

## Low voltage fast-switching NPN power transistor

### General features

- Very low collector-emitter saturation voltage
- High current gain characteristic
- Fast switching speed
- Miniature SOT-23 plastic package for surface mounting circuits
- In compliance with the 2002/93/EC European Directive

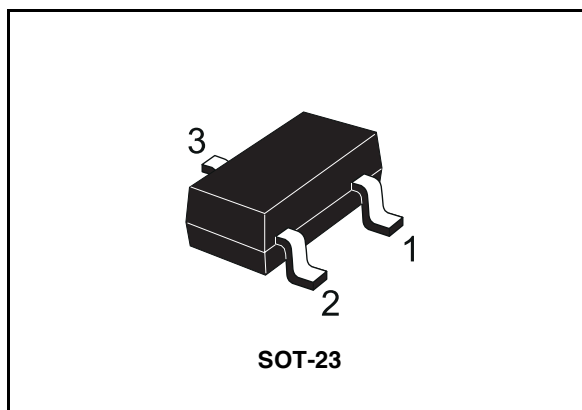
### Description

The device is a NPN transistor manufactured using new "PB-HCD" (Power Bipolar High Current Density) technology. The resulting transistor shows exceptional high gain performances coupled with very low saturation voltage.

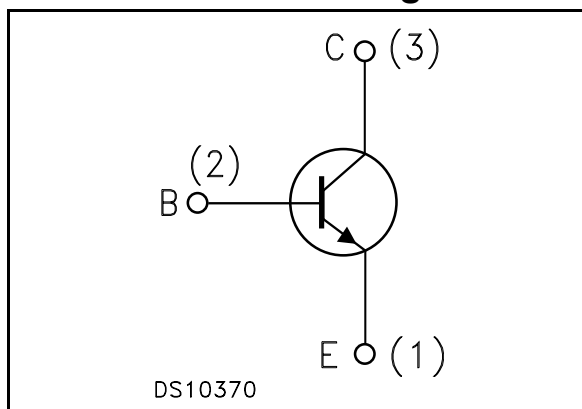
The complementary PNP is the 2STR2230.

### Applications

- LED
- Motherboard & hard disk drive
- Mobile equipment
- Battery charger
- Voltage regulation



### Internal schematic diagram



### Order codes

Part Number	Marking	Package	Packing
2STR1230	130	SOT-23	Tape & reel

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# 1 Electrical ratings

**Table 1. Absolute maximum rating**

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Unit
$V_{CES}$	Collector-emitter voltage ( $V_{CE} = 0$ )	30	V
$V_{CEO}$	Collector-emitter voltage ( $I_B = 0$ )	30	V
$V_{EBO}$	Emitter-base voltage ( $I_C = 0$ )	5	V
$I_C$	Collector current	1.5	A
$I_{CM}$	Collector peak current ( $t_P < 5\text{ms}$ )	3	A
$P_{tot}$	Total dissipation at $T_{amb} = 25^\circ\text{C}$	0.5	W
$T_{stg}$	Storage temperature	-65 to 150	$^\circ\text{C}$
$T_J$	Max. operating junction temperature	150	$^\circ\text{C}$

**Table 2. Thermal data**

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Unit
$R_{thj-amb}^{(1)}$	Thermal resistance junction-amb max	250	$^\circ\text{C}/\text{W}$

(1) Device mounted on PCB area of  $1\text{cm}^2$

## 2 Electrical characteristics

( $T_{\text{case}} = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$  unless otherwise specified)

**Table 3. Electrical characteristics**

Symbol	Parameter	Test Conditions	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
$I_{\text{CBO}}$	Collector cut-off current ( $I_{\text{E}} = 0$ )	$V_{\text{CB}} = 30\text{V}$			0.1	$\mu\text{A}$
$I_{\text{EBO}}$	Emitter cut-off current ( $I_{\text{C}} = 0$ )	$V_{\text{EB}} = 4\text{V}$			0.1	$\mu\text{A}$
$V_{(\text{BR})\text{CBO}}$	Collector-emitter breakdown voltage ( $I_{\text{E}} = 0$ )	$I_{\text{C}} = 100\mu\text{A}$	30			V
$V_{(\text{BR})\text{CEO}}^{(2)}$	Collector-emitter breakdown voltage ( $I_{\text{B}} = 0$ )	$I_{\text{C}} = 10\text{mA}$	30			V
$V_{(\text{BR})\text{EBO}}$	Emitter-base breakdown voltage ( $I_{\text{C}} = 0$ )	$I_{\text{E}} = 100\mu\text{A}$	5			V
$V_{\text{CE}(\text{sat})}^{(2)}$	Collector-emitter saturation voltage	$I_{\text{C}} = 0.1\text{A}$ $I_{\text{B}} = 1\text{mA}$ $I_{\text{C}} = 1\text{A}$ $I_{\text{B}} = 100\text{mA}$ $I_{\text{C}} = 2\text{A}$ $I_{\text{B}} = 200\text{mA}$		0.25 0.4	0.15 0.5 0.85	V V V
$V_{\text{BE}(\text{sat})}^{(2)}$	Base-emitter saturation voltage	$I_{\text{C}} = 1\text{A}$ $I_{\text{B}} = 100\text{mA}$		0.9	1.25	V
$h_{\text{FE}}^{(2)}$	DC current gain	$I_{\text{C}} = 50\text{mA}$ $V_{\text{CE}} = 2\text{V}$ $I_{\text{C}} = 0.5\text{A}$ $V_{\text{CE}} = 2\text{V}$ $I_{\text{C}} = 1\text{A}$ $V_{\text{CE}} = 2\text{V}$ $I_{\text{C}} = 2\text{A}$ $V_{\text{CE}} = 2\text{V}$	210 180 130 80	280	560	
$C_{\text{CBO}}$	Collector-base capacitance	$I_{\text{E}} = 0$ $V_{\text{CB}} = 10\text{V}$ $f = 1\text{MHz}$		3		pF
$t_{\text{on}}$ $t_{\text{off}}$	Resistive load Turn-on time Turn-off time	$I_{\text{C}} = 1.5\text{A}$ $V_{\text{CC}} = 10\text{V}$ $I_{\text{B}1} = -I_{\text{B}2} = 150\text{mA}$		70 380		ns ns

Note (2) Pulsed duration = 300  $\mu\text{s}$ , duty cycle  $\leq 1.5\%$

## 2.1 Electrical characteristics (curves)

Figure 1. DC current gain

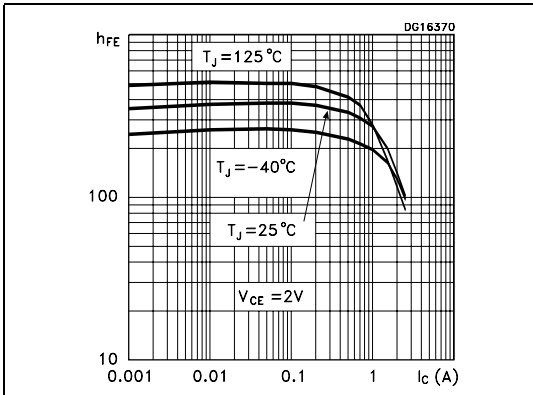


Figure 2. Collector-emitter saturation voltage

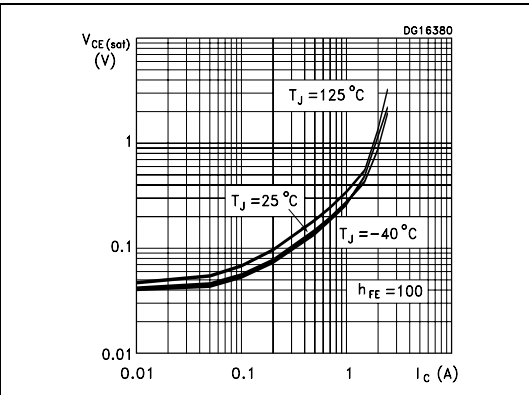


Figure 3. Base-emitter saturation voltage

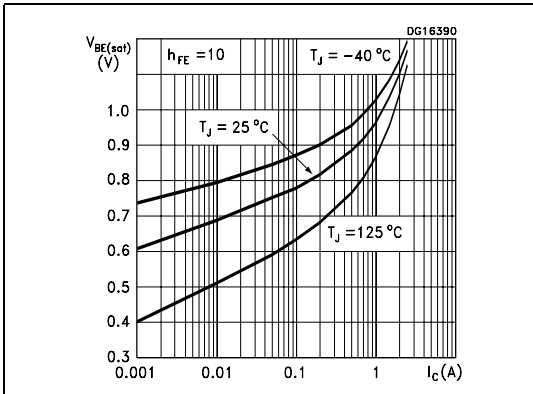


Figure 4. Resistive load switching time

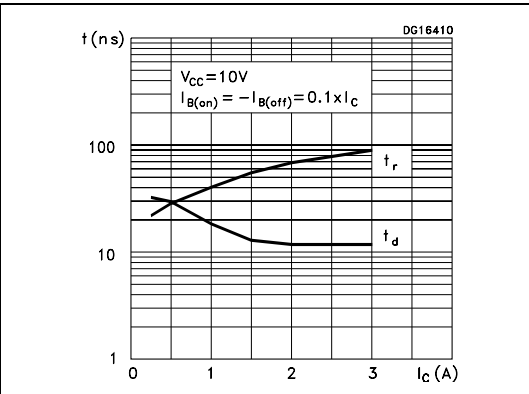


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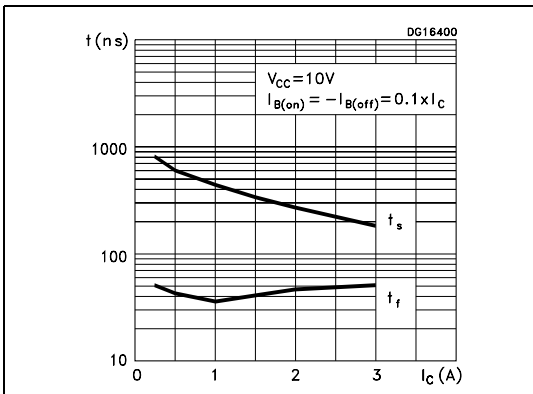
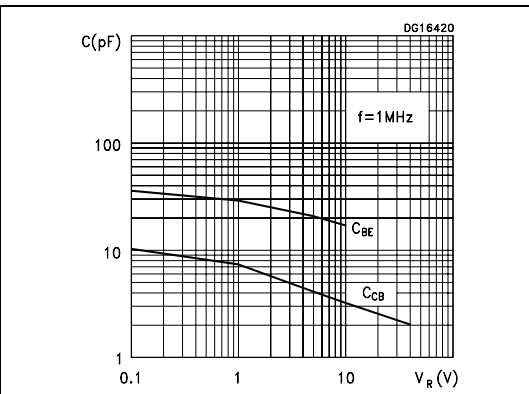
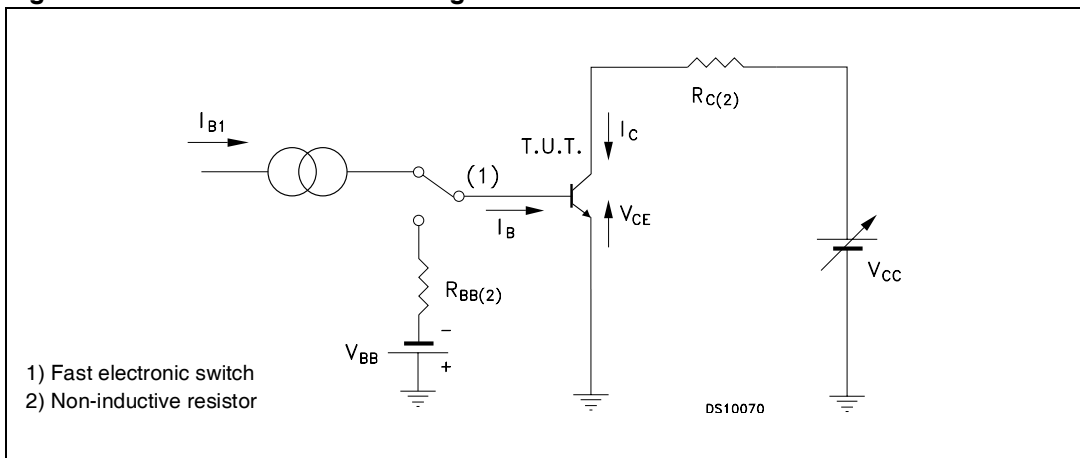


Figure 6. Capacitance



## 2.2 Test circuits

Figure 7. Resistive load switching test circuit

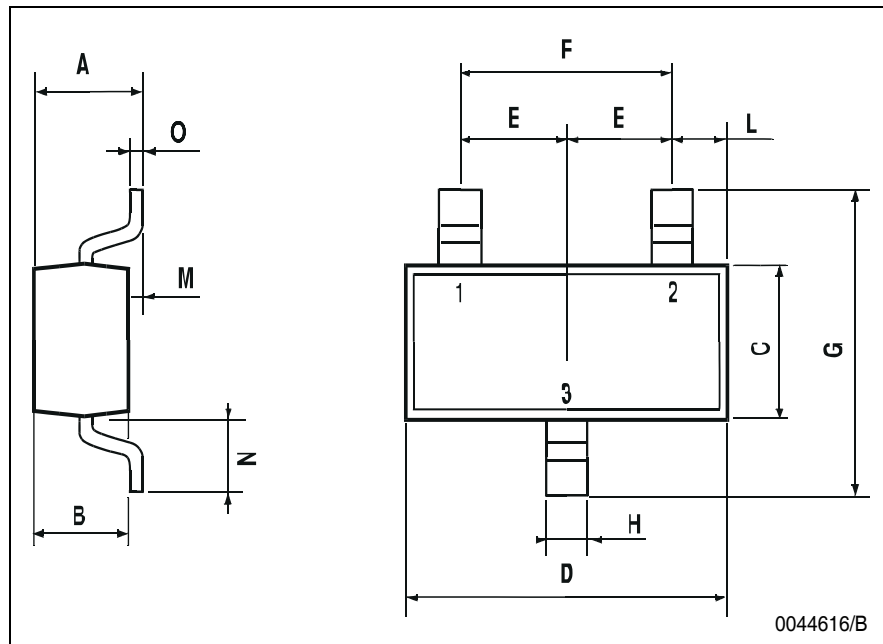


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**SOT-23 MECHANICAL DATA**

DIM.	mm			mils		
	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.
A	0.85		1.1	33.4		43.3
B	0.65		0.95	25.6		37.4
C	1.20		1.4	47.2		55.1
D	2.80		3	110.2		118
E	0.95		1.05	37.4		41.3
F	1.9		2.05	74.8		80.7
G	2.1		2.5	82.6		98.4
H	0.38		0.48	14.9		18.8
L	0.3		0.6	11.8		23.6
M	0		0.1	0		3.9
N	0.3		0.65	11.8		25.6
O	0.09		0.17	3.5		6.7





## 4 Revision history

Table 4. Revision history

Date	Revision	Changes
18-Jul-2006	1	Initial release
24-Oct-2006	2	New graphics

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