

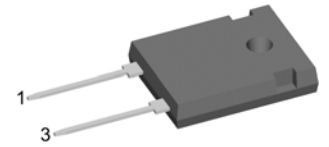
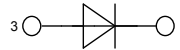
# Sonic Fast Recovery Diode

High Performance Fast Recovery Diode  
 Low Loss and Soft Recovery  
 Single Diode

$V_{RRM} = 1800\text{ V}$   
 $I_{FAV} = 20\text{ A}$   
 $t_{rr} = 300\text{ ns}$

Part number

**DH20-18A**



Backside: cathode

### Features / Advantages:

- Planar passivated chips
- Very low leakage current
- Very short recovery time
- Improved thermal behaviour
- Very low  $I_{rm}$ -values
- Very soft recovery behaviour
- Avalanche voltage rated for reliable operation
- Soft reverse recovery for low EMI/RFI
- Low  $I_{rm}$  reduces:
  - Power dissipation within the diode
  - Turn-on loss in the commutating switch

### Applications:

- Antiparallel diode for high frequency switching devices
- Antisaturation diode
- Snubber diode
- Free wheeling diode
- Rectifiers in switch mode power supplies (SMPS)
- Uninterruptible power supplies (UPS)

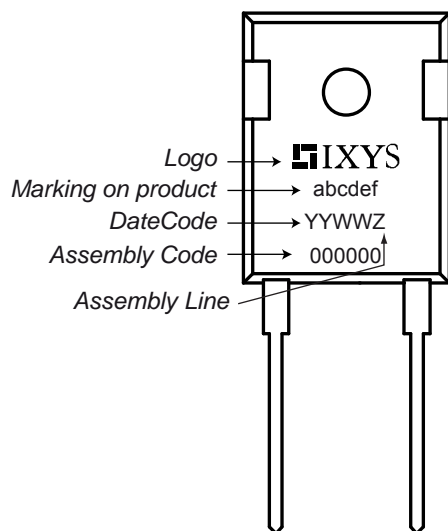
### Package:

- Housing: TO-247
- Industry standard outline
- Epoxy meets UL 94V-0
- RoHS compliant

### Ratings

Symbol	Definition	Conditions	Ratings			Unit	
			min.	typ.	max.		
$V_{RRM}$	max. repetitive reverse voltage	$T_{VJ} = 25^\circ\text{C}$			1800	V	
$I_R$	reverse current	$V_R = 1800\text{ V}$			50	$\mu\text{A}$	
		$V_R = 1800\text{ V}$			0.2	mA	
$V_F$	forward voltage	$I_F = 20\text{ A}$			2.24	V	
		$I_F = 40\text{ A}$			2.83	V	
		$I_F = 20\text{ A}$	$T_{VJ} = 125^\circ\text{C}$			2.35	V
		$I_F = 40\text{ A}$	$T_{VJ} = 125^\circ\text{C}$			3.25	V
$I_{FAV}$	average forward current	rectangular $d = 0.5$	$T_C = 95^\circ\text{C}$		20	A	
$V_{F0}$	threshold voltage	} for power loss calculation only	$T_{VJ} = 150^\circ\text{C}$		1.44	V	
$r_F$	slope resistance				43	m $\Omega$	
$R_{thJC}$	thermal resistance junction to case				0.90	K/W	
$T_{VJ}$	virtual junction temperature		-55		150	$^\circ\text{C}$	
$P_{tot}$	total power dissipation		$T_C = 25^\circ\text{C}$		140	W	
$I_{FSM}$	max. forward surge current	$t = 10\text{ ms}$ (50 Hz), sine	$T_{VJ} = 45^\circ\text{C}$		150	A	
$I_{RM}$	max. reverse recovery current		$T_{VJ} = 25^\circ\text{C}$		22	A	
		$I_F = 20\text{ A}; V_R = 900\text{ V}$	$T_{VJ} = 125^\circ\text{C}$		25	A	
$t_{rr}$	reverse recovery time	$-di_F/dt = 400\text{ A}/\mu\text{s}$	$T_{VJ} = 25^\circ\text{C}$		300	ns	
			$T_{VJ} = 125^\circ\text{C}$		550	ns	
$C_J$	junction capacitance	$V_R = 900\text{ V}; f = 1\text{ MHz}$	$T_{VJ} = 25^\circ\text{C}$		7	pF	

Symbol	Definition	Conditions	Ratings			Unit
			min.	typ.	max.	
$I_{RMS}$	RMS current	per terminal			70	A
$R_{thCH}$	thermal resistance case to heatsink			0.25		K/W
$T_{stg}$	storage temperature		-55		150	°C
<b>Weight</b>				6		g
$M_D$	mounting torque		0.8		1.2	Nm
$F_C$	mounting force with clip		20		120	N

**Product Marking**


Ordering	Part Name	Marking on Product	Delivering Mode	Base Qty	Code Key
Standard	DH20-18A	DH20-18A	Tube	30	499730



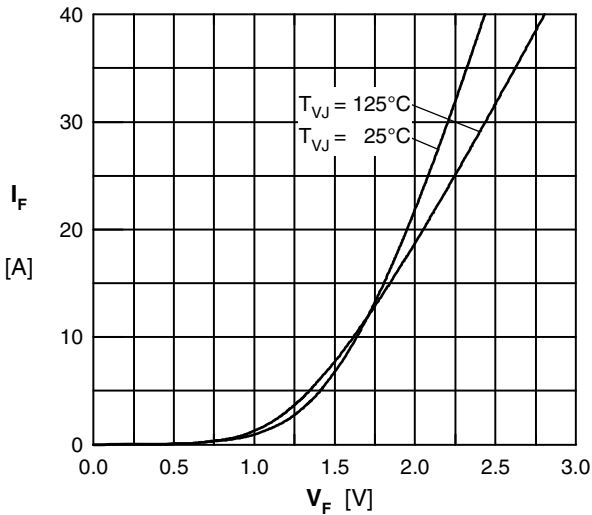


Fig. 1 Typ. Forward current versus  $V_F$

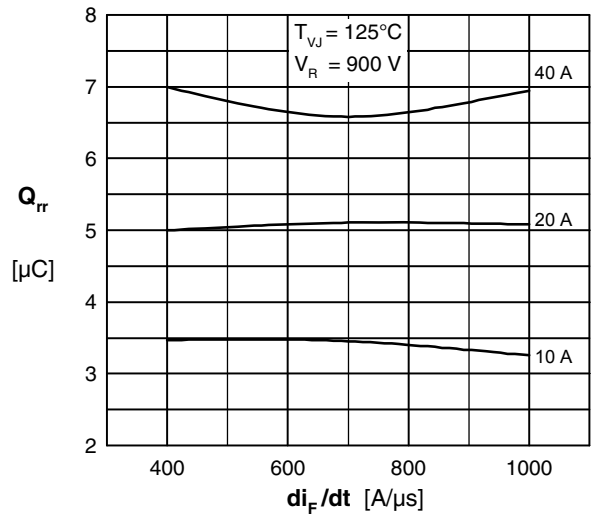


Fig. 2 Typ. reverse recov.charge  $Q_{rr}$  vs.  $di/dt$

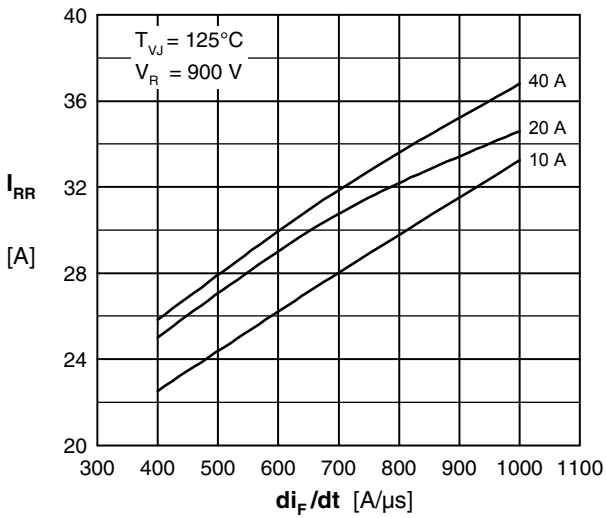


Fig. 3 Typ. peak reverse current  $I_{RM}$  vs.  $di/dt$

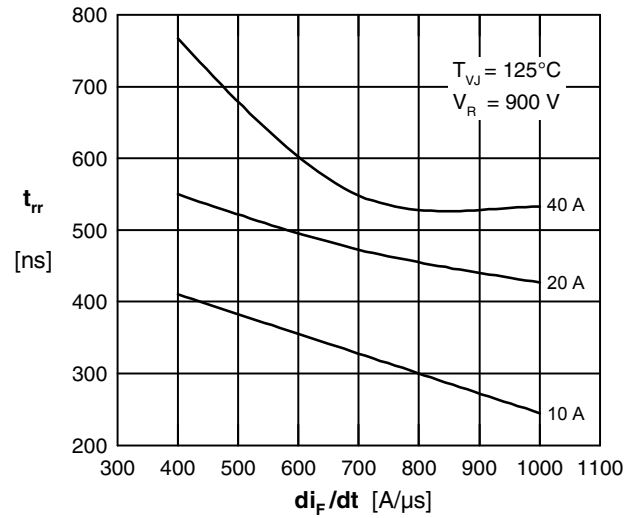


Fig. 4 Typ. recovery time  $t_{rr}$  versus  $di/dt$

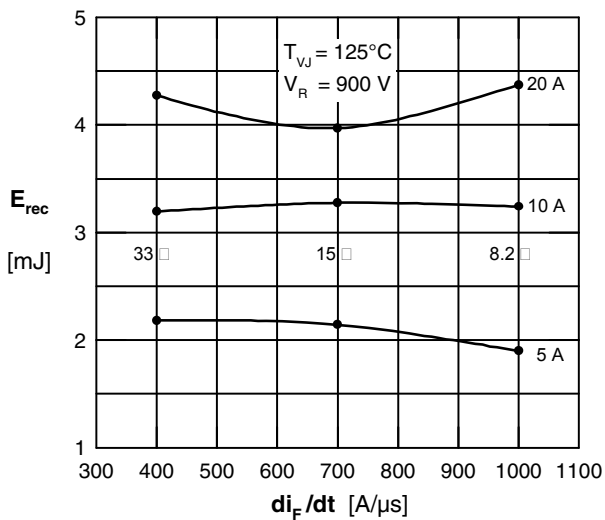


Fig. 5 Typ. recovery energy  $E_{rec}$  versus  $di/dt$

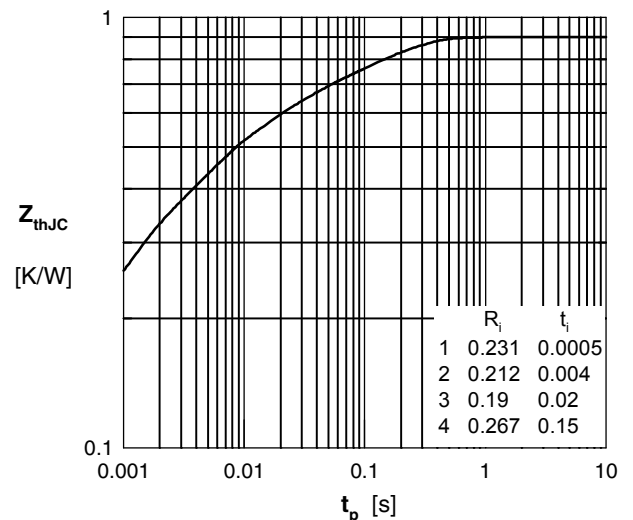


Fig. 6 Typ. transient thermal impedance