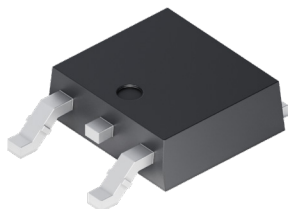
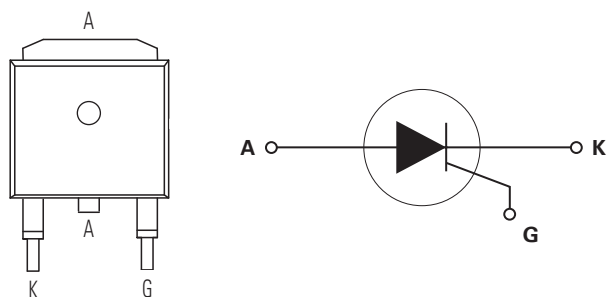


# MCR12DCM & MCR12DCN

400 V–800 V Surface Mount SCRs



## Pinout Diagram TO-252 (DPAK)



**K:** Cathode; **A:** Anode; **G:** Gate

## Description

The MCR12DCM and MCR12DCN thyristors are designed primarily for half-wave ac control applications, such as motor controls, heating controls, and power supplies; or wherever half-wave, silicon gate-controlled devices are needed.

## Features

- ESD Ratings: Human Body Model – 3B > 8000 V, Machine Model – C > 400 V
- UL Recognized compound meeting flammability rating V-0
- Small size
- Low-level triggering and holding characteristics
- Passivated die surface for reliability and uniformity
- Pb-free packages are available

## Product Summary

Characteristic	Value	Unit
$I_{T(RMS)}$	12	A
$V_{DRM}/V_{RRM}$	600 or 800	V
$I_{GT}$	20	mA

**Maximum Ratings** ( $T_{vj} = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ , unless otherwise specified)

Symbol	Characteristics	Conditions		Value	Units
$V_{\text{DRM}}/V_{\text{RRM}}$	Repetitive Peak Off-state Voltage <sup>1</sup>	$T_{\text{vj}} = -40$ to $+125$ °C, Sine Wave, 50 to 60 Hz, Gate open	MCR12DCM	600	V
			MCR12DCN	800	
$I_{\text{T(RMS)}}$	RMS On-state Current	180° Conduction Angles; $T_{\text{c}} = 90$ °C		12	A
$I_{\text{T(AV)}}$	Average On-state Current	180° Conduction Angles; $T_{\text{c}} = 90$ °C		7.8	A
$I_{\text{TSM}}$	Non-repetitive Surge On-state Current	$\frac{1}{2}$ cycle, sine wave 60 Hz, $T_{\text{vj}} = 125$ °C		100	A
$I^2t$	$I^2t$ Value	$t_{\text{p}} = 8.3$ ms		41	A <sup>2</sup> s
$P_{\text{GM}}$	Forward Peak Gate Power	$P_{\text{W}} \leq 10$ $\mu$ s, $T_{\text{c}} = 90$ °C		5	W
$P_{\text{G(AV)}}$	Average Gate Power Dissipation	$t_{\text{p}} = 8.3$ ms, $T_{\text{c}} = 90$ °C		0.5	W
$I_{\text{GM}}$	Peak Gate Current	$P_{\text{W}} \leq 1$ $\mu$ s, $T_{\text{c}} = 90$ °C		2	A
$T_{\text{stg}}$	Storage Temperature Range	–		–40 to 150	°C
$T_{\text{vj}}$	Virtual Junction Temperature Range	–		–40 to 125	°C

Note 1:  $V_{DRM}$  and  $V_{RRM}$  for all types can be applied on a continuous basis. Ratings apply for zero or negative gate voltage; however, positive gate voltage shall not be applied concurrent with negative potential on the anode. Blocking voltages shall not be tested with a constant current source such that the voltage ratings of the devices are exceeded.

**Electrical Characteristics – OFF** ( $T_{vj} = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ , unless otherwise specified)

Symbol	Characteristics	Conditions		Min.	Typ.	Max.	Units
$I_{\text{DRM}}/I_{\text{RRM}}$	Peak Repetitive Forward or Reverse Blocking Current <sup>2</sup>	$V_{\text{AK}} = \text{Rated } V_{\text{DRM}} \text{ or } V_{\text{RRM}}, \text{ Gate open}$	$T_{\text{vj}} = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$	–	–	0.01	mA
			$T_{\text{vj}} = 125\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$	–	–	5.0	

**Electrical Characteristics – ON** ( $T_{vj} = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ , unless otherwise specified; Electricals apply in both directions)

Symbol	Characteristics	Conditions		Min.	Typ.	Max.	Units
V <sub>TM</sub>	Peak Sinusoidal On–State Voltage <sup>2</sup>	I <sub>TM</sub> = 20 A		–	1.3	1.9	V
I <sub>GT</sub>	Gate Trigger Current	V <sub>D</sub> = 12 V <sub>dc</sub> ; R <sub>L</sub> = 100 Ω	T <sub>vj</sub> = 25 °C	2	7	20	mA
			T <sub>vj</sub> = –40 °C	–	–	40	
V <sub>GT</sub>	Gate Trigger Voltage	V <sub>D</sub> = 12 V; R <sub>L</sub> = 100 Ω	T <sub>vj</sub> = 25 °C	0.5	0.65	1	V
			T <sub>vj</sub> = –40 °C	–	–	2.0	
V <sub>GD</sub>	Gate Non-trigger Voltage	V <sub>D</sub> = 12 V; R <sub>L</sub> = 100 Ω	T <sub>vj</sub> = 125 °C	0.2	–	–	V
I <sub>H</sub>	Holding Current	V <sub>D</sub> = 12 V, Initiating Current = 200 mA, Gate openD	T <sub>vj</sub> = 25 °C	4.0	22	40	mA
			T <sub>vj</sub> = –40 °C	–	–	80	
I <sub>L</sub>	Latching Current	V <sub>D</sub> = 12 V, I <sub>G</sub> = 20 mA,	T <sub>vj</sub> = 25 °C	4.0	22	40	mA
		V <sub>D</sub> = 12 V, I <sub>G</sub> = 40 mA,	T <sub>vi</sub> = –40 °C	–	–	80	

Thermal Characteristics

Symbol	Characteristics	Value	Units
$R_{th(j-c)}$	Thermal Resistance, Junction to Case	2.2	K/W
$R_{th(j-a)}$	Thermal Resistance, Junction to Ambient	88	
$R_{th(j-a)}$	Thermal Resistance, Junction to Ambient <sup>2</sup>	80	
$T_{sld}$	Maximum Lead Temperature for Soldering Purposes <sup>3</sup>	260	°C

Note 2: These ratings are applicable when surface mounted on the minimum pad sizes recommended.

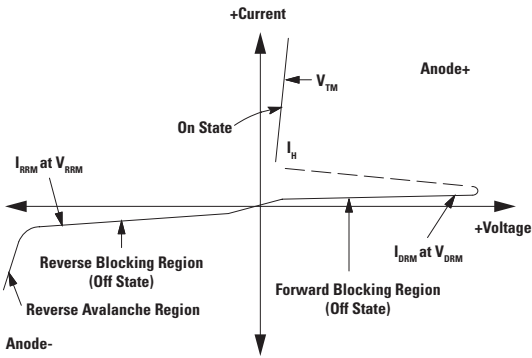
Dynamic Characteristics

Symbol	Characteristics	Conditions	Value			Units
			Min.	Typ.	Max.	
$dv/dt_{(cr)}$	Critical Rate of Rise of Off-State Voltage	$V_D = \text{Rated } V_{DRM}$ , Exponential Waveform, Gate open, $T_{vj} = 125\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$	50	200	–	V/ $\mu$ s

Note 3: 1/8" from case for 10 seconds  
Note 4: Pulse Test: Pulse Width  $\leq 2.0$  msec, Duty Cycle  $\leq 2\%$

Voltage Current Characteristics of SCR

Symbol	Characteristics
$V_{DRM}$	Peak Repetitive Forward Off State Voltage
$I_{DRM}$	Peak Forward Blocking Current
$V_{RRM}$	Peak Repetitive Reverse Off State Voltage
$I_{RRM}$	Peak Reverse Blocking Current
$V_{TM}$	Maximum On-state Voltage
$I_H$	Holding Current



## Characteristic Curves

Fig. 1. Average RMS Current Derating

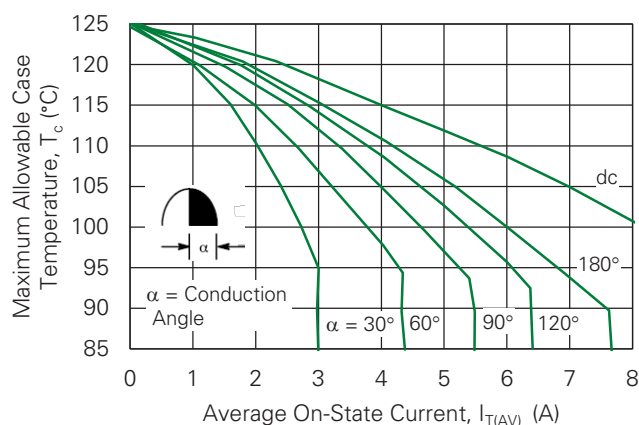


Fig. 2. On-state Power Dissipation

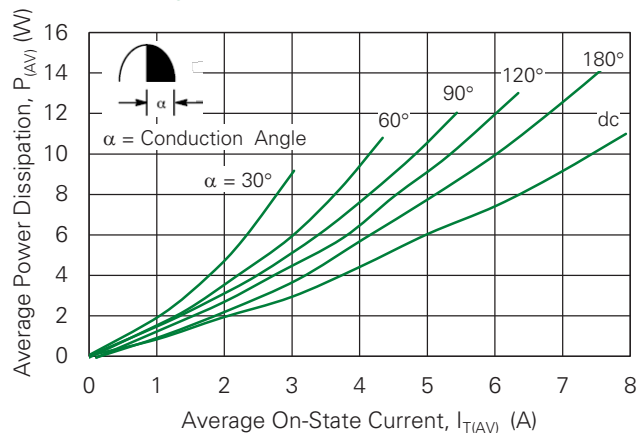


Fig. 3. Typical On-state Current vs. On-state Voltage

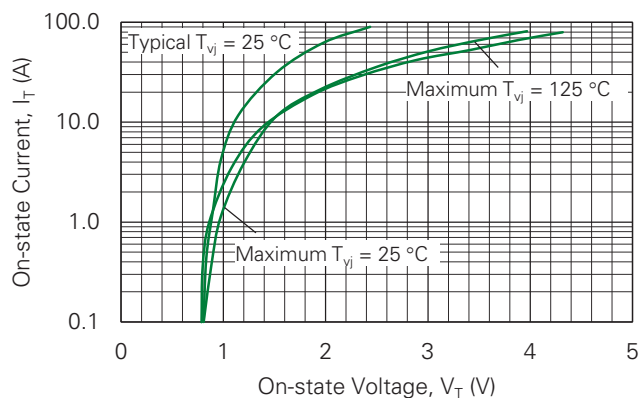


Fig. 4. Transient Thermal Response

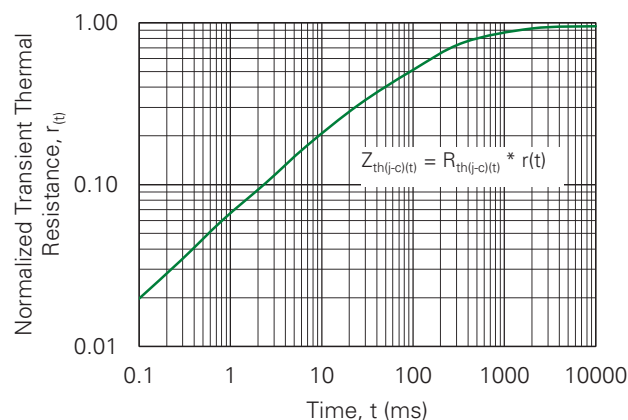


Fig. 5. Typical Gate Trigger Current vs. Junction Temperature

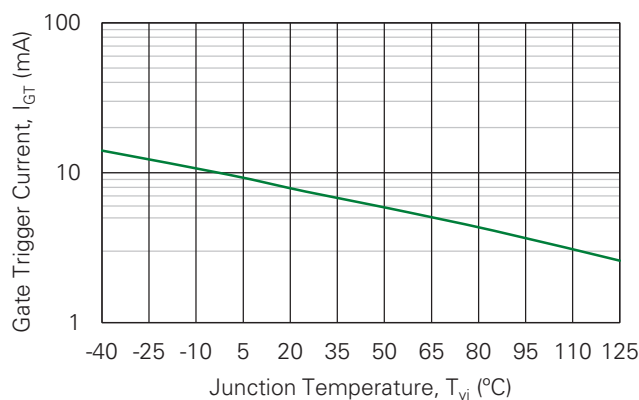
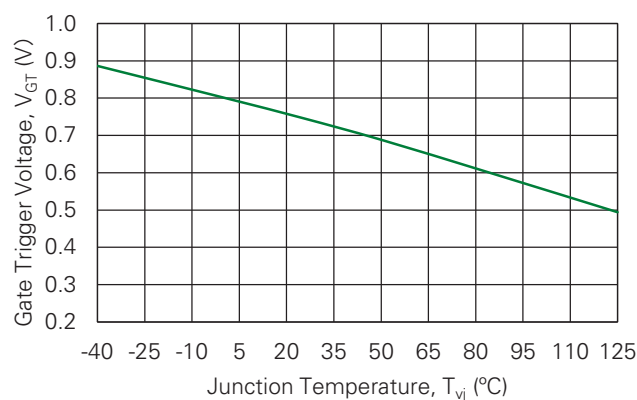
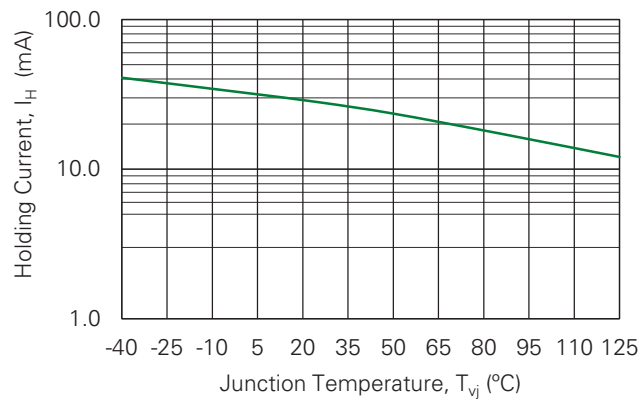


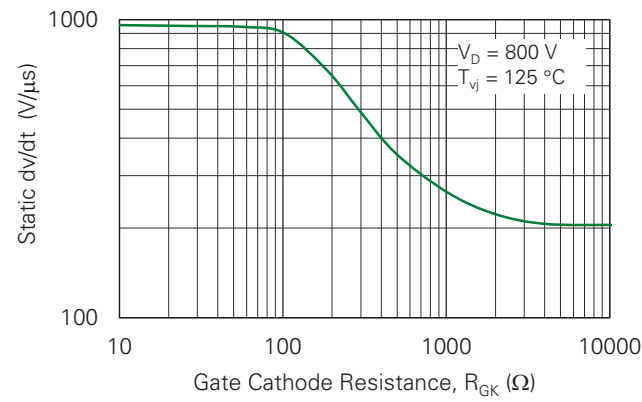
Fig. 6. Typical Gate Trigger Voltage vs. Junction Temperature



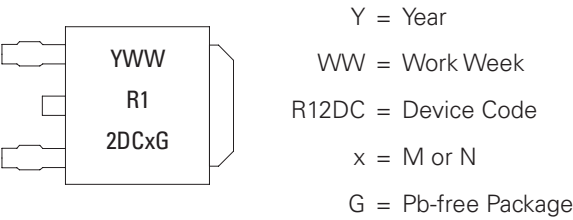
**Fig. 7. Typical Holding Current vs. Junction Temperature**



**Fig. 8. Exponential Static dv/dt vs. Gate-Cathode Resistance**



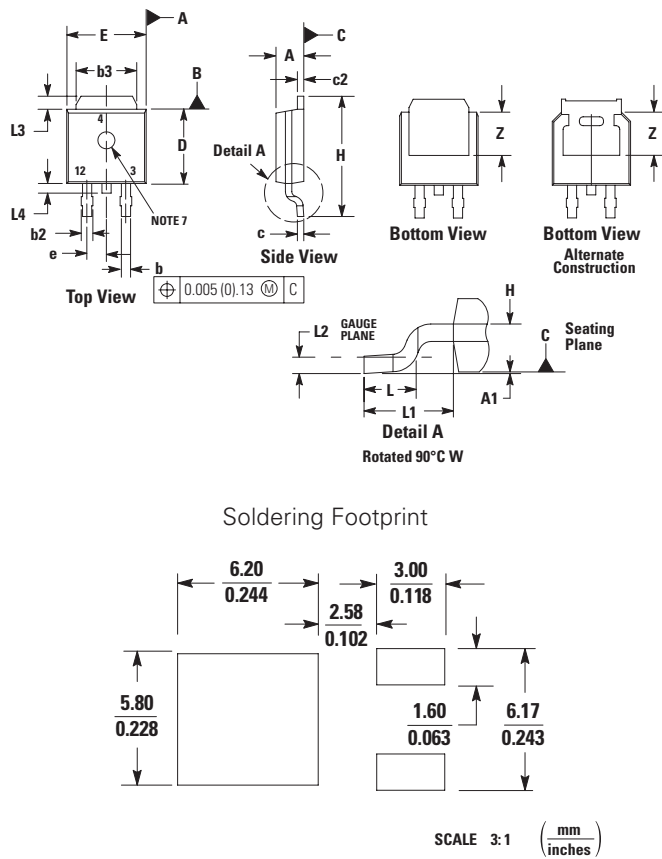
Part Marking



Packing Options

Part Number	Package Type	Packing Mode	Base Quantity
MCR12DCMT4G	DPAK (Pb-free)	Tape and Reel	2500
MCR12DCNT4G	DPAK (Pb-free)	Tape and Reel	2500

Package Dimensions TO-252 (DPAK)



Symbol	Millimeters		Inches	
	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.
A	2.20	2.40	0.087	0.094
A1	0.00	0.12	0.000	0.005
b	0.55	0.75	0.022	0.030
b2	0.65	0.85	0.026	0.033
b3	5.30	5.50	0.209	0.217
C	0.49	0.59	0.019	0.023
c2	0.49	0.59	0.019	0.023
D	5.40	5.70	0.213	0.224
E	6.40	6.60	0.252	0.260
e	2.30		0.091	
H	9.50	10.30	0.374	0.406
L	1.47	1.78	0.058	0.070
L1	2.90		0.114	
L2	0.49	0.59	0.019	0.023
L3	1.35	1.65	0.053	0.065
L4	0.70	1.00	0.028	0.039
Z	3.90	—	0.154	—

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