

# 18256-RL

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**AUTOMOTIVE RELAY  
WITH ISO TERMINAL  
ARRANGEMENT**

**CB RELAYS**



## FEATURES

**1. This relay has an ISO (International Organization for Standardization) terminal arrangement.**

Terminals are all solder plated.

\*35 A type: Terminal is the plug-in type (no plating).

**2. Relay is compact and high capacity (40 A).**

Compact form factor realized with space saving 22 × 26 mm .866 × 1.024 inch small base area thanks to integrated bobbin and base construction. Features high switching capacity of 40 A

**3. Features high thermal resistance of 125°C 257°F (heat resistant type).**

Heat resistant type is available that can withstand use near engines. (40 A switching capacity)

**4. Sealed type available for resisting adverse environments.**

**5. Surge absorbing built-in diode type that works when the relay coil is off and an internal resistor type are available. (Please inquire.)**

**6. Protective element type is also available.**

**7. For only plug-in types, types with nominal switching capacities of 35 A (12 V) and 15 A (24 V) are available.**

## TYPICAL APPLICATIONS

**1. Automobiles**

Headlights, Cell motors, Air conditioners, ABS, EPS, etc.

**2. Construction equipment**

**3. Agricultural equipment, Conveyor, etc.**

RoHS Directive compatibility information  
<http://www.mew.co.jp/ac/e/environment/>

## ORDERING INFORMATION

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Contact arrangement

1a: 1 Form A

1: 1 Form C

Contact rating

Nil: Standard type

H: High contact capacity type

V: 35 A type

Protective construction

Nil: Sealed type

F: Flux-resistant type

Heat resistant of types

Nil: Standard type

T: Heat resistant type

Protective element

Nil: None

D: with diode inside

R: with resistor inside

Mounting classification

Nil: Plug-in type

P: PC board type

M: Bracket type

Coil voltage (DC)

12V, 24 V

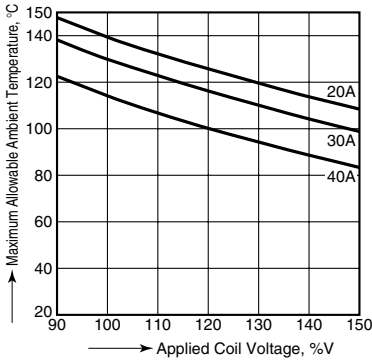




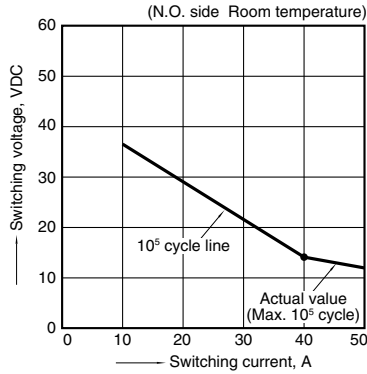
REFERENCE DATA

CB RELAYS (Standard type)

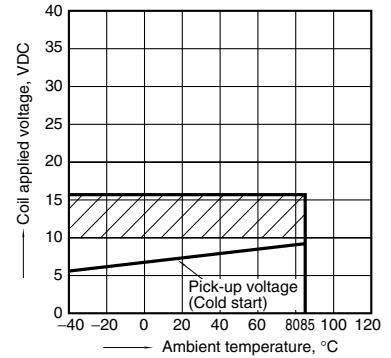
1. Allowable ambient temperature



2. Max. switching capability (Resistive load) (Standard type)



3. Ambient temperature and operating voltage range (Standard type)

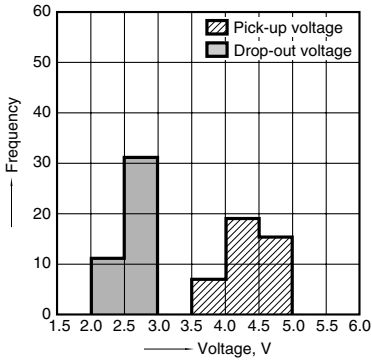


Assumption:

- Maximum mean coil temperature: 180°C
- Curves are based on 1.4W (Nominal power consumption of the unsuppressed coil at nominal voltage)

4. Distribution of pick-up and drop-out voltage

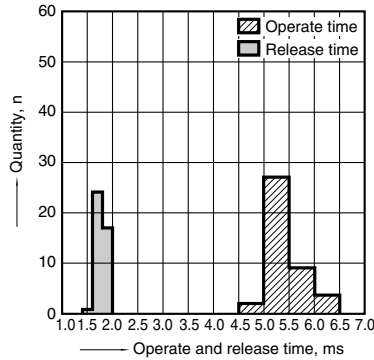
Sample: CB1-P-12V, 42pcs.



5. Distribution of operate and release time

Sample: CB1-P-24V, 42pcs.

\* Without diode



6-(1). Electrical life test (Motor free)

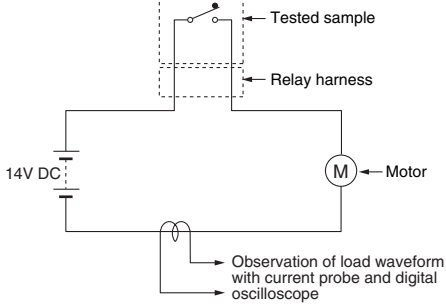
Sample: CB1F-12V, 5pcs.

Load: 25A 14V DC, motor free actual load

Switching frequency: (ON:OFF = 1s:9s)

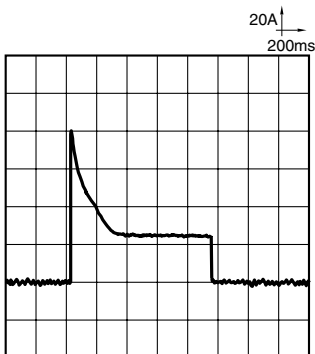
Ambient temperature: Room temperature

Circuit

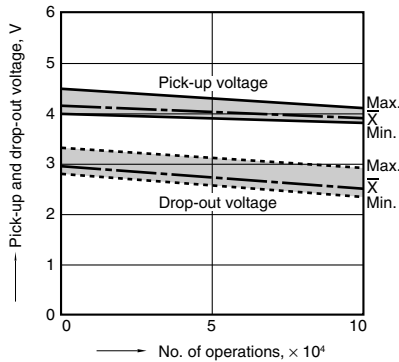


Load current waveform

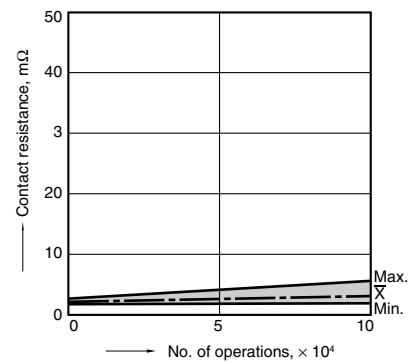
Inrush current: 80A, Steady current: 25A



Change of pick-up and drop-out voltage

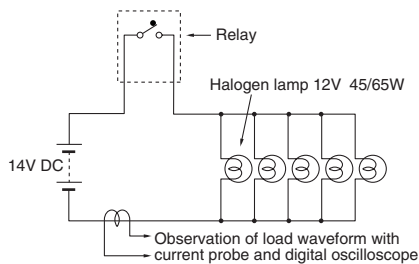


Change of contact resistance

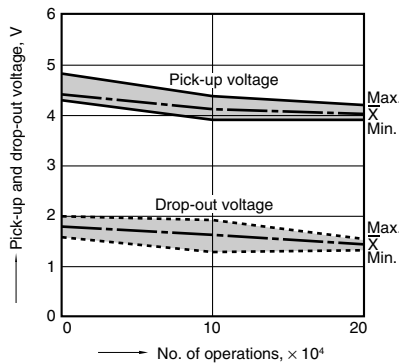


6-(2). Electrical life test (Lamp load)

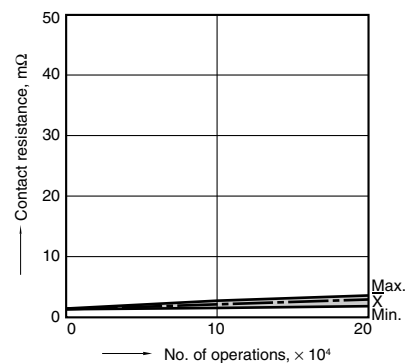
Sample: CB1F-12V, 5pcs.  
 Load: 45/65Wx5 parallel, 14V DC, halogen lamp actual load  
 Switching frequency: (ON:OFF = 1s:8s)  
 Ambient temperature: Room temperature  
 Circuit



Change of pick-up and drop-out voltage

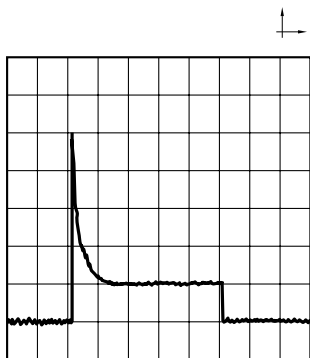


Change of contact resistance



Load current waveform

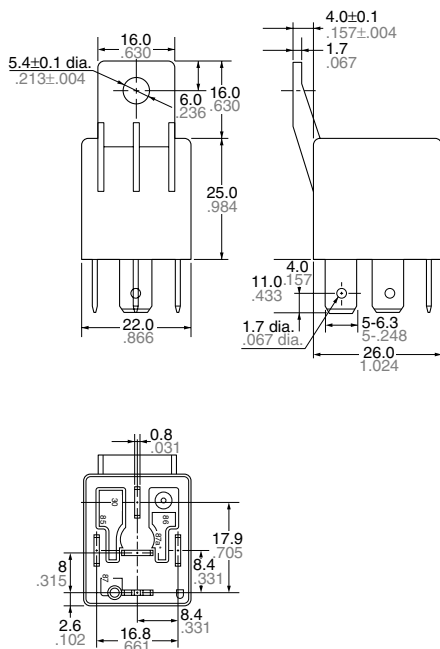
Inrush current: 100A, Steady current: 20A



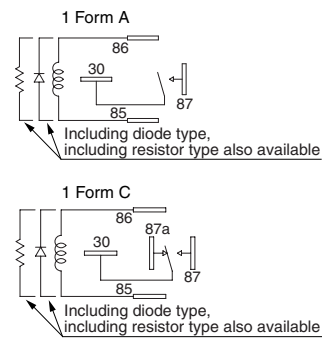
3. Bracket type



External dimensions



Schematic (Bottom view)



Dimension: General tolerance

Max. 1mm .039 inch:	±0.1 ±0.04
1 to 3mm .039 to .118 inch:	±0.2 ±0.08
Min. 3mm .118 inch:	±0.3 ±0.12

## Cautions regarding the protection element

### 1. Part numbers without protection elements

#### 1) 12 V models

When connecting a coil surge protection circuit to these relays, we recommend a zener diode with a zener voltage of 24 V or higher, or a resistor (680 $\Omega$  to 1,000 $\Omega$ ). When a diode is connected to the coil in parallel, the release time will slow down and working life may shorten. Before use, please check the circuit and verify that the diode is not connected in parallel to the coil drive circuit.

#### 2) 24 V models

When connecting a coil surge protection circuit to these relays, we recommend a zener diode with a zener voltage of 48 V or higher, or a resistor (2,800 $\Omega$  to 4,700 $\Omega$ ).

When a diode is connected to the coil in parallel, the release time will slow down and working life may shorten. Before use, please check the circuit and verify that the diode is not connected in parallel to the coil drive circuit.

### 2. Part numbers with diodes

These relays use a diode in the coil surge protection element. Therefore, the release time is slower and the working life might be shorter compared to part numbers without protection elements and part numbers with resistors.

Be sure to use only after evaluating under actual load conditions.

### 3. Part numbers with resistors

This part number employs a resistor in the coil surge protection circuit; therefore, an external surge protection element is not required. In particular, when a diode is connected in parallel with a coil, the release time becomes slower which could adversely affect working life.

Please check the circuit and make sure that a diode is not connected in parallel with the coil drive circuit.

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**For Cautions for Use, see Relay Technical Information.**