

## PL-TEC 2-1024

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## Fully digital controlled Driver for TEC Modules



## **Product Description**

The PL-TEC 2-1024 is a very small, safe, and most accurate temperature controller for Peltier thermoelectric cooler (TEC) modules. An ultra low-drift chopper amplifier maintains

±0.001 K temperature stability. Output current, rather than voltage, is directly controlled to eliminate current surges. Individual heating and cooling current limits and voltage limits provide the highest level of TEC protection.

The PL-TEC 2-1024 operates from a single supply and provides a single bipolar ±10 A output or two independent ±5 A outputs (user selectable with a switch). The bipolarity of the TEC is realized through the outputs of four synchronous buck regulators. Therefore, it is possible to keep the temperature constant even by low load currents without "dead zones" or other nonlinearities.

An analog control signal precisely sets the TEC temperature. The actual TEC temperature and current can be monitored over the control interface. In addition, separate over- and undertemperature information can be monitored over the digital interface. An on-chip voltage reference provides bias for a thermistor bridge. Through the new efficient design, just the baseplate of the PL-TEC 2-1024 needs to be cooled. Additional forced air cooling is not necessary.

- Bipolar ±10 A or dual ±5 A output
- Temperature stability up to 0.001 K
- Adjustable TEC current and voltage limiting to protect TEC module
- Direct TEC temperature control
- Low ripple and low noise design
- Multiple monitoring outputs

## Technical Data\*

Single output mode Output current Output current limiting Range

Dual output mode Output current Output current limiting Range

Max. output voltage Output voltage limiting Range

**Both operation modes:** Supply voltage

Temperature stability Thermistor inputs

Temperature set point

Monitor outputs Power dissipation

Dimensions in mm Weight Operating temperature Bipolar 10 A Heating 0 .. 10 A Cooling 0 .. 10 A User settable via interface

Bipolar 5 A, each Heating/cooling each channel independent: 0 .. 5 A -24 .. +24 V

Heating/cooling independent 0 .. 24 V user settable

+12 .. +50 V, min. 2 V above TEC voltage 0.001 K

A) NTC 10k/NTC100k

B) PT100

C) NTC 10k/NTC100k

D) PT100

0 .. 5V (each channel) or via digital interface Via digital interface

< 45 W 60,9 x 57,8 x 29 194 g 0 to + 55 °C

Optional Accessories: PLB-21

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