# **Bond-Rite® EZ**

# **Portable Static Bonding Assembly**







The Bond-Rite EZ is a flexible device that bonds two conductive metal objects at risk of static charge accumulation.

When the Bond-Rite EZ establishes a 10 Ohms or less resistance between both conductive objects the green LED indicator illuminates, pulsing continuously.

Once connected the Bond-Rite EZ continuously monitors the resistance between both metal objects.

In addition to bonding, the Bond-Rite EZ can be used by competent electrical personnel to ground objects at risk of electrostatic charging.

In such scenarios, the competent electrical person must be sure that the grounding point, e.g. wall mounted bus-bar, has a verified connection to the general mass of the earth.

The Bond-Rite EZ houses the ground loop monitoring circuit and a bright green LED in a rugged stainless steel enclosure.

10 Ohms loop resistance monitoring based on National, International and Recommended Practices\*.

Once the process is complete and any interconnecting pipework has been removed, to avoid damage/injury, the clamp should be carefully removed and placed on the appropriate stowage point.



Example of grounded truck bonded to an Ex IBC

## \*IEC TS 60079-32-1

"Explosive atmospheres: Electrostatic hazards, guidance"

### \*NFPA 77

"Recommended Practice on Static Electricity"

\* Always check for and read the latest version of the International Standards, Guidance and/or Recommended Practices.

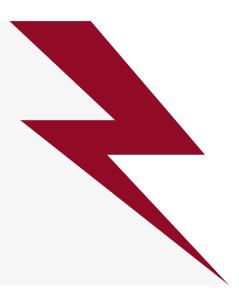


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## **Features and Benefits**

- Monitors the loop resistance between conductive metal objects of 10 Ohms or less based on International Standards and Recommended Practices.
- Designed for long lifetime use the Stainless Steel clamp body is mechanically robust and designed for use in heavy duty industrial environments - resistant to chemical attack and environmental
- Aided by powerful spring action, tungsten carbide teeth support the penetration of product deposits and coatings to establish a 10 Ohms or less connection to the conductive base metal.
- In-line quick connectors allow flexible interchangeability of different clamp sizes and cable lengths useful for storing and replacing clamps and cables.
- · Certified intrinsically safe circuit permits the Bond-Rite® EZ to be used in the most hazardous gas, vapour and dust atmospheres.





**Bond-Rite EZ** 

with large heavy duty clamp and 5m of Cen-Stat™ protected cable. Also available with medium size heavy duty clamp.

In-Line Quick Connect

Tungsten Carbide Teeth

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# **Equipment Options**

## **Grounding Clamps and Cable Length Options**

Equipment specifiers can order the Bond-Rite EZ with grounding clamps (VESX45-IP, VESX50-IP or VESX90-IP) and 2-pole Cen-Stat cable on standard spiral lengths of 3 m (10 ft), 5 m (16 ft) and 10 m (32 ft) of cable.

The spiral cable retracts when the clamp is not in use, ensuring the cable is neatly stowed and safely out of the way.









VESX45-IP\*

VESX90-IP\*

VESX50-IP\*

# **Universal Resistance Tester (URT)**

The URT is designed to provide users of Newson Gale **Bond-Rite**° static grounding systems with a means of testing the permissive resistance range on a regular basis.

The easy to use tester consists of a pair of rotary switches that enable a competent electrical person to check the resistance level at which the grounding system should be working and conduct a PASS / FAIL test at the required setting.



<sup>\*</sup>This code is for the grounding clamp only

# **Technical Specification**

Ingress Protection	IP64
Ambient Temperature Range	-40°C to +60°C (-40°F to + 140°F)
Monitored Loop Resistance	Nominally $\leq 10 \Omega \ (\pm 10\%)$
Indicator Lamp LED	1 Green
Clamp Dimensions	Length: 240mm Width: 34 mm

# **Hazardous Area Certification**

#### **Europe / International:**

#### **IECEx**

Ex ia IIC T4 Ga Ex ia IIIC T135°C Da  $Ta = -40^{\circ}C \text{ to } +60^{\circ}C$ IECEx EXV 19.0058 IECEx Certifying Body: ExVeritas

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### UKCA Ex



Ex ia IIC T4 Ga Ex ia IIIC T135°C Da  $Ta = -40^{\circ}C \text{ to } +60^{\circ}C$ ExVeritas 21UKEX0834 UKCA Ex Approved Body: ExVeritas

#### CCC

Ex ia IIC T4 Ga Ex ia IIIC T135°C Da 2021312309000480 Approved Body: CNEX

### KCs (Gas)

Ex ia IIC T4 Ga  $Ta = -40^{\circ}C \text{ to } +60^{\circ}C$ 22-AV4BO-0296X Approved Body: KOSHA

### KCs (Dust)

Ex ia IIIC T135°C Da  $Ta = -40^{\circ}C \text{ to } +60^{\circ}C$ 22-AV4BO-0297X Approved Body: KOSHA

#### North America Version Available:

#### NEC 500 / CEC (Class & Division)

Intrinsically safe equipment Exia for use in: Class I, Div. 1, Groups A, B, C, D. Class II, Div. 1, Groups E, F, G. Class III, Div. 1. Temperature Code: T4  $Ta = -40^{\circ}F \text{ to } +140^{\circ}F / -40^{\circ}C \text{ to } +60^{\circ}C$ OSHA recognised NRTL: CSA

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