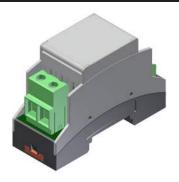
# IsoBlock I-ST

Single-Channel High Performance **Shunt Current Measuring Module** 



#### **OVERVIEW**

The IsoBlock I-ST is a sensor designed for high-quality isolated current measurements up to 80 Amperes. The IsoBlock I-ST module provides 1500V primary-to-secondary sustained isolation, which allows users to monitor a miscellaneous of currents at different potentials.

The IsoBlock I-ST uses shunt methodology to measure the current flowing through the input conductor. In essence, this technique works by placing a high performance low impedance resistor along the current path (primary), while a galvanic isolation separates primary and secondary sides. The input current is then obtained by amplifying the voltage induced across the shunt resistor. This is followed by an anti-aliasing filter and a conditioning stage to output a ±10V signal.

The compact form factor of the IsoBlock I-ST module allows users to setup high channel density monitoring systems, making it ideal for deployed and portable systems.

#### **SPECIFICATION**

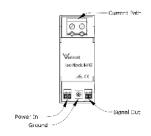
IsoBlock I-ST	External Shunt	5A	10A	30A	40A	50A	80A
Bandwidth (-3dB point)	DC - 1MHz						
Integrated sensor noise (Referenced to output)	<2mV rms						
Conversion Factor	N/A	2000 V/A	1000 mV/A	333.33 mV/A	250 mV/A	200 mV/A	125 mV/A
Input dynamic range	N/A	10A	20A	60A	80A	100A	160A

Eletrical	
Accuracy (percentage of reading)	±0.2%, 0.1% option
Max total phase shift at 60Hz	< 0.05°
Max Input delay	< 5 µs
Isolation voltage from primary side to secondary side	> ±2000V
Withstanding common mode surge voltage	±5000V
Thermal drift gain	< ±0.01% / °C
Mechanical	
Mounting Type	DIN Rail
Outer Dimensions	3.5" x 2.5" x 1.5"
Weight	205 g (7.2 oz)

Performance			
Input-Output non-linearity	< 280 ppm/A		
Output voltage	±10V, ±5V Custom		
Gain temperature drift	±50 ppm/°C		
Power Supply Voltage	8V to 28V		
Output type	Differential signal		
Output Offset Voltage	< ±500µV		
Output impedance	100Ω		
Common mode impedance	> 2 GΩ    4pF		
Differential Input impedance	> 1 MΩ		
Environmental			
Operating temperature	– 25 to 65 °C		
Storage temperature	– 40 to 70 °C		

### **HARDWARE DESCRIPTION**

The current input connector is located at the top of the module in the figure bellow. A connector that servers to power the unit, output signal and ground the sensor lay along the bottom.

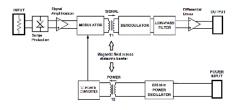


indication of input, output and power of the IsoBlock I-ST

The IsoBlock module is designed to mount on standard NS-35 or NS-32 DIN rails with minimal preparation, providing users ease of use and flexibility.



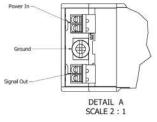
Installation on DIN rail

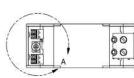


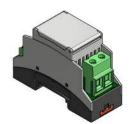
IsoBlock I-ST block diagram.

## **MERCHANICAL DIMENSIONS**

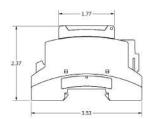














## **HARDWARE CONFIGURATION**

A. Connect external power source to power the unit. For proper functioning the power supply should provide a voltage as specified with at least 0.2A of continuous current and 0.4A surge during module start-up.

B. Securely connect one end of a twisted pair to the output terminals, and the other end to the inputs of your data acquisition unit

C. Pass conductor through aperture and observe orientation for proper signal polarity.





