



## NTE176 Germanium PNP Transistor Audio Power Amplifier

**Absolute Maximum Ratings:** ( $T_A = +25^\circ\text{C}$  unless otherwise specified)

Collector–Base Voltage, $V_{CBO}$	.....	20V
Emitter–Base Voltage, $V_{EBO}$	.....	10V
Continuous Collector Current, $I_C$	.....	2A
Total Power Dissipation ( $T_C = +25^\circ\text{C}$ ), $P_C$	.....	6W
Operating Junction Temperature, $T_J$	.....	+85°C
Storage Temperature Range, $T_{stg}$	.....	-55° to +85°C

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

Parameter	Symbol	Test Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Collector Cutoff Current	$I_{CEO}$	$V_{CE} = 10\text{V}$ , $I_B = 0$	—	0.9	10	mA
	$I_{CBO}$	$V_{CB} = 20\text{V}$ , $I_E = 0$	—	25	500	$\mu\text{A}$
Emitter Cutoff Current	$I_{EBO}$	$V_{EB} = 6\text{V}$ , $I_C = 0$	—	10	500	$\mu\text{A}$
DC Current Gain	$h_{FE}$	$V_{CB} = 0$ , $I_E = 2\text{A}$	40	75	—	—
Transition Frequency	$f_T$	$V_{CB} = 2\text{V}$ , $I_E = 100\text{mA}$	0.3	1.2	—	MHz
Base–Emitter Voltage	$V_{BE}$	$V_{CB} = 0$ , $I_E = 2\text{A}$	—	0.5	—	V
Collector–Emitter saturation Voltage	$V_{CE(\text{sat})}$	$I_C = 2\text{A}$ , $I_B = 200\text{mA}$	—	0.25	—	V

