

# USER MANUAL

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## MODEL 504 & 505 Surge Protected DB-25 to Modular Adapters



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## 1.0 WARRANTY INFORMATION

**Patton Electronics** warrants all Model 504 & 505 components to be free from defects, and will—at our option—repair or replace the product should it fail within one year from the first date of shipment. This warranty is limited to defects in workmanship or materials, and does not cover customer damage, abuse or unauthorized modification. If this product fails or does not perform as warranted, your sole recourse shall be repair or replacement as described above. Under no condition shall **Patton Electronics** be liable for any damages incurred by the use of this product. These damages include, but are not limited to, the following: lost profits, lost savings and incidental or consequential damages arising from the use of or inability to use this product. **Patton Electronics** specifically disclaims all other warranties, expressed or implied, and the installation or use of this product shall be deemed an acceptance of these terms by the user.

### 1.1 RADIO AND TV INTERFERENCE

The Model 504 & 505 Series units generate and use radio frequency energy, and if not installed and used properly—that is, in strict accordance with the manufacturer's instructions—may cause interference to radio and television reception. They have been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class A computing device in accordance with the specifications in Subpart J of Part 15 of FCC rules, which are designed to provide reasonable protection from such interference in a commercial installation. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If these products do cause interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning off the unit, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures: moving the computing equipment away from the receiver, re-orienting the receiving antenna and/or plugging the receiving equipment into a different AC outlet (such that the computing equipment and receiver are on different branches).

### 1.2 CE NOTICE

The CE symbol on your Patton Electronics equipment indicates that it is in compliance with the Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMC) directive and the Low Voltage Directive (LVD) of the Union European (EU). A Certificate of Compliance is available by contacting Technical Support.

### **1.3 SERVICE**

All warranty and nonwarranty repairs must be returned freight prepaid and insured to Patton Electronics. All returns must have a Return Materials Authorization number on the outside of the shipping container. This number may be obtained from Patton Electronics Technical Support: **(301) 975-1007**; **<http://www.patton.com>**; or, **support@patton.com**.

**NOTE:** Packages received without an RMA number will not be accepted.

Patton Electronics' technical staff is also available to answer any questions that might arise concerning the installation or use of your Patton Model 504 & 505. Technical Service hours: **8AM to 5PM EST, Monday through Friday.**

## 2.0 GENERAL INFORMATION

Thank you for your purchase of this Patton Electronics product. This product has been thoroughly inspected and tested and is warranted for One Year parts and labor. If any questions arise during installation or use of the unit, contact Patton Electronics Technical Support at (301)975-1000.

### 2.1 PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

**The Patton Model 504 & 505 Surge Protected DB-25 to Modular Adapters** allow you to simplify cabling connections and protect your RS-232 or RS-422 DB-25 equipment at the same time. Each adapter is custom wired according to your pin-out diagram (no “standard” wiring). Up to 1500 Watts of surge protection per modular pin is provided. On the Models 504, an RJ-11 jack is used, and up to 6 pins may be protected. On the Model 505, an RJ-45 jack is used, and up to 8 pins may be protected. Both the Model 504 and 505 employ Silicon Avalanche Diodes for superior transient protection. You may specify a clamping voltage of 27V for RS-232 applications or 6.8V for RS-422 applications. Surges are shunted safely to chassis ground through the D-shell connector. Male or female DB-25 connectors are available.

**Warning:** These products will not provide complete protection should your equipment be subject to a direct lightning hit.

### 2.2 SURGE PROTECTION BENEFITS

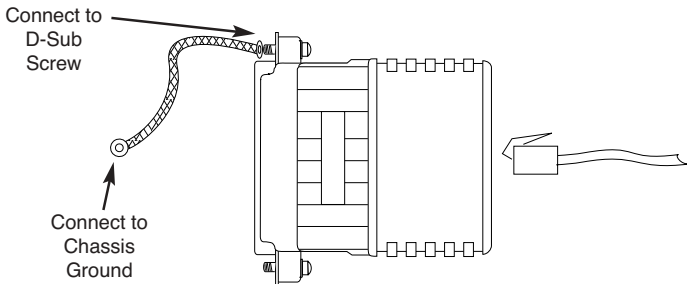
The method of surge protection used in the Models 504 & 505 adds four benefits to your system:

- 1) **High Surge Capacity.** The Models 504 & 505 dissipate up to 1500 Watts per wire in 1.0 millisecond.
- 2) **Quick Response.** The Models 504 & 505 have fast response times (1 pS at the component level; 0.5  $\mu$ S installed). Transient surges are clamped at 27V for RS-232 and 6.8V for RS-422.
- 3) **Low Impedance.** The Models 504 & 505 add minimal load to your system--about the same as a gender changer.
- 4) **Open Failure.** The Models 504 & 505 fail “open” if your system experiences a severe transient or power fault above the rated voltage of the protector. This means that data and surge energy is shunted directly to chassis ground, rather than being allowed to flow throughout the system.

### 3.0 MODEL 504 & 505 INSTALLATION

The Patton Models 504 & 505 are simple to install and require no user configuration. Follow these installation steps:

- 1) Be sure the metal D-sub connector on the device you are protecting is connected to frame ground. If not, see step 4, below.
- 2) Plug the DB-25 connector of the Model 504 or 505 *directly* into the DB-25 Serial port of the device you are protecting. Use of a serial cable reduces the effectiveness of the protection you would otherwise receive.
- 3) Plug your modular cable into the jack on the Model 504 or 505. If you have a Model 504, the cable must be terminated with an RJ-11 plug. If you have a Model 505, the cable must be terminated with an RJ-45 plug.
- 4) To provide an alternate ground connection, use the short strap supplied with the unit. Connect one loop to the device chassis (or other chassis ground) and the other loop to the Model 504 or 505 as shown below.



**Figure 1.** How to Connect the Patton Model DB-25 to Your PC, Modem or Printer

## APPENDIX A

### PATTON MODEL 504 & 505 SPECIFICATIONS

#### Model 504

<b>Connectors:</b>	DB-25 male or female, RJ-11 jack
<b>Pins Wired:</b>	Custom, up to 6 wires
<b>Surge Capacity:</b>	1.5 kW (10 x 1000 $\mu$ Sec) in Compliance with IEC 801-5 Level 3, 2kV
<b>Response Time (RS-232):</b>	Clamped to + or - 27V after 0.5 $\mu$ S
<b>Response Time (RS-422):</b>	Clamped to + or - 6.8 volts after 0.5 $\mu$ S, 200 Amps with a 8/20 $\mu$ S pulse

#### Model 505

<b>Connectors:</b>	DB-25 male or female, RJ-45 jack
<b>Pins Wired:</b>	Custom, up to 8 wires
<b>Surge Capacity:</b>	1.5 kW (10 x 1000 $\mu$ Sec) in Compliance with IEC 801-5 Level 3, 2kV
<b>Response Time (RS-232):</b>	Clamped to + or - 27V after 0.5 $\mu$ S
<b>Response Time (RS-422):</b>	Clamped to + or - 6.8 volts after 0.5 $\mu$ S, 200 Amps with a 8/20 $\mu$ S pulse
<b>Capacitance:</b>	less than 500pF
<b>Cable Length Burden:</b>	less than 9.1' (2.8m)

Dear Valued Customer,

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We manufacture one of the widest selections of data communications products in the world including CSU/DSU's, network termination units, powered and self-powered short range modems, fiber optic modems, interface converters, baluns, electronic data switches, data-line surge protectors, multiplexers, transceivers, hubs, print servers and much more. We produce these products at our Gaithersburg, MD, USA, facility, and can custom manufacture products for your unique needs.

We would like to hear from you. Please contact us in any of the following ways to tell us how you like this product and how we can meet your product needs today and in the future.

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Vice President

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