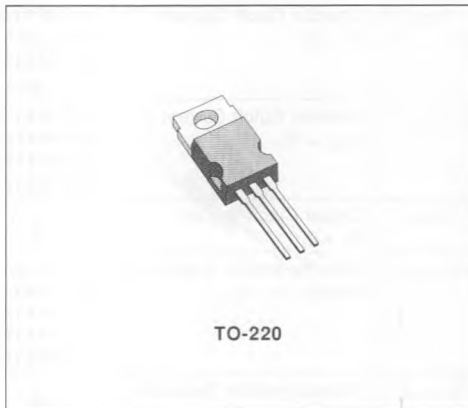


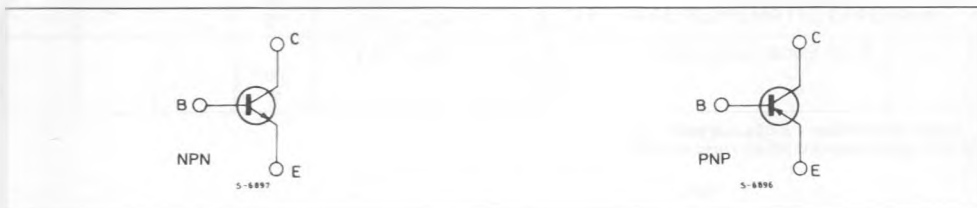
## MEDIUM POWER LINEAR AND SWITCHING APPLICATIONS

### DESCRIPTION

The TIP41, TIP41A, TIP41B and TIP41C are silicon axial-base NPN power transistors in Jedec TO-220 plastic package intended for use in medium power linear and switching applications. The complementary PNP types are the TIP42, TIP42A, TIP42B and TIP42C respectively.



### INTERNAL SCHEMATIC DIAGRAMS



### ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

Symbol	Parameter	NPN PNP*	Value				Unit
			TIP41 TIP42	TIP41A TIP42A	TIP41B TIP42B	TIP41C TIP42C	
$V_{CBO}$	Collector-base Voltage ( $I_E = 0$ )		40	60	80	100	V
$V_{CEO}$	Collector-emitter Voltage ( $I_B = 0$ )		40	60	80	100	V
$V_{EBO}$	Emitter-base Voltage ( $I_C = 0$ )		5				V
$I_C$	Collector Current		6				A
$I_{CM}$	Collector Peak Current		10				A
$I_B$	Base Current		3				A
$P_{tot}$	Total Power Dissipation at $T_{case} \leq 25^\circ C$ $T_{amb} \leq 25^\circ C$		65				W
			2				W
$T_{stg}$	Storage Temperature		- 65 to 150				$^\circ C$
$T_J$	Junction Temperature		150				$^\circ C$

\*For PNP types voltage and current values are negative.

**THERMAL DATA**

$R_{th\ j-case}$	Thermal Resistance Junction-case	Max	1.92	°C/W
$R_{th\ j-amb}$	Thermal Resistance Junction-ambient	Max	62.5	°C/W

**ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS** ( $T_{case} = 25\text{ °C}$  unless otherwise specified)

Symbol	Parameter	Test Conditions	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
$I_{CEO}$	Collector Cutoff Current ( $I_B = 0$ )	for <b>TIP41/41A/42/42A</b> $V_{CE} = 30\text{ V}$ for <b>TIP41B/41C/42B/42C</b> $V_{CE} = 60\text{ V}$			0.7	mA
$I_{CES}$	Collector Cutoff Current ( $V_{BE} = 0$ )	for <b>TIP41/42</b> $V_{CE} = 40\text{ V}$ for <b>TIP41A/42A</b> $V_{CE} = 60\text{ V}$ for <b>TIP41B/42B</b> $V_{CE} = 80\text{ V}$ for <b>TIP41C/42C</b> $V_{CE} = 100\text{ V}$			0.4	mA
$I_{EBO}$	Emitter Cutoff Current ( $I_C = 0$ )	$V_{EB} = 5\text{ V}$			1	mA
$V_{CEO(sus)}^*$	Collector-emitter Sustaining Voltage ( $I_B = 0$ )	$I_C = 30\text{ mA}$ for <b>TIP41/42</b> for <b>TIP41A/42A</b> for <b>TIP41B/42B</b> for <b>TIP41C/42C</b>	40 60 80 100			V
$V_{CE(sat)}^*$	Collector-emitter Saturation Voltage	$I_C = 6\text{ A}$ $I_B = 0.6\text{ A}$			1.5	V
$V_{BE}^*$	Base-emitter Voltage	$I_C = 6\text{ A}$ $V_{CE} = 4\text{ V}$			2	V
$h_{FE}^*$	DC current Gain	$I_C = 0.3\text{ A}$ $V_{CE} = 4\text{ V}$ $I_C = 3\text{ A}$ $V_{CE} = 4\text{ V}$	30 15		75	
$h_{fe}$	Small Signal Current Gain	$I_C = 0.5\text{ A}$ $V_{CE} = 10\text{ V}$ $f = 1\text{ KHz}$ $f = 1\text{ MHz}$	20 3			

\* Pulsed : pulse duration = 300  $\mu$ s, duty cycle  $\leq$  2%.  
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