



BT151 series

Thyristors

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Product data sheet

1. Product profile

1.1 General description

Passivated thyristors in a SOT78 plastic package.

1.2 Features

- High thermal cycling performance
- High bidirectional blocking voltage capability.

1.3 Applications

- Motor control
- Industrial and domestic lighting, heating and static switching.

1.4 Quick reference data

- $V_{\text{DRM}}, V_{\text{RRM}} \leq 800 \text{ V}$ (BT151-800R)
- $V_{\text{DRM}}, V_{\text{RRM}} \leq 650 \text{ V}$ (BT151-650R)
- $V_{\text{DRM}}, V_{\text{RRM}} \leq 500 \text{ V}$ (BT151-500R)
- $I_{\text{T(RMS)}} \leq 12 \text{ A}$
- $I_{\text{T(AV)}} \leq 7.5 \text{ A}$
- $I_{\text{TSM}} \leq 120 \text{ A}$.

2. Pinning information

Table 1: Discrete pinning

Pin	Description	Simplified outline	Symbol
1	cathode (k)		
2	anode (a)		
3	gate (g)		
mb	mounting base; connected to anode (a)		

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3. Ordering information

Table 2: Ordering information

Type number	Package		
	Name	Description	Version
BT151-500R	TO-220AB	plastic single-ended package; heatsink mounted; 1 mounting hole; 3-lead TO-220AB	SOT78
BT151-650R			
BT151-800R			

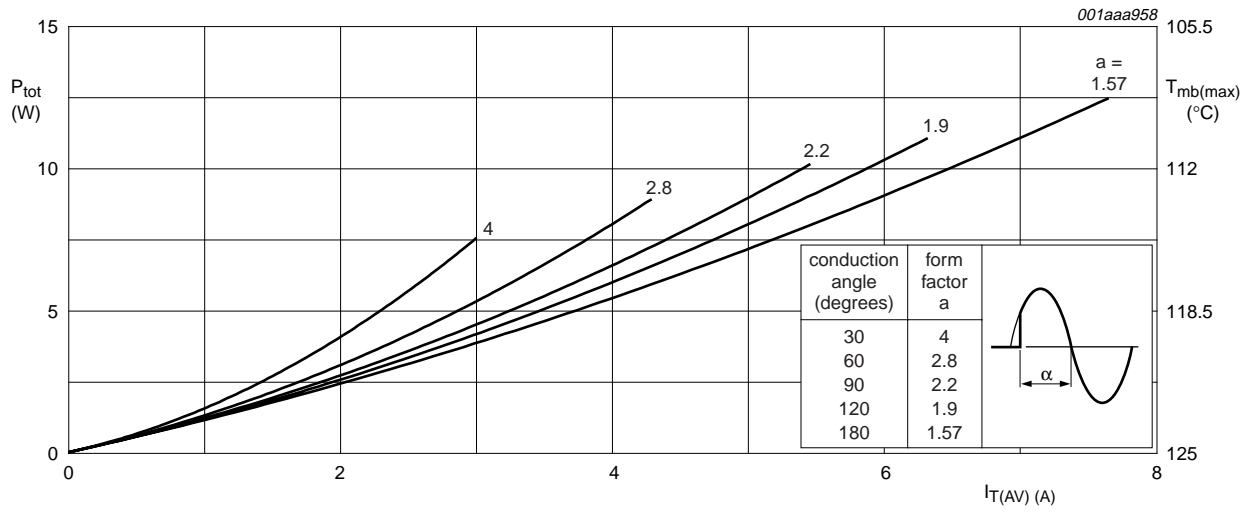
4. Limiting values

Table 3: Limiting values

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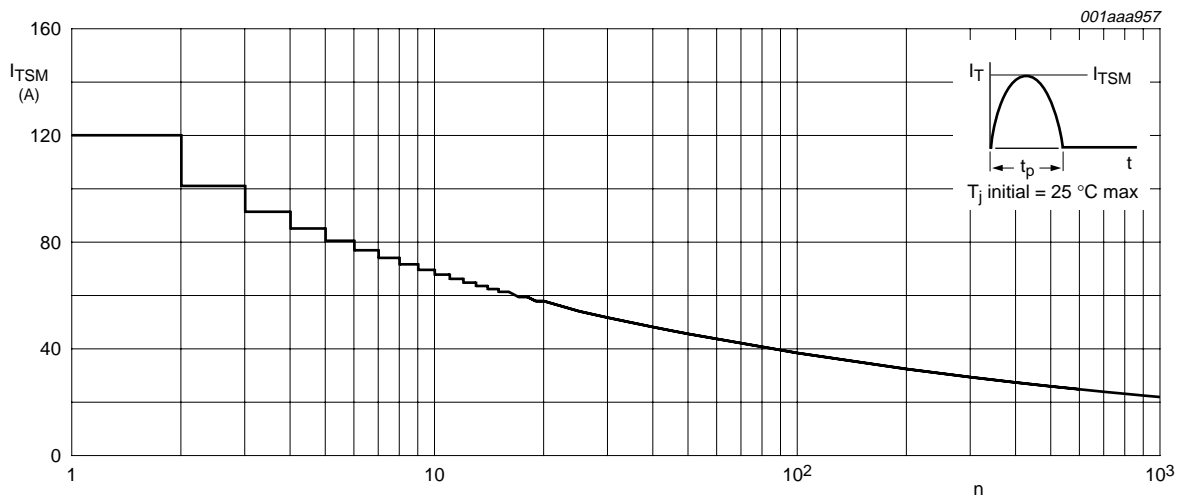
Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Max	Unit
V_{DRM}, V_{RRM}	repetitive peak off-state voltage				
	BT151-500R		[1]	500	V
	BT151-650R		[1]	650	V
	BT151-800R		-	800	V
$I_{T(AV)}$	average on-state current	half sinewave; $T_{mb} \leq 109\text{ °C}$; Figure 1	-	7.5	A
$I_{T(RMS)}$	RMS on-state current	all conduction angles; Figure 4 and Figure 5	-	12	A
I_{TSM}	non-repetitive peak on-state current	half sinewave; $T_j = 25\text{ °C}$ prior to surge; Figure 2 and Figure 3			
		$t = 10\text{ ms}$	-	120	A
		$t = 8.3\text{ ms}$	-	132	A
I^2t	I^2t for fusing	$t = 10\text{ ms}$	-	72	A ² s
di_T/dt	repetitive rate of rise of on-state current after triggering	$I_{TM} = 20\text{ A}$; $I_G = 50\text{ mA}$; $di_G/dt 50\text{ mA}/\mu\text{s}$	-	50	A/ μs
I_{GM}	peak gate current		-	2	A
V_{RGM}	peak reverse gate voltage		-	5	V
P_{GM}	peak gate power		-	5	W
$P_{G(AV)}$	average gate power	over any 20 ms period	-	0.5	W
T_{stg}	storage temperature		-40	+150	°C
T_j	junction temperature		-	125	°C

[1] Although not recommended, off-state voltages up to 800 V may be applied without damage, but the thyristor may switch to the on-state. The rate of rise of current should not exceed 15 A/ μs .



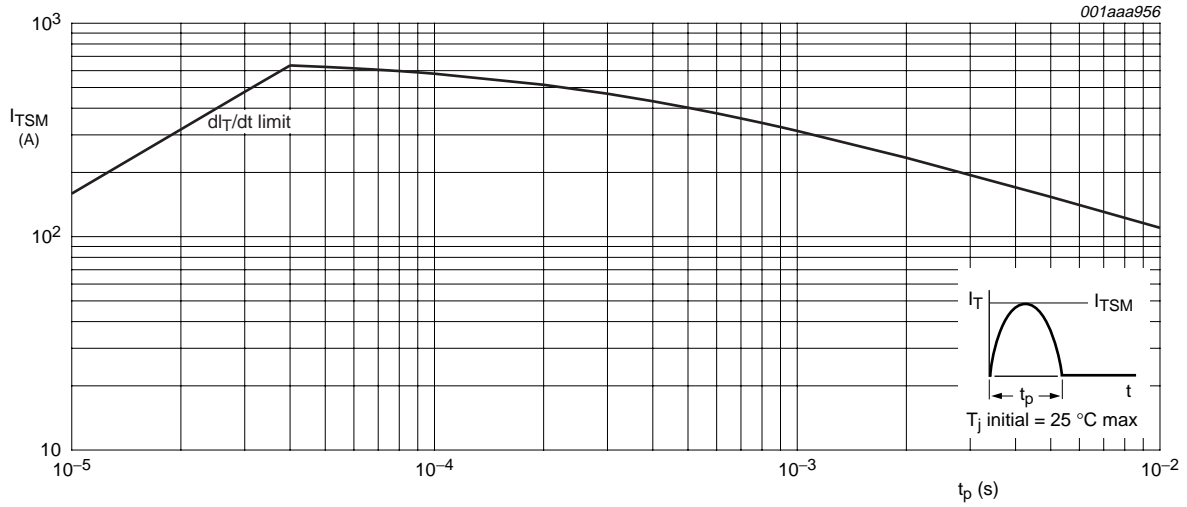
$a = \text{form factor} = I_{T(RMS)} / I_{T(AV)}$.

Fig 1. Total power dissipation as a function of average on-state current; maximum values.



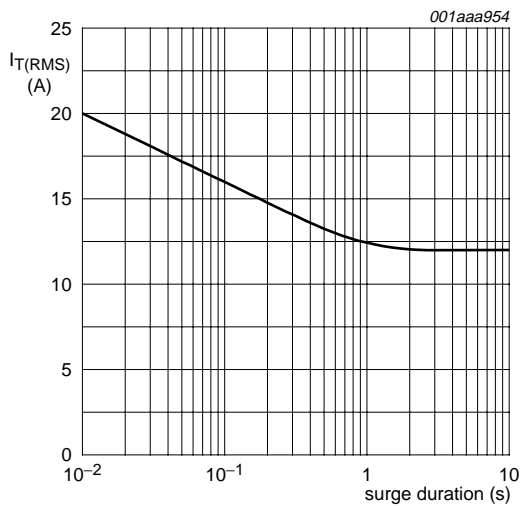
f = 50 Hz.

Fig 2. Non-repetitive peak on-state current as a function of the number of sinusoidal current cycles; maximum values.



$t_p \leq 10 \text{ ms.}$

Fig 3. Non-repetitive peak on-state current as a function of pulse width; maximum values.



$f = 50 \text{ Hz; } T_{mb} \leq 109 \text{ }^\circ\text{C.}$

Fig 4. RMS on-state current as a function of surge duration; maximum values.

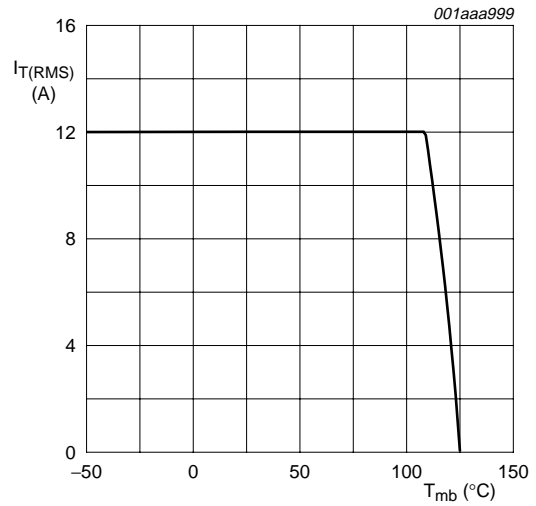


Fig 5. RMS on-state current as a function of mounting base temperature; maximum values.

5. Thermal characteristics

Table 4: Thermal characteristics

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Typ	Max	Unit
$R_{th(j-mb)}$	thermal resistance from junction to mounting base	Figure 6	-	1.3	K/W
$R_{th(j-a)}$	thermal resistance from junction to ambient	in free air	60	-	K/W

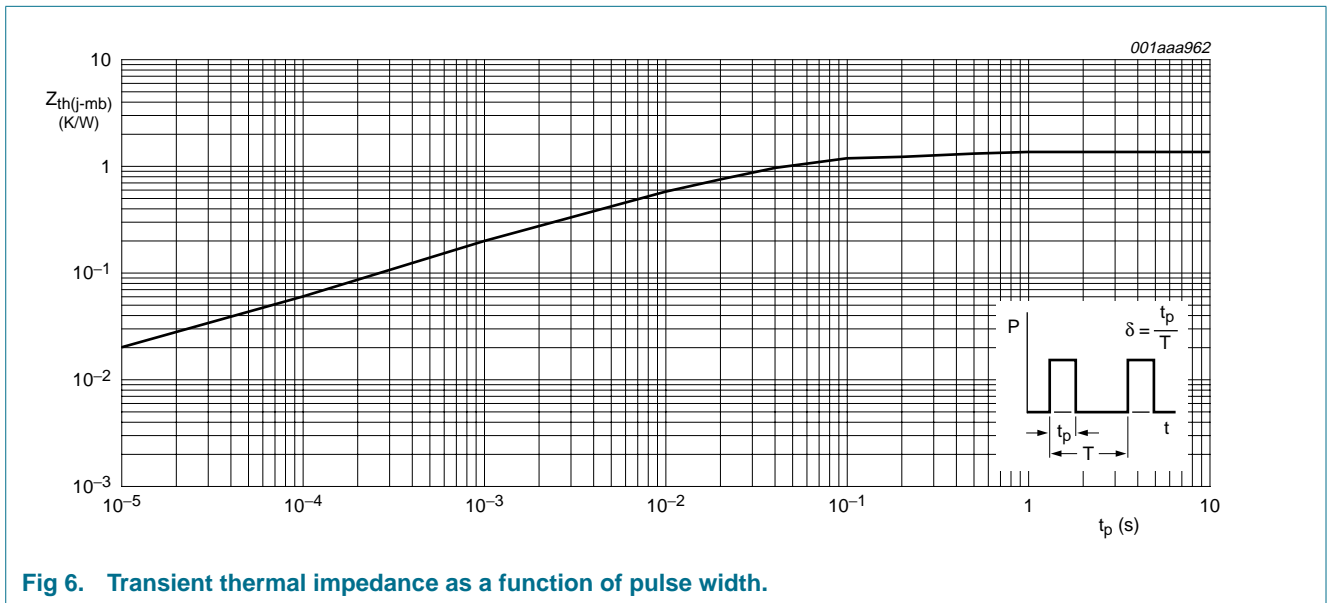


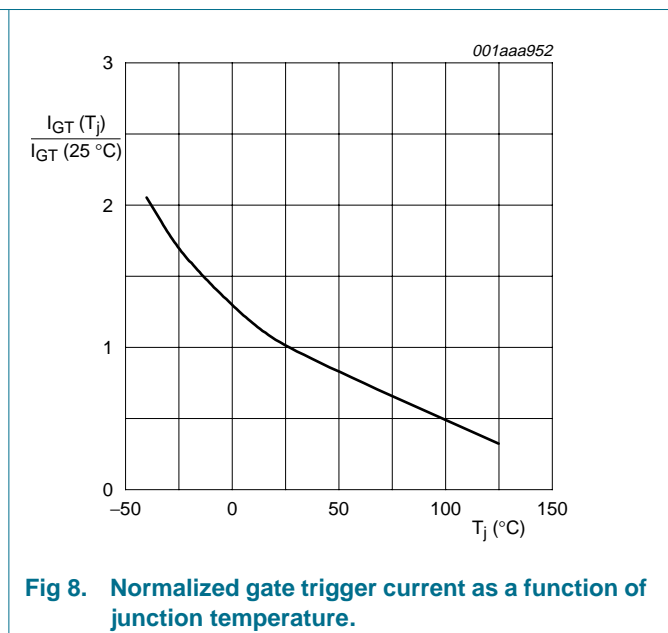
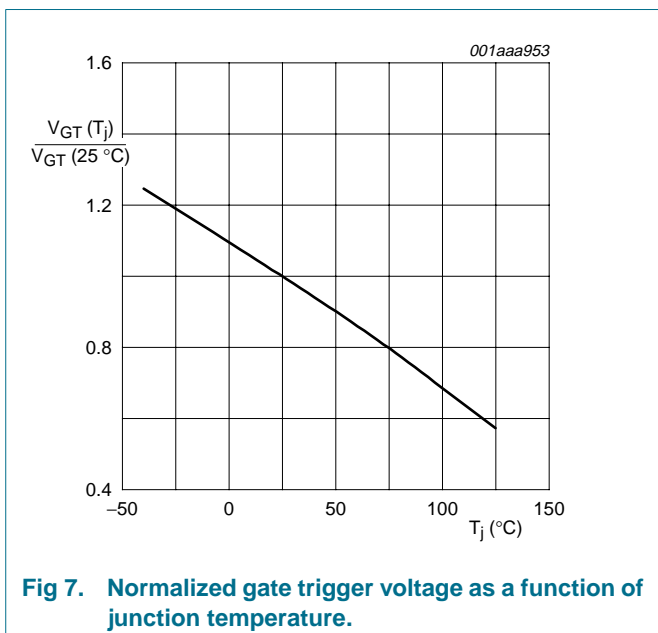
Fig 6. Transient thermal impedance as a function of pulse width.

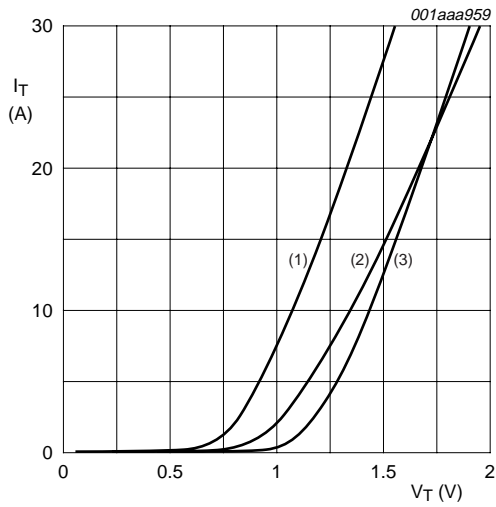
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Table 5: Characteristics

$T_j = 25\text{ °C}$ unless otherwise stated

Symbol	Parameter	Conditions	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Static characteristics						
I_{GT}	gate trigger current	$V_D = 12\text{ V}$; $I_T = 0.1\text{ A}$; Figure 8	-	2	15	mA
I_L	latching current	$V_D = 12\text{ V}$; $I_{GT} = 0.1\text{ A}$; Figure 10	-	10	40	mA
I_H	holding current	$V_D = 12\text{ V}$; $I_{GT} = 0.1\text{ A}$; Figure 11	-	7	20	mA
V_T	on-state voltage	$I_T = 23\text{ A}$; Figure 9	-	1.4	1.75	V
V_{GT}	gate trigger voltage	$V_D = 12\text{ V}$; $I_T = 0.1\text{ A}$; Figure 7	-	0.6	1.5	V
		$V_D = V_{DRM(max)}$; $I_T = 0.1\text{ A}$; $T_j = 125\text{ °C}$	0.25	0.4	-	V
I_D, I_R	off-state leakage current	$V_D = V_{DRM(max)}$; $V_R = V_{RRM(max)}$; $T_j = 125\text{ °C}$	-	0.1	0.5	mA
Dynamic characteristics						
dV_D/dt	critical rate of rise of off-state voltage	$V_{DM} = 67\% V_{DRM(max)}$; $T_j = 125\text{ °C}$; exponential waveform; Figure 12				
		gate open circuit	50	130	-	V/ μ s
		$R_{GK} = 100\ \Omega$	200	1000	-	V/ μ s
t_{gt}	gate controlled turn-on time	$I_{TM} = 40\text{ A}$; $V_D = V_{DRM(max)}$; $I_G = 0.1\text{ A}$; $dI_G/dt = 5\text{ A}/\mu\text{s}$	-	2	-	μ s
t_q	circuit commuted turn-on time	$V_D = 67\% V_{DRM(max)}$; $T_j = 125\text{ °C}$; $I_{TM} = 20\text{ A}$; $V_R = 25\text{ V}$; $dI_{TM}/dt = 30\text{ A}/\mu\text{s}$; $dV_D/dt = 50\text{ V}/\mu\text{s}$; $R_{GK} = 100\ \Omega$	-	70	-	μ s





$V_O = 1.06$ V.

$R_S = 0.0304$ Ω .

- (1) $T_j = 125$ °C; typical values.
- (2) $T_j = 125$ °C; maximum values.
- (3) $T_j = 25$ °C; maximum values.

Fig 9. On-state current characteristics.

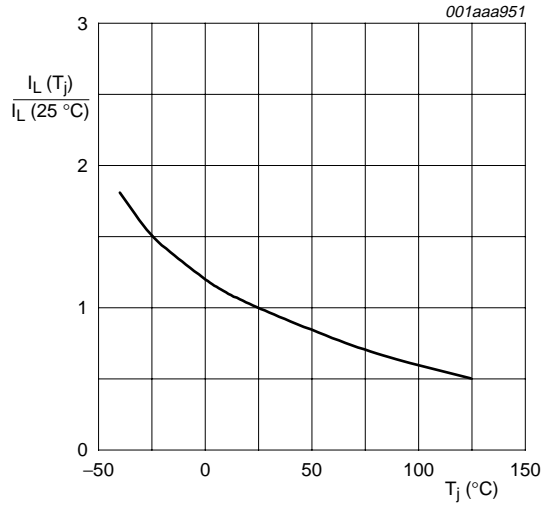


Fig 10. Normalized latching current as a function of junction temperature.

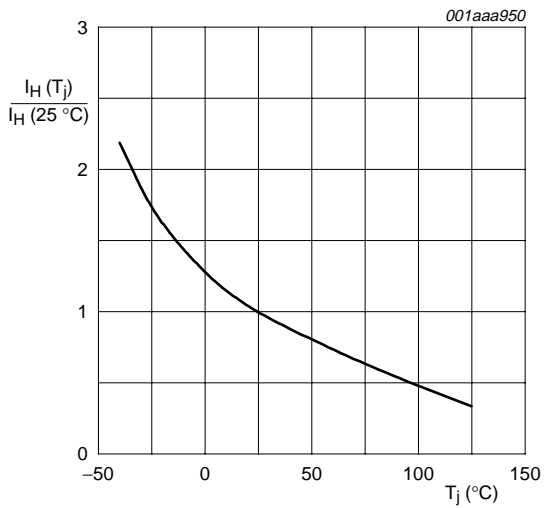
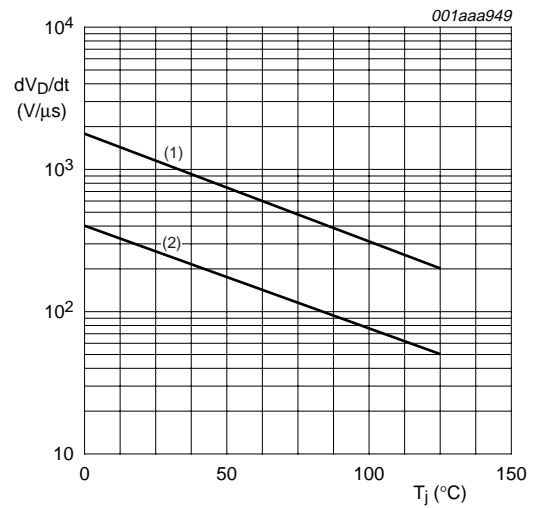


Fig 11. Normalized holding current as a function of junction temperature.



- (1) $R_{GK} = 100$ Ω .
- (2) Gate open circuit.

Fig 12. Critical rate of rise of off-state voltage as a function of junction temperature; minimum values.

7. Package outline

Plastic single-ended package; heatsink mounted; 1 mounting hole; 3-lead TO-220AB

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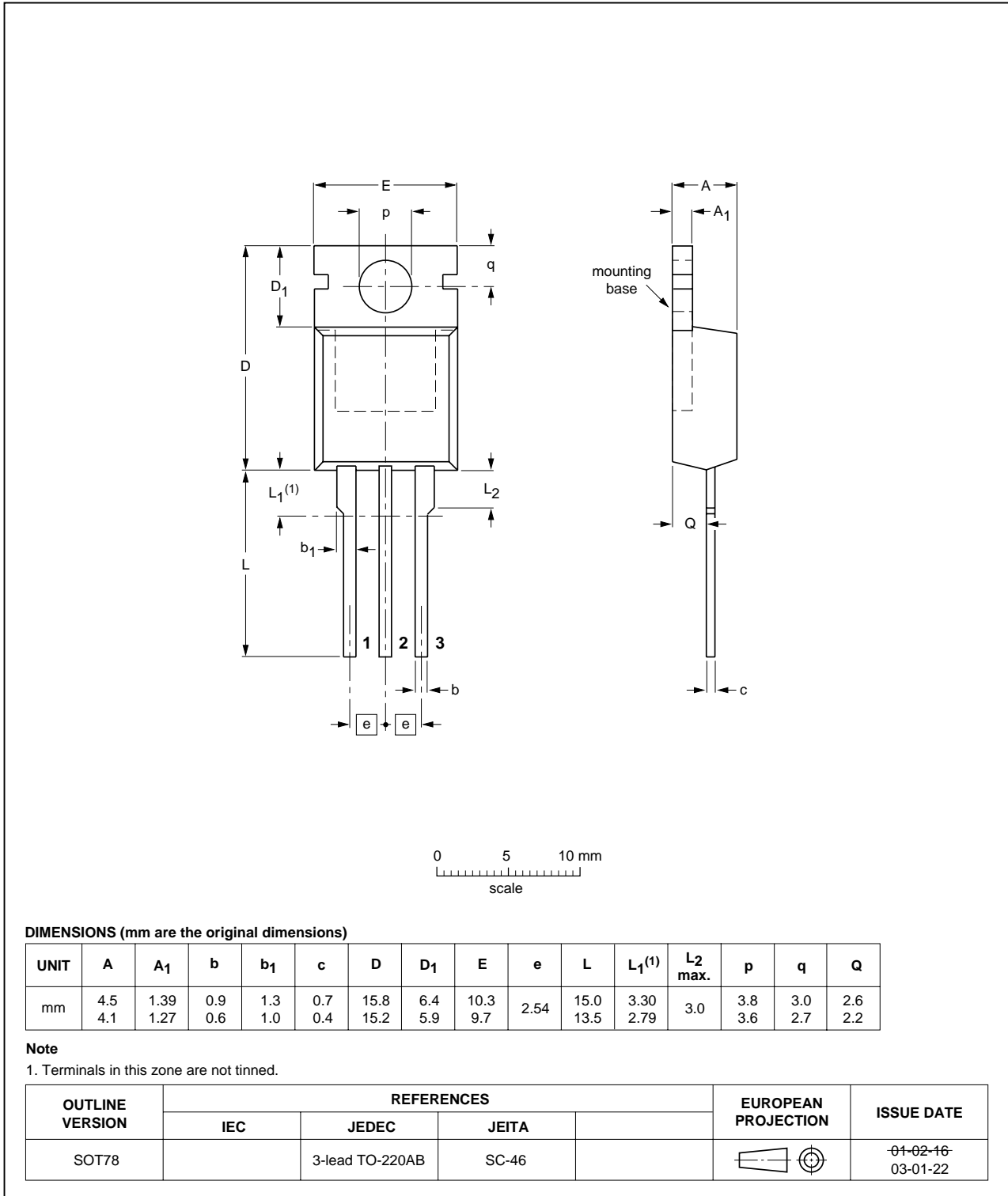


Fig 13. Package outline

8. Revision history

Table 6: Revision history

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