

### Vishay Telefunken

# Silicon PNP Planar RF Transistor

Electrostatic sensitive device.

Observe precautions for handling.



### **Applications**

UHF/VHF uncontrolled prestages with low noise and low modulation.

#### **Features**

- High cross modulation performance
- High power gain
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BF979 Marking: BF979 Plastic case (TO 50)

1 = Collector, 2 = Base, 3 = Emitter

- Low noise
- High reverse attenuation



### **Absolute Maximum Ratings**

 $T_{amb} = 25^{\circ}C$ , unless otherwise specified

Parameter	Test Conditions	Symbol	Value	Unit
Collector-base voltage	90	-V <sub>CBO</sub>	20	V
Collector-emitter voltage		-V <sub>CEO</sub>	20	V
Emitter-base voltage	to he	-V <sub>EBO</sub>	3	V
Collector current	-C. COM	-I <sub>C</sub>	50	mA
Total power dissipation	T <sub>amb</sub> ≤ 60 °C	P <sub>tot</sub>	300	mW
Junction temperature		T <sub>i</sub>	150	°C
Storage temperature range		T <sub>stg</sub>	-55 to +150	°C

#### **Maximum Thermal Resistance**

 $T_{amb} = 25$ °C, unless otherwise specified

Parameter	Test Conditions	Symbol	Value	Unit
Junction ambient on glass fibre printed board (40 x 25 x 1.5) mm <sup>3</sup> plated with 35µm Cu		R <sub>thJA</sub>	300	K/W

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### **Electrical DC Characteristics**

 $T_{amb} = 25$  °C, unless otherwise specified

Parameter	Test Conditions	Symbol	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
Collector cut-off current	$-V_{CE} = 20 \text{ V}, V_{BE} = 0$	-I <sub>CES</sub>			100	μΑ
Collector-base cut-off current	$-V_{CB} = 15 \text{ V}, I_{E} = 0$	-I <sub>CBO</sub>			100	nΑ
Emitter-base cut-off current	$-V_{EB} = 3 \text{ V, } I_{C} = 0$	-I <sub>EBO</sub>			10	μА
Collector-emitter breakdown voltage	$-I_C = 1 \text{ mA}, I_B = 0$	-V <sub>(BR)CEO</sub>	20			V
DC forward current transfer ratio	$-V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}, -I_{C} = 10 \text{ mA}$	h <sub>FE</sub>	20	50	90	

### **Electrical AC Characteristics**

 $T_{amb} = 25$ °C, unless otherwise specified

Parameter	Test Conditions	Sym- bol	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
Transition frequency	$-V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}, -I_{C} = 10 \text{ mA}, f = 300 \text{ MHz}$	f <sub>T</sub>		1750		MHz
Transition frequency	$-V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}, -I_{C} = 30 \text{ mA}, f = 300 \text{ MHz}$	f <sub>T</sub>		1300		MHz
Collector-base capacitance	-V <sub>CB</sub> = 10 V, f = 1 MHz	C <sub>cb</sub>		0.6		pF
Noise figure	$-V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}, -I_{C} = 10 \text{ mA}, Z_{S} = 50 \Omega,$ f = 800 MHz	F		3.4	4.2	dB
Power gain	$-V_{CE}$ = 10 V, $-I_{C}$ = 10 mA, $Z_{S}$ = 50 Ω, $Z_{L}$ = 500 Ω, f = 800 MHz	G <sub>pb</sub>		16		dB
Collector current for G <sub>pbmax</sub>	$-V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}, Z_{L} = 500 \Omega, f = 800 \text{ MHz}$	-I <sub>C</sub>		10		mA



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# **Typical Characteristics** $(T_{amb} = 25^{\circ}C \text{ unless otherwise specified})$

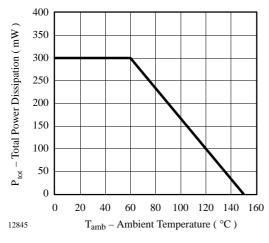


Figure 1. Total Power Dissipation vs. Ambient Temperature

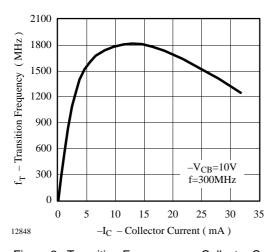


Figure 2. Transition Frequency vs. Collector Current

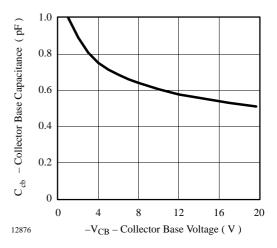
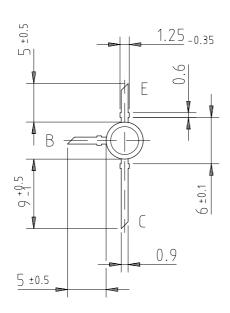


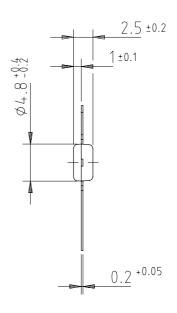
Figure 3. Collector Base Capacitance vs. Collector Base Voltage

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### **Dimensions of BF979 in mm**





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#### **Ozone Depleting Substances Policy Statement**

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- 1. Meet all present and future national and international statutory requirements.
- 2. Regularly and continuously improve the performance of our products, processes, distribution and operating systems with respect to their impact on the health and safety of our employees and the public, as well as their impact on the environment.

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- 1. Annex A, B and list of transitional substances of the Montreal Protocol and the London Amendments respectively
- 2. Class I and II ozone depleting substances in the Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990 by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) in the USA
- 3. Council Decision 88/540/EEC and 91/690/EEC Annex A, B and C (transitional substances) respectively.

**Vishay Semiconductor GmbH** can certify that our semiconductors are not manufactured with ozone depleting substances and do not contain such substances.

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