



**ADVANCED MATERIALS – THE KEY TO PROGRESS** 



# THE COMPANY VACUUMSCHMELZE

We are a global company with our headquarters in Hanau, Germany. We currently have over 4000 employees who are spread over production and sales locations in more than 40 countries on every continent to generate annual sales of approximately EUR 490 million.

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VACUUMSCHMELZE GmbH & Co. KG is one of world's leading producers of special metallic materials and related products. Our wide range of high quality semi-finished products, parts, components and systems are used in virtually every field of electrical and electronic engineering. This makes us one of the few global companies to offer its customers the complete range of magnetic technology products from a single source – from magnetically soft products to the most powerful permanent magnets in the world.

In all our activities, we benefit from our highly developed material expertise and our decades of experience in magnetic technology. As early as 1923, we became the first company to introduce alloy smelting in a vacuum on an industrial scale and it was from this process that the name VACUUMSCHMELZE was derived. One of our great strengths is our versatility. All of the world's key industries rely on products and expertise from VACUUMSCHMELZE, with our principal customers active in drive and installation technology, medical technology, renewable energy, automation systems, process and control engineering, measurement technology, as well as the very important automotive and aerospace industries. VAC's dedicated solutions are developed in close cooperation with customers and reflect the highest levels of material and application expertise combined with the latest production technology.

# CURRENT SENSORS FOR MAXIMUM ACCURACY

#### **VAC CURRENT SENSOR SERIES**

VAC offers four current sensor series für PCB mounting in which electronics and primary conductors are integrated.

The VAC principle of the closed-loop sensor with magnetic probe as a zero field detector is distinguished by maximum precision of the current detection. The electronics of the new VAC current sensors are concentrated almost entirely in a new IC, which has been developed by VAC in conjunction with a leading semiconductor manufacturer.

Though providing very compact design all types offer the detection of high maximum and continuous currents. The new VAC sensors can be used 1:1 in many customer applications without adaptations.

#### **TYPICAL APPLICATIONS**

- · Variable speed drives
- Uninterruptible power supplies
- · Welding inverters
- Switched mode power supplies
- Photovoltaics



- closed-loop sensor with magnetic probe developed by VAC
- four standard series for rated currents of 6 A to 100 A and peak currents up to + 200 A in compact designs
- types for +5 Volt power supply with voltage output. Optional internal or external reference voltage
- $\bullet$  types for  $\pm$  12 ... 15 Volt power supply with current output
- very good measuring accuracy, minimum DC offset with very low hysteresis

- negligible output noise or periodic signal at zero input
- very low temperature dependence and long-term drift of the output variable
- low rise time, wide frequency range
- low-cost constructions
- industry standard dimensions and pinning



#### **TYPE SERIES OF VAC CURRENT SENSORS**

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item no. Type T60404-	•N	Rated current $I_{PN, ms} @K_N = 1:N$	Max. measuring range $I_{\text{Pmax}} @ V_{\text{c}} = + 5 \text{V} \text{ or } V_{\text{c}} = \pm 15 \text{ V}$	Turns ratio $K_{\rm N}$	Output variable	V <sub>ref</sub> -input/output <sup>2</sup>	Ambient temperature range	Supply voltage $V_c$	Creepage/clearance	System/working voltage acc. to EN 61800-5-1 (reinforced insul.; insul. mat. group 1; PD 2; OV 3)	Frequency range	Accuracy $X @I_{PN}; T_{amb} = 25 °C$	Mechanical outline
		[A]	[A]				-40 to	[V]	[mm]	[V]	DC to	[%]	
	4646- X653 <sup>3</sup>	6 3 2	±20 ±10 ±7	1:2000 2:2000 3:2000	<b>V</b> <sup>5</sup>		+85	+5	7/7	300/650	200	0.7	1
	4646- X652 <sup>3</sup>	15 7.5 5	±51 ±25 ±17	1:2000 2:2000 3:2000	$V^5$		+85	+5	7/7	300/650	200	0.7	1
	4646- X651 <sup>3</sup>	25 12 8	±85 ±42 ±28	1:2000 2:2000 3:2000	V <sup>5</sup>		+85	+5	7/7	300/650	200	0.7	1
	4646- X654 <sup>3</sup>	50 12 8	±150 ±75 ±50	1:1400 2:1400 3:1400	V <sup>5</sup>		+ 85	+5	7/7	300/650	200	0.7	1
	4646- X663 <sup>2</sup>	6 3 2	±20 ±10 ±7	1:2000 2:2000 3:2000	$V^5$	yes	+85	+5	7/7	300/650	200	0.7	2
	4646- X662 <sup>1,2</sup>	15 7.5 5	±51 ±25 ±17	1:2000 2:2000 3:2000	V <sup>5</sup>	yes	+85	+5	7/7	300/650	200	0.7	2
	4646- X661 <sup>1,2</sup>	25 12 8	±85 ±42 ±28	1:2000 2:2000 3:2000	V <sup>5</sup>	yes	+85	+5	7/7	300/650	200	0.7	2
	4646- X664 <sup>2</sup>	50 12 8	±150 ±75 ±50	1:1400 2:1400 3:1400	V <sup>5</sup>	yes	+ 85	+5	7/7	300/650	200	0.7	2
	4646- X763	6 3 1.5	±20 ±10 ±5	1:2000 2:2000 4:2000	V <sup>5</sup>	yes	+85	+5	9.6/10.6	600/1060	200	0.7	3
	4646- X762	15 7.5 3.75	±51 ±25.5 ±12.5	1:2000 2:2000 4:2000	$V^5$	yes	+85	+5	9.6/10.6	600/1060	200	0.7	3
	4646- X761	25 12 6	±85 ±42 ±21	1:2000 2:2000 4:2000	$V^5$	yes	+85	+5	9.6/10.6	600/1060	200	0.7	3
	4646- X764	50 12 6	±150 ±75 ±37.5	1:1400 2:1400 4:1400	$V^5$	yes	+85	+5	9.6/10.6	600/1060	200	0.7	3

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. Kar	4646- X460 <sup>2</sup>	50 25 17	±150 ±75 ±50	1:1400 2:1400 3:1400	V <sup>5</sup>	yes	+85	+5	10.2/10.2	600/1020	100	0.7	4
	4646- X461 <sup>2</sup>	100 50 33	±200 ±100 ±66	1:1100 2:1100 3:1100	V <sup>5</sup>	yes	+85	+5	10.2/10.2	600/1020	100	0.7	4
	4646- X300	25 12 8 6 5	±85 ±43 ±28 ±21 ±17	1:1000 2:1000 3:1000 4:1000 5:1000	I		+85	+ 12 15	10.2/10.2	600/1020	200	0.5	5
	4646- X400	25 10 8	±130 ±65 ±43	1:1000 2:1000 3:1000	I		+85	+ 12 15	10.2/10.2	600/1020	200	0.5	6
THE THE OWNER	4646- X410	50 20 15	±128 ±64 ±43	1:1000 2:1000 3:1000	I		+85	+ 12 15	10.2/10.2	600/1020	200	0.5	7
	4646- X412	100 35 25	±175 ±82 ±58	1:2000 2:2000 3:2000	I		+85	+ 12 15	10.2/10.2	600/1020	200	0.5	7
	4646- X413	100 35 25	±208 ±104 ±69	1:1500 2:1500 3:1500	I		+85	+ 12 15	10.2/10.2	600/1020	200	0.5	7

<sup>1</sup> Reflow-solderable versions ("Paste-to-Pin") of these types are available. Please enquire.

<sup>2</sup> Reference voltage output 2.5 ± 0.005 V. Ri=670 Ohm. Can be overwritten and therefore used as an input for an external reference. Voltage range 0 ... 4V.

<sup>3</sup> Types without reference voltage input/output (V<sub>ref</sub> – pin): For new developments we recommend the use of the types of 4646-X66x or 4646-X76x with reference voltage input/output to achieve higher measuring accuracy.

<sup>4</sup> The rated current for these types is only a reference value. They all can be used up to the maximum ambient temperature, loaded with the following rms values per primary turn: 17 A in parallel connection, 12 A in series connection. Within these limits, the sensor type can be selected according to the measuring range.

 $^{5}$  V\_A = V\_{ref} \pm (0.625 \* I\_P/I\_PN), resp. V\_A = 2.5 V  $\pm$  (0.625 \* I\_P/I\_PN).

Examples, type 4646-X761: Primary current (peak) = 85 A. Output voltage range (peak) =  $2.5 V \pm (0.625 * 85 A/25 A) = 0.375 V \dots 4.625 V$ Primary current (RMS) = 20 A. Output voltage range (RMS) =  $0.625 * 20 A/25 A = 0.5 V_{rms}$ 

#### **MECHANICAL OUTLINES**

#### Drawing no. 1



#### Туре

T60404-N4646-X651 T60404-N4646-X652 T60404-N4646-X653 T60404-N4646-X654



Drawing no. 2



Tolerances grid distance ±0,2mm

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#### Туре

T60404-N4646-X661 T60404-N4646-X662 T60404-N4646-X663 T60404-N4646-X664





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#### Drawing no. 3



test dimension

Tolerances grid distance ±0,25mm

#### Туре

T60404-N4646-X761 T60404-N4646-X762 T60404-N4646-X763 T60404-N4646-X764



Drawing no. 4







Tolerances grid distance ±0,2mm

0,6

Detail Z **Type** T60404-N4646-X460 T60404-N4646-X461





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Drawing no. 6









**Type** T60404-N4646-X400

Tolerances grid distance ±0,2mm







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#### Drawing no. 7





Tolerances grid distance ±0,2mm



14,45



T60404-N4646-X410

T60404-N4646-X412

Туре





DC = Date Code F= Factory

#### **CROSS-REFERENCE LIST**

The sensors of the VAC type series can replace competitive products in many cases and generally offer superior performance with respect to accuracy, temperature drift and quality of the quiescent signal. The following table lists the available products with which the VAC sensors are electrically and mechanically compatible according to the data sheet comparison. Minor differences may still exist and therefore the customer is responsible for the actual suitability in their specific application.

A large number of other competitive types can be replaced functionally with modifications to the PCB layout/circuit design. Please ask about these.

Item no.		LEM	Honeywell	Tamura	Telcon	Remarks
Туре Т60404-М	I					
	4646-	CAS 6-NP <sup>1,2</sup>		S22P006S05		
	X653	LTS 6-NP1				
	4646-	CAS 15-NP <sup>2</sup>		S22P015S05		
and the second second	X652	LTS 15-NP <sup>1</sup>				
m	4646-	CAS 25-NP <sup>2</sup>		S22P025S05		
	X651	LTS 25-NP <sup>1</sup>				
	4646-	CAS 50-NP <sup>2</sup>				
	X654					
	4646-	CASR 6-NP <sup>2</sup>				
	X663	LTSR 6-NP <sup>1</sup>				
Company of the	4646-	CASR 15-NP <sup>2</sup>				
	X662	LTSR 15-NP <sup>1</sup>				
	4646-	CASR 25-NP <sup>2</sup>				
	X661	LTSR 25-NP <sup>1</sup>				
	4646-	CASR 50-NP <sup>2</sup>				
	X664					VAC-types without primary-
	4646-	CKSR 6-NP <sup>2</sup>				conductor-opening
	X763					<sup>2</sup> VAC-types 8 mm higher
TANK NAME	4646-	CKSR 15-NP <sup>2</sup>				
ann	X762					<sup>3</sup> VAC-types 3 mm wider
	4646-	CKSR 25-NP <sup>2</sup>				
	X761					<sup>4</sup> VAC primary pins
	4646-	CKSR 50-NP <sup>2</sup>				ø 1.5 mm
	X/64					
	4646-	LAS 50-IP				<sup>5</sup> VAC-measuring range ± 128A
Mar and Arts	X460	LAS 50-TP/SP1				
	4646-	LAS 100-IP				
	X461	LAS 100-TP/SP1				
	4646-	LA 25-NP	CSNE 151		HIP25NP	
	X300		CSNE 151-005			
			CSNE 151-006			
			USNE 151-007			
	1616		CSINE 151-010			
	4040- V400	LAH 25-NP				
	A400					
	4040- V/10	LAH 50-P/SP1		5237500151014,5		
	A410					
	4646-			523750015°		
	X412			5237 1000 15"		
		LAN 100-7/373		1 9237 100D 191010*		

#### **TECHNICAL APPENDIX**

#### FUNCTIONAL PRINCIPLE OF VAC CURRENT SENSORS

Two major advantages of the compensation current sensors are their high linearity and their excellent dynamic properties. The current  $I_p$  to be measured is magnetically coupled to the compensation current through a soft magnetic core. The magnetic flux of this core is measured by a magnetic probe and controlled to zero by the electronics, generating a compensation current  $I_s$  in the compensation coil. This current and thus the output voltage across the burden resistor are proportional to the primary current  $I_p$ .



#### DIFFERENT SENSOR PRINCIPLES – ACCURACY OF THE CURRENT CAPTURE AND QUALITY OF THE OUTPUT SIGNAL

#### OPEN LOOP HALL EFFECT-SENSORS WITHOUT COMPEN-SATION COIL

The accuracy of these types of sensors differs from the two other principles. Their error over the whole temperature range is 7.5% to 12%. About half of this error is temperature-dependent. The series scattering of the temperature responses of the Hall elements prevents the possibility of compensation. Their output signal is also very noisy and has a lower bandwidth. Open loop Hall effect sensors can be used for less demanding applications.

#### **CLOSED LOOP HALL EFFECT-SENSORS**

They achieve approximately half the accuracy of the VAC sensors, i.e. 2% to 3% over the permissible ambient temperature range which is smaller (typically -25 ... 85 °C instead of -40 ... 85 °C). Their output signal is superimposed by noise. This semiconductor noise is broadband and cannot be filtered out.

#### VAC CLOSED LOOP SENSORS WITH MAGNETIC PROBE

These types reach an up to two times higher accuracy than closed loop Hall effect-sensors over the entire application temperature range of -40 °C to +105 °C or higher. This is more important than the error value only at room temperature. The superimposed noise of the VAC sensor has a low level, is high frequency periodic and therefore easy to filter. There is practically no noise.

#### VAC CLOSED LOOP SENSORS OFFER HIGH CONTINUOUS AND PEAK CURRENTS IN A VERY COMPACT FORM

Types, like e.g. T60404-N4646-X764, detect maximum rms continuous currents up to 50 A and peak currents up to  $\pm$  150 A in a design with the dimensions 22.2 mm x 10.0 mm x 24.0 mm (L x W x H).



#### **REFLOW-SOLDERABLE TYPES AVAILABLE**

The types T60404-N4646-X681 and -X682 (not included in this brochure) are electrically and mechanically compatible to the types T60404-N4646-X661 and -X662. They are however reflow-solderable and are therefore suitable for the automated processing e.g. on PCBs, which are exclusivly or predominantly equipped with SMD components.

VAC recommends the temperature profile for lead-free soldering shown in the graph below. The optimal soldering profile for the specific application may however vary and must be determined by the user.



Measured at VAC sensor with unipolar  $+\,5\,\mathrm{V}$  supply and voltage output.

T60404-N4646-X661,  $I_{P,N}$ =25 A,  $I_{Pmax}$ =±85 A.

#### **TEMPERATURE RESPONSE OFFSET**

Low offset, almost temperature-independent, easily compensatable  $(I_{\rm p}{=}I_{\rm PN})$ 



#### **TEMPERATURE RESPONSE GAIN**

Low gain-error, almost temperature-independent  $(I_{P}=I_{PN})$ 



#### **PULSE RESPONSE**

The output signal V<sub>out</sub> (here expressed as the equivalent of the input current) follows the input signal I<sub>P</sub> with negligible delay and adapts quickly to the static value. Shown here for I<sub>P</sub>=25 A and I<sub>P</sub>=80 A.



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