

# BC856S

65 V, 100 mA PNP/PNP general-purpose transistor

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Product data sheet

## 1. Product profile

### 1.1 General description

PNP/PNP general-purpose transistor pair in a very small SOT363 (SC-88) Surface-Mounted Device (SMD) plastic package.

### 1.2 Features

- Low collector capacitance
- Low collector-emitter saturation voltage
- Closely matched current gain
- Reduces number of components and board space
- No mutual interference between the transistors

### 1.3 Applications

- General-purpose switching and amplification

### 1.4 Quick reference data

Table 1. Quick reference data

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Per transistor						
$V_{CE0}$	collector-emitter voltage	open base	-	-	-65	V
$I_C$	collector current		-	-	-100	mA
$h_{FE}$	DC current gain	$V_{CE} = -5$ V; $I_C = -2$ mA	110	-	-	

## 2. Pinning information

Table 2. Pinning

Pin	Description	Simplified outline	Graphic symbol
1	emitter TR1		
2	base TR1		
3	collector TR2		
4	emitter TR2		
5	base TR2		
6	collector TR1		

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### 3. Ordering information

Table 3. Ordering information

Type number	Package		Version
	Name	Description	
BC856S	SC-88	plastic surface-mounted package; 6 leads	SOT363

### 4. Marking

Table 4. Marking codes

Type number	Marking code <sup>[1]</sup>
BC856S	5F*

- [1] \* = -: made in Hong Kong  
 \* = p: made in Hong Kong  
 \* = t: made in Malaysia  
 \* = W: made in China

### 5. Limiting values

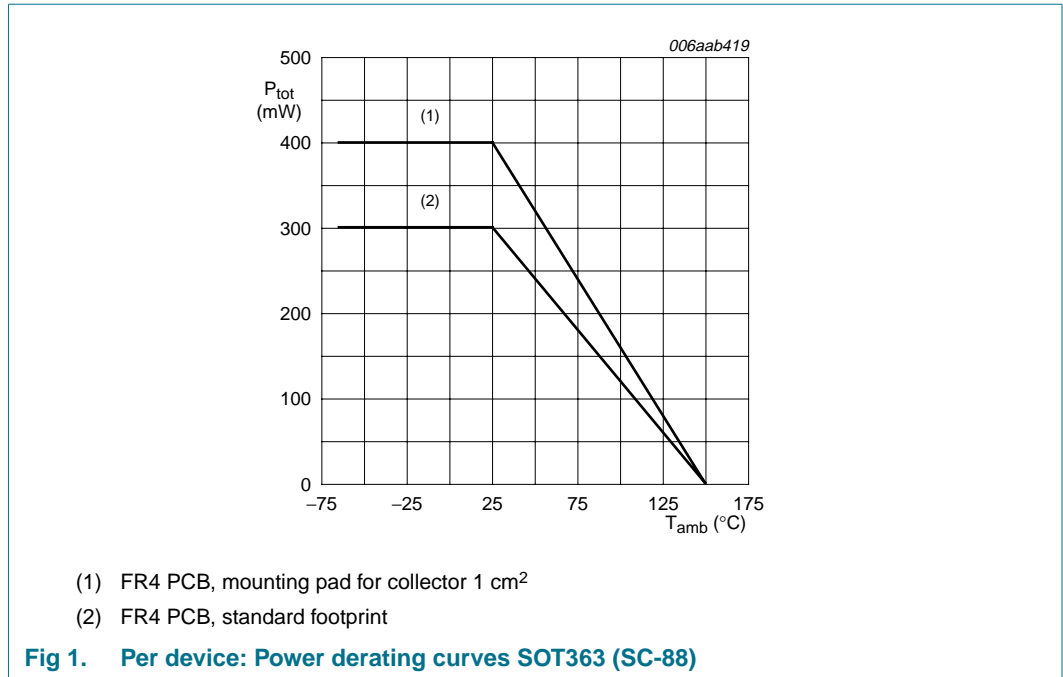
Table 5. Limiting values

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

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Max	Unit	
<b>Per transistor</b>						
$V_{CBO}$	collector-base voltage	open emitter	-	-80	V	
$V_{CEO}$	collector-emitter voltage	open base	-	-65	V	
$V_{EBO}$	emitter-base voltage	open collector	-	-5	V	
$I_C$	collector current		-	-100	mA	
$P_{tot}$	total power dissipation	$T_{amb} \leq 25\text{ °C}$	[1]	-	220	mW
			[2]	-	250	mW
<b>Per device</b>						
$P_{tot}$	total power dissipation	$T_{amb} \leq 25\text{ °C}$	[1]	-	300	mW
			[2]	-	400	mW
$T_j$	junction temperature		-	150	°C	
$T_{amb}$	ambient temperature		-65	+150	°C	
$T_{stg}$	storage temperature		-65	+150	°C	

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

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



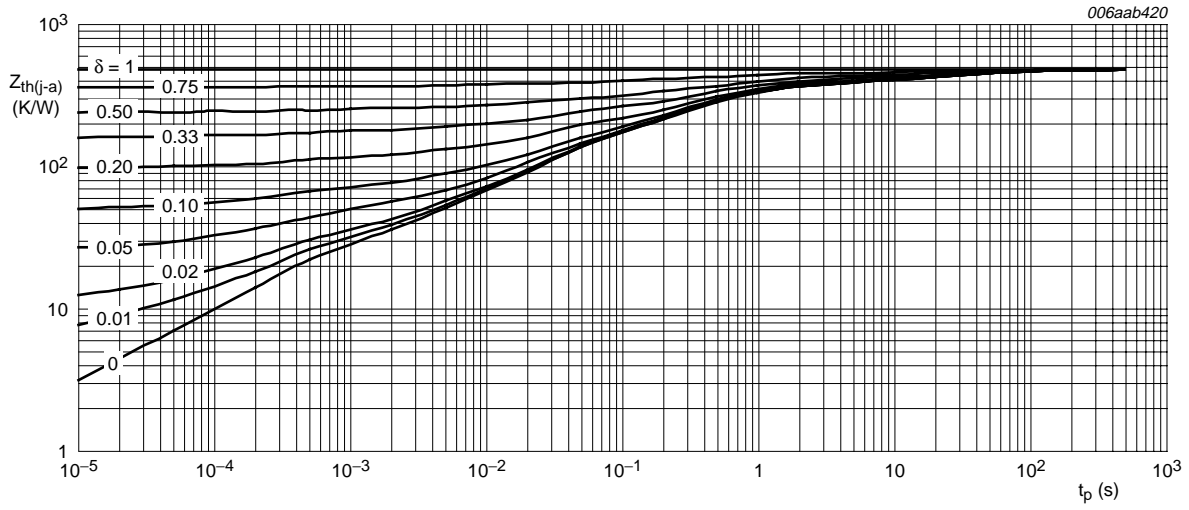
## 6. Thermal characteristics

**Table 6. Thermal characteristics**

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
<b>Per transistor</b>						
R <sub>th(j-a)</sub>	thermal resistance from junction to ambient	in free air	[1]	-	568	K/W
			[2]	-	500	K/W
R <sub>th(j-sp)</sub>	thermal resistance from junction to solder point		-	-	230	K/W
<b>Per device</b>						
R <sub>th(j-a)</sub>	thermal resistance from junction to ambient	in free air	[1]	-	416	K/W
			[2]	-	313	K/W

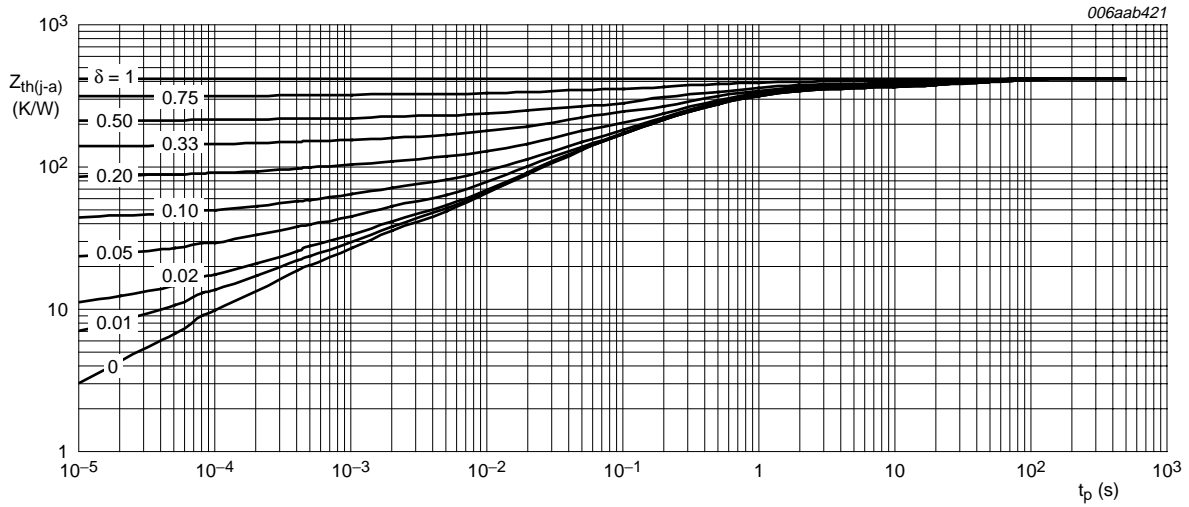
[1] Device mounted on an FR4 PCB, single-sided copper, tin-plated and standard footprint.

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



FR4 PCB, standard footprint

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



FR4 PCB, mounting pad for collector 1 cm<sup>2</sup>

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

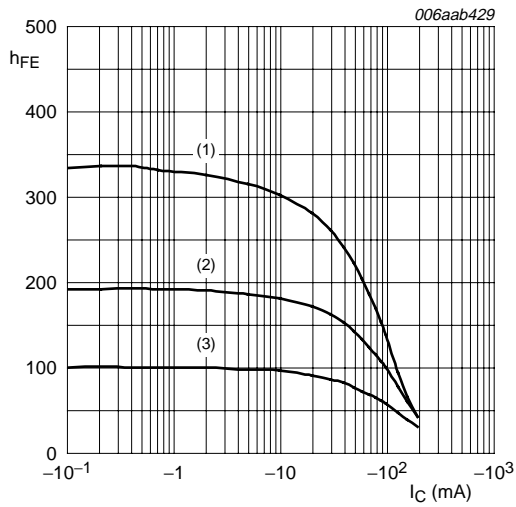
## 7. Characteristics

**Table 7. Characteristics**

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

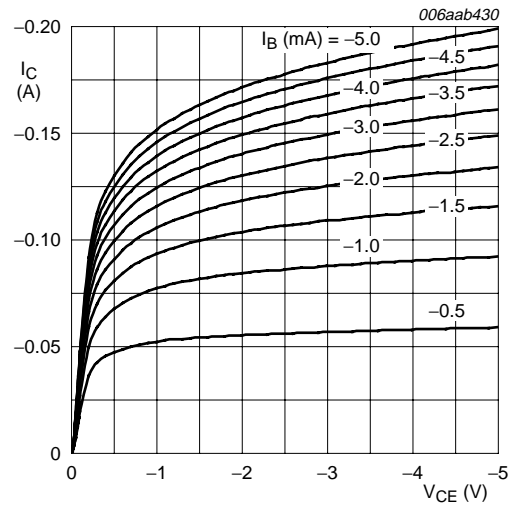
Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
<b>Per transistor</b>						
$I_{CBO}$	collector-base cut-off current	$V_{CB} = -30\text{ V}; I_E = 0\text{ A}$	-	-	-15	nA
		$V_{CB} = -30\text{ V}; I_E = 0\text{ A}; T_j = 150\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$	-	-	-5	$\mu\text{A}$
$I_{EBO}$	emitter-base cut-off current	$V_{EB} = -5\text{ V}; I_C = 0\text{ A}$	-	-	-100	nA
$h_{FE}$	DC current gain	$V_{CE} = -5\text{ V}; I_C = -2\text{ mA}$	110	-	-	
$V_{CEsat}$	collector-emitter saturation voltage	$I_C = -10\text{ mA}; I_B = -0.5\text{ mA}$	-	-	-100	mV
		$I_C = -100\text{ mA}; I_B = -5\text{ mA}$ [1]	-	-	-300	mV
$V_{BEsat}$	base-emitter saturation voltage	$I_C = -10\text{ mA}; I_B = -0.5\text{ mA}$	-	700	-	mV
$V_{BE}$	base-emitter voltage	$I_C = -2\text{ mA}; V_{CE} = -5\text{ V}$	-600	-650	-750	mV
		$I_C = -10\text{ mA}; V_{CE} = -5\text{ V}$	-	-	-820	mV
$C_C$	collector capacitance	$I_E = i_e = 0\text{ A}; V_{CB} = -10\text{ V}; f = 1\text{ MHz}$	-	-	2.5	pF
$f_T$	transition frequency	$I_C = -10\text{ mA}; V_{CE} = -5\text{ V}; f = 100\text{ MHz}$	100	-	-	MHz

[1] Pulse test:  $t_p \leq 300\text{ }\mu\text{s}; \delta \leq 0.02$ .



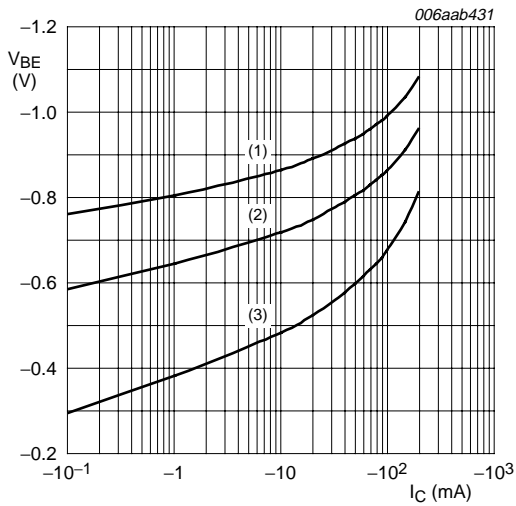
$V_{CE} = -5\text{ V}$   
 (1)  $T_{amb} = 150^\circ\text{C}$   
 (2)  $T_{amb} = 25^\circ\text{C}$   
 (3)  $T_{amb} = -55^\circ\text{C}$

**Fig 4. Per transistor: DC current gain as a function of collector current; typical values**



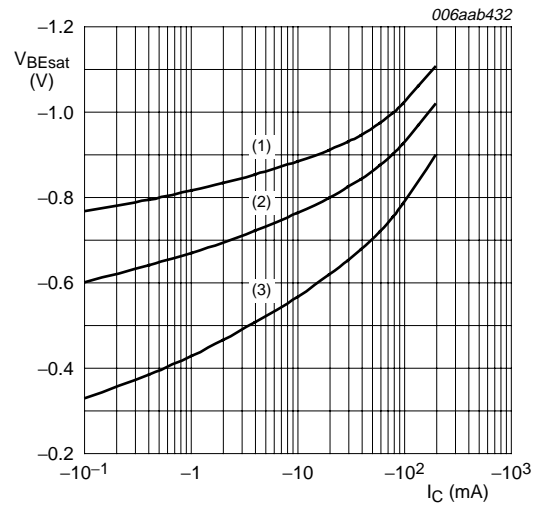
$T_{amb} = 25^\circ\text{C}$

**Fig 5. Per transistor: Collector current as a function of collector-emitter voltage; typical values**



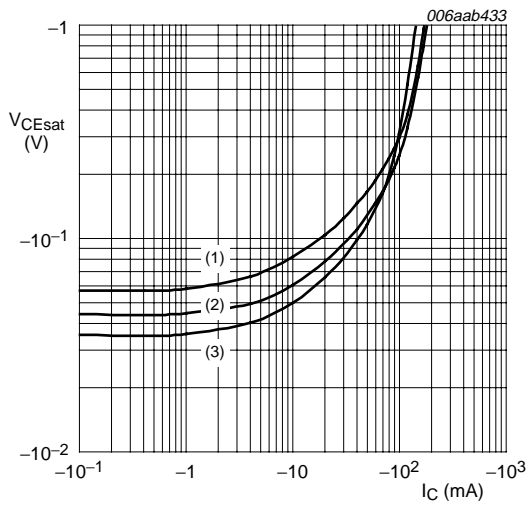
$V_{CE} = -5\text{ V}$   
 (1)  $T_{amb} = -55^\circ\text{C}$   
 (2)  $T_{amb} = 25^\circ\text{C}$   
 (3)  $T_{amb} = 150^\circ\text{C}$

**Fig 6. Per transistor: Base-emitter voltage as a function of collector current; typical values**



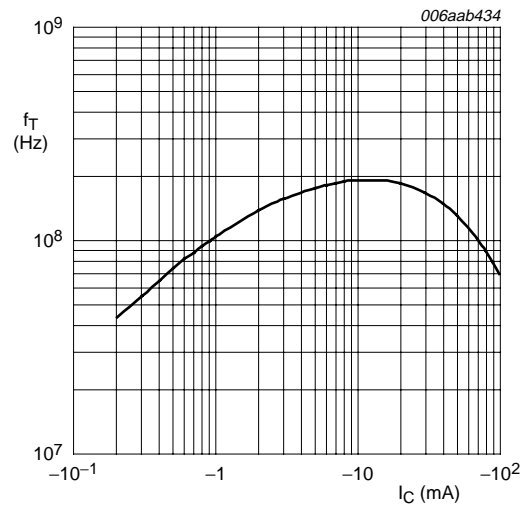
$I_C/I_B = 20$   
 (1)  $T_{amb} = -55^\circ\text{C}$   
 (2)  $T_{amb} = 25^\circ\text{C}$   
 (3)  $T_{amb} = 150^\circ\text{C}$

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



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

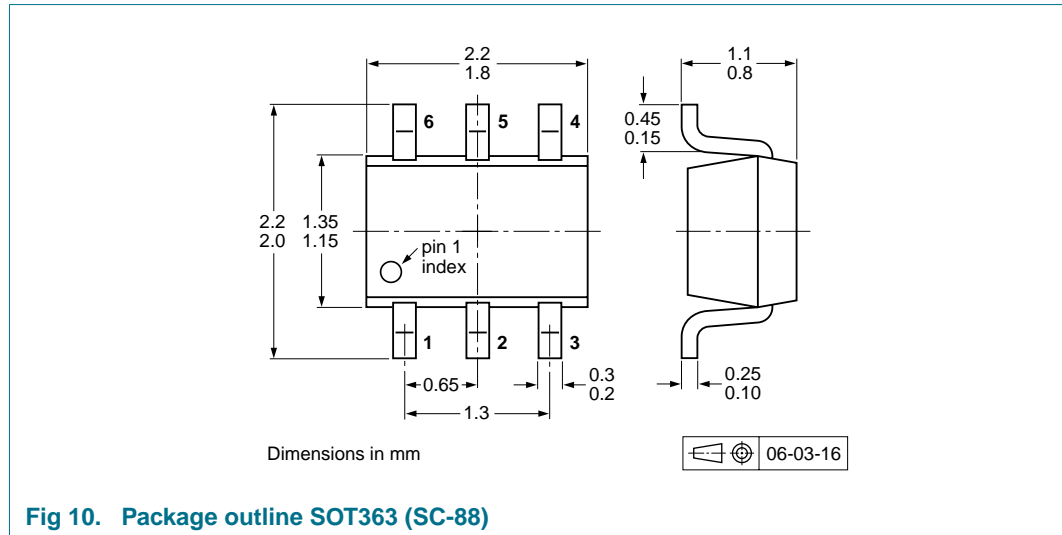
**Fig 8. Per transistor: Collector-emitter saturation voltage as a function of collector current; typical values**



$V_{CE} = -5\text{ V}; f = 1\text{ MHz}; T_{amb} = 25^\circ\text{C}$

**Fig 9. Per transistor: Transition frequency as a function of collector current; typical values**

## 8. Package outline



## 9. Packing information

**Table 8. Packing methods**

The indicated -xxx are the last three digits of the 12NC ordering code.<sup>[1]</sup>

Type number	Package	Description	Packing quantity	
			3000	10000
BC856S	SOT363	4 mm pitch, 8 mm tape and reel; T1	<sup>[2]</sup> -115	-135
		4 mm pitch, 8 mm tape and reel; T2	<sup>[3]</sup> -125	-165

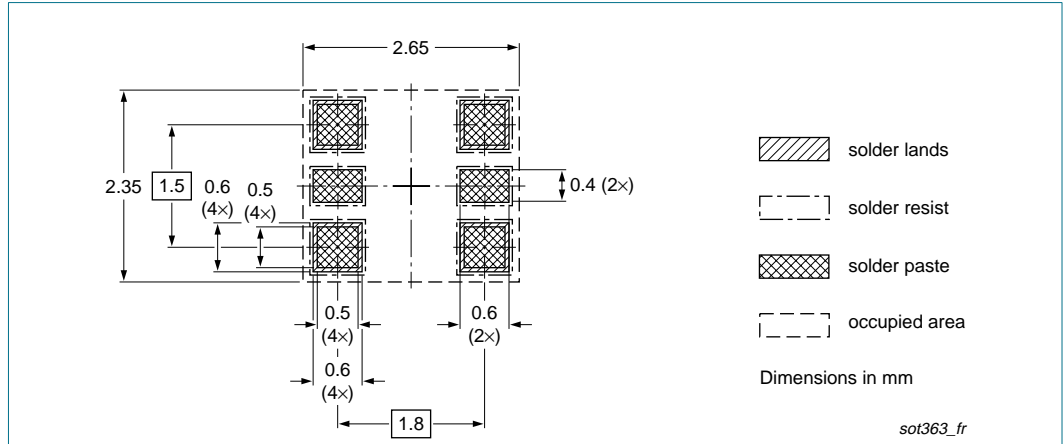
[1] For further information and the availability of packing methods, see [Section 13](#).

[2] T1: normal taping

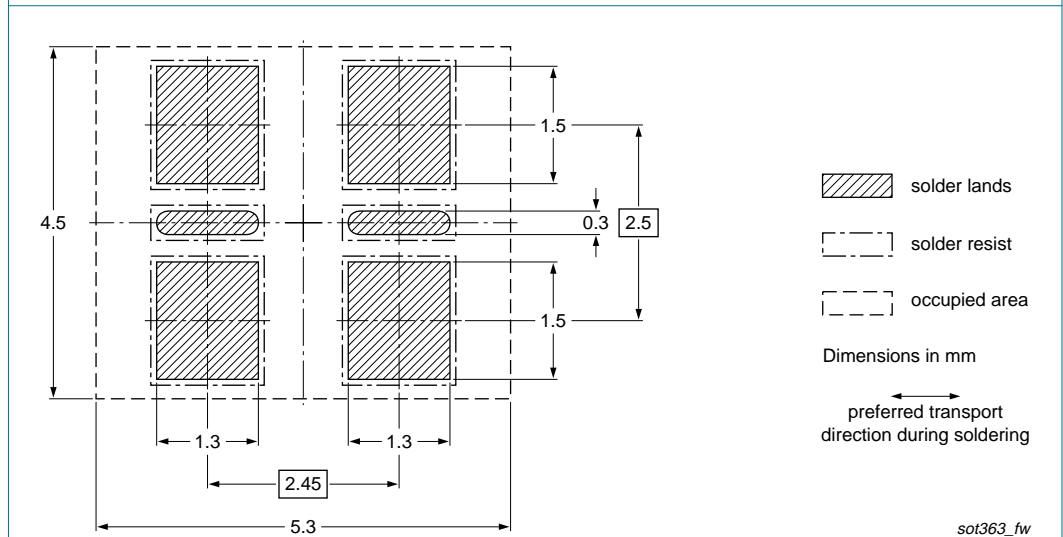
[3] T2: reverse taping



**10. Soldering**



**Fig 11. Reflow soldering footprint SOT363 (SC-88)**



**Fig 12. Wave soldering footprint SOT363 (SC-88)**

## 11. Revision history

Table 9. Revision history

Document ID	Release date	Data sheet status	Change notice	Supersedes
BC856S_2	20090219	Product data sheet	-	BC856S_1
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