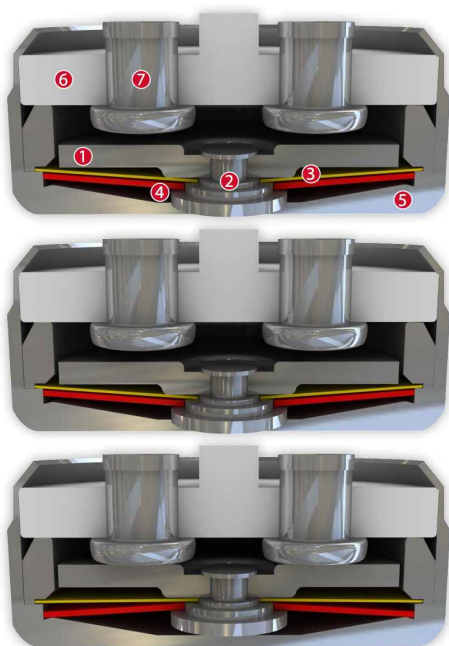


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## Thermal Protector C08

### Type series 08



### Construction and function

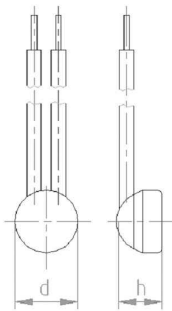
Switchgear consisting of a mobile and circular contact bridge (1), a contact bearing pin (2), a spring snap-in disc (3) and a bimetallic disc (4) which is riveted into one another, undetachable and fixed in a positive lock and self-aligning between a non-conductive floor of a housing (5) and an insulating ceramic bearing (6) with two integrated stationary contacts (7) as electrodes. At the same time, the switchgear is initially held open by the spring snap-in disc (3) with the contact bridge (1) acting as a transfer element for electric current after the switching process) which is fastened between a supporting collar and a circumferential ring. As such, the bimetallic disc (4) underlying it, that is also stuck out from the contact bearing pin (2), can continuously work (exposed) by mechanical loads without the distance between the contact surfaces (defined by the spring snap-in disc (3)) diminishing. As soon as the bimetallic disc (4) reaches its rated switching temperature, it effectively springs against the throw force of the spring snap-in disc (3) into its inverted position. The contacts (7) are abruptly closed. The temperature will now fall. The bimetallic disc (4) will only snap back upon reaching a defined spring back temperature and the contacts will be abruptly opened again. As a result of the dimensioning of the contact bearing pin (2), an easy, circular rotation of the circle-shaped contact bridge (1) is enabled with every switch so that transfer resistances remain constantly below the minimum limit after many switch cycles and the long term stability is sustained even under high levels of stress.

### Features:

|                                 |   |
|---------------------------------|---|
| Strong power density            | Strong currents in small types of construction  |
| Quick response sensitivity      | Featured by small protector mass and the metal-housing  |
| Excellent long term performance | Due to instantaneous switching, fine silver contacts, constant contact resistance and to electrically as well as mechanically unstrained bimetallic disc, reproducible switching temperature values |
| Very short bouncing times       | < 1 ms  |
| Instantaneous switching         | Always with the same contact pressure up to reset point; resulting in low contact stress  |
| Temperature resistance          | By use of high temperature resistant materials and components   |

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Type: Normally open; resets automatically; with connector cables; with epoxy; without insulation

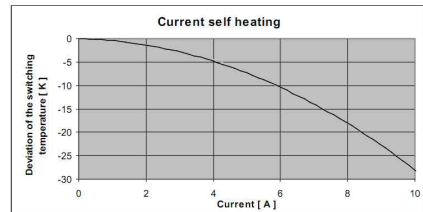


Diameter d 9,0 mm  
Installation height h from 6,3 mm

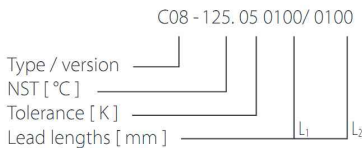
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| Nominal switching temperature (NST) in 5 °C increments                         | 70 °C - 200 °C                         |                                      |
| Tolerance (standard)   | ±5 K                                   |                                      |
| Reverse Switch Temperature (defined RST is possible at the customer's request) | UL                                     | ≥ 35° C (≤ 95° C NST)                |
|  |  | -50 K ± 15 K (≥ 100° C ≤ 180° C NST) |
|  |  | -65 K ± 15 K (≥ 185° C ≤ 200° C NST) |
|  | VDE                                    | ≥ 35 °C                              |
| Installation height  | from 6,3 mm                            |                                      |
| Diameter   | 9,0 mm                                 |                                      |
| Resistance to impregnation *   | suitable                               |                                      |
| Suitable for installation in protection class                                  | I                                      |                                      |
| Pressure resistance to the switch housing *                                    | 600 N                                  |                                      |
| Standard connection  | Lead wire 0,75 mm <sup>2</sup> / AWG18 |                                      |
| Available approvals (please state)   | IEC; ENEC; VDE; UL; CSA; CQC           |                                      |
| Operating voltage range AC   | up until 500 V AC                      |                                      |
| Rated voltage AC   | 250 V (VDE) 277 V (UL)                 |                                      |
| Rated current AC cos φ = 1.0/cycles  | 10,0 A / 10.000                        |                                      |
| Rated current AC cos φ = 0.6/cycles  | 6,3 A / 10.000                         |                                      |
| Total bounce time  | < 1 ms                                 |                                      |
| Contact resistance (according to MIL-STD. R5757)                               | ≤ 50 mΩ                                |                                      |
| Vibration resistance at 10 ... 60 Hz   | 100 m/s <sup>2</sup>                   |                                      |

Current sensitivity characteristic at I<sub>nom</sub>:

- dependent of:
- Thermal coupling
  - Application area
  - Built-in conditions
  - Outer influences
  - Wiring length / wiring diameter



Ordering example:



Marking example:



More varieties of the type series 08:

- S08 – with connector cables; with epoxy; insulation: Mylar®-Nomex®
- L08 – with connector cables; with epoxy; fully insulated in a screw on housing
- P08 – with connection pins; with epoxy; fully insulated in the attachment housing
- H08 – with connector cables; with epoxy; fully insulated in the attachment housing
- V08 – with connector cables and double-insulated in the attachment housing

- [www.thermik.de/data/S08](http://www.thermik.de/data/S08)
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