

# MTL3072 TEMPERATURE CONVERTER

## 3-wire RTD input

The MTL3072 accepts a signal from a 3-wire resistance temperature detector (RTD) in the hazardous area, and converts it to a 4/20mA loop current in the safe area proportional to resistance (but not temperature). Calibration is carried out by the user via controls located in the top and the side of the unit. Input zero and span are selected by switches (coarse adjustment) and potentiometers (fine adjustment).

### SPECIFICATION

See also 'Common specification'

#### Number of channels

One, fully floating

#### Signal source

3-wire platinum RTD to BS1904/DIN 43760 (100 $\Omega$  at 0 $^{\circ}$ C)  
-terminals 5, 6 & 7

#### Location of signal source

Zone 0, IIC, T4 hazardous area if suitably certified  
Div 1, Group A, hazardous location

#### Span (fully adjustable by switches and potentiometers)

25 to 800 $^{\circ}$ C

#### Zero (fully adjustable by switches and potentiometers)

-200 to +400 $^{\circ}$ C

#### Common-mode ac rejection

<0.1% error for 250V rms, 50Hz

#### Series-mode ac rejection

<0.1% error for 50Hz rms input equal to 2mV or (span in  $\Omega/30$ )mV, whichever is the greater

#### Loop supply voltage

15 to 35V dc

#### Output range

4 to 20mA

#### Maximum load resistance

50(Vs - 15)  $\Omega$

#### Response time

Settles to within 10% of final value after typically 250ms

#### Calibration accuracy at 20 $^{\circ}$ C

(including non-linearity, hysteresis and repeatability)  
Within 0.1% of span

#### Temperature drift (maximum)

**Zero:** the greater of the following:-

$\pm 0.01\%$  of span/ $^{\circ}$ C or 10m $\Omega/^{\circ}$ C

**Span:**  $\pm 0.005\%$  of input span/ $^{\circ}$ C

**Suppression/elevation (E):**  $\pm 0.01\%$  of E/ $^{\circ}$ C

#### RTD excitation current

400 $\mu$ A

#### Line resistance

100 $\Omega$  maximum in each line

#### Power dissipation within unit

0.46W maximum at 35V with 20mA signal

#### Replaceable fuse

50mA, 5 x 20mm glass to DIN 41571 sheet 2, semi-time-lag (M)

#### Safety description

13.6V, 142 $\Omega$ , 95.3mA,  $C_{eq} = 56.5$ nF,  $L_{eq} = 2.2$ mH,

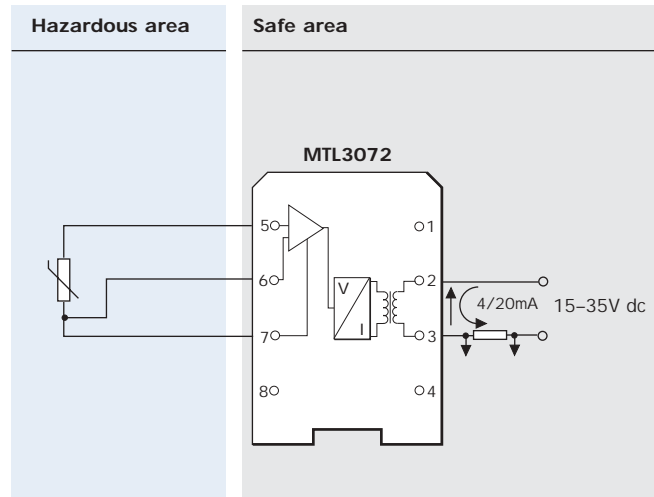
$U_m = 250$ V rms or dc

#### FM max entity parameters

$V_{OC} = 13.6$ V,  $I_{SC} = 95.3$ mA,  $C_A = 1.15$  $\mu$ F,  $L_A = 1.8$ mH

#### Weight

170g



### OTHER APPLICATIONS

The MTL3072 can monitor a low-value potentiometer, up to 375 $\Omega$ , in a hazardous area to give a 4/20mA output in the safe area .



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