MMBT3906

40 V, 200 mA PNP switching transistor

10 April 2025 Product data sheet

1. General description

PNP switching transistor in a small SOT23 Surface-Mounted Device (SMD) plastic package.

NPN complement: MMBT3904

2. Features and benefits

- Collector current capability I_C = -200 mA
- Collector-emitter voltage V_{CEO} = -40 V
- AEC-Q101 qualified

3. Applications

- General switching and amplification

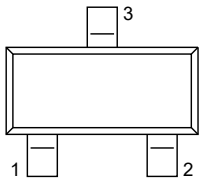
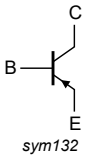
4. Quick reference data

Table 1. Quick reference data

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions		Min	Typ	Max	Unit
V_{CEO}	collector-emitter voltage	open base		-	-	-40	V
I_C	collector current			-	-	-200	mA
h_{FE}	DC current gain	V_{CE} = -1 V; I_C = -0.1 mA; T_{amb} = 25 °C		60	-	-	

5. Pinning information

Table 2. Pinning information

Pin	Symbol	Description	Simplified outline	Graphic symbol
1	B	base		
2	E	emitter		
3	C	collector		

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6. Ordering information

Table 3. Ordering information

Type number	Package		
	Name	Description	Version
MMBT3906	SOT23	plastic, surface-mounted package; 3 terminals; 1.9 mm pitch; 2.9 mm x 1.3 mm x 1 mm body	SOT23

7. Marking

Table 4. Marking codes

Type number	Marking code[1]
MMBT3906	7B%

[1] % = placeholder for manufacturing site code

8. Limiting values

Table 5. Limiting values

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

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions		Min	Max	Unit
V_{CBO}	collector-base voltage	open emitter		-	-40	V
V_{CEO}	collector-emitter voltage	open base		-	-40	V
V_{EBO}	emitter-base voltage	open collector		-	-6	V
I_C	collector current			-	-200	mA
I_{CM}	peak collector current			-	-200	mA
I_{BM}	peak base current			-	-100	mA
P_{tot}	total power dissipation	$T_{amb} \leq 25$ °C	[1]	-	250	mW
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 Printed-Circuit-Board (PCB); single-sided copper; tin-plated and standard footprint.

9. Thermal characteristics

Table 6. Thermal characteristics

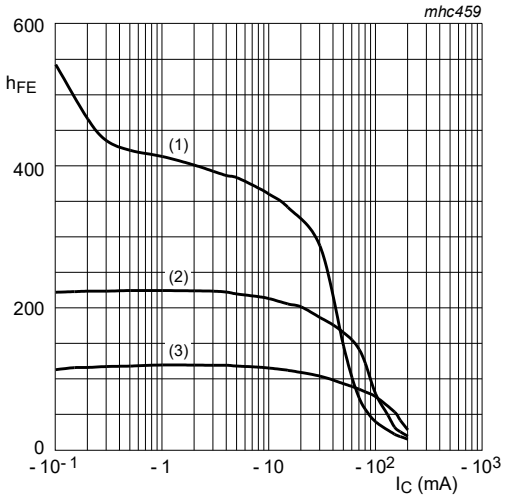
Symbol	Parameter	Conditions		Min	Typ	Max	Unit
$R_{th(j-a)}$	thermal resistance from junction to ambient		[1]	-	-	500	K/W

[1] Device mounted on an FR4 , PCB; single-sided copper; tin-plated and standard footprint.

10. Characteristics

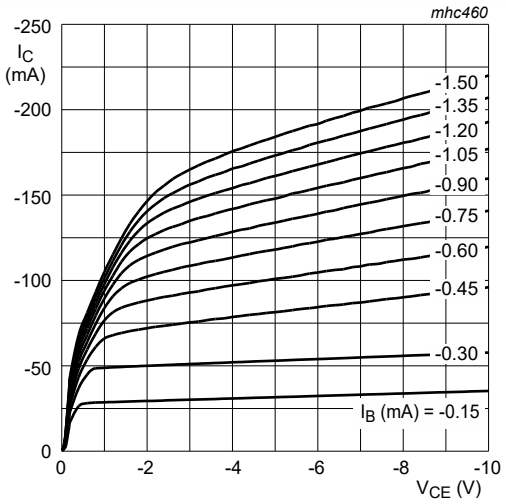
Table 7. Characteristics

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions		Min	Typ	Max	Unit
I_{CBO}	collector-base cut-off current	V_{CB} = -30 V; I_E = 0 A; T_{amb} = 25 °C		-	-	-50	nA
I_{EBO}	emitter-base cut-off current	V_{EB} = -6 V; I_C = 0 A; T_{amb} = 25 °C		-	-	-50	nA
h_{FE}	DC current gain	V_{CE} = -1 V; I_C = -0.1 mA; T_{amb} = 25 °C		60	-	-	
		V_{CE} = -1 V; I_C = -1 mA; T_{amb} = 25 °C		80	-	-	
		V_{CE} = -1 V; I_C = -10 mA; T_{amb} = 25 °C		100	-	300	
		V_{CE} = -1 V; I_C = -50 mA; T_{amb} = 25 °C		60	-	-	
		V_{CE} = -1 V; I_C = -100 mA; T_{amb} = 25 °C		30	-	-	
V_{CEsat}	collector-emitter saturation voltage	I_C = -10 mA; I_B = -1 mA; T_{amb} = 25 °C		-	-	-250	mV
		I_C = -50 mA; I_B = -5 mA; T_{amb} = 25 °C		-	-	-400	mV
V_{BEsat}	base-emitter saturation voltage	I_C = -10 mA; I_B = -1 mA; T_{amb} = 25 °C		-	-	-850	mV
		I_C = -50 mA; I_B = -5 mA; T_{amb} = 25 °C		-	-	-950	mV
C_c	collector capacitance	V_{CB} = -5 V; I_E = 0 A; i_e = 0 A; f = 1 MHz; T_{amb} = 25 °C		-	-	4.5	pF
C_e	emitter capacitance	V_{EB} = -500 mV; I_C = 0 A; i_c = 0 A; f = 1 MHz; T_{amb} = 25 °C		-	-	10	pF
f_T	transition frequency	V_{CE} = -20 V; I_C = -10 mA; f = 100 MHz; T_{amb} = 25 °C		250	-	-	MHz
NF	noise figure	V_{CE} = -5 V; I_C = -100 µA; R_S = 1 kΩ; f = 10 Hz to 15.7 kHz		-	-	4	dB
Switching times (between 10 % and 90 % levels)							
t_d	delay time	I_{Bon} = -1 mA; I_{Boff} = 1 mA; I_{Con} = −10 mA; T_{amb} = 25 °C		-	-	35	ns
t_r	rise time			-	-	35	ns
t_s	storage time			-	-	225	ns
t_f	fall time			-	-	75	ns



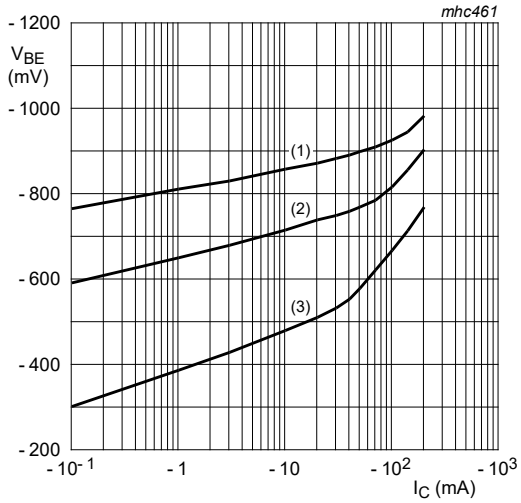
V_{CE} = −1 V
(1) T_{amb} = 150 °C
(2) T_{amb} = 25 °C
(3) T_{amb} = −55 °C

Fig. 1. DC current gain as a function of collector current; typical values



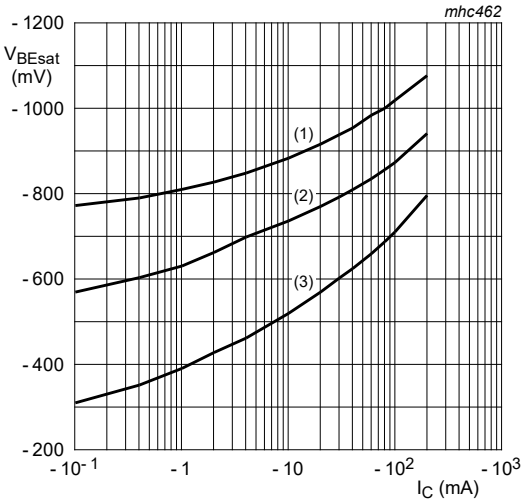
T_{amb} = 25 °C

Fig. 2. Collector current as a function of collector-emitter voltage; typical values



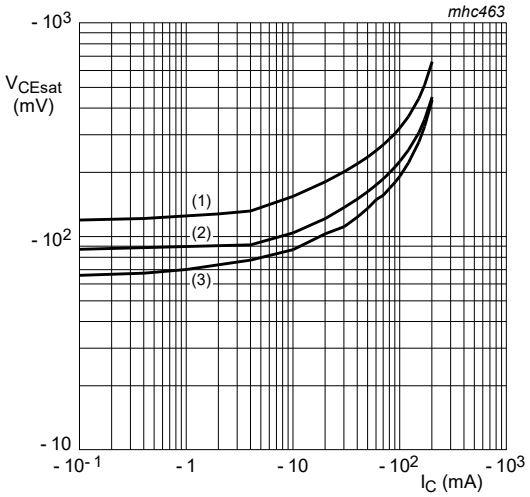
V_{CE} = -1 V
(1) T_{amb} = −55 °C
(2) T_{amb} = 25 °C
(3) T_{amb} = 150 °C

Fig. 3. Base-emitter voltage as a function of collector current; typical values



I_C/I_B = 10
(1) T_{amb} = −55 °C
(2) T_{amb} = 25 °C
(3) T_{amb} = 150 °C

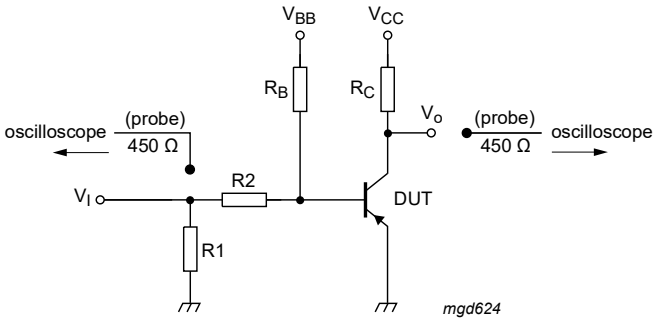
Fig. 4. Base-emitter saturation voltage as a function of collector current; typical values



I_C/I_B = 10
(1) T_{amb} = 150 °C
(2) T_{amb} = 25 °C
(3) T_{amb} = −55 °C

Fig. 5. Collector-emitter saturation voltage as a function of collector current; typical values

11. Test information



V_I = -5 V; T = 500 µs; t_p = 10 µs; $t_r = t_f \leq 3$ ns
R1 = 56 Ω; R2 = 2.5 kΩ; R_B = 3.9 kΩ; R_C = 270 Ω
V_{BB} = -1.9 V; V_{CC} = -3 V
Oscilloscope: input impedance Z_i = 50 Ω

Fig. 6. 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

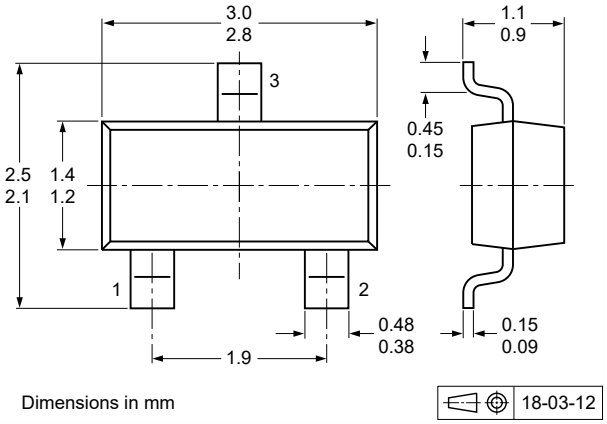


Fig. 7. Package outline SOT23

13. Soldering

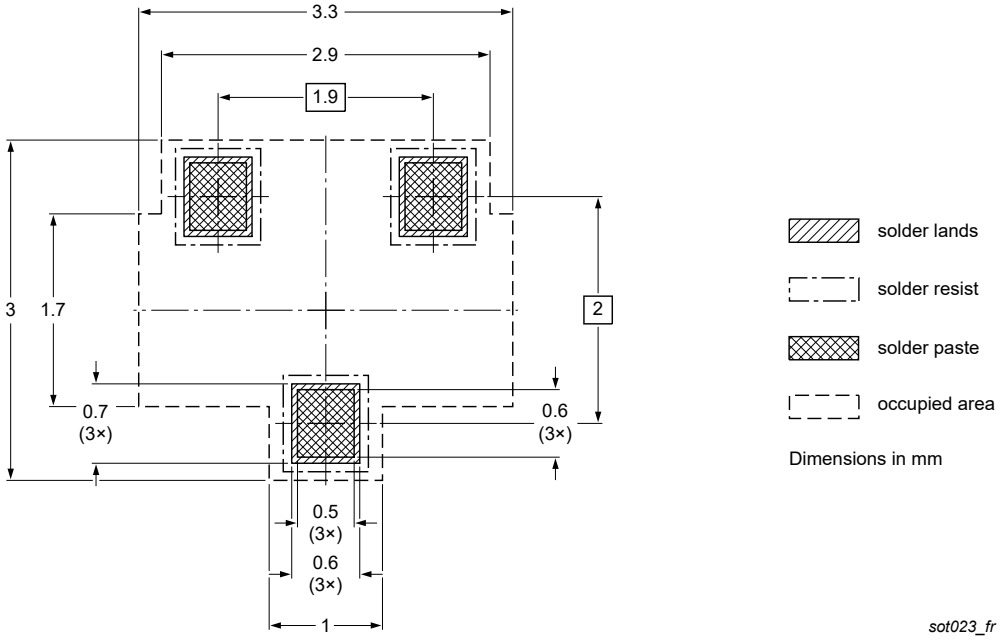


Fig. 8. Reflow soldering footprint for SOT23

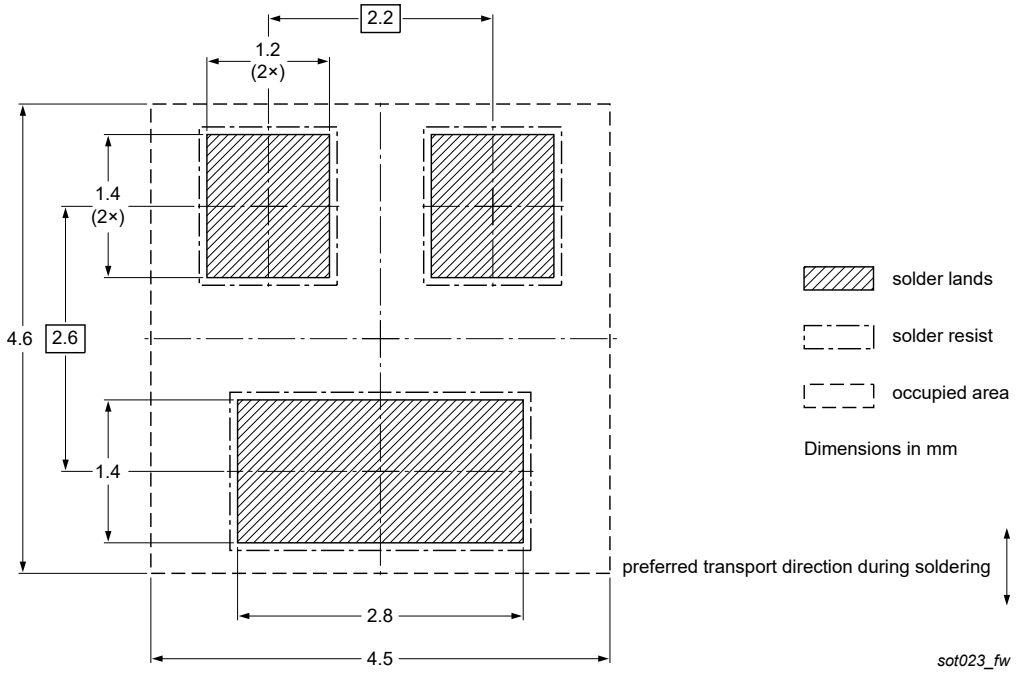


Fig. 9. Wave soldering footprint for SOT23

14. Revision history

Table 8. Revision history

Data sheet ID	Release date	Data sheet status	Change notice	Supersedes
MMBT3906 v.4	20250410	Product data sheet	-	MMBT3906 v.3
Modifications:	• Characteristics: unit changed to mV at V_{BEsat}			
MMBT3906 v.3	20230901	Product data sheet	-	MMBT3906 v.2
MMBT3906 v.2	20030318	Product data sheet	-	MMBT3906 v.1
MMBT3906 v.1	20000411	Product data sheet	-	-

15. Legal information

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Document status [1][2]	Product status [3]	Definition
Objective [short] data sheet	Development	This document contains data from the objective specification for product development.
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