



CARBON Trimmer Potentiometers CA6 Series



Available in both through hole and surface mount configurations.

Trimming potentiometers with polyester substrate and carbon resistive pastes. They have a plastic housing with IP 5 protection (dust-proof).

Terminals are manufactured in tinned brass to guarantee better soldering, as well as higher resistance to corrosion. They can be provided straight or crimped (snap-in), which is recommended for securing components to the board prior to the soldering operation.

These potentiometers can be adjusted from either side, both in the horizontal and the vertical types. There is an adjusting guide on the housing, which simplifies the manual adjusting operation.

Carbon potentiometers can be manufactured in a wide range of types, according to:

- Resistive value
- Tolerance
- Tapers / variation laws of the resistive element (linear, log, antilog). Others on request.
- Pitch
- Positioning of the wiper (the standard is at 50%).
- Housing and rotor color to help with its identification.
- Mechanical life

Self-extinguishable properties according to UL 94 V-0.

Characteristics

- 6mm (1/4") / Carbon / IP 5 protection (dust-proof)
- compact form offers high power to size ratio
- Low noise level
- High stability part can be used in high frequency circuits
- Low temperature co-efficient

GENERAL NOTES

Applications

- Small electronic appliances.
- Measurement and test devices.
- Telecommunication equipment (antenna amplifiers and receivers,
- videocomm., intercomm.)
- Alarm systems.

HOW TO ORDER

CA6	Х	V5	-	25K	-	М

Series / Model	ROTOR	TERMINAL CONFIGURATION	-	RESISTANCE	-	TOLERANCE
CA6	X M N	H2.5 V2.5 V5 VS5 HSMD VSMD	-	Example: 253 = 25,000Ω or 25K = 25,000Ω	-	$K = \pm 10\%$ $M = \pm 20\%$ $N = \pm 30\%$

Call factory @800-227-0075 for special codes.

PACKAGE QUANTITY						
Model	Accessory inserted	Pieces per package				
	-no accessory	1,000/box				
H2.5, V2.5, V5, VS5, HSMD,	6001 or 6030 or 6032	1,000/box				
VSMD	6022 or 6023 or 6024 or 6031	500/box				
	6025 or 6028	300/box				
HSMD & VSMD	-no accessory	1,000/reel				



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Electrical						
		Taper	Through Hole		SMD	
Standard Desistance Dange		Linear (A)	100Ω	~ 5MΩ	100Ω ~ 1MΩ	
	•	Log (B) Antilog (C)	1KΩ ~	2.2MΩ	1ΚΩ ~ 1ΜΩ	
		Through Ho	ole	SMD		
Resistance Tolerance		100Ω ~ 1MΩ ±20%				
(others available on request)	•	>1MΩ ~ 5MΩ ±30%			>1MΩ ±25%	
		Rn>5MΩ +50%	5 -30%			
Variation laws		Linear (A), Log (B), Antilog (C)				
vanation laws	•	(Other tapers available on request)				
Residual resistance		\leq 5*10 ⁻³ *R _n (2 Ω minimum value)				
Contact resistance variation (dynamic)		\leq 3%R _n				
Contact resistance variation (static)		\leq 5%R _n				
Max Power dissination @40°C		Linear (A)		0.10W		
	•	Log (B) & Antilog (C) Tapers			0.06W	
Max Voltage @40°C		Linear (A)		100VDC		
	•	Log (B) & Antilog (C) Tapers			60VDC	
Operating Temperature		-25°C ~ +70°C				
		Through Ho	le		SMD	
Temperature coefficient	:	100Ω ~ 10KΩ → +200	+200/-300 ppm 100Ω ~ 1		0KΩ → +200/-500 ppm	
		>10KΩ ~ 5MΩ → +200	/-500 ppm	>100KΩ ~ ⁻	1MΩ → +200/-1000 ppm	

Mechanical		
Resistive element	:	Carbon technology
Angle of rotation (mechanical)		235°±10°
Wiper position		Middle position: 50%±15°
Angle of rotation (electrical)	:	215°±20°
Stop torque	:	4 Ncm
Push/Pull on Rotor	:	9.8 N
Wiper torque	:	<2 Ncm
Mechanical Life	:	1,000 cycles (more available on request)
Degree of protection	:	IP5 (dust-proof)



Environmental

Condition	Typical variation of nominal resistance		
500 hours @40°C and 95% RH	+5% / -2%		
16hours @85°C 2hours @-25°C	±2.5%		
25°C ~ +70°C	100Ω ~ 10KΩ → +200/-300 ppm		
-23 0 0 +70 0	>10KΩ ~ 5MΩ → +200/-500 ppm		
1,000 hours @40°C	+0% / -5%		
1,000 cycles @10 c.p.m.	±3%		
2 seconds @350°C	±1%		
@23°C±2°C	±3%		
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Unless noted, all specifications are stated based on conditions of 23°C±2°C and 50%±25% RH All features and specifications are standard. Other specifications can always be studied upon request.

Standard Resistance Values						
Resistance (Ohms)	Resistance Code	Resistance (Ohms)	Resistance Code			
100	100	25,000	25K			
200	200	47,000	47K			
220	220	50,000	50K			
250	250	100,000	100K			
470	470	200,000	200K			
500	500	220,000	220K			
1,000	1K	250,000	250K			
2,000	2K	470,000	470K			
2,200	2K2	500,000	500K			
2,500	2K5	1,000,000	1M			
4,700	4K7	2,000,000	2M			
5,000	5K	2,500,000	2M5			
10,000	10K	4,700,000	4M7			
20,000	20K	5,000,000	5M			
22,000	22K					



SMD SOLDERING PROCESS NOTES

Manual Soldering

When manual soldering is employed, the following conditions are recommended:

- Power of soldering iron: 20W max.
- Temperature of soldering iron: 280°C max.
- Time: 3 seconds max.

Reflow Soldering





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