

MTL4544/S – MTL5544/S REPEATER POWER SUPPLY

2-channel, 4/20mA, HART®, 2- or 3- wire transmitters

The MTLx544 provides fully-floating dc supplies for energising two conventional 2-wire or 3-wire 4/20mA or HART transmitters located in a hazardous area, and repeats the current in other circuits to drive two safe-area loads. For smart transmitters, the unit allows bi-directional transmission of digital communication signals superimposed on the 4/20mA loop current. Alternatively, the MTLx544S acts as a current sink for a safe-area connection rather than driving a current into the load. Separately powered current sources, such as 4-wire transmitters, can be connected but will not support HART communication.

SPECIFICATION

See also common specification

Number of channels

Two

Location of transmitter

Zone 0, IIC, T4–6 hazardous area if suitably certified
Div. 1, Group A hazardous location

Safe-area output

Signal range: 4 to 20mA
Under/over-range: 0 to 24mA
Safe-area load resistance (MTLx544)
@ 24mA: 0 to 360Ω
@ 20mA: 0 to 450Ω
Safe-area load (MTLx544S)
Current sink: 600Ω max.
Maximum voltage source: 24V dc
Safe-area circuit output resistance: > 1MΩ

Safe-area circuit ripple

< 50μA peak-to-peak

Hazardous-area input

Signal range: 0 to 24mA (including over-range)
Transmitter voltage: 16.5V at 20mA

Transfer accuracy at 20°C

Better than 15μA

Temperature drift

< 0.8μA/°C

Response time

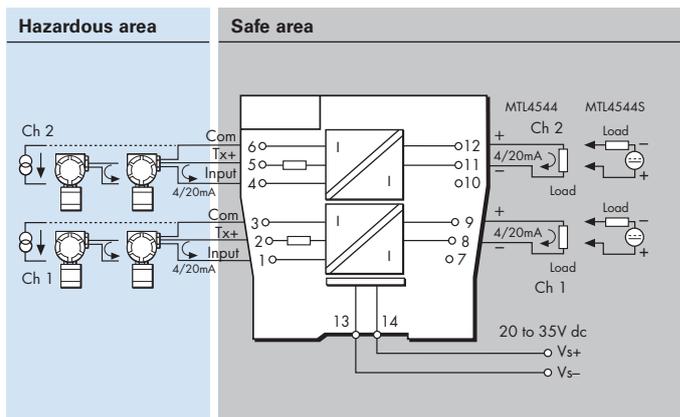
Settles to within 10% of final value within 50μs

Communications supported

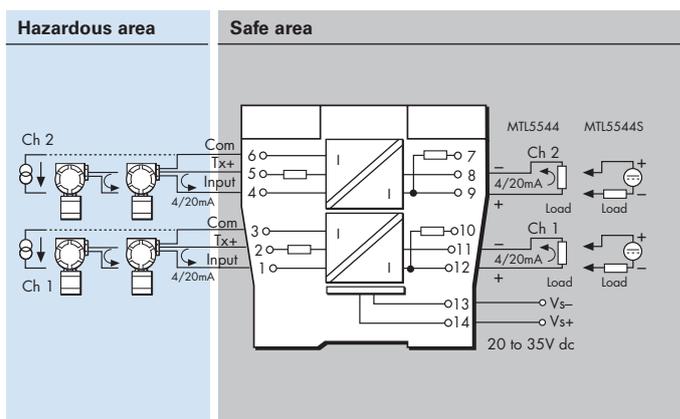
HART (terminals 1 & 2 and 4 & 5 only)



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LED indicator

Green: power indication

Maximum current consumption (with 20mA signals)

96mA at 24V dc

Power dissipation within unit (with 20mA signals)

MTLx544 1.4W @ 24V dc
MTLx544S 1.9W @ 24V dc

Safety description (each channel)

Terminals 2 to 1 and 3, and 5 to 4 and 6:
 $U_o=28V$ $I_o=93mA$ $P_o=651mW$ $U_m=253V$ rms or dc
Terminals 1 to 3 and 4 to 6:
Simple apparatus $\leq 1.5V$, $\leq 0.1A$ and $\leq 25mW$; can be connected without further certification into any IS loop with an open-circuit voltage < 28V



SIL capable

These models have been assessed for use in IEC 61508 functional safety applications.
SIL2 capable for a single device (HFT=0)
SIL3 capable for multiple devices in safety redundant configurations (HFT=1)
See data on MTL web site and refer to the safety manual.



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