## Triacs

## Silicon Bidirectional Thyristors

Designed primarily for full-wave ac control applications, such as motor controls, heating controls or dimmers; or wherever full-wave, silicon gate-controlled devices are needed.

## Features

- Uniform Gate Trigger Currents in Three Quadrants, Q1, Q2, and Q3
- High Commutating di/dt and High Immunity to dv/dt @ $125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
- Minimizes Snubber Networks for Protection
- Blocking Voltage to 800 Volts
- On-State Current Rating of 12 Amperes RMS at $80^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
- High Surge Current Capability - 100 Amperes
- Industry Standard TO-220AB Package for Ease of Design
- Glass Passivated Junctions for Reliability and Uniformity
- These Devices are $\mathrm{Pb}-$ Free and are RoHS Compliant

MAXIMUM RATINGS $\left(\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{J}}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right.$ unless otherwise noted)

| Rating | Symbol | Value | Unit |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Peak Repetitive Off-State Voltage (Note 1) ( $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{J}}=-40$ to $125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, Sine Wave, 50 to 60 Hz , Gate Open) <br> MAC12HCDG <br> MAC12HCMG <br> MAC12HCNG | $V_{\text {DRM, }}$ <br> VRRM | $\begin{aligned} & 400 \\ & 600 \\ & 800 \end{aligned}$ | V |
| On-State RMS Current <br> (All Conduction Angles; $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{C}}=80^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) | $\mathrm{I}_{\text {(RMS }}$ | 12 | A |
| Peak Non-Repetitive Surge Current (One Full Cycle, $60 \mathrm{~Hz}, \mathrm{~T}_{\mathrm{J}}=125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) | $I_{\text {TSM }}$ | 100 | A |
| Circuit Fusing Consideration ( $\mathrm{t}=8.33 \mathrm{~ms}$ ) | $1^{2} \mathrm{t}$ | 41 | $\mathrm{A}^{2} \mathrm{sec}$ |
| Peak Gate Power <br> (Pulse Width $\leq 1.0 \mu \mathrm{~s}, \mathrm{~T}_{\mathrm{C}}=80^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) | $\mathrm{P}_{\mathrm{GM}}$ | 16 | W |
| Average Gate Power $\left(\mathrm{t}=8.3 \mathrm{~ms}, \mathrm{~T}_{\mathrm{C}}=80^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$ | $\mathrm{P}_{\mathrm{G}(\mathrm{AV})}$ | 0.35 | W |
| Operating Junction Temperature Range | $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{J}}$ | -40 to +125 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Storage Temperature Range | $\mathrm{T}_{\text {stg }}$ | -40 to +150 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |

Stresses exceeding those listed in the Maximum Ratings table may damage the device. If any of these limits are exceeded, device functionality should not be assumed, damage may occur and reliability may be affected.

1. $\mathrm{V}_{\text {DRM }}$ and $\mathrm{V}_{\text {RRM }}$ 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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* The Assembly Location code (A) is optional. In cases where the Assembly Location is stamped on the package the assembly code may be blank.

| PIN ASSIGNMENT |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Main Terminal 1 |
| 2 | Main Terminal 2 |
| 3 | Gate |
| 4 | Main Terminal 2 |

ORDERING INFORMATION

| Device | Package | Shipping |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| MAC12HCDG | TO-220 <br> (Pb-Free) | 50 Units / Rail |
| MAC12HCMG | TO-220 <br> (Pb-Free) | 50 Units / Rail |
| MAC12HCNG | TO-220 <br> (Pb-Free) | 50 Units / Rail |

## MAC12HCDG, MAC12HCMG, MAC12HCNG

THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS

| Characteristic | Symbol | Value | Unit |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Thermal Resistance, | Junction-to-Case | $R_{\theta J C}$ | 2.2 |
|  | $R_{\theta J A}$ | 62.5 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{W}$ |
|  | Junction-to-Ambient | $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{L}}$ | 260 |
| Maximum Lead Temperature for Soldering Purposes $1 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ from Case for 10 Seconds | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |  |

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS $\left(T_{J}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right.$ unless otherwise noted; Electricals apply in both directions)

| Characteristic |  | Symbol | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| OFF CHARACTERISTICS |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Peak Repetitive Blocking Current ( $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{D}}=$ Rated $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{DRM}}, \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{RRM}}$, Gate Open $)$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{T}_{J}=25^{\circ} \mathrm{C} \\ & \mathrm{~T}_{J}=125^{\circ} \mathrm{C} \end{aligned}$ | $\mathrm{I}_{\text {DRM }}$, IRRM | - | - | $\begin{gathered} 0.01 \\ 2.0 \end{gathered}$ | mA |

## ON CHARACTERISTICS

| Peak On-State Voltage (Note 2) $\left(\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{TM}}= \pm 17 \mathrm{~A}\right)$ | $\mathrm{V}_{\text {TM }}$ | - | - | 1.85 | V |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ```Gate Trigger Current (Continuous dc) \(\left(\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{D}}=12 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}=100 \Omega\right)\) MT2(+), G(+) MT2(+), G(-) MT2(-), G(-)``` | $I_{\text {GT }}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10 \\ & 10 \\ & 10 \end{aligned}$ | - | $\begin{aligned} & 50 \\ & 50 \\ & 50 \end{aligned}$ | mA |
| Holding Current $\left(V_{D}=12 \mathrm{~V}, \text { Gate Open, Initiating Current }= \pm 150 \mathrm{~mA}\right)$ | $\mathrm{IH}^{\text {H}}$ | - | - | 60 | mA |
| ```Latch Current ( \(\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{D}}=12 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{G}}=50 \mathrm{~mA}\) ) MT2(+), G(+) MT2(+), G(-) MT2(-), G(-)``` | $\mathrm{I}_{\text {L }}$ |  | - | $\begin{aligned} & 60 \\ & 80 \\ & 60 \end{aligned}$ | mA |
| ```Gate Trigger Voltage (Continuous dc) \(\left(\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{D}}=12 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}=100 \Omega\right)\) MT2(+), G(+) MT2(+), G(-) MT2(-), G(-)``` | $V_{G T}$ | 0.5 0.5 0.5 | - | $\begin{aligned} & 1.5 \\ & 1.5 \\ & 1.5 \end{aligned}$ | V |

## DYNAMIC CHARACTERISTICS

| Rate of Change of Commutating Current $\left(\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{D}}=400 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{TM}}=4.4 \mathrm{~A}\right.$, Commutating $\mathrm{dv} / \mathrm{dt}=18 \mathrm{~V} / \mathrm{us}$, Gate Open, $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{J}}=125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}, \mathrm{f}=250 \mathrm{~Hz}, \mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{L}}=10 \mu \mathrm{~F}, \mathrm{~L}_{\mathrm{L}}=40 \mathrm{mH}$, with Snubber) | $(\mathrm{di} / \mathrm{dt})_{\mathrm{C}}$ | 15 | - | - | A/ms |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Critical Rate of Rise of Off-State Voltage ( $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{D}}=$ Rated $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{DRM}}$, Exponential Waveform, Gate Open, $\mathrm{T}_{J}=125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) | $\mathrm{dv} / \mathrm{dt}$ | 600 | - | - | $\mathrm{V} / \mathrm{\mu s}$ |
| Repetitive Critical Rate of Rise of On-State Current $\mathrm{IPK}=50 \mathrm{~A} ; \mathrm{PW}=40 \mu \mathrm{sec} ; \mathrm{diG} / \mathrm{dt}=200 \mathrm{~mA} / \mu \mathrm{sec} ; \mathrm{f}=60 \mathrm{~Hz}$ | di/dt | - | - | 10 | A/us |

Product parametric performance is indicated in the Electrical Characteristics for the listed test conditions, unless otherwise noted. Product performance may not be indicated by the Electrical Characteristics if operated under different conditions.
2. Pulse Test: Pulse Width $\leq 2.0 \mathrm{~ms}$, Duty Cycle $\leq 2 \%$.

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## Voltage Current Characteristic of Triacs

(Bidirectional Device)


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.

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Figure 1. Typical Gate Trigger Current versus Junction Temperature


Figure 3. Typical Holding Current versus Junction Temperature


Figure 5. Typical RMS Current Derating


Figure 2. Typical Gate Trigger Voltage versus Junction Temperature


Figure 4. Typical Latching Current versus Junction Temperature


Figure 6. On-State Power Dissipation

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Figure 7. Typical On-State Characteristics


Figure 8. Typical Thermal Response

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## PACKAGE DIMENSIONS

TO-220
CASE 221A-09
ISSUE AH


NOTES:

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

|  | INCHES |  | MILLIMETERS |  |
| :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| DIM | MIN | MAX | MIN | MAX |
| A | 0.570 | 0.620 | 14.48 | 15.75 |
| B | 0.380 | 0.415 | 9.66 | 10.53 |
| C | 0.160 | 0.190 | 4.07 | 4.83 |
| D | 0.025 | 0.038 | 0.64 | 0.96 |
| F | 0.142 | 0.161 | 3.61 | 4.09 |
| G | 0.095 | 0.105 | 2.42 | 2.66 |
| H | 0.110 | 0.161 | 2.80 | 4.10 |
| J | 0.014 | 0.024 | 0.36 | 0.61 |
| 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 |
| V | 0.045 | --- | 1.15 | --- |
| Z | --- | 0.080 | --- | 2.04 |

STYLE 4:
PIN 1. MAIN TERMINAL 1
2. MAIN TERMINAL 2

GATE
4. MAIN TERMINAL 2

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