TEMPERATURE SENSORS

NTC & PTC THERMISTORS







PLASTIC SHEATHED NTC SENSOR

STAINLESS STEEL SHEATHED NTC

IP65 STAINLESS STEEL SHEATHED NTC

Thermistors are low-cost temperature sensors based on the principle that electrical resistance changes with a change in temperature. These devices are based on a semiconductor material whose resistance shows a large change with a comparatively small temperature change.

Thermistors either have a negative temperature coefficient (NTC - resistance decreases with increased temperature) or a positive temperature coefficient (PTC - resistance increases with increased temperature).

NTC thermistors have an effective operating range of -50 to +110°C, whilst PTC thermistors will operate from -50 to +150°C

Our standard NTC probes are based on a 10K \pm 1% @ 25°C sensor - i.e the resistance at 25°C is 10K , and our PTC probes use a 1K \pm 1% @ 25°C sensor. Other, non-standard sensors are also available for special applications.

STANDARD THERMISTOR RESISTANCE CHARACTERISTICS

Temperature	NTC sensor Resistance K		PTC sensor Resistance	
°C	Min	Max	Min	Max
-50 -40 -30 -20 -10 0 10 20 25 30 40 50 60 70 80 90 100 110 120 130 140 150	314.70 181.10 107.50 65.80 41.43 26.74 17.67 11.95 9.90 8.21 5.73 4.08 2.95 2.17 1.62 1.22 0.94 0.72	344.40 195.90 115.10 69.74 43.50 27.83 18.24 12.23 10.10 8.41 5.92 4.24 3.09 2.28 1.71 1.30 1.00 0.78	500.9 545.1 597.4 656.9 720.4 788.1 859.8 935.8 975.0 1012.9 1091.4 1173.5 1259.2 1348.5 1441.4 1537.9 1638.0 1741.0 1847.4 1957.4 2046.1 2146.0	536.2 579.4 630.6 688.7 750.4 815.7 884.7 957.1 995.0 1035.2 1118.5 1205.8 1297.1 1392.2 1491.3 1594.4 1701.4 1813.0 1928.8 2048.6 2146.4 2256.1

NTC and PTC probes are normally supplied with plastic or stainless steel sheaths and Tefzel cable, rated for use between -75 and +155°C. These probes can be supplied with other cable types or with special fittings and terminations. Please contact our sales office for further details.