

**1N5555    1N5556**  
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**1500 WATT UNIDIRECTIONAL  
TRANSIENT VOLTAGE SUPPRESSOR**

**FEATURES**

- PROTECTS CIRCUITS FROM HARMFUL TRANSIENTS
- ABSORBS TRANSIENTS UP TO 1500 WATTS FOR 1MS
- CLAMPING RESPONSE TIME OF 1 PICO SECOND
- 1 WATT CONTINUOUS POWER DISSIPATION
- WORKING VOLTAGE RANGE FROM 30.5 V TO 175 V
- HERMETIC SEALED DO-13 METAL PACKAGE

**DESCRIPTION**

Transient Absorption Zeners are PN silicon junction zeners. Unlike the voltage regulation characteristics of a zener diode, the TAZ is designed for transient voltage suppression. Due to the TAZ's fast response time, protection level, and high discharge capability, its application area is very wide for protection against induced lightning, inductive and switching type transients, and can protect any kind of transient sensitive component/equipment, i.e., integrated circuits including secondary protection device in connection with SVP's in telecommunication applications. The use of TAZ devices in airborne avionics and electrical systems has proven to be highly effective.

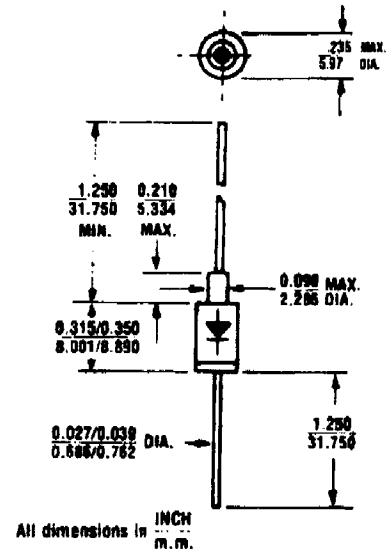
**MAXIMUM RATINGS**

1500 Watts for 1 ms at Lead Temperature (TZ) 25°C

Operating and Storage Temperatures: -65° to +175°C

D.C. Power Dissipation: 1 Watt at TZ = +25°C 3/8" from body

Forward Surge Rating: 200 Amps for 8.3 ms at TA = +25°C Duty Cycle of 4 pulses per minute maximum.



**MECHANICAL CHARACTERISTICS**

CASE: DO-13 (DO-202AA), welded, hermetically sealed metal and glass.

FINISH: All external surfaces are corrosion resistant and leads solderable.

THERMAL RESISTANCE: 100°C/W (Typical) junction to ambient.

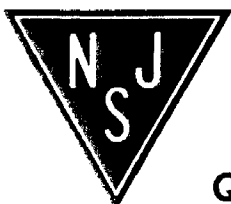
POLARITY: Cathode connected to case and marked.

WEIGHT: 1.4 grams.

MOUNTING POSITION: Any.

**ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS**

Jedec Type No.	Minimum Breakdown Voltage V <sub>BR</sub> at I <sub>T</sub>	Test Current (I <sub>T</sub> )	Rated Standoff Voltage (V <sub>WM</sub> )	Maximum (RMS) Reverse Voltage V <sub>WRM</sub>	Maximum Reverse Leakage Current (I <sub>D</sub> ) at V <sub>WM</sub>	Maximum Peak Reverse Voltage (V <sub>C</sub> Max.) at I <sub>PP</sub>	Maximum Reverse Surge Current (I <sub>PP</sub> )	Maximum Temperature Coefficient of V <sub>BR</sub> α <sub>VZ</sub> (T <sub>A</sub> ) -55°C to 100°C at 1.0 mA <sub>DC</sub>
	V <sub>DC</sub>	mA <sub>DC</sub>	V <sub>DC</sub>	V <sub>RMS</sub>	μA <sub>DC</sub>	V	A	%/°C
1N5555	33.0	1.0	30.5	21.5	5	47.5	32	+ .093
1N5556	43.7	1.0	40.3	28.5	5	63.5	24	+ .094
1N5557	54.0	1.0	49.3	34.5	5	78.5	19	+ .096
1N5558	191.0	1.0	175.0	124.0	5	265.0	5.7	+ .100



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