

### **Butt Contact Pushbutton Switches**

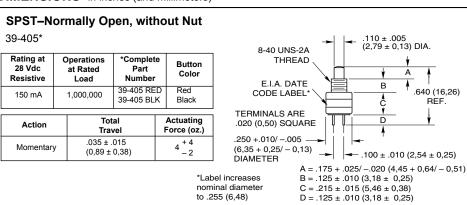
## SERIES 39 SPST, 150 mA

#### **FEATURES**

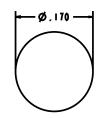
- 1/4" Diameter
- Up to 1,000,000
   Cycles of Operation
- PC Mount

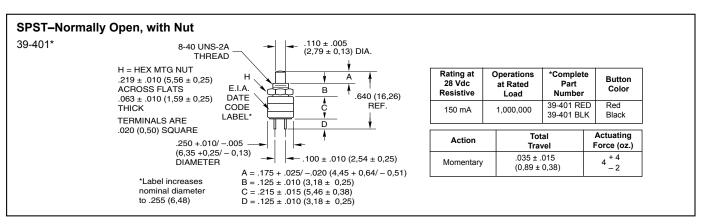


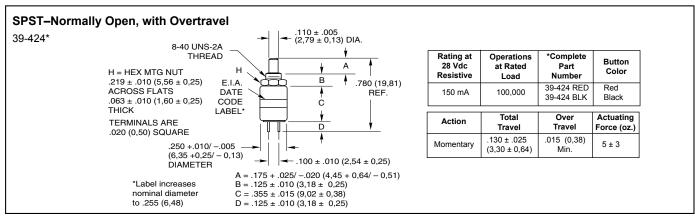
### **DIMENSIONS** in inches (and millimeters)



#### **Recommended Panel Cutout**



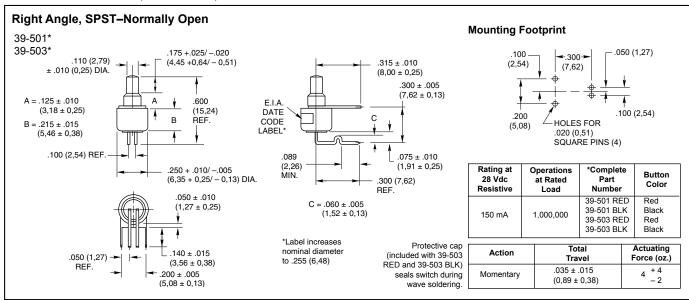


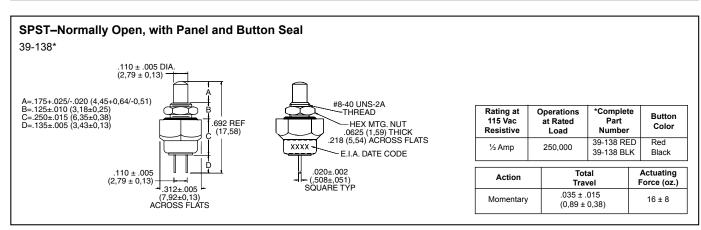


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#### **SPECIFICATIONS**

### **Rating Criteria**

Contact Resistance: 25 milliohms maximum

on a new switch

Voltage Breakdown: 1,000 Vac between

mutually insulated parts

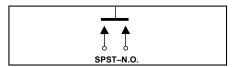
Insulation Resistance: 1,000 megohms

minimum

Operating Temperature: -40°C to +85°C

\* Note: Solder process temperatures should not expose main switch body to temperatures higher than 270F. (132C). Reflow soldering is not recommended. Contact Grayhill for more specific details.

#### **CIRCUITRY**



#### **Materials and Finishes**

Bushing/Housing: Aluminum, clear anodized for 39-138; Brass, tin zinc for all others

Standoff: (39-501 and 39-503) Brass, tin plated

over nickel

Base and Button: Thermoplastic

Shorting Bar: Brass, gold-plated over nickel plate for 39-501and 39-503; fine silver, gold-

plated for others

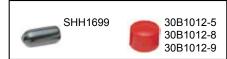
Terminals: Fine silver, gold-plated for 39-138; Brass, gold-plated over nickel for all others

Spring: Tinned music wire

Mounting Nut: (39-401 and 39-424) Brass,

zinc trivalent chromate-plated

### **ACCESSORIES**



#### ORDERING INFORMATION

Part No.	Type & Button Color		
39-401 RED	N.O., Red		
39-401 BLK	N.O., Black		
39-405 RED	N.O., No Nut, Red		
39-405 BLK	N.O., No Nut, Black		
39-424 RED	N.O., Overtravel, Red		
39-424 BLK	N.O., Overtravel, Black		
39-501 RED	N.O., Right Angle, Red		
39-501 BLK	N.O., Right Angle, Black		
39-503 RED	39-501 Red & Cap Seal		
39-503 BLK	39-501 Blk & Cap Seal		
39-138 RED	39-351 PC Mount & Seal		
39-138 BLK	39-351 PC Mount & Seal		

Accessory Part Number	Description
30B1012-5	Red Accessory Cap
30B1012-8	White Accessory Cap
30B1012-9	Black Accessory Cap
SHH1699	Cap Seal Only, Black



## INTUITIVE HUMAN INTERFACE SOLUTIONS

## **Pushbutton Engineering Information**

Pushbutton switches are selected not only by their ratings, but also by their contact type. While nearly all rotary switches and DIP switches have wiping contacts, pushbutton switches may have either wiping or butt contacts (see internal views below).

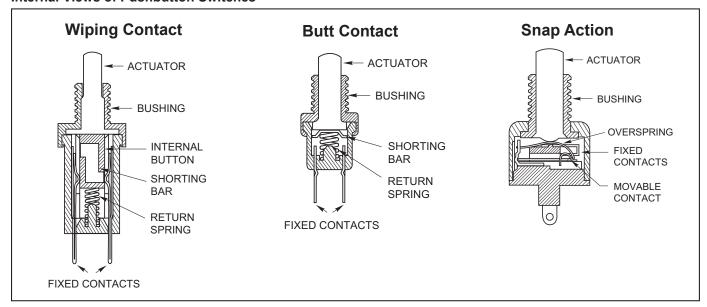
Wiping Contacts are self-cleaning and usually provide a low resistance in circuits where contact resistance is critical. However, the wiping action creates mechanical wear and conductive wear products.

Butt Contacts have less wear than wiping contacts and therefore, have a longer life. They are also smaller. Butt contacts are not self-cleaning, so their contact resistance can vary from operation to operation.

Snap Action switches are basically but contact switches with a spring mechanism which provides the make and break. The mechanism controls both the operating point and the rate of operation, but adds to the wear of

the switch. The rapid rate of make and break means that these switches are appropriate for high current loads. They usually have a slight wiping action and contact surfaces made of precious metals to minimize their disadvantages.

#### **Internal Views of Pushbutton Switches**



#### **Switch Terminology**

**Actuator:** The part of the switch to which an external force is applied to operate the switch.

Alternate Action (Push-Push) Switch: A switch in which the operable position is maintained after the first actuation, and then disengaged with the second operation.

**Break-Before-Make Switch (BBM):** A double throw switch in which the moving contact breaks the connection with the first circuit before

making contact with the second; also called non-shorting switch.

**Double Throw Switch:** A switch which has a normally open as well as a normally closed circuit per pole.

**Joystick Action Switch:** (From Joystick, the control for an airplane). A lever switch which operates with momentary action in 4 directions, and is disengaged in the upright position.

Make-Before-Break Switch (MBB): A double throw switch in which the contacts makes connection with the second circuit before breaking contact with the first; also called shorting switch.

**Maintained Contact Switch:** A switch in which the actuator remains in a position until it is actuated to another position where it also remains until actuated. Example: Push-Pull Switch.

**Momentary Contact Switch:** A switch in which the shorting bar returns from its operated position to its normal or free position when the actuating force is removed.

**Operating Position or Point:** The position of the actuator when the desired electrical action (make or break of contact) occurs.

**N.C., Normally Closed:** Switch in which the circuit is closed without actuation (with actuator in the "normal" position).

**N.O., Normally Open:** Switch in which the circuit is open without actuation (with actuator in the "normal" position).

**Overtravel:** The distance or angle between the operating position and the extreme position to which the actuator may be moved.

**Pole:** An electrically isolated circuit within a switch; a common terminal and all the selected terminals to which it connects.

**Pretravel:** The distance or angle through which the actuator moves from its free position to its electrical operating position.

**Single Throw Switch:** A switch which has only one normally open or one normally closed circuit per pole.

Throw: See Single Throw and Double Throw.



# INTUITIVE HUMAN INTERFACE SOLUTIONS

C	Circuitry*	Rating (Amps at 115 Vac Res.)	Operations At Rating	Maximum Width*** inch (mm)	Features	Series
Butt Co	ontact					
SPST	N.O. or N.C. N.O. or N.C. N.O. On or Off N.O. or N.C. N.O. N.O. or N.C N.O. N.O. N.O. N.O. N.O. N.O. N.O. N	5 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 020** .020** .020** .020** .250 .500 .500 .500 .500 .500 .250 .250	6,000 1,000,000 200,000 1,000,000 1,000,000 1,000,000 200,000 80,000 80,000 1,000,000 1,000,000 1,000,000 1,000,000	3/8 (9,53) 3/8 (9,53) 3/8 (9,53) 11/16 (17,46) 11/16 (17,46) 1/2 (12,7) 11/16 (17,46) 1+ (25,4) 11/16 (17,46) 11/16 (17,46) 5/16+ (8,13) 5/16+ (8,13) 5/16+ (8,13) 1/4 (6,35) 1/4 (6,35) 1/2 (12,7) 1/2 (12,7) 1/2 (12,7) 1/4 (6,35) 1/4 (6,35)	UL Listed Momentary, Terminal Seal, (Wire Leads Optnl.) Overtravel, Terminal Seal, (Wire Leads Optnl.) Positive Feel, Overtravel, Terminal Seal, (Wire Leads Optional) Push/Pull Action (Maintained) Watertight, Terminal Seal, (Wire Leads Optnl.) Square & Round Bezels Square Bezel Panel Mount Pos. Feel, Overtravel, Square & Round Bezels Pos. Feel, Overtravel, Square & Round Bezels Pos. Feel, Overtravel, Sq. Bezel Panel Mount Miniature, Surface Mount Miniature, Horizontal PC Mount Sealed Plunger, Stackable with LEDs Miniature Overtravel, Miniature Limit Switch, (Wire Leads Optional) Overtravel, Miniature, (Wire Leads Optional) Watertight Seal, Miniature, (Wire Leads Optional) Watertight Seal, Miniature, (Wire Leads Optional) Actuator Seal, Miniature Limit Switch (Wire Leads Optional) PC Mount, Miniature, Sealed PC Mount, Miniature, Right Angle, Cap Seal PC Mount, Miniature, Overtravel Economical Contact Plating Econ. Plating, Square Bezel Panel Mount	30 30 30 30 30 30 30 30 30 30 30 30 38 38 38 38 39 39 39 39 39 39 39 39 39 39 39 39 39
SPDT	BBM BBM	.020, .150** .250 .250 .020**	100,000 100,000 500,000 80,000	1/2 (12,7) 1/4 (6,35) 1/2 (12,7) 5/16 (8,13)	Actuator Seal, Overtravel, Miniature Limit Switch, (Wire Leads Optional)  SPST AND SPDT, Stackable w/LEDs PC Mount, 2 Circuits, Right Angle, Total Seal Miniature, Surface Mount	32 39 38

#### **Wiping Contact**

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SPST	N.O. or N.C. N.O. or N.C. N.O. N.O.	3 1 .250 .4VA	6,000 100,000 100,000 40,000	13/16 (20,6) 13/16 (20,6) 1/2 (12,7) .177 (4,5)	Decorator Line Momentary Action & Positive Feel Types Momentary Action & Terminal Seal Types Process Sealed, Subminiture	4000/10 4000/10 23 49
SPDT	BBM or MBB BBM or MBB BBM or MBB BBM BBM BBM N.O.	.250 .250 .250 .250 .250 .250 .250 .4VA	250,000 250,000 100,000 250,000 250,000 250,000 40,000	7/16 (11,11) 1+ (25,4+) 1/2 (12,7) 11/16 (17,46) 11/16 (17,46) 1+ (25,4+) .177 (4,5)	Momentary Action Square Bezel Panel Mount Watertight Seal Square & Round Bezels Alternate Action, Square & Round Bezels Alternate Action, Square Bezel Panel Mount Process Sealed, Subminiature	46 46 46 46 46 46 49
DPDT	BBM or MBB BBM BBM or MBB BBM BBM BBM or MBB	.250 .250 .250 .250 .250 .250	100,000 250,000 100,000 250,000 250,000 250,000	5/8 (15,88) 13/16 (20,6) 11/16 (17,46) 11/16 (17,46) 11/16 (17,46) 1+ (25,4+)	Momentary Action Environmental Seal/Wire Leads Watertight Seal Square & Round Bezel & Positive Feel Types Alternate Action, Square & Round Bezels Alternate Action, Square Bezel Panel Mount	46 46 46 46 46 46

#### **Snap Action Contact**

SPST	N.O. or N.C.	1, 3	25,000	7/8 (22,23)	SPST, 1 and 3 Amp	4000/10
SPDT	BBM	5, 10	25,000	7/8 (22,23)	Audible Click	2000/7

BBM is Break-Before-Make (Non-Shorting). MBB is Make-Before-Break (Shorting).

<sup>\*\*</sup> Rated for 28 Vdc and/or 5 Vdc (.150 A) and 20 Vdc (.020 A).

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> Maximum width behind panel or above PC board rounded to next highest 1/16" (1,59 mm).