

Zero Voltage Switch / Temperature Control for General Applications

Technology: Bipolar

Features

- Direct supply from the mains
- Current consumption ≤ 0.5 mA
- Very few external components
- Full wave drive – no d.c. current component in the load circuit
- Negative output current pulse typ. 100 mA – short circuit protected
- Simple power control
- Ramp generator
- Reference voltage

Case: DIP 8, SO 8

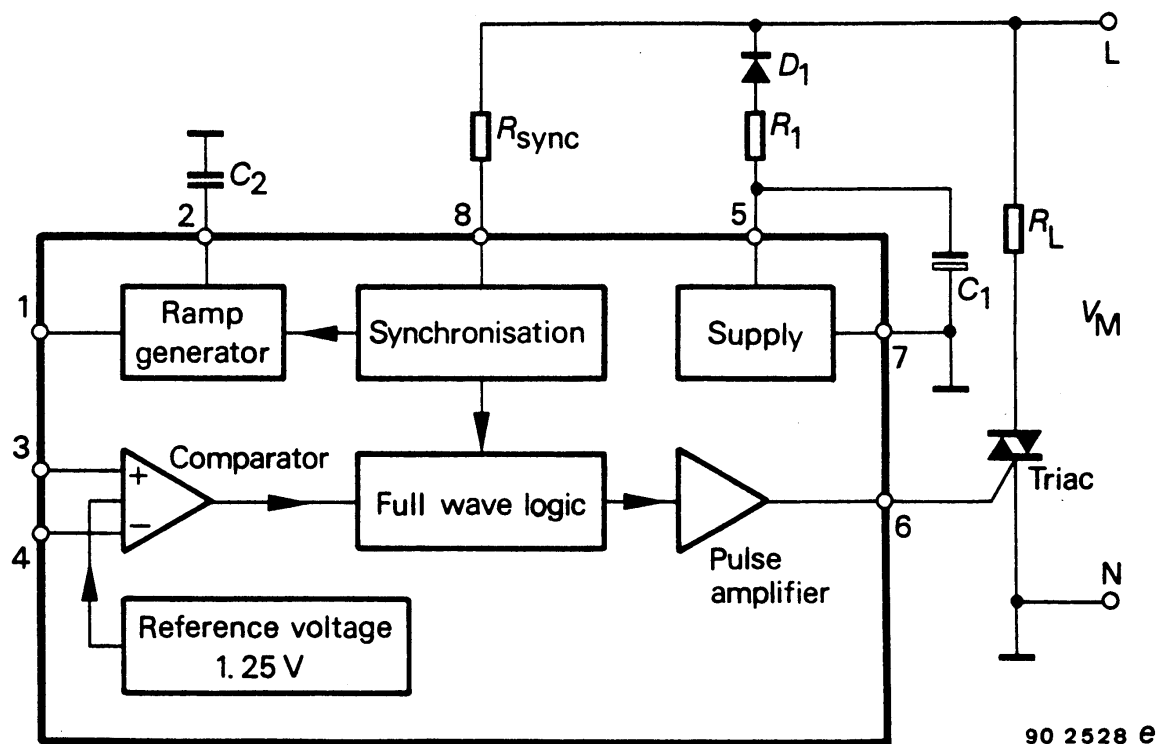


Figure 1 Block diagram and pin connections

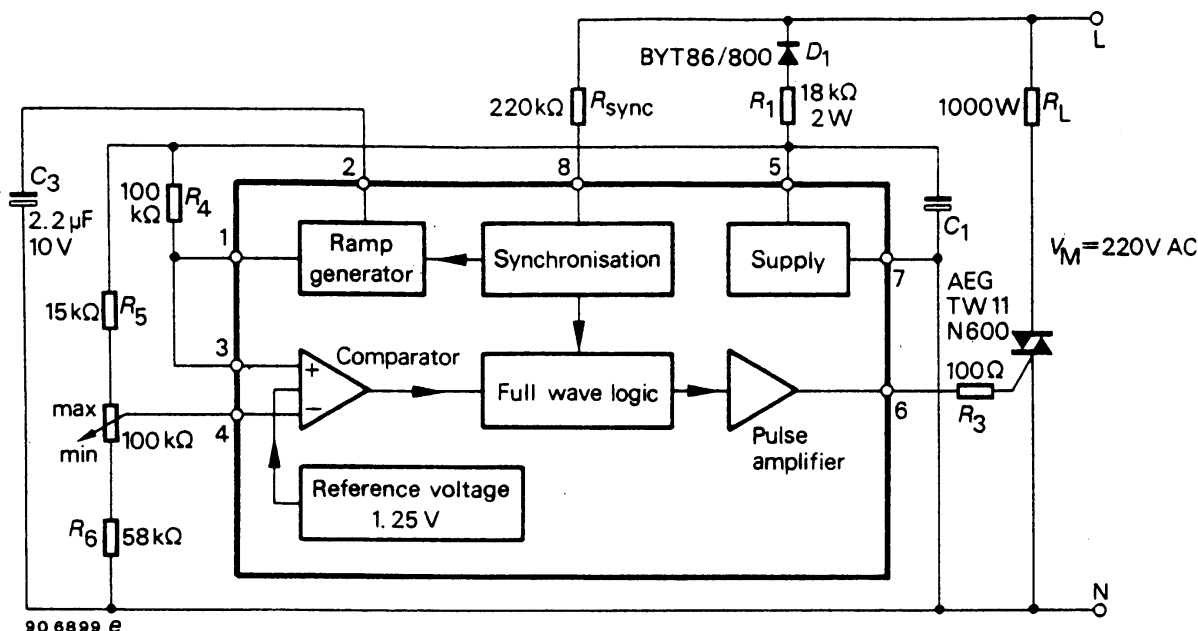


Figure 2 Typical circuit — Period group control 0 ... 100 %

General Description

Integrated circuit, U 217 B, is a triac controller for zero crossing mode. It is meant to control power in switching resistive loads of mains supply.

Informations regarding supply sync. is provided at Pin 8 via resistor R_{sync} .

To avoid d.c. load on the mains, full wave logic guarantee that complete mains cycles are used for load switching.

Fire pulse is released, when the inverted input of the comparator is negative (Pin 4) with respect to the non-inverted input (Pin 3) and internal reference voltage.

A ramp generator with free selectable duration is possible with capacitor C_2 at Pin 2, which provides not only symmetrical pulse burst control (Figure 3) but also control with superimposed proportional band (Figure 10). Ramp voltage available at capacitor C_2 is decoupled across emitter follower at Pin 1. To maintain the lamp flicker specification, ramp duration is adjusted according to the controlling load. In practice interference should be avoided

(temperature control), therefore in such cases a two point control is preferred to proportional control. One can use internal reference voltage for simple applications, in that case Pin 3 is inactive and connected to Pin 7 (GND), Figure 9.

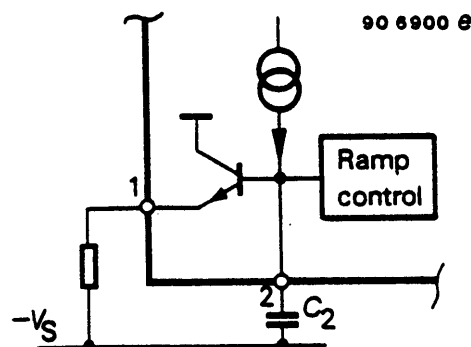


Figure 3 Pin 1 internal network

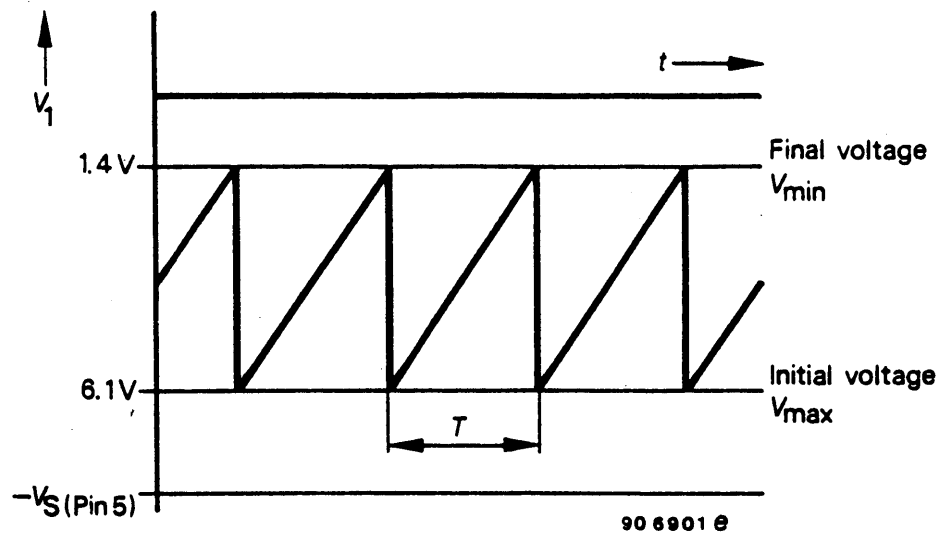


Figure 4

Firing Pulse Width t_p , Figure 5

It depends on the latching current of the triac and its load current. Firing pulse width is determined by the zero crossing identification which can be influenced with the help of sync. resistance (R_{sync}), (Figure 6).

$$t_p = \frac{2}{\omega} \arcsin \left(\frac{I_L \times V_M}{P \sqrt{2}} \right)$$

whereas

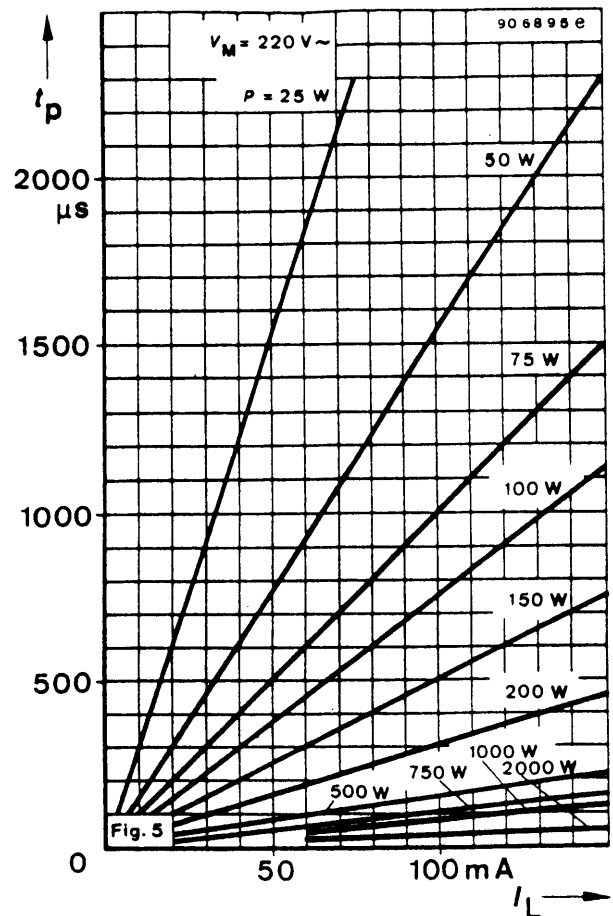
I_L = Latching current of the triac

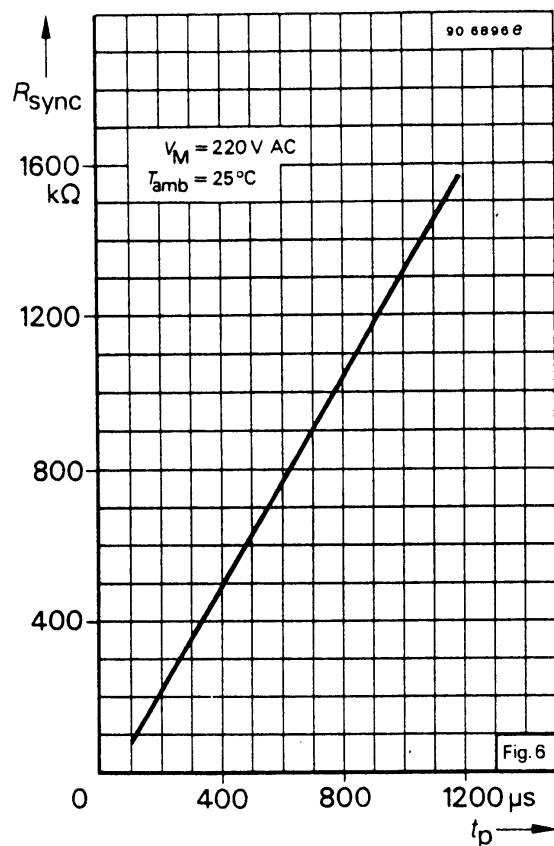
V_M = Mains supply, effective

P = Power load (user's power)

Total current consumption is influenced by firing pulse width, which can be calculated as follows:

$$R_{\text{sync}} = \frac{V_M \sqrt{2} \sin \left(\omega \times \frac{t_p}{2} \right) - 0.6 \text{ V}}{3.5 \times 10^{-5} \text{ A}} - 49 \text{ k}\Omega$$





Triac Firing Current (Pulse)

It depends on the triac requirement. It can be limited with gate series resistance, which is calculated as follows:

$$R_{Gmax} \approx \frac{7.5 \text{ V} - V_{Gmax}}{I_{Gmax}} - 36 \Omega;$$

$$I_p = \frac{I_{Gmax}}{T} \times t_p$$

whereas: V_G = Gate voltage
 I_{Gmax} = Max. gate current
 I_p = Average gate current
 t_p = Max. gate current
 T = Mains period duration

Supply Voltage

The integrated circuit U 217 B which also contains internal voltage limiting, can be connected via diode (D1) and resistor (R1) with the mains supply. An internal climb circuit limits the voltage between Pin 5 and 7 to a typical value of 9.25 V.

Series resistance R_1 can be calculated (Figures 7 and 8) as follows:

$$R_{1max} = 0.85 \frac{V_{min} - V_{Smax}}{2 I_{tot}} ; P_{(R1)} = \frac{(V_M - V_S)^2}{2 R_1}$$

$I_{tot} = I_S + I_p + I_x$ whereas

V_M = Mains voltage

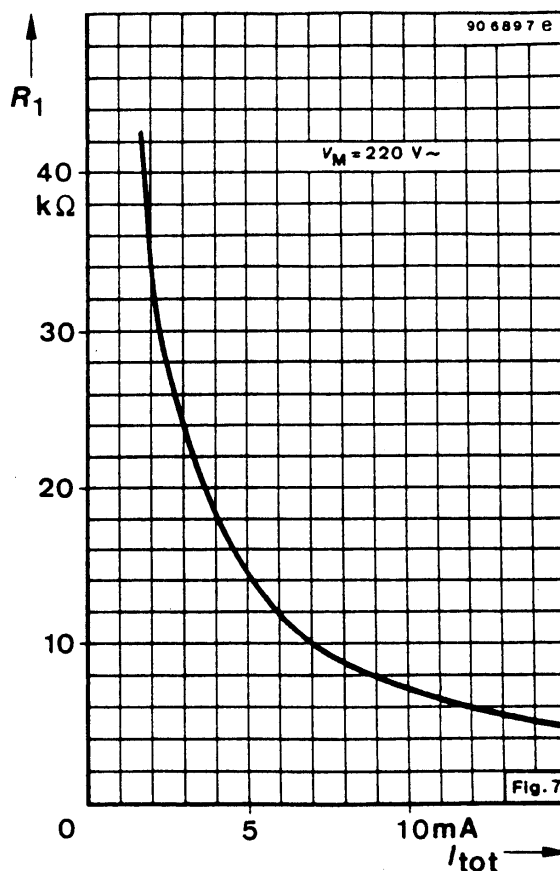
V_S = Limiting voltage of the IC

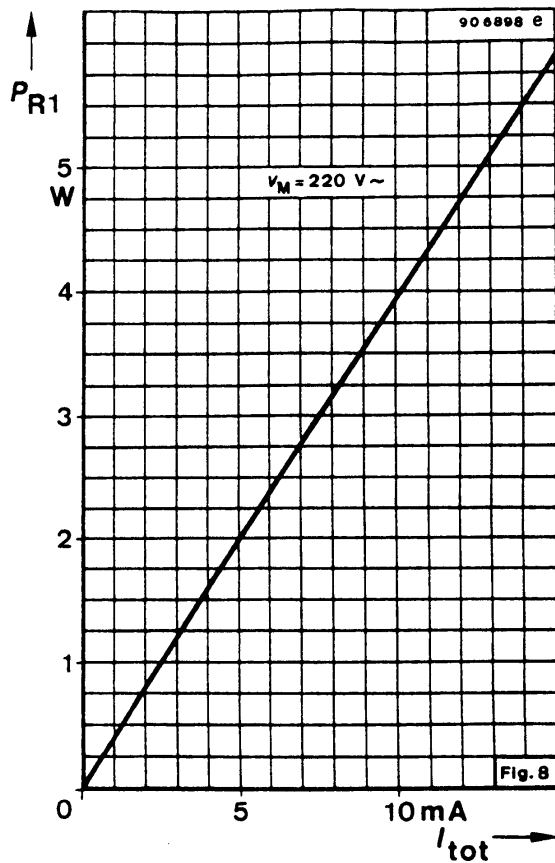
I_{tot} = Total current consumption

I_S = Current requirement of the IC (without load)

I = Current requirement of other peripheral components

$P_{(R1)}$ = Power dissipation at R_1





Absolute Maximum Ratings

Reference point Pin 7

Parameters		Symbol	Value	Unit
Supply current	Pin 5	$-I_S$	30	mA
Sync. current	Pin 8	$I_{Sync.}$	5	mA
Output current ramp generator	Pin 1	I_O	3	mA
Input voltages	Pin 1, 3, 4, 6	$-V_I$	$\leq V_S$	V
	Pin 2	$-V_I$	$2 \dots V_S$	V
	Pin 8	$\pm V_I$	≤ 7.3	V
Power dissipation				
$T_{amb} = 45^\circ C$		P_{tot}	400	mW
$T_{amb} = 100^\circ C$		P_{tot}	125	mW
Junction temperature		T_j	125	$^\circ C$
Operating-ambient temperature range		T_{amb}	0 ... 100	$^\circ C$
Storage temperature range		T_{stg}	-40 ... + 125	$^\circ C$

Thermal Resistance

Parameters	Symbol	Maximum	Unit
Junction ambient	R_{thJA}	200	K/W

Electrical Characteristics

$-V_S = 8\text{ V}$, $T_{\text{amb}} = 25\text{ °C}$, reference point Pin 7, unless otherwise specified

Parameters	Test Conditions / Pin	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Supply voltage limitation	$-I_S = 5\text{ mA}$ Pin 5	$-V_S$	8.6	9.25	9.9	V
Supply current	Pin 5	$-I_S$			500	μA
Voltage limitation	$I_8 = \pm 1\text{ mA}$ Pin 8	$\pm V_I$	7.5		8.7	V
Synchronous current	Pin 8	$\pm I_{\text{Sync}}$	0.12			mA
Zero detector		$\pm I_{\text{Sync}}$		35		μA
Output pulse width	$V_M = 220\text{ V}$, $R_{\text{Sync}} = 220\text{ k}\Omega$ $R_{\text{Sync}} = 470\text{ k}\Omega$	t_p t_p		260 460		μs μs
Output pulse current	$V_6 = 0\text{ V}$ Pin 6	$-I_O$	100			mA
Comparator						
Input offset voltage	Pin 3,4	V_{IO}		5	15	mV
Input bias current	Pin 4	I_{IB}			1	μA
Common mode input range	Pin 3,4	$-V_{IC}$	1		(V_{S-1})	V
Threshold internal reference	$V_3 = 0\text{ V}$ Pin 4	$-V_T$		1.25		V
Ramp generator , reference point Pin 5 ($-V_S$) Period, Figure 13	$-I_S = 1\text{ mA}$, $I_{\text{Sync}} = 1\text{ mA}$, $C_1 = 100\text{ }\mu\text{F}$, $C_2 = 1\text{ }\mu\text{F}$, $R_4 = 120\text{ k}\Omega$ Pin 1	T		0.78		s
Initial voltage	Pin 1	V_1	0.9	1.40	1.80	V
Final voltage	Pin 1	V_1	5.7	6.1	6.70	V
Charge current	$V_2 = 0\text{ V}$, $I_8 = -1\text{ mA}$ Pin 2	$-I_2$		17	20	μA

Applications

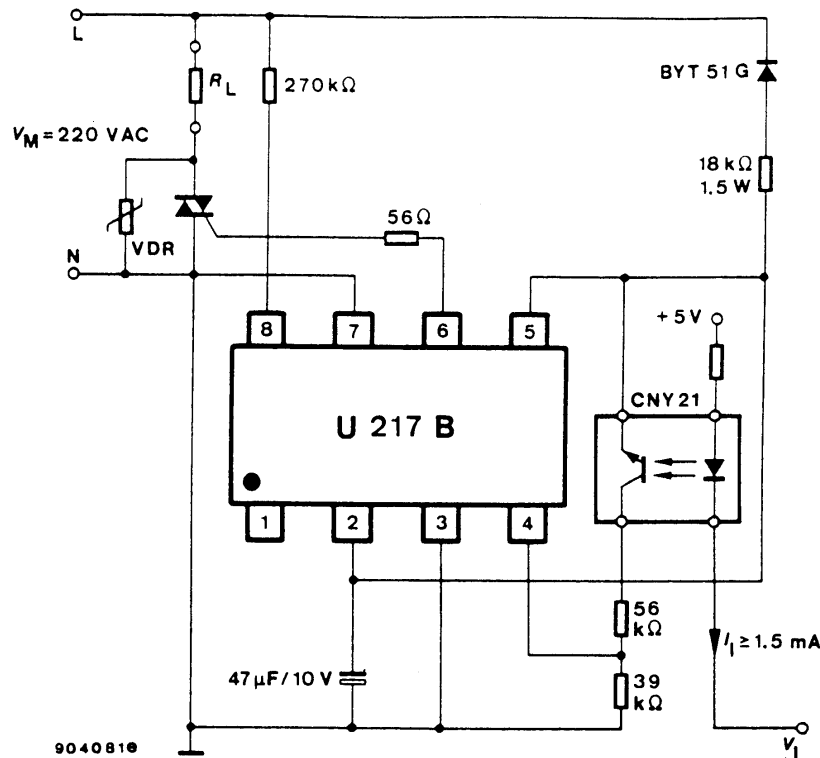


Figure 9 Power switch

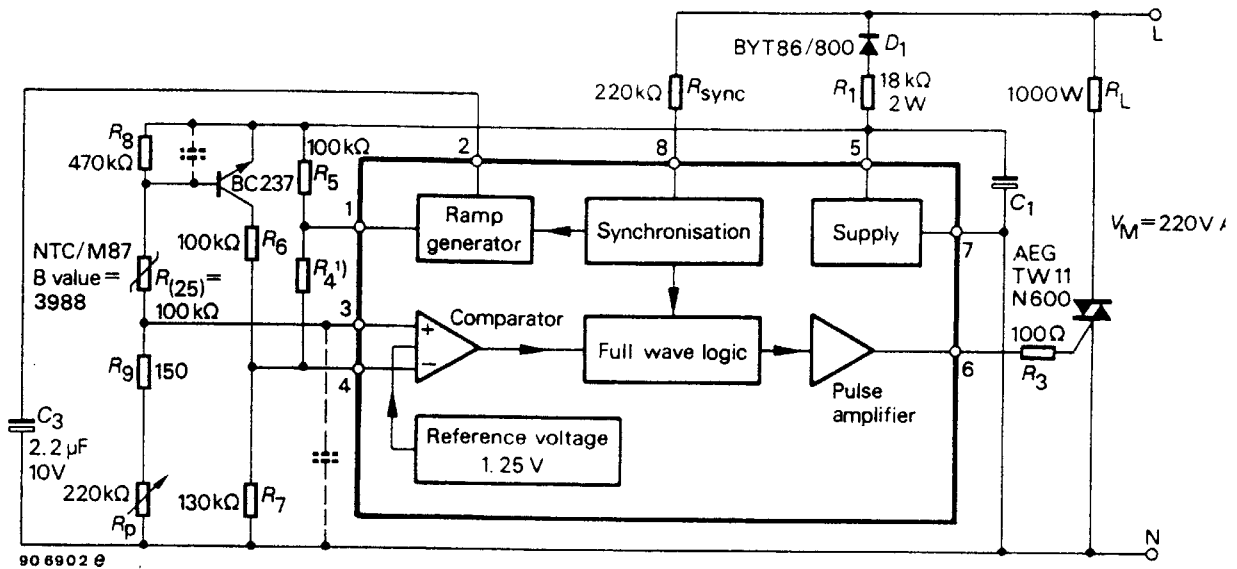


Figure 10 Temperature control 15 °C ... 35 °C with sensor monitoring
NTC-Sensor M 87 Fabr. Siemens

$$R_{(25)} = 100 \text{ k}\Omega / B = 3988 \Rightarrow R_{(15)} = 159 \text{ k}\Omega \quad R_{(35)} = 64.5 \text{ k}\Omega \quad R_4^{(1)} \text{ determines the proportional range}$$

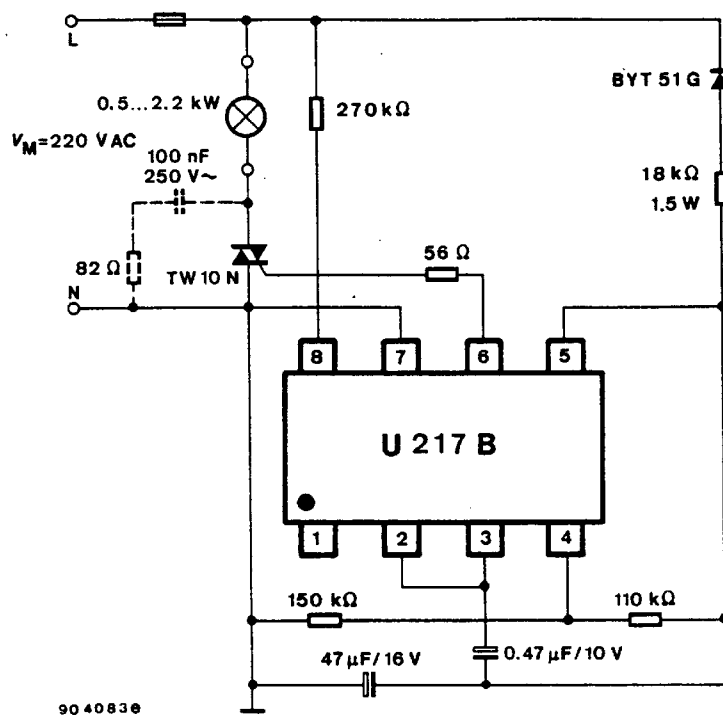


Figure 11 Power blinking switch with $f \approx 2.7$ Hz, duty cycle 1:1, power range 0.5 ... 2.2 kW

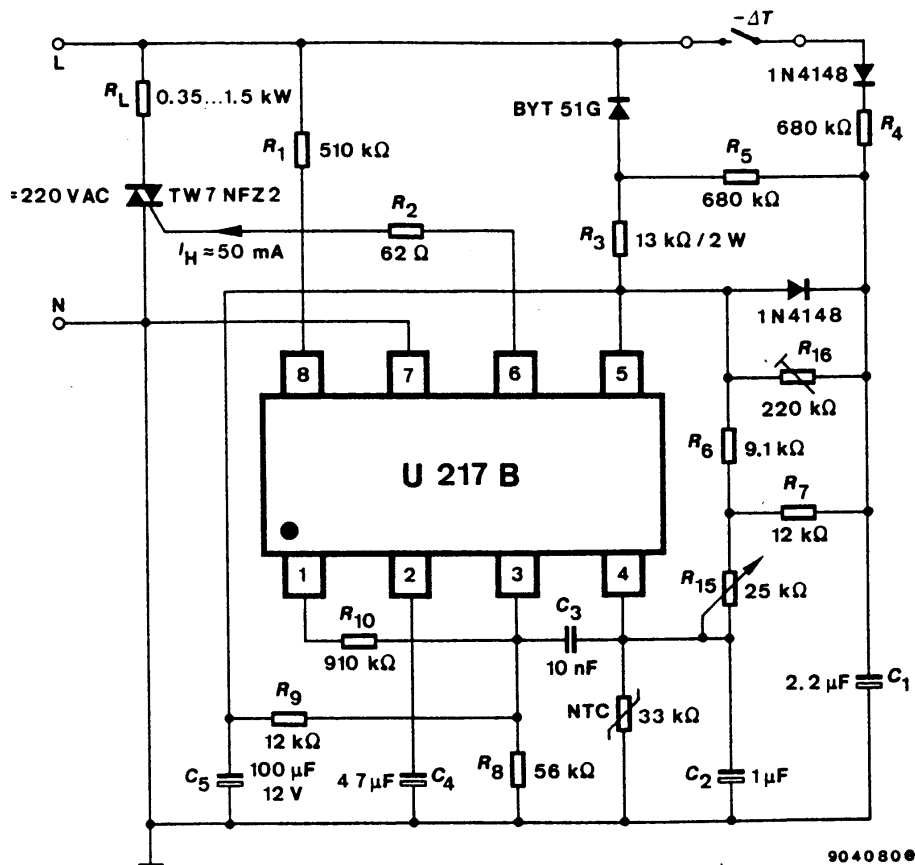


Figure 12 Room temperature control with definite reduction (remote control) for a temperature range 5 ... 30 °C

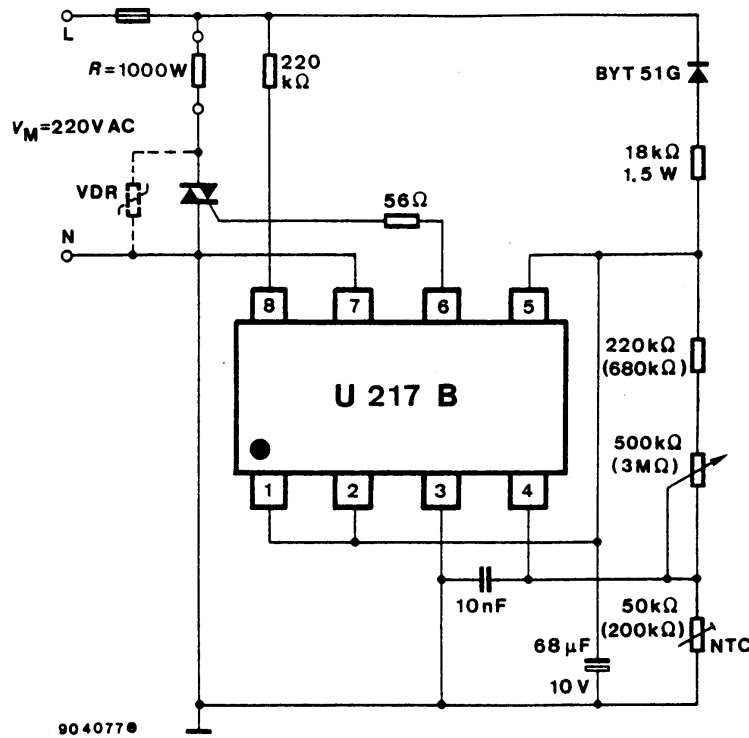


Figure 13 Two-point temperature control for a temperature range 15 ... 30 °C

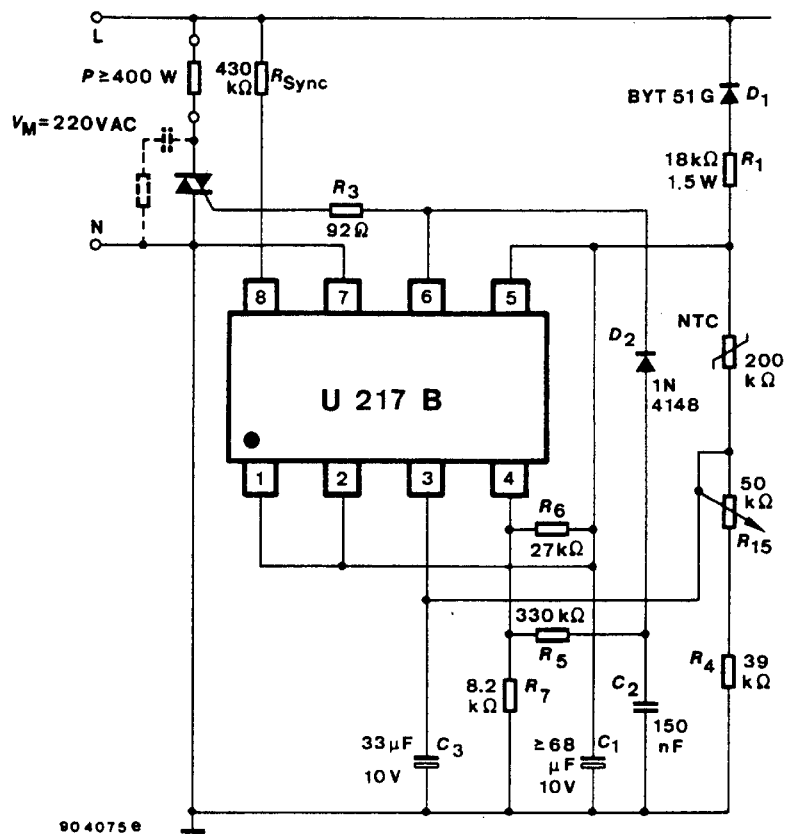


Figure 14 Two-point temperature control for a temperature range 18 ... 32 °C and hysteresis of ± 0.5 °C at 25 °C

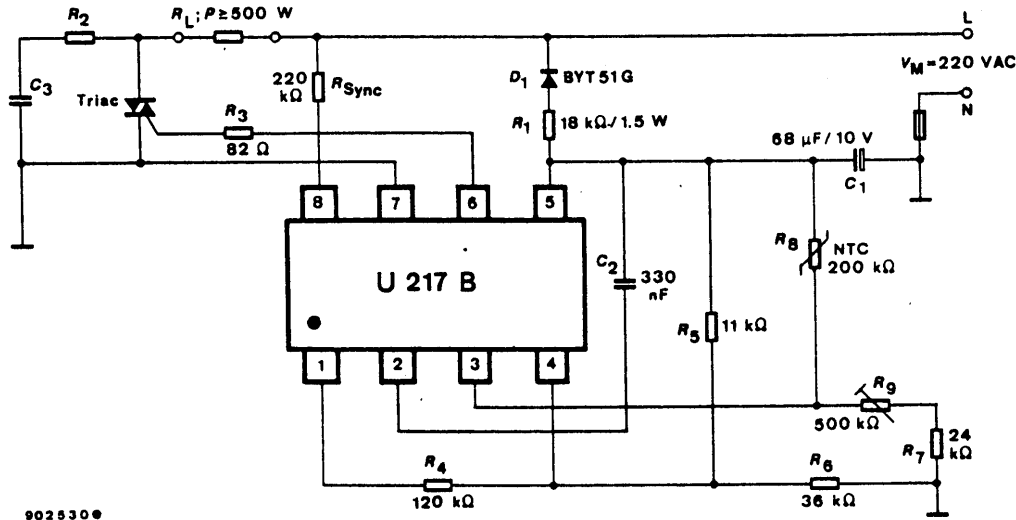


Figure 15 Two-point temperature control with superimposed proportional behaviour for temperature range 40 ... 120 °C

The circuit described here is a two-step temperature controller with superimposed proportional behaviour. The temperature can be continuously set from 40 °C to 120 °C. The proportional quantity was dimensioned in such a way that it becomes effective in the tolerance range of ± 5 °C at a temperature of 60 °C. The period of the proportional action control working in accordance with the period group method, was set so that, with loads up to 500 W, the flicker standard is adhered to.

With a low periphery expenditure, control can be realized with the monolithically integrated zero voltage switch U 217 B. Temperature measurement takes place via a high resistance NTC arranged in a bridge circuit. In this way, an

excessive bridge current is avoided. The set values can be varied with the potentiometer R_9 . The bridge voltage is led to the internal comparator. Triac control pulses can only be generated if Pin 3 is positive with respect to Pin 4. A ramp generator connected via resistor R_4 to Pin 4 causes the circuits proportional behaviour. The proportional influence can be varied by altering the resistor R_4 . The capacitor C_2 determines the generator frequency. To obtain good control behaviour, a high generator frequency is necessary. However, there is a load-dependent frequency limitation for adherence to the above mentioned flicker standard. Zero voltage synchronization and adjustment of the output pulse width takes place at Pin 8 via the resistor R . The circuit is fed directly from the mains via resistor R_2 .

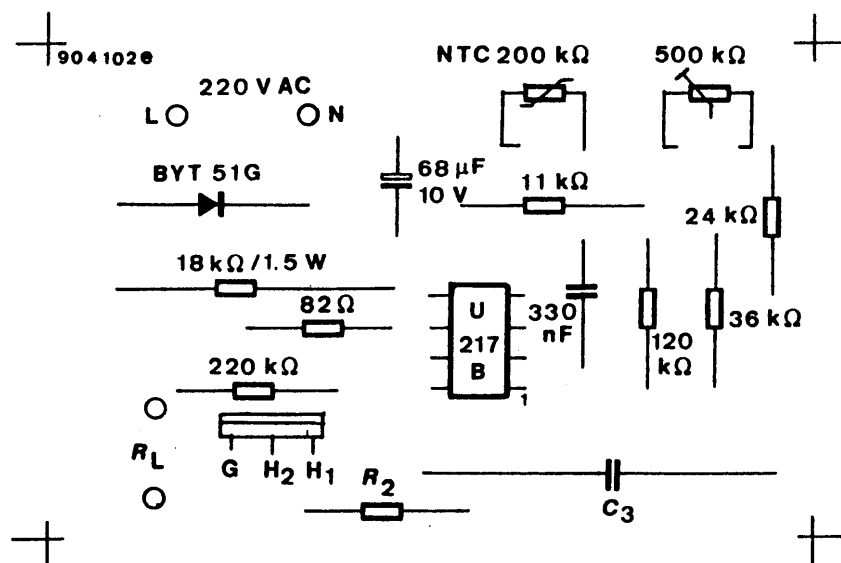


Figure 16 Printed board with components

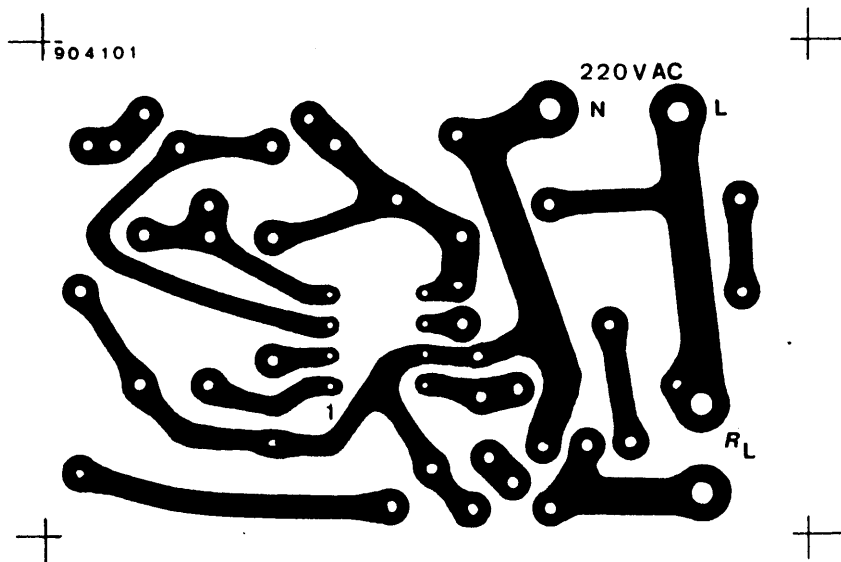


Figure 17 Printed board layout for circuit from Figure 15

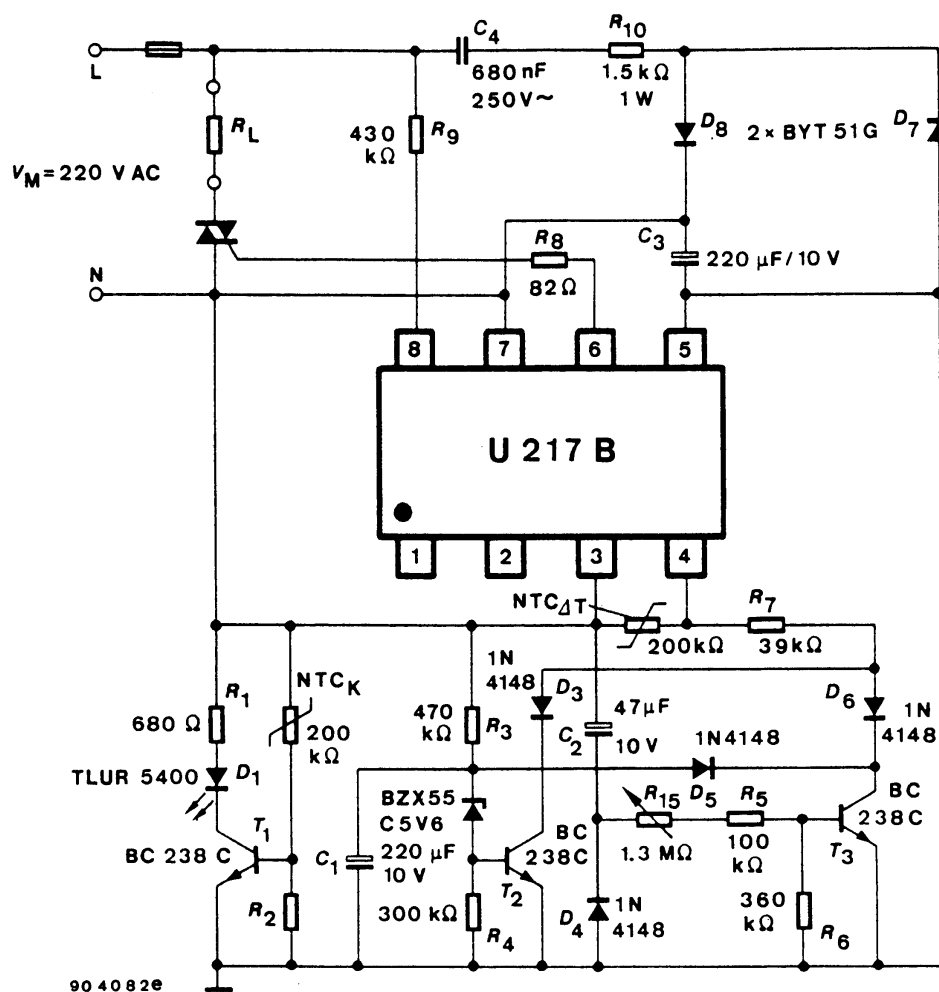


Figure 18 Coffee machine temperature control with boiling temperature automatic and calcareous deposit indicator

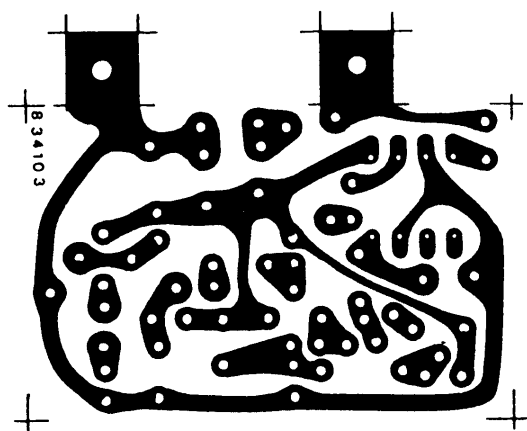


Figure 19 Printed board

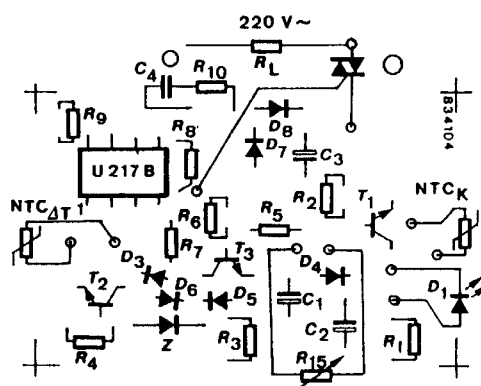
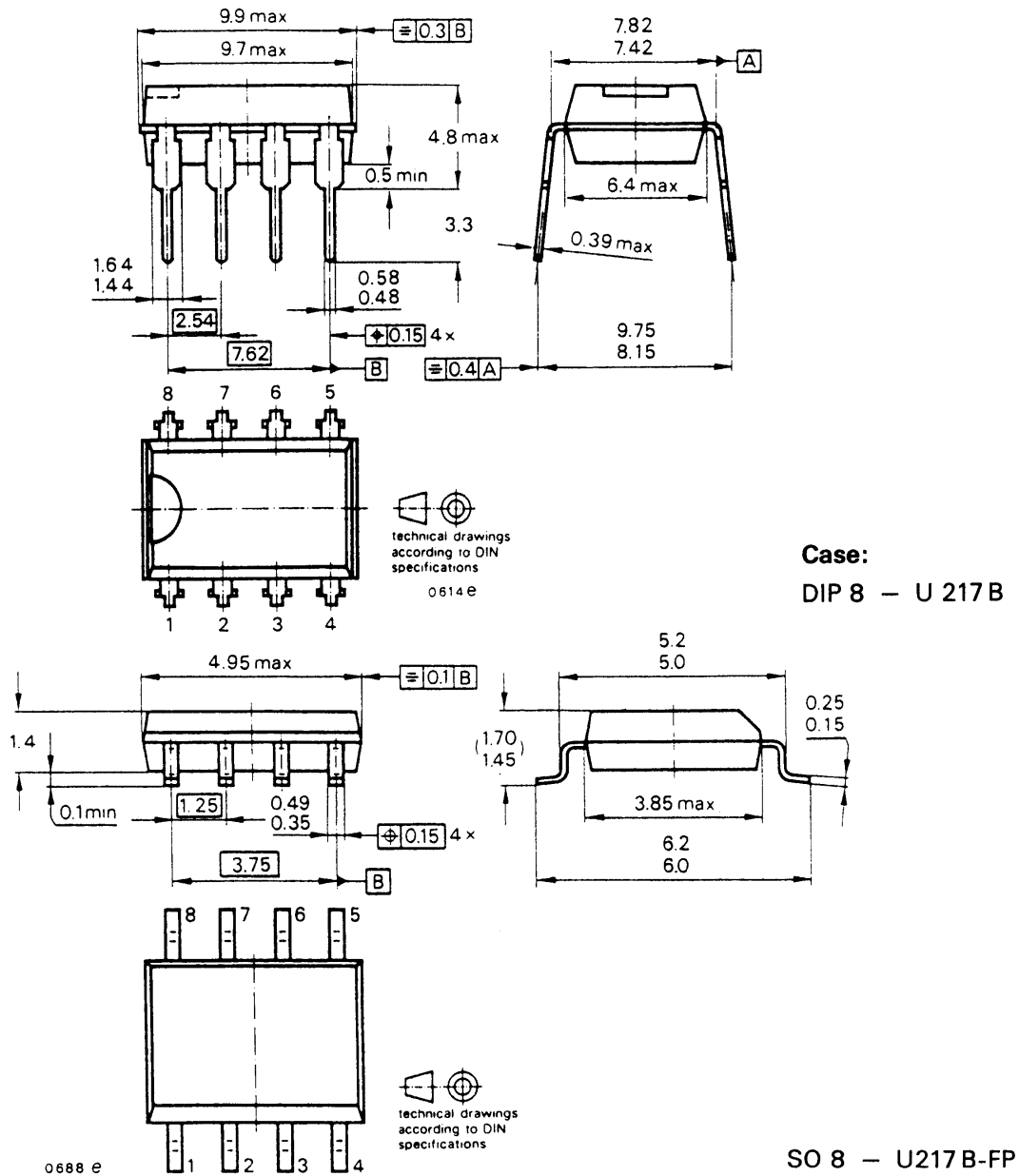


Figure 20 Printed board with components

Dimension in mm



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