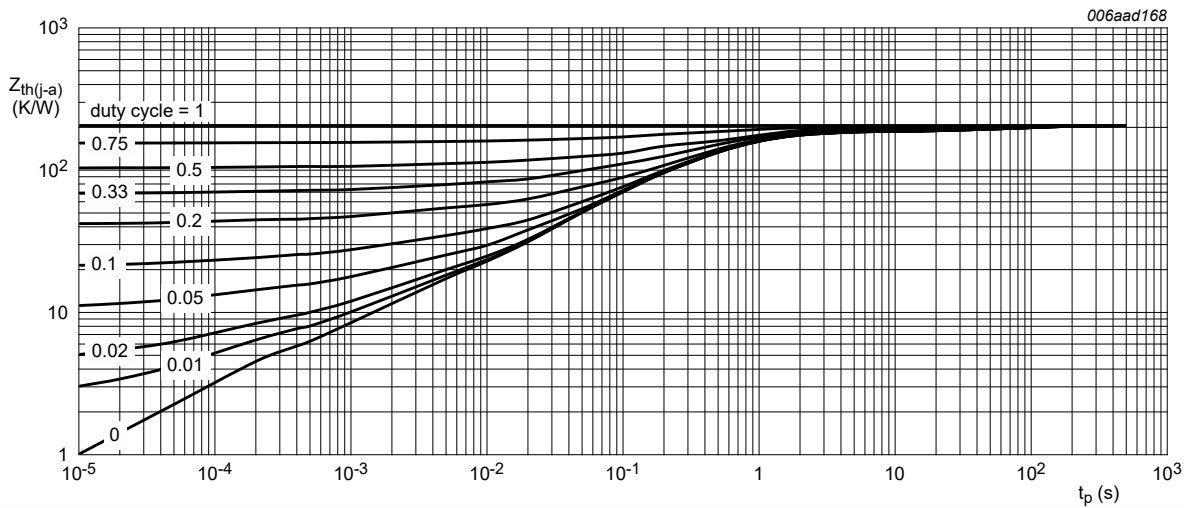
FR4 PCB 35  $\mu$ m, standard footprint

**Fig. 2.** Per transistor: transient thermal impedance from junction to ambient as a function of pulse duration; typical values



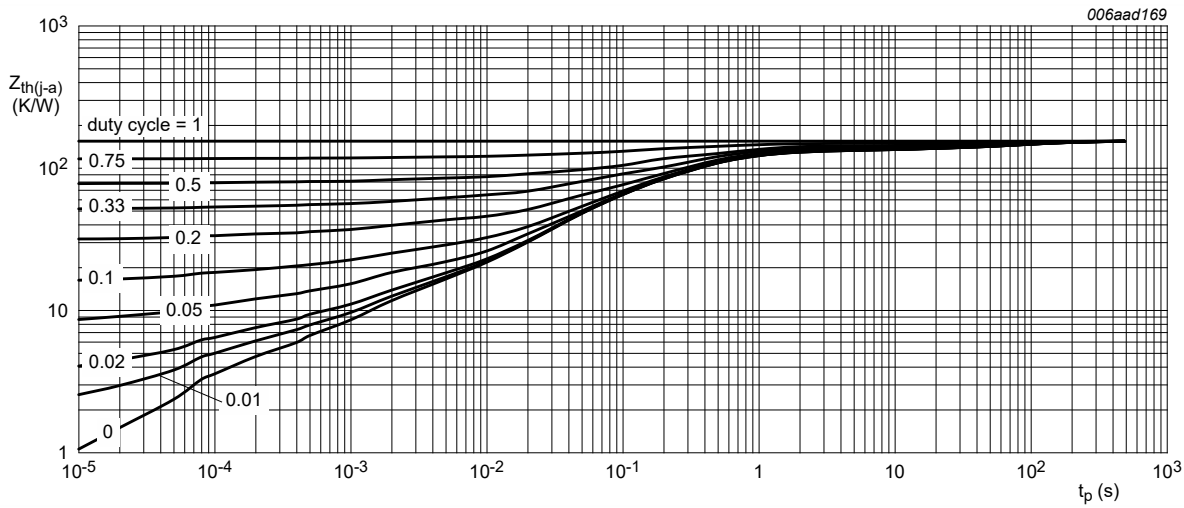
FR4 PCB 35  $\mu$ m, mounting pad for collector 1 cm<sup>2</sup>

**Fig. 3.** Per transistor: transient thermal impedance from junction to ambient as a function of pulse duration; typical values



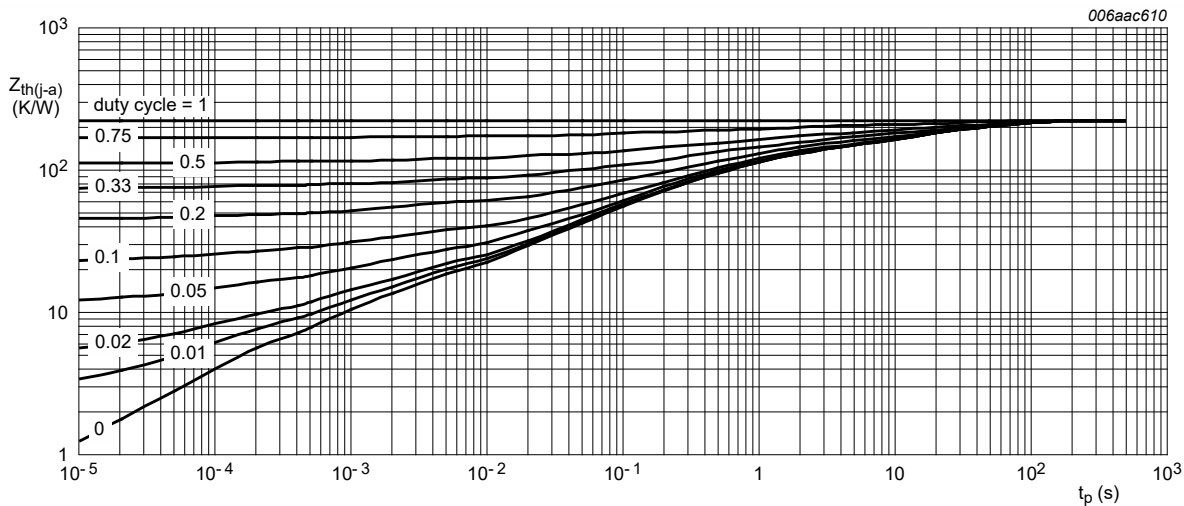
4-layer PCB 35  $\mu$ m, standard footprint

Fig. 4. Per transistor: transient thermal impedance from junction to ambient as a function of pulse duration; typical values



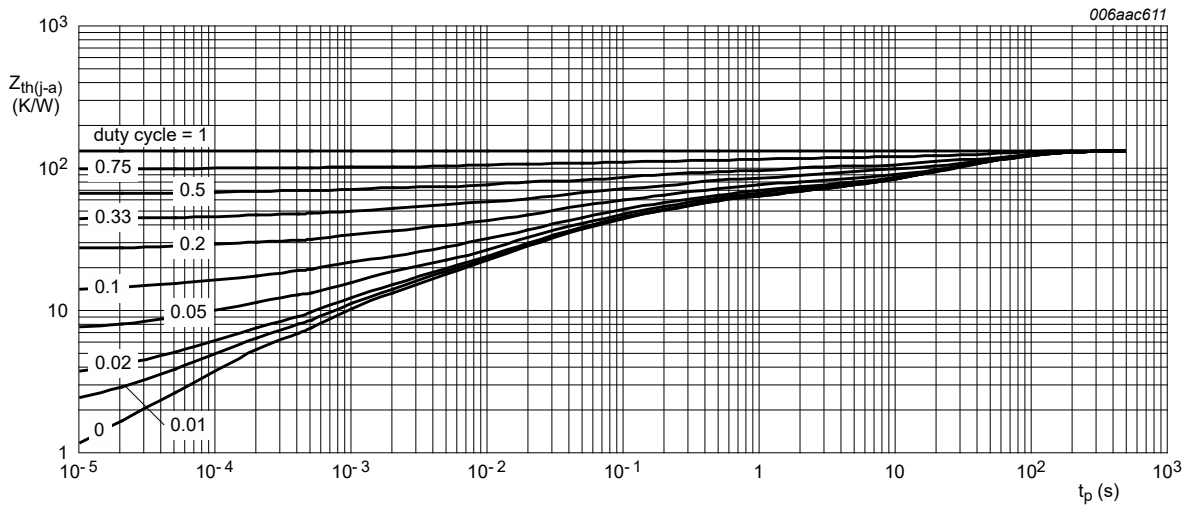
4-layer PCB 35  $\mu$ m, mounting pad for collector 1 cm<sup>2</sup>

Fig. 5. Per transistor: transient thermal impedance from junction to ambient as a function of pulse duration; typical values



FR4 PCB 70  $\mu$ m, standard footprint

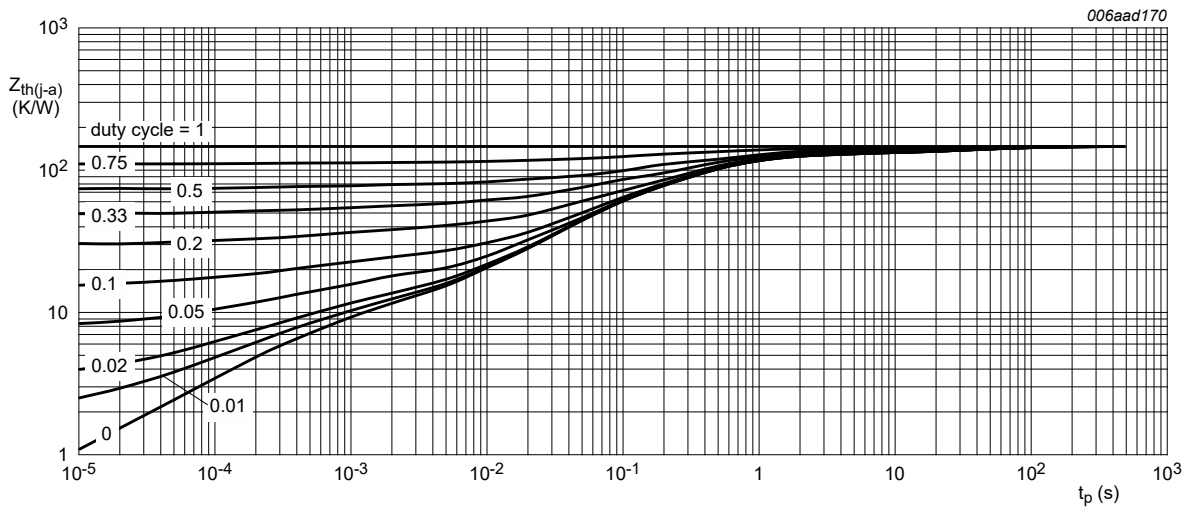
Fig. 6. Per transistor: transient thermal impedance from junction to ambient as a function of pulse duration; typical values



FR4 PCB 70  $\mu$ m, mounting pad for collector 1 cm<sup>2</sup>

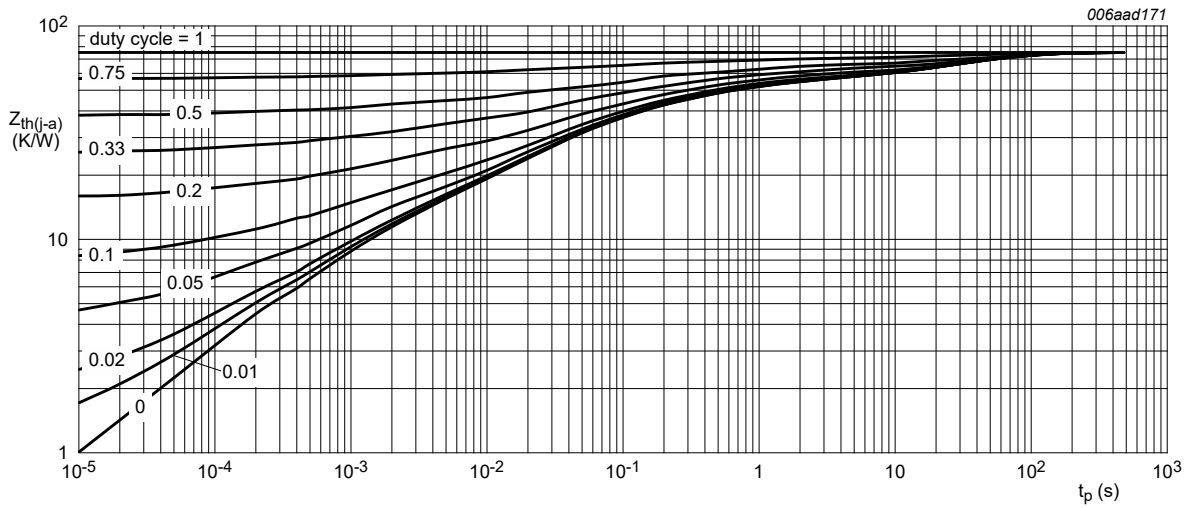
Fig. 7. Per transistor: transient thermal impedance from junction to ambient as a function of pulse duration; typical values





4-layer PCB 70  $\mu$ m, standard footprint

Fig. 8. Per transistor: transient thermal impedance from junction to ambient as a function of pulse duration; typical values



4-layer PCB 70  $\mu$ m, mounting pad for collector 1 cm<sup>2</sup>

Fig. 9. Per transistor: transient thermal impedance from junction to ambient as a function of pulse duration; typical values

10. Characteristics

Table 7. Characteristics

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions		Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Per transistor							
I <sub>CBO</sub>	collector-base cut-off current	V <sub>CB</sub> = 24 V; I <sub>E</sub> = 0 A; T <sub>amb</sub> = 25 °C		-	-	100	nA
		V <sub>CB</sub> = 24 V; I <sub>E</sub> = 0 A; T <sub>j</sub> = 150 °C		-	-	50	µA
I <sub>EBO</sub>	emitter-base cut-off current	V <sub>EB</sub> = 5 V; I <sub>C</sub> = 0 A; T <sub>amb</sub> = 25 °C		-	-	100	nA
h <sub>FE</sub>	DC current gain	V <sub>CE</sub> = 2 V; I <sub>C</sub> = 100 mA; pulsed; t <sub>p</sub> ≤ 300 µs; δ ≤ 0.02; T <sub>amb</sub> = 25 °C		250	380	-	
		V <sub>CE</sub> = 2 V; I <sub>C</sub> = 500 mA; pulsed; t <sub>p</sub> ≤ 300 µs; δ ≤ 0.02; T <sub>amb</sub> = 25 °C		230	350	-	
		V <sub>CE</sub> = 2 V; I <sub>C</sub> = 1 A; pulsed; t <sub>p</sub> ≤ 300 µs; δ ≤ 0.02; T <sub>amb</sub> = 25 °C		200	310	-	
		V <sub>CE</sub> = 2 V; I <sub>C</sub> = 2 A; pulsed; t <sub>p</sub> ≤ 300 µs; δ ≤ 0.02; T <sub>amb</sub> = 25 °C		150	230	-	
V <sub>CEsat</sub>	collector-emitter saturation voltage	I <sub>C</sub> = 500 mA; I <sub>B</sub> = 50 mA; T <sub>amb</sub> = 25 °C		-	60	80	mV
		I <sub>C</sub> = 1 A; I <sub>B</sub> = 50 mA; pulsed; t <sub>p</sub> ≤ 300 µs; δ ≤ 0.02; T <sub>amb</sub> = 25 °C		-	120	160	mV
		I <sub>C</sub> = 2 A; I <sub>B</sub> = 100 mA; pulsed; t <sub>p</sub> ≤ 300 µs; δ ≤ 0.02; T <sub>amb</sub> = 25 °C		-	230	300	mV
		I <sub>C</sub> = 2 A; I <sub>B</sub> = 200 mA; pulsed; t <sub>p</sub> ≤ 300 µs; δ ≤ 0.02; T <sub>amb</sub> = 25 °C		-	220	290	mV
R <sub>CEsat</sub>	collector-emitter saturation resistance	I <sub>C</sub> = 1 A; I <sub>B</sub> = 0.1 A; pulsed; t <sub>p</sub> ≤ 300 µs; δ ≤ 0.02; T <sub>amb</sub> = 25 °C		-	-	145	mΩ
V <sub>BEsat</sub>	base-emitter saturation voltage	I <sub>C</sub> = 500 mA; I <sub>B</sub> = 50 mA; T <sub>amb</sub> = 25 °C		-	-	1	V
		I <sub>C</sub> = 1 A; I <sub>B</sub> = 50 mA; pulsed; t <sub>p</sub> ≤ 300 µs; δ ≤ 0.02; T <sub>amb</sub> = 25 °C		-	-	1	V
		I <sub>C</sub> = 2 A; I <sub>B</sub> = 100 mA; pulsed; t <sub>p</sub> ≤ 300 µs; δ ≤ 0.02; T <sub>amb</sub> = 25 °C		-	-	1.1	V
		I <sub>C</sub> = 2 A; I <sub>B</sub> = 200 mA; pulsed; t <sub>p</sub> ≤ 300 µs; δ ≤ 0.02; T <sub>amb</sub> = 25 °C		-	-	1.2	V
V <sub>BEon</sub>	base-emitter turn-on voltage	V <sub>CE</sub> = 2 V; I <sub>C</sub> = 0.5 A; pulsed; t <sub>p</sub> ≤ 300 µs; δ ≤ 0.02; T <sub>amb</sub> = 25 °C		-	-	0.9	V
t <sub>d</sub>	delay time	V <sub>CC</sub> = 12.5 V; I <sub>C</sub> = 1 A; I <sub>Bon</sub> = 50 mA; I <sub>Boff</sub> = -50 mA; T <sub>amb</sub> = 25 °C		-	10	-	ns
t <sub>r</sub>	rise time			-	50	-	ns
t <sub>on</sub>	turn-on time			-	60	-	ns
t <sub>s</sub>	storage time			-	310	-	ns
t <sub>f</sub>	fall time			-	60	-	ns
t <sub>off</sub>	turn-off time			-	370	-	ns
f <sub>T</sub>	transition frequency	V <sub>CE</sub> = 10 V; I <sub>C</sub> = 50 mA; f = 100 MHz; T <sub>amb</sub> = 25 °C		60	120	-	MHz
C <sub>c</sub>	collector capacitance	V <sub>CB</sub> = 10 V; I <sub>E</sub> = 0 A; i <sub>e</sub> = 0 A; f = 1 MHz; T <sub>amb</sub> = 25 °C		-	13.5	18	pF

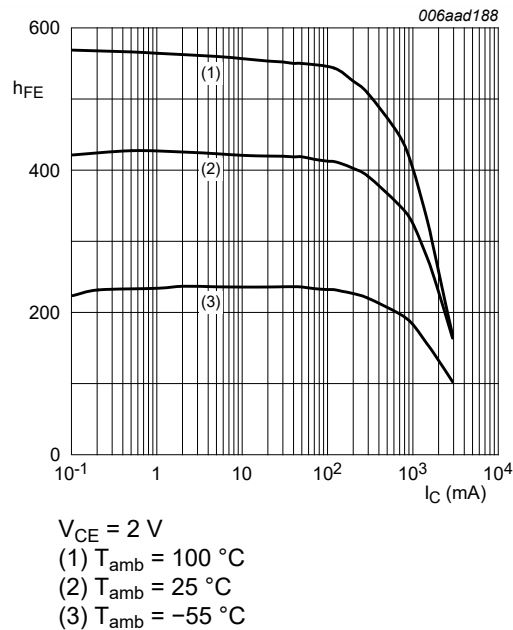


Fig. 10. DC current gain as a function of collector current; typical values

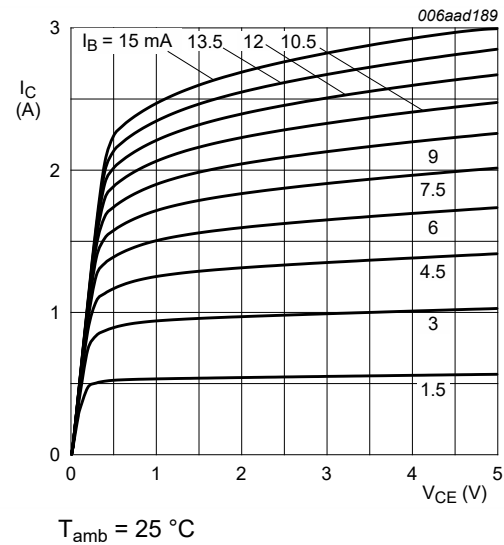


Fig. 11. Collector current as a function of collector-emitter voltage; typical values

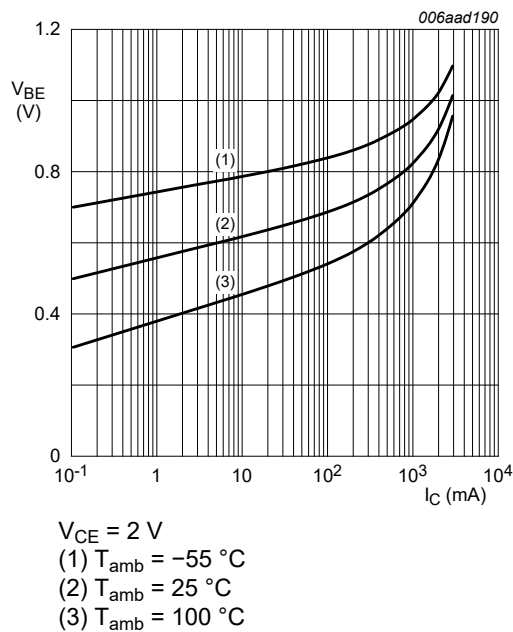


Fig. 12. Base-emitter voltage as a function of collector current; typical values

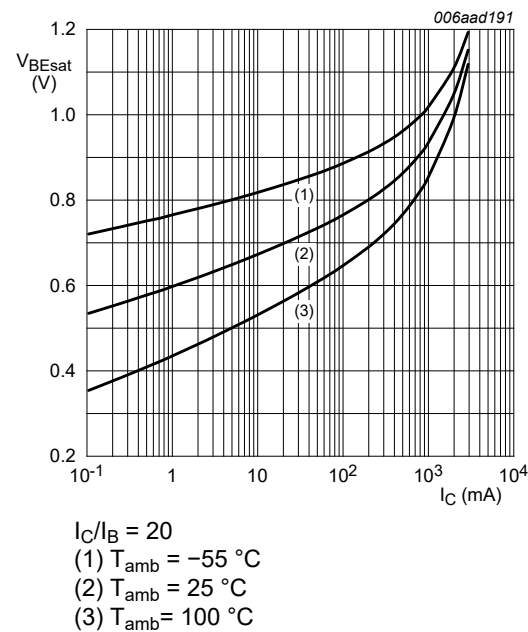


Fig. 13. Base-emitter saturation voltage as a function of collector current; typical values

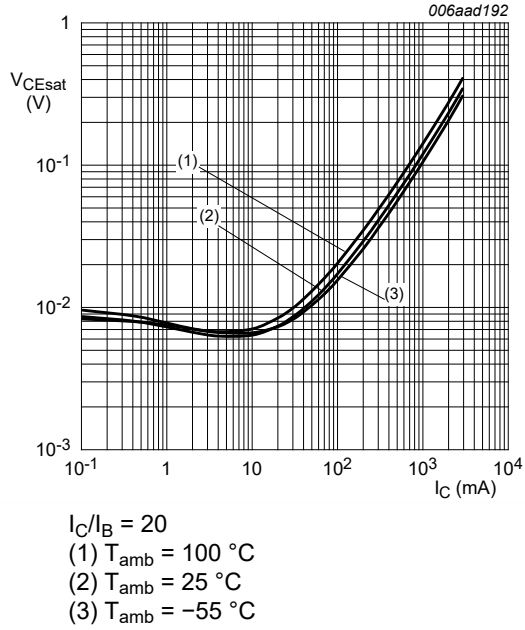


Fig. 14. Collector-emitter saturation voltage as a function of collector current; typical values

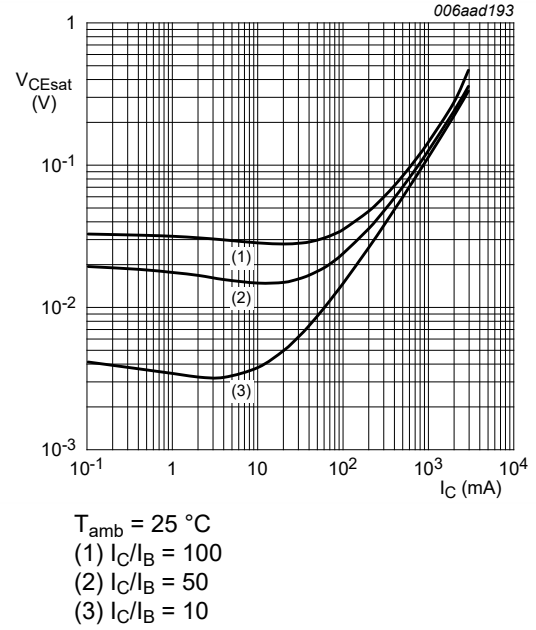


Fig. 15. Collector-emitter saturation voltage as a function of collector current; typical values

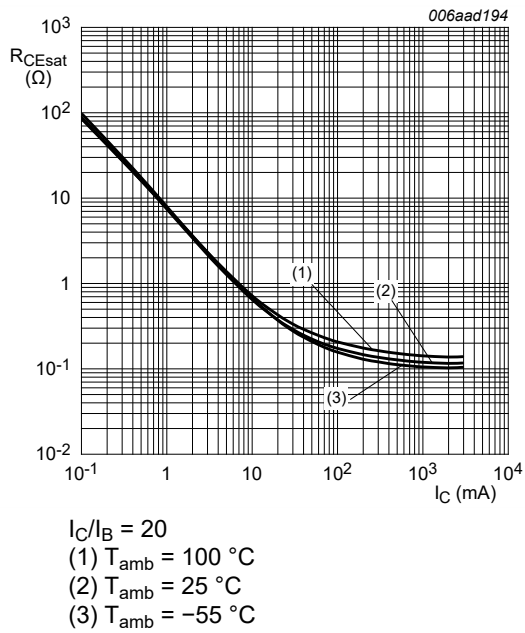


Fig. 16. Collector-emitter saturation resistance as a function of collector current; typical values

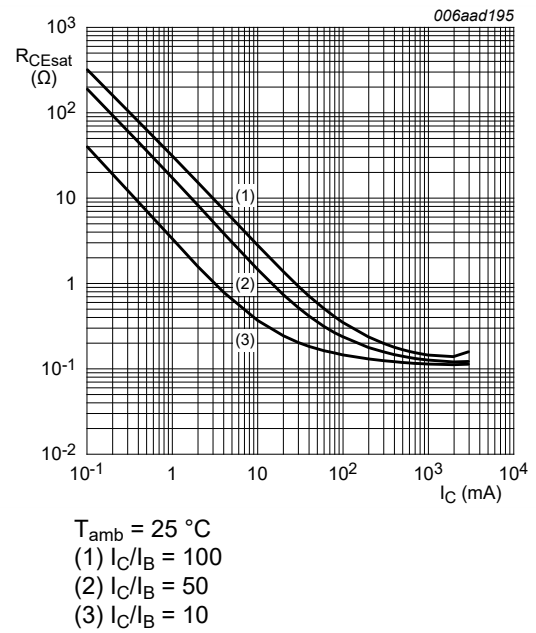


Fig. 17. Collector-emitter saturation resistance as a function of collector current; typical values

11. Test information

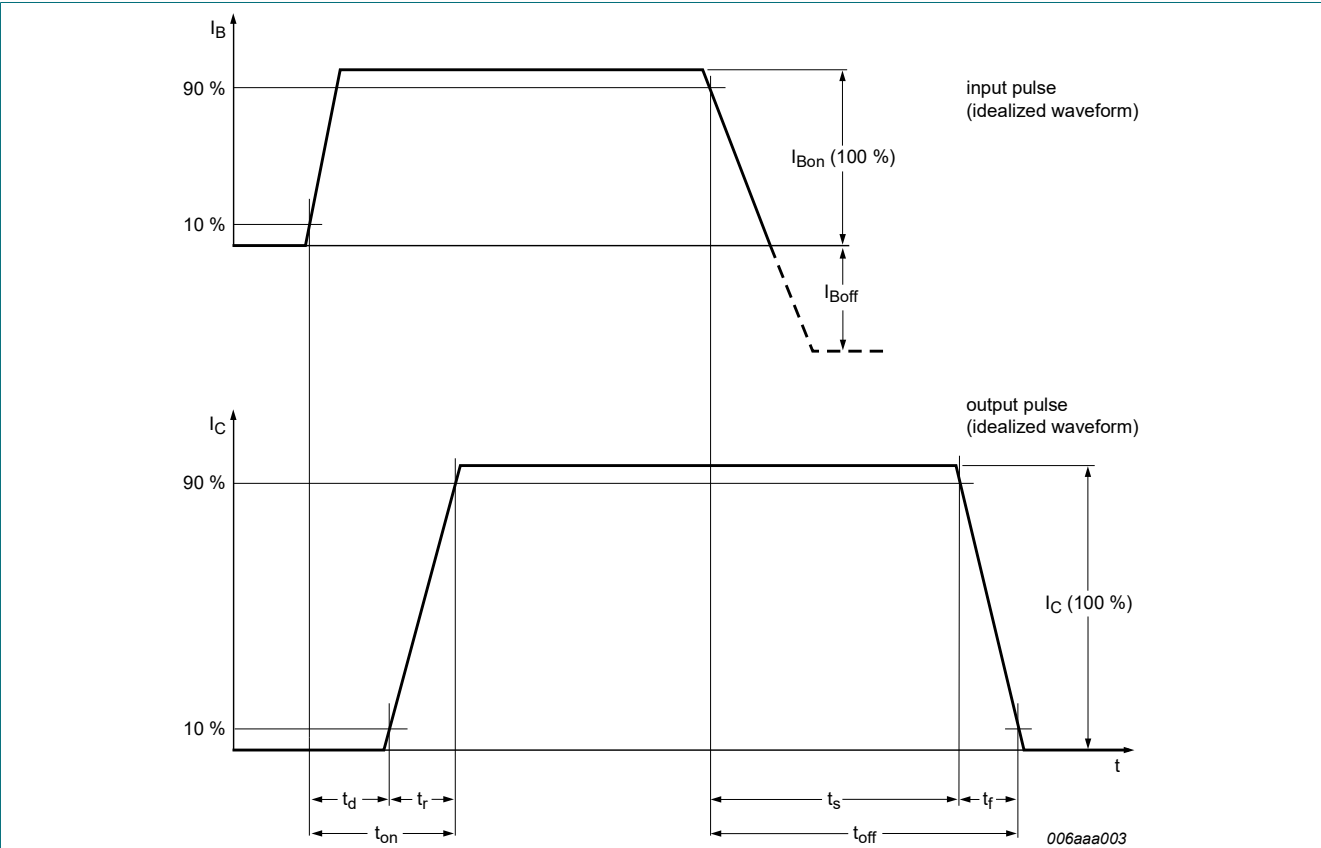


Fig. 18. Switching time definition

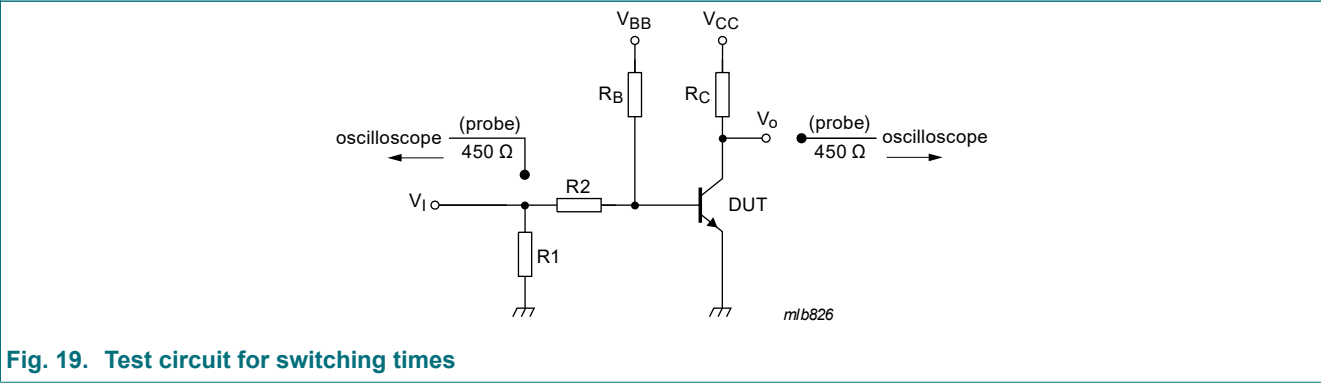
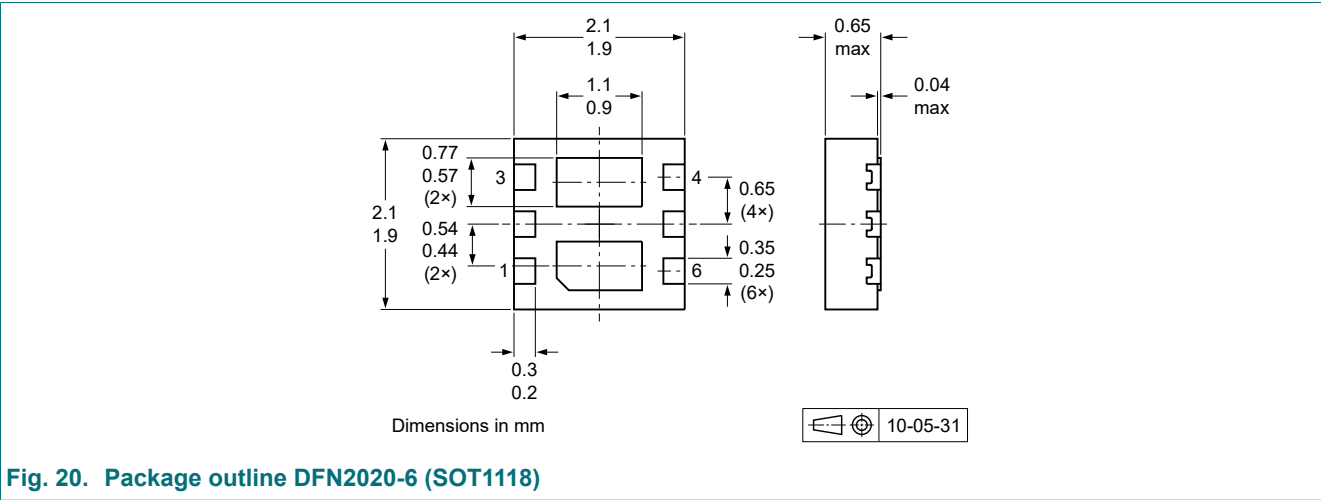


Fig. 19. Test circuit for switching times

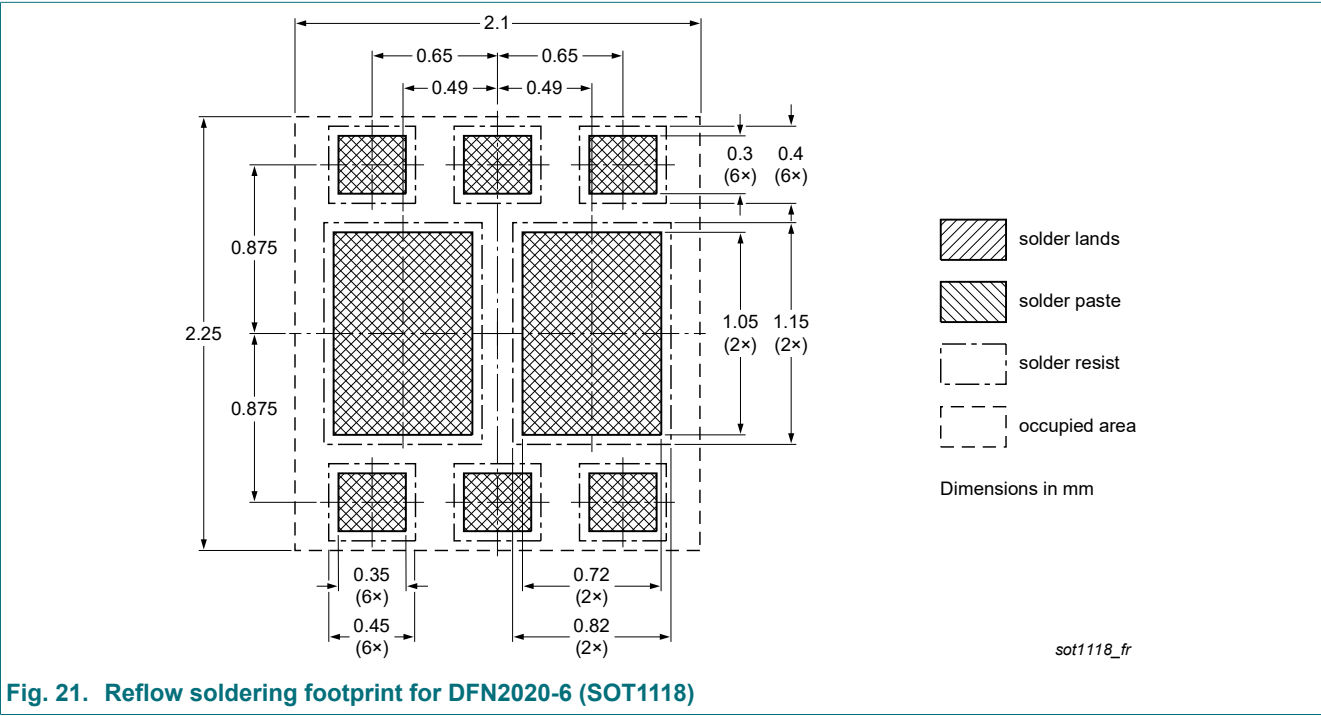
Quality information

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



13. Soldering



14. Revision history

Table 8. Revision history

Data sheet ID	Release date	Data sheet status	Change notice	Supersedes
PBSS4230PAN-Q v.1	20250407	Product data sheet	-	-

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