Preferred Device

Triacs Silicon Bidirectional Thyristors

Designed primarily for full-wave ac control applications, such as solid–state relays, motor controls, heating controls and power supplies; or wherever full–wave silicon gate controlled solid–state devices are needed. Triac type thyristors switch from a blocking to a conducting state for either polarity of applied main terminal voltage with positive or negative gate triggering.

Features

- Blocking Voltage to 800 V
- All Diffused and Glass Passivated Junctions for Greater Parameter Uniformity and Stability
- Small, Rugged, Thermowatt Construction for Low Thermal Resistance, High Heat Dissipation and Durability
- Gate Triggering Guaranteed in Three Modes (MAC15 Series) or Four Modes (MAC15A Series)
- Pb–Free Packages are Available*

MAXIMUM RATINGS (T_J = 25° C unless otherwise noted)

Rating	Symbol	Value	Unit
$\begin{tabular}{lllllllllllllllllllllllllllllllllll$	V _{DRM,} V _{RRM}	400 600 800	V
Peak Gate Voltage (Pulse Width $\leq 1.0 \ \mu sec; T_C = 90^{\circ}C$)	V _{GM}	10	V
On–State Current RMS; Full Cycle Sine Wave 50 to 60 Hz (T_C = +90°C)	I _{T(RMS)}	15	A
Circuit Fusing Consideration (t = 8.3 ms)	l ² t	93	A ² s
Peak Non–Repetitive Surge Current (One Full Cycle Sine Wave, 60 Hz, $T_C = +80^{\circ}C$) Preceded and Followed by Rated Current	I _{TSM}	150	A
Peak Gate Power (T _C = +80°C, Pulse Width = 1.0 μs)	k Gate Power P _{GM} 20		W
Average Gate Power ($T_C = +80^{\circ}C$, t = 8.3 ms)	P _{G(AV)}	0.5	W
Peak Gate Current (Pulse Width $\leq 1.0 \ \mu sec; T_C = 90^{\circ}C$)	I _{GM}	2.0	A
Operating Junction Temperature Range	Τ _J	-40 to +125	°C
Storage Temperature Range	T _{stg}	-40 to +150	°C

Stresses exceeding Maximum Ratings may damage the device. Maximum Ratings are stress ratings only. Functional operation above the Recommended Operating Conditions is not implied. Extended exposure to stresses above the Recommended Operating Conditions may affect device reliability.

 V_{DRM} and V_{RRM} for all types can be applied on a continuous basis. Blocking voltages shall not be tested with a constant current source such that the voltage ratings of the devices are exceeded.

*For additional information on our Pb–Free strategy and soldering details, please download the ON Semiconductor Soldering and Mounting Techniques Reference Manual, SOLDERRM/D.



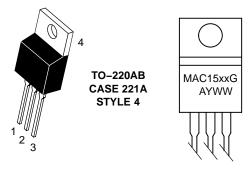
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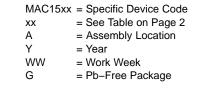
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TRIACS 15 AMPERES RMS 400 thru 800 VOLTS









PIN ASSIGNMENT		
1	Main Terminal 1	
2	Main Terminal 2	
3	Gate	
4	Main Terminal 2	

ORDERING INFORMATION

See detailed ordering, marking, and shipping information in the package dimensions section on page 2 of this data sheet.

Preferred devices are recommended choices for future use and best overall value.

THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS

Characteristic	Symbol	Value	Unit
Thermal Resistance, Junction-to-Case	$R_{ ext{ heta}JC}$	2.0	°C/W
Thermal Resistance, Junction-to-Ambient	R_{\thetaJA}	62.5	°C/W
Maximum Lead Temperature for Soldering Purposes 1/8" from Case for 10 Seconds	ΤL	260	°C

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS ($T_C = 25^{\circ}C$ unless otherwise noted; Electricals apply in both directions)

Characteristic			Min	Тур	Max	Unit
OFF CHARACTERISTICS						
Peak Blocking Current (V_D = Rated V_{DRM} , V_{RRM} ; Gate Open)	T _J = 25°C T _J = 125°C	I _{DRM,} I _{RRM}		_ _	10 2.0	μA mA
ON CHARACTERISTICS		I				
Peak On–State Voltage Note 2 ($I_{TM} = \pm 21$ A Peak)		V _{TM}	-	1.3	1.6	V
Gate Trigger Current (Continuous dc) (V _D = 12 Vdc, R _L = 100 Ω) MT2(+), G(+) MT2(+), G(-) MT2(-), G(-) MT2(-), G(+) "A" SUFFIX ONLY		I _{GT}	- - - -	- - -	50 50 50 75	mA
Gate Trigger Voltage (Continuous dc) ($V_D = 12 \text{ Vdc}$, $R_L = 100 \Omega$) MT2(+), G(+) MT2(+), G(-) MT2(-), G(-) MT2(-), G(+) "A" SUFFIX ONLY		V _{GT}		0.9 0.9 1.1 1.4	2 2 2 2.5	V
Gate Non–Trigger Voltage (V _D = 12 V, R _L = 100 Ω) T _J = 110°C) MT2(+), G(+); MT2(-), G(-); MT2(+), G(-) MT2(-), G(+) "A" SUFFIX ONLY		V _{GD}	0.2 0.2			V
Holding Current (V_D = 12 Vdc, Gate Open, Initiating Current = ±200 mA)		Ι _Η	-	6.0	40	mA
Turn-On Time (V _D = Rated V _{DRM} , I_{TM} = 17 A) (I_{GT} = 120 mA, Rise Time = 0.1 µs, Pulse Width = 2 µs)		t _{gt}	-	1.5	-	μS
DYNAMIC CHARACTERISTICS		•		•		•
Critical Rate of Rise of Commutation Voltage (V_D = Rated V_{DRM} , I_{TM} = 21 A, Commutating di/dt = 7.6 A/ms, Gate Unenergized, T_C = 80°C)		dv/dt(c)	-	5.0	-	V/µs

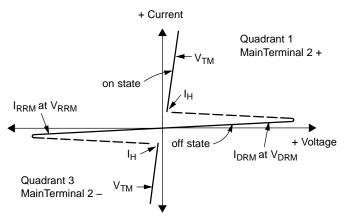
2. Pulse Test: Pulse Width \leq 2.0 ms, Duty Cycle \leq 2%.

ORDERING INFORMATION

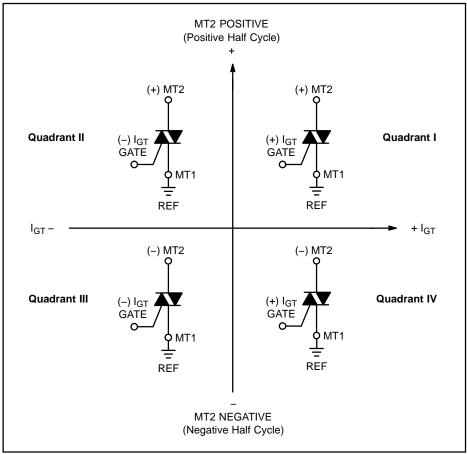
Device	Device Marking	Package	Shipping
MAC15-008		TO-220AB	
MAC15-8G	MAC15-8	TO-220AB (Pb-Free)	
MAC15-10		TO-220AB	
MAC15-10G	MAC1510	TO-220AB (Pb-Free)	
MAC15A6		TO-220AB	
MAC15A6G	MAC15A6	TO-220AB (Pb-Free)	500 Units Bulk
MAC15A8		TO-220AB	
MAC15A8G	MAC15A8	TO-220AB (Pb-Free)	
MAC15A10		TO-220AB	
MAC15A10G	MAC15A10	TO-220AB (Pb-Free)	
MAC15A10T		TO-220AB	50 Units / Rail

Voltage Current Characteristic of Triacs (Bidirectional Device)

Symbol	Parameter
V _{DRM}	Peak Repetitive Forward Off State Voltage
I _{DRM}	Peak Forward Blocking Current
V _{RRM}	Peak Repetitive Reverse Off State Voltage
I _{RRM}	Peak Reverse Blocking Current
V _{TM}	Maximum On State Voltage
Ι _Η	Holding Current



Quadrant Definitions for a Triac



All polarities are referenced to MT1.

With in-phase signals (using standard AC lines) quadrants I and III are used.

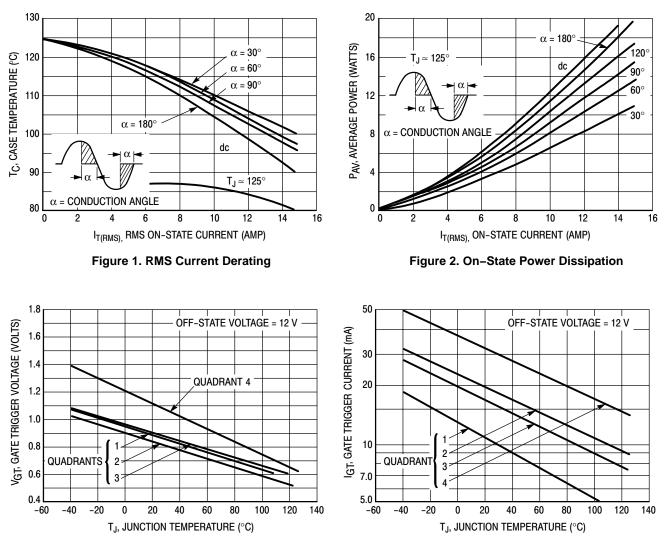


Figure 3. Typical Gate Trigger Voltage

Figure 4. Typical Gate Trigger Current

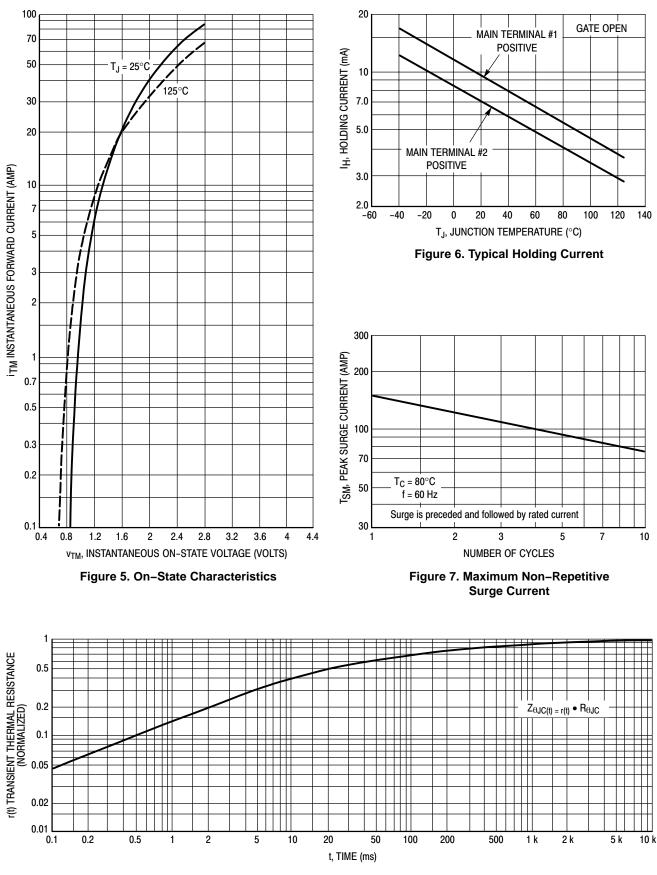
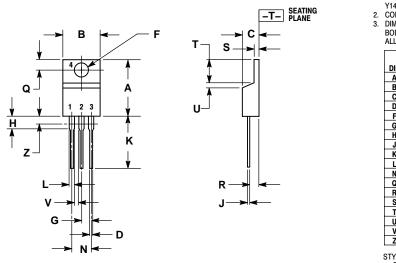


Figure 8. Thermal Response

PACKAGE DIMENSIONS

TO-220AB CASE 221A-09 **ISSUE AD**



NOTES DIMENSIONING AND TOLERANCING PER ANSI Y14.5M, 1982.

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CONTROLLING DIMENSION: INCH.

DIMENSION Z DEFINES A ZONE WHERE ALL BODY AND LEAD IRREGULARITIES ARE ALLOWED

	INCHES MIN MAX		MILLIN	IETERS
DIM			MIN	MAX
Α	0.570	0.620	14.48	15.75
В	0.380	0.405	9.66	10.28
С	0.160	0.190	4.07	4.82
D	0.025	0.035	0.64	0.88
F	0.142	0.147	3.61	3.73
G	0.095	0.105	2.42	2.66
Н	0.110	0.155	2.80	3.93
J	0.018	0.025	0.46	0.64
Κ	0.500	0.562	12.70	14.27
L	0.045	0.060	1.15	1.52
Ν	0.190	0.210	4.83	5.33
Q	0.100	0.120	2.54	3.04
R	0.080	0.110	2.04	2.79
S	0.045	0.055	1.15	1.39
Т	0.235	0.255	5.97	6.47
U	0.000	0.050	0.00	1.27
٧	0.045		1.15	
Ζ		0.080		2.04
PIN	1. MAIN	N TERMIN		

3. GATE MAIN TERMINAL 2

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