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## Slotted Optical Switches <br> Types OPB852A1, OPB852A2, OPB852A3



## Features

- Inexpensive opaque plastic housing
- $0.125^{\prime \prime}(3.18 \mathrm{~mm})$ wide slot
- 0.290" ( 7.37 mm ) lead spacing
- Apertured for high resolution


## Description

The OPB852A series of slotted optical switches consist of an infrared emitting diode and an NPN silicon phototransistor. They are mounted on opposite sides of a $0.125^{\prime \prime}(3.18 \mathrm{~mm})$ wide slot. The emitter has a $0.050^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{X}$ $0.050^{\prime \prime}(1.27 \mathrm{~mm} \times 1.27 \mathrm{~mm}$ ) molded-in aperture while the phototransistor has a $0.010^{\prime \prime} \times 0.050^{\prime \prime}(0.254 \mathrm{~mm} \times 1.27 \mathrm{~mm}$ ) molded-in aperture.


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## Electrical Characteristics ( $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ unless otherwise noted)

| SYMBOL | PARAMETER | MIN | MAX | UNITS | TEST CONDITIONS |
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| Input Diode |  |  |  |  |  |
| $V_{F}$ | Forward Voltage |  | 1.7 | V | $\mathrm{l}_{\mathrm{F}}=20 \mathrm{~mA}$ |
| IR | Reverse Current |  | 100 | $\mu \mathrm{A}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{R}}=2 \mathrm{~V}$ |
| Output Phototransistor |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\mathrm{V}_{\text {(BR) }}$ CEO | Collector-Emitter Breakdown Voltage | 30 |  | V | $\mathrm{lC}=1 \mathrm{~mA}$ |
| $\mathrm{V}_{\text {(BR) } \mathrm{ECO}}$ | Emitter-Collector Breakdown Voltage | 5.0 |  | V | $\mathrm{IE}=100 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ |
| ICEO | Collector-Emitter Dark Current |  | 100 | nA | $V_{C E}=10 \mathrm{~V}$ |
| Coupled |  |  |  |  |  |
| VCE(SAT) | Saturation Voltage $\cdots$ OPB852A1 <br> OPB852A2 <br>   OPB852A3 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 0.40 \\ & 0.40 \\ & 0.40 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & V \\ & V \\ & V \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{IC}_{\mathrm{C}}=500 \mu \mathrm{~A}, \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=20 \mathrm{~mA} \\ & \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{C}}=500 \mu \mathrm{~A}, \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=20 \mathrm{~mA} \\ & \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{C}}=1.8 \mathrm{I}=20 \mathrm{~m} \end{aligned}$ |
| IC(ON) | On-State Collector Current OPB852A1 <br> OPB852A2 <br> OPB852A3 <br>   | $\begin{aligned} & 1.0 \\ & 2.0 \\ & 4.0 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |  | mA <br> mA <br> mA | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{V}_{C E}=5 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=20 \mathrm{~mA} \\ & \mathrm{~V}_{C E}=5 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=20 \mathrm{~mA} \\ & \mathrm{~V}_{C E}=5 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}=20 \mathrm{~mA} \end{aligned}$ |

Typical Performance Curves


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