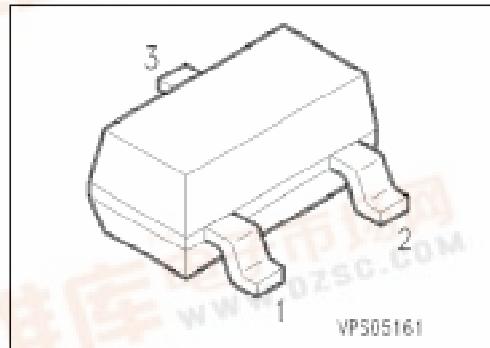


**SIEMENS****NPN Silicon AF Transistors****BC 846 ... BC 850****Features**

- For AF input stages and driver applications
- High current gain
- Low collector-emitter saturation voltage
- Low noise between 30 Hz and 15 kHz
- Complementary types: BC 856, BC 857,  
BC 859, BC 860 (PNP)



Type	Marking	Ordering Code (tape and reel)	Pin Configuration		Package <sup>1)</sup>
			1	2	3
BC 846 A	1As	Q62702-C1772	B	E	C
BC 846 B	1Bs	Q62702-C1746			SOT-23
BC 847 A	1Es	Q62702-C1884			
BC 847 B	1Fs	Q62702-C1687			
BC 847 C	1Gs	Q62702-C1715			
BC 848 A	1Js	Q62702-C1741			
BC 848 B	1Ks	Q62702-C1704			
BC 848 C	1Ls	Q62702-C1506			
BC 849 B	2Bs	Q62702-C1727			
BC 849 C	2Cs	Q62702-C1713			
BC 850 B	2Fs	Q62702-C1885			
BC 850 C	2Gs	Q62702-C1712			

<sup>1)</sup>For detailed information see chapter Package Outlines.

**Maximum Ratings**

Parameter	Symbol	Values			Unit	
		BC 846	BC 847 BC 850	BC 848 BC 849		
Collector-emitter voltage	$V_{CE0}$	65	45	30	V	
Collector-base voltage	$V_{CB0}$	80	50	30		
Collector-emitter voltage	$V_{CES}$	80	50	30		
Emitter-base voltage	$V_{EB0}$	6	6	5		
Collector current	$I_C$	100			mA	
Peak collector current	$I_{CM}$	200				
Peak base current	$I_{BM}$	200				
Peak emitter current	$I_{EM}$	200				
Total power dissipation, $T_S = 71 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	$P_{tot}$	330			mW	
Junction temperature	$T_j$	150			$^\circ\text{C}$	
Storage temperature range	$T_{stg}$	– 65 ... + 150				

**Thermal Resistance**

Junction - ambient <sup>1)</sup>	$R_{th JA}$	$\leq 310$	K/W
Junction - soldering point	$R_{th JS}$	$\leq 240$	

<sup>1)</sup>Package mounted on epoxy pcb 40 mm × 40 mm × 1.5 mm/6 cm<sup>2</sup> Cu.

**Electrical Characteristics**at  $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$ , unless otherwise specified.

Parameter	Symbol	Values			Unit
		min.	typ.	max.	

**DC characteristics**

Collector-emitter breakdown voltage $I_C = 10 \text{ mA}$	$V_{(\text{BR})\text{CE}0}$	65 45 30	— — —	— — —	V
Collector-base breakdown voltage $I_C = 10 \mu\text{A}$	$V_{(\text{BR})\text{CB}0}$	80 50 30	— — —	— — —	
Collector-emitter breakdown voltage $I_C = 10 \mu\text{A}, V_{BE} = 0$	$V_{(\text{BR})\text{CES}}$	80 50 30	— — —	— — —	
Emitter-base breakdown voltage $I_E = 1 \mu\text{A}$	$V_{(\text{BR})\text{EB}0}$	6 5	— —	— —	
Collector cutoff current $V_{CB} = 30 \text{ V}$ $V_{CB} = 30 \text{ V}, T_A = 150^\circ\text{C}$	$I_{\text{CBO}}$	— —	— —	15 5	nA $\mu\text{A}$
DC current gain $I_C = 10 \mu\text{A}, V_{CE} = 5 \text{ V}$	$h_{FE}$	— — — — — —	140 250 480 110 200 420	— — — 180 290 520	— — — 220 450 800
Collector-emitter saturation voltage <sup>1)</sup> $I_C = 10 \text{ mA}, I_B = 0.5 \text{ mA}$ $I_C = 100 \text{ mA}, I_B = 5 \text{ mA}$	$V_{\text{CEsat}}$	— —	90 200	250 600	mV
Base-emitter saturation voltage <sup>1)</sup> $I_C = 10 \text{ mA}, I_B = 0.5 \text{ mA}$ $I_C = 100 \text{ mA}, I_B = 5 \text{ mA}$	$V_{\text{BEsat}}$	— —	700 900	— —	
Base-emitter voltage $I_C = 2 \text{ mA}, V_{CE} = 5 \text{ V}$ $I_C = 10 \text{ mA}, V_{CE} = 5 \text{ V}$	$V_{\text{BE(on)}}$	580 —	660 —	700 770	

<sup>1)</sup>Pulse test:  $t \leq 300 \mu\text{s}$ ,  $D = 2\%$ .

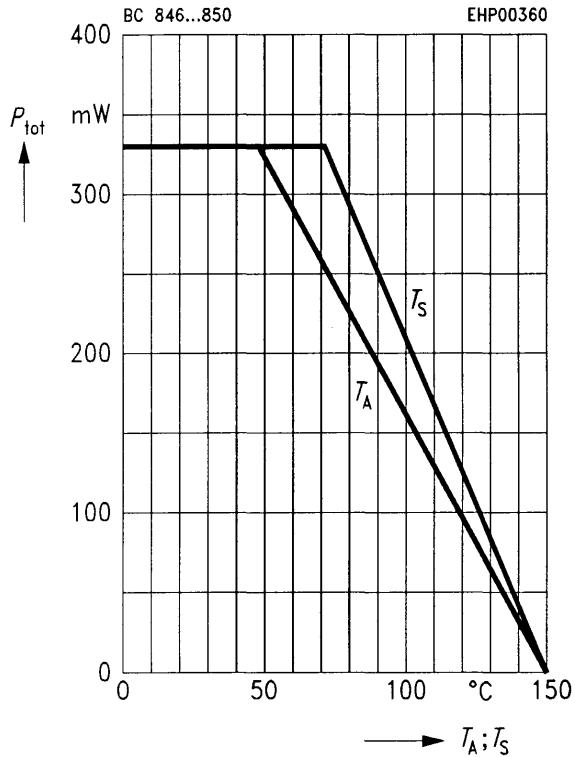
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Parameter	Symbol	Values			Unit
		min.	typ.	max.	

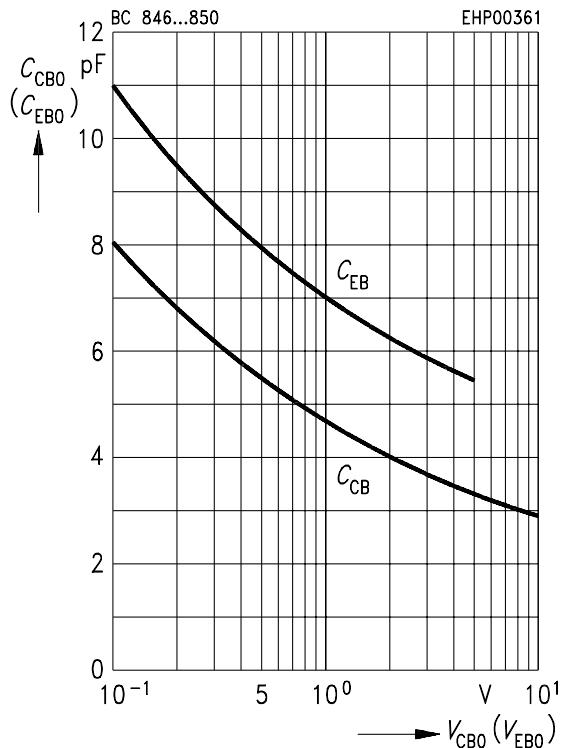
**AC characteristics**

Transition frequency $I_C = 20 \text{ mA}, V_{CE} = 5 \text{ V}, f = 100 \text{ MHz}$	$f_T$	—	250	—	MHz
Output capacitance $V_{CB} = 10 \text{ V}, f = 1 \text{ MHz}$	$C_{obo}$	—	3	—	pF
Input capacitance $V_{CB} = 0.5 \text{ V}, f = 1 \text{ MHz}$	$C_{ibo}$	—	8	—	
Short-circuit input impedance $I_C = 2 \text{ mA}, V_{CE} = 5 \text{ V}, f = 1 \text{ kHz}$ BC 846 A ... BC 848 A BC 846 B ... BC 850 B BC 847 C ... BC 850 C	$h_{11e}$	—	2.7	—	kΩ
Open-circuit reverse voltage transfer ratio $I_C = 2 \text{ mA}, V_{CE} = 5 \text{ V}, f = 1 \text{ kHz}$ BC 846 A ... BC 848 A BC 846 B ... BC 850 B BC 847 C ... BC 850 C	$h_{12e}$	—	1.5	—	$10^{-4}$
Short-circuit forward current transfer ratio $I_C = 2 \text{ mA}, V_{CE} = 5 \text{ V}, f = 1 \text{ kHz}$ BC 846 A ... BC 848 A BC 846 B ... BC 850 B BC 847 C ... BC 850 C	$h_{21e}$	—	200	—	—
Open-circuit output admittance $I_C = 2 \text{ mA}, V_{CE} = 5 \text{ V}, f = 1 \text{ kHz}$ BC 846 A ... BC 848 A BC 846 B ... BC 850 B BC 847 C ... BC 850 C	$h_{22e}$	—	18	—	$\mu\text{S}$
Noise figure $I_C = 0.2 \text{ mA}, V_{CE} = 5 \text{ V}, R_S = 2 \text{ k}\Omega$ $f = 30 \text{ Hz} \dots 15 \text{ kHz}$ BC 849 BC 850 $f = 1 \text{ kHz}, \Delta f = 200 \text{ Hz}$ BC 849 BC 850	$F$	—	1.4	4	dB
Equivalent noise voltage $I_C = 0.2 \text{ mA}, V_{CE} = 5 \text{ V}, R_S = 2 \text{ k}\Omega$ $f = 10 \text{ Hz} \dots 50 \text{ Hz}$ BC 850	$V_n$	—	1.4	3	$\mu\text{V}$
		—	1.2	4	
		—	1.0	4	
		—	0.135	—	

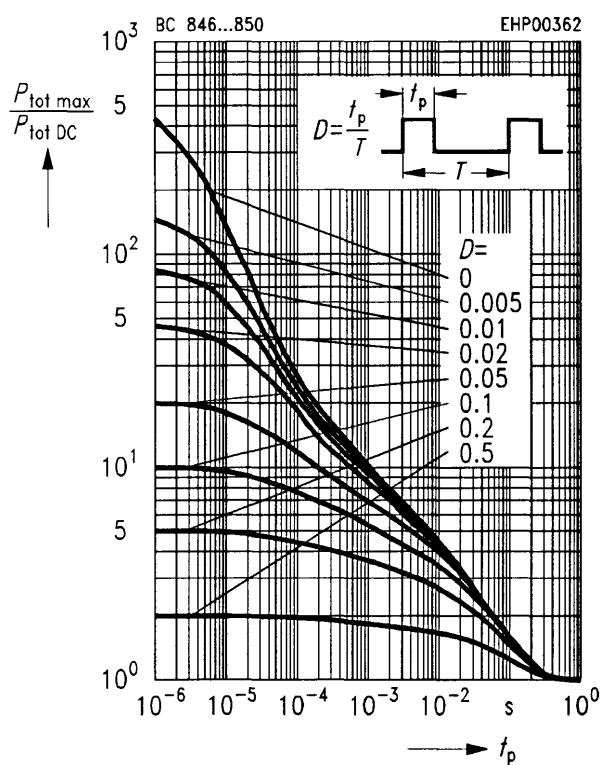
**Total power dissipation**  $P_{\text{tot}} = f(T_A^*; T_S)$   
 \* Package mounted on epoxy



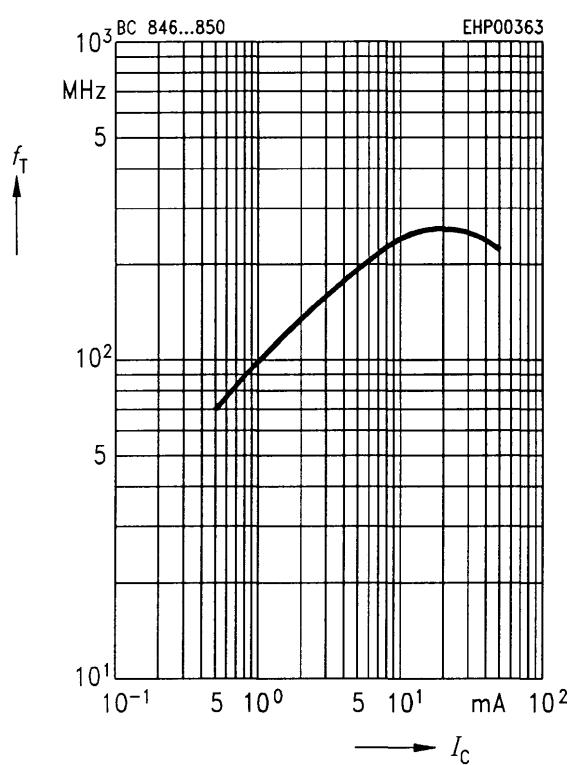
**Collector-base capacitance**  $C_{CB0} = f(V_{CB0})$   
**Emitter-base capacitance**  $C_{EB0} = f(V_{EB0})$



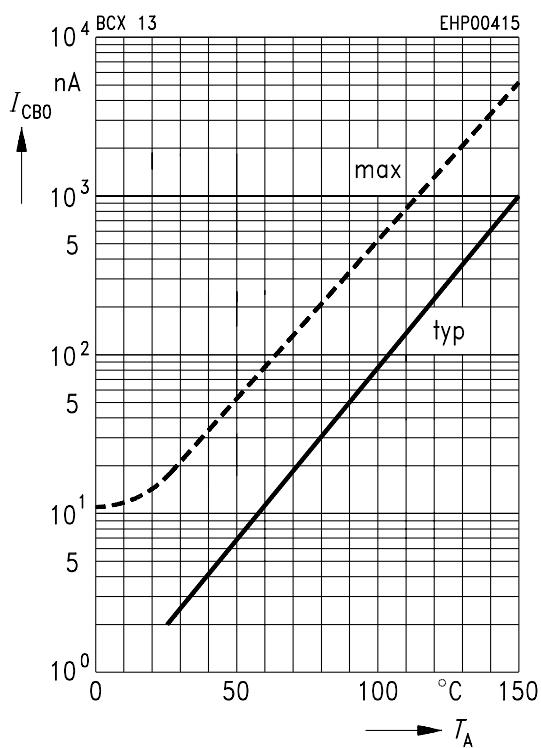
**Permissible pulse load**  $P_{\text{tot max}}/P_{\text{tot DC}} = f(t_p)$



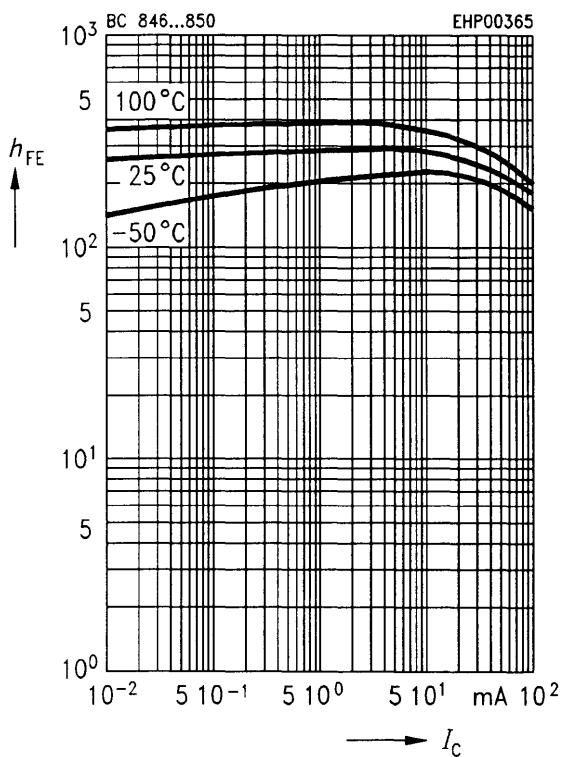
**Transition frequency**  $f_T = f(I_C)$   
 $V_{CE} = 5 \text{ V}$



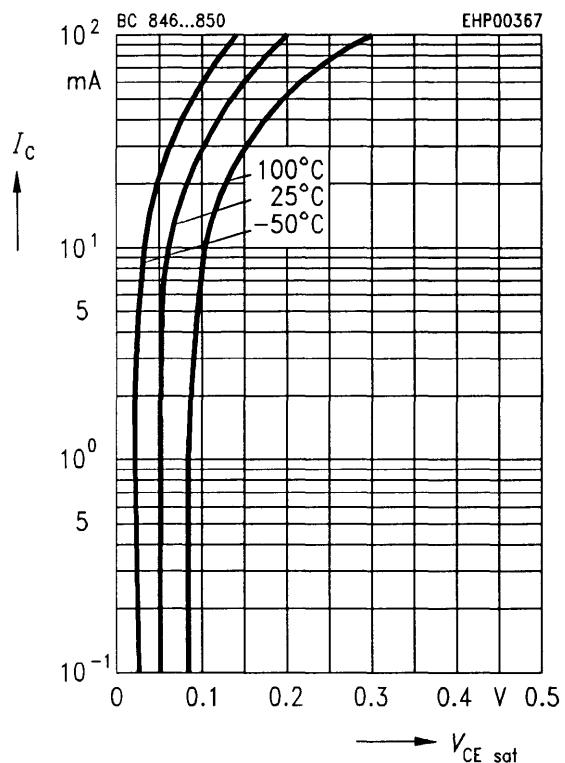
**Collector cutoff current**  $I_{CB0} = f(T_A)$   
 $V_{CB} = 30 \text{ V}$



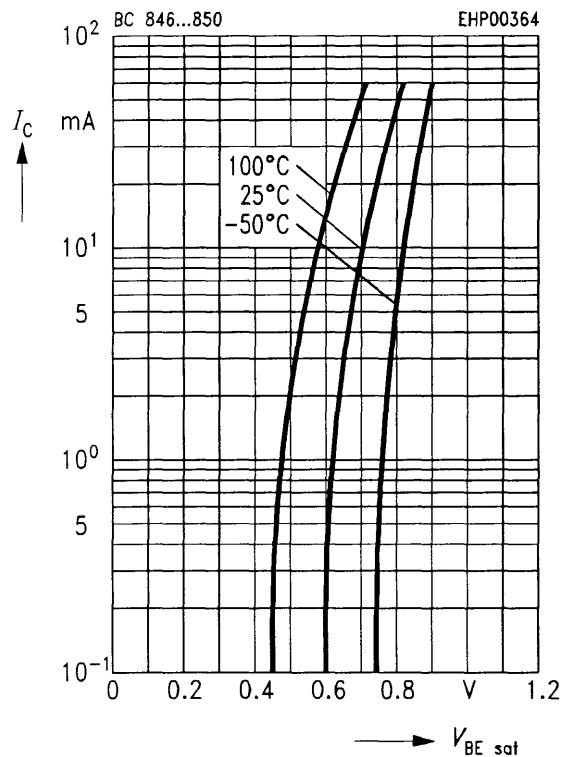
**DC current gain**  $h_{FE} = f(I_C)$   
 $V_{CE} = 5 \text{ V}$



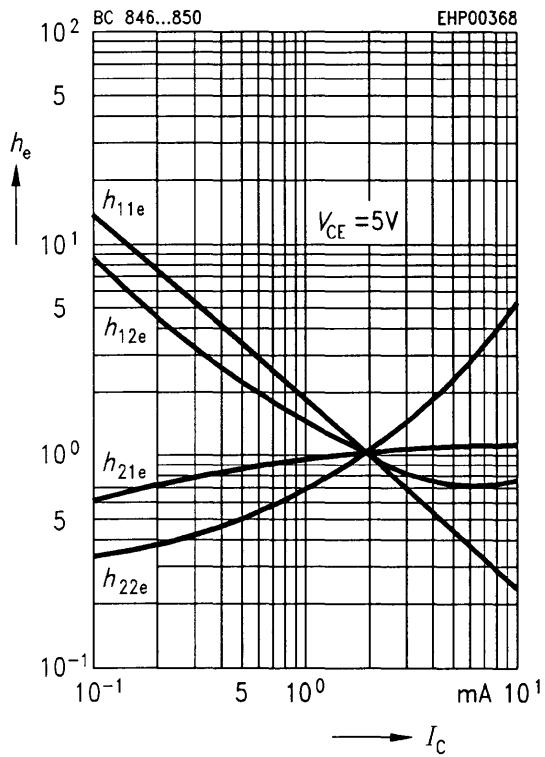
**Collector-emitter saturation voltage**  
 $I_C = f(V_{CE\text{sat}})$ ,  $h_{FE} = 20$



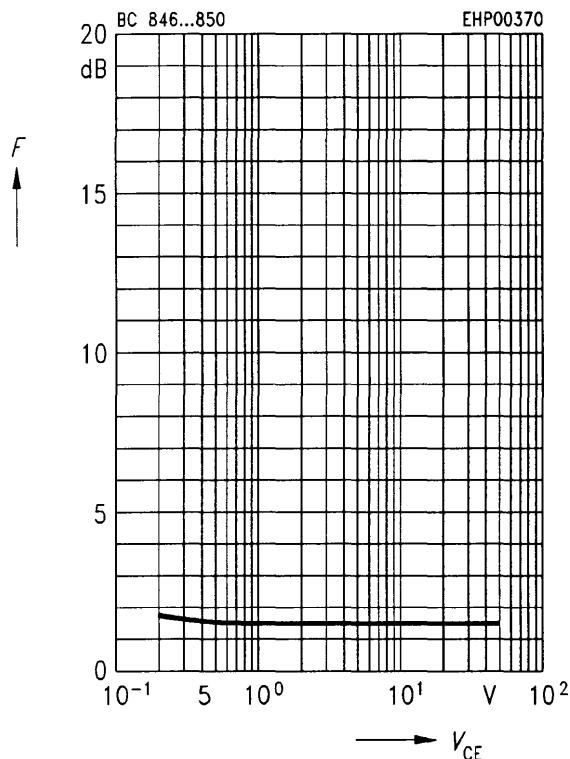
**Base-emitter saturation voltage**  
 $I_C = f(V_{BE\text{sat}})$ ,  $h_{FE} = 20$



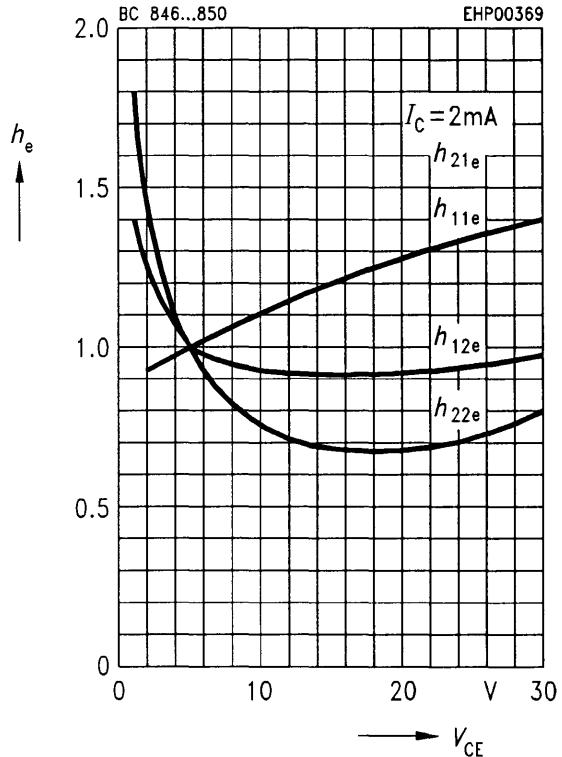
**h parameter  $h_e = f(I_C)$  normalized**  
 $V_{CE} = 5 \text{ V}$



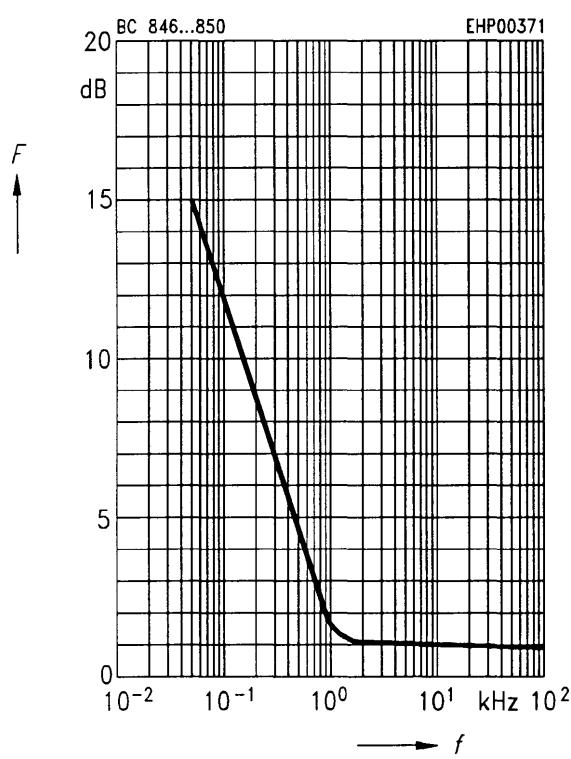
**Noise figure  $F = f(V_{CE})$**   
 $I_C = 0.2 \text{ mA}, R_S = 2 \text{ k}\Omega, f = 1 \text{ kHz}$



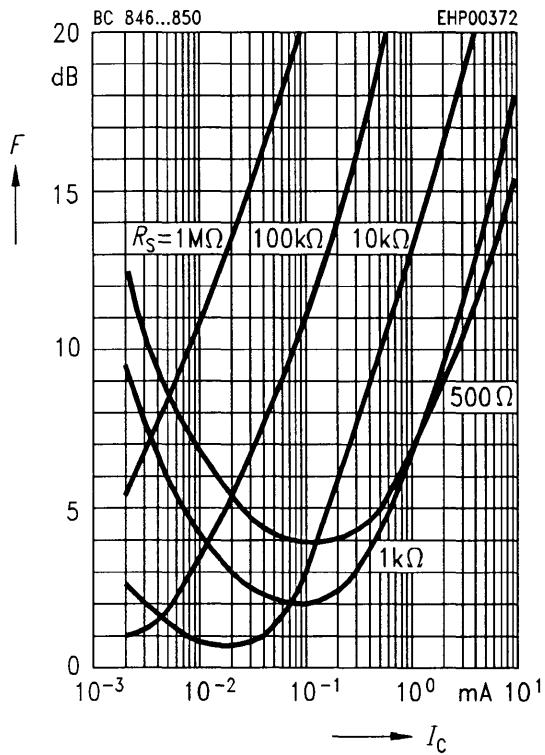
**h parameter  $h_e = f(V_{CE})$  normalized**  
 $I_C = 2 \text{ mA}$



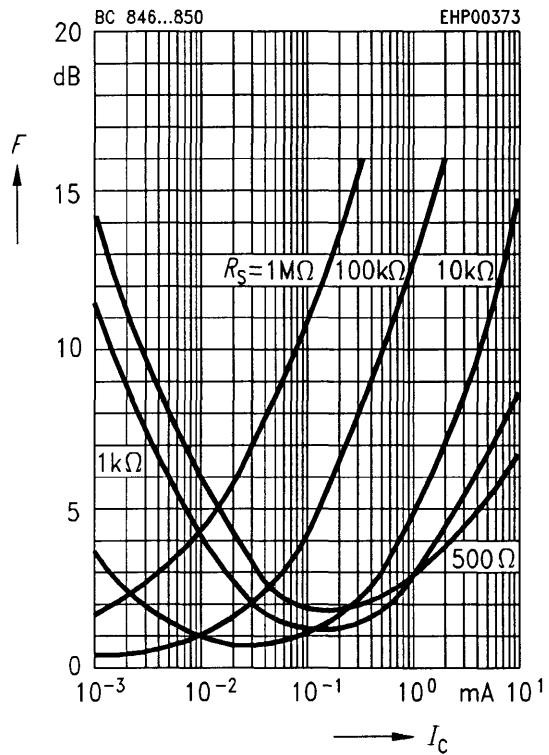
**Noise figure  $F = f(f)$**   
 $I_C = 0.2 \text{ mA}, V_{CE} = 5 \text{ V}, R_S = 2 \text{ k}\Omega$



**Noise figure  $F = f(I_C)$**   
 $V_{CE} = 5 \text{ V}, f = 120 \text{ Hz}$



**Noise figure  $F = f(I_C)$**   
 $V_{CE} = 5 \text{ V}, f = 1 \text{ kHz}$



**Noise figure  $F = f(I_C)$**   
 $V_{CE} = 5 \text{ V}, f = 10 \text{ kHz}$

