

## Overview

FMD Series Supercapacitors, also known as Electric Double-Layer Capacitors (EDLCs), are intended for power back up in the automotive applications.

Enhancements to the design and selected material upgrades were introduced to deliver 1,000 hours at 85°C/85% RH rated voltage and Automotive Testing Protocol with extended maximum operational temperature life up to 85°C. These capacitors are manufactured in an ISO TS 16949 certified plant and are subjected to PPAP/PSW, as well as change control.

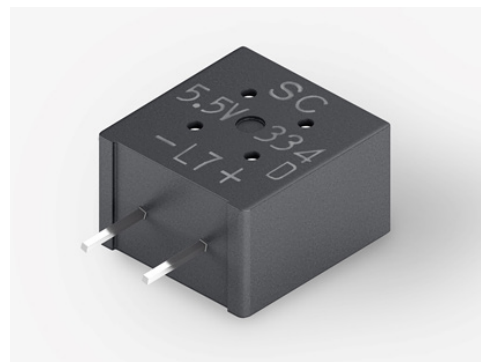
## Applications

Supercapacitors have characteristics ranging from traditional capacitors and batteries. As a result, supercapacitors can be used like a secondary battery when applied in a DC circuit. These devices are best suited for use in low voltage DC hold-up applications such as embedded microprocessor systems with flash memory.

FMD type Automotive grade Supercapacitor can be stable under harsh environmental conditions such as high humidity and high temperature.

## Benefits

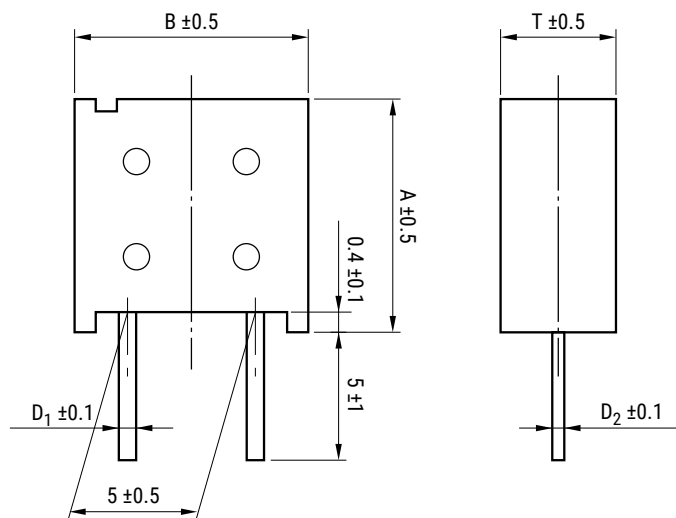
- AEC-Q200 rev E compliant
- TS 16949 certified plant
- Subject to PPAP/PSW and change control
- Wide range of temperature from -40°C to +85°C
- Maintenance free
- Maximum operating voltage of 5.5 VDC
- Highly reliable against liquid leakage
- Lead-free and RoHS compliant



## Part Number System

FMD	0H	334	Z	F	TP	18
Series	Maximum Operating Voltage	Capacitance Code	Capacitance Tolerance	Environmental	Tape Type	Height (excluding lead)
FMD	0H = 5.5 VDC	First two digits represent significant figures. Third digit specifies number of zeros to follow $\mu$ F code.	Z = -20/+80%	F = Lead-free	TP = Ammo Blank = Bulk	18 = 18 mm Blank = Bulk

## Dimensions – Millimeters



Part Number	A	B	T	D <sub>1</sub>	D <sub>2</sub>
FMD0H334ZF	15	14	9	0.6	0.6

## Environmental Compliance

All KEMET supercapacitors are RoHS compliant.



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

Part Number	Maximum Operating Voltage (VDC)	Nominal Capacitance		Maximum ESR at 1 kHz ( $\Omega$ )	Maximum Current at 30 Minutes (mA)	Voltage Holding Characteristic Minimum (V)	Reference Weight (g)
		Charge System (F)	Discharge System (F)				
FMD0H334ZF	5.5	-	0.33	25	0.50	4.2	3.8

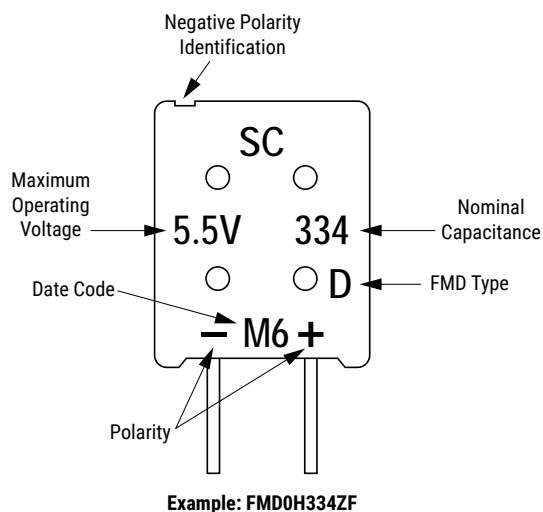
## Specifications

Item			Specifications	Test Conditions	
Category temperature range			-40°C to +85°C		
MAX operating voltage			Refer to standard ratings		
Capacitance			Refer to standard ratings	Refer to "Measurement Conditions"	
Capacitance allowance			+80%, -20%	Refer to "Measurement Conditions"	
ESR			Refer to standard ratings	Measured at 1 kHz, 10 mA, See also "Measurement Conditions"	
Current (30 minute value)			Refer to standard ratings	Refer to "Measurement Conditions"	
Self discharge characteristics (voltage holding characteristics)			Voltage between terminal leads higher than 4.2 V	Charging	Voltage applied: 5.0 VDC Series resistance: 0 Ω Let stand for 24 hours
				Storage	Let stand for 24 hours in described below with terminals opened Ambient temperature: Lower than 25°C Relative humidity: Lower than 70°C
High Temperature Exposure (Storage)	MIL-STD-202 Method 108	Capacitance	Within ±30% of initial measured value	Temperature: 85 ±2°C	
		ESR	Less than 200% of initial limit	Testing time: 1,000 <sup>+48</sup> <sub>-0</sub> hours	
		Current	Less than 200% of initial limit		
Temperature Cycling	JESD22 Method JA-104	Capacitance	Within ±30% of initial measured value	Temperature condition: Lower -40°C » Upper +85°C	
		ESR	Less than 200% of initial limit	Dwell Time: 30 minutes	
		Current	Less than 200% of initial limit	Transition time: Maximum 1 minute	
Biased humidity	MIL-STD-202 Method 103	Capacitance	Within ±30% of initial measured value	Temperature: 85±2°C	
		ESR	Less than 200% of initial limit	Relative humidity: 80 to 85%RH	
		Current	Less than 200% of initial limit	Voltage applied: MAX operating voltage	
Operational life	MIL-STD-202 Method 108	Capacitance	Within ±30% of initial measured value	Series protection resistance: 0 Ω	
		ESR	Less than 200% of initial limit	Testing time: 1,000 <sup>+48</sup> <sub>-0</sub> hours	
		Current	Less than 200% of initial limit		
Lead strength (Tensile)	MIL-STD-202 Method 211		No terminal damage	Test lead device lead integrity only.	
Mechanical shock	MIL-STD-202 Method 213	Capacitance	Satisfy initial limit	Figure 1 of Method 213 Condition C	
		ESR			
		Current			
Solderability	J-STD-002			Conforms to Method A1 (Through Hole Technology)	
				Solder temp: 245±5°C	
Vibration	MIL-STD-202 Method 204	Capacitance	Satisfy initial limit	Dipping time: 5 +0/-0.5 second	
		ESR		1.6mm from the bottom should be dipped.	
		Current			

## Specifications cont.

Item			Specifications		Test Conditions
Resistance to Soldering Heat	MIL-STD- 202 Method 210	Capacitance	Satisfy initial limit		Solder temp: 260±10°C Dipping time: 3 seconds 2.0 mm from the bottom should be dipped. Condition B no pre-heat of samples. Note: Single Wave Solder. Procedure 1 with solder within 1.5 mm of device body for Leaded.
		ESR			
		Current			
Temperature Stability	IEC-62391-1	Capacitance	Phase2	More than 50% of initial measured	Phase1: +25±2°C Phase2: -25±2°C Phase3: -40±2°C Phase4: +25±2°C Phase5: +85±2°C Phase6: +25±2°C
		ESR		Less than 400% of initial measured	
		Capacitance	Phase3	More than 30% of initial measured	
		ESR		Less than 700% of initial measured	
		Capacitance	Phase5	Less than 200% of initial measured	
		ESR		Satisfy initial specified value	
		Current		1.5 CV (mA) or below	
		Capacitance	Phase6	Within ±20% of initial measured value	
		ESR		Satisfy initial specified value	
		Current		Satisfy initial specified value	

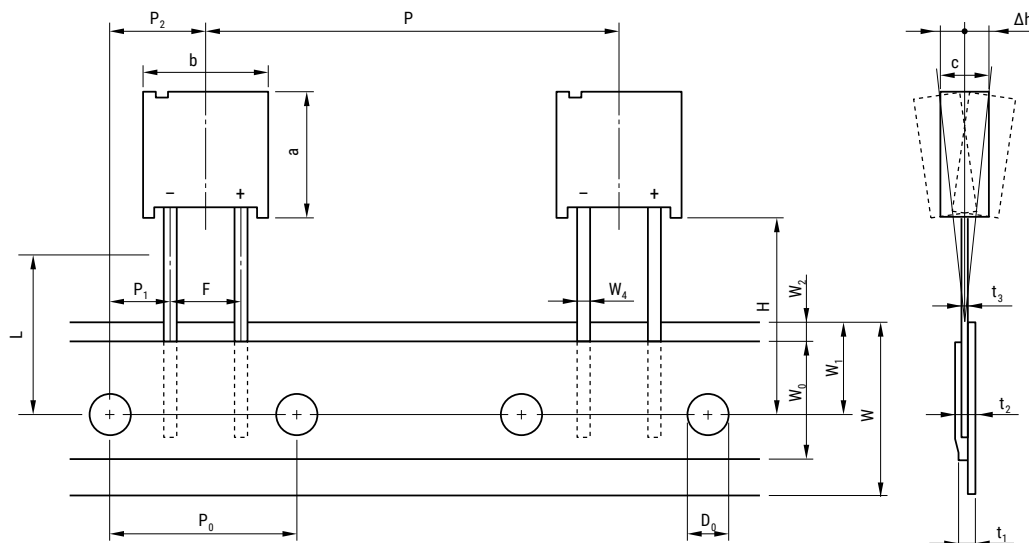
## Marking



## Packaging Quantities

Part Number	Bulk Quantity per Box Straight Lead	Ammo Pack Quantity
FMD0H334ZF	400 pieces	400 pieces

## Ammo Pack Taping Format



## Ammo Pack Taping Specifications

Item	Symbol	Dimensions (mm)
Component Height	a	15.0±0.5
Component Width	b	14.0±0.5
Component Thickness	c	9.0±0.5
Lead-Wire Width	W <sub>4</sub>	0.6±0.1
Lead-Wire Thickness	t <sub>3</sub>	0.6±0.1
Component Pitch	P	25.4±1.0
Sprocket Hole Pitch	P <sub>0</sub>	12.7±0.3
Sprocket Hole Center to Lead Center	P <sub>1</sub>	3.85±0.7
Sprocket Hole Center to Component Center	P <sub>2</sub>	6.35±0.7
Lead Spacing	F	5.0±0.5
Component Alignment (side/side)	Δh	2.0 Maximum
Carrier Tape Width	W	18.0+1.0/-0.5
Hold-Down Tape Width	W <sub>0</sub>	12.5 Minimum
Sprocket Hole Position	W <sub>1</sub>	9.0±0.5
Hold-Down Tape Position	W <sub>2</sub>	3.0 Maximum
Height to Seating Plane (lead length)	H	16.0±0.5/18.0±0.5
Sprocket Hole Diameter	D <sub>0</sub>	ø 4.0±0.2
Carrier Tape Thickness	t <sub>1</sub>	0.67±0.2
Total Thickness (Carrier Tape, Hold-Down Tape and Lead)	t <sub>2</sub>	1.7 Maximum
Cut Out Length	L	11.0 Maximum

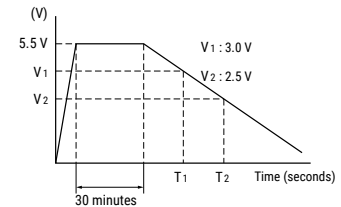
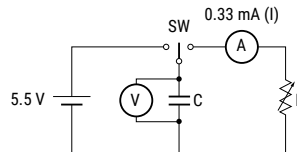
## Measurement Conditions

### Capacitance (Discharge System)

As shown in the diagram below, charging is performed for a duration of 30 minutes once the voltage of the capacitor terminal reaches 5.5 V. Then, use a constant current load device and measure the time for the terminal voltage to drop from 3.0 to 2.5 V upon discharge at 0.33 mA per 0.33 F, for example, and calculate the static capacitance according to the equation shown below.

*Note: The current value is 1 mA discharged per 1 F.*

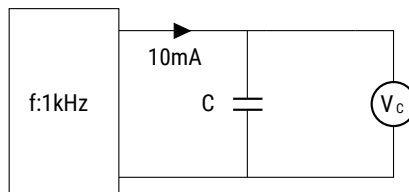
$$C = \frac{I \times (T_2 - T_1)}{V_1 - V_2} \text{ (F)}$$



### Equivalent Series Resistance (ESR)

ESR shall be calculated from the equation below.

$$ESR = \frac{V_C}{0.01} \text{ (}\Omega\text{)}$$



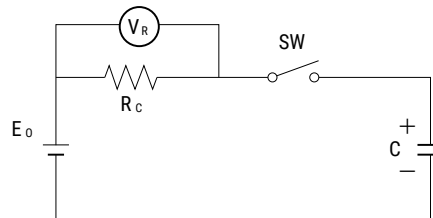
### Current (at 30 minutes after charging)

Current shall be calculated from the equation below. Prior to measurement, both lead terminals must be short-circuited for a minimum of 30 minutes. The lead terminal connected to the metal can case is connected to the negative side of the power supply.

$E_0$ : 5.0 VDC

$R_C$ : 100  $\Omega$

$$\text{Current} = \frac{V_R}{R_C} \text{ (A)}$$



### Self-Discharge Characteristic

The self-discharge characteristic is measured by charging a voltage of 5.0 VDC (charge protection resistance: 0  $\Omega$ ) according to the capacitor polarity for 24 hours, then releasing between the pins for 24 hours and measuring the pin-to-pin voltage. The test should be carried out in an environment with an ambient temperature of 25° C or below and relative humidity of 70% RH or below. The soldering is checked.

### Dismantling

There is a small amount of electrolyte stored within the capacitor. Do not attempt to dismantle as direct skin contact with the electrolyte will cause burning. This product should be treated as industrial waste and not be disposed of by fire.

## Notes on Using Supercapacitors or Electric Double-Layer Capacitors (EDLCs)

### 1. Circuitry Design

#### 1.1 Useful life

Supercapacitor (EDLC) uses an electrolyte in a sealed container. Water in the electrolyte can evaporate while in use over long periods of time at high temperatures, thus reducing electrostatic capacity which in turn will create greater internal resistance. The characteristics of the supercapacitor can vary greatly depending on the environment in which it is used. Basic breakdown mode is an open mode due to increased internal resistance.

#### 1.2 Fail rate in the field

Based on field data, the fail rate is calculated at approximately 0.006 Fit. We estimate that unreported failures are ten times this amount. Therefore, we assume that the fail rate is below 0.06 Fit.

#### 1.3 Exceeding maximum usable voltage

Performance may be compromised and in some cases leakage or damage may occur if applied voltage exceeds maximum working voltage.

#### 1.4 Use of capacitor as a smoothing capacitor (ripple absorption)

As supercapacitors contain a high level of internal resistance, they are not recommended for use as smoothing capacitors in electrical circuits. Performance may be compromised and, in some cases, leakage or damage may occur if a supercapacitor is used in ripple absorption.

#### 1.5 Series connections

As applied voltage balance to each supercapacitor is lost when used in series connection, excess voltage may be applied to some supercapacitors, which will not only negatively affect its performance but may also cause leakage and/or damage. Allow ample margin for maximum voltage or attach a circuit for applying equal voltage to each supercapacitor (partial pressure resistor/voltage divider) when using supercapacitors in series connection. Also, arrange supercapacitors so that the temperature between each capacitor will not vary.

#### 1.6 Case Polarity

The supercapacitor is manufactured so that the terminal on the outer case is negative (-). Align the (-) symbol during use. Even though discharging has been carried out prior to shipping, any residual electrical charge may negatively affect other parts.

#### 1.7 Use next to heat emitters

Useful life of the supercapacitor will be significantly affected if used near heat emitting items (coils, power transistors and posistors, etc.) where the supercapacitor itself may become heated.

#### 1.8 Usage environment

This device cannot be used in any acidic, alkaline or similar type of environment.

## Notes on Using Supercapacitors or Electric Double-Layer Capacitors (EDLCs) cont.

### 2. Mounting

#### 2.1 Mounting onto a reflow furnace

Except for the FC series, it is not possible to mount this capacitor onto an IR / VPS reflow furnace. Do not immerse the capacitor into a soldering dip tank.

#### 2.2 Flow soldering conditions

Keep solder under 260°C and soldering time to within 10 seconds when using the flow automatic soldering method.  
(Except for the FC and HV series)

#### 2.3 Installation using a soldering iron

Care must be taken to prevent the soldering iron from touching other parts when soldering. Keep the tip of the soldering iron under 400°C and soldering time to within 3 seconds. Always make sure that the temperature of the tip is controlled. Internal capacitor resistance is likely to increase if the terminals are overheated.

#### 2.4 Lead terminal processing

Do not attempt to bend or polish the capacitor terminals with sand paper, etc. Soldering may not be possible if the metallic plating is removed from the top of the terminals.

#### 2.5 Cleaning, Coating, and Potting

Except for the FM series, cleaning, coating and potting must not be carried out. Consult KEMET if this type of procedure is necessary. Terminals should be dried at less than the maximum operating temperature after cleaning.  
AEC-Q200 compliance FMD type is applicable to MIL-STD-202 option 4.

### 3. Storage

#### 3.1 Temperature and humidity

Make sure that the supercapacitor is stored according to the following conditions: Temperature: 5 – 35°C (Standard 25°C), Humidity: 20 – 70% (Standard: 50%). Do not allow the build up of condensation through sudden temperature change.

#### 3.2 Environment conditions

Make sure there are no corrosive gasses such as sulfur dioxide, as penetration of the lead terminals is possible. Always store this item in an area with low dust and dirt levels. Make sure that the packaging will not be deformed through heavy loading, movement and/or knocks. Keep out of direct sunlight and away from radiation, static electricity and magnetic fields.

#### 3.3 Maximum storage period

This item may be stored up to one year from the date of delivery if stored at the conditions stated above.

This product should be safe to use even after being stored for over a 1 year period. However, depending on the storage conditions, we recommend that the soldering is checked.

### Dismantling

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