

**N-Channel Enhancement-Mode  
Power Field-Effect Transistor**

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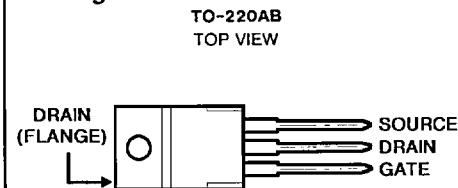
**Features**

- 4.5A, 500V
- $r_{DS(on)} = 1.5\Omega$
- SOA is Power-Dissipation Limited
- Nanosecond Switching Speeds
- Linear Transfer Characteristics
- High Input Impedance
- Majority Carrier Device

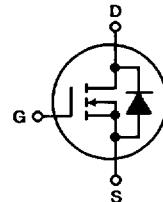
**Description**

The BUZ41A is an n-channel enhancement-mode silicon-gate power field-effect transistor designed for applications such as switching regulators, switching converters, motor drivers, relay drivers, and drivers for high-power bipolar switching transistors requiring high speed and low gate-drive power. This type can be operated directly from integrated circuits.

The BUZ41A is supplied in the JEDEC TO-220AB plastic package.

**Package**

**Terminal Diagram**

N-CHANNEL ENHANCEMENT MODE


**Absolute Maximum Ratings** ( $T_C = +25^\circ C$ ), Unless Otherwise Specified

	<b>BUZ41A</b>	<b>UNITS</b>
Drain-Source Voltage .....	$V_{DS}$	V
Drain-Gate Voltage ( $R_{GS} = 20k\Omega$ ) .....	$V_{DGR}$	V
Continuous Drain Current $T_C = +35^\circ C$ .....	$I_D$	A
Pulsed Drain Current $T_C = +25^\circ C$ .....	$I_{DM}$	A
Gate-Source Voltage .....	$V_{GS}$	V
Maximum Power Dissipation $T_C = +25^\circ C$ .....	$P_D$	W
Operating and Storage Junction Temperature Range .....	$T_J, T_{STG}$	$^\circ C$
DIN Humidity Category - DIN 40040 .....	E	
IEC Climatic Category - DIN IEC 68-1 .....	55/150/56	

# Specifications BUZ41A

**ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS** At Case Temperature ( $T_C = 25^\circ C$ ) Unless Otherwise Specified

CHARACTERISTIC	TEST CONDITIONS	LIMITS			UNITS
		MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	
Drain-Source Breakdown Voltage $BV_{DSS}$	$V_{GS} = 0 V$ $I_D = 0.25 \text{ mA}$	500	—	—	V
Gate-Threshold Voltage $V_{GTH}$	$V_{DS} = V_{GS}$ $I_D = 1 \text{ mA}$	2.1	3	4	
Zero-Gate Voltage Drain Current $I_{DS(0)}$	$T_i = 25^\circ C$ $T_i = 125^\circ C$ $V_{DS} = 500 V, V_{GS} = 0 V$	—	20 100	250 1000	$\mu\text{A}$
Gate-Source Leakage Current $I_{GS}$	$V_{GS} = 20 V$ $V_{DS} = 0 V$	—	10	100	nA
Drain-Source On Resistance $r_{DS(on)}$	$V_{GS} = 10 V$ $I_D = 2.5 \text{ A}$	—	1.4	1.5	$\Omega$
Forward Transconductance $g_{fs}$	$V_{DS} = 25 V$ $I_D = 2.5 \text{ A}$	1.5	2.5	—	S
Input Capacitance $C_{iss}$	$V_{GS} = 0 V$	—	1500	2000	pF
Output Capacitance $C_{oss}$	$V_{DS} = 25 V$	—	110	170	
Reverse Transfer Capacitance $C_{rss}$	$f = 1 \text{ MHz}$	—	40	70	
Turn-On Time $t_{on}$ ( $t_{on} = t_{d(on)} + t_r$ )	$t_{d(on)}$	—	30	45	ns
Turn-Off Time $t_{off}$ ( $t_{off} = t_{d(off)} + t_r$ )	$t_{d(off)}$	—	40	60	
Thermal Resistance, Junction-to-Case $R_{AJC}$	$V_{CC} = 30 V$ $I_D = 2.6 \text{ A}$	—	110	140	
Thermal Resistance, Junction-to-Ambient $R_{AJA}$	$R_{GS} = 50 \Omega$	—	50	65	
				$\leq 1.67$	$^\circ\text{C}/\text{W}$
				$\leq 75$	

## SOURCE-DRAIN DIODE RATINGS AND CHARACTERISTICS

CHARACTERISTIC	TEST CONDITIONS	LIMITS			UNITS
		MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	
Continuous Reverse Drain Current $I_{DR}$	$T_C = 25^\circ C$	—	—	4.5	A
Pulsed Reverse Drain Current $I_{DRM}$		—	—	18	
Diode Forward Voltage $V_{SD}$	$I_F = 2 \times I_{DR}$ $V_{GS} = 0 V, T_i = 25^\circ C$	—	1.1	1.5	V
Reverse Recovery Time $t_{rr}$	$T_i = 25^\circ C, I_F = I_{DR}$	—	1200	—	ns $\mu\text{C}$
Reverse Recovered Charge $Q_{RR}$	$dI_F/dt = 100 \text{ A}/\mu\text{s}, V_R = 100 V$	—	6	—	

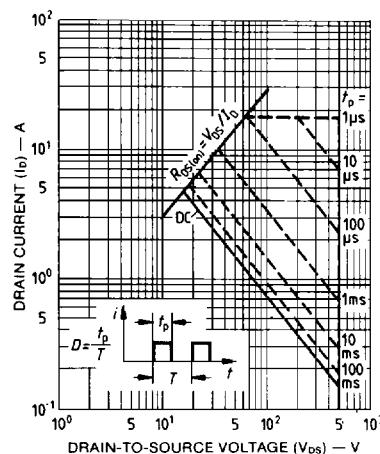


Fig. 1 - Maximum safe operating areas for all types.

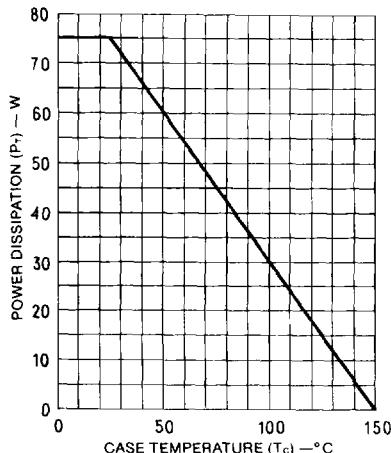


Fig. 2 - Power vs. temperature derating curve for all types.

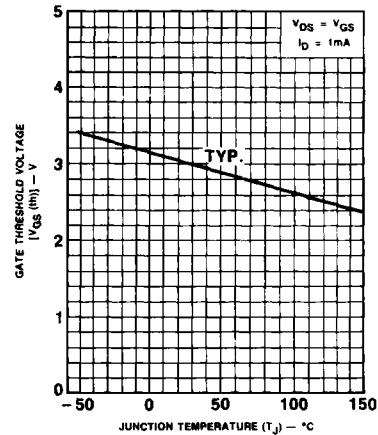


Fig. 3 - Normalized gate threshold voltage as a function of junction temperature for all types.

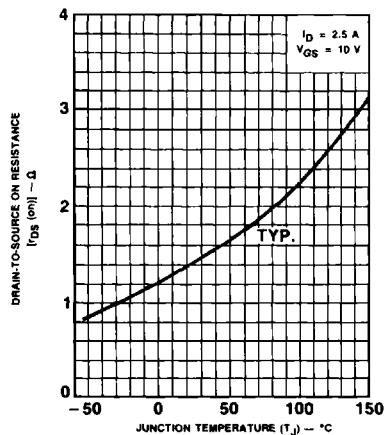


Fig. 4 - Normalized drain-to-source on resistance to junction temperature for all types.

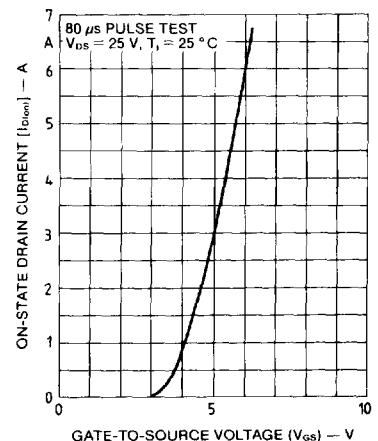


Fig. 5 - Typical transfer characteristics for all types.

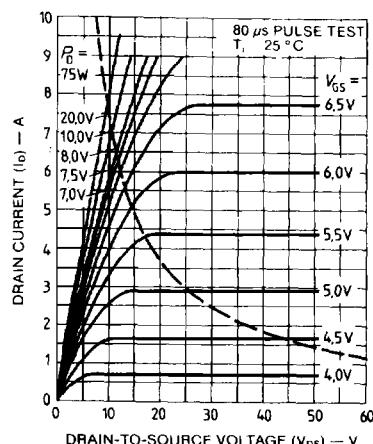


Fig. 6 - Typical output characteristics.

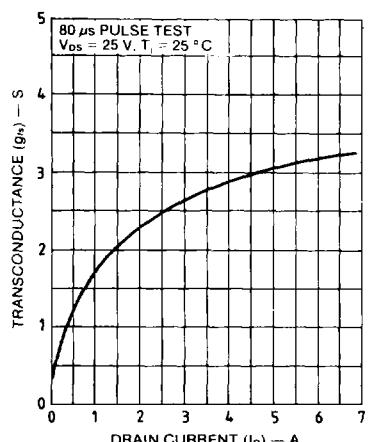


Fig. 7 - Typical transconductance vs. drain current.

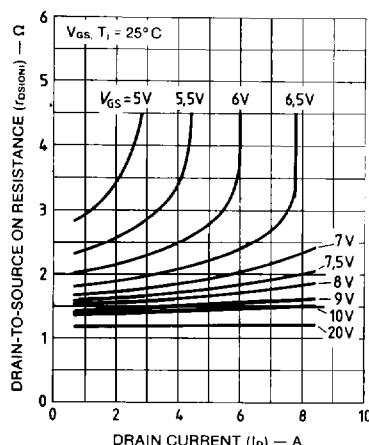


Fig. 8 - Typical on-resistance vs. drain current.

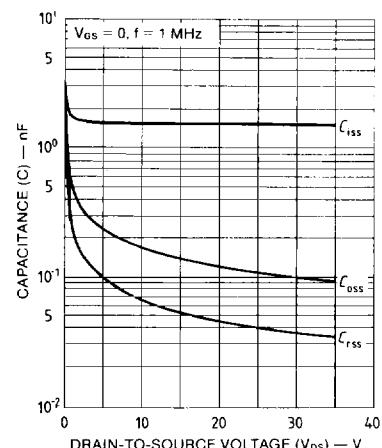


Fig. 9 - Typical capacitance vs. drain-to-source voltage.

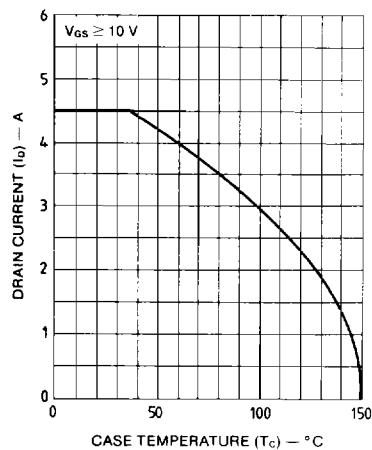


Fig. 10 - Maximum drain current vs. case temperature.

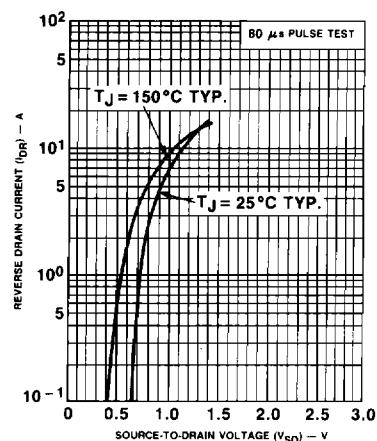


Fig. 11 - Typical source-drain diode forward voltage.

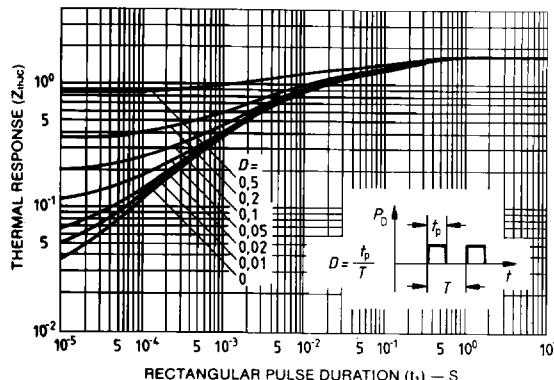


Fig. 12 - Maximum effective transient thermal impedance, junction-to-case vs. pulse duration.

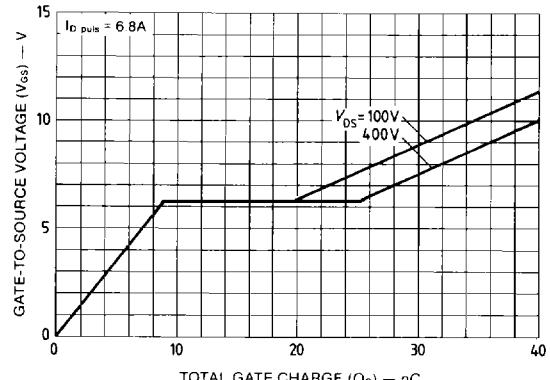


Fig. 13 - Typical gate charge vs. gate-to-source voltage.