

481 Series Alarm Indicating Fuse



Agency Approvals

Agency	Agency File Number	Ampere Range
	E71611	0.180–20 A
	29862	0.180–20 A

Electrical Characteristics

% of Ampere Rating	Opening Time
100%	10 Minutes, Minimum
150%	5 Minutes, Maximum

Description

481 Series alarm indicating fuses are designed to reduce down time by immediately pinpointing the blown (open) circuit while triggering an LED or audio alarm. This item requires 482 Series mating fuse holder.

All ranges of 481 Series fuses are available as our original design, and the 2–20 amp range is now available as a RoHS compliant option (use the “P” designator when ordering). See the part numbering section of this data sheet for related ordering instructions.

Features

- Color-coded indicator flags indicate ampere rating.
- Clear plastic lens option available for additional safety.
- RoHS compliant
- Body is constructed of black polyphenylene sulfide with UL 94 V-0 flammability rating.
- Contacts made of bright alloy-plated beryllium copper.

Applications

Ideal for telecommunications and control panel circuits

Electrical Characteristics

Ampere Rating (A)	Amp Code	Max Voltage Rating (V)	Interrupting Rating	Body Color Code	Nominal Cold Resistance (Ohms)	Nominal Melting I ² t (A ² Sec.)	Agency Approvals	
0.180*	.180	125 VAC & 125 VDC	40 A @ 175 VDC	Yellow	6.25	0.0400		
0.200*	.200			Red/Black	5.70	0.0576	x	x
0.250*	.250			Violet	4.20	0.0625	x	x
0.375*	.375			Gray/White	2.00	0.230	x	x
0.500*	.500			Red	1.52	0.490	x	x
0.650*	.650		450 A @ 60 VDC	Black	1.25	0.723	x	x
0.750*	.750			Brown	.980	1.32	x	x
1.00*	.001			Gray	.665	1.82	x	x
1.33*	1.33			White	.480	3.13	x	x
1.50*	01.5			Yellow/White	.385	2.55	x	x
2.00	002.		300 A @ 125 VAC (up to 20 A)	Orange	.120	10.2	x	x
2.50	02.5			Orange/White	0.093	16.0	x	x
3.00	003.			Blue	.0670	25.0	x	x
3.50	03.5			Blue/White	.0415	10.5	x	x
4.00	004.			Brown/White	.0350	36.0	x	x
5.00	005.		300 A @ 125 VDC (up to 15 A)	Green	.0285	64.0	x	x
7.50	07.5			White/Black	.0113	121.0	x	x
10.0	010.			White/Red	.00840	380.3	x	x
12.0	012.			Yellow/Green	.00660	571.2	x	x
15.0	015.			Blue/Red	.00580	900.0	x	x
20.0**	020.		200 A @ 125 VDC (up to 20 A)	White/Green	.00394	1024.0	x	x

* 0.180 A thru 1.5 A items are not available for sale as a RoHS compliant “P” option

**20 A Fuseholder (482 Series) must be used. Fuse is keyed to prevent insertion in lower rated holders.

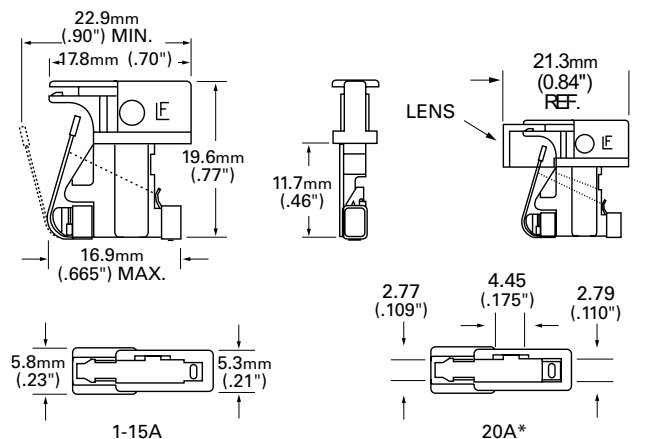
20 A Fuseholder (482 Series) is designed to accept all ratings up to 20 amperes.

Product Characteristics

Material	Body: Polyphenylene Sulfide (UL 94VO) Terminations: Beryllium Copper/Tin Plated Optional Lens: Nylon
Vibration	MIL-STD-202 Method 201

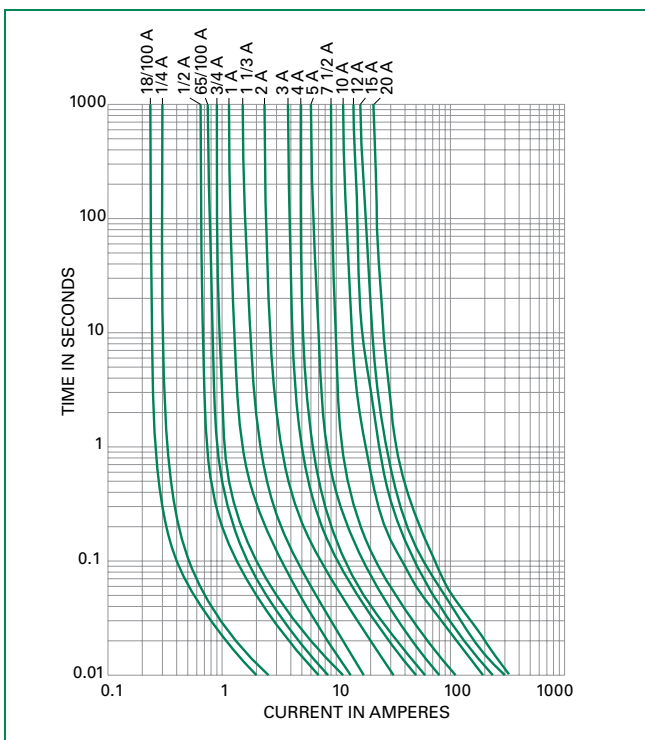
Operating Temperature	- 55 °C to 125 °C.
Thermal Shock	Withstands 5 cycles of - 55 °C to 125 °C
Insulation Resistance (After Opening)	Greater than 10,000 ohms.

Dimensions



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Average Time Current Curves



Part Numbering System

0481 .180 H XL M P

RoHS ITEM OPTION CODE:
Blank = Standard design item
P = RoHS compliant version item (available in 2-20 Amp Range only)

AMPERAGE STAMPING MARK:
Blank = Standard design item
M = Front Side

ACCESSORY:
Blank = Standard design item
X = Filler
XL = Protective Lens

QUANTITY CODE:
V = 5 pack
H = 100 pack

AMP COLOR CODE:
(See Electrical Characteristics Table)

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Additional Information



Datasheet



Resources



Samples

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