

DATA SHEET

ER18/3.2/10

Planar ER cores and accessories

Supersedes data of September 2004

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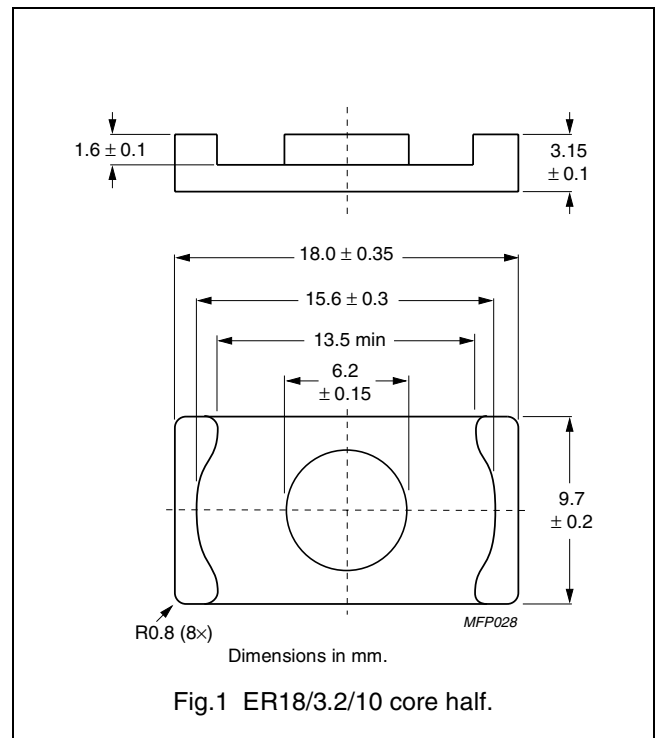


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CORE SETS

Effective core parameters

| SYMBOL | PARAMETER | VALUE | UNIT |
|---------------|-------------------|-------|------------------|
| $\Sigma(l/A)$ | core factor (C1) | 0.730 | mm ⁻¹ |
| V_e | effective volume | 667 | mm ³ |
| l_e | effective length | 22.1 | mm |
| A_e | effective area | 30.2 | mm ² |
| A_{min} | minimum area | 30.1 | mm ² |
| m | mass of core half | ≈ 1.6 | g |



Core sets for general purpose transformers and power applications

Clamping force for A_L measurements, 15 ± 5 N.

| GRADE | A_L (nH) | μ_e | AIR GAP (μ m) | TYPE NUMBER |
|---|-------------|---------|--------------------|-------------------------|
| 3C92 des | 160 ± 3 % | ≈ 93 | ≈ 260 | ER18/3.2/10-3C92-A160-S |
| | 250 ± 5 % | ≈ 146 | ≈ 150 | ER18/3.2/10-3C92-A250-S |
| | 400 ± 8 % | ≈ 232 | ≈ 85 | ER18/3.2/10-3C92-A400-S |
| | 1900 ± 25 % | ≈ 1100 | ≈ 0 | ER18/3.2/10-3C92-S |
| 3C93 des | 2200 ± 25 % | ≈ 1270 | ≈ 0 | ER18/3.2/10-3C93-S |
| 3C95 des | 3120 ± 25 % | ≈ 1810 | ≈ 0 | ER18/3.2/10-3C95-S |
| 3C96 des | 160 ± 3 % | ≈ 93 | ≈ 260 | ER18/3.2/10-3C96-A160-S |
| | 250 ± 5 % | ≈ 146 | ≈ 155 | ER18/3.2/10-3C96-A250-S |
| | 400 ± 8 % | ≈ 232 | ≈ 90 | ER18/3.2/10-3C96-A400-S |
| | 2400 ± 25 % | ≈ 1100 | ≈ 0 | ER18/3.2/10-3C96-S |
| 3F3 | 2400 ± 25 % | ≈ 1100 | ≈ 0 | ER18/3.2/10-3F3-S |
| 3F35 des | 160 ± 3 % | ≈ 93 | ≈ 260 | ER18/3.2/10-3F35-A160-S |
| | 250 ± 5 % | ≈ 146 | ≈ 150 | ER18/3.2/10-3F35-A250-S |
| | 400 ± 8 % | ≈ 232 | ≈ 85 | ER18/3.2/10-3F35-A400-S |
| | 1800 ± 25 % | ≈ 1100 | ≈ 0 | ER18/3.2/10-3F35-S |
| 3F4 des | 1300 ± 25 % | ≈ 794 | ≈ 0 | ER18/3.2/10-3F4-S |
| 3F45 prot | 1300 ± 25 % | ≈ 794 | ≈ 0 | ER18/3.2/10-3F45-S |

Properties of core sets under power condition

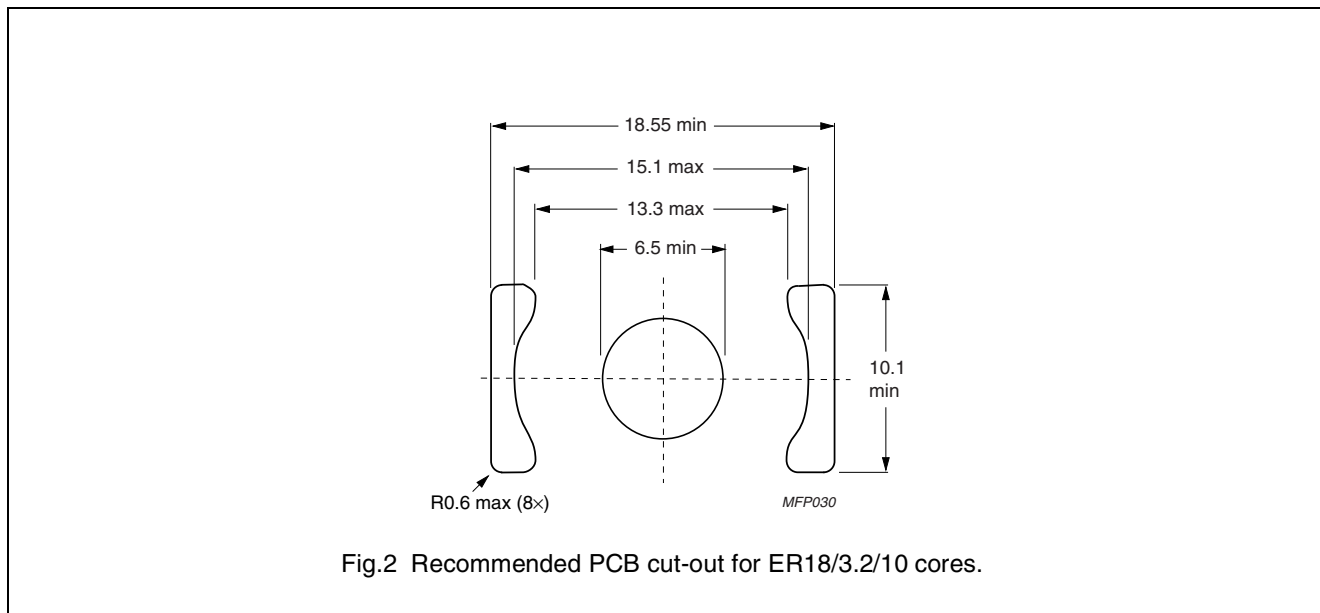
| GRADE | B (mT) at | CORE LOSS (W) at | | | | | |
|-------|---|---|--|---|--|--|---|
| | H = 250 A/m; f = 25 kHz; T = 100 °C | f = 100 kHz; B = 100 mT; T = 100 °C | f = 100 kHz; B = 200 mT; T = 25 °C | f = 100 kHz; B = 200 mT; T = 100 °C | f = 400 kHz; B = 50 mT; T = 100 °C | f = 500 kHz; B = 50 mT; T = 100 °C | f = 500 kHz; B = 100 mT; T = 100 °C |
| 3C92 | ≥ 370 | ≤ 0.052 | – | ≤ 0.35 | – | – | – |
| 3C93 | ≥ 320 | ≤ 0.052 ⁽¹⁾ | – | ≤ 0.35 ⁽¹⁾ | – | – | – |
| 3C95 | ≥ 320 | – | ≤ 0.4 | ≤ 0.38 | – | – | – |
| 3C96 | ≥ 340 | ≤ 0.035 | – | ≤ 0.26 | – | ≤ 0.22 | – |
| 3F3 | ≥ 300 | ≤ 0.07 | – | – | ≤ 0.13 | – | – |
| 3F35 | ≥ 300 | – | – | – | – | ≤ 0.078 | ≤ 0.61 |

1. Measured at 140 °C.

Properties of core sets under power condition (continued)

| GRADE | B (mT) at | CORE LOSS (W) at | | |
|-------|--|--|--|--|
| | H = 1200 A/m; f = 25 kHz; T = 100 °C | f = 1 MHz; B = 30 mT; T = 100 °C | f = 1 MHz; B = 50 mT; T = 100 °C | f = 3 MHz; B = 10 mT; T = 100 °C |
| 3F4 | ≥ 250 | ≤ 0.2 | – | ≤ 0.32 |
| 3F45 | ≥ 250 | ≤ 0.16 | ≤ 0.6 | ≤ 0.27 |

MOUNTING INFORMATION



Winding data for ER18/3.2/10 planar core

| WINDING AREA (mm ²) | AVERAGE TRACK LENGTH (mm) | FOOTPRINT AREA (mm ²) |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 15.0 | 34.2 | 225 |




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