# COMMON MODE SUPPRESSION CHOKES IN NANOCRYSTALLINE VITROPERM

### for Automotive Applications



# New Model Range of Common Mode Chokes for Automotive Applications

- Developed for DC/DC converters in hybrid and electric vehicles
- Automotive qualified in compliance with AECQ200
- Ambient temperature:  $T_a = -40 \,^{\circ}\text{C...} + 115 \,^{\circ}\text{C}$
- Max. operating temperature with limited duration: T<sub>op</sub>= 160 °C
- Rated insulation voltage:  $U_i = 525 V_{RMS}$  (functional insulation, pollution degree 1)
- Manufacture conforming to "Technical Cleanliness" according VDA Volume 19

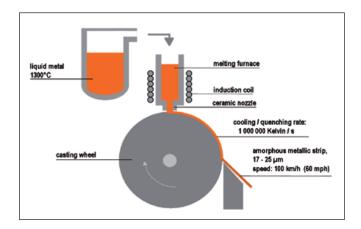
#### **General Advantages and Benefits of Nanocrystalline Chokes**

- Small size
  - $\rightarrow$  High  $\mu$ , high  $B_s$
- Suitable for high currents and/or high voltages
  - $\rightarrow$  High  $\mu$ , high  $B_s$ , optimized core design
- Single-stage filter concepts possible
  - $\rightarrow$  Extreme broadband attenuation behaviour, high permeability, low capacitance designs, slow  $\mu$  decline towards higher frequencies, low Q factor in the 150 kHz range
- . High efficiency, low dissipation loss
  - → Low number of windings necessary for high L, filter stage reduction
- · Suitable for high and low ambient temperatures and high operating temperatures
  - $\rightarrow$  High Curie temperature, material properties ( $\mu$ , B<sub>s</sub>,  $\lambda$ <sub>s</sub>) virtually independent of temperature
- . "Easy filter design"
  - $\rightarrow$  material properties ( $\mu$ ,  $B_s$ ,  $\lambda_s$ ) virtually independent of temperature, constant impedance over a wide common mode current range due to linear magnetization curve
- . Optimally adapted solutions for various applications available
  - → Various µ levels, various VITROPERM alloys

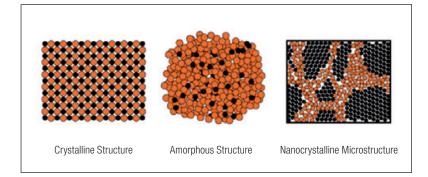


#### **VITROPERM: Making the most of iron**

The nanocrystalline VITROPERM® alloys are materials based on Fe, Si and B with additions of Nb and Cu. By using rapid solidification technology they are manufactured as thin ribbons in their final thickness of approximately 20  $\mu$ m. The ribbons are then processed on special winding machines into toroidal tape-wound cores in the size range from 2 mm to 600 mm (external diameter). For the formation of the nanocrystalline microstructure, the still amorphous ribbons in the as-manufactured state undergo heat treatment at 500 °C to 600 °C, resulting in a two-phase structure with fine crystalline grains (mean diameter 10-40 nm) embedded in a residual amorphous phase. This structural feature is the pre-requisite for achieving the highest permeability and the lowest coercive field strength values. In addition, the low ribbon thicknesses and the relatively high electrical resistance of 1.1-1.2  $\mu\Omega$ m ensure the lowest eddy current losses and the exceptional frequency response of the permeability. The combination of these properties together with a saturation flux density of 1.2 T and favourable thermal properties make the nanocrystalline, soft magnetic state-of-the-art VITROPERM material the universal solution for EMC problems, superior in many ways to conventional ferrite and amorphous material solutions.



Rapid solidification technology for the manufacture of metal ribbons with an amorphous (vitreous) structure

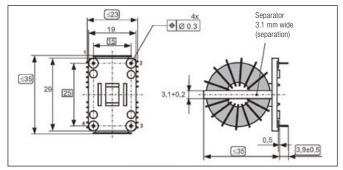


Nanocrystalline cores and components have already been used with great success for many years in common mode suppression chokes (CMC) in automotive applications due to their superior soft magnetic properties. Through the use of cost-effective alloying elements (Fe based) and modern large-scale series production, VITROPERM has already established itself as a competitive solution in many diverse applications.

# Type 1: Dimensions 35 mm x 23 mm x 35 mm





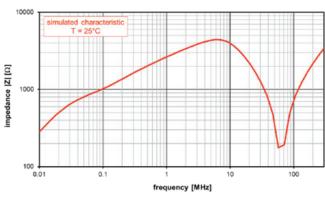


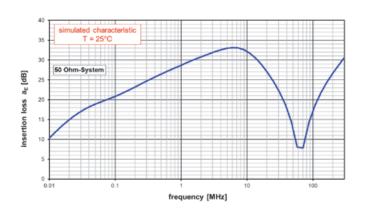
Туре	Dimensions	nsions   Core (magn.)   Wind		lings I <sub>N</sub>		L [mH]		ΙΖΙ [Ω]		I <sub>unbal.</sub> [mA]		
T60405-R	lxbxh	Ext. Dia x int. Dia		No. of								
	[mm]	x h [mm]	Ø [mm]	Wind.	[A]	10 kHz	100 kHz	10 kHz	100 kHz	10 kHz	100 kHz	DC
6127-X010			1.12	2 x 20	8	26.8	6.2	1,770	6,630	16	33	14
6127-X011			1.18	2 x 18	9	21.7	5.0	1,440	5,320	18	36	16
6127-X012			1.25	2 x 16	10	17.1	4.0	1,130	4,180	20	41	18
6127-X013			1.32	2 x 14	11	13.1	3.1	867	3,180	23	47	20
6127-X014	35 x 23 x 35	25 x 16 x 10	1.4	2 x 13	12	11.3	2.7	748	2,730	24	50	22
6127-X007			1.5	2 x 11	13	8.1	1.9	535	1,930	29	59	26
6127-X008			1.6	2 x 10	14.5	6.7	1.6	442	1,590	32	65	28
6127-X006			1.8	2 x 8	19.4	4.3	1.0	284	1,030	40	81	35
6127-X009			1.9	2 x 7	21	3.3	0.8	216	780	45	93	40

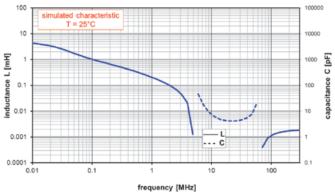
Other designs available on request.

#### Example: T60405-R6127-X006

 $R_{cu} = 3.4 \text{ m}\Omega$  (typical value)  $m \approx 40 \text{ g}$ 



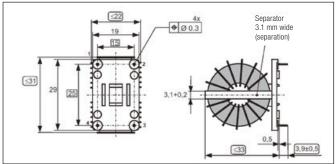




# Type 2: Dimensions 31 mm x 22 mm x 33 mm





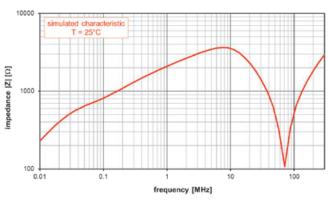


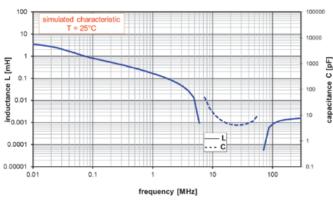
Туре	Dimensions	Core (magn.)	Windings		I <sub>N</sub>	L [mH]		ΙΖΙ [Ω]		I <sub>unbal.</sub> [mA]		
T60405-R	lxbxh	Ext. Dia x int. Dia		No. of								
	[mm]	x h [mm]	Ø [mm]	Wind.	[A]	10 kHz	100 kHz	10 kHz	100 kHz	10 kHz	100 kHz	DC
6127-X015			1.12	2 x 16	8	13.8	3.2	914	3,310	18	36	16
6127-X016			1.18	2 x 14	9	10.5	2.5	696	2,530	20	41	18
6127-X017			1.25	2 x 13	9.5	9.1	2.1	602	2,180	22	44	19
6127-X018	31 x 22 x 33	21.5x15.6x10.3	1.32	2 x 11	11	6.5	1.5	431	1,540	25	52	23
6127-X019			1.4	2 x 10	12	5.4	1.3	356	1,280	28	58	25
6127-X020			1.5	2 x 9	14	4.4	1.0	288	1,030	31	64	28
6127-X005			1.6	2 x 8	15.2	3.4	0.8	228	820	35	72	31

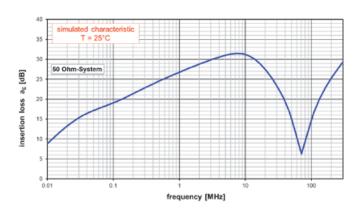
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#### Example: T60405-R6127-X005

 $R_{cu} = 3.6 \text{ m}\Omega$  (typical value)  $m \approx 20 \text{ g}$ 







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