

Fairchild

Diode BA243

Datasheet

**Silicon - Diode**

**BA243**

15V / 250mW

Bandswitch Diode

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# BA243·BA244

## BANDSWITCH DIODES

DIFFUSED SILICON PLANAR

- $R_S \dots 0.5 \Omega$  (MAX) BA244
- $C \dots 2 \text{ pF}$  (MAX)

### ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS (Note 1)

#### Temperatures

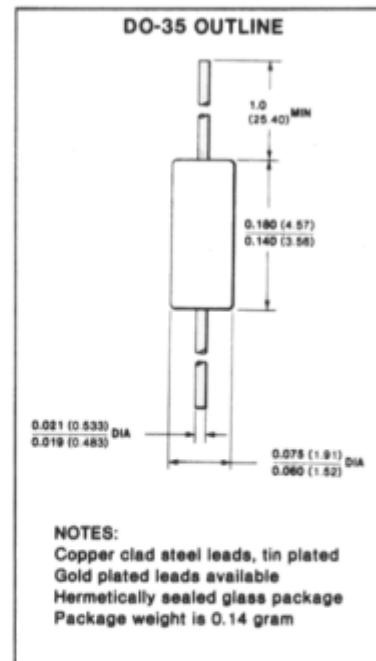
Storage Temperature Range	-65°C to +200°C
Maximum Junction Operating Temperature	+175°C
Lead Temperature	+260°C

#### Power Dissipation (Note 2)

Maximum Total Power Dissipation at 25°C Ambient	250 mW
Linear Power Derating Factor (from 25°C)	1.67 mW / °C

#### Maximum Voltage and Currents

$V_{WIV}$	Working Inverse Voltage	15 V
$I_F$	Continuous Forward Current	100 mA



#### NOTES:

Copper clad steel leads, tin plated  
Gold plated leads available  
Hermetically sealed glass package  
Package weight is 0.14 gram

### ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (25°C Ambient Temperature unless otherwise noted)

SYMBOL	CHARACTERISTIC		MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS	TEST CONDITIONS
$V_F$	Forward Voltage			0.90	1.0	V	$I_F = 100 \text{ mA}$
$I_R$	Reverse Current			5.0 0.05	100 1.0	nA $\mu\text{A}$	$V_R = 15 \text{ V}$ $V_R = 15 \text{ V}, T_A = 60^\circ\text{C}$
BV	Breakdown Voltage	20				V	$I_R = 5.0 \mu\text{A}$
C	Capacitance			1.7	2.0	pF	$V_R = 15 \text{ V}, f = 1 \text{ MHz}$
$\frac{\Delta C}{C \cdot \Delta V_R}$	Capacitance Variation with Reverse Voltage			1.0		%/V	$V_R = 7 - 20 \text{ V}, f = 1 - 100 \text{ MHz}$ , Relative to $V_R = 7 \text{ V}$
$R_S$	Series Resistance	BA243 BA244		0.70 0.40	1.0 0.50	$\Omega$	$I_F = 10 \text{ mA}, f = 1 - 100 \text{ MHz}$ $I_F = 10 \text{ mA}, f = 1 - 100 \text{ MHz}$

#### NOTES:

1. These ratings are limiting values above which the serviceability of the diode may be impaired.
2. These are steady state limits. The factory should be consulted on applications involving pulsed or low duty-cycle operation.
3. For product family characteristic curves, refer to Chapter 4, D7.