30 W Power Resistor Thick Film Technology

FEATURES
- 30 W at 25 °C case temperature heatsink mounted
- Direct mounting ceramic on heatsink
- Broad resistance range: 0.010 Ω to 550 kΩ
- Non inductive
- TO-220 package: compact and easy to mount
- Material categorization: for definitions of compliance please see www.vishay.com/doc?99912

DESIGN SUPPORT TOOLS

LTO series are the extension of RTO types. We used the direct ceramic mounting design (no metal tab) of our RCH power resistors applied to semiconductor packages.

DIMENSIONS in millimeters

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<th>MODEL</th>
<th>SIZE</th>
<th>RESISTANCE RANGE Ω</th>
<th>RATED POWER PWR-25 °C W</th>
<th>LIMITING ELEMENT VOLTAGE UL V</th>
<th>TOLERANCE ± %</th>
<th>TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT ± ppm/°C</th>
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<td>LTO 30</td>
<td>TO-220</td>
<td>0.010 to 550K</td>
<td>30</td>
<td>500</td>
<td>1, 2, 5, 10</td>
<td>150, 250, 700, 900</td>
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Note
- Tolerances unless stated: ± 0.3 mm

STANDARD ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS

MECHANICAL SPECIFICATIONS
- Mechanical Protection: Molded
- Resistive Element: Thick film
- Substrate: Alumina
- Connections: Tinned copper
- Weight: 2 g max.
- Mounting Torque: 1 Nm

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS
- Dissipation and Associated: Onto a heatsink
- Power Rating and Thermal Resistance of the Component: 30 W at +25 °C (case temp.) RTH(j-c) ≤ 4.2 °C/W Free air: 2.25 W at +25 °C
- Temperature Coefficient Standard: See Performance table ± 150 ppm/°C
- Dielectric Strength MIL STD 202: 1500 Vpms - 1 min 10 mA max.
- Insulation Resistance: ≥ 10^4 MΩ
- Inductance: ≤ 0.1 μH

ENVIRONMENTAL SPECIFICATIONS
- Temperature Range: -55 °C to +150 °C
- Climatic Category: 55 / 155 / 56
- Flammability: IEC 60695-11-5 2 applications 30 s separated by 60 s
**CHOICE OF THE HEATSINK**

The user must choose according to the working conditions of the component (power, room temperature). Maximum working temperature must not exceed 150 °C. The dissipated power is simply calculated by the following ratio:

\[
P = \frac{\Delta T}{R_{TH (j - c)} + R_{TH (c - h)} + R_{TH (h - a)}} \tag{1}
\]

- **P**: Expressed in W
- **\(\Delta T\)**: Difference between maximum working temperature and room temperature
- **\(R_{TH (j - c)}\)**: Thermal resistance value measured between resistive layer and outer side of the resistor. It is the thermal resistance of the component.
- **\(R_{TH (c - h)}\)**: Thermal resistance value measured between outer side of the resistor and upper side of the heatsink. This is the thermal resistance of the interface (grease, thermal pad), and the quality of the fastening device.
- **\(R_{TH (h - a)}\)**: Thermal resistance of the heatsink.

**Example:**

For LTO 30 power rating 10 W at ambient temperature +25 °C

**Thermal resistance \(R_{TH (j - c)}\):** 4.2 °C/W

Considering equation (1) we have:

\[
\Delta T = 150 \, ^\circ C - 25 \, ^\circ C = 125 \, ^\circ C
\]

\[
R_{TH (j - c)} + R_{TH (c - h)} + R_{TH (h - a)} = \frac{\Delta T}{P} = \frac{125}{10} = 12.5 \, ^\circ C/W
\]

\[
R_{TH (c - h)} \cdot R_{TH (h - a)} = 12.5 \, ^\circ C/W \cdot 4.2 \, ^\circ C/W = 8.3 \, ^\circ C/W
\]

with a thermal grease \(R_{TH (c - h)} = 1 \, ^\circ C/W\), we need a heatsink with \(R_{TH (h - a)} = 7.3 \, ^\circ C/W\).
OVERLOADS
In any case the applied voltage must be lower than the maximum overload voltage of 750 V.
The values indicated on the graph below are applicable to resistors in air or mounted onto a heatsink.

ENERGY CURVE

POWER CURVE

POWER RATING
The temperature of the case should be maintained within the limits specified.
To improve the thermal conductivity, surfaces in contact should be coated with a silicone grease and the torque applied on the screw for tightening should be around 1 Nm.

PACKAGING
Tube of 50 units

MARKING
Model, style, resistance value (in Ω), tolerance (in %), manufacturing date, Vishay Sfernice trademark.
## Ordering Information

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<td>LTO</td>
<td>30</td>
<td>F</td>
<td>2.7 kΩ</td>
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