

**BC 153**  
**BC 154**

# SILICON PLANAR PNP

## LOW-NOISE AUDIO AMPLIFIERS

The BC 153 and BC 154 are silicon planar epitaxial PNP transistors in TO-18 epoxy package. They are specifically designed for use in low-noise audio preamplifiers.

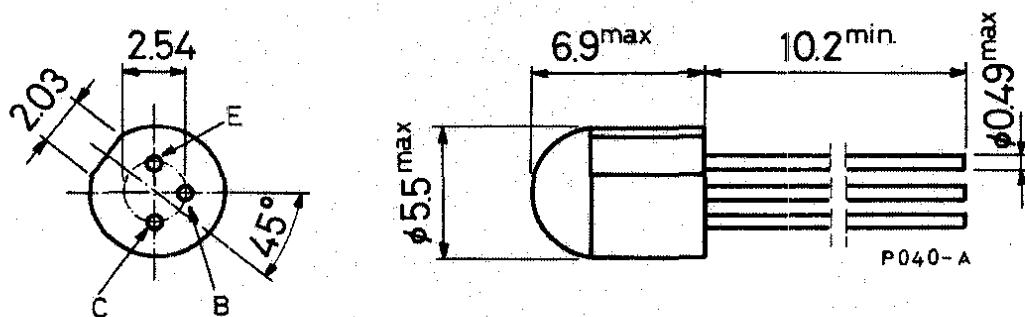
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## ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

$V_{CBO}$	Collector-base voltage ( $I_E = 0$ )	-40	V
$V_{CEO}$	Collector-emitter voltage ( $I_B = 0$ )	-40	V
$V_{EBO}$	Emitter-base voltage ( $I_C = 0$ )	-5	V
$I_C$	Collector current	-100	mA
$P_{tot}$	Total power dissipation at $T_{amb} \leq 25^\circ\text{C}$ at $T_{case} \leq 25^\circ\text{C}$	0.2	W
		0.5	W
$T_{stg}$	Storage temperature	-55 to 125	$^\circ\text{C}$
$T_j$	Junction temperature	125	$^\circ\text{C}$

## MECHANICAL DATA

Dimensions in mm



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## THERMAL DATA

$R_{th\ j-case}$	Thermal resistance junction-case	max	200	°C/W
$R_{th\ j-amb}$	Thermal resistance junction-ambient	max	500	°C/W

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## ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS ( $T_{amb} = 25^\circ C$ unless otherwise specified)

Parameter	Test conditions	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
$I_{CBO}$	Collector cutoff current ( $I_E = 0$ )			-50	nA
$V_{(BR) CBO}$	Collector-base breakdown voltage ( $I_E = 0$ )		-40		V
$V_{(BR) CEO}$	Collector-emitter breakdown voltage ( $I_B = 0$ )		-40		V
$V_{(BR) EBO}$	Emitter-base breakdown voltage ( $I_C = 0$ )		-5		V
$V_{CE(sat)}$	Collector-emitter saturation voltage	$I_C = -10 \mu A$ $I_B = -0.5 \mu A$		-0.25	V
$h_{FE}$	DC current gain	$I_C = -10 \mu A$ for BC 153 for BC 154	115 190		—
		$I_C = -100 \mu A$ for BC 153 for BC 154	50 160	125 215	—
		$I_C = -1 \text{ mA}$ for BC 153 for BC 154	50 160	135 230	—
		$I_C = -10 \text{ mA}$ for BC 153 for BC 154	50 160	135 225	—
$f_T$	Transition frequency	$I_C = -1 \text{ mA}$ $V_{CE} = -5 \text{ V}$	70		MHz
$C_{CBO}$	Collector-base capacitance	$I_E = 0$ $f = 1 \text{ MHz}$			<small>www.DataSheet4U.com</small> 4 pF

## ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (continued)

Parameter	Test conditions	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
NF Noise figure	$I_C = -20 \mu A$ $R_g = 10 k\Omega$ $B_f = 200 Hz$	$V_{CE} = -5 V$ $f = 1 kHz$			
		for BC 153 for BC 154	1 0.75	2.5	dB dB
	$I_C = -250 \mu A$ $R_g = 1 k\Omega$ $B_f = 200 Hz$	$V_{CE} = -5 V$ $f = 1 kHz$			
		for BC 153 for BC 154	1 0.75	2.5	dB dB
$\eta_{ie}$ Input impedance	$I_C = -1 mA$ $f = 1 kHz$	$V_{CE} = -5 V$			
		for BC 153 for BC 154	5.2 7.1		kΩ kΩ
$\eta_{re}$ Reverse voltage ratio	$I_C = -1 mA$ $f = 1 kHz$	$V_{CE} = -5 V$			
		for BC 153 for BC 154	$1.8 \times 10^{-4}$ $2.9 \times 10^{-4}$		— —
$\eta_{oe}$ Output admittance	$I_C = -1 mA$ $f = 1 kHz$	$V_{CE} = -5 V$			
		for BC 153 for BC 154	15 16		μS μS