



**TIP29A, TIP29B, TIP29C  
NPN Silicon Epitaxial Transistor  
Medium Power Amp, Switch  
TO-220 Type Package**

**Description:**

The TIP29A, TIP29B, and TIP29C are General-Purpose Medium-Power silicon NPN transistors in a TO-220 type package designed for switching and amplifier applications. They are especially designed for series and shunt regulators and as a driver and output stage of high-fidelity amplifiers.

**Features:**

- Medium Power Linear Switching Applications
- Complementary to TIP30 Series

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

Collector-Base Voltage,  $V_{CBO}$

TIP29A .....	60V
TIP29B .....	80V
TIP29C .....	100V

Collector-Emitter Voltage,  $V_{CEO}$

TIP29A .....	60V
TIP29B .....	80V
TIP29C .....	100V

Emitter-Base Voltage,  $V_{EBO}$

.....	5V
-------	----

Collector Current,  $I_C$

DC .....	1A
----------	----

Pulse .....	3A
-------------	----

Base Current,  $I_B$

.....	0.4A
-------	------

Collector Dissipation,  $P_C$

$(T_A = 25^\circ\text{C})$ .....	2W
----------------------------------	----

$(T_C = 25^\circ\text{C})$ .....	30W
----------------------------------	-----

Operating Junction Temperature,  $T_J$

.....	+150°C
-------	--------

Storage Temperature Range,  $T_{stg}$

.....	-65° to +150°C
-------	----------------

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

Parameter	Symbol	Test Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Collector-Emitter Sustaining Voltage TIP29A	$V_{CEO(sus)}$	$I_C = 30\text{mA}, I_B = 0$	60	-	-	V
TIP29B			80	-	-	V
TIP29C			100	-	-	V
Collector Cutoff Current TIP29A	$I_{CEO}$	$V_{CE} = 20\text{V}, I_B = 0$	-	-	0.3	mA
TIP29B, TIP29C		$V_{CE} = 60\text{V}, I_B = 0$	-	-	0.3	mA
TIP29A	$I_{CES}$	$V_{CE} = 60\text{V}, V_{EB} = 0$	-	-	200	$\mu\text{A}$
TIP29B		$V_{CE} = 80\text{V}, V_{EB} = 0$	-	-	200	$\mu\text{A}$
TIP29C		$V_{CE} = 100\text{V}, V_{EB} = 0$	-	-	200	$\mu\text{A}$
Emitter Cutoff Current	$I_{EBO}$	$V_{EB} = 5\text{V}, I_C = 0$	-	-	1	mA
DC Current Gain	$h_{FE}$	$V_{CE} = 4\text{V}, I_C = 0.2\text{A}$ , Note 1	40	-	-	
		$V_{CE} = 4\text{V}, I_C = 1\text{A}$ , Note 1	15	-	75	
Collector-Emitter Saturation Voltage	$V_{CE(sat)}$	$I_C = 1\text{A}, I_B = 125\text{mA}$ , Note 1	-	-	0.7	V
Base-Emitter Saturation Voltage	$V_{BE(sat)}$	$V_{CE} = 4\text{V}, I_C = 1\text{A}$ , Note 1	-	-	1.3	V
Current Gain Bandwidth Product	$f_T$	$V_{CE} = 10\text{V}, I_C = 200\text{mA}$	3	-	-	MHz

Note 1. Pulse test: Pulse Width  $\leq 300\mu\text{s}$ , Duty Cycle  $\leq 2\%$ .

