

# MDSM-4 15.3mm Surface Mount Reed Switch



## Description

The MDSM-4 surface mount reed switch is a sub-miniature, normally open switch with a 15.24mm long x 2.28mm diameter (0.600" x 0.090") glass envelope, capable of switching 200Vdc at 10W.

This reed switch is a surface mount version of MDCG-4. It has high insulation resistance of  $10^{10}$  ohms minimum and a contact resistance of less than 100 milliohms.

## Features

- Surface mount, normally open switch
- Low, stable contact resistance
- Capable of switching 200Vdc or 0.5A at up to 10W
- Available sensitivity 12-38 AT

## Benefits

- Hermetically sealed switch contacts are not affected by and have no effect on their external environment
- Zero operating power required for contact closure
- Excellent for switching micro-controller logic level loads

## Applications

- Position Sensing
- Level sensing
- Industrial Controls
- Security
- Limit Switching
- Office Equipment

## Switch Type

Contact Form	A (SPST-NO)
Materials	Body: Glass Leads: Tin-plated Ni-Fe wire

**Note:** SPST-NO = Single-pole, single-throw, normally open

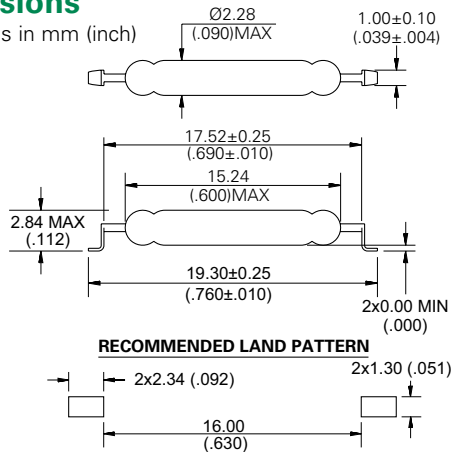
## Agency Approvals

Agency	Agency File Number	Ampere-Turns Range
	E47258 E471070	12-38 AT

**Note:** Contact Littelfuse for specific agency approval ratings.

## Dimensions

Dimensions in mm (inch)



**Note:** Land pattern is Littelfuse recommendation only. User is responsible for proper PCB design.

## Electrical Ratings

Contact Rating <sup>1</sup>		W/VA - max.	10
Voltage <sup>3</sup>	Switching <sup>2</sup>	Vdc - max.	200
		Vac - max.	140
		Vdc - min.	250
Current <sup>3</sup>	Switching <sup>2</sup>	Adc - max.	0.50
		Aac - max.	0.35
		Adc - max.	1.20
Resistance	Contact, Initial Insulation	$\Omega$ - max.	0.100
		$\Omega$ - min.	$10^{10}$
Capacitance	Contact	pF - typ.	0.2
Temperature	Operating Storage <sup>5</sup>	$^{\circ}$ C	-40 to +125
		$^{\circ}$ F	-65 to +125

### Notes:

1. Contact rating - Product of the switching voltage and current should never exceed the wattage rating. Contact Littelfuse for additional load/life information.
2. When switching inductive and/or capacitive loads, the effects of transient voltages and/or currents should be considered. Refer to Application Notes AN108A and AN107 for details.
3. Electrical Load Life Expectancy - Contact Littelfuse with voltage, current values along with type of load.
4. Breakdown Voltage - per MIL-STD-202, Method 301.
5. Storage Temperature - Long time exposure at elevated temperature may degrade solderability of the leads.

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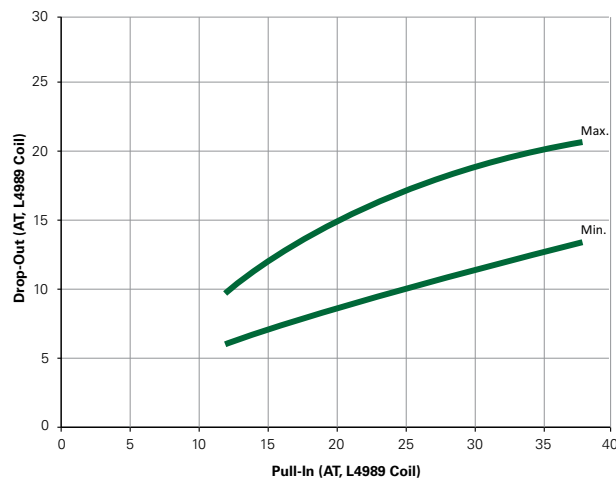
### Product Characteristics

Operating Characteristics		
Operate Time <sup>1</sup>		0.6ms - max.
Release Time <sup>1</sup>		0.2ms - max.
Shock <sup>2</sup>	11ms 1/2 sine wave	100G - max.
Vibration <sup>2</sup>	50-2000 Hertz	30G - max.
Resonant Frequency		3.9kHz - typ.
Magnetic Characteristics		
Pull-In Range <sup>3</sup>	Ampere Turns	12-38
Rating Sensitivity <sup>4</sup>	Ampere Turns	20
Test Coil		L4989

#### Notes:

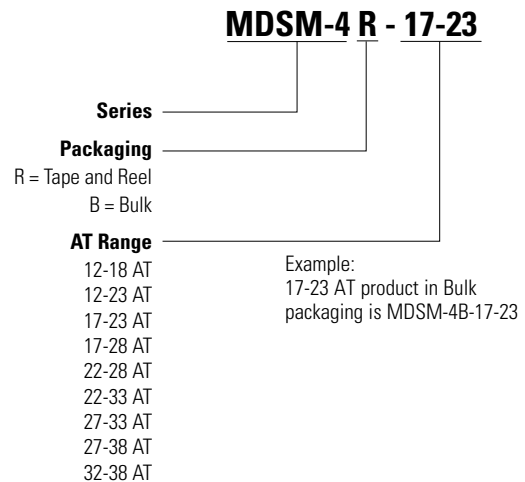
- Operate (including bounce)/Release Time - per EIA/NARM RS-421-A, diode suppressed coil (Coil II).
- Shock and Vibration - per EIA/NARM RS-421-A and MIL-STD-202.
- Pull-In Range - Contact Littelfuse for narrower AT ranges available. These AT values are the before modification AT of the MDCG-4.
- Rating Sensitivity - The value at which contact ratings and operating characteristics are determined. Derating may be required below this value.

### Drop-Out vs. Pull-In Chart



**Note:** Chart represents the range of Drop-Out, min to max, for a given Pull-In value of the MDCG-4 prior to modification into the MDSM-4.

### Part Numbering System



**Note:** These AT values are the before-modification values of the bare reed switch.

### Packaging

Packaging Option	Packaging Specification	Quantity	Quantity and Packaging Code	Taping Width
Tape and Reel	EIA-RS-481-1	3000	R	32mm
Bulk	N/A	200	B	N/A

