

# MTL2313

## TRIP AMPLIFIER

general purpose



The MTL2313 accepts a standard high-level dc signal of 0/20 mA, 0/5V or 0/0.5V from any circuit in a hazardous area, and is particularly suitable for monitoring the output from a 2-wire transmitter. Since the unit drops less than 0.5V at 20mA across its input terminals (which are certified as 'non-energy-storing' in Europe and regarded as 'non-voltage-producing' in the USA) it can be connected into almost any 4/20mA IS loop without causing this to run out of volts or need further attention by the certifying authorities. The unit operates down to zero input current, hence the low alarm can be set to detect a broken cable. On-site alarm setting is carried out simply with a calibrated voltage or current generator.

### SPECIFICATION

See also 'Common specification'

#### Versions available

- A: 1-alarm
- B: 2-alarm

#### Signal source

Any intrinsically safe circuit

#### Location of signal source

- Zone 0, IIC, T4–T6 hazardous area
- Div 1, Group A, hazardous location

#### Input range

- 0 to 20mA into 25Ω nominal (terminals 3 and 4)
- 0 to 5V at 500kΩ nominal (terminals 1 and 4)
- 0 to 0.5V at 50kΩ nominal (terminals 2 and 4)
- Hysteresis, nominal: 1% of input range

#### Power supply failure protection

Relay de-energised if supply fails

#### Broken line protection

Low-alarm relay energised if set to zero

#### Trip-point adjustment

Within 0.1% of input range over whole range (set by multi-turn potentiometer accessible through casing)

#### Supply voltage effect on trip point

<0.1% of input range for supply voltage change within the specified limits

#### Temperature effect on trip point (emf input)

<0.02% of input range/°C

#### Response time

500ms, nominal

#### Alarm function (selectable by link)

- High alarm: relay energised when input signal <trip point
- Low alarm: relay energised when input signal >trip point

#### Alarm relay contacts

- 1-pole changeover (2-alarm version)
- 2-pole changeover (1-alarm version)

#### Contact rating

- 250V:5A:500VA (ac), resistive loads, reactive loads must be suppressed
- 250V:5A:250W (dc), resistive loads, reactive loads must be suppressed

#### Contact life expectancy

- 2-alarm versions:  $3 \times 10^5$  operations at maximum load
- 1-alarm versions:  $2 \times 10^5$  operations at maximum load

#### LED indicator

ON when relay energised

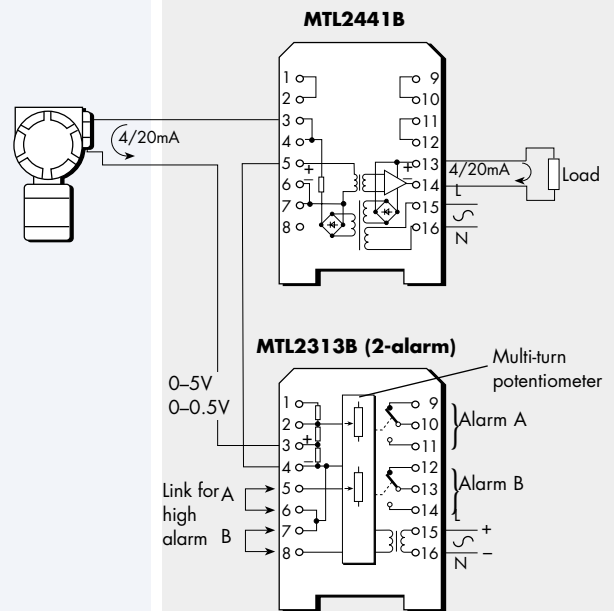
#### Series mode rejection

<0.1% error for 50Hz rms input equal to 5% of input span

#### Common mode rejection

<0.1% error for 250V rms, 50Hz

Hazardous area Safe area



All contacts shown in alarm condition (relay de-energised)

#### Consumption

- 1.7 to 2.5W (ac versions)
- 110mA (24V dc version)

#### Ambient temperature limits

- 20 to +50°C (ac versions, close packed)
- 20 to +45°C (dc versions at 26V, close packed)
- 20 to +60°C (all versions, at least 5mm apart)
- 40 to +80°C (all versions, storage)

#### Safety description

Input terminals (1,2,3,and 4): non-energy-storing apparatus ( $\leq 1.2V$ ,  $\leq 0.1A$ ,  $\leq 20\mu J$  and  $\leq 25mW$ ); can be connected without further certification into any IS loop -with open circuit voltage less than 75V (in USA, application governed by Entity Concept)

#### FM max entity parameters

$V_{OC} = 11.4V$ ,  $I_{SC} = 0.017\mu A$ ,  $C_A = 2\mu F$ ,  $L_A = 1000mH$

This unit may show degraded immunity performance under some EMC test conditions – refer to supplementary specification SUP2313 for further details.

See also MTL2000 approvals, maximum cable parameters, dimensions and ordering information

