

DATA SHEET



- **Output Current up to 120 A**
- **Two channels**
- **Up to 300 μ s pulsewidth**
- **Rise/fall time of $<5 \mu$ s**
- **Single-shot to 20 PPS at max current**
- **Optimized for driving up to 10 bars**
- **Only 2.24 oz**
- **Higher output current available**

The PLDD-120-10-20D is a compact, ultra-light weight pulsed current source designed to drive up to two independent laser diode bars, arrays of laser diode bars, or any low impedance load. The user switches between channels by toggling an input line. This ensures that the loads are not driven at the same time. The unit features a high peak current of 120 amps with a rise-time of $<5 \mu$ s (load dependent) and a maximum pulse width of 300 μ s. The pulse repetition frequency can be varied from single shot to 20 PPS.

Using the optional Universal Interface Board (UIB-01) the user has easy access to all control pins.

Commonly used signals on the UIB-01 are available through BNC connections such as the input trigger and the current monitor which allows the user a real time view of the laser diode current.

Multiple units can be operated in parallel allowing the user to achieve unprecedented current levels in a small, compact, and battery operated system.

The PLDD-120-10-20D requires a user supplied +8 to +18 volt input supply.

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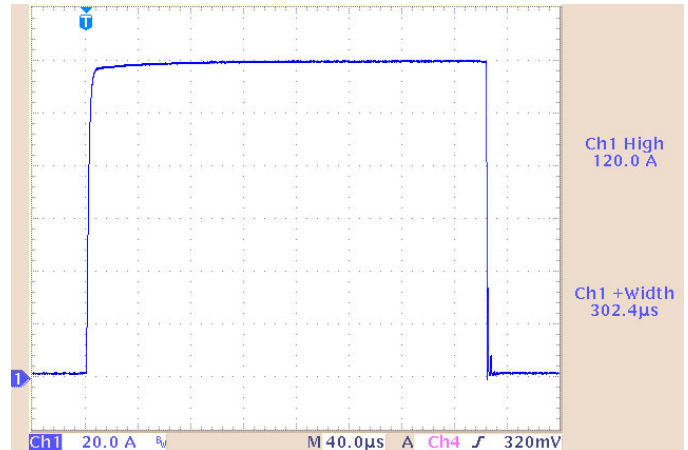
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SPECIFICATIONS†	
Parameter	Value
Pulse Output Current	
Amplitude Range	0 – 120 A*
Means of Adjustment	DC input/internal adjustment with potentiometer
Pulse Rise/Fall Time	<5 μ s (typ)
Pulse Width	0-300 μ s
Pulse Recurrence Frequency Range	Up to 20 PPS at max current (300 μ s pulse)*
Compliance Voltage	30 V (no load)*
Output Voltage	20 V min**
Output Connection	Twisted pair AWG 16, 6" length
Trigger Requirements	
Type	+3.3/5 volt "VHC" CMOS Input
Outputs	
Current Monitor	1.00 volt/100 amps into >10 kOhm 0.50 volt/100 amps into 50 Ohms
General	
Input Voltage Range	8-18 VDC
Input Current @ 8 Vin	Approx 3.0 amps
Input Current @ 18 Vin	Approx 1.4 amps
Dimensions (H X W X D) in.	2.2" X 2.2" X 0.86"
Weight	2.24 oz.

Current Monitor Output
120 A / 300 μ s pulse



Warning: Always discharge capacitor bank before connecting or removing any load

* Applies to either channel. The two channels will not operate at the same time.

**At 120 amps and 300 μ s

†Specifications are subject to change without notice.

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