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# PT-6

6-mm carbon through-hole trimmer potentiometer





## **KEY FEATURES**

- Excellent performance
- Carbon resistive element
- ▶ Up to 10 mechanical detents
- ▶ Up to 10.000 life cycles
- ▶ IP54 protection
- ► Magazines packaging for automatic insertion
- Polyester substrate
- ▶ Wiper positioned at initial, 50% or fully clockwise
- Loose and assembled shaft and knobs
- ▶ Linear, logarithmic and antilogarithmic tapers
- ► SPDT switch function

On request

Embossed tape packaging



The **only 6 mm miniature trimmer** potentiometer with optional **stop positions** for haptic feedback.

## ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Taper*	Lin, Log, Alog
Range of values*	(Decad. 1.0 - 2.0 - 2.2 - 2.5 - 4.7 - 5.0)
Lin	220Ω ≤ Rn ≤ 5MΩ
Log, Alog	$1K\Omega \le Rn \le 5M\Omega$
Tolerance*	
$220\Omega \le Rn \le 1M\Omega$	± 20%
$1M\Omega < Rn \le 5M\Omega$	± 30%
Max. Voltage Lin Log, Alog	100 VDC 50 VDC
Nominal power 50°C (122°F) Lin Log, Alog	0.1 W 0.05 W
Residual resistance	≤ 0.5% Rn (5Ω min.)
Equivalent noise resistance	≤ 3% Rn (3Ω min.)
Operating temperature **	-25°C to +70°C (-13°F to + 158°F)

\* Others available on request \*\* Up to 85°C depending on application.

## **APPLICATIONS**

- ► Appliance program selection
- ► Thermostat adjustment
- ► Timer and control relays
- Consumer electronics
- Power tool controls
- ► Test and measurement equipment

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MECHANICAL SPECIFICATIONS	
Mechanical rotation angle	235° ± 5°
Electrical rotation angle*	200° ± 20°
Torque Rotational Stop	0.2 to 2 Ncm (0.3 to 2.7 in-oz) → 4 Ncm (→7 in-oz)
Life**	up to 10.000 cycles

\*Increased rotational angle of 215°± 20° available upon request \*\* Others available on request

## **ENVIRONMENTAL TESTING**

	Test conditions (CEI 393-1)	ΔR(%) - Typical test results
Electrical life	1.000h at 50°C; 0.1 W	±5%
Mechanical life	1000 cycles at 10 to15 cpm	±3% (Rn < 1M )
Temperature coefficient	-25° C; +70° C	±300 ppm/°C C (Rn < 100K)
Thermal cycling	16h at 85°C and 2h at -25°C	±2.5%
Damp heat	500h at 40°C and 95% relative humidity (RH)	±5%
Vibration 2h each plane at 10Hz - 55Hz		±2%
Storage	6 month at 23°C ±2°C and 50% RH	±2.5%
Out of range values may not comply with these results. Standard test conditions: temperature:23°C ±2°C and 45% to 70% RH. Mechanical life of detented versions is 100 cycles		

## **RECOMMENDED CONNECTIONS**

Recommended connection circuit for a position sensor or control application (voltage divider circuit electronic design).



## **POWER RATING CURVE**



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3. Tolerance: for custom tolerance please check availability: info@piher.net

4. Detents: Detented versions use purple rotor color (rotor color code "VI"). Ordering code example: PT6KH-254A2020-P04-VI

5. Packaging: Only for "V" mounting method. "W" rotor with shaft Fig. 2 is not available in magazines. Embossed tape packaging on request.

6. Without knob or shaft: only the rotor. With knob or shaft: only the knob/shaft. Default colour for knob/shaft is cream

STANDARD CONFIGURATION			
	PT-6		
Life	1.000 cycles (forth and back the mechanical angle travel)		
Detents	none		
Housing color	black		
Rotor color	white		
Wiper Position	initial		
Packaging	bulk		

#### **ORDER CODE EXAMPLES**

#### PT6WV-104A1010-5NE-SC

6mm potentiometer with factory pre-inserted knob, V mounting method (vertical adjustment), 100K resistive value, linear taper, 10% resistive tolerance, black knob ref. 6148 and straight terminals (not crimped).

#### PT6KH-103A2020

6mm potentiometer with rotor "K" (cross shape), H mounting method (horizontal adjustment), 10K resistive value, linear taper, 20% resistive tolerance and crimped terminals.

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Bulk (1000 units per box)	Magazine / Automatic Insertion (80 units per magazine)	
All models	PT-6 V models	PT-6 WV models
Dimensions (mm): 185x85x40		
Embossed tape/reel packaging on request.		

## WIPER POSITION



Wiper positioning on initial position is standard. Special delivery positions available on request.

## DUAL GANG METAL SHAFT ON REQUEST - REF.: 6060



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If you wish to use your own plastic shaft/knob/actuator please contact Piher Sensing Systems for advice about compatible materials Shaft and knobs (Fig 1 to 4) are delivered unassembled if not specified otherwise in part number code ("W" or "X"). The position of assembled knobs can be indicated in part number code: Initial (default), 50% (PM) or Final (PF). Mounted shaft Fig. 2 by standard will be delivered at random position. Custom specific positions are available for shaft and all knobs on request

\*For other colors check availability

#### **OUR ADVANTAGE**

Leading-edge innovative position sensing solutions

 $\triangleright$  Contactless (Hall-effect and Inductive Technology)

▷ Contacting (Potentiometers, Printed Electronics)

- Engineering design-in support
- All our products can be customized to fit target application and customer requirement
- Capability to move seamlessly from development to true high-volume production
- A global footprint with global engineering and commercial support
- One-stop shop not limited to position sensors (temperature, pressure, gas,...) through group collaboration
- Flexibility and entrepreneurship of a medium-sized company with the backing of Amphenol Corporation

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