

**Small Signal Product**

**NPN Transistor**

**FEATURES**

- For switching and AF amplifier applications
- These types are subdivided into three groups -16, -25 and -40, according to their current gain
- Moisture sensitivity level 1
- Driver transistor
- Pb free and RoHS compliant
- Green compound (Halogen free) with suffix "G" on packing code and prefix "G" on date code

**MECHANICAL DATA**

- Case: TO-92 small outline plastic package
- Terminal: Matte tin plated, lead free, solderable per MIL-STD-202, Method 208 guaranteed
- High temperature soldering guaranteed: 260°C/10s
- Weight: 190 mg (approximately)



**TO-92**



| MAXIMUM RATINGS AND ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (T <sub>A</sub> =25°C unless otherwise noted) |       |                                   |             |      |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|-----------------------------------|-------------|------|
| PARAMETER                                                                                    |       | SYMBOL                            | VALUE       | UNIT |
| Total Power dissipation                                                                      |       | P <sub>TOT</sub>                  | 625         | mW   |
| Collector-Base Voltage                                                                       | BC337 | V <sub>CBO</sub>                  | 50          | V    |
|                                                                                              | BC338 |                                   | 30          |      |
| Collector-Emitter Voltage                                                                    | BC337 | V <sub>CEO</sub>                  | 45          | V    |
|                                                                                              | BC338 |                                   | 25          |      |
| Emitter-Base Voltage                                                                         | BC337 | V <sub>EBO</sub>                  | 5           | V    |
|                                                                                              | BC338 |                                   | 5           |      |
| Collector Current                                                                            |       | I <sub>C</sub>                    | 800         | mA   |
| Peak Collector Current                                                                       |       | I <sub>CM</sub>                   | 1000        | mA   |
| Junction and Storage Temperature Range                                                       |       | T <sub>J</sub> , T <sub>STG</sub> | -55 to +150 | °C   |

| PARAMETER                            |                                       |                                                    | SYMBOL                                          | MIN             | MAX | UNIT |   |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----|------|---|
| Collector-Base Breakdown Voltage     | BC337                                 | I <sub>C</sub> = 100μA                             | V <sub>(BR)CBO</sub>                            | 50              | -   | V    |   |
|                                      | BC338                                 |                                                    |                                                 | 30              |     |      |   |
| Collector-Emitter Breakdown Voltage  | BC337                                 | I <sub>C</sub> = 2mA                               | V <sub>(BR)CEO</sub>                            | 45              | -   | V    |   |
|                                      | BC338                                 |                                                    |                                                 | 25              |     |      |   |
| Emitter-Base Breakdown Voltage       | BC337                                 | I <sub>E</sub> = 100μA                             | V <sub>(BR)EBO</sub>                            | 5               | -   | V    |   |
|                                      | BC338                                 |                                                    |                                                 | 5               |     |      |   |
| Collector Base Cutoff Current        | BC337                                 | V <sub>CB</sub> =50V                               | I <sub>CBO</sub>                                | -               | 100 | nA   |   |
|                                      | BC338                                 | V <sub>CB</sub> =30V                               |                                                 | -               | 100 |      |   |
| Collector Emitter Saturation Voltage |                                       | I <sub>C</sub> =500mA, I <sub>B</sub> =50mA        | V <sub>CE(sat)</sub>                            | -               | 0.7 | V    |   |
| Base Emitter On Voltage              |                                       | V <sub>CE</sub> =1V, I <sub>C</sub> =300mA         | V <sub>BE(on)</sub>                             | -               | 1.2 | V    |   |
| Transition Frequency                 |                                       | V <sub>CE</sub> =5V, I <sub>C</sub> =10mA, f=50MHz | f <sub>T</sub>                                  | 100             | -   | MHz  |   |
| Output Capacitance                   |                                       | V <sub>CB</sub> =10V, f=1MHz                       | C <sub>ob</sub>                                 | 12              | -   | pF   |   |
| DC Current Gain                      | Current Gain Group: -16<br>-25<br>-40 |                                                    | V <sub>CE</sub> = 5V,<br>I <sub>C</sub> = 100mA | h <sub>FE</sub> | 100 | 250  | V |
|                                      |                                       |                                                    |                                                 |                 | 160 | 400  |   |
|                                      |                                       |                                                    |                                                 |                 | 250 | 630  |   |
|                                      |                                       |                                                    | V <sub>CE</sub> = 5V,<br>I <sub>C</sub> = 300mA |                 | 60  | -    |   |

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### RATINGS AND CHARACTERISTICS CURVES

( $T_A=25^\circ\text{C}$  unless otherwise noted)

FIG.1 STATIC CHARACTERISTIC

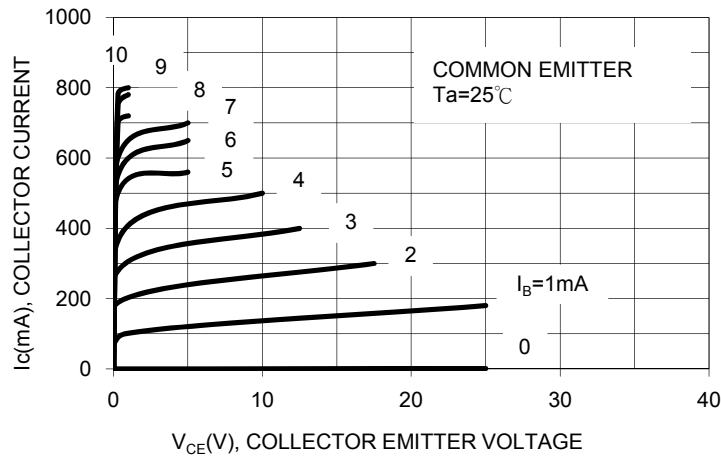


FIG.2 STATIC CHARACTERISTIC

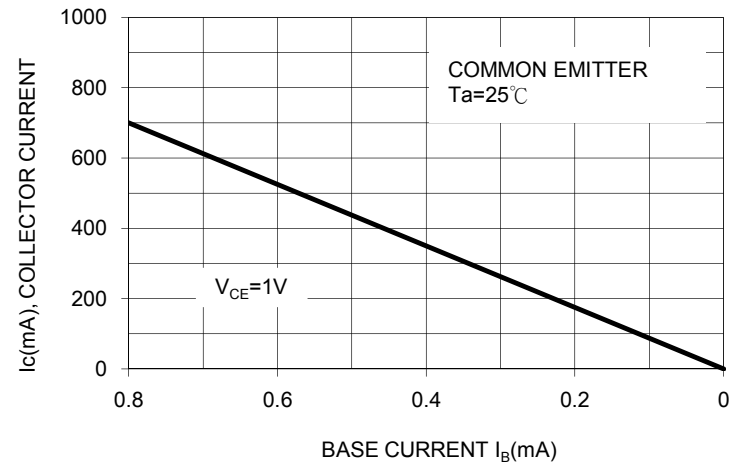


FIG.3 STATIC CHARACTERISTIC

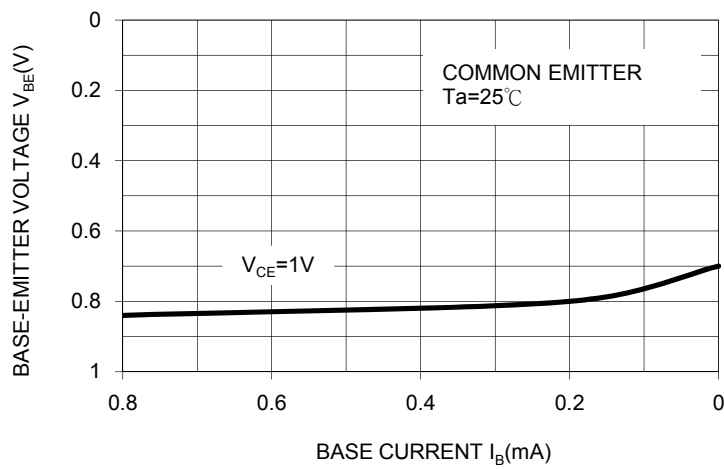


FIG. 4  $h_{FE} - I_C$

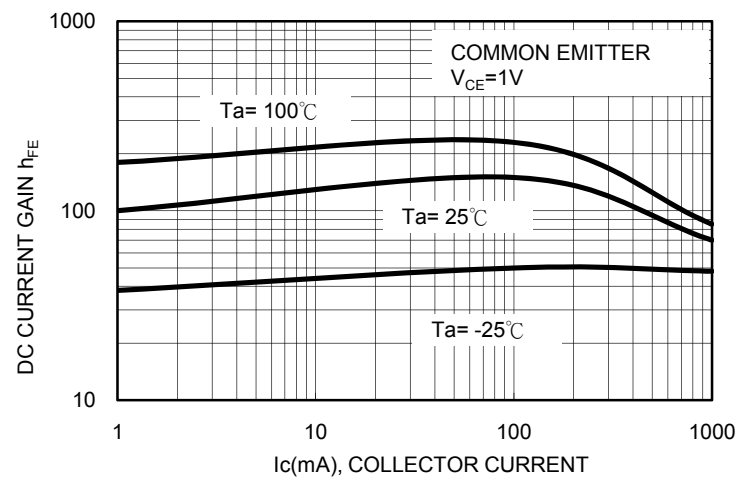


FIG.5  $I_C - V_{CE}$ (LOW VOLTAGE REGION)

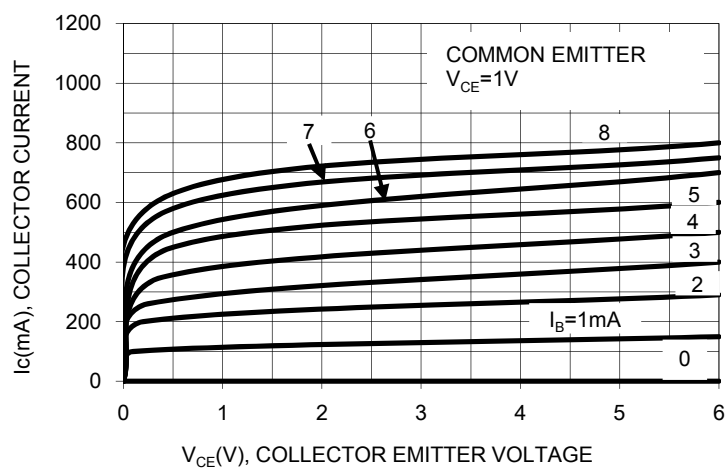
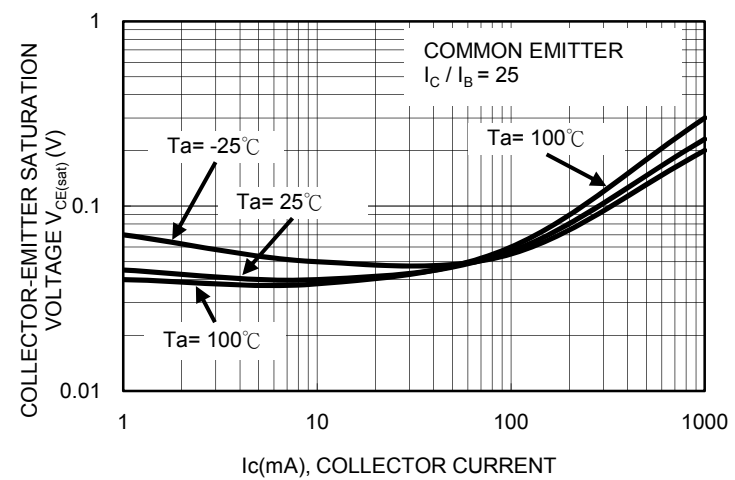


FIG. 6  $V_{CE(sat)} - I_C$



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| <b>ORDERING INFORMATION</b> |                                 |                     |                            |                |                |                  |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------------|----------------|----------------|------------------|
| <b>PART NO.</b>             | <b>MANUFACTURE CODE (Note1)</b> | <b>PACKING CODE</b> | <b>GREEN COMPOUND CODE</b> | <b>PACKAGE</b> | <b>PACKING</b> | <b>MARKING</b>   |
| BC33x-16 (Note2)            |                                 | A1                  | G                          | TO-92          | 4K / Ammo      | BC33x-16 (Note2) |
| BC33x-25 (Note2)            |                                 | A1                  | G                          | TO-92          | 4K / Ammo      | BC33x-25 (Note2) |
| BC33x-40 (Note2)            |                                 | A1                  | G                          | TO-92          | 4K / Ammo      | BC33x-40 (Note2) |
| BC33x-16 (Note2)            |                                 | B1                  | G                          | TO-92          | 5K / Bulk      | BC33x-16 (Note2) |
| BC33x-25 (Note2)            |                                 | B1                  | G                          | TO-92          | 5K / Bulk      | BC33x-25 (Note2) |
| BC33x-40 (Note2)            |                                 | B1                  | G                          | TO-92          | 5K / Bulk      | BC33x-40 (Note2) |

Note1: Indicator of manufacturing site for manufacture special control, if empty means no special control requirement.

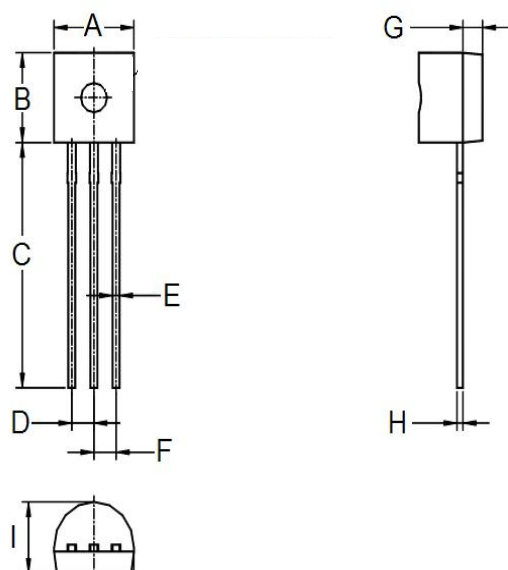
Note2: "x" is Device Code from "7" through "8", and "MARKING" should follow the "PART NO."

| <b>EXAMPLE</b>       |                 |                         |                     |                            |                    |
|----------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|---------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|
| <b>PREFERRED P/N</b> | <b>PART NO.</b> | <b>MANUFACTURE CODE</b> | <b>PACKING CODE</b> | <b>GREEN COMPOUND CODE</b> | <b>DESCRIPTION</b> |
| BC337-16 A1G         | BC337-16        |                         | A1                  | G                          | Green compound     |
| BC337-16 B1G         | BC337-16        |                         | B1                  | G                          | Green compound     |
| BC337-16-B0 A1G      | BC337-16        | B0                      | A1                  | G                          | Green compound     |
| BC337-16-B0 B1G      | BC337-16        | B0                      | B1                  | G                          | Green compound     |

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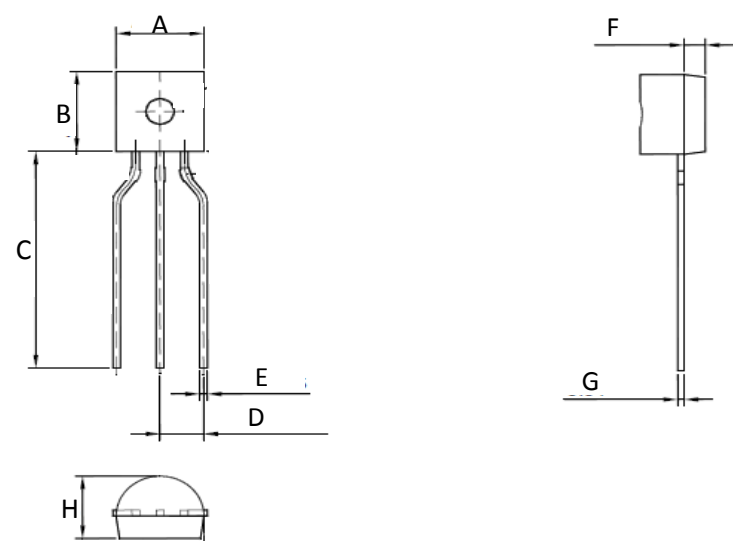
**PACKAGE OUTLINE DIMENSIONS**

**TO-92 Bulk**



| DIM. | Unit (mm) |       | Unit (inch) |       |
|------|-----------|-------|-------------|-------|
|      | Min       | Max   | Min         | Max   |
| A    | 4.30      | 5.10  | 0.169       | 0.201 |
| B    | 4.30      | 4.70  | 0.169       | 0.185 |
| C    | 12.50     | 14.50 | 0.492       | -     |
| D    | 1.17      | 1.37  | 0.046       | 0.054 |
| E    | 0.35      | 0.55  | 0.014       | 0.022 |
| F    | 1.17      | 1.37  | 0.046       | 0.054 |
| G    | 0.59      | 1.40  | 0.023       | 0.055 |
| H    | 0.29      | 0.51  | 0.011       | 0.020 |
| I    | 3.30      | 4.10  | 0.130       | 0.161 |

**TO-92 Ammo**



| DIM. | Unit (mm) |      | Unit (inch) |       |
|------|-----------|------|-------------|-------|
|      | Min       | Max  | Min         | Max   |
| A    | 4.30      | 5.10 | 0.169       | 0.201 |
| B    | 4.30      | 4.70 | 0.169       | 0.185 |
| C    | 12.50     | -    | 0.492       | -     |
| D    | 2.20      | 2.80 | 0.087       | 0.110 |
| E    | 0.35      | 0.55 | 0.014       | 0.022 |
| F    | 0.59      | 1.40 | 0.023       | 0.055 |
| G    | 0.29      | 0.51 | 0.011       | 0.020 |
| H    | 3.30      | 4.10 | 0.130       | 0.161 |

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