

# STRETCH-TO-LENGTH® Heaters

# Flexible Gas Line Heater Improves Temperature Uniformity for Gas Applications

The STRETCH-TO-LENGTH® heater is the perfect solution for semiconductor gas line applications requiring precise temperatures to prevent condensation or over-temperature breakdown of critical process chemistries. As a superior alternative to heat tape, its preformed construction allows it to be wrapped around the delivery line enabling consistent heater/gas line contact and improved temperature uniformity.

The STRETCH-TO-LENGTH gas line heater is the perfect solution for semiconductor processes where condensation of critical gases occurs due to a phase shift at low temperatures. High or low temperature conditions could result in undesirable particulates and result in costly device defects and tool maintenance.

The STRETCH-TO-LENGTH heater's preformed wrapping capability provides engineers with the flexibility needed to compensate for different sized components, thereby reducing the potential for hot and cold spots.

The system includes a 2 W/in<sup>2</sup> STRETCH-TO-LENGTH heater and silicone rubber foam insulation.

#### **Features and Benefits**

#### Two-part system design

- Easy to install
- · Conveniently fits most gas line configurations

#### Flexible heater design

- Gives engineers flexibility to easily customize the thermal profile for each gas line application
- Allows quick prototyping to determine energy distribution requirements for process improvements

## Flexible standard system components

· Eliminates unnecessary lead times for custom designs

## **Typical Applications**

#### Gas deliver lines

- Boron trichloride, BCl₃
- Chlorine trifluoride, CIF<sub>3</sub>
- Dichlorosilane, (DCS), SiH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>
- · Tetra ethyl orthosilicate, TEOS
- Tungsten hexafluoride, WF<sub>3</sub>
- Process gas line qualification



# **Specifications**

- Heater and insulation jacket material:
  - · Reinforced silicone rubber fabric
- Insulation material:
  - Silicone sponge
- Insulation and outer jacket color:
  - Orange
- Clean room strap fasteners
- Voltage:120 and 240VAC
- Max. operating temperature: 392°F (200°C)
- Heater watt density: 2 W/in² (0.31W/cm²) Watlow recommends 80% line wrap for optimum performance
- Power lead wires: 12 in. (305 mm); #18 AWG UL® 1180 CSA, rated 10A, lead wire pair encapsulated in reinforced silicone rubber sleeving
- Heater interconnectable up to a 10A circuit
- Material rated UL® 94-HB
- Heater materials are UL® rated to 392°F (200°C)
- Semi S2-93 compatible with a high-limit thermocouple and controller
- Agency certification and UL® recognized for U.S. safety standards. Contact the factory for specific applications and approvals
- Available with the EGH integrated thermal solution





STRETCH-TO-LENGTH heaters are specified by their straight length. Engineers can wrap heaters to achieve optimum temperature profile for actual applications. Coverage lengths of approximately 60 and 80 percent on 1/4 in. (6 mm) and 1/2 in. (13 mm) diameter tubes are offered as a guide in selecting heater lengths for actual gas line dimensions.

A gas line with 100 percent coverage provides approximately 2 W/in², 80 percent coverage 1.6 W/in² or 60 percent coverage 1.2 W/in².

STRETCH-TO-LENGTH Heater Ranges - 1/4 in. (6 mm) Outside Diameter Tubing

| STRETCH TO LEROTT Heater hanges 74 m. (5 mm) Outside Diameter rusing |                         |                             |         |                             |         |
|--|-------------------------|-----------------------------|---------|-----------------------------|---------|
| 0.25<br>60%<br>Coverage  | 0.25<br>80%<br>Coverage | 120V Version<br>Code Number | Amperes | 240V Version<br>Code Number | Amperes |
| 10.20  | 8.04                    | 005120500                   | 0.10    | N/A                         | N/A     |
| 14.45  | 11.39                   | 005170500                   | 0.14    | N/A                         | N/A     |
| 18.70  | 14.74                   | 005220500                   | 0.18    | 005220501                   | 0.09    |
| 23.80  | 18.76                   | 005280500                   | 0.23    | 005280501                   | 0.12    |
| 30.60  | 24.12                   | 005360500                   | 0.30    | 005360501                   | 0.15    |
| 39.95  | 31.49                   | 005470500                   | 0.39    | 005470501                   | 0.20    |
| 51.00  | 40.20                   | 005600502                   | 0.50    | 005600503                   | 0.25    |
| 63.75  | 50.25                   | 005750500                   | 0.63    | 005750501                   | 0.31    |
| 76.50  | 60.30                   | 005900500                   | 0.75    | 005900501                   | 0.38    |

STRETCH-TO-LENGTH Heater Ranges - 1/2 in. (13 mm) Outside Diameter Tubing

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|---|-------------------------|-----------------------------|---------|-----------------------------|---------|
| 0.50<br>60%<br>Coverage   | 0.50<br>80%<br>Coverage | 120V Version<br>Code Number | Amperes | 240V Version<br>Code Number | Amperes |
| 10.20   | 6.63                    | 005170501                   | 0.14    | N/A                         | N/A     |
| 15.00   | 9.75                    | 005250501                   | 0.21    | N/A                         | N/A     |
| 21.00   | 13.65                   | 005350502                   | 0.29    | 005350503                   | 0.15    |
| 29.40   | 19.11                   | 005490502                   | 0.41    | 005490503                   | 0.20    |
| 38.40   | 24.96                   | 005640502                   | 0.53    | 005640503                   | 0.27    |
| 47.40   | 30.81                   | 005790502                   | 0.66    | 005790503                   | 0.33    |
| 59.40   | 38.61                   | 005990502                   | 0.82    | 005990503                   | 0.41    |
| 73.80   | 49.97                   | 005F103502                  | 1.02    | 005F103503                  | 0.51    |
| 92.40   | 60.06                   | 005F128502                  | 1.28    | 005F128503                  | 0.64    |

# <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> in. (6 mm) Outside Diameter Tubing Insulators

| <sup>1</sup> /4 in. (6.4 mm)<br>Heater I.D.<br>x Length | Description                  | Code Number |
|---|------------------------------|-------------|
| 18 in. (457 mm)   | Straight insulator           | 012180500   |
| 36 in. (914 mm)   | Straight insulator           | 012360500   |
| Elbow   | 90° union<br>elbow insulator | 012020500   |
| Tee   | Union tee insulator          | 012030500   |
|   | VCR fitting                  | 015030500   |

# <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> in. (13 mm) Outside Diameter Tubing Insulators

| ¹/₂ in. (13 mm)<br>Heater l.D.<br>x Length | Description                  | Code Number |
|--|------------------------------|-------------|
| 18 in. (457 mm)                            | Straight insulator           | 024180500   |
| 36 in. (914 mm)                            | Straight insulator           | 024360500   |
| Elbow                                      | 90° union<br>elbow insulator | 020024500   |
| Tee  | Union tee insulator          | 024030500   |
|  | VCR fitting                  | 015042500   |



#### <sup>3</sup>/<sub>8</sub> in. (9.5 mm) Outside Diameter Tubing Insulators

| ³/s in. (9.5 mm)<br>Heater I.D.<br>x Length | Description                  | Code Number |
|---|------------------------------|-------------|
| 18 in. (457 mm)                             | Straight insulator           | 016180500   |
| 36 in. (914 mm)                             | Straight insulator           | 016360500   |
| Elbow                                       | 90° union<br>elbow insulator | 016020500   |
| Tee   | Union tee insulator          | 016030501   |
|   | VCR fitting                  | 015042500   |

#### **Extensions**

| Description     | Code Number |
|-----------------|-------------|
| 3 ft (914 mm)   | A000136     |
| 6 ft (1829 mm)  | A000137     |
| 10 ft (3048 mm) | A000138     |

#### **Accessories**

| Description                         | Code Number |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|
| Power cord 6 ft 18-2 SJ             | Z5302-2     |
| Wiring Y connector - 1F-2M          | Z5303-2     |
| Wiring Y connector - 1M-2F          | Z6333       |
| Female termination plug             | Z5309-2     |
| Male termination plug               | Z6332       |
| 12 in. 24 ga. Type JT/C w/mini plug | Z5786       |
| 12 in. 24 ga. Type KT/C w/mini plug | Z5639       |
| Gender changer - M-F                | Z6334       |
| Gender changer - F-M                | Z6335       |
| 6 in. power extension               | Z6374       |
| 10 ft Type J T/C extension          | Z6271       |

Note: All power connectors use AMP Mate-N-Lok®

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