



# BSS138AKA

60 V, single N-channel Trench MOSFET

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Product data sheet

## 1. General description

N-channel enhancement mode Field-Effect Transistor (FET) in a small SOT23 (TO-236AB) Surface-Mounted Device (SMD) plastic package using Trench MOSFET technology.

## 2. Features and benefits

- Very fast switching
- Trench MOSFET technology
- ESD protection
- Low threshold voltage
- AEC-Q101 qualified

## 3. Applications

- Relay driver
- High-speed line driver
- Low-side loadswitch
- Switching circuits

## 4. Quick reference data

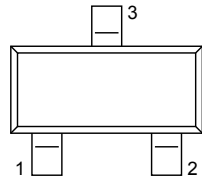
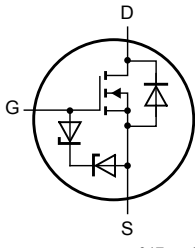
Table 1. Quick reference data

| Symbol                        | Parameter                        | Conditions  | Min | Typ | Max | Unit     |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|-----|-----|-----|----------|
| $V_{DS}$                      | drain-source voltage             | $T_j = 25\text{ °C}$  | -   | -   | 60  | V        |
| $V_{GS}$                      | gate-source voltage              |   | -20 | -   | 20  | V        |
| $I_D$                         | drain current                    | $V_{GS} = 10\text{ V}; T_{amb} = 25\text{ °C}$  | [1] | -   | 200 | mA       |
| <b>Static characteristics</b> |                                  |   |     |     |     |          |
| $R_{DS(on)}$                  | drain-source on-state resistance | $V_{GS} = 10\text{ V}; I_D = 100\text{ mA};$ pulsed;<br>$t_p \leq 300\text{ }\mu\text{s}; \delta \leq 0.02; T_j = 25\text{ °C}$ | -   | 2.7 | 4.5 | $\Omega$ |

[1] Device mounted on an FR4 PCB, single-sided copper, tin-plated, mounting pad for drain 1 cm<sup>2</sup>.

## 5. Pinning information

Table 2. Pinning information

| Pin | Symbol | Description | Simplified outline  | Graphic symbol   |
|-----|--------|-------------|---|--|
| 1   | G      | gate        |  <p>TO-236AB (SOT23)</p> |  <p>017aaa255</p> |
| 2   | S      | source      |   |  |
| 3   | D      | drain       |   |  |

## 6. Ordering information

Table 3. Ordering information

| Type number | Package  |  |         |
|-------------|----------|--|---------|
|             | Name     | Description                              | Version |
| BSS138AKA   | TO-236AB | plastic surface-mounted package; 3 leads | SOT23   |

## 7. Marking

Table 4. Marking codes

| Type number | Marking code |
|-------------|--------------|
| BSS138AKA   | %JL          |

[1] % = placeholder for manufacturing site code

## 8. Limiting values

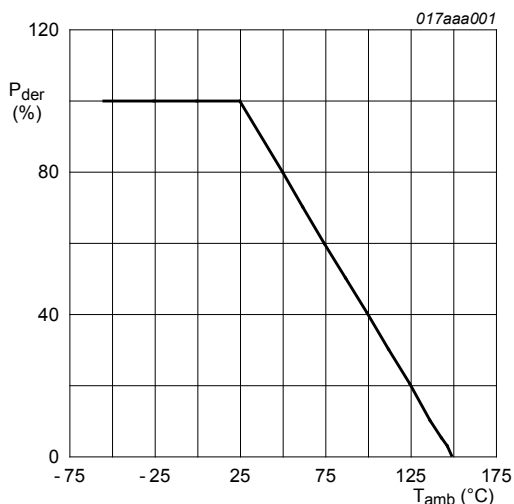
**Table 5. Limiting values**

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

| Symbol                    | Parameter               | Conditions   |     | Min | Max  | Unit |
|---------------------------|-------------------------|--|-----|-----|------|------|
| V <sub>DS</sub>           | drain-source voltage    | T <sub>j</sub> = 25 °C   |     | -   | 60   | V    |
| V <sub>GS</sub>           | gate-source voltage     |  |     | -20 | 20   | V    |
| I <sub>D</sub>            | drain current           | V <sub>GS</sub> = 10 V; T <sub>amb</sub> = 25 °C               | [1] | -   | 200  | mA   |
|                           |                         | V <sub>GS</sub> = 10 V; T <sub>amb</sub> = 100 °C              | [1] | -   | 125  | mA   |
| I <sub>DM</sub>           | peak drain current      | T <sub>amb</sub> = 25 °C; single pulse; t <sub>p</sub> ≤ 10 μs |     | -   | 800  | mA   |
| P <sub>tot</sub>          | total power dissipation | T <sub>amb</sub> = 25 °C                                       | [2] | -   | 300  | mW   |
|                           |                         |  | [1] | -   | 360  | mW   |
|                           |                         | T <sub>sp</sub> = 25 °C  |     | -   | 1060 | mW   |
| T <sub>j</sub>            | junction temperature    |  |     | -55 | 150  | °C   |
| T <sub>amb</sub>          | ambient temperature     |  |     | -55 | 150  | °C   |
| T <sub>stg</sub>          | storage temperature     |  |     | -65 | 150  | °C   |
| <b>Source-drain diode</b> |                         |  |     |     |      |      |
| I <sub>S</sub>            | source current          | T <sub>amb</sub> = 25 °C                                       | [1] | -   | 200  | mA   |

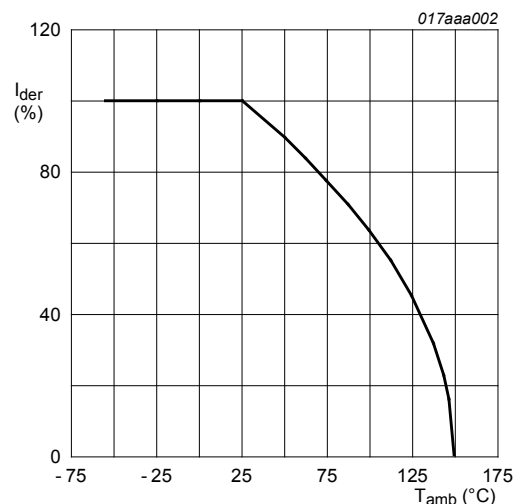
[1] Device mounted on an FR4 PCB, single-sided copper, tin-plated, mounting pad for drain 1 cm<sup>2</sup>.

[2] Device mounted on an FR4 Printed-Circuit Board (PCB), single-sided copper, tin-plated and standard footprint.



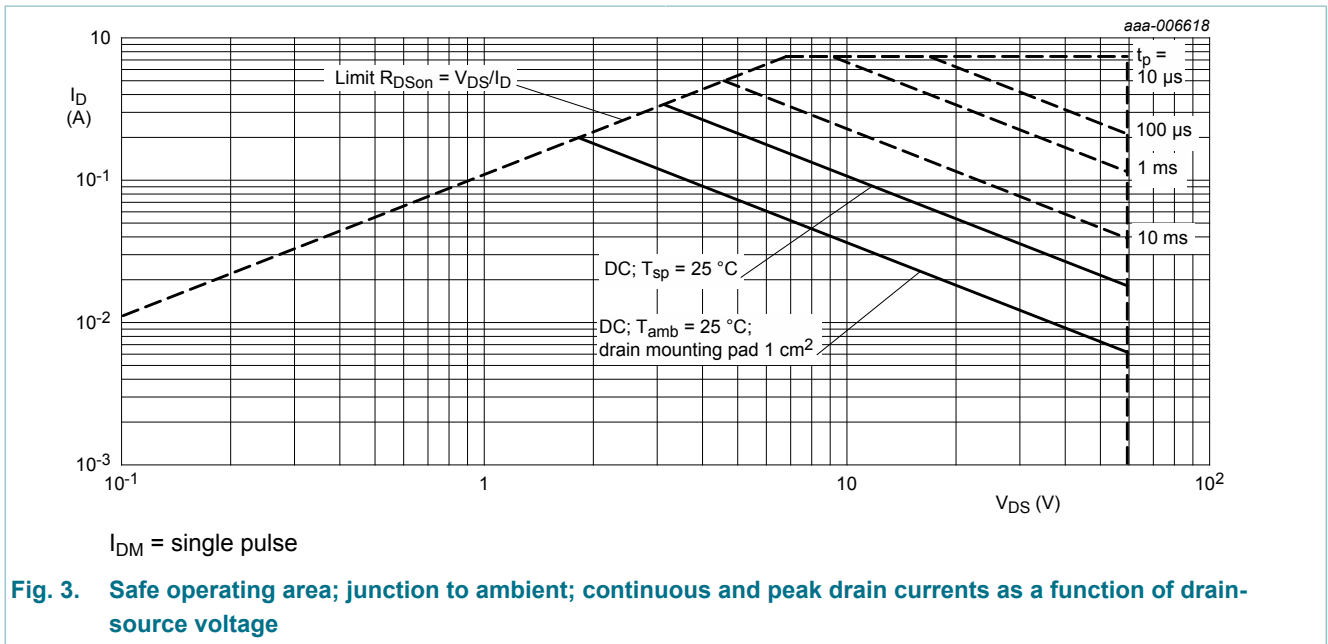
**Fig. 1. Normalized total power dissipation as a function of ambient temperature**

$$P_{der} = \frac{P_{tot}}{P_{tot(25^{\circ}\text{C})}} \times 100\%$$



**Fig. 2. Normalized continuous drain current as a function of ambient temperature**

$$I_{der} = \frac{I_D}{I_{D(25^{\circ}\text{C})}} \times 100\%$$



## 9. Thermal characteristics

Table 6. Thermal characteristics

| Symbol         | Parameter  | Conditions  |     | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
|----------------|--|-------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|
| $R_{th(j-a)}$  | thermal resistance from junction to ambient      | in free air | [1] | -   | 350 | 400 | K/W  |
|                |  |             | [2] | -   | 300 | 340 | K/W  |
| $R_{th(j-sp)}$ | thermal resistance from junction to solder point |             |     | -   | -   | 115 | K/W  |

[1] Device mounted on an FR4 PCB, single-sided copper, tin-plated and standard footprint.

[2] Device mounted on an FR4 PCB, single-sided copper, tin-plated, mounting pad for drain  $1\text{ cm}^2$ .

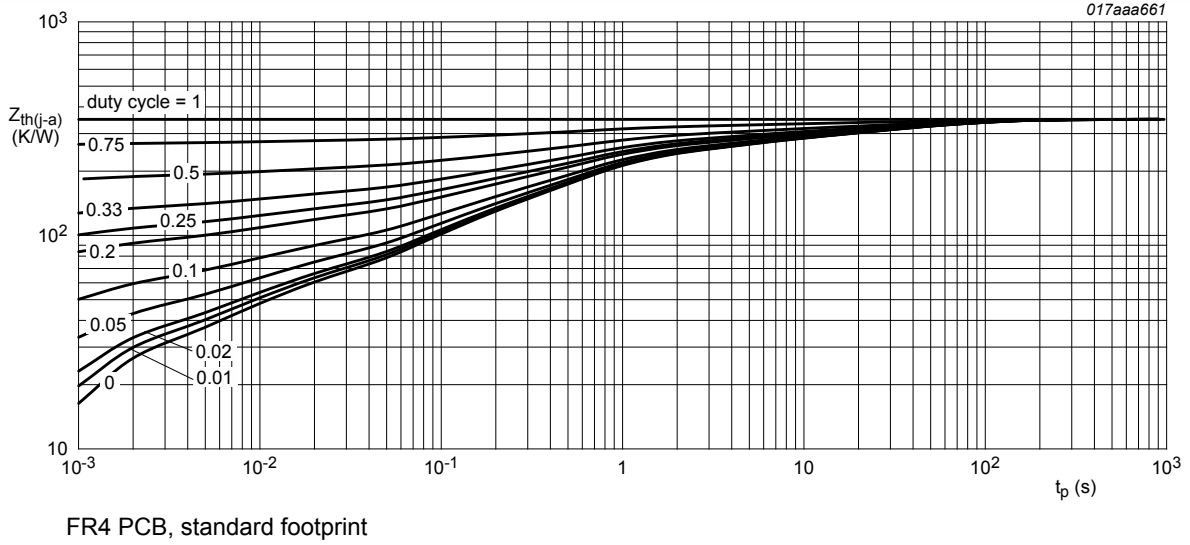


Fig. 4. Transient thermal impedance from junction to ambient as a function of pulse duration; typical values

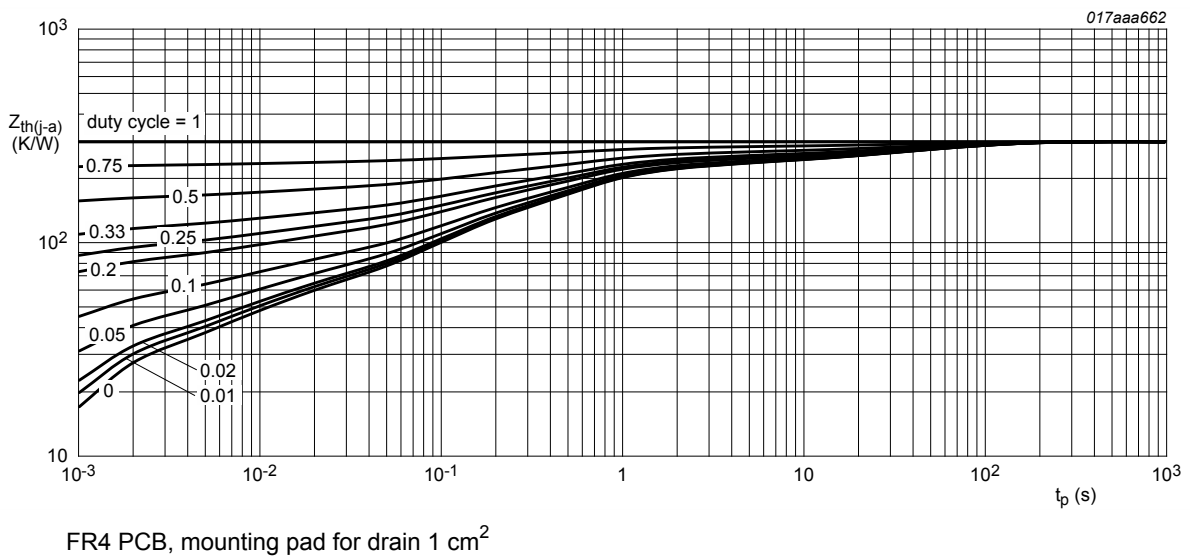


Fig. 5. Transient thermal impedance from junction to ambient as a function of pulse duration; typical values

## 10. Characteristics

Table 7. Characteristics

| Symbol   | Parameter                      | Conditions  | Min                              | Typ   | Max      | Unit    |
|--|--------------------------------|---|----------------------------------|---|----------|---------|
| <b>Static characteristics</b>  |                                |   |                                  |   |          |         |
| $V_{(BR)DSS}$  | drain-source breakdown voltage | $I_D = 250 \mu A$ ; $V_{GS} = 0 V$ ; $T_j = 25 \text{ }^\circ C$  | 60                               | -   | -        | V       |
| $V_{GSth}$   | gate-source threshold voltage  | $I_D = 250 A$ ; $V_{DS} = V_{GS}$ ; $T_j = 25 \text{ }^\circ C$   | 0.8                              | 1.2   | 1.5      | V       |
| $I_{DSS}$  | drain leakage current          | $V_{DS} = 60 V$ ; $V_{GS} = 0 V$ ; $T_j = 25 \text{ }^\circ C$  | -                                | -   | 1        | $\mu A$ |
|  |                                | $V_{DS} = 60 V$ ; $V_{GS} = 0 V$ ; $T_j = 150 \text{ }^\circ C$   | -                                | -   | 10       | $\mu A$ |
| $I_{GSS}$  | gate leakage current           | $V_{GS} = 20 V$ ; $V_{DS} = 0 V$ ; $T_j = 25 \text{ }^\circ C$  | -                                | -   | 3.5      | $\mu A$ |
|  |                                | $V_{GS} = -20 V$ ; $V_{DS} = 0 V$ ; $T_j = 25 \text{ }^\circ C$   | -                                | -   | -3.5     | $\mu A$ |
|  |                                | $V_{GS} = 10 V$ ; $V_{DS} = 0 V$ ; $T_j = 25 \text{ }^\circ C$  | -                                | -   | 1        | $\mu A$ |
|  |                                | $V_{GS} = -10 V$ ; $V_{DS} = 0 V$ ; $T_j = 25 \text{ }^\circ C$   | -                                | -   | -1       | $\mu A$ |
|  |                                | $V_{GS} = 4.5 V$ ; $V_{DS} = 0 V$ ; $T_j = 25 \text{ }^\circ C$   | -                                | -   | 0.5      | $\mu A$ |
|  |                                | $V_{GS} = -4.5 V$ ; $V_{DS} = 0 V$ ; $T_j = 25 \text{ }^\circ C$  | -                                | -   | -0.5     | $\mu A$ |
|  |                                | $R_{DSon}$  | drain-source on-state resistance | $V_{GS} = 10 V$ ; $I_D = 100 \text{ mA}$ ; pulsed;<br>$t_p \leq 300 \mu s$ ; $\delta \leq 0.02$ ; $T_j = 25 \text{ }^\circ C$ | -        | 2.7     |
| $V_{GS} = 10 V$ ; $I_D = 100 \text{ mA}$ ; pulsed;<br>$t_p \leq 300 \mu s$ ; $\delta \leq 0.02$ ; $T_j = 150 \text{ }^\circ C$ | -                              | 5.5   |                                  | 9.2   | $\Omega$ |         |
| $V_{GS} = 4.5 V$ ; $I_D = 100 \text{ mA}$ ; pulsed;<br>$t_p \leq 300 \mu s$ ; $\delta \leq 0.02$ ; $T_j = 25 \text{ }^\circ C$ | -                              | 3   |                                  | 5.2   | $\Omega$ |         |
| $V_{GS} = 2.5 V$ ; $I_D = 10 \text{ mA}$ ; pulsed;<br>$t_p \leq 300 \mu s$ ; $\delta \leq 0.02$ ; $T_j = 25 \text{ }^\circ C$  | -                              | 4   |                                  | 13  | $\Omega$ |         |
| $g_{fs}$   | forward transconductance       | $V_{DS} = 10 V$ ; $I_D = 150 \text{ mA}$ ; pulsed;<br>$t_p \leq 300 \mu s$ ; $\delta \leq 0.02$ ; $T_j = 25 \text{ }^\circ C$ | 320                              | -   | -        | mS      |
| <b>Dynamic characteristics</b>   |                                |   |                                  |   |          |         |
| $Q_{G(tot)}$   | total gate charge              | $V_{DS} = 30 V$ ; $I_D = 150 \text{ mA}$ ; $V_{GS} = 4.5 V$ ;<br>$T_j = 25 \text{ }^\circ C$                                  | -                                | 0.39  | 0.51     | nC      |
| $Q_{GS}$   | gate-source charge             |   | -                                | 0.1   | -        | nC      |
| $Q_{GD}$   | gate-drain charge              |   | -                                | 0.1   | -        | nC      |
| $C_{iss}$  | input capacitance              | $V_{DS} = 30 V$ ; $f = 1 \text{ MHz}$ ; $V_{GS} = 0 V$ ;<br>$T_j = 25 \text{ }^\circ C$                                       | -                                | 13  | 20       | pF      |
| $C_{oss}$  | output capacitance             |   | -                                | 2.6   | -        | pF      |
| $C_{rss}$  | reverse transfer capacitance   |   | -                                | 1.1   | -        | pF      |
| $t_{d(on)}$  | turn-on delay time             | $V_{DS} = 40 V$ ; $R_L = 250 \Omega$ ; $V_{GS} = 10 V$ ;<br>$R_{G(ext)} = 6 \Omega$ ; $T_j = 25 \text{ }^\circ C$             | -                                | 5   | 10       | ns      |
| $t_r$  | rise time                      |   | -                                | 6   | -        | ns      |
| $t_{d(off)}$   | turn-off delay time            |   | -                                | 36  | 72       | ns      |

| Symbol                    | Parameter            | Conditions  | Min  | Typ | Max | Unit |
|---------------------------|----------------------|---|------|-----|-----|------|
| $t_f$                     | fall time            |   | -    | 22  | -   | ns   |
| <b>Source-drain diode</b> |                      |   |      |     |     |      |
| $V_{SD}$                  | source-drain voltage | $I_S = 115 \text{ mA}; V_{GS} = 0 \text{ V}; T_j = 25 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ | 0.47 | 0.7 | 1.2 | V    |

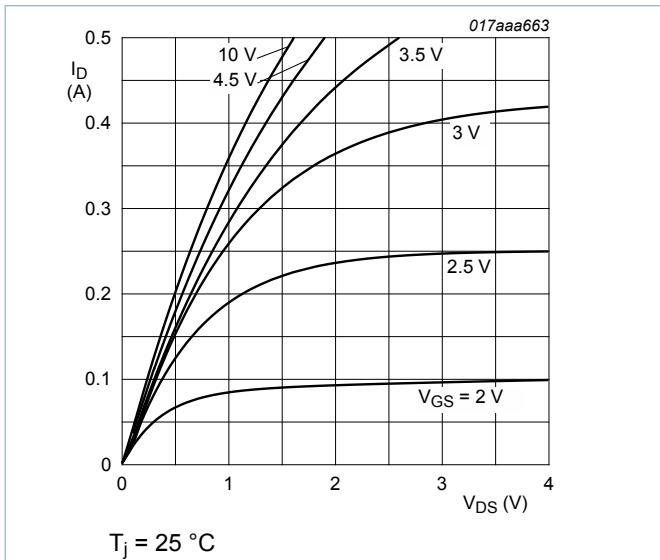


Fig. 6. Output characteristics: drain current as a function of drain-source voltage; typical values

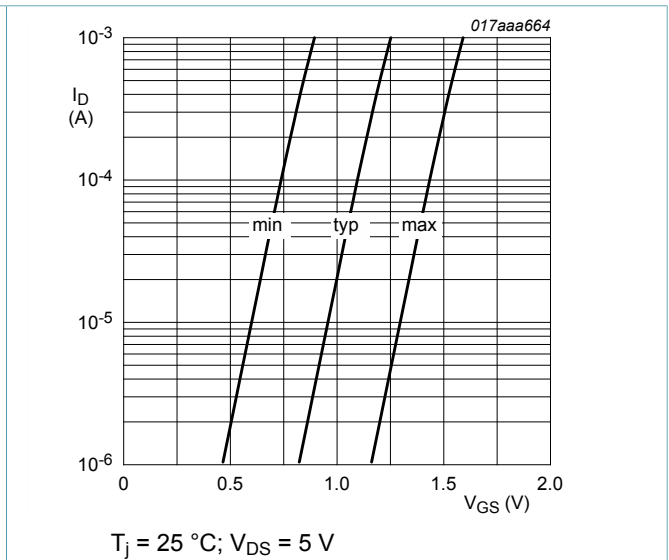


Fig. 7. Sub-threshold drain current as a function of gate-source voltage

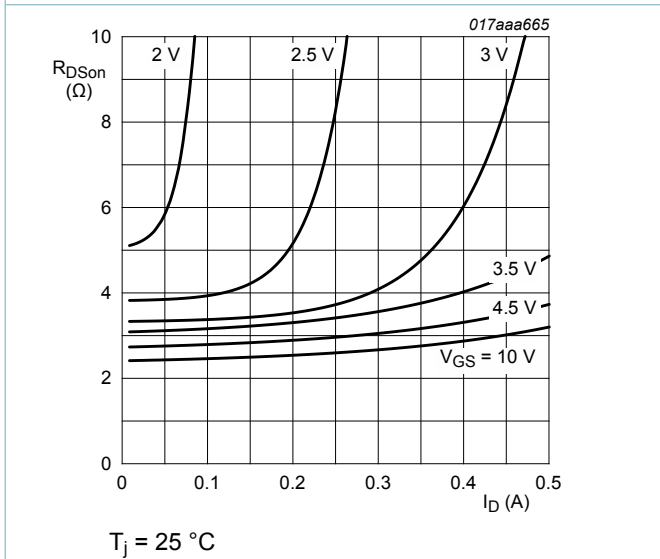


Fig. 8. Drain-source on-state resistance as a function of drain current; typical values

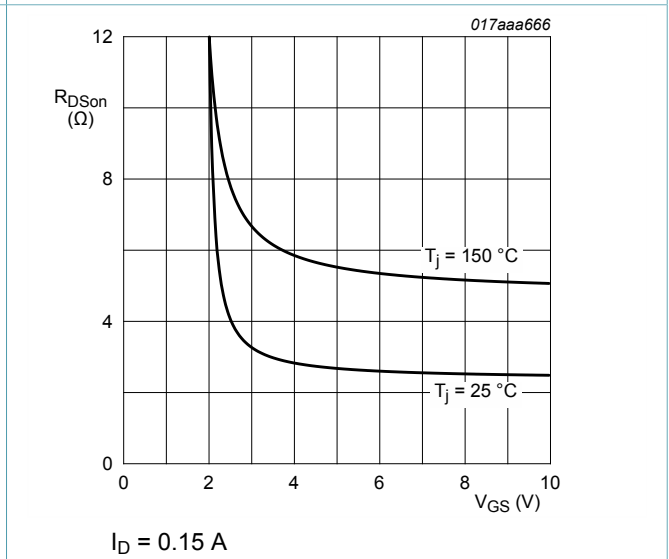
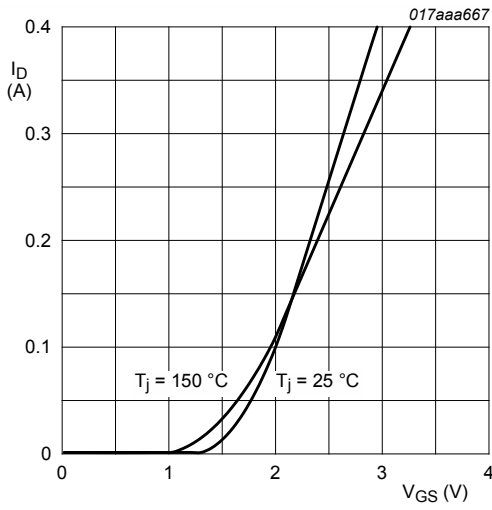
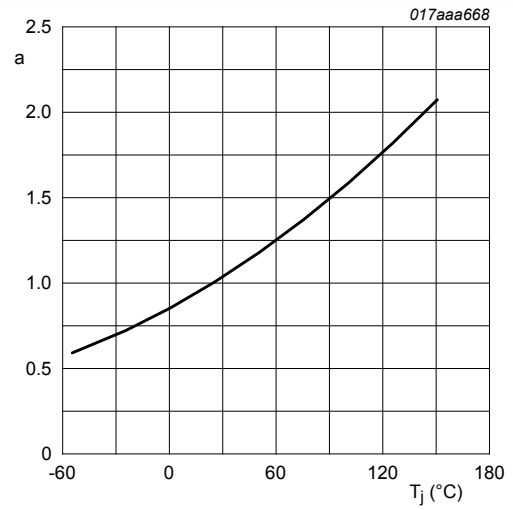


Fig. 9. Drain-source on-state resistance as a function of gate-source voltage; typical values



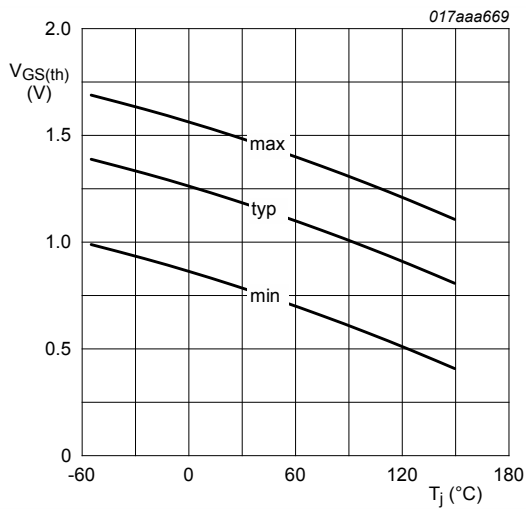
$$V_{DS} > I_D \times R_{DSon}$$

**Fig. 10. Transfer characteristics: drain current as a function of gate-source voltage; typical values**



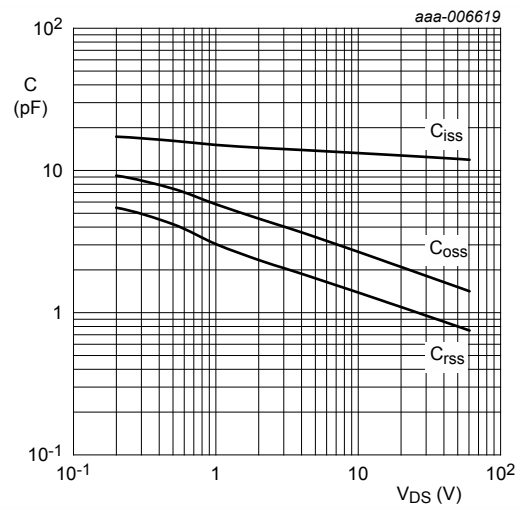
**Fig. 11. Normalized drain-source on-state resistance as a function of junction temperature; typical values**

$$a = \frac{R_{DSon}}{R_{DSon(25^\circ C)}}$$



$$I_D = 0.25 \text{ mA}; V_{DS} = V_{GS}$$

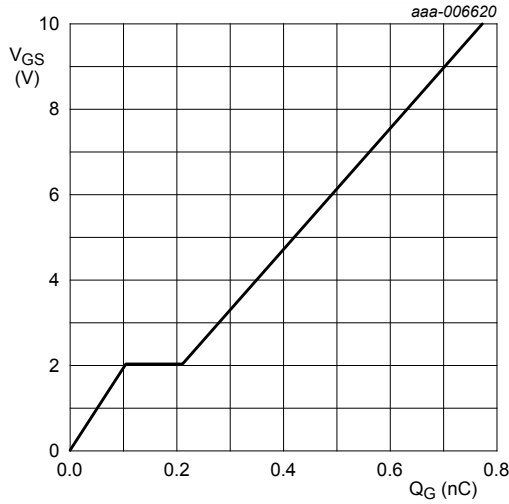
**Fig. 12. Gate-source threshold voltage as a function of junction temperature**



$$f = 1 \text{ MHz}; V_{GS} = 0 \text{ V}$$

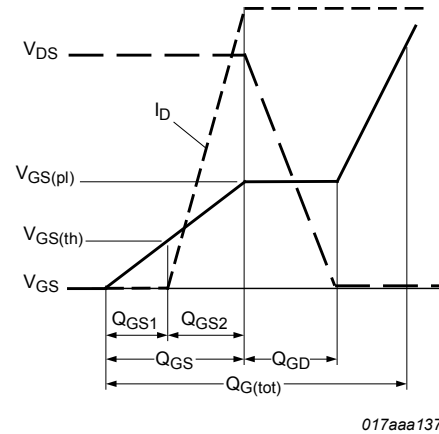
**Fig. 13. Input, output and reverse transfer capacitances as a function of drain-source voltage; typical values**



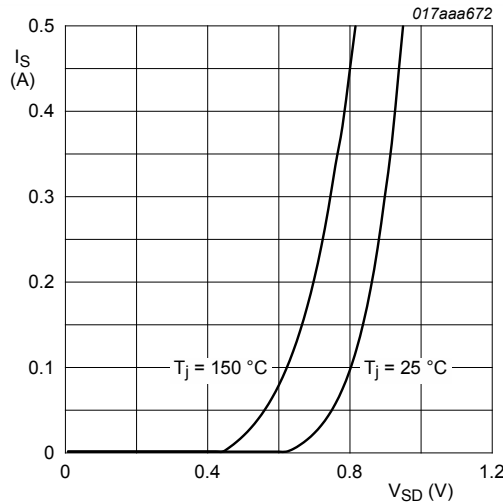


$I_D = 150 \text{ mA}; V_{DS} = 30 \text{ V}; T_{amb} = 25 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$

**Fig. 14. Gate-source voltage as a function of gate charge; typical values**



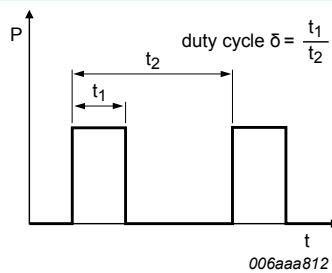
**Fig. 15. Gate charge waveform definitions**



$V_{GS} = 0 \text{ V}$

**Fig. 16. Source current as a function of source-drain voltage; typical values**

## 11. Test information



**Fig. 17. Duty cycle definition**

### 11.1 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

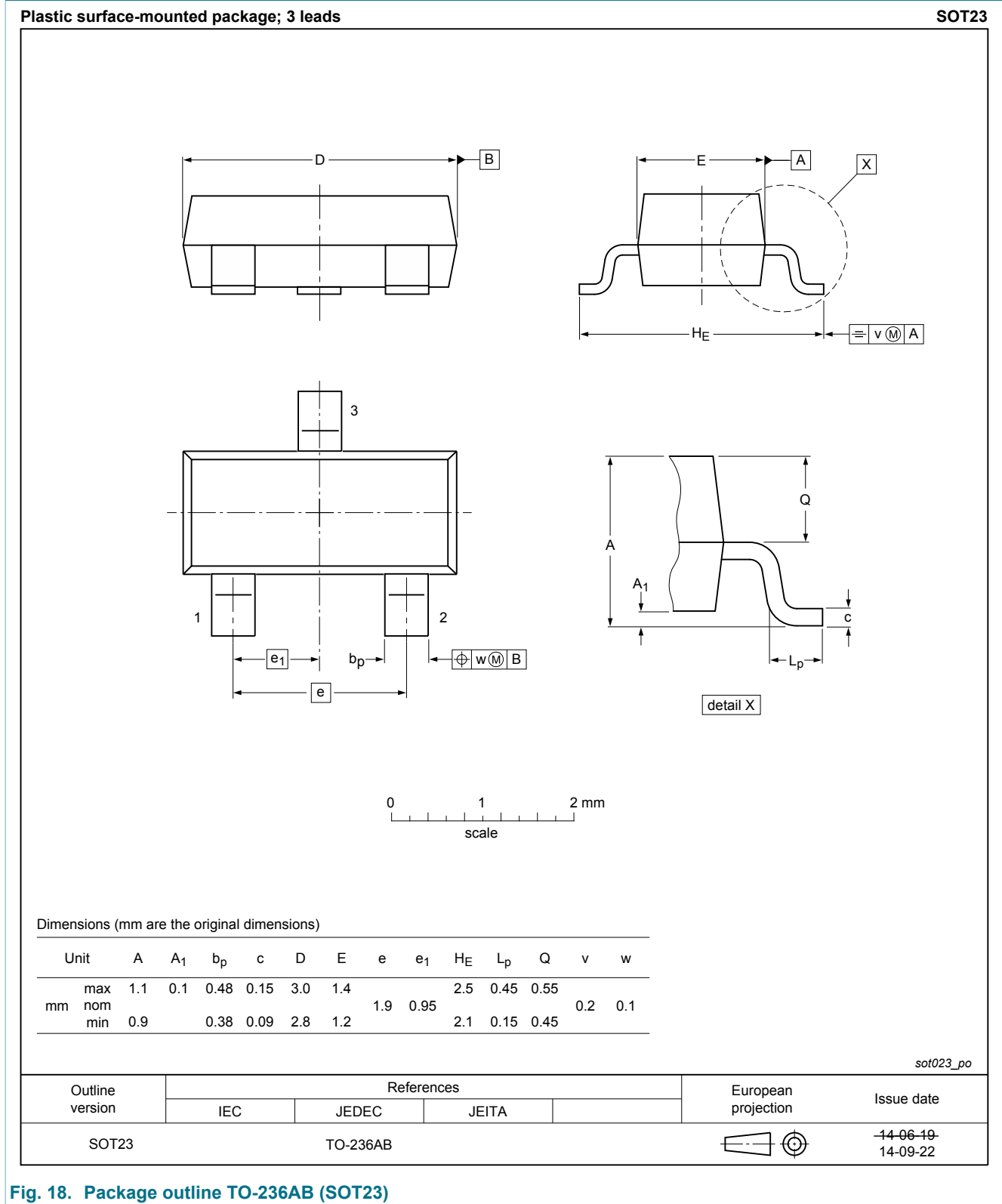


Fig. 18. Package outline TO-236AB (SOT23)

### 13. Soldering



Fig. 19. Reflow soldering footprint for TO-236AB (SOT23)



Fig. 20. Wave soldering footprint for TO-236AB (SOT23)

## 14. Revision history

Table 8. Revision history

| Data sheet ID  | Release date  | Data sheet status  | Change notice | Supersedes    |
|----------------|---|--------------------|---------------|---------------|
| BSS138AKA v.3  | 20150429  | Product data sheet | -             | BSS138AKA v.2 |
| Modifications: | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Figure 14: x-axis scale corrected</li></ul> |                    |               |               |
| BSS138AKA v.2  | 20141103  | Product data sheet | -             | BSS138AKA v.1 |
| BSS138AKA v.1  | 20130206  | Product data sheet | -             | -             |

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