

CTS CURRENT SEPARATING TRANSFORMER

- Typical accuracy ±0.01%
- ☐ Broad range of primary and secondary currents
- $\hfill \square$
- \square Signaling open current loop in the secondary circuits
- ☐ Broad power output range
- □ No screwing current
- ☐ High allowable load impedance
- ☐ Around a dozen family members



INTRODUCTION

The CTS is a family of current separating transformer designed for galvanic separation of the measuring circuits. A built-in electronic compensation system simultaneously guarantees excellent parameters throughout the entire current range and a high output power.

OPERATIONAL HIGHLIGHTS

Typical accuracy of ±0.01% makes the device an ideal solution for a wide range of applications. It is possible to use the transformer to test electricity meters with connected current and potential circuits (closed I-P links). A broad range of primary and secondary currents, a high output power, high allowable load impedance and enhanced accuracy enable the CTS to be integrated within a meter testing system. Once integrated, it can work both with directly connected and transformer connected meters, and both with closed and open I-P link meters, all with negligible influence on overall system accuracy.

The CTS can be controlled and supervised either remotely by the ASTeL meter test equipment, or locally by means of the START/STOP

WORKING WITH OPEN SECONDARY CIRCUIT

Bad contact or open circuit in the secondary circuit is indicated. Furthermore, in case of the open circuit the internal short is made in order to prevent operator injury and electric shock. Thus, working with open secondary circuits is possible and allowed.

AVAILABLE VARIANTS

CTS is available in a wide range of variants, with different output power and primary/secondary current ratio. Three and single phase versions are intended for testing regular meters while two phase versions are intended for testing single phase meters with neutral current measurement.

TECHNICAL DATA

CTS model		CTS-120	CTS-120-D2	CTS-120-D1	CTS-240	CTS-200
Number of phases		3	2	1	3	3
Ratio		1:1	1:1	1:1	1:2	1:2
Working current range of primary winding		3 x 1mA 120A ⁽¹⁾	2 x 1mA 120A ⁽¹⁾	1 x 1mA 120A ⁽¹⁾	3 x 0.5mA 120A ⁽¹⁾	3 x 0.5mA 100A ⁽¹⁾
Working current range of secondary winding		3 x 1mA 120A ⁽¹⁾	2 x 1mA 120A ⁽¹⁾	1 x 1mA 120A ⁽¹⁾	3 x 1mA 240A ⁽¹⁾	3 x 1mA 200A ⁽¹⁾
Ratio error		≤ ±0.01% ⁽²⁾				
Angle error		≤ ± 0.3′ ⁽²⁾				
Frequency range		40 70Hz				
Output power	ver. 1	1.2	V · I _{sec} (max 144VA @ 12	20A)		
	ver. 2	0.8V · I _{sec} (max 96VA @ 120A)		0.6V · I _{sec} (max 144VA @ 240A)	0.6V · I _{sec} (max 120VA @ 200A)	
	ver. 3	0.5V · I _{sec} (max 60VA @ 120A)				
Maximum load impedance in the range of 1 mA5 A	ver. 1	240mΩ			120mΩ	
	ver. 2	160mΩ				
	ver. 3	100mΩ				
Maximum output voltage	ver. 1	1.2V			0.6V	
	ver. 2	0.8V				
	ver. 3	0.5V				
Maximum load impedance in the range of 5 A120 A	ver. 1	1.2V / I _{sec}			0.6V / I _{sec}	
	ver. 2	0.8V / I _{sec}				
	ver. 3	0.5V / I _{sec}				
Sensing the difference between the primary and secondary currents		Yes, signaled individually for each phase				
Possibility of working with open secondary circuits		Yes, the smart disconnecting system make an internal short in case of the secondary circuit is open				
Control	remote	Operation is controlled and supervised by a meter test equipment				
Control	local	Manual START/STOP switch				

⁽¹⁾ Other values are available upon request.

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⁽²⁾ For the current range from 100mA to the maximum current.