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	BRC1608 TYPE	

### 1. Range of application

This specification sheet applies to small wound chip inductor, BRC1608.

### 2. Ordering code

Example :  $\frac{\text{BRC}}{(1)} \quad \frac{1608}{(2)} \quad \frac{\text{T}}{(3)} \quad \frac{1\text{R}0}{(4)} \quad \frac{\text{M}}{(5)}$

- (1) Type
- (2) External dimensions
- (3) Packing style (T: Taping )
- (4) Inductance
- (5) Inductance tolerance (M=±20 %)

### 3. Standard measuring method

Inductance : LCR meter ( HP 4285A or equivalent )  
Test fixture ( HP 16034EA or equivalent )  
Measuring signal level : 1V  
Measuring pressure : 100gf  
Self-resonance frequency : Impedance/Material Analyzer ( HP 4291A or equivalent)  
DC resistance : DC Ohmmeter ( HIOKI 3227 or equivalent)

#### Standard test conditions

Unless otherwise specified, temperature is  $20 \pm 15 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$  and the humidity is  $65 \pm 20 \%$ .

Should any doubt arise about the test results, further test shall be conducted at a temperature of  $20 \pm 2 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$  and a humidity of  $65 \pm 5 \%$ .

Inductance is in accordance with our standard measurement figures.

### 4. Operating temperature range

$-25 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $+105 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$  (Containing self temperature increase)

### 5. Storage temperature range

$-40 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $+85 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$  (Product without taping)

### 6. Electrical characteristics

Refer to table 1 and 3.

### 7. External dimensions and structural diagram

Refer to Table 2.

### 8. Mechanical characteristics

Refer to Table 3.

### 9. Environment test performance standards

Refer to Table 3.

### 10. Taping method

Refer to Table 4.

### 11. Packing form

Refer to Table 5.

### 12. Reflow profile chart

Refer to Table 6.

	Table 1	( 2 / 1 1 )
	ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS	

Ordering Code	Nominal Inductance [ $\mu$ H]	Inductance Tolerance [%]	D.C. Resistance $\pm 30\%$ [ $\Omega$ ]	Self Resonant Frequency min [MHz]	Rated*) Current max[mA]		Measuring Frequency [MHz]
					Saturation Current	Temperature Rise current	
BRC1608TR20M	0.20	$\pm 20$	0.060	400	1750	980	7.96
BRC1608TR35M	0.35	$\pm 20$	0.080	300	1400	810	7.96
BRC1608TR45M	0.45	$\pm 20$	0.090	200	1250	800	7.96
BRC1608TR56M	0.56	$\pm 20$	0.095	170	1150	760	7.96
BRC1608TR77M	0.77	$\pm 20$	0.110	150	1000	660	7.96
BRC1608T1R0M	1.0	$\pm 20$	0.180	140	850	520	7.96
BRC1608T1R5M	1.5	$\pm 20$	0.300	120	700	410	7.96
BRC1608T2R2M	2.2	$\pm 20$	0.550	100	550	280	7.96

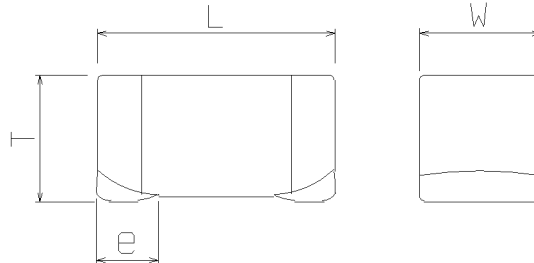
\*) The saturation current value (Idc1) is the maximum DC current value having inductance decrease down to 30%. (at 20°C)

\*) The temperature rise current value (Idc2) is the maximum DC current value having temperature increase up to 40°C. (at 20°C)

\*) The rated current value is following either Idc1 or Idc2, which is the lower one.

	Table 2	( 3 / 1 1 )
	EXTERNAL DIMENSIONS AND STRUCTURAL DIAGRAM	

## 1. External dimensions

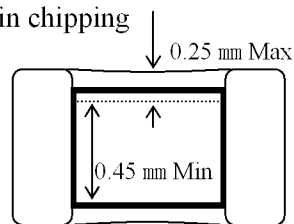


L	$1.6 \pm 0.2$
W	$0.8 \pm 0.2$
T	$0.8 \pm 0.2$
e	$0.45 \pm 0.15$

Unit: mm

### ※ External appearance

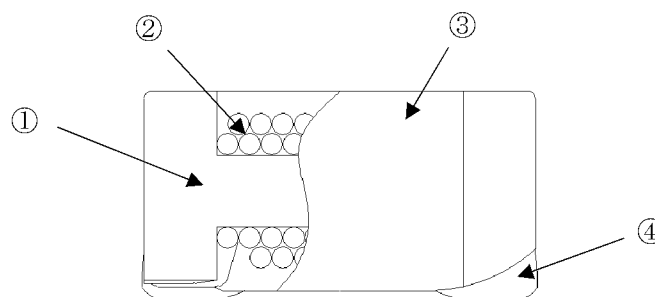
- Resin chipping



Set □ area as reference for flat level, over 70 % shall be flat.  
Judgment shall be made according to the dimension below.  
Insufficient resin on one side shall be 0.25 mm Max.  
In case of insufficient resin on both side over 0.45 mm of flat surface shall be ensured.  
(Template R part is not included on reference area.)

- The pinhole with  $\phi$  up to 0.3 mm within specified area shall be regarded as non-defective.  
Resin crack or pinhole which locates outside of specified area or which has contact with frame, shall be also regarded as non-defective.

## 2. Structural diagram



- ① Ferrite core
- ② Coil material
- ③ Over-coating resin
- ④ Electrode

Ni – Zn ferrite  
Polyurethane-copper wire  
Epoxy resin, containing ferrite powder  
Base material : Ag  
Foundation plating : Ni  
Surface plating : Sn

	Table 3	
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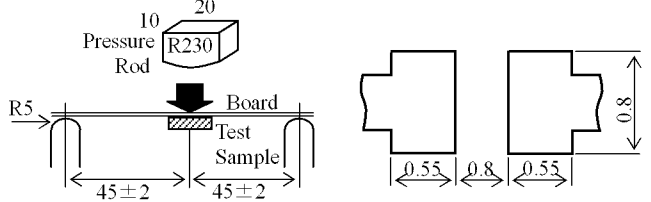
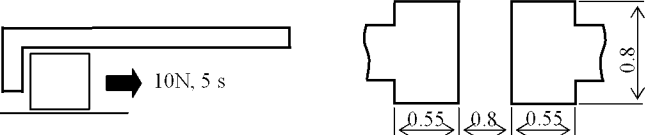
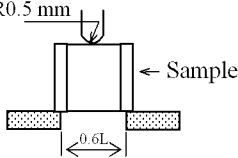
	Item	Standard	Test method
ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS	Inductance	Refer to Table 1	LCR meter (HP4285A or equivalent) Measuring signal level : 1V Test fixture (HP16034E or equivalent) Measuring pressure : 100gf
	Self resonant frequency	Refer to Table 1	Impedance/material analyzer (HP4291A or equivalent)
	DC resistance	Refer to Table 1	DC ohm meter (HIOKI3227 or equivalent)
	Rated current	Refer to Table 1.	The maximum DC value having inductance decrease within 30 % and temperature increase within 40 °C by the application of DC bias shall be respectively measured.
	Insulation resistance	Not less than $1 \times 10^8 \Omega$ .	0.2 mm diameter copper wires were wound around the coils one time and measurements were take after 250 V DC was applied between the wire and the terminals for a period of 30 seconds.
	Over current test	No smoke and no fire.	1.5 times the rated current was applied for a period of 5 minutes.
MECHANICAL CHARACTERISTICS	Resistance to Flexure substrate	No damage.	<p>The test samples shall be soldered to the testing board and by reflow soldering conditions as show in table 6. Apply pressure in the direction of the arrow until bent width reaches 2 mm.</p>  <p>Substrate size : <math>100 \times 40 \times 0.8</math>      Land size Substrate material : glass epoxy-resin Solder cream thickness : 0.1      Unit : mm</p>
	Adhesion of Terminal electrode	No abnormality.	<p>The test samples shall be soldered to the testing board and by reflow soldering conditions as shown table 6.</p>  <p>Applied force : 10 N to X and Y directions. Duration : 5 s. Substrate size : <math>110 \times 30 \times 0.8</math> Substrate material : glass epoxy-resin Solder cream thickness : 0.1      Unit : mm</p>
	Body strength	No damage.	<p>Applied force : 5 N Duration : 10 s</p> 

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ENVIRONMENT TESTS

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Resistance to vibration	Inductance change: Within $\pm 10 \%$ No abnormality observed in appearance.	The test samples shall be soldered to testing jig as shown in under table. <table><tr><td>Frequency range</td><td>10~55 Hz</td></tr><tr><td>Overall Amplitude</td><td>1.5 mm (Shall not exceed acceleration 196 m/S<sup>2</sup>)</td></tr><tr><td>Sweeping Method</td><td>10 to 55 to 10 Hz for 1 min.</td></tr><tr><td>Time</td><td>2 hours each in X, Y, and Z Direction.</td></tr></table>	Frequency range	10~55 Hz	Overall Amplitude	1.5 mm (Shall not exceed acceleration 196 m/S <sup>2</sup> )	Sweeping Method	10 to 55 to 10 Hz for 1 min.	Time	2 hours each in X, Y, and Z Direction.							
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Resistance to soldering	Inductance change: Within $\pm 20 \%$ No abnormality observed in appearance.	3 time of reflow oven at 230 °C min for 40 sec max, with peak temperature at 260+0/-5 °C for 5 sec max .  Substrate thickness : 1.0 mm Substrate material : glass epoxy-resin															
Solderability	At least 90 % of terminal electrode is covered by new solder.	The test samples be submerged molten solder as shown in under table. Flux : methanol solution with 25 % of rosin or equivalent. 【Pb free solder : Sn-3Ag-0.5Cu】 <table><tr><td>Solder Temperature</td><td>245±5 °C</td></tr><tr><td>Time</td><td>5±0.5 s</td></tr><tr><td>Immersing Speed</td><td>25 mm/s</td></tr></table> 【Eutectic solder】 <table><tr><td>Solder Temperature</td><td>230±5 °C</td></tr><tr><td>Time</td><td>5±0.5 s</td></tr><tr><td>Immersing Speed</td><td>25 mm/s</td></tr></table>	Solder Temperature	245±5 °C	Time	5±0.5 s	Immersing Speed	25 mm/s	Solder Temperature	230±5 °C	Time	5±0.5 s	Immersing Speed	25 mm/s			
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Temperature characteristics	Inductance change: Within $\pm 20 \%$ No abnormality observed in appearance.	Measurement were taken in a temperature range of − 25 °C to + 85 °C and the value at + 20 °C was used as the standard value.															
Thermal shock	Inductance change: Within $\pm 10 \%$ No abnormality observed in appearance.	The test samples shall be soldered to the testing jig and by reflow soldering conditions as shown in table 6. The test samples shall be left for the specified time at each of temperature in steps from 1 to 4, as shown in under table in sequence. The temperature cycles shall be repeated 100 cycles in the Method. Conditions for 1 cycle. <table><tr><td>Step</td><td>Temperature</td><td>Time (min)</td></tr><tr><td>1</td><td>− 40±3 °C</td><td>30±3</td></tr><tr><td>2</td><td>Room Temp.</td><td>within 3</td></tr><tr><td>3</td><td>85±2 °C</td><td>30±3</td></tr><tr><td>4</td><td>Room Temp</td><td>within 3</td></tr></table>	Step	Temperature	Time (min)	1	− 40±3 °C	30±3	2	Room Temp.	within 3	3	85±2 °C	30±3	4	Room Temp	within 3
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Low temperature life test	Inductance change: Within $\pm 10 \%$ No abnormality observed in appearance.	The test samples shall be soldered to the testing jig and by reflow soldering conditions as shown in table 6. And after that proceed the test as shown condition under table. <table><tr><td>Temperature</td><td>− 40±2 °C</td></tr><tr><td>Time</td><td>1 000+24 h</td></tr></table>	Temperature	− 40±2 °C	Time	1 000+24 h											
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ENVIRONMENT TESTS	High temperature life test	Inductance change: Within $\pm 10\%$ No abnormality observed in appearance.	The test samples shall be soldered to the testing jig and by reflow soldering conditions as shown in table 6. And after that proceed the test as shown condition under table. <table><tr><td>Temperature</td><td><math>85 \pm 2\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}</math></td></tr><tr><td>Time</td><td>1 000+24 h</td></tr></table>	Temperature	$85 \pm 2\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$	Time	1 000+24 h			
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Damp heat life test	Inductance change: Within $\pm 10\%$ No abnormality observed in appearance.	The test samples shall be soldered to the testing jig and by reflow soldering conditions as shown in table 6. The test samples shall be put in thermostatic oven set at temperature with humidity, as shown in under table. <table><tr><td>Temperature</td><td><math>60 \pm 2\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}</math></td></tr><tr><td>Humidity</td><td>90~95 %RH</td></tr><tr><td>Time</td><td>1 000+24 h</td></tr></table>	Temperature	$60 \pm 2\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$	Humidity	90~95 %RH	Time	1 000+24 h		
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Time	1 000+24 h									
Loading under damp heat life test	Inductance change: Within $\pm 10\%$ No abnormality observed in appearance.	The test samples shall be soldered to the testing jig and by reflow soldering conditions as shown in table 6. The test samples shall be put in thermostatic oven set at temperature with humidity, as shown in under table, and with the rated current continuously applied. <table><tr><td>Temperature</td><td><math>60 \pm 2\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}</math></td></tr><tr><td>Humidity</td><td>90~95 %RH</td></tr><tr><td>Current</td><td>Rated current (Refer to Table 1)</td></tr><tr><td>Time</td><td>1 000+24 h</td></tr></table>	Temperature	$60 \pm 2\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$	Humidity	90~95 %RH	Current	Rated current (Refer to Table 1)	Time	1 000+24 h
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Humidity	90~95 %RH									
Current	Rated current (Refer to Table 1)									
Time	1 000+24 h									

Standard measuring condition	Unless otherwise specified, measurements were taken within 48 hours after the coils was stored at room temperature and in normal humidity for not less than 2 hour.
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	Table 5	( 8 / 1 1 )
	PACKING FORM	

**1. The number of components**

Each reel shall accommodate 3000 inductors whether there are empty compartments or not.

**2. Packing in tape**

Emboss carrier tapes of 8 mm width, 4 mm pitch and  $\phi$  180 mm-reels shall be used.

**3. The allowable number of empty components**

The number of empty compartments in a reel, which shall not appear continuously, must be limited to 2.

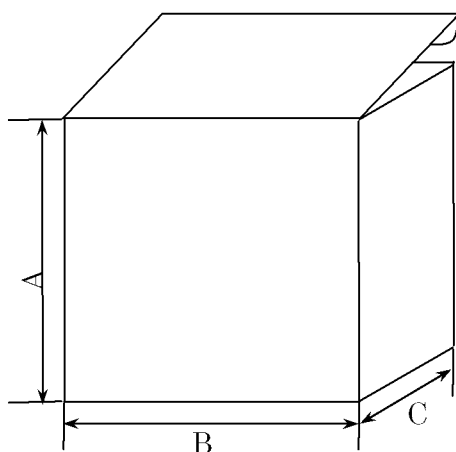
**4. Marking**

The following items shall be marked legibly each unit pack.

- (1) Customer parts No.
- (2) Our parts No.
- (3) Manufacture's name (TAIYO YUDEN CO., LTD.)
- (4) Control No. (Control number enables to trace shipped lots.)
- (5) Date (stamp)
- (6) Quantity
- (7) Country of the origin

**5. Dimensions of packing box**

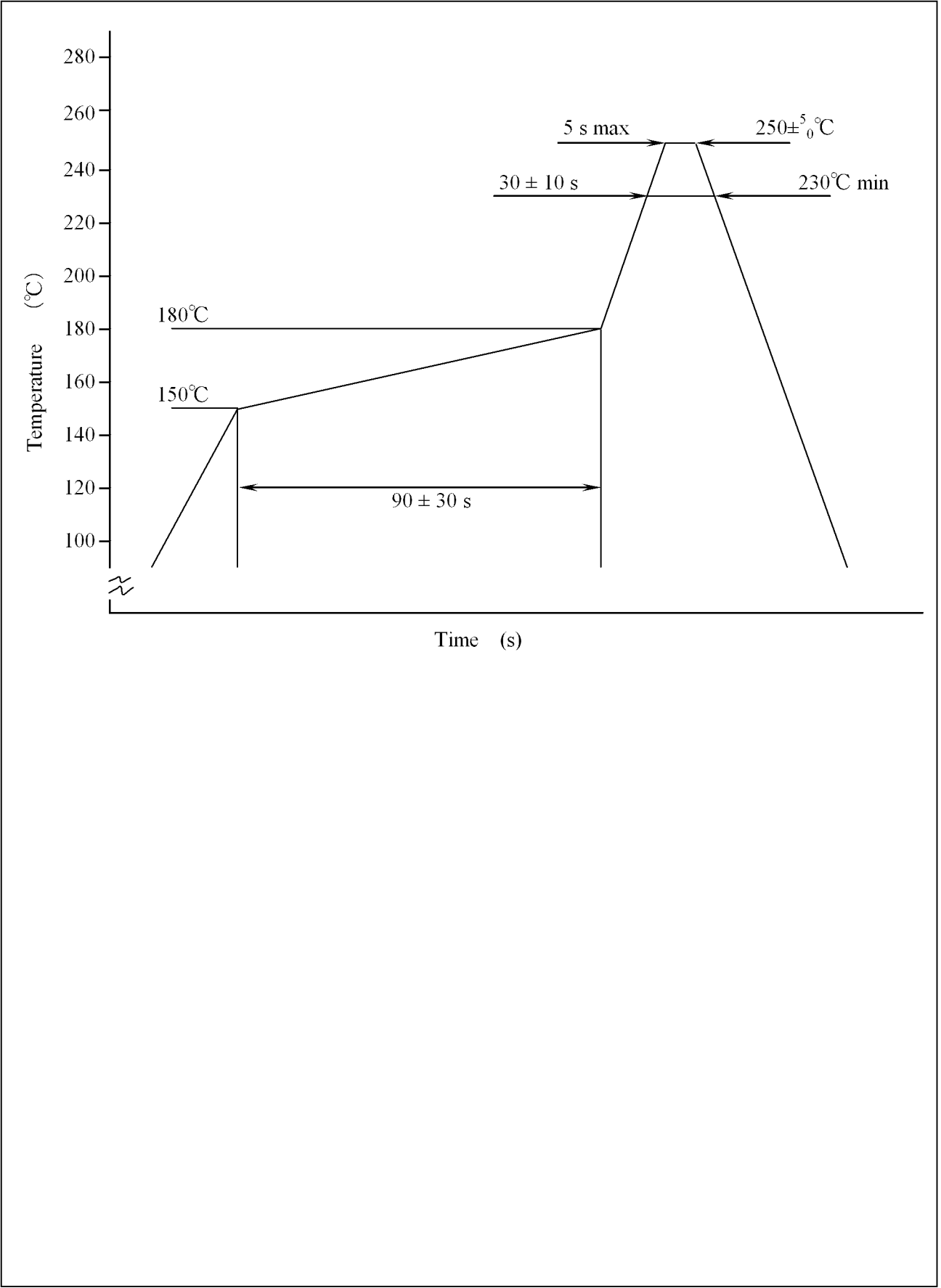
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Code	A	B	C	Standard Quantity
Size	190	185	75	15, 000 pcs. max
			140	30, 000 pcs. max

[Unit : mm]

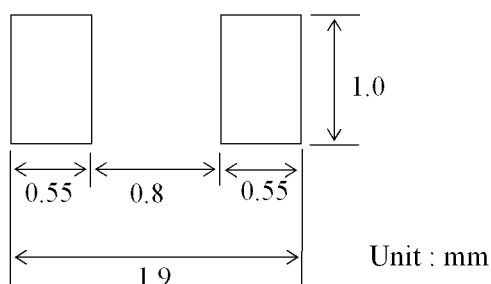
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	REFLOW PROFILE CHART (REFERENCE)	



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### 1. Surface Mounting

- Mounting and soldering conditions should be checked beforehand.
- This inductors only using reflow soldering.
- Recommended Land-Pattern :



### 2. Handling

- Keep the inductors away from all magnets and magnetic objects.
- When splitting the PC boards after mounting inductors, care should be taken not to give any stresses of deflection or twisting to the board.
- Board separation should not be done manually, but by using the appropriate devices.
- Please do not give the inductors any excessive mechanical shocks.
- Please avoid operation, which apply excessive stress and/or temperature to the products, such as resin molding.
- Washing by supersonic waves shall be avoided.

### 3. Storage

- To maintain the solderability of terminal electrodes and to keep the packing material in good condition, temperature and humidity in the storage area should be controlled.

Recommended conditions.

Ambient temperature                      0 ~ 40 °C

Humidity                                      Below 70 % RH

The ambient temperature must be kept below 30 °C. Even under ideal storage conditions, solderability of products electrodes may decrease as time passes, so inductors should be used within 6 months from the time of delivery.

### 4. Regulations

- No ozone-depleting substances, which are defined as Class- I and Class- II in the US Federal Clean Air Act, are used in the production processes, nor contained in the product.
- The product and the specifications described above are not included in the list of export regulations in Japan and USA.
- The product and the specifications described above are conform to “RoHS compliance”. “RoHS compliance” means that the product does not contain lead, cadmium, mercury, hexavalent chromium, PBBs or PBDEs referring to EU Directive 2002/95/EC, except other non-restricted substances or impurities which could not be technically removed at the refining process.

### 5. Production Sites

- TAIYO YUDEN CO., LTD. (JAPAN)
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- Tsukiyono Denshi Co., Ltd. (JAPAN)

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