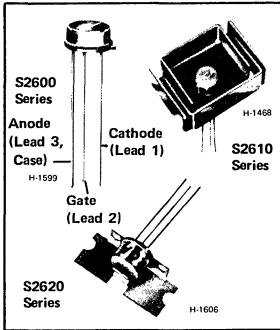



**Solid State  
Division**
**Thyristors**
**S2600 S2610 S2620  
Series**


## 7-Ampere "Low-Profile" Silicon Controlled Rectifiers

For Power Switching, Power Control, Power Crowbar, and Ignition Applications

### Features:

- Forward and reverse gate ratings
- All-diffused center gate construction
- Low leakage currents, both forward and reverse
- Low forward voltage drop at high current levels
- High pulse-current capability for capacitor-discharge ignition circuits
- High dv/dt capability
- Low switching losses
- Low thermal resistance
- Sub-cycle surge capability curve

Voltage Package	200 V	400 V	600 V
	Types	Types	Types
"Low-Profile", TO-5	S2600B (40654)	S2600D (40655)	S2600M (40833)
"Low-Profile", TO-5 w/radiator	S2610B (40658)	S2610D (40659)	S2610M (40835)
"Low-Profile", TO-5 w/heat spreader	S2620B (40656)	S2620D (40657)	S2620M (40834)

Numbers in parentheses are former RCA type numbers.

The S2600, S2610, and S2620 series are all-diffused, silicon controlled rectifiers (reverse-blocking triode thyristors) for capacitor-discharge ignition systems, high-voltage generators, and power-switching and control applications.

S2600B, S2600D, and S2600M have a three-lead low-profile package (similar to the JEDEC TO-5). They may be used in

capacitor-discharge ignition systems (battery or magneto types) for internal combustion engines, electronic igniters, and high-voltage generators. Other uses are power-control and power-switching circuits.

S2610B, S2610D, and S2610M have integral heat radiators; S2620B, S2620D, and S2620M have integral heat spreaders.

### MAXIMUM RATINGS, Absolute-Maximum Values:

For Operation with Sinusoidal Supply Voltage at Frequencies up to 50/60 Hz and with Resistive or Inductive Load.

	S2600B S2610B S2620B	S2600D S2610D S2620D	S2600M S2610M S2620M	
NON-REPETITIVE PEAK REVERSE VOLTAGE*				
Gate open..... $V_{RSOM}$	250	500	700	V
NON-REPETITIVE PEAK FORWARD VOLTAGE*				
Gate open..... $V_{DSOM}$	250	500	700	V
REPETITIVE PEAK REVERSE VOLTAGE*				
Gate open..... $V_{RRDM}$	200	400	600	V
REPETITIVE PEAK OFF-STATE VOLTAGE*				
Gate open..... $V_{DRDM}$	200	400	600	V
RMS ON-STATE CURRENT (Conduction angle = 180°)..... $I_{T(RMS)}$		See Figs. 7-11		
PEAK SURGE (NON-REPETITIVE) ON-STATE CURRENT: $I_{TSM}$				
For one cycle of applied principal voltage				
60 Hz (sinusoidal).....	100	100	100	A
50 Hz (sinusoidal).....	85	85	85	A
For more than one cycle of applied principal voltage		See Fig. 12		
PEAK REPETITIVE ON-STATE CURRENT† (See Fig. 21): $I_{TRM}$				
Duty factor = 0.1%, $T_C = 75^\circ\text{C}$				
Pulse duration = 5 $\mu\text{s}$ (min.), 20 $\mu\text{s}$ (max.).....	100	100	100	A
RATE OF CHANGE OF ON-STATE CURRENT:				
$V_{DM} = V_{DRDM}$ , $I_{GT} = 200\text{ mA}$ , $t_r = 0.5\ \mu\text{s}$ (See Fig. 1)..... di/dt		200		A/ $\mu\text{s}$
FUSING CURRENT (for SCR protection):				
$T_J = -65\text{ to }100^\circ\text{C}$ , $t = 1\text{ to }8.3\text{ ms}$ ..... $I^2t$		40		A <sup>2</sup> s

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**MAXIMUM RATINGS, (Cont'd).**

For Operation with Sinusoidal Supply Voltage at Frequencies up to 50/60 Hz and with Resistive or Inductive Load.

S2600B S2610B S2620B	S2600D S2610D S2620D	S2600M S2610M S2620M
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**NON-REPETITIVE SUB-CYCLE SURGE CURRENT:**

$T_C = 25^\circ\text{C}$ , single pulse,  $I_{GT} = 50 \text{ mA}$ ,  
 10  $\mu\text{s}$  square pulse.....

See Fig. 20

**GATE POWER DISSIPATION<sup>†</sup>:**

PEAK FORWARD (for 1 $\mu\text{s}$ max.) .....	$P_{GM}$	40	40	40	W
PEAK REVERSE .....	$P_{RGM}$	See Fig. 14			
AVERAGE (averaging time = 10 ms, max.) .....	$P_G(\text{AV})$	0.5	0.5	0.5	W

**TEMPERATURE RANGE<sup>‡</sup>:**

Storage .....	$T_{stg}$	-65 to +150	$^\circ\text{C}$
Operating (case) .....	$T_C$	-65 to +100	$^\circ\text{C}$

**LEAD TEMPERATURE (During soldering)<sup>§</sup>:**

For 10 s max. for case or leads .....		225	$^\circ\text{C}$
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<sup>†</sup> When rms current exceeds 4 amperes (maximum rating for the anode lead), connection must be made to the case.

<sup>‡</sup> These values do not apply if there is a positive gate signal. Gate must be open, terminated, or have negative bias.

<sup>§</sup> Any values of peak gate current or peak gate voltage that yield the maximum gate power are permissible.

<sup>¶</sup> For information on the reference point of temperature measurement, see dimensional outlines.

<sup>¶¶</sup> When these devices are soldered directly to the heat sink, a 60/40 solder should be used. Case heating time should be a minimum . . . sufficient to allow the solder to flow freely.

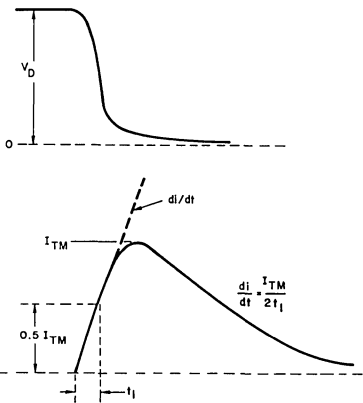


Fig. 1—Rate of change of on-state current with time (defining  $di/dt$ ).

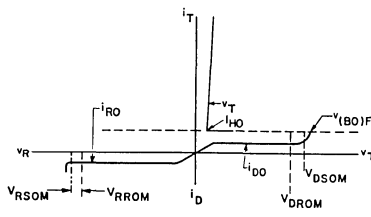


Fig. 2—Principal voltage-current characteristics.

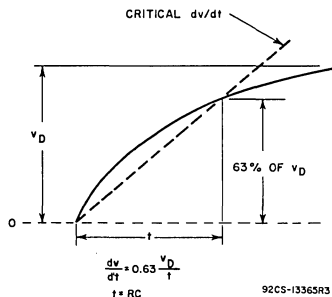


Fig. 3—Oscilloscope display of critical rate of rise of off-state voltage (critical  $dv/dt$ ).

**TERMINAL CONNECTIONS**

**S2600 SERIES**

- Lead 1 — Cathode
- Lead 2 — Gate
- Case, Lead 3 — Anode

**S2610 SERIES**

- Lead 1 — Cathode
- Lead 2 — Gate
- Heat Radiator, Lead 3 — Anode

**S2620 SERIES**

- Lead 1 — Cathode
- Lead 2 — Gate
- Heat Spreader, Lead 3 — Anode

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS, At maximum ratings and at indicated case temperature ( $T_C$ ) unless otherwise specified

CHARACTERISTIC	SYMBOL	LIMITS						UNITS
		S2600 Series			S2610 Series S2620 Series			
		MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	
PEAK OFF-STATE CURRENT: (Gate Open, $T_C = +100^\circ\text{C}$ ) FORWARD, $V_D = V_{DROM}$ . . . . .	$I_{DOM}$	—	0.1	0.5	—	0.2	1.5	mA
REVERSE, $V_{R1} = V_{RROM}$ . . . . .	$I_{ROM}$	—	0.05	0.5	—	0.1	1.5	
INSTANTANEOUS ON-STATE VOLTAGE: For $i_T = 30\text{ A}$ and $T_C = +25^\circ\text{C}$ . . . . .	$v_T$	—	1.9	2.6	—	1.9	2.6	V
DC GATE TRIGGER CURRENT: $V_D = 12\text{ V (DC)}$ $R_L = 30\ \Omega$ $T_C = +25^\circ\text{C}$ . . . . . For other case temperatures . . . . .	$I_{GT}$	—	6	15	—	6	15	mA
		See Fig. 16						
DC GATE TRIGGER VOLTAGE: $V_D = 12\text{ V (DC)}$ $R_L = 30\ \Omega$ $T_C = +25^\circ\text{C}$ . . . . . For other case temperatures . . . . .	$V_{GT}$	—	0.65	1.5	—	0.65	1.5	V
		See Fig. 17						
INSTANTANEOUS HOLDING CURRENT: Gate Open and $T_C = +25^\circ\text{C}$ . . . . . For other case temperatures . . . . .	$i_{HO}$	—	9	20	—	9	20	mA
		See Fig. 18						
CRITICAL RATE-OF-RISE OF OFF-STATE VOLTAGE: $V_D = V_{DROM}$ Exponential rise, $T_C = +100^\circ\text{C}$ . . . . . (See Fig. 3)	$dv/dt$	20	200	—	20	200	—	$\text{V}/\mu\text{s}$
GATE CONTROLLED TURN-ON TIME: $V_D = V_{DROM}$ , $i_T = 4.5\text{ A}$ $I_{GT} = 200\text{ mA}$ , $0.1\ \mu\text{s}$ rise time $T_C = +25^\circ\text{C}$ (See Fig. 4)	$t_{gt}$	—	1	2	1	2	—	$\mu\text{s}$
CIRCUIT COMMUTATED TURN-OFF TIME: $V_D = V_{DROM}$ , $i_T = 2\text{ A}$ Pulse Duration = $50\ \mu\text{s}$ $dv/dt = 20\text{ V}/\mu\text{s}$ , $di/dt = -30\text{ A}/\mu\text{s}$ $I_{GT} = 200\text{ mA}$ at turn on, $T_C = +75^\circ\text{C}$ (See Fig. 5)	$t_q$	—	15	50	—	15	50	$\mu\text{s}$
THERMAL RESISTANCE: Junction-to-Case . . . . .	$R_{\theta JC}$	—	—	5	—	—	5	$^\circ\text{C}/\text{W}$
Junction-to-Ambient (See dimensional outlines) . . . . .	$R_{\theta JA}$	—	—	120	—	—	30	
Junction-to-Heat Spreader (See dimensional outline) . . . . .	$R_{\theta JHS}$	—	—	—	—	—	7	
								(S2610 Series)
								(S2620 Series)

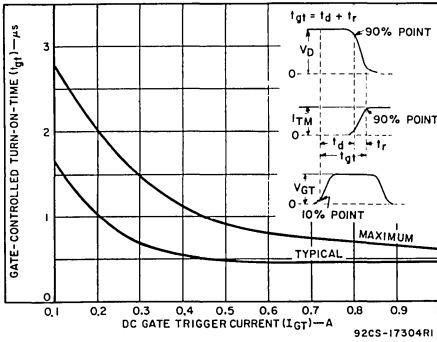


Fig. 4—Gate controlled turn-on time ( $t_{gt}$ ) vs. gate trigger current.

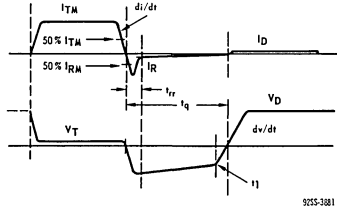


Fig. 5—Oscilloscope display for measurement of circuit commutated turn-off time ( $t_g$ ).

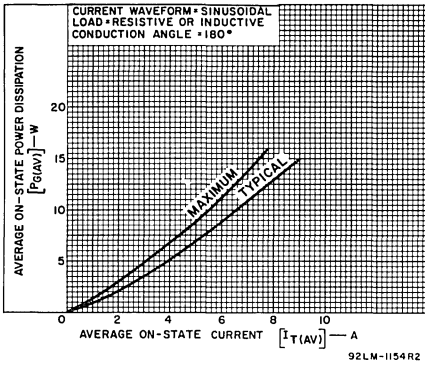


Fig. 6—Power dissipation vs. on-state current.

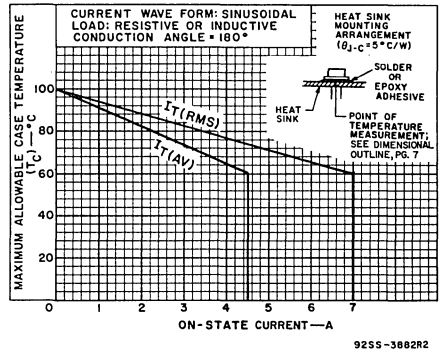


Fig. 7—Maximum allowable case temperature vs. on-state current for S2600 series.

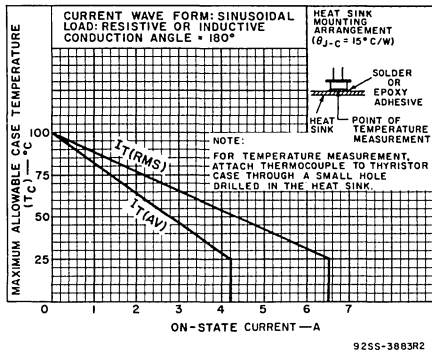


Fig. 8—Maximum allowable case temperature vs. on-state current for S2600 series.

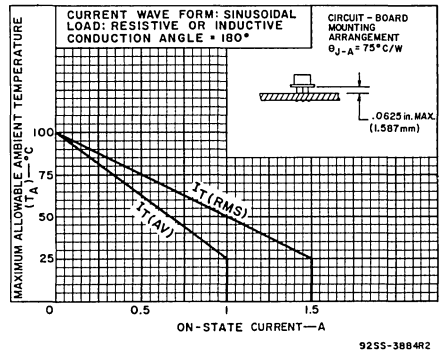


Fig. 9—Maximum allowable ambient temperature vs. on-state current for 2600 series.

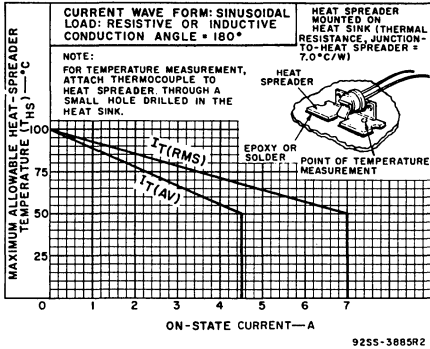


Fig. 10—Maximum allowable heat-spreader temperature vs. on-state current for S2620 series.

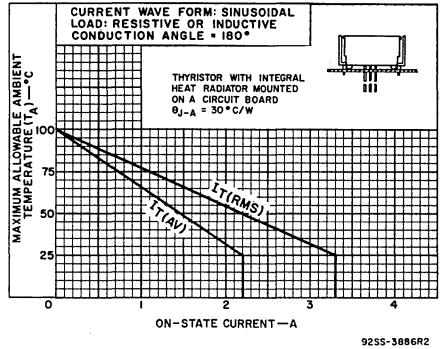


Fig. 11—Maximum allowable ambient temperature vs. on-state current for S2610 series.

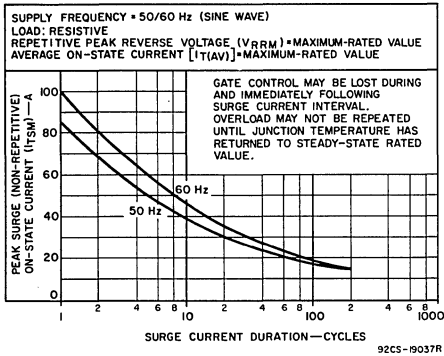


Fig. 12—Peak surge on-state current vs. surge current duration for all types.

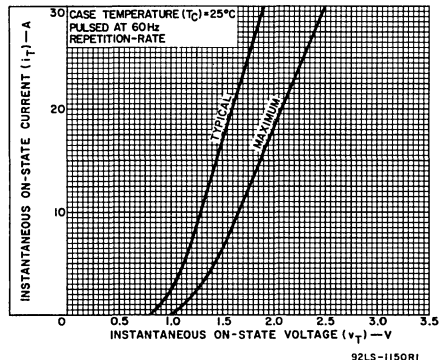


Fig. 13—Instantaneous on-state current vs. on-state voltage for all types.

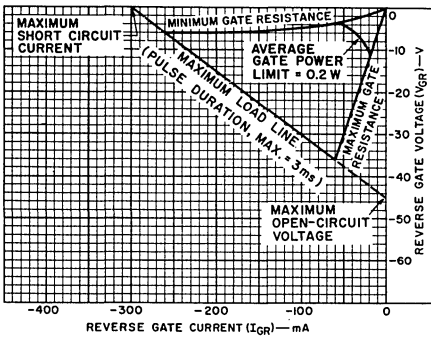


Fig. 14—Reverse gate voltage vs. reverse gate current.

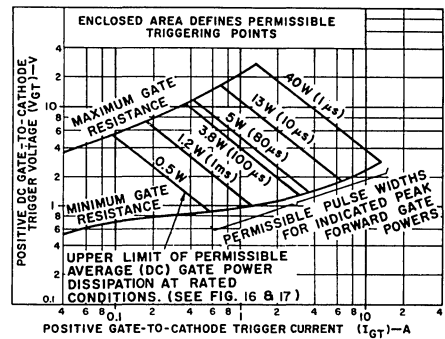


Fig. 15—Gate pulse characteristics for forward triggering mode.

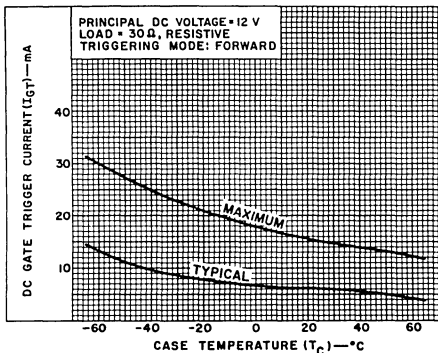


Fig. 16—DC gate-trigger current (forward) vs. case temperature.

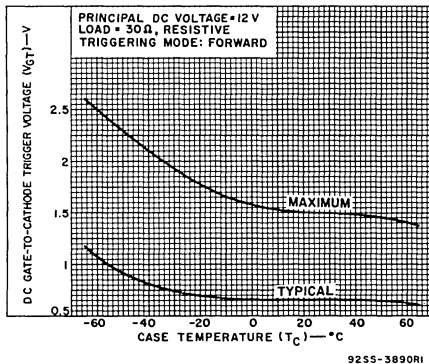


Fig. 17—DC gate-trigger voltage vs. case temperature.

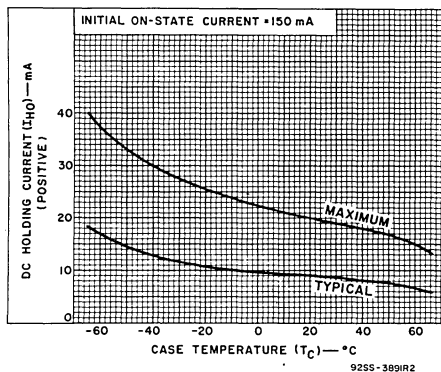


Fig. 18—DC holding current (positive) vs. case temperature.

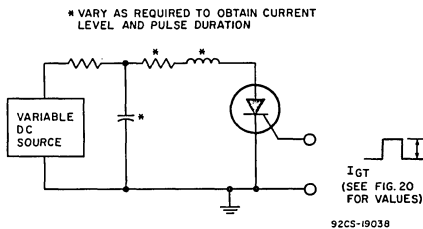


Fig. 19—Sub-cycle surge capability test circuit.

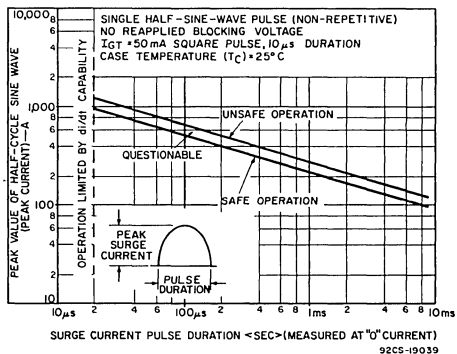


Fig. 20—Sub-cycle surge capability.

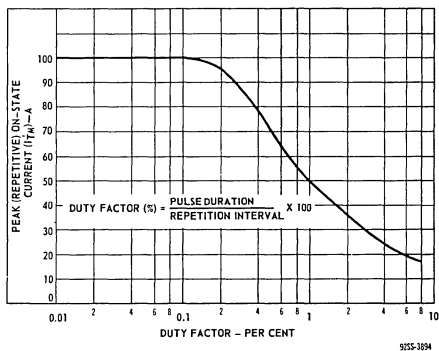


Fig. 21—Derating curve for peak pulse current (repetitive) vs. duty factor for the ignition circuit.