



High-end Power Semiconductor Manufacturer

KP500A 4600V-6500V Phase Control Thyristor

- High power cycling capability
- Low on-state and switching losses
- Designed for traction and industrial applications



Mean on-state current		I _{TAV}		500 A							
Repetitive peak off-state voltage		V _{DRM}		4600 – 6500 V							
Repetitive peak reverse voltage		V _{RRM}									
Turn-off time		t _q		800 μs							
V _{DRM} , V _{RRM} , V	4600	4800	5000	5200	5400	5600	5800	6000	6200	6400	6500
Voltage code	46	48	50	52	54	56	58	60	62	64	65
T _j , °C	-60 – 125										

MAXIMUM ALLOWABLE RATINGS

Symbols and parameters			Units	Values	Test conditions
ON-STATE					
I _{TAV}	Mean on-state current	A	500	T _c =85 °C, Double side cooled 180° half-sine wave; 50 Hz	
I _{TRMS}	RMS on-state current	A	785	T _c =85 °C, Double side cooled 180° half-sine wave; 50 Hz	
I _{TSM}	Surge on-state current	kA	9.5 11.0	T _j =T _j max T _j =25 °C	180° half-sine wave; t _p =10 ms; single pulse; V _D =V _R =0 V; Gate pulse: I _G =2 A; t _{GP} =50 μs; di _G /dt≥1 A/μs
			10.0 11.5	T _j =T _j max T _j =25 °C	180° half-sine wave; t _p =8.3 ms; single pulse; V _D =V _R =0 V; Gate pulse: I _G =2 A; t _{GP} =50 μs; di _G /dt≥1 A/μs
I ² t	Safety factor	A ² s·10 ³	450 600	T _j =T _j max T _j =25 °C	180° half-sine wave; t _p =10 ms; single pulse; V _D =V _R =0 V; Gate pulse: I _G =2 A; t _{GP} =50 μs; di _G /dt≥1 A/μs
			410 540	T _j =T _j max T _j =25 °C	180° half-sine wave; t _p =8.3 ms; single pulse; V _D =V _R =0 V; Gate pulse: I _G =2 A; t _{GP} =50 μs; di _G /dt≥1 A/μs
BLOCKING					
V _{DRM} , V _{RRM}	Repetitive peak off-state and Repetitive peak reverse voltages	V	4600–6500	T _{j min} < T _j <T _{j max} ; 180° half-sine wave; 50 Hz; Gate open	
V _{DSM} , V _{RSM}	Non-repetitive peak off-state and Non-repetitive peak reverse voltages	V	4700–6600	T _{j min} < T _j <T _{j max} ; 180° half-sine wave; single pulse; Gate open	
V _D , V _R	Direct off-state and Direct reverse voltages	V	0.6V _{DRM} 0.6V _{RRM}	T _j =T _j max; Gate open	

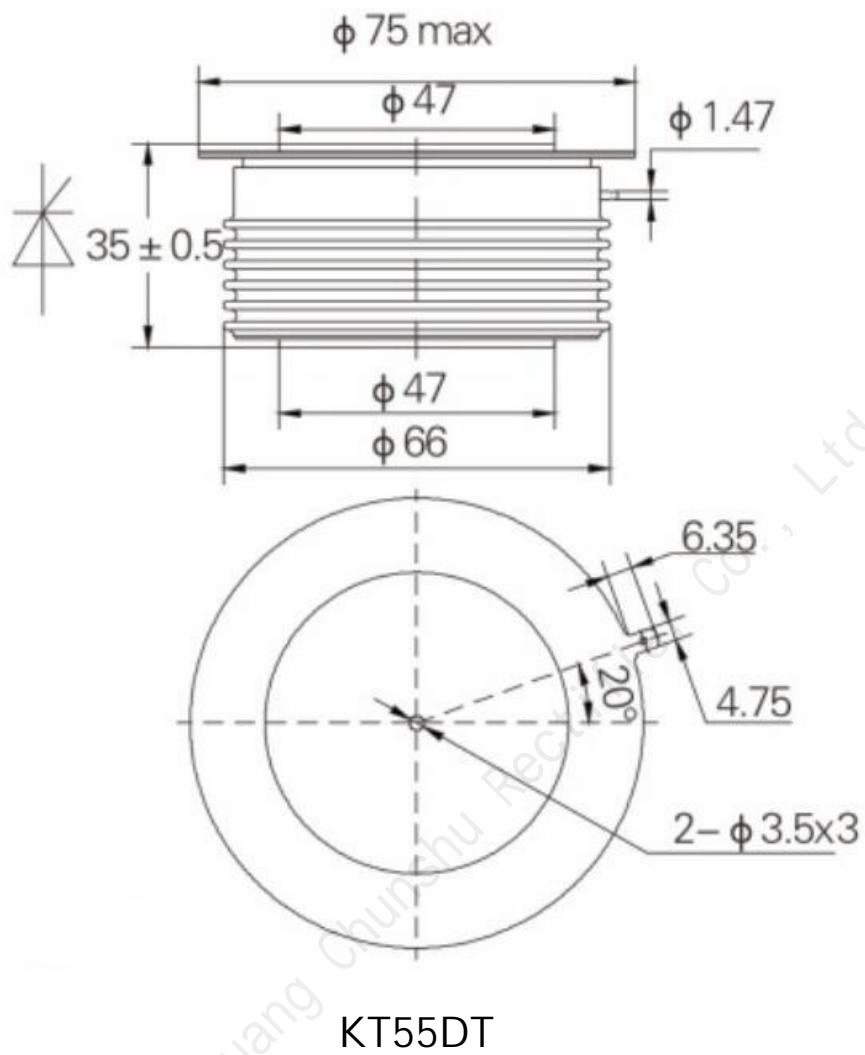
TRIGGERING				
I_{FGM}	Peak forward gate current	A	8	$T_j=T_{j \max}$
V_{RGM}	Peak reverse gate voltage	V	5	
P_G	Gate power dissipation	W	4	$T_j=T_{j \max}$ for DC gate current
SWITCHING				
$(di_T/dt)_{crit}$	Critical rate of rise of on-state current non-repetitive ($f=1$ Hz)	$A/\mu s$	400	$T_j=T_{j \max}; V_D=0.67V_{DRM}; I_{TM}=2150 A;$ Gate pulse: $I_G=2 A$; $t_{GP}=50 \mu s$; $di_G/dt \geq 2 A/\mu s$
THERMAL				
T_{stg}	Storage temperature	$^{\circ}C$	-60–50	
T_j	Operating junction temperature	$^{\circ}C$	-60–125	
MECHANICAL				
F	Mounting force	kN	24.0–28.0	
a	Acceleration	m/s^2	50	Device clamped

CHARACTERISTICS

Symbols and parameters		Units	Values	Conditions
ON-STATE				
V_{TM}	Peak on-state voltage, max	V	2.70	$T_j=25 ^{\circ}C; I_{TM}=1570 A$
$V_{T(TO)}$	On-state threshold voltage, max	V	1.322	$T_j=T_{j \max}$
r_T	On-state slope resistance, max	$m\Omega$	1.145	$0.5 \pi I_{TAV} < I_T < 1.5 \pi I_{TAV}$
I_L	Latching current, max	mA	1500	$T_j=25 ^{\circ}C; V_D=12 V$; Gate pulse: $I_G=2 A$; $t_{GP}=50 \mu s$; $di_G/dt \geq 1 A/\mu s$
I_H	Holding current, max	mA	300	$T_j=25 ^{\circ}C$; $V_D=12 V$; Gate open
BLOCKING				
I_{DRM}, I_{RRM}	Repetitive peak off-state and Repetitive peak reverse currents, max	mA	200	$T_j=T_{j \max}$; $V_D=V_{DRM}$; $V_R=V_{RRM}$
$(dv_D/dt)_{crit}$	Critical rate of rise of off-state voltage ¹⁾ , min	$V/\mu s$	1000, 1600, 2000, 2500	$T_j=T_{j \max}$; $V_D=0.67V_{DRM}$; Gate open
TRIGGERING				
V_{GT}	Gate trigger direct voltage, max	V	2.50 1.50	$T_j=25 ^{\circ}C$ $T_j=T_{j \max}$
I_{GT}	Gate trigger direct current, max	mA	250 150	$T_j=25 ^{\circ}C$ $T_j=T_{j \max}$
V_{GD}	Gate non-trigger direct voltage, min	V	0.45	$T_j=T_{j \max}$; $V_D=0.67V_{DRM}$;
I_{GD}	Gate non-trigger direct current, min	mA	65.00	Direct gate current
SWITCHING				
t_{gd}	Delay time, max	μs	3.00	$T_j=25 ^{\circ}C; V_D=1500 V$; $I_{TM}=I_{TAV}$; $di/dt=200 A/\mu s$;
t_{gt}	Turn-on time, max	μs	10.00	Gate pulse: $I_G=2 A$; $V_G=20 V$; $t_{GP}=50 \mu s$; $di_G/dt=2 A/\mu s$
t_q	Turn-off time ²⁾ , max	μs	800	$dv_D/dt=50 V/\mu s$; $T_j=T_{j \max}$; $I_{TM}=I_{TAV}$; $di_R/dt=-10 A/\mu s$; $V_R=100 V$; $V_D=2000 V$
Q_{rr}	Total recovered charge, max	μC	4500	$T_j=T_{j \max}$; $I_{TM}=1000 A$;
t_{rr}	Reverse recovery time, typ	μs	60.0	$di_R/dt=-5 A/\mu s$;
I_{rrM}	Peak reverse recovery current, max	A	150	$V_R=100 V$

THERMAL					
R_{thjc}	Thermal resistance, junction to case, max	$^{\circ}\text{C}/\text{W}$	0.020	Direct current	Double side cooled
R_{thjc-A}			0.044		Anode side cooled
R_{thjc-K}			0.036		Cathode side cooled
R_{thck}	Thermal resistance, case to heatsink, max	$^{\circ}\text{C}/\text{W}$	0.004	Direct current	
MECHANICAL					
W	Weight, max	g	700		
D_s	Surface creepage distance	mm (inch)	39.55 (1.557)		
D_a	Air strike distance	mm (inch)	25.50 (1.004)		

OVERALL DIMENSIONS



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All dimensions in millimeters

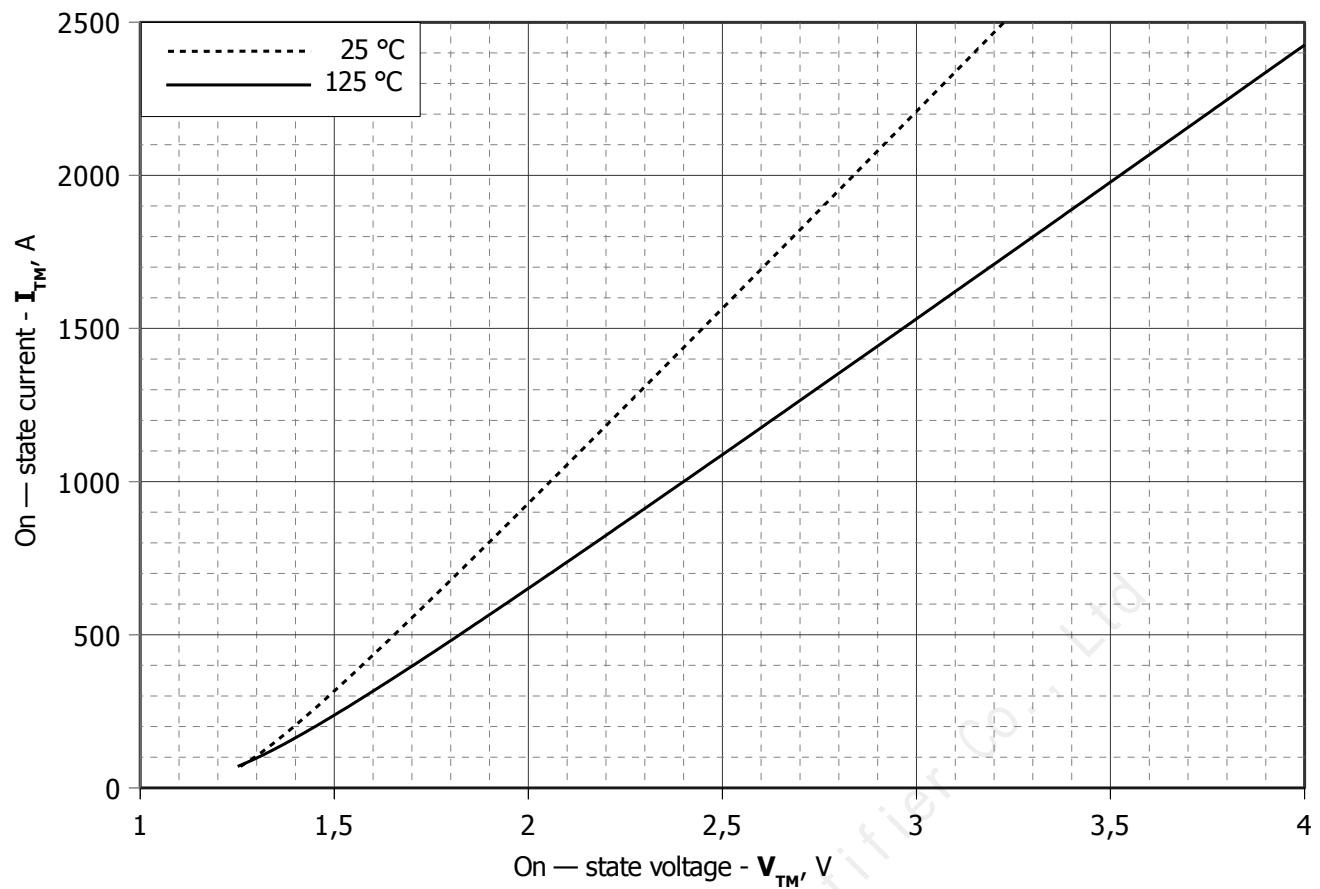


Fig 1 – On-state characteristics of Limit device

Analytical function for On-state characteristic:

$$V_T = A + B \cdot i_T + C \cdot \ln(i_T + 1) + D \cdot \sqrt{i_T}$$

	Coefficients for max curves	
	$T_j = 25^\circ\text{C}$	$T_j = T_{j\max}$
A	1.02180000	0.89838310
B	0.00077615	0.00112210
C	0.04676500	0.07137240
D	-0.00204380	-0.00358350

On-state characteristic model (see Fig. 1)

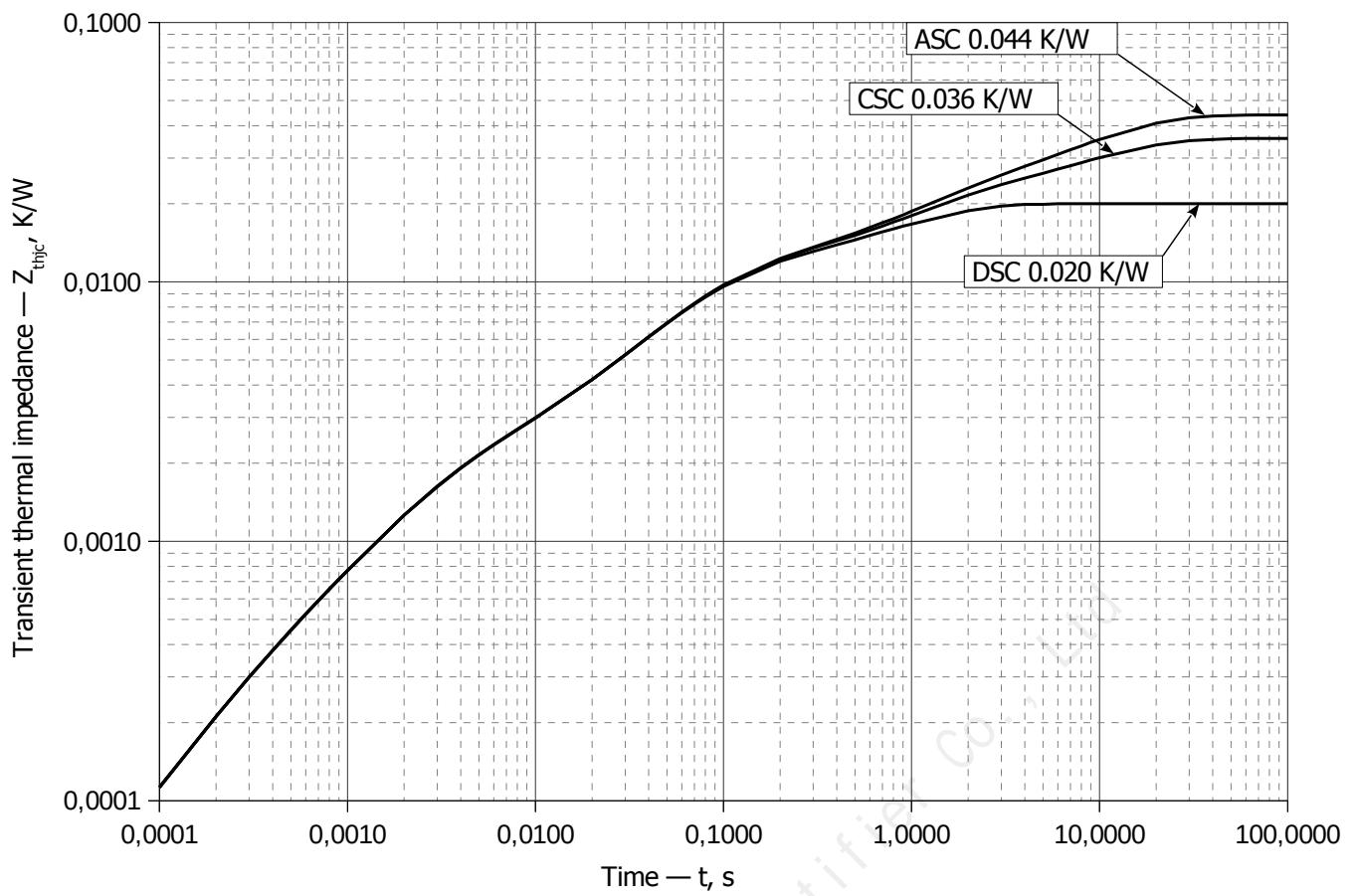


Fig 2 – Transient thermal impedance Z_{thjc} vs. time t

Analytical function for Transient thermal impedance junction to case Z_{thjc} for DC:

$$Z_{thjc} = \sum_{i=1}^n R_i \left(1 - e^{-\frac{t}{\tau_i}} \right)$$

Where $i = 1$ to n , n is the number of terms in the series.

t = Duration of heating pulse in seconds.

Z_{thjc} = Thermal resistance at time t .

R_i = Amplitude of p_{th} term.

τ_i = Time constant of r_{th} term.

DC Double side cooled

i	1	2	3	4	5	6
R_i , K/W	0.009168	0.002899	0.001522	0.006297	0.00003033	0.00008163
τ_i , s	0.9681	0.05144	0.002417	0.07706	0.0004122	0.0002166

DC Anode side cooled

i	1	2	3	4	5	6
R_i , K/W	0.02398	0.009274	0.009094	-0.00003741	0.00155	0.0001282
τ_i , s	9.752	1.065	0.06762	0.01374	0.002533	0.0002841

DC Cathode side cooled

i	1	2	3	4	5	6
R_i , K/W	0.01568	0.00922	0.009098	0.00006319	0.001526	0.000116
τ_i , s	9.755	1.039	0.06857	0.01397	0.002449	0.0002632

Transient thermal impedance junction to case Z_{thjc} model (see Fig. 2)

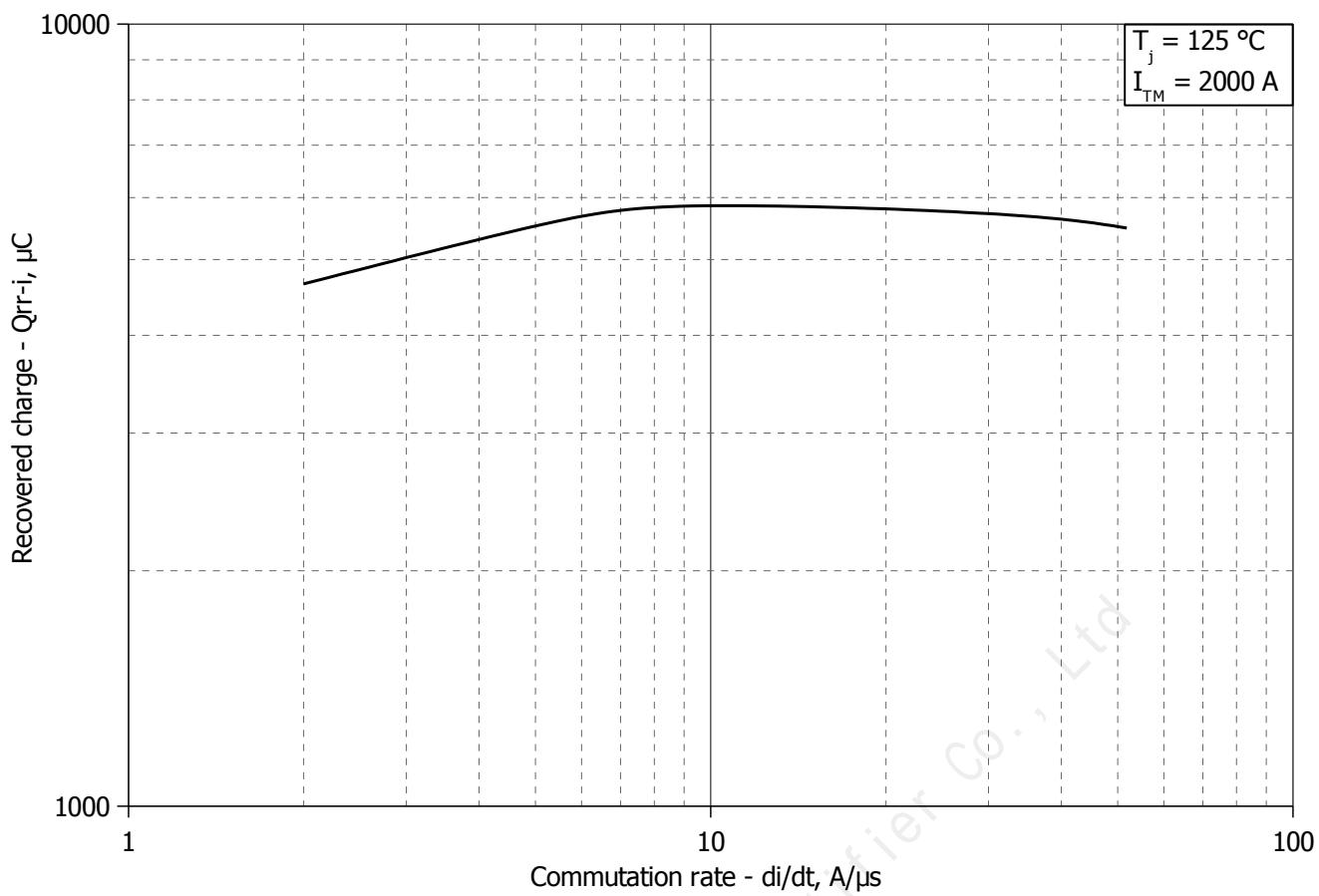


Fig 3 – Maximum recovered charge Q_{rr-i} (integral) vs. commutation rate di_R/dt

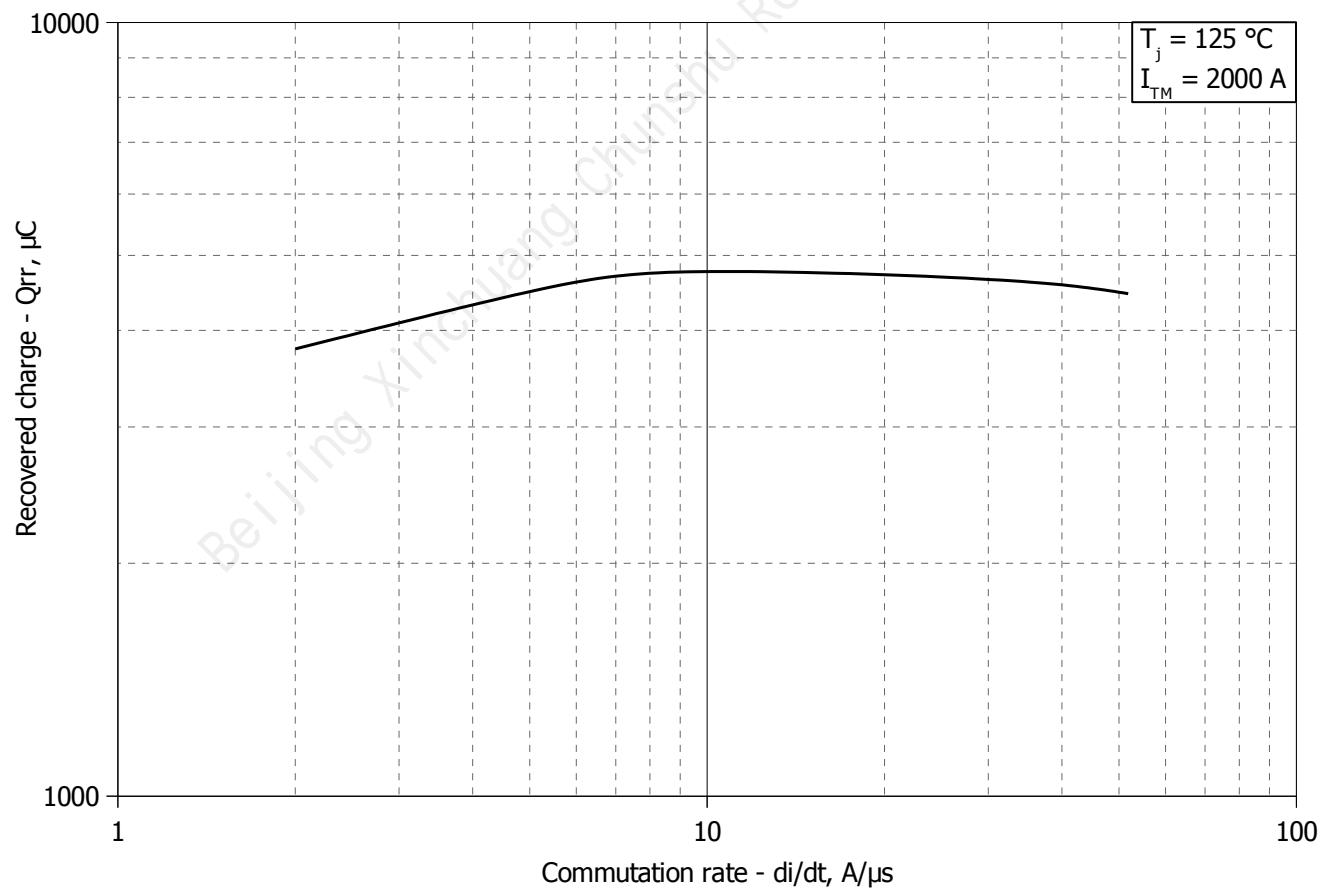


Fig 4 – Maximum recovered charge Q_{rr} vs. commutation rate di_R/dt (25% chord)

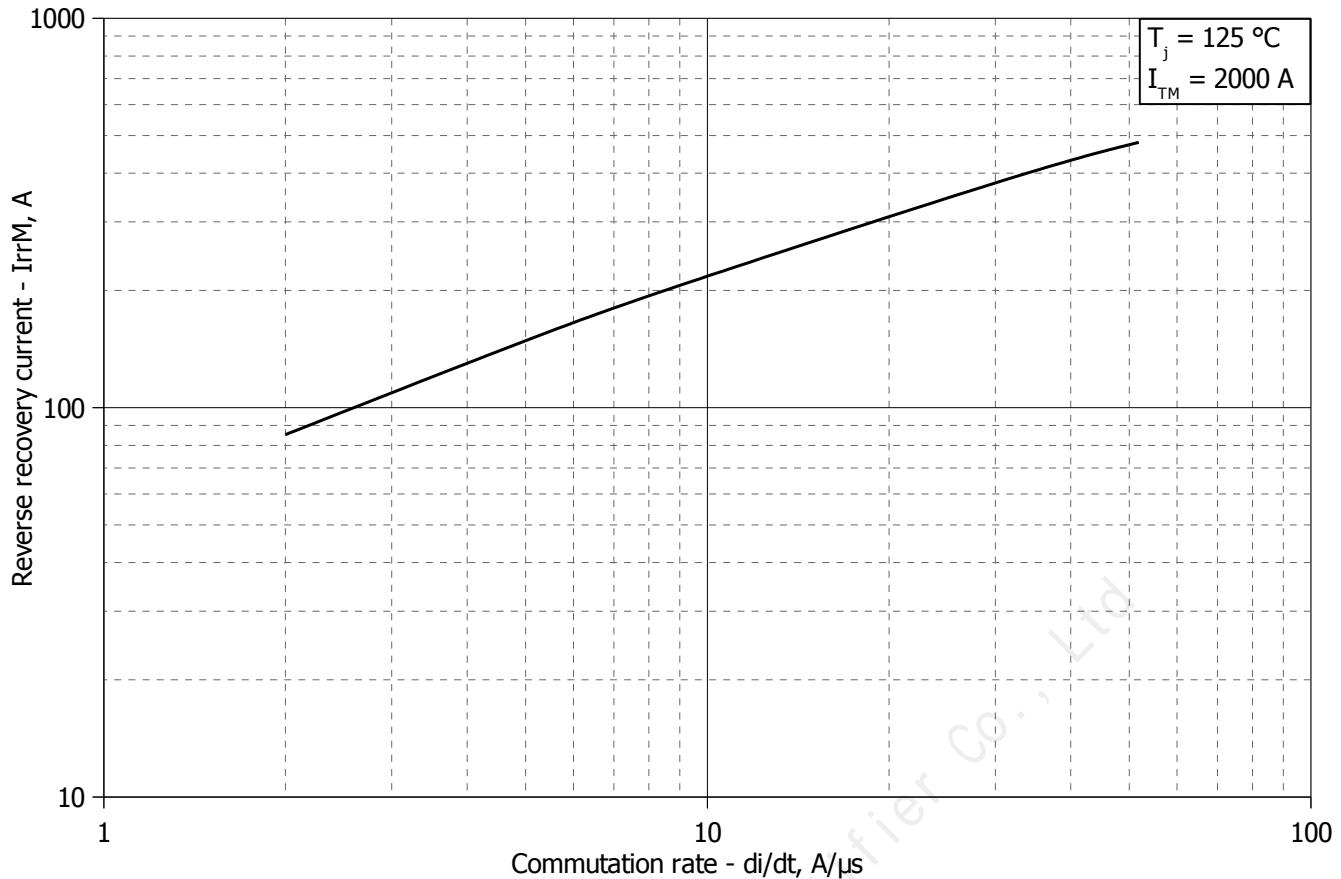


Fig 5 – Maximum reverse recovery current I_{rrM} vs. commutation rate di_R/dt

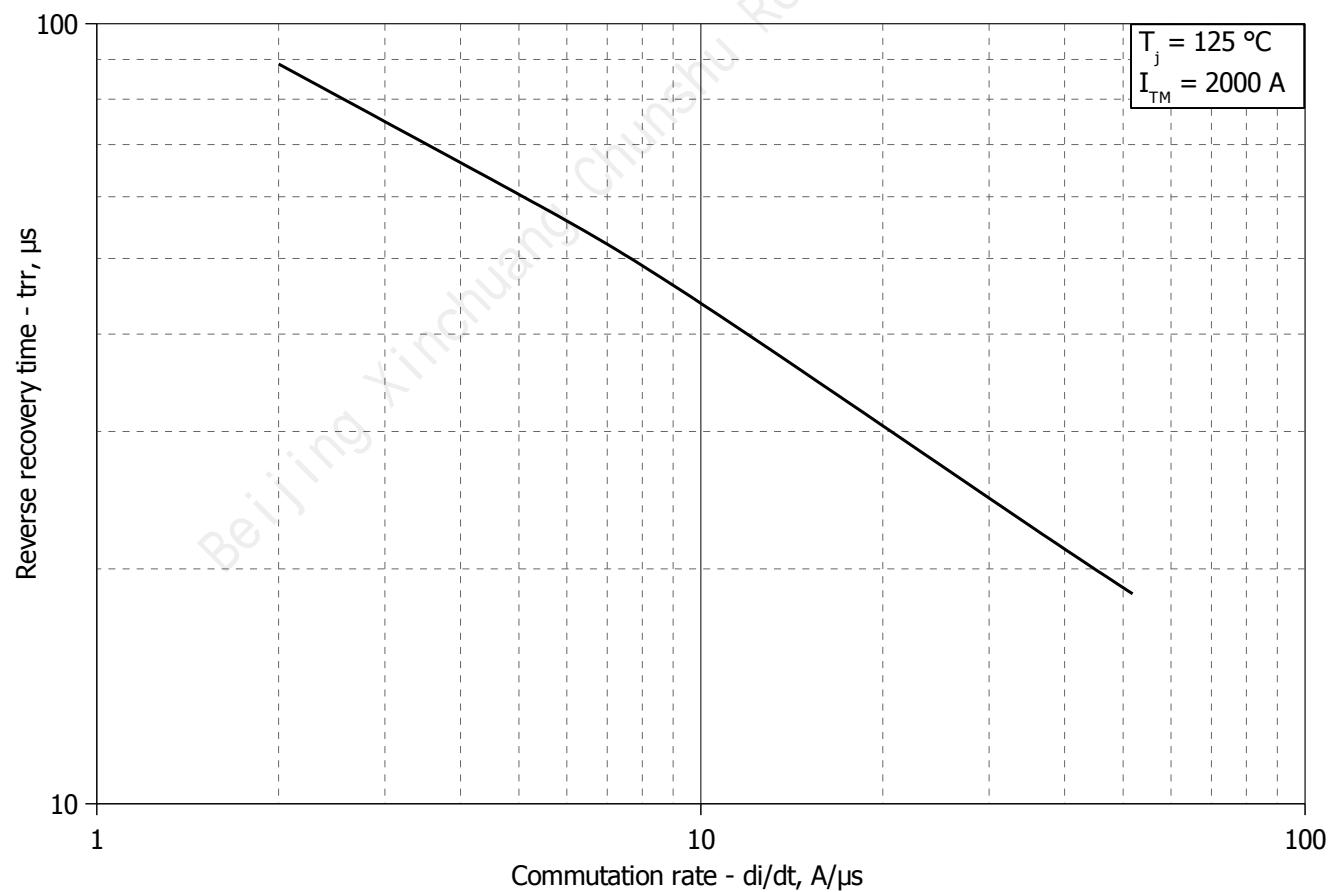


Fig 6 – Maximum recovery time t_{rr} vs. commutation rate di_R/dt (25% chord)

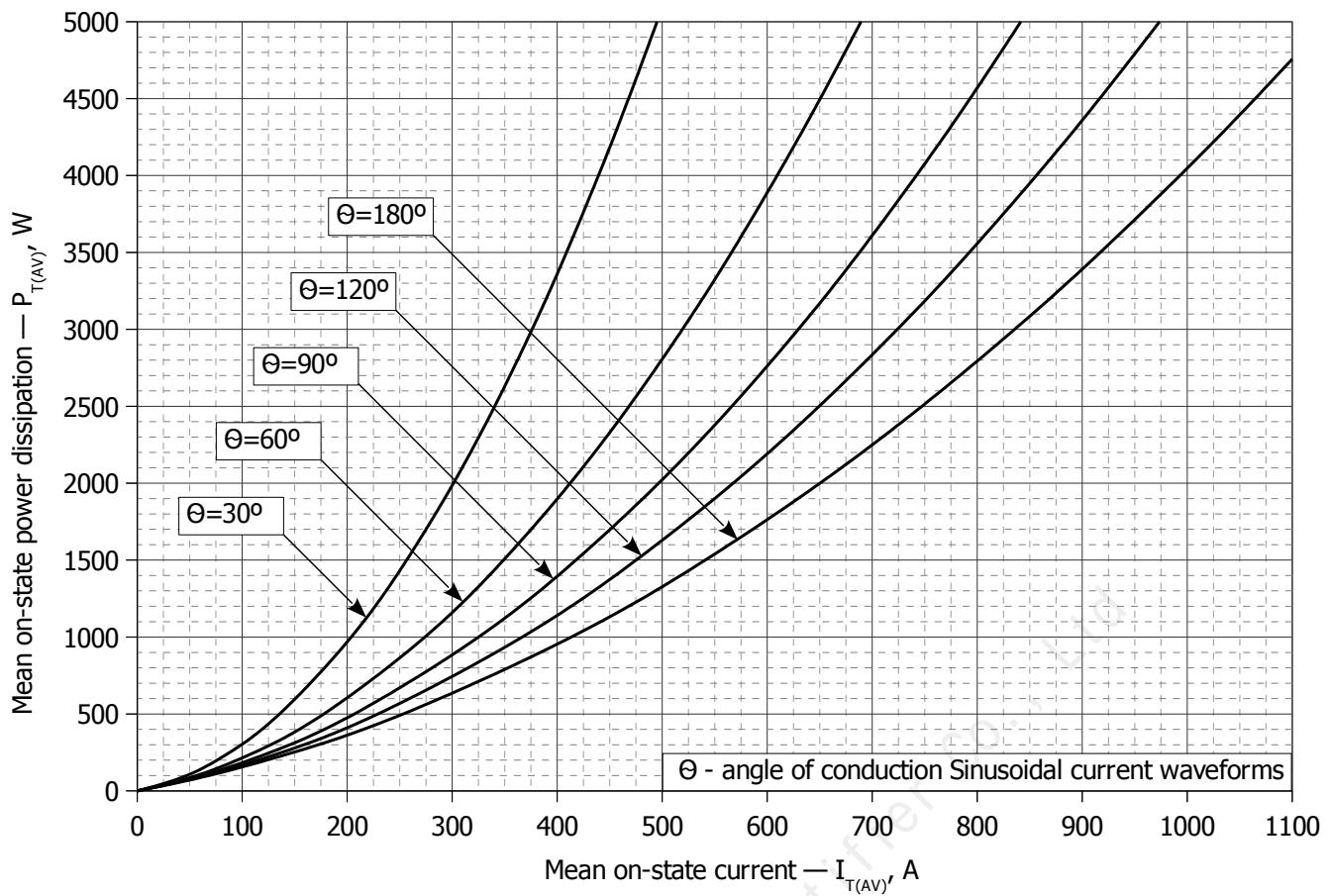


Fig. 7 - Mean on-state power dissipation P_{TAV} vs. mean on-state current I_{TAV} for sinusoidal current waveforms at different conduction angles (f=50Hz, DSC)

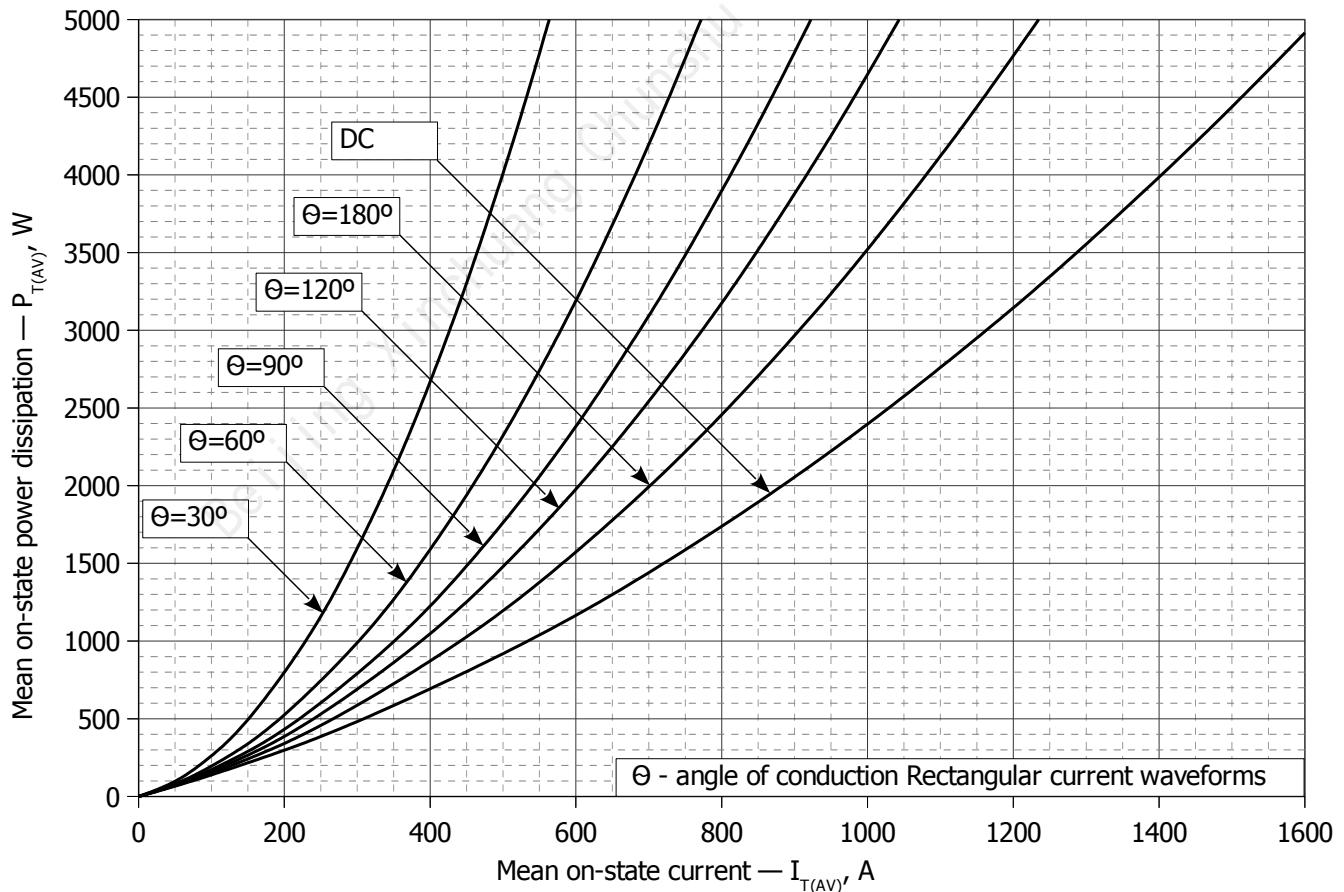


Fig. 8 – Mean on-state power dissipation P_{TAV} vs. mean on-state current I_{TAV} for rectangular current waveforms at different conduction angles and for DC (f=50Hz, DSC)

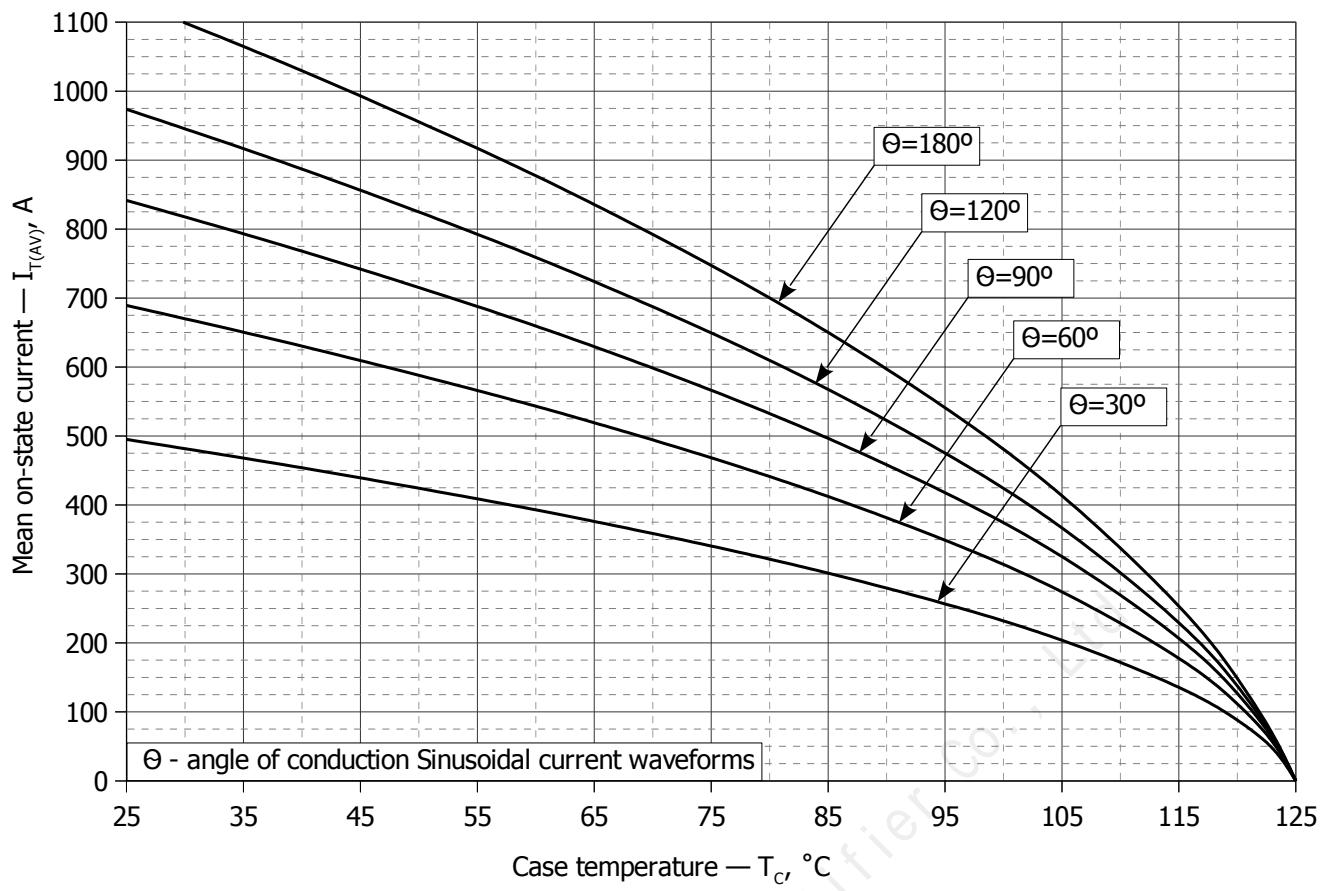


Fig. 9 – Mean on-state current I_{TAV} vs. case temperature T_c for sinusoidal current waveforms at different conduction angles (f=50Hz, DSC)

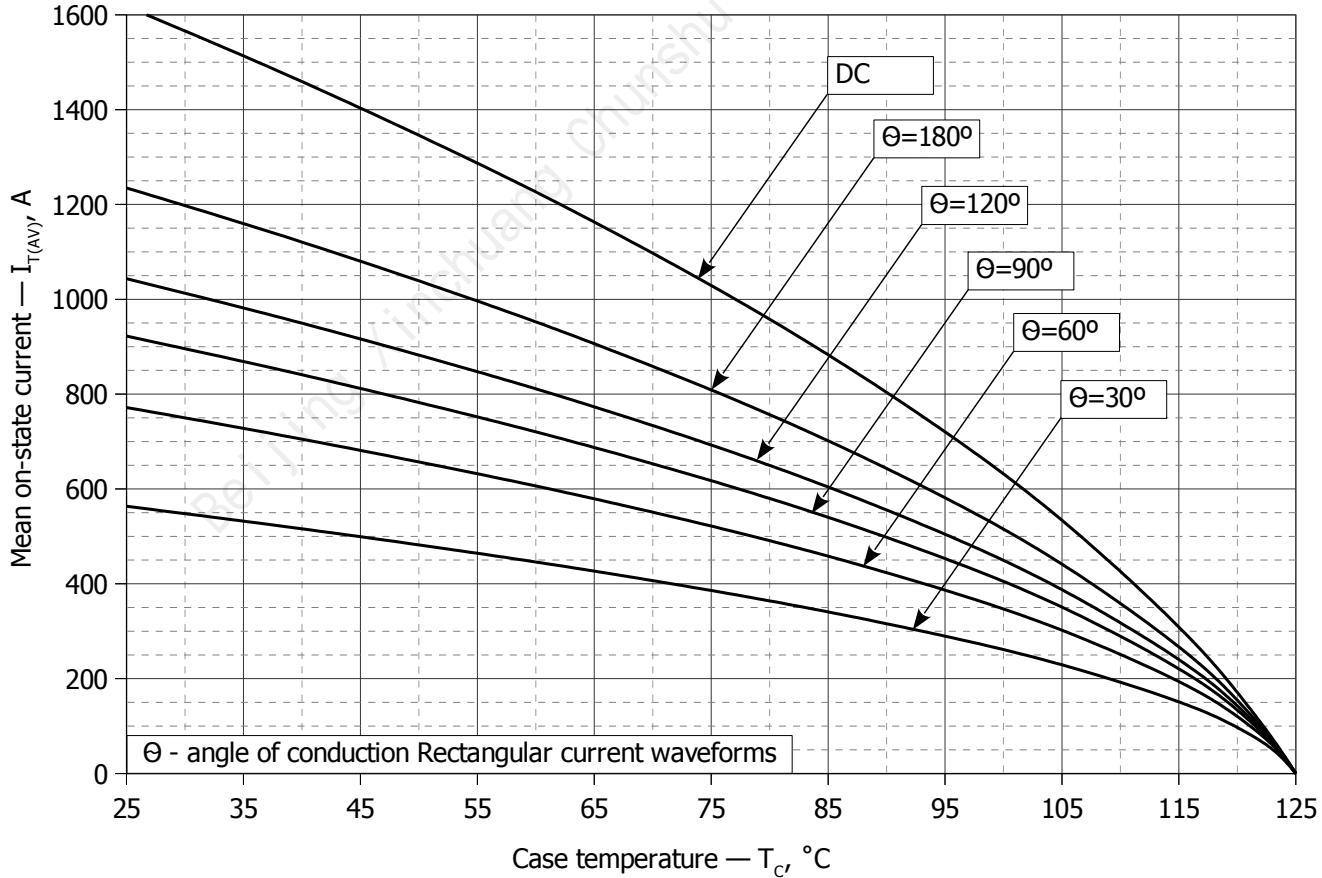


Fig. 10 - Mean on-state current I_{TAV} vs. case temperature T_c for rectangular current waveforms at different conduction angles and for DC (f=50Hz, DSC)

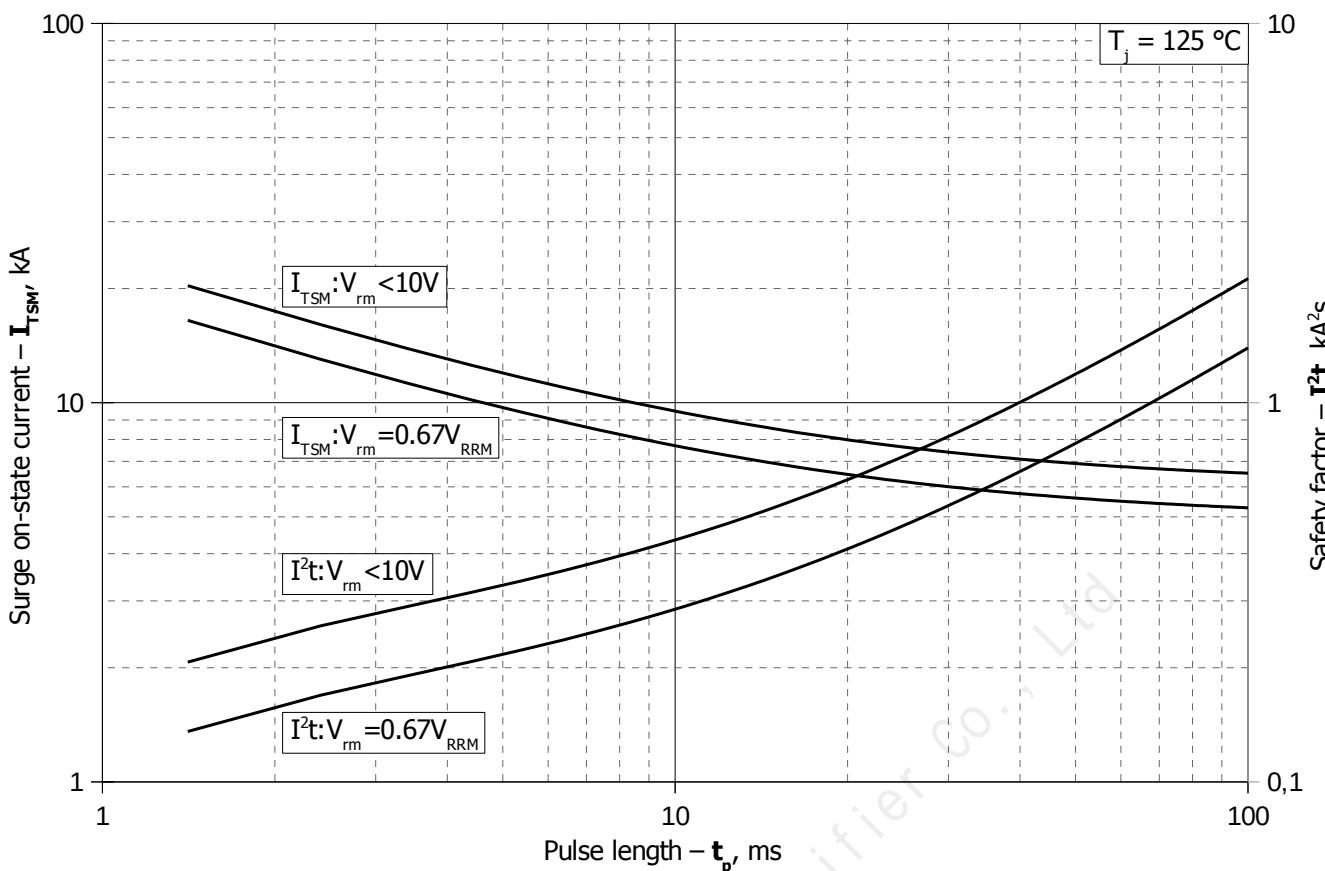


Fig. 11 – Maximum surge on-state current I_{TSM} and safety factor I^2t vs. pulse length t_p

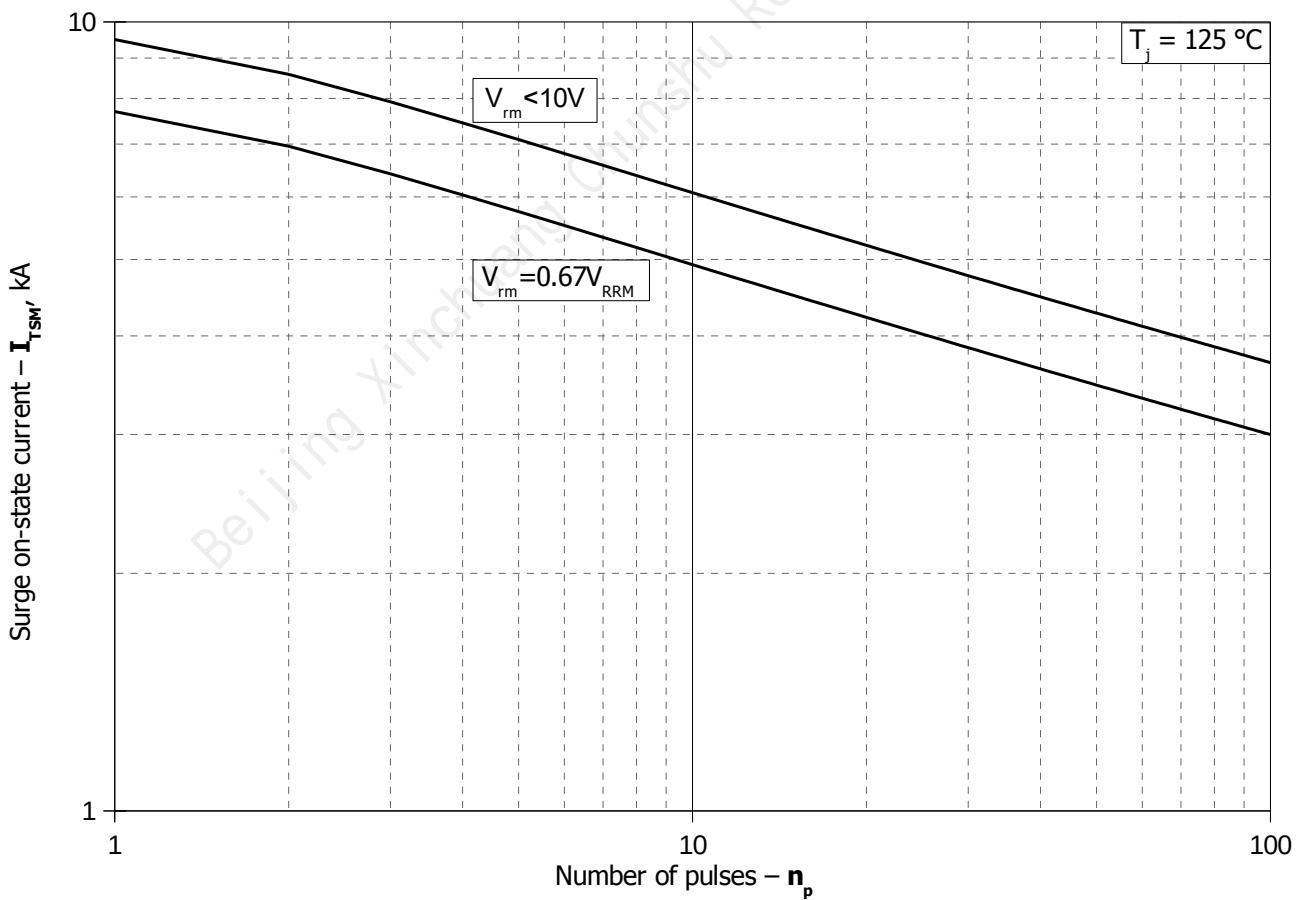


Fig. 12 - Maximum surge on-state current I_{TSM} vs. number of pulses n_p