

BASIC PRINCIPLES

A piezoelectric ceramic element is a sintered body of many crystals (Poly-crystals). Distortion of this crystal occurs when a stress is applied to the element, either thermally, mechanically or electrically. These distortions create many possible uses including alarm and sensor applications.

In using piezoelectric elements in audible output applications, a metal plate is attached to the ceramic element because the resonant frequency of the ceramic is too high to produce an audible tone by itself. This metal plate vibrates as shown in Fig. 70-1 due to the contraction and expansion of the piezo ceramic, and an audible signal is produced. The resonant frequency " f_0 " at this stage is expressed by the following equation:

$$f_0 = \frac{0.412t}{a^2} \sqrt{\frac{E}{P_0(1-\sigma^2)}}$$

where, f_0 : fundamental resonant frequency
 t : thickness
 a : radius of disk
 E : Young's modulus
 P_0 : density
 O : Poisson's ratio

In this case, if the sound element is considered as a homogenous disk consisting of the piezoelectric ceramic and metal plate, the resonant frequency shall be proportional to the thickness and inversely proportional to the square of the radius, namely:

$$f_0 = \alpha \frac{t}{a^2} \text{ where } \alpha = .412 \sqrt{\frac{E}{P_0(1-\sigma^2)}}$$

Typical Example:

Resonant frequency: 2.8kHz
 Metal plate: 35mm dia.
 Thickness: 0.3mm
 Piezoelectric ceramic: 25mm dia.
 Thickness: 0.22mm

IMPEDANCE CHARACTERISTICS

The equivalent circuit for Murata Electronics' elements is shown in Fig. 70-3. The mechanical Resonance of the element is shown by R, L, C where L and C determine the Resonant frequency (Fig. 3).

$$f_0 = \frac{1}{2\pi \sqrt{L_1 C_1}}$$

Because the shunt capacitor is larger than the series combination the total impedance is capacitive.

MODES OF VIBRATION AND SUPPORTING METHODS FOR THE SOUND ELEMENT

Three principal modes of vibration can be created in the element depending on the style of mounting. This is illustrated in Fig. 70-2.

MOUNTING

(1) Node Support

The sound element shown in Fig. 70-2(a) is node mounted, allowing it to vibrate in a free state. The node, a circumference where no vibration takes place, is created as shown by the broken line in Fig. 70-1.

Mounting at the node causes the least mechanical suppression of vibration, thus allowing the greatest amplitude. Hence this mounting method, as illustrated in Fig. 71-6(a), gives the highest sound pressure output and the most stable oscillation frequency of the three choices. As a result, this is the most appropriate design for high output, self-drive applications.

The dimensions of the node can be approximated by the equation illustrated in conjunction with Fig. 70-4. However, since the sound element is a combination of a piezoelectric

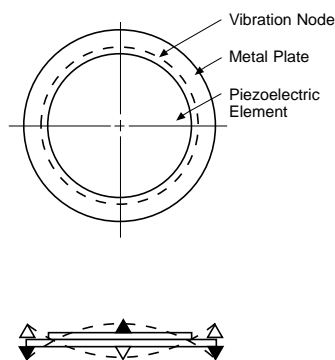


Fig. 70-1
Bending Vibration Node

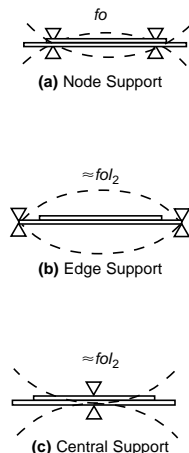


Fig. 70-2
Vibrating Mode of Piezo Alarm

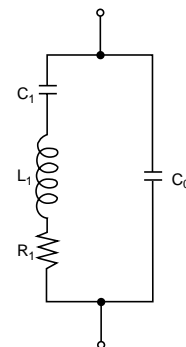


Fig. 70-3

DIMENSIONS: in.

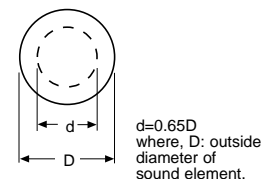


Fig. 70-4

ceramic element and a metal plate, each with tolerances, there is a deviation from theoretical values.

Some typical examples of these values would include:

Murata Electronics Part # Approximate Dia.

7BB-35-3	22mm
7BB-27-4	16mm
7BB-20-6	13.5mm

(2) Edge Support

Fig. 70-2(b) shows the mode of vibration when the sound element is supported at the edges. In this mounting configuration, the whole sound plate vibrates up and down as is illustrated by the broken line in the diagram. Hence, the edge method as illustrated in Fig. 71-6(b), suppresses the fundamental resonant frequency by moving the node. This offers the possibility of a wide frequency response, and is most advantageously used with external drive.

(3) Center Support

Fig. 70-2(c) shows the mode of vibration when the sound element is supported at the center. As the main vibration area is forcefully supported, large sound pressure levels are not possible when this method is used. This too is

appropriate for external drive but due to design difficulties center support is not useful as an alarm.

CIRCUIT DESIGN CONSIDERATIONS

1. Driving Waveshape

The piezo elements may be driven by either sinusoidal, pulsed, or square wave, depending upon the particular application. If a sine wave is used, the device will operate at a frequency lower than the resonant frequency (f_0) with a lower sound pressure level. The reason for this is the loss of energy, through the time lag between peak deflections as shown in Fig. 72-7. It is important that a clean sinusoidal signal be provided, as any clipping of the waveform can result in frequency instability. If square waves or pulsed waves are used to drive the elements, a higher acoustic output will be realized, along with an increase in harmonic levels. A parallel capacitor can reduce these harmonics.

2. Driving Frequency:

For maximum output, a frequency of between 500Hz and 4kHz should be used, as recommended by the specific part chosen.

3. DC Precautions:

In order to prevent depolarization of the ceramic elements it is necessary that every precaution be taken to prevent them from being subjected to direct current. Murata recommends the use of appropriate blocking capacitors for this purpose.

4. High Voltage Precautions:

Voltages higher than those recommended by Murata can damage the ceramic, even if applied for short durations. Due to the strength of the piezoelectric effect, high voltage can cause the crystals to break the sintered bonds, resulting in permanent damage. Significantly higher sound pressure levels will not be achieved by voltages higher than those recommended by Murata.

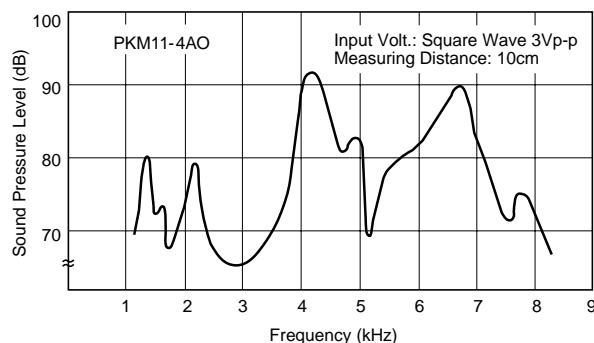


Fig. 71-5
Characteristics of
Sound Pressure Level vs. Frequency

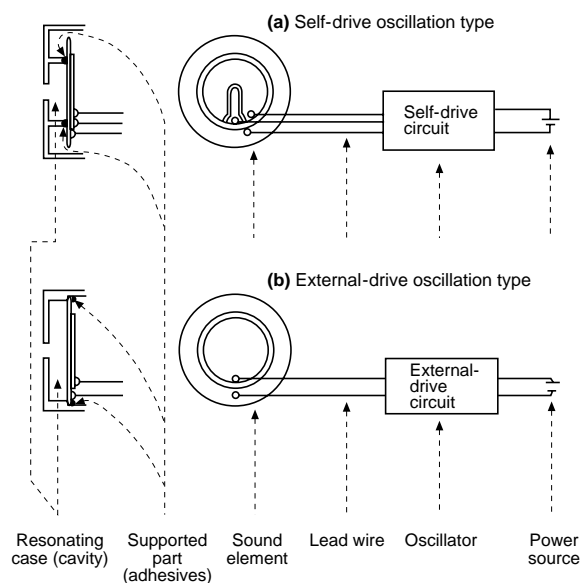


Fig. 71-6
Oscillation System of Piezo Buzzer

5. Booster Coil Applications:

When using a booster coil, do not exceed voltage recommendations as the coil will heat up, passing too much current to the transistor.

6. Shock:

Mechanical impact on buzzers or elements can generate high voltages that can seriously harm drive circuitry. Suitable diode protection is advisable in applications where mechanical shock is possible. Zener diode see Fig. 72-8(a); Schottky diode see Fig. 72-8(b).

7. Mounting Glue:

Proper application of mounting glue is necessary to produce adequate sound pressure levels.

8. Design of Resonating Case:

When an element is supported and has no case, the sound pressure level is small. This is because the acoustical impedance of the elements does not match that of any open air loading. However, by building a resonating case, the acoustical impedance of the element and encased air can be matched. This case can be designed using the following (*Helmholtz's equation*):

$$f_o = \frac{c}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{4a^2}{d^2h(t+ka)}}$$

f_o = Resonant frequency of Cavity (Hz)
 c = Sound velocity 34.4x103 cm/sec @ 24°C

a = Radius of sound emitting hole (cm)
 d = Diameter of support
 h = Height of cavity (cm)
 t = Thickness of cavity
 k = Constant $\cong 1.3$

Typical Example (Node Mount):

- 1) Determine element to use
ex. 7BB-35-3C
- 2) Find Node diameter
Node = .65 • 3.5cm
where the Dia. of the element is 3.5cm and Node is 2.2cm
- 3) Determine thickness of cavity
ex. $t = 0.1$ cm
- 4) Determine h and a by shape balance.
PKM8-3AO is designed on the basis of the above procedures.

Note: When designing the resonating case for the edge mount configuration, the case must be designed for approximately half the resonate frequency of the element.

9. Electrostatic Capacitance

It is necessary to match the output impedance of the oscillator with the transducer impedance in order to get maximum sound pressure level from the transducer. The actual electrostatic capacitance can be calculated from the following formula.

$$C = \frac{132.064D^2}{t} \text{ pF}$$

D = Diameter of electrode (cm)
 t = Thickness of ceramic (cm)

Example: The electrostatic capacitance of a 7BB-20-6 can be found by knowing D and t .

Assuming $D = 1.28$ cm
 $t = .022$ cm

$$C = \frac{132.064 (1.28)^2}{.022} \text{ pF} = 9,835 \text{ pF}$$

10. Soldering Recommendations

The desired location for soldering lead wires on an element is the point nearest to the edge of the silver surface. The desired location for soldering a lead to the metal plate is the area between the end of the plate and the end of the ceramic. Below are the conditions for soldering.

	Ceramic (AG)	Metal Plate
Soldering Iron	25W	25W
Temperature	330°C \pm 30°C	330°C \pm 30°C
Time	0.5 sec. max.	2-4 sec.
Solder	Ag solder	Ag solder

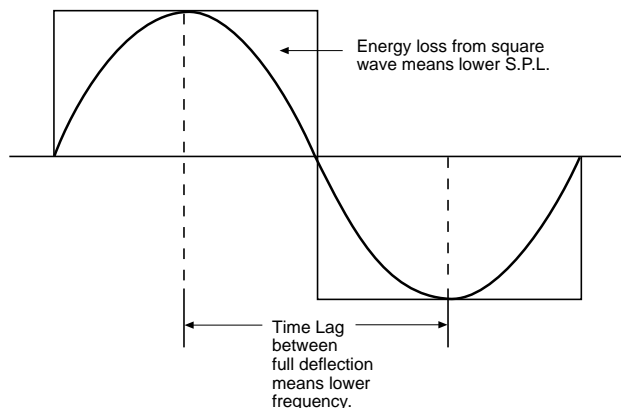


Fig. 72-7
Deflection Diagram of Piezoelectric Element

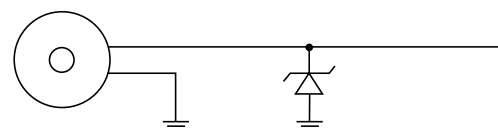


Fig. 72-8(a)

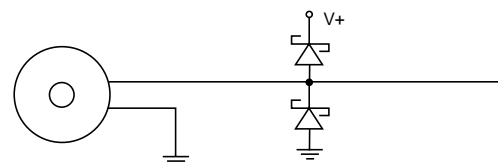
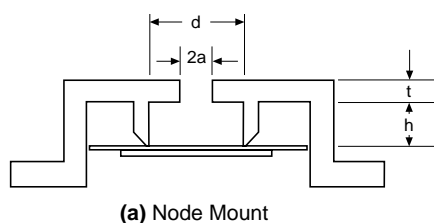
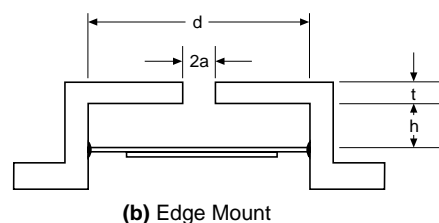


Fig. 72-8(b)



(a) Node Mount



(b) Edge Mount

Fig. 72-9

PIEZO ALARMS

CIRCUITRY

SELF-DRIVE (with feedback electrode)

Fig. 73-1 shows a modified Hartley oscillator with a grounded emitter in which the equivalent inductance and capacitance of the sound element replaces the function of the coil and capacitor of the Hartley circuits. Stable tone generation at high sound pressure levels, combined with a low cost is the basic feature of this circuit which uses one transistor and three resistors.

Basic oscillating conditions for the self-driven circuit are:

- The phase difference between V_o and V_i in Fig. 73-1 should not be less than 180° .
- $\frac{V_i}{V_o} \geq \frac{R_2 + H_{ie}}{h_{fe} \cdot R_3}$ should be satisfied.

- R_1 should be set so that the DC bias point V_{ce} of Tr is 50% of the supply voltage.
- R_2 must be adjusted to avoid any spurious emission in the output.

Typical values based on the above conditions:
 $R_1 = 200\text{k}\Omega$, $R_2 = 10\text{k}\Omega$, $R_3 = 510\text{k}\Omega$
 and h_{fe} for Tr = 160 to 320. The output-supply voltage characteristics for a typical circuit satisfying these conditions are shown in Fig. 73-2.

(This circuit is not appropriate for switched operation with the input switching signal connected at the transistor base, (shown as X), since the feedback voltage is not disconnected and switching may not occur.)

INTEGRATED CIRCUIT DESIGN

A driving circuit, utilizing a CMOS inverter IC is illustrated in Fig. 73-3. Using an inverter or NAND gate IC, an astable, modified, multi-vibrator driving circuit, as shown in Fig. 73-3, can also be designed.

A significant increase in the sound pressure level may be realized by this circuit design, if a feedback electrode is employed. In Fig. 73-3, the phase of the feedback voltage is inverted 180° by going through R_1 , to inverter B, thus forming a positive feedback loop. Figs. 73-4 and 5 show how the oscillation frequency and sound pressure react to changes in R_1 and C_1 .

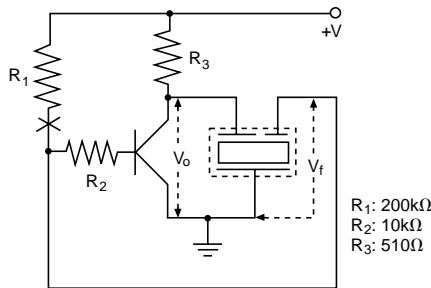


Fig. 73-1
Self-Drive Circuit

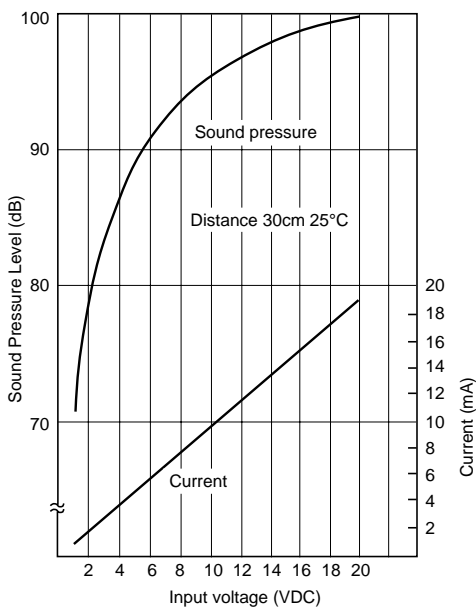


Fig. 73-2
Typical Output vs. Supply Voltage Characteristics

Fig. 73-3
IC Oscillation Circuit

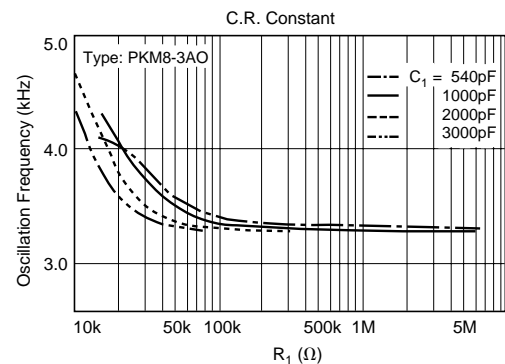
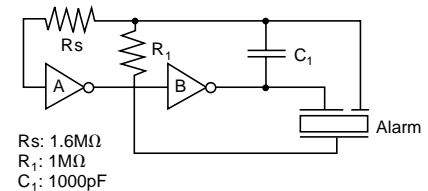


Fig. 73-4
Relationship of R_1 and C_1 to Oscillation Frequency

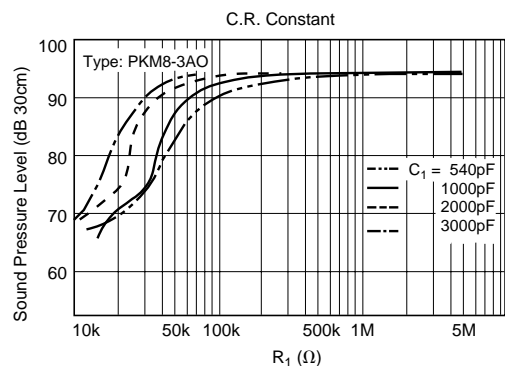


Fig. 73-5
Relationship of R_1 and C_1 to Sound Pressure Level

Over the last several years piezo alarms have found extensive use in watches, calculators, game machines and other applications due to their low current requirements and small size. Their use has become widespread in such products as microwave ovens, clothes dryers, washing machines, automobile warning systems, TV's and games. Recent developments in LSI technology will enable the use of piezo elements in facsimile and data transmission applications.

As LSI technology has improved, more and more applications, other than telecommunications, have opened up for piezo devices. Some of the typical applications and circuit designs using this are shown in Fig. 74-6. As illustrated,

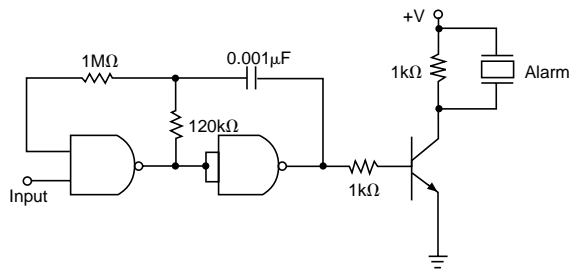
there are a number of variations in these externally driven oscillators. For instance, Fig. 74-6(a), is an oscillating circuit with two NAND gates which oscillates or stops by the **On and Off** change-over of the input signals. Fig. 74-6(b), describes a ringing tone circuit (telephone sound) which produces a ring with f_3 cycles between f_1 and f_2 . Fig. 74-6(c), illustrates a typical watch circuit with LSI. Fig. 74-6(d), a circuit that can be used to produce outputs resembling insect sounds.

There are a multitude of applications for these externally driven devices. Essentially, the possible uses for these externally driven piezo elements is limited only by the imagination of the user.

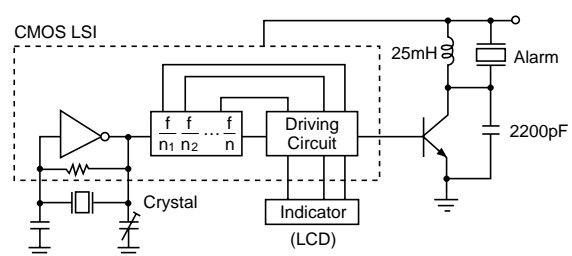
BOOSTER COILS

In applications such as wrist watches and calculators, a booster coil may be used to compensate for sound pressure attenuation caused by casing external to the piezo element. For instance, Fig. 74-7 shows a typical circuit where this is applied.

When Tr is switched **On and Off** by the output voltage of an LSI with t sec. of rise or fall time, a back voltage proportional to L is also generated in the inductance. The sound pressure level is increased in proportion to the back voltage with a V p-p more than several times larger than the supply voltage.

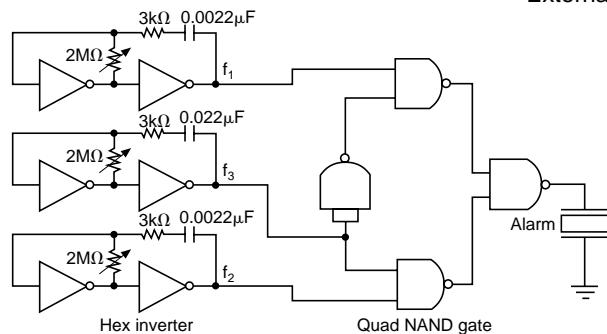


(a) I.C. oscillation circuit without feedback

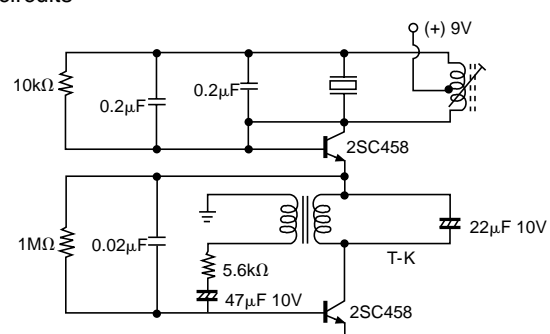


(c) Watch circuit

Fig. 74-6
Examples of
External-drive circuits



(b) Ringing circuit (for telephone)



(d) Oscillation circuit for cricket sound (onomatopoeia)

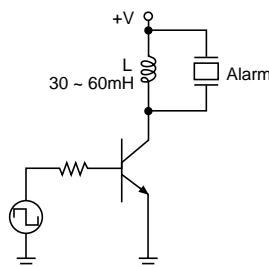
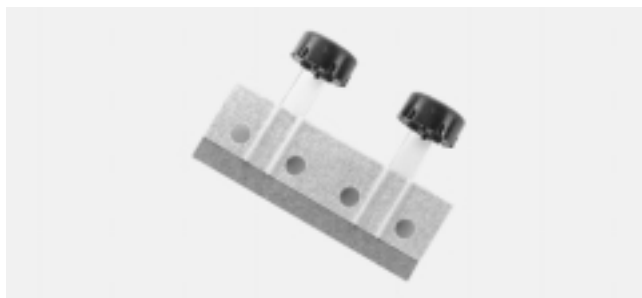


Fig. 74-7
Circuit with Booster Coil

PIEZO ALARMS

ENCASED PIEZO ALARMS

TAPING TYPE



Taking advantage of our extensive automatic insertion designing technology and materials experience, we have developed standard taping type piezoelectric sounder. This Murata technology supports labor and cost saving activities.

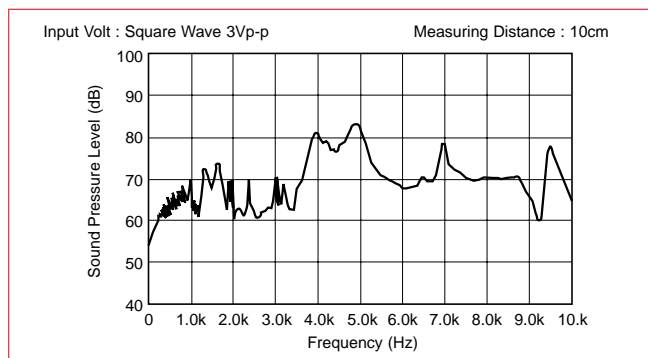
FEATURES

- High and stable mountability
- Flat packaging
- Packaging quantity: 500pcs

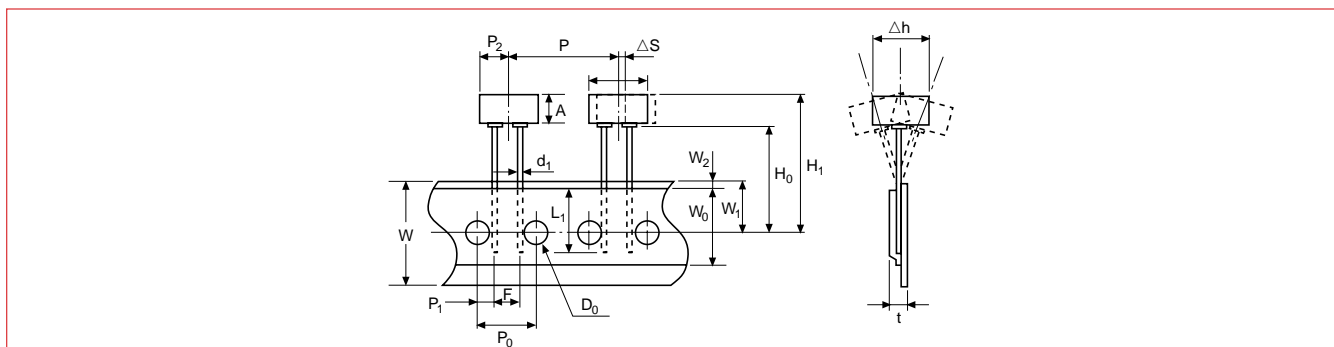
SPECIFICATIONS

Part Number	PKM13EPY-4000-TF01
Sound Pressure Level (3Vp-p square wave 10cm)	70dB min. (4kHz)
Capacitance	5500pF ± 30% (1kHz)
Max. Input Voltage	25Vp-p
Operating Temp. Range	-20°C ~ +70°C
Storage Temp. Range	-30°C ~ +80°C
Packaging Quantity	500pcs/1 pack

FREQUENCY RESPONSE



TAPE AND AMMO BOX



DIMENSIONS: mm

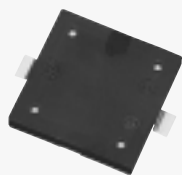
Item	Code	Nominal Value	Tol.	Remarks
Width of Diameter	D	φ12.6	±0.5	
Height of Resonator	A	6.9	±0.5	
Dimension of Terminal	d ₁	φ0.5	±0.1	
Lead Length Under the Hold Down Tape	L ₁	8.0 min.	—	
Pitch of Component	P	25.4	±0.5	
Pitch of Sprocket	P ₀	12.7	±0.2	Tolerance for Pitches 10 x P ₀ = 127 ± 2mm
Length from Hole Center to Lead	P ₁	3.85	±0.7	
Length from Hole Center to Component Center	P ₂	6.35	±0.7	
Lead Spacing	F	5.0	±0.5	
Slant to the Forward or Backward	Δh	0	±1.0	360° : 1mm max.
Width of Carrier Tape	W	18.0	±0.5	
Width of Hold Down Tape	W ₀	12.5 min.	—	Hold down tape does not exceed the carrier tape
Position of Sprocket Hole	W ₁	9.0	±0.5	
Gap of Hold Down Tape and Carrier Tape	W ₂	2.0 max.	—	
Distance Between the Center of Sprocket Hole and Lead Stopper	H ₀	18.0	±0.5	
Total Height of Resonator	D ₀	φ4.0	±0.2	
Diameter of Sprocket Hole	H ₁	26.0 max.	—	
Total Thickness of Tape	t	0.6	±0.2	
Body Tilt	ΔS	0	±1.0	

PIEZO ALARMS ENCASED SMD PIEZOELECTRIC SOUNDER

NEW

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Innovator in Electronics

PKMC Series



Taking advantage of extensive acoustic and mechanical designing technology and high performance ceramics, Murata has developed an SMD piezoelectric sounder that suits thin, high-density design of electronic equipment.

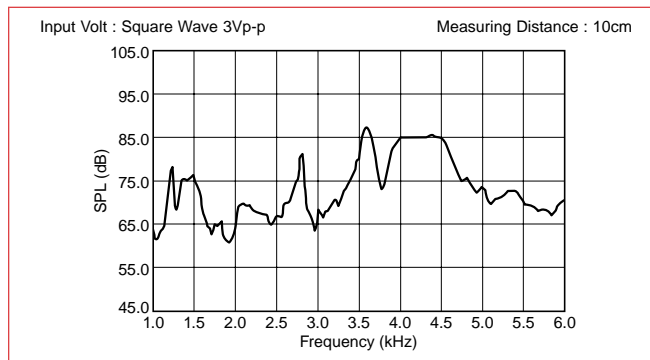
FEATURES

- High S.P.L. and clear sound
- Reflowable
- Tray packaging
- Minimum quantity (order in sets only): 1,200 pcs.

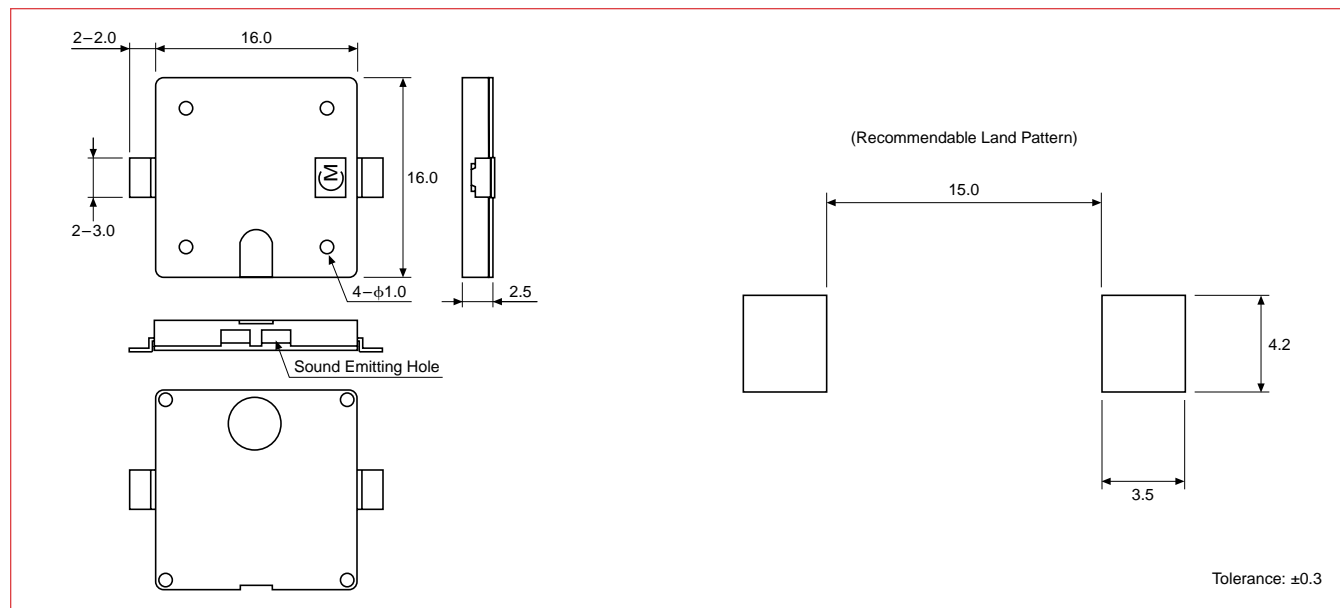
SPECIFICATIONS

Part Number	PKMC16E-4000-TY
Sound Pressure Level (3Vp-p square wave 10cm)	75dB min. (4kHz)
Capacitance	14nF \pm 30% (1kHz)
Max. Input Voltage	25Vp-p
Operating Temp. Range	-20°C ~ +70°C
Storage Temp. Range	-30°C ~ +80°C

FREQUENCY RESPONSE



DIMENSIONS: mm



PIEZO ALARMS

ENCASED EXTERNAL DRIVE (no internal circuitry)



The piezo alarms described on this page have no "feedback" tab and are particularly suited for the generation of both single tones and the unusual sound effects that are possible with specifically designed driving circuits. These sounds may include musical melodies, insect sounds, etc.

All mechanical and electrical components are designed to be compatible with most standard PC board assembly and wave soldering techniques.

FEATURES

- Rugged construction
- Compatible with wave soldering techniques
- Low cost
- High reliability
- Variable tone outputs
- No EMI

APPLICATIONS

- Musical toys
- Home appliances (microwave ovens, refrigerators, etc.)
- Communications equipment
- Computer peripherals and office equipment
- Instrumentation, etc.

Part Number	★PKM22EPP-4001*	★PKM22EP-2001	★PKM22EP-2001R	★PKM35-4A0	★PKM17EW-2001
Sound Pressure Level	75dB@10cm@3Vp-p	75dB@10cm@3Vp-p	75dB@10cm@3Vp-p	75dB@10cm@3Vp-p	72dB@10cm@3Vp-p
Oscillating Frequency	4kHz	2kHz	2kHz	4kHz	2kHz
Operating Voltage	25Vp-p	25Vp-p	25Vp-p	25Vp-p	7Vp-p max.
Operating Temp. Range	-20°C to +70°C	-20°C to +70°C	-40°C to +125°C	-20°C to +70°C	-20°C to +70°C
Storage Temp. Range	-30°C to +80°C	-40°C to +80°C	-40°C to +125°C	-30°C to +80°C	-30°C to +80°C
Capacitance	12,000pF ± 30% at 1kHz	17,000pF ± 30% at 120Hz	17,000pF ± 30% at 120Hz	9,500pF ± 30% at 1kHz	40,000pF ± 30% at 120Hz
Leads	—	—	—	32AWG (UL-1685)	32AWG (UL-1685)
DIMENSIONS: mm		<p>Tolerance: ± 0.5</p>			
SOUND PRESSURE LEVEL VS. FREQUENCY					

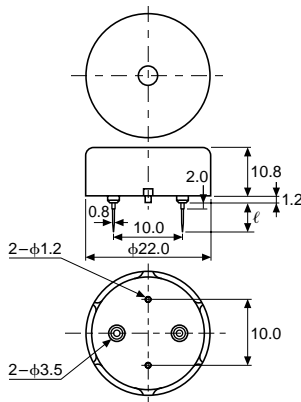
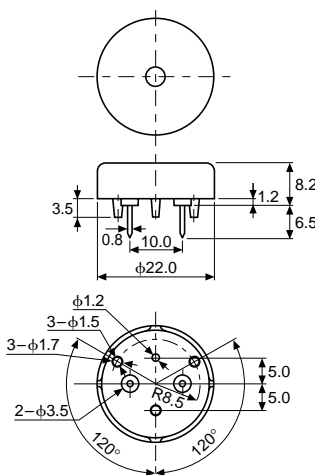
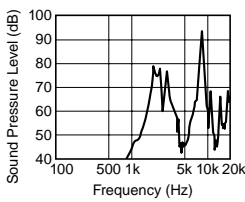
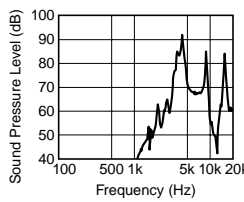
*These parts are available as sealed units for washing with tape covering the sound emitting hole. The part number should have an "S" suffix added.

★ Available as standard through authorized Murata Electronics Distributors.

PIEZO ALARMS

ENCASED EXTERNAL DRIVE (no internal circuitry)

NEW

Part Number	*PKM22EPP-2001	PKM22EPP-2002R	PKM22EPP-4005	PKM22EPP-4007												
Sound Pressure Level	70dB@10cm@3Vp-p	70dB@10cm@3Vp-p	75dB@10cm@3Vp-p	85dB@10cm@3Vp-p												
Oscillating Frequency	2kHz	2kHz	4kHz	4kHz												
Operating Voltage	25Vp-p	25Vp-p	25Vp-p	25Vp-p												
Operating Temp. Range	-20°C to +70°C	-40°C to +125°C	-20°C to +70°C	-20°C to +70°C												
Storage Temp. Range	-30°C to +80°C	-40°C to +125°C	-30°C to +80°C	-30°C to +80°C												
Capacitance	19nF ± 30% at 120Hz	19nF ± 30% at 120Hz	12nF ± 30% at 1kHz	12nF ± 30% at 1kHz												
Leads	—	—	—	—												
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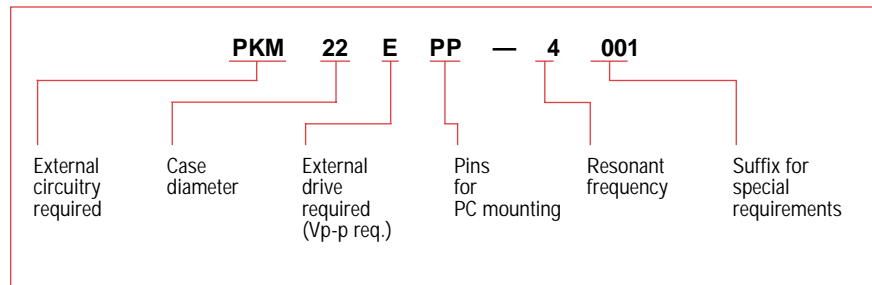
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PIEZO ALARMS

ENCASED EXTERNAL DRIVE (no internal circuitry)



TYPICAL PART NUMBERING



NEW

Part Number	★PKM13EPY-4002	PKM17EPP-2002	★PKM17EPP-4001*	★PKM11-4A0
Sound Pressure Level	70dB@10cm@3Vp-p	70dB@10cm@3Vp-p	72dB@10cm@3Vp-p	75dB@10cm@3Vp-p
Oscillating Frequency	4.0kHz	2kHz	4kHz	4kHz
Operating Voltage	25Vp-p	25Vp-p	25Vp-p	25Vp-p
Operating Temp. Range	-20°C to +70°C	-20°C to +70°C	-20°C to +70°C	-20°C to +60°C
Storage Temp. Range	-30°C to +80°C	-40°C to +80°C	-30°C to +80°C	-30°C to +70°C
Capacitance	5,500pF ± 30%	3,400pF ± 30%	7,000pF ± 30%	10,000pF ± 30%
Leads	—	—	—	30AWG (UL-1571)
DIMENSIONS: mm				
SOUND PRESSURE LEVEL VS. FREQUENCY	<p>Input Voltage: Square wave 3Vp-p Measuring Distance: 10cm</p>			

*These parts are available as sealed units for washing with tape covering the sound emitting hole. The part number should have an "S" suffix added.

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PIEZO ALARMS

ENCASED PIEZO ALARMS

SELF DRIVE (no internal circuitry)



As the use of microprocessors in consumer products has become increasingly popular, so too has the use of piezo alarms as the accepted means of audio alarm generation. Their ability to be driven by IC's, small size, low cost and high reliability, make them ideal for such applications.

The units shown on this page are equipped with a feedback tab for use with self-oscillating circuit designs. By utilizing the feedback, the part's individual resonant frequency is found to optimize sound pressure level.

All mechanical and electrical components are designed to be compatible with most standard PC board assembly and wave soldering techniques.

FEATURES

- Small size
- Low cost
- High sound pressure level
- Low input voltage
- Low current consumption

APPLICATIONS

- Clocks
- Office equipment, machine tools, toys, games, etc.
- Automatic controlling devices instrumentation, calculators
- Home appliances (microwave ovens, refrigerators, etc.)
- Smoke alarms

Part Number	★PKM25-6A0	★PKM24SP-3805
Sound Pressure Level	90dB@12V@10cm	90dB@12V@10cm
Oscillating Frequency	6.8 ± 0.7kHz	3.8 ± 0.4kHz
Current	10mA	12mA
Operating Voltage	3 to 20V	3 to 20V
Operating Temp. Range	-20°C to +70°C	-20°C to +70°C
Storage Temp. Range	-30°C to +80°C	-30°C to +80°C
DIMENSIONS: mm		
SOUND PRESSURE LEVEL VS. INPUT VOLTAGE		

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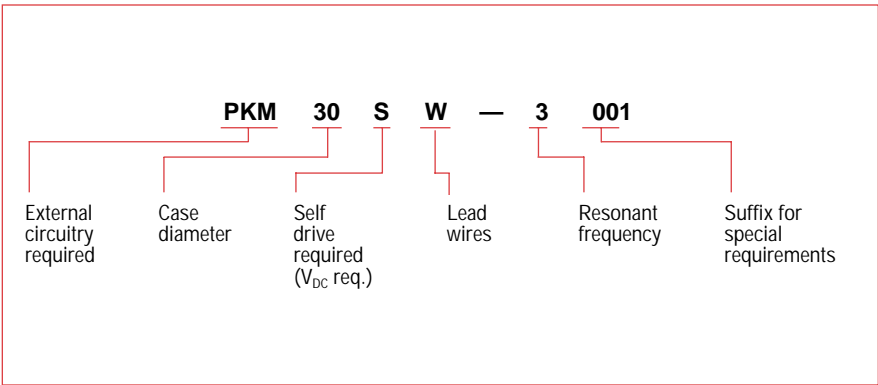
PIEZO ALARMS
ENCASED EXTERNAL DRIVE (no internal circuitry)



PKM Series



TYPICAL PART NUMBERING



PIEZO ALARMS

Part Number	★PKM11-6AO	★PKM29-3AO
Sound Pressure Level	80dB@12V@10cm	105dB@9V@1M
Oscillating Frequency	6.5 ± 0.7kHz	3.4 ± 0.4kHz
Current	8mA	20mA
Operating Voltage	3 to 15V	4.5 to 18.0V
Operating Temp. Range	-20°C to +60°C	-20°C to +70°C
Storage Temp. Range	-30°C to +70°C	-30°C to +80°C
Leads	30AWG (UL-1571)	—
DIMENSIONS: mm		
SOUND PRESSURE LEVEL VS. INPUT VOLTAGE		

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PIEZO ALARMS ENCASED WITH INTERNAL CIRCUITRY



The PC board mountable piezo alarms described on this page are completely self-contained alarms requiring only a DC voltage source for operation. Providing the user with high audio output while requiring very low power, these devices can be operated over a broad range of input voltages. Their small size, high reliability and low cost make them ideal for a number of applications.

FEATURES

- PC board mountable
- Completely self-contained

- Produce an extremely clear and penetrating sound output
- Compact size
- No electrical noise
- Very low power consumption
- Operable over a broad voltage range

APPLICATIONS

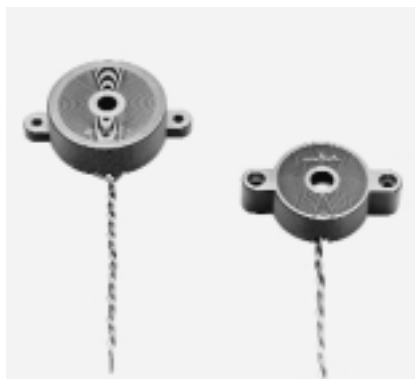
- Data processing equipment (i.e., keyboards, disk drives, circuit board malfunction alarms)
- Electronic instrumentation
- Medical equipment
- Automatic control devices
- Cash registers

Part Number	★PKB24SPC-3601★	★PKB30SPC-2001★	★PKB30SPC-3001★
Sound Pressure Level	90dB@10cm@12V	92dB@10cm@12V	92dB@10cm@12V
Oscillating Frequency	3.6 ± 0.5kHz	2.0 ± 0.4kHz	2.7 ± 0.5kHz
Current	16mA	15mA	15mA
Operating Voltage	3 to 15V	3 to 15V	3 to 15V
Operating Temp. Range	-20°C to +70°C	-20°C to +70°C	-30°C to +70°C
Storage Temp. Range	-30°C to +80°C	-30°C to +80°C	-30°C to +80°C
DIMENSIONS: mm			
SOUND PRESSURE LEVEL VS. INPUT VOLTAGE / CURRENT CONSUMPTION VS. INPUT VOLTAGE			

*These parts are also available as washable parts with tape covering the sound emitting hole and epoxy seal at the case bottom. These parts are denoted with "W" suffix.

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PIEZO ALARMS ENCASED WITH INTERNAL CIRCUITRY



The piezo alarms described on this page are completely self-contained alarms requiring only a DC voltage source for operation. Providing the user with surprisingly high audio outputs while requiring very low input power, they can be operated over a broad range of input voltages.

FEATURES

- Completely self-contained
- Produce an extremely clear and penetrating sound which is audible through surrounding noises
- Audio output reaches long distances

- Compact size
- Light weight
- No electrical noise
- Very low power consumption
- Operable over a broad voltage range

APPLICATIONS

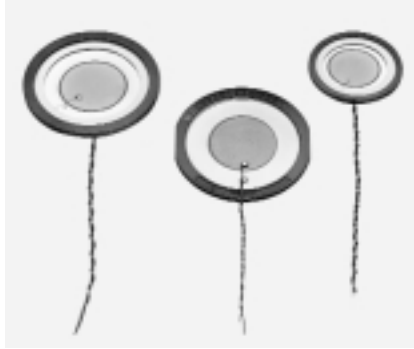
- Fire alarms, burglar alarms, gas detectors
- Automotive alarms
- Toys, game machines, etc.
- Electrical appliances
- Automatic control devices, conveyors, medical equipment

Part Number	★PKB5-3AO	★PKB6-5AO	★PKB24SW-3301
Sound Pressure Level	85dB@30cm@9V	85dB@30cm@9V	80dB@10cm@12V
Oscillating Frequency	2.8 ± 0.5kHz	4.7 ± 0.7kHz	3.3 ± 0.5kHz
Current	12mA @ 9V	12mA @ 9V	12mA max.
Operating Voltage	3 to 20V	3 to 20V	3 to 20V
Operating Temp. Range	-20°C to +70°C	-20°C to +70°C	-20°C to +70°C
Storage Temp. Range	-30°C to +80°C	-30°C to +80°C	-30°C to +80°C
Capacitance	—	—	—
Leads	24AWG (UL-1007)	24AWG (UL-1007)	24AWG (UL-1007)
DIMENSIONS: mm			
SOUND PRESSURE LEVEL VS. INPUT VOLTAGE / CURRENT CONSUMPTION VS. INPUT VOLTAGE Measurements made with recommended measuring circuit.			

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PIEZO ALARMS

PIEZO ELEMENTS FOR TELEPHONE APPLICATIONS



Recent advances in manufacturing technology have enabled Murata Electronics to mass produce piezoelectric ceramic elements as thin as 0.1mm. This capability has permitted the use of these devices in a variety of applications including speech synthesis and telecommunications.

The Model VSB41D25-07ARO piezo speaker unit has been designed to accurately reproduce speech patterns. Due to its small size, rugged construction and wide response curve,

this element is suitable for voice synthesis applications such as clocks, vending machines, automobiles, toys and translating machines.

FEATURES

- High efficiency compared to electro-magnetic devices
- Ultra-thin and lightweight
- High impedance, low power consumption requirements
- High reliability and durability
- No electric noise or EMI
- Can be driven directly by an IC

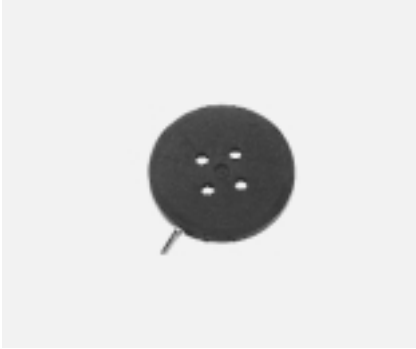
Part Number	★VSB35EW-0701B	★VSB50EW-0301B	★VSB41D25-07ARO
Frequency Range	600Hz to 20kHz	250Hz to 20kHz	500Hz to 20kHz
Allowable Input	75mW	150mW	30Vp-p
Free Resonance	950Hz	400Hz	900Hz
Operating Temp. Range	-20°C to +70°C	-20°C to +70°C	-20°C to +70°C
Storage Temp. Range	-30°C to +80°C	-30°C to +80°C	-30°C to +80°C
Capacitance	340nF @ 120kHz ± 35%	600nF @ 120kHz ± 35%	140nF @ 120kHz ± 30%
Leads	32AWG	32AWG (UL-1685)	32AWG (UL-1685)
DIMENSIONS: mm			
SOUND PRESSURE LEVEL VS. FREQUENCY			

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PIEZO ALARMS

PIEZO RECEIVERS FOR TELEPHONE APPLICATIONS

PKD Series



According to the progress of LSI and digital technology, more sophisticated and multi-functioning telephones have been developed for office automation.

The piezoelectric receiver PKD series for telephone (CERAMIPHONE®) use was developed to function as an electroacoustic transducer, especially for portable equipment such as mobile communication requiring small and thin components.

FEATURES

- Thin shape, light weight
- Low current consumption and good matching impedance for a voltage drive

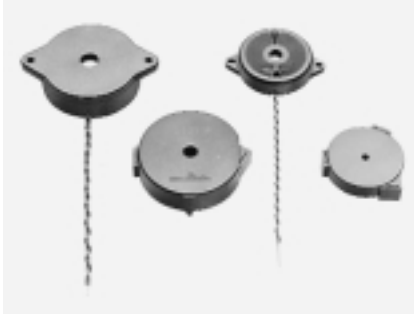
Part Number	★PKD17EW-01R	★PKD22EW-01R
Operating Temp. Range	-20°C to +70°C	-20°C to +70°C
Storage Temp. Range	-30°C to +70°C	-30°C to +70°C
Leads	32AWG (UL-1685)	32AWG (UL-1685)
DIMENSIONS: mm		
At 1kHz, 1Vrms Sine Wave	107 ± 3dB	109 ± 3.5dB
SOUND PRESSURE LEVEL VS. FREQUENCY		

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PIEZO ALARMS

PIEZO RINGERS FOR TELEPHONE APPLICATIONS

PKM Series



As the number of telephones using IC's has increased dramatically during the past several years, there has been a corresponding increase in the number of telephone manufacturers using piezo transducers as telephone ringers. Designed to replace the more expensive and larger electromechanical devices, these ringers are small, emit clear penetrating sounds, offer wide frequency ranges and are low cost.

Representative models of the Murata Electronics offering in this area are shown below.

FEATURES

- Emit a clear penetrating sound
- Low power consumption
- Can be driven directly by IC's
- Extremely thin and lightweight
- Low frequency and multi-frequency capability
- No EMI/RFI

Part Number	PKM33EP-1201C	★PKM34EW-1101C	PKM34EW-1201C	★PKM44EW-1001C	★PKM44EP-0901						
Sound Pressure Level	70dB@1M@30Vp-p	70dB@1M@30Vp-p	70dB@1M@30Vp-p	75dB@1M@30Vp-p	70dB@1M@30Vp-p						
Oscillating Frequency	1kHz	1.1kHz	1.2kHz	1.0kHz	1.0kHz						
Operating Voltage	40Vp-p max.	40Vp-p max.	60Vp-p max.	30Vp-p max.	40Vp-p max.						
Operating Temp. Range	-20°C to +70°C	-20°C to +70°C	-20°C to +70°C	-30°C to +70°C	-20°C to +70°C						
Storage Temp. Range	-30°C to +80°C	-30°C to +80°C	-30°C to +80°C	-40°C to +80°C	-30°C to +80°C						
Capacitance	40nF ± 30% at 120Hz	40nF ± 25% at 120Hz	32nF ± 30% at 120Hz	68nF ± 30%	68nF ± 30%						
Leads	—	30AWG (UL-1571)	—	28AWG (UL-1571)	—						
DIMENSIONS: mm	<div><table><tr><th>Part Number</th><th>ℓ (mm)</th></tr><tr><td>PKM33EP-1201C</td><td>5.0</td></tr><tr><td>PKM33EP-1202C</td><td>0</td></tr></table></div>	Part Number	ℓ (mm)	PKM33EP-1201C	5.0	PKM33EP-1202C	0	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>
Part Number	ℓ (mm)										
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PKM33EP-1202C	0										
SOUND PRESSURE LEVEL VS. FREQUENCY	<div><p>Frequency (Hz)</p></div>	<div><p>Frequency (Hz)</p><p>Input Voltage: 9.00Vp-p Square Wave Distance : 30.0cm</p></div>	<div><p>Frequency (Hz)</p></div>	<div><p>Frequency (Hz)</p></div>	<div><p>Frequency (Hz)</p></div>						

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PIEZO ALARMS FOR SPECIAL APPLICATIONS

PKM Series



Murata Electronics produces piezo alarms meeting the requirements of special applications. These special requirements may be for specific physical and/or mounting configurations, frequency response characteristics or input drive parameters. The units illustrated on this page are a sampling of the special alarm configurations available from Murata.

Contact us with your specifications and requirements and we will be happy to work with you to meet them.

NEW

Part Number	★PKM17EPT-4001	★PKM22EPT-2001	★PKM22EPT-2001R	PKM22EPT-4001	PKM30SPT-2501	★PKM30SPT-2001
Sound Pressure Level	75dB@10cm@3Vp-p	70dB@10cm@3Vp-p	70dB@10cm@3Vp-p	85dB@10cm@3Vp-p	80dB@10cm@12V	75dB@10cm@12V
Oscillating Frequency	4.0kHz	2.0kHz	2.0kHz	4.0kHz	2.5 ± 0.3kHz	2.0 ± 0.3kHz
Current	—	—	—	—	20mA max.	20mA max.
Max. Operating Voltage	25Vp-p	25Vp-p	25Vp-p	25Vp-p	3.0 to 20V	3 to 20Vp-p
Operating Temp. Range	-20°C to +70°C	-20°C to +70°C	-40°C to +125°C	-20°C to +70°C	-20°C to +70°C	-20°C to +70°C
Storage Temp. Range	-30°C to +80°C	-30°C to +80°C	-40°C to +125°C	-30°C to +80°C	-30°C to +80°C	-30°C to +80°C
Capacitance	9,500pF ± 30%	19,000pF ± 30%	19,000pF ± 30%	—	—	—
DIMENSIONS: mm						
SOUND PRESSURE LEVEL VS. FREQUENCY OR INPUT VOLTAGE						

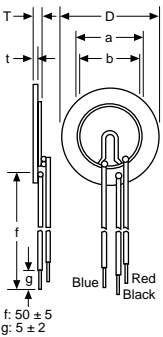
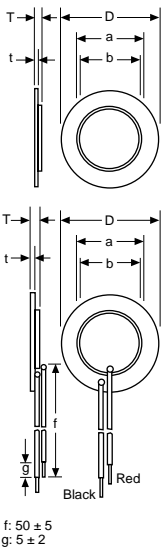
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7BB, 7NB, 7SB Series



Murata Electronics offers a wide selection of piezo alarm elements capable of meeting virtually any application requirement. This includes both self-driven units, with a feedback electrode, and externally driven units that are designed to be driven by an external signal source.

For customers who choose not to use encased alarms from our wide selection, Murata also offers elements which can be designed into your own injection mold assemblies or other packages.

	Part Number	Characteristics (*1, *2)			Dimensions: mm					NOTES	
		Resonant Frequency (kHz)	Resonant Impedance (Ohms)	Capacitance (pF) ±30%	D	a	b	T	t		
SELF-DRIVEN (with feedback electrode)											
	*7BB-20-6C	6.3±0.6	≤500	8500	20.0±0.2	14.0±0.6	12.8±0.2	0.42±0.1	0.20±0.05	—	
	7BB-27-3C	3.0±0.5	≤300	35000	27.0	19.7	18.2	0.27	0.15	—	
	*7BB-27-4C	4.6±0.5	≤200	18000	27.0±0.2	19.7±0.6	18.2±0.2	0.54±0.1	0.30±0.05	—	
	*7BB-35-3C	2.8±0.5	≤200	24000	35.0±0.2	25.0±0.6	23.0±0.2	0.53±0.1	0.30±0.05	—	
	*7BB-41-2C	2.2±0.3	≤250	24000	41.0±0.2	25.0±0.6	23.0±0.2	0.63±0.1	0.40±0.05	—	
	*7SB-34R7-3C	3.1±0.3	≤150	24000	34.7±0.2	25.0±0.6	23.4±0.2	0.50±0.1	0.25±0.05	—	
	7NB-27-2C	2.2±0.5	≤300	27000	27.0	19.7	18.2	0.22	0.10	—	
	7NB-27-3C	3.0±0.5	≤300	24000	27.0	19.7	18.2	0.32	0.15	—	
	7NB-27-4C	3.8±0.5	≤300	19000	27.0	19.7	18.2	0.42	0.20	—	
	*7BB-20-6CA0	6.3±0.6	≤800	8500	20.0±0.2	14.0±0.6	12.8±0.2	0.42±0.1	0.20±0.05	AWG32 wire	
	*7BB-27-4CA0	4.6±0.5	≤200	18000	27.0±0.2	19.7±0.6	18.2±0.2	0.54±0.1	0.30±0.05		
*7BB-35-3CA0	2.8±0.5	≤200	24000	35.0±0.2	25.0±0.6	23.0±0.2	0.53±0.1	0.30±0.05			
	*7BB-41-2CA0	2.2±0.3	≤350	24000	41.0±0.2	25.0±0.6	23.0±0.2	0.63±0.1	0.40±0.05		
EXTERNAL DRIVE (without feedback electrode)											
	*7BB-12-9	9.0±1.0	≤1000	8000	12.0	9.0	8.0	0.22	0.10	—	
	*7BB-15-6	6.0±1.0	≤350	10000	15.0	10.0	9.0	0.22	0.10	—	
	7BB-20-3	3.6±0.6	≤500	20000	20.0	14.0	12.8	0.22	0.10	—	
	*7BB-20-6	6.3±0.6	≤300	10000	20.0±0.2	14.0±0.6	12.8±0.2	0.42±0.1	0.20±0.05	—	
	7BB-27-3	3.6±0.6	≤600	10000	27.0	14.0	12.8	0.52	0.30	—	
	7BB-27-3R5	3.0±0.6	≤300	26000	27.0	19.7	18.2	0.32	0.15	—	
	*7BB-27-4	4.6±0.5	≤200	20000	27.0±0.2	19.7±0.6	18.2±0.2	0.54±0.1	0.30±0.05	—	
	*7BB-35-3	2.8±0.5	≤200	30000	35.0±0.2	25.0±0.6	23.0±0.2	0.53±0.1	0.30±0.05	—	
	*7BB-41-2	2.2±0.3	≤250	30000	41.0±0.2	25.0±0.6	23.0±0.2	0.63±0.1	0.40±0.05	—	
	7BB-50M-1	1.0±0.3	≤1200	28000	50.0	25.0	23.0	0.44	0.20	—	
	*7SB-20-7	7.2±0.8	≤350	10000	20.0±0.2	14.0±0.6	12.8±0.2	0.42±0.1	0.20±0.05	SUS plate	
	7MB-15-11	11.0±3.0	≤400	5000	15.0	10.0	9.0	0.42	0.20	—	
	7MB-20-7	7.2±1.0	≤350	10000	20.0	14.0	12.8	0.42	0.20	—	
	7MB-27-3	3.4±0.5	≤500	10000	27.0	14.0	12.8	0.42	0.20	—	
	7MB-27-4	4.6±0.6	≤300	18000	27.0	19.7	18.2	0.44	0.20	—	
	*7BB-20-6A0	6.3±0.6	≤550	10000	20.0±0.2	14.0±0.6	12.8±0.2	0.42±0.1	0.20±0.05	AWG32 wire	
	*7BB-27-4A0	4.6±0.5	≤200	20000	27.0±0.2	19.7±0.6	18.2±0.2	0.54±0.1	0.30±0.05		
	*7BB-35-3A0	2.8±0.5	≤200	30000	35.0±0.2	25.0±0.6	23.0±0.2	0.53±0.1	0.30±0.05		
	*7BB-41-2A0	2.2±0.3	≤300	30000	41.0±0.2	25.0±0.6	23.0±0.2	0.64±0.1	0.40±0.05		
		7NB-31R2-19R7DM-1	1.3±0.5	≤500	40000	31.2±0.2	19.7±0.6	18.2±0.2	0.22±0.1	0.10±0.05	Ni-plate electrode
		7NB-35-1	1.16±0.2	≤500	38000	35.0	19.7	18.2	0.27	0.15	—
		7SB-20-7A1	7.2±0.8	≤350	10000	20.0	14.0	12.8	0.42	0.20	—
*1 Insulation resistance 100MΩ min. (at 100VDC) *2 Maximum applied voltage 30Vp-p											

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PART NUMBERING SYSTEM

	7	B	B	—	27	12R5	D	M	—	4	C	A	O	
Piezoelectric ceramic material														Other specifications
Metal plate material—B = Brass, S = Stainless, N = Nickel														With leads
Sound element—B = Bender														With feedback electrode
Metal plate diameter														Appropriate oscillating frequency
Piezoelectric ceramic diameter														Nickel electrode
														Piezoelectric ceramic form— D = Disc

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PIEZO ALARMS

ENVIRONMENTAL TEST DATA

FOR PIEZO ALARMS

Data on various environmental tests for PKB5-3AO (>BB-35-3C + Case + Circuit) are shown in Fig. 89-1 to 90-12.

For additional information, Murata Electronics offers engineering assistance in its Smyrna, Georgia facility.

ENVIRONMENTAL TEST CONDITIONS

Test Name	Condition	Figure
Damp Heat Test (Steady State)	+60°C RH90 to 95% 1000 hrs.	Fig. 1
Cold Test	-20°C 1000 hrs.	Fig. 2
Dry Heat Test	+70°C 1000 hrs.	Fig. 3
Vibration Test	10 to 500 to 10Hz 15min. sweep 3 directions for 2 hours each	Fig. 4
Mechanical Shock Test	100G half sin. 3 directions for 3 times each	Fig. 5
Salt Mist Test	+35°C 5% 96 hrs.	Fig. 6
Temperature Change Test	-20°C 30 min. to +25°C 15 min. to +70°C 30 min., 5 cycles	Fig. 7
Damp Heat (Cyclic) Test	+25°C RH 60% to +65°C. RH 90%, 10 cycles	Fig. 8
Damp Heat (Steady State) Test	+40°C RH 90 to 95% DC 9V	Fig. 9
Dry Heat Test	+70°C DC 9V	Fig. 10
Intermittent Sound Test	+25°C 1.5 sec. ON — 1.5 sec. OFF DC 9V, 30,000 times	Fig. 11
Operating Temperature Range	-20°C to 60°C	Fig. 12

Fig. 89-1
Damp Heat (Steady State) Test

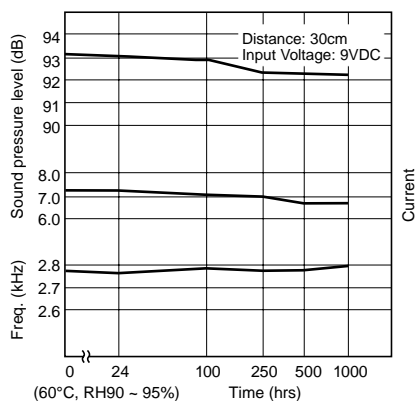


Fig. 89-2
Cold Test

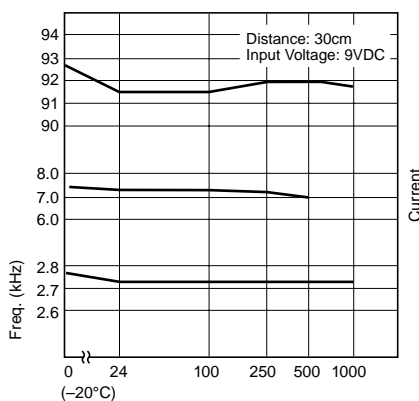


Fig. 89-3
Dry Heat Test

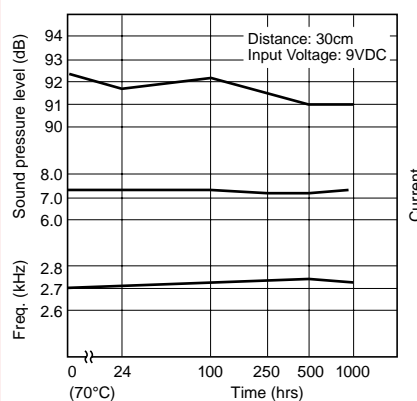


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Vibration Test

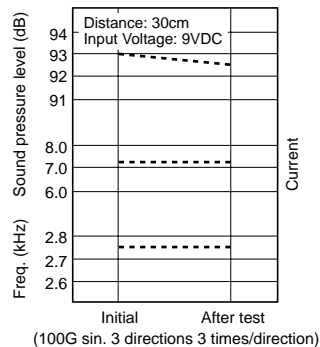


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Mechanical Shock Test

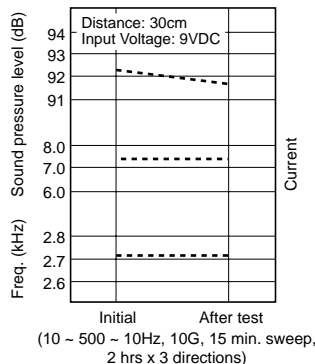


Fig. 89-6
Salt Mist Test

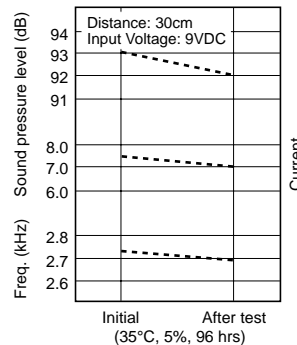


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Temperature Change Test

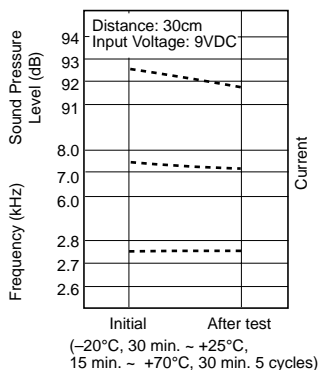


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Damp Heat (Cyclic) Test

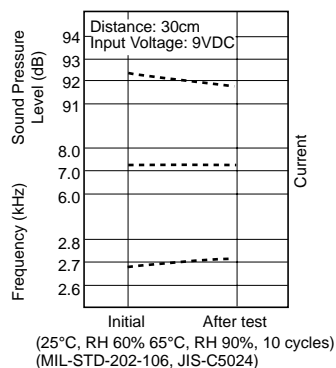


Fig. 90-9
Damp Heat (Steady State) Test

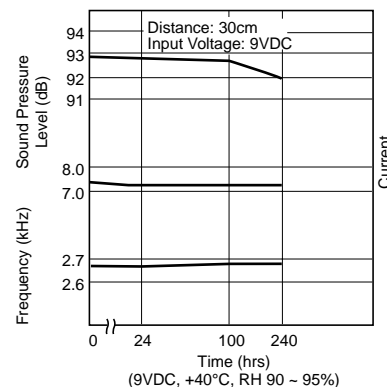


Fig. 90-10
Dry Heat Test

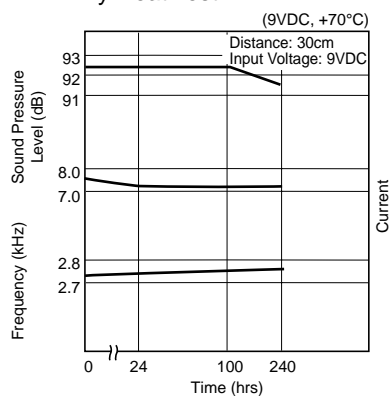


Fig. 90-11
Intermittent Sound Test

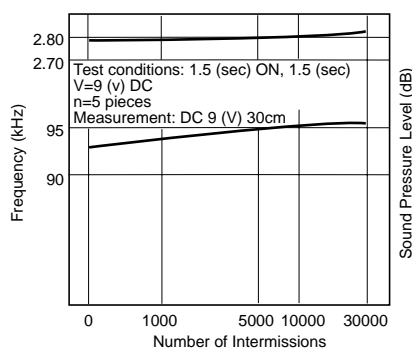


Fig. 90-12
Ambient Temperature

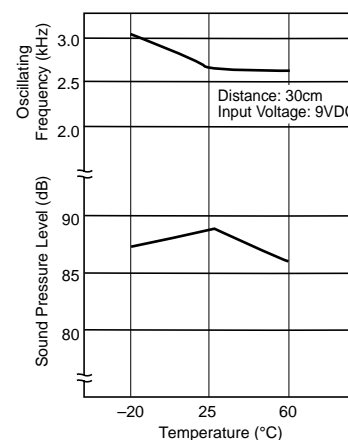


Fig. 90-13
Relationship of Distance and Sound Pressure

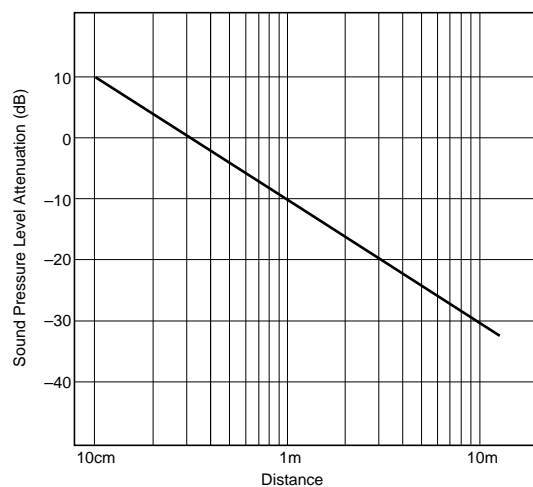


Fig. 90-14
Typical Human Auditory Response

