## RI-27 Series Dry Reed Switch



Dimensions for RI-27 Series

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Pico dry-reed switch hermetically sealed in a gas-filled glass envelope. Single-pole, single-throw (SPST) type, having normally open contacts, and containing two magnetically actuated reeds.

The switch is of the double-ended type and may be actuated by an electromagnet, a permanent magnet or a combination of both. The device is intended for use in relays, sensors, pulse counters or similar devices.

## RI-27 Series Features

- Ideal for ATE switching
- Contact layers: gold, sputtered ruthenium
- Superior glass-to-metal seal and blade alignment
- Excellent life expectancy and reliability
- RoHS Compliant


All Dimension in inches (mm) nominal

## General data for all models RI-27

## AT-Customization / Performed Leads

Besides the standard models, customized products can also be supplied offering the following options:

- Operate and release ranges to customer specification
- Cropped and/or performed leads


## Coils

All characteristics are measured using the Philips Standard Coil. For definitions of the Philips Standard Coil, refer to "Application Notes" in the Reed Switch Technical \& Application Information Section of this catalog.

## Life expectancy and reliability

The life expectancy data given below are valid for a coil energized at 1.25 times the published maximum operate value for each type in the RI- 27 series.

## No load conditions (operating frequency: 100Hz)

Life expectancy: min. $10^{9}$ operations with a failure rate of less than $2 \times 10^{-10}$ with a confidence level of $90 \%$.
End of life criteria:
Contact resistance $>1 \Omega$ after 2 ms
Release time $>2 \mathrm{~ms}$ (latching or contact sticking).

Loaded conditions (resistive load: 5 V; 100 mA; operating frequency: 125 Hz )

## RI-27AAA

Life expectancy: min. $2 \times 10^{7}$ operations with a failure rate of less than $10^{-8}$ with a confidence level of $90 \%$.
End of life criteria:
Contact resistance $>1 \Omega$ after 2.5 ms
Release time > 1 ms (latching or contact sticking).

## RI-27AA; RI-27A

Life expectancy: min. $5 \times 10^{7}$ operations with a failure rate of less than $0.5 \times 10^{-8}$ with a confidence level of $90 \%$.
End of life criteria:
Contact resistance > $1 \Omega$ after 2.5 ms
Release time > 1 ms (latching or contact sticking).

## Loaded conditions (resistive load: 12 V ; 4 mA ; ( 15 mA peak); operating frequency: 170 Hz )

## RI-27AAA Not applicable. <br> RI-27AA; RI-27A

Life expectancy: min. $45 \times 10^{6}$ operations (tested up to $50 \times 10^{6}$ operations).

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Technical Specifications

| Parameters | Test Conditions | Units | RI-27AAA | RI-27AA | RI-27A |
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| Operating Characteristics |  |  |  |  |  |
| Operate Range <br> Release Range <br> Operate Time - including Bounce (typ.) <br> Bounce Time (typ.) <br> Release Time (max) <br> Resonant Frequency (typ.) |  | AT <br> AT <br> ms <br> ms <br> $\mu \mathrm{s}$ <br> Hz | $\begin{gathered} 10-19 \\ 4-16 \\ 0.25 \\ 0.05 \\ 30 \\ 6700 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 16-25 \\ 5-18 \\ 0.25 \\ 0.05 \\ 30 \\ 6700 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 20-34 \\ 7-19.5 \\ 0.25 \\ 0.05 \\ 30 \\ 6700 \end{gathered}$ |
| Electrical Characteristics |  |  |  |  |  |
| Switched Power (max) <br> Switched Voltage DC (max) <br> Switched Voltage AC, RMS value (max) <br> Switched Current DC (max) <br> Switched Current AC, RMS value (max) <br> Carry Current DC (max) <br> Breakdown Voltage (min) <br> Contact Resistance (initial max.) <br> Contact Resistance (initial typ.) <br> Contact Capacitance (max) <br> Insulation Resistance (min) | without test coil $R H \leq 45 \%$ | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{W} \\ \mathrm{~V} \\ \mathrm{~V} \\ \mathrm{~mA} \\ \mathrm{~mA} \\ \mathrm{~A} \\ \mathrm{~V} \\ \mathrm{~m} \Omega \\ \mathrm{~m} \Omega \\ \mathrm{pF} \\ \mathrm{M} \Omega \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 10 \\ 180 \\ 130 \\ 500 \\ 500 \\ 1.5 \\ 180 \\ 115 \\ 90 \\ 0.3 \\ 10^{6} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 10 \\ 200 \\ 140 \\ 500 \\ 500 \\ 1.75 \\ 240 \\ 115 \\ 90 \\ 0.3 \\ 10^{6} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 10 \\ 200 \\ 140 \\ 500 \\ 500 \\ 1.75 \\ 280 \\ 115 \\ 90 \\ 0.25 \\ 10^{6} \end{gathered}$ |

## End of life criteria:

Contact resistance $>2 \Omega$ after 4 ms
Release time $>0.7 \mathrm{~ms}$ (latching or contact sticking). Switching different loads involves different life expectancy and reliability data. Further information is available on request.

## Mechanical Data

Contact arrangement is normally open; lead finish is tinned; net mass is approximately 100 mg ; and can be mounted in any position.

## Shock

The switches are tested in accordance with "IEC 68-2-27", test Ea (peak acceleration 150 G , half sinewave; duration 11 ms ). Such a shock will not cause an open switch (no magnetic field present) to close, nor a switch kept closed by an 80 AT coil to open.

## Vibration

The switches are tested in accordance with "IEC 68-2-6", test Fc (acceleration 10G; below cross-over-frequency 57 to 62 Hz ; amplitude 0.75 mm ; frequency range 10 to 2000 Hz ; duration 90 minutes.) Such a vibration will not cause an open switch ( no magnetic field present) to close, nor a switch kept closed by an 80 AT coil to open.

## Mechanical Strength

The robustness of the terminations is tested in accordance with "IEC 68-2-21", test Ua1 (load 10 N ).

## Operating and Storage Temperature

Operating ambient temperature; min: $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$; max: $+125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. Storage temperature; min: $-55^{\circ}$; max: $+125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. Note: Temperature excursions up to $150^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ may be permissible. For more information contact your nearest Comus Group sales office.

## Soldering

The switch can withstand soldering heat in accordance with "IEC 68-2-20", test Tb, method 1 B : solder bath at $350 \pm 10^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ for $3.5 \pm 0.5 \mathrm{~s}$. Solderability is tested in accordance with "IEC 68-2-20" test Ta, method 3: solder globule temperature $235^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$; ageing 1 b : 4 hours steam.

## Welding

The leads can be welded.

## Mounting

The leads should not be bent closer than 1 mm to the glass-to-metal seals. Stress on the seals should be avoided Care must be taken to prevent stray magnetic fields from influencing the operating and measuring conditions.

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