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2N1842A

## MAXIMUM ALLOWABLE RATINGS

TYPE	PEAK FORWARD BLOCKING VOLTAGE, $V_{FOM}$ $T_c = -40^\circ\text{C} +100^\circ\text{C}$	PEAK FORWARD VOLTAGE, $PFV^{(1)}$ $T_c = -40^\circ\text{C} +100^\circ\text{C}$	REPETITIVE PEAK REVERSE VOLTAGE, $V_{RDM}$ (rep) <sup>(2)</sup> $T_c = -40^\circ\text{C} +100^\circ\text{C}$	NON-REPETITIVE PEAK REVERSE VOLTAGE (<3 MILLISEC.) $V_{RDM}$ (non-rep) <sup>(2)</sup> $T_c = -40^\circ\text{C} +100^\circ\text{C}$
2N1842A	25 Volts*	35 Volts	25 Volts*	35 Volts*

<sup>(1)</sup>Values apply for zero or negative gate voltage only. Maximum case to ambient thermal resistance for which maximum  $V_{FOM}$  and  $V_{RDM}$  ratings apply equals  $11^\circ\text{C}$  per watt.

<sup>(2)</sup>Cells with higher PFV ratings are available upon request.

RMS Forward Current, On-State	16 amperes (all conduction angles)
Average Forward Current, On-State	Depends on conduction angle (see Charts 3 and 4)
Rate of Rise of Forward Current, On-State, $dI/dt$	10 amperes per microsecond
Peak One-cycle Surge Forward Current, $I_{FSM}$ (surge)	125 amperes*
$I^2t$ (for fusing)	40 ampere <sup>2</sup> seconds (for times $\geq 1.5$ milliseconds)
Peak Gate Power Dissipation, $P_{GM}$	5 watts*
Average Gate Power Dissipation, $P_G$ (AV)	0.5 watt*
Peak Forward Gate Voltage, $V_{GFM}$	10 volts*
Peak Reverse Gate Voltage, $V_{GRM}$	5 volts*
Storage Temperature, $T_{stg}$	$-40^\circ\text{C}$ to $+125^\circ\text{C}$
Operating Temperature, $T_j$	$-40^\circ\text{C}$ to $+100^\circ\text{C}$ *
Stud Torque	30 lb-in (35 kg-cm)

\*Indicates Data included on JEDEC type number registration.

## CHARACTERISTICS

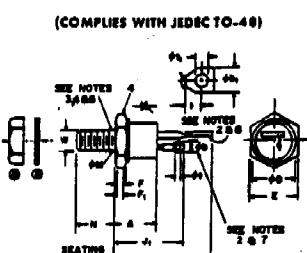
TEST	SYMBOL	MIN.	MAX.	UNITS	TEST CONDITIONS
PEAK REVERSE OR FORWARD BLOCKING CURRENT†	$I_{RDM}$ or $I_{FOM}$	—	45.0	mA	$T_c = -40^\circ\text{C} +100^\circ\text{C}$ $V_{RDM} = V_{FOM} = 25\text{V Peak}$
FULL CYCLE AVG. REVERSE OR FORWARD BLOCKING CURRENT†	$I_{RCAV}$ or $I_{FCAV}$	—	22.5*	mA	$T_c = +35^\circ\text{C}$ , $I_o = 10\text{A}$ 180° Conduction Angle $V_{RCAV} = V_{FCAV} = 25\text{V Peak}$
GATE TRIGGER CURRENT	$I_{GT}$	80	mAdc	$T_c = +25^\circ\text{C}$ , $V_{rx} = 12\text{Vdc}$ , $R_L = 50$ ohms	
		150*	mAdc	$T_c = -40^\circ\text{C}$ , $V_{rx} = 12\text{Vdc}$ , $R_L = 50$ ohms	
GATE TRIGGER VOLTAGE	$V_{GT}$	3.5*	Vdc	$T_c = 40^\circ\text{C} + 100^\circ\text{C}$ , $V_{rx} = 12\text{Vdc}$ , $R_L = 50$ ohms	
		0.30*	Vdc	$T_c = +100^\circ\text{C}$ , $V_{rx} = \text{Rated}$ , $V_{FOM}$ , $R_L = 1000$ ohms	
PEAK ON-VOLTAGE	$V_{FD}$	2.9	V	$T_c = +25^\circ\text{C}$ , $I_{FSM} = 50\text{A Peak}$ , 1 millisecond wide pulse	
EFFECTIVE THERMAL RESISTANCE (DC)	$\theta_{J-C}$	2.5	°C/watt		

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## OUTLINE DRAWING

- NOTES:  
 1. Component mounted as shown in drawing. 2% margin of underlug clearance. 240° (0.254mm) minimum lead length. 230° (0.230mm) maximum lead length. 220° (0.220mm) maximum lead length. 210° (0.210mm) minimum lead length. 200° (0.200mm) maximum lead length.  
 2. Lead wires must be terminated in accordance with JEDEC UN-25. Minimum pitch for lead wires of different diameters shall be 2.250" (5.724mm), minimum single diameter lead wire 2.225" (5.645mm). Minimum lead wire length 1.500" (38.1mm). See JEDEC UN-25, JEDEC UN-26, and JEDEC UN-27. IEC 60152, Part 1, 1979. Recommended lead wire material: Tin-lead alloy, minimum 90% tin, 10% lead. Lead wires must be terminated in accordance with JEDEC UN-25.  
 3. Case is electrically common.  
 4. Gage Contact is normally open.  
 5. Lead removed to gage contact.  
 6. Mounting for available space requirements.  
 A. 0.20 inch min. H, plated .178  
inch. N. plated .023 min. H.  
 B. Ref. Instr. Information.  
 C. Ref. Instr. Information.



SYMBOL	INCHES MIN. MAX.	MILLIMETERS MIN. MAX.	NOTES
A	.328 -.368	8.30 - 9.35	
B	.118 -.140	2.92 - 3.56	2
b <sub>1</sub>	.210 -.260	5.25 - 6.60	
b <sub>2</sub>	.240 -.260	6.10 - 6.60	
C	.344 -.368	8.70 - 9.35	4
D	.112 -.200	2.87 - 5.08	
E	.260 -.280	6.55 - 7.15	
F	.193 -.212	4.90 - 5.35	
G	.170 -.190	4.32 - 4.83	
H	.170 -.190	4.32 - 4.83	
H <sub>1</sub>	.422 -.452	10.72 - 11.31	
H <sub>2</sub>	.369 -.379	9.35 - 9.51	
H <sub>3</sub>	.125 -.160	3.18 - 4.10	3
W			