



NPN POWER TRANSISTORS

COMPLEMENTARY TO THE TIP42 SERIES

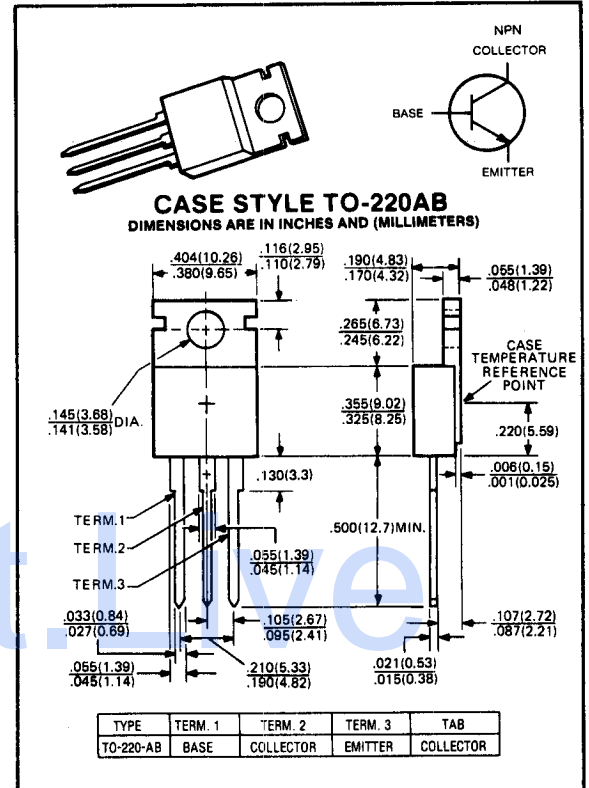
TIP 41 Series

40-100 VOLTS
6 AMP, 65 WATTS

The TIP41 Series power transistors are designed for use in general purpose amplifier and switching applications.

Features:

- Designed for complementary use with TIP42 series
- 65W at 25°C case temperature
- 6A continuous collector current
- 10A peak collector current
- Minimum f_T of 3 MHz at 10V, 0.5A
- Customer-specified selections available



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maximum ratings ($T_C = 25^\circ C$) (unless otherwise noted)

RATING	SYMBOL	TIP41	TIP41A	TIP41B	TIP41C	UNITS
Collector-Emitter Voltage	V_{CEO}	40	60	80	100	Volts
Collector-Base Voltage	V_{CBO}	80	100	120	140	Volts
Emitter Base Voltage	V_{EBO}	5	5	5	5	Volts
Collector Current — Continuous	I_C	6	6	6	6	A
Collector Current — Peak	I_{CM}	10	10	10	10	A
Base Current — Continuous	I_B	3	3	3	3	A
Total Power Dissipation @ $T_A = 25^\circ C$ @ $T_C = 25^\circ C$	P_D	2 65	2 65	2 65	2 65	Watts
Operating and Storage Junction Temperature Range	T_J, T_{STG}	-65 to +150	-65 to +150	-65 to +150	-65 to +150	$^\circ C$

thermal characteristics

Thermal Resistance, Junction to Case	$R_{\theta JC}$	1.92	1.92	1.92	1.92	$^\circ C/W$
Maximum Lead Temperature for Soldering Purposes: 1/8" from Case for 5 Seconds	T_L	250	250	250	250	$^\circ C$

electrical characteristics ($T_C = 25^\circ\text{C}$) (unless otherwise specified)

CHARACTERISTIC		SYMBOL	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
Collector-Emitter Breakdown Voltage ($I_C = 30\text{mA}$)	TIP41 TIP41A TIP41B TIP41C	V_{CEO}	40 60 80 100	— — — —	— — — —	Volts
Collector Cutoff Current ($V_{CE} = 30\text{V}$) ($V_{CE} = 60\text{V}$)	TIP41, TIP41A TIP41B, TIP41C	I_{CEO}	— —	— —	0.7 0.7	mA
Collector Cutoff Current ($V_{CE} = 80\text{V}$) ($V_{CE} = 100\text{V}$) ($V_{CE} = 120\text{V}$) ($V_{CE} = 140\text{V}$)	TIP41 TIP41A TIP41B TIP41C	I_{CES}	— — — —	— — — —	0.4 0.4 0.4 0.4	mA
Emitter Cutoff Current ($V_{EB} = 5\text{V}$, $I_C = 0$)		I_{EBO}	—	—	1	mA

second breakdown

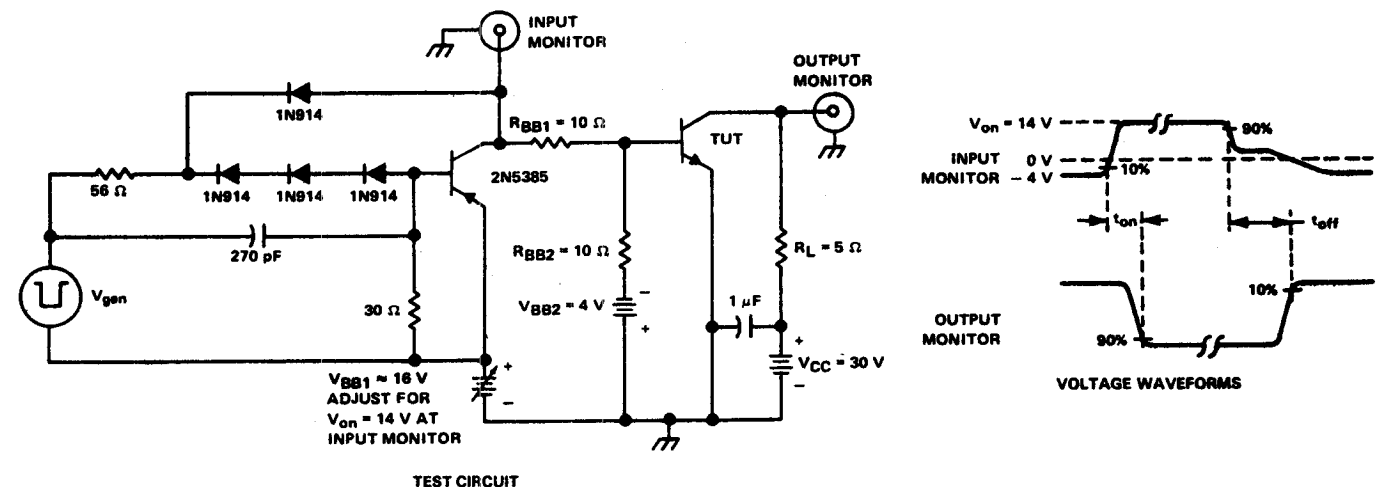
Second Breakdown with Base Forward Biased	FBSOA	SEE FIGURE 3
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DC Current Gain ($I_C = .3\text{A}$, $V_{CE} = 4\text{V}$) ($I_C = 3\text{A}$, $V_{CE} = 4\text{V}$)	h_{FE}	30 15	— —	— 75	—
Collector-Emitter Saturation Voltage ($I_C = 6\text{A}$, $I_B = .6\text{A}$)	$V_{CE(sat)}$	—	—	1.5	V
Base-Emitter Voltage ($I_C = 6\text{A}$, $V_{CE} = 4\text{V}$)	$V_{BE(on)}$	—	—	2.0	V

switching characteristics

Turn-on Time	$I_C = 6\text{A}$, $R_L = 5\Omega$ $I_{B1} = I_{B2} = 0.6\text{A}$ $V_{BE(off)} = -4\text{V}$	t_{on}	—	0.6	—	μS
Turn-off Time		t_{off}	—	1	—	



- NOTES:
- V_{gen} is a -30V pulse into a 50Ω termination.
 - The V_{gen} waveform is supplied by a generator with the following characteristics: $t_r < 15\text{ns}$, $t_f < 15\text{ns}$, $Z_{out} = 50\Omega$, $t_w = 20\mu\text{s}$, duty cycle $< 2\%$.
 - Waveforms are monitored on an oscilloscope with the following characteristics: $t_r < 15\text{ns}$, $R_{in} > 10\text{M}\Omega$, $C_{in} < 11.5\text{pF}$.
 - Resistors must be noninductive types.
 - The d-c power supplies may require additional bypassing in order to minimize ringing.

FIGURE 1. RESISTIVE-LOAD SWITCHING

STATIC FORWARD CURRENT TRANSFER RATIO
vs
COLLECTOR CURRENT

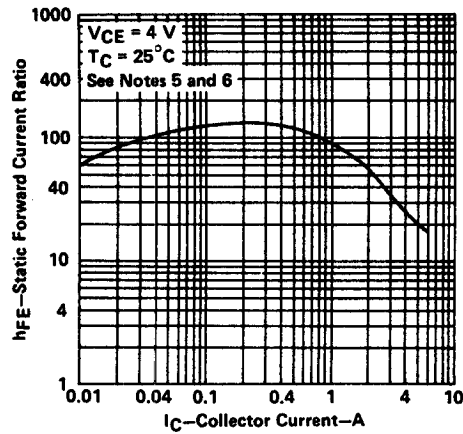


FIGURE 2. TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS

- NOTES: 5. These parameters must be measured using pulse techniques, $t_w = 300 \mu s$, duty cycle $\leq 2\%$.
6. These parameters are measured with voltage-sensing contacts separate from the current-carrying contacts.

FORWARD-BIAS SAFE OPERATING AREA

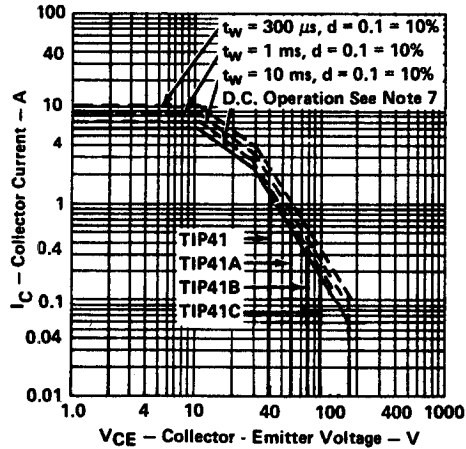


FIGURE 3 MAXIMUM SAFE OPERATING AREA

- NOTES: 7. This combination of maximum voltage and current may be achieved only when switching from saturation to cutoff with a clamped inductive load.

DISSIPATION DERATING CURVE

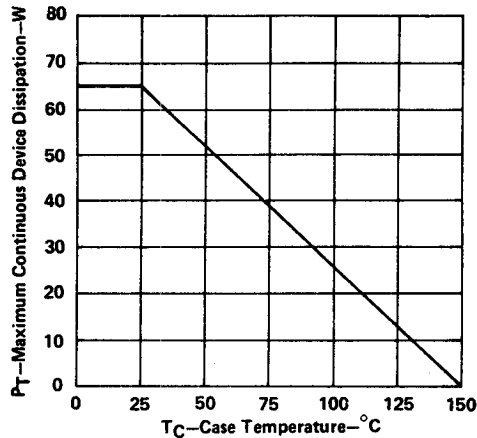


FIGURE 4 THERMAL INFORMATION