

# Thyristors

# BT145 series

## GENERAL DESCRIPTION

Glass passivated thyristors in a plastic envelope, intended for use in applications requiring high bidirectional blocking voltage capability and high thermal cycling performance. Typical applications include motor control, industrial and domestic lighting, heating and static switching.

## QUICK REFERENCE DATA

| SYMBOL             | PARAMETER                            | MAX.               | MAX.               | MAX.               | UNIT |
|--------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|------|
| $V_{DRM}, V_{RRM}$ | Repetitive peak off-state voltages   | <b>500R</b><br>500 | <b>600R</b><br>600 | <b>800R</b><br>800 | V    |
| $I_{T(AV)}$        | Average on-state current             | 16                 | 16                 | 16                 | A    |
| $I_{T(RMS)}$       | RMS on-state current                 | 25                 | 25                 | 25                 | A    |
| $I_{TSM}$          | Non-repetitive peak on-state current | 300                | 300                | 300                | A    |

## PINNING - TO220AB

| PIN | DESCRIPTION |
|-----|-------------|
| 1   | cathode     |
| 2   | anode       |
| 3   | gate        |
| tab | anode       |

## PIN CONFIGURATION



## SYMBOL



## LIMITING VALUES

Limiting values in accordance with the Absolute Maximum System (IEC 134).

| SYMBOL             | PARAMETER                            | CONDITIONS  | MIN. | MAX.                             |                                  |                     | UNIT             |
|--------------------|--------------------------------------|---|------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|------------------|
| $V_{DRM}, V_{RRM}$ | Repetitive peak off-state voltages   |   | -    | <b>-500R</b><br>500 <sup>1</sup> | <b>-600R</b><br>600 <sup>1</sup> | <b>-800R</b><br>800 | V                |
| $I_{T(AV)}$        | Average on-state current             | half sine wave; $T_{mb} \leq 101\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$                             | -    | 16                               |                                  |                     | A                |
| $I_{T(RMS)}$       | RMS on-state current                 | all conduction angles   | -    | 25                               |                                  |                     | A                |
| $I_{TSM}$          | Non-repetitive peak on-state current | half sine wave; $T_j = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ prior to surge                     | -    | 300                              |                                  |                     | A                |
|                    |                                      | $t = 10\text{ ms}$  | -    | 330                              |                                  |                     | A                |
|                    |                                      | $t = 8.3\text{ ms}$   | -    | 450                              |                                  |                     | A <sup>2</sup> s |
|                    |                                      | $t = 10\text{ ms}$  | -    | 200                              |                                  |                     | A/ $\mu\text{s}$ |
| $I_{GM}$           | Peak gate current                    | $I_{TM} = 50\text{ A}; I_G = 0.2\text{ A};$<br>$di_G/dt = 0.2\text{ A}/\mu\text{s}$ | -    | 5                                |                                  |                     | A                |
| $V_{GM}$           | Peak gate voltage                    |   | -    | 5                                |                                  |                     | V                |
| $V_{RGM}$          | Peak reverse gate voltage            |   | -    | 5                                |                                  |                     | V                |
| $P_{GM}$           | Peak gate power                      |   | -    | 20                               |                                  |                     | W                |
| $P_{G(AV)}$        | Average gate power                   | over any 20 ms period   | -    | 0.5                              |                                  |                     | W                |
| $T_{stg}$          | Storage temperature                  |   | -40  | 150                              |                                  |                     | $^\circ\text{C}$ |
| $T_j$              | Operating junction temperature       |   | -    | 125                              |                                  |                     | $^\circ\text{C}$ |

<sup>1</sup> Although not recommended, off-state voltages up to 800V may be applied without damage, but the thyristor may switch to the on-state. The rate of rise of current should not exceed 15 A/ $\mu\text{s}$ .

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## THERMAL RESISTANCES

| SYMBOL         | PARAMETER                                    | CONDITIONS  | MIN. | TYP. | MAX. | UNIT |
|----------------|--|-------------|------|------|------|------|
| $R_{th\ j-mb}$ | Thermal resistance junction to mounting base | in free air | -    | -    | 1.0  | K/W  |
| $R_{th\ j-a}$  | Thermal resistance junction to ambient       |             | -    | 60   | -    | K/W  |

## STATIC CHARACTERISTICS

$T_j = 25\text{ °C}$  unless otherwise stated

| SYMBOL     | PARAMETER                 | CONDITIONS  | MIN. | TYP. | MAX. | UNIT |
|------------|---------------------------|---|------|------|------|------|
| $I_{GT}$   | Gate trigger current      | $V_D = 12\text{ V}; I_T = 0.1\text{ A}$                       | -    | 5    | 35   | mA   |
| $I_L$      | Latching current          | $V_D = 12\text{ V}; I_{GT} = 0.1\text{ A}$                    | -    | 25   | 80   | mA   |
| $I_H$      | Holding current           | $V_D = 12\text{ V}; I_{GT} = 0.1\text{ A}$                    | -    | 20   | 60   | mA   |
| $V_T$      | On-state voltage          | $I_T = 30\text{ A}$   | -    | 1.1  | 1.5  | V    |
| $V_{GT}$   | Gate trigger voltage      | $V_D = 12\text{ V}; I_T = 0.1\text{ A}$                       | -    | 0.6  | 1.0  | V    |
| $I_D, I_R$ | Off-state leakage current | $V_D = V_{DRM(max)}; I_T = 0.1\text{ A}; T_j = 125\text{ °C}$ | 0.25 | 0.4  | -    | V    |
|            |                           | $V_D = V_{DRM(max)}; V_R = V_{RRM(max)}; T_j = 125\text{ °C}$ | -    | 0.2  | 1.0  | mA   |

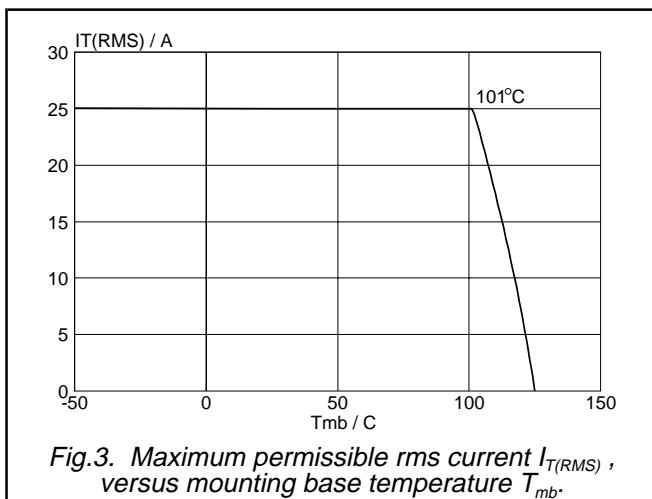
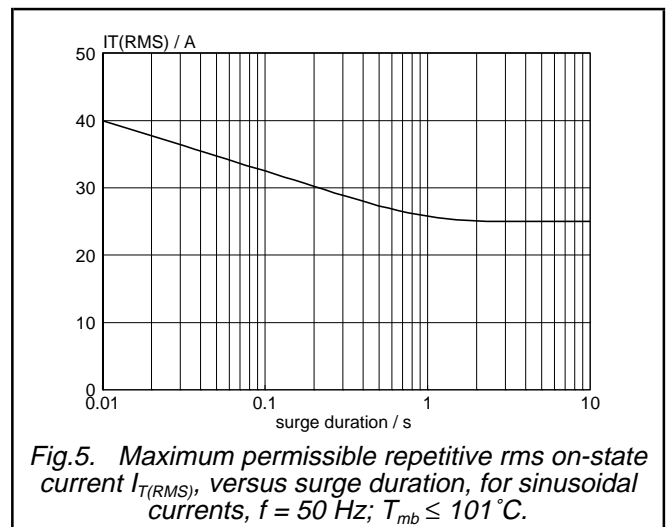
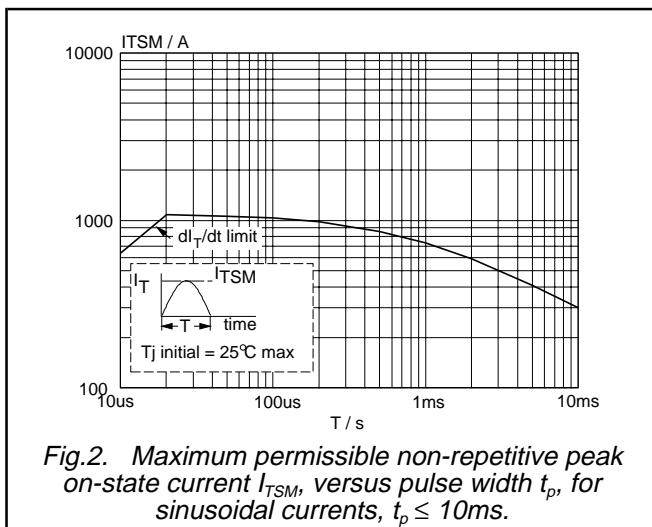
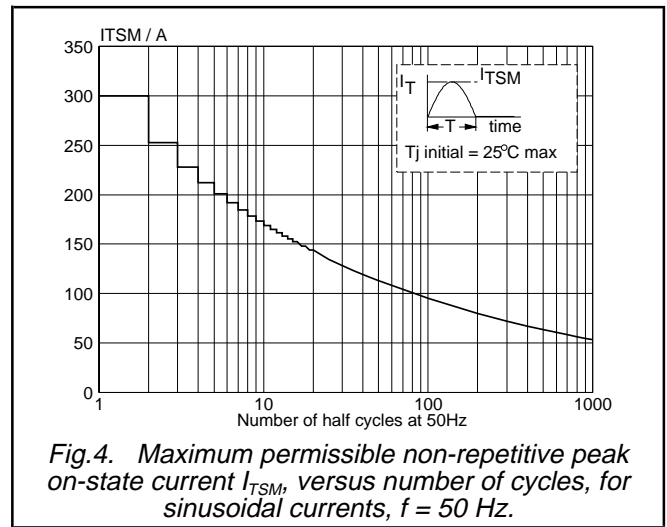
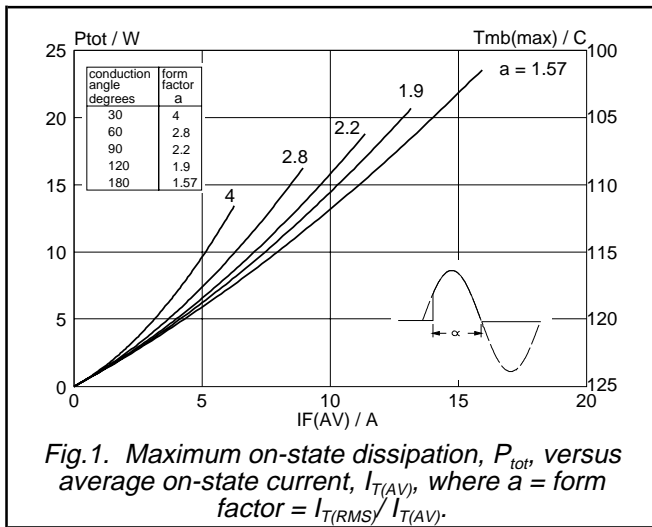
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| SYMBOL    | PARAMETER                                  | CONDITIONS   | MIN. | TYP. | MAX. | UNIT       |
|-----------|--|--|------|------|------|------------|
| $dV_D/dt$ | Critical rate of rise of off-state voltage | $V_{DM} = 67\% V_{DRM(max)}; T_j = 125\text{ °C};$<br>exponential waveform; gate open circuit  | 200  | 500  | -    | V/ $\mu$ s |
| $t_{gt}$  | Gate controlled turn-on time               | $I_{TM} = 40\text{ A}; V_D = V_{DRM(max)}; I_G = 0.1\text{ A};$<br>$dI_G/dt = 5\text{ A}/\mu\text{s}$  | -    | 2    | -    | $\mu$ s    |
| $t_q$     | Circuit commutated turn-off time           | $V_D = 67\% V_{DRM(max)}; T_j = 125\text{ °C};$<br>$I_{TM} = 50\text{ A}; V_R = 25\text{ V}; dI_{TM}/dt = 30\text{ A}/\mu\text{s};$<br>$dV_D/dt = 50\text{ V}/\mu\text{s}$ | -    | 70   | -    | $\mu$ s    |

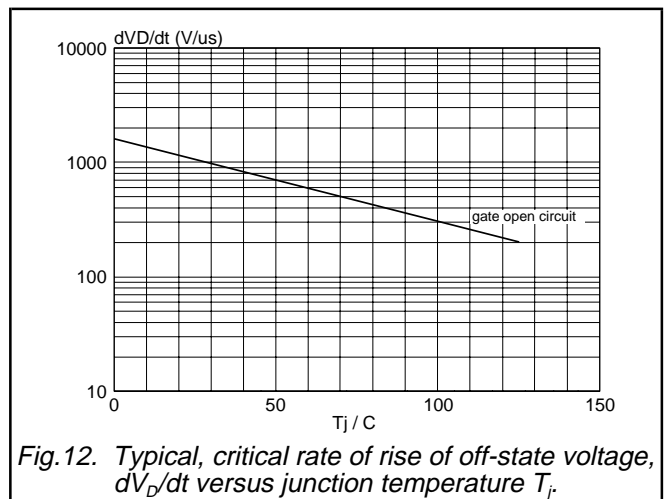
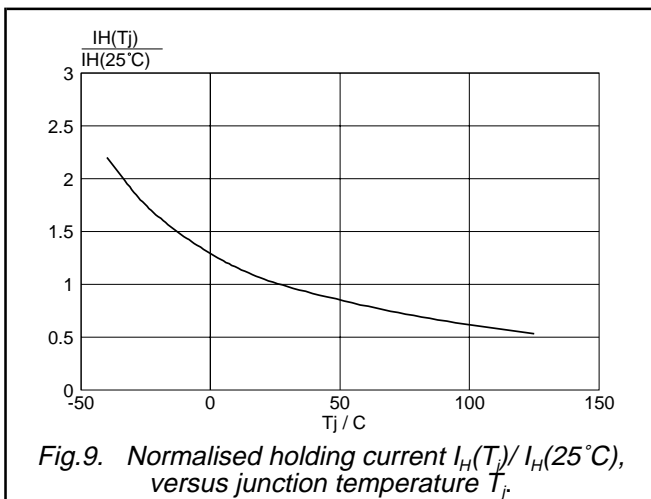
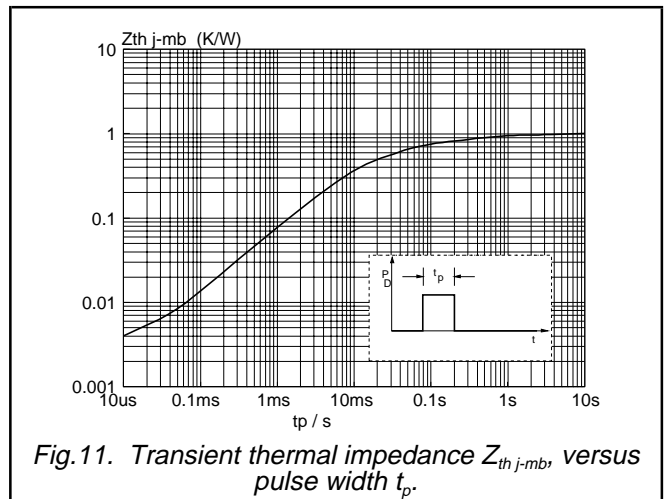
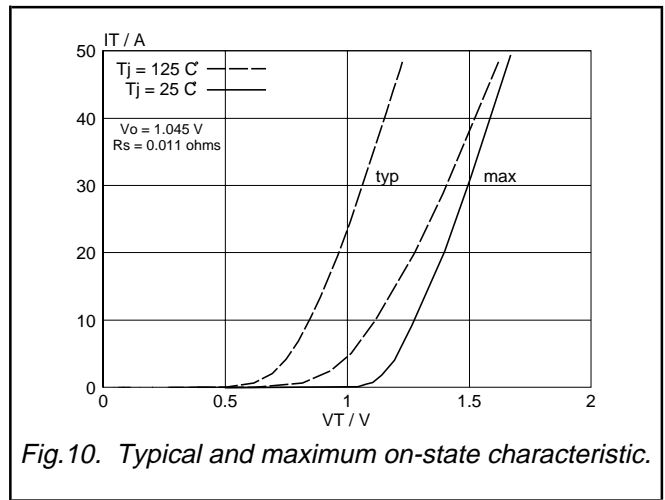
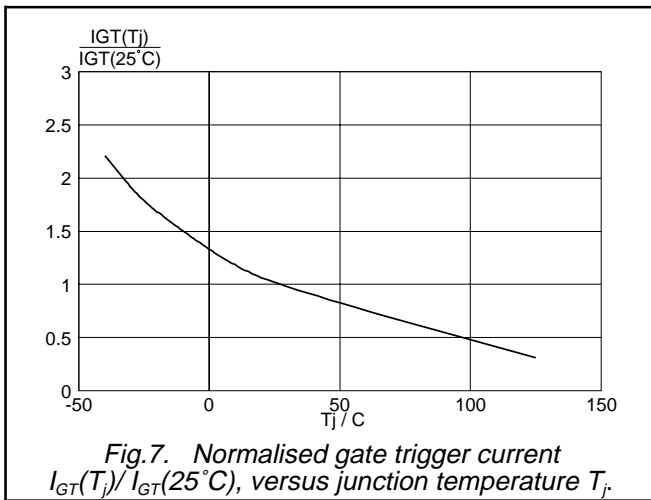
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**MECHANICAL DATA**

*Dimensions in mm*

*Net Mass: 2 g*



Fig.13. TO220AB; pin 2 connected to mounting base.

**Notes**

1. Refer to mounting instructions for TO220 envelopes.
2. Epoxy meets UL94 V0 at 1/8".

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**DEFINITIONS**

|  |   |
|--|---|
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