

ACS102-6T

AC switch family Transient protected AC switch (ACS™)

Main product characteristics

I _{T(RMS)}	0.2 A
V _{DRM} /V _{RRM}	600 V
I _{GT}	5 mA

- Overvoltage protection by crowbar technology
- High noise immunity static dV/dt > 300 V/µs

Applications

- AC ON/OFF static switching in appliances and industrial control systems
- Drive of low power high inductive or resistive loads like:
 - relay, valve, solenoid,
 - dispenser, door lock
 - micro-motor

Benefits

- Needs no external protection snubber or varistor.
- Enables equipment to meet IEC 61000-4-5.
- Reduces component count by up to 80%.
- Interfaces directly with the micro-controller.
- Common package tab connection supports connection of several alternating current switches (ACS) on the same cooling pad.
- Integrated structure based on ASD⁽¹⁾ technology

Order code

Part number	Marking
ACS102-6TA	ACS1026T
ACS102-6TA-TR	ACS1026T
ACS102-6T1	ACS1026T
ACS102-6T1-TR	ACS1026T

1. ASD: Application Specific Devices



Description

The ACS102-6T belongs to the AC line switch family. This high performance switch can control a load of up to 0.2A.

The ACS102-6T switch includes an overvoltage crowbar structure to absorb the overvoltage energy, and a gate level shifter driver to separate the digital controller from the main switch. It is triggered with a negative gate current flowing out of the gate pin.

Functional diagram



- COM Common drive reference to connect to the mains
- OUT Output to connect to the load.
- G Gate input to connect to the controller through gate resistor

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1 Characteristics

Symbol	Parameter	r		Value	Unit
1	DMC on state surrent (full size works)	TO-92	$T_{amb} = 100 \ ^{\circ}C$	0.2	^
I _{T(RMS)}	RMS on-state current (full sine wave)	SO-08	SO-08 $T_{amb} = 100 \text{ °C}$		A
Irou	(full evelopeint ve surge peak of state editerit ISM $(full evelopeine were T initial = 25 °C)$		t = 16.7 ms	7.6	Α
ISM			t = 20 ms	7.3	
l²t	I ² t Value for fusing	t _p = 10 ms		0.38	A ² s
dl/dt	Critical rate of rise of on-state current $I_G = 2xI_{GT}$, tr ≤ 100 ns	te current f = 120 Hz		50	A/µs
V_{PP}	Non repetitive line peak mains voltage ⁽¹⁾		T _j = 25 °C	2	kV
I _{GM}	Peak gate current $t_p = 20 \ \mu s$		T _j = 125 °C	1	Α
V_{GM}	Peak positive gate voltage $T_j = 125 \ ^{\circ}C$		10	V	
P _{G(AV)}	Average gate power dissipation		T _j = 125 °C	0.1	W
T _{stg} T _j	Storage junction temperature range Operating junction temperature range			-40 to +150 -30 to +125	°C

Table 1. Absolute maximum ratings (T_{amb} = 25 °C, unless otherwise specified)

1. according to test described by IEC 61000-4-5 standard and *Figure 16*

Table 2.	Electrical characteristics	(T _i = 25 °C	, unless otherwise specified)
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Symbol	Test conditions Quadrant			Value	Unit
I _{GT} ⁽¹⁾	V _{OUT} = 12 V, R _I = 33 Ω	-	MAX	5	mA
V _{GT}		-	MAX	0.9	V
V_{GD}	$V_{OUT} = V_{DRM}, R_L = 3.3 \text{ k}\Omega, T_j = 125 \text{ °C}$ II - III		MIN	0.15	V
I _H ⁽²⁾	I _{OUT} = 100 mA		MAX	20	mA
۱ _L (2)	$I_{G} = 1.2 \times I_{GT}$		MAX	25	mA
dV/dt ⁽²⁾	$V_{OUT} = 67\% V_{DRM}$, gate open, T _j = 125 °C		MIN	300	V/µs
(dl/dt)c ⁽²⁾	Without snubber (15 V/µs), turn-off time \leq 20 ms, T_{j} = 125 $^{\circ}C$		MIN	0.15	A/ms
V _{CL}	$I_{CL} = 0.1 \text{ mA}, t_p = 1 \text{ ms}, T_j = 125 \text{ °C}$		MIN	650	V

1. minimum I_{GT} is guaranteed at 10% of I_{GT} max

2. for both polarities of OUT referenced to COM



Symbol	Test conditions			Value	Unit
V _{TM} ⁽¹⁾	I _{TM} = 0.3 A, t _p = 380 μs	Tj = 25 °C	MAX	1.2	V
V _{TO} ⁽¹⁾		Tj = 125 °C	MAX	0.80	V
$R_D^{(1)}$		Tj = 125 °C	MAX	500	mΩ
I _{DRM}	V _{OUT} = 600 V	Tj = 25 °C	MAX	2	μA
I _{RRM}				0.2	mA

Table 3. Static electrical characteristics

1. for both polarities of OUT referenced to COM

Table 4.Thermal resistance

Symbol	Parameter		Value	Unit	
R _{th (j-l)}	Junction to lead (AC)		TO-92	60	
B. a.s	R _{th (j-a)} Junction to ambient		TO-92	150	°C/W
"th (j-a)			SO-8	150	

Figure 1. Maximum power dissipation vs RMS Figure 2. on-state current (full cycle)

RMS on-state current vs ambient temperature (full cycle)





Figure 3. Relative variation of junction to ambient thermal impedance vs pulse duration and package





Figure 5. Non repetitive surge peak on-state current vs number of cycles







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Figure 7. **On-state characteristics (maximal** values)





Figure 9. Relative variation of critical rate of decrease of main current (di/dt)c versus junction temperature



Figure 11. Relative variation of static dV/dt versus junction temperature



Figure 10. Relative variation of critical rate of decrease of main current (di/dt)c vs (dV/dt)c, with turn-off time < 20 ms



Figure 12. Relative variation of the maximal clamping voltage versus junction temperature (min value)



2 AC line switch - basic application

The ACS102-6T switch is triggered by a negative gate current flowing from the gate pin G. The switch can be driven directly by the digital controller through a resistor as shown in *Figure 13*.

Thanks to its overvoltage protection and turn-off commutation performance, the ACS102-6T switch can drive a small power high inductive load with neither varistor nor additional turn-off snubber.





2.1 Protection against overvoltage: the best choice is ACS

In comparison with standard triacs, which are not robust against surge voltage, the ACS102-6T is over-voltage self-protected, specified by the new parameter V_{CL} . This feature is useful in two operating conditions: in case of turn-off of very inductive load, and in case of surge voltage that can occur on the electrical network.

2.1.1 High inductive load switch-off: turn-off overvoltage clamping

With high inductive and low RMS current loads the rate of decrease of the current is very low. An overvoltage can occur when the gate current is removed and the OUT current is lower than $I_{\rm H}$.

As shown in *Figure 14* and *Figure 15*, at the end of the last conduction half-cycle, the load current decreases (1). The load current reaches the holding current level I_H (2), and the ACS turns off (3). The water valve, as an inductive load (up to 15 H), reacts as a current generator and an overvoltage is created, which is clamped by the ACS (4). The current flows through the ACS avalanche and decreases linearly to zero. During this time, the voltage across the switch is limited to the clamping voltage V_{CL} . The energy stored in the inductance of the load is dissipated in the clamping section that is designed for this purpose. When the energy has been dissipated, the ACS voltage falls back to the mains voltage value (5).

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(5 mA/div)

(3)





2.1.2 AC line transient voltage ruggedness

The ACS102-6T switch is able to withstand safely the AC line transients either by clamping the low energy spikes or by breaking over under high energy shocks, even with high turn-on current rises.

The test circuit shown in Figure 16 is representative of the final ACS102-6T application, and is also used to test the ACS switch according to the IEC 61000-4-5 standard conditions. Thanks to the load limiting the current, the ACS102-6T switch withstands the voltage spikes up to 2 kV above the peak line voltage. The protection is based on an overvoltage crowbar technology. Actually, the ACS102-6T breaks over safely as shown in Figure 17. The ACS102-6T recovers its blocking voltage capability after the surge (switch off back at the next zero crossing of the current).

Such non-repetitive tests can be done 10 times on each AC line voltage polarity.

Figure 16. Overvoltage ruggedness test circuit Figure 17. Typical current and voltage for resistive and inductive loads waveforms across the ACS102-6T during IEC 61000-4-5 standard test with conditions equivalent to IEC 61000-4-5 standards



3 Ordering information scheme

	ACS 1	02 - 6	ТА-Т	R
AC Switch series				
Number of switches				
Current 02 = 0.2 A _{RMS}				
Voltage 6 = 600 V				
Sensitivity T = 5 mA				
Package				
A = TO-92 1 = SO-8				
Packing TR = Tape and reel Blank = (TO-92) Bulk (SO-8) Tube				

4 Package information

4.1 TO-92 Mechanical data



4.2 SO-8 Mechanical data

					DIMEN	SIONS		
		REF.	Mi	illimetr	es		Inches	;
			Min.	Тур.	Max.	Min.	Тур.	Max.
		Α	1.350		1.75	0.053		0.069
	C h x 45° (Seating Plane) 0.25mm	A1	0.100		0.250	0.004		0.010
	(Gage Plane)	A2	1.100		1.650	0.043		0.065
	ז ₊₊ k L	В	0.330		0.510	0.013		0.020
D		С	0.190		0.250	0.008		0.010
		D	4.800		5.000	0.189		0.197
8 5		Е	3.800		4.000	0.150		0.157
Е Н		е		1.270			0.050	
		Н	5.800		6.200	0.228		0.244
□ □ □ □		h	0.250		0.500	0.010		0.020
		L	0.400		1.270	0.016		0.050
		k	0°		8°	0°		8°
		ddd			0.100			0.004





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5 Ordering information

Part number	Marking	Package	Weight	Base Qty	Packing mode
ACS102-6TA	ACS1026T	TO-92			Bulk
ACS102-6TA-TR	ACS1026T	TO-92			Tape and Reel
ACS102-6T1	ACS1026T	SO-8			Tube
ACS102-6T1-TR	ACS1026T	SO-8			Tape & reel

6 Revision history

Date	Revision	Changes
05-Jan-2006	1	Initial release.

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