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Johnstech Releases New Configurable Kelvin Test Contactor

Its "Kelvin Ready" design lowers overall acquisition cost and provides the ultimate in customer flexibility and operating value.

Minneapolis, MN – March 25, 2010 – Johnstech International Corporation, a leading global provider of Test Contactors for the semiconductor industry, today announced the release of its "Configurable Kelvin" Pad ROL™200K Series Contactor. Ideal for testing high power and precision analog devices that require very tight test guard-bands, this Kelvin solution delivers superior mechanical and electronic performance, flexibility and value.

"The Pad ROL™200K is uniquely configurable for both general purpose IC testing and precision Kelvin testing," said Lisa A. Pilati-Warner, Head of Marketing for Johnstech. "The fact that this Contactor can be reconfigured as needed significantly lowers our customers' acquisition costs and provides unprecedented operating value."

The Pad ROL™200K features a solid Force Contact and dual touch Sense design. This guarantees a perfect high current, low resistance connection every time, regardless of device contact variations.

Two self-cleaning features help ensure the Pad ROL™200K delivers the lowest and most repeatable Kelvin contact resistance available on the market today. Its patented oxide removal wipe action prevents surface debris from accumulating on the Force Contact tip. In addition, the Contactor's Force and Sense work in combination to remove debris buildup between the two Contacts. This lowers test cost by extending Mean Time Between Assists (MTBA) and Contact life.

“The Pad ROL™200K truly serves a market that is in transition,” said Pilati-Warner. “It’s an investment that will serve our customers’ current needs and address the increasingly precise requirements that are becoming more and more common.”

Johnstech International Corporation designs and manufactures Test Contactors for the semiconductor industry. The company’s patented technologies were introduced to the market in 1992. Johnstech helps characterization and test floor engineers reduce risk, shorten development and test time, and improve first pass yields. Johnstech is headquartered in Minneapolis, Minnesota, with worldwide sales and support offices in California, Singapore, Japan and the Philippines. For more information, visit www.johnstech.com.

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