

# BT151X series

## Thyristors

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Product data sheet

## 1. Product profile

### 1.1 General description

Passivated thyristors in a SOT186A full pack plastic package.

### 1.2 Features and benefits

- High thermal cycling performance
- High bidirectional blocking voltage capability
- Isolated mounting base.

### 1.3 Applications

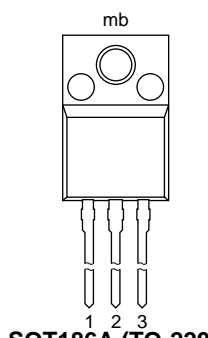

- Motor control
- Industrial and domestic lighting, heating and static switching.

### 1.4 Quick reference data

- $V_{\text{DRM}}, V_{\text{RRM}} \leq 800 \text{ V}$  (BT151X-800)
- $V_{\text{DRM}}, V_{\text{RRM}} \leq 650 \text{ V}$  (BT151X-650)
- $V_{\text{DRM}}, V_{\text{RRM}} \leq 500 \text{ V}$  (BT151X-500)
- $I_{\text{T(RMS)}} \leq 12 \text{ A}$
- $I_{\text{T(AV)}} \leq 7.5 \text{ A}$
- $I_{\text{TSM}} \leq 120 \text{ A}$ .

## 2. Pinning information

Table 1. Discrete pinning

Pin	Description	Simplified outline	Symbol
1	cathode (K)		
2	anode (A)		
3	gate (G)		
mb	mounting base; isolated		



### 3. Ordering information

**Table 2. Ordering information**

Type number	Package		Version
	Name	Description	
BT151X-500	-	plastic single-ended package; isolated heatsink mounted; 1 mounting hole; 3 lead TO-220 'full pack'	SOT186A
BT151X-650			
BT151X-800			

### 4. Limiting values

**Table 3. Limiting values**

In accordance with the Absolute Maximum Rating System (IEC 60134).

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Max	Unit
$V_{DRM}, V_{RRM}$	repetitive peak off-state voltage				
	BT151X-500	[1]	-	500	V
	BT151X-650	[1]	-	650	V
	BT151X-800		-	800	V
$I_{T(AV)}$	average on-state current	half sinewave; $T_{hs} \leq 69\text{ °C}$ ; <a href="#">Figure 1</a>	-	7.5	A
$I_{T(RMS)}$	RMS on-state current	all conduction angles; <a href="#">Figure 4</a> and <a href="#">Figure 5</a>	-	12	A
$I_{TSM}$	non-repetitive peak on-state current	half sinewave; $T_j = 25\text{ °C}$ prior to surge; <a href="#">Figure 2</a> and <a href="#">Figure 3</a>			
		$t = 10\text{ ms}$	-	120	A
		$t = 8.3\text{ ms}$	-	132	A
$I^2t$	$I^2t$ for fusing	$t = 10\text{ ms}$	-	72	A <sup>2</sup> s
$di_T/dt$	repetitive rate of rise of on-state current after triggering	$I_{TM} = 20\text{ A}$ ; $I_G = 50\text{ mA}$ ; $di_G/dt = 50\text{ mA}/\mu\text{s}$	-	50	A/ $\mu\text{s}$
$I_{GM}$	peak gate current		-	2	A
$V_{RGM}$	peak reverse gate voltage		-	5	V
$P_{GM}$	peak gate power		-	5	W
$P_{G(AV)}$	average gate power	over any 20 ms period	-	0.5	W
$T_{stg}$	storage temperature		-40	+150	°C
$T_j$	junction temperature		-	125	°C

- [1] Although not recommended, off-state voltages up to 800 V may be applied without damage, but the thyristor may switch to the on-state. The rate of rise of current should not exceed 15 A/ $\mu\text{s}$ .

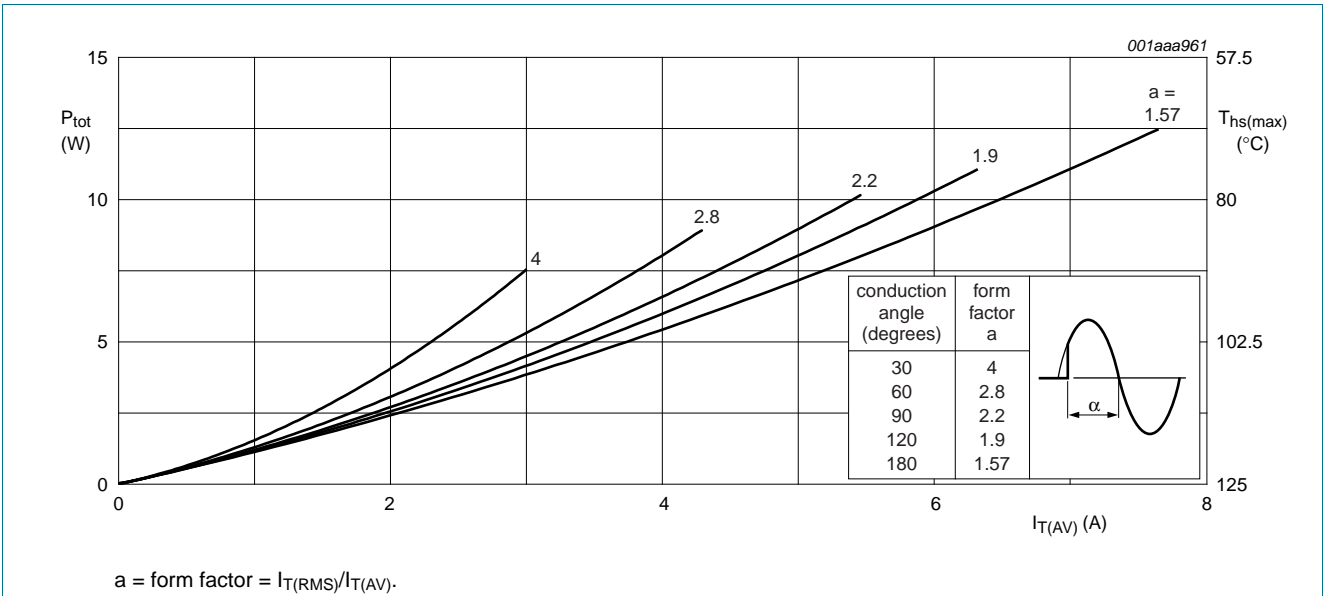


Fig 1. Total power dissipation as a function of average on-state current; maximum values

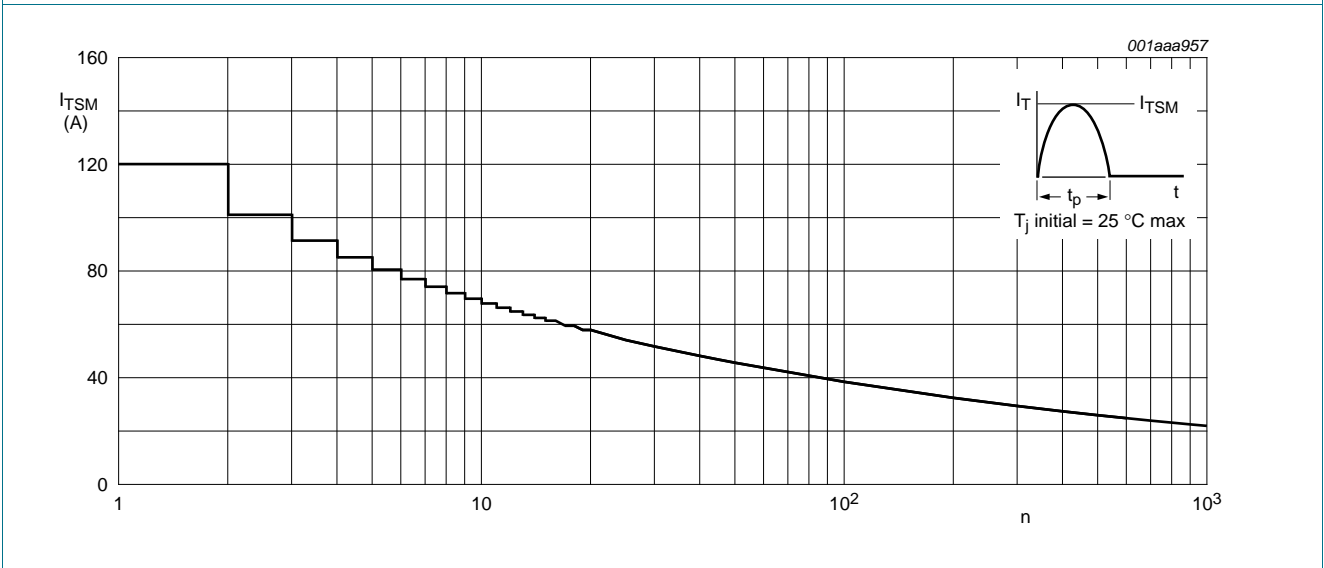
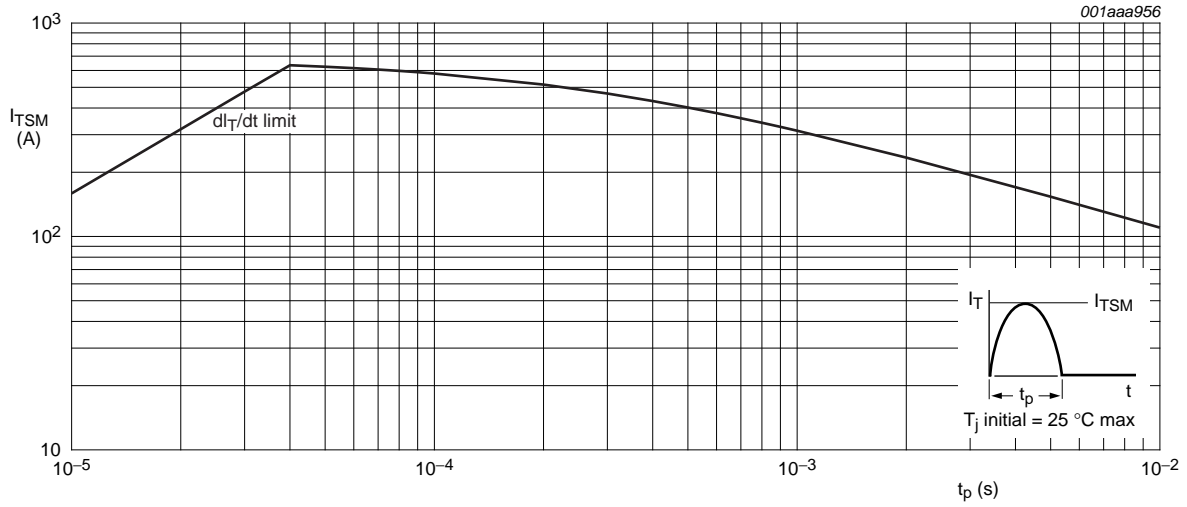
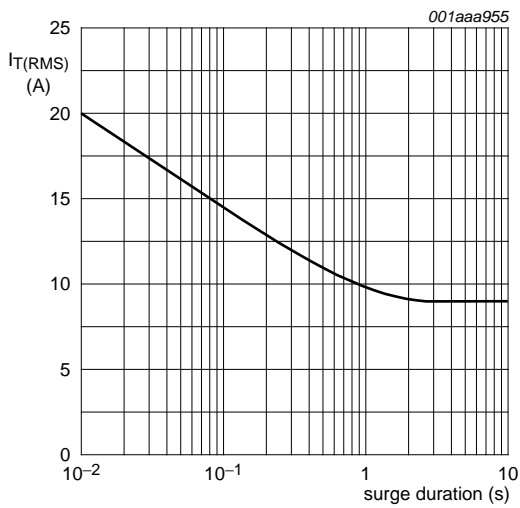


Fig 2. Non-repetitive peak on-state current as a function of the number of sinusoidal current cycles; maximum values



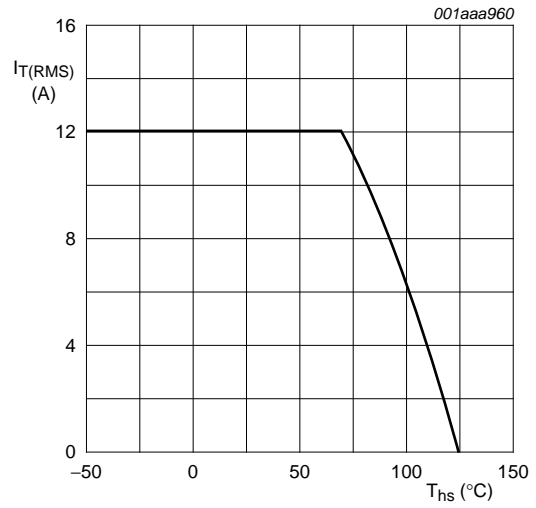
$t_p \leq 10$  ms.

**Fig 3. Non-repetitive peak on-state current as a function of pulse width; maximum values**



$f = 50$  Hz;  $T_{hs} \leq 87$  °C.

**Fig 4. RMS on-state current as a function of surge duration; maximum values**

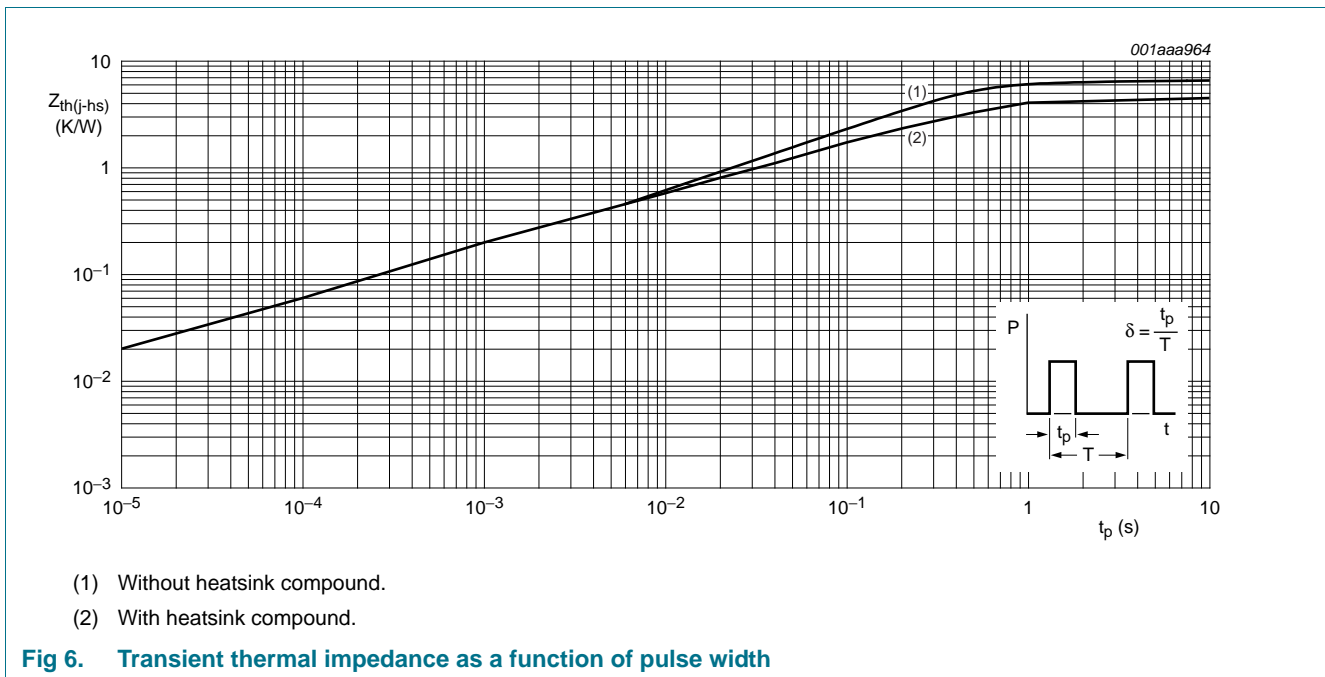


**Fig 5. RMS on-state current as a function of heatsink temperature; maximum values**

## 5. Thermal characteristics

Table 4. Thermal characteristics

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Typ	Max	Unit
$R_{th(j-hs)}$	thermal resistance from junction to heatsink	Figure 6			
		with heatsink compound	-	4.5	K/W
		without heatsink compound	-	6.5	K/W
$R_{th(j-a)}$	thermal resistance from junction to ambient	in free air	55	-	K/W



## 6. Isolation characteristics

Table 5. Isolation limiting values and characteristics

$T_{hs} = 25\text{ °C}$  unless otherwise specified

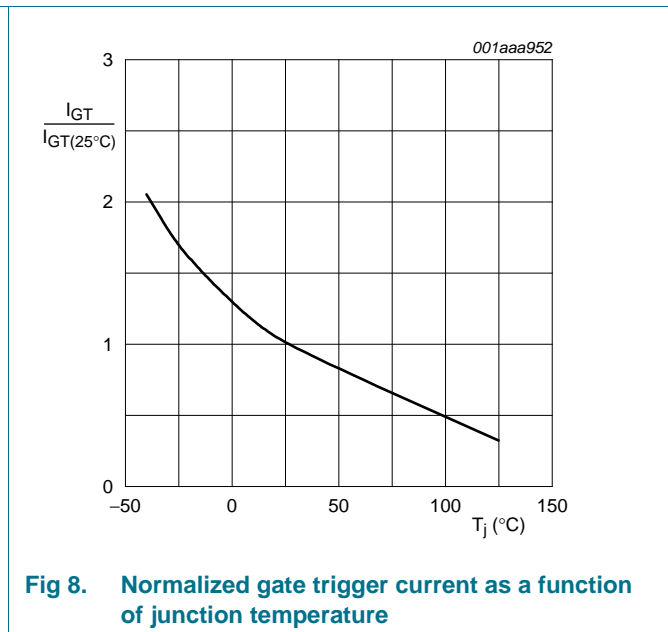
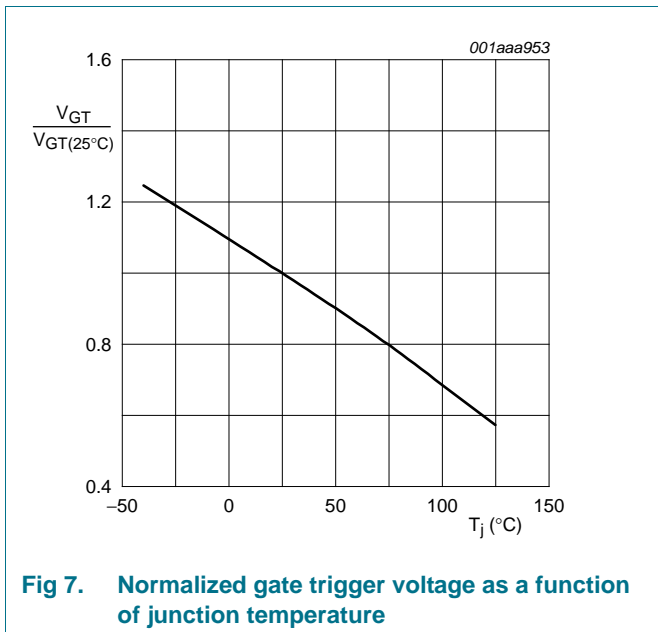
Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Typ	Max	Unit
$V_{isol}$	RMS isolation voltage from all three terminals to external heatsink	$f = 50$ to $60$ Hz; sinusoidal waveform; R.H. $\leq 65\%$ ; clean and dust free	-	2500	V
$C_{isol}$	capacitance from pin 2 to external heatsink	$f = 1$ MHz	10	-	pF

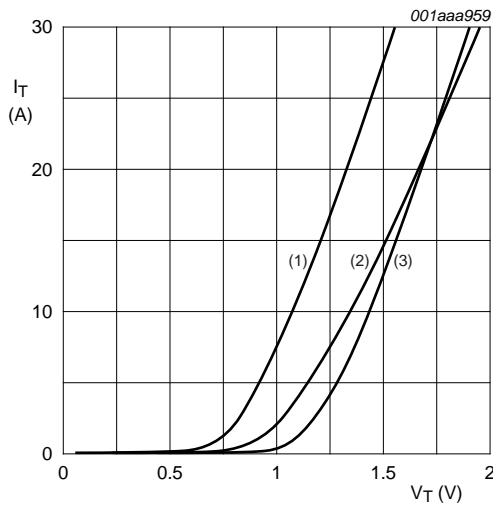
## 7. Characteristics

**Table 6. Characteristics**

$T_j = 25\text{ °C}$  unless otherwise stated

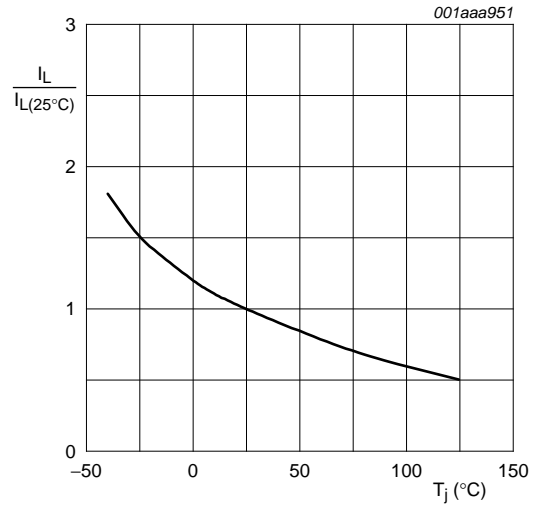
Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
<b>Static characteristics</b>						
$I_{GT}$	gate trigger current	$V_D = 12\text{ V}$ ; $I_T = 0.1\text{ A}$ ; <a href="#">Figure 8</a>	-	2	15	mA
$I_L$	latching current	$V_D = 12\text{ V}$ ; $I_{GT} = 0.1\text{ A}$ ; <a href="#">Figure 10</a>	-	10	40	mA
$I_H$	holding current	$V_D = 12\text{ V}$ ; $I_{GT} = 0.1\text{ A}$ ; <a href="#">Figure 11</a>	-	7	20	mA
$V_T$	on-state voltage	$I_T = 23\text{ A}$ ; <a href="#">Figure 9</a>	-	1.4	1.75	V
$V_{GT}$	gate trigger voltage	$V_D = 12\text{ V}$ ; $I_T = 0.1\text{ A}$ ; <a href="#">Figure 7</a>	-	0.6	1.5	V
		$V_D = V_{DRM(max)}$ ; $I_T = 0.1\text{ A}$ ; $T_j = 125\text{ °C}$	0.25	0.4	-	V
$I_D, I_R$	off-state leakage current	$V_D = V_{DRM(max)}$ ; $V_R = V_{RRM(max)}$ ; $T_j = 125\text{ °C}$	-	0.1	0.5	mA
<b>Dynamic characteristics</b>						
$dV_D/dt$	critical rate of rise of off-state voltage	$V_{DM} = 67\% V_{DRM(max)}$ ; $T_j = 125\text{ °C}$ ; exponential waveform; <a href="#">Figure 12</a>				
		gate open circuit	50	130	-	V/ $\mu\text{s}$
		$R_{GK} = 100\ \Omega$	200	1000	-	V/ $\mu\text{s}$
$t_{gt}$	gate controlled turn-on time	$I_{TM} = 40\text{ A}$ ; $V_D = V_{DRM(max)}$ ; $I_G = 0.1\text{ A}$ ; $dI_G/dt = 5\text{ A}/\mu\text{s}$	-	2	-	$\mu\text{s}$
$t_q$	circuit commuted turn-on time	$V_D = 67\% V_{DRM(max)}$ ; $T_j = 125\text{ °C}$ ; $I_{TM} = 20\text{ A}$ ; $V_R = 25\text{ V}$ ; $dI_{TM}/dt = 30\text{ A}/\mu\text{s}$ ; $dV_D/dt = 50\text{ V}/\mu\text{s}$ ; $R_{GK} = 100\ \Omega$	-	70	-	$\mu\text{s}$



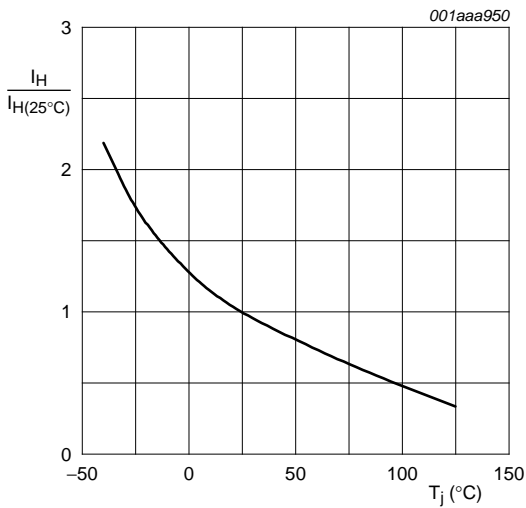


$V_O = 1.06 \text{ V}$ .  
 $R_S = 0.0304 \text{ } \Omega$ .  
 (1)  $T_j = 125 \text{ } ^\circ\text{C}$ ; typical values.  
 (2)  $T_j = 125 \text{ } ^\circ\text{C}$ ; maximum values.  
 (3)  $T_j = 25 \text{ } ^\circ\text{C}$ ; maximum values.

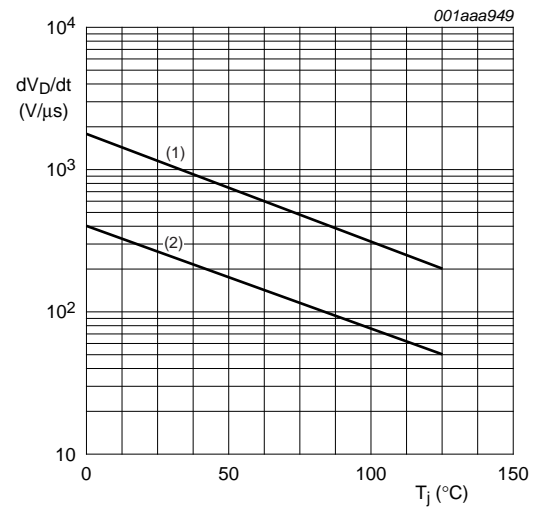
**Fig 9. On-state current characteristics**



**Fig 10. Normalized latching current as a function of junction temperature**



**Fig 11. Normalized holding current as a function of junction temperature**



(1)  $R_{GK} = 100 \text{ } \Omega$ .  
 (2) Gate open circuit.

**Fig 12. Critical rate of rise of off-state voltage as a function of junction temperature; minimum values**

## 8. Package information

Epoxy meets requirements of UL94 V-0 at 1/8 inch.

9. Package outline

Plastic single-ended package; isolated heatsink mounted;  
1 mounting hole; 3-lead TO-220 'full pack'

SOT186A

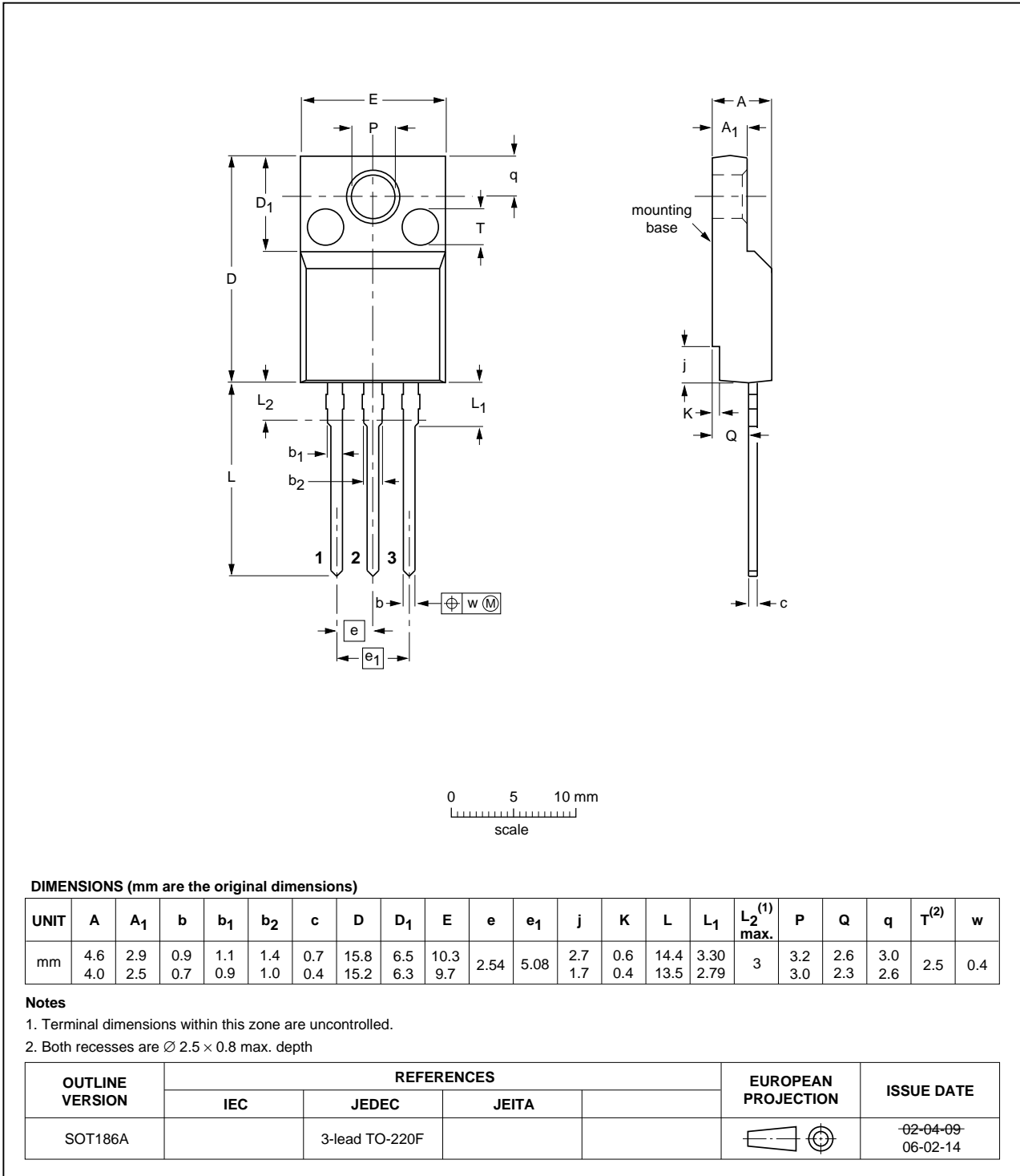


Fig 13. Package outline SOT186A (TO-220)



## 10. Revision history

Table 7. Revision history

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BT151X_SERIES v.2	19990601	Product specification		BT151X_SERIES v.1
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