

Designed for Harsh Environments

The Xymox XyWeld® spacer involves a specialty adhesive bonded with a proprietary heat activated process to yield a spacer that is much more robust than a standard PSA.

XyWeld® is used to seal off, and completely protect the circuit on membrane switch applications that may be exposed to water, dust, extreme temperatures, and harsh cleaners.

Physical Characteristics

Life Cycles
 1 million minimum non-tactile

1 million minimum tactile (metal dome)

Operating Force 10-20 oz typical non-tactile

16-20 oz typical tactile

• Overall Thickness .040" typical

Environmental Characteristics

Operating Temp -40 to 70 C
 Storage Temp -40 to 70 C
 Humidity 95% RH

Electrical Characteristics

Contact Resistance
 Open Circuit Resistance
 5x10⁶ ohms minimum

Contact Rating
 30 VDC max,

100 mA max, 1 watt max

Contact Bounce 20 ms maxContact Material Silver to silver

Typical Non-Tactile Construction Faceplate Standard Adhesive Top Circuit XXX XXX XXX XyWeld Bottom Circuit

Test	Description	Duration	Test	Description	Duration
Cold Conditioning	-30C	168 hrs	Altitude	30" Hg to 3.5 Hg @ 1hr 3.5	3 cycles
Heat Conditioning	70C	168 hrs		Hg to 30" Hg @ 1hr	
Thermal Shock	40/70C (1 hour each temp)	10 cycles	Water	Immersed in Water	14 days
Moisture Resistance	Cycling from 65C/95% Rh to -20C no Rh	504 hrs	Cleaning Agent Sprays and General	50/50 Windex/Fantastik Spray 5 times per day Oven	90 days
Steady State Heat/Rh	40C/95%	504 hrs	Purpose Cleaners	temp 49C	
Humidity	70C/95 Rh	168 hrs	Life Cycle	1,000,000 cycles	