## 340 4-Ghannel RF Relays



## Ball Grid Array 4-Channel Relays

The B40 is four independent form A channels in one quad package. Coto's Ball Grid A rray (BGA) construction offers a breakthrough in reed relay performance. This patented technology ${ }^{1}$ allows for shorter RF paths in a controlled $50 \Omega$ environment to minimize signal attentuation. The designer is now able to switch or pass signals with wider bandwidth and faster rise time than alternative technologies. This is particularly important in M ixed Signal IC testers. This 4-in-one BGA packaging allows relays to be integrated easily on boards designed for surface mount processing.

## Series Features

- BGA Surface M ount
- A bility to pass GHz signals
- Rise time < 40 $\mathrm{\rho}$ Sec
- $50 \Omega$ Characteristic Impedance
- Low Capacitance
- Patented Design ${ }^{1}$

Top View



## Applications

- IC Testers
- In-Line R elay Testers
- Memory Testers
- M ixed Signal Testers
- High Bandpass A pplications



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| Test Parameters | Conditions ${ }^{1,2}$ | Min | $\begin{aligned} & \text { B40 } \\ & \text { Typ } \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | Max | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Coil Resistance |  | 49.5 | 55.0 | 60.5 | $\Omega$ |
| Nominal Voltage | 3.3 V Coil |  | 3.3 | 4.0 | Volts DC |
| M ust O perate Voltage |  |  |  | 2.4 | Volts DC |
| M ust R elease Voltage | B 40-0002 | 0.4 |  |  | Volts DC |
| Coil Resistance |  | 149.4 | 166.0 | 182.6 | $\Omega$ |
| Nominal Voltage | 5V Coil |  | 5.0 | 6.0 | Volts DC |
| M ust Operate Voltage |  |  |  | 3.8 | Volts DC |
| M ust R elease Voltage | B 40-0003 | 0.4 |  |  | Volts DC |
| Switching Voltage | M ax DC/Peak AC |  |  | 125 | Volts |
| Switching Current |  |  |  | 0.25 | A mps |
| Carry Current (Continuous) | Switch and Shield |  |  | 0.5 | A mps |
| Contact R ating (R esistive L oad) | Resistive Load |  |  | 3.0 | Watts |
| Life Expectancy Signal Switching ${ }^{3}$ | IVDC / 10mA |  | 1000 |  | $\times 10^{6} 0 \mathrm{ps}$ |
| Resistive Load ${ }^{3}$ | 12 V C / 10mA |  | 1 |  | $\times 10^{6} 0 \mathrm{ps}$ |
| Other Load Conditions ${ }^{3}$ | Consult Factory |  |  |  |  |
| Static Contact R esistance (initial) | 0.05V D C / 10mA |  |  | 0.125 | $\Omega$ |
| D ynamic Contact R esistance (initial) | $0.5 \mathrm{~V} / 50 \mathrm{~mA} 100 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1.5 \mathrm{mSec}$ |  |  | 0.150 | $\Omega$ |
| Insulation Res All Isolated Pins | 100V DC | $10^{10}$ | 1012 |  | $\Omega$ |
| Capacitance Across Contacts | Shield Guarding |  | 0.2 |  | pF |
| Capacitance Open Contact to Coil | Shield Guarding |  | 0.3 |  | pF |
| Capacitance Closed Contact to Coil | Shield Guarding |  | 0.5 |  | pF |
| A cross Contacts | $100 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ |  | 150 |  | $V$ (DC/Pk AC) |
| Colectre to Coil | $100 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ |  | 1000 |  | $V$ (DC/Pk AC) |
| Strength Contact To Shield | $100 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ |  | 1000 |  | $V$ (DC/Pk AC) |
| Operate Time (including bounce) | Nominal Voltage coil drive @ 30 Hz , |  | 100 | 200 | $\mu \mathrm{Sec}$ |
| Release Time (Si diode damped) | square wave |  | 30 | 50 | $\mu \mathrm{Sec}$ |
| R F Insertion Loss ${ }^{4}$ | -3 dB roll-off frequency | 11.0 |  |  | GHz |
| Signal R ise Time (10\%-90\%) | C orrected for measurement system response time |  |  | 40 | pSec |
| M agnetic Interaction ${ }^{5}$ | Between A djacent Channels |  |  | 16 | \% |

## NOTES:

${ }^{1}$ All parameters specified per EIA/NARM standards for dry reed relays, \# R S-421 and
R S-436, if a suitable parametric standard exists.
${ }^{2}$ U nless otherwise noted, all parameters are specified at $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ and $40 \%$ R H.
${ }^{3}$ Life expectancies based on characteristic life (63.2\% failure) calculated from the 2-parameter Weibull distribution. Contact resistance $>2.0 \Omega$ defines end of life.
${ }^{4}$ Frequency at which the difference between output and input signal amplitude exceeds -3dB. (D irect wired using $50 \Omega$ coaxial cable.)
${ }^{5} \mathrm{M}$ aximum increase in operate voltage for any channel when all channel coils are driven at nominal coil voltage and with the same drive polarity.

## ENVIRONMENTAL RATINGS:

Storage Temperature: $-35^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
Operating Temperature: $-20^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
Vibration: sinusoidal vibration with an amplitude of 10 G over a 10 Hz to 2000 Hz frequency range shall not cause a closed channel activated at the nominal coil voltage to open, not an open channel to close. Max Soldering Temperature: $226^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\left(438^{\circ} \mathrm{F}\right.$ ) max for 1 minute dwell time. Temperature measured at a relay ball termination.

