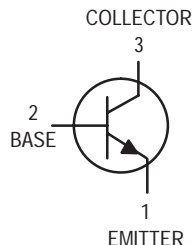


General Purpose Transistors

NPN Silicon

2N3903
2N3904*

*Motorola Preferred Device



CASE 29-04, STYLE 1
TO-92 (TO-226AA)

MAXIMUM RATINGS

Rating	Symbol	Value	Unit
Collector–Emitter Voltage	V_{CEO}	40	Vdc
Collector–Base Voltage	V_{CBO}	60	Vdc
Emitter–Base Voltage	V_{EBO}	6.0	Vdc
Collector Current — Continuous	I_C	200	mAdc
Total Device Dissipation @ $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ Derate above 25°C	P_D	625 5.0	mW mW/ $^\circ\text{C}$
Total Device Dissipation @ $T_C = 25^\circ\text{C}$ Derate above 25°C	P_D	1.5 12	Watts mW/ $^\circ\text{C}$
Operating and Storage Junction Temperature Range	T_J, T_{stg}	-55 to +150	$^\circ\text{C}$

THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS(1)

Characteristic	Symbol	Max	Unit
Thermal Resistance, Junction to Ambient	$R_{\theta JA}$	200	$^\circ\text{C}/\text{W}$
Thermal Resistance, Junction to Case	$R_{\theta JC}$	83.3	$^\circ\text{C}/\text{W}$

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

Characteristic	Symbol	Min	Max	Unit
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OFF CHARACTERISTICS

Collector–Emitter Breakdown Voltage (2) ($I_C = 1.0 \text{ mAdc}, I_B = 0$)	$V_{(BR)CEO}$	40	—	Vdc
Collector–Base Breakdown Voltage ($I_C = 10 \mu\text{Adc}, I_E = 0$)	$V_{(BR)CBO}$	60	—	Vdc
Emitter–Base Breakdown Voltage ($I_E = 10 \mu\text{Adc}, I_C = 0$)	$V_{(BR)EBO}$	6.0	—	Vdc
Base Cutoff Current ($V_{CE} = 30 \text{ Vdc}, V_{EB} = 3.0 \text{ Vdc}$)	I_{BL}	—	50	nAdc
Collector Cutoff Current ($V_{CE} = 30 \text{ Vdc}, V_{EB} = 3.0 \text{ Vdc}$)	I_{CEX}	—	50	nAdc

1. Indicates Data in addition to JEDEC Requirements.
2. Pulse Test: Pulse Width $\leq 300 \mu\text{s}$; Duty Cycle $\leq 2.0\%$.

Preferred devices are Motorola recommended choices for future use and best overall value.

REV 2

2N3903 2N3904
ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS ($T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ unless otherwise noted) (Continued)

Characteristic	Symbol	Min	Max	Unit
ON CHARACTERISTICS				
DC Current Gain ⁽¹⁾ ($I_C = 0.1 \text{ mAdc}$, $V_{CE} = 1.0 \text{ Vdc}$)	h_{FE}	20	—	—
	2N3903	40	—	
	2N3904			
($I_C = 1.0 \text{ mAdc}$, $V_{CE} = 1.0 \text{ Vdc}$)		35	—	
	2N3903	70	—	
	2N3904			
($I_C = 10 \text{ mAdc}$, $V_{CE} = 1.0 \text{ Vdc}$)		50	150	
	2N3903	100	300	
	2N3904			
($I_C = 50 \text{ mAdc}$, $V_{CE} = 1.0 \text{ Vdc}$)		30	—	
	2N3903	60	—	
	2N3904			
($I_C = 100 \text{ mAdc}$, $V_{CE} = 1.0 \text{ Vdc}$)		15	—	
	2N3903	30	—	
	2N3904			
Collector–Emitter Saturation Voltage ⁽¹⁾ ($I_C = 10 \text{ mAdc}$, $I_B = 1.0 \text{ mAdc}$) ($I_C = 50 \text{ mAdc}$, $I_B = 5.0 \text{ mAdc}$)	$V_{CE(sat)}$	—	0.2	Vdc
		—	0.3	
Base–Emitter Saturation Voltage ⁽¹⁾ ($I_C = 10 \text{ mAdc}$, $I_B = 1.0 \text{ mAdc}$) ($I_C = 50 \text{ mAdc}$, $I_B = 5.0 \text{ mAdc}$)	$V_{BE(sat)}$	0.65	0.85	Vdc
		—	0.95	

SMALL–SIGNAL CHARACTERISTICS

Current–Gain — Bandwidth Product ($I_C = 10 \text{ mAdc}$, $V_{CE} = 20 \text{ Vdc}$, $f = 100 \text{ MHz}$)	f_T	250	—	MHz
	2N3903	300	—	
	2N3904			
Output Capacitance ($V_{CB} = 5.0 \text{ Vdc}$, $I_E = 0$, $f = 1.0 \text{ MHz}$)	C_{obo}	—	4.0	pF
Input Capacitance ($V_{EB} = 0.5 \text{ Vdc}$, $I_C = 0$, $f = 1.0 \text{ MHz}$)	C_{ibo}	—	8.0	pF
Input Impedance ($I_C = 1.0 \text{ mAdc}$, $V_{CE} = 10 \text{ Vdc}$, $f = 1.0 \text{ kHz}$)	h_{ie}	1.0	8.0	k Ω
	2N3903	1.0	10	
	2N3904			
Voltage Feedback Ratio ($I_C = 1.0 \text{ mAdc}$, $V_{CE} = 10 \text{ Vdc}$, $f = 1.0 \text{ kHz}$)	h_{re}	0.1	5.0	$\times 10^{-4}$
	2N3903	0.5	8.0	
	2N3904			
Small–Signal Current Gain ($I_C = 1.0 \text{ mAdc}$, $V_{CE} = 10 \text{ Vdc}$, $f = 1.0 \text{ kHz}$)	h_{fe}	50	200	—
	2N3903	100	400	
	2N3904			
Output Admittance ($I_C = 1.0 \text{ mAdc}$, $V_{CE} = 10 \text{ Vdc}$, $f = 1.0 \text{ kHz}$)	h_{oe}	1.0	40	μmhos
Noise Figure ($I_C = 100 \mu\text{Adc}$, $V_{CE} = 5.0 \text{ Vdc}$, $R_S = 1.0 \text{ k } \Omega$, $f = 1.0 \text{ kHz}$)	NF	—	6.0	dB
	2N3903	—	5.0	
	2N3904			

SWITCHING CHARACTERISTICS

Delay Time	$(V_{CC} = 3.0 \text{ Vdc}$, $V_{BE} = 0.5 \text{ Vdc}$, $I_C = 10 \text{ mAdc}$, $I_{B1} = 1.0 \text{ mAdc}$)	t_d	—	35	ns
Rise Time		t_r	—	35	ns
Storage Time	$(V_{CC} = 3.0 \text{ Vdc}$, $I_C = 10 \text{ mAdc}$, $I_{B1} = I_{B2} = 1.0 \text{ mAdc}$)	t_s	—	175	ns
Fall Time		t_f	—	50	ns

 1. Pulse Test: Pulse Width $\leq 300 \mu\text{s}$; Duty Cycle $\leq 2.0\%$.

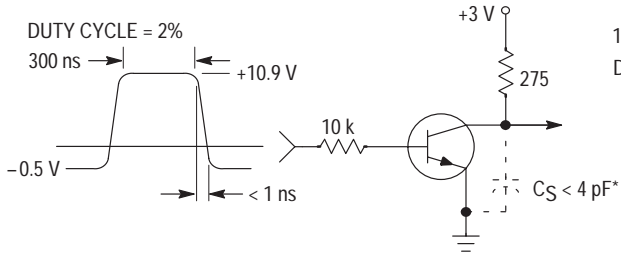


Figure 1. Delay and Rise Time Equivalent Test Circuit

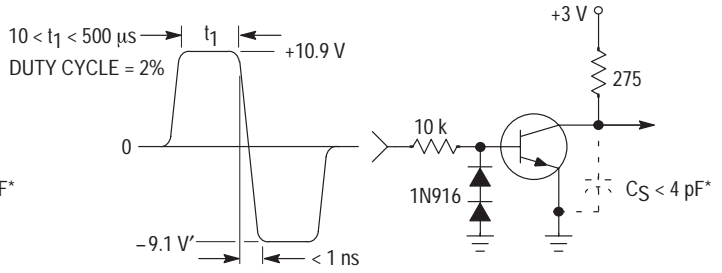


Figure 2. Storage and Fall Time Equivalent Test Circuit

* Total shunt capacitance of test jig and connectors

TYPICAL TRANSIENT CHARACTERISTICS

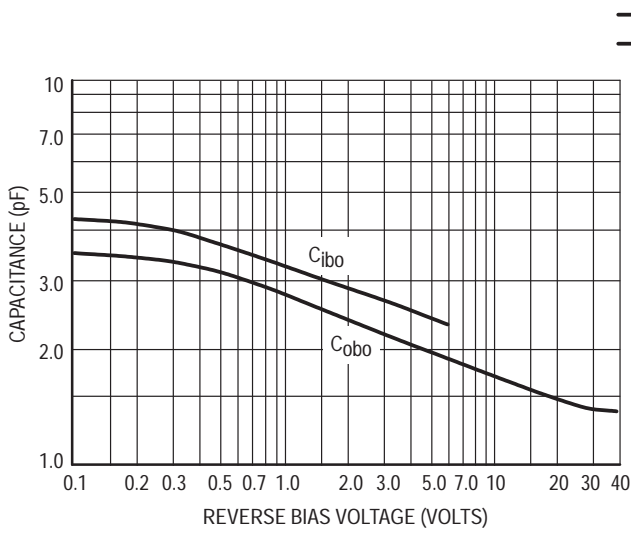


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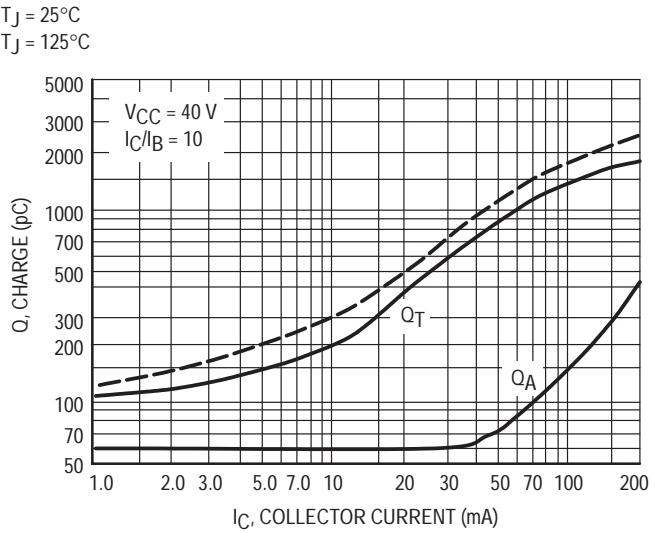


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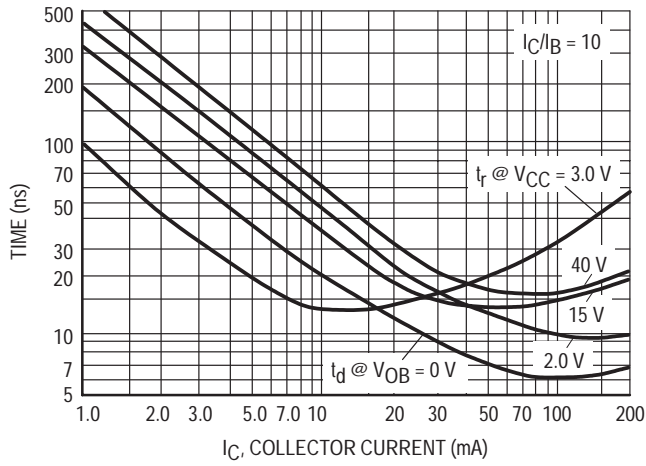


Figure 5. Turn-On Time

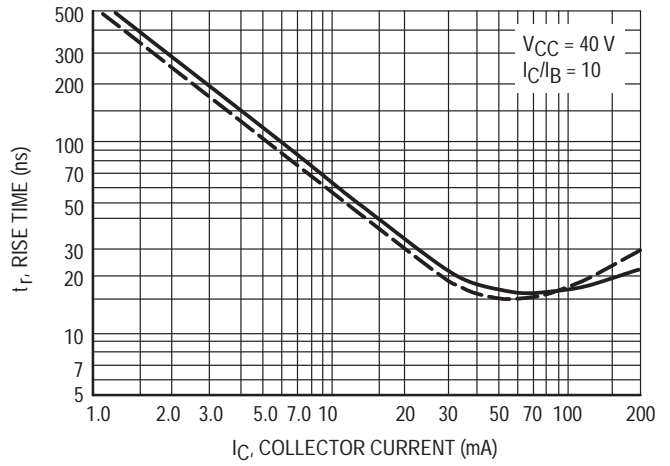


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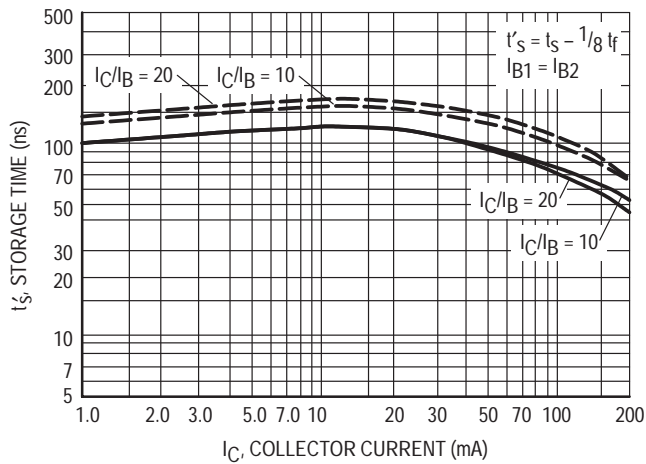


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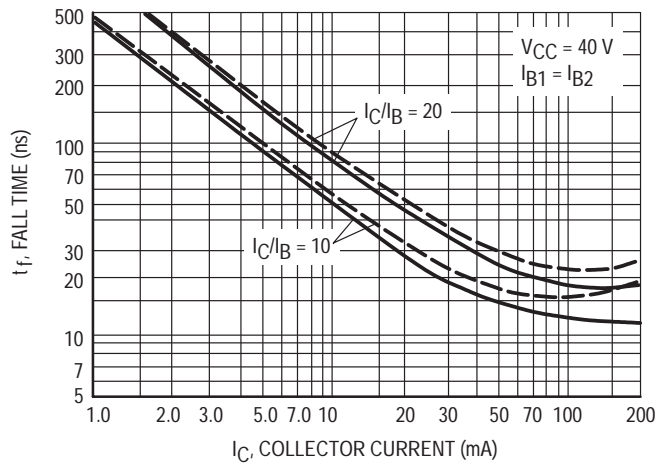


Figure 8. Fall Time

TYPICAL AUDIO SMALL-SIGNAL CHARACTERISTICS
NOISE FIGURE VARIATIONS

(VCE = 5.0 Vdc, TA = 25°C, Bandwidth = 1.0 Hz)

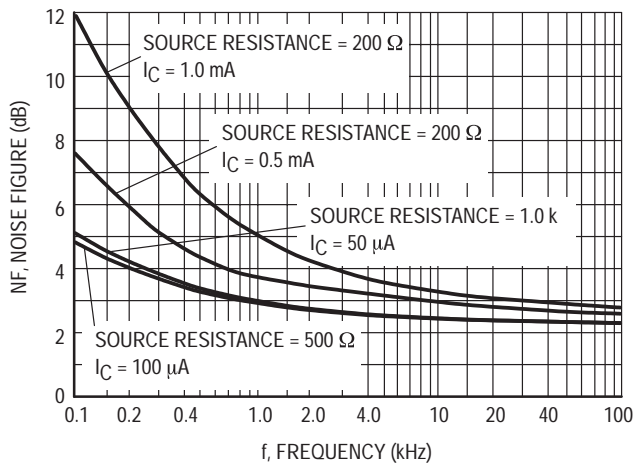


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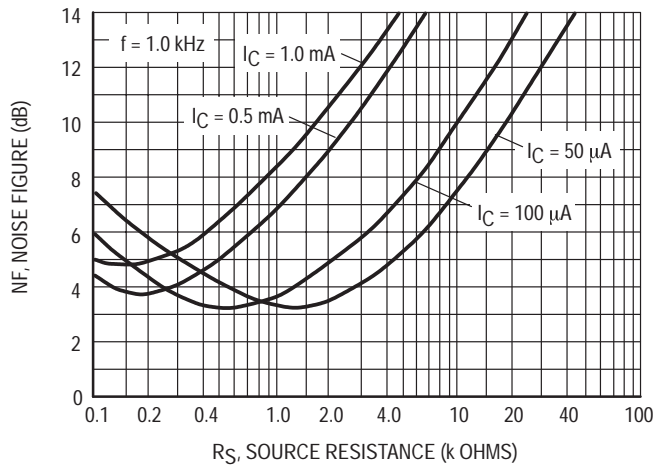


Figure 10.

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($V_{CE} = 10 \text{ Vdc}$, $f = 1.0 \text{ kHz}$, $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$)

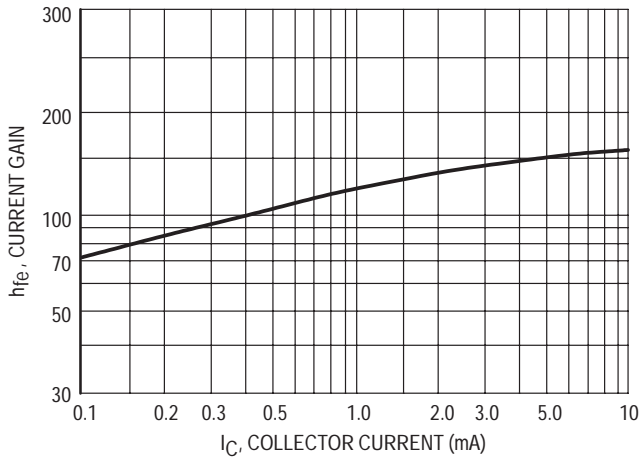


Figure 11. Current Gain

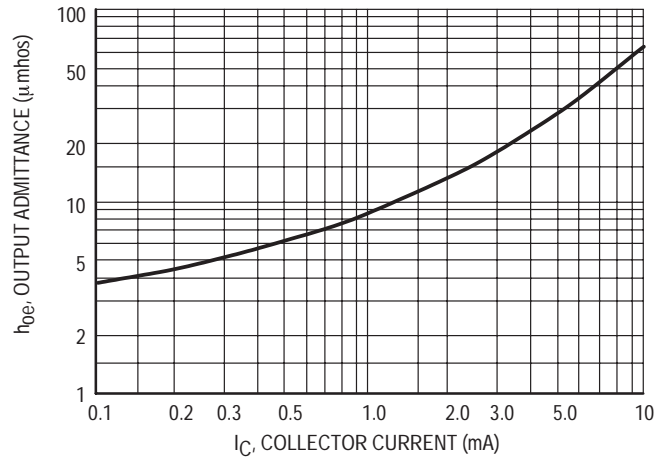


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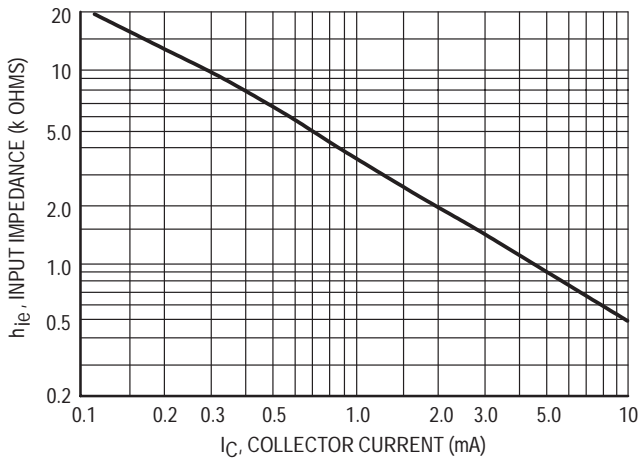


Figure 13. Input Impedance

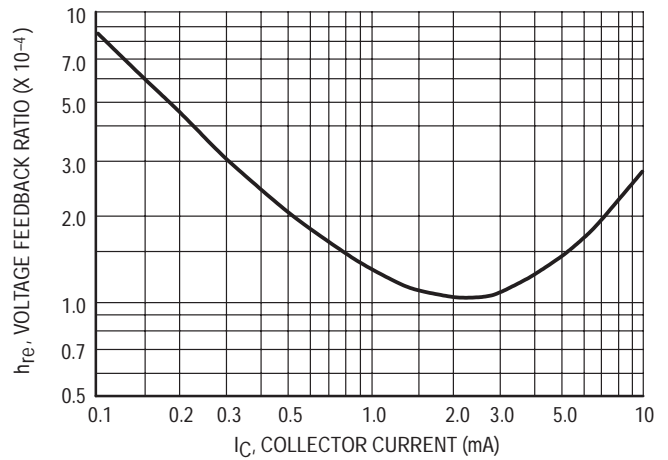


Figure 14. Voltage Feedback Ratio

TYPICAL STATIC CHARACTERISTICS

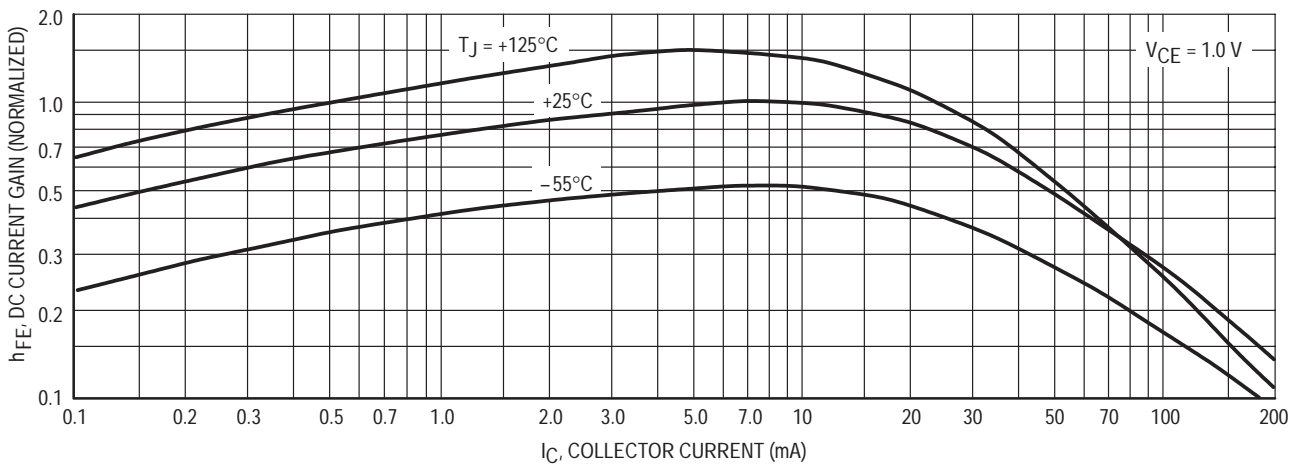


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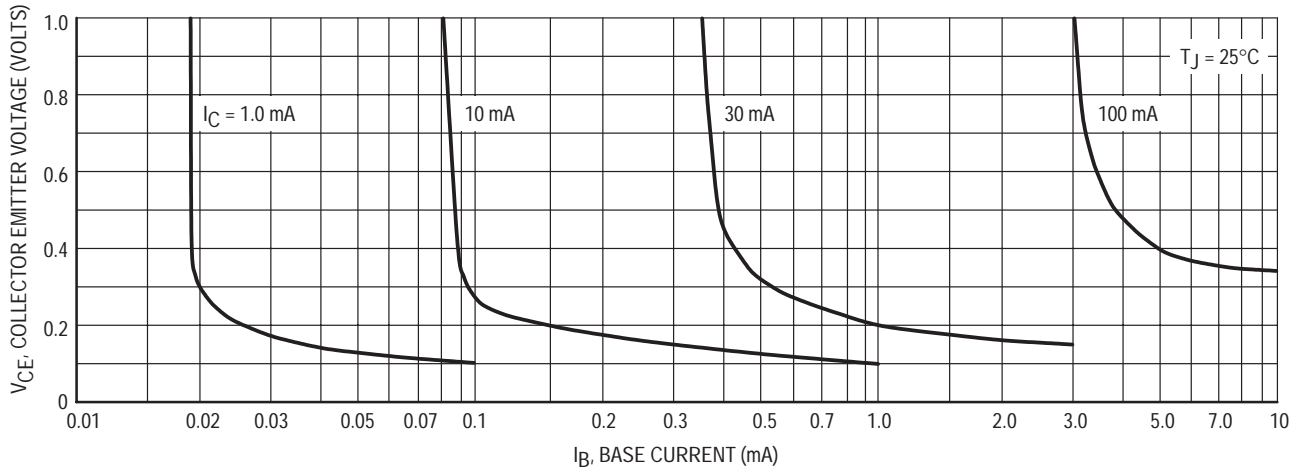


Figure 16. Collector Saturation Region

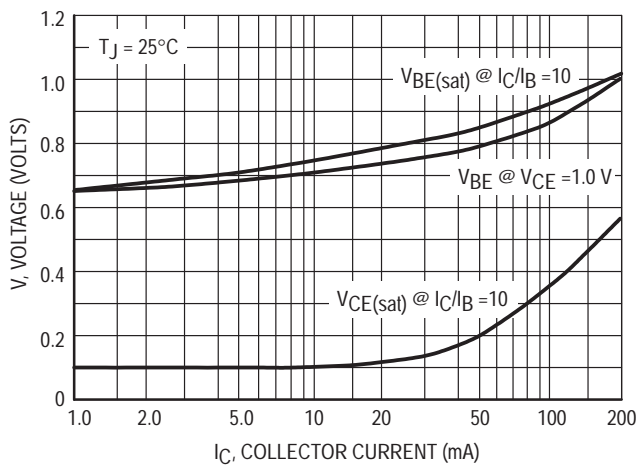


Figure 17. "ON" Voltages

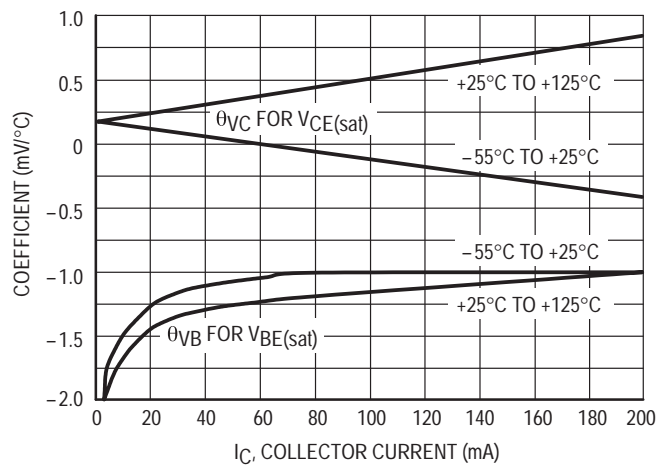
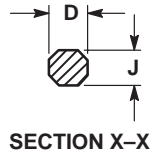
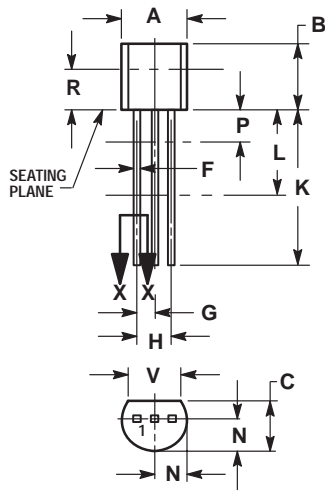


Figure 18. Temperature Coefficients

PACKAGE DIMENSIONS




CASE 029-04
(TO-226AA)
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- NOTES:
1. DIMENSIONING AND TOLERANCING PER ANSI Y14.5M, 1982.
 2. CONTROLLING DIMENSION: INCH.
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 4. DIMENSION F APPLIES BETWEEN P AND L. DIMENSION D AND J APPLY BETWEEN L AND K. MINIMUM LEAD DIMENSION IS UNCONTROLLED IN P AND BEYOND DIMENSION K MINIMUM.

DIM	INCHES		MILLIMETERS	
	MIN	MAX	MIN	MAX
A	0.175	0.205	4.45	5.20
B	0.170	0.210	4.32	5.33
C	0.125	0.165	3.18	4.19
D	0.016	0.022	0.41	0.55
F	0.016	0.019	0.41	0.48
G	0.045	0.055	1.15	1.39
H	0.095	0.105	2.42	2.66
J	0.015	0.020	0.39	0.50
K	0.500	---	12.70	---
L	0.250	---	6.35	---
N	0.080	0.105	2.04	2.66
P	---	0.100	---	2.54
R	0.115	---	2.93	---
V	0.135	---	3.43	---

- STYLE 1:
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 3. COLLECTOR

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