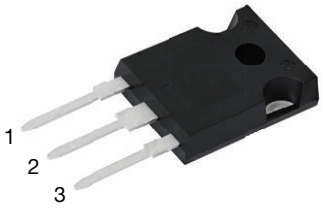
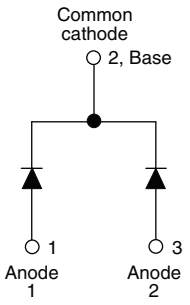
HEXFRED®
Ultrafast Soft Recovery Diode, 2 x 16 A



TO-247AC 3L



FEATURES

- Ultrafast and ultrasoft recovery
- Very low I_{RRM} and Q_{rr}
- Designed and qualified according to JEDEC®-JESD 47
- Material categorization: for definitions of compliance please see www.vishay.com/doc?99912

Pb-free
RoHS COMPLIANT
HALOGEN FREE

BENEFITS

- Reduced RFI and EMI
- Reduced power loss in diode and switching transistor
- Higher frequency operation
- Reduced snubbing
- Reduced parts count

DESCRIPTION

VS-HFA32PA120C... is a state of the art ultrafast recovery diode. Employing the latest in epitaxial construction and advanced processing techniques it features a superb combination of characteristics which result in performance which is unsurpassed by any rectifier previously available. With basic ratings of 1200 V and 16 A per leg continuous current, the VS-HFA32PA120C... is especially well suited for use as the companion diode for IGBTs and MOSFETs. In addition to ultrafast recovery time, the HEXFRED® product line features extremely low values of peak recovery current (I_{RRM}) and does not exhibit any tendency to “snap-off” during the t_b portion of recovery. The HEXFRED features combine to offer designers a rectifier with lower noise and significantly lower switching losses in both the diode and the switching transistor. These HEXFRED advantages can help to significantly reduce snubbing, component count and heatsink sizes. The HEXFRED VS-HFA32PA120C... is ideally suited for applications in power supplies and power conversion systems (such as inverters), motor drives, and many other similar applications where high speed, high efficiency is needed.

MECHANICAL DATA

Case: TO-247AC 3L

Molding compound meets UL 94 V-0 flammability rating

Terminal: matte tin plated leads, solderable per J-STD-002

LINKS TO ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

3D Models

PRIMARY CHARACTERISTICS	
$I_{F(AV)}$	2 x 16 A
V_R	1200 V
V_F at I_F	2.3 V
t_{rr} typ.	30 ns
T_J max.	150 °C
Package	TO-247AC 3L
Circuit configuration	Common cathode

ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

PARAMETER		SYMBOL	TEST CONDITIONS	VALUES	UNITS
Cathode to anode voltage		V_R		1200	V
Maximum continuous forward current	per leg	I_F	T_C = 100 °C	16	A
	per device			32	
Single pulse forward current		I_{FSM}	t_p = 10 ms	190	
Maximum repetitive forward current		I_{FRM}		64	
Maximum power dissipation		P_D	T_C = 25 °C	151	W
			T_C = 100 °C	60	
Operating junction and storage temperature range		T_J, T_{Stg}		-55 to +150	°C

For technical questions within your region: DiodesAmericas@vishay.com, DiodesAsia@vishay.com, DiodesEurope@vishay.com

THIS DOCUMENT IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE. THE PRODUCTS DESCRIBED HEREIN AND THIS DOCUMENT ARE SUBJECT TO SPECIFIC DISCLAIMERS, SET FORTH AT www.vishay.com/doc?91000

ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS PER LEG (T_J = 25 °C unless otherwise specified)							
PARAMETER	**SYMBOL**	**TEST CONDITIONS**		**MIN.**	**TYP.**	**MAX.**	**UNITS**
Cathode to anode breakdown voltage	V_{BR}	I_R = 100 µA		1200	-	-	V
Maximum forward voltage	V_{FM}	I_F = 16 A	See fig. 1	-	2.5	3.0	
		I_F = 32 A		-	3.2	3.93	
		I_F = 16 A, T_J = 125 °C		-	2.3	2.7	
Maximum reverse leakage current	I_{RM}	V_R = V_R rated	See fig. 2	-	0.75	20	µA
		T_J = 125 °C, V_R = 0.8 x V_R rated		-	375	2000	
Junction capacitance	C_T	V_R = 200 V	See fig. 3	-	27	40	pF
Series inductance	L_S	Measured lead to lead 5 mm from package body		-	8.0	-	nH

DYNAMIC RECOVERY CHARACTERISTICS PER LEG (T_J = 25 °C unless otherwise specified)							
PARAMETER	**SYMBOL**	**TEST CONDITIONS**		**MIN.**	**TYP.**	**MAX.**	**UNITS**
Reverse recovery time See fig. 5, 10	t_{rr}	I_F = 1.0 A, dI_F/dt = 200 A/µs, V_R = 30 V		-	30	-	ns
	t_{rr1}	T_J = 25 °C	I_F = 16 A dI_F/dt = 200 A/µs V_R = 200 V	-	90	135	
	t_{rr2}	T_J = 125 °C		-	164	245	
Peak recovery current See fig. 6	I_{RRM1}	T_J = 25 °C		-	5.8	10	A
	I_{RRM2}	T_J = 125 °C		-	8.3	15	
Reverse recovery charge See fig. 7	Q_{rr1}	T_J = 25 °C		-	260	675	nC
	Q_{rr2}	T_J = 125 °C		-	680	1838	
Peak rate of fall of recovery current during t_b See fig. 8	$dI_{(rec)M}/dt1$	T_J = 25 °C		-	120	-	A/µs
	$dI_{(rec)M}/dt2$	T_J = 125 °C		-	76	-	

THERMAL - MECHANICAL SPECIFICATIONS						
PARAMETER	**SYMBOL**	**TEST CONDITIONS**	**MIN.**	**TYP.**	**MAX.**	**UNITS**
Lead temperature	T_{lead}	0.063" from case (1.6 mm) for 10 s	-	-	300	°C
Thermal resistance, junction to case	R_{thJC}		-	-	0.83	K/W
Thermal resistance, junction to ambient	R_{thJA}	Typical socket mount	-	-	40	
Thermal resistance, case to heatsink	R_{thCS}	Mounting surface, flat, smooth, and greased	-	0.50	-	
Weight			-	2.0	-	g
			-	0.07	-	oz.
Mounting torque			6.0 (5.0)	-	12 (10)	kgf · cm (lbf · in)
Marking device		Case style TO-247AC 3L	HFA32PA120C			

For technical questions within your region: DiodesAmericas@vishay.com, DiodesAsia@vishay.com, DiodesEurope@vishay.com
THIS DOCUMENT IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE. THE PRODUCTS DESCRIBED HEREIN AND THIS DOCUMENT ARE SUBJECT TO SPECIFIC DISCLAIMERS, SET FORTH AT www.vishay.com/doc?91000

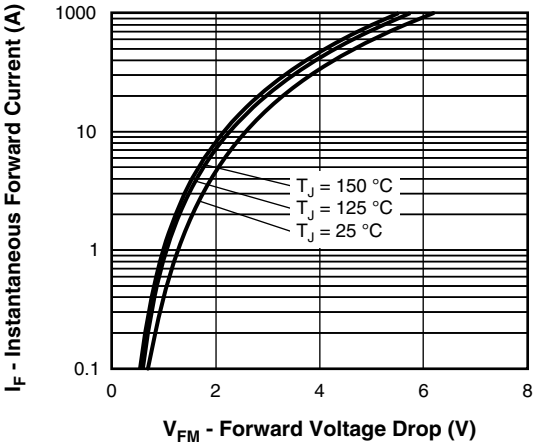


Fig. 1 - Maximum Forward Voltage Drop vs. Instantaneous Forward Current

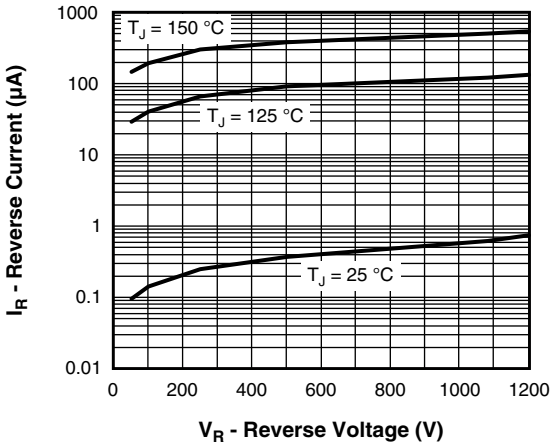


Fig. 2 - Typical Reverse Current vs. Reverse Voltage

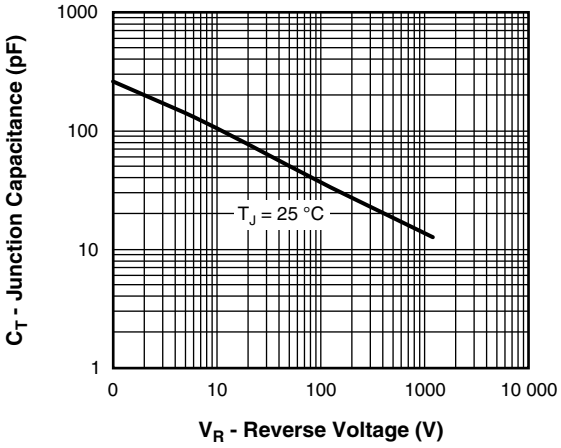


Fig. 3 - Typical Junction Capacitance vs.Reverse Voltage

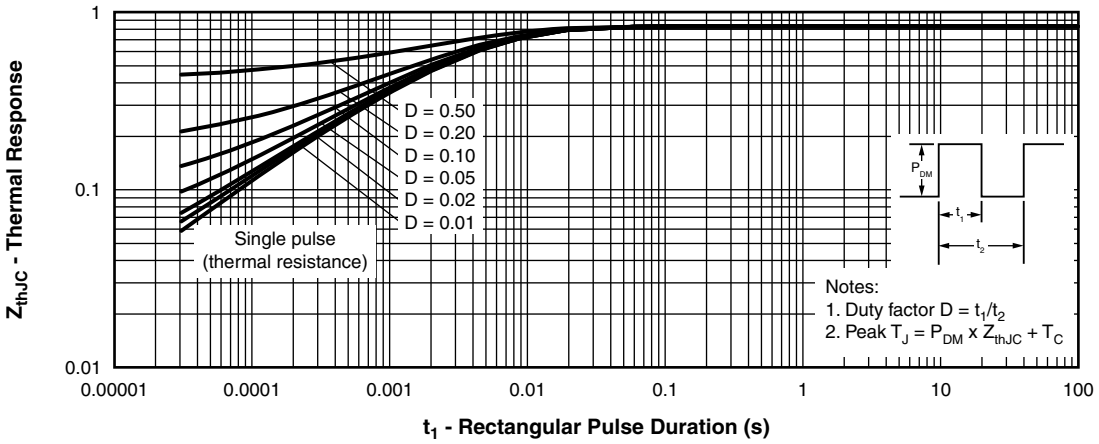


Fig. 4 - Maximum Thermal Impedance Z_{thJC} Characteristics

For technical questions within your region: DiodesAmericas@vishay.com, DiodesAsia@vishay.com, DiodesEurope@vishay.com
THIS DOCUMENT IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE. THE PRODUCTS DESCRIBED HEREIN AND THIS DOCUMENT ARE SUBJECT TO SPECIFIC DISCLAIMERS, SET FORTH AT www.vishay.com/doc?91000

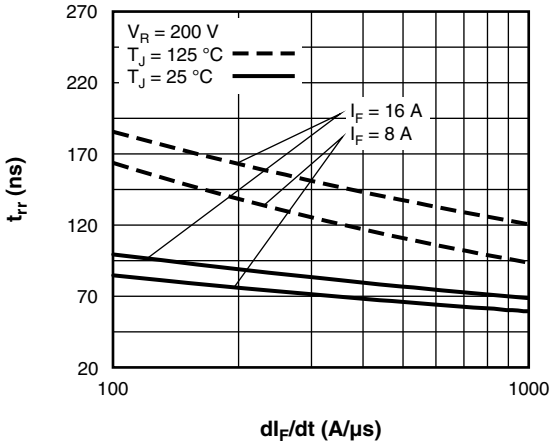


Fig. 5 - Typical Reverse Recovery Time vs. dI_F/dt (Per Leg)

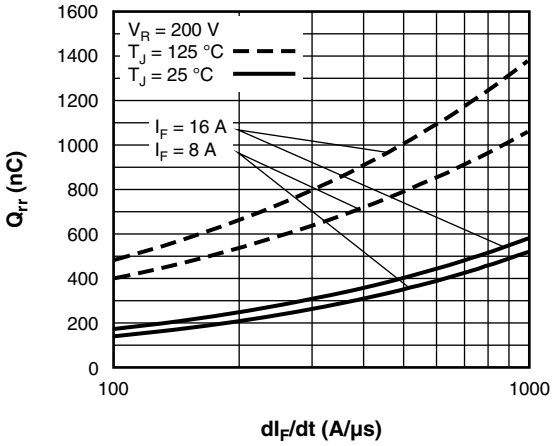


Fig. 7 - Typical Stored Charge vs. dI_F/dt (Per Leg)

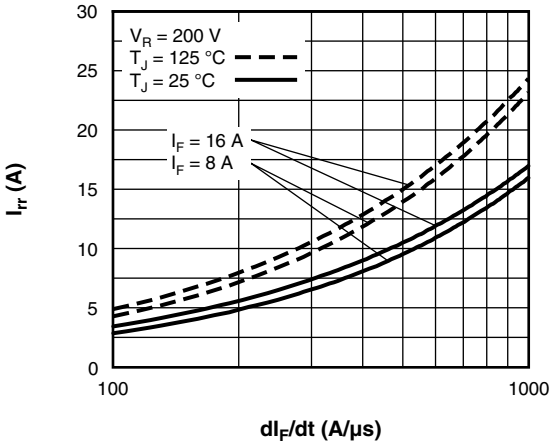


Fig. 6 - Typical Recovery Current vs. dI_F/dt (Per Leg)

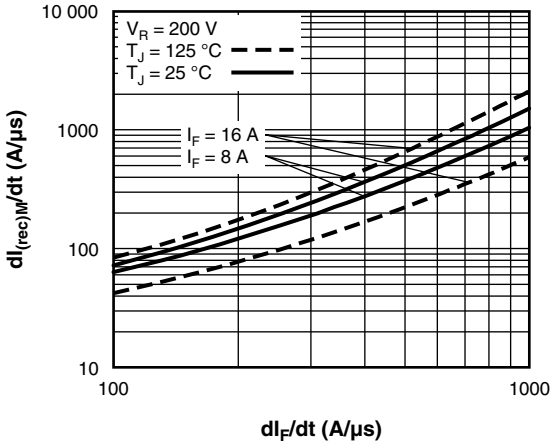
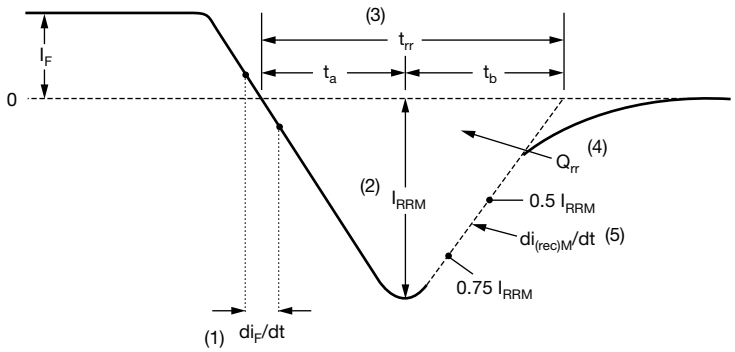


Fig. 8 - Typical $dI_{(rec)M}/dt$ vs. dI_F/dt (Per Leg)



(1) di_F/dt - rate of change of current through zero crossing

(2) I_{RRM} - peak reverse recovery current

(3) t_{rr} - reverse recovery time measured from zero crossing point of negative going I_F to point where a line passing through 0.75 I_{RRM} and 0.50 I_{RRM} extrapolated to zero current.

(4) Q_{rr} - area under curve defined by t_{rr} and I_{RRM}

$$Q_{rr} = \frac{t_{rr} \times I_{RRM}}{2}$$

(5) $di_{(rec)M}/dt$ - peak rate of change of current during t_b portion of t_{rr}

Fig. 9 - Reverse Recovery Waveform and Definitions

For technical questions within your region: DiodesAmericas@vishay.com, DiodesAsia@vishay.com, DiodesEurope@vishay.com
THIS DOCUMENT IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE. THE PRODUCTS DESCRIBED HEREIN AND THIS DOCUMENT ARE SUBJECT TO SPECIFIC DISCLAIMERS, SET FORTH AT www.vishay.com/doc?91000

ORDERING INFORMATION TABLE

Device code

VS-	HF	A	32	PA	120	C	-N3
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

1 - Vishay Semiconductors product

2 - HEXFRED® family

3 - Electron irradiated

4 - Current rating (32 = 32 A)

5 - PA = TO-247AC, 3 pins

6 - Voltage rating: (120 = 1200 V)

7 - Circuit configuration
C = common cathode

8 - Environmental digit:
-N3 = halogen-free, RoHS-compliant, and totally lead (Pb)-free

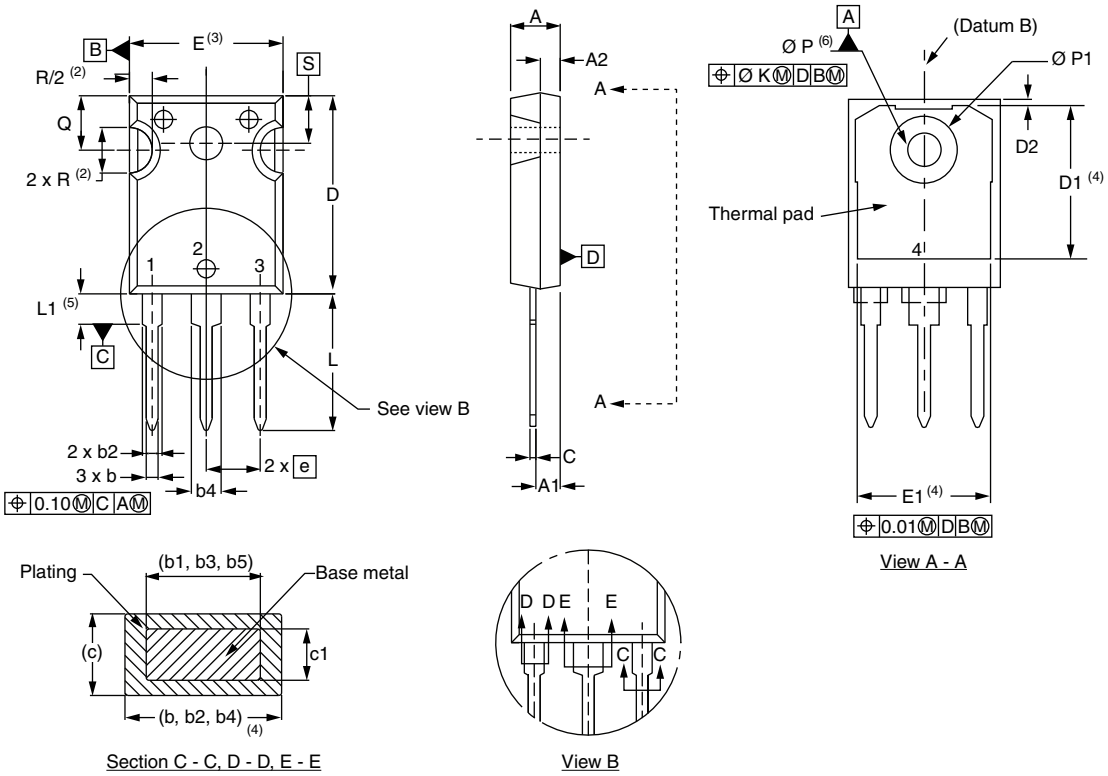
ORDERING INFORMATION (Example)			
PREFERRED P/N	**QUANTITY PER T/R**	**MINIMUM ORDER QUANTITY**	**PACKAGING DESCRIPTION**
VS-HFA32PA120C-N3	25	500	Antistatic plastic tube

LINKS TO RELATED DOCUMENTS	
Dimensions	www.vishay.com/doc?96138
Part marking information	www.vishay.com/doc?95007

For technical questions within your region: DiodesAmericas@vishay.com, DiodesAsia@vishay.com, DiodesEurope@vishay.com
THIS DOCUMENT IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE. THE PRODUCTS DESCRIBED HEREIN AND THIS DOCUMENT ARE SUBJECT TO SPECIFIC DISCLAIMERS, SET FORTH AT www.vishay.com/doc?91000

TO-247AC 3L

DIMENSIONS in millimeters and inches



SYMBOL	MILLIMETERS		INCHES		NOTES
	MIN.	MAX.	MIN.	MAX.	
A	4.65	5.31	0.183	0.209	
A1	2.21	2.59	0.087	0.102	
A2	1.17	1.37	0.046	0.054	
b	0.99	1.40	0.039	0.055	
b1	0.99	1.35	0.039	0.053	
b2	1.65	2.39	0.065	0.094	
b3	1.65	2.34	0.065	0.092	
b4	2.59	3.43	0.102	0.135	
b5	2.59	3.38	0.102	0.133	
c	0.38	0.89	0.015	0.035	
c1	0.38	0.84	0.015	0.033	
D	19.71	20.70	0.776	0.815	3
D1	13.08	-	0.515	-	4

SYMBOL	MILLIMETERS		INCHES		NOTES
	MIN.	MAX.	MIN.	MAX.	
D2	0.51	1.35	0.020	0.053	
E	15.29	15.87	0.602	0.625	3
E1	13.46	-	0.53	-	
e	5.46 BSC		0.215 BSC		
Ø K	0.254		0.010		
L	14.20	16.10	0.559	0.634	
L1	3.71	4.29	0.146	0.169	
Ø P	3.56	3.66	0.14	0.144	
Ø P1	-	7.39	-	0.291	
Q	5.31	5.69	0.209	0.224	
R	4.52	5.49	0.178	0.216	
S	5.51 BSC		0.217 BSC		

Notes

(1) Dimensioning and tolerancing per ASME Y14.5M-1994

(2) Contour of slot optional

(3) Dimension D and E do not include mold flash. Mold flash shall not exceed 0.127 mm (0.005") per side. These dimensions are measured at the outermost extremes of the plastic body

(4) Thermal pad contour optional with dimensions D1 and E1

(5) Lead finish uncontrolled in L1

(6) Ø P to have a maximum draft angle of 1.5 to the top of the part with a maximum hole diameter of 3.91 mm (0.154")

(7) Outline conforms to JEDEC® outline TO-247 with exception of dimension Q

For technical questions within your region: DiodesAmericas@vishay.com, DiodesAsia@vishay.com, DiodesEurope@vishay.com

THIS DOCUMENT IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE. THE PRODUCTS DESCRIBED HEREIN AND THIS DOCUMENT ARE SUBJECT TO SPECIFIC DISCLAIMERS, SET FORTH AT www.vishay.com/doc?91000

Disclaimer

ALL PRODUCT, PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS AND DATA ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE TO IMPROVE RELIABILITY, FUNCTION OR DESIGN OR OTHERWISE.

Vishay Intertechnology, Inc., its affiliates, agents, and employees, and all persons acting on its or their behalf (collectively, “Vishay”), disclaim any and all liability for any errors, inaccuracies or incompleteness contained in any datasheet or in any other disclosure relating to any product.

Vishay makes no warranty, representation or guarantee regarding the suitability of the products for any particular purpose or the continuing production of any product. To the maximum extent permitted by applicable law, Vishay disclaims (i) any and all liability arising out of the application or use of any product, (ii) any and all liability, including without limitation special, consequential or incidental damages, and (iii) any and all implied warranties, including warranties of fitness for particular purpose, non-infringement and merchantability.

Statements regarding the suitability of products for certain types of applications are based on Vishay's knowledge of typical requirements that are often placed on Vishay products in generic applications. Such statements are not binding statements about the suitability of products for a particular application. It is the customer's responsibility to validate that a particular product with the properties described in the product specification is suitable for use in a particular application. Parameters provided in datasheets and / or specifications may vary in different applications and performance may vary over time. All operating parameters, including typical parameters, must be validated for each customer application by the customer's technical experts. Product specifications do not expand or otherwise modify Vishay's terms and conditions of purchase, including but not limited to the warranty expressed therein.

Hyperlinks included in this datasheet may direct users to third-party websites. These links are provided as a convenience and for informational purposes only. Inclusion of these hyperlinks does not constitute an endorsement or an approval by Vishay of any of the products, services or opinions of the corporation, organization or individual associated with the third-party website. Vishay disclaims any and all liability and bears no responsibility for the accuracy, legality or content of the third-party website or for that of subsequent links.

Vishay products are not designed for use in life-saving or life-sustaining applications or any application in which the failure of the Vishay product could result in personal injury or death unless specifically qualified in writing by Vishay. Customers using or selling Vishay products not expressly indicated for use in such applications do so at their own risk. Please contact authorized Vishay personnel to obtain written terms and conditions regarding products designed for such applications.

No license, express or implied, by estoppel or otherwise, to any intellectual property rights is granted by this document or by any conduct of Vishay. Product names and markings noted herein may be trademarks of their respective owners.

© 2025 VISHAY INTERTECHNOLOGY, INC. ALL RIGHTS RESERVED

THIS DOCUMENT IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE. THE PRODUCTS DESCRIBED HEREIN AND THIS DOCUMENT ARE SUBJECT TO SPECIFIC DISCLAIMERS, SET FORTH AT www.vishay.com/doc?91000