

# International Rectifier

HEXFRED™

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## HFA30TA60C

Ultrafast, Soft Recovery Diode

### Features

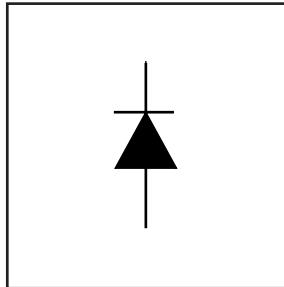
- Ultrafast Recovery
- Ultrasoft Recovery
- Very Low  $I_{RRM}$
- Very Low  $Q_{rr}$
- Guaranteed Avalanche
- Specified at Operating Conditions

### Benefits

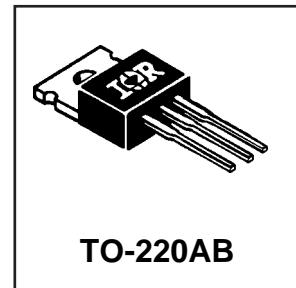
- Reduced RFI and EMI
- Reduced Power Loss in Diode and Switching Transistor
- Higher Frequency Operation
- Reduced Snubbing
- Reduced Parts Count

### Description

International Rectifier's HFA30TA60C is a state of the art center tap 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 15 amps per Leg continuous current, the HFA30TA60C 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  $t_b$  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 HFA30TA60C 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.



$V_R = 600V$
$V_F(\text{typ.})^* = 1.2V$
$I_{F(AV)} = 15A$
$Q_{rr} (\text{typ.}) = 80nC$
$I_{RRM} (\text{typ.}) = 4.0A$
$t_{rr}(\text{typ.}) = 19ns$
$dI_{(rec)M}/dt (\text{typ.})^* = 160A/\mu s$



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### Absolute Maximum Ratings (per Leg)

	Parameter	Max.	Units
$V_R$	Cathode-to-Anode Voltage	600	V
$I_F @ T_C = 25^\circ C$	Continuous Forward Current		
$I_F @ T_C = 100^\circ C$	Continuous Forward Current	15	
$I_{FSM}$	Single Pulse Forward Current	150	A
$I_{FRM}$	Maximum Repetitive Forward Current	60	
$I_{AR} \dagger$	Maximum Repetitive Avalanche Current	15	
$P_D @ T_C = 25^\circ C$	Maximum Power Dissipation	74	
$P_D @ T_C = 100^\circ C$	Maximum Power Dissipation	29	
$T_J$ $T_{STG}$	Operating Junction and Storage Temperature Range	-55 to +150	C

\*  $125^\circ C$

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

	Parameter	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Units	Test Conditions
$V_{BR}$	Cathode Anode Breakdown Voltage	600	---	---	V	$I_R = 100\mu\text{A}$
	Max Forward Voltage	---	1.3	1.7	V	$I_F = 15\text{A}$
		---	1.5	2.0		$I_F = 30\text{A}$
		---	1.2	1.6		$I_F = 15\text{A}, T_J = 125^\circ\text{C}$
$I_{RM}$	Max Reverse Leakage Current	---	1.0	10	$\mu\text{A}$	$V_R = V_R \text{ Rated}$
		---	400	1000		$T_J = 125^\circ\text{C}, V_R = 0.8 \times V_R \text{ Rated}$
$C_T$	Junction Capacitance	---	25	50	pF	$V_R = 200\text{V}$
$L_S$	Series Inductance	---	8.0	---	nH	Measured lead to lead 5mm from package body

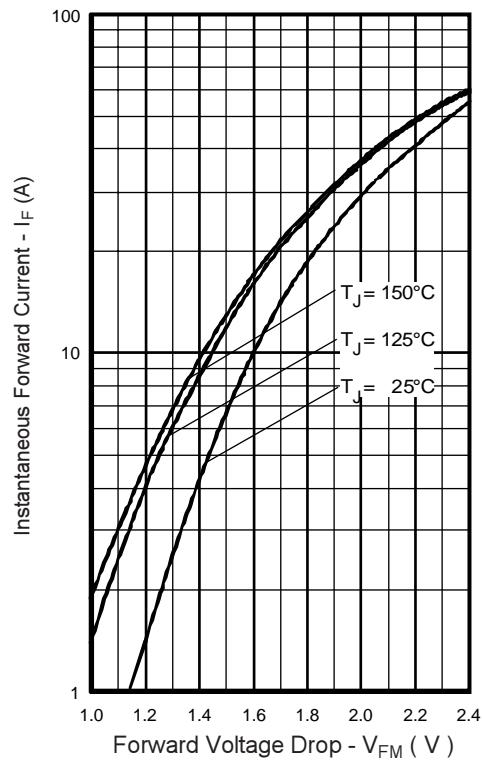
## Dynamic Recovery Characteristics (per Leg) @ $T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$ (unless otherwise specified)

	Parameter	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Units	Test Conditions
$t_{rr}$	Reverse Recovery Time See Fig. 5, 10	---	19	---	ns	$I_F = 1.0\text{A}, di/dt = 200\text{A}/\mu\text{s}, V_R = 30\text{V}$
		---	42	60		$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$
		---	70	90		$T_J = 125^\circ\text{C}$
$I_{RRM1}$	Peak Recovery Current See Fig. 6	---	4.0	6.0	A	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$
		---	6.5	10		$T_J = 125^\circ\text{C}$
$Q_{rr1}$	Reverse Recovery Charge See Fig. 7	---	80	180	nC	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$
		---	220	450		$T_J = 125^\circ\text{C}$
$di_{(rec)M}/dt1$	Peak Rate of Fall of Recovery Current During $t_b$ See Fig. 8	---	188	---	$A/\mu\text{s}$	$T_J = 25^\circ\text{C}$
		---	160	---		$T_J = 125^\circ\text{C}$

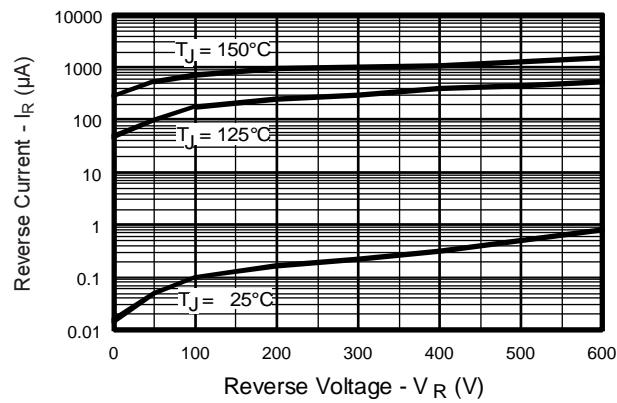
## Thermal - Mechanical Characteristics (per Leg)

	Parameter	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Units
$T_{lead}^{\circledcirc}$	Lead Temperature	---	---	300	$^\circ\text{C}$
$R_{\theta JC}$	Junction-to-Case, Single Leg Conducting	---	---	1.7	K/W
	Junction-to-Case, Both Legs Conducting	---	---	0.85	
$R_{\theta JA}^{\circledcirc}$	Thermal Resistance, Junction to Ambient	---	---	80	
$R_{\theta CS}^{\circledcirc}$	Thermal Resistance, Case to Heat Sink	---	0.50	---	K/W
$W_t$	Weight	---	2.0	---	g
		---	0.07	---	
	Mounting Torque	6.0	---	12	Kg-cm
		5.0	---	10	lbf-in

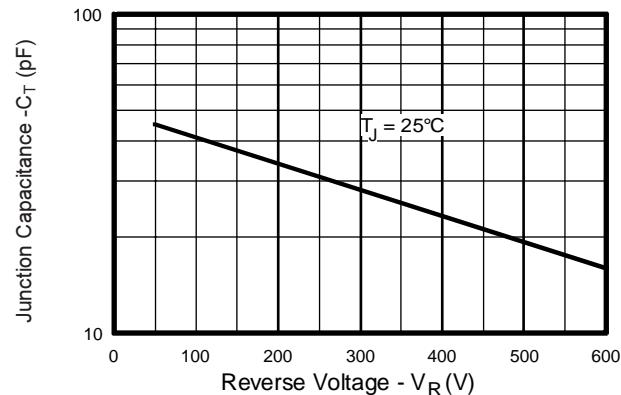
- ①  $L=100\mu\text{H}$ , duty cycle limited by max  $T_J$
- ② 0.063 in. from Case (1.6mm) for 10 sec
- ③ Typical Socket Mount
- ④ Mounting Surface, Flat, Smooth and Greased



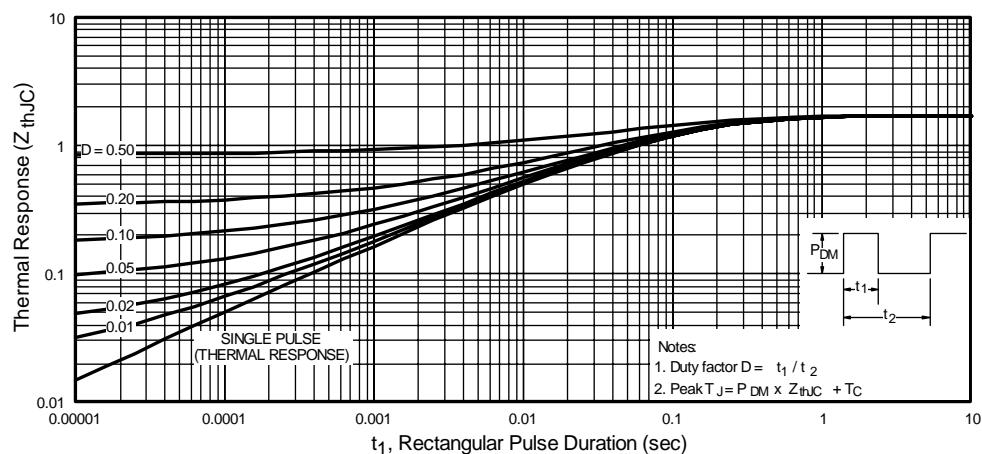
**Fig. 1 - Maximum Forward Voltage Drop vs. Instantaneous Forward Current, (per Leg)**



**Fig. 2 - Typical Reverse Current vs. Reverse Voltage, (per Leg)**



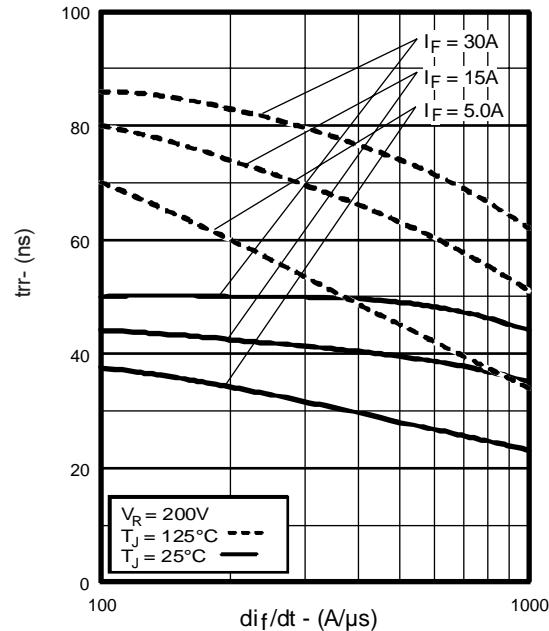
**Fig. 3 - Typical Junction Capacitance vs. Reverse Voltage, (per Leg)**



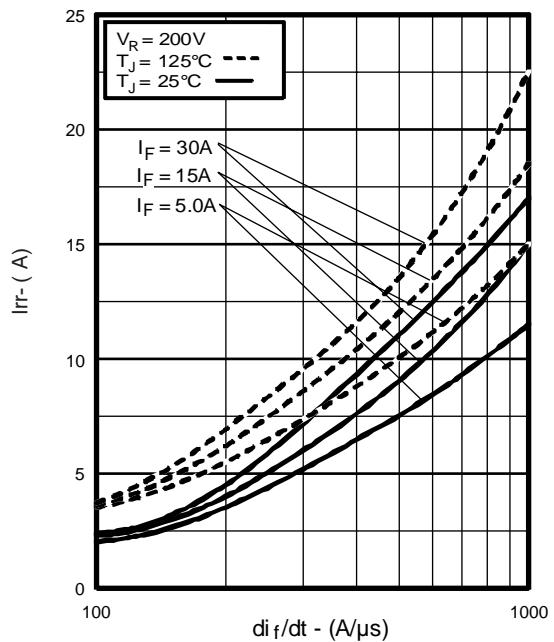
**Fig. 4 - Maximum Thermal Impedance  $Z_{thjc}$  Characteristics, (per Leg)**

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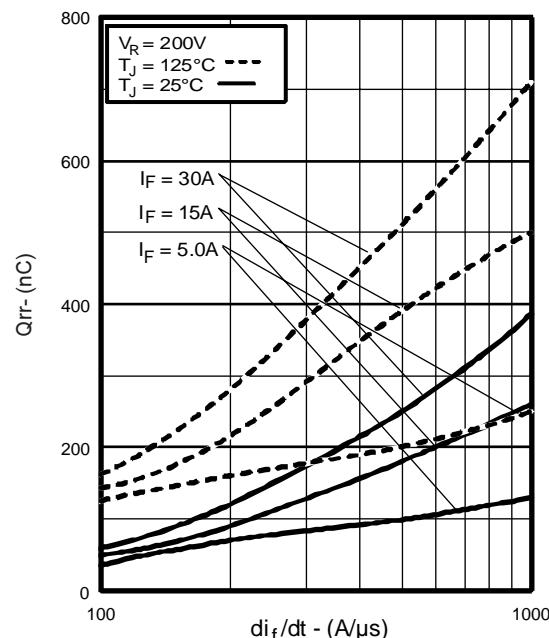
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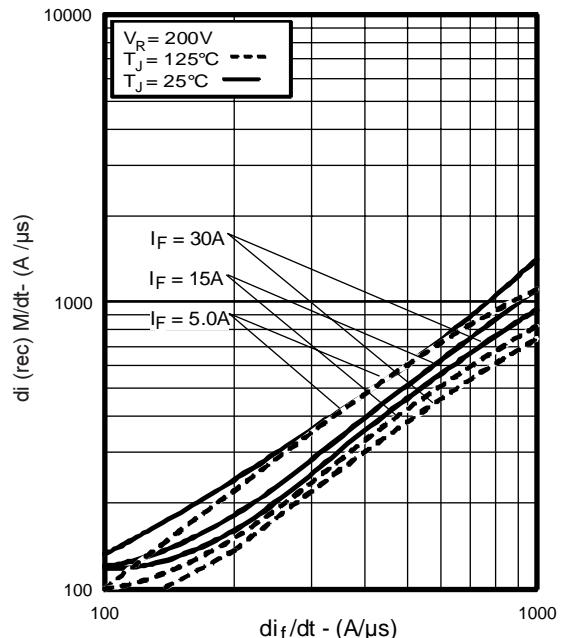
**Fig. 5 - Typical Reverse Recovery Time vs.  
 $di_f/dt$ , (per Leg)**



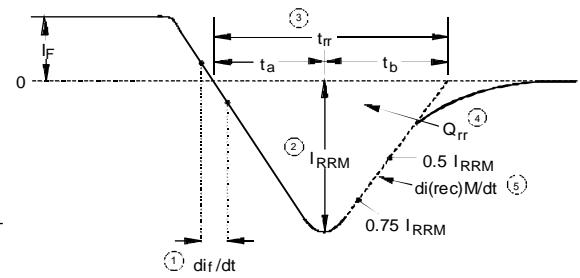
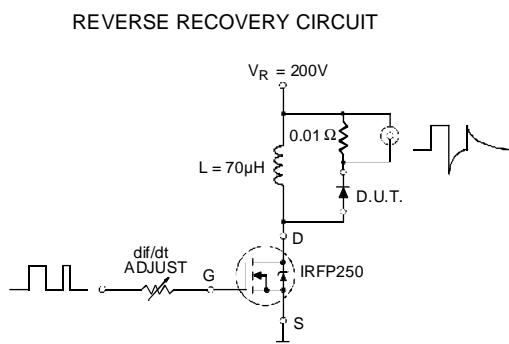
**Fig. 6 - Typical Recovery Current vs.  $di_f/dt$ ,  
(per Leg)**



**Fig. 7 - Typical Stored Charge vs.  $di_f/dt$ ,  
(per Leg)**



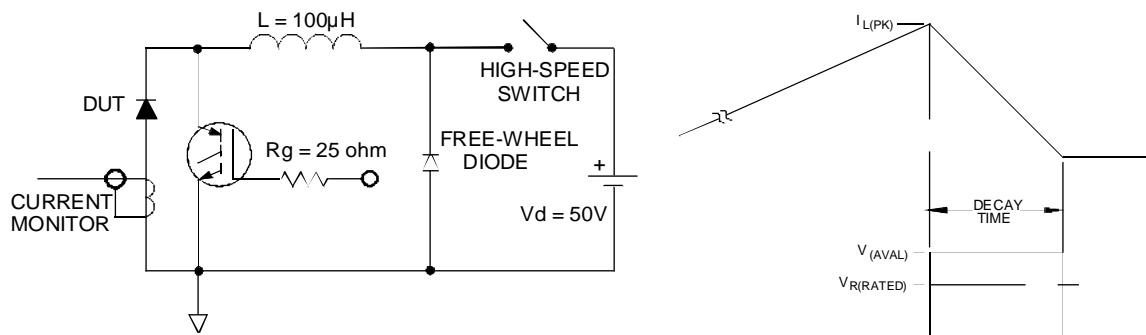
**Fig. 8 - Typical  $di_{(rec)M}/dt$  vs.  $di_f/dt$ ,  
(per Leg)**



1.  $\frac{di}{dt}$  - Rate of change of current through zero crossing
  2.  $I_{RRM}$  - Peak reverse recovery current
  3.  $t_{rr}$  - Reverse recovery time measured from zero crossing point of negative going  $I_F$  to point where a line passing through  $0.75 I_{RRM}$  and  $0.50 I_{RRM}$  extrapolated to zero current
  4.  $Q_{rr}$  - Area under curve defined by  $t_{rr}$  and  $I_{RRM}$
  5.  $\frac{di_{(rec)}M}{dt}$  - Peak rate of change of current during  $t_b$  portion of  $t_{rr}$
- $$Q_{rr} = \frac{t_{rr} \times I_{RRM}}{2}$$

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

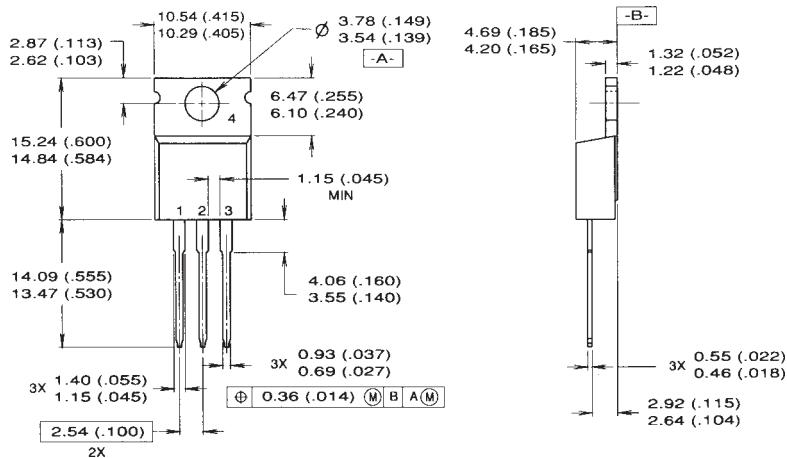
**Fig. 10 - Reverse Recovery Waveform and Definitions**



**Fig. 11 - Avalanche Test Circuit and Waveforms**

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