

DATA SHEET

Extreme High Temperature Piezoelectric Accelerometer (EHTPE)

Model 6243M3/6243M4



Meggitt Model 6243M3 and 6243M4 piezoelectric accelerometers are designed specifically for use in extremely high temperature environments such as aircraft and ground-based gas turbines. These accelerometers are designed for continuous operation at +1200°F (+650°C) and intermittent operation up to +1400°F (+760°C). The small size and light weight of these accelerometers facilitate installation in cramped locations with minimal structural support.

6243M3 and 6243M4 incorporate Meggitt's MC2 shear mode crystal. The 6243M3 has its sensitive axis located in line with the mounting screw. The 6243M4 has its sensitive axis located perpendicular to the mounting screw. The models 6243M3 and 6243M4 provide a balanced differential output which is isolated from case ground. The accelerometer features an integral hardline cable of customer specified length, in which the standard length is 120 inches. The 2-conductor Inconel jacketed mineral insulated cable terminates with a 7/16-27, 2 pin receptacle designed to operate up to +900°F (+482°C).

Model number definition: 6243MX-ZZZ 6243MX = basic model number ZZZ = cable length in inches

02 Key features and benefits

- +1200°F (+650°C) operation
- Integral hardline cable
- Hermetically sealed
- No pyroelectric or thermal velocity spiking
- Single bolt mount
- Balanced differential output
- RoHS compliant

03 Applications

- Aircraft and gas turbine engine monitoring
- Test cell vibration measurements
- Nuclear applications

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05 Specifications

The following performance specifications are typical values, referenced at +75°F (+24°C) unless otherwise noted.		
Dynamic characteristics	Units	6243MX
Charge sensitivity		
Typical	pC/g	5.5
Tolerance	pC/g	±0.5
Frequency response	p0/g	_0.0
Resonance frequency		
		11
Typical	kHz	11
	kHz	9
Typical amplitude response [1][2]		1 4 0000
±5%	Hz	1 to 2000
±10%	Hz	1 to 3000
±3dB	Hz	1 to 6000
Temperature response	~	See typical curve
+1200°F (650°C) max/min	%	±15
Transverse sensitivity	%	≤5
Amplitude linearity per 500g, 0 to 2000 g	%	1
Electrical characteristics		
Output polarity	Acceleration in dire	ection of arrow marked on unit produces positive output
Resistance		
Pin to pin at 1200°F [3]	kΩ	≥10
Isolation, pin to case, at 1200°F	kΩ	≥500
Hardline cable, two places at 1200°F (650°C)	kΩ-ft	100
Capacitance	K32 11	100
	рF	50
Transducer, excluding hardline cable	1	
Hardline cable, center conductor to inner shield	pF/ft (pF/m)	50 (164)
Unbalance	max %	5
Dielectric strength	V	500
Grounding		Signal return isolated from case
Environmental characteristics		
Temperature range	°F (°C)	-65 to +1200 (-55 to +650)
Transducer/hardline cable, continuous [4]		-05 10 + 1200 (-55 10 + 650)
Transducer/hardline cable, intermittent [5]	°F (°C)	-65 to +1400 (-55 to +760)
Connector	°F (°C)	-65 to +900 (-55 to +482)
Humidity		Hermetically sealed
Sinusoidal vibration limit	g	500
Shock limit	g	2000
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Physical characteristics		See outline detail
Dimensions	oz (gm)	
Weight		1.1 (30) + 0.025 (0.7) per inch of cable
Case material		Inconel
Hardline cable [4]	2 conductor, 0.09	95 inch diameter, Inconel jacketed, mineral oxide insulated
Cable minimum bend radius	Inches	0.25
Connector		7/16-27 two-pin connector
Mounting torque	lbf-in (Nm)	18 (2)
Calibrations Supplied		
Charge sensitivity	pC/g	
Frequency response	% %	50 Hz to 2000 Hz
Transverse sensitivity	%	
	pF	
Accessories:		

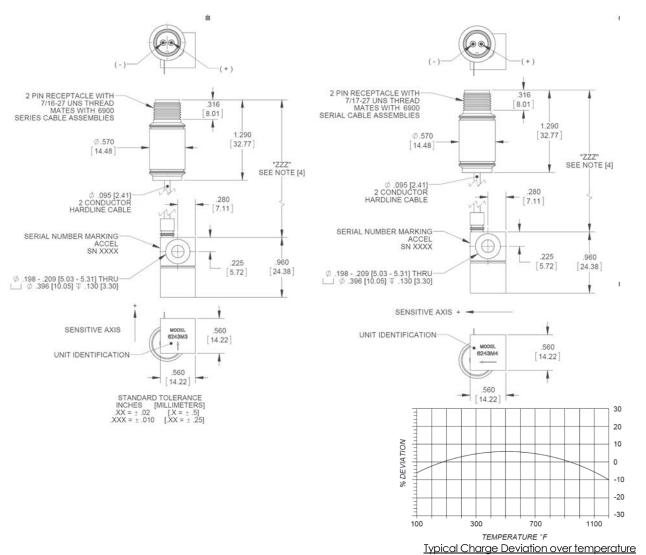
SUPPLIED: EH471 MOUNTING SCREW, 10-32 X.75 in, 12 PT OPTIONAL: Model 2001-ZZZ Cable assembly (radiation resistant), +392°F (200°C) /Model 6918M30-ZZZ [+900°F (+482°C) Hardline] OPTIONAL: Model IPC707 Differential remote charge converter OPTIONAL: Thermal Isolator Pad 47091, EH875 Mounting Screw (reduces temp 200°F (93°C) for approximately 30 minutes]



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06 Outline details



Notes:

- 1. Frequency response is controlled by the resonance characteristics of the transducer. Estimated calibration errors are ±1.5% to 900 Hz and 2.5% from 900 Hz to 5000 Hz.
- 2. Low-end response of the transducer is a function of its associated electronics.
- 3. The electrical resistance of piezoelectric materials decreases with an increase in temperature and can approach 10 0000 at +1200°F (+650°C).
- 4. For cable lengths of less than 12 inches (0.30 m), the maximum operating temperature is +900°F (+482°C).
- 5. Intermittent temperature is defined as 5 minutes over a 30 minute period.



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