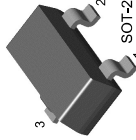


**Features**

- Switching and Amplifier Applications
- Suitable for automatic insertion in thick and thin-film circuits
- Low Noise: BC859, BC860
- Complement to BC846 ... BC850



1. Base 2. Emitter 3. Collector

**Absolute Maximum Ratings\***  $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$  unless otherwise noted

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Units
$V_{CB0}$	Collector-Base Voltage : BC856 : BC857/860 : BC859/859	-80 -50 -30	V V V
$V_{CEO}$	Collector-Emitter Voltage : BC856 : BC857/860 : BC859/859	-65 -45 -30	V V V
$V_{EBO}$	Emitter-Base Voltage	-5	V
$I_C$	Collector Current (DC)	-100	mA
$P_C$	Collector Power Dissipation	310	mW
$T_J$	Junction Temperature	150	$^\circ\text{C}$
$T_{STG}$	Storage Temperature	-65 ~ 150	$^\circ\text{C}$

\* These ratings are limiting values above which the serviceability of any semiconductor device may be impaired.

**Electrical Characteristics\***  $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$  unless otherwise noted

Symbol	Parameter	Test Condition	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Units
I <sub>CBO</sub>	Collector Cut-off Current	V <sub>CB</sub> = -30V, I <sub>E</sub> =0			-15	nA
h <sub>FE</sub>	DC Current Gain	V <sub>CE</sub> = -5V, I <sub>C</sub> = -2mA	110		800	
V <sub>CE</sub> (sat)	Collector-Emitter Saturation Voltage	I <sub>C</sub> = -10mA, I <sub>E</sub> = -0.5mA I <sub>C</sub> = -100mA, I <sub>E</sub> = -5mA		-80 -250	-300 -650	mV mV
V <sub>BE</sub> (sat)	Base-Emitter Saturation Voltage	I <sub>C</sub> = -10mA, I <sub>E</sub> = -0.5mA I <sub>C</sub> = -100mA, I <sub>E</sub> = -5mA		-700 -900		mV mV
V <sub>BE</sub> (on)	Base-Emitter On Voltage	V <sub>CE</sub> = -5V, I <sub>C</sub> = -2mA V <sub>CE</sub> = -5V, I <sub>C</sub> = -10mA	-600	-660	-750 -800	mV mV
f <sub>T</sub>	Current Gain Bandwidth Product	V <sub>CE</sub> = -5V, I <sub>C</sub> = -10mA f=100MHz		150		MHz
C <sub>ob</sub>	Output Capacitance	V <sub>CB</sub> = -10V, I <sub>E</sub> =0, f=1MHz			6	pF
NF	Noise Figure : BC856/857/858 : BC859/860	V <sub>CE</sub> = -5V, I <sub>C</sub> = -200μA R <sub>G</sub> =2KΩ, f=1KHz		2 1	10 4	dB dB
	: BC859 : BC860	V <sub>CE</sub> = -5V, I <sub>C</sub> = -200μA R <sub>G</sub> =2KΩ, f=30~15000Hz		1.2 1.2	4 2	dB dB

\* Pulse Test: Pulse Width=300 $\mu\text{s}$ , Duty Cycle=2%

**Typical Performance Characteristics**

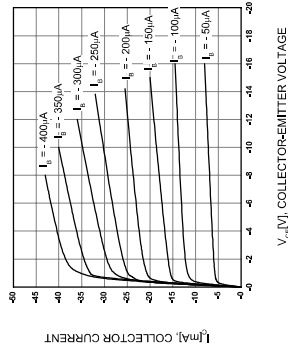


Figure 1. Static Characteristic

$V_{CE}$  [V], COLLECTOR-EMITTER VOLTAGE

$I_C$  [mA], COLLECTOR CURRENT

Figure 2. DC current Gain

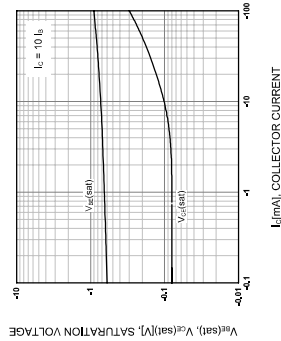


Figure 3. Base-Emitter Saturation Voltage  
Collector-Emitter Saturation Voltage

$I_C$  [mA], COLLECTOR CURRENT

$V_{BE}$  [V], BASE-EMITTER VOLTAGE

Figure 4. Base-Emitter On Voltage

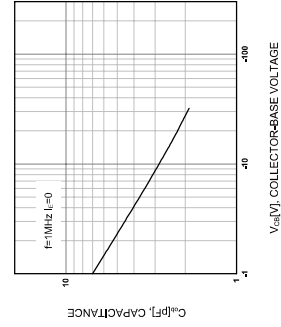


Figure 5. Collector Output Capacitance

$V_{CB}$  [V], COLLECTOR-BASE VOLTAGE

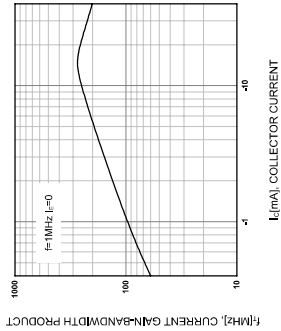


Figure 6. Current Gain Bandwidth Product

$I_C$  [mA], COLLECTOR CURRENT