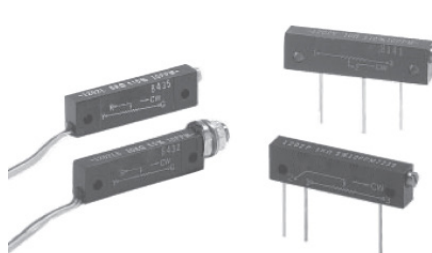


**Bulk Metal® Foil Ultra High Technology Precision  
Trimming Potentiometers, 1¼ in Rectilinear, RJ12 Style**  
**Designed to Meet or Exceed the Requirements of MIL-PRF-22097,  
Char. F with Smooth and Unidirectional Output**

**FEATURES**

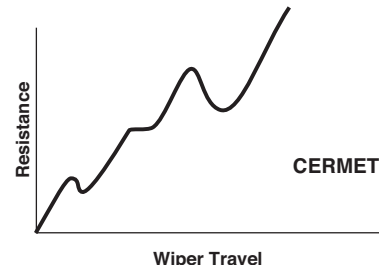
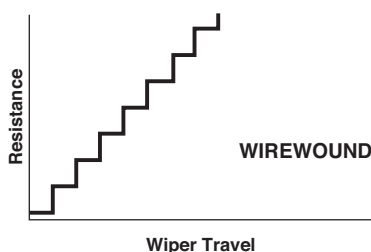
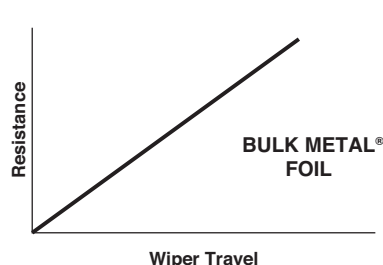
- Temperature coefficient of resistance (TCR):  
±10 ppm/°C maximum<sup>(3)</sup>  
(-55°C to +150°C ref. at +25°C);
- through the wiper<sup>(4)</sup>; ±25 ppm/°C
- A smooth and unidirectional resistance with  
leadscrew adjustment
- Load life stability: 0.1% typical  $\Delta R$ , 0.5% maximum  $\Delta R$   
under full rated power at +85°C\*\* for 2000 h
- Settability: 0.05% typical; 0.1% maximum
- Setting stability: 0.1% typical; 0.5% maximum,  $\Delta SS$
- Power rating: 0.5 W at +85°C
- Resistance range: 2  $\Omega$  to 20 k $\Omega$
- “O”-ring prevents ingress of fluids during any board  
cleaning operation
- Electrostatic discharge (ESD) up to 25 000 V
- Terminal finish: gold plated (tin/lead finish is available  
on request; see notes at figures 1 and 2)



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**INTRODUCTION**

VFR precision trimmers have the Bulk Metal® Foil resistive element which possesses a unique inherent temperature and load life stability. Plus, their advanced virtually back lash-free adjustment mechanism makes them easy to set quickly and accurately and keeps the setting exactly on target.



**Table 1 – Model Selection**

MODEL	TERMINATION STYLE	AVERAGE WEIGHT (g)	POWER RATING at +85°C AMBIENT	NO. OF TURNS
1202	P-In line PC pins	2.5	0.5 W	25±2
	Y-staggered PC pins <sup>(1)</sup>	2.5		
	L-flexible wire leads	3.3		
	LB-flexible wire leads with bushings (panel mounted)	5.1		

See Figures 1 and 2

**Table 2 – Values vs. Tolerances**

STANDARD RESISTANCE VALUES (in $\Omega$ )	STANDARD TOLERANCES
2, 5, 10 <sup>(2)</sup>	±10%, ±20%
20, 50, 100, 200, 250, 500, 1k, 2k, 5k, 10k, 20k	5%, 10%

**Notes**

Refer to page 5 for footnotes

\* This datasheet provides information about parts that are RoHS-compliant and/or parts that are non-RoHS-compliant. For example, parts with lead (Pb) terminations are not RoHS compliant. Please see the information/tables in this datasheet for details.

\*\* See a definition of typical in the VPG glossary at the link <http://www.vishaypg.com/foil-resistors/faq/glossary/>

**Table 3 – 1202 (RJ12) Series Electrical Specifications**

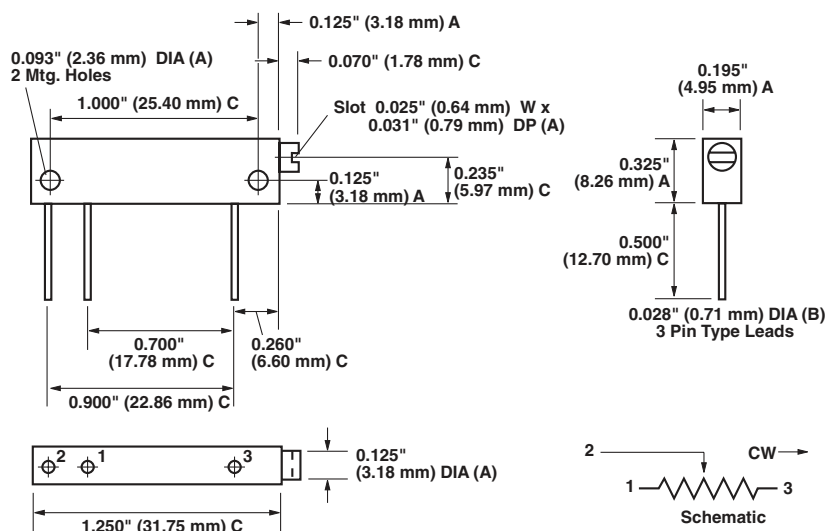
<b>Temperature Coefficient of Resistance (TCR), 50 <math>\Omega</math> and up</b> End-to-end <sup>(3)</sup> : $\pm 10$ ppm/ $^{\circ}\text{C}$ ( $-55^{\circ}\text{C}$ to $+150^{\circ}\text{C}$ , ref. $+25^{\circ}\text{C}$ ) 2 $\Omega$ , 5 $\Omega$ , 10 $\Omega$ , 20 $\Omega$ : $\pm 20$ ppm/ $^{\circ}\text{C}$ ( $-55^{\circ}\text{C}$ to $+150^{\circ}\text{C}$ , ref. $+25^{\circ}\text{C}$ ) Through the wiper <sup>(4)</sup> : $\pm 25$ ppm/ $^{\circ}\text{C}$ ( $-55^{\circ}\text{C}$ to $+150^{\circ}\text{C}$ , ref. $+25^{\circ}\text{C}$ )
<b>Stability</b> Load life at 2000 h, under full rated power of 0.5 W at $+85^{\circ}\text{C}$ ; 0.1% typical $\Delta R$ ; 0.5% maximum $\Delta R$ Load life at 10 000 h, under full rated power of 0.5 W at $+85^{\circ}\text{C}$ ; 0.1% typical $\Delta R$ ; 1.0% maximum $\Delta R$
<b>Power Rating<sup>(5)</sup></b> 0.5 W at $+85^{\circ}\text{C}$
<b>Settability</b> 0.05% typical; 0.1% maximum
<b>Setting Stability</b> 0.1% typical; 0.5% maximum
<b>Contact Resistance variation – CRV (noise)</b> 3 $\Omega$ typical; 10 $\Omega$ maximum
<b>Hop-off</b> 0.25% typical; 1.0% maximum
<b>High-Frequency Operation to 100 MHz</b> Rise time: 10 ns at 1 k $\Omega$ Inductance: 0.08 $\mu\text{H}$ typical Capacitance: 0.5 pF typical
<b>Operating Temperature Range</b> $-55^{\circ}\text{C}$ to $+150^{\circ}\text{C}$

**Table 4 – Mechanical Specifications**

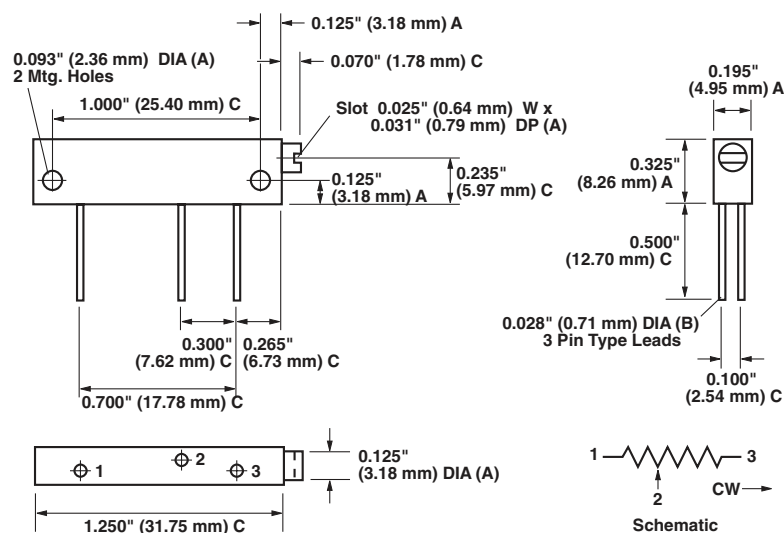
<b>Adjustment Turns</b>	25 $\pm$ 2
<b>Mechanical Stops</b>	Wiper idles – no discontinuity
<b>Internal Terminations</b>	All welded – no flux
<b>Case Material</b>	Glass fortified diallyl-phthalate (DAP); black
<b>Shaft Torque</b>	8 oz. in. maximum; 3 oz. in. typical
<b>Backlash</b>	0.05% typical

**Figure 1 – Schematic and Dimensions for Pin Styles in inches (millimeters)**

**1202P**  
**(In-Line Pins) <sup>(1)</sup>**



**1202Y**  
**(Staggered Pins) <sup>(1)</sup>**



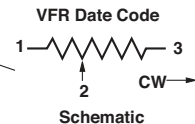
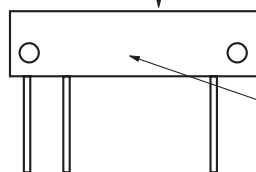
**TOLERANCES**

A = ±0.005 in (0.13 mm)  
B = ±0.003 in (0.08 mm)  
C = ±0.010 in (0.25 mm)

**Note**

<sup>(1)</sup> Pin leads are gold plated nickel which are solderable or weldable.

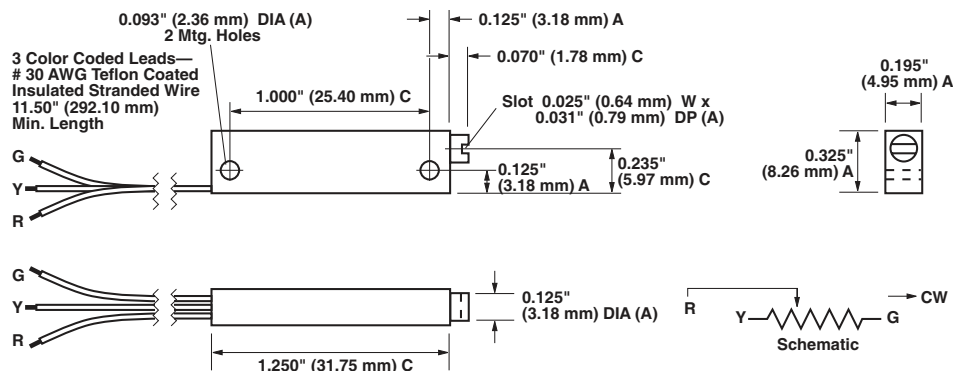
Model No., Resistance Value,  
Tolerance, TCR



**Figure 1 – Schematic and Dimensions for Flexible Wire Styles in inches (millimeters)**

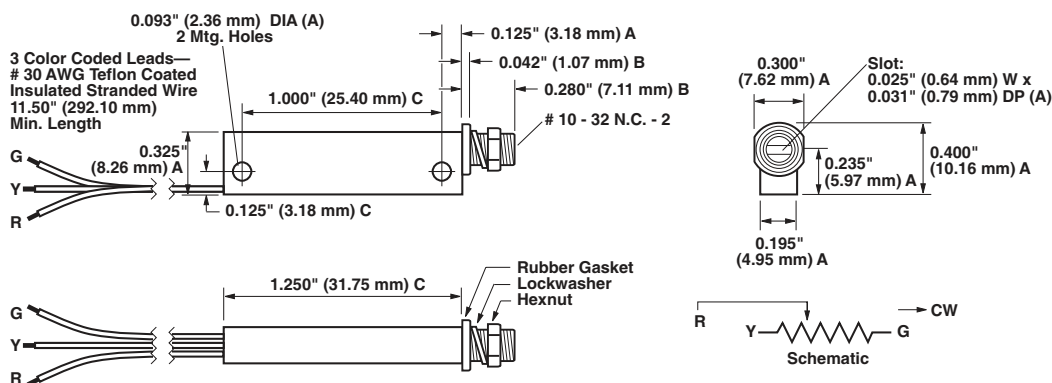
## 1202L

(Flexible Leads)<sup>(2)</sup>



## 1202LB

(Panel Mounted)<sup>(2)</sup>



### TOLERANCES

A =  $\pm 0.005$  in (0.13 mm)

B =  $\pm 0.003$  in (0.08 mm)

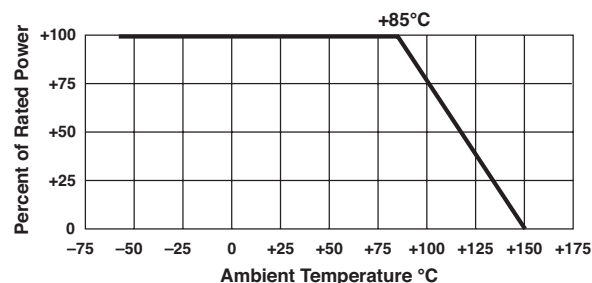
C =  $\pm 0.010$  in (0.25 mm)

Standard marking shown on previous page.

### Note

<sup>(2)</sup> Wire terminations: silver plated copper.

**Figure 3 – Power Derating Curve**



**Table 5 – Comparison**

	MIL-PRF-22097/2 CHARACTERISTIC F	1202 MAXIMUM (Worst Case) <sup>(6)</sup>
<b>TEST GROUP I</b> Visual and mechanical Total resistance Actual effective electrical travel End resistance Contact resistance variation – CRV (noise) Dielectric withstanding voltage – DWV Per MIL-STD-202, methods 301 and 105 Atmospheric pressure Barometric pressure Insulation resistance Shaft torque Thermal shock	No failures ±10% 17 to 27 turns ±2% or 20 Ω <sup>(7)</sup> ±3.0% or 3 Ω <sup>(7)</sup> 900 VAC, 1 min 350 VAC, 1 min ≥ 1000 MΩ 8 oz. in. maximum ±1.0%	No failures ±10% 25±2 turns 2 Ω 3 Ω typical, 10 Ω maximum 900 VAC, 1 min 350 VAC, 1 min ≥ 1000 MΩ 8 oz. in. maximum ±1.0%
<b>TEST GROUP II</b> Resistance temperature characteristic – TCR Moisture resistance Contact resistance variation – CRV (noise)	±0.01% (±100 ppm/°C) ±1.0% 3.0% or 3 Ω <sup>(7)</sup>	±0.001% (±10 ppm/°C) ±0.5% 3 Ω typical, 10 Ω maximum
<b>TEST GROUP III</b> Shock (specified pulse) Vibration (high-frequency) Contact resistance variation – CRV (noise) Salt spray	±1.0% ±1.0% ±3.0% or 3 Ω <sup>(7)</sup> No corrosion	±0.5% ±0.5% 3 Ω typical, 10 Ω maximum No corrosion
<b>TEST GROUP IV</b> Solder heat Life (1000 h at +85°C) (8) Contact resistance variation – CRV (noise)	±1.0% ±2.0% ±3.0% or 3 Ω <sup>(7)</sup>	±0.05% ±0.5% 3 Ω typical, 10 Ω maximum
<b>TEST GROUP V</b> Low-temperature operation High-temperature exposure Contact resistance variation – CRV (noise)	±1.0% ±2.0% ±3.0% or 3 Ω <sup>(7)</sup>	±0.5% ±0.5% 3 Ω typical, 10 Ω maximum
<b>TEST GROUP VI</b> Rotational life Contact resistance variation – CRV (noise) Terminal strength	±2.0% ±3.0% or 3 Ω <sup>(7)</sup> 2 lbs	±2.0% 3 Ω typical, 10 Ω maximum 2 lbs
<b>TEST GROUP VII</b> Solderability (excluding terminations L and LB) Immersion (excluding terminations L and LB)	MIL-STD-202 method 208 No continuous stream of bubbles	MIL-STD-202 method 208 No continuous stream of bubbles
<b>TEST GROUP VIII</b> Fungus	MIL-STD-810 method 508 No mechanical damage	MIL-STD-810 method 508 No mechanical damage

**Notes**

- <sup>(1)</sup> Preferred termination style for current 1¼ in rectilinear trimmers (staggered PC pins present a sturdier mounting arrangement for shock, vibration, and impact situations).
- <sup>(2)</sup> 10 Ω at ±5% available on special order.
- <sup>(3)</sup> Maximum TCR applies to the 3 σ (sigma) limit or 99.73% of a production lot. (Measured end-to-end with wiper off the element.)
- <sup>(4)</sup> Measurements of TCR through the wiper are influenced more by setting stability and the percentage of the total resistance in use (at the wiper) than by fundamental resistance change due to temperature alone. The parameter shown in Table 3 is a 2 σ distribution typifying the behavior of the device when used with 40% or more of the total resistance in use.
- <sup>(5)</sup> Derated linearly from full power at +85°C to zero power at +150°C. See Figure 3 in this datasheet.

- <sup>(6)</sup> All ΔR's are measured to the tolerance specified +0.01 Ω.
- <sup>(7)</sup> Whichever is greater.
- <sup>(8)</sup> Load-Life test performed at nominal rated power, 0.5 W, at +85°C.

**Special Available Options**

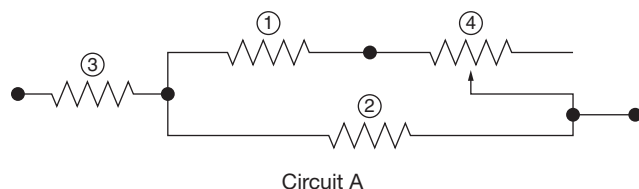
Special marking, Special lengths for lead wires (L, LB Style), Hooked leads, Alternate bushing and PC combinations Power conditioning and screening operations

**VFR Trimmers are Inspected**

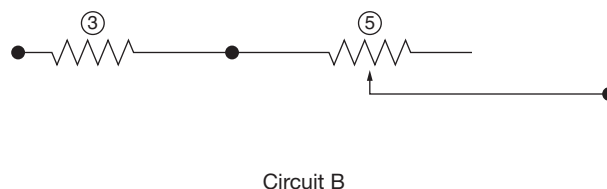
100% for:  
 Immersion, Resistance tolerance check, End resistance, Visual-mechanical, Dynamic tests for continuity, CRV

By sample for:  
 TCR, DWV

Circuit A is a conventional circuit employing a high value wire wound trimmer (4) linearized by two padding resistors (1 and 2) for the purpose of trimming resistor (3) to within less than 100 ppm absolute resistance.



Circuit B uses only a low value infinite resolution VFR trimming potentiometer (5) to accomplish the same results. Saving in cost and board space is achieved. A low value wire wound trimmer cannot be used because of poor resolution.



**Table 2 – Global Part Number Information**

**NEW GLOBAL PART NUMBER: Y5050500R000K0L (preferred part number format)**

DENOTES PRECISION	VALUE	CHARACTERISTICS <sup>(3)</sup>
Y	R = $\Omega$ K = k $\Omega$	0 = gold plated pins (lead (Pb)-free) 0 = silver plated copper wire terminations (lead (Pb)-free); styles L & LB 1 to 999 = custom
Y 5 0 5 0	5 0 0 R 0 0 0	K 0 L
PRODUCT CODE	TOLERANCE	PACKAGING
5050 = 1202L <sup>(2)</sup> 0050 = 1202LB <sup>(2)</sup> 0051 = 1202P <sup>(1)</sup> 6050 = 1202PB <sup>(1)</sup> 5051 = 1202Y <sup>(1)</sup> 7050 = 1202YB <sup>(1)</sup>	J = $\pm 5\%$ K = $\pm 10\%$ M = $\pm 20\%$	L = foam/box pack

FOR EXAMPLE: ABOVE GLOBAL ORDER Y5050 500R000 K 0 L:

TYPE: 1202L

VALUE: 500.0  $\Omega$

ABSOLUTE TOLERANCE:  $\pm 10.0\%$

TERMINATION: gold plated (lead (Pb)-free)

PACKAGING: foam/box pack

**HISTORICAL PART NUMBER: 1202L 500R00 K B (will continue to be used)**

1202L	500R00	K	B
MODEL	RESISTANCE VALUE	TOLERANCE	PACKAGING
1202L <sup>(2)</sup> 1202LB <sup>(2)</sup> 1202P <sup>(1)</sup> 1202PB <sup>(1)</sup> 1202Y <sup>(1)</sup> 1202YB <sup>(1)</sup>	500.0 $\Omega$	J = $\pm 5\%$ K = $\pm 10\%$ M = $\pm 20\%$	B = bulk pack

## Notes

- <sup>(1)</sup> Pin leads are gold plated nickel which are solderable or weldable (lead (Pb)-free).
- <sup>(2)</sup> Wire terminations: silver plated copper (lead (Pb)-free).
- <sup>(3)</sup> For non-standard requests, please contact application engineering.