



**Series  
TL233-500**

**Avalanche Press-Pack Thyristor  
Type TL233-500**

Center amplifying gate

Guaranteed avalanche power dissipation in reverse direction

Designed for traction and industrial applications

Maximum mean on-state current	ITAV <b>500 A</b>					
Maximum repetitive peak off-state and reverse voltage	UDRM <b>600 ÷ 1100 V</b>					
Turn-off time	tq <b>80; 100; 125 µs</b>					
UDRM, URRM, V	600	700	800	900	1000	1100
Voltage code	6	7	8	9	10	11
Tvj, °C	- 60 ÷ 140					

**MAXIMUM ALLOWABLE RATINGS**

Symbols and parameters		Units	TL233-500	Conditions
ITAV	Mean on-state current	A	500 850	Tc=102 °C, Tc=55 °C 180° half-sine wave, 50 Hz
ITRMS	RMS on-state current	A	785	Tc=102 °C
ITSM	Surge on-state current	kA	9,0 10,0	Tvj=140°C Tvj=25°C
I <sup>2</sup> t	Limiting load integral	kA <sup>2</sup> s	405 500	Tvj=140°C Tvj=25°C
UDRM,URRM	Repetitive peak off-state and reverse voltage	V	600÷1100	Tj min≤Tvj≤Tjm 180° half-sine wave, 50 Hz Gate open
UDSM,URSM	Non-repetitive peak off-state and reverse voltage	V	660÷1210	Tj min≤Tvj≤Tjm 180° half-sine wave tp=10 ms, Single pulse Gate open
(di/dt) crit	Critical rate of rise of on-state current : non - repetitive repetitive	A/µs	250 125	Tvj=140°C ; UD=0,67 UDRM, Gate pulse : 10V, 5 Ω, 1µs rise time, 10 µs
URGM	Peak reverse gate voltage	V	5	Tj min≤Tvj≤Tjm
PRSM	Surge reverse power dissipation	kW	40	Tvj=140°C; tp = 10µs 180° half-sine wave
Tstg	Storage temperature	°C	-60÷80	
Tvj	Junction temperature	°C	-60÷140	

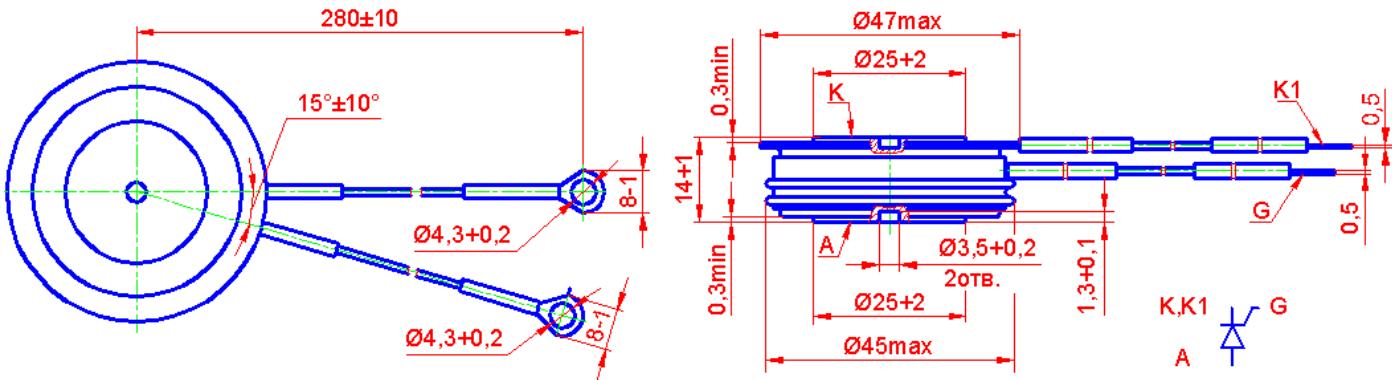
**CHARACTERISTICS**

UTM	Peak on-state voltage	V	1,9	Tvj=25°C, ITM=3,14 ITAV
UT(TO)	Threshold voltage	V	0,9	Tvj=140°C
RT	On-state slope resistance	mΩ	0,63	1,57 ITAV < IT < 4,71 ITAV
IDRM IRRM	Repetitive peak off-state and reverse current	mA	35 35	Tvj=140°C, UD = UDRM UR = URRM

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I <sub>L</sub>	Latching current	A	0,7	Tvj=25°C, UD=12V Gate pulse : 10V, 5Ω, 1 µs rise time, 10µs
I <sub>H</sub>	Holding current	A	0,3	Tvj=25°C, UD=12V, Gate open
UGT	Gate trigger direct voltage	V	2,5 5,0	Tvj=25°C, Tvj=-60°C UD=12V
IGT	Gate trigger direct current	A	0,3 0,85	Tvj=25°C, Tvj=-60°C
UGD	Gate non-trigger direct voltage	V	0,4	Tvj=140°C, UD = 0,67 U <sub>DRM</sub>
IGD	Gate non-trigger direct current	mA	6	Direct gate current
t <sub>gd</sub>	Delay time	µs	1,6	Tvj=25°C, UD=500V IT <sub>M</sub> = 500 A
t <sub>gt</sub>	Turn-on time	µs	3,2	Gate pulse : 10V, 5Ω, 1 µs rise time, 10µs
t <sub>q</sub>	Turn-off time	µs	80÷125	Tvj=140°C, IT <sub>M</sub> =500 A di <sub>R</sub> /dt =10 A/µs, U <sub>R</sub> =100V U <sub>D</sub> = 0,67 U <sub>DRM</sub> du <sub>D</sub> /dt=50 V/µs
Q <sub>rr</sub>	Recovered charge	µC	780	Tvj=140°C, IT <sub>M</sub> =500 A di <sub>R</sub> /dt =10 A/µs, U <sub>R</sub> =100V
t <sub>rr</sub>	Reverse recovery time	µs	6	
I <sub>rrm</sub>	Peak reverse recovery current	A	260	
(dUD/dt) <sub>crit</sub>	Critical rate of rise of off-state voltage	V/µs	500 1000	Tvj=140°C, UD = 0,67 U <sub>DRM</sub> Gate open
R <sub>thjc</sub>	Thermal resistance junction to case	°C/W	0,045	Direct current, double side cooled

ORDERING						
TL	233	500	11	7	4	
1	2	3	4	5	6	

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| 1. Avalanche thyristor<br>2. Design version<br>3. Mean on-state current, A.<br>4. Voltage code (11=1100 V) | 5. Critical rate of rise of off-state voltage ( $6 \geq 500 \text{ V}/\mu\text{s}$ ,<br>$7 \geq 1000 \text{ V}/\mu\text{s}$ )<br>6. Group of turn-off time ( $\text{d}u_D/\text{d}t = 50 \text{ V}/\mu\text{s}$ , $X2 \leq 125 \mu\text{s}$ ,<br>$4 \leq 100 \mu\text{s}$ , $B3 \leq 80 \mu\text{s}$ , 0-not limited) |
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Tightening torque :  $9 \div 12$  kN  
Weight : 120 grams