



BCX70K

NPN general purpose transistor

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Product data sheet

1. General description

NPN general-purpose transistor in a small SOT23 Surface-Mounted Device (SMD) plastic package.

PNP complement: BCX71K

2. Features and benefits

- Low current (max. 100 mA)
- Low voltage (max. 45 V)
- AEC-Q101 qualified

3. Applications

- General purpose switching and amplification

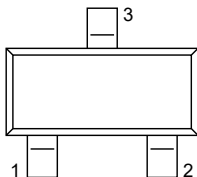
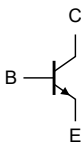
4. Quick reference data

Table 1. Quick reference data

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
V_{CE0}	collector-emitter voltage	open base	-	-	45	V
I_C	collector current		-	-	100	mA
h_{FE}	DC current gain	$V_{CE} = 5\text{ V}$; $I_C = 2\text{ mA}$; $T_{amb} = 25\text{ °C}$	380	-	630	

5. Pinning information

Table 2. Pinning information

Pin	Symbol	Description	Simplified outline	Graphic symbol
1	B	base	 SOT23	 sym123
2	E	emitter		
3	C	collector		

6. Ordering information

Table 3. Ordering information

Type number	Package		
	Name	Description	Version
BCX70K	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]
BCX70K	AK%

[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		-	45	V
V _{CEO}	collector-emitter voltage	open base		-	45	V
V _{EBO}	emitter-base voltage	open collector		-	5	V
I _C	collector current	single pulse; t _p ≤ 1 ms		-	100	mA
I _{CM}	peak collector current			-	200	mA
I _{BM}	peak base current			-	200	mA
P _{tot}	total power dissipation	T _{amb} ≤ 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} = 45 V; I _E = 0 A; T _{amb} = 25 °C		-	-	20	nA
		V _{CB} = 45 V; I _E = 0 A; T _{amb} = 150 °C		-	-	20	μA
I _{EBO}	emitter-base cut-off current	V _{EB} = 4 V; I _C = 0 μA; T _{amb} = 25 °C		-	-	20	nA
h _{FE}	DC current gain	V _{CE} = 5 V; I _C = 10 μA; T _{amb} = 25 °C		100	-	-	
		V _{CE} = 5 V; I _C = 2 mA; T _{amb} = 25 °C		380	-	630	
		V _{CE} = 1 V; I _C = 50 mA; pulsed; t _p ≤ 300 μs; δ ≤ 0.02; T _{amb} = 25 °C		100	-	-	
V _{CEsat}	collector-emitter saturation voltage	I _C = 10 mA; I _B = 0.25 mA; T _{amb} = 25 °C		50	-	350	mV
		I _C = 50 mA; I _B = 1.25 mA; pulsed; t _p ≤ 300 μs; δ ≤ 0.02; T _{amb} = 25 °C		100	-	550	mV
V _{BEsat}	base-emitter saturation voltage	I _C = 10 mA; I _B = 0.25 mA; T _{amb} = 25 °C		600	-	850	mV
		I _C = 50 mA; I _B = 1.25 mA; pulsed; t _p ≤ 300 μs; δ ≤ 0.02; T _{amb} = 25 °C		700	-	1050	mV
V _{BE}	base-emitter voltage	V _{CE} = 5 V; I _C = 10 μA; T _{amb} = 25 °C		-	520	-	mV
		V _{CE} = 5 V; I _C = 2 mA; T _{amb} = 25 °C	[1]	550	650	750	mV
		V _{CE} = 1 V; I _C = 50 mA; pulsed; t _p ≤ 300 μs; δ ≤ 0.02		-	780	-	mV
C _c	collector capacitance	V _{CB} = 10 V; I _E = 0 A; i _e = 0 A; f = 1 MHz; T _{amb} = 25 °C		-	1.7	-	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		-	11	-	pF
f _T	transition frequency	V _{CE} = 5 V; I _C = 10 mA; f = 100 MHz; T _{amb} = 25 °C		100	250	-	MHz
NF	noise figure	V _{CE} = 5 V; I _C = 200 μA; R _S = 2 kΩ; f = 1 kHz; B = 200 Hz; T _{amb} = 25 °C		-	2	6	dB

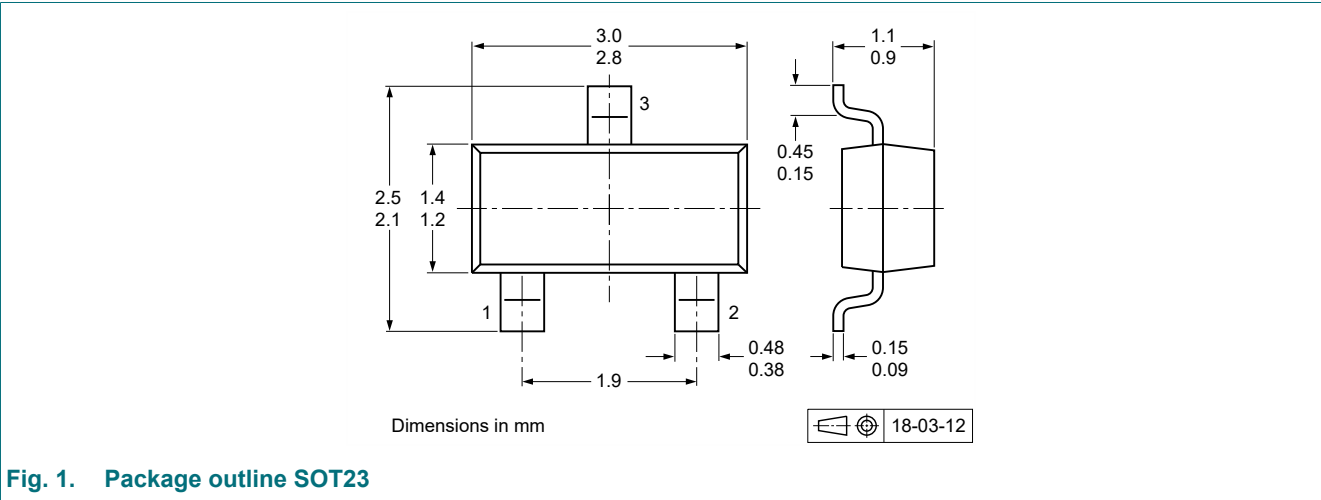
[1] V_{BE} decreases by about 2 mV/K with increasing temperature.

11. Test information

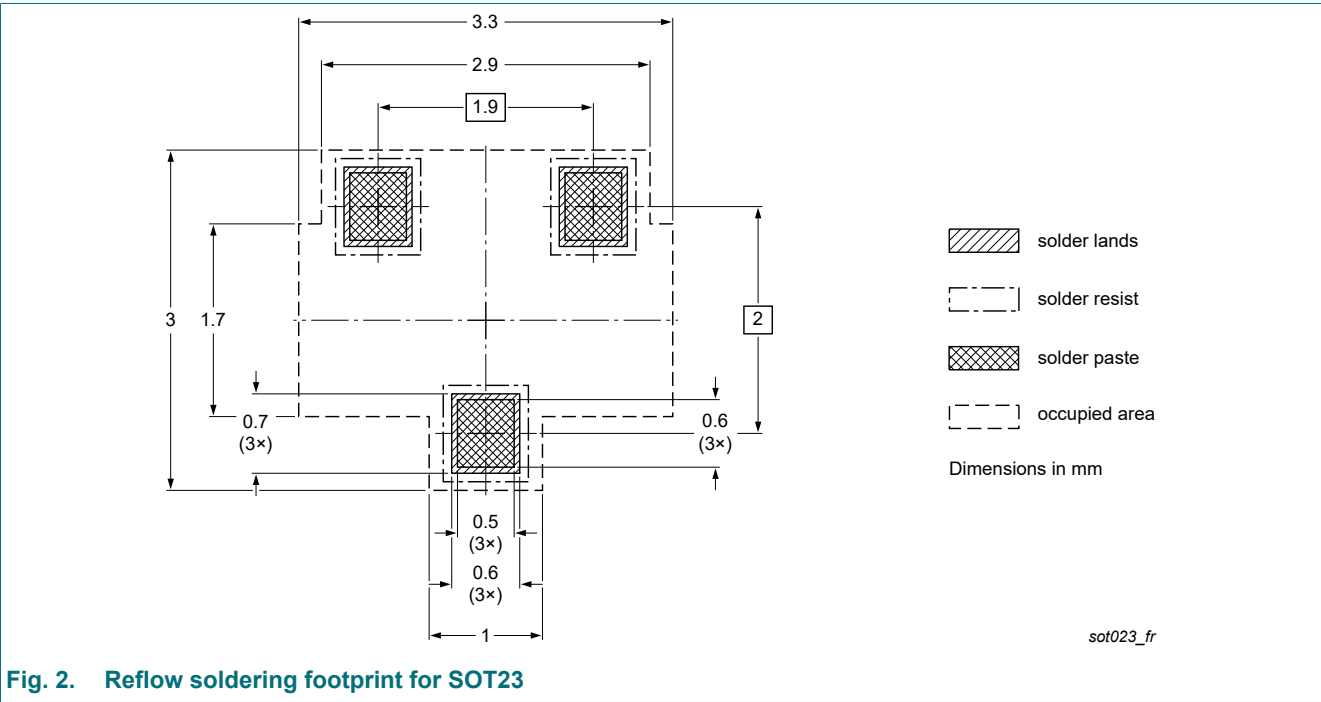
Quality information

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



13. Soldering



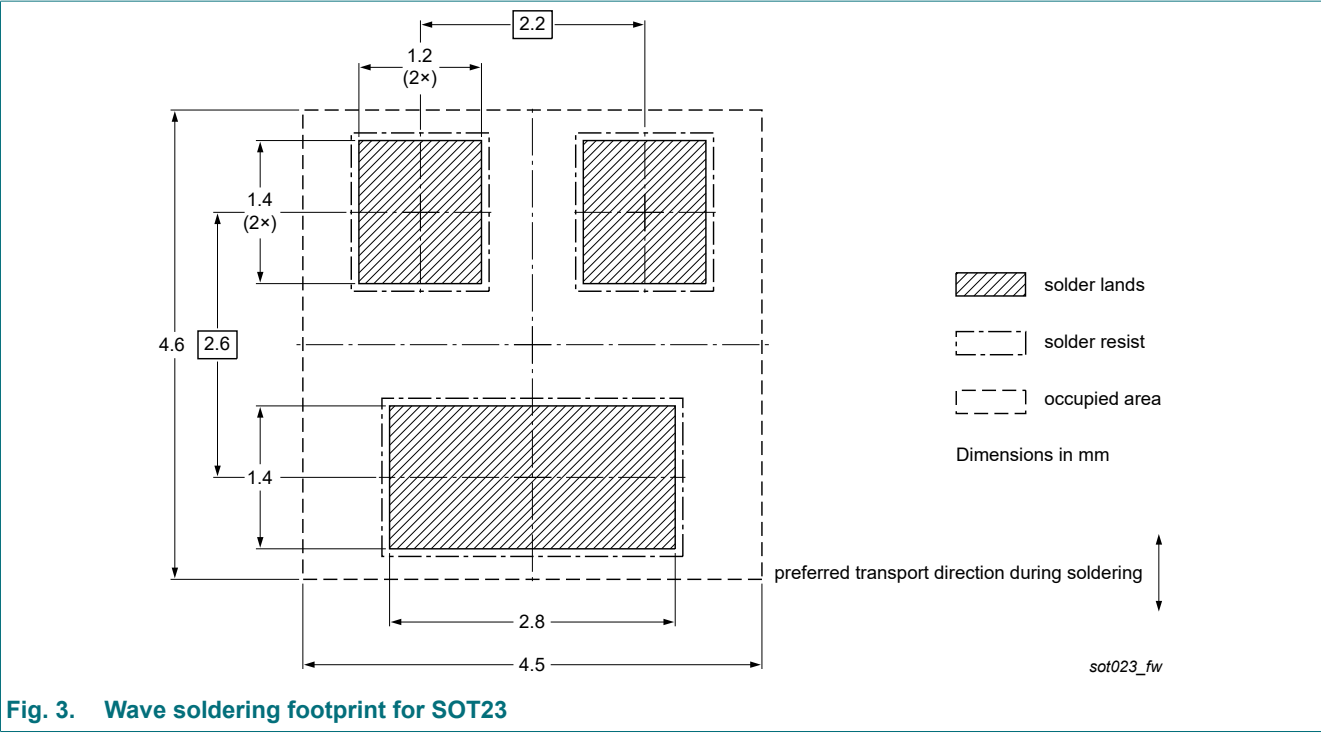


Fig. 3. Wave soldering footprint for SOT23

14. Revision history

Table 8. Revision history

Data sheet ID	Release date	Data sheet status	Change notice	Supersedes
BCX70K v.3	20260109	Product data sheet	-	BCX70 v.2
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BCX70 v.1	19990415	Product data sheet	-	-

15. Legal information

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