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## NTE2568 (NPN) & NTE2569 (PNP) Silicon Complementary Transistors High Current Switch

**Features:**

- Low Saturation Voltage
- Fast Switching Speed
- Isolated TO220 Type Package

**Applications:**

- Car-Use Inductance Drivers, Lamp Drivers
- Inverter Drivers, Converters (Strobes, Flashes, FLT Lighting Circuits)
- Power Amplifiers (High-Power Car Stereos, Motor Control)
- High-Speed Switching (Switching Regulators, Drivers)

**Absolute Maximum Ratings:** ( $T_C = +25^\circ\text{C}$  unless otherwise specified)

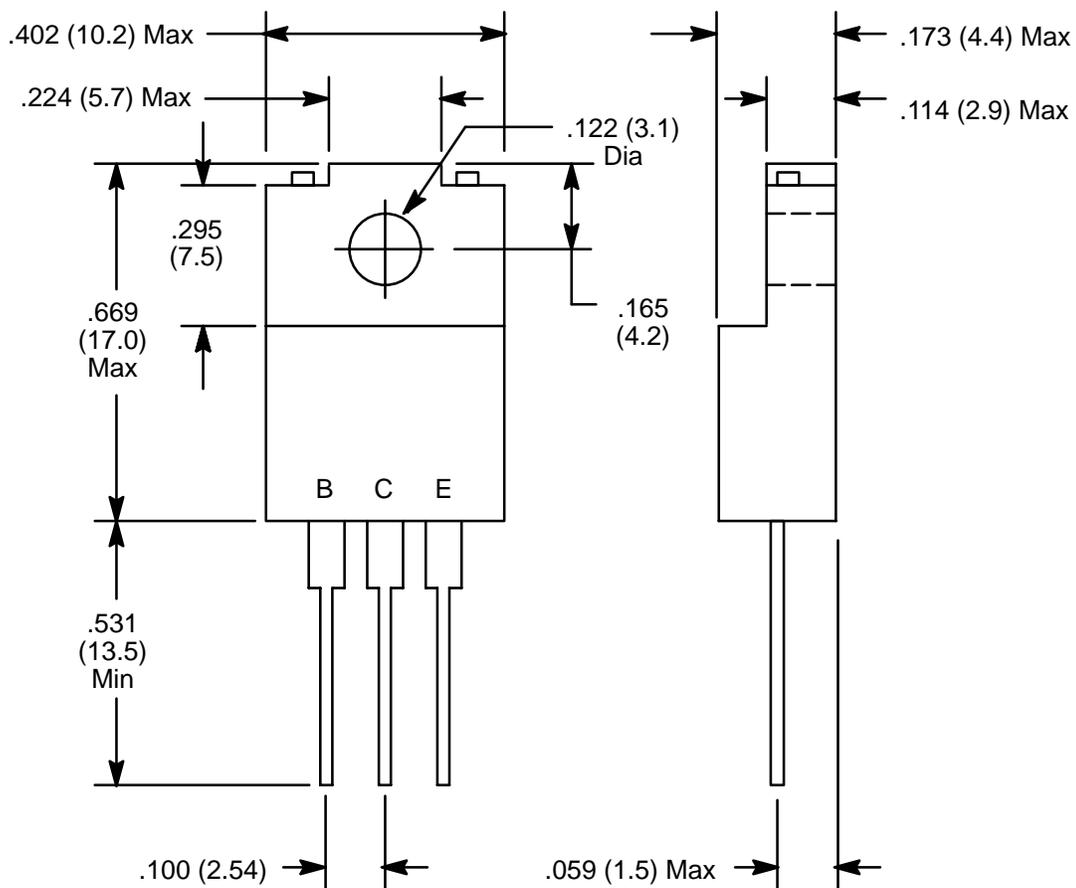
Collector-Base Voltage, $V_{CBO}$ .....	80V
Collector-Emitter Voltage, $V_{CEO}$ .....	60V
Emitter-Base Voltage, $V_{EBO}$ .....	5V
Collector Current, $I_C$	
Continuous .....	10A
Peak .....	12A
Collector Power Dissipation, $P_C$	
$T_C = +25^\circ\text{C}$ .....	30W
$T_A = +25^\circ\text{C}$ .....	2W
Operating Junction Temperature, $T_J$ .....	+150°C
Storage Temperature Range, $T_{stg}$ .....	-55° to +150°C

**Electrical Characteristics:** ( $T_C = +25^\circ\text{C}$  unless otherwise specified)

Parameter	Symbol	Test Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Collector Cutoff Current	$I_{CBO}$	$V_{CB} = 40V, I_E = 0$	-	-	0.1	mA
Emitter Cutoff Current	$I_{EBO}$	$V_{EB} = 4V, I_C = 0$	-		0.1	mA
DC Current Gain	$h_{FE}$	$V_{CE} = 2V, I_C = 1A$	70	-	280	
Gain Bandwidth Product	$f_T$	$V_{CE} = 5V, I_C = 1A$	-	100	-	MHz
Collector-Emitter Saturation Voltage	$V_{CE(sat)}$	$I_C = 5A, I_B = 0.25A$	-	-	0.4	V

**Electrical Characteristics (Cont'd):** ( $T_C = +25^\circ\text{C}$  unless otherwise specified)

Parameter	Symbol	Test Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Collector–Base Breakdown Voltage	$V_{(BR)CBO}$	$I_C = 1\text{mA}, I_E = 0$	80	–	–	V
Collector–Emitter Breakdown Voltage	$V_{(BR)CEO}$	$I_C = 1\text{mA}, R_{BE} = \infty$	60	–	–	V
Emitter–Base Breakdown Voltage	$V_{(BR)EBO}$	$I_E = 1\text{mA}, I_C = 0$	5	–	–	V
Turn–On Time	$t_{on}$	$I_C = 5\text{A}, I_{B1} = 20\text{A},$	–	0.1	–	$\mu\text{s}$
Storage Time	$t_{stg}$	$I_{B2} = -20\text{A}, V_{CC} = 20\text{V},$	–	0.5	–	$\mu\text{s}$
Collector Current Fall Time	$t_f$	Pulse Width = $20\mu\text{s},$ Duty Cycle $\leq 1\%$	–	0.1	–	$\mu\text{s}$



**NOTE:** Tab is isolated