2N3905/2N3906 General-Purpose *pnp* Transistors*

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CASE 29-02, STYLE 1
TO-92 (TO-226AA)

GENERAL PURPOSE TRANSISTOR

PNP SILICON

MAXIMUM RATINGS

Rating	Symbol	Value	Unit
Collector-Emitter Voltage	V_{CEO}	40	Vdc
Collector-Base Voltage	V_{CBO}	40	Vdc
Emitter-Base Voltage	V_{EBO}	5.0	Vdc
Collector Current — Continuous	I_C	200	mAdc
Total Device Dissipation @ T_A = 25°C Derate above 25°C	P_D	625 5.0	mW mW/°C
Total Power Dissipation @ T_A = 60°C	P_D	250	mW
Total Device Dissipation @ T_C = 25°C Derate above 25°C	P_D	1.5 12	Watts mW/°C
Operating and Storage Junction Temperature Range	T_J, T_{stg}	−55 to +150	°C

***THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS**

Characteristic	Symbol	Max	Unit
Thermal Resistance, Junction to Case	$R_{\theta JC}$	83.3	°C/W
Thermal Resistance, Junction to Ambient	$R_{\theta JA}$	200	°C/W

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (T_A = 25°C unless otherwise noted.)

Characteristic		Symbol	Min	Max	Unit
OFF CHARACTERISTICS					
Collector-Emitter Breakdown Voltage(1) (I_C = 1.0 mAdc, I_B = 0)		$V_{(BR)CEO}$	40	—	Vdc
Collector-Base Breakdown Voltage (I_C = 10 μAdc, I_E = 0)		$V_{(BR)CBO}$	40	—	Vdc
Emitter-Base Breakdown Voltage (I_E = 10 μAdc, I_C = 0)		$V_{(BR)EBO}$	5.0	—	Vdc
Base Cutoff Current (V_{CE} = 30 Vdc, V_{BE} = 3.0 Vdc)		I_{BL}	—	50	nAdc
Collector Cutoff Current (V_{CE} = 30 Vdc, V_{BE} = 3.0 Vdc)		I_{CEX}	—	50	nAdc
ON CHARACTERISTICS(1)					
DC Current Gain (I_C = 0.1 mAdc, V_{CE} = 1.0 Vdc)	2N3905 2N3906	h_{FE}	30 60	— —	—
(I_C = 1.0 mAdc, V_{CE} = 1.0 Vdc)	2N3905 2N3906		40 80	— —	
(I_C = 10 mAdc, V_{CE} = 1.0 Vdc)	2N3905 2N3906		50 100	150 300	
(I_C = 50 mAdc, V_{CE} = 1.0 Vdc)	2N3905 2N3906		30 60	— —	
(I_C = 100 mAdc, V_{CE} = 1.0 Vdc)	2N3905 2N3906		15 30	— —	
Collector-Emitter Saturation Voltage (I_C = 10 mAdc, I_B = 1.0 mAdc) (I_C = 50 mAdc, I_B = 5.0 mAdc)		$V_{CE(sat)}$	— —	0.25 0.4	Vdc
Base-Emitter Saturation Voltage (I_C = 10 mAdc, I_B = 1.0 mAdc) (I_C = 50 mAdc, I_B = 5.0 mAdc)		$V_{BE(sat)}$	0.65 —	0.85 0.95	Vdc
SMALL-SIGNAL CHARACTERISTICS					
Current-Gain — Bandwidth Product (I_C = 10 mAdc, V_{CE} = 20 Vdc, f = 100 MHz)	2N3905 2N3906	f_T	200 250	— —	MHz
Output Capacitance (V_{CB} = 5.0 Vdc, I_E = 0, f = 100 kHz)		C_{obo}	—	4.5	pF

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ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (continued) (T_A = 25°C unless otherwise noted.)

Characteristic		Symbol	Min	Max	Unit
Input Capacitance (V_{BE} = 0.5 Vdc, I_C = 0, f = 100 kHz)		C_{ibo}	—	10.0	pF
Input Impedance (I_C = 1.0 mAdc, V_{CE} = 10 Vdc, f = 1.0 kHz)	2N3905 2N3906	h_{ie}	0.5 2.0	8.0 12	k ohms
Voltage Feedback Ratio (I_C = 1.0 mAdc, V_{CE} = 10 Vdc, f = 1.0 kHz)	2N3905 2N3906	h_{re}	0.1 0.1	5.0 10	X 10^{-4}
Small-Signal Current Gain (I_C = 1.0 mAdc, V_{CE} = 10 Vdc, f = 1.0 kHz)	2N3905 2N3906	h_{fe}	50 100	200 400	—
Output Admittance (I_C = 1.0 mAdc, V_{CE} = 10 Vdc, f = 1.0 kHz)	2N3905 2N3906	h_{oe}	1.0 3.0	40 60	μmhos
Noise Figure (I_C = 100 μAdc, V_{CE} = 5.0 Vdc, R_S = 1.0 k ohm, f = 10 Hz to 15.7 kHz)	2N3905 2N3906	NF	— —	5.0 4.0	dB

SWITCHING CHARACTERISTICS

Delay Time	(V_{CC} = 3.0 Vdc, V_{BE} = 0.5 Vdc I_C = 10 mAdc, I_{B1} = 1.0 mAdc)		t_d	—	35	ns
Rise Time			t_r	—	35	ns
Storage Time	(V_{CC} = 3.0 Vdc, I_C = 10 mAdc, I_{B1} = I_{B2} = 1.0 mAdc)	2N3905 2N3906	t_s	— —	200 225	ns
Fall Time		2N3905 2N3906	t_f	— —	60 75	ns

(1) Pulse Width ≤ 300 μs, Duty Cycle ≤ 2.0%.

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