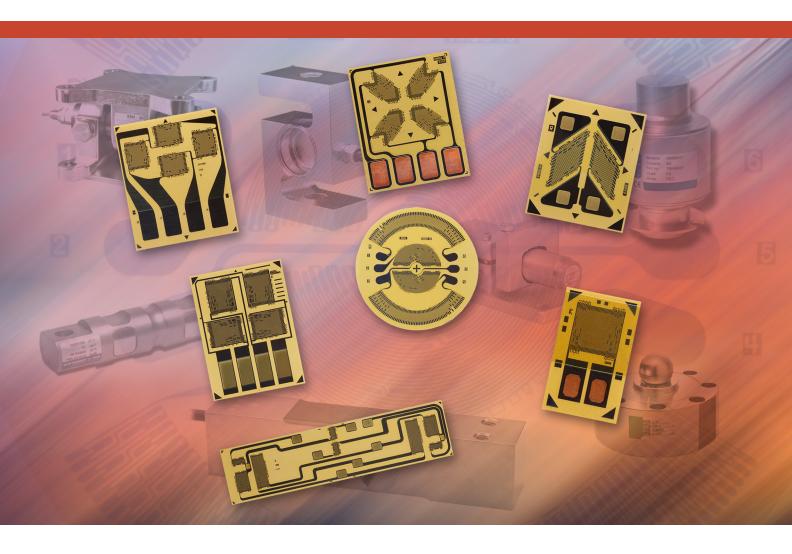
Transducer-Class® Strain Gages

with Advanced Sensors Technology

Databook



Strain Gage Sensors
Bondable Resistors
Installation Accessories



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Micro-Measurements has been a trusted name in the field of strain gage technology for more than 60 years. We are proud of our worldwide reputation as a premier supplier of high-quality precision strain gages and strain gage accessories, and are fully committed to maintaining our position as the leader in this field. This catalog of Micro-Measurements *Transducer-Class®* strain gages and related products for OEM applications is intended to provide an overview of the sensors and installation accessories and tools needed for successful transducer strain gage applications.

TRANSDUCER-CLASS WITH ADVANCED SENSORS TECHNOLOGY

The *Transducer Class* strain gages are built with our advanced sensors technology, using state-of-the-art equipment and tooling for excellent performance and reduced lead times. Exclusive features of *Transducer-Class* gages with advanced sensors technology include:

- Excellent gage-to-gage and grid-to-grid matching, to allow for more uniform gage performance in temperature.
- Tighter resistance tolerances: down to ±0.1% even in high resistance gage patterns, enables simpler balance of the Wheatstone bridge circuitry.
- High resistance patterns: offered in linear, shear, tee-patterns and full-bridge configurations, with up to 10 Kohm resistance values.
- Gold-plated solder tabs (on Karma foil patterns) and epoxy encapsulation for active grid protection offered as standard features.
- Targeted to support high-volume OEM applications using state-of-the-art innovative technology.
- Optimum backing thickness tolerance, particularly important to minimize creep variations between gage installations.
- Multiple creep compensation choices for most gage patterns. A close inspection of the gage pattern reveals a small letter on the gage matrix next to the grid. This letter is the creep compensation code. Different creep compensations of the same pattern can be easily identified after removing gages from the package.
- Special pattern refinement for improved gage-togage reproducibility. Creep variation due to operating temperature changes is reduced.

INSTALLATION ACCESSORIES

Construction of the strain gage is completed when it is bonded and wired—final manufacturing steps that our customers undertake. To help ensure successful transducers, Micro-Measurements accessories are extensively tested before being selected for strain gage use. Clear, concise instructions are provided to make these final manufacturing steps as risk-free as possible.

APPLICATIONS ASSISTANCE

Our Transducer Applications Department is dedicated to providing accurate, friendly and confidential answers to your strain gage application questions. With a fully equipped laboratory and all of Micro-Measurements' combined engineering, manufacturing, and applications experience available to them, our Applications Engineers are "on-call" for you.

Individualized customer training is available in our Applications Laboratory or Technical Training Center in Raleigh, North Carolina USA.

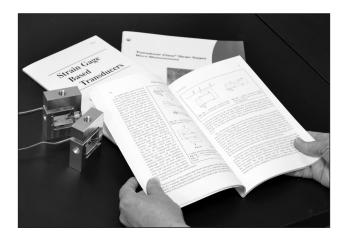






REFERENCE LITERATURE

Technical and product literature, along with special publications like our *Strain Gage Based Transducers* booklet, are available at no charge.



CUSTOMER SERVICE

We know that we must deliver in order for you to produce. Our Customer Service Department works daily with the individual requirements of our *Transducer-Class* customers to make sure that we supply the product you need—when you need it. Purchase conditions are tailored to your requirements, optimizing price/performance and minimizing inventory costs while ensuring the supply of reliable, high-quality strain gages and accessories.







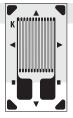
N2A SERIES

N2A gages are oconstantan-alloy patterns constructed on a thin, laminated, polyimide-film backing. This series is capable of low and repeatable creep performance. Construction is very rugged, which will help prevent gage handling damage. Advanced Sensors N2A gages are offered with epoxy encapsulation as standard. An open-faced version can be supplied upon request.



J2A SERIES

J2A gages are encapsulated constantan-alloy patterns. Both the encapsulation and backing are thin, laminated polyimide film. Gage soldering tabs are exposed for simplified lead connections. Creep performance is equal to the N2A Series, although the presence of an encapsulating layer will require a change in creep code selection to maintain the same performance.



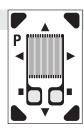
EA SERIES

EA gages are open-faced constantan-alloy patterns with a flexible cast-polyimide backing. Creep scatter is somewhat more pronounced than with all other series. Consequently, EA gages are normally available with only one creep code per pattern.



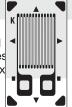
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N2K gages are modified-Karma-alloy patterns constructed on a thin, laminated, polyimide-film backing. All N2K gages are supplied with gold soldering pads (DG) for ease of leadwire attachment. Copper soldering pads are also available. Most gages in the N2K Series can also be modulus compensated. Advanced Sensors N2K gages are offered with epoxy encapsulation as standard. An open-faced version can be supplied upon request.



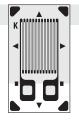
N5K SERIES

N5K gages are modified-Karma-alloy patterns constructed on a thin, laminated, polyimide-film backing constructed to improve gage performance at elevated temperatures. All N5K gages are supplied with gold soldering pads (DG) for ease of leadwire attachment. Copper soldering pads are also available. Most gages in the N5K Series can also be modulus compensated. Advanced Sensors N5K gages are offered with epox encapsulation as standard.



J5K SERIES

J5K gages are encapsulated, modified-Karma-alloy patterns specially constructed to improve gage performance at elevated temperatures. Because of the laminated polyimide-film backing and encapsulation, all J5K patterns are fully flexible without being brittle. Gold soldering pads (DG) as well as copper soldering pads (DP) are exposed for simplified lead connections. Some J5K gages can be supplied with modulus-compensation (EMC) options. For best high-temperature performance, J5K-Series gages should be installed with M-Bond 450 high-temperature adhesive.





J5E SERIES

J5E gages are a family of platinum-tungsten-alloy patterns constructed with a thin, flexible polyimide backing. Sensing grids are fully encapsulated by a polyimide film overlay and include a preformed solder dot on each gage tab. With a gage factor more than double that of conventional strain gages, platinum-tungsten-alloy patterns provide standard transducer output levels at less than half the normal spring-element stress values. This allows for higher overload safety, increased fatigue life, and improved linearity in many transducer designs. A negative gage-factor-versus-temperature slope also provides modulus compensation in many types of steel transducer spring elements. A relatively high thermal output of platinum-tungsten alloy makes precision static measurements difficult. J5E gages are not manufactured with the Advanced Sensors Technology



GAGE	TEMPERAT	URE RANGE	GAGE FACTOR	FATIGU	JE LIFE
SERIES	STATIC	DYNAMIC	(SEE NOTE)	STRAIN LEVEL IN με	NUMBER OF CYCLES
N2A	-100° to +200°F (-75° to +95°C)	Same as Static	2.05 nom.	±1500 1500	10 ⁷ 10 ^{8 (2)}
J2A	-100° to +200°F (-75° to +95°C)	Same as Static	2.05 nom.	±1700 1700	10 ⁶ 10 ^{7 (2)}
EA	-100° to +200°F (-75° to +95°C)	-320° to +350°F (-75° to +95°C)	2.05 nom.	±1500 1500	10 ⁶ 10 ^{7 (2)}
N2K	-100° to +200°F (-75° to +95°C)	Same as Static	2.1 nom. (1)	±1800	10 ⁷
N5K	-100° to +400°F (-75° to +205°C)	-320° to +500°F (-195° to +260°C)	2.1 nom. (1)	±1800	10 ⁷
J5K	-100° to +400°F (-75° to +205°C)	-320° to +500°F (-195° to +260°C)	2.1 nom. (1)	± 2000 1800	10 ⁷ 10 ^{8 (2)}
J5E	-100° to +400°F (-75° to +205°C)	Same as Static	4.5 nom.	±1500	10 ⁸

Notes:

Advanced Sensors gages are supplied with nominal gage factor values that will vary slightly with pattern. They are not suitable for strain measurement in stress analysis applications. Request our Precision Strain Gages databook, or contact our Applications Engineering Department, for a complete listing of gages for precision strain measurement applications.

⁽¹⁾ Nominal gage factor is 2.2 for EMC options.

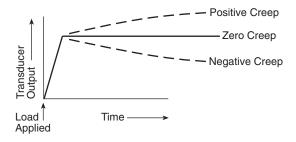
⁽²⁾ Unidirectional strain.

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CREEP COMPENSATION

Commercial transducers regularly achieve a creep specification of less than \pm 0.02% of full scale (FS) for a 20-minute test. To attain this level on a high production basis, it is usually necessary to match the strain gage's creep characteristic to the spring element creep.

Most *Transducer-Class* gages can be adjusted in design to exhibit either a positive or negative creep under load. Spring element materials exhibit only positive creep under load. (See figure below.)



Since transducer creep depends on several variables such as spring element material, heat treatment, strain field, adhesive type and test temperature, it is not possible to predict the proper gage compensation necessary to achieve the best creep result.

Most of the gages in this catalog list one available creep compensation code. Since it is not possible to predetermine the creep characteristics of a particular transducer, it is suggested that the standard creep code be ordered in quantities sufficient to evaluate three or four transducers. Where creep levels are high enough to warrant correction, a different creep compensation, either more negative or more positive, depending on test results, can often be recommended.

A complicating factor in creep code selection is that while different gage patterns may list the same creep code, they do not necessarily exhibit the same creep behavior. This is because the gage backing selection, gridline width and gage length also influence creep characteristics.

It should also be noted that this type of creep correction is generally limited to transducers exhibiting less than $\pm 0.1\%$ FS creep. Higher creep levels in the positive direction are often the result of poor spring element material selection. Negative creep values in excess of 0.1% FS generally are the result of a faulty gage installation.

MODULUS COMPENSATION (EMC) OPTION

Many of the K-alloy gages in this catalog are available in a special form which permits the gage factor change with temperature to be adjusted over a wide range during gage manufacture. Properly matched to the transducer spring element, these EMC (Effective Modulus Compensation) gages can provide very good self-correction of changes in transducer span versus temperature. A compensation better than ±0.0008%/°F (±0.0014%/°C) can readily be achieved in many cases.

While this may at first appear to be the "ideal" strain gage for transducers, there are certain factors that should be considered prior to selecting EMC gages for a given application:

- EMC gages cost more than other gages. In most cases the difference is great enough to offset the additional cost of span/temperature resistors.
- EMC gages must be "matched" to the transducer spring material. Depending on the degree of compensation accuracy desired, the standard EMC options may not yield the "best fit" compensation on the spring material in use. In these cases, a special foil lot which possesses the desired compensation would be required. There is normally a minimum order requirement and set-up charge for special foil lots.
- Transducer spring materials may not have batch-to-batch repeatability sufficient to maintain specifications when using the same EMC gages. New material lot testing is therefore necessary for high precision units.

Despite these limitations, EMC gages can often be advantageous for transducer manufacturers.

The following standard EMC options are available:

OPTION M1

Gage factor slope is -1.50% per 100° F (-2.70% per 100° C). Provides span-versus-temperature compensation for many stainless steels.

OPTION M2

Gage factor slope is –2.35% per 100°F (–4.23% per 100°C). Provides span-versus-temperature compensation for most aluminum alloys.

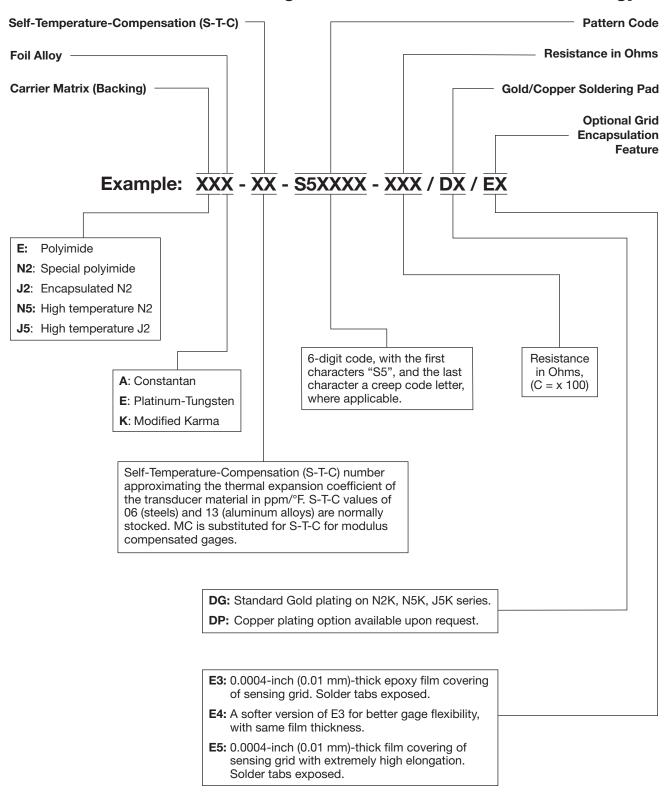
OPTION M3

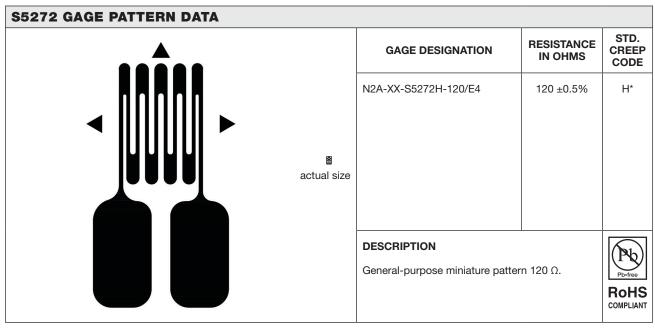
Gage factor slope is -1.25% per $100^{\circ}F$ (-2.25% per $100^{\circ}C$). Provides span-versus-temperature compensation for many tool steels.

OPTION M4

Gage factor slope is -1.35% per $100^{\circ}F$ (-2.43% per $100^{\circ}C$). Provides "mid-range" compensation between M1 and M3.

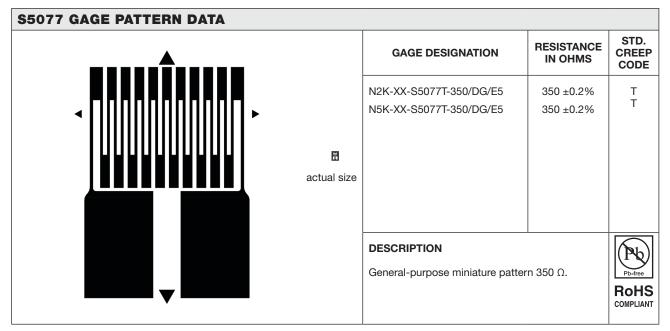






GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					millimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.015	0.062	0.020	0.037	0.08	0.05
0.38	1.57	0.51	0.93	2.1	1.2

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage.

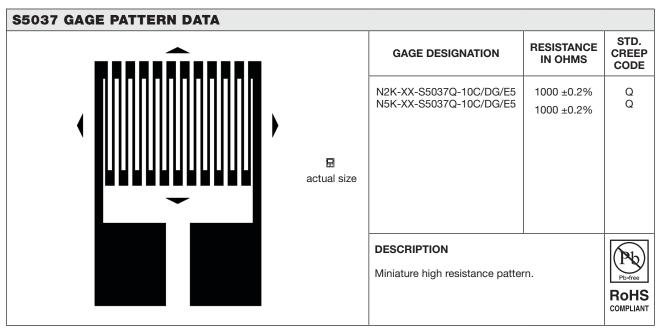


GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.020	0.089	0.060	0.060	0.10	0.07
0.51	2.26	1.52	1.52	2.5	1.8

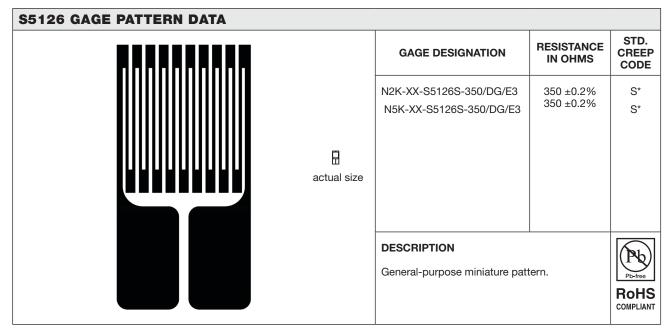
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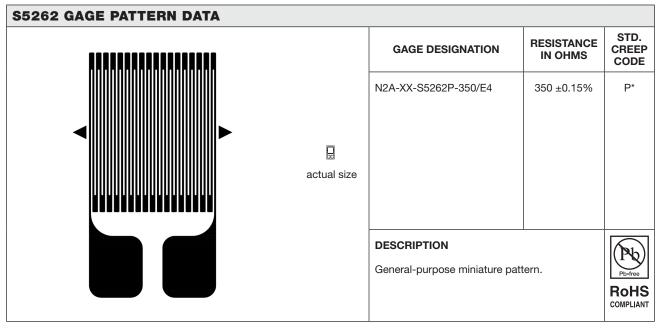
GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					millimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.034	0.087	0.051	0.056	0.09	0.08
0.86	2.21	1.30	1.42	2.4	1.9



GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					millimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.050	0.131	0.065	0.065	0.14	0.07
1.27	3.32	1.65	1.65	3.5	1.9

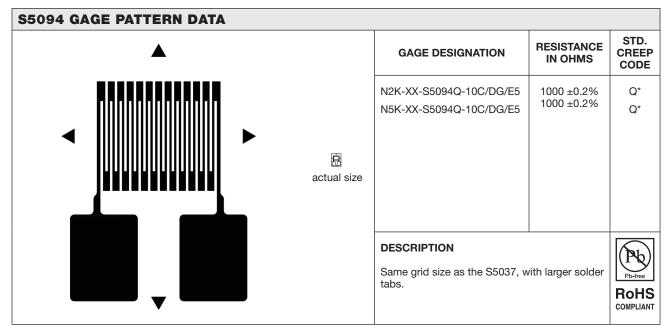
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GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.062	0.120	0.062	0.062	0.14	0.08
1.57	3.04	1.57	1.57	3.5	2.1

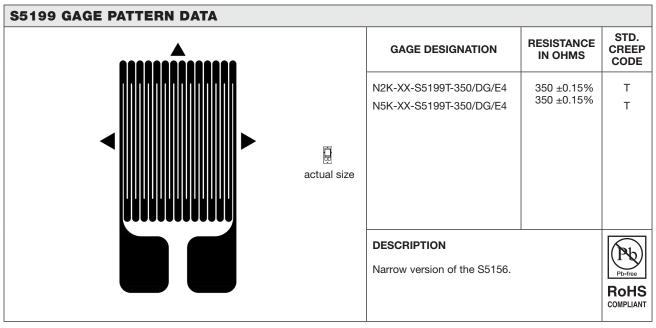
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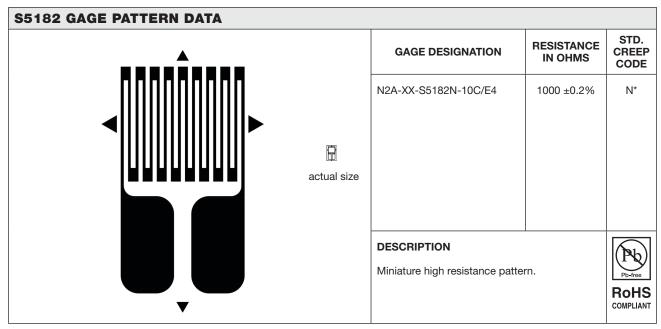
		inch	millimeter		
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.033	0.104	0.054	0.084	0.13	0.10
0.85	2.64	1.38	2.13	3.4	2.5

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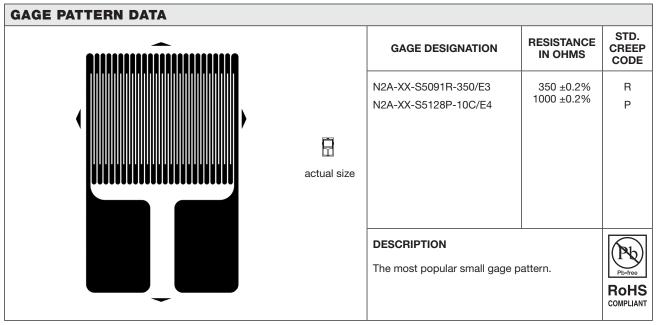
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Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.062	0.124	0.062	0.062	0.17	0.09
1.57	3.14	1.57	1.57	4.3	2.4



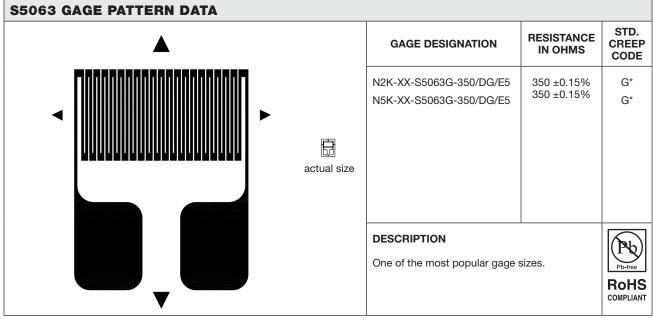
GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.050	0.129	0.070	0.070	0.16	0.10
1.27	3.26	1.78	1.78	4.0	2.5

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage.





GAGE DIMENSIONS inch n				millimeter	
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.060	0.154	0.100	0.100	0.19	0.12
1.52	3.89	2.54	2.54	4.7	3.0



GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.047	0.137	0.100	0.108	0.18	0.14
1.19	3.48	2.55	2.75	4.5	3.7

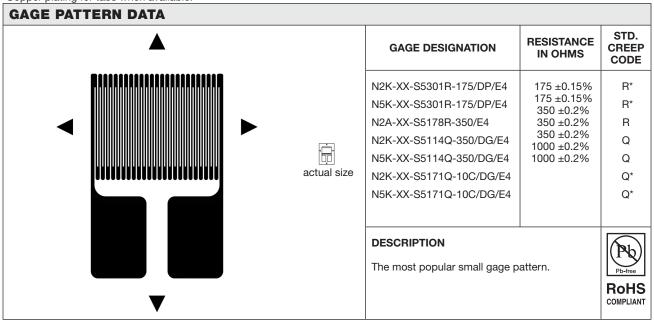
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GAGE PATTERN DATA			
	GAGE DESIGNATION	RESISTANCE IN OHMS	STD. CREEP CODE
actual size	N2A-XX-S5155Q-350/E4 N2K-XX-S5156T-350/DG/E4 N5K-XX-S5156T-350/DG/E4	350 ±0.15% 350 ±0.15% 350 ±0.15%	Q* T* T*
	DESCRIPTION General-purpose miniature patr	terns.	Pb-free RoHS COMPLIANT

GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.062	0.124	0.062	0.062	0.19	0.12
1.57	3.14	1.57	1.57	4.7	3.1

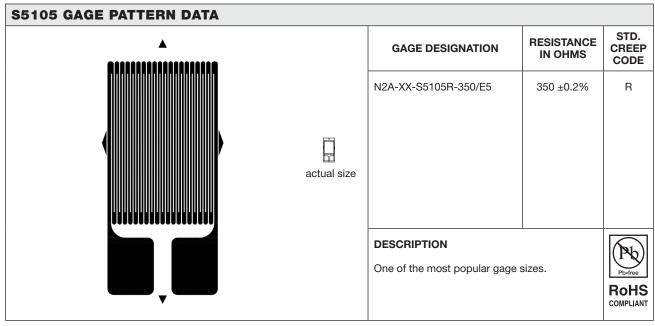
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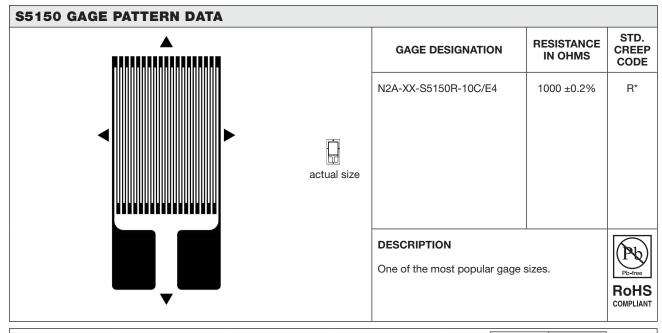
	GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter				
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.060	0.150	0.100	0.100	0.22	0.16
1.52	3.80	2.54	2.54	5.6	4.1

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs when applicable.





GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					millimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.126	0.212	0.100	0.100	0.25	0.12
3.20	5.35	2.54	2.54	6.3	3.0



	GAGE DIMENSIONS				millimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.125	0.215	0.100	0.100	0.26	0.14
3.18	5.45	2.54	2.54	6.6	3.5

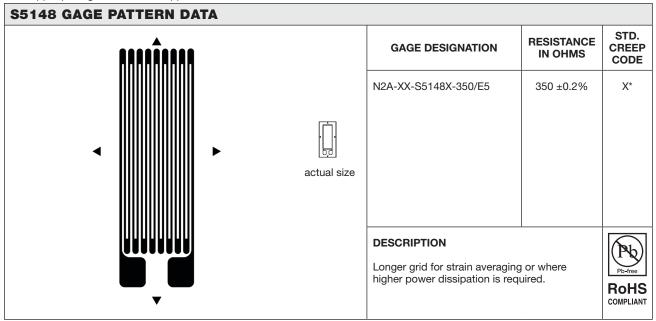
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GAGE PATTERN DATA			
A	GAGE DESIGNATION	RESISTANCE IN OHMS	STD. CREEP CODE
	N2A-XX-S5122R-350/E4	350 ±0.15%	R
	N2A-XX-S5286R-120/E5	120 ±0.2%	R*
	N2K-XX-S5109Q-350/DG/E4	350 ±0.2%	Q
actual size	N5K-XX-S5109Q-350/DG/E4	350 ±0.2%	Q
	DESCRIPTION		Ph
	One of the most popular gage :	sizes.	Pb-free
T			RoHS

	GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter				
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.125	0.215	0.100	0.100	0.28	0.16
3.18	5.45	2.54	2.54	7.1	4.1

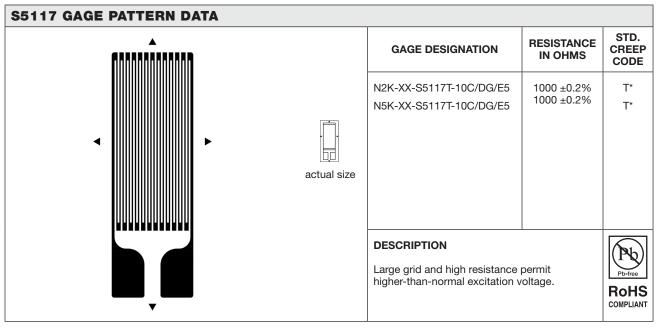
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		GAGE DIN	inch	millimeter	
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.236	0.316	0.100	0.100	0.37	0.18
5.99	8.02	2.54	2.54	9.3	4.6

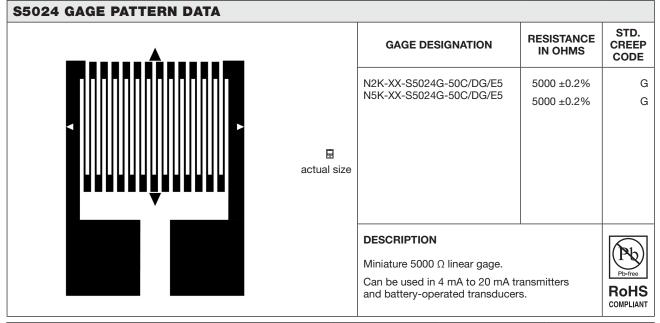
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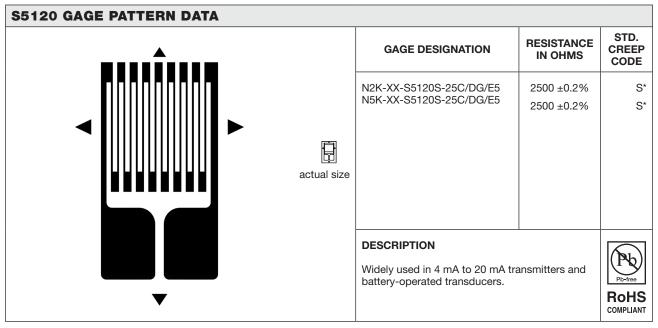
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Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.250	0.377	0.125	0.125	0.43	0.19
6.35	9.57	3.18	3.18	10.8	4.8

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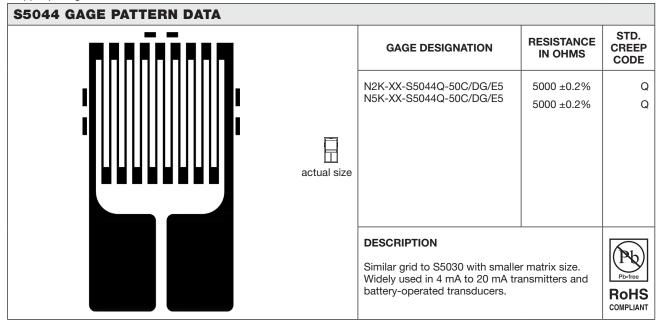
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Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
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0.66	1.60	1.22	1.22	1.9	1.4





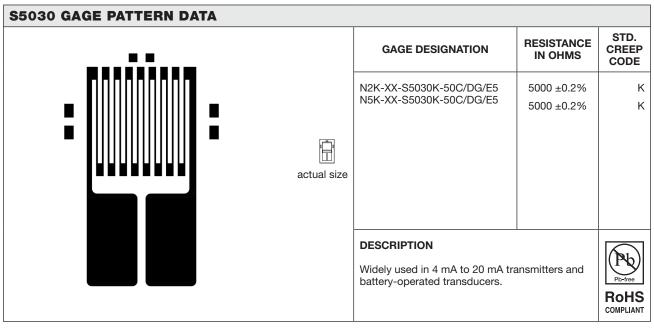
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Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width	
0.050	0.121	0.065	0.070	0.15	0.10	
1.27	3.07	1.65	1.78	3.9	2.6	

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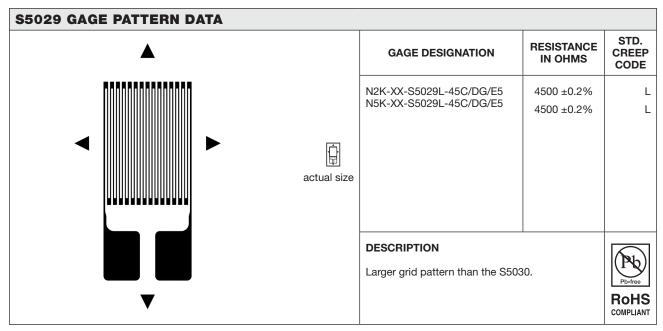


GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter						
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width	
0.050	0.129	0.065	0.065	0.14	0.08	
1.27	3.27	1.65	1.65	3.6	1.9	





		inch	millimeter		
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.050	0.129	0.065	0.065	0.17	0.10
1.27	3.27	1.66	1.66	4.2	2.5



GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter						
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width	
0.100	0.182	0.080	0.080	0.25	0.14	
2.54	4.60	2.03	2.03	6.3	3.5	

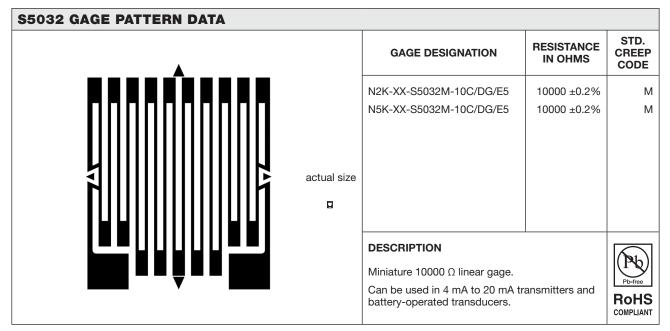
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S5212 GAGE PATTERN DATA			
A	GAGE DESIGNATION	RESISTANCE IN OHMS	STD. CREEP CODE
actual size	N2A-XX-S5212R-20C/E5	2000 ±0.2%	R*
	DESCRIPTION Constantan pattern, with solder to grid.	abs in 90°	Pb-free RoHS COMPLIANT

GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.063	0.082	0.075	0.155	0.12	0.20
1.60	2.08	1.91	3.93	3.0	5.0

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage.



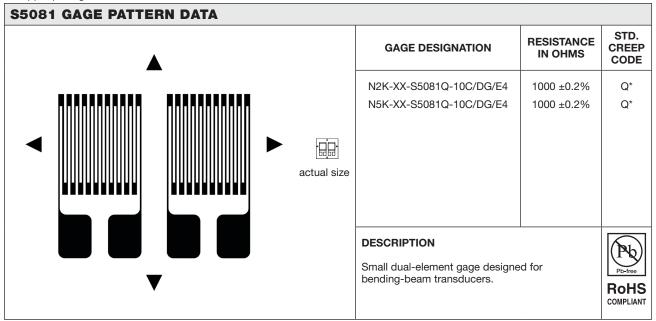
		inch	millimeter		
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.040	0.061	0.048	0.048	0.07	0.06
1.02	1.55	1.22	1.22	1.8	1.4





GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.033	0.086	0.054	0.139	0.10	0.15
0.85	2.18	1.38	3.52	2.5	3.9

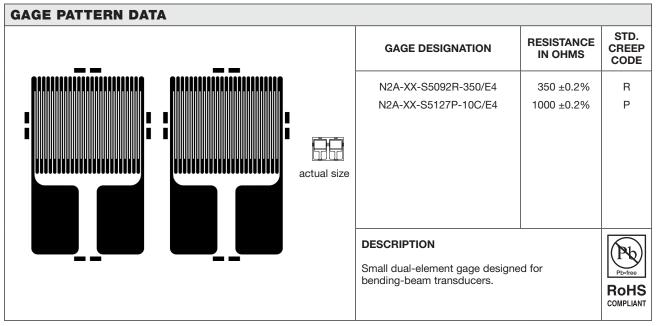
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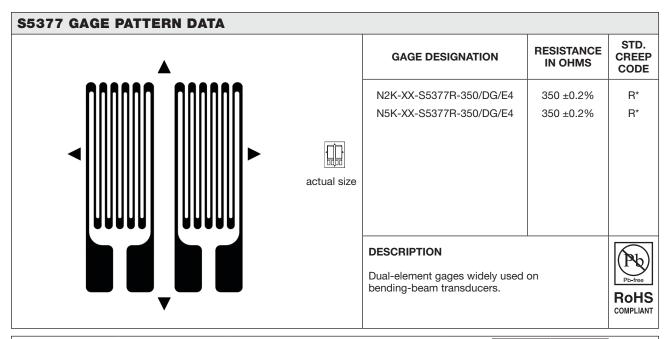
GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.060	0.128	0.065	0.150	0.19	0.21
1.52	3.25	1.65	3.81	4.9	5.3

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.





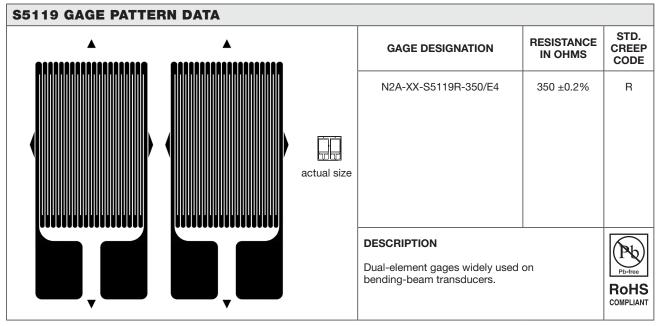
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Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.060	0.154	0.100	0.223	0.18	0.24
1.52	3.89	2.54	5.66	4.7	6.2



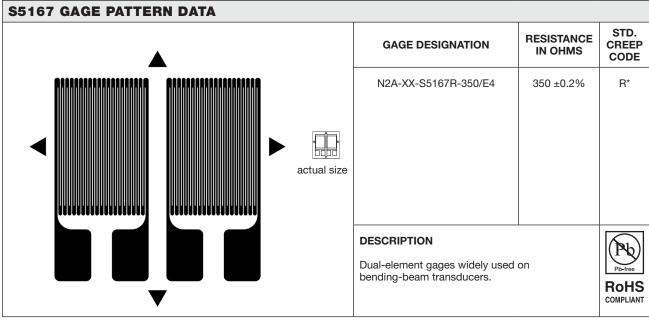
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Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.125	0.195	0.065	0.150	0.27	0.21
3.18	4.96	1.65	3.81	6.9	5.3

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.





GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.126	0.224	0.100	0.221	0.25	0.24
3.20	5.68	2.54	5.61	6.3	6.1



		inch	millimeter		
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.125	0.215	0.100	0.220	0.28	0.28
3.18	5.46	2.54	5.59	7.1	7.1

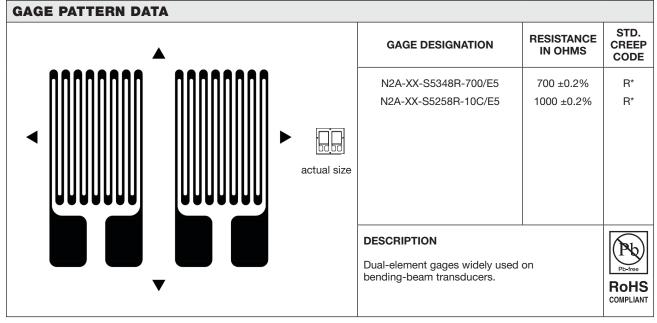
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S5249 GAGE PATTERN DATA						
	GAGE DESIGNATION	RESISTANCE IN OHMS	STD. CREEP CODE			
	N2K-XX-S5249R-10C/DG/E5	1000 ±0.2%	R*			
actual size	N5K-XX-S5249R-10C/DG/E5	1000 ±0.2%	R*			
	DESCRIPTION Small dual-element gage designe bending-beam transducers.	d for	Pb-free RoHS COMPLIANT			

GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					millimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.075	0.170	0.100	0.210	0.24	0.25
1.90	4.31	2.54	5.33	6.0	6.4

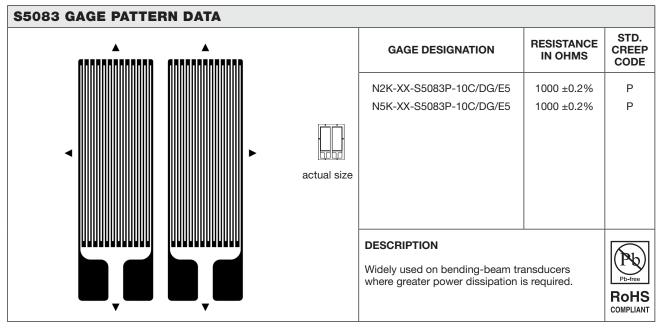
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		GAGE DIN	inch	millimeter	
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.125	0.212	0.100	0.235	0.27	0.29
3.18	5.39	2.54	5.99	6.9	7.4

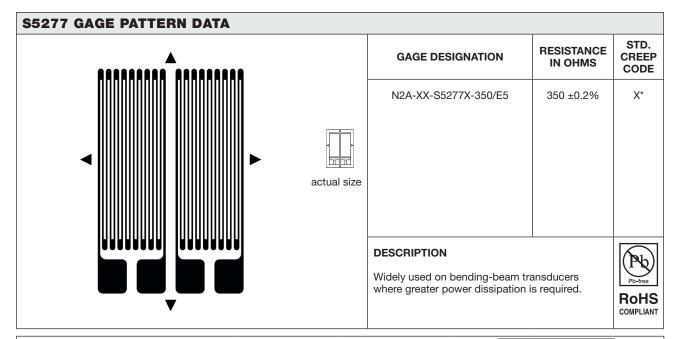
^{*} Only creep code available for this gage.





	GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter				
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.236	0.324	0.100	0.220	0.37	0.27
5.99	8.22	2.54	5.59	9.3	6.7

Copper plating for tabs is available.



	GAGE DIMENSIONS			inch	millimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.236	0.331	0.100	0.215	0.39	0.28
5.99	8.40	2.54	5.47	9.9	7.0

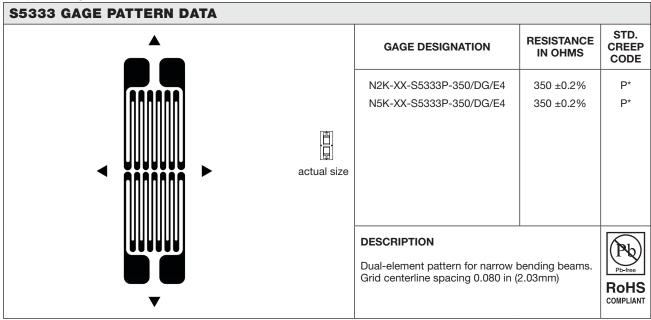
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S5375 GAGE PATTERN DATA			
	GAGE DESIGNATION	RESISTANCE IN OHMS	STD. CREEP CODE
	N2K-XX-S5375U-350/DG/E4	350 ±0.2%	U*
	N5K-XX-S5375U-350/DG/E4	350 ±0.2%	U*
actual size			
	DESCRIPTION		Ph
	Half-bridge common-tab pattern. Grid centerline spacing 0.164 in (Pb-free RoHS COMPLIANT	

	GAGE DIMENSIONS				millimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.030	0.194	0.063	0.063	0.25	0.10
0.76	4.93	1.60	1.60	6.4	2.6

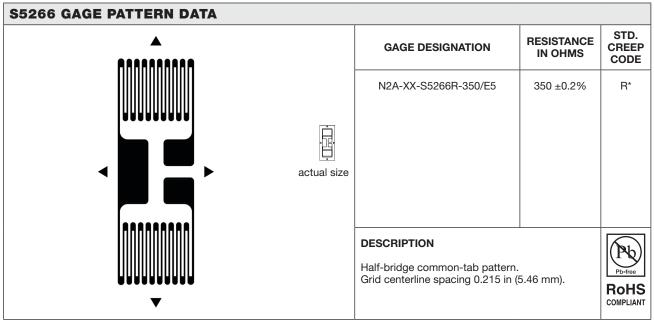
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	GAGE DIMENSIONS inch				
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.062	0.230	0.062	0.062	0.29	0.13
1.57	5.84	1.57	1.57	7.3	3.2

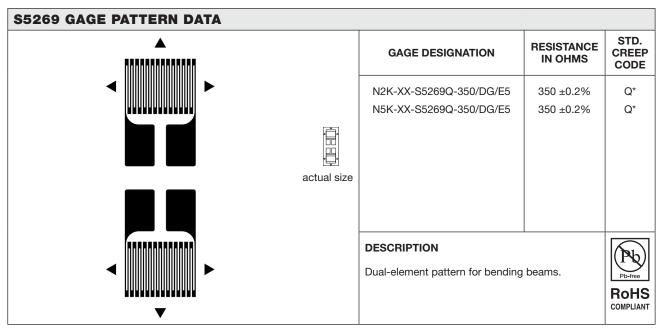
^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.





GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.060	0.285	0.100	0.100	0.36	0.16
1.52	7.24	2.54	2.54	9.3	4.1

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage.



GAGE DIMENSIONS					millimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.060	0.328	0.100	0.100	0.41	0.16
1.52	8.33	2.54	2.54	10.3	4.1

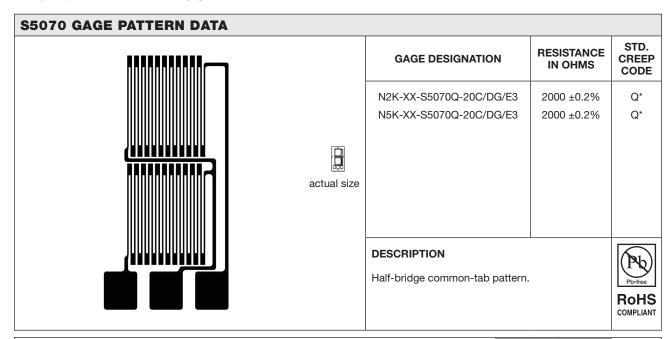
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S5297 GAGE PATTERN DATA			
	GAGE DESIGNATION	RESISTANCE IN OHMS	STD. CREEP CODE
	N2A-XX-S5297R-350/E5	350 ±0.2%	R*
actual size			
	DESCRIPTION Half-bridge common-tab pattern. Grid centerline spacing 0.350 in (8.89 mm).		Pb-free RoHS COMPLIANT

GAGE DIMENSIONS					millimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.060	0.420	0.100	0.100	0.47	0.16
1.52	10.67	2.54	2.54	12.0	4.1

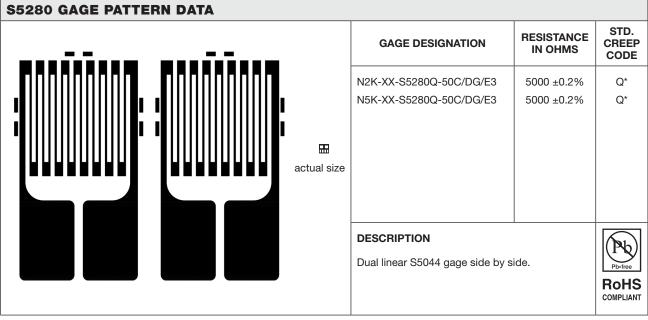
^{*} Only creep code available for this gage.



GAGE DIMENSIONS				inch	millimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.062	0.201	0.062	0.098	0.25	0.13
1.58	5.11	1.58	2.49	6.3	3.2

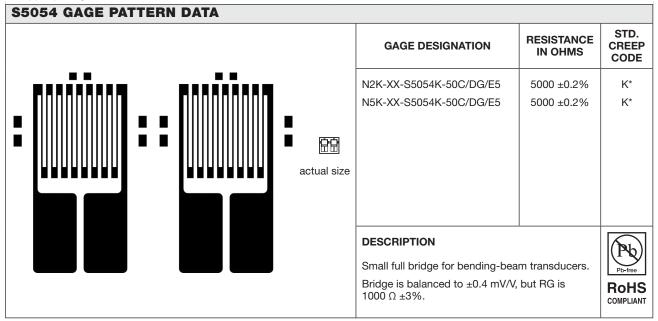
^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.





GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					millimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.050	0.129	0.065	0.065	0.14	0.15
1.27	3.27	1.65	1.65	3.6	3.9

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.



GAGE DIMENSIONS					millimeter
Grid Length	Grid Length Overall Length Grid Width Overall Width			Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.050	0.129	0.065	0.166	0.17	0.20
1.27	3.27	1.65	4.22	4.2	5.1

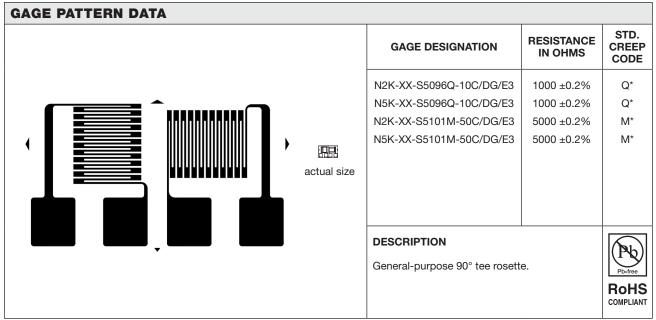
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GAGE PATTERN DATA			
	GAGE DESIGNATION	RESISTANCE IN OHMS	STD. CREEP CODE
_	N2A-XX-S5209K-175/E5	175 ±0.2%	K*
	N2K-XX-S5038P-10C/DG/E5	1000 ±0.2%	Р
	N5K-XX-S5038P-10C/DG/E5	1000 ±0.2%	Р
	N2K-XX-S5039H-50C/DG/E3	5000 ±0.3%	H*
	N5K-XX-S5039H-50C/DG/E3	5000 ±0.3%	H*
actual size			
	DESCRIPTION		
	DESCRIPTION		(Pb)
	Encapsulated 90° tee rosette.		Pb-free
			RoHS COMPLIANT

	GAGE DIMENSIONS			inch	millimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.033	0.092	0.051	0.130	0.10	0.14
0.83	2.34	1.30	3.30	2.7	3.6

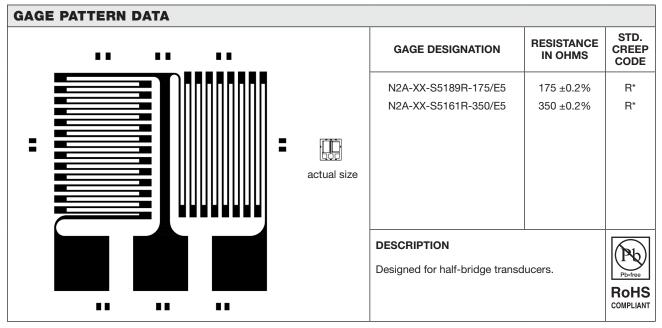
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GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.034	0.102	0.055	0.182	0.12	0.20
0.85	2.59	1.41	4.62	3.1	5.0

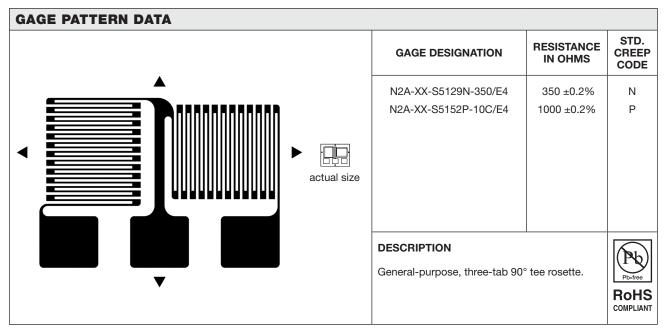
^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.





GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					millimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	rall Length Grid Width Overall Width M			Matrix Width
0.100	0.175	0.120	0.175	0.22	0.22
2.54	4.44	3.00	4.44	5.6	5.6

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage.



GAGE DIMENSIONS				inch	millimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.080	0.165	0.110	0.246	0.23	0.30
2.03	4.20	2.79	6.25	5.8	7.6

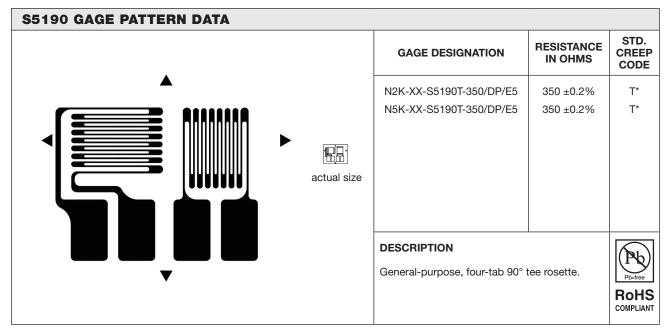
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S5195 GAGE PATTERN DATA			
	GAGE DESIGNATION	RESISTANCE IN OHMS	STD. CREEP CODE
actual size	N2A-XX-S5195R-350/E5	350 ±0.2%	R*
	DESCRIPTION General-purpose, four-tab 90°	tee rosette.	Pb-free RoHS COMPLIANT

GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					millimeter
Grid Length	Grid Length Overall Length Grid Width Overall Width Matrix			Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.062	0.137	0.062	0.160	0.18	0.22
1.57	3.48	1.57	4.07	4.6	5.6

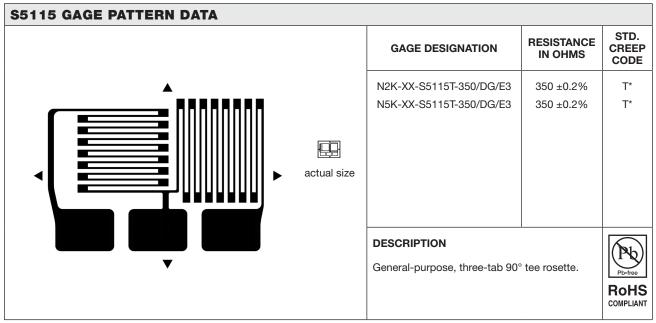
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	GAGE DIMENSIONS			inch	millimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.062	0.157	0.062	0.178	0.20	0.25
1.57	3.98	1.57	4.51	5.2	6.2

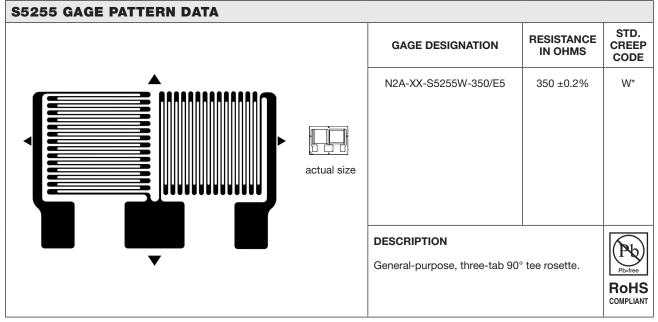
^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.





	inch	millimeter					
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix	Length	Matrix V	Nidth
0.100	0.245	0.100	0.170	0.	31	0.23	3
2.54	6.22	2.54	4.32	7	.7	5.8	1

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.



GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter						
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width	
0.125	0.235	0.150	0.340	0.30	0.40	
3.18	5.97	3.81	8.64	7.5	10.2	

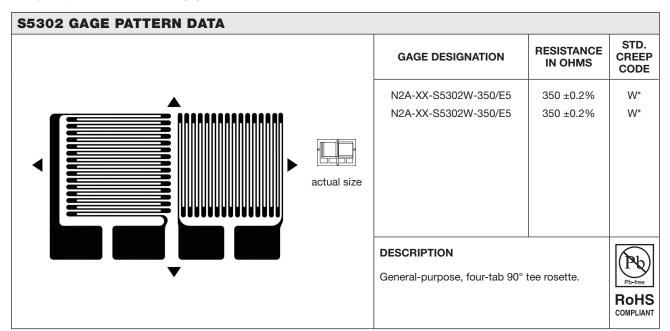
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S5284 GAGE PATTERN DATA			
	GAGE DESIGNATION	RESISTANCE IN OHMS	STD. CREEP CODE
actual size	N2A-XX-S5284T-10C/E5	1000 ±0.2%	Т*
	DESCRIPTION General-purpose, three-tab 90°	° tee rosette.	Pb-free RoHS
			COMPLIANT

GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter						
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width	
0.063	0.149	0.075	0.182	0.18	0.23	
1.60	3.78	1.91	4.62	4.5	5.8	

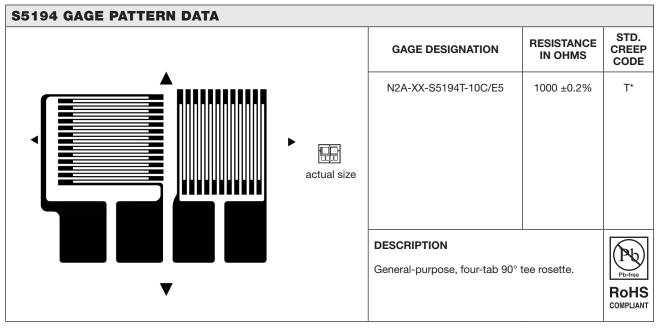
^{*} Only creep code available for this gage.



		inch	millimeter		
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.125	0.218	0.150	0.340	0.28	0.40
3.18	5.53	3.81	8.64	7.00	10.2

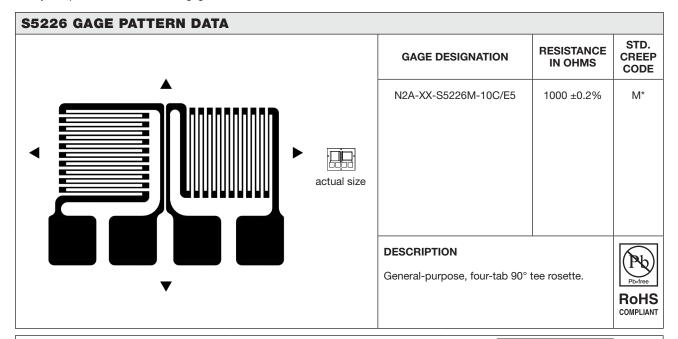
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GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter						
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width	
0.063	0.142	0.075	0.182	0.19	0.23	
1.60	3.60	1.91	4.62	4.9	5.8	

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage.



	GAGE DIMENSIONS				millimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.079	0.165	0.098	0.243	0.23	0.29
2.01	4.20	2.50	6.18	5.8	7.4

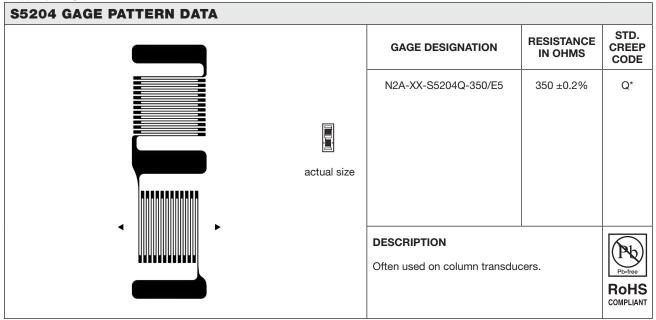
^{*} Only creep code available for this gage.



S5045 GAGE PATTERN DATA			
	GAGE DESIGNATION	RESISTANCE IN OHMS	STD. CREEP CODE
	N2K-XX-S5045H-10C/DG/E5	1000 ±0.2%	H*
Innnnn	N5K-XX-S5045H-10C/DG/E5	1000 ±0.2%	H*
actual size			
	DESCRIPTION		(Pala)
	Often used on small column tra	ansducers.	Pb-free
			RoHS

GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter						
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width	
0.033	0.291	0.056	0.056	0.33	0.08	
0.80	7.40	1.40	1.40	8.4	2.0	

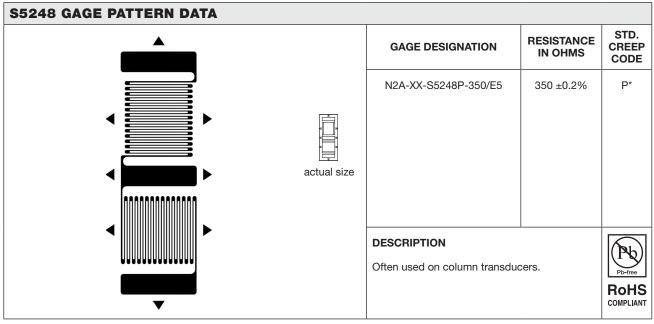
^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.



		GAGE DIN	inch	millimeter	
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.062	0.272	0.062	0.080	0.31	0.12
1.57	6.92	1.57	2.03	7.9	3.0

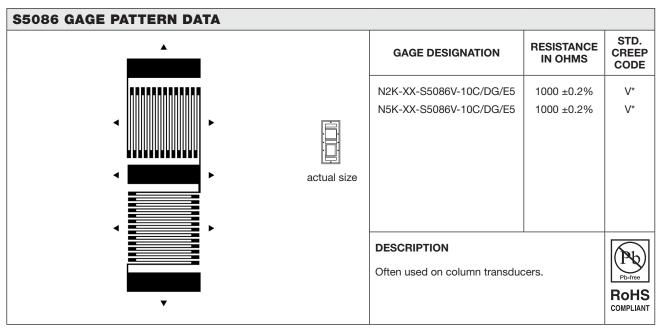
^{*} Only creep code available for this gage.





GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter						
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width	
0.100	0.415	0.130	0.130	0.48	0.19	
2.54	10.54	3.30	3.30	12.1	4.8	

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage.



GAGE DIMENSIONS						
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width	
0.100	0.415	0.130	0.130	0.48	0.19	
2.54	10.54	3.30	3.30	12.1	4.8	

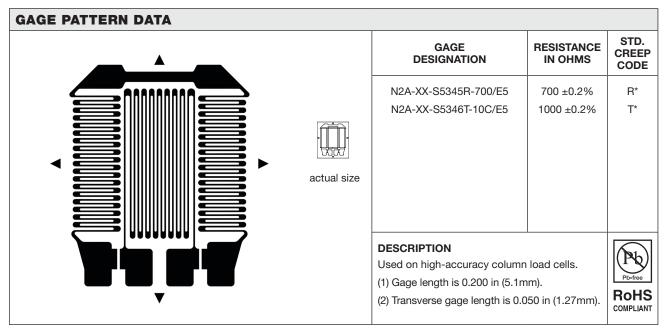
^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.



S5257 GAGE PATTERN DATA						
	GAGE DESIGNATION	RESISTANCE IN OHMS	STD. CREEP CODE			
actual size	N2A-XX-S5257Y-350/E5	350 ±0.2%	Y*			
	DESCRIPTION Used on high-accuracy column (1) Gage length is 0.200 in (5.1 (2) Transverse gage length is 0. (1.27 mm).	mm).	Pb-free RoHS COMPLIANT			

GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					millimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
(1)	0.294	(2)	0.242	0.37	0.33
(1)	7.48	(2)	6.14	9.4	8.4

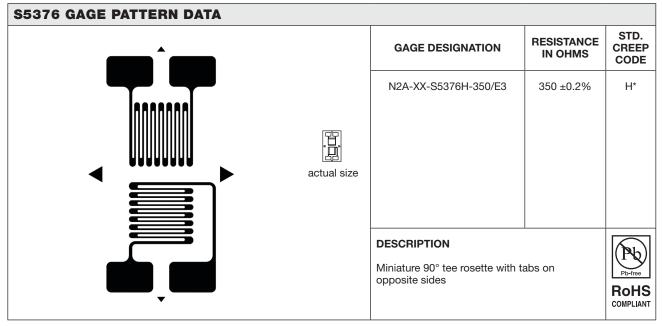
^{*} Only creep code available for this gage.



	GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width	
(1)	0.325	(2)	0.240	0.38	0.33	
(1)	8.25	(2)	6.10	9.5	8.4	

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage.





GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter						millimeter
	Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
	0.030	0.147	0.040	0.067	0.17	0.10
	0.75	3.74	1.00	1.72	4.3	2.5

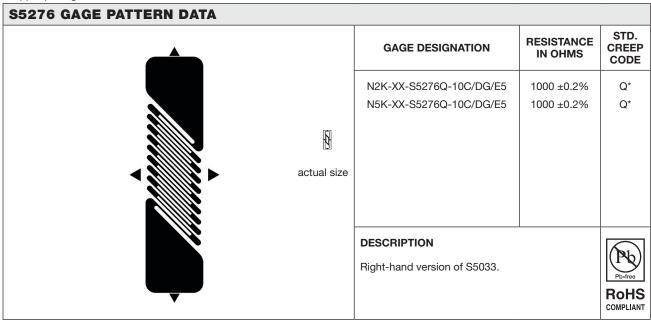
^{*} Only creep code available for this gage.



GAGE PATTERN DATA			
	GAGE DESIGNATION	RESISTANCE IN OHMS	STD. CREEP CODE
	N2K-XX-S5218Q-350/DG/E5	350 ±0.2%	Q*
	N5K-XX-S5218Q-350/DG/E5	350 ±0.2%	Q*
	N2K-XX-S5033Q-10C/DG/E5	1000 ±0.2%	Q
	N5K-XX-S5033Q-10C/DG/E5	1000 ±0.2%	Q
	N2K-XX-S5034Q-50C/DG/E5	5000 ±0.2%	Q
◆ /////////// ▶ actual size	N5K-XX-S5034Q-50C/DG/E5	5000 ±0.2%	Q
	DESCRIPTION		
	Single-element miniature shear p	attern.	Pb-free
			RoHS

GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.034	0.173	0.050	0.042	0.19	0.08
0.86	4.39	1.27	1.07	4.9	2.0

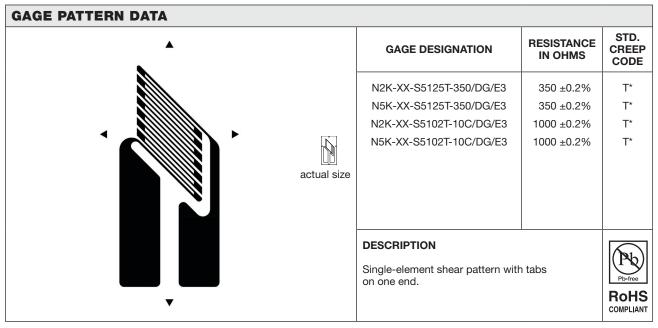
^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.



GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.034	0.173	0.050	0.042	0.19	0.08
0.85	4.39	1.27	1.07	4.9	2.0

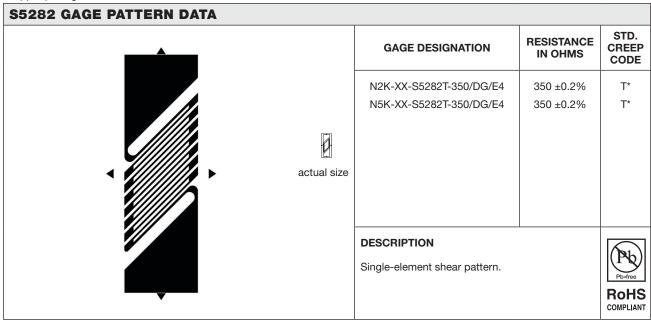
^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.





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Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width	
0.075	0.255	0.060	0.108	0.30	0.16	
1.90	6.48	1.52	2.74	7.5	4.0	

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.



GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.075	0.240	0.059	0.070	0.25	0.11
1.91	6.14	1.50	1.78	6.4	2.9

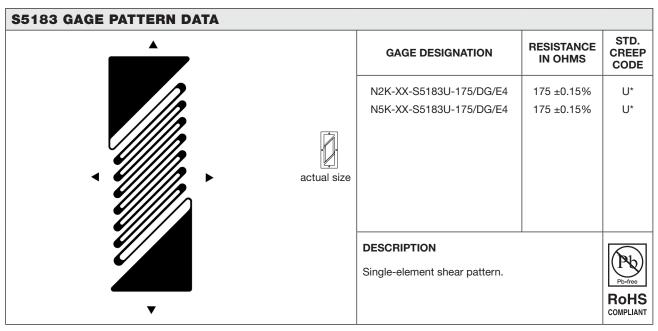
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S5358 GAGE PATTERN DATA			
	GAGE DESIGNATION	RESISTANCE IN OHMS	STD. CREEP CODE
	N2A-XX-S5358T-350/E4	350 ±0.2%	T*
actual size			
	DESCRIPTION		
	Single-element shear pattern.		Pb-free
▼			RoHS

	GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width	
0.075	0.320	0.060	0.075	0.38	0.19	
1.91	8.13	1.52	1.91	9.6	4.8	

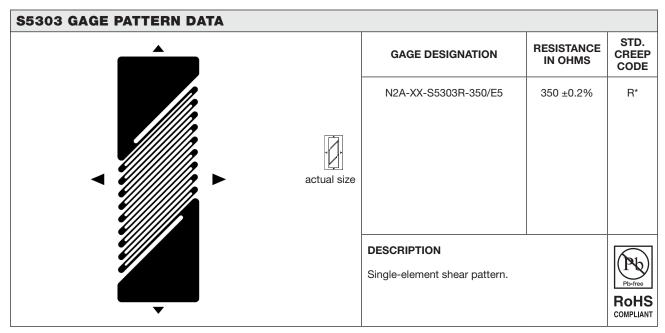
^{*} Only creep code available for this gage.



GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.113	0.320	0.116	0.110	0.38	0.17
2.87	8.12	2.95	2.79	9.7	4.4

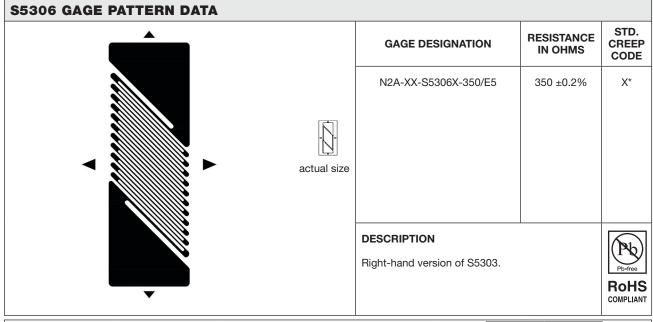
Copper plating for tabs is available.





GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.125	0.316	0.102	0.105	0.36	0.19
3.17	8.02	2.59	2.66	9.1	4.8

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage.



	GAGE DIMENSIONS			inch	millimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.125	0.316	0.100	0.105	0.36	0.19
3.17	8.02	2.54	2.66	9.1	4.8

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage.





S5061 GAGE PATTERN DATA			
	GAGE DESIGNATION	RESISTANCE IN OHMS	STD. CREEP CODE
actual size	N2K-XX-S5061Q-50C/DP/E5 N5K-XX-S5061Q-50C/DP/E5	5000 ±0.2% 5000 ±0.2%	Q* Q*
	DESCRIPTION High-resistance single-element si with tabs on one side.	near pattern	Pb-free RoHS COMPLIANT

GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter						
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width	
0.120	0.232	0.136	0.115	0.28	0.18	
3.05	5.89	3.45	2.92	7.2	4.4	

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.



GAGE PATTERN DATA		
	GAGE DESIGNATION RESISTANCE IN OHMS	STD. CREEP CODE
	N2K-XX-S5136Q-175/DG/E4 175 ±0.2%	Q*
	N5K-XX-S5136Q-175/DG/E4 175 ±0.2%	Q*
	N2K-XX-S5130Q-350/DG/E4 350 ±0.2%	Q*
	N5K-XX-S5130Q-350/DG/E4 350 ±0.2%	Q*
	N2K-XX-S5278Q-500/DG/E5 500 ±0.2%	Q*
◆ actual siz	N5K-XX-S5278Q-500/DG/E5 500 ±0.2%	Q*
	N2K-XX-S5064Q-10C/DG/E5 1000 ±0.2%	Q*
	N5K-XX-S5064Q-10C/DG/E5 1000 ±0.2%	Q*
	DESCRIPTION Dual-element pattern for shear or torque transducers.	Pb-free RoHS COMPLIANT

GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					illimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.034	0.160	0.050	0.094	0.19	0.12
0.86	4.06	1.27	2.38	4.9	2.9

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage.

\$5208 GAGE PATTERN DATA STD. RESISTANCE **GAGE DESIGNATION CREEP IN OHMS** CODE N2K-XX-S5208Q-350/DG/E5 350 ±0.2% Q* N5K-XX-S5208Q-350/DG/E5 350 ±0.2% Q* actual size **DESCRIPTION** Dual-element pattern for shear or torque transducers COMPLIANT

GAGE DIMENSIONS				inch m	illimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.034	0.173	0.050	0.094	0.20	0.12
0.85	4.39	1.27	2.39	5.0	3.0

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.

^{**} Overall Length dimensions may differ from pattern to pattern.

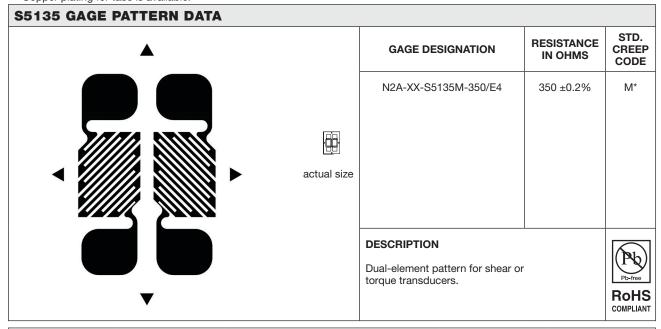
^{***} For S5136, matrix length is 0.22 in (5.6 mm) Copper plating for tabs is available.



GAGE PATTERN DATA			
	GAGE DESIGNATION	RESISTANCE IN OHMS	STD. CREEP CODE
	N2K-XX-S5035Q-10C/DG/E5	1000 ±0.2%	Q
	N5K-XX-S5035Q-10C/DG/E5	1000 ±0.2%	Q
	N2K-XX-S5036Q-50C/DG/E3	5000 ±0.2%	Q*
actual size	N5K-XX-S5036Q-50C/DG/E3	5000 ±0.2%	Q*
	DESCRIPTION Dual-element pattern for shear or torque transducers.	·	Pb-free RoHS COMPLIANT

		inch m	illimeter		
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.033	0.148	0.051	0.155	0.16	0.17
0.84	3.76	1.29	3.94	4.1	4.3

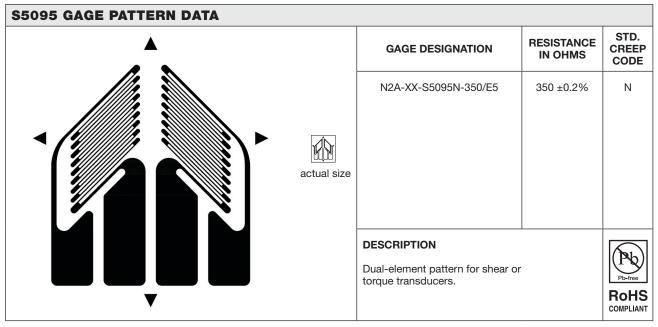
Only creep code available for this gage.
 Copper plating for tabs is available.



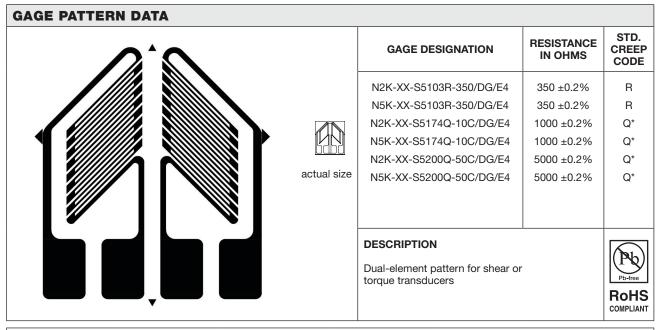
	GAGE DIMENSIONS				illimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.064	0.175	0.070	0.113	0.23	0.17
1.62	4.44	1.77	2.87	6.0	4.4

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage.





GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					illimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.079	0.215	0.056	0.190	0.28	0.25
2.01	5.46	1.43	4.83	7.2	6.4



	GAGE DIMENSIONS			inch m	illimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.075	0.231	0.060	0.202	0.25	0.22
1.91	5.86	1.52	5.13	6.3	5.6

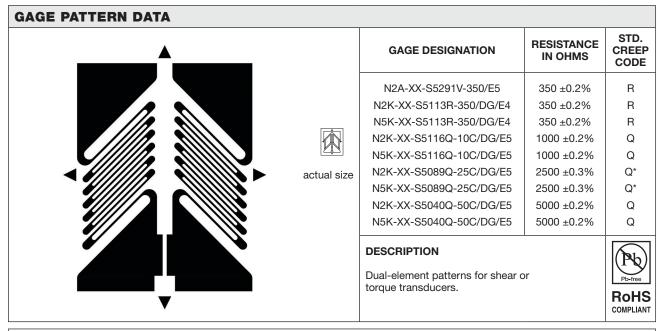
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S5185 GAGE PATTERN DATA						
A	GAGE DESIGNATION	RESISTANCE IN OHMS	STD. CREEP CODE			
actual size	N2A-XX-S5185T-350/E5	350 ±0.2%	T*			
	DESCRIPTION		(Bl)			
	Three-tab version of S5095 patte	rn.	Pb-free			
▼			RoHS COMPLIANT			

GAGE DIMENSIONS				inch m	illimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.080	0.215	0.056	0.190	0.28	0.25
2.01	5.46	1.43	4.83	7.2	6.4

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage.



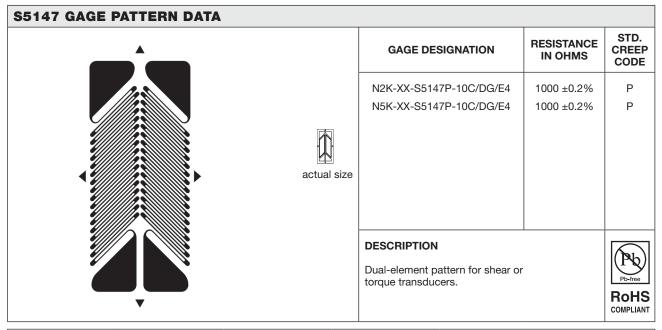
GAGE DIMENSIONS			inch m	illimeter	
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.075	0.221	0.060	0.170	0.28	0.23
1.91	5.61	1.52	4.32	7.1	5.8

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage.

Copper plating for tabs is available.

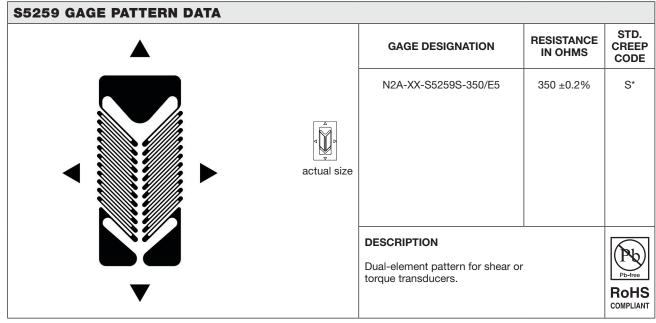
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		GAGE DIN	inch m	illimeter	
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.071	0.307	0.130	0.126	0.35	0.17
1.80	7.80	3.30	3.20	9.0	4.3

Copper plating for tabs is available.



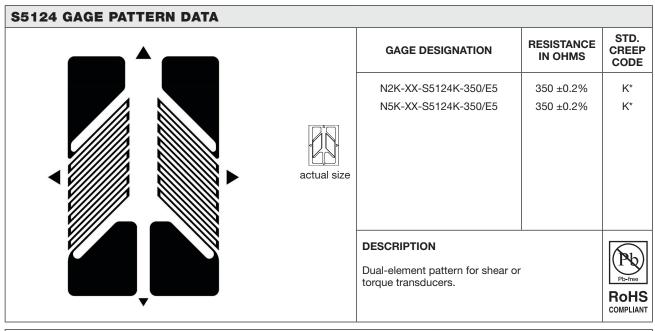
GAGE DIMENSIONS				inch m	illimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.062	0.284	0.106	0.121	0.40	0.24
1.57	7.21	2.69	3.08	10.1	6.1

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage.



S5162 GAGE PATTERN DATA							
	GAGE DESIGNATION	RESISTANCE IN OHMS	STD. CREEP CODE				
	N2A-XX-S5162R-350/E4	350 ±0.2%	R				
actual size							
	DESCRIPTION		(Pal)				
	Dual-element pattern for shear or torque transducers.		Pb-free				
			RoHS				

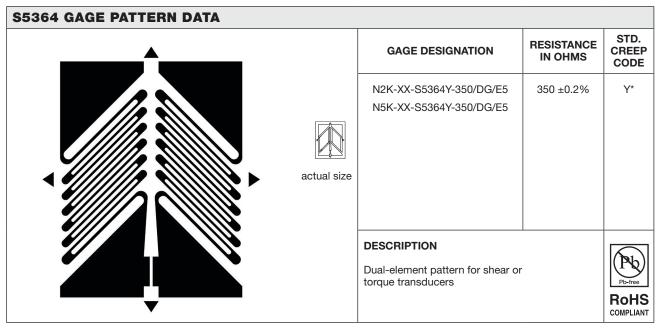
GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.125	0.318	0.100	0.245	0.38	0.30
3.18	8.10	2.54	6.20	9.6	7.7



GAGE DIMENSIONS				inch m	illimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.125	0.380	0.110	0.240	0.42	0.31
3.18	9.63	2.79	6.06	10.7	7.9

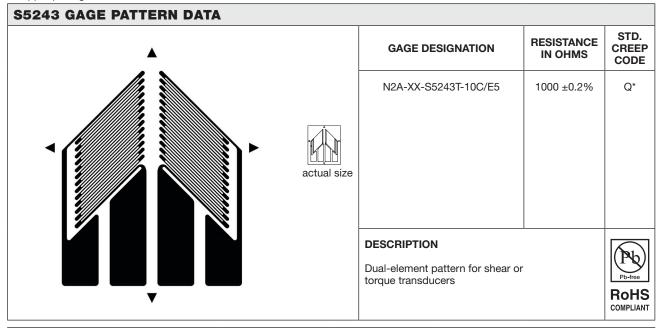
^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.





GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.125	0.318	0.100	0.245	0.38	0.31
3.17	8.08	2.54	6.23	9.6	7.8

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.



GAGE DIMENSIONS				inch m	illimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.125	0.334	0.100	0.275	0.40	0.34
3.17	8.48	2.54	7.00	10.1	8.5

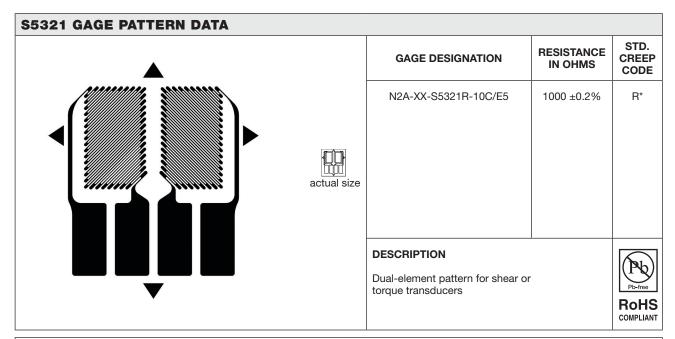
^{*} Only creep code available for this gage.



S5293 GAGE PATTERN DATA			
A	GAGE DESIGNATION	RESISTANCE IN OHMS	STD. CREEP CODE
	N2A-XX-S5293P-350/E5	350 ±0.2%	P*
actual size			
	DESCRIPTION		(By)
	Dual-element pattern for shear or torque transducers		Pb-free
▼			RoHS COMPLIANT

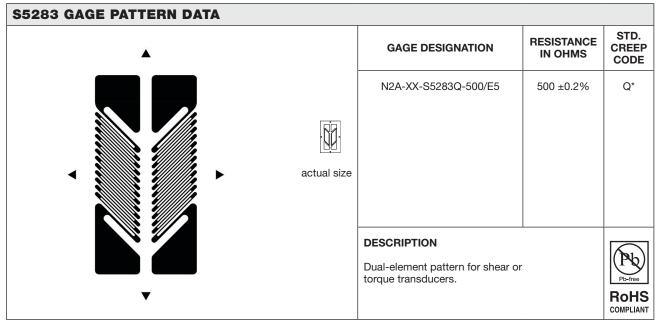
GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					illimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.125	0.334	0.100	0.275	0.40	0.34
3.17	8.48	2.54	7.00	10.1	8.5

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage.



GAGE DIMENSIONS				inch m	illimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.085	0.218	0.119	0.190	0.28	0.25
2.16	5.54	3.02	4.83	7.2	6.4

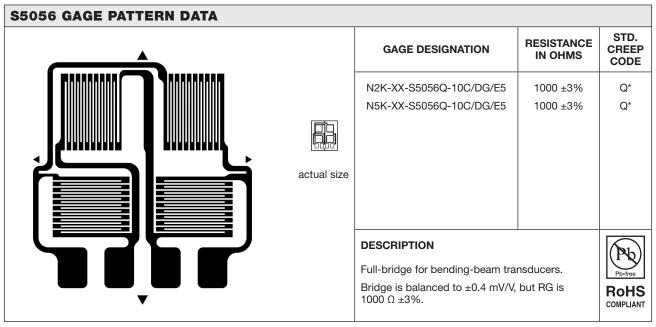




GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter								
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width			
0.062	0.256	0.089	0.131	0.33	0.21			
1.57	6.50	2.26	3.33	8.4	5.3			

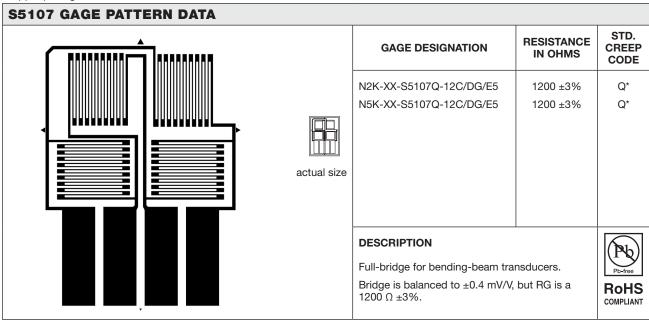
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		inch	millimeter		
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.070	0.262	0.070	0.253	0.31	0.27
1.78	6.66	1.78	6.43	7.9	6.8

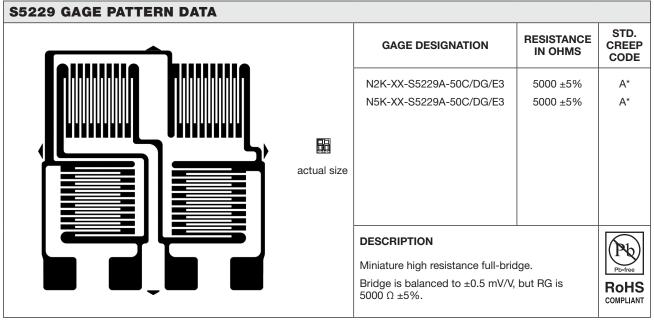
^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.



GAGE DIMENSIONS				inch	millimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.070	0.302	0.070	0.190	0.34	0.25
1.78	7.67	1.78	4.83	8.5	6.4

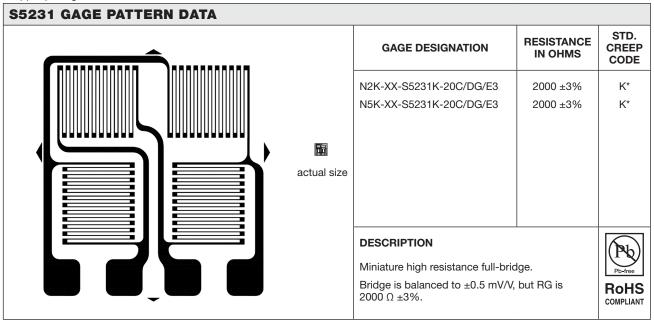
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GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter						
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width	
0.028	0.129	0.044	0.134	0.16	0.14	
0.71	3.30	1.13	3.41	4.0	3.7	

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.



GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter						
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width	
0.020	0.122	0.045	0.120	0.14	0.13	
0.51	3.10	1.14	3.05	3.6	3.4	

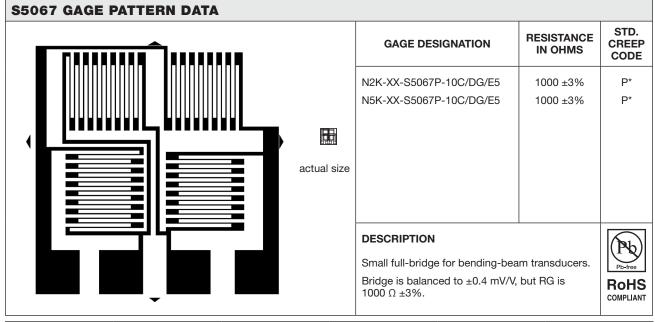
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\$5020 GAGE PATTERN DATA STD. **RESISTANCE GAGE DESIGNATION** CREEP IN OHMS CODE Q* N2K-XX-S5020Q-50C/DG/E3 5000 ±5% N5K-XX-S5020Q-50C/DG/E3 5000 ±5% Q* actual size **DESCRIPTION** Miniature high resistance full-bridge. Bridge is balanced to ±0.4 mV/V, but RG is RoHS 5000 Ω ±5%. COMPLIANT

GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter						
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width	
0.028	0.160	0.050	0.159	0.17	0.18	
0.71	4.06	1.27	4.03	4.3	4.7	

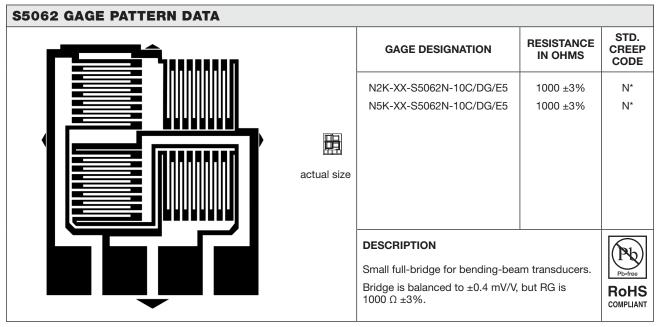
^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.



GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter						
Grid Length	Grid Length Overall Length Grid Width Overall Width				Matrix Width	
0.033	0.153	0.053	0.158	0.17	0.17	
0.85	3.89	1.36	4.02	4.3	4.3	

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.





GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter						
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width	
0.033	0.148	0.057	0.168	0.16	0.19	
0.85	3.76	1.45	4.27	4.2	4.8	

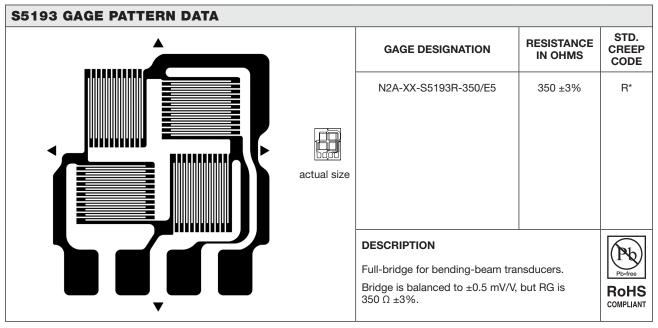
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S5232 GAGE PATTERN DATA STD. RESISTANCE **GAGE DESIGNATION CREEP IN OHMS** CODE N2A-XX-S5232K-350/E5 350 ±3% K* actual size **DESCRIPTION** Full-bridge for bending-beam transducers. Bridge is balanced to ± 0.4 mV/V, but RG is RoHS 350 Ω ±3%.

	GAGE DIMENSIONS				
Grid Length	ngth Overall Length Grid Width Overall Width Matrix L				Matrix Width
0.051	0.262	0.051	0.206	0.30	0.25
1.30	6.64	1.30	5.23	7.6	6.3

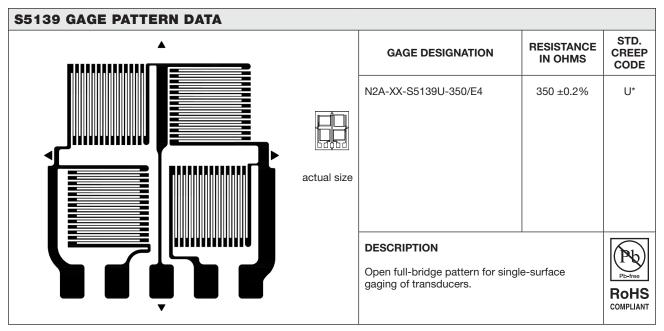
^{*} Only creep code available for this gage.





GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter						
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width	
0.071	0.264	0.071	0.220	0.33	0.27	
1.80	6.71	1.80	5.59	8.3	6.8	

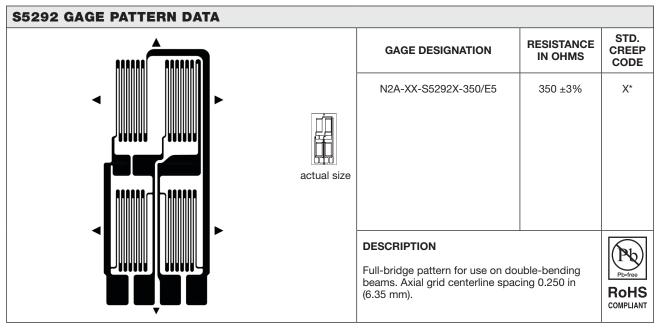
^{*} Only creep code available for this gage.



GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.093	0.345	0.120	0.299	0.40	0.35
2.36	8.77	3.06	7.60	10.3	9.0

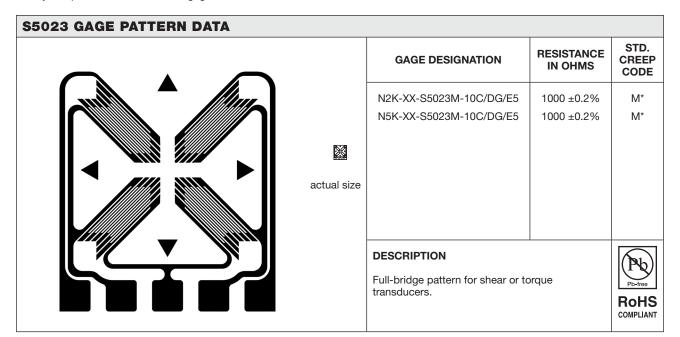
^{*} Only creep code available for this gage.





GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.125	0.455	0.060	0.192	0.54	0.26
3.18	11.56	1.52	4.88	13.6	6.6

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage.



GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.045	0.160	0.024	0.144	0.17	0.15
1.15	4.06	0.61	3.66	4.2	3.8

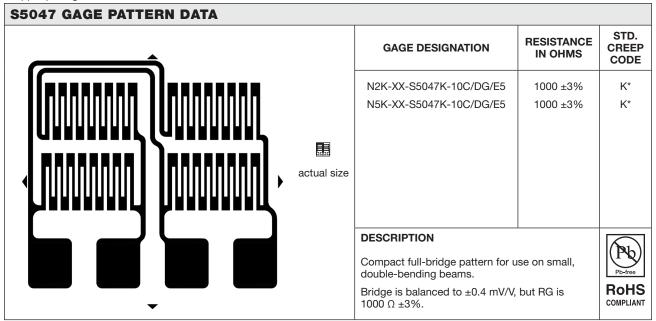
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\$5046 GAGE PATTERN DATA STD. **RESISTANCE GAGE DESIGNATION CREEP IN OHMS** CODE 5000 ±0.2% N2K-XX-S5046M-50C/DG/E5 M* N5K-XX-S5046M-50C/DG/E5 5000 ±0.2% M* actual size **DESCRIPTION** Open full-bridge pattern for shear or torque transducers. RoHS COMPLIANT

GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.044	0.170	0.024	0.180	0.18	0.19
1.12	4.31	0.61	4.57	4.5	4.8

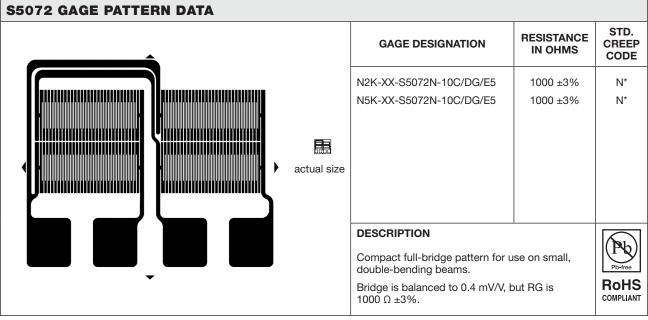
^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.



GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.017	0.112	0.060	0.137	0.14	0.15
0.43	2.86	1.52	3.49	3.7	3.8

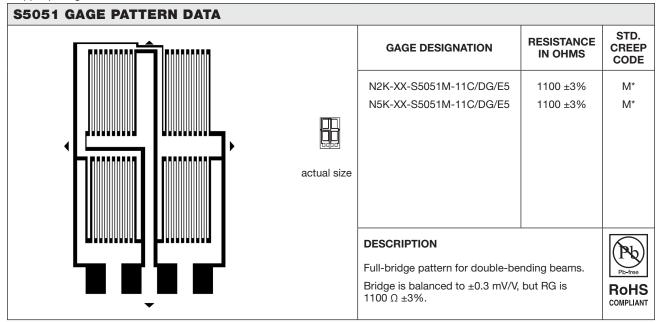
^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.





GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.017	0.113	0.064	0.156	0.15	0.17
0.43	2.86	1.63	3.97	3.7	4.2

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.



GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.118	0.376	0.079	0.196	0.42	0.27
3.00	9.58	2.00	5.00	10.6	6.8

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.

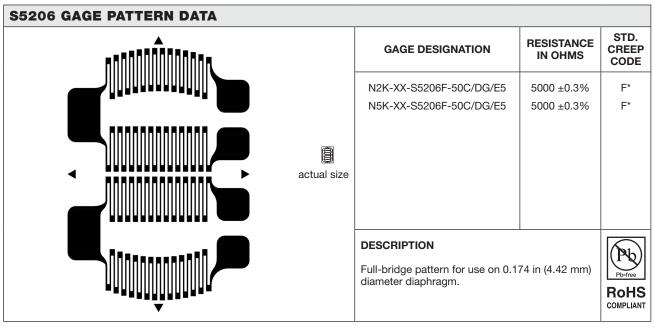


\$5060 GAGE PATTERN DATA STD. CREEP **RESISTANCE GAGE DESIGNATION** IN OHMS CODE N2K-XX-S5060-10C/DG/E5 1000 ±0.2% K, N N5K-XX-S5060-10C/DG/E5 1000 ±0.2% K, N actual size **DESCRIPTION** Half-bridge combination for use in pairs to construct two full-bridges for simultaneous measurement of torsion and axial load. COMPLIANT

GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.033	0.289	0.056	0.210	0.32	0.25
0.85	7.34	1.43	5.33	8.2	6.4

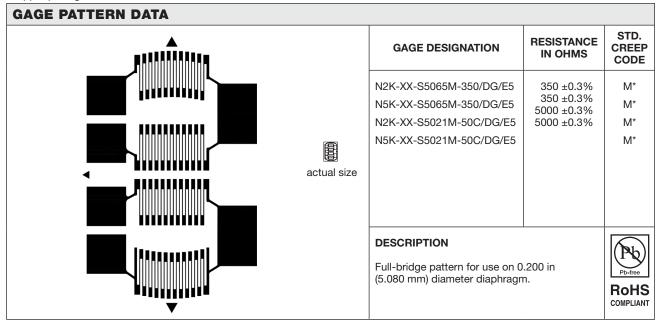
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	GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width	
0.019	0.146	0.065	0.111	0.17	0.12	
0.48	3.70	1.65	2.82	4.4	3.0	

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.



	GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter				
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.019	0.168	0.059	0.117	0.20	0.13
0.49	4.27	1.50	2.96	5.1	3.2

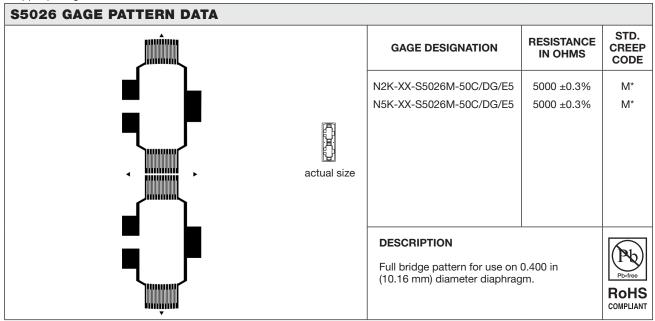
^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.



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	N5K-XX-S5066M-350/DG/E5	350 ±0.3%	M*
	N2K-XX-S5022M-50C/DG/E5	5000 ±0.3%	M*
actual size	N5K-XX-S5022M-50C/DG/E5	5000 ±0.3%	M*
	DESCRIPTION Full-bridge pattern for use on 0.2s diameter diaphragm.	50 in (6.35 mm)	Pb-free RoHS COMPLIANT

GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.020	0.212	0.050	0.112	0.25	0.12
0.51	5.38	1.27	2.84	6.4	3.1

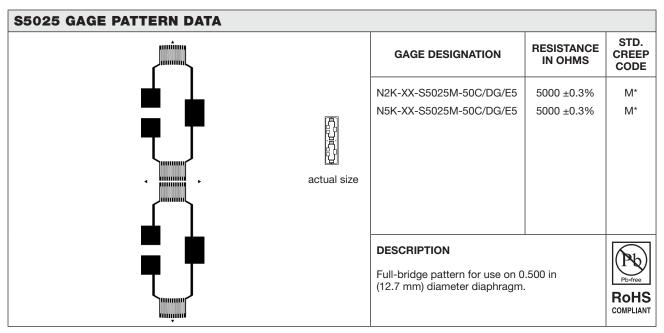
^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.



	GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter				
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.020	0.368	0.044	0.111	0.40	0.12
0.51	9.35	1.12	2.82	10.2	3.1

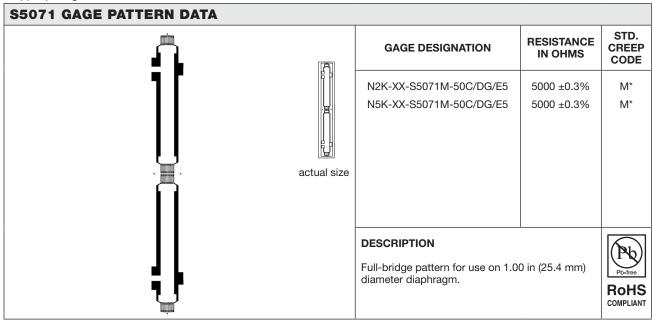
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GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					millimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.020	0.483	0.047	0.111	0.50	0.12
0.51	12.26	1.19	2.82	12.7	3.1

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.



GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					millimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.020	0.968	0.047	0.111	1.00	0.12
0.51	24.59	1.19	2.82	25.4	3.1

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.



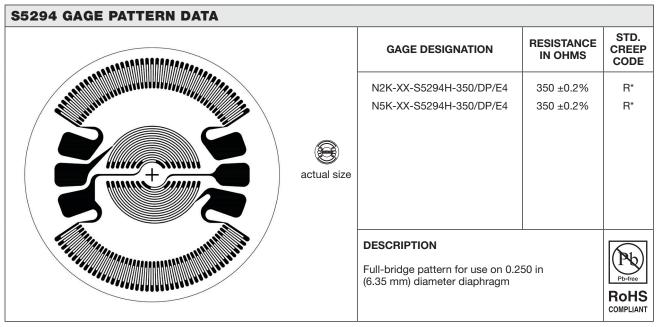


S5050 GAGE PATTERN DATA					
	GAGE DESIGNATION	RESISTANCE IN OHMS	STD. CREEP CODE		
	N2K-XX-S5050M-30C/DG/E5	3000 ±0.3%	M*		
	N5K-XX-S5050M-30C/DG/E5	3000 ±0.3%	M*		
	DESCRIPTION Half-bridge diaphragm configurat	ion.	Pb-free RoHS COMPLIANT		

GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					millimeter
Grid Length	Overall Length	Grid Width	Overall Width	Matrix Length	Matrix Width
0.020	0.217	0.047	0.111	0.25	0.13
0.51	5.52	1.19	2.82	6.4	3.2

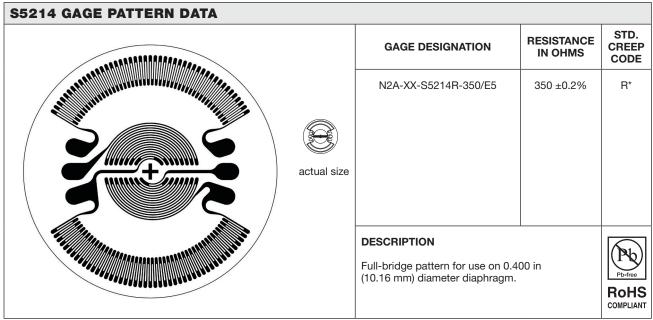
^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.





	inch millimeter		
Pattern Diameter	Circular Trim Diameter	Outer G.L.	Inner G.L.
0.218	0.250	0.018	0.037
5.52	6.35	0.44	0.95

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.



GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter					
Pattern Diameter	Circular Trim Diameter	Outer G.L.	Inner G.L.		
0.368	0.400	0.028	0.063		
9.34	10.16	0.71	1.59		

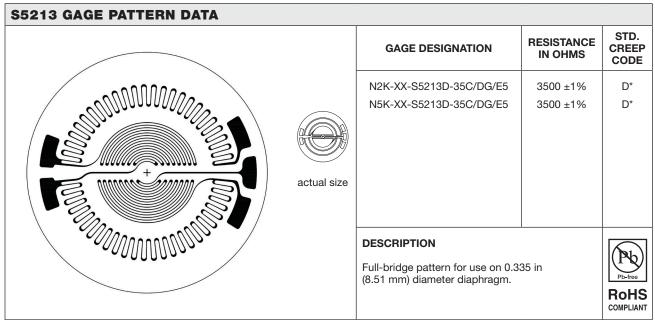
^{*} Only creep code available for this gage.



S5374 GAGE PATTERN DATA STD. RESISTANCE **GAGE DESIGNATION** CREEP **IN OHMS** CODE 350 ±0.2% N2K-XX-S5374R-350/DP/E4 R* N5K-XX-S5374R-350/DP/E4 350 ±0.2% R* **DESCRIPTION** Full-bridge pattern for use on 0.500 in (12.70 mm) diameter diaphragm. COMPLIANT

	inch millimeter		
Pattern Diameter	Circular Trim Diameter	Outer G.L.	Inner G.L.
0.436	0.500	0.035	0.065
11.04	12.70	0.88	1.65

^{*} Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.



GAGE DIMENSIONS inch millimeter				
Pattern Diameter	Circular Trim Diameter	Outer G.L.	Inner G.L.	
0.240	0.335	0.025	0.057	
6.10	8.51	0.64	1.46	

Only creep code available for this gage. Copper plating for tabs is available.

Bondable Resistors for Transducers



Introduction and Designation System

Micro-Measurements manufactures a variety of fixed, adjustable, and combination bondable resistors for use in many applications where precise resistance is required. Appropriate patterns are available in both low and high temperature-coefficient-of-resistance types. Widest use is in transducer bridge circuits to compensate for small temperature-induced errors and to adjust bridge-balance output. Figure 1 (on the next page) shows a typical application.

Various foil types, sizes, and patterns are available, allowing selection of the optimum resistor for specific applications. Resistors are normally produced openfaced on the flexible E or N2 polyimide backings. The recommended temperature range is 0° to +350°F [–20° to +175°C] for the E type and 0° to +300°F [–20° to +150°C] for the N2. Standard packaging for bondable resistors is 50 per package.

TEMPERATURE-COMPENSATED RESISTORS

Temperature-compensated A alloy and K alloy are available in several resistor patterns. Due to the difficulty of directly soldering to K alloy, all N2K resistors are supplied with a copper soldering pad (DP) on each tab.

TEMPERATURE-SENSITIVE RESISTORS

Three different foil materials are available to fit a variety of compensation requirements.

Nickel—Pure nickel has the highest resistance-versustemperature sensitivity of the three available foil types and is normally selected for span-versus-temperature compensation. It can be ordered as a fixed resistance value (A Pattern) or adjustable (B Pattern). The temperature coefficient of resistance (TCR) for nickel is +0.33%/°F [+0.59%/°C] over a temperature range of +50° to +150°F [+10° to +65°C].

Balco®—Although having a slightly lower TCR than nickel, Balco has a higher resistivity, which makes higher resistance values more easily obtained. It also has some price advantage over nickel. The TCR for Balco is +0.24%/°F [+0.43%/°C] over a temperature range of +50° to +150°F [+10° to +65°C].

Note: Since resistance-versus-temperature for nickel and Balco is not a linear function, values are given as chord slopes over the specified temperature range.

Copper—Pure copper has the lowest TCR of the three materials and also very low resistivity. This makes it ideal for minor adjustments when used in a corner

compensation approach (see Fig. 1). Copper also has a more linear TCR than either Balco or nickel. When used for span-versus-temperature correction, copper can produce a more linear span compensation in some transducer designs. Copper TCR is +0.22%/°F [+0.40%/°C].

RESISTANCE TOLERANCES

A-Pattern resistors have fixed values (selected by the user) and are supplied with tight tolerances. With adjustable types, it is impractical to supply precise values. Most resistors will be within ±20% of the specified nominal values, but occasionally resistances will fall outside that range. The various cutting steps will follow the same trend.

RECOMMENDED ADHESIVES

M-Bond 610, M-Bond 43-B or M-Bond 450 adhesive should be used for operation over the widest temperature range. Other standard strain gage adhesives are acceptable within their recommended temperature limits. The special backing treatment used permits good bond formation with all strain gage adhesives except the solvent-evaporation-setting type. Resistors should be mounted in areas of low strain (preferably less than $500\mu s$) and on relatively flat surfaces. If possible, grids should be aligned with the direction of lowest strain.

INSTALLATION AND WIRING

All resistor patterns should be bonded to the mounting surface before adjustment or use. Prepare the specimen surface and install the resistor using standard strain gage materials and techniques. Install leadwires, and solder to the attachment tabs with an appropriate solder.

After thorough flux removal, blot with clean sponges, and allow the surface of the resistor to dry completely. Attach leadwires to an appropriate resistance-measuring instrument and adjust the resistor as described in "Adjustment Instructions" until the desired resistance is achieved.

PROTECTIVE COATINGS

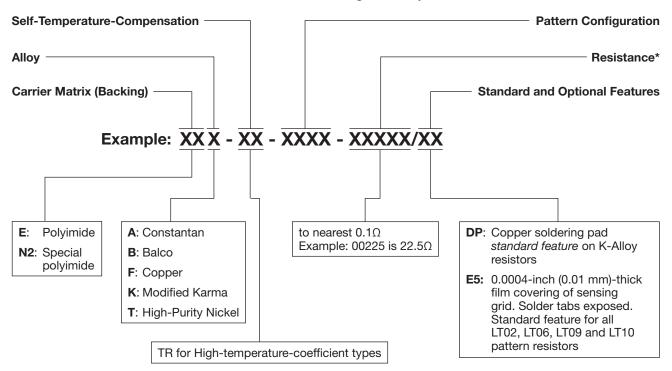
For maximum long-term stability, coat the adjusted resistors with a hard, heat-curing material such as Micro-Measurements M-Bond 610, 43-B, or 450. Satisfactory results may be obtained with appropriate airdrying coatings.

¹ "Strain Gage Based Transducers—Their Design and Construction." Available from Micro-Measurements

² Balco[®] is a registered trademark of W.B. Driver Company

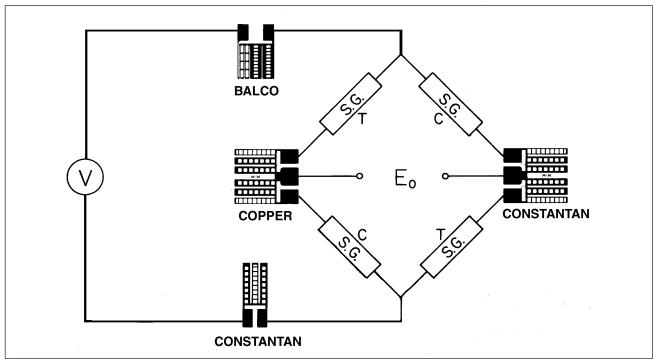


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^{*}Note: It is impossible to guarantee initial or final resistance on adjustable resistor types. Most resistors will be within ±20% of the nominal values given.

FIG. 1. BRIDGE CIRCUIT WITH TYPICAL COMPENSATION RESISTORS





Bondable Resistors for Transducers - Selection Chart

N2B Balco resistors are available in our LT02 and LT06 sizes.

N2T Nickel resistors are available in our LT02, LT06, LT09 and LT10 sizes. The standard resistance values for each are as shown. Custom resistance values are available for a small set-up charge and 500-piece minimum order.

Resistance tolerance is ±1% at +75°F (+24°C).

Recommended Uses:

- span-shift-versus-temperature compensation
- temperature sensing

Construction

Fixed pattern resistors are normally manufactured and stocked with E5 encapsulation as standard. Solder tabs are left exposed for leadwire connections.

Examples:

N2B-TR-LT06-00200/E5, N2T-TR-LT02-00250/E5.

Resistance tolerance on Option E5 versions is $\pm 1\%$ at $+75^{\circ}F$ (+ 24°C).

GAGE PATTERN ANI		STANDARD RESISTANCE	DIM	IENSIONS	inch	millimeter
	Matrix is shown at actual size. Insert Desired Resistors Size in		PATTERN		MATRIX	
Spaces Mar		RANGE IN OHMS	Length	Width	Length	Width
	Nickel options:			LT	02	
LT02	N2T-TR-LTXX-00150 N2T-TR-LTXX-00175	15 17.5	0.24	0.13	0.30	0.19
	N2T-TR-LTXX-00200 N2T-TR-LTXX-00250	20 25	6.1	3.2	7.5	4.7
	N2T-TR-LTXX-00300	30		LT	'06	
	N2T-TR-LTXX-00400 N2T-TR-LTXX-00600	40 60	0.19	0.13	0.24	0.18
	N2T-TR-LTXX-00650 N2T-TR-LTXX-00700	65 70	4.8	3.3	6.1	4.6
LT06 	Balco options: N2B-TR-LTXX-00150 N2B-TR-LTXX-00175 N2B-TR-LTXX-00200 N2B-TR-LTXX-00250 N2B-TR-LTXX-00300 N2B-TR-LTXX-00400 N2B-TR-LTXX-00600 N2B-TR-LTXX-00650 N2B-TR-LTXX-00700	15 17.5 20 25 30 40 60 65 70	RoHS complia	ant.		
				LT	09	
			0.12	0.11	0.13	0.12
LT09	Nickel options: N2T-TR-LTXX-00100	10	3.0	2.7	3.3	3.0
LIOS	N2T-TR-LTXX-00125	12.5		LT	10	
	N2T-TR-LTXX-00150 N2T-TR-LTXX-00200	15 20	0.08	0.07	0.09	0.07
.	N2T-TR-LTXX-00225 N2T-TR-LTXX-00300	22.5 30	2.1	1.8	2.5	1.9
LT10	N2T-TR-LTXX-00400 N2T-TR-LTXX-00450 N2T-TR-LTXX-00500 N2T-TR-LTXX-00600 N2T-TR-LTXX-00720 N2T-TR-LTXX-00800 N2T-TR-LTXX-00900	40 45 50 60 72 80 90	RoHS complia	ant.		



Bondable Resistors for Transducers - Selection Chart

GAGE PA	TTERN A	ND DESIGNATION	DEGIGT	TANCE	DIM	ENSIONS	inch	millimeter
	Actual size shown on right sert Desired S-T-C No. in Spaces Marked XX.		RESISTANCE IN		PATTERN		MATRIX	
See Note 1		OHMS		Length	Width	Length	Width	
A B C D			Before	After	0.30	0.20	0.34	0.23
			Cut	Cut	7.6	5.1	8.6	5.9
		N2B-TR-C11A-00050 N2B-TR-C12A-00100 N2B-TR-C12A-00200 N2B-TR-C13A-00400 N2B-TR-C13A-00800	5 10 20 40 80	10 24 in various nominal resistances adjustable to 240% 20 48 initial value. Nominal cutting steps: 4 at 20%; 4 at 40 96 and 20 at 1% (see Resistor Adjustment Instruction			240% of the ; 4 at 10%; uctions).	
					0.35	0.14	0.41	0.20
		NOT TO DOUG SCOOL		_	8.9	3.6	10.4	5.1
		N2F-TR-D01A-00005 N2B-TR-D01A-00060 N2A-XX-D01A-00180 EA-XX-D01A-00360 N2K-XX-D01A-00500/DP N2K-XX-D01A-00750/DP	0. 6 18 36 50 78	8 8 6 0	network patter (see Resistor A Resistances lis Recommender • zero-shift co • span-shift-v	adjustable ladd in available in va Adjustment Instrated are nomina d Uses: Impensation (Na ersus-temperat A, N2A, and N2A	arious alloys ar ructions). Il fully cut value 2F) ure compensat	nd resistances
					0.35	0.30	0.41	0.36
A B C D E F					8.9	7.6	10.4	9.1
1 2 3		N2F-TR-E01A-00005 N2A-XX-E01A-00060 N2A-XX-E01A-00180 EA-XX-E01A-00360 N2K-XX-E01A-00500/DP N2K-XX-E01A-00750/DP	0. 6 18 36 50 78	5 8 6 0	Pattern but ind matrix to provi required in brid (see Resistor A Resistances lis Recommended • zero-shift co	dge balance and Adjustment Instr sted are nomina	djustable netwo ial adjustment of d zero-shift cor ructions). Il fully cut value 2F)	orks on one capability often npensation
					0.15	0.29	0.21	3.5
					3.8	7.4	5.3	8.9
SP:	SP	N2A-XX-H21A-00025 N2A-XX-H21A-00060 N2B-TR-H22A-00010	2. 6. 1.	0	by rubbing the eraser. The H2 are used for bridge in 1000-ohm bused for bridge Resistor Adjus nominal. Recommendee bridge balar		a hand-held or duced in consta djustment. (2.5 ohm bridges, a:2, produced in emperature adjons). Resistance	electric pencil antan alloy, -ohm resistors and 6.0 ohm Balco alloy, is ustment (see

RESISTANCE WIRE

While wire does not track the temperature of the strain gages as closely as bondable resistors, there are instances where bondable resistors cannot be used due to limited mounting space. Micro-Measurements stocks two types of resistance wire alloys.

CATALOG NO./ WIRE ALLOY	QTY PER SPOOL	RESISTANCE PER FT (M) NOMINAL	TCR [-10° TO +50°C]	INSULATION	TEMPERATURE RANGE
137-HWN/Manganin	200 ft [61m]	14Ω (46Ω)	± 0.0011%/°F [± 0.002%/°C]	Enamel	+15° to +120°F [-10° to +50°C] (up to +175°F [+80°C] if proper aging is done)
142-JWN/Balco	500 ft [152m]	19Ω (62Ω)	+0.25%/°F [+0.45%/°C]	Enamel	-15° to +300°F [-10° to +150°C]

NOTE 1: All products are RoHS compliant.

Resistor Adjustment Instructions



Bondable Resistors for Transducers

B PATTERN

The B Pattern bondable resistor is adjusted (decrease in resistance) by shorting out the parallel conducting lines at a desired point along their length. Depending on required stability, shorting can be accomplished through use of a suitable solder or a conductive silver compound.

RECOMMENDED ADJUSTMENT MATERIALSSolders

63-36.65-0.35 tin-lead-antimony (MM Part No. 361A-20R). Maximum service temperature is +300°F [+150°C].

Conductive Silver (Air-Drying) #FH-1629 (Acheson Colloids Company) #8030 (DuPont Electrochemicals Department)

C, D, AND E PATTERNS

Patterns C, D, and E resistors are adjusted (increase in resistance) by cutting various foil bars.

Using an appropriate degree of magnification (preferably under a stereoscopic zoom microscope), locate the cutting points on the resistor pattern. Cuts may be made with the tip of a scalpel blade, or with a tool made by slightly flattening the end of a dental probe (MM Part No. DPR-1). Lightly cut through each end of the shorting bar and lift out the center section, leaving a path clear of foil. Care must be taken to avoid cutting through the backing to the specimen.

The approximate cuts to produce a desired overall pattern resistance can be estimated from the following information for the appropriate pattern; however, many variations may be employed and experimentation may be required to determine the optimum cutting sequence. For example: If steps are cut progressively downward starting from the top of any ladder (for all above patterns), very small changes in resistance are produced. Cuts made in this manner will represent larger changes as the step nearest the large solder tabs is approached.

Note that the actual resistance increase caused by cutting any given step can vary up to 20% of the nominal value. Therefore, it is desirable to plan a series of cuts that will allow the final resistance value to be approached slowly enough to avoid overadjustment. Fine adjustment can also be achieved by gently polishing active portions of the network with 325-mesh alumina powder. This procedure is not recommended when maximum stability is required, however.

C Pattern

The resistance changes produced by cutting the various adjustment steps are specified in terms of $R_{\mbox{\scriptsize MIN}},$ the uncut pattern resistance. The tabulated data are typical, and were obtained by cutting progressively upward starting with the step nearest the soldering tabs in each respective ladder.

NOTE: Although there are several variations of the C Pattern, the same respective 28 adjusting steps are available in each.

LADDER	APPROX. ΔR AS % R _{MIN}
A	1
В	1
С	10
D	20

DAND E PATTERNS

The resistance values listed for these patterns are the maximum obtainable – after cutting all the ladder steps except the top rung of each row. For the E Pattern, the resistance is measured between terminals 1 and 2, or 2 and 3, with the corresponding shunt (G) cut.

Referring to the pattern diagram for the D resistor, when cutting progressively upward on the center ladder, each step will correspond roughly to an increment of 5.6% of R_{MAX} . The outside ladders provide finer adjustment with each upward step, about 3.4% R_{MAX} .

The shunt (G) in each network of the E Pattern reduces uncut resistance approximately 25%, and reduces adjustment increments of ladders A, B, E and F about 50% to increase resolution. With the shunts uncut, the resistance changes produced by cutting each upward step of ladders A through F as a percentage of R_{MAX} are approximately 2.8%, 1.7%, 3.4%, 3.4%, 1.7% and 2.8%, respectively. R_{MIN} for these patterns is about 0.08 R_{MAX} .

With the shunts (G) cut, the E Pattern is essentially two D resistors with a common solder tab.

H21A AND H22A PATTERNS

H21A

The H21A resistor is designed to be wired into a corner of the Wheatstone bridge like the Constantan E01A pattern shown in Figure 1 in Bondable Resistors for Transducers. Resistance adjustment for zero balance is accomplished by rubbing the appropriate loop of the H21A with a soft pencil eraser. An electric eraser can be used to speed the process.

H22A

The H22A resistor is similar in application and adjustment to the H21A except its use is for zero-shift-versus-temperature compensation. Setting the H22A resistance value is readily accomplished by calculating its adjustment influence on bridge zero balance after conducting zero-versus- temperature testing of the completed transducer.

Resistance calculation formulas are available upon request.



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Selection Guide for Transducer Applications

MATERIALS LIST

- Solvent cleaners
- · Water-based cleaners
- · Surface-abrasion materials
- Special-purpose materials

For proper bonding of strain gages and compensation resistors, the surface of the transducer must be chemically clean and totally free of contaminants before applying the adhesive. Instruction Bulletin B-130 lists applicable cleaning materials and techniques for the use of M-Bond 610 and 43-B adhesives. For surface cleaning in "production-line" transducer manufacturing, refer to alternate cleaning procedures outlined in Micro-Measurements publication, "Strain Gage Installation Procedures for Transducers," a copy of which is available upon request.



SOLVENT CLEANERS		
MODEL/PART NO.	TYPE/DESCRIPTION	
CSM-3	Degreaser: A powerful environmentally friendly degreaser. Readily attacks general-purpose lubricating and hydraulic oils. Non-flammable. 20-oz (0.56-kg) pressured spray can. Dispensing solvents from "one way" containers prevents contamination buildup.	
GC-6	Isopropyl Alcohol: Frequently used as a solvent degreaser where other solutions are restricted. Flammable. 4-oz (120-ml) bottle.	

WATER-BASED	WATER-BASED CLEANERS		
MODEL/PART NO.	TYPE/DESCRIPTION		
Conditioner A: A mild phosphoric acid compound. Acts as a mild etchant and accelerates the cleaning process.			
MCA-1	2-oz* (60-ml) plastic squeeze bottle with on/off dispenser nozzle cap.		
MCA-2	Same as MCA-1 except 16 oz (0.5l).		
	Neutralizer 5A: An ammonia-based material. Neutralizes any chemical reaction introduced by Conditioner A, and produces optimum surface conditions for most strain gage adhesives.		
MN5A-1	2-oz* (60-ml) plastic squeeze bottle with on/off dispenser nozzle bottle cap.		
MN5A-2	Same as MN5A-1 except 16 oz (0.5l).		

 ${}^{\star}\text{Note:}$ The 2-oz (60-ml) size is recommended for bench use and is easily refilled from the 16-oz (0.5-l) bottle.

Surface Cleaning Supplies



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SURFACE-ABR	ASION MATERIALS
	essary to dislodge contaminants and to remove rust, scale, etc. When grit-blasting, use fine alumina powder s, and never recycle used grit. Silicon-carbide paper may be used as an alternate to grit blasting.
MODEL/PART NO.	TYPE/DESCRIPTION
SCP-1	220-grit Silicon-Carbide Paper: Suited to most steels. 1 in x 100 ft (25 mm x 30 m) roll.
SCP-2	320-grit Silicon-Carbide Paper: Suited to most steels. Also suited to aluminum alloys and other soft metals. 1 in x 100 ft (25 mm x 30 m) roll.
SCP-3	400-grit Silicon-Carbide Paper: Suited to aluminum alloys and other soft metals. 1 in x 100 ft (25 mm x 30 m) roll.
GC-5	Pumice Powder: Produces a dull, matte finish. Recommended for minimal removal of surface material. 1/2 oz (15 ml) bottle.

SPECIAL-PURE	SPECIAL-PURPOSE MATERIALS		
MODEL/PART NO.	TYPE/DESCRIPTION		
CSP-1	Cotton Tip Applicators: 100 single-ended applicators per package [6 in (150 mm) long, wooden stick].		
GSP-1	Gauze Sponges: 200 sponges [3 x 3 in (75 x 75 mm)] per package.		



Strain Gage Adhesive for Stress Analysis and Transducer Applications

OTHER ACCESSORIES USED IN AN M-BOND 610 INSTALLATION:

- CSM Degreaser or GC-6 Isopropyl Alcohol
- Silicon-Carbide Paper
- M-Prep Conditioner A
- M-Prep Neutralizer 5A
- GSP-1 Gauze Sponges
- CSP-1 Cotton Tip Applicators
- MJG-2 Mylar® Tape
- TFE-1 Teflon® Film
- HSC Spring Clamp
- GT-14 Pressure Pads and Backup Plates



DESCRIPTION

Two-component, solvent-thinned, epoxy-phenolic adhesive for high-performance applications, including high-precision transducers. Solids content 22%. Widest temperature range general-purpose adhesive available.

Low viscosity, capable of gluelines <0.0002 in (0.005 mm). Extremely thin, hard, void-free gluelines minimize creep, hysteresis, and linearity problems. Cure must begin within four hours of application.

PARAMETER	DETAILS		
OPERATING TEMPERATURE RANGE	Short Term: -452° to +700°F (-269° to +370°C). Long Term: -452° to +500°F (-269° to +260°C). Transducers: to +450°F (+232°C).		
ELONGATION CAPABILITIES	1% at -452° (-269°C), 3% at +75°F (+24°C), 3% at +500°F (+260°C).		
SHELF LIFE	Minimum 9 months from date of manufacture on the label when stored unmixed at +75°F (+24°C); or minimum 15 months from the date of manufacture on the label when stored unmixed refrigerated upon receipt at +40°F (+5°C). Refrigerated storage recommended. Refer to product label.		
POT LIFE	6 weeks at +75°F (+24°C); 12 weeks at +40°F (+5°C).		
CLAMPING PRESSURE	10 to 70 psi (70 to 480 kN/m²) Optimum: 30 to 40 psi (200 to 275 kN/m²)		
CURE REQUIREMENTS* FOR STRESS ANALYSIS	GLUELINE TEMPERATURE IN °C - Recommended Postcure: 2 hours at 50° to 75° F (30° to 40°C) above maximum operating temperature or cure temperature, whichever is higher. Recommended Postcure: 2 hours at 50° to 75° F (30° to 40°C) above maximum operating temperature, whichever is higher.		
CURE REQUIREMENTS* FOR TRANSDUCERS	Recommended Cure: *1 hour at +350°F (+177°C). Transducer Postcure: 2 hours at +400° to +450°F (+205° to +232°C) after wiring. *Altered for aluminum-alloy transducers. See Strain Gage Installation Procedures for Transducers.		

^{*} Reference: Instruction Bulletin B-130 for complete details.



Strain Gage Adhesive for Stress Analysis and Transducer Applications

PACKAGING			
KIT	SINGLE MIX KIT		
4 bottles (11 g ea) Curing Agent 4 bottles (14 g ea) Resin 4 brush caps for dispensing mixed adhesive 4 disposable mixing funnels	1 bottle (11 g ea) Curing Agent 1 bottle (14 g ea) Resin 1 brush cap for dispensing mixed adhesive 1 disposable mixing funnel		

References: Instruction Bulletin B-130, "Strain Gage Installations with M-Bond 43-B, 600 and 610 Adhesive Systems," included in each kit



Strain Gage Adhesive for Transducer Applications

OTHER ACCESSORIES USED IN AN M-BOND 43-B INSTALLATION:

- CSM Degreaser or GC-6 Isopropyl Alcohol
- Silicon-Carbide Paper
- M-Prep Conditioner A
- M-Prep Neutralizer 5A
- GSP-1 Gauze Sponges
- CSP-1 Cotton Applicators
- MJG-2 Mylar® Tape
- TFE-1 Teflon® Film
- HSC Spring Clamp
- GT-14 Pressure Pads and Backup Plates



DESCRIPTION

Single-component, solvent-thinned, epoxy adhesive commonly used in transducer applications; solids content 25%. May be used both as an adhesive and as a protective coating. Capable of forming very thin, hard, void-free gluelines similar to M-Bond 610. Highly resistant to moisture and chemical attack.

CHARACTERISTICS		
PARAMETER	DETAILS	
OPERATING TEMPERATURE RANGE	-452° to +250°F (-269° to +120°C)	
SHELF LIFE	9 months at +75°F (+24°C); 18 months at +40°F (+5°C)	
POT LIFE	9 months at +75°F (+24°C); 18 months at +40°F (+5°C)	
CLAMPING PRESSURE	45 to 60 psi (3 to 4 bar); 50 psi (3.4 bar) optimum	
CURE REQUIREMENTS	Recommended Cure: 2 hours at +375°F (+190°C)	
33.12.1.12311EMENTO	Recommended Postcure: 2 hours at +400° (+205°C)	

PACKAGING	
KIT	
4 brush-cap bottles (30 ml ea) premixed adhesive	



Strain Gage Adhesive for Transducer Applications

OTHER ACCESSORIES USED IN AN M-BOND 450 INSTALLATION:

- CSM Degreaser or GC-6 Isopropyl Alcohol
- Silicon-Carbide Paper
- M-Prep Conditioner A
- M-Prep Neutralizer 5A
- GSP-1 Gauze Sponges
- CSP-1 Cotton Applicators
- MJG-2 Mylar® Tape
- TFE-1 Teflon® Film
- HSC Spring Clamp
- GT-14 Pressure Pads and Backup Plates



M-Bond 450

DESCRIPTION

High-performance, two-component, solvent-thinned epoxy system specially formulated for high accuracy, elevated-temperature transducer applications.

CHARACTERISTICS	
PARAMETER	DETAILS
OPERATING TEMPERATURE RANGE	Short Term: -452° to +750°F (-269° to +400°C)
or Enamed Tem Enamentation	Long Term: -452° to +500°F (-269° to +260°C)
SHELF LIFE	6 months at +75°F (+24°C)
POT LIFE	6 weeks at +75°F (+24°C)
CLAMPING PRESSURE	60 to 100 psi (4 to 6 bar)
	Step 1: Air dry at +75°F (+24°C) 10 to 30 min
CURE REQUIREMENTS	B-Stage: +225°F (+105°C) for 30 min
OONE NEGOINEMENTO	Cure: +350°F (+175°C) for 1 hour
	Recommended Postcure: 1 hour at 50°F (30°C) above max operating temperature

PACKAGING		
	KIT	
	4 bottles (12.7 g ea) Curing Agent 4 bottles (11.9 g ea) Resin 4 brush caps for applying adhesive 4 disposable mixing funnels	

REFERENCES

- M-M Instruction Bulletin B-130, "Strain Gage Installations with M-Bond 43-B, 600, and 610 Adhesive Systems".
- M-M Instruction Bulletin B-152, "Instructions for the Application of Micro-Measurements M-Bond 450 Adhesive".
- M-M Strain Gage Accessories databook.



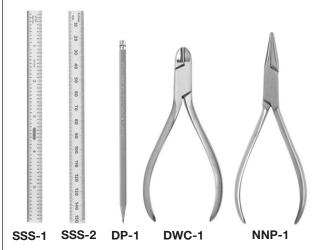
General Information and Selection for Transducer Applications

There is a strong element of craftsmanship involved in making consistently successful strain gage installations. As for any other field, this craft has its own special tools and working materials—found over time by seasoned professionals to be most effective for achieving the desired results. The installation accessories described on this and the following pages represent the distillation of many years' experience in determining the most appropriate tool or material for each task in the gage installation process.

Every accessory item listed here has been thoroughly tested and evaluated in the Micro-Measurements Applications Engineering Laboratory for quality and reliability, for ease of use, and for compatibility with all other Micro-Measurements products. It should be noted that the instruction bulletins supplied for gages, adhesives, protective coatings, etc. assume the availability of these accessories to the user, since such is generally the case for an experienced practitioner in a well-equipped laboratory.

TOOLS





SSH-1 SURGICAL SHEARS:

Chromium steel, 4-1/2 in (115 mm) long, with one sharp pointed blade and one blunt-end blade.

STW-1 TWEEZERS:

Stainless steel, 4-1/2 in (115 mm) long. Rugged, precision ground sharp ends. Primarily used for handling leadwires.

BTW-1 TWEEZERS:

Stainless steel, 4-1/2 in (115 mm) long. Antimagnetic; acid and corrosion resistant. Thin, flat blunt ends ideal for safe handling of strain gages.

DPR-1 DENTAL PROBE:

Stainless steel "pick". Flexible 75° pointed tip.

SSC-1 SURGICAL SCALPEL AND BLADE:

Stainless steel, uses SSC-2 snap-in replacement blade.

SSC-2 REPLACEMENT SCALPEL BLADES:

Five blades per package. Not shown.

SSS-1 STEEL SCALE:

6 in (150 mm) long, satin-chromed finish. Graduated in inches (1/32, 1/64, 1/10, 1/100).

SSS-2 STEEL SCALE:

6 in (150 mm) long, satin-chromed finish. Graduated in inches (1/10, 1/100) and millimeters (0.5, 1).

DP-1 4-H DRAFTING PENCIL:

For gage layout.

DWC-1 DIAGONAL CUTTERS:

Stainless steel, 4-1/2 in (115 mm) long, precision cutter for wire up to AWG No. 18 (1 mm diameter).

NNP-1 NEEDLE-NOSED PLIERS:

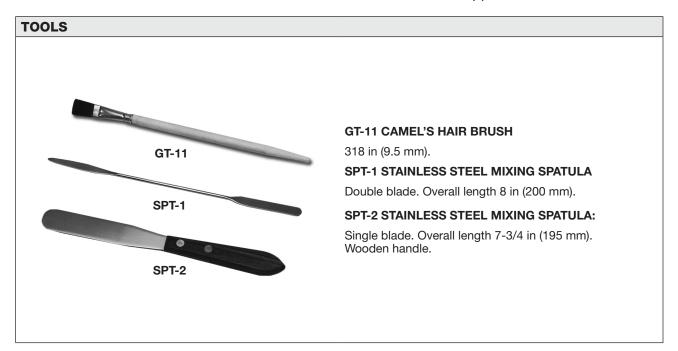
Nickel-chrome plated, 4-1/2 in (115 mm) long, with serrated needle-nosed jaws.

ATS-2 GAGE APPLICATION TOOL SET:

Includes one of each item plus one additional DPR-1 Dental Probe. Durable, polypropylene box. Not shown.



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WTS THERMAL WIRE STRIPPER



The ease and simplicity of operation of the Thermal Wire Stripper make it ideal for most strain gage leadwire stripping. The variable heat control allows stripping of all thermoplastic insulations, including Teflon®, in sizes No. 18 to No. 36 AWG (1 to 0.1 mm diameter). The foot switch and tweezer handspiece give excellent operator control over the stripping operation. Includes power unit and foot switch, both with 3-wire NEMA plugs, and tweezer handpiece.

WTS-1: 110VAC

WTS-2: 220VAC

WTS-A REPLACEMENT ELEMENTS

Set of two.



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HIGH-TEMPERATURE TAPES & MATERIALS



PDT-3 PAPER DRAFTING TAPE:

For soldering mask, and lead positioning. 0.75 in x 400 in (19 mm x 10.1 m).

PLY-001 KAPTON® FILM:

For electrical insulation, $4 \times 10 \times 0.001$ in thick. (100 x 250 x 0.02 mm thick).

MJG-2 MYLAR® TAPE:

For gage handling with heat-curing resin systems. 1/2 in x 216 ft (13 mm x 66 m).

TFT-2 THERMOSETTING [+340°F (+170°C)] FIBERGLASS TAPE:

For electrical insulation at high temperatures. 1/2 in x 180 ft (13 mm x 55 m).

TFE-1 TEFLON FILM:

0.003 in x 1 in x 50 ft (0.08 mm x 25 mm x 15 m).

TFE-2 HIGH MODULUS TFE TEFLON® WITH SILICONE MASTIC:

1/2 in x 108 ft (13 mm x 33 m).

CLAMPING SUPPLIES



HSC-1 SPRING CLAMP:

Maximum Opening: 1 in (25 mm).

Maximum Recommended Opening: 1/2 in (13 mm). Nominal Clamp Force at Recommended Opening: 30 lbf (135 N).

HSC-2 SPRING CLAMP:

Maximum Opening: 2 in (51 mm).

Maximum Recommended Opening: 1 in (25 mm).. Nominal Clamp Force at Recommended Opening: 25 lbf (110 N).

HSC-3 SPRING CLAMP:

Maximum Opening: 3 in (76 mm).

Maximum Recommended Opening: 1-1/2 in (38 mm). Nominal Clamp Force at Recommended Opening: 25 lbf (110 N).

GT-12 NEG'ATOR CONSTANT FORCE EXTENSION SPRING CLAMP:

 $1 \times 0.006 \times 38$ in (25 mm x 0.4 mm x 0.97 m) stainless steel band, drum I.D. 1.16 in (30 mm), 10.6 lb (47 N) load.

TFE-1 TEFLON FILM:

0.003 in x 1 in x 50 ft (0.08 mm x 25 mm x 15 m).

GT-14 PRESSURE PADS AND BACKUP PLATES:

Kit of 12 Silicone Rubber Pads 3/32 x 1/2 x 1-1/4 in (2.5 x 13 x 32 mm), and 12 aluminum plates, 1/8 x 1/2 x 1-1/4 in (3 x 13 x 32 mm).

SGP-1 SILICONE RUBBER:

Three pieces, each 3/32 x 1 x 6 in (2.5 x 25 x 150 mm).

SGP-2 SILICONE RUBBER:

One piece, 3/32 x 6 x 6 in (2.5 x 150 x 150 mm).



Terminal Details and Descriptions

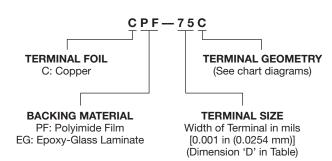
For many types of strain gages (i.e., Micro-Measurements EA-Series), instrument leadwires generally should not be attached directly to the solder tabs of the gage. Instead, the normal practice is to install bondable terminals adjacent to the gage and solder the instrument leadwires to these. Small, flexible jumper wires, curved to form strain relief loops, are then connected from the terminals to the gage solder tabs. The accompanying drawings show typical strain gage terminal installations (see also Application Note TT-603. "The Proper Use of Bondable Terminals in Strain Gage Applications").



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TERMINAL CONSTRUCTION

Micro-Measurements bondable terminals are specially designed for use in strain gage circuits. They are produced from 0.0014-in (0.036-mm) thick, copper foil, laminated on either of two types of backing material. Both backings are readily bondable with strain gage adhesives. Terminals are offered in four different geometries, and in a range of sizes to suit varying gage installation needs.



BACKING MATERIALS

TYPE PF POLYIMIDE FILM:

0.003 in (0.08 mm) thick. This is the preferred general-purpose backing material. It is more flexible and conformable than the Type EG, although not as strong. Type PF backing combines high-temperature capability, resistance to soldering damage and good electrical properties. It is suitable for long-term use at +450° to +500°F (+230° to +260°C), limited primarily by gradual oxidation of the copper foil interface. The relatively high thermal expansion coefficient of unfilled polyimide can cause loss of bond at temperatures below -100°F (-75°C).

TYPE EG EPOXY-GLASS LAMINATE:

0.005 in (0.13 mm) thick. This special laminate provides a strong but flexible backing for terminals. It is suitable for long-term use at +300°F (+150°C), and is recommended for cryogenic applications at temperatures down to -452°F (-269°C). The radius of curvature of the mounting surface should generally be greater than 1/8 in (3 mm).

Terminal Detail and Description	Terminal Pattern	"A"	Dimer dimensi	nsions ons non	Order Number	Package Strips of	
	(Actual Size)		A B C D		D	Number	4 Pairs
	1111111	0.11 (2.7)	0.065 (1.65)	0.025 (0.64)	0.025 (0.64)	CEG-25C CPF-25C	70
A B C C	11111111	0.14 (3.4)	0.095 (2.41)	0.030 (0.76)	0.038 (0.97)	CEG-38C CPF-38C	60
	1111111	0.18 (4.5)	0.125 (3.18)	0.036 (0.91)	0.050 (1.27)	CEG-50C CPF-50C	50
		0.25 (6.4)	0.190 (4.83)	0.040 (1.02)	0.075 (1.91)	CEG-75C CPF-75C	30
Suffix C. Conord purpose Widely		0.33 (8.4)	0.250 (6.35)	0.070 (1.78)	0.100 (2.54)	CEG-100C CPF-100C	20
Suffix C: General-purpose. Widely used between gage jumper wires and main leadwire system. Suitable for many bridge intraconnection applications.		0.48 (12.1)	0.375 (9.53)	0.070 (1.78)	0.150 (3.81)	CEG-150C CPF-150C	10



Terminal Details and Descriptions

Terminal Detail and Description	Terminal Pattern (Actual Size)		Dime dimens	nsions ions nor	Order Number	Package Strips of	
			A B		D	Number	4 Pairs
	IAIAIAIAI	0.18 (4.5)	0.125 (3.18)	0.036 (0.91)	0.050 (1.27)	CEG-50D CPF-50D	30
	IAIAIAIAI	0.21 (5.3)	0.150 (3.81)	0.038 (0.97)	0.060 (1.52)	CEG-60D CPF-60D	25
	IAIAIAIAI	0.25 (6.4)	0.190 (4.83)	0.040 (1.02)	0.075 (1.91)	CEG-75D CPF-75D	20
Suffix D: Designed for installations with 2-wire jumper arrangement to gage and a 3-wire main lead system.	IAIAIAIAI	0.33 (8.4)	0.250 (6.35)	0.050 (1.27)	0.100 (2.54)	CEG-100D CPF-100D	15

Terminal Assortment	Order Number	Package Strips of 4 Pairs
Contains 2 strips of C and D patterns, except 1 strip of the 150C and 100D designs	CPF-AST	18

Terminal Detail and Description	Terminal Pattern	Dimensions "A" dimensions nominal					Order Number	Package Pairs
	(Actual Size)	A B		С	D	Е	Number	Pairs
	00 00 00	0.13 (3.2)	0.063 (1.60)	0.021 (0.53)	0.021 (0.53)	0.042 (1.07)	CEG-21S	200
DC E	00 00 00 00	0.21 (5.2)	0.125 (3.18)	0.042 (1.07)	0.042 (1.07)	0.084 (2.13)	CEG-42S	100
	0000	0.29 (7.4)	0.190 (4.83)	0.063 (1.60)	0.063 (1.60)	0.126 (3.20)	CEG-63S	100
Suffix S: Primarily used where soldering and desoldering may be encountered. Hole in center produces thermal isolation at each end of terminal. Not recommended for high cyclic endurance. Available only in epoxy-glass backing.		0.37 (9.4)	0.250 (6.35)	0.083 (2.11)	0.083 (2.11)	0.166 (4.22)	CEG-83S	60



Solders, Fluxes, Kits, and Soldering Units for Transducer Applications

The quality of the solder joints is a critical element in the performance of any strain gage installation. Because of special requirements associated with strain gage circuitry, many commercial soldering stations, solders and fluxes are not satisfactory for this purpose. Micro-Measurements stocks and distributes two special soldering stations, a selection of solders, and soldering fluxes which have been carefully tested and qualified for use with strain gages. See Micro-Measurements Strain Gage Accessories databook for additional solder types available for special applications.

SOLDERS

M-LINE strain gage solders are listed below, along with their compositions and principal properties. For ordering purposes, the solders are specified according to the coding system shown below. All solders listed are supplied on spools.

SOLDER SELECTION CHART								
Solder Type	Pack	aging	Solidus/ Liquidus	Dia.				
(See Note 1)	Order No.	Unit Size	Temperature	Dia.				
361A-20R	361A-20R-25	25 ft (7.6m)	361°/361°F	0.020				
63%Tin, 36.65% Lead, 0.35% Antimony	361A-20R	1 lb (450g)	(183°/183°C)	0.020				
450-20S	450-20S-25	25 ft (7.6m)	450°/460°F	0.020				
95% Tin, 5% Antimony	450-20S	1 lb (450g)	(232°/238°C)					
450-20R	450-20R-25	25 ft (7.6m)	450°/460°F	0.000				
95% Tin, 5% Antimony	450-20R	1 lb (450g)	(232°/238°C)	0.020				
570-28R	570-28R-20	20 ft (6.1m)	565°/574°F	0.000				
93% Lead, 5.2% Tin, 1.5% Silver	570-28R	1 lb (450g)	(296°/301°C)	0.028				

Note 1: Products shown in bold are not RoHS compliant.

FLUXES

Although some of the solders described in the table have rosin-flux cores, it is often necessary to use separate, externally applied fluxes. This may be the case, for instance, when soldering fine jumper wires to gage tabs or printed-circuit terminals, because not enough flux is released from the cored solder. It may also be necessary to supplement the cored flux in high-temperature solders such as Type 570.

Two fluxing compounds are available for strain gage soldering applications. M-Flux AR is an activated rosin flux which is effective on constantan, copper, nickel, and K-alloy gages with DP soldering pads. M-Flux SS is a very active acid flux which is used primarily with solid-wire solders applied to isoelastic, Nichrome®, and stainless steel. The two fluxes should never be mixed. Whether the rosin or acid flux is used, it must be completely removed immediately after soldering to prevent degradation of

protective coatings and corrosion of the metals, and to eliminate conductive flux residues. Rosin residues are best removed with *M-LINE* Rosin Solvent. Removal of M-Flux SS requires two steps: liberal applications of M-Prep Conditioner A, which must be blotted dry; and then M-Prep Neutralizer 5A, also to be blotted dry.

FLUX AND ROSIN SOLVENT KITS	
M-Flux AR Kit FAR-2	
2 1-oz (30-ml) brush-cap bottles M-Flux AR 2 1-oz (30-ml) brush-cap bottles M-LINE Rosin Solv	vent
M-LINE Rosin Solvent Kit RSK-4	
4 1-oz (30-ml) brush-cap bottles	
M-Flux SS Kit FSS-1	
1 1-oz (30-ml) applicator cap bottle M-Flux SS1	

1 1-oz (30-ml) brush-cap bottle M-Prep Neutralizer 5A



Solders, Fluxes, Kits, and Soldering Units for Transducer Applications

MARK IX SOLDERING STATION



Manufactured for Micro-Measurements, the Mark IX is acompact soldering unit with a lightweight soldering pencil. The modular design of the pencil allows for easy changing of tips, and heating element replacement. Includes both the M9S-A and M9S-B soldering tips, selected for ease of use with strain gages. The Mark IX incorporates closed-loop control technology for precise tip temperature management. Tip temperature range of +500° to +800°F (+260° to +425°C) is ideal for most laboratory and field strain gage applications. The temperature control is color-coded for proper tip temperatures for all Micro-Measurements soft solders. Not or use with Type 1240-FPA solder.

M9S-1-115 MARK IX SOLDERING UNIT,

M9S-1-230 MARK IX SOLDERING UNIT, Complete, XXX = Voltage 115 or 230 (Vac).

M9S-1-230-CE MARK IX
Soldering Unit, Complete, Voltage 230, CE Version

SOLDERING TIPS FOR MARK IX

M9S-A Narrow tip 0.047 in (1.2 mm) screwdriver.

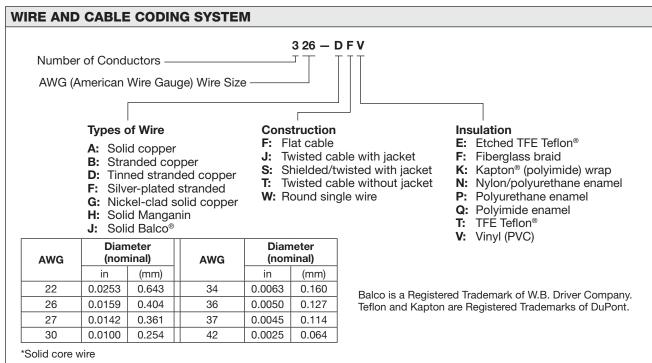
M9S-B Wide tip 0.062 in (1.6 mm) screwdriver.

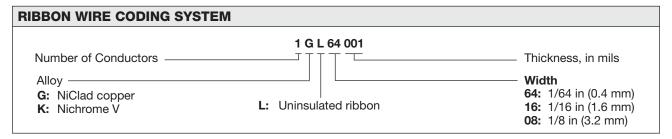
M9S-RS Replacement Sponge, package of 1.



Different strain gage installation conditions and test specifications often necessitate the use of different types or sizes of leadwires. For accurate, reliable strain measurements, it is important to use an appropriate type of leadwire for each installation. Micro-Measurements stocks a wide variety of wires and cables, cataloged in tabular form on the following pages. All wires and cables listed in the tables have been proven in the field to give excellent sensor performance when properly used in the specified environments. Special gage wiring problems may require the use of wires not listed here. In such cases, our Applications Engineering Department can recommend appropriate wire types and can suggest suppliers.







The Wire and Cable Coding System shown above gives the unique designation of each wire type for ordering purposes. The leadwire and cabling selection charts presented on the next three pages are organized according to the number of conductors. All wires and cables are supplied on spools for user convenience. Some styles may not be continuous length.

References:

Application Note: TT-601, Techniques for Bonding Leadwires to Surfaces Experiencing High Centrifugal Forces. Application Note: TT-604, Leadwire Attachment Techniques for Obtaining Maximum Fatigue Life of Strain Gages. Application Note: TT-608, Techniques for Attaching Leadwires to Unbonded Strain Gages.



		Packaging		
1 1	Туре	Foot (Meter)*	Description	
	134-AWP 136-AWP	500 ft (150 m) 500 ft (150 m)	Solid copper wire, polyurethane enamel: General-purpose intragage hookup wire. Useful from –100° to +300°F (–75° to +150°C). Enamel coating easily removed by applying heat from soldering iron.	
AWP AWN	127-AWN 130-AWN 134-AWN 136-AWN	500 ft (150 m) 500 ft (150 m) 500 ft (150 m) 500 ft (150 m)	Solid copper wire, nylon/polyurethane enamel: Identical in use and specifications to Type AWP above, but with superior abrasion resistance and slightly reduced insulation resistance at elevated temperatures. 134-AWN and 136-AWN are available in four colors; specify: –R (red), –W (white), –B (black), –G (green).	
	127-AWQ 130-AWQ 134-AWQ	500 ft (150 m) 500 ft (150 m) 500 ft (150 m)	Solid copper wire, polyimide enamel: Intragage hookup wire. Temperature range –452° to +600°F (–269° to +315°C) short term. Enamel is extremely tough and abrasion resistant, with excellent electrical properties; generally removed by mechanical scraping or sanding.	Pb-free
AWQ GWF	126-GWF 126-GWF	100 ft (30 m) 1000 ft (300 m)	Solid nickel-clad copper wire, fiberglass braid insulation: Useful from -452° to +900°F (-269° to +480°C). Recommended for use with WK-Series gages when silver solder is used for lead attachment.	ROHS
	137-HWN	200 ft (60 m)	Solid manganin wire, nylon/polyurethane enamel: Used for bridge balance and span set in transducer circuits. Nominal resistance: 14 ohms/ft (50 ohms/m). Temperature range: +10° to +125°F (-10° to +50°C).	
HWN JWN	142-JWN	500 ft (150 m)	Solid Balco® wire, nylon/polyurethane enamel: Used for bridge temperature compensation of zero shift or span. Nominal resistance: 19 ohms/ft (65 ohms/m). Temperature coefficient of resistance: +0.25%/°F (+0.45%/°C). Temperature range: +10° to +300°F (-10° to +150°C).	
	SINGLE-C	ONDUCTOR	TYPES: STRANDED WIRE	
	Type	Packaging	Description	
	Турс	Foot (Meter)*	Description	
	126-DWV	100 ft (30 m)	Stranded tinned-copper wire, vinyl insulation: General-purpose leadwire. Useful to +180°F (+80°C). Vinyl insulation becomes brittle at low temperature; not normally used below -60°F (-50°C). Specify red, white, black, or green.	
	126-FWK	25 ft (7.5 m)	Stranded silver-plated copper wire, Kapton® polyimide insulation: High- performance. Recommended for unusually severe service from -452° to over +600°F (-269° to +315°C) short term. Excellent resistance to abrasion, radiation, and outgassing in high vacuum. Treated for bondability.	Pb-free RoHS COMPLIAN
OWV FWK FWT	130-FWT	100 ft (30 m)	Stranded silver-plated copper wire, Teflon® insulation: Wide temperature range. Useful from -452° to +500°F (-269° to +260°C). When bonding to Teflon-insulated wire, insulation must be treated with Tetra-Etch® compound (see "Special-Purpose Materials.") Specify red, white, black, or green.	

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	THREE-CO	NDUCTOR C	ABLE	
	Туре	Packaging	Description	
11	Турс	Foot (Meter)*	Description	
	322-DJV	500 ft (150 m)	Stranded tinned-copper wire, 3-conductor twisted cable, chrome PVC vinyl jacket, vinyl insulation: Good choice for use with EGP-Series Embedment Strain Gages. Color-coded red/white/black.	
DJV DFV	326-DFV 326-DFV 330-DFV 330-DFV	100 ft (30 m) 1000 ft (300 m) 100 ft (30 m) 1000 ft (300 m)	Stranded tinned-copper wire, 3-conductor flat cable, vinyl insulation: Convenient general-purpose cable. For use from -60° to +180°F (-50° to +80°C). Flat construction requires minimum space. Color-coded red/white/black.	
	326-BSV 326-BSV	100 ft (30 m) 1000 ft (300 m)	Stranded copper wire, 3-conductor twisted cable, PVC insulated, braided shield: For use from -60° to 180°F (-50° to +80°C).	Pb-free RoHS
	326-DTV 326-DTV	100 ft (30 m) 1000 ft (300 m)	Stranded tinned-copper wire, 3-conductor twisted cable, vinyl insulation: Convenient general-purpose cable for low electrical noise pickup. For use from -60° to +180°F (-50° to +80°C). Color-coded red/white/black.	COMPLIANT
BSV DTV DSV	326-DSV 326-DSV	100 ft (30 m) 1000 ft (300 m)	Stranded tinned-copper wire, 3-conductor twisted cable, vinyl insulation, braided shield, vinyl jacket: Special-purpose cable to minimize electrical noise interference. Useful from -60° to +180°F (-50° to +80°C). Color-coded red/white/black.	
/\ FFE	330-FFE 330-FFE	100 ft (30 m) 1000 ft (300 m)	Stranded silver-plated copper wire, 3-conductor flat cable, etched Teflon® insulation: For use from -452°F to +500°F (-269°C to +260°C). Color-coded red/white/black. Insulation treated for bonding.	Pb-free RoHS COMPLIANT
11 18	330-FJT 330-FJT	100 ft (30 m) 1000 ft (300 m)	Stranded silver-plated copper wire, 3-conductor twisted cable, Teflon insulation, Teflon jacket: Small, flexible. For use from -452° to +392°F (-269° to +200°C). Color-coded red/white/black. When bonding Teflon-insulated wire, insulation must be treated with Tetra-Etch® compound (see "Special-Purpose Materials.")	
	336-FTE	50 ft (15 m)	Stranded silver-plated copper wire, 3-conductor twisted cable, etched Teflon insulation: Small, flexible cable. For use from -452° to +500°F (-269° to +260°C). Color-coded red/white/black. Insulation treated for bonding.	Pb-free
FJT FTE GJF	326-FTE 326-FTE 330-FTE 330-FTE	100 ft (30 m) 500 ft (150 m) 100 ft (30 m) 500 ft (150 m)	Stranded silver-plated copper wire, 3-conductor twisted cable, etched Teflon insulation: For use from -452° to +500°F (-269° to +260°C). Color-coded red/white/black. Insulation treated for bonding.	RoHS
	326-GJF 326-GJF	100 ft (30 m) 1000 ft (300 m)	Solid nickel-clad copper wire, 3-conductor twisted cable, fiberglass braid insulation and jacket: For use from -452° to +900°F (-269° to +480°C). Recommended for use with WK-Series gages when silver solder is used for lead attachment. Color-coded red/white/black.	

^{*}Some types may not be continuous length.

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		FOUR-CON	IDUCTOR CA	ABLE	
- 10	- 11	Tuno	Packaging	Description	
		Туре	Foot (Meter)*	Description	
	777	426-BSV 426-BSV	100 ft (30 m) 1000 ft (300 m)	Stranded copper wire, 4-conductor twisted cable, PVC insulated braided shield: For use from -60° to +180°F (-50°C to +80°C).	
BSV	DFV	426-DFV 426-DFV 430-DFV 430-DFV	100 ft (30 m) 1000 ft (300 m) 100 ft (30 m) 1000 ft (300 m)	Stranded tinned-copper wire, 4-conductor flat cable, vinyl insulation: For use from -60° to +180°F (-50° to +80°C). Conductors easily separated for stripping and wiring. Color-coded red/white/black/green.	
		422-DSV 422-DSV 424-DSV 424-DSV	100 ft (30 m) 1000 ft (300 m) 100 ft (30 m) 1000 ft (300 m)	Stranded tinned-copper wire, 4-conductor polypropylene insulated: Twisted shielded pairs (red/black and white/green) with a drain wire, PVC jacket. For use from -60° to +180°F (-50°C to +80°C).	
		426-DTV 426-DTV	100 ft (30 m) 1000 ft (300 m)	Stranded tinned-copper wire, 4-conductor twisted cable, vinyl insulation: For use from -60° to +180°F (-50° to +80°C). Color-coded red/white/black/green.	
DSV	DTV	430-FST 430-FST	100 ft (30 m) 1000 ft (300 m)	Stranded silver-plated copper wire, 4-conductor twisted cable, Teflon® insulation, braided shield, Teflon jacket: Small, flexible cable. For use from -452° to +500°F (-269° to +260°C). Color-coded red/white/black/green. When bonding Teflon-insulated wire, insulation must be treated with Tetra-Etch® compound (see Special-Purpose Materials, document number 11008).	Pb-free RoHS COMPLIANT
		426-FTE 426-FTE	100 ft (30 m) 500 ft (150 m)	Stranded silver-plated copper wire, 4-conductor twisted cable, etched Teflon insulation: For use from -452° to +500°F (-269° to +260°C). Color-coded red/white/black/green. Insulation treated for bonding.	
FST	FTE/FTT	436-FTT 436-FTT	100 ft (30 m) 500 ft (150 m)	Stranded silver-plated copper wire, 4-conductor twisted cable, Teflon® insulation: Small, flexible cable. For use from -452° to +500°F (-269° to +260°C). Color coded red, white, black, green. When bonding Teflon insulated wire, insulation must be treated with Teflon etchant, such as TEC-1 (see Special- Purpose Materials, document number 11008).	
	FFT	426-FFT 426-FFT	100 ft (30 m) 500 ft (150 m)	Stranded silver-plated copper wire, 4-conductor flat cable, Teflon® insulation: For use from -452° to +500°F (-269° to +260°C). Color coded red, white, black, green. When bonding Teflon insulated wire, insulation must be treated with a Teflon etchant, such as TEC-1 (see Special-Purpose Materials, document number 11008).	
		FLAT RIBB	ON LEAD (UI	NINSULATED)	
		Typo	Packaging	Description	
	1	Туре	Foot (Meter)*	Description	
		1-GL-64-001	50 ft (15 m)	Uninsulated flat ni-clad copper ribbon: 1/64 in wide x 0.001in thick (0.4 x 0.025 mm). For use from -452 to 900°F (-269 to +480°C). Can be easily soldered or spot welded.	
		1-KL-16-002	50 ft (15 m)	Uninsulated Nichrome V: 1/16 in wide x 0.002 in thick (1.6 x 0.05 mm). For use from -452 to + 2000°F (-269 to +1100°C).	Pb-free
		1-KL-08-003	50 ft (15 m)	Uninsulated Nichrome V: 1/8 in wide x 0.003 in thick (3.2 x 0.08 mm). For use from -452 to +2000°F (-269 to +1100°C).	RoHS COMPLIANT
		1-KL-08-005	50 ft (15 m)	Uninsulated Nichrome V: 1/8 in wide x 0.005 in thick (3.2 x 0.127 mm). For use from –452 to +2000°F (–269 to +1100°C).	

^{*}Some types may not be continuous length.

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HST-1 HEAT-SHRINKABLE WIRE SPLICE SEALANT



Fast, easy-to-use method for protecting wire splice connections. Constructed of irradiated polyolefin plastic tubing with a heat-flowable inner liner sealant. Forms an immediate and tight seal to splice connection at a shrink temperature of +275°F (+135°C). Inside diameter before heating is 0.125 in (3.2 mm); after heating, 0.023 in (0.6 mm). Large range of shrinkage allows use with leadwire insulation diameters from 0.03 to 0.11 in (0.75 to 2.8 mm). The operating temperature range is -65° to +230°F (-55° to +110°C). Package of eight 6-in (150-mm) lengths.

THERMAL WIRE STRIPPER



The ease and simplicity of operation of the Thermal Wire Stripper make it ideal for most strain gage leadwire stripping. The variable heat control allows stripping of all thermoplastic insulations, including Teflon®, in sizes No. 18 to No. 36 AWG (1 to 0.1 mm diameter). The foot switch and tweezer hand- piece give excellent operator control over the stripping operation. Includes power unit and foot switch, both with 3-wire NEMA plugs, and tweezer handpiece.

WTS-1: 110 Vac

WTS-2: 220 Vac (not CE rated)

WTS-A Replacement Elements: Set of two.

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FEATURES

- · Easy to use
- Transparent
- · Good general-purpose coating for laboratory use

DESCRIPTION

Air-drying solvent-thinned (xylene) polyurethane. Transparent. Moderate hardness; good flexibility. Can be removed with *M-LINE* Rosin Solvent or toluene. Film thickness 0.005–0.01 in (0.1–0.25 mm) per coat.

General-purpose coating for lab use, and as base coating for field applications. Must be fully cured before addition of other coatings. Fair moisture resistance. Not readily attacked by many solvents. Convenient to use.





CHARACTERISTICS	
PARAMETER	DETAILS
CURE REQUIREMENTS	Dries tack-free at room temperature in 20 minutes. Completely dry in 2 hours.
	Normal cure 24 hours at room temperature. Chemical resistance and coating hardness increase for 6 to 7 days.
OPERATING TEMPERATURE RANGE	Short Term: -100° to +300°F (-75° to +150°C).
	Long Term: -100° to +250°F (-75° to +120°C).
SHELF LIFE	Minimum 1 year at +75°F (+24°C). Refer to product label for most recent information.

PACKAGING OPTIONS	
KIT	BULK
4 brush-cap bottles [1 oz (30 ml) ea].	Quart container.



FEATURES

- Good resistance to chemicals
- Air drying
- Also used for priming leadwires

DESCRIPTION

Air-drying solvent-thinned (MEK) nitrile rubber. Forms flexible rubbery coating. Do not use directly on exposed foil or bare leads. Often used to prime vinyl-insulated wire to improve bondability to other coatings. If used as primer on leads, thin 50:50 with MEK. Flexible at cryogenic temperatures. Excellent resistance to gasoline, kerosene, commercial oils. Electrical properties poorer than other M-Coats, particularly at elevated temperatures.



CHARACTERISTICS	
PARAMETER	DETAILS
CURE REQUIREMENTS	Air-dries in 1 hour at +75°F (+24°C). Do not apply subsequent protective coatings for at least 2 hours from time of application. Normal cure 24 hours at room temperature. Further improve chemical resistance with 1 hour bake at +200°F (+95°C).
OPERATING TEMPERATURE RANGE	Short Term: -320° to +300°F (-195° to +150°C). Long Term: -320° to +200°F (-195° to +95°C).
SHELF LIFE	Minimum 1 year at +75°F (+24°C). Refer to product label for most recent information.

PACKAGING OPTIONS	
KIT	BULK
4 brush-cap bottles [1 oz (30 ml) ea].	Quart container.



FEATURES

- Air drying
- Low reinforcement
- Transparent

DESCRIPTION

Solvent-thinned (naphtha) RTV silicone rubber. Cures to tough, rubbery transparent film. Good all-around mechanical and electrical properties. Completely noncorrosive. Film thickness 0.015–0.02 in (0.4–0.5 mm) per coat.

Recommended for lab and field installations that require a high degree of protection in thin coatings. Good watersplash protection. Good chemical resistance.





CHARACTERISTICS	
PARAMETER	DETAILS
CURE REQUIREMENTS	Solvents evaporate in about 60 minutes at room temperature. Allow 20 minutes drying time between coats.
	Cures in 24 hours at +75°F (+24°C) and 50% RH. Longer cure at lower humidity.
OPERATING TEMPERATURE RANGE	Short Term: -75° to +550°F (-60° to +290°C).
	Long Term: -75° to +500°F (-60° to +260°C).
SHELF LIFE	Minimum 9 months at +75°F (+24°C) kept tightly sealed. Refer to product label for most recent information.

PACKAGING OPTIONS	
КІТ	BULK
4 brush-cap bottles [1 oz (30 ml) ea].	Quart container.



FEATURES

- Air drying
- Opaque
- Good base coating

DESCRIPTION

Air-drying solvent-thinned (toluene) acrylic. Dense white color for easy visual inspection of coverage. Forms hard thin coating capable of high elongation. Can be removed with *M-LINE* Rosin Solvent or toluene. Apply in thin coats to prevent solvent entrapment. Film thickness 0.005–0.01 in (0.1–0.25 mm) per coat.

Good general laboratory moisture barrier. Electrical leakage negligible even when uncured. Good base coating for subsequent applications of M-Coat B. Convenient for anchoring and insulating intrabridge wiring and jumper leads. Chemical resistance only fair but can be improved by postcure at +175°F (+80°C) for 30 minutes.





CHARACTERISTICS	
PARAMETER	DETAILS
CURE REQUIREMENTS	Air dry for 15 minutes then cure for 24 hours at +75°F (+24°C) or one hour at +150°F (+65°C).
	Overcoats can be applied 30 minutes from time of application.
	Coating binder begins to sublimate at +280°F (+140°C), but residue is inorganic and will not become conductive.
OPERATING TEMPERATURE RANGE	Short Term: −100° to +325°F (−75° to +160°C).
	Long Term: -100° to +250°F (-75° to +120°C).
SHELF LIFE	Minimum 1 year at +75°F (+24°C) kept tightly sealed. Refer to product label for most recent information.

PACKAGING OPTIONS	
KIT	BULK
4 brush-cap bottles [1 oz (30 ml) ea].	Quart container.



FEATURES

- Excellent protection from moisture
- Low reinforcement
- Easy to apply



Solvent-thinned butyl rubber designed to provide excellent moisture protection with low reinforcement effects. Principally used in transducers. Exhibits a pastelike consistency and is normally applied with a spatula. Thickness over 0.1 in (2.5 mm) not recommended.



CHARACTERISTICS	
PARAMETER	DETAILS
CURE REQUIREMENTS	Air dry 8 hours, followed by an elevated temperature cure of +150° to +175°F (+65° to +80°C) for 4 to 6 hours.
OPERATING TEMPERATURE RANGE	0° to +175°F (-20° to +80°C).
SHELF LIFE	Minimum 12 months at +75°F (+24°C). Refer to product label for most recent information.

PACKAGING OPTIONS	
КІТ	BULK
75g collapsible tubes, 4 each	Quart container.



FEATURES

- Outstanding moisture protection
- Easy to apply
- No cure required

DESCRIPTION

Microcrystalline wax. Has very low water-vapor transmission rate. Attacked by most solvents. Coating thickness 0.015–0.06 in (0.4–1.5 mm).

Excellent water-immersion coating. Poor mechanical protection. Often used as an intermediate coating.





CHARACTERISTICS	
PARAMETER	DETAILS
	Heat to at least +170°F (+75°C) to melt.
APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS	For best wetting and sealing, heat specimen surface to at least +100°F (+45°C) before applying.
	No cure required.
OPERATING TEMPERATURE RANGE	0° to +150°F (-20° to +65°C)
SHELF LIFE	No limit. Store at +75°F (+24°C).

PACKAGING OPTIONS	
PARAMETER	DETAILS
КІТ	5 tins [1 oz (28g)]
BULK	1 package [5 lb (2.25 kg)]



FEATURES

- · Easy to use
- Translucent
- Self-leveling
- Room-temperature cure





DESCRIPTION

Single-component 98%-solids RTV silicone rubber. Room-temperature cure (humidity-reactive). Completely non-corrosive. Forms tough, rubbery coating. Excellent properties. Translucent; permits full inspection of installation. Self-leveling; forms fairly thick coats 0.03–0.06 in (0.75–1.5 mm).

Easy-to-apply general-purpose coating. Lab and field use. Low reinforcing effects. High-elongation capabilities. Good for short-term water immersion. Resists many chemicals. Bonds to contaminated surfaces for short-term tests; for best long-term protection, chemically clean surface and prime with *M-LINE* RTV Primer No. 1.

CHARACTERISTICS		
PARAMETER	DETAILS	
CURE REQUIREMENTS	Tack-free in approximately 2 hours.	
	Cure 24 hours at +75°F (+24°C), 50% RH for each 0.02-in (0.5-mm) thickness. Longer cure at lower humidity levels.	
	Note: Will not cure properly if coating is not exposed to atmosphere.	
OPERATING TEMPERATURE RANGE	-49°F to +392°F (-45°C to +200°C).	
SHELF LIFE	Minimum 6 months at +75°F (+24°C). Refer to product label for most recent information	

PACKAGING OPTIONS		
KIT	OPTIONAL PRIMER	
1 collapsible metal tube [3 oz (85g)]	4 brush-cap bottles [1 oz (30 ml) ea] RTV Primer No. 1	



FEATURES

- · Easy to use
- · Good mechanical protection
- · Good cable anchor
- Room-temperature cure



Single-component 98%-solids RTV silicone rubber. Room temperature cure (humidity-reactive). Completely non-corrosive. Forms tough, rubbery coating. Excellent properties. Opaque gray coating of higher strength and toughness than 3140 RTV. Not self-leveling.

Easy-to-apply general-purpose coating. Lab and field use. Low reinforcing effects. High-elongation capabilities. Good for short-term water immersion. Resists many chemicals. Bonds to contaminated surfaces for short-



term tests; for best long-term protection, chemically clean surface and prime with *M-LINE* RTV Primer No. 1. Very thick coatings can be applied without sag or runoff. Tear strength much higher than 3140. Good cable anchor.

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Strain Gage Application Kit for Transducers

It is often of greatest convenience for the strain gage user to purchase all of the needed accessory supplies and materials in a single package. For this purpose, Micro-Measurements offers the TAK-610 Strain Gage Application Kit. Kit contents, including our CSM Degreaser, are available separately. Refer to the appropriate sections of this catalog for specific component details.

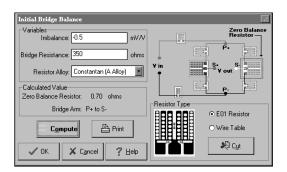
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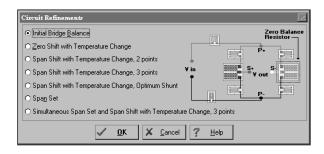
- M-Bond 610 Kit
- MCA-1 Conditioner A. 1 bottle
- MN5A-1 Neutralizer 5A, 1 bottle
- SCP-1 220 grit, 1 roll, 100 ft (30 m)
- SCP-2 320 grit, 1 roll, 100 ft (30 m)
- SCP-3 400 grit, 1 roll, 100 ft (30 m)
- CSP-1 Cotton Swabs, 1 package
- GSP-1 Gauze Sponges, 1 package
- MJG-2 Mylar Tape, 1 roll
- PDT-3 Paper Drafting Tape, 1 roll
- 361A-20R-25 Solder, 1 roll, 25 ft (7.6 m)
- FAR-2 M-Flux AR Kit
- CPF-AST Bondable Terminals, 1 box
- 426-DFV, 4-Conductor Leadwire, 100 ft (30 m)
- M-Coat C, 1 oz (30 ml)
- 134-AWP Solid Copper Wire, 500 ft (150 m)
- SGP-2 Silicone Rubber, 1 piece
- HSC-1 No. 1 Spring Clamp, 4 each
- TFE-1 Teflon Film, 1 roll
- BTW-1 Blunt-Nose Tweezers
- Plastic Tool Box





Transducer Application Software





TransCalc™ is a valuable resource for the transducer designer, providing:

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