

# 1021A

Single-Phase Zero-Cross  
SCR Power Controller

## Features

- Fast Cycling Distributive Zero-Cross Control
- Line Voltage Compensation
- Increased Heater Life
- Compact Size
- Diagnostic LED
- Isolated Heatsink and Command Signal

## Description

The model 1021A is a single-phase, zero-cross SCR power controller that controls the electrical power applied to a single phase load by fast cycling, distributive zero-cross operation of a pair of SCR's. The power applied to the load is linear with respect to the command signal. Available command signals include 0/5Vdc, 0/10Vdc, or potentiometer. The model 1021A is available with current ratings from 10 to 70 amps and voltage ratings from 120 to 575Vac.

The model 1021A is a compact and economical power control solution for industrial applications that require high reliability and long life. The fast solid state switching of the model 1021A provides superior performance over relays, contactors and other slower cycling controllers by reducing temperature variations associated with the longer ON/OFF cycles of those devices. The result is a more precise control of the heating process and extended heater life. Zero-cross control generates minimal RFI noise, virtually eliminating the possibility of interference with other electronic equipment. Line voltage compensation greatly reduces load power variations that result from line voltage changes. This feature provides a more constant load power independent of line voltage variations.



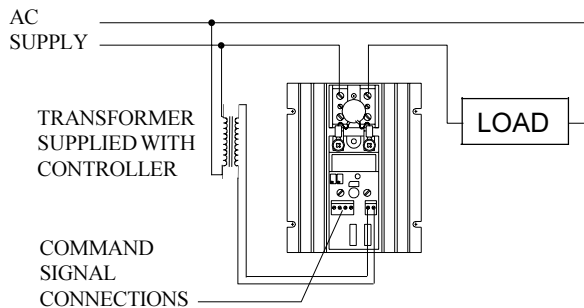
## Applications

- Electric Ovens, Furnaces, and Kilns
- Environmental Chambers
- Contactor Replacement
- Resistance Heating
- Platen Heaters
- Extruders



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## Wiring

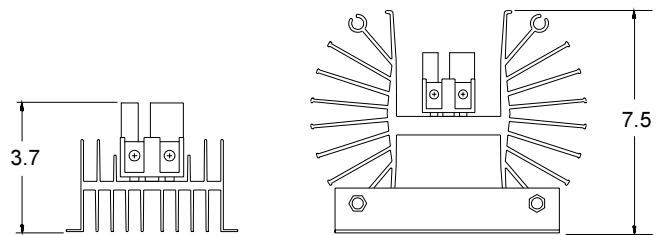
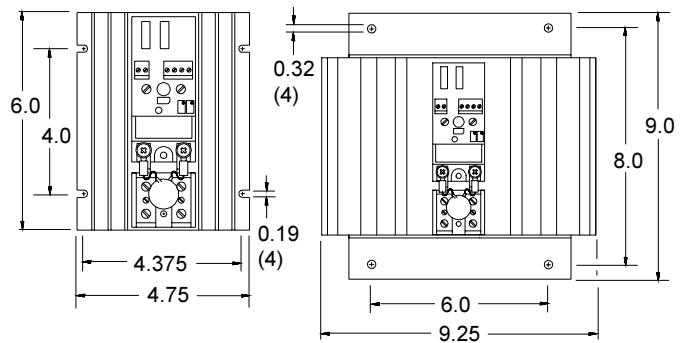


## Specifications

<b>Control Mode</b>	Single-phase, zero-cross distributive control of the load power.
<b>Command Signal</b>	0/5Vdc, 0/10Vdc, potentiometer (1k min.). Input impedance; 0/5Vdc 100k, 0/10Vdc and potentiometer 200k.
<b>Control Range</b>	0 to 100% of line voltage.
<b>Linearity</b>	Load power is linear with respect to the command signal.
<b>Zero and Span</b>	User adjustable, multi-turn pots, over a range of +/- 20% of span. Factory preset.
<b>Isolation</b>	Dielectric strength, input/output and load voltage/heatsink: 2500V(RMS)
<b>Mounting</b>	Panel mount. Heatsink fins vertical.
<b>Line Voltage</b>	120, 240, 480, and 575 Vac +10%, -15%, 50/60 Hz. Other voltages available.
<b>Line/Load Connections</b>	Compression lugs accept #2 to #14 Copper or #2 to #8 Aluminum.
<b>Load Current</b>	Models available with current ratings of 10, 20, 30, 40 or 70 Amps.
<b>dv/dt and Transient Voltage</b>	200 volts/microsecond minimum. Uses a dv/dt snubber and a metal oxide varistor (MOV).
<b>Cooling</b>	Convection.
<b>Weight</b>	10A thru 40A, 2 pounds; 70A, 6 pounds.
<b>Temperature</b>	Operating: 0 to +55 C (+32 to +131 F) Storage: -40 to +80 C (-40 to +176 F)
<b>Heat Dissipation</b>	1.5 Watts per amp of controlled current.
<b>Fusing</b>	Special semiconductor fuses are not required. Class T fuses are recommended to protect controller and load.

## Dimensions

(inches)



10 to 40 AMP

70 AMP

## Ordering Information

1021A Single Phase, Zero Cross SCR Power Controller.

Voltage Rating: 12=120V, 24=240V, 48=480V, 57=575V. Other Voltages Available.

Current Rating: 10, 20, 30, 40, or 70 Amps.

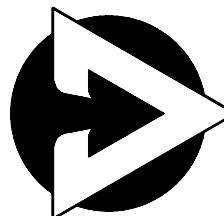
Command Signal: 0/5Vdc, 0/10Vdc, or Potentiometer. Other commands available.

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## Complementary Products

Control Concepts, Inc., with a full range of standard and custom SCR power controllers and signal conditioners, has the expertise to meet your specific industrial power control needs. Model 1600-PM6-01 "6-PAK"™ delivers six 70 Amp 1021A SCR controllers in 14.5 x 7.5 inches of panel space. All of Control Concepts products are covered by a full two year warranty.

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