



## **CWT Ultra-mini**

A wide-band AC current probe with BNC output to connect to most types of oscilloscope or data acquisition devices.

The CWT Ultra-mini (CWTUM) has an extremely thin, clip-around coil of typically **1.6mm cross section.** With such a thin coil it is possible to access even the most difficult to reach parts of a power electronic converter with negligible disruption to the circuit under test.



Coil on legs of TO-220



# Key Features

- Wide operating temperature -40°C to +125°C.
- (-3dB) bandwidth from a **few Hz** to **30MHz**.
- Loads the circuit under test by only a **few pH**.
- Coil insulation **1.2kV pk**.
- Standard coil length (circumference) of 80mm. Longer coil lengths readily available.
- **1.7mm** (max) cross section diameter.
- Peak di/dt capabilities up to **100kA/µs**.
- Current ratings from **30A pk** to **30kA pk**.



### Applications

- Switching current waveforms in power electronic circuits:
  - MOSFET or IGBT devices as small as TO-220 or TO-247.
  - Measuring power losses in semiconductor bond wires in power devices.
  - Monitoring currents in small inductors, capacitors, snubber circuits, etc.
- Measuring small AC currents in the presence of large DC currents (e.g. monitoring capacitor ripple).
- Power converter development and diagnostics.
- Measuring high frequency sinusoidal, pulsed or transient currents in power frequency to rf applications.



Model	Sensitivity (mV/A)	Peak Current (A)	<b>Noise</b> *¹ (mVp-p)	Droop (%/ms)	<b>LF (-3dB)</b> (Hz)	Peak di/dt (kA/µs)	HF (-3dB) Bandwidth <sup>*2</sup> (MHz)
CWTUM/015	200	30	20	80	116	2.0	30
CWTUM/03	100	60	20	65	67	4.0	30
CWTUM/06	50	120	15	35	34	8.0	30
CWTUM/1	20	300	15	9.0	9.2	20	30
CWTUM/3	10	600	10	6.0	6.2	40	30
CWTUM/6	5.0	1.2k	10	3.0	3.2	70	30
CWTUM/15	2.0	3.0k	5.0	2.0	2.0	70	30
CWTUM/30	1.0	6.0k	5.0	1.5	1.5	70	30
CWTUM/60	0.5	12.0k	5.0	1.0	1.0	100	30
CWTUM/150	0.2	30.0k	5.0	1.0	1.0	100	30

\*1 'Noise' is the internally generated integrator noise, this is predominantly the same frequency as the LF (-3dB) bandwidth.

\*2 The HF(-3dB) is specified for a 1m cable and 80mm coil, we can supply longer coils and cables on request.

#### di/dt ratings

These are 'Absolute maximum di/dt ratings' and values must not be exceeded.

Туре	Abs. Max. peak di/dt	Abs. Max. rms di/dt
CWTUM 015   03   06	70kA/µs	1.0kA/µs
CWTUM 1   3   6   15   30	70kA/µs	1.2kA/µs
CWTUM 60   150	100kA/µs	1.2kA/µs



#### Output

 $\pm$ 6V pk corresponding to 'Peak Current' into  $\geq$  100kΩ (recommended e.g. DC1MΩ oscilloscope).  $\pm$ 2V pk, Sensitivity is half the nominal value into 50Ω.

#### Accuracy

Calibrated to  $\pm 0.2\%$  reading with conductor central in the Rogowski coil loop. Conductor position in the coil (for a 2mm dia. conductor) typically  $\pm 2\%$  reading. Conductor position in the coil (for a 10mm dia. conductor) typically  $\pm 1\%$  reading. Linearity (with current magnitude) 0.05% reading.

#### DC offset

±3mV max. at 25°C

#### Temperature

Coil and cable -40°C to +125°C Integrator electronics 0°C to +40°C

#### **Coil voltage**

1.2kV pk Safe peak working voltage to earth. Rating established by a 3kV rms, 50Hz, 60 sec flash test.

#### **Cable length**

1m (length of cable from coil to electronics). Longer cables are available on request.

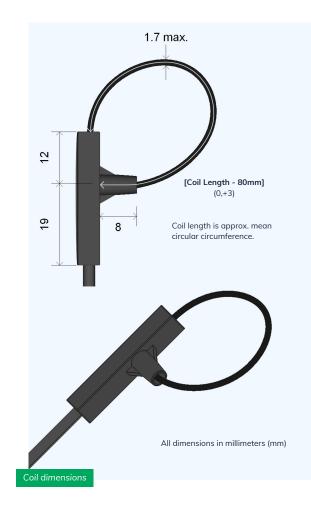
#### **Coil length**

80mm Longer coils are available on request.

#### **Battery Options**

- **B** Alkaline Batteries -- 4 x 1.5V AA alkaline batteries, 25 hour life. External power adaptor disconnects batteries and powers unit.
- **Rechargable Batteries --** 4 x 1.2V NiMH batteries, 10 hour life. External power adaptor trickle charges batteries and powers unit

External power adaptor available in US, EURO, UK & AUS versions as an optional extra.





#### **Example part codes**

#### CWTUM/015/R/1/80

CWT Ultra-mini peak current 30A, Rechargable batteries, 1m cable, 80mm coil.

#### Enquire about a custom coil / cable length

#### CWTUM/6/B/2/300

CWT Ultra-mini peak current 1200A, Alkaline batteries, 2m cable, 300mm coil.

#### Generating the part code

- 1 Model
- 2 Range
- **3** Battery Option
- Cable Length (m)
- **Coil Length** (mm)







More detailed technical notes, dimensioned drawings, CAD files and quotation request for this product are available online.



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