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1 Electrical ratings

Table 2. Absolute maximum rating

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Unit
V_{CES}	Collector-emitter voltage (V_{BE} = 0)	1500	V
V_{CEO}	Collector-emitter voltage (I_B = 0)	700	V
V_{EBO}	Collector-base voltage (I_C = 0)	9	V
I_C	Collector current	8	A
I_{CM}	Collector peak current (t_P < 5ms)	15	A
I_B	Base current	4	A
P_{TOT}	Total dissipation at T_c = 25°C	50	W
V_{ins}	Insulation withstand voltage (RMS) from all three leads to external heatsink	2500	V
T_{stg}	Storage temperature	-65 to 150	°C
T_J	Max. operating junction temperature	150	

Table 3. Thermal data

Symbol	Parameter		Value	Unit
$R_{thj\text{-}case}$	Thermal resistance junction-case	max	2.5	°C/W

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(T_{case} = 25°C unless otherwise specified)

Table 4. Electrical characteristics

Symbol	Parameter	Test conditions	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
I_{CES}	Collector cut-off current (V_{BE} =0)	V_{CE} = 1500V V_{CE} = 1500V; T_C= 125°C			0.2 2	mA mA
I_{EBO}	Emitter cut-off current (I_C =0)	V_{EB} = 9V			1	mA
$V_{CEO(sus)}$ (1)	Collector-emitter sustaining voltage (I_C =0)	I_C = 100mA	700			V
$V_{CE(sat)}$ (1)	Collector-emitter saturation voltage	I_C = 4.5A I_B = 1.6A			1	V
$V_{BE(sat)}$ (1)	Base-emitter saturation voltage	I_C = 4.5A I_B = 2A			1.1	V
h_{FE} (1)	DC current gain	I_C = 0.1A V_{CE} = 5V I_C = 4.5A V_{CE} = 5V	10 5		30	
t_s t_f	Inductive load Storage time Fall time	I_C = 4.5A $I_{B(on)}$ = 0.5A $V_{BE(off)}$ = -2.7V f_h = 16KHz $L_{BB(off)}$ = 4.5µH		2.5 0.2		µs µs

1. Pulsed: Pulse duration = 300 ms, duty cycle 1.5 %

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2.1 Electrical characteristics (curves)

Figure 2. Safe operating area

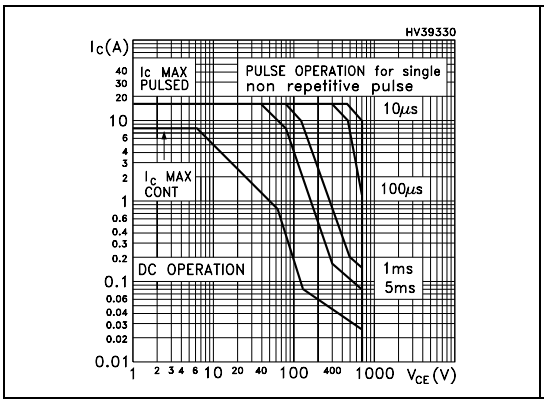


Figure 3. Derating curve

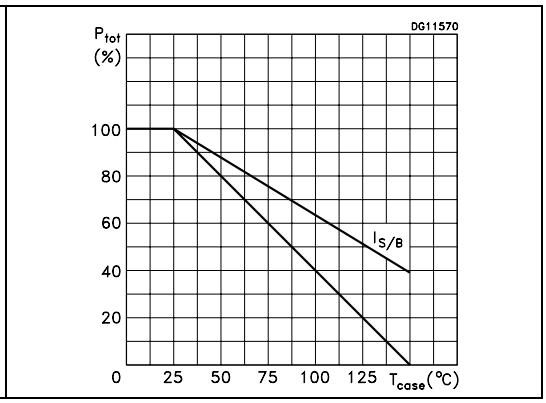
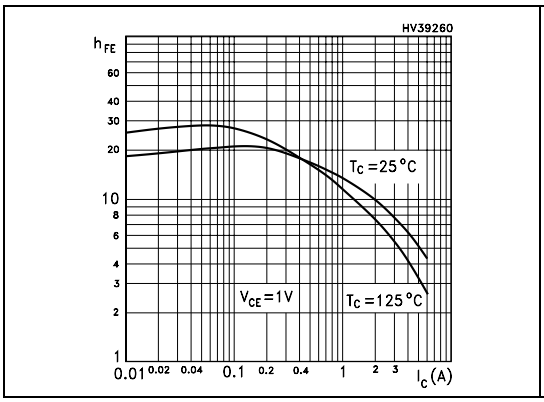


Figure 4. DC current gain



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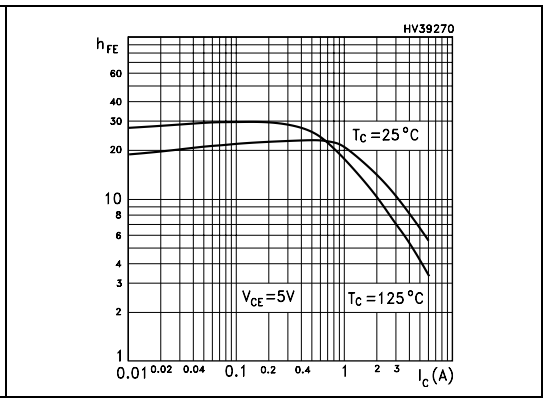


Figure 6. Collector-emitter saturation voltage

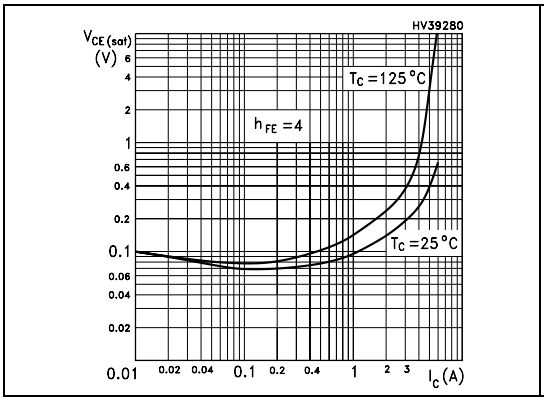
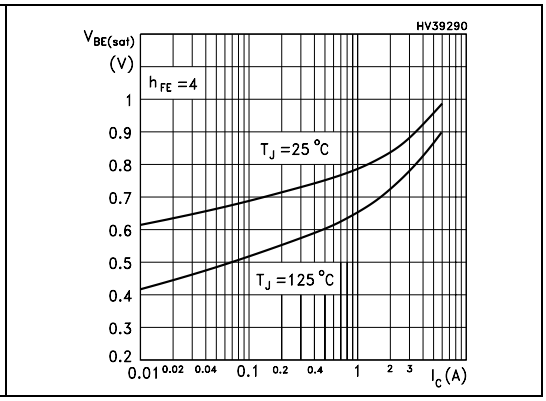


Figure 7. Base-emitter saturation voltage



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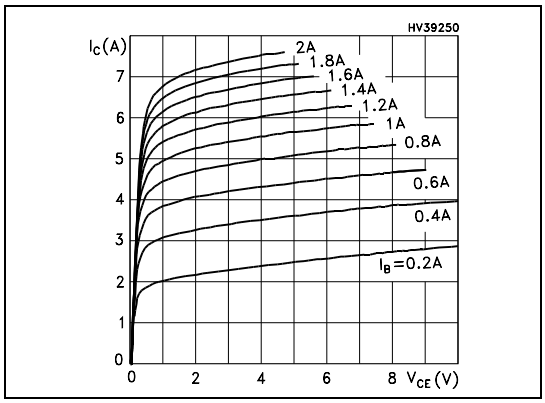

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2.2 Test circuits

Figure 9. Power losses and inductive load switching

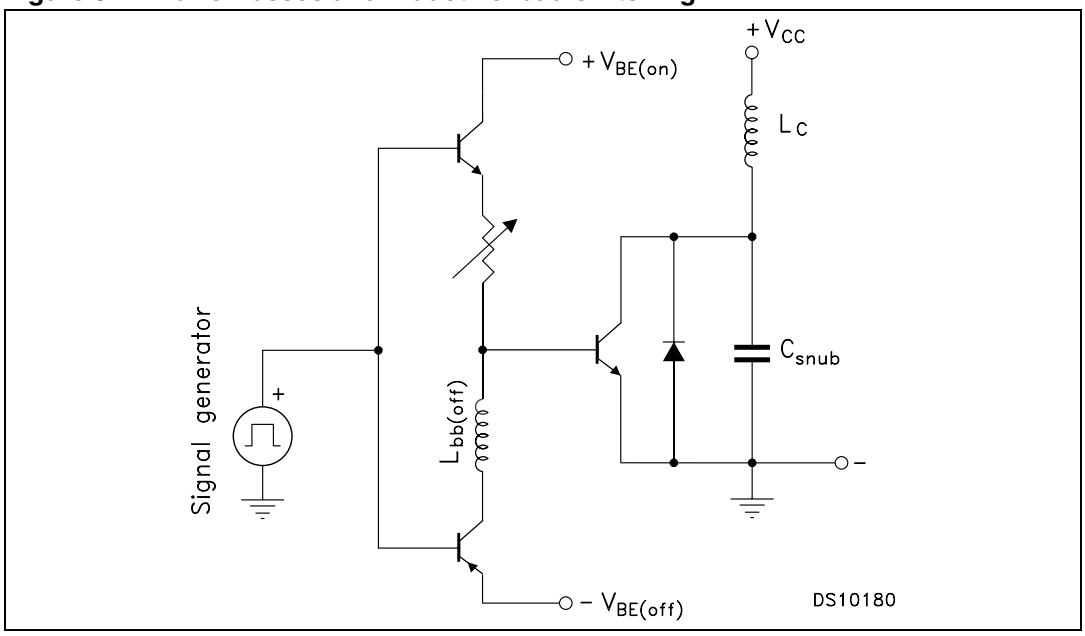
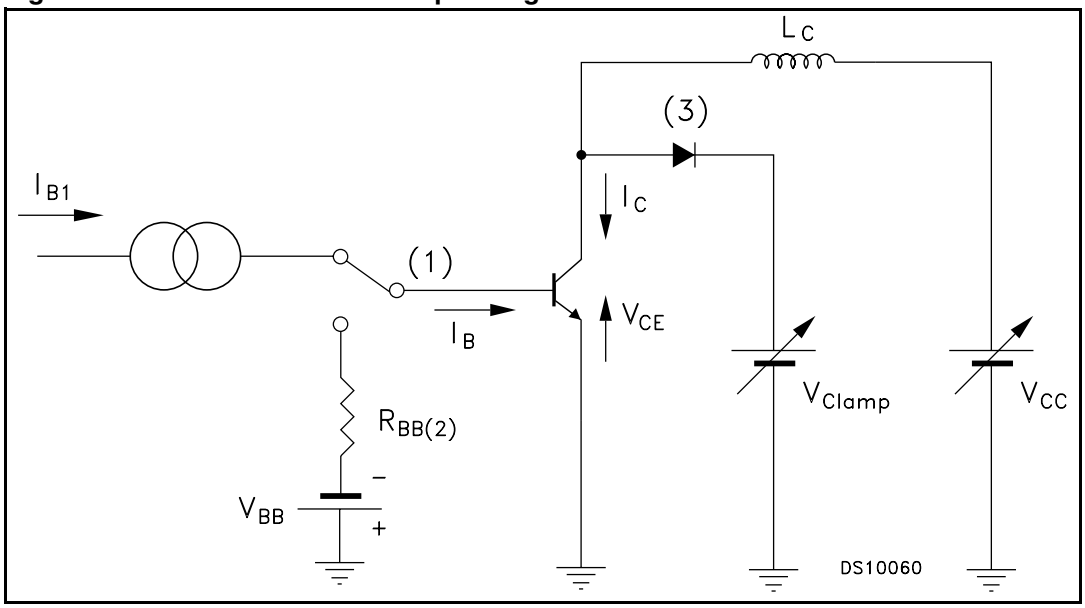


Figure 10. Reverse biased safe operating area



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3 Package mechanical data

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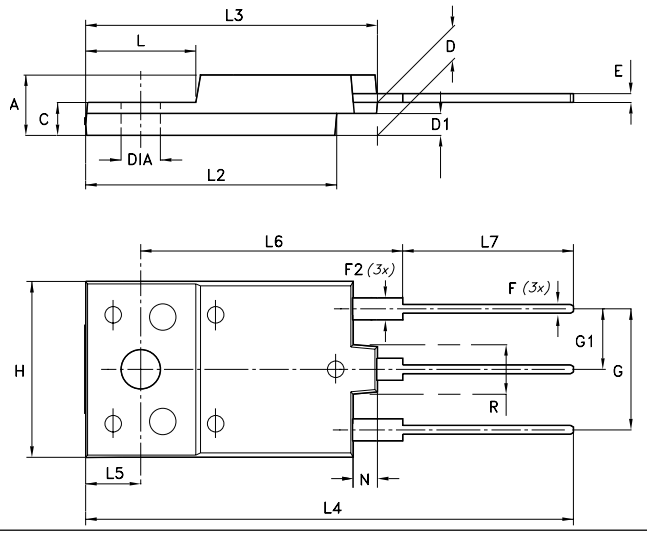
ISOWATT218FX mechanical data			
Dim.	**mm.**		
	Min.	**Typ**	**Max.**
A	5.30		5.70
C	2.80		3.20
D	3.10		3.50
D1	1.80		2.20
E	0.80		1.10
F	0.65		0.95
F2	1.80		2.20
G	10.30		11.50
G1		5.45	
H	15.30		15.70
L	9		10.20
L2	22.80		23.20
L3	26.30		26.70
L4	43.20		44.40
L5	4.30		4.70
L6	24.30		24.70
L7	14.60		15
N	1.80		2.20
R	3.80		4.20
Dia	3.40		3.80



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4 Revision history

Table 5. Document revision history

Date	Revision	Changes
02-Mar-2007	1	Initial release
14-Aug-2007	2	Complete document, added all curves (*2.1: Electrical characteristics (curves)*

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