

Low voltage fast-switching NPN power transistor

General features

- Very low collector-emitter saturation voltage
- High current gain characteristic
- Fast switching speed
- Miniature SOT-23 plastic package for surface mounting circuits
- In compliance with the 2002/93/EC European Directive

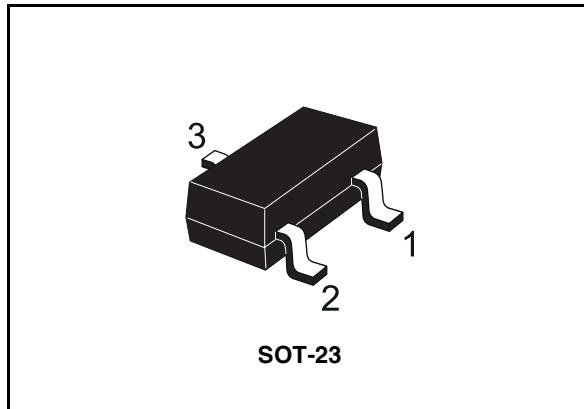
Description

The device is a NPN transistor manufactured using new "PB-HCD" (Power Bipolar High Current Density) technology. The resulting transistor shows exceptional high gain performances coupled with very low saturation voltage.

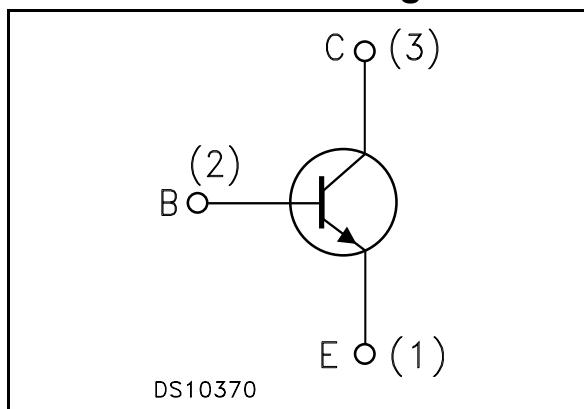
The complementary PNP is the 2STR2230.

Applications

- LED
- Motherboard & hard disk drive
- Mobile equipment
- Battery charger
- Voltage regulation



Internal schematic diagram



Order codes

Part Number	Marking	Package	Packing
2STR1230	130	SOT-23	Tape & reel

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1 Electrical ratings

Table 1. Absolute maximum rating

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Unit
V_{CES}	Collector-emitter voltage ($V_{CE} = 0$)	30	V
V_{CEO}	Collector-emitter voltage ($I_B = 0$)	30	V
V_{EBO}	Emitter-base voltage ($I_C = 0$)	5	V
I_C	Collector current	1.5	A
I_{CM}	Collector peak current ($t_P < 5\text{ms}$)	3	A
P_{tot}	Total dissipation at $T_{amb} = 25^\circ\text{C}$	0.5	W
T_{stg}	Storage temperature	-65 to 150	$^\circ\text{C}$
T_J	Max. operating junction temperature	150	$^\circ\text{C}$

Table 2. Thermal data

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Unit
$R_{thj-amb}^{(1)}$	Thermal resistance junction-amb max	250	$^\circ\text{C}/\text{W}$

(1) Device mounted on PCB area of 1cm^2

2 Electrical characteristics

($T_{case} = 25^\circ\text{C}$ unless otherwise specified)

Table 3. Electrical characteristics

Symbol	Parameter	Test Conditions	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
I_{CBO}	Collector cut-off current ($I_E = 0$)	$V_{CB} = 30\text{V}$			0.1	μA
I_{EBO}	Emitter cut-off current ($I_C = 0$)	$V_{EB} = 4\text{V}$			0.1	μA
$V_{(BR)CBO}$	Collector-emitter breakdown voltage ($I_E = 0$)	$I_C = 100\mu\text{A}$	30			V
$V_{(BR)CEO}^{(2)}$	Collector-emitter breakdown voltage ($I_B = 0$)	$I_C = 10\text{mA}$	30			V
$V_{(BR)EBO}$	Emitter-base breakdown voltage ($I_C = 0$)	$I_E = 100\mu\text{A}$	5			V
$V_{CE(sat)}^{(2)}$	Collector-emitter saturation voltage	$I_C = 0.1\text{A}$ $I_B = 1\text{mA}$			0.15	V
		$I_C = 1\text{A}$ $I_B = 100\text{mA}$		0.25	0.5	V
		$I_C = 2\text{A}$ $I_B = 200\text{mA}$		0.4	0.85	V
$V_{BE(sat)}^{(2)}$	Base-emitter saturation voltage	$I_C = 1\text{A}$ $I_B = 100\text{mA}$		0.9	1.25	V
$h_{FE}^{(2)}$	DC current gain	$I_C = 50\text{mA}$ $V_{CE} = 2\text{V}$	210			
		$I_C = 0.5\text{A}$ $V_{CE} = 2\text{V}$	180	280	560	
		$I_C = 1\text{A}$ $V_{CE} = 2\text{V}$	130			
		$I_C = 2\text{A}$ $V_{CE} = 2\text{V}$	80			
C_{CBO}	Collector-base capacitance	$I_E = 0$ $V_{CB} = 10\text{V}$ $f = 1\text{MHz}$		3		pF
t_{on} t_{off}	Resistive load Turn-on time Turn-off time	$I_C = 1.5\text{A}$ $V_{CC} = 10\text{V}$		70		ns
		$I_{B1} = -I_{B2} = 150\text{mA}$		380		ns

Note (2) Pulsed duration = 300 μs , duty cycle $\leq 1.5\%$

2.1 Electrical characteristics (curves)

Figure 1. DC current gain

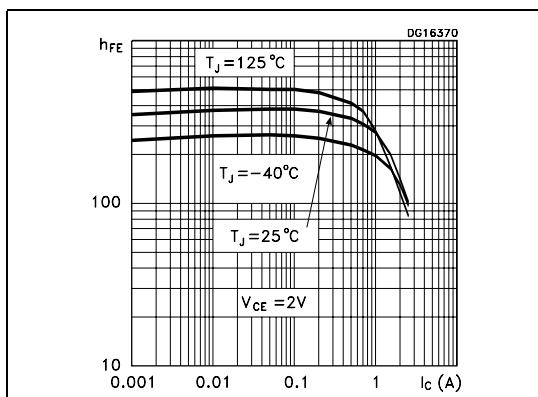


Figure 2. Collector-emitter saturation voltage

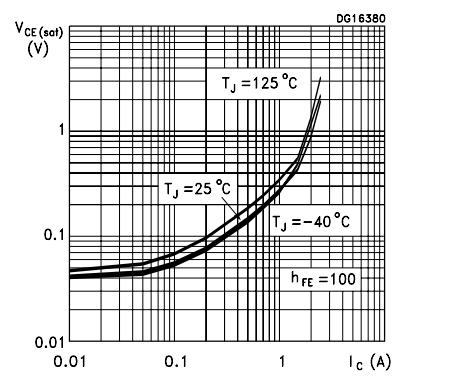


Figure 3. Base-emitter saturation voltage

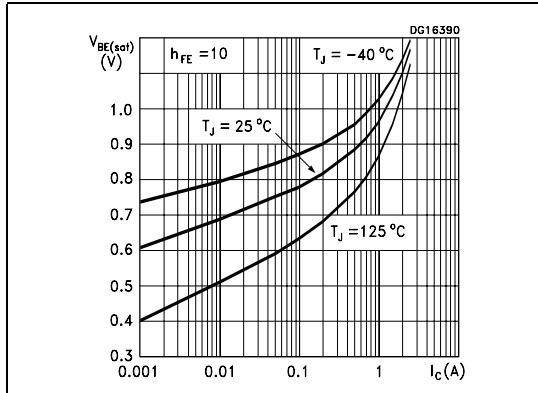


Figure 4. Resistive load switching time

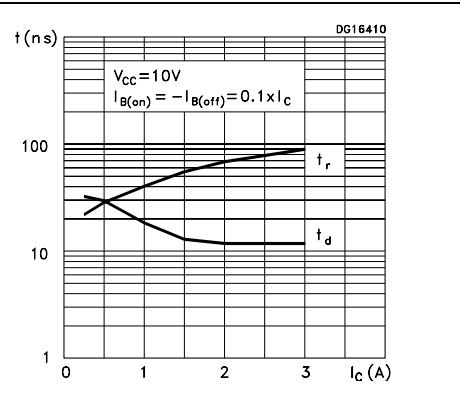


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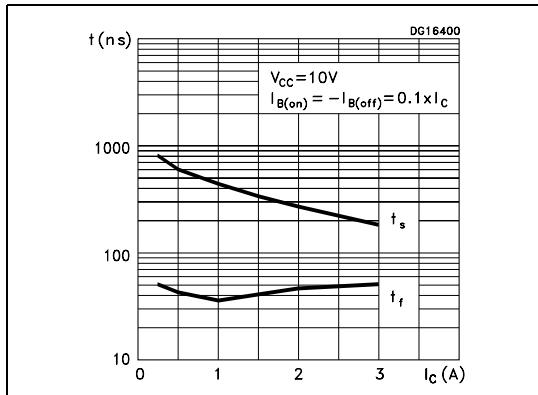
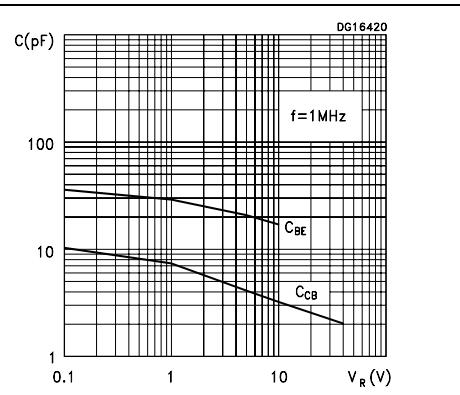
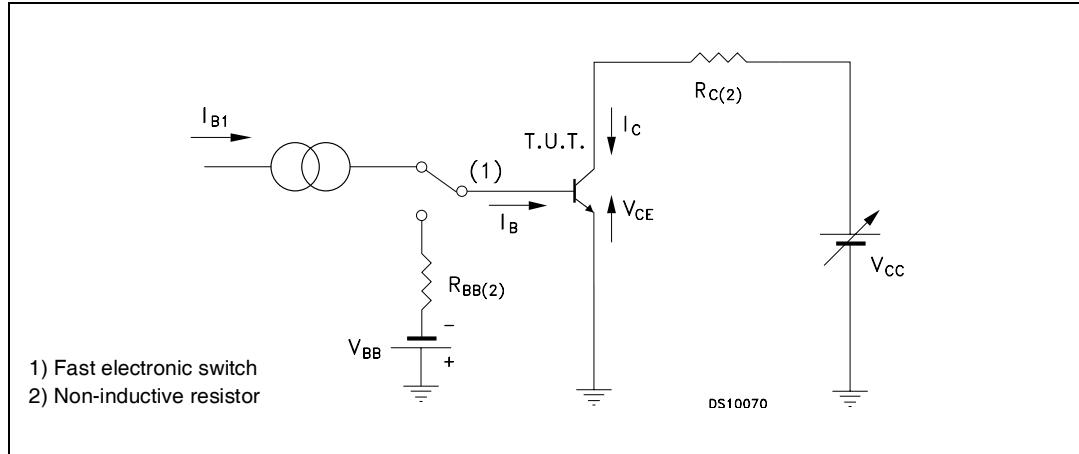


Figure 6. Capacitance



2.2 Test circuits

Figure 7. Resistive load switching test circuit

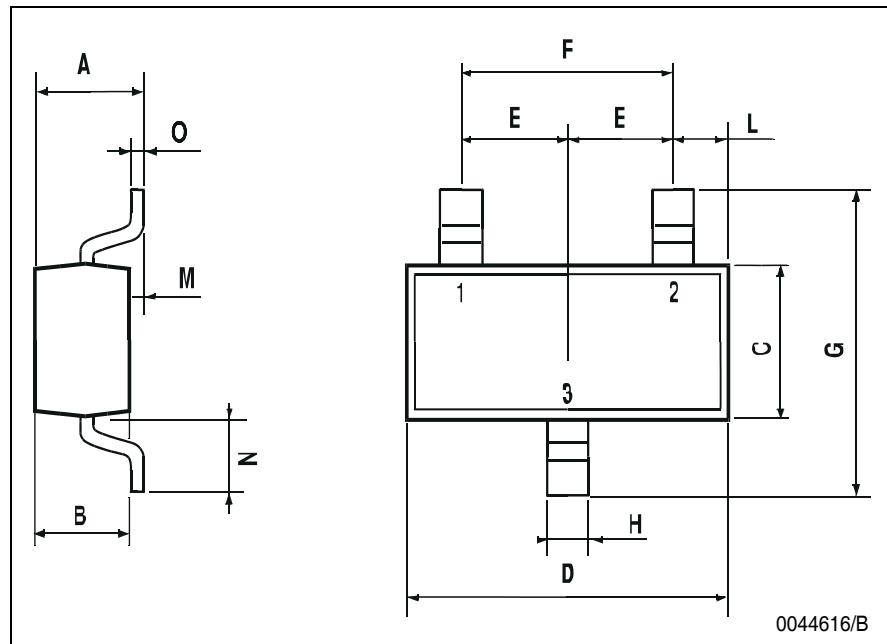


3 Package mechanical data

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SOT-23 MECHANICAL DATA

DIM.	mm			mils		
	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.
A	0.85		1.1	33.4		43.3
B	0.65		0.95	25.6		37.4
C	1.20		1.4	47.2		55.1
D	2.80		3	110.2		118
E	0.95		1.05	37.4		41.3
F	1.9		2.05	74.8		80.7
G	2.1		2.5	82.6		98.4
H	0.38		0.48	14.9		18.8
L	0.3		0.6	11.8		23.6
M	0		0.1	0		3.9
N	0.3		0.65	11.8		25.6
O	0.09		0.17	3.5		6.7



4 Revision history

Table 4. Revision history

Date	Revision	Changes
18-Jul-2006	1	Initial release
24-Oct-2006	2	New graphics

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