

**N-Channel JFETs**

**Product Summary**

Part Number	V <sub>GS(off)</sub> (V)	V <sub>(BR)GSS</sub> Min (V)	I <sub>DSS</sub> Min (mA)	r <sub>DS(on)</sub> Max (Ω)	I <sub>D(off)</sub> Typ (pA)	t <sub>ON</sub> Typ (ns)
2N4856A	-4 to -10	-40	50	25	5	4
2N4857A	-2 to -6	-40	20	40	5	4
2N4858A	-0.8 to -4	-40	8	60	5	4

**Features**

- Low On-Resistance: 2N4856A <25 Ω
- Fast Switching—t<sub>ON</sub>: 4 ns
- High Off-Isolation—I<sub>D(off)</sub>: 5 pA
- Low Capacitance: 3 pF
- Low Insertion Loss

**Benefits**

- Low Error Voltage
- High-Speed Analog Circuit Performance
- Negligible "Off-Error," Excellent Accuracy
- Good Frequency Response
- Eliminates Additional Buffering

**Applications**

- Analog Switches
- Choppers
- Sample-and-Hold
- Normally "On" Switches
- Current Limiters

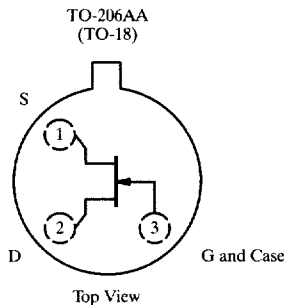
**Description**

The 2N4856A/4857A/4858A all-purpose JFET analog switches offer low on-resistance, low capacitance, good isolation, and fast switching.

Hermetically-sealed TO-206AA (TO-18) packaging allows full military processing (see Military Information). For similar products in TO-226AA (TO-92) and SOT-23 packages, see the J/SST111 series data sheet. For similar duals, see the 2N5564/5565/5566 data sheet.

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**Absolute Maximum Ratings**

Gate-Drain, Gate-Source Voltage : (2N4856A-58A) . . . . .	-40 V	Operating Junction Temperature . . . . .	-55 to 200°C
Gate Current . . . . .	50 mA	Power Dissipation <sup>a</sup> . . . . .	1.8 W
Lead Temperature (1/16" from case for 10 seconds) . . . . .	300 °C	Notes	
Storage Temperature . . . . .	-65 to 200°C	a. Derate 10 mW/°C for T <sub>C</sub> > 25°C	

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## Specifications<sup>a</sup>

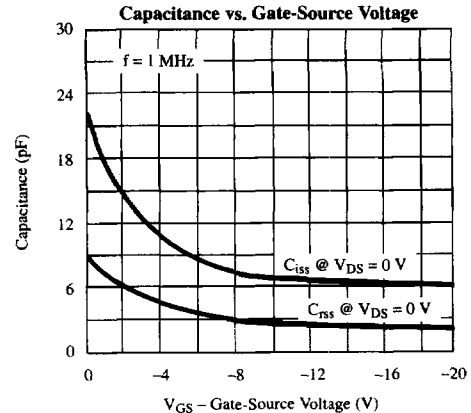
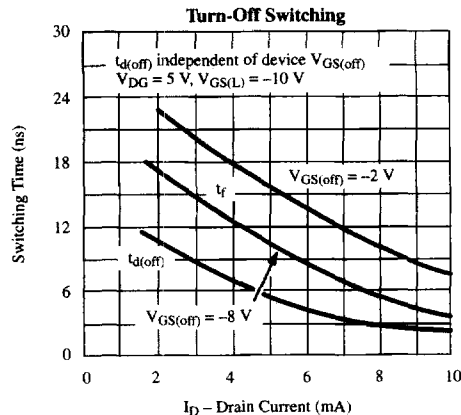
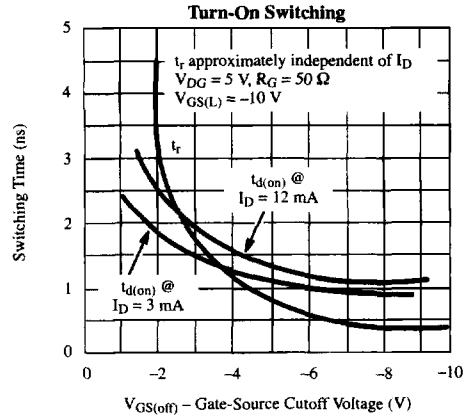
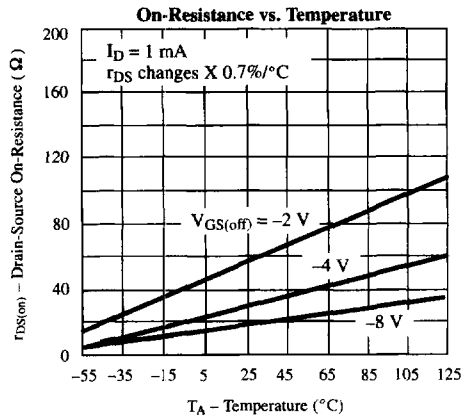
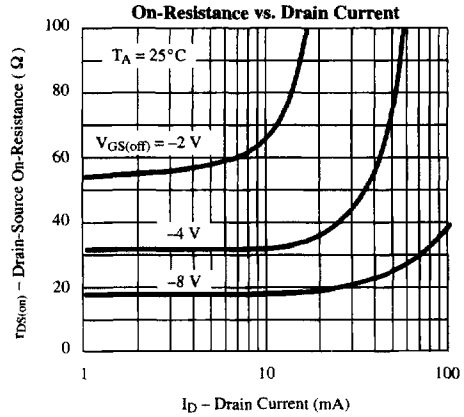
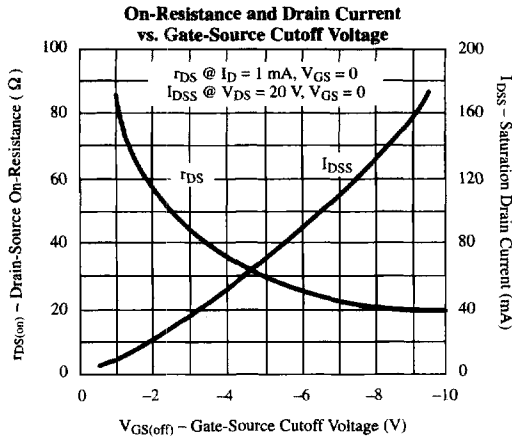
Parameter	Symbol	Test Conditions	Typ <sup>b</sup>	Limits						Unit	
				2N4856A		2N4857A		2N4858A			
				Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max		
<b>Static</b>											
Gate-Source Breakdown Voltage	$V_{(BR)GSS}$	$I_G = -1 \mu A, V_{DS} = 0 V$	-55	-40		-40		-40		V	
Gate-Source Cutoff Voltage	$V_{GS(off)}$	$V_{DS} = 15 V, I_D = 0.5 nA$		-4	-10	-2	-6	-0.8	-4		
Saturation Drain Current <sup>c</sup>	$I_{DSS}$	$V_{DS} = 15 V, V_{GS} = 0 V$		50		20	100	8	80	mA	
Gate Reverse Current	$I_{GSS}$	$V_{GS} = -20 V, V_{DS} = 0 V$ $T_A = 150^\circ C$	-5			-250		-250		pA	
			-13			-500		-500		nA	
Gate Operating Current <sup>d</sup>	$I_G$	$V_{DG} = 15 V, I_D = 10 mA$	-5							pA	
Drain Cutoff Current	$I_{D(off)}$	$V_{DS} = 15 V, V_{GS} = -10 V$ $T_A = 150^\circ C$	5			250		250		250	
			13			500		500		500	
Drain-Source On-Voltage	$V_{DS(on)}$	$V_{GS} = 0 V$	$I_D = 5 mA$	0.25						0.5	
			$I_D = 10 mA$	0.35			0.5				
			$I_D = 20 mA$	0.5		0.75					
Drain-Source On-Resistance <sup>d</sup>	$r_{DS(on)}$	$V_{GS} = 0 V, I_D = 1 mA$				25		40		60	$\Omega$
Gate-Source Forward Voltage <sup>d</sup>	$V_{GS(F)}$	$I_G = 1 mA, V_{DS} = 0 V$	0.7								V
<b>Dynamic</b>											
Common-Source Forward Transconductance <sup>d</sup>	$g_{fs}$	$V_{DS} = 20 V, I_D = 1 mA$ $f = 1 kHz$	6								mS
Common-Source Output Conductance <sup>d</sup>	$g_{os}$		25								$\mu S$
Drain-Source On-Resistance	$r_{ds(on)}$	$V_{GS} = 0 V, I_D = 0 mA$ $f = 1 kHz$				25		40		60	$\Omega$
Common-Source Input Capacitance	$C_{iss}$	$V_{DS} = 0 V, V_{GS} = -10 V$ $f = 1 MHz$	7			10		10		10	pF
Common-Source Reverse Transfer Capacitance	$C_{rss}$		3			4		3.5		3.5	
Equivalent Input Noise Voltage <sup>d</sup>	$\bar{\epsilon}_n$	$V_{DS} = 10 V, I_D = 10 mA$ $f = 1 kHz$	3								nV/ $\sqrt{Hz}$
<b>Switching</b>											
Turn-On Time	$t_{d(on)}$	$V_{DD} = 10 V, V_{GSH} = 0 V$ See Switching Circuit	2			5		6		8	ns
	$t_r$		2			3		4		8	
Turn-Off Time	$t_{off}$		12			20		40		80	

### Notes

- $T_A = 25^\circ C$  unless otherwise noted.
- Typical values are for DESIGN AID ONLY, not guaranteed nor subject to production testing.
- Pulse test:  $PW \leq 100 \mu s$  duty cycle  $\leq 10\%$ .
- This parameter not registered with JEDEC.

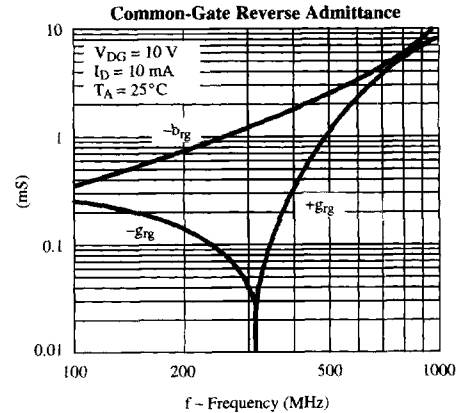
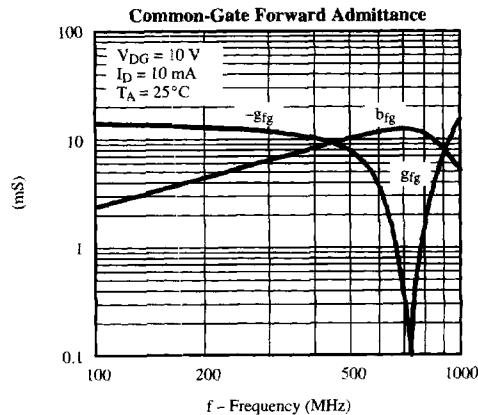
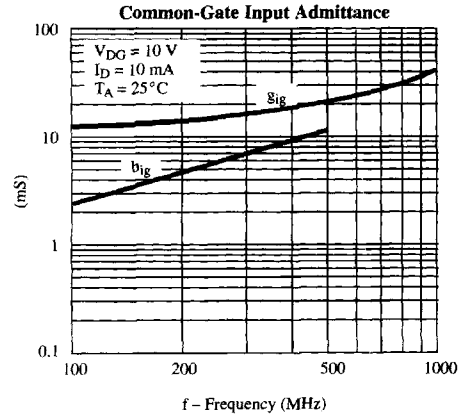
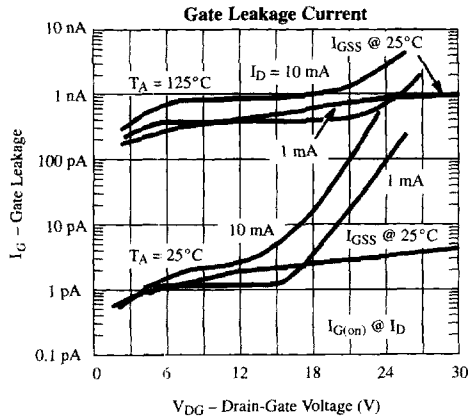
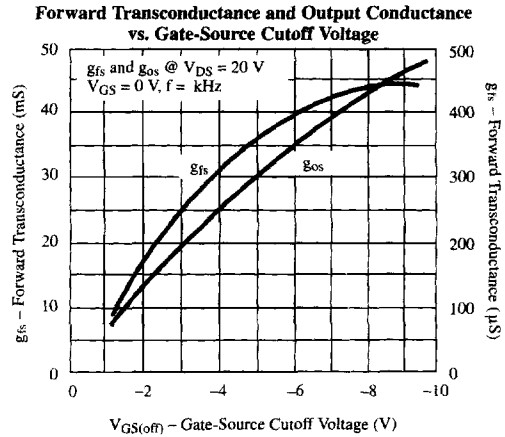
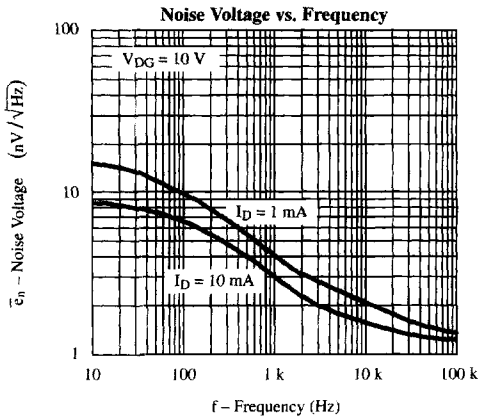
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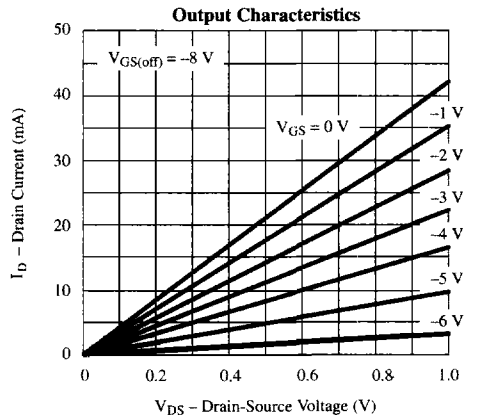
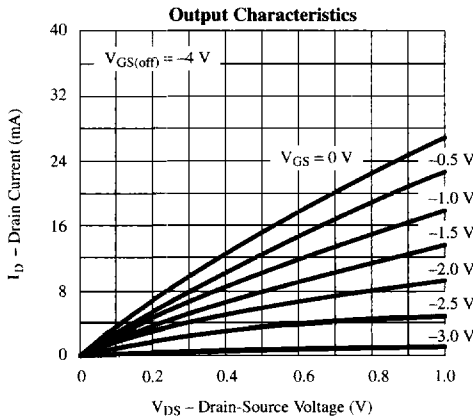
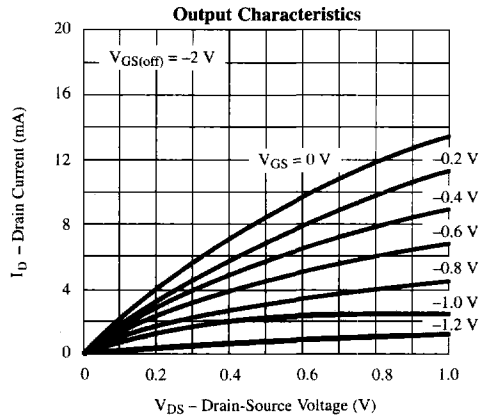
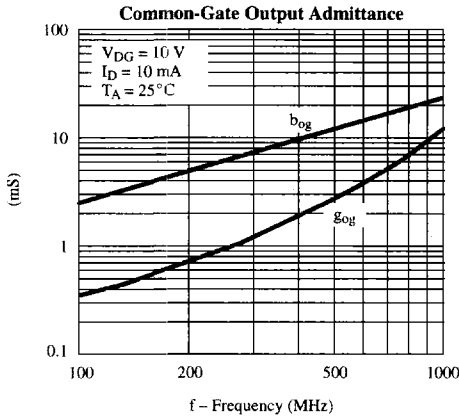


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**Switching Time Test Circuit**

	2N4856A	2N4857A	2N4858A
$V_{GS(L)}$	-10 V	-6 V	-4 V
$R_L^*$	464 $\Omega$	953 $\Omega$	1910 $\Omega$
$I_{D(on)}$	20 mA	10 mA	5 mA

\*Non-inductive

**Input Pulse**

Rise Time < 1 ns  
Fall Time < 1 ns  
Pulse Width 100 ns  
PRF 1 MHz

**Sampling Scope**

Rise Time 0.4 ns  
Input Resistance 10 M $\Omega$   
Input Capacitance 1.5 pF

