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## 2N2405 Silicon NPN Transistor General Purpose, Medium Power TO-39 Type Package

**Description:**

The 2N2405 is a silicon NPN transistor in a TO-39 type package designed for use in high current, fast switching applications and for power amplifiers.

**Features:**

- For Operation at Junction Temperature up to +200°C
- Planar Construction for Low Noise and Low Leakage
- Low Output Capacitance

**Absolute Maximum Ratings:**

Collector-Base Voltage, $V_{CBO}$ .....	120V
Collector-Emitter Voltage, $V_{CEO}$ .....	90V
Emitter-Base Voltage, $V_{EBO}$ .....	7V
Collector-Emitter Sustaining Voltage, $V_{CER}$ .....	140V
Collector Current, $I_C$ .....	1A
Total Power Dissipation, $P_T$	
$T_C \leq +25^\circ\text{C}$ .....	5W
$T_A \leq +25^\circ\text{C}$ .....	1W
Operating Junction Temperature Range, $T_J$ .....	-65° to +200°C
Storage Temperature Range, $T_{stg}$ .....	-65° to +200°C
Thermal Resistance, Junction-to-Case, $R_{thJC}$ .....	35°C/W
Thermal Resistance, Junction-to-Ambient, $R_{thJA}$ .....	175°C/W

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

Parameter	Symbol	Test Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Collector-Emitter Sustaining Voltage	$V_{CEO(sus)}$	$I_C = 30\text{mA}, I_B = 0$	90	-	-	V
		$I_C = 100\text{mA}, I_B = 0$	90	-	-	V
	$V_{CER(sus)}$	$I_C = 100\text{mA}, R_{BE} = 10\Omega, \text{Note 1}$	140	-	-	V
		$I_C = 100\text{mA}, R_{BE} = 500\Omega, \text{Note 1}$	120	-	-	V
Collector-Base Breakdown Voltage	$V_{(BR)CBO}$	$I_C = 0.1\text{mA}, I_E = 0, \text{Note 1}$	120	-	-	V
Emitter-Base Breakdown Voltage	$V_{(BR)EBO}$	$I_C = 0.1\text{mA}, I_C = 0, \text{Note 1}$	7	-	-	V
Collector Cutoff Current	$I_{CBO}$	$V_{CB} = 90\text{V}, I_E = 0$	-	-	0.01	$\mu\text{A}$
		$V_{CB} = 90\text{V}, I_E = 0, T_C = +150^\circ\text{C}$	-	-	10	$\mu\text{A}$
Emitter Cutoff Current	$I_{EBO}$	$V_{BE} = -5\text{V}, I_C = 0$	-	-	0.01	$\mu\text{A}$
Collector-Emitter Saturation Voltage	$V_{CE(sat)}$	$I_C = 150\text{mA}, I_B = 15\text{mA}$	-	-	0.5	V
		$I_C = 50\text{mA}, I_B = 5\text{mA}$	-	-	0.2	V
Base-Emitter Saturation Voltage	$V_{BE(sat)}$	$I_C = 150\text{mA}, I_B = 15\text{mA}$	-	-	1.1	V
		$I_C = 50\text{mA}, I_B = 5\text{mA}$	-	-	0.9	V

Note 1. Pulse Test: Pulse Duration = 300 $\mu\text{s}$ , Duty Cycle  $\leq$  2%.

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

Parameter	Symbol	Test Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
DC Current Gain	$h_{FE}$	$I_C = 10\text{mA}, V_{CE} = 10\text{V}, \text{Note 1}$	35	-	-	
		$I_C = 150\text{mA}, V_{CE} = 10\text{V}, \text{Note 1}$	60	-	200	
		$I_C = 10\text{mA}, V_{CE} = 10\text{V}, T_C = -55^\circ\text{C}, \text{Note 1}$	20	-	-	
<b>Dynamic Characteristics</b>						
Small-Signal Current Gain	$h_{fe}$	$V_{CE} = 5\text{V}, I_C = 5\text{mA}, f = 1\text{kHz}$	50	275	-	
		$V_{CE} = 10\text{V}, I_C = 50\text{mA}, f = 20\text{MHz}$	6	-	-	
	$h_{ib}$	$V_{CB} = 5\text{V}, I_C = 1\text{mA}, f = 1\text{kHz}$	24	34	-	$\Omega$
		$V_{CB} = 10\text{V}, I_C = 5\text{mA}, f = 1\text{kHz}$	4	8	-	$\Omega$
	$h_{rb}$	$V_{CB} = 5\text{V}, I_C = 1\text{mA}, f = 1\text{kHz}$	-	-	$3 \times 10^4$	
		$V_{CB} = 10\text{V}, I_C = 5\text{mA}, f = 1\text{kHz}$	-	-	$3 \times 10^4$	
	$h_{ob}$	$V_{CB} = 5\text{V}, I_C = 1\text{mA}, f = 1\text{kHz}$	-	-	0.5	$\mu\text{mho}$
		$V_{CB} = 10\text{V}, I_C = 5\text{mA}, f = 1\text{kHz}$	-	-	0.5	$\mu\text{mho}$
Output Capacitance	$C_{obo}$	$V_{CB} = 10\text{V}, I_E = 0$	-	-	15	$\text{pF}$
	$C_{ib}$	$V_{BE} = -0.5\text{V}, I_C = 0$	-	-	80	$\text{pF}$

Note 1. Pulse Test: Pulse Duration =  $300\mu\text{s}$ , Duty Cycle  $\leq 2\%$ .

