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## NTE472 Silicon NPN Transistor RF Power Output $P_O = 1.8W @ 175MHz$

**Description:**

The NTE472 is a silicon NPN transistor designed for amplifier, frequency multiplier or oscillator applications in military, mobile marine and citizens band equipment. Suitable for use as output driver or pre-driver stages in VHF and UHF equipment.

**Features:**

- Specified 12.5 Volt, 175MHz Characteristics:  
     Output Power = 1.75 Watts  
     Minimum Gain = 11.5dB  
     Efficiency = 50%
- Characterized through 225MHz

**Absolute Maximum Ratings:**

Collector–Emitter Voltage, $V_{CEO}$ .....	16V
Collector–Base Voltage, $V_{CBO}$ .....	36V
Emitter–Base Voltage, $V_{EBO}$ .....	3.5V
Continuous Collector Current, $I_C$ .....	0.33A
Total Device Dissipation ( $T_C = +75^\circ C$ , Note 1), $P_D$ .....	3.5W
Derate Above $75^\circ C$ .....	28mW/ $^\circ C$
Storage Temperature Range, $T_{stg}$ .....	$-65^\circ$ to $+200^\circ C$

Note 1. This device is designed for RF operation. The total device dissipation rating applies only when the device is operated as a class B or C RF amplifier.

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

Parameter	Symbol	Test Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
<b>OFF Characteristics</b>						
Collector–Emitter Breakdown Voltage	$V_{(BR)CEO}$	$I_C = 25mA, I_B = 0$	16	–	–	V
	$V_{(BR)CES}$	$I_C = 25mA, V_{BE} = 0$	36	–	–	V
Emitter–Base Breakdown Voltage	$V_{(BR)EBO}$	$I_C = 0.5mA, I_C = 0$	3.5	–	–	V
Collector Cutoff Current	$I_{CEO}$	$V_{CE} = 10V, I_B = 0$	–	–	0.3	mA

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

Parameter	Symbol	Test Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
<b>ON Characteristics</b>						
DC Current Gain	$h_{FE}$	$V_{CE} = 5\text{V}, I_C = 50\text{mA}$	20	–	150	
<b>Dynamic Characteristics</b>						
Output Capacitance	$C_{ob}$	$V_{CB} = 12\text{V}, I_E = 0, f = 1\text{MHz}$	–	–	15	pF
<b>Functional Test</b>						
Common–Emitter Amplifier Power Gain	$G_{PE}$	$P_{OUT} = 1.75\text{W}, V_{CC} = 12.5\text{V},$ $f = 175\text{MHz}$	11.5	–	–	dB
Collector Efficiency	$\eta$		50	–	–	%

