# **Series-Connected SuperCapacitor Modules**





This new series of electrochemical, double-layer, series-connected SuperCapacitor modules offers excellent pulse power handling characteristics based on the combination of very high capacitance and very low ESR. Used by themselves or in conjunction with primary or secondary batteries, they provide extended back up time, longer battery life, and provide instantaneous power pulses as needed. Offers great solutions to Hold Up, Energy Harvesting, and Pulse Power Applications.

## **FEATURES**

- · Low ESR provides high efficiency and high-power density
- Withstands high vibrations and high current applications
- Lifetime capable of millions of cycles
- Active cell balancing

#### **APPLICATIONS**

- Heavy Industrial Equipment
- Grid Storage
- Regenerative Energy Capture
- Pitch Control
- **Energy Harvesting**
- GSM/GPRS Pulse Applications
- UPS/Industrial

## **HOW TO ORDER**







length in mm









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**Package** P = Plastic Case



## **QUALITY INSPECTION**

Parts are tested for life cycle, high temperature load life, temperature characteristics, vibration resistance, and humidity characteristics. See next page for more information.

## **TERMINATION**

This module has terminal screws located off the base of the part. See page 20 for more information.

## **OPERATING TEMPERATURE**

Operating: -40°C to +65°C Storage: - 40°C to +70° (Uncharged)





For RoHScompliant products, please select correct termination style



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## **RATINGS & PART NUMBER REFERENCES**

Part Number	Case Width (mm)	Case Length (mm)	Capacitance (F)	Capacitance Tolerance	Rated Voltage (V)	Rated Temperature (°C)	DCL Max @ 72 Hrs (mA)	ESR Max @ 1000 Hz (mΩ)	ESR Max @ DC (mΩ)	Max Surge (V)	Peak Current (A)	Max Op. Current @ 15°C (A)	Max Energy (Wh)
SuperCap Module													
SCMA63S586SPPB2	234	364.5	5.8	+30% / -10%	160	65	25	-	150	170	249	21.1	20.7

## **Additional Information**

- Typical Weight: 5.3kg (±0.05) Insulation Resistance: ≥ 200MΩ

- High-Pot Capability: 5000 V<sub>DC</sub> Recommended Torque for Power Terminals: M4 - 2Nm M5 - 4Nm
- Passive Cell Voltage Management
- Cell Component: 60pcs of 2.7V 350F, 33mm x 63mm

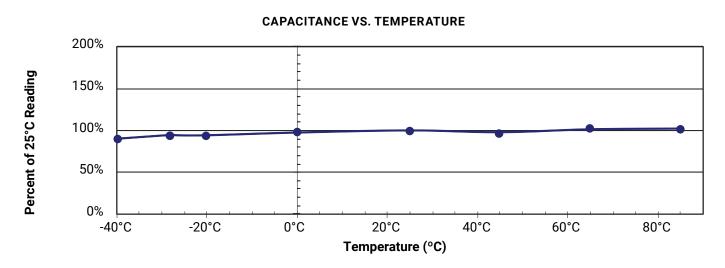
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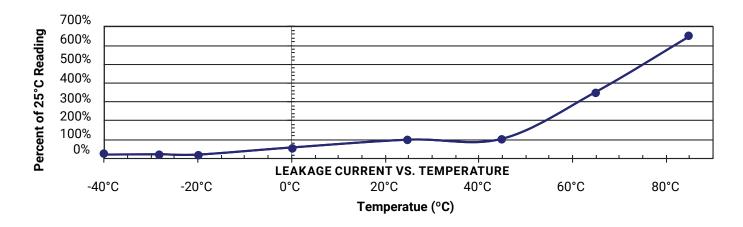
Test	Test Method	Parameter	Limits	
Life Cycle	Capacitors are cycled between rated voltage and half-rated voltage under constant current at +25°C for 500,000 cycles	Capacitance ESR Appearance	≥70% of spec value ≤100% of spec value No remarkable defects	
Temperature	Temperature: -40°C to +65°C	Capacitance	≥70% of spec value	
Characteristics	Voltage: Rated Voltage	ESR Appearance	≤100% of spec value No remarkable defects	
O	Storage Duration: 2 years	Capacitance	≤10% of spec value	
Storage Temperature Characteristics	No Load	ESR	≤100% of spec value	
onal acteriotics	Temperature: +25°C ± 10°C	Appearance	No remarkable defects	
Vibration Resistance	IEC 60068-2-27, 29 / IEC 60068-2-6	Capacitance ESR Appearance	≥70% of spec value ≤100% of spec value No remarkable defects	

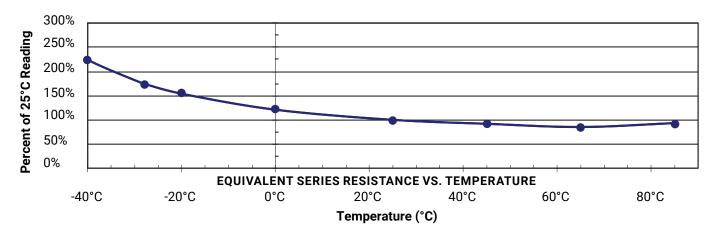




## **QUALITY AND RELIABILITY**





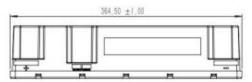


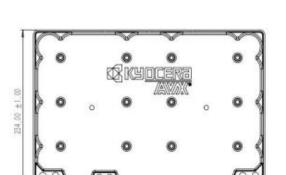
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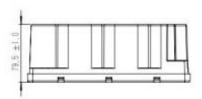
# **MECHANICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

# (All dimensions in mm)

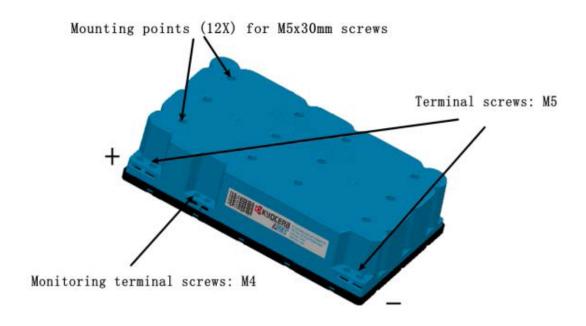




L (±0.5)		W	H	d	P	
		(±0.5)	(±0.5)	(±0.05)	(±0.8)	
	364.5	234	79.5	-	-	



# **PIN INFORMATION**



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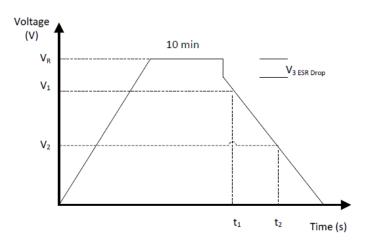
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## **TEST METHODS**

# **IEC CAPACITANCE TEST METHOD**

Procedure:

Charge module under constant current to rated voltage at room temperature, then hold 10 minutes on charge under constant voltage. After 10 minutes, discharge under constant current (as shown in chart below), recording voltage at V1, V2, and time intervals at t1 and t2. Use the capacitance formula to determine cap value.



I - Discharge Current, 4 × C × V<sub>R</sub> (mA)

V<sub>p</sub> - Rated Voltage (V)

V<sub>1</sub> - Initial Test Voltage, 80% Of V<sub>p</sub> (V)

 $V_2$  - Final Test Voltage, 40% Of  $V_R$  (V)

t, - Initial Test Time (s)

T<sub>2</sub> - Final Test Time (s)

$$C = \frac{1 \times (t_2 - t_1)}{V1 - V2}$$

# DC ESR MEASUREMENT

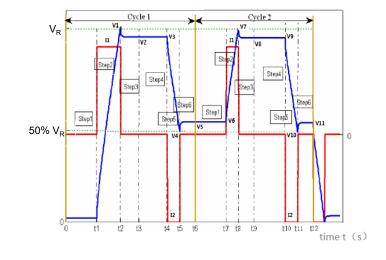
A six-step  $\mathsf{ESR}_{\mathtt{DC}}$  test method is illustrated to the right and carried out as follows:

- Rest 10 Seconds
- Charge under constant current (I<sub>1</sub>) to rated voltage (V<sub>R</sub>)
- Rest 5 seconds
- Rest 10 seconds, record V<sub>3</sub> and t<sub>4</sub>
- Discharge under constant current (I2) to half rated voltage, Record I<sub>2</sub>, V<sub>4</sub>, And t<sub>5</sub>
- Rest 2 seconds, record V<sub>5</sub> And t<sub>6</sub>

Repeat steps 1-6 recording I, V, And t accordingly, finally discharging to below 0.1V under constant current (I<sub>2</sub>).

Formulas to calculate:

- Two cycle discharge capacitances:  $C_{dch1} = I_2 \times \frac{(t_5 t_4)}{V_3 V_4}$ ;  $C_{dch2} = I_2 \times \frac{(t_{11} t_{10})}{(V_9 V_{10})}$
- Discharge capacitance:  $C_{dch} = \frac{(C_{dch1} + C_{dch2})}{2}$
- Two cycle discharge DC ESR:  $ESR_{dch1} = \frac{(V_s V_4)}{I_2}$ ;  $ESR_{dch2} = \frac{(V_{11} V_{10})}{I_2}$ Discharge DC ESR:  $ESR_{dch} = \frac{(ESR_{dch1} + ESR_{dch2})}{2}$



Note: I<sub>1</sub> = I<sub>2</sub> = 75mA/F, the rated capacitance in the chart means discharge capacitance, and DC ESR (ESR<sub>DC</sub>) means discharge DC resistance.

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TEST METHODS (continued)

#### **MAXIMUM CONTINUOUS CURRENT**

• This is the maximum current when temperature rise of the supercapacitor during its operation is less than 15°C

#### **MAXIMUM PEAK CURRENT**

· This is the maximum current during 1 second time interval (dt)

#### WATT DENSITY

• Watt Density =  $(0.12*V^2 / R_{pc})$  / mass

#### **ENERGY DENSITY**

Energy Density = (½ CV²) / (3600\*mass)

## **POLARITY AND REVERSE VOLTAGE**

For product consistency and optimum performance, it is recommended that the capacitor be connected with polarity indicated. Reversing polarity could result in permanent damage to the circuit including much higher leakage current for a short duration of time and the life time of the supercapacitors will be reduced.

## LIFE TIME AND TEMPERATURE PERFORMANCE

The life of a supercapacitor is impacted by a combination of operating voltage and the operating temperature according to the following Time to Failure equation:

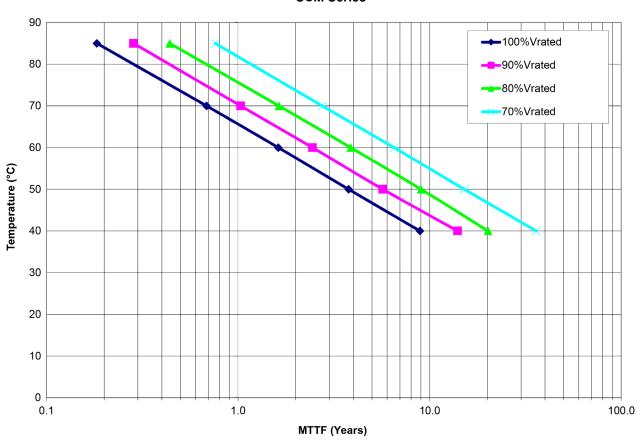
$$t \propto V^n \times e^{\left(\frac{-Q}{kT}\right)}$$

where V is the operating voltage, Q is the activation energy in electron volts (eV), k is the Boltzmann constant in eV, and T is the operating temperature in Kelvin (K). Typical values for the voltage exponent, n, is between 2.5-3.5, and Q is between 1.0-1.2 eV in the normal operating temperature range of -40° to 65°C.

The industry standard for supercapacitor end of life is when the equivalent series resistance, ESR, increases to 200% of the specified value and the capacitance drops by 30% from specified value. Typically a supercapacitor shows an initial "jump" in the ESR value and then levels off. If the supercapacitors are exposed to excessive temperatures the ESR will show a continuous degradation (increase). In the extreme case, if the temperature or voltage are substantially higher than the rated specifications, this could result in the part venting and the product showing a faster degradation of capacitance and ESR, which may be many times the specified value.



## **Expected Lifetime at Various Voltages SCM Series**



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## SAFETY RECOMMENDATIONS

#### WARNINGS

- · To Avoid Short Circuit, after usage or test, Super Capacitor voltage needs to discharge to ≤ 0.1V
- Do not Apply Overvoltage, Reverse Charge, Burn or Heat Higher than 150°C, explosion-proof valve may break open
- Do not Press, Damage or disassemble the Super Capacitor, housing could heat to high temperature causing Burns
- If you observe Overheating or Burning Smell from the capacitor disconnect Power immediately, and do not touch

#### **EMERGENCY APPLICATIONS**

- If Housing is Leaking:
- Skin Contact: Use soap and water thoroughly to wash the area of the skin
- Eye Contact: Flush with flowing water or saline, and immediately seek medical treatment
- · Ingestion: Immediately wash with water and seek medical treatment

## **TRANSPORTATION**

Not subjected to US DOT or IATA regulations UN3499, <10Wh, Non-Hazardous Goods International shipping description -"Electronic Products - Capacitor"

## **REGULATORY**

- · RoHS Compliant
- · REACH Compliant
- Halogen free according to IEC 61249-2-2: 2003 and IPC/JEDEC-JSTD-709

#### **STORAGE**

Capacitors may be stored within the temperature range of -40°C to +70°C with humidity < 60%. Lower storage temperature is preferred as it extends the shelf life of the capacitor. Product over one year and within two years of the date code, we recommend recharging the product at the beginning of use for at least 24 hours.

Optimum storage conditions are as follows:

- 25°C and RH ≤ 60% without voltage applied
- · Not in direct sunlight
- · Not in direct contact with water, salt oil or other chemicals
- · Not in direct contact with corrosive materials, acids, alkalis, or toxic gases
- · Not in dusty environments
- · Not in environments with shock and vibration conditions