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LDP-CW 40-05

Driver for High Power Laser Diodes



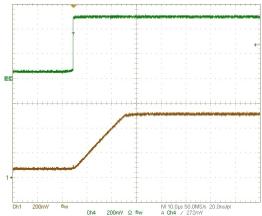


Figure: Current monitor output, scale: 10A/Div

Product Description

The LDP-CW 40-05 is a very affordable, compact and efficient current supply to drive laser diodes. The capability ranges from continuous output current to analog modulated waveforms like sinusoidal, rectangular or triangular. The modulation is only limited by the dl/dt of the inductor. Its intended field of application is laser soldering and welding as well as generic surface treatment and show lasers.

The innovative current regulation concept of the LDP-CW 40-05 produces, compared to the commonly used linear regulation concept, considerably less losses. Hence, only one supply voltage is needed for the control logic and the power stage. The current consumption drawn from the power supply only needs to cover the average laser power and is typically much less than 40 A.

Output current: 1 .. 40 ACompliance voltage: 1 .. 5 V

Coverage of cw range

Analog modulation up to 16 kHz

• Half brick size OEM module

Several protective features

High efficiency

Technical Data*

Output current Max. compliance voltage Current ripple Ripple frequency Current overshoot Analog modulation (10 A _{pp}) Current settling time (full-scale)	1 40 A 5 V < 400 mA > 200 kHz < 1 % < 16 kHz < 60 μs
Current setting input Current monitor Voltage monitor Supply voltage	0 1.6 V external (25 A/V) 25 A/V 0.1 V/V 4 6 V DC (at least 1 V above compliance voltage)
Max. power dissipation Dimensions in mm Weight	30 W 60.9 x 57.8 x 29 Half brick size 154 g
Operating temperature	0 to +55 °C

Specifications measured with a fast recovery diode instead of a laser diode. Technical data is subject to change without further notice.

Designed to shield your laser diode from damage, the LDP-CW 40-05 features a number of powerful protective safeguards:

- Innovative current regulation concept actively prevents laser diode from overshoots and overcurrent
- Integrated Soft Start
- Overtemperature shutdown
- Enable/Disable input
- Driver status output
- Shunt MOSFETs short the output clamps in case of an error
- Protection of the laser diode against reverse currents

Optional Accessories: LDP-C BOB

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