

# Bulk Metal<sup>®</sup> Foil Technology Ultra High Precision Trimming Potentiometers, QPL Approved <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" Square, Qualified to MIL-PRF-22097, Char. F, RJ26 with a Smooth and Unidirectional Output



#### INTRODUCTION

Vishay Foil precision trimmers have the Bulk Metal<sup>®</sup> Foil resistive element which possesses a unique inherent temperature and load life stability. Plus, their advanced virtually back lash-free adjustment mechanism makes them easy to set quickly and accurately and keeps the setting exactly on target.

### **FEATURES**

- Temperature coefficient of resistance (TCR):
   ± 10 ppm/°C maximum <sup>(4)</sup> (- 55 °C to + 150 °C ref. at + 25 °C); through the wiper <sup>(5)</sup>; ± 25 ppm/°C
- A smooth and unidirectional resistance with leadscrew adjustment
- Load life stability: 0.1 % typical  $\Delta R$ , 1.0 % maximum  $\Delta R$  under full rated power of 0.25 W at 85 °C for 1000 h
- Settability: 0.05 % typical; 0.1 % maximum
- Setting stability: 0.1 % typical; 0.5 % maximum, ΔSS
- Power rating: 0.25 W at + 85 °C
- Resistance range: 20  $\Omega$  to 5 k $\Omega$
- Resistance tolerance: ± 10 %
- Electrostatic discharge (ESD) up to 25 000 V
- Terminal finish: gold plated (tin/lead finish is available on request)



TABLE 1 - MODEL SELECTION								
MODEL	TERMINATION STYLE	AVERAGE WEIGHT (g)	STANDARD RESISTANCE VALUES (in $\Omega$ ) (1)	STANDARD TOLERANCE (2)	POWER RATING at + 85 °C AMBIENT	NO. OF TURNS		
1242 (RJ26)	W-edge mount, top adjust	l 0.4	20, 50, 100, 200, 500, 1K, 2K, 5K	± 10 %	0.25 W	21 ± 2		
	X-edge mount, side adjust							

#### Note

• See figure 1

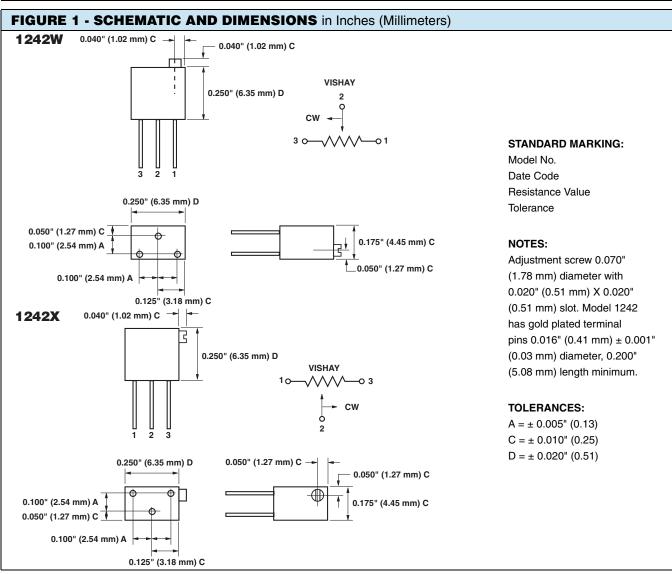
TABLE 2 - 1242 (RJ26) SERIES ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS (3)					
Temperature Coefficient of Resistance (TCR), 50 $\Omega$ to 10 k $\!\Omega$ End-to-end $^{(4)}$	± 10 ppm/°C maximum (- 55 °C to + 150 °C, 25 °C ref.)				
Temperature Coefficient of Resistance (TCR), 5 $\Omega$ , 10 $\Omega$ and 20 $\Omega$ End-to-end $^{(4)}$	± 20 ppm/°C				
Through the wiper <sup>(5)</sup>	± 25 ppm/°C				
Stability Load life at 1000 h	0.1 % typical $\Delta R$ 1.0 % maximum $\Delta R$ (under full rated power of 0.25 W at + 85 °C)				
Power Rating (at + 85 °C) (6)	0.25 W				
Settability	0.05 % typical; 0.1 % maximum				
Setting Stability	0.1 % typical; 0.5 % maximum ΔSS				
Contact Resistance Variation - CRV (noise)	$\pm$ 3 % or 3 $\Omega$ <sup>(7)</sup>				
Hop-off	0.25 % typical; 1.0 % maximum				
High-Frequency Operation Rise time Inductance Capacitance	1.0 ns without ringing 0.08 μH typical 0.5 pF typical				
Operating Temperature Range	- 55 °C to + 150 °C				

#### Note

• See page 3 for footnotes



TABLE 3 - MECHANICAL SPECIFICATIONS				
Adjustment Turns	21 ± 2			
Mechanical Stops	Wiper idles - no discontinuity			
Internal Terminations	All welded - no flux			
Case Material	Diallyl-phthalate: green (DAP)			
Shaft Torque	3 oz. in. maximum			
Backlash	0.005 % typical			



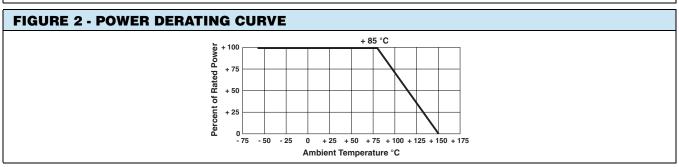




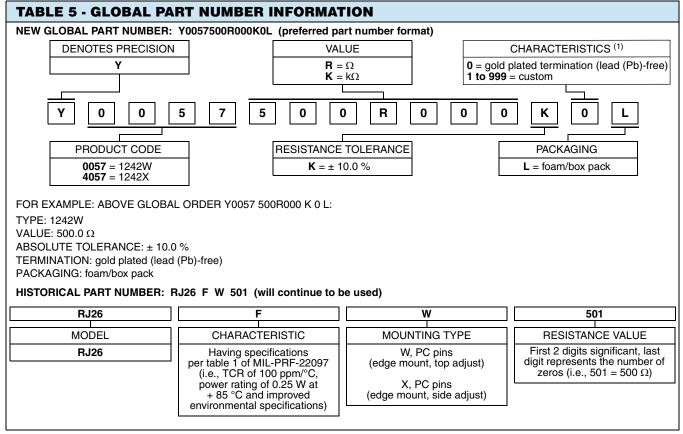
TABLE 4 - COMPARISON					
	MIL-PRF-22097/5 CHARACTERISTIC F (8)	(RJ26) 1242 SPECIFICATIONS			
TEST GROUP I					
Visual and mechanical	No failures	No failures			
Total resistance	± 10 %	± 10 %			
Actual effective electrical travel	10 to 25 turns	21 ± 2 turns			
End resistance	$\pm$ 2 % or 20 $\Omega$ <sup>(7)</sup>	2 Ω (values ≤ 1 kΩ); $5 Ω$ (values ≥ 2 kΩ)			
Contact resistance variation - CRV (noise)	$\pm$ 3.0 % or 3 $\Omega$ <sup>(7)</sup>	$\pm$ 3.0 % or 3 $\Omega$ $^{(7)}$			
Dielectric withstanding voltage - DWV Per MIL-STD-202, methods 301 and 105					
Atmospheric pressure	600 V <sub>AC</sub> , 1 min	600 V <sub>AC</sub> , 1 min			
Barometric pressure	250 V <sub>AC</sub> , 1 min	250 V <sub>AC</sub> , 1 min			
Insulation resistance	> 1000 MΩ	> 1000 MΩ			
Shaft torque	3 oz. in. maximum	3 oz. in. maximum			
Thermal shock	± 1.0 %	0.1 % typical; 0.5 % maximum			
TEST GROUP II					
Resistance temperature characteristic - TCR	± 0.01 %/°C (± 100 ppm/°C)	± 0.001 %/°C (± 10 ppm/°C)			
Moisture resistance	± 1.0 %	± 0.5 %			
Contact resistance variation - CRV (noise)	$\pm$ 3.0 % or 3 $\Omega^{(7)}$	$\pm$ 3.0 % or 3 $\Omega$ $^{(7)}$			
TEST GROUP III					
Shock (specified pulse)	± 1.0 %	± 0.5 %			
Vibration (high-frequency)	± 1.0 %	± 0.5 %			
Contact resistance variation - CRV (noise)	$\pm$ 3.0 % or 3 $\Omega$ $^{(7)}$	$\pm$ 3.0 % or 3 $\Omega$ $^{(7)}$			
Salt spray	No corrosion	No corrosion			
TEST GROUP IV					
Solder heat	± 1.0 %	± 0.1 %			
Life (1000 h at 85 °C)	± 2.0 %	± 1.0 %			
Contact resistance variation - CRV (noise)	$\pm$ 3.0 % or 3 $\Omega$ $^{(7)}$	$\pm$ 3.0 % or 3 $\Omega$ $^{(7)}$			
TEST GROUP V					
Low-temperature operation	± 1.0 %	± 0.5 %			
High-temperature exposure	± 2.0 %	± 0.5 %			
Contact resistance variation - CRV (noise)	$\pm$ 3.0 % or 3 $\Omega$ $^{(7)}$	$\pm$ 3.0 % or 3 $\Omega$ $^{(7)}$			
TEST GROUP VI					
Rotational life	± 2.0 %	± 2.0 %			
Contact resistance variation - CRV (noise)	$\pm$ 3.0 % or 3 $\Omega$ $^{(7)}$	$\pm$ 3.0 % or 3 $\Omega$ $^{(7)}$			
Terminal strength	2 lbs.	2 lbs.			
TEST GROUP VII					
Solderability	MIL-STD-202 method 208	MIL-STD-202 method 208			
Immersion	No continuous stream of bubbles	No continuous stream of bubbles			
TEST GROUP VIII	MIL-STD-810 method 508	MIL-STD-810 method 508			
Fungus	No mechanical damage	No mechanical damage			

#### Notes

- $^{(1)}$  5  $\Omega$  and 10  $\Omega$  resistance values available on special order.
- (2) 5 % resistance tolerance available on special order.
- (3) Maximum is 1.0 % A.Q.L. standard for all specifications except TCR. (For TCR information, see notes 4 and 5.) "Typical" is a designers reference which represents that 85 % of the lots supplied, over a long period of time, will be at least the figure shown or better.
- (4) Maximum TCR applies to the 3 σ (sigma) limit or 99.73 % of a production lot. (Measured end-to-end with wiper off the element.)
- (5) Measurements of TCR through the wiper are influenced more by setting stability and the percentage of the total/resistance in use (at the wiper) than by fundamental resistance change due to temperature alone. The parameter shown in table 2 is a 2 s distribution typifying the behavior of the device when used with 40 % or more of the total resistance in use.
- (6) Derated linearly from full power at + 85 °C to zero power at + 150 °C. See figure 2 on previous page.
- (7) Whichever is greater.
- (8) All  $\Delta R$ 's are measured to the tolerance specified + 0.01  $\Omega$ .

# Vishay Foil Resistors





### Note

(1) For non-standard requests, please contact application engineering.

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