

General performances of Type N11-MA-5-120-11 Strain Gauge

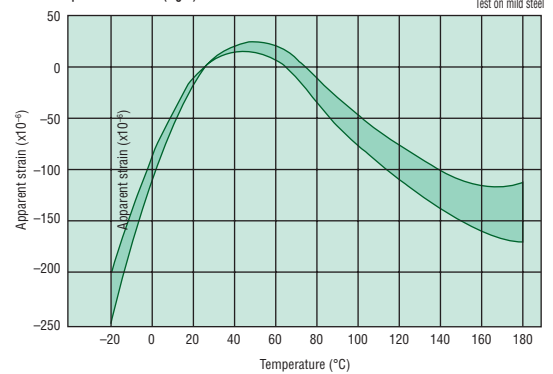
Features:

- Almost no effect on test object
- Distant and multi-points measurements are possible
- Applicable to both static and dynamic strains
- Both surfaces being completely laminated, the gauge grids are entirely protected
- The gauges, being fitted with leads, are easy to handle

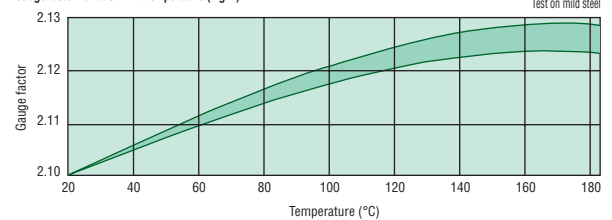
Standard specifications

Gauge length	0.3mm min. to 60mm max.
Measurable strain	2 to 4% maximum. Up to 10% with foil yielding strain gauges
Temperature range	FA (Polyester backing) -30°C to +80°C MA (Polyamide backing) -30°C to +180°C
Thermal output (See Fig. 1)	FA Within $\pm 2\mu\epsilon/^\circ\text{C}$ (At room temperature up to +80°C) MA Within $\pm 1\mu\epsilon/^\circ\text{C}$ (At room temperature up to +160°C) Within $\pm 5\mu\epsilon/^\circ\text{C}$ (At room temperature up to +180°C) Within $\pm 0.015\%/^\circ\text{C}$
Gauge factor change with temperature (See Fig. 2)	
Gauge resistance tolerance	Within $\pm 0.5\%$ of the nominal resistance
Gauge factor	2.00 (Nominal)
Gauge factor tolerance	Within $\pm 1\%$ of the value indicated on individual gauge packet for gauge lengths of 5mm to 60mm Within $\pm 2\%$ of the value indicated on individual gauge packet for gauge lengths of 0.3mm to 3mm
Fatigue life	More than 10^5 reversals at 1000×10^{-6} strain

Thermal output characteristics (Fig. 1)



Gauge factor variation with temperature (Fig. 2)



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Configurations

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- Optional specifications
 - O3 Length of leads
 - L Resin clad copper wire (up to 0.3m)
 - W Waterproof moulded type
 - P Optional pattern type (subject to special quotations)
- Linear expansion factor of material against which strain gauge is self-temperature compensated and its base colour classification

Base colour	Materials against which strain gauge is self temperature compensated	Linear expansion factor of materials	Codes
Red	Mild steel	$10.8 \times 10^{-6}/^{\circ}\text{C}$	11
Orange	Stainless steel	$16.2 \times 10^{-6}/^{\circ}\text{C}$	16
Blue	Aluminium alloy	$23.4 \times 10^{-6}/^{\circ}\text{C}$	23

Remarks: Base colour classifications are made in FA Series only.
Code of "11" for mild steel can be deleted.

- Gauge resistance
Expressing strain gauge nominal resistance in the unit of Ω . Can be deleted when nominal resistance is 120Ω .
- Gauge length
Expressing grid effective length in figures in the unit of mm.
- Foil material
A: Cu-Ni Alloy
- Base material
F: Polyester; M: Polyimide
- Basic pattern and its combinations

Patterns and specifications

Strain Gauge Pattern	Type	Nominal resistance (Ω)	Dimensions (mm)				Approx. gauge factor	Material against which strain gauge is self-temperature compensated			Compatible cement				Number of gauges per packet
			Grid		Base			Mild steel (11)	Stainless steel (16)	Aluminium Alloy (23)	F1	F3	101	E110	
			Length	Width	Length	Width									
	N11-MA- 8-120-(11, 16, 23)	120	8.0	2.0	13.0	4.0	2.1	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	