

SILICON PLANAR EPITAXIAL TRANSISTORS



P-N-P transistors in TO-39 metal envelopes for general purpose applications. N-P-N complements are BC140 and BC141.

QUICK REFERENCE DATA

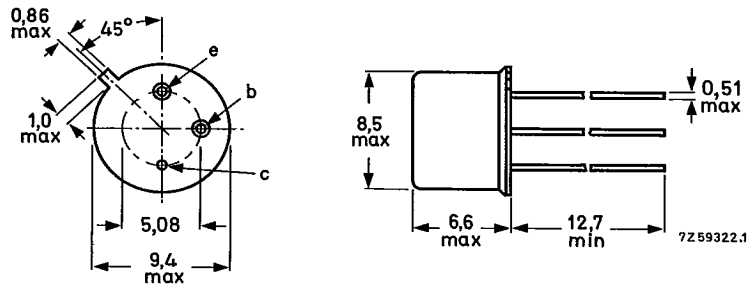
		BC160	BC161	
Collector-emitter voltage (open base)	$-V_{CEO}$ max.	40	60	V
Collector current (d.c.)	$-I_C$ max.	1		A
Total power dissipation up to $T_{case} = 45^\circ C$	$P_{tot}$ max.	3,7		W
Junction temperature	$T_j$ max.	175		$^\circ C$
Transition frequency at $f = 20$ MHz $-I_C = 50$ mA; $-V_{CE} = 10$ V	$f_T >$	50		MHz
		BC160-10 BC161-10	BC160-16 BC161-16	
D.C. current gain $-I_C = 100$ mA; $-V_{CE} = 1$ V	$h_{FE} >$ $<$	63 160	100 250	

MECHANICAL DATA

Dimensions in mm

Fig. 1 TO-39.

Collector connected to case.



maximum lead diameter is guaranteed only for 12,7 mm.

Qualification approved to CECC 50 002-015/016

BC160  
BC161



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**RATINGS**

Limiting values in accordance with the Absolute Maximum System (IEC 134)

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		BC160	BC161	
Collector-base voltage (open emitter)	$-V_{CBO}$	max. 40	60	V
Collector-emitter voltage (open base)	$-V_{CEO}$	max. 40	60	V
Emitter-base voltage (open collector)	$-V_{EBO}$	max. 5	5	V
Collector current (d.c.)	$-I_C$	max.	1	A
Base current (d.c.)	$-I_B$	max.	100	mA
Total power dissipation up to $T_{case} = 45^\circ C$	$P_{tot}$	max.	3,7	W
Storage temperature range	$T_{stg}$		-65 to + 150	$^\circ C$
Junction temperature	$T_j$	max.	175	$^\circ C$

**THERMAL RESISTANCE**

From junction to ambient in free air	$R_{th j-a}$	=	200	K/W
From junction to case	$R_{th j-c}$	=	35	K/W

**CHARACTERISTICS**

$T_{amb} = 25^\circ C$  unless otherwise specified

Collector cut-off current					
$V_{BE} = 0; -V_{CE} = -V_{CEOmax}$	$-I_{CES}$	typ.	10	nA	
		<	100	nA	
$V_{BE} = 0; -V_{CE} = -V_{CEOmax};$ $T_{amb} = 150^\circ C$	$-I_{CES}$	typ.	10	$\mu A$	
		<	100	$\mu A$	
Base-emitter voltage					
$-I_C = 1 A; -V_{CE} = 1 V$	$-V_{BE}$	typ.	1,0	V	
		<	1,7	V	
Saturation voltage					
$-I_C = 1 A; -I_B = 100 mA$	$-V_{CEsat}$	typ.	0,6	V	
		<	1,0	V	
Transition frequency at $f = 20 MHz$					
$-I_C = 50 mA; -V_{CE} = 10 V$	$f_T$	>	50	MHz	
Collector capacitance at $f = 1 MHz$					
$I_E = I_e = 0; -V_{CB} = 10 V$	$C_c$	<	30	pF	
Emitter capacitance at $f = 1 MHz$					
$I_C = I_c = 0; -V_{EB} = 0,5 V$	$C_e$	<	180	pF	
D.C. current gain					
$-I_C = 100 \mu A; -V_{CE} = 1 V$	$h_{FE}$	typ.	80	120	
		>	63	100	
$-I_C = 100 mA; -V_{CE} = 1 V$	$h_{FE}$	typ.	100	160	
		<	160	250	
$-I_C = 1 A; -V_{CE} = 1 V$	$h_{FE}$	typ.	20	30	

CHARACTERISTICS (continued)

$T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$

Switching times

$-I_{Con} = 100\text{ mA}; -I_{Bon} = I_{Boff} = 5\text{ mA}$

Turn-on time

$t_{on} < 500\text{ ns}$

Turn-off time

$t_{off} < 650\text{ ns}$

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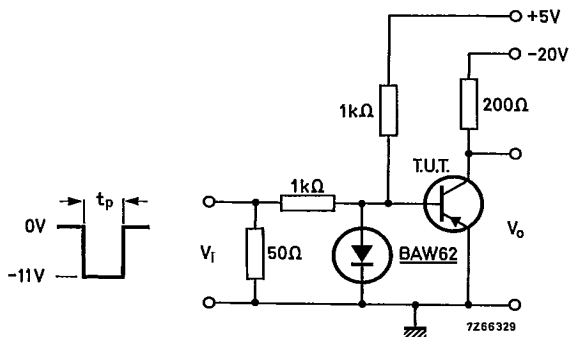


Fig. 2 Test circuit.

Pulse generator:

Pulse duration  $t_p = 10\text{ }\mu\text{s}$   
 Rise time  $t_r \leq 15\text{ ns}$   
 Fall time  $t_f \leq 15\text{ ns}$   
 Source impedance.  $Z_s = 50\text{ }\Omega$

Oscilloscope:

Rise time  $t_r \leq 15\text{ ns}$   
 Input impedance  $Z_i \geq 100\text{ k}\Omega$