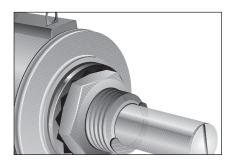
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Multiturn Precision Potentiometers

Model No.	Turns	Element Type	Resistance Tolerance	Resistance Range (Ohms)	Standard Linearity	Pkg. Dia.	Pkg. Depth	Shaft Dia./Length	Mount	Page No.
3400	10	Wirewound	±3%	100-500K	±0.15%	1-13/16" (30mm)	1-3/4" (46mm)	1/4" X 13/16" (6 X 21mm)	Bushing	260
3500	10	Wirewound	±3%	50-100K	±0.20%	7/8" (22mm)	1" (25mm)	1/4" X 13/16" (6 X 21mm)	Bushing	261
3540	10	Wirewound	±5%	100-100K	±0.25%	7/8" (22mm)	3/4" (19mm)	1/4" X 13/16" (6 X 21mm)	Bushing	262
3541	10	Hybritron®	±10%	1K-100K	±0.25%	7/8" (22mm)	3/4" (19mm)	1/4" X 13/16" (6 X 21mm)	Bushing	262
3543	3	Wirewound	±5%	20-50K	±0.25%	7/8" (22mm)	3/4" (19mm)	1/4" X 13/16" (6 X 21mm)	Bushing	263
3545	5	Wirewound	±5%	50-50K	±0.25%	7/8" (22mm)	3/4" (19mm)	1/4" X 13/16" (6 X 21mm)	Bushing	263
3590	10	Wirewound	±5%	200-100K	±0.25%	7/8" (22mm)	3/4" (19mm)	Various	Bushing	264

Single-Turn Precision Potentiometers

Model No.	Element Type	Resistance Tolerance	Resistance Range (Ohms)	Standard Linearity	Pkg. Dia.	Pkg. Depth	Shaft Dia./Length	Mount	Page No.
6537	Conductive Plastic	±10%	1K-100K	±1%	7/8" (22mm)	1/2" (13mm)	1/8" X 1/2" (3 X 12.7mm)	Servo	265
6538	Conductive Plastic	±10%	1K-100K	±1%	7/8" (22mm)	19/32" (15mm)	1/8" X 1/2" (3 X 12.7mm)	Servo	265
6539	Conductive Plastic	±15%	1K-100K	±2%	7/8" (22mm)	19/32" (15mm)	1/8" X 1/2" (3 x 12.7mm)	Servo	268
6574	Conductive Plastic	±10%	1K-100K	±0.1%	2" (51mm)	19/32" (15mm)	1/4" X 7/8" (6 X 22mm)	Servo	266
6637	Conductive Plastic	±10%	1K-100K	±1%	7/8" (22mm)	9/16" (14mm)	1/8" X 7/8" (3 X 22mm)	Bushing	267
6639	Conductive Plastic	±15%	1K-100K	±2%	7/8" (22mm)	21/32" (17mm)	1/4" X 7/8" (6 x 22mm)	Bushing	268
6657	Conductive Plastic	±10%	1K-100K	±1%	1-5/16" (33mm)	25/32" (20mm)	1/4" X 7/8" (6 X 22mm)	Bushing	269

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Knobpot® Precision Potentiometers

Model No.	Turns	Element Type	Resistance Tolerance	Resistance Range (Ohms)	Accuracy	Pkg. Dia.	Pkg. Depth	Shaft Dia./Length	Mount	Page No.
3600	10	Wirewound	±5%	100-100K	See Data Sheet	3/4" (19mm)	See Data Sheet	N/A	Bushing	270
3610	10	Wirewound	±5%	100-100K	See Data Sheet	7/8" (22mm)	See Data Sheet	N/A	Snap-in	271

Digital Pushbutton Potentiometers

Model No.	Digits	Element Type	Resistance Tolerance	Resistance Range (Ohms)	Accuracy	Pkg. Dia.	Pkg. Depth	Shaft Dia./Length	Mount	Page No.
3682	2	Cermet	±3%	50-1 Meg	See Data Sheet	See Data Sheet	See Data Sheet	N/A	Snap-in	272
3683	3	Cermet	±3%	50-1 Meg	See Data Sheet	See Data Sheet	See Data Sheet	N/A	Snap-in	272



- Bushing mount
- Optional ±0.05 linearity option
- Excellent wiper stability
- High stop strength
- Sealable

3400 - Precision Potentiometer

.....3600° +4°, -0°

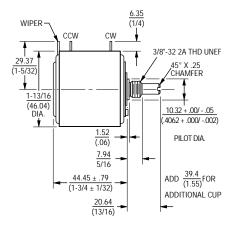
Electrical Characteristics ¹	
Standard Resistance Range	100 to 500K ohms
Resistance Tolerance	
Independent Linearity	±0.15%
ResolutionSe	ee recommeded part number
Effective Electrical Angle	
Absolute Minimum Resistance1 ohm or 0.15% ma	
Noise	100 ohms ENR maximum
Power Rating (Voltage Limited By Power Dissipation, or	
1,000 VAC, Whichever Is Less)	(125°C) 0 watt
Dielectric Withstanding Voltage	MIL-STD-202, Method 301
Sea Level	
80,000 Feet	300 VAC minimum
Insulation Resistance (500 VDC)	1,000 megohms minimum

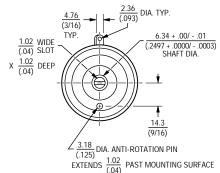
Environm	ientai	Char	acter	istics.	
Operating	Tempe	rature	2		

Static Operation Temperature Range	
Temperature Coefficient2±20ppm/°C maximum Moisture ResistanceMIL-STD-202, Method 103, Condition Total Resistance Shift±2% maximum Vibration	25°C
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Total Resistance Shift ±2% maxir Vibration	ı/unit
Vibration	on B
Wiper Bounce0.1 millisecond maxir	mum
	.10G
	mum
Voltage Ratio Shift±0.1% maxir	mum
Shock	.50G
Wiper Bounce0.1 millisecond maxir	mum
Total Resistance Shift±2% maxir	
Voltage Ratio Shift±0.1% maxir	mum
Load Life	watts
Total Resistance Shift±2% maxir	mum
Rotational Life (No Load)2,000,000 shaft revoluti	ions²
Total Resistance Shift±5% maxir	mum

Mechanical Characteristics ¹
Mechanical Angle
Chaft Dunaut

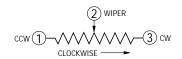
Shaft Runout	0.002 in. (0.05mm) T.I.R.
Shaft End Play	
Shaft Radial Play	0.0025 in. (0.06mm) T.I.R.
Pilot Diameter Runout	0.002 in. (0.05mm) T.I.R.
Lateral Runout	0.005 in. (0.13mm) T.I.R.
Stop Strength	550 ozin. (388 Ncm) minimum
	2.0 ozin. (1.4 Ncm) maximum
	1.0° maximum
Weight	Approximately 110G
	Gold-plated solder lugs
Markings	.Manufacturer's name and part number, resistance value
and	tolerance, linearity tolerance, wiring diagram, date code
Ganging	2 cups maximum





NOTE: LOCKWASHER AND HEX NUT TO BE SUPPLIED WITH EACH UNIT.

TOLERANCES: EXCEPT WHERE NOTED DECIMALS: .XX $\pm \frac{.25}{(.010)}$, .XXX $\pm \frac{.13}{(.005)}$ FRACTIONS: $\pm 1/64$ DIMENSIONS: $\frac{MM}{(.IN)}$



Recommended Part Numbers

Part Number	Resistance	Resolution
3400S-1-102	1,000	.020
3400S-1-502	5,000	.013
3400S-1-103	10,000	.010

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^{&#}x27;At room ambient: +25°C nominal and 50% relative humidity nominal, except as noted.
'Consult manufacturer for complete specification details for resistances below 500 ohms and above 100K ohms.



- Bushing mount
- Sealable
- Non-standard features and specifications available
- Optional high torque feature

Mechanical Characteristics¹

■ Optional center tap feature

■ Gangable

3500 - Precision Potentiometer

Absolute Minimum Resistance/Minimum Voltage
......1 ohm or 0.1% maximum

(whichever is greater)
Noise100 ohms ENR maximum
Power Rating (Voltage Limited By Power
Dissipation or 325 VAC, Whichever Is Less)
+70°C2 watts

Sea Level............1,500 VAC minimum 70,000 Feet400 VAC minimum Insulation Resistance

(500 VDC)1,000 megohms minimum

Environmental Characteristics¹

Operating Temperature
Static Operation Temp Range
.....-65°C to +125°C
Dynamic Temp Range

.....+1°C to +125°C

Temperature Coefficient²±50ppm/°C maximum/unit

Voltage Ratio Shift±0.1% maximum Shock100G

Wiper Bounce

Rotational Life (No Load)

.................2,000,000 shaft revolutions² Total Resistance Shift ...±5% maximum Moisture ResistanceMIL-STD-202,

Method 103, Condition B

Total Resistance Shift ... ±2% maximum

Backlash......1.0° maximum Weight.....Approximately 28G

Terminals.....Gold-plated solder lugs

Ganging2 cups maximum

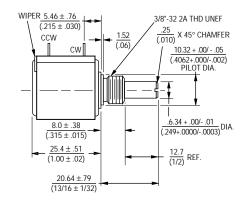
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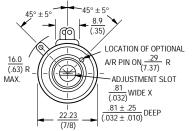
Part Number	Resistance	Resolution
3500S-2-102	1,000	.030
3500S-2-502	5,000	.018
3500S-2-103	10,000	.019

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FOR OTHER OPTIONS CONSULT FACTORY.

3500S-2/3501H-1





NOTE: LOCKWASHER AND HEX NUT TO BE SUPPLIED WITH EACH UNIT.

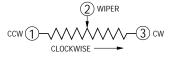
NOTE: SHAFT LENGTH VARIATIONS

3500S-1-RC $\frac{11/16}{(17.46)}$

3500S-2-RC <u>13/16</u> (20.64)

3501H-1-RC $\frac{13/16}{(20.64)}$

TOLERANCES: EXCEPT WHERE NOTED DECIMALS: $.XX \pm \frac{.25}{(.010)}$, $XXX \pm \frac{.13}{(.005)}$ FRACTIONS: $\pm 1/64$ DIMENSIONS: $\frac{MM}{(IN)}$



¹At room ambient: +25°C nominal and 50% relative humidity nominal, except as noted. ²Consult manufacturer for complete specification details for resistances below 500 ohms.



- Bushing mount
- Optional center tap and rear shaft extension
- Optional AR lug feature
- Gangable with common or concentric
- High torque available
- Optional 0.1% linearity
- Non-standard features and specifications

3540/3541 - Precision Potentiometer

	3540 Wirewound Element	3541 Hybritron® Element
Electrical Characteristics ¹		
Standard Resistance Range Resistance Tolerance Independent Linearity Resolution Effective Electrical Angle Absolute Minimum Resistance/ Minimum Voltage Noise	±5% ±0.25% See recommended part numbers 3600° +10°, -0°	±10% ±0.25% s Essentially infinite 3600° +10°, -0° Minimum voltage
Power Rating (Voltage Limited By Power Dissipation or 447 VAC, Whichever Is Less) +70°C	0 wattMIL-STD-202, Method 301 1,000 VAC minimum	0 watt MIL-STD-202, Method 301 1,000 VAC minimum
Environmental Characteristic	CS ¹	
Operating Temperature Static Operation Temp Range Dynamic Temp Range Temperature Coefficient² Vibration Wiper Bounce Shock Wiper Bounce Load Life Total Resistance Shift Rotational Life (No Load) Total Resistance Shift Moisture Resistance	+1°C to +125°C ±50ppm/°C maximum/unit .15G	+1°C to +125°C±100ppm/°C maximum/unit15G0.1 millisecond maximum50G0.1 millisecond maximum1,000 hours, 2 watts±5%5,000,000 shaft revolutions²±5% maximum

Mechanical Characteristics1 Mechanical Angle3600° +10°, -0°3600° +10°, -2° Shaft End Play0.012 in. (0.30mm) T.I.R.0.012 (0.30mm) T.İ.R. Torque (Starting & Running)...........0.6 oz.-in. (0.35 Ncm) max. ..0.6 oz.-in. (0.35 Ncm) max. Backlash1.0° maximum1.0° maximum WeightApproximately 21GApproximately 22.5G TerminalsGold-plated solder lugsGold-plated solder lugs

Condition B

Total Resistance Shift±2% maximum±5% maximum

¹At room ambient: +25°C nominal and 50% relative humidity nominal, except as noted.

²Consult manufacturer for complete specification details.

Recommended Part Numbers

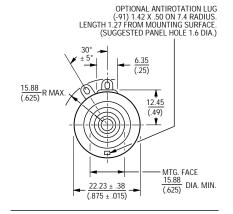
Part Number	Resistance	Resolution
3540S-1-201	200	.042
3540S-1-501	500	.031
3540S-1-102	1,000	.027
3540S-1-202	2,000	.021
3540S-1-502	5,000	.021
3540S-1-103	10,000	.019
3540S-1-203	2,000	.014

Part Number	Resistance	Resolution
3540S-1-103	10,000	.019
3540S-1-203	20,000	.014
3540S-1-503	50,000	.011
3540S-1-104	100,000	.008
3541H-1-102	1,000	.027
3541H-1-502	5,000	.021
3541H-1-103	10,000	.019

Condition B

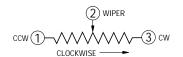
3540S-1/3541H-1 14.35 ± .38 (.565±.015) (.225±.015) -10.32 +.00/.05 (.406+.000/-.002) DIA. 3/8" 32-UNEF-2ATHD ADJUSTMENT $SLOT \frac{.81}{(.032)}$ WIDE X (.032±.010) DEEP 1.52 (.06) 6.342 + .000/ - .008 (.2497+.0000/-.0003) 7.92 ± .38 DΙΔ (.312 ± .015) 19.05 ± .38

(.812 ± .031)



(.750 ± .015)

TOLERANCES: EXCEPT WHERE NOTED DECIMALS: .XX $\pm \frac{.25}{(.010)}$, .XXX $\pm \frac{.13}{(.005)}$ FRACTIONS: ±1/64 DIMENSIONS: $\frac{MM}{(IN.)}$



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- Bushing mount
- Optional AR pin feature
- Non-standard features and specifications

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■ Gangable

3543/3545 - Precision Potentiometer

	3543 3-Turn	3545 5-Turn
Electrical Characteristics ¹		
Standard Resistance Range	±5%	±5% ±0.25% See recommended part numbers 1800° +10°, -0° 1 ohm or 0.1% maximum
[3545], Whichever Is Less) +70°C +125°C Dielectric Withstanding Voltage Sea Level Insulation Resistance (500 VDC)	0 watt MIL-STD-202, Method 301 1,000 VAC minimum	0 watt MIL-STD-202, Method 301 1,000 VAC minimum

25.42

Environmental Characteristics¹

Environmental Characteristic	63	
Operating Temperature Static Operation Temp Range	55°C to +125°C	55°C to +125°C
Dynamic Temp Range		
Temperature Coefficient ²		
Vibration		
Wiper Bounce	0.1 millisecond maximum	0.1 millisecond maximum
Shock	50G	50G
Wiper Bounce		
Load Life	1,000 hours, 1 watt	1,000 hours, 1.5 watts
Total Resistance Shift	±2% maximum	±2% maximum
Rotational Life (No Load)		
Total Resistance Shift		
Moisture Resistance		·
	Condition B	
Total Resistance Shift	+2% maximum	+2% maximum

Mechanical Characteristics¹

Mechanical Characteristics		
Mechanical Angle	1080° +10°, -0°	1800° +10°, -0°
Shaft Runout	0.003 in. (0.08mm) T.I.R	0.003 in. (0.08mm) T.I.R.
Lateral Runout	0.005 in. (0.13mm) T.I.R	0.005 in. (0.13mm) T.I.R.
Pilot Diameter Runout	0.003 in. (0.08mm) T.I.R	0.003 in. (0.08mm) T.I.R.
Shaft End Play	0.010 in. (0.25mm) T.I.R	0.010 in. (0.25mm) T.I.R.
Shaft Radial Play	0.003 in. (0.08mm) T.I.R	0.003 in. (0.08mm) T.I.R.
Stop Strength		
Torque (Starting & Running)	0.5 ozin. (0.35 Ncm) max.	0.5 ozin. (0.35 Ncm) max.
Weight	Approximately 21G	Approximately 21G
Terminals	Gold-plated solder lugs	Gold-plated solder lugs
Backlash	1.0° maximum	1.0° maximum
Ganging	2 cups maximum	2 cups maximum

¹At room ambient: +25°C nominal and 50% relative humidity nominal, except as noted. ²Consult manufacturer for complete specification details.

Recommended Part Numbers

Part Number*	Resistance (Ω)	Resolution (%)
3543S-1-102	1,000	.063
3543S-1-202	2,000	.062
3543S-1-502	5,000	.047
3543S-1-103	10,000	.040

Part Number	Resistance (Ω)	Resolution (%)
3545S-1-102	1,000	.043
3545S-1-202	2,000	.036
3545S-1-502	5,000	.038
3545S-1-103	10,000	.027

18.3 (.72) 14.35 ± .38 (.565 ± .015) 5.72 ± .38 (.225 ± .015) 10.31+ .00/ - .05 (.406+.000/-.002) DIA. 1 3/8" 32-UNEF-2ATHD 2) ADJUSTMENT SLOT <u>.81</u> WIDE

.81±.25 $X = \frac{.81 \pm .25}{(.032 \pm .0160)} DEEP$

6.342 + .000/ - .008

(.2497+.0000/-.0003)

DIA.

3543S-1/3545S-1

1.52 (.06)

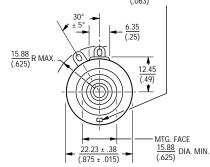
7.92 ± .38

(.312 ± .015)

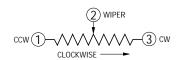
(.750 ± .015)

(.812 ± .031) NOTE: LOCKWASHER AND MOUNTING NUTS SUPPLIED. ADD .75 (19MM) FOR ADDITIONAL CUPS.

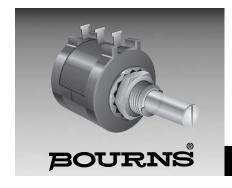
OPTIONAL ANTIROTATION LUG (-91) $\frac{1.42 \text{ X}.50}{(056 \text{ X}.02)}$ ON $\frac{7.4}{(29)}$ RADIUS LENGTH 1.27 FROM MOUNTING SURFACE. (SUGGESTED PANEL HOLE $\frac{1.6}{(063)}$ DIA.)



TOLERANCES: EXCEPT WHERE NOTED DECIMALS: .XX $\pm \frac{.25}{(.010)}$, .XXX $\pm \frac{.13}{(.005)}$ FRACTIONS: ±1/64 DIMENSIONS: $\frac{MM}{(IN.)}$



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- Bushing mount
- Optional AR pin feature
- Plastic or metal shaft and bushings
- Wirewound
- Solder lugs or PC pins
- Sealable (Full body seal)

■ Non-standard features and specifications available

3590 - Precision Potentiometer

Electrical Characteristics ¹	
Standard Resistance Range	200 to 100K ohms
Resistance Tolerance	±5%
Independent Linearity	±0.25%
Resolution	
Effective Electrical Angle	3600° +10°, -0°
Absolute Minimum Resistance1 ohm or 0.7	
Noise	100 ohms ENR maximum
Power Rating (Voltage Limited By Power	
Dissipation or 450 VAC, Whichever is Less)	
+40°C	
+125°C	0 watt
Dielectric Withstanding Voltage	
Sea LevelInsulation Resistance (500 VDC)	2,000 VAC MINIMUM
insulation Resistance (500 VDC)	1,000 megonms minimum
Environmental Characteristics ¹	
Operating Temperature	
Static Operation Temperature Range	55°C to +125°C
Dynamic Operation Temperature Range	+1°C to +125°C
Temperature Coefficient ²	±50ppm/°C maximum/unit
Vibration	
Wiper Bounce	0.1 millisecond maximum

Static Operation Temperature Range	55°C to +125°C
Dynamic Operation Temperature Range	+1°C to +125°C
Temperature Coefficient ²	±50ppm/°C maximum/unit
Vibration	
Wiper Bounce	0.1 millisecond maximum
Shock	50G
Wiper Bounce	0.1 millisecond maximum
Load Life	1,000 hours, 2 watts
Total Resistance Shift	±2% maximum
Rotational Life (No Load)	
Total Resistance Shift	
Moisture Resistance	MIL-STD-202, Method 103, Condition B
Total Resistance Shift	±2% maximum

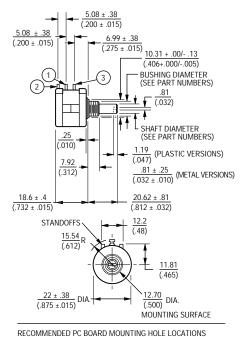
Mechanical Characteristics ¹	
Mechanical Angle	3600° +10°, -0°
Shaft Runout	0.005 in. (0.13mm) T.I.R.
Lateral Runout	0.008 in. (0.20mm) T.I.R.
Pilot Diameter Runout	0.003 in. (0.08mm) T.I.R.
Shaft End Play	0.010 in. (0.25mm) T.I.R.
Shaft Radial Play	0.005 in. (0.13mm) T.I.R.
Stop Strength	64 ozin. (45 Ncm) minimum
Torque (Starting & Running)	0.5 ozin. (0.40 Ncm) maximum (unsealed)
	1.5 ozin. (1.1 Ncm) maximum (sealed)
Mounting Torque	5-7 inlbs. (0.55 - 0.80 Nm) (plastic)

3 1	15-18 inlbs. (1.7 - 2 Nm) (metal)
Backlash	1.0° maximum
Terminals	Solder lugs or PC pins
Weight	Approximately 19G

NOTE: For Anti-Rotation pin add 91 after configuration dash number. Example: -2 becomes -291 to add AR pin. ¹At room ambient: +25°C nominal and 50% relative humidity nominal, except as noted. ²Consult manufacturer for complete specification details for resistance below 1K ohms.

Recommended Part Numbers

(Printed Circuit)	(Solder Lug)	Resistance (Ω)	Resolution (%)
3590P-1-102	3590S-2-102	1,000	.029
3590P-1-202	3590S-2-202	2,000	.023
3590P-1-502	3590S-2-502	5,000	.025
3590P-1-103	3590S-2-103	10,000	.020
3590P-1-203	3590S-2-203	20,000	.016
3590P-1-503	3590S-2-503	50,000	.013
3590P-1-104	3590S-2-104	100,000	.009



HOLE DIAMETER FMS (.082)CCW CW 5.08 5.08 6.99 (.200) (.200) (.275)

TOLERANCES: EXCEPT WHERE NOTED DECIMALS: .XX $\pm \frac{.51}{(.02)}$.XXX $\pm \frac{.13}{(.005)}$ FRACTIONS: ±1/64 DIMENSIONS: $\frac{MM}{(IN.)}$

SHAFT & BUSHING CONFIGURATIONS

(Bushing - DxL, Shaft - D) (-1) Plastic Bushing (3/8" x 5/16") and Shaft (.2480 + .001, - .002)

(-3) Sealed, Plastic Bushing (3/8" x 5/16") and Shaft (.2497 + .0000, - .0009) (-3) Sealed, Plastic Bushing (3/8" x 5/16") and Shaft (.2480 + .001, - .002) (-4) Sealed, Metal Bushing (3/8" x 5/16") and Shaft (.2497 + .0000, - .0009)

(-5) Metric, Plastic Bushing (9mm x 7.94mm) and Shaft (6mm + 0, - .076mm)

(-6) Metric, Metal Bushing (9mm x 7.94mm) and Shaft (6mm + 0, - .023mm) (-7) Metric, Sealed, Plastic Bushing (9mm x 7.94mm) and Shaft (6mm + 0, - .076mm) (-8) Metric, Sealed, Metal Bushing (9mm x 7.94mm) and Shaft (6mm + 0, - .023mm)

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- Infinite resolution element
- Standard linearity: 1.0%
- Extended temperature range:-65°C to
- Extended life version (6538)
- Output smoothness: 0.1% standard

■ Molded-in rear terminals

■ Non-standard features and specifications available

6537/6538 - 22mm Precision Potentiometer

Electrical Characteristics ¹	6537	6538
Standard Resistance Range	1K to 100K ohms	1K to 100K ohms
Resistance Tolerance	±10%	±10%
Independent Linearity		
Resolution	Essentially infinite	Essentially infinite
Effective Electrical Angle	340° +3°	340° +3°
End Voltage		
Output Smoothness	0.1%	0.1%
Power Rating (Voltage Limited B		
+70°C	1 watt	1 watt
+125°C	0 watt	0 watt
Dielectric Withstanding		
Voltage	MIL-STD-202, Method 301	MIL-STD-202, Method 301
Sea Level	750 VAC min	750 VAC min.
Insulation Resistance		
(500 VDC)	500 megohms min	1,000 megohms min.

Insulation Resistance	e
(500 VDC)	1,000 megohms min1,000 megohms mi

Environmental Characteristics¹

Operating Temperature		
Static Operation Temp Range		
Dynamic Temp Range	+1°C to +125°C	+1°C to +125°C
Temperature Coefficient	±500ppm/°C max	±500ppm/°C max
Moisture Resistance	MIL-STD-202, Method 106	MIL-STD-202, Method 106
Total Resistance Shift	±10% max	±10% max
Vibration		
Wiper Bounce		
Total Resistance Shift		
Voltage Ratio Shift	±0.5% max	±0.5% max
Shock	50G	50G
Wiper Bounce	0.1 millisecond max	0.1 millisecond max
Total Resistance Shift	±5% max	±5% max
Voltage Ratio Shift		
Load Life	1,000 hours, 1 watt	1,000 hours, 1 watt
Total Resistance Shift	±10% max	±10% max
Rotational Life (No Load)	10,000,000 shaft rev's	20,000,000 shaft rev's
Total Resistance Shift	±10% max	±10% max

Mechanical Characteristics ¹		
Mechanical Angle	Continuous	Continuous
Backlash	0.1° max	0.1° max
Shaft Runout		
Shaft End Play	0.005 in. (0.13mm) T.I.R	0.005 in. (0.13mm) T.I.R.
Shaft Radial Play	0.005 (0.13mm) T.I.R	0.003 in. (0.08mm) T.I.R.
Pilot Diameter		
Runout	0.0025 in. (0.06mm) T.I.R	0.0025 in. (0.06mm) T.I.R.
Lateral Runout	0.003 in. (0.08mm) T.I.R	0.003 in. (0.08mm) T.I.R.
Torque (Starting & Running) Terminals		

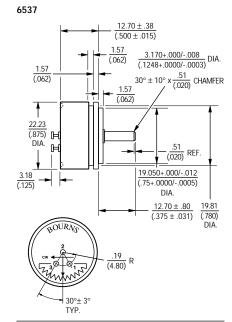
Recommended Part Numbers

Part Number	Resistance (Ω)
6537S-1-103	10,000

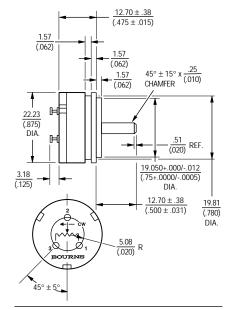
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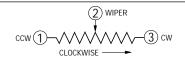
Part Number	Resistance (Ω)
6538S-1-102	1,000
6538S-1-202	2,000
6538S-1-502	5,000
6538S-1-103	10,000



6538 BALL BEARING



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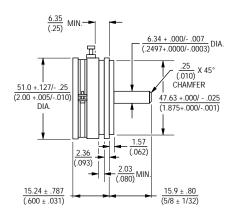


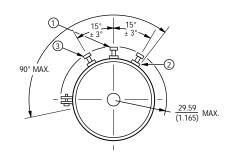


- Servo mount style
- Shaft supported by front and rear precision ball bearings
- Non-standard features and specifications available
- Gangable up to 10 cups

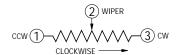
6574 - Precision Potentiometer

Electrical Characteristics ¹	
Standard Resistance Range	1K to 100K ohms
	±10%
Independent Linearity	±0.25%
	350° ±2°
	kimum (0.2% at 2K ohms, 0.4% at 1K ohms)
	Essentially infinite
Power Rating (Voltage Limited By Power Dissipation or 3)	2EO VAC Whichover is Loss)
TooC	2 watts
	0 watt
	0.1%
Dielectric Withstanding Voltage	MIL-STD-202, Method 301
	1,000 VAC minimum
70,000 Feet	350 VAC minimum
Insulation Resistance (500 VDC)	1,000 megohms minimum
Environmental Characteristics ¹	
Operating Temperature	
Static Operation Temperature Range	65°C to +125°C
Dynamic Operation Temperature Range	+1°C to +125°C
Temperature Coefficient ²	±500ppm/°C maximum
	MIL-STD-202, Method 103, Condition B
	±10% maximum
	15G
	±2% maximum
	003
Rotational Life (No Load)	25,000,000 shaft revolutions
	±10% maximum
	1,000 hours, 1.5 watts
	±10% maximum
Mechanical Characteristics ¹	
Shaft Runout	0.001 in. (0.025mm) T.I.R.
Shaft End Play	0.003 in. (0.08mm) T.I.R.
Shaft Radial Play	0.003 in. (0.08mm) T.I.R.
Pilot Diameter Runout	0.001 in. (0.025mm) T.I.R.
	0.003 in. (0.08mm) T.I.R.
	0.1° maximum
Machanical Angla	Continuous





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FRACTIONS: ±1/64
DIMENSIONS: $\frac{MM}{(IN.)}$



Recommended Part Numbers

Part Number*	Resistance (W)
6574S-1-102	1,000
6574S-1-502	5,000
6574S-1-103	10,000

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- Bushing mount
- Excellent resolution
- High rotational life
- Non-standard features and specifications available

6637 - Precision Potentiometer

MIL-STD-202, Method 301 Sea Level750 VAC minimum Insulation Resistance (500 VDC)1,000 megohms minimum
Environmental Characteristics ¹
Operating Temperature Static Operation Temp Range65°C to +125°C
Dynamic Temp Range+1°C to +125°C
Temperature Coefficient
±500ppm/°C maximum Moisture Resistance
MIL-STD-202, Method 106 Total Resistance Shift±10% maximum
Vibration15G Wiper Bounce
Total Resistance Shift±5% maximum Voltage Ratio Shift±0.5% maximum
Shock50G Wiper Bounce
0.1 millisecond maximum Total Resistance Shift±5% maximum
Voltage Ratio Shift±0.5% maximum
Rotational Life (No Load)10,000,000 shaft revolutions Total Resistance Shift
Load Life

¹At room ambient: +25°C nominal and 50% relative humidity nominal, except as noted.

Total Resistance Shift .±10% maximum

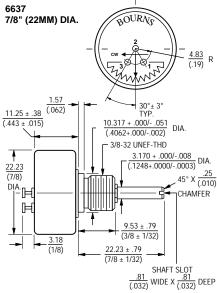
Mechanical Characteristics¹

Mechanical AngleContinuous
Backlash0.1° maximum
Shaft Runout
0.001 in. (0.025mm) T.I.R.
Shaft End Play
0.005 in. (0.13mm) T.I.R.
Shaft Radial Play
0.005 in. (0.13mm) T.I.R.
Torque (Starting & Running)
0.5 ozin. (0.40 Ncm) max.

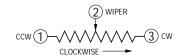
Recommended Part Numbers

Part Numbers	Resistance (W)
6637S-1-102	1,000
6637S-1-502	5,000
6637S-1-103	10,000

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NOTE: SHAFT SUPPORTED BY FRONT SLEEVE BEARING.





- Essentially infinite resolution
- Excellent rotational life
- High quality, rugged construction
- General purpose applications
- Non-standard features available

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■ Cost and space saving

6539/6639 - Precision Potentiometer

	6539 Servo Mount	6639 Bushing Mount
Electrical Characteristics ¹		
Standard Resistance Range Resistance Tolerance Standard		
Independent Linearity Standard Resolution Effective Electrical Angle End Voltage Output Smoothness Power Rating (Voltage Limited By Power Dissipation or 300 VAC, Whichever is Less)	Essentially infinite	Essentially infinite 340° +3° 0.5% maximum
+70°C +125°C. Dielectric Withstanding Voltage . Sea Level	0 watt MIL-STD-202, Method 301 750 VAC minimum	0 watt MIL-STD-202, Method 301 750 VAC minimum
(500 VDC)	-	500 megohms minimum
Environmental Characteristic	S ¹	
Operating Temperature Static Operation Temp Range	+1°C to +125°C	+1°C to +125°C 15G 0.1 millisecond maximum 50G 0.1 millisecond maximum 10,000,000 shaft revolutions
Mechanical Characteristics		
Mechanical Angle Backlash Shaft Runout Shaft End Play Shaft Radial Play Pilot Diameter Runout Lateral Runout Torque (Starting & Running)	(340° +8°, -0°) available 	(340° +8° -0°) available 0.1° maximum 0.005 in. (0.13mm) T.I.R. 0.005 in. (0.13mm) T.I.R. 0.005 in. (0.13mm) T.I.R. 0.005 in. (0.13mm) T.I.R.
Terminals Bearing Type Markings	Brass Sleeve	Nickel Plateď Brass Manufacturer's name,

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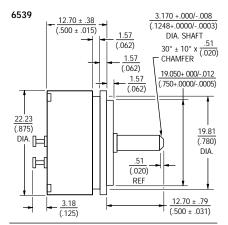
Recommended Part Numbers

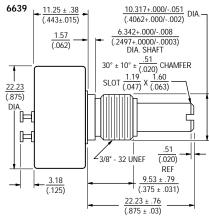
Part Number	Resistance (Ω)
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6539S-1-502	5,000
6539S-1-103	10,000

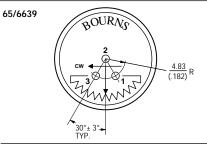
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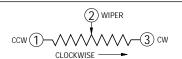
Part Numbers		Resistance	
Bushing Mount	Mechanical Stops	(Ω)	
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6639S-1-202		2,000	
6639S-1-502	6639S-301-502	5,000	
6639S-1-103	6639S-301-103	10,000	
6639S-1-203		20,000	







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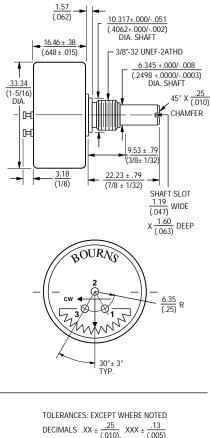


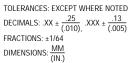


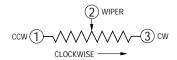
- Bushing mount
- Shaft supported by front sleeve bearing
- Non-standard features and specifications available

6657 - Precision Potentiometer

Electrical Characteristics ¹	
Standard Resistance Range. Resistance Tolerance	
Environmental Characteristics ¹	
Operating Temperature Static Operation Temperature Range	
Mechanical Characteristics ¹	
Mechanical Angle Backlash Shaft Runout Shaft End Play Shaft Radial Play Torque (Starting & Running) 1 At room ambient: +25°C nominal and 50% relative humidity nominal, exceptions and the start of th	







Recommended Part Numbers

Part Number*	Resistance (Ω)
6657S-1-102	1,000
6657S-1-202	2,000
6657S-1-502	5,000
6657S-1-103	10,000

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- Bushing mount
- Cost saving; pre-phased
- Highly readable clockface readout
- Easy mounting

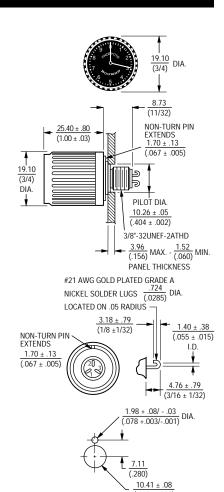
3600 - Precision Potentiometer

Electrical Characteristics ¹	
Standard Resistance Range	
Resistance Tolerance	
Accuracy (Correlation of Dial Readout to Vol Repeatability of Dial Readout Resolution	±0.1% voltage ration
Effective Electrical Angle Absolute Minimum Resistance1 of	
Noise	
Power Rating	100 Offins Livit maximum
(Voltage Limited By Power Dissipation or 3	885 VAC. Whichever is Less)
+25°C	1.5 watt
	0 wa
Dielectric Withstanding Voltage	MIL-STD-202, Method 30
Sea Level	
70,000 Feet	
Insulation Resistance (500 VDC)	1,000 megohms minimur
Environmental Characteristics ¹	
Operating Temperature	
Static Operation Temperature Range	65°C to +85°C
Dynamic Operation Temperature Range	+1°C to +85°C
Temperature Coefficient ²	±50ppm/°C maximum/un
Moisture Resistance	
Total Resistance Shift	
Vibration	
Wiper Bounce	
Total Resistance Shift	
Voltage Ratio Shift	
Shock	
Wiper Bounce	
Total Resistance Shift	±2% maximur
Voltage Ratio Shift	
Load LifeShift	
Total Resistance Shift	
Rotational Life (No Load) ²	
	±2 /0 Maximu
Mechanical Characteristics ¹ Mechanical Angle	2/00: 20: 0
Stop Strength	3000 +20 , -U
Torque (Starting & Running)	10 07 in (2.9 Ncm) maximur
Variation	1 0 07 in (0.71 Ncm) maximur
Backlash	
Weight	
Terminals	
MarkingsManufacturer's name and p	
At room ambient: +25°C nominal and 50% relative humidity	
² Consult manufacturer for complete specification details for r	esistances below 100 ohms.

Recommended Part Numbers

Part Number	Resistance (Ω)	Resolution (%)
3600S-1-102	1,000	.035
3600S-1-502	5,000	.027
3600S-1-103	10,000	.022

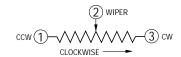
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PANEL HOLE PATTERN

LOCKWASHER AND MOUNTING NUT TO BE SUPPLIED WITH EACH UNIT

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- Snap-in mounting
- Space saving extends only 5/8" behind most panels
- Easy one-hole, snap-in mounting
- Digital dial provides excellent readability

3610 - Precision Potentiometer

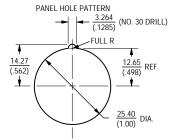
Electrical Characteristics ¹
Standard Resistance Range
Resistance Tolerance±5%
Accuracy (Correlation of Dial Readout to Voltage Ratio Output)±0.5% voltage ratio
Repeatability of Dial Readout
Effective Electrical Angle
Absolute Minimum Resistance1 ohm or 0.1% maximum (whichever is greater)
Noise
Power Rating
(Voltage Limited By Power Dissipation or 385 VAC, Whichever is Less)
+25°C
+85°C0 watt Dielectric Withstanding VoltageMIL-STD-202, Method 301
Sea Level
70,000 Feet
Insulation Resistance (500 VDC)
Environmental Characteristics ¹
Operating Temperature
Static Operation Temperature Range25°C to +85°C
Dynamic Operation Temperature Range+1°C to +85°C
Temperature Coefficient ² ±50ppm/°C maximum/wire Moisture ResistanceMIL-STD-202, Method 103, Condition B
Total Resistance Shift±2% maximum
Vibration
Wiper Bounce
Total Resistance Shift±2% maximum
Voltage Ratio Shift ±0.2% maximum
Shock 50G Wiper Bounce 0.1 millisecond maximum
Total Resistance Shift±2% maximum
Voltage Ratio Shift ±0.2% maximum
Load Life
Total Resistance Shift±2% maximum
Rotational Life (No Load)50,000 shaft revolutions
Total Resistance Shift±2% maximum
Mechanical Characteristics ¹
Mechanical Angle3600° +20°, -0°
Stop Strength
Torque (Starting & Running)
Backlash
Weight
TerminalsGold-plated J-Hooks MarkingsManufacturer's name and part number, resistance value and date code

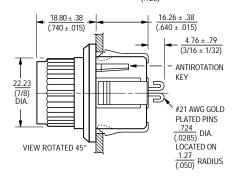
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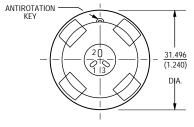
²Consult manufacturer for complete specification details f Recommended Part Numbers

Part Number	Resistance (W)	Resolution (%)
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3610S-1-502	5,000	.027
3610S-1-103	10,000	.022

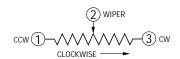
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- Repeatable settings
- Resolution to 0.001%
- Digital display provides excellent readability
- Snap-in panel mount

3680 - Precision Potentiometer

Electrical Characteristics ¹	
Standard Resistance Range	
Resistance Tolerance	±3%
Resolution	
3682	
3683Insulation Resistance (500 VDC)	
Power Rating	
(Voltage Limited By Power Dissipation or 500 VAC+25°C	C, Whichever is Less)
+85°C	0 watt
Dielectric Withstanding Voltage Sea Level	MIL-STD-202, Method 301
Accuracy (Dial Reading to Output Ratio)	±0.5% full scale
Environmental Characteristics ¹	
Operating Temperature Range	25°C to +85°C
Temperature Coefficient	±100ppm/°C maximum
Vibration	0.1 millisecond maximum
Total Resistance Shift	±1% maximum
Voltage Ratio Shift	
Wiper Bounce	0.1 millisecond maximum
Total Resistance ShiftVoltage Ratio Shift	
Load Life	1,000 hours, 2 watts
Total Resistance Shift	±2% maximum
Mechanical Characteristics ¹	
Expected Life	5,000 button operations each decade
Total Resistance Shift	79mm) wide x .016 in. (.41mm) thick.
tir	ned solder lugs for 3 #20 AWG wires
tir Readout MarkingMarkings name and part nur	10 positions, 0-9 mber resistance value and date code
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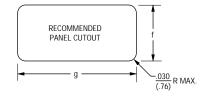
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Model	Dimensions				Weight (Approx.)		
iviouei	а	b	С	d	e ±.015 (±.381)	oz.	gms.
3682 3683	26.67 (1.050) 37.08 (1.460)	25.15 (.990) 35.31 (1.390)	10.67 (.420) 18.54 (.730)	11.94 (.47) 11.94 (.47)	8.38 (.330) 4.19 (.165)	.576 .824	16.5 23.5

Model	Dimensions		
iviodei	f ±.010 (±.254)	g ±.010 (±.254)	
3682 3683	21.08 (.830) 21.08 (.830)	25.91 (1.020) 36.07 (1.420)	

Recommended Part Numbers

Resistance (Ω)	3682S-1 2 Decade	3683S-1 3 Decade
1,000	-102	-102
5,000	-502	-502
10K	-103	-103
50K		-503
100K		-104



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3680 $\overline{(.306 \pm .015)}$ 7.87 23.62 (.93) 20.57 (.810) 8.38 ± .38 PANEL MIN. <u>.81</u> -(.33 ± .015) MAX. $\frac{3.18}{(.125)}$ 3.18 (.125) (1.050)

TOLERANCES: EXCEPT WHERE NOTED

DECIMALS: .XX $\pm \frac{.38}{(.015)}$.XXX $\pm \frac{.13}{(.005)}$

(2) WIPER

FRACTIONS: $\pm 1/64$ DIMENSIONS: $\frac{MM}{(IN.)}$



■ For use with Model 3680 digital pushbutton precision potentiometer

H-385 - Panel Seal Assembly

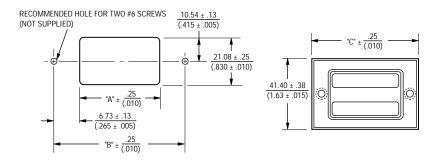
Physical Characteristics ¹	
Material (Boot)	Clear silicone rubber
Material (Frame)	Rigid black plastic
Expected Life	100,000 actuations minimum
Weight	
H-385-2	Approximately 8.50G
H-385-2 H-385-3	Approximately 9.92G

Application Data

- · Protects front of the pot from unwanted entry of rain, dust, grease or oils
- Transparent for easy viewing of numerals
- Tear resistant for long life
 Matte finish black plastic frame to complement most front panels

Bourns $^\circ$ Model H-385 Panel Seal Assembly minimizes accidental entry of liquids or foreign matter through the front of the Model 3680 Family Potentiometer.

PANEL CUT-OUT/HOLE DIMENSIONS

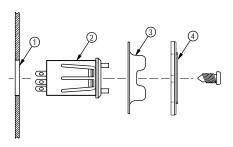


For Use With	Part Number	Frame Dimensions	Panel Cutout/ Hole Dimensions	
		"C"	"A"	"B"
3682 3683	H-385-2 H-385-3	50.60 (1.992) 60.76 (2.392)	25.91 (1.020) 36.07 (1.420)	39.37 (1.550) 49.53 (1.950)

¹At room ambient: +25°C nominal and 50% relative humidity nominal, except as noted.

H-385 MOUNTING INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Cut out and drill panel per chart.
- 2. Install snap-in potentiometer².
- 3. Locate silicone boot³ and frame⁴ over potentiometer and holes.
- Attach panel seal assembly to panel with two #6 screws (not supplied).



Definitions and Test Procedures

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Cermet Elements

Cermet elements are available in a wide range of resistance values and tapers. They offer essentially infinite resolution and excellent stability in the most severe environmental conditions. Static and dynamic noise (CRV) performance is good but not as good as that of conductive plastic.

The temperature coefficient of cermet elements, though not as good as wirewound elements, is better than conductive plastic or carbon type elements. Linearity is quite good for a film type element and can be improved considerably for greater dial setting accuracy by laser tailoring.

Frequency response of cermet materials is very good and the practical application range extends well beyond 100 MHZ.

Conductive Plastic Elements

Conductive plastic is a thick film ink, similar to cermet, but has a smoother surface. This characteristic offers several operational advantages over cermet. Dynamic noise characteristics (CRV or output smoothness) and rotational life are measurably improved as a result of the surface smoothness. Resolution is essentially infinite.

Conductive plastic elements are generally available in a wide range of resistance values and tapers.

Moisture resistance, temperature coefficient, power dissipation and wiper current capacity for conductive plastic elements are not as good as cermet elements.

Wirewound Elements

Wirewound elements offer good stability, excellent linearity, low noise, high power capabilities and good operational life.

Wirewound elements offer a wide selection of resistance values up to 500k ohms.

One primary limitation of wirewound elements is the finite resolution steps, which result from the wiper moving from turn to turn. (These steps are distinct, sudden, repeatable changes in output.) Resolution improves as resistance values increase due to the manufacturing processes whereby smaller wire and a higher number of turns are utilized.

In systems that might be sensitive to such discrete steps, care should be taken to select an element with resolution fine enough to avoid difficulty.

The many turns of resistance wire exhibit an inductive reactance that increases directly with frequency. This effect is most noticeable in low total resistance elements because the inductive reactance can be larger than the resistance, even at frequencies as low as 20KHZ.

The performance of wirewound elements is also affected by inherent capacitance. Capacitance exists from turn to turn and also between the winding and the mandrel. Capacitance effects are most significant in high total resistance elements.

Hybritron® Elements

This element is a combination of a wirewound element with a conductive plastic coating. It exhibits the temperature coefficient and resistance stability approaching a pure wirewound element. It displays the long operational life, essentially infinite resolution and low noise characteristics of the pure conductive plastic elements. The combination of the two provides the major benefits of both types of elements. Not recommended in applications requiring high wiper currents.

CAUTION: CONDUCTIVE PLASTIC AND HYBRITRON* ELEMENTS SHOULD BE APPLIED IN VOLTAGE DIVIDER CIRCUITS ONLY.

Absolute Minimum Resistance

DEFINITION

The resistance measured between the wiper terminal and either end terminal when the wiper is positioned to give a minimum value on the measuring device.

TEST PROCEDURE

The wiper shall be positioned at one end of the resistance element so that a minimum value of resistance shall be measured as specified between the wiper and the corresponding end terminal. The same procedure shall be followed for the opposite end of the resistance element.

Contact Resistance Variation (CRV)

DEFINITION

The apparent resistance seen between the wiper and the resistance element when the wiper is energized with a specified current and moved over the adjustment travel in either direction at a constant speed. The output variations are measured over a specified frequency bandwidth, exclusive of the effects due to roll-on or roll-off of the terminations and expressed in ohms or percent of total resistance test procedure

CRV shall be tested using the circuit as shown in Fig. 1 on page 253 of Potentiometer Handbook (or its equivalent). The operating shaft shall be rotated in both directions through 90% of the adjustment travel for a total of 6 cycles. Only the last 3 cycles shall count in determining whether or not a contact resistance variation is observed at least twice in the same area (within 5%), exclusive of the roll-on or roll-off points where the wiper moves from the termination, on or off, the resistance element. The rate of rotation of the operating shaft shall be such that the wiper completes 1 cycle in 5 seconds, minimum, to 2 minutes, maximum. The test current used shall be in accordance with the table below, unless otherwise specified.

Test Current

(±20%) Total Resistance Range

30 ma 50 Ohms

10 ma = or >50 Ohms to <500 Ohms 1 ma = or >500 Ohms to <100K Ohms 100 ua = or >100K Ohms to <2 Megohms

50 ua = or >2 Megohms

Dielectric Withstanding Voltage

DEFINITION

The ability to withstand under prescribed conditions, a specified potential of a given characteristic between the terminals of each cup and exposed conducting surface of the potentiometer, or between the terminals of each cup and the terminals of every other cup in the assembly without exceeding a specified leakage current value.

TEST PROCEDURE

The magnitude of the test voltage shall be specified. Connect the equipment by applying the high voltage source between the potentiometer terminals (interconnected) and the shaft or case. Raise the test voltage from zero to the proper maximum value at a rate of 500 volts per second maximum. Maintain the test voltage at this level while operating the shaft through one full sweep of its mechanical travel in a time interval of not less than 5 seconds nor more than 60 seconds. Monitor the

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leakage current indicating device throughout this test for evidence of damage, arcing, breakdown, or leakage current in excess of 1 milliampere. Upon completion of the test, prior to disconnecting the leads, gradually reduce the test voltage to zero.

For ganged potentiometers, repeat the foregoing applying the high voltage between the terminals of each cup and the terminals of every other cup on the potentiometer under test.

Equivalent Noise Resistance (ENR)

DEFINITION

Any spurious variation in the electrical output not present in the input, defined quantitatively in terms of an equivalent parasitic transient resistance in ohms, appearing between the contact and the resistance element when the shaft is rotated or translated. The equivalent noise resistance is defined independently of the resolution, the functional characteristics, and the total travel. The magnitude of the equivalent noise resistance is the maximum departure from a specified reference line. The wiper of the potentiometer is required to be excited by a specified current and moved at a specified speed.

TEST PROCEDURE

The potentiometer shaft is cycled not less than ten times over a minimum of 95% of the electrical continuity travel within the rated travel speed of the potentiometer just prior to making noise measurements. The potentiometer shaft is then connected mechanically to the constant speed drive and electrically connected to the test circuit. With the constant speed drive engaged, the potentiometer noise characteristic may then be noted on the oscilloscope as the wiper traverses one complete cycle over the full electrical continuity travel and the maximum values are compared to the specified limit.

If only random spikes of noise are noted, the potentiometer should be cycled again. If the random spikes are repetitive, the maximum values should be noted. Otherwise do not consider the initial measurements as noise.

Independent Linearity

DEFINITION

The maximum deviation expressed as a percent of the total applied voltage, of the actual function characteristic from a straight line whose slope and position minimize the maximum deviations over the actual electrical travel, or any specified portion thereof.

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Insulation Resistance

DEFINITION

The resistance to a specified impressed DC voltage between the terminals of each cup and the exposed conducting surfaces of the potentiometer, or between the terminals of each cup and the terminals of every other cup in the gang, under prescribed conditions.

TEST PROCEDURE

Interconnect all electrically insulated terminals of each cup of the potentiometer. Connect the insulation resistance test set to the terminal of the first cup and to some exposed conducting surface (shaft, housing, etc.) and apply the specified test voltage. Unless otherwise specified the test voltage shall be 500 VDC. Maintain the test voltage at this level for 5 to 10 seconds before initiating movement of the shaft through one full sweep of the total mechanical travel in a time interval of not less than 5 seconds nor more than 60 seconds. Monitor the indicated insulation resistance during this voltage application, the insulation resistance is the minimum value observed during the movement of the shaft.

For ganged potentiometers, repeat the procedure for each cup applying the high voltage between the terminal of each cup and the exposed conducting surface of the potentiometer.

Output Smoothness

DEFINITION

The spurious variations in the electrical output not present in the input. They are measured for specified travel increments over the theoretical electrical travel and expressed as a percentage of the total applied voltage.

TEST PROCEDURE

Mount the potentiometer in the constant-speed drive (4 RPM) and excite it with the power supply. Connect the wiper and the power common lead to the input of the filter and the output of the filter to the oscilloscope. When a load is specified for a conformity test, use that load for the output smoothness test. When no load is specified for the conformity test, apply a load equal to 100 times the nominal resistance value of the potentiometer under test between the wiper and the CCW end (unless otherwise specified).

The output smoothness is the largest excursion voltage occurring over one specified travel increment, divided by the total applied voltage. Unless otherwise specified, the travel increment is 1% of the theoretical electrical travel.

Excursions occurring at the point of abrupt changes in input slope (start, end, and reversal) are not considered output smoothness faults.

Power Rating

DEFINITION

The maximum power, in watts, that a potentiometer can dissipate across the entire resistive element under specified conditions while meeting specified operating performance requirements.

Resolution

DEFINITION

A measure of the sensitivity to which the output of a potentiometer may be set. (Applicable to wirewound potentiometers only.)

Theoretical resolution; the reciprocal of the number of turns of wire in the resistance winding in the actual electrical travel, expressed as a percentage.

Travel resolution; the maximum value of shaft travel (in degrees for rotary devices) in one direction per incremental voltage stop in any specified portion of the resistance element.

Voltage resolution; the maximum incremental change in output ratio with shaft travel in one direction in any specified portion of the resistance element.

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Temperature Coefficient of Resistance

DEFINITION

The unit change in resistance per degree Celsius change from a reference temperature, expressed in parts per million per degree Celsius using the following formula:

 $TC = [(R1-R2)/R1(T2-T1)] \times 106$

WHERE: R1 = Resistance at reference

temperature in ohms R2 = Resistance at test

temperature in ohms

T1 = Reference temperature

in degrees Celsius

T2 = Test temperature in degrees Celsius

TEST PROCEDURE

Position the wiper of the potentiometer to be tested off of the actual electrical travel or at a point to minimize the total resistance if no over travel exists. Subject the potentiometer to the specified test temperature(s). The total resistance is measured after temperature chamber has been stabilized for the test temperature for a minimum of 30 minutes (avoid over aging). The reference temperature of 25 degree Celsius shall be used for all elevated and reduced temperatures. Calculate the (TC) by inserting the appropriate data into the above formula and comparing the result to the specification.

Total Resistance

DEFINITION

The DC resistance between the end terminals of a potentiometer with the shaft positioned so as to give a maximum resistance value.

TEST PROCEDURE

With the VOM or DVM device (10ma maximum current) connected between the wiper and one end terminal, position the wiper onto the electrical overtravel. Reconnect the test leads of the measuring device to the end terminals of the potentiometer under test, the reading observed is the total resistance of the potentiometer.