

Silicon NPN Power Transistors

2SC3973 2SC3973A

DESCRIPTION

- With TO-220Fa package
- High breakdown voltage
- High speed switching
- Wide area of safe operation

APPLICATIONS

- For high breakdown voltate ,high-speed switching applications

PINNING

PIN	DESCRIPTION
1	Base
2	Collector
3	Emitter

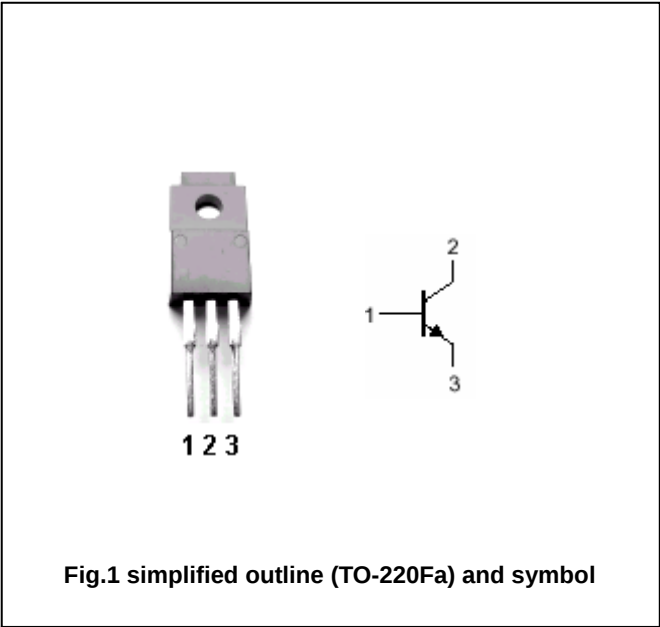


Fig.1 simplified outline (TO-220Fa) and symbol

Absolute maximum ratings (Ta=25)

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	VALUE	UNIT
V _{CBO}	Collector-base voltage	2SC3973	800	V
		2SC3973A	900	
V _{CEO}	Collector-emitter voltage	Open base	500	V
V _{EBO}	Emitter-base voltage	Open collector	8	V
I _C	Collector current (DC)		7	A
I _{CM}	Collector current-Peak		15	A
I _B	Base current		4	A
P _C	Collector power dissipation	T _C =25	45	W
		T _a =25	2	
T _j	Junction temperature		150	
T _{stg}	Storage temperature		-55~150	

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CHARACTERISTICS

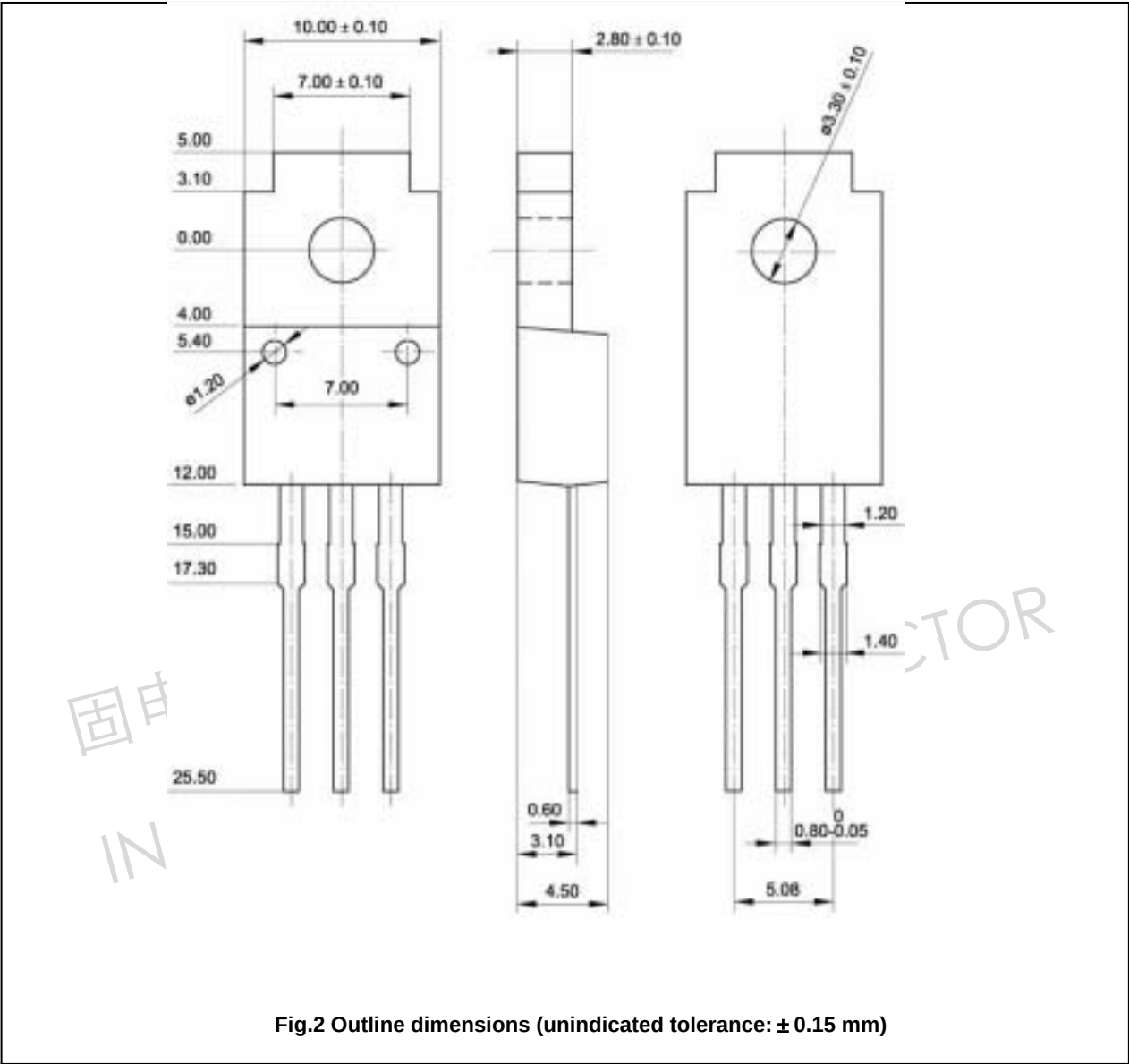
Tj=25 unless otherwise specified

SYMBOL	PARAMETER		CONDITIONS	MIN	TYP.	MAX	UNIT
V _{(BR)CEO}	Collector-emitter breakdown voltage		I _C =10mA , I _B =0	500			V
V _{CEsat}	Collector-emitter saturation voltage		I _C =4A; I _B =0.8A			1.0	V
V _{BEsat}	Base-emitter saturation voltage		I _C =4A; I _B =0.8A			1.5	V
I _{CBO}	Collector cut-off current	2SC3973	V _{CB} =800V; I _E =0			0.1	mA
		2SC3973A	V _{CB} =900V; I _E =0				
I _{EBO}	Emitter cut-off current		V _{EB} =5V; I _C =0			0.1	mA
h _{FE-1}	DC current gain		I _C =0.1A ; V _{CE} =5V	15			
h _{FE-2}	DC current gain		I _C =4A ; V _{CE} =5V	8			
f _T	Transition frequency		I _C =0.5A ; V _{CE} =10V		20		MHz
Switching times							
t _{on}	Turn-on time		I _C =4A; I _{B1} =0.8A I _{B2} =-1.6A;V _{CC} =200V			1.0	μ s
t _s	Storage time					3.0	μ s
t _f	Fall time					0.3	μ s

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PACKAGE OUTLINE



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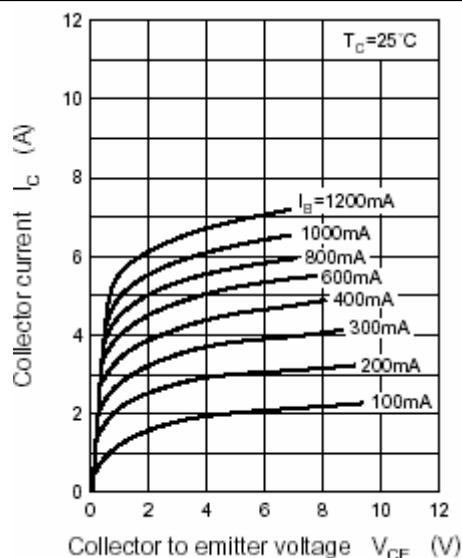


Fig.3 Static Characteristic

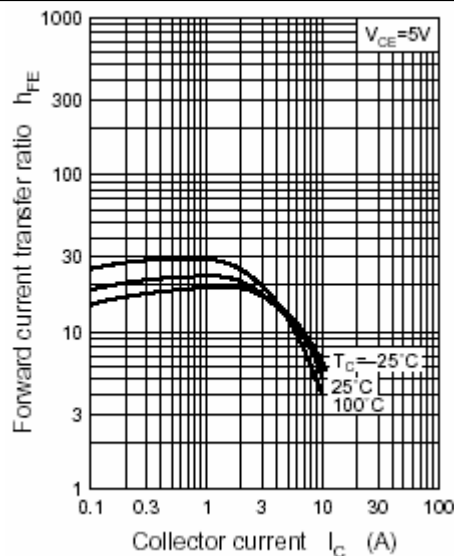


Fig.4 DC current Gain

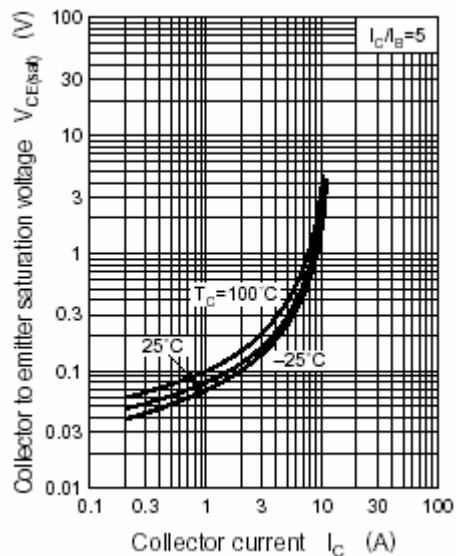


Fig.5 Collector-Emitter Saturation Voltage

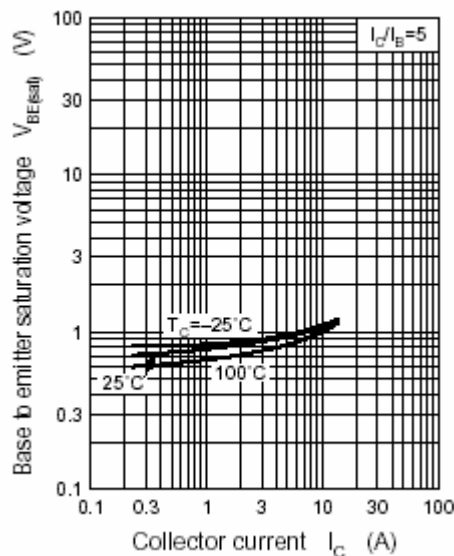


Fig.6 Base-Emitter Saturation Voltage

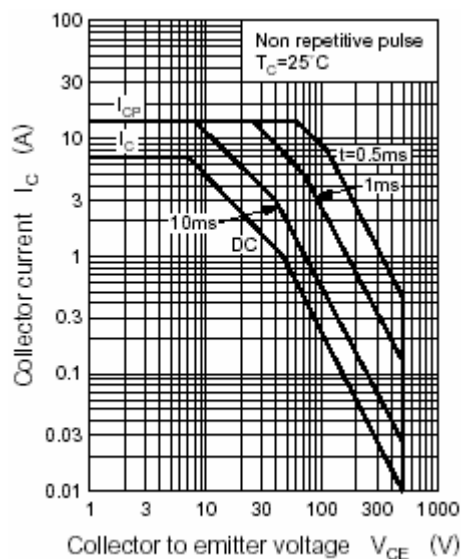


Fig.7 Safe Operating Area