

- ♦ Suitable for CATV systems using F connector coaxial cable.
- ♦ For frequencies between 5MHz and 860MHz.
- ♦ Suitable for power sources of up to 140V AC peak.

Application

Use to protect CATV consumer installations.

Features & benefits

- Restricts let-through voltage to below the damage levels of interface circuitry.
- ✓ Provides repeated protection in lightning intense environments.
- Low attenuation and high return loss over a wide range of frequencies ensures the protectors do not impair system performance.
- ✔ Carries AC or DC power.
- Substantial earth termination.
- ✓ Supplied ready for flat mounting.
- Strong metal housing.



ESP CATV/F installed in a basement or garage near where the coaxial cable enters the building.

For coaxial (or twisted pair) CCTV lines, use the CCTV/B or ESP CCTV/T. Protectors are available for coaxial RF lines. Transients can also be conducted into CATV systems via the mains power supplies. Many options for mains power protectors are available.

Installation

Connect in series with the coaxial cable either near where it enters or leaves each building or close to equipment being protected. This should be close to the system's earth star point (to enable a good connection to earth).

To equipment

Electrical specification

ESP CATV/F

Maximum working voltage

Current rating (signal)

Characteristic impedance

Bandwidth

Return loss over bandwidth

Insertion loss over bandwidth

ESP CATV/F

140V (DC or AC peak at 5μA)

4A

75W

5 - 860MHz

≥20dB

≤0.5dB

Transient specification

	ESP CATV/F
Let-through voltage ¹	
5kV, $10/700\mu$ s test to:	250V
BS 6651:1999 Appendix C, Cat C-High	
ITU (formerly CCITT) IX K17	
Maximum surge current ²	3kA

- 1 The maximum transient voltage let-through the protector throughout the test ($\pm 10\%$). Response time <10ns.
- 2 Tested with $8/20\mu s$ waveshape to ITU (formerly CCITT), BS 6651:1999 Appendix C (>Cat C-Low).

Mechanical specification

