

## 1. General description

Planar passivated high commutation three quadrant triac in a SOT78 (TO-220AB) plastic package. This "series E" triac balances the requirements of commutation performance and gate sensitivity and is intended for interfacing with low power drivers and logic ICs including microcontrollers.

## 2. Features and benefits

- 3Q technology for improved noise immunity
- Direct interfacing with low power drivers and logic ICs
- High commutation capability
- High voltage capability
- Planar passivated for voltage ruggedness and reliability
- Sensitive gate for easy logic level triggering
- Triggering in three quadrants only

## 3. Applications

- Electronic thermostats
- General purpose motor controls

## 4. Quick reference data

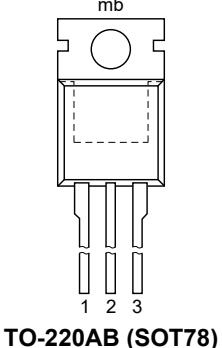
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Symbol	Parameter	Conditions		Min	Typ	Max	Unit
$V_{DRM}$	repetitive peak off-state voltage			-	-	800	V
$I_{T(RMS)}$	RMS on-state current	full sine wave; $T_{mb} \leq 102^\circ\text{C}$ ; <a href="#">Fig. 1</a> ; <a href="#">Fig. 2</a> ; <a href="#">Fig. 3</a>		-	-	8	A
$I_{TSM}$	non-repetitive peak on-state current	full sine wave; $T_{j(\text{init})} = 25^\circ\text{C}$ ; $t_p = 20\text{ ms}$ ; <a href="#">Fig. 4</a> ; <a href="#">Fig. 5</a>		-	-	65	A
		full sine wave; $T_{j(\text{init})} = 25^\circ\text{C}$ ; $t_p = 16.7\text{ ms}$		-	-	72	A
$T_j$	junction temperature			-	-	125	$^\circ\text{C}$
<b>Static characteristics</b>							
$I_{GT}$	gate trigger current	$V_D = 12\text{ V}$ ; $I_T = 0.1\text{ A}$ ; T2+ G+; $T_j = 25^\circ\text{C}$ ; <a href="#">Fig. 7</a>		-	-	10	mA
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Symbol	Parameter	Conditions		Min	Typ	Max	Unit
I <sub>H</sub>	holding current	V <sub>D</sub> = 12 V; T <sub>j</sub> = 25 °C; <a href="#">Fig. 9</a>		-	-	25	mA
V <sub>T</sub>	on-state voltage	I <sub>T</sub> = 10 A; T <sub>j</sub> = 25 °C; <a href="#">Fig. 10</a>		-	-	1.65	V
<b>Dynamic characteristics</b>							
dV <sub>D</sub> /dt	rate of rise of off-state voltage	V <sub>DM</sub> = 535 V; T <sub>j</sub> = 110 °C; (V <sub>DM</sub> = 67% of V <sub>DRM</sub> ); exponential waveform; gate open circuit		60	-	-	V/μs
dI <sub>com</sub> /dt	rate of change of commutating current	V <sub>D</sub> = 400 V; T <sub>j</sub> = 125 °C; I <sub>T(RMS)</sub> = 8 A; dV <sub>com</sub> /dt = 10 V/μs; gate open circuit; <a href="#">Fig. 12</a>		5	-	-	A/ms
		V <sub>D</sub> = 400 V; T <sub>j</sub> = 125 °C; I <sub>T(RMS)</sub> = 8 A; dV <sub>com</sub> /dt = 0.1 V/μs; gate open circuit		10	-	-	A/ms

## 5. Pinning information

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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	 <b>TO-220AB (SOT78)</b>	 sym051

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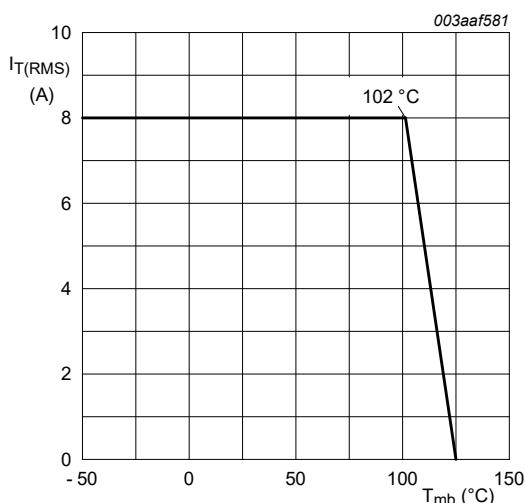
Type number	Package		
	Name	Description	Version
BTA208-800E	TO-220AB	plastic single-ended package; heatsink mounted; 1 mounting hole; 3-lead TO-220AB	SOT78

## 7. Limiting values

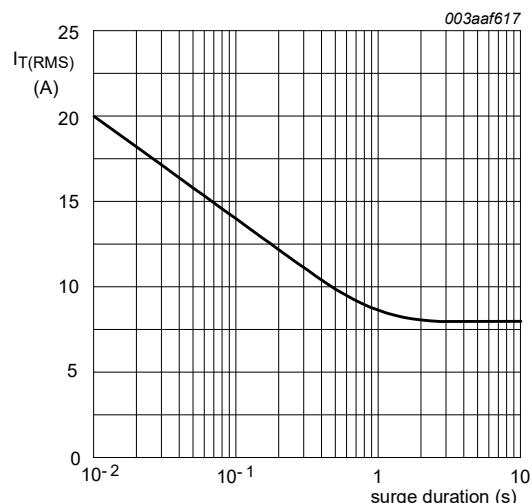
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In accordance with the Absolute Maximum Rating System (IEC 60134).

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		full sine wave; $T_{j(\text{init})} = 25^\circ\text{C}$ ; $t_p = 16.7\text{ ms}$		-	72	A
$I^2t$	$I^2t$ for fusing	$t_p = 10\text{ ms}$ ; SIN		-	21	$\text{A}^2\text{s}$
$dI_T/dt$	rate of rise of on-state current	$I_G = 0.2\text{ A}$		-	100	$\text{A}/\mu\text{s}$
$I_{GM}$	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	$^\circ\text{C}$
$T_j$	junction temperature			-	125	$^\circ\text{C}$



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



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

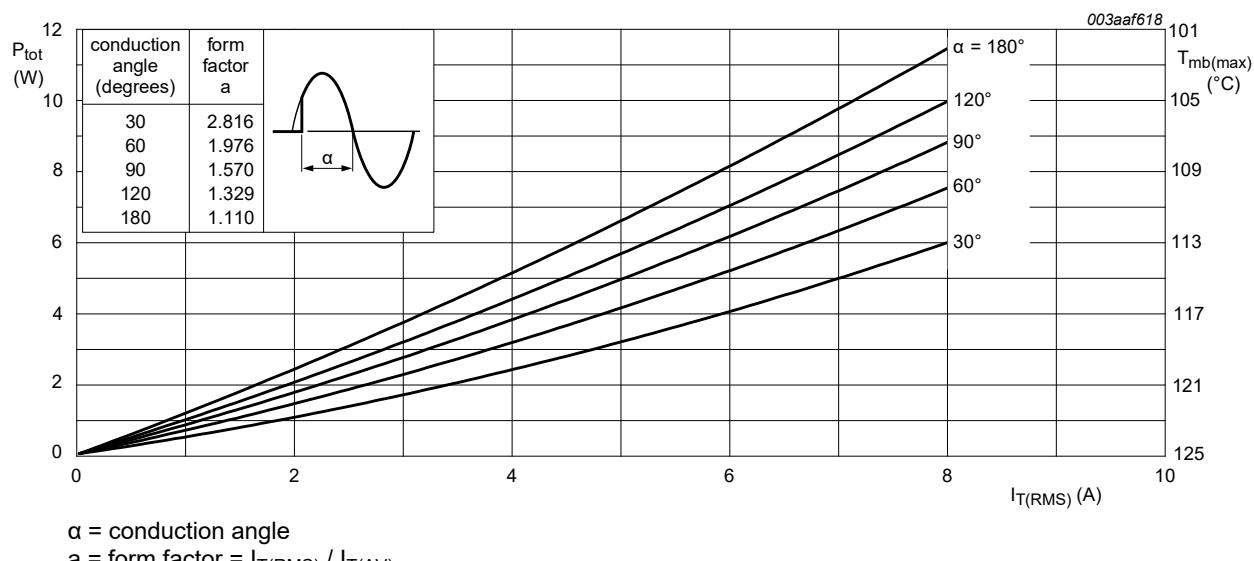


Fig. 3. Total power dissipation as a function of RMS on-state current; maximum values

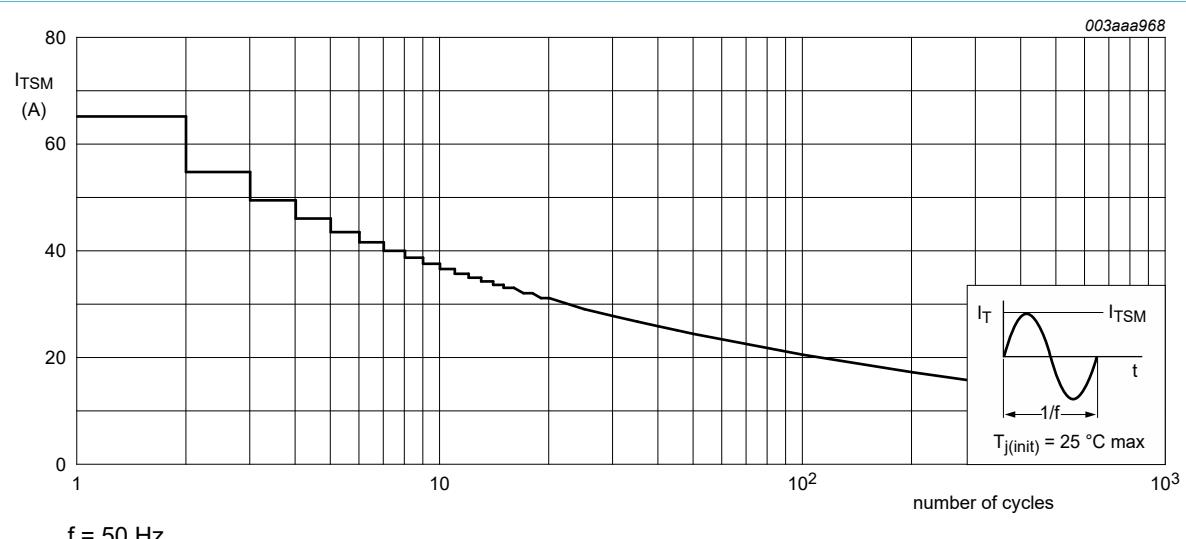


Fig. 4. Non-repetitive peak on-state current as a function of the number of sinusoidal current cycles; maximum values

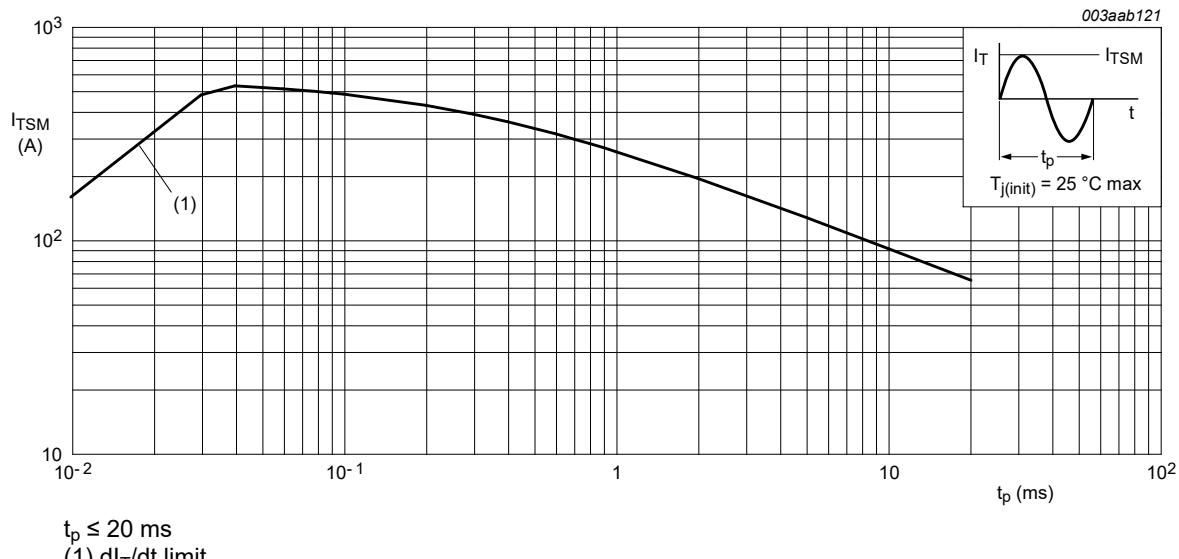


Fig. 5. Non-repetitive peak on-state current as a function of pulse width; maximum values

## 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	-	-	2	K/W
		half cycle; Fig. 6	-	-	2.4	K/W
$R_{th(j-a)}$	thermal resistance from junction to ambient free air	in free air	-	60	-	K/W

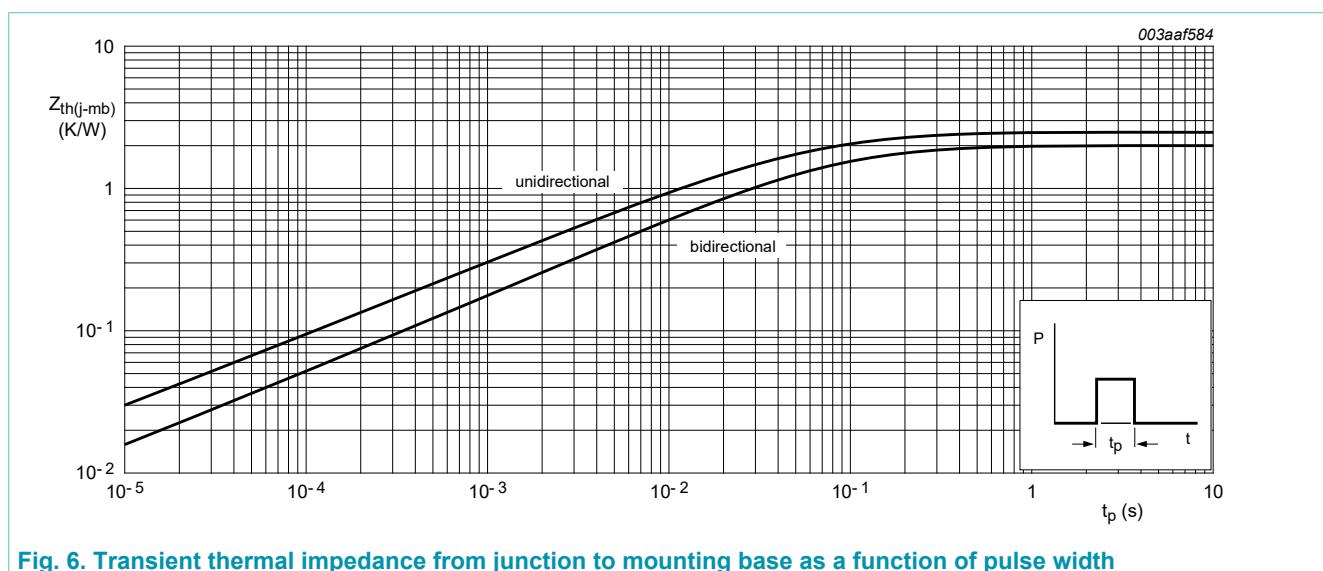


Fig. 6. Transient thermal impedance from junction to mounting base as a function of pulse width

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I <sub>L</sub>	latching current	V <sub>D</sub> = 12 V; I <sub>G</sub> = 0.1 A; T2+ G+; T <sub>j</sub> = 25 °C; <a href="#">Fig. 8</a>		-	-	25	mA
		V <sub>D</sub> = 12 V; I <sub>G</sub> = 0.1 A; T2+ G-; T <sub>j</sub> = 25 °C; <a href="#">Fig. 8</a>		-	-	30	mA
		V <sub>D</sub> = 12 V; I <sub>G</sub> = 0.1 A; T2- G-; T <sub>j</sub> = 25 °C; <a href="#">Fig. 8</a>		-	-	30	mA
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V <sub>GT</sub>	gate trigger voltage	V <sub>D</sub> = 12 V; I <sub>T</sub> = 0.1 A; T <sub>j</sub> = 25 °C; <a href="#">Fig. 11</a>		-	0.7	1	V
		V <sub>D</sub> = 400 V; I <sub>T</sub> = 0.1 A; T <sub>j</sub> = 125 °C; <a href="#">Fig. 11</a>		0.25	0.4	-	V
I <sub>D</sub>	off-state current	V <sub>D</sub> = 800 V; T <sub>j</sub> = 125 °C		-	-	0.5	mA
<b>Dynamic characteristics</b>							
dV <sub>D</sub> /dt	rate of rise of off-state voltage	V <sub>DM</sub> = 535 V; T <sub>j</sub> = 110 °C; (V <sub>DM</sub> = 67% of V <sub>DRM</sub> ); exponential waveform; gate open circuit		60	-	-	V/μs
dI <sub>com</sub> /dt	rate of change of commutating current	V <sub>D</sub> = 400 V; T <sub>j</sub> = 125 °C; I <sub>T(RMS)</sub> = 8 A; dV <sub>com</sub> /dt = 10 V/μs; gate open circuit; <a href="#">Fig. 12</a>		5	-	-	A/ms
		V <sub>D</sub> = 400 V; T <sub>j</sub> = 125 °C; I <sub>T(RMS)</sub> = 8 A; dV <sub>com</sub> /dt = 0.1 V/μs; gate open circuit		10	-	-	A/ms

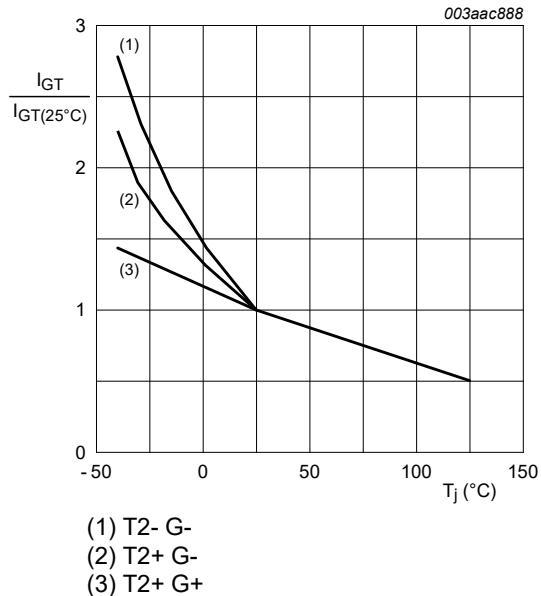


Fig. 7. Normalized gate trigger current as a function of junction temperature

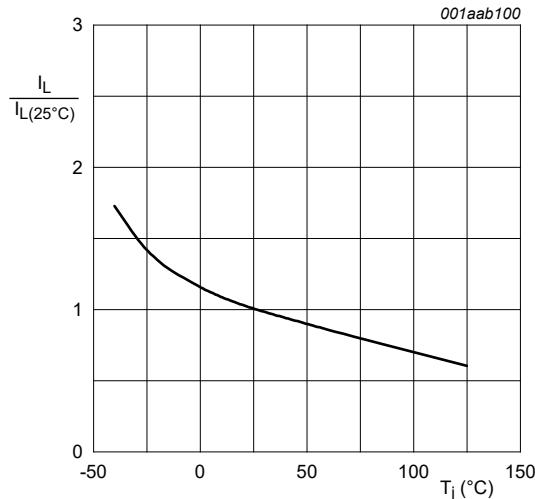


Fig. 8. Normalized latching current as a function of junction temperature

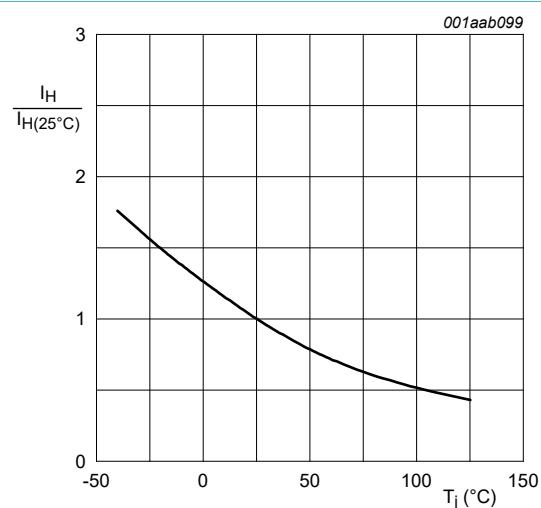


Fig. 9. Normalized holding current as a function of junction temperature

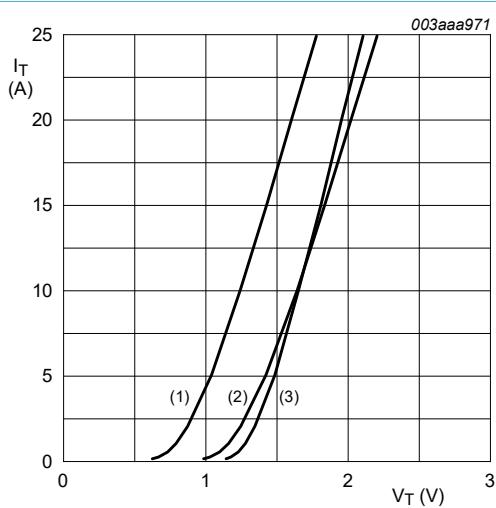
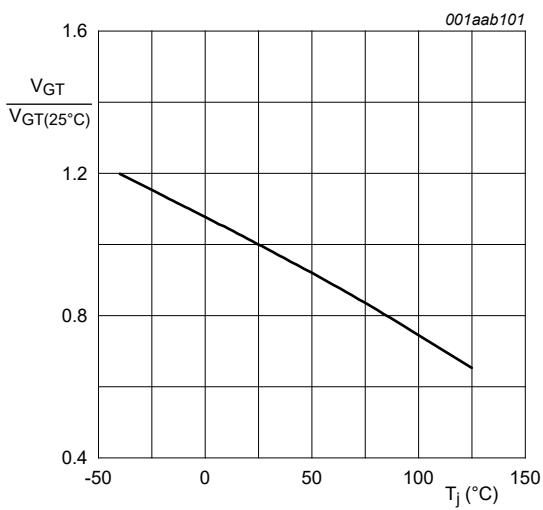
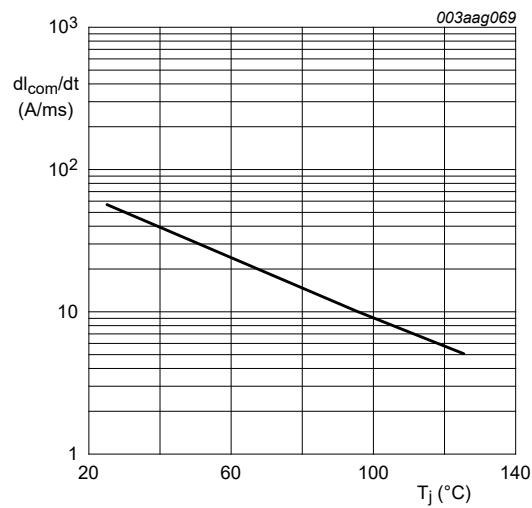


Fig. 10. On-state current as a function of on-state voltage



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

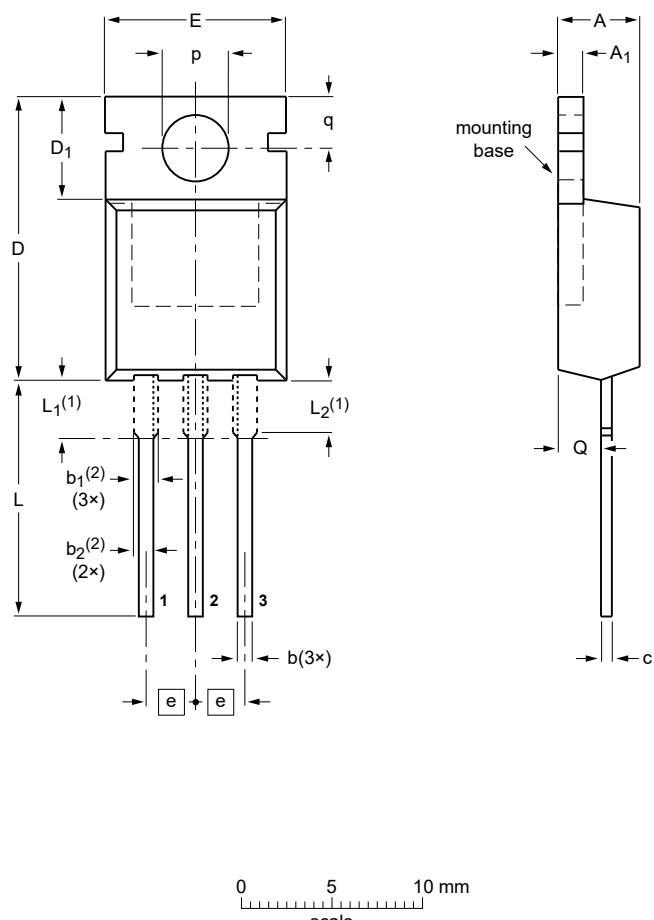


**Fig. 12. Rate of change of commutating current as a function of junction temperature; minimum values**

## 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 <sub>1</sub>	b	b <sub>1(2)</sub>	b <sub>2(2)</sub>	c	D	D <sub>1</sub>	E	e	L	L <sub>1(1)</sub>	L <sub>2(1)</sub> 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. 13. Package outline TO-220AB (SOT78)