



**THE DATASHEET OF  
VJ1812Y104JXEAT5Z**



## Surface Mount Multilayer Ceramic Chip Capacitor to Prohibit Arc-Over in High-Voltage Applications



HV Arc Guard Capacitor with no Surface Arc-over



Standard Capacitor with Surface Arc-over

### LINKS TO ADDITIONAL RESOURCES



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### ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS

| COG (NP0)   |
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| <b>GENERAL SPECIFICATION</b><br><b>Note</b><br>Electrical characteristics at +25 °C unless otherwise specified<br><b>Operating Temperature:</b> -55 °C to +125 °C<br><b>Capacitance Range:</b> 10 pF to 8.2 nF<br><b>Voltage Range:</b> 1000 V <sub>DC</sub> to 2500 V <sub>DC</sub><br><b>Temperature Coefficient of Capacitance (TCC):</b><br>0 ppm/°C ± 30 ppm/°C from -55 °C to +125 °C<br><b>Dissipation Factor (DF):</b><br>0.1 % maximum at 1.0 V <sub>RMS</sub> and 1 MHz for values ≤ 1000 pF<br>0.1 % maximum at 1.0 V <sub>RMS</sub> and 1 kHz for values > 1000 pF<br><b>Insulating Resistance:</b><br>at +25 °C 100 000 MΩ min. or 1000 ΩF whichever is less<br>at +125 °C 10 000 MΩ min. or 100 ΩF whichever is less<br><b>Aging Rate:</b> 0 % maximum per decade<br><b>Dielectric Strength Test:</b><br>performed per method 103 of EIA 198-2-E.<br>Applied test voltages<br>1000 V <sub>DC</sub> -rated: 150 % of rated voltage<br>1500 V <sub>DC</sub> , 2500 V <sub>DC</sub> -rated: 120 % of rated voltage |

### FEATURES

#### For this Worldwide Patented Technology

- Specialty: high-voltage applications
- MLCC that protects against surface arc-over
- Excellent high-voltage performance
- Higher capacitances and smaller case sizes that save board space, as compared to standard high-voltage MLCCs
- Voltage breakdowns as much as twice that of competitors' products
- X7R dielectric available with polymer termination for increase resistance to board flex cracking
- Wet build process
- Reliable Noble Metal Electrode (NME) system
- Material categorization: for definitions of compliance please see [www.vishay.com/doc?99912](http://www.vishay.com/doc?99912)



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### APPLICATIONS

- Power supplies
- DC/DC converters (buck and boost)
- Voltage multipliers for flyback converters
- For lighting and other AC applications please contact: [mlcc@vishay.com](mailto:mlcc@vishay.com)

| X7R  |
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| <b>GENERAL SPECIFICATION</b><br><b>Note</b><br>Electrical characteristics at +25 °C unless otherwise specified<br><b>Operating Temperature:</b> -55 °C to +125 °C<br><b>Capacitance Range:</b> 220 pF to 270 nF<br><b>Voltage Range:</b> 250 V <sub>DC</sub> to 1000 V <sub>DC</sub><br><b>Temperature Coefficient of Capacitance (TCC):</b><br>± 15 % from -55 °C to +125 °C, with 0 V <sub>DC</sub> applied<br><b>Dissipation Factor (DF):</b><br>2.5 % maximum at 1.0 V <sub>RMS</sub> and 1 kHz<br><b>Insulating Resistance:</b><br>at +25 °C 100 000 MΩ min. or 1000 ΩF whichever is less<br>at +125 °C 10 000 MΩ min. or 100 ΩF whichever is less<br><b>Aging Rate:</b> 1 % maximum per decade<br><b>Dielectric Strength Test:</b><br>performed per method 103 of EIA 198-2-E.<br>Applied test voltages<br>≤ 250 V <sub>DC</sub> -rated: 200 % of rated voltage<br>500 V <sub>DC</sub> -rated: min. 150 % of rated voltage<br>630 V <sub>DC</sub> , 1000 V <sub>DC</sub> -rated: min. 120 % of rated voltage |



| QUICK REFERENCE DATA |      |                     |             |         |
|----------------------|------|---------------------|-------------|---------|
| DIELECTRIC           | CASE | MAXIMUM VOLTAGE (V) | CAPACITANCE |         |
|                      |      |                     | MINIMUM     | MAXIMUM |
| C0G (NP0)            | 0805 | 1500                | 10 pF       | 390 pF  |
|                      | 1206 | 1500                | 10 pF       | 1.5 nF  |
|                      | 1210 | 1500                | 10 pF       | 2.7 nF  |
|                      | 2220 | 1500                | 470 pF      | 5.6 nF  |
|                      | 2225 | 2500                | 470 pF      | 8.2 nF  |
| X7R                  | 0805 | 1000                | 470 pF      | 3.3 nF  |
|                      | 1206 | 1000                | 220 pF      | 47 nF   |
|                      | 1210 | 1000                | 220 pF      | 82 nF   |
|                      | 1808 | 1000                | 220 pF      | 100 nF  |
|                      | 1812 | 1000                | 220 pF      | 270 nF  |

**Note**

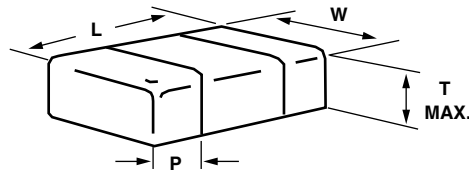
- Detail ratings see “Selection Chart”

| ORDERING INFORMATION (4)                             |                          |   |                                       |  |   |              |   |                   |
|--|--------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|--|---|--------------|---|-------------------|
| VJ0805   | A                        | 101   | J                                     | X  | G   | A            | T   | 5Z (2)            |
| CASE CODE  | DIELECTRIC               | CAPACITANCE NOMINAL CODE  | CAPACITANCE TOLERANCE                 | TERMINATION (5)  | DC VOLTAGE RATING (1)   | MARKING      | PACKAGING   | PROCESS CODE      |
| 0805<br>1206<br>1210<br>1808<br>1812<br>2220<br>2225 | A = C0G (NP0)<br>Y = X7R | Expressed in picofarads (pF). The first two digits are significant, the third is a multiplier.<br><b>Examples</b><br>102 = 1000 pF<br>223 = 22 000 pF | J = ± 5 %<br>K = ± 10 %<br>M = ± 20 % | X = Ni barrier 100 % matte tin plate finish<br>F, E = AgPd (3)<br>B = polymer 100 % matte tin plate finish (4) | P = 250 V<br>E = 500 V<br>L = 630 V<br>G = 1000 V<br>R = 1500 V<br>O = 2500 V | A = unmarked | T = 7" reel / plastic tape<br>R = 11 1/4" / 13" reel / plastic tape | 5Z = HVArc Guard® |

**Notes**

- (1) DC voltage rating should not be exceeded in application. Other application factors may affect the MLCC performance. Consult for questions: [mlcc@vishay.com](mailto:mlcc@vishay.com)
- (2) Process code has to be added
- (3) Termination code “E” is for conductive epoxy assembly, contact [mlcc@vishay.com](mailto:mlcc@vishay.com) for availability
- (4) Polymer termination is available for X7R dielectric only
- (5) Other termination options contact [mlcc@vishay.com](mailto:mlcc@vishay.com) for availability

| ENVIRONMENTAL STATUS |  |                |              |
|----------------------|--|----------------|--------------|
| TERMINATION CODE     | TERMINATION DESCRIPTION                      | RoHS COMPLIANT | VISHAY GREEN |
| X                    | Ni barrier 100 % tin plated matte finish     | Yes            | Yes          |
| E                    | AgPd   | Yes            | Yes          |
| B                    | Polymer layer, 100 % tin plated matte finish | Yes            | No           |
| F                    | AgPd   | Yes            | No           |

**DIMENSIONS** in inches (millimeters)


| CASE CODE | STYLE  | LENGTH (L)                     | WIDTH (W)                      | MAXIMUM THICKNESS (T) | TERMINATION PAD (P) |              |
|-----------|--------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|--------------|
|           |        |                                |                                |                       | MINIMUM             | MAXIMUM      |
| 0805      | VJ0805 | 0.079 ± 0.008<br>(2.00 ± 0.20) | 0.049 ± 0.008<br>(1.25 ± 0.20) | 0.057 (1.45)          | 0.010 (0.25)        | 0.030 (0.76) |
| 1206      | VJ1206 | 0.126 ± 0.008<br>(3.20 ± 0.20) | 0.063 ± 0.008<br>(1.60 ± 0.20) | 0.067 (1.70)          | 0.010 (0.25)        | 0.030 (0.76) |
| 1210      | VJ1210 | 0.126 ± 0.008<br>(3.20 ± 0.20) | 0.098 ± 0.008<br>(2.50 ± 0.20) | 0.067 (1.70)          | 0.010 (0.25)        | 0.030 (0.76) |
| 1808      | VJ1808 | 0.180 ± 0.012<br>(4.57 ± 0.30) | 0.080 ± 0.010<br>(2.03 ± 0.25) | 0.086 (2.18)          | 0.010 (0.25)        | 0.035 (0.90) |
| 1812      | VJ1812 | 0.177 ± 0.012<br>(4.50 ± 0.30) | 0.126 ± 0.008<br>(3.20 ± 0.20) | 0.086 (2.18)          | 0.010 (0.25)        | 0.035 (0.90) |
| 2220      | VJ2220 | 0.220 ± 0.010<br>(5.59 ± 0.25) | 0.200 ± 0.010<br>(5.08 ± 0.25) | 0.086 (2.18)          | 0.010 (0.25)        | 0.037 (0.95) |
| 2225      | VJ2225 | 0.220 ± 0.010<br>(5.59 ± 0.25) | 0.250 ± 0.010<br>(6.35 ± 0.25) | 0.090 (2.30)          | 0.010 (0.25)        | 0.037 (0.95) |

**Note**

- Polymer (B-termination) have increased dimensions: part length increased by 0.006" (0.15 mm)



| SELECTION CHART COG (NP0)  |        |           |      |                       |      |                       |      |                       |      |                       |      |      |
|----------------------------|--------|-----------|------|-----------------------|------|-----------------------|------|-----------------------|------|-----------------------|------|------|
| DIELECTRIC                 |        | COG (NP0) |      |                       |      |                       |      |                       |      |                       |      |      |
| STYLE                      |        | VJ0805    |      | VJ1206 <sup>(1)</sup> |      | VJ1210 <sup>(1)</sup> |      | VJ2220 <sup>(1)</sup> |      | VJ2225 <sup>(1)</sup> |      |      |
| CASE CODE                  |        | 0805      |      | 1206                  |      | 1210                  |      | 2220                  |      | 2225                  |      |      |
| VOLTAGE (V <sub>DC</sub> ) |        | 1000      | 1500 | 1000                  | 1500 | 1000                  | 1500 | 1000                  | 1500 | 1000                  | 1500 | 2500 |
| VOLTAGE CODE               |        | G         | R    | G                     | R    | G                     | R    | G                     | R    | G                     | R    | O    |
| CAP. CODE                  | CAP.   |           |      |                       |      |                       |      |                       |      |                       |      |      |
| 100                        | 10 pF  | •         | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    |                       |      |                       |      |      |
| 120                        | 12 pF  | •         | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    |                       |      |                       |      |      |
| 150                        | 15 pF  | •         | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    |                       |      |                       |      |      |
| 180                        | 18 pF  | •         | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    |                       |      |                       |      |      |
| 220                        | 22 pF  | •         | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    |                       |      |                       |      |      |
| 270                        | 27 pF  | •         | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    |                       |      |                       |      |      |
| 330                        | 33 pF  | •         | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    |                       |      |                       |      |      |
| 390                        | 39 pF  | •         | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    |                       |      |                       |      |      |
| 470                        | 47 pF  | •         | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    |                       |      |                       |      |      |
| 560                        | 56 pF  | •         | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    |                       |      |                       |      |      |
| 680                        | 68 pF  | •         | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    |                       |      |                       |      |      |
| 820                        | 82 pF  | •         | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    |                       |      |                       |      |      |
| 101                        | 100 pF | •         | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    |                       |      |                       |      |      |
| 121                        | 120 pF | •         | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    |                       |      |                       |      |      |
| 151                        | 150 pF | •         | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    |                       |      |                       |      |      |
| 181                        | 180 pF | •         | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    |                       |      |                       |      |      |
| 221                        | 220 pF | •         | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    |                       |      |                       |      |      |
| 271                        | 270 pF | •         | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    |                       |      |                       |      |      |
| 331                        | 330 pF | •         | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    |                       |      |                       |      |      |
| 391                        | 390 pF | •         | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    |                       |      |                       |      |      |
| 471                        | 470 pF |           |      | •                     | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    | •    |
| 561                        | 560 pF |           |      | •                     | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    | •    |
| 681                        | 680 pF |           |      | •                     | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    | •    |
| 821                        | 820 pF |           |      | •                     | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    | •    |
| 102                        | 1.0 nF |           |      | •                     | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    | •    |
| 122                        | 1.2 nF |           |      | •                     | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    | •    |
| 152                        | 1.5 nF |           |      | •                     | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    | •    |
| 182                        | 1.8 nF |           |      |                       |      | •                     | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    | •    |
| 222                        | 2.2 nF |           |      |                       |      | •                     | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    | •    |
| 272                        | 2.7 nF |           |      |                       |      | •                     | •    | •                     | •    | •                     | •    | •    |
| 332                        | 3.3 nF |           |      |                       |      |                       |      | •                     | •    | •                     | •    | •    |
| 392                        | 3.9 nF |           |      |                       |      |                       |      | •                     | •    | •                     | •    | •    |
| 472                        | 4.7 nF |           |      |                       |      |                       |      | •                     | •    | •                     | •    | •    |
| 562                        | 5.6 nF |           |      |                       |      |                       |      | •                     | •    | •                     | •    | •    |
| 682                        | 6.8 nF |           |      |                       |      |                       |      |                       |      | •                     | •    | •    |
| 822                        | 8.2 nF |           |      |                       |      |                       |      |                       |      | •                     | •    | •    |

**Notes**

<sup>(1)</sup> See soldering recommendations within this data book, or visit [www.vishay.com/doc245034](http://www.vishay.com/doc245034)

- Available in plastic carrier tape only

■ RoHS-compliant



| SELECTION CHART X7R        |        |        |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      |
|----------------------------|--------|--------|------|-----------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------------------|-----|-----|------|-----------------------|-----|-----|------|
| DIELECTRIC                 |        | X7R    |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      |
| STYLE                      |        | VJ0805 |      | VJ1206 <sup>(1)</sup> |     |     |      | VJ1210 <sup>(1)</sup> |     |     |      | VJ1808 <sup>(1)</sup> |     |     |      | VJ1812 <sup>(1)</sup> |     |     |      |
| CASE CODE                  |        | 0805   |      | 1206                  |     |     |      | 1210                  |     |     |      | 1808                  |     |     |      | 1812                  |     |     |      |
| VOLTAGE (V <sub>DC</sub> ) |        | 630    | 1000 | 250                   | 500 | 630 | 1000 | 250                   | 500 | 630 | 1000 | 250                   | 500 | 630 | 1000 | 250                   | 500 | 630 | 1000 |
| VOLTAGE CODE               |        | L      | G    | P                     | E   | L   | G    | P                     | E   | L   | G    | P                     | E   | L   | G    | P                     | E   | L   | G    |
| CAP. CODE                  | CAP.   |        |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      |
| 101                        | 100 pF |        |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      |
| 121                        | 120 pF |        |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      |
| 151                        | 150 pF |        |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      |
| 181                        | 180 pF |        |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      |
| 221                        | 220 pF |        |      | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    |
| 271                        | 270 pF |        |      | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    |
| 331                        | 330 pF |        |      | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    |
| 391                        | 390 pF |        |      | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    |
| 471                        | 470 pF | •      | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    |
| 561                        | 560 pF | •      | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    |
| 681                        | 680 pF | •      | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    |
| 821                        | 820 pF | •      | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    |
| 102                        | 1.0 nF | •      | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    |
| 122                        | 1.2 nF | •      | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    |
| 152                        | 1.5 nF | •      | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    |
| 182                        | 1.8 nF | •      | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    |
| 222                        | 2.2 nF | •      | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    |
| 272                        | 2.7 nF | •      | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    |
| 332                        | 3.3 nF | •      | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    |
| 392                        | 3.9 nF |        |      | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    |
| 472                        | 4.7 nF |        |      | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    |
| 562                        | 5.6 nF |        |      | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    |
| 682                        | 6.8 nF |        |      | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    |
| 822                        | 8.2 nF |        |      | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    |
| 103                        | 10 nF  |        |      | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    |
| 123                        | 12 nF  |        |      | •                     | •   | •   |      | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    |
| 153                        | 15 nF  |        |      | •                     | •   | •   |      | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    |
| 183                        | 18 nF  |        |      | •                     | •   | •   |      | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    |
| 223                        | 22 nF  |        |      | •                     | •   | •   |      | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    |
| 273                        | 27 nF  |        |      | •                     | •   |     |      | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    |
| 333                        | 33 nF  |        |      | •                     | •   |     |      | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    |
| 393                        | 39 nF  |        |      | •                     | •   |     |      | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    |
| 473                        | 47 nF  |        |      | •                     | •   |     |      | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    | •                     | •   | •   | •    |
| 563                        | 56 nF  |        |      |                       |     |     |      | •                     | •   |     |      | •                     | •   |     |      | •                     | •   | •   | •    |
| 683                        | 68 nF  |        |      |                       |     |     |      | •                     |     |     |      | •                     |     |     |      | •                     | •   | •   | •    |
| 823                        | 82 nF  |        |      |                       |     |     |      | •                     |     |     |      | •                     |     |     |      | •                     | •   | •   | •    |
| 104                        | 100 nF |        |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      | •                     |     |     |      | •                     | •   | •   |      |
| 124                        | 120 nF |        |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      | •                     |     |     |      |
| 154                        | 150 nF |        |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      | •                     |     |     |      |
| 184                        | 180 nF |        |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      | •                     |     |     |      |
| 224                        | 220 nF |        |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      | •                     |     |     |      |
| 274                        | 270 nF |        |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      | •                     |     |     |      |
| 334                        | 330 nF |        |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      |                       |     |     |      |

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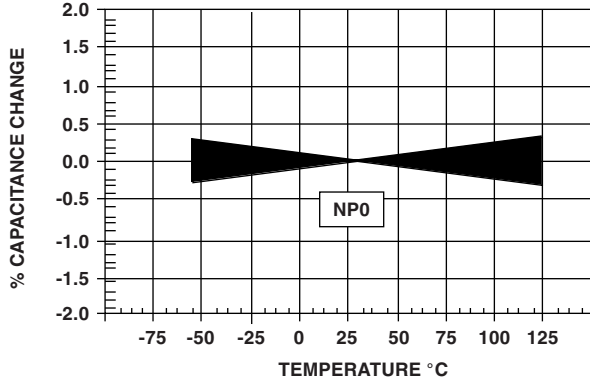
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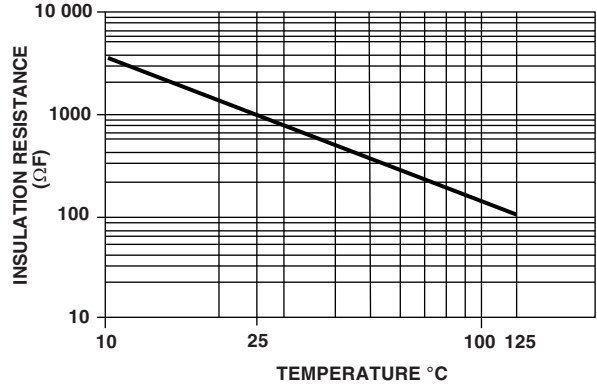


## HVArc Guard® C0G (NP0) DIELECTRIC - TYPICAL PARAMETERS

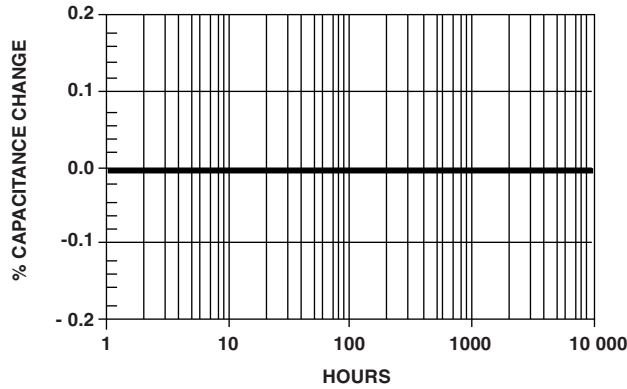
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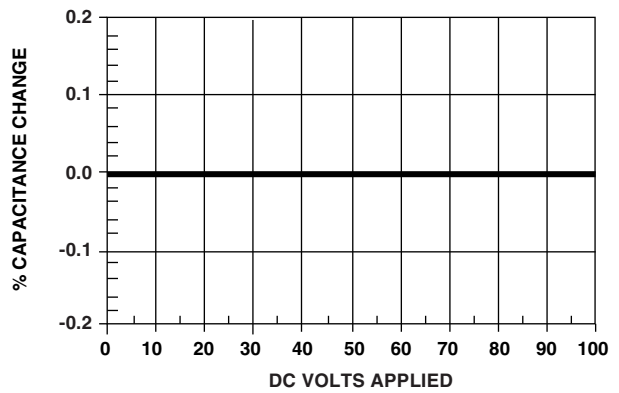
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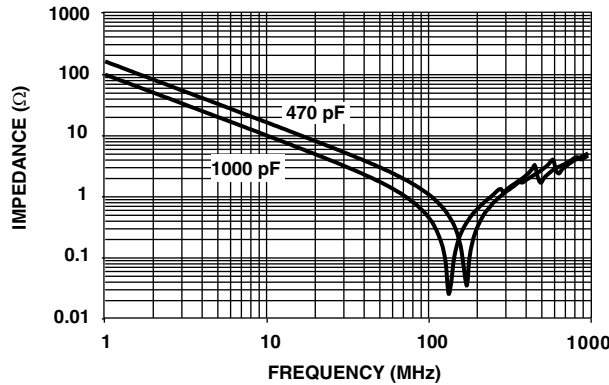
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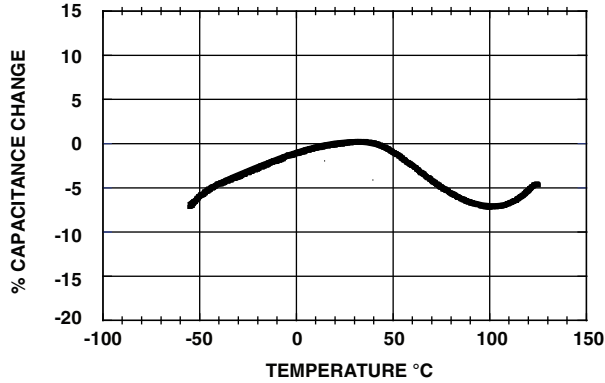
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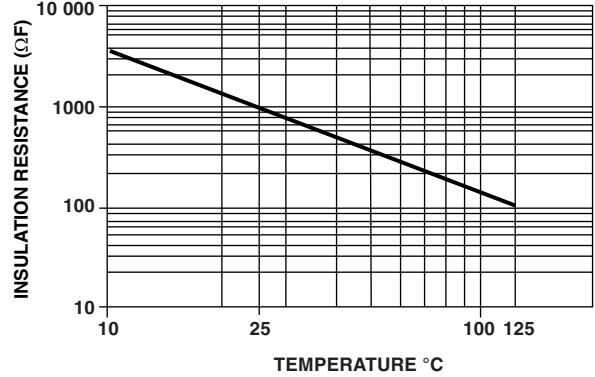


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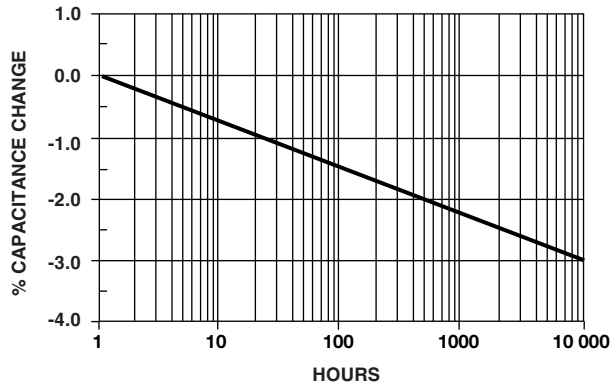
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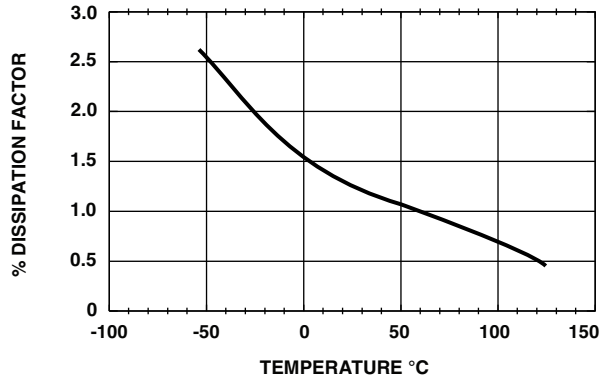
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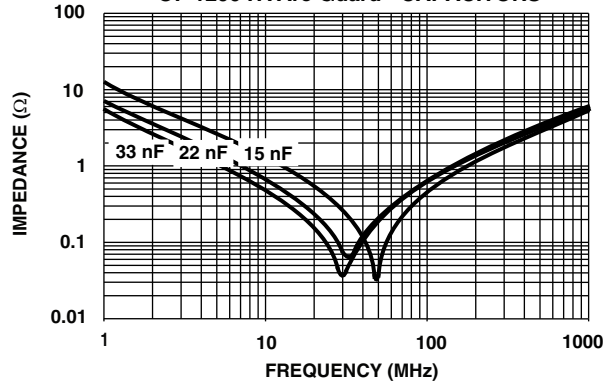
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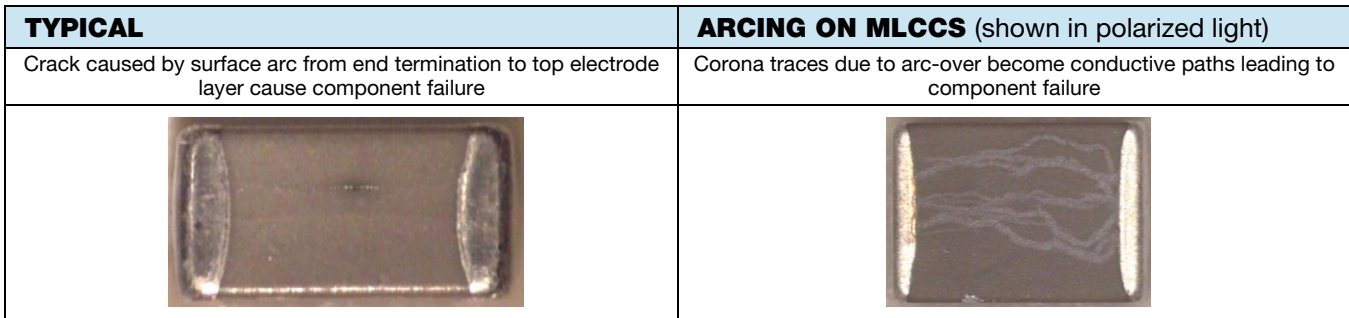
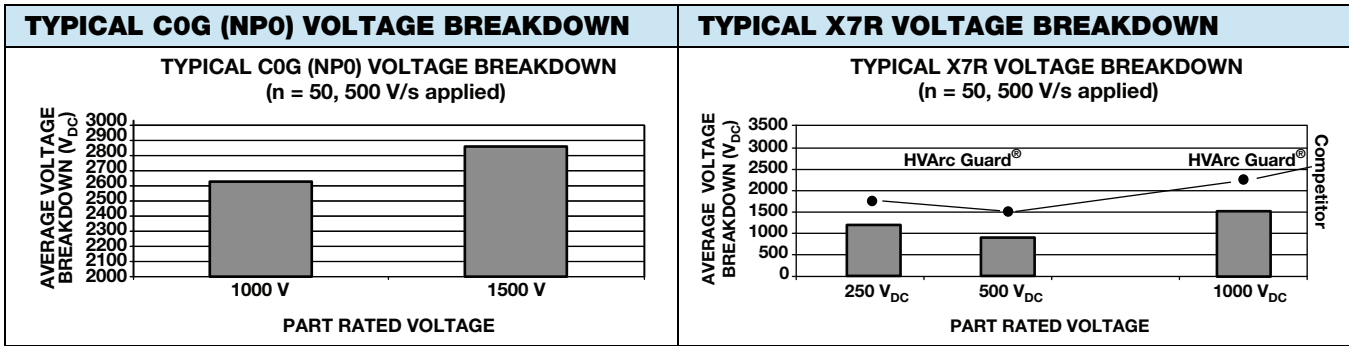


DISSIPATION FACTOR VS. TEMPERATURE



IMPEDANCE VS. FREQUENCY OF 1206 HVArc Guard® CAPACITORS





**APPLICATION NOTE**

- Suitable only for transient voltage and not for periodical pulse(s) chain
- 1000 V rated parts are not suitable for AC / lighting applications above 220 V<sub>AC</sub>
- 500 V and 630 V are not suitable for AC / lighting applications above 110 V<sub>AC</sub>
- If further questions, please contact: [mlcc@vishay.com](mailto:mlcc@vishay.com)

| STANDARD PACKAGING QUANTITIES (1)(2)(3) |           |                                 |                                 |
|---|-----------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| CASE CODE                               | TAPE SIZE | 7" REEL QUANTITIES              | 11 1/4" AND 13" REEL QUANTITIES |
|   |           | PLASTIC TAPE PACKAGING CODE "T" | PLASTIC TAPE PACKAGING CODE "R" |
| 0805                                    | 8 mm      | 3000                            | 10 000                          |
| 1206 <sup>(4)</sup>                     | 8 mm      | 2500 / 3000                     | 10 000                          |
| 1210 <sup>(4)</sup>                     | 8 mm      | 2500 / 3000                     | 10 000                          |
| 1808                                    | 12 mm     | 2000                            | 10 000                          |
| 1812                                    | 12 mm     | 1000                            | 4000                            |
| 2220                                    | 12 mm     | 1000                            | n/a                             |
| 2225                                    | 12 mm     | 500                             | n/a                             |

**Notes**

- (1) Vishay Vitramon uses embossed plastic carrier tape
- (2) 11 1/4" reel is standard for large quantities. 13" is maybe used for large "T" dimension parts
- (3) Reference: EIA standard RS 481 - "Taping of Surface Mount Components for Automatic Placement"
- (4) Packaging quantity can vary with product thickness  
Contact [mlcc@vishay.com](mailto:mlcc@vishay.com) with respect to specific part number requirements

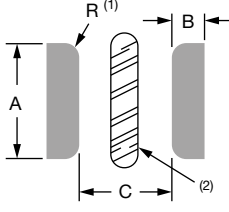
**STORAGE AND HANDLING CONDITIONS**

- (1) Store the components at 5 °C to 40 °C ambient temperature and ≤ 70 % relative humidity conditions.
- (2) The product is recommended to be used within a time-frame of 2 years after shipment.  
Check solderability in case extended shelf life beyond the expiry date is needed.

Precautions:

- a. Do not store products in an environment containing corrosive elements, especially where chloride gas, sulfide gas, acid, alkali, salt or the like are present. This may cause corrosion or oxidization of the terminations, which can easily lead to poor soldering.
- b. Store products on the shelf and avoid exposure to moisture or dust.
- c. Do not expose products to excessive shock, vibration, direct sunlight and so on.

## Solder Pad Dimensions for Vishay Surface-Mount Multilayer Ceramic Chip Capacitors

| DIMENSIONS in millimeters   |                     |      |                     |
|---|---------------------|------|---------------------|
|  |                     |      |                     |
| CASE CODE   | A                   | B    | C                   |
| 0402  | 0.50                | 0.50 | 0.40                |
| 0505  | 1.35                | 1.00 | 0.60                |
| 0603  | 0.90                | 1.00 | 1.00 <sup>(3)</sup> |
| 0805  | 1.30                | 1.20 | 1.00                |
| 1111  | 2.90                | 1.30 | 1.75                |
| 1206  | 1.80                | 1.20 | 2.10                |
| 1210  | 2.80                | 1.30 | 1.90                |
| 1808  | 2.40                | 1.50 | 3.00                |
| 1812  | 3.60                | 1.50 | 3.00                |
| 1825  | 6.50                | 1.50 | 3.00                |
| 2008  | 2.70                | 1.50 | 4.08                |
| 2220  | 5.50 <sup>(4)</sup> | 1.50 | 4.20                |
| 2225  | 6.50                | 1.50 | 4.20                |
| 2525  | 6.60                | 1.50 | 4.50                |
| 3040  | 10.80               | 2.00 | 5.50                |
| 3640  | 10.80               | 2.00 | 7.00                |
| 3838  | 10.20               | 2.00 | 7.50                |
| 4044  | 12.30               | 2.00 | 8.00                |

### Notes

- (1) For safety capacitors and voltages above 3000 V, corner rounding (R) of 0.5 mm is recommended to suppress arcing
- (2) Add a 1 mm slot in PCB between pads to allow cleaning and coating under MLCC
- (3) For VJ HiFREQ Series, this dimension is 0.6 mm
- (4) For safety capacitors, the A dimension should be 5.80 mm



## PRINTED CIRCUIT BOARD PCB DESIGN CONSIDERATIONS FOR HIGH VOLTAGE SURFACE-MOUNT MLCCS

Special assembly process and design considerations should be employed for today's high voltage rating MLCCs. As case sizes remain the same and voltage ratings increase, MLCC manufacturers must design, evaluate, and qualify their capacitors using methods that reduce the occurrence of corona discharge and arcover events. To meet similar capability in high voltage applications, users should employ similar cautionary design and assembly methods.

### MLCC PAD LAYOUT

A capacitor's arcover inception point can degrade due to factors such as the MLCC termination, PCB pad design, PCB cleanliness, solder flux residue, surface contamination / deposits and environmental conditions. PCB pads and their design affect the air gap distance between the opposing polarities of the MLCC termination. For voltage rating greater than 1500 V<sub>DC</sub> add a corner radius to the inward facing edge of the MLCC pads and as large a gap as possible between the pads. Too small of a pad gap distance will reduce the capacitor's own arcover inception voltage level. Refer to the Figure and Table Figure 1.0, MLCC Pad Layout and Table 1.0, Vishay MLCC Solder Pad Dimensions for the recommended MLCC solder pad dimensions.

### SLOT OR TRENCH BETWEEN PADS

PCB assembly can deposit dust, trap solder balls, or flux residue underneath the capacitors. These contaminants will reduce conductive clearances and the arcover inception level. Assembly methods must include a final PCB cleaning process. A slot or trench can be cut into the PCB in between the pads to allow cleaners to penetrate underneath the MLCC. The slot will also allow conformal or epoxy coatings to flow underneath the MLCC and build an insulative barrier between pads. Refer to Figure 1.0 MLCC Pad Layout for slot reference location.

### COATING PRINTED CIRCUIT BOARD

Coating a printed circuit board with materials such as acrylic, silicone and urethane resins provide a protective dielectric barrier that is non-conductive and will enhance the resistance to arcing. Various processes exist which include dipping, brushing, and spaying. Optimal performance will come from coating the MLCC on all sides, top and bottom. The PCB slot in between the pads should extend slightly beyond the width of the MLCC. Refer to Figure 1.0 MLCC Pad Layout for slot reference location.



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