



Tuning, Hot Carrier and PIN Diodes

**MOTOROLA
SEMICONDUCTOR**
TECHNICAL DATA

1N5139 thru 1N5148 **1N5139A thru 1N5148A**

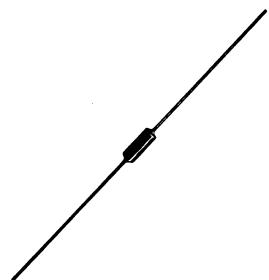
SILICON EPICAP DIODES

... designed for electronic tuning and harmonic-generation applications, and providing solid-state reliability to replace mechanical tuning methods.

- Guaranteed High-Frequency Q
- Guaranteed Wide Tuning Range
- Guaranteed Temperature Coefficient
- Standard 10% Capacitance Tolerance
- Complete Typical Design Curves

**6.8-47 pF EPICAP
VOLTAGE-VARIABLE
CAPACITANCE DIODES**

**SILICON
EPITAXIAL PASSIVATED**



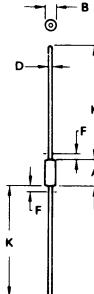
MAXIMUM RATINGS (TC = 25°C unless otherwise noted)

Rating	Symbol	Value	Unit
Reverse Voltage	VR	60	Volts
Forward Current	IF	250	mA
RF Power Input†	Pin	5	Watts
Device Dissipation (at TA = 25°C Derate above 25°C)	PD	400 2.67	mW mW/°C
Device Dissipation (at TC = 25°C Derate above 25°C)	PC	2.0 13.3	Watts mW/°C
Junction Temperature	TJ	+175	°C
Storage Temperature Range	Tstg	-65 to +200	°C

†The RF power input rating assumes that an adequate heat sink is provided.

NOTES:

1. PACKAGE CONTOUR OPTIONAL WITHIN DIA B AND LENGTH A. HEAT SLUGS, IF ANY, SHALL BE INCLUDED WITHIN THIS CYLINDER, BUT SHALL NOT BE SUBJECT TO THE MIN LIMIT OF DIA B.
2. LEAD DIA NOT CONTROLLED IN ZONES F, TO ALLOW FOR FLASH, LEAD FINISH BUILDUP, AND MINOR IRREGULARITIES OTHER THAN HEAT SLUGS.



DIM	MILLIMETERS		INCHES	
	MIN	MAX	MIN	MAX
A	5.84	7.62	0.230	0.300
B	2.16	2.72	0.085	0.107
D	0.46	0.56	0.018	0.022
F	—	1.27	—	0.050
K	25.40	38.10	1.000	1.500

All JEDEC dimensions and notes apply

**CASE 51-02
DO-204AA**

1N5139 thru 1N5148, 1N5139A thru 1N5148A

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (TA = 25°C unless otherwise noted)

Characteristic — All Types	Test Conditions	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Reverse Breakdown Voltage	IR = 10 μ Adc	BVR	60	70	—	Vdc
Reverse Voltage Leakage Current	VR = 55 Vdc, TA = 25°C VR = 55 Vdc, TA = 150°C	IR	—	—	0.02 20	μ Adc
Series Inductance	f = 250 MHz, L \approx 1/16"	LS	—	5	—	nH
Case Capacitance	f = 1 MHz, L \approx 1/16"	CC	—	0.25	—	pF
Diode Capacitance Temperature Coefficient	VR = 4 Vdc, f = 1 MHz	TCC	—	200	300	ppm/ $^{\circ}$ C

Device	CT, Diode Capacitance VR = 4 Vdc, f = 1 MHz pF			Q, Figure of Merit VR = 4 Vdc, f = 50 MHz	α VR = 4 Vdc, f = 1 MHz		TR, Tuning Ratio C4/C60 f = 1 MHz	
	Min	Typ	Max		Min	Typ	Min	Typ
1N5139	6.1	6.8	7.5	350	0.37	0.40	2.7	2.9
1N5139A	6.5	6.8	7.1	350	0.37	0.40	2.7	2.9
1N5140	9.0	10.0	11.0	300	0.38	0.41	2.8	3.0
1N5140A	9.5	10.0	10.5	300	0.38	0.41	2.8	3.0
1N5141	10.8	12.0	13.2	300	0.38	0.41	2.8	3.0
1N5141A	11.4	12.0	12.6	300	0.38	0.41	2.8	3.0
1N5142	13.5	15.0	16.5	250	0.38	0.41	2.8	3.0
1N5142A	14.3	15.0	15.7	250	0.38	0.41	2.8	3.0
1N5143	16.2	18.0	19.8	250	0.38	0.41	2.8	3.0
1N5143A	17.1	18.0	18.9	250	0.38	0.41	2.8	3.0
1N5144	19.8	22.0	24.2	200	0.43	0.45	3.2	3.4
1N5144A	20.9	22.0	23.1	200	0.43	0.45	3.2	3.4
1N5145	24.3	27.0	29.7	200	0.43	0.45	3.2	3.4
1N5145A	25.7	27.0	28.3	200	0.43	0.45	3.2	3.4
1N5146	29.7	33.0	36.3	200	0.43	0.45	3.2	3.4
1N5146A	31.4	33.0	34.6	200	0.43	0.45	3.2	3.4
1N5147	36.1	39.0	42.9	200	0.43	0.45	3.2	3.4
1N5147A	37.1	39.0	40.9	200	0.43	0.45	3.2	3.4
1N5148	42.3	47.0	51.7	200	0.43	0.45	3.2	3.4
1N5148A	44.7	47.0	49.3	200	0.43	0.45	3.2	3.4

PARAMETER TEST METHODS

1. LS, SERIES INDUCTANCE

LS is measured on a shorted package at 250 MHz using an impedance bridge (Boonton Radio Model 250A RX Meter). L = lead length.

2. CC, CASE CAPACITANCE

CC is measured on an open package at 1 MHz using a capacitance bridge (Boonton Electronics Model 75A or equivalent).

3. CT, DIODE CAPACITANCE

(CT = CC + C_r). CT is measured at 1 MHz using a capacitance bridge (Boonton Electronics Model 75A or equivalent).

4. TR, TUNING RATIO

TR is the ratio of CT measured at 4 Vdc divided by CT measured at 60 Vdc.

5. Q, FIGURE OF MERIT

Q is calculated by taking the G and C readings of an admitt-

ance bridge at the specified frequency and substituting in the following equations:

$$Q = \frac{2\pi f C}{G}$$

(Boonton Electronics Model 33AS8).

6. α , DIODE CAPACITANCE REVERSE VOLTAGE SLOPE

The diode capacitance, Cr (as measured at VR = 4 Vdc, f = 1 MHz) is compared to Cr (as measured at VR = 60 Vdc, f = 1 MHz) by the following equation which defines α .

$$\alpha = \frac{\log C_r(4) - \log C_r(60)}{\log 60 - \log 4}$$

Note that a Cr versus VR law is assumed as shown in the following equation where CC is included.

$$C_r = \frac{K}{V^\alpha}$$

7. TC_c, DIODE CAPACITANCE TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT

TC_c is guaranteed by comparing Cr at VR = 4 Vdc, f = 1 MHz, TA = -65°C with Cr at VR = 4 Vdc, f = 1 MHz, TA = +85°C in the following equation which defines TC_c:

$$TC_c = \left| \frac{C_r(+85^\circ C) - C_r(-65^\circ C)}{85 + 65} \right| \cdot \frac{10^6}{C_r(25^\circ C)}$$

1N5139 thru 1N5148, 1N5139A thru 1N5148A

FIGURE 1 — DIODE CAPACITANCE versus REVERSE VOLTAGE

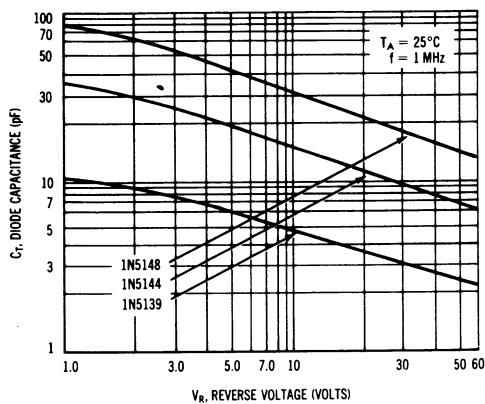


FIGURE 2 — FIGURE OF MERIT versus REVERSE VOLTAGE

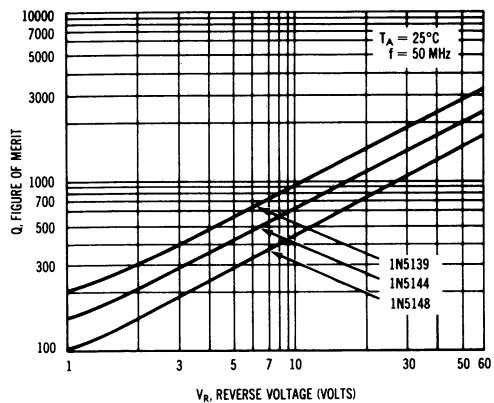


FIGURE 3 — NORMALIZED DIODE CAPACITANCE versus JUNCTION TEMPERATURE

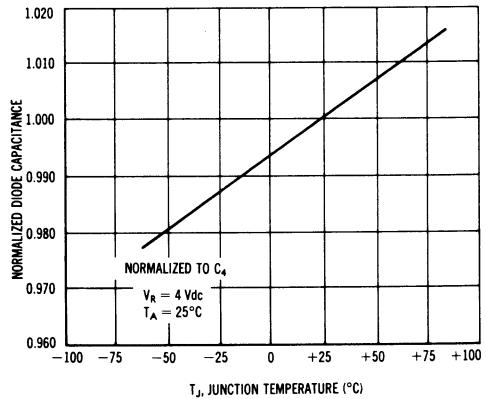


FIGURE 4 — NORMALIZED FIGURE OF MERIT versus JUNCTION TEMPERATURE

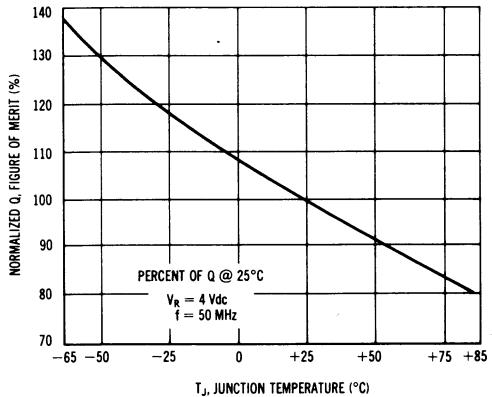


FIGURE 5 — REVERSE CURRENT versus REVERSE BIAS VOLTAGE

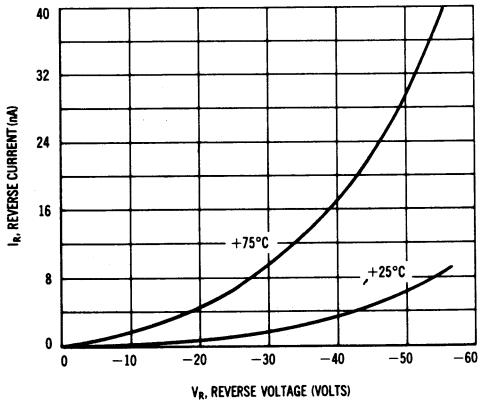
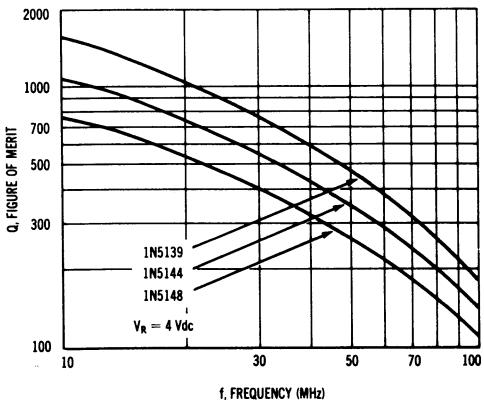


FIGURE 6 — FIGURE OF MERIT versus FREQUENCY



**MOTOROLA
SEMICONDUCTOR**

TECHNICAL DATA

**1N5441A,B
thru
1N5456A,B**

VVC →(—

SILICON EPICAP DIODES

... epitaxial passivated abrupt junction tuning diodes designed for electronic tuning, FM, AFC and harmonic-generation applications in AM through UHF ranges, providing solid-state reliability to replace mechanical tuning methods.

- Excellent Q Factor at High Frequencies
- Guaranteed Capacitance Change — 2.0 to 30 V
- Guaranteed Temperature Coefficient
- Capacitance Tolerance — 10% and 5.0%
- Complete Typical Design Curves

**VOLTAGE-VARIABLE
CAPACITANCE DIODES**

**6.8 – 100 pF
30 VOLTS**



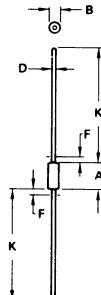
DO-204AA GLASS

*** MAXIMUM RATINGS**

Rating	Symbol	Value	Unit
Reverse Voltage	V_R	30	Volts
Device Dissipation @ $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ Derate above 25°C	P_D	400 2.67	mW mW/ $^\circ\text{C}$
Operating Junction Temperature Range	T_J	+175	$^\circ\text{C}$
Storage Temperature Range	T_{stg}	-65 to +200	$^\circ\text{C}$

* Indicates JEDEC Registered Data.

5



DIM	MILLIMETERS		INCHES	
	MIN	MAX	MIN	MAX
A	5.84	7.62	0.230	0.300
B	2.16	2.72	0.085	0.107
D	0.46	0.56	0.018	0.022
F	—	1.27	—	0.050
K	25.40	38.10	1.000	1.500

All JEDEC dimensions and notes apply

CASE 51-02
DO-204AA

1N5441A,B thru 1N5456A,B

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

Characteristic—All Types	Test Conditions	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Reverse Breakdown Voltage	$I_R = 10 \mu\text{Adc}$	$V_{(\text{BR})R}$	30	—	—	Vdc
Reverse Voltage Leakage Current	$V_R = 25 \text{ Vdc}, T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ $V_R = 25 \text{ Vdc}, T_A = 150^\circ\text{C}$	I_R	— —	— —	0.02 20	μAdc
Series Inductance	$f = 250 \text{ MHz, lead length} \approx 1/16''$	L_S	—	4.0	10	nH
Case Capacitance	$f = 1.0 \text{ MHz, lead length} \approx 1/16''$	C_C	0.1	0.17	0.25	pF
Diode Capacitance Temperature Coefficient (Note 6)	$V_R = 4.0 \text{ Vdc, } f = 1.0 \text{ MHz}$	TC_C	—	300	400	ppm/ $^\circ\text{C}$

Device	C_T , Diode Capacitance (1) $V_R = 4.0 \text{ Vdc, } f = 1.0 \text{ MHz}$ pF			TR, Tuning Ratio C_2/C_{30} $f = 1.0 \text{ MHz}$		Q, Figure of Merit $V_R = 4.0 \text{ Vdc}$ $f = 50 \text{ MHz}$
	Min (Nom -10%)	Nom	Max (Nom +10%)	Min	Max	
1N5441A	6.1	6.8	7.5	2.5	3.1	450
1N5442A	7.4	8.2	9.0	2.5	3.1	450
1N5443A	9.0	10.0	11.0	2.6	3.1	400
1N5444A	10.8	12.0	13.2	2.6	3.1	400
1N5445A	13.5	15.0	16.5	2.6	3.1	400
1N5446A	16.2	18.0	19.8	2.6	3.1	350
1N5447A	18.0	20.0	22.0	2.6	3.1	350
1N5448A	19.8	22.0	24.2	2.6	3.2	350
1N5449A	24.3	27.0	29.7	2.6	3.2	350
1N5450A	29.7	33.0	36.3	2.6	3.2	350
1N5451A	35.1	39.0	42.9	2.6	3.2	300
1N5452A	42.3	47.0	51.7	2.6	3.2	250
1N5453A	50.4	56.0	61.6	2.6	3.3	200
1N5454A	61.2	68.0	74.8	2.7	3.3	175
1N5455A	73.8	82.0	90.2	2.7	3.3	175
1N5456A	90.0	100.0	110.0	2.7	3.3	175

(1) To order devices with C_T Nom $\pm 5.0\%$ add Suffix B.

*Indicates JEDEC Registered Data.

PARAMETER TEST METHODS

1. L_S , Series Inductance

L_S is measured on a shorted package at 250 MHz using an impedance bridge (Boonton Radio Model 250A RX Meter or equivalent).

2. C_C , Case Capacitance

C_C is measured on an open package at 1.0 MHz using a capacitance bridge (Boonton Electronics Model 75A or equivalent).

3. C_T , Diode Capacitance

$(C_T = C_C + C_L)$. C_T is measured at 1.0 MHz using a capacitance bridge (Boonton Electronics Model 75A or equivalent).

4. TR, Tuning Ratio

TR is the ratio of C_T measured at 2.0 Vdc divided by C_T measured at 30 Vdc.

5. Q, Figure of Merit

Q is calculated by taking the G and C readings of an admittance bridge at the specified frequency and substituting in the following equations:

$$Q = \frac{2\pi f C}{G}$$

(Boonton Electronics Model 33AS8 or equivalent).

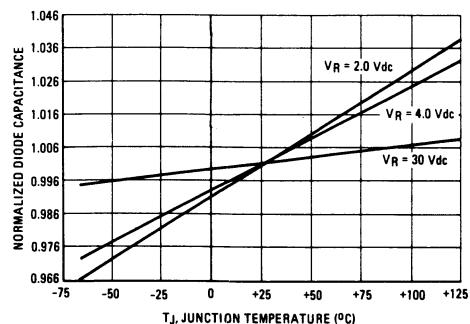
6. TC_C , Diode Capacitance Temperature Coefficient

in the following equation, which defines TC_C :

$$TC_C = \frac{|C_T(+85^\circ\text{C}) - C_T(-65^\circ\text{C})|}{85 + 65} \cdot \frac{10^6}{C_T(25^\circ\text{C})}$$

Accuracy limited by C_T measurement to $\pm 0.1 \text{ pF}$.

FIGURE 1 – NORMALIZED DIODE CAPACITANCE versus JUNCTION TEMPERATURE



1N5441A,B thru 1N5456A,B

TYPICAL DEVICE PERFORMANCE

FIGURE 2 – DIODE CAPACITANCE versus REVERSE VOLTAGE

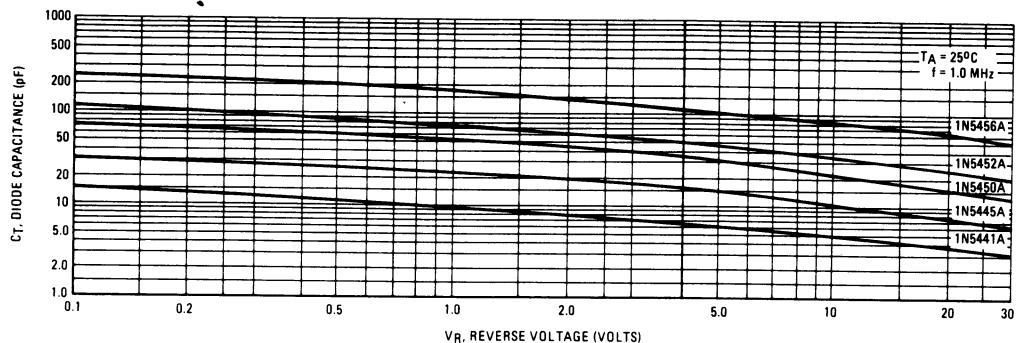


FIGURE 3 – FIGURE OF MERIT
versus REVERSE VOLTAGE

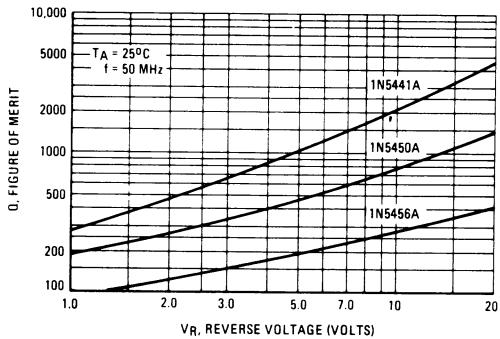


FIGURE 4 – FIGURE OF MERIT versus FREQUENCY

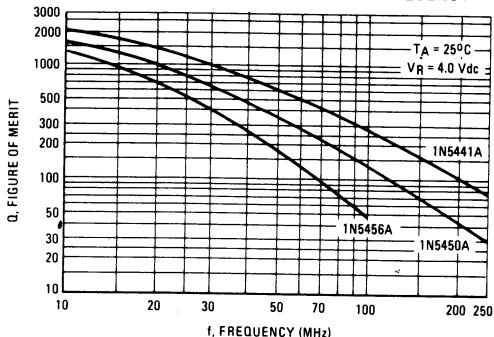


FIGURE 5 – REVERSE CURRENT
versus REVERSE BIAS VOLTAGE

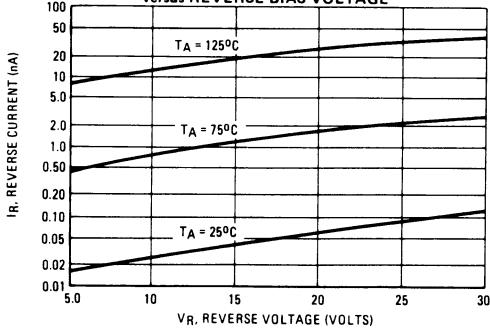
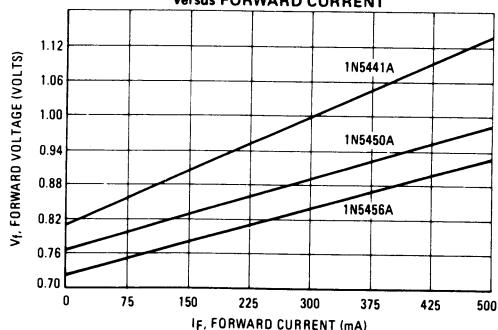


FIGURE 6 – FORWARD VOLTAGE
versus FORWARD CURRENT



**MOTOROLA
SEMICONDUCTOR**

TECHNICAL DATA

**1N5461A,B
thru
1N5476A,B**

VVC →(←

SILICON EPICAP DIODES

. . . a PREMIUM line of epitaxial, passivated, abrupt-junction tuning diodes for critical and sophisticated frequency control applications through the UHF range.

- High Q at High Frequencies
- Guaranteed High Capacitance Tuning Range
- Excellent Unit-to-Unit Uniformity
- Guaranteed Temperature Coefficient
- Capacitance Tolerances — 10% and 5.0%
- Complete Typical Design Curves

**VOLTAGE-VARIABLE
CAPACITANCE DIODES**

6.8 – 100 pF
30 VOLTS

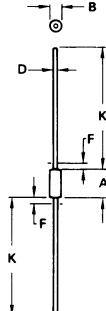


DO-204AA GLASS

***MAXIMUM RATINGS**

Rating	Symbol	Value	Unit
Reverse Voltage	V_R	30	Volts
Device Dissipation @ $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ Derate above 25°C	P_D	400 2.67	mW $\text{mW}/^\circ\text{C}$
Operating Junction Temperature Range	T_J	+175	$^\circ\text{C}$
Storage Temperature Range	T_{stg}	-65 to +200	$^\circ\text{C}$

*Indicates JEDEC Registered Data.



DIM	MILLIMETERS		INCHES	
	MIN	MAX	MIN	MAX
A	5.84	7.62	0.230	0.300
B	2.16	2.72	0.085	0.107
D	0.46	0.56	0.018	0.022
F	—	1.27	—	0.050
K	25.40	38.10	1.000	1.500

All JEDEC dimensions and notes apply

CASE 51-02
DO-204AA

1N5461A,B thru 1N5476A,B

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

Characteristic—All Types	Test Conditions	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Reverse Breakdown Voltage	$I_R = 10 \mu\text{Adc}$	$V(BR)R$	30	—	—	Vdc
Reverse Voltage Leakage Current	$V_R = 25 \text{ Vdc}, T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ $V_R = 25 \text{ Vdc}, T_A = 150^\circ\text{C}$	I_R	— —	— —	0.02 20	μAdc
Series Inductance	$f = 250 \text{ MHz}, \text{lead length} \approx 1/16''$	L_S	—	4.0	10	nH
Case Capacitance	$f = 1.0 \text{ MHz}, \text{lead length} \approx 1/16''$	C_C	0.1	0.17	0.25	pF
Diode Capacitance Temperature Coefficient (Note 6)	$V_R = 4.0 \text{ Vdc}, f = 1.0 \text{ MHz}$	TC_C	—	300	400	$\text{ppm}/^\circ\text{C}$

Device	C_T , Diode Capacitance (1) $V_R = 4.0 \text{ Vdc}, f = 1.0 \text{ MHz}$ pF			TR, Tuning Ratio C_2/C_{30} $f = 1.0 \text{ MHz}$		Q, Figure of Merit $V_R = 4.0 \text{ Vdc}$ $f = 50 \text{ MHz}$
	Min (Nom -10%)	Nom	Max (Nom +10%)	Min	Max	
1N5461A	6.1	6.8	7.5	2.7	3.1	600
1N5462A	7.4	8.2	9.0	2.8	3.1	600
1N5463A	9.0	10.0	11.0	2.8	3.1	550
1N5464A	10.8	12.0	13.2	2.8	3.1	550
1N5465A	13.5	15.0	16.5	2.8	3.1	550
1N5466A	16.2	18.0	19.8	2.9	3.1	500
1N5467A	18.0	20.0	22.0	2.9	3.1	500
1N5468A	19.8	22.0	24.2	2.9	3.2	500
1N5469A	24.3	27.0	29.7	2.9	3.2	500
1N5470A	29.7	33.0	36.3	2.9	3.2	500
1N5471A	35.1	39.0	42.9	2.9	3.2	450
1N5472A	42.3	47.0	51.7	2.9	3.2	400
1N5473A	50.4	56.0	61.6	2.9	3.3	300
1N5474A	61.2	68.0	74.8	2.9	3.3	250
1N5475A	73.8	82.0	90.2	2.9	3.3	225
1N5476A	90.0	100.0	110.0	2.9	3.3	200

(1) To order devices with C_T Nom $\pm 5.0\%$ add Suffix B.

*Indicates JEDEC Registered Data.

PARAMETER TEST METHODS

1. L_S , Series Inductance

L_S is measured on a shorted package at 250 MHz using an impedance bridge (Boonton Radio Model 250A RX Meter or equivalent).

2. C_C , Case Capacitance

C_C is measured on an open package at 1.0 MHz using a capacitance bridge (Boonton Electronics Model 75A or equivalent).

3. C_T , Diode Capacitance

($C_T = C_C + C_J$). C_T is measured at 1.0 MHz using a capacitance bridge (Boonton Electronics Model 75A or equivalent).

4. TR, Tuning Ratio

TR is the ratio of C_T measured at 2.0 Vdc divided by C_T measured at 30 Vdc.

5. Q, Figure of Merit

Q is calculated by taking the G and C readings of an admittance bridge at the specified frequency and substituting in the following equations:

$$Q = \frac{2\pi f C}{G}$$

(Boonton Electronics Model 33AS8 or equivalent).

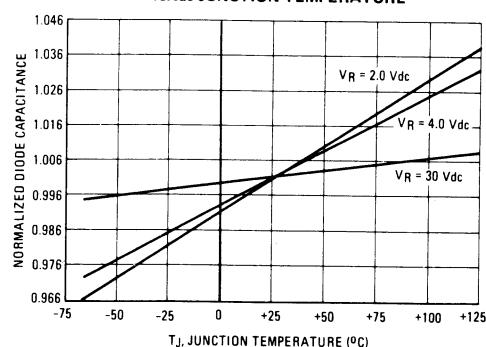
6. TC_C , Diode Capacitance Temperature Coefficient

TC_C is guaranteed by comparing C_T at $V_R = 4.0 \text{ Vdc}, f = 1.0 \text{ MHz}, T_A = -65^\circ\text{C}$ with C_T at $V_R = 4.0 \text{ Vdc}, f = 1.0 \text{ MHz}, T_A = +85^\circ\text{C}$

$$TC_C = \left| \frac{C_T(+85^\circ\text{C}) - C_T(-65^\circ\text{C})}{85 + 65} \right| \frac{10^6}{C_T(25^\circ\text{C})}$$

Accuracy limited by C_T measurement to $\pm 0.1 \text{ pF}$.

FIGURE 1 — NORMALIZED DIODE CAPACITANCE versus JUNCTION TEMPERATURE



1N5461A,B thru 1N5476A,B

TYPICAL DEVICE PERFORMANCE

