

## Power MOSFET, 38 A



SOT-227

RoHS  
COMPLIANT

## FEATURES

- Fully isolated package
- Easy to use and parallel
- Low on-resistance
- Dynamic dV/dt rating
- Fully avalanche rated
- Simple drive requirements
- Low drain to case capacitance
- Low internal inductance
- UL pending
- Compliant to RoHS directive 2002/95/EC
- Designed for industrial level

## DESCRIPTION

Third Generation Power MOSFETs from Vishay HPP provide the designer with the best combination of fast switching, ruggedized device design, low on-resistance and cost-effectiveness.

The SOT-227 package is universally preferred for all commercial-industrial applications at power dissipation levels to approximately 500 W. The low thermal resistance of the SOT-227 contribute to its wide acceptance throughout the industry.

## PRODUCT SUMMARY

$V_{DSS}$	500 V
$R_{DS(on)}$	0.13 Ω
$I_D$	38 A
Type	Modules - MOSFET
Package	SOT-227

## ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

PARAMETER	SYMBOL	TEST CONDITIONS	MAX.	UNITS
Continuous drain current at $V_{GS}$ 10 V	$I_D$	$T_C = 25^\circ\text{C}$	38	A
		$T_C = 100^\circ\text{C}$	24	
Pulsed drain current	$I_{DM}^{(1)}$		150	
Power dissipation	$P_D$	$T_C = 25^\circ\text{C}$	500	W
Linear derating factor			4.0	W/°C
Gate to source voltage	$V_{GS}$		± 20	V
Single pulse avalanche energy	$E_{AS}^{(2)}$		580	mJ
Avalanche current	$I_{AR}^{(1)}$		38	A
Repetitive avalanche energy	$E_{AR}^{(1)}$		50	mJ
Peak diode recovery dV/dt	dV/dt <sup>(3)</sup>		10	V/ns
Operating junction and storage temperature range	$T_J, T_{Stg}$		- 55 to + 150	°C
Insulation withstand voltage (AC-RMS)	$V_{ISO}$		2.5	kV
Mounting torque		M4 screw	1.3	Nm

## Notes

(1) Repetitive rating; pulse width limited by maximum junction temperature (see fig. 11)

(2) Starting  $T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$ ,  $L = 0.80 \text{ mH}$ ,  $R_g = 25 \Omega$ ,  $I_{AS} = 38 \text{ A}$  (see fig. 12)

(3)  $I_{SD} \leq 38 \text{ A}$ ,  $dI/dt \leq 410 \text{ A}/\mu\text{s}$ ,  $V_{DD} \leq V_{(BR)DSS}$ ,  $T_J \leq 150^\circ\text{C}$

**THERMAL RESISTANCE**

PARAMETER	SYMBOL	TYP.	MAX.	UNITS
Junction to case	R <sub>thJC</sub>	-	0.25	°C/W
Case to sink, flat, greased surface	R <sub>thCS</sub>	0.05	-	

**ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS** ( $T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$  unless otherwise noted)

PARAMETER	SYMBOL	TEST CONDITIONS	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	UNITS
Drain to source breakdown voltage	V <sub>(BR)DSS</sub>	V <sub>GS</sub> = 0 V, I <sub>D</sub> = 1.0 mA	500	-	-	V
Breakdown voltage temperature coefficient	$\Delta V_{(BR)DSS}/\Delta T_J$	Reference to 25 °C, I <sub>D</sub> = 1 mA	-	0.66	-	V/°C
Static drain to source on-resistance	R <sub>DS(on)</sub> <sup>(1)</sup>	V <sub>GS</sub> = 10 V, I <sub>D</sub> = 23 A	-	-	0.13	Ω
Gate threshold voltage	V <sub>GS(th)</sub>	V <sub>DS</sub> = V <sub>GS</sub> , I <sub>D</sub> = 250 μA	2.0	-	4.0	V
Forward transconductance	g <sub>fS</sub>	V <sub>DS</sub> = 25 V, I <sub>D</sub> = 23 A	22	-	-	S
Drain to source leakage current	I <sub>DSS</sub>	V <sub>DS</sub> = 500 V, V <sub>GS</sub> = 0 V	-	-	50	μA
		V <sub>DS</sub> = 400 V, V <sub>GS</sub> = 0 V, T <sub>J</sub> = 125 °C	-	-	500	
Gate to source forward leakage	I <sub>GSS</sub>	V <sub>GS</sub> = 20 V	-	-	200	nA
Gate to source reverse leakage		V <sub>GS</sub> = -20 V	-	-	-200	
Total gate charge	Q <sub>g</sub>	I <sub>D</sub> = 38 A V <sub>DS</sub> = 400 V V <sub>GS</sub> = 10 V; see fig. 6 and 13 <sup>(1)</sup>	-	280	420	nC
Gate to source charge	Q <sub>gs</sub>		-	37	55	
Gate to drain ("Miller") charge	Q <sub>gd</sub>		-	150	220	
Turn-on delay time	t <sub>d(on)</sub>	V <sub>DD</sub> = 250 V I <sub>D</sub> = 38 A R <sub>g</sub> = 10 Ω (typical) R <sub>D</sub> = 8 Ω, see fig. 10 <sup>(1)</sup>	-	42	-	ns
Rise time	t <sub>r</sub>		-	340	-	
Turn-off delay time	t <sub>d(off)</sub>		-	200	-	
Fall time	t <sub>f</sub>		-	330	-	
Internal source inductance	L <sub>S</sub>	Between lead, and center of die contact	-	5.0	-	nH
Input capacitance	C <sub>iss</sub>	V <sub>GS</sub> = 0 V V <sub>DS</sub> = 25 V f = 1.0 MHz, see fig. 5	-	6900	-	pF
Output capacitance	C <sub>oss</sub>		-	1600	-	
Reverse transfer capacitance	C <sub>rss</sub>		-	580	-	

**Note**

(1) Pulse width ≤ 300 μs, duty cycle ≤ 2 %

**SOURCE-DRAIN RATINGS AND CHARACTERISTICS**

PARAMETER	SYMBOL	TEST CONDITIONS	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	UNITS
Continuous source current (body diode)	I <sub>S</sub>	MOSFET symbol showing the integral reverse p-n junction diode.	-	-	38	A
Pulsed source current (body diode)	I <sub>SM</sub> <sup>(1)</sup>		-	-	150	
Diode forward voltage	V <sub>SD</sub> <sup>(2)</sup>	T <sub>J</sub> = 25 °C, I <sub>S</sub> = 38 A, V <sub>GS</sub> = 0 V	-	-	1.3	V
Reverse recovery time	t <sub>rr</sub>	T <sub>J</sub> = 25 °C, I <sub>F</sub> = 38 A; dI/dt = 100 A/μs <sup>(2)</sup>	-	830	1300	ns
Reverse recovery charge	Q <sub>rr</sub>		-	15	22	μC
Forward turn-on time	t <sub>on</sub>	Intrinsic turn-on time is negligible (turn-on is dominated by L <sub>S</sub> + L <sub>D</sub> )				

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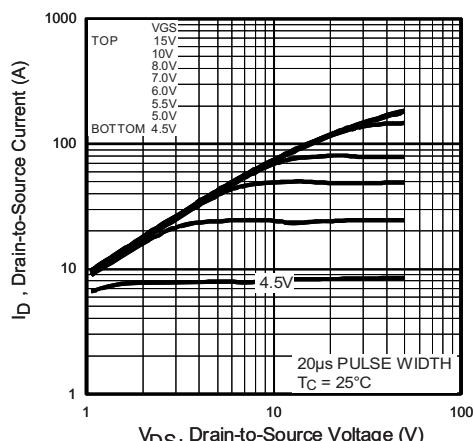


Fig. 1 - Typical Output Characteristics

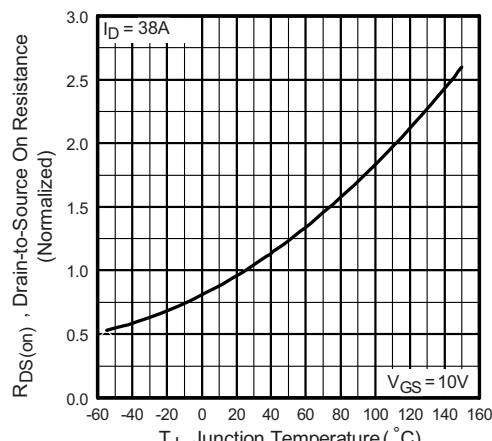


Fig. 4 - Normalized On-Resistance vs. Temperature

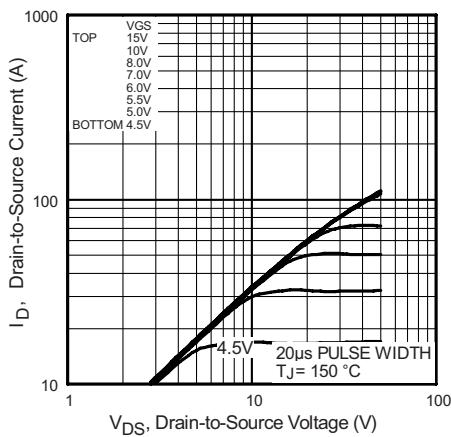


Fig. 2 - Typical Output Characteristics

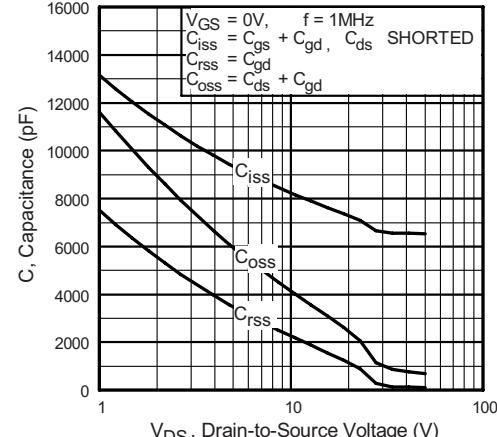


Fig. 5 - Typical Capacitance vs.  
Drain to Source Voltage

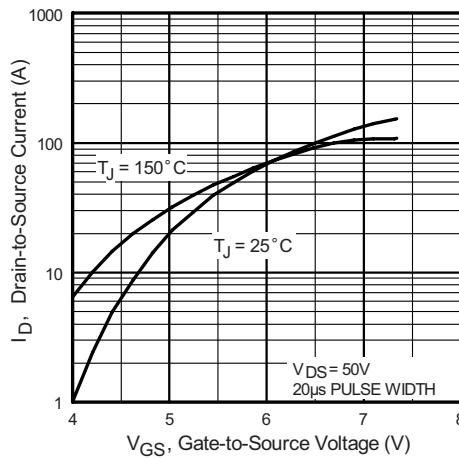


Fig. 3 - Typical Transfer Characteristics

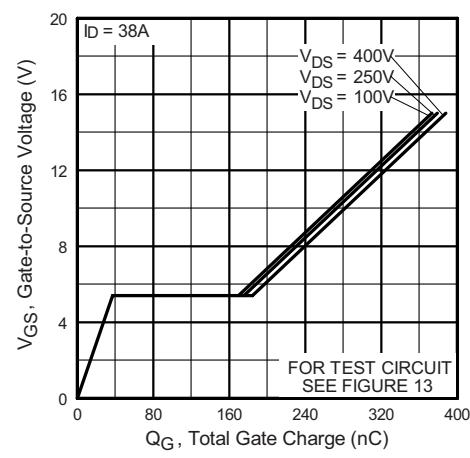


Fig. 6 - Typical Gate Charge vs.  
Gate to Source Voltage

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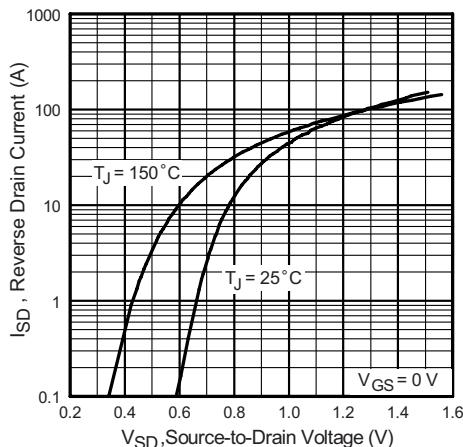


Fig. 7 - Typical Source Drain Diode Forward Voltage

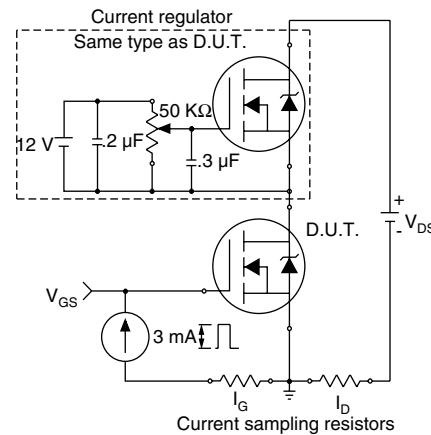


Fig. 10 - Gate Charge Test Circuit

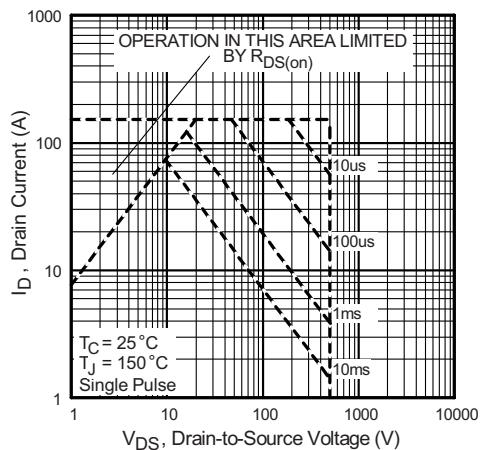


Fig. 8 - Maximum Safe Operating Area

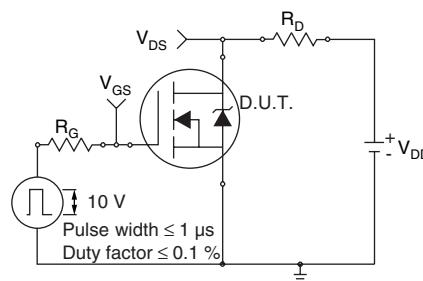


Fig. 11 - Switching Time Test Circuit

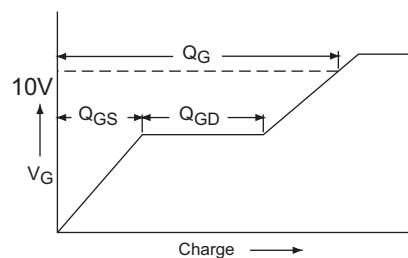


Fig. 9 - Basic Gate Charge Waveform

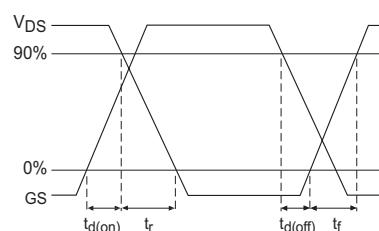


Fig. 12 - Switching Time Waveforms

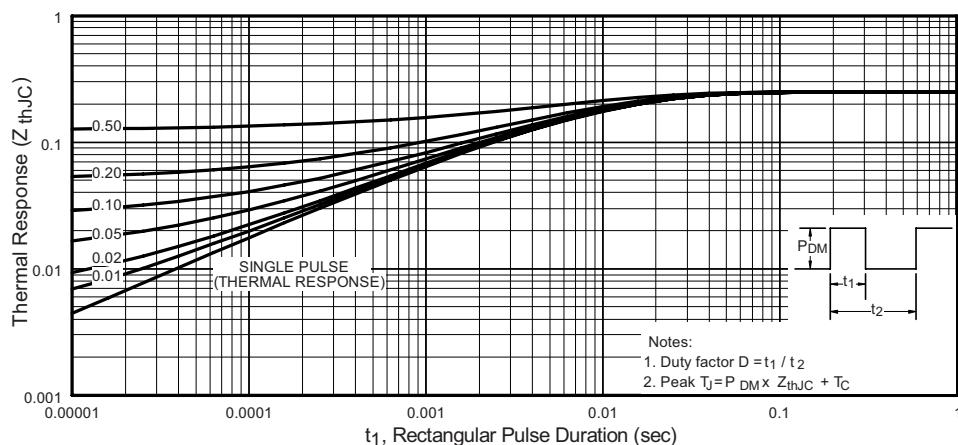


Fig. 13 - Maximum Effective Transient Thermal Impedance, Junction to Case

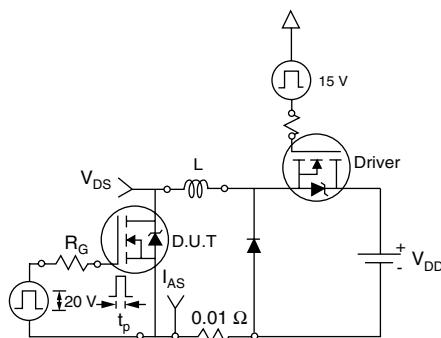


Fig. 14 - Unclamped Inductive Test Circuit

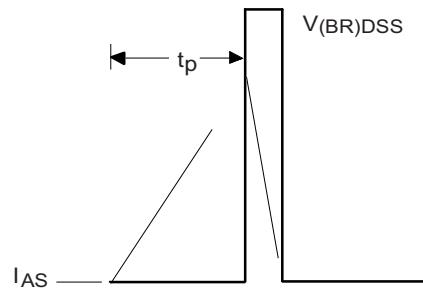


Fig. 15 - Unclamped Inductive Waveforms

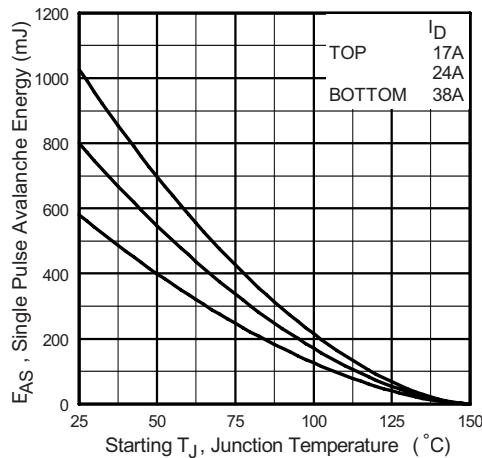


Fig. 16 - Maximum Avalanche Energy vs. Drain Current

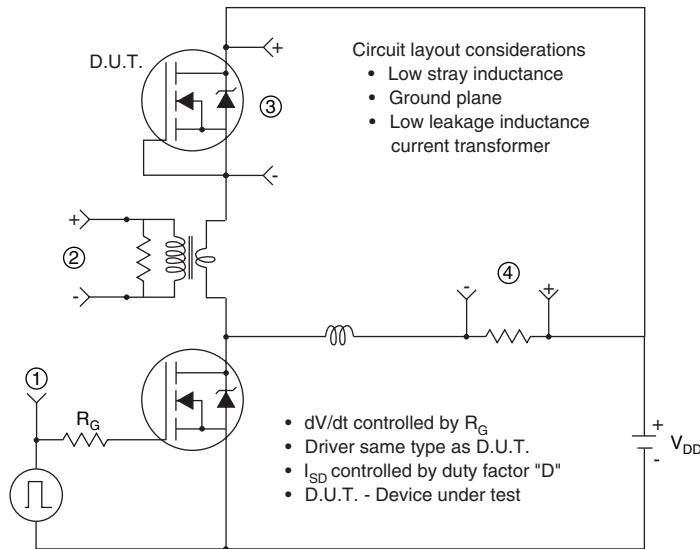


Fig. 17 - Peak Diode Recovery dV/dt Test Circuit

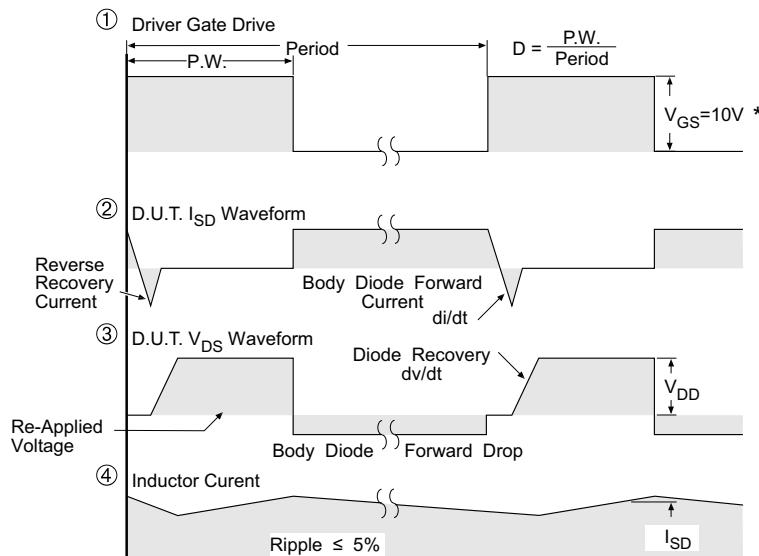
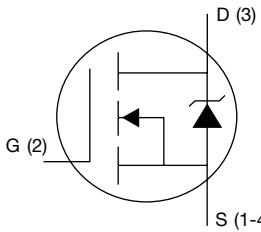
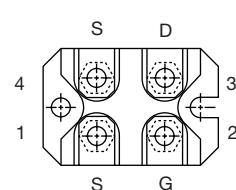
\*  $V_{GS} = 5V$  for Logic Level Devices

Fig. 18 - For N-Channel Power MOSFETs

**ORDERING INFORMATION TABLE**

Device code	F	A	38	S	A	50	LC	P
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	-	Power MOSFET						
2	-	Generation 3, MOSFET silicon, DBC construction						
3	-	Current rating (38 = 38 A)						
4	-	Single switch (see Circuit Configuration table)						
5	-	SOT-227						
6	-	Voltage rating (50 = 500 V)						
7	-	Low charge						
8	-	P = Lead (Pb)-free						

**CIRCUIT CONFIGURATION**

CIRCUIT	CIRCUIT CONFIGURATION CODE	CIRCUIT DRAWING
Single switch no diode	S	 Lead assignment: 

**LINKS TO RELATED DOCUMENTS**

Dimensions	<a href="http://www.vishay.com/doc?95036">www.vishay.com/doc?95036</a>
Packaging information	<a href="http://www.vishay.com/doc?95037">www.vishay.com/doc?95037</a>

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