



# PROTEK DEVICES®

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## TVS

Transient Voltage Suppressors  
SMBJ5.0  
 thru  
SMBJ170CA

### DESCRIPTION

The SMBJ series device types are designed in a surface mount package size where power and space is a consideration. They are characterized by their high surge capability, extremely fast response time, and low impedance, ( $R_{on}$ ). Because of the unpredictable nature of transients and the variation of the impedance with respect to these transients, impedance, per se, is not specified as a parametric value. However, a minimum voltage at low current conditions ( $BV$ ) and a maximum clamping voltage ( $V_c$ ) at a maximum peak pulse current is specified.

In some instances, the thermal effect (see  $V_c$  Clamping Voltage) may be responsible for 50 to 70 percent of the observed voltage differential when subjected to high current pulses or several duty cycles, thus making a maximum impedance specification insignificant. In case of severe current overload or abnormal transient beyond the maximum ratings, the TVS will initially fail "short", thus tripping the system's circuit breaker or fuse while protecting the entire circuit. Curves depicting clamping voltage vs. various current pulses are available from the factory. Extended power curves vs. pulse time are also available.

### APPLICATION

This TVS series is a low cost commercial product for use in applications where large voltage transients can permanently damage voltage-sensitive components. It has a peak pulse power rating of 600 watts for one millisecond. The response time of TVS's clamping action is theoretically instantaneous ( $1 \times 10^{-12}$  sec.); therefore, they can protect integrated circuits, MOS devices, Hybrids, and other voltage-sensitive components. TVSs can also be used in series or parallel to increase the peak pulse power ratings. This is only one of many series of Transient Voltage Suppressors available from ProTek Devices.

### FEATURES

- 600 watts Peak Pulse Power
- Available in ranges from 5.0 to 170  $V_{WM}$
- Unidirectional and Bidirectional Device Types
- Low Inductance
- UL 94V-0 Flammability Classification

### MAXIMUM RATINGS

- 600 Watts of Peak Power dissipation at 25°C (see derating curve)
- Operating and Storage temperatures: -55° to +150°C
- $t_{clamping}$  (0 volts to  $BV$  min): Less than  $1 \times 10^{-12}$  second (theoretical)
- Forward surge rating: half cycle 100A, 1/120 sec @ 25 C (Unidirectional)
- Steady State power dissipation: 3.0 watt @  $T_L = 75^\circ C$
- Repetition rate (duty cycle): .01%

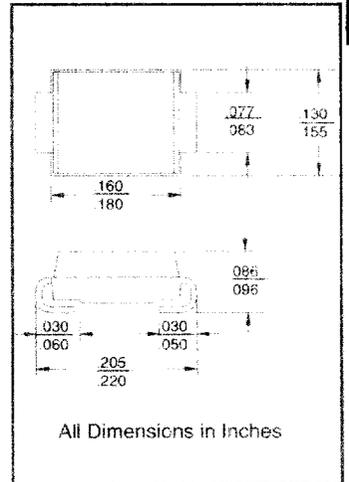
### MECHANICAL CHARACTERISTICS

- Molded Surface Mountable case
- Standard Packaging: 12 mm tape (see EIA Std. RS-481)
- Positive terminal marked with polarity band (except Bidirectional) or notch (Top Surface)
- Body marked with Logo and type code (see part list)

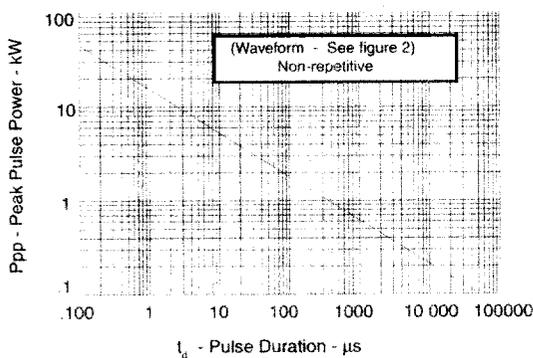


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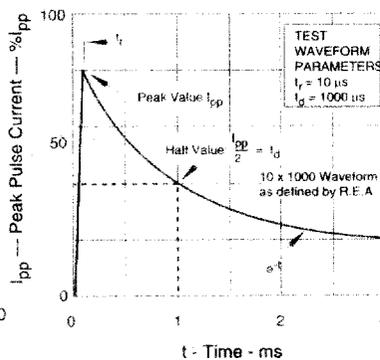
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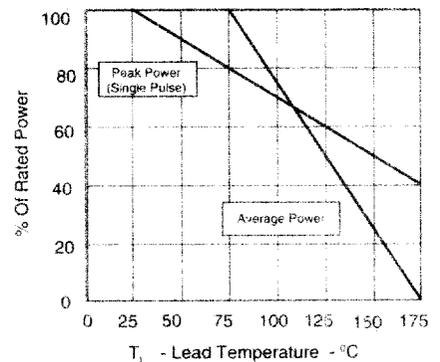
### FIGURE 1 Peak Pulse Power vs. Pulse Time



### FIGURE 2 Pulse Wave Form



### FIGURE 3 Power Derating Curve



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