AS1 SERIES Current Sensing Switches

AS1 Series Current Sensing Switches combine a current transformer, signal conditioner and limit alarm into a single package for use in status monitoring or proof of operation applications. Offering an extended setpoint range of 1–150 A and universal, solid-state outputs, the self-powered AS1 can be tailored to provide accurate and dependable digital indication of overcurrent conditions across a broad range of applications. Available in solid-core case styles or in a split-core case to maximize ease of installation.

Current Sensing Switch Applications

Electronic Proof of Flow

• Current sensing switches eliminate the need for multiple pipe or duct penetrations and are more reliable than electromechanical pressure or flow switches.

Conveyors

- · Detects jams and overloads.
- Interlocks multiple conveyor sections.

Lighting Circuits

• Proof positive that the lamp is energized.

Electrical Heaters

• Faster response than temperature sensors.

Current Detection

• GO/No-GO version detects whether current is present.



For additional Application Examples, go to www.nktechnologies.com/applications

Current Sensing Switch Features

Universal Output

- N.O. or N.C. solid-state switch for control circuits up to 240 VAC/VDC.
- · Compatible with most automation systems.

Self-powered

· Cuts installation and operating costs.

User Adjustable Setpoint

• Speeds startup.

Solid or Split-core Case

Versions tailored for each installation.

LED Indication

Provides guick visual indication of contact status.

Built-in Mounting Feet

• Simple, two-screw panel mounting or attach with included DIN rail adapter kit (DIN-2)*

UL/cUL Listed and CE Certified

Accepted worldwide.

*For information on the DIN rail accessories kit, see page 153.

Current Sensing Switch Connections



Models with LED

Go/No-Go Models





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Current Sensing Switch Dimensions



Power Supply	None, self-powered	
Setpoint Range	 Solid-core: 1-150 A (user adjustable models) 0.75 A or less (GO models) Split-core: 1.75-150 A (user adjustable models) 1.25 A or less (GO models) 	
Output Switch	Isolated solid-state switch	
Output Rating	N.O. Version 0.15 A @ 240 VAC/VDC N.C. Version: 0.2 A @ 135 VAC/VDC Not polarity sensitive	
Off-state Leakage	<10 µA	
Response Time	120 ms max.	
Time Delay	None	
Hysteresis	5% of Setpoint	
Overload	MODEL CONTINUOUS 6 SEC. 1 SEC.	
	• -GO (NOU) 250 A 500 A 1000 A • -GO (NCU) 150 A 400 A 1000 A • All other 150 A 400 A 1000 A	
Isolation Voltage	UL listed to 1480 VAC	
Frequency Range	6–100 Hz	
Case	UL94 V-0 Flammability Rated	
Environmental	-4 to 122°F (-20 to 50°C) 0–95% RH, non-condensing	
Listings	UL Listed to UL 508 (NRNT.E129625), CE	

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Current Sensing Switch Ordering Information

Sample Model Number: AS1-NOU-SP

Adjustable AC current sensing switch, normally open, split-core case. DIN rail adapter kit (DIN-2) included.



(1) Output Rating

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3.52" 89.4 mm

(I) Output	Rating
NOU	Normally Open
NCU	Normally Closed
(2) Case St	yle
FF	Solid-core, front terminal
FT	Solid-core, top terminal
SP	Split-core
(3) Options	
	Standard, with LED (blank)
GO	Non-adjustable; output changes with min. current present (solid-core 0.75 A or less, split-core 1.25 A or less)
NL	No LED
Y39	Output Bypass Switch (not UL listed) – available for FT case





