

BB181 VHF variable capacitance diode Rev. 03 — 16 February 2009

Product data sheet

Product profile

1.1 General description

The BB181 is a variable capacitance diode, fabricated in planar technology and encapsulated in the SOD523 (SC-79) ultra small plastic SMD package.

1.2 Features

- Excellent linearity
- Ultra small plastic SMD package
- C_{d(28V)}: 1 pF; C_{d(0V5)} to C_{d(28V)} ratio : 14

1.3 Applications

- Electronic tuning in satellite tuners
- Tunable coupling
- Voltage Controlled Oscillators (VCO)

Pinning information 2.

Table 1. **Pinning**

| | Simplified outline | Graphic symbol | |
|---------|--------------------|----------------|--|
| cathode | 1] | ٦L | |
| anode | 1 2 | sym008 | |
| | | ode 1 | |

^[1] The marking bar indicates the cathode.

Ordering information 3.

Table 2. **Ordering information**

| Type number | Package | | |
|-------------|---------|--|---------|
| | Name | Description | Version |
| BB181 | SC-79 | plastic surface mounted package; 2 leads | SOD523 |



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4. Marking

Table 3. Marking codes

| Type number | Marking code |
|-------------|--------------|
| BB181 | N |

5. Limiting values

Table 4. Limiting values

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

| Symbol | Parameter | Conditions | Min | Max | Unit |
|------------------|----------------------|------------|-----|------|------|
| V_{R} | reverse voltage | | - | 30 | V |
| I _F | forward current | | - | 20 | mΑ |
| T _{stg} | storage temperature | | -55 | +150 | °C |
| Tj | junction temperature | | -55 | +150 | °C |

6. Characteristics

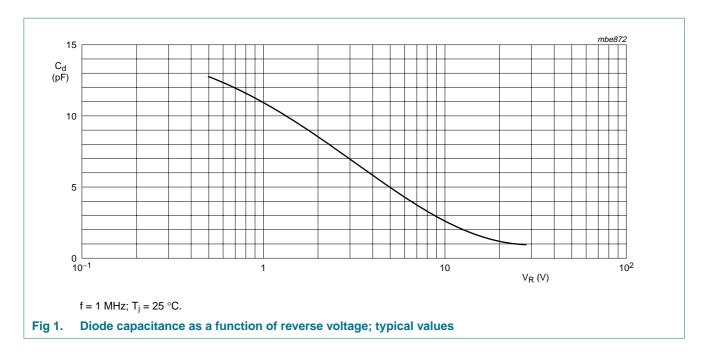
Table 5. Characteristics

 $T_i = 25 \,^{\circ}C$ unless otherwise specified.

| Symbol | Parameter | Conditions | Min | Тур | Max | Unit |
|--|---|--|-----|-----|-------|------|
| I _R | reverse current | see Figure 2 | | | | |
| | | $V_R = 30 \text{ V}$ | - | - | 10 | nA |
| | | $V_R = 30 \text{ V}; T_j = 85 ^{\circ}\text{C}$ | - | - | 200 | nA |
| r _s | diode series resistance | $f = 470 \text{ MHz}$ at $C_d = 9 \text{ pF}$ | - | - | 3 | Ω |
| C _d diode capac | diode capacitance | f = 1 MHz; see <u>Figure 1</u> and <u>Figure 3</u> | | | | |
| | | $V_{R} = 0.5 V$ | 8 | - | 17 | pF |
| | | V _R = 28 V | 0.7 | - | 1.055 | pF |
| C _{d(0V5)} /C _{d(28V)} | diode capacitance ratio (0.5 V to 28 V) | f = 1 MHz | 12 | - | 16 | |

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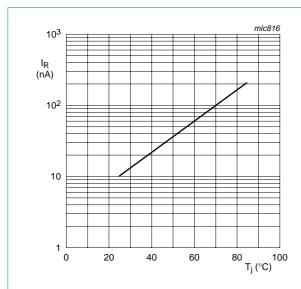
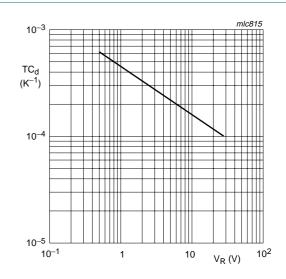


Fig 2. Reverse current as a function of junction temperature; maximum values



 $T_j = 0$ °C to 85 °C.

Fig 3. Temperature coefficient of diode capacitance as a function of reverse voltage; typical values

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7. Package outline

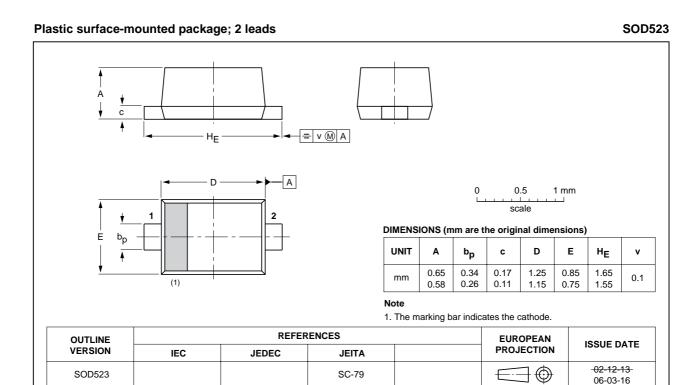


Fig 4. Package outline SOD523 (SC-79)

8. Abbreviations

Table 6. Abbreviations

| Acronym | Description |
|---------|------------------------|
| SMD | Surface Mounted Device |
| VHF | Very High Frequency |

9. Revision history

Table 7. Revision history

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