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SILICON PLANAR VARIABLE CAPACITANCE DIODE

The BB909 is a variable capacitance diode in a glass envelope intended for electronic tuning in v.h.f. television tuners for C.A.T.V. applications.

Diodes are supplied in matched sets (minimum 120 pieces and divisible by 12) and the capacitance difference between any two diodes in one set is less than 2,5% over the voltage range from 1 V to 28 V.

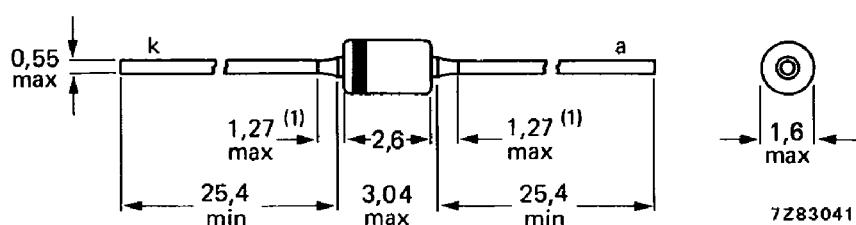
QUICK REFERENCE DATA

Reverse voltage (peak value)	V_{RM}	max.	32 V
Reverse current at $V_R = 28$ V	I_R	<	10 nA
Diode capacitance at $f = 0,5$ MHz		BB909A ,	BB909B
$V_R = 1$ V	C_d	> 31	33,5 pF
$V_R = 28$ V	C_d	2,6–3,0	2,8–3,2 pF
Capacitance ratio at $f = 0,5$ MHz	$\frac{C_d (V_R = 1 \text{ V})}{C_d (V_R = 28 \text{ V})}$	12–15	
Series resistance at $f = 100$ MHz V_R is that value at which $C_d = 30$ pF	r_s	typ. <	0,7 Ω 0,9 Ω

MECHANICAL DATA

Dimensions in mm

Fig. 1 DO-34 (SOD-68).



(1) Lead diameter in this zone uncontrolled.

BB909B : green cathode ring; body black coloured.

BB909A : additional red band.

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BB909B

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

Reverse voltage (peak value)	VRM	max.	32 V
Forward current (d.c.)	I _F	max.	20 mA
Storage temperature	T _{stg}		-55 to + 150 °C
Operating junction temperature	T _j	max.	100 °C

THERMAL RESISTANCE

$$\text{From junction to ambient in free air} \quad R_{\text{th},j-a} = 0.6 \text{ K/mW}$$

CHARACTERISTICS

T_{amb} = 25 °C unless otherwise specified

Reverse current

$V_R = 28 \text{ V}$	$I_R <$	10 nA
$V_R = 28 \text{ V}; T_{\text{amb}} = 85^\circ\text{C}$	$I_R <$	200 pA

Diode capacitance at f = 0,5 MHz

$V_R = 1 \text{ V}$	C_d	> 31	$> 33,5 \text{ pF}$
$V_R = 3 \text{ V}$	C_d	typ. 23	25 pF
$V_R = 28 \text{ V}$	C_d	2,6–3,0	2,8–3,2 pF

Capacitance ratio at f = 0.5 MHz

$$\frac{C_d(V_R = 1 \text{ V})}{C_d(V_R = 28 \text{ V})} \quad 12-15$$

Series resistance at f = 100 MHz

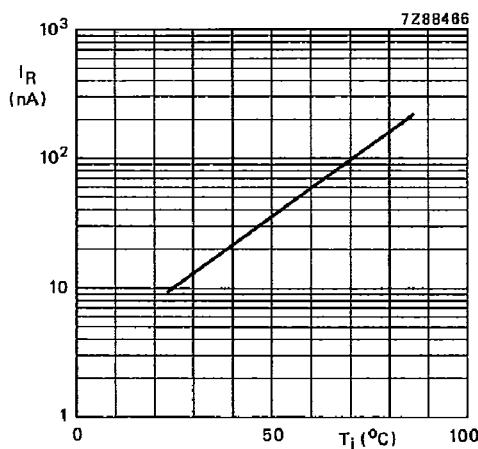
r_s typ. < 0,7 Ω
 > 0,9 Ω

Tolerance of the capacitance difference between two diodes at $V_R = 1$ to 28 V

$$\frac{\Delta C}{C} < 2,5 \%$$

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Fig. 2 Reverse current as a function of junction temperature at $V_R = 28$ V.

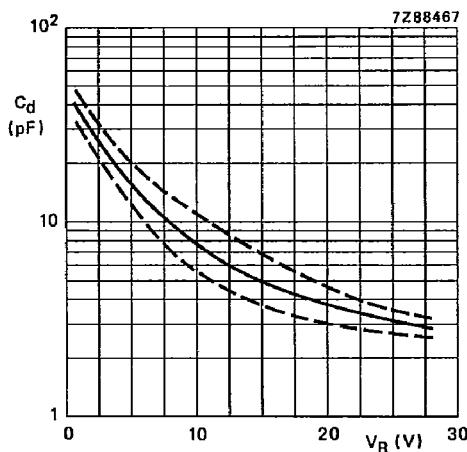


Fig. 3 Diode capacitance as a function of reverse voltage.

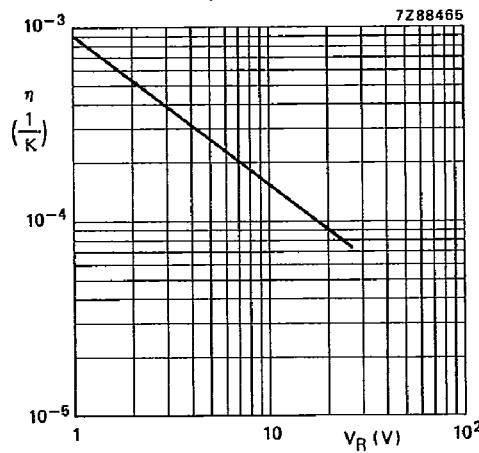


Fig. 4 Temperature coefficient of the diode capacitance as a function of reverse voltage at $T_j = 0$ to 85 °C.