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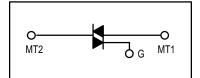
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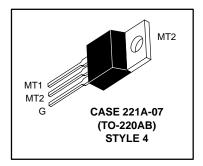
. . . designed primarily for industrial and consumer applications for full wave control of ac loads such as appliance controls, heater controls, motor controls, and other power switching applications.

- Sensitive Gate Triggering in 3 Modes for AC Triggering on Sinking Current Sources
- Four Mode Triggering for Drive Circuits that Source Current
- All Diffused and Glass-Passivated Junctions for Parameter Uniformity and Stability
- Small, Rugged, Thermowatt Construction for Low Thermal resistance and High Heat Dissipation
- Center Gate Geometry for Uniform Current Spreading

MAC228A Series

TRIACs 8 AMPERES RMS 200 thru 800 VOLTS





MAXIMUM RATINGS (T_J = 25°C unless otherwise noted.)

| Rating | | Symbol | Value | Unit |
|---|---|---------------------|--------------------------|------------------|
| Peak Repetitive Off-State Voltage ⁽¹⁾ (T _J = -40 to 110°C 1/2 Sine Wave 50 to 60 Hz, Gate Open) | MAC228A4 MAC228A6 MAC228A8 MAC228A10 | VDRM | 200 400 600 800 | Volts |
| On-State RMS Current (T _C = 80°C) Full Cycle Sine Wave 50 to 60 Hz | | l _{T(RMS)} | 8 | Amps |
| Peak Non-repetitive Surge Current (One Full Cycle 60 Hz, T _J = 110°C) | | ITSM | 80 | Amps |
| Circuit Fusing (t = 8.3 ms) | | l ² t | 26 | A ² s |
| Peak Gate Current (t ≤ 2 μs) | | I _{GM} | ±2 | Amps |
| Peak Gate Voltage (t ≤ 2 μs) | | Vgм | ±10 | Volts |
| Peak Gate Power (t ≤ 2 μs) | | PGM | 20 | Watts |

^{1.} V_{DRM} for all types can be applied on a continuous basis. Blocking voltages shall not be tested with a constant current source such that the voltage ratings of the devices are exceeded.

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MAXIMUM RATINGS — continued

| Rating | Symbol | Value | Unit | |
|---|--------------------|------------|---------|--|
| Average Gate Power ($T_C = 80^{\circ}C$, $t \le 8.3 \text{ ms}$) | P _{G(AV)} | 0.5 | Watts | |
| Operating Junction Temperature Range | TJ | -40 to 110 | °C | |
| Storage Temperature Range | T _{stg} | -40 to 150 | °C | |
| Mounting Torque | | 8 | in. lb. | |

THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS

| Symbol | Parameter | Value | Unit |
|--|---|-------------|------|
| R _θ JC R _θ JA | Thermal Resistance — Junction to Case — Junction to Ambient | 2.0 62.5 | °C/W |
| TL | Maximum Lead Temperature for Soldering Purposes 1/8" from Case for 10 Seconds | 260 | °C |

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS ($T_C = 25^{\circ}C$ and either polarity of MT2 to MT1 voltage unless otherwise noted.)

| Characteristic | Symbol | Min | Тур | Max | Unit |
|---|-----------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|----------|
| Peak Blocking Current $(V_D = Rated V_{DRM})$ $T_J = 25^{\circ}C$ $T_J = 110^{\circ}C$ | IDRM | _ | _ | 10 2 | μA mA |
| Peak On-State Voltage (I_{TM} = 11 A Peak, Pulse Width \leq 2 ms, Duty Cycle \leq 2%) | VTM | _ | _ | 1.8 | Volts |
| Gate Trigger Current (Continuous dc) $ (V_D=12~V,~R_L=100~\Omega) \\ MT2(+),~G(+);~MT2(+),~G(-);~MT2(-),~G(-) \\ MT2(-),~G(+) $ | lGT | | _ | 5 10 | mA |
| Gate Trigger Voltage (Continuous dc) $ (V_D = 12 \text{ V}, \text{ R}_L = 100 \Omega) \\ \text{MT2(+)}, \text{ G(+)}; \text{MT2(+)}, \text{ G(-)}; \text{MT2(-)}, \text{ G(-)} \\ \text{MT2(-)}, \text{ G(+)} \\ (V_D = \text{Rated V}_{DRM}, \text{T}_C = 110^{\circ}\text{C}, \text{ R}_L = 10 \text{ k}) \\ \text{MT2(+)}, \text{ G(+)}; \text{MT2(+)}, \text{ G(-)}; \text{MT2(-)}, \text{ G(-)} \\ \text{MT2(-)}, \text{ G(+)} $ | VGT | 0.2 0.2 | _ _ _ _ | 2 2.5 — — | Volts |
| Holding Current (V _D = 12 Vdc, I _{TM} = 200 mA, Gate Open) | lн | _ | _ | 15 | mA |
| Gate–Controlled Turn–On Time (V _D = Rated V _{DRM} , I _{TM} = 16 A Peak, I _G = 30 mA) | t _{gt} | | 1.5 | _ | μs |
| Critical Rate of Rise of Off-State Voltage (V _D = Rated V _{DRM} , Exponential Waveform, T _C = 110°C) | dv/dt | _ | 25 | _ | V/μs |
| Critical Rate of Rise of Commutation Voltage (V_D = Rated V_{DRM} , I_{TM} = 11.3 A, Commutating di/dt = 4.1 A/ms, Gate Unenergized, T_C = 80°C) | dv/dt(c) | _ | 5 | _ | V/μs |

FIGURE 1 - RMS CURRENT DERATING

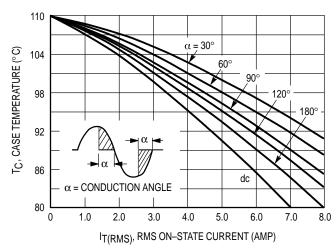
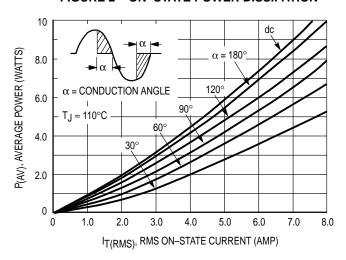
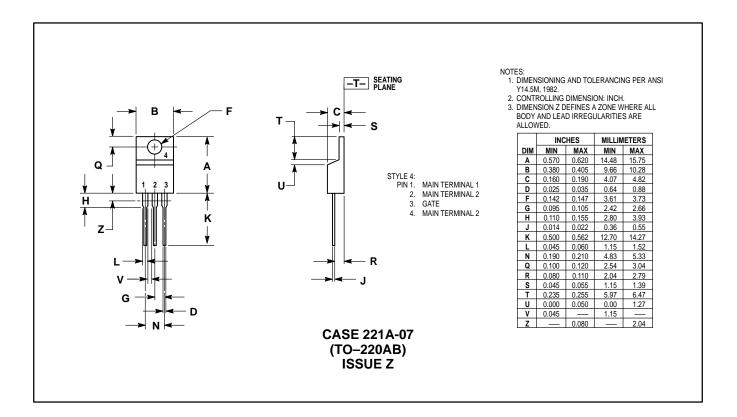


FIGURE 2 - ON-STATE POWER DISSIPATION



PACKAGE DIMENSIONS



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