

**Nell High Power Products** 

# Complementary Silicon power transistors (10A / 60V / 75W)

## **FEATURES**

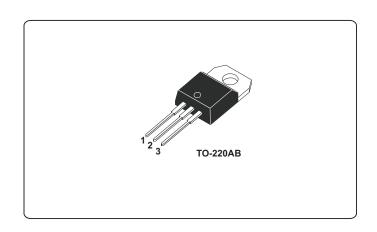
- Designed for general-purpose switching and amplifier applications.
- DC current gain specified to 10A
- High current gain-Band width product:
  f<sub>T</sub> = 2 MHz (Min.) @ I<sub>C</sub> = 0.5 Adc
- Excellent safe operating area

### **DESCRIPTION**

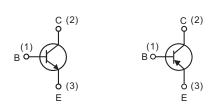
The MJE3055A is a silicon epitaxial-base planar NPN transistor in TO-220AB package.

It is intended for use in general-purpose amplifier and switding applications.

The complementary PNP type is MJE2955A.



#### INTERNAL SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM



MJE3055A(NPN)

MJE2955A(PNP)

ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS (T <sub>C</sub> = 25°C unless otherwise specified)								
SYMBOL	PARAMETER		VALUE	UNIT				
V <sub>CBO</sub>	Collector to base voltage (I <sub>E</sub> = 0)	to base voltage (I <sub>E</sub> = 0) 70						
V <sub>CEO</sub>	Collector to emitter voltage (I <sub>B</sub> = 0)		60 V					
V <sub>EBO</sub>	Emitter to base voltage		5.0					
Ic	Collector current		10	А				
I <sub>B</sub>	Base current		6					
Pc	Total power dissipation	T <sub>C</sub> = 25°C	75	W				
	Derate above 25°C		0.6	W/°C				
T <sub>j</sub>	Junction temperature		150	°C				
T <sub>stg</sub>	Storage temperature		-55 to 150					

<sup>\*</sup>For PNP types voltage and current values are negative.

THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS (T <sub>C</sub> = 25°C unless otherwise specified)						
SYMBOL	PARAMETER	VALUE	UNIT			
R <sub>th(j-c)</sub>	Maximum thermal resistance, junction to case	1.70	°C/W			

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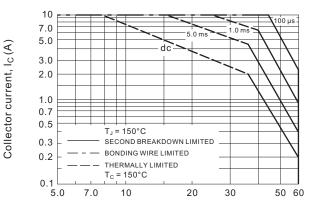


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SYMBOL	PARAMETER	CONDITIONS	MIN	MAX	UNIT	
OFF CH	ARACTERISTICS		•	•		
I <sub>CEX</sub>	Collector cutoff current	V <sub>CE</sub> = 70V, V <sub>BE</sub> = 1.5V		1.0	-	
		V <sub>CE</sub> = 70V, V <sub>BE</sub> = 1.5V, T <sub>C</sub> = 150°C		5.0		
I <sub>CEO</sub>	Collector cutoff current	V <sub>CE</sub> = 30V, I <sub>B</sub> = 0		0.7		
I <sub>CBO</sub>	Collector cutoff current	V <sub>CB</sub> = 70V, I <sub>E</sub> = 0		1.0	mA	
		V <sub>CB</sub> = 70V, I <sub>E</sub> = 0, T <sub>C</sub> = 150°C		10		
I <sub>EBO</sub>	Emitter cutoff current	V <sub>EBO</sub> = 5V, I <sub>C</sub> = 0		5.0		
V <sub>CEO(SUS)</sub> *	Collector to emitter sustaining voltage	I <sub>C</sub> = 200mA, I <sub>B</sub> = 0	60		V	
V <sub>(BR)CBO</sub>	Collector to base breakdown voltage	I <sub>E</sub> = 0, I <sub>C</sub> = 100mA	70			
V <sub>(BR)EBO</sub>	Emitter to base breakdown voltage	I <sub>C</sub> = 0, I <sub>E</sub> = 100mA	5			
ON CHA	RACTERISTICS					
h <sub>FE</sub>	Forward current transfer ratio (DC current gain)	I <sub>C</sub> = 4A, V <sub>CE</sub> = 4V	20	100		
		I <sub>C</sub> = 10A, V <sub>CE</sub> = 4V	5			
V <sub>CE(sat)</sub> *	Collector to emitter saturation voltage	I <sub>C</sub> = 4A, I <sub>B</sub> = 400mA		1.1		
		I <sub>C</sub> = 10A, I <sub>B</sub> = 3.3A		8.0	V	
V <sub>BE(on)</sub> *	Base to emitter on voltage	I <sub>C</sub> = 4A, V <sub>CE</sub> = 4V		1.8	1.8	
O DYNAMI	C CHARACTERISTICS					
f <sub>T</sub>	Transition frequency (Current gain- Bandwidth product)	I <sub>C</sub> = 0.5A, V <sub>CE</sub> = 10V, f = 500KHz	2.0		MHz	
I <sub>s/b</sub> *	Second breakdown collector current with base forward baised	V <sub>CE</sub> = 40V, t = 1.0s	2.87		А	

<sup>\*</sup>Pulsed: Pulse duration = 300 µs, duty cycle ≤ 20%.

Fig.1 Active region safe operating area



Collector-emitter voltage,  $V_{CE}(V)$ 

There are two limitations on the power handling ability of a transistor: average junction temperature and second breakdown. Safe operating area curves indicate  $l_{\text{C}}\text{-V}_{\text{CE}}$  limits of the transistor that must be observed for reliable operation; i.e., the transistor must not be subjected to greater dissipation than the curves indicate.

The data of figure 1 is based on  $T_{J(pk)}$ =150°C.  $T_C$  is variable depending on conditions. Second breakdown pulse limits are valid for duty cycles to 10% provided  $T_{J(pk)} \leq 150$ °C. At high case temperatures, thermal limitations will reduce the power that can be handled to values less than the limitations imposed by second breakdown.

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Fig.2. DC current gain

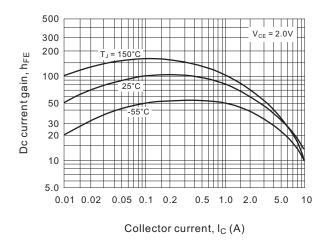


Fig.3 Power derating

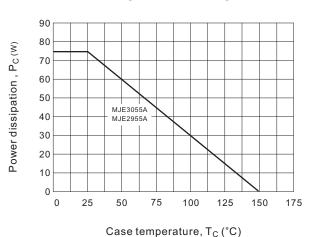


Fig.4 "On" Voltages

