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# **BB199**

# Variable capacitance diode for VCO and VCXO

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**Product data sheet** 

## 1. Product profile

### 1.1 General description

The BB199 is a low voltage variable capacitance diode for the Voltage Controlled Oscillator (VCO) and Voltage Controlled Crystal Oscillator (VCXO) applications.

#### CAUTION



This device is sensitive to ElectroStatic Discharge (ESD). Therefore care should be taken during transport and handling.

#### 1.2 Features and benefits

- Small plastic SMD package
- Very low operating voltage (1 V to 4 V)
- Large capacitance ratio  $(C_{d(0V5)}/C_{d(2V)} = 2.8 \text{ minimum})$
- Good capacitor-voltage (C-V) linearity
- Very low series resistance allowing high Q performance.

### 1.3 Applications

- Communication equipment
- Voltage Controlled Oscillators

# 2. Pinning information

Table 1. Pinning

Pin	Description	Simplified outline	Graphic symbol
1	cathode	[1]	JL
2	anode	1 2	sym008

<sup>[1]</sup> The marking bar indicates the cathode.



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# 3. Ordering information

Table 2. Ordering information

Type number	Package		
	Name	Description	Version
BB199	SC-79	plastic surface-mounted package; 2 leads	SOD523

# 4. Marking

Table 3. Marking codes

Type number	Marking code
BB199	K9

# 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		-	20	V
l <sub>F</sub>	forward current		-	100	mA
P <sub>tot</sub>	total power dissipation	$T_{sp} = 90  ^{\circ}C$	-	300	mW
T <sub>stg</sub>	storage temperature		<del>-</del> 65	+150	°C
Tj	junction temperature		<b>–65</b>	+150	°C

# 6. Thermal characteristics

Table 5. Thermal characteristics

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Тур	Unit
$R_{th(j-sp)}$	thermal resistance from junction to solder point		200	K/W

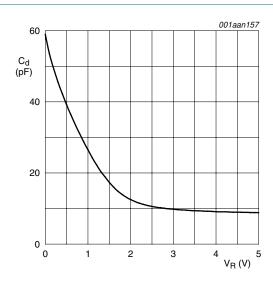
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**Table 6. Characteristics** 

 $T_j = 25$  °C unless otherwise specified

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
$I_R$	reverse current	$V_R = 20 V$	-	-	1000	nA
		V <sub>R</sub> = 16 V	-	-	5	nA
C <sub>d</sub>	diode capacitance	f = 1 MHz				
		V <sub>R</sub> = 0.5 V	36.5	-	42.5	pF
		V <sub>R</sub> = 2 V	11.8	-	13.8	pF
r <sub>s</sub>	diode series resistance	$V_R = 1.5 V; f = 100 MHz$	-	0.25	0.5	Ω
$C_{d(0V5)}/C_{d(2V)}$	diode capacitance ratio (0.5 V to 2 V)	f = 1 MHz	2.8	-	-	

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f = 1 MHz;  $T_j = 25 \, ^{\circ}\text{C}$ .

Fig 1. Diode capacitance as function of reverse voltage; typical values

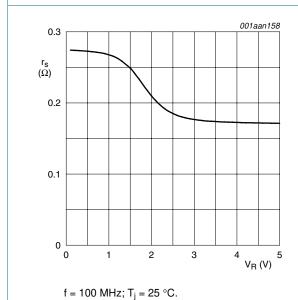
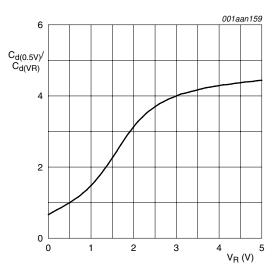


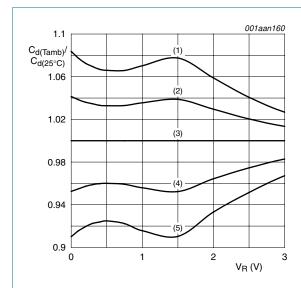
Fig 2. Diode reverse resistance as function of reverse voltage; typical values



f = 1 MHz;  $T_i = 25 \,^{\circ}\text{C}$ .

Fig 3. Diode capacitance ratio (0.5 V to  $V_R$ ) as function of reverse voltage; typical values

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f = 1 MHz.

- (1)  $T_{amb} = 85 \, ^{\circ}C$
- (2)  $T_{amb} = 55 \, ^{\circ}C$
- (3)  $T_{amb} = 25 \, ^{\circ}C$
- (4)  $T_{amb} = -15 \, ^{\circ}C$
- (5)  $T_{amb} = -55 \, ^{\circ}C$

Fig 4. Diode capacitance ratio ( $T_{amb}$  to 25 °C) as function of reverse voltage; typical values

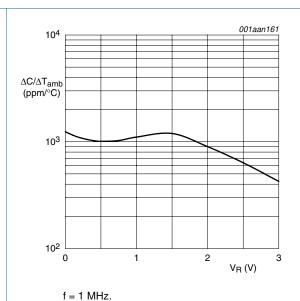


Fig 5. Capacitance temperature coefficient as function of reverse voltage; typical values

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# 8. Package outline

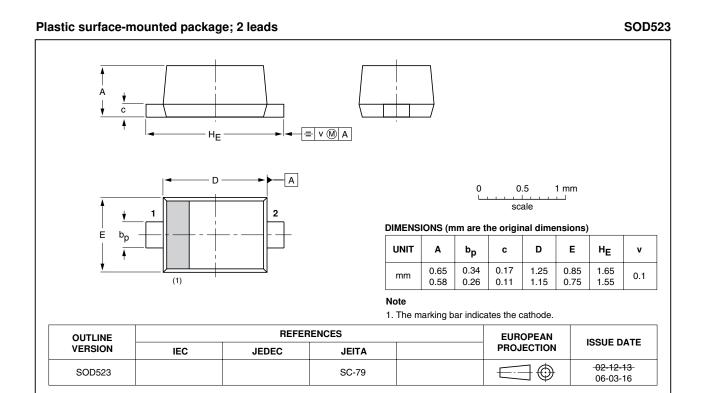


Fig 6. Package outline SOD523 (SC-79)

### 9. Abbreviations

#### Table 7. Abbreviations

Acronym	Description
Q	Quality factor
SMD	Surface Mounted Device

# 10. Revision history

#### Table 8. Revision history

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