

# Power MOSFET Datasheet Understanding

Basic definition about parameter, diagrams, graphs in the datasheet.

# Purpose of this document

Datasheet is the first approach to select the proper device in a power converter system. Datasheet is an important document to select the devices. Through understanding of technical information on the datasheet, an engineer has a confidence to select device as suitable, safe, and reliable. This application note provides the fundamental information how to read and interpret the parameters, which is the guaranteed specifications and design guide as absolute maximum ratings, thermal characteristics, package information, and electrical characteristics, diagrams and test methods for Power Master Semiconductors' super-junction MOSFET, e/MOS series.

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# 1. Introduction

## 1.1. What is *e*/MOS?

Among the high voltage POWER MOSFET, super-junction MOSFET is widely using in power conversion systems such as AC/DC, DC/DC, DC/AC applications. Power Master Semiconductor introduced the *e*/MOS as leading-edge super-junction technology for targeting high efficiency, reliable and ease of use

This application note explains parameters based on  $600V/180m\Omega$ , *e* MOS E7, 'PMP60N180E7' which is the enhanced mode N-channel super-junction MOSFET (metal-oxide-semiconductor field-effect transistor).

## **1.2.** Datasheet Classification

The Datasheet classified as the product development stage:

- Advanced Datasheet in the design stage
- Preliminary Datasheet in the qualification stage
- Final Datasheet in the mass production stage

**Advanced Datasheet** describes the target data for the developing product. The data from advanced datasheet is a designing target specification. The value in the advanced datasheet is not final data and not guaranteed as in the final datasheet. The letter of "Advanced Datasheet" is marking on the issuing the datasheet. The device marking on the package is "ES" (Engineering Sample) for this product, this is not issuing any product change notification (PCN)

**Preliminary Datasheet** is issued at the stage of device qualification. Most of static characteristic is decided however is applicable to change the datasheet parameter before mass production. It is also not final guaranteed specification. The device marking on the package is "CS" (Customer Sample) for this product, this is not issuing any product change notification (PCN).

**Final Datasheet** is the final guaranteed datasheet from mass production. If there is any data value change, PCN must be issued. There is no marking on the datasheet such as "Final Datasheet".



### 1.3. Nomenclature

Device part number contains a lot of information such as technology, package, voltage rating and generation, etc. Figure 1 shows Power Master Semiconductor's super-junction MOSFET, *e*/MOS nomenclature



Figure 1. e/MOS nomenclature scheme



# 2. Datasheet explanation

## 2.1. Absolute Maximum Ratings

The value in absolute maximum ratings is the maximum device capability in terms of "temperature condition is " $T_c=25^{\circ}C$ " unless otherwise noted". " $T_c=25^{\circ}C$ " means the cooling condition is infinite cooling system to sustain the case temperature as 25°C as an ideal condition. No matter what the condition is such as delivering, handling, soldering, assembling, testing, storing as well as actual device working, the device is limited under the value.

Symbol	Parameter		Value	Unit
V <sub>DSS</sub>	Drain to Source Voltage		600	V
V <sub>GSS</sub>	Gate to Source Voltage		±30	V
1	Drain Current	Continuous (T <sub>C</sub> = 25°C)	19	٨
ID		Continuous (T <sub>C</sub> = 100°C)	12	A
I <sub>DM</sub>	Drain Current	Pulsed (Note1)	57	А
E <sub>AS</sub>	Single Pulsed Avalanche Energy (Note2)		76	mJ
I <sub>AS</sub>	Avalanche Current (Note2)		4	А
E <sub>AR</sub>	Repetitive Avalanche Energy	(Note1)	1.62	mJ
	MOSFET dv/dt		100	
av/at	Peak Diode Recovery dv/dt	(Note3)	20	v/ns
	Dower Dissignation	(T <sub>C</sub> = 25°C)	162	W
PD	Derate Above 25°C		1.3	W/°C
T <sub>J</sub> , T <sub>STG</sub>	Operating and Storage Temperature Range		-55 to 150	°C
TL	Maximum Lead Temperature for Solderin 1/8" from Case for 10 Seconds	g,	260	°C

#### ≫Notes:

1. Repetitive rating: pulse-width limited by maximum junction temperature.

2.  $I_{AS} = 4 \text{ A}, R_G = 25 \Omega$ , starting  $T_J = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$ .

3.  $I_{SD} \le 8.5 \text{ A}$ , di/dt  $\le 100 \text{ A}/\mu \text{s}$ ,  $V_{DD} \le 400 \text{ V}$ , starting  $T_J = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$ .

#### V<sub>DSS</sub>: Drain to Source Voltage

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Unit
V <sub>DSS</sub>	Drain to Source Voltage	600	V

This symbol of V<sub>DSS</sub> stands for "V = Voltage, D = Drain, S = Source, S = Short". This interprets the applied maximum voltage of drain to source with gate and source shorted mode. The last latter "S" indicates that two terminal of device is shorted in the package condition, one is source terminal from "S" in the 3<sup>rd</sup> letter of "V<sub>DSS</sub>", and the other is gate terminal as the remained terminal which is not commented in the letter of "V<sub>DSS</sub>".

This voltage is the maximum allowable continuous voltage under there is no avalanche breakdown mode. In the condition of avalanche breakdown mode, the consideration is "Avalanche Energy" such as E<sub>AS</sub> and E<sub>AR</sub> in the datasheet. The applied volage from drain to source should be lower than the rated value because this voltage is one of critical value to make the device safe. This volage is related with long-term reliability of device.

#### V<sub>GSS</sub>: Gate to Source Voltage

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Unit
V <sub>GSS</sub>	Gate to Source Voltage	±30	V

This symbol of  $V_{GSS}$  stands for "V = Voltage, G = Gate, S = Source, S = Short". This means the applied maximum voltage between gate to source with drain and source shorted mode.

The value of "±30V" means the applied voltage is possible two condition as gate to source and source to gate because of gate oxide layer of MOSFET structure. The oxide layer is easily damaged by over voltage even very small power. In any circumstance, the voltage of gate-source should be not exceeded than the rated value. The actual gate oxide breakdown voltage is high enough than the rated value in the datasheet.

When the device pulls out from the packing tube, there are various hazardous condition such as ESD, surge voltage. The voltage of gate to source is the critical cautious parameter, especially handling such as bare hand touching without ESD protection.

#### I<sub>D</sub>: Continuous Drain Current

Symbol	Parameter		Value	Unit
ID	Drain Current	Continuous (Tc = 25°C)	19	А
		Continuous (Tc = 100°C)	12	

This symbol of  $I_D$  stands for "I = Current, D = Drain", it means the maximum continuous current from drain to source. I<sub>D</sub> is calculated from the theoretical equation as Equation 1)

Equation 1)

$$I_D = \sqrt{\frac{T_{Jmax} - T_C}{R_{DS(on)\_max} \times R_{\theta JC}}}$$

 $T_{Jmax}$  is the maximum MOSFET junction temperature, normally 150°C in MOSFET. T<sub>C</sub> is the case temperature of device package surface as the indicated temperature condition.  $R_{DS(on)}$  is MOSFET On resistance at 25°C and  $R_{DS(on)}$  max is MOSFET On resistance at Maximum junction temperature, the normalize resistance by temperature provide in Figure 3.  $R_{\Theta JC}$  is the steady state of thermal resistance.

 $I_D$  can be calculated in case of  $T_C=25^{\circ}C$ :

In PMP60N180E7 Datasheet,  $T_{Jmax} = 150^{\circ}C$ ,  $R_{\Theta JC} = 0.77^{\circ}C/W$ ,  $R_{DS(on)} @ 25^{\circ}C = 180m\Omega$ , and  $R_{DS(on)\_max}$  is "180m  $\Omega$  \* 2.5 at 150°C of  $T_{Jmax}$ .

Calculation 1)

$$I_D = \sqrt{\frac{150 - 25}{0.77 \times (0.18 \times 2.5)}} = 19 [A]$$

 $I_D$  can be calculated in case of  $T_C$ =100°C:

Calculation 2)

$$I_D = \sqrt{\frac{150 - 100}{0.77 \times (0.18 \times 2.5)}} = 12 [A]$$

In the Figure 2., this graph shows the maximum drain current by case temperature,  $T_C$ .





Figure 2. Maximum Drain Current vs. Case Temperature (Figure 10. in the datasheet)

From figure 3, On-Resistance vs. Temperature (Figure 8. In the datasheet), it is seen the normalized  $R_{DS(on)}$  is 1 at T<sub>J</sub>=25°C and 2.5 at Tj=150°C. The normalized value is obtained from " $R_{DS(on)}(T_J) / R_{DS(on)}(T_J = 25°C)$ ".



Figure 3. On-Resistance Characteristics vs. Temperature (Figure 8. in the datasheet)



#### IDM: Pulsed Drain Current

Symbol	Parameter			Value	Unit
I <sub>DM</sub>	Drain Current	Pulsed	(Note1)	57	А

Note1: Repetitive rating: pulse-width limited by maximum junction temperature.

This symbol of  $I_{DM}$  stands for "I = Current, M = Maximum", it means the maximum pulse drain current (or called as "peak drain current") at maximum junction temperature under  $T_c=25$ °C as in terms of infinite cooling condition. This pulsed drain current is various by current pulse shape, duty, duration, and it is limited by die technology, bonding wire, and package thermal performance.

In Figure 4, the graph shows the limitation of SOA curve base on pulse width. Pulse current of PMP60N180E7 device is limited as 57A.



Figure 4. Maximum Safe Operating Area. (Figure 9. In the datasheet)

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Symbol	Parameter		Value	Unit
Eas	Single Pulsed Avalanche Energy	(Note2)	76	mJ
las	Avalanche Current	(Note2)	4	A

Note2:  $I_{AS}$  = 4A,  $R_G$  = 25 $\Omega$ , starting  $T_J$  = 25°C

This symbol of  $E_{AS}$  stands for "E = Energy, A = Avalanche, S = Single". This is the maximum energy level about single pulse at the avalanche breakdown mode which is unclamped inductive switching condition.

The value is one of the ruggedness parameters in the MOSFET performance. The test circuit and waveform are in the Figure 5. When the inductor energy is charging during MOSFET turn-on mode, and then MOSFET is turned off.



When MOSFET is turned off, the charged inductor energy makes drain voltage rising to MOSFET breakdown voltage and then inductor charged energy is linearly decreased.

The single pulsed energy is calculated with Equation 2)

Equation 2)

$$E_{AS} = \frac{1}{2} \times L \times I_{AS}^{2} \times \frac{BV_{DSS}}{BV_{DSS} - V_{DD}}$$

L is inductor value,  $I_{AS}$  is single pulse avalanche current,  $BV_{DSS}$  is the breakdown voltage between drain to source, and  $V_{DD}$  is an applying DC voltage.

#### **E**<sub>AR</sub>: Repetitive Avalanche Energy

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Unit
Ear	Repetitive Avalanche Energy (Note1	1.62	mJ

Note1: Repetitive rating: pulse-width limited by maximum junction temperature.

This symbol of  $E_{AR}$  stands for "E = Energy, A = Avalanche, R = Repetitive". This is the maximum energy level about repetitive pulse at the avalanche breakdown mode which is unclamped inductive switching condition.





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Symbol	Parameter	Value	Unit
lo	MOSFET dv/dt	100	V/ns
	Peak Diode Recovery dv/dt (Note3)	20	

Note3:  $I_{SD} \le 8.5A$ , di/dt  $\le 100A/us$ ,  $V_{DD} \le 400V$ , starting  $T_J = 25^{\circ}C$ 

"MOSFET dv/dt" is the permissible drain voltage slope during MOSFET is turned-off, which the forward current is flowing from drain to source.

"Peak Diode Recovery dv/dt" is the permissible drain voltage slope during body diode of MOSFET is turned-off (reverse recovered), which the reverse current is flowing from source to drain.

This parameter is guaranteed by design, which is not testing during the production.

dv/dt.



#### **P**<sub>D</sub>: Power Dissipation

Symbol	Parameter		Value	Unit
PD	Power dissipation	(Tc = 25°C)	162	W
		Derate Above 25°C	1.3	W/°C

 $P_D$  stands for "P = Power, D = Dissipation, it is the maximum permissible continuous power dissipation at  $T_C = 25^{\circ}C$ .  $P_D$  is calculated value as the Equation 3).

Equation 3)

$$P_D(T_C) = \frac{T_{Jmax} - T_C}{R_{\theta JC}}$$

Calculation 3)

$$P_D(25^{\circ}\text{C}) = \frac{150^{\circ}\text{C} - 25^{\circ}\text{C}}{0.77} = 162W, \text{ Derate } = \frac{1^{\circ}\text{C}}{0.77} = 1.3 \text{ W/}^{\circ}\text{C}$$

#### T<sub>J</sub>, T<sub>STG</sub>: Junction Temperature Range

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Unit
TJ, TSTG	Operating and Storage Temperature Range	-55 to 150	°C

 $T_J$  stand for "T = Temperature, J = Junction", junction is normally called as die of device, so it is the permissible die temperature during operating a device.

T<sub>STG</sub> stand for "T = Temperature, STG = Storage", it is storage temperature, storage temperature is same as operating temperature.

#### T<sub>L</sub>: Lead Temperature Range

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Unit
T∟	Maximum Lead Temperature for Soldering,	260	°C
	1/8" from Case for 10 Seconds		

T<sub>L</sub> stand for "T = Temperature, L = Lead", it is the maximum lead temperature during the soldering.

## 2.2. Thermal Characteristics

Thermal characteristics is indicated with thermal resistance. Thermal resistance is a similar concept with electrical resistance. There are two thermal resistances, one is steady state thermal resistance as  $R_{\Theta JC}$  and  $R_{\Theta JA}$  which have a value in the datasheet, another is transient thermal resistance such as  $Z_{\Theta JC}$  in Figure 6.

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Unit
R <sub>ejc</sub>	Thermal Resistance, Junction to Case, Max.	0.77	°C/W
Reja	Thermal Resistance, Junction to Ambient, Max	62.5	

The symbol is defined as "R = Resistance,  $\Theta$  = Thermal, J = Junction of die, C = Case of package surface, A = Ambient". R<sub>eJC</sub> is the thermal resistance between junction to case with heat sink condition, and R<sub>eJA</sub> is the thermal resistance between junction and ambient without heat sink condition.





 $t_p$  > 1sec:  $Z_{\Theta,JC}(t)$  value goes to be saturated as steady state in all lines, this steady value is called as  $R_{\Theta,JC}$ .  $t_p \le 1$ sec:  $Z_{\Theta,JC}(t)$  value are various by duration and duty of pulse. this is transient thermal resistance as  $Z_{\Theta,JC}$ .

Junction Temperature is calculated by using thermal resistances as Equation 4) and 5)

Equation 4) Steady state  $T_J = T_c + R_{\theta JC} \times P_{D\_Average}$ 

Equation 5) Transient state  $T_J = T_c + Z_{\theta JC}(t_p) \times P_{D_Pulse}$ 

# 3. Electrical Characteristics (T<sub>c</sub> = 25°C unless otherwise noted)

The electrical characteristics are the device performance and capability under Tc=25°C. There are five categories as "Off Characteristics, bias is applying drain to source under MOSFET off status", "On Characteristics, bias is applying from drain to source or from gate to source", "Dynamic Characteristics, impedance of MOSFET", "Switching Characteristics, time domain parameter during MOSFET turned-on and turned-off", and "Source-Dran Diode Characteristics, body diode of MOSFET characteristics under applying bias from source to drain".

Symbol	Parameter	Test Conditions	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
Off Chara	cteristics					
D) (		V <sub>GS</sub> = 0 V, I <sub>D</sub> = 1 mA	600			
BVDSS	Drain to Source Breakdown Voltage	V <sub>GS</sub> = 0 V, I <sub>D</sub> = 1 mA, T <sub>J</sub> = 150°C	650			V
	Zour Coto Valtorio Duoin Current	V <sub>DS</sub> = 600 V, V <sub>GS</sub> = 0 V			1	
IDSS	Zero Gate Voltage Drain Current	V <sub>DS</sub> = 480 V, V <sub>GS</sub> = 0 V, T <sub>J</sub> = 125°C		2		μΑ
I <sub>GSS</sub>	Gate-Source Leakage Current	V <sub>GS</sub> = ±30 V, V <sub>DS</sub> = 0 V			±100	nA
On Chara	cteristics					
V <sub>GS(th)</sub>	Gate Threshold Voltage	V <sub>GS</sub> = V <sub>DS</sub> , I <sub>D</sub> = 1.7 mA	2.5		4.5	V
R <sub>DS(on)</sub>	Static Drain to Source On Resistance	V <sub>GS</sub> = 10 V, I <sub>D</sub> = 8.5 A		150	180	mΩ
Dynamic	Characteristics					
C <sub>iss</sub>	Input Capacitance	$V_{DS} = 400 V, V_{GS} = 0 V,$		1240		pF
C <sub>oss</sub>	Output Capacitance	f = 250  kHz		34		pF
C <sub>o(tr)</sub>	Time Related Output Capacitance			381		pF
C <sub>o(er)</sub>	Energy Related Output Capacitance	$V_{\rm DS} = 0  \text{V} \text{ to } 400  \text{V},  V_{\rm GS} = 0  \text{V}$		54		pF
Q <sub>g(tot)</sub>	Total Gate Charge at 10 V	$V_{DS} = 400 V, V_{GS} = 0 V,$ f = 250 kHz $V_{DS} = 0 V to 400 V, V_{GS} = 0 V$ $V_{DS} = 400 V, I_{D} = 8.5 A,$ $V_{GS} = 10 V$ f = 1 MHz		30.2		nC
Q <sub>gs</sub>	Gate to Source Charge			5.8		nC
Q <sub>gd</sub>	Gate to Drain "Miller" Charge			15.4		nC
R <sub>G</sub>	Gate Resistance	f = 1 MHz		1.3		Ω
Switching	Characteristics	l				
t <sub>d(on)</sub>	Turn-On Delay Time			12		ns
tr	Turn-On Rise Time	$V_{DS} = 400 \text{ V}, \text{ I}_{D} = 8.5 \text{ A},$ $V_{GS} = 10 \text{ V}$ $f = 1 \text{ MHz}$ $V_{DS} = 400 \text{ V}, \text{ I}_{D} = 8.5 \text{ A},$ $V_{GS} = 10 \text{ V}, \text{ R}_{G} = 10 \Omega$		8		ns
t <sub>d(off)</sub>	Turn-Off Delay Time	V <sub>GS</sub> = 10 V, R <sub>G</sub> = 10 Ω See Figure 13		53		ns
t <sub>f</sub>	Turn-Off Fall Time			10		ns
Source-D	rain Diode Characteristics					
I <sub>S</sub>	Maximum Continuous Diode Forward Current				19	A
I <sub>SM</sub>	Maximum Pulsed Diode Forward Current	t			57	A
V <sub>SD</sub>	Diode Forward Voltage	V <sub>GS</sub> = 0 V, I <sub>SD</sub> = 8.5 A			1.2	V
t <sub>rr</sub>	Reverse Recovery Time	Vpp = 400 V, Jpp = 8.5 A		274		ns
Q <sub>rr</sub>	Reverse Recovery Charge	dl <sub>F</sub> /dt = 100 A/µs		3.33		μC



## 3.1. Off Characteristics

"Off Characteristics" is a static parameter at " $V_{GS} = 0V$ ", it means forward current from drain to source is blocking. The main parameters are breakdown voltage and leakage current.

#### **BV**<sub>DSS</sub>: Drain to Source Breakdown Voltage

Symbol	Parameter	Test Condition	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
BV <sub>DSS</sub>	Drain to Source Breakdown Voltage	$V_{GS} = 0V, I_{D} = 1mA$	600			V
		$V_{GS}$ = 0V, $I_{D}$ = 1mA, $T_{J}$ = 150°C	650			

The symbol is defined as "B = Breakdown, V = Voltage, D = Drain, S = source, S = Short", it means that gate is shorted with source, and voltage is applied from drain to source. The voltage of drain to source is measured at 1mA current flowing. There is one notice for temperature condition, the value which have no temperature condition is measured at  $T_c = 25$  °C, this condition is included in the meaning of  $T_J = 25$  °C as same as  $T_c$ . Otherwise, temperature condition is included in "Test Condition" such as  $T_J = 150$  °C, which is different by each parameter. In Figure 7, it shows that breakdown voltage is rising by temperature as normalize value, for example, the value of  $T_J = 25$  °C is "1.2", the normalized value is obtained from "BV<sub>DSS</sub>( $T_J$ ) / BV<sub>DSS</sub> ( $T_J = 25$ °C)".

#### I<sub>DSS</sub>: Zero Gate Voltage Drain Current

Symbol	Parameter	Test Condition	Min	Тур	Мах	Unit
IDSS	Zero Gate Voltage Drain Current	V <sub>DS</sub> = 600V, V <sub>GS</sub> = 0V			1	μA
		$V_{DS} = 600V, V_{GS} = 0V, T_J = 125^{\circ}C$		2		

The symbol is defined as "I = Current, D = Drain, S = Source, S = Short", it means that gate is shorted with source, and voltage is applied from drain to source. The current of drain to source is measured at 600V.

I<sub>DSS</sub> is called as "Drain to Source Leakage Current", this current is increasing by temperature as test condition.





## 3.2. On Characteristics

"On Characteristics" is a static parameter under applying voltage at gate to source, it means a forward current from drain to source is flowing. The main parameters are threshold voltage and on resistance.

#### V<sub>GS(th)</sub>: Gate Threshold Voltage

Symbol	Parameter	Test Condition	Min	Тур	Мах	Unit
V <sub>GS(th)</sub>	Gate Threshold Voltage	$V_{GS} = V_{DS}$ , $I_D = 1.7 \text{mA}$	2.5		4.5	V

The gate threshold voltage,  $V_{GS(th)}$  defines the required gate-source voltage at a specified drain current. The threshold voltage is measured at room temperature with  $V_{DS} = V_{GS}$  during production. The minimum and maximum value is specified in the datasheet. The symbol is defined as "V = Voltage, G = Gate, S = Source, th = Threshold", it means gate is shorted with drain. This is the minimum gate to source voltage to conduct between drain to source at the rated current level.

#### R<sub>DS(on)</sub>: Static Drain to Source On Resistance

Symbol	Parameter	Test Condition	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
R <sub>DS(on)</sub>	Static Drain to Source On Resistance	V <sub>GS</sub> = 10V, I <sub>D</sub> = 8.5A		150	180	mΩ

The drain-source on-state resistance,  $R_{DS(on)}$  is one of the key parameters of a MOSFET. In the datasheet, the typical and maximum ratings at room temperature are specified. These values are determined during production testing at the specified conditions. The symbol is defined as "R = Resistance, D = Drain, S = Source, on = On",  $R_{DS(on)}$  the Onresistance from drain to source under applying the gate bias (10V) and measured at the specific drain current. Resistance is the slop of voltage and current as  $R_{DS(on)}$  (V<sub>G</sub>) =  $V_{DS_Drop}$  / I<sub>DS</sub>. Curve Trace helps to get easily reading of resistance value.  $V_{DS_Drop}$  is the voltage drop between drain and source on flowing a current from drain to source. In the datasheet, there are 3 types of Figures for On-Characteristics as Figure 8, 9, and Figure 10.

Figure 8 is the graph of drain to source voltage vs. drain current by gate voltage under  $T_C = 25^{\circ}C$ . Drain current increase by increasing gate voltage, and drain current is smaller variance in  $V_{GS} \ge 10V$  than  $V_{GS} < 10V$ , so  $V_{GS}$  of Power MOSFET is recommended 10V generally in SMPS application. Some of current control application such as electric load switch, static electric relay uses a various  $V_{GS}$  level to control current limit, in this case, power dissipation is very high.

There are two regions, one is ohmic region, and another is saturation region in Figure 8. Ohmic region is general switching operation region in SMPS application, for example this region is  $V_{DS} < 5V$  which is linearly increasing as  $R_{DS} = V_{DS} / I_D$ . Saturation region is beyond ohmic region which the drain current is limited as maximum current for, for example drain current goes to saturate from  $V_{DS} > 15V$ . This saturation current is variable by the proportion of die size in the same MOSFET technology.

Figure 9 is the graph of gate-source voltage vs. drain current by case temperature at  $T_J=25^{\circ}C$  and  $T_J=150^{\circ}C$  under  $V_{DS}=20V$ , there is a cross point around  $V_{GS}=6V$ . In terms of  $V_{GS}>6V$ , drain current is decreased at higher temperature, this is caused by MOSFET on-resistance, MOSFET on-resistance have PTC (Positive Temperature Coefficient) characteristic which means that on-resistance is increased at the high temperature. Thanks to PTC characteristic of MOSFET, it is generally easier to operate parallel MOSFETs by self-stabilization.

 $V_{DS}$  = 20V is the applied voltage for testing transfer characteristics of MOSFET, not voltage drop between drain to source in figure 9.

Figure 10 is the graph of on-Resistance and drain current characteristics by gate voltage under  $T_c = 25^{\circ}C$ ,  $V_{GS} = 10V$  graph shows higher on-resistance than  $V_{GS} = 20V$ . Higher gate voltage makes lower on-resistance but makes higher switching noise. The gate voltage should be considered for trade-off of power loss vs. switching noise.



Figure 8. On-Region Characteristics (Figure 1. in the datasheet)



**Figure 9.** Transfer Characteristics (Figure 2. in the datasheet)





Figure 10. On-Resistance Characteristics vs. Drain Current and Gate Voltage (Figure 3. in the datasheet)

## 3.3. Dynamic Characteristics

"Dynamic Characteristics" is MOSFET impedance characteristic such as capacitance and resistance. It refers as switching loss performance and gate driving design. Dynamic parameter is guaranteed by design.

#### C<sub>iss</sub> and C<sub>oss</sub>: Capacitance of MOSFET

Symbol	Parameter	Test Condition	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
Ciss	Input Capacitance	$V_{DS} = 400V, V_{GS} = 0V,$		1240		pF
Coss	Output Capacitance	f = 250kHz		34		pF

MOSFET is consisted with 3 types of capacitances as shown in Figure 11.

 $C_{iss}$  is defined as "C = Capacitance, i = Input, s = Source, s = Short", the input capacitance is measured the capacitance between the gate and source under placing ac short capacitor between the drain and the source at f = 250 kHz.  $C_{iss} = C_{gd} + C_{gs}$ , input capacitance is summation of gate-source capacitance and gate-drain capacitance. The input capacitance is affected to gate driving performance.

 $C_{oss}$  is defined as "C = Capacitance, o = output, s = Source, s = Short", the output capacitance is measured the capacitance between the drain to source under placing ac short capacitor between the drain and the source at f = 250kHz.  $C_{oss} = C_{gs} ((C_{gs} \cdot C_{gd}) / C_{gd} + C_{gs}) + C_{ds} \approx C_{gd} + C_{ds}$ , output capacitance is summation of drain-gate capacitance and drain-source capacitance. The output capacitance is affected to MOSFET switching performance.



Figure 11. Equivalent Capacitance and Resistance of MOSFET

In Figure 12, the graph shows the capacitance by drain-source voltage as log scale. The capacitances are variable by drain source voltage.



**Figure 12.** Capacitance Characteristics (Figure 5. in the datasheet)  $C_{gd}$  is gate-source capacitance, also called  $C_{rss}$ , this is the reverse transfer capacitance which is measured between the drain and gate under the source connected ground.

Co(tr) a	nd Co(er):	Special	Output	Capacitance	of MOSFET
- 0(1)					

Symbol	Parameter	Test Condition	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
Co(tr)	Time Related Output Capacitance	$V_{DS} = 0V \sim 400V, V_{GS} = 0V,$		381		pF
C <sub>o(er)</sub>	Energy Related Output Capacitance			54		pF

 $C_{o(tr)}$  is defined as "C = Capacitance, o = Output, tr = Time Related",  $C_{o(tr)}$  is a kind of time dominant capacitance which is the same charging time as the output capacitance of a MOSFET under V<sub>DS</sub> is rising from zero voltage to 400V at V<sub>GS</sub> = 0V. The time related output capacitance is call as "effective output capacitance".  $C_{o(tr)}$  is calculated as Equation 7 and 8.

*Equation 7)* V<sub>C</sub>: the voltage of drain to source by time dependent

$$V_c = BV_{DSS} \left( 1 - e^{-t_r/RC_{o(tr)}} \right)$$
 :  $t_r$  = rising time

Equation 8)  $C_{o(tr)}$ : Calculation from Equation 7) at V<sub>c</sub> = 400V  $C_{o(tr)} = 6.21 \times 10^{-6} t_r$ 

 $C_{o(er)}$  is defined as "C = Capacitance, o = Output, er = Energy Related", The energy related out capacitance is calculated from  $E_{OSS}$  to charging  $C_{OSS}$ .  $C_{o(er)}$  is useful to simulate the energy loss and design in resonant topologies such as LLC topology.  $C_{O(er)}$  is calculated as Equation 9.

Equation 9) Co(er)

$$C_{o(er)} = \frac{2}{V_{DS}^2} \int_0^{V_{DS}} C(v) \times v dv$$



Figure 13 shows  $E_{oss}$  vs. Drain to Source Voltage,  $E_{OSS}$  is an output capacitance giving equivalent stored energy at  $V_{DS}$ =400V.  $E_{oss}$  is calculated as Equation 10.

*Equation 10)* Eoss: The cumulated energy to output capacitor by the voltage of the drain to source.

$$E_{oss} = \frac{1}{2} \left( C_{o(er)} \times V_{DS}^{2} \right) = \int_{0}^{V_{DS}} C(v) \times v dv$$

C(v) is the capacitance by voltage as shown in Figure 17.



Figure 13. E<sub>oss</sub> vs. Drain to Source Voltage (Figure 11. in the datasheet)

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Symbol	Parameter	Test Condition	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
Qg(tot)	Total Gate Charge at 10V	V <sub>DS</sub> = 400V, I <sub>D</sub> = 8.5A		30.2		nC
Q <sub>gs</sub>	Gate to Source Charge	V <sub>GS</sub> = 10V		5.8		nC
Q <sub>gd</sub>	Gate to Drain "Miler" Charger			15.4		nC

 $Q_{g(tot)}$  is the symbol as "Q = Charge, g = Gate, tot = Total",  $Q_{g(tot)}$  is total gate charge amount from  $V_{GS}$  = 0V to  $V_{GS}$  = 10V in Figure 15.

 $Q_{gs}$  is the symbol as "Q = Charge, g = Gate, s = Source",  $Q_{gs}$  is the gate to source charging amount from  $V_{GS}$  = 0V to arriving in  $V_{GS}$  = "plateau voltage" in Figure 18.

 $Q_{gd}$  is the symbol as "Q = Charge, g = Gate, d = Drain",  $Q_{gd}$  is the gate charge amount during sustaining area at plateau voltage.







Gate charge equation as shown in Equation 11).

Equation 11) Gate Charge Calculation

$$Q_g = \int_{t0 \text{ at } Vg=0V}^{t1 \text{ at } Vg=specific \text{ voltage}} i_g(t) = I_g \times time \text{ at specific } V_g$$

#### R<sub>G</sub>: Gate Resistance

Symbol	Parameter	Test Condition	Min	Тур	Мах	Unit
RG	Gate Resistance	f = 1MHz		1.3		Ω

 $R_G$  is defined as "R = Resistance, G = Gate,  $R_G$  is the internal gate resistance of MOSFET under f = 1MHz as shown in Figure 11.



## 3.4. Switching Characteristics

Symbol	Parameter	Test Condition	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
t <sub>d(on)</sub>	Turn-On Delay Time	V <sub>DS</sub> = 400V, I <sub>D</sub> = 8.5A,		12		ns
tr	Turn-On Rise Time	V <sub>GS</sub> = 10V, R <sub>G</sub> = 10 Ω		8		ns
t <sub>d(off)</sub>	Turn-Off Delay Time			53		ns
t <sub>f</sub>	Turn-Off Fall Time			10		ns

t<sub>d(on)</sub>, t<sub>r</sub>, t<sub>d(off)</sub>, and t<sub>f</sub>: Time deviation

 $t_{d(on)}$  is the symbol as "t = Time, d = Delay, on = On", td(on) is the time from 10% of V<sub>GS</sub> to 90% of V<sub>DS</sub> as shown in Figure 15.

 $t_r$  is the symbol as "t = Time, r = Rise", tr is the time from 90% of V<sub>DS</sub> to 10% of V<sub>DS</sub> as shown in Figure 15. The MOSFET channel current is ready to flow and rise, the current flowing direction is different by the topology such as hard switching application, or soft switching application.

 $t_{d(off)}$  is the symbol as "t = Time, d = Delay, on = Off",  $t_{d(off)}$  is the time from 90% of V<sub>GS</sub> to 10% of V<sub>DS</sub> as shown in Figure 15.

 $t_f$  is the symbol as "t = Time, f = Fall",  $t_f$  is the time from 10% of V<sub>DS</sub> to 90% of V<sub>DS</sub> as shown in Figure 15. The drain current is ready to fall and block.



Figure 15. Inductive Load Switching Test Circuit and Waveforms (Figure 13. in the datasheet)



Symbol	Parameter	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
ls	Maximum Continuous Diode Forward Current			19	Α
Ism	Maximum Pulse Diode Forward Current			57	А

Is is symbol as "I = Current, S = Source", Is is the MOSFET body diode current from the source to drain as maximum continuous current in Figure 16.

 $I_{SM}$  is defined as "I = Current, S = Source, M = Maximum Pulsed",  $I_{SM}$  is the MOSFET body diode current from the source to drain as maximum pulse current.



**Figure 16.** Diode Forward Voltage Characteristics vs. Source-Drain current and Temperature (Figure 4. in the datasheet)

t <sub>rr</sub> ,	and	Q <sub>rr</sub> :	MOSF	ET Boo	dy Diode	Dynamic	Performance
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Symbol	Parameter	Test Condition	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
t <sub>rr</sub>	Reverse Recovery Time	V <sub>DD</sub> = 400V, I <sub>SD</sub> = 8.5A,		274		ns
Qrr	Reverse Recovery Charge	dl <sub>F</sub> /dt = 100A/µs		3.33		nC

 $t_{rr}$  is defined as "t = Time, r = Reverse, r = Recovery", reverse recovery time is the interval time that MOSFET body diode current is to be 10% of  $I_{rrm}$  from zero as shown in Figure 17.

One of sequence is as following, 1) MOSFET body diode is flowing from source to drain, 2) The voltage is applying from drain to source, 3) The current of source to drain is decreasing, 4) The amount of charge in body diode is discharging during  $t_a$ , 5) The voltage of drain to source is rising during  $t_b$ .



 $Q_{rr}$  is defined as "Q = Charge, r = Reverse, r = Recovery", reverse recovery charge is the amount of charge during  $t_{rr}$  duration.



Figure 17. Peak Diode Recovery dv/dt Test Circuit Waveforms (Figure 15. in the datasheet)



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