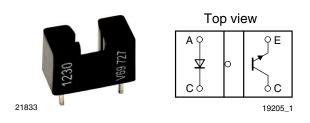
TCST1230

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Transmissive Optical Sensor with Phototransistor Output



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DESCRIPTION

The TCST1230 is a transmissive sensor that includes an infrared emitter and phototransistor, located face-to-face on the optical axes in a leaded package which blocks visible light.

FEATURES

- · Package type: leaded
- Detector type: phototransistor
- Dimensions (L x W x H in mm): 9.2 x 4.8 x 5.4
- Gap (in mm): 2.8
- Aperture (in mm): 0.5
- Typical output current under test: I_C = 2 mA
- Daylight blocking filter
- Emitter wavelength: 950 nm
- Lead (Pb)-free soldering released
- Material categorization: For definitions of compliance please see <u>www.vishay.com/doc?99912</u>

APPLICATIONS

- Optical switch
- Shaft encoder
- Detection of opaque material such as paper
- Detection of magnetic tapes

PRODUCT SUMMARY					
PART NUMBER	GAP WIDTH APERTURE WIDTI (mm) (mm)		TYPICAL OUTPUT CURRENT UNDER TEST ⁽¹⁾ (mA)	DAYLIGHT BLOCKING FILTER INTEGRATED	
TCST1230	2.8	0.5	2	Yes	

Note

· Conditions like in table basic characteristics/coupler

ORDERING INFORMATION				
ORDERING CODE	PACKAGING	VOLUME ⁽¹⁾	REMARKS	
TCST1230	Tube	MOQ: 4800 pcs, 60 pcs/tube	-	

Note

• MOQ: minimum order quantity

ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS (T _{amb} = 25 °C, unless otherwise specified)					
PARAMETER	TEST CONDITION	SYMBOL	VALUE	UNIT	
COUPLER					
Total power dissipation	T _{amb} ≤ 25 °C	P _{tot}	250	mW	
Ambient temperature range		T _{amb}	- 25 to + 85	°C	
Storage temperature range		T _{stg}	- 40 to + 100	°C	
Soldering temperature	Distance to package 1.6 mm, t \leq 5 s	T _{sd}	260	°C	
INPUT (EMITTER)					
Reverse voltage		V _R	6	V	
Forward current		١ _F	60	mA	
Forward surge current	t _p ≤ 10 μs	I _{FSM}	3	А	
Power dissipation	$T_{amb} \le 25 \ ^{\circ}C$	P _V	100	mW	
Junction temperature		Тj	100	°C	



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ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS (T _{amb} = 25 °C, unless otherwise specified)					
PARAMETER	TEST CONDITION	SYMBOL	VALUE	UNIT	
OUTPUT (DETECTOR)					
Collector emitter voltage		V _{CEO}	70	V	
Emitter collector voltage		V _{ECO}	7	V	
Collector current		Ι _C	100	mA	
Power dissipation	T _{amb} ≤ 25 °C	Pv	150	mW	
Junction temperature		Tj	100	°C	

ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

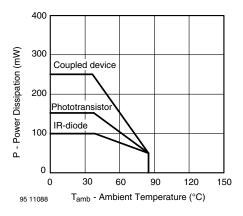
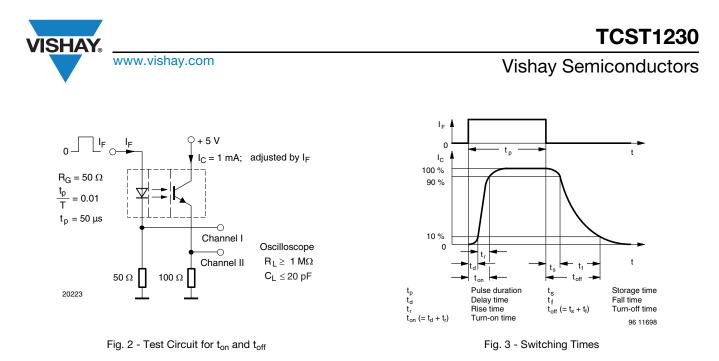


Fig. 1 - Power Dissipation Limit vs. Ambient Temperature

BASIC CHARACTERISTICS (T _{amb} = 25 °C, unless otherwise specified)						
PARAMETER	TEST CONDITION	SYMBOL	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	UNIT
COUPLER						
Collector current	$V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V}, I_F = 20 \text{ mA}$	Ι _C	0.5		14	mA
Collector emitter saturation voltage	$I_{\rm F}$ = 20 mA, $I_{\rm C}$ = 0.2 mA	V _{CEsat}			0.4	V
INPUT (EMITTER)						
Forward voltage	I _F = 60 mA	V _F		1.25	1.5	V
Junction capacitance	V _R = 0 V, f = 1 MHz	Cj		50		pF
OUTPUT (DETECTOR)						
Collector emitter voltage	I _C = 1 mA	V _{CEO}	70			V
Emitter collector voltage	I _E = 10 μA	V _{ECO}	7			V
Collector dark current	$V_{CE} = 25 \text{ V}, \text{ I}_{F} = 0 \text{ A}, \text{ E} = 0 \text{ Ix}$	I _{CEO}		10	100	nA
SWITCHING CHARACTERISTIC	cs					
Turn-on time	$I_C = 1 \text{ mA}, V_{CE} = 5 \text{ V},$ $R_L = 100 \Omega$ (see figure 2)	t _{on}		15		μs
Turn-off time	I_{C} = 1 mA, V_{CE} = 5 V, R_{L} = 100 Ω (see figure 2)	t _{off}		10		μs

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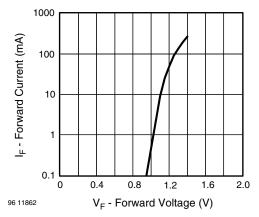


Fig. 4 - Forward Current vs. Forward Voltage

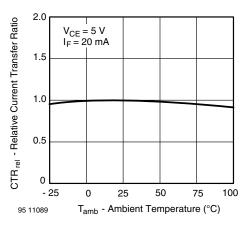


Fig. 5 - Relative Current Transfer Ratio vs. Ambient Temperature

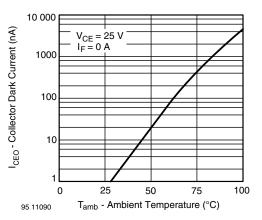


Fig. 6 - Collector Dark Current vs. Ambient Temperature

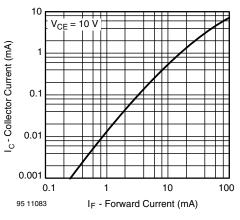


Fig. 7 - Collector Current vs. Forward Current

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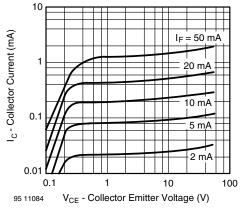


Fig. 8 - Collector Current vs. Collector Emitter Voltage

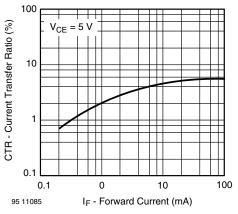


Fig. 9 - Current Transfer Ratio vs. Forward Current

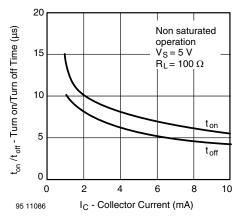


Fig. 10 - Turn-on/Turn-off Time vs. Collector Current

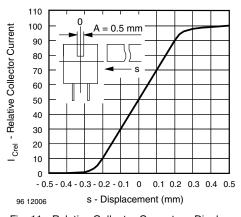
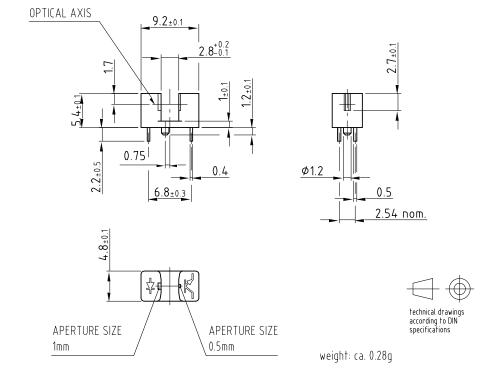


Fig. 11 - Relative Collector Current vs. Displacement



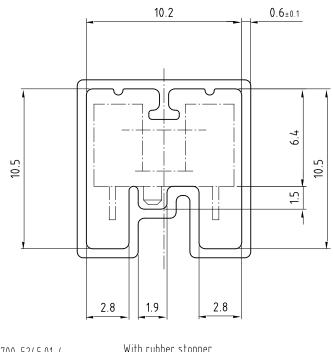
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PACKAGE DIMENSIONS in millimeters



Drawing-No.: 6.550-5123.01-4 Issue: 5; 30.01.06 96 12083

TUBE DIMENSIONS in millimeters



Drawing-No.: 9.700-5245.01-4 Issue: 1; 25.02.00 20256 With rubber stopper Tolerance: ±0.5mm Length: 575±1mm



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