

**NPN POWER TRANSISTOR FOR UHF APPLICATIONS**

**DESCRIPTION**

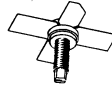
The TH 550 is a 28 Volts gold metallized silicon NPN planar transistor designed for UHF military and commercial communications.

This device uses gold metallization and diffused emitter ballasting to achieve infinite VSWR at rated operating conditions.

**FEATURES**

- \* Designed for UHF military broadband 225-400 MHz.
- \* 4 W (min.) with greater than 10 dB gain.
- \* Gold metallization for high reliability applications.

$f = 400 \text{ MHz}$   
 $P_{OUT} \geq 4 \text{ W}$   
 $GP = 10 \text{ dB}$   
 $\eta_c \geq 55 \%$   
 $V_{CC} = 28 \text{ V}$



Case: CB-312  
 (.280 4L STUD (B))

ABSOLUTE RATINGS (LIMITING VALUES)		Symbols	Values	Units
Emitter-base (d.c.) voltage		VEBO	4	V
Collector-base (d.c.) voltage		VCBO	55	V
Collector-emitter (d.c.) voltage		VCEO	30	V
Collector current (d.c.)		IC	0.75	A
Total power dissipation	$T_C = 25^\circ \text{ C}$	Ptot	10	W
Storage and junction temperatures		Tstg Tj	- 65 $\rightarrow$ + 200 + 200	$^\circ\text{C}$ $^\circ\text{C}$

Thermal resistance (junction-case)	$T_C = 25^\circ \text{ C}$	Rth (j-c)	17.5	$^\circ\text{C/W}$
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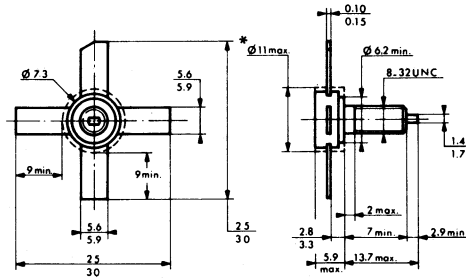
STATIC CHARACTERISTICS at  $T_{amb} = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$

Symbols	Values			Units	Test conditions
	min.	typ.	max.		
$V_{(BR)EBO}$	4			V	$I_E = 1 \text{ mA}$ $I_C = 0$
$V_{(BR)CES}$	55			V	$I_C = 10 \text{ mA}$ $V_{BE} = 0$
$V_{(BR)CEO}$	30			V	$I_C = 50 \text{ mA}$ $I_B = 0$
$I_{CES}$			5	mA	$V_{CE} = 30 \text{ V}$
$C_{ob}$			8	pF	$V_{CB} = 28 \text{ V}$ $f = 1 \text{ MHz}$

DYNAMIC CHARACTERISTICS at  $T_{amb} = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$

Symbols	Values			Units	Test conditions
	min.	typ.	max.		
GP		10		dB	$F = 400 \text{ MHz}$ $V_{CE} = 28 \text{ V}$ $P_{IN} = 0.4 \text{ W}$
$\eta_c$	55			%	
$P_{out}$	4			W	
$Z_S$		$2.5 - j 1$		$\Omega$	$F = 225 \text{ MHz}$ $V_{CE} = 28 \text{ V}$ $P_{OUT} = 4 \text{ W}$
$Z_{CL}$		$25 + j 26$		$\Omega$	
$Z_S$		$2.0 - j 2.2$		$\Omega$	$F = 400 \text{ MHz}$ $V_{CE} = 28 \text{ V}$ $P_{OUT} = 4 \text{ W}$
$Z_{CL}$		$17 + j 23$		$\Omega$	

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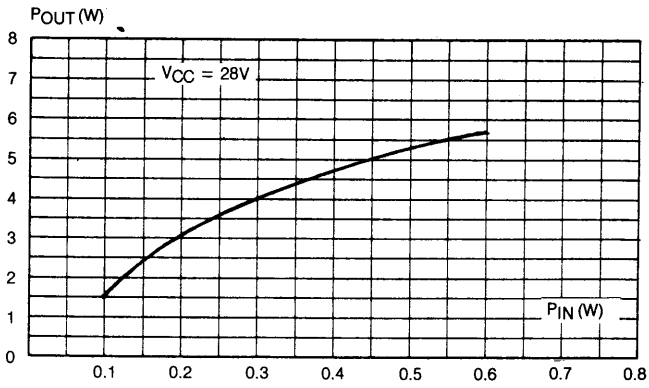


Dimensions in millimeters

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Output power versus input power (typical values)

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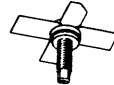
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The TH 552 is a 28 Volts gold metalized silicon NPN planar transistor designed for UHF military and commercial communications. This device uses gold metallization and diffused emitter ballasting to achieve infinite VSWR at rated operating conditions.

**FEATURES**

- \* Designed for UHF military broadband 225-400 MHz.
- \* 10 W (min.) with greater than 12 dB gain.
- \* Gold metallization for high reliability applications.

$f = 400 \text{ MHz}$   
 $P_{OUT} \geq 10 \text{ W}$   
 $GP \geq 10 \text{ dB}$   
 $\eta_c \geq 60 \%$   
 $V_{CC} = 28 \text{ V}$



Case : CB-3 ~~12~~  
(.280 4L STUD (B))

ABSOLUTE RATINGS (LIMITING VALUES)	Symbols	Values	Units
Emitter-base (d.c.) voltage	VEBO	4	V
Collector-base (d.c.) voltage	VCBO	55	V
Collector-emitter (d.c.) voltage	VCEO	30	V
Collector current (d.c.)	IC	1.25	A
Total power dissipation	Ptot	19.5	W
Storage and junction temperatures	Tstg Tj	- 65 → + 200 + 200	°C °C

Thermal resistance (junction-case)	Rth (j-c)	9	°C/W
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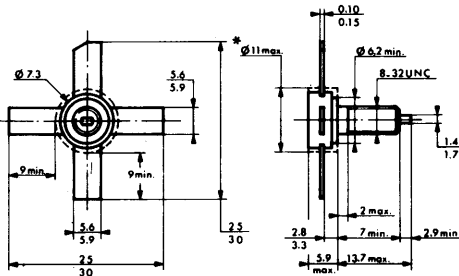
STATIC CHARACTERISTICS at  $T_{amb} = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$

Symbols	Values			Units	Test conditions
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$V_{(BR)EBO}$	4			V	$I_E = 20 \text{ mA}$ $I_C = 0$
$V_{(BR)CES}$	60			V	$I_C = 20 \text{ mA}$ $V_{BE} = 0$
$V_{(BR)CEO}$	30			V	$I_C = 20 \text{ mA}$ $I_B = 0$
$I_{CES}$			1.0	mA	$V_{CB} = 30 \text{ V}$ $I_{EO} = 0$
$C_{ob}$			12	pF	$V_{CB} = 28 \text{ V}$ $f = 1 \text{ MHz}$ $I_E = 0$

DYNAMIC CHARACTERISTICS at  $T_{amb} = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$

Symbols	Values			Units	Test conditions
	min.	typ.	max.		
$G_p$	10			dB	$F = 400 \text{ MHz}$ $P_{IN} = 1 \text{ W}$ $V_{CC} = 28 \text{ V}$
$\eta_c$	60			%	
$P_{OUT}$	10			W	
$Z_S$		$1.7 - j0.8$		$\Omega$	$F = 225 \text{ MHz}$ $P_{OUT} = 10 \text{ W}$ $V_{CC} = 28 \text{ V}$
$Z_{CL}$		$20 + j25$		$\Omega$	
$Z_S$		$1.5 - j2.5$		$\Omega$	$F = 400 \text{ MHz}$ $P_{OUT} = 10 \text{ W}$ $V_{CC} = 28 \text{ V}$
$Z_{CL}$		$15 + j20$		$\Omega$	

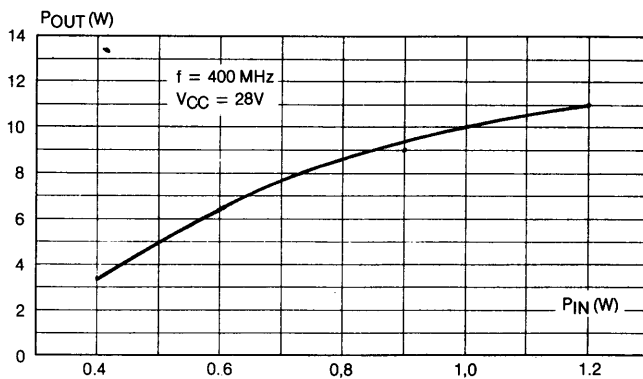
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Output power versus input power (minimum values)

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This device uses gold metallization and diffused emitter ballasting to achieve infinite VSWR at rated operating conditions.

**FEATURES**

- \* Designed for UHF military broadband 225-400 MHz.
- \* 16 W (min.) with greater than 6.5 dB gain.
- \* Gold metallization for high reliability applications.

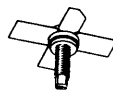
$$f = 400 \text{ MHz}$$

$$P_{OUT} \geq 16 \text{ W}$$

$$G_P \geq 7 \text{ dB}$$

$$\eta_c \geq 65 \%$$

$$V_{CC} = 28 \text{ V}$$



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ABSOLUTE RATINGS (LIMITING VALUES)	Symbols	Values	Units
Emitter-base (d.c.) voltage	VEBO	4	V
Collector-base (d.c.) voltage	VCBO	60	V
Collector-emitter (d.c.) voltage	VCEO	30	V
Collector current (d.c.)	IC	4.5	A
Total power dissipation $T_c = 75^\circ \text{ C}$	Ptot	25	W
Storage and junction temperatures	Tstg Tj	- 65 $\rightarrow$ + 200 + 200	$^\circ\text{C}$ $^\circ\text{C}$

Thermal resistance (junction-case)	Rth (j-c)	5.0	$^\circ\text{C/W}$
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STATIC CHARACTERISTICS at  $T_{amb} = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$

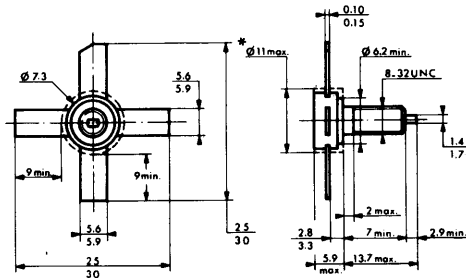
Symbols	Values			Units	Test conditions
	min.	typ.	max.		
$V_{(BR)EBO}$	4			V	$I_E = 5 \text{ mA}$ $I_C = 0$
$V_{(BR)CES}$	60			V	$I_C = 100 \text{ mA}$ $V_{BE} = 0$
$V_{(BR)CEO}$	30			V	$I_C = 100 \text{ mA}^*$
$I_{CES}$			10	mA	$V_{CE} = 30 \text{ V}$ $V_{BE} = 0$
$C_{ob}$			16	pF	$V_{CB} = 30 \text{ V}$ $f = 1 \text{ MHz}$

\* pulsed through to 25 mH inductor, duty factor 50 %

DYNAMIC CHARACTERISTICS at  $T_{amb} = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$

Symbols	Values			Units	Test conditions
	min.	typ.	max.		
$G_p$	7			dB	$F = 400 \text{ MHz}$ $V_{CC} = 28 \text{ V}$ $P_{IN} = 3.2 \text{ W}$
$\eta_c$	65			%	
$P_{OUT}$	16			W	
$Z_S$		$1.4 - j 0.5$		$\Omega$	$F = 225 \text{ MHz}$ $V_{CE} = 28 \text{ V}$ $P_{OUT} = 16 \text{ W}$
$Z_{CL}$		$12 + j 13$		$\Omega$	
$Z_S$		$1.3 + j 1.5$		$\Omega$	$F = 400 \text{ MHz}$ $V_{CE} = 28 \text{ V}$ $P_{OUT} = 16 \text{ W}$
$Z_{CL}$		$0.9 + j 12$		$\Omega$	

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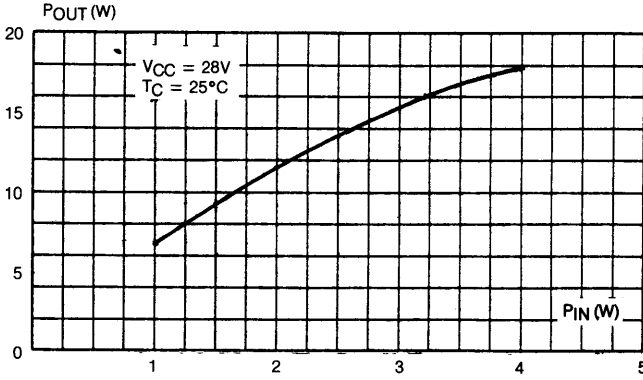


Fig. 1 - Output power versus input power (minimum values)

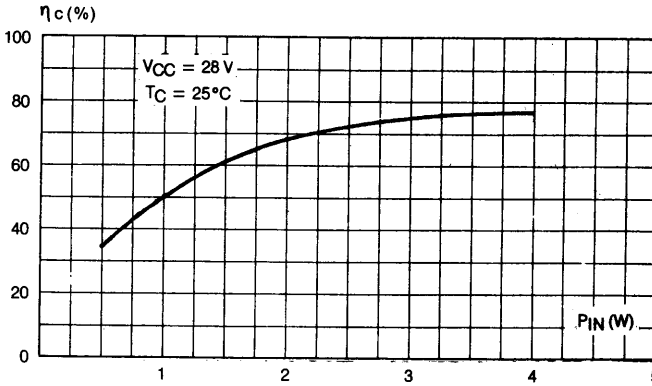


Fig. 2 - Collector efficiency versus input power (typical values)

**UHF LINEAR TRANSISTOR  
FOR BANDS 4 AND 5 TV TRANSPOSER**

**FEATURES**

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- Gold metallization
- Diffused emitter ballast resistors structure
- Ceramic cap package

**APPLICATIONS**

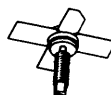
Linear transistor for TV applications bands 4 and 5

$f = 860 \text{ MHz}$

$P_{OUT} = 0,5 \text{ W}$

$GP = 12 \text{ dB}$

$IMD^* = -60 \text{ dB}$



Case : CB-289 ( .280 4L STUD (C) )

<b>ABSOLUTE RATINGS (LIMITING VALUES)</b>	<b>Symbols</b>	<b>Values</b>	<b>Units</b>
Emitter-base (d.c.) voltage	VEBO	3,5	V
Collector-base (d.c.) voltage	VCBO	45	V
Collector-emitter (d.c.) voltage	VCEO	24	V
Collector (d.c.) current	IC	0,7	A
Total power dissipation	Ptot	8,75	W
Storage and junction temperature range	Tstg	- 65 → + 200	°C
	Tj	- 55 → + 200	°C

Thermal resistance (junction-heatsink)	Rth (j-h)	20	°C/W
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\* 3 tones test

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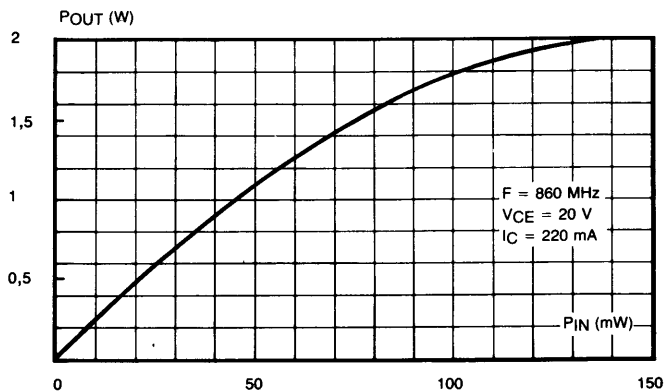
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Symbols	Values			Units	Test conditions	
	min.	typ.	max.			
V(BR)EBO	3,5			V	$I_E = 0,25 \text{ mA}$	
V(BR)CBO	45			V	$I_C = 1 \text{ mA}$	$I_B = 0$
V(BR)CEO	24			V	$I_C = 20 \text{ mA}$	$I_B = 0$
HFE	20		120		$I_C = 0,1 \text{ A}$	$V_{CE} = 5 \text{ V}$
Ccb			5	pF	$V_{CB} = 28 \text{ V}$	$f = 1 \text{ MHz}$

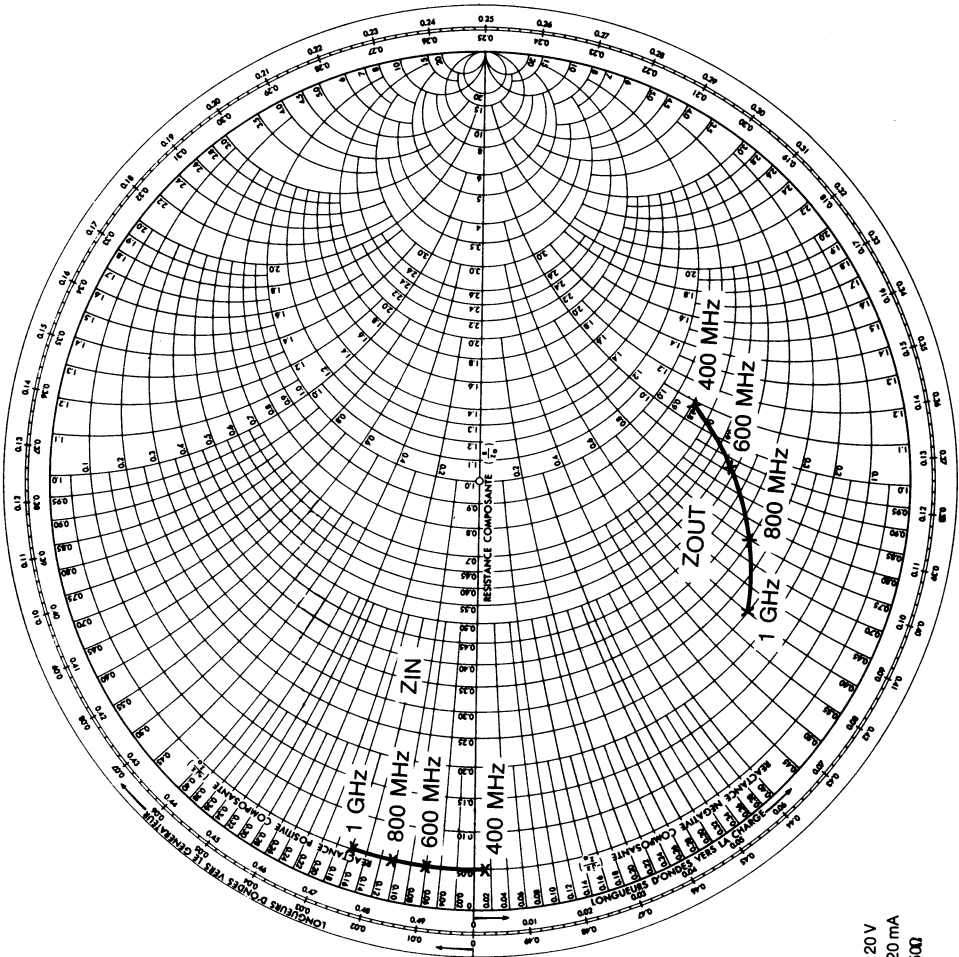
**DYNAMIC CHARACTERISTICS at  $T_{amb} = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$**

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	min.	typ.	max.			
GP		12		dB	$f = 860 \text{ MHz}$	$V_{CE} = 20 \text{ V}$
IMD*		-60		dB	$P_{OUT} = 0,5 \text{ W}$	$I_C = 0,22 \text{ A}$
$f_T$		2,5		GHz	$V_{CE} = 20 \text{ V}$	$I_C = 0,22 \text{ A}$

\* 3 tones test - Vision carrier - 8dB/ref  
 Sound carrier - 7dB/ref  
 Sideband carrier -16dB/ref

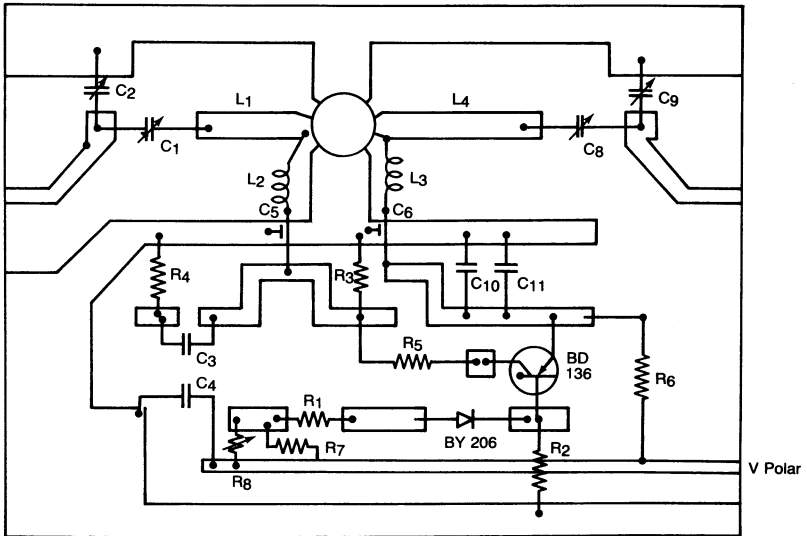


Output power versus input power



Smith chart

$V_{CE} = 20\text{ V}$   
 $I_C = 220\text{ mA}$   
 $Z_0 = 50\Omega$

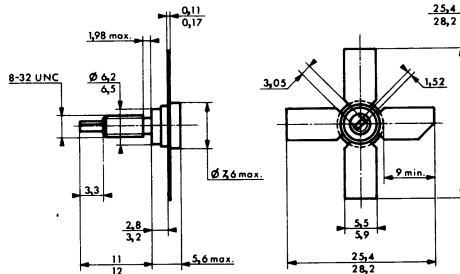


- C1 = C8 = Variable capacitors 2 to 18 pF
- C2 = C9 = Variable capacitors 2 to 9 pF
- C3 = C4 = 100 nF capacitors
- C5 = C6 = By-pass capacitors 1 nF
- C10 = Chemical capacitor 10 μF/40 V
- C11 = Ceramic capacitor 15 nF

- R1 = 150 Ω
- R2 = 1,3 kΩ
- R3 = 33 Ω
- R4 = 3 × 100 Ω in parallel
- R5 = 220 Ω (1 W)
- R6 = 4 × 12 Ω in parallel (4 × 1 W)
- R7 = 1 kΩ
- R8 = 220 Ω

- L1 = Line of 22 mm × 5 mm on glass teflon ε = 4,8 and thickness = 1,6 mm
- L2 = 5 μH
- L3 = Coil made of one copper turn of ø 1 mm and interior ø = 5,5 mm, length of leads = 5 mm each
- L4 = Line of 32 mm × 5 mm on glass teflon ε = 4,8 and thickness = 1,6 mm

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Dimensions in millimeters

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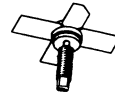
Linear transistor for TV applications bands 4 and 5

$$f = 860 \text{ MHz}$$

$$P_{OUT} = 1 \text{ W}$$

$$G_p = 11 \text{ dB}$$

$$IMD^* = -60 \text{ dB}$$



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Emitter-base (d.c.) voltage	$V_{EBO}$	3,5	V
Collector-base (d.c.) voltage	$V_{CBO}$	45	V
Collector-emitter (d.c.) voltage	$V_{CEO}$	24	V
Collector (d.c.) current	$I_C$	1,4	A
Total power dissipation	$P_{tot}$	19	W
Storage and junction temperature range	$T_{stg}$	- 65 $\rightarrow$ + 200	$^{\circ}\text{C}$
	$T_j$	- 55 $\rightarrow$ + 200	$^{\circ}\text{C}$

Thermal resistance (junction-heatsink)	$R_{th(j-h)}$	9	$^{\circ}\text{C/W}$
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\* 3 tones test

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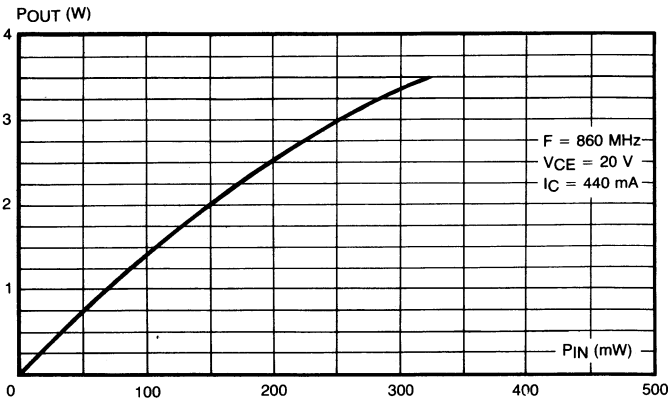
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HFE	20		120		$I_C = 0,2 \text{ A}$ $V_{CE} = 5 \text{ V}$
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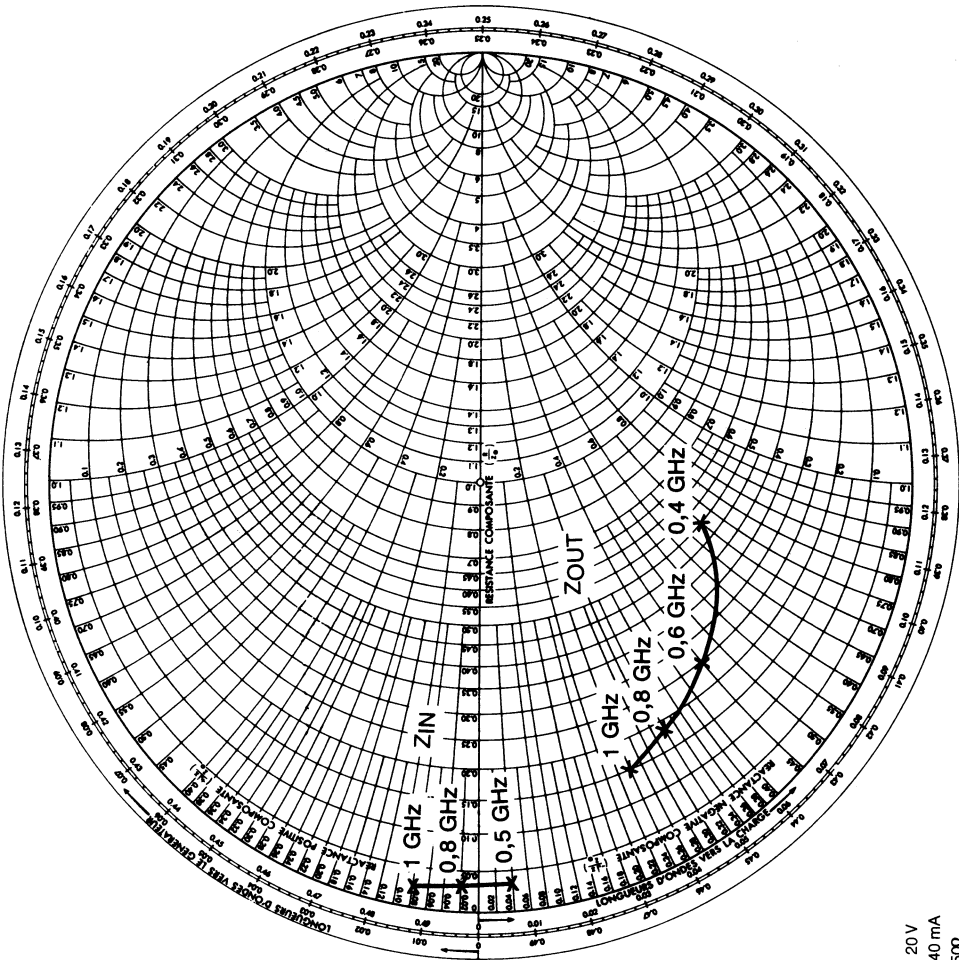
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G <sub>P</sub>		11		dB	$f = 860 \text{ MHz}$ $V_{CE} = 20 \text{ V}$
IMD*		- 60		dB	$P_{OUT} = 1 \text{ W}$ $I_C = 0,44 \text{ A}$
f <sub>T</sub>		2,5		GHz	$V_{CE} = 20 \text{ V}$ $I_C = 0,44 \text{ A}$

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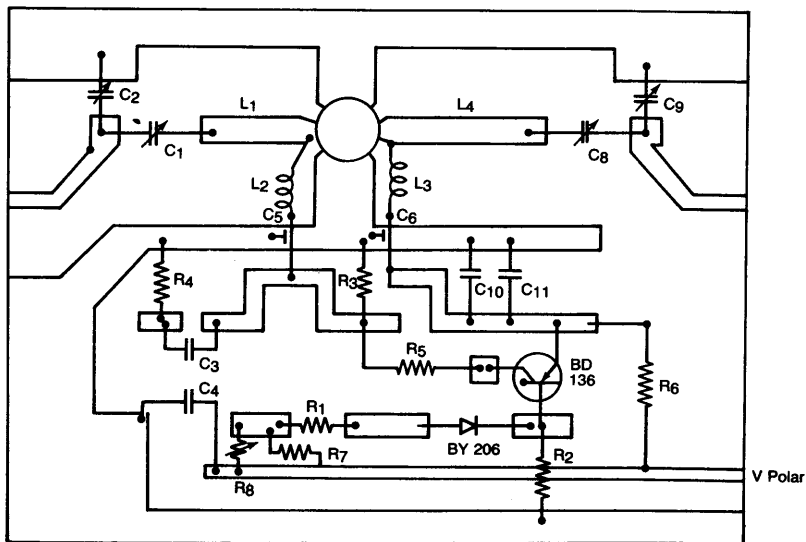
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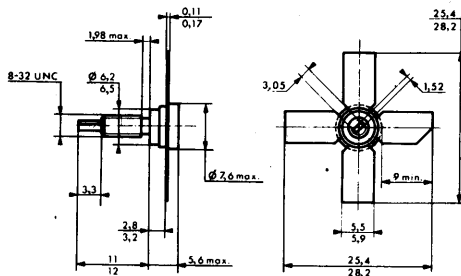
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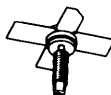
Linear high power transistor for TV applications bands 4 and 5

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$P_{OUT} = 3,5 \text{ W}$

$G_p = 9,5 \text{ dB}$

$IMD^* = -60 \text{ dB}$



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Collector-emitter (d.c.) voltage	VCEO	27	V
Peak collector current	ICM	4	A
Total power dissipation (at 70°C heatsink temperature)	P <sub>tot</sub>	21,5	W
Storage and junction temperature range	T <sub>stg</sub>	- 65 → + 200	°C
	T <sub>j</sub>	- 55 → + 200	°C

Thermal resistance	— junction-case	R <sub>th (j-c)</sub>	5,5	°C/W
	— case-heatsink	R <sub>th (c-h)</sub>	0,5	°C/W

\* 3 tones test

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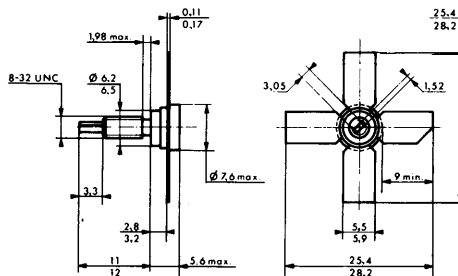
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HFE	20	45			$I_C = 1 \text{ A}$	$V_{CE} = 5 \text{ V}$
Ccb		20	28	pF	$V_{CB} = 25 \text{ V}$	$f = 1 \text{ MHz}$

DYNAMIC CHARACTERISTICS at  $T_{amb} = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$

Symbols	Values			Units	Test conditions		
	min.	typ.	max.				
GP	8	9,5		dB	$f = 860 \text{ MHz}$ $I_C = 850 \text{ mA}$	$V_{CE} = 25 \text{ V}$	$P_{OUT} = 3,5 \text{ W}$
IMD*		- 60		dB	$P_{OUT} = 3,5 \text{ W}$	$f = 860 \text{ MHz}$ $V_{CE} = 25 \text{ V}$ $I_C = 0,85 \text{ A}$	
			- 54		$P_{OUT} = 5 \text{ W}$		
f <sub>T</sub>		2		GHz	$V_{CE} = 25 \text{ V}$	$I_C = 1 \text{ A}$	

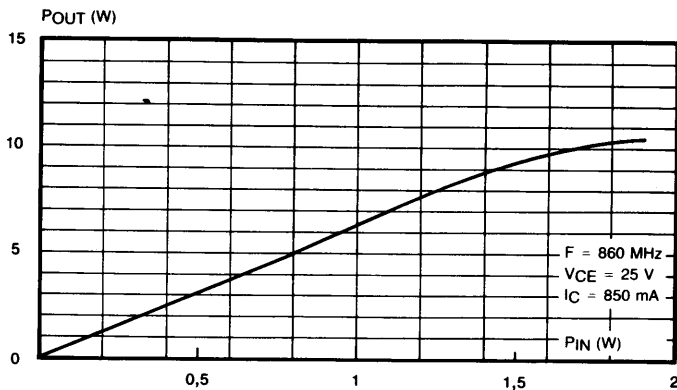
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 Sideband carrier -16dB/ref

CASE DESCRIPTION

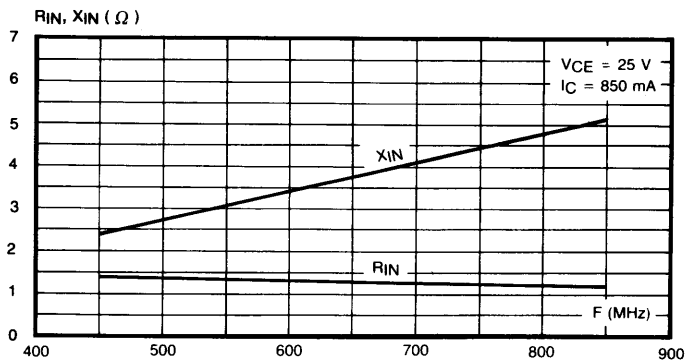


Dimensions in millimeters

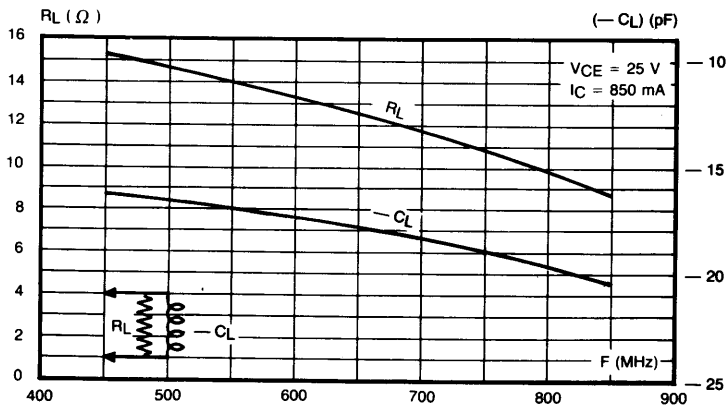
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 (.280 4L STUD (C))



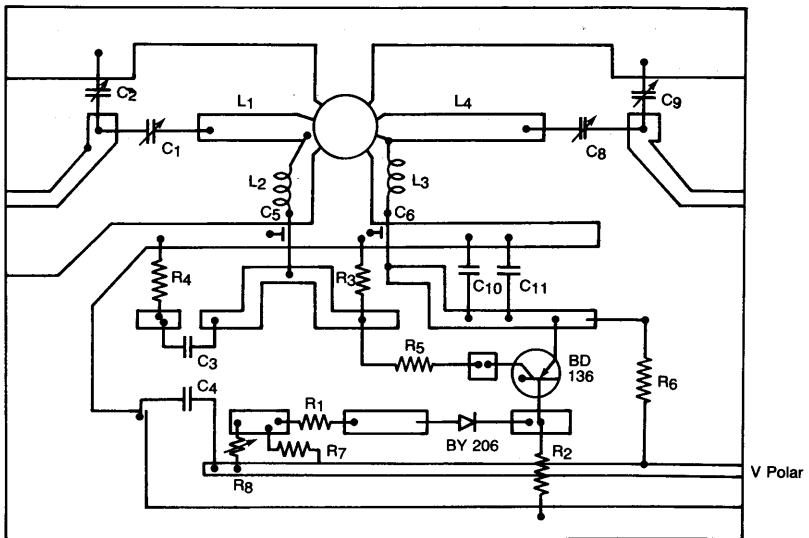
Output power versus input power.



Input impedance (series terms) versus frequency (typical values).



Load impedance (parallel terms) versus frequency (typical values).

TEST MOUNTING IN CLASS A AT  $F = 860 \text{ MHz}$ 

$C_1 = C_8 =$  Variable capacitors 2 to 18 pF  
 $C_2 = C_9 =$  Variable capacitors 2 to 9 pF  
 $C_3 = C_4 =$  100 nF capacitors  
 $C_5 = C_6 =$  By-pass capacitors 1 nF  
 $C_{10} =$  Chemical capacitor  $10 \mu\text{F}/40 \text{ V}$   
 $C_{11} =$  Ceramic capacitor 15 nF

$R_1 = 150 \Omega$   
 $R_2 = 1,3 \text{ k}\Omega$   
 $R_3 = 33 \Omega$   
 $R_4 = 3 \times 100 \Omega$  in parallel  
 $R_5 = 220 \Omega$  (1 W)  
 $R_6 = 4 \times 12 \Omega$  in parallel ( $4 \times 1 \text{ W}$ )  
 $R_7 = 1 \text{ k}\Omega$   
 $R_8 = 220 \Omega$

$L_1 =$  Line of  $22 \text{ mm} \times 5 \text{ mm}$  on glass teflon  $\epsilon = 4,8$  and thickness = 1,6 mm

$L_2 = 5 \mu\text{H}$

$L_3 =$  Coil made of one copper turn of  $\phi 1 \text{ mm}$  and interior  $\phi = 5,5 \text{ mm}$ ,  
length of leads = 5 mm each

$L_4 =$  Line of  $32 \text{ mm} \times 5 \text{ mm}$  on glass teflon  $\epsilon = 4,8$  and thickness = 1,6 mm