



# BT137-800

## 4Q Triac

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Product data sheet

## 1. General description

Planar passivated four quadrant triac in a SOT78 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

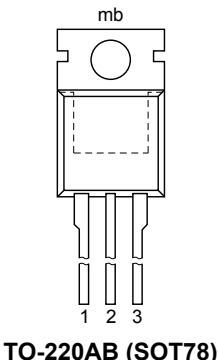
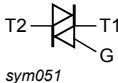
Table 1. Quick reference data

| Symbol                        | Parameter                            | Conditions                                                                                                                                                 | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|------|
| $V_{\text{DRM}}$              | repetitive peak off-state voltage    |                                                                                                                                                            | -   | -   | 800 | V    |
| $I_{\text{TSM}}$              | non-repetitive peak on-state current | full sine wave; $T_{\text{J}(\text{init})} = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ ; $t_{\text{p}} = 20\text{ ms}$ ; <a href="#">Fig. 4</a> ; <a href="#">Fig. 5</a> | -   | -   | 65  | A    |
| $I_{\text{T(RMS)}}$           | RMS on-state current                 | full sine wave; $T_{\text{mb}} \leq 102\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ ; <a href="#">Fig. 1</a> ; <a href="#">Fig. 2</a> ; <a href="#">Fig. 3</a>                | -   | -   | 8   | A    |
| <b>Static characteristics</b> |                                      |                                                                                                                                                            |     |     |     |      |
| $I_{\text{GT}}$               | gate trigger current                 | $V_{\text{D}} = 12\text{ V}$ ; $I_{\text{T}} = 0.1\text{ A}$ ; T2+ G+; $T_{\text{J}} = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ ; <a href="#">Fig. 7</a>                | -   | 5   | 35  | mA   |
|                               |                                      | $V_{\text{D}} = 12\text{ V}$ ; $I_{\text{T}} = 0.1\text{ A}$ ; T2+ G-; $T_{\text{J}} = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ ; <a href="#">Fig. 7</a>                | -   | 8   | 35  | mA   |
|                               |                                      | $V_{\text{D}} = 12\text{ V}$ ; $I_{\text{T}} = 0.1\text{ A}$ ; T2- G-; $T_{\text{J}} = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ ; <a href="#">Fig. 7</a>                | -   | 11  | 35  | mA   |
|                               |                                      | $V_{\text{D}} = 12\text{ V}$ ; $I_{\text{T}} = 0.1\text{ A}$ ; T2- G+; $T_{\text{J}} = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ ; <a href="#">Fig. 7</a>                | -   | 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

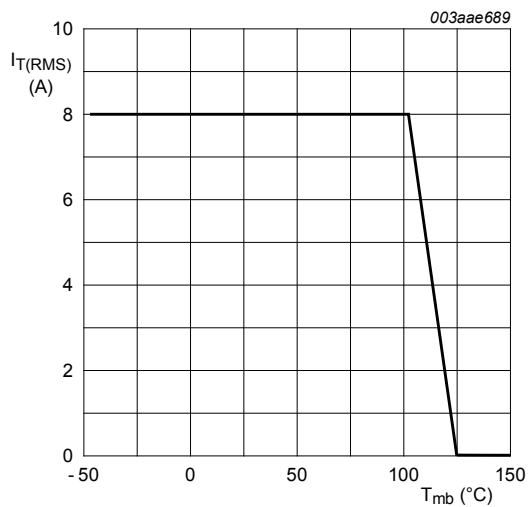
| Type number | Package  |                                                                                  |         |
|-------------|----------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|
|             | Name     | Description                      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

## 7. Limiting values

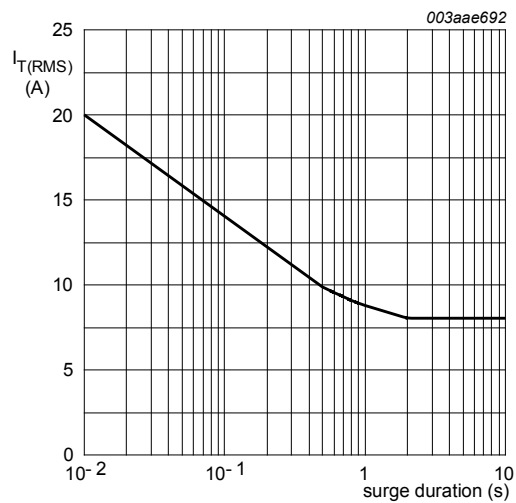
**Table 4. Limiting values**

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

| Symbol              | Parameter                            | Conditions                                                                                                                            |  | Min | Max | Unit             |
|---------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--|-----|-----|------------------|
| $V_{\text{DRM}}$    | repetitive peak off-state voltage    |                                                                                                                                       |  | -   | 800 | V                |
| $I_{\text{T(RMS)}}$ | RMS on-state current                 | full sine wave; $T_{\text{mb}} \leq 102\text{ °C}$ ; <a href="#">Fig. 1</a> ; <a href="#">Fig. 2</a> ; <a href="#">Fig. 3</a>         |  | -   | 8   | A                |
| $I_{\text{TSM}}$    | non-repetitive peak on-state current | full sine wave; $T_{\text{j(init)}} = 25\text{ °C}$ ; $t_{\text{p}} = 20\text{ ms}$ ; <a href="#">Fig. 4</a> ; <a href="#">Fig. 5</a> |  | -   | 65  | A                |
|                     |                                      | full sine wave; $T_{\text{j(init)}} = 25\text{ °C}$ ; $t_{\text{p}} = 16.7\text{ ms}$                                                 |  | -   | 71  | A                |
| $I^2t$              | $I^2t$ for fusing                    | $t_{\text{p}} = 10\text{ ms}$ ; SIN                                                                                                   |  | -   | 21  | A <sup>2</sup> s |
| $di_{\text{T}}/dt$  | rate of rise of on-state current     | $I_{\text{T}} = 12\text{ A}$ ; $I_{\text{G}} = 0.2\text{ A}$ ; $dI_{\text{G}}/dt = 0.2\text{ A}/\mu\text{s}$ ; T2+ G+                 |  | -   | 50  | A/ $\mu\text{s}$ |
|                     |                                      | $I_{\text{T}} = 12\text{ A}$ ; $I_{\text{G}} = 0.2\text{ A}$ ; $dI_{\text{G}}/dt = 0.2\text{ A}/\mu\text{s}$ ; T2+ G-                 |  | -   | 50  | A/ $\mu\text{s}$ |
|                     |                                      | $I_{\text{T}} = 12\text{ A}$ ; $I_{\text{G}} = 0.2\text{ A}$ ; $dI_{\text{G}}/dt = 0.2\text{ A}/\mu\text{s}$ ; T2- G-                 |  | -   | 50  | A/ $\mu\text{s}$ |
|                     |                                      | $I_{\text{T}} = 12\text{ A}$ ; $I_{\text{G}} = 0.2\text{ A}$ ; $dI_{\text{G}}/dt = 0.2\text{ A}/\mu\text{s}$ ; T2- G+                 |  | -   | 10  | A/ $\mu\text{s}$ |
| $I_{\text{GM}}$     | peak gate current                    |                                                                                                                                       |  | -   | 2   | A                |
| $P_{\text{GM}}$     | peak gate power                      |                                                                                                                                       |  | -   | 5   | W                |
| $P_{\text{G(AV)}}$  | average gate power                   | over any 20 ms period                                                                                                                 |  | -   | 0.5 | W                |
| $T_{\text{stg}}$    | storage temperature                  |                                                                                                                                       |  | -40 | 150 | °C               |
| $T_{\text{j}}$      | junction temperature                 |                                                                                                                                       |  | -   | 125 | °C               |

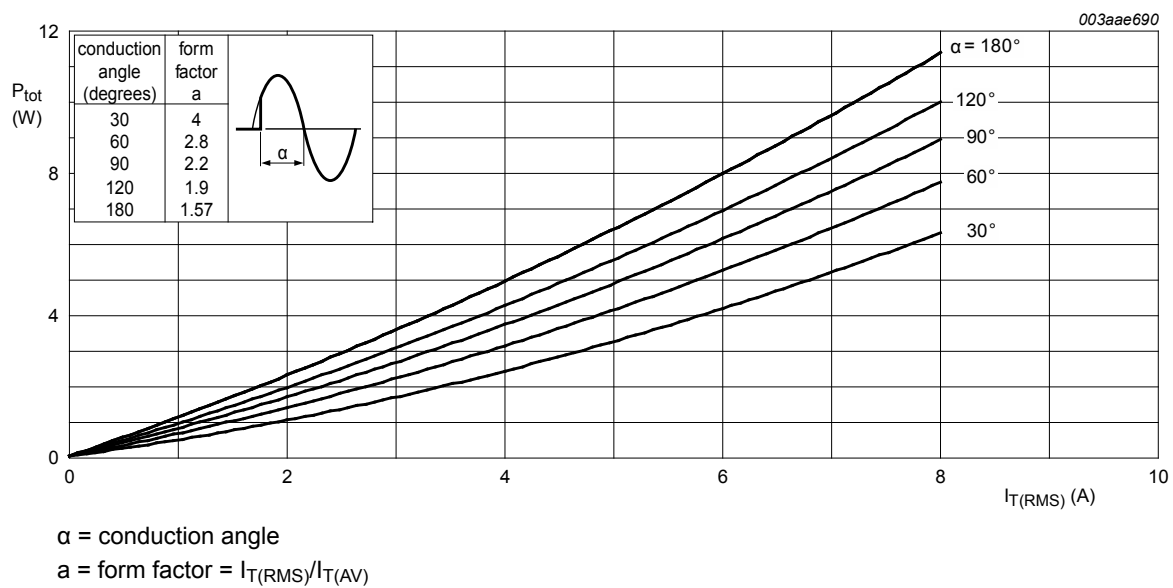


**Fig. 1.** RMS on-state current as a function of mounting base temperature; maximum values



$f = 50\text{ Hz}$   
 $T_{mb} \leq 102\text{ °C}$

**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

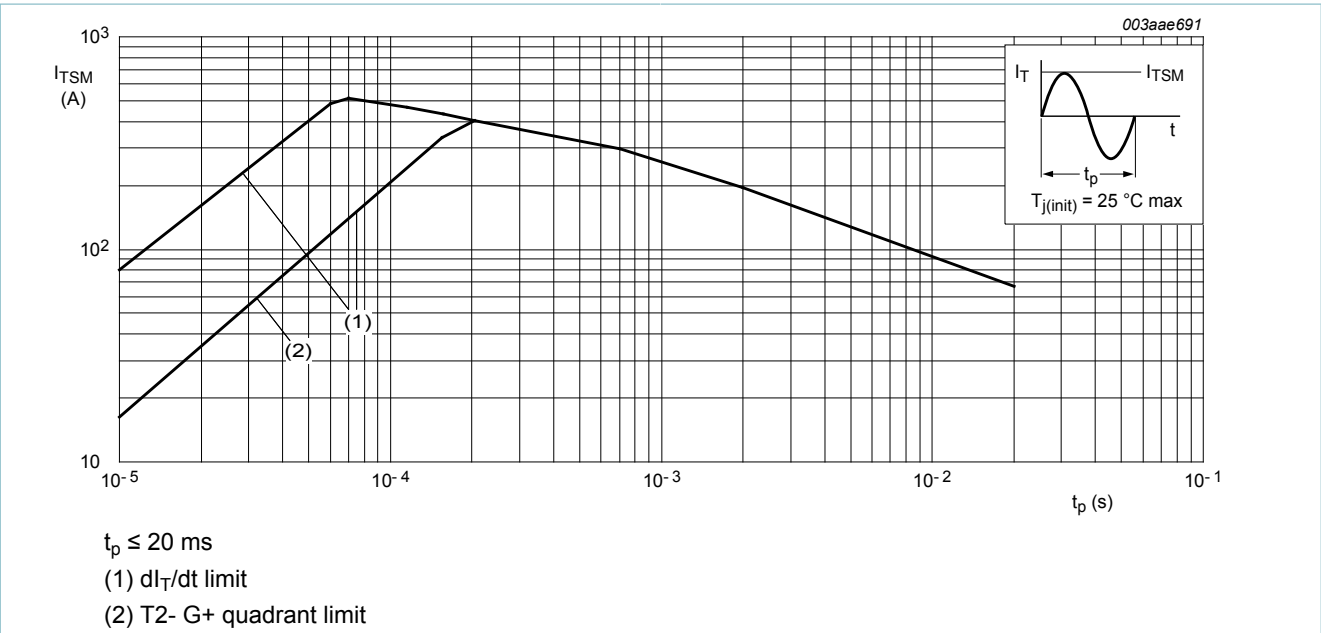


Fig. 4. Non-repetitive peak on-state current as a function of pulse width; maximum values

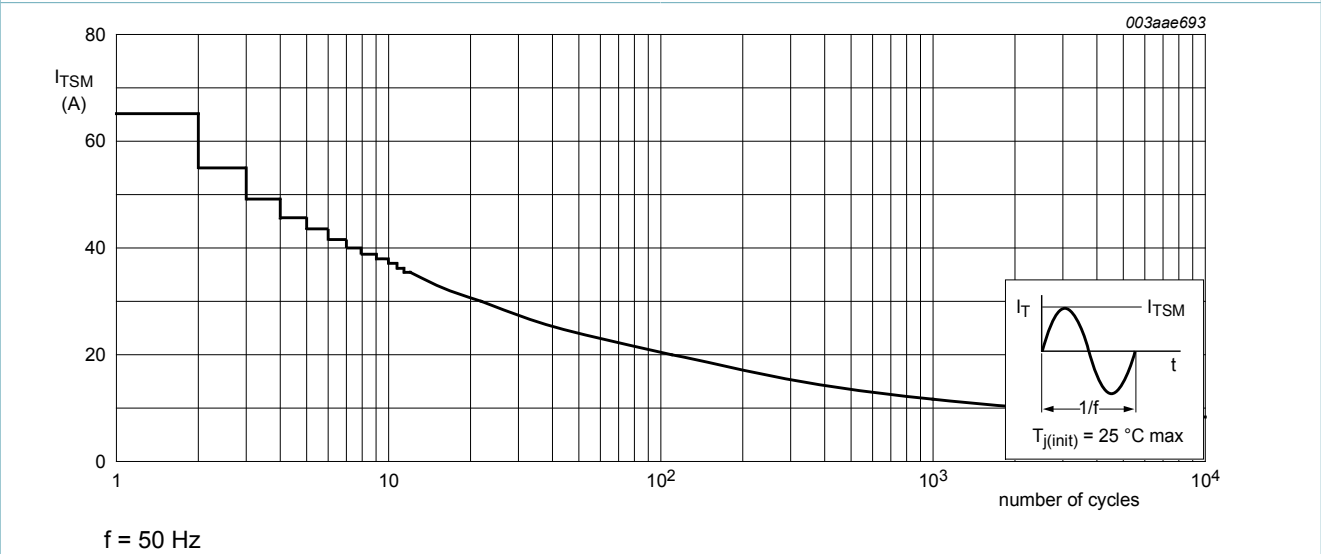


Fig. 5. Non-repetitive peak on-state current as a function of the number of sinusoidal current cycles; maximum values

8. Thermal characteristics

Table 5. Thermal characteristics

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

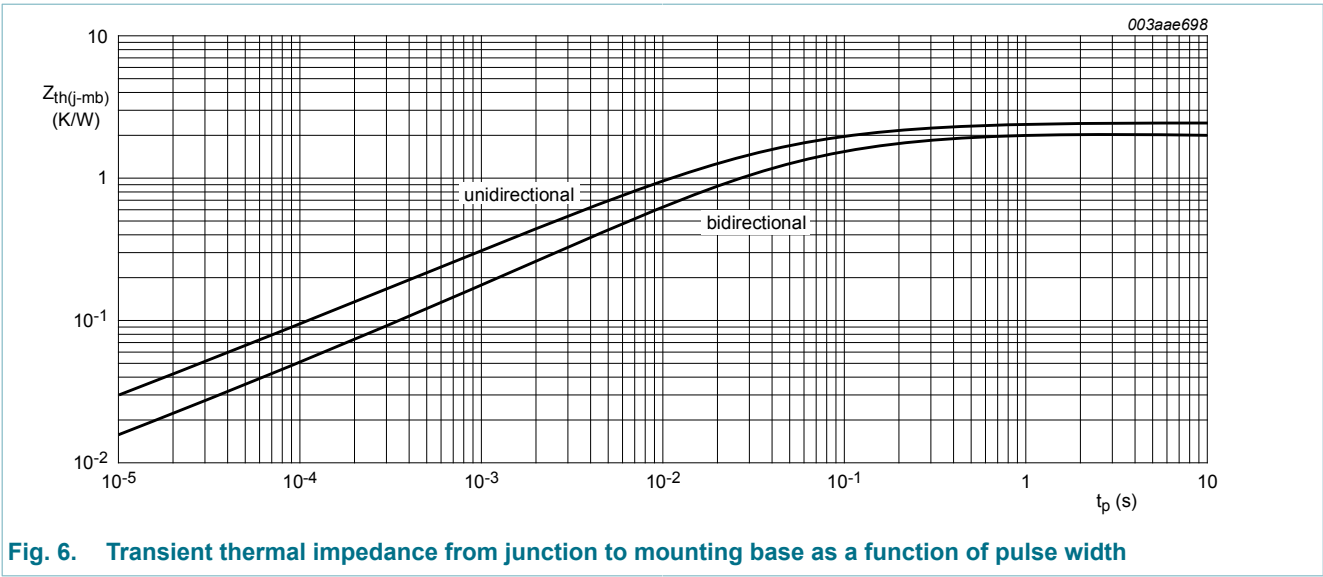
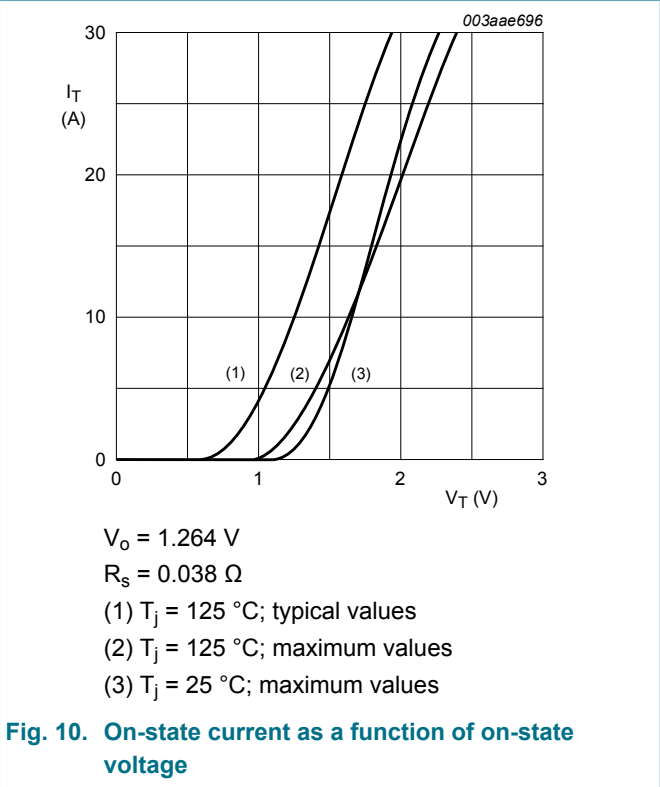
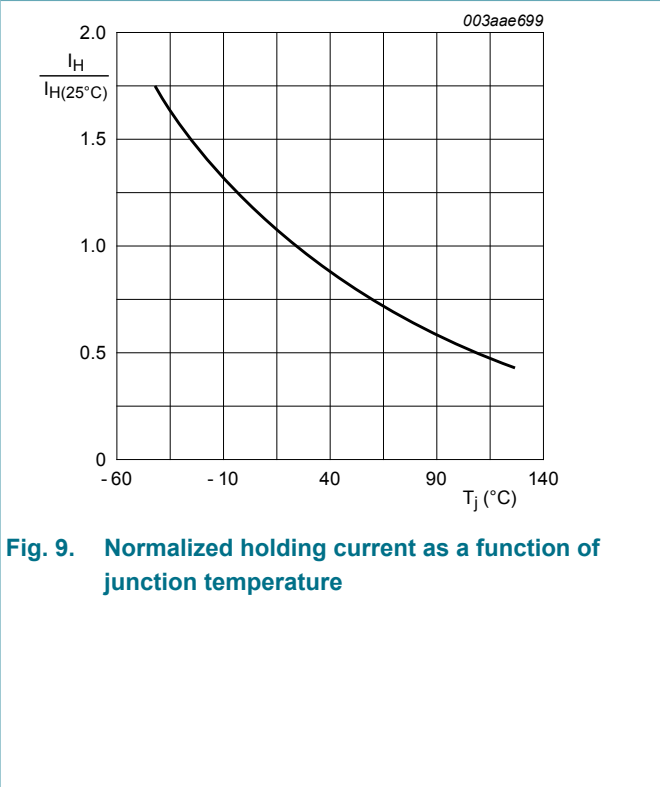
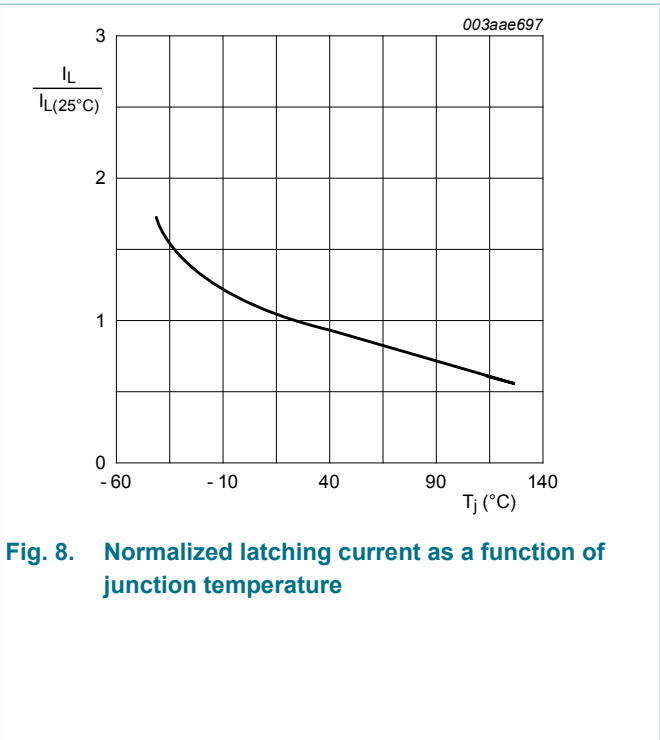
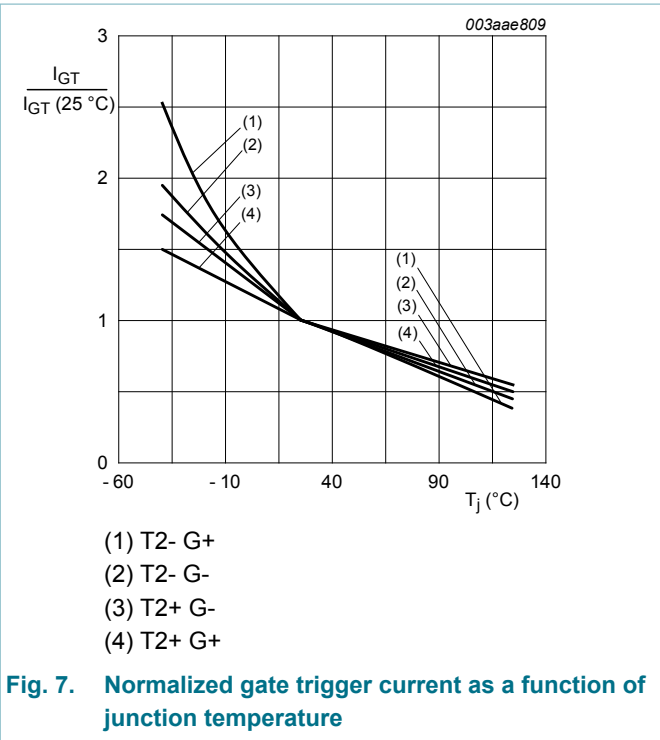


Fig. 6. Transient thermal impedance from junction to mounting base as a function of pulse width

## 9. Characteristics

Table 6. Characteristics

| Symbol                         | Parameter                             | Conditions                                                                                                                              | Min  | Typ | Max  | Unit             |
|--------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|-----|------|------------------|
| <b>Static characteristics</b>  |                                       |                                                                                                                                         |      |     |      |                  |
| $I_{GT}$                       | gate trigger current                  | $V_D = 12\text{ V}$ ; $I_T = 0.1\text{ A}$ ; T2+ G+;<br>$T_j = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ; <a href="#">Fig. 7</a>                       | -    | 5   | 35   | mA               |
|                                |                                       | $V_D = 12\text{ V}$ ; $I_T = 0.1\text{ A}$ ; T2+ G-;<br>$T_j = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ; <a href="#">Fig. 7</a>                       | -    | 8   | 35   | mA               |
|                                |                                       | $V_D = 12\text{ V}$ ; $I_T = 0.1\text{ A}$ ; T2- G-;<br>$T_j = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ; <a href="#">Fig. 7</a>                       | -    | 11  | 35   | mA               |
|                                |                                       | $V_D = 12\text{ V}$ ; $I_T = 0.1\text{ A}$ ; T2- G+;<br>$T_j = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ; <a href="#">Fig. 7</a>                       | -    | 30  | 70   | mA               |
| $I_L$                          | latching current                      | $V_D = 12\text{ V}$ ; $I_G = 0.1\text{ A}$ ; T2+ G+;<br>$T_j = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ; <a href="#">Fig. 8</a>                       | -    | 7   | 30   | mA               |
|                                |                                       | $V_D = 12\text{ V}$ ; $I_G = 0.1\text{ A}$ ; T2+ G-;<br>$T_j = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ; <a href="#">Fig. 8</a>                       | -    | 16  | 45   | mA               |
|                                |                                       | $V_D = 12\text{ V}$ ; $I_G = 0.1\text{ A}$ ; T2- G-;<br>$T_j = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ; <a href="#">Fig. 8</a>                       | -    | 5   | 30   | mA               |
|                                |                                       | $V_D = 12\text{ V}$ ; $I_G = 0.1\text{ A}$ ; T2- G+;<br>$T_j = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ; <a href="#">Fig. 8</a>                       | -    | 7   | 45   | mA               |
| $I_H$                          | holding current                       | $V_D = 12\text{ V}$ ; $T_j = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ; <a href="#">Fig. 9</a>                                                         | -    | 5   | 20   | mA               |
| $V_T$                          | on-state voltage                      | $I_T = 10\text{ A}$ ; $T_j = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ; <a href="#">Fig. 10</a>                                                        | -    | 1.3 | 1.65 | V                |
| $V_{GT}$                       | gate trigger voltage                  | $V_D = 12\text{ V}$ ; $I_T = 0.1\text{ A}$ ; $T_j = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ;<br><a href="#">Fig. 11</a>                              | -    | 0.7 | 1    | V                |
|                                |                                       | $V_D = 400\text{ V}$ ; $I_T = 0.1\text{ A}$ ; $T_j = 125\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ;<br><a href="#">Fig. 11</a>                            | 0.25 | 0.4 | -    | V                |
| $I_D$                          | off-state current                     | $V_D = 800\text{ V}$ ; $T_j = 125\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$                                                                                | -    | 0.1 | 0.5  | mA               |
| <b>Dynamic characteristics</b> |                                       |                                                                                                                                         |      |     |      |                  |
| $dV_D/dt$                      | 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/ $\mu\text{s}$ |
| $dV_{com}/dt$                  | 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/ $\mu\text{s}$ |
| $t_{gt}$                       | gate-controlled turn-on time          | $I_{TM} = 12\text{ A}$ ; $V_D = 800\text{ V}$ ; $I_G = 0.1\text{ mA}$ ;<br>$dI_G/dt = 5\text{ A}/\mu\text{s}$                           | -    | 2   | -    | $\mu\text{s}$    |





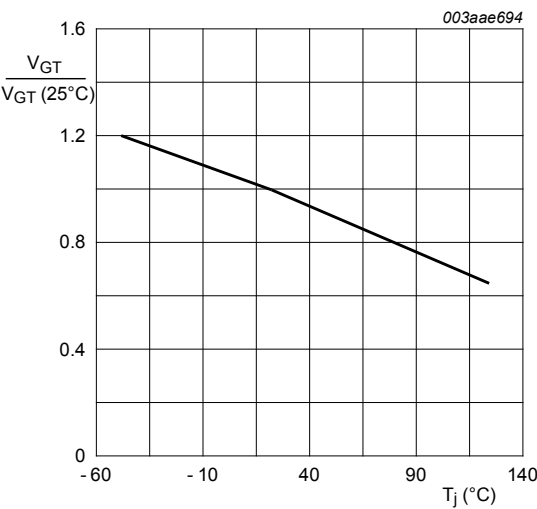


Fig. 11. Normalized gate trigger voltage as a function of junction temperature

10. Package outline

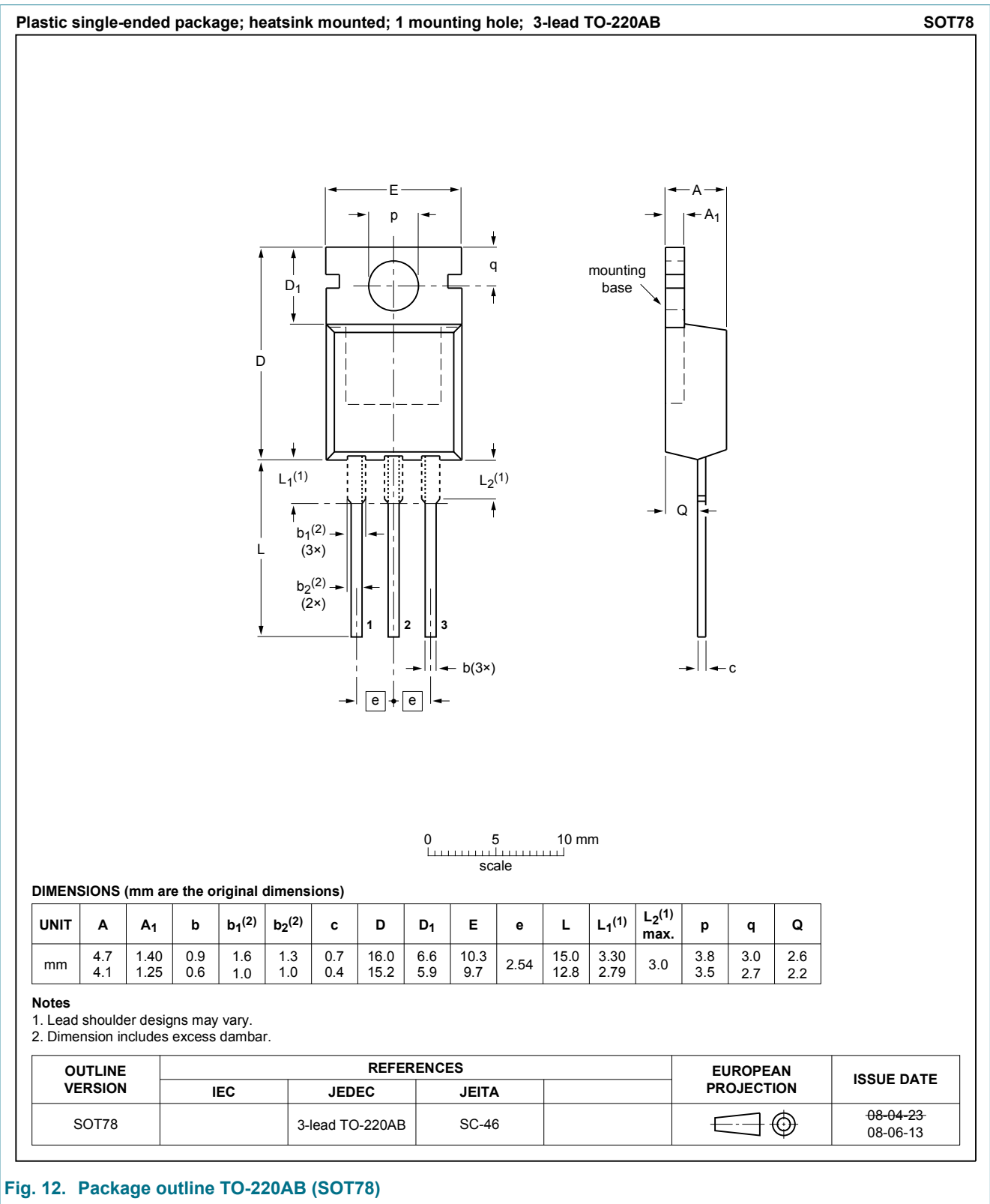


Fig. 12. Package outline TO-220AB (SOT78)

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