

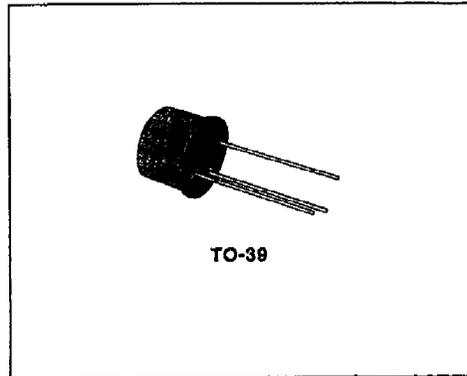
**BFW16A**  
**BFW17A**

**CATV-MATV AMPLIFIERS**

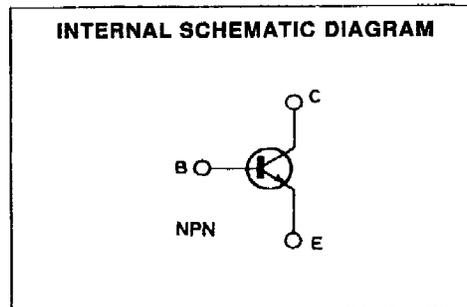
**DESCRIPTION**

The BFW 16A and BFW 17A are multi-emitter silicon planar epitaxial NPN transistors in Jedec TO-39 metal case, with extremely good intermodulation properties and high power gain. They are primarily intended for final and driver stages in channel and band-aerial amplifiers with high output power from 40 to 860 MHz.

Another possible application is as the final stage of the wide band vertical amplifier in high speed oscilloscopes.



**INTERNAL SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM**



**ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS**

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Unit
$V_{CBO}$	Collector-base Voltage ( $I_E = 0$ )	40	V
$V_{CER}$	Collector-emitter Voltage ( $R_{BE} \leq 50 \Omega$ )	40	V
$V_{CEO}$	Collector-emitter Voltage ( $I_B = 0$ )	25	V
$V_{EBO}$	Emitter-base Voltage ( $I_C = 0$ )	3	V
$I_C$	Collector Current	150	mA
$I_{CM}$	Collector Peak Current	300	mA
$P_{tot}$	Total Power Dissipation at $T_{amb} \leq 25^\circ C$ at $T_{case} \leq 125^\circ C$	0.7 1.5	W W
$T_{stg}, T_J$	Storage and Junction Temperature	- 65 to 200	$^\circ C$



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### THERMAL DATA

$R_{th(j-case)}$	Thermal Resistance Junction-case	Max	50	$^{\circ}C/W$
$R_{th(j-amb)}$	Thermal Resistance Junction-ambient	Max	250	$^{\circ}C/W$

### ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS ( $T_{amb} = 25^{\circ}C$ unless otherwise specified)

Symbol	Parameter	Test Conditions	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
$I_{CBO}$	Collector Cutoff Current ( $I_E = 0$ )	$V_{CB} = 20 V$ $T_{amb} = 150^{\circ}C$			20	$\mu A$
$V_{(BR)EBO}$	Emitter-base Breakdown Voltage ( $I_C = 0$ )	$I_E = 100 \mu A$	3			V
$V_{CEK}^{*/**}$	Collector-emitter Knee Voltage	$I_C = 100 mA$			0.75	V
$h_{FE}^*$	DC Current Gain	$I_C = 50 mA$ $V_{CE} = 5 V$ $I_C = 150 mA$ $V_{CE} = 5 V$	25 25			
$f_T$	Transition Frequency	$I_C = 150 mA$ $V_{CE} = 15 V$ $f = 500 MHz$ for <b>BFW 16A</b> for <b>BFW 17A</b>		1.2 1.1		GHz GHz
$C_{CBO}$	Collector-base Capacitance	$I_E = 0$ $V_{CB} = 15 V$ $f = 1 MHz$			4	pF
$C_{re}$	Reverse Capacitance	$I_C = 10 mA$ $V_{CE} = 15 V$ $f = 1 MHz$		1.7		pF
NF	Noise Figure (for <b>BFW 16A</b> only)	$I_C = 30 mA$ $V_{CE} = 15 V$ $R_g = 75 \Omega$ $f = 200 MHz$			6	dB
$G_{pe}$	Power Gain (not neutralized)	$I_C = 70 mA$ $V_{CE} = 18 V$ $f = 200 MHz$ for <b>BFW 16A</b> and <b>BFW 17A</b> $f = 800 MHz$ For <b>BFW 16A</b> only		16 6.5		dB dB
$P_0$	Output Power	$I_C = 70 mA$ $V_{CE} = 18 V$ Channel 9 <sup>(1)</sup> for <b>BFW 16A</b> for <b>BFW 17A</b> Channel 62 <sup>(2)</sup> For <b>BFW 16A</b> only	130 70	150 90		mW mW mW

\* Pulsed : pulse duration = 300  $\mu s$ , duty cycle = 1 %.

\*\*  $I_B$  = value for which  $I_C = 110 mA$  at  $V_{CE} = 1 V$ .

(1)  $f_p = 202 MHz$ ,  $f_q = 205 MHz$ ,  $f_{(2q-p)} = 208 MHz$ .

(2)  $f_p = 798 MHz$ ,  $f_q = 802 MHz$ ,  $f_{(2q-p)} = 806 MHz$ .