Power Choke Coil

Series: PCC-M1040L (MC)  
Low DCR Type

Small mounting size
for multi-phase DC/DC converter circuits

Features

● Small type (11.7×10.0×H4.0 mm)  
● High power (21 A to 30 A)  
● Low loss (R<sub>DC</sub> :0.76 to 1.58 mΩ)  
● Tighter DCR tolerance (±5 %)  
● Suitable for high frequency circuit (up to 1 MHz)  
● Low buzz noise due to its gap-less structure  
● Shielded construction  
● RoHS compliant

Recommended Applications

● Notebook PC power supply modules  
● Servers, Routers, DC/DC converters for driving CPUs

Standard Packing Quantity (Minimum Quantity/Packing Unit)

● 2,000 pcs./box (2 reel)

Explanation of Part Numbers

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Part Code  
Inductance  
Classification  
Size  
Winding  
Inductance  
Core  
Packaging  
Suffix

Standard Parts

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<th>Rated current (A)&lt;sup&gt;2&lt;/sup&gt;</th>
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<sup>1</sup> Inductance is measured at 1.0 MHz.  
<sup>2</sup> Rated current defines actual value of DC current, when temperature rise of coil becomes 40 K. (Method A)  
<sup>3</sup> Rated current defines actual value of DC current, when temperature rise of coil becomes 40 K. (Method B)  
<sup>4</sup> Reference only.  
<sup>5</sup> Method A (PANASONIC’s standard measurement conditions), Method B (high heat dissipation measurement) is different from Method A by the measurement methods. In normal application condition, the part’s temperature depends on circuit design and heat dissipation condition. This condition shall be verified by the worst operational condition.

Design and specifications are each subject to change without notice. Ask factory for the current technical specifications before purchase and/or use. Should a safety concern arise regarding this product, please be sure to contact us immediately.
Performance Characteristics (Reference)

Inductance vs DC Current

Case Temperature vs DC Current (Method A)

Dimensions in mm (not to scale)

Connection

Recommended land patterns in mm (not to scale)

As for Packaging Methods, Soldering Conditions and Safety Precautions (Power Choke Coils for Consumer use),

Please see Data Files
Guidelines and precautions regarding the technical information and use of our products described in this online catalog.

- If you want to use our products described in this online catalog for applications requiring special qualities or reliability, or for applications where the failure or malfunction of the products may directly jeopardize human life or potentially cause personal injury (e.g. aircraft and aerospace equipment, traffic and transportation equipment, combustion equipment, medical equipment, accident prevention, anti-crime equipment, and/or safety equipment), it is necessary to verify whether the specifications of our products fit to such applications. Please ensure that you will ask and check with our inquiry desk as to whether the specifications of our products fit to such applications use before you use our products.

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<Regarding the Certificate of Compliance with the EU RoHS Directive/REACH Regulations>

- The switchover date for compliance with the RoHS Directive/REACH Regulations varies depending on the part number or series of our products.

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Safety Precautions
(General precautions for Power Choke Coils for consumer use)

- When using our products, no matter what sort of equipment they might be used for, be sure to make a written agreement on the specifications with us in advance. The design and specifications in this catalog are subject to change without prior notice.
- Do not use the products beyond the specifications described in this catalog.
- This catalog explains the quality and performance of the products as individual components. Before use, check and evaluate their operations when installed in your products.
- Install the following systems for a fail-safe design to ensure safety if these products are to be used in equipment where a defect in these products may cause the loss of human life or other significant damage, such as damage to vehicles (auto-mobile, train, vessel), traffic lights, medical equipment, aerospace equipment, electric heating appliances, communication/gas equipment, rotating equipment, and disaster/crime prevention equipment.
- Systems equipped with a protection circuit and a protection device.
- Systems equipped with a redundant circuit or other system to prevent an unsafe status in the event of a single fault.

Precautions for use

1. Provision to abnormal condition
   This power choke coil itself does not have any protective function in abnormal condition such as overload, short-circuit and open-circuit conditions, etc. Therefore, it shall be confirmed as the end product that there is no risk of smoking, fire, dielectric withstand voltage, insulation resistance, etc. in abnormal conditions to provide protective devices and/or protection circuit in the end product.

2. Temperature rise
   Temperature rise of power choke coil depends on the installation condition in end products. It shall be confirmed in the actual end product that temperature rise of power choke coil is in the limit of specified temperature class.

3. Dielectric strength
   Dielectric withstanding test with higher voltage than specific value will damage Insulating material and shorten its life.

4. Water
   This Power choke coil must not be used in wet condition by water, coffee or any liquid because insulation strength becomes very low in such condition.

5. Potting
   If this power choke coil is potted in some compound, coating material of magnet wire might be occasionally damaged. Please ask us if you intend to pot this power choke coil.

6. Solvent
   If this power choke coil is dipped in the cleaning agent, and the coating agent of the toluene and the xylene system, there is a possibility that the performance decreases greatly. Please ask us if you intend to pot this power choke coil.

7. Static electricity measures
   1. Circuit design
      Please set up the ESD measures parts such as capacitors in the former steps of this power choke coil for static electricity when there is a possibility that static electricity is impressed to the choke coil on the circuit. Moreover, please consult our company about such a case once.
   2. Treatment with single
      Take countermeasures against static electricity when using single power choke coil. (process and equipment) There is a possibility that the characteristic changes when the voltage of 200 V or more is impressed to this power choke coil. Please handle 200 V or less.
8. Core Chipping and Core Crack
   This choke coil has a possibility to make partial chipping or crack in the core due to excessive mechanical stress from outside, and might have initially a partial chipping and/or cracks that do not affect the quality.

9. Storage temperature
   -5 °C to +35 °C

10. Operating temperature
   Minimum temperature: -40 °C (Ambient temperature of the power choke coil)
   Maximum temperature: 130 °C (Ambient temperature of the power choke coil plus the temperature rise)
   100 °C (Only series: PCC-F126F(N6))

11. Model
   When this power choke coil is used in a similar or new product to the original one, it might be unable to satisfy the specifications due to difference of condition of usage.
   Please ask us if you use this power choke coil in the manner such as above.

7. Drop
   If the power choke coil receives mechanical stress such as drop, characteristics may become poor (due to damage on coil bobbin, etc.). Never use such stressed power choke coil.

<Package markings>
Package markings include the product number, quantity, and country of origin.
In principle, the country of origin should be indicated in English.