

2N3903 / 2N3904

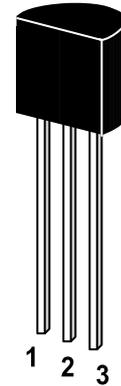


NPN Silicon Epitaxial Planar Transistor

for switching and amplifier applications.

As complementary types the PNP transistors 2N3905 and 2N3906 are recommended.

On special request, these transistors can be manufactured in different pin configurations.



1. Emitter 2. Base 3. Collector
TO-92 Plastic Package
Weight approx. 0.19g

Absolute Maximum Ratings ($T_a = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$)

| Parameter | Symbol | Value | Unit |
|---------------------------|-----------|---------------|------------------|
| Collector Base Voltage | V_{CBO} | 60 | V |
| Collector Emitter Voltage | V_{CEO} | 40 | V |
| Emitter Base Voltage | V_{EBO} | 6 | V |
| Collector Current | I_C | 200 | mA |
| Power Dissipation | P_{tot} | 625 | mW |
| Junction Temperature | T_j | 150 | $^\circ\text{C}$ |
| Storage Temperature Range | T_s | - 55 to + 150 | $^\circ\text{C}$ |

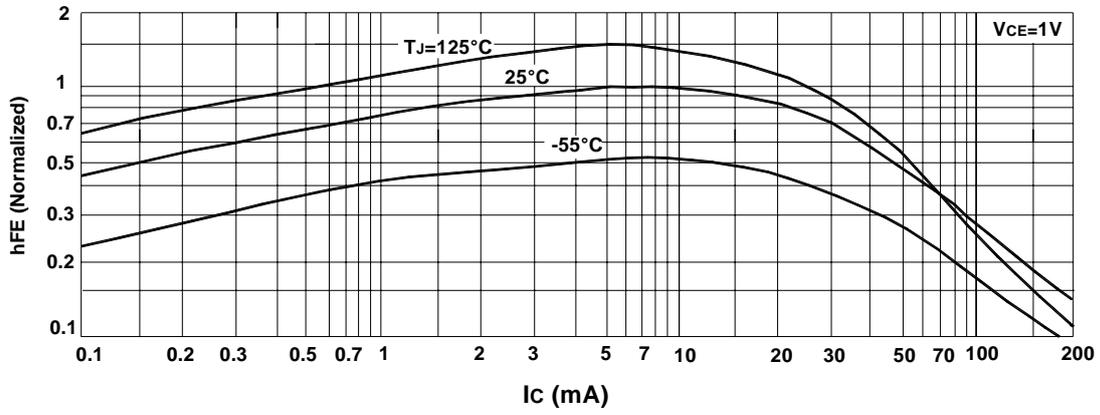


Characteristics at $T_a = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$

| Parameter | Symbol | Min. | Max. | Unit |
|---|--------------------|------|-------------------|------|
| DC Current Gain | | | | |
| at $V_{CE} = 1\text{ V}$, $I_C = 0.1\text{ mA}$ | 2N3903 h_{FE} | 20 | - | - |
| | 2N3904 h_{FE} | 40 | - | - |
| at $V_{CE} = 1\text{ V}$, $I_C = 1\text{ mA}$ | 2N3903 h_{FE} | 35 | - | - |
| | 2N3904 h_{FE} | 70 | - | - |
| at $V_{CE} = 1\text{ V}$, $I_C = 10\text{ mA}$ | 2N3903 h_{FE} | 50 | 150 | - |
| | 2N3904 h_{FE} | 100 | 300 | - |
| at $V_{CE} = 1\text{ V}$, $I_C = 50\text{ mA}$ | 2N3903 h_{FE} | 30 | - | - |
| | 2N3904 h_{FE} | 60 | - | - |
| at $V_{CE} = 1\text{ V}$, $I_C = 100\text{ mA}$ | 2N3903 h_{FE} | 15 | - | - |
| | 2N3904 h_{FE} | 30 | - | - |
| Collector Cutoff Current at $V_{CB} = 30\text{ V}$ | I_{CBO} | - | 50 | nA |
| Emitter Cutoff Current at $V_{EB} = 6\text{ V}$ | I_{EBO} | - | 50 | nA |
| Collector Base Breakdown Voltage at $I_C = 10\text{ }\mu\text{A}$ | $V_{(BR)CBO}$ | 60 | - | V |
| Collector Emitter Breakdown Voltage at $I_C = 1\text{ mA}$ | $V_{(BR)CEO}$ | 40 | - | V |
| Emitter Base Breakdown Voltage at $I_E = 10\text{ }\mu\text{A}$ | $V_{(BR)EBO}$ | 6 | - | V |
| Collector Emitter Saturation Voltage at $I_C = 10\text{ mA}$, $I_B = 1\text{ mA}$ | V_{CEsat} | - | 0.2 | V |
| at $I_C = 50\text{ mA}$, $I_B = 5\text{ mA}$ | V_{CEsat} | - | 0.3 | V |
| Base Emitter Saturation Voltage at $I_C = 10\text{ mA}$, $I_B = 1\text{ mA}$ | V_{BEsat} | - | 0.85 | V |
| at $I_C = 50\text{ mA}$, $I_B = 5\text{ mA}$ | V_{BEsat} | - | 0.95 | V |
| Gain Bandwidth Product at $V_{CE} = 20\text{ V}$, $I_C = 10\text{ mA}$, $f = 100\text{ MHz}$ | 2N3903 f_T | 250 | - | MHz |
| | 2N3904 f_T | 300 | - | MHz |
| Collector Base Capacitance at $V_{CB} = 5\text{ V}$, $f = 100\text{ KHz}$ | C_{cb} | - | 4 | pF |
| Emitter Base Capacitance at $V_{EB} = 0.5\text{ V}$, $f = 100\text{ KHz}$ | C_{eb} | - | 8 | pF |
| Thermal Resistance Junction to Ambient | R_{thA} | - | 250 ¹⁾ | K/W |
| ¹⁾ Valid provided that leads are kept at ambient temperature at a distance of 2 mm from case | | | | |



DC Current Gain



Collector Saturation Region

