

NPN Silicon Phototransistor

OP599 Series



Features:

- Dark blue injection-molded plastic package
- Variety of sensitivity ranges
- T-1% package style with TO-18 base
- Excellent optical lens surface
- Excellent chip placement

Description:

Each device in this series consists of a NPN silicon phototransistor mounted in a dark blue plastic injection molded shell package, with a narrow receiving angle that provides excellent on-axis coupling and optical/mechanical axis alignment. The shell also provides excellent optical lens surface, control of chip placement and consistency of the outside package dimensions.

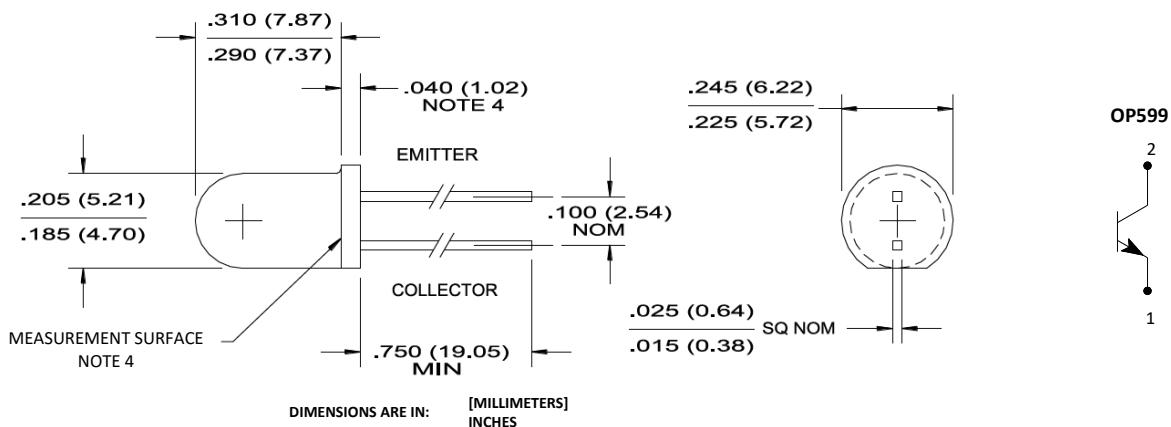
The **OP599** series sensors are 100% production tested for close correlation with OPTEK GaAlAs emitters.

Please refer to Application Bulletin 210 for additional thermal design information.

Applications:

- Applications requiring a narrow receiving angle
- Applications that are space-limited

| Ordering Information | | | |
|----------------------|------------|---------------|-------------|
| Part Number | Sensor | Viewing Angle | Lead Length |
| OP599A | Transistor | 20° | 0.75" |
| OP599C | | | |



| Pin # | Sensor |
|-------|-----------|
| 1 | Emitter |
| 2 | Collector |

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To avoid stress cracking, we suggest using
ND Industries' **Vibra-Tite** for thread-locking.
Vibra-Tite evaporates fast without causing structural failure in
OPTEK's molded plastics.

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Electrical Specifications

Absolute Maximum Ratings ($T_A = 25^\circ C$ unless otherwise noted)

| | |
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| Storage and Operating Temperature Range | -40° C to +100° C |
| Collector-Emitter Voltage | 30 V |
| Emitter-Collector Voltage | 5 V |
| Continuous Collector Current | 50 mA |
| Lead Soldering Temperature [1/16 inch (1.6 mm) from case for 5 seconds with soldering iron] ⁽¹⁾ | 260° C |
| Power Dissipation ⁽²⁾ | 100 mW |

Electrical Characteristics ($T_A = 25^\circ C$ unless otherwise noted)

| SYMBOL | PARAMETER | MIN | TYP | MAX | UNITS | TEST CONDITIONS |
|---------------------|--|--------------|--------|-----------|-------|--|
| $I_{C(ON)}^{(3)}$ | On-State Collector Current OP599A OP599C | 2.35 0.40 | - - | - 1.95 | mA | $V_{CE} = 5 V$, $E_E = 0.25 \text{ mW/cm}^2$ |
| I_{CEO} | Collector-Dark Current | - | - | 100 | nA | $V_{CE} = 10.0 V$, $E_E = 0$ |
| $V_{(BR)CEO}$ | Collector-Emitter Breakdown Voltage | 30 | - | - | V | $I_C = 100 \mu A$ |
| $V_{(BR)ECO}$ | Emitter-Collector Breakdown Voltage | 5.0 | - | - | V | $I_E = 100 \mu A$ |
| $V_{CE(SAT)}^{(3)}$ | Collector-Emitter Saturation Voltage | - | - | 0.40 | V | $I_C = 100 \mu A$, $E_E = 0.25 \text{ mW/cm}^2$ |

Notes:

1. RMA flux is recommended. Duration can be extended to 10 seconds maximum when flow soldering. A maximum 20 grams force may be applied to the leads when soldering.
2. Derate linearly 1.07 mW/° C above 25° C.
3. Light source is an unfiltered GaAlAs emitting diode operating at peak emission wavelength of 890 nm.
4. This dimension is held to within ±0.005" on the flange edge and may vary up to ±0.020" in the area of the leads.

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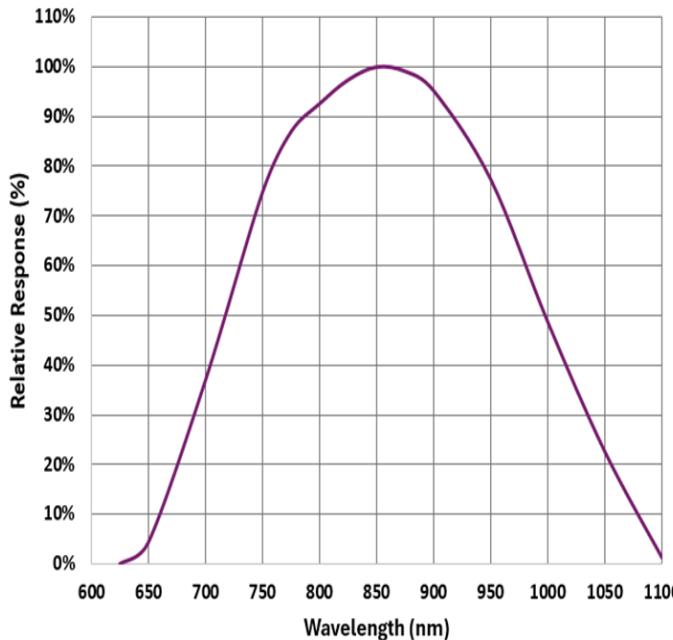
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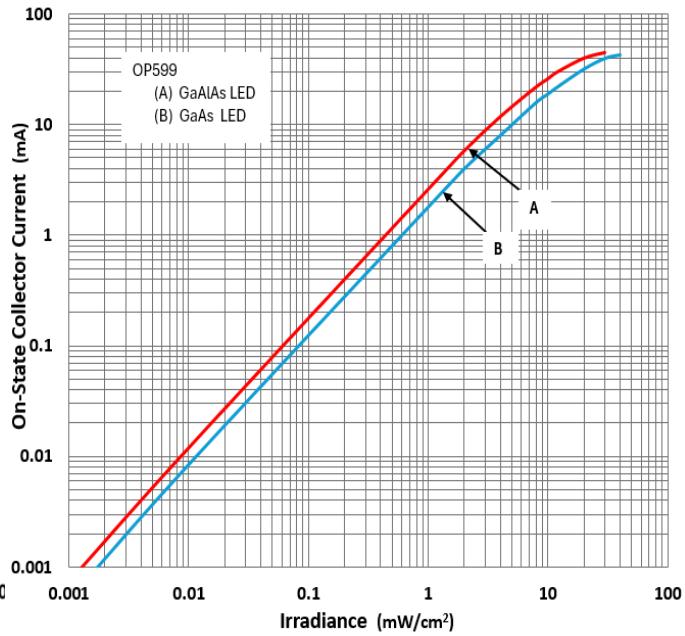


Typical Performance

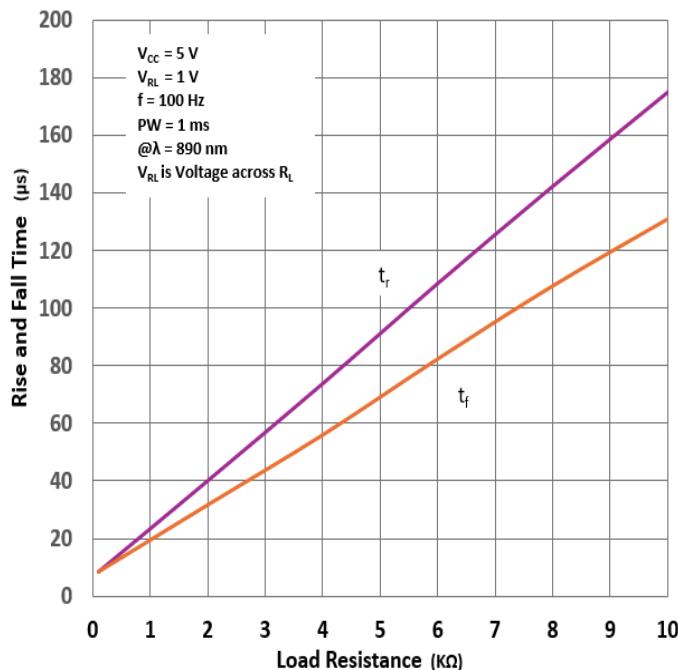
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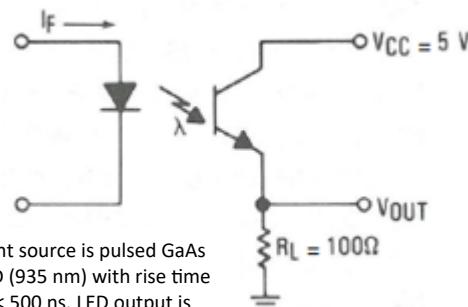
On-State Collector Current vs Irradiance



Rise and Fall Times vs Load Resistance



Test Circuit



Light source is pulsed GaAs LED (935 nm) with rise time of < 500 ns. LED output is adjusted until $I_C = 0.8$ mA.

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