AD Series Breaker (Thermal Cutoff Device)

**Features**
- Miniature Thermal Cutoff (TCO) device
- Small body size
- Overtemperature and overcurrent protection
- Controls abnormal, excessive current virtually instantaneously, up to rated limits
- Wide range of temperature options
- High corrosion resistance
- AEC-Q200 compliant***
- Automotive grade

**Ratings**

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<td>Trip Temperature(^1)</td>
<td>+55 to +150 °C ± 5 °C</td>
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<td>Reset Temperature(^2)</td>
<td>20 °C or 40 °C min.</td>
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<td>Contact Rating</td>
<td>DC14 V / 8 A, 10,000 cycles</td>
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<td>Breaking Current</td>
<td>DC14 V / 35 A, 100 cycles</td>
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<td>Max. Voltage</td>
<td>DC28 V / 8 A, 100 cycles</td>
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<td>Min. Holding Voltage</td>
<td>8 V @ 25 °C for 1 minute</td>
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<td>Max. Leak Current</td>
<td>300 mA max. @ 25 °C</td>
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<td>Resistance</td>
<td>4 milliohms max.</td>
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The setting of the trip temperature and the reset temperature can be adjusted upon request. Note 1: See Temperature Options Chart

**Additional Information**

Click these links for more information:

- **PRODUCT LIBRARY**
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- **INVENTORY**
- **SAMPLES**
- **CONTACT**

**How to Order**

Series Designator: AD 90 A B B

Function:
- A = Self-hold
- W = No Self-hold

Reset Temperature:
- B = 20 °C or 40 °C min. (See Temperature Options Chart)

Special Specification Code:
- Resin Type, Mfg. Internal Code, Design Mark, etc.

**Circuit Diagram**

- **A-type**
  - NORMAL CIRCUIT
  - CIRCUIT AFTER OPENING

- **W-type**
  - NORMAL CIRCUIT
  - CIRCUIT AFTER OPENING

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**WARNING Cancer and Reproductive Harm**

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\**Bourns considers a product to be “halogen free” if (a) the Bromine (Br) content is 900 ppm or less; (b) the Chlorine (Cl) content is 900 ppm or less; and (c) the total Bromine (Br) and Chlorine (Cl) content is 1500 ppm or less.
\***Meets Bourns internal AEC-Q200 equivalent test plan.

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Product Dimensions

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<td>3.75 (1.48)</td>
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<td>6.95 (2.74)</td>
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General Tolerance: ±0.1 (±0.004)

Application Temperature Range
-40 to 125 °C

Typical Performance

Current vs. Temperature Curve

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<th>Ambient Temperature (°C)</th>
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The above curves were derived from placing non-PCB mounted test samples in an oven at 25 °C, 40 °C, 60 °C, and 70 °C, increasing current flow through the sample at a rate of 0.1 A/minute and recording the current value when the sample trips. The current carrying performance is influenced by the PCB design due to copper resistance; users should verify actual device performance in their specific applications.

Temperature Options Chart

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Storage Conditions

1) The breaker must be stored in the standard packaging with the following conditions: ambient temperature of -10 to +40 °C, RH <75 % with no radical temperature change, direct sunshine, excessive vibration or shock.

2) Avoid storage locations where there is a possibility of generating corrosive gas such as from salt breeze, chlorine, hydrogen sulfide, ammonium, sulfide-oxidation, hydrogen chloride, acetate, etc.

3) Storage period should be no longer than 24 months from date of shipment.

Caution when Using Breaker

Before using the breaker, please fully read the DESIGN AND HANDLING CAUTIONS stated below to avoid breaker performance deterioration and/or damage to the breaker body or terminal.

DESIGN AND HANDLING CAUTIONS

1. Use within the electrical ratings specified in this data sheet. If used over the rating of voltage or current, ON-OFF life might be impacted and contact may deteriorate due to breaker arm damage.

2. If used over the maximum electrical rating specified in this data sheet, the circuit may not open safely or operate properly. Please test your device for any abnormalities and confirm that the breaker will open the circuit safely in your device. Any use over the maximum electrical rating is at the sole risk of the user.

3. Mount the breaker on your device where heat is the highest in order to transfer it effectively to the breaker.

4. If the breaker is affixed with an adhesive (resin, etc.), before proceeding, fully test, evaluate and verify that the adhesive presents no negative effects on the breaker before proceeding.

5. After the breaker is mounted, affix it so that the breaker body and terminals will not move. If not affixed properly, breaker resistance could increase or contact could open due to stress during handling or vibration/shock during transportation.

6. Mount the breaker body and terminals in a straight and flat direction. If the body and terminals are mounted in a twisted condition, breaker resistance could increase or create body damage.

7. If breaker is to be resin-molded, test and evaluate the application to determine whether the breaker can be used effectively.

8. The breaker cannot be used as a repetitive ON-OFF thermostat.

9. The breaker is not washable. Do not wash.

10. Do not let a solder iron touch the breaker body.

11. Do not attach solder to the breaker body.

12. When mounting and after mounting the breaker, do not apply supersonic vibration. Vibration and heat may cause breaker resistance to increase or may cause body damage. If you plan to apply supersonic vibration after mounting the breaker, you will need to evaluate whether the breaker is suitable for your specific application. The breaker is not designed or warranted to withstand supersonic vibration.

13. Do not use the breaker in the following environments:
   a) Water, oil, chemical or organic solutions
   b) Direct sunlight, outdoor exposure, dust
   c) Dew condensation, where the breaker could get wet
   d) Salt breeze, chlorine, hydrogen sulfide, ammonium, sulfide-oxidation, hydrogen chloride, acetate and anywhere there is a possibility of generating corrosive gas such as sulfuric acid gas
   e) Strong static electric charge or electromagnetic wave

14. The breaker is not designed or tested for, and should not be used in, aerospace, airplane, nuclear, military, life-saving, life-critical or life-sustaining medical and other related applications where failure or malfunction may result in personal injury, death or severe property or environmental damage.

15. As part of our commitment to making devices of the highest quality, Bourns tests the trip temperature of every device before shipping. Higher trip temperature models will have a darker appearance of the copper-based terminals than lower trip models as a result of this process.

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Caution when using Breaker (Continued)

HANDLING CAUTIONS

1. Since the breaker body is composed of plastic parts, do not clamp or dent with tools as this could cause a resistance increase or body damage.

2. Breaker terminals are thin copper alloy with right angle edges. Handle carefully to avoid injury to fingers. Handling while wearing finger cots and using tweezers is recommended.

3. When mounting the breaker on a cell or PCM board, be careful to avoid placing excessive stress on the breaker body and terminals. Excessive stress may cause a resistance increase or body damage. Please refer to the following cautions:
   a) Do not apply more than 10 N moment to the breaker body (refer to Figure 1).
   b) Do not apply more than 1.5 cN-m twist torque to the breaker body (refer to Figure 2).
   c) Do not apply more than 20 N bending force to the breaker body (refer to Figure 3).
   d) Do not apply more than 0.5 cN-m twist torque to the breaker terminals (refer to Figure 4).
   e) Do not apply more than 2 N force to the breaker terminals (refer to Figure 5).
   f) Do not bend terminals more than 45 ° at root (refer to Figure 6).
   g) Do not twist terminals more than 20 ° with the breaker body affixed.

Figure 1  Figure 2  Figure 3

Figure 4  Figure 5  Figure 6

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