

VF4A (Standard, Shrouded and Weatherproof)

- Pin assignment similar to ISO 7588 part 1
- Plug-in terminals
- Customized versions on request
 - Integrated components (e.g. resistor, diode)
 Customized marking
 - Special covers (e.g. brackets, shrouded)

Typical applications

Cross carline up to 40A for example: ABS control, blower fans, car alarm, cooling fan, Electric Power Steering, energy management, engine control, fuel pump, heated front screen, lamps: front, rear, fog light, main switch/ supply relay, valves, wiper control.

Contact Data

| Contact Data | |
|---|------------------------------------|
| Contact arrangement | 1 form C, 1 CO |
| Rated voltage | 12VDC |
| Limiting continuous current, | |
| form A/form B | NO/NC |
| 23°C | 60/45A |
| 85°C | 40/30A |
| 125°C | 17/12A |
| Limiting making current ¹⁾ , form A/form E | B 120/45A |
| Limiting breaking current, form A/form E | B 60/40A |
| Limiting short-time current | |
| overload current, ISO 8820-32) | 1.35 x 40A, 1800s |
| | 2.00 x 40A, 60s |
| | 6.00 x 40A, 1s |
| Jump start test, ISO 16750-1 | 24VDC for 5min, |
| | conducting nominal current at 23°C |
| Contact material | silver based |
| Min. recommended contact load ³⁾ | 1A at 5VDC |
| Initial voltage drop at 10A, | |
| form A (NO) contact, typ./max. | 15mW/200mV |
| form B (NC) contact, typ./max. | 20mW/250mV |
| Frequency of operation at nominal load | d 6 ops./min (0.1Hz) |
| Operate/release time typ. | 7/2ms ⁴⁾ |
| Electrical endurance | >1x10 ⁵ ops. |
| resistive load, form A (NO) contact | 40A, 14VDC |
| resistive load, form B (NC) contact | 30A, 14VDC |

Max. DC load breaking capacity



Load limit curve 1: arc extinguishes during transit time (changeover contact). Load limit curve 2: safe shutdown, no stationary arc (make contact). Load limit curves measured with low inductive resistors verified for 1000 switching events.

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Contact Data (continued)

Mechanical endurance >1x10⁶ ops

- The values apply to a resistive or inductive load with suitable spark suppression and at maximum 14VDC for 12VDC or 28VDC for 24VDC load voltages. For a load current duration of maximum 3s for a make/break ratio of 1:10.
- Current and time are compatible with circuit protection by a typical automotive fuse. Relay will make, carry and break the specified current.
- See chapter Diagnostics of Relays in our Application Notes or consult the internet at http://relays.te.com/appnotes/
- 4) For unsuppressed relay coil. A low resistive suppression device in parallel to the relay coil increases the release time and reduces the lifetime caused by increased erosion and/or higher risk of contact tack welding.

Coil Data

| Rated coil voltage 12/24VDC | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------------------|--------------|---------|---------|--------------------------|---------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Coil versi | ons, DC coil | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| Coil | Rated | Operate | Release | Coil | Rated coil | | | | |
| code | voltage | voltage | voltage | resistance ⁵⁾ | power ⁵⁾ | | | | |
| | VDC | VDC | VDC | Ω±10% | W | | | | |
| F | 12 | 7.2 | 1.2 | 90 | 1.6 | | | | |
| Н | 24 | 14.4 | 2.4 | 360 | 1.6 | | | | |
| 5) Without components in parallel. | | | | | | | | | |

All figures are given for coil without pre-energization, at ambient temperature +23°C.

Coil operating range



Does not take into account the temperature rise due to the contact current $\mathsf{E}=\mathsf{pre}\text{-}\mathsf{energization}.$

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| Insulation Data | |
|--|-------------------------------------|
| Initial dielectric strength | |
| between open contacts | 500V _{rms} |
| between contact and coil | 500V _{rms} |
| between adjacent contacts | 500V _{rms} |
| | |
| Other Data | |
| EU RoHS/ELV compliance | compliant |
| Protection to heat and fire according UL | .94 UL94-HB or better |
| Ambient temperature | -40 to 125°C |
| Category of environmental protection, | |
| IEC 61810 | RT I (dustproof), |
| R | T III (sealed/sealed – shrouded) |
| Degree of protection, IEC 60529 | |
| | IP54 (dustproof), |
| | IP67 (sealed) |
| | IP67 (sealed – shrouded), |
| | only with special connector |
| Vibration resistance (functional) | |
| IEC 60068-2-6 (sine sweep) | 10 to 500Hz, min. 5g ⁶) |
| Shock resistance (functional) | |
| IEC 60068-2-27 (half sine) | 11ms, min. 20g ⁶⁾ |
| Drop test, free fall, IEC 60068-2-32 | 1m onto concrete |

| Terminal type | plug-in, QC |
|---|---|
| Cover retention | |
| axial force | 150N |
| pull force | 200N |
| push force | 200N |
| Terminal retention | |
| pull force | 100N |
| push force | 100N |
| resistance to bending | 10N ⁷⁾ |
| force applied to side | 10N ⁷⁾ |
| torque | 0.3Nm |
| Weight | approx. 35 to 60g (1.2 to 2.1oz) |
| Packaging unit | |
| cover type VF4-1 | 357 pcs. |
| VF4-4 | 200 pcs. |
| VF4-5, VF4-6 | 110 pcs. |
| No change in the switching state > significantly higher. | 1 μ s. Valid for NC contacts, NO contact values |
| 7) Values apply 2mm from the end of | the terminal. When the force is removed, the termin |

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Accessories

For details see datasheet

1 form C, 1 CO with resistor

Connectors for Mini, Mini (Shrouded) and Maxi ISO Relays

Terminal Assignment

CO 1 form C, 1 CO





COD

Dimensions

VF4A with dust cover VF4-1**** (without bracket) and VF4-4**** (with bracket)







COR

View of the terminals (bottom view)

Terminal thickness 0.81 + 0.03



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Automotive Relays Plug-in Mini ISO Relays

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Dimensions

VF4A with shrouded dust cover VF4-2**** (without bracket) and VF4-5**** (with bracket)





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View of the terminals (bottom view)



VF4A with weatherproof cover VF4-3**** (without bracket) and VF4-6**** (with bracket)



View of the terminals (bottom view)



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| Produ | uct co | de structure | | Typical product code | 4 | -1 | 5 | F | 11 | -S01 |
|---------|---------|--------------------------------------|-----|-----------------------------------|---|----|---|---|----|------|
| Туре | VF4A | VF4A | | | | | | | | |
| Cover | type | | | | | | | | | |
| | 1 | Dust cover standard | 2 | Shrouded dust cover standard | | | | | | |
| | 3 | Weatherproof cover standard | 4 | Dust cover with bracket | | | | | | |
| | 5 | Shrouded dust cover with bracket | 6 | Weatherproof cover with bracket | | | | | | |
| Conta | ct arra | ngement | | | | | | | | |
| | 5 | 1 form C, 1 CO | | | | | | | | |
| Coil | | | | | | | | | | |
| | F | 12VDC | н | 24VDC | | | | | | |
| Conta | ct mate | erial | | | | | | | | |
| | 11 | Silver based | 21 | Silver based for capacitive loads | | | | | | |
| Coil su | ppres | sion | | | | | | | | - |
| | S01 | Resistor in parallel (680 Ω) | S05 | Diode in parallel (cathode 86) | | | | | | |
| | S08 | Resistor in parallel (2700Ω) | | | | | | | | |

| Product code | Supersed by | ed | Arran- gement | Cover | Coil suppression | Cir- cuit ¹⁾ | Contact material | Termi- nals | Part number |
|-----------------|-------------------|-------------|------------------|----------|--------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| VF4A-15F11 | V23136-A0004-X058 | 1-1414686-0 | 1 form C, | Standard | | CO | Silver based | Plug-in, | 6-1393298-0 |
| VF4A-15F11-C05 | - | - | 1 CO | Sealed | | | | QC | 6-1393298-2 |
| VF4A-15F11-S01 | V23136-A0004-X059 | 1-1414687-0 | | Standard | Resistor 680Ω | COR | | | 6-1393298-4 |
| VF4A-15F11-S05 | V23136-A0004-X086 | 4-1414992-7 | | | Diode (cathode 86) | COD | | | 6-1393298-5 |
| VF4A-15F21-S01 | V23136-A0004-X075 | 7-1414985-1 | | | Resistor 680Ω | COR | Silver based ²⁾ | | 7-1393298-3 |
| VF4A-15H11 | V23234-A0004-X055 | 2-1904025-6 | | | | CO | Silver based | | 8-1393298-1 |
| VF4A-15H11-S08 | V23234-A0004-X053 | 2-1904025-5 | | | Resistor 2700Ω | COR | | | 5-1393305-7 |
| VF4A-45F11 | V23234-A1001-X036 | 3-1904022-2 | | Bracket | | CO | | | 8-1393298-8 |
| VF4A-45F11-S01 | V23234-A1001-X033 | 1-1904022-1 | | | Resistor 680Ω | COR | | | 1-1393302-0 |
| VF4A-45H11 | V23234-A1004-X050 | 1-1904027-1 | | | | CO | | | 1-1393302-1 |
| VF4A-55F11-S01 | _ | - | | Shrouded | Resistor 680Ω | COR | 1 | | 8-1393305-7 |
| VF4A-65F11-S01 | - | - | | Weather- | | | | | 9-1393305-5 |
| VF4A-65H11-S08 | - | - | | proof | Resistor 2700Ω | | | | 9-1393305-9 |

1) See terminal assignment diagrams.

2) Special contact material for capacitive loads.

Other types on request.

This list represents the most common types and does not show all variants covered by this datasheet.

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