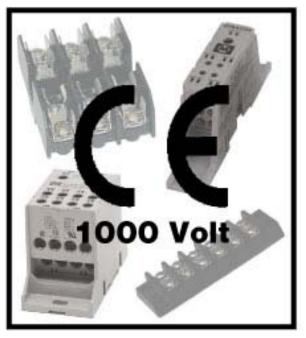
Press Release:

Marathon Special Products Announces Availability of 1,000V CE Rated Products for Solar and Wind Power Applications

BOWLING GREEN (April 22, 2009) – Marathon Special Products, an industry leader in electrical/electronic components, is pleased to announce availability of 1,000V AC/DC **C** rated products for Solar, Wind Power and other industrial and commercial applications. Marathon's Power Distribution Blocks, Fuse Holders and Terminal Blocks have been evaluated and rated to IEC 60947-1 and the appropriate IEC component standards. In addition, Marathon's Power Distribution Blocks, Fuse Holders are compliant to UL 1741 for use with Flexible Stranded Wires.

"Availability of 1000V AC/DC rated products allows customers to comply with CE/IEC standards and exploit Marathon's shortest industry lead-times to serve end users effectively" said Vijay Chahar, Marathon's Vice President and General Manager. Most of Marathon's products are UL rated for multiple wires and can be supplied in many configurations including Finger Safe Power Distribution Blocks (IEC 60529), Din Rail and panel mounting. Marathon's products are manufactured in United States of America.

See page 2 for additional details of 1000 Volt ratings.



For more information on stock availability, lead times, delivery or for

pricing on any of Marathon products, please call (419) 352-8441 and speak with any of our Customer Service Specialists. You can also send your requests to marketing@marathonsp.com.

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About Marathon Special Products:

Marathon Special Products, headquartered in Bowling Green, Ohio, has been an industry leader in electrical/electronic components designed for circuit protection and connection applications for over 60 years. Our market focus is major Original Equipment Manufacturers (OEMs) and Electrical Panel Builders. We reach our customers using a broad network of Electrical and Electronic Distributors. Our product offering includes Fuse Holders for power fuses, Power Distribution Blocks, Single and Double Row Terminal Blocks, Heavy Duty Terminal Blocks, NEMA and DIN Sectional Terminal Blocks. Our recent addition of Enclosed Power Distribution Blocks provides touch proof safety for electrical panels. Marathon also has high Short Circuit Current Ratings for a number of our Terminal Blocks, along with approval for flexible stranded wire per UL508A. Marathon's products are also used in combiner boxes and inverters for the solar and wind power applications. In addition, we have the expertise to design and manufacture custom products for specific customer applications. Marathon Special Products is a division of Regal-Beloit Corporation. For more information, please contact the company by phone at (419) 352-8441 or visit http://www.marathonsp.com/.

Regal Beloit Corporation is a leading manufacturer of mechanical and electrical motion control and power generation products serving markets throughout the world. Regal Beloit is headquartered in Beloit, Wisconsin, and has manufacturing, sales, and service facilities throughout the United States, Canada, Mexico, Europe and Asia.

Voltage Ratings per IEC 60947-1 and IEC 60947-7-1

	ENCLOSED	POWER BLO	CKS
Catalog	Voltage Rating	Current Range	Special
Description	(Ui) - AC/DC	AMP	Features/Notes
LISTED ENCLO	SED POWER BLOCKS		
EPBAD21	1,000	up to 115	Din/Panel Mount
EPBAD24	1,000	up to 115	Din/Panel Mount
EPBXD42	1,000	up to 200	Din/Panel Mount
EPBXD45	1,000	up to 200	Din/Panel Mount
RECOGNIZED E	NCLOSED POWER BLO	DCKS	
EPBXD74	800	up to 335	Din Rail Mount
EPBXP74	1,000	up to 335	Panel Mount
EPBXD71	800	up to 510	Din Rail Mount
EPBXP71	1,000	up to 510	Panel Mount

	NEMA PO	WER BLOCKS	•
Catalog Description	Voltage Rating (Ui) - AC/DC	Current Range AMP	Special Features/Notes
132XXXX 133XXXX 140XXXX 141XXXX 142XXXX 143XXXX 143XXXX 144XXXX 145XXXX	1,000 1,000 800 1,000 1,000 1,000 1,000 1,000	up to 175 up to 510 up to 310 up to 115 up to 175 up to 350 up to 420 up to 760	

HEAVY DUTY TERMINAL BLOCKS				
Catalog Description	Voltage Rating (Ui) - AC/DC	Current Range AMP	Special Features/Notes	
1100 Series 1200 Series 0987 Series 985 Series 1500 Series 1600 Series 1700 Series	630 800 1,000 630 1,000 1,000 1,000	up to 65 up to 70 up to 50 up to 85 up to 75 up to 75 up to 75	>30A ring lug >30A ring lug >30A ring lug	

Voltage Ratings per IEC 60269

	FUSE	E HOLDERS	
Catalog Description	Voltage Rating (Ui) - AC/DC	Current Range AMP	Special Features/Notes
CLASS M/ENCL	OSED FUSE HOLDER	S	
6SM30AXB 6SM30AXIB 6M30AXX	1,000 1,000 800	up to 30 up to 30 up to 30	is 1000 1 Series L
SEMI-CONDUC	FOR FUSE HOLDERS		ertifie for U DC)
1MS101 1MS102 1MS103 1MS104 FSM25E FSM37E FSM50E	1,000 1,000 1,000 1,000 1,000 1,000 1,000 1,000	up to 100 101 ~ 400 101 ~ 400 401 ~ 600 400 800 1,200	Marathon ce Volt Rating (is UL rated ft 1000V AC/D

Notes (applies to two groups)

Material Group - Illa except 6M30AX series in Fuse Holders with material group - I
Pollution Group - 3



