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Tx 270318 ANSUSE I -**FAST RECOVERY DIODE****ARF240**

Repetitive voltage up to	2500 V
Mean forward current	280 A
Surge current	3 kA

FINAL SPECIFICATION

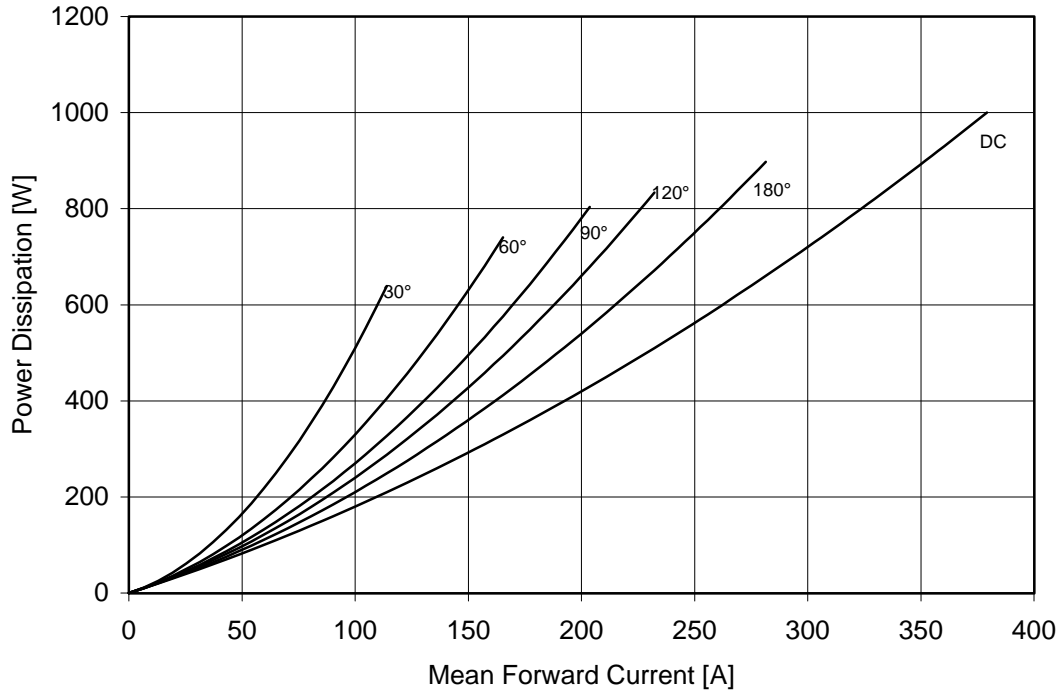
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Symbol	Characteristic	Conditions	T _j [°C]	Value	Unit
BLOCKING					
V _{RRM}	Repetitive peak reverse voltage		150	2500	V
V _{RSM}	Non-repetitive peak reverse voltage		150	2600	V
I _{RRM}	Repetitive peak reverse current	V=VRRM	150	50	mA
CONDUCTING					
I _{F(AV)}	Mean forward current	180° sin ,50 Hz, Th=55°C, double side cooled		280	A
I _{F(AV)}	Mean forward current	180° square,50 Hz,Th=55°C,double side cooled		285	A
I _{FSM}	Surge forward current	Sine wave, 10 ms reapplied reverse voltage up to 50% VRSM	150	3	kA
I ² t	I ² t			45 x1E3	A ² s
V _{FM}	Forward voltage	Forward current : 1000 A	25	4.8	V
V _{F(TO)}	Threshold voltage		150	1.50	V
r _F	Forward slope resistance		150	3.00	mohm
SWITCHING					
t _{rr}	Reverse recovery time	I _F = 200 A di/dt = 80 A/μs VR = 100 V	150	2.0	μs
Q _{rr}	Reverse recovery charge			90	μC
I _{rr}	Peak reverse recovery current			90	A
s	Softness (s-factor), min			0.4	
V _{FR}	Peak forward recovery	di/dt = 400 A/μs	150	30	V
MOUNTING					
R _{th(j-h)}	Thermal impedance	Junction to heatsink, double side cooled		95	°C/kW
T _j	Operating junction temperature			-30 / 150	°C
F	Mounting force			4.5 / 5.0	kN
	Mass			55	g

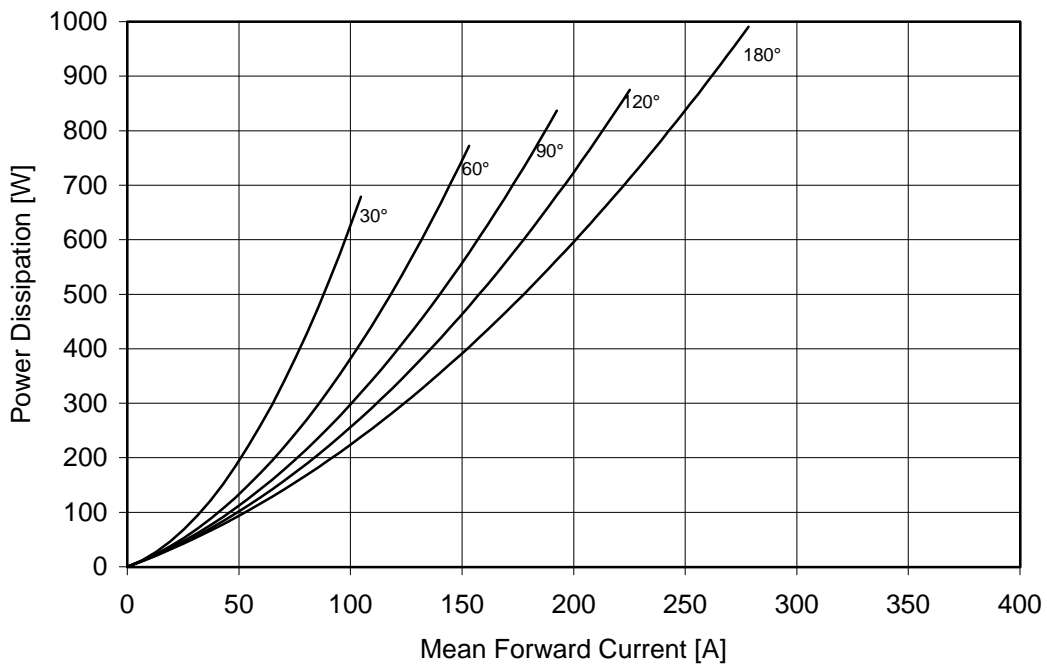
ORDERING INFORMATION : ARF240 S 25standard specification VRRM/100

DISSIPATION CHARACTERISTICS

SQUARE WAVE

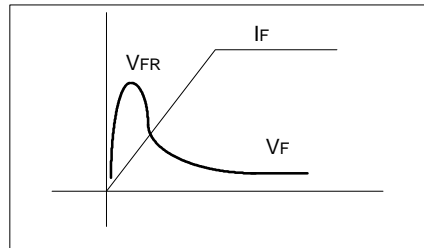
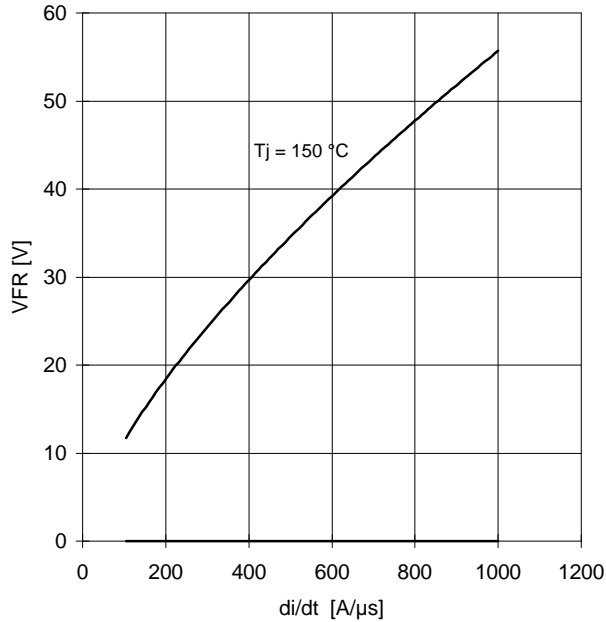


SINE WAVE

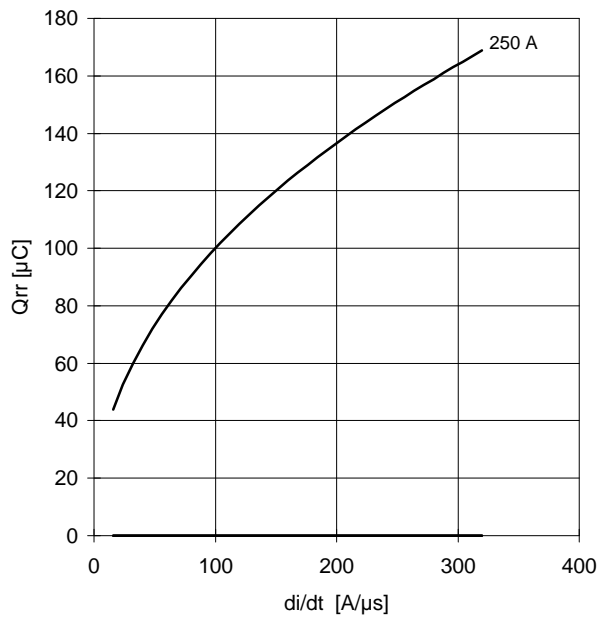


SWITCHING CHARACTERISTICS

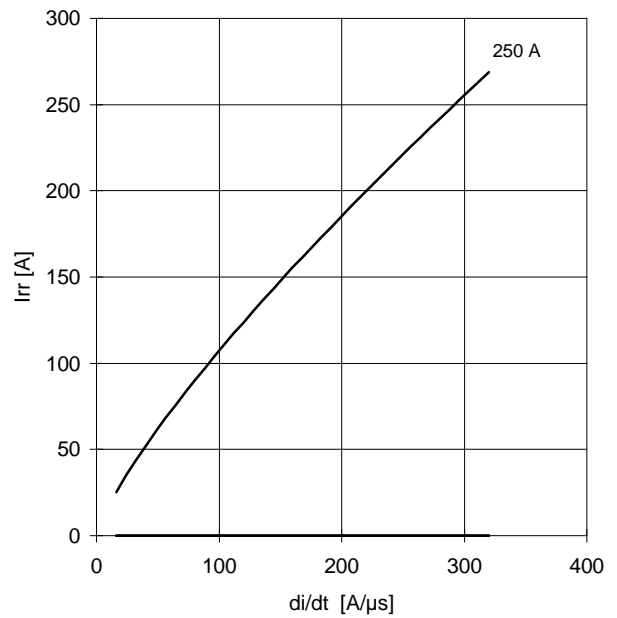
FORWARD RECOVERY VOLTAGE



REVERSE RECOVERY CHARGE
Tj = 150 °C



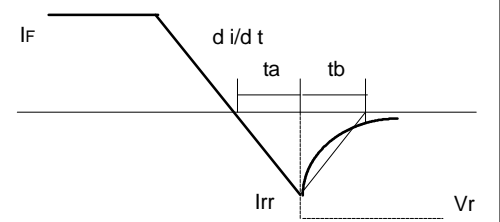
REVERSE RECOVERY CURRENT
Tj = 150 °C



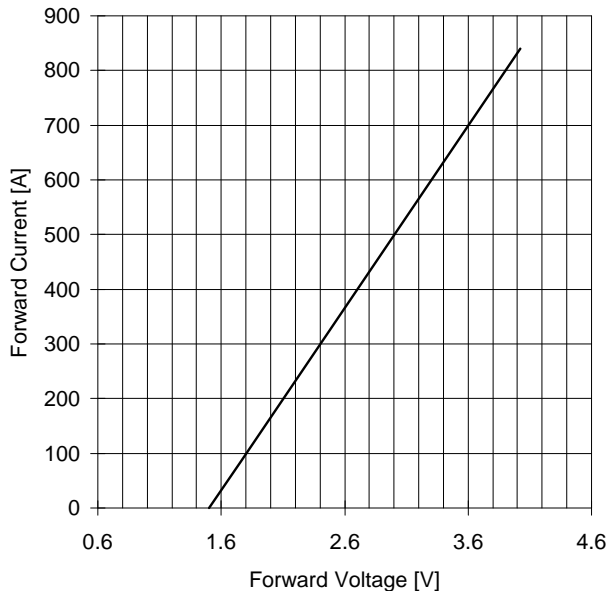
$$t_a = I_{rr} / (di/dt) \quad t_b = t_{rr} - t_a$$

$$\text{Softness (s factor)} \quad s = t_b / t_a$$

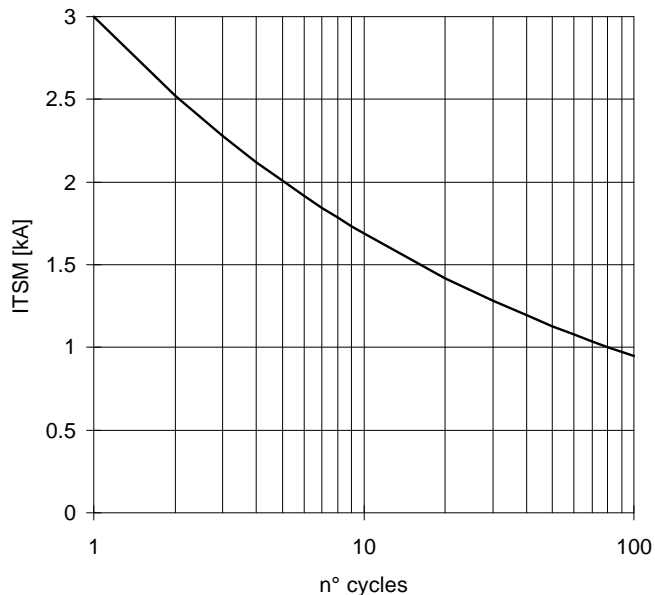
$$\text{Energy dissipation during recovery} \quad E_r = V_r \cdot (Q_{rr} - I_{rr} \cdot t_a / 2)$$



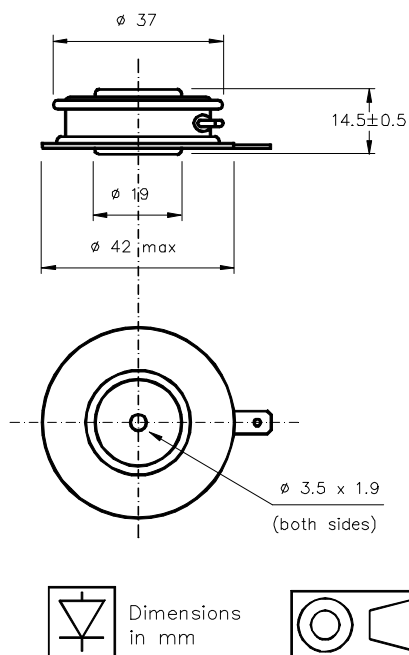
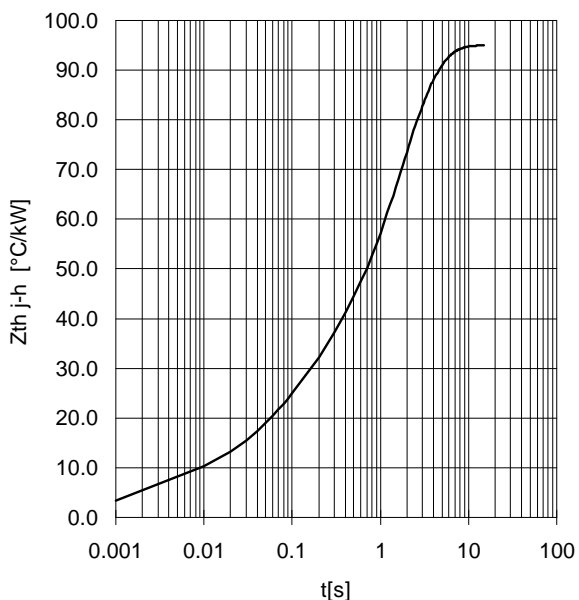
FORWARD CHARACTERISTIC
T_j = 150 °C



SURGE CHARACTERISTIC
T_j = 150 °C



TRANSIENT THERMAL IMPEDANCE
DOUBLE SIDE COOLED



All the characteristics given in this data sheet are guaranteed only with uniform clamping force, cleaned and lubricated heatsink, surfaces with flatness < .03 mm and roughness < 2 μm.

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