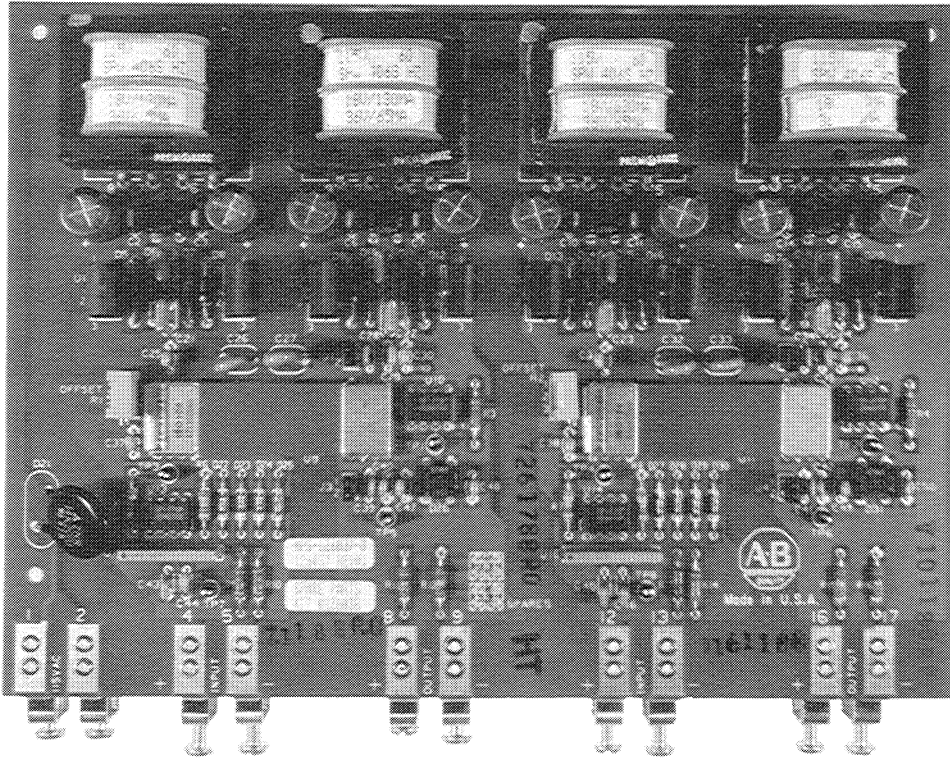




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Dual Signal Isolator



Function The Dual Signal Isolator Board consists of two analog isolation amplifier circuits to provide signal isolation between input and output as well as from channel to channel.

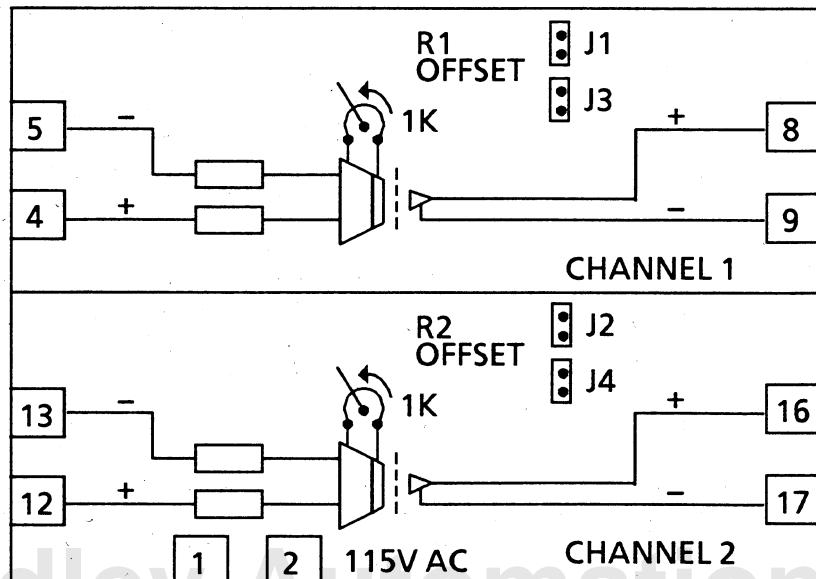


Figure 1. Dual Signal Isolator Block Diagram

Specifications

Maximum ambient operating temperature range	32°F to 130°F (0°C to 55°C)	
Storage Temperature	-40°F to 185°F (-40°C to 85°C)	
Relative Humidity, non-condensing	5% to 95%	
Altitude without derating	3300 ft (1000 meters)	
Power Requirements	115V AC \pm 10%, RMS current @ 115V, 60 Hz peak inrush @ 115V, 60 Hz	47 Hz to 63 Hz 0.075 Amperes 0.6 Amperes
Isolation	Viso = 2500 Volts, 60 Hz, 1 second Viso = 1500 Volts, 60 Hz, 60 seconds Viso = 600 Volts, 60 Hz, continuous	
Isolation Mode Rejection Ratio, IMRR [IMRR = 20*LOG10 (Vout/Viso)]	100 db minimum, 110 db typical	
Input to Output Leakage Current at 2000V AC 1500V AC 1000V AC	107 μ A typical 78 μ A typical 49 μ A typical	
DC Gain, no load RL = 2000 ohms RL = 1000 ohms	1.01 typical 1.00 typical 0.99 typical	
DC Gain Error, RL = 2000 ohms	0.25% typical, 1.20% maximum	
Minimum Input Offset Adjustment Range	\pm 300 mV	
Maximum Change in Input Offset Voltage due to ambient swing of 0°C to 60°C	3.0 mV typical	
Input Voltage Range	\pm 10.0 typical, \pm 11.5 volts maximum	
Input Resistance	104.9K ohms \pm 1%	
Output Voltage Range, RL = 1000 ohms	\pm 10.0 typical, \pm 11.5 volts maximum	
Frequency Response, Filter 'In' Filter 'Out'	2.2K Hz 50K Hz	

Operation

A typical Functional Block Diagram of the Dual Signal Isolator, including terminal connections is shown in Figure 1. Typical input/output connections are shown in Figure 2.

The Circuit Board consists of two identically functioning isolator circuits (Channel 1 and Channel 2). Each circuit employs its own \pm 15V DC Power Supply, with surge protection to 20V DC.

Input signals of up to \pm 11.5V DC can be applied directly to terminals 4 and 5 for Channel 1 or terminals 12 and 13 for Channel 2 via a twisted pair cable with one end only of the shield connected. If a higher input voltage is required, it can be scaled down through a voltage divider composed of 1% resistors.

The input signal is encoded by a Voltage Controlled Oscillator, coupled across a capacitive barrier to achieve the signal isolation, decoded with a phase locked loop and filtered at the output buffer stage.

The circuits have a fixed gain of 1. An adjustable Offset permits nulling the output to zero with no input signal applied, to compensate for any amplifier offset. The output bandwidth can be reduced by connecting jumpers J1 and J3 for Channel 1 or J2 and J4 for Channel 2.

Jumper Set-up

Jumper	Bandwidth (Hz)
J1 & J3 OUT	50K
J1 & J3 IN	2.2K
J2 & J4 OUT	50K
J2 & J4 IN	2.2K

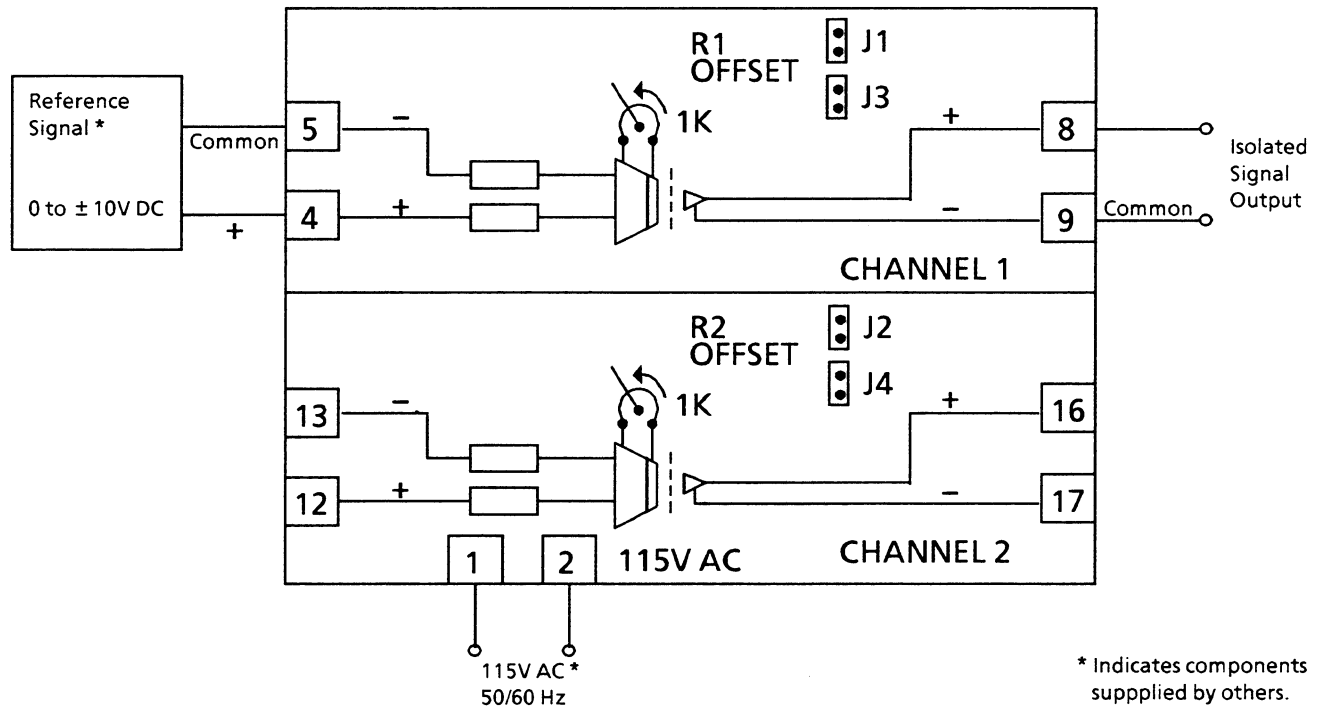


Figure 2. Typical Input/Output Connections

Installation



WARNING: To avoid an electrical shock hazard, remove all Board Power prior to performing the following procedure.

1. Ensure that all power to the Drive has been removed.
2. Slide board into appropriate slot of card rack enclosure.
3. Secure board by means of the captive screw-type terminals located on the front edge of the board.

Adjustment

1. Connect a DC voltmeter, set to the 1 volt range, across the output of the Signal Isolator PCB (terminals 8 and 9).
2. Remove wires at input of the Signal Isolator PCB (terminals 4 and 5). Install jumper across terminals 4 and 5.
3. Apply power.
4. While monitoring the voltmeter, adjust the **Offset** pot (R1 for Channel 1, R2 for Channel 2) on the Signal Isolator PCB until the voltmeter indicates 0.0 volts.
5. Remove power. Remove jumper at input of Signal Isolator PCB and reconnect wires that were disconnected in step 2.
6. Remove voltmeter.



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