

PRESS RELEASE



RAVS Series Anti-Sulfur Chip Resistor Arrays

RALEIGH, NC (Nov. 18, 2013) – Stackpole Electronics, Inc. announces the release of the RAVS series of anti-sulfur chip resistor arrays. The RAVS has a reduced amount of silver in the inner terminations which greatly reduces the susceptibility of the terminations to contamination from sulfur. In “Flowers of Sulfur” testing per ASTM B 809-95 the RAVS shows resistance shifts of less than +/- 1%. Standard chip resistor arrays would typically open completely or shift beyond 10% under these conditions.

This makes the RAVS a good solution for applications where many types of oils and lubricants, rubber gaskets, hoses, and grommets are used in close proximity to chip arrays.

The RAVS is available in 8 pin 4 isolated resistor and 4 pin 2 isolated resistor configurations. Sizes range from 0.04 by 0.04 in. to 0.2 by 0.12 in. Resistance range is from 1 ohm to 10M ohm with tolerances as low as 1%. Pricing varies with size, resistance value, and tolerance and ranges from \$0.009 to \$0.10 each in full reel quantities. Contact Stackpole for volume pricing.



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Stackpole Electronics Inc. is a leading global manufacturer of resistors supplying the world's largest OEMs, contract manufacturers and distributors. Headquartered in Raleigh, N.C., the privately held company began manufacturing in 1928 as part of Stackpole Carbon Company in St. Mary's, Pennsylvania. Now part of the Akahane Stackpole Manufacturing Group (ASMG), Stackpole has manufacturing facilities in Japan, Taiwan, China and Mexico; warehousing facilities in El Paso, Shenzhen and Japan; and international sales offices in Tokyo, Taipei, London, Hong Kong and Shenzhen.

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