

## Ideal For Many Process Heating Applications Requiring "Hot Face" Temperatures



Easy to install and capable of high surface temperatures, the RAYMAX<sup>®</sup> 1220 and 2030 are ideal for many process heating applications requiring "hot-face" temperatures above 1000°F (540°C).

Each ceramic fiber heater is mounted in a 2½ in. (64 mm) deep sheet metal case providing thermal insulation. The case includes post terminals for electrical connections and provides a mounting system that can be used with virtually any flat ceramic fiber unit. Watt density and temperature capabilities can be tailored to meet a specific radiant application for exposed sinuated embedded coil or foil element configuration.

### Performance Capabilities

- RAYMAX 2030 (uses sinuated or coil elements): temperatures up to 2000°F (1095°C); watt densities up to 30 W/in<sup>2</sup> (4.7 W/cm<sup>2</sup>)
- RAYMAX 1220 (uses an etched foil element): temperatures up to 1200°F (650°C); watt densities up to 20 W/in<sup>2</sup> (3 W/cm<sup>2</sup>)
- Maximum voltage up to 600V

### Features and Benefits

#### Lightweight, low mass design

- Allows fast response to controllers

#### Self insulation with 2½ in. (64 mm) thick mounting case

- Provides high efficiency

#### Thermocouple mounting clamp

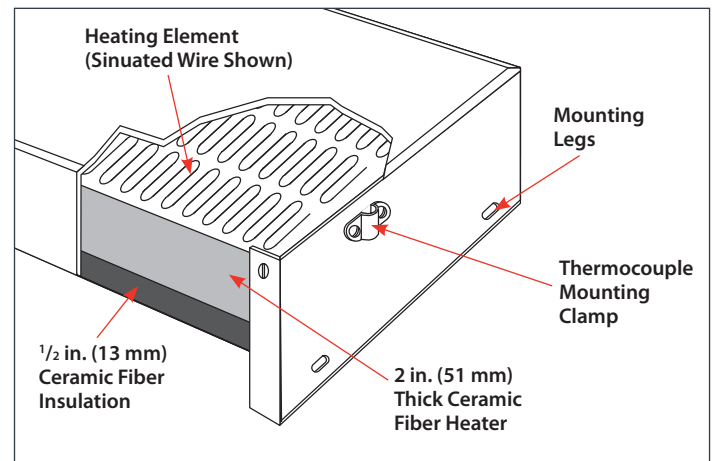
- Simplifies process system control

#### Aluminized steel case

- Handles temperatures up to 1100°F (595°C)

#### Special hot-face heating patterns

- Designed specifically for an application using an etched foil RAYMAX 1220



### Typical Applications

- Conveyor furnaces
- High-temperature vessel heating
- Tempering and annealing processes for glass, wire, ceramics and metals
- Coating, curing and drying of inks, paints, plastics and films

## Application Hints

A thermocouple mounting clamp is attached to one end of the case, with holes on both ends for alternate locations. The clamp can be used with  $\frac{1}{8}$  in. (3.2 mm) O.D. sheath thermocouples. The clamp is  $\frac{3}{16}$  in. (4.8 mm) high, but can be removed for flush mounting\*.

The maximum recommended surface temperature of the heater is based on the rating of the ceramic fiber heater module. This can vary from 2000°F (1095°C) at lower watt densities, to higher watt densities at reduced surface temperatures. **Note:** maximum wattages cannot be achieved at the maximum temperatures simultaneously.

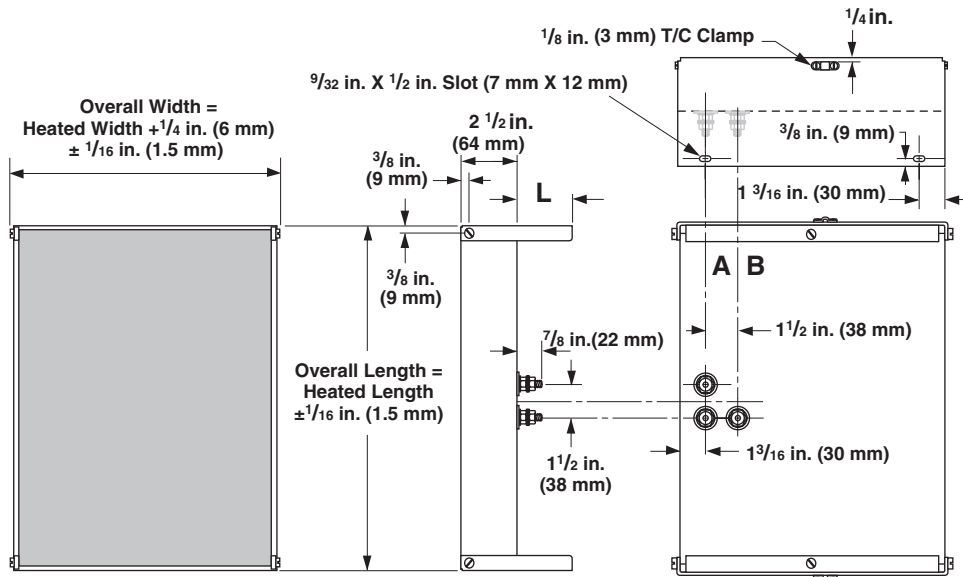
\*  $\frac{13}{16}$  in. (4.8 mm) and  $\frac{1}{4}$  in. (6 mm) are available upon request.

## Options

Several options are available with RAYMAX 1220 and 2030 models. Contact your Watlow representative for more information.

- Single-phase non-standard location power terminals
- Terminal box
- Zoning
- Mounting studs and legs
- 3-phase construction
- Thermocouple mounting tubes
- Alternate case materials

## Dimensional Drawing



## Specifications

**Weight:** Less than 6.5 lbs/ft<sup>2</sup> (31.75 kg/m<sup>2</sup>)

**Voltage and Wattage:** Ratings, up to 600VAC are based on the ceramic fiber heater module mounted in the case.

**Terminals:** Terminals are  $\frac{1}{4}$ -20 threaded studs. Two terminals plus ground for single-phase, and three terminals plus ground for 3-phase are located on the center length line unless otherwise specified. Terminals can be positioned anywhere along lines A and B (see illustration below), but not closer than 2 in. (51 mm) to the case ends.

**Mounting Legs:** Mounting legs are available either 1 in. (25 mm) or 3 in. (76 mm) length. For made-to-order units, mounting legs can be supplied in any incremental length L from  $\frac{1}{2}$  in. (13 mm) to 3 in. (76 mm). Slots are not provided in legs less than 1 in. (25 mm) long.

Heater Dimensions	Min.	Max.	Increments
Width: in. (mm)	2 (51)	30 (762)	Any
Width: in. (mm)	6 (152)	52 (1320)	Any

**Note:** Units will be  $\frac{1}{4}$  in. (6 mm) wider than the nominal size of the ceramic fiber heater. Overall length is equal to heater length, but thermocouple clamp not included in length.

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## RAYMAX Panel Heaters

### RAYMAX 1220

#### Ceramic Fiber with Foil Element

Panel Overall Size ±1/16 in. (1.5 mm)		Panel Nominal Heated Size in. (mm)		Volts	Watts	Watt Density		Approx. Net Wt.		Part Number
Width	Length	Width	Length			W/in <sup>2</sup>	(W/cm <sup>2</sup> )	lbs	(kg)	
4 1/4 (108)	12 (305)	4 (102)	12 (305)	120	950	19.8	(3.1)	2.8	(1.3)	VP504A12F
4 1/4 (108)	24 (610)	4 (102)	24 (610)	240	1900	19.8	(3.1)	4.8	(2.2)	VP504A24F
8 1/4 (210)	12 (305)	8 (203)	12 (305)	240	1900	19.8	(3.1)	4.5	(2.1)	VP508A12F <sup>①</sup>
8 1/4 (210)	24 (610)	8 (203)	24 (610)	240	3800	19.8	(3.1)	7.7	(3.5)	VP508A24F

All units in this table are suitable for use up to 1200°F (650°C) maximum surface temperature.

<sup>①</sup> Thermocouple clasp is not included in the length.

### RAYMAX 2030

#### Ceramic Fiber with Sinuated Element

Nominal Heated Width in. (mm)	Nominal Heated Length in. (mm)	Volts	Watts	Watt Density		Approx. Net Wt.		Part Number
				W/in <sup>2</sup>	(W/cm <sup>2</sup> )	lbs	(kg)	
4 (102)	6 (152)	30	500	20.8	(3.2)	1.9	(0.9)	VP504A06T
	12 (305)	120	925	19.3	(3.0)	3.1	(1.4)	VP504A12T <sup>①</sup>
	18 (457)	120	1400	19.4	(3.0)	4.1	(1.9)	VP504A18T <sup>①</sup>
	24 (610)	240	1850	19.5	(3.0)	5.2	(2.4)	VP504A24T <sup>①</sup>
	30 (762)	240	2250	19.6	(3.1)	6.3	(2.9)	VP504A30T <sup>①</sup>
	36 (914)	240	3200	22.2	(3.4)	7.4	(3.3)	VP504A36T <sup>①</sup>
6 (152)	6 (152)	60	650	18.1	(2.8)	2.4	(1.1)	VP506A06T <sup>①</sup>
	12 (305)	120	1250	17.4	(2.7)	4.1	(1.9)	VP506A12T
	18 (457)	240	2000	18.5	(2.9)	5.8	(2.6)	VP506A18T
	24 (610)	120	2500	17.4	(2.7)	7.4	(3.3)	VP506A24T
	24 (610)	240	2500	17.4	(2.7)	7.4	(3.3)	VP506A24U
	30 (762)	240	3400	18.9	(2.9)	9.0	(4.1)	VP506A30T
8 (203)	36 (914)	240	4000	18.5	(2.9)	10.6	(4.8)	VP506A36T
	12 (305)	120	1800	18.8	(2.9)	4.7	(2.4)	VP508A12T
	18 (457)	240	3000	20.8	(3.2)	7.4	(3.3)	VP508A18U <sup>①</sup>
	24 (610)	240	3600	18.8	(2.9)	9.5	(4.3)	VP508A24T
	30 (762)	240	5000	20.8	(3.2)	11.7	(5.3)	VP508A30T
10 (254)	36 (914)	240	6000	20.8	(3.2)	13.9	(6.3)	VP508A36T
	12 (305)	120	2000	16.7	(2.6)	6.3	(2.9)	VP510A12T
	18 (457)	120	3600	20.0	(3.1)	9.0	(4.1)	VP510A18T
	24 (610)	240	4500	17.9	(2.8)	11.7	(5.3)	VP510A24T
	30 (762)	240	6000	20.0	(3.1)	14.4	(6.5)	VP510A30T
	36 (914)	240	7200	19.4	(3.0)	17.1	(7.8)	VP510A36T

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<sup>①</sup>Vee sinuated

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### Ceramic Fiber with Sinuated Element

Nominal Heated Width		Nominal Heated Length		Volts	Watts	Watt Density		Approx. Net Wt.		Part Number
in.	(mm)	in.	(mm)			W/in <sup>2</sup>	(W/cm <sup>2</sup> )	lbs	(kg)	
12	(305)	12	(305)	120	2500	17.4	(2.7)	7.4	(3.3)	VP512A12T
		12	(305)	240	2500	17.4	(2.7)	7.4	(3.3)	VP512A12U <sup>①</sup>
		18	(457)	240	4000	18.5	(2.9)	10.6	(4.8)	VP512A18T
		24	(610)	240	6000	20.8	(3.2)	13.9	(6.3)	VP512A24T
		30	(762)	240	7200	20.0	(3.1)	17.1	(7.8)	VP512A30T
		36	(914)	240	8400	19.4	(3.0)	20.3	(9.2)	VP512A36T <sup>①</sup>
14	(356)	12	(305)	240	3500	20.8	(3.2)	8.5	(3.8)	VP514A12T
		18	(457)	240	4900	19.4	(3.0)	12.2	(5.5)	VP514A18T
		24	(610)	240	7000	20.8	(3.2)	16.0	(7.3)	VP514A24T
		30	(762)	240	8400	20.0	(3.1)	19.8	(9.0)	VP514A30T <sup>①</sup>
		36	(914)	240/240	9800	19.4	(3.0)	23.6	(10.7)	VP514A36T
		16	(406)	12	(305)	240	3600	18.8	(2.9)	9.5
16	(406)	18	(457)	240	5700	19.8	(3.1)	13.9	(6.3)	VP516A18T
		24	(610)	240	7100	18.5	(2.9)	18.2	(8.2)	VP516A24T
		30	(762)	240/240	9600	20.0	(3.1)	22.5	(10.2)	VP516A30T
		36	(914)	240/240	11500	20.0	(3.1)	26.8	(12.2)	VP516A36T

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### Part Number

①	②	③	④	⑤	⑥	⑦	⑧	⑨	⑩	⑪	⑫	⑬	⑭
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① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ⑥ ⑦ ⑧ ⑨	Base Part Number
VP508A12T	

⑩	Modification Options
1 =	3 in. (76 mm) leg height and terminal box
4 =	1/4 / 20 mounting studs
5 =	1/4 / 20 mounting studs and terminal box
M =	1 in. (25 mm) leg height
R =	1 in. (25 mm) leg height and terminal box
W =	Terminal box in standard location
Y =	3 in. (76 mm) leg height

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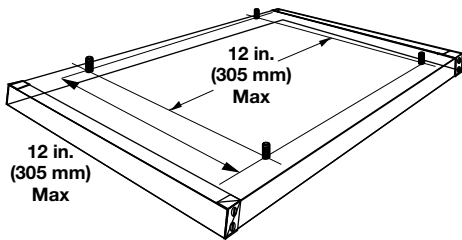
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### Mounting Accessories

#### Mounting Studs

Standard  $\frac{1}{4}$ -20 x  $1\frac{1}{2}$  in. (38 mm) or (M6-1 x 40) steel studs are welded to the case. For best support, studs should be approximately located on 12 in. (305 mm) centers. Contact your Watlow representative for exact locations on specific heaters.

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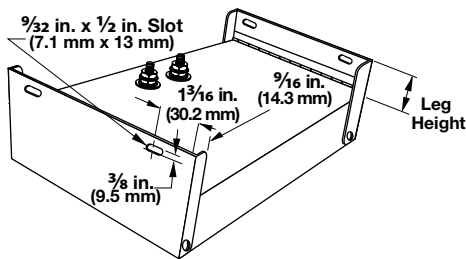


#### Mounting Legs

Mounting legs are extensions of the steel end caps with mounting slots for bolting directly to field support members. There is no extra charge for legs. They can be supplied in half inch increments from 0.5 in. (13 mm) to 3 in. (76 mm). Slots are not provided in legs less than 1 in. (25 mm) long.

For panels over 24 in. (610 mm) long, mounting studs are recommended for the best panel support.

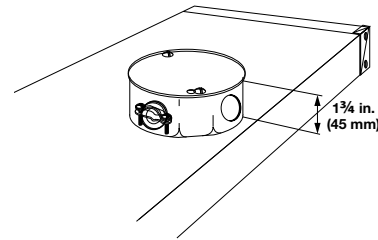
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**Application note:** Allow for some thermal expansion of the heater case during operation. An expansion of up to one percent can occur when the case reaches its normal maximum limit of 1100°F (595°C). If the equipment has mounting screws to connect to the slots in the mounting legs, allow for a small amount of extra length. If mounting holes are used to interface with the mounting studs on the back of the RAYMAX case, make sure that the holes are oversized. Use washers and avoid overtightening the screws.

### Terminal Accessories

#### Terminal Box

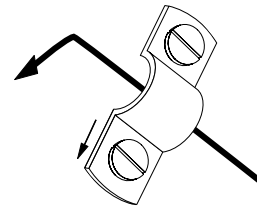


To protect electrical connections, a standard NEMA octagon terminal box is available. The standard size is  $3\frac{9}{16}$  x  $3\frac{9}{16}$  x  $1\frac{1}{2}$  in. (90.5 x 90.5 x 38 mm) with knockouts for  $\frac{1}{2}$  in. (13 mm) conduit. Other NEMA sizes are available as an extended capability.

Care should be taken to use lead wire capable of withstanding the ambient temperatures.

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#### Thermocouple Clamps



A thermocouple mounting clamp can be provided on the end of the heater case. The clamp is suitable for  $\frac{1}{8}$  in. (3.2 mm) and  $\frac{1}{4}$  in. (6 mm) outside diameter sheath thermocouples bent to 90° so that the sensing tip is just above and lightly touching the hot face at an element location.

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