

# **2N3296 (SILICON)**



NPN silicon annular transistor for linear amplifier applications from 2 to 100 MHz.

## **CASE 24**

(TO-102)

Collector connected to case;  
stud isolated from case

## **MAXIMUM RATINGS (Note 1)**

Rating	Symbol	Value	Unit
Collector-Base Voltage	$V_{CB}$	60	Vdc
Collector-Emitter Voltage	$V_{CES}$	60	Vdc
Emitter-Base Voltage	$V_{EB}$	3.0	Vdc
Collector Current (Continuous)	$I_C$	700	mAdc
Base Current (Continuous)	$I_B$	100	mAdc
RF Input Power (Note 2)	$P_{in}$	1.0	Watt (PEP)
RF Output Power (Note 2)	$P_{out}$	5.0	Watts (PEP)
Total Device Dissipation (25°C Case Temperature) Derating Factor above 25°C	$P_D$	6.0 40	Watts mW/°C
Total Device Dissipation at (25°C Ambient Temperature) Derating Factor above 25°C	$P_D$	0.7 4.67	Watts mW/°C
Junction Temperature	$T_J$	175	°C
Storage Temperature Range	$T_{stg}$	-65 to +175	°C

Note 1: The maximum ratings as given for dc conditions can be exceeded on a pulse basis. See Electrical Characteristics.

Note 2: PEP = Peak Envelope Power.

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### ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Characteristic	Symbol	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Collector-Emitter Sustain Voltage	$V_{CES(sus)}$ <sup>(1)</sup>	$I_C = 0.200A, R_{BE} = 0$	85	120	--	Volts
Collector Emitter-Open Base Sustain Voltage	$V_{CEO(sus)}$ <sup>(1)</sup>	$I_C = 0.200A, I_B = 0$	40	--	--	Volts

Collector-Emitter Current	$I_{CES}$	$V_{CE} = 60Vdc, V_{BE} = 0$ $V_{CE} = 50Vdc, V_{BE} = 0, T_C = +175^\circ C$	--	--	100	$\mu Adc$
Collector-Cutoff Current	$I_{CBO}$	$V_{CB} = 50Vdc, I_E = 0$	--	--	0.1	$\mu Adc$
Emitter-Cutoff Current	$I_{EBO}$	$V_{EB} = 3Vdc, I_C = 0$	--	--	100	$\mu Adc$
DC Current Gain	$h_{FE}$	$V_{CE} = 2.0Vdc, I_C = 40mAdc$ $V_{CE} = 2.0Vdc, I_C = 400mAdc$	5.0	--	50	--
Collector-Emitter Saturation Voltage	$V_{CE(sat)}$	$I_C = 400mAdc, I_B = 80mAdc$	--	--	0.5	Vdc
Emitter-Base Saturation Voltage	$V_{BE(sat)}$	$I_C = 400mAdc, I_B = 80mAdc$	--	--	2.0	Vdc

AC Current Gain	$ h_{fe} $	$V_{CE} = 2.0Vdc, I_C = 40mAdc, f = 50MHz$	2.0	--	--	--
Collector Output Capacitance	$C_{ob}$	$V_{CB} = 25Vdc, I_E = 0, f = 100kHz$	--	--	20	pF

Power Input (PEP) (Note 2)	$P_{in}$	$P_{out} = 3.0 \text{ Watts (PEP)} (1.5 \text{ W rms})$ $V_{CE} = 30 \text{ Volts}, f = 30 \text{ MHz}$ $I_{C(max)} = 125 \text{ mA}$	--	--	75	mW
Power Gain	$G_e$		16	19	--	dB
Intermodulation Distortion Ratio	$I_m$		30	35	--	dB
Efficiency	$\eta$		40	48	--	%

(1) Pulse Test. Pulse Width = 100  $\mu$ sec. Duty Cycle = 2%.  
Note 2 PEP. Peak Envelope Power.

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