

# Zener diode

## Features

1. High reliability
2. Very sharp reverse characteristic
3. Low reverse current level
4.  $V_z$ -tolerance  $\pm 5\%$



## Applications

Voltage stabilization

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

$T_j=25^\circ\text{C}$

| Parameter                 | Test Conditions                             | Type | Symbol           | Value     | Unit             |
|---------------------------|---------------------------------------------|------|------------------|-----------|------------------|
| Power dissipation         | $T_{\text{amb}} \leqslant 50^\circ\text{C}$ |      | $P_V$            | 1         | W                |
| Z-current                 |                                             |      | $I_Z$            | $P_V/V_Z$ | mA               |
| Junction temperature      |                                             |      | $T_j$            | 200       | $^\circ\text{C}$ |
| Storage temperature range |                                             |      | $T_{\text{stg}}$ | -65~+175  | $^\circ\text{C}$ |

## Maximum Thermal Resistance

$T_j=25^\circ\text{C}$

| Parameter        | Test Conditions                              | Symbol            | Value | Unit |
|------------------|----------------------------------------------|-------------------|-------|------|
| Junction ambient | $I=9.5\text{mm}(3/8")$ $T_L=\text{constant}$ | $R_{\text{thJA}}$ | 100   | K/W  |

## Electrical Characteristics

$T_j=25^\circ\text{C}$

| Parameter       | Test Conditions    | Type | Symbol | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
|-----------------|--------------------|------|--------|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Forward voltage | $I_F=200\text{mA}$ |      | $V_F$  |     |     | 1.2 | V    |

| Type    | $V_{Z_{nom}}^1)$ | $I_{ZT}$ | for | $r_{zIT}$ | $r_{zIK}$ | at | $I_{ZK}$ | $I_R$   | at | $V_R$ |
|---------|------------------|----------|-----|-----------|-----------|----|----------|---------|----|-------|
|         | V                | mA       |     | $\Omega$  | $\Omega$  |    | mA       | $\mu A$ |    | V     |
| 1N4728A | 3.3              | 76       |     | <10       | <400      |    | 1        | <100    |    | 1     |
| 1N4729A | 3.6              | 69       |     | <10       | <400      |    | 1        | <100    |    | 1     |
| 1N4730A | 3.9              | 64       |     | <9        | <400      |    | 1        | <50     |    | 1     |
| 1N4731A | 4.3              | 58       |     | <9        | <400      |    | 1        | <10     |    | 1     |
| 1N4732A | 4.7              | 53       |     | <8        | <500      |    | 1        | <10     |    | 1     |
| 1N4733A | 5.1              | 49       |     | <7        | <550      |    | 1        | <10     |    | 1     |
| 1N4734A | 5.6              | 45       |     | <5        | <600      |    | 1        | <10     |    | 2     |
| 1N4735A | 6.2              | 41       |     | <2        | <700      |    | 1        | <10     |    | 3     |
| 1N4736A | 6.8              | 37       |     | <3.5      | <700      |    | 1        | <10     |    | 4     |
| 1N4737A | 7.5              | 34       |     | <4.0      | <700      |    | 0.5      | <10     |    | 5     |
| 1N4738A | 8.2              | 31       |     | <4.5      | <700      |    | 0.5      | <10     |    | 6     |
| 1N4739A | 9.1              | 28       |     | <5.0      | <700      |    | 0.5      | <10     |    | 7     |
| 1N4740A | 10               | 25       |     | <7        | <700      |    | 0.25     | <10     |    | 7.6   |
| 1N4741A | 11               | 23       |     | <8        | <700      |    | 0.25     | <5      |    | 8.4   |
| 1N4742A | 12               | 21       |     | <9        | <700      |    | 0.25     | <5      |    | 9.1   |
| 1N4743A | 13               | 19       |     | <10       | <700      |    | 0.25     | <5      |    | 9.9   |
| 1N4744A | 15               | 17       |     | <14       | <700      |    | 0.25     | <5      |    | 11.4  |
| 1N4745A | 16               | 15.5     |     | <16       | <700      |    | 0.25     | <5      |    | 12.2  |
| 1N4746A | 18               | 14       |     | <20       | <750      |    | 0.25     | <5      |    | 13.7  |
| 1N4747A | 20               | 12.5     |     | <22       | <750      |    | 0.25     | <5      |    | 15.2  |
| 1N4748A | 22               | 11.5     |     | <23       | <750      |    | 0.25     | <5      |    | 16.7  |
| 1N4749A | 24               | 10.5     |     | <25       | <750      |    | 0.25     | <5      |    | 18.2  |
| 1N4750A | 27               | 9.5      |     | <35       | <750      |    | 0.25     | <5      |    | 20.6  |
| 1N4751A | 30               | 8.5      |     | <40       | <1000     |    | 0.25     | <5      |    | 22.8  |
| 1N4752A | 33               | 7.5      |     | <45       | <1000     |    | 0.25     | <5      |    | 25.1  |
| 1N4753A | 36               | 7.0      |     | <50       | <1000     |    | 0.25     | <5      |    | 27.4  |
| 1N4754A | 39               | 6.5      |     | <60       | <1000     |    | 0.25     | <5      |    | 29.7  |
| 1N4755A | 43               | 6.0      |     | <70       | <1500     |    | 0.25     | <5      |    | 32.7  |
| 1N4756A | 47               | 5.5      |     | <80       | <1500     |    | 0.25     | <5      |    | 35.8  |
| 1N4757A | 51               | 5.0      |     | <95       | <1500     |    | 0.25     | <5      |    | 38.8  |
| 1N4758A | 56               | 4.5      |     | <110      | <2000     |    | 0.25     | <5      |    | 42.6  |
| 1N4759A | 62               | 4.0      |     | <125      | <2000     |    | 0.25     | <5      |    | 47.1  |
| 1N4760A | 68               | 3.7      |     | <150      | <2000     |    | 0.25     | <5      |    | 51.7  |
| 1N4761A | 75               | 3.3      |     | <175      | <2000     |    | 0.25     | <5      |    | 56    |

1) Based on DC-measurement at thermal equilibrium while maintaining the lead temperature( $T_L$ )at 30°C, 9.5mm(3/8") from the diode body.

## Characteristics ( $T_j=25^\circ\text{C}$ unless otherwise specified)

| Symbol   | Parameter                          |
|----------|------------------------------------|
| $V_z$    | Reverse zener voltage @ $I_{ZT}$   |
| $I_{ZT}$ | Reverse current                    |
| $Z_{ZT}$ | Maximum zener impedance @ $I_{ZT}$ |
| $I_{ZK}$ | Reverse current                    |
| $Z_{ZK}$ | Maximum zener impedance @ $I_{ZK}$ |
| $I_R$    | Reverse leakage current @ $V_R$    |
| $V_R$    | Breakdown voltage                  |
| $I_F$    | Forward current                    |
| $V_F$    | Forward voltage @ $I_F$            |

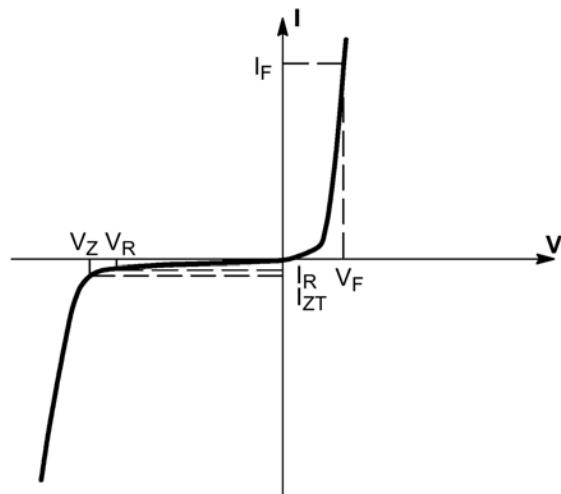


Figure 1. Zener voltage regulator

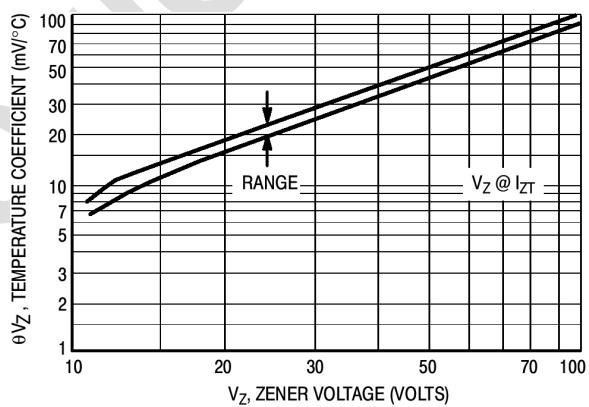
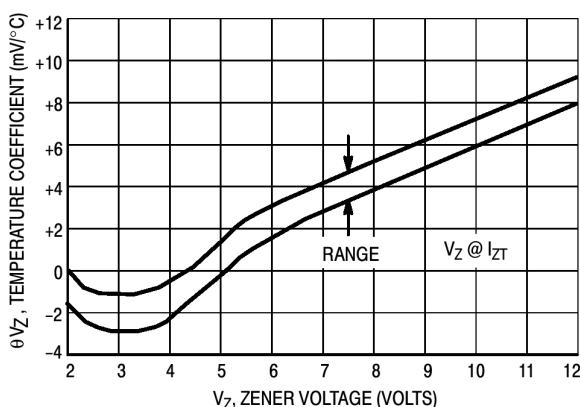


Figure 2. Temperature coefficients

(-55°C to +150°C temperature range; 90% of the units are in the ranges indicated.)

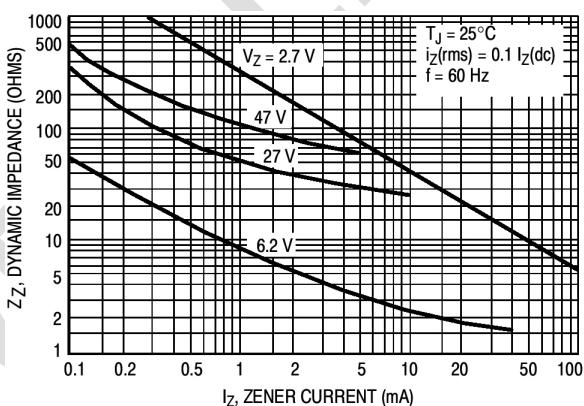


Figure 3. Effect of zener current on zener impedance

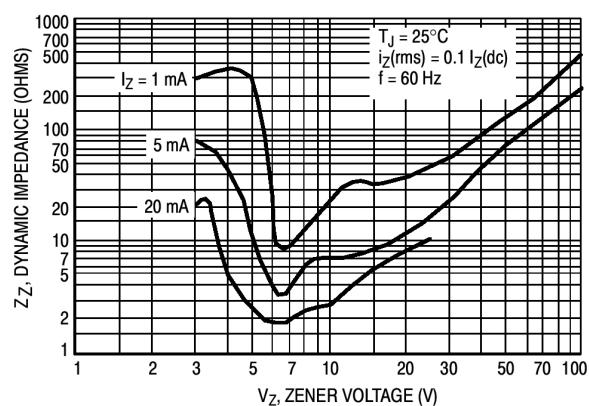
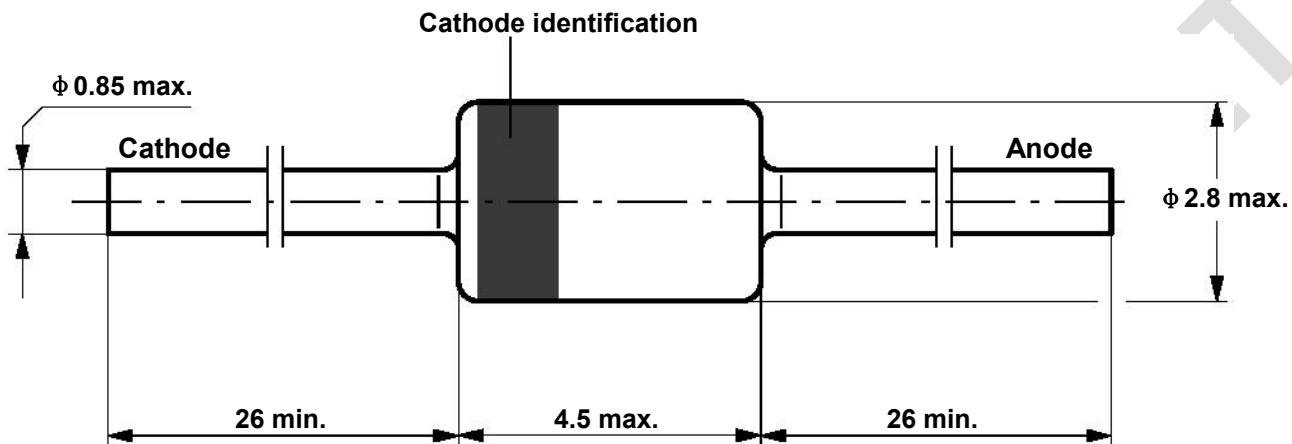


Figure 4. Effect of zener voltage on zener impedance

## Dimensions in mm



Standard Glass Case  
JEDEC DO 41