

1. General description

Planar passivated four quadrant triac in a SOT78(TO-220AB) plastic package intended for use in bidirectional switching and phase control applications.

2. Features and benefits

- High blocking voltage capability
- Less sensitive gate for improved noise immunity
- Planar passivated for voltage ruggedness and reliability
- Triggering in all four quadrants

3. Applications

- General purpose motor control
- General purpose switching

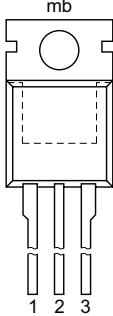
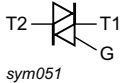
4. Quick reference data

Table 1. Quick reference data

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Values				Unit
Absolute maximum rating							
V _{DRM}	repetitive peak off-state voltage		800				V
I _{T(RMS)}	RMS on-state current	full sine wave; T _{mb} ≤ 102 °C; Fig. 1 ; Fig. 2 ; Fig. 3	8				A
I _{TSM}	non-repetitive peak on-state current	full sine wave; T _{j(init)} = 25 °C; t _p = 20 ms; Fig. 4 ; Fig. 5	65				A
Symbol	Parameter	Conditions		Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Static characteristics							
I _{GT}	gate trigger current	V _D = 12 V; I _T = 0.1 A; T2+ G+; T _j = 25 °C; Fig. 7		-	5	35	mA
		V _D = 12 V; I _T = 0.1 A; T2+ G-; T _j = 25 °C; Fig. 7		-	8	35	mA
		V _D = 12 V; I _T = 0.1 A; T2- G-; T _j = 25 °C; Fig. 7		-	11	35	mA
		V _D = 12 V; I _T = 0.1 A; T2- G+; T _i = 25 °C; Fig. 7		-	30	70	mA

5. Pinning information

Table 2. Pinning information

Pin	Symbol	Description	Simplified outline	Graphic symbol
1	T1	main terminal 1		
2	T2	main terminal 2		
3	G	gate		
mb	T2	mounting base; main terminal 2		

6. Ordering information

Table 3. Ordering information

Type number	Package		
	Name	Description	Version
BT137-800	TO-220AB	plastic single-ended package; heatsink mounted; 1 mounting hole; 3-lead TO-220AB	SOT78

7. Marking

Table 4. Marking codes

Type number	Marking codes
BT137-800	BT137-800

8. Limiting values

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

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I_{TSM}	non-repetitive peak on-state current	full sine wave; $T_{\text{j(init)}} = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$; $t_{\text{p}} = 20\text{ ms}$; Fig 4 ; Fig 5	65	A
		full sine wave; $T_{\text{j(init)}} = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$; $t_{\text{p}} = 16.7\text{ ms}$	71	A
I^2t	I^2t for fusing	$t_{\text{p}} = 10\text{ ms}$; SIN	21	A^2s
dI_{T}/dt	rate of rise of on-state current	$I_{\text{G}} = 70\text{ mA}$; T2+ G+	50	$\text{A}/\mu\text{s}$
		$I_{\text{G}} = 70\text{ mA}$; T2+ G-	50	$\text{A}/\mu\text{s}$
		$I_{\text{G}} = 70\text{ mA}$; T2- G-	50	$\text{A}/\mu\text{s}$
		$I_{\text{G}} = 140\text{ mA}$; T2- G+	10	$\text{A}/\mu\text{s}$
I_{GM}	peak gate current		2	A
P_{GM}	peak gate power		5	W
$P_{\text{G(AV)}}$	average gate power	over any 20 ms period	0.5	W
T_{stg}	storage temperature		-40 to 150	$^{\circ}\text{C}$
T_{j}	junction temperature		125	$^{\circ}\text{C}$

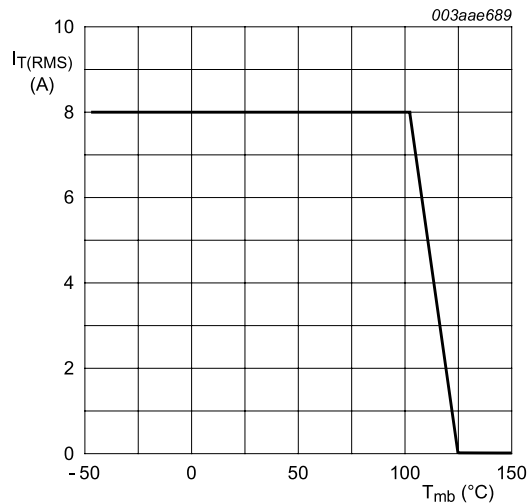
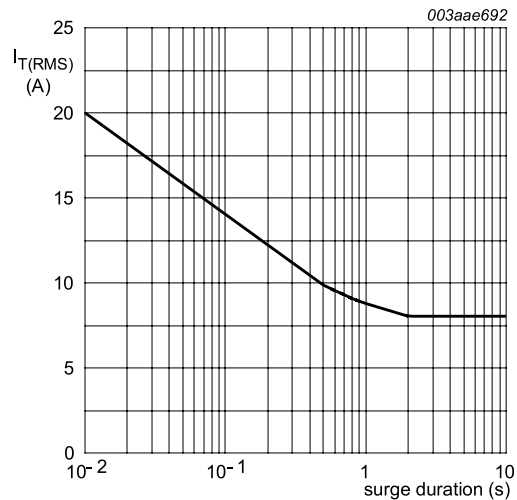


Fig. 1. RMS on-state current as a function of mounting base temperature; maximum values



f = 50 Hz; $T_{mb} \leq 102^\circ\text{C}$
Fig. 2. RMS on-state current as a function of surge duration; maximum values

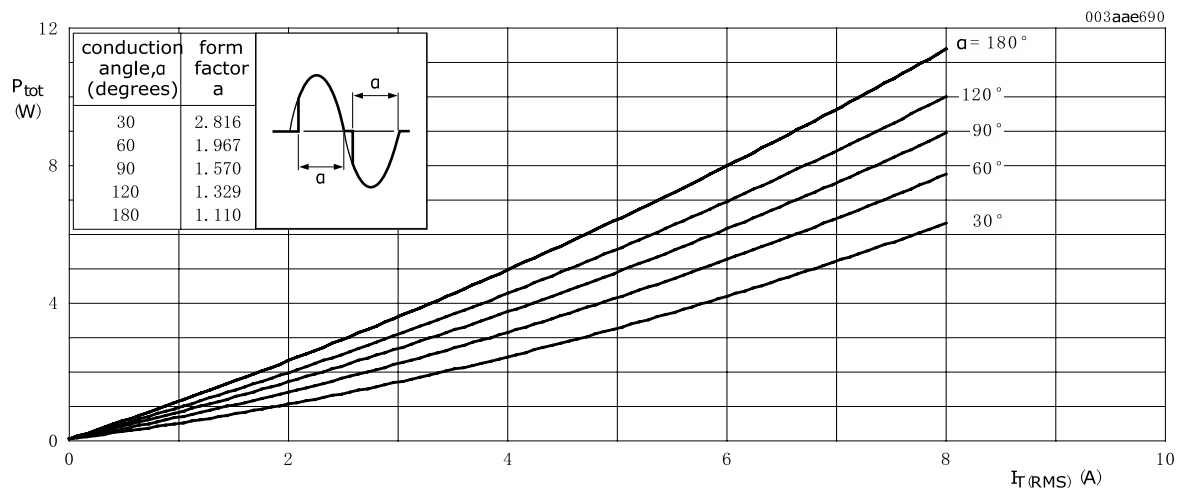


Fig. 3. Total power dissipation as a function of RMS on-state current; maximum values

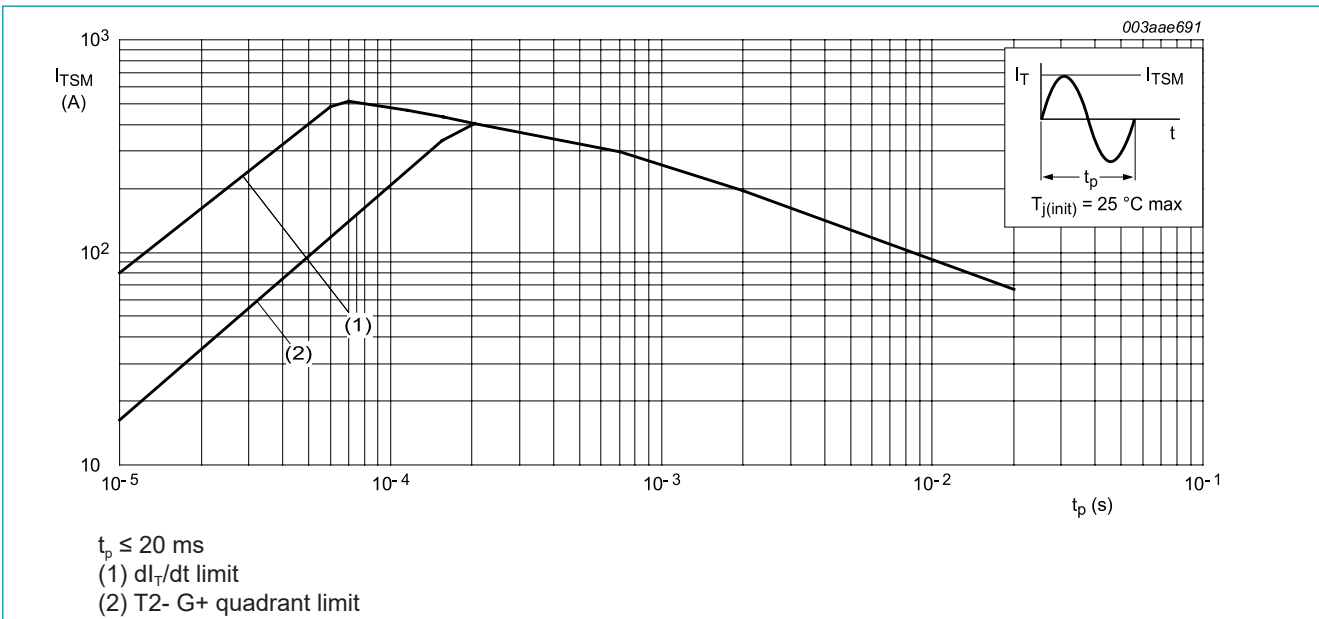


Fig. 4. Non-repetitive peak on-state current as a function of pulse width; maximum values

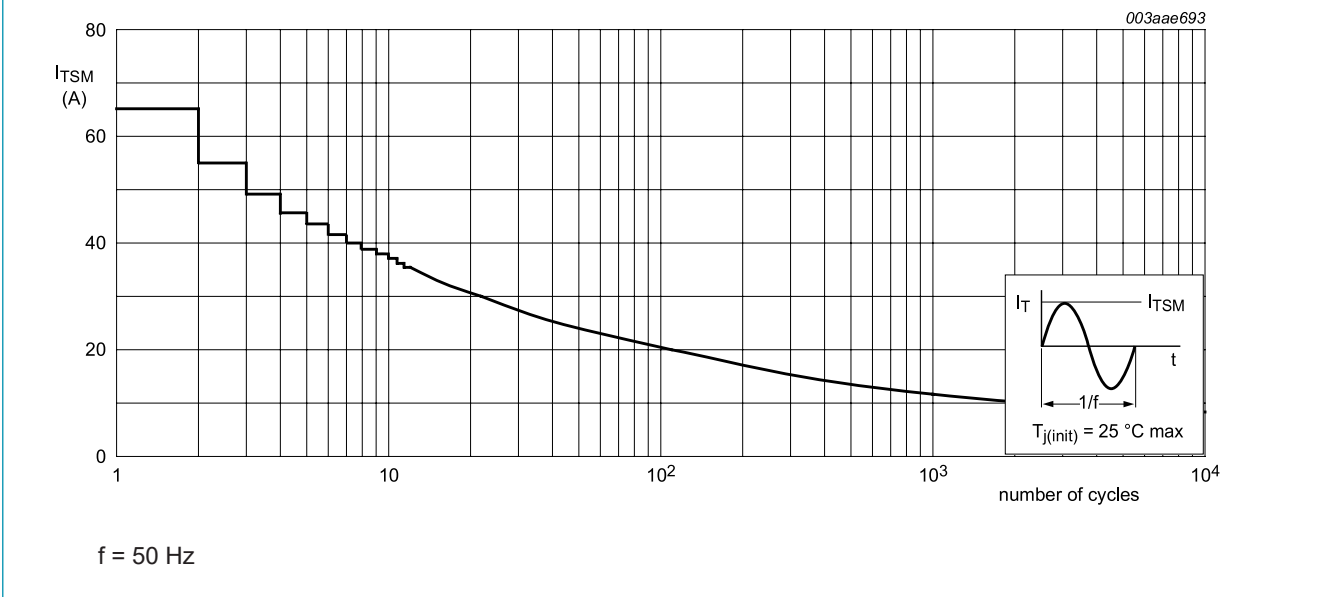


Fig. 5. Non-repetitive peak on-state current as a function of the number of sinusoidal current cycles; maximum values

9. Thermal characteristics

Table 6. Thermal characteristics

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions		Min	Typ	Max	Unit
$R_{th(j-mb)}$	thermal resistance from junction to mounting base	full cycle; Fig.6		-	-	2	K/W
		half cycle; Fig.6		-	-	2.4	K/W
$R_{th(j-a)}$	thermal resistance from junction to ambient	in free air		-	60	-	K/W

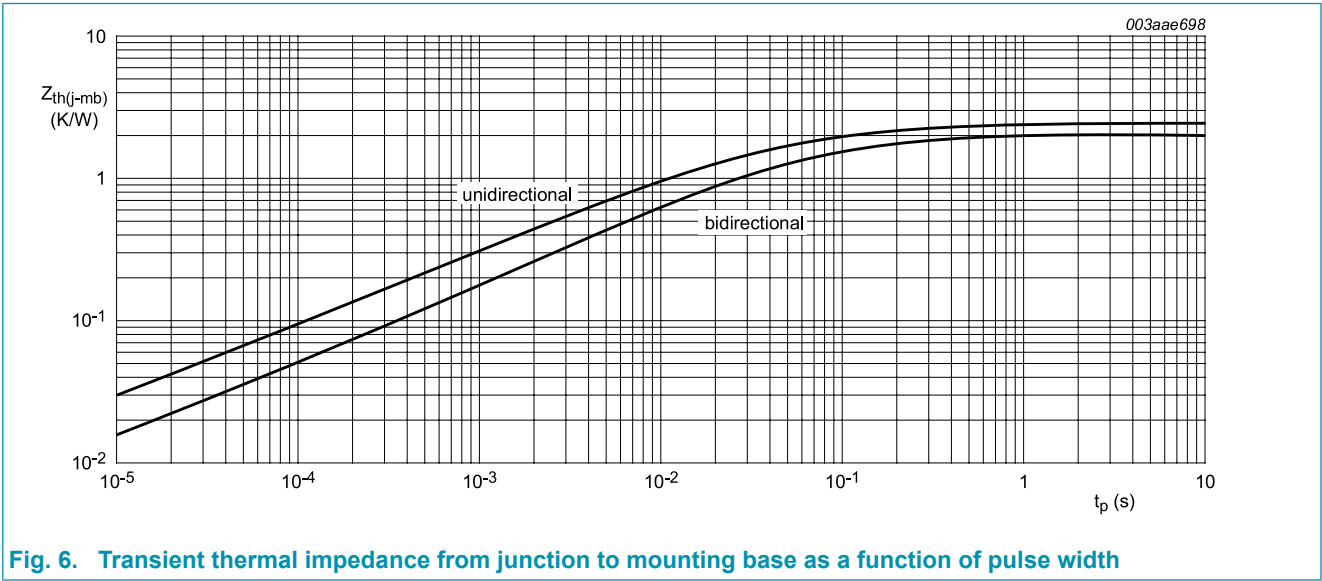
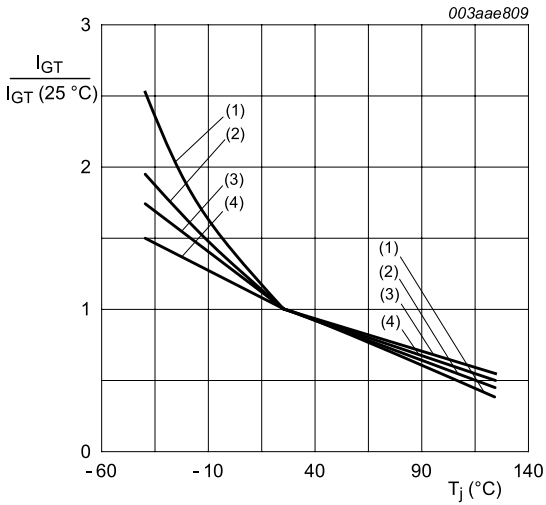


Fig. 6. Transient thermal impedance from junction to mounting base as a function of pulse width

10. Characteristics

Table 7. Characteristics

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions		Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Static characteristics							
I_{GT}	gate trigger current	$V_D = 12\text{ V}$; $I_T = 0.1\text{ A}$; T2+ G+; $T_J = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$; Fig. 7		-	5	35	mA
		$V_D = 12\text{ V}$; $I_T = 0.1\text{ A}$; T2+ G-; $T_J = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$; Fig. 7		-	8	35	mA
		$V_D = 12\text{ V}$; $I_T = 0.1\text{ A}$; T2- G-; $T_J = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$; Fig. 7		-	11	35	mA
		$V_D = 12\text{ V}$; $I_T = 0.1\text{ A}$; T2- G+; $T_J = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$; Fig. 7		-	30	70	mA
I_L	latching current	$V_D = 12\text{ V}$; $I_G = 0.1\text{ A}$; T2+ G+; $T_J = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$; Fig. 8		-	7	30	mA
		$V_D = 12\text{ V}$; $I_G = 0.1\text{ A}$; T2+ G-; $T_J = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$; Fig. 8		-	16	45	mA
		$V_D = 12\text{ V}$; $I_G = 0.1\text{ A}$; T2- G-; $T_J = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$; Fig. 8		-	5	30	mA
		$V_D = 12\text{ V}$; $I_G = 0.1\text{ A}$; T2- G+; $T_J = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$; Fig. 8		-	7	45	mA
I_H	holding current	$V_D = 12\text{ V}$; $T_J = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$; Fig. 9		-	5	20	mA
V_T	on-state voltage	$I_T = 10\text{ A}$; $T_J = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$; Fig. 10		-	1.3	1.65	V
V_{GT}	gate trigger voltage	$V_D = 12\text{ V}$; $I_T = 0.1\text{ A}$; $T_J = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$; Fig. 11		-	0.7	1	V
		$V_D = 400\text{ V}$; $I_T = 0.1\text{ A}$; $T_J = 125\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$; Fig. 11		0.25	0.4	-	V
I_D	off-state current	$V_D = 600\text{ V}$; $T_J = 125\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$		-	0.1	0.5	mA
Dynamic characteristics							
dV_D/dt	rate of rise of off-state voltage	$V_{DM} = 536\text{ V}$; $T_J = 125\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$; ($V_{DM} = 67\%$ of V_{DRM}); exponential waveform; gate open circuit		100	250	-	V/ μs
dV_{com}/dt	rate of change of commutating voltage	$V_D = 400\text{ V}$; $T_J = 95\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$; $dI_{com}/dt = 3.6\text{ A/ms}$; $I_T = 8\text{ A}$; gate open circuit		-	20	-	V/ μs
t_{gt}	gate-controlled turn-on time	$I_{TM} = 12\text{ A}$; $V_D = 800\text{ V}$; $I_G = 0.1\text{ A}$; $dI_G/dt = 5\text{ A}/\mu\text{s}$		-	2	-	μs



- (1) T2- G+
- (2) T2- G-
- (3) T2+ G-
- (4) T2+ G+

Fig. 7. Normalized gate trigger current as a function of junction temperature

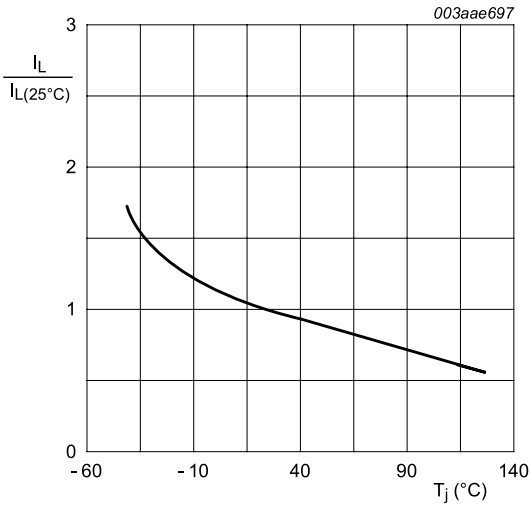


Fig. 8. Normalized latching current as a function of junction temperature

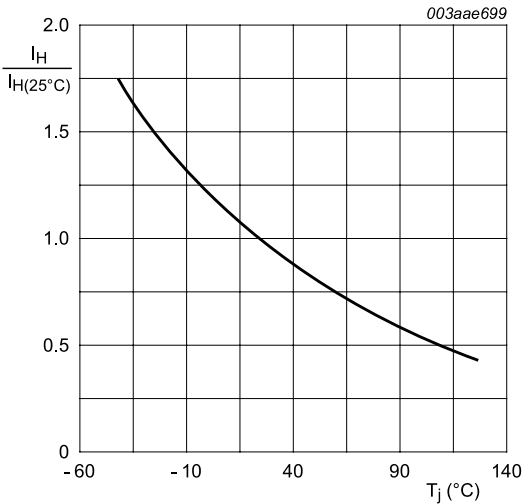
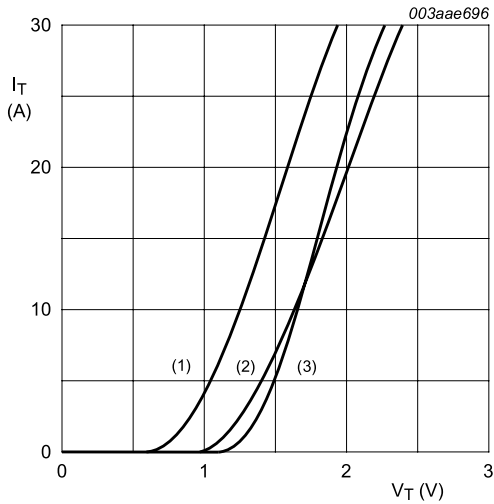


Fig. 9. Normalized holding current as a function of junction temperature



- $V_o = 1.264\text{ V}$; $R_s = 0.038\ \Omega$
- (1) $T_j = 125^\circ\text{C}$; typical values
 - (2) $T_j = 125^\circ\text{C}$; maximum values
 - (3) $T_j = 25^\circ\text{C}$; maximum values

Fig. 10. On-state current as a function of on-state voltage

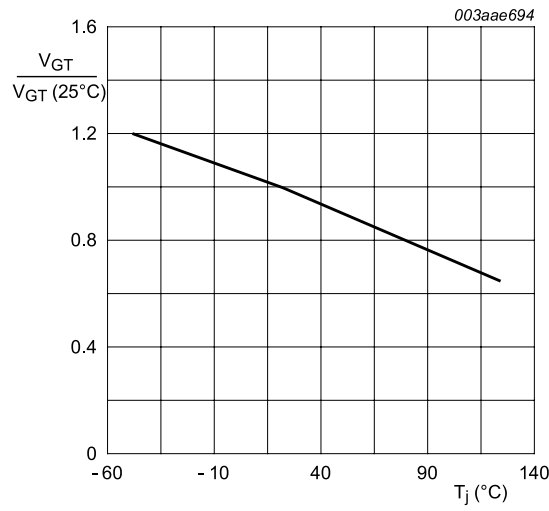


Fig. 11. Normalized gate trigger voltage as a function of junction temperature

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