

# International Rectifier

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## HFA08TB60

### HEXFRED™

### Ultrafast, Soft Recovery Diode

#### Features

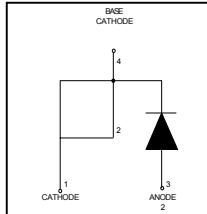
- Ultrafast Recovery
- Ultrasoft Recovery
- Very Low  $I_{RRM}$
- Very Low  $Q_{rr}$
- Specified at Operating Conditions

#### Benefits

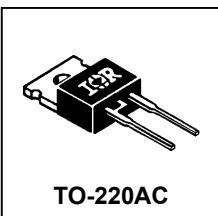
- Reduced RFI and EMI
- Reduced Power Loss in Diode and Switching Transistor
- Higher Frequency Operation
- Reduced Snubbing
- Reduced Parts Count

#### Description

International Rectifier's HFA08TB60 is a state of the art ultra fast recovery diode. Employing the latest in epitaxial construction and advanced processing techniques it features a superb combination of characteristics which result in performance which is unsurpassed by any rectifier previously available. With basic ratings of 600 volts and 8 amps continuous current, the HFA08TB60 is especially well suited for use as the companion diode for IGBTs and MOSFETs. In addition to ultra fast recovery time, the HEXFRED product line features extremely low values of peak recovery current ( $I_{RRM}$ ) and does not exhibit any tendency to "snap-off" during the  $t_0$  portion of recovery. The HEXFRED features combine to offer designers a rectifier with lower noise and significantly lower switching losses in both the diode and the switching transistor. These HEXFRED advantages can help to significantly reduce snubbing, component count and heatsink sizes. The HEXFRED HFA08TB60 is ideally suited for applications in power supplies and power conversion systems (such as inverters), motor drives, and many other similar applications where high speed, high efficiency is needed.



$V_R = 600V$
$V_F(\text{typ.})^* = 1.4V$
$I_F(\text{AV}) = 8.0A$
$Q_{rr} (\text{typ.}) = 65nC$
$I_{RRM} = 5.0A$
$t_{rr}(\text{typ.}) = 18ns$
$dI_{(rec)}/dt (\text{typ.}) = 240A/\mu s$



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#### Absolute Maximum Ratings

	Parameter	Max	Units
$V_R$	Cathode-to-Anode Voltage	600	V
$I_F @ T_C = 100^\circ C$	Continuous Forward Current	8.0	A
$I_{FSM}$	Single Pulse Forward Current	60	
$I_{FRM}$	Maximum Repetitive Forward Current	24	
$P_D @ T_C = 25^\circ C$	Maximum Power Dissipation	36	W
$P_D @ T_C = 100^\circ C$	Maximum Power Dissipation	14	
$T_J$ $T_{STG}$	Operating Junction and Storage Temperature Range	- 55 to +150	C

\*  $125^\circ C$

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

	Parameter	Min	Typ	Max	Units	Test Conditions
$V_{BR}$	Cathode Anode Breakdown Voltage	600			V	$I_R = 100\mu\text{A}$
$V_{FM}$	Max Forward Voltage	1.4	1.7		V	$I_F = 8.0\text{A}$
		1.7	2.1			$I_F = 16\text{A}$
		1.4	1.7			$I_F = 8.0\text{A}, T_J = 125^\circ\text{C}$
$I_{RM}$	Max Reverse Leakage Current	0.3	5.0		$\mu\text{A}$	$V_R = V_R \text{ Rated}$
		100	500			$T_J = 125^\circ\text{C}, V_R = 0.8 \times V_R \text{ Rated}$
$C_T$	Junction Capacitance	10	25		pF	$V_R = 200\text{V}$
$L_S$	Series Inductance		8.0		nH	Measured lead to lead 5mm from package body

**Dynamic Recovery Characteristics @  $T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$  (unless otherwise specified)**

	Parameter	Min	Typ	Max	Units	Test Conditions
$t_{rr}$	Reverse Recovery Time See Fig. 5, 6 & 16	18			ns	$I_F = 1.0\text{A}, dI/dt = 200\text{A}/\mu\text{s}, V_R = 30\text{V}$
		37	55			$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$
		55	90			$T_J = 125^\circ\text{C}$
$I_{RRM1}$ See Fig. 7 & 8	Peak Recovery Current	3.5	5.0		A	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$
		4.5	8.0			$T_J = 125^\circ\text{C}$
$Q_{rr1}$ See Fig. 9 & 10	Reverse Recovery Charge	65	138		nC	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$
		124	360			$T_J = 125^\circ\text{C}$
$dI_{(rec)M}/dt_1$ During $t_b$ See Fig. 11 & 12	Peak Rate of Fall of Recovery Current	240			$\text{A}/\mu\text{s}$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$
		210				$T_J = 125^\circ\text{C}$

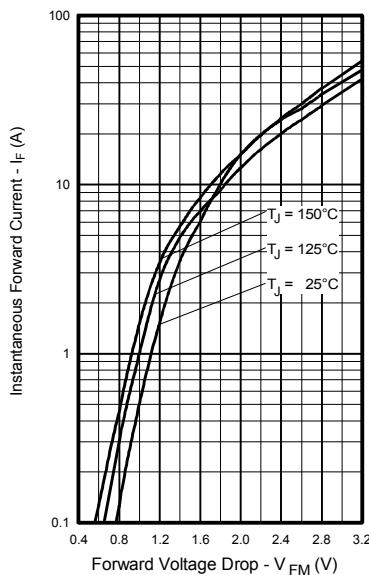
**Thermal - Mechanical Characteristics**

	Parameter	Min	Typ	Max	Units
$T_{lead}^{\circledR}$	Lead Temperature			300	°C
$R_{thJC}$	Thermal Resistance, Junction to Case			3.5	K/W
$R_{thJA}^{\circledR}$	Thermal Resistance, Junction to Ambient			80	
$R_{thCS}^{\circledR}$	Thermal Resistance, Case to Heat Sink		0.5		
Wt	Weight		2.0		g
			0.07		(oz)
	Mounting Torque	6.0		12	Kg-cm
		5.0		10	lbf•in

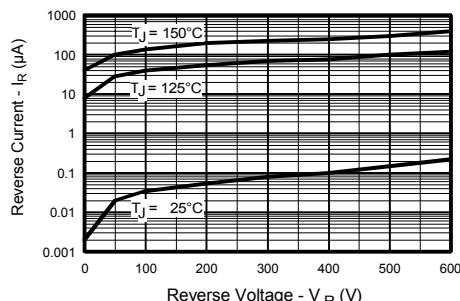
① 0.063 in. from Case (1.6mm) for 10 sec

② Typical Socket Mount

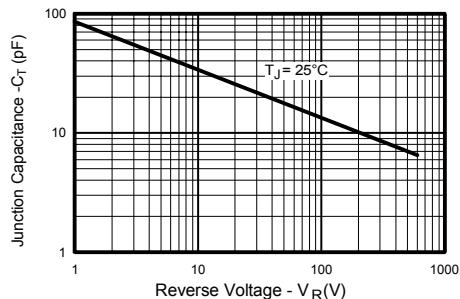
③ Mounting Surface, Flat, Smooth and Greased



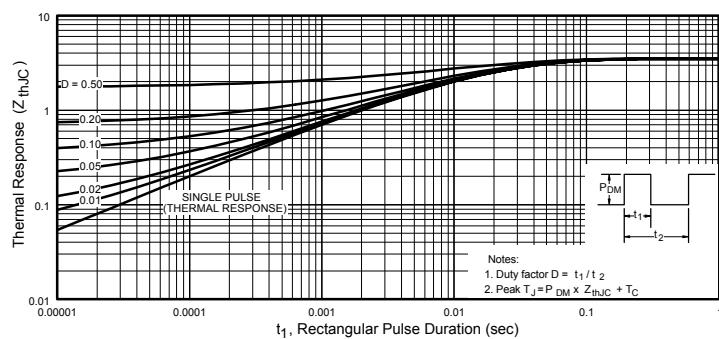
**Fig. 1 - Maximum Forward Voltage Drop vs. Instantaneous Forward Current**



**Fig. 2 - Typical Reverse Current vs. Reverse Voltage**



**Fig. 3 - Typical Junction Capacitance vs. Reverse Voltage**

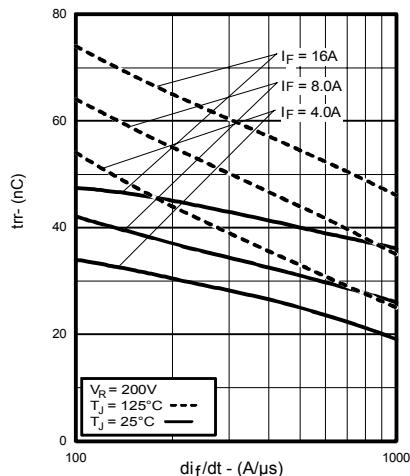


**Fig. 4 - Maximum Thermal Impedance  $Z_{thJC}$  Characteristics**

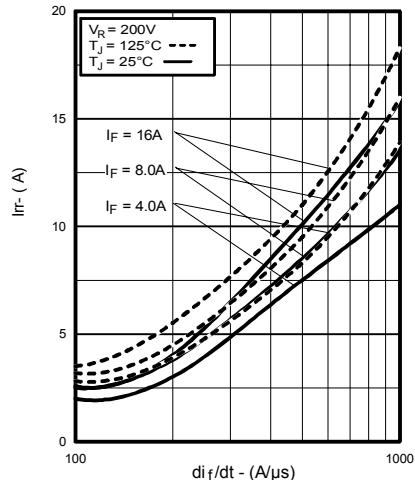
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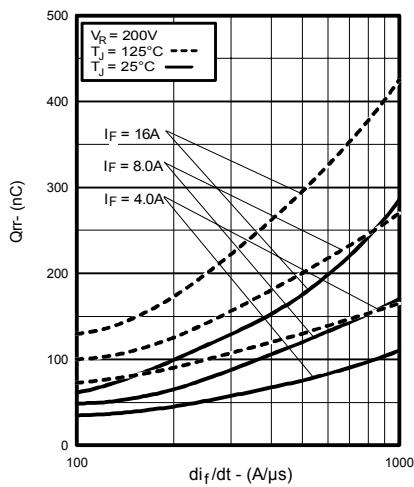
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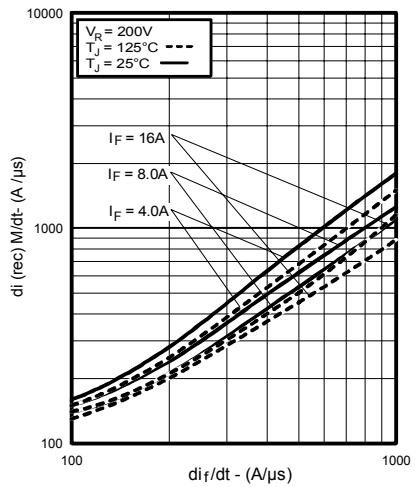
**Fig. 5 - Typical Reverse Recovery vs.  $di_f/dt$**



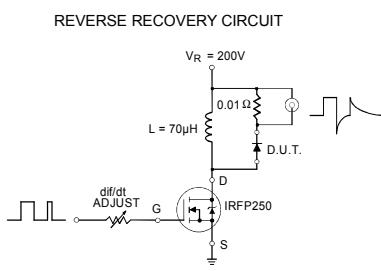
**Fig. 6 - Typical Recovery Current vs.  $di_f/dt$**



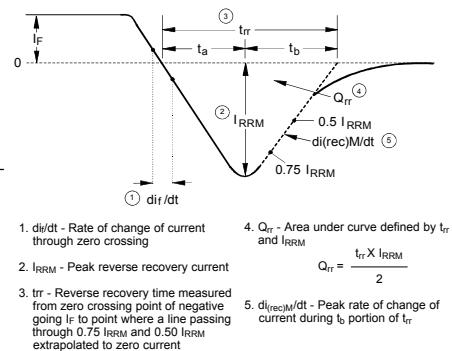
**Fig. 7 - Typical Stored Charge vs.  $di_f/dt$**



**Fig. 8 - Typical  $di_{(rec)}M/dt$  vs.  $di_f/dt$**



**Fig. 9 - Reverse Recovery Parameter Test Circuit**

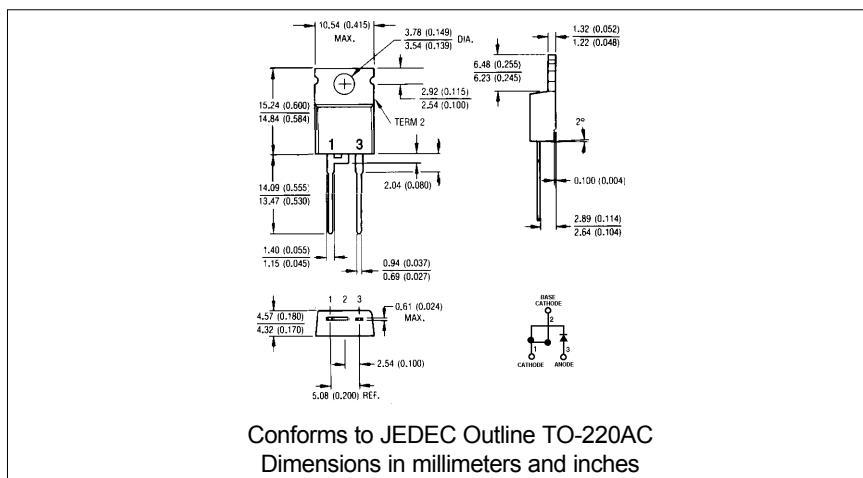


**Fig. 10 - Reverse Recovery Waveform and Definitions**

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