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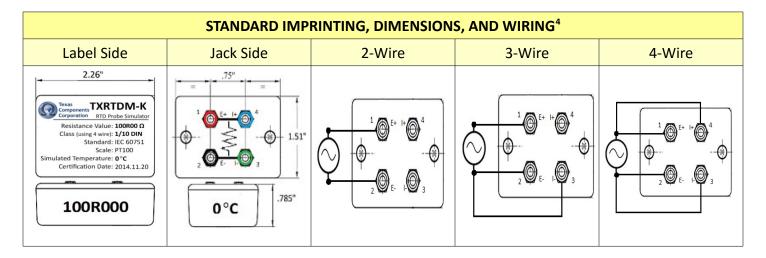
Universal Scale Design; Ultra High Precision, Accuracy, and Stability

You need a precision, passive, analog device to accurately simulate your RTD probes/sensors!

Precise simulation of ANY temperature value!

Any standard! Any scale! Any accuracy class!

- Easy to use
- Superior accuracy
- Zero maintenance
- Rugged
- Small and portable







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Precision Resistor Module for RTD Probe Simulation and RTD Instrument Calibration Universal Scale Design; Ultra Low TCR; Ultra High Precision, Accuracy, and Stability

Tight Tolerance, Low Temperature Coefficient of Resistance (TCR), Low EMF, and Low Voltage Coefficient of Resistance (VCR)

Resistors featuring Bulk Metal® Foil are renowned for their unique combination of unmatched performance in all major technical areas, including:

Power Coefficient of Resistance (PCR)

Thermal Electromotive Force (EMF)

Temperature Coefficient of Resistance (TCR) Voltage Coefficient of Resistance (VCR) Electrostatic Discharge (ESD) **Tolerance**

Thermal Stabilization **Load Life Stability**

Response Time Noise

How are you calibrating your precision Resistance Temperature Detectors and Devices?

You need precision resistors to calibrate precision RTD equipment, and no resistor is more accurate or more stable than those made with Bulk Metal® Foil technology. The TXCC line of RTD support products allow for the quick, accurate, precise simulation of ANY temperature value (including the standard RTD range of -200°C to 850°C and beyond) for any standard (ASTM E1137, IEC 60751, DIN 43760, BS-1904, JIS C1604, ITS-90, JJG 229, etc.), on any scale or type (PT50, PT100, PT200, PT500, PT1000, PT2000, PT10000, CU10, CU50, NI120, NI110, etc), available certified to Class B, A, AA, 1/3 DIN, and even 1/10 DIN accuracy when used within a wide ambient temperature range (+10°C to +40°C for K foil and -20°C to +70°C for Z foil) to simulate any RTD temperature (-200°C to 850°C or beyond). These modules have a wide physical operating temperature range (-20°C to +70°C) and will still read accurately, every time, in any environment your technicians might find themselves (hot, cold, humid, or dry). There are no mechanical switches or settings to adjust (that could introduce errors), and each resistance module seals and protects the resistive element against dust and other environmental factors. The advantages of this approach over ice water, boiling water, or even a decade box and other RTD probe simulators are many:

- Easy to use (Fast! Just plug into the value you want to use. No dials to spin, no settings to miss, no mistakes to make. All values simultaneously
- Vastly superior accuracy, long term stability, and TCR (automatic climate control built-in)
- Zero maintenance (No switches to wear or keep clean)
- Less expensive (A full compliment of modules are still far less than a respectable decade box)
- Very rugged (Sealed and protected.)
- Less required calibration of the standard itself (Modules becomes more stable over time, unlike other technologies)
- Portability (Very light weight, and any size carrying pouch can be selected to transport as many modules as you need at one time)

RTD SIMULATOR - CALIBRATE ALL OF YOUR RTD INPUTS

The TXRTDM RTD Probe Simulator can simulate any RTD probe at any termperature value in all types of environments for all types of instruments; including transmitters, controllers, medical equipment, data acquisition, process control, metrology, and other laboratory equipment. Each module comes clearly marked with its specific resistance values and the correlating temperature value under the standard you are using. Using common banana plugs, just connect to an RTD device and instantly read the temperature indicated to confirm your instrument's accuracy. Better than a decade box, the TXRTDM is easier, faster, more accurate, and much less expensive. This TXRTDM RTD Probe Simulator is a complete and compact unit for checking and calibrating all RTD instruments, whether in the field, shop, or control room. It's long-term stability is designed-in and built-in, negating the effects of temperature, contamination, and humidity.

Bulk Metal® Foil technology outperforms all other resistor technologies today, making it the clear choice for applications that require high precision and high stability. This technology allows for the design and production of RTD support products that would not be possible otherwise. The TXRTDM RTD Probe Simulator offers ultra low TCR, exceptional load life stability, tight tolerances, fast response time, low current noise, low thermal EMF, as well as ultra low power and voltage coefficients - all in a convenient, sealed design using common banana jack connections. The TXRTDM RTD Probe Simulator is virtually insensitive to common destabilizing factors that can completely undermine the accuracy and usefulness of other resistor types, including and especially those of a decade box. The resistive element used is a solid alloy that is inherently ultra stable which, along with the many other additional Bulk Metal® Foil benefits, allows designers to guarantee the highest degree of accuracy and stability in fixed-resistor applications.

TXRTDM FEATURES & SPECIFICATIONS

- Accuracy: Calibrated resistance tolerance to ± 0.005% (and to ± 0.025°C). Available certified to Class 1/10 DIN on most scales. (See Table 1)
- Temperature Effect (TCR): Already accounted for in the Table 1 accuracy specifications within the ambient temperature range of +10°C to +40°C. Outside this range reduce accuracy by ± 2.5 ppm/°C to ± 4.5 ppm/°C (or $< \pm 0.0005\%$ /°C) unless the Z foil option is chosen.
- Resistance range: Typically 9Ω to $40K\Omega$, to simulate the standard RTD range of -200°C to +850°C. (Any resistance value from 5Ω to 150K Ω is available up to 6 significant digits, to accommodate any temperature value on any scale under any standard.)
- Physical Operating Temperature Range: -20°C to +70°C (-4°F to +158°F)
- Warm Up/Thermal stabilization time: < 1 second (nominal value achieved within 10 ppm of steady state value)
- Rated power (per resistor): 0.4 W at +70 °C.
- Exceptional load life stability: ± 0.005% (< 50 ppm) at +70 °C and 2000 hours at rated power!
- Power coefficient of resistance (PCR) or ΔR due to self heating: ± 5 ppm at
- Voltage coefficient of resistance (VCR): < 0.1 ppm/V (essentially zero)
- Max working voltage: 300 V (and $\leq \sqrt{PxR}$) See Table 6 for higher values.
- Electrostatic discharge (ESD): > 25 kV
- Capacitance: 0.5 pF typical; 1.0 pF max (non-capacitive design)
- Inductance: < 0.08 μH typical; 0.1 μH max; (non-inductive design)
- Rise time: 1.0 ns at 1kΩ (effectively no ringing)
- Current noise: 0.010 μV RMS/Volt of Applied Voltage (< -40 dB)
- Thermal EMF: 0.05 μ V/°C typical (0.10 μ V/°C max) and 1 μ V/W (μ V/°C relates to EMF due to ΔT wrt to leads and μV /watt due to the applied power)
- Total accumulated ΔR over life (EOL): to ± 0.05%! Pre & Post Manufacturing Operations are available to reduce this even further.
- Lifetime warranty! (excluding abuse or damage); Made in the USA!



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TABLE 1 – ACCURACY & TCR BY RESISTANCE RANGE (K-Foil)

RESISTANCE VALUE (Ω) (x10 for PT1000)	CALIBRATED TOLERANCE ¹	PT100 ACCURACY ² (Class 1/10 DIN)	NOMINAL TCR ³ (ppm/°C)			
≥ 100Ω	< ± 0.005%	± 0.03 °C (> 0°C)				
50Ω to < 100Ω	< ± 0.01%	± 0.05 °C (-125°C to 0°C)	< ± 1.0			
5Ω to < 50Ω	< ± 0.025%	± 0.1 °C (< -125°C)				

Notes: 1) Calibrated value, before any operating tolerances. 2) Accuracy value includes all operating tolerances across the ambient temperature range. (3 or, preferably, 4 wire connections are required for the class accuracy rating to apply.) 3) K-Foil is shown. TCR for Z-Foil is about 1/5 that of K-Foil and offers the same 1/10 DIN accuracy across the full operating temp range.

TABLE 2 – MATERIALS AND DIMENSIONS				
SPECIFICATIONS	PARAMETERS			
Body and Cover	High impact polystyrene			
Finish	Black textured			
Terminal/Jack Separation	0.75 inches (19.05 mm)			
Weight	Approximately 50 grams			

FIGURE 1 – NOMINAL RESISTANCE/TEMPERATURE CURVE(S) and Chord Slopes (Statistically Combined) Built-in Climate Control for any Environment

Accurate and Precise Temperature Simulation in Any Actual Physical Environment

(The TXRTDM series uses K-Foil by default. Z -Foil is available for extreme environments)

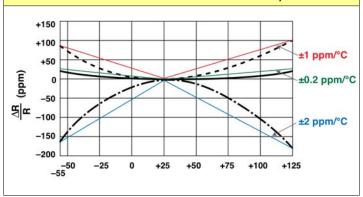
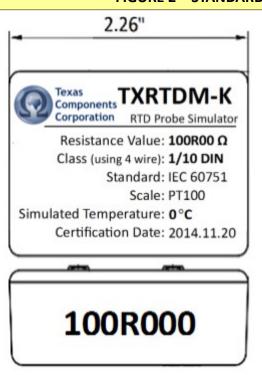
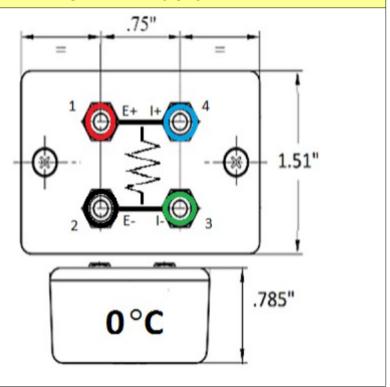


FIGURE 2 – STANDARD IMPRINTING AND DIMENSIONS 4





4) The 4-wire model shown here supports 4-wire connections as well as 3-wire and 2-wire connections. A 4-wire (Kelvin) connection is recommended for all scales and values but especially where long cable runs are used. An RTD module requires at least 3-wires to compensate for cable resistance error. When working with 3-wire connections, all three wires/cables must be the same length and gauge so as to keep the resistance difference between them $< 0.01\Omega$. Do not use 2-wire connections if long wire/cable runs are used - but if a 2-wire configuration must be used, then use high quality wires/cable and consider reducing the effects of wire/cable resistance by using a lower gauge wire for the cable.



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FIGURE 3 – WIRING DIAGRAMS 2-Wire 3-Wire 4-Wire

TABLE 3 – QUICK SPECIFICATIONS							
MODEL	TYPICAL RESISTANCE RANGE ⁵	SIMULATED TEMPERATURE RANGE ⁶	MAX WORKING VOLTAGE	ABSOLUTE CALIBRATED ACCURACY	POWER RATING (at +70 °C)	PACKAGING	
TXRTDM	9Ω to 40KΩ	-200°C to 850°C (-328°F to 1562°F)	300 V (and ≤ $\sqrt{\text{PxR}}$)	0 to 250 ppm (see Table 1)	0.4 W	Bulk Pack	

5) Any precise value is available, from 5Ω to $150K\Omega$; 6) Shown as the typical RTD range. This can actually be any value you assign according to your scale.

TABLE 4 – HOW TO ORDER THE CORRECT PART NUMBER						
MODEL	FOIL 7	STANDARD 8	RTD TYPE/SCALE ⁹	RESISTANCE VALUE 10	TEMPERATURE VALUE 11	
TXRTDM	К	ASTM E1137, IEC 60751,	PT50, PT100, PT200, PT500, PT1000,	9Ω to 40KΩ	-200°C to 850°C	
		DIN 43760, BS-1904,	PT2000, PT10000, CU10, CU50, NI120,	$(R = \Omega, K = 1000 \Omega)$	-328°F to 1562°F	
	Z	JIS C1604, ITS-90,	NI110, PT385, PT3916, CU426, NI618,	Use 7 characters	(C = Celsius , F = Farenheit)	
		JJG 229, Custom, etc.	NI672,NIFE518, Custom, etc.	(e.g. 100R000 = 100 ohms)	In one degree increments	

A 100 ohm Z foil module to simulate +32°F on the PT100 scale under ASTM E1137 would be ordered as:

TXRTDM-Z-ASTME1137-PT100-100R000 (+32F)

A 185.200 ohm K foil module to simulate -200°C on the PT1000 scale under ITS-90 would be ordered as:

TXRTDM-K-ITS90-PT1000-185R200 (-200C)

A 1000 ohm K foil module to simulate 0°C on the PT1000 scale under IEC 60751 would be ordered as:

TXRTDM-K-IEC60751-PT1000-1K000000 (0C)

- 7) Z foil is recommended for use outside the indicated ambient temperature range.
- 8) Any standard can be supported. Just tell us your choice and confirm the values you want to use.
- 9) Other RTD scales and values are also supported. Contact us with your specialized requirements.
- 10) Any precise value is available to 6 significant digits from 5Ω to $150K\Omega$
- 11) Texas Components will not provide or suggest or define or be responsible for the resistance value chosen or ordered. You must consult your application and standard and tell us the resistance value you want or need and the temperature you believe that resistance value simulates in your application.

Related Accessories and Services:

- (a) For proper results, all connections and measurements should be made via 3 or, even better, 4 wire connectors using fresh and springy banana plugs. If needed, Texas Components can provide a custom cable to connect these modules to your particular RTD equipment. Ask about TXRTDKM-CABLE.
- (b) A padded carrying case is available to support the combined storage and transport of multiple modules and a cable. Tell us how many modules you want to fit in the case and order part number TXRTDKM-CASE
- (c) Certification/Recertification of these resistor modules is available (and recommended annualy). Order part number TXRTDM-RECERT







TXRTDM MultiValue (Up to 14 values)

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