

# **Rack PDU**

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## Important Safety Instructions

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This manual contains instructions and warnings that should be followed during the installation, operation and storage of this product. Failure to heed these instructions and warnings will void the product warranty.



### **Important Warnings**

- The PDU provides convenient multiple outlets but it DOES NOT provide surge or line noise protection for connected equipment.
- The PDU is designed for indoor use only in a controlled environment away from excess moisture, temperature extremes, conductive contaminants, dust or direct sunlight.
- Do not connect the PDU to an ungrounded outlet or extension cords or adapters that eliminate the connection to ground.
- Use of this equipment in life support applications where failure of this equipment can reasonably be expected to cause the failure of the life support equipment or to significantly affect its safety or effectiveness is not recommended. Do not use this equipment in the presence of a flammable anesthetic mixture with air, oxygen or nitrous oxide.
- The power requirement for each piece of equipment connected to the PDU must not exceed the individual outlet's load rating.
- The total power requirement for equipment connected to the PDU must not exceed the maximum load rating for the PDU.
- Do not drill into or attempt to open any part of the PDU housing. There are no userserviceable parts inside.
- Do not attempt to modify the PDU, including the input plugs and power cables.
- Do not attempt to use the PDU if any part of it becomes damaged.
- Do not attempt to mount the PDU to an insecure or unstable surface.
- Never attempt to install electrical equipment during a thunderstorm.

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### Installation

**TA** Zero U Rack Configuration. Attach the three mounting clips supplied with the PDU to the rack enclosure using the included hardware. The mounting clips should be attached along a vertical plane at equidistant points which roughly correspond to the center and ends of the PDU. The exact mounting configuration may vary depending on the rack and enclosure. If possible, use pre-existing mounting points within the enclosure.

**1B** Wall or Under-Counter Configuration. Attach the three mounting clips supplied with the PDU to a wall or similar flat, secure surface using the included hardware. The mounting clips should be attached along a vertical or horizontal plane at equidistant points which roughly correspond to the center and ends of the PDU. If possible, use pre-existing mounting points. WARNING: Do not attempt to mount the PDU with the outlets facing downward; the mounting clips are not designed to support the weight of the PDU in that manner. **1C** Zero U Rack Configuration (Mounting Buttons). Attach the included mounting buttons to the PDU. Position the PDU as desired in the rack enclosure, align the buttons with

the rack mounting slots, and slide the PDU into position. Note: Regardless of configuration, the user must determine

the fitness of hardware and procedures before mounting. The PDU and included hardware are designed for common rack and rack enclosure types and may not be appropriate for all applications.

**2** Attach the PDU to the mounting clips. Using an assistant, place a rear corner of the PDU at an inside edge of the mounting clips, pivot the PDU toward the alternate inside edge and snap into place.

**3** Attach the input plug of the PDU to a grounded outlet. Insert the plug directly into a grounded outlet that does not share a circuit with a heavy electrical load (such as an air conditioner or refrigerator).

**4** Attach equipment to the PDU. Do not exceed the load rating of the PDU. The total electrical current used by the PDU will be displayed on the digital meter in amperes.

**5 Optional Installation (Model PDUMV20 Only).** The PDU includes an adapter that converts the L5-20P input plug to a 5-20P input plug. The adapter is optional; the PDU will work properly without connecting the adapter.



## Features



- **1** NEMA 5-15P Input Plug (Model PDUMV15)
- 2 NEMA 5-15R Outlets (Model PDUMV15)
- **3** NEMA 5-20P Input Plug (Model PDUV20)
- 4 NEMA L5-20P Input Plug (Model PDUMV20)
- 5 NEMA 5-15/20R Outlets (Models PDUMV20 and PDUV20)
- **6** NEMA 5-20P Plug Adapter (Model PDUMV20): The adapter converts the input plug from NEMA L5-20P to NEMA 5-20P.
- 7 Circuit Breaker: If the current drawn by the equipment connected to the PDU exceeds the Maximum Load Rating, the circuit breaker will trip to prevent possible damage. When the circuit breaker trips, its plunger will pop up. Disconnect excess equipment and allow the breaker to cool at least one minute before depressing the plunger to reset the breaker.
- **8** Ammeter (Models PDUMV15 and PDUMV20 only): The total electrical current used by the PDU will be displayed on the digital meter in amperes.
- 9 Illuminated Power Switch with Cover (Models PDUMV15 and PDUMV20 only)

## Warranty & Warranty Registration

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