

Intrinsically Safe Range Threaded Signal Line Protector User Instructions

IMPORTANT: Please read these instructions carefully. Whilst straightforward, the installation of these devices is critical to their performance. Installation must be performed by a suitably qualified person in accordance with applicable standards.

1. Introduction

1.1 These user instructions apply to the intrinsically safe range of Novaris threaded signal line protectors.

| Cat No.: | | |
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| IS-SLT1-7v5-M20 | IS-SLT1-7v5-N12 | IS-SLT1-7v5-N34 |
| IS-SLT1-18-M20 | IS-SLT1-18-N12 | IS-SLT1-18-N34 |
| IS-SLT1-36-M20 | IS-SLT1-36-N12 | IS-SLT1-36-N34 |
| IS-SLT1-68-M20 | IS-SLT1-68-N12 | IS-SLT1-68-N34 |
| IS-SLT3-7v5-M20 | IS-SLT3-7v5-N12 | IS-SLT3-7v5-N34 |
| IS-SLT3-18-M20 | IS-SLT3-18-N12 | IS-SLT3-18-N34 |
| IS-SLT3-36-M20 | IS-SLT3-36-N12 | IS-SLT3-36-N34 |
| IS-SLT3-68-M20 | IS-SLT3-68-N12 | IS-SLT3-68-N34 |
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1.2 These products are multistage signal line protectors that protect against the effects of lightning induced surges and other transient overvoltages. They provide both common-mode and transversemode protection, which is essential for the effective protection of any system.

2. Before Installation

- 2.1 Ensure that the maximum operating voltage of the signal line does not exceed the clamping voltage of the signal line protector.
- **2.2** Turn the power off before beginning the installation.
- **2.3** Ensure correct thread size has been selected:
 - IS-SLTx-xxx-M20 has an M20 x 1 thread size
 - IS-SLTx-xxx-NPT has a 1/2" NPT thread size
 - IS-SLTx-xxx-N34 has a 3/4" NPT thread size

3. Installation

- 3.1 Point of Connection: The surge protector should be connected at the closest practical point to the equipment to be protected.
- 3.2 Mounting: Threaded signal line protectors are screwed directly into housings using the correct thread adapter if required.
- 3.3 Isolation: Threaded signal line protectors must be galvanically isolated using a suitable safety barrier.
- 3.5 Wiring: Signal line protectors are shunt connected in parallel with the equipment (Figure 3 & Figure 4).

Signal pairs should be connected to the red and black wires for the IS-SLT1 versions (Figure 3). For IS-SLT3 versions the white wire should be connected to the signal terminal (Figure 4).

The green/yellow earth wire should be connected to the earth terminal within the equipment housing.



Figure 1: Novaris threaded signal line protector



Figure 2: Dimensions of threaded signal line protectors



Figure 3: Wiring of IS-SLT1 models



Figure 4: Wiring of IS-SLT3 models



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3.6 Earthing: The surge protector must be earthed to the same point as the equipment to be protected. The earth connection should be made to a point that is directly connected to the earth of the equipment to be protected (e.g. the metal frame of the equipment).

IMPORTANT: Because the unit is shunt connected, the inductance of the connections has a significant effect on performance. The length of the all wires must be kept as short as possible.

4. After Installation

- **4.1** Check the installation by testing that the equipment is still operating correctly.
- 4.2 Novaris threaded signal line protectors are extremely robust and require very little maintenance. Period inspection and testing is recommended.

5. Hazardous Location Application

- 5.1 Novaris threaded signal line protectors are designed to be installed in zone 0,1 and 2 hazardous locations. Typically, the surge protector is installed into a spare gland hole on a field instrument. An example of this is shown in figure 5.
- 5.2 Installation method of the threaded signal line protector in hazardous locations is the same as described in section 3.





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| | | IS-SLT1-7v5 | IS-SLT1-18 | IS-SLT1-36 | IS-SLT1-68 | IS-SLT3-7v5 | IS-SLT3-18 | IS-SLT3-36 | IS-SLT3-68 |
| Electrical Specifications: | | | | | | | | | |
| Connection Type | | | | | Sh | unt | | | |
| Modes of protection | | | | Trans | verse and | common | mode | | |
| Maximum continuous voltage (DC) | Uc | 7V | 16V | 36V | 65V | 7V | 16V | 36V | 65V |
| Maximum continuous voltage (AC) | Uc | 5V | 11V | 24V | 46V | 5V | 11V | 24V | 46V |
| Maximum discharge current (8/20µs) | I _{max} | 5kA | | | | | | | |
| Protection stages | | MOV and GDT | | | | | | | |
| Number of lines protected | ΙL | One pair Three wire | | e wire | | | | | |
| Voltage protection level @ 5kV (10/700µs) | Up | 8V | 19V | 40V | 76V | 8V | 19V | 40V | 76V |
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6. Specifications and Standards Compliance

Ex ia IIC T4 IP20 AS1768:2007 BS6651:1999 CP33:1996 IEEE C62.41:2002 IEC 61643-21

| Safety Parameters: | |
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| Ui | 30V |
| l _i | 3A |
| Pi | 2.2W |
| Ci | 0 |
| Li | 0 |

Mechanical Specifications:

| Operating temperature range | -20℃ to 40℃ |
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| Operating Humidity | 0 to 90% |
| Connection type | 300mm, 0.75mm ² flying leads |
| Environmental | IP 20 |
| Mounting | Bulk head / gland plate |
| Weight | 100g |

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