

# SCM7B36

## Isolated Potentiometer Input Modules



### Description

Each SCM7B36 Potentiometer input module provides a single channel of resistance input which is filtered, isolated, amplified, and converted to a high level analog voltage output (Figure 1).

The SCM7B36 module interfaces to slidewires and potentiometers in both two or three wire configuration and incorporates a five-pole filtering approach to maximize both time and frequency response by taking advantage of both Bessel and Butterworth characteristics. One pole of the filter is on the field side of the isolation barrier; four are on the process control system side. In the 3-Wire configuration, lead resistance compensation is provided if the resistance of the “x” lead is closely equivalent to that of the “+” lead. Internal to the module, measurement error due to lead resistance is canceled.

In response to the low-level current excitation, and after initial field-side filtering, the input signal is chopped by a proprietary chopper circuit and transferred across the transformer isolation barrier, suppressing transmission of common mode spikes and surges. The signal is then reconstructed and filtered for process control system output.

Six standard input resistance ranges are offered, from 100Ω to 10kΩ, with three output ranges available: 0-5V, 1-5V, and 0-10V. Modules accept a wide 14- 35VDC power supply range (+24VDC nominal). Their compact packages (2.13” x 1.705” x 0.605” max.) save space and are ideal for high channel density applications. They are designed for easy DIN rail mounting using any of the -DIN backpanels.

### Features

- Industry's First 7B Potentiometer Input Module
- Interfaces 100Ω to 10kΩ Potentiometers
- Provides High-Level Voltage Outputs
- 1500Vrms Transformer Isolation
- Accuracy, ±0.03% of Span Typical, ±0.1% Max
- ANSI/IEEE C37.90.1 Transient Protection
- Input Protected to 120Vrms Continuous
- 120dB CMRR
- 85dB NMR at 60Hz, 80dB at 50Hz
- Easy DIN Rail Mounting
- CSA C/US Certified
- CE and ATEX Compliant

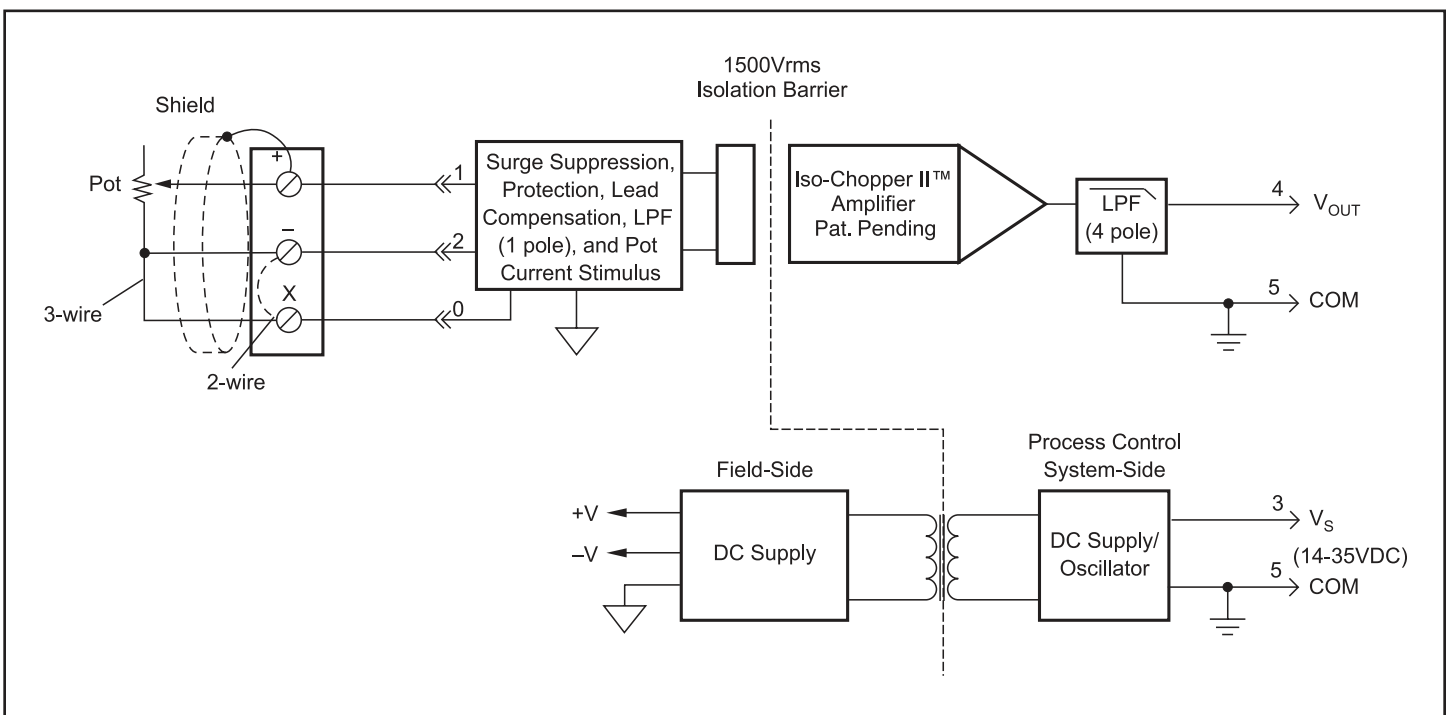


Figure 1: SCM7B36 Block Diagram

**Specifications** Typical\* at 25°C and +24VDC

Module	SCM7B36
Input Range Protection	(See Ordering Information)
Continuous Transient	120Vrms max ANSI/IEEE C37.90.1
Sensor Excitation Current	65µA (10kΩ) to 260µA (100Ω)
Lead Resistance Effect (3-Wire) <sup>(1)</sup>	-01 thru -04 : ±0.005Ω/ -05 : ±0.02Ω/Ω -06 : ±0.04Ω/Ω
Output Range <sup>(2)</sup> (See Output Range)	†
Effective Available Power <sup>(2)</sup>	40mW
Resistance	< 1Ω
Protection	Continuous Short to Ground
Voltage/Current Limit	±12V, ±14mA
CMV (Input to Output)	1500Vrms
Continuous Transient	ANSI/IEEE C37.90.1
CMRR (50 or 60Hz)	120dB
Accuracy <sup>(3)</sup>	±0.03% Span typical, ±0.1% Span max
Linearity <sup>(4)</sup>	±0.01% Span typical, ±0.02% Span max
Stability (-40°C to +85°C)	
Input Offset	±0.01Ω/°C
Output Offset	±30µV/°C
Gain	±60ppm/°C
Noise Peak at 5MHz B/W	1mV
RMS at 10Hz to 100kHz B/W	250µV
Peak at 0.1Hz to 10Hz B/W	1µV RTI <sup>(5)</sup>
Open Input Response	
'+' Lead	Upscale
'-' Lead	Non-deterministic
'x' Lead	Downscale
Open Input Detection Time	5 s
Frequency and Time Response	
Bandwidth, -3dB	3Hz
NMR (50/60Hz)	80/85dB
Step Response, 0 to 90%	250ms
Supply Voltage	14-35VDC
Current <sup>(2)</sup>	12mA
Sensitivity	±0.0001% $\frac{V_o}{V_s}$
Mechanical Dimensions (h)(w)(d)	2.13" x 1.705" x 0.605", max (54.1mm x 43.3mm x 15.4mm max)
Environmental	
Operating Temperature Range	-40°C to +85°C
Storage Temperature Range	-40°C to +85°C
Relative Humidity	0 to 95% Noncondensing
Emissions EN61000-6-4	ISM, Group 1
Radiated, Conducted	Class A
Immunity EN61000-6-2	ISM, Group 1
RF	Performance A ±0.5% Span Error
ESD, EFT	Performance B

**NOTES:**

\*Contact factory or your local Dataforth sales office for maximum values.

(1) Lead resistance effect is given for the condition of not having the NTC thermistor installed in the backpanel. As a general rule, as long as the lead resistance of the (+) lead matches the parallel combination of the thermistor and lead resistance in the (X) lead, the given specifications apply.

 (2) Output Range and Supply Current specifications are based on minimum output load resistance. Minimum output load resistance is calculated by  $V_{out}^2/P_E$ , where  $P_E$  is the output Effective Available Power that guarantees output range and accuracy specifications.

(3) Accuracy includes the effects of repeatability, hysteresis, and linearity, but does not include sensor accuracy.

(4) Linearity is calculated using the best-fit straight line method.

(5) RTI = Referenced to Input.

**Ordering Information**

Model	Input Range
SCM7B36-01	0 to 100Ω
SCM7B36-02	0 to 200Ω
SCM7B36-03	0 to 500Ω
SCM7B36-04	0 to 1kΩ
SCM7B36-05	0 to 5kΩ
SCM7B36-06	0 to 10kΩ

**†Output Ranges Available**

Output Range	Part No. Suffix	Example
+1 to +5V	NONE	SCM7B36-01
0 to +5V	A	SCM7B36-01A
0 to +10V	D	SCM7B36-01D