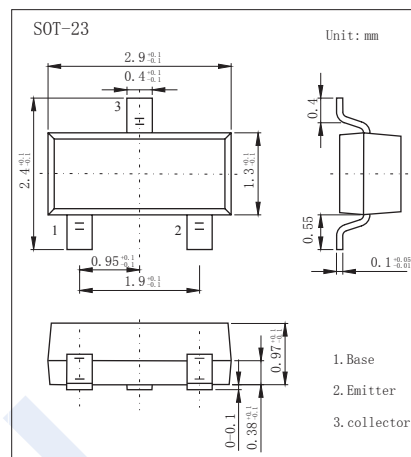


## NPN Transistors

## 2SC3838

## ■ Features

- High transition frequency.
- Small  $r_{bb'}$ ·Cc and high gain.
- Small NF.

■ Absolute Maximum Ratings  $T_a = 25^\circ\text{C}$ 

| Parameter                      | Symbol    | Rating     | Unit             |
|--------------------------------|-----------|------------|------------------|
| Collector - Base Voltage       | $V_{CB0}$ | 20         | V                |
| Collector - Emitter Voltage    | $V_{CE0}$ | 11         |                  |
| Emitter - Base Voltage         | $V_{EB0}$ | 3          |                  |
| Collector Current - Continuous | $I_C$     | 50         | mA               |
| Collector Power Dissipation    | $P_C$     | 200        | mW               |
| Junction Temperature           | $T_J$     | 150        | $^\circ\text{C}$ |
| Storage Temperature Range      | $T_{stg}$ | -55 to 150 |                  |

■ Electrical Characteristics  $T_a = 25^\circ\text{C}$ 

| Parameter                            | Symbol        | Test Conditions                                                                               | Min | Typ | Max | Unit          |
|--------------------------------------|---------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|---------------|
| Collector- base breakdown voltage    | $V_{CB0}$     | $I_C = 100\ \mu\text{A}$ , $I_E = 0$                                                          | 20  |     |     | V             |
| Collector- emitter breakdown voltage | $V_{CE0}$     | $I_C = 1\ \text{mA}$ , $I_B = 0$                                                              | 11  |     |     |               |
| Emitter - base breakdown voltage     | $V_{EB0}$     | $I_E = 100\ \mu\text{A}$ , $I_C = 0$                                                          | 3   |     |     |               |
| Collector-base cut-off current       | $I_{CBO}$     | $V_{CB} = 20\ \text{V}$ , $I_E = 0$                                                           |     |     | 0.5 | $\mu\text{A}$ |
| Emitter cut-off current              | $I_{EBO}$     | $V_{EB} = 3\ \text{V}$ , $I_C = 0$                                                            |     |     | 0.5 |               |
| Collector-emitter saturation voltage | $V_{CE(sat)}$ | $I_C = 10\ \text{mA}$ , $I_B = 5\ \text{mA}$                                                  |     |     | 0.5 | V             |
| Base - emitter saturation voltage    | $V_{BE(sat)}$ | $I_C = 10\ \text{mA}$ , $I_B = 5\ \text{mA}$                                                  |     |     | 1.2 |               |
| DC current gain                      | $h_{FE}$      | $V_{CE} = 10\ \text{V}$ , $I_C = 5\ \text{mA}$                                                | 82  |     | 240 |               |
| Collector-base time constant         | $r_{bb'}$ ·Cc | $V_{CB} = 10\ \text{V}$ , $I_C = 10\ \text{mA}$ , $f = 31.8\ \text{MHz}$ ,                    |     | 4   | 12  | PS            |
| Noise figure                         | NF            | $V_{CE} = 6\ \text{V}$ , $I_C = 2\ \text{mA}$ , $f = 500\ \text{MHz}$ ,<br>$R_g = 50\ \Omega$ |     | 3.5 |     | dB            |
| Collector output capacitance         | $C_{ob}$      | $V_{CB} = 10\ \text{V}$ , $I_E = 0$ , $f = 1\ \text{MHz}$                                     |     |     | 1.5 | pF            |
| Transition frequency                 | $f_T$         | $V_{CE} = 10\ \text{V}$ , $I_C = 10\ \text{mA}$ , $f = 500\ \text{MHz}$                       | 1.4 | 3.2 |     | GHz           |

■ Classification of  $h_{FE}$ 

| Type    | 2SC3838-P | 2SC3838-Q | 2SC3838-Y |
|---------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Range   | 82-180    | 100-200   | 120-240   |
| Marking | ADP       | ADQ       | ADY       |