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## NTE51

### Silicon NPN Transistor

### High Voltage, High Speed Switch

#### **Description:**

The NTE51 is a silicon NPN transistor in a TO220 type package designed for high-voltage, high-speed power switching inductive circuits where fall time is critical. This device is particularly suited for 115V and 220V SWITCHMODE applications such as switching regulators, Inverters, motor controls, solenoid/relay drivers and deflection circuits.

#### **Features:**

- Reverse Bias SOA with Inductive Loads @  $T_C = +100^\circ\text{C}$
- 700V Blocking Capability

#### **Absolute Maximum Ratings:**

Collector-Emitter Voltage, $V_{CEO(\text{sus})}$	.....	400V
Collector-Emitter Voltage, $V_{CEV}$	.....	700V
Emitter Base Voltage, $V_{EBO}$	.....	9V
Collector Current, $I_C$		
Continuous	.....	4A
Peak (Note 1)	.....	8A
Base Current, $I_B$		
Continuous	.....	2A
Peak (Note 1)	.....	4A
Emitter Current, $I_E$		
Continuous	.....	6A
Peak (Note 1)	.....	12A
Total Power Dissipation ( $T_A = +25^\circ\text{C}$ ), $P_D$	.....	2W
Derate above $25^\circ\text{C}$	.....	16mW/ $^\circ\text{C}$
Total Power Dissipation ( $T_C = +25^\circ\text{C}$ ), $P_D$	.....	75W
Derate above $25^\circ\text{C}$	.....	600mW/ $^\circ\text{C}$
Operating Junction Temperature Range, $T_J$	.....	$-65^\circ$ to $+150^\circ\text{C}$
Storage Temperature Range, $T_{\text{stg}}$	.....	$-65^\circ$ to $+150^\circ\text{C}$
Thermal Resistance, Junction-to-Case, $R_{\text{thJC}}$	.....	$1.67^\circ\text{C}/\text{W}$
Thermal Resistance, Junction-to-Ambient, $R_{\text{thJA}}$	.....	$62.5^\circ\text{C}/\text{W}$
Lead Temperature (During Soldering, 1/8" from case, 5sec), $T_L$	.....	$+275^\circ\text{C}$

#### **Electrical Characteristics:** ( $T_C = +25^\circ\text{C}$ unless otherwise Specified)

Parameter	Symbol	Test Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
<b>OFF Characteristics (Note 1)</b>						
Collector-Emitter Sustaining Voltage	$V_{CEO(\text{sus})}$	$I_c = 10\text{mA}$ , $I_B = 0$	400	—	—	V
Collector Cutoff Current	$I_{CEV}$	$V_{CEV} = 700\text{V}$ , $V_{BE(\text{off})} = 1.5\text{V}$	—	—	1	mA
		$V_{CEV} = 700\text{V}$ , $V_{BE(\text{off})} = 1.5\text{V}$ , $T_C = +100^\circ\text{C}$	—	—	1	mA
Emitter Cutoff Current	$I_{EBO}$	$V_{EB} = 9\text{V}$ , $I_c = 0$	—	—	1	mA

Note 1. Pulse test: Pulse Width = 300 $\mu\text{s}$ , Duty Cycle = 2%.

## Electrical Characteristics (Cont'd): ( $T_C = +25^\circ\text{C}$ unless otherwise Specified)

Parameter	Symbol	Test Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
<b>ON Characteristics (Note 1)</b>						
DC Current Gain	$\text{h}_{\text{FE}}$	$V_{\text{CE}} = 5\text{V}, I_{\text{C}} = 1\text{A}$	10	—	60	
		$V_{\text{CE}} = 5\text{V}, I_{\text{C}} = 2\text{A}$	8	—	40	
Collector-Emitter Saturation Voltage	$V_{\text{CE}(\text{sat})}$	$I_{\text{C}} = 1\text{A}, I_{\text{B}} = 0.2\text{A}$	—	—	0.5	V
		$I_{\text{C}} = 2\text{A}, I_{\text{B}} = 0.5\text{A}$	—	—	0.6	V
		$I_{\text{C}} = 2\text{A}, I_{\text{B}} = 0.5\text{A}, T_C = +100^\circ\text{C}$	—	—	1.0	V
		$I_{\text{C}} = 4\text{A}, I_{\text{B}} = 1\text{A}$	—	—	1.0	V
<b>Dynamics Characteristics</b>						
Current Gain-Bandwidth Product	$f_T$	$V_{\text{CE}} = 10\text{V}, I_{\text{C}} = 500\text{mA}, f = 1\text{MHz}$	4	—	—	MHz
Output Capacitance	$C_{\text{ob}}$	$V_{\text{CB}} = 10\text{V}, I_{\text{E}} = 0, f = 0.1\text{MHz}$	—	65	—	pF
<b>Switching Characteristics (Resistive Load)</b>						
Delay Time	$t_d$	$V_{\text{CC}} = 125\text{V}, I_{\text{C}} = 2\text{A}, I_{\text{B}1} = I_{\text{B}2} = 0.4\text{A}, t_p = 25\mu\text{s}, \text{Duty Cycle} \leq 1\%$	—	0.025	0.1	$\mu\text{s}$
Rise Time	$t_r$		—	0.3	0.7	$\mu\text{s}$
Storage Time	$t_s$		—	1.7	4.0	$\mu\text{s}$
Fall Time	$t_f$		—	0.4	0.9	$\mu\text{s}$
<b>Switching Characteristics (Inductive Load, Clamped)</b>						
Voltage Storage Time	$t_{sv}$	$V_{\text{clamp}} = 300\text{V}, I_{\text{B}1} = 0.4\text{A}, V_{\text{BE}(\text{off})} = 5\text{V}$	—	0.9	4.0	$\mu\text{s}$
Crossover Time	$t_c$		—	0.32	0.9	$\mu\text{s}$
Fall Time	$t_{fi}$		—	0.16	—	$\mu\text{s}$

Note 1. Pulse test: Pulse Width = 300 $\mu\text{s}$ , Duty Cycle = 2%.

