

MCC1010 and MVC1010

1000 A AC Current Clamp



- **CAT IV 600 V current measurement to 1000 A AC**
- **1 mA/1 A sensitivity with rated burden of 1 Ω**
- **Large jaws for cables up to 52 mm**
- **Oversvoltage protection of the output terminals**
- **Suitable for leakage currents**

DESCRIPTION

The current probe is designed for measurements of AC currents up to 1000 A with a 1000:1 step-down ratio. The probe offers excellent accuracy (0.3% error at full range) and small phase shift (0.7° at full range) so it can be used for metering of power, energy and power quality applications. Such high performance is achieved because the magnetic cores are made from high-permeability FeNi alloy.

The rated terminating resistance (burden) of 1 Ω must be provided by the instrument connecting to MCC1010 and MVC1010. The output terminals are protected with a voltage limiting circuit ensuring a safe-to-touch voltage under all rated conditions.

MCC1010 and MVC1010 are rated to CATIV 600 V, according to the international standard IEC 61010.

APPLICATIONS

The MCC1010 and MVC1010 are non contact current sensing clamps which is simple to use and has application with the following instruments:

- Power quality analysers
- Oscilloscopes
- Motor testers
- Clamp enabled earth testers
- Attached Rod Technique (ART)
- Stakeless testing
- Data loggers
- Digital multimeters

CLAMP USAGE

The MCC1010 and MVC1010 are intended to clamp around a single phase of the asset to be tested and not phase + neutral because this would yield an incorrect result as a consequence of current flowing in opposite directions. Keep the clamps separate wherever possible, to improve quality of multiphase current measurements.

An ammeter measuring up to 1 A can be connected directly to the MCC1010 or MVC1010. A current of 1000 A will result in the ammeter reading 1 A (1000:1 step down ratio).

The MCC1010 and MVC1010 generates 1 mV output signal across 1 Ω burden resistance for every 1 A of primary current, so if using a multimeter, one with a mV AC range is required. Dedicated earth tester instruments like Megger's DET range, DET3TC, DET4TC and DET4TCR will need to ensure the input resistance and measurement circuitry are appropriate for the 1 mV – 1 V input range and a primary current limit of 20 A.

If using a TRMS multimeter the voltage reading will be TRMS because of the accuracy and crest factor performance of the MCC1010 and MVC1010 clamps.

Both clamps must be used when completing resistance measurements. The MCC1010, induces a current through a conductor. The MVC1010, measures the voltage drop across the conductor. This way, non-contact resistance measurements can be undertaken using the MCC1010 and the MVC1010 clamps.

ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Step-down current ratio	1000:1
Sensitivity	1 mA/A

Amplitude and phase accuracy of the output signal

Primary current *	Accuracy of output signal	Phase shift of output signal
1 mA – 100 mA	≤1% + 5 μA	not specified
0.1 A – 1 A		≤0.7°
1 A – 10 A		
10 A – 100 A		
100 A – 1000 A	≤0.3%	

* Unless otherwise specified, reference conditions are: 22 ±3°C, 50% humidity, sinusoidal current at 50/60 Hz, no DC offset, centred conductor, external magnetic field <40 A/m, load impedance (burden) ≤1 Ω.

Maximum continuous current	1000 A at ≤500 Hz 100 A at >500 Hz
Frequency bandwidth	15 Hz – 10 kHz
Crest factor	≥6 for current up to 2000 A peak (300 A rms)
Influence of crest factor	≤1% for CF≤4
Nominal load impedance	≤1 Ω (burden resistance)
Maximum output voltage	≤28 V peak (electronic limiter)
Influence of frequency	30 Hz – 5 kHz ≤0.25%
Influence of conductor position in the jaws	≤0.3% of amplitude
Load influence up to 5Ω	amplitude within specification up to 900 A ≤0.25% of amplitude above 900 A ≤0.1° on phase
Influence of DC offset	≤2% up to 20 A DC
Working voltage	≤600 V rms

ENVIRONMENTAL

Operating temperature	-20 °C to +50 °C, <85% RH -4 °F to +122 °F, <85% RH (excluding ice or dirt in the jaws)
Storage temperature	-40 °C to +70 °C, <85% RH -40 °F to +158 °F, <85% RH
Influence of temperature	≤0.1% on amplitude phase within specification
Influence of humidity	amplitude and phase within specification (excludes ice or dirt on the jaws)
Max. conductor diameter	52 mm

GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS

Casing protection	IP40 with jaws closed
Operating altitude	2000 m
Output terminals	4 mm shrouded sockets
Electrical safety	IEC 61010-1:2010 + IEC 61010-2-030:2010 + IEC61010-2-032:2002
EMC	IEC61326-1
Safety	CATIV 600 V Pollution degree 2
Weight	700g
Dimensions	45 mm x 110 mm x 218 mm

ORDERING INFORMATION

Item (Qty)	Cat. No.
MCC1010	1010-516
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