

## Low voltage high speed switching NPN transistor

#### **Features**

- High speed switching
- NPN device

### **Applications**

- Audio amplifier
- High speed switching applications

#### **Description**

This device is an NPN low voltage transistor manufactured using epitaxial planar technology and housed in a SOT-32 plastic package. It is designed for low power audio amplifiers and low current, high speed switching applications.

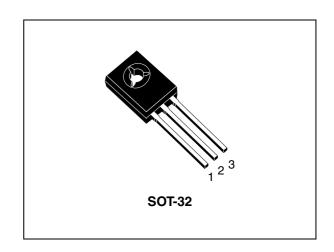


Figure 1. Internal schematic diagram

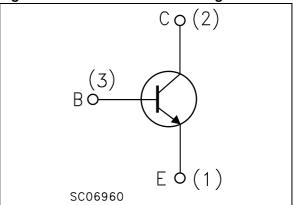


Table 1. Device summary

Order code	Marking	Package	Packaging
MJE172	MJE172 MJE172		Tube

Electrical ratings MJE172

# 1 Electrical ratings

Table 2. Absolute maximum ratings

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Unit	
V <sub>CEO</sub>	Collector-emitter voltage (I <sub>B</sub> = 0)	80	V	
V <sub>CBO</sub>	Collector-base voltage (I <sub>E</sub> = 0)	100	V	
V <sub>EBO</sub>	Base-emitter voltage ( $I_C = 0$ )	7	V	
I <sub>C</sub>	Collector current	3	Α	
I <sub>CM</sub>	Collector peak current (t <sub>P</sub> < 5 ms)	6	Α	
I <sub>B</sub>	Base current	1	Α	
I <sub>BM</sub>	Base peak current (t <sub>P</sub> < 5 ms)	2	Α	
P <sub>TOT</sub>	Total dissipation at $T_c \le 25$ °C	12.5	W	
T <sub>stg</sub>	Storage temperature	-65 to 150	ိုင	
TJ	Total power dissipation at $T_{\text{c}} \leq 25~^{\circ}\text{C}$	150	]	

Table 3. Thermal data

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Unit
R <sub>thJC</sub>	Thermal resistance junction-case max	10	°C/W
R <sub>th-amb</sub>	Thermal resistance junction-ambient max	83.3	°C/W

## 2 Electrical characteristics

 $T_{case}$  = 25 °C unless otherwise specified.

Table 4. Electrical characteristics

Symbol	Parameter	Test conditions		Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit
I <sub>CBO</sub>	Collector cut-off current (I <sub>E</sub> = 0)	V <sub>CB</sub> = 100 V V <sub>CB</sub> = 100 V, T <sub>C</sub>	= 150 °C			0.1 0.1	μA mA
V <sub>EBO</sub>	Emitter cut-off current (I <sub>C</sub> = 0)	V <sub>EB</sub> = 7 V				0.1	μΑ
V <sub>CEO(sus)</sub> <sup>(1)</sup>	Collector-emitter sustaining voltage (I <sub>B</sub> = 0)	I <sub>C</sub> = 10 mA		80			V
V <sub>CE(sat)</sub> (1)	Collector-emitter saturation voltage	$I_C = 0.5 A$ $I_C = 1.5 A$ $I_C = 3 A$	$I_B = 50 \text{ mA}$ $I_B = 0.15 \text{ A}$ $I_B = 0.6 \text{ A}$			0.3 0.9 1.7	V
V <sub>BE(sat)</sub> (1)	Base-emitter saturation voltage	$I_C = 1.5 A$ $I_C = 3 A$	$I_B = 0.15 A$ $I_B = 0.6 A$			1.5 2	V V
V <sub>BE(on)</sub> (1)	Base-emitter on voltage	I <sub>C</sub> = 0.5 A	V <sub>CE</sub> =1 V			1.2	V
h <sub>FE</sub>	DC current gain	$I_C = 0.1 A$ $I_C = 0.5 A$ $I_C = 1.5 A$	$V_{CE} = 1 V$ $V_{CE} = 1 V$ $V_{CE} = 1 V$	50 30 12		250	
f <sub>T</sub>	Transistor frequency	I <sub>C</sub> = 0.1 A f=10 MHz	V <sub>CE</sub> = 10 V	50			MHz
C <sub>CBO</sub>	Collector-base capacitance (I <sub>E</sub> =0)	V <sub>CB</sub> = 10 V	f= 0.1 MHz			60	pF

<sup>1.</sup> Pulse test: pulse duration  $\leq$  300  $\mu$ s, duty cycle  $\leq$  1.5 %.

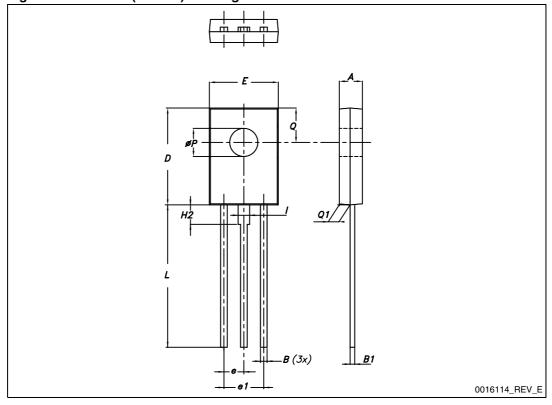
# 3 Package mechanical data

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Table 5. SOT-32 (TO-126) mechanical data

Dim.	mm.				
	Min.	Тур.	Max.		
Α	2.40		2.90		
В	0.64		0.88		
B1	0.39		0.63		
D	10.50	10.50 11.05			
E	7.40		7.80		
е	2.04	2.29	2.54		
e1	4.07	4.58	5.08		
L	15.30		16		
ØP	2.90		3.20		
Q		3.80			
Q1	1		1.52		
H2		2.15			
I		1.27			

Figure 2. SOT-32 (TO-126) drawing



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# 4 Revision history

Table 6. Document revision history

Date	Revision	Changes
22-Sep-2003	4	
08-Aug-2011	5	<ul><li>Part number MJE172 has been moved to a separate datasheet.</li><li>Minor text changes</li></ul>

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