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# 1 Absolute maximum ratings

Table 2. Absolute maximum ratings

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Unit
V <sub>CBO</sub>	Collector-base voltage (I <sub>E</sub> = 0)	100	V
V <sub>CEO</sub>	Collector-emitter voltage (I <sub>B</sub> = 0)	100	V
V <sub>EBO</sub>	Emitte-base voltage ( $I_C = 0$ )	5	V
I <sub>C</sub>	Collector current	6	Α
I <sub>CM</sub>	Collector peak current (t <sub>P</sub> < 5ms)	10	Α
I <sub>B</sub>	Base current	3	Α
P <sub>TOT</sub>	Total dissipation at T <sub>case</sub> = 25°C	65	W
T <sub>stg</sub>	Storage temperature	-65 to 150	°C
TJ	Max. operating junction temperature	150	°C

Note: For PNP types voltage and current values are negative

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### 2 Electrical characteristics

(T<sub>case</sub> = 25°C; unless otherwise specified)

Table 3. Electrical characteristics

Symbol	Parameter	Test con	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit	
I <sub>CEO</sub>	Collector cut-off current (I <sub>B</sub> = 0)	V <sub>CE</sub> = 60 V				0.7	mA
I <sub>EBO</sub>	Emitter cut-off current (I <sub>C</sub> = 0)	V <sub>EB</sub> = 5 V				1	mA
I <sub>CES</sub>	Collector cut-off current (V <sub>BE</sub> = 0)	V <sub>CE</sub> = 100 V				0.4	mA
V <sub>CEO(sus)</sub> <sup>(1)</sup>	Collector-emitter sustaining voltage (I <sub>B</sub> = 0)	I <sub>C</sub> = 30 mA		100			V
V <sub>CE(sat)</sub> <sup>(1)</sup>	Collector-emitter saturation voltage	I <sub>C</sub> = 6 A	$I_{B} = 0.6 A$			1.5	V
V <sub>BE(on)</sub> <sup>(1)</sup>	Base-emitter voltage	I <sub>C</sub> = 6 A	$V_{CE} = 4 V$			2	V
h <sub>FE</sub> <sup>(1)</sup>	DC current gain	$I_C = 0.3 A$ $I_C = 3 A$ Group R Group O Group Y	-	30 15 15 24 42		75 28 44 75	

<sup>1.</sup> Pulsed duration = 300 ms, duty cycle  $\geq$ 1.5%.

Note: 1 Product is pre-selected in DC current gain (group R, group O and group Y).

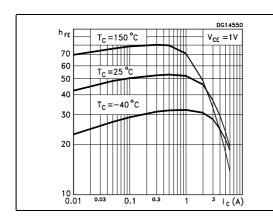
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### 2.1 Typical characteristic (curves)

Figure 2. DC current gain (NPN)

Figure 3. DC current gain (PNP)



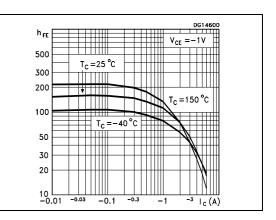
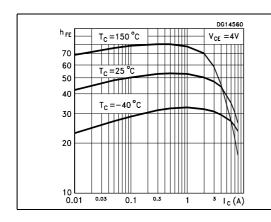


Figure 4. DC current gain (NPN)

Figure 5. DC current gain (PNP)



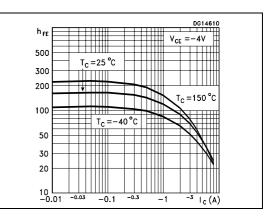
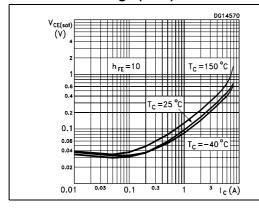
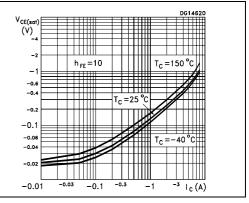


Figure 6. Collector-emitter saturation voltage (NPN)

Figure 7. Collector-emitter saturation voltage (PNP)

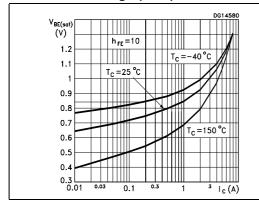




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Figure 8. Base-emitter saturation voltage (NPN)

Figure 9. Base-emitter saturation voltage (PNP)



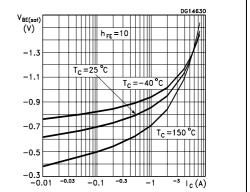
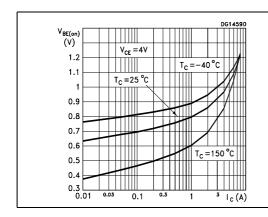


Figure 10. Base-emitter voltage (NPN)

Figure 11. Base-emitter voltage (PNP)



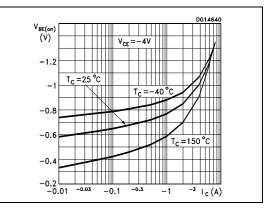
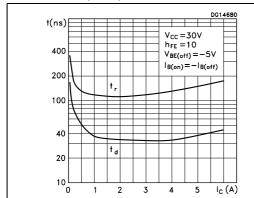
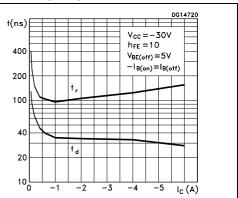


Figure 12. Resistive load switching time Figure 13. Resistive load switching time (NPN) (PNP)





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Figure 14. Resistive load switching time Figure 15. Resistive load switching time (NPN) (PNP)

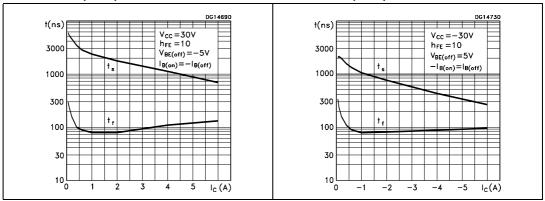
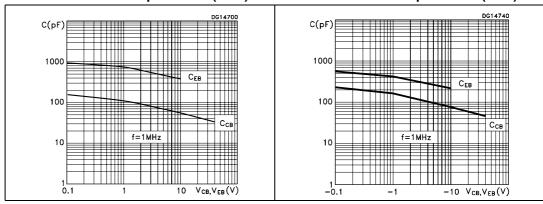


Figure 16. Collector-base and collector- Figure 17. Collector-base and collector- emitter capacitance (NPN) emitter capacitance (PNP)



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### 2.2 Test circuit

Figure 18. Inductive load switching test circuit

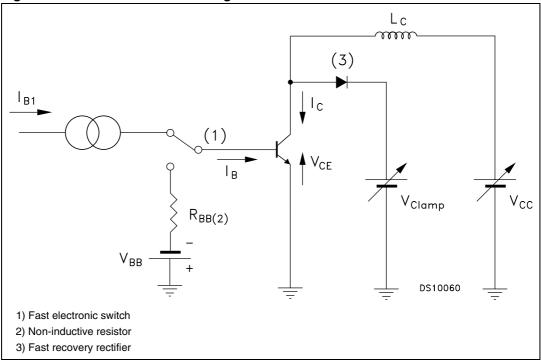
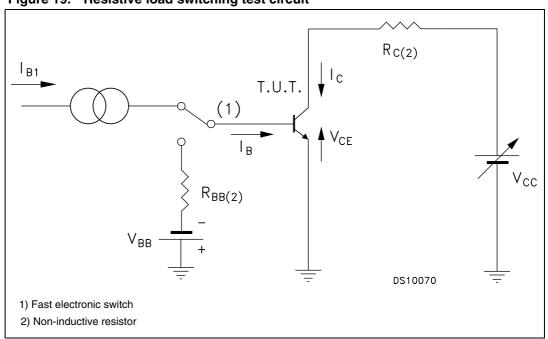


Figure 19. Resistive load switching test circuit



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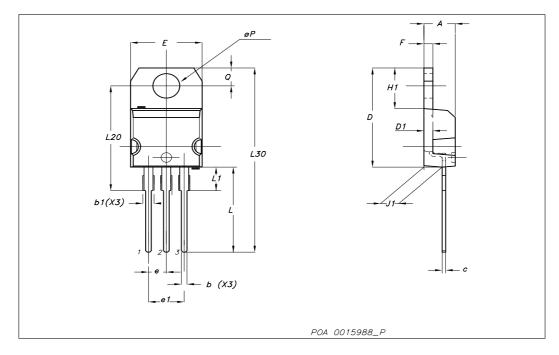
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# 3 Package mechanical data

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#### TO-220 mechanical data

Dim		mm			inch			
Dim	Min	Тур	Max	Min	Тур	Max		
Α	4.40		4.60	0.173		0.181		
b	0.61		0.88	0.024		0.034		
b1	1.14		1.70	0.044		0.066		
С	0.49		0.70	0.019		0.027		
D	15.25		15.75	0.6		0.62		
D1		1.27			0.050			
E	10		10.40	0.393		0.409		
е	2.40		2.70	0.094		0.106		
e1	4.95		5.15	0.194		0.202		
F	1.23		1.32	0.048		0.051		
H1	6.20		6.60	0.244		0.256		
J1	2.40		2.72	0.094		0.107		
L	13		14	0.511		0.551		
L1	3.50		3.93	0.137		0.154		
L20		16.40			0.645			
L30		28.90			1.137			
ØP	3.75		3.85	0.147		0.151		
Q	2.65		2.95	0.104		0.116		



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# 4 Revision history

Table 4. Document revision history

Date	Revision	Changes
24-Oct-2006	1	Initial release
19-Nov-2007	2	Content reworked to improve readability, no technical changes

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