

BTA12, BTB12, T12xx

12 A Snubberless™, logic level and standard triacs

Features

- Medium current triac
- Low thermal resistance with clip bonding
- Low thermal resistance insulation ceramic for insulated BTA
- High commutation (4Q) or very high commutation (3Q) capability

Applications

ON/OFF or phase angle function in applications such as static relays, light dimmers and appliance motors speed controllers.

The snubberless versions (BTA/BTB...W and T12 series) are especially recommended for use on inductive loads, because of their high commutation performances. The BTA series provides an insulated tab (rated at 2500 V RMS).

Description

Available either in through-hole or surface-mount packages, the **BTA12**, **BTB12** and **T12xx** triac series is suitable for general purpose mains power AC switching.

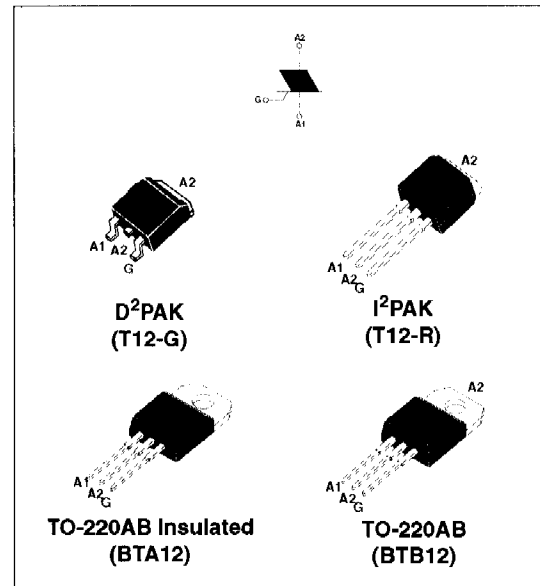


Table 1. Device summary

Symbol	Parameter	T12xx	BTA12 ⁽¹⁾	BTB12
$I_{T(RMS)}$	RMS on-state current	12	12	12
V_{DRM}/V_{RRM}	Repetitive peak off-state voltage	600/800	600/800	600/800
I_{GT} (Snubberless)	Triggering gate current	10/35/50	5/10/35/50	5/10/35/50
I_{GT} (Standard)	Triggering gate current	-	35/50	35/50

1. Insulated



Characteristics

Table 2. Absolute maximum ratings

Symbol	Parameter		Value	Unit		
$I_{T(RMS)}$	RMS on-state current (full sine wave)	I ² PAK / D ² PAK / TO-220AB	$T_c = 105^\circ C$	12	A	
		TO-220AB Ins.	$T_c = 90^\circ C$			
I_{TSM}	Non repetitive surge peak on-state current (full cycle, T_j initial = $25^\circ C$)	F = 50 Hz	t = 20 ms	120	A	
		F = 60 Hz	t = 16.7 ms	126		
I^2t	I^2t Value for fusing	$t_p = 10$ ms		78	A ² s	
di/dt	Critical rate of rise of on-state current $I_G = 2 \times I_{GT}$, $t_r \leq 100$ ns	F = 120 Hz	$T_j = 125^\circ C$	50	A/ μ s	
V_{DSM}/V_{RSM}	Non repetitive surge peak off-state voltage	$t_p = 10$ ms	$T_j = 25^\circ C$	V_{DRM}/V_{RRM} + 100	V	
I_{GM}	Peak gate current	$t_p = 20$ μ s	$T_j = 125^\circ C$	4	A	
$P_{G(AV)}$	Average gate power dissipation	$T_j = 125^\circ C$		1	W	
T_{stg} T_j	Storage junction temperature range Operating junction temperature range				- 40 to + 150 - 40 to + 125	$^\circ C$

**Table 3. Electrical characteristics ($T_j = 25^\circ C$, unless otherwise specified)
Snubberless and logic level (3 quadrants)**

Symbol	Test conditions	Quadrant		T12xx			BTA12 / BTB12				Unit
				T1210	T1235	T1250	TW	SW	CW	BW	
$I_{GT}^{(1)}$	$V_D = 12$ V	I - II - III	MAX.	10	35	50	5	10	35	50	mA
V_{GT}	$R_L = 30$ Ω	I - II - III	MAX.	1.3							V
V_{GD}	$V_D = V_{DRM}$ $R_L = 3.3$ k Ω $T_j = 125^\circ C$	I - II - III	MIN.	0.2							V
$I_H^{(2)}$	$I_T = 100$ mA		MAX.	15	35	50	10	15	35	50	mA
I_L	$I_G = 1.2 I_{GT}$	I - III	MAX.	25	50	70	10	25	50	70	mA
		II		30	60	80	15	30	60	80	
dV/dt (2)	$V_D = 67\% V_{DRM}$ gate open $T_j = 125^\circ C$		MIN.	40	500	1000	20	40	500	1000	V/ μ s
(di/dt) _c (2)	(dV/dt) _c = 0.1 V/ μ s $T_j = 125^\circ C$		MIN.	6.5			3.5	6.5			A/ms
	(dV/dt) _c = 10 V/ μ s $T_j = 125^\circ C$			2.9			1	2.9			
	Without snubber $T_j = 125^\circ C$				6.5	12			6.5	12	

1. Minimum I_{GT} is guaranteed at 5% of I_{GT} max
2. for both polarities of A2 referenced to A1

Table 4. Electrical characteristics ($T_j = 25^\circ\text{C}$, unless otherwise specified) standard (4 quadrants)

Symbol	Test Conditions	Quadrant		BTA12 / BTB12		Unit
				C	B	
$I_{GT}^{(1)}$	$V_D = 12\text{ V}$ $R_L = 30\ \Omega$	I - II - III IV	MAX.	25 50	50 100	mA
V_{GT}		ALL	MAX.	1.3		V
V_{GD}	$V_D = V_{DRM}$ $R_L = 3.3\ \text{k}\Omega$ $T_j = 125^\circ\text{C}$	ALL	MIN.	0.2		V
$I_H^{(2)}$	$I_T = 500\ \text{mA}$		MAX.	25	50	mA
I_L	$I_G = 1.2 I_{GT}$	I - III - IV	MAX.	40	50	mA
		II		80	100	
$dV/dt^{(2)}$	$V_D = 67\% V_{DRM}$ gate open $T_j = 125^\circ\text{C}$		MIN.	200	400	V/ μs
$(dV/dt)_c^{(2)}$	$(dI/dt)_c = 5.3\ \text{A/ms}$ $T_j = 125^\circ\text{C}$		MIN.	5	10	V/ μs

1. Minimum I_{GT} is guaranteed at 5% of I_{GT} max.
2. for both polarities of A2 referenced to A1.

Table 5. Static characteristics

Symbol	Test conditions			Value	Unit	
$V_T^{(1)}$	$I_{TM} = 17\ \text{A}$	$t_p = 380\ \mu\text{s}$	$T_j = 25^\circ\text{C}$	MAX.	1.55	V
$V_{th}^{(1)}$	Threshold voltage		$T_j = 125^\circ\text{C}$	MAX.	0.85	V
$R_d^{(1)}$	Dynamic resistance		$T_j = 125^\circ\text{C}$	MAX.	35	m Ω
I_{DRM} I_{RRM}	$V_{DRM} = V_{RRM}$		$T_j = 25^\circ\text{C}$	MAX.	5	μA
			$T_j = 125^\circ\text{C}$		1	mA

1. for both polarities of A2 referenced to A1

Table 6. Thermal resistance

Symbol	Parameter		Value	Unit	
$R_{th(j-c)}$	Junction to case (AC)		$I^2\text{PAK} / D^2\text{PAK} / \text{TO-220AB}$	1.4	$^\circ\text{C/W}$
			TO-220AB insulated	2.3	
$R_{th(j-a)}$	Junction to ambient	$S^{(1)} = 1\ \text{cm}^2$	$D^2\text{PAK}$	45	$^\circ\text{C/W}$
			TO-220AB / $I^2\text{PAK}$ TO-220AB insulated	60	

1. Copper surface under tab.

Figure 13. BTA12 and BTB12 series

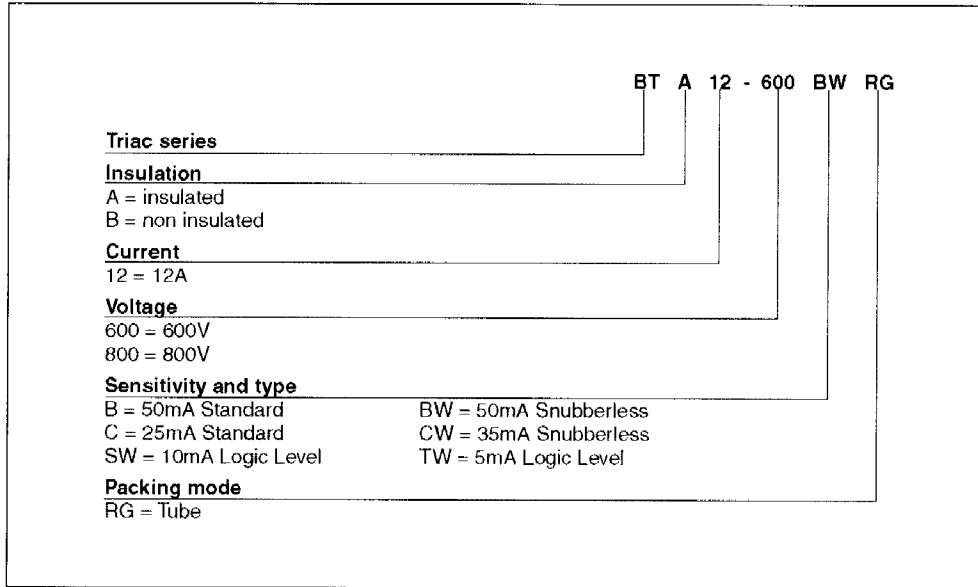
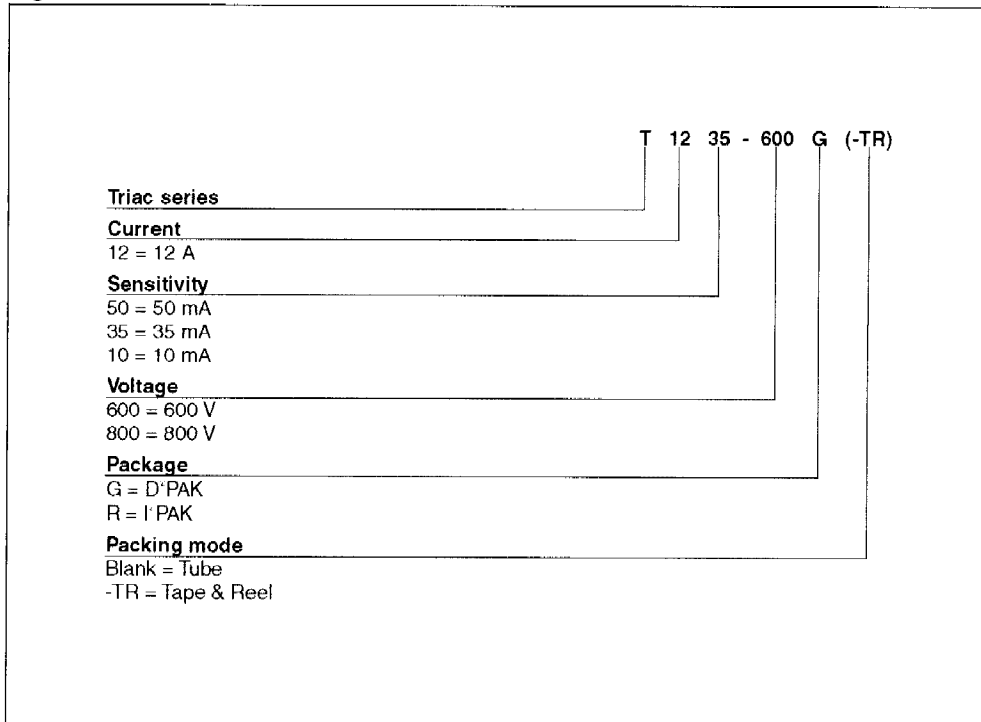


Figure 14. T12xx series



Product selector

Order code ⁽¹⁾	Voltage (xxx)		Sensitivity	Type	Package
	600 V	800 V			
BTA/BTB12-xxxBRG	X	X	50 mA	Standard	TO-220AB
BTA/BTB12-xxxBWRG	X	X	50 mA	Snubberless	TO-220AB
BTA/BTB12-xxxCRG	X	X	25 mA	Standard	TO-220AB
BTA/BTB12-xxxCWRG	X	X	35 mA	Snubberless	TO-220AB
BTA/BTB12-xxxSWRG	X	X	10 mA	Logic Level	TO-220AB
BTA/BTB12-xxxTWRG	X	X	5 mA	Logic Level	TO-220AB
T1210-800G	-	X	10 mA	Logic Level	D ² PAK
T1235-xxxG	X	X	35 mA	Snubberless	D ² PAK
T1235-xxxR	X	X	35 mA	Snubberless	I ² PAK
T1250-600G	X	-	50 mA	Snubberless	D ² PAK

1. BTB: non insulated TO-220AB package

D²PAK dimensions

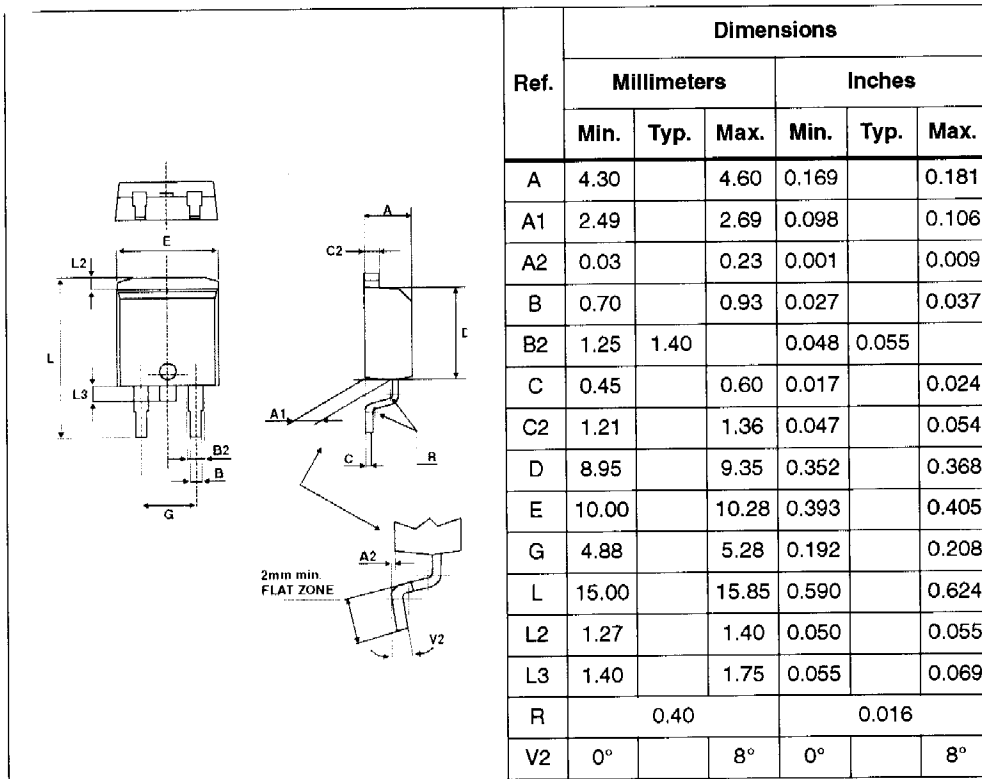


Figure 15. Footprint (dimensions in mm)

