

## Aluminum electrolytic capacitors

Capacitors with 4-pin snap-in terminals and solder pins

**Series/Type:** B43511, B43521

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### Long-life grade capacitors

#### Applications

- Frequency converters
- Solar inverters
- Uninterruptible power supplies
- Professional power supplies
- Medical appliances

#### Features

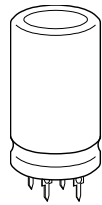
- Voltage derating ( $0.95 \cdot V_R$ ) enables 105 °C operation, more details available upon request
- Long useful life
- Outstanding ripple current capability
- High volumetric efficiency
- Many different case sizes
- Pinning ensures correct insertion
- RoHS-compatible

#### Construction

- Charge/discharge-proof, polar
- Aluminum case, fully insulated with PVC
- Version with additional PET insulation cap on terminal side available for insulating the capacitor from the PCB (B43511 only)
- Overload protection by safety vent on the case wall

#### Terminals

- 4-pin snap-in terminals (6.3 mm and 4.5 mm length)
- Solder pin mounting on printed circuit boards, pins fit standardized spacings on PCB


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**Specifications and characteristics in brief**

| Rated voltage $V_R$   | 350 ... 450 V DC  |   |                      |                   |  |   |   |  |   |    |  |  |
|---|---|---|----------------------|-------------------|--|---|---|--|---|----|--|--|
| Surge voltage $V_S$   | $1.1 \cdot V_R$   |   |                      |                   |  |   |   |  |   |    |  |  |
| Rated capacitance $C_R$   | 390 ... 2200 $\mu\text{F}$  |   |                      |                   |  |   |   |  |   |    |  |  |
| Capacitance tolerance   | $\pm 20\% \triangle M$  |   |                      |                   |  |   |   |  |   |    |  |  |
| Dissipation factor $\tan \delta$<br>(20 °C, 120 Hz)   | $V_R \leq 400 \text{ V DC: } \tan \delta \leq 0.15$<br>$V_R > 400 \text{ V DC: } \tan \delta \leq 0.20$   |   |                      |                   |  |   |   |  |   |    |  |  |
| Leakage current $I_{\text{leak}}$<br>(5 min, 20 °C)   | $I_{\text{leak}} \leq 0.3 \mu\text{A} \cdot \left( \frac{C_R}{\mu\text{F}} \cdot \frac{V_R}{\text{V}} \right)^{0.7} + 4 \mu\text{A}$  |   |                      |                   |  |   |   |  |   |    |  |  |
| Self-inductance ESL   | Approx. 20 nH   |   |                      |                   |  |   |   |  |   |    |  |  |
| Useful life <sup>1)</sup><br>85 °C; $V_R$ ; $I_{\text{AC,R}}$<br>40 °C; $V_R$ ; $1.6 \cdot I_{\text{AC,R}}$ | $> 12000 \text{ h}$<br>$> 200000 \text{ h}$   | <b>Requirements:</b><br>$\Delta C/C \leq \pm 20\%$ of initial value<br>$\tan \delta \leq 2$ times initial specified limit<br>$I_{\text{leak}} \leq$ initial specified limit             |                      |                   |  |   |   |  |   |    |  |  |
| Voltage endurance test<br>85 °C; $V_R$  | 3000 h  | <b>Post test requirements:</b><br>$\Delta C/C \leq \pm 10\%$ of initial value<br>$\tan \delta \leq 1.3$ times initial specified limit<br>$I_{\text{leak}} \leq$ initial specified limit |                      |                   |  |   |   |  |   |    |  |  |
| Vibration resistance test   | To IEC 60068-2-6, test Fc:<br>Frequency range 10 ... 55 Hz, displacement amplitude 0.35 mm, acceleration max. 5 g, duration $3 \times 2 \text{ h}$ .<br>Capacitor mounted by its body which is rigidly clamped to the work surface.   |   |                      |                   |  |   |   |  |   |    |  |  |
| Characteristics at low temperature  | Max. impedance ratio at 100 Hz <table border="1" data-bbox="568 986 912 1114" style="margin-left: 20px;"> <thead> <tr> <th><math>V_R</math></th> <th><math>\leq 400 \text{ V}</math></th> <th><math>&gt; 400 \text{ V}</math></th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td><math>Z_{-25^\circ\text{C}} / Z_{20^\circ\text{C}}</math></td> <td>4</td> <td>7</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>Z_{-40^\circ\text{C}} / Z_{20^\circ\text{C}}</math></td> <td>7</td> <td>14</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>    | $V_R$   | $\leq 400 \text{ V}$ | $> 400 \text{ V}$ | $Z_{-25^\circ\text{C}} / Z_{20^\circ\text{C}}$ | 4 | 7 | $Z_{-40^\circ\text{C}} / Z_{20^\circ\text{C}}$ | 7 | 14 |  |  |
| $V_R$   | $\leq 400 \text{ V}$  | $> 400 \text{ V}$   |                      |                   |  |   |   |  |   |    |  |  |
| $Z_{-25^\circ\text{C}} / Z_{20^\circ\text{C}}$  | 4   | 7   |                      |                   |  |   |   |  |   |    |  |  |
| $Z_{-40^\circ\text{C}} / Z_{20^\circ\text{C}}$  | 7   | 14  |                      |                   |  |   |   |  |   |    |  |  |
| IEC climatic category   | To IEC 60068-1:<br>$V_R \leq 400 \text{ V DC: } 40/085/56$ ( $-40 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}/+85 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}/56$ days damp heat test)<br>$V_R > 400 \text{ V DC: } 25/085/56$ ( $-25 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}/+85 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}/56$ days damp heat test)<br>The capacitors can be operated in the temperature range of $-40 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ to $+85 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ but the impedance at $-40 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ should be taken into consideration. |   |                      |                   |  |   |   |  |   |    |  |  |
| Detail specification  | Similar to CECC 30301-805   |   |                      |                   |  |   |   |  |   |    |  |  |
| Sectional specification   | IEC 60384-4   |   |                      |                   |  |   |   |  |   |    |  |  |

1) Refer to chapter "General technical information, 5 Useful life" on how to interpret useful life.



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**Outstanding ripple current – 85 °C**

**Dimensional drawings**

**B43511, 4-pin snap-in terminals, PVC insulation**



| Dimensions (mm) |      | Approx. weight (g) | Packing units (pcs.) |
|-----------------|------|--------------------|----------------------|
| d +1            | l ±2 |                    |                      |
| 35              | 50   | 63                 | 60                   |
| 35              | 60   | 76                 | 36                   |
| 35              | 70   | 88                 | 36                   |
| 35              | 80   | 101                | 36                   |
| 35              | 100  | 126                | 36                   |
| 40              | 40   | 71                 | 33                   |
| 40              | 50   | 89                 | 33                   |
| 40              | 60   | 107                | 33                   |
| 40              | 70   | 125                | 33                   |
| 40              | 80   | 143                | 33                   |
| 40              | 100  | 178                | 33                   |
| 45              | 40   | 90                 | 28                   |
| 45              | 50   | 113                | 28                   |
| 45              | 60   | 136                | 28                   |
| 45              | 70   | 158                | 28                   |
| 45              | 80   | 181                | 28                   |
| 45              | 100  | 226                | 28                   |

Standard snap-in terminals:

length (6.3 ± 1) mm.

Also available with length of (4.5 – 1) mm.

All pin holes must be drilled into the PC-board, since the unconnected pins serve as mountings. These pins must be soldered to isolated pads or pads with the same potential as the negative pole.


**B43511, 4-pin snap-in terminals, PVC insulation and PET insulation cap on terminal side**


| Dimensions (mm) |           | Approx. weight (g) | Packing units (pcs.) |
|-----------------|-----------|--------------------|----------------------|
| d +1.4          | l +2.2/-2 |                    |                      |
| 35              | 50        | 63                 | 60                   |
| 35              | 60        | 76                 | 36                   |
| 35              | 70        | 88                 | 36                   |
| 35              | 80        | 101                | 36                   |
| 35              | 100       | 126                | 36                   |
| 40              | 40        | 71                 | 33                   |
| 40              | 50        | 89                 | 33                   |
| 40              | 60        | 107                | 33                   |
| 40              | 70        | 125                | 33                   |
| 40              | 80        | 143                | 33                   |
| 40              | 100       | 178                | 33                   |
| 45              | 40        | 90                 | 28                   |
| 45              | 50        | 113                | 28                   |
| 45              | 60        | 136                | 28                   |
| 45              | 70        | 158                | 28                   |
| 45              | 80        | 181                | 28                   |
| 45              | 100       | 226                | 28                   |

Standard snap-in terminals: length (6.3 +1/-1.4) mm. Also available with length of (4.5 -1.4) mm. PET insulation cap is positioned under the insulation sleeve.

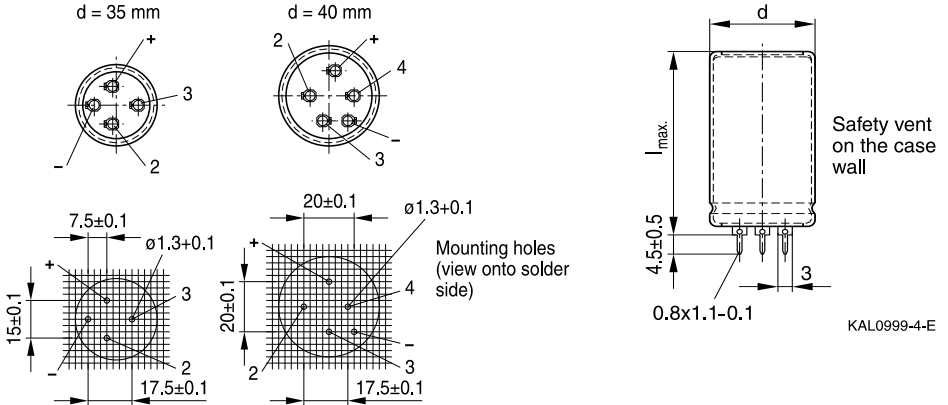
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**B43521, solder pins**



Pole markings: Plus: +; Minus: –

All pin holes must be drilled into the PC-board, since the unconnected pins serve as mountings. These pins must be soldered to isolated pads or pads with the same potential as the negative pole.

| Dimensions (mm) |                  | Approx. weight (g) | Packing units (pcs.) |
|-----------------|------------------|--------------------|----------------------|
| d +1            | l <sub>max</sub> |                    |                      |
| 35              | 54               | 63                 | 60                   |
| 35              | 64               | 76                 | 36                   |
| 35              | 74               | 88                 | 36                   |
| 35              | 84               | 101                | 36                   |
| 35              | 104              | 126                | 36                   |
| 40              | 44               | 71                 | 33                   |
| 40              | 54               | 89                 | 33                   |
| 40              | 64               | 107                | 33                   |
| 40              | 74               | 125                | 33                   |
| 40              | 84               | 143                | 33                   |
| 40              | 104              | 178                | 33                   |



**Packing of 4-pin snap-in terminal and solder pin capacitors**



For ecological reasons the packing is pure cardboard.

**Ordering codes for terminal styles and insulation features**

Identification in 3rd block of ordering code

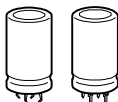
4-pin snap-in terminal capacitors

| Terminal version          | Insulation version |                  |
|---------------------------|--------------------|------------------|
|                           | PVC                | PVC plus PET cap |
| Standard terminals 6.3 mm | M000               | M080             |
| Short terminals 4.5 mm    | M007               | M087             |

Ordering examples:

B43511A9188M007 } 4-pin snap-in capacitor with short terminals and standard PVC insulation

B43511A9188M080 } 4-pin snap-in capacitor with standard terminals and PVC insulation with additional PET insulation cap on terminal side


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**Outstanding ripple current – 85 °C**
**Overview of available types**

| $V_R$ (V DC)     | 350                               | 400                            | 420                            | 450                           |
|------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------|
|                  | Case dimensions $d \times l$ (mm) |                                |                                |                               |
| $C_R$ ( $\mu$ F) |                                   |                                |                                |                               |
| 390              |                                   |                                |                                | 35 × 50<br>40 × 40            |
| 470              |                                   | 35 × 50<br>40 × 40             | 35 × 50<br>40 × 40             | 35 × 60<br>40 × 50<br>45 × 40 |
| 560              | 35 × 50                           | 35 × 60<br>45 × 40             | 35 × 60<br>40 × 50             | 35 × 70<br>40 × 60            |
| 680              | 35 × 60<br>40 × 50                | 35 × 70<br>40 × 60<br>45 × 50  | 35 × 70<br>40 × 60<br>45 × 50  | 35 × 80<br>40 × 60<br>45 × 50 |
| 820              | 35 × 70<br>40 × 60                | 35 × 80<br>40 × 60             | 35 × 80<br>40 × 70<br>45 × 50  | 40 × 70<br>45 × 60            |
| 1000             | 35 × 80<br>40 × 60<br>45 × 50     | 35 × 100<br>40 × 70<br>45 × 60 | 35 × 100<br>40 × 80<br>45 × 60 | 40 × 100<br>45 × 70           |
| 1500             | 40 × 80<br>45 × 70                | 40 × 100<br>45 × 80            | 40 × 100<br>45 × 80            | 45 × 100                      |
| 1800             |                                   | 45 × 100                       | 45 × 100                       |                               |
| 2200             | 45 × 100                          |                                |                                |                               |

The capacitance and voltage ratings listed above are available in different cases upon request.

Other voltage and capacitance ratings are also available upon request.

Capacitors with solder pins are only available in 35 and 40 mm case diameters.




**Technical data and ordering codes**

| $C_R$<br>100 Hz<br>20 °C<br>μF  | Case<br>dimensions<br>d × l<br>mm | ESR <sub>typ</sub><br>100 Hz<br>20 °C<br>mΩ | Z <sub>max</sub><br>10 kHz<br>20 °C<br>mΩ | I <sub>AC,max</sub><br>100 Hz<br>60 °C<br>A | I <sub>AC,R</sub><br>100 Hz<br>85 °C<br>A | Ordering code<br>(composition see<br>below) |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---|---|---|---|---|
| <b>V<sub>R</sub> = 350 V DC</b> |                                   |   |   |   |   |   |
| 560                             | 35 × 50                           | 160   | 190                                       | 5.7   | 3.2                                       | B435*1A4567M0##                             |
| 680                             | 35 × 60                           | 140   | 150                                       | 6.7   | 3.7                                       | B435*1A4687M0##                             |
| 680                             | 40 × 50                           | 140   | 150                                       | 6.6   | 3.7                                       | B435*1C4687M0##                             |
| 820                             | 35 × 70                           | 110   | 130                                       | 7.8   | 4.4                                       | B435*1A4827M0##                             |
| 820                             | 40 × 60                           | 110   | 130                                       | 7.8   | 4.3                                       | B435*1C4827M0##                             |
| 1000                            | 35 × 80                           | 90  | 110                                       | 9.2   | 5.1                                       | B435*1A4108M0##                             |
| 1000                            | 40 × 60                           | 90  | 110                                       | 8.6   | 4.8                                       | B435*1C4108M0##                             |
| 1000                            | 45 × 50                           | 90  | 110                                       | 8.1   | 4.5                                       | B43511E4108M0##                             |
| 1500                            | 40 × 80                           | 60  | 70  | 11.8  | 6.5                                       | B435*1A4158M0##                             |
| 1500                            | 45 × 70                           | 60  | 70  | 11.2  | 6.2                                       | B43511C4158M0##                             |
| 2200                            | 45 × 100                          | 50  | 50  | 15.6  | 8.6                                       | B43511A4228M0##                             |
| <b>V<sub>R</sub> = 400 V DC</b> |                                   |   |   |   |   |   |
| 470                             | 35 × 50                           | 190   | 220                                       | 5.2   | 2.9                                       | B435*1A9477M0##                             |
| 470                             | 40 × 40                           | 190   | 220                                       | 5.1   | 2.8                                       | B435*1C9477M0##                             |
| 560                             | 35 × 60                           | 160   | 190                                       | 6.1   | 3.4                                       | B435*1A9567M0##                             |
| 560                             | 45 × 40                           | 160   | 190                                       | 5.6   | 3.1                                       | B43511C9567M0##                             |
| 680                             | 35 × 70                           | 140   | 150                                       | 7.1   | 4.0                                       | B435*1A9687M0##                             |
| 680                             | 40 × 60                           | 140   | 150                                       | 7.1   | 3.9                                       | B435*1C9687M0##                             |
| 680                             | 45 × 50                           | 140   | 150                                       | 6.6   | 3.7                                       | B43511E9687M0##                             |
| 820                             | 35 × 80                           | 110   | 130                                       | 8.3   | 4.6                                       | B435*1A9827M0##                             |

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**Composition of ordering code**

\* = Terminal type

1 = 4-pin snap-in terminals

2 = solder pin

## = Terminal style and insulation feature

00 = solder pin or 4-pin snap-in standard terminals and PVC insulation

07 = 4-pin snap-in short terminals and PVC insulation

80 = 4-pin snap-in standard terminals and PVC insulation with additional PET insulation cap on terminal side

87 = 4-pin snap-in short terminals and PVC insulation with additional PET insulation cap on terminal side


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**Outstanding ripple current – 85 °C**
**Technical data and ordering codes**

| $C_R$<br>100 Hz<br>20 °C<br>μF  | Case<br>dimensions<br>d × l<br>mm | ESR <sub>typ</sub><br>100 Hz<br>20 °C<br>mΩ | Z <sub>max</sub><br>10 kHz<br>20 °C<br>mΩ | I <sub>AC,max</sub><br>100 Hz<br>60 °C<br>A | I <sub>AC,R</sub><br>100 Hz<br>85 °C<br>A | Ordering code<br>(composition see<br>below) |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---|---|---|---|---|
| <b>V<sub>R</sub> = 400 V DC</b> |                                   |   |   |   |   |   |
| 820                             | 40 × 60                           | 110   | 130                                       | 7.8   | 4.3                                       | B435*1C9827M0##                             |
| 1000                            | 35 × 100                          | 90  | 110                                       | 10.1  | 5.6                                       | B435*1C9108M0##                             |
| 1000                            | 40 × 70                           | 90  | 110                                       | 9.1   | 5.1                                       | B435*1A9108M0##                             |
| 1000                            | 45 × 60                           | 90  | 110                                       | 8.6   | 4.8                                       | B435*1B9108M0##                             |
| 1500                            | 40 × 100                          | 60  | 70  | 12.9  | 7.2                                       | B435*1A9158M0##                             |
| 1500                            | 45 × 80                           | 60  | 70  | 11.8  | 6.5                                       | B43511C9158M0##                             |
| 1800                            | 45 × 100                          | 50  | 60  | 14.1  | 7.8                                       | B43511A9188M0##                             |
| <b>V<sub>R</sub> = 420 V DC</b> |                                   |   |   |   |   |   |
| 470                             | 35 × 50                           | 320   | 340                                       | 5.2   | 2.9                                       | B435*1A0477M0##                             |
| 470                             | 40 × 40                           | 320   | 340                                       | 5.1   | 2.8                                       | B435*1C0477M0##                             |
| 560                             | 35 × 60                           | 270   | 290                                       | 6.1   | 3.4                                       | B435*1A0567M0##                             |
| 560                             | 40 × 50                           | 270   | 290                                       | 6.0   | 3.3                                       | B435*1C0567M0##                             |
| 680                             | 35 × 70                           | 230   | 240                                       | 7.1   | 4.0                                       | B435*1A0687M0##                             |
| 680                             | 40 × 60                           | 230   | 240                                       | 7.1   | 3.9                                       | B435*1C0687M0##                             |
| 680                             | 45 × 50                           | 230   | 240                                       | 6.6   | 3.7                                       | B43511E0687M0##                             |
| 820                             | 35 × 80                           | 190   | 200                                       | 8.3   | 4.6                                       | B435*1A0827M0##                             |
| 820                             | 40 × 70                           | 190   | 200                                       | 8.2   | 4.6                                       | B435*1C0827M0##                             |
| 820                             | 45 × 50                           | 190   | 200                                       | 7.3   | 4.1                                       | B43511E0827M0##                             |
| 1000                            | 35 × 100                          | 160   | 160                                       | 10.1  | 5.6                                       | B435*1A0108M0##                             |
| 1000                            | 40 × 80                           | 160   | 160                                       | 9.6   | 5.3                                       | B435*1C0108M0##                             |
| 1000                            | 45 × 60                           | 160   | 160                                       | 8.6   | 4.8                                       | B43511E0108M0##                             |
| 1500                            | 40 × 100                          | 110   | 110                                       | 12.9  | 7.2                                       | B435*1A0158M0##                             |
| 1500                            | 45 × 80                           | 110   | 110                                       | 11.8  | 6.5                                       | B43511C0158M0##                             |
| 1800                            | 45 × 100                          | 90  | 90  | 14.1  | 7.8                                       | B43511A0188M0##                             |

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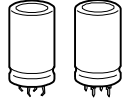
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|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---|---|---|---|---|
| <b>V<sub>R</sub> = 450 V DC</b> |                                   |   |   |   |   |   |
| 390                             | 35 × 50                           | 390   | 410                                       | 4.7   | 2.6                                       | B435*1A5397M0##                             |
| 390                             | 40 × 40                           | 390   | 410                                       | 4.6   | 2.6                                       | B435*1C5397M0##                             |
| 470                             | 35 × 60                           | 320   | 340                                       | 5.6   | 3.1                                       | B435*1A5477M0##                             |
| 470                             | 40 × 50                           | 320   | 340                                       | 5.5   | 3.1                                       | B435*1C5477M0##                             |
| 470                             | 45 × 40                           | 320   | 340                                       | 5.1   | 2.9                                       | B43511E5477M0##                             |
| 560                             | 35 × 70                           | 270   | 290                                       | 6.5   | 3.6                                       | B435*1A5567M0##                             |
| 560                             | 40 × 60                           | 270   | 290                                       | 6.4   | 3.6                                       | B435*1C5567M0##                             |
| 680                             | 35 × 80                           | 230   | 240                                       | 7.5   | 4.2                                       | B435*1A5687M0##                             |
| 680                             | 40 × 60                           | 230   | 240                                       | 7.1   | 3.9                                       | B435*1C5687M0##                             |
| 680                             | 45 × 50                           | 230   | 240                                       | 6.6   | 3.7                                       | B43511E5687M0##                             |
| 820                             | 40 × 70                           | 190   | 200                                       | 8.2   | 4.6                                       | B435*1A5827M0##                             |
| 820                             | 45 × 60                           | 190   | 200                                       | 7.8   | 4.3                                       | B43511C5827M0##                             |
| 1000                            | 40 × 100                          | 160   | 160                                       | 10.5  | 5.8                                       | B435*1A5108M0##                             |
| 1000                            | 45 × 70                           | 160   | 160                                       | 9.1   | 5.1                                       | B43511C5108M0##                             |
| 1500                            | 45 × 100                          | 110   | 110                                       | 12.9  | 7.1                                       | B43511A5158M0##                             |

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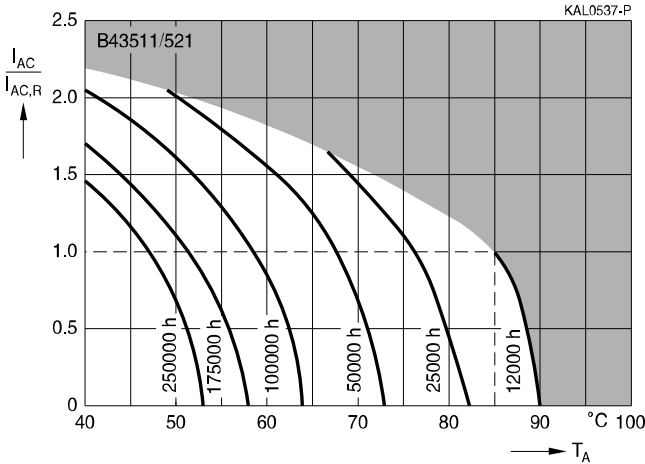


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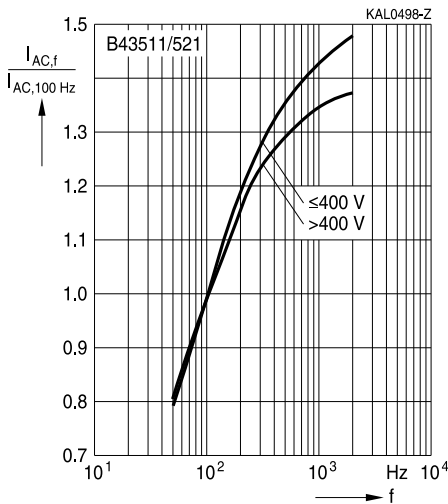
Outstanding ripple current – 85 °C

### Useful life<sup>1)</sup>

depending on ambient temperature  $T_A$  under ripple current operating conditions  
Voltage derating ( $0.95 \cdot V_R$ ) enables 105 °C operation

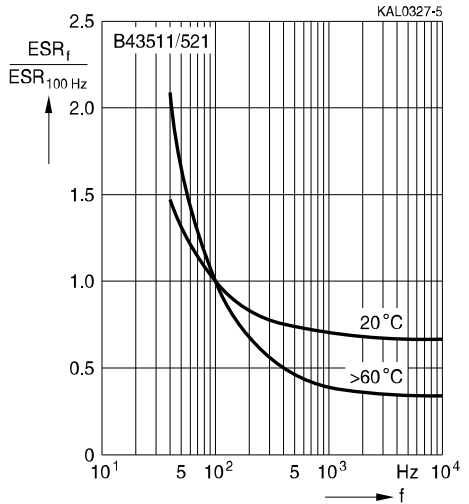


### Frequency factor of permissible ripple current $I_{AC}$ versus frequency $f$



### Frequency characteristics of ESR

Typical behavior



1) Refer to chapter "General technical information, 5 Useful life" on how to interpret useful life.



### Impedance Z versus frequency f

Typical behavior at 20 °C





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## Cautions and warnings

### Personal safety

The electrolytes used by EPCOS have been optimized both with a view to the intended application and with regard to health and environmental compatibility. They do not contain any solvents that are detrimental to health, e.g. dimethyl formamide (DMF) or dimethyl acetamide (DMAC).

Furthermore, some of the high-voltage electrolytes used by EPCOS are self-extinguishing.

As far as possible, EPCOS does not use any dangerous chemicals or compounds to produce operating electrolytes. However, in exceptional cases, such materials must be used in order to achieve specific physical and electrical properties because no alternative materials are currently known. However, the amount of dangerous materials used in our products is limited to an absolute minimum.

Materials and chemicals used in EPCOS aluminum electrolytic capacitors are continuously adapted in compliance with the EPCOS Corporate Environmental Policy and the latest EU regulations and guidelines such as RoHS, REACH/SVHC, GADSL, and ELV.

MDS (Material Data Sheets) are available on the EPCOS website for all types listed in the data book. MDS for customer specific capacitors are available upon request.

MSDS (Material Safety Data Sheets) are available for all of our electrolytes upon request.

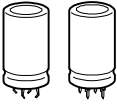
Nevertheless, the following rules should be observed when handling aluminum electrolytic capacitors: No electrolyte should come into contact with eyes or skin. If electrolyte does come into contact with the skin, wash the affected areas immediately with running water. If the eyes are affected, rinse them for 10 minutes with plenty of water. If symptoms persist, seek medical treatment. Avoid inhaling electrolyte vapor or mists. Workplaces and other affected areas should be well ventilated. Clothing that has been contaminated by electrolyte must be changed and rinsed in water.



## Product safety

The table below summarizes the safety instructions that must be observed without fail. A detailed description can be found in the relevant sections of chapter "General technical information".

| Topic  | Safety information  | Reference chapter "General technical information"                |
|--|---|--|
| Polarity                                       | Make sure that polar capacitors are connected with the right polarity.  | 1<br>"Basic construction of aluminum electrolytic capacitors"    |
| Reverse voltage                                | Voltages polarity classes should be prevented by connecting a diode.  | 3.1.6<br>"Reverse voltage"                                       |
| Mounting position of screw-terminal capacitors | Do not mount the capacitor with the terminals (safety vent) upside down.  | 11.1.<br>"Mounting positions of capacitors with screw terminals" |
| Robustness of terminals                        | The following maximum tightening torques must not be exceeded when connecting screw terminals:<br>M5: 2.5 Nm<br>M6: 4.0 Nm  | 11.3<br>"Mounting torques"                                       |
| Mounting of single-ended capacitors            | The internal structure of single-ended capacitors might be damaged if excessive force is applied to the lead wires.<br>Avoid any compressive, tensile or flexural stress.<br>Do not move the capacitor after soldering to PC board.<br>Do not pick up the PC board by the soldered capacitor.<br>Do not insert the capacitor on the PC board with a hole space different to the lead space specified. | 11.4<br>"Mounting considerations for single-ended capacitors"    |
| Soldering                                      | Do not exceed the specified time or temperature limits during soldering.  | 11.5<br>"Soldering"  |
| Soldering, cleaning agents                     | Do not allow halogenated hydrocarbons to come into contact with aluminum electrolytic capacitors.   | 11.6<br>"Cleaning agents"  |
| Upper category temperature                     | Do not exceed the upper category temperature.   | 7.2<br>"Maximum permissible operating temperature"               |
| Passive flammability                           | Avoid external energy, such as fire or electricity.   | 8.1<br>"Passive flammability"                                    |

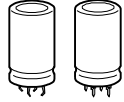


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| Topic                                    | Safety information  | Reference chapter "General technical information"   |
|--|---|---|
| Active flammability                      | Avoid overload of the capacitors.   | 8.2<br>"Active flammability"                        |
| Maintenance                              | <p>Make periodic inspections of the capacitors. Before the inspection, make sure that the power supply is turned off and carefully discharge the electricity of the capacitors.</p> <p>Do not apply any mechanical stress to the capacitor terminals.</p> | 10<br>"Maintenance"                                 |
| Storage                                  | Do not store capacitors at high temperatures or high humidity. Capacitors should be stored at +5 to +35 °C and a relative humidity of $\leq 75\%$ .   | 7.3<br>Storage conditions                           |
|  |   | Reference chapter "Capacitors with screw terminals" |
| Breakdown strength of insulating sleeves | Do not damage the insulating sleeve, especially when ring clips are used for mounting.  | "Screw terminals – accessories"                     |




**Symbols and terms**

| Symbol         | English   | German  |
|----------------|---|---|
| C              | Capacitance   | Kapazität   |
| $C_R$          | Rated capacitance   | Nennkapazität   |
| $C_S$          | Series capacitance  | Serienkapazität   |
| $C_{S,T}$      | Series capacitance at temperature T                       | Serienkapazität bei Temperatur T                          |
| $C_f$          | Capacitance at frequency f                                | Kapazität bei Frequenz f                                  |
| d              | Case diameter, nominal dimension                          | Gehäusedurchmesser, Nennmaß                               |
| $d_{max}$      | Maximum case diameter                                     | Maximaler Gehäusedurchmesser                              |
| ESL            | Self-inductance   | Eigeninduktivität   |
| ESR            | Equivalent series resistance                              | Ersatzserienwiderstand                                    |
| $ESR_f$        | Equivalent series resistance at frequency f               | Ersatzserienwiderstand bei Frequenz f                     |
| $ESR_T$        | Equivalent series resistance at temperature T             | Ersatzserienwiderstand bei Temperatur T                   |
| f              | Frequency   | Frequenz  |
| I              | Current   | Strom   |
| $I_{AC}$       | Alternating current (ripple current)                      | Wechselstrom  |
| $I_{AC,rms}$   | Root-mean-square value of alternating current             | Wechselstrom, Effektivwert                                |
| $I_{AC,f}$     | Ripple current at frequency f                             | Wechselstrom bei Frequenz f                               |
| $I_{AC,max}$   | Maximum permissible ripple current                        | Maximal zulässiger Wechselstrom                           |
| $I_{AC,R}$     | Rated ripple current                                      | Nennwechselstrom  |
| $I_{AC,R} (B)$ | Rated ripple current for base cooling                     | Nennwechselstromstrom für Bodenkühlung                    |
| $I_{leak}$     | Leakage current   | Reststrom   |
| $I_{leak,op}$  | Operating leakage current                                 | Betriebsreststrom   |
| l              | Case length, nominal dimension                            | Gehäuselänge, Nennmaß                                     |
| $l_{max}$      | Maximum case length (without terminals and mounting stud) | Maximale Gehäuselänge (ohne Anschlüsse und Gewindebolzen) |
| R              | Resistance  | Widerstand  |
| $R_{ins}$      | Insulation resistance                                     | Isolationswiderstand                                      |
| $R_{symm}$     | Balancing resistance                                      | Symmetrierwiderstand                                      |
| T              | Temperature   | Temperatur  |
| $\Delta T$     | Temperature difference                                    | Temperaturdifferenz                                       |
| $T_A$          | Ambient temperature                                       | Umgebungstemperatur                                       |
| $T_C$          | Case temperature  | Gehäusetemperatur   |
| $T_B$          | Capacitor base temperature                                | Temperatur des Becherbodens                               |
| t              | Time  | Zeit  |
| $\Delta t$     | Period  | Zeitraum  |
| $t_b$          | Service life (operating hours)                            | Brauchbarkeitsdauer (Betriebszeit)                        |



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| Symbol          | English                                 | German                               |
|-----------------|---|--------------------------------------|
| V               | Voltage                                 | Spannung                             |
| V <sub>F</sub>  | Forming voltage                         | Formierspannung                      |
| V <sub>op</sub> | Operating voltage                       | Betriebsspannung                     |
| V <sub>R</sub>  | Rated voltage, DC voltage               | Nennspannung, Gleichspannung         |
| V <sub>S</sub>  | Surge voltage                           | Spitzenspannung                      |
| X <sub>C</sub>  | Capacitive reactance                    | Kapazitiver Blindwiderstand          |
| X <sub>L</sub>  | Inductive reactance                     | Induktiver Blindwiderstand           |
| Z               | Impedance                               | Scheinwiderstand                     |
| Z <sub>T</sub>  | Impedance at temperature T              | Scheinwiderstand bei Temperatur T    |
| tan δ           | Dissipation factor                      | Verlustfaktor                        |
| λ               | Failure rate                            | Ausfallrate                          |
| ε <sub>0</sub>  | Absolute permittivity                   | Elektrische Feldkonstante            |
| ε <sub>r</sub>  | Relative permittivity                   | Dielektrizitätszahl                  |
| ω               | Angular velocity; $2 \cdot \pi \cdot f$ | Kreisfrequenz; $2 \cdot \pi \cdot f$ |

#### Note

All dimensions are given in mm.

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