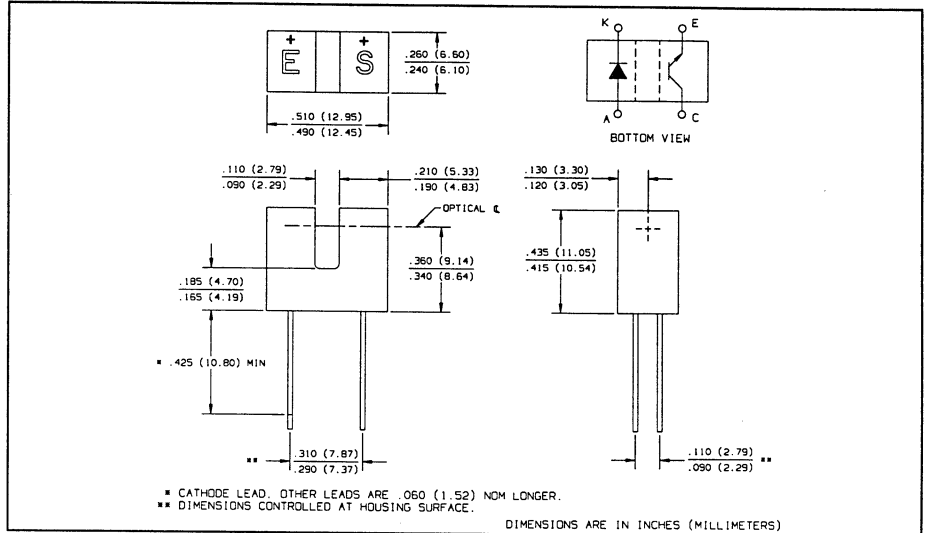
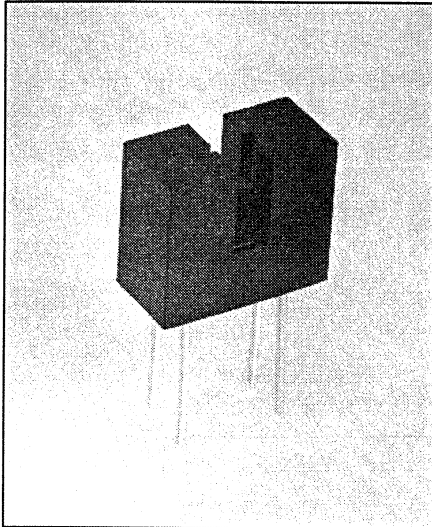


**Product Bulletin OPB847**

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# Slotted Optical Switches

## Types OPB847, OPB848



**Features**

- Non-contact switching
- Apertured for high resolution
- Fast switching speed
- 0.300" (7.62 mm) lead spacing
- 0.100" (2.54 mm) wide slot
- TX-TXV process available (see Hi-Rel section)

**Description**

The OPB847 and OPB848 each consist of an infrared emitting diode and an NPN silicon phototransistor mounted in a low cost black plastic housing on opposite sides of a 0.100" (2.54 mm) wide slot. Both devices have a 0.025" (0.635 mm) by 0.060" (1.52 mm) aperture in front of the phototransistor for high resolution position sensing.

**Absolute Maximum Ratings** (T<sub>A</sub> = 25° C unless otherwise noted)

Storage and Operating Temperature	-40° C to +85° C
Lead Soldering Temperature [1/16 inch (1.6 mm) from case for 5 sec. with soldering iron]	240° C <sup>(1)</sup>

**Input Diode**

Continuous Forward Current	50 mA
Peak Forward Current (1 μs pulse width, 300 pps)	3.0 A
Reverse Voltage	2.0 V
Power Dissipation	100 mW <sup>(2)</sup>

**Output Phototransistor**

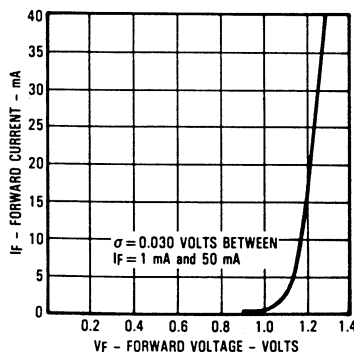
Collector-Emitter Voltage	30 V
Emitter-Collector Voltage	5.0 V
Power Dissipation	100 mW <sup>(2)</sup>

**Notes:**

- (1) RMA flux is recommended. Duration can be extended to 10 sec. max when wave soldering.
- (2) Derate linearly 1.67 mW/°C above 25° C.
- (3) Methanol or isopropanol are recommended as cleaning agents.
- (4) All parameters tested using pulse technique.

**Typical Performance Curves**

**Forward Current vs Forward Voltage Input Diodes**



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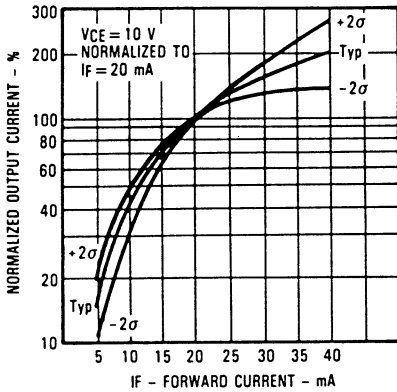
Electrical Characteristics ( $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$  unless otherwise noted)

SYMBOL	PARAMETER	MIN	MAX	UNITS	TEST CONDITIONS
<b>Input Diode</b>					
$V_F$	Forward Voltage		1.7	V	$I_F = 20\text{ mA}$
$I_R$	Reverse Current		100	$\mu\text{A}$	$V_R = 2\text{ V}$
<b>Output Phototransistor</b>					
$V_{(BR)CEO}$	Collector-Emitter Breakdown Voltage	30		V	$I_C = 1\text{ mA}$
$V_{(BR)ECO}$	Emitter-Collector Breakdown Voltage	5.0		V	$I_E = 100\ \mu\text{A}$
$I_{CEO}$	Collector-Emitter Dark Current		100	nA	$V_{CE} = 10\text{ V}, I_F = 0, E_e = 0$
<b>Coupled</b>					
$V_{CE(SAT)}$	Collector-Emitter Saturation Voltage	OPB847 OPB848	0.40 0.40	V V	$I_C = 2\text{ mA}, I_F = 20\text{ mA}$ $I_C = 0.5\text{ mA}, I_F = 20\text{ mA}$
$I_{C(ON)}$	On-State Collector Current	OPB847 OPB848	4.0 1.0	mA mA	$V_{CE} = 10\text{ V}, I_F = 20\text{ mA}$ $V_{CE} = 10\text{ V}, I_F = 20\text{ mA}$

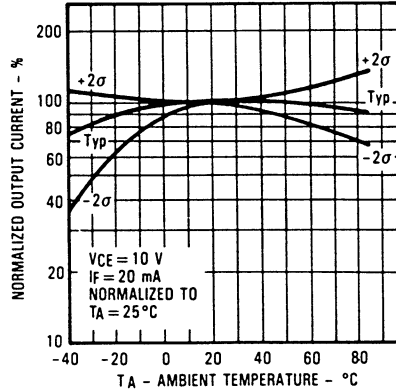
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## Typical Performance Curves

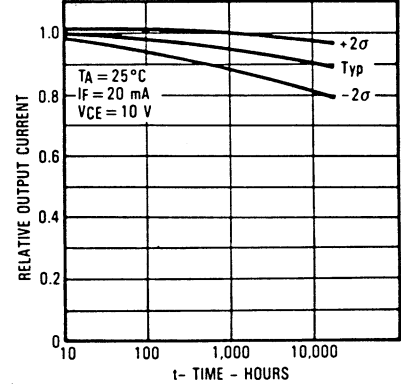
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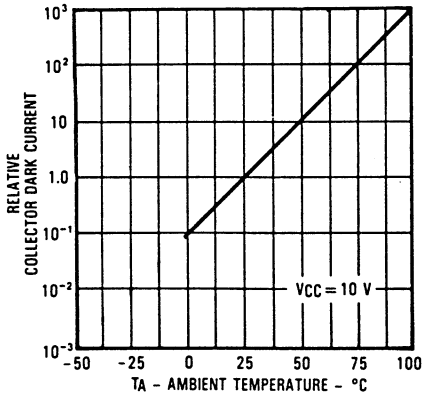
**Normalized Output Current vs Ambient Temperature**



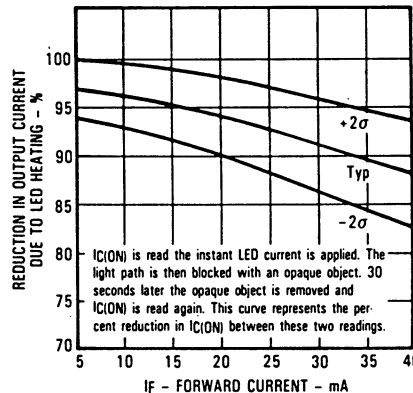
**Relative Output Current vs Time**



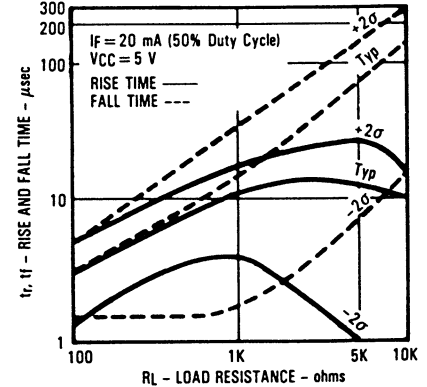
**Relative Collector Dark Current vs Ambient Temperature**



**Reduction in Output Current Due to LED Heating vs Forward Current**



**Rise and Fall Time vs Load Resistance**



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