



# BTA201 series B, E and ER

Triacs logic level

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Product data sheet

## 1. Product profile

### 1.1 General description

Passivated, guaranteed commutation triacs in a plastic package. The 'sensitive gate' E and ER series are intended for interfacing with low power drivers, including microcontrollers. The high commutation B series are designed to commutate the full RMS current at the maximum junction temperature without the aid of a snubber.

### 1.2 Features

- Suitable for interfacing with low power drivers, including microcontrollers
- Reverse pinning option (ER type)

### 1.3 Applications

- Motor control
- Solenoid drivers

### 1.4 Quick reference data

- $I_{TSM} \leq 12.5$  A
- $V_{DRM} \leq 600$  V (BTA201-600B)
- $V_{DRM} \leq 600$  V (BTA201-600E)
- $V_{DRM} \leq 800$  V (BTA201-800B)
- $V_{DRM} \leq 800$  V (BTA201-800E)
- $V_{DRM} \leq 800$  V (BTA201-800ER)
- $I_{T(RMS)} \leq 1$  A
- $I_{GT} \leq 50$  mA (BTA201-600B)
- $I_{GT} \leq 10$  mA (BTA201-600E)
- $I_{GT} \leq 50$  mA (BTA201-800B)
- $I_{GT} \leq 10$  mA (BTA201-800E)
- $I_{GT} \leq 10$  mA (BTA201-800ER)

## 2. Pinning information

Table 1: Pinning

Pin	Description	Simplified outline	Symbol
<b>B and E series</b>			
1	main terminal 2 (T2)	<p>SOT54 (TO-92)</p>	
2	gate (G)		
3	main terminal 1 (T1)		
<b>ER series</b>			
1	main terminal 1 (T1)		
2	gate (G)		
3	main terminal 2 (T2)		

## 3. Ordering information

**Table 2: Ordering information**

Type number	Package		
	Name	Description	Version
BTA201-600B	TO-92	plastic single-ended leaded (through hole) package; 3 leads	SOT54
BTA201-600E			
BTA201-800B			
BTA201-800E			
BTA201-800ER			

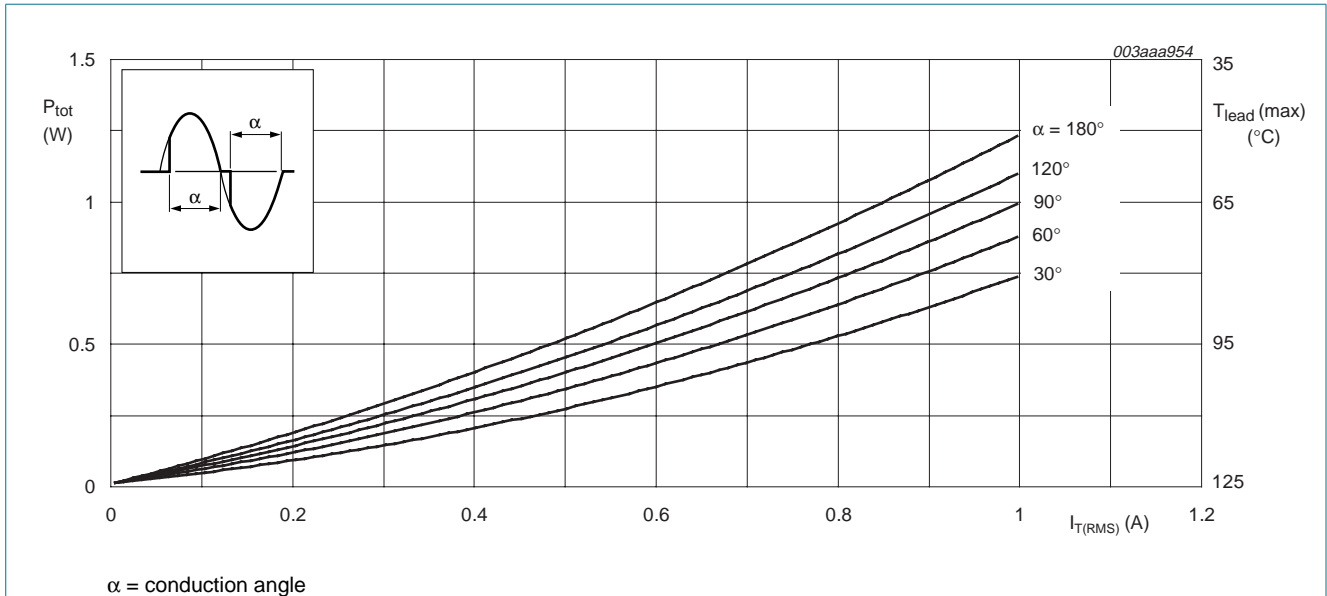
## 4. Limiting values

**Table 3: Limiting values**

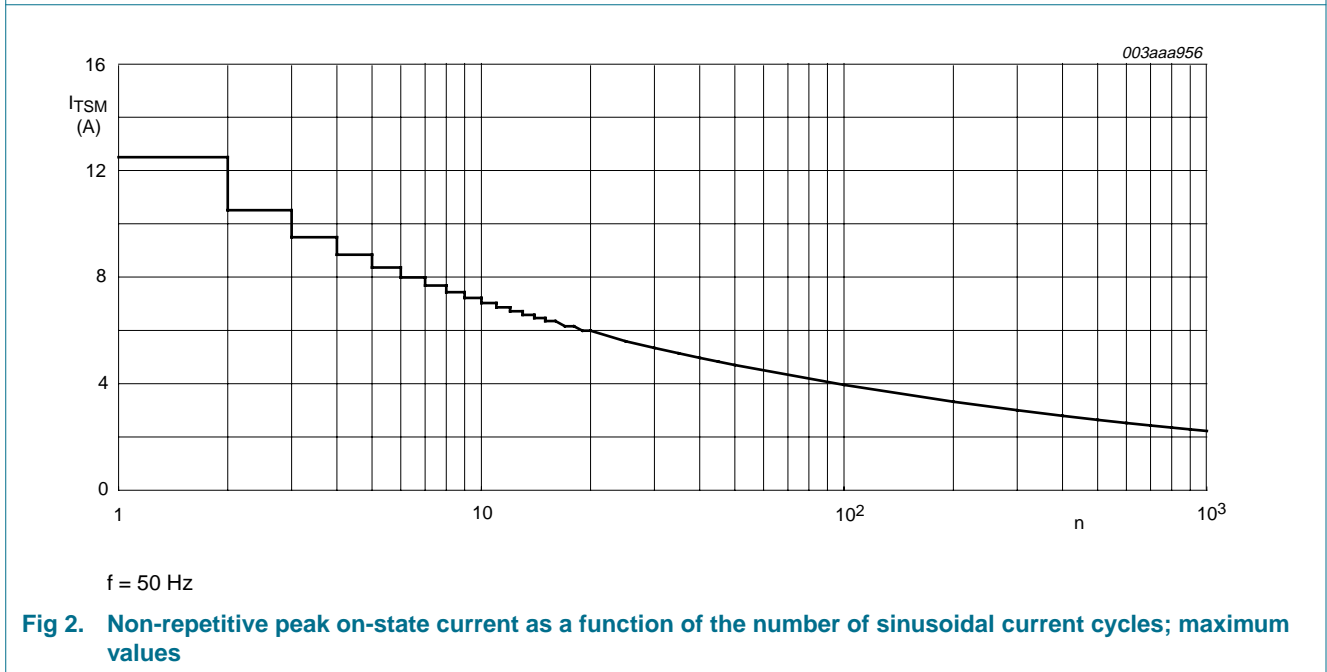
In accordance with the Absolute Maximum Rating System (IEC 60134).

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Max	Unit
$V_{DRM}$	repetitive peak off-state voltage				
	BTA201-600B		[1] -	600	V
	BTA201-600E		[1] -	600	V
	BTA201-800B		-	800	V
	BTA201-800E		-	800	V
	BTA201-800ER		-	800	V
$I_{T(RMS)}$	RMS on-state current	full sine wave; $T_{lead} \leq 54.3 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ; see <a href="#">Figure 4</a> and <a href="#">5</a>	-	1	A
$I_{TSM}$	non-repetitive peak on-state current	full sine wave; $T_j = 25 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ prior to surge; see <a href="#">Figure 2</a> and <a href="#">3</a>			
		$t = 20 \text{ ms}$	-	12.5	A
		$t = 16.7 \text{ ms}$	-	13.7	A
$I^2t$	$I^2t$ for fusing	$t = 10 \text{ ms}$	-	0.78	$\text{A}^2\text{s}$
$di_T/dt$	rate of rise of on-state current	$I_{TM} = 1.5 \text{ A}$ ; $I_G = 0.2 \text{ A}$ ; $di_G/dt = 0.2 \text{ A}/\mu\text{s}$	-	50	$\text{A}/\mu\text{s}$
$I_{GM}$	peak gate current		-	2	A
$P_{GM}$	peak gate power		-	5	W
$P_{G(AV)}$	average gate power	over any 20 ms period	-	0.1	W
$T_{stg}$	storage temperature		-40	+150	$^\circ\text{C}$
$T_j$	junction temperature		-	125	$^\circ\text{C}$

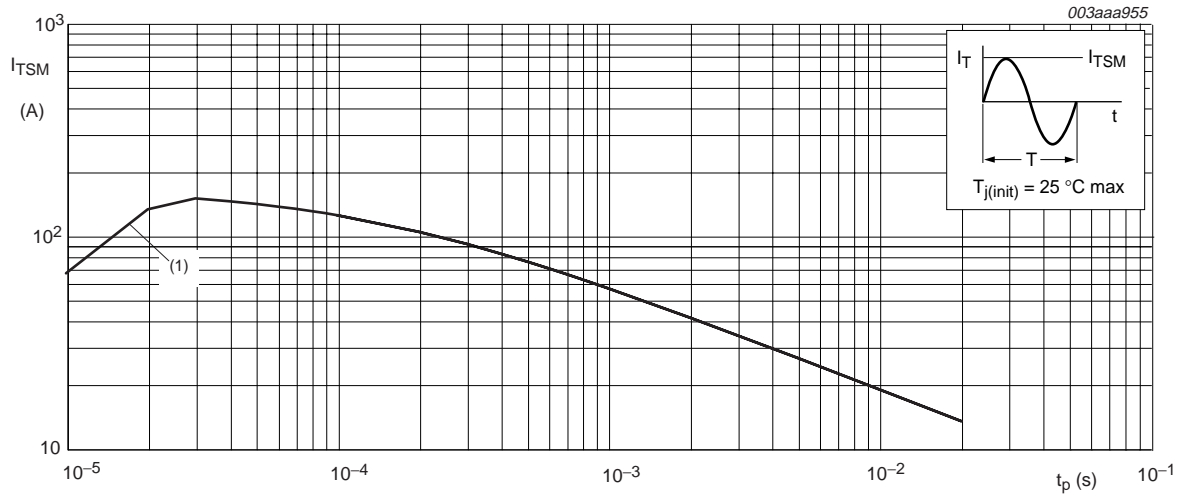
[1] Although not recommended, off-state voltages up to 800 V may be applied without damage, but the triac may switch to the on-state. The rate of rise of current should not exceed 6 A/ $\mu\text{s}$ .



**Fig 1. Total power dissipation as a function of RMS on-state current; maximum values**



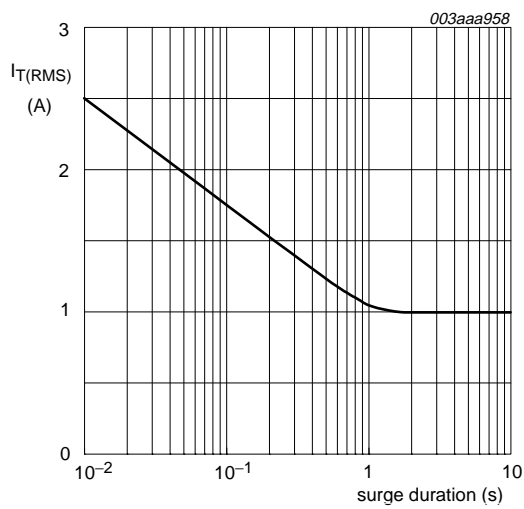
**Fig 2. Non-repetitive peak on-state current as a function of the number of sinusoidal current cycles; maximum values**



$t_p \leq 20\text{ ms}$

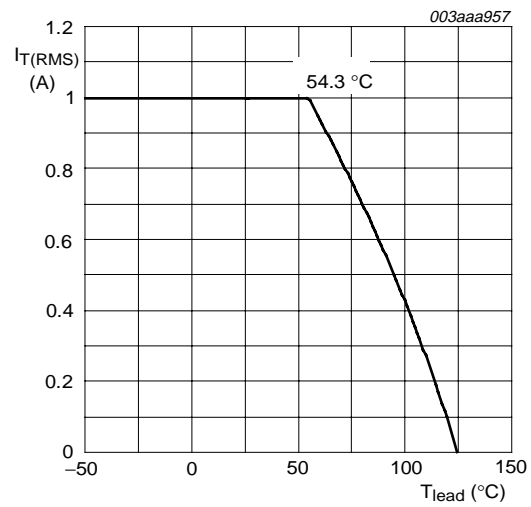
(1)  $di_T/dt$  limit

**Fig 3. Non-repetitive peak on-state current as a function of pulse duration; maximum values**



$f = 50\text{ Hz}; T_{lead} \leq 54.3\text{ °C}$

**Fig 4. RMS on-state current as a function of surge duration; maximum values**

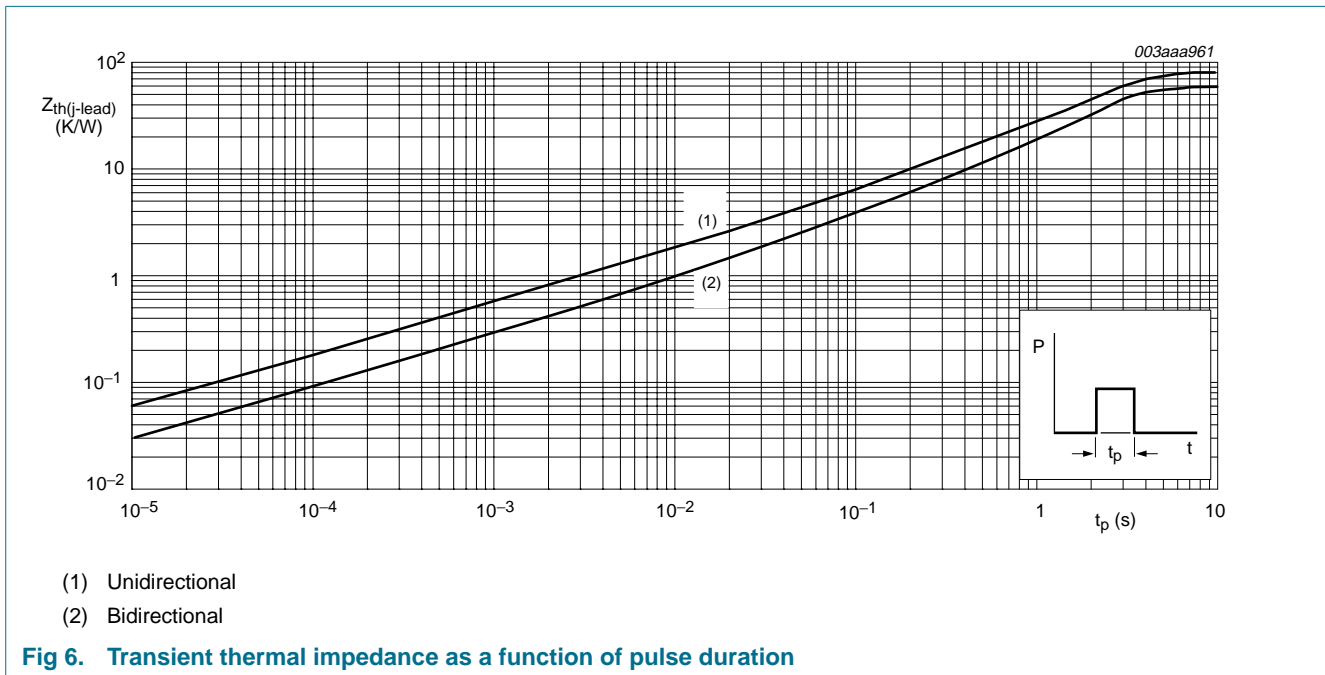


**Fig 5. RMS on-state current as a function of lead temperature; maximum values**

## 5. Thermal characteristics

**Table 4: Thermal characteristics**

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
$R_{th(j-lead)}$	thermal resistance from junction to lead	full cycle; see <a href="#">Figure 6</a>	-	-	60	K/W
		half cycle; see <a href="#">Figure 6</a>	-	-	80	K/W
$R_{th(j-a)}$	thermal resistance from junction to ambient	printed-circuit board mounted; lead length = 4 mm	-	150	-	K/W



## 6. Static characteristics

**Table 5: Static characteristics**

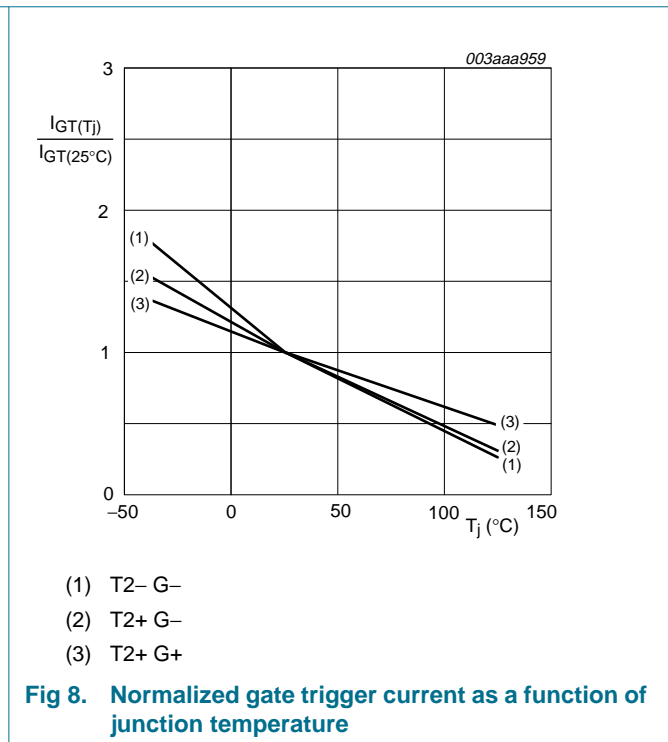
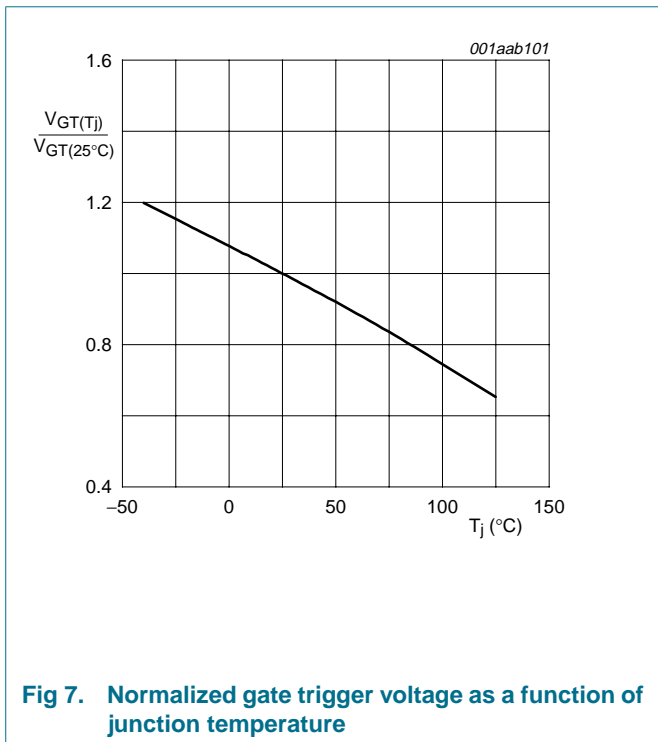
$T_j = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$  unless otherwise specified.

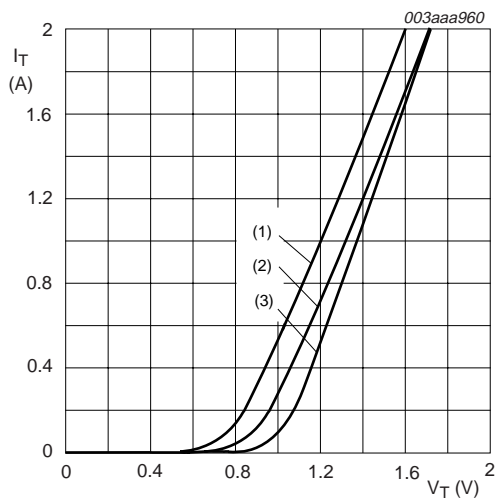
Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	BTA201-600B BTA201-800B			BTA201-600E BTA201-800E BTA201-800ER			Unit
			Min	Typ	Max	Min	Typ	Max	
$I_{GT}$	gate trigger current	$V_D = 12\text{ V}$ ; $I_T = 0.1\text{ A}$ ; see <a href="#">Figure 8</a>							
		T2+ G+	-	-	50	-	-	10	mA
		T2+ G-	-	-	50	-	-	10	mA
		T2- G-	-	-	50	-	-	10	mA
$I_L$	latching current	$V_D = 12\text{ V}$ ; $I_{GT} = 0.1\text{ A}$ ; see <a href="#">Figure 10</a>							
		T2+ G+	-	-	30	-	-	12	mA
		T2+ G-	-	-	50	-	-	20	mA
		T2- G-	-	-	30	-	-	12	mA
$I_H$	holding current	$V_D = 12\text{ V}$ ; $I_{GT} = 0.1\text{ A}$ ; see <a href="#">Figure 11</a>	-	-	30	-	-	12	mA
$V_T$	on-state voltage	$I_T = 1.4\text{ A}$ ; see <a href="#">Figure 9</a>	-	1.2	1.5	-	1.2	1.5	V
$V_{GT}$	gate trigger voltage	$V_D = 12\text{ V}$ ; $I_T = 0.1\text{ A}$ ; see <a href="#">Figure 7</a>	-	0.7	1.5	-	0.7	1.5	V
		$V_D = 400\text{ V}$ ; $I_T = 0.1\text{ A}$ ; $T_j = 125\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	0.2	0.3	-	0.2	0.3	-	V
$I_D$	off-state current	$V_D = V_{DRM(max)}$ ; $T_j = 125\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	-	0.1	0.5	-	0.1	0.5	mA

## 7. Dynamic characteristics

Table 6: Dynamic characteristics

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	BTA201-600B BTA201-800B			BTA201-600E BTA21-800E BTA201-800ER			Unit
			Min	Typ	Max	Min	Typ	Max	
$dV_D/dt$	rate of rise of off-state voltage	$V_{DM} = 67\% V_{DRM(max)}$ ; $T_j = 125\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ; exponential waveform; gate open circuit	1000	-	-	200	-	-	V/ $\mu\text{s}$
$di_{com}/dt$	rate of change of commutating current	$V_{DM} = 400\text{ V}$ ; $T_j = 125\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ; $dV_{com}/dt = 20\text{ V}/\mu\text{s}$ ; gate open circuit	12	-	-	2.5	-	-	A/ms
		$V_{DM} = 400\text{ V}$ ; $T_j = 125\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ; $dV_{com}/dt = 10\text{ V}/\mu\text{s}$ ; gate open circuit	16	-	-	3.5	-	-	A/ms
$t_{gt}$	gate-controlled turn-on time	$I_{TM} = 20\text{ A}$ ; $V_D = V_{DRM(max)}$ ; $I_G = 0.1\text{ A}$ ; $dI_G/dt = 5\text{ A}/\mu\text{s}$	-	2	-	-	2	-	$\mu\text{s}$

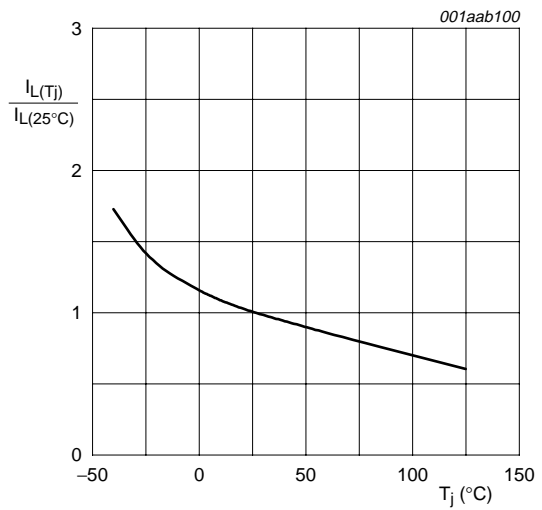




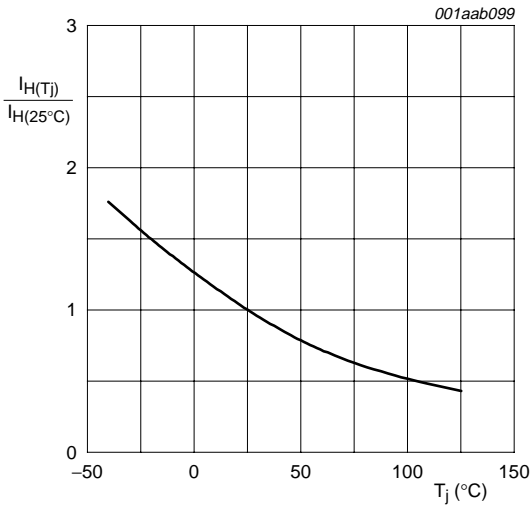
$V_o = 1.02 \text{ V}; R_s = 0.358 \Omega$

- (1)  $T_j = 125 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ; typical values
- (2)  $T_j = 125 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ; maximum values
- (3)  $T_j = 25 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ; maximum values

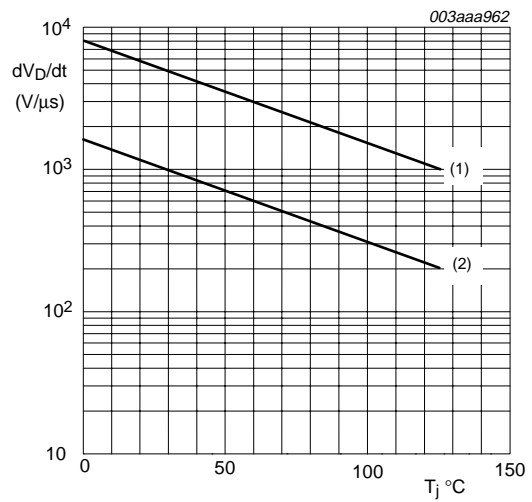
**Fig 9. On-state current as a function of on-state voltage**



**Fig 10. Normalized latching current as a function of junction temperature**



**Fig 11. Normalized holding current as a function of junction temperature**



Gate open circuit

- (1) BTA201 series B
- (2) BTA201 series E and ER

**Fig 12. Critical rate of rise of off-state voltage as a function of junction temperature; minimum values**



8. Package outline

Plastic single-ended leaded (through hole) package; 3 leads

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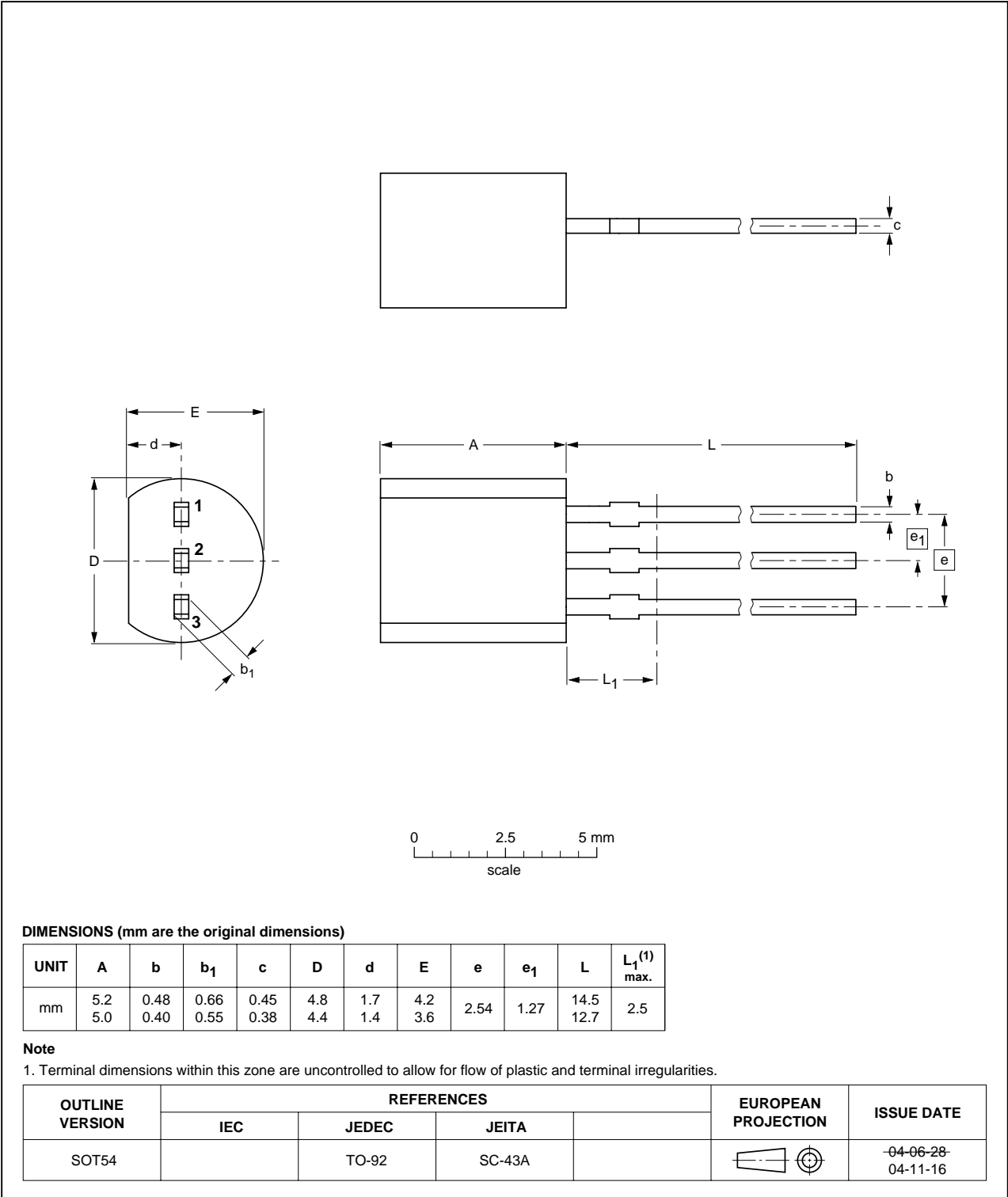


Fig 13. Package outline SOT54 (TO-92)

## 9. Revision history

Table 7: Revision history

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