# Compact medium speed thick film thermal printhead (8 dots / mm) KD2003-DF11A

KD2003-DF11A built in new and high density driver IC developed by the cutting edge technologies realizes the highest speed in the same class (250mm/s) at both Thermal Transfer and Direct Thermal.

This Thermal Printhead is suitable for POS, ATM, KIOSK and TICKET industries which require High Speed / High Density and Graphic printing.

By the implementation of highly durable protective coat, it achieves 150km as the standard abrasion life.

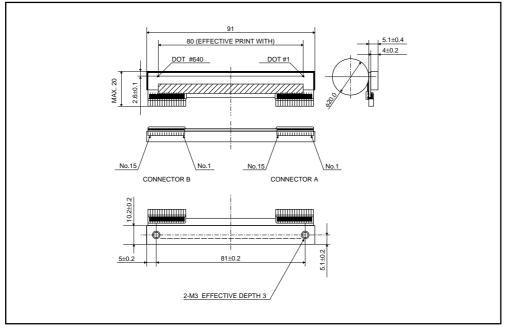
#### Applications

POS printers ATM printers KIOSK printers Ticket printers

#### Features

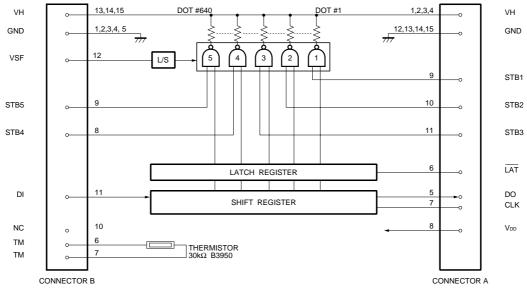
- 1) The use of a special partial glaze and the latest heating element structure, along with new high-density driver chips that can accept big current, has allowed ROHM to achieve print speeds of 250mm/s with using thermal history control, the fastest in its class ( with historical control ).
- 2) One rank resistance value of  $650\Omega \pm 3\%$  eliminates the inconvenience of rank selection.
- 3) The required driving voltage of 3.15 to 5.25V allows wide range of power supply voltage setting. This also allows multiple choice of electronic components for printers.
- 4) With the standard abrasion life of 150km, long life is achieved against the largely abrasive thermal paper.





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#### Equivalent circuit





#### Pin assignments

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CONNECTOR A				
No.	Circuit			
1	VH			
2	VH			
3	VH			
4	VH			
5	DO			
6	LAT			
7	CLK			
8	Vdd			
9	STB1			
10	STB2			
11	STB3			
12	GND			
13	GND			
14	GND			
15	GND			

#### CONNECTOR B No. Circuit 1 GND 2 GND GND 3 4 GND 5 GND 6 ТΜ 7 ТΜ 8 STB4 9 STB5 10 N.C. 11 DI 12 VSF VH 13 14 VH 15 VH

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# •Timing chart

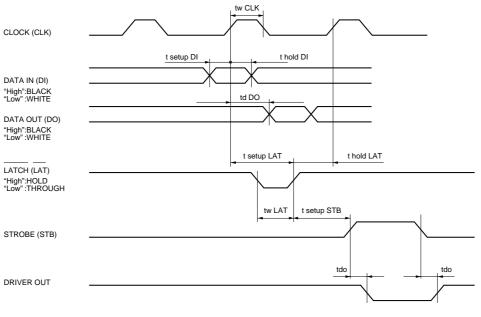


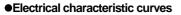
Fig.2

#### Characteristics

Parameter		Typical	Unit
Effective printing width	-	80	mm
Dot pitch	-	0.125	mm
Total dot number		640	dots
Average resistance value		650	Ω
Applied voltage	Vн	24	V
Applied power	Po	0.78	W/dot
Print cycle	SLT	0.5	ms
Pulse width	Том	0.19	ms
Maximum number of dots energized simultaneously	-	384	dots
Maximum clock frequency	-	16	MHz
Maximum roller diameter	-	φ20	mm
Running life / pulse life	-	150/1×10 <sup>8</sup>	km/pulses
Operating temperature	_	5 to 45	°C



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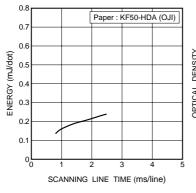


Fig.3 Adaptive speed chart

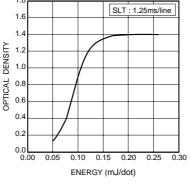


Fig.4 Representative density curve

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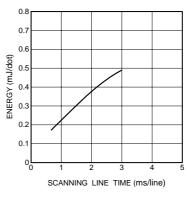


Fig.5 Maximum energy curve

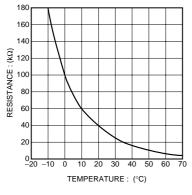


Fig.6 Thermistor curve

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