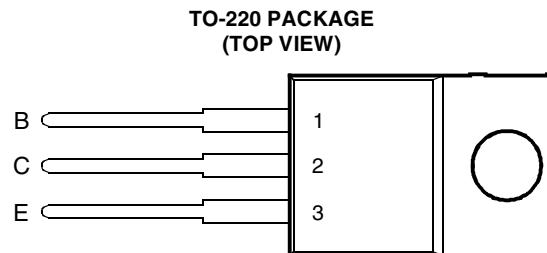


- Designed for Complementary Use with the BD744 Series
- 90 W at 25°C Case Temperature
- 15 A Continuous Collector Current
- 20 A Peak Collector Current
- Customer-Specified Selections Available



Pin 2 is in electrical contact with the mounting base.

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absolute maximum ratings at 25°C case temperature (unless otherwise noted)

RATING		SYMBOL	VALUE	UNIT
Collector-base voltage ($I_E = 0$)	BD743		50	V
	BD743A		70	
	BD743B		90	
	BD743C		110	
Collector-emitter voltage ($I_B = 0$)	BD743		45	V
	BD743A		60	
	BD743B		80	
	BD743C		100	
Emitter-base voltage	V_{EBO}		5	V
Continuous collector current	I_C		15	A
Peak collector current (see Note 1)	I_{CM}		20	A
Continuous base current	I_B		5	A
Continuous device dissipation at (or below) 25°C case temperature (see Note 2)	P_{tot}		90	W
Continuous device dissipation at (or below) 25°C free air temperature (see Note 3)	P_{tot}		2	W
Unclamped inductive load energy (see Note 4)	$\frac{1}{2}L_{C^2}$		90	mJ
Operating free air temperature range	T_A		-65 to +150	°C
Operating junction temperature range	T_j		-65 to +150	°C
Storage temperature range	T_{stg}		-65 to +150	°C
Lead temperature 3.2 mm from case for 10 seconds	T_L		250	°C

NOTES: 1. This value applies for $t_p \leq 0.3$ ms, duty cycle $\leq 10\%$.

2. Derate linearly to 150°C case temperature at the rate of 0.72 W/°C.

3. Derate linearly to 150°C free air temperature at the rate of 16 mW/°C.

4. This rating is based on the capability of the transistor to operate safely in a circuit of: $L = 20$ mH, $I_{B(on)} = 0.4$ A, $R_{BE} = 100$ Ω, $V_{BE(off)} = 0$, $R_S = 0.1$ Ω, $V_{CC} = 20$ V.

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electrical characteristics at 25°C case temperature (unless otherwise noted)

PARAMETER	TEST CONDITIONS			MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
V _{(BR)CEO} Collector-emitter breakdown voltage	I _C = 30 mA I _B = 0 (see Note 5)	BD743 BD743A BD743B BD743C	45 60 80 100				V
I _{CBO} Collector cut-off current	V _{CE} = 50 V V _{CE} = 70 V V _{CE} = 90 V V _{CE} = 110 V V _{CE} = 50 V V _{CE} = 70 V V _{CE} = 90 V V _{CE} = 110 V V _{BE} = 0 V _{BE} = 0 V _{BE} = 0 V _{BE} = 0 T _C = 125°C V _{BE} = 0 T _C = 125°C V _{BE} = 0 T _C = 125°C V _{BE} = 0 T _C = 125°C	BD743 BD743A BD743B BD743C BD743 BD743A BD743B BD743C			0.1 0.1 0.1 0.1 5 5 5 5	mA	
I _{CEO} Collector cut-off current	V _{CE} = 30 V V _{CE} = 60 V I _B = 0 I _B = 0	BD743/743A BD743B/743C			0.1 0.1	mA	
I _{EBO} Emitter cut-off current	V _{EB} = 5 V I _C = 0				0.5	mA	
h _{FE} Forward current transfer ratio	V _{CE} = 4 V V _{CE} = 4 V V _{CE} = 4 V I _C = 1 A I _C = 5 A I _C = 15 A (see Notes 5 and 6)		40 20 5		150		
V _{CE(sat)} Collector-emitter saturation voltage	I _B = 0.5 A I _B = 5 A I _C = 5 A I _C = 15 A (see Notes 5 and 6)				1 3	V	
V _{BE} Base-emitter voltage	V _{CE} = 4 V V _{CE} = 4 V I _C = 5 A I _C = 15 A (see Notes 5 and 6)				1 3	V	
h _{fe} Small signal forward current transfer ratio	V _{CE} = 10 V I _C = 1 A f = 1 kHz		25				
h _{fel} Small signal forward current transfer ratio	V _{CE} = 10 V I _C = 1 A f = 1 MHz		5				

NOTES: 5. These parameters must be measured using pulse techniques, t_p = 300 µs, duty cycle ≤ 2%.

6. These parameters must be measured using voltage-sensing contacts, separate from the current carrying contacts.

thermal characteristics

PARAMETER	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
R _{θJC} Junction to case thermal resistance			1.4	°C/W
R _{θJA} Junction to free air thermal resistance			62.5	°C/W

resistive-load-switching characteristics at 25°C case temperature

PARAMETER	TEST CONDITIONS †			MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
t _d Delay time				20			ns
t _r Rise time	I _C = 5 A V _{BE(off)} = -4.2 V	I _{B(on)} = 0.5 A R _L = 6 Ω	I _{B(off)} = -0.5 A t _p = 20 µs, dc ≤ 2%	350			ns
t _s Storage time				500			ns
t _f Fall time				400			ns

† Voltage and current values shown are nominal; exact values vary slightly with transistor parameters.

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TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS

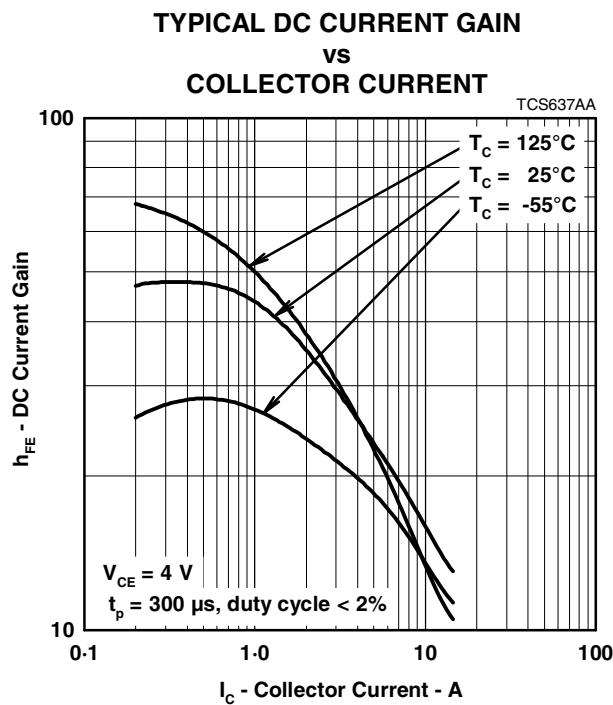


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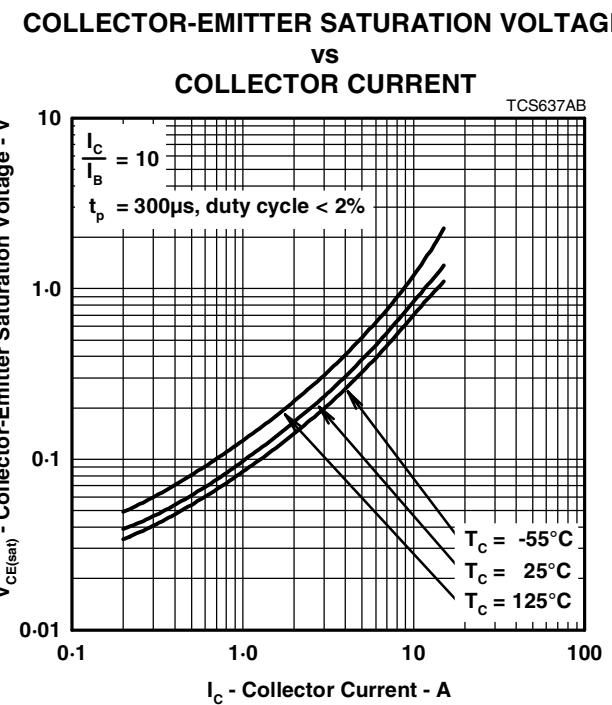


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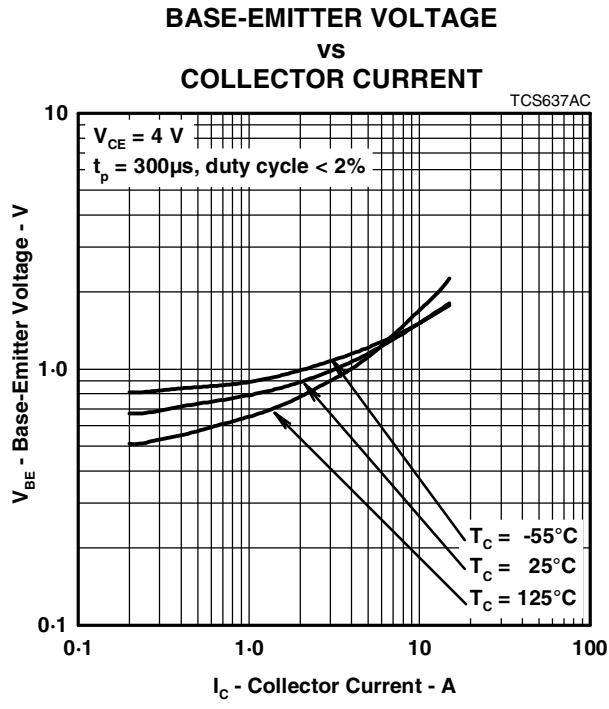


Figure 3.

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MAXIMUM SAFE OPERATING REGIONS

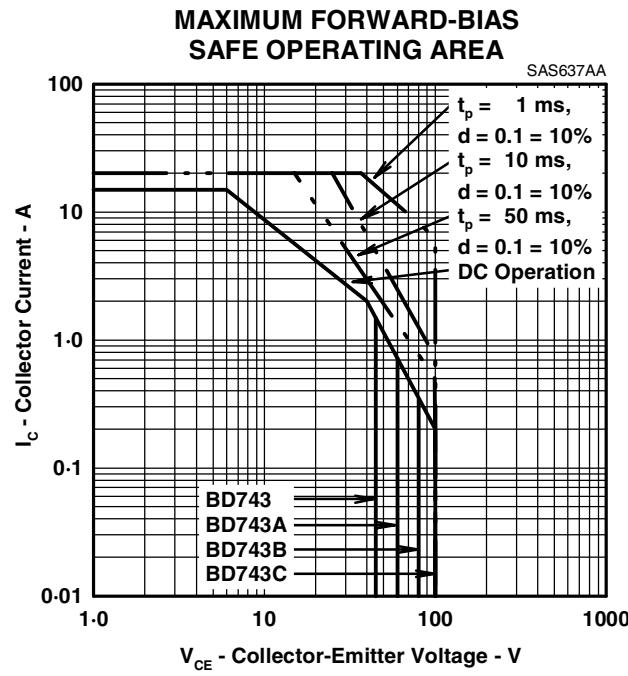


Figure 4.

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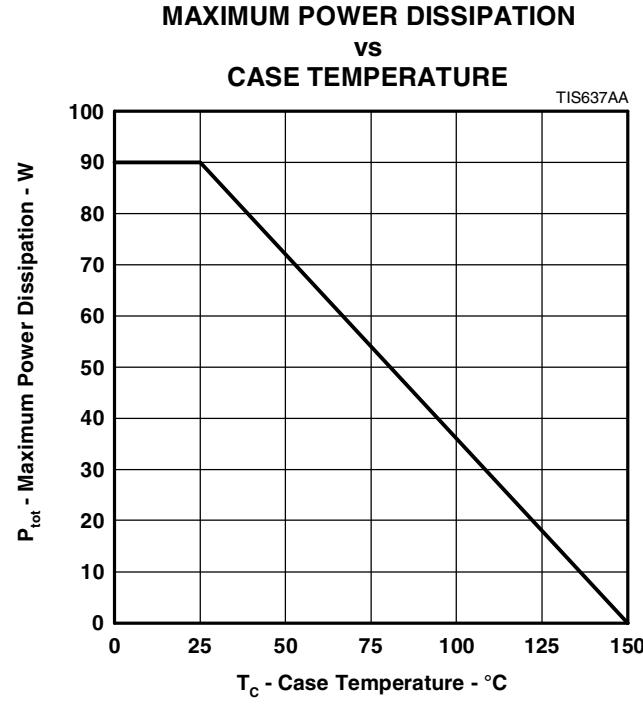


Figure 5.

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