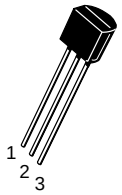
High Voltage Transistors
PNP Silicon

BF421
BF423



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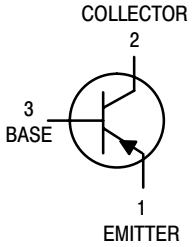
MAXIMUM RATINGS

Rating	Symbol	BF421	BF423	Unit
Collector–Emitter Voltage	V_{CEO}	–300	–250	Vdc
Collector–Base Voltage	V_{CBO}	–300	–250	Vdc
Emitter–Base Voltage	V_{EBO}	–5.0		Vdc
Collector Current — Continuous	I_C	–500		mAdc
Total Device Dissipation @ T_A = 25°C Derate above 25°C	P_D	625 5.0		mW mW/°C
Total Device Dissipation @ T_C = 25°C Derate above 25°C	P_D	1.5 12		Watts mW/°C
Operating and Storage Junction Temperature Range	T_J, T_{stg}	–55 to +150		°C



THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS

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

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

Characteristic		Symbol	Min	Max	Unit
OFF CHARACTERISTICS					
Collector–Emitter Breakdown Voltage (1) (I_C = –1.0 mAdc, I_B = 0)	 BF421 BF423	$V_{(BR)CEO}$	 –300 –250	 — —	Vdc
Collector–Base Breakdown Voltage (I_C = –100 μAdc, I_E = 0)	 BF421 BF423	$V_{(BR)CBO}$	 –300 –250	 — —	Vdc
Emitter–Base Breakdown Voltage (I_E = –100 μAdc, I_C = 0)	 BF421 BF423	$V_{(BR)EBO}$	 –5.0 –5.0	 — —	Vdc
Collector Cutoff Current (V_{CB} = –200 Vdc, I_E = 0)	 BF421 BF423	I_{CBO}	 — —	 –0.01 —	μAdc
Emitter Cutoff Current (V_{EB} = –5.0 Vdc, I_C = 0)	 BF421 BF423	I_{EBO}	 — —	 –100 —	nAdc

1. Pulse Test: Pulse Width ≤ 300 μs; Duty Cycle ≤ 2.0%.

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ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (T_A = 25°C unless otherwise noted) (Continued)

Characteristic		Symbol	Min	Max	Unit
ON CHARACTERISTICS					
DC Current Gain (I_C = –25 mA, V_{CE} = –20 Vdc)	BF421 BF423	h_{FE}	 50 50	 — —	—
Collector–Emitter Saturation Voltage (I_C = –20 mAdc, I_B = –2.0 mAdc)		$V_{CE(sat)}$	—	–0.5	Vdc
Base–Emitter Saturation Voltage (I_C = –20 mA, I_B = –2.0 mA)		$V_{BE(sat)}$	—	–2.0	Vdc
SMALL–SIGNAL CHARACTERISTICS					
Current–Gain — Bandwidth Product (I_C = –10 mAdc, V_{CE} = –10 Vdc, f = 20 MHz)		f_T	60	—	MHz
Common Emitter Feedback Capacitance (V_{CB} = –30 Vdc, I_E = 0, f = 1.0 MHz)		C_{re}	—	2.8	pF

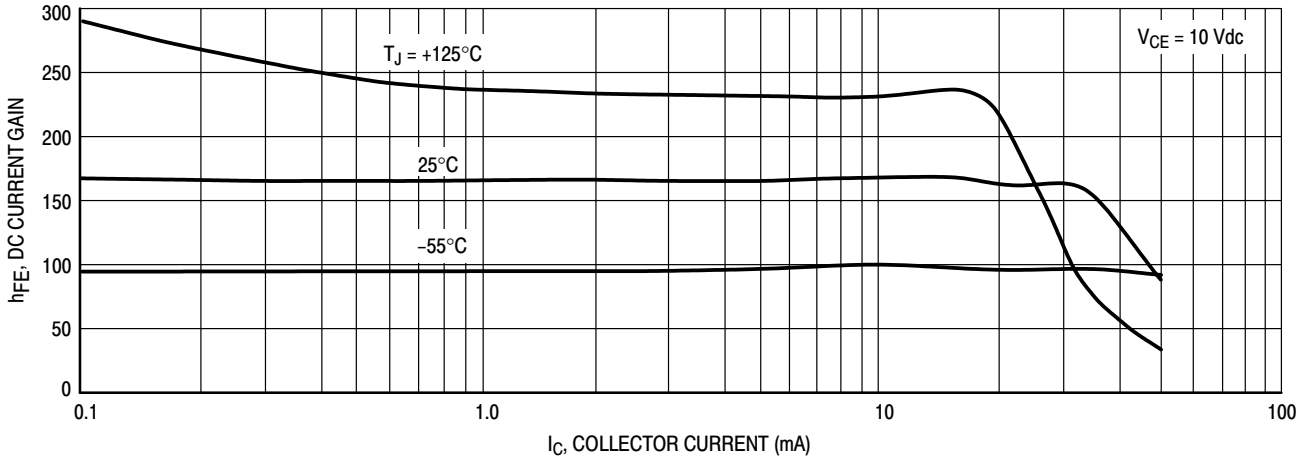


Figure 1. DC Current Gain

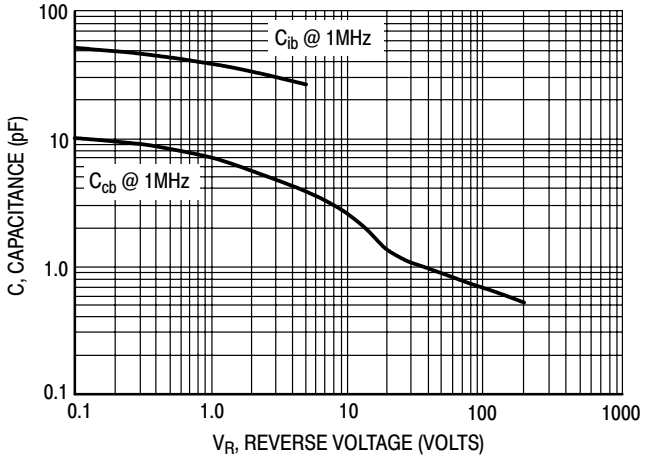


Figure 2. Capacitance

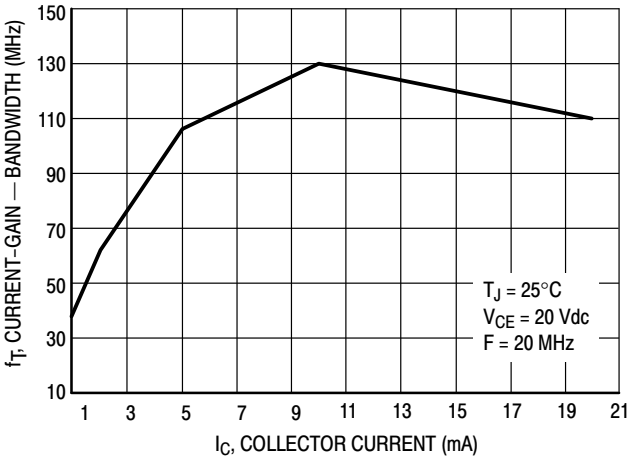
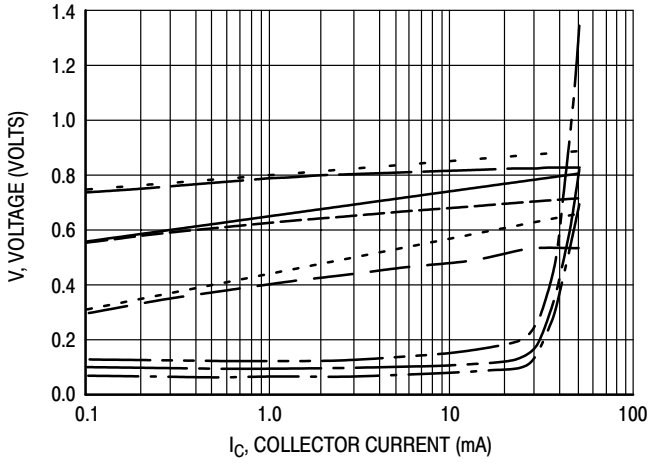


Figure 3. Current−Gain — Bandwidth



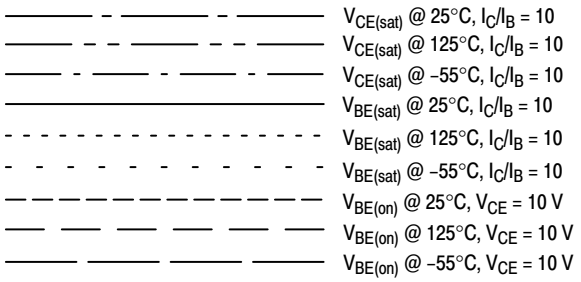


Figure 4. "ON" Voltages

PACKAGE DIMENSIONS

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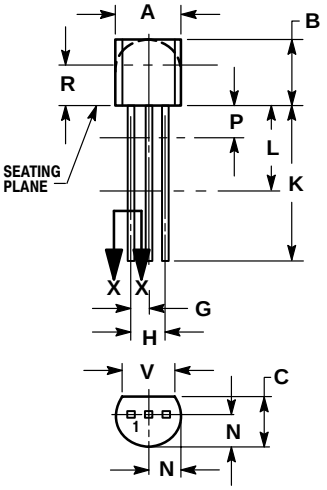

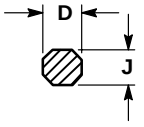

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NOTES:
1. DIMENSIONING AND TOLERANCING PER ANSI Y14.5M, 1982.
2. CONTROLLING DIMENSION: INCH.
3. CONTOUR OF PACKAGE BEYOND DIMENSION R IS UNCONTROLLED.
4. LEAD DIMENSION IS UNCONTROLLED IN P AND BEYOND DIMENSION K MINIMUM.

	INCHES		MILLIMETERS	
DIM	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	0.021	0.407	0.533
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	---

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