

20 A Snubberless™ Triacs

Datasheet - production data

Features

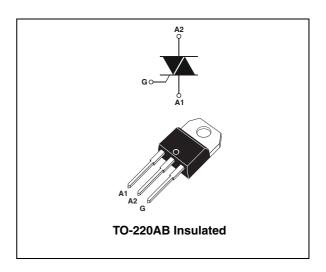
- I_{T(RMS)} = 20 A
- V_{DRM} , $V_{RRM} = 600$ and 700 V
- $I_{GT (Q1)}$ (max) = 35 and 50 mA

Description

The BTA20 Triacs use high performance glass passivated chip technology. The Snubberless concept offers suppression of the RC network and is suitable for applications such as phase control and static switching on inductive or resistive load.

Thanks to their clip assembly technique, the BTA20 Triacs provide a superior performance in surge current handling capabilities.

By using an internal ceramic pad, the BTA series provides voltage insulated tab (rated at 2500 V rms) complying with UL standards (File ref.: E81734).



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Table 1. Absolute maximum ratings

Symbol	Parameter			Value	Unit	
I _{T(RMS)}	On-state rms current (full sine wave) T _c =		T _c = 70 °C	20	Α	
1 -	Non repetitive surge peak on-state	F = 50 Hz	t = 10 ms	210	Α	
I _{TSM}	current (full cycle, T _j initial = 25°C)	F = 60 Hz	t = 8.3 ms	200		
l ² t	I ² t Value for fusing	t _p = 10 ms		200	A ² s	
dl/dt	Critical rate of rise of on-state current $I_G = 2 \times I_{GT}$, $t_r \le 100 \text{ ns}$	Repetitive F = 50 Hz	T _i = 125 °C	50	A/µs	
		Non repetitive		100		
V _{DSM} , V _{RSM}	Non repetitive peak off-state voltage	$t_p = 10 \text{ ms}$ $T_j = 25 \text{ °C}$		V _{DSM} /V _{RSM} + 100	V	
I _{GM}	Peak gate current	t _p = 20 μs		4	Α	
V _{GM}	Peak positive gate voltage $t_p = 20 \mu s$			16	٧	
P _{G(AV)}	Average gate power dissipation $T_j = 125$ °C		1	W		
T _{stg}	Storage junction temperature range			- 40 to + 150	°C	
T _j	Operating junction temperature range			- 40 to + 125		

Table 2. Electrical characteristics ($T_j = 25$ °C, unless otherwise specified)

Symbol	Test conditions	Quadrant		BTA20		Unit	
Symbol	rest conditions	Quadrant		BW	CW	Oill	
I _{GT} ⁽¹⁾	$V_D = 12 \text{ V}, R_L = 33 \Omega$	ALL	Min.	2	1	mA	
'GT`			Max.	50	35		
V _{GT}		ALL	Max.	1.5		V	
V _{GD}	$V_D = V_{DRM}$, $R_L = 3.3 \text{ k}\Omega$, $T_j = 125 ^{\circ}\text{C}$	ALL	Min.	0.2		٧	
I _H ⁽²⁾	I _T = 500 mA, gate open		Max.	75	50	mA	
	I _G = 1.2 I _{GT}	I - III	Tun	50	-	mA	
IL		II	Тур.	90	-		
		1 - 11 - 111	Max.	-	80		
dV/dt ⁽²⁾	V _D = 67% V _{DRM,} gate open	T _j = 125 °C	Тур.	750	500	Mus	
			Min.	500	250	V/µs	
(dV/dt)c (2)	(dl/dt)c = 20 A/ms	T _j = 125 °C	C Typ. Min.	36	22	V/µs	
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^{1.} Minimum $I_{\mbox{\scriptsize GT}}$ is guaranteed at 5% of $I_{\mbox{\scriptsize GT}}$ max.

^{2.} For both polarities of A2 referenced to A1.

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Table 3. Static characteristics

Symbol	Parameter		Value	Unit	
V _{TM} ⁽¹⁾	$I_{TM} = 28 \text{ A}, t_p = 380 \mu\text{s}$	T _j = 125 °C	Max.	1.70	V
I _{DRM}	VV	T _j = 125 °C	Max.	10	μA
I _{RRM}	$V_{DRM} = V_{RRM}$	T _j = 125 °C	iviax.	3	mA

^{1.} For both polarities of A2 referenced to A1.

Table 4. Thermal resistances

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Unit
R _{th(j-c)}	Junction to case for AC	2.1	
R _{th(j-c)}	Junction to case for DC	2.8	°C/W
R _{th(j-a)}	Junction to ambient	60	

Figure 1. Maximum power dissipation versus Figure 2. on-state rms current (full cycle)

Correlation between maximum rms power dissipation and maximum allowable temperatures

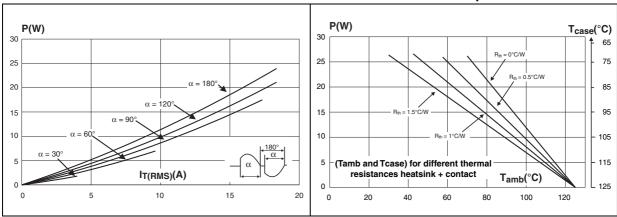
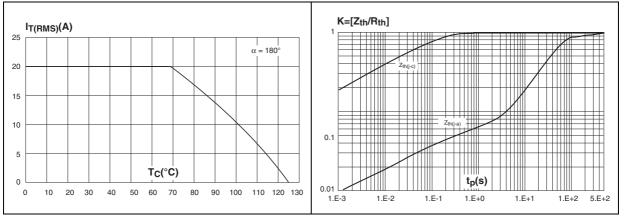


Figure 3. On-state rms current versus case temperature (full cycle)

Figure 4. Relative variation of thermal impedance versus pulse duration



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Figure 5. On-state characteristics (maximum values)

Figure 6. Non repetitive surge peak on-state current versus number of cycles

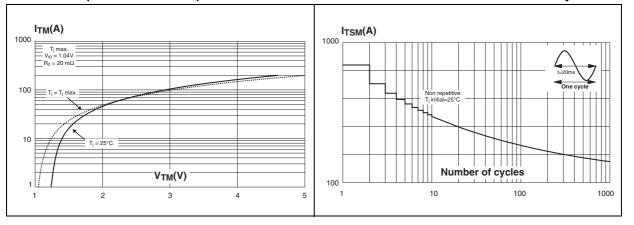
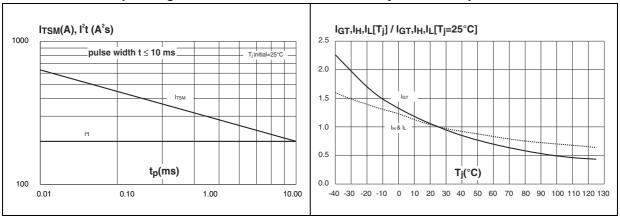


Figure 7. Non repetitive surge peak on-state Figure 8. current for a sinusoidal pulse and corresponding value of I²t

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Relative variation of gate trigger current and holding current versus junction temperature



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Figure 9. Ordering information scheme

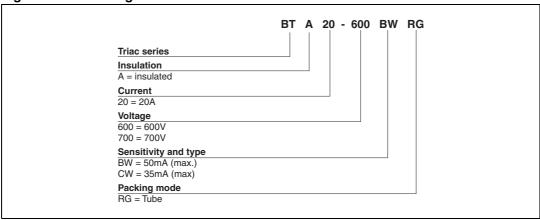


Table 5. Product selector

Order code	Voltage		Concitivity	Time	Dooksess	
Order code	600 V	700 V	Sensitivity	Туре	Package	
BTA20-600CWRG	X		35 mA			
BTA20-700BWRG		Х	50 mA	Snubberless	TO-220AB Ins.	
BTA20-700CWRG		Х	35 mA			

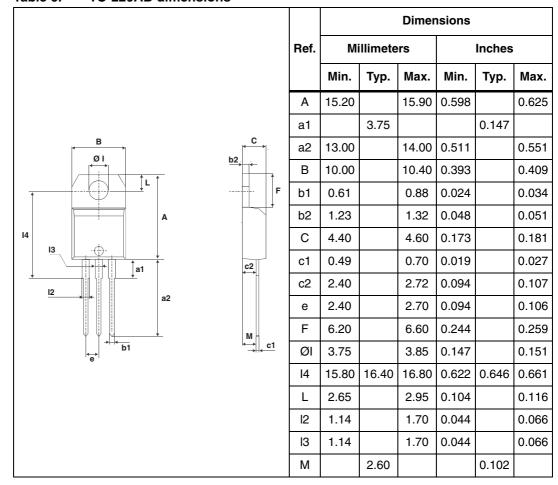
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- Epoxy meets UL94, V0
- Lead-free package

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Table 6. TO-220AB dimensions



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Table 7. Ordering information

Ordering type	Marking	Package	Weight	Base qty	Delivery mode
BTA20-600CWRG	BTA20-600CW				
BTA20-700BWRG	BTA20-700BW	TO-220AB Ins.	2.3 g	50	Tube
BTA20-700CWRG	BTA20-700CW				

5 Revision history

Table 8. Document revision history

Date	Revision	Changes
Sep-2001	1A	Initial release.
08-Feb-2006	2	TO-220AB Ins. delivery mode changed from bulk to tube.
09-Jul-2012	3	Updated dI/dt repetitive value in <i>Table 1</i> .

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