Preferred Device

Triacs

Silicon Bidirectional Thyristors

Designed for high performance full-wave ac control applications where high noise immunity and high commutating di/dt are required.

Features

- Blocking Voltage to 800 Volts
- On-State Current Rating of 8.0 Amperes RMS at 100°C
- Uniform Gate Trigger Currents in Three Quadrants
- High Immunity to dv/dt 250 V/us minimum at 125°C
- Minimizes Snubber Networks for Protection
- Industry Standard TO-220AB Package
- High Commutating di/dt 6.5 A/ms minimum at 125°C
- Pb-Free Packages are Available*

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

Characteristic	Symbol	Value	Unit
Peak Repetitive Off- State Voltage ⁻ (Note 1) (T _J = -40 to 125°C, Sine Wave, 50 to 60 Hz, Gate Open)	$V_{DRM,} \ V_{RRM}$		V
MAC8D MAC8M MAC8N		400 600 800	
On-State RMS Current, (Full Cycle Sine Wave, 60 Hz, T _C = 100°C)	I _{T(RMS)}	8.0	Α
Peak Non-Repetitive Surge Current (One Full Cycle Sine Wave, 60 Hz, T _J = 125°C)	I _{TSM}	80	Α
Circuit Fusing Consideration (t = 8.3 ms)	l ² t	26	A ² s
Peak Gate Power (Pulse Width \leq 1.0 μ s, T _C = 80°C)	P _{GM}	16	W
Average Gate Power (t = 8.3 ms, T _C = 80°C)	P _{G(AV)}	0.35	W
Operating Junction Temperature Range	T_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.

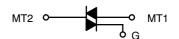
 V_{DRM} and V_{RRM} for all types can be applied on a continuous basis. Blocking voltages shall not be tested with a constant current source such that the voltage ratings of the devices are exceeded.



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TRIACS 8 AMPERES RMS 400 thru 800 VOLTS





MARKING DIAGRAM



TO-220AB CASE 221A-09 STYLE 4

= D, M, or N

A = Assembly Location

/ = Year

VW = Work Week

G = Pb-Free Package

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

ORDERING INFORMATION

Device	Package	Shipping
MAC8D	TO-220AB	50 Units / Rail
MAC8DG	TO-220AB (Pb-Free)	50 Units / Rail
MAC8M	TO-220AB	50 Units / Rail
MAC8MG	TO-220AB (Pb-Free)	50 Units / Rail
MAC8N	TO-220AB	50 Units / Rail
MAC8NG	TO-220AB (Pb-Free)	50 Units / Rail

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

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

THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS

Characteristic	Symbol	Value	Unit
Thermal Resistance, Junction-to-Case	$R_{ hetaJC}$	2.2	°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	TL	260	°C

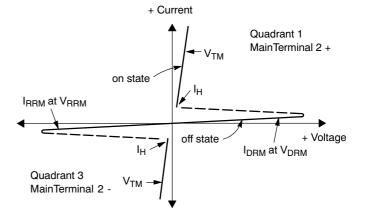
ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (T_{.1} = 25°C unless otherwise noted; Electricals apply in both directions)

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (1 _J = 25°C unless otherwise noted; Ele		Symbol	T .	1	ı	
Characteristic			Min	Тур	Max	Unit
OFF CHARACTERISTICS						
Peak Repetitive Blocking Current (V_D = Rated V_{DRM} , V_{RRM} ; Gate Open) $T_J = T_J = T$	25°C 125°C	I _{DRM} , I _{RRM}	-	-	0.01 2.0	mA
ON CHARACTERISTICS	I					
Peak On-State Voltage (Note 2), (I _{TM} = ±11 A Peak)		V_{TM}	-	1.2	1.6	V
Gate Trigger Current (Continuous DC) (V_D = 12 V, R_L = 100 Ω) MT2(+), G(+) MT2(+), G(-) MT2(-), G(-)		I _{GT}	5.0 5.0 5.0	13 16 18	35 35 35	mA
Holding Current, (V _D = 12 V, Gate Open, Initiating Current = ±150 mA)		I _H	-	20	40	mA
Latching Current (V_D = 24 V, I_G = 35 mA), MT2(+), G(+); MT2(-), G(-) MT2(+), G(-)		ΙL	-	20 30	50 80	mA
Gate Trigger Voltage (V_D = 12 V, R_L = 100 Ω) MT2(+), G(+) MT2(+), G(-) MT2(-), G(-)		V _{GT}	0.5 0.5 0.5	0.69 0.77 0.72	1.5 1.5 1.5	V
Gate Non-Trigger Voltage (V_D = 12 V, R_L = 100 Ω , T_J = 125°C) MT2(+), G(+); MT2(+), G(-); MT2(-), G(-)			0.2	-	-	V
DYNAMIC CHARACTERISTICS	•		•			
Rate of Change of Commutating Current See Figure 10.(V_D = 400 V, I_{TM} = 4.4 A Commutating dv/dt = 18 V/ μ s,Gate Open, T_J = 125°C, f = 250 Hz, No Snubber C_L = 10 μ F L_L = 40 mH		(di/dt) _c	6.5	-	-	A/ms
Critical Rate of Rise of Off-State Voltage (V_D = Rated V_{DRM} , Exponential Wavefordate Open, T_J = 125°C)	orm,	dv/dt	250	-	-	V/μs

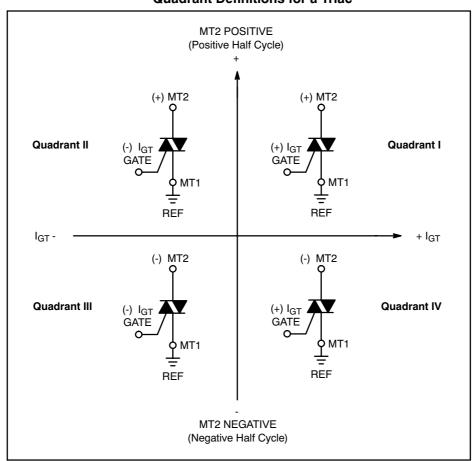
^{2.} Indicates Pulse Test: Pulse Width ≤ 2.0 ms, Duty Cycle ≤ 2%.

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
I _H	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.

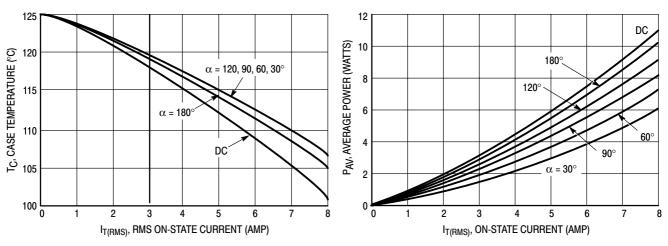


Figure 1. RMS Current Derating

Figure 2. On-State Power Dissipation

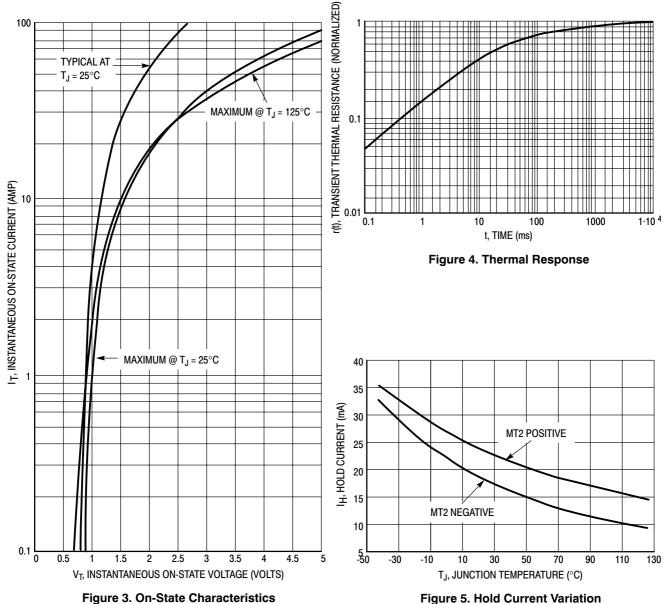
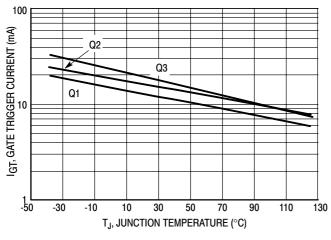


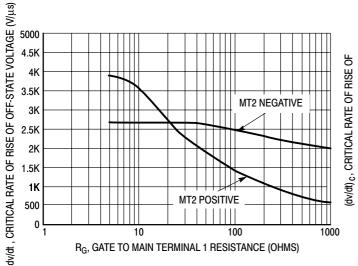
Figure 5. Hold Current Variation



Q2 0.95 VGT, GATE TRIGGER VOLTAGE (VOLT) 0.9 Q3 0.85 0.8 075 0.7 Q1 0.65 0.6 0.55 0.5 0.45 0.4 L -50 -30 50 70 90 110 30 130 T_J, JUNCTION TEMPERATURE (°C)

Figure 6. Gate Trigger Current Variation

Figure 7. Gate Trigger Voltage Variation



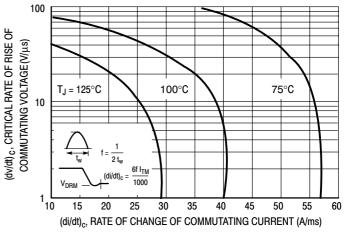
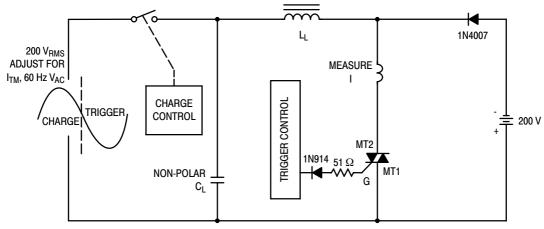


Figure 8. Critical Rate of Rise of Off-State Voltage (Exponential)

Figure 9. Critical Rate of Rise of Commutating Voltage

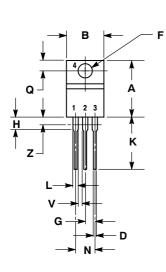


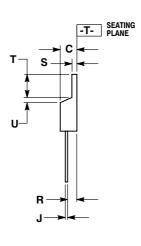
Note: Component values are for verification of rated (di/dt)_c. See AN1048 for additional information.

Figure 10. Simplified Test Circuit to Measure the Critical Rate of Rise of Commutating Current (di/dt)

PACKAGE DIMENSIONS

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NOTES:

- DIMENSIONING AND TOLERANCING PER ANSI Y14.5M, 1982.
 CONTROLLING DIMENSION: INCH.
- DIMENSION Z DEFINES A ZONE WHERE ALL BODY AND LEAD IRREGULARITIES ARE

	INCHES		MILLIMETERS		
DIM	MIN	MAX	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	0.161	3.61	4.09	
G	0.095	0.105	2.42	2.66	
Н	0.110	0.155	2.80	3.93	
J	0.014	0.025	0.36	0.64	
K	0.500	0.562	12.70	14.27	
L	0.045	0.060	1.15	1.52	
N	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	
T	0.235	0.255	5.97	6.47	
U	0.000	0.050	0.00	1.27	
٧	0.045		1.15		
Z		0.080		2.04	

STYLE 4:

- PIN 1. MAIN TERMINAL 1
 - MAIN TERMINAL 2
 - GATE 3.
 - MAIN TERMINAL 2

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