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#### AUTOMOTIVE POWER RELAYS — SMALL SIZE, LIGHT WEIGHT

# **CA RELAYS**





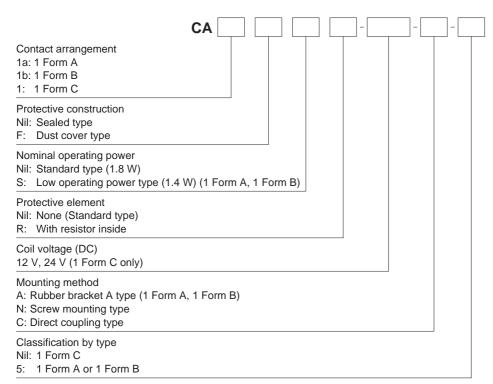
#### **FEATURES**

- Small size and light weight
- For space saving, the outside dimensions of the main body are reduced to be 21.5 mm (length)  $\times$  14.4 mm (width)  $\times$  37 mm (height) (.846  $\times$  .567  $\times$  1.457 inch) and the weight is also reduced to be approx. 19 g .67 oz (direct coupling 1 Form A, 1 Form B type)
- Low operating power (1.4W) type is available (1 Form A, 1 Form B)
- Since the terminal arrangement complies with JIS D5011 B4-M1, commercial connectors are available for these types of relays.
- Superior inrush characteristics
  Despite its small size, 120A (max. 0.1 s)
  capacity has been achieved by using
  contacts that are good at withstanding
  inrush currents and because of an
  ingenious contacting mechanism.
  (1 Form A and 1 Form B)

#### TYPICAL APPLICATIONS

- Motorcycles and automobiles Motorcycle cell motors, car air conditioners, halogen lamps, etc.
- Agricultural equipment
- Battery equipped devices such as conveyance vehicles

#### ORDERING INFORMATION



	Coil voltage	Mounting type	Standa	ard type	Low operating power type	
Contact arrangement			Sealed type	Dust cover type	Sealed type	Dust cover type
			Part No.	Part No.	Part No.	Part No.
	12 V DC	Rubber bracket A	CA1a-12V-A-5	CA1aF-12V-A-5	CA1aS-12V-A-5	CA1aFS-12V-A-5
1 Form A		Screw-mounting	CA1a-12V-N-5	CA1aF-12V-N-5	CA1aS-12V-N-5	CA1aFS-12V-N-5
		Direct coupling	CA1a-12V-C-5	CA1aF-12V-C-5	CA1aS-12V-C-5	CA1aFS-12V-C-5
	12 V DC	Rubber bracket A	CA1b-12V-A-5	CA1bF-12V-A-5	CA1bS-12V-A-5	CA1bFS-12V-A-5
1 Form B		Screw-mounting	CA1b-12V-N-5	CA1bF-12V-N-5	CA1bS-12V-N-5	CA1bFS-12V-N-5
		Direct coupling	CA1b-12V-C-5	CA1bF-12V-C-5	CA1bS-12V-C-5	CA1bFS-12V-C-5
	12 V DC	Screw-mounting	CA1-12V-N	_	_	-
4.50		Direct coupling	CA1-12V-C	_	_	-
1 Form C	24 V DC	Screw-mounting	CA1-24V-N	_	_	-
		Direct coupling	CA1-24V-C	_	_	-

Standard packing: Carton: 20 pcs. Case: 200 pcs.

Note: Please use "CA\*\*R-\*-\*- or CA\*\*SR-\*-\*-\*" with resistor inside type. (Asterisks " \* " should be filled in from ORDERING INFORMATION.)

#### **RATING**

#### 1. Coil data

	Nominal coil voltage	Pick-up voltage (at 20°C 68°F)	Drop-out voltage (at 20°C 68°F)	Nominal operating current [±10%] (at 20°C 68°F)	Coil resistance [±10%] (at 20°C 68°F)	Nominal operating power	Usable voltage range
Standard type 1 Form A and 1 Form B	12 V DC	Max. 8 V DC	0.6 to 6 V DC	150 mA	80Ω	1.8 W	10 to 16V DC
Low operating power type 1 Form A and 1 Form B	12 V DC	Max. 8 V DC	0.6 to 6 V DC	120 mA	100Ω	1.4 W	10 to 16V DC
1 Form C	12 V DC	Max. 8 V DC	Min. 0.6 V DC	150 mA	2008	1.8 W	10 to 15V DC
I FUIIII C	24 V DC	Max. 16 V DC	Min. 1.2 V DC	75 mA	320Ω	1.8 W	20 to 30V DC

Note: Other pick-up voltage types are also available. Please contact us for details.

#### 2. Specifications

#### 1) 12 V DC type

Ob	ltem -		Specifications				
Characteristics			1 Form A type	1 Form B type	1 Form C type		
	Arrangement		1 Form A	1 Form B	1 Form C		
Contact	Contact resistance (Initial)		Typ 3mΩ (By voltage drop 6V DC 1A)				
	Contact voltage drop (after electrical life test)		Max. 0.3 V [by voltage drop 12 V DC 20 A (1.4 W type), 12 V DC 30 A (1.8 W type)]	Max. 0.3 V (by voltage drop 12 V DC 20 A)	Max. 0.4 V (by voltage drop 12 V DC 20 A)		
	Contact material		Ag alloy (Cadmium free)				
Rating	Nominal switching capacity (resistive load)		20 A 12V DC (1.4 W type) 30 A 12V DC (1.8 W type) 20 A 12 V DC				
	Max. carrying current (at coil applied voltage 14 V DC, 80°C 176°F)		20 A continuous (1.4 W type) 30 A for 1 min. (1.8 W type)	20 A continuous	20 A continuous		
	Nominal operati	ng power	1.4 W/1.8 W		1.8 W		
	Min. switching of	capacity (resistive load)*1		1 A 14V DC			
Electrical characteristics	Insulation resistance (Initial)		Min. 10 MΩ (at 500V DC, Measurement at same location as "Breakdown voltage" section.)		Min. 10 $M\Omega$ (at 500V DC, Measurement at same location as "Breakdown voltage" section.)		
	Breakdown	Between open contacts	500 Vrms for 1 min. (Detection current: 10mA)				
	voltage (Initial) Between contacts and coil		500 Vrms for 1 min. (Detection current: 10mA)				
	Operate time (a	t 20°C 68°F)	Max. 10ms (at nominal voltage) (excluding contact bounce time) (Initial)				
	Release time (a	t 20°C 68°F)	Max. 10ms (at nominal voltage) (excluding contact bounce time) (Initial)				
	Shock Functional resistance		Min. 200 m/s² {20G} (Half-wave pulse of sine wave: 11ms; detection time: 10μs)	alf-wave pulse of sine wave: 11ms; (Half-wave pulse of sine wave: 11ms; detection time: 10us)			
Mechanical		Destructive	Min. 1,000 m/s² {100G} (Half-wave pulse of sine wave: 6ms)				
characteristics	Vibration	Functional	Rubber bracket A type: 50 Hz to 500 Hz, Min. 100 m/s² {10G} Screw-mounting and direct coupling type: 33 Hz, Min. 44.1 m/s² {4.5G} (Detection time: 10μs)				
	Vibration resistance	Destructive	Rubber bracket A type: 50 Hz to 500 Hz, Min. 100 m/s² {10G} Screw-mounting and direct coupling type: 33 Hz, Min. 44.1 m/s² {4.5G}, Time of vibration for each direction; X, Y direction: 2 hours, Z direction: 4 hours				
Expected life	Electrical (at nominal switching capacity)		Min. 10 <sup>5</sup> (operating frequency: 2s ON, 2s OFF) (1.4 W and 1.8 W type at 20 A) Min. 2 × 10 <sup>4</sup> (operating frequency: 3s ON, 15s OFF) (1.8 W type at 30 A)	Min. 10 <sup>5</sup> (operating frequency: 2s ON, 2s OFF)			
	Mechanical		Min. 10 <sup>6</sup> (at 120	cpm) Min. 5 × 10 <sup>5</sup> (at 120			
	Conditions for operation, transport and storage*2		Ambient temperature: -30°C to +80°C -22°F to +176°F, Humidity: 5% R.H. to 85% R.H. (Not freezing and condensing at low temperature)				
Conditions	Max. operating speed		15 cpm (1.4 W type: at nominal load, 1.8 W type: at 20 A)	I, 15 cpm (at nominal switching capacity)			
Water-proof standard	Water-proof standard		Sealed type: JIS D 0203 S2, Dust cover type: JIS D 0203 R2				
Mass			Rubber bracket A type: 23 g .81 oz, Screw-mounting and direct coupling type: 19 g .67 oz				

Notes:

\*1. This value can change due to the switching frequency, environmental conditions, and desired reliability level, therefore it is recommended to check this with the actual load.

\*2. The upper operation ambient temperature limit is the maximum temperature that can satisfy the coil temperature rise value. Refer to "6. Usage, Storage and Transport Conditions" in AMBIENT ENVIRONMENT section in Relay Technical Information.

#### 2) 24 V DC type

Characteristics	Item		Specifications	
Characteristics			1 Form C type	
Contact	Arrangement		1 Form C	
	Contact resistance (In	itial)	Typ 3mΩ (By voltage drop 6V DC 1A)	
	Contact voltage drop		Max. 0.4 V (after electrical life test, by voltage drop 24 V DC 10 A)	
	Contact material		Ag alloy (Cadmium free)	
	Nominal switching capacity (resistive load) (operating frequency: 2s ON, 2s OFF)		10 A 24V DC	
Rating	Max. carrying current		10 A continuous (at coil applied voltage 28 V DC, 80°C 176°F)	
	Nominal operating power		1.8 W	
	Min. switching capacity (resistive load)*1		1 A 14V DC	
	Insulation resistance (Initial)		Min. 10 MΩ (at 500V DC, Measurement at same location as "Breakdown voltage" section.	
<b>□</b>  +-:	Breakdown voltage	Between open contacts	500 Vrms for 1 min. (Detection current: 10mA)	
Electrical characteristics	(Initial)	Between contacts and coil	500 Vrms for 1 min. (Detection current: 10mA)	
Sharaotonouco	Operate time (at nominal voltage) (at 20°C 68°F)		Max. 10ms (excluding contact bounce time) (Initial)	
	Release time (at nominal voltage) (at 20°C 68°F)		Max. 10ms (excluding contact bounce time) (Initial)	
	Shock resistance	Functional	Min. 100 m/s² {10G} (Half-wave pulse of sine wave: 11ms; detection time: $10\mu s$ )	
Mechanical		Destructive	Min. 1,000 m/s <sup>2</sup> {100G} (Half-wave pulse of sine wave: 6ms)	
characteristics		Functional	33 Hz, Min. 44.1 m/s² {4.5G} (Detection time: 10μs)	
	Vibration resistance	Destructive	33 Hz, Min. 44.1 m/s² {4.5G}, Time of vibration for each direction; X, Y direction: 2 hours, Z direction: 4 hours	
Type ete d life	Electrical (at nominal switching capacity)		Min. 10 <sup>5</sup> (operating frequency: 2s ON, 2s OFF)	
Expected life	Mechanical		Min. 5 × 10 <sup>5</sup> (at 120 cpm)	
Conditions	Conditions for operation, transport and storage*2		Ambient temperature: -30°C to +80°C -22°F to +176°F, Humidity: 5% R.H. to 85% R.H. (Not freezing and condensing at low temperature)	
	Max. operating speed		15 cpm (nominal switching capacity)	
Water-proof standard	Water-proof standard		JIS D 0203 S2	
Mass			31 g 1.09 oz	

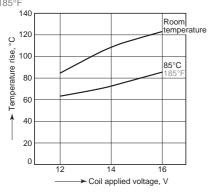
#### Notes:

#### **Electrical life**

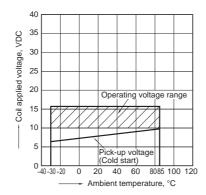
	Nominal coil voltage	Motor load (operating frequency ON: 2 s, OFF: 2 s)	Halogen lamp load (operating frequency ON: 1 s, OFF: 14 s)
1 Form A and 1 Form B type	12 V DC	Min. 10⁵, 20 A 12 V DC	Min. 105, 20 A 12 V DC
4 Form China	12 V DC	Min. 105, 20 A 12 V DC	Min. 10 <sup>5</sup> , 20 A 12 V DC
1 Form C type	24 V DC	Min. 105, 10 A 24 V DC	Min. 105, 6 A 24 V DC

## **REFERENCE DATA**

1. Coil temperature rise Samples: CA1aS-12V-N-5, 5pcs.
Measured portion: Inside the coil
Contact carrying current: 20A
Ambient temperature: Room temperature, 85°C

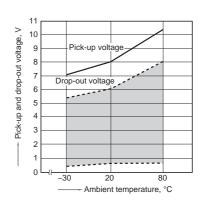


2. Ambient temperature and operating voltage range



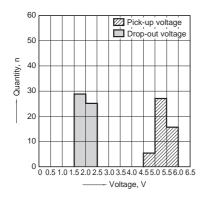
3. Ambient temperature characteristics (Cold start)

Samples: CA1bS-12V-N-5

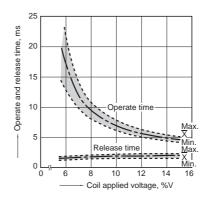


<sup>\*1.</sup> This value can change due to the switching frequency, environmental conditions, and desired reliability level, therefore it is recommended to check this with the actual load.
\*2. The upper operation ambient temperature limit is the maximum temperature that can satisfy the coil temperature rise value. Refer to "6. Usage, Storage and Transport Conditions" in AMBIENT ENVIRONMENT section in Relay Technical Information.

## 4. Distribution of pick-up and drop-out voltage Quantity: 50pcs.



## 5. Operate and release time characteristics Sample: CA1a-12V-N-5, 10pcs.



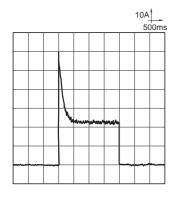
#### 6.-(1) Electrical life test (Motor load)

Sample: CA1a-12V-C, 3pcs. Load: Inrush current: 63A, steady current: 23A Blower fan motor actual load (motor free)

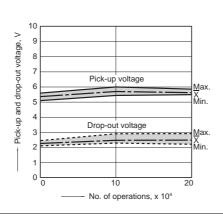
Blower fan motor actual load (motor free)
Operating frequency: ON 2s, OFF 2s
Ambient temperature: Room temperature

#### Load current waveform

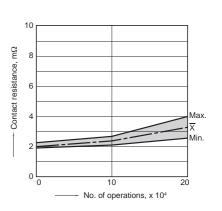
Load: Inrush current: 63A, steady current: 23A,



#### Change of pick-up and drop-out voltage



#### Change of contact resistance



#### 6.-(2) Electrical life test (Lamp load)

Sample: CA1a-12V-C, 3pcs.

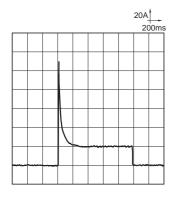
Load: 60Wx4, Inrush current: 110A, steady current: 20A

Halogen lamp actual load

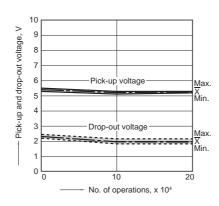
Operating frequency: ON 1s, OFF 14s Ambient temperature: Room temperature

#### Load current waveform

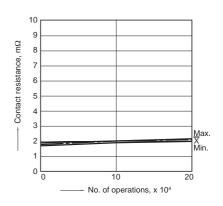
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#### Change of pick-up and drop-out voltage



#### Change of contact resistance



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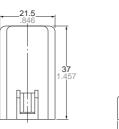
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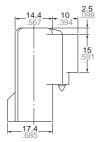
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#### 1. 1 Form A/1 Form B Rubber bracket A type CAD Data



#### External dimensions



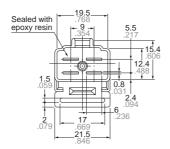


# 1 Form A 1 Form B Note: Including resistor type also available.

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Schematic (Bottom View)

Including resistor (1 Form A)



6.5 +0.3 dia. hole

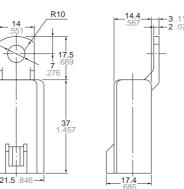
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1 to 3mm .039 inch: ±0.1 ±.004 1 to 3mm .039 to .118 inch: ±0.2 ±.008 Min. 3mm .118 inch: ±0.3 ±.012

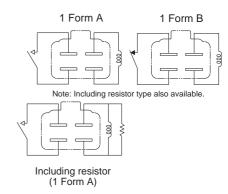
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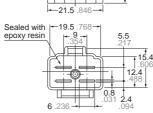


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#### Schematic (Bottom View)





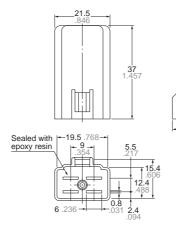
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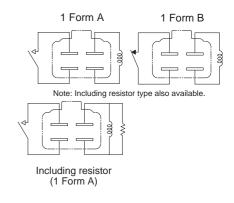
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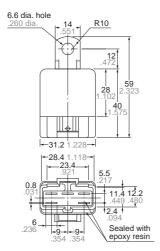
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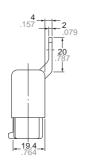
#### 4. 1 Form C Screw-mounting type

CAD Data



#### External dimensions

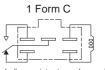


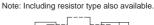


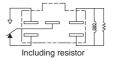
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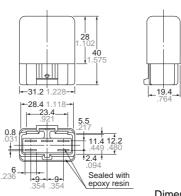


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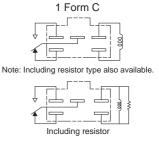




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#### Schematic (Bottom View)



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### For Cautions for Use, see Relay Technical Information.