

### Gas Discharge Tubes GTCX28-XXXM-R10 Series

Raychem Circuit Protection 8mm 2Pole GDTs (ceramic gas discharge tubes), are commonly used to help protect sensitive telecom equipment such as communication lines, signal lines and data transmission lines from damage caused by transient surge voltages that typically result from lightning strikes and equipment switching operations.

Raychem Circuit Protection GDTs offer a high level of surge protection, low capacitance and a broad array of breakover voltage levels, making them suitable for applications such as MDF (Main Distribution Frame) modules, high data-rate telecom applications (e.g. ADSL, VDSL), and surge protection on power lines. Raychem Circuit Protection GDTs, can help equipment meet the most stringent regulatory standards.



#### **Benefits:**

- Helps provide overvoltage fault protection against high energy surges
- · Suitable for high-frequency applications

#### **Features:**

- 2Pole, 8mm devices
- Broad voltage range from 75V-600V
- Various form factors: surface mount, axial leads, no leads
- · Low capacitance and insertion loss
- UL 497B recognized
- · RoHS compliant
- Devices tested per ITU K.12 recommendations
- Non-radioactive materials

#### **Applications:**

- Telecommunications
- MDF modules, xDSL equipment, RF system

protection, antenna, base station

- · Industrial and consumer electronics, such as
  - Surge protectors
  - Alarm system



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### Device Voltage Ratings and Part Marking

Part Number	DC Sparkover		oulse kover	DC Holdover Voltage	On-State Voltage
	@100V/s ±20% Tolerance (V)	@100 V/µs (V)	@1000 V/µs (V)	Per ITU K.12 (<150ms) (V)	Nominal (@ 1A) (V)
GTCX28-750M-R10	75	450	550	<52	20
GTCX28-900M-R10	90	450	550	<52	20
GTCX28-141M-R10	140	500	600	<80	20
GTCX28-151M-R10	150	500	600	<80	20
GTCX28-201M-R10	200	600	700	<135	20
GTCX28-231M-R10	230	600	700	<135	20
GTCX28-251M-R10	250	600	700	<135	20
GTCX28-261M-R10	260	700	800	<135	20
GTCX28-301M-R10	300	800	900	<150	20
GTCX28-351M-R10	350	900	1000	<150	20
GTCX28-401M-R10	400	900	1000	<150	20
GTCX28-421M-R10	420	900	1000	<150	20
GTCX28-471M-R10	470	1050	1150	<150	20
GTCX28-501M-R10	500	1100	1200	<150	20
GTCX28-551M-R10	550	1300	1400	<150	20
GTCX28-601M-R10	600	1300	1400	<150	20

### Device Surge Rating, Capacitance, Insulation Resistance, UL

Part Number	Impulse Discharge Current	Impulse Life	AC Discharge Current (1sec duration; 10 hits)	Capacitance	Insulation Resistance	UL Rating
	8x20µs 10 hits	10x1000µs 300 hits	@50 Hz	@1Mhz*	@100V**	UL497B #E179610
GTCX28-XXXM-R10	10kA	100A	10Arms	<1pF	10,000 (MΩ)	All Devices

\* <1.2pF for 75V and 90V devices

\*\* Devices <=90V measured @ 50V: Devices >=500V measured @ 250V

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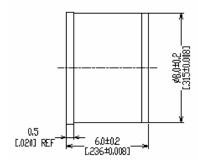


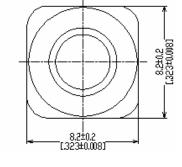
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### **Product Dimensions**

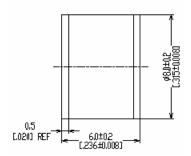
#### **DIMENSIONS = MILLIMETERS [INCHES]**

### Surface-mount (GTCS28-XXXM-R10)

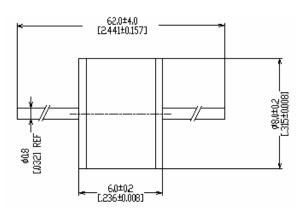




#### No Leads (GTCN28-XXXM-R10)

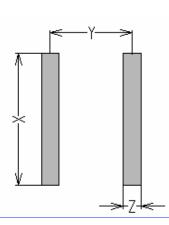


### Axial Leads (GTCA28-XXXM-R10)



#### Pad Layout – Surface- mount Devices (GTCS28-XXXM-R10)

	Х	Y	Z
	NOM	NOM	NOM
mm:	9.0	5.6	1.2
in*:	(0.354)	(0.220)	(0.047)



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### **General Characteristics**

No Radioactive Material Storage Temperature: -40°C to +90°C Operating Temperature: -40°C to +90°C Body: Nickel Plated Leads: Surface-mount, Axial Devices: Tin Plated Devices with No Leads: Nickel Plated Soldering Note: Devices with no leads are non-solderable; meant for insertion into magazine clips

#### Packaging Information

#### Part Description Tray / Reel **Standard Package** No Leads: GTCN28-XXXM-R10 100pcs 2,000pcs Axial Leads: GTCA28-XXXM-R10 100pcs 1,000pcs Surface-mount: GTCS28-XXXM-R10 2,000pcs 100pcs Tape & Reel SMD part: GTCS28-XXXM-R10-2 500pcs 2500pcs

### Part Numbering System

### Example Part Number: GTCX28-351M-R10

- GT = Gas Tube
- C = Ceramic
- X = Lead Configuration: N= No leads; A= Axial Leads; S= Surface-mount
- 2 = 2 Electrode device
- 8 = 8mm Diameter
- 351 = DC Spark Over Voltage of 350V (at 100V/s)
- M = Tolerance of 20% on DC Spark Over Voltage
- R = Product Family Designator
- 10 = Surge rating: 8x20µs 10kA 10 times



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#### Part Marking Reference

### Example Part Marking: X 35 R10 GN

- X = Manufacture Mark
- 35 = Voltage Designator (35 = 350V)
- R10 = Product Family Designator + Surge Current 10kA (8x20µs 10 hits)
- GN = Year and Week of Manufacture



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