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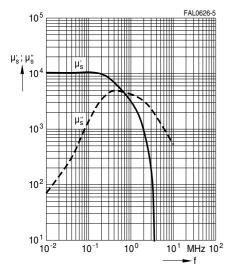
#### Material properties

| Preferred application  |  |                                      | Broadband transformers      |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Material   |  |                                      | Т38                         |
| Base material  |  |                                      | MnZn                        |
|  | Symbol   | Unit                                 |                             |
| Initial permeability<br>(T = 25 °C)                                    | μ  |                                      | 10000<br>±30%               |
| Meas. field strength<br>Flux density (near<br>saturation) (f = 10 kHz) | H<br>B <sub>S</sub> (25 °C)<br>B <sub>S</sub> (100 °C) | A/m<br>mT<br>mT                      | 1200<br>430<br>260          |
| Coercive field strength<br>(f = 10 kHz)                                | H <sub>c</sub> (25 °C)<br>H <sub>c</sub> (100 °C)      | A/m<br>A/m                           | 8<br>7                      |
| Optimum<br>frequency range   | f <sub>min</sub><br>f <sub>max</sub>                   | MHz                                  | 0.01 0.10                   |
| Relative at f <sub>min</sub><br>loss factorat f <sub>max</sub>         | tan δ/μ <sub>i</sub>                                   | 10 <sup>-6</sup><br>10 <sup>-6</sup> | <2.0<br><20                 |
| Hysteresis<br>material constant  | $\eta_{B}$   | 10 <sup>-6</sup> /mT                 | <0.3                        |
| Curie temperature  | T <sub>C</sub>   | °C                                   | >130                        |
| Relative<br>temperature coefficient<br>at 25 55 °C<br>at 5 25 °C       | $\alpha_{F}$   | 10 <sup>_6</sup> /K                  |                             |
| Mean value of α <sub>F</sub><br>at 25 … 55 °C                          |  | 10 <sup>_6</sup> /K                  | - 0.2                       |
| Density (typical values)   |  | kg/m <sup>3</sup>                    | 4900                        |
| Disaccommodation<br>factor at 25 °C                                    | DF   | 10 <sup>_6</sup>                     | —                           |
| Resistivity  | ρ  | Ωm                                   | 0.1                         |
| Core shapes  |  |                                      | RM, P, EP, ER,<br>Toroid, E |

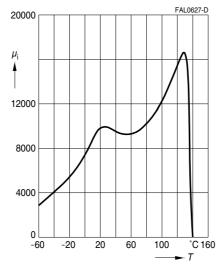




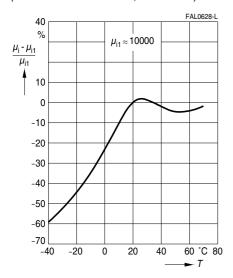
Complex permeability versus frequency (measured on R10 toroids,  $\hat{B} \leq 0.25$  mT)



Initial permeability  $\mu_i$  versus temperature (measured on R10 toroids,  $\hat{B}$  ≤0.25 mT)

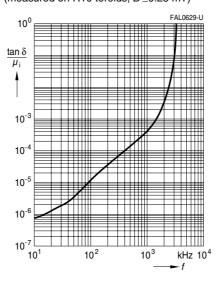


Variation of initial permeability with temperature (measured on R10 toroids,  $\hat{B} \leq 0.25$  mT)



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Relative loss factor versus frequency (measured on R10 toroids,  $\hat{B}$  ≤0.25 mT)

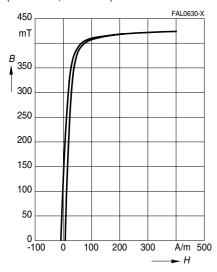


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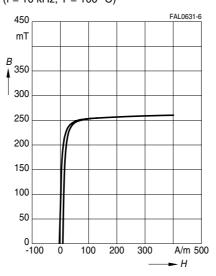


## Dynamic magnetization curves (typical values)

(f = 10 kHz, T = 25 °C)

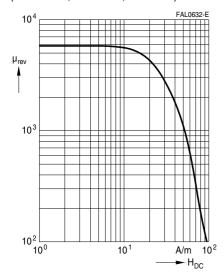


Dynamic magnetization curves (typical values) (f = 10 kHz, T = 100 °C)



DC magnetic bias

(measured on RM cores, typical values) ( $\hat{B} \le 0.25 \text{ mT}$ , f = 10 kHz, T = 25 °C)



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#### Effects of core combination on AL value

Stresses in the core affect not only the mechanical but also the magnetic properties. It is apparent that the initial permeability is dependent on the stress state of the core. The higher the stresses are in the core, the lower is the value for the initial permeability. Thus the embedding medium should have the greatest possible elasticity.

For detailed information see Data Book 2007, chapter "General - Definitions, 8.2".

#### Heating up

Ferrites can run hot during operation at higher flux densities and higher frequencies.





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