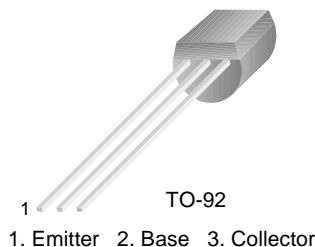


# PN4258

## PNP Switching Transistor

- This device is designed for very high speed saturated switching at collector currents to 100mA.
- Sourced from process 65.



### Absolute Maximum Ratings\* $T_A=25^\circ\text{C}$ unless otherwise noted

| Symbol         | Parameter  | Value      | Units            |
|----------------|--|------------|------------------|
| $V_{CEO}$      | Collector-Emitter Voltage                        | -12        | V                |
| $V_{CBO}$      | Collector-Base Voltage                           | -12        | V                |
| $V_{EBO}$      | Emitter-Base Voltage                             | -4.5       | V                |
| $I_C$          | Collector Current - Continuous                   | -200       | mA               |
| $T_J, T_{STG}$ | Operating and Storage Junction Temperature Range | - 55 ~ 150 | $^\circ\text{C}$ |

\* These ratings are limiting values above which the serviceability of any semiconductor device may be impaired.

#### NOTES:

1. These ratings are based on a maximum junction temperature of 150 degrees C.
2. These are steady state limits. The factory should be consulted on applications involving pulsed or low duty cycle operations

### Electrical Characteristics $T_A=25^\circ\text{C}$ unless otherwise noted

| Symbol                              | Parameter                              | Test Condition   | Min.           | Max.          | Units                          |
|-------------------------------------|--|--|----------------|---------------|--------------------------------|
| <b>Off Characteristics</b>          |  |  |                |               |                                |
| $V_{(BR)CES}$                       | Collector-Emitter Breakdown Voltage *  | $I_C = -100\mu\text{A}, V_{BE} = 0$  | -12            |               | V                              |
| $V_{CEO(SUS)}$                      | Collector-Emitter Sustaining Voltage * | $I_C = -3.0\text{mA}, I_B = 0$   | -12            |               | V                              |
| $V_{(BR)CBO}$                       | Collector-Base Breakdown Voltage       | $I_C = -100\mu\text{A}, I_E = 0$   | -12            |               | V                              |
| $V_{(BR)EBO}$                       | Emitter-Base Breakdown Voltage         | $I_E = -100\mu\text{A}, I_C = 0$   | -4.5           |               | V                              |
| $I_{CES}$                           | Collector Cutoff Current               | $V_{CE} = -6.0\text{V}, V_{BE} = 0$<br>$V_{CE} = -6.0\text{V}, V_{BE} = 0, T_A = 65^\circ\text{C}$   |                | -0.01<br>-5.0 | $\mu\text{A}$<br>$\mu\text{A}$ |
| <b>On Characteristics</b>           |  |  |                |               |                                |
| $h_{FE}$                            | DC Current Gain                        | $I_C = -1.0\text{mA}, V_{CE} = -0.5\text{V}$<br>$I_C = -10\text{mA}, V_{CE} = -3.0\text{V}$<br>$I_C = -50\text{mA}, V_{CE} = -1.0\text{V}$ | 15<br>30<br>30 | 120           |                                |
| $V_{CE(sat)}$                       | Collector-Emitter Saturation Voltage   | $I_C = -10\text{mA}, I_B = -1.0\text{mA}$<br>$I_C = -50\text{mA}, I_B = -5.0\text{mA}$   |                | -0.15<br>-0.5 | V<br>V                         |
| $V_{BE(sat)}$                       | Base-Emitter Saturation Voltage        | $I_C = -10\text{mA}, I_B = -1.0\text{mA}$<br>$I_C = -50\text{mA}, I_B = -5.0\text{mA}$   | -0.75          | -0.95<br>-1.5 | V<br>V                         |
| <b>Small Signal Characteristics</b> |  |  |                |               |                                |
| $f_T$                               | Current Gain Bandwidth Product         | $I_C = -10\text{mA}, V_{CE} = -5.0\text{V}, f = 100\text{MHz}$<br>$I_C = -10\text{mA}, V_{CE} = -10\text{V}, f = 100\text{MHz}$            | 700<br>700     |               | MHz<br>MHz                     |
| $C_{iob}$                           | Input Capacitance                      | $V_{BE} = -0.5\text{V}, I_C = 0, f = 1.0\text{MHz}$  |                | 3.5           | pF                             |
| $C_{cb}$                            | Collector-Base Capacitance             | $V_{BE} = -5.0\text{V}, I_E = 0, f = 1.0\text{MHz}$  |                | 3.0           | pF                             |

**Electrical Characteristics**  $T_A=25^\circ\text{C}$  unless otherwise noted (Continued)

| Symbol                           | Parameter     | Test Condition   | Min. | Max. | Units |
|----------------------------------|---------------|--|------|------|-------|
| <b>Switching Characteristics</b> |               |  |      |      |       |
| $t_{on}$                         | Turn-on Time  | $V_{CC} = -1.5\text{V}$ , $V_{BE(off)} = 0\text{V}$<br>$I_C = -10\text{mA}$ , $I_{B1} = -1.0\text{mA}$ |      | 15   | ns    |
| $t_d$                            | Delay Time    |  |      | 10   | ns    |
| $t_r$                            | Rise Time     |  |      | 15   | ns    |
| $t_{off}$                        | Turn-off Time | $V_{CC} = -1.5\text{V}$ , $I_C = -10\text{mA}$ ,<br>$I_{B1} = I_{B2} = -10\text{mA}$                   |      | 20   | ns    |
| $t_s$                            | Storage Time  |  |      | 20   | ns    |
| $t_f$                            | Fall Time     |  |      | 10   | ns    |
| $t_s$                            | Storage Time  | $I_C = -10\text{mA}$ , $I_{B1} = I_{B2} = -10\text{mA}$  |      | 20   | ns    |

\* Pulse Test: Pulse Width  $\leq 300\text{ms}$ , Duty Cycle  $\leq 2.0\%$ **Thermal Characteristics**  $T_A=25^\circ\text{C}$  unless otherwise noted

| Symbol          | Parameter                               | Max. | Units                     |
|-----------------|---|------|---------------------------|
| $P_D$           | Total Device Dissipation                | 350  | mW                        |
|                 | Derate above $25^\circ\text{C}$         | 2.8  | mW/ $^\circ\text{C}$      |
| $R_{\theta JC}$ | Thermal Resistance, Junction to Case    | 125  | $^\circ\text{C}/\text{W}$ |
| $R_{\theta JA}$ | Thermal Resistance, Junction to Ambient | 357  | $^\circ\text{C}/\text{W}$ |

# Typical Characteristics

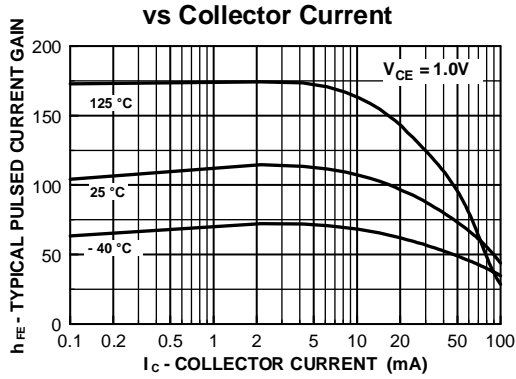


Figure 1. Typical Pulsed Current Gain vs Collector Current

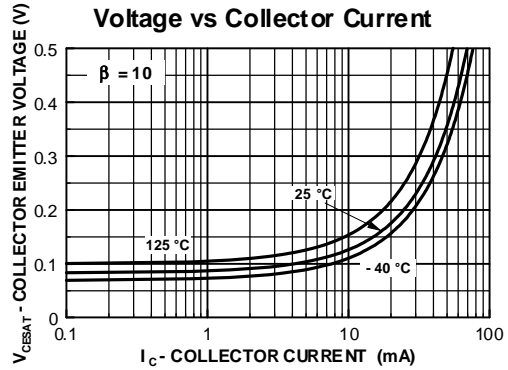


Figure 2. Collector-Emitter Saturation Voltage vs Collector Current

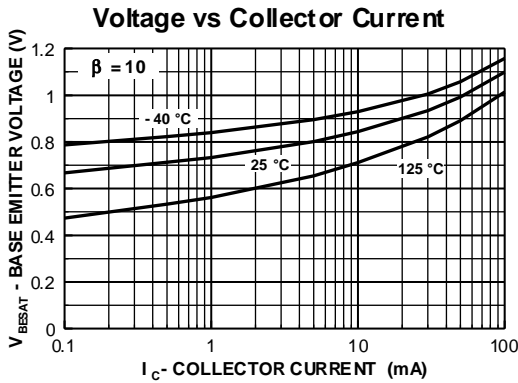


Figure 3. Base-Emitter Saturation Voltage vs Collector Current

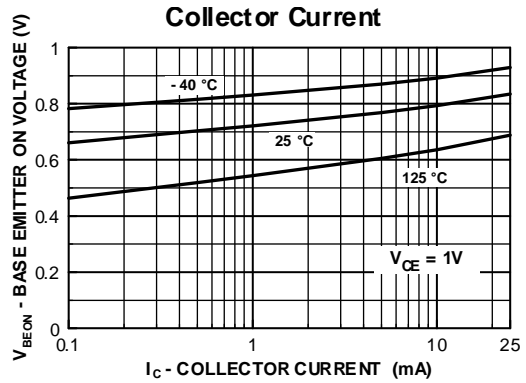


Figure 4. Base-Emitter On Voltage vs Collector Current

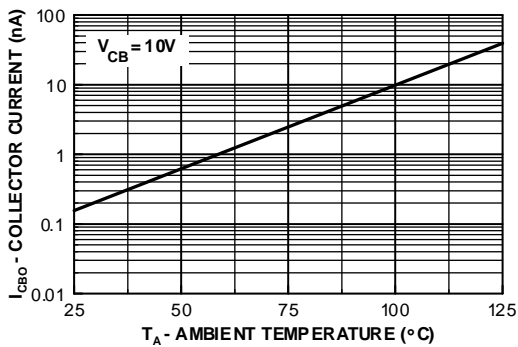


Figure 5. Collector Cutoff Current vs Ambient Temperature

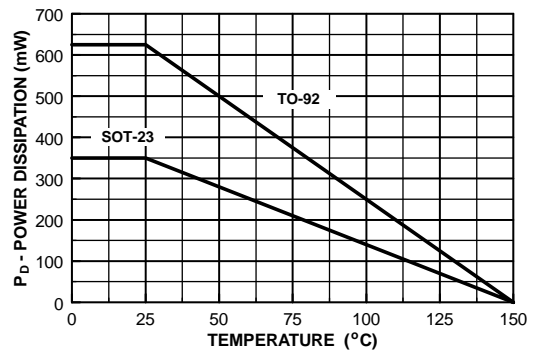


Figure 6. Power Dissipation vs Ambient Temperature

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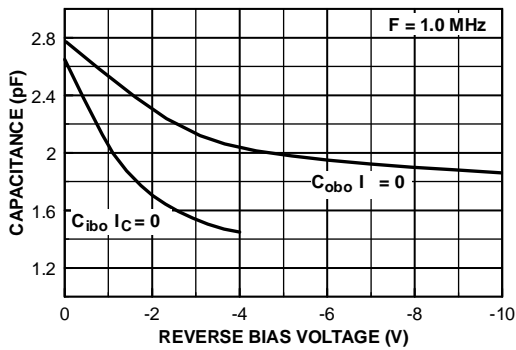


Figure 7. Input/Output Capacitance vs Reverse Bias Voltage

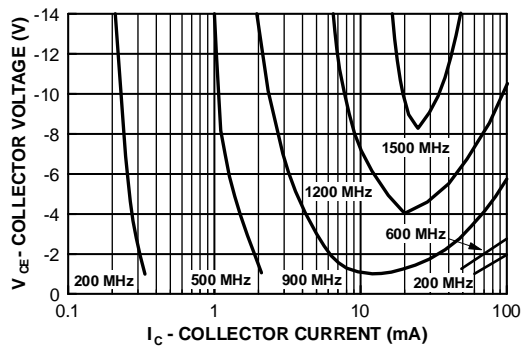


Figure 8. Contours of Constant Gain Bandwidth Product ( $f_T$ )

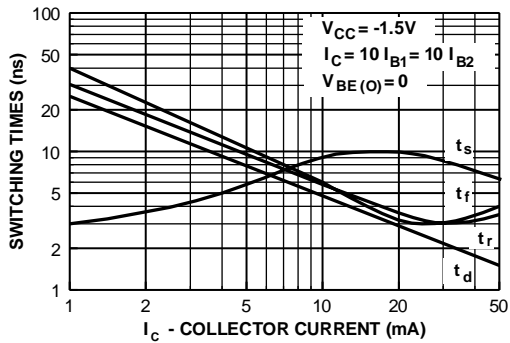


Figure 9. Switching Times vs Collector Current

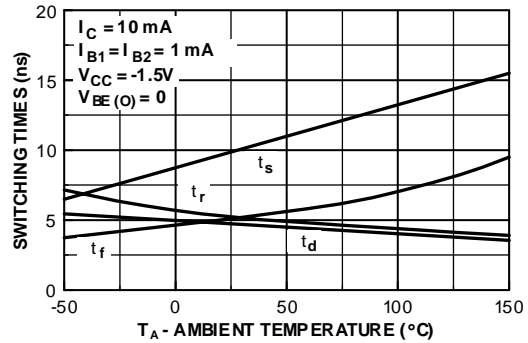


Figure 10. Switching Times vs Ambient Temperature

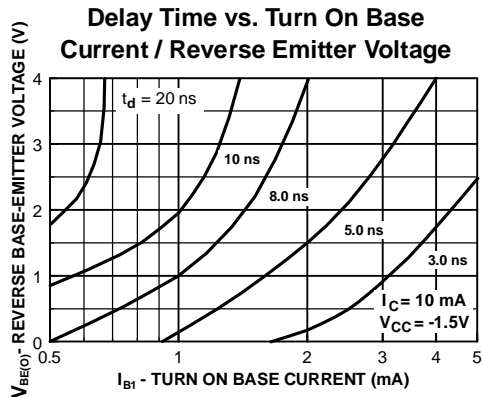


Figure 11. Delay Time vs Turn On Base Current/Reverse Emitter Voltage

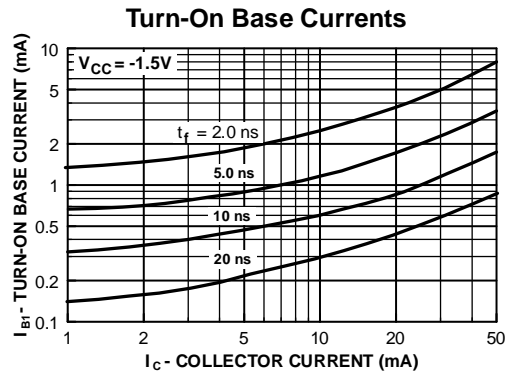


Figure 12. Rise Time vs Collector and Turn-On Base Currents

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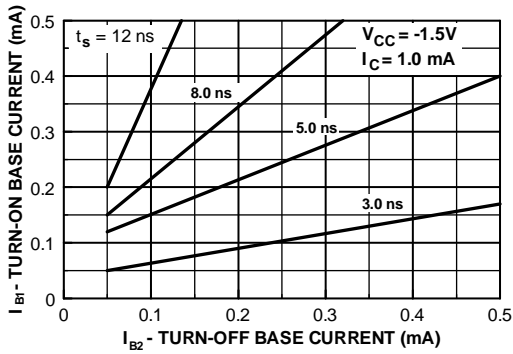


Figure 13. Storage Time vs Turn-On/Turn-Off Base Current

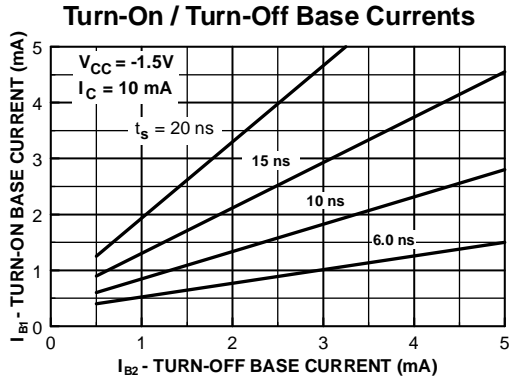


Figure 14. Storage Time vs Turn-On/Turn-Off Base Currents

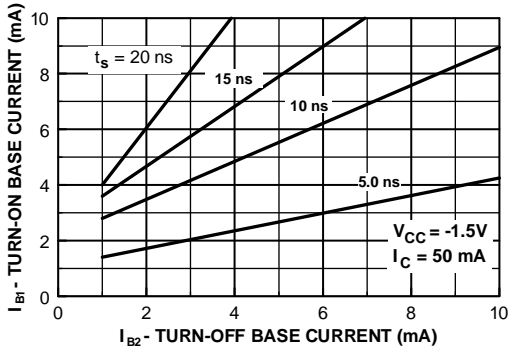


Figure 15. Storage Time vs Turn-On/Turn-Off Base Current

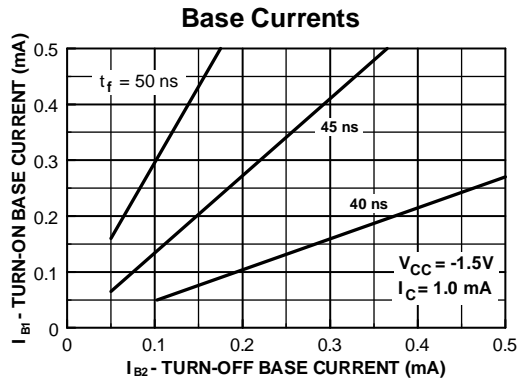


Figure 16. Fall Time vs Turn-On/Turn-Off Base Currents

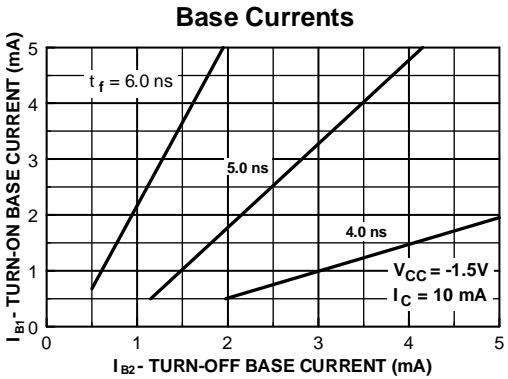


Figure 17. Fall Time vs Turn-On/Turn-Off Base Currents

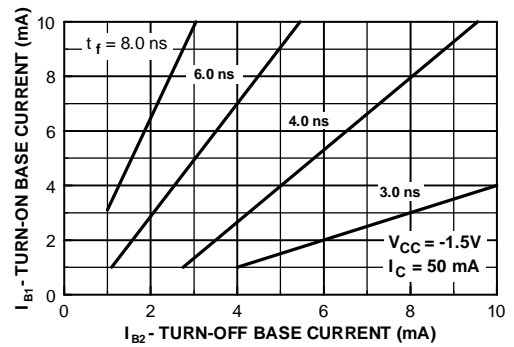


Figure 18. Fall Time vs Turn-On/Turn-Off Base Currents

# Test Circuit

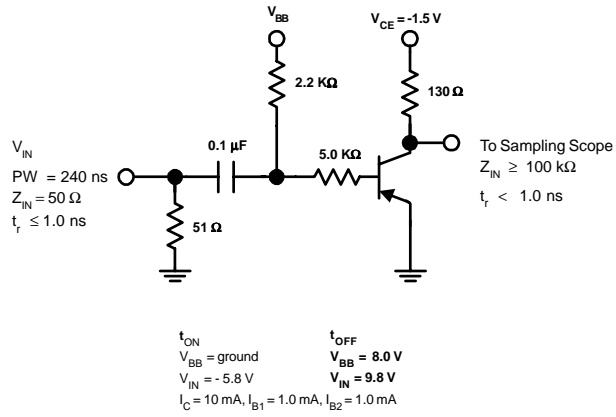
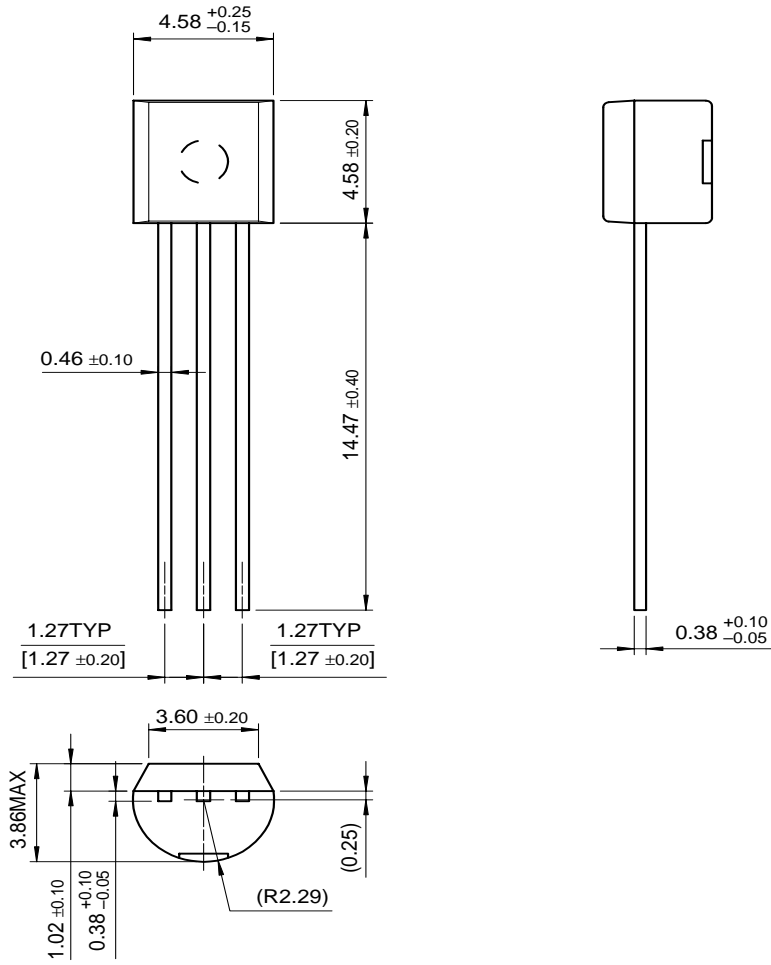


Figure 1.  $t_{on}$ ,  $t_{off}$  Test Circuit

# Package Dimensions

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Dimensions in Millimeters

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