MILITARY SPECIFICATION

SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE, THYRISTOR (CONTROLLED RECTIFIER), SILICON
TYPES 2N4199 THROUGH 2N4206

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1.3, table, items \( V_{GKIN} \) and \( V_{KGM} \): Delete "6" and "6".

1.4, table, item \( I_{HDD} \): Add "50 mA dc 2/".

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* 4.2, delete and substitute the following:

"4.2 Qualification and lot acceptance inspection. Qualification inspection is not required for this specification. Screening and quality conformance inspections shall be in accordance with MIL-S-19500, Quality Assurance Provisions, and as otherwise specified herein. Groups A, B, and C inspection shall consist of the examinations and test specified in tables I, II, and III respectively, herein. Acceptance inspection shall include inspection of preparation for delivery (see 5.1 herein)."

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* 4.2.1: Delete in its entirety.

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4.2.2d, second sentence, delete and substitute:

"Hereto, the manufacturer may exercise an option to subject a sample of ten each units for each sublot through all group A tests and through all group C tests (when group C tests are incumbent to be performed) except that, for the group C life tests, only five each of the selected test sample units need be subjected to each life test; and pertinent to these sampling options, the following evaluation criteria shall apply:"

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Table I, Subgroup 2, Holding current test, Max Limit: Add "50 mA dc".

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Table II, Examination or test: Delete "Subgroup 5" and substitute "Subgroup 6". Also, End-point tests: Delete "Subgroup 4" and substitute "Subgroup 5".
Table III, Subgroup 3, Peak forward gate voltage test; delete all applicable data and substitute the following:

"--- Forward gate surge test (repetitive) Test circuit and test conditions (procedure per figure 7 herein. \( P_{GK} = 20 \) watts"

Table III, Subgroup 3, Repetitive peak forward current test, conditions column, after \( V_{FB0} \leq 300 \) V, min, applied, add: "\( i_{Fm}(rep) = 100 \) A". Also, delete "\( i_{Fm}(REP) = 100 \) --- A" and substitute "--- --- --- ---", respectively.

Table III, Subgroup 3, Burn-out by pulsing (non-repetitive) test: Delete in its entirety.

Figure 7, delete and substitute the following:

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**CIRCUIT ELEMENTS**

**AND CONDITIONS:**

\( R_1 = 2 \) ohms, 50 W, \( \pm 1\% \)

\( t_p = 10 \) \( \mu \)s; \( prr = 100 \) pps

\( \tau = 1 \) s, minimum

**PROCEDURE**

(1) Apply sufficient generator signal such that 10 volts is applied between gate to cathode \( (v_{GK}) \).

(Gate current \( (i_G) \) shall be a minimum value of 2 amperes during this time.)

(2) Following step (1), apply sufficient generator voltage such that 5 amperes of gate current \( (i_G) \) flows. (Gate to cathode voltage \( (v_{GK}) \) developed during this interval shall be 4 volts minimum.)

**Note:** If, during the test, either of the minimum test conditions of a. 2 amperes as in (1), or b. 4 volts as in (2), cannot be obtained during the test as specified, increase the generator voltage until the minimum condition above is met.

**FIGURE 7. Peak forward gate voltage, \( v_{GK} \) test circuit.**
FIGURE 8: Delete in its entirety.

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