

# Water Cooled RF Power Pot Capacitors, External Cooling System



#### **LINKS TO ADDITIONAL RESOURCES**



#### **FEATURES**

- High voltage, current, and power ratings
- Compact design reduces terminal self inductance and permits high frequency operation
- Increased power density is achieved through water cooling. Enhanced reliability is achieved with a rugged mechanical design

#### **APPLICATIONS**

Water cooled RF power pot capacitors are designed for use in the tank circuits of high power RF equipment such as induction heating and welding equipment, dielectric heating, and a variety of specialized RF applications.

QUICK REFERENCE DATA										
DESCRIPTION		VALUE								
Ceramic class		1								
Ceramic dielectric		R85								
Type	TV	TWX TWXF								
Voltage (V <sub>p</sub> )	12 000	14 000	10 000	12 000	14 000	16 000	18 000	20 000	22 500	25 000
Min. capacitance (pF)	5000	1500	10 000	5000	1500	4000	7600	5000	7500	5000
Max. capacitance (pF)	5000	5000	10 000	5000	7600	10 000	10 000	7600	7500	5000
Mounting					Screw t	erminal				

#### PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

TWX and TWXF pot-styled capacitors dissipate the heat produced under load by means of water flow around the capacitor element. In order to provide protection from influences of the chemical / physical characteristics of the coolant, a glass passivation layer is applied over the cooled noble metal electrode. The ceramic capacitor element is housed in a rugged copper case.

The electrical terminations are directly soldered onto the noble metal electrodes, providing a strong, rigid connection of unsurpassed reliability. The TWX model is made with a contoured, glazed insulation rim designed for use in a clean, dry environment. The TWXF types feature an umbrella shaped coating rim made from silicone elastomer to minimize the adverse effects of moisture, dust, and other soiling in the working environment, and to improve the characteristics of the electrical field.

#### **MARKING**

Type designator, capacitance value and tolerance, rated RF voltage, ceramic material code, production date code, manufacturer logo, serial number.

#### **ACCESSORIES ADDED**

All water cooled pot capacitors are supplied with the necessary screws / nuts and contact plates to make the connection to the electrode terminals. Ferrules and sleeve nuts for the water supply connections are also included.

#### **CAPACITANCE RANGE**

1.5 nF to 10 nF

#### **CAPACITANCE TOLERANCE**

± 20 %; ± 10 %

#### **CERAMIC DIELECTRICS**

R85 (TCC: -750 ppm/K)

#### RATED VOLTAGE

10 kV<sub>p</sub>
 12 kV<sub>p</sub>
 20 kV<sub>p</sub>
 14 kV<sub>p</sub>
 22.5 kV<sub>p</sub>
 16 kV<sub>p</sub>
 25 kV<sub>p</sub>

#### **DIELECTRIC STRENGTH TEST**

200 % of rated AC voltage, 50 Hz

#### **RF POWER TEST**

125 % to 140 % of rated power, for 10 minutes in a test generator circuit

#### DISSIPATION FACTOR

R85: max. 0.05 %

Measuring frequencies:

1 MHz (< 1 nF); 300 kHz or 100 kHz (≥ 1 nF)

#### **INSULATION RESISTANCE**

Min. 10 000 M $\Omega$  (at 25 °C)

#### **OPERATING TEMPERATURE RANGE**

Find details of water cooling under the "Guidelines" section in the datasheet.

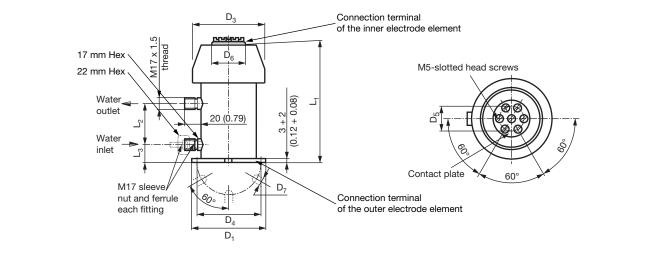


SAP PART NUMBER AND ELECTRICAL DATA							
PART NUMBER	CERAMIC	CAP. VALUES (pF)	RATED VOLTAGE (kV <sub>p</sub> )	RATED POWER (kvar)	RATED CURRENT (A <sub>RMS</sub> )	MIN. WATER FLOW RATE PER MINUTE (liter / US-gal.)	PERMISSIBLE INSTALLATION POS.
TYPE TWX							
WX095162WJ152##BJ1		1500		1500	150	1.0 / 0.27	
WX095162WJ202##BJ1		2000	14				
WX095162WJ252##BJ1	R85	2500 4700	14	1500			Only vertical, umbrella-up
WX110250WJ472##BJ1	Hoo			2000	200	1.4 / 0.38	position is permitted
WX095220WF502##BJ1		5000	12	1275	150	1.0 / 0.27	is permitted
WX110250WJ502##BJ1		5000	14	2000	200	1.4 / 0.38	

#### Note

## 14th to 15th digit: capacitance tolerance code  $\pm$  20 % = 38,  $\pm$  10 % = 36

PART NUMBER	D <sub>1</sub>	D <sub>3</sub>	$D_4$	<b>D</b> <sub>5</sub>	D <sub>6</sub>	L <sub>1</sub>	L <sub>2</sub>	L <sub>3</sub>
TYPE TWX	•	•			•		•	
WX095162WJ152##BJ1								
WX095162WJ202##BJ1	95 (3.74)	94 (3.70)	85 (3.35)		40 (1.57)	162 (6.38)	55 (2.17)	
WX095162WJ252##BJ1	1			00 (1.10)				10 (0.71)
WX110250WJ472##BJ1	110 (4.33)	108 (4.25)	98 (3.86)	30 (1.18)	45 (1.77)	248 (9.76)		18 (0.71)
WX095220WF502##BJ1	95 (3.74)	94 (3.70)	85 (3.35)		40 (1.57)	220 (8.66)	115 (4.53)	
WX110250WJ502##BJ1	110 (4.33)	108 (4.25)	98 (3.86)		45 (1.77)	248 (9.76)		
17 mm Hex	117 x 1.5 thread	D <sub>3</sub>		Connection ter of the inner ele	ctrode element	head screws		



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TYPE TWXF								
WF095162WJ152##BJ1		1500		1000				
WF095162WJ202##BJ1		2000	14	1500	150	1.0 / 0.27		
WF095162WJ252##BJ1		2500		1300				
WF135218WL402##BJ1		4000	16	2500	250	1.8 / 0.49		
WF110250WJ472##BJ1		4700	14	2000	200	1.4 / 0.38	(1)(2)(3)	
WF095220WF502##BJ1		5000	12	1275	150	1.0 / 0.27	(1)(2)(0)	
WF110250WJ502##BJ1		5000	14	2000	200	1.4 / 0.38		
WF135285WP502##BJ1		5000	20	3000	250	2.1 / 0.57		
WF135373BQ502##BJ1	R85	5000	25	3200	250	2.3 / 0.62		
WF135272WL602##BJ1		6000	16	2830	250	2.0 / 0.54		
WF165336WQ752##BJ1		7500	22.5	4000	350	2.9 / 0.80	(1)(3)	
WF125300WJ762##BJ1		7600	14	2500	250	1.4 / 0.38	(1)(2)(3)	
WF125420WN762##BJ1	1	7600	18	2500	250	2.0 / 0.54	(1)(3)	
WF165336WP762##BJ1	1	7600	20	3200	270	2.3 / 0.62	(1)	
WF125300BH103##BJ1	1	10 000	10	2000	280	1.4 / 0.38	(1)(2)(3)	
WF165335WL103##BJ1	1	10 000	16	3395	300	2.5 / 0.70	(1)(3)	
WF165420WN103##BJ1		10 000	18	2500	250	2.0 / 0.54	(1)(3)	

#### Notes

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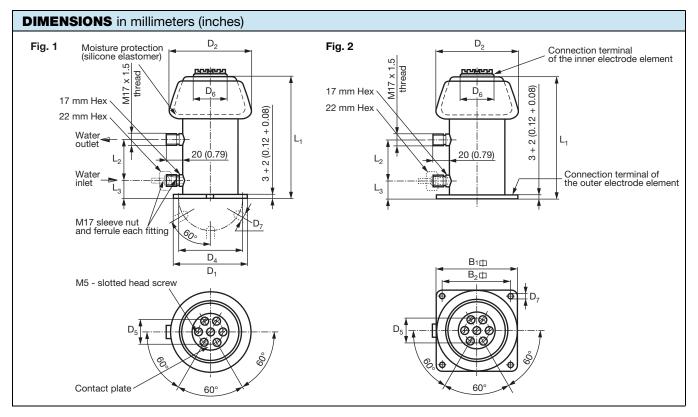
- (1) Only vertical, umbrella-up position is permitted
- (2) Vertical, umbrella-down position
- (3) Horizontal mounting, water connections topside
- · Special versions with additional water-emptying screw or with ERMETO fittings are available on request. Please contact us

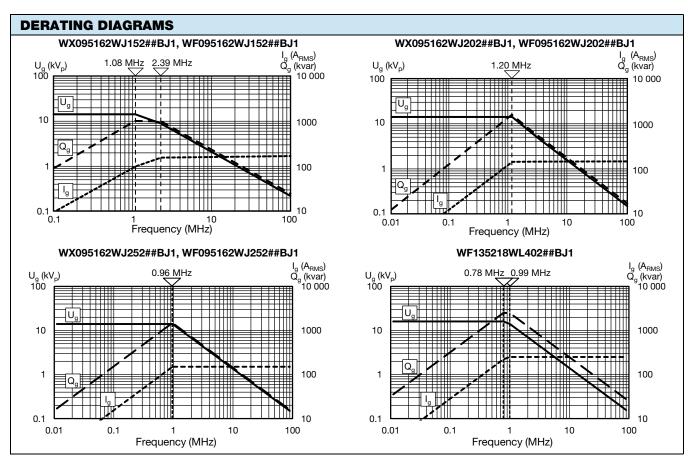
<b>DIMENSIONS</b> in mil	imeters	(inches)										
PART NUMBER	D <sub>1</sub>	D <sub>2</sub>	$D_4$	D <sub>5</sub>	D <sub>6</sub>	D <sub>7</sub>	L <sub>1</sub>	L <sub>2</sub>	L <sub>3</sub>	B <sub>1</sub>	B <sub>2</sub>	FIG.
TYPE TWXF		,			,	,		ı				
WF095162WJ152##BJ1 WF095162WJ202##BJ1 WF095162WJ252##BJ1	95 (3.74)	110 (4.33)	85 (3.35)		40 (1.58)	5.5 (0.217)	162 (6.38)	55 (2.17)	18 (0.71)			1 1 1
WF135218WL402##BJ1	135 (5.31)	148 (5.83)	122 (4.80)		50 (1.97)	6.5 (0.217)	218 (8.58)	108 (4.25)	22 (0.87)			1
WF110250WJ472##BJ1	110 (4.33)	125 (4.92)	98 (3.86)		45 (1.77)		248 (9.76)					1
WF095220WF502##BJ1	95 (3.47)	110 (4.33)	85 (3.35)	30 (1.18)	40 (1.58)	5.5 (0.217)	220 (8.66)	115 (4.53)	18 (0.71)	-	-	1
WF110250WJ502##BJ1	110 (4.33)	125 (4.92)	98 (3.86)	` ′	45 (1.77)	(0.211)	248 (9.76)					1
WF135285WP502##BJ1							285 (11.22)	134 (5.28)				1
WF135373BQ502##BJ1	135 (5.31)	148 (5.83)	122 (4.80)		50 (1.97)	6.5 (0.256)	373 (14.69)	216 (8.50)	22 (0.87)			1
WF135272WL602##BJ1							272 (10.71)	134 (5.28)				1
WF165336WQ752##BJ1		170 (6.69)		45 (1.77)	75 (2.95)		336 (13.23)	194 (7.64)		165	135	2
WF125300WJ762##BJ1		148 (5.83)		30 (1.18)	50 (1.97)		303 (11.93)	180 (7.09)		(6.50)	(5.31)	2
WF125420WN762##BJ1		148 (5.83)		30 (1.18)	50 (1.97)		420 (16.54)	280 (11.02)		127 (5.00)	98 (3.86)	2
WF165336WP762##BJ1	-	170 (6.69)	-	45 (1.77)	75 (2.95)	9.5 (0.374)	336 (13.23)	194 (7.64)	30 (1.18)	165 (6.50)	135 (5.31)	2
WF125300BH103##BJ1		148 (5.83)		30 (1.18)	50 (1.97)		303 (11.93)	180 (7.09)		127 (5.00)	98 (3.86)	2
WF165335WL103##BJ1		170		45	75		335 (13.19)	208 (8.82)		165	135	2
WF165420WN103##BJ1		(6.69)		(1.77)	(2.95)		420 (16.54)	280 (11.02)		(6.50)	(5.31)	2

#### Note

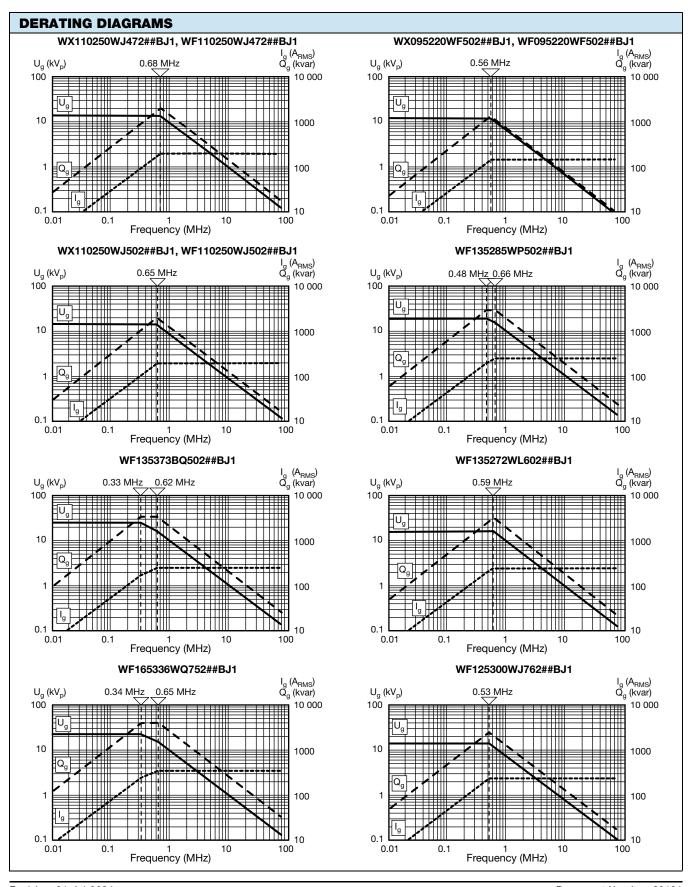
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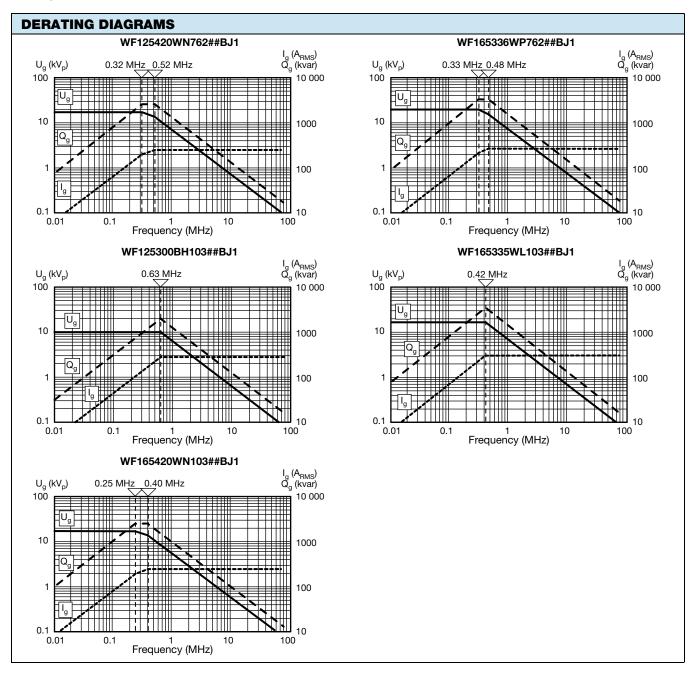












#### **GUIDELINES**

#### **ELECTRICAL DATA AND GUIDELINES**

- The main physical and electrical characteristics of the capacitors and ceramic materials used, are listed in the tables on the general section and in the individual datasheets
- The continuous limit values of voltage, current, and power given in the diagrams must be observed.
- The rated voltage given in the tables is the peak value of the sinusoidal AC voltage or the sum of the DC and peak AC voltages
  for which the capacitor is rated under continuous operation.
- The rated current in the tables is the effective value of the sinusoidal current for which the current paths of the capacitor are designed.

#### INSTALLATION

- Water cooled pot capacitors (TWX and TWXF) are designed to be installed in a vertical, umbrella-up position. Other positions
  may be allowed as shown on the individual datasheets. For large generators requiring multiple capacitors we recommended
  a circular mounting pattern for optimum circuit performance.
- When capacitors are connected in parallel, care should be taken to mount the top electrodes of the capacitor away from the RF-bus bar to minimize the effects of stray electromagnetic fields. The capacitors elements must not exceed a temperature of more than +100 °C.
- The electrical connection to the inner electrode must be flexible in order to prevent the generation of the physical forces which
  could damage the capacitor elements. Such forces are often generated by the dimensional differences resulting from the
  normal physical tolerances of the capacitors. The capacitor's inner electrode connector must not be used as a mechanical
  support for other devices or components.

#### COOLING

- The cooling system is designed to operate at a maximum water pressure of 4 bars (58 psi).
- The water outlet of the capacitor must always be located higher than the water inlet in a vertical installation. This allows any
  air to escape from the unit. Horizontal installations require that both water connections be at the top-side of the unit. To
  preserve the capacitors from frost damages during the transport, we offer special models with outlet screws for emptying the
  cooling water from the unit.
- The minimum water flow rates specified in the tables must be observed. When using antifreeze mixtures, the flow rate should be increased by at least 20 %.
- The cooling system is designed to have a water temperature increase of < 10 °C (water inlet to water outlet) when the capacitor
  is operated at full rated power and the minimum water flow rate. A water intake temperature of ≤ 30 °C is recommended. If
  the cooling system of several capacitors is connected in series, the intake temperature of the coolant must not exceed 50 °C
  for any capacitors.</li>
- The pressure drop in a series connected cooling system is small. The table below illustrates the effects upon water flow rates as a function of the number of series connected TWXF 135285 capacitors in the system with a constant intake water pressure of 3 bars (43.5 psi).

Number of cooling systems in series	1	2	3	4	5
Water flow rate (liters/minute)	13.0	10.5	8.5	7.3	6.0
Water flow rate (US-gal./minute)	3.43	2.77	2.24	1.92	1.58

- Intake water temperature fluctuations in excess of 3 °C/s must be avoided to prevent damage to the capacitor elements.
- A coolant temperature rate monitor must provide a fail-safe on / off power control for the RF equipment.
- Normal tap water or de-mineralized water may be used for cooling. The water must be reasonably free of CaCO<sub>3</sub> and clear of foreign particles or milkiness. The pH-value of the coolant should between 6 and 8.



#### **QUALITY AND RELIABILITY**

#### **ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL SCREENING TESTS**

All capacitors are subjected to the following tests prior to shipment:

- Capacitance value (1.0 MHz or 0.1 MHz, 20 V<sub>RMS</sub>, 25 °C ± 5 °C)
- Dissipation factor (1.0 MHz or 0.3 MHz, 10  $V_{RMS}$ , 25 °C  $\pm$  5 °C)
- Insulation resistance (100 V<sub>DC</sub>, 25 °C ± 5 °C)
- Dielectric strength (200 % rated peak voltage, 50 Hz, 5 minutes)
- RF power test (125 % to 140 % rated power for 10 minutes in a test generator circuit)
- Pressure test (standard: 6 bars [87 psi] for 1 minute, 25 °C ± 5 °C)

#### WARRANTY STIPULATION FOR WATER COOLED CERAMIC POWER RF CAPACITORS

- · Unless otherwise provided for hereinafter, warranty shall be governed by General Terms of Sale and Delivery.
- Warranty is assumed for capacitors which fail to operate owing to faults in material or production, and within the warranty period for capacitors
- Excluded from warranty are capacitors prematurely rendered unserviceable owing to improper treatment, overloading, circuit
  errors, as well as capacitors operated without observing the data given in our catalogue. Warranty is also excluded in cases
  where faults can no longer be recognized on the capacitor owing to third party interferences. Warranty is only effectively
  assumed when meeting the requirements referred to hereinafter.
- For claiming warranty, the defective capacitor should be returned to us, if possible in its original packing, within 14 days following the data of failure, being accompanied by the completely filled-in and signed Original Guarantee Certificate. The risks of transportation, as well as any shipping costs and other charges shall in any case be borne by the sender.
- Warranty can only become effective if the defective capacitor is received by us in the same condition as it was when it happened to fail.
- We have the right to inspect any records proving the use of the capacitor.
- The decision as to whether we are obliged to assume warranty for the capacitor shall exclusively rest with us.
- When acknowledging the warranty claim, any non-repairable capacitor shall remain our property. When refusing a warranty
  claim the defective capacitor will be returned at the customer's expense only if demanded so explicitly when asserting the
  warranty claim. In case examination required disassembly of the capacitor no claims for damage can be derived therefrom.
- The customer gives us the right to have the system checked in which the capacitor was operated.
- When acknowledging a warranty claim, restitution is made by supplying either a repaired and newly tested capacitor or by supplying a new one.
- · Warranty shall only extend to the capacitor itself. Any further claims for damages are excluded.

#### **CONDITIONS OF GUARANTEE**

Pursuant to the foregoing stipulations we assume warranty for these water cooled pot capacitors up to a period of 5000 hours of operating service. Any claims for warranty, however will extinguish 24 months following the date of delivery.

RELATED DOCUMENTS	
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