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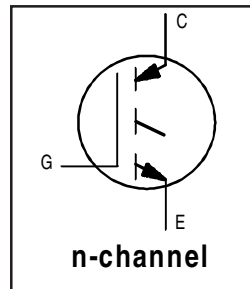
# IRG4BC40U

INSULATED GATE BIPOLAR TRANSISTOR

UltraFast Speed IGBT

## Features

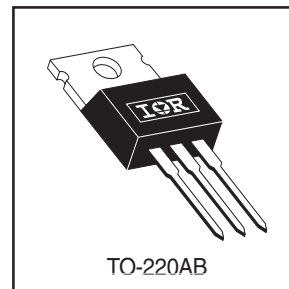
- UltraFast: optimized for high operating frequencies 8-40 kHz in hard switching, >200 kHz in resonant mode
- Generation 4 IGBT design provides tighter parameter distribution and higher efficiency than Generation 3
- Industry standard TO-220AB package



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|-----------------------------|
| $V_{CES} = 600V$            |
| $V_{CE(on) typ.} = 1.72V$   |
| @ $V_{GE} = 15V, I_C = 20A$ |

## Benefits

- Generation 4 IGBTs offer highest efficiency available
- IGBTs optimized for specified application conditions
- Designed to be a "drop-in" replacement for equivalent industry-standard Generation 3 IR IGBTs



## Absolute Maximum Ratings

|                           | Parameter  | Max.               | Units      |
|---------------------------|--|--------------------|------------|
| $V_{CES}$                 | Collector-to-Emitter Voltage                     | 600                | V          |
| $I_C @ T_C = 25^\circ C$  | Continuous Collector Current                     | 40                 | A          |
| $I_C @ T_C = 100^\circ C$ | Continuous Collector Current                     | 20                 |            |
| $I_{CM}$                  | Pulsed Collector Current ①                       | 160                |            |
| $I_{LM}$                  | Clamped Inductive Load Current ②                 | 160                |            |
| $V_{GE}$                  | Gate-to-Emitter Voltage                          | $\pm 20$           | V          |
| $E_{ARV}$                 | Reverse Voltage Avalanche Energy ③               | 15                 | mJ         |
| $P_D @ T_C = 25^\circ C$  | Maximum Power Dissipation                        | 160                | W          |
| $P_D @ T_C = 100^\circ C$ | Maximum Power Dissipation                        | 65                 |            |
| $T_J$                     | Operating Junction and Storage Temperature Range | -55 to +150        | $^\circ C$ |
| $T_{STG}$                 |  |                    |            |
|                           |  |                    |            |
|                           | Mounting torque, 6-32 or M3 screw.               | 10 lbf•in (1.1N•m) |            |

## Thermal Resistance

|                 | Parameter                                 | Min.  | Typ.     | Max.  | Units        |
|-----------------|---|-------|----------|-------|--------------|
| $R_{\theta JC}$ | Junction-to-Case                          | ----- | -----    | 0.77  | $^\circ C/W$ |
| $R_{\theta CS}$ | Case-to-Sink, flat, greased surface       | ----- | 0.50     | ----- |              |
| $R_{\theta JA}$ | Junction-to-Ambient, typical socket mount | ----- | -----    | 80    |              |
| Wt              | Weight                                    | ----- | 2 (0.07) | ----- | g (oz)       |

## Electrical Characteristics @ $T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$ (unless otherwise specified)

|                                 | Parameter                                | Min. | Typ. | Max.      | Units   | Conditions  |                                      |
|---------------------------------|--|------|------|-----------|---------|---|--------------------------------------|
| $V_{(BR)CES}$                   | Collector-to-Emitter Breakdown Voltage   | 600  | ---- | ----      | V       | $V_{GE} = 0V, I_C = 250\mu A$                         |                                      |
| $V_{(BR)ECS}$                   | Emitter-to-Collector Breakdown Voltage ④ | 18   | ---- | ----      | V       | $V_{GE} = 0V, I_C = 1.0A$ See Fig. 2, 5               |                                      |
| $\Delta V_{(BR)CES}/\Delta T_J$ | Temperature Coeff. of Breakdown Voltage  | ---- | 0.63 | ----      | V/°C    | $V_{GE} = 0V, I_C = 1.0mA$                            |                                      |
| $V_{CE(on)}$                    | Collector-to-Emitter Saturation Voltage  | ---- | 1.72 | 2.1       | V       | $I_C = 20A, V_{GE} = 15V$                             |                                      |
|                                 |  | ---- | 2.15 | ----      |         |   | $I_C = 40A$                          |
|                                 |  | ---- | 1.7  | ----      |         |   | $I_C = 20A, T_J = 150^\circ\text{C}$ |
| $V_{GE(th)}$                    | Gate Threshold Voltage                   | 3.0  | ---- | 6.0       |         | $V_{CE} = V_{GE}, I_C = 250\mu A$                     |                                      |
| $\Delta V_{GE(th)}/\Delta T_J$  | Temperature Coeff. of Threshold Voltage  | ---- | -13  | ----      | mV/°C   | $V_{CE} = V_{GE}, I_C = 250\mu A$                     |                                      |
| $g_{fe}$                        | Forward Transconductance ⑤               | 11   | 18   | ----      | S       | $V_{CE} = 100V, I_C = 20A$                            |                                      |
| $I_{CES}$                       | Zero Gate Voltage Collector Current      | ---- | ---- | 250       | $\mu A$ | $V_{GE} = 0V, V_{CE} = 600V$                          |                                      |
|                                 |  | ---- | ---- | 2.0       |         | $V_{GE} = 0V, V_{CE} = 10V, T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$   |                                      |
|                                 |  | ---- | ---- | 2500      |         | $V_{GE} = 0V, V_{CE} = 600V, T_J = 150^\circ\text{C}$ |                                      |
| $I_{GES}$                       | Gate-to-Emitter Leakage Current          | ---- | ---- | $\pm 100$ | nA      | $V_{GE} = \pm 20V$                                    |                                      |

## Switching Characteristics @ $T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$ (unless otherwise specified)

|              | Parameter                         | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units | Conditions  |
|--------------|-----------------------------------|------|------|------|-------|---|
| $Q_g$        | Total Gate Charge (turn-on)       | ---- | 100  | 150  | nC    | $I_C = 20A$<br>$V_{CC} = 400V$ See Fig. 8<br>$V_{GE} = 15V$   |
| $Q_{ge}$     | Gate - Emitter Charge (turn-on)   | ---- | 16   | 25   |       |   |
| $Q_{gc}$     | Gate - Collector Charge (turn-on) | ---- | 40   | 60   |       |   |
| $t_{d(on)}$  | Turn-On Delay Time                | ---- | 34   | ---- | ns    | $T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$<br>$I_C = 20A, V_{CC} = 480V$<br>$V_{GE} = 15V, R_G = 10\Omega$<br>Energy losses include "tail"    |
| $t_r$        | Rise Time                         | ---- | 19   | ---- |       |   |
| $t_{d(off)}$ | Turn-Off Delay Time               | ---- | 110  | 175  |       |   |
| $t_f$        | Fall Time                         | ---- | 120  | 180  |       |   |
| $E_{on}$     | Turn-On Switching Loss            | ---- | 0.32 | ---- | mJ    | See Fig. 10, 11, 13, 14   |
| $E_{off}$    | Turn-Off Switching Loss           | ---- | 0.35 | ---- |       |   |
| $E_{ts}$     | Total Switching Loss              | ---- | 0.67 | 1.0  |       |   |
| $t_{d(on)}$  | Turn-On Delay Time                | ---- | 30   | ---- | ns    | $T_J = 150^\circ\text{C}$ ,<br>$I_C = 20A, V_{CC} = 480V$<br>$V_{GE} = 15V, R_G = 10\Omega$<br>Energy losses include "tail" |
| $t_r$        | Rise Time                         | ---- | 19   | ---- |       |   |
| $t_{d(off)}$ | Turn-Off Delay Time               | ---- | 220  | ---- |       |   |
| $t_f$        | Fall Time                         | ---- | 160  | ---- |       |   |
| $E_{ts}$     | Total Switching Loss              | ---- | 1.4  | ---- | mJ    | See Fig. 13, 14   |
| $L_E$        | Internal Emitter Inductance       | ---- | 7.5  | ---- | nH    | Measured 5mm from package   |
| $C_{ies}$    | Input Capacitance                 | ---- | 2100 | ---- | pF    | $V_{GE} = 0V$<br>$V_{CC} = 30V$ See Fig. 7<br>$f = 1.0MHz$  |
| $C_{oes}$    | Output Capacitance                | ---- | 140  | ---- |       |   |
| $C_{res}$    | Reverse Transfer Capacitance      | ---- | 34   | ---- |       |   |

### Notes:

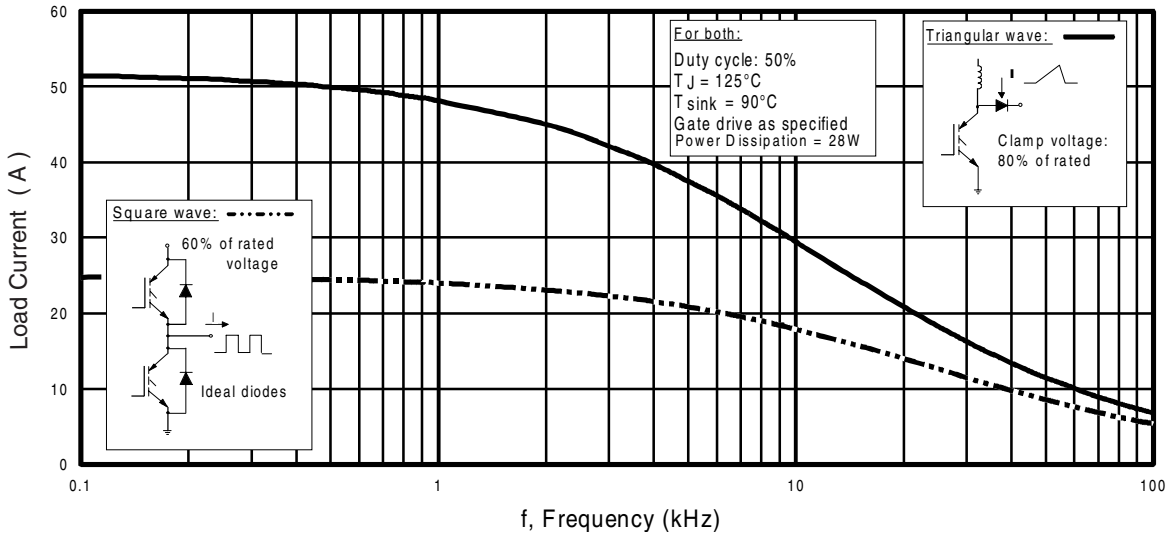
① Repetitive rating;  $V_{GE} = 20V$ , pulse width limited by max. junction temperature. ( See fig. 13b )

②  $V_{CC} = 80\%(V_{CES})$ ,  $V_{GE} = 20V$ ,  $L = 10\mu H$ ,  $R_G = 10\Omega$ , (see fig. 13a)

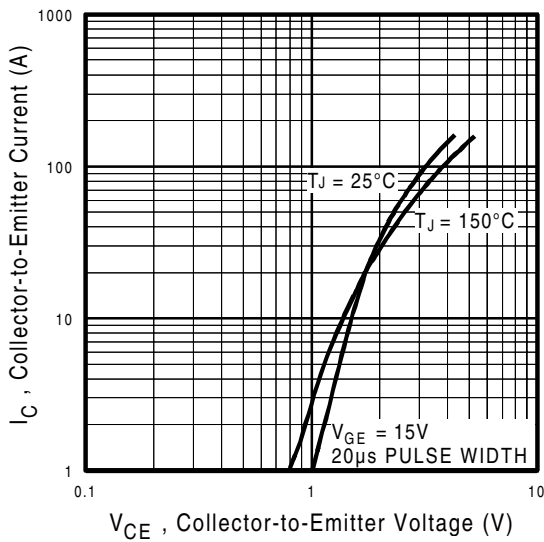
③ Repetitive rating; pulse width limited by maximum junction temperature.

④ Pulse width  $\leq 80\mu s$ ; duty factor  $\leq 0.1\%$ .

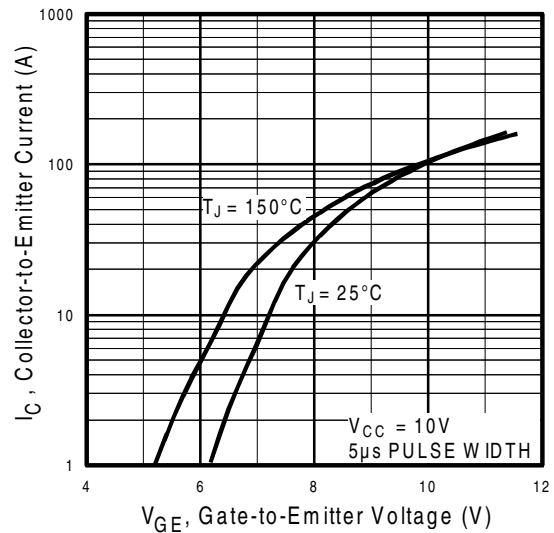
⑤ Pulse width  $5.0\mu s$ , single shot.



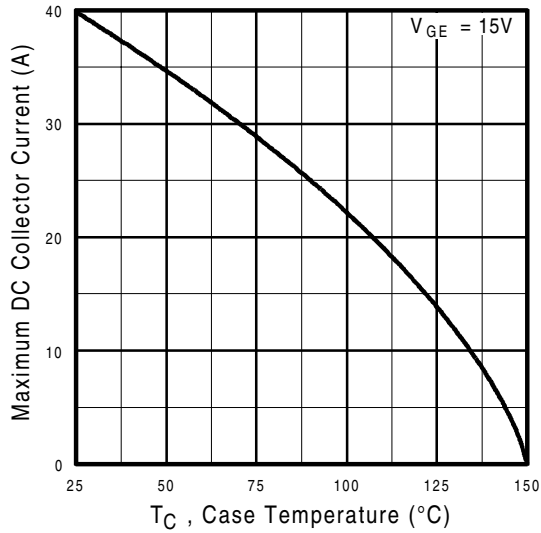
**Fig. 1 - Typical Load Current vs. Frequency**  
(For square wave,  $I = I_{RMS}$  of fundamental; for triangular wave,  $I = I_{PK}$ )



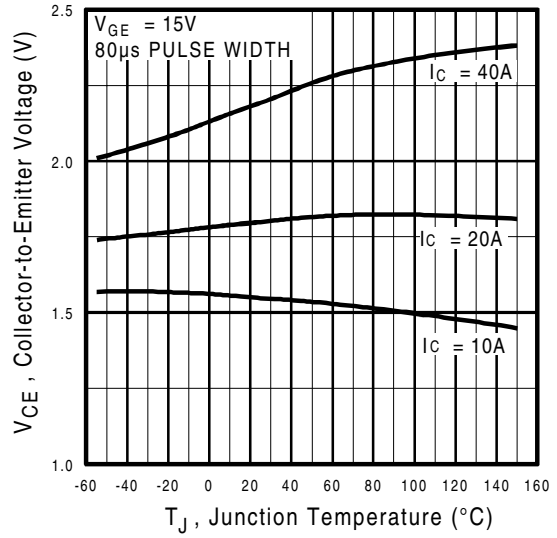
**Fig. 2 - Typical Output Characteristics**  
 $T_C = 25^\circ\text{C}$



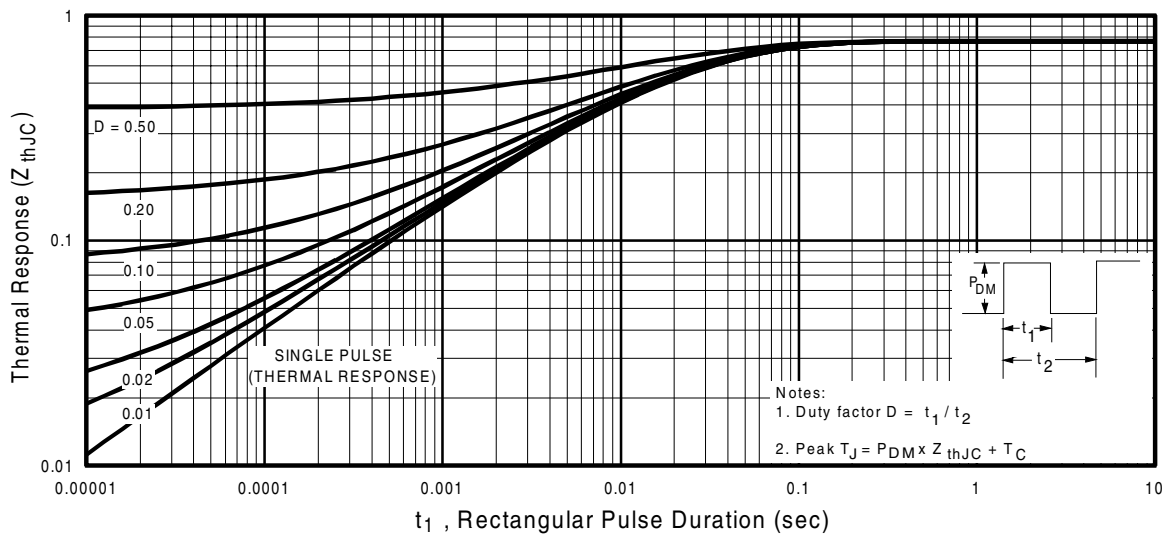
**Fig. 3 - Typical Transfer Characteristics**



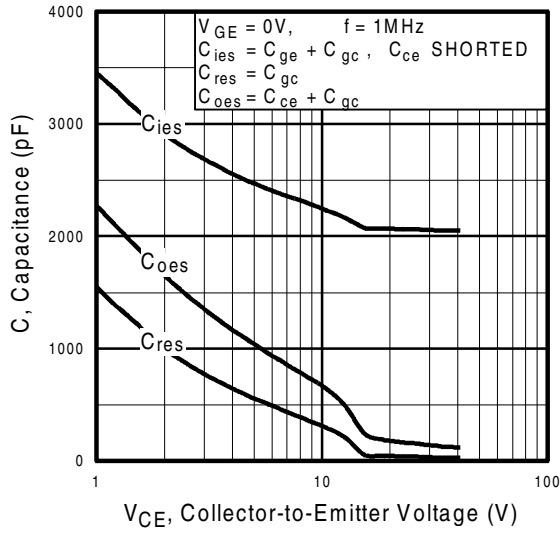
**Fig. 4** - Maximum Collector Current vs. Case Temperature



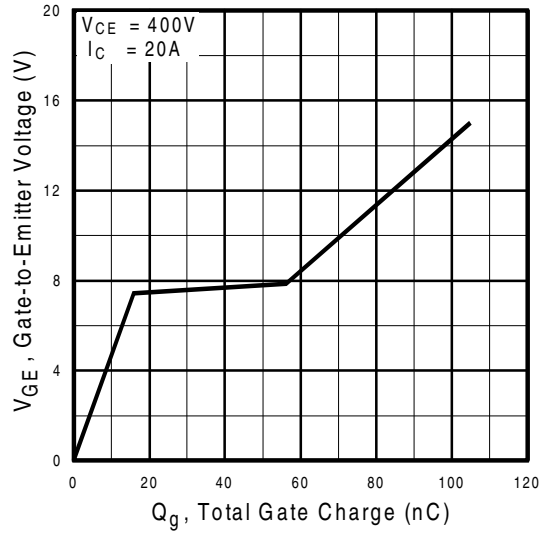
**Fig. 5** - Collector-to-Emitter Voltage vs. Junction Temperature



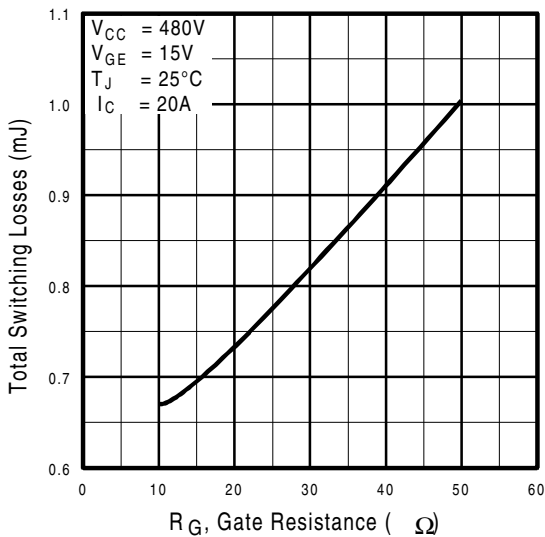
**Fig. 6** - Maximum Effective Transient Thermal Impedance, Junction-to-Case



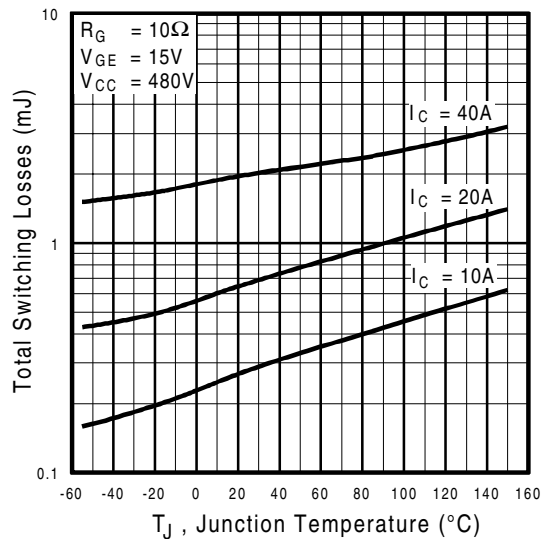
**Fig. 7** - Typical Capacitance vs. Collector-to-Emitter Voltage



**Fig. 8** - Typical Gate Charge vs. Gate-to-Emitter Voltage

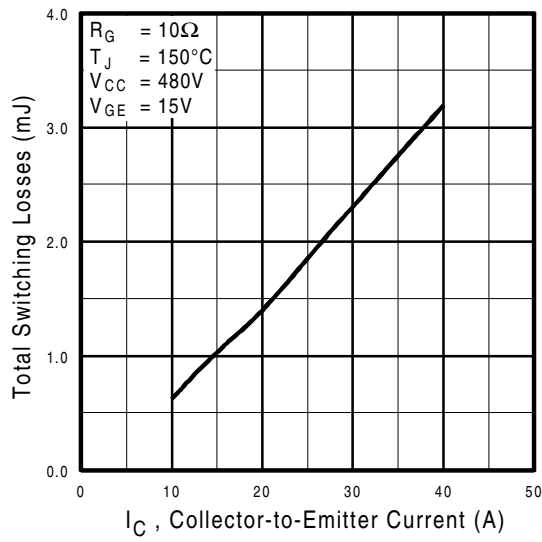


**Fig. 9** - Typical Switching Losses vs. Gate Resistance

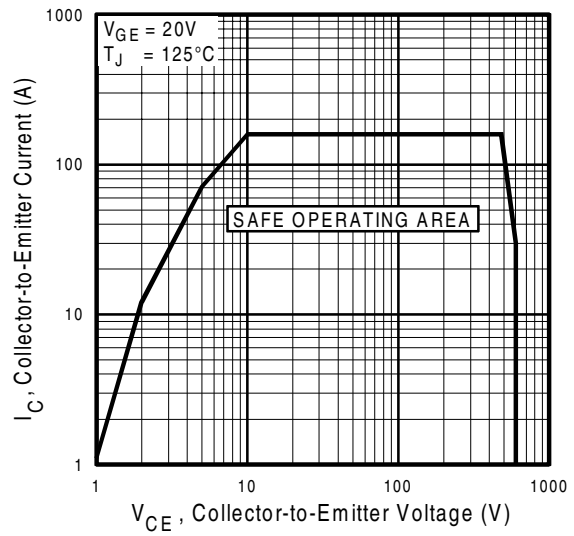


**Fig. 10** - Typical Switching Losses vs. Junction Temperature

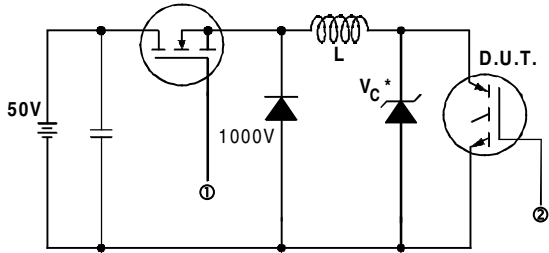
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**Fig. 11** - Typical Switching Losses vs. Collector-to-Emitter Current

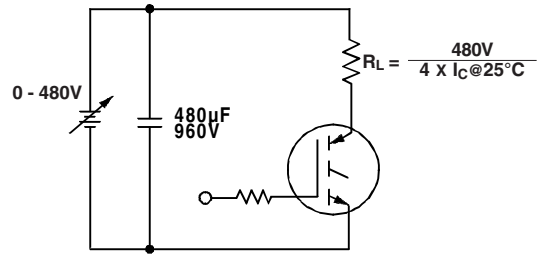


**Fig. 12** - Turn-Off SOA

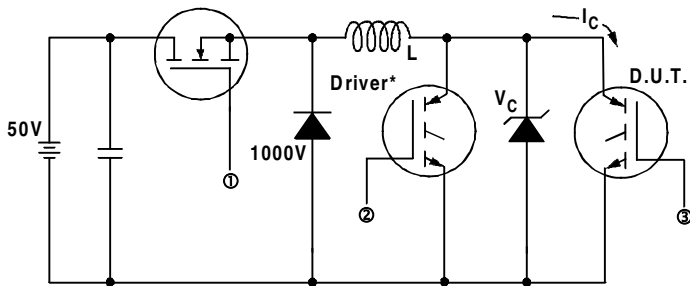


\* Driver same type as D.U.T.;  $V_c = 80\%$  of  $V_{ce(max)}$   
 \* Note: Due to the 50V power supply, pulse width and inductor will increase to obtain rated  $I_d$ .

**Fig. 13a** - Clamped Inductive Load Test Circuit

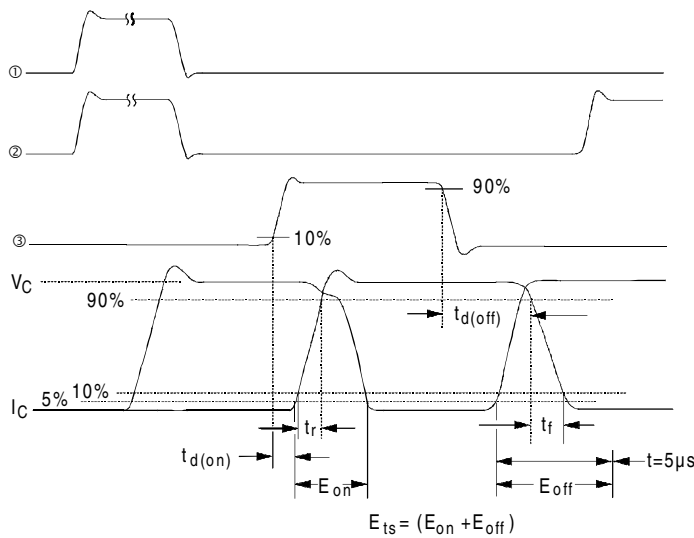


**Fig. 13b** - Pulsed Collector Current Test Circuit



**Fig. 14a** - Switching Loss Test Circuit

\* Driver same type as D.U.T.,  $V_C = 480V$



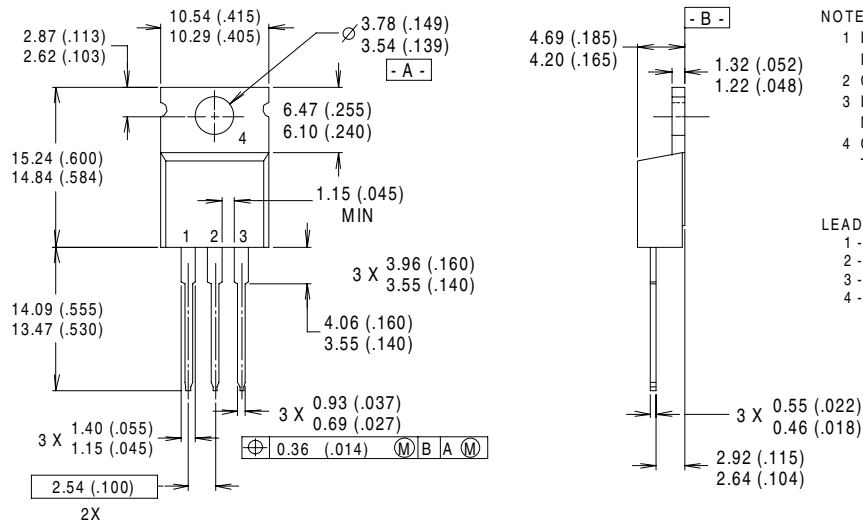
**Fig. 14b** - Switching Loss Waveforms



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## Case Outline and Dimensions — TO-220AB



**NOTES:**

- 1 DIMENSIONS & TOLERANCING PER ANSI Y14.5M, 1982.
- 2 CONTROLLING DIMENSION : INCH.
- 3 DIMENSIONS ARE SHOWN MILLIMETERS (INCHES).
- 4 CONFORMS TO JEDEC OUTLINE TO-220AB.

**LEAD ASSIGNMENTS**

- 1 - GATE
- 2 - COLLECTOR
- 3 - EMITTER
- 4 - COLLECTOR

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