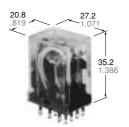


### **MINIATURE RELAY FOR** WIDER APPLICATIONS

# HC RELAYS





mm inch

### **SPECIFICATIONS**

Contacts

Arrangement		1 Form C	2 Form C	3 Form C	4 Form C	
Initial current resistance, max. (By voltage drop 6 V DC 1 A)		30 mΩ				
Contact material		Gold-1	Gold-clad silver nickel			
	Nominal switching capacity	10 A 250 V AC	7 A 250 V AC	7 A 250 V AC	5 A 250 V AC	
	Max. switching power	2,500 VA	1,750 VA	1,750 VA	1,250 VA	
Rating (resistive)	Max. switching voltage	250 V AC				
	Max. switching current	10 A	7 A	7 A	5 A	
Min. switching capacity <sup>#1</sup>		1 mA, 1 V DC				
Coil						

Nominal operating power	AC (50Hz): 1.3VA, AC (60Hz): 1.2 VA DC:0.9 to 1.1W
-------------------------	---

#1 This value can change due to the switching frequency, environmental conditions, and desired reliability level, therefore it is recommended to check this with the actual load.

#### Remarks

Specifications will vary with foreign standards certification ratings.

\*1 Detection current: 10 mA

\*2 Excluding contact bounce time

\*3 Half-wave pulse of sine wave: 11ms; detection time: 10µs \*4 Half-wave pulse of sine wave: 6ms

### Expected life (min. operations)

#### Flectrical (at 20 cpm)

**HCE Amber Relays** 

### **FEATURES**

- Extra long life Min. 10<sup>8</sup> mechanical operations (DC type)
- 4 contact arrangements
- 4 Form C (for 5 A 250 V AC),
- 3 Form C (for 7 A 250 V AC),
- 2 Form C (for 7 A 250 V AC),
- 1 Form C (for 10 A 250 V AC)
- Applicable to low to high level loads (100µA to 10A)
- Amber sealed types available
- · Bifurcated contact types available as HC4D

### Characteristics

Max. operati	ng speed	20 cpm (at max. rating)	
Initial insulat	ion resistance	Min. 1,000 MW at 500 V DC	
Initial Between ope		en contacts	700 Vrms for 1 min.
breakdown	Between cor	ntact sets	700 Vrms for 1 min.
voltage*1	Between cor	ntact and coil	2,000 Vrms for 1 min.
Operate time (at 20°C)	e*2 (at nomina	l voltage)	Max. 20 ms (DC, AC type)
	e (without dioc oltage) (at 20	Max. 20 ms (DC, AC type)	
Temperature (at nominal v	rise, max. (at oltage)	80°C	
Shock resistance		Functional*3	Min. 196 m/s <sup>2</sup> {20 G}
		Destructive*4	Min. 980 m/s <sup>2</sup> {100 G}
Vibration resistance		Functional*5	10 to 55 Hz at double amplitude of 1 mm
		Destructive	10 to 55 Hz at double amplitude of 2 mm
Conditions for		Ambient	-50°C to +70°C
transport and storage*6 (Not freezing and condensing at low temperature)		temp.	-58°F to +158°F
		Humidity	5 to 85% R.H.
Unit weight			Approx. 30g 1.06 oz
*5 Dotoction tim	o: 10uc		

\*5 Detection time: 10µs

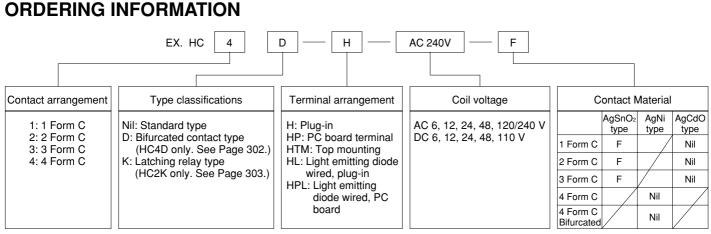
\*6 Refer to 6. Conditions for operation, transport and storage mentioned in AMBIENT ENVIRONMENT

Voltage		125	V AC	250 V AC		30 V DC		
Loa	d	Resistive $(\cos \varphi = 1)$	Inductive $(\cos \phi \rightleftharpoons 0.4)$	Resistive $(\cos \varphi = 1)$	Inductive $(\cos \phi \rightleftharpoons 0.4)$	Resistive	Inductive	Expected life
1104		10A	5A	10A	3A	_		2×105
HC1 (1 Form C)	Current	7A	ЗA	7A	2.5A	ЗA	1A	5×10⁵
(1101110)		5A	2A	5A	1.5A	_	_	1×10 <sup>6</sup>
1100		7A	3.5A	7A	2A	_	_	2×105
HC2 (2 Form C)	Current	5A	2.5A	5A	1.5A	ЗA	0.6A	5×10⁵
(2101110)		ЗA	1.5A	ЗA	1A	_	_	1×10 <sup>6</sup>
1100		7A	—	7A	—	—	—	1×10⁵
HC3 (3 Form C)	Current	_	3.5A	_	2A	_	_	2×105
(3101110)		5A	—	5A	_	ЗA	0.4A	5×10⁵
		5A	2A	5A	1A	_	_	2×105
HC4 (4 Form C)	ЗA	1A	ЗA	0.8A	ЗA	0.4A	5×10⁵	
		2A	0.5A	2A	0.4A		—	1×10 <sup>6</sup>
Mechanical life (	at 180 cpm)			DC tv	pe: 10 <sup>8</sup> , AC type:	5×107		

### HC TYPICAL APPLICATIONS

Transportation, power station control equipment, refrigerators, building control equipment, office machines, coin

operated machines, amusement devices, medical equipment, etc.



Notes:

1. When ordering VDE recognized types, add suffix VDE.

2. HC3 (3 Form C) series are not approved by VDE.

3. AC 48 V type is not available for LED wiring.

4. Standard packing Carton: 20 pcs.; Case: 200 pcs.

5. UL/CSA approved type is standard.

### COIL DATA (Common for Standard, Amber sealed and Bifurcated contact types)

### DC Type at 20°C 68°F

Coil voltage,	Pick-up voltage,	Drop-out voltage,	Max. allowable	Coil resistance,	Nominal coil	Operating power, W	
V DC	V DC (max.)	V DC (min.)	voltage, V DC	Ω (±10%)	current, mA (±10%)	Nominal	Minimum
6	4.8	0.6	6.6	40	150	0.9	0.58
12	9.6	1.2	13.2	160	75	0.9	0.58
24	19.2	2.4	26.4	650	37	0.9	0.58
48	38.4	4.8	52.8	2,600	18.5	0.9	0.58
110	88.0	11.0	121.0	10,000	10	1.0	0.64

#### AC Types (50/60 Hz) at 60 Hz, 20°C 68°F

Coil voltage,	Pick-up voltage,	Drop-out voltage,	Max. allowable	Nominal coil	Operating	g power, VA	
V AC	V AĊ (max.)	V AC (min.)	voltage, V AC	current, mA (±20%)	Nominal	Minimum	
6	4.8	1.8	6.6	200			
12	9.6	3.6	13.2	100			
24	19.2	7.2	26.4	50	1.00	0.77	
48	38.4	14.4	52.8	25	- 1.20	0.77	
110/120	96	36	132	10.9/11.9	7		
220/240	176.0	66.0	264.0	6.0/6.5			

#### NOTES:

1. The range of coil current is  $\pm 15\%$  for AC (60 Hz), and  $\pm 10\%$  for DC, at  $20^{\circ}$ C. 2. The relay is applicable to the range of 80 % to 110% of the nominal coil voltage. However, it is recommended that the relay be used in the range of 85% to 110% to take temporary voltage variations into consideration.

3. The coil resistance of DC types is the measured value at a coil temperature of 20°C. Please compensate coil resistance by  $\pm 0.4\%$  for each degree centigrade coil temperature change.

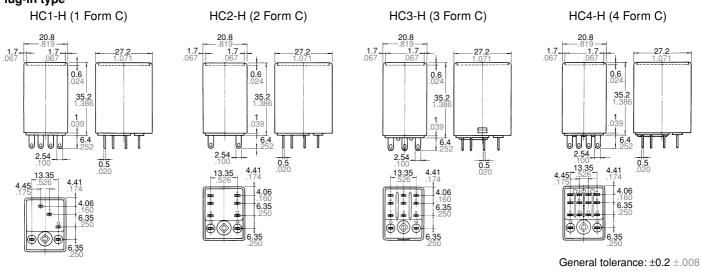
4. All AC 240 V types are rated for double coil voltages, both AC 220 V and AC 240 V.

5. For use with 220 V or 240 V DC, connect a resistor as suggested in the chart below, in series with the 110 V DC relav.

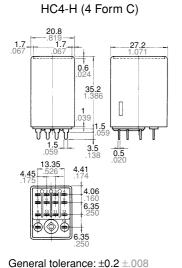
Voltage	1 Form C, 2 Form C, 3 Form C, 4 Form C
220 V DC	11 kΩ (5 W)
240 V DC	13 kΩ (5 W)

### **DIMENSIONS** (Common for standard, Amber sealed and Bifurcated contact (4C only) types)

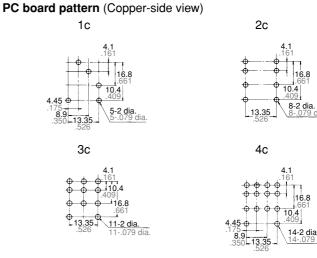
### Plug-in type

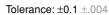


### PC board type



Dimensions of HC1-HP, HC2-HP, HC3-HP are the same as those of plug-in type except shapes of terminals.





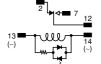
. dia

Note: Special PC terminal with 0.9 mm (.035 inch) width available with suffix "-31".

Schematic (bottom view) HC1-H, HC1-HP (1 Form C)



LED AC type



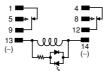
LED DC type



HC2-H, HC2-HP (2 Form C)



LED AC type



LED DC type



HC3-H, HC3-HP (3 Form C)

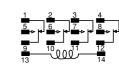
LED AC type

LED DC type

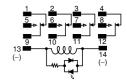
(~

14 (+)

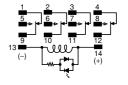
### HC4-H, HC4-HP (4 Form C)







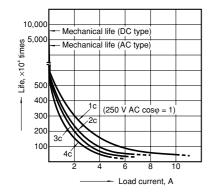




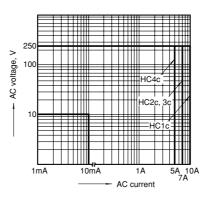
### HC REFERENCE DATA

#### 1. Life curve

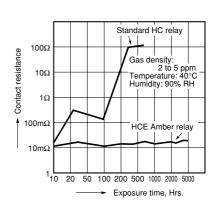
Load: 250 V AC resistive load



#### 2. Switching capacity range





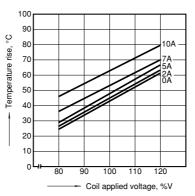


#### 4. Coil temperature rise

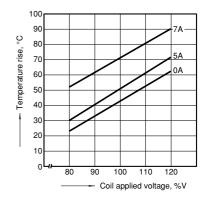
Measured portion: Inside the coil Note: When the nominal voltage is applied to AC 120 or 240 V coil types respectively, the figures of coil temperature rise increase by approx. 10 degrees to the ones shown on each graph.



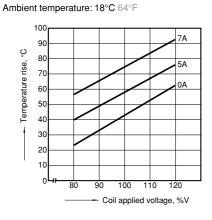




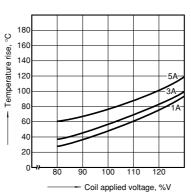




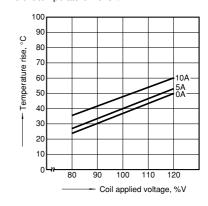
HC3 AC coil



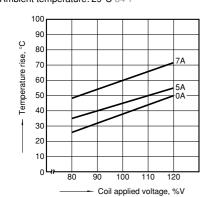


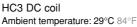


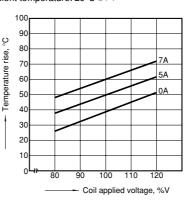




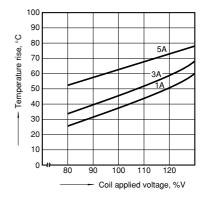
#### HC2 DC coil Ambient temperature: 29°C 84°F







HC4 DC coil Ambient temperature: 17 to 18°C 62 to 64°F



All Rights Reserved © COPYRIGHT Matsushita Electric Works, Ltd.

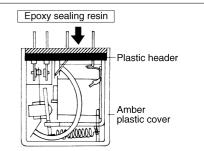
## Amber Relays HCE

HC sealed relays are version of the HC relays and are recommended for use in switching medium loads under adverse ambient conditions. They show highly stable contact resistance even after long use, due to their sealed construction and reliable gold plated contacts. Amber relays also make the combined process of automatic wave soldering and cleaning process possible with their resultant savings in cost and labor. Contact arrangements of 1 Form C, 2C, and 4C are available for plug-in, PC board and top-mount.

### Construction

The diagram at right shows a crosssection of the plastic sealed relay. All the plastic parts are annealed and outgassed to ensure fully the stability of both chemical and physical characteristics.

#### Sealed construction



### SPECIFICATIONS

### Contacts

(at 180 cpm)

Contact arrangement			1 Form C	2 Form C	4 Form C	
	Nominal swit	ching capacity	5 A 250 V AC	3 A 250 V AC	2 A 250 V AC	
	Max. switchir	ng power	1,250 VA	700 VA	500 VA	
Rating (resistive) Max. switching volt Max. switching curr		ng voltage	250 V AC			
		ng current	5 A	3 A	2 A	
	Min. switchin	g capacity#1	1 mA, 100 mV DC			
Conditions for operation, transport and storage Ambient temp.		<b>−40°C to +60°C</b> −40°F to +140°F				
(Not freezing and condensing at low temperature) Humidity		5 to 85% R.H.				
Ambient air pressure			760	mmHg +20% (1.013 mb +	20%)	

### Expected life (min. operations)

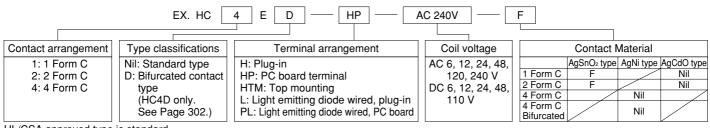
	· · · · ·	/					
	Volta	ge	125 V AC	250 V AC	30 V DC		Exported
	Loa	d	Resistive $(\cos \varphi = 1)$	Resistive $(\cos \varphi = 1)$	Resistive	Inductive	Expected life
Electrical (at 20 cpm)	HC1E (1 Form C)	Current	5 A	5 A	3 A	1 A	
(at 20 cpm)	HC2E (2 Form C)	Current	3 A	3 A	2 A	1.7 A	2×10⁵
	HC4E (4 Form C)	Current	2 A	2 A	2 A	0.6 A	
Mechanical life	DC type: 10 <sup>8</sup> , AC type: 5×10 <sup>7</sup>						

#### Characteristics

Operate time	Max. 20 ms			
Release time	Max. 20 ms			
#1 This value can change due to the switching				

#1 This value can change due to the switching frequency, environmental conditions, and desired reliability level, therefore it is recommended to check this with the actual load.

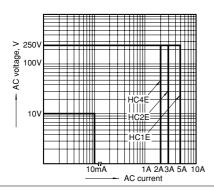
### ORDERING INFORMATION

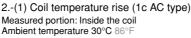


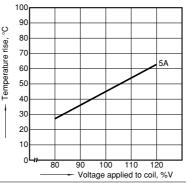
UL/CSA approved type is standard.

### **REFERENCE DATA (HC Amber Relays)**

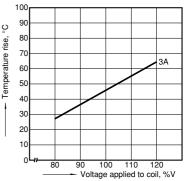
### 1. Switching capacity range





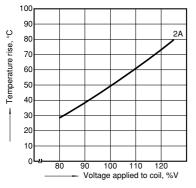


2.-(2) Coil temperature rise (2c AC type) Measured portion: Inside the coil Ambient temperature: 30°C 86°F

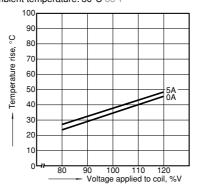


All Rights Reserved  $\ensuremath{\textcircled{O}}$  COPYRIGHT Matsushita Electric Works, Ltd.

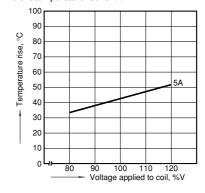
2.-(3) Coil temperature rise (4c AC type) Measured portion: Inside the coil Ambient temperature: 30°C 86°F



2.-(4) Coil temperature rise (1c DC type) Measured portion: Inside the coil Ambient temperature: 30°C 86°F



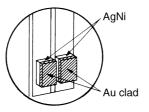
2.-(5) Coil temperature rise (2c DC type) Measured portion: Inside the coil Ambient temperature: 30°C 86°F



### Bifurcated contact types HC4D

Extremely high contact reliability has been made possible by adoption of goldclad bifurcated contacts for both movable and stationary contacts.

HC4D type can be used from the dry circuit 100  $\mu$ A at 10 V DC to the power circuit 3 A at 250 V AC resistive load. Therefore, with HC4D type such a usage is possible that one contact switches 100  $\mu$ A and another contact switches 3 A load. Also Amber sealed types are available as HC4ED relays.



### SPECIFICATIONS

#### Contacts

Contact arrangement		4 Form C only
Contact material		Gold-clad silver nickel
	Nominal switching capacity	3 A 250 V AC
	Max. switching power	750 VA
Rating (resistive)	Max. switching current	3A
	Min. switching capacity#1	(HC4D) 100 μA, 1 V DC (HC4ED) 100 μA, 100 mV DC

#### Characteristics

Operate time (Approx.)	Max. 20 ms
Release time (Approx.)	Max. 20 ms

#1 This value can change due to the switching frequency, environmental conditions, and desired reliability level, therefore it is recommended to check this with the actual load.

20 1/ 00

### Expected life (min. operations)

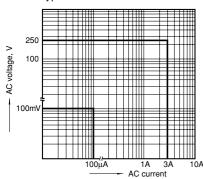
Electrical (at 20 cpm)		
Voltage	125 \	V AC

voltage	125 1	V AC	250	V AC	30 V DC	
Load	Resistive $(\cos \varphi = 1)$	Inductive $(\cos \phi \rightleftharpoons 0.4)$	Resistive $(\cos \phi = 1)$	Inductive $(\cos \phi \rightleftharpoons 0.4)$	Resistive	Expected life
HC4D	3 A	1 A	3 A	0.8 A	3 A	2×10⁵
HC4ED	1 A	—	1 A	—	—	2×10

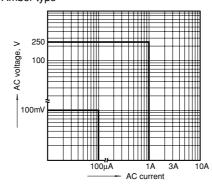
DED V AC

### **REFERENCE DATA**

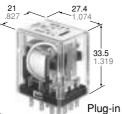
1. Switching capacity range Standard type



Amber type



### atching relay types: HC2K



HC magnetic latching relays are particularly suitable for various vending machines, remote control devices, parking meters, conveyor, NC machinery, etc.

UL, CSA recognized

mm inch

### **TYPES AND COIL DATA**

### DC coils at 20°C 68°F

Part No.		Nominal coil current (mA)		Nominal operating power (VA)		Coil voltage	
Plug-in	PC board terminal	set	reset	set	reset	Pick-up	Max. allowable
HC2K-DC6V (-F)	HC2K-P-DC6V (-F)	207	107	1.24	0.64		
HC2K-DC12V (-F)	HC2K-P-DC12V (-F)	100	52.2	1.20	0.63	80% of Nominal voltage	110% of Nominal voltage
HC2K-DC24V (-F)	HC2K-P-DC24V (-F)	51.1	25.5	1.23	0.61		
HC2K-DC48V (-F)	HC2K-P-DC48V (-F)	25.3	13.7	1.21	0.66		
HC2K-DC100V (-F)	HC2K-P-DC100V (-F)	15.6	5.8	1.56	0.58		

#### AC coils

Part No.		Nominal coil current (mA)		Nominal operating power (VA)		Coil voltage	
Plug-in	PC board terminal	set	reset	set	reset	Pick-up	Max. allowable
HC2K-AC6V (-F)	HC2K-P-AC6V (-F)	206	103	1.23	0.62	80% of Nominal voltage	110% of Nominal voltage
HC2K-AC12V (-F)	HC2K-P-AC12V (-F)	100	52	1.20	0.62		
HC2K-AC24V (-F)	HC2K-P-AC24V (-F)	51	21.4	1.22	0.51		
HC2K-AC48V (-F)	HC2K-P-AC48V (-F)	25.2	18.5	1.2	0.88		
HC2K-AC115V (-F)	HC2K-P-AC115V (-F)	10.4	5.4	1.20	0.621		



Plug-in

PC board terminal

1,500 Vrms for 1 min.

AC, DC: Approx. 20 ms AC: Approx. 30 ms

DC: Approx. 50 ms

Max. 80°C

Max. 50°C

Min. 98 m/s<sup>2</sup> {10 G}

107

2×105

-40°C to +50°C

-40°F to +122°

(Not freezing and condens-

ing at low temperature)

HC2K AC types are not recognized by UL, CSA.

Notes: 1. The coil current range is ±10% of the nominal coil current.

2. The relay is suitable to the range of 80% — 110% of the nominal coil voltage. However, it is recommended that the relay be used in the range of 85% - 110% of the nominal coil voltage, with the temporary voltage variation taken into consideration.

> Characteristics Initial breakdown

Temperature rise (at nominal voltage)

Expected life (min. operations)

voltage

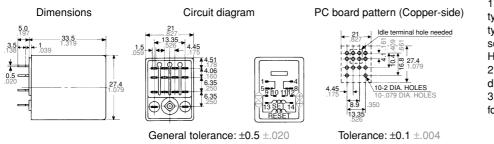
3. UL/CSA approved type is standard.

### **SPECIFICATIONS**

Contacts				
Arrangeme	nt	2 Form C only		
	ct resistance ma drop 6 V DC 1 A	50 mΩ		
	Nominal switching capacity		3 A 250 V AC	
Rating	Max. switching	) power	750 VA	
(resistive)	Max. switching	g current	3A	
	Min. switching	capacity#1	1 mA, 1 V DC	
Coil				
Nominal operating power		Set coil	1.2 VA to 1.33 VA	
		Reset coil	0.51 VA to 0.88 VA	

#1 This value can change due to the switching frequency, environmental conditions, and desired reliability level, therefore it is recommended to check this with the actual load.

	DIMENSIONS AND CIRCUIT	DIAGRAM
--	------------------------	---------



Notes: mm inch

Between contact

Set coil

Reset coil

and coil

Mechanical

(at 20 cpm)

(at 180 cpm)

Electrical (resistive)

Set time (at nominal voltage) (at 20°C)

Reset time (at nominal voltage)

Shock/vibration resistance

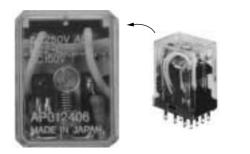
Ambient temperature

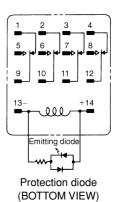
1. Configuration and dimensions of HC2K types are the same as those of standard HC4 types. Standard sockets and screw terminal sockets of HC4 can be used: HC4-SS-K, HC4-PS-K, HC4-WS-K, and HC4-HSF-K. 2. Please note that circuit diagram of HC2K is different from HC4.

3. Avoid operation by capacitor since latching force varies according to input pulse voltage.

## HC LED wired types: HC-L

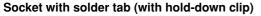
The built-in indication LED (Light emitting diode) Series are suitable for instant indication of operate function in applications where numerous relays are to be used. The HC-L relays are supplied with LED wired in parallel with the coil for visual indication that the relay is functioning. A Red LED is used for AC type and green one for DC.

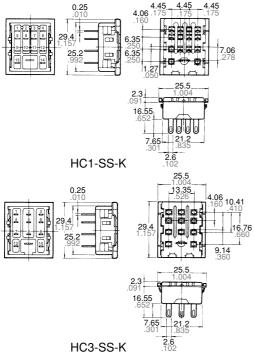


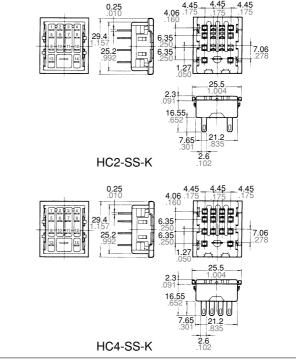


ACCESSORIES				
Relay	HC1 (1 Form C)	HC2 (2 Form C)	HC3 (3 Form C)	HC4 (4 Form C)
Socket with solder tab (with hold-down clip)				
	HC1-SS-K	HC2-SS-K	HC3-SS-K	HC4-SS-K
PC board socket (with hold-down clip)				
	HC1-PS-K	HC2-PS-K	HC3-PS-K	HC4-PS-K
Socket for wrap wiring (with hold-down clip)		_		HC4-WS-K
Screw terminal socket for front wiring (with hold-down clip)		HC2-SF-K Exclusively for HC2-H	HC3-HSF-K For HC2-H, HC3-H	HC4-W3-K HC4-HSF-K For HC1-H, HC2-H, HC4-H
Screw terminal socket for DIN rail assembly (with hold-down clip)				
		HC2-SFD-S HC2-SFD-K Exclusively for HC2-H	HC3-SFD-K For HC2-H, HC3-H	HC4-SFD-K For HC1-H, HC2-H, HC4-H

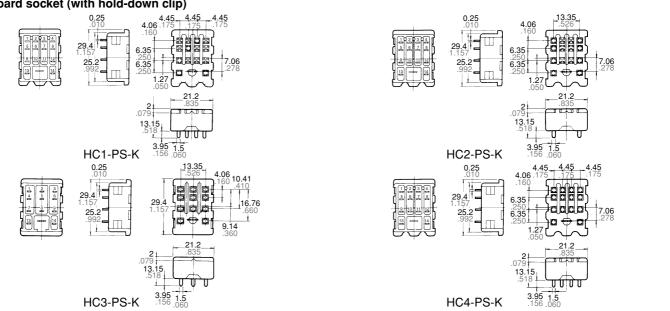
### DIMENSIONS





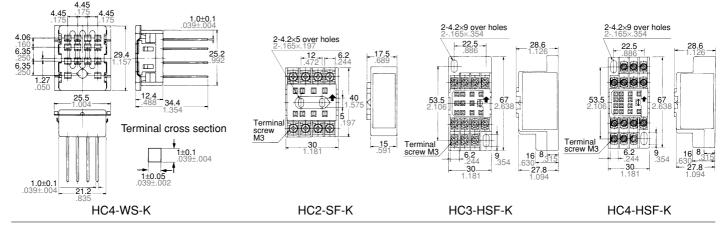


#### PC board socket (with hold-down clip)



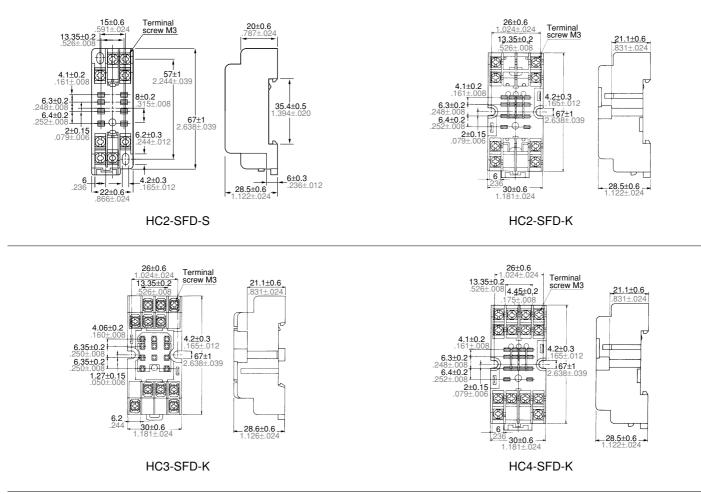
Socket for wrapping (with hold-down clip)





### Screw terminal socket for DIN rail assembly (with hold-down clip)

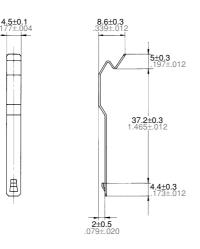




### Hold-down clip

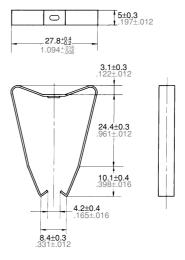
(1) Leaf spring: Applied to HC1-SS-K, HC2-SS-K, HC3-SS-K, HC4-SS-K, HC1-PS-K, HC2-PS-K, HC3-PS-K, HC4-PS-K, HC2-SF-K, HC3-HSF-K, HC4-HSF-K

Part No.: HC/HL-LEAF-SPRING-K

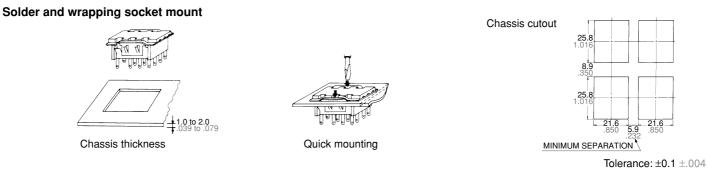


(2) "M shape" leaf spring: Applied to HC4-WS-K

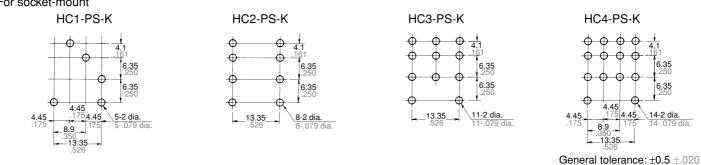
Part No.: HC/HL-LEAF-SPRING-MK



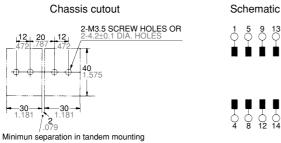
### MOUNTING DIMENSIONS AND METHOD



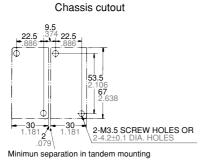
#### PC board pattern for PC board socket (Copper-side view) For socket-mount



### Screw socket mounts (Top view) HC2-SF-K

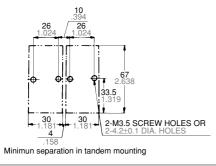


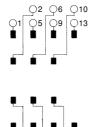
### HC4-HSF-K



### HC3-SFD-K







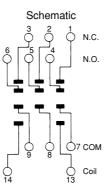
Schematic

9 Ç

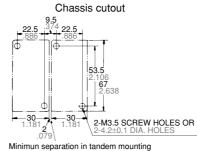
13 C

() 12 14





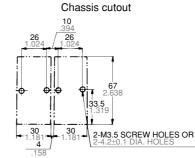
HC3-HSF-K



O4 07 O13 60 зÓ 90 0 14 20-50-80-

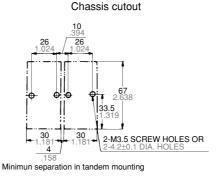
Schematic

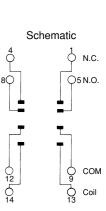
HC2-SFD-K

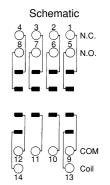


Minimun separation in tandem mounting

### HC4-SFD-K







All Rights Reserved © COPYRIGHT Matsushita Electric Works, Ltd.

HC mm inch

### **Direct mount for HC-TM relay siries**

