

## VHF VARIABLE CAPACITANCE DIODES

### FEATURES

Excellent linearity  
Matched to 2.5%  
C28:2.5:ratio:16  
Low series resistance

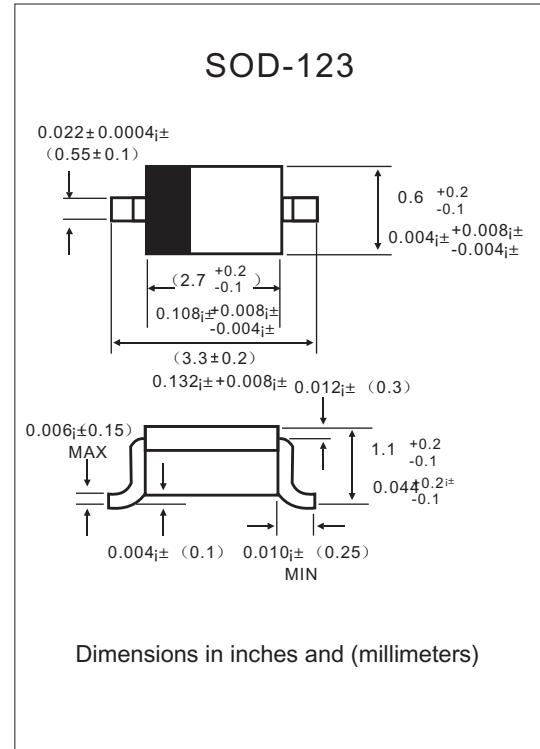
### APPLICATIONS

Electronic tuning in VHF television tuners, band B up to 460 MHz

### DESCRIPTION

The BB910 is a variable capacitance diode, fabricated in planar technology.

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### LIMITING VALUES

	Symbol	Min.	Max.	Units
Continuous Reverse Voltage	$V_R$		30	V
Forward Continuous Current at $T_A=25^\circ\text{C}$	$I_F$		20	mA
Junction Temperature	$T_j$	-55	+100	$^\circ\text{C}$
Storage Temperature Range	$T_{stg}$	-55	+150	$^\circ\text{C}$

### ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

	Symbol	Conditions	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Units
Reverse current	$I_R$	$V_R=28\text{V}$ ; see Fig.2			10	nA
		$V_R=28\text{V}$ ; $T_j=85^\circ\text{C}$ see Fig.2			200	nA
Diode series resistance	$R_D$	$F=100\text{MHz}$ ; note1			1	$\Omega$
Diode capacitance	$C_d$	$V_R=0.5\text{V}$ ; $f=1\text{MHz}$ see Fig.1 and 3	38			pF
		$V_R=28\text{V}$ ; $f=1\text{MHz}$ see Fig.1 and 3	2.3		2.7	pF
Capacitance ratio	$\frac{C_d(0.5\text{v})}{C_d(28\text{v})}$	$F=1\text{MHz}$	14			
Capacitance matching	$\frac{\Delta C_d}{C_d}$	$V_R=0.5\text{V}$ to $28\text{V}$			2.5	%

#### NOTE:

1.  $V_R$  is the value at which  $C_d=40\text{pF}$

### RATINGS AND CHARACTERISTIC CURVES

FIG1:Diode capacitance as a function of reverse voltage;typical values

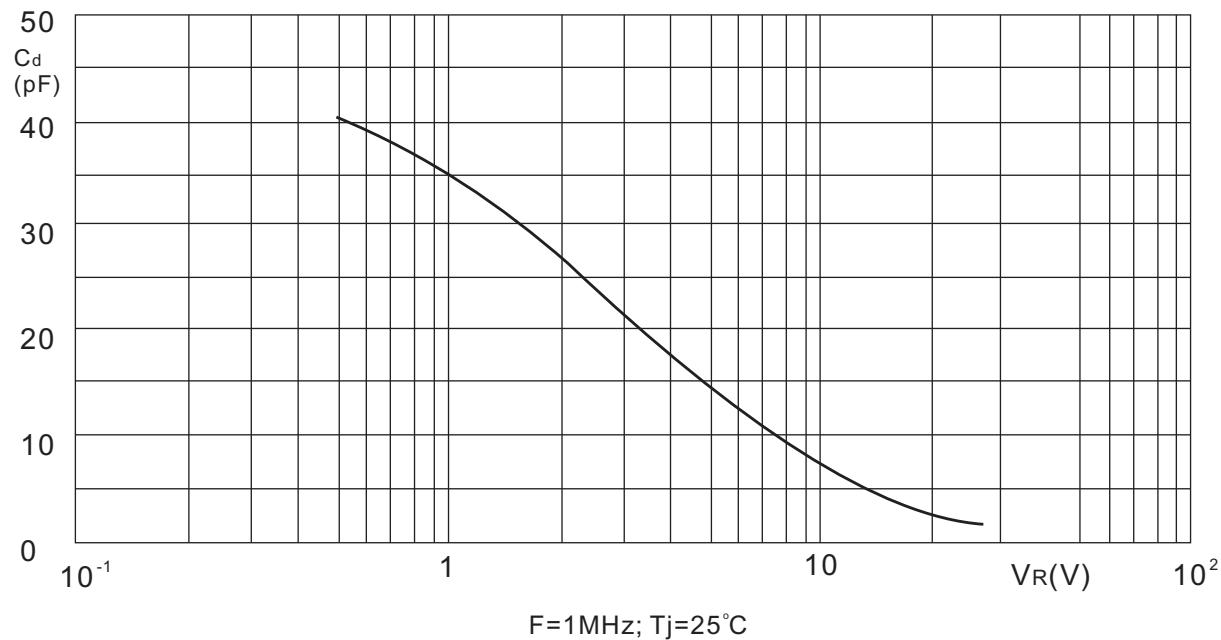


FIG2:Reverse current as a function of junction temperature; maximum values

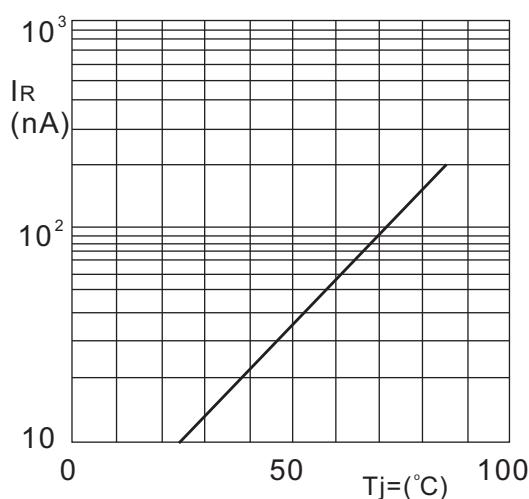
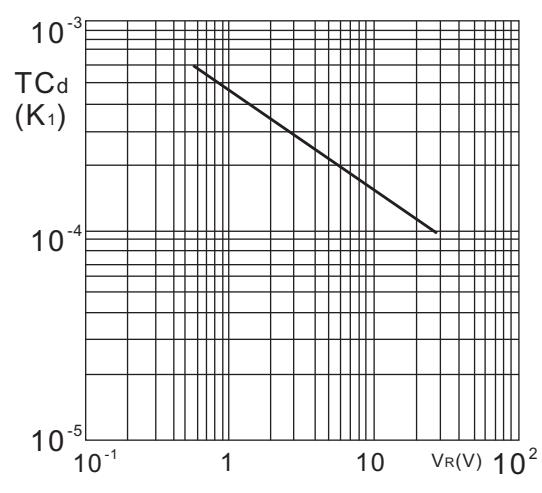


FIG3:Temperature coefficient of diode capacitance as a function of reverse voltage:typical values



$T_j=0$  to  $85^\circ\text{C}$