



BC846xQB series

65 V, 100 mA NPN general-purpose transistor

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Product data sheet

1. General description

NPN general-purpose transistor in an ultra small DFN1110D-3 (SOT8015) leadless Surface-Mounted Device (SMD) plastic package with side-wettable flanks.

Table 1. Product overview

Type number	Package		PNP complement:
	Nexperia	JEDEC	
BC846AQB	SOT8015	MO-340BA	BC856AQB
BC846BQB			BC856BQB

2. Features and benefits

- High power dissipation capability
- Suitable for Automatic Optical Inspection (AOI) of solder joint
- Smaller footprint compared to conventional leaded SMD packages
- Low package height of 0.5 mm

3. Applications

- General-purpose switching and amplification
- Space restricted applications

4. Quick reference data

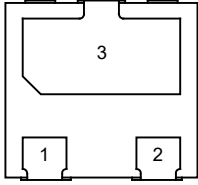
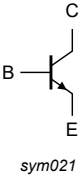
Table 2. Quick reference data

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

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
V_{CEO}	collector-emitter voltage	open base	-	-	65	V
I_C	collector current		-	-	100	mA
I_{CM}	peak collector current	single pulse; $t_p \leq 1\text{ ms}$	-	-	200	mA
h_{FE}	DC current gain					
	BC846AQB	$V_{CE} = 5\text{ V}; I_C = 2\text{ mA}$	110	-	220	
	BC846BQB		200	-	450	

5. Pinning information

Table 3. Pinning

Pin	Symbol	Description	Simplified outline	Graphic symbol
1	B	base	 <p>Transparent top view</p>	 <p>sym021</p>
2	E	emitter		
3	C	collector		

6. Ordering information

Table 4. Ordering information

Type number	Package		Version
	Name	Description	
BC846AQB	DFN1110D-3	plastic leadless extremely thin small outline package with side-wettable flanks (SWF); 3 terminals; 0.65 mm pitch; body: 1.1 mm x 1.0 mm x 0.48 mm	SOT8015
BC846BQB			

7. Marking

Table 5. Marking

Type number	Marking code
BC846AQB	F2
BC846BQB	F3

8. Limiting values

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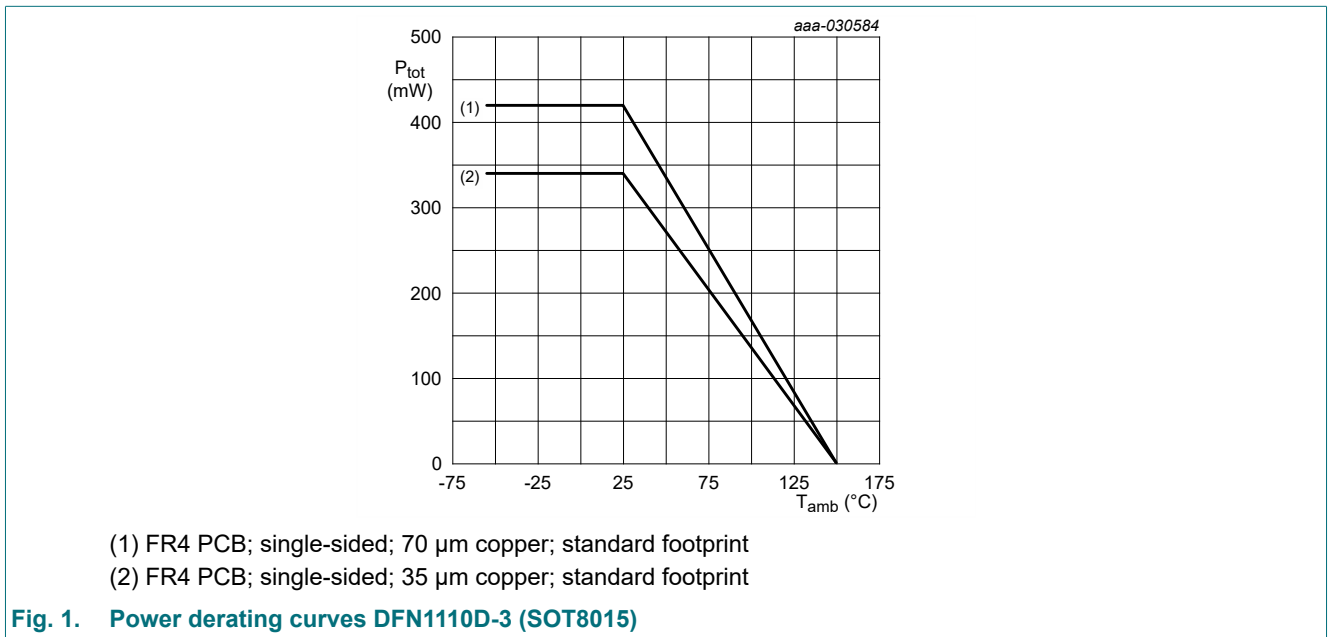
In accordance with the Absolute Maximum Rating System (IEC 60134).

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Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Max	Unit
V_{CBO}	collector-base voltage	open emitter	-	80	V
V_{CEO}	collector-emitter voltage	open base	-	65	V
V_{EBO}	emitter-base voltage	open collector	-	6	V
I_C	collector current		-	100	mA
I_{CM}	peak collector current	single pulse; $t_p \leq 1\text{ ms}$	-	200	mA
I_{BM}	peak base current	single pulse; $t_p \leq 1\text{ ms}$	-	100	mA
P_{tot}	total power dissipation	$T_{amb} \leq 25\text{ °C}$	[1]	340	mW
			[2]	420	mW
T_j	junction temperature		-	150	°C
T_{amb}	ambient temperature		-55	150	°C
T_{stg}	storage temperature		-65	150	°C

[1] Device mounted on an FR4 Printed-Circuit-Board (PCB); single-sided; 35 μm copper; tin-plated and standard footprint.

[2] Device mounted on an FR4 PCB; single-sided; 70 μm copper; tin-plated and standard footprint.



9. Thermal characteristics

Table 7. Thermal characteristics

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

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions		Min	Typ	Max	Unit
$R_{th(j-a)}$	thermal resistance from junction to ambient	in free air	[1]	-	-	368	K/W
			[2]	-	-	298	K/W

- [1] Device mounted on an FR4 PCB; single-sided; 35 μm copper; tin-plated and standard footprint.
- [2] Device mounted on an FR4 PCB; single-sided; 70 μm copper; tin-plated and standard footprint.

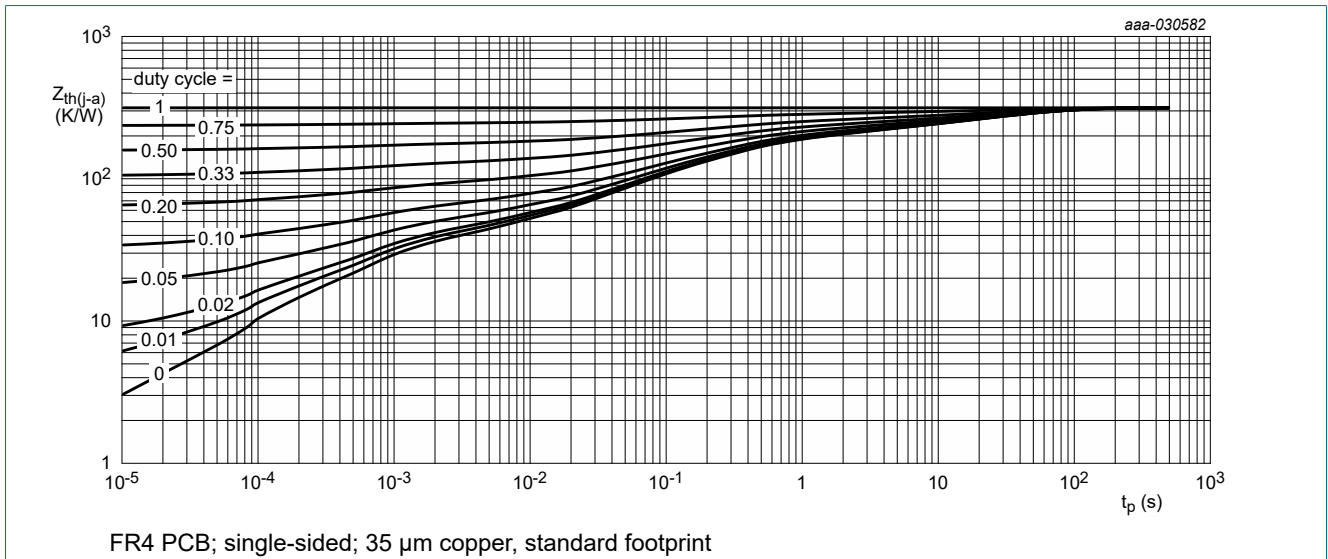


Fig. 2. Transient thermal impedance from junction to ambient as a function of pulse duration; typical values

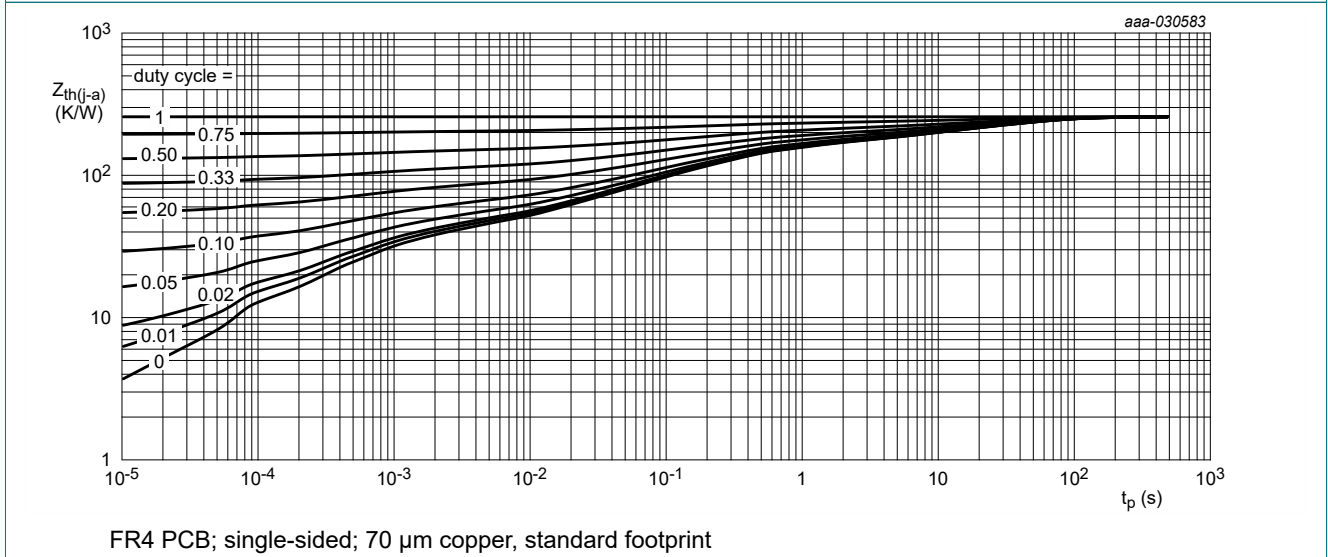


Fig. 3. Transient thermal impedance from junction to ambient as a function of pulse duration; typical values

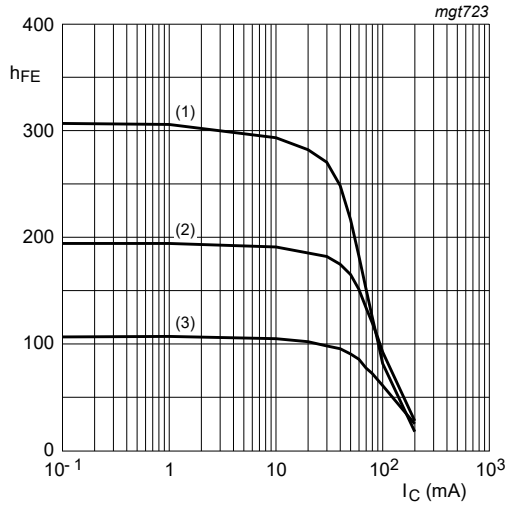
10. Characteristics

Table 8. Characteristics
 $T_{amb} = 25\text{ °C}$ unless otherwise specified.

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
$V_{(BR)CBO}$	collector-base breakdown voltage	$I_C = 100\ \mu\text{A}; I_E = 0\ \text{A}$	80	-	-	V
$V_{(BR)CES}$	collector-emitter peak voltage	$I_C = 2\ \text{mA}; I_E = 0\ \text{A}$	65	-	-	V
$V_{(BR)EBO}$	emitter-base breakdown voltage	$I_E = 100\ \mu\text{A}; I_C = 0\ \text{A}$	6	-	-	V
I_{CBO}	collector-base cut-off current	$V_{CB} = 30\ \text{V}; I_E = 0\ \text{A}$	-	-	15	nA
		$V_{CB} = 30\ \text{V}; I_E = 0\ \text{A}; T_J = 150\text{ °C}$	-	-	5	μA
I_{EBO}	emitter-base cut-off current	$V_{EB} = 5\ \text{V}; I_C = 0\ \text{A}$	-	-	100	nA
h_{FE}	DC current gain					
	BC846AQB	$V_{CE} = 5\ \text{V}; I_C = 2\ \text{mA}$	110	-	220	
	BC846BQB		200	-	450	
V_{CEsat}	collector-emitter saturation voltage	$I_C = 10\ \text{mA}; I_B = 0.5\ \text{mA}$	-	-	200	mV
		$I_C = 100\ \text{mA}; I_B = 5\ \text{mA}$ [1]	-	-	400	mV
V_{BE}	base-emitter voltage	$V_{CE} = 5\ \text{V}; I_C = 2\ \text{mA}$ [2]	580	-	700	mV
		$V_{CE} = 5\ \text{V}; I_C = 10\ \text{mA}$ [2]	-	-	770	mV
V_{BEsat}	base-emitter saturation voltage	$I_C = 10\ \text{mA}; I_B = 0.5\ \text{mA}$	-	760	-	mV
		$I_C = 100\ \text{mA}; I_B = 5\ \text{mA}$ [1]	-	900	-	mV
f_T	transition frequency	$V_{CE} = 5\ \text{V}; I_C = 10\ \text{mA}; f = 100\ \text{MHz}$	100	-	-	MHz
C_c	collector capacitance	$V_{CB} = 10\ \text{V}; I_E = i_e = 0\ \text{A}; f = 1\ \text{MHz}$	-	-	3	pF
C_e	emitter capacitance	$V_{EB} = 0.5\ \text{V}; I_E = i_e = 0\ \text{A}; f = 1\ \text{MHz}$	-	11	-	pF
NF	noise figure	$V_{CE} = 5\ \text{V}; I_C = 200\ \mu\text{A}; R_S = 2\ \text{k}\Omega; f = 1\ \text{kHz}; B = 200\ \text{Hz}$	-	-	10	dB

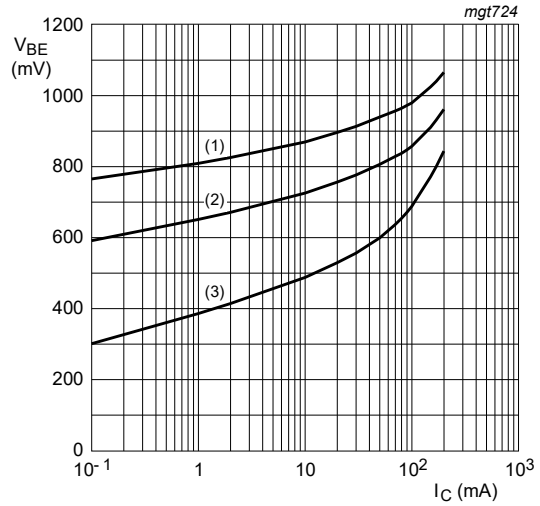
[1] pulsed; $t_p \leq 300\ \mu\text{s}$; $\delta \leq 0.02$

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



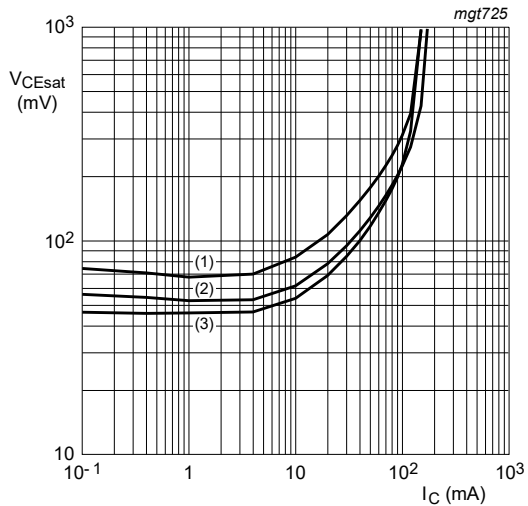
$V_{CE} = 5\text{ V}$
 (1) $T_{amb} = 150\text{ °C}$
 (2) $T_{amb} = 25\text{ °C}$
 (3) $T_{amb} = -55\text{ °C}$

Fig. 4. BC846AQB: DC current gain as a function of collector current; typical values



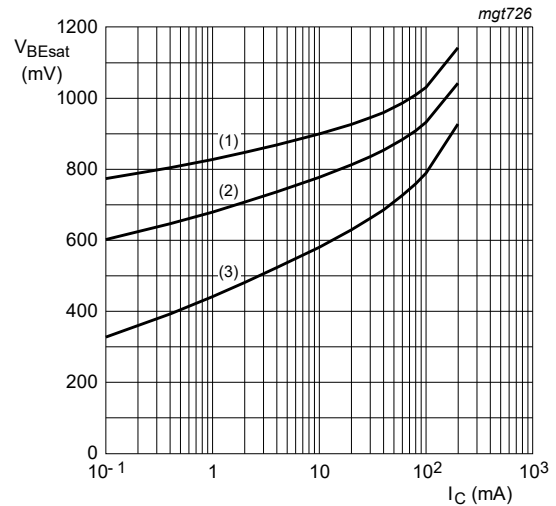
$V_{CE} = 5\text{ V}$
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 (3) $T_{amb} = 150\text{ °C}$

Fig. 5. BC846AQB: Base-emitter voltage as a function of collector current; typical values



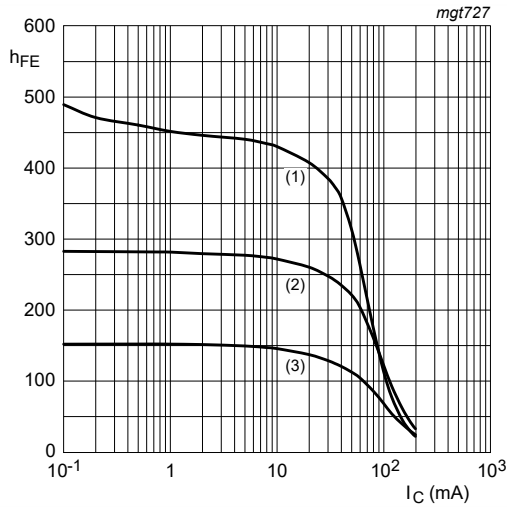
$I_C / I_B = 20$
 (1) $T_{amb} = 150\text{ °C}$
 (2) $T_{amb} = 25\text{ °C}$
 (3) $T_{amb} = -55\text{ °C}$

Fig. 6. BC846AQB: Collector-emitter saturation voltage as a function of collector current; typical values



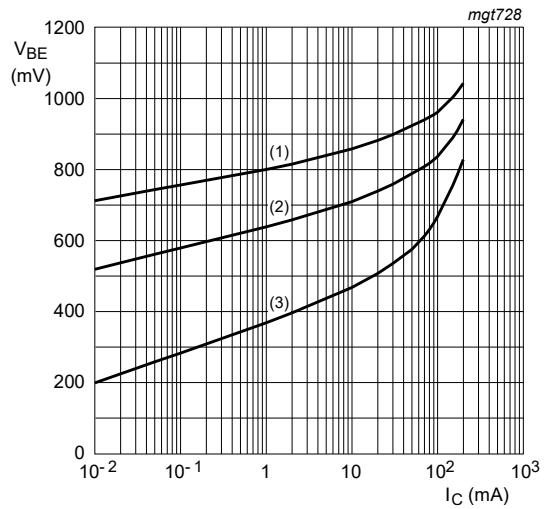
$I_C / I_B = 10$
 (1) $T_{amb} = -55\text{ °C}$
 (2) $T_{amb} = 25\text{ °C}$
 (3) $T_{amb} = 150\text{ °C}$

Fig. 7. BC846AQB: Base-emitter saturation voltage as a function of collector current; typical values



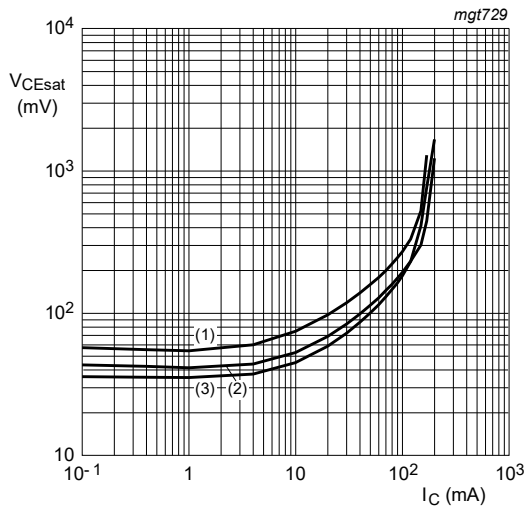
$V_{CE} = 5\text{ V}$
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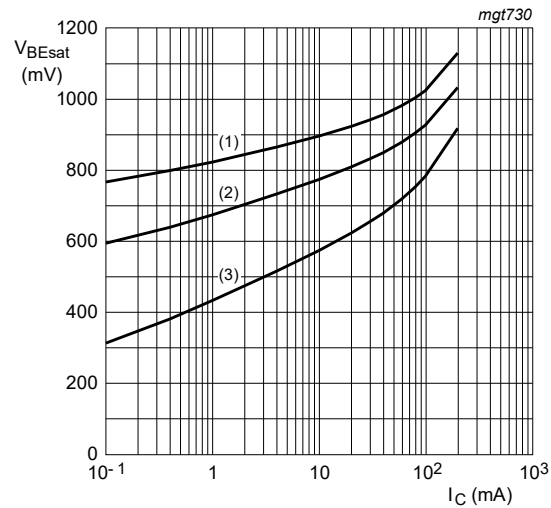
$V_{CE} = 5\text{ V}$
 (1) $T_{amb} = -55\text{ °C}$
 (2) $T_{amb} = 25\text{ °C}$
 (3) $T_{amb} = 150\text{ °C}$

Fig. 9. BC846BQB: Base-emitter voltage as a function of collector current; typical values



$I_C / I_B = 20$
 (1) $T_{amb} = 150\text{ °C}$
 (2) $T_{amb} = 25\text{ °C}$
 (3) $T_{amb} = -55\text{ °C}$

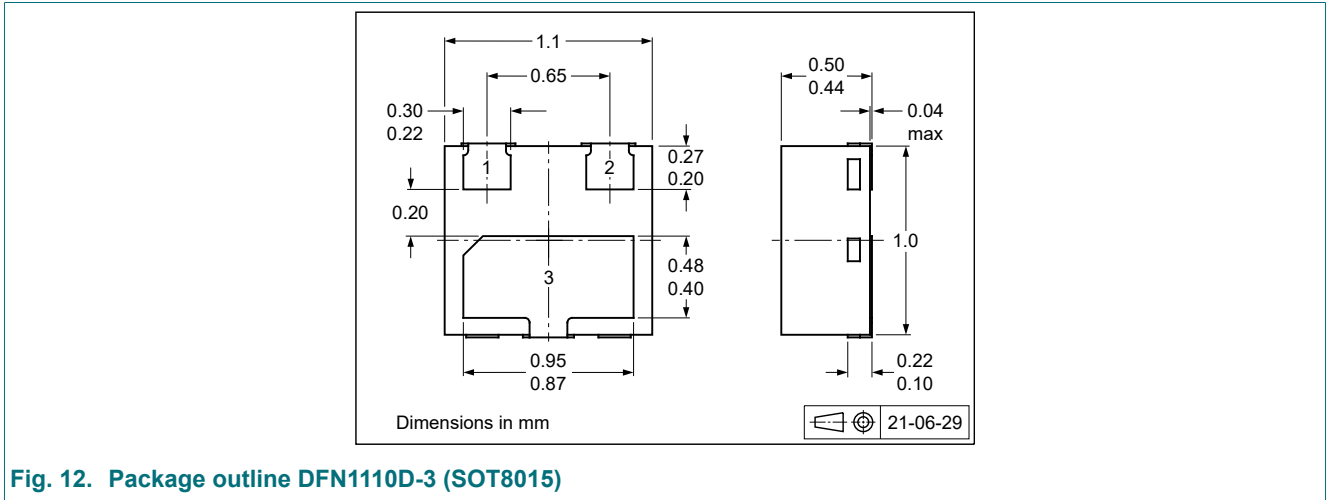
Fig. 10. BC846BQB: Collector-emitter saturation voltage as a function of collector current; typical values



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 (1) $T_{amb} = -55\text{ °C}$
 (2) $T_{amb} = 25\text{ °C}$
 (3) $T_{amb} = 150\text{ °C}$

Fig. 11. BC846BQB: Base-emitter saturation voltage as a function of collector current; typical values

11. Package outline



12. Soldering

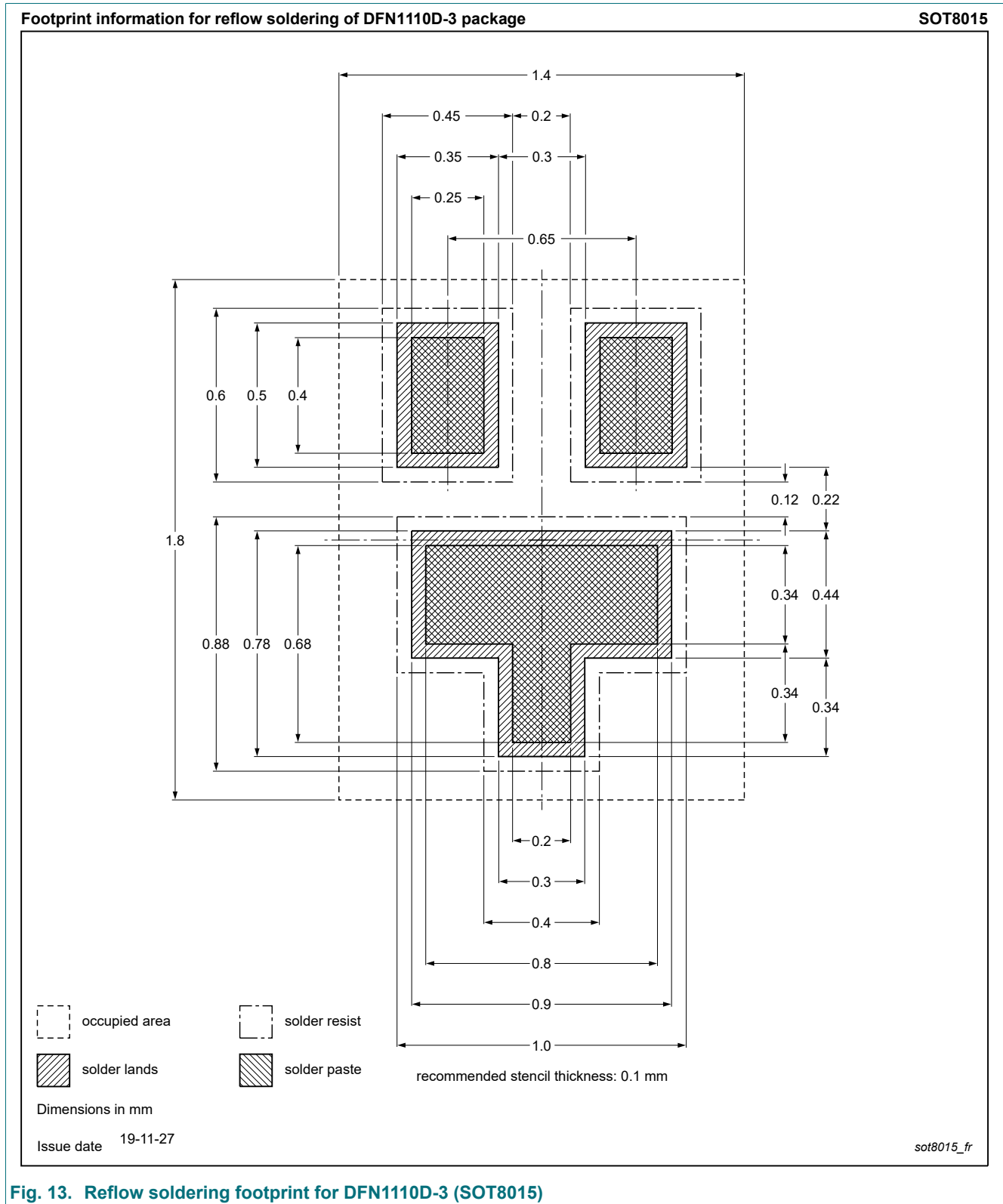


Fig. 13. Reflow soldering footprint for DFN1110D-3 (SOT8015)

13. Revision history

Table 9. Revision history

Data sheet ID	Release date	Data sheet status	Change notice	Supersedes
BC846XQB_SER v.1	20210920	Product data sheet	-	-

14. Legal information

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