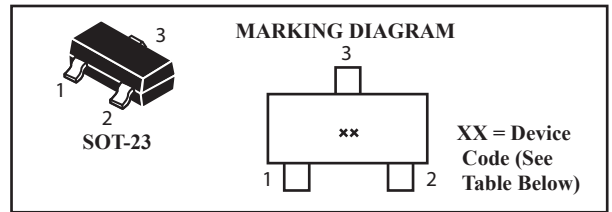
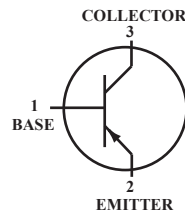


General Purpose Transistor PNP Silicon



Maximum Ratings ($T_A=25^\circ\text{C}$ unless otherwise noted)

Rating	Symbol	Value	Unit
Collector-Emitter Voltage	V _{CEO}	BC856	V
		BC857	
		BC858, BC859	
Collector-Base Voltage	V _{CBO}	BC856	V
		BC857	
		BC858, BC859	
Emitter-Base Voltage	V _{EBO}	-5.0	V
Collector Current-Continuous	I _C	-100	mAdc

Thermal Characteristics

Characteristics	Symbol	Max	Unit
Total Device Dissipation FR-5 Board (1) (Note 1.) $T_A=25^\circ\text{C}$ Derate above 25°C	P _D	225	mW
		1.8	
Thermal Resistance, Junction to Ambient	R _{θJA}	556	$^\circ\text{C}/\text{W}$
Total Device Dissipation Alumina Substrate, (Note 2.) $T_A=25^\circ\text{C}$ Derate above 25°C	P _D	300	mW
		2.4	
Thermal Resistance, Junction to Ambient	R _{θJA}	417	$^\circ\text{C}/\text{W}$
Junction and Storage, Temperature	T _J , T _{stg}	-55 to +150	$^\circ\text{C}$

1.FR-5=1.0 x 0.75 x 0.062 in. 2.Alumina=0.4 x 0.3 x 0.024 in. 99.5% alumina.

Electrical Characteristics ($T_A=25^\circ\text{C}$ Unless Otherwise noted)

Characteristics	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
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Off Characteristics

Collector-Emitter Breakdown Voltage (I _C = -10mA)	BC856 Series BC857 Series BC858, BC859 Series	V _{(BR)CEO}	-65 -45 -30	- - -	- - -	V
Collector-Emitter Breakdown Voltage (I _C =-10 μA, V _{EB} =0)	BC856 Series BC857 Series BC858, BC859 Series	V _{(BR)CES}	-80 -50 -30	- - -	- - -	V
Collector-Base Breakdown Voltage (I _C =-10 μA)	BC856 Series BC857 Series BC858, BC859 Series	V _{(BR)CBO}	-80 -50 -30	- - -	- - -	V
Emitter-Base Breakdown Voltage (I _E =-1.0 μA)	BC856 Series BC857 Series BC858, BC859 Series	V _{(BR)EBO}	-5.0 -5.0 -5.0	- - -	- - -	V
Collector Cutoff Current (V _{CB} =-30V) (V _{CB} =-30V, T _A =150 $^\circ\text{C}$)		I _{CBO}	- -	- -	-15 -4.0	nA mA

Electrical Characteristics (TA=25°C Unless Otherwise noted)

Characteristics	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
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On Characteristics

DC Current Gain (IC= -10uA, VCE=-5.0V) BC856A, BC857A, BC858A BC856B, BC857B, BC858B BC858C (IC= -2.0mA, VCE=-5.0V) BC856A, BC857A, BC858A BC856B, BC857B, BC858B, BC859B BC858C, BC859C	hFE	- - - 125 220 420	90 150 270 180 290 520	- - - 250 475 800	-
Collector-Emitter Saturation Voltage (IC= -10mA, IB=-0.5mA) (IC= -100mA, IB=-5.0mA)	VCE(sat)	- -	- -	-0.3 -0.65	V
Base-Emitter Saturation Voltage (IC= -10mA, IB=-0.5mA) (IC= -100mA, IB=-5.0mA)	VBE(sat)	- -	-0.7 -0.9	- -	V
Base-Emitter On Voltage (IC= -10mA, IB=-0.5mA) (IC= -100mA, IB=-5.0mA)	VBE(on)	-0.6 -	- -	-0.75 -0.82	V

Small-signal Characteristics

Current-Gain-Bandwidth Product (IC= -10mA, VCE= -5.0VDC, f=100MHz)	fT	100	-	-	MHz
Output Capacitance (VCB= -10V, f=1.0MHz)	Cobo	-	-	4.5	pF
Noise Figure (IC= -0.2mA, VCE= -5.0Vdc, Rs=2.0kw, f=1.0kHz, BW=200Hz) BC856, BC857, BC858 Series BC859, Series	NF	- -	- -	10 4.0	dB

Device Marking

BC856A=3A; BC856B=3B; BC857A=3E; BC857B=3F; BC858A=3J
BC858B=3K; BC858C=3L; BC859B=4B; BC859C=4C

BC857/BC858/BC859 Series

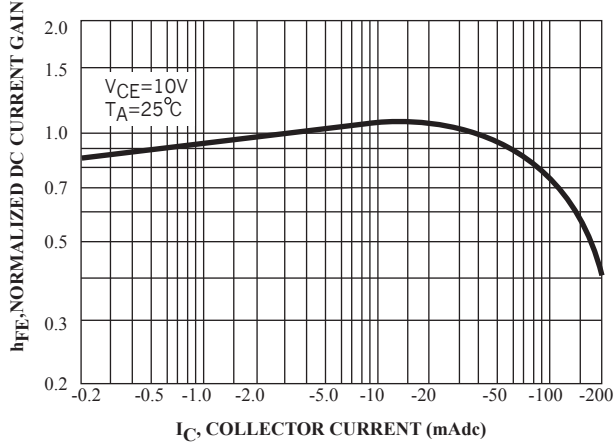


Figure 1. Normalized DC Current Gain

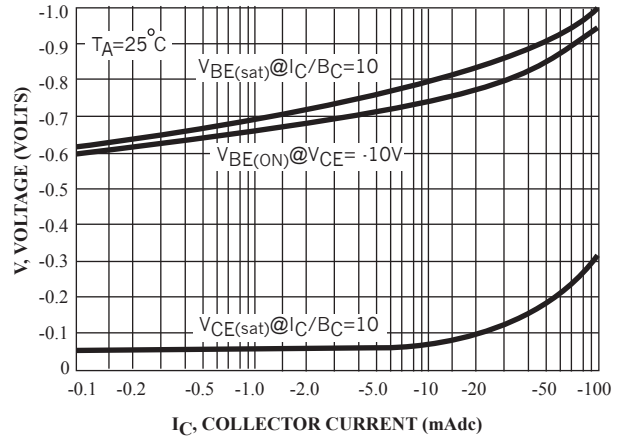


Figure 2. "Saturation" And "On" Voltage

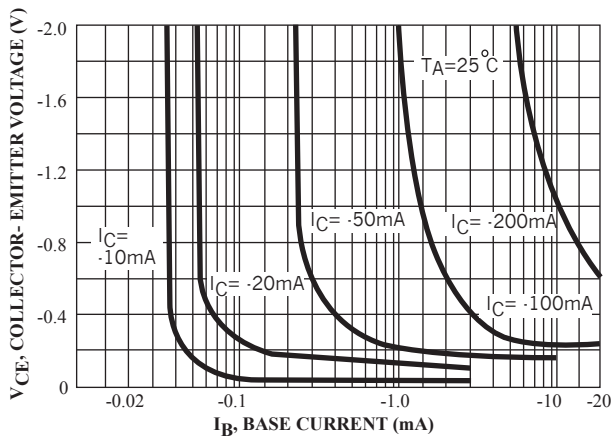


Figure 3. Collector Saturation Region

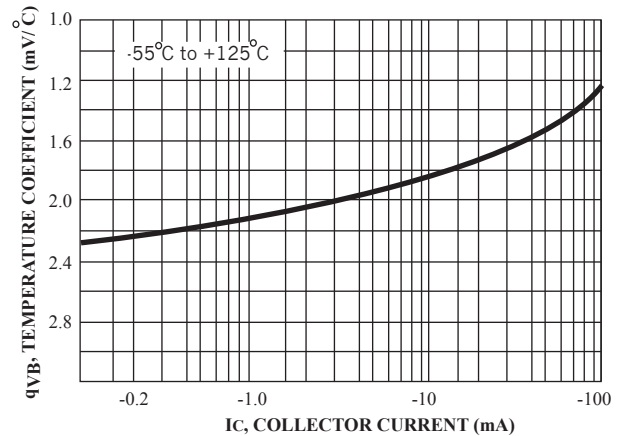


Figure 4. Base-Emitter Temperature Coefficient

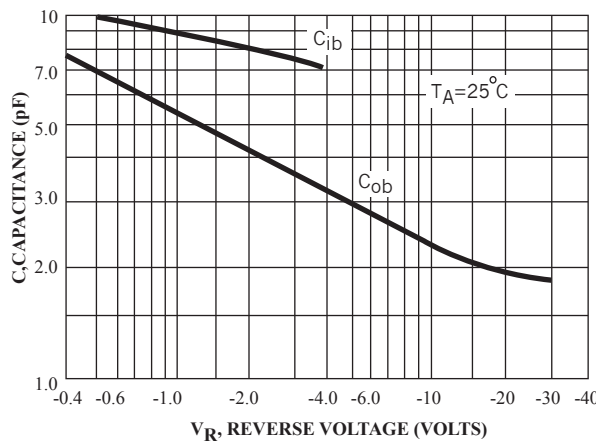


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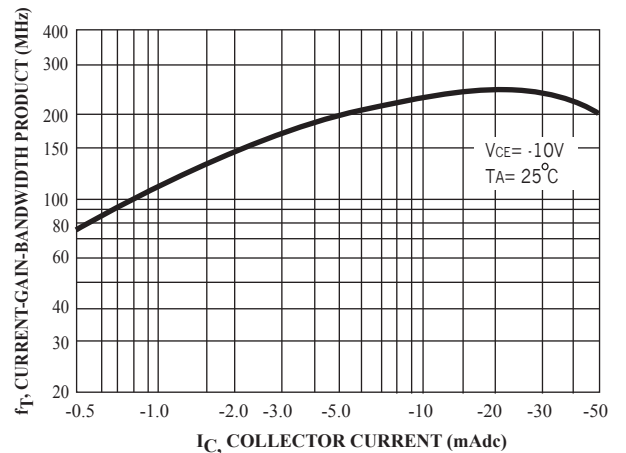


Figure 6. Current-Gain- Bandwidth Product

BC856 Series

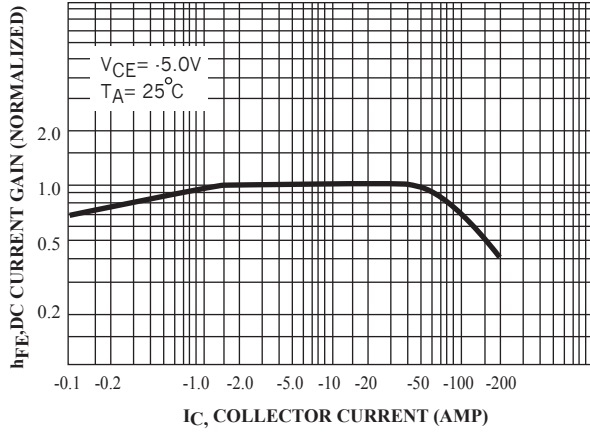


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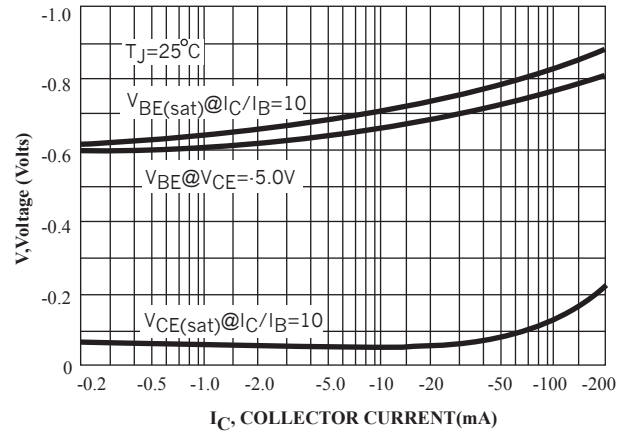


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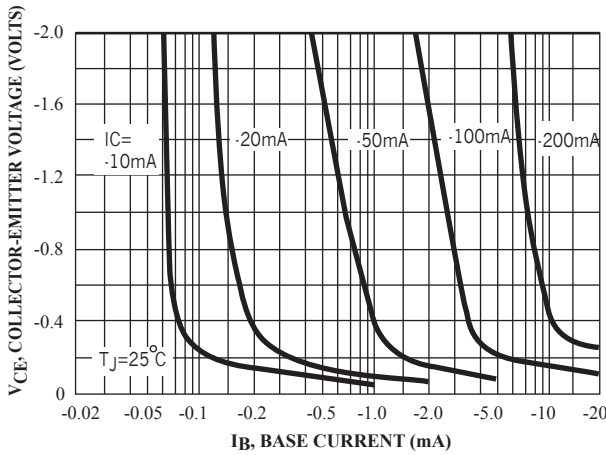


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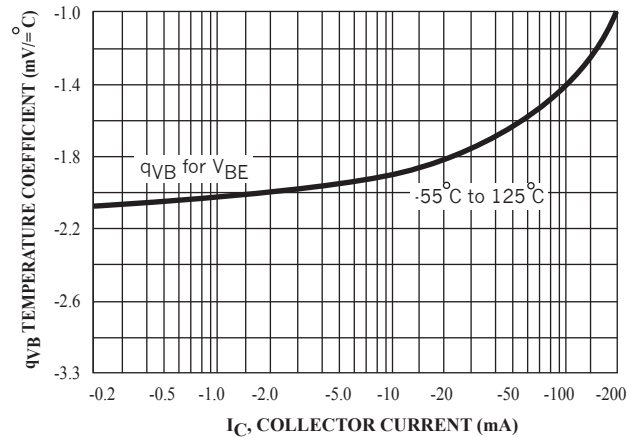


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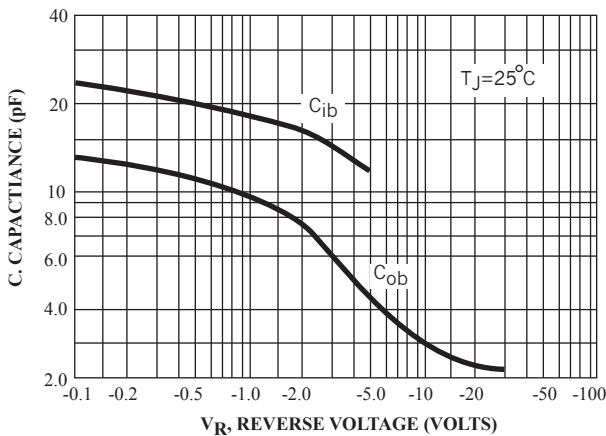


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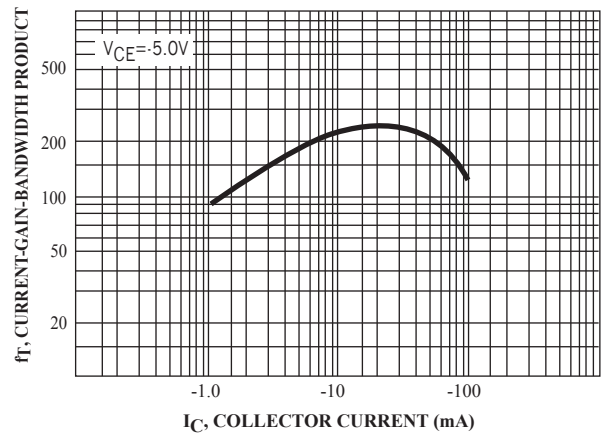


Figure 12. Current-Gain-Bandwidth Product