NEW! Coupled Inductors-MSD1278

For SEPIC and other Applications



The excellent coupling coefficient (k \ge 0.94) makes the MSD1278 series of coupled inductors ideal for use in SEPIC applications. In SEPIC topologies, the required inductance for each winding in a coupled inductor is half the value needed for two separate inductors, allowing selection of a part with lower DCR and higher current handling.

These inductors provide high inductance, high efficiency and excellent current handling in a rugged, low cost part. They are well suited for use as a VRM inductors in high-current DC-DC converters and VRM/ VRD controllers.

They can also be used as two single inductors connected in series or parallel, as a common mode choke or as a 1:1 transformer.



Parts manufactured prior to Sept. 2007 were marked with only the dash number.



Typical SEPIC schematic Refer to Application Note, Document 639, "Selecting Coupled Inductors for SEPIC Applications"





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Dimensions are in $\frac{inches}{mm}$



Recommended





Designer's Kit C400 contains 3 each of all values.

Core material Ferrite

Terminations RoHS compliant matte tin over nickel over phos bronze. Other terminations available at additional cost.

Weight: 3.7 – 4.4 g

Ambient temperature $-40^\circ C$ to $+85^\circ C$ with 1rms current, $+85^\circ C$ to $+125^\circ C$ with derated current

Storage temperature Component: $-40^{\circ}C$ to $+125^{\circ}C$. Packaging: $-40^{\circ}C$ to $+80^{\circ}C$

Winding to winding isolation 500 Vrms

Resistance to soldering heat Max three 40 second reflows at +260°C, parts cooled to room temperature between cycles

Moisture Sensitivity Level (MSL) 1 (unlimited floor life at $<30^{\circ}$ C / 85% relative humidity)

Failures in Time (FIT) / Mean Time Between Failures (MTBF) 38 per billion hours / 26,315,789 hours, calculated per Telcordia SR-332

Packaging 500/13'' reel; Plastic tape: 24 mm wide, 0.4 mm thick, 16 mm pocket spacing, 8.1 mm pocket depth

PCB washing Only pure water or alcohol recommended

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	Inductance ² (µH)		DCR max ³ (Ohms)	SRF typ ⁴ (MHz)	Isat⁵ (A)	Irms(A)	
Part number ¹						both windings ⁶	one winding ⁷
MSD1278-472ML_	4.7 ±20%		0.038	32.0	14.9	3.16	4.47
MSD1278-562ML_	5.6 ±20%		0.046	25.0	13.4	2.87	4.06
MSD1278-682ML_	6.8 ±20%		0.048	24.0	13.1	2.81	3.98
MSD1278-822ML_	8.2 ±20%		0.050	18.0	10.8	2.76	3.90
MSD1278-103ML_	10	±20%	0.058	16.5	10.5	2.56	3.62
MSD1278-123ML_	12	±20%	0.062	14.5	9.6	2.48	3.50
MSD1278-153ML_	15	±20%	0.072	11.8	9.1	2.30	3.25
MSD1278-183ML_	18	±20%	0.080	10.5	8.0	2.18	3.08
MSD1278-223ML_	22	±20%	0.096	9.0	6.8	1.99	2.81
MSD1278-273ML_	27	±20%	0.120	8.4	6.5	1.78	2.52
MSD1278-333ML_	33	±20%	0.150	7.6	5.6	1.59	2.25
MSD1278-393ML_	39	±20%	0.160	6.5	5.5	1.54	2.18
MSD1278-473ML_	47	±20%	0.180	6.0	5.2	1.45	2.05
MSD1278-563ML_	56	±20%	0.190	5.6	4.5	1.41	2.00
MSD1278-683ML_	68	±20%	0.210	5.0	4.1	1.35	1.90
MSD1278-823ML_	82	±20%	0.280	4.1	3.8	1.16	1.65
MSD1278-104ML_	100	±20%	0.300	3.6	3.4	1.13	1.59
MSD1278-124KL_	120	±10%	0.410	3.2	3.2	0.96	1.36
MSD1278-154KL_	150	±10%	0.460	3.0	2.8	0.91	1.29
MSD1278-184KL_	180	±10%	0.510	2.7	2.5	0.86	1.22
MSD1278-224KL_	220	±10%	0.690	2.5	2.3	0.74	1.05
MSD1278-274KL_	270	±10%	0.900	2.1	2.1	0.65	0.92
MSD1278-334KL_	330	±10%	1.02	2.0	1.9	0.61	0.86
MSD1278-394KL_	390	±10%	1.12	1.8	1.7	0.58	0.82
MSD1278-474KL_	470	±10%	1.43	1.6	1.6	0.50	0.70
MSD1278-564KL_	560	±10%	1.69	1.5	1.5	0.47	0.67
MSD1278-684KL_	680	±10%	2.29	1.4	1.3	0.41	0.58
MSD1278-824KL_	820	±10%	2.55	1.3	1.2	0.39	0.55
MSD1278-105KL_	1000	±10%	2.83	1.1	1.1	0.37	0.52

1. When ordering, please specify termination and packaging code:

MSD1278-105KLD

- Termination: L = RoHS compliant matte tin over nickel over phos bronze Special order: T = RoHS tin-silver-copper (95.5/4/0.5)
- or S = non-RoHS tin-lead (63/37).

 Packaging:
 D = 13" machine-ready reel. EIA-481 embossed plastic tape (500 parts per full reel).
 - B = Less than full reel. In tape, but not machine ready. To have a leader and trailer added (\$25 charge), use code letter D instead.
- Inductance shown for each winding, measured at 100 kHz, 0.1 Vrms, 0 Adc on an Agilent/HP 4284A LCR meter or equivalent. When leads are connected in parallel, inductance is the same value. When leads are connected in series, inductance is four times the value.
- DCR is for each winding. When leads are connected in parallel, DCR is half the value. When leads are connected in series, DCR is twice the value.
- 4. SRF measured using an Agilent/HP 4191A or equivalent. When leads are connected in parallel, SRF is the same value.
- DC current, at which the inductance drops 30% (typ) from its value without current. It is the sum of the current flowing in both windings.
- Equal current when applied to each winding simultaneously that causes a 40°C temperature rise from 25°C ambient. See temperature rise calculation.
- 7. Maximum current when applied to one winding that causes a $40^{\circ}C$
- temperature rise from 25°C ambient. See temperature rise calculation. 8. Electrical specifications at 25°C.

Refer to Doc 639 "Selecting Coupled Inductors for SEPIC Applications." Refer to Doc 362 "Soldering Surface Mount Components" before soldering.

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Temperature rise calculation based on specified Irms

Example 1. MSD1278-153ML (Equal current in each winding)

Coupled Inductor Core and Winding Loss Calculator

This web-based utility allows you to enter frequency, peak-to-peak (ripple)

current, and Irms current to predict temperature rise and overall losses,

Winding power loss = $(I_{L1}^2 + I_{L2}^2) \times DCR$ in Watts (W)

Temperature rise (Δt) = Winding power loss $\times \frac{52.6^{\circ}C}{W}$

Winding power loss = $(2.3^2 + 2.3^2) \times 0.072 = 0.761$ W

Example 2. MSD1278-153ML (I_{L1} = 2.4 A, I_{L2} = 1.3 A)

Winding power loss = $(2.4^2 + 1.3^2) \times 0.072 = 0.536$ W

including core loss. Visit www.coilcraft.com/coupledloss.

 $\Delta t = (I_{L1}^2 + I_{L2}^2) \times DCR \times \frac{52.6^{\circ}C}{W}$

 $\Delta t = 0.761 \text{ W} \times \frac{52.6^{\circ}\text{C}}{\text{W}} = 40^{\circ}\text{C}$

 $\Delta t = 0.536 \text{ W} \times \frac{52.6^{\circ}\text{C}}{\text{W}} = 28.2^{\circ}\text{C}$

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Typical L vs Current

Typical L vs Frequency





Current Derating



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