

## SILICON PLANAR EPITAXIAL TRANSISTORS

Medium power npn transistors in a miniature plastic package intended for applications in thick and thin-film circuits. They are general purpose transistors, primarily designed for audio amplifier output stages.

PNP complements are BCP51, BCP52 and BCP53 respectively.

### QUICK REFERENCE DATA

	BCP54	BCP55	BCP56	
Collector-base voltage (open emitter)	$V_{CBO}$ max.	45	60	100 V
Collector-emitter voltage (open base)	$V_{CEO}$ max.	45	60	80 V
Collector-emitter voltage ( $R_{BE} = 1 \text{ k}\Omega$ )	$V_{CER}$ max.	45	60	100 V
Collector current (peak value)	$I_{CM}$ max.		1,5	A
Total power dissipation up to $T_{amb} = 25^\circ\text{C}$	$P_{tot}$ max.		1,5	W
Junction temperature	$T_j$ max.		150	$^\circ\text{C}$
DC current gain $I_C = 150 \text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 2 \text{ V}$	$h_{FE}$		40 to 250	
Transition frequency at $f = 100 \text{ MHz}$ $I_C = 10 \text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 5 \text{ V}$	$f_T$ typ.	130	MHz	

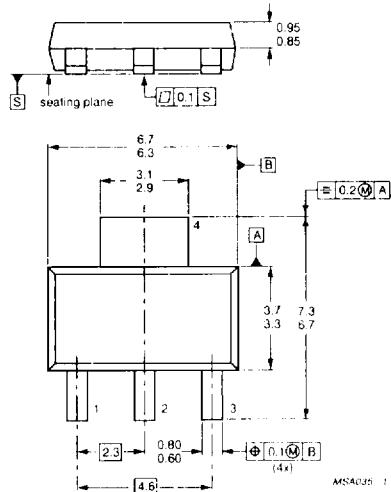
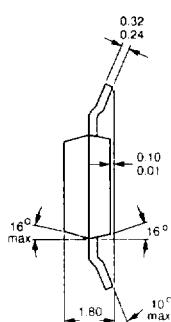
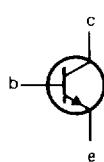
### MECHANICAL DATA

Dimensions in mm

Fig. 1 SOT-223

#### Pinning

- 1 = Base
- 2 = Collector
- 3 = Emitter
- 4 = Collector



## RATINGS

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

		BCP54	BCP55	BCP56
Collector-base voltage (open emitter)	$V_{CBO}$	max. 45	60	100 V
Collector-emitter voltage (open base)	$V_{CEO}$	max. 45	60	80 V
Collector-emitter voltage ( $R_{BE} = 1 \text{ k}\Omega$ )	$V_{CER}$	max. 45	60	100 V
Emitter base voltage (open collector)	$V_{EBO}$	max. 5	5	5 V
Collector current (DC)	$I_C$	max.	1,0	A
Collector current (peak value)	$I_{CM}$	max.	1,5	A
Base current (DC)	$I_B$	max.	0,1	A
Base current (peak value)	$I_{BM}$	max.	0,2	A
Total power dissipation up to $T_{amb} = 25^\circ\text{C}^*$	$P_{tot}$	max.	1,5	W
Storage temperature range	$T_{stg}$		-65 to +150	$^\circ\text{C}$
Junction temperature	$T_j$	max.	150	$^\circ\text{C}$

## THERMAL RESISTANCE

From junction to ambient*	$R_{th j-a}$	=	83,3	K/W
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## CHARACTERISTICS

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

Collector cut-off current

$I_E = 0; V_{CB} = 30 \text{ V}$	$I_{CBO}$	<	100	nA
$I_E = 0; V_{CB} = 30 \text{ V}; T_j = 125^\circ\text{C}$	$I_{CBO}$	<	10	$\mu\text{A}$

Emitter cut-off current

$I_C = 0; V_{EB} = 5 \text{ V}$	$I_{EBO}$	<	10	$\mu\text{A}$
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Base-emitter voltage

$I_C = 500 \text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 2 \text{ V}$	$V_{BE}$	<	1	V
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Saturation voltage

$I_C = 500 \text{ mA}; I_B = 50 \text{ mA}$	$V_{CEsat}$	<	0,5	V
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DC current gain

$I_C = 5 \text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 2 \text{ V}$	$h_{FE}$	>	25	
$I_C = 150 \text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 2 \text{ V}$	$h_{FE}$		40 to 250	
$I_C = 500 \text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 2 \text{ V}$	$h_{FE}$	>	25	

Transition frequency at  $f = 100 \text{ MHz}$

$I_C = 10 \text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 5 \text{ V}$	$f_T$	typ.	130	MHz
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\* Device mounted on an epoxy printed circuit board 40 mm x 40 mm x 1,5 mm;  
mounting pad for the collector lead min. 6 cm<sup>2</sup>.

**CHARACTERISTICS** (continued)

DC current gain  
 $I_C = 150 \text{ mA}; V_{CE} \approx 2 \text{ V}$

	BCP54-10	BCP54-16
55-10	55-16	
56-10	56-16	
$h_{FE}$	>	63
	<	160
		100
		250