

PRA-LIM Line isolator module

PRAESENSA



- ▶ Detects and isolates loudspeaker line failures
- ▶ Equipped with WAGO push terminals
- ▶ EN 54 compliant

The PRA-LIM is one of the two core components of the Loudspeaker line isolator system for PRAESENSA public address voice alarm solution.

Loudspeaker line isolator system

The Loudspeaker line isolator system is the cost-efficient solution for preventing loss of audio function in public address and voice alarm systems, as a result of loudspeaker line faults.

It largely eliminates the need for expensive E30 cabling by making use of the so-called loop wiring method. The system is EN 54-16 compliant and is perfectly suited for use in commercial premises, such as office buildings and hotels.

Functions

Maximum availability and loop integrity

The Line isolator module (PRA-LIM) is used to detect and isolate loudspeaker line failures. A loudspeaker line failure between two Line isolator modules in the loop is automatically isolated in order to ensure maximum availability of the remaining loudspeakers on that same loop. The device protects the loop integrity against any wire-to-wire short-circuit and detects open line on T-Branch.

Certifications and approvals

Emergency standard certifications

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| Europe | EN 54-16 EN 54-17 |
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Regulatory areas

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| Safety | EN 62368-1 EN 62479 |
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| Immunity | EN 50130-4 EN 55035 |
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| Emissions | EN 61000-6-3 EN 61000-6-4 EN 55032 |
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| Environment | EN IEC 63000 |
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Conformity declarations

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| Europe | CE/CPR |
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| Region | Regulatory compliance/quality marks | |
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| Europe | DOP | FIM(PRA-LIM)_DoP |
| | CE | FIM(PRA-LIM)_DoC |

Parts included

| Quantity | Component |
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| 1 | PRA-LIM Line Isolator Drive |
| 1 | Release tool |
| 1 | Compression gland for speaker mounting |
| 2 | Tie-wrap |

Technical specifications

Electrical

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| DC Power supply (powered via loop from LDB) | 19 - 30 VDC, nominal 30 VDC |
| DC Power consumption | |
| Idle current | 100 μ A continuous |
| Max. power consumption | 20 mW |
| LOOP connection | |
| DC | 30 V, max. cont. 130 mA |
| AC Voltage | Max. cont. 100 V ^{RMS} , 300 V ^{PP} |
| AC Current | Max. cont. 8 A |
| AC Frequency range | 40 Hz ~ 20 kHz (-3dB) |
| AC THD | Max. 10% (according to EN 54-16) |
| T-branch output | |
| DC | 560 mV, max. 15 μ A, cont. 1 μ A |
| AC | Same as LOOP |
| Maximum AC load | 50 W |
| Wiring | 2-wire, max. 2.5 mm ² , loop max. length 1 km, outer cable diameter max. 13 mm |
| Grounding | Optional earth loop through third connection pin |
| Loop relay contact rating | Max. 250 VAC / 8 A (Dual-state type) |
| Maximum total loop load | 800 W |
| Loudspeaker type | Only with DC blocking capacitor |
| Maximum number of FIM's, single loop | 200 |

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| Maximum number of loudspeakers | |
| Between FIM's | Infinite within the maximum loop-load of 800W (National standard may limit the number of loudspeakers between FIM's) |
| T-branch | Infinite within the maximum T-branch load of 50W (National standard may limit the number of loudspeakers) |
| Short detection | < 90 Ω (L+ to L-) |
| Open detection (only T-branch with EOL monitoring) | > 360 k Ω (L+ to L-) |
| Functional: (interfacing) | |
| Status indicators | 2 x two-color LED (orange/blue), 1 x output to optional external fault LED |
| User buttons | Reset + EOL detection switch |
| Fault report | Open relays |
| Reset | Manual, by FIM reset button or by LDB reset |
| Reset time | < 3s |
| Full charging time (from complete discharge) | < 50s |
| Fault detection time | |
| Loop short, T-branch short | < 1 s |
| T-branch open (only with EOL monitoring) | < 5 s |
| Audio recovery time | |
| Loop short | < 4 s |
| Other faults | 0 s (no audio interruption) |

Environmental

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| Operating temperature | -25 °C ~ +55 °C |
| Storage temperature | -20 °C ~ +70 °C |
| Relative humidity | 15% - 93% |

Mechanical

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| Housing | Plastic body (ABS/PC-V0) with transparent cover (PC-V0) |
| Protection rating | IP 33 |
| Dimensions (W x H x D) | IP 33 housing, 110 x 130 x 55 mm |
| Weight | 150 g |
| Mounting | Surface mounting, on-speaker mounting |
| Connections | |
| LOOP / T-branch | 3-way 5 mm WAGO push-in terminal block (L+,L-,GND) 0.8 - 2.5 mm ² |
| Ext. LED | 2-way 3.5 mm screw terminal block |

Ordering information

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