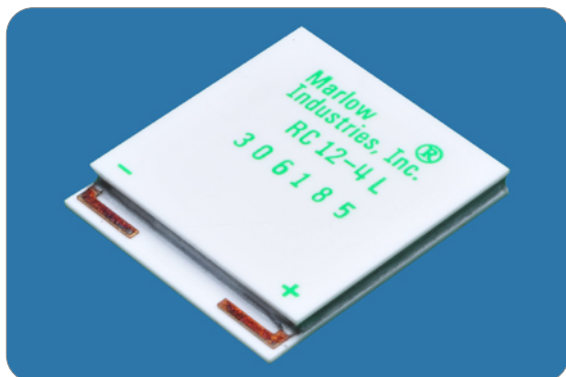




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# TECHNICAL DATA SHEET



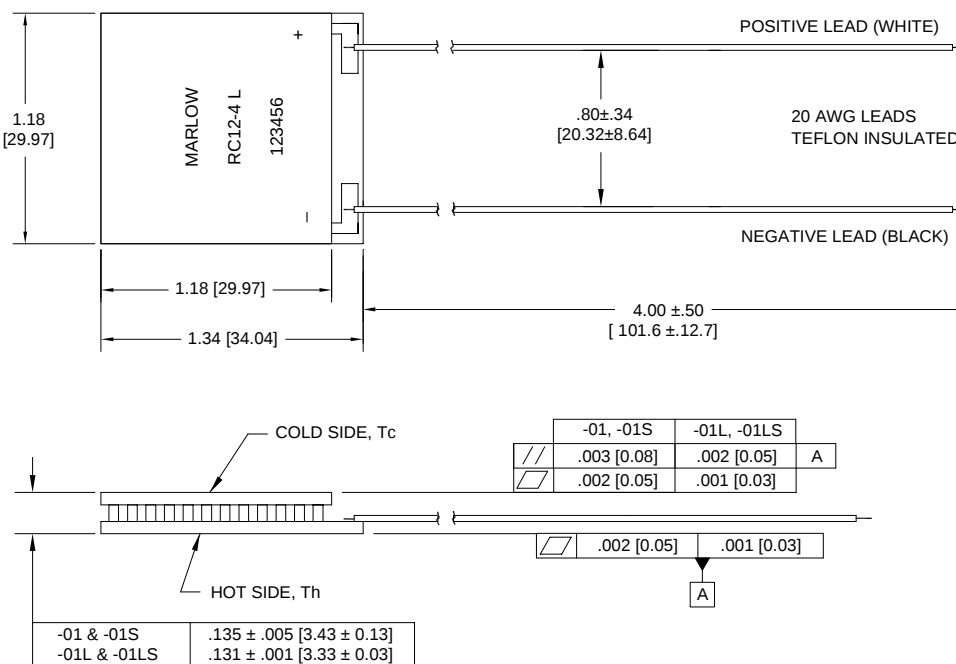
## RC12-4

Single-Stage Thermoelectric Cooler  
RoHS 2002/95/EC Compliant

### PERFORMANCE VALUES

|                                            |      |      |
|--------------------------------------------|------|------|
| Hot Side Temperature (°C)                  | 27°C | 50°C |
| $\Delta T_{max}$ (°C-dry N <sub>2</sub> ): | 66   | 74   |
| Q <sub>max</sub> (watts):                  | 36   | 39   |
| I <sub>max</sub> (amps):                   | 3.7  | 3.7  |
| V <sub>max</sub> (vdc):                    | 14.7 | 16.4 |
| AC Resistance (ohms):                      | 3.2  | ---  |

### MECHANICAL CHARACTERISTICS



Ceramic Material: Alumina (AC)

Dimensions in [ ] are millimeters

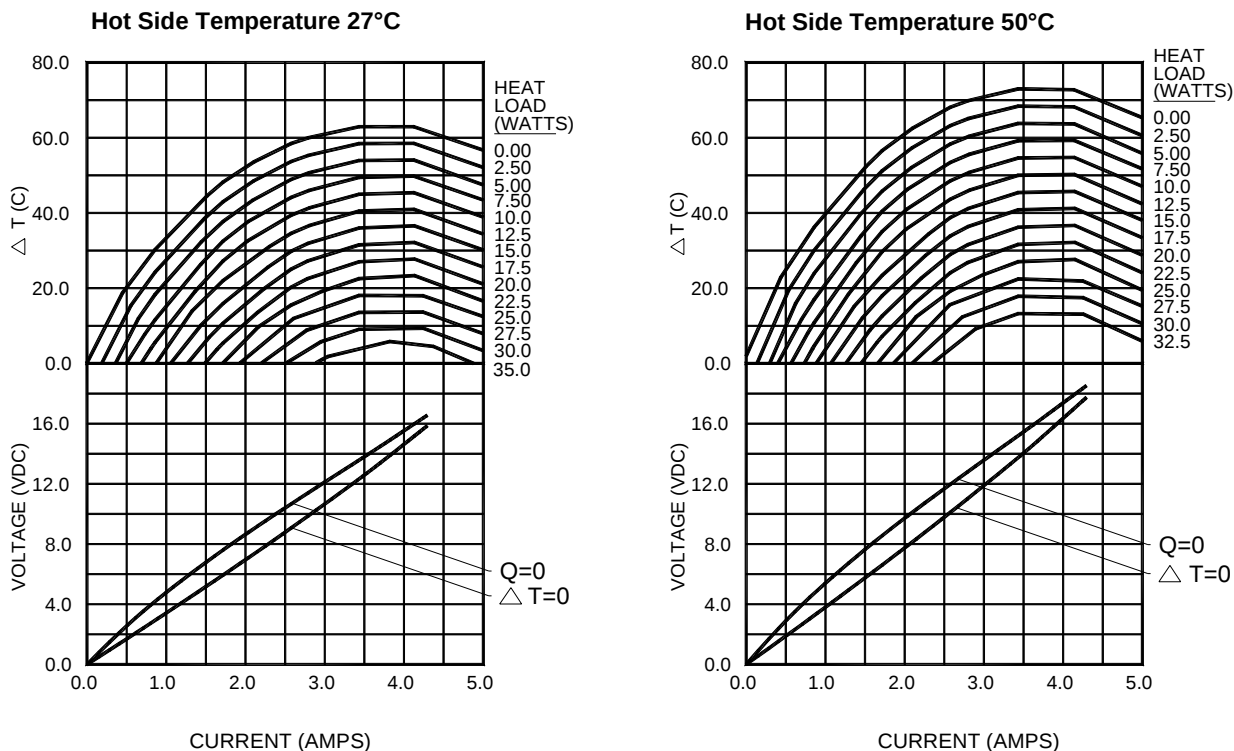
### ORDERING OPTIONS

| Model Number | Description             |
|--------------|-------------------------|
| RC12-4-01    | Base Model w/ leads     |
| RC12-4-01L   | Lapped Model            |
| RC12-4-01S   | Sealed Model            |
| RC12-4-01LS  | Lapped and Sealed Model |

### AVAILABLE MODIFICATIONS

Solid-state reliability.  
Built with high temperature solder with the ability to withstand higher assembly processing temperatures for short periods of time (<160°C).  
Superior nickel diffusion barriers on elements.  
High strength for rugged environment.  
Porched configuration for enhanced leadwire strength.  
RTV sealing available (Optional).  
Lapped option available for multiple module applications.

ENVIRONMENT: ONE ATMOSPHERE DRY NITROGEN



For performance information in a vacuum or with hot side temperatures other than 27°C or 50°C, consult one of our Applications Engineers.

#### Installation

Recommended mounting methods: Bonding with thermal epoxy or soldering with metallized ceramics. For additional information, please refer to our TEC Installation Guide.

#### Operation Cautions

For maximum reliability, storage and operation below 85°C in a non-condensing environment is recommended. To minimize thermal stress, use linear/proportional temperature control or a similar method rather than an ON/OFF method.

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