



## ZeroDT I/O-24

The design of the ZeroDT I/O-24 utilizes the latest generation, non-degrading Silicon Avalanche Suppression Diodes (SASDs) to protect electronic equipment and systems from transient over-voltages. The unit is designed to limit the energy of these surges on 4-20 MA current loops, and RS-485/422/232, DeviceNet, FieldBus communication lines as well as low voltage DC power lines.

The unit easily mounts on a standard DIN rail and houses the 8 connection lugs (4 in, and 4 out) and the SASD suppression circuitry. This SASD technology provides continuous, bi-directional (eliminating installation issues), and bi-polar (both positive and negative) protection that returns to its original state (no loss or degradation of protection with usage) once the over-voltage has passed.

### Electrical Specifications:

**Response Time:** <5 nanoseconds

**Configuration:** series connected, or pass-thru -- protects 2 pair or 4 wires

**Nominal Operating Voltage:** 24 V dc

**Maximum Pass-thru Current (each line):** 8 Amps

**Maximum Continuous Operating Voltage (MCOV) Line-to-Ground:** 36 V dc

**Nominal Surge Current, I<sub>Nom</sub> (able to withstand repeated applications):**

**8/20  $\mu$ s (IEEE/ANSI C62.41 Combination Wave), Line-to-Ground:** >1,200 Amps

**10/1000  $\mu$ s (IEEE/ANSI C62.41 Long Wave), Line-to-Ground:** >130 Amps

**Voltage Protection Level (VPL):**

**1,200 Amps, 8/20  $\mu$ s, Line-to-Ground:**  $\leq 65$  V<sub>peak</sub>

**130 Amps, 10/1000  $\mu$ s, Line-to-Ground:**  $\leq 55$  V<sub>peak</sub>

### Mechanical Specifications:

**Input / Output Connection:** compression lug, #26 to #14 AWG

**Module Dimensions:** 4.37" H x 3.90" D x 0.5" W (111 mm H x 99 mm D x 12.6 mm W)

**DIN Rail Mount:** DIN rail must be connected to a solid Ground for proper suppression operation.

### Environmental Specifications:

**Operating / Storage Temperature:** -40°C to +65°C

**Humidity:** 0 to 95% non-condensing

### Certifications:

**UL Listed – Isolated Loop Circuit Protector (E499683)**

**UL Listed -- Isolated Loop Circuit Protector for use in Hazardous Locations (E502612)**

**Class 1, Division 2, Groups A, B, C and D Hazardous Locations T6**

**T<sub>amb</sub> = -40°C to 65°C**

**RoHS Compliant**



**Note:** DIN rail must be connected to a low-impedance Earth/Ground for proper suppressor operation.



## DIN Rail Mount, Two Pair Surge Protection

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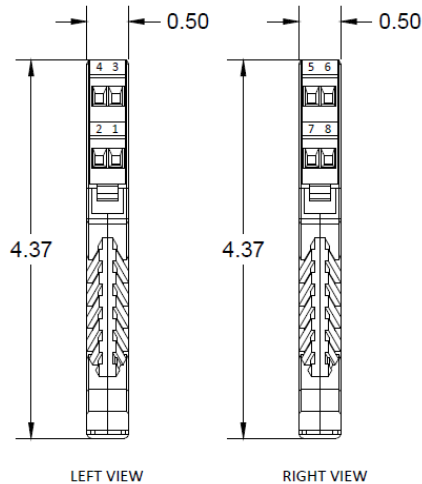
**Maximum Line Current:** 8 Amp per line

**Ambient Temperature Range:** -40 to +65C



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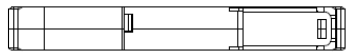


LEFT VIEW

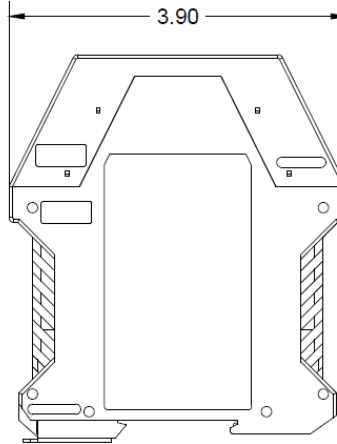
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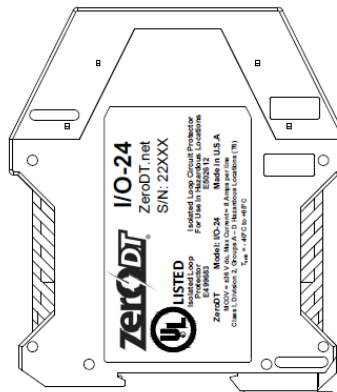
TOP VIEW



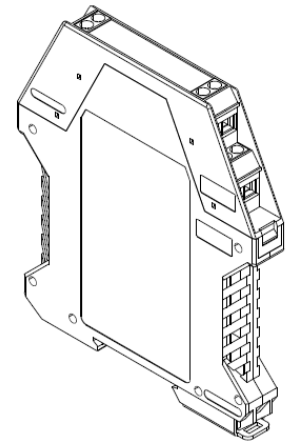
BOTTOM VIEW



BACK VIEW



FRONT VIEW



**WARNING EXPLOSION HAZARD:** Do not disconnect equipment while the circuit is live or unless the area is known to be free of ignitable concentrations.

## Installation Procedure

This equipment is suitable for use in Class 1, Division 2, Groups A, B, C, or D (T6) as well as in non-hazardous locations.

- 1 For maximum overvoltage protection, mount the ZeroDT I/O-24 as close as possible to the equipment to be protected
- 2 The ZeroDT I/O-24 uses a self-grounding mounting foot designed to fit standard 35mm DIN rail. **DIN RAIL MUST BE PROPERLY BONDED TO A LOW RESISTANCE EARTH GROUND FOR PROPER OVERVOLTAGE PROTECTION.**
- 3 The ZeroDT I/O-24 unit is to be installed in accordance with the applicable requirements of the National Electric Code and the local authorities having jurisdiction.
- 4 Wiring Installation: Terminate either DC power or data/signal loop conductor to the screw terminals provided on the module according to the following legend below: (NOTE: Screw terminals are compatible with #26 - #14 AWG wire.)

5 When wiring a shielded cable, use feed thru terminal blocks to secure the shield for each loop.

6 In the unlikely event that the ZeroDT self-sacrifices, DC power and communications will be interrupted (unit is designed to fail with lines shorted to Ground).

