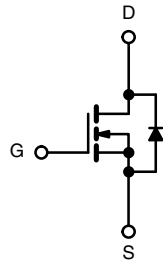
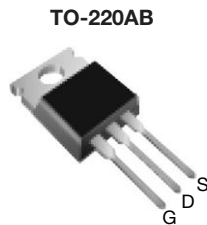


## Power MOSFET

PRODUCT SUMMARY	
$V_{DS}$ (V)	500
$R_{DS(on)}$ ( $\Omega$ )	$V_{GS} = 10\text{ V}$ 0.85
$Q_g$ (Max.) (nC)	63
$Q_{gs}$ (nC)	9.3
$Q_{gd}$ (nC)	32
Configuration	Single



N-Channel MOSFET

### FEATURES

- Dynamic  $dV/dt$  Rating
- Repetitive Avalanche Rated
- Fast Switching
- Ease of Paralleling
- Simple Drive Requirements
- Compliant to RoHS Directive 2002/95/EC


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### DESCRIPTION

Third generation Power MOSFETs from Vishay provide the designer with the best combination of fast switching, ruggedized device design, low on-resistance and cost-effectiveness.

The TO-220AB package is universally preferred for all commercial-industrial applications at power dissipation levels to approximately 50 W. The low thermal resistance and low package cost of the TO-220AB contribute to its wide acceptance throughout the industry.

ORDERING INFORMATION	
Package	TO-220AB
Lead (Pb)-free	IRF840PbF SiHF840-E3
SnPb	IRF840 SiHF840

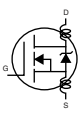

ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS ( $T_C = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ , unless otherwise noted)					
PARAMETER		SYMBOL	LIMIT	UNIT	
Drain-Source Voltage		$V_{DS}$	500	V	
Gate-Source Voltage		$V_{GS}$	$\pm 20$	V	
Continuous Drain Current	$V_{GS}$ at 10 V	$I_D$	$T_C = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	8.0	A
			$T_C = 100\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	5.1	
Pulsed Drain Current <sup>a</sup>		$I_{DM}$	32		
Linear Derating Factor			1.0	W/ $^\circ\text{C}$	
Single Pulse Avalanche Energy <sup>b</sup>		$E_{AS}$	510	mJ	
Repetitive Avalanche Current <sup>a</sup>		$I_{AR}$	8.0	A	
Repetitive Avalanche Energy <sup>a</sup>		$E_{AR}$	13	mJ	
Maximum Power Dissipation	$T_C = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	$P_D$	125	W	
Peak Diode Recovery $dV/dt^c$		$dV/dt$	3.5	V/ns	
Operating Junction and Storage Temperature Range		$T_J, T_{stg}$	- 55 to + 150	$^\circ\text{C}$	
Soldering Recommendations (Peak Temperature)	for 10 s		300 <sup>d</sup>		
Mounting Torque	6-32 or M3 screw		10	lbf · in	
			1.1	N · m	

#### Notes

- Repetitive rating; pulse width limited by maximum junction temperature (see fig. 11).
- $V_{DD} = 50\text{ V}$ , starting  $T_J = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ,  $L = 14\text{ mH}$ ,  $R_g = 25\text{ }\Omega$ ,  $I_{AS} = 8.0\text{ A}$  (see fig. 12).
- $I_{SD} \leq 8.0\text{ A}$ ,  $dI/dt \leq 100\text{ A}/\mu\text{s}$ ,  $V_{DD} \leq V_{DS}$ ,  $T_J \leq 150\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ .
- 1.6 mm from case.

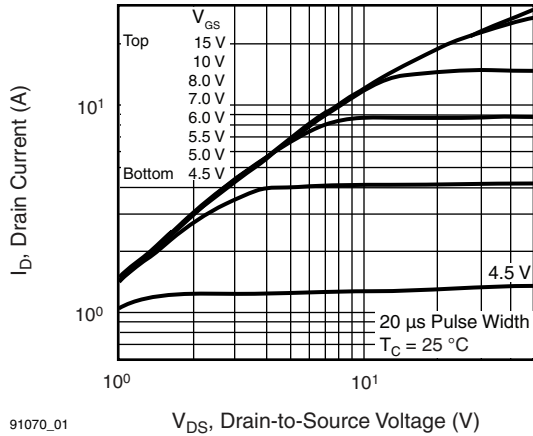
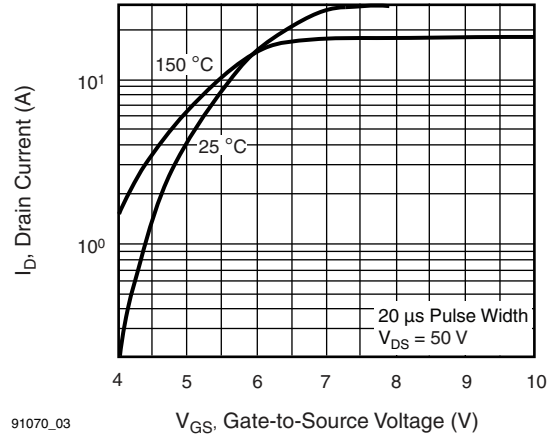
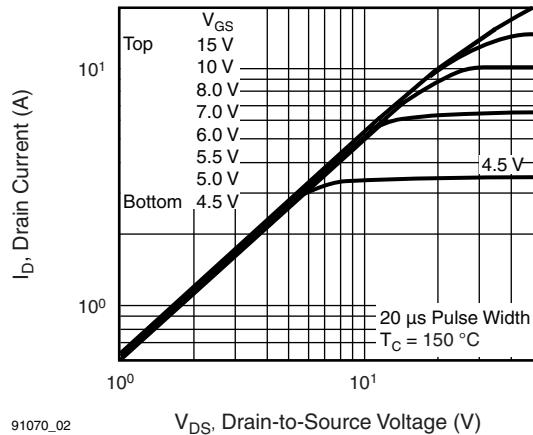
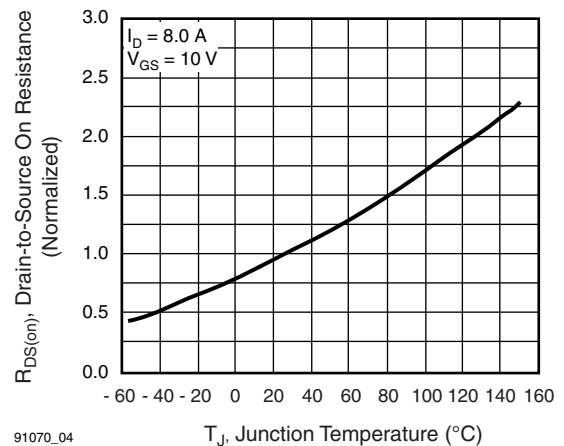
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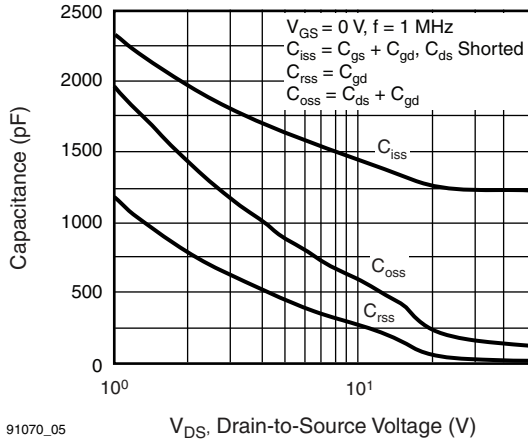
THERMAL RESISTANCE RATINGS				
PARAMETER	SYMBOL	TYP.	MAX.	UNIT
Maximum Junction-to-Ambient	$R_{thJA}$	-	62	°C/W
Case-to-Sink, Flat, Greased Surface	$R_{thCS}$	0.50	-	
Maximum Junction-to-Case (Drain)	$R_{thJC}$	-	1.0	

SPECIFICATIONS ( $T_J = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ , unless otherwise noted)						
PARAMETER	SYMBOL	TEST CONDITIONS	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	UNIT
<b>Static</b>						
Drain-Source Breakdown Voltage	$V_{DS}$	$V_{GS} = 0\text{ V}, I_D = 250\text{ }\mu\text{A}$	500	-	-	V
$V_{DS}$ Temperature Coefficient	$\Delta V_{DS}/T_J$	Reference to $25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ , $I_D = 1\text{ mA}$	-	0.78	-	V/°C
Gate-Source Threshold Voltage	$V_{GS(th)}$	$V_{DS} = V_{GS}, I_D = 250\text{ }\mu\text{A}$	2.0	-	4.0	V
Gate-Source Leakage	$I_{GSS}$	$V_{GS} = \pm 20\text{ V}$	-	-	$\pm 100$	nA
Zero Gate Voltage Drain Current	$I_{DSS}$	$V_{DS} = 500\text{ V}, V_{GS} = 0\text{ V}$	-	-	25	$\mu\text{A}$
		$V_{DS} = 400\text{ V}, V_{GS} = 0\text{ V}, T_J = 125\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$	-	-	250	
Drain-Source On-State Resistance	$R_{DS(on)}$	$V_{GS} = 10\text{ V}, I_D = 4.8\text{ A}^b$	-	-	0.85	$\Omega$
Forward Transconductance	$g_{fs}$	$V_{DS} = 50\text{ V}, I_D = 4.8\text{ A}^b$	4.9	-	-	S
<b>Dynamic</b>						
Input Capacitance	$C_{iss}$	$V_{GS} = 0\text{ V},$ $V_{DS} = 25\text{ V},$ $f = 1.0\text{ MHz}$ , see fig. 5	-	1300	-	pF
Output Capacitance	$C_{oss}$		-	310	-	
Reverse Transfer Capacitance	$C_{rss}$		-	120	-	
Total Gate Charge	$Q_g$	$V_{GS} = 10\text{ V},$ $I_D = 8\text{ A}, V_{DS} = 400\text{ V},$ see fig. 6 and 13 <sup>b</sup>	-	-	63	nC
Gate-Source Charge	$Q_{gs}$		-	-	9.3	
Gate-Drain Charge	$Q_{gd}$		-	-	32	
Turn-On Delay Time	$t_{d(on)}$	$V_{DD} = 250\text{ V}, I_D = 8\text{ A}$ $R_g = 9.1\text{ }\Omega, R_D = 31\text{ }\Omega$ , see fig. 10 <sup>b</sup>	-	14	-	ns
Rise Time	$t_r$		-	23	-	
Turn-Off Delay Time	$t_{d(off)}$		-	49	-	
Fall Time	$t_f$		-	20	-	
Internal Drain Inductance	$L_D$	Between lead, 6 mm (0.25") from package and center of die contact 	-	4.5	-	nH
Internal Source Inductance	$L_S$		-	7.5	-	
<b>Drain-Source Body Diode Characteristics</b>						
Continuous Source-Drain Diode Current	$I_S$	MOSFET symbol showing the integral reverse p - n junction diode 	-	-	8.0	A
Pulsed Diode Forward Current <sup>a</sup>	$I_{SM}$		-	-	32	
Body Diode Voltage	$V_{SD}$	$T_J = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}, I_S = 8\text{ A}, V_{GS} = 0\text{ V}^b$	-	-	2.0	V
Body Diode Reverse Recovery Time	$t_{rr}$	$T_J = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}, I_F = 8\text{ A}, dI/dt = 100\text{ A}/\mu\text{s}^b$	-	460	970	ns
Body Diode Reverse Recovery Charge	$Q_{rr}$		-	4.2	8.9	$\mu\text{C}$
Forward Turn-On Time	$t_{on}$	Intrinsic turn-on time is negligible (turn-on is dominated by $L_S$ and $L_D$ )				

**Notes**

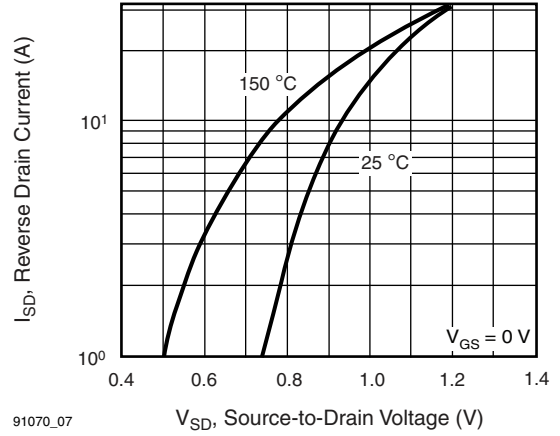
- a. Repetitive rating; pulse width limited by maximum junction temperature (see fig. 11).
- b. Pulse width  $\leq 300\text{ }\mu\text{s}$ ; duty cycle  $\leq 2\%$ .

**TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS** (25 °C, unless otherwise noted)

**Fig. 1 - Typical Output Characteristics,  $T_C = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$** 

**Fig. 3 - Typical Transfer Characteristics**

**Fig. 2 - Typical Output Characteristics,  $T_C = 150\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$** 

**Fig. 4 - Normalized On-Resistance vs. Temperature**



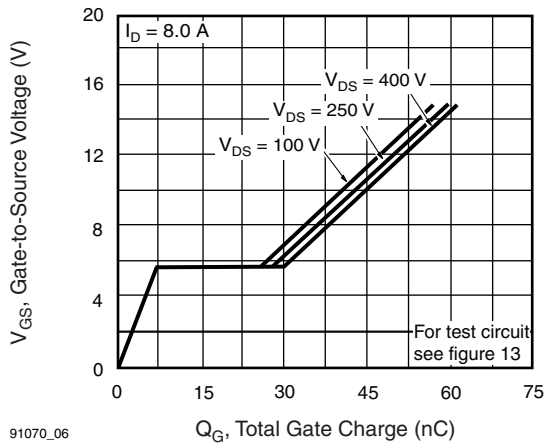
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Fig. 5 - Typical Capacitance vs. Drain-to-Source Voltage



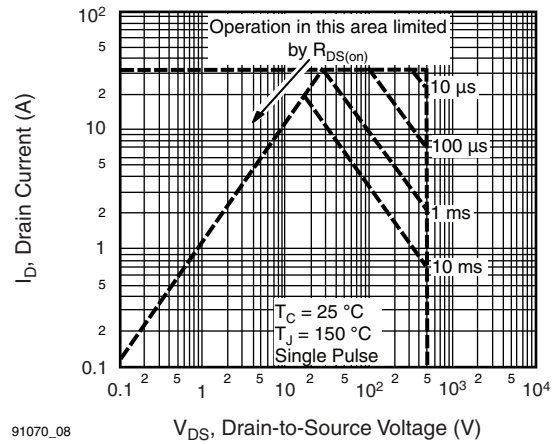
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Fig. 7 - Typical Source-Drain Diode Forward Voltage



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Fig. 6 - Typical Gate Charge vs. Drain-to-Source Voltage



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Fig. 8 - Maximum Safe Operating Area

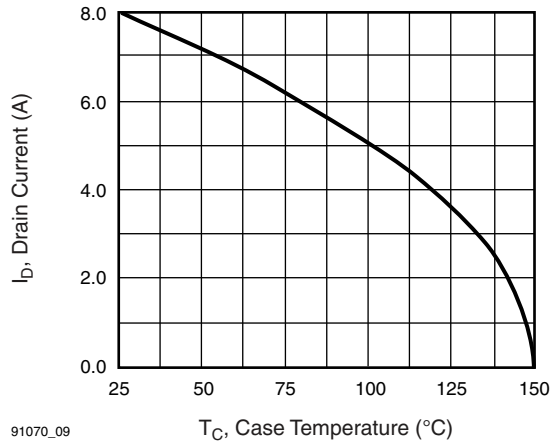


Fig. 9 - Maximum Drain Current vs. Case Temperature

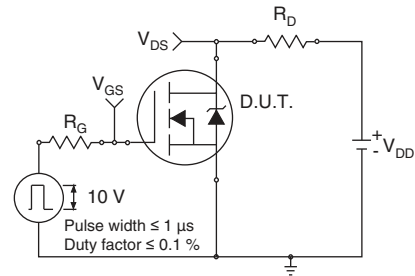


Fig. 10a - Switching Time Test Circuit

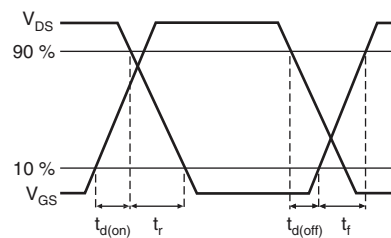


Fig. 10b - Switching Time Waveforms

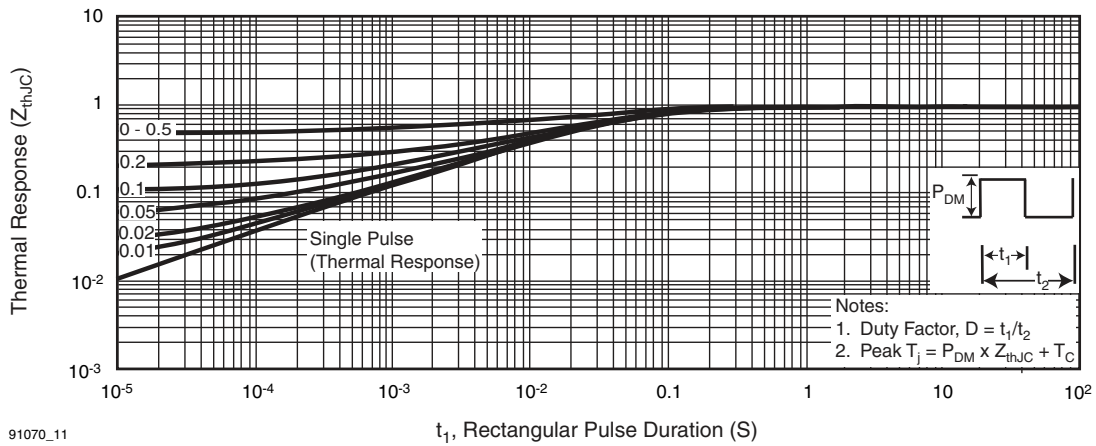


Fig. 11 - Maximum Effective Transient Thermal Impedance, Junction-to-Case

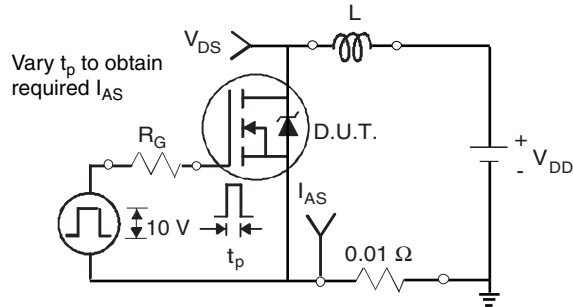


Fig. 12a - Unclamped Inductive Test Circuit

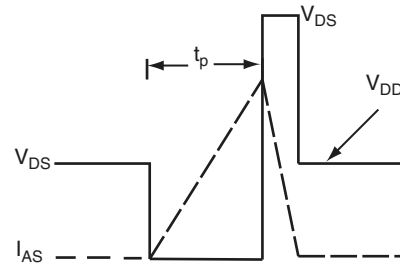
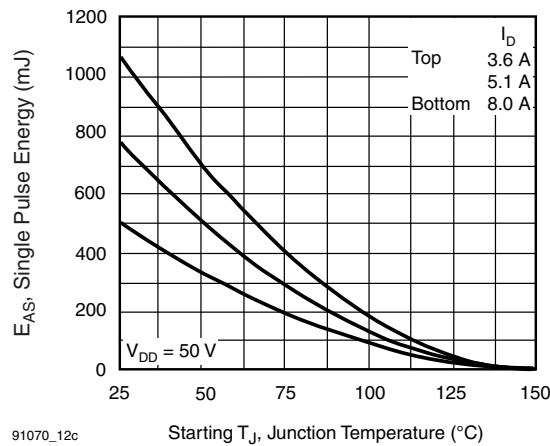


Fig. 12b - Unclamped Inductive Waveforms



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Fig. 12c - Maximum Avalanche Energy vs. Drain Current

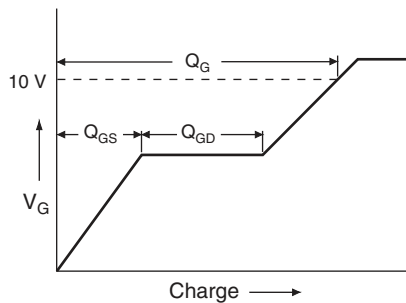


Fig. 13a - Basic Gate Charge Waveform

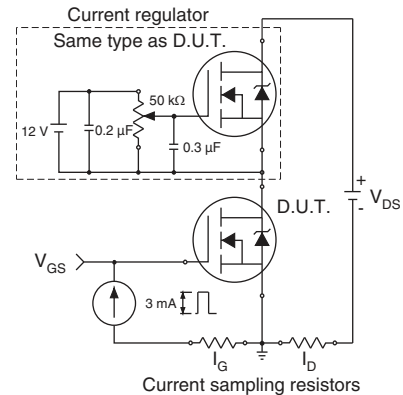
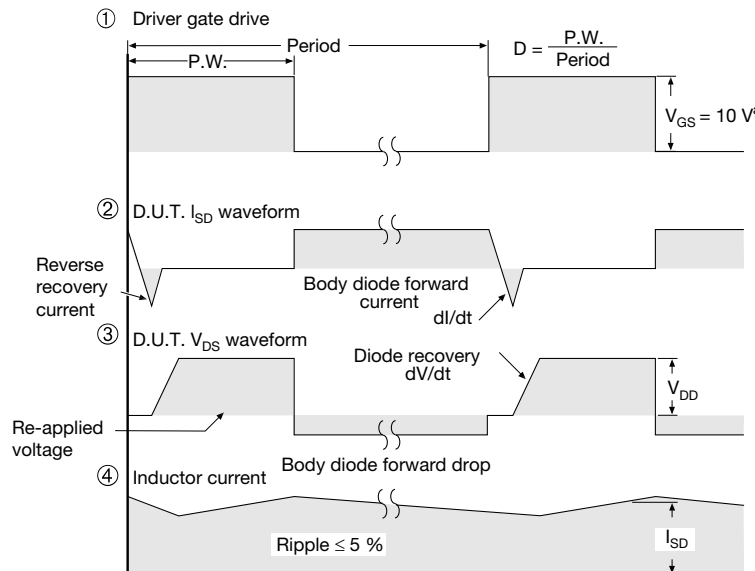
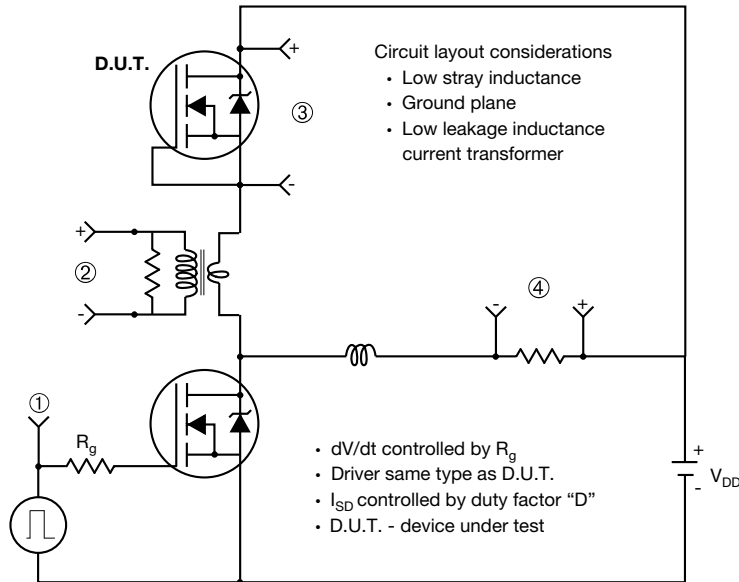


Fig. 13b - Gate Charge Test Circuit

### Peak Diode Recovery dV/dt Test Circuit



**Note**

a.  $V_{GS} = 5 V$  for logic level devices

**Fig. 14 - For N-Channel**

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