



# STW18NB40 STH18NB40FI

N-CHANNEL 400V - 0.19 Ω - 18.4 A TO-247/ISOWATT218  
PowerMesh™ MOSFET

PRELIMINARY DATA

TYPE	V <sub>DSS</sub>	R <sub>DS(on)</sub>	I <sub>D</sub>
STW18NB40	400 V	< 0.26 Ω	18.4 A
STH18NB40FI	400 V	< 0.26 Ω	12.4 A

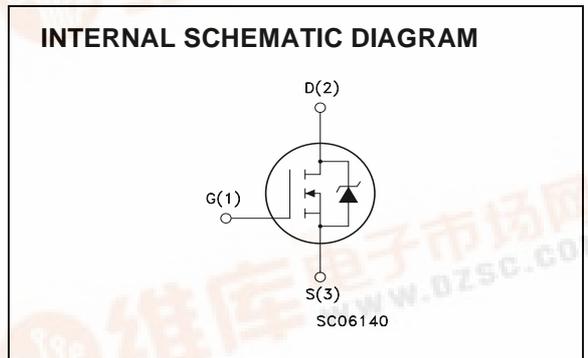
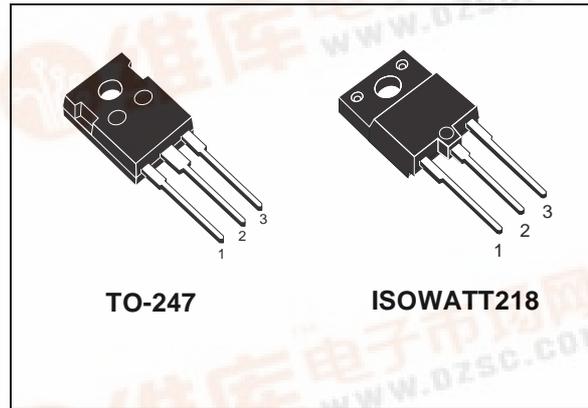
- TYPICAL R<sub>DS(on)</sub> = 0.19 Ω
- EXTREMELY HIGH dv/dt CAPABILITY
- 100% AVALANCHE TESTED
- VERY LOW INTRINSIC CAPACITANCES
- GATE CHARGE MINIMIZED

DESCRIPTION

Using the latest high voltage MESH OVERLAY™ process, STMicroelectronics has designed an advanced family of power MOSFETs with outstanding performances. The new patent pending strip layout coupled with the Company's proprietary edge termination structure, gives the lowest R<sub>DS(on)</sub> per area, exceptional avalanche and dv/dt capabilities and unrivalled gate charge and switching characteristics.

APPLICATIONS

- HIGH CURRENT, HIGH SPEED SWITCHING
- SWITCH MODE POWER SUPPLIES (SMPS)
- DC-AC CONVERTERS FOR WELDING EQUIPMENT AND UNINTERRUPTIBLE POWER SUPPLIES AND MOTOR DRIVE



ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

Symbol	Parameter	Value		Unit
		STW18NB40	STH18NB40FI	
V <sub>DS</sub>	Drain-source Voltage (V <sub>GS</sub> = 0)	400		V
V <sub>DGR</sub>	Drain-gate Voltage (R <sub>GS</sub> = 20 kΩ)	400		V
V <sub>GS</sub>	Gate- source Voltage	±30		V
I <sub>D</sub>	Drain Current (continuous) at T <sub>C</sub> = 25°C	18.4	12.4	A
I <sub>D</sub>	Drain Current (continuous) at T <sub>C</sub> = 100°C	11.6	7.8	A
I <sub>DM</sub> (•)	Drain Current (pulsed)	73.6	73.6	A
P <sub>TOT</sub>	Total Dissipation at T <sub>C</sub> = 25°C	190	80	W
	Derating Factor	1.52	0.64	W/°C
dv/dt (1)	Peak Diode Recovery voltage slope	4.5	4.5	V/ns
V <sub>ISO</sub>	Insulation Withstand Voltage (DC)	-	2000	V
T <sub>stg</sub>	Storage Temperature	-65 to 150		°C
T <sub>j</sub>	Max. Operating Junction Temperature	150		°C

(\*)Pulse width limited by safe operating area

(1)I<sub>SD</sub><18.4A, di/dt<200A/μ, V<sub>DD</sub><V<sub>(BR)DSS</sub>,T<sub>J</sub><T<sub>JMAX</sub>



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### THERMAL DATA

		TO-247	ISOWATT218	
Rthj-case	Thermal Resistance Junction-case Max	0.66	1.56	°C/W
Rthj-amb	Thermal Resistance Junction-ambient Max	30		°C/W
Rthc-sink	Thermal Resistance Case-sink Typ	0.1		°C/W
T <sub>I</sub>	Maximum Lead Temperature For Soldering Purpose	300		°C

### AVALANCHE CHARACTERISTICS

Symbol	Parameter	Max Value	Unit
I <sub>AR</sub>	Avalanche Current, Repetitive or Not-Repetitive (pulse width limited by T <sub>j</sub> max)	18.4	A
E <sub>AS</sub>	Single Pulse Avalanche Energy (starting T <sub>j</sub> = 25 °C, I <sub>D</sub> = I <sub>AR</sub> , V <sub>DD</sub> = 50 V)	450	mJ

### ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (TCASE = 25 °C UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED) OFF

Symbol	Parameter	Test Conditions	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
V <sub>(BR)DSS</sub>	Drain-source Breakdown Voltage	I <sub>D</sub> = 250 μA, V <sub>GS</sub> = 0	400			V
I <sub>DSS</sub>	Zero Gate Voltage Drain Current (V <sub>GS</sub> = 0)	V <sub>DS</sub> = Max Rating V <sub>DS</sub> = Max Rating, T <sub>C</sub> = 125 °C			1 50	μA μA
I <sub>GSS</sub>	Gate-body Leakage Current (V <sub>DS</sub> = 0)	V <sub>GS</sub> = ±30V			±100	nA

### ON (1)

Symbol	Parameter	Test Conditions	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
V <sub>GS(th)</sub>	Gate Threshold Voltage	V <sub>DS</sub> = V <sub>GS</sub> , I <sub>D</sub> = 250 μA	3	4	5	V
R <sub>DS(on)</sub>	Static Drain-source On Resistance	V <sub>GS</sub> = 10V, I <sub>D</sub> = 6.2 A		0.19	0.26	Ω
I <sub>D(on)</sub>	On State Drain Current	V <sub>DS</sub> > I <sub>D(on)</sub> × R <sub>DS(on)max</sub> , V <sub>GS</sub> = 10V	18.4			A

### DYNAMIC

Symbol	Parameter	Test Conditions	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
g <sub>fs</sub> (1)	Forward Transconductance	V <sub>DS</sub> > I <sub>D(on)</sub> × R <sub>DS(on)max</sub> , I <sub>D</sub> = 9.2 A		9.3		S
C <sub>iss</sub>	Input Capacitance	V <sub>DS</sub> = 25V, f = 1 MHz, V <sub>GS</sub> = 0		2480		pF
C <sub>OSS</sub>	Output Capacitance			435		pF
C <sub>rSS</sub>	Reverse Transfer Capacitance			47		pF

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (CONTINUED)

SWITCHING ON

Symbol	Parameter	Test Conditions	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
$t_{d(on)}$	Turn-on Delay Time	$V_{DD} = 200\text{ V}$ , $I_D = 9.2\text{ A}$ $R_G = 4.7\Omega$ , $V_{GS} = 10\text{ V}$ (see test circuit, Figure 3)		27		ns
$t_r$	Rise Time			14		ns
$Q_g$	Total Gate Charge	$V_{DD} = 320\text{ V}$ , $I_D = 18.4\text{ A}$ , $V_{GS} = 10\text{ V}$		60	84	nC
$Q_{gs}$	Gate-Source Charge			16		nC
$Q_{gd}$	Gate-Drain Charge			28.3		nC

SWITCHING OFF

Symbol	Parameter	Test Conditions	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
$t_{r(Voff)}$	Off-voltage Rise Time	$V_{DD} = 320\text{ V}$ , $I_D = 18.4\text{ A}$ , $R_G = 4.7\Omega$ , $V_{GS} = 10\text{ V}$ (see test circuit, Figure 5)		13		ns
$t_f$	Fall Time			15		ns
$t_c$	Cross-over Time			27		ns

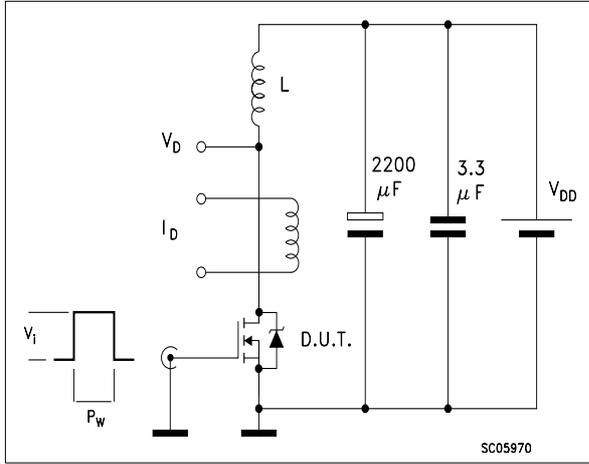
SOURCE DRAIN DIODE

Symbol	Parameter	Test Conditions	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
$I_{SD}$	Source-drain Current				18.4	A
$I_{SDM(2)}$	Source-drain Current (pulsed)				73.6	A
$V_{SD(1)}$	Forward On Voltage	$I_{SD} = 18.4\text{ A}$ , $V_{GS} = 0$			1.6	V
$t_{rr}$	Reverse Recovery Time	$I_{SD} = 18.4\text{ A}$ , $di/dt = 100\text{ A}/\mu\text{s}$ , $V_{DD} = 100\text{ V}$ , $T_j = 150^\circ\text{C}$ (see test circuit, Figure 5)		480		ns
$Q_{rr}$	Reverse Recovery Charge			5.5		$\mu\text{C}$
$I_{RRM}$	Reverse Recovery Current			23		A

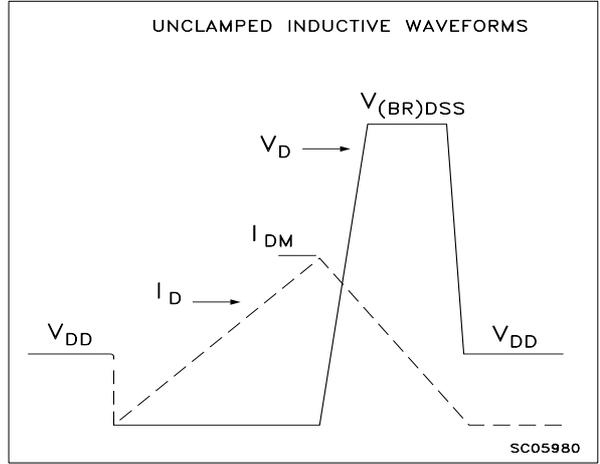
Note: 1. Pulsed: Pulse duration = 300  $\mu\text{s}$ , duty cycle 1.5 %.  
2. Pulse width limited by safe operating area.

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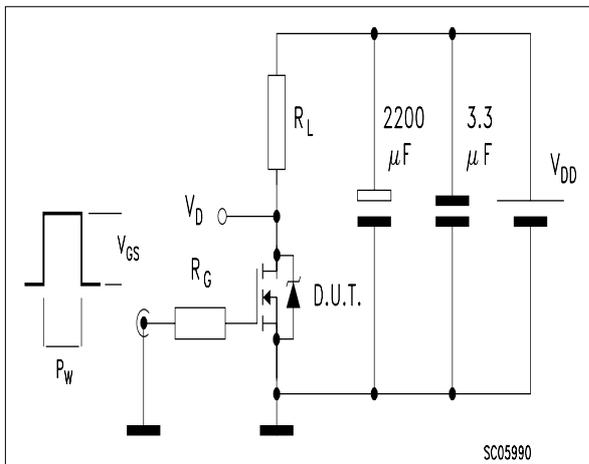
**Fig. 1: Unclamped Inductive Load Test Circuit**



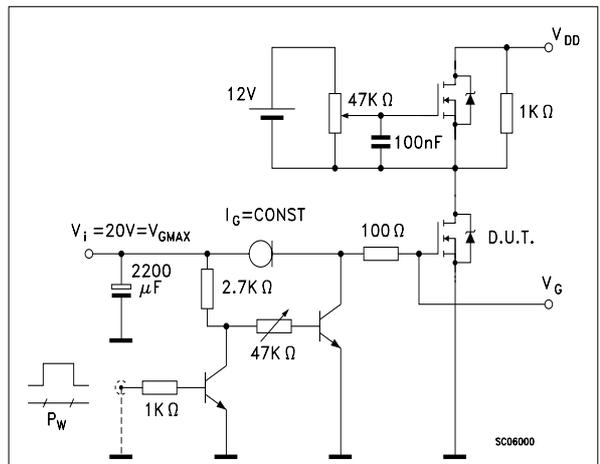
**Fig. 2: Unclamped Inductive Waveform**



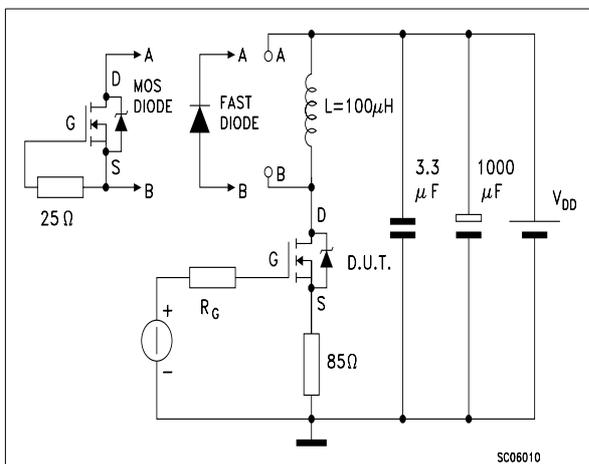
**Fig. 3: Switching Times Test Circuit For Resistive Load**



**Fig. 4: Gate Charge test Circuit**

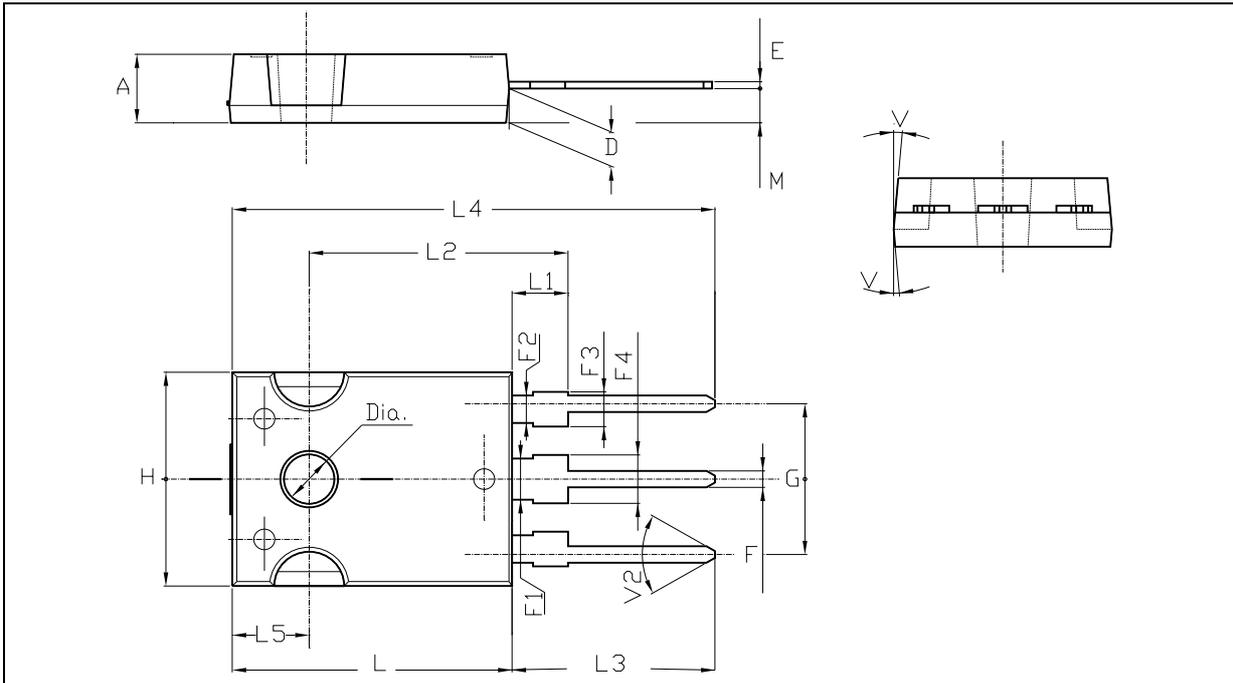


**Fig. 5: Test Circuit For Inductive Load Switching And Diode Recovery Times**



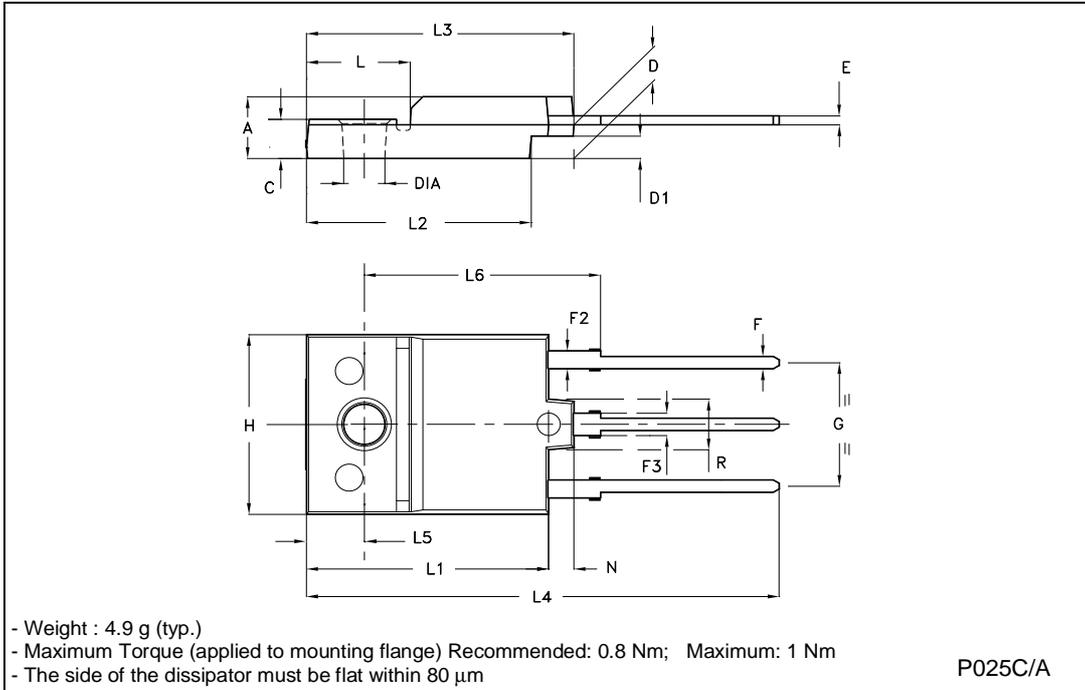
**TO-247 MECHANICAL DATA**

DIM.	mm.			inch		
	MIN.	TYP	MAX.	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.
A	4.85		5.15	0.19		0.20
D	2.20		2.60	0.08		0.10
E	0.40		0.80	0.015		0.03
F	1		1.40	0.04		0.05
F1		3			0.11	
F2		2			0.07	
F3	2		2.40	0.07		0.09
F4	3		3.40	0.11		0.13
G		10.90			0.43	
H	15.45		15.75	0.60		0.62
L	19.85		20.15	0.78		0.79
L1	3.70		4.30	0.14		0.17
L2		18.50			0.72	
L3	14.20		14.80	0.56		0.58
L4		34.60			1.36	
L5		5.50			0.21	
M	2		3	0.07		0.11
V		5°			5°	
V2		60°			60°	
Dia	3.55		3.65	0.14		0.143



**ISOWATT218 MECHANICAL DATA**

DIM.	mm			inch		
	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.
A	5.35		5.65	0.211		0.222
C	3.30		3.80	0.130		0.150
D	2.90		3.10	0.114		0.122
D1	1.88		2.08	0.074		0.082
E	0.75		0.95	0.030		0.037
F	1.05		1.25	0.041		0.049
F2	1.50		1.70	0.059		0.067
F3	1.90		2.10	0.075		0.083
G	10.80		11.20	0.425		0.441
H	15.80		16.20	0.622		0.638
L		9			0.354	
L1	20.80		21.20	0.819		0.835
L2	19.10		19.90	0.752		0.783
L3	22.80		23.60	0.898		0.929
L4	40.50		42.50	1.594		1.673
L5	4.85		5.25	0.191		0.207
L6	20.25		20.75	0.797		0.817
N	2.1		2.3	0.083		0.091
R		4.6			0.181	
DIA	3.5		3.7	0.138		0.146



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