# RI-01C Series Dry Reed Switch



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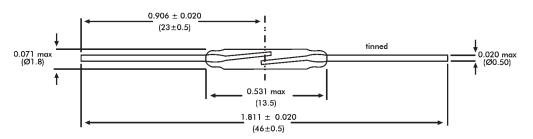
Pico dry-reed switch hermetically sealed in a gas-filled glass envelope. Single-pole, single-throw (SPST) type, having normally open contacts, and containing two magnetically actuated reeds.

The switch is of the double-ended type and may be actuated by an electromagnet, a permanent magnet or a combination of both.

The device is intended for use in relays, sensors, pulse counters or similar devices.

#### **RI-01C Series Features**

- ♦ Ideal for general purpose reed relays and sensors
- Contact layers: Ruthenium on gold
- Superior glass-to-metal seal and blade alignment



Dimensions in inches (mm)

## General data for all models RI-01C

### **AT-Customization / Preformed Leads**

Besides the standard models, customized products can also be supplied offering the following options:

- Operate and release ranges to customer specification
- Cropped and/or preformed leads

## Coils

All characteristics are measured using the Philips Standard Coil. For definitions of the Philips Standard Coil, refer to "Application Notes" in the Reed Switch Technical & Application Information Section of this catalog.

## Life expectancy and reliability

The life expectancy data given below are valid for a coil energized at 1.25 times the published maximum operate value for each type in the RI-01C series.

## No-load conditions (operating frequency: 100 Hz)

Life expectancy: min. 10<sup>8</sup> operations with a failure rate of less than 10<sup>-9</sup> with a confidence level of 90%.

End of life criteria:

Contact resistance  $> 1\Omega$  after 2 ms

Release time > 2ms (latching or contact sticking). Loaded conditions (resistive load: 12V; 4 mA; (15 mA peak); operating frequency: 170 Hz)

Life expectancy: min. 10<sup>6</sup> operations

End of life criteria:

Contact resistance  $> 2\Omega$  after 4 ms

Release time > 0.7 ms (latching or contact sticking). Switching different loads involves different life expectancy and reliability data. Further information is available on request.

## **Mechanical Data**

Contact arrangement is normally open; lead finish is tinned; net mass is approximately 100 mg; and can be mounted in any position.

#### Shock

The switches are tested in accordance with "IEC 68-2-27", test Ea (peak acceleration 150 G, half sinewave; duration 11 ms). Such a shock will not cause an open switch (no magnetic field present) to close, nor a switch

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<b>Model Number</b>			RI-01CAA	RI-01CA
Parameters	<b>Test Conditions</b>	Units		
<b>Operating Characteristics</b>				
Operate Range		AT	7-19	16-25
Release Range		AT	3-16	4-18
Operate Time - including bounce (typ.)	(energization)	ms	0.30 (24 AT)	0.35 (31 AT)
Bounce Time (typ.)	(energization)	ms	0.10 (24 AT)	0.10 (31 AT)
Release Time (max)	(energization)	$\mu$ s	50 (24 AT)	50 (31 AT)
Resonant Frequency (typ.)		Hz	9000	9000
<b>Electrical Characteristics</b>				
Switched Power (max)		W	10	10
Switched Voltage DC (max)		V	180	200
Switched Voltage AC, RMS value (max)		V	130	140
Switched Current DC (max)		mA	250	500
Switched Current AC, RMS value (max)		mA	250	500
Carry Current DC (max)		A	1	1
Breakdown Voltage (min)		V	200	250
Contact Resistance* (initial max)	(energization)	m $\Omega$	100 (20 AT)	100 (25 AT)
Contact Resistance* (initial typ.)	(energization)	m $\Omega$	90 (20 AT)	90 (25 AT)
Contact Capacitance (max)	without test coil	pF	0.30	.25
Insulation Resistance (min)	RH ≤ 45%	М $\Omega$	$10^{6}$	$10^{6}$

<sup>\*</sup> The Contact Resistance is measured using the Kelvin Method next to the glass body.

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## **Vibration**

The switches are tested in accordance with "IEC 68-2-6", test Fc (acceleration 10 G; below cross-over frequency 57 to 62 Hz; amplitude 0.75 mm; frequency range 10 to 2000 Hz, duration 90 minutes). Such a vibration will not cause an open switch (no magnetic field present) to close, nor a switch kept closed by an 80 AT coil to open.

## **Mechanical Strength**

The robustness of the terminations is tested in accordance with "IEC 68-2-21", test Ua, (load 10 N).

## **Operating and Storage Temperature**

Operating ambient temperature; min: -55°C; max: +125°C. Storage temperature; min: -55°C; max: +125°C. **Note:** Temperature excursions up to 150°C may be permissible. For more information contact your nearest Coto Technology sales office.

## Soldering

The switch can withstand soldering heat in accordance with "IEC 68-2-20", test Tb, method 1B: solder bath at  $350 \pm 10^{\circ}$ C for  $3.5 \pm 0.5$  s. Solderability is tested in accordance with "IEC 68-2-20" test Ta, method 3: solder globule temperature 235°C; ageing 1b: 4 hours steam.

## Welding

The leads can be welded

### Mounting

The leads should not be bent closer than 1 mm to the glass-to-metal seals. Stress on the seals should be avoided. Care must be taken to prevent stray magnetic fields from influencing the operating and measuring conditions.