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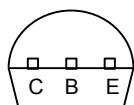
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**BC546,B  
BC547,A,B,C  
BC548,A,B,C**

## Features

- Through Hole Package
- 150°C Junction Temperature

Pin Configuration  
Bottom View



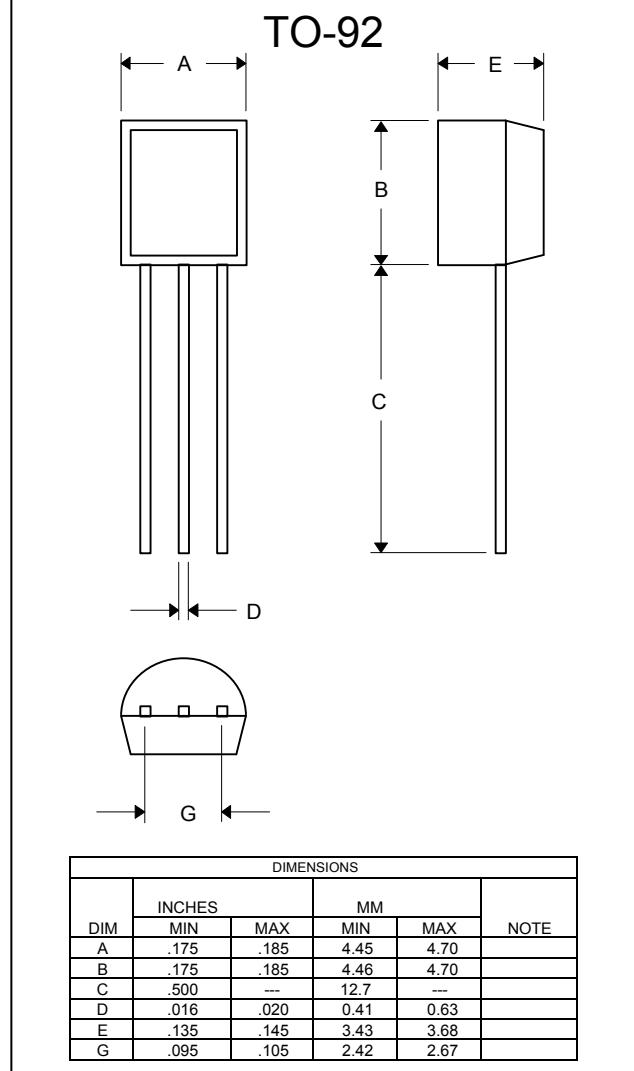
## Mechanical Data

- Case: TO-92, Molded Plastic
- Polarity: indicated as above.

Maximum Ratings @ 25°C Unless Otherwise Specified

Characteristic	Symbol	Value	Unit
Collector-Emitter Voltage	$V_{CEO}$	65	
		45	V
		30	
Collector-Base Voltage	$V_{CBO}$	80	
		50	V
		30	
Emitter-Base Voltage	$V_{EBO}$	6.0	V
Collector Current(DC)	$I_C$	100	mA
Power Dissipation@ $T_A=25^\circ\text{C}$	$P_d$	625 5.0	mW $\text{mW}/^\circ\text{C}$
Power Dissipation@ $T_C=25^\circ\text{C}$	$P_d$	1.5 12	W $\text{mW}/^\circ\text{C}$
Thermal Resistance, Junction to Ambient Air	$R_{\theta JA}$	200	$^\circ\text{C}/\text{W}$
Thermal Resistance, Junction to Case	$R_{\theta JC}$	83.3	$^\circ\text{C}/\text{W}$
Operating & Storage Temperature	$T_i, T_{STG}$	-55~150	$^\circ\text{C}$

**NPN Silicon  
Amplifier Transistor  
625mW**



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## ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS ( $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ unless otherwise noted)

Characteristic	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
<b>OFF CHARACTERISTICS</b>					
Collector-Emitter Breakdown Voltage ( $I_C = 1.0 \text{ mA}, I_B = 0$ )	$V_{(\text{BR})\text{CEO}}$	65	—	—	V
BC546		45	—	—	
BC547		30	—	—	
BC548		—	—	—	
Collector-Base Breakdown Voltage ( $I_C = 100 \mu\text{A}$ )	$V_{(\text{BR})\text{CBO}}$	80	—	—	V
BC546		50	—	—	
BC547		30	—	—	
BC548		—	—	—	
Emitter-Base Breakdown Voltage ( $I_E = 10 \mu\text{A}, I_C = 0$ )	$V_{(\text{BR})\text{EBO}}$	6.0	—	—	V
BC546		6.0	—	—	
BC547		6.0	—	—	
BC548		6.0	—	—	

## ON CHARACTERISTICS

DC Current Gain ( $I_C = 10 \mu\text{A}, V_{CE} = 5.0 \text{ V}$ )	$h_{FE}$	—	90	—	—
BC547A/548A		—	150	—	
BC546B/547B/548B		—	270	—	
BC548C		—	—	—	
( $I_C = 2.0 \text{ mA}, V_{CE} = 5.0 \text{ V}$ )					
BC546		110	—	450	
BC547		110	—	800	
BC548		110	—	800	
BC547A/548A		110	180	220	
BC546B/547B/548B		200	290	450	
BC547C/BC548C		420	520	800	
( $I_C = 100 \text{ mA}, V_{CE} = 5.0 \text{ V}$ )					
BC547A/548A		—	120	—	
BC546B/547B/548B		—	180	—	
BC548C		—	300	—	
Collector-Emitter Saturation Voltage ( $I_C = 100 \text{ mA}, I_B = 5.0 \text{ mA}$ )	$V_{CE(\text{sat})}$	—	---	0.3	V
Base-Emitter Saturation Voltage ( $I_C = 100 \text{ mA}, I_B = 5.0 \text{ mA}$ )	$V_{BE(\text{sat})}$	—	—	1.0	V
Base-Emitter On Voltage ( $I_C = 2.0 \text{ mA}, V_{CE} = 5.0 \text{ V}$ ) ( $I_C = 10 \text{ mA}, V_{CE} = 5.0 \text{ V}$ )	$V_{BE(\text{on})}$	0.55	—	0.7	V
		—	—	0.77	

## SMALL-SIGNAL CHARACTERISTICS

Current-Gain — Bandwidth Product ( $I_C = 10 \text{ mA}, V_{CE} = 5.0 \text{ V}, f = 100 \text{ MHz}$ )	$f_T$	150 150 150	300 300 300	— — —	MHz
BC546		—	—	—	
BC547		—	—	—	
BC548		—	—	—	
Output Capacitance ( $V_{CB} = 10 \text{ V}, I_C = 0, f = 1.0 \text{ MHz}$ )	$C_{obo}$	—	1.7	4.5	pF
Input Capacitance ( $V_{EB} = 0.5 \text{ V}, I_C = 0, f = 1.0 \text{ MHz}$ )	$C_{ibo}$	—	10	—	pF
Small-Signal Current Gain ( $I_C = 2.0 \text{ mA}, V_{CE} = 5.0 \text{ V}, f = 1.0 \text{ kHz}$ )	$h_{fe}$	125 125 125 240 450	— — 220 330 600	500 900 260 500 900	—
BC546		—	—	—	
BC547/548		—	—	—	
BC547A/548A		—	—	—	
BC546B/547B/548B		—	—	—	
BC547C/548C		—	—	—	
Noise Figure ( $I_C = 0.2 \text{ mA}, V_{CE} = 5.0 \text{ V}, R_S = 2 \text{ k}\Omega, f = 1.0 \text{ kHz}, \Delta f = 200 \text{ Hz}$ )	NF	— — —	2.0 2.0 2.0	10 10 10	dB
BC546		—	—	—	
BC547		—	—	—	
BC548		—	—	—	

## BC546 thru BC548C

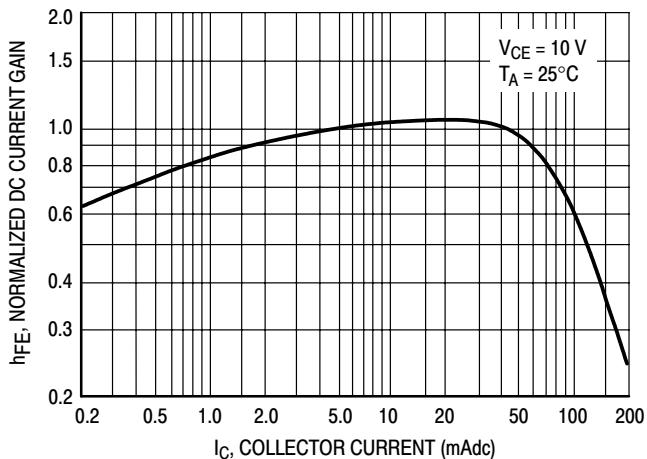


Figure 1. Normalized DC Current Gain

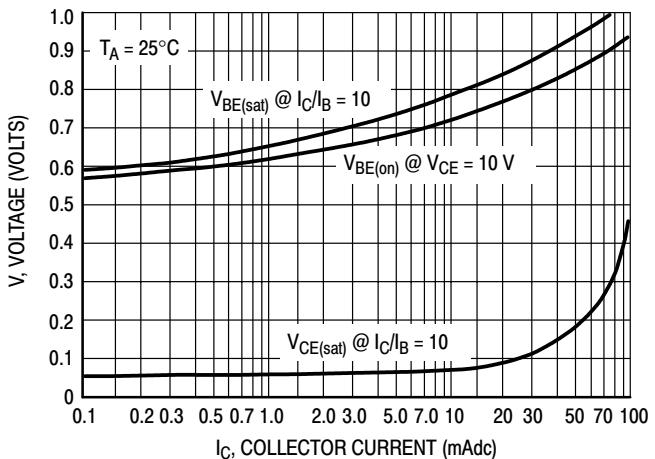


Figure 2. "Saturation" and "On" Voltages

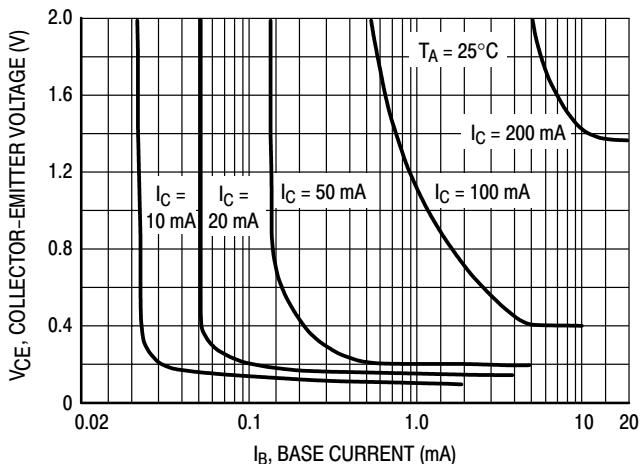


Figure 3. Collector Saturation Region

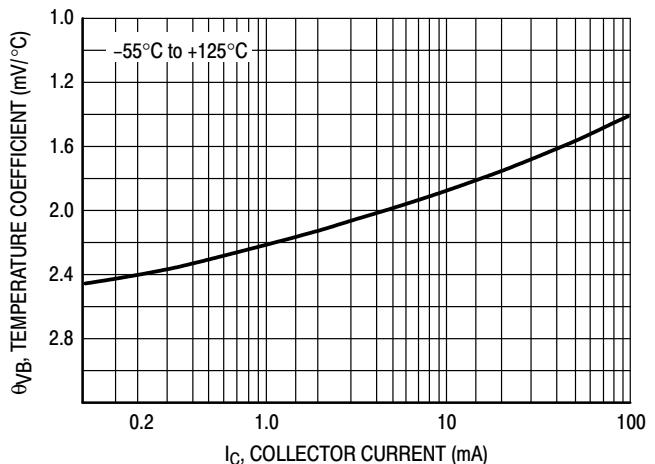


Figure 4. Base-Emitter Temperature Coefficient

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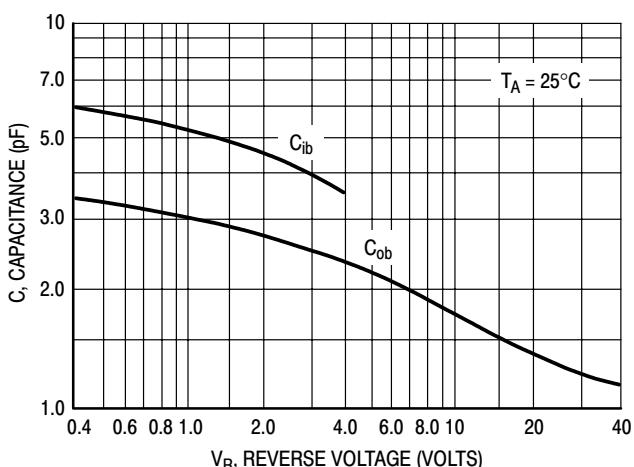


Figure 5. Capacitances

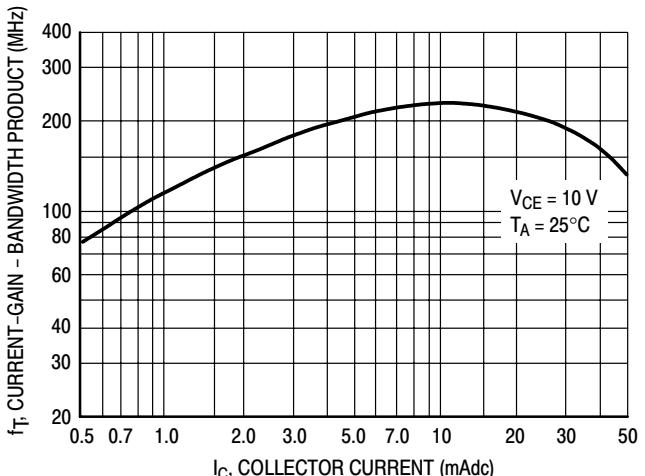


Figure 6. Current-Gain – Bandwidth Product

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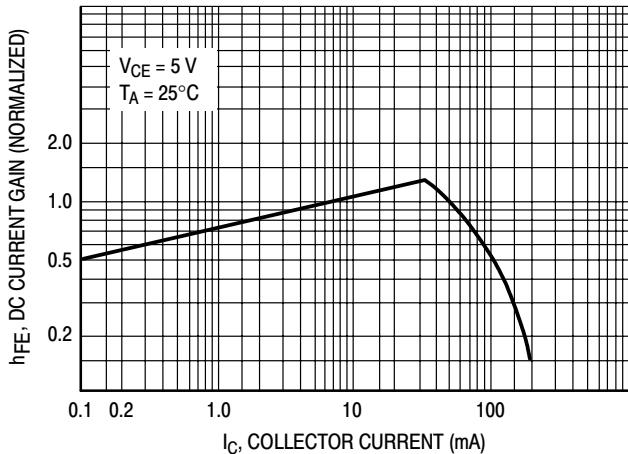


Figure 7. DC Current Gain

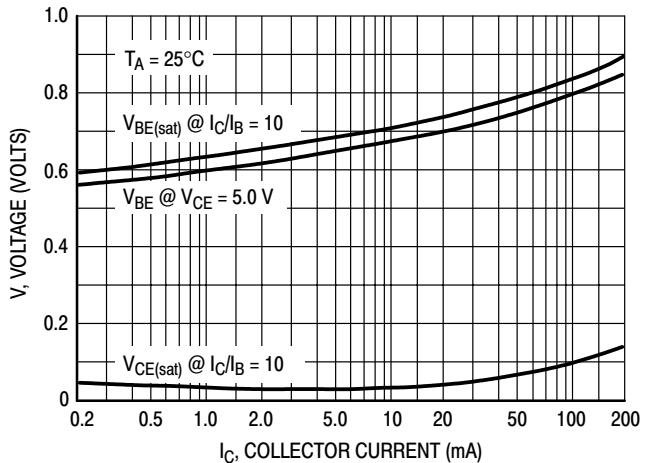


Figure 8. "On" Voltage

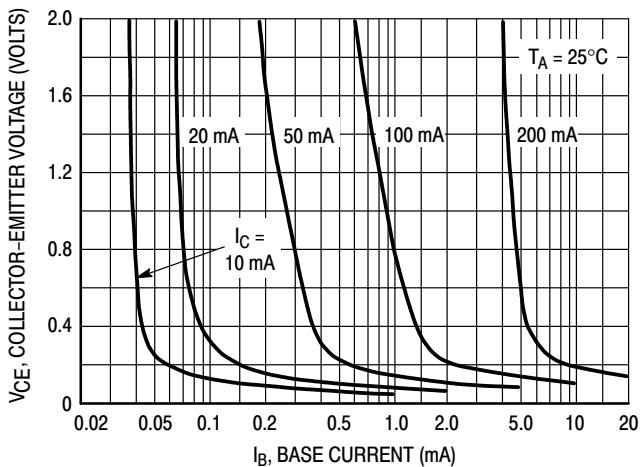


Figure 9. Collector Saturation Region

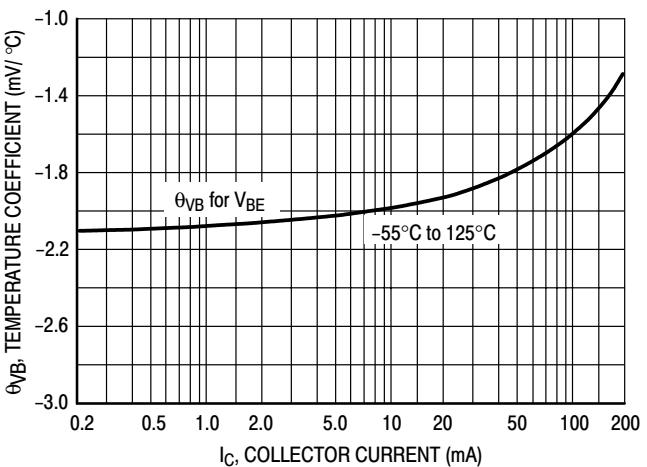


Figure 10. Base-Emitter Temperature Coefficient

## BC546

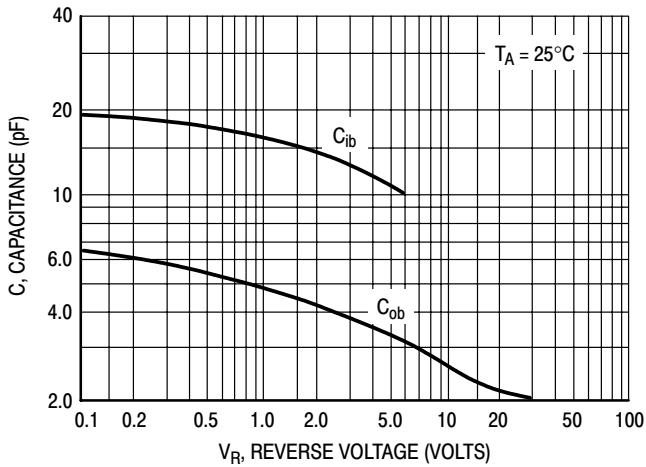


Figure 11. Capacitance

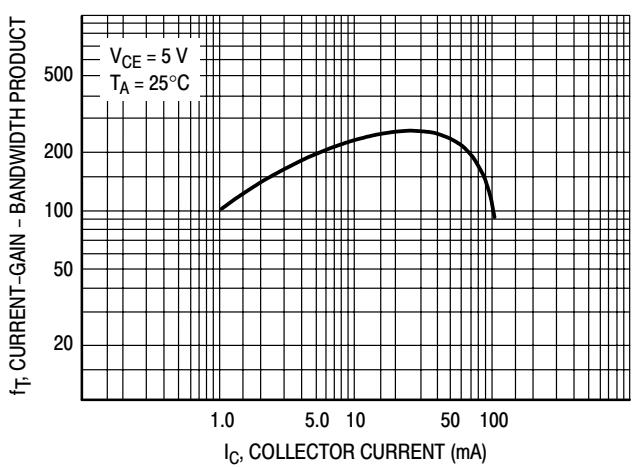


Figure 12. Current-Gain – Bandwidth Product