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## Flat-Base Silicon Rectifier Diodes Type HHN/HHR320 320 amperes average: up to 2400 volts $V_{RRM}$

RATINGS Maximum values at 180°C  $T_j$  unless stated otherwise

RATING	CONDITIONS	SYMBOL	
Average forward current	Half sine wave 100°C case temperature	$I_F(AV)$	320A
RMS current		$I_F(RMS)$	600A
DC forward current		$I_F$	600A
Peak one-cycle surge (non repetitive)	10ms duration $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 60\% V_{RRM} \text{ re-applied} \\ V_R \leqslant 10 \text{ volts} \end{array} \right.$	$I_{FSM(1)}$	4000A
Maximum permissible surge energy	10ms duration $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 60\% V_{RRM} \text{ re-applied} \\ V_R \leqslant 10 \text{ volts} \end{array} \right.$	$I_{FSM(2)}$	4400A
	3ms duration $V_R \leqslant 10 \text{ volts}$	$I^2t(1)$	$80000A^2s$
Case operating temperature		$I^2t(2)$	$96800A^2s$
Storage temperature		$T_C$	$71580A^2s$
		$T_{stg}$	-30, +180°C
			-40, +200°C

CHARACTERISTICS Maximum values at 180°C  $T_j$  unless stated otherwise

CHARACTERISTIC	CONDITIONS	SYMBOL	
Peak forward voltage drop	At 1000A, $I_{FM}$	$V_{FM}$	1.84V
Forward conduction threshold voltage		$V_0$	1V
Forward conduction slope resistance		$r$	0.83mΩ
Peak reverse current	At $V_{RRM}$	$I_{RRM}$	15mA
Thermal resistance junction to case for a diode with a maximum forward voltage drop characteristic	DC and 180° sine wave 120° rectangular wave	$R_{th(j-c)}$	0.15°C/W 0.16°C/W
Thermal resistance case to heatsink		$R_{th(c-hs)}$	0.04°C/W

VOLTAGE CODE →	16	18	20	22	24				
Repetitive voltage $V_{RRM}$	1600	1800	2000	2200	2400				
Non-repetitive voltage $V_{RSM}$	1700	1900	2100	2300	2500				

ORDERING INFORMATION (Please quote device code as explained below - 10 digits)

S	W	● ●	H H	●	3 2 0
FIXED BASIC CODE	VOLTAGE CODE (see above)		FIXED OUTLINE CODE	BASE POLARITY N = cathode R = anode	FIXED TYPE CODE

Typical code SW18HHR320 = 1800V<sub>RRM</sub> diode with base anode

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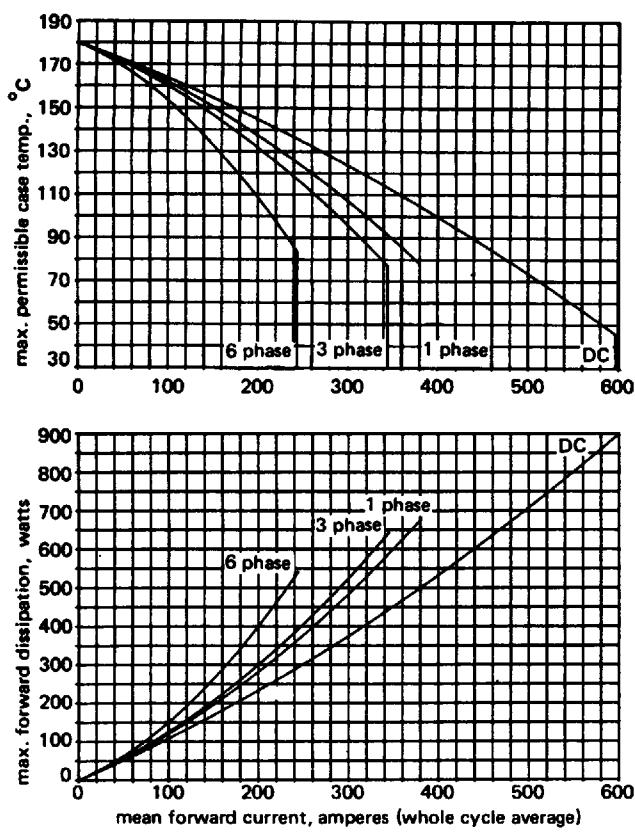


Figure 1 Dissipation and stud temperature v. mean forward current

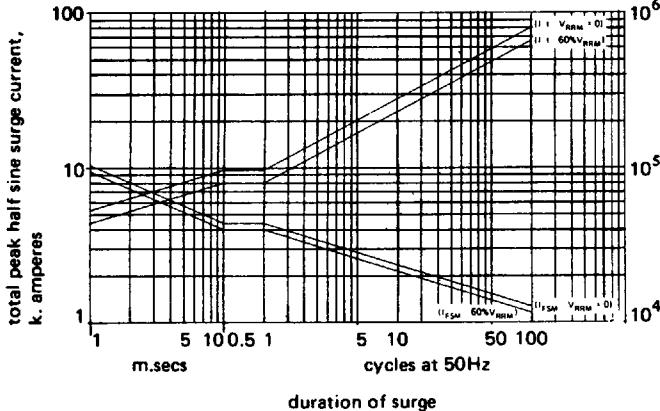


Figure 2 Max. non repetitive surge current at initial junction temperature 180°C

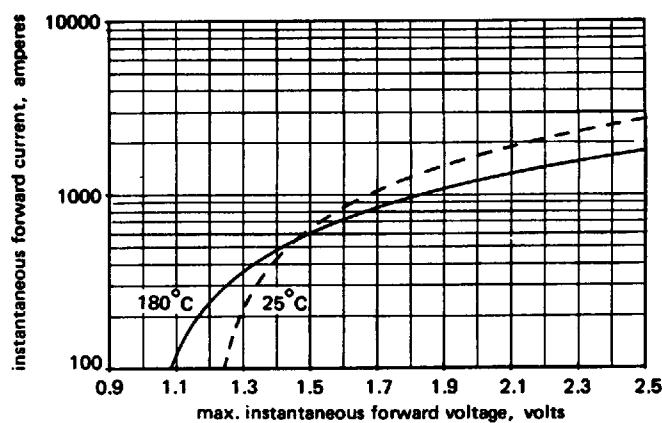


Figure 3 Forward voltage characteristic

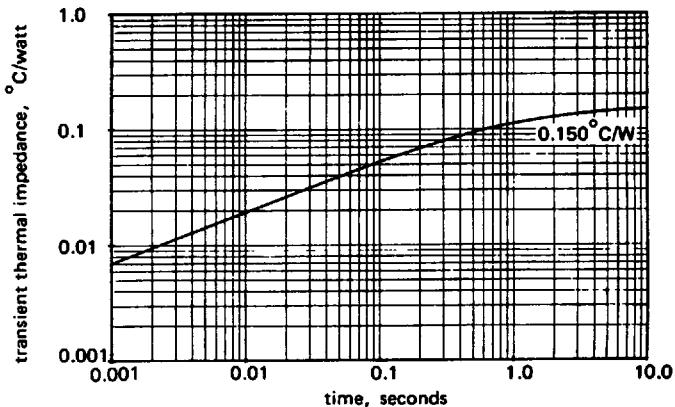
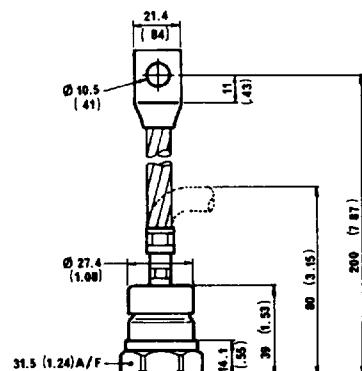


Figure 4 Transient thermal impedance, junction to case



Mounting:  
Clamp Kit 170A102  
Weight: 200 grams  
dimensions  
in mm (inches)

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