

PBHV8540Z-Q

500 V, 0.5 A NPN high-voltage low VCEsat transistor

17 July 2023 Product data sheet

1. General description

NPN high-voltage low V_{CEsat} transistor in a SOT223 (SC-73) medium power Surface-Mounted Device (SMD) plastic package.

PNP complement: PBHV9040Z-Q

2. Features and benefits

- High voltage
- 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
- Qualified according to AEC-Q101 and recommended for use in automotive applications

3. Applications

- Electronic ballast for fluorescent lighting
- LED driver for LED chain module
- LCD backlighting
- High Intensity Discharge (HID) front lighting
- Automotive motor management
- Hook switch for wired telecom
- Switch mode power supply

4. Quick reference data

Table 1. Quick reference data

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions		Min	Typ	Max	Unit
V_{CESM}	collector-emitter peak voltage	V_{BE} = 0 V		-	-	500	V
V_{CEO}	collector-emitter voltage	open base		-	-	400	V
I_C	collector current			-	-	0.5	A
h_{FE}	DC current gain	V_{CE} = 10 V; I_C = 50 mA; T_{amb} = 25 °C		100	200	-	

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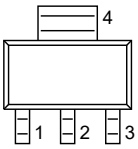
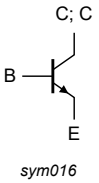
5. Pinning information

Table 2. Pinning information

Pin	Symbol	Description	Simplified outline	Graphic symbol
1	B	base	 SC-73 (SOT223)	 sym016
2	C	collector		
3	E	emitter		
4	C	collector		

6. Ordering information

Table 3. Ordering information

Type number	Package		
	Name	Description	Version
PBHV8540Z-Q	SC-73	plastic, surface-mounted package with increased heatsink; 4 leads; 2.3 mm pitch; 6.5 mm x 3.5 mm x 1.65 mm body	SOT223

7. Marking

Table 4. Marking codes

Type number	Marking code
PBHV8540Z-Q	V8540Z

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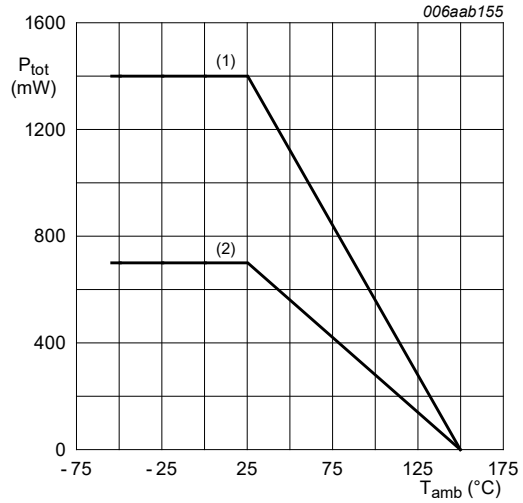
8. Limiting values

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		-	500	V
V_{CEO}	collector-emitter voltage	open base		-	400	V
V_{CESM}	collector-emitter peak voltage	V_{BE} = 0 V		-	500	V
V_{EBO}	emitter-base voltage	open collector		-	6	V
I_C	collector current			-	0.5	A
I_{CM}	peak collector current	single pulse; $t_p \leq$ 1 ms		-	1	A
I_{BM}	peak base current			-	200	mA
P_{tot}	total power dissipation	$T_{amb} \leq$ 25 °C	[1]	-	0.7	W
			[2]	-	1.4	W
T_j	junction temperature			-	150	°C
T_{amb}	ambient temperature			-55	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^2.



(1) FR4 PCB, mounting pad for collector 6 cm^2
(2) FR4 PCB, standard footprint

Fig. 1. Power derating curves

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9. Thermal characteristics

Table 6. Thermal characteristics

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions		Min	Typ	Max	Unit
$R_{th(j-a)}$	thermal resistance from junction to ambient	in free air	[1]	-	-	175	K/W
			[2]	-	-	89	K/W
$R_{th(j-sp)}$	thermal resistance from junction to solder point			-	-	20	K/W

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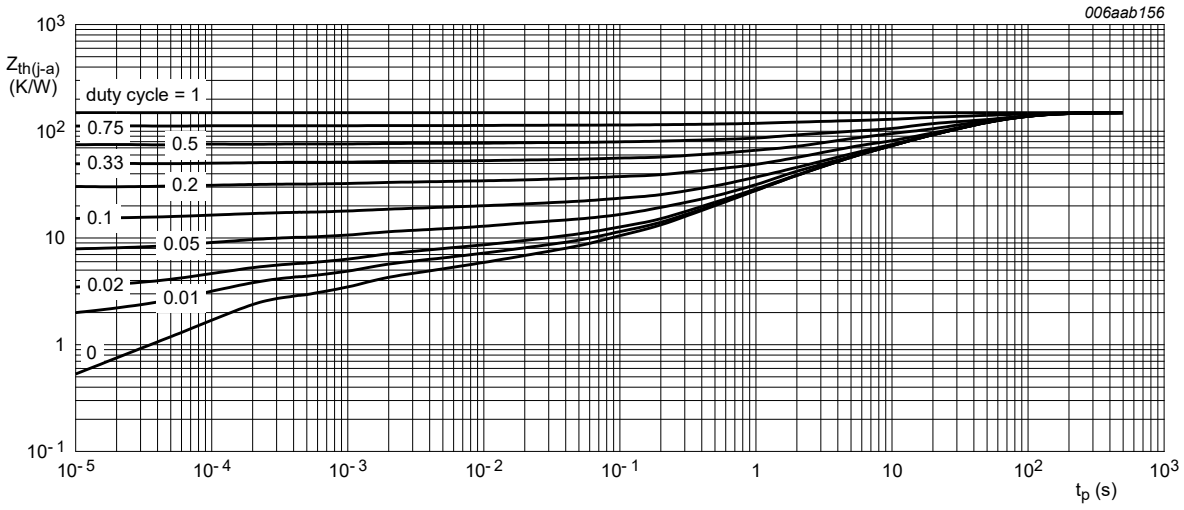
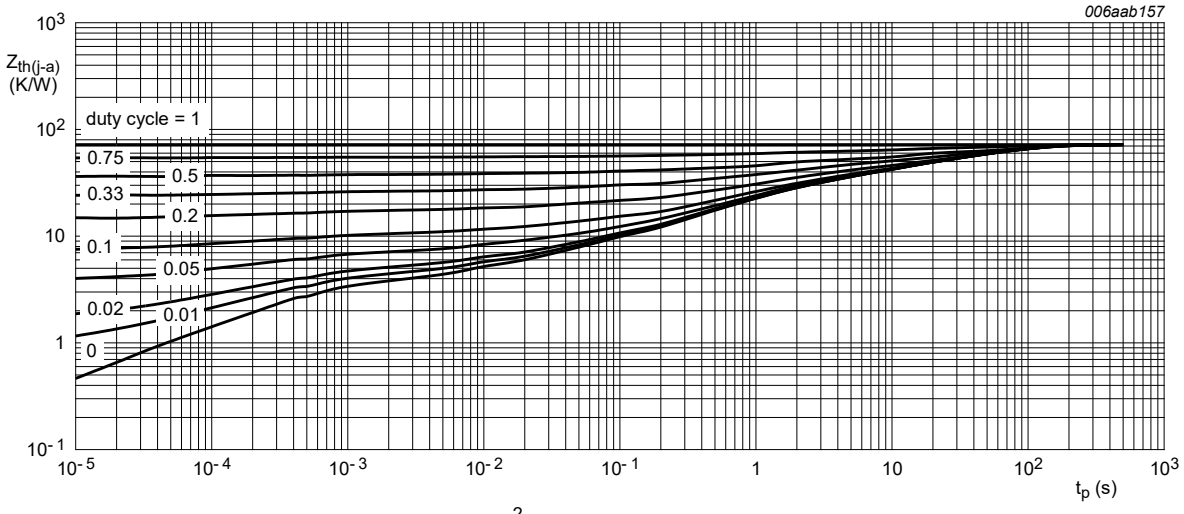


FR4 PCB, standard footprint

Fig. 2. Transient thermal impedance from junction to ambient as a function of pulse duration; typical values



FR4 PCB, mounting pad for collector 6 cm^2

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

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10. Characteristics

Table 7. Characteristics

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions		Min	Typ	Max	Unit
I_{CBO}	collector-base cut-off current	V_{CB} = 320 V; I_E = 0 A; T_{amb} = 25 °C		-	-	100	nA
		V_{CB} = 320 V; I_E = 0 A; T_j = 150 °C		-	-	10	µA
I_{EBO}	emitter-base cut-off current	V_{EB} = 4 V; I_C = 0 A; T_{amb} = 25 °C		-	-	100	nA
I_{CES}	collector-emitter cut-off current	V_{CE} = 320 V; V_{BE} = 0 V; T_{amb} = 25 °C		-	-	100	nA
h_{FE}	DC current gain	V_{CE} = 10 V; I_C = 50 mA; T_{amb} = 25 °C		100	200	-	
		V_{CE} = 10 V; I_C = 100 mA; T_{amb} = 25 °C		80	150	-	
		V_{CE} = 10 V; I_C = 300 mA; pulsed; $t_p \leq$ 300 µs; $\delta \leq$ 0.02; T_{amb} = 25 °C		10	20	-	
V_{CEsat}	collector-emitter saturation voltage	I_C = 100 mA; I_B = 10 mA; T_{amb} = 25 °C		-	100	200	mV
		I_C = 100 mA; I_B = 20 mA; T_{amb} = 25 °C		-	60	90	mV
		I_C = 300 mA; I_B = 60 mA; T_{amb} = 25 °C		-	135	250	mV
V_{BEsat}	base-emitter saturation voltage	I_C = 300 mA; I_B = 60 mA; pulsed; $t_p \leq$ 300 µs; $\delta \leq$ 0.02; T_{amb} = 25 °C		-	0.91	1.1	V
t_d	delay time	V_{CC} = 6 V; I_C = 0.5 A; I_{Bon} = 0.1 A; I_{Boff} = -0.1 A; T_{amb} = 25 °C		-	50	-	ns
t_r	rise time			-	6200	-	ns
t_{on}	turn-on time			-	6250	-	ns
t_s	storage time			-	800	-	ns
t_f	fall time			-	2200	-	ns
t_{off}	turn-off time			-	3000	-	ns
f_T	transition frequency	V_{CE} = 10 V; I_C = 100 mA; f = 100 MHz; T_{amb} = 25 °C		-	30	-	MHz
C_c	collector capacitance	V_{CB} = 20 V; I_E = 0 A; i_e = 0 A; f = 1 MHz; T_{amb} = 25 °C		-	4	-	pF
C_e	emitter capacitance	V_{EB} = 0.5 V; I_C = 0 A; i_c = 0 A; f = 1 MHz; T_{amb} = 25 °C		-	165	-	pF

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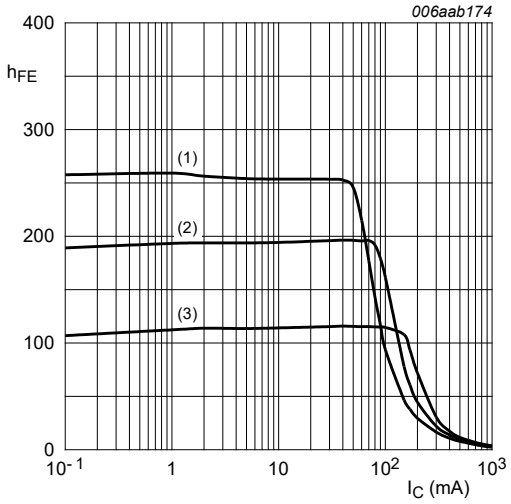
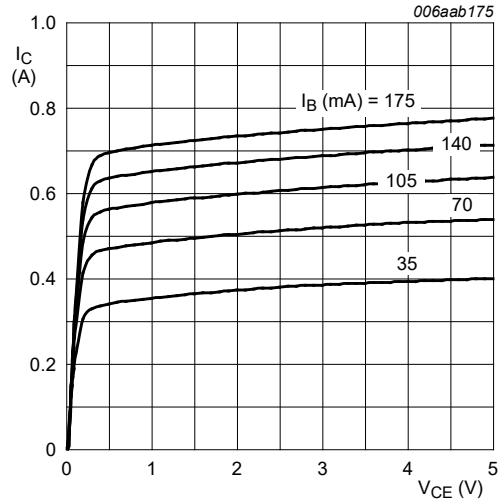


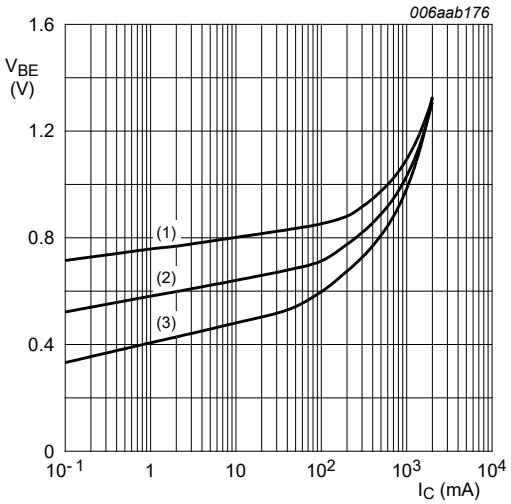
V_{CE} = 10 V
(1) T_{amb} = 100 °C
(2) T_{amb} = 25 °C
(3) T_{amb} = -55 °C

Fig. 4. DC current gain as a function of collector current; typical values



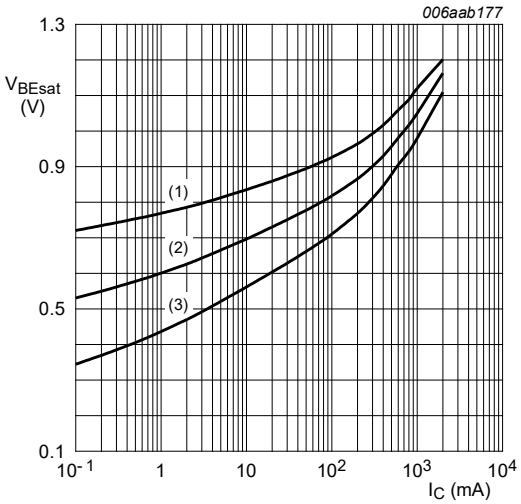
T_{amb} = 25 °C

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



V_{CE} = 10 V
(1) T_{amb} = -55 °C
(2) T_{amb} = 25 °C
(3) T_{amb} = 100 °C

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



I_C/I_B = 5
(1) T_{amb} = -55 °C
(2) T_{amb} = 25 °C
(3) T_{amb} = 100 °C

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

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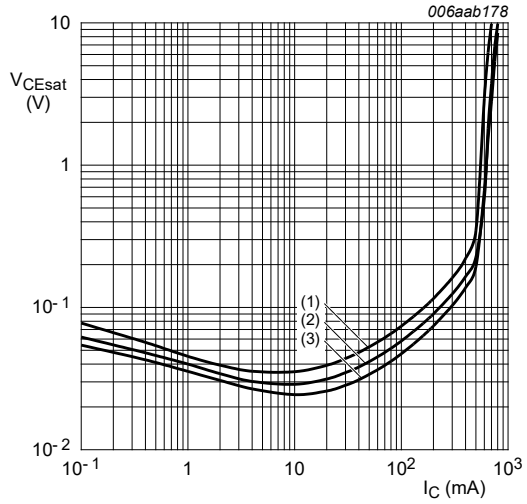
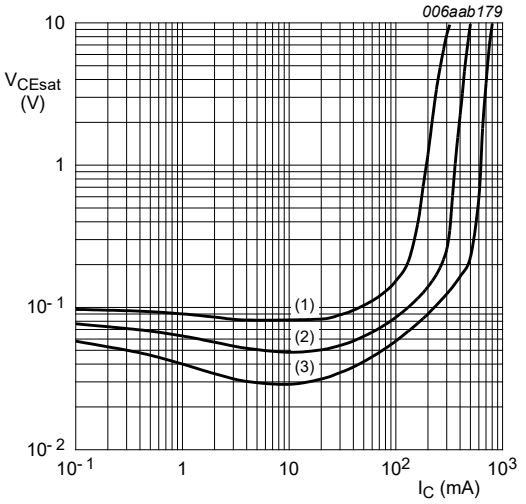


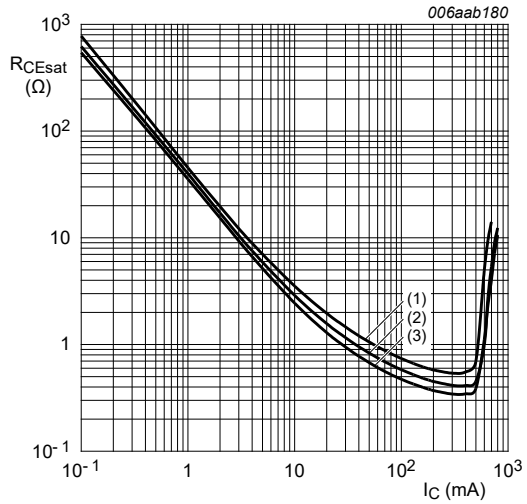
I_C/I_B = 5
(1) T_{amb} = 100 °C
(2) T_{amb} = 25 °C
(3) T_{amb} = -55 °C

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



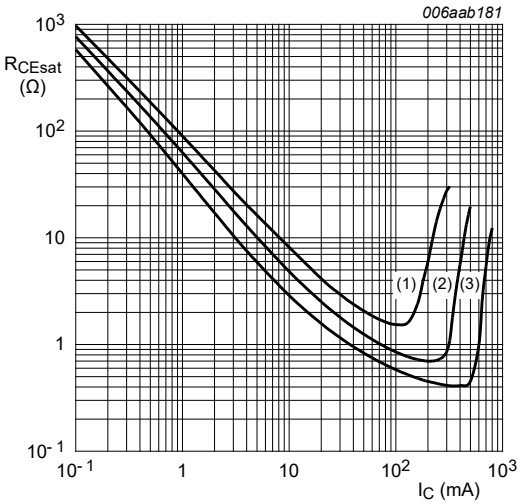
T_{amb} = 25 °C
(1) I_C/I_B = 20
(2) I_C/I_B = 10
(3) I_C/I_B = 5

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



I_C/I_B = 5
(1) T_{amb} = 100 °C
(2) T_{amb} = 25 °C
(3) T_{amb} = -55 °C

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



T_{amb} = 25 °C
(1) I_C/I_B = 20
(2) I_C/I_B = 10
(3) I_C/I_B = 5

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

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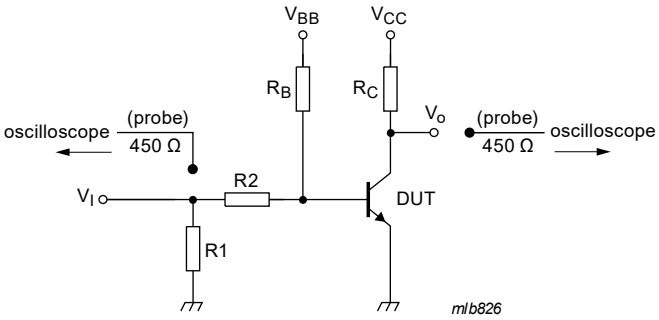

Fig. 12. Test circuit for switching times

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12. Package outline

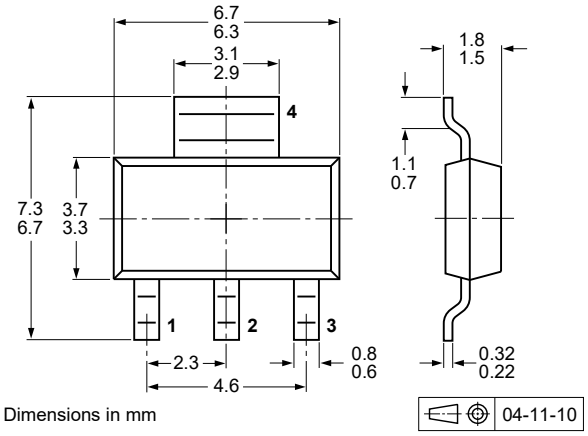

Fig. 13. Package outline SC-73 (SOT223)

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13. Soldering

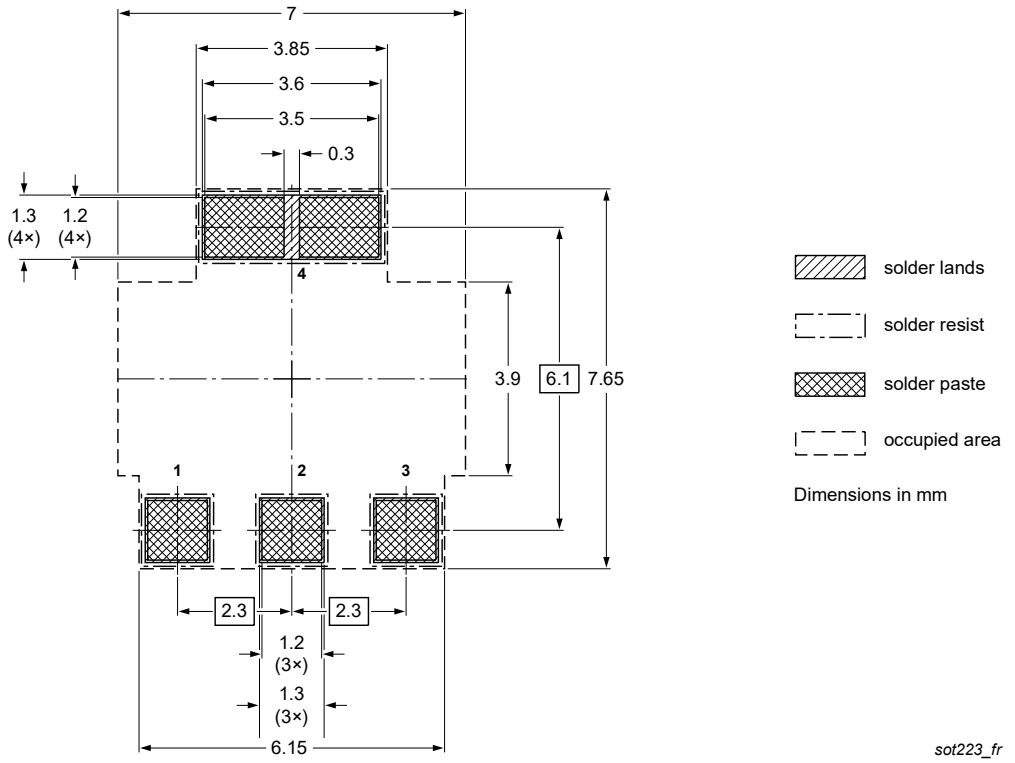

Fig. 14. Reflow soldering footprint for SC-73 (SOT223)

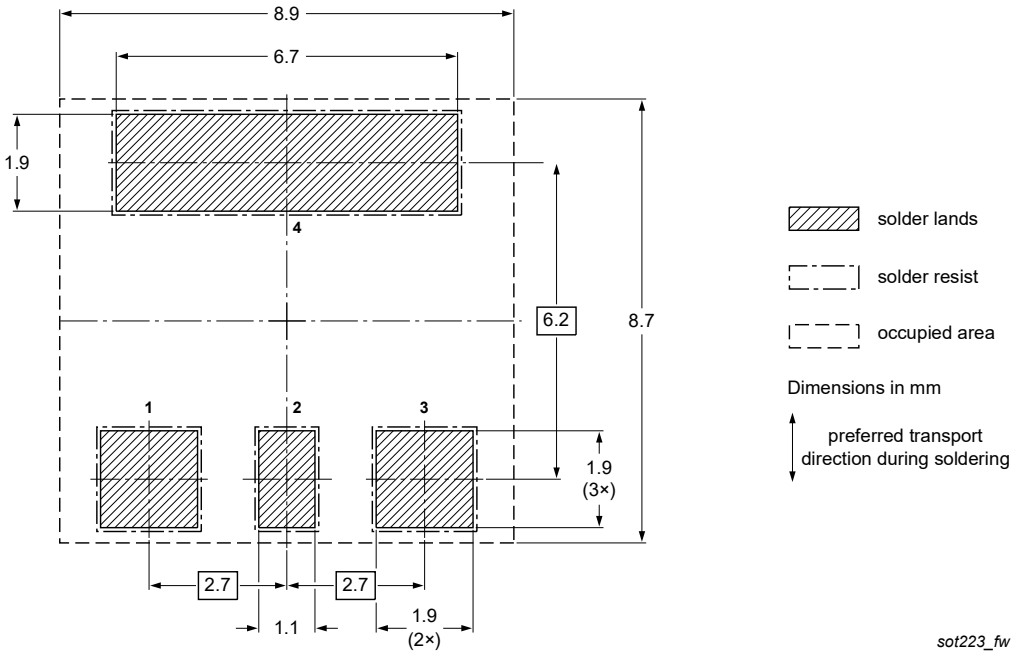

Fig. 15. Wave soldering footprint for SC-73 (SOT223)

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14. Revision history

Table 8. Revision history

Data sheet ID	Release date	Data sheet status	Change notice	Supersedes
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