

Guidelines and precautions regarding the technical information and use of our products described in this online catalog.

- If you want to use our products described in this online catalog for applications requiring special qualities or reliability, or for applications where the failure or malfunction of the products may directly jeopardize human life or potentially cause personal injury (e.g. aircraft and aerospace equipment, traffic and transportation equipment, combustion equipment, medical equipment, accident prevention, anti-crime equipment, and/or safety equipment), it is necessary to verify whether the specifications of our products fit to such applications. Please ensure that you will ask and check with our inquiry desk as to whether the specifications of our products fit to such applications use before you use our products.
- The quality and performance of our products as described in this online catalog only apply to our products when used in isolation. Therefore, please ensure you evaluate and verify our products under the specific circumstances in which our products are assembled in your own products and in which our products will actually be used.
- If you use our products in equipment that requires a high degree of reliability, regardless of the application, it is recommended that you set up protection circuits and redundancy circuits in order to ensure safety of your equipment.
- The products and product specifications described in this online catalog are subject to change for improvement without prior notice. Therefore, please be sure to request and confirm the latest product specifications which explain the specifications of our products in detail, before you finalize the design of your applications, purchase, or use our products.
- The technical information in this online catalog provides examples of our products' typical operations and application circuits. We do not guarantee the non-infringement of third party's intellectual property rights and we do not grant any license, right, or interest in our intellectual property.
- If any of our products, product specifications and/or technical information in this online catalog is to be exported or provided to non-residents, the laws and regulations of the exporting country, especially with regard to security and export control, shall be observed.

<Regarding the Certificate of Compliance with the EU RoHS Directive/REACH Regulations>

- The switchover date for compliance with the RoHS Directive/REACH Regulations varies depending on the part number or series of our products.
- When you use the inventory of our products for which it is unclear whether those products are compliant with the RoHS Directive/REACH Regulation, please select "Sales Inquiry" in the website inquiry form and contact us.

We do not take any responsibility for the use of our products outside the scope of the specifications, descriptions, guidelines and precautions described in this online catalog.



Application Guidelines

Precautions on the whole

- Do not use the products beyond the descriptions in this catalog.
- This catalog guarantees the quality of the products as individual components.
Before you use the products, please make sure to check and evaluate the products in the circumstance where they are installed in your product.
- This product was designed and manufactured for standard applications such as general electronics devices, office equipment, information and communications equipment, measuring instruments, household appliances and audio-video equipment.
For applications in which special quality and reliability are required, or if the failure or malfunction of the products may directly jeopardize life or cause threat of personal injury (such as for aircraft and aerospace equipment, traffic and transport equipment, combustion equipment, medical equipment, accident prevention and anti-theft devices, and safety equipment), please be sure to consult with our sales representative in advance and to exchange product catalog which conform to such applications.

Safety and design considerations

- We are trying to improve the quality and the reliability, but the durability differs depending on the use environment and the use conditions. On use, be sure to confirm the actual product under the actual use conditions.
- Install the following systems for a failsafe design to ensure safety if these products are to be used in equipment where a defect in these products may cause the loss of human life or other signification damage, such as damage to vehicles (automobile, train, vessel), traffic lights, medical equipment, aerospace equipment, electric heating appliances, combustion/ gas equipment, rotating equipment, and disaster/crime prevention equipment.
 - The system is equipped with a protection circuit and protection device.
 - The system is equipped with a redundant circuit or other system to prevent an unsafe status in the event of a single fault.
 - The system is equipped with an arresting the spread of fire or preventing glitch.
- When a dogma shall be occurred about safety for this product, be sure to inform us rapidly, operate your technical examination.
- The temperature of this product at the time of use changes depending on mounting conditions and usage conditions, therefore, please confirm that the temperature of this product is the specified temperature after mounting it.
- This product does not take the use under the following special environments into consideration. Accordingly, the use in the following special environments, and such environmental conditions may affect the performance of the product; prior to use, verify the performance, reliability, etc. thoroughly.
 - 1) Use in liquids such as water, oil, chemical, and organic solvent.
 - 2) Use under direct sunlight, in outdoor or in dusty atmospheres.
 - 3) Use in places full of corrosive gases such as sea breeze, C_{12} , H_2S , NH_3 , SO_2 , and NO_x .
 - 4) Use the product in a contaminated state.
 - 5) Use in acid.
 - 6) Use outside the range defined by the operating temperature range.
 - 7) Use under reduced pressure or vacuum.

Precaution of installation

- Do not reuse this product after removal from the mounting board.
- Do not drop this product on the floor. If this product is dropped, it can be damaged mechanically.
Avoid using the dropped product.
- This product is soft, do not rub or touch it with rough materials to avoid scratching it.
- Lines or folds in this product may affect thermal conductivity.
- Never touch a this product during use because it may be extremely hot.
- Use protective materials when handling and/or applying this product, do not use items with sharp edges as they might tear or puncture this product.
- Do not handle with bare hands as there is a concern about performance degradation.

Precaution on storage conditions

- Storage period is less than one year after our shipping inspection is completed.
Please use within the period.
- If the product is stored in the following environments and conditions, the performance may be badly affected, avoid the storage in the following environments.
 - (1) Storage in places full of corrosive gases such as sea breeze, Cl₂, H₂S, NH₃, SO₂, and NO_x.
 - (2) Storage in places exposed to ultraviolet light.
*Recommended storage in the dark.
 - (3) Store at a temperature outside the storage temperature range specified by this catalog.
- In the case of a product configuration that assumes bonding, please use after checking the adhesiveness of the product when the storage period is over.

Precaution specific to this product

- This product has conductivity. If required, This product should be provided insulation.
- This product can not guarantee the insulation because there is a concern for powder falling off of conductive materials.
- Thermal conductivity is dependent on the way it is used. Test the adaptability of the product to your application before use.

Applicable laws and regulations, others

- No ODCs or other ozone-depleting substances which are subject to regulation under the Montreal Protocol are used in our manufacturing processes, including in the manufacture of this product.
- This product complies with the RoHS Directive (Restriction of the use of certain Hazardous Substances in electrical and electronic equipment (DIRECTIVE 2011/65/EU and (EU)2015/863) .
- All the materials used in this part are registered material under the Law Concerning the Examination and Regulation of Manufactures etc. of Chemical substances.
- If you need the notice by letter of "A preliminary judgment on the Laws of Japan foreign exchange and Foreign Trade control", be sure to let us know.
- These products are not dangerous goods on the transportation as identified by UN(United Nations) numbers or UN classification.
- As to the disposal of the module, check the method of disposal in each country or region where the modules are incorporated in your products to be used.
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