

**BC394**  
**SILICON**  
**NPN TRANSISTOR**



**TO-18 CASE**



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**DESCRIPTION:**

The CENTRAL SEMICONDUCTOR BC394 is a silicon NPN transistor designed for general purpose amplifier applications.

**MARKING: FULL PART NUMBER**

**MAXIMUM RATINGS:** ( $T_A=25^\circ\text{C}$ )

Collector-Base Voltage
Collector-Emitter Voltage
Emitter-Base Voltage
Continuous Collector Current
Power Dissipation
Power Dissipation ( $T_C=25^\circ\text{C}$ )
Operating and Storage Junction Temperature
Thermal Resistance
Thermal Resistance

SYMBOL		UNITS
$V_{CB0}$	180	V
$V_{CEO}$	180	V
$V_{EBO}$	6.0	V
$I_C$	100	mA
$P_D$	400	mW
$P_D$	1.4	W
$T_J, T_{stg}$	-65 to +200	$^\circ\text{C}$
$\theta_{JA}$	437.5	$^\circ\text{C/W}$
$\theta_{JC}$	125	$^\circ\text{C/W}$

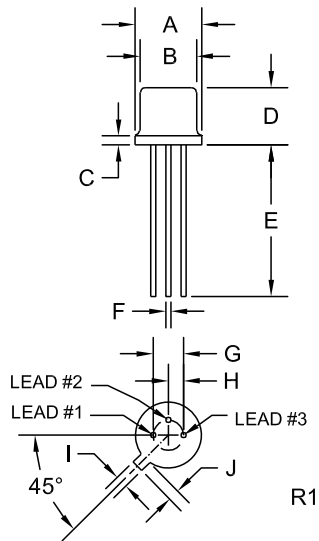
**ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS:** ( $T_A=25^\circ\text{C}$  unless otherwise noted)

SYMBOL	TEST CONDITIONS	MIN	MAX	UNITS
$I_{CBO}$	$V_{CB}=100\text{V}$		50	nA
$I_{CBO}$	$V_{CB}=100\text{V}, T_A=150^\circ\text{C}$		50	$\mu\text{A}$
$BV_{CBO}$	$I_C=100\mu\text{A}$	180		V
$BV_{CEO}$	$I_C=10\text{mA}$	180		V
$BV_{EBO}$	$I_E=100\mu\text{A}$	6.0		V
$V_{CE(SAT)}$	$I_C=10\text{mA}, I_B=1.0\text{mA}$		0.3	V
$V_{BE(SAT)}$	$I_C=10\text{mA}, I_B=1.0\text{mA}$		0.9	V
$h_{FE}$	$V_{CE}=10\text{V}, I_C=10\text{mA}$	30		
$f_T$	$V_{CE}=10\text{V}, I_C=10\text{mA}, f=10\text{MHz}$	50		MHz

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TO-18 CASE - MECHANICAL OUTLINE



SYMBOL	INCHES		MILLIMETERS	
	MIN	MAX	MIN	MAX
A (DIA)	0.209	0.230	5.31	5.84
B (DIA)	0.178	0.195	4.52	4.95
C	-	0.030	-	0.76
D	0.170	0.210	4.32	5.33
E	0.500	-	12.70	-
F (DIA)	0.016	0.019	0.41	0.48
G (DIA)	0.100		2.54	
H	0.050		1.27	
I	0.036	0.046	0.91	1.17
J	0.028	0.048	0.71	1.22

TO-18 (REV: R1)

**LEAD CODE:**

- 1) Emitter
- 2) Base
- 3) Collector

**MARKING:**

FULL PART NUMBER

R0 (7-October 2019)

## OUTSTANDING SUPPORT AND SUPERIOR SERVICES



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### PRODUCT SUPPORT

Central's operations team provides the highest level of support to insure product is delivered on-time.

- Supply management (Customer portals)
- Inventory bonding
- Consolidated shipping options
- Custom bar coding for shipments
- Custom product packing

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### DESIGNER SUPPORT/SERVICES

Central's applications engineering team is ready to discuss your design challenges. Just ask.

- Free quick ship samples (2<sup>nd</sup> day air)
- Online technical data and parametric search
- SPICE models
- Custom electrical curves
- Environmental regulation compliance
- Customer specific screening
- Up-screening capabilities
- Special wafer diffusions
- PbSn plating options
- Package details
- Application notes
- Application and design sample kits
- Custom product and package development

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### REQUESTING PRODUCT PLATING

1. If requesting Tin/Lead plated devices, add the suffix "TIN/LEAD" to the part number when ordering (example: 2N2222A TIN/LEAD).
2. If requesting Lead (Pb) Free plated devices, add the suffix "PBFREE" to the part number when ordering (example: 2N2222A PBFREE).

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