


**1 Form A
Solid State Relay**

DESCRIPTION

The AD8C250 is a bi-directional, single-pole, single-throw, normally open multipurpose solid-state relay. It is designed to replace electromechanical and reed relays in special applications that call for very fast switching rates. The relay consists of an integrated circuit that drives two special source-to-source enhancement type DMOS transistors with extremely low output capacitance and leakage current. The IC is optically coupled to a light emitting diode which controls its switching. The design of the circuit makes it ideal for switching high frequency signals.

FEATURES

- High input-to-output isolation
- Low input control power consumption
- 40mA maximum continuous load current
- 300 ohms maximum on-resistance
- Long life/high reliability
- Fast switching speeds
- Low output capacitance

APPLICATIONS

- Telecom switching
- Tip/Ring control
- PCMCIA modules
- Multiplexers
- Meter reading systems
- Data acquisition
- Medical equipment
- Battery monitoring
- Home/Safety security systems

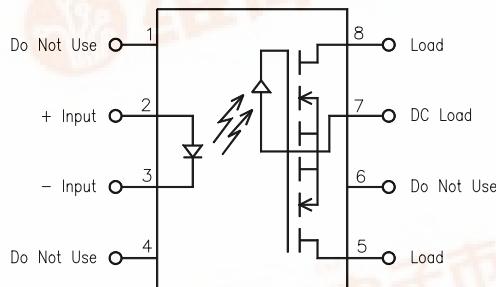
OPTIONS/SUFFIXES

- -S Surface Mount Option
- -TR Tape and Reel

MAXIMUM RATINGS

PARAMETER	UNIT	MIN	TYP	MAX
Storage Temperature	°C	-55		125
Operating Temperature	°C	-40		85
Continuous Input Current	mA			40
Transient Input Current	mA			400
Reverse Input Control Voltage	V	6		
Output Power Dissipation	mW			500

SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM



APPROVALS

- BABT CERTIFICATE #608204:
BS EN 60950, BS EN 41003, BS EN 60065
- CSA CERTIFICATE #LR111581-1
- UL FILE #E90096


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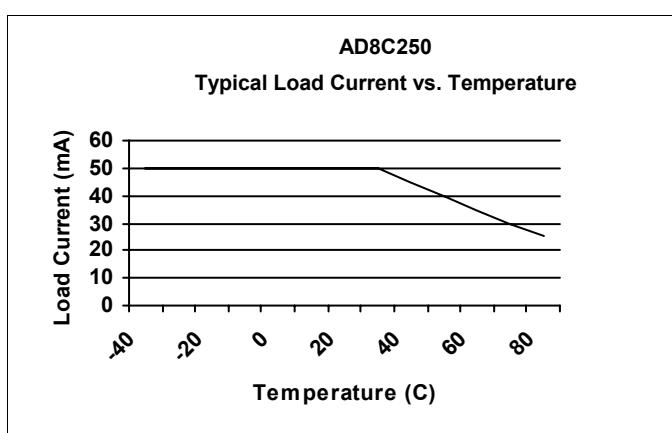
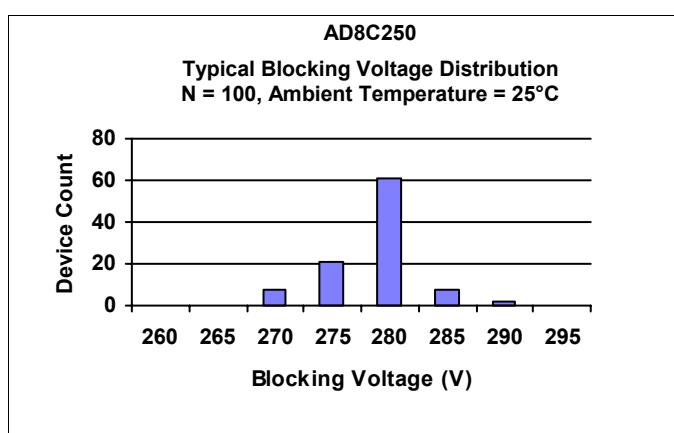
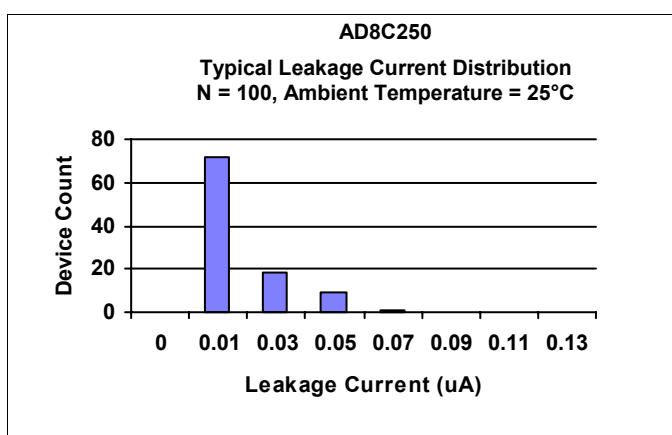
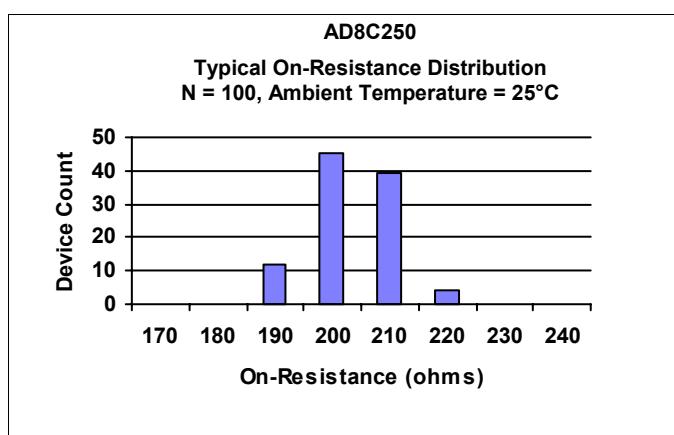
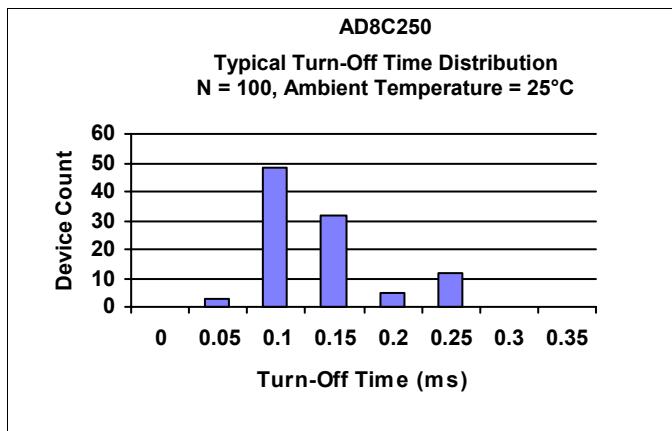
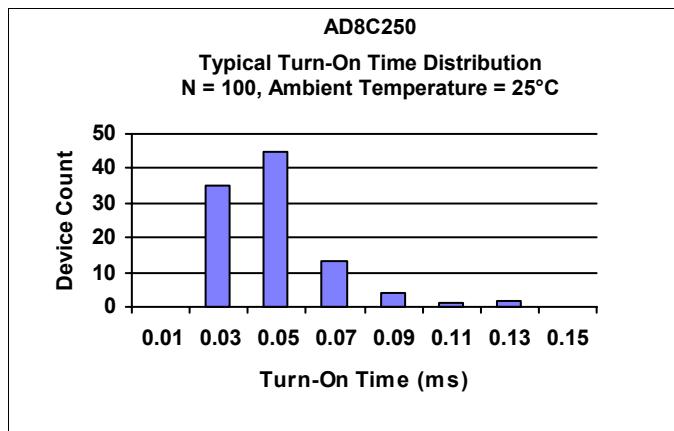
ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS - 25°

PARAMETER	UNIT	MIN	TYP	MAX	TEST CONDITIONS
INPUT SPECIFICATIONS					
LED Forward Voltage	V		1.2	1.5	If = 10mA
LED Reverse Voltage	V	6	12		Ir = 10uA
Turn-On Current	m A	5	2.5		Io = 40mA
Turn-Off Current	m A		0.5		
OUTPUT SPECIFICATIONS					
Blocking Voltage	V	250			Io = 10uA
Continuous Load Current	m A		40		If = 5mA
On-Resistance	Ω	225	300		Io = 40mA
Leakage Current	n A	10	100		Vo = 250V
Output Capacitance	p F		1.5	3	Vo = 25V, f = 1.0MHz
Offset Voltage	m V			0.2	If = 5mA
COUPLED SPECIFICATIONS					
Isolation Voltage	V	2500			T = 1 minute
-H Suffix	V	3750			T = 1 minute
Turn-On Time	μ s		50	500	If = 5mA, Io = 40mA
Turn-Off Time	μ s		150	500	If = 5mA, Io = 40mA
Isolation Resistance	G Ω	100			
Coupled Capacitance	p F		3		
Contact Transient Ratio	V / μ s	2000	7000		dV = 50V

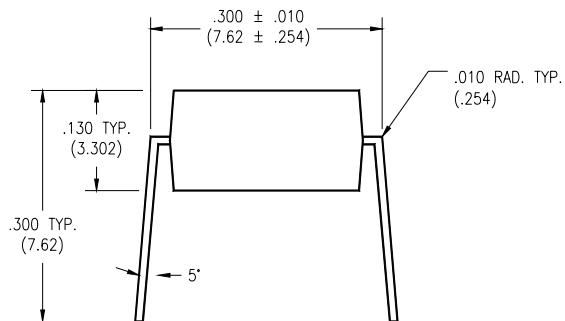
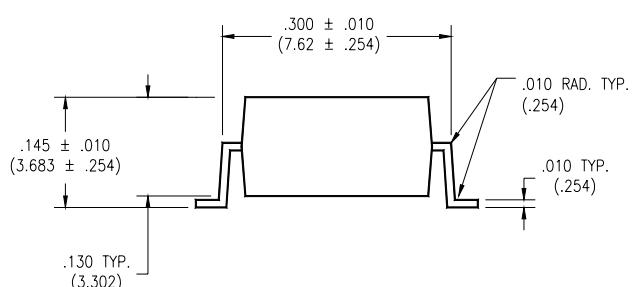
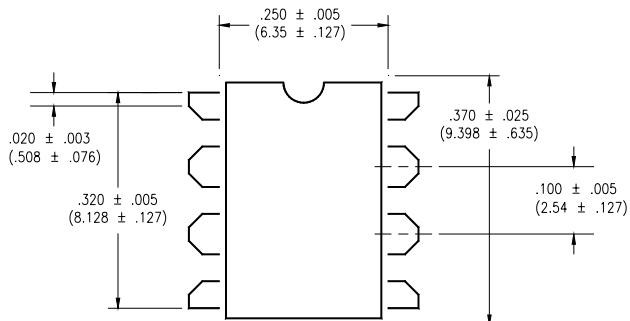
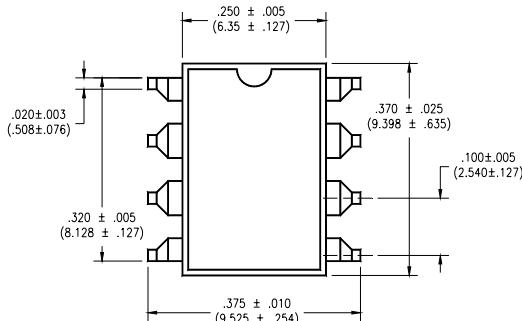
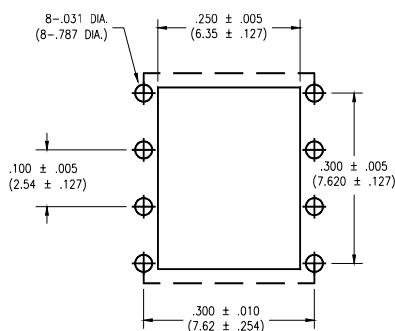
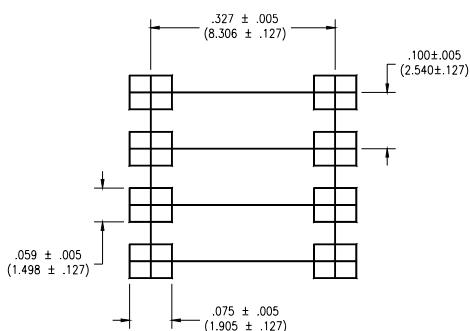


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PERFORMANCE DATA




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MECHANICAL DIMENSIONS
8 PIN DUAL IN-LINE PACKAGE

END VIEW
8 PIN SURFACE MOUNT DEVICE

END VIEW

TOP VIEW

TOP VIEW

**BOTTOM VIEW/
BOARD PATTERN**

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