

Pushwheel Switches, Mini, Rear Mount

The DPS8 Series is a compact, lower cost family of instrument grade, pushbutton code switches for numerical input applications. DPS8 models are similar in size to those of the SMCD Series and also feature a fast-snap-together assembly with conventional behind-the-panel mounting. A simple reliable bidirectional pushbutton mechanism allows rapid changes to either higher or lower numerical setting. Reliable performance in logic level circuits and long service life are provided by gold clad wiping contacts. A dust-sealed window protects the readout characters, which are larger than those of comparable thumbwheel switches. DPS8 switches have snap-action detent.

MATERIAL SPECIFICATIONS

PC BoardGlass epoxy type, FR4
PC Terminal SpacingDSP811: .079", 131,137, 141: .100"
Character Height/Color0.193" White on black background
HousingNoryl-SE1, Black, matte finish
Operating ForceApprox. 14 oz.

TYPICAL PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS

Contact Rating0.4 VA @ 20 VDC or Peak AC
Contact Circuit Resistance ...0.15 ohms max.
Mechanical LifeMore than 10⁶ operations

ENVIRONMENTAL SPECIFICATIONS

Operating Temperature(-20°C to +80°C)

MODULE ASSEMBLY METHOD

DPS bi-directional code switches may be easily assembled into groups of any number. Each switch, spacer or end-plate pair has appropriate snap-together assembly. No tools are required, little time consumed.

Groups of DPS8 switches, with end-plates mount into panel holes of the recommended size using four screws plus nuts and washers.

ACCESSORIES

Model	Description
DPS8A	Spacer .157" (4mm)
DPS8L	.315" spacer section
DPS8P	End mounting plates, decorative only (pair)
DPS8PW	End mounting plates, flanged with mounting holes (pair)
B9L	Connector, 9 contacts, solder lug terminals
B9LS	Connector, 9 contacts, pc terminals
B11LS	Connector, 11 contacts, PC terminals (for Code III Switch)
SP1.2	Limit stop pin for 10 position only.

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Codes	Connections
111 = Decimal	AK = pcb short
131 = BCD	AL = pcb long
137 = BCD Complement	LS = solder pin
141 = BCD + Complement	AKU = pcb short downward
301 = Hexadecimal	ALU = pcb long downward

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