

# T545 Series High Energy Polymer Tantalum

## Overview

The KEMET Organic Capacitor is a tantalum capacitor with a Ta anode and Ta<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> dielectric. A conductive organic polymer replaces the traditionally used MnO<sub>2</sub> as the cathode plate of the capacitor. This results in very low ESR and improved capacitance retention at high frequency. The polymer technology also exhibits a benign failure mode which eliminates the ignition failures that can occur in standard MnO<sub>2</sub> tantalum types. Ta polymers may be operated at voltages up to 90% of rated voltage for part types with rated voltages of ≤ 10 volts and up to 80% of rated voltage for part types > 10 volts with equivalent or better reliability than traditional MnO<sub>2</sub> tantalum capacitors operated at 50% of rated voltage.

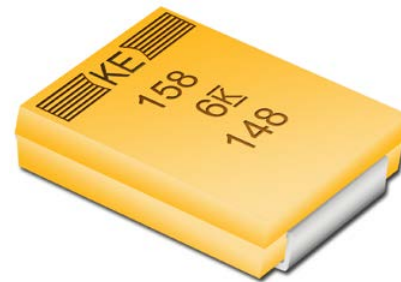
The T545 Series was developed to deliver the highest energy per CC of any tantalum surface mount device (SMD). This capability makes this capacitor an excellent solution for designs requiring high energy at relatively low voltages, such as data hardening or data vaulting for solid state drives (SSD's). The T545 Series High Energy Polymer Tantalum Surface Mount Capacitor captures the best features of multilayer ceramic capacitors (low ESR and high frequency capacitance retention), aluminum electrolytic capacitors (higher capacitance and benign failure mode) and proven solid tantalum technology (volumetric efficiency, surface mount capability and extremely long life). In addition, this series is subjected to 100% thermal shock and voltage aging to insure long term reliability.

## Benefits

- Extremely low ESR
- High energy delivery capability
- -55°C to 125°C operating temperature range
- Polymer cathode technology
- High frequency capacitance retention
- Non-ignition failure mode
- Capacitance up to 1,500 µF
- Voltage: 6.3 – 63 V
- 100% accelerated steady state aging
- 100% surge current tested
- 100% thermal shock
- Volumetric efficiency, very high capacitance
- Self-healing mechanism
- Taped and reeled per EIA 481-1, EIA standard case sizes

## Applications

Typical applications include hold-up, data hardening or vaulting for enterprise and military SSDs, and high end desktop modems.



## Environmental Compliance

RoHS Compliant (6/6) according to Directive 2002/95/EC when ordered with 100% Sn solder.



RoHS Compliant

## SPICE

For a detailed analysis of specific part numbers, please visit [www.kemet.com](http://www.kemet.com) for a free download of KEMET's SPICE software. The KEMET SPICE program is freeware intended to aid design engineers in analyzing the performance of these capacitors over frequency, temperature, ripple, and DC bias conditions.

## Ordering Information

T	545	H	108	M	006	A	T	E055	
Capacitor Class	Series	Case Size	Capacitance Code (pF)	Capacitance Tolerance	Voltage	Failure Rate/Design	Lead Material	ESR	Packaging (C-Spec)
T = Tantalum	High Energy Polymer Tantalum	B, D, H, M, T, V, W, X, Y	First two digits represent significant figures. Third digit specifies number of zeros.	M = $\pm 20\%$ K = $\pm 10\%$	006 = 6.3 V 008 = 8 V 010 = 10 V 016 = 16 V 020 = 20 V 025 = 25 V 035 = 35 V 050 = 50 V 063 = 63 V	A = N/A	T = 100% Tin (Sn)	ESR in m $\Omega$	Blank = 7" Reel 7280 = 13" Reel

## Performance Characteristics

Item	Performance Characteristics
Operating Temperature	-55°C to 125°C
Rated Capacitance Range	47 $\mu$ F – 1,500 $\mu$ F @ 120 Hz/25°C
Capacitance Tolerance	K Tolerance (10%), M Tolerance (20%)
Rated Voltage Range	6.3 – 63 V
DF (120 Hz)	Refer to Part Number Electrical Specification Table
ESR (100 kHz)	Refer to Part Number Electrical Specification Table
Leakage Current	$\leq 0.1$ CV ( $\mu$ A) at rated voltage after 5 minutes

## Qualification

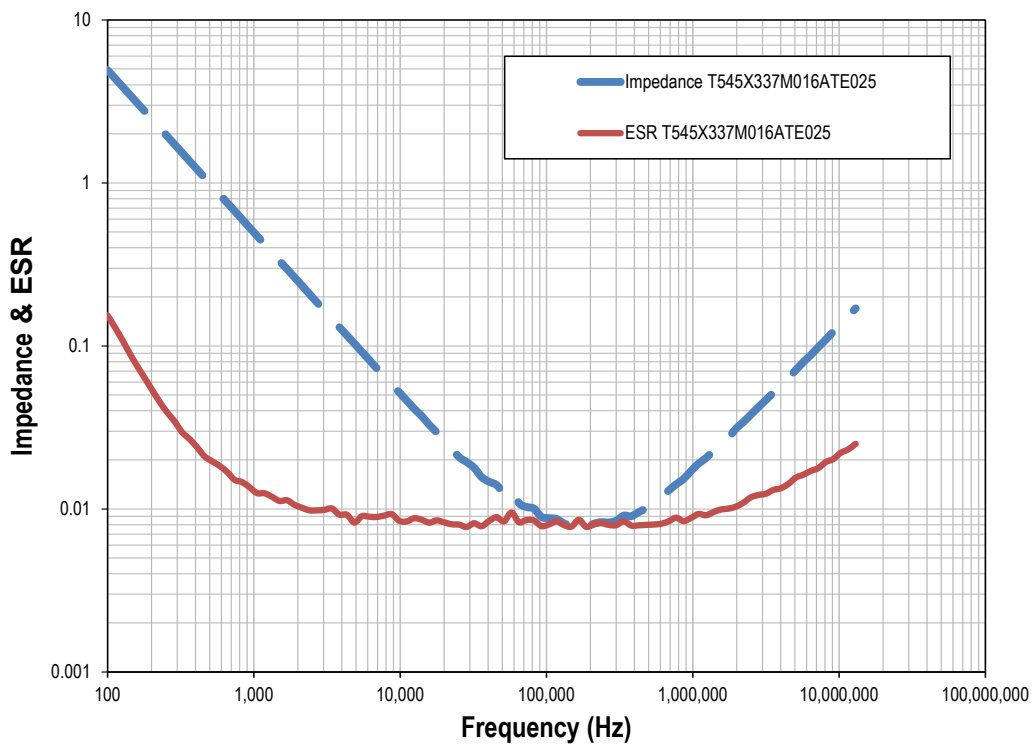
Test	Condition	Characteristics		
Endurance	85°C @ rated voltage, 2,000 hours**	$\Delta$ C/C	Within -20/+10 of initial value	
		DF	Within initial limits	
		DCL	Within 1.25 x initial limit	
		ESR	Within 2.0 x initial limit	
Storage Life	85°C @ 0 volts, 2,000 hours**	$\Delta$ C/C	Within -20/+10 of initial value	
		DF	Within initial limits	
		DCL	Within 1.25 x initial limit	
		ESR	Within 2.0 x initial limit	
Humidity	60°C, 90% RH, 1,000 hours	$\Delta$ C/C	Within -5%/+35% of initial value	
		DF	Within initial limits	
		DCL	Within 5.0 x initial limit	
		ESR	Within 2.0 x initial limit	
Temperature Stability	Extreme temperature exposure at a succession of continuous steps at +25°C, -55°C, +25°C, +85°C, +25° C	+25°C	-55°C	+85°C
		$\Delta$ C/C	IL*	+/-20%
		DF	IL	1.2 x IL
		DCL	IL	10 x IL
Surge Voltage	85°C, 1.32 x rated voltage, 1,000 cycles	$\Delta$ C/C	Within -20/+10 of initial value	
		DF	Within initial limits	
		DCL	Within initial limits	
		ESR	Within initial limits	
Mechanical Shock/Vibration	MIL-STD-202, Method 213, Condition I, 100 G peak MIL-STD-202, Method 204, Condition D, 10 Hz to 2,000 Hz, 20 G peak	$\Delta$ C/C	Within $\pm$ 10 of initial value	
		DF	Within initial limits	
		DCL	Within initial limits	

\*IL = Initial limit

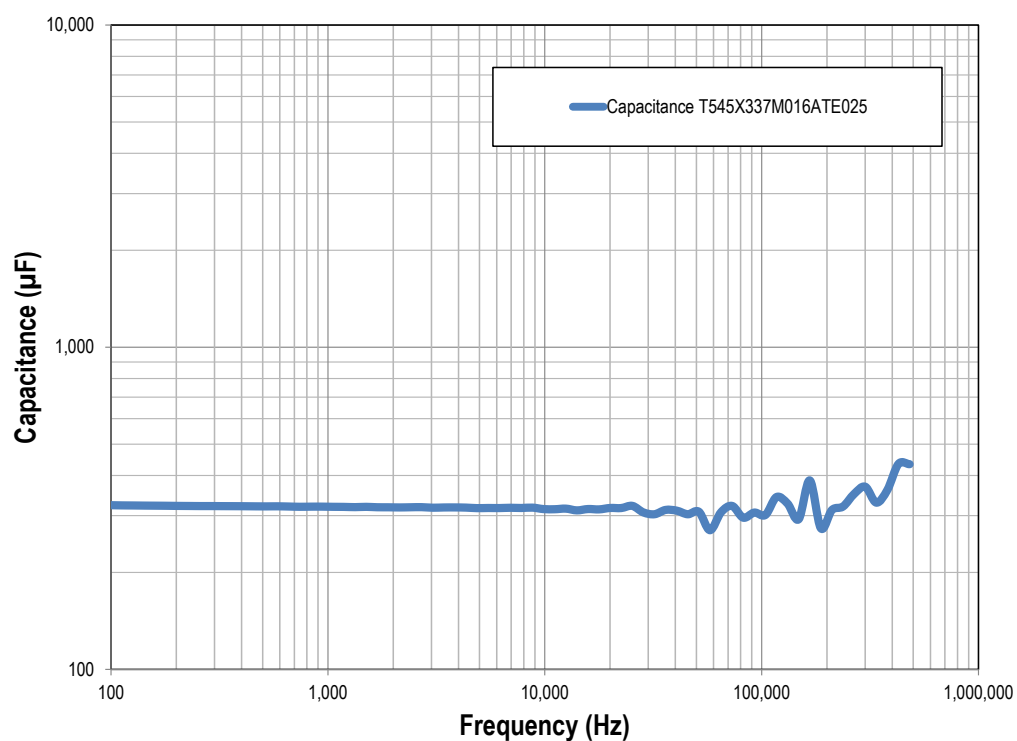
\*\*Minimum temperature test condition 85°C

## Electrical Characteristics

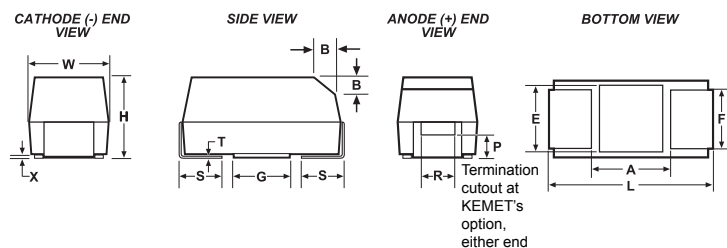
### ESR vs. Frequency



### Capacitance vs. Frequency



## Dimensions – Millimeters



Case Size		Component												
KEMET	EIA	L*	W*	H*	F* ±0.1 ±(0.004)	S* ±0.3 ±(0.012)	B* ±0.15 (Ref) ±0.006	X (Ref)	P (Ref)	R (Ref)	T (Ref)	A (Min)	G (Ref)	E (Ref)
B	3528-21	3.5 ± 0.2 (0.138 ± 0.008)	2.8 ± 0.2 (0.110 ± 0.008)	1.9 ± 0.2 (0.075 ± 0.008)	2.2 (0.087)	0.8 (0.031)	0.4 (0.016)	0.10 ± 0.10 (0.004 ± 0.004)	0.5 (.020)	1.0 (.039)	0.13 (.005)	1.1 (0.043)	1.8 (.071)	2.2 (.087)
D	7343-31	7.3 ± 0.3 (0.287 ± 0.012)	4.3 ± 0.3 (0.169 ± 0.012)	2.8 ± 0.3 (0.110 ± 0.012)	2.4 (0.094)	1.3 (0.051)	0.5 (0.020)	0.10 ± 0.10 (0.004 ± 0.004)	0.9 (.035)	1.0 (.039)	0.13 (.005)	3.8 (.150)	3.5 (.138)	3.5 (.138)
H	7360-20	7.3 ± 0.3 (0.287 ± 0.012)	6.0 ± 0.3 (0.236 ± 0.012)	2.0 (0.078) Maximum	4.1 (0.161)	1.3 (0.051)	n/a	0.10 ± 0.10 (0.004 ± 0.004)	n/a	n/a	0.13 (.005)	3.3 (.130)	3.5 (.138)	3.5 (.138)
M	3528-15	3.5 ± 0.2 (0.138 ± 0.008)	2.8 ± 0.2 (0.110 ± 0.008)	1.5 (0.059)	2.2 (0.087)	0.8 (0.031)	n/a	0.05 (0.002)	n/a	n/a	0.13 (0.005)	1.1 (.043)	1.8 (0.071)	2.2 (0.087)
T	3528-12	3.5 ± 0.2 (0.138 ± 0.008)	2.8 ± 0.2 (0.110 ± 0.008)	1.2 (0.047)	2.2 (0.087)	0.8 (0.031)	n/a	0.05 (0.002)	n/a	n/a	0.13 (0.005)	1.1 (.043)	1.8 (0.071)	2.2 (0.087)
V	7343-20	7.3 ± 0.3 (0.287 ± 0.012)	4.3 ± 0.3 (0.169 ± 0.012)	2.0 (0.079)	2.4 (0.094)	1.3 (0.051)	n/a	0.05 (.002)	n/a	n/a	0.13 (.005)	3.8 (.150)	3.5 (.138)	3.5 (.138)
W	7343-15	7.3 ± 0.3 (0.287 ± 0.012)	4.3 ± 0.3 (0.169 ± 0.012)	1.5 (0.059)	2.4 (0.094)	1.3 (0.051)	n/a	0.05 (.002)	n/a	n/a	0.13 (.005)	3.8 (.150)	3.5 (.138)	3.5 (.138)
X	7343-43	7.3 ± 0.3 (0.287 ± 0.012)	4.3 ± 0.3 (0.169 ± 0.012)	4.0 ± 0.3 (0.157 ± 0.012)	2.4 (0.094)	1.3 (0.051)	0.5 (0.020)	0.10 ± 0.10 (0.004 ± 0.004)	1.7 (.067)	1.0 (.039)	0.13 (.005)	3.8 (.150)	3.5 (.138)	3.5 (.138)
Y	7343-40	7.3 ± 0.3 (0.287 ± 0.012)	4.3 ± 0.3 (0.169 ± 0.012)	4.0 (0.157)	2.4 (0.094)	1.3 (0.051)	0.5 (0.020)	0.10 ± 0.10 (0.004 ± 0.004)	1.7 (.067)	1.0 (.039)	0.13 (.005)	3.8 (.150)	3.5 (.138)	3.5 (.138)

Notes: (Ref) – Dimensions provided for reference only. No dimensions are provided for B, P or R because low profile cases do not have a bevel or a notch.

\* MIL-PRF-55365/8 specified dimensions

**Table 1 – Ratings & Part Number Reference**

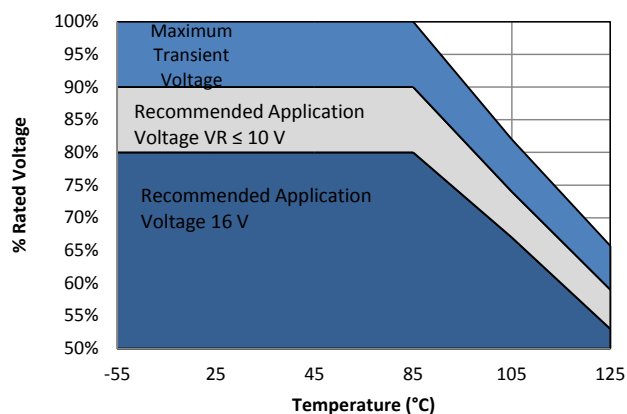
Rated Voltage	Rated Capacitance	Case Code/Case Size	KEMET Part Number	DC Leakage	DF	ESR	Maximum Allowable Ripple Current	MSL	Rated Temperature	Energy (mJ)
V	µF	KEMET/EIA	(See below for part options)	(µA) @ V <sub>R</sub> , 20°C Maximum/ 5 Minutes	% @ 20°C 120 Hz Maximum	(mΩ) @ 20°C 100 kHz Maximum	(mA) 45°C 100 kHz	Reflow Temperature ≤ 260°C	(°C)	(½CvA²) - (½CvD²) Va = Voltage Applied Vd = Voltage Drop
6.3	1000	H/7360-20	T545H108M006ATE055	630.0	20	55	1850.0	3	85	11.57
6.3	1500	H/7360-20	T545H158M006ATE035	945.0	20	35	2300.0	3	85	17.36
6.3	1500	H/7360-20	T545H158M006ATE055	945.0	20	55	1850.0	3	85	17.36
6.3	100	T/3528-12	T545T107M006ATE070	63.0	8	70	1200.0	3	105	1.16
6.3	100	W/7343-16	T545W107M006ATE040	63.0	10	40	2100.0	3	105	1.16
6.3	150	M/3528-15	T545M157M006ATE200	94.5	8	200	800.0	3	105	1.74
6.3	150	W/7343-16	T545W157M006ATE040	94.5	10	40	2100.0	3	105	1.74
6.3	220	V/7343-20	T545V227M006ATE040	138.6	10	40	2200.0	3	105	2.55
6.3	330	V/7343-20	T545V337M006ATE045	207.9	10	45	2000.0	3	105	3.82
6.3	470	W/7343-16	T545W477M006ATE045	296.0	10	45	2300.0	3	105	5.44
6.3	470	W/7343-15	T545W477M006ATE055	296.0	10	55	1800.0	3	105	5.44
6.3	470	Y/7343-40	T545Y477M006ATE025	296.0	10	25	3100.0	3	105	5.44
6.3	470	X/7343-43	T545X477M006ATE006	296.0	10	6	6700.0	3	125	5.44
8	47	B/3528-21	T545B476M008ATE070	37.6	8	70	1300.0	3	105	1.01
8	150	V/7343-20	T545V157M008ATE040	120.0	10	40	2200.0	3	105	3.21
10	33	T/3528-12	T545T336M010ATE080	33.0	8	80	1100.0	3	105	1.19
10	68	W/7343-15	T545W686M010ATE040	68.0	10	40	2100.0	3	105	2.45
10	100	W/7343-15	T545W107M010ATE040	100.0	10	40	2100.0	3	105	3.60
10	150	V/7343-20	T545V157M010ATE040	150.0	10	40	2200.0	3	105	5.40
10	220	D/7343-31	T545D227M010ATE040	220.0	10	40	2400.0	3	105	7.92
10	220	V/7343-20	T545V227M010ATE045	220.0	10	45	2000.0	3	105	7.92
10	330	Y/7343-40	T545Y337M010ATE035	330.0	10	35	2600.0	3	105	11.88
10	330	X/7343-43	T545X337M010ATE006	330.0	10	6	6700.0	3	125	11.88
16	33	W/7343-15	T545W336M016ATE045	52.8	10	45	2000.0	3	105	2.55
16	47	W/7343-15	T545W476M016ATE045	75.0	10	45	2000.0	3	105	3.64
16	68	D/7343-31	T545D686M016ATE050	108.8	10	50	1900.0	3	105	5.26
16	150	X/7343-43	T545X157M016ATE040	240.0	10	40	2500.0	3	105	11.61
16	180	H/7360-20	T545H187M016ATE055	288.0	20	55	1843.0	3	85	13.94
16	220	X/7343-43	T545X227M016ATE035	352.0	10	35	2700.0	3	125	17.03
16	330	X/7343-43	T545X337(1)016ATE025	528.0	10	25	3300.0	3	125	25.55
16	100	V/7343-20	T545V107M016ATE055	160.0	10	55	1850.0	3	105	7.74
16	100	D/7343-31	T545D107M016ATE055	160.0	10	55	2050.0	3	105	7.74
20	22	V/7343-20	T545V226M020ATE090	44.0	10	90	1400.0	3	125	2.72
20	47	V/7343-21	T545V476M020ATE090	94.0	10	90	1400.0	3	125	5.80
25	15	V/7343-22	T545V156M025ATE090	37.5	10	90	1400.0	3	105	2.93
25	22	V/7343-23	T545V226M025ATE090	55.0	10	90	1400.0	3	105	4.30
25	33	V/7343-24	T545V336M025ATE060	82.5	10	60	1800.0	3	105	6.45
25	100	X/7343-43	T545X107M025ATE060	250.0	10	60	2000.0	3	105	19.55
35	15	V/7343-24	T545V156M035ATE125	52.5	10	125	1200.0	3	125	5.81
35	33	D/7343-31	T545D336M035ATE065	115.5	10	65	1900.0	3	125	12.79
35	47	X/7343-43	T545X476M035ATE070	164.5	10	70	1900.0	3	125	18.21
50	6.8	D/7343-31	T545D685M050ATE090	34.0	10	90	1600.0	3	125	5.41
50	10	D/7343-31	T545D106M050ATE120	50.0	10	120	1369.0	3	125	7.96
50	18	X/7343-44	T545X186M050ATE070	90.0	10	70	1900.0	3	125	14.32
63	4.7	D/7343-31	T545D475M063ATE300	29.6	10	300	900.0	3	125	5.95
63	10	X/7343-44	T545X106M063ATE050	63.0	10	50	2200.0	3	125	12.66
63	15	X/7343-45	T545X156M063ATE150	94.5	10	150	1300.0	3	125	18.98
V	µF	KEMET/EIA	(See below for part options)	(µA) @ V <sub>R</sub> , 20°C Maximum/ 5 Minutes	% @ 20°C 120 Hz Maximum	(mΩ) @ 20°C 100 kHz Maximum	(mA) 45°C 100 kHz	Reflow Temperature ≤ 260°C	(°C)	(½CvA²) - (½CvD²) Va = Voltage Applied Vd = Voltage Drop
Rated Voltage	Rated Capacitance	Case Code/Case Size	KEMET Part Number	DC Leakage	DF	ESR	Maximum Allowable Ripple Current	MSL	Rated Temperature	Energy (mJ)

**Bold black text denotes black epoxy product**

(1) To complete KEMET part number, insert M for ±20%, K for ±10%. Designates capacitance tolerance.

The T545 is an 85°C rated temperature series. For higher temperature requests, please contact KEMET.

## Derating Guidelines



Voltage Rating	Maximum Recommended Steady State Voltage	Maximum Recommended Transient Voltage (1 ms – 1 μs)	Maximum Recommended Steady State Voltage	Maximum Recommended Transient Voltage (1 ms – 1 μs)
	-55°C to 105°C		105°C to 125°C	
$6.3 \text{ V} \leq V_R \leq 10 \text{ V}$	90% of $V_R$	$V_R$	60% of $V_R$	$V_R$
$V_R = 16 \text{ V}$	80% of $V_R$	$V_R$	54% of $V_R$	$V_R$

$V_R$  = Rated Voltage

## Ripple Current/Ripple Voltage

Permissible AC ripple voltage and current are related to equivalent series resistance (ESR) and the power dissipation capabilities of the device. Permissible AC ripple voltage which may be applied is limited by two criteria:

1. The positive peak AC voltage plus the DC bias voltage, if any, must not exceed the DC voltage rating of the capacitor.
2. The negative peak AC voltage in combination with bias voltage, if any, must not exceed the allowable limits specified for reverse voltage. See the Reverse Voltage section for allowable limits.

The maximum power dissipation by case size can be determined using the table at right. The maximum power dissipation rating stated in the table must be reduced with increasing environmental operating temperatures. Refer to the table below for temperature compensation requirements.

Temperature Compensation Multipliers for Maximum Power Dissipation		
T ≤ 45°C	45° C < T ≤ 85°C	85°C < T ≤ 125°C
1.00	0.70	0.25

T= Environmental Temperature

Using the P max of the device, the maximum allowable rms ripple current or voltage may be determined.

$$I(max) = \sqrt{P_{max}/R}$$

$$E(max) = Z \sqrt{P_{max}/R}$$

I = rms ripple current (amperes)

E = rms ripple voltage (volts)

P max = maximum power dissipation (watts)

R = ESR at specified frequency (ohms)

Z = Impedance at specified frequency (ohms)

Case Code	EIA Case Code	Maximum Power Dissipation (P max) mWatts @ 45°C with +30°C Rise
T	3528-12	105
M	3528-15	120
A	3216-18	112
B	3528-21	127
U	6032-15	135
L	6032-19	150
C	6032-28	165
W	7343-15	180
V	7343-20	187
D	7343-31	225
Y	7343-40	241
X	7343-43	247
H	7360-20	187
I	3216-10	95

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## Reverse Voltage

Polymer tantalum capacitors are polar devices and may be permanently damaged or destroyed if connected in the wrong polarity. These devices will withstand a small degree of transient voltage reversal for short periods as shown in the below table.

Temperature	Permissible Transient Reverse Voltage
25°C	15% of Rated Voltage
55°C	10% of Rated Voltage
85°C	5% of Rated Voltage

**Table 2 – Land Dimensions/Courtyard**

KEMET	Metric Size Code	Density Level A: Maximum (Most) Land Protrusion (mm)					Density Level B: Median (Nominal) Land Protrusion (mm)					Density Level C: Minimum (Least) Land Protrusion (mm)				
		W	L	S	V1	V2	W	L	S	V1	V2	W	L	S	V1	V2
A	3216-18	1.35	2.20	0.62	6.02	2.80	1.23	1.80	0.82	4.92	2.30	1.13	1.42	0.98	4.06	2.04
B	3528-21	2.35	2.21	0.92	6.32	4.00	2.23	1.80	1.12	5.22	3.50	2.13	1.42	1.28	4.36	3.24
C	6032-25	2.35	2.77	2.37	8.92	4.50	2.23	2.37	2.57	7.82	4.00	2.13	1.99	2.73	6.96	3.74
D	7343-31	2.55	2.77	3.67	10.22	5.60	2.43	2.37	3.87	9.12	5.10	2.33	1.99	4.03	8.26	4.84
L	6032-19	2.35	2.77	2.37	8.92	4.50	2.23	2.37	2.57	7.82	4.00	2.13	1.99	2.73	6.96	3.74
M	3528-15	2.35	2.20	0.92	6.32	4.00	2.23	1.80	1.12	5.22	3.50	2.13	1.42	1.28	4.36	3.24
H	7360-20	4.25	2.77	3.67	10.22	7.30	4.13	2.37	3.87	9.12	6.80	4.03	1.99	4.03	8.26	6.54
E <sup>1</sup>	7360-38	4.25	2.77	3.67	10.22	7.30	4.13	2.37	3.87	9.12	6.80	4.03	1.99	4.03	8.26	6.54
Q	7343-12	2.55	2.77	3.67	10.22	5.60	2.43	2.37	3.87	9.12	5.10	2.33	1.99	4.03	8.26	4.84
R <sup>2</sup>	2012-12	1.05	1.83	0.15	4.82	2.50	0.93	1.50	0.22	3.72	2.00	0.83	1.12	0.38	2.86	1.74
S <sup>2</sup>	3216-12	1.35	2.20	0.62	6.02	2.80	1.23	1.80	0.82	4.92	2.30	1.13	1.42	0.98	4.06	2.04
T	3528-12	2.35	2.20	0.92	6.32	4.00	2.23	1.80	1.12	5.22	3.50	2.13	1.42	1.28	4.36	3.24
U	6032-15	2.35	2.77	2.37	8.92	4.50	2.23	2.37	2.57	7.82	4.00	2.13	1.99	2.73	6.96	3.74
V	7343-20	2.55	2.77	3.67	10.22	5.60	2.43	2.37	3.87	9.12	5.10	2.33	1.99	4.03	8.26	4.84
W	7343-15	2.55	2.77	3.67	10.22	5.60	2.43	2.37	3.87	9.12	5.10	2.33	1.99	4.03	8.26	4.84
X <sup>1</sup>	7343-43	2.55	2.77	3.67	10.22	5.60	2.43	2.37	3.87	9.12	5.10	2.33	1.99	4.03	8.26	4.84
Y <sup>1</sup>	7343-40	2.55	2.77	3.67	10.22	5.60	2.43	2.37	3.87	9.12	5.10	2.33	1.99	4.03	8.26	4.84

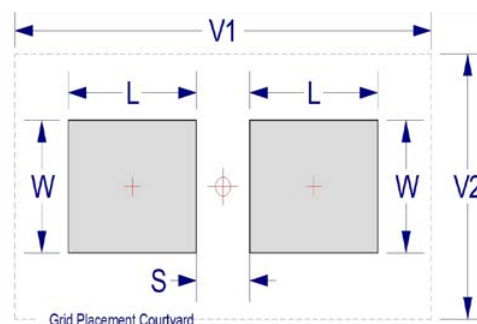
**Density Level A:** For low-density product applications. Recommended for wave solder applications and provides a wider process window for reflow solder processes.

**Density Level B:** For products with a moderate level of component density. Provides a robust solder attachment condition for reflow solder processes.

**Density Level C:** For high component density product applications. Before adapting the minimum land pattern variations the user should perform qualification testing based on the conditions outlined in IPC standard 7351 (IPC-7351).

<sup>1</sup> Height of these chips may create problems in wave soldering.

<sup>2</sup> Land pattern geometry is too small for silkscreen outline.



## Soldering Process

KEMET's families of surface mount capacitors are compatible with wave (single or dual), convection, IR, or vapor phase reflow techniques. Preheating of these components is recommended to avoid extreme thermal stress. KEMET's recommended profile conditions for convection and IR reflow reflect the profile conditions of the IPC/J-STD-020D standard for moisture sensitivity testing. The devices can safely withstand a maximum of three reflow passes at these conditions.

Please note that although the X/7343–43 case size can withstand wave soldering, the tall profile (4.3 mm maximum) dictates care in wave process development.

Hand soldering should be performed with care due to the difficulty in process control. If performed, care should be taken to avoid contact of the soldering iron to the molded case. The iron should be used to heat the solder pad, applying solder between the pad and the termination, until reflow occurs. Once reflow occurs, the iron should be removed immediately. "Wiping" the edges of a chip and heating the top surface is not recommended.

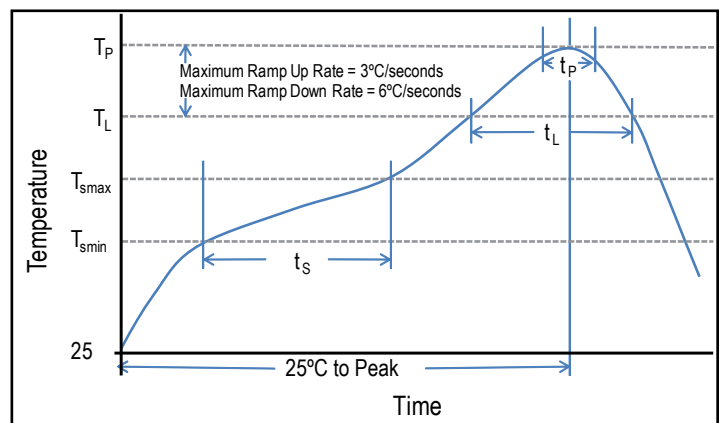
During typical reflow operations, a slight darkening of the gold-colored epoxy may be observed. This slight darkening is normal and not harmful to the product. Marking permanency is not affected by this change.

Profile Feature	SnPb Assembly	Pb-Free Assembly
<b>Preheat/Soak</b>		
Temperature Minimum ( $T_{Smin}$ )	100°C	150°C
Temperature Maximum ( $T_{Smax}$ )	150°C	200°C
Time ( $t_s$ ) from $T_{Smin}$ to $T_{Smax}$	60 – 120 seconds	60 – 120 seconds
Ramp-up Rate ( $T_L$ to $T_P$ )	3°C/seconds maximum	3°C/seconds maximum
Liquidous Temperature ( $T_L$ )	183°C	217°C
Time Above Liquidous ( $t_L$ )	60 – 150 seconds	60 – 150 seconds
Peak Temperature ( $T_P$ )	220°C* 235°C**	250°C* 260°C**
Time within 5°C of Maximum Peak Temperature ( $t_p$ )	20 seconds maximum	30 seconds maximum
Ramp-down Rate ( $T_P$ to $T_L$ )	6°C/seconds maximum	6°C/seconds maximum
Time 25°C to Peak Temperature	6 minutes maximum	8 minutes maximum

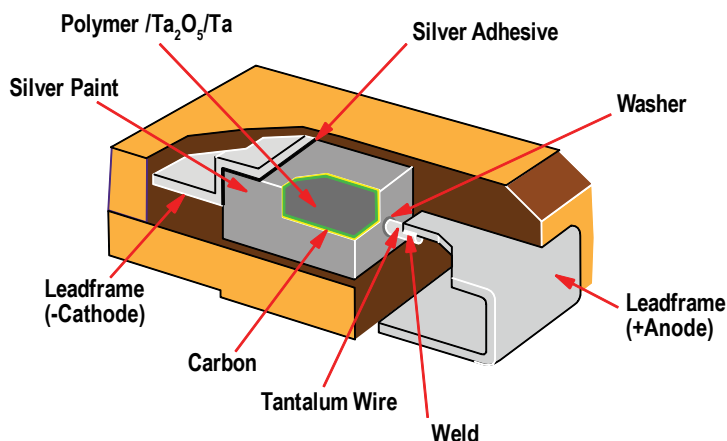
Note: All temperatures refer to the center of the package, measured on the package body surface that is facing up during assembly reflow.

\*Case Size D, E, P, Y, and X

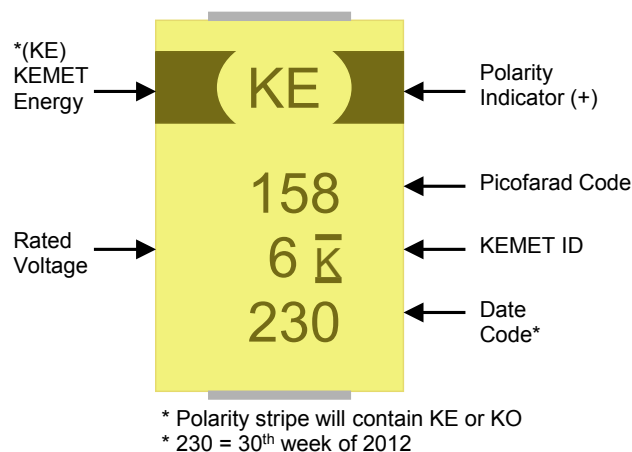
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## Construction



## Capacitor Marking



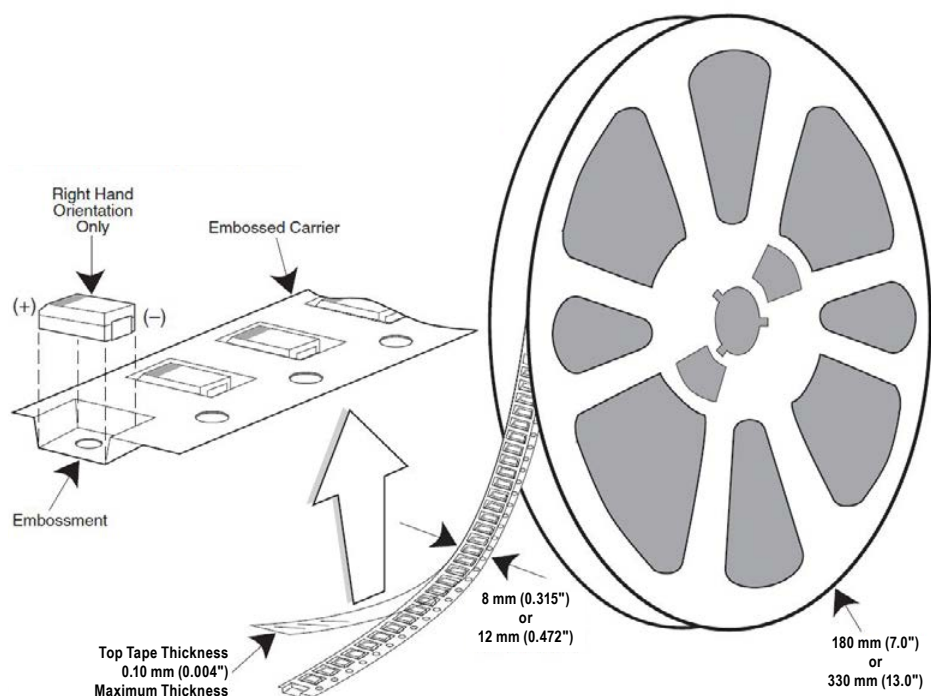
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## Storage

All KO-CAP Series are shipped in moisture barrier bags with a desiccant and moisture indicator card. These series are classified as MSL3 (Moisture Sensitivity Level 3). Product contained within the moisture barrier bags should be stored in normal working environments with temperatures not to exceed 40°C and humidity not in excess of 60% RH.

## Tape & Reel Packaging Information

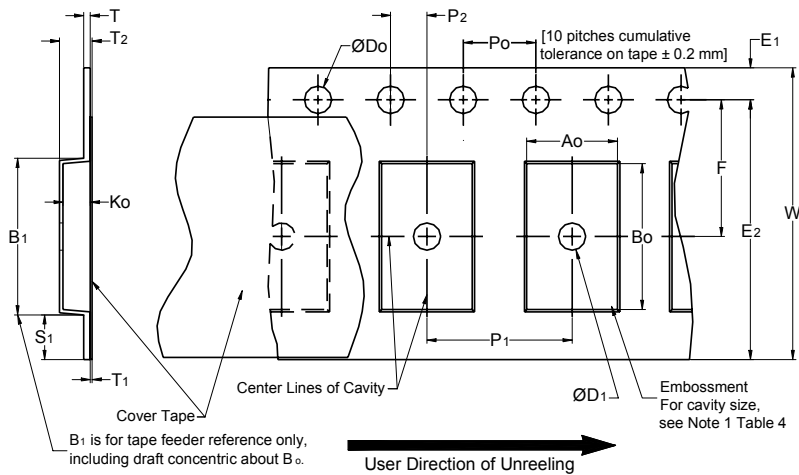
KEMET's molded tantalum and aluminum chip capacitor families are packaged in 8 and 12 mm plastic tape on 7" and 13" reels in accordance with *EIA Standard 481-1: Embossed Carrier Taping of Surface Mount Components for Automatic Handling*. This packaging system is compatible with all tape-fed automatic pick-and-place systems.



**Table 3 – Packaging Quantity**

Case Code		Tape Width (mm)	7" Reel*	13" Reel*
KEMET	EIA			
I	3216-10	8	3,000	12,000
S	3216-12	8	2,500	10,000
T	3528-12	8	2,500	10,000
M	3528-15	8	2,000	8,000
U	6032-15	12	1,000	5,000
L	6032-19	12	1,000	5,000
W	7343-15	12	1,000	3,000
Z	7343-17	12	1,000	3,000
V	7343-20	12	1,000	3,000
A	3216-18	8	2,000	9,000
B	3528-21	8	2,000	8,000
C	6032-28	12	500	3,000
D	7343-31	12	500	2,500
Y	7343-40	12	500	2,000
X	7343-43	12	500	2,000
E/T428P	7360-38	12	500	2,000
H	7360-20	12	1,000	2,500

\* No C-Spec required for 7" reel packaging. C-7280 required for 13" reel packaging.

**Figure 1 – Embossed (Plastic) Carrier Tape Dimensions****Table 4 – Embossed (Plastic) Carrier Tape Dimensions**

Metric will govern

Constant Dimensions — Millimeters (Inches)									
Tape Size	D <sub>0</sub>	D <sub>1</sub> Minimum Note 1	E <sub>1</sub>	P <sub>0</sub>	P <sub>2</sub>	R Reference Note 2	S <sub>1</sub> Minimum Note 3	T Maximum	T <sub>1</sub> Maximum
8 mm	1.5 +0.10/-0.0 (0.059 +0.004/-0.0)	1.0 (0.039)	1.75 ±0.10 (0.069 ±0.004)	4.0 ±0.10 (0.157 ±0.004)	2.0 ±0.05 (0.079 ±0.002)	25.0 (0.984)	0.600 (0.024)	0.600 (0.024)	0.100 (0.004)
12 mm		1.5 (0.059)				30 (1.181)			
16 mm									
Variable Dimensions — Millimeters (Inches)									
Tape Size	Pitch	B <sub>1</sub> Maximum Note 4	E <sub>2</sub> Minimum	F	P <sub>1</sub>	T <sub>2</sub> Maximum	W Maximum	A <sub>0</sub> , B <sub>0</sub> & K <sub>0</sub>	
8 mm	Single (4 mm)	4.35 (0.171)	6.25 (0.246)	3.5 ±0.05 (0.138 ±0.002)	4.0 ±0.10 (0.157 ±0.004)	2.5 (0.098)	8.3 (0.327)	Note 5	
12 mm	Single (4 mm) & Double (8 mm)	8.2 (0.323)	10.25 (0.404)	5.5 ±0.05 (0.217 ±0.002)	8.0 ±0.10 (0.315 ±0.004)	4.6 (0.181)	12.3 (0.484)		
16 mm	Triple (12 mm)	12.1 (0.476)	14.25 (0.561)	5.5 ±0.05 (0.217 ±0.002)	8.0 ±0.10 (0.315 ±0.004)	4.6 (0.181)	16.3 (0.642)		

1. The embossment hole location shall be measured from the sprocket hole controlling the location of the embossment. Dimensions of embossment location and hole location shall be applied independent of each other.
2. The tape, with or without components, shall pass around R without damage (see Figure 5).
3. If S<sub>1</sub> < 1.0 mm, there may not be enough area for cover tape to be properly applied (see EIA Standard 481–D, paragraph 4.3, section b).
4. B<sub>1</sub> dimension is a reference dimension for tape feeder clearance only.
5. The cavity defined by A<sub>0</sub>, B<sub>0</sub> and K<sub>0</sub> shall surround the component with sufficient clearance that:
  - (a) the component does not protrude above the top surface of the carrier tape.
  - (b) the component can be removed from the cavity in a vertical direction without mechanical restriction, after the top cover tape has been removed.
  - (c) rotation of the component is limited to 20° maximum for 8 and 12 mm tapes and 10° maximum for 16 mm tapes (see Figure 2).
  - (d) lateral movement of the component is restricted to 0.5 mm maximum for 8 mm and 12 mm wide tape and to 1.0 mm maximum for 16 mm tape (see Figure 3).
  - (e) see Addendum in EIA Standard 481–D for standards relating to more precise taping requirements.

## Packaging Information Performance Notes

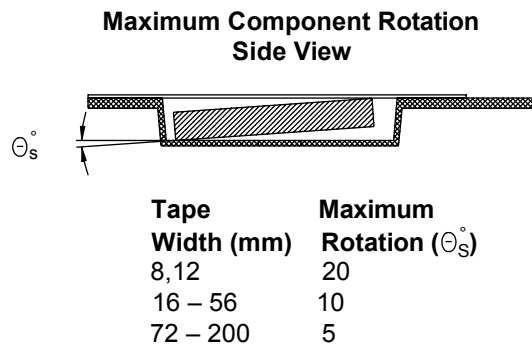
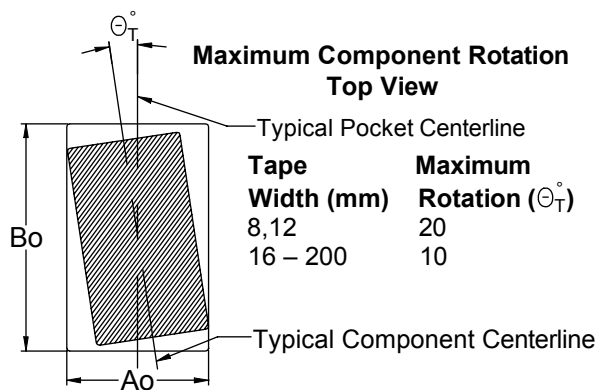
- 1. Cover Tape Break Force:** 1.0 Kg minimum.
- 2. Cover Tape Peel Strength:** The total peel strength of the cover tape from the carrier tape shall be:

Tape Width	Peel Strength
8 mm	0.1 to 1.0 Newton (10 to 100 gf)
12 and 16 mm	0.1 to 1.3 Newton (10 to 130 gf)

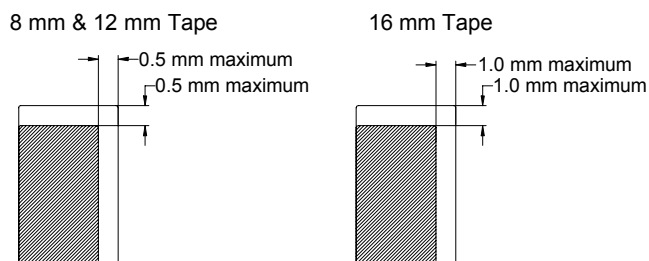
The direction of the pull shall be opposite the direction of the carrier tape travel. The pull angle of the carrier tape shall be 165° to 180° from the plane of the carrier tape. During peeling, the carrier and/or cover tape shall be pulled at a velocity of 300 ±10 mm/minute.

- 3. Labeling:** Bar code labeling (standard or custom) shall be on the side of the reel opposite the sprocket holes. Refer to EIA Standards 556 and 624.

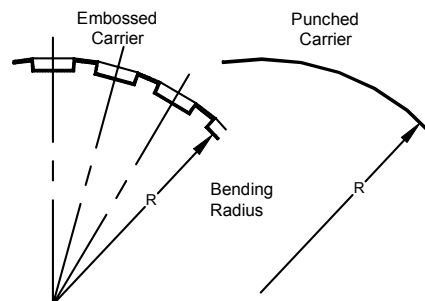
## Figure 2 – Maximum Component Rotation

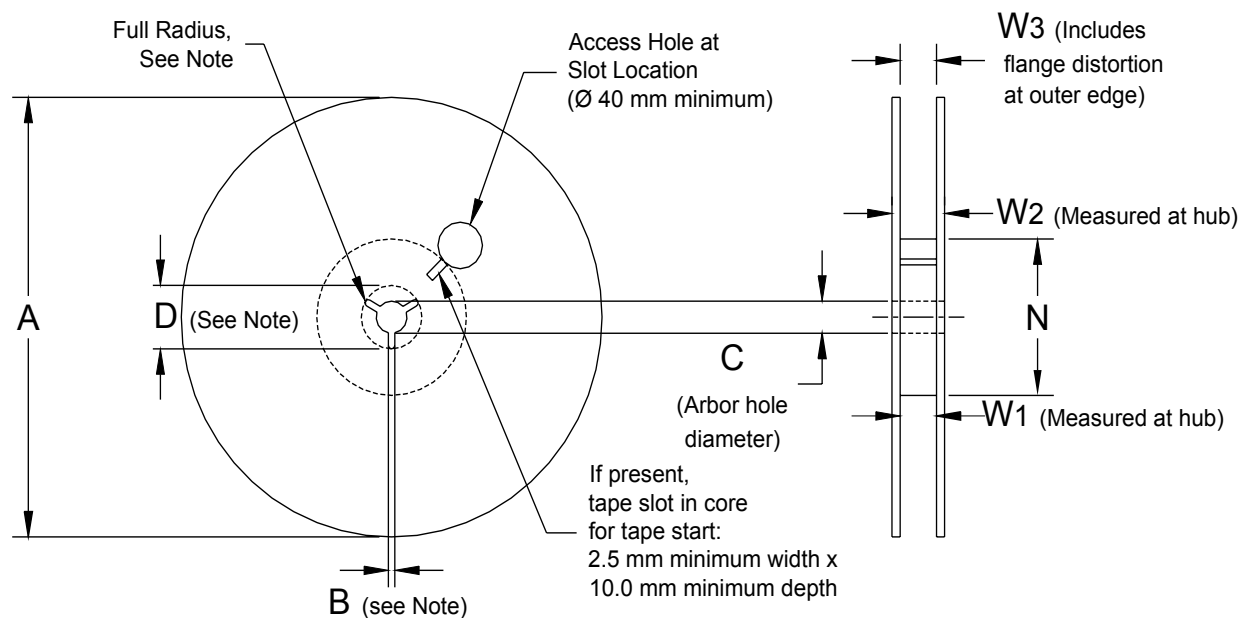


## Figure 3 – Maximum Lateral Movement



## Figure 4 – Bending Radius



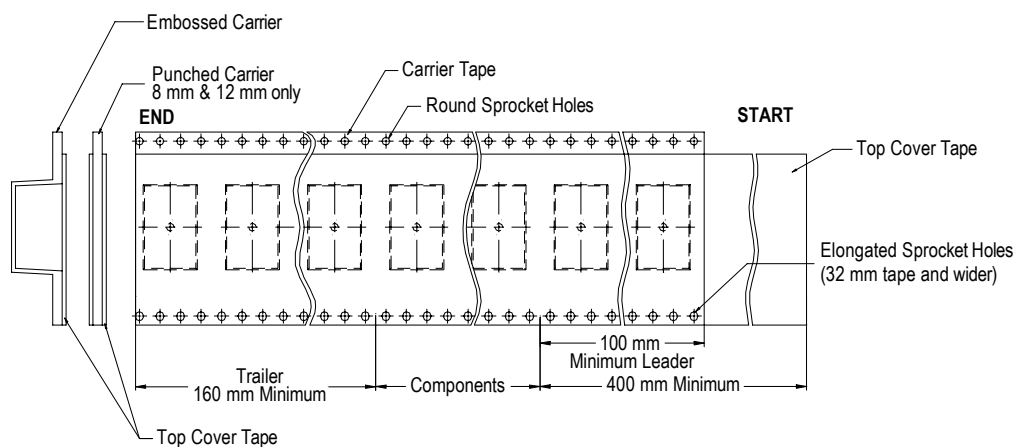
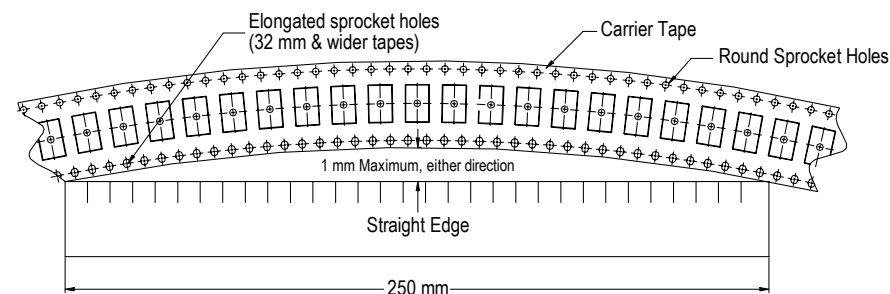
**Figure 5 – Reel Dimensions**

Note: Drive spokes optional; if used, dimensions B and D shall apply.

**Table 5 – Reel Dimensions**

Metric will govern

Constant Dimensions — Millimeters (Inches)				
Tape Size	A	B Minimum	C	D Minimum
8 mm	178 ±0.20 (7.008 ±0.008) or 330 ±0.20 (13.000 ±0.008)	1.5 (0.059)	13.0 +0.5/-0.2 (0.521 +0.02/-0.008)	20.2 (0.795)
12 mm				
16 mm				
Variable Dimensions — Millimeters (Inches)				
Tape Size	N Minimum	W <sub>1</sub>	W <sub>2</sub> Maximum	W <sub>3</sub>
8 mm	50 (1.969)	8.4 +1.5/-0.0 (0.331 +0.059/-0.0)	14.4 (0.567)	Shall accommodate tape width without interference
12 mm		12.4 +2.0/-0.0 (0.488 +0.078/-0.0)	18.4 (0.724)	
16 mm		16.4 +2.0/-0.0 (0.646 +0.078/-0.0)	22.4 (0.882)	

**Figure 6 – Tape Leader & Trailer Dimensions****Figure 7 – Maximum Camber**



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