

## 2N3905



### PNP General Purpose Amplifier

This device is designed for use as general purpose amplifiers and switches requiring collector currents to 100 mA. Sourced from Process 66. See 2N3906 for characteristics.

#### Absolute Maximum Ratings\*

TA = 25°C unless otherwise noted

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Units
$V_{CEO}$	Collector-Emitter Voltage	40	V
$V_{CBO}$	Collector-Base Voltage	40	V
$V_{EBO}$	Emitter-Base Voltage	5.0	V
$I_C$	Collector Current - Continuous	200	mA
$T_J, T_{stg}$	Operating and Storage Junction Temperature Range	-55 to +150	°C

\* These ratings are limiting values above which the serviceability of any semiconductor device may be impaired.

**NOTES:**

- 1) These ratings are based on a maximum junction temperature of 150 degrees C.
- 2) These are steady state limits. The factory should be consulted on applications involving pulsed or low duty cycle operations.

#### Thermal Characteristics

TA = 25°C unless otherwise noted

Symbol	Characteristic	Max	Units
		2N3905	
$P_D$	Total Device Dissipation Derate above 25°C	625 5.0	mW mW/°C
$R_{\theta JC}$	Thermal Resistance, Junction to Case	83.3	°C/W
$R_{\theta JA}$	Thermal Resistance, Junction to Ambient	200	°C/W

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(continued)

## Electrical Characteristics

TA = 25°C unless otherwise noted

Symbol	Parameter	Test Conditions	Min	Max	Units
<b>OFF CHARACTERISTICS</b>					
$V_{(BR)CEO}$	Collector-Emitter Breakdown Voltage*	$I_C = 1.0 \text{ mA}, I_B = 0$	40		V
$V_{(BR)CBO}$	Collector-Base Breakdown Voltage	$I_C = 10 \mu\text{A}, I_E = 0$	40		V
$V_{(BR)EBO}$	Emitter-Base Breakdown Voltage	$I_E = 10 \mu\text{A}, I_C = 0$	5.0		V
$I_{CEX}$	Collector Cutoff Current	$V_{CE} = 30 \text{ V}, V_{OB} = 3.0 \text{ V}$		50	nA
$I_{BL}$	Base Cutoff Current	$V_{CE} = 30 \text{ V}, V_{OB} = 3.0 \text{ V}$		50	nA
<b>ON CHARACTERISTICS*</b>					
$h_{FE}$	DC Current Gain	$V_{CE} = 1.0 \text{ V}, I_C = 0.1 \text{ mA}$	30		
		$V_{CE} = 1.0 \text{ V}, I_C = 1.0 \text{ mA}$	40		
		$V_{CE} = 1.0 \text{ V}, I_C = 10 \text{ mA}$	50		
		$V_{CE} = 1.0 \text{ V}, I_C = 50 \text{ mA}$	30		
		$V_{CE} = 1.0 \text{ V}, I_C = 100 \text{ mA}$	15		
$V_{CE(\text{sat})}$	Collector-Emitter Saturation Voltage	$I_C = 10 \text{ mA}, I_B = 1.0 \text{ mA}$		0.25	V
		$I_C = 50 \text{ mA}, I_B = 5.0 \text{ mA}$		0.40	V
$V_{BE(\text{sat})}$	Base-Emitter Saturation Voltage	$I_C = 10 \text{ mA}, I_B = 1.0 \text{ mA}$	0.65	0.85	V
		$I_C = 50 \text{ mA}, I_B = 5.0 \text{ mA}$		0.95	V
<b>SMALL SIGNAL CHARACTERISTICS</b>					
$C_{ob}$	Output Capacitance	$V_{CB} = 5.0 \text{ V}, f = 1.0 \text{ MHz}$		4.5	pF
$C_{ib}$	Input Capacitance	$V_{EB} = 0.5 \text{ V}, f = 1.0 \text{ MHz}$		10	pF
$h_{fe}$	Small-Signal Current Gain	$I_C = 10 \text{ mA}, V_{CE} = 20 \text{ V}, f = 100 \text{ MHz}$	2.0		
$h_{re}$	Small-Signal Current Gain	$I_C = 1.0 \text{ mA}, V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}, f = 1.0 \text{ kHz}$	50	200	
$h_{re}$	Voltage Feedback Ratio		0.1	5.0	$\times 10^{-4}$
$h_{ie}$	Input Impedance		0.5	8.0	kΩ
$h_{oe}$	Output Impedance		1.0	40	μmhos
NF	Noise Figure	$V_{CE} = 5.0 \text{ V}, I_C = 100 \mu\text{A}, R_S = 1.0 \text{ kΩ}, B_W = 10 \text{ Hz to } 15.7 \text{ kHz}$		5.0	dB
<b>SWITCHING CHARACTERISTICS</b>					
$t_d$	Delay Time	$V_{CC} = 3.0 \text{ V}, I_{CS} = 10 \text{ mA}, I_{B1} = 1.0 \text{ mA}, V_{OB(\text{off})} = 3.0 \text{ V}$		35	ns
$t_r$	Rise Time			35	ns
$t_s$	Storage Time	$V_{CC} = 3.0 \text{ V}, I_{CS} = 10 \text{ mA}, I_{B1} = I_{B2} = 1.0 \text{ mA}$		200	ns
$t_f$	Fall Time			60	ns

\* Pulse Test: Pulse Width ≤ 300 μs, Duty Cycle ≤ 2.0%