

# **GA040TH65**

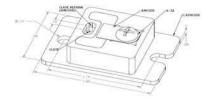
# Silicon Carbide Thyristor

V <sub>FBM</sub>	=	6500 V	
V <sub>FBM</sub>	=	40 A	
Q <sub>rr</sub>	=	1.8 µC	

# **Features**

- 6500 V Asymmetric SiC NPNP Thyristor
- 150 °C operating temperature
- · Robust compact fully soldered package
- SOT-227 (ISOTOP) base plate form factor
- Fast turn on characteristics
- Lowest in class Q<sub>rr</sub>/I<sub>T(AVM)</sub>

- Applications
  Grid Tied Solar Inverters
- Wind Power Inverters
- HVDC Power Conversion
- Utility Scale Power Conversion
- Trigger Circuits/Ignition Circuits



**Package** 



## **Maximum Ratings**

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Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	Values	Unit
Repetitive peak forward voltage	$V_{\scriptscriptstyle{FBM}}$	T <sub>j</sub> = 25 °C	6500	V
Repetitive peak reverse voltage	$V_{RBM}$	T <sub>j</sub> = 25 °C	50	V
Maximum average on-state current	I <sub>T(AVM)</sub>	T <sub>C</sub> ≤ 120 °C	40	Α
RMS on-state current	I <sub>T(RMS)</sub>	T <sub>C</sub> ≤ 120 °C	69	Α
Non-repetitive peak on-state current	I <sub>T.max</sub>	$T_{c}$ = 25 °C, $t_{p}$ = 2 us, D = 0.1	tbd	Α
Power dissipation	P <sub>tot</sub>	T <sub>C</sub> = 25 °C	595	W
Operating and storage temperature	$T_{j},T_{stg}$		-55 to 150	°C

### **Electrical Characteristics**

Parameter	Cumah al	Conditions	Values		1114	
	Symbol		min.	typ.	max.	Unit
Maximum peak on state voltage	V	I <sub>K</sub> = -40 A, T <sub>j</sub> = 25 °C		-4.30		V
	$V_{KA(ON)}$	I <sub>K</sub> = -40 A, T <sub>i</sub> = 150 °C		-3.90		
Anode-cathode threshold voltage	$V_{KA(TO)}$	T <sub>j</sub> = 25 °C (150 °C)		-3.1(-2.8)		V
Anode-cathode slope resistance	R <sub>AK</sub>	T <sub>j</sub> = 25 °C (150 °C), I <sub>K</sub> = -40 A		20(21)		mΩ
Leakage current	Í	V <sub>KA</sub> = -6500 V, V <sub>GA</sub> = 0 V, T <sub>i</sub> = 25 °C		15		μA
	ı <sub>L</sub>	$V_{KA} = -6500 \text{ V}, V_{GA} = 0 \text{ V}, T_{i} = 150 ^{\circ}\text{C}$		30		
Gate trigger current	I <sub>gT</sub>	$T_{_{\rm I}}$ = 25 °C, $t_{_{\rm P}}$ = 10 $\mu$ s		-30		mA
Holding current	I <sub>H</sub>	T <sub>i</sub> = 25 °C		780		mA
Rise time	t <sub>R</sub>	I <sub>G</sub> = -3 A, V <sub>KA</sub> = -2500 V		200		ns
Delay time	$t_{_{D}}$	$I_K = -40 \text{ A}, T_i = 25 ^{\circ}\text{C}$		40		ns
Reverse recovery charge	$Q_{rr}$	,		1.8		μC
Recovered charge, 50% chord	$Q_{ra}$	$dI/dt = 270 \text{ A/us, I}_{K} = -40 \text{ A, V}_{KA} = 20 \text{ V}$		0.6		μC
Reverse recovery current	I <sub>rm</sub>	$dV/dt(re-app) = -500 V/us, T_i = 25 °C$		11		Α
Circuit commutated turn-off time	t	,		4.7		μs

### **Thermal Characteristics**

Thermal resistance, junction - case	$R_{thJC}$		0.21	°C/W
Mechanical Properties				
Mounting torque for base	$M_{b}$	Heat sink surface must be optically flat	1.5	Nm
Mounting torque for top	M,		1.3	Nm

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1. Considering worst case Z<sub>th</sub> conditions

Weight

30



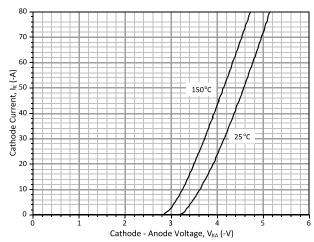


Figure 1: Typical On State Characteristics

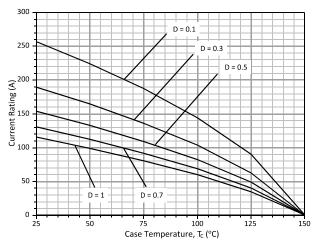


Figure 3: Typical Current Derating Curves (D =  $t_p/T$ ,  $t_p$  = 400  $\mu$ s<sup>1</sup>)

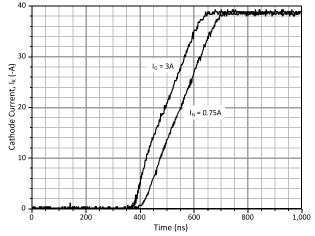


Figure 5: Typical Turn On Characteristics at 25 °C

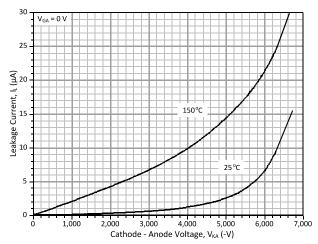


Figure 2: Typical Forward Blocking Characteristics

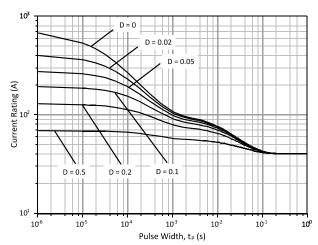


Figure 4: Typical Current Rating versus Pulse Duration Curves at  $T_{\rm c}$  = 120  $^{\rm o}$ C

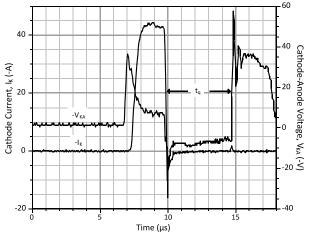
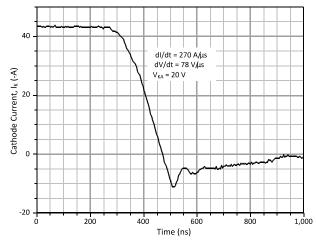


Figure 6: Typical Turn Off Characteristics at 25 °C





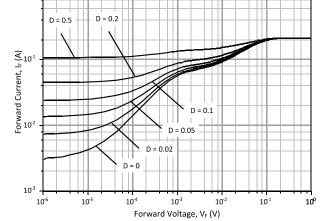


Figure 7: Typical Reverse Recovery Characteristics at 25 °C

Figure 8: Typical Transient Thermal Impedance

Revision History					
Date	Revision	Comments	Supersedes		
2010/11/13	1	First generation release			

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