



BT151 series L and R

Thyristors

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Product data sheet

1. Product profile

1.1 General description

Passivated thyristors in a SOT78 plastic package.

1.2 Features

- High thermal cycling performance
- High bidirectional blocking voltage

1.3 Applications

- Motor control
- Ignition circuits
- Static switching
- Protection circuits

1.4 Quick reference data

- $V_{DRM} \leq 500$ V (BT151-500L/R)
- $V_{RRM} \leq 500$ V (BT151-500L/R)
- $V_{DRM} \leq 650$ V (BT151-650L/R)
- $V_{RRM} \leq 650$ V (BT151-650L/R)
- $V_{DRM} \leq 800$ V (BT151-800R)
- $V_{RRM} \leq 800$ V (BT151-800R)
- $I_{TSM} \leq 120$ A ($t = 10$ ms)
- $I_{T(RMS)} \leq 12$ A
- $I_{T(AV)} \leq 7.5$ A
- $I_{GT} \leq 5$ mA (BT151 series L)
- $I_{GT} \leq 15$ mA (BT151 series R)

2. Pinning information

Table 1. Pinning

Pin	Description	Simplified outline	Symbol
1	cathode (K)		
2	anode (A)		
3	gate (G)		
mb	mounting base; connected to anode		 A → K G sym037

SOT78 (3-lead TO-220AB)

3. Ordering information

Table 2. Ordering information

Type number	Package			Version
	Name	Description		
BT151-500L	SC-46	plastic single-ended package; heatsink mounted; 1 mounting hole;		SOT78
BT151-500R		3-lead TO-220AB		
BT151-650L				
BT151-650R				
BT151-800R				

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}	repetitive peak off-state voltage	BT151-500L; BT151-500R	[1]	-	500
		BT151-650L; BT151-650R	[1]	-	650
		BT151-800R	-	800	V
V_{RRM}	repetitive peak reverse voltage	BT151-500L; BT151-500R	[1]	-	500
		BT151-650L; BT151-650R	[1]	-	650
		BT151-800R	-	800	V
$I_{T(AV)}$	average on-state current	half sine wave; $T_{mb} \leq 109^\circ\text{C}$; see Figure 1	-	7.5	A
$I_{T(RMS)}$	RMS on-state current	all conduction angles; see Figure 4 and 5	-	12	A
I_{TSM}	non-repetitive peak on-state current	half sine wave; $T_j = 25^\circ\text{C}$ prior to surge; see Figure 2 and 3			
		$t = 10\text{ ms}$	-	120	A
		$t = 8.3\text{ ms}$	-	132	A
I^2t	I^2t for fusing	$t = 10\text{ ms}$	-	72	A^2s
dI_T/dt	rate of rise of on-state current	$I_{TM} = 20\text{ A}; I_G = 50\text{ mA}; dI_G/dt = 50\text{ mA}/\mu\text{s}$	-	50	$\text{A}/\mu\text{s}$
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	$^\circ\text{C}$
T_j	junction temperature		-	125	$^\circ\text{C}$

[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/ μs .