

FAST GATE TURN-OFF THYRISTORS

Thyristors in SOT-93 envelopes which are capable of being turned both on and off via the gate, and may be used with gate-assisted turn-off in anode-commutated circuits. They are suitable for use in resonant power supplies, high-frequency inverters, motor control etc. The devices have no reverse blocking capability; for reverse blocking operation use with a series diode, for reverse conducting operation use with an anti-parallel diode. The anode is connected to the mounting base.

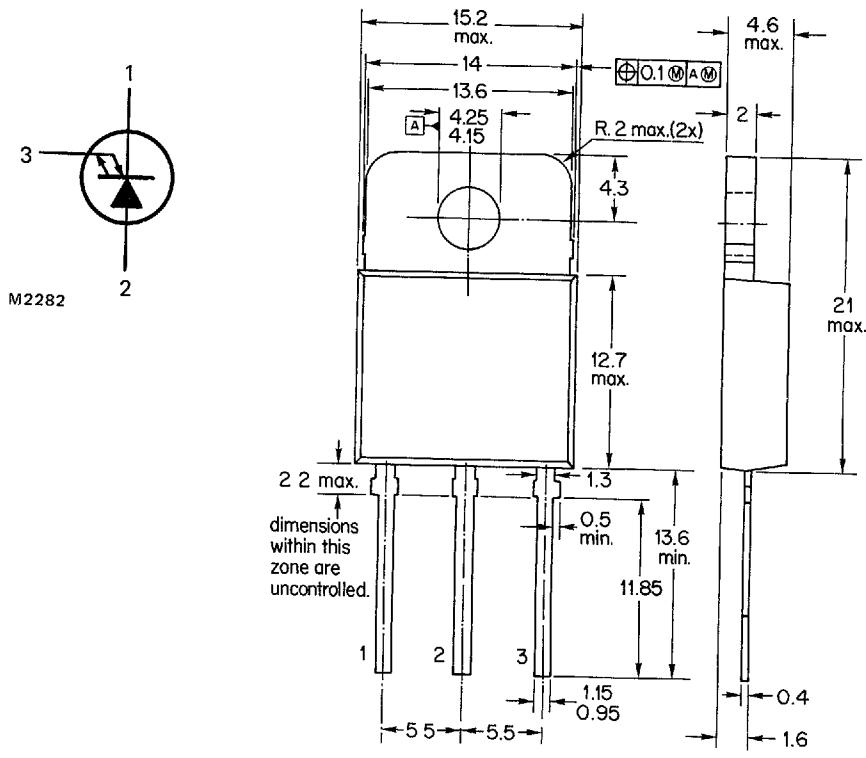
QUICK REFERENCE DATA

| | V _{DRM} | BTR59-800R | 1300R | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------|------------|-------|----|
| Repetitive peak off-state voltage | | max. 800 | 1300 | V |
| Controllable anode current | I _{TCRM} | max. 50 | | A |
| Average on-state current | I _{T(AV)} | max. 10 | | A |
| Circuit commutated turn-off time | t _q | < | 1.0 | μs |

MECHANICAL DATA

Dimensions in mm

Fig.1 SOT93; anode connected to mounting base.



Accessories supplied on request; see data sheets Mounting instructions and accessories for SOT-93 envelopes.

RATINGS

Limiting values in accordance with the Absolute Maximum System (IEC134).

| Anode to cathode | | BTR59-800R | 1300R | |
|--|----------------------|-------------|-------|------------------|
| Transient off-state voltage | V _{DSM} | max. 800 | 1300 | V* |
| Repetitive peak off-state voltage | V _{DRM} | max. 800 | 1300 | V* |
| Working off-state voltage | V _{DW} | max. 600 | 1000 | V* |
| Continuous off-state voltage | V _D | max. 400 | 750 | V* |
| Average on-state current (averaged over any 20 ms period) up to T _{mb} = 85 °C | I _{T(AV)} | max. 10 | | A |
| R.M.S. on-state current | I _{T(RMS)} | max. 16.5 | | A |
| Controllable anode current | I _{TCRM} | max. 50 | | A |
| Non-repetitive peak on-state current t = 10 ms; half-sinewave; T _j = 120 °C prior to surge | I _{TSM} | max. 100 | | A |
| I ² t for fusing; t = 10 ms | I ² t | max. 50 | | A ² s |
| Total power dissipation up to T _{mb} = 25 °C | P _{tot} | max. 105 | | W |
| Gate to cathode | | | | |
| Repetitive peak current T _j = 120 °C prior to surge gate-cathode forward; t = 10 ms; half-sinewave | I _{GFM} | max. 25 | | A |
| gate-cathode reverse; t = 20 μs | I _{GRM} | max. 25 | | A |
| Average power dissipation (averaged over any 20 ms period) | P _{G(AV)} | max. 5.0 | | W |
| Temperatures | | | | |
| Storage temperature | T _{stg} | -40 to +125 | | °C |
| Operating junction temperature | T _j | max. | 120 | °C |
| THERMAL RESISTANCE | | | | |
| From mounting base to heatsink; with heatsink compound | R _{th} mb-h | = | 0.2 | K/W |
| From junction to mounting base | R _{th} j-mb | = | 0.9 | K/W |

*Measured with gate-cathode connected together.

CHARACTERISTICS**Anode to cathode****On-state voltage** $I_T = 10 \text{ A}; I_G = 0.5 \text{ A}; T_j = 120^\circ\text{C}$ V_T < 3.0 V*

Rate of rise of off-state voltage that will not trigger any off-state device; exponential method
 $V_D = 2/3 V_{Dmax}; V_{GR} = 5 \text{ V}; T_j = 120^\circ\text{C}$

 dV_D/dt < 10 kV/ μ s

Rate of rise of off-state voltage that will not trigger any device following conduction, linear method
 $I_T = 20 \text{ A}; V_D = V_{DRMmax}; V_{GR} = 10 \text{ V}; T_j = 120^\circ\text{C}$

 dV_D/dt < 1.0 kV/ μ s**Off-state current** $V_D = V_{Dmax}; T_j = 120^\circ\text{C}$ I_D < 5.0 mALatching current; $T_j = 25^\circ\text{C}$ I_L typ. 1.5 A****Gate to cathode**

Voltage that will trigger all devices

 $V_D = 12 \text{ V}; T_j = 25^\circ\text{C}$ V_{GT} > 1.5 V

Current that will trigger all devices

 $V_D = 12 \text{ V}; T_j = 25^\circ\text{C}$ I_{GT} > 500 mA

Minimum reverse breakdown voltage

 $I_{GR} = 1.0 \text{ mA}$ $V_{(BR)GR}$ > 10 V**Switching characteristics (resistive load)**

Turn-on when switched to $I_T = 10 \text{ A}$ from $V_D = 250 \text{ V}$
 with $I_{GF} = 2.5 \text{ A}; T_j = 25^\circ\text{C}$

delay time

 t_d < 0.3 μ s

rise time

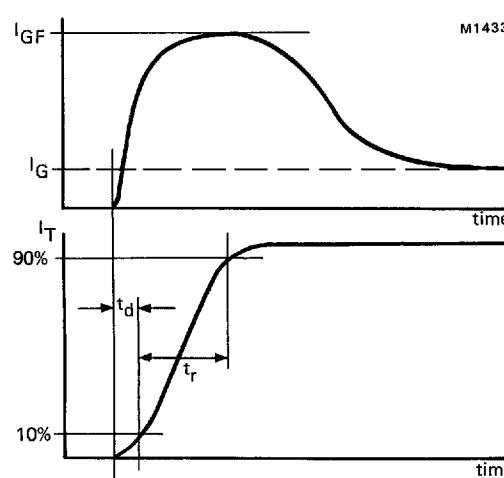
 t_r < 1.5 μ s

Fig.2 Waveforms.

*Measured under pulse conditions to avoid excessive dissipation.

**Below latching level the device behaves like a transistor with a gain dependent on current.

Switching characteristics (inductive load)Turn-off when switched from $I_T = 10 \text{ A}$ to $V_D = V_{D\max}$: $V_{GR} = 10 \text{ V}$; $L_G \leq 0.5 \mu\text{H}$; $L_S \leq 0.25 \mu\text{H}$; $C_S \geq 20 \text{ nF}$; $T_j = 85^\circ\text{C}$

storage time

 $t_s < 0.60 \mu\text{s}$

fall time

 $t_f < 0.25 \mu\text{s}$

peak reverse gate current

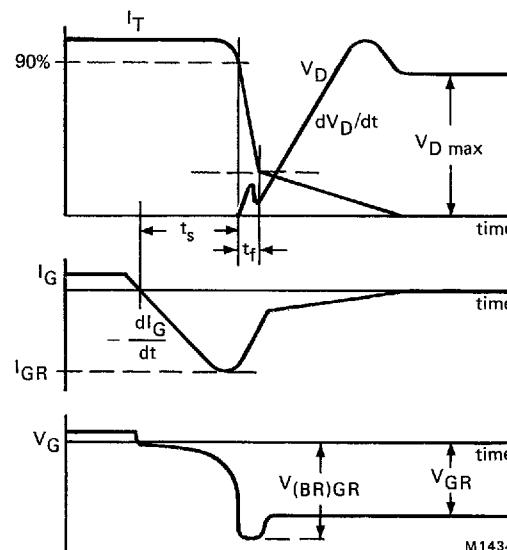
 $I_{GR} < 10 \text{ A}$ 

Fig.3 Waveforms.

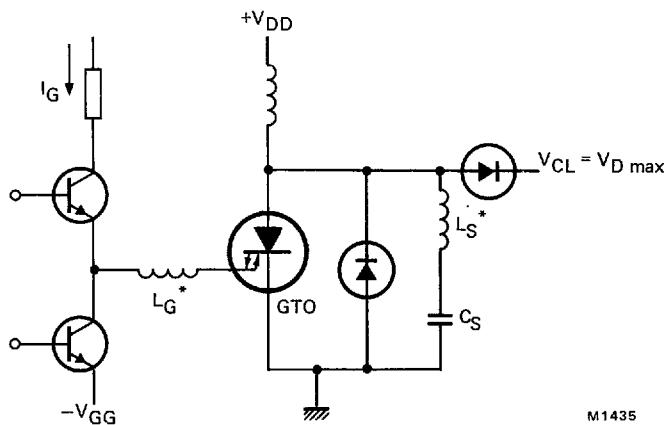


Fig.4 Inductive load test circuit.

*Indicates stray series inductance only.

Switching characteristics (circuit-commutated)*

Turn-off time

$I_T = 50 \text{ A}$; $-di_T/dt = 10 \text{ A}/\mu\text{s}$; $dV_D/dt = 200 \text{ V}/\mu\text{s}$;
 $V_{GR} = 5 \text{ V}$; $T_j = 120^\circ\text{C}$

$t_q < 1.0 \mu\text{s}$

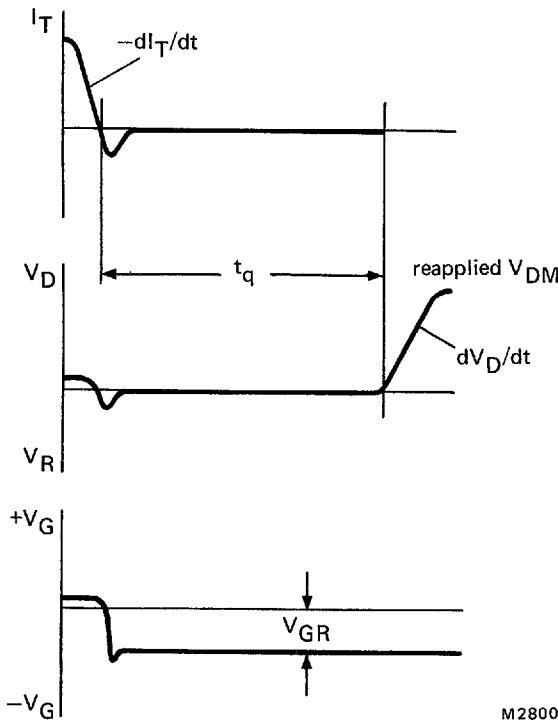


Fig.5 Circuit-commutated turn-off time definition.

*Figs. 7, 11, 12, 13, 15, 16, 17 do not apply to commutated turn-off.

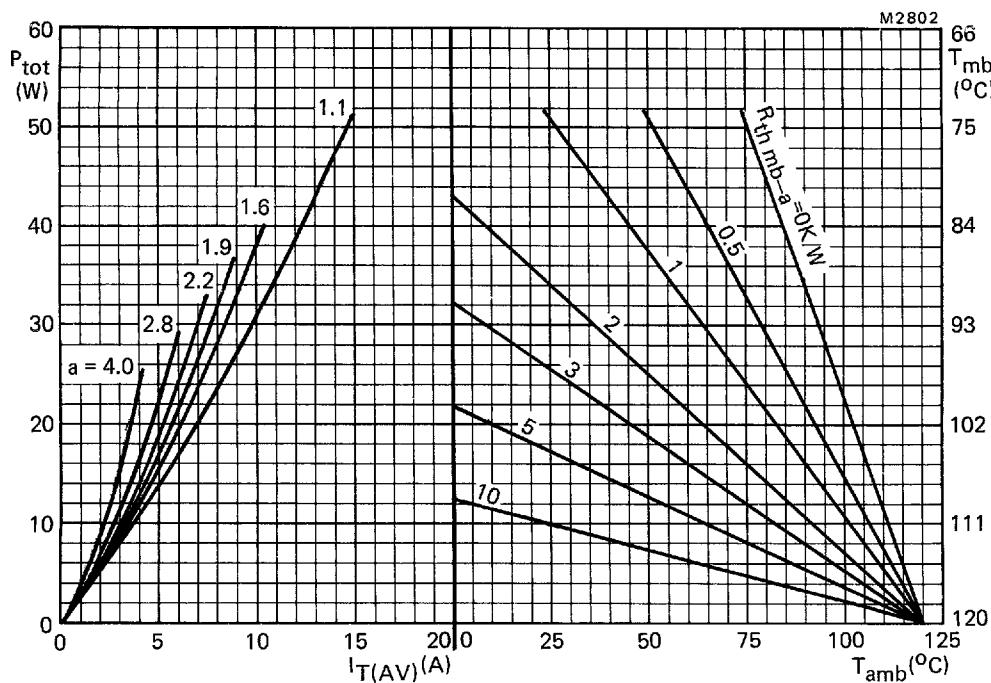


Fig.6 The right hand part shows the interrelationship between the power (derived from the left-hand part) and the maximum permissible temperatures.

$$a = \text{form factor} = \frac{I_T(\text{RMS})}{I_T(\text{AV})}$$

P = power excluding switching losses.

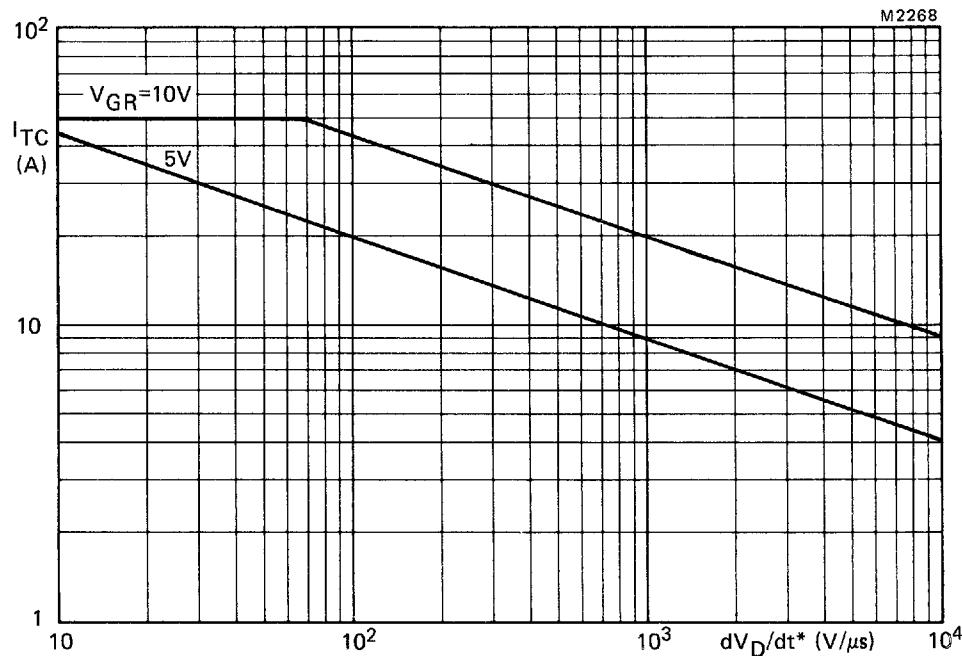


Fig.7 Anode current which can be turned off versus applied dV_D/dt^* ; inductive load;
 $L_G \leq 0.5 \mu H$; $L_S \leq 0.25 \mu H$; $T_j = 120^\circ C$.

* dV_D/dt is calculated from I_T/C_S .

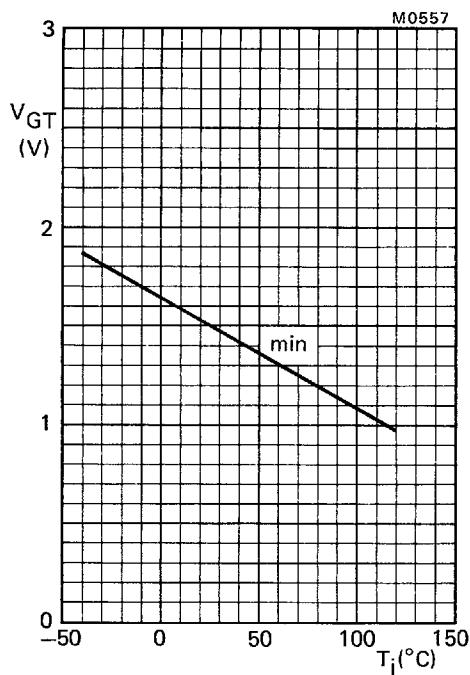


Fig.8 Minimum gate voltage that will trigger all devices as a function of junction temperature; $V_D = 12$ V.

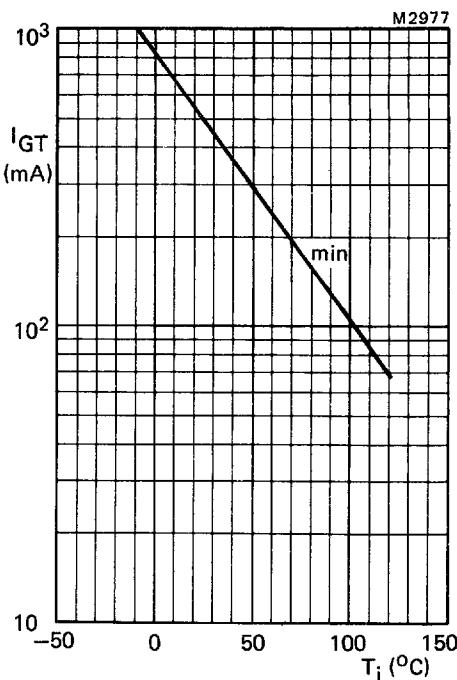


Fig.9 Minimum gate current that will trigger all devices as a function of junction temperature; $V_D = 12$ V.

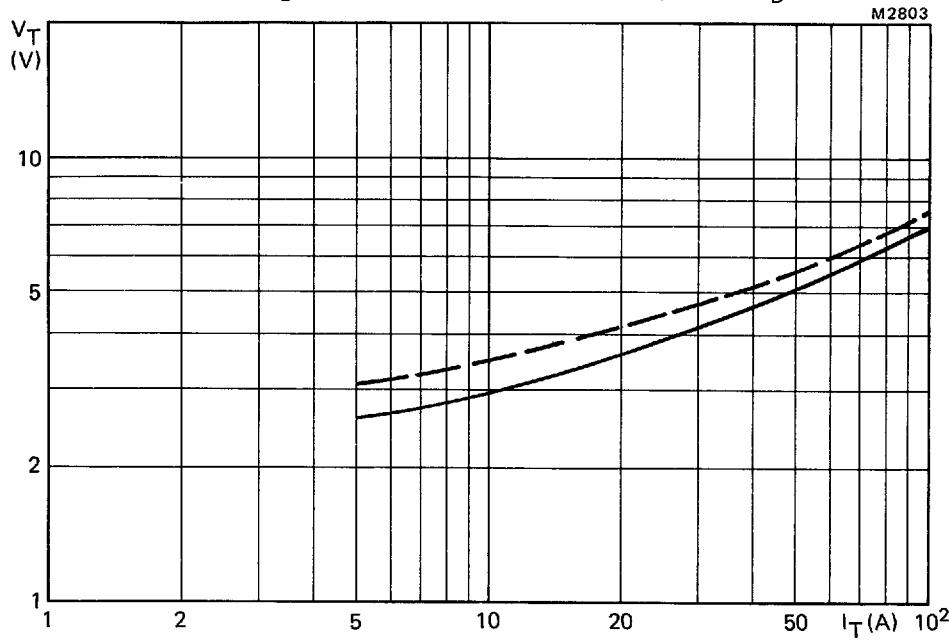


Fig.10 Maximum V_T versus I_T ; --- $T_j = 25$ °C; — $T_j = 120$ °C; $I_G = 0.5$ A.

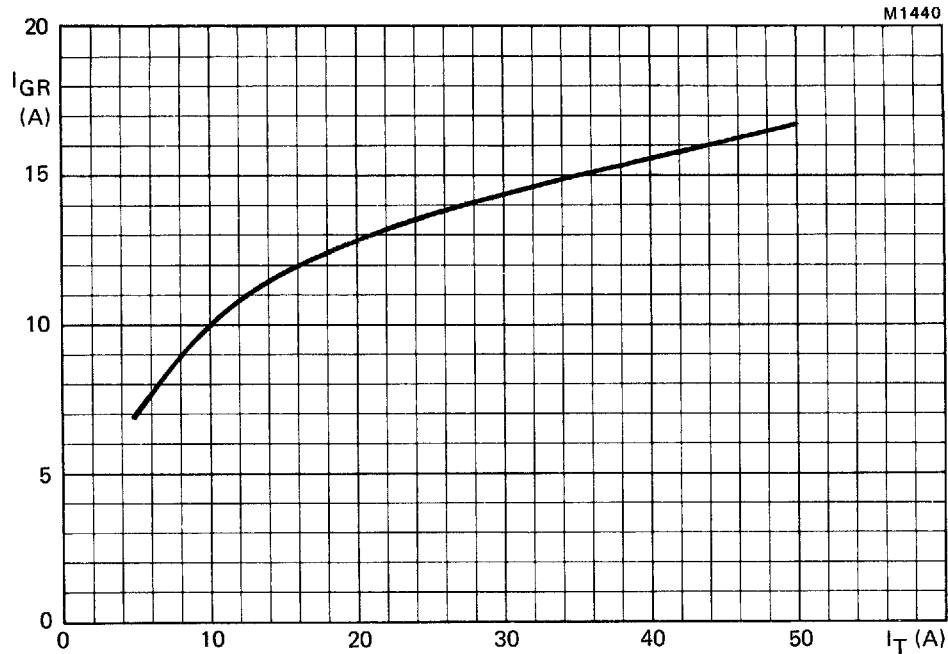


Fig.11 Peak reverse gate current versus anode current at turn-off; inductive load;
 $V_{GR} = 10$ V; $I_G = 0.5$ A; $L_G = 0.4 \mu\text{H}$; $T_j = 120$ °C; maximum values.

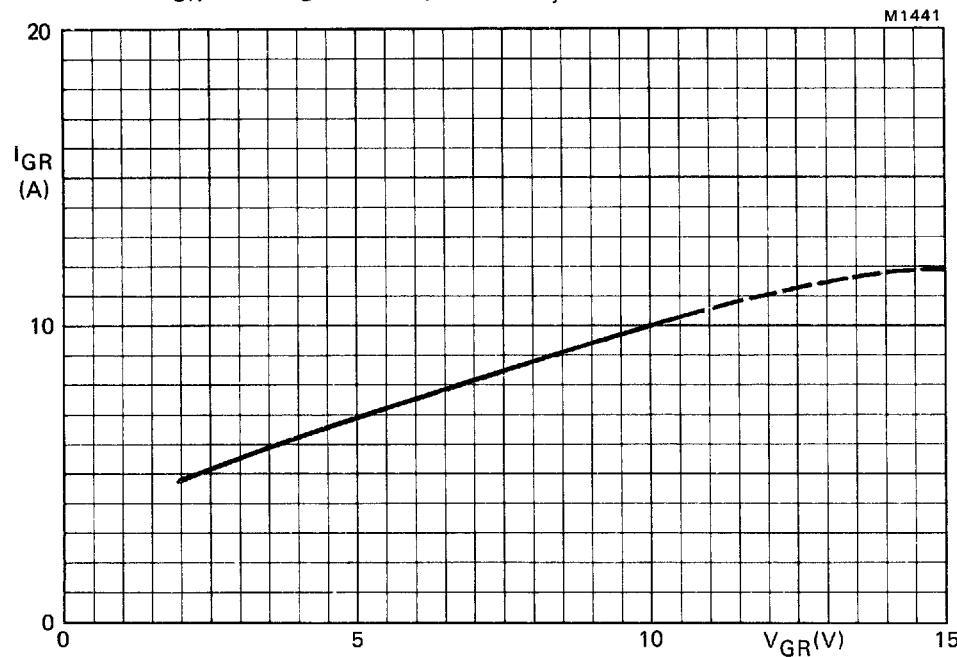


Fig.12 Peak reverse gate current versus applied reverse gate voltage; inductive load;
 $I_T = 10$ A; $I_G = 0.5$ A; $L_G = 0.4 \mu\text{H}$; $T_j = 120$ °C; maximum values.

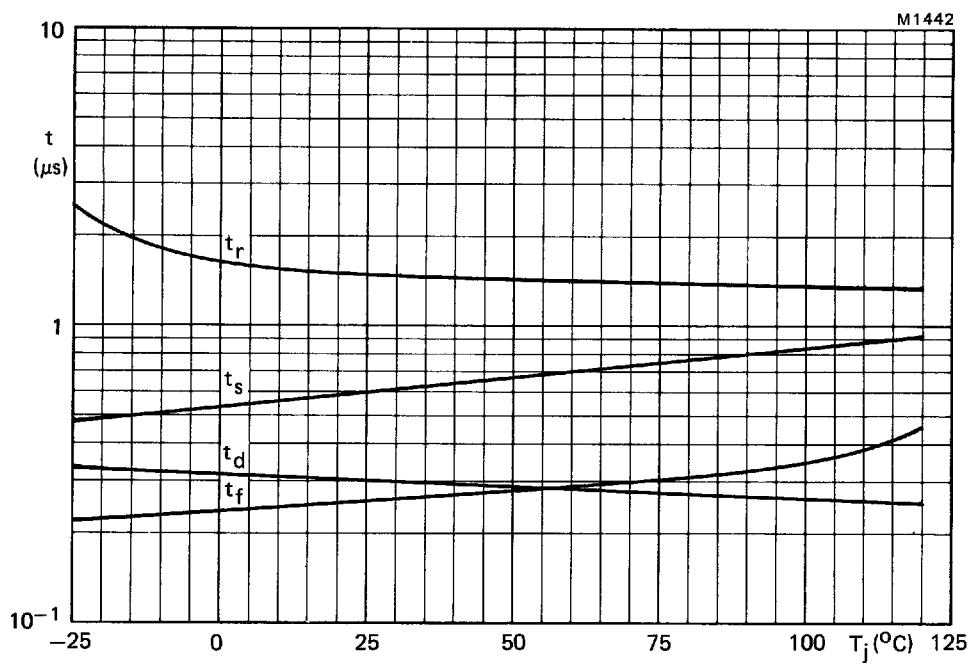


Fig.13 Switching times as a function of junction temperature; $V_D \geq 250$ V; $I_T = 10$ A;
 $I_{GF} = 1.0$ A; $V_{GR} = 10$ V; $I_G = 0.5$ A; $L_G = 0.4$ μ H; maximum values.

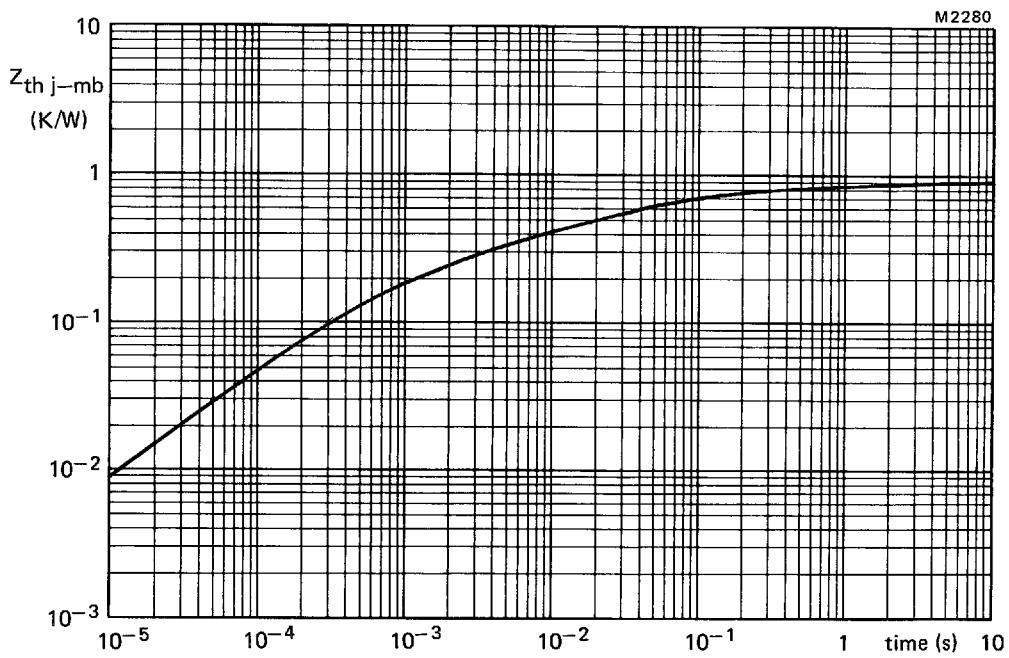


Fig.14 Transient thermal impedance.

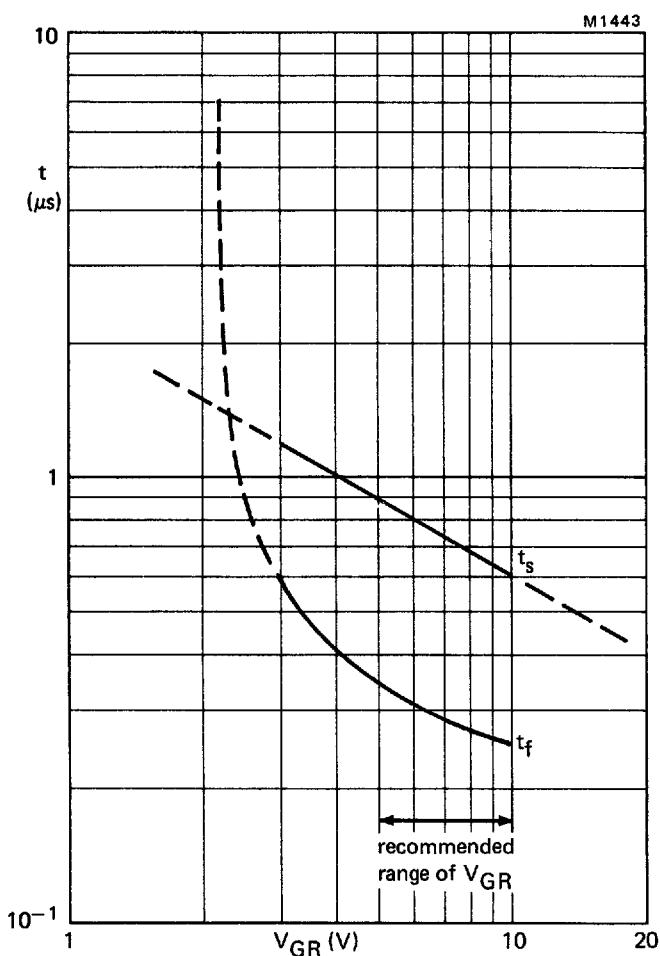


Fig.15 Storage and fall times versus applied reverse gate voltage;
inductive load, $I_T = 10$ A; $I_G = 0.5$ A; $L_G = 0.4 \mu$ H; $T_j = 25$ °C;
maximum values.

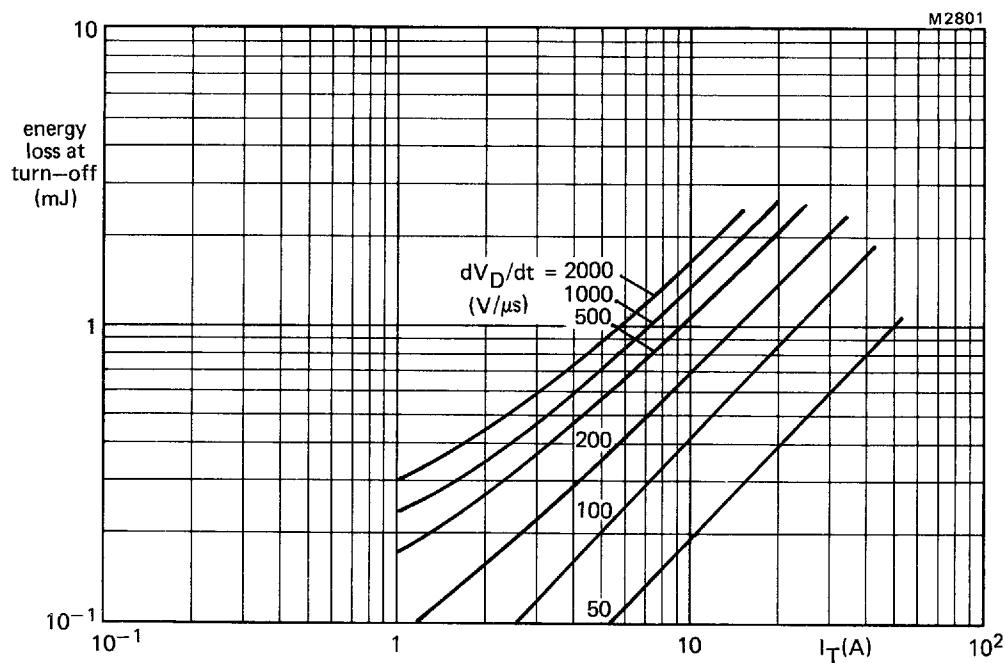


Fig.16 Maximum energy loss at turn-off (per cycle) as a function of anode current and applied dV_D/dt (calculated from I_T/C_S); dV_D/dt linear up to $V_D = V_{DWmax}$; $V_{GR} = 10$ V; $I_G = 0.5$ A; $L_G < 0.5 \mu$ H; $L_S < 0.25 \mu$ H; $T_j = 120$ °C.

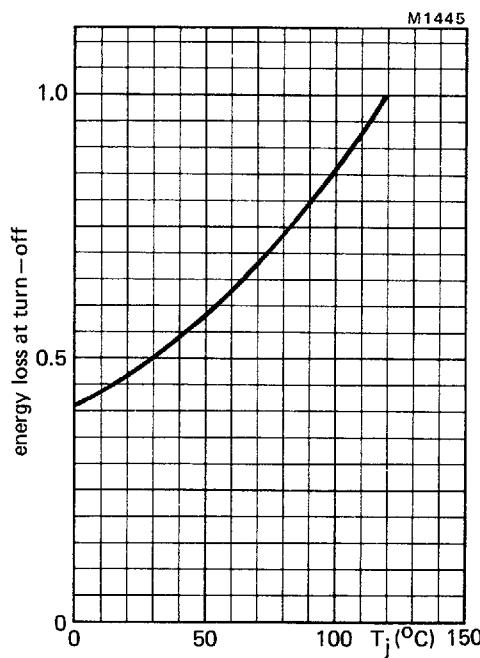


Fig.17 Energy loss at turn-off as a function of junction temperature; $I_G = 0.5$ A; $V_{GR} = 10$ V. Normalised to $T_j = 120$ °C.

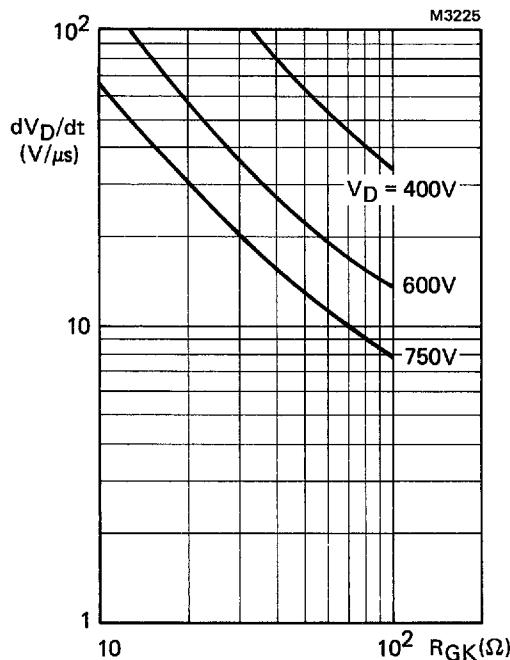


Fig.18 Linear rate of rise of off-state voltage versus gate-cathode resistance; $T_j = 25^\circ\text{C}$; typical values.

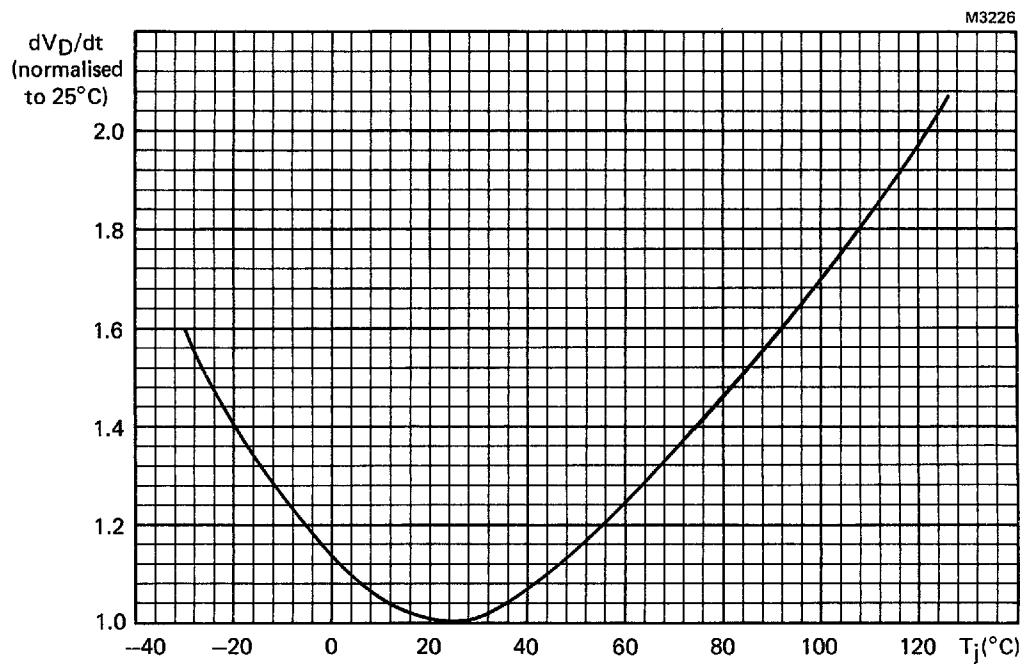


Fig.19 Rate of rise of off-state voltage versus junction temperature, normalised to 25 $^\circ\text{C}$; $V_{D\max} = 750V$; $R_{GK} = 22 \Omega$; typical values.