Aluminum electrolytic capacitors

Snap-in capacitors

Series/Type: **B43501**

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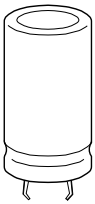
Long-life grade capacitors



Applications

- Frequency converters
- Solar inverters
- Uninterruptible power supplies
- Professional power supplies
- Medical appliances
- Telecommunications

Features

- Voltage derating ($0.93 \cdot V_R$) enables 105 °C operation, more details available upon request
- Long useful life
- High reliability
- High ripple current capability
- Low ESR
- High CV product, compact
- Different case sizes available for each capacitance value
- Capacitors with all insulation versions pass the needle flame test according to IEC 60695-11-5 for all flame exposure times up to 120 s
- RoHS-compatible

Construction

- Charge/discharge-proof, polar
- Aluminum case, fully insulated with PVC
- Version with PET insulation available
- Version with additional PET insulation cap on terminal side available for insulating the capacitor from the PCB
- Snap-in solder pins to hold component in place on PC-board
- Minus pole marking on case surface
- Minus pole not insulated from case
- Overload protection by safety vent on the base

Terminals

- Standard version with 2 terminals, 2 lengths available: 6.3 and 4.5 mm
- 3 terminals to ensure correct insertion: length 4.5 mm

Specifications and characteristics in brief

Rated voltage V_R Surge voltage V_S	160 ... 500 V DC 1.15 · V_R (for $V_R \leq 250$ V DC) 1.10 · V_R (for $V_R \geq 385$ V DC)	
Rated capacitance C_R Capacitance tolerance	47 ... 2200 µF ±20% ≙ M	
Dissipation factor tan δ (20 °C, 120 Hz)	$V_R \leq 400$ V DC: tan δ ≤ 0.15 $V_R \geq 420$ V DC: tan δ ≤ 0.20	
Leakage current I_{leak} (5 min, 20 °C)	$I_{leak} \leq 0.3\ \mu A \cdot \left(\frac{C_R}{\mu F} \cdot \frac{V_R}{V}\right)^{0.7} + 4\ \mu A$	
Self-inductance ESL	Approx. 20 nH	
Useful life[1)] 85 °C; V_R; $I_{AC,R}$ 40 °C; V_R; 1.15 · $I_{AC,R}$	 > 10000 h > 250000 h	Requirements: ΔC/C ≤ ±20% of initial value tan δ ≤ 2 times initial specified limit I_{leak} ≤ initial specified limit
Voltage endurance test 85 °C; V_R	5000 h	Post test requirements: ΔC/C ≤ ±10% of initial value tan δ ≤ 1.3 times initial specified limit I_{leak} ≤ initial specified limit
Vibration resistance test	To IEC 60068-2-6, test Fc: Frequency range 10 Hz ... 55 Hz, displacement amplitude 0.35 mm, acceleration max. 5 *g*, duration 3 × 2 h. Capacitor mounted by its body which is rigidly clamped to the work surface.	
Characteristics at low temperature	Max. impedance ratio at 100 Hz	

V_R	≤ 400 V	420 ... 450 V	500 V
$Z_{-25\,°C} / Z_{20\,°C}$	3	7	7
$Z_{-40\,°C} / Z_{20\,°C}$	7	12	20

IEC climatic category	To IEC 60068-1: ■ $V_R \leq 400$ V DC: 40/085/56 (−40 °C/+85 °C/56 days damp heat test) ■ $V_R \geq 420$ V DC: 25/085/56 (−25 °C/+85 °C/56 days damp heat test) The capacitors can be operated in the temperature range of −40 °C to +85 °C but the impedance at −40 °C should be taken into consideration.
Detail specification Sectional specification	Similar to CECC 30301-811 IEC 60384-4

1) Refer to chapter "General technical information, 5 Useful life" on how to interpret useful life.

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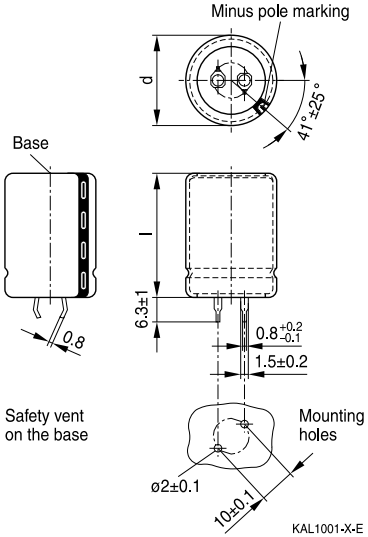
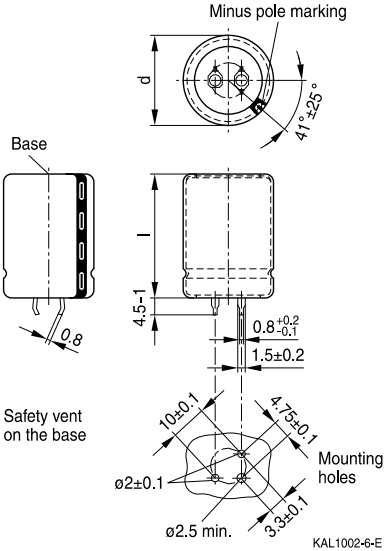
Dimensional drawings

Snap-in capacitors with standard insulation (PVC or PET)





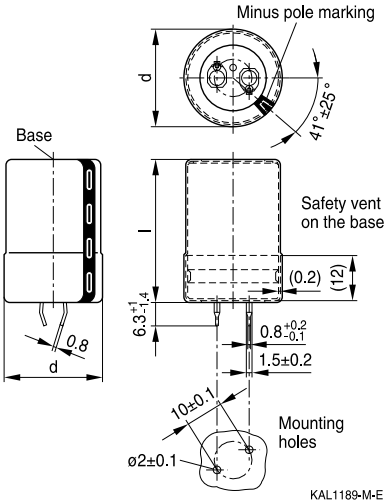
Snap-in terminals, length (6.3 ±1) mm. Also available in a shorter version with a length of (4.5 −1) mm. PET insulation is marked with label "PET" on the sleeve.

Dimensions (mm)		Approx.	Packing
d +1	l ±2	weight (g)	units (pcs.)
22	25	9	160
22	30	12	160
22	35	15	160
22	40	18	160
25	25	13	130
25	30	17	130
25	35	19	130
25	40	22	130
25	45	25	130
25	50	29	130
25	55	32	130

Snap-in capacitors are also available with 3 terminals (length (4.5 −1) mm). PET insulation is marked with label "PET" on the sleeve.

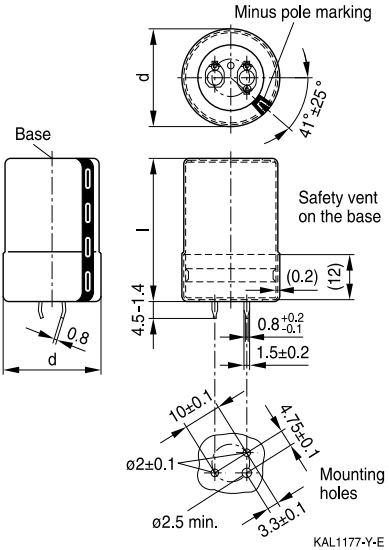
Dimensions (mm)		Approx.	Packing
d +1	l ±2	weight (g)	units (pcs.)
30	25	17	80
30	30	23	80
30	35	29	80
30	40	36	80
30	45	41	80
30	50	46	80
30	55	53	80
35	30	29	60
35	35	36	60
35	40	41	60
35	45	56	60
35	50	70	60
35	55	81	60

Snap-in capacitors with PVC insulation and PET insulation cap on terminal side



Snap-in terminals, length (6.3 +1/−1.4) mm. Also available in a shorter version with a length of (4.5 −1.4) mm. PET insulation cap is positioned under the insulation sleeve.

Dimensions (mm)		Approx.	Packing
d +1.4	l +2.2/−2	weight (g)	units (pcs.)
22	25	9	160
22	30	12	160
22	35	15	160
22	40	18	160
25	25	13	130
25	30	17	130
25	35	19	130
25	40	22	130
25	45	25	130
25	50	29	130
25	55	32	130



Snap-in capacitors are also available with 3 terminals (length (4.5 −1.4) mm). PET insulation cap is positioned under the insulation sleeve.

Dimensions (mm)		Approx.	Packing
d +1.4	l +2.2/−2	weight (g)	units (pcs.)
30	25	17	80
30	30	23	80
30	35	29	80
30	40	36	80
30	45	41	80
30	50	46	80
30	55	53	80
35	30	29	60
35	35	36	60
35	40	41	60
35	45	56	60
35	50	70	60
35	55	81	60

Packing of snap-in capacitors

For ecological reasons the packing is pure cardboard. Components can be withdrawn (in full or in part) in the correct position for insertion.

Ordering codes for terminal styles and insulation features

Identification in 3rd block of ordering code

Snap-in capacitors			
Terminal version	Insulation version		
	PVC	PET	PVC plus PET cap
Standard terminals 6.3 mm	M000	M060	M080
Short terminals 4.5 mm	M007	M067	M087
3 terminals 4.5 mm	M002	M062	M082

Ordering examples:

B43501A9107M007 } snap-in capacitor with short terminals and standard PVC insulation

B43501A9107M062 } snap-in capacitor with 3 terminals and PET insulation

B43501A9107M080 } snap-in capacitor with standard terminals and PVC insulation with additional PET insulation cap on terminal side

Overview of available types

V_R (V DC)	160	200	250	385	400	420	450	500
	Case dimensions d × l (mm)							
C_R (µF)								
47							22 × 25	22 × 25
68				22 × 25	22 × 25		22 × 30 25 × 25	22 × 30 25 × 25
100				22 × 30 25 × 25	22 × 30 25 × 25	22 × 30 25 × 25	22 × 35 25 × 30 30 × 25	25 × 35 30 × 25
120					22 × 35	25 × 30		
150			22 × 25	22 × 40 25 × 30	22 × 40 30 × 25	22 × 40 25 × 35	25 × 35 30 × 30	25 × 45 30 × 30
180					30 × 30	25 × 35 30 × 30	30 × 35	25 × 50 30 × 35
220	22 × 25	22 × 25	22 × 30 25 × 25	25 × 40 30 × 30	25 × 40 30 × 30	25 × 40 30 × 35	25 × 50 30 × 35	30 × 40 35 × 35
270					25 × 45 30 × 35 35 × 30	25 × 55 30 × 35 35 × 30	25 × 55 30 × 40 35 × 35	30 × 50 35 × 35
330	22 × 30	22 × 30 25 × 25	22 × 35 25 × 30	25 × 50 30 × 40	25 × 55 30 × 45 35 × 30	30 × 45 35 × 35	30 × 50 35 × 40	30 × 55 35 × 45
390					30 × 45 35 × 35	30 × 50	30 × 55 35 × 45	35 × 50
470	22 × 35	22 × 35 25 × 30 30 × 25	25 × 35 30 × 30	30 × 50 35 × 40	30 × 50 35 × 45	30 × 55 35 × 45	35 × 50	35 × 55
560				30 × 55 35 × 45	35 × 45	35 × 50	35 × 55	
680	25 × 35	25 × 35 30 × 30	25 × 45 30 × 35 35 × 30	35 × 50	35 × 55			

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V_R (V DC)	160	200	250	385	400	420	450	500
	Case dimensions d × l (mm)							
C_R (µF)								
1000	30 × 35	25 × 50 30 × 35 35 × 30	30 × 45 35 × 35					
1200		25 × 55 30 × 40	30 × 55 35 × 40					
1500	30 × 45	30 × 50 35 × 40	35 × 45					
1800		30 × 55 35 × 45	35 × 55					
2200	35 × 50	35 × 50						

The capacitance and voltage ratings listed above are available in different cases upon request. Other voltage and capacitance ratings are also available upon request.

Technical data and ordering codes

C_R 100 Hz 20 °C µF	Case dimensions d × l mm	ESR_{typ} 100 Hz 20 °C mΩ	Z_{max} 10 kHz 20 °C mΩ	$I_{AC,max}$ 100 Hz 60 °C A	$I_{AC,R}$ [1] 100 Hz 85 °C A	Ordering code (composition see below)
V_R = 160 V DC						
220	22 × 25	530	730	2.15	1.10	B43501A1227M0*#
330	22 × 30	350	490	2.80	1.43	B43501A1337M0*#
470	22 × 35	250	340	3.54	1.81	B43501A1477M0*#
680	25 × 35	170	240	4.70	2.40	B43501A1687M0*#
1000	30 × 35	120	160	6.11	3.12	B43501A1108M0*#
1500	30 × 45	75	110	8.23	4.20	B43501A1158M0*#
2200	35 × 50	55	75	11.3	5.81	B43501A1228M0*#
V_R = 200 V DC						
220	22 × 25	450	580	2.15	1.10	B43501E2227M0*#
330	22 × 30	300	390	2.80	1.43	B43501E2337M0*#
330	25 × 25	300	390	2.94	1.50	B43501F2337M0*#
470	22 × 35	210	280	3.54	1.81	B43501E2477M0*#
470	25 × 30	210	280	3.62	1.85	B43501F2477M0*#
470	30 × 25	210	280	3.74	1.91	B43501G2477M0*#
680	25 × 35	150	190	4.62	2.36	B43501F2687M0*#
680	30 × 30	150	190	4.78	2.44	B43501G2687M0*#
1000	25 × 50	100	130	6.03	3.08	B43501E2108M0*#
1000	30 × 35	100	130	5.74	2.93	B43501F2108M0*#
1000	35 × 30	100	130	6.03	3.08	B43501G2108M0*#
1200	25 × 55	85	110	6.87	3.51	B43501E2128M0*#
1200	30 × 40	85	110	6.60	3.37	B43501F2128M0*#
1500	30 × 50	65	90	8.01	4.09	B43501E2158M0*#
1500	35 × 40	65	90	8.15	4.16	B43501F2158M0*#
1800	30 × 55	55	75	9.11	4.65	B43501E2188M0*#
1800	35 × 45	55	75	9.31	4.75	B43501F2188M0*#
2200	35 × 50	45	60	10.7	5.46	B43501E2228M0*#

Composition of ordering code

* = Insulation feature
- 0 = PVC insulation
- 6 = PET insulation
- 8 = PVC insulation with additional PET insulation cap on terminal side

\# = Terminal style
- 0 = snap-in standard terminals (6.3 mm)
- 2 = snap-in 3 terminals (4.5 mm)
- 7 = snap-in short terminals (4.5 mm)

1) 120-Hz conversion factor of ripple current: I_{AC} (120 Hz) = 1.03 · I_{AC} (100 Hz)

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Technical data and ordering codes

C_R 100 Hz 20 °C µF	Case dimensions d × l mm	ESR_{typ} 100 Hz 20 °C mΩ	Z_{max} 10 kHz 20 °C mΩ	$I_{AC,max}$ 100 Hz 60 °C A	$I_{AC,R}$ [2] 100 Hz 85 °C A	Ordering code (composition see below)
V_R = 250 V DC						
150	22 × 25	660	860	1.78	0.91	B43501C2157M0*#
220	22 × 30	450	580	2.35	1.20	B43501C2227M0*#
220	25 × 25	450	580	2.35	1.20	B43501D2227M0*#
330	22 × 35	300	390	2.95	1.51	B43501C2337M0*#
330	25 × 30	300	390	3.13	1.60	B43501D2337M0*#
470	25 × 35	210	280	3.84	1.96	B43501C2477M0*#
470	30 × 30	210	280	3.92	2.00	B43501D2477M0*#
680	25 × 45	150	190	5.07	2.59	B43501C2687M0*#
680	30 × 35	150	190	5.03	2.57	B43501D2687M0*#
680	35 × 30	150	190	4.97	2.54	B43501E2687M0*#
1000	30 × 45	100	130	6.29	3.21	B43501C2108M0*#
1000	35 × 35	100	130	6.35	3.24	B43501D2108M0*#
1200	30 × 55	85	110	7.44	3.80	B43501A2128M0*#
1200	35 × 40	85	110	7.29	3.72	B43501B2128M0*#
1500	35 × 45	65	90	8.50	4.34	B43501B2158M0*#
1800	35 × 55	55	75	10.0	5.12	B43501A2188M0*#
V_R = 385 V DC						
68	22 × 25	980	1560	1.19	0.61	B43501A3686M0*#
100	22 × 30	660	1060	1.54	0.79	B43501A3107M0*#
100	25 × 25	660	1060	1.56	0.80	B43501B3107M0*#
150	22 × 40	440	710	2.15	1.10	B43501A3157M0*#
150	25 × 30	440	710	2.03	1.04	B43501B3157M0*#
220	25 × 40	300	490	2.76	1.41	B43501A3227M0*#
220	30 × 30	300	490	2.74	1.40	B43501B3227M0*#
330	25 × 50	200	330	3.68	1.88	B43501B3337M0*#
330	30 × 40	200	330	3.72	1.90	B43501A3337M0*#
470	30 × 50	140	230	4.78	2.44	B43501B3477M0*#
470	35 × 40	140	230	4.90	2.50	B43501A3477M0*#
560	30 × 55	120	190	5.40	2.76	B43501B3567M0*#
560	35 × 45	120	190	5.52	2.82	B43501A3567M0*#
680	35 × 50	100	160	6.13	3.13	B43501A3687M0*#

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- 7 = snap-in short terminals (4.5 mm)

2) 120-Hz conversion factor of ripple current: I_{AC} (120 Hz) = 1.03 · I_{AC} (100 Hz)

Technical data and ordering codes

C_R 100 Hz 20 °C µF	Case dimensions d × l mm	ESR_{typ} 100 Hz 20 °C mΩ	Z_{max} 10 kHz 20 °C mΩ	$I_{AC,max}$ 100 Hz 60 °C A	$I_{AC,R}$ [3] 100 Hz 85 °C A	Ordering code (composition see below)
V_R = 400 V DC						
68	22 × 25	980	1560	1.19	0.61	B43501A9686M0*#
100	22 × 30	660	1060	1.54	0.79	B43501A9107M0*#
100	25 × 25	660	1060	1.56	0.80	B43501B9107M0*#
120	22 × 35	550	890	1.80	0.92	B43501A9127M0*#
150	22 × 40	440	710	2.15	1.10	B43501A9157M0*#
150	30 × 25	440	710	2.15	1.10	B43501B9157M0*#
180	30 × 30	370	590	2.45	1.25	B43501A9187M0*#
220	25 × 40	300	490	2.76	1.41	B43501A9227M0*#
220	30 × 30	300	490	2.70	1.38	B43501C9227M0*#
270	25 × 45	250	400	3.19	1.63	B43501B9277M0*#
270	30 × 35	250	400	3.17	1.62	B43501A9277M0*#
270	35 × 30	250	400	3.33	1.70	B43501C9277M0*#
330	25 × 55	200	330	3.84	1.96	B43501B9337M0*#
330	30 × 45	200	330	3.92	2.00	B43501A9337M0*#
330	35 × 30	200	330	3.68	1.88	B43501C9337M0*#
390	30 × 45	170	280	4.17	2.13	B43501B9397M0*#
390	35 × 35	170	280	4.21	2.15	B43501C9397M0*#
470	30 × 50	140	230	4.78	2.44	B43501B9477M0*#
470	35 × 45	140	230	5.09	2.60	B43501A9477M0*#
560	35 × 45	120	190	5.52	2.82	B43501B9567M0*#
680	35 × 55	100	160	6.52	3.33	B43501A9687M0*#
V_R = 420 V DC						
100	22 × 30	1330	1600	1.54	0.79	B43501A0107M0*#
100	25 × 25	1330	1600	1.56	0.80	B43501E0107M0*#
120	25 × 30	1110	1330	1.84	0.94	B43501A0127M0*#
150	22 × 40	880	1070	2.11	1.08	B43501A0157M0*#
150	25 × 35	880	1070	2.17	1.11	B43501E0157M0*#
180	25 × 35	740	890	2.37	1.21	B43501A0187M0*#
180	30 × 30	740	890	2.46	1.26	B43501E0187M0*#
220	25 × 40	600	730	2.76	1.41	B43501A0227M0*#
220	30 × 35	600	730	2.86	1.46	B43501E0227M0*#

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3) 120-Hz conversion factor of ripple current: I_{AC} (120 Hz) = 1.03 · I_{AC} (100 Hz)

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Technical data and ordering codes

C_R 100 Hz 20 °C µF	Case dimensions d × l mm	ESR_{typ} 100 Hz 20 °C mΩ	Z_{max} 10 kHz 20 °C mΩ	$I_{AC,max}$ 100 Hz 60 °C A	$I_{AC,R}$ [4] 100 Hz 85 °C A	Ordering code (composition see below)
V_R = 420 V DC						
270	25 × 55	490	590	3.46	1.77	B43501B0277M0*#
270	30 × 35	490	590	3.17	1.62	B43501A0277M0*#
270	35 × 30	490	590	3.35	1.71	B43501E0277M0*#
330	30 × 45	400	490	3.84	1.96	B43501A0337M0*#
330	35 × 35	400	490	3.88	1.98	B43501E0337M0*#
390	30 × 50	340	410	4.35	2.22	B43501A0397M0*#
470	30 × 55	280	340	4.95	2.53	B43501B0477M0*#
470	35 × 45	280	340	5.05	2.58	B43501A0477M0*#
560	35 × 50	240	290	5.74	2.93	B43501A0567M0*#
V_R = 450 V DC						
47	22 × 25	2820	3390	0.99	0.51	B43501A5476M0*#
68	22 × 30	1950	2350	1.27	0.65	B43501A5686M0*#
68	25 × 25	1950	2350	1.29	0.66	B43501B5686M0*#
100	22 × 35	1330	1600	1.62	0.83	B43501D5107M0*#
100	25 × 30	1330	1600	1.68	0.86	B43501B5107M0*#
100	30 × 25	1330	1600	1.76	0.90	B43501C5107M0*#
150	25 × 35	880	1070	2.15	1.10	B43501C5157M0*#
150	30 × 30	880	1070	2.23	1.14	B43501B5157M0*#
180	30 × 35	740	890	2.58	1.32	B43501A5187M0*#
220	25 × 50	600	730	3.01	1.54	B43501B5227M0*#
220	30 × 35	600	730	2.86	1.46	B43501C5227M0*#
270	25 × 55	490	590	3.46	1.77	B43501B5277M0*#
270	30 × 40	490	590	3.33	1.70	B43501C5277M0*#
270	35 × 35	490	590	3.50	1.79	B43501D5277M0*#
330	30 × 50	400	490	3.99	2.04	B43501B5337M0*#
330	35 × 40	400	490	4.11	2.10	B43501A5337M0*#
390	30 × 55	340	410	4.50	2.30	B43501A5397M0*#
390	35 × 45	340	410	4.52	2.31	B43501B5397M0*#
470	35 × 50	280	340	5.29	2.70	B43501A5477M0*#
560	35 × 55	240	290	5.70	2.91	B43501A5567M0*#

Composition of ordering code

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4) 120-Hz conversion factor of ripple current: I_{AC} (120 Hz) = 1.03 · I_{AC} (100 Hz)

Technical data and ordering codes

C_R 100 Hz 20 °C µF	Case dimensions d × l mm	ESR_{typ} 100 Hz 20 °C mΩ	Z_{max} 10 kHz 20 °C mΩ	$I_{AC,max}$ 100 Hz 60 °C A	$I_{AC,R}$ [5] 100 Hz 85 °C A	Ordering code (composition see below)
V_R = 500 V DC						
47	22 × 25	2820	3390	0.99	0.51	B43501A6476M0*#
68	22 × 30	1950	2350	1.27	0.65	B43501A6686M0*#
68	25 × 25	1950	2350	1.27	0.65	B43501B6686M0*#
100	25 × 35	1330	1600	1.68	0.86	B43501A6107M0*#
100	30 × 25	1330	1600	1.68	0.86	B43501B6107M0*#
150	25 × 45	880	1070	2.15	1.10	B43501B6157M0*#
150	30 × 30	880	1070	2.15	1.10	B43501A6157M0*#
180	25 × 50	740	890	2.62	1.35	B43501A6187M0*#
180	30 × 35	740	890	2.62	1.35	B43501B6187M0*#
220	30 × 40	600	730	2.92	1.50	B43501A6227M0*#
220	35 × 35	600	730	2.92	1.50	B43501B6227M0*#
270	30 × 50	490	590	3.33	1.70	B43501A6277M0*#
270	35 × 35	490	590	3.33	1.70	B43501B6277M0*#
330	30 × 55	400	490	3.99	2.04	B43501A6337M0*#
330	35 × 45	400	490	3.99	2.04	B43501B6337M0*#
390	35 × 50	340	410	4.50	2.30	B43501A6397M0*#
470	35 × 55	280	340	5.29	2.70	B43501A6477M0*#

Composition of ordering code

* = Insulation feature
- 0 = PVC insulation
- 6 = PET insulation
- 8 = PVC insulation with additional PET insulation cap on terminal side

\# = Terminal style
- 0 = snap-in standard terminals (6.3 mm)
- 2 = snap-in 3 terminals (4.5 mm)
- 7 = snap-in short terminals (4.5 mm)

5) 120-Hz conversion factor of ripple current: I_{AC} (120 Hz) = 1.03 · I_{AC} (100 Hz)

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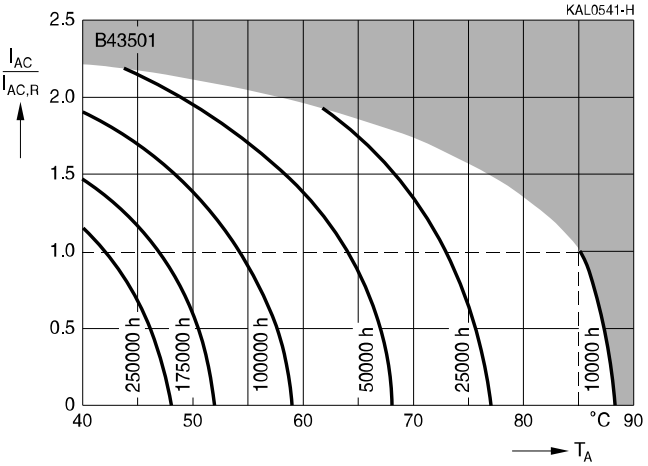
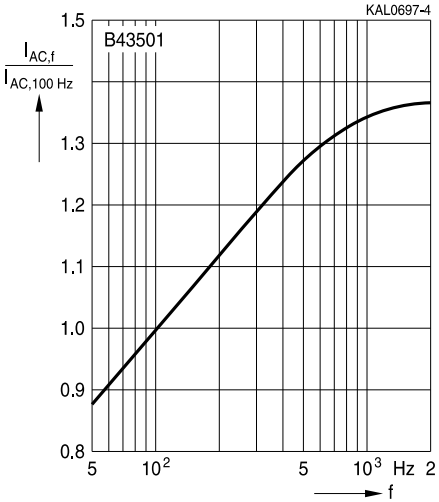
depending on ambient temperature T_A under ripple current operating conditions
Voltage derating ($0.93 \cdot V_R$) enables 105 °C operation



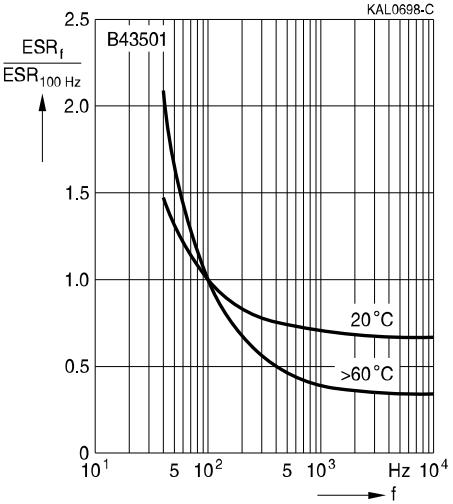
1) Refer to chapter "General technical information, 5 Useful life" on how to interpret useful life.

Frequency factor of permissible ripple current I_{AC} versus frequency f



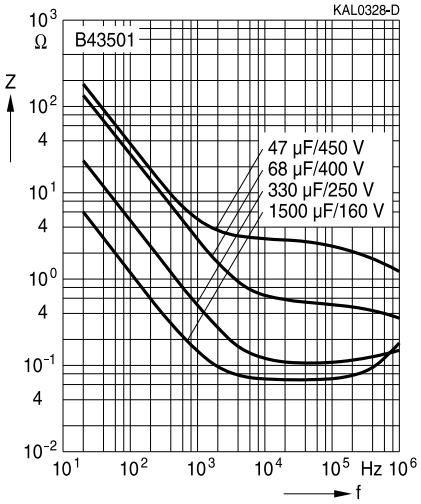
Frequency characteristics of ESR

Typical behavior



Impedance Z versus frequency f

Typical behavior at 20 °C



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Cautions and warnings

Personal safety

The electrolytes used by EPCOS have been optimized both with a view to the intended application and with regard to health and environmental compatibility. They do not contain any solvents that are detrimental to health, e.g. dimethyl formamide (DMF) or dimethyl acetamide (DMAC).
Furthermore, some of the high-voltage electrolytes used by EPCOS are self-extinguishing.

As far as possible, EPCOS does not use any dangerous chemicals or compounds to produce operating electrolytes. However, in exceptional cases, such materials must be used in order to achieve specific physical and electrical properties because no alternative materials are currently known. However, the amount of dangerous materials used in our products is limited to an absolute minimum.

Materials and chemicals used in EPCOS aluminum electrolytic capacitors are continuously adapted in compliance with the EPCOS Corporate Environmental Policy and the latest EU regulations and guidelines such as RoHS, REACH/SVHC, GADSL, and ELV.

MDS (Material Data Sheets) are available on the EPCOS website for all types listed in the data book. MDS for customer specific capacitors are available upon request.
MSDS (Material Safety Data Sheets) are available for all of our electrolytes upon request.

Nevertheless, the following rules should be observed when handling aluminum electrolytic capacitors: No electrolyte should come into contact with eyes or skin. If electrolyte does come into contact with the skin, wash the affected areas immediately with running water. If the eyes are affected, rinse them for 10 minutes with plenty of water. If symptoms persist, seek medical treatment. Avoid inhaling electrolyte vapor or mists. Workplaces and other affected areas should be well ventilated. Clothing that has been contaminated by electrolyte must be changed and rinsed in water.

Product safety

The table below summarizes the safety instructions that must be observed without fail. A detailed description can be found in the relevant sections of chapter "General technical information".

Topic	Safety information	Reference chapter "General technical information"
Polarity	Make sure that polar capacitors are connected with the right polarity.	1 "Basic construction of aluminum electrolytic capacitors"
Reverse voltage	Voltages polarity classes should be prevented by connecting a diode.	3.1.6 "Reverse voltage"
Mounting position of screw-terminal capacitors	Do not mount the capacitor with the terminals (safety vent) upside down.	11.1. "Mounting positions of capacitors with screw terminals"
Robustness of terminals	The following maximum tightening torques must not be exceeded when connecting screw terminals: M5: 2.5 Nm M6: 4.0 Nm	11.3 "Mounting torques"
Mounting of single-ended capacitors	The internal structure of single-ended capacitors might be damaged if excessive force is applied to the lead wires. Avoid any compressive, tensile or flexural stress. Do not move the capacitor after soldering to PC board. Do not pick up the PC board by the soldered capacitor. Do not insert the capacitor on the PC board with a hole space different to the lead space specified.	11.4 "Mounting considerations for single-ended capacitors"
Soldering	Do not exceed the specified time or temperature limits during soldering.	11.5 "Soldering"
Soldering, cleaning agents	Do not allow halogenated hydrocarbons to come into contact with aluminum electrolytic capacitors.	11.6 "Cleaning agents"
Upper category temperature	Do not exceed the upper category temperature.	7.2 "Maximum permissible operating temperature"
Passive flammability	Avoid external energy, such as fire or electricity.	8.1 "Passive flammability"

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Topic	Safety information	Reference chapter "General technical information"
Active flammability	Avoid overload of the capacitors.	8.2 "Active flammability"
Maintenance	Make periodic inspections of the capacitors. Before the inspection, make sure that the power supply is turned off and carefully discharge the electricity of the capacitors. Do not apply any mechanical stress to the capacitor terminals.	10 "Maintenance"
Storage	Do not store capacitors at high temperatures or high humidity. Capacitors should be stored at +5 to +35 °C and a relative humidity of ≤ 75%.	7.3 Storage conditions
		Reference chapter "Capacitors with screw terminals"
Breakdown strength of insulating sleeves	Do not damage the insulating sleeve, especially when ring clips are used for mounting.	"Screw terminals – accessories"

Symbols and terms

Symbol	English	German
C	Capacitance	Kapazität
C_R	Rated capacitance	Nennkapazität
C_S	Series capacitance	Serienkapazität
$C_{S,T}$	Series capacitance at temperature T	Serienkapazität bei Temperatur T
C_f	Capacitance at frequency f	Kapazität bei Frequenz f
d	Case diameter, nominal dimension	Gehäusedurchmesser, Nennmaß
d_{max}	Maximum case diameter	Maximaler Gehäusedurchmesser
ESL	Self-inductance	Eigeninduktivität
ESR	Equivalent series resistance	Ersatzserienwiderstand
ESR_f	Equivalent series resistance at frequency f	Ersatzserienwiderstand bei Frequenz f
ESR_T	Equivalent series resistance at temperature T	Ersatzserienwiderstand bei Temperatur T
f	Frequency	Frequenz
I	Current	Strom
I_{AC}	Alternating current (ripple current)	Wechselstrom
$I_{AC,rms}$	Root-mean-square value of alternating current	Wechselstrom, Effektivwert
$I_{AC,f}$	Ripple current at frequency f	Wechselstrom bei Frequenz f
$I_{AC,max}$	Maximum permissible ripple current	Maximal zulässiger Wechselstrom
$I_{AC,R}$	Rated ripple current	Nennwechselstrom
$I_{AC,R}$ (B)	Rated ripple current for base cooling	Nennwechselstromstrom für Bodenkühlung
I_{leak}	Leakage current	Reststrom
$I_{leak,op}$	Operating leakage current	Betriebsreststrom
l	Case length, nominal dimension	Gehäuselänge, Nennmaß
l_{max}	Maximum case length (without terminals and mounting stud)	Maximale Gehäuselänge (ohne Anschlüsse und Gewindebolzen)
R	Resistance	Widerstand
R_{ins}	Insulation resistance	Isolationswiderstand
R_{symm}	Balancing resistance	Symmetrierwiderstand
T	Temperature	Temperatur
ΔT	Temperature difference	Temperaturdifferenz
T_A	Ambient temperature	Umgebungstemperatur
T_C	Case temperature	Gehäusetemperatur
T_B	Capacitor base temperature	Temperatur des Becherbodens
t	Time	Zeit
Δt	Period	Zeitraum
t_b	Service life (operating hours)	Brauchbarkeitsdauer (Betriebszeit)

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Symbol	English	German
V	Voltage	Spannung
V_F	Forming voltage	Formierspannung
V_{op}	Operating voltage	Betriebsspannung
V_R	Rated voltage, DC voltage	Nennspannung, Gleichspannung
V_S	Surge voltage	Spitzenspannung
X_C	Capacitive reactance	Kapazitiver Blindwiderstand
X_L	Inductive reactance	Induktiver Blindwiderstand
Z	Impedance	Scheinwiderstand
Z_T	Impedance at temperature T	Scheinwiderstand bei Temperatur T
tan δ	Dissipation factor	Verlustfaktor
λ	Failure rate	Ausfallrate
ε_0	Absolute permittivity	Elektrische Feldkonstante
ε_r	Relative permittivity	Dielektrizitätszahl
ω	Angular velocity; $2 \cdot \pi \cdot f$	Kreisfrequenz; $2 \cdot \pi \cdot f$

Note

All dimensions are given in mm.

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