#### PowerCycling PCX Series Thermoelectric Cooler

The PCX5-16-F1-4040-TA-RT-W6 is a high-performance thermoelectric cooler designed for thermal cycling between multiple temperature set points and is ideal for applications in healthcare among others, where fast temperature changes are required. The thermoelectric module is specially

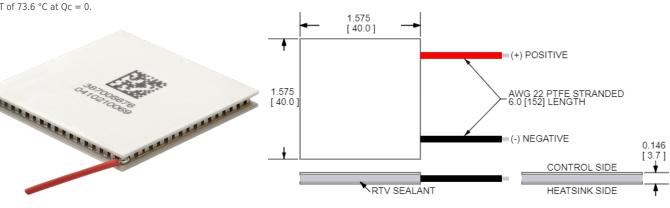
#### **Features**

- High thermal cycling reliability
- Precise temperature control
- Solid-state operation

#### **Applications**

- Molecular Diagnostics (DNA Amplification, PCR)
- Point of Care Testing Devices
- Thermal Test Sockets

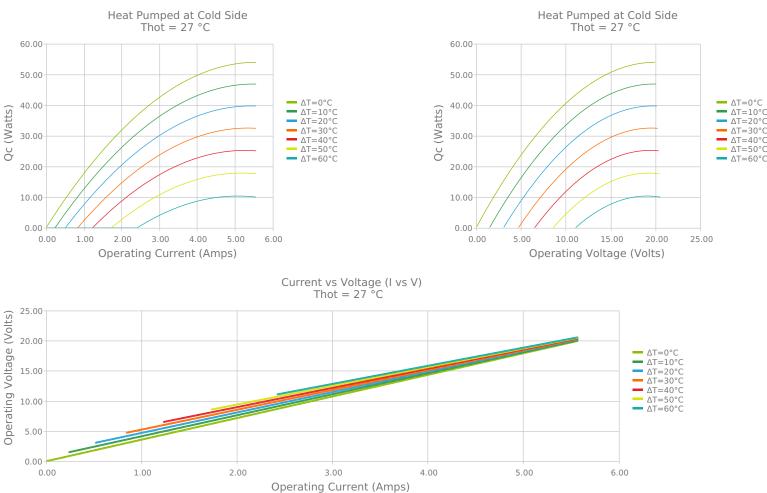
 Boosted performance with next-gen material constructed to reduce the amount of stress induced on the thermoelectric RoHS-compliant elements during operation. It has a maximum Qc of 54 Watts when  $\Delta T =$ 0 and a maximum  $\Delta T$  of 73.6 °C at Qc = 0. 1.575 [40.0]

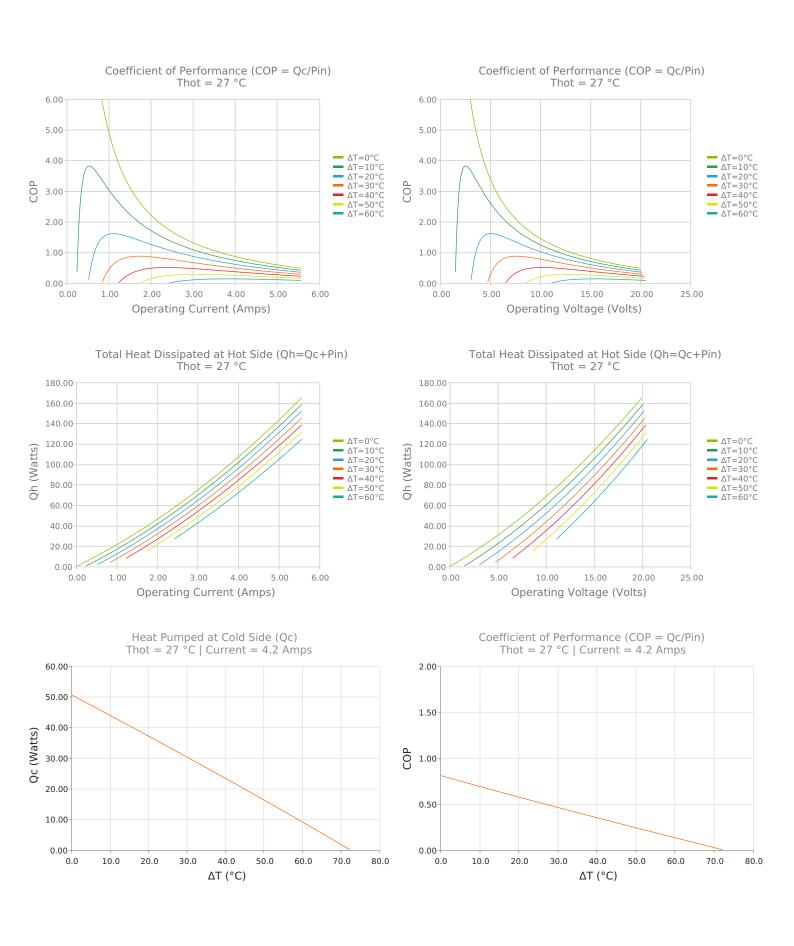


CERAMIC MATERIAL: Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> SOLDER CONSTRUCTION: 232°C, SbSn INCHES [ MM ] Note: Allow 0.020 in [0.5 mm] around perimeter of the thermoelectric cooler and lead wire attachment to accommodate sealant

# ELECTRICAL AND THERMAL PERFORMANCE

For maximum performance, be sure to orient the CONTROL side of the TEC against the application to be managed and the HEATSINK side against the heat sink or other heat rejection method. The CONTROL side is always opposite the side with lead attachments. Lead attachment is a passive heat loss and less impactful if located on the side that attaches to the heat exchanger.





#### **SPECIFICATIONS\***

Hot Side Temperature	27.0 °C	50.0 °C	80.0 °C
$Qcmax (\Delta T = 0)$	54.0 Watts	58.1 Watts	62.3 Watts
$\Delta Tmax (Qc = 0)$	73.6°C	82.6°C	93.1°C
lmax (I @ ΔTmax)	4.9 Amps	4.8 Amps	4.7 Amps
Vmax (V @ ΔTmax)	18.8 Volts	20.9 Volts	23.6 Volts
Module Resistance	3.58 Ohms	4.03 Ohms	4.61 Ohms
Max Operating Temperature	120 °C		
Weight	13.0 gram(s)		

\* Specifications reflect thermoelectric coefficients updated March 2020

## **FINISHING OPTIONS**

Suffix	Thickness	Flatness / Parallelism	Hot Face	Cold Face	Lead Length
ТА	3.700 ±0.025 mm 0.146 ± 0.0010 in	0.025 mm / 0.025 mm 0.001 in / 0.001 in	Lapped	Lapped	152.4 mm 6.00 in

## **SEALING OPTIONS**

Suffix	Sealant	Color	Temp Range	Description
RT	RTV	Translucent or White	-60 to 204°C	Non-corrosive, silicone adhesive

## **NOTES**

- 1. Max operating temperature: 120°C
- 2. Do not exceed Imax or Vmax when operating module
- 3. Reference assembly guidelines for recommended installation
- 4. Solder tinning also available on metallized ceramics

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