

NTC thermistors for inrush current limiting

Leaded and coated disks

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Applications

 Inrush current limiting, e.g. in switch-mode power supplies, soft-start motors

Features

- Leaded and coated NTC thermistors
- Tinned copper wire, kinked
- Coating material flame retardant to UL 94 V-0
- Component marking includes the manufacturer's logo, resistance value and date code
- Highly stable electrical characteristics

Approvals

- UL 1434 (file number E69802)
- IEC (certificate number 101QA12)
- VDE (certificate number 40038223)
- CQC (0900104539)

Options

Resistance tolerance <20% and alternative lead configurations available on request

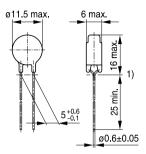
Delivery mode

Bulk (standard), cardboard tape on reel or Ammo pack

General technical data

Climatic category	(IEC 60068-1)		55/170/21	
Max. power	(at 25 °C)	P_{max}	2.1	W
Resistance tolerance		$\Delta R_R/R_R$	±20	%
Rated temperature		T_R	25	°C
Dissipation factor	(in air)	δ_{th}	approx. 10	mW/K
Thermal cooling time constant	(in air)	$ au_{c}$	approx. 70	s
Heat capacity		C_{th}	approx. 700	mJ/K

Dimensional drawing



1) Seating plane to IEC 60717 ICL0038-A-E

Dimensions in mm Approx. weight 1 g



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Electrical specification and ordering codes

R ₂₅	I _{max}	C _{test} 1)	C _{test} 1)	R _{min}	Ordering code
	(065 °C)	230 V AC	110 V AC	(@ I _{max} , 25 °C)	
Ω	Α	μF	μF	Ω	
2.2	6	200	800	0.057	B57236S0229M0**
2.5	5.5	200	800	0.067	B57236S0259M0**
3	5	300	1200	0.077	B57236S0309M0**
4.7	4.6	300	1200	0.102	B57236S0479M0**
5	4.5	300	1200	0.108	B57236S0509M0**
8	3.7	300	1200	0.152	B57236S0809M0**
10	3.5	300	1200	0.180	B57236S0100M0**
12	3.2	300	1200	0.215	B57236S0120M0**
16	2.9	300	1200	0.262	B57236S0160M0**
20	2.8	300	1200	0.284	B57236S0200M0**
25	2.5	300	1200	0.357	B57236S0250M0**
50	1.9	300	1200	0.594	B57236S0500M0**
80	1.6	400	1600	0.861	B57236S0800M0**
120	1.5	400	1600	0.990	B57236S0121M0**

^{** =} Delivery mode

^{00 =} Bulk

^{51 =} Reel packing

^{54 =} Ammo packing



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Reliability data

Test	Standard	Test conditions	$\Delta R_{25}/R_{25}$ (typical)	Remarks
Storage in dry heat	IEC 60068-2-2	Storage at upper category temperature T: 170 °C t: 1000 h	< 20%	No visible damage
Storage in damp heat, steady state	IEC 60068-2-78	Temperature of air: 40 °C Relative humidity of air: 93% Duration: 21 days	< 20%	No visible damage
Thermal schock	IEC 60068-2-14	Lower test temperature: -55 °C t: 30 min Upper test temperature: 170 °C t: 30 min Time to change from lower to upper temperature: < 30 s Number of cycles: 10	< 20%	No visible damage
Endurance	IEC 60539-1	Ambient temperature: 25 ± 5 °C I = I _{max} t: 1000 h	< 20%	No visible damage
Cyclic endurance	IEC 60539-1	Ambient temperature: 25 ±5 °C I = I _{max} On-time = 1 min Cooling time = 5 min Number of cycles: 1000	< 20%	No visible damage
Maximum permissible capacitance test	IEC 60539-1	Ambient temperature: 25 ±5 °C Capacitance = C _{test} Number of cycles: 1000	< 20%	No visible damage

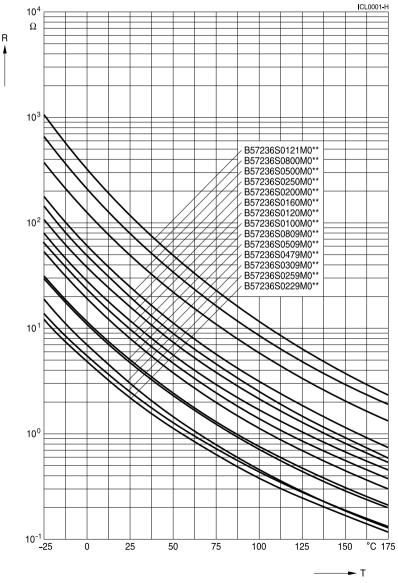
Note

- The self-heating of a thermistor during operation depends on the load applied and the applicable dissipation factor.
- When loaded with maximum allowable current/power and the specified dissipation factor is taken as a basis, the NTC thermistor may reach a mean temperature of up to 250 °C.
- The heat developed during operation will also be dissipated through the lead wires. So the contact areas, too, may become quite hot at maximum load.
- When mounting NTC thermistors you have to ensure that there is an adequate distance between the thermistor and all parts which are sensitive to heat or combustible.



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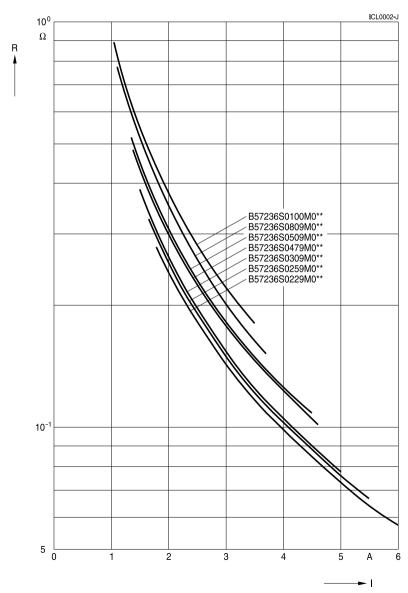
Resistance versus temperature



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Resistance versus current



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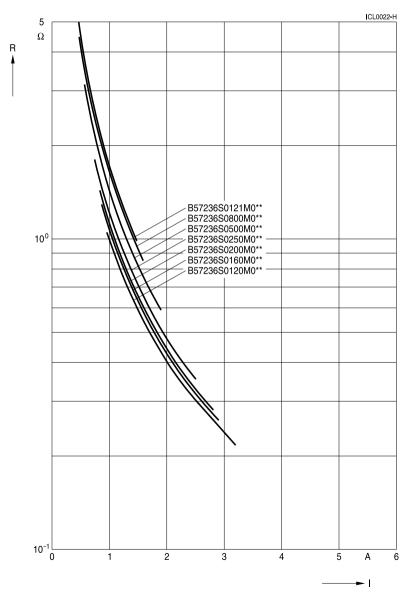


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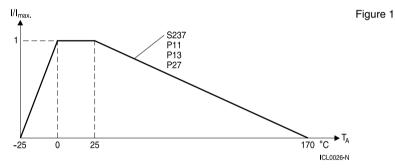
Application notes

The following two important aspects for determining the right NTC inrush current limiter are excerpted from the chapter "Application notes" in the "NTC Inrush Current Limiters, Data book 2012". The complete application note can be downloaded from www.epcos.com/ntcicl_appnotes.

1.4 Load derating

The power handling capability of an NTC thermistor cannot be fully utilized over the entire temperature range. For circuit dimensioning the derating curve given below provides information on the extent to which the current must be reduced at a certain ambient temperature (T_{Δ}) .

Derating curve for types S237, P11 and P13

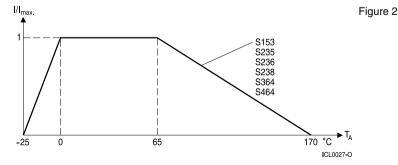


Percent of
$$I_{max} = 100 \left[1 - \frac{T_A - 25 \degree C}{T_{max} - 25 \degree C} \right]$$

 T_A = Ambient temperature > 25 $^{\circ}C$

T_{max} = 170 °C

Derating curve for types S153, S235, S236, S238, S364 and S464





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Percent of
$$I_{max} = 100 \left[1 - \frac{T_A - 65 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}}{T_{max} - 65 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}} \right]$$

$$T_{max} = 170 \, ^{\circ}C$$

The I_{max} values specified in the data sheets denote the maximum permissible continuous current (DC or RMS values for sine-shaped AC) in the temperature range 0 °C to 65 °C.

1.6 Maximum permissible capacitance

The currents during turn-on are much higher than the rated currents during continuous operation. To test the effects of these current surges EPCOS uses the following standard procedure according to IEC 60539-1:

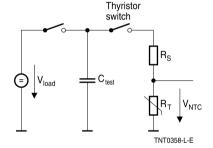


Figure 3

Test circuit for evaluating the maximum permissible capacitance of an NTC thermistor

V_{load} Load voltage [V]

C_{test} Test capacitance [μF]

 R_s Series resistance $[R_s = 1 \Omega]$

V_{NTC} Voltage drop across the NTC under test [V]

The capacitor C_{test} is discharged via the series resistor R_S and the NTC inrush current limiter. The load voltage is chosen such that the voltage applied to the thermistor at the start of discharge is $V_{\text{NTC}} = 375 \text{ V}$ (corresponds to (230 V + Δ V) · $\sqrt{2}$).



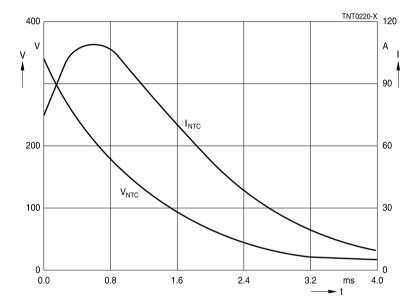


Figure 4

Maximum permissible capacitance discharging test: typical curves

The maximum capacitances that can be switched depend on the individual thermistor type and are given in the data sheets.



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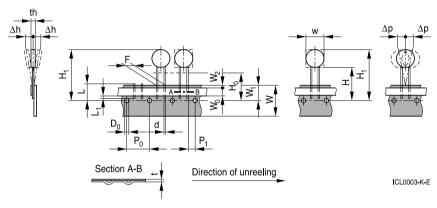
Taping and packing

1 Taping of radial leaded ICL NTC thermistors according to the specified lead spacing

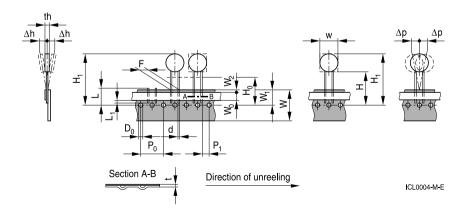
Dimensions and tolerances

Lead spacing F = 5.0 mm (taping to IEC 60286-2)

for the following types: S153, S235 and S236



Lead spacing F = 7.5 mm (taping based on IEC 60286-2) for the following types: P11, P13, S237, S238 and S364





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Dimensions (mm)

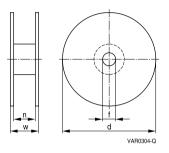
	Lead spacing 5 mm	Tolerance of lead spacing 5 mm	Lead spacing 7.5 mm	Tolerance of lead spacing 7.5 mm	Remarks
W	≤12.0	O THIN	≥12.0	7.5 11111	please refer to dimensional drawings
th	6.0	max.	7	max.	please refer to dimensional drawings
d	0.5/0.6	±0.05	0.8/1.0	±0.05	please refer to dimensional drawings
P ₀	12.7	±0.3	12.7	±0.3	±1 mm / 20 sprocket holes
P ₁	3.85	±0.7	8.95	±0.8	
F	5.0	+0.6/-0.1	7.5	±0.8	
Δh	0	±2.0	0	Depends on th	measured at top of component body
Δp	0	±1.3	0	±2.0	
W	18.0	±0.5	18.0	±0.5	
W_0	5.5	min.	11.0	min.	peel-off force ≥5 N
W_1	9.0	+0.75/-0.5	9.0	+0.75/-0.5	
W_2	3.0	max.	3.0	max.	
Н	18.0	+2.0/-0	18.0	+2.0/-0	applies only to uncrimped types
H _o	16.0	±0.5	16.0	±0.5	applies only to crimped types
H ₁	32.2	max.	45.0	max.	
D ₀	4.0	±0.2	4.0	±0.2	
t	0.9	max.	0.9	max.	without wires
L	11.0	max.	11.0	max.	
L ₁	4.0	max.	4.0	max.	

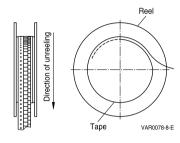


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Types of packing

Reel packing

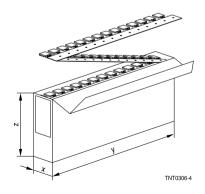




Reel dimensions (in mm)

Reel type	Series	pcs. per reel	d	f	n	W
I	S153, S235	1500	360 max.	31 ±1	approx. 45	54 max.
I	S236	1000	360 max.	31 ±1	approx. 45	54 max.
II	P11, P13	1500	500 max.	23 ±1	approx. 59	72 max.
II	S237, S238, S364	1000	500 max.	23 ±1	approx. 59	72 max.

Ammo packing



Ammo type	Series	pcs. per package	х	у	Z
I	S153, S235, S236	1000	45	335	272
II	P11, P13, S237, S238, S364	750	55	340	340

Ammo packing dimensions (in mm)

Bulk packing

The components are packed in cardboard boxes, the size of which depends on the order quantity. Series S464 and P27 is only available as bulk.



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Mounting instructions

1 Soldering

1.1 Leaded NTC thermistors

Leaded thermistors comply with the solderability requirements specified by CECC.

When soldering, care must be taken that the NTC thermistors are not damaged by excessive heat. The following maximum temperatures, maximum time spans and minimum distances have to be observed:

Dip soldering Iron soldering

Bath temperature max. 260 °C max. 360 °C

Soldering time max. 4 s max. 2 s

Distance from thermistor min. 6 mm min. 6 mm

Under more severe soldering conditions the resistance may change.

Solderability (test to IEC 60068-2-20)

Preconditioning: Immersion into flux F-SW 32.

Evaluation criterion: Wetting of soldering areas ≥95%.

Solder	Bath temperature (°C)	Dwell time (s)
SnAg (3.0 4.0), Cu (0.5 0.9)	245 ±3	3

1.1.1 Resistance to soldering heat (test to IEC 60068-2-20)

Preconditioning: Immersion into flux F-SW 32.

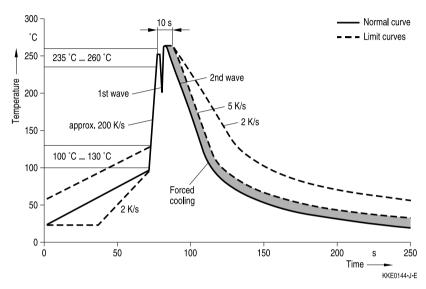
Solder	Bath temperature (°C)	Dwell time (s)
SnAg (3.0 4.0), Cu (0.5 0.9)	260 -5	10



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1.1.2 Wave soldering

Temperature characteristic at component terminal with dual wave soldering



2 Robustness of terminations

The leads meet the requirements of IEC 60068-2-21. They may not be bent closer than 4 mm from the solder joint on the thermistor body or from the point at which they leave the feed-throughs. During bending, any mechanical stress at the outlet of the leads must be removed. The bending radius should be at least 0.75 mm.

Tensile strength: Test Ua1:

Leads $0.50 < \emptyset \le 0.80 \text{ mm} = 10.0 \text{ N}$

0.80 < Ø≤1.25 mm = 20.0 N

Bending strength: Test Ub:

Two 90°-bends in opposite directions at a weight of 0.25 kg.

Torsional strength: Test Uc: severity 2

The lead is bent by 90° at a distance of 6 to 6.5 mm from the thermistor body.

The bending radius of the leads should be approx. 0.75 mm. Two torsions of

180° each (severity 2).



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When subjecting leads to mechanical stress, the following should be observed:

Tensile stress on leads

During mounting and operation tensile forces on the leads are to be avoided.

Bending of leads

Bending of the leads directly on the thermistor body is not permissible.

A lead may be bent at a minimum distance of twice the wire's diameter +2 mm from the solder joint on the thermistor body. During bending the wire must be mechanically relieved at its outlet. The bending radius should be at least 0.75 mm.

Twisting of leads

The twisting (torsion) by 180° of a lead bent by 90° is permissible at 6 mm from the bottom of the thermistor body.

3 Sealing and potting

When thermistors are sealed, potted or overmolded, there must be no mechanical stress caused by thermal expansion during the production process (curing / overmolding process) and during later operation. The upper category temperature of the thermistor must not be exceeded. Ensure that the materials used (sealing / potting compound and plastic material) are chemically neutral.

4 Cleaning

If cleaning is necessary, mild cleaning agents such as ethyl alcohol and cleaning gasoline are recommended. Cleaning agents based on water are not allowed. Ultrasonic cleaning methods are permissible.

5 Storage

In order to maintain their solderability, thermistors must be stored in a non-corrosive atmosphere. Humidity, temperature and container materials are critical factors.

The components should be left in the original packing. Touching the metallization of unsoldered thermistors may change their soldering properties.

Storage temperature: -25 °C up to 45 °C

Max. relative humidity (without condensation):

<95%, maximum 30 days per annum

Solder the thermistors listed in this data book after shipment from EPCOS within the time specified:

Leaded components: 24 months



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Cautions and warnings

General

See "Important notes" on page 2.

Storage

- Store thermistors only in original packaging. Do not open the package before storage.
- Storage conditions in original packaging: storage temperature −25 °C ... +45 °C, relative humidity ≤75% annual mean, maximum 95%, dew precipitation is inadmissible.
- Avoid contamination of thermistors surface during storage, handling and processing.
- Avoid storage of thermistor in harmful environments like corrosive gases (SO_x, Cl etc).
- Solder thermistors after shipment from EPCOS within the time specified:
 - Leaded components: 24 months

Handling

- NTC inrush current limiters must not be dropped. Chip-offs must not be caused during handling of NTC inrush current limiters.
- Components must not be touched with bare hands. Gloves are recommended.
- Avoid contamination of thermistor surface during handling.
- In case of exposure of the NTC inrush current limiters to water, electrolytes or other aggressive media, these media can penetrate the coating and reach the surface of the ceramic. Low-ohmic or high-ohmic behavior may occur due to the formation of an electrolyte with metals (silver/lead/tin from metallization or solder). Low-ohmic behavior is caused by electrochemical migration, high-ohmic behavior by dissolving of the electrode. In either case, the functionality of the NTC inrush current limiters can not be assured.
- Washing processes may damage the product due to the possible static or cyclic mechanical loads (e.g. ultrasonic cleaning). They may cause cracks to develop on the product and its parts, which might lead to reduced reliability or lifetime.

Bending / twisting leads

- A lead (wire) may be bent at a minimum distance of twice the wire's diameter plus 4 mm from the component head or housing. When bending ensure the wire is mechanically relieved at the component head or housing. The bending radius should be at least 0.75 mm.
- Twisting (torsion) by 180° of a lead bent by 90° is permissible at 6 mm from the bottom of the thermistor body.

Soldering

- Use resin-type flux or non-activated flux.
- Insufficient preheating may cause ceramic cracks.
- Rapid cooling by dipping in solvent is not recommended.
- Complete removal of flux is recommended.



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Mounting

- When NTC inrush current limiters are encapsulated with sealing material or overmolded with plastic material, the precautions given in chapter "Mounting instructions", "Sealing and potting" must be observed.
- Electrode must not be scratched before/during/after the mounting process.
- Contacts and housings used for assembly with thermistor have to be clean before mounting.
- During operation, the inrush current limiters surface temperature can be very high. Ensure that adjacent components are placed at a sufficient distance from the thermistor to allow for proper cooling of the NTC inrush current limiters.
- Ensure that adjacent materials are designed for operation at temperatures comparable to the surface temperature of the thermistor. Be sure that surrounding parts and materials can withstand this temperature.
- Make sure that inrush current limiters are adequately ventilated to avoid overheating.
- Avoid contamination of thermistor surface during processing.

Operation

- Use NTC inrush current limiters only within the specified operating temperature range.
- Use NTC inrush current limiters only within the specified voltage and current ranges.
- Environmental conditions must not harm the NTC inrush current limiters. Use NTC inrush current limiters only in normal atmospheric conditions.
- Contact of NTC inrush current limiters with any liquids and solvents should be prevented. It must be ensured that no water enters the NTC inrush current limiters (e.g. through plug terminals). For measurement purposes (checking the specified resistance vs. temperature), the component must not be immersed in water but in suitable liquids (e.g. Galden).
- In case of exposure of the NTC inrush current limiters to water, electrolytes or other aggressive media, these media can penetrate the coating and reach the surface of the ceramic. Low-ohmic or high-ohmic behavior may occur due to the formation of an electrolyte with metals (silver/lead/tin from metallization or solder). Low-ohmic behavior is caused by electrochemical migration, high-ohmic behavior by dissolving of the electrode. In either case, the functionality of the NTC inrush current limiters can not be assured.
- Be sure to provide an appropriate fail-safe function to prevent secondary product damage caused by malfunction (e.g. use a metal oxide varistor for limitation of overvoltage condition).

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Symbols and terms

Symbol	English
В	B value
$\begin{matrix} C_{\text{test}} \\ C_{\text{th}} \end{matrix}$	Test capacitance Heat capacitance
$\begin{aligned} & \mathbf{I} \\ & \mathbf{I}_{\text{max}} \\ & \mathbf{I}_{\text{NTC}} \\ & \mathbf{I}_{\text{test}} \\ & \mathbf{P}_{\text{max}} \end{aligned}$	Current Maximum current within stated temperature range NTC current High test current for additional endurance tests Maximum power within stated temperature range
$\begin{array}{l} R_{\text{min}} \\ R_{\text{R}} \\ \Delta R_{\text{p}} / R_{\text{R}} \\ R_{\text{S}} \\ R_{\text{T}} \end{array}$	Minimum resistance Rated resistance Resistance tolerance Series resistance Resistance at temperature T (e.g. R ₂₅ = resistance at 25 °C)
$T\\t\\T_A\\t_a\\T_{max}\\T_{min}$	Temperature Time Ambient temperature Thermal threshold time Upper category temperature Lower category temperature
T _R	Rated temperature
$egin{array}{c} V \\ V_{load} \\ V_{NTC} \end{array}$	Voltage Load voltage Voltage drop across an NTC thermistor
α	Temperature coefficient
Δ	Tolerance, change
δ_{th}	Dissipation factor
$ au_{c}$	Thermal cooling time constant

Abbreviations / Notes

Symbol	English
*	To be replaced by a number in ordering codes, type designations etc.
+	To be replaced by a letter.
	All dimensions are given in mm.
	The commas used in numerical values denote decimal points.



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