TIP122FP
TIP127FP

Complementary power Darlington transistors

Features

- Low collector-emitter saturation voltage
- Complementary NPN - PNP transistors
- TO-220FP isolated package UL compliant

Application

- General purpose linear and switching

Description

The devices are manufactured in planar technology with “base island” layout and monolithic Darlington configuration. The resulting transistors show exceptional high gain performance coupled with very low saturation voltage.

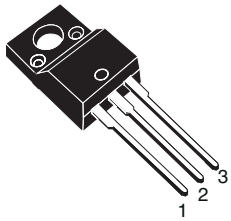

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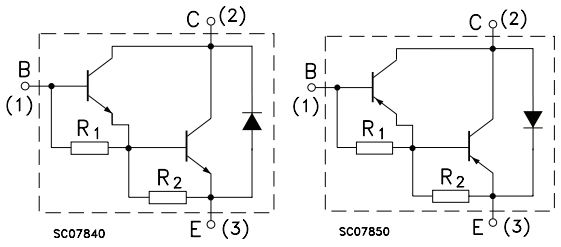
Figure 1. Internal schematic diagrams



NPN: R_1 = 7 kΩ R_2 = 70 Ω **PNP: R_1 = 16 kΩ R_2 = 60 Ω**

Table 1. Device summary

Order codes	Marking	Polarity	Package	Packaging
TIP122FP	TIP122FP	NPN	TO-220FP	Tube
TIP127FP	TIP127FP	PNP		

1 Electrical ratings

Table 2. Absolute maximum ratings

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Unit
V_{CBO}	Collector-base voltage (I_E = 0)	100	V
V_{CEO}	Collector-emitter voltage (I_B = 0)	100	V
V_{EBO}	Emitter-base voltage (I_C = 0)	5	V
I_C	Collector current	5	A
I_{CM}	Collector peak current	8	A
I_B	Base current	0.12	A
P_{TOT}	Total dissipation at $T_c \leq 25$ °C $T_{amb} \leq 25$ °C	30 2	W
T_{STG}	Storage temperature	-65 to 150	°C
T_J	Max. operating junction temperature	150	

Note: For PNP types voltage and current values are negative.

Table 3. Thermal data

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Unit
R_{thJC}	Thermal resistance junction-case max.	4.2	°C/W
R_{thJA}	Thermal resistance junction-ambient max.	62.5	

2 Electrical characteristics

T_{case} = 25 °C unless otherwise specified.

Table 4. Electrical characteristics

Symbol	Parameter	Test conditions	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
I_{CEO}	Collector cut-off current (I_B = 0)	V_{CE} = 50 V			0.5	mA
I_{CBO}	Collector cut-off current (I_B = 0)	V_{CE} = 100 V			0.2	mA
I_{EBO}	Emitter cut-off current (I_C = 0)	V_{EB} = 5 V			2	mA
$V_{CEO(sus)}$(1)	Collector-emitter sustaining voltage (I_B = 0)	I_C = 30 mA	100			V
$V_{CE(sat)}$(1)	Collector-emitter saturation voltage	I_C = 3 A I_B = 12 mA I_C = 5 A I_B = 20 mA			2 4	V V
$V_{BE(on)}$(1)	Base-emitter on voltage	I_C = 3 A V_{CE} = 3 V			2.5	V
h_{FE}(1)	DC current gain	I_C = 0.5 A V_{CE} = 3 V I_C = 3 A V_{CE} = 3 V	1000 1000			

1. Pulse test: pulse duration ≤ 300 µs, duty cycle ≤ 2 %.

Note: For PNP types voltage and current values are negative.

2.1 Electrical characteristics (curves)

Figure 2. Safe operating area

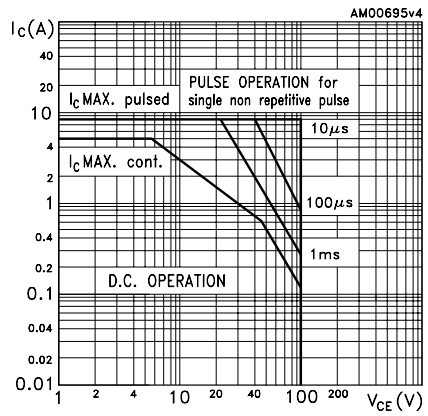


Figure 3. Derating curve

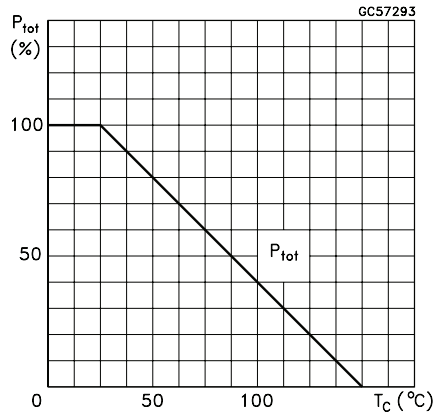
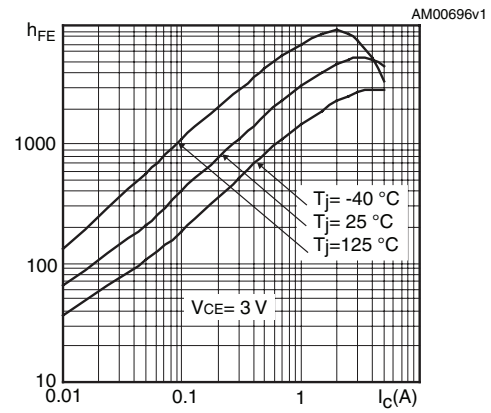


Figure 4. DC current gain for NPN type



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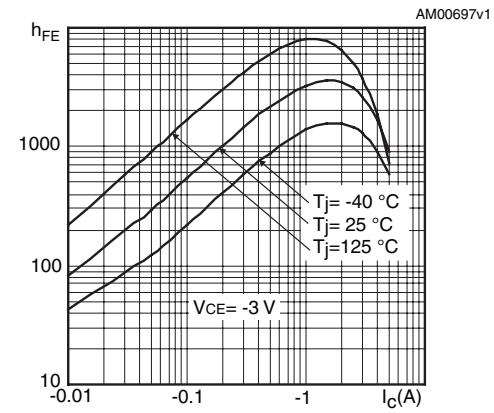
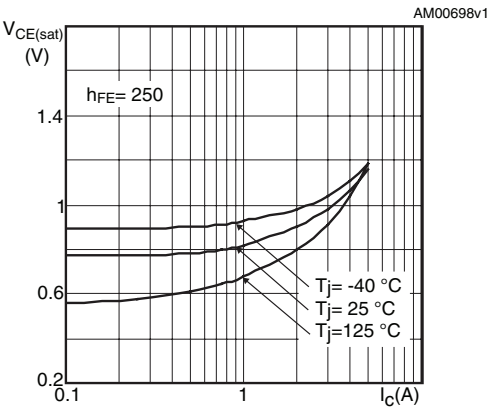


Figure 6. Collector-emitter saturation voltage for NPN type



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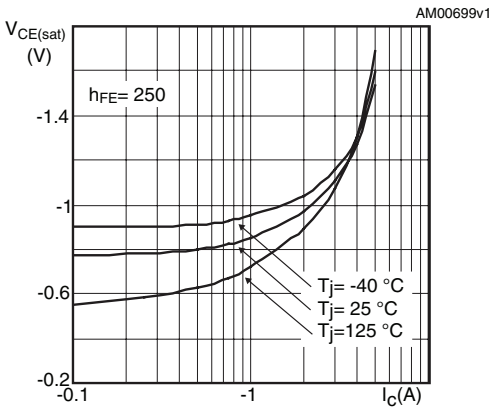
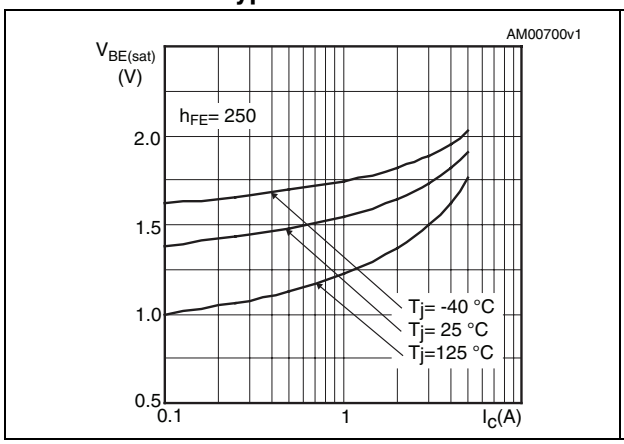


Figure 8. Base-emitter saturation voltage for NPN type



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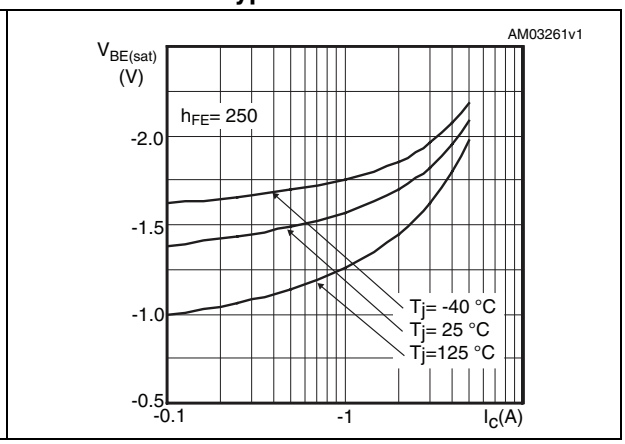

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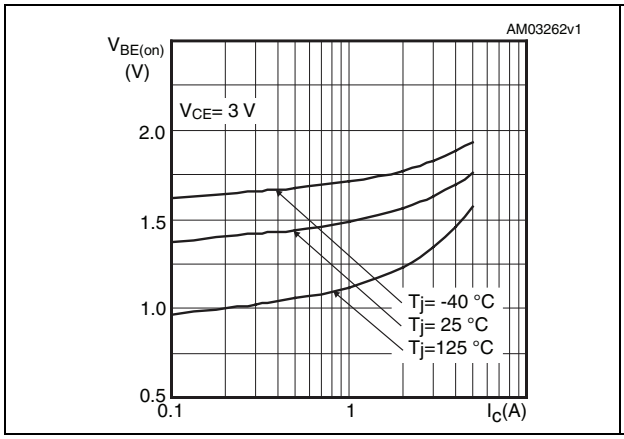

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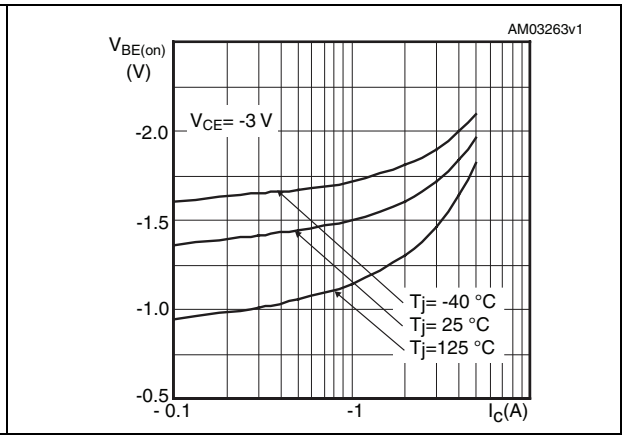
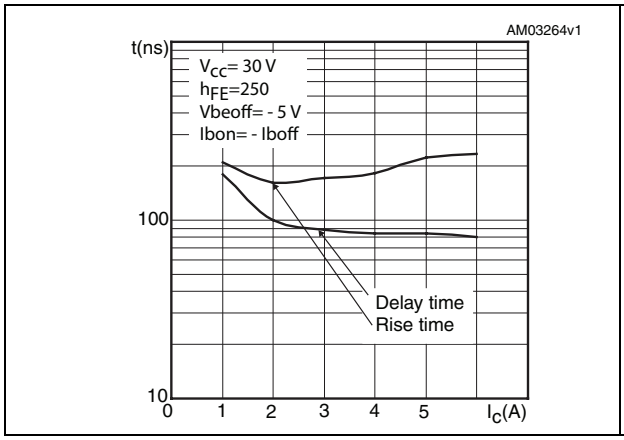


Figure 12. Switching time on resistive load for NPN type (on)



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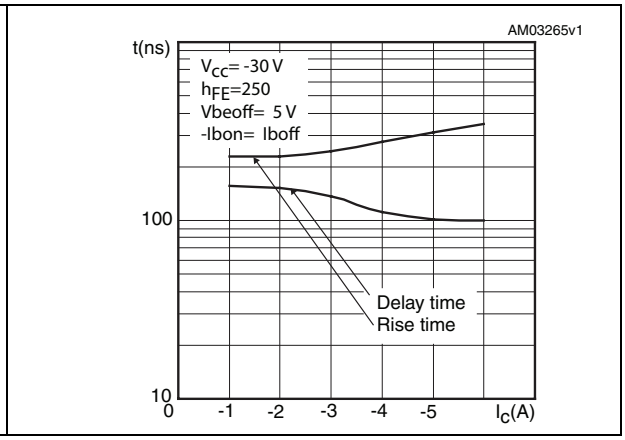

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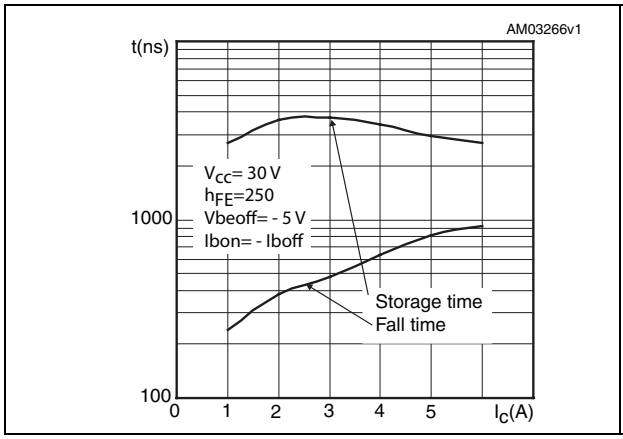

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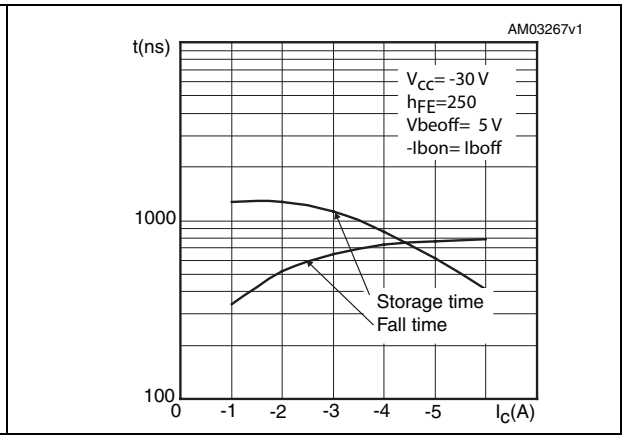
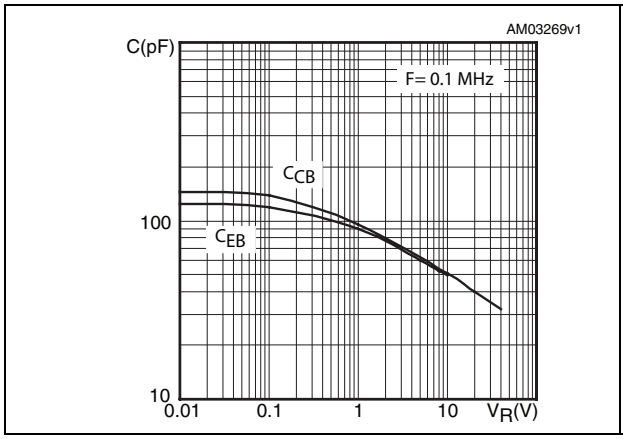


Figure 16. Capacitances for NPN type



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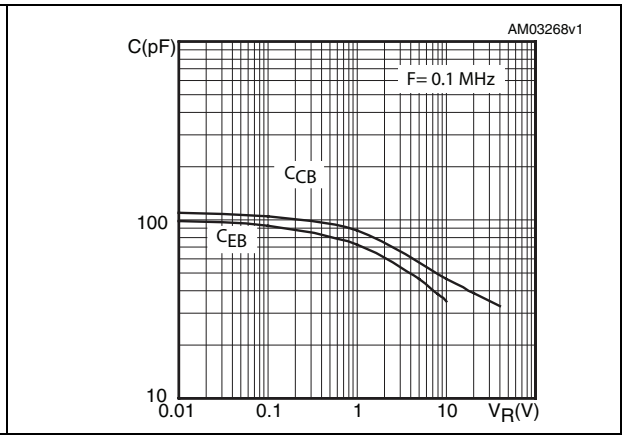
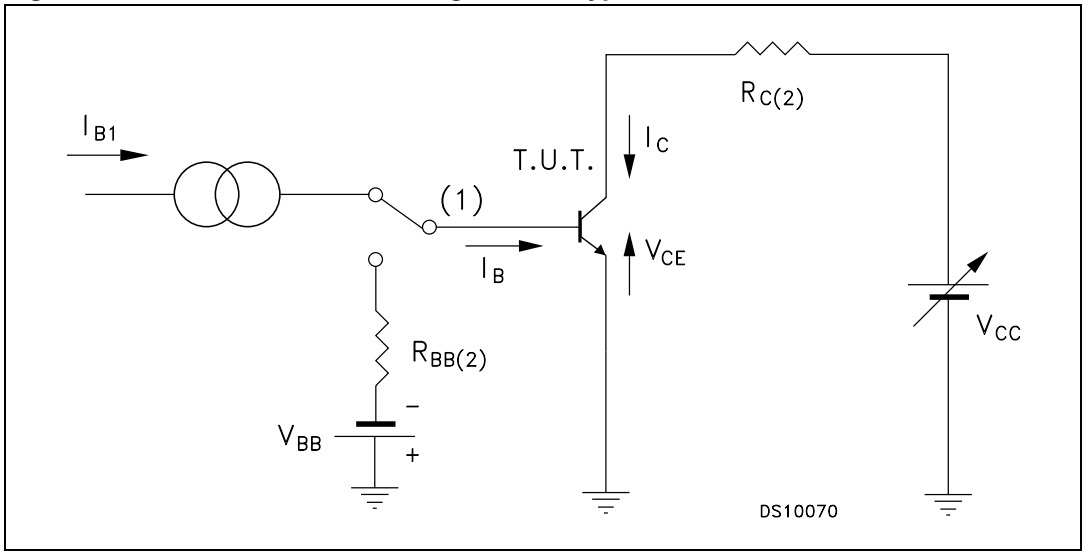


3 Test circuits

Figure 18. Resistive load switching for NPN type



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2. Non-inductive resistor

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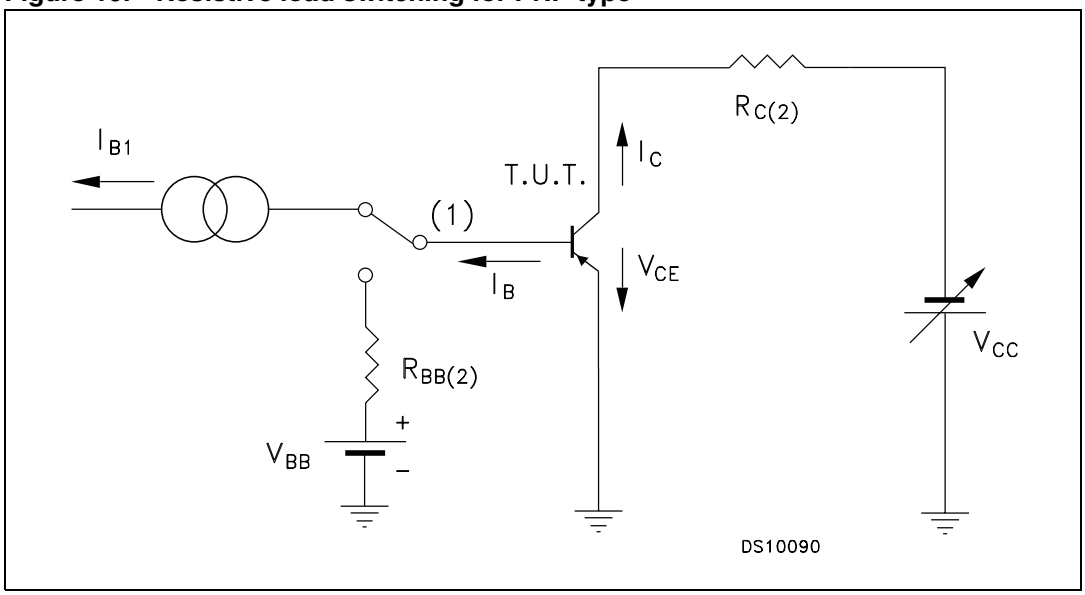

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4 Package mechanical data

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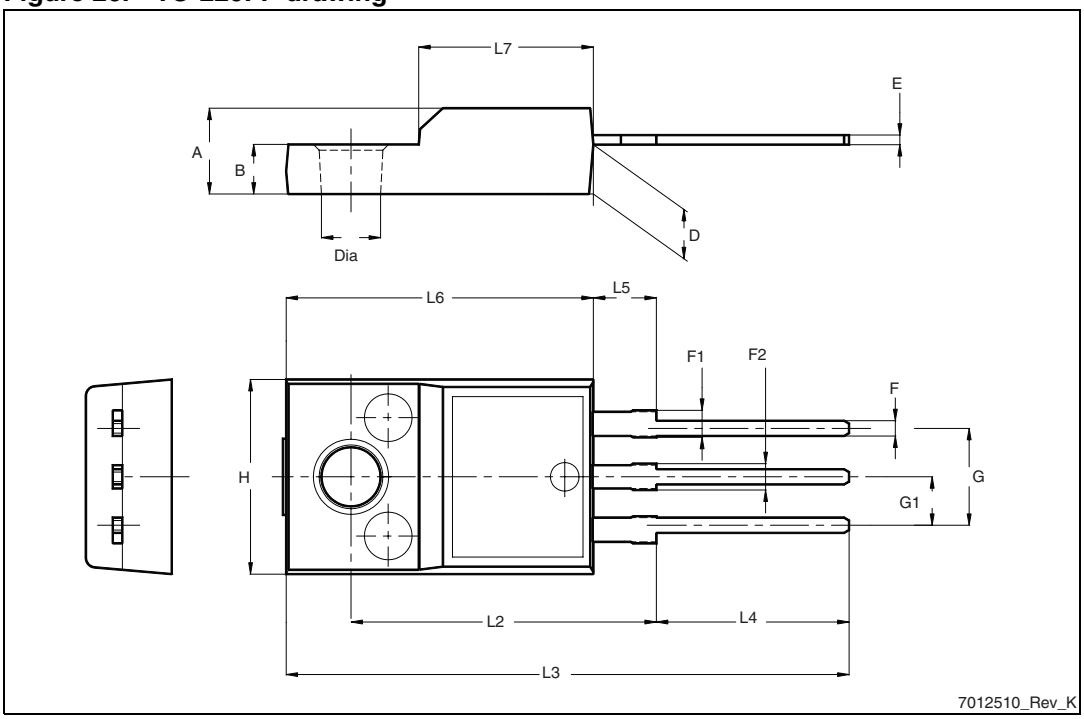
Table 5. TO-220FP mechanical data

Dim.	mm		
	Min.	Typ.	Max.
A	4.4		4.6
B	2.5		2.7
D	2.5		2.75
E	0.45		0.7
F	0.75		1
F1	1.15		1.70
F2	1.15		1.70
G	4.95		5.2
G1	2.4		2.7
H	10		10.4
L2		16	
L3	28.6		30.6
L4	9.8		10.6
L5	2.9		3.6
L6	15.9		16.4
L7	9		9.3
Dia	3		3.2

Figure 20. TO-220FP drawing



5 Revision history

Table 6. Document revision history

Date	Revision	Changes
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02-Dec-2009	5	Updated *Section 2.1: Electrical characteristics (curves)* and TO-220FP package mechanical data