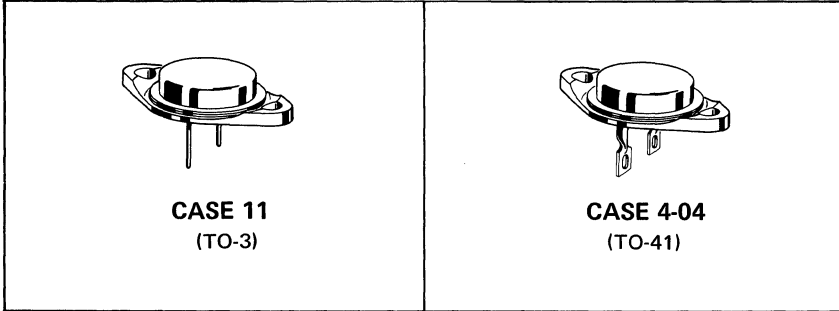


2N2137 thru **2N2146** (GERMANIUM)
2N2137A thru **2N2146A**

PNP germanium industrial power transistors for driver applications in high reliability equipment.



For units with solder lugs attached, specify devices MP2137A etc. (TO-41 package)

MAXIMUM RATINGS

Apply also to standard, non-A series

Rating	Symbol	2N2137A 2N2142A	2N2138A 2N2143A	2N2139A 2N2144A	2N2140A 2N2145A	2N2141A 2N2146A	Unit
Collector-Base Voltage	V_{CB}	30	45	60	75	90	Vdc
Collector-Emitter Voltage	V_{CES}	30	45	60	75	90	Vdc
Collector-Emitter Voltage	V_{CEO}	20	30	45	60	65	Vdc
Emitter-Base Voltage	V_{EB}	15	25	30	40	45	Vdc
Total Device Dissipation @ $T_C = 25^\circ C$ Derate above $25^\circ C$	P_D	70 0.833					Watts W/ $^\circ C$
Operating and Storage Junction Temperature Range	T_J, T_{stg}	-65 to +110					$^\circ C$

2N2137 thru 2N2146 (continued)

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

*Characteristics apply also to corresponding, non-A type numbers.

Characteristic	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
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OFF CHARACTERISTICS

Collector-Emitter Breakdown Voltage** ($I_C = 500 \text{ mAdc}$, $I_B = 0$)	2N2137A, 2N2142A* 2N2138A, 2N2143A* 2N2139A, 2N2144A* 2N2140A, 2N2145A* 2N2141A, 2N2146A*	V_{CEO}^{**}	20 30 45 60 65	- - - - -	- - - - -	Vdc
Collector-Emitter Breakdown Voltage** ($I_C = 300 \text{ mAdc}$, $V_{BE} = 0$)	2N2137A, 2N2142A* 2N2138A, 2N2143A* 2N2139A, 2N2144A* 2N2140A, 2N2145A* 2N2141A, 2N2146A*	V_{CES}^{**}	30 45 60 75 90	- - - - -	- - - - -	Vdc
Floating Potential ($V_{CB} = 30 \text{ Vdc}$, $I_E = 0$)	2N2137A, 2N2142A*	V_{EBF}	-	-	1.0	Vdc
($V_{CB} = 45 \text{ Vdc}$, $I_E = 0$)	2N2138A, 2N2143A*		-	-	1.0	
($V_{CB} = 60 \text{ Vdc}$, $I_E = 0$)	2N2139A, 2N2144A*		-	-	1.0	
($V_{CB} = 75 \text{ Vdc}$, $I_E = 0$)	2N2140A, 2N2145A*		-	-	1.0	
($V_{CB} = 90 \text{ Vdc}$, $I_E = 0$)	2N2141A, 2N2146A*		-	-	1.0	
Collector-Base Cutoff Current ($V_{CB} = 2.0 \text{ Vdc}$, $I_E = 0$) ($V_{CB} = V_{CB(max)}$, $I_C = 0$, $T_C = +71^\circ\text{C}$)		I_{CBO}	- -	0.018 0.75	0.05 5.0	mAdc
Collector-Base Cutoff Current† ($V_{CB} = V_{CB(max)}$, $I_E = 0$)		I_{CBO1}	-	0.1	2.0	mAdc
Emitter-Base Cutoff Current ($V_{BE} = V_{BE(max)}$, $I_C = 0$) ($V_{BE} = V_{BE(max)}$, $I_C = 0$, $T_C = +71^\circ\text{C}$)		I_{EBO}	- -	0.08 0.5	2.0 5.0	mAdc

ON CHARACTERISTICS

DC Current Gain ($I_C = 0.5 \text{ Adc}$, $V_{CE} = 2.0 \text{ Vdc}$)†	2N2137A-2N2141A* 2N2142A-2N2146A*	h_{FE1}	30 50	45 70	60 100	-
($I_C = 2.0 \text{ Adc}$, $V_{CE} = 2.0 \text{ Vdc}$)	2N2137A-2N2141A* 2N2142A-2N2146A*		h_{FE}	15 25	22 33	
Collector-Emitter Saturation Voltage ($I_C = 2.0 \text{ Adc}$, $I_B = 200 \text{ mAdc}$)		$V_{CE(sat)}$	-	0.12	0.5	Vdc
Base-Emitter Saturation Voltage ($I_C = 2.0 \text{ Adc}$, $I_B = 200 \text{ mAdc}$)		$V_{BE(sat)}$	-	0.75	1.2	Vdc

DYNAMIC CHARACTERISTICS

Common Emitter Cutoff Frequency ($I_C = 2.0 \text{ Adc}$, $V_{CE} = 6.0 \text{ Vdc}$)		$f_{\alpha e}$	12	20	-	kHz
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**Sweep method: 1/2 cycle sine wave, 60 Hz .

2N2137 thru 2N2146 (continued)

FIGURE 1 — POWER TEMPERATURE DERATING CURVE

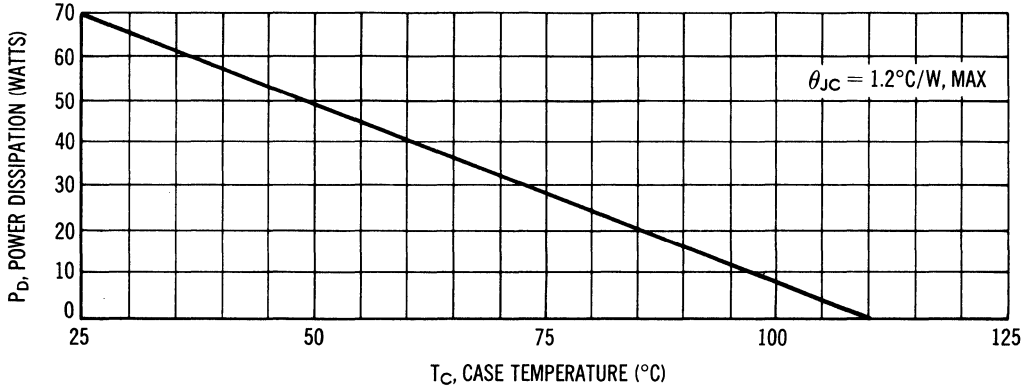
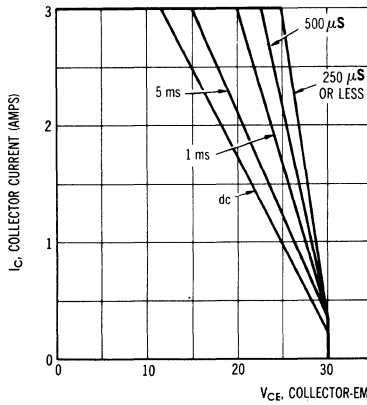


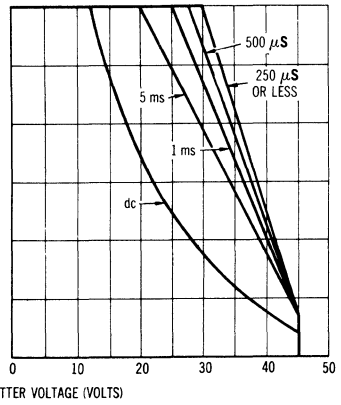
FIGURE 2 — ACTIVE REGION SAFE OPERATING AREAS

The active region safe operating area curves indicate I_C - V_{CE} limits to be observed in order to avoid secondary breakdown. (Secondary breakdown is independent of temperature and duty cycle.) These curves do not define operation in the avalanche region. To insure operation below the maximum junction temperature, power derating must be observed for both steady state and pulse conditions.

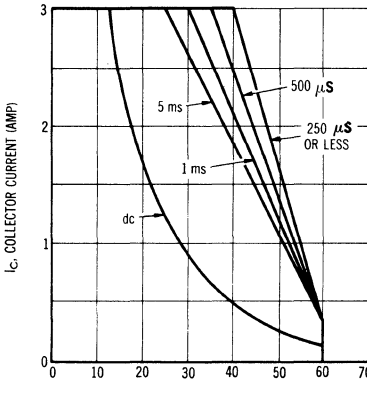
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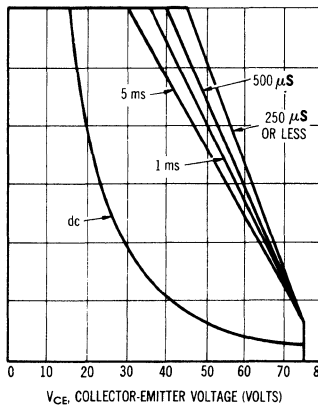
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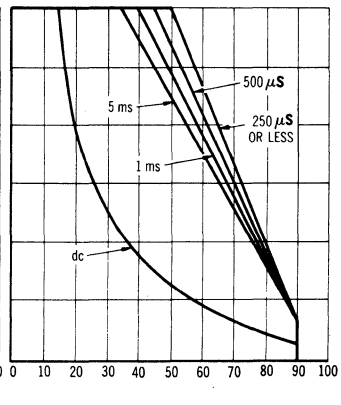
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2N2140, A; 2N2145, A



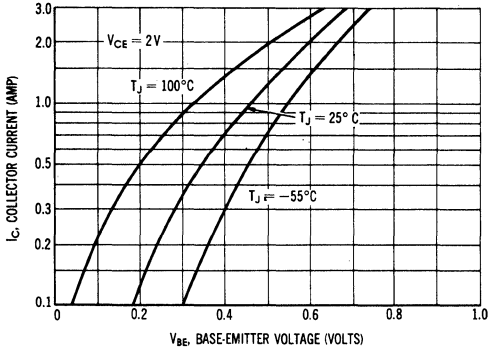
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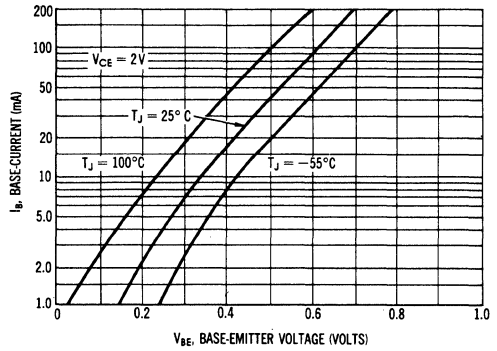
2N2137 thru 2N2146 (continued)

LARGE SIGNAL CHARACTERISTICS

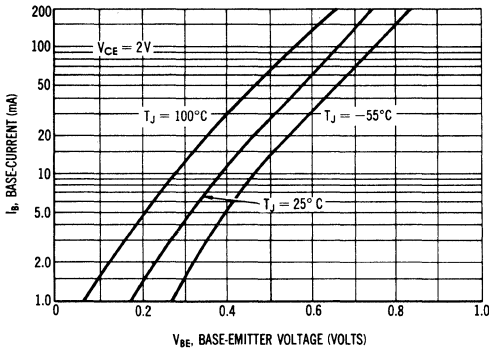
**FIGURE 3 — TRANSCONDUCTANCE
(ALL TYPES)**



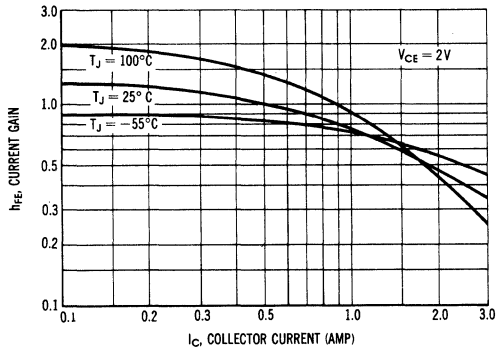
**FIGURE 4 — INPUT ADMITTANCE
(2N2137A-2N2141A, 2N2137-2N2141)**



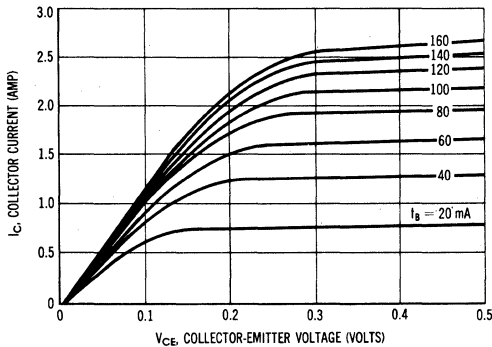
**FIGURE 5 — INPUT ADMITTANCE
(2N2142A-2N2146A, 2N2142-2N2146)**



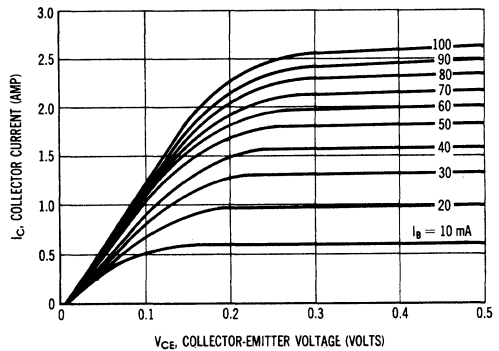
**FIGURE 6 — NORMALIZED DC CURRENT GAIN
(ALL TYPES)**



**FIGURE 7 — SATURATION REGION
(2N2137A-2N2141A, 2N2137-2N2141)**

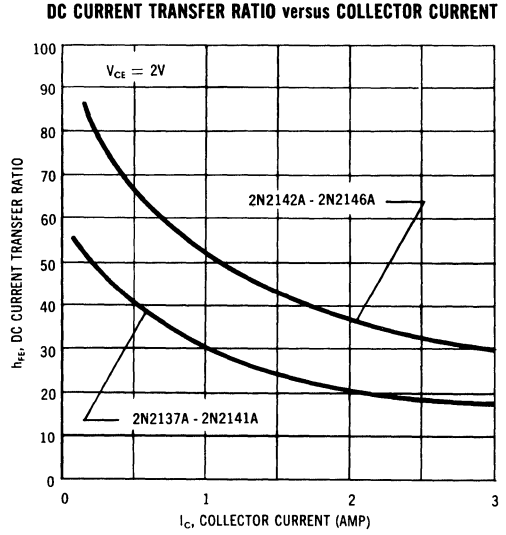
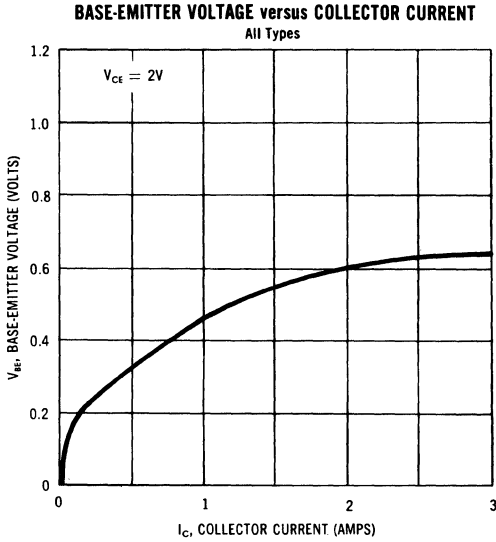


**FIGURE 8 — SATURATION REGION
(2N2142A-2N2146A, 2N2142-2N2146)**



2N2137 thru 2N2146 (continued)

INPUT & TRANSFER CHARACTERISTICS



2N2152 thru 2N2154 (GERMANIUM)
2N2156 thru 2N2158

CASE 5
(TO-36)



PNP germanium power transistors for high-power, high-gain applications in high-reliability industrial equipment.

MAXIMUM RATINGS

Rating	Symbol	2N2152 2N2156	2N2153 2N2157	2N2154 2N2158	Unit
Collector-Emitter Voltage	V_{CEO}	30	45	60	Vdc
Collector-Emitter Voltage	V_{CES}	45	60	75	Vdc
Collector-Base Voltage	V_{CB}	45	60	75	Vdc
Emitter-Base Voltage	V_{EB}	25	30	40	Vdc
Collector Current	I_C	30			Adc
Total Device Dissipation @ $T_C = 25^\circ\text{C}$ Derate above 25°C	P_D	170			Watts
		0.5			$\text{W}/^\circ\text{C}$
Operating Junction Temperature Range	T_J	-65 to +110			$^\circ\text{C}$

THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS

Characteristic	Symbol	Max	Unit
Thermal Resistance, Junction to Case	θ_{JC}	0.5	$^\circ\text{C}/\text{W}$