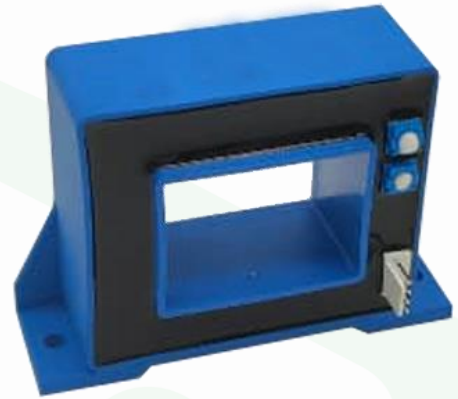


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Current Transducer VCS-C-500M3

Features :

- Low temperature coefficient
- Galvanic isolation
- High immunity to external interference
- Excellent linearity
- Light weight design

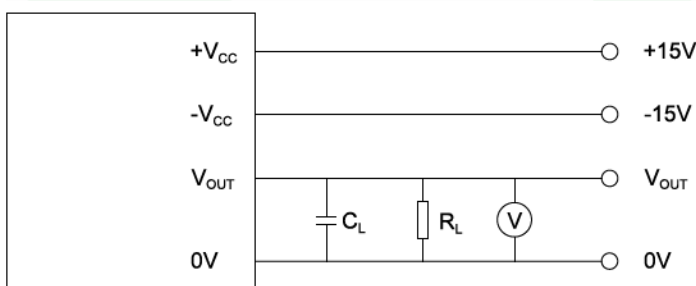


The VCS-C-500M3 is an open-loop current sensor designed for the accurate measurement of DC, AC, pulsed currents, and arbitrary waveform currents. It ensures galvanic isolation between the primary and secondary circuits, making it ideal for applications where precision and safety are paramount.

Its rectangular shape allows it to be integrated into the smallest spaces, making it suitable for busbars with dimensions up to 40.5 mm x 30.5 mm.

Applications :

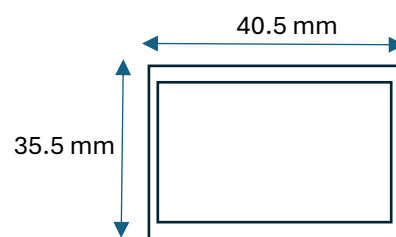
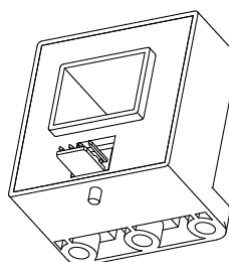
- DC motor drives
- Inverter and variable frequency drives (VFD)
- Uninterruptible power supplies (UPS)
- Power supplies for welding application
- Switching power supplies



| Part Number | Primary Nominal Current | Primary Current Measuring Range |
|-------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------|
| VCS-C-500M3 | 500A | ±1500 A |

Application Domaine:

- Industrial



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SPECIFICATIONS:

$T_A = +25^{\circ}\text{C}$, $V_{CC} = \pm 15\text{V}$, $R_L = 10\text{ K}\Omega$, unless otherwise noted

| Parameter | Symbol | Condition | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
|---------------------------------|------------------|--|-------|--------|------|-------------------|
| ELECTRICAL DATA | | | | | | |
| Primary nominal r.m.s Current | I _{PN} | | - | 500 | - | A |
| Primary Current measuring range | I _{PM} | | -1500 | - | 1500 | A |
| Output Voltage | V _{OUT} | V _{OE} + S × I _P | - | ±4 | - | mV |
| Sensitivity | S | I _P =0 To ± I _{PN} | - | 8.00 | - | mV/A |
| Supply Voltage | V _{CC} | ±5% | - | ±15 | - | V |
| Current Consumption | I _C | I _P =0 | - | ±25/-5 | - | mA |
| Load Resistance | R _L | I _P =0 To ± I _{PN} | 1 | 10 | - | KΩ |
| Load Capacitance | C _L | I _P =0 To ± I _{PN} | - | 100 | - | pF |
| STATIC PERFORMANCE DATA | | | | | | |
| Linearity Error | ε _L | T _A = -40 °C to +105 °C, I _P = 0 to ±I _{PN} | - | ±0.2 | - | % I _{PN} |
| Accuracy | X _G | T _A = +25 °C, I _P = 0 to ±I _{PN} | -1 | ±0.5 | 1 | % I _{PN} |
| | | T _A = -40 °C to +40 °C, I _P = 0 to ±I _{PN} | -2 | ±0.5 | 2 | |
| | | T _A = +40 °C to +85 °C, I _P = 0 to ±I _{PN} | -3 | - | 1 | |
| | | T _A = +85 °C to +105 °C, I _P = 0 to ±I _{PN} | -4.5 | - | 1 | |
| Sensitivity Error | ε _S | T _A = -40 °C to +85 °C, I _P = 0 to ±I _{PN} | -2 | - | 2 | % |
| Symmetry | ε _{SYM} | T _A = -40 °C to +105 °C, I _P = 0 to ±I _{PN} | 99 | 100 | 100 | % |
| Hysteresis | V _{OH} | I _P = ±I _{PN} → 0 | -10 | ±5 | 10 | mV |
| Electric Offset | V _{OE} | T _A = +25 °C, I _P = 0 | -20 | ±10 | 20 | mV |
| | | T _A = -40 °C to +85 °C, I _P = 0 | -35 | ±20 | 35 | |
| | | T _A = +85°C to +105 °C,I _P = 0 | -40 | ±20 | 40 | |
| DYNAMIC PERFORMANCE DATA | | | | | | |
| Response Time | T _r | di/dt > 50 A/μs, 10% to 90% of I _{PN} | | 5 | - | μs |
| Bandwidth | BW | -3 dB | DC | 25 | - | kHz |

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2. TYPICAL OUTPUT CHARACTERISTICS

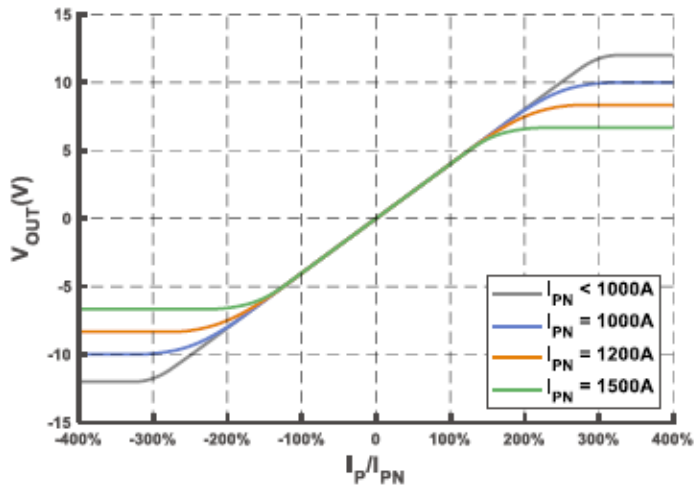


Figure 1. Output Voltage vs Primary Current

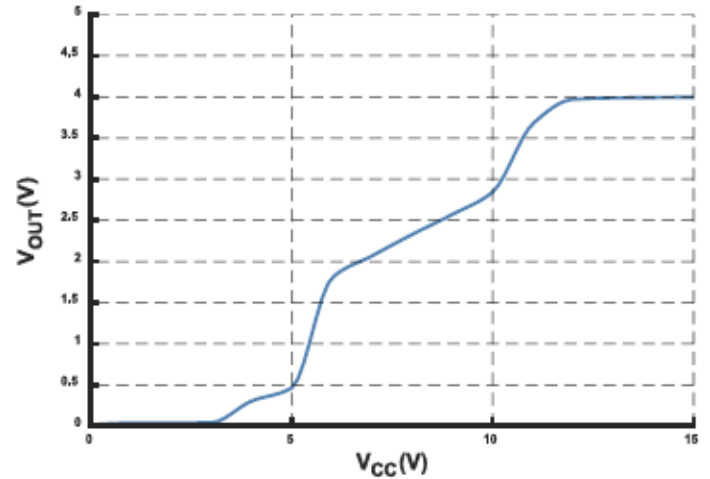


Figure 2. Output Voltage vs Supply Voltage (@ $I_P = I_{PN}$)

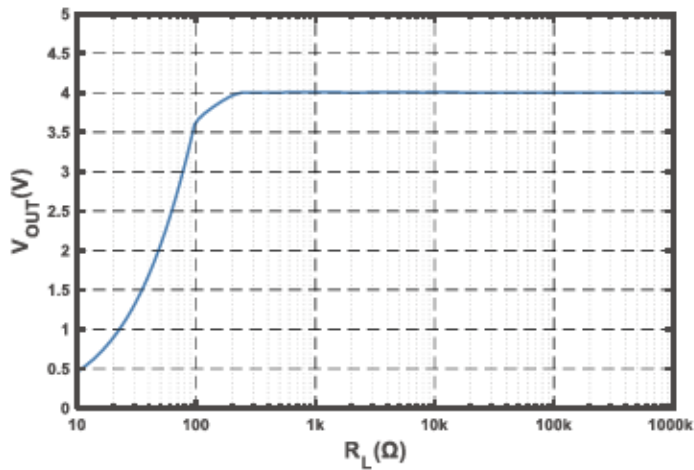


Figure 3. Output Voltage vs Load Resistance
(@ $I_P = I_{PN}$)

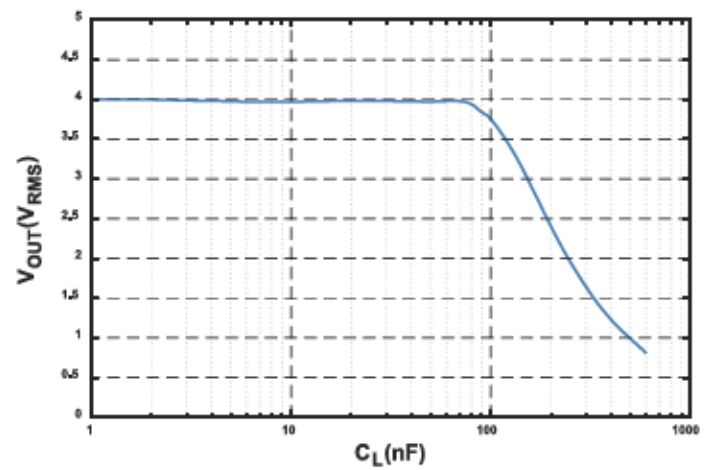


Figure 4. Output Voltage vs Load Capacitance
(@ $I_P = I_{PN}$)

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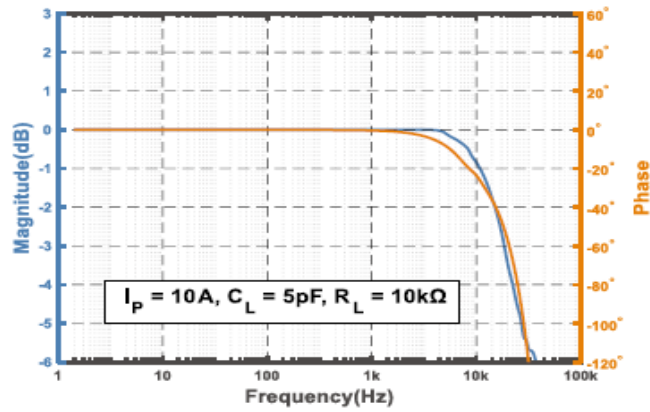


Figure 5. Bode Plot

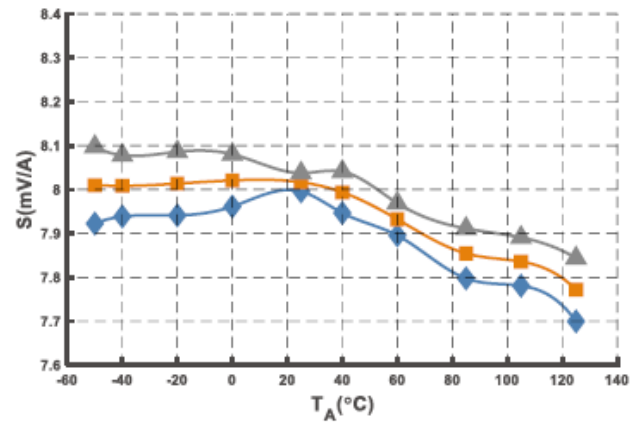


Figure 12. Sensitivity (@ $I_{PN} = 500 A$)

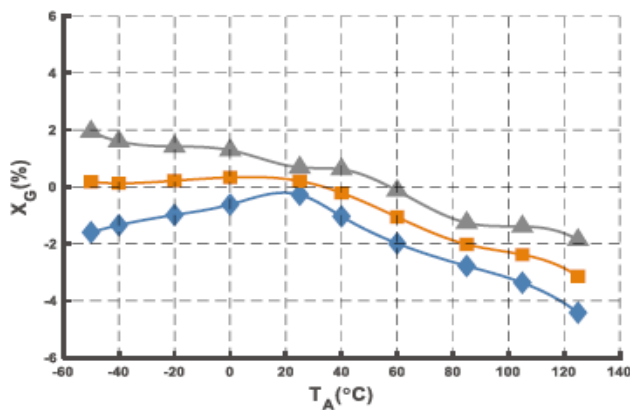


Figure 6. Accuracy

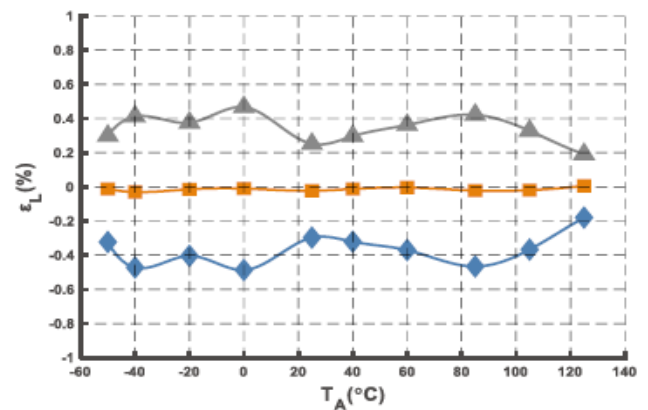


Figure 7. Linearity Error

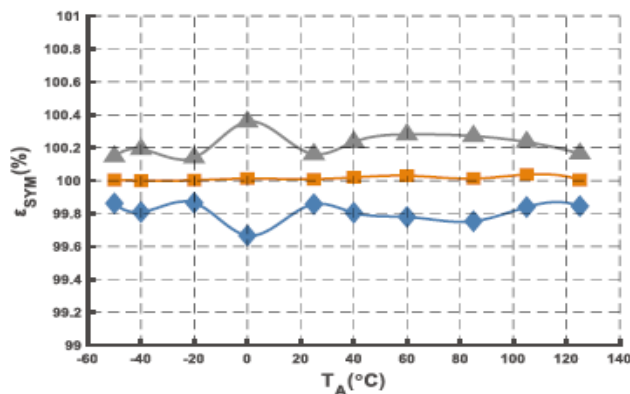


Figure 8. Symmetry

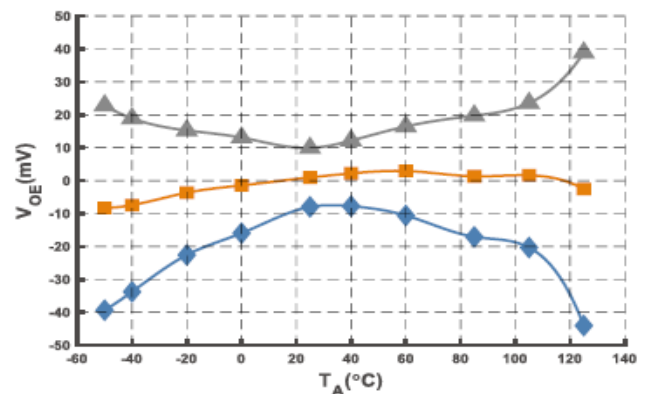


Figure 9. Electric Offset



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4.

| Parameter | Symbol | Typical | Unit |
|-------------------------------|-----------|-------------|----------------|
| Dielectric Strength | V_D | 5 | kV(50Hz, 1min) |
| Insulation Resistance | R_{IS} | 1000 | $M\Omega$ |
| Creepage Distance | d_{CP} | 15 | mm |
| Clearance | d_{CL} | 7 | mm |
| Ambient Operating Temperature | T_A | -40 to +105 | $^{\circ}C$ |
| Ambient Storage Temperature | T_{STG} | -40 to +105 | $^{\circ}C$ |
| Mass | m | 320 | g |

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5. PARAMETERS DEFINITION AND FORMULA

1) Output Voltage:

$$V_{OUT} = V_{OE} + S \times I_P$$

V_{OUT} stands for current sensor output voltage at given primary current, V_{OE} stands for electric offset, S stands for sensitivity, I_P stands for primary current.

2) Accuracy

$$X_G = \max_{I_P \in [-I_{PN}, I_{PN}]} \left[\frac{V_{OUT} - (S \times I_P)}{S \times I_{PN}} \right] \times 100\%$$

IPN stands for nominal primary current

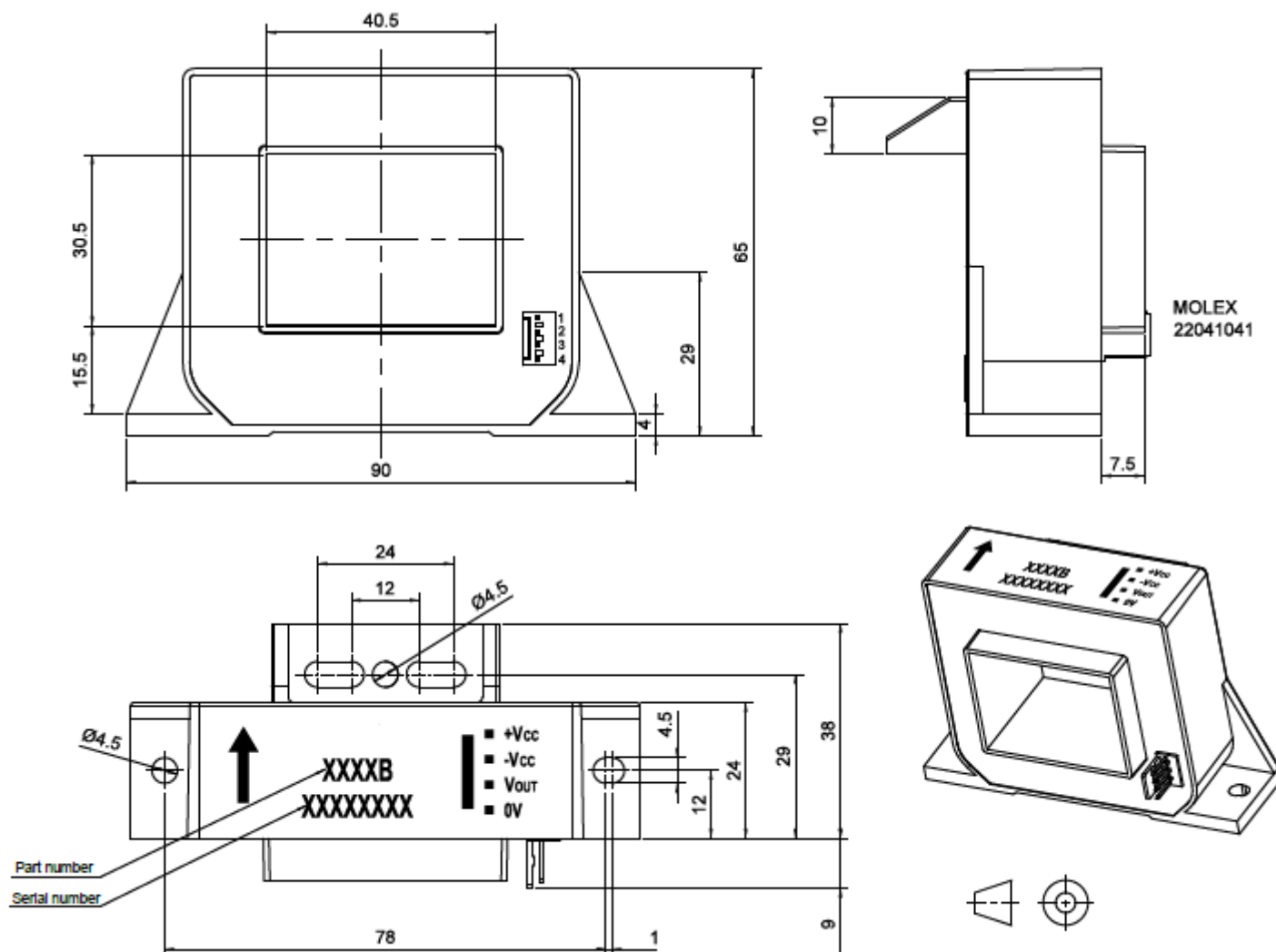
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3) Sensitivity

$$S = \frac{V_{OUT}(@ IPN) - V_{OUT}(@ -IPN)}{2 \times IPN}$$

$V_{OUT}(@ IPN)$ and $V_{OUT}(@ -IPN)$ stand for the voltage output at IPN and $-IPN$ respectively.

6. DIMENSIONS



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1. General Safety Warnings

- **Intended Use:** This transducer is designed for installation in electrical and electronic systems. It must be used in compliance with applicable international standards, such as **IEC 61010-1**, as well as local regulations and codes.
- **Applicable Standards:** The transducer must be operated according to the Adisens's operating instructions to ensure compliance with relevant safety standards, including:
 - **IEC 61010-1:** Safety requirements for electrical equipment for measurement, control, and laboratory use.
 - **EN 50178:** Safety requirements for electronic equipment for power installations.

- **Installation by Qualified Personnel:** Only qualified professionals, trained in handling high-voltage systems and

Mounting Recommendation

1. Mounting method: 1 × Φ 4.5 mm hole and 1 × Φ 4.5 mm slotted hole
 2 × M4 copper or SS304 screws (Recommended torque 1.2 N·m) Or
 1 × Φ 4.5 mm hole and 2 × Φ 4.5 mm slotted holes (Fixed to the busbar)
 3 × M4 copper or SS304 screws (Recommended torque 1.2 N·m)
 2. Primary through hole dimensions: 40 mm × 30 mm
 3. Secondary electrical connection: Molex 22041041 (old PN: Molex 5045-04A)
 Crimp Housing: Molex 22011042
 Crimping Terminal: Molex 08500113
- **Isolation Requirements.** This transducer provides galvanic isolation between the primary (high-power) and secondary (low-power) circuits. However, the device should not be assumed to provide absolute protection against electric shock. Always de-energize circuits before installation or maintenance.

3. Installation Precautions

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- **Environmental Conditions:** The transducer is designed to operate in controlled environments. Ensure that the operating temperature, humidity, and surrounding conditions comply with the transducer's specifications provided in the technical datasheet. Avoid exposure to moisture, corrosive environments, or areas prone to electrical interference.
- **Mounting:** Secure the transducer properly in a location that prevents movement or vibration during operation. Improper mounting may cause electrical arcing or contact with live components.
- **Grounding:** Ensure that the transducer is correctly grounded in accordance with the electrical system design. This will help prevent electric shock and improve system safety and performance.

4. Operational Guidelines

- **Operating Limits:** Operate the transducer strictly within the specified voltage, current, and temperature ranges. Overloading the transducer beyond its rated capacity may result in equipment failure or create safety hazards.
- **Routine Maintenance:** Inspect the transducer regularly for signs of wear, damage, or abnormal operation. Discontinue use if any issues are detected and consult the manufacturer for replacement or repair.

5. Handling and Storage

- **Handling Precautions:** Avoid direct contact with transducer terminals during handling. Always handle the device with protective gear, including insulated gloves, to avoid accidental electric shock.
- **Storage Conditions:** Store the transducer in a clean, dry, and temperature-controlled environment. Prolonged exposure to harsh conditions may degrade performance and compromise safety.

6. Emergency Procedures

- **Power Disconnection:** In case of a malfunction, electrical fault, or other emergency, immediately disconnect the power supply to the transducer and seek professional assistance for inspection and repair.
- **First Aid:** If an electric shock occurs, follow established first aid protocols and seek emergency medical assistance immediately.

7. Disposal

- **Environmental Considerations:** Dispose of the transducer according to local regulations for electronic waste. Do not incinerate, and avoid disposing of the device in general waste, as it may contain hazardous materials.

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8. Manufacturer's Support

For additional information, technical support, or to report any issues with the transducer, please contact us on contact@adisens.fr. Ensure that you have the model number, serial number, and installation details on hand for a prompt response.