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**SILICON PLANAR TRANSISTOR**

NPN transistor in a plastic TO-92 envelope intended for VHF applications, e.g. as gain controlled pre-amplifier in VHF television and FM tuners.

**QUICK REFERENCE DATA**

Collector-base voltage (open emitter)	$V_{CB0}$	max.	30 V
Collector-emitter voltage (open base)	$V_{CEO}$	max.	20 V
Collector current (DC)	$I_C$	max.	20 mA
Total power dissipation up to $T_{amb} = 75^\circ C$	$P_{tot}$	max.	300 mW
Junction temperature	$T_j$	max.	150 $^\circ C$
Transition frequency $-I_E = 2 \text{ mA}; V_{CB} = 10 \text{ V}$	$f_T$	min.	300 MHz

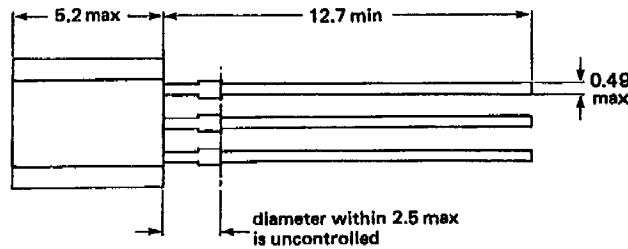
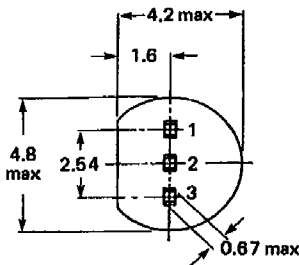
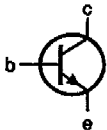
**MECHANICAL DATA**

Dimensions in mm

Fig.1 TO-92.

**Pinning**

- 1 = emitter
- 2 = base
- 3 = collector



## RATINGS

Limiting values in accordance with the Absolute Maximum System (IEC 134)

Collector-base voltage (open emitter)	$V_{CB0}$	max.	30 V
Collector-emitter voltage (open base)	$V_{CEO}$	max.	20 V
Collector-emitter voltage ( $R_{BE} \leq 1 \text{ k}\Omega$ )	$V_{CER}$	max.	30 V
Emitter-base voltage (open collector)	$V_{EBO}$	max.	3 V
Collector current (DC)	$I_C$	max.	20 mA
Collector current (peak value)	$I_{CM}$	max.	20 mA
Total power dissipation up to $T_{amb} = 75 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	$P_{tot}$	max.	300 mW
Storage temperature range	$T_{stg}$		$-65$ to $+150 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$
Junction temperature	$T_J$	max.	150 $^\circ\text{C}$

## THERMAL RESISTANCE

From junction to ambient in free air	$R_{th J-a}$	=	420 K/W
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## CHARACTERISTICS

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

DC current gain

$-I_E = 2 \text{ mA}; V_{CB} = 10 \text{ V}$

$h_{FE}$  min. 13

$-I_E = 12 \text{ mA}; V_{CB} = 7 \text{ V}^*$

$h_{FE}$  min. 6

Emitter-base voltage

$-I_E = 2 \text{ mA}; V_{CB} = 10 \text{ V}$

$-V_{EB}$  max. 0.9 V

$-I_E = 12 \text{ mA}; V_{CB} = 7 \text{ V}^*$

$-V_{EB}$  max. 1.0 V

Transition frequency

$-I_E = 2 \text{ mA}; V_{CB} = 10 \text{ V}$

$f_T$  300 to 800 MHz

$-I_E = 4 \text{ mA}; V_{CB} = 5 \text{ V}$

$f_T$  max. 530 MHz

Feedback capacitance at  $f = 10.7 \text{ MHz}$

$I_C = 1 \text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}$

$C_{re}$  typ. 0.8 pF  
max. 1.0 pF

Collector cut-off current

$I_E = 0; V_{CB} = 20 \text{ V}$

$I_{CBO}$  max. 500 nA

$I_E = 0; V_{CB} = 20 \text{ V}; T_{amb} = 150 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$

$I_{CBO}$  max. 10  $\mu\text{A}$

Emitter-base cut-off current

$I_C = 0; V_{EB} = 2 \text{ V}$

$I_{EBO}$  max. 500 nA

y-parameters at  $f = 100 \text{ MHz}$  (common base)

$I_C = 2 \text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}$

Input conductance

$g_{ib}$  typ. 66 mS

Input susceptance

$-b_{ib}$  typ. 15 mS

Feedback admittance

$|Y_{rb}|$  typ. 190 mS

Phase angle of feedback admittance

$\varphi_{rb}$  typ.  $280^\circ$

Transfer admittance

$|Y_{fb}|$  typ. 66 mS

Phase angle of transfer admittance

$\varphi_{fb}$  typ.  $155^\circ$

Output conductance

$g_{ob}$  typ. 15  $\mu\text{S}$

Output susceptance

$b_{ob}$  typ. 660  $\mu\text{S}$

y-parameters at  $f = 50 \text{ MHz}$  (common base)

$-I_E = 3 \text{ mA}; V_{CB} = 10 \text{ V}$

Input conductance

$g_{ib}$  typ. 9.5 mS

Input susceptance

$-b_{ib}$  typ. 12 mS

Feedback admittance

$|Y_{rb}|$  typ. 100  $\mu\text{S}$

Phase angle of feedback admittance

$\varphi_{rb}$  typ.  $270^\circ$

Transfer admittance

$|Y_{fb}|$  typ. 95 mS

Phase angle of transfer admittance

$\varphi_{fb}$  typ.  $160^\circ$

Output conductance

$g_{ob}$  typ. 10  $\mu\text{S}$

Output susceptance

$b_{ob}$  typ. 350  $\mu\text{S}$

y-parameters at  $f = 200 \text{ MHz}$  (common base)

$-I_E = 3 \text{ mA}; V_{CB} = 10 \text{ V}$

Input conductance

$g_{ib}$  typ. 70 mS

Input susceptance

$-b_{ib}$  typ. 46 mS

Feedback admittance

$|Y_{rb}|$  typ. 340  $\mu\text{S}$

Phase angle of feedback admittance

$\varphi_{rb}$  typ.  $275^\circ$

Transfer admittance

$|Y_{fb}|$  typ. 85 mS

Phase angle of transfer admittance

$\varphi_{fb}$  typ.  $130^\circ$

Output conductance

$g_{ob}$  typ. 75  $\mu\text{S}$

Output susceptance

$b_{ob}$  typ. 1.3 mS