



#### FUNCTIONAL SUMMARY

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TYPE

FORM

IN	OUT
1	2
2 Wire	2 Wire
A	A

# PTR-2C

## PULSE LINKS

# PTR-2C PULSE TRANSCEIVING RELAY

## DESCRIPTION

The PTR-2C is a specialized pulse isolation and repeating relay system designed to receive pulses over long distances (up to approximately 2 miles) and protect customer equipment. Its current loop design will adjust the output voltage to overcome and compensate for the resistance of the wire loop to and from the meter. It receives the switched voltage back to activate the PTR-2C' output relays. The PTR-2C is equipped with 2 Form A outputs (KY pulses).



The PTR-2C is intended to be located at the location of the receiving equipment – usually a customer-owned energy management system. It acts primarily to protect the customer equipment from large transients that could be coupled into long wire runs between it and the electric meter. Transients which are coupled into the wire loop between the originating pulse output and the PTR-2C are contained within the loop and suppressed by means of heavy-duty transient suppression devices.

Each time the pulse output closes, the current loop sends sufficient current through the wire loop so as to receive back the required current to activate the relay outputs. If the resistance of the wire loop is high, the PTR-2C will automatically raise the wetting voltage until the optimum current is received back. In this manner, wire length and size in the current loop are not critical. Longer distances may be obtained with larger gauge wire.

The PTR-2C has a built-in low voltage power supply and may be used with meters having high or low voltage semiconductor outputs, or mechanical output contacts (relays). Typical applications include interfaces between utility metering devices and customer-owned energy control systems. A bright red LED lamp indicates the system's status at all times, thus allowing a rapid check of the system's performance without requiring any additional test equipment. The PTR-2C's input and output circuit's terminal strip is a "EURO" type connector. When the stripped wire has been correctly installed in the terminal "slot" there are no conductive parts exposed on the surface of the terminal strip. Due to the inherent current-limited nature of the design, no fusing is necessary on the input. No damage will result if the current loop is shorted to itself or to ground.

The PTR-2C has built-in MOV transient protection for the two solid-state relay outputs as well as for the current loop, eliminating the need for external surge suppression. In addition, the solid-state outputs have automatically resetting fusing. All component parts that have power applied to them, with the exception of the input/output terminal strip, are enclosed in a polycarbonate cover for maximum protection. The mounting base plate is also made of polycarbonate and offers excellent electrical insulation between the circuit and the mounting surface. The PTR-2C is designed to mount in a suitable electrical enclosure for the application.



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## SPECIFICATIONS

### ELECTRICAL

Power Input:	90 to 300 VAC. Burden: 12.4 mA at 120 VAC
Signal Input:	Current loop 20mA at +8 to +15VDC
Outputs:	Two solid-state relays rated at 400 mA at 120V.
Output Contact On-State Resistance:	6 ohms maximum, 3.5 Ohms typical
Operate and Release Time:	Turn-On: 5 milliseconds maximum, 2.2mS typical Turn-Off: 2 milliseconds maximum, .15mS typical
Input/Output Isolation Voltage:	4000Vrms

### MECHANICAL

Mounting:	Any position
Size:	3.27" wide, 5.7" high, 1.5" deep
Weight:	17 ounces

### TEMPERATURE

Temperature Range:	-38° C to +70° C, -38.4° F to +158° F
Humidity:	0 to 98% non-condensing

### AVAILABLE OPTIONS

Input Voltages:	125 VDC input using the DCS-3 Power Supply. 15-60VDC input using the DCS-5 Power Supply. Contact factory for other input voltages.
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