



BT138-700E

1. General description

Planar passivated four quadrant triac in a SOT78 (TO-220AB) plastic package intended for use in applications requiring high bidirectional transient and blocking voltage capability and high thermal cycling performance. Typical applications include motor control, industrial and domestic lighting, heating and static switching.

2. Features and benefits

- High blocking voltage capability
- Less sensitive gate for improved noise immunity
- Planar passivated for voltage ruggedness and reliability
- Triggering in all four quadrants

3. Applications

- General purpose motor control
- General purpose switching

4. Quick reference data

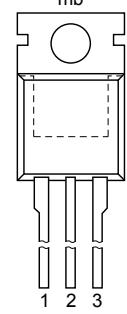
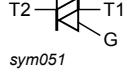
Table 1. Quick reference data

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions		Min	Typ	Max	Unit
V_{DRM}	repetitive peak off-state voltage			-	-	700	V
I_{TSM}	non-repetitive peak on-state current	full sine wave; $T_{j(\text{init})} = 25^\circ\text{C}$; $t_p = 20 \text{ ms}$; Fig. 4 ; Fig. 5		-	-	95	A
T_j	junction temperature			-	-	125	$^\circ\text{C}$
$I_{T(\text{RMS})}$	RMS on-state current	full sine wave; $T_{mb} \leq 99^\circ\text{C}$; Fig. 1 ; Fig. 2 ; Fig. 3		-	-	12	A
Static characteristics							
I_{GT}	gate trigger current	$V_D = 12 \text{ V}$; $I_T = 0.1 \text{ A}$; T2+ G+; $T_j = 25^\circ\text{C}$; Fig. 7		-	5	35	mA
		$V_D = 12 \text{ V}$; $I_T = 0.1 \text{ A}$; T2+ G-; $T_j = 25^\circ\text{C}$; Fig. 7		-	8	35	mA
		$V_D = 12 \text{ V}$; $I_T = 0.1 \text{ A}$; T2- G-; $T_j = 25^\circ\text{C}$; Fig. 7		-	10	35	mA

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		$V_D = 12 \text{ V}$; $I_T = 0.1 \text{ A}$; T2- G+; $T_j = 25 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$; Fig. 7		-	22	70	mA
Dynamic characteristics							
dV_D/dt	rate of rise of off-state voltage	$V_{DM} = 402 \text{ V}$; $T_j = 125 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$; ($V_{DM} = 67\%$ of V_{DRM}); exponential waveform; gate open circuit		100	250	-	V/ μ s

5. Pinning information

Table 2. Pinning information

Pin	Symbol	Description	Simplified outline	Graphic symbol
1	T1	main terminal 1		
2	T2	main terminal 2		
3	G	gate		
mb	T2	mounting base; main terminal 2	 TO-220AB (SOT78)	

6. Ordering information

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Type number	Package		
	Name	Description	Version
BT138-700E	TO-220AB	plastic single-ended package; heatsink mounted; 1 mounting hole; 3-lead TO-220AB	SOT78

7. Limiting values

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In accordance with the Absolute Maximum Rating System (IEC 60134).

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		full sine wave; $T_{j(init)} = 25$ °C; $t_p = 16.7$ ms		-	105	A
I^2t	I^2t for fusing	$t_p = 10$ ms; sine-wave pulse		-	45	A^2s
dI_T/dt	rate of rise of on-state current	$I_T = 20$ A; $I_G = 0.2$ A; $dI_G/dt = 0.2$ A/ μ s; T2+ G+		-	50	A/μ s
		$I_T = 20$ A; $I_G = 0.2$ A; $dI_G/dt = 0.2$ A/ μ s; T2+ G-		-	50	A/μ s
		$I_T = 20$ A; $I_G = 0.2$ A; $dI_G/dt = 0.2$ A/ μ s; T2- G-		-	50	A/μ s
		$I_T = 20$ A; $I_G = 0.2$ A; $dI_G/dt = 0.2$ A/ μ s; T2- G+		-	10	A/μ s
I_{GM}	peak gate current			-	2	A
P_{GM}	peak gate power			-	5	W
$P_{G(AV)}$	average gate power	over any 20 ms period		-	0.5	W
T_{stg}	storage temperature			-40	150	°C
T_j	junction temperature			-	125	°C

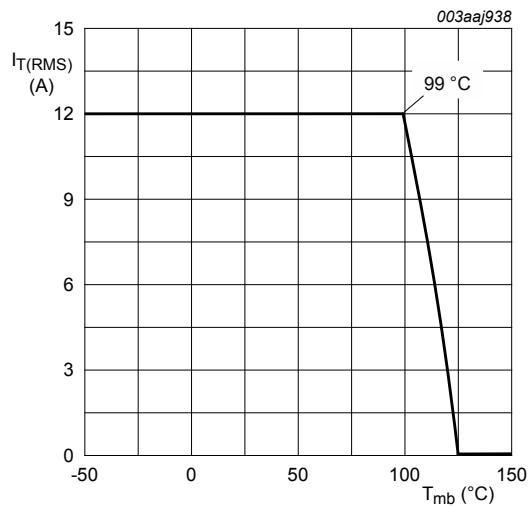
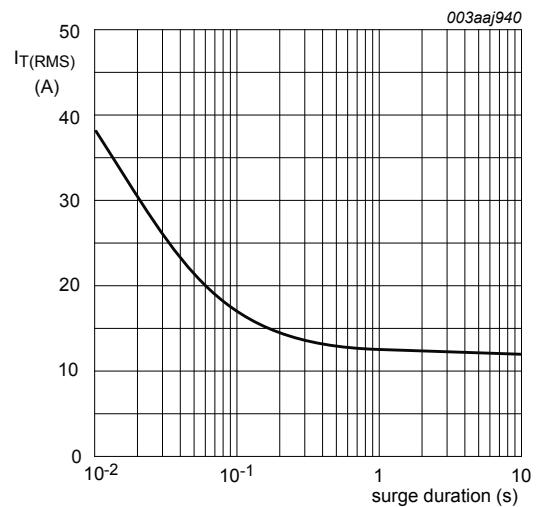
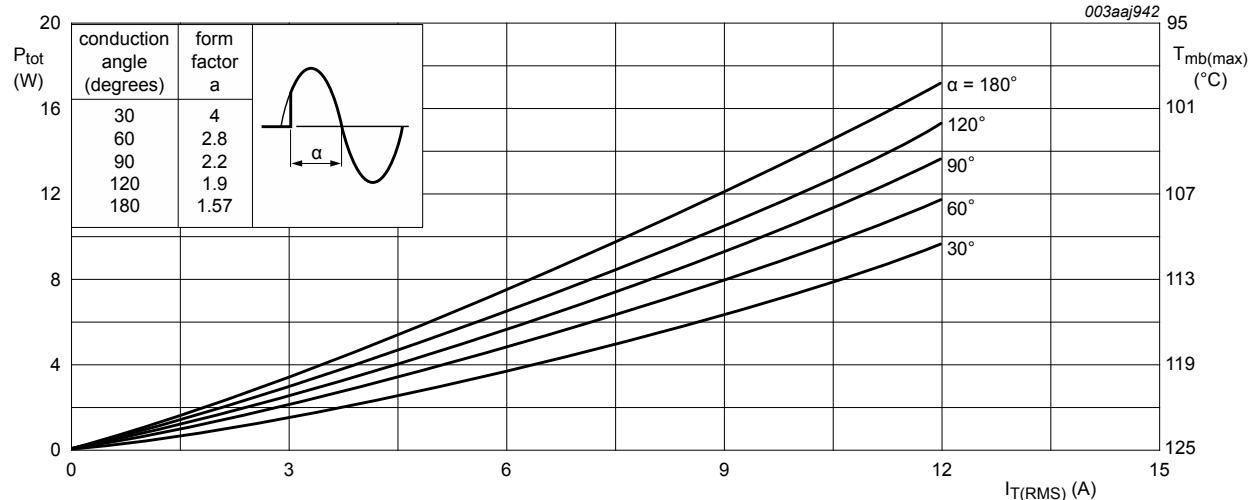


Fig. 1. RMS on-state current as a function of mounting base temperature; maximum values



$f = 50 \text{ Hz}; T_{\text{mb}} = 99^{\circ}\text{C}$

Fig. 2. RMS on-state current as a function of surge duration; maximum values



α = conduction angle

a = form factor = $I_{T(\text{RMS})} / I_{T(\text{AV})}$

Fig. 3. Total power dissipation as a function of RMS on-state current; maximum values

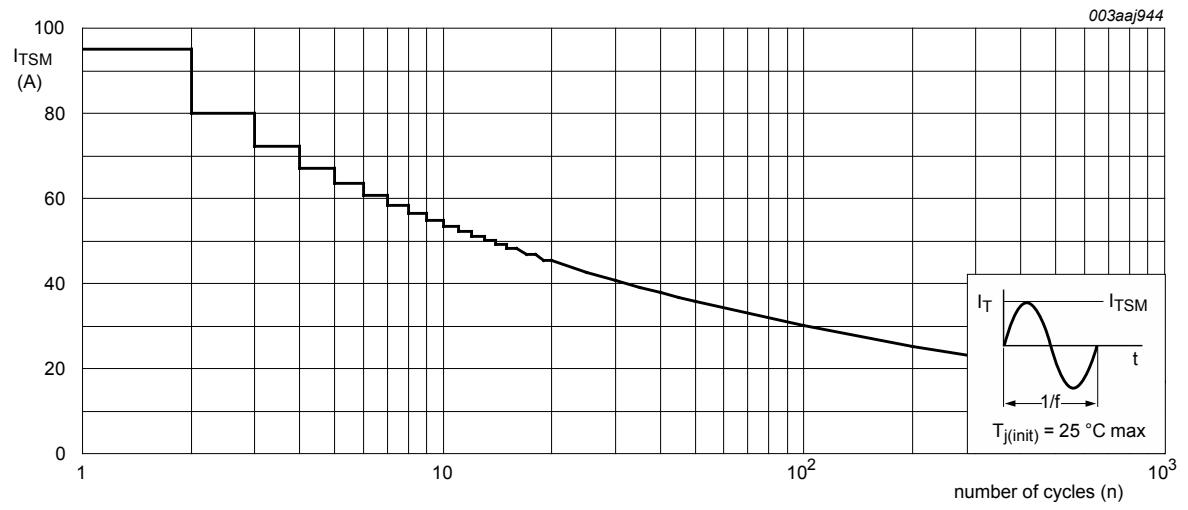


Fig. 4. Non-repetitive peak on-state current as a function of the number of sinusoidal current cycles; maximum values

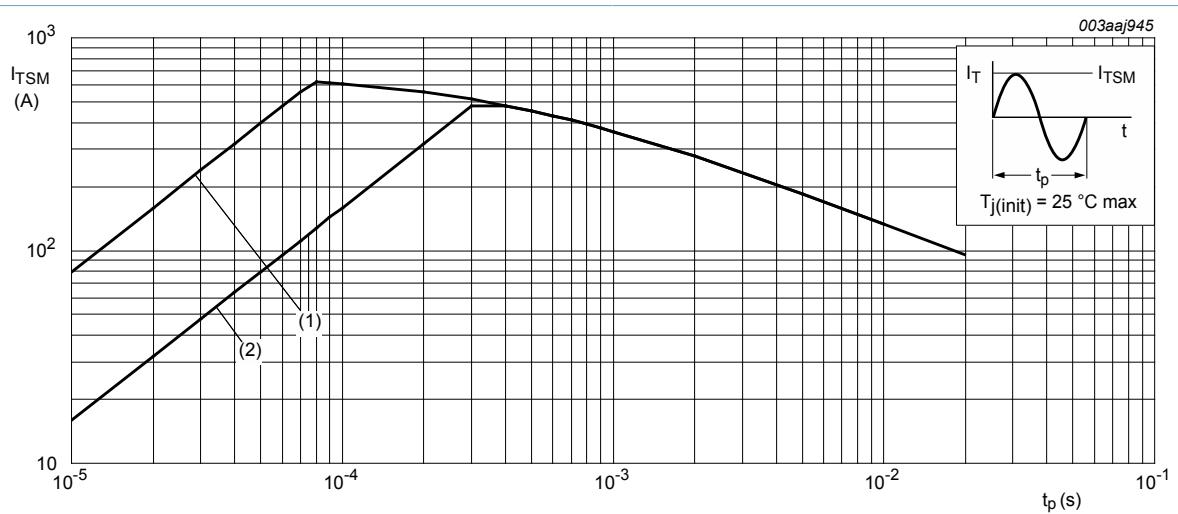
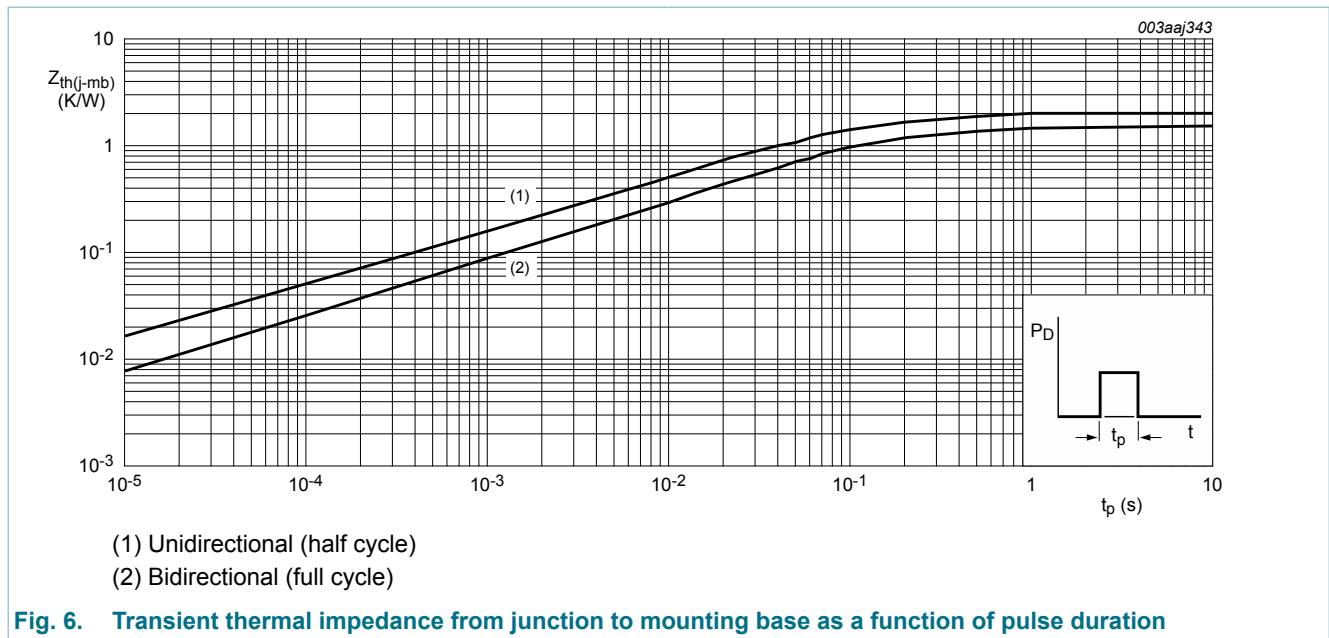


Fig. 5. Non-repetitive peak on-state current as a function of pulse width; maximum values

8. Thermal characteristics

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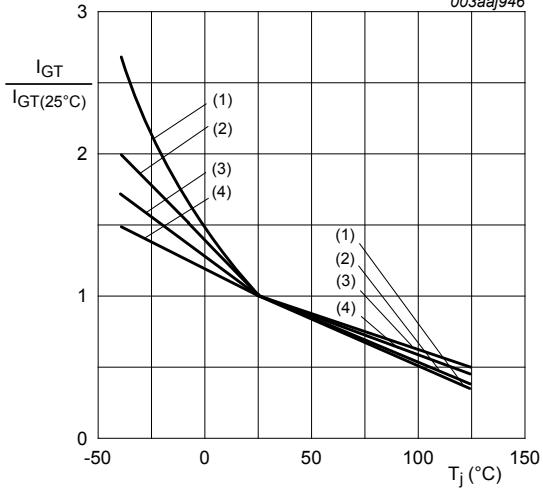
Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
$R_{th(j-mb)}$	thermal resistance from junction to mounting base	full cycle; Fig. 6	-	-	1.5	K/W
		half cycle; Fig. 6	-	-	2	K/W
$R_{th(j-a)}$	thermal resistance from junction to ambient	in free air	-	60	-	K/W



9. Characteristics

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Static characteristics							
I _{GT}	gate trigger current	V _D = 12 V; I _T = 0.1 A; T2+ G+; T _j = 25 °C; Fig. 7		-	5	35	mA
		V _D = 12 V; I _T = 0.1 A; T2+ G-; T _j = 25 °C; Fig. 7		-	8	35	mA
		V _D = 12 V; I _T = 0.1 A; T2- G-; T _j = 25 °C; Fig. 7		-	10	35	mA
		V _D = 12 V; I _T = 0.1 A; T2- G+; T _j = 25 °C; Fig. 7		-	22	70	mA
I _L	latching current	V _D = 12 V; I _G = 0.1 A; T2+ G+; T _j = 25 °C; Fig. 8		-	7	40	mA
		V _D = 12 V; I _G = 0.1 A; T2+ G-; T _j = 25 °C; Fig. 8		-	20	60	mA
		V _D = 12 V; I _G = 0.1 A; T2- G-; T _j = 25 °C; Fig. 8		-	8	40	mA
		V _D = 12 V; I _G = 0.1 A; T2- G+; T _j = 25 °C; Fig. 8		-	10	60	mA
I _H	holding current	V _D = 12 V; T _j = 25 °C; Fig. 9		-	6	30	mA
V _T	on-state voltage	I _T = 15 A; T _j = 25 °C; Fig. 10		-	1.4	1.65	V
V _{GT}	gate trigger voltage	V _D = 12 V; I _T = 0.1 A; T _j = 25 °C; Fig. 11		-	0.7	1	V
		V _D = 400 V; I _T = 0.1 A; T _j = 125 °C; Fig. 11		0.25	0.4	-	V
I _D	off-state current	V _D = 600 V; T _j = 125 °C		-	0.1	0.5	mA
Dynamic characteristics							
dV _D /dt	rate of rise of off-state voltage	V _{DM} = 402 V; T _j = 125 °C; (V _{DM} = 67% of V _{DRM}); exponential waveform; gate open circuit		100	250	-	V/μs
t _{gt}	gate-controlled turn-on time	I _{TM} = 16 A; V _D = 600 V; I _G = 0.1 A; dI _G /dt = 5 A/μs		-	2	-	μs



- (1) T2- G+
- (2) T2- G-
- (3) T2+ G-
- (4) T2+ G+

Fig. 7. Normalized gate trigger current as a function of junction temperature

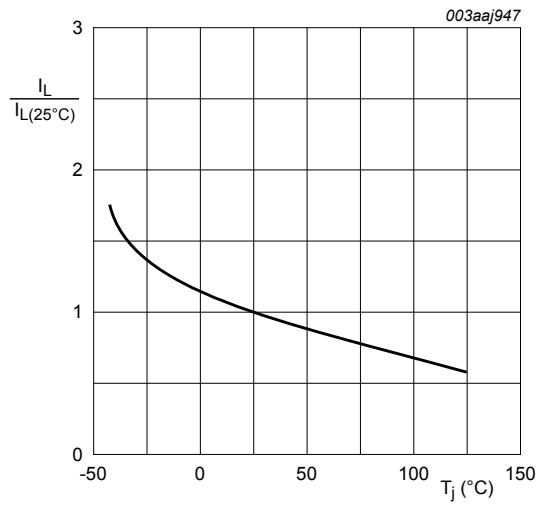


Fig. 8. Normalized latching current as a function of junction temperature

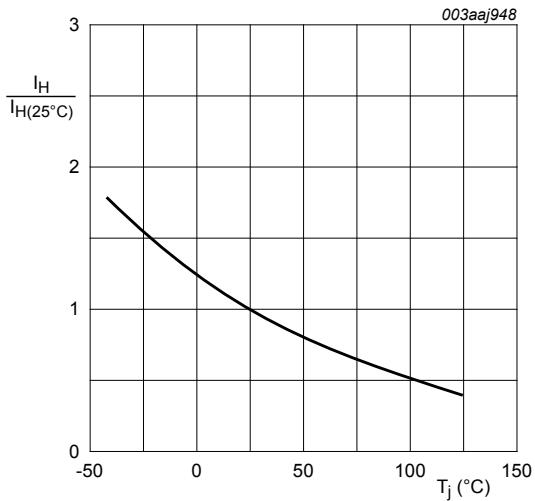
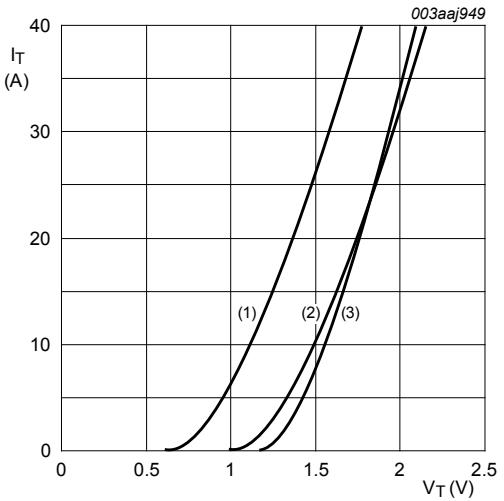


Fig. 9. Normalized holding current as a function of junction temperature



- $V_o = 1.175 \text{ V}$; $R_s = 0.0316 \Omega$
(1) $T_j = 125 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$; typical values
(2) $T_j = 125 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$; maximum values
(3) $T_j = 25 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$; maximum values

Fig. 10. On-state current as a function of on-state voltage

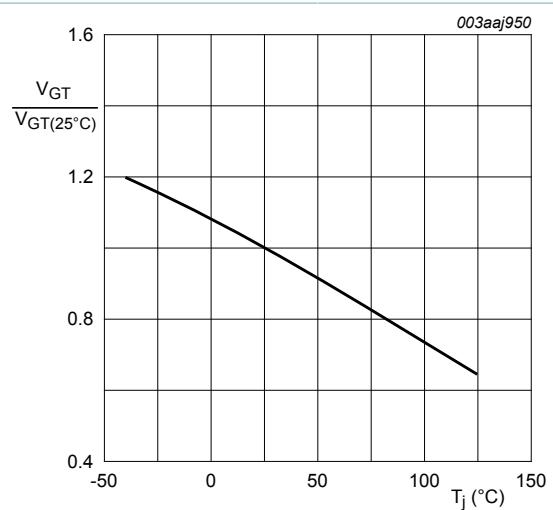
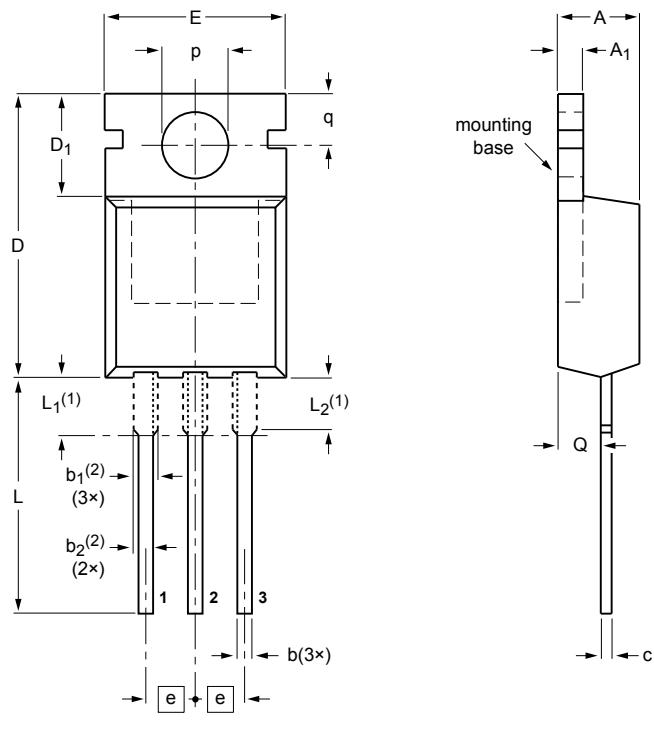


Fig. 11. Normalized gate trigger voltage as a function of junction temperature

10. Package outline

Plastic single-ended package; heatsink mounted; 1 mounting hole; 3-lead TO-220AB

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DIMENSIONS (mm are the original dimensions)

UNIT	A	A ₁	b	b ₁₍₂₎	b ₂₍₂₎	c	D	D ₁	E	e	L	L ₁₍₁₎	L ₂₍₁₎ max.	p	q	Q
mm	4.7	1.40	0.9	1.6	1.3	0.7	16.0	6.6	10.3	2.54	15.0	3.30	3.0	3.8	3.0	2.6
	4.1	1.25	0.6	1.0	1.0	0.4	15.2	5.9	9.7		12.8	2.79	3.0	3.5	2.7	2.2

Notes

1. Lead shoulder designs may vary.
2. Dimension includes excess dambar.

OUTLINE VERSION	REFERENCES				EUROPEAN PROJECTION	ISSUE DATE
	IEC	JEDEC	JEITA			
SOT78		3-lead TO-220AB	SC-46			08-04-23 08-06-13

Fig. 12. Package outline TO-220AB (SOT78)