

# Silicon Tuning Diode

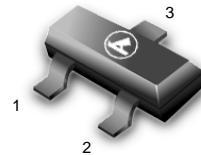
These devices are designed for general frequency control and tuning applications. They provide solid-state reliability in replacement of mechanical tuning methods.

- High Q with Guaranteed Minimum Values at VHF Frequencies
  - Controlled and Uniform Tuning Ratio
  - Available in Surface Mount Package



**MMBV409LT1**  
**MV409**

## VOLTAGE VARIABLE CAPACITANCE DIODES



CASE 318-08, STYLE 8  
SOT- 23 (TO-236AB)

## **MAXIMUM RATINGS**

Rating	Symbol	MBV409	MMBV409LT1	Unit
Reverse Voltage	V <sub>R</sub>	20	20	Vdc
Forward Current	I <sub>F</sub>	200	200	mAdc
Forward Power Dissipation @ T <sub>A</sub> = 25°C Derate above 25°C	P <sub>D</sub>	280 2.8	225 1.8	mW mW°C <sup>-1</sup>
Junction Temperature	T <sub>J</sub>	+125		°C
Storage Temperature Range	T <sub>stg</sub>	-55 to +150		°C

## DEVICE MARKING

MMBV409LT1 = X5, MV409 = MV409

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

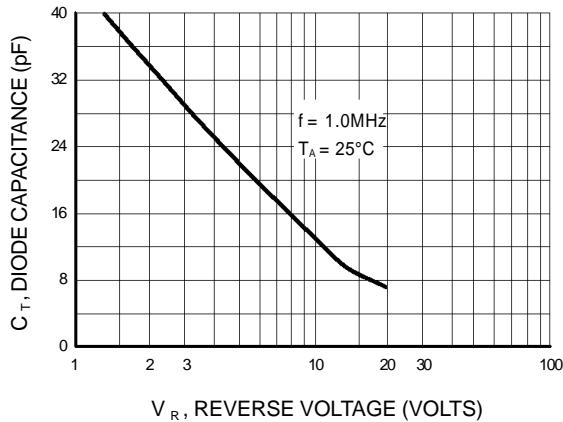
Characteristic	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Reverse Breakdown Voltage ( $I_R = 10 \mu\text{A}_{\text{dc}}$ )	$V_{(\text{BR})R}$	20	—	—	Vdc
Reverse Voltage Leakage Current ( $V_R = 15 \text{ Vdc}$ )	$I_R$	—	—	0.1	$\mu\text{A}_{\text{dc}}$
Diode Capacitance Temperature Coefficient ( $V_R = 3.0 \text{ Vdc}$ , $f = 1.0 \text{ MHz}$ )	$TC_C$	—	300	—	ppm/ $^{\circ}\text{C}$

	C <sub>t</sub> , Diode Capacitance V <sub>R</sub> = 3.0 Vdc, f = 1.0 MHz pF			Q, Figure of Merit V <sub>R</sub> = 3.0 Vdc f = 50 MHz	C <sub>R</sub> , Capacitance Ratio C <sub>3</sub> /C <sub>8</sub> f = 1.0 MHz <sup>(1)</sup>	
Device	Min	Nom	Max	Min	Min	Max
MMBV409LT1, MV409	26	29	32	200	1.5	1.9

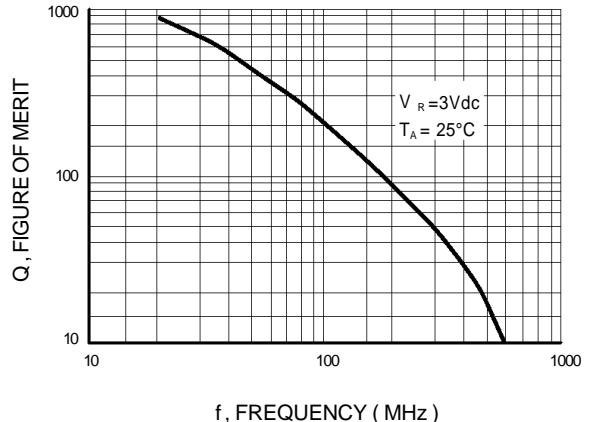
1.  $C_R$  is the ratio of  $C_t$  measured at 3 Vdc divided by  $C_t$  measured at 8 Vdc.

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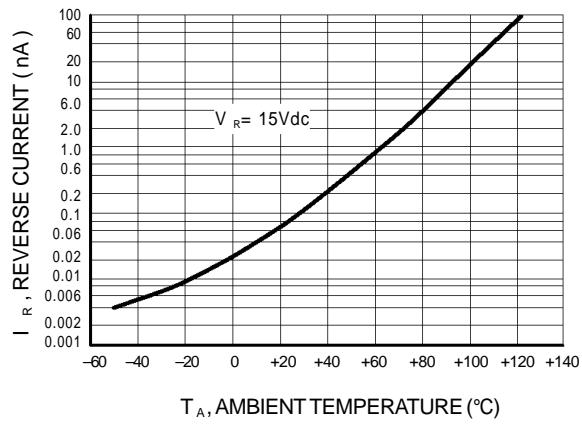
### **TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS**



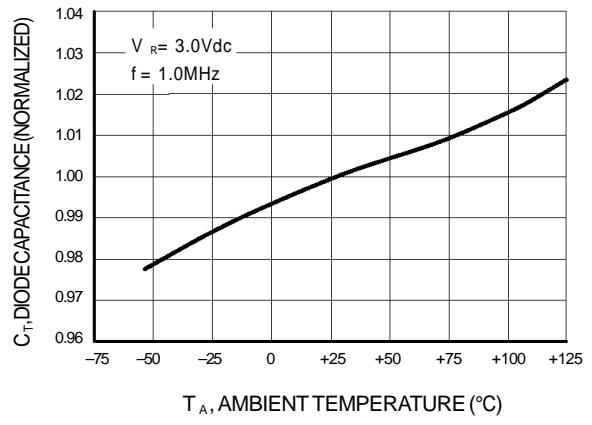
**Figure 1. Diode Capacitance**



**Figure 2. Figure of Merit**



**Figure 3. Leakage Current**



**Figure 4. Diode Capacitance**