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2SB1399

Silicon PNP Triple Diffused

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ADE-208-873 (Z)

1st. Edition

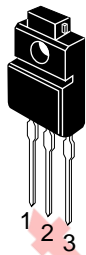
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Application

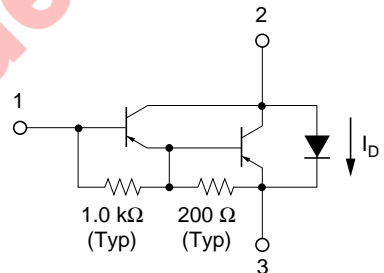
Low frequency power amplifier

Outline

TO-220FM



- 1. Base
- 2. Collector
- 3. Emitter



Absolute Maximum Ratings (Ta = 25°C)

Item	Symbol	Ratings	Unit
Collector to base voltage	V_{CBO}	-120	V
Collector to emitter voltage	V_{CEO}	-120	V
Emitter to base voltage	V_{EBO}	-7	V
Collector current	I_C	-10	A
Collector peak current	$I_{C(peak)}$	-15	A
Collector power dissipation	P_C	2	W
	P_C^{*1}	30	
Junction temperature	T_j	150	°C
Storage temperature	T_{stg}	-55 to +150	°C
C to E diode forward current	I_D^{*1}	10	A

Note: 1. Value at $T_C = 25^\circ\text{C}$.

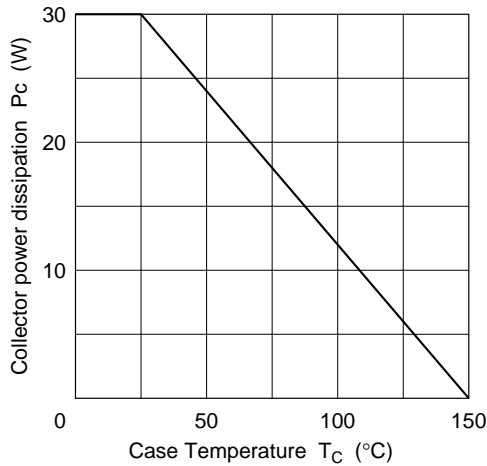
Electrical Characteristics (Ta = 25°C)

Item	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Unit	Test Conditions
Collector to base breakdown voltage	$V_{(BR)CBO}$	-120	—	—	V	$I_C = -0.1\text{ mA}$, $I_E = 0$
Collector to emitter breakdown voltage	$V_{(BR)CEO}$	-120	—	—	V	$I_C = -25\text{ mA}$, $R_{BE} = \infty$
Emitter to base breakdown voltage	$V_{(BR)EBO}$	-7	—	—	V	$I_E = -50\text{ mA}$, $I_C = 0$
Collector cutoff current	I_{CBO}	—	—	-10	μA	$V_{CB} = -100\text{ V}$, $I_E = 0$
	I_{CEO}	—	—	-10		$V_{CE} = -100\text{ V}$, $R_{BE} = \infty$
DC current transfer ratio	h_{FE}	1000	—	20000		$V_{CE} = -3\text{ V}$, $I_C = -5\text{ A}^{*1}$
Collector to emitter saturation voltage	$V_{CE(sat)1}$	—	—	-1.5	V	$I_C = -5\text{ A}$, $I_B = 10\text{ mA}^{*1}$
	$V_{CE(sat)2}$	—	—	-3.0		$I_C = -10\text{ A}$, $I_B = -100\text{ mA}^{*1}$
Base to emitter saturation voltage	$V_{BE(sat)1}$	—	—	-2.0	V	$I_C = -5\text{ A}$, $I_B = 10\text{ mA}^{*1}$
	$V_{BE(sat)2}$	—	—	-3.5		$I_C = -10\text{ A}$, $I_B = -100\text{ mA}^{*1}$
C to E diode forward voltage	V_D	—	—	3.0	V	$I_D = 10\text{ A}^{*1}$

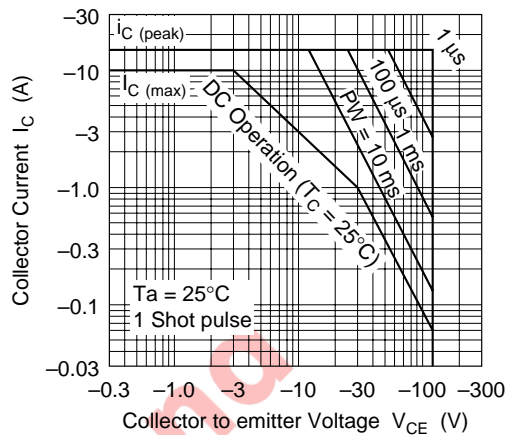
Note: 1. Pulse Test.

See switching characteristic curve of 2SB955(K).

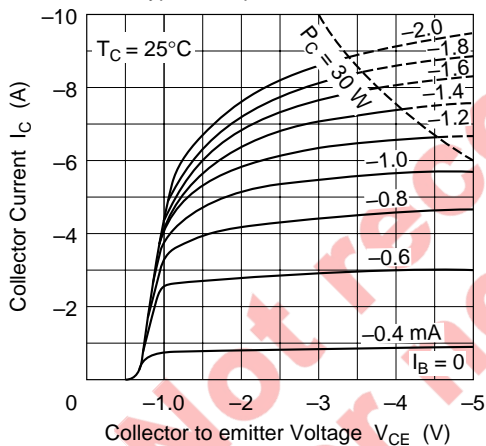
Maximum Collector Dissipation Curve



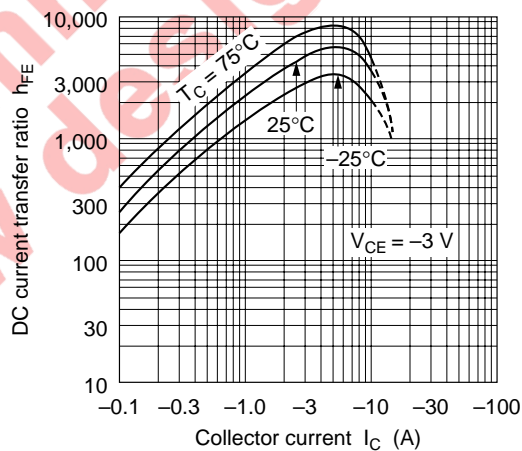
Area of Safe Operation



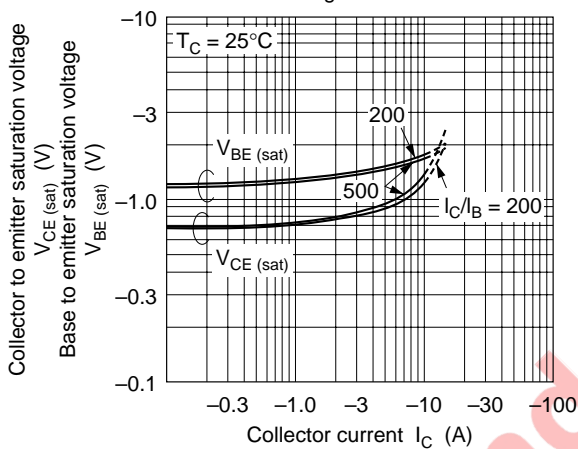
Typical Output Characteristics



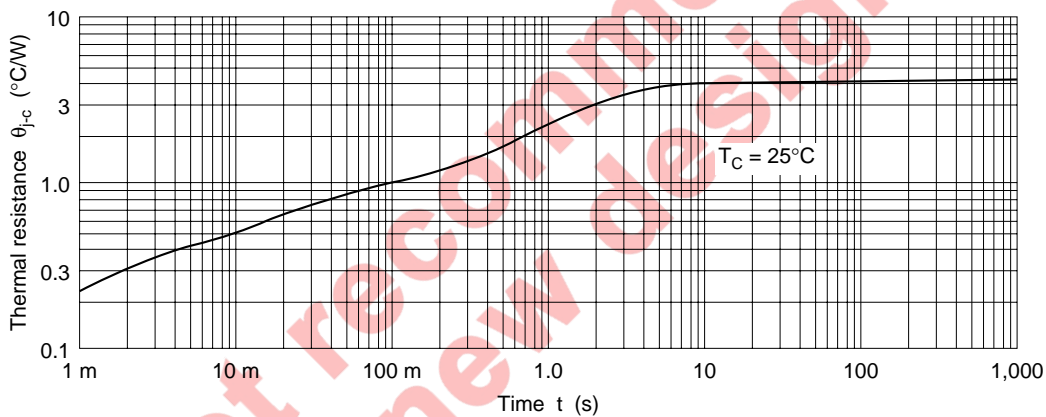
DC Current Transfer Ratio vs. Collector Current



Saturation Voltage vs. Collector Current



Transient Thermal Resistance



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