

11mm Size Metal Shaft Low-profile Potentiometer

RK117 Series

3 types available: without switch, with 0.5mm travel or 1.5mm travel push-on switch.

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Car Use

Features

- Low-profile (only 7.55mm in height) with a 1.5mm travel push-on switch.
- Rear mounting configuration permits direct mounting on the front side of a PC board.
- Without detent, with center detent, with 41 detents are available.

Applications

- Sound volume, tone and balance controls for car audio systems and other audio players
- Controls for accessories including dimmers and wipers in vehicle cabins
- Level controls for communication devices including transceivers
- Controls for home appliances

Typical Specifications

Items	Specifications
Total resistance tolerance	$\pm 20\%$
Maximum operating voltage	50V AC
Total rotational angle	$300^{\pm 10^\circ}$
Rotational torque	2 to 25 mN·m
Operating life	15,000 cycles
Operating temperature range	-10°C to $+70^\circ\text{C}$

Recommended Products List

Single-shaft without switch type

Number of resistor elements	Mounting direction	Products No.	Shaft type	Length of the shaft (mm)	Center detent	Total resistance (kΩ)	Resistance taper	Minimum packing unit (pcs.)	Drawing No.
Single-unit	Vertical type	RK117111000N	Flat	15	Without	10	1B	100	1
		With							
		RK1171110W04			Without	20	15A		
		RK1171110W0D			With	50	1B		
		RK1171110W0L		20	Without	10			2
		RK1171110W03				20			
RK117111000A									

Recommended Products List

Single-shaft push-on (0.5mm stroke) switch type

Number of resistor elements	Mounting direction	Products No.	Shaft type	Length of the shaft (mm)	Center detent	Total resistance (k Ω)	Resistance taper	Minimum packing unit (pcs.)	Drawing No.
Single-unit	Vertical type	RK117111400C	Flat	20	Without	10	1B	100	3
		RK1171114D01			With				

Single-shaft push-on (1.5mm stroke) switch type

Number of resistor elements	Mounting direction	Products No.	Shaft type	Length of the shaft (mm)	Number of detent	Total resistance (k Ω)	Resistance taper	Minimum packing unit (pcs.)	Drawing No.
Single-unit	Vertical type	RK1171114V02	Flat	15	41	50	1B	100	4

Note

Additional products other than the above recommended products are available. For inquiries, contact our sales department.

Product Specifications

In addition to the recommended products, the following specifications can also be accommodated.

Total Resistance Variety

Total resistance (k Ω)	10	20	50
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Resistance Taper

Resistance taper	15A	1B	3B
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Detent and Attached switch

Variety	Items	Detent			Attached switches travel
Single-shaft, Single-unit	Without	Center	41		0.5, 1.5mm

Dimensions of Shaft

Flat type

Unit : mm

Technical drawing of a shaft with dimensions L_1 , L_B , l , and C_1 . The shaft has a diameter of $\varnothing 7$.

Technical drawing of a shaft in full CCW position, showing a 60° angle and a dimension of 4.5 .

Shaft shown in full CCW position.

Detail dimensions (mm)

L_1	※ L_B	l
(15)	7	5
(20)	7	10
(25)	7	12

Note

※LB is only available in 7mm, and does not support M7 (with screws).

For resistance taper, see P.226
For other detailed specifications, see P.48, 49

Specification for Switch

Mechanical Characteristics

Switch type		Pole-position	Rating	Changeover torque (Operating force)	Changeover angle (travel) (mm)
Momentary push	5R4411	SPST	3A 16V DC	6±3N	0.5
	5R4511			5±2N	1.5

Electrical Characteristics

Model	Contact resistance		Insulation resistance	Voltage proof
5R4411, 5R4511	100mΩ max.	Measured by a 1A 5V DC voltage drop method.	100MΩ min. Measured with a 250V DC megger.	300V AC 1 minute min.

Durability

Operating life under load	The switch under a rated resistive load shall be subjected to a total of 10,000 cycles of operation at a speed of 600 to 1,000 cycles per hour. The contact resistance after testing should not exceed 200mΩ.
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Note

The operating current should be 10mA or greater.

Orders other than recommended products

Specify orders for varieties that are not listed in the Recommended Product List, referring to the following example.

Sample part number

R	K	1	1	7	1	1	1	0	—	F	1	5	—	C	0	—	B	1	0	3
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Switch

Code	Switch
0	Without switch
4	With push-on switch (0.5mm travel)

Length of the shaft (L1) (mm)

Code	Length of the shaft	Code	Length of the shaft
15	15	25	25
20	20		

Detent

Code	Detent	Code	Detent
C0	Without	41	41
C1	Center		

Resistance taper

Code	Resistance taper
A	15A
B	1B
V	3B

Total resistance

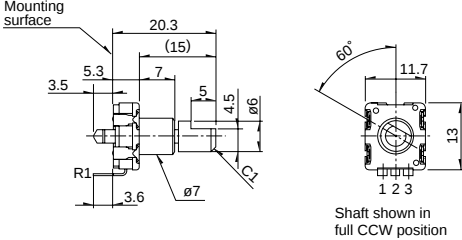
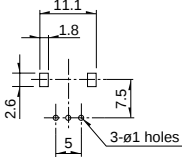
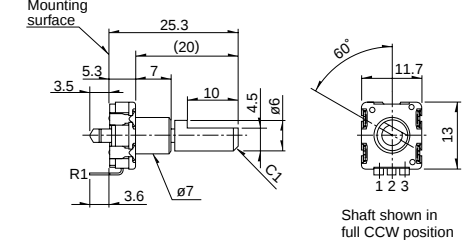
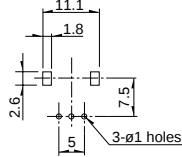
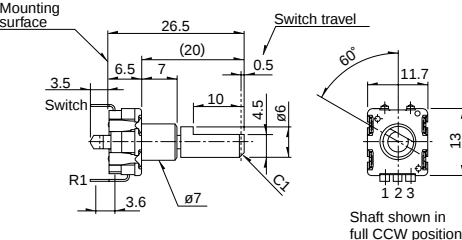
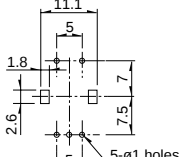
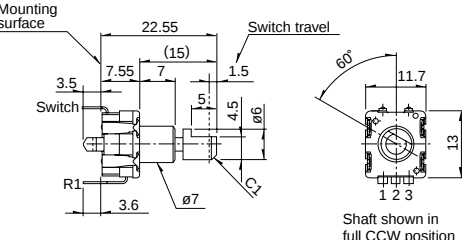
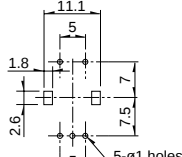
Code	Total resistance (kΩ)	Code	Total resistance (kΩ)
103	10	503	50
203	20		

Notes

- Shows the specification recommended by us.
- Please specify if you need a 1.5mm travel push-on switch.

Dimensions

Unit : mm

No.	Model	Style	PC board mounting hole dimensions (Viewed from mounting side)
1	Single-shaft, single-unit RK1171110	 	
2	Single-shaft, single-unit RK1171110	 	
3	Single-shaft, single unit with push-on switch travel 0.5mm RK1171114-5R4411	 	
4	Single-shaft, single unit with push-on switch travel 1.5mm RK1171114-5R4511	 	

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Model			RK09L	RK097 RK098	RK117	RK16
Items						
Operating temperature range			−10℃ to +70℃			
Electrical performance	Total resistance tolerance		±20%			
	Rated power		0.05W			
	Maximum operating voltage		50V AC			150V AC
	Residual resistance		R≤10kΩ 20Ω max. 10kΩ < R≤50kΩ 30Ω max. 50kΩ < R Nominal total resistance of 0.1% or less			
	Maximum attenuation (Volume control)		5kΩ ≤ R < 10kΩ 70dB min. 10kΩ ≤ R < 50kΩ 80dB min. 50kΩ ≤ R < 100kΩ 90dB min. 100kΩ ≤ R 100dB min.			
	Insulation resistance		100MΩ min. 250V DC			100MΩ min. 500V DC
	Voltage proof		1 minute 300V AC			1 minute 500V AC
Mechanical performance	Total rotational angle		RK09L 300±5° RK097 300±5° ^{+10°} _{−5°} (Axis movement type is 300 ^{+10°} _{−5°}) RK098 300 ^{+10°} _{−5°}		300 ^{+10°} _{−5°}	300±5°
	Rotational torque		2 to 25mN・m			
	Stopper strength		0.5N・m (For shaft movable type,0.4N・m)			0.9N・m (For dual-shaft type, 0.6N・m)
	Push-pull strength		80N max.	100N max.		
	Vibration		10 to 55 to 10Hz / min., the amplitude is 1.5mm for all the frequencies, in the 3 direction of X, Y and Z and for 2 hours respectively			
	Solderability		230±5℃, 3±0.5s			
	Solder heat resistance	Manual soldering		350℃ or less and within 3 seconds		
Dip soldering (Dip available products)		260±5℃ 4±1s				
Endurance	Operating life		15,000 cycles			
Environ-mental test	Cold		−10℃ for 96h			
	Long-term heat resistance		+70℃ for 96h			
	Moisture resistance		+40±2℃, 90 to 95%RH for 96h			