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15A, 400V - 600V Hyperfast Diodes

The RHRP1540 and RHRP1560 are hyperfast diodes with soft recovery characteristics (t_{rr} < 35ns). They have half the recovery time of ultrafast diodes and are silicon nitride passivated ion-implanted epitaxial planar construction.

These devices are intended for use as freewheeling/ clamping diodes and rectifiers in a variety of switching power supplies and other power switching applications. Their low stored charge and hyperfast soft recovery minimize ringing and electrical noise in many power switching circuits reducing power loss in the switching transistors.

Formerly developmental type TA49061.

Ordering Information

| PART NUMBER | PACKAGE | BRAND |
|-------------|----------|----------|
| RHRP1540 | TO-220AC | RHRP1540 |
| RHRP1560 | TO-220AC | RHRP1560 |

NOTE: When ordering, use the entire part number.

Symbol



Features

| • | Hyperfast with Soft Recovery <35ns |
|---|------------------------------------|
| • | Operating Temperature |
| • | Reverse Voltage Up To |
| • | Avalanche Energy Rated |

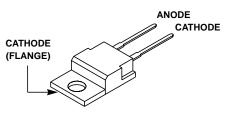
- 3,
- Planar Construction

Applications

- · Switching Power Supplies
- · Power Switching Circuits
- · General Purpose

Packaging

JEDEC TO-220AC



| Absolute Maximum Ratings T _C = 25°C, Unless Otherwise Specified | | | |
|---|------------|------------|-------|
| | RHRP1540 | RHRP1560 | UNITS |
| Peak Repetitive Reverse VoltageV _{RRM} | 400 | 600 | V |
| Working Peak Reverse Voltage | 400 | 600 | V |
| DC Blocking VoltageV _R | 400 | 600 | V |
| Average Rectified Forward Current $I_{F(AV)}$ ($T_C = 140^{\circ}C$) | 15 | 15 | Α |
| Repetitive Peak Surge CurrentI _{FRM} (Square Wave, 20kHz) | 30 | 30 | Α |
| Nonrepetitive Peak Surge Current | 200 | 200 | Α |
| Maximum Power Dissipation | 100 | 100 | W |
| Avalanche Energy (See Figures 10 and 11) | 20 | 20 | mJ |
| Operating and Storage Temperature | -65 to 175 | -65 to 175 | οС |

Electrical Specifications $T_C = 25^{\circ}C$, Unless Otherwise Specified

| | TEST CONDITION | | RHRP1540 | | RHRP1560 | | | |
|-----------------|---|-----|----------|-----|----------|-----|-----|-------|
| SYMBOL | | MIN | TYP | MAX | MIN | TYP | MAX | UNITS |
| V _F | I _F = 15A | - | - | 2.1 | - | - | 2.1 | V |
| | I _F = 15A, T _C = 150°C | - | - | 1.7 | - | - | 1.7 | V |
| I _R | V _R = 400V | - | - | 100 | - | - | - | μА |
| | V _R = 600V | - | - | - | - | - | 100 | μА |
| | V _R = 400V, T _C = 150°C | - | - | 500 | - | - | - | μА |
| | V _R = 600V, T _C = 150°C | - | - | - | - | - | 500 | μА |
| t _{rr} | $I_F = 1A$, $dI_F/dt = 100A/\mu s$ | - | - | 35 | - | - | 35 | ns |
| | $I_F = 15A$, $dI_F/dt = 100A/\mu s$ | - | - | 40 | - | - | 40 | ns |
| t _a | $I_F = 15A$, $dI_F/dt = 100A/\mu s$ | - | 20 | - | - | 20 | - | ns |
| t _b | $I_F = 15A$, $dI_F/dt = 100A/\mu s$ | - | 15 | - | - | 15 | - | ns |
| Q _{RR} | $I_F = 15A$, $dI_F/dt = 100A/\mu s$ | - | 40 | - | - | 40 | - | nC |
| СЈ | V _R = 10V, I _F = 0A | - | 60 | - | - | 60 | - | pF |
| $R_{	heta JC}$ | | - | - | 1.5 | - | - | 1.5 | °C/W |

DEFINITIONS

 V_F = Instantaneous forward voltage (pw = 300 μ s, D = 2%).

 I_R = Instantaneous reverse current .

 t_{rr} = Reverse recovery time (See Figure 9), summation of $t_a + t_b$.

 t_a = Time to reach peak reverse current (See Figure 9).

 t_b = Time from peak I_{RM} to projected zero crossing of I_{RM} based on a straight line from peak I_{RM} through 25% of I_{RM} (See Figure 9).

Q_{RR} = Reverse Recovery Change.

C_J = Junction Capacitance.

 $R_{\theta JC}$ = Thermal resistance junction to case.

pw = Pulse Width.

D = Duty Cycle.

Typical Performance Curves

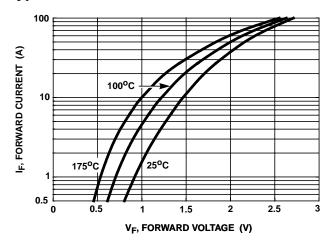


FIGURE 1. FORWARD CURRENT vs FORWARD VOLTAGE

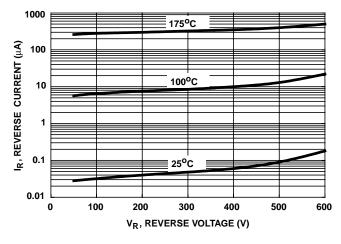


FIGURE 2. REVERSE CURRENT vs REVERSE VOLTAGE

Typical Performance Curves (Continued)

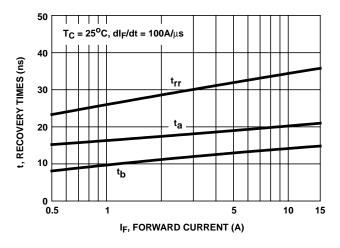


FIGURE 3. t_{rr} , t_a AND t_b CURVES vs FORWARD CURRENT

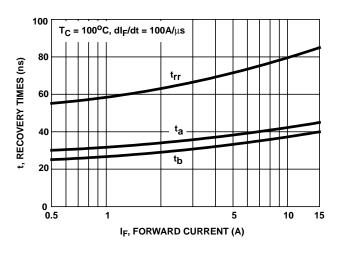


FIGURE 4. t_{rr} , t_a AND t_b CURVES vs FORWARD CURRENT

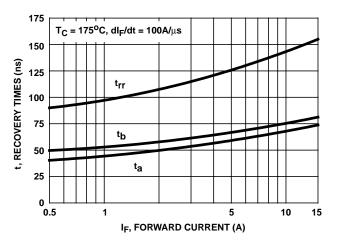


FIGURE 5. $t_{\rm rr}, t_{\rm a}$ and $t_{\rm b}$ curves vs forward current

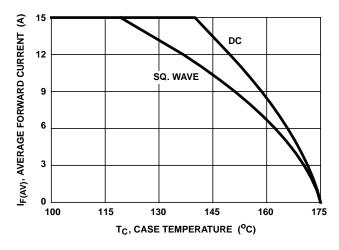


FIGURE 6. CURRENT DERATING CURVE

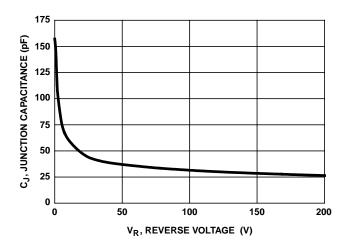


FIGURE 7. JUNCTION CAPACITANCE vs REVERSE VOLTAGE

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Test Circuits and Waveforms

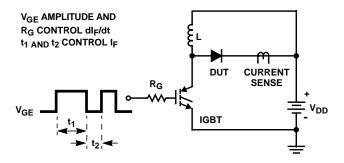


FIGURE 8. t_{rr} TEST CIRCUIT

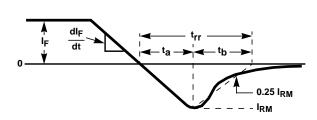


FIGURE 9. t_{rr} WAVEFORMS AND DEFINITIONS

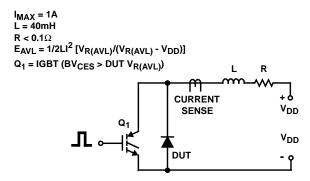


FIGURE 10. AVALANCHE ENERGY TEST CIRCUIT

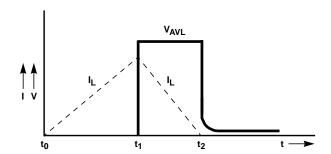


FIGURE 11. AVALANCHE CURRENT AND VOLTAGE WAVEFORMS

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