



### Features:

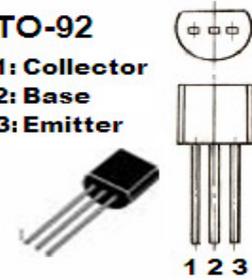
- High Current transistor

### Maximum Rating (TA=25°C unless otherwise note)

Parameter	Symbol	Value	Units
Collector-Base Voltage	BC556	-80	V
	BC557	-50	
	BC558	-30	
Collector-Emitter Voltage	V <sub>CEO</sub>	-65	V
		-45	
		-30	
Emitter-Base Voltage	V <sub>EBO</sub>	-5	V
Collector Current –Continuous	I <sub>C</sub>	-100	mA
Collector Power Dissipation	P <sub>C</sub>	625	mW
Junction Temperature	T <sub>J</sub>	150	°C
Storage Temperature	T <sub>stg</sub>	-55-150	°C

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- 1: Collector  
2: Base  
3: Emitter



### Electrical Characteristics (T<sub>amb</sub>=25°C unless otherwise specified):

Parameter	Symbol	Test conditions	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT	
Collector-base breakdown voltage	V <sub>CB0</sub>	I <sub>C</sub> =-100μA, I <sub>E</sub> =0	BC556	-80		V	
			BC557	-50			
			BC558	-30			
Collector-emitter breakdown voltage	V <sub>CEO</sub>	I <sub>C</sub> =-2mA, I <sub>B</sub> =0	BC556	-65		V	
			BC557	-45			
			BC558	-30			
Emitter-base breakdown voltage	V <sub>EBO</sub>	I <sub>E</sub> =-100μA, I <sub>C</sub> =0	-5			V	
Collector cut-off current	I <sub>CBO</sub>	V <sub>CB</sub> = -70 V, I <sub>E</sub> =0	BC556			-0.1	μA
		V <sub>CB</sub> = -45 V, I <sub>E</sub> =0	BC557				
		V <sub>CB</sub> = -25 V, I <sub>E</sub> =0	BC558				
Collector cut-off current	I <sub>EBO</sub>	V <sub>CE</sub> = -60 V, I <sub>B</sub> =0	BC556			-0.1	μA
		V <sub>CE</sub> = -40 V, I <sub>B</sub> =0	BC557				
		V <sub>CE</sub> = -25 V, I <sub>B</sub> =0	BC558				
Emitter cut-off current	I <sub>EBO</sub>	V <sub>EB</sub> =-5V, I <sub>C</sub> =0	BC556			-0.1	μA
			BC557				
			BC558				
DC current gain	h <sub>FE</sub>	V <sub>CE</sub> =-5V, I <sub>C</sub> = -2mA	BC556	120	800		
			BC557	120	800		
			BC558	120	800		
			BC557A	120	220		
			BC556B/BC557B/BC558B	180	460		
		BC557C	420	800			
Collector-emitter saturation voltage	V <sub>CE(sat)</sub>	I <sub>C</sub> =-100mA, I <sub>B</sub> =-5mA			-0.65	V	
Base-emitter voltage	V <sub>BE(sat)</sub>	I <sub>C</sub> =-100mA, I <sub>B</sub> =-5mA			-1	V	
Transition frequency	f <sub>T</sub>	V <sub>CE</sub> =-5V, I <sub>C</sub> =-10mA, f= 100 MHz		150		MHz	