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TEL:805-498-2111 FAX:805-498-3804 WEB:<http://www.semtech.com>**HIGH DENSITY, HIGH VOLTAGE, STANDARD  
RECOVERY RECTIFIER ASSEMBLY**

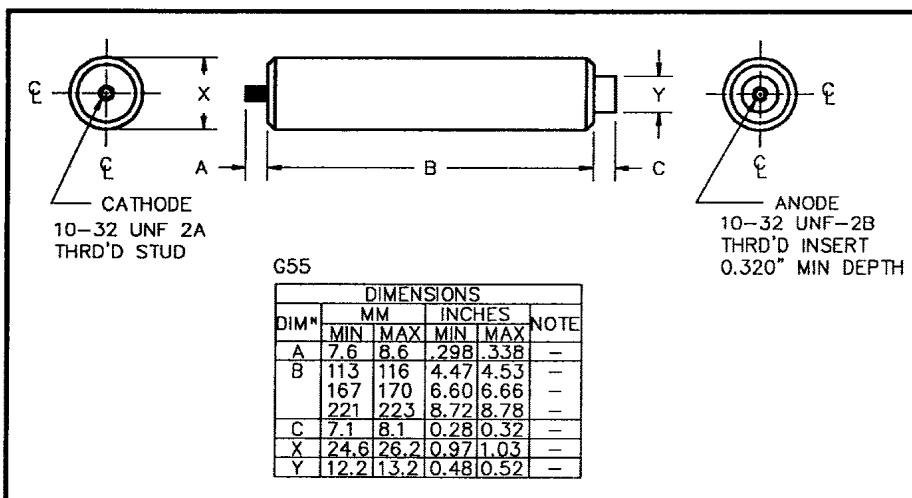
- High reverse voltages
- Low reverse leakage current
- Low distributed and ground capacitance
- Corona free design
- Air or oil environments

**QUICK REFERENCE  
DATA**

- $V_R = 12\text{kV} - 25\text{kV}$
- $I_F = 1.0\text{A}$
- $t_{rr} = 2.0\mu\text{s}$
- $I_R = 1.0\mu\text{A}$

**ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS**

|  | Symbol      | SCKV12K40   | SCKV18K40   | SCKV25K40   | Unit   |
|--|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------|
| Working reverse voltage  | $V_{RWM}$   | 12          | 18          | 25          | kV     |
| Surge reverse voltage  | $V_{RSM}$   | 13.2        | 19.8        | 27.5        | kV     |
| Average forward current<br>in air @ 25°C                                 | $I_{F(AV)}$ | 1.0         | 1.0         | 1.0         | A      |
| in oil @ 55°C  |             | 3.0         | 3.0         | 3.0         | A      |
| in forced air 600 CFM  |             | 2.0         | 2.0         | 2.0         | A      |
| Non-repetitive surge current<br>$t_p = 8.3\text{mS}, @ 25^\circ\text{C}$ | $I_{FSM}$   | 150         | 150         | 150         | A      |
| Storage temperature range  | $T_{STG}$   | -55 to +150 | -55 to +150 | -55 to +150 | °C     |
| Operating temperature range  | $T_{OP}$    | -55 to +150 | -55 to +150 | -55 to +150 | °C     |
| Body length Max.   | dim B       | 4.53        | 6.66        | 8.78        | inches |

**MECHANICAL**

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## ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

|   | Symbol   | SCKV12K40 | SCKV18K40 | SCKV25K40 | Unit    |
|---|----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------|
| Max. forward voltage drop<br>@ $I_F = 3.0A$ , $T_j = 25^\circ C$                                      | $V_F$    | 12.0      | 19.0      | 25.0      | V       |
| Max. reverse leakage current<br>@ $V_{RWM}$ , $T_j = 25^\circ C$<br>@ $V_{RWM}$ , $T_j = 100^\circ C$ | $I_R$    | 1.0       | 20        |           | $\mu A$ |
| Max. reverse recovery time <sup>1</sup><br>0.5A $I_F$ to 1.0A $I_R$ .<br>Recover to 0.25A $I_{RR}$ .  | $t_{rr}$ | 2.0       |           |           | $\mu S$ |
| Max. fusing current<br>$t_p = 8.3ms$  | $I^2t$   | 92        |           |           | $A^2S$  |

1. Measured on discrete devices prior to assembly

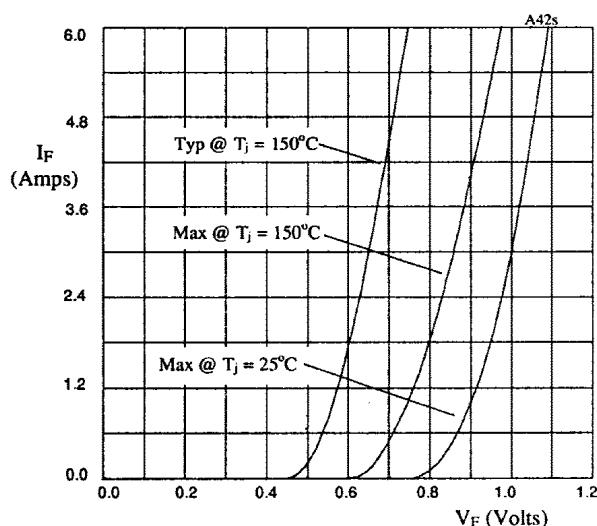


Fig 1. Forward voltage drop as a function of forward current for use with multiplication table.

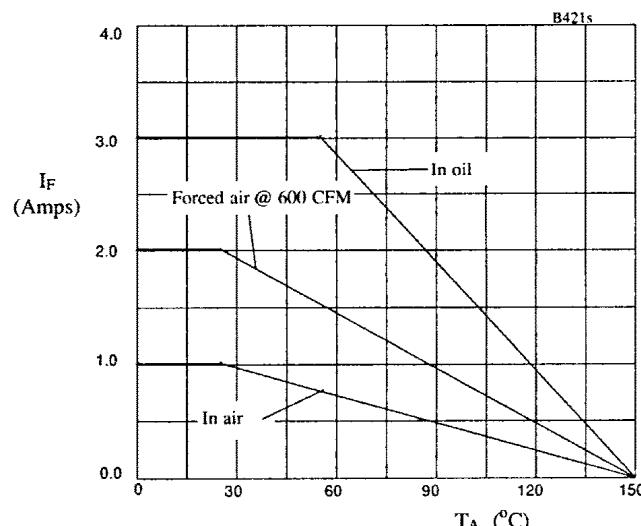


Fig 2. Maximum average forward current against ambient temperature.

Multiplication tables for fig 1.

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|-----------|------------|
| SCKV12K40 | X-axis x12 |
| SCKV18K40 | X-axis x19 |
| SCKV25K40 | X-axis x25 |