

Modular Potentiometers with Cermet (P11) or **Conductive Plastic Elements (PA11)**



FEATURES

- CECC 41300 MIL-R-94
- GAM T1
- P11 version for industrial and military applications
- P11 version for industrial and military applications PA11 version for professional audio applications Trimmer version T11/TA11 (see document No. 51024) Miniature module size : 12.5 mm square low current compatibility Five shaft diameters and 12 terminal styles
- Multiple assemblies up to seven modules Shaft and panel sealed version
- Up to twenty-one indent positions
- Switch modules
- Concentric shafts
- Motorized version
- Custom designs COMPACT VERSATILE MODULAR ROBUST

FLECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS

		PA11	P11				
Resistive Element		Conductive plastic	Cermet				
Electrical Travel		270° ± 10°	270° ± 10°				
Resistance Range*	Linear Law	1kΩ to 1MΩ	10Ω to 10MΩ				
	Non Linear Law	470Ω to 500KΩ	100Ω to 2.2MΩ				
Tolerance	Standard	± 20%	± 20%				
	On Request	_	± 5% or ± 10%				
Power Rating	Linear Law	0.5 W at + 70°C	1 W at + 70°C				
	Non Linear Laws	0.25 W at + 70°C	0.5 W at + 70°C				
	Multiple Assemblies	0.25 W at + 70°C per module	0.5 W at + 70°C per module				
Temperature Coefficient		± 500 ppm/°C typical	± 100 ppm/°C (R ≥ 100Ω)				
Limiting Element Voltage		350 V	350 V				
Contact Resistance Variation	Linear Law	1%	2% or 3Ω				
End Resistance (Typical)		2Ω	2Ω				
Independent Linearity (Typical)	Linear Law	± 3%	± 3%				
Insulation Resistance		10 ⁶ MΩ min ⁻	$10^6 M\Omega$ min.				
Dielectric Strength		1500 V RMS min.	1500 V RMS min.				
Attenuation		90 dB max. and 0.05 dB min.					
Mechanical Rotational Life		50 000 cycles	50 000 cycles				

*Consult Vishay Sfernice for other ohmic values

MECHANICAL SPECIFICATIONS PA11 AND P11

Mechanical Travel:	$300^{\circ} \pm 5^{\circ}$
Operating Torque, Single and Dual Ass 3mm, 4mm (1/8") dia. Shafts 6mm (1/4") dia. Shafts	semblies: 0.5 to 1.3 Ncm max. (0.7 to 1.8 oz-inch max.) 0.7 to 1.5 Ncm max. (1 to 2.1 oz-inch max.)
Three to Seven Modules (per module:	0.2 to 0.3 Ncm max. (0.3 to 0.45 oz-inch max.)
End Stop Torque: 3mm, 4mm (1/8") dia. Shafts 6mm (1/4") dia. Shafts	35 Ncm max. (3 lb-inch max.) 80 Ncm max. (6.8 lb-inch max.)
Tightening Torque: 6mm, 7mm (1/4") dia. bushings 10mm (3/8") dia. bushings Weight	150 Ncm max. (13 lb-inch max.) 250 ncm max. (21 lb-inch max.) 7g to 9g per module (0.25 to 0.32 oz)

VARIATION LAWS







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ENVIRONMENTAL SPECIFICATIONS

Temperature Range Climatic Category Sealing **PA11** - 55°C + 125°C 55/125/21 IP64 **P11** - 55°C + 125°C 55/125/56 IP64

PLASTIC MATERIALS USED ARE UL 94 class VO GOLD PLATED CONTACTS

STANDARD RESISTANCE ELEMENT DATA											
STANDARD	P11 CERMET				PA11			СТ			
BESIS-	LINEAR LAW			NON LINEAR LAW		CONDUCTIVE PLASTIC LINEAR LAW		– 55°C + 125°C			
TANCE	MAX. POWER AT 70°C	MAX. WORKING VOLTAGE	MAX. CUR. THROUGH WIPER	MAX. POWER AT 70°C	MAX. WORKING VOLTAGE	MAX. CUR. THROUGH WIPER	MAX. POWER AT 70°C	MAX. WORKING VOLTAGE	MAX. CUR. THROUGH WIPER	P11	PA 11
Ω	W	v	mA	W	V	mA	W	V	mA	ppm	n/°C
22 47	1	4.69 6.85	213.2 145.8							± 200	
100 200 470 1k 2.2k 4,7k 10k 22k 47k 100k 220k 470k 1M 2.2M 4.7M	1 0.56 0.26 0.12 0.05 0.02	10 14.8 21.6 31.6 46.9 63.5 100 148.3 216.7 316.2 350 350 350 350 350 350	100 67.4 46.1 31.6 21.3 14.5 10 6.7 4.6 3.16 1.59 0.75 0.35 0.16 0.07	0.5 0.5 0.26 0.12	15.3 22.4 33.2 48.5 79.7 105 153 224 332 350 350	32.7 22.4 15.1 10.3 7.07 4.77 3.26 2.24 1.51 0.74 0.35	0.5 0.5 0.5 0.26	22.4 33.2 48.5 79.7 105 153 224 332 350	22.4 15.1 10.3 7.07 4.77 3.26 2.24 1.51 0.74	± 100	± 1000

POWER RATING CHART



MULTIPLE ASSEMBLIES

Standard assemblies can comprise up to 7 modules in addition to the shaft and bushing module.

Detents module (CV)

Switch modules (RS or RSI)

Potentiometer modules

Spacer module (EV) to increase the distance between rows of pins from 5.06 mm (0.200) to 10.16 mm (0.400).

Screening module, with ground terminal.

The position of each module is free except the push/push, momentary push and motor which has to be the last module.

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LINEARITY - CONFORMITY



INTERLINEARITY - INTERCONFORMITY





The independent linearity (conformity for the non linear laws) is the maximum gap ΔV between the actual variation curve and the theorical variation curve the nearest to it. The linearity and the conformity are expressed in percentage of the total applied voltage E

linearity / conformity =
$$\pm \frac{\Delta V \text{ max.}}{E}$$
 %

They are measured over 90% of actual electrical travel (centered).

On request linearity can be guaranteed in linear law. For example: linearity $\pm 2 \% + J 145$ option (see ordering procedure).

It is the maximum deviation between the actual voltage outputs of 2 or more pot modules in the same assembly. It is expressed as a percentage of the total applied voltage, or preferably in dB attenuation.

Interlinearity is measured between 2 pot modules, over 10 to 90% of the attenuation.

The interlinearity or interconformity is expressed as a percentage of the total applied voltage :

$$I\% = \frac{ICI}{E}$$

Or in decibels by comparison between outputs V_1 and V_2

$$I dB = 20 \log \frac{V_1}{V_2}$$

PERFORMANCE								
		TYPICAL VALUES AND DRIFTS						
TESTS	CONDITIONS		P11 CERMET	PA11 CONDUCTIVE PLASTIC				
	1000 h at + 70°C	total resistance shift	± 2%	± 10%				
Load Life	(90'/30')	contact resistance variation	± 4%	± 5%				
Temperature Cycle	5 cycles – 55°C to 125°C	total resistance shift	± 0.2%	± 0.5% typical				
Moisture	+ 40°C 93% relative humidity	total resistance shift insulation resistance	56 days ± 2% >1000 MΩ	21 days ±5% >10 MΩ				
Rotational Life	P11 / PA 11 : 50 000 cycles	total resistance shift contact resistance variation	± 5% ± 5%	± 6% ± 2%				
Climatic Sequence	Dry heat + 125°C / Damp heat Cold – 55°C / Damp heat 5 cycles	total resistance shift	± 1%	_				
Shock	50 G 11 ms 3 shocks - 3 directions	total resistance shift resistance setting change	± 0.2%, ± 0.5%	± 0.2% ± 0.5% typical				
Vibration	10 - 55 Hz 0,75 mm or 10 G 6 hours	total resistance shift voltage setting change	± 0.2 % ± 0.5% typical	± 0.2 % ± 0.5% typical				



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RSD SINGLE POLE SWITCH, NORMALLY OPEN

RSF SINGLE POLE SWITCH, NORMALLY OPEN

is made at the beginning of the travel in CCW direction.

RSID SINGLE POLE CHANGEOVER

RSIF SINGLE POLE CHANGEOVER

and b. It is open between 2 and 3 and b and c.

b and c. It is open between 1 and 2 and a and b.

and open between 1 and 3. Switch actuation (CCW

RSPP F2 : PUSH/PUSH SWITCH WITH TWO

reverses these positions.

direction) reverses these positions.

Not available on P11V and P11-2.

SWITCH SPECIFICATIONS

On request for P11Q and P11-7.

Switching Power max.

Switching Current max.

Max. Current Through Element

MODEL

REVERSING SWITCHES

In full CW position, the contact between 1 and 3 is open. It

In full CCW position, the contact is made between 3 and 2

In full CW position, the contact is made between 1 and 2

Idle position : the contact is made between 1 and 2 and a

Pushed position: the contact is made between 2 and 3 and

RS - RSI

62.5 VA 🕁

15 VA =

0.25 A 250 VU

0.5 A 30 V =

2 A

F2 to F8

50 VA υ

0.5A

2 A

100m0

and open between 3 and 1. Switch actuation (CW direction)

is made at the beginning of the travel in CW direction.

In full CCW position, the contact between 1 and 3 is open. It

OPTIONS MODULES: RS ON/OFF SWITCH RSI CHANGEOVER SWITCH

The position of each module is free.

RS and RSI rotary switches are housed in a standard P11 module size 12.7 x 12.7 x 5.08 mm (.5" x .5" x .2"). They have the same terminal styles as the assembled electrical modules.

CAUTION : Because of the switch actuation travel, the potentiometer total electrical travel is reduced to $240^{\circ} \pm 10^{\circ}$.

Switch actuation is described as seen from the shaft end.

D: means actuation in maximum CCW position

F: means actuation in maximum CW position

The switch actuation travel is 25° with a total mechanical travel of 300° ± 5°.

MODULES: PUSH/PUSH SWITCH RSPP **MOMENTARY/PUSH SWITCH RSMP**

The switches are manufactured by ITT, F.U. series (NE18 series available on request).

They have to be the last element of potentiometer and are linked to electrical module by an interface.

RSPP and RSMP switches are available only with

P11/PA11 T-Q or 7 series not with P11/PA11 V or 2 series. Options :

2 reversing switches F2 4 reversing switches F4

6 reversing switches F6 8 reversing switches F8

Available with shafts R(T), G (Q), CR (7) others shafts on request.

Not available with panel sealed option.

Number of modules before the switch limited to 3 modules.

VALLEY DETENTS

The valley detents mechanism is housed in a standard P11 module. Úp to 21 detents position available. Count detents as follows : 1 for CCW position, 1 for full CW

position, plus the other positions forming equal resistance increments (linear taper) - not equal angles. Available now : CVID - CVIF - CVIM



SWITCH MODULES





Contact Resistance 30mO

		0011122	10011152	
Dielectric	Terminal to Terminal	1000 V RMS	1500 V RMS	
Strength	Terminal to Bushing	2000 V RMS	2000 V RMS	
Max. Volta	ge Operation	250 V v 30 V =	250 V v	
Insulation Re	esistance Between Contacts	10 ⁶ ΜΩ	10 ³ ΜΩ	
life at Dn	nav	10 000	100 000	
	Ia	actuations	actuations	
Minimal Travel		25°	3.3 mm to	
			4.7 mm	
Operating	Temperature	- 40°C to + 85°C	- 20°C + 70°C	

ELECTRICAL DIAGRAM



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CENTER TAP "J"

The extra terminal is a solder lug connected at 50% of electrical travel and situated in the potentiometer module opposite the terminals.

Center tap short circuit 11° of travel.



SHAFTS (see Ordering Information)

The shaft lengths are always measured from the mounting face.

Standard shafts are designed by a letter code (one or two digits). Shafts slots are aligned to $\pm 10^{\circ}$ of the wiper position.

CONCENTRIC SHAFTS

The CC or 0 or 77 concentric shaft versions allies the total flexibility of the P11/PA11 modular system to the advantage of having two separate shafts.

The outer 6 mm or 1/4" or 1/8" dia. shaft drives the modules situated immediately behind the panel, before the spacer module.

The inner 3 mm or 1/8" or .07" dia. shaft drives the modules situated after the spacer module.

Spacer is available with a choice of two spacer thickness :

5.08 mm designations : CC, 0, 77

2.54 mm designations : CC-3, 0-3, and 77-3. See dimensional drawings on second page of this datasheet

CUSTOM SHAFTS

When special shafts are required - flat, threaded ends, special shaft lengths, etc. a drawing is required.

SPLINED SHAFT "I"



FLATTED SHAFT

PA11/P11 - 2 = VHM

PA11/P11 - 7 = CDM



OPTION: ELECTRICAL MODULE ONLY

Application: positioning transducer.

- Solution: single electrical module without shaft bushing assembly.
- Option: 300° electrical travel (equal to mechanical travel) • better linearity of variation law (taper).
- Benefits: economical
 - for servo mounting, small dimensions allow use in tight places or difficult to access locations.

NEUTRAL MODULE "EN"

Neutral or screen module is housed in a standard P11 module. It is used as a screen between two electrical modules. The leads can be connected to ground.

LOCATING PEGS (Anti-rotation lugs)

The locating peg is provided by a plate mounted on the bushing and positioned by the module sides.

Four set positions are available, clock face orientation : 12, 3, 6, 9.

All P11 bushings have a double flat. When panel mounting holes have been punched accordingly, an anti-rotation log is not necessary.



Fig. 10

		Table 5					
CODE		EFFECTIVE					
	VERSION	T-7	V-CC	Q	2-0	PEG	
B24	øD mm	6.5	10.5	7.5	10		
	ød mm	2	2	2	2	0.7	
	Lmm	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2		
B30	ød mm	2	2	2	2	0.7	
	L mm	7.75	7.75	7.75	7.75		
B53	ød mm	_	3.5	_	3.5		
	Lmm	_	13.5	_	13.5	1.1	

TRIMMERS T11

See data sheet document No. 51021

MARKING

POTENTIOMETER MODULE

VISHAY logo, nominal ohmic value (Ω , $k\Omega$, $M\Omega$), two stars identify PA11 version, tolerance in % - variation law, manufacturing date (four digits), "3" for the lead 3.

SWITCH MODULE

Version, manufacturing date (four digits), "c" for common lead.

INDENT MODULE

Version, manufacturing date (four digits).



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ORDERING INFORMATION



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