

## **Features**

- Series hybrid TVSS technology
- Universal design for 12V or 24V applications
- 30A series filter
- High surge rating provides a high level of protection and long operational life
- Low let-through voltage
- RFI/EMI filtering
- Status indicator
- AAR terminals
- 5 year limited warranty

# **EPD 12/24Vdc 30A Secondary Protection Device**



# Detailed Specifications for ERICO's EPD1224ATAAR 12/24Vdc Secondary Protector

Lightning transients and surges are a major cause of expensive electronic equipment failure and system disruption. The EPD family of Surge Protection Devices (SPD) offer economical and reliable protection from power transients with the convenience of easy installation. EPD's are expressly designed for the railways unique electrical, mechanical and environmental requirements.

The EPD1224ATAAR is designed for use on both 12 and 24Vdc systems. The unique voltage selection link allows the one unit to be used on either 12 or 24V systems. The unit is designed to cater to installations where an additional battery cell may need to be added to gate crossings.

For 0-30A circuits the EPD1224ATAAR is installed in-line. The hybrid design incorporates an EMI/RFI filter that provides efficient noise attenuation to ensure even the most sensitive equipment is protected from noise and transient activity.

To aid in the maintenance of the device, a high reliability status indicator shows that surge protection is operational. If the unit's surge capacity has been exceeded, the indicator will extinguish indicating replacement is required. To maintain the highest operational level of important rail equipment, filtered power is still provided to the load under such a condition.





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### **SPECIFICATIONS**

Operation:

Model EPD1224ATAAR

Nominal Voltage U<sub>n</sub> 12Vdc 24Vdc Distribution System 2 wire

Max. Cont. Operating Voltage U<sub>c</sub> 18V 36V

Max. Load current 30A

**Protection:** 

Aggregate Surge Rating 20kA 8/20µs

Surge Life >5,000 6kV/500A impulses

Protection Modes +Ve to -Ve

Technology Hybrid (MOV/Filter/Silicon)

TVSS & series EMI/RFI filter

**Performance:** 

Voltage Protection Level Up (L-L)

@ Cat A1, 200A 100kHz 7V 8V
 @ Cat B3, 3kA 8/20μs 16V 16V
 @ 10kA 8/20μs 26V 30V
 @ 20kA 8/20μs 34V 41V

Filtering:

Filtering @100kHz -65dB

Indication:

Status LED status indicator

**Physical Data:** 

Dimensions 5.5" x 5.75" x 3.5"

(140mm x 146mm x 89mm) approx.

Weight 2.5lb (1.1kg) approx.

Enclosure ABS plastic. UL 94-VA flame rated.

NEMA-1

Connection AAR terminals (#14 x 24 thread)

Mounting Wall mount

Temperature  $-40^{\circ}$ C to  $+70^{\circ}$ C ( $-40^{\circ}$ F to  $+158^{\circ}$ F)

Humidity 0 to 90% Warranty 5 years

**Test Standards:** 

Surge Rated to Meet AREMA requirements

ANSI/IEEE C62.41.1-2002

Cat A, Cat B, Cat C

#### ORDERING INFORMATION

| Part Number  | Description                                 |
|--------------|---------------------------------------------|
| EPD1224ATAAR | Secondary TVSS protector for 30A 12 & 24Vdc |

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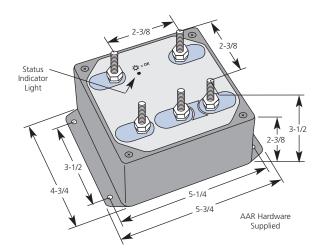
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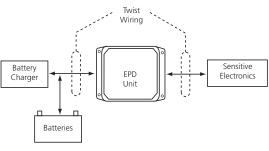
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### INSTALLATION



Install the TVSS series filter as close to the sensitive electronic load as possible. It is important to keep wires short between the equipment and the protector. All power leads should be twisted together and the input and output wire leads separated from each other. The mounting flange design and footprint provides flexibility of placement near the sensitive electronics and allows for easy replacement in existing circuits.

