



# SFH615A

## 5.3 kV TRIOS® Optocoupler High Reliability

### FEATURES

- Variety of Current Transfer Ratios at  $I_F=10$  mA
  - SFH615A-1, 40–80%
  - SFH615A-2, 63–125%
  - SFH615A-3, 100–200%
  - SFH615A-4, 160–320%
- Low CTR Degradation
- Good CTR Linearity Depending on Forward Current
- Withstand Test Voltage, 5300 V<sub>RMS</sub>
- High Collector-Emitter Voltage,  $V_{CEO}=70$  V
- Low Saturation Voltage
- Fast Switching Times
- Field-Effect Stable by TRIOS (TRansparent IOn Shield)
- Temperature Stable
- Low Coupling Capacitance
- End-Stackable, .100" (2.54 mm) Spacing
- High Common-Mode Interference Immunity (Unconnected Base)
- Underwriters Lab File #52744
- VDE 0884 Available with Option 1

### DESCRIPTION

The SFH615A features a large variety of transfer ratio, low coupling capacitance and high isolation voltage. These couplers have a GaAs infrared emitting diode emitter, which is optically coupled to a silicon planar phototransistor detector, and is incorporated in a plastic DIP-4 package.

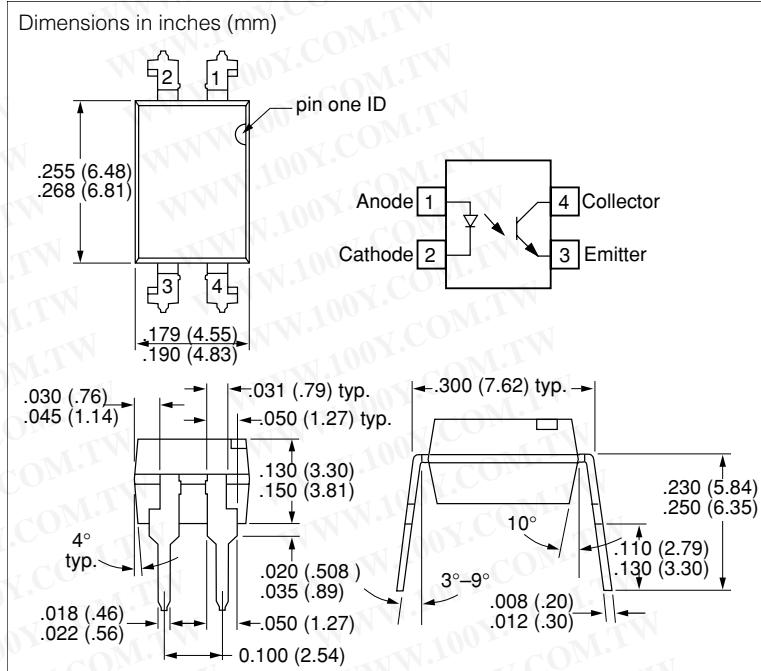
The coupling devices are designed for signal transmission between two electrically separated circuits.

The couplers are end-stackable with 2.54 mm lead spacing.

Creepage and clearance distances of >8.0 mm are achieved with option 6. This version complies with IEC 950 (DIN VDE 0805) for reinforced insulation up to an operation voltage of 400 V<sub>RMS</sub> or DC.

Specifications subject to change.

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### Maximum Ratings

#### Emitter

Reverse Voltage .....	6.0 V
DC Forward Current .....	60 mA
Surge Forward Current ( $t_p \leq 10 \mu s$ ) .....	2.5 A
Total Power Dissipation .....	100 mW

#### Detector

Collector-Emitter Voltage .....	70 V
Emitter-Collector Voltage .....	7.0 V
Collector Current .....	50 mA
Collector Current ( $t_p \leq 1.0$ ms) .....	100 mA
Total Power Dissipation .....	150 mW

#### Package

Isolation Test Voltage between Emitter and Detector, refer to Climate DIN 40046, part 2, Nov. 74, $t=1.0$ s .....	5300 V <sub>RMS</sub>
Creepage .....	≥7.0 mm
Clearance .....	≥7.0 mm
Insulation Thickness between Emitter and Detector .....	≥0.4 mm
Comparative Tracking Index per DIN IEC 112/VDEO 303, part 1 .....	≥175
Isolation Resistance	
$V_{IO}=500$ V, $T_A=25^\circ C$ .....	≥ $10^{12}$ Ω
$V_{IO}=500$ V, $T_A=100^\circ C$ .....	≥ $10^{11}$ Ω
Storage Temperature Range .....	-55 to +150°C
Ambient Temperature Range .....	-55 to +100°C
Junction Temperature .....	100°C
Soldering Temperature (max. 10 s. Dip Soldering)	
Distance to Seating Plane ≥1.5 mm .....	260°C

**Current Transfer Ratio ( $I_C/I_F$  at  $V_{CE}=5.0$  V) and Collector-emitter Leakage Current**

Parameter	-1	-2	-3	-4
$I_C/I_F$ ( $I_F=10$ mA)	40–80	63–125	100–200	160–320
$I_C/I_F$ ( $I_F=1.0$ mA)	30(>13)	45(>22)	70(>34)	90(>56)
Collector-Emitter Leakage Current, $I_{CEO}$ , $V_{CE}=10$ V	2.0( $\leq$ 50)	2.0( $\leq$ 50)	5.0( $\leq$ 100)	5.0( $\leq$ 100)

**Characteristics ( $T_A=25^\circ\text{C}$ )**

Parameter	Sym.	Value	Unit	Condition
<b>Emitter (IR GaAs)</b>				
Forward Voltage	$V_F$	1.25( $\leq$ 1.65)	V	$I_F=60$ mA
Reverse Current	$I_R$	0.01( $\leq$ 10)	$\mu\text{A}$	$V_R=6.0$ V
Capacitance	$C_0$	13	pF	$V_R=0$ V, $f=1.0$ MHz
Thermal Resistance	$R_{thJA}$	750	K/W	—
<b>Detector (Si Phototransistor)</b>				
Capacitance	$C_{CE}$	5.2	pF	$V_{CE}=5.0$ V, $f=1.0$ MHz
Thermal Resistance	$R_{thJA}$	500	K/W	—
<b>Package</b>				
Collector-Emitter Saturation Voltage	$V_{CEsat}$	0.25( $\leq$ 0.4)	V	$I_F=10$ mA, $I_C=2.5$ mA
Coupling Capacitance	$C_C$	0.4	pF	—

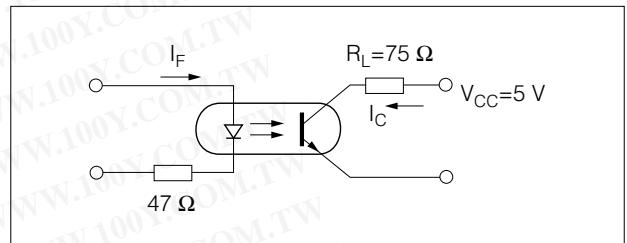
**Table 1.  $I_F=10$  mA,  $V_{CC}=5.0$  V,  $T_A=25^\circ\text{C}$ , without Saturation**

Parameter	Sym.	Value	Unit
Load Resistance	$R_L$	75	$\Omega$
Turn-on Time	$t_{on}$	3.0	$\mu\text{s}$
Rise Time	$t_r$	2.0	
Turn-off Time	$t_{off}$	2.3	
Fall Time	$t_f$	2.0	
Cut-off Frequency	$F_{CO}$	250	kHz

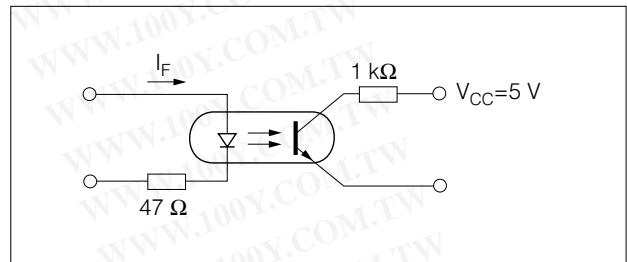
**Table 2.  $V_{CC}=5.0$  V,  $T_A=25^\circ\text{C}$ , with Saturation**

Parameter	Sym.	Switching Time by Dash Numbers			Unit
		-1 $I_F=20$ mA	-2, -3 $I_F=10$ mA	-4 $I_F=5.0$ mA	
Load Resistance	$R_L$	1000	1000	1000	$\Omega$
Turn-on Time	$t_{on}$	3.0	4.2	6.0	$\mu\text{s}$
Rise Time	$t_r$	2.0	3.0	4.6	
Turn-off Time	$t_{off}$	18	23	25	
Fall Time	$t_f$	11	14	15	

**Figure 1. Switching Times (Typical) Linear Operation (without saturation)**

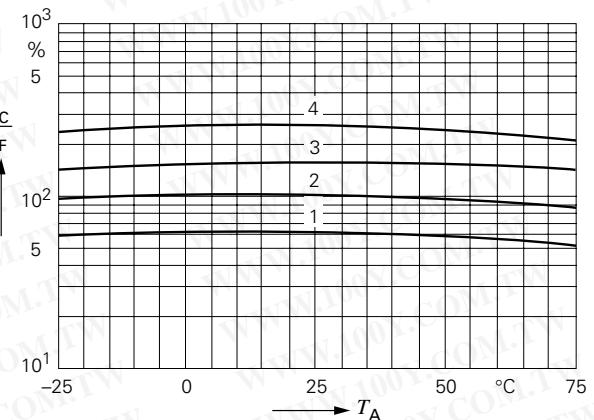


**Figure 2. Switching Operation (with saturation)**



**Figure 3. Current Transfer Ratio (typical) vs. Temperature**

$I_F=10$  mA,  $V_{CE}=5.0$  V



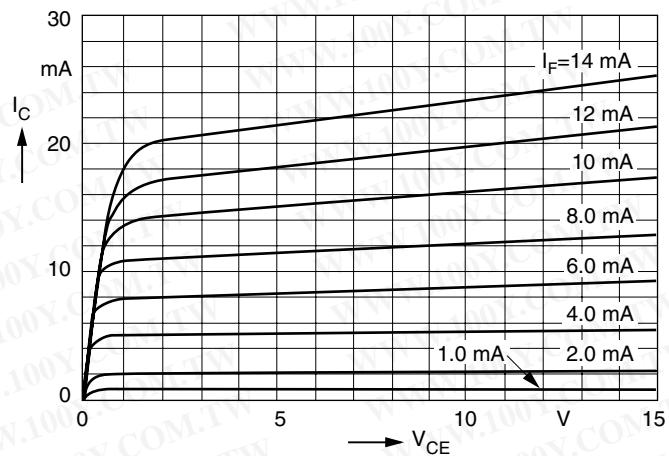
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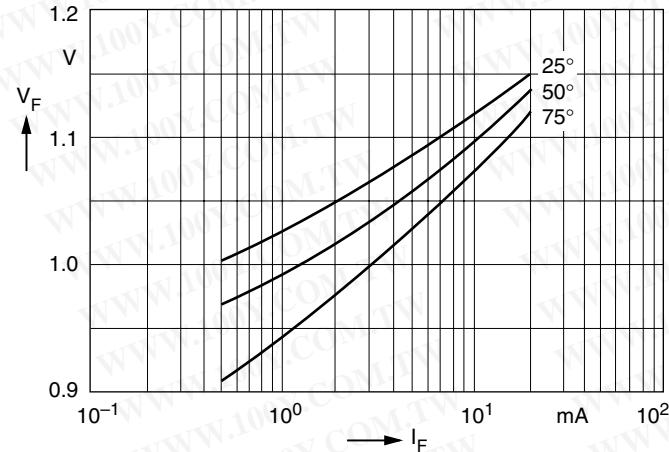
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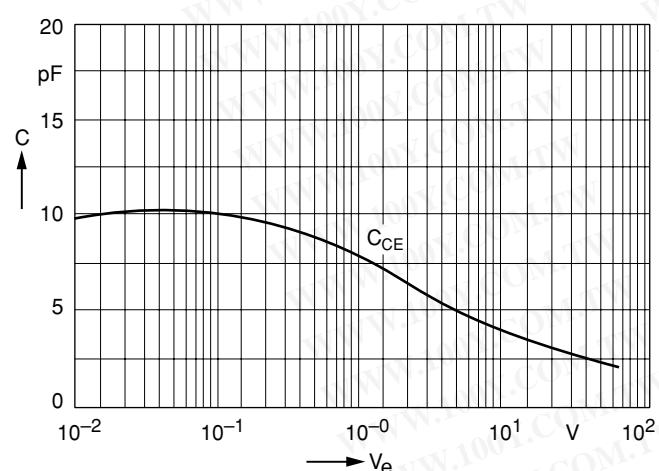
**Figure 4. Output Characteristics (typical) Collector Current vs. Collector-emitter Voltage  $T_A=25^\circ\text{C}$**



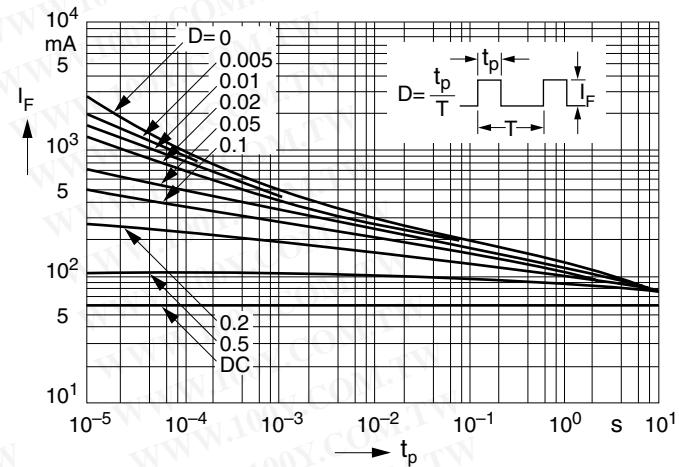
**Figure 5. Diode Forward Voltage (typical) vs. Forward Current**



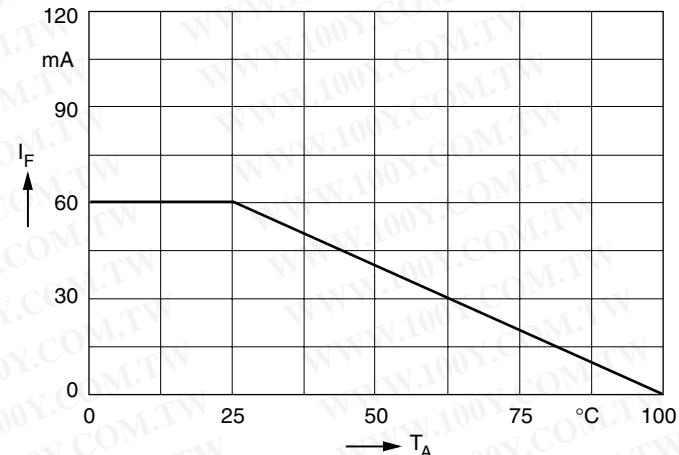
**Figure 6. Transistor Capacitance (typical) vs. Collector-emitter Voltage  $T_A=25^\circ\text{C}$ , f=1.0 MHz**



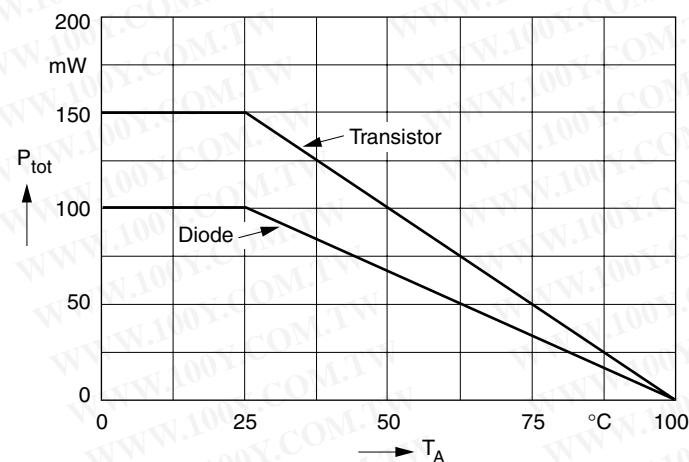
**Figure 7. Permissible Pulse Handling Capability. Forward Current vs. Pulse Width** Pulse cycle D=parameter,  $T_A=25^\circ\text{C}$



**Figure 8. Permissible Power Dissipation vs. Ambient Temperature**



**Figure 9. Permissible Diode Forward Current vs. Ambient Temperature**



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