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**NPN SILICON POWER TRANSISTOR ARRAY
LOW SPEED SWITCHING USE (DARLINGTON TRANSISTOR)
INDUSTRIAL USE**

DESCRIPTION

The μPA1456 is NPN silicon epitaxial Darlington Power Transistor Array that built in 4 circuits designed for driving solenoid, relay, lamp and so on.

FEATURES

- Easy mount by 0.1 inch of terminal interval.
- High h_{FE} for Darlington Transistor.

ORDERING INFORMATION

| Part Number | Package | Quality Grade |
|-------------|------------|---------------|
| μPA1456H | 10 Pin SIP | Standard |

Please refer to "Quality grade on NEC Semiconductor Devices" (Document number IEI-1209) published by NEC Corporation to know the specification of quality grade on the devices and its recommended applications.

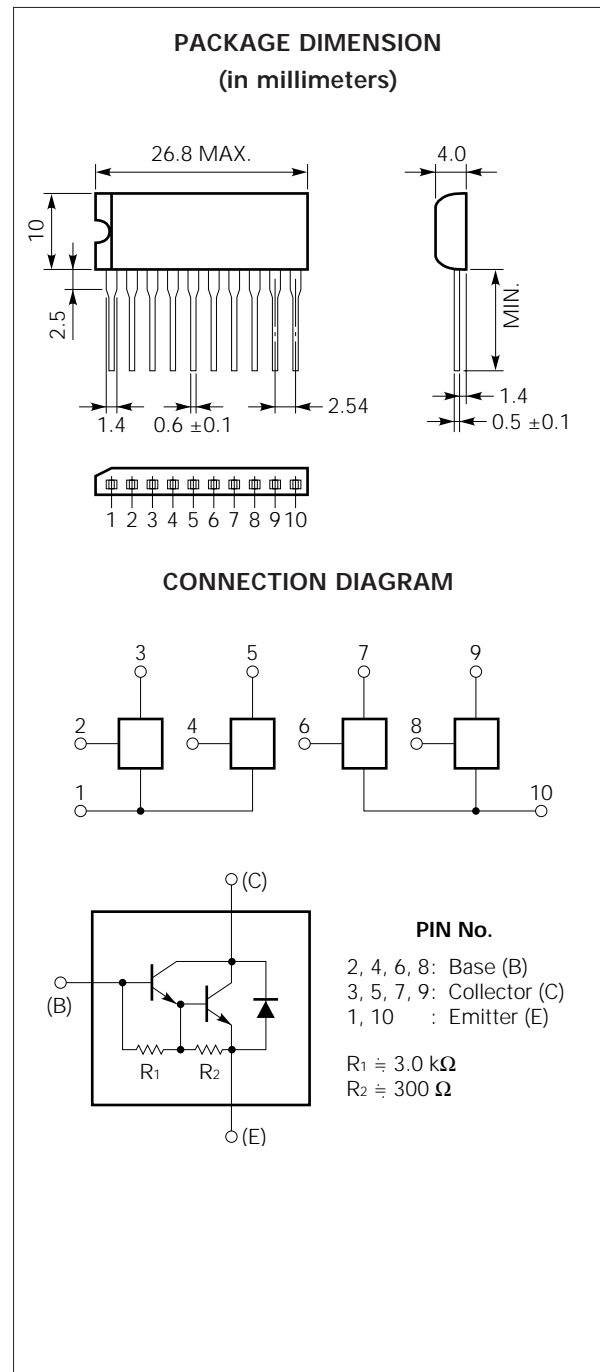
ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS (T_a = 25 °C)

| | | | |
|------------------------------|------------------------|-------------|--------|
| Collector to Base Voltage | V _{CB0} | 150 | V |
| Collector to Emitter Voltage | V _{CE0} | 100 | V |
| Emitter to Base Voltage | V _{EBO} | 7 | V |
| Collector Current (DC) | I _{C(DC)} | ±5 | A/unit |
| Collector Current (pulse) | I _{C(pulse)*} | ±10 | A/unit |
| Base Current (DC) | I _{B(DC)} | 0.5 | A/unit |
| Total Power Dissipation | P _{T1**} | 3.5 | W |
| Total Power Dissipation | P _{T2***} | 28 | W |
| Junction Temperature | T _j | 150 | °C |
| Storage Temperature | T _{stg} | -55 to +150 | °C |

* PW ≤ 300 μs, Duty Cycle ≤ 10 %

** 4 Circuits, T_a = 25 °C

*** 4 Circuits, T_c = 25 °C



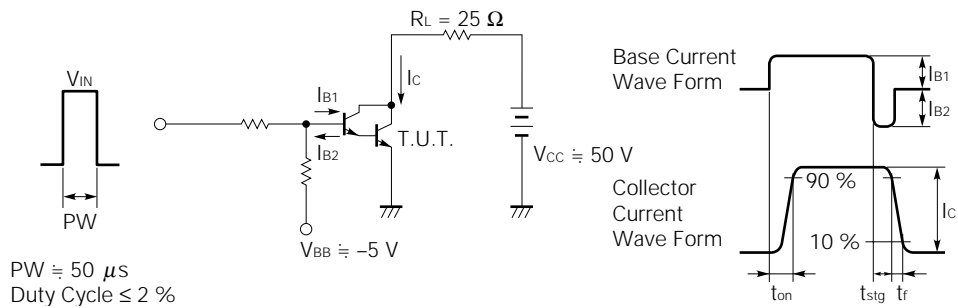
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ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (Ta = 25 °C)

| CHARACTERISTIC | SYMBOL | MIN. | TYP. | MAX. | UNIT | TEST CONDITIONS |
|------------------------------|-----------------|------|------|-------|------|--|
| Collector Leakage Current | I_{CBO} | | | 10 | μA | $V_{CB} = 100\text{ V}, I_E = 0$ |
| Emitter Leakage Current | I_{EBO} | | | 10 | mA | $V_{EB} = 5\text{ V}, I_C = 0$ |
| DC Current Gain | h_{FE1} * | 2000 | 7000 | 20000 | — | $V_{CE} = 2\text{ V}, I_C = 2\text{ A}$ |
| DC Current Gain | h_{FE2} * | 500 | 3000 | | — | $V_{CE} = 2\text{ V}, I_C = 4\text{ A}$ |
| Collector Saturation Voltage | $V_{CE(sat)}$ * | | 0.9 | 1.5 | V | $I_C = 2\text{ A}, I_B = 2\text{ mA}$ |
| Base Saturation Voltage | $V_{BE(sat)}$ * | | 1.6 | 2 | V | $I_C = 2\text{ A}, I_B = 2\text{ mA}$ |
| Turn On Time | t_{on} | | 1 | | μs | $I_C = 2\text{ A}$ |
| Storage Time | t_{stg} | | 3 | | μs | $I_{B1} = -I_{B2} = 2\text{ mA}$ |
| Fall Time | t_f | | 1 | | μs | $V_{CC} \cong 50\text{ V}, R_L \cong 25\ \Omega$ See test circuit |

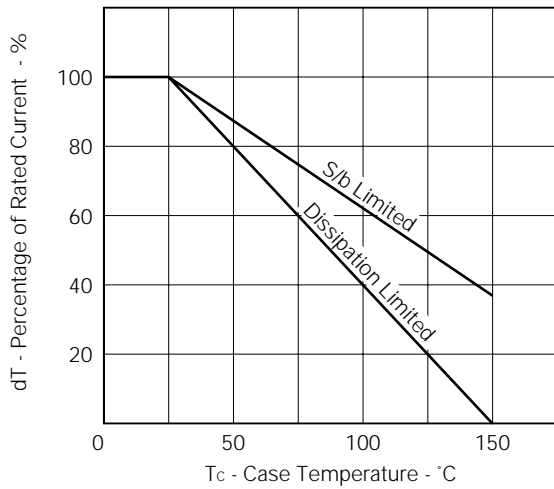
* $PW \leq 350\ \mu\text{s}$, Duty Cycle $\leq 2\%$ / pulsed

SWITCHING TIME TEST CIRCUIT

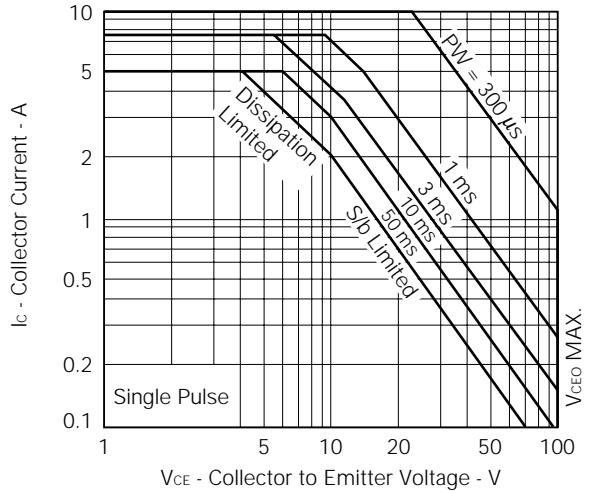


TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS ($T_a = 25^\circ\text{C}$)

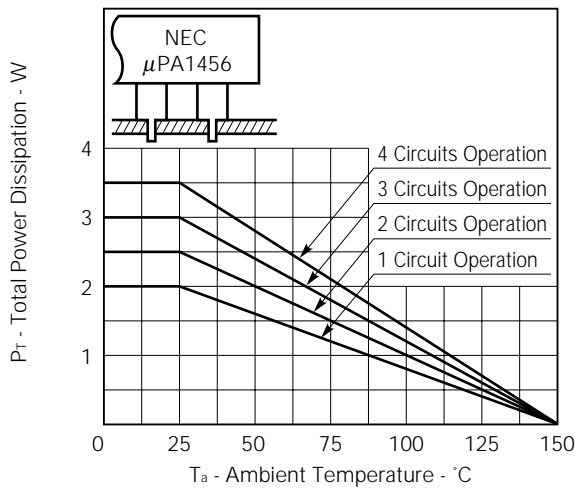
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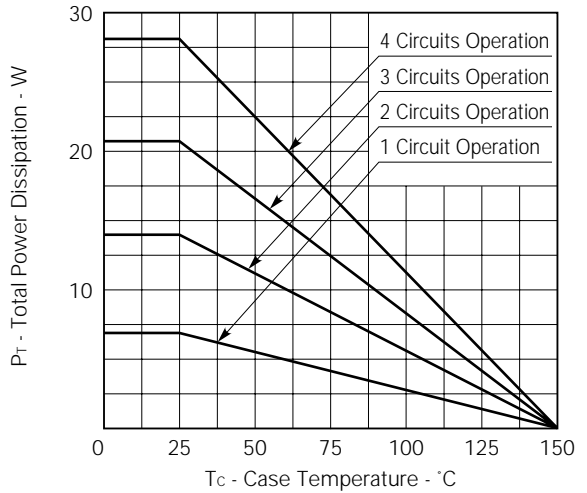
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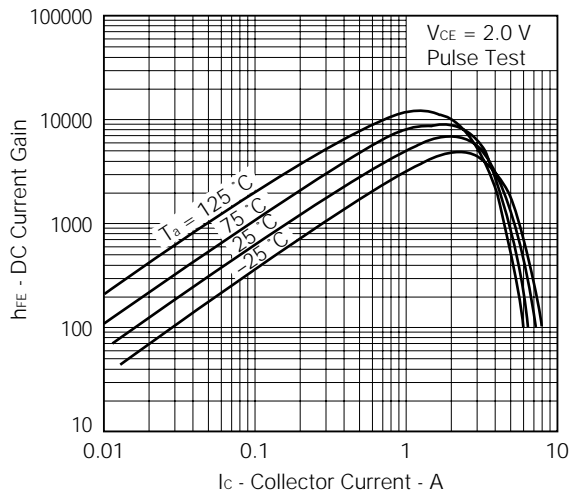
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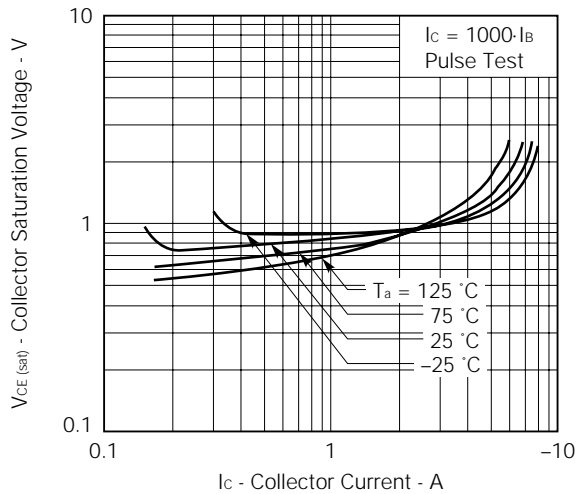
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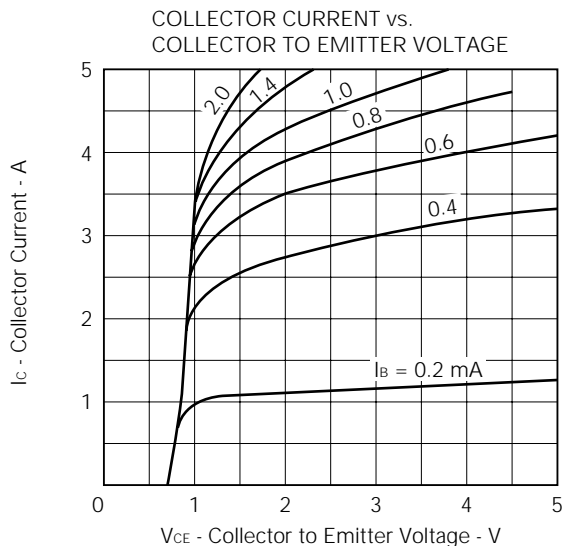
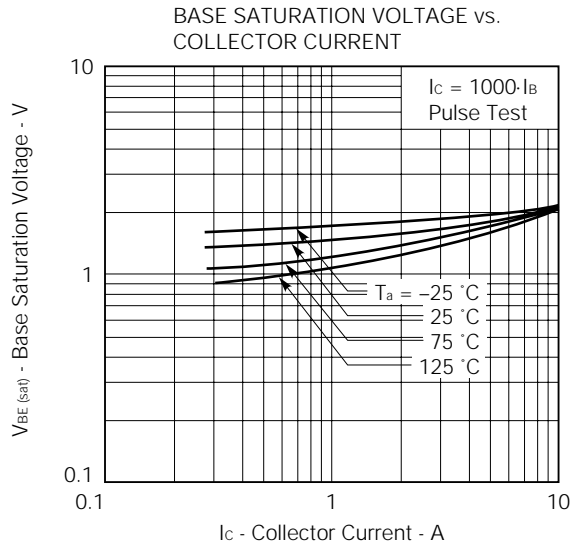
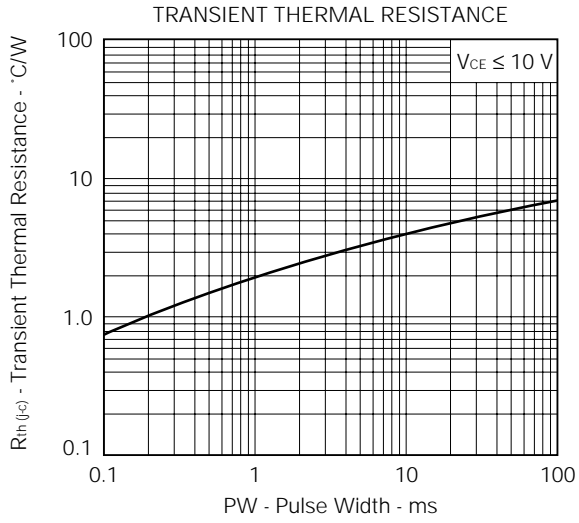


DC CURRENT GAIN vs. COLLECTOR CURRENT



COLLECTOR SATURATION VOLTAGE vs. COLLECTOR CURRENT





REFERENCE

| Document Name | Document No. |
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| NEC semiconductor device reliability/quality control system. | TEI-1202 |
| Quality grade on NEC semiconductor devices. | IEI-1209 |
| Semiconductor device mounting technology manual. | IEI-1207 |
| Semiconductor device package manual. | IEI-1213 |
| Guide to quality assurance for semiconductor devices. | MEI-1202 |
| Semiconductor selection guide. | MF-1134 |

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