

## Designer's™ Data Sheet SWITCHMODE Series NPN Silicon Power Transistors

The BUS98 and BUS98A transistors are designed for high-voltage, high-speed, power switching in inductive circuits where fall time is critical. They are particularly suited for line-operated switchmode applications such as:

- Switching Regulators
- Inverters
- Solenoid and Relay Drivers
- Motor Controls
- Deflection Circuits

### Fast Turn-Off Times

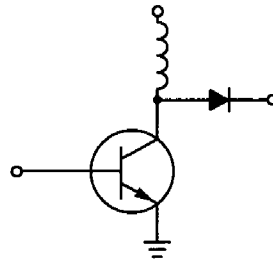
60 ns Inductive Fall Time -25°C (Typ)

120 ns Inductive Crossover Time -25°C (Typ)

Operating Temperature Range -65 to +200°C

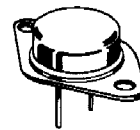
100°C Performance Specified for:

- Reverse-Biased SOA with Inductive Loads
- Switching Times with Inductive Loads
- Saturation Voltages
- Leakage Currents (125°C)



**BUS98  
BUS98A**

**30 AMPERES  
NPN SILICON  
POWER TRANSISTORS  
400 AND 450 VOLTS  
(BVCEO)  
250 WATTS  
850-1000 V (BVCEV)**



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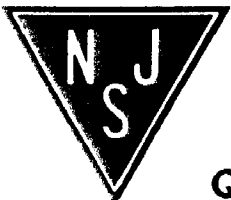
### MAXIMUM RATINGS

Rating	Symbol	BUS98	BUS98A	Unit
Collector-Emitter Voltage	$V_{CEO(sus)}$	400	450	Vdc
Collector-Emitter Voltage	$V_{CEV}$	850	1000	Vdc
Emitter Base Voltage	$V_{EB}$	7		Vdc
Collector Current — Continuous	$I_C$	30		Adc
— Peak (1)	$I_{CM}$	60		
— Overload	$I_{ol}$	120		
Base Current — Continuous	$I_B$	10		Adc
— Peak (1)	$I_{BM}$	30		
Total Power Dissipation — $T_C = 25^\circ C$	$P_D$	250		Watts
— $T_C = 100^\circ C$		142		
Derate above 25°C		1.42		W/°C
Operating and Storage Junction Temperature Range	$T_J, T_{stg}$	-65 to +200		°C

### THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS

Characteristic	Symbol	Max	Unit
Thermal Resistance, Junction to Case	$R_{\theta JC}$	0.7	°C/W
Maximum Lead Temperature for Soldering Purposes: 1/8" from Case for 5 Seconds	$T_L$	275	°C

(1) Pulse Test: Pulse Width = 5 ms, Duty Cycle  $\leq$  10%.



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## BUS98 BUS98A

### ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS ( $T_C = 25^\circ\text{C}$ unless otherwise noted)

Characteristic	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
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#### OFF CHARACTERISTICS (1)

Collector-Emitter Sustaining Voltage (Table 1) ( $I_C = 200\text{ mA}$ , $I_B = 0$ ) $L = 25\text{ mH}$	BUS98 BUS98A	$V_{CEO(sus)}$	400 450	— —	— —	Vdc
Collector Cutoff Current ( $V_{CEV} = \text{Rated Value}$ , $V_{BE(off)} = 1.5\text{ Vdc}$ ) ( $V_{CEV} = \text{Rated Value}$ , $V_{BE(off)} = 1.5\text{ Vdc}$ , $T_C = 125^\circ\text{C}$ )		$I_{CEV}$	— —	— —	0.4 4.0	mAdc
Collector Cutoff Current ( $V_{CE} = \text{Rated } V_{CEV}$ , $R_{BE} = 10\ \Omega$ )	$T_C = 25^\circ\text{C}$ $T_C = 125^\circ\text{C}$	$I_{CER}$	— —	— —	1.0 6.0	mAdc
Emitter Cutoff Current ( $V_{EB} = 7\text{ Vdc}$ , $I_C = 0$ )		$I_{EBO}$	—	—	0.2	mAdc
Emitter-Base Breakdown Voltage ( $I_E = 100\text{ mA}$ - $I_C = 0$ )		$V_{EBO}$	7.0	—	—	Vdc

#### SECOND BREAKDOWN

Second Breakdown Collector Current with Base Forward Biased	$I_{S/b}$		See Figure 12	
Clamped Inductive SOA with Base Reverse Biased	RBSOA		See Figure 13	

#### ON CHARACTERISTICS (1)

DC Current Gain ( $I_C = 20\text{ Adc}$ , $V_{CE} = 5\text{ Vdc}$ ) ( $I_C = 16\text{ Adc}$ , $V_{CE} = 5\text{ V}$ )	BUS98 BUS98A	$h_{FE}$	8	—	—	—
Collector-Emitter Saturation Voltage ( $I_C = 20\text{ Adc}$ , $I_B = 4\text{ Adc}$ ) ( $I_C = 30\text{ Adc}$ , $I_B = 8\text{ Adc}$ ) ( $I_C = 20\text{ Adc}$ , $I_B = 4\text{ Adc}$ , $T_C = 100^\circ\text{C}$ ) ( $I_C = 16\text{ Adc}$ , $I_B = 3.2\text{ Adc}$ ) ( $I_C = 24\text{ Adc}$ , $I_B = 5\text{ Adc}$ ) ( $I_C = 16\text{ Adc}$ , $I_B = 3.2\text{ Adc}$ , $T_C = 100^\circ\text{C}$ )	BUS98 BUS98A	$V_{CE(sat)}$	— — — — — —	— — — — — —	1.5 3.5 2.0 1.5 5.0 2.0	Vdc
Base-Emitter Saturation Voltage ( $I_C = 20\text{ Adc}$ , $I_B = 4\text{ Adc}$ ) ( $I_C = 20\text{ Adc}$ , $I_B = 4\text{ Adc}$ , $T_C = 100^\circ\text{C}$ ) ( $I_C = 16\text{ Adc}$ , $I_B = 3.2\text{ Adc}$ ) ( $I_C = 16\text{ Adc}$ , $I_B = 3.2\text{ Adc}$ , $T_C = 100^\circ\text{C}$ )	BUS98 BUS98A	$V_{BE(sat)}$	— — — —	— — — —	1.6 1.6 1.6 1.6	Vdc

#### DYNAMIC CHARACTERISTICS

Output Capacitance ( $V_{CB} = 10\text{ Vdc}$ , $I_E = 0$ , $f_{test} = 100\text{ kHz}$ )	$C_{ob}$	—	—	700	pF
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#### SWITCHING CHARACTERISTICS

##### Restive Load (Table 1)

Delay Time	( $V_{CC} = 250\text{ Vdc}$ , $I_C = 20\text{ A}$ , $I_{B1} = 4.0\text{ A}$ , $t_p = 30\ \mu\text{s}$ , Duty Cycle $\leq 2\%$ , $V_{BE(off)} = 5\text{ V}$ ) (for BUS98A: $I_C = 16\text{ A}$ , $I_{B1} = 3.2\text{ A}$ )	$t_d$	—	0.1	0.2	$\mu\text{s}$
Rise Time		$t_r$	—	0.4	0.7	
Storage Time		$t_s$	—	1.55	2.3	
Fall Time		$t_f$	—	0.2	0.4	

##### Inductive Load, Clamped (Table 1)

Storage Time	$I_C(pk) = 20\text{ A}$ (BUS98) $I_{B1} = 4\text{ A}$	$(T_C = 25^\circ\text{C})$	$t_{sv}$	—	1.55	—	$\mu\text{s}$
Fall Time			$t_{fi}$	—	0.06	—	
Storage Time	$V_{BE(off)} = 5\text{ V}$ , $V_{CE(c1)} = 250\text{ V}$ $I_C(pk) = 16\text{ A}$ (BUS98A) $I_{B1} = 3.2\text{ A}$	$(T_C = 100^\circ\text{C})$	$t_{sv}$	—	1.8	2.8	
Crossover Time			$t_c$	—	0.3	0.6	
Fall Time			$t_{fi}$	—	0.17	0.35	

(1) Pulse Test:  $PW = 300\ \mu\text{s}$ , Duty Cycle  $\leq 2\%$ .

DC CHARACTERISTICS

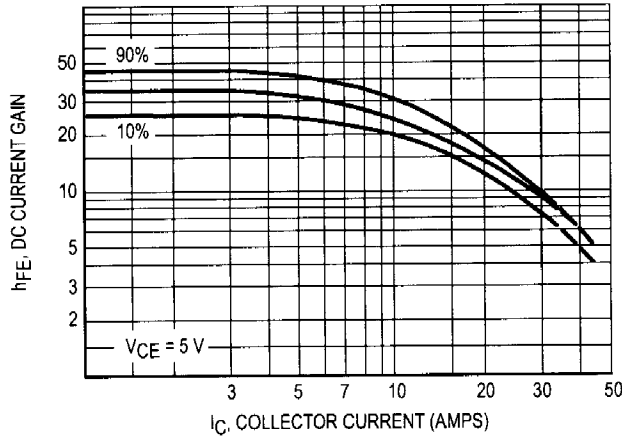


Figure 1. DC Current Gain

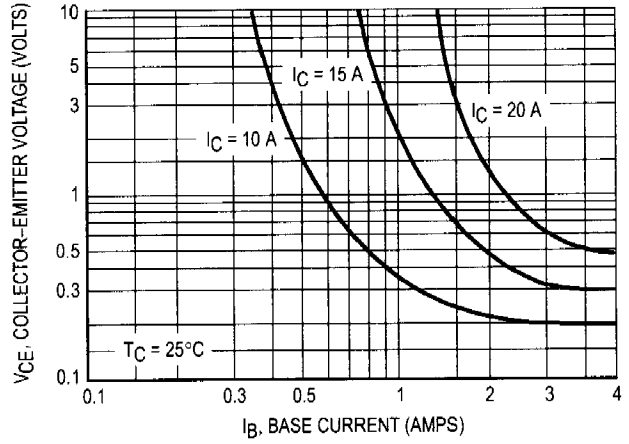


Figure 2. Collector Saturation Region

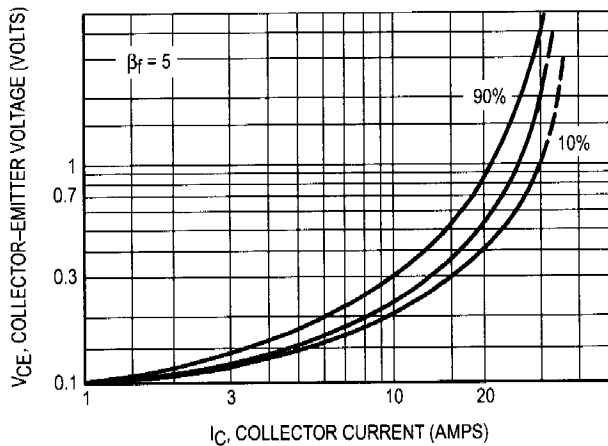


Figure 3. Collector-Emitter Saturation Voltage

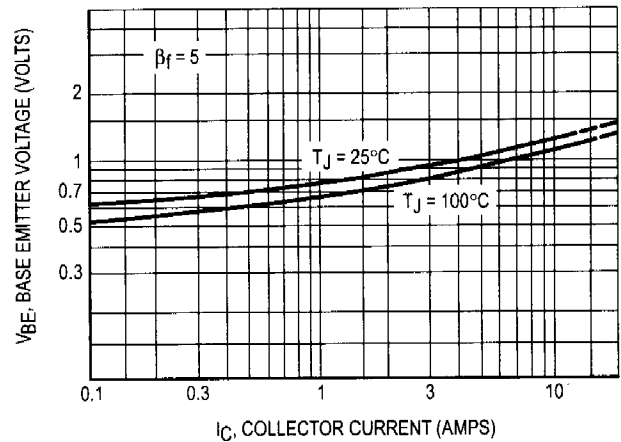


Figure 4. Base-Emitter Voltage

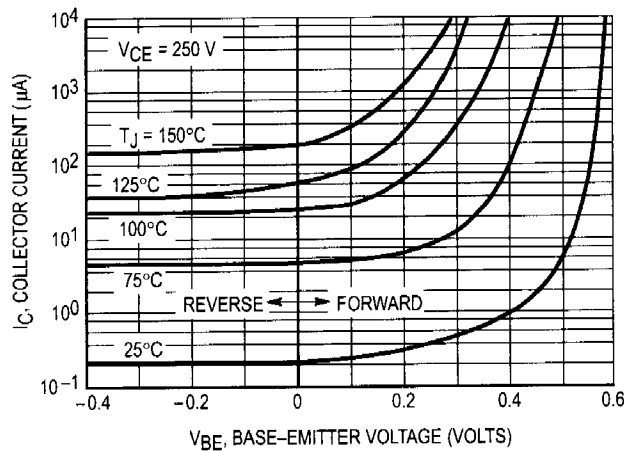


Figure 5. Collector Cutoff Region

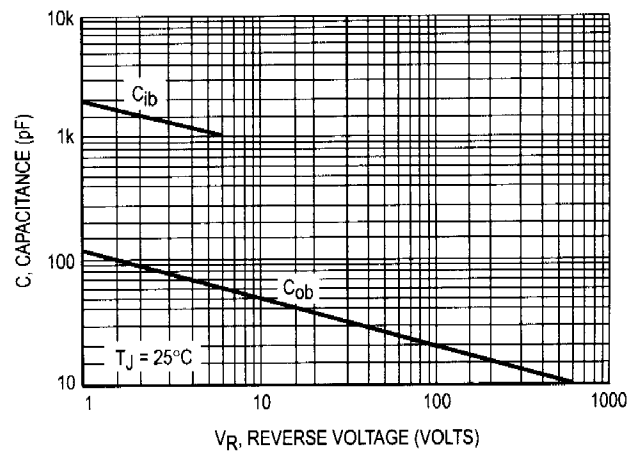
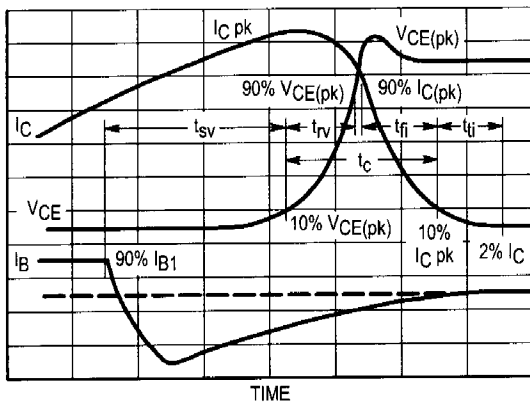


Figure 6. Capacitance

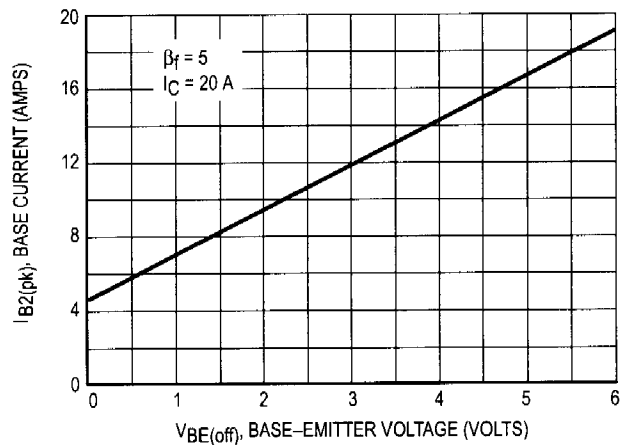
**BUS98 BUS98A**

**Table 1. Test Conditions for Dynamic Performance**

	$V_{CE(sus)}$	RBSOA AND INDUCTIVE SWITCHING	RESISTIVE SWITCHING
INPUT CONDITIONS	<p>PW Varied to Attain <math>I_C = 100 \text{ mA}</math></p>	<p>ADJUST <math>V_{C1}</math> TO OBTAIN DESIRED <math>I_{B1}</math></p> <p>ADJUST <math>V_{C2}</math> TO OBTAIN DESIRED <math>I_{B2}</math></p>	<p><b>TURN-ON TIME</b></p> <p><math>I_{B1}</math> adjusted to obtain the forced <math>h_{FE}</math> desired</p> <p><b>TURN-OFF TIME</b></p> <p>Use inductive switching driver as the input to the resistive test circuit.</p>
CIRCUIT VALUES	$L_{coil} = 25 \text{ mH}$ , $V_{CC} = 10 \text{ V}$ $R_{coil} = 0.7 \Omega$	$L_{coil} = 180 \mu\text{H}$ $R_{coil} = 0.05 \Omega$ $V_{CC} = 20 \text{ V}$ $V_{clamp} = 250 \text{ V}$	$V_{CC} = 250 \text{ V}$ Pulse Width = $10 \mu\text{s}$
TEST CIRCUITS	<p><b>INDUCTIVE TEST CIRCUIT</b></p> <p>SEE ABOVE FOR DETAILED CONDITIONS</p>	<p><b>OUTPUT WAVEFORMS</b></p> <p><math>t_1</math> Adjusted to Obtain <math>I_C</math></p> $t_1 \approx \frac{L_{coil} (I_C(pk))}{V_{CC}}$ $t_2 \approx \frac{L_{coil} (I_C(pk))}{V_{clamp}}$ <p>Test Equipment Scope — Tektronix 475 or Equivalent</p>	<p><b>RESISTIVE TEST CIRCUIT</b></p>



**Figure 7. Inductive Switching Measurements**



**Figure 8. Peak-Reverse Current**