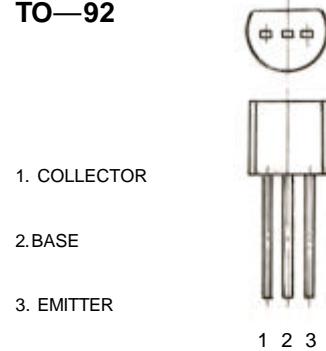


## TO-92 Plastic-Encapsulate Transistors

**BC556 , B  
BC557, A, B, C  
BC558, B**

TRANSISTOR ( PNP )

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### FEATURES

Power dissipation

$P_{CM}$  : 0.625 W ( Tamb=25 )

Collector current

$I_{CM}$  : -0.1 A

Collector-base voltage

$V_{CBO}$  : BC556 -80 V

BC557 -50 V

BC558 -30 V

Operating and storage junction temperature range

$T_J$ ,  $T_{stg}$ : -55 to +150

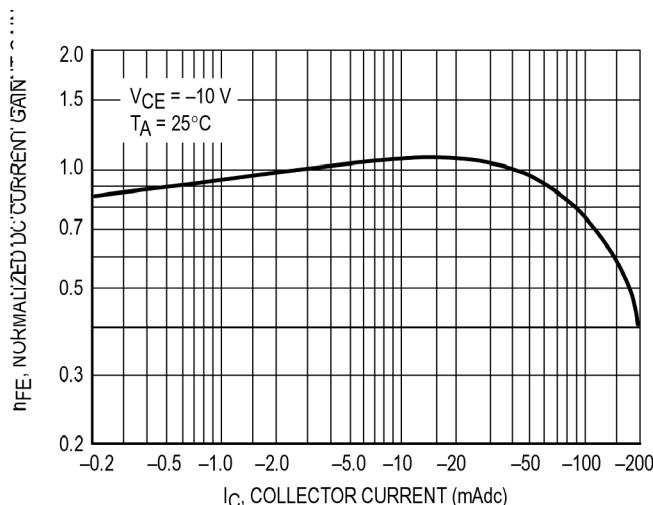
### ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS ( Tamb=25 unless otherwise specified )

Parameter	Symbol	Test conditions	MIN	MAX	UNIT
Collector-base breakdown voltage	BC556	$V_{CBO}$	$I_C = -100 \mu A, I_E = 0$	-80	V
	BC557			-50	
	BC558			-30	
Collector-emitter breakdown voltage	BC556	$V_{CEO}$	$I_C = -2mA, I_B = 0$	-65	V
	BC557			-45	
	BC558			-30	
Emitter-base breakdown voltage	$V_{EBO}$	$I_E = -100 \mu A, I_C = 0$	-5		V
Collector cut-off current	BC556	$I_{CBO}$	$V_{CB} = -70 V, I_E = 0$		$\mu A$
	BC557				
	BC558			-0.1	
Collector cut-off current	BC556	$I_{CEO}$	$V_{CE} = -60 V, I_B = 0$		$\mu A$
	BC557				
	BC558			-0.1	
Emitter cut-off current	BC556	$I_{EBO}$	$V_{EB} = -5 V, I_C = 0$		$\mu A$
	BC557				
	BC558			-0.1	
DC current gain	BC556	$h_{FE(1)}$	$V_{CE} = -5 V, I_C = -2mA$	120	500
	BC557			120	
	BC558			120	
	BC557A			120	
	BC556B/BC557B/BC558B			220	
	BC557C			180	
				420	
Collector-emitter saturation voltage	$V_{CE(sat)}$	$I_C = -100 mA, I_B = -5mA$		-0.3	V
Base-emitter saturation voltage	$V_{BE(sat)}$	$I_C = -100 mA, I_B = -5mA$		-1	V
Transition frequency	$f_T$	$V_{CE} = -5V, I_C = -10mA$ $f = 100MHz$	150		MHz

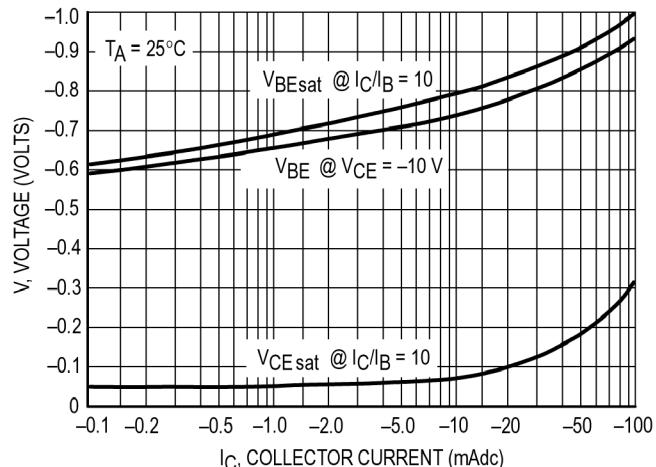
## Typical Characteristics

**BC556/557/558**

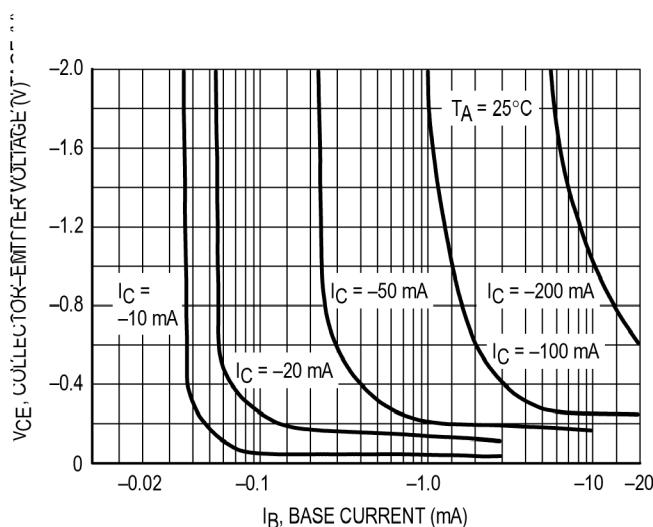
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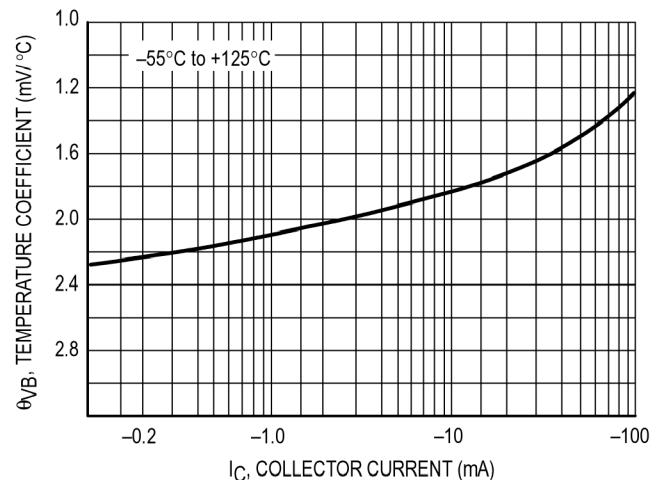
**Normalized DC Current Gain**



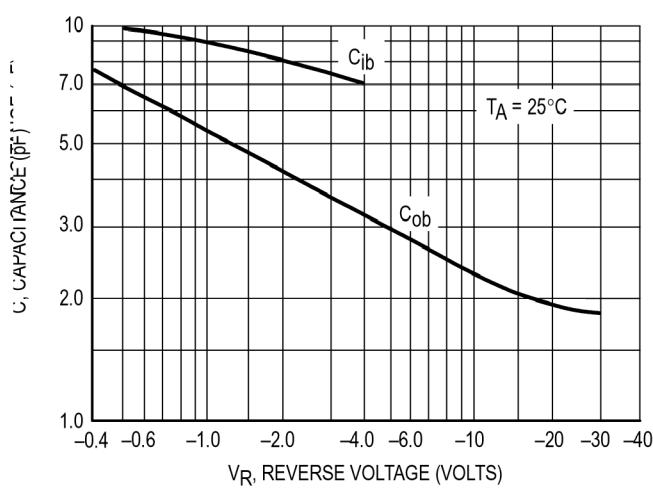
**“Saturation” and “On” Voltages**



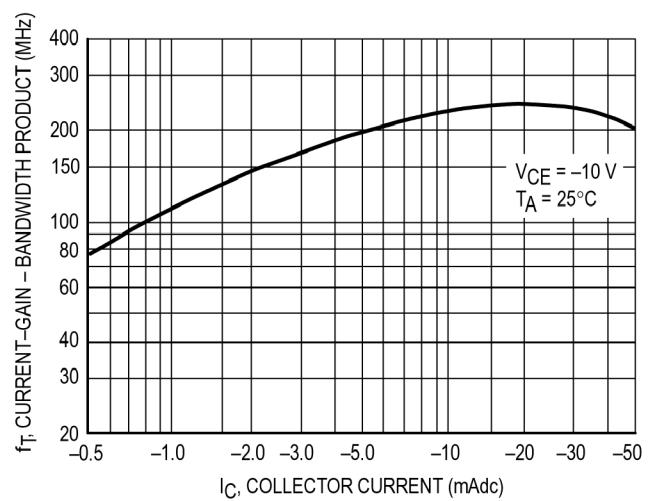
**Collector Saturation Region**



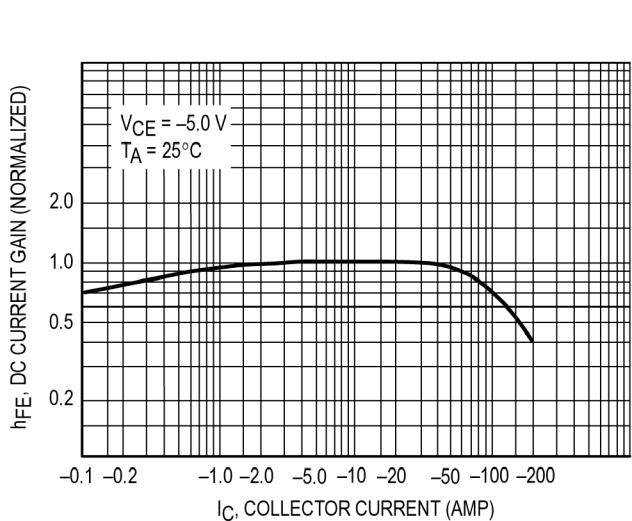
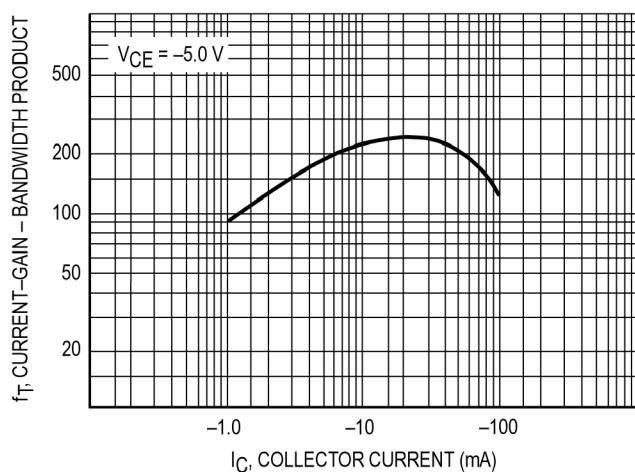
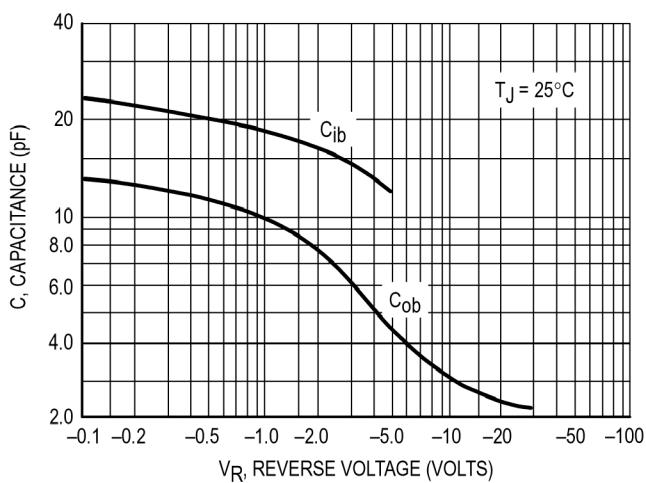
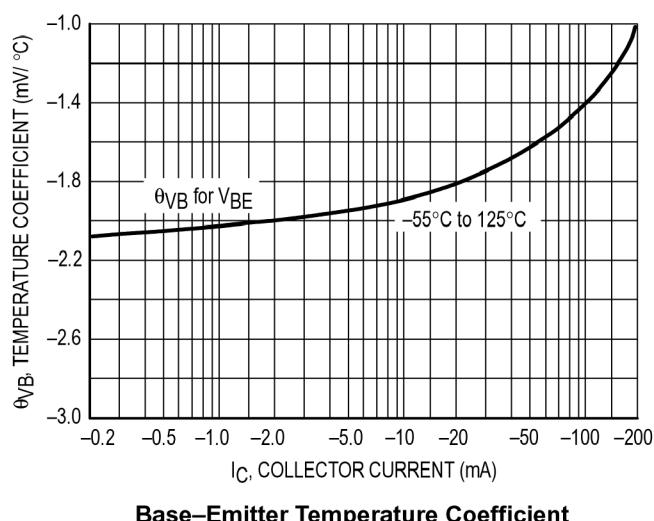
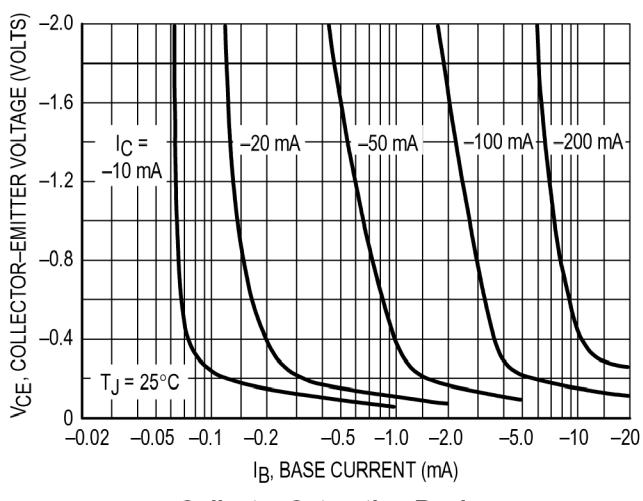
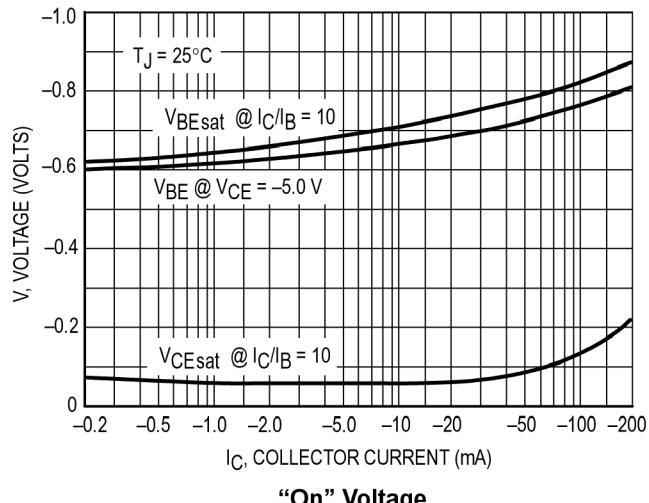
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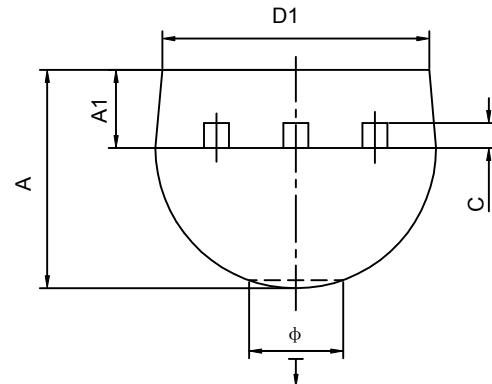
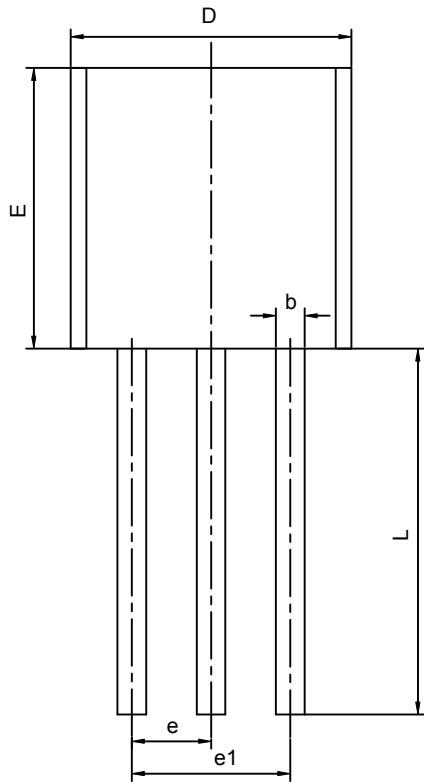
**Capacitances**



**Current-Gain – Bandwidth Product**


**BC556**


## TO-92 PACKAGE OUTLINE DIMENSIONS



Symbol	Dimensions In Millimeters		Dimensions In Inches	
	Min	Max	Min	Max
A	3.300	3.700	0.130	0.146
A1	1.100	1.400	0.043	0.055
b	0.380	0.550	0.015	0.022
c	0.360	0.510	0.014	0.020
D	4.400	4.700	0.173	0.185
D1	3.430		0.135	
E	4.300	4.700	0.169	0.185
e	1.270TYP		0.050TYP	
e1	2.440	2.640	0.096	0.104
L	14.100	14.500	0.555	0.571
Ö		1.600		0.063
↓	0.000	0.380	0.000	0.015