

HIGH VOLTAGE SILICON PIN DIODES

... designed primarily for VHF band switching applications but also suitable for use in general-purpose switching circuits. Supplied in a cost effective plastic package for economical, high-volume consumer and industrial requirements. Also available in surface mount.

- Long Reverse Recovery Time
 $t_{rr} = 300$ ns (Typ)
- Rugged PIN Structure Coupled with Wirebond Construction for Optimum Reliability
- Low Series Resistance @ 100 MHz —
 $R_S = 0.7$ Ohms (Typ) @ $I_F = 10$ mAdc
- Reverse Breakdown Voltage = 200 V (Min)

MAXIMUM RATINGS

Rating	Symbol	MPN3700	MMBV3700LT1	Unit
		Value		
Reverse Voltage	V_R	200		Volts
Total Power Dissipation @ $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ Derate above 25°C	P_D	280 2.8	200 2.0	mW mW/°C
Junction Temperature	T_J	+125		°C
Storage Temperature Range	T_{stg}	-55 to +150		°C

DEVICE MARKING

MMBV3700LT1 = 4R

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS ($T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ unless otherwise noted.)

Characteristic	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Reverse Breakdown Voltage ($I_R = 10 \mu\text{A}$)	$V_{(BR)R}$	200	—	—	Volts
Diode Capacitance ($V_R = 20$ Vdc, $f = 1.0$ MHz)	C_T	—	—	1.0	pF
Series Resistance (Figure 5) ($I_F = 10$ mA)	R_S	—	0.7	1.0	Ohms
Reverse Leakage Current ($V_R = 150$ Vdc)	I_R	—	—	0.1	μA
Reverse Recovery Time ($I_F = I_R = 10$ mA)	t_{rr}	—	300	—	ns

MMBV3700LT1 is also available in bulk packaging. Use MMBV3700L as the device title to order this device in bulk.

TYPICAL ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

FIGURE 1 — SERIES RESISTANCE

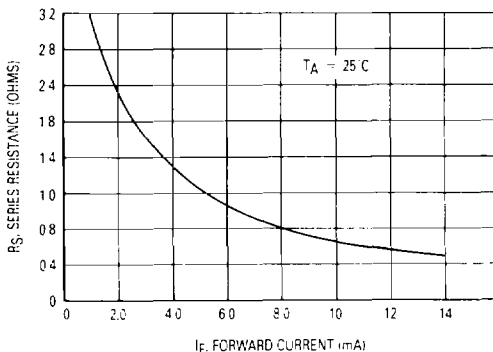
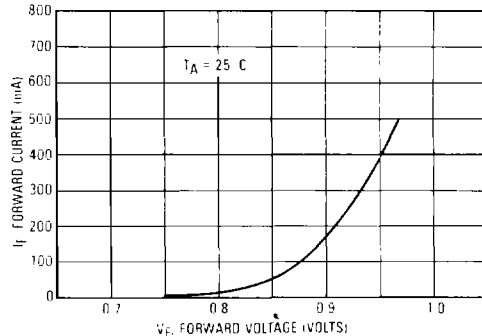
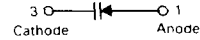


FIGURE 2 — FORWARD VOLTAGE

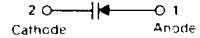


MMBV3700LT1 MPN3700

CASE 318-07, STYLE 8
SOT-23 (TO-236AB)



CASE 182-02, STYLE 1
(TO-226AC)



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FIGURE 3 — DIODE CAPACITANCE

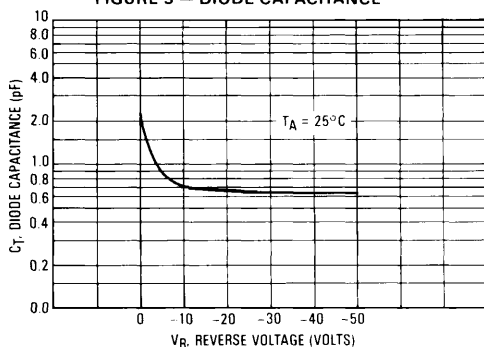


FIGURE 4 — LEAKAGE CURRENT

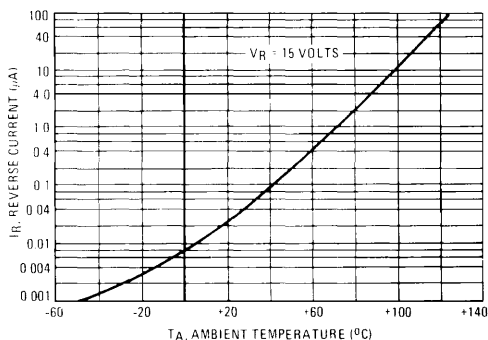
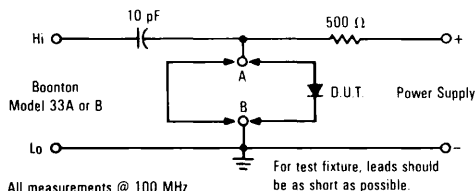


FIGURE 5 — FORWARD SERIES RESISTANCE TEST METHOD



To measure series resistance, a 10 pF capacitor is used to reduce the forward capacitance of the circuit and to prevent shorting of the external power supply through the bridge. The small signal from the bridge is prevented from shorting through the power supply by the 500-ohm resistor. The resistance of the 10 pF capacitor can be considered negligible for this measurement.

1. The RF Admittance Bridge (Boonton 33A or B) must be initially balanced, with the test circuit connected to the bridge test terminals. The conductance scale will be set at zero and the capacitance scale will be set at 120 pF, as required when using the 100 MHz test coil.

2. Use a short length of wire to short the test circuit from point "A" to "B". Then connect the power supply providing 10 mA of bias current to the test circuit.
3. Adjust the capacitance scale arm of the bridge and the "G" zero control for a minimum null on the "null meter". The null occurs at approximately 130 pF.
4. Replace the wire short with the device to be tested. Bias the device to a forward conductance state of 10 mA.
5. Obtain a minimum null on the "null meter", with the capacitance and conductance scale adjustment arms.
6. Read conductance (G) direct from the scale. Now read the capacitance value from the scale (≈ 130 pF) and subtract 120 pF which yields capacitance (C). The forward resistance (R_S) can now be calculated from:

$$R_S = \frac{2.533 G}{C^2}$$

Where:

- G — in micromhos,
- C — in pF,
- R_S — in ohms