
Transil™, transient voltage surge suppressor (TVS)

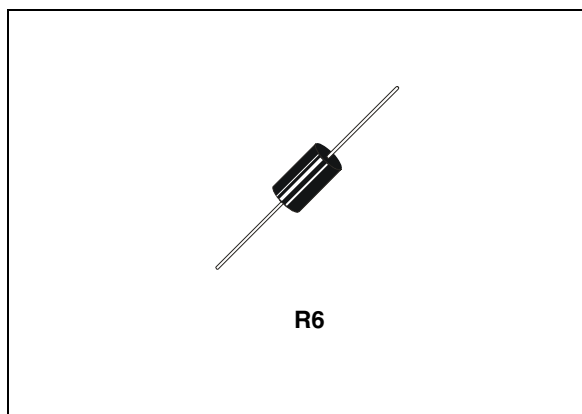
Datasheet – production data

Features

- Peak pulse power: 5000 W (10/1000 μ s)
- Stand-off voltage range from 10 V to 180 V
- Unidirectional and bidirectional types
- Low clamping factor
- Fast response time
- UL497B, file number: QVGQ2.E136224

Description

Transil diodes provide high overvoltage protection by clamping action. Their instantaneous response to transient overvoltages makes them particularly suited to protect voltage sensitive devices such as MOS Technology and low voltage supplied ICs.



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1 Characteristics

Table 1. Absolute maximum ratings ($T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$)

| Symbol | Parameter | Value | Unit |
|-----------|---|---|--------------------|
| P_{PP} | Peak pulse power dissipation ⁽¹⁾ | $T_{j\text{ initial}} = T_{amb}$ 5000 | W |
| P | Power dissipation on infinite heatsink | $T_{amb} = 75\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ 6.5 | W |
| I_{FSM} | Non repetitive surge peak forward current for unidirectional types | $t_p = 10\text{ ms}$ $T_{j\text{ initial}} = T_{amb}$ 500 | A |
| T_{stg} | Storage temperature range | -65 to + 175 | $^{\circ}\text{C}$ |
| T_j | Maximum operating junction temperature | 175 | $^{\circ}\text{C}$ |
| T_L | Maximum lead temperature for soldering during 10 s at 5 mm from case. | 260 | $^{\circ}\text{C}$ |

1. For a surge greater than the maximum values, the diode will fail in short-circuit.

Table 2. Thermal resistances

| Symbol | Parameter | Value | Unit |
|---------------|---|-------|-----------------------------|
| $R_{th(j-l)}$ | Junction to leads | 15 | $^{\circ}\text{C}/\text{W}$ |
| $R_{th(j-a)}$ | Junction to ambient on printed circuit. $L_{lead} = 10\text{ mm}$ | 65 | |

Figure 1. Electrical characteristics - definitions

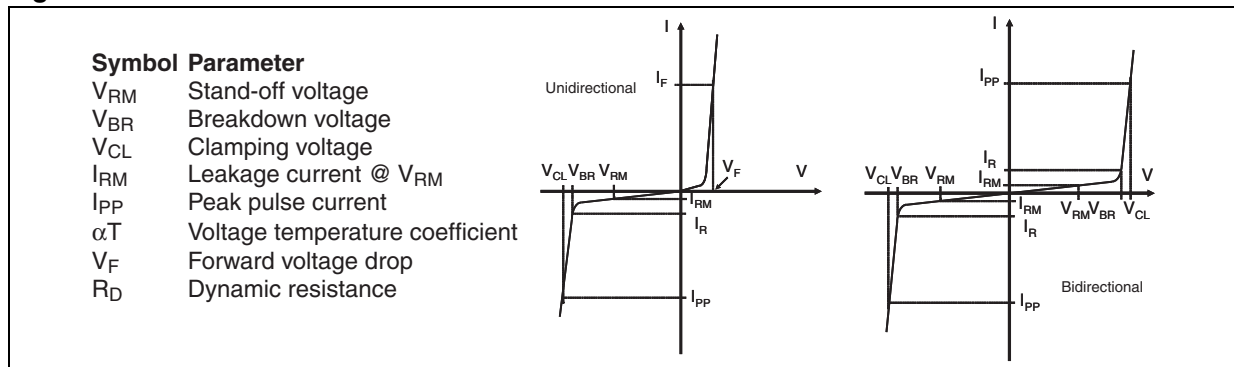


Figure 2. Pulse definition for electrical characteristics

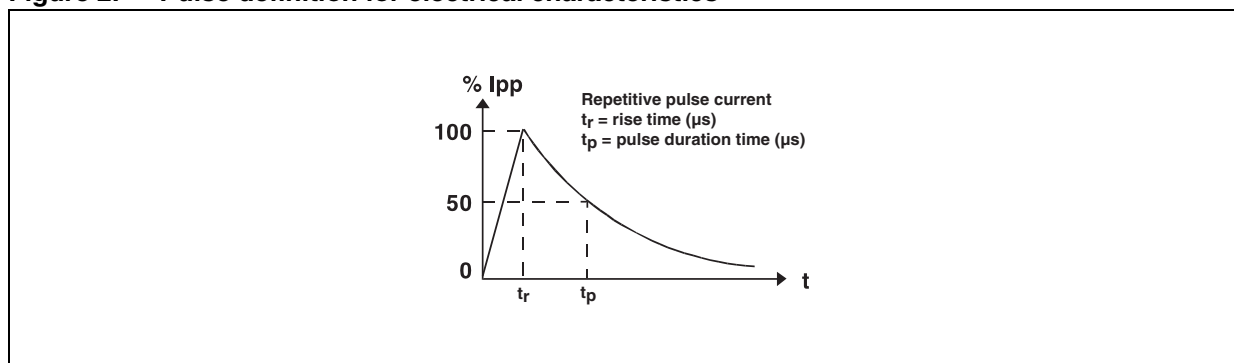


Table 3. Electrical characteristics - values ($T_{amb} = 25\text{ °C}$)

| Order code | | I_{RM} @ V_{RM} | | V_{BR} @ $I_R^{(1)}$ | | V_{CL} @ I_{PP} 10/1000 μs | | V_{CL} @ I_{PP} 8/20 μs | | $\alpha T^{(2)}$ | $C^{(3)}$ |
|----------------|---------------|---------------------|-----|------------------------|----|--|------|-------------------------------------|------|---------------------|-----------|
| | | max | | min | | max | | max | | max | typ |
| Unidirectional | Bidirectional | μA | V | V | mA | V | A | V | A | $10^{-4}/\text{°C}$ | pF |
| BZW50-10 | BZW50-10B | 5 | 10 | 11.1 | 1 | 18.8 | 266 | 23.4 | 2564 | 7.8 | 24000 |
| BZW50-12 | BZW50-12B | 5 | 12 | 13.3 | 1 | 22 | 227 | 28 | 2143 | 8.4 | 18500 |
| BZW50-15 | BZW50-15B | 5 | 15 | 16.6 | 1 | 26.9 | 186 | 35 | 1714 | 8.8 | 13500 |
| BZW50-18 | BZW50-18B | 5 | 18 | 20 | 1 | 32.2 | 155 | 41.5 | 1446 | 9.2 | 11500 |
| BZW50-22 | BZW50-22B | 5 | 22 | 24.4 | 1 | 39.4 | 127 | 51 | 1177 | 9.6 | 8500 |
| BZW50-27 | BZW50-27B | 5 | 27 | 30 | 1 | 48.3 | 103 | 62 | 968 | 9.8 | 7000 |
| BZW50-33 | BZW50-33B | 5 | 33 | 36.6 | 1 | 59 | 85 | 76 | 789 | 10 | 5750 |
| BZW50-39 | BZW50-39B | 5 | 39 | 43.3 | 1 | 69.4 | 72 | 90 | 667 | 10.1 | 4800 |
| BZW50-47 | BZW50-47B | 5 | 47 | 52 | 1 | 83.2 | 60.1 | 108 | 556 | 10.3 | 4100 |
| BZW50-56 | BZW50-56B | 5 | 56 | 62.2 | 1 | 99.6 | 50 | 129 | 465 | 10.4 | 3400 |
| BZW50-68 | BZW50-68B | 5 | 68 | 75.6 | 1 | 121 | 41 | 157 | 382 | 10.5 | 3000 |
| BZW50-82 | BZW50-82B | 5 | 82 | 91 | 1 | 145 | 34 | 189 | 317 | 10.6 | 2600 |
| BZW50-100 | BZW50-100B | 5 | 100 | 111 | 1 | 179 | 28 | 228 | 263 | 10.7 | 2300 |
| BZW50-120 | BZW50-120B | 5 | 120 | 133 | 1 | 215 | 23 | 274 | 219 | 10.8 | 1900 |
| BZW50-150 | BZW50-150B | 5 | 150 | 166 | 1 | 269 | 19 | 343 | 175 | 10.8 | 1700 |
| BZW50-180 | BZW50-180B | 5 | 180 | 200 | 1 | 322 | 16 | 410 | 146 | 10.8 | 1500 |

1. Pulse test: $t_p < 50\text{ ms}$.

2. $\Delta V_{BR} = \alpha T \cdot (T_{amb} - 25) \cdot V_{BR}(25\text{°C})$.

3. $V_R = 0\text{ V}$, $F = 1\text{ MHz}$. For bidirectional types, capacitance value is divided by 2.

Figure 3. Peak power dissipation vs. initial junction temperature (printed circuit board)

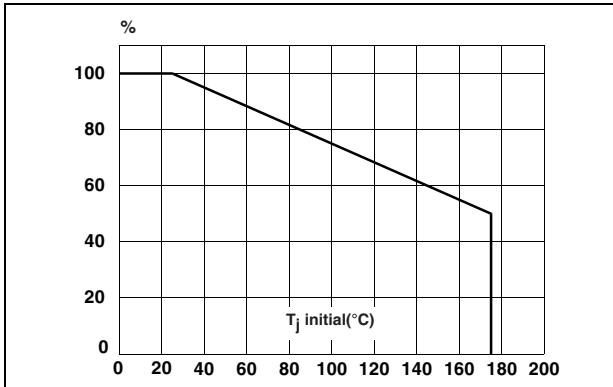


Figure 4. Peak pulse power vs. exponential pulse duration

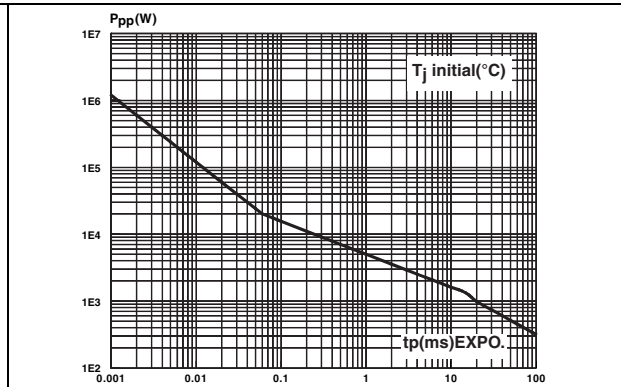


Figure 5. Clamping voltage vs. peak pulse current⁽¹⁾

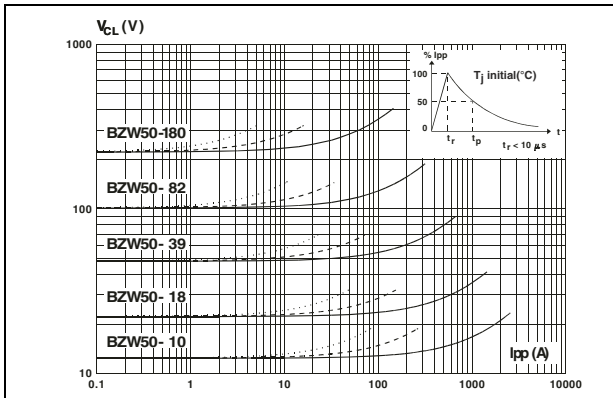
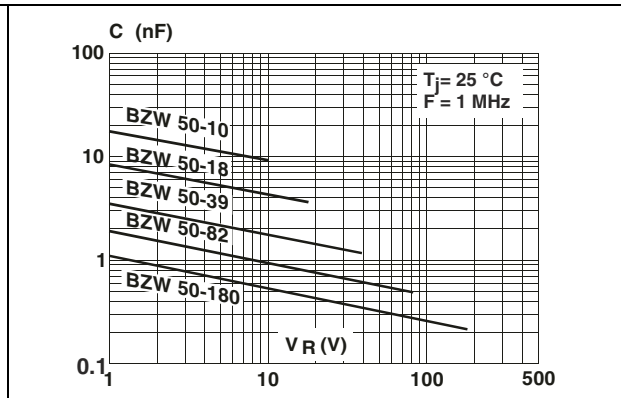


Figure 6. Capacitance vs. reverse applied voltage for unidirectional types (typical values).



1. The curves in [Figure 5](#) are specified for a junction temperature of 25 °C before surge. The given results may be extrapolated for other junction temperatures by using the following formula: $\Delta V_{BR} = \alpha T \times [T_{amb} - 25] \times V_{BR}(25 \text{ } ^\circ\text{C})$
For intermediate voltages, extrapolate the given results.

Figure 7. Capacitance vs. reverse applied voltage for bidirectional types (typical values)

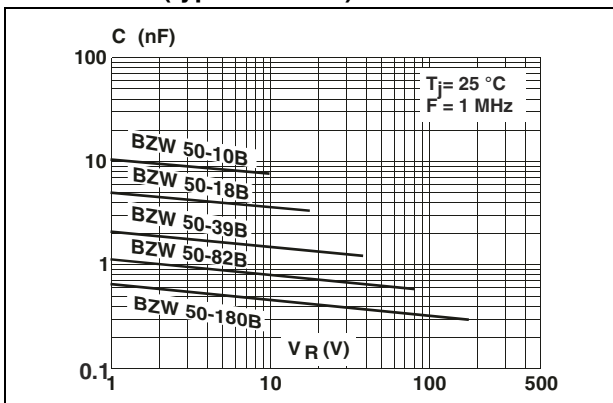
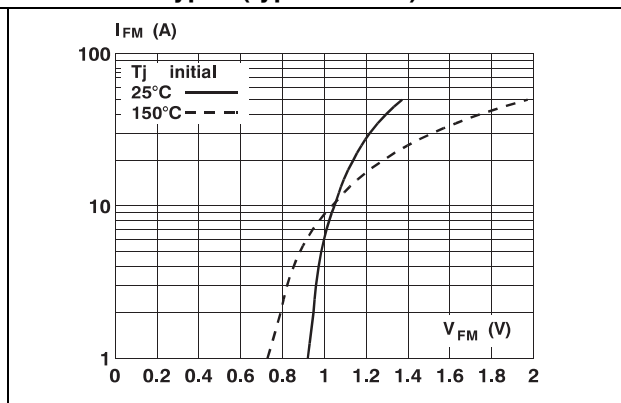


Figure 8. Peak forward voltage drop vs. peak forward current for unidirectional types (typical value).⁽¹⁾



1. Multiply by 2 for units with $V_{BR} > 220 \text{ V}$.

Figure 9. Transient thermal impedance junction to ambient vs. pulse duration

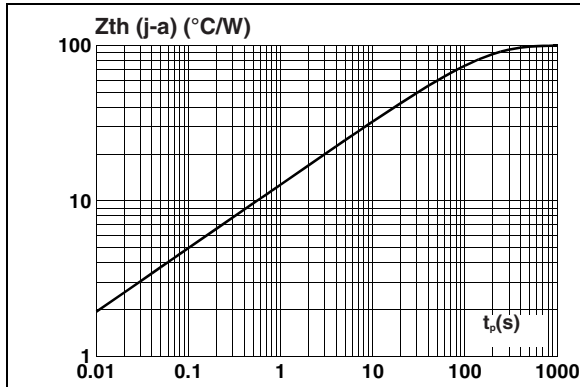
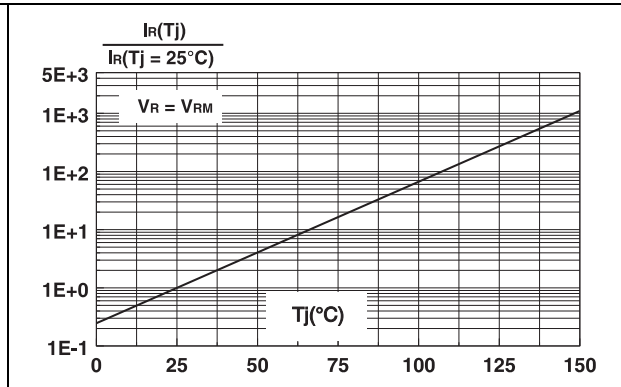
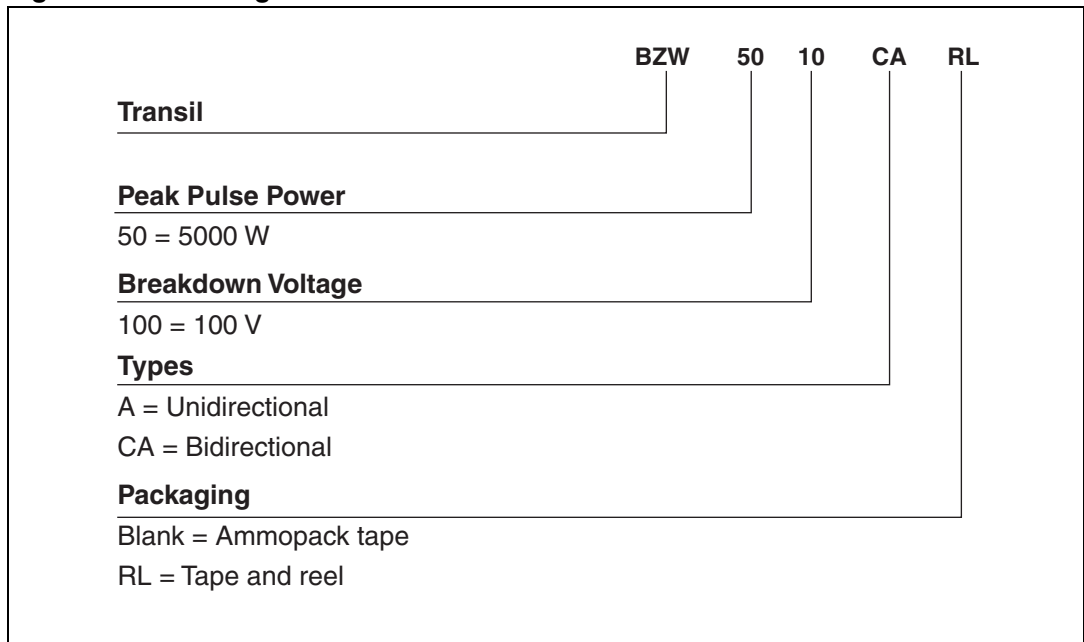


Figure 10. Relative variation of leakage current vs. junction temperature



2 Ordering information scheme

Figure 11. Ordering information scheme



3 Package information

- Epoxy meets UL94, V0
- Lead-free package

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Table 4. R6 Dimensions

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|-----|-------------|--------------------|-------------|---------------|-------------|
| | Ref. | Dimensions | | | |
| | | Millimeters | | Inches | |
| | | Min. | Max. | Min. | Max. |
| | A | 8.6 | 9.1 | 0.338 | 0.358 |
| | B | 25.4 | | 1 | |
| Ø C | 8.6 | 9.1 | 0.338 | 0.358 | |
| Ø D | 1.2 | 1.3 | 0.047 | 0.051 | |

Table 5. Marking

| Unidirectional order code | Marking | Bidirectional order code | Marking |
|----------------------------------|----------------|---------------------------------|----------------|
| BZW50-10 | BZW50-10 | BZW50-10B | BZW50-10B |
| BZW50-12 | BZW50-12 | BZW50-12B | BZW50-12B |
| BZW50-15 | BZW50-15 | BZW50-15B | BZW50-15B |
| BZW50-18 | BZW50-18 | BZW50-18B | BZW50-18B |
| BZW50-22 | BZW50-22 | BZW50-22B | BZW50-22B |
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| BZW50-39 | BZW50-39 | BZW50-39B | BZW50-39B |
| BZW50-47 | BZW50-47 | BZW50-47B | BZW50-47B |
| BZW50-56 | BZW50-56 | BZW50-56B | BZW50-56B |
| BZW50-68 | BZW50-68 | BZW50-68B | BZW50-68B |
| BZW50-82 | BZW50-82 | BZW50-82B | BZW50-82B |
| BZW50-100 | BZW50-100 | BZW50-100B | BZW50-100B |
| BZW50-120 | BZW50-120 | BZW50-120B | BZW50-120B |
| BZW50-150 | BZW50-150 | BZW50-150B | BZW50-150B |
| BZW50-180 | BZW50-180 | BZW50-180B | BZW50-180B |

4 Ordering information

Table 6. Ordering information

| Order code | Marking ⁽¹⁾ | Package | Weight | Base qty | Delivery mode |
|--------------|-----------------------------|---------|--------|----------|---------------|
| BZW50xxxx | See Table 5 | R6 | 2.050g | 1000 | Tape and reel |
| BZW50xxxxB | | | | 100 | Ammopack |
| BZW50xxxxRL | | | | | |
| BZW50xxxxBRL | | | | | |

1. Logo, date code, type code, cathode band (for unidirectional types only).

5 Revision history

Table 7. Document revision history

| Date | Revision | Changes |
|-------------|----------|----------------------------|
| Feb-2003 | 4 | Last update |
| 14-Dec-2012 | 5 | Updated ECOPACK statement. |

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