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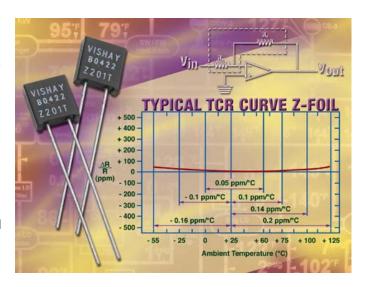
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# New Z201 Ultra-High-Precision Z-Foil Resistor

## The Key Benefits:

- Industry's first device to combine a very low TCR of ±0.05 ppm/°C from 0 °C to +60 °C and ±0.2 ppm/°C from -55° C to +125 °C, an excellent PCR of ±5 ppm at rated power, tight tolerances of ±0.005 %, and a load life stability of ±0.005 %
- More than an order of magnitude better stability than any other resistor technology
- Features a non-inductive, non-capacitive design
- Functions as a drop-in replacement for the earlier S102C/K series of resistors
- Provides ESD protections above 25000 V, exceeding requirements for highest ESD standard classifications
- Reduces solution costs and need for end product testing



# The Key Applications:

 Precision amplifiers; high-precision instrumentation; medical and automatic test equipment; high-end stereo equipment; electron beam scanning and recording equipment; and military, aerospace, and downhole equipment and instrumentation

## The News:

Vishay's New Z201 Ultra-High-Precision Z-Foil Resistor is First to Combine Very Low Typical TCR of  $\pm 0.05$  ppm/ °C (0 °C to  $\pm 60$  °C), Low PCR of  $\pm 5$  ppm at Rated Power, Tight Tolerances of  $\pm 0.005$  % (50 ppm), and Electrostatic Discharge (ESD) Protection above 25,000 V

Vishay Intertechnology, Inc. (NYSE: VSH) announces the improved Z201 ultra-high-precision Z-Foil resistor, the industry's first device to provide a very low TCR of  $\pm 0.05$  ppm/°C from 0 °C to  $\pm 60$  °C and  $\pm 0.2$  ppm/°C from  $\pm 0.05$  °C, an excellent PCR (" $\pm 0.005$  %, and a load life stability of  $\pm 0.005$  %.

- Revolutionary "Z-based" foil technology provides a significant reduction of the resistive component's sensitivity to ambient temperature variations (TCR) and applied power changes (PCR)
- Breakthrough level of stability, more than an order of magnitude better than any other resistor technology, allows designers to guarantee a high degree of accuracy in fixed-resistor applications
- ESD protection above 25000 V, well beyond the top requirements of all three of the highest ESD standard classifications, makes the Z201 exceptionally insensitive to ESD
- Specifications allow designers to rely on consistent resistor performance to overcome the limitations of other components and to reduce the need for end product testing





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### **Key Device Specifications:**

- TCR of ±0.05 ppm/°C from 0 °C to +60 °C and ±0.2 ppm/°C from –55 °C to +125 °C
- PCR of ±5 ppm at rated power (0.6 W at 70 °C, 0.3 W at 125 °C)
- Tolerances of ±0.005 % (50 ppm)
- Load life stability of ±0.005 % for 2000 hours at 70 °C
- Resistance range of 10 Ω to 100 kΩ
- ESD protection above 25000 V
- Current noise < -40 dB</li>
- Thermal EMF of 0.1 μV °C max (0.05 typical)
- Rise time of 1.0 ns without ringing

**The Perspective:** Vishay's new Z201 ultra-high-precision Z-Foil resistor is the industry's first device to combine a very low TCR of  $\pm 0.05$  ppm/°C from 0 °C to  $\pm 60$  °C and  $\pm 0.2$  ppm/°C from  $\pm 0.05$  °C, an excellent PCR of  $\pm 5$  ppm at rated power, tight tolerances of  $\pm 0.005$  %, and a load life stability of  $\pm 0.005$  %. The resistor's ESD of over 25000 V exceeds the requirements of all three of the highest ESD standard classifications, while its breakthrough level of stability allows designers to guarantee a high degree of accuracy in fixed-resistor applications.

**Availability:** Samples and production quantities of the improved Z201 Z-Foil resistor are available now, with lead times of four to six weeks for larger orders.

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