

NPN MEDIUM POWER SILICON TRANSISTOR
Qualified per MIL-PRF-19500/ 581
Devices
2N4237
2N4238
2N4239
Qualified Level
**JANTX
JANTXV**
MAXIMUM RATINGS ($T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ Unless Otherwise noted)

| Ratings | Symbol | 2N4237 | 2N4238 | 2N4239 | Units |
|---|-------------------|--------|-------------|--------|------------------|
| Collector-Emitter Voltage | V_{CEO} | 40 | 60 | 80 | Vdc |
| Collector-Base Voltage | V_{CBO} | 50 | 80 | 100 | Vdc |
| Emitter-Base Voltage | V_{EBO} | | 6.0 | | Vdc |
| Collector Current | I_C | | 1.0 | | Adc |
| Base Current | I_B | | 0.5 | | Adc |
| Total Power Dissipation @ $T_A = +25^\circ\text{C}^{(1)}$ | P_T | | 1.0 | | W |
| @ $T_C = +25^\circ\text{C}^{(2)}$ | | | 6.0 | | W |
| Operating & Storage Temperature Range | T_{op}, T_{stg} | | -65 to +200 | | $^\circ\text{C}$ |

THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS

| Characteristics | Symbol | Max. | Unit |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------|------|---------------------------|
| Thermal Resistance, Junction-to-Case | $R_{\theta JC}$ | 29 | $^\circ\text{C}/\text{W}$ |

 1) Derate linearly $5.7 \text{ mW}/^\circ\text{C}$ for $T_A > +25^\circ\text{C}$

 2) Derate linearly $34 \text{ mW}/^\circ\text{C}$ for $T_C > +25^\circ\text{C}$


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 *See appendix A for
package outline

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

| Characteristics | Symbol | Min. | Max. | Unit |
|---|---------------|------|-------------------|-------------|
| OFF CHARACTERISTICS | | | | |
| Collector-Emitter Breakdown Voltage $I_C = 100 \text{ mA}$ | $V_{(BR)CEO}$ | | 50 80 100 | Vdc |
| Emitter-Base Cutoff Current $V_{EB} = 6.0 \text{ Vdc}$ | I_{EBO} | | 0.5 | mA |
| Collector-Emitter Cutoff Current $V_{CE} = 90 \text{ Vdc}, V_{BE} = 1.5 \text{ Vdc}$ | I_{CEX} | | 100 100 100 | nA |
| $V_{CE} = 50 \text{ Vdc}$ | I_{CBO} | | 100 | nA |
| $V_{CE} = 80 \text{ Vdc}$ | | | 100 | |
| $V_{CE} = 10 \text{ Vdc}$ | | | 100 | |
| Collector-Base Cutoff Current $V_{CE} = 50 \text{ Vdc}$ | I_{CBO} | | 100 | nA |
| $V_{CE} = 80 \text{ Vdc}$ | | | 100 | |
| $V_{CE} = 10 \text{ Vdc}$ | | | 100 | |

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (con't)

| Characteristics | Symbol | Min. | Max. | Unit |
|--|---------------|----------|------------|------|
| ON CHARACTERISTICS⁽³⁾ | | | | |
| Forward Current Transfer Ratio $I_C = 250 \text{ mA}$, $V_{CE} = 1.0 \text{ Vdc}$ $I_C = 500 \text{ mA}$, $V_{CE} = 1.0 \text{ Vdc}$ | h_{FE} | 30 30 | 150 | |
| Collector-Emitter Saturation Voltage $I_C = 500 \text{ Adc}$, $I_B = 50 \text{ Adc}$ $I_C = 1.0 \text{ Adc}$, $I_B = 0.1 \text{ Adc}$ | $V_{CE(sat)}$ | | 0.3 0.6 | Vdc |
| Base-Emitter Saturation Voltage $I_C = 500 \text{ Adc}$, $I_B = 50 \text{ Adc}$ $I_C = 1.0 \text{ Adc}$, $I_B = 0.1 \text{ Adc}$ | $V_{BE(sat)}$ | | 1.0 1.5 | Vdc |
| DYNAMIC CHARACTERISTICS | | | | |
| Magnitude of Common Emitter Small-Signal Short Circuit Forward-Current Transfer Ratio $I_C = 100 \text{ mA}$, $V_{CE} = 10 \text{ Vdc}$, $f = 10 \text{ MHz}$ | $ h_{fe} $ | 3.0 | | |
| Output Capacitance $V_{CB} = 10 \text{ Vdc}$, $I_E = 0$, $f = 100 \text{ kHz}$ | C_{obo} | | 100 | pF |

SAFE OPERATING AREA**DC Tests** $T_C = +25^{\circ}\text{C}$, 1 Cycle, $t \geq 0.5 \text{ s}$ **Test 1** $V_{CE} = 6.0 \text{ Vdc}$, $I_C = 1.0 \text{ Adc}$ **Test 2** $V_{CE} = 12 \text{ Vdc}$, $I_C = 500 \text{ mA}$ **Test 3** $V_{CE} = 30 \text{ Vdc}$, $I_C = 166 \text{ mA}$ 2N4237 $V_{CE} = 50 \text{ Vdc}$, $I_C = 100 \text{ mA}$ 2N4238 $V_{CE} = 70 \text{ Vdc}$, $I_C = 71 \text{ mA}$ 2N4239