

Magnetic Design Formulas

Flux Density (Peak)

$$B = \frac{E \cdot 10^8}{4.44 f N A_e}$$

Note: use 4.0 for square wave

Magnetizing Force (Peak)

$$H = \frac{.4\pi N I_p}{l_e}$$

Where:

E = RMS sine wave voltage

f = Frequency (Hz)

A_e = Effective area (cm²)

l_e = Magnetic path length (cm)

I_p = Peak current (A)

N = Number of turns

Attenuation

$$20 \log_{10} \frac{Z_S + Z_L + Z_{SD}}{Z_S + Z_L} \text{ dB}$$

Where:

Z_S = Source Impedance

Z_L = Load Impedance

Z_{SD} = Shielding device Impedance

Quality Factor

$$Q = \frac{2\pi f L_S}{R_S} = \frac{R_P}{2\pi f L_P}$$

$$L_S = \frac{L_P Q^2}{1 + Q^2} \quad R_S = \frac{R_P}{1 + Q^2} \quad X_S = \frac{X_P Q^2}{1 + Q^2}$$

$$L_P = L_S \left(1 + \frac{1}{Q^2} \right) \quad R_P = R_S (1 + Q^2) \quad X_P = X_S \left(1 + \frac{1}{Q^2} \right)$$

Air Core Inductance

$$L_o = 2Ht \cdot \ln \left(\frac{OD}{ID} \right) (N^2 \times 10^{-9} \text{ H}) \text{ Using cm (} \times 2.54 \text{ Using in.)}$$

Initial Permeability

$$\mu_i = \frac{L / N^2}{L_o} = \frac{L / L_o N^2}{(\text{if } N^2 \text{ not in } L_o)} = \frac{L / L_o}{(\text{if } N^2 \text{ is in } L_o)}$$

Inductance Index

$$AL = \mu L_o (\text{nH} / N^2)$$

Magnetic Path Length

$$l_e = 2\pi \ln \frac{OD}{ID} \quad (\text{cm}) = \pi \ln \left(\frac{OD}{ID} \right) \quad (\text{cm}) \quad (\times 2.54 \text{ when using in.})$$
$$\frac{1}{IR} - \frac{1}{OR} \qquad \qquad \frac{1}{ID} - \frac{1}{OD}$$

Magnetic Cross Section

$$A_e = Ht \ln^2 \frac{OD}{ID} \quad (\text{cm}^2) = .5Ht \ln^2 \left(\frac{OD}{ID} \right) \quad (\text{cm}^2) \quad (\times 2.54^2 \text{ when using in.})$$
$$\frac{1}{IR} - \frac{1}{OR} \qquad \qquad \frac{1}{ID} - \frac{1}{OD}$$

Loss Factor

$$\tan \delta / \mu = \frac{R}{\mu 2\pi f L} = \frac{L_o N^2 R}{2\pi f L^2} = \frac{1}{\mu 2\pi f C_p R_p} = \frac{L_o R_s}{2\pi f (L^2)}$$

ET Constant

$$ET = \frac{(B A_e N)}{10^8} \quad (\text{V/uS}) \quad (@2200 \text{ Gauss})$$

Resistance

$$R_s = \frac{(\tan \delta / \mu_{(\max)}) 2\pi f (L_{s \min})^2}{L_o N^2} \quad (\text{ohms})$$

Impedance

$$Z = \text{SQRT} [(2\pi f L)^2 + R^2]$$