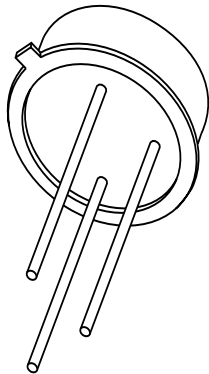


DATA SHEET



2N2369 NPN switching transistor

Product specification
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FEATURES

- Low current (max. 200 mA)
- Low voltage (max. 15 V).

APPLICATIONS

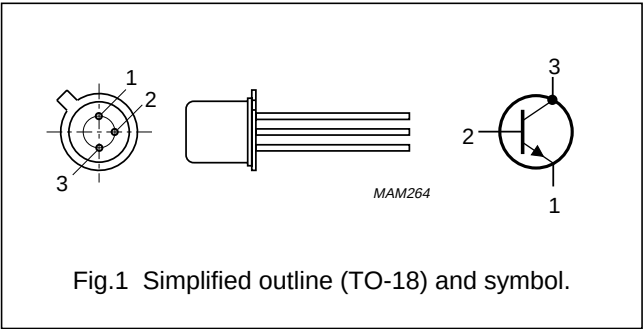
- High-speed switching
- VHF amplification.

DESCRIPTION

NPN switching transistor in a TO-18 metal package.

PINNING

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



QUICK REFERENCE DATA

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN.	MAX.	UNIT
V_{CBO}	collector-base voltage	open emitter	—	40	V
V_{CEO}	collector-emitter voltage	open base	—	15	V
I_C	collector current (DC)		—	200	mA
P_{tot}	total power dissipation	$T_{amb} \leq 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$	—	360	mW
h_{FE}	DC current gain	$I_C = 10\text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 1\text{ V}; T_j = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$	40	120	
f_T	transition frequency	$I_C = 10\text{ mA}; V_{CE} = 10\text{ V}; f = 100\text{ MHz}$	500	—	MHz
t_{off}	turn-off time	$I_{Con} = 10\text{ mA}; I_{Bon} = 3\text{ mA}; I_{Boff} = -1.5\text{ mA}$	—	30	ns

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LIMITING VALUES

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

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN.	MAX.	UNIT
V_{CBO}	collector-base voltage	open emitter	–	40	V
V_{CEO}	collector-emitter voltage	open base	–	15	V
V_{EBO}	emitter-base voltage	open collector	–	5	V
I_C	collector current (DC)		–	200	mA
I_{CM}	peak collector current	$t_p = 10 \text{ ms}$	–	300	mA
I_{BM}	peak base current		–	100	mA
P_{tot}	total power dissipation	$T_{amb} \leq 25 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	–	360	mW
T_{stg}	storage temperature		–65	+150	$^\circ\text{C}$
T_j	junction temperature		–	200	$^\circ\text{C}$
T_{amb}	operating ambient temperature		–65	+150	$^\circ\text{C}$

THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	VALUE	UNIT
$R_{th\ j-a}$	thermal resistance from junction to ambient	in free air	480	K/W
$R_{th\ j-c}$	thermal resistance from junction to case		145	K/W

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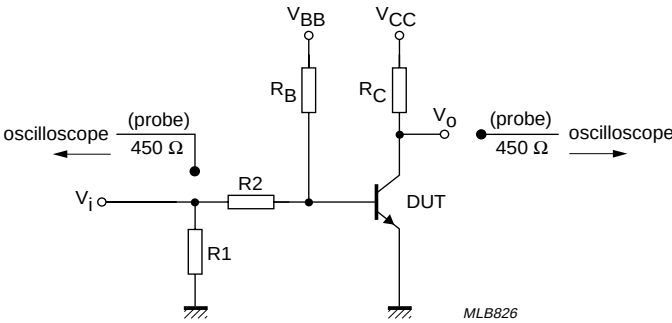
CHARACTERISTICS

T_j = 25 °C unless otherwise specified.

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN.	MAX.	UNIT
I _{CBO}	collector cut-off current	I _E = 0; V _{CB} = 20 V	–	400	nA
		I _E = 0; V _{CB} = 20 V; T _j = 125 °C	–	30	μA
I _{EBO}	emitter cut-off current	I _C = 0; V _{EB} = 4 V	–	100	nA
h _{FE}	DC current gain	I _C = 10 mA; V _{CE} = 1 V; note 1	40	120	
		I _C = 10 mA; V _{CE} = 1 V; T _j = –55 °C; note 1	20	–	
		I _C = 100 mA; V _{CE} = 2 V; note 1	20	–	
V _{CEsat}	collector-emitter saturation voltage	I _C = 10 mA; I _B = 1 mA	–	250	mV
V _{BEsat}	base-emitter saturation voltage	I _C = 10 mA; I _B = 1 mA	700	850	mV
C _c	collector capacitance	I _E = i _e = 0; V _{CB} = 5 V; f = 1 MHz	–	4	pF
f _T	transition frequency	I _C = 10 mA; V _{CE} = 10 V; f = 100 MHz	500	–	MHz
Switching times (between 10% and 90% levels); see Fig.2					
t _{on}	turn-on time	I _{Con} = 10 mA; I _{Bon} = 3 mA; I _{Boff} = –1.5 mA	–	10	ns
t _d	delay time		–	4	ns
t _r	rise time		–	6	ns
t _{off}	turn-off time		–	30	ns
t _s	storage time		–	15	ns
t _f	fall time		–	15	ns

Note

1. Pulse test: t_p ≤ 300 μs; δ ≤ 0.01.



V_i = 0.5 V to 4.2 V; T = 500 μs; t_p = 10 μs; t_r = t_f ≤ 3 ns.
R1 = 56 Ω; R2 = 1 kΩ; R_B = 1 kΩ; R_C = 270 Ω.
V_{BB} = 0.2 V; V_{CC} = 2.7 V.
Oscilloscope input impedance Z_i = 50 Ω.

Fig.2 Test circuit for switching times.

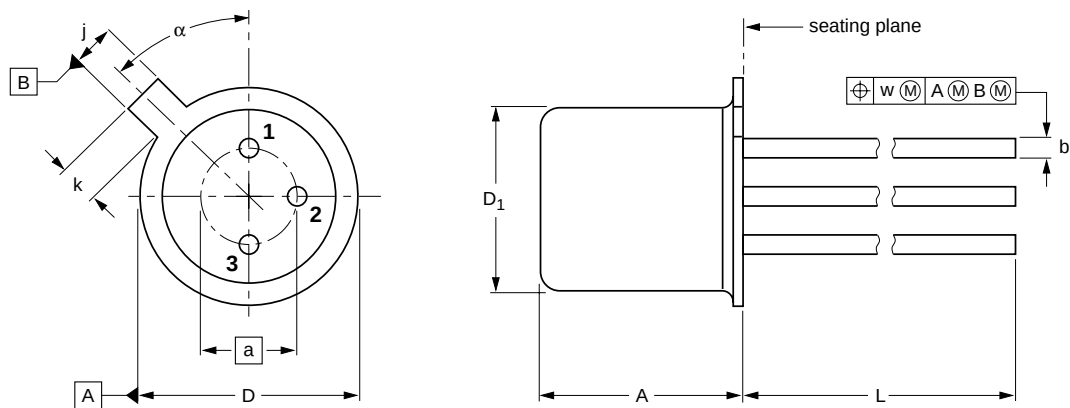
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PACKAGE OUTLINE

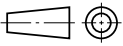
Metal-can cylindrical single-ended package; 3 leads

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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
	IEC	JEDEC	EIAJ			
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