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# ALF20, +85°C



## **Overview**

The KEMET ALF20 Press-Fit capacitors eliminate the need for solder, and therefore, the associated production and quality issues. They are the next evolution of snap-in capacitors, providing reliable electrical contact and the same vibration performance as soldered snap-in terminals. The ALF20 offers high voltages up to 600 VDC, high ripple currents, good surge voltage capability, and a very long life performance.

# **Applications**

The KEMET ALF20 capacitors are ideally suited for industrial and commercial applications, demanding high reliability and long life expectancy. Typical applications include frequency converters, advanced energy storage systems, and switch mode power supplies (SMPS).

### **Benefits**

- Eliminates the manufacturing problems of soldering onto thick PCB copper tracks which act as heat-sinks
- · Eliminates fractured solder joints/cold-solder
- Skipping the solder operation allows for easy insertion after the production washing process
- · Capability to exchange components in the field

In addition to solving the solder issues, the ALF20 Press-Fit offers:

- · Compact size
- Long life up to 18,000 hours at +85°C (VR, IR applied)
- High ripple current
- High voltage up to 600 V
- · Excellent surge voltage capability
- 35, 40, 45, and 50 mm diameters with 4 or 5 pin configuration
- Optimized designs available upon request



# **Part Number System**

ALF20	С	392	EF	040		
Series	Termination	Capacitance Code (µF)	Size Code	Rated Voltage (VDC)		
Press-Fit Aluminum Electrolytic	See Termination Table	First two digits represent significant figures. Third digit specifies number of zeros.	See Dimension Table	035 = 35 040 = 40 063 = 63 100 = 100 200 = 200 250 = 250	350 = 350 400 = 400 450 = 450 500 = 500 550 = 550 600 = 600	



# **Performance Characteristics**

Item		<b>Performance Characteristics</b>						
Capacitance Range	150 - 100,000 μF	150 – 100,000 μF						
Rated Voltage	35 - 600 VDC							
Operating Temperature	-40 to +85°C	-40 to +85°C						
Capacitance Tolerance	±20% at 100 Hz/+20°C							
	D (mm)	Rated Voltage and Ripple Current at +85°C (hours)	Rated Voltage at +85°C (hours)					
Operational Lifetime	35	15,000	24,000					
	40 - 50	18,000	29,000					
End of Life Requirement	$\Delta$ C/C < ±10%, ESR < 2 x initial ESR value							
Shelf Life	2,000 hours at +85°C or 30,000 ho	2,000 hours at +85°C or 30,000 hours at +40°C 0 VDC						
Lookogo Current	I = 0.006 CV or 6,000 (μA, whiche	ver is smaller)						
Leakage Current	C = rated capacitance (μF), V = ra	ted voltage (VDC). Voltage applied fo	or 5 minutes at +20°C.					
		Procedure	Requirements					
Vibration Test Specifications	D ≤ 40 mm	0.75 mm displacement amplitude or 10 g maximum acceleration. Vibration applied for three 2-hour sessions at 10 – 500 Hz (Capacitor clamped by body).	No leakage of electrolyte or other visible damage.					
	D > 40 mm $ \begin{array}{c} 0.35 \text{ mm displacement amplitude} \\ \text{or 5 g maximum acceleration.} \\ \text{Vibration applied for three} \\ 0.5\text{-hour sessions at } 10 - 55 \text{ Hz} \\ \text{(Capacitor clamped by body).} \end{array} $							
Standards	IEC 60384-4 long life grade 40/8	5/56						

# **Surge Voltage**

Test Condition		Voltage (VDC)										
rest Condition	35	40	63	100	200	250	350	400	450	500	550	600
≤ 30 s surge followed by a no load period of 330 s, 1,000 cycles at +85°C	40.25	46	72.5	115	230	288	385	440	495	550	605	660
≤ 500 ms surge, 100 cycles at 20°C, occurring randomly throughout the life of the capacitor					350	400	500	520	550	600	620	670



# **Test Method & Performance**

Endurance Life Test							
Conditions	Perfor	Performance					
Temperature	+85°C						
Test Duration	2,000 hours						
Ripple Current	Rated ripple current in specified table						
Voltage	The sum of DC voltage and the peak AC voltage must not exceed the rated voltage of the capacitor						
Performance	The following specifications will be satisf	ied when the capacitor is tested at +20°C:					
Conscitones Change	≤ 160 V	Within 15% of the initial value					
Capacitance Change	≥ 160 V	Within 10% of the initial value					
Equivalent Series Resistance	Does not exceed 200% of the initial value						
Leakage Current	Does not exceed leakage current limit						

# **Dimensions - Millimeters**

	Dimensio	Approximate	
Size Code	D	L	Weight
	-0/+1	±2	Grams
DB	35	30	42
DC	35	35	50
DD	35	40	55
DE	35	45	65
DF	35	50	70
DG	35	55	75
DH	35	60	80
DL	35	80	105
EB	40	30	49
EC	40	35	57
ED	40	40	65
EE	40	45	80
EF	40	50	82
EG	40	55	95
EH	40	60	98
EJ	40	70	113
EL	40	80	131
EP	40	105	170
	Note: Dimensions	s include sleeving	

	Dimensio	ns in mm	Approximate
Size Code	D	L	Weight
	-0/+1	±2	Grams
FB	45	30	62
FC	45	35	72
FD	45	40	82
FE	45	45	92
FF	45	50	103
FG	45	55	113
FH	45	60	123
FL	45	80	164
FP	45	105	215
KB	50	30	75
KC	50	35	88
KD	50	40	100
KE	50	45	113
KF	50	50	126
KG	50	55	138
КН	50	60	151
KL	50	80	201
KP	50	105	264
	Note: Dimensions	s include sleeving	



# **Termination Tables**

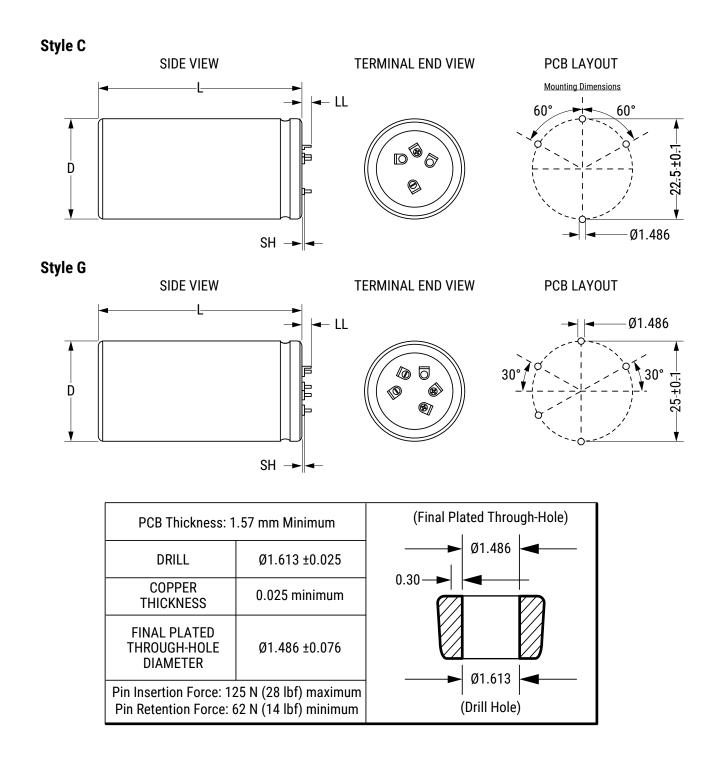
Termination Code	0	C
Diameter (mm)	C	G
35	•	
40	•	•
45	•	•
50	•	•

Mounting: These capacitors are designed to be mounted by their terminals alone and may be used in any position. The dummy pins must be isolated.

Termination Code	Termination Style	LL ±1	<b>SH</b> ±1				
С	4 Pin	5.5	2				
G (D ≥ 40)	5 Pin	5.5	2				
Dimensions in mm							



## **Termination Tables cont'd**





### **Shelf Life**

The capacitance, ESR and impedance of a capacitor will not change significantly after extended storage periods, however, the leakage current will very slowly increase. KEMET products are particularly stable and allow a shelf life in excess of three years at 40°C. See sectional specification under each product for specific data.

## **Re-Age (Reforming) Procedure**

Apply the rated voltage to the capacitor at room temperature for a period of one hour, or until the leakage current has fallen to a steady value below the specified limit. During re-aging, a maximum charging current of twice the specified leakage current or 5 mA (whichever is greater) is suggested.

# **Reliability**

The reliability of a component can be defined as the probability that it will perform satisfactorily under a given set of conditions for a given length of time.

In practice, it is impossible to predict with absolute certainty how any individual component will perform. Therefore, we must utilize probability theory. It is also necessary to clearly define the level of stress involved (e.g., operating voltage, ripple current, temperature and time.) Finally, the meaning of satisfactory performance must be defined by specifying a set of conditions which determine the end of life of the component.

Reliability as a function of time, R(t), is normally expressed as: R(t) =  $e^{-\lambda t}$ , where R(t) is the probability that the component will perform satisfactorily for time t, and  $\lambda$  is the failure rate.

### **Failure Rate**

The failure rate is the number of components failing per unit of time. The failure rate of most electronic components follows the characteristic pattern:

- Early failures are removed during the manufacturing process.
- The operational life is characterized by a constant failure rate.
- The wear out period is characterized by a rapidly increasing failure rate.

The failures in time (FIT) are given with a 60% confidence level for the various type codes. By convention, FIT is expressed as 1 x  $10^{-9}$  failures per hour. Failure rate is also expressed as a percentage of failures per 1,000 hours, e.g.,  $100 \text{ FIT} = 1 \times 10^{-7}$  failures per hour = 0.01%/1,000 hours.

#### **End of Life Definition**

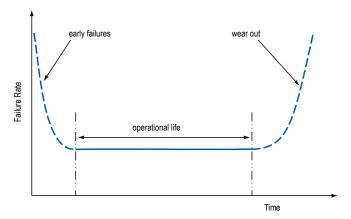
Catastrophic Failure: short circuit, open circuit or safety vent operation Parametric Failure:

- Change in capacitance > ±10%
- · Leakage current > specified limit
- ESR > 2 x initial ESR value



#### **MEAN TIME BETWEEN FAILURES**

The mean time between failures (MTBF) is simply the inverse of the failure rate. MTBF =  $1/\lambda$ 



The failure rate is derived from our periodic test results. The failure rate ( $\lambda_R$ ) is, therefore, only given at test temperature for life tests. An estimation is also given at 40°C. The expected failure rate for this capacitor range is based on our periodic test results for capacitors with structural similarity. Failure rate is frequently quoted in failure in time (FIT), where 1 FIT = 1 x 10<sup>-9</sup> failures per hour. Failure rate per hour includes both catastrophic and parametric failures.

## T<sub>a</sub> Failure Rate per Hour

85°C 250 FIT 40°C 12 FIT

# **Environmental Compliance**

As an environmentally conscious company, KEMET is working continuously with improvements concerning the environmental effects of both our capacitors and their production.

In Europe (RoHS Directive) and in some other geographical areas such as China, legislation has been put in place to prevent the use of some hazardous materials, such as lead (Pb), in electronic equipment. All products in this catalog are produced to help our customers' obligations to guarantee their products and fulfill these legislative requirements. The only material of concern in our products has been lead (Pb), which has been removed from all designs to fulfill the requirement of containing less than 0.1% of lead in any homogeneous material. KEMET will closely follow any changes in legislation worldwide and make any necessary changes in its products, whenever needed.

Some customer segments such as medical, military and automotive electronics may still require the use of lead in electrode coatings. To clarify the situation and distinguish products from each other, a special symbol is used on the packaging labels for RoHS compatible capacitors.

Due to customer requirements, there may appear additional markings such as lead-free (LF), or lead-free wires (LFW) on the label.



**Table 1 – Ratings & Part Number Reference** 

VDC	Rated Capacitance	Size	Case Size	Ripple	Current	ESR Maximum	Impedance Maximum	Part Number	SPQ	MOQ
VDC	100 Hz 20°C (μF)	Code	D x L (mm)	100 Hz 85°C (A)	10 kHz 85°C (A)	100 Hz 20°C (mΩ)	10 kHz 20°C (mΩ)	rait Nullibei	SFQ	WOQ
35	33000	EF	40 x 50	7.16	10.03	42	38	ALF20(1)333EF035	36	216
35	56000	EL	40 x 80	11.68	12.92	23	21	ALF20(1)563EL035	36	216
35	100000	EP	40 x 105	14.18	15.3	17	16	ALF20(1)104EP035	36	216
40	10000	DC	35 x 35	3.69	4.01	86	71	ALF20C103DC040	100	200
40	12000	DD	35 x 40	4.14	4.5	75	62	ALF20C123DD040	100	200
40 40	15000 18000	EB DF	40 x 30 35 x 50	4.42 5.23	4.51 5.69	89 55	79 45	ALF20(1)153EB040 ALF20C183DF040	72 100	216 200
40	18000	EC	40 x 35	4.88	4.97	78	70	ALF20C163DF040 ALF20(1)183EC040	72	216
40	22000	ED	40 x 40	5.81	5.92	62	56	ALF20(1)223ED040	72	216
40	27000	EF	40 x 50	7.23	7.36	43	38	ALF20(1)273EF040	36	216
40	33000	EH	40 x 60	8.74	8.91	33	30	ALF20(1)333EH040	36	216
40	47000	EL	40 x 80	10.96	11.17	23	21	ALF20(1)473EL040	36	216
40	82000	EP	40 x 105	12.63	13.44	18	17	ALF20(1)823EP040	36	216
63	6800	DC	35 x 35	3.95	4.4	75	59	ALF20C682DC063	100	200
63	8200	DD	35 x 40	4.31	4.8	69	55	ALF20C822DD063	100	200
63	8200	EB	40 x 30	3.95	4.03	82	72 51	ALF20(1)822EB063	72	216
63 63	10000 10000	DF EC	35 x 50 40 x 35	4.85 4.58	5.4 4.67	64 80	51 72	ALF20C103DF063 ALF20(1)103EC063	100 72	200 216
63	12000	ED	40 x 33 40 x 40	5.42	5.55	64	57	ALF20(1)103EC003 ALF20(1)123ED063	72	216
63	15000	EF	40 x 50	7.02	7.18	44	39	ALF20(1)153EF063	36	216
63	18000	EH	40 x 60	8.54	8.75	35	31	ALF20(1)183EH063	36	216
63	22000	EH	40 X 60	9.84	11.34	26	22	ALF20(1)223EH063	36	216
63	27000	EL	40 x 80	10.53	10.78	24	21	ALF20(1)273EL063	36	216
63	39000	EP	40 x 105	12.23	13.51	19	17	ALF20(1)393EP063	36	216
100	2700	DC	35 x 35	3.57	4.37	92	69	ALF20C272DC100	100	200
100	2700	EB	40 x 30	3.72	3.88	121	104	ALF20(1)272EB100	72	216
100	3300	DD	35 x 40	4.11	5.03	76	57	ALF20C332DD100	100	200
100	3300	EC	40 x 35	4.09	4.24	106	92	ALF20(1)332EC100	72	216
100	3900	ED	40 x 40	4.88	5.08	85	74	ALF20(1)392ED100	72	216
100 100	4700 4700	DF EE	35 x 50 40 x 45	5.23 5.6	6.4 5.83	55 70	41 61	ALF20C472DF100 ALF20(1)472EE100	100 72	200 216
100	5600	EF	40 x 45 40 x 50	6.41	6.68	59	51	ALF20(1)562EF100	36	216
100	6800	EG	40 x 55	6.61	6.84	53	46	ALF20(1)682EG100	36	216
100	8200	EH	40 x 60	7.36	7.61	44	39	ALF20(1)822EH100	36	216
100	12000	EL	40 x 80	9.14	9.45	31	27	ALF20(1)123EL100	36	216
100	18000	EP	40 x 105	11.34	12.61	19	17	ALF20(1)183EP100	36	216
200	820	DC	35 x 35	2.43	3.35	198	139	ALF20C821DC200	100	200
200	820	EB	40 x 30	3.06	3.63	178	142	ALF20(1)821EB200	72	216
200	1000	DD	35 x 40	2.81	3.87	163	114	ALF20C102DD200	100	200
200	1000	EC	40 x 35	3.43	3.99	153	124	ALF20(1)102EC200	72	216
200	1200	DF	35 x 50	3.06	4.01	135 124	82 99	ALF20C122DF200	100	200
200 200	1200 1500	ED DF	40 x 40 35 x 50	4.02 3.7	4.69 5.1	110	77	ALF20(1)122ED200 ALF20C152DF200	72 100	216 200
200	1500	EE	40 x 45	4.61	5.38	101	81	ALF20(1)152EE200	72	216
200	1800	EF	40 x 50	5.27	6.15	84	68	ALF20(1)182EF200	36	216
200	2200	EH	40 x 60	6.29	7.43	67	53	ALF20(1)222EH200	36	216
200	3300	EL	40 x 80	7.83	9.17	46	37	ALF20(1)332EL200	36	216
200	4700	EP	40 x 105	8.08	11.73	45	32	ALF20(1)472EP200	36	216
200	5600	FP	45 x 105	8.51	12.16	42	29	ALF20(1)562FP200	30	120
200	8200	KP	50 x 105	9.17	11.76	33	25	ALF20(1)822KP200	24	96
250	680	DC	35 x 35	2.22	3.23	238	155	ALF20C681DC250	100	200
250	680	EB	40 x 30	2.79	3.56	187	144	ALF20(1)681EB250	72	216
250	820	DD ED	35 x 40	2.55	3.72	198 152	129	ALF20C821DD250	100	200
250 250	820 1000	ED DF	40 x 40 35 x 50	3.8 3.26	4.91 4.75	153 163	116 106	ALF20(1)821ED250 ALF20C102DF250	72 100	216 200
250	1000	EE	40 x 45	4.33	5.58	126	96	ALF20C102DF250 ALF20(1)102EE250	72	216
250	1200	DH	35 x 60	3.76	5.48	140	100	ALF20(1)102LL230 ALF20C122DH250	50	200
250	1200	EF	40 x 50	4.94	6.37	104	80	ALF20(1)122EF250	36	216
250	1500	EG	40 x 55	5.29	6.58	89	69	ALF20(1)152EG250	36	216
250	1800	DL	35 x 80	4.6	6.69	100	82	ALF20C182DL250	50	200
VDC	Rated Capacitance	Size Code	Case Size	Ripple	Current	ESR	Impedance	Part Number	SPQ	MOQ

<sup>(1)</sup> Termination code: See Termination Tables for available options.



Table 1 - Ratings & Part Number Reference cont'd

	Rated		Case			ESR	Impedance			
VDC	Capacitance	Size	Size	Ripple	Current	Maximum	Maximum	Part Number	SPQ	MOQ
VDC	100 Hz	Code		100 Hz	10 kHz	100 Hz	10 kHz	Part Number	SPQ	MOQ
	20°C (μF)		D x L (mm)	85°C (A)	85°C (A)	20°C (mΩ)	20°C (mΩ)			
250	1800	EH	40 x 60	5.92	7.34	74	58	ALF20(1)182EH250	36	216
250 250	2200 3900	EL EP	40 x 80 40 x 105	7.33 7.78	9.49 11.71	57 46	43 32	ALF20(1)222EL250 ALF20(1)392EP250	36 36	216 216
250	4700	FP	45 x 105	8.22	12.11	42	29	ALF20(1)472FP250	30	120
250	5600	KP	50 x 105	8.63	12.03	38	27	ALF20(1)562KP250	24	96
350 350	330 390	EB DC	40 x 30 35 x 35	2.02 1.82	3.97 3.07	424 386	277 259	ALF20(1)331EB350 ALF20C391DC350	72 100	216 200
350	390	EC	40 x 35	2.33	4.5	361	236	ALF20(1)391EC350	72	216
350	470	DD	35 x 40	2.07	3.47	321	216	ALF20C471DD350	100	200
350	470 560	ED DF	40 x 40 35 x 50	2.69	5.22	299	195	ALF20(1)471ED350	72 100	216 200
350 350	560 560	EE	40 x 45	2.8 3.04	4.8 5.88	268 251	180 164	ALF20C561DF350 ALF20(1)561EE350	72	216
350	680	EF	40 x 50	3.46	6.65	207	136	ALF20(1)681EF350	36	216
350	820	DH	35 x 60	3.4	5.5	190	130	ALF20C821DH350	50	200
350	820	EG EH	40 x 55 40 x 60	3.84	7.16	174	114	ALF20(1)821EG350 ALF20(1)821EH350	36 36	216
350 350	820 1000	DL	40 x 80 35 x 80	3.99 3.9	7.67 6.4	172 154	112 104	ALF20(1)821EH350 ALF20C102DL350	50	216 200
350	1200	EL	40 x 80	4.95	9.2	119	78	ALF20(1)122EL350	36	216
350	1800	EP	40 x 105	6.14	10.73	81	54	ALF20(1)182EP350	36	216
350	2700	FP KP	45 x 105	7 7.54	11.44	63 54	42	ALF20(1)272FP350	30 24	120 96
350 400	3300 270	DC	50 x 105 35 x 35	1.61	11.57 2.88	547	36 376	ALF20(1)332KP350 ALF20C271DC400	100	200
400	270	EB	40 x 30	1.85	3.67	441	284	ALF20(1)271EB400	72	216
400	330	DC	35 x 35	1.73	2.92	461	320	ALF20C331DC400	100	200
400	330	DD	35 x 40	1.84	3.27	449	309	ALF20C331DD400	100	200
400 400	330 390	EC DF	40 x 35 35 x 50	2.29 2.19	4.21 3.96	378 377	252 226	ALF20(1)331EC400 ALF20C391DF400	72 100	216 200
400	390	ED	40 x 40	2.62	4.86	312	203	ALF20(1)391ED400	72	216
400	470	DE	35 x 45	2.4	4.1	360	246	ALF20C471DE400	100	200
400	470	DF	35 x 50	2.62	4.41	321	223	ALF20C471DF400	100	200
400 400	470 470	ED EE	40 x 40 40 x 45	2.74 3	5.21 5.49	230 258	156 168	ALF20(1)471ED400 ALF20(1)471EE400	72 72	216 216
400	560	DF	35 x 50	2.57	4.04	278	180	ALF20C561DF400	100	200
400	560	DH	35 x 60	3.01	5.11	264	184	ALF20C561DH400	50	200
400	560	EF	40 x 50	3.41	6.19	216	141	ALF20(1)561EF400	36	216
400 400	680 680	DH EH	35 x 60 40 x 60	2.9 3.99	4.73 7.14	232 177	142 114	ALF20C681DH400 ALF20(1)681EH400	50 36	200 216
400	820	DL	35 x 80	3.7	6.09	181	127	ALF20C821DL400	50	200
400	1000	DL	35 x 80	3.98	6.32	112	77	ALF20C102DL400	50	200
400 400	1000 1500	EL EP	40 x 80 40 x 105	5 5.79	8.82 10.16	120 99	78 68	ALF20(1)102EL400 ALF20(1)152EP400	36 36	216 216
400	2200	FP	45 x 105	6.56	10.10	77	53	ALF20(1)132LF400 ALF20(1)222FP400	30	120
400	2700	KP	50 x 105	7.11	11.13	66	45	ALF20(1)272KP400	24	96
400	3000	KP	50 X 105	8.03	12.39	61	42	ALF20(1)302KP400	24	96
450 450	220 220	DC EB	35 x 35 40 x 30	1.56 1.77	2.89 3.68	559 517	379 311	ALF20C221DC450 ALF20(1)221EB450	100 72	200 216
450	270	DC	35 x 35	1.68	2.91	470	322	ALF20(1)221EB450 ALF20C271DC450	100	200
450	270	DD	35 x 40	1.78	3.27	458	311	ALF20C271DD450	100	200
450	270	EC	40 x 35	2.07	4.22	427	259	ALF20(1)271EC450	72	216
450 450	330 330	DD DF	35 x 40 35 x 50	2.2 2.41	3.68 4.38	364 373	242 253	ALF20C331DD450 ALF20C331DF450	100 100	200 200
450	330	ED	40 x 40	2.47	4.30	348	210	ALF20(3)31ED450	72	216
450	390	DF	35 x 50	2.6	4.41	240	166	ALF20C391DF450	100	200
450	390	EE	40 x 45	2.7	5.53	293	177	ALF20(1)391EE450	72	216
450 450	470 470	DF DH	35 x 50 35 x 60	2.43 2.95	4.03 5.12	252 270	155 185	ALF20C471DF450 ALF20C471DH450	100 50	200 200
450	470	EF	40 x 50	3.08	6.25	243	147	ALF20(4)10H450 ALF20(1)471EF450	36	216
450	560	DF	35 x 50	2.7	4.74	266	172	ALF20C561DF450	100	200
450	560	EH	40 x 60	3.56	7.04	202	121	ALF20(1)561EH450	36	216
450	680	DL	35 x 80	3.61	6.09	190	131	ALF20C681DL450	50	200
VDC	Rated Capacitance	Size Code	Case Size	Ripple	Current	ESR	Impedance	Part Number	SPQ	MOQ

<sup>(1)</sup> Termination code: See Termination Tables for available options.



Table 1 - Ratings & Part Number Reference cont'd

	Rated		Case			ESR	Impedance			
VDC	Capacitance	Size	Size	Ripple	Current	Maximum	Maximum	Part Number	SPQ	MOQ
VDO	100 Hz	Code		100 Hz	10 kHz	100 Hz	10 kHz	i di titullibei	JI Q	MOQ
	20°C (μF)		D x L (mm)	85°C (A)	85°C (A)	20°C (mΩ)	20°C (mΩ)			
450	820	EL EJ	40 x 80 40 X 70	4.47	8.78	138	83 93	ALF20(1)821EL450	36	216
450 450	1000 1000	EJ EL	40 X 70 40 X 80	4.42 4.95	8.42 9.32	142 114	75	ALF20(1)102EJ450 ALF20(1)102EL450	36 36	216 216
450	1200	EP	40 x 105	5.57	10.15	103	70	ALF20(1)122EP450	36	216
450	1800	FP	45 x 105	6.27	10.87	82	55	ALF20(1)182FP450	30	120
450	2200	KP	50 x 105	6.81	11.12	70	47	ALF20(1)222KP450	24	96
500	180	DC	35 x 35	1.7	2.84	728	549	ALF20C181DC500	100	200
500	180	EB	40 x 30	1.76	3.22	699	522	ALF20(1)181EB500	72	216
500 500	220 220	DD EC	35 x 40 40 x 35	1.96 2.07	3.26 3.82	622 571	450 426	ALF20C221DD500	100 72	200 216
500	270	DF	40 x 35 35 x 50	2.07	3.82	505	362	ALF20(1)221EC500 ALF20C271DF500	100	200
500	270	ED	40 x 40	2.41	4.42	466	348	ALF20(1)271ED500	72	216
500	330	DF	35 x 50	2.14	3.75	492	366	ALF20C331DF500	100	200
500	330	EE	40 x 45	2.74	5	405	286	ALF20(1)331EE500	72	216
500	390	DH	35 x 60	2.87	4.67	355	258	ALF20C391DH500	50	200
500	390	EF	40 x 50	3.09	5.59	345	242	ALF20(1)391EF500	36	216
500	470	EH	40 x 60	3.56	6.43	285	201	ALF20(1)471EH500	36	216
500	560	DL	35 x 80	3.5	5.57	250	182	ALF20C561DL500	50	200
500 500	680 680	DL EL	35 x 80 40 x 80	3.65 4.4	6.45 7.77	244 200	178 140	ALF20C681DL500	50 36	200 216
500	1000	EP EL	40 x 80 40 x 105	5.43	9.18	140	98	ALF20(1)681EL500 ALF20(1)102EP500	36	216
500	1500	FP	45 x 105	5.97	9.76	110	82	ALF20(1)152FP500	30	120
500	1800	KP	50 x 105	6.45	10.09	94	70	ALF20(1)182KP500	24	96
550	180	DC	35 X 35	1.5	2.34	1940	1694	ALF20C181DC550	100	200
550	180	EB	40 X 30	1.6	2.62	1936	1688	ALF20(1)181EB550	72	216
550	220	DD	35 X 40	1.72	2.67	1588	1388	ALF20C221DD550	100	200
550	220	EC	40 X 35	1.84	3.01	1584	1380	ALF20(1)221EC550	72	216
550	270	DF	35 X 50	2.01	3.15	1290	1126	ALF20C271DF550	100	200
550 550	270 330	ED DH	40 X 40 35 X 60	2.11 2.3	3.44 3.6	1290 1058	1124 924	ALF20(1)271ED550 ALF20C331DH550	72 50	216 200
550	330	EE	40 X 45	2.4	3.9	1056	920	ALF20C331DH350 ALF20(1)331EE550	72	216
550	390	EF	40 X 50	2.67	4.33	894	780	ALF20(1)391EF550	36	216
550	470	DL	35 X 80	2.87	4.43	746	650	ALF20C471DL550	50	200
550	470	EH	40 X 60	3.05	4.93	742	648	ALF20(1)471EH550	36	216
550	680	EL	40 X 80	3.87	6.18	514	450	ALF20(1)681EL550	36	216
550	1000	EP	40 X 105	4.86	7.59	352	308	ALF20(1)102EP550	36	216
550	1200	FP	45 X 105	5.6	8.59	296	258	ALF20(1)122FP550	30	120
550 600	1500 150	KP DC	50 X 105 35 X 35	6.5 1.56	9.63 3.11	242 884.2	212 618.2	ALF20(1)152KP550 ALF20C151DC600	24 100	96 200
600	150	EB	40 X 30	1.67	3.74	868.8	600.4	ALF20C151DC000 ALF20(1)151EB600	72	216
600	180	DD	35 X 40	1.77	3.54	736.4	514.8	ALF20C181DD600	100	200
600	180	EC	40 X 35	1.91	4.3	722.6	499	ALF20(1)181EC600	72	216
600	220	DF	35 X 50	2.09	4.27	598.8	417.6	ALF20C221DF600	100	200
600	220	ED	40 X 40	2.18	4.9	591.8	408.6	ALF20(1)221ED600	72	216
600	270	DH	35 X 60	2.41	4.87	489.6	341.8	ALF20C271DH600	50	200
600	270	EE	40 X 45	2.48	5.51	483.4	333.8	ALF20(1)271EE600	72	216
600 600	330 390	EF DL	40 X 50 35 X 80	2.81 3.01	6.15 5.9	396.8 342.2	274.4 119.7	ALF20(1)331EF600 ALF20C391DL600	36 50	216 200
600	390	EH	40 X 60	3.01	6.95	342.2	232.4	ALF20(1)391EH600	36	216
600	560	EL	40 X 80	4.04	8.57	235.6	163	ALF20(1)561EL600	36	216
600	820	EP	40 X 105	5	10.1	163	113.2	ALF20(1)821EP600	36	216
600	1000	FP	45 X 105	5.74	10.99	136	94.8	ALF20(1)102FP600	30	120
600	1000	KL	50 X 80	5.69	10.33	140.4	98.4	ALF20(1)102KL600	24	96
600	1200	KP	50 X 105	6.57	11.96	117	81.8	ALF20(1)122KP600	24	96
VDC	Rated Capacitance	Size Code	Case Size	Ripple	Current	ESR	Impedance	Part Number	SPQ	MOQ

<sup>(1)</sup> Termination code: See Termination Tables for available options.



### **Mechanical Data**

#### **Polarity & Reversed Voltage**

Aluminium electrolytic capacitors manufactured for use in DC applications contain an anode foil and a cathode foil. As such, they are polarized devices and must be connected with the +ve to the anode foil and the -ve to the cathode foil. If this were to be reversed, then the electrolytic process that took place in forming the oxide layer on the anode would be recreated in trying to form an oxide layer on the cathode. In forming the cathode foil in this way, heat would be generated and gas given off within the capacitor, usually leading to catastrophic failure.

The cathode foil already possesses a thin stabilized oxide layer. This thin oxide layer is equivalent to a forming voltage of approximately 2 V. As a result, the capacitor can withstand a voltage reversal of up to 2 V for short periods. Above this voltage, the formation process will commence. Aluminium electrolytic capacitors can also be manufactured for the use in intermittent AC applications by using two anode foils in place of one anode and one cathode.

#### **Mounting Position**

The capacitor can be mounted upright or inclined to a horizontal position.

## **Insulating Resistance**

 $\geq$  100 M $\Omega$  at 100 VDC across insulating sleeve.

UL recognized sleeving is available for custom parts in this range, upon request (UL No. E358957.)

### **Voltage Proof**

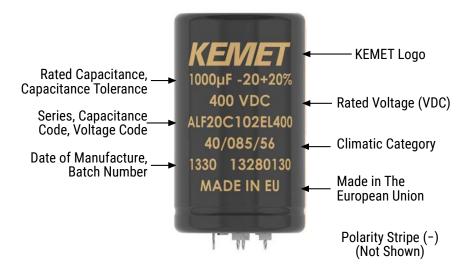
≥ 2,500 VDC across insulating sleeve.

#### **Safety Vent**

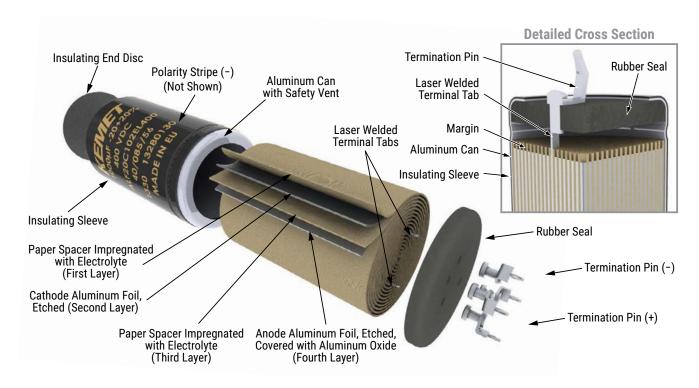
A safety vent for overpressure is featured on either the base (opposing end to the terminals) or the side of the can. This appears in the form of a grooved section on the surface of the can, which is a weakened area and designed to relieve build-up of internal pressure due to overstress or catastrophic failure.



# **Marking**



# **Construction**





### **Construction Data**

The manufacturing process begins with the anode foil being electrochemically etched to increase the surface area and then "formed" to produce the aluminum oxide layer. Both the anode and cathode foils are then interleaved with absorbent paper and wound into a cylinder. During the winding process, aluminum tabs are attached to each foil to provide the electrical contact.

The deck, complete with terminals, is attached to the tabs and then folded down to rest on top of the winding. The complete winding is impregnated with electrolyte before being housed in a suitable container, usually an aluminum can, and sealed. Throughout the process, all materials inside the housing must be maintained at the highest purity and be compatible with the electrolyte.

Each capacitor is aged and tested before being sleeved and packed. The purpose of aging is to repair any damage in the oxide layer and thus reduce the leakage current to a very low level. Aging is normally carried out at the rated temperature of the capacitor and is accomplished by applying voltage to the device while carefully controlling the supply current. The process may take several hours to complete.

Damage to the oxide layer can occur due to variety of reasons:

- Slitting of the anode foil after forming
- · Attaching the tabs to the anode foil
- Minor mechanical damage caused during winding

A sample from each batch is taken by the quality department after completion of the production process. This sample size is controlled by the use of recognized sampling tables defined in BS 6001.

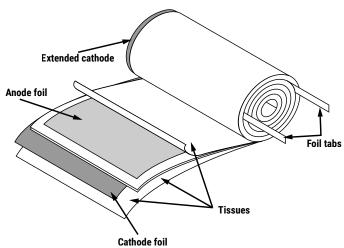
The following tests are applied and may be varied at the request of the customer. In this case the batch, or special procedure, will determine the course of action.

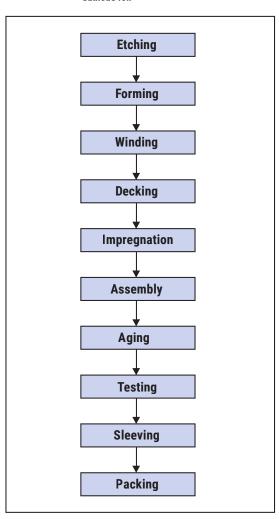
#### Electrical:

- · Leakage current
- Capacitance
- ESR
- Impedance
- Tan Delta

#### Mechanical/Visual:

- Overall dimensions
- Torque test of mounting stud
- Print detail
- · Box labels
- Packaging, including packed quantity







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