

## Complementary power transistors

### Features

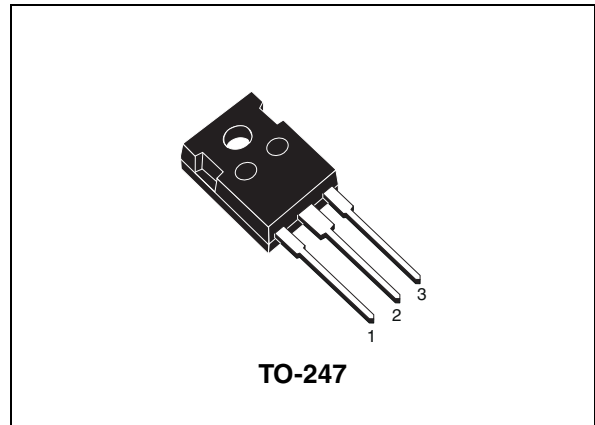
- Low collector-emitter saturation voltage
- Complementary NPN - PNP transistors

### Applications

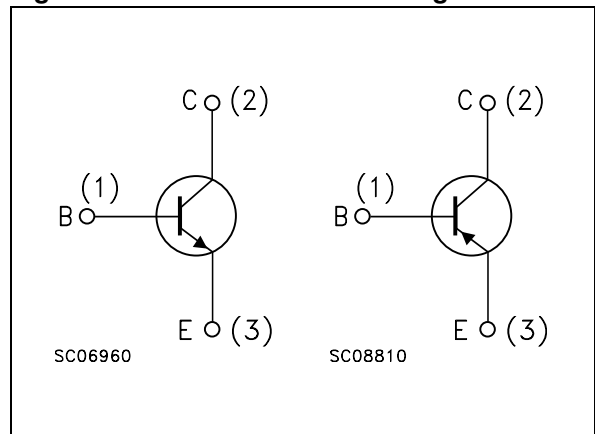
- General purpose
- Audio Amplifier

### Description

The devices are manufactured in epitaxial-base planar technology and are suitable for audio, power linear and switching applications.



**Figure 1. Internal schematic diagrams**



**Table 1. Device summary**

| Order code | Marking | Package | Packaging |
|------------|---------|---------|-----------|
| TIP2955    | TIP2955 | TO-247  | tube      |
| TIP3055    | TIP3055 |         |           |

# 1 Absolute maximum rating

**Table 2. Absolute maximum rating**

| Symbol    | Parameter                                            | Value      |         | Unit             |
|-----------|------------------------------------------------------|------------|---------|------------------|
|           |                                                      | NPN        | TIP3055 |                  |
|           |                                                      | PNP        | TIP2955 |                  |
| $V_{CBO}$ | Collector-emitter voltage ( $I_E = 0$ )              | 100        |         | V                |
| $V_{CER}$ | Collector-emitter voltage ( $R_{BE} = 100\ \Omega$ ) | 70         |         | V                |
| $V_{CEO}$ | Collector-emitter voltage ( $I_B = 0$ )              | 60         |         | V                |
| $V_{EBO}$ | Collector-base voltage ( $I_C = 0$ )                 | 7          |         | V                |
| $I_C$     | Collector current                                    | 15         |         | A                |
| $I_B$     | Base current                                         | 7          |         | A                |
| $P_{tot}$ | Total dissipation at $T_c \leq 25^\circ\text{C}$     | 90         |         | W                |
| $T_{stg}$ | Storage temperature                                  | -65 to 150 |         | $^\circ\text{C}$ |
| $T_J$     | Max. operating junction temperature                  | 150        |         | $^\circ\text{C}$ |

*Note:* For PNP type voltage and current values are negative

## 2 Electrical characteristics

( $T_{\text{case}} = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ ; unless otherwise specified)

**Table 3. Electrical characteristics**

| Symbol                      | Parameter                                                                       | Test conditions                                                                                                          | Min.    | Typ. | Max.   | Unit     |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|------|--------|----------|
| $I_{\text{CEX}}$            | Collector cut-off current<br>( $V_{\text{BE}} = -1.5\text{ V}$ )                | $V_{\text{CE}} = 100\text{ V}$<br>$V_{\text{CE}} = 100\text{ V}$ $T_{\text{C}} = 150\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$            |         |      | 1<br>5 | mA<br>mA |
| $I_{\text{CEO}}$            | Collector cut-off current<br>( $I_{\text{B}} = 0$ )                             | $V_{\text{CE}} = 30\text{ V}$                                                                                            |         |      | 0.7    | mA       |
| $I_{\text{EBO}}$            | Emitter cut-off current<br>( $I_{\text{C}} = 0$ )                               | $V_{\text{EB}} = 7\text{ V}$                                                                                             |         |      | 5      | mA       |
| $V_{\text{CEO(sus)}}^{(1)}$ | Collector-emitter sustaining<br>voltage ( $I_{\text{B}} = 0$ )                  | $I_{\text{C}} = 200\text{ mA}$                                                                                           | 60      |      |        | V        |
| $V_{\text{CER(sus)}}^{(1)}$ | Collector-emitter sustaining<br>voltage ( $R_{\text{BE}} = 100\text{ }\Omega$ ) | $I_{\text{C}} = 200\text{ mA}$                                                                                           | 70      |      |        | V        |
| $V_{\text{CE(sat)}}^{(1)}$  | Collector-emitter saturation<br>voltage                                         | $I_{\text{C}} = 4\text{ A}$ $I_{\text{B}} = 400\text{ mA}$<br>$I_{\text{C}} = 10\text{ A}$ $I_{\text{B}} = 3.3\text{ A}$ |         |      | 1<br>3 | V<br>V   |
| $V_{\text{BE}}^{(1)}$       | Base-emitter voltage                                                            | $I_{\text{C}} = 4\text{ A}$ $V_{\text{CE}} = 4\text{ V}$                                                                 |         |      | 1.8    | V        |
| $h_{\text{FE}}^{(1)}$       | DC current gain                                                                 | $I_{\text{C}} = 4\text{ A}$ $V_{\text{CE}} = 4\text{ V}$<br>$I_{\text{C}} = 10\text{ A}$ $V_{\text{CE}} = 4\text{ V}$    | 20<br>5 |      | 70     |          |

1. Pulse duration = 300  $\mu\text{s}$ , duty cycle  $\leq 1.5\%$

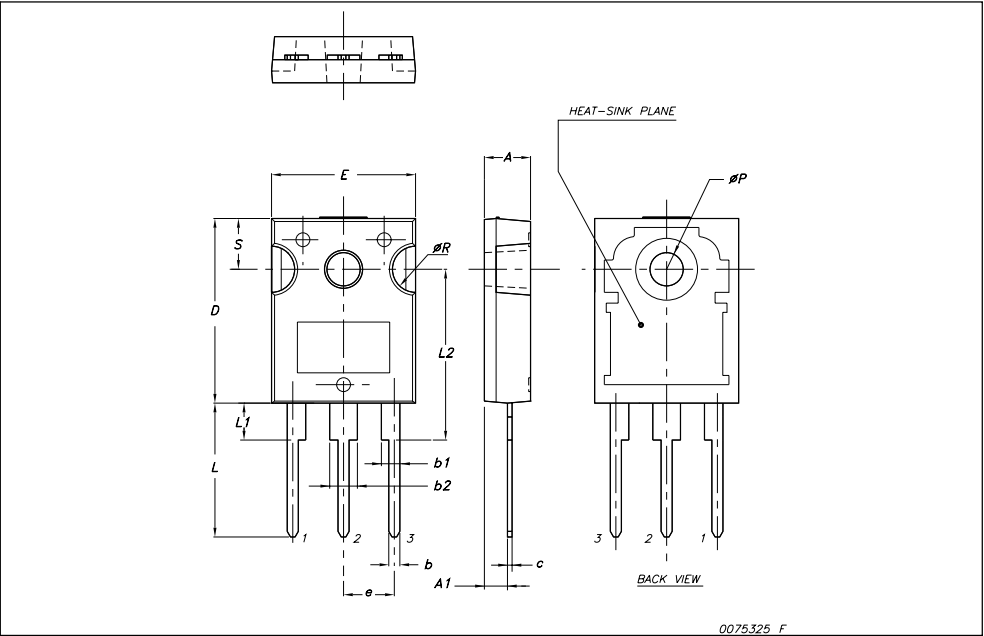
Note: For PNP type voltage and current values are negative

### 3 Package mechanical data

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TO-247 Mechanical data

| Dim. | mm.   |       |       |
|------|-------|-------|-------|
|      | Min.  | Typ   | Max.  |
| A    | 4.85  |       | 5.15  |
| A1   | 2.20  |       | 2.60  |
| b    | 1.0   |       | 1.40  |
| b1   | 2.0   |       | 2.40  |
| b2   | 3.0   |       | 3.40  |
| c    | 0.40  |       | 0.80  |
| D    | 19.85 |       | 20.15 |
| E    | 15.45 |       | 15.75 |
| e    |       | 5.45  |       |
| L    | 14.20 |       | 14.80 |
| L1   | 3.70  |       | 4.30  |
| L2   |       | 18.50 |       |
| øP   | 3.55  |       | 3.65  |
| øR   | 4.50  |       | 5.50  |
| S    |       | 5.50  |       |



## 4 Revision history

**Table 4. Document revision history**

| Date        | Revision | Changes                               |
|-------------|----------|---------------------------------------|
| 30-Aug-1999 | 4        |                                       |
| 10-Jan-2008 | 5        | Package change from TO-218 to TO-247. |

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