

OLTAGE RATINGS (Full Voltage or Less):
FWA Series- 150 V AC; 200 V DC
FWX Series- 250 V AC; 300 V DC
FWH Series-500V AC; 500V DC
FWP and FBP Series- 700 V AC; 700 V DC
CURRENT RATINGS: 1 to 1000 Amperes.
NTERRUPTING RATING: 200,000 Amperes RMS Symmet. CURRENT LIMITATION: Ultra-High Degree.
t LET-THRU: Very Low.
U.L. RECOGNIZED: (FWA-15-600A); (FWX-15-800A) (FWH, FWP and FBP-15-1000A); other Series pending ompletion of U.L. action)
CONSTRUCTION: Patented design. Totally inorganic, non-degradable materials for reliability at high temperatures.
ligh thermal conductivity, ceramic tubes with revolver-like High thermal conductivity, ceramic tubes with revolver-lik Provide high-performance, a-c or d-c operation. MOUNTING: Bolt holes spaced for dimensional compatibility with most existing mount configurations and Buss fuse blocks. Buss high-performance, FW Series Semiconductor Fuses are generally mounted directly to bus bars. For useblock mounting, See Section 8
APPLICATION DATA-See Buss Bulletin SCF.

The small mass and very low, transient, thermal capacity of he thin semiconductor chip requires the use of an over current protective device which is ultra fast-acting and limits hort-circuit peak current to a very low value. Buss

Semiconductor Fuses are so designed. They prevent large destructive excursions of heat energy from being impressed upon diodes, Sck arder Buss Semicondus. The Fuses give high performance protection. They have been designed for maximum reliability.


Ultra High Degree of Current Limitation and Low $\mathrm{I}^{2}$. . The heat energy of even low-level fault currents can quickly destroy a semi-conductor device. As shown in the illustration below, the Buss FW type fuse limits peak let-thru current to a level which is a fraction of the potential available short-circuit peak current. In this typical case, the peak let-thru current of peak current that would occur if there were not current limiting action. The immensely fast speed-of-response to build-up of short-circuit current and the quickly decaying short-circuit current as the fuse suppresses internal arcing short-circuit current as the fuse suppresses internal arcing
together can limit the $I^{2}$ t let-thru to values substantially lower


## Current Limiting Effect of Fuse.

## Seloction

Series Sem ; Voltage ratings; 150 V 250 V 500 V and 700 V . Current rati cover the full range of 1 to 1000 amperes. Performance characteristics of the FWP and FBP 700 volt Series fuses are the same; however, the dimensional size of the FBP Series is smaller than the FWP Series and thus provides greater economy of space. Fuses can be applied at their full voltage rating or any lesser voltage. For instance, it may be desirable to use 700 volt (FWP Series) units in 500 volt circuits, etc.

AC or DC Application
DC voltage ratings are the same or higher than a-c ratings. For instance, the 700 volt FWP Series fuses can be applied , DC circuit is 10 milliseconds or less, at 700 volts DC. Practically, circuits of most applications do have a time constant of 10 ms or less. However, for circuits with longer
time constants, derating curves such as the one shown permit the determination of the appropriate $d$-c voltage rating

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 oc voltage rating versus circuit time constant (Overcurrent $L /$ in in
milliseconds). (Curves shown apply to the 700 FWP Series). Buss FW Series Fuses Will Interrupt Any AC Overcurrent Above Their Ampere Rating ... They are Full Range AC Fuses.

| Ampere And Voltage Ratings-Semiconductors |  |  |  |  | Carton Quantity And Weight (Semiconductor Fuses) |  |  |  |  |  |
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| 150 Volts <br> FWA | 250 Volts FWX | 500 Volts FWH | $\begin{aligned} & 700 \text { Volts } \\ & \text { FWP } \end{aligned}$ | 700 Volts | Voltage | Cat. Symbol | Ampere Rating | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ctr. } \\ & \text { ory. } \end{aligned}$ | Wt. Per Ctn. |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Kg |
|  | FWX-1 | FWH-1 |  |  | 150 | FWA | 2.30 | 10 | 0.19 | 0.086 |
| FWA. 2 | FWX-2 | FWH-2 | FWP. 2 |  |  |  | 35.60 | 10 | 1.26 | 0.571 |
| - | FWX-3 | FWH-3 | FWP.3 | - |  |  | 70.100 | 10 | 1.30 | 0.590 |
| FWA-3 | FWX.4 | FWH-4 | FWP. 4 | - |  |  | 125-400 | 1 | 0.17 | 0.077 |
| FWA. 5 | FWX-5 | FWH-5 | FWP. 5 | - |  |  | 450.600 | 1 | 0.35 | 0.159 |
| FWA. 6 | FWX-6 | FWH-6 | FWP. 6 | - |  |  | 700,800 | 1 | 0.50 | 0.227 |
| FWA. 7 | FWX.7 | FWH-7 | FWP. 7 | - | 250 | Fwx | 1.30 | 10 | 0.56 | 0.254 |
| FWA. 8 | FWX-8 | FWH-8 | FWP.8 | - |  |  | 35-60 | 10 | 1.19 | 0.540 |
| FWA. 10 | FWX. 10 | FWH-10 | FWP. 10 | - |  |  | 70.100 | 10 | 1.58 | 0.717 |
| FWA-12 | FWX. 12 | FWH-12 | FWP. 12 | - |  |  | 125-200 | , | ${ }^{1.20}$ | 0.091 |
| FWA-15 | FWX. 15 | FWH-15 | FWP-15 | FBP. 15 |  |  | 250-400 | 1 | 0.28 | 0.127 |
| FWA-20 | FWX-20 | FWH-20 | FWP.20 | FPP.20 |  |  | 450.600 | 1 | 0.36 | 0.163 |
| FWA-25 | FWX-25 | FWH-25 | FWP.25 | FBP. 25 |  |  | 700-800 | 1 | 0.50 | ${ }_{0} 0.227$ |
| FWA-30 | FWX-30 | FWH-30 | FWP.30 | FBP. 30 |  |  | 800-1000 | 1 | 2.62 | 1.188 |
| FWA-35 | FWX-35 | FWH-35 | FWP. 35 | FPP. 35 | 500 | FWH | 1.30 | 10 | 0.56 | 0.254 |
| FWA-40 | FWX-40 | FWH40 | FWP. 40 | FPP. 40 |  |  | 35-60 | 10 | 1.40 | 0.635 |
|  | - | - | FWP-45 | FPP-45 |  |  | 70-100 | 1 | 0.19 | 0.086 |
| FWA.50 | FWX. 50 | FWH-50 | FWP.50 | FPP. 50 |  |  | 125-200 | 1 | 0.28 | 0.127 |
| FWA-60 | FWX-60 | FWH 60 | FWP.60 | FBP.60 |  |  | 250.400 | 1 | 0.48 | 0.218 |
| FWA-70 | FWX-70 | FWH-70 | FWP.70 | FPP.70 |  |  | 450.600 | I | 0.69 | 0.313 |
| FWA-80 | FWX-80 | FWH-80 | FWP.80 | FPP.80 |  |  | 700-800 | 1 | 1.62 | 0.735 |
| FWA-90 | FWX-90 | FWH-90 | FWP.90 | FBP.90 |  |  | 900-1000 | 1 | 8.00 | 3.629 |
| FWA. 100 | FWX-100 | FWH-100 | FWP. 100 | FBP. 100 | 700 | FWP | 1.30 | 10 | 0.56 | 0.254 |
| FWA-125 | FWX-125 | FWH-125 | FWP. 125 | FBP. 125 |  |  | 35-60 | 10 | 0.87 | 0.395 |
| FWA-150 | FWX-150 | FWH-150 | FWP. 150 | FBP. 150 |  |  | 70-100 | 1 | 0.38 | 0.172 |
| FWA-175 | FWX-175 | FWH-175 | FWP. 175 |  |  |  | 125-200 | 1 | 0.48 | 0.218 |
| FWA-200 | FWX-200 | FWH-200 | FWP-200 | FBP-200 |  |  | 250-400 | 1 | 1.15 | 0.522 |
|  | FWX-225 | - | - | - |  |  | 450.600 | 1 | 2.62 | 1.188 |
| FWA-250 | FWX-250 | FWH-250 | FWP-250 | FBP. 250 |  |  | 700-800 | 1 | 3.56 | 1.615 |
| FWA. 300 | FWX-300 | FWH-300 | FWP. 300 | FBP. 300 |  |  | 900-1000 | 1 | ${ }_{6} 6.31$ | 2.862 |
| FWA-350 | FWX-350 | FWH-350 | FWP. 350 | FBP. 350 | 700 | FBP | 15.30 | 10 | 0.56 | 0.254 |
| FWA-400 | FWX-400 | FWH-400 | FWP. 400 | FBP-400 |  |  | 35-60 | 10 | 0.72 | 0.326 |
| FWA-450 | FWX-450 | FWH-450 | FWP.450 | FBP.450 |  |  | 70.100 | 1 | 0.28 | 0.127 |
| FWA. 500 | FWX-500 | FWH. 500 | FWP. 500 | FBP. 500 |  |  | 125-200 | 1 | 0.49 | 0.222 |
| FWA.600 | FWX. 600 | FWH.600 | FWP. 600 | FBP. 600 |  |  | 250-400 | 1 | 1.19 | 0.540 |
| FWA. 700 | FWX-700 | FWH-700 | FWP.700 | FBP. 700 |  |  | 450.600 | 1 | 2.13 | 0.966 |
| FWA-800 | FWX-800 | FWH-800 | FWP.800 | FBP-800 |  |  | 700-800 | 1 | 4.19 | 1.901 |
|  | FWX-HP.700 | - | - | - |  |  | 900-1000 | 1 | 6.0 | 2.722 |

This is a significant feature relative to some type of semiconductor fuses. Buss semiconductor fuses will interrupt any a-c overload or fault current (up to 200,000 ampere symmertical rms). ${ }^{*}$ In contrast, some type fuses will not
interrupt a-c overloads below a certain level. This limitation then requires the use of some other means of interrupting the low-level overloads.

## Arc Voltag

 clearing a fault current always exceeds the system voltage.
This arc voltage may reach a value which is twice that of the system applied voltage.

To interupt d-c overcurents which are $200 \%$ or less of the ampere rating of
the tuse electronic sensing with SCR gates suppression or orther means must
be used

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Semiconductor Fuses

FWA Series (150 Volts) 2 to 800 Amperes


FWX Series (250 Volts) 1 to 1000 Amperes


WH Series (500 Volts) 1 to 1000 Amperes


## 00-800 Ampere Rating

900-1000 Ampere Rating
FWH 500 volts ine continued on next page.

## FWH 35.600 Ampere Rating



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WX 35-600 Ampere Rating


FWH Series (500 Volts) 1 to 1000 Amperes


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900-1000 Ampere Rating
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## FWH 35.600 Ampere Rating






FWH Series (500 Volts) 1 to 1000 Amperes (cont.)
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250.400 Ampere Rating


FWP Series ( 700 Volts) 1 to 1000 Amperes


Section 7-2
Semiconductor Protection

## Semiconductor Fuses

FBP Series (700 Volts) 15 to 1000 Amperes


35-60 Ampere Rating


250-400 Ampere Rating


450-600 Ampere Rating


