

The recent financial troubles in Cyprus have attracted a range of alarming headlines around the world, but we must be careful to avoid panie and reckless measures that would exacerbate the crisis. For in reality, Cyprus — one of the smallest economics in the eurozone — has a manageable fiscal deficit, low debt and until very recently a thriving economy, based on financial services and tourism. Large reserves of natural gas and possibly oil have been discovered off its southern coast, which would bring a bonanza in three to five years. Read more; Why is

to tax bank deposits?
The roots of the crisis go back to 2006 when the Cyprus Popular Bank, the country's second biggest bank was taken over by a smaller Greek bank. The new owners invested very in Greek bonds and loans but kept it as a Cypriot bank, instead of transferring the HQ to Greece. This was because of the better corporate environment in Cyprus, where tax rates are just 10%, compared to Greece where it is at Three years

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About Yageo



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Founded in 1977, the Yageo Corporation has become a world-class provider of passive component services with capabilities on a global scale, including production and sales facilities in Asia, Europe and the Americas.

Yageo currently ranks as the world No.I in chip-resistors, No. 3 in MLCCs and No. 4 in ferrite products, with a strong global presence: 21 sales offices in 15 countries, 9 production sites, 8 JIT logistic hubs, and 2 R&D centers worldwide. Ferroxcube and Vitrohm, who produce ferrites and leaded resistors, are also a part of the Yageo group.

We support our customers with extensive literature including datasheets, brochures and application notes, which are also available electronically on our website at: www.yageo.com



Introduction

High Performance and High Reliability

The four cornerstones of technology required to manufacture high performance and high reliability high-cap MLCCs are: material technology, thin-film processing technology, production technology and base metal technology.

Being vertically-integrated from material processing to production technology, Yageo is able to manufacture high-performance and high-reliability, high-cap MLCCs, controlling the production process from beginning to end. The graphics below show the trends in material development of advanced, high-cap MLCCs.

Thanks to unique material technology, Yageo offers many types of Multi-Layer Ceramic Capacitors (MLCCs), including commodity, high-capacitance, high voltage, soft termination, X2Y and MLV (multi-layer varistor).

The dielectric material of Yageo's CC series ranges through NPO, X5R, X7R and Y5V, with standard EIA chip sizes available, a wide-range of capacitances for various circuit needs, rugged terminations (lead-free), and the capability to be used in both reflow and wave soldering systems.

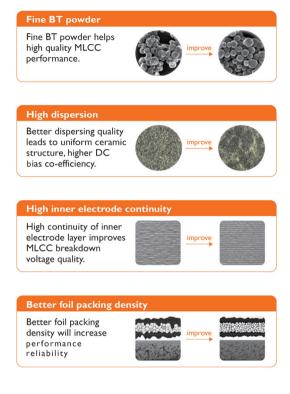
Yageo MLCCs provide outstanding performance, reliability and cost advantages for circuit designers. The capacitors are

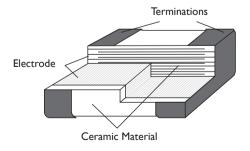
for both paper- and plastic- embossed, tape-and-reel packaging for automatic SMD placement. High capacitance MLCCs are high-end products in terms of capacitance to accommodate trends in the electronic industry towards convergence, multi-functionality, and miniaturization.

In this subcategory, we cover IµF - 100µF, depending on the case size. The available capacitance range is expanding year by year, and is particularly focused on the smaller MLCCs, with continuous R&D of the core technologies for thinner layers.

Main Features of Yageo's High Capacitance MLCCs

- Materials: X5R, X7R and Y5V
- Wide selection of sizes: from 0201 to 2220
- Capacitance range from IμF to 100μF
- · Working voltage rated from 6.3V 50V
- · Highly-reliable tolerance and high-speed automatic chip placement on PCBs
- Highly-resistant termination metal
- Tape & reel for surface mount assembly





Surface mount multilayer ceramic capacitor construction



Functionality

Electrical signals contain various noise components such as EMI or equipment-generated noise. This noise can cause many problems such as crosstalk, false-triggering, or incorrect logic levels. High capacitance MLCCs can be used to reduce these noise signals and provide a more stable operating system.

High-cap MLCCs have the following functions:

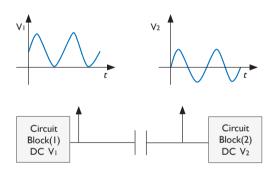
- 1. Bypassing: Used in filtering circuits, MLCCs having low capacitance change vs. frequency work to reduce unwanted signals (high-frequency noise) of the supply voltage to ICs, transistors, or other devices.
- 2. Decoupling: In addition to noise reduction, the MLCC works to keep voltage levels independent of each other with the proper capacitor (low-pass) filtering the supply line. The capacitance should be large enough to absorb any load shift of a device.
- 3. Smoothing: When AC signals are changed to DC signals, if the voltage waveform contains too much ripple, a capacitor is used to smooth (absorb) this voltage before it is sent to other circuits. The capacitance should be large enough to absorb the ripple current.

Signal Coupling

Because capacitors pass AC but block DC signals (when charged up to the applied DC voltage), they are often used to separate the AC and DC components of a signal. It is widely used for separating and joining two circuit blocks.

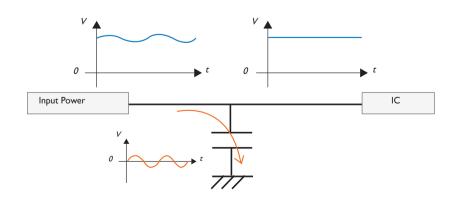
Decoupling (Bypass)

A decoupling capacitor is a capacitor used to decouple one part of a circuit from another. Noise caused by other circuit elements is shunted through the capacitor, reducing the effect they have on the rest of the circuit. It is most commonly used between the power supply and ground.



Coupling capacitor separates DC voltages of circuit blocks but couples AC signal.

An alternative name is bypass capacitor as it is used to bypass the power supply or other high impedance component of a circuit.

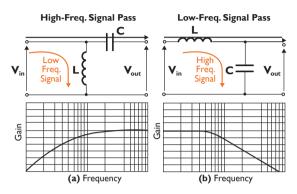


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Noise Filter and Snubbers

When an inductive circuit is opened, the current through the inductance collapses quickly, creating a large voltage across the open circuit of the switch or relay. A snubber capacitor across the newly opened circuit creates a path for this impulse to bypass the contact points, thereby preserving their life; these are commonly found in contact breaker ignition systems.

Similarly, in smaller scale circuits, the spark may not be enough to damage the switch but will still radiate undesirable radio frequency interference (RFI), which a filter capacitor absorbs. Snubber capacitors are usually employed with a low-value resistor in series, to dissipate energy and minimize RFI. Such resistor-capacitor combinations are available in a single package.



Filtering functions of capacitor coupled with inductor (a) High Pass Filter (b) Low Pass Filter

Applications

Consumer, industrial and communications applications, which often have very different mounting and soldering processes, and different substrates, are exposed to a wide range of application conditions. It is therefore necessary to relate their characteristics to typical applications and to consider the application limitations. Surfacemount technology is at a dynamic stage of development in its search for new components, quest for further miniaturization, improved processing, and so on.



- Industrial drives and controls
- Factory automation
- Facility management

Industrial



- Street lighting
- LED lighting
- Industrial lighting

Lighting



- **Smartphones**
- Handheld devices

Mobile



- Base stations
- Set-top Boxes
- Modems

Telecom



- SMPS
- Smart grid meters
- DC/DC converters

Power Management



- Notebooks/Tablets
- Servers

Computing



- Solar inverters
- Wind turbines

Alternative Energy



- Point-of-Care
- Imaging equipment
- Patient monitoring

Medical





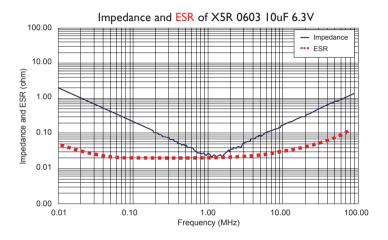


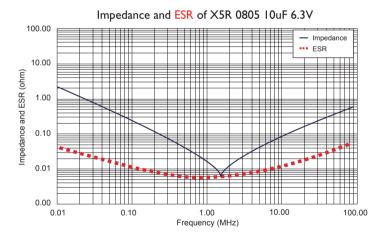
Performance Characteristics

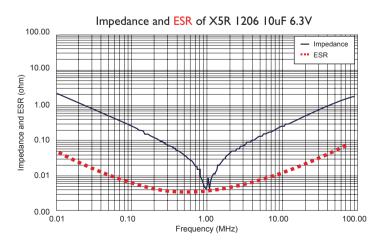
ESR vs Frequency Characteristics

Power losses are in part caused by the inherent resistive elements of capacitors. In the case of an MLCC, the ESR is a electrode resistance and dielectric loss, which decreases as the frequency increases.

Lower dielectric losses result in a higher self-resonance frequency, a higher quality factor, reduced self-heating, and better reliability and performance characteristics.

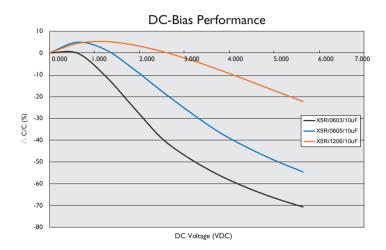






Capacitance vs DC Bias Voltage

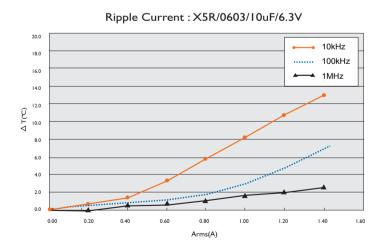
Another consideration when selecting an MLCC is the inherent characteristics of capacitance change versus DC bias voltage. For Class II capacitors (X5R, X7R, Y5V, etc.), larger case size components with equal capacitance, have less capacitance change versus DC bias voltage than smaller-size components.



Ripple Current

One requirement of any high-frequency capacitor is its ability to withstand high ripple currents. In almost all cases, the current rating is constrained by the allowable temperature rise of the capacitor. The heat generated in a capacitor is dependent solely on its ESR value.

Because the ESR of the MLCC is lower compared to other capacitor technologies, the component operating temperature of self-heating is reduced, effectively increasing the life and reliability of the user's module or product.







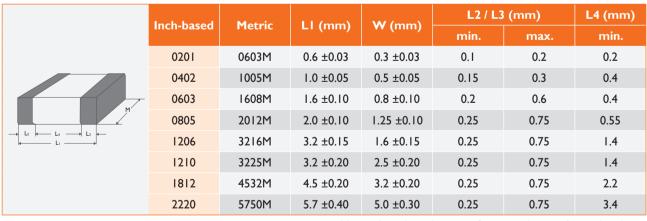


Product Portfolio

Electrical Characteristics

Туре	тс	Operating Temp range	Capacitace range	Voltage range	Tolerance
CC0201	X5R	-55°C to 85°C	luF	6.3V	±20%
	X5R	-55°C to 85°C	IuF ~ IOuF	6.3V ~ 25 V	±10%, ±20%
CC0402	X7R	-55°C to 125°C	luF	6.3V	±10%
	Y5V	-30°C to 85°C	I uF ~ 2.2uF	6.3V ~ 10V	+80% ~ -20%
	X5R	-55°C to 85°C	IuF ∼ 22uF	6.3V ~ 50 V	±10%, ±20%
CC0603	X7R	-55°C to 125°C	I uF ~ 4.7uF	6.3V ~ 50 V	±10%
	Y5V	-30°C to 85°C	IuF ~ I0uF	10V ~ 16V	+80% ~ -20%
	X5R	-55°C to 85°C	IuF ∼ 47uF	6.3V ~ 50 V	±10%, ±20%
CC0805	Y5V	-30°C to 85°C	IuF ∼ 47uF	6.3V ~ 50V	+80% ~ -20%
	X7R	-55°C to 125°C	IuF ~ I0uF	6.3V ~ 50 V	±10%
	X5R	-55°C to 85°C	IuF ~ 100uF	6.3V ~ 50 V	±10%, ±20%
CC1206	X7R	-55°C to 125°C	IuF ∼ 22uF	6.3V ~ 50 V	±10%
	Y5V	-30°C to 85°C	IuF ∼ 47uF	10V ~ 50V	+80% ~ -20%
	X5R	-55°C to 85°C	IuF ~ 100uF	6.3V ~ 50 V	±10%, ±20%
CC1210	X7R	-55°C to 125°C	IuF ~ 100uF	6.3V ~ 50 V	±10%
	Y5V	-30°C to 85°C	10uF ~ 100uF	6.3V ~ 25V	+80% ~ -20%
CC1812	X7R	-55°C to 125°C	luF	50V	±10%
CC2220	X7R	-55°C to 125°C	luF	50V	±10%

Dimensions



Note: Actual product specifications, please refer to datasheet

Packing Quantities

Size	Thickness classification	Таре	180mm / Ø7" reel		330mm /	Quantity per	
code	(mm)	width	Paper	Blister	Paper	Blister	bulk case
0201	0.3 ±0.03 / ±0.05		15 000		50 000		
0402	0.5 ±0.05 / ±0.15 / ±0.20		10 000		50 000		50 000
0603	0.8 ±0.1 / ±0.2		4 000		15 000		15 000
	0.6 ±0.1		4 000		20 000		10 000
0805	0.85		4 000		15 000		8 000
	1.25 ±0.2			3 000		10 000	5 000
	0.6 ±0.1		4 000		20 000		
	0.85 ±0.1	8 mm	4 000		15 000		
1206	1.15 ±0.1			3 000		10 000	
	1.25 ±0.2			3 000		10 000	
	1.6 ±0.2			2 000		10 000	
	0.6			4 000		15 000	
1210	0.85 ±0.1			4 000		10 000	
1210	1.25 ±0.2			3 000			
	1.6			2 000			
1812	1.6 ±0.2	I2 mm		1 000			
2220	1.15 ±0.1	12 111111		1500			

Product Selection Tables

X7R Product Range

Size(mm)Cap	0402	0603	0805	1206	1210	1812	2220
IuF	6.3V	50V	50V	50V	50V	50V	50V
2.2uF		10V	25V	50V	50V		
4.7uF		6.3V	25V	50V	50V		
I0uF			16V	25V	50V		
22uF				10V	25V		
47uF					10V		
I00uF					6.3V		

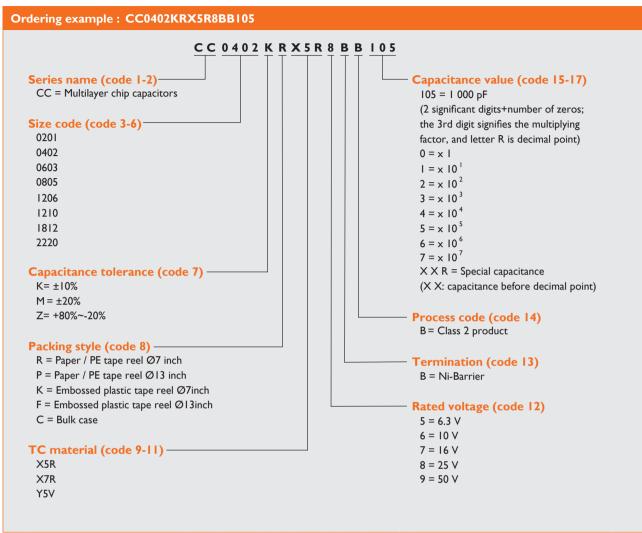
X5R Product Range

Size(mm)Cap	0201	0402	0603	0805	1206	1210
IuF	6.3V	25V	50V	50V	50V	50V
2.2uF		16V	25V	25V	50V	50V
4.7uF		10V	25V	25V	50V	50V
I0uF		6.3V	25V	25V	25V	50V
22uF			10V	10V	16V	25V
47uF				6.3V	10V	16V
I00uF					6.3V	16V

Y5V Product Range

Size(mm)Cap	0402	0603	0805	1206	1210
luF					
2.2uF	10V	16V	50V	50V	
4.7uF		16V	25V	50V	
I OuF		10V	16V	16V	
22uF			16V	16V	25V
47uF			10V	16V	16V
I00uF					6.3V

Ordering Code Definition



Cross Reference

Size	Yageo	Murata	SEMCO	TDK	TaiyoYuden
0201	CC02021	GRM03	SL03	C0603	MK063
0402	CC0402	GRM15	SL05	C1005	MK105
0603	CC0603	GRM18	SL10	C1608	MK107
0805	CC0805	GRM21	SL21	C2012	MK212
1206	CC1206	GRM31	SL31	C3216	MK316
1210	CC1210	GRM32	SL32	C3225	MK325
1812	CC1812	GRM43	SL43	C4532	

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