



# THE DATASHEET OF SMA6F12AVCL



**High junction temperature Transil™****Features**

- ECOPACK®2 compliant product
- Peak pulse power:
  - 600 W (10/1000  $\mu$ s)
  - 4 kW (8/20  $\mu$ s)
- Stand off voltage: 5, 12 or 13 V
- Unidirectional type
- Low clamping voltage versus standard series
- Low leakage current, 0.2  $\mu$ A at 25 °C
- Operating  $T_j$  max: 175 °C
- JEDEC registered package outline

**Complies with the following standards**

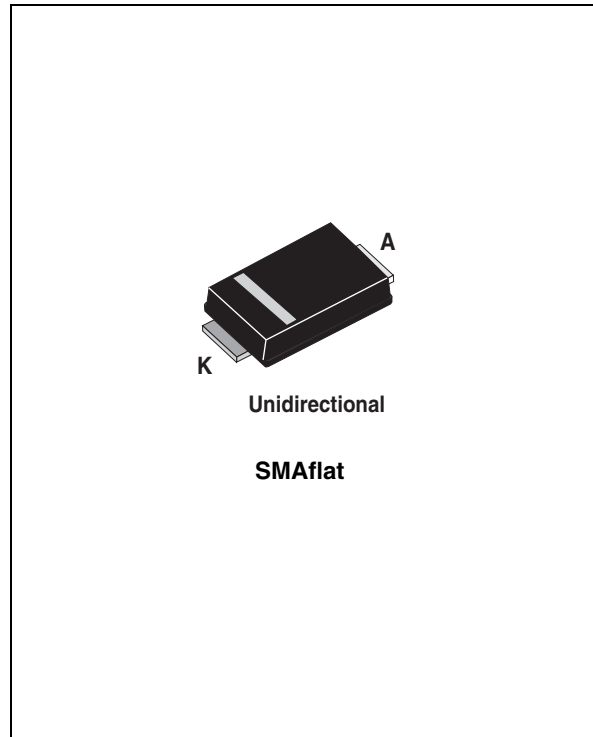
- IEC 61000-4-2 level 4:
  - 15 kV (air discharge)
  - 8 kV (contact discharge)
- MIL STD 883G-Method 3015-7: class3B
  - 25 kV (human body model)

**Description**

The SMA6F Transil series has been designed to protect sensitive equipment against electro-static discharges according to IEC 61000-4-2, MIL STD 883 Method 3015, and electrical over stress such as IEC 61000-4-4 and 5. They are generally for surges below 600 W 10/1000  $\mu$ s.

This planar technology makes it compatible with high-end equipment and SMPS where low leakage current and high junction temperature are required to provide reliability and stability over time. Their low clamping voltages provides a better safety margin to protect sensitive circuits with extended life time expectancy.

Packaged in SMAflat non exposed pad, this minimizes PCB space consumption (footprint in accordance with IPC 7531 standard).



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# 1 Characteristics

**Table 1. Absolute ratings ( $T_{amb} = 25\text{ °C}$ )**

Symbol	Parameter		Value	Unit
$P_{PP}$	Peak pulse power dissipation <sup>(1)</sup>	$T_j \text{ initial} = T_{amb}$	600	W
$P$	Power dissipation on infinite heatsink	$T_{lead} = 55\text{ °C}$	6	W
$I_{FSM}$	Non repetitive surge peak forward current for unidirectional types	$t_p = 10\text{ ms}$ $T_j \text{ initial} = T_{amb}$	60	A
$T_{stg}$	Storage temperature range		-65 to +175	°C
$T_j$	Operating junction temperature range		-55 to +175	°C
$T_L$	Maximum lead temperature for soldering during 10 s		260	°C

1. For a surge greater than the maximum values, the diode will fail in short-circuit.

**Table 2. Thermal resistance**

Symbol	Parameter	Value	Unit
$R_{th(j-l)}$	Junction to leads	20	°C/W

**Table 3. Electrical characteristics - definitions ( $T_{amb} = 25\text{ °C}$ )**

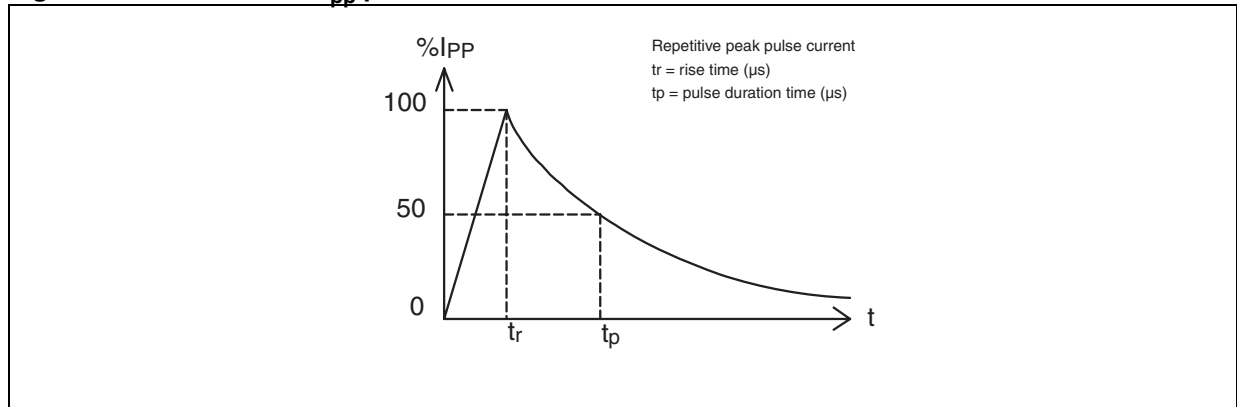
Symbol	Parameter
$V_{RM}$	Stand-off voltage
$V_{BR}$	Breakdown voltage
$V_{CL}$	Clamping voltage
$I_{RM}$	Leakage current @ $V_{RM}$
$I_{PP}$	Peak pulse current
$\alpha T$	Voltage temperature coefficient
$V_F$	Forward voltage drop
$R_D$	Dynamic resistance

**Table 4. Electrical characteristics - values ( $T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ )**

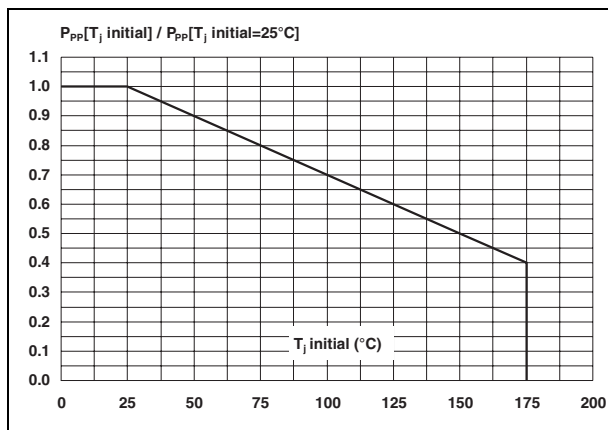
Type	$I_{RM} \text{ max}@V_{RM}$			$V_{BR} @I_R^{(1)}$			$V_{CL} @I_{PP}$ 10/1000 $\mu\text{s}$		$R_D^{(2)}$ 10/1000 $\mu\text{s}$	$V_{CL} @I_{PP}$ 8/20 $\mu\text{s}$		$R_D^{(2)}$ 8/20 $\mu\text{s}$	$\alpha T^{(3)}$	
	25 $^{\circ}\text{C}$	85 $^{\circ}\text{C}$		min	typ	max	max			max			max	
	$\mu\text{A (Max)}$		V	V			mA	V	A	$\Omega$	V	A	$\Omega$	10-4/ $^{\circ}\text{C}$
SMA6F5.0A	10	50	5.0	6.40	6.74	7.07	10	9.2	68	0.029	13.4	298	0.021	5.7
SMA6F12AVCL	0.2	1	12	13.2	13.7	14.3	1	18.5	31	0.135	22.9	157	0.055	7.8
SMA6F13A	0.2	1	13	14.4	15.2	15.9	1	20.4	29	0.154	23.9	147	0.054	8.3

1. Pulse test:  $t_p < 50\text{ms}$ .
2. To calculate maximum clamping voltage at other surge currents, use the following formula  
 $V_{CLmax} = R_D \times I_{PP} + V_{BRmax}$
3. To calculate  $V_{BR}$  versus junction temperature, use the following formula:  
 $V_{BR} @ T_j = V_{BR} @ 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C} \times (1 + \alpha T \times (T_j - 25))$

**Figure 1. Definition of  $I_{pp}$  pulse**



**Figure 2. Relative peak power dissipation versus initial junction temperature**



**Figure 3. Peak pulse power versus exponential pulse duration ( $T_j \text{ initial} = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ )**

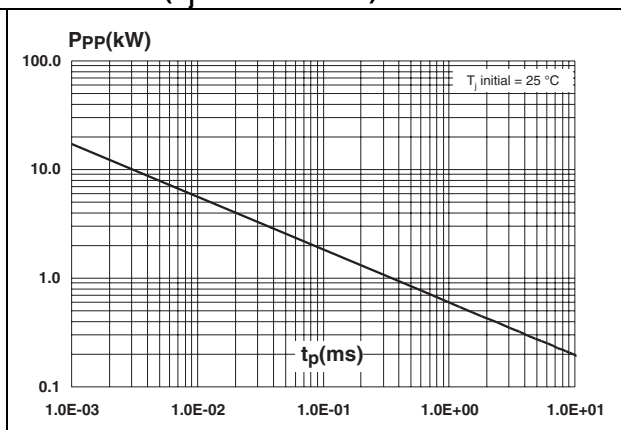


Figure 4. Clamping voltage versus peak pulse current (exponential waveform, maximum values)

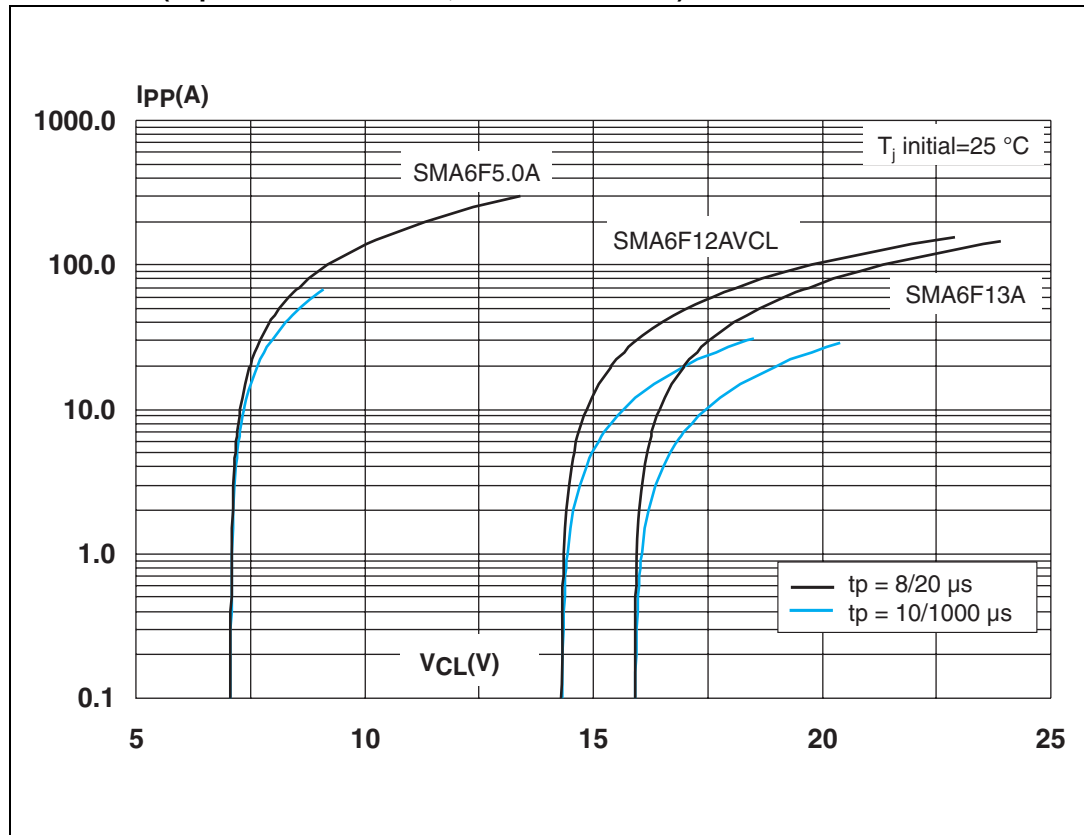
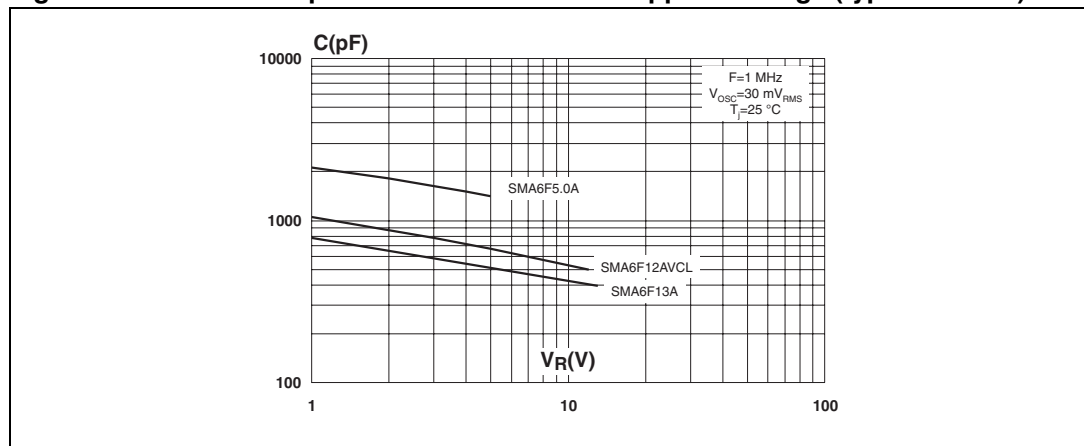
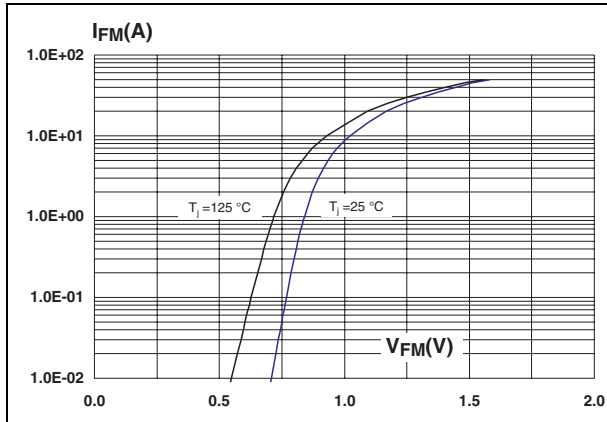


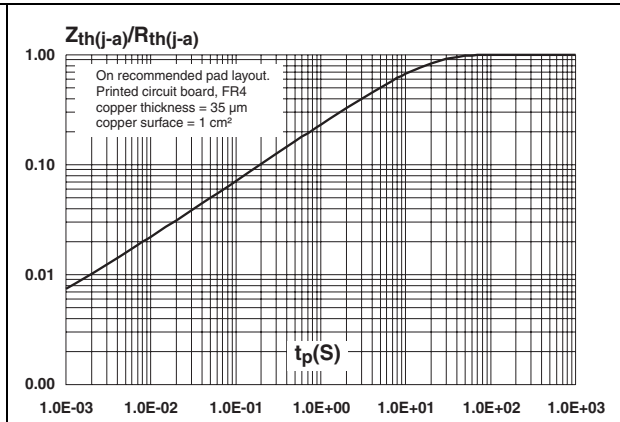
Figure 5. Junction capacitance versus reverse applied voltage (typical values)



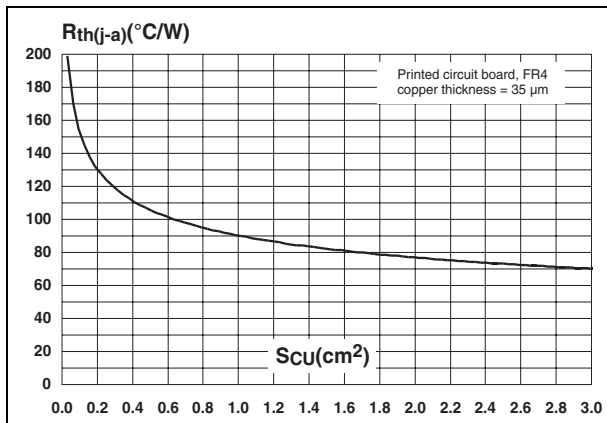
**Figure 6. Peak forward voltage drop versus peak forward current (typical values)**



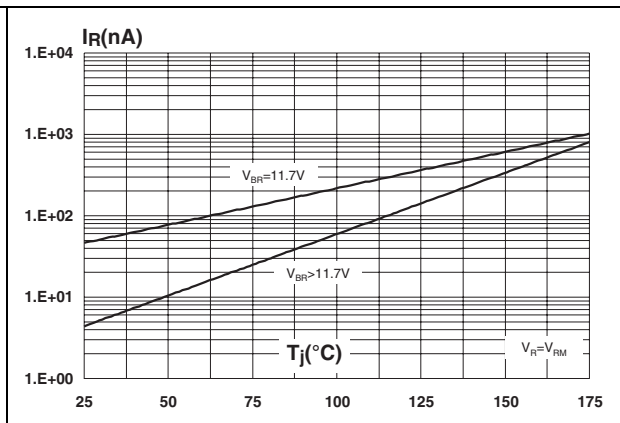
**Figure 7. Relative variation of thermal impedance junction to ambient versus pulse duration**



**Figure 8. Thermal resistance junction to ambient versus copper surface under each lead**

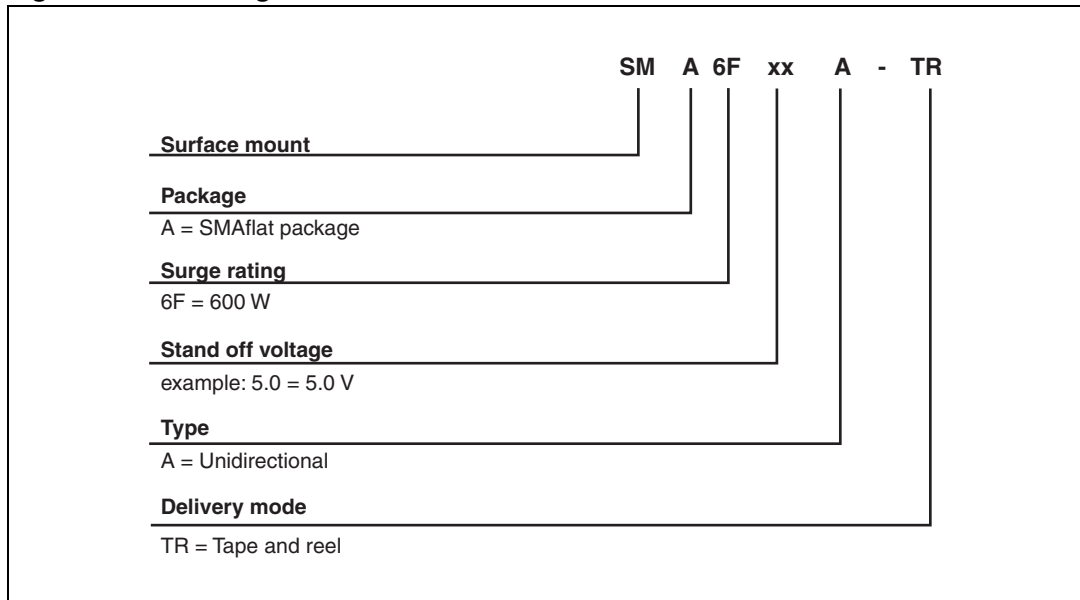


**Figure 9. Leakage current versus junction temperature (typical values)**



## 2 Ordering information scheme

Figure 10. Ordering information scheme



### 3 Package information

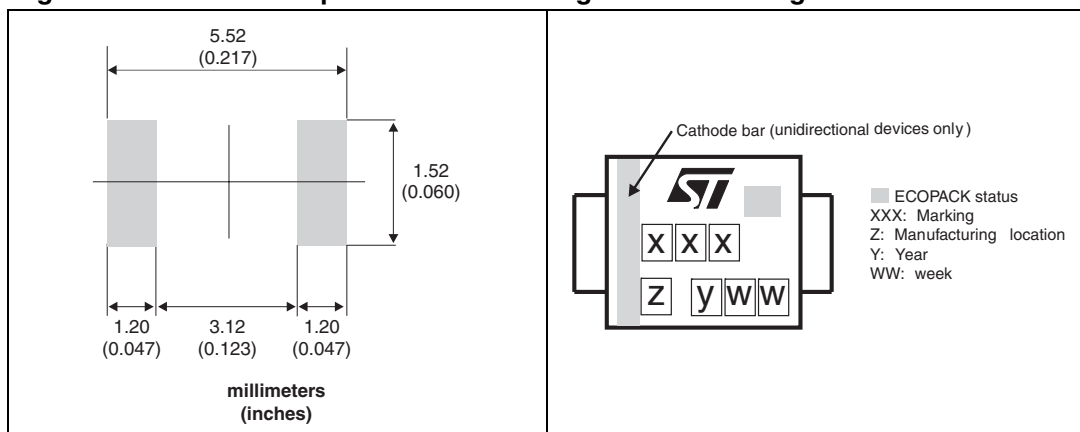
- Case: JEDEC DO-221AC molded plastic over Planar junction
- Terminals: Solder plated, solderable per MIL-STD-750, Method 2026
- Polarity: Band indicates cathode
- Flammability: Epoxy rated UL94V-0
- RoHS package

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**Table 5. SMAflat (non exposed pad) dimensions**

Ref.	Dimensions					
	Millimeters			Inches		
	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Min.	Typ.	Max.
A	0.90		1.10	0.035		0.043
b	1.25		1.65	0.049		0.065
c	0.15		0.40	0.006		0.016
D	2.25		2.95	0.088		0.116
E	4.80		5.60	0.189		0.220
E1	3.95		4.60	0.156		0.181
L	0.75		1.50	0.030		0.059
L1		0.50			0.019	
L2		0.50			0.019	

**Figure 11. SMAflat footprint dimensions** **Figure 12. Marking information**



## 4 Ordering information

**Table 6. Ordering information**

Order code	Marking	Package	Weight	Base qty	Delivery mode
SMA6F5.0A-TR	SUA	SMAflat	0.035 g	10000	Tape and reel
SMA6F12AVCL	SUJ				
SMA6F13A-TR	SUG				

For the latest information on available order codes see the product pages on [www.st.com](http://www.st.com).

## 5 Revision history

**Table 7. Document revision history**

Date	Revision	Changes
04-Sep-2008	1	First issue.
01-Sep-2011	2	Updated order code in <a href="#">Table 6</a> .

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