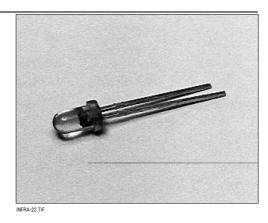
Low Light Rejection Phototransistor

FEATURES

- T-1 plastic package
- · Low light level immunity
- 20° (nominal) acceptance angle
- Mechanically and spectrally matched to SEP8505 and SEP8705 infrared emitting diodes



DESCRIPTION

The SDP8475 is an NPN silicon phototransistor which internal base- emitter shunt resistance. Transfer molding of this device in a clear T-1 plastic package assures superior optical centerline performance compared to other molding processes. Lead lengths are staggered to provide a simple method of polarity identification.

Distinguising Feature:

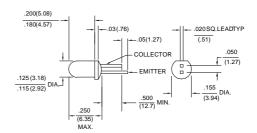
This device incorporates all of the desired features of a standard phototransistor with the advantage of low light immunity. The phototransistor switching occurs when the incident light increases above the threshold (knee point). When the light level exceeds the knee point of the device, it will function as a standard phototransistor. Chart A illustrates the light current output of the low light rejection phototransistor as compared to a standard phototransistor with similar sensitivity.

Typical Application Uses:

Ideally suited for use in applications which require ambient light rejection, or in transmissive applications where the interrupter media is semi-transparent to infrared energy. This device also provides high contrast ratio in reflective applications where unwanted background reflection is a possibility.

OUTLINE DIMENSIONS in inches (mm)

Tolerance 3 plc decimals $\pm 0.005(0.12)$ 2 plc decimals $\pm 0.020(0.51)$



DIM_100.ds4



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ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (25°C unless otherwise noted)

PARAMETER	SYMBOL	MIN	TYP	MAX	UNITS	TEST CONDITIONS
Light Current Slope (1) (2)	I _L Slope				mA/mW/cm ²	V _{CE} =5 V
SDP8475-201	- '	4.0		14.0		H ₁ = 0.5 mW/cm ²
						H ₂ = 0.25 mW/cm ²
Knee Point (3)			0.125		mW/cm ²	Vce=5 V
Collector Dark Current	ICEO			100	nA	H=0 mW/cm ² , V _{CE} =15 V
Collector-Emitter Breakdown Voltage	V _(BR) ceo	30			V	Ic=100 μA
Collector-Emitter Saturation Voltage	VCE(SAT)			0.4	V	Ic=I _L /8 H=0.25mW/cm ²
Reverse Current	IR			40	mA	V _{CE} =-5.0 V
Angular Response (4)	Ø		20		degr.	I _F =Constant
Rise And Fall Time	t _r , t _f		15		μs	Vcc=5 V, I _L =1 mA
						$R_L=1000 \Omega$

- Notes

 1. The Slope is calculated with the following equation: (I_{L1} (@ H₁) I_{L2} (@ H₂)) / (H₁ H₂).

 2. The radiation source is an IRED with a peak wavelength of 935 nm.

 3. Knee Point is defined as being the source irradiance required to increase I_L to 50 μA.

 4. Angular response is defined as the total included angle between the half sensitivity points.

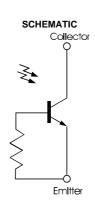
ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

(25°C Free-Air Temperature unless otherwise noted) Collector-Emitter Voltage 70 mW (1) Power Dissipation Operating Temperature Range -40°C to 85°C -40°C to 85°C Storage Temperature Range Soldering Temperature (5 sec)

Notes

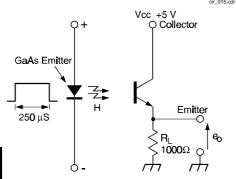
1. Derate linearly from 25°C free-air temperature at the rate of

0.18 mW/°C.



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SWITCHING TIME TEST CIRCUIT



SWITCHING WAVEFORM

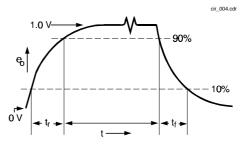


Fig. 1 Responsivity vs

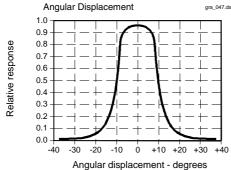


Fig. 2 Spectral Responsivity

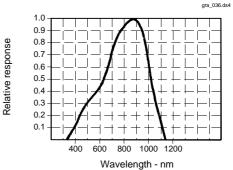
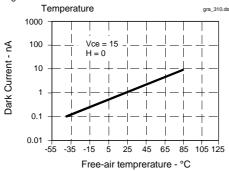
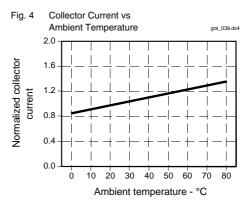


Fig. 3 Dark Current vs





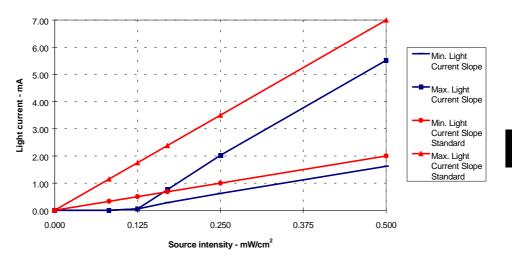
All Performance Curves Show Typical Values

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Chart A. Low Light Rejection Phototransistor vs. Standard Phototransistor



Designing with the Low Light Rejection Phototransistor:

The Low Light Rejection detector is tested at different incident light levels to determine adherence to the specified knee point and light current slope. This method assures proper functionality vs. standard phototransistors, and guarantees required light current output.

The light current slope is the change in light current output at two given source irradiances divided by the change in the two source irradiances.

(Formula # 1)

$$I_{L} \text{ Slope} = [I_{L_{1}} (@ H_{1}) - I_{L_{2}} (@ H_{2})] / [H_{1} - H_{2}]$$

Where

- I₁ slope is the light current slope in mA/mW/cm²
- I is the light current output in mA
- H is the source intensity in mW/cm²

Chart A shows the specified limits of light current slope for the low light rejection phototransistor which begins its slope at the typical knee point, 0.125mW/cm². To make a clear distinction between this device and a standard phototransistor, light current slopes for high and low sensitivity standard phototransistors are also shown. Note that for phototransistors of the same gain, the slopes of the two products are parallel.

The knee point, the source irradiance needed to increase I_L to 50μ , is a necessary parameter for circuit design. All variation in the knee point will be offset by the internally guardbanded light current slope limits. The appropriate formula for circuit design is the following:

(Formula # 2)

$$I_{L} = I_{L} \text{ slope}_{MIN.} * (H_{A} - H_{KP})$$

Where:

- $\bullet \hspace{0.5cm} \textbf{I}_{\scriptscriptstyle L} \text{ is the light current output in mA} \\$
- Il slope since the slope (i.e. 4.0mA/mW/cm²)
 is the minimum limit on the light current slope (i.e. 4.0mA/mW/cm²)
- H_A is the source light incident on the detector for the application
- H_{xp} is the specified level of source light incident on the detector at the typical knee point (i.e. 0.125 mW/cm²)

Example :

To design a transmissive sensor with two of Honeywell's standard components, the SEP8505-002 and the SDP8475-201, it is first necessary to determine the irradiance level in mW/cm² that will be incident on the detector. The application conditions are the following:

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Supply voltage = 5V Distance between emitter and detector = 0.4 in. (10.16mm) IRED drive current = 20mA

The SEP8505-002 gives 1.0mW/cm² min. to 4.0mW/cm² max. under the above conditions. To obtain minimum light current output, use the minimum irradiance limit.

 $\begin{array}{lll} \mbox{Light current output} = \mbox{ I}_{L} \mbox{ slope}_{\mbox{\tiny MIN}} \ ^{*} \mbox{ } (\mbox{H}_{\Delta} - \mbox{H}_{\mbox{\tiny KP}}) \\ \mbox{Light current output} = 4.0 \mbox{ mA/mW/cm}^{2} \mbox{ min.} \ ^{*} \mbox{ } (1.0 \mbox{ mW/cm}^{2} \mbox{ min.} \ ^{*} \mbox{ } 0.125 \mbox{ mW/cm}^{2}) = 3.5 \mbox{mA min.} \end{array}$

