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# 30 A, 1200 V, Hyperfast Diode

The RHRG30120 is a hyperfast diode with soft recovery characteristics. It has the half recovery time of ultrafast diodes and is silicon nitride passivated ionimplanted epitaxial planar construction. These devices are intended to be used as freewheeling/ clamping diodes and diodes in a variety of switching power supplies and other power switching applications. Their low stored charge and hyperfast soft recovery minimize ringing and electrical noise in many power switching circuits reducing power loss in the switching transistors.

## **Ordering Information**

PART NUMBER	PACKAGE	BRAND
RHRG30120	TO-247	RHRG30120

NOTE: When ordering, use the entire part number.

## Symbol



### **Features**

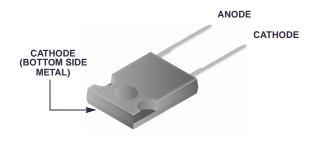
- Hyperfast Recovery  $t_{rr}$  = 85 ns (@  $I_F$  = 30 A)
- Max Forward Voltage, V<sub>F</sub> = 3.2 V (@ T<sub>C</sub> = 25°C)
- 1200 V Reverse Voltage and High Reliability
- · Avalanche Energy Rated
- · RoHS Compliant

## **Applications**

- · Switching Power Supplies
- · Power Switching Circuits
- · General Purpose

### **Packaging**

**JEDEC STYLE TO-247** 



Absolute Maximum Ratings T <sub>C</sub> = 25°C		
	RHRG30120	UNIT
Peak Repetitive Reverse VoltageV <sub>RRM</sub>	1200	V
Working Peak Reverse Voltage	1200	V
DC Blocking Voltage	1200	V
Average Rectified Forward Current	30	Α
$(T_C = 78^{\circ}C)$		
Repetitive Peak Surge Current	60	Α
(Square Wave, 20 kHz)		
Nonrepetitive Peak Surge Current	300	Α
(Halfwave, 1 Phase, 60 Hz)		
Maximum Power Dissipation	125	W
Avalanche Energy (See Figures 7 and 8)	30	mJ
Operating and Storage Temperature	-65 to 175	οС

**Electrical Specifications**  $T_C = 25^{\circ}C$ , Unless Otherwise Specified

SYMBOL	TEST CONDITION	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNIT
V <sub>F</sub>	IF = 30 A	-	-	3.2	V
	I <sub>F</sub> = 30 A, T <sub>C</sub> = 150 <sup>o</sup> C	-	-	2.6	V
I <sub>R</sub>	V <sub>R</sub> = 1200 V	-	-	250	μΑ
	V <sub>R</sub> = 1200 V, T <sub>C</sub> = 1 5 0 °C	-	-	1	mA
T <sub>rr</sub>	I <sub>F</sub> = 1 A , d I <sub>F</sub> /dt = 100 A/μs	-	-	65	ns
	I <sub>F</sub> = 3 0 A , d I <sub>F</sub> /dt = 100 A/μs	-	-	85	ns
t <sub>a</sub>	I <sub>F</sub> = 3 0 A , d I <sub>F</sub> /dt = 100 A/µs	-	48	-	ns
t <sub>b</sub>	I <sub>F</sub> = 3 0 A , d I <sub>F</sub> /dt = 100 A/μs	-	22	-	ns
$R_{ heta JC}$		-	-	1.2	°C/W

### **DEFINITIONS**

 $V_F$  = Instantaneous forward voltage (pw = 300  $\mu$ s, D = 2%).

I<sub>R</sub> = Instantaneous reverse current.

 $T_{rr}$  = Reverse recovery time (See Figure 6), summation of  $t_a$  +  $t_b$ .

 $t_a$  = Time to reach peak reverse current (See Figure 6).

 $t_b$  = Time from peak  $I_{RM}$  to projected zero crossing of  $I_{RM}$  based on a straight line from peak  $I_{RM}$  through 25% of  $I_{RM}$  (See Figure 6).

 $R_{\theta JC}$  = Thermal resistance junction to case.

pw = pulse width.

D = duty cycle.

## **Typical Performance Curves**

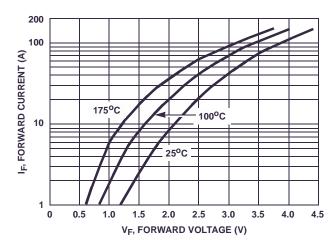


FIGURE 1. FORWARD CURRENT vs FORWARD VOLTAGE

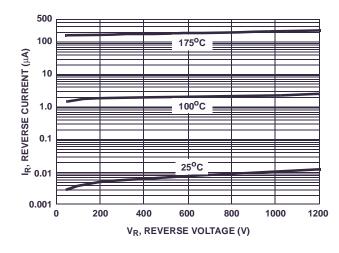


FIGURE 2. REVERSE CURRENT vs REVERSE VOLTAGE

## Typical Performance Curves (Continued)

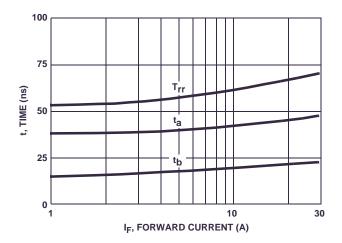


FIGURE 3. T<sub>rr</sub>, t<sub>a</sub> AND t<sub>b</sub> CURVES vs FORWARD CURRENT

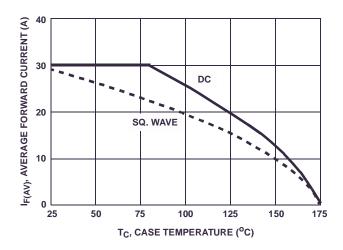


FIGURE 4. CURRENT DERATING CURVE

### Test Circuits and Waveforms

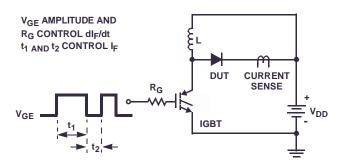


FIGURE 5. T<sub>rr</sub> TEST CIRCUIT

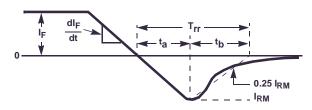


FIGURE 6. T<sub>rr</sub> WAVEFORMS AND DEFINITIONS

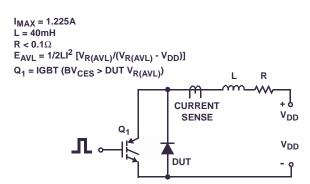


FIGURE 7. AVALANCHE ENERGY TEST CIRCUIT

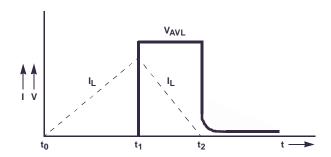


FIGURE 8. AVALANCHE CURRENT AND VOLTAGE WAVEFORMS





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