

DATA SHEET

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Dual NPN wideband transistor

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FEATURES

- Small size
- Temperature and h_{FE} matched
- Low noise and high gain
- High gain at low current and low capacitance at low voltage
- Gold metallization ensures excellent reliability.

APPLICATIONS

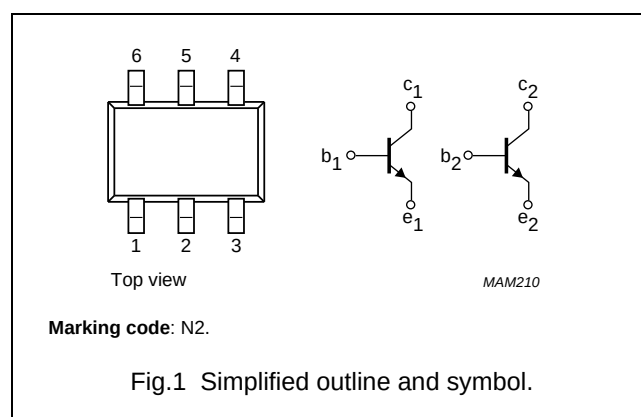
- Oscillator and buffer amplifiers
- Balanced amplifiers
- LNA/mixers.

DESCRIPTION

Dual transistor with two silicon NPN RF dies in a surface mount 6-pin SOT363 (S-mini) package. The transistor is primarily intended for wideband applications in the GHz-range in the RF front end of analog and digital cellular phones, cordless phones, radar detectors, pagers and satellite TV-tuners.

PINNING - SOT363A

PIN	SYMBOL	DESCRIPTION
1	b_1	base 1
2	e_1	emitter 1
3	c_2	collector 2
4	b_2	base 2
5	e_2	emitter 2
6	c_1	collector 1



QUICK REFERENCE DATA

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	UNIT
Any single transistor						
C_{re}	feedback capacitance	$I_e = 0$; $V_{CB} = 3$ V; $f = 1$ MHz	—	0.4	—	pF
f_T	transition frequency	$I_C = 20$ mA; $V_{CE} = 3$ V; $f = 900$ MHz	—	9	—	GHz
$ S_{21} ^2$	insertion power gain	$I_C = 20$ mA; $V_{CE} = 3$ V; $f = 900$ MHz; $T_{amb} = 25$ °C	13	14.5	—	dB
G_{UM}	maximum unilateral power gain	$I_C = 20$ mA; $V_{CE} = 3$ V; $f = 900$ MHz; $T_{amb} = 25$ °C	—	15	—	dB
F	noise figure	$I_C = 5$ mA; $V_{CE} = 3$ V; $f = 900$ MHz; $\Gamma_S = \Gamma_{opt}$	—	1.2	1.6	dB
$R_{th\ j-s}$	thermal resistance from junction to soldering point	single loaded	—	—	230	K/W
		double loaded	—	—	115	K/W

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LIMITING VALUES

In accordance with the Absolute Maximum System (IEC 134).

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN.	MAX.	UNIT
Any single transistor					
V _{CBO}	collector-base voltage	open emitter	–	20	V
V _{CEO}	collector-emitter voltage	open base	–	8	V
V _{EBO}	emitter-base voltage	open collector	–	2.5	V
I _C	DC collector current		–	70	mA
P _{tot}	total power dissipation	up to T _s = 118 °C; note 1	–	1	W
T _{stg}	storage temperature		–65	+175	°C
T _j	junction temperature		–	175	°C

THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	VALUE	UNIT
R _{th j-s}	thermal resistance from junction to soldering point; note 1	single loaded	230	K/W
		double loaded	115	K/W

Note to the Limiting values and Thermal characteristics

1. T_s is the temperature at the soldering point of the collector pin.

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CHARACTERISTICS

$T_j = 25\text{ °C}$ unless otherwise specified.

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	UNIT
DC characteristics of any single transistor						
$V_{(BR)CBO}$	collector-base breakdown voltage	$I_C = 2.5\text{ }\mu\text{A}; I_E = 0$	20	–	–	V
$V_{(BR)CEO}$	collector-emitter breakdown voltage	$I_C = 10\text{ }\mu\text{A}; I_B = 0$	8	–	–	V
$V_{(BR)EBO}$	emitter-base breakdown voltage	$I_E = 2.5\text{ }\mu\text{A}; I_C = 0$	2.5	–	–	V
I_{CBO}	collector-base leakage current	$V_{CB} = 6\text{ V}; I_E = 0$	–	–	50	nA
h_{FE}	DC current gain	$I_C = 20\text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 6\text{ V}$	60	120	250	
DC characteristics of the dual transistor						
Δh_{FE}	ratio of highest and lowest DC current gain	$I_{C1} = I_{C2} = 20\text{ mA}; V_{CE1} = V_{CE2} = 6\text{ V}$	1	1.2	–	
ΔV_{BEO}	difference between highest and lowest base-emitter voltage (offset voltage)	$I_{E1} = I_{E2} = 30\text{ mA}; T_{amb} = 25\text{ °C}$	0	1	–	mV
AC characteristics of any single transistor						
f_T	transition frequency	$I_C = 20\text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 3\text{ V}; f = 1\text{ GHz}$	–	9	–	GHz
C_c	collector capacitance	$I_E = I_{e0} = 0; V_{CB} = 3\text{ V}; f = 1\text{ MHz}$	–	0.5	–	pF
C_{re}	feedback capacitance	$I_C = 0; V_{CB} = 3\text{ V}; f = 1\text{ MHz}$	–	0.4	–	pF
G_{UM}	maximum unilateral power gain; note 1	$I_C = 20\text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 3\text{ V}; T_{amb} = 25\text{ °C}; f = 900\text{ MHz}$	–	15	–	dB
		$I_C = 20\text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 3\text{ V}; T_{amb} = 25\text{ °C}; f = 2\text{ GHz}$	–	9	–	dB
$ S_{21} ^2$	insertion power gain	$I_C = 20\text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 3\text{ V}; f = 900\text{ MHz}; T_{amb} = 25\text{ °C}$	13	14.5	–	dB
F	noise figure	$I_C = 5\text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 3\text{ V}; f = 900\text{ MHz}; \Gamma_S = \Gamma_{opt}$	–	1.2	1.6	dB
		$I_C = 20\text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 3\text{ V}; f = 900\text{ MHz}; \Gamma_S = \Gamma_{opt}$	–	1.7	2.1	dB
		$I_C = 5\text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 3\text{ V}; f = 2\text{ GHz}; \Gamma_S = \Gamma_{opt}$	–	1.9	–	dB

Note

1. G_{UM} is the maximum unilateral power gain, assuming s_{12} is zero. $G_{UM} = 10 \log \frac{|S_{21}|^2}{(1 - |S_{11}|^2)(1 - |S_{22}|^2)}$ dB

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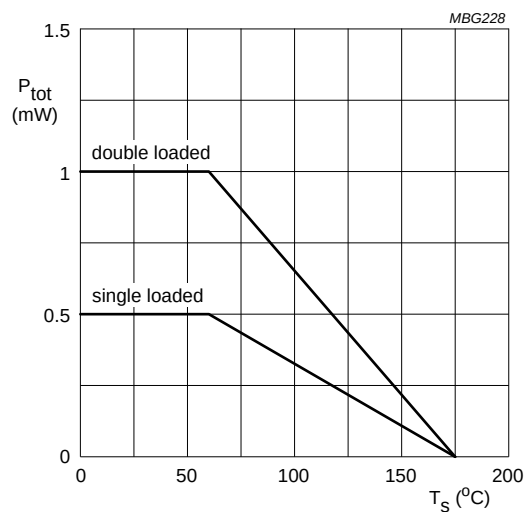
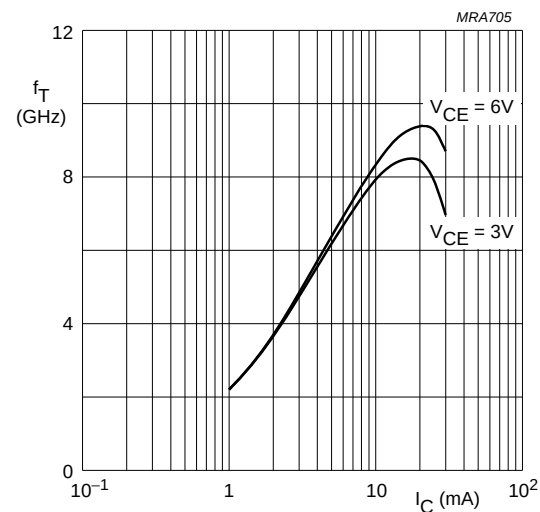
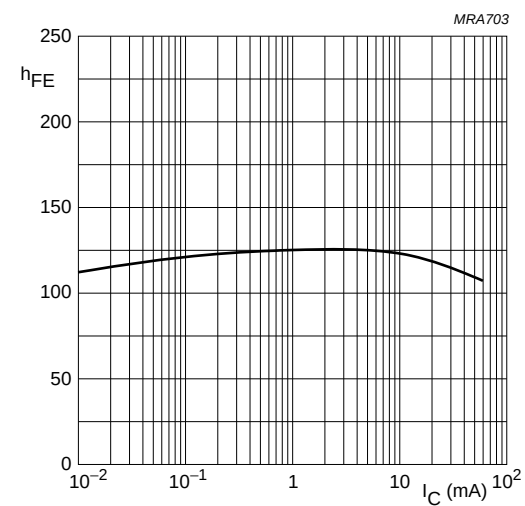


Fig.2 Power derating as a function of soldering point temperature; typical values.



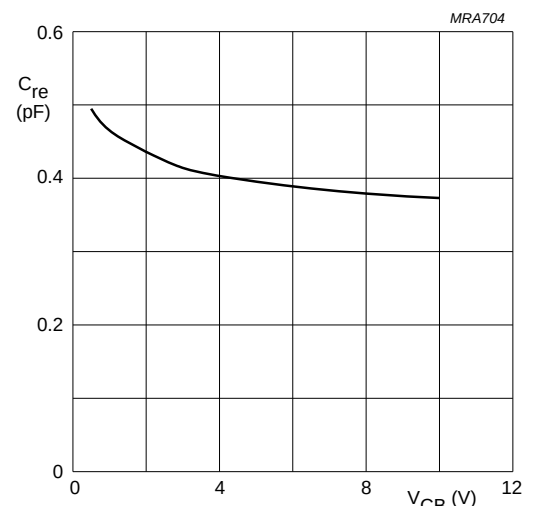
$f = 1\text{ GHz}$; $T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$.

Fig.3 Transition frequency as a function of collector current; typical values.



$V_{CE} = 6\text{ V}$.

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

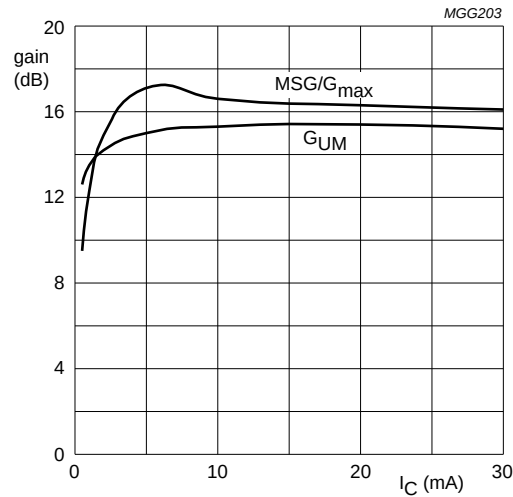


$I_C = 0$; $f = 1\text{ MHz}$.

Fig.5 Feedback capacitance as a function of collector-base voltage; typical values.

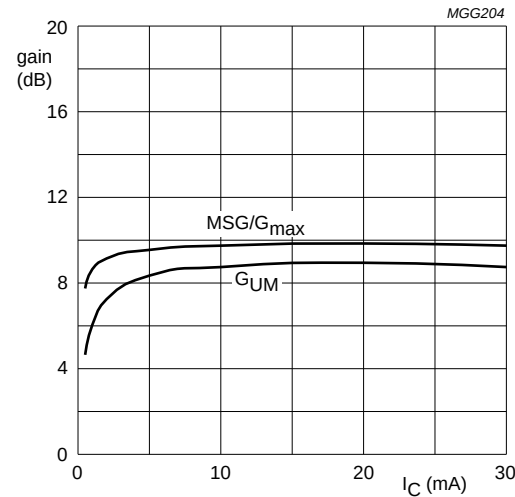
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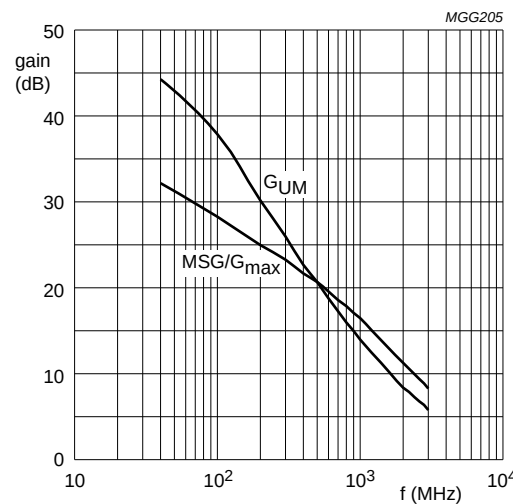
f = 900 MHz; V_{CE} = 3 V.

Fig.6 Gain as a function of collector current; typical values.



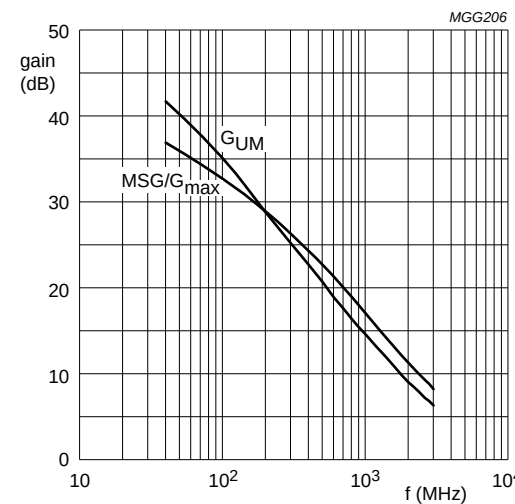
f = 2 GHz; V_{CE} = 3 V.

Fig.7 Gain as a function of collector current; typical values.



I_C = 5 mA; V_{CE} = 3 V.

Fig.8 Gain as a function of frequency; typical values.

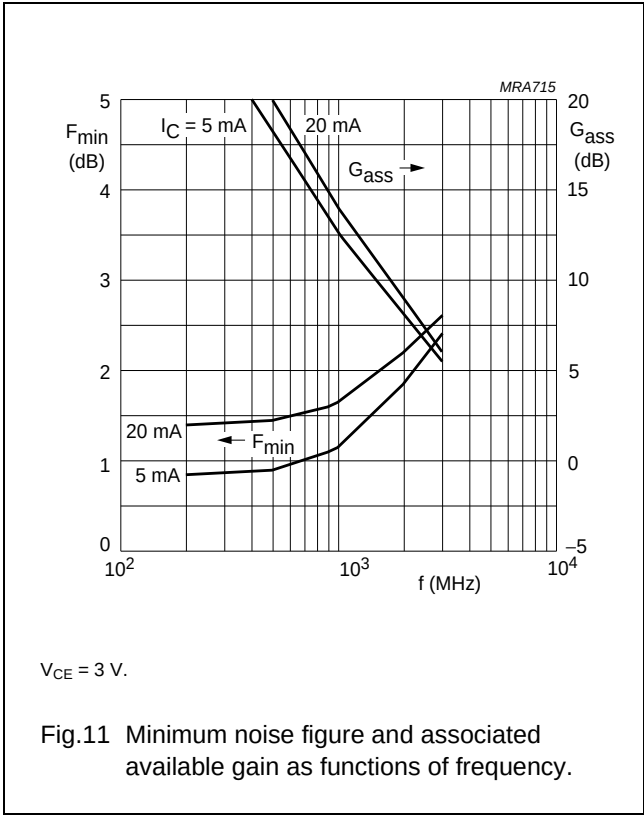
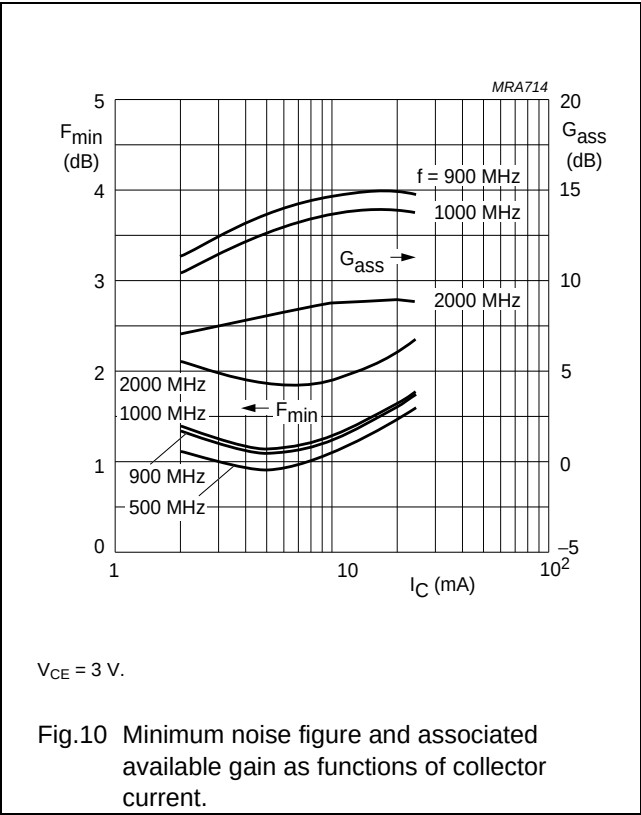


I_C = 20 mA; V_{CE} = 3 V.

Fig.9 Gain as a function of frequency; typical values.

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APPLICATION INFORMATION

SPICE parameters for any single BFM520 die

SEQUENCE No.	PARAMETER	VALUE	UNIT
1	IS	1.016	fA
2	BF	220.1	–
3	NF	1.000	–
4	VAF	48.06	V
5	IKF	510.0	mA
6	ISE	283.0	fA
7	NE	2.035	–
8	BR	100.7	–
9	NR	0.988	–
10	VAR	1.692	V
11	IKR	2.352	mA
12	ISC	24.48	aA
13	NC	1.022	–
14	RB	10.00	Ω
15	IRB	1.000	μA
16	RBM	10.00	Ω
17	RE	0.775	Ω
18	RC	2.210	Ω
19 ⁽¹⁾	XTB	0.000	–
20 ⁽¹⁾	EG	1.110	eV
21 ⁽¹⁾	XTI	3.000	–
22	CJE	1.245	pF
23	VJE	600.0	mV
24	MJE	0.258	–
25	TF	8.616	ps
26	XTF	6.788	–
27	VTF	1.414	V
28	ITF	110.3	mA
29	PTF	45.01	deg
30	CJC	447.6	fF
31	VJC	189.2	mV
32	MJC	0.071	–
33	XCJC	0.130	–
34	TR	543.7	ps
35 ⁽¹⁾	CJS	0.000	F
36 ⁽¹⁾	VJS	750.0	mV
37 ⁽¹⁾	MJS	0.000	–
38	FC	0.780	–

Note

1. These parameters have not been extracted, the default values are shown.

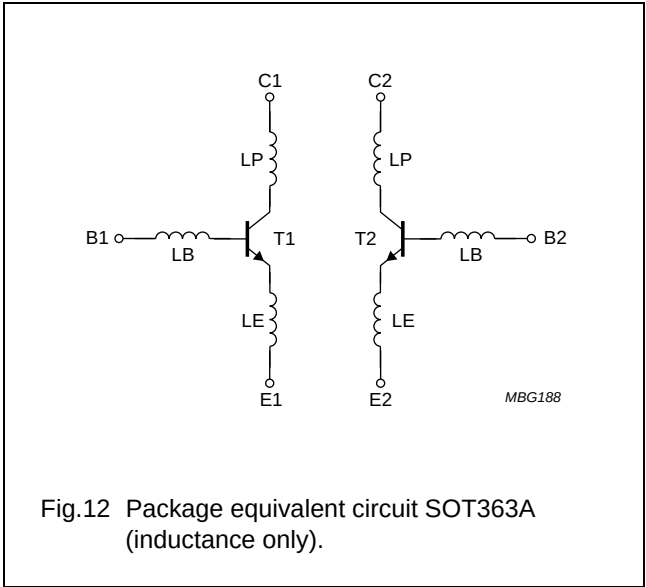


Fig.12 Package equivalent circuit SOT363A (inductance only).

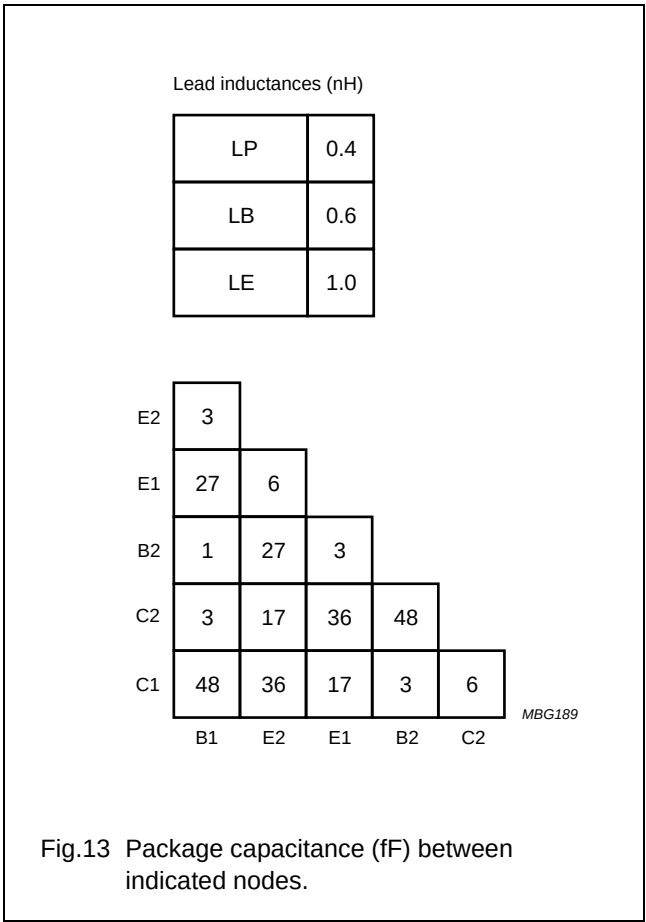


Fig.13 Package capacitance (fF) between indicated nodes.

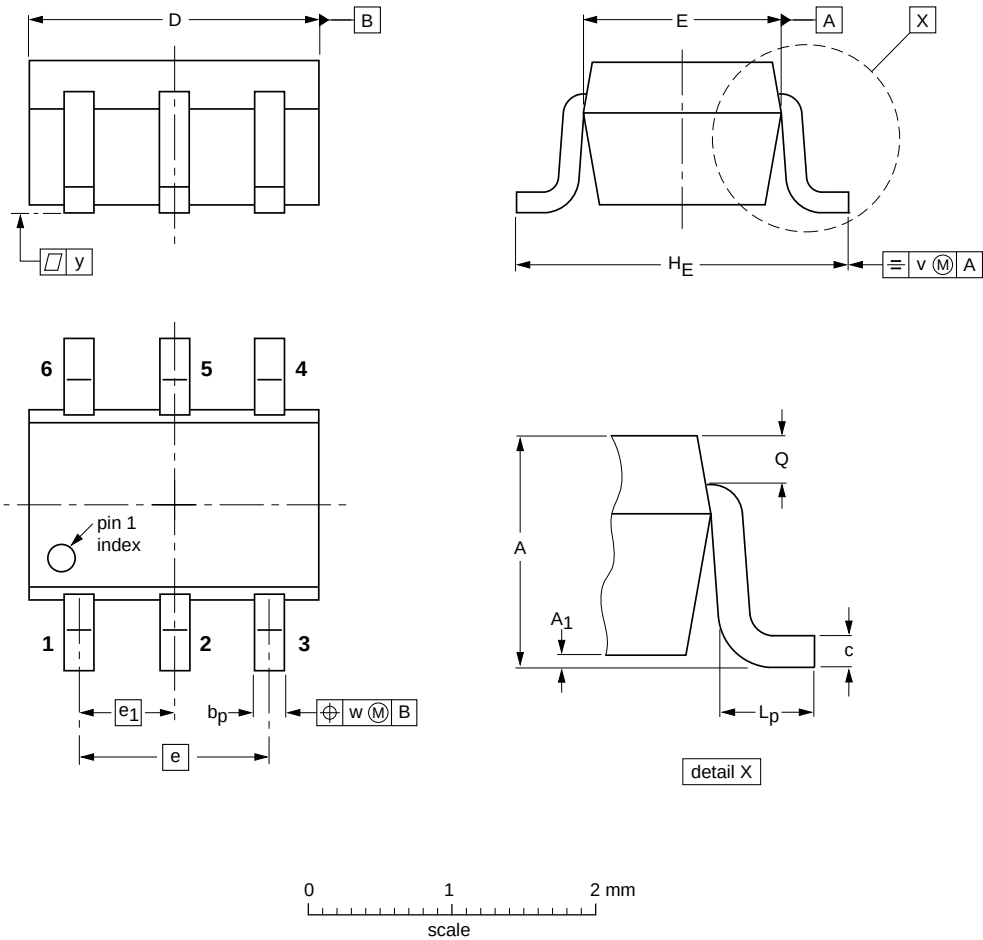
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PACKAGE OUTLINE

Plastic surface-mounted package; 6 leads

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DIMENSIONS (mm are the original dimensions)

UNIT	A	A ₁ max	b _p	c	D	E	e	e ₁	H _E	L _p	Q	v	w	y
mm	1.1 0.8	0.1	0.30 0.20	0.25 0.10	2.2 1.8	1.35 1.15	1.3	0.65	2.2 2.0	0.45 0.15	0.25 0.15	0.2	0.2	0.1

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