Fusible Nickel Film Resistors



FN Series

- Predictable fusing characteristics
- Constant current fusing
- Flameproof



Electrical Data

		FN4	
Power rating at 70°C	watts	0.4	
Resistance range	ohms	OR1 to 20R	
TCR	ppm/°C	See Figure 1	
Resistance tolerance*	%	5, 10, 20	
Standard values		E24 preferred	
Thermal impedance	°C/watt	215	
Ambient temperature range	°C	-55 to 155	

* Below 1R, 10 and 20% only.

Physical Data

Dimensions (mm) & Weight (g)								
					PCB	Min.		$M \downarrow \perp $
					mounting	bend	Wt.	
Туре	L Max	D Max	f min	d nom	centres	radius	nom	
FN4	6.2	2.5	21.0	0.6	10.2	0.6	0.3	

Construction

The nickel film is deposited on a high purity ceramic rod. End caps are force fitted and termination wires welded to the caps. The resistive film is adjusted to the required value by a helical cut; finally the flame retardant lacquer protection is applied to the resistor body and the resistor is marked with an indelible ink.

Terminations

Material Solder-coated copper wire.

- StrengthThe terminations meet the requirements of
IEC 68.2.21
- **Solderability** The terminations meet the requirements of IEC 115-1, Clause 4.17.3.2

Marking

Resistors are colour coded with five bands. Four of the bands are used to indicate value and tolerance, with IEC 62 colours being used. A fifth black band denotes constant current fusibility.

Solvent Resistance

The body protection and marking are resistant to all normal industrial cleaning solvents suitable for printed circuits.

Flammability

The resistors will not burn or emit encandescent particles under any condition of applied temperature or power overload.

General Note

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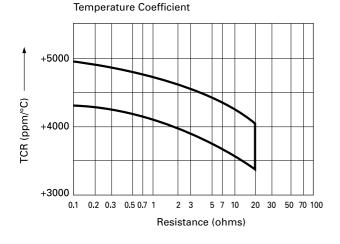
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Performance Data

		Maximum
Load: 1000 hours at 70°C	ΔR%	1
Shelf life: 12 months at room temperature	ΔR%	0.5
Derating from rated power at 70°C		zero at 155°C
Long term damp heat	ΔR%	1
Resistance to solder heat	ΔR%	0.5
Fusing characteristics		See Figure 2



Packaging

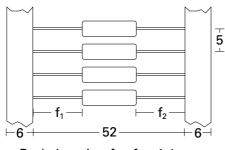
All FN resistors are supplied tape packed ready for loading on to automatic sequencing and insertion machines.

Component wires will not protrude beyond the outside edge of the tapes.

Alternative packaging available by request.

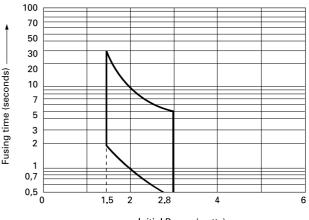
A detailed Packaging Data Sheet is available upon request.

Lead Formed resistors can also be supplied. Standard options of Lancet, Radial and Goalpost forming are shown in Lead Form Information section



Body location $f_1-f_2 \leq 1.4~mm$

Fusing time at constant current



Initial Power (watts)

Fusing

After fusing the final resistance value will be ≥ 10 times the initial value.

Standard Quantities Per Package

Туре	FN4
Large ammo pack	5000