



FEATURES

- TWO WIRE LOOP POWER INPUT, TWO WIRE LOOP POWER OUTPUT
- INPUT IS OVERCURRENT AND REVERSE POLARITY PROTECTED
- OUTPUT IS REVERSE POLARITY PROTECTED TO 90 VDC
- OUTPUT CURRENT IS LIMITED TO 20.5 mA
- IF THE INPUT IS DISCONNECTED THE OUTPUT WILL STAY AT ABOUT 3.85 mA
- ISOLATION VOLTAGE > 1000 VDC
- ISOLATION RESISTANCE > 100 Mohm @ 500 VDC
- QUICK AND SIMPLE WIRING
- LxWxH = 90x17.5x56 mm (3.55"x0.69"x2.21")
- WEIGHT = 35 g (1.2 oz.)



APPLICATIONS

- INDUSTRIAL SIGNALS ISOLATION
- INDUSTRIAL CONTROL
- MEASUREMENT APPLICATIONS
- SCADA

1. DESCRIPTION

GAI31 is a loop power 4-20 mA isolator. The input does not provide power. It has to be provided by the device sourcing the 4-20 mA signal or by an external power supply.

The output does not provide power to the output loop either, so it has to be provided by the device receiving the 4-20 mA signal or by an external power supply.

With its DIN rail mounting, very small size, slim design, high isolation and functionality GAI31 is an excellent choice for isolating 4-20 mA signals.



2. ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS *

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| Operating temperature | 0 to 50 °C |
| Reverse input voltage | 90 V DC |
| Output voltage | 40 V DC |

* **NOTE: Stresses above those ratings may cause permanent damage to the device.**

3. CHARACTERISTICS

| Parameter | Conditions | Min | Typical | Max | Units |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------------|------|---------|------|--------|
| Input | | | | | |
| Input voltage drop | 0 to 50 °C | | | 6.8 | V DC |
| Output | | | | | |
| Power supply | 0 to 50 °C, Note 1 | 7.2 | | 36 | V DC |
| Resolution | 0 to 50 °C, 7.2 – 36 V | | 4 | | µA |
| Error | 250 ohm load, 24 V, 25 °C, Note 2 | | | 0.05 | % FS |
| Power supply error | 7.2 - 36V, output at 3.85 mA, 25 °C | | | 0.5 | µA/V |
| Temperature coefficient | 0 to 50 °C, 24 V | | 35 | | ppm/°C |
| Isolation voltage | Input to output | 1000 | | | VDC |
| Isolation resistance | Input to output, @ 500 VDC | 100 | | | Mohm |

Note 1: The minimum voltage for the 4-20 mA output to operate is $V = 7.2 + R_{load} [ohm] * 0.020$ [V DC]
For a GAI31 with a load of 250 ohm, the minimum voltage would be 12.2 V DC.

Note 2: The parameter includes all errors, non-linearity and noise at constant voltage and temperature.

4. APPLICATION

4.1. MECHANICAL

Mounting GAI31 on the DIN rail requires an area of 98 x 17.5 mm (3.86" x 0.69").

4.2. ELECTRICAL

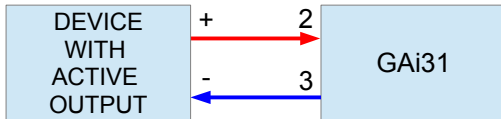
Here are the terminals numbers:

- 1 – NC (no connect)
- 2 – Input "+", current enters the input at this terminal
- 3 – Input "-", input current exits the device at this terminal

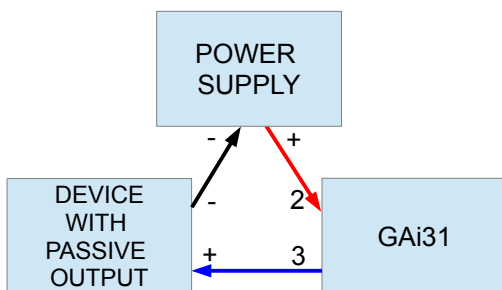
- 10 – NC (no connect)
- 11 – Output "+", output current enters here
- 12 – Output "-", output current exits GAI31 here

4.2.1. WIRING

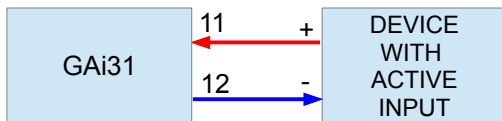
4.2.1.1. WIRING THE INPUT TO AN ACTIVE 4-20 mA DEVICE



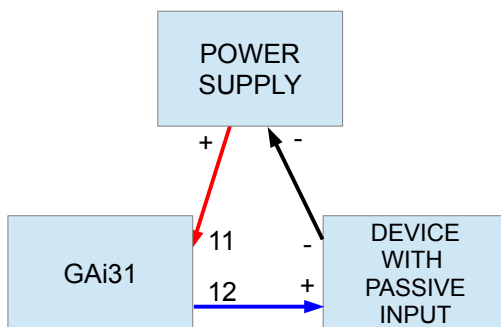
4.2.1.2. WIRING THE INPUT TO A PASSIVE 4-20 mA DEVICE



4.2.1.3. WIRING THE OUTPUT TO AN ACTIVE DEVICE



4.2.1.4. WIRING THE OUTPUT TO A PASSIVE DEVICE





5. ORDERING

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