

**FEATURES**

- High Surge Capability

**APPLICATIONS**

- High Power Drives
- High Voltage Power Supplies
- DC Motor Control
- Welding
- Battery Chargers

**VOLTAGE RATINGS**

Type Number	Repetitive Peak Voltages $V_{DRM}$ $V_{RRM}$ $V$	Conditions
TK18 12 M or K TK18 10 M or K	1200 1000	$T_{vj} = 0^\circ$ to $125^\circ C$ , $I_{DRM} = I_{RRM} = 100mA$ , $V_{DRM}, V_{RRM} t_p = 10ms$ , $V_{DSM} \& V_{RSM} =$ $V_{DRM} \& V_{RRM} + 100V$ respectively

Lower voltage grades available.

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When ordering, select the required part number shown in the Voltage Ratings selection table, then:-

Add K to type number for 1/2" 20 UNF thread, e.g. **TK18 12K**.

or

Add M to type number for M12 thread, e.g. **TK18 12M**.

Note: Please use the complete part number when ordering and quote this number in any future correspondence relating to your order.

**KEY PARAMETERS**

$V_{DRM}$     **1200V**

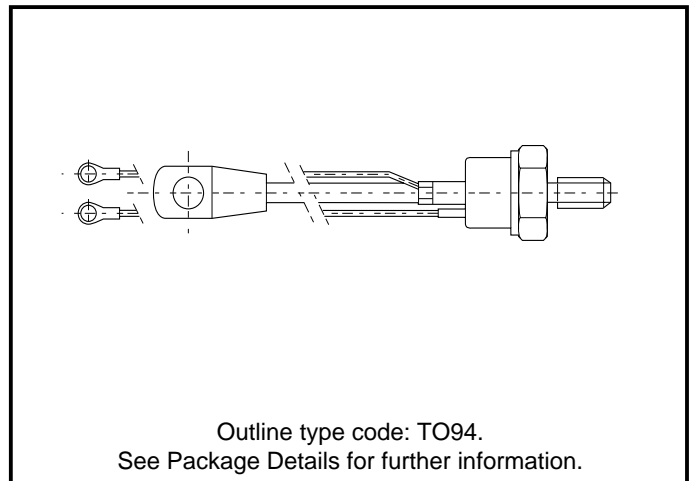
$I_{T(AV)}$     **115A**

$I_{TSM}$     **2000A**

$dVdt^*$     **200V/ $\mu s$**

$dI/dt$     **500A/ $\mu s$**

\*Higher  $dV/dt$  selections available



**Fig. 1 Package outline**

## CURRENT RATINGS

$T_{case} = 60^{\circ}\text{C}$  unless stated otherwise.

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Max.	Units
$I_{T(AV)}$	Mean on-state current	Half wave resistive load	152	A
$I_{T(RMS)}$	RMS value	-	239	A
$I_T$	Continuous (direct) on-state current	-	206	A

$T_{case} = 80^{\circ}\text{C}$  unless stated otherwise.

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Max.	Units
$I_{T(AV)}$	Mean on-state current	Half wave resistive load	115	A
$I_{T(RMS)}$	RMS value	-	180	A
$I_T$	Continuous (direct) on-state current	-	155	A

## SURGE RATINGS

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Max.	Units
$I_{TSM}$	Surge (non-repetitive) on-state current	10ms half sine; $T_{case} = 125^{\circ}\text{C}$	1.6	kA
$I^2t$	$I^2t$ for fusing	$V_R = 50\% V_{RRM}$ - 1/4 sine	$12.8 \times 10^3$	$\text{A}^2\text{s}$
$I_{TSM}$	Surge (non-repetitive) on-state current	10ms half sine; $T_{case} = 125^{\circ}\text{C}$	2.0	kA
$I^2t$	$I^2t$ for fusing	$V_R = 0$	$20.0 \times 10^3$	$\text{A}^2\text{s}$

## THERMAL AND MECHANICAL DATA

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min.	Max.	Units
$R_{th(j-c)}$	Thermal resistance - junction to case	dc	-	0.24	$^{\circ}\text{C}/\text{W}$
$R_{th(c-h)}$	Thermal resistance - case to heatsink	Mounting torque 15.0Nm with mounting compound	-	0.08	$^{\circ}\text{C}/\text{W}$
$T_{vj}$	Virtual junction temperature	On-state (conducting)	-	125	$^{\circ}\text{C}$
		Reverse (blocking)	-	125	$^{\circ}\text{C}$
$T_{stg}$	Storage temperature range		-40	150	$^{\circ}\text{C}$
-	Mounting torque		12.0	15.0	Nm

**DYNAMIC CHARACTERISTICS**

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min.	Max.	Units	
$V_{TM}$	Maximum on-state voltage	At 300A peak, $T_{case} = 25^{\circ}C$	-	1.5	V	
$I_{RRM}/I_{DRM}$	Peak reverse and off-state current	At $V_{RRM}/V_{DRM}$ , $T_{case} = 125^{\circ}C$	-	10	mA	
dV/dt	Maximum linear rate of rise of off-state voltage	To 60% $V_{DRM}$ , $T_j = 125^{\circ}C$ , Gate open circuit	-	200	V/ $\mu s$	
dI/dt	Rate of rise of on-state current	Gate source 20V, 20 $\Omega$ $t_r \leq 0.5\mu s$ , $T_j = 125^{\circ}C$	Repetitive 50Hz	-	500	A/ $\mu s$
			Non-repetitive	-	800	A/ $\mu s$
$V_{T(TO)}$	Threshold voltage	At $T_{vj} = 125^{\circ}C$	-	0.9	V	
$r_T$	On-state slope resistance	At $T_{vj} = 125^{\circ}C$	-	2.0	m $\Omega$	
$t_{gd}$	Delay time	$V_D = 300V$ , $I_G = 1A$ , $I_T = 50A$ , dI/dt = 50A/ $\mu s$ , dI <sub>G</sub> /dt = 1A/ $\mu s$ , $T_j = 25^{\circ}C$	-	1.5	$\mu s$	
$I_L$	Latching current	$T_j = 25^{\circ}C$ , $V_D = 12V$	-	-	mA	
$I_H$	Holding current	$T_j = 25^{\circ}C$ , $V_D = 12V$ , $I_{TM} = 1A$	-	50	mA	

**GATE TRIGGER CHARACTERISTICS AND RATINGS**

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Typ.	Max.	Units
$V_{GT}$	Gate trigger voltage	$V_{DRM} = 12V$ , $T_{case} = 25^{\circ}C$ , $R_L = 6\Omega$	-	3.0	V
$I_{GT}$	Gate trigger current	$V_{DRM} = 12V$ , $T_{case} = 25^{\circ}C$ , $R_L = 6\Omega$	-	125	mA
$V_{GD}$	Gate non-trigger voltage	At $V_{DRM}$ , $T_{case} = 125^{\circ}C$ , $R_L = 12\Omega$	-	0.2	V
$V_{FGM}$	Peak forward gate voltage	Anode positive with respect to cathode	-	3.0	V
$V_{FGN}$	Peak forward gate voltage	Anode negative with respect to cathode	-	0.25	V
$V_{RGM}$	Peak reverse gate voltage		-	5	V
$I_{FGM}$	Peak forward gate current	Anode positive with respect to cathode	-	4	A
$P_{GM}$	Peak gate power	-	-	16	W
$P_{G(AV)}$	Mean gate power		-	3	W

CURVES

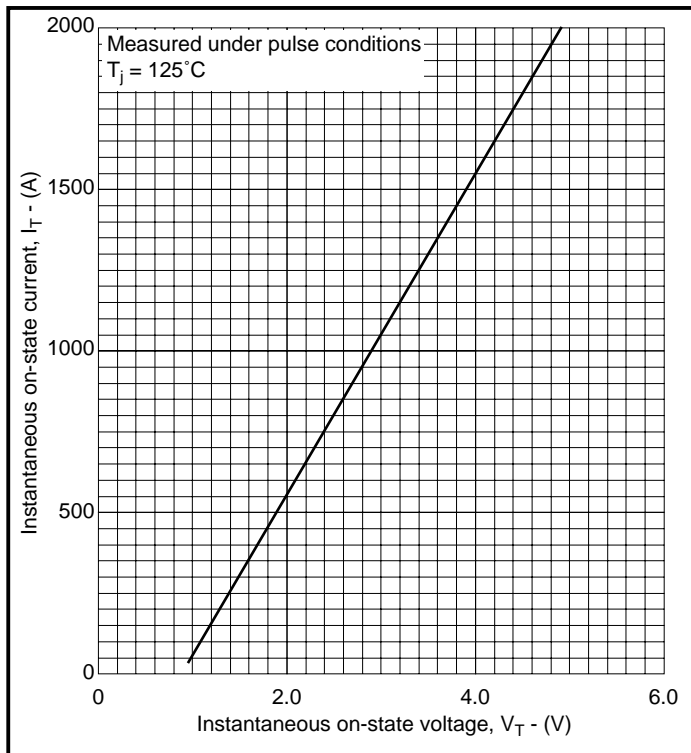
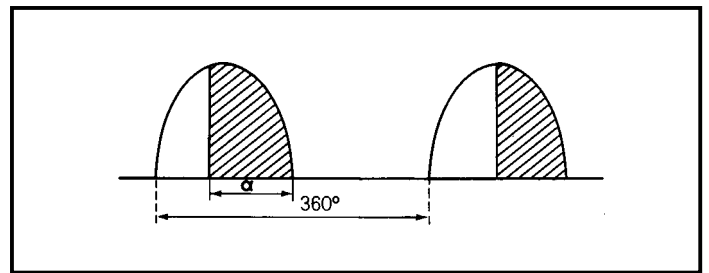


Fig.2 Maximum (limit) on-state characteristics

SINUSOIDAL CURRENT WAVEFORM



RECTANGULAR CURRENT WAVEFORM

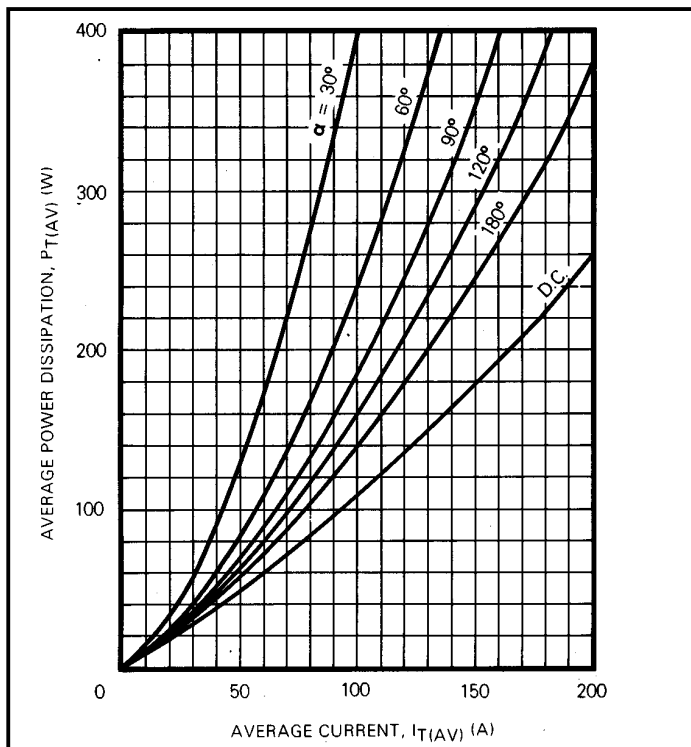
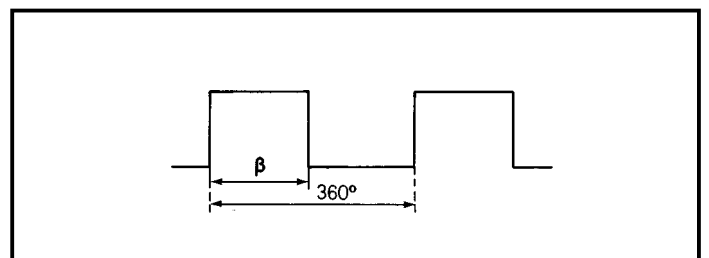


Fig.3 Maximum on-state power dissipation for sinusoidal current waveform

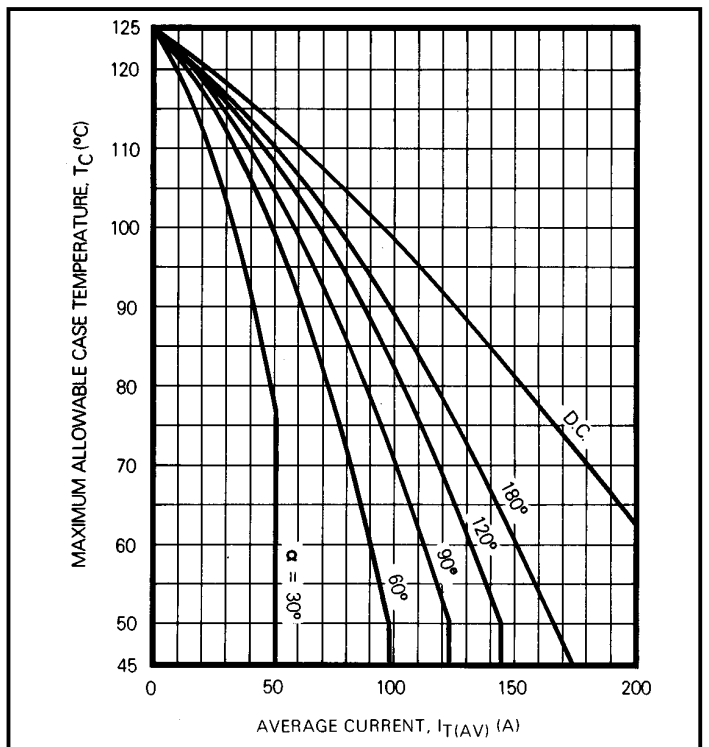
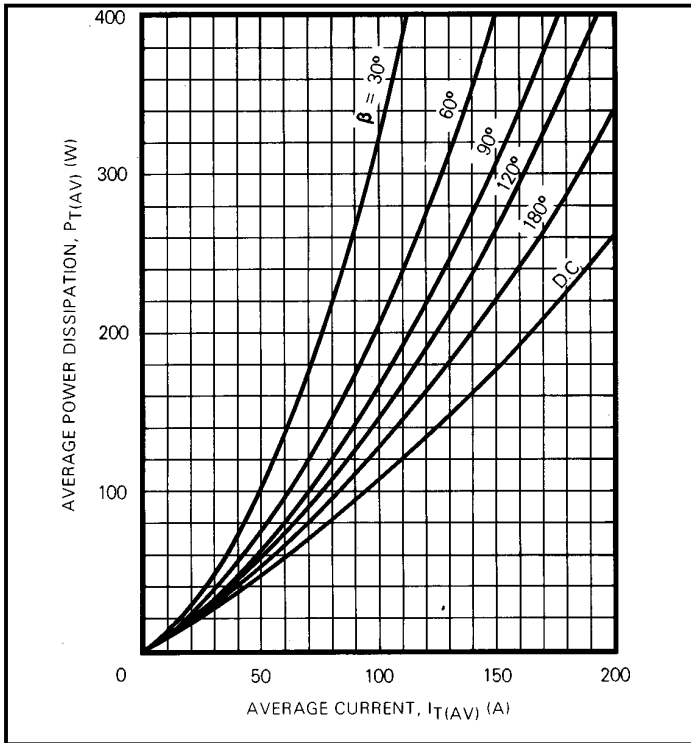
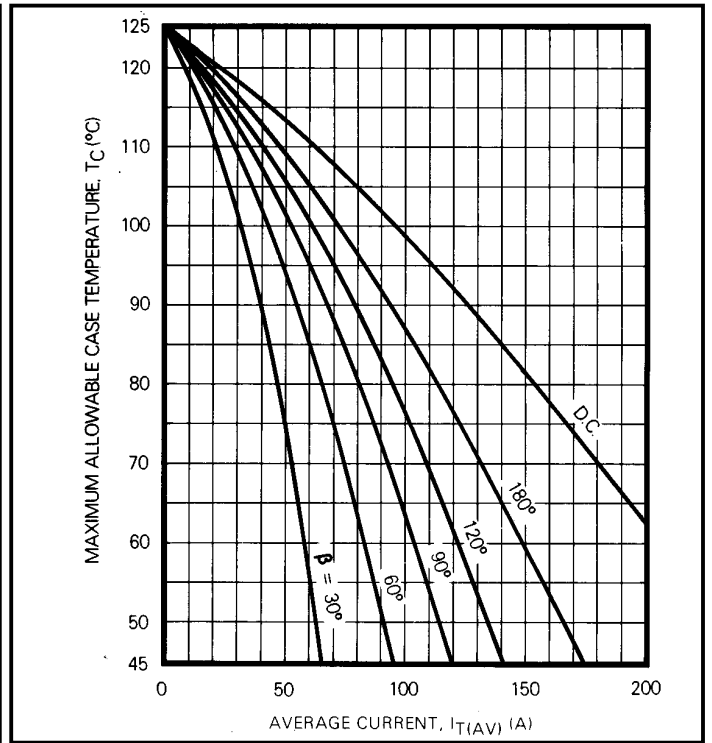


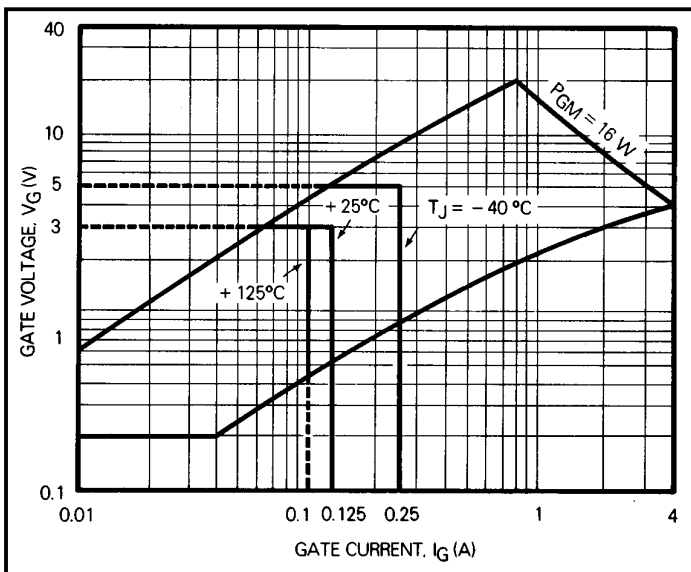
Fig.4 Maximum allowable case temperature for sinusoidal current waveform



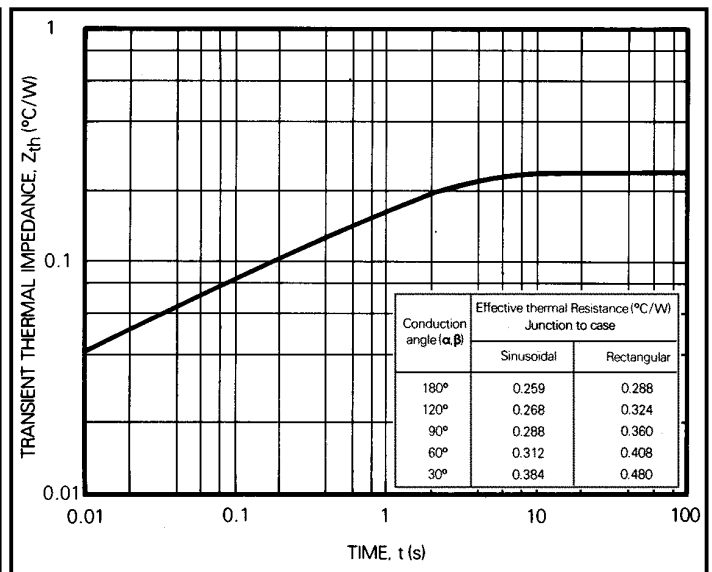
**Fig.5** Maximum on-state power dissipation for rectangular current waveform



**Fig.6** Maximum allowable case temperature for rectangular current waveform



**Fig.7** Gate trigger characteristics



**Fig.8** Transient thermal impedance - junction to case

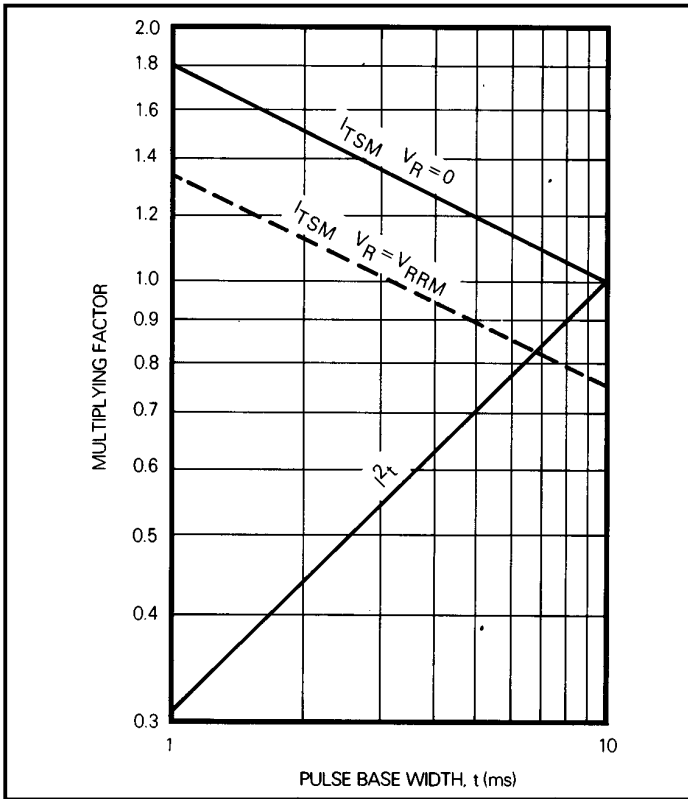


Fig.9 Multiplying factor for non-repetitive sub-cycle surge on-state current and  $I^2t$  rating

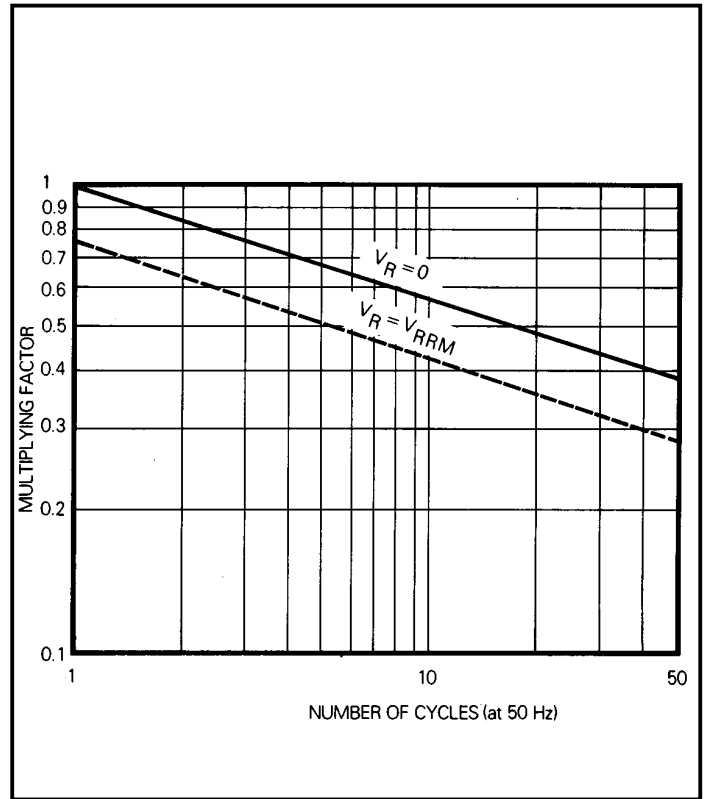
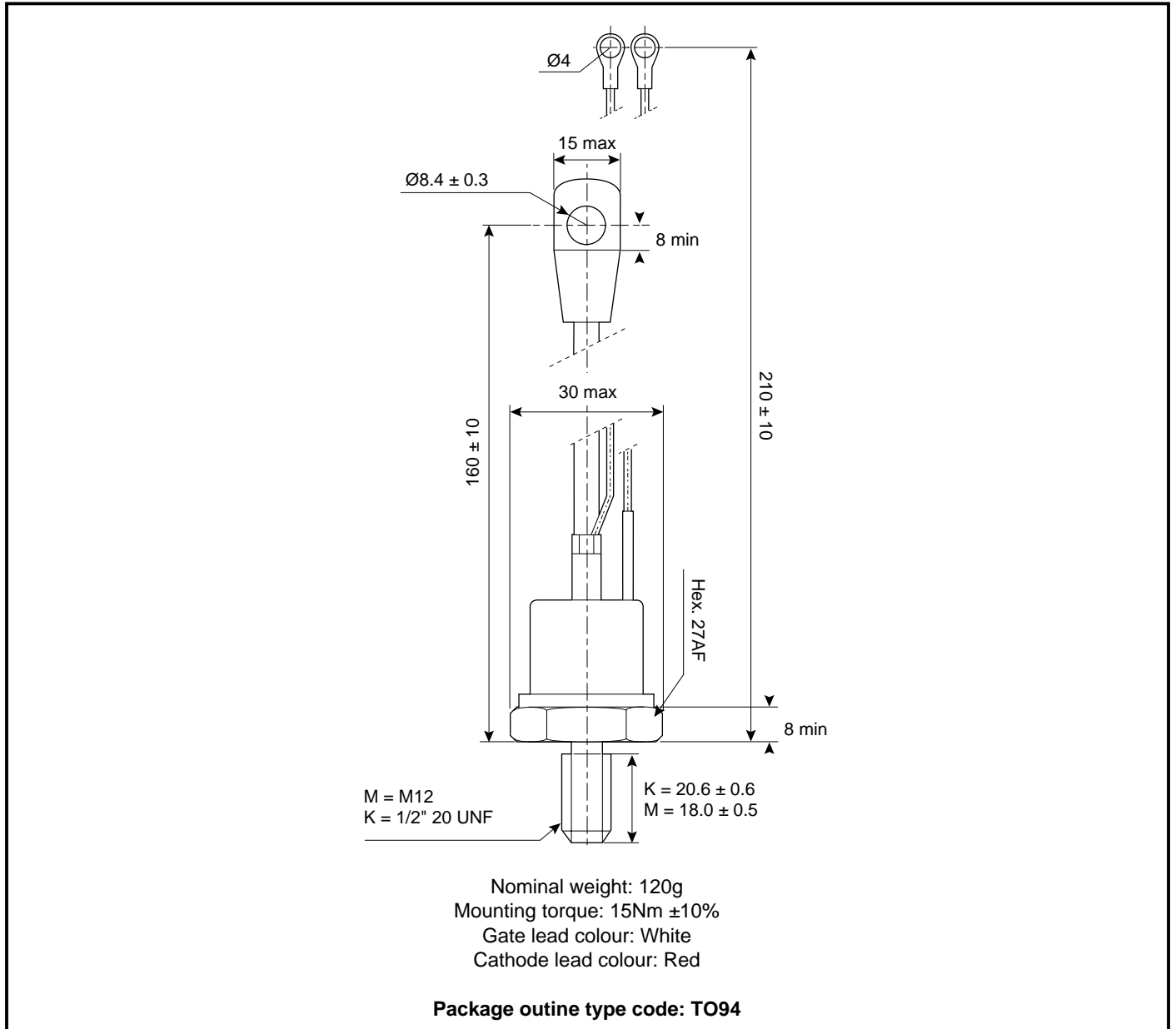


Fig.10 Multiplying factor for non-repetitive surge on-state current

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