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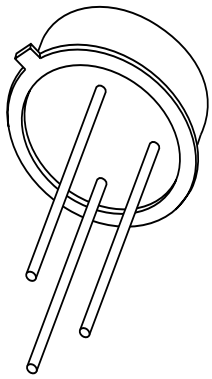

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PNP switching transistors

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FEATURES

- High current (max. 600 mA)
- Low voltage (max. 60 V).

APPLICATIONS

- High-speed switching
- Driver applications for industrial service.

DESCRIPTION

PNP switching transistor in a TO-18 metal package.
NPN complements: 2N2222 and 2N2222A.

PINNING

PIN	DESCRIPTION
1	emitter
2	base
3	collector, connected to case

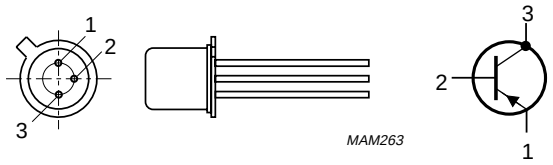

Fig.1 Simplified outline (TO-18) and symbol.

QUICK REFERENCE DATA

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN.	MAX.	UNIT
V_{CBO}	collector-base voltage	open emitter	–	–60	V
V_{CEO}	collector-emitter voltage	open base			
	2N2906		–	–40	V
	2N2906A		–	–60	V
I_C	collector current (DC)		–	–600	mA
P_{tot}	total power dissipation	$T_{amb} \leq 25$ °C	–	400	mW
h_{FE}	DC current gain	I_C = –150 mA; V_{CE} = –10 V	40	120	
f_T	transition frequency	I_C = –50 mA; V_{CE} = –20 V; f = 100 MHz	200	–	MHz
t_{off}	turn-off time	I_{Con} = –150 mA; I_{Bon} = –15 mA; I_{Boff} = 15 mA	–	300	ns

LIMITING VALUES

In accordance with the Absolute Maximum Rating System (IEC 134).

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V_{CEO}	collector-emitter voltage	open base			
	2N2906		–	–40	V
	2N2906A		–	–60	V
V_{EBO}	emitter-base voltage	open collector	–	–5	V
I_C	collector current (DC)		–	–600	mA
I_{CM}	peak collector current		–	–800	mA
I_{BM}	peak base current		–	–200	mA
P_{tot}	total power dissipation	$T_{amb} \leq 25$ °C	–	400	mW
		$T_{case} \leq 25$ °C	–	1.2	W
T_{stg}	storage temperature		–65	+150	°C
T_j	junction temperature		–	200	°C
T_{amb}	operating ambient temperature		–65	+150	°C

THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	VALUE	UNIT
$R_{th\ j\text{-}a}$	thermal resistance from junction to ambient	in free air	438	K/W
$R_{th\ j\text{-}c}$	thermal resistance from junction to case		146	K/W

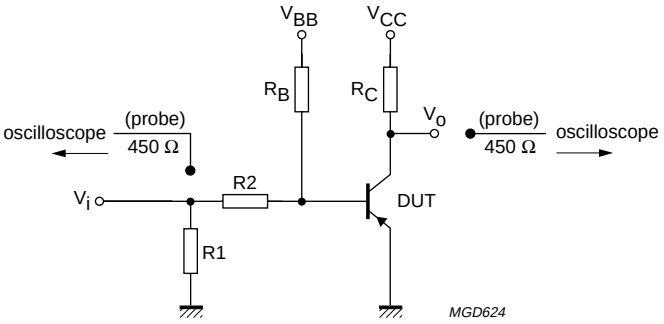
CHARACTERISTICS

T_{amb} = 25 °C unless otherwise specified

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN.	MAX.	UNIT
I_{CBO}	collector cut-off current				
	2N2906	I_E = 0; V_{CB} = –50 V	–	–20	nA
		I_E = 0; V_{CB} = –50 V; T_{amb} = 150 °C	–	–20	µA
I_{CBO}	collector cut-off current				
	2N2906A	I_E = 0; V_{CB} = –50 V	–	–10	nA
		I_E = 0; V_{CB} = –50 V; T_{amb} = 150 °C	–	–10	µA
I_{EBO}	emitter cut-off current	I_C = 0; V_{EB} = –5 V	–	–50	nA
h_{FE}	DC current gain	V_{CE} = –10 V			
	2N2906	I_C = –0.1 mA	20	–	
		I_C = –1 mA	25	–	
		I_C = –10 mA	35	–	
		I_C = –150 mA; note 1	40	120	
		I_C = –500 mA; note 1	20		
h_{FE}	DC current gain	V_{CE} = –10 V		–	
	2N2906A	I_C = –0.1 mA	40	–	
		I_C = –1 mA	40	–	
		I_C = –10 mA	40	–	
		I_C = –150 mA; note 1	40	120	
		I_C = –500 mA; note 1	40	–	
V_{CEsat}	collector-emitter saturation voltage	I_C = –150 mA; I_B = –15 mA; note 1		–400	mV
		I_C = –500 mA; I_B = –50 mA; note 1		–1.6	V
V_{BEsat}	base-emitter saturation voltage	I_C = –150 mA; I_B = –15 mA; note 1		–1.3	V
		I_C = –500 mA; I_B = –50 mA; note 1		–2.6	V
C_c	collector capacitance	I_E = i_e = 0; V_{CB} = –10 V; f = 1 MHz	–	8	pF
C_e	emitter capacitance	I_C = i_c = 0; V_{EB} = –2 V; f = 1 MHz	–	30	pF
f_T	transition frequency	I_C = –50 mA; V_{CE} = –20 V; f = 100 MHz; note 1	200	–	MHz
Switching times (between 10% and 90% levels); see Fig.2					
t_{on}	turn-on time	I_{Con} = –150 mA; I_{Bon} = –15 mA; I_{Boff} = 15 mA	–	45	ns
t_d	delay time		–	15	ns
t_r	rise time		–	35	ns
t_{off}	turn-off time		–	300	ns
t_s	storage time		–	250	ns
t_f	fall time		–	50	ns

Note

1. Pulse test: $t_p \leq 300$ µs; $\delta \leq 0.02$.

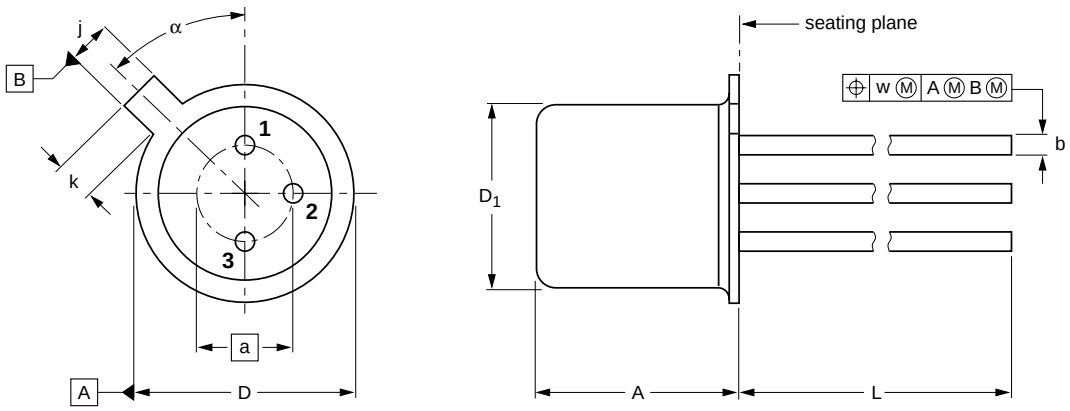


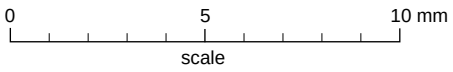
V_i = –9.5 V; T = 500 µs; t_p = 10 µs; $t_r = t_f \leq 3$ ns.
R1 = 68 Ω; R2 = 325 Ω; R_B = 325 Ω; R_C = 160 Ω.
V_{BB} = 3.5 V; V_{CC} = –29.5 V.
Oscilloscope input impedance Z_i = 50 Ω.

Fig.2 Test circuit for switching times.

PACKAGE OUTLINE

Metal-can cylindrical single-ended package; 3 leads **SOT18/13**





DIMENSIONS (millimetre dimensions are derived from the original inch dimensions)

UNIT	A	a	b	D	D_1	j	k	L	w	α
mm	5.31 4.74	2.54	0.47 0.41	5.45 5.30	4.70 4.55	1.03 0.94	1.1 0.9	15.0 12.7	0.40	45°

OUTLINE VERSION	REFERENCES				EUROPEAN PROJECTION	ISSUE DATE
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