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#### **Provisional Data**

# IGBT Series/Chopper Diode Type F1400NC180

#### **Absolute Maximum Ratings**

	VOLTAGE RATINGS	MAXIMUM LIMITS	UNITS
$V_{RRM}$	Repetitive peak reverse voltage, (note 1)	1800	V
$V_{RSM}$	Non-repetitive peak reverse voltage, (note 1)	1800	V

	OTHER RATINGS (note 6)	MAXIMUM LIMITS	UNITS
I <sub>F(AV)</sub>	Mean forward current, T <sub>sink</sub> =55°C, (note 2)	1093	Α
I <sub>F(AV)</sub>	Mean forward current. T <sub>sink</sub> =100°C, (note 2)	497	Α
I <sub>F(AV)</sub>	Mean forward current. T <sub>sink</sub> =100°C, (note 3)	246	Α
I <sub>F(RMS)</sub>	Nominal RMS forward current, T <sub>sink</sub> =25°C, (note 2)	2206	Α
I <sub>F(d.c.)</sub>	D.C. forward current, T <sub>sink</sub> =25°C, (note 4)	1359	Α
I <sub>FSM</sub>	Peak non-repetitive surge t <sub>p</sub> =10ms, V <sub>RM</sub> =0.6V <sub>RRM</sub> , (note 5)	19	kA
I <sub>FSM2</sub>	Peak non-repetitive surge t <sub>p</sub> =10ms, V <sub>RM</sub> ≤10V, (note 5)	17.25	kA
l <sup>2</sup> t	$I^{2}t$ capacity for fusing $t_p$ =10ms, $V_{RM}$ =0.6 $V_{RRM}$ , (note 5)	1.49×10 <sup>6</sup>	A <sup>2</sup> s
I <sup>2</sup> t	$I^2t$ capacity for fusing $t_p$ =10ms, $V_{RM}$ $\leq$ 10V, (note 5)	1.81×10 <sup>6</sup>	A <sup>2</sup> s
T <sub>HS</sub>	Operating temperature range	-40 to +125	°C
T <sub>stg</sub>	Storage temperature range	-40 to +150	°C

#### Notes:

- 1) De-rating factor of 0.13% per °C is applicable for T<sub>i</sub> below 25°C.
- 2) Double side cooled, single phase; 50Hz, 180° half-sinewave.
- 3) Single side cooled, single phase; 50Hz, 180° half-sinewave.
- 4) Double side cooled.
- 5) Half-sinewave, 125°C T<sub>j</sub> initial.
- 6) Current (I<sub>F</sub>) ratings have been calculated using V<sub>0</sub> and r<sub>s</sub> (see page 2)

#### **Characteristics**

	PARAMETER	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	TEST CONDITIONS (Note 1)	UNITS
$V_{FM}$	Maximum poak forward voltage	-	-	2.2	I <sub>FM</sub> =1400A	V
VFM	Maximum peak forward voltage	-	-	2.46	I <sub>FM</sub> =2000A	V
V <sub>0</sub>	Threshold voltage	-	-	1.618	Current range 1093A-3279A	
rs	Slope resistance	-	-	0.388		
V <sub>01</sub>	Threshold voltage	-	-	1.730	Current range 1400A-4200A	
r <sub>S1</sub>	Slope resistance	-	-	0.335		
V <sub>FRM</sub> Maximum forward	Maximum forward recovery voltage	-	-	19	di/dt = 1000A/μs	\/
	Maximum forward recovery voltage	-	-	15	$di/dt = 1000A/\mu s, T_j=25^{\circ}C$	V
I <sub>RRM</sub> Peak reverse c	Dook reverse surrent	-	-	275	Rated V <sub>RRM</sub>	mA
	reak reverse current	-	-	50	Rated V <sub>RRM</sub> , T <sub>j</sub> =25°C	IIIA
Q <sub>ra</sub>	Recovered charge, 50% Chord	-	40	70	I <sub>FM</sub> =1000A, t <sub>p</sub> =1000μs, di/dt=60A/μs,	μC
trr	Reverse recovery time	-	1.5	2.4	V <sub>r</sub> =50V, 50% Chord. (note 2)	μs
Q <sub>ra</sub>	Recovered charge, 50% Chord	-	600	-	I <sub>FM</sub> =1400A, t <sub>p</sub> =100μs, di/dt=1000A/μs,	μC
t <sub>rr</sub>	Reverse recovery time	-	1.5	-	V <sub>r</sub> =900V, 50% Chord	μs
R <sub>th(j-hs)</sub>	Thermal resistance, junction to heatsink	-	-	0.024	Double side cooled	K/W
		-	-	0.048	Single side cooled	IV/VV
F	Mounting force	19	-	26		kN
$W_t$	Weight	-	510	-		g

#### Notes:-

- 1) Unless otherwise indicated T<sub>j</sub>=125°C.
- 2) Figures 3-6 were compiled using these conditions.

#### **Introduction**

The F1400NC18 fast recovery diode has soft reverse recovery characteristics with very good K factors. As such, they are particularly suitable for use in series IGBT applications.

Devices with a suffix code (2 letter or letter/digit/letter combination) added to their generic code are not necessarily subject to the conditions and limits contained in this report.

#### **Notes on Ratings and Characteristics**

#### 1.0 Voltage Grade Table

Voltage Grade	$V_{RRM}$	V <sub>RSM</sub>	V <sub>R</sub> dc
	(V)	(V)	(V)
18	1800	1900	900

#### 2.0 De-rating Factor

A blocking voltage de-rating factor of 0.13% per °C is applicable to this device for T<sub>i</sub> below 25°C.

#### 3.0 ABCD Constants

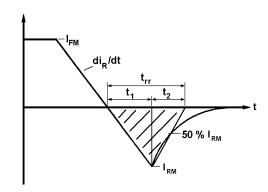
These constants (applicable only over current range of V<sub>F</sub> characteristic in Figure 1) are the coefficients of the expression for the forward characteristic given below:

$$V_F = A + B \cdot \ln(I_F) + C \cdot I_F + D \cdot \sqrt{I_F}$$

where  $I_F$  = instantaneous forward current.

### 4.0 Reverse recovery ratings

(i) Qra is based on 50% IRM chord as shown in Fig.(a) below.



(ii)  $Q_{rr}$  is based on a 150 $\mu$ s integration time.

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$$Q_{rr}=\int\limits_{0}^{150\,\mu s}i_{rr}.dt$$
 (iii)  $K\ Factor=rac{t_{1}}{t_{2}}$ 

(iii) 
$$K Factor = \frac{t_1}{t_2}$$

#### 5.0 Reverse Recovery Loss

The following procedure is recommended for use where it is necessary to include reverse recovery loss.

From waveforms of recovery current obtained from a high frequency shunt (see Note 1) and reverse voltage present during recovery, an instantaneous reverse recovery loss waveform must be constructed. Let the area under this waveform be E joules per pulse. A new sink temperature can then be evaluated from:

$$T_{SINK} = T_{J(MAX)} - E \cdot \left[k + f \cdot R_{th(J-Hs)}\right]$$

Where  $k = 0.2314 \, (^{\circ}C/W)/s$ 

E = Area under reverse loss waveform per pulse in joules (W.s.)

f = Rated frequency in Hz at the original sink temperature.

 $R_{th(J-Hs)}$  = d.c. thermal resistance (°C/W)

The total dissipation is now given by:

$$W_{(tot)} = W_{(original)} + E \cdot f$$

NOTE 1 - Reverse Recovery Loss by Measurement

This device has a low reverse recovered charge and peak reverse recovery current. When measuring the charge, care must be taken to ensure that:

- (a) AC coupled devices such as current transformers are not affected by prior passage of high amplitude forward current.
- (b) A suitable, polarised, clipping circuit must be connected to the input of the measuring oscilloscope to avoid overloading the internal amplifiers by the relatively high amplitude forward current signal.
- (c) Measurement of reverse recovery waveform should be carried out with an appropriate critically damped snubber, connected across diode anode to cathode. The formula used for the calculation of this snubber is shown below:

$$R^2 = 4 \cdot \frac{V_r}{C_S \cdot \frac{di}{dt}}$$

Where: V<sub>r</sub> = Commutating source voltage

C<sub>S</sub> = Snubber capacitance R = Snubber resistance

#### 6.0 Computer Modelling Parameters

6.1 Device Dissipation Calculations

$$I_{AV} = \frac{-V_o + \sqrt{V_o^2 + 4 \cdot ff^2 \cdot r_s \cdot W_{AV}}}{2 \cdot ff^2 \cdot r_s}$$

Where  $V_o = 1.618 \text{V}, r_s = 0.388 \text{m}\Omega$ 

ff = form factor (normally unity for fast diode applications)

$$W_{AV} = \frac{\Delta T}{R_{th}}$$

$$\Delta T = T_{j(MAX)} - T_{Hs}$$

6.2 Calculation of V<sub>F</sub> using ABCD Coefficients

The forward characteristic I<sub>F</sub> Vs V<sub>F</sub>, on Fig. 1 is represented in two ways;

- (i) the well established V<sub>0</sub> and r<sub>s</sub> tangent used for rating purposes and
- (ii) a set of constants A, B, C, and D forming the coefficients of the representative equation for V<sub>F</sub> in terms of I<sub>F</sub> given below:

$$V_F = A + B \cdot \ln(I_F) + C \cdot I_F + D \cdot \sqrt{I_F}$$

The constants, derived by curve fitting software, are given in this report for hot characteristics. The resulting values for  $V_F$  agree with the true device characteristic over a current range, which is limited to that plotted.

125°C Coefficients				
A 0.985921485				
В	-0.04775622			
С	-8.47755×10⁻⁵			
D	0.04486571			

#### **Curves**

Figure 1 – Forward characteristics of Limit device

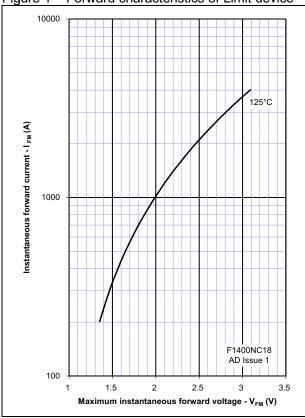
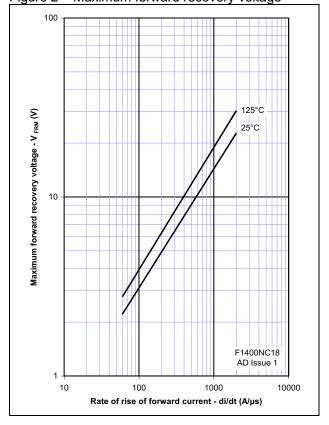


Figure 2 – Maximum forward recovery voltage



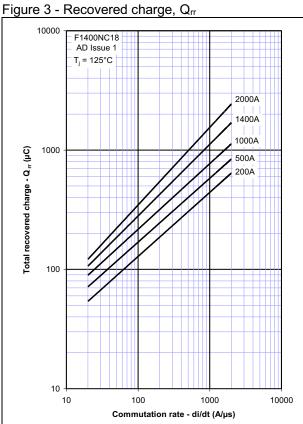
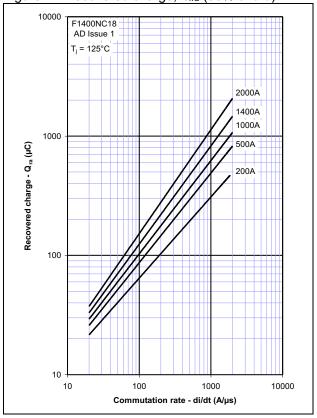
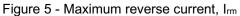


Figure 4 - Recovered charge, Qra (50% chord)





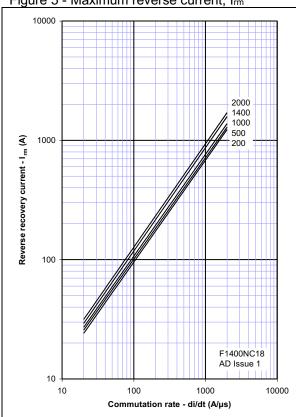


Figure 6 - Maximum recovery time, t<sub>rr</sub> (50% chord)

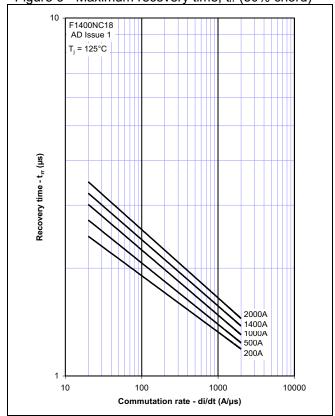


Figure 7 – Reverse recovery energy per pulse

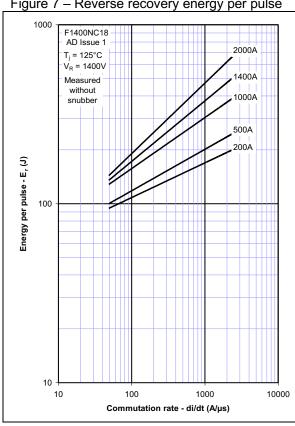
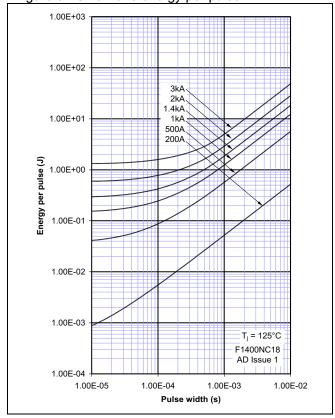
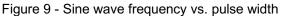


Figure 8 - Sine wave energy per pulse





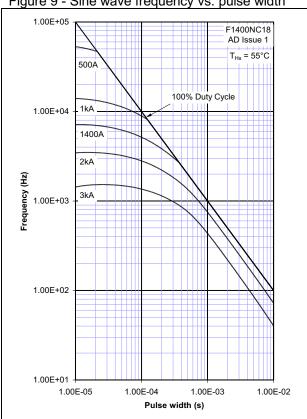


Figure 10 - Sine wave frequency vs. pulse width

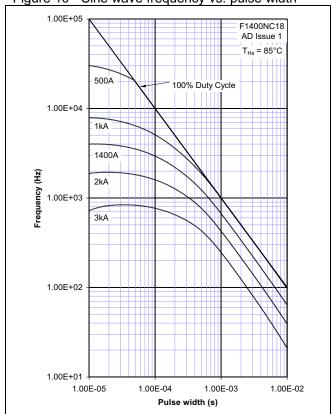


Figure 11 - Square wave energy per pulse

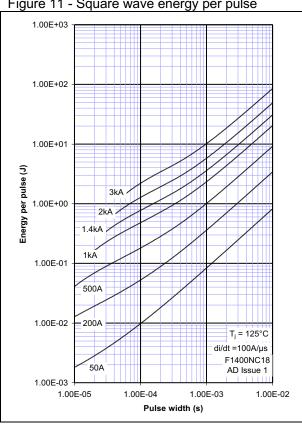


Figure 12 - Square wave energy per pulse

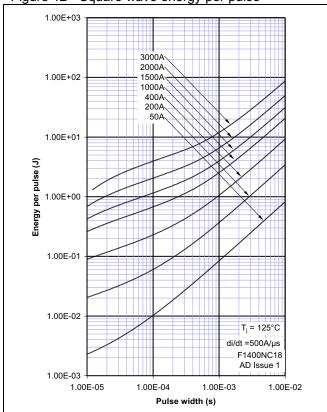


Figure 13 - Square wave frequency vs pulse width

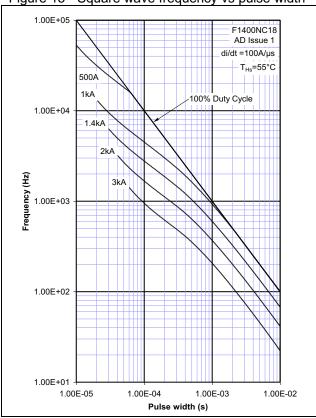


Figure 14 - Square wave frequency vs pulse width

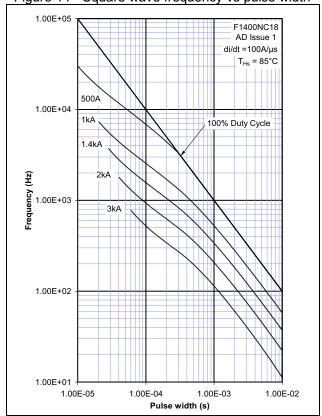


Figure 15 - Square wave frequency vs pulse width

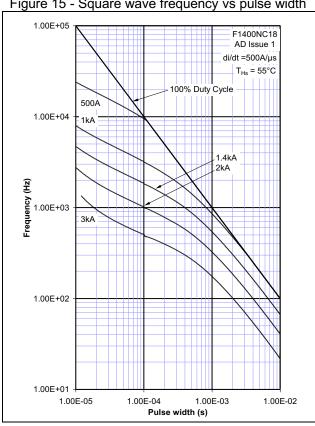
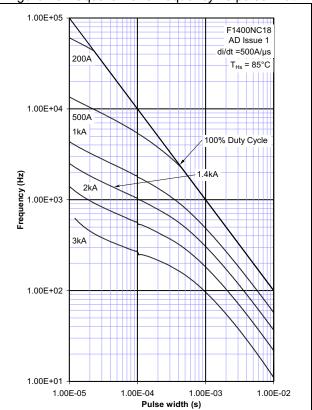
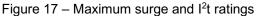
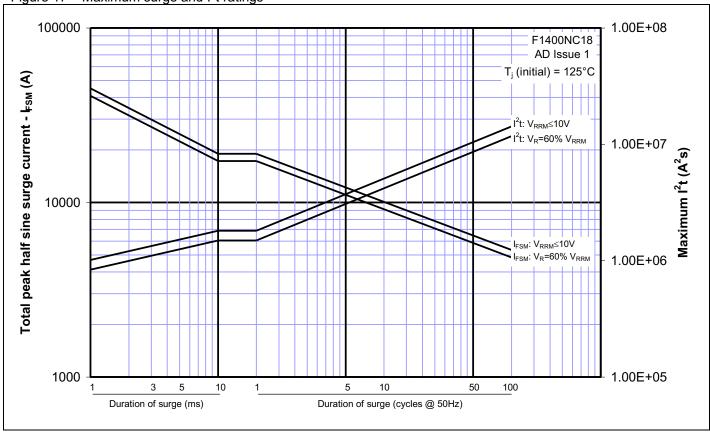


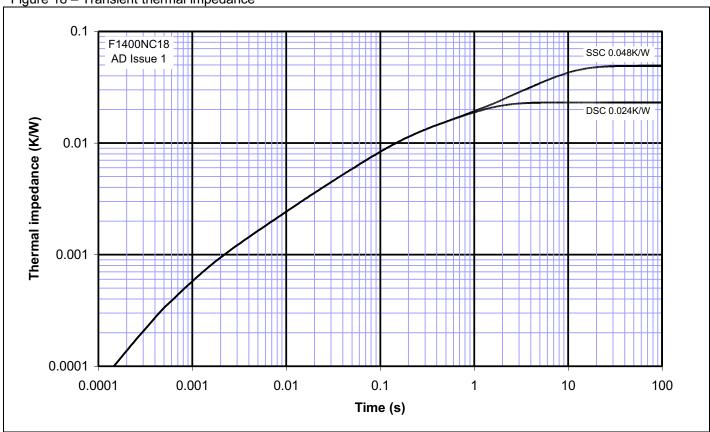
Figure 16 - Square wave frequency vs pulse width



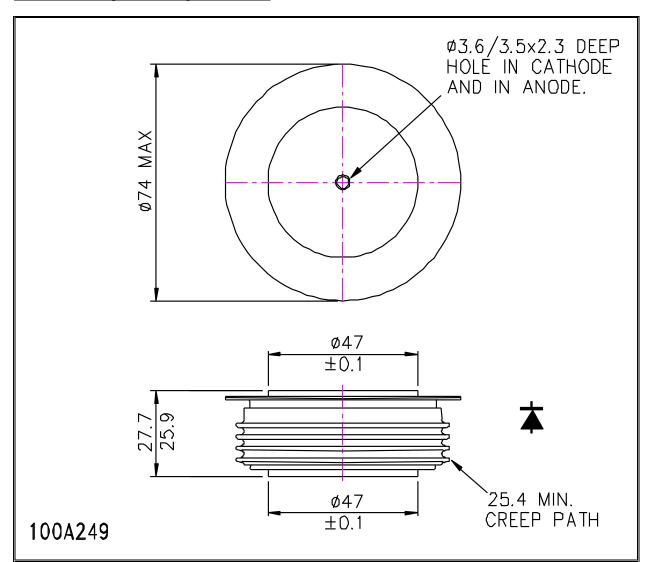








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