

# Optically-Coupled Isolator

Optoelectronic Products

## FCD820/A/B/C/D

### General Description

The FCD820 series of optoisolators combines a GaAs infrared-emitting diode and a silicon npn phototransistor in close proximity. Optical intercoupling provides a high degree of ac and dc isolation. A capability for continuous operation of the input diode results in a frequency response extending to dc. Connection to the transistor base is also provided for design flexibility. The FCD820 is covered under UL component recognition program, reference file E55299.

### Glassolated™

**High Current Transfer Ratio—Typically 50%**  
**1500 V To 6000 V Minimum Isolation**

**Input-To-Output**

**$10^{11} \Omega$  Isolation Resistance**

**Low Coupling Capacitance—Typically 1.0 pF**

### Absolute Maximum Ratings

#### Maximum Temperature and Humidity

Storage Temperature                     $-55^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $+150^{\circ}\text{C}$

Operating Temperature                 $-55^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $+100^{\circ}\text{C}$

Pin Temperature (Soldering, 5s)     $260^{\circ}\text{C}$

Total Package Power Dissipation  
at  $T_A = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$

(LED plus Detector)                250 mW

Derate Linearly from  $25^{\circ}\text{C}$        $3.3 \text{ mW}/^{\circ}\text{C}$

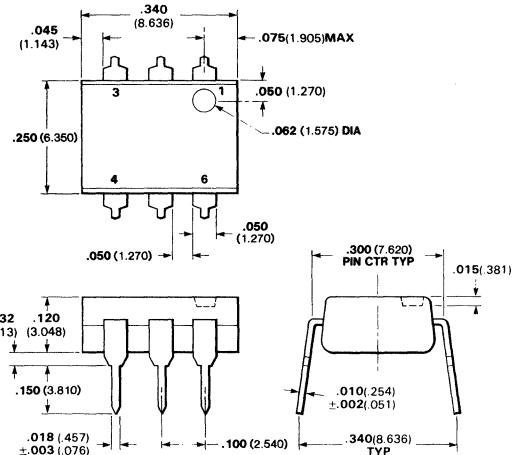
#### Input Diode

$V_R$	Reverse Voltage	3.0 V
$I_F$	Forward dc Current	60 mA
$I_{pk}$	Peak Forward Current (1 $\mu\text{s}$ pulse width, 300 pps)	3.0 A
$P_D$	Power Dissipation at $T_A = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$	100 mW
	Derate Linearly from $25^{\circ}\text{C}$	$1.33 \text{ mW}/^{\circ}\text{C}$

#### Output Transistor

$V_{CE}$	Collector to Emitter Voltage	30 V
$V_{CB}$	Collector to Base Voltage	70 V
$I_C$	Collector Current	25 mA
$P_D$	Power Dissipation at $T_A = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$	150 mW
	Derate Linearly from $25^{\circ}\text{C}$	$2.0 \text{ mW}/^{\circ}\text{C}$

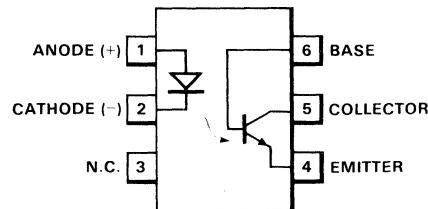
### Package Outline



#### Notes

All dimensions in inches bold and millimeters (parentheses).  
Tolerance unless specified =  $\pm .015$  (0.381)

### Connection Diagram DIP (Top View)



#### Pin

1	Anode (+)	Input Diode
2	Cathode (-)	
3	NC	
4	Emitter	Output npn Phototransistor
5	Collector	
6	Base	

# Typical Electrical Characteristics

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### Electrical Characteristics—Input Diode $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$

Symbol	Characteristic	Min	Typ	Max	Units	Test Conditions
$V_F$	Forward Voltage		1.2	1.5	V	$I_F = 60 \text{ mA}$
$BV_R$	Reverse Breakdown Voltage	3.0	8.0		V	$I_R = 10 \mu\text{A}$

### Electrical Characteristics—Output Transistor $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$

Symbol	Characteristic	Min	Typ	Max	Units	Test Conditions
$V_{CEO}$	Collector-to-Emitter Voltage	30	65		V	$I_C = 1.0 \text{ mA},$ $I_F = 0$
$V_{CBO}$	Collector-to-Base Voltage	70	165		V	$I_C = 100 \mu\text{A},$ $I_F = 0$
$I_{CEO}$	Collector-to-Emitter Leakage Current			50	nA	$V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V},$ $I_F = 0$
$I_{CBO}$	Collector-to-Base Leakage Current			20	nA	$V_{CB} = 10 \text{ V},$ $I_F = 0$
$h_{FE}$	Forward Current Gain	100	250			$V_{CE} = 5.0 \text{ V},$ $I_C = 100 \mu\text{A}$
$C_{cb}$ $C_{eb}$	Collector-to-Base Capacitance Emitter-to-Base Capacitance		20		pF	$V_{CB} = 10 \text{ V}$
			10		pF	$V_{EB} = 0$

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### Electrical Characteristics—Coupled $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$

Symbol	Characteristic	Min	Typ	Max	Units	Test Conditions
$V_{IO}$	Input-to-Output Voltage FCD820 FCD820A FCD820B FCD820C FCD820D	1500 1500 2500 5000 6000			$V_{rms}$ $V_{pk}$ $V_{pk}$ $V_{pk}$ $V_{pk}$	
$V_{CE(sat)}$	Collector-to-Emitter Saturation Voltage		0.24	0.40	V	$I_C = 2.2 \text{ mA},$ $I_F = 15 \text{ mA}$ (FCD820, $I_C = 2.0 \text{ mA},$ $I_F = 10 \text{ mA})$
$I_C/I_F(CTR)$	Collector Current Transfer Ratio (Note 1)	20	50		%	$V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V},$ $I_F = 10 \text{ mA}$ (FCD820, $V_{CE} = 0.4 \text{ V})$
$R_{IO}$ $C_{IO}$ $t_r$ , $t_f$	Input-to-Output Resistance Input-to-Output Capacitance Collector Rise and Fall Times (Note 2)	$10^{11}$	1.0 2.5		$\Omega$ $pF$ $\mu\text{s}$	$V_{IO} = 500 \text{ V}$ $f = 1.0 \text{ MHz}$ $I_C = 2.0 \text{ mA},$ $V_{CE} = 10 \text{ V},$ $R_L = 100 \Omega$

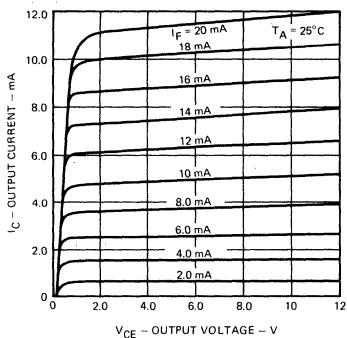
#### Notes

1. Collector current transfer ratio is defined as the ratio of the collector current to the forward bias input current.
2. Rise time is defined as the time for the collector current to rise from 10% to 90% of peak value. Fall time is defined as the time required for the current to decrease from 90% to 10% of peak value.

# Typical Electrical Characteristic Curves

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**Low Level Transfer Characteristics**



**Maximum Power Dissipation Rating vs Ambient Temperature**

