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Mouser is stocking the New Bourns Model PEC09 Incremental Encoders.

Mansfield, Texas, USA — December 17, 2010 - Mouser Electronics, Inc., regarded as a top global engineering design resource for semiconductors and electronic components, today announced it is stocking new product from Bourns.

The Bourns Model PEC09 Incremental Encoders offer momentary push switch and detent options, as well as a 30,000 rotational life cycle. With a 12 and 15 PPR resolution, the PEC09 operates at temperatures from -10°C to +70°C. The 9mm Bourns Model PEC09 Incremental Encoders can be used in applications such as audio-visual equipment, consumer electronic appliances, portable electronics, environmental controls, communication equipment, and instrument panels. In addition, the PEC09 is useful in professional audio equipment such as portable mixers, keyboards, electronic drum programmers, and sound processors. To learn more, visit http://www.mouser.com/bournsproaudio/#tabs-5.

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Bourns invests heavily in the development of technologies and the expansion of its manufacturing capabilities to meet customers' changing needs. Through this continuous investment, Bourns drives the trend toward component miniaturization. The company's commitment to quality is demonstrated in its manufacturing operations, which meet QS 9000, ISO 9001 / 2000 and TS 16949 certifications. For more information, visit <u>http://www.bourns.com</u>.

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