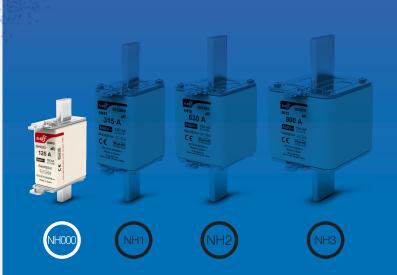


RAPIDPLUS
HIGH SPEED FUSE LINKS FOR SEMICONDUCTORS

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RATED VOLTAGE 690V AC

RATED CURRENT 16A...250A

BREAKING CAPACITY 120kA

IEC/EN 60269-1 IEC/EN 60269-4



## Rapidplus® NH fuse links for semiconductors

RAPIDPLUS NH aR fuse links have a very low I<sup>2</sup>t values thanks to the special melting elements design, manufactured with pure silver. The sand is solidified in order to have a good arcing control, high breaking capacity and excellent capability for cyclic loads.

These fuse links have a trip indicator that can be used as a visual indication or can be equipped with a microswitch mounted directly on the fuse link.

The range comprises the following fuse links:

#### → Size NH000 690V AC 16A to 250A

Typical application comprise protection of semiconductors (diodes, thyristors, triacs, etc) used in power rectifiers, UPS, converters, motor drives, soft starters, solid state relays, photovoltaic inverters, welding inverters and any application where it is necessary to protect power semiconductor devices.



#### **Accessories**

REFERENCE	DESCRIPTION	PACKING Uni /BOX
357010	MICROSWITCH FOR NH FUSELINKS NH000NH3	1/12



#### Range

<b>In</b> (A)	REFERENCE	PACKING Uni /BOX
16	365020	3/90
20	365025	3/90
25	365030	3/90
32	365035	3/90
40	365045	3/90
50	365050	3/90
63	365055	3/90
80	365060	3/90
100	365065	3/90
125	365070	3/90
160	365075	3/90
200	365080	3/90
250	365085	3/90





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#### **Technical data**

Rated voltage	690V AC 440V DC (L/R=10ms)
Rated current	16A250A
Rated breaking capacity	120kA @690V AC 30kA @440V DC
Operating class	aR
Rated frequency	4262Hz
Storage temperature	-40°C 80°C
Operating temperature *	-25°C 60°C

 $<sup>\</sup>mbox{\ensuremath{^{\star}}}$  For ambient temperatures higher than 25°C it is necessary to apply a derating in maximum current.

#### **Standards**

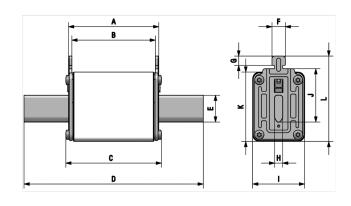
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### **Materials**

Body	Steatite C221	
Contact blades	Copper or brass (silver plated)	
Plates	Aluminium	
Screws	Zinc plated steel	

#### **Dimensions**





Weight 120gr

## **Power dissipation**

In	POWER DISSIPATION In	POWER DISSIPATION 0,8 · In	PREARCING I2t	OPERATING I2t
(A)	(VV)	(A <sup>2</sup> S)	(A <sup>2</sup> S)	(A <sup>2</sup> S)
16	4,5	2,5	7	62
20	5,2	2,9	15	121
25	6,8	3,8	24	200
32	8	4,5	33	213
40	9,1	5,1	59	379
50	9,5	5,3	157	1000
63	12	6,9	290	2270
80	15	8,4	550	4300
100	17	9,5	720	5880
125	20	11	1410	11540
160	26	15	2340	19080
200	36	20	3490	28500
250	46	26	6500	53000

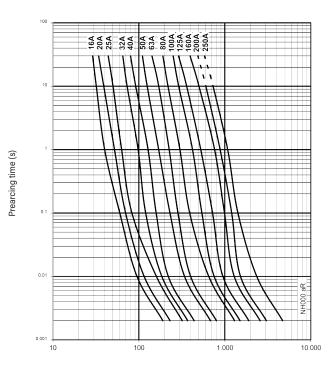




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#### t-I characteristics



Prospective current (A rms)

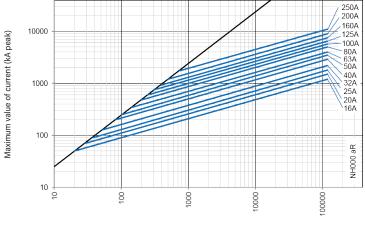
#### **Fuse load constant**

Due to the high power dissipation of NH aR fuse links, it is necessary to apply a derating factor that determines the maximum allowable continuous current when these fuse links are installed in an NH base or in a fuse switch disconnector.

$$I_{MAX} = I_n \times C_L$$

In	OPEN TYPE FUSE BASES	FUSE SWITCH DISCONNECTORS
(A)		
16	1	1
20	1	1
25	1	1
32	1	1
40	1	1
50	1	1
63	1	1
80	1	0,95
100	1	0,90
125	0,95	0,85
160	0,90	0,75
200	0,80	0,70
250	0,80	0,60

#### **Cut-off characteristics**



Prospective current (A ef)



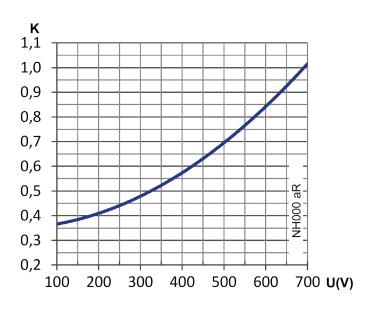


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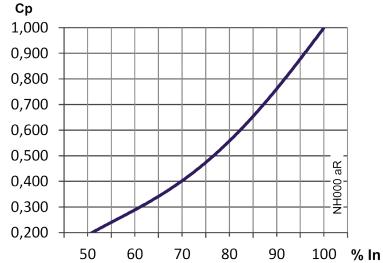
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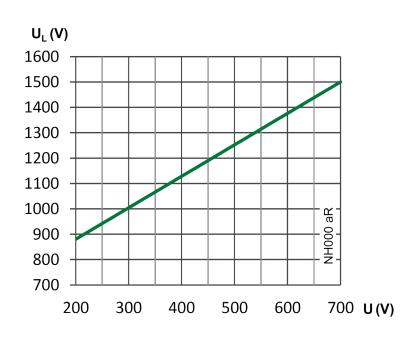
## I<sup>2</sup>t Total clearing correction factor



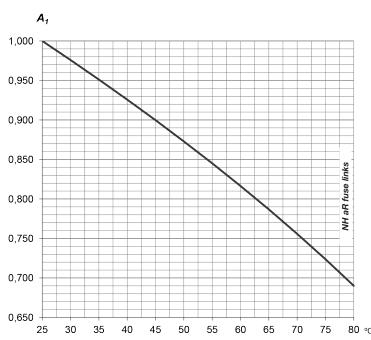
## Power dissipation correction factor



## **Arc voltage**



## **Ambient temperature correction coefficient**







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semiconductor protection fuse links

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# TECHNICAL CHARACTERISTICS

(Introduction)

# I<sup>2</sup>t Total clearing correction factor (C<sub>K</sub>)

Total clearing I<sup>2</sup>t values at rated voltage and at power factor of 0,15-0,20 are given in electrical characteristics tables.

For other voltages, clearing  $I^2t$  values can be calculated multiplying these values by correction factor  $\mathbf{C}_{\mathbf{K}}$ .

## Power dissipation correction factor (C<sub>P</sub>)

Power dissipation values are given at rated voltage (In) and at  $0.8 \cdot I_n$  (80% of rated current). It is possible to calculate values of power dissipation for other currents multiplying these values by correction factor  $C_P$  for power loss as a function of % of rated current.

This value is very important to choose the appropriate fuse base to install these fuse links. The power dissipation of fuse link at the normal working conditions must be lower than the maximum value that the fuse base can withstand.

### Arc voltage (U<sub>L</sub>)

This graphic gives the peak arc voltage **U**<sub>L</sub>, that can appear across the fuse link during operation as a function of working voltage.

# Fuse load constant (C<sub>L</sub>)

Due to the high power dissipation of NH aR fuse links, it is necessary to apply a derating factor that determines the maximum allowable continuous current when these fuses are installed in an NH base or in a disconnector.

# Ambient temperature correction coefficient (A<sub>1</sub>)

Fuse current ratings are established by type tests with an ambient temperature of 25°C.

When the utilization ambient temperature is higher than this reference value, the fuse-link must be "de-rated". The rated current of fuse link must be multiplied by a derating factor A<sub>1</sub> to find the maximum operating current.



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