

501 Series – High Current 1206 Fast-Acting Fuse



Description

The 501 Series is a 100% Lead-free, RoHS compliant and Halogen-free fuse series designed specifically to provide over-current protection to circuits that operate under high working ambient temperature up to 150°C.

The general design ensures excellent temperature stability and performance reliability.

The high I²t values which is typical in the Littelfuse Ceramic Fuse family, ensure high inrush current withstand capability.



Features

- Operating Temperature from -55°C to +150°C
- Designed to provide over-current protection in high current voltage regulator module (VRM) applications
- 100% Lead-free, RoHS compliant and Halogen-free
- Suitable for both leaded and lead-free reflow / wave soldering

Applications

- Voltage Regulator Module (VRM) Equipment
- Notebook PC
- DC-DC Converter

Agency Approvals

AGENCY	AGENCY FILE NUMBER	AMPERE RANGE
	E10480	10A - 20A
	29862	10A - 20A

Electrical Characteristics for Series

% of Ampere Rating	Ampere Rating	Opening Time at 25°C
100%	10A – 20A	4 Hours, Minimum
350%	10A – 20A	5 Seconds, Maximum

Additional Information



Datasheet





Resources



Samples

Electrical Specifications by Item

Ampere Rating (A)	Amp Code	Max. Voltage Rating (V)	Interrupting Rating (DC) ¹	Nominal Resistance (Ohms) ²	Nominal Melting I ² T (A ² Sec.) ³	Nominal Voltage Drop At Rated Current (V) ⁴	Nominal Power Dissipation At Rated Current (W)	Agency Approvals	
									
10	010.	32	150 A @ 32 VDC	0.00362	10.385	0.04407	0.4407	x	x
12	012.	32		0.00311	20.341	0.04927	0.5912	x	x
15	015.	32		0.00250	39.700	0.04843	0.7265	x	x
20	020.	32		0.00194	86.360	0.05888	1.1776	x	x

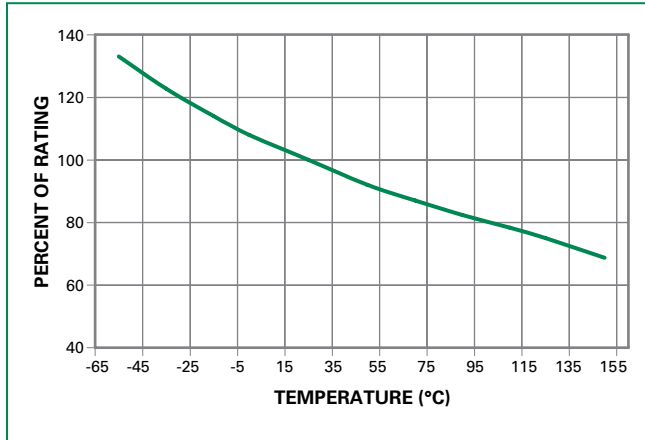
Notes:

1. DC Interrupting Rating tested at rated voltage with time constant < 0.5 msec.
2. Nominal Resistance measured with < 10% rated current.
3. Nominal Melting I²t measured at 1 msec. opening time. For other I²t data refer to chart.
4. Nominal Voltage Drop measured at rated current after temperature has stabilized and with fuse mounted on board with 3-oz Cu trace.

Devices designed to carry rated current for 4 hours minimum. It is recommended that devices be operated continuously at no more than 80% rated current. See "Temperature Re-rating Curve" for additional re-rating information.

Devices designed to be mounted with marking code facing up.

Temperature Re-rating Curve



Note:

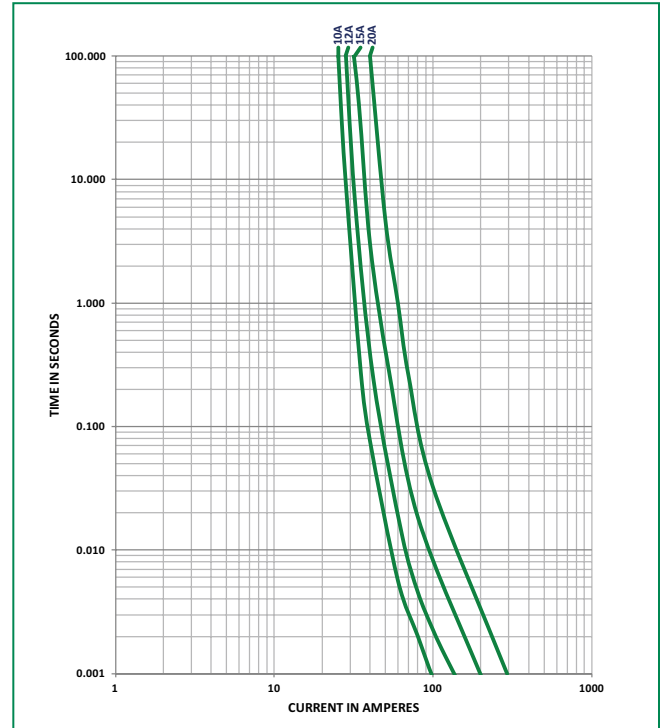
1. Re-rating depicted in this curve is in addition to the standard re-rating of 20% for continuous operation.

Example:

For continuous operation at 75 degrees celsius, the fuse should be re-rated as follows:

$$I = (0.80)(0.85)_{RAT} = (0.68)_{RAT}$$

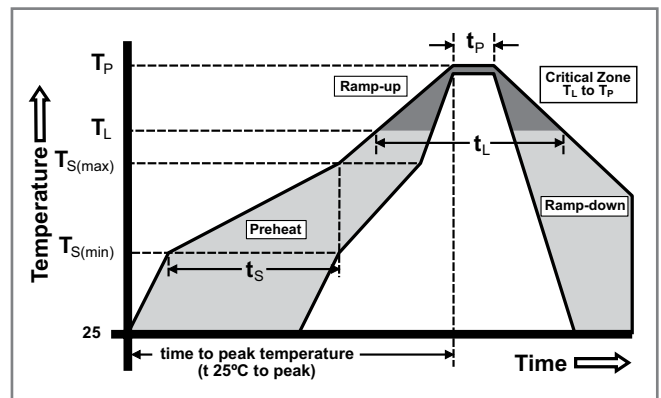
Average Time Current Curves



Soldering Parameters

Reflow Condition		Pb – free assembly
Pre Heat	- Temperature Min ($T_{s(min)}$)	150°C
	- Temperature Max ($T_{s(max)}$)	200°C
	- Time (Min to Max) (t_s)	60 – 180 seconds
Average Ramp-up Rate (Liquidus Temp (T_L) to peak)		3°C/second max.
$T_{s(max)}$ to T_L - Ramp-up Rate		5°C/second max.
Reflow	- Temperature (T_L) (Liquidus)	217°C
	- Temperature (t_L)	60 – 150 seconds
Peak Temperature (T_p)		260 ^{+0/-5} °C
Time within 5°C of actual peak Temperature (t_p)		10 – 30 seconds
Ramp-down Rate		6°C/second max.
Time 25°C to peak Temperature (T_p)		8 minutes max.
Do not exceed		260°C

Wave Soldering	260°C, 10 seconds max.
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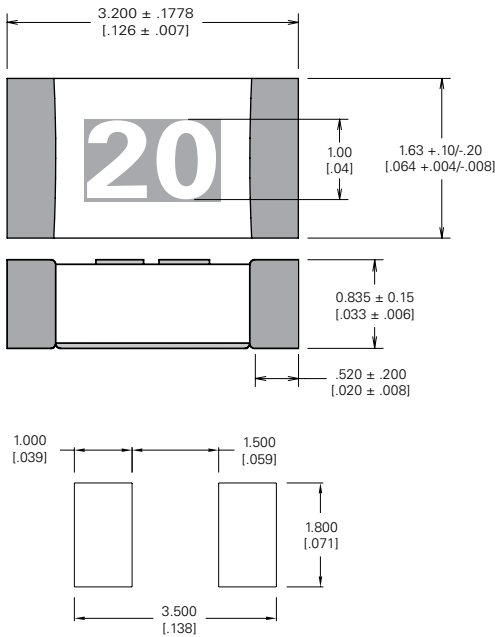


Product Characteristics

Materials	Body: Advanced Ceramic Terminations: Ag / Ni / Sn (100% Lead-free) Element Cover Coating: Lead-free Glass
Moisture Sensitivity Level	IPC/JEDEC J-STD-020, Level 1
Solderability	IPC/ECA/JEDEC J-STD-002, Condition B
Humidity Test	MIL-STD-202, Method 103, Conditions D
Resistance to Solvents	MIL-STD-202, Method 210, Condition B

Moisture Resistance	MIL-STD-202, Method 106
Thermal Shock	MIL-STD-202, Method 107, Condition B
Mechanical Shock	MIL-STD-202, Method 213, Condition A
Vibration	MIL-STD-202, Method 201
Vibration, High Frequency	MIL-STD-202, Method 204, Condition D
Dissolution of Metallization	IPC/ECA/JEDEC J-STD-002, Condition D
Terminal Strength	IEC 60127-4

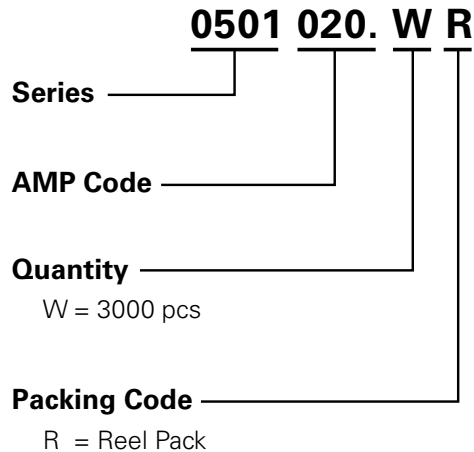
Dimensions



Part Marking System

Amp Code	Marking Code
010.	10
012.	12
015.	15
020.	20

Part Numbering System



Packaging

Packaging Option	Packaging Specification	Quantity	Quantity & Packaging Code
8mm Tape and Reel	EIA-481, IEC 60286, Part 3	3000	WR

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