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#### DESCRIPTION

N-P-N silicon planar epitaxial transistor intended for use in class-A, AB and B operated high power industrial and military transmitting equipment in the h.f. and v.h.f. band. The transistor presents excellent performance as a linear amplifier in s.s.b. applications. It is resistance stabilized and is guaranteed to withstand severe load mismatch conditions. Transistors are supplied in matched  $h_{\text{FE}}$  groups.

The transistor has a  $\frac{1}{2}$ " flange envelope with a ceramic cap. All leads are isolated from the flange.

QUICK REFERENCE DATA

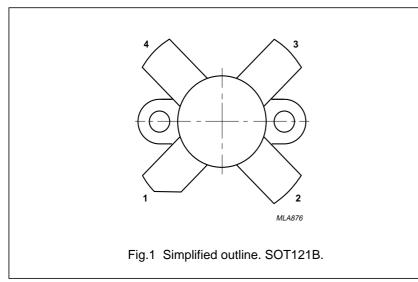
R.F. performance up to  $T_h = 25 \ ^{\circ}C$ 

MODE OF OPERATION	V <sub>CE</sub> V	f MHz	PL W	G <sub>p</sub> dB	-	ղ <b>%</b>		d <sub>3</sub> IB		d₅ dB	I <sub>C(ZS)</sub> (I <sub>C</sub> ) A
s.s.b. (class-AB)	50	1,6 – 28	25 – 200 (P.E.P.)	> '	13,5	> 40 <sup>(1)</sup>	<	-30	<	-30	0,1
c.w. (class-B)	50	108	200	typ.	6,5	typ. 67		_		-	(6)
s.s.b. (class-A)	40	28	50 (P.E.P.)	typ.	19	_	typ.	-40	<	-40	(4)

#### Note

1.  $\eta_{dt}$  at 200 W P.E.P.

#### **PIN CONFIGURATION**



PINNING - SOT121B.

PIN	DESCRIPTION		
1	collector		
2	emitter		
3	base		
4	emitter		

PRODUCT SAFETY This device incorporates beryllium oxide, the dust of which is toxic. The device is entirely safe provided that the BeO disc is not damaged.

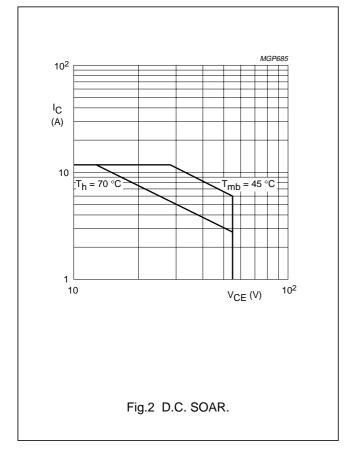
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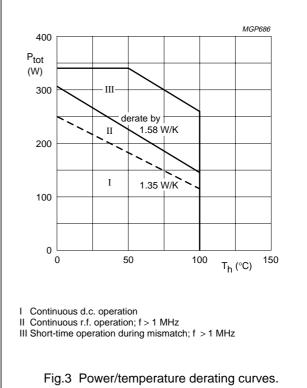
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#### RATINGS

Limiting values in accordance with the Absolute Maximum System (IEC 134)

Collector-emitter voltage ( $V_{BE} = 0$ )		
peak value	V <sub>CESM</sub>	max. 110 V
Collector-emitter voltage (open base)	V <sub>CEO</sub>	max. 55 V
Emitter-base voltage (open collector)	V <sub>EBO</sub>	max. 4 V
Collector current (average)	I <sub>C(AV)</sub>	max. 12 A
Collector current (peak value); f > 1 MHz	I <sub>CM</sub>	max. 40 A
R.F. power dissipation (f > 1 MHz); $T_{mb}$ = 45 °C	P <sub>rf</sub>	max. 340 W
Storage temperature	T <sub>stg</sub>	-65 to + 150 °C
Operating junction temperature	Тj	max. 200 °C





#### THERMAL RESISTANCE

(dissipation = 150 W;  $T_{mb}$  = 100 °C, i.e.  $T_{h}$  = 70 °C)

From junction to mounting base (d.c. dissipation) From junction to mounting base (r.f. dissipation) From mounting base to heatsink

R <sub>th j-mb(dc)</sub>	=	0,63 K/W
R <sub>th j-mb(rf)</sub>	=	0,45 K/W
R <sub>th mb-h</sub>	=	0,2 K/W

**CHARACTERISTICS** 

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$T_j = 25 \text{ °C}$				
Collector-emitter breakdown voltage				
$V_{BE} = 0; I_{C} = 50 \text{ mA}$	V <sub>(BR)CES</sub>	>	110	V
Collector-emitter breakdown voltage	. ,			
open base; I <sub>C</sub> = 200 mA	V <sub>(BR)CEO</sub>	>	55	V
Emitter-base breakdown voltage				
open collector; I <sub>E</sub> = 20 mA	V <sub>(BR)EBO</sub>	>	4	V
Collector cut-off current				
V <sub>BE</sub> = 0; V <sub>CE</sub> = 55 V	I <sub>CES</sub>	<	10	mA
Second breakdown energy; L = 25 mH; f = 50 Hz				
open base	E <sub>SBO</sub>	>	20	mJ
R <sub>BE</sub> = 10 Ω	E <sub>SBR</sub>	>	20	mJ
D.C. current gain <sup>(1)</sup>				
$I_{C} = 7 \text{ A}; V_{CE} = 5 \text{ V}$	h <sub>FE</sub>	typ. 15 to	30 50	
D.C. current gain ratio of matched devices <sup>(1)</sup>				
$I_{C} = 7 \text{ A}; V_{CE} = 5 \text{ V}$	h <sub>FE1</sub> /h <sub>FE2</sub>	$\leq$	1,2	
Collector-emitter saturation voltage <sup>(1)</sup>				
$I_{\rm C} = 20$ A; $I_{\rm B} = 4$ A	V <sub>CEsat</sub>	typ.	1,9	V
Transition frequency at $f = 100 \text{ MHz}^{(2)}$				
$-I_{E} = 7 \text{ A}; V_{CB} = 45 \text{ V}$	f <sub>T</sub>	typ.	235	MHz
–I <sub>E</sub> = 20 A; V <sub>CB</sub> = 45 V	f <sub>T</sub>	typ.	245	MHz
Collector capacitance at f = 1 MHz				
$I_{E} = I_{e} = 0; V_{CB} = 50 V$				
Feedback capacitance at f = 1 MHz	C <sub>c</sub>	typ.	280	pF
I <sub>C</sub> = 150 mA; V <sub>CE</sub> = 50 V	C <sub>re</sub>	typ.	170	pF
Collecting-flange capacitance	C <sub>cf</sub>	typ.	4,4	pF

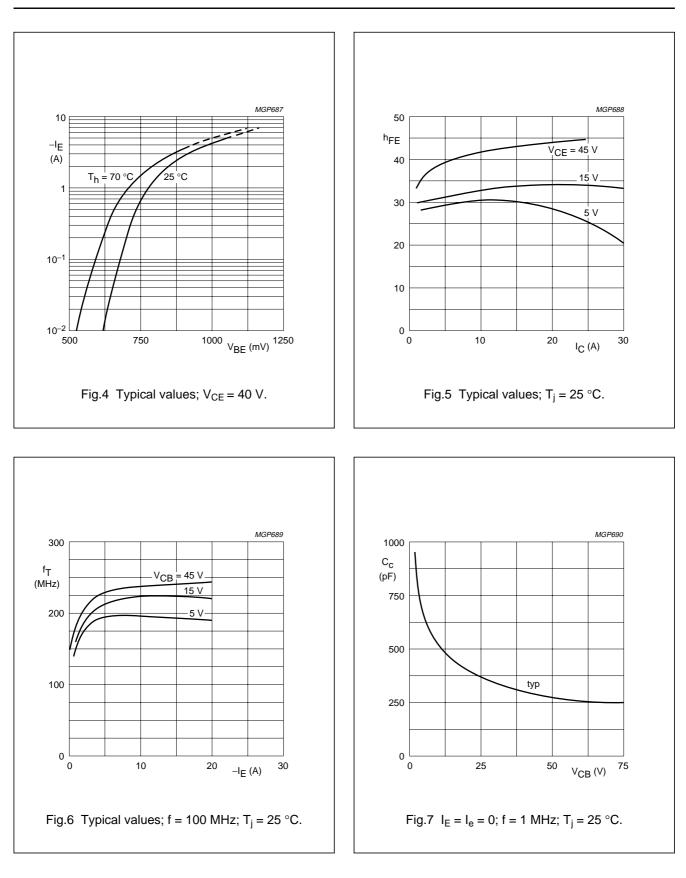
#### Notes

1. Measured under pulse conditions:  $t_p \leq 300 \ \mu s; \ \delta \leq 0,02.$ 

2. Measured under pulse conditions:  $t_p \leq ~50~\mu s; ~\delta \leq 0,01.$ 

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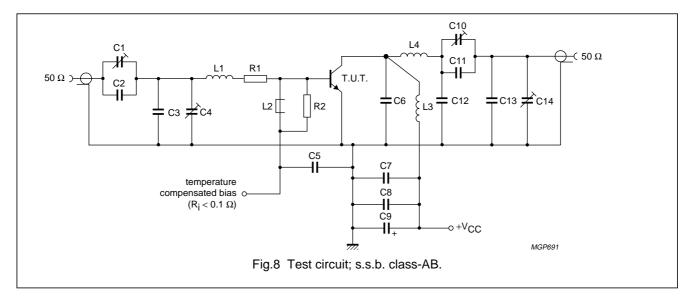


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#### **APPLICATION INFORMATION**

R.F. performance in s.s.b. class-AB operation (linear power amplifier) V<sub>CE</sub> = 50 V; T<sub>h</sub> = 25 °C; f<sub>1</sub> = 28,000 MHz; f<sub>2</sub> = 28,001 MHz

OUTPUT POWER	Gp	ղ <sub>dt</sub> (%)	I <sub>C</sub> (A)	d <sub>3</sub> <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>d</b> 5 <sup>(1)</sup>	I <sub>C(ZS)</sub>
W	dB	at 200 W	(P.E.P.)	dB	dB	Α
25 to 200 (P.E.P.)	> 13,5	> 40	< 5,0	< -30	< -30	0,1



List of components:

- C1 = C4 = C10 = C14 = 100 pF film dielectric trimmer
- C2 = 27 pF ceramic capacitor (500 V)
- C3 = 270 pF polysterene capacitor (630 V)
- C5 = C7 = C8 = 220 nF multilayer ceramic chip capacitor
- C6 = 27 pF multilayer ceramic chip capacitor (500 V; ATC<sup>(2)</sup>)
- C9 = 47  $\mu$ F/63 V electrolytic capacitor

C11 =  $2 \times 36$  pF multilayer ceramic chip capacitors (500 V; ATC<sup>(2)</sup>) in parallel

C12 =  $2 \times 43$  pF multilayer ceramic chip capacitors (500 V; ATC<sup>(2)</sup>) in parallel

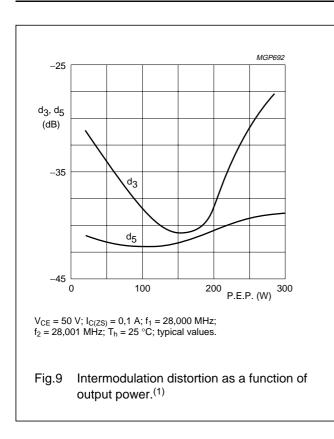
- C13 = 43 pF multilayer ceramic chip capacitor (500 V;  $ATC^{(2)}$ )
- L1 = 88 nH; 3 turns Cu wire (1,0 mm); int. dia. 9,0 mm; length 6,1 mm; leads  $2 \times 5$  mm
- L2 = Ferroxcube wide-band h.f. choke, grade 3B (cat. no. 4312 020 36640)
- L3 = 150 nH; 5 turns Cu wire (2,0 mm); int. dia. 10,0 mm; length 18,7 mm; leads  $2 \times 5$  mm
- L4 = 197 nH; 5 turns Cu wire (2,0 mm); int. dia. 12,0 mm; length 18,6 mm; leads  $2 \times 5$  mm
- R1 = 0,66  $\Omega$ ; parallel connection of 5 × 3,3  $\Omega$  metal film resistors (PR37; ± 5%; 1,6 W each)
- R2 = 27  $\Omega$  carbon resistor (± 5%; 0,5 W)

#### Notes

- 1. Stated intermodulation distortion figures are referred to the according level of either of the equal amplified tones. Relative to the according peak envelope powers these figures should be increased by 6 dB.
- 2. ATC means American Technical Ceramics.

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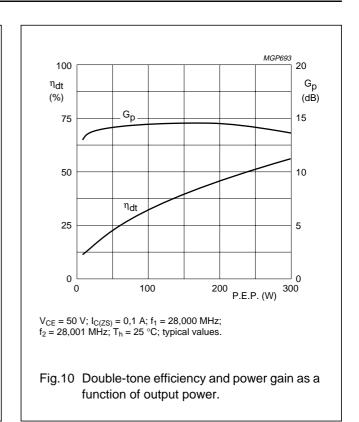
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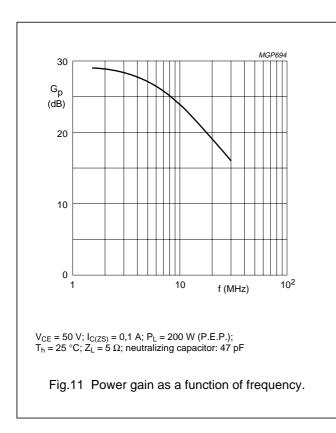
#### Ruggedness

The BLW96 is capable of withstanding full load mismatch (VSWR = 50 through all phases) up to 150 W (P.E.P.) or a load mismatch (VSWR = 5 through all phases) up to 200 W (P.E.P.) under the following conditions:

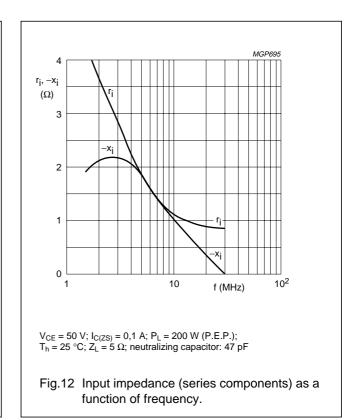
 $V_{CE}$  = 45 V; f = 28 MHz;  $T_{h}$  = 70 °C;  $R_{th\ mb-h}$  = 0,2 K/W.



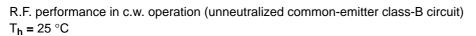
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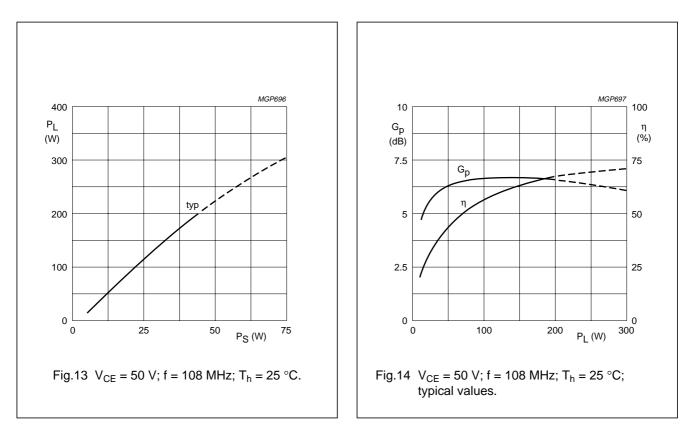
Figs 11 and 12 are typical curves and hold for one transistor of a push-pull amplifier with cross-neutralization in s.s.b. class-AB operation.



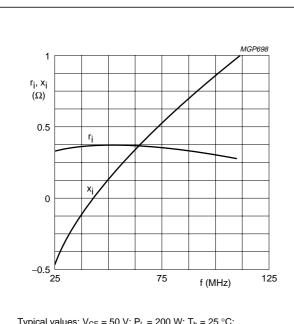
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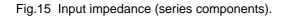
f (MHz)	V <sub>CE</sub> (V)	P <sub>L</sub> (W)	P <sub>S</sub> (W)	G <sub>p</sub> (dB)	I <sub>C</sub> (A)	η <b>(%)</b>
108	50	200	typ. 45	typ. 6,5	typ. 6	typ. 67

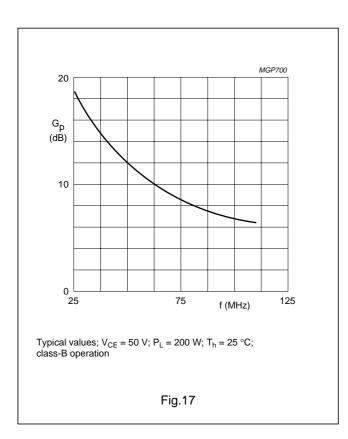


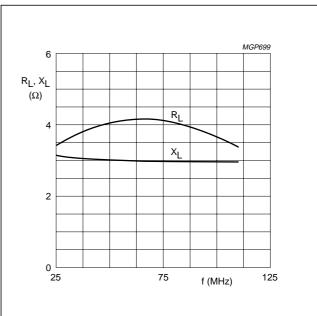
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Typical values; V\_{CE} = 50 V; P\_L = 200 W; T\_h = 25 °C; class-B operation







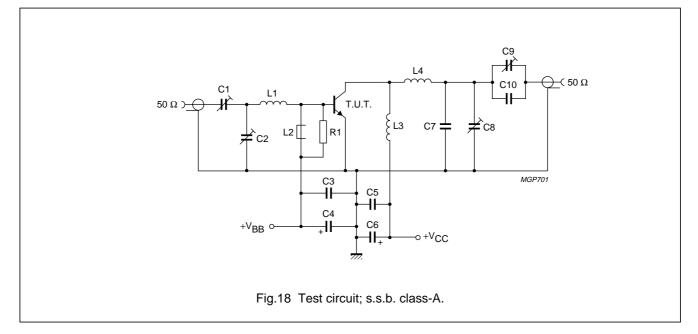
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Fig.16 Load impedance (series components).

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R.F. performance in s.s.b. class-A operation (linear power amplifier)  $V_{CE}$  = 40 V; T<sub>h</sub> = 25 °C; f<sub>1</sub> = 28,000 MHz; f<sub>2</sub> = 28,001 MHz

OUTPUT POWER	G <sub>p</sub>	l <sub>C</sub>	d <sub>3</sub> <sup>(1)</sup>	d <sub>5</sub> <sup>(1)</sup>
W	dB	A	dB	dB
typ. 50 (P.E.P.)	typ. 19	4	typ. –40	< -40

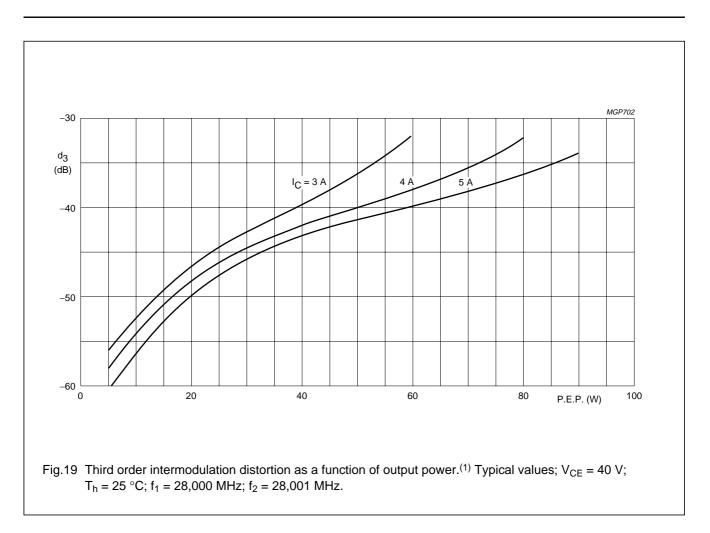


List of components:

- C1 = C2 = 10 to 780 pF film dielectric trimmer
- C3 = 220 nF polyester capacitor (100 V)
- $C4 = 100 \ \mu F/4 \ V$  electrolytic capacitor
- $C5 = 2 \times 330 \text{ nF}$  polyester capacitors (100 V) in parallel
- C6 = 47  $\mu$ F/63 V electrolytic capacitor
- $C7 = C10 = 2 \times 82 \text{ pF}$  ceramic capacitors (500 V) in parallel
- C8 = C9 = 10 to 150 pF air dielectric trimmer
- L1 = 45 nH; 2 turns enamelled Cu wire (1,6 mm); int. dia. 8,0 mm; length 4,0 mm; leads 2 × 3 mm
- L2 = Ferroxcube wide-band h.f. choke, grade 3B (cat. no. 4312 020 36640)
- L3 = 110 nH; 4 turns enamelled Cu wire (2,0 mm); int. dia. 10,0 mm; length 8,0 mm; leads 2 × 2 mm
- L4 = 210 nH; 5 turns enamelled Cu wire (2,0 mm); int. dia. 12,0 mm; length 10,0 mm; leads 2 × 2 mm
- R1 = 27  $\Omega$  carbon resistor (± 5%; 0,5 W)

#### Note

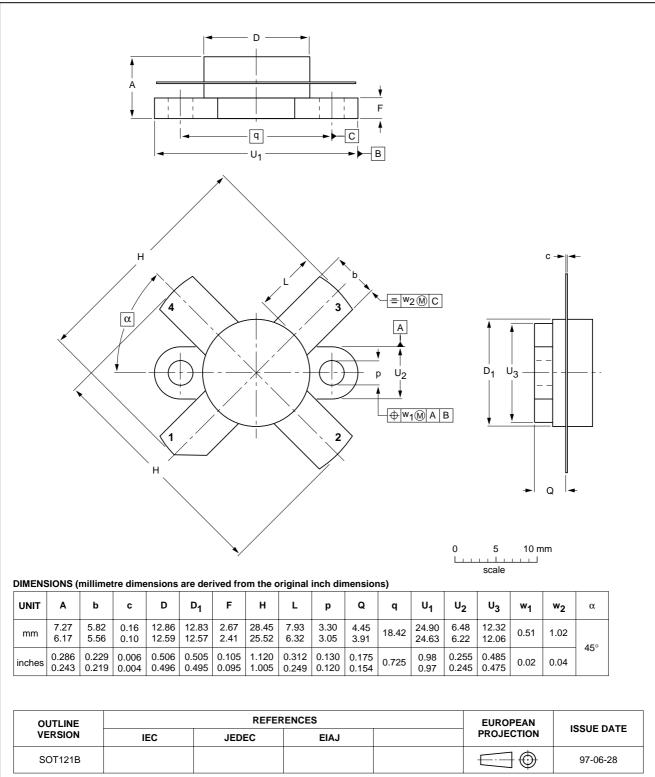
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#### PACKAGE OUTLINE

### Flanged ceramic package; 2 mounting holes; 4 leads



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