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NPN SILICON RF TRANSISTOR
NE46234 / 2SC4703

NPN EPITAXIAL SILICON RF TRANSISTOR FOR HIGH-FREQUENCY LOW DISTORTION AMPLIFIER 3-PIN POWER MINIMOLD

DESCRIPTION

The NE46234 / 2SC4703 is designed for low distortion, low noise RF amplifier operating with low supply voltage (V_{CE} = 5 V). This low distortion characteristic makes it suitable for CATV, tele-communication and other use. It employs surface mount type plastic package, power mini mold (SOT-89).

FEATURES

- Low distortion, low voltage: IM_2 = 55 dBc TYP., IM_3 = 76 dBc TYP. @ V_{CE} = 5 V, I_C = 50 mA, V_O = 105 dBμV/75Ω
- Large P_{tot} : P_{tot} = 1.8 W (Mounted on double-sided copper-clad 16 cm^2 × 0.7 mm (t) ceramic substrate)
- Small package : 3-pin power mini mold package

ORDERING INFORMATION

Part Number	Quantity	Supplying Form
NE46234-AZ 2SC4703	25 pcs (Non reel)	• 12 mm wide embossed taping
NE46234-T1-AZ 2SC4703-T1	1 kpcs/reel	• Collector face the perforation side of the tape

Remark To order evaluation samples, contact your nearby sales office.
The unit sample quantity is 25 pcs.

ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS (T_A = +25°C)

Parameter	Symbol	Ratings	Unit
Collector to Base Voltage	V_{CBO}	25	V
Collector to Emitter Voltage	V_{CEO}	12	V
Emitter to Base Voltage	V_{EBO}	2.5	V
Collector Current	I_C	150	mA
Total Power Dissipation	P_{tot} Note	1.8	W
Junction Temperature	T_j	150	°C
Storage Temperature	T_{stg}	−65 to +150	°C

Note Mounted on double-sided copper-clad 16 cm^2 × 0.7 mm (t) ceramic substrate

Caution Observe precautions when handling because these devices are sensitive to electrostatic discharge.

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The mark ★ shows major revised points.

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (T_A = +25°C)

Parameter	Symbol	Test Conditions		MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	Unit
DC Characteristics							
Collector Cut-off Current	I_{CBO}	V_{CB} = 20 V, I_E = 0 mA		–	–	1.5	μA
Emitter Cut-off Current	I_{EBO}	V_{EB} = 2 V, I_C = 0 mA		–	–	1.5	μA
DC Current Gain	h_{FE} Note 1	V_{CE} = 5 V, I_C = 50 mA		50	–	250	–
RF Characteristics							
Gain Bandwidth Product	f_T	V_{CE} = 5 V, I_C = 50 mA		–	6.0	–	GHz
Insertion Power Gain (1)	$\|S_{21e}\|^2$	V_{CE} = 5 V, I_C = 50 mA, f = 1 GHz		6.5	8.3	–	dB
Insertion Power Gain (2)	$\|S_{21e}\|^2$	V_{CE} = 10 V, I_C = 20 mA, f = 1 GHz		–	8.5	–	dB
Noise Figure	NF	V_{CE} = 5 V, I_C = 50 mA, f = 1 GHz		–	2.3	3.5	dB
Collector Capacitance	C_{ob} Note 2	V_{CB} = 5 V, I_E = 0 mA, f = 1 MHz		–	1.5	2.5	pF
2nd Order Intermoduration Distortion	IM_2	I_C = 50 mA, V_O = 105 dBμV/75 Ω, f = 190 − 90 MHz	V_{CE} = 5 V	–	55	–	dBc
			V_{CE} = 10 V		63	–	
3rd Order Intermoduration Distortion	IM_3	I_C = 50 mA, V_O = 105 dBμV/75 Ω, f = 2 × 190 − 200 MHz	V_{CE} = 5 V	–	76	–	dBc
			V_{CE} = 10 V	–	81	–	

Notes 1. Pulse measurement: PW ≤ 350 μs, Duty Cycle ≤ 2%

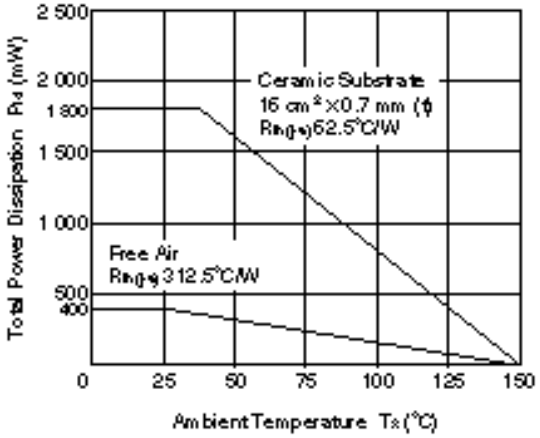
2. Collector to base capacitance when the emitter grounded

h_{FE} CLASSIFICATION

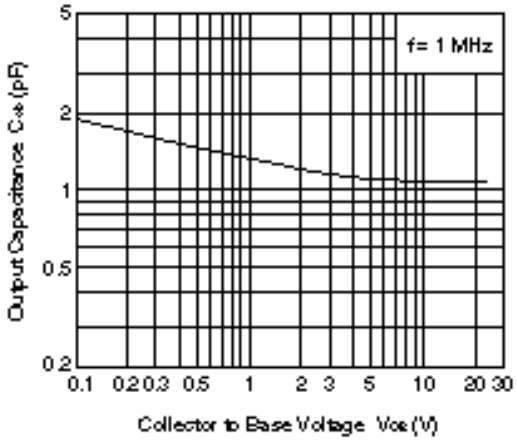
Rank	SH	SF	SE
Marking	SH	SF	SE
h_{FE} Value	50 to 100	80 to 160	125 to 250

TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS (T_A = +25°C)

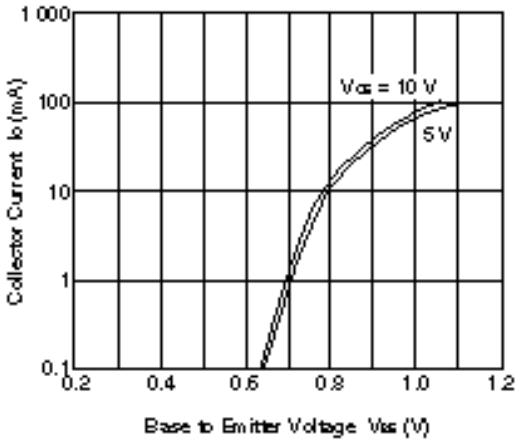
TOTAL POWER DISSIPATION vs. AMBIENT TEMPERATURE



OUTPUT CAPACITANCE vs. COLLECTOR TO BASE VOLTAGE



COLLECTOR CURRENT vs. BASE TO EMITTER VOLTAGE



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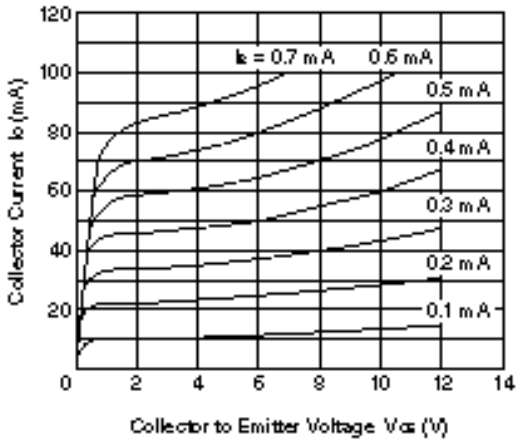
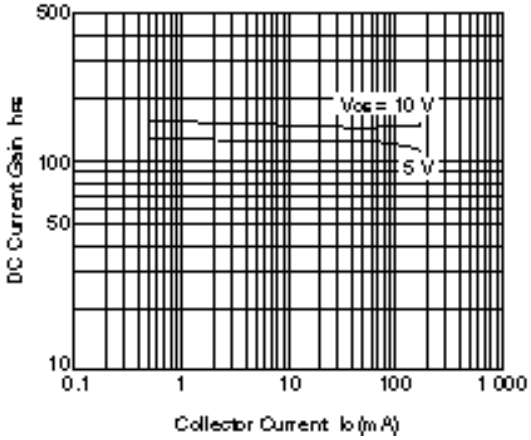
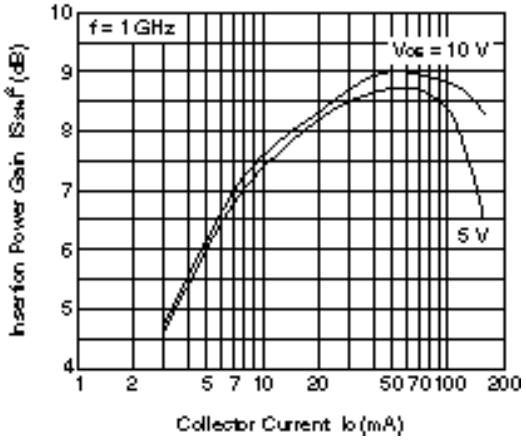


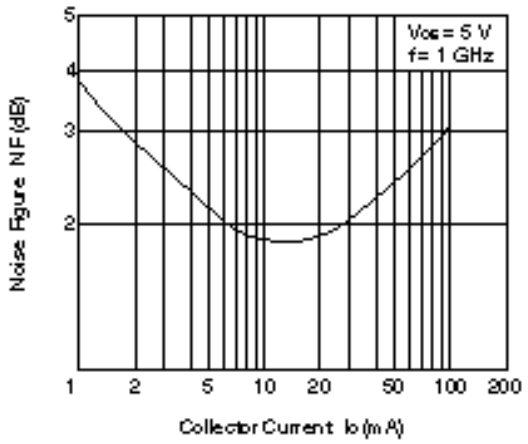
DC CURRENT GAIN vs. COLLECTOR CURRENT



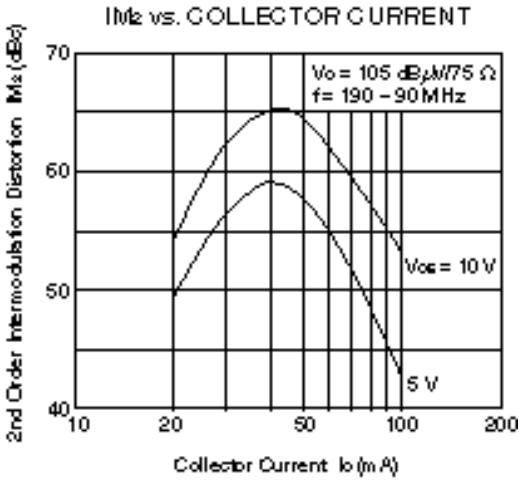
INSERTION POWER GAIN vs. COLLECTOR CURRENT



NOISE FIGURE vs.
COLLECTOR CURRENT



IM2 vs. COLLECTOR CURRENT



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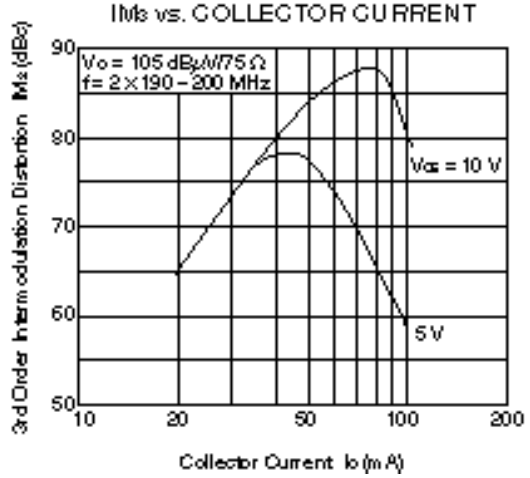

Remark The graphs indicate nominal characteristics.

S-PARAMETERS

S-parameters/Noise parameters are provided on the NEC Compound Semiconductor Devices Web site in a form (S2P) that enables direct import to a microwave circuit simulator without keyboard input.

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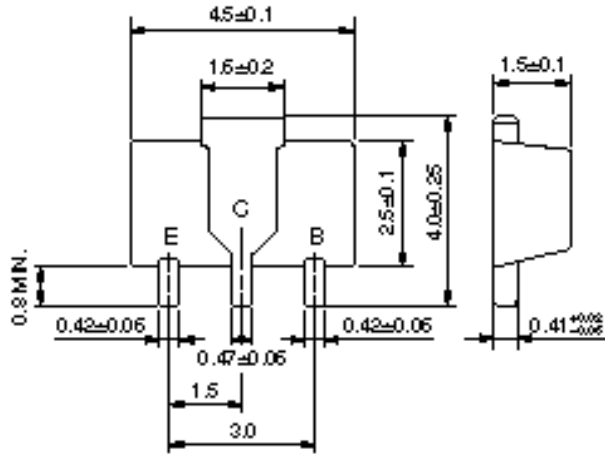
[RF and Microwave] → [Device Parameters]

URL http://www.csd-nec.com/

PACKAGE DIMENSIONS

3-PIN POWER MINIMOLD (UNIT: mm)



PIN CONNECTIONS

E : Emitter
C : Collector (Fin)
B : Base

(IEC : SOT-89)

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