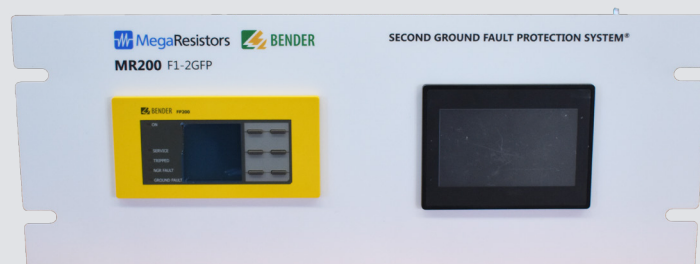
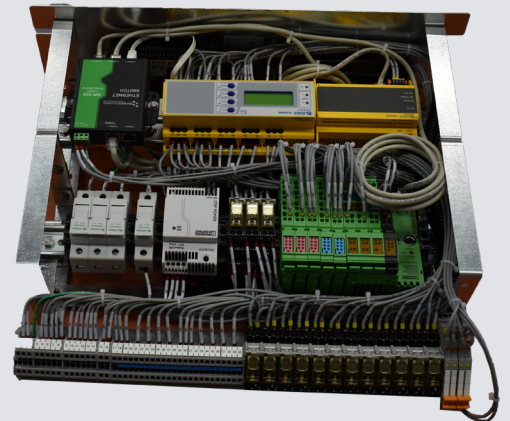


RFB-700 DSP DSA Retrofit

Replacement Kit Datasheet



History

Federal Pioneer Limited was originally incorporated as Pioneer Electric Limited in 1946. The company was engaged in the manufacture of electrical equipment primarily used in power distribution; one of their main lines included switchgear and low voltage distribution equipment. In 1990 the company was sold to Schneider Electric, who went on to sell the ground fault protection line of products to a third-party.

As a leading supplier of ground-fault protection products at the time, Federal Pioneer introduced the DSP-MKII (Delta System Protection) in the late 1970s, and later released the DSA (Delta System Alarm) as a variant of this system in 1981.

These items were eventually discontinued. Taking advantage of Bender's long history of innovation in ground-fault protection and MegaResistors solid NGR manufacturing experience the retrofit packages offer more advanced product based on new technologies with enhanced functionality, guaranteed reliability, and longevity. Contact your local Bender sales representative or Bender technical support found on the last page.

DSA VS. DSP-MKII VS. REPLACEMENT KIT - SYSTEM COMPARISON

The DSP-MK II system was designed to monitor multiple feeders and signal a ground-fault alarm, indicating the faulted feeder. In the event of a second ground fault on a different feeder, it would selectively trip the lower-priority feeder. The DSA system functioned in much the same way, but it did not perform selective tripping in the event of a second ground fault; it provided feeder-level and system-wide ground-fault alarms.

| Category | Sub-category | DSA | DSP-MKII | Replacement Kit |
|--------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Specs | Grounding Type | Ungrounded or high-resistance grounded | Ungrounded or high-resistance grounded | Ungrounded or high-resistance grounded |
| | System voltage | Up to 13.8 kV | Up to 13.8 kV | Up to 13.8 kV |
| | System power | Single phase 120VAC | Single phase 120VAC | Single phase 120VAC |
| Required Accessories | Potential transformers | > 600V | > 600V | > 600V |
| | Alarm resistors | DDR2 | DDR2 | > 600V only |
| | Artificial neutrals | Zig-zag for delta and wye systems | Zig-zag for delta and wye systems | Zig-zag for delta only |
| | Grounding resistors | Optional | Optional | Optional |
| | Zero sequence current transformers | T3A / T6A / T9A | T3A / T6A / T9A | CTAC and CTUB101/102 series CT's T3A/T6A/T9A with special considerations (consult with technical support) |
| Alarm | Accuracy | +/- 10% | +/- 10% | +/- 1% |
| | Time Delay | 0.5 seconds +/- 10% | 0.5 seconds +/- 10% | 0 to 60 seconds |
| | Level | 50% of NGR current | 50% of NGR current | 10 to 90% I _{NGR} |
| | Silence option | Via push buttons | Via push buttons | Via HMI |
| | Reset option | Via push buttons | Via push buttons | Via HMI |
| Feeder Protection and Priority | Second fault trip speed | No tripping | > 200 ms | < 100 ms |
| | Second fault trip level | No tripping | 80A +/- 20A | < 20A |
| | SIFT - selective instantaneous feeder trip | No tripping | 16 numbered priorities | 99 numbered priorities |

| Category | Sub-category | DSA | DSP-MKII | Replacement Kit |
|--|---|---|---|--|
| Feeder protection and priority (continued) | In-field programming of second fault trip priority on feeders | No tripping | Via toggle switches | User programmable by PLC HMI |
| | Memory of fault on phase and feeder indicator | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| | Simultaneous monitoring of all feeder and NGR currents | No | No | Yes |
| | Maximum feeders | 152 | 35 | 240 |
| General Features | Nuisance tripping prevention | 0.5 second delay to reduce probability | 0.5 second delay to reduce probability | Advanced harmonics filtering |
| | Measurements | Leakage current only | Leakage current only | Voltage, resistance, current |
| | Blown fuse indicator | Lamp & alarm | Lamp & alarm | Optional |
| | Measurement of system or individual feeder leakage current | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| | NGR continuity monitoring | No | No | Open and short protection (CEC 2018 compliant) |
| | Communications | No | No | RS-485 and Ethernet, wireless optional |
| | Current monitoring | No | AC only | AC standard, AC/DC optional |
| | Feeder current transformer monitoring | No | No | Open and short |
| | Select non-latching alarms | No | No | Yes |
| | Harmonics analysis and filtering | No | No | Yes |
| | Built in test capability | Only for alarm and indication functions | Only for alarm and indication functions | Complete system testing |
| Setup and Interface | Language | English | English | English, French, Spanish, German |
| | Password protection | No | No | Yes |
| | Interface | Toggle switches and push buttons | Toggle switches and push buttons | HMI touch screen |
| | Faulted phase indicator | Phase lamp | Phase lamp | Alarm and communications |
| | Faulted feeder indicator | Alarm | Alarm | Alarm and communications |
| | Meter calibration | Via toggle switches | Via toggle switches | Via HMI |



LINETRAXX® NGRM700

Device features

- Determination of R_{NGR} with passive and active measurement methods
- Continuous monitoring of the R_{NGR} even if the installation is de-energised;
- Alarm or trip on ground fault
- Monitoring of the current I_{NGR}
- Monitoring of the voltage U_{NGR}
- Phase-to-ground fault indication (optional; up to 690 V direct coupling, otherwise via potential transformers)
- Ethernet communication
- Web server
- Language selection (German, English GB and US, Spanish, French)
- Test button (internal, external) with/without tripping
- FFT analysis of the measuring signals
- Pulsar for manual ground fault location
- Relay for detection of ground faults and resistor faults
- Relay for shutdown of the installation after a configurable time
- Can be combined with RCMS... for automatic shutdown of feeders
- Graphical user interface
- Wide supply voltage range (24 to 240 Vac/Vdc)
- Range of use up to 5000 m AMSL
- Fault/History memory
- Analogue output of measured values (0...10 V, 4...20 mA, etc., selectable parameters)
- Detachable HMI for door mounting
- Password protection
- Tripping on RMS, fundamental component signal or harmonics
- Detection of AC and DC ground faults

Product description

The NGRM700 is only intended for use in high-resistance grounded systems. In these systems, the NGRM700 monitors

- the current through the neutral-grounding resistor (NGR),
- the voltage between the star point of the transformer and earth (voltage drop across the NGR),
- the condition of the NGR,
- line-to-line and line-to-earth voltages.

i Systems with a high-resistance grounded star point can be used when **an interruption of the power supply would involve excessive costs due to production stoppage** (e.g. automotive production, chemical industry). The ground fault that occurs between a phase and earth does not lead to a failure of the power supply in these systems.

A ground fault must be detected and eliminated as quickly as possible, since the occurrence of another ground fault in a second phase would lead to a tripping of the over-current protective device.

In order to meet the requirements of applicable standards, the equipment must be adjusted to local equipment and operating conditions by means of customised parameter settings. Please heed the limits of the range of application indicated in the technical data.

Any other use than that described in this manual is regarded as improper. Intended use includes following all the instructions in the operating manual.

Function

The NGRM700 monitors NGR resistance R_{NGR} , neutral voltage U_{NGR} and current I_{NGR} . NGR resistance is monitored using an active and a passive procedure:

active The device generates an active test pulse and measures R_{NGR} even if the installation is de-energised.

passive Only for energised installations: The resistance R_{NGR} is determined when I_{NGR} or U_{NGR} exceeds an internal threshold. The device measures the existing current and voltage and calculates R_{NGR} .

In the case of the "auto" method, monitoring switches automatically between "active" and "passive" when the measured value exceeds or falls below the internal threshold.

The threshold is 15 % of the nominal value and can be adjusted by Bender service if required. A short circuit or interruption of the NGR is reliably detected in an energised as well as a de-energised installation with the active measurement method.

When the "passive" method is selected, no switching of the monitoring takes place. No monitoring of the NGR occurs while the installation is de-energised.

The NGR relay switches from alarm state to operating state when the measured resistance R_{NGR} is within the configured thresholds.

A ground fault is signalled via the corresponding ground-fault relay when I_{NGR} or U_{NGR} exceeds the selectable thresholds. After the adjustable delay time has elapsed, the installation can be shut down by means of the trip relay.

A connection to installations ranging from 400 V...25 kV is possible via the appropriate CD-series coupling device.

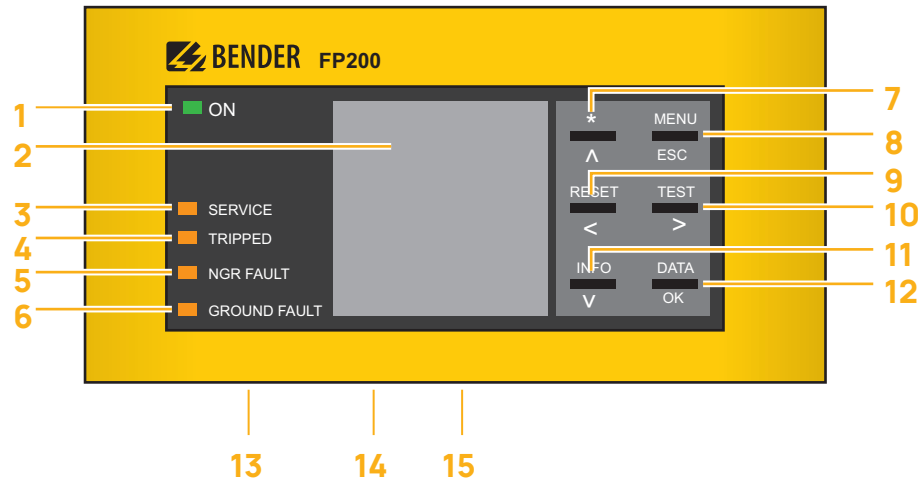
The I_{NGR} is measured via (universal) measuring current transformers for 5 A or 50 mA secondary. With the conversion ratio of the used measuring current transformer the current measurement is internally set in such a way that it adjusts best to I_{NGR} .

The phase-voltage monitoring function can be used to indicate which phase has the ground fault. Direct coupling is possible up to a system voltage of 690 V. For higher voltages use potential transformers (PT). The conversion ratio is adjustable.

Certifications



User interface FP200-NGRM



Display elements

- 1- ON Operation LED, green; on when power supply is available
- 2- The LC display shows device and measurement information.
- 3- SERVICE The LED is on when there is either a device fault or a connection fault, and when the device is in maintenance mode.
- 4- TRIPPED The LED is on when the trip relay has been tripped due to an NGR fault, ground fault or a system error.
- 5- NGR FAULT The LED flashes in case of a prewarning: NGR fault detected, NGR relay has tripped, trip relay has not tripped yet ($t_{NGR\ trip}$ elapses).
The LED is on when an NGR fault has been detected. Trip relay and NGR relay have tripped.
- 6- GROUND FAULT The LED flashes in case of a prewarning: ground fault detected, ground-fault relay has tripped, trip relay has not tripped yet ($t_{GF\ trip}$ elapses).
The LED is on: ground fault detected, trip relay has tripped, installation has not been shut down yet.

Device buttons

- 7- \wedge Navigates up in a list or increases a value.
- 8- MENU Opens the device menu.

- ESC Cancels the current process or navigates one step back in the device menu.
- 9- RESET Resets alarms.
- < Navigates backwards (e.g. to the previous setting step) or selects parameter.
- 10- TEST Starts the device self test.
- > Navigates forwards (e.g. to the next setting step) or selects parameter.
- 11- INFO Shows information.
- ∇ Navigates down in a list or reduces a value.
- 12- DATA Indicates data and values.
- OK Confirms an action or a selection.
- 13- X1 Interface X1
- 14- ETH Ethernet interface
- 15- R on/off Terminating resistor for A/B (Modbus RTU)
- Buzzer Active in case of alarm and/or test

Rear side

- REMOTE RJ45 port for connection of FP200-NGRM to enclosure
- X3 Without function

Technical Data

Insulation coordination according to IEC 60664-1/IEC 60664-3/DIN EN 50187

Definitions

| | |
|--|---------------------------------|
| Measuring circuit 1 (IC1) | (L1, L2, L3) |
| Supply circuit (IC2) | (A1, A2) |
| Measuring circuit/Control circuit (IC3) | (RS, E, CT), (X1, Ethernet) |
| Output circuit 1 (IC4) | (11, 12, 14) |
| Output circuit 2 (IC5) | (21, 22, 24) |
| Output circuit 3 (IC6) | (31, 32, 34) |
| Rated voltage | 690 V |
| Overvoltage category | III |
| Rated impulse voltage | |
| IC1/(IC2...6) | 8 kV |
| IC2/(IC3...6) | 4 kV |
| IC3/(IC4...6) | 4 kV |
| IC4/(IC5...6) | 4 kV |
| IC5/(IC6) | 4 kV |
| Rated insulation voltage | |
| IC1/(IC2...6) | 800 V |
| IC2/(IC3...6) | 250 V |
| IC3/(IC4...6) | 250 V |
| IC4/(IC5...6) | 250 V |
| IC5/(IC6) | 250 V |
| Pollution degree exterior | 3 |
| Safe isolation (reinforced insulation) between | |
| IC1/(IC2...6) | overvoltage category III, 800 V |
| IC2/(IC3...6) | overvoltage category III, 300 V |
| IC3/(IC4...6) | overvoltage category III, 300 V |
| IC4/(IC5...6) | overvoltage category III, 300 V |
| IC5/(IC6) | overvoltage category III, 300 V |
| Voltage tests (routine test) acc. to IEC 61010-1 | |
| IC2/(IC3...6) | AC 2.2 kV |
| IC3/(IC4...6) | AC 2.2 kV |
| IC4/(IC5...6) | AC 2.2 kV |
| IC5/(IC6) | AC 2.2 kV |

Supply voltage

| | |
|--|-------------------|
| Nominal supply voltage U_s | |
| ≤ 2000 m | AC/DC, 24...240 V |
| ≤ 2000 m (for UL applications) | AC/DC, 48...240 V |
| ≤ 2000 m (for AS/NZS 2081) | AC/DC, 48...230 V |
| > 2000...≤ 5000 m | AC/DC, 24...120 V |
| > 2000...≤ 5000 m (for UL applications, AS/NZS 2081) | AC/DC, 48...120 V |
| Tolerance U_s | ±15 % |
| Tolerance U_s (for UL applications) | -50...+15 % |
| Tolerance U_s (for AS/NZS 2081) | -25...+20 % |
| Frequency range - | DC, 40...70 Hz |
| Power consumption (typ. 50/60 Hz) | ≤ 6.5 W/13 VA |

Phase monitoring

| | |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Nominal measuring voltage U_n | 3 AC 100...690 V, CAT III |
| Measuring range | 1.2 x U_n |
| Measurement accuracy | ±1 % of U_n |
| Power consumption per phase | ≤ 0.5 W |
| Overload capacity | 2 x U_n continuous |
| Input resistance | 1,76 MΩ |
| PT ratio primary | 1...10,000 |
| PT ratio secondary | 1...10,000 |
| Measuring range with PT | 100 V...25 kV |

Monitoring R_{NGR}

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|--|----------------------------|
| Measuring input R_s | < 33 V RMS |
| Measuring range NGR (with $R_s = 20 \text{ k}\Omega$) active | 0...10 kΩ |
| Measurement uncertainty for $T = 0...+40 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ | ±20 Ω |
| Measurement uncertainty for $T = -40...+70 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ | ±40 Ω |
| Measuring range NGR (with $R_s = 100 \text{ k}\Omega$) active | 0...10 kΩ |
| Measurement uncertainty for $T = 0...+40 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ | ±30 Ω |
| Measurement uncertainty for $T = -40...+70 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ | ±80 Ω |
| Setting range $R_{NGR, nom}$ | 15 Ω...5 kΩ |
| Response value $R_{NGR, nom}$ | 10...90 % $R_{NGR, nom}$ |
| | 110...200 % $R_{NGR, nom}$ |
| Response delay NGR relay | 7 s (±2.5 s) |
| Response delay trip relay | 0...60 s |

Monitoring I_{NGR}

| | |
|---|--------------------------------|
| Measuring circuit 5 A | |
| Nominal measuring current I_n | DC/50/60 Hz/50...3200 Hz 5 A |
| Maximum continuous current | 2 x I_n |
| Overload capacity | 10 x I_n for 2 s |
| Measurement accuracy | ±2 % of I_n |
| Load | 10 mΩ |
| Measuring circuit 50 mA | |
| Nominal measuring current I_n | DC/50/60 Hz/50...3200 Hz 50 mA |
| Maximum continuous current | 2 x I_n |
| Overload capacity | 10 x I_n for 2 s |
| Measurement accuracy | ±2 % of I_n |
| Load | 68 Ω |
| Measuring circuits 5 A and 50 mA | |
| Response value I_{NGR} | 10...90 % $I_{NGR, nom}$ |
| Response delay ground-fault relay | ≤ 40 ms (±10 ms) |
| Response delay trip relay (configurable) | 100 ms...24 h, ∞ |
| Tolerance t_{trip} when set to | |
| RMS | -20...0 ms |
| Fundamental | 0...+150 ms (filter time) |
| Harmonics | 0...+150 ms (filter time) |
| Measuring current transformer ratio primary | 1...10,000 |
| Measuring current transformer ratio secondary | 1...10,000 |
| Measuring range | 2 x $I_{NGR, nom}$ |

Coupling

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|---|----------------------------------|
| R_s for $U_{sys} \leq 4.3 \text{ kV}$ | CD1000, CD1000-2, CD5000 (20 kΩ) |
| R_s for $U_{sys} > 4.3 \text{ kV}$ | CD14400, CD25000 (100 kΩ) |

Monitoring U_{NGR}

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|---|--|
| U_{NGR} with $R_s = 20 \text{ k}\Omega$ | DC/50/60 Hz/50...3200 Hz; (400/ $\sqrt{3}$) ... ≤ (4300/ $\sqrt{3}$) V |
| U_{NGR} with $R_s = 100 \text{ k}\Omega$ | DC/50/60 Hz/50...3200 Hz; > (4.3 / $\sqrt{3}$) ... (25/ $\sqrt{3}$) kV |
| Measuring range | 1.2 x $U_{NGR, nom}$ |
| Overload capacity | 2 x U_{NGR} for 10 s |
| Measurement accuracy | 2 % of $U_{NGR, nom}$ with $U_{NGR, nom} = (U_{sys(L-L)} / \sqrt{3})$ |
| Voltage response value | 0...100 % $U_{NGR, nom}$ |
| Response delay ground-fault relay | ≤ 40 ms (±10 ms) |
| Response delay trip relay (configurable) | 100 ms...24 h, ∞ |
| Tolerance t_{trip} when set to | |
| RMS | -20...0 ms |
| Fundamental | 0...+150 ms (filter time) |
| Harmonics | 0...+150 ms (filter time) |
| PT ratio primary | 1...10,000 |
| PT ratio secondary | 1...10,000 |
| DC immunity in case of active R_{NGR} measurement | |
| with $R_s = 20 \text{ k}\Omega$ | DC ±12 V |
| with $R_s = 100 \text{ k}\Omega$ | DC ±60 V |

Digital inputs

| | |
|--------------------------|--------------|
| Galvanic separation | no |
| Length connecting cables | max. 10 m |
| U_{in} | DC 0 V, 24 V |
| Overload capacity | -5...32 V |

Digital outputs

| | |
|---------------------------------|-------------|
| Galvanic separation | no |
| Length connecting cables | max. 10 m |
| Currents (sink) for each output | max. 300 mA |
| Voltage | 24 V |
| Overload capacity | -5...32 V |

Analogue output (M+)

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|--|--|
| Operating mode | Linear |
| Functions | I_{NGR} , R_{NGR} |
| Current | 0...20 mA ($\leq 600 \Omega$), 4...20 mA ($\leq 600 \Omega$), 0...400 μ A ($\leq 4 \text{ k}\Omega$) |
| Voltage | 0...10 V ($\geq 1 \text{ k}\Omega$), 2...10 V ($\geq 1 \text{ k}\Omega$) |
| Tolerance related to the current/voltage end value | $\pm 20 \%$ |

Ground-fault, NGR, trip relay

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|--|--------------------------------------|
| Switching elements | changeover contacts |
| Operating mode | configurable fail-safe/non-fail-safe |
| Electrical endurance, number of cycles | 10,000 |
| Switching capacity | 2000 VA/150 W |
| Contact data acc. to IEC 60947-5-1 | |
| Rated operational voltage AC | 250 V/250 V |
| Utilisation category | AC-13/AC-14 |
| Rated operational current AC | 5 A/3 A |
| Rated operational current AC (for UL applications) | 3 A/3 A |
| Rated operational voltage DC | 220/110/24 V |
| Utilisation category | DC12 |
| Rated operational current DC | 0.1/0.2/1 A |
| Minimum current | 1 mA at AC/DC > 10 V |

Environment/EMC

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|---|---|
| EMC immunity (IEC6100-6-2/IEC 60255-26 Ed. 3.0) | DIN EN 61000-6-2 |
| EMC emission (IEC6100-6-2/IEC 60255-26 Ed. 3.0) | DIN EN 61000-6-4 |
| Operating temperature | -40...+70 °C -40...+60 °C (for UL applications) |
| Humidity | $\leq 98 \%$ |
| Classification of climatic conditions acc. to IEC 60721 | |
| Stationary use (IEC 60721-3-3) | 3K5 (except condensation and formation of ice) |
| Transport (IEC 60721-3-2) | 2K3 (-40...+85 °C) (except condensation and formation of ice) |
| Long-term storage (IEC 60721-3-1) | 1K4 (-40...+70 °C) (except condensation and formation of ice) |
| Classification of mechanical conditions acc. to IEC 60721/IEC 60255-21/DIN EN 60068-2-6 | |
| Stationary use | 3M7 |
| Transport | 2M2 |
| Long-term storage | 1M3 |

Connection

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|--|-----------------------------|
| Screw-type terminals | |
| Tightening torque | 0.5...0.6 Nm (5...7 lb-in) |
| Conductor sizes | AWG 24-12 |
| Stripping length | 7 mm |
| rigid/flexible | 0.2...2.5 mm ² |
| flexible with ferrule with/without plastic sleeve | 0.25...2.5 mm ² |
| Multiple conductor, rigid | 0.2...1 mm ² |
| Multiple conductor flexible | 0.2...1.5 mm ² |
| Multiple conductor flexible with ferrule without plastic sleeve | 0.25...1 mm ² |
| Multiple conductor, flexible with TWIN ferrule with plastic sleeve | 0.5...1.5 mm ² |
| Push-wire terminals X1 | |
| Conductor sizes | AWG 24-16 |
| Stripping length | 10 mm |
| rigid/flexible | 0.2...1.5 mm ² |
| flexible with ferrule without plastic sleeve | 0.25...1.5 mm ² |
| flexible with ferrule with plastic sleeve | 0.25...0.75 mm ² |

Other

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|--|------------------------|
| Operating mode | continuous operation |
| Mounting | display-oriented |
| Altitude | 5000 m AMSL |
| Degree of protection, internal components (DIN EN 60529) | IP30 |
| Flammability class | UL 94V-0 |
| Protective coating measurement equipment | SL1307, UL file E80315 |
| Documentation number | D00292 |
| Weight | 1050 g |



LINETRAXX® RCMS460-D and RCMS490-L

Device features

- Optional AC, pulsed DC or AC/DC sensitive measurement by selecting the respective measuring current transformer for each channel
- True r.m.s. value measurement
- 12 measuring channels per device for residual current measurement or digital input
- Up to 90 RCMS... monitors, up to 1080 measuring channels in the system
- Fast parallel scanning for all channels
- Response ranges:
 10 mA...10 A (0...2000 Hz),
 6 mA...20 A (42...2000 Hz),
 100 mA...125 A (42...2000 Hz) RCMS...-D4
- Preset function
- Adjustable time delays
- The frequency response characteristics can be set for the protection of persons, fire and plant protection
- History memory with date and time stamp for 300 data records
- Data logger for 300 data records/channel
- Analysis of the harmonics, DC, THF
- Two alarm relays with one changeover contact each
- Device version RCMS490 with one alarm contact per channel
- N/O or N/C operation and fault memory selectable
- Connection external test/reset button
- Backlit graphical display (7-segment display) and alarm LEDs
- Data exchange via BMS bus
- Password protection for device setting
- Continuous CT connection monitoring
- RoHS compliant

Approvals



Product description RCMS460-D.../-L... and RCMS490-D.../-L...

The RCMS system consists of one or more RCMS460-D/-L or RCMS490-D/-L residual current monitors, which are able to detect and evaluate fault, residual and operating currents in earthed power supplies via the related measuring current transformers. The maximum voltage of the system to be monitored depends on the nominal insulation voltage of the measuring current transformer used in the case of busbar systems, resp. depend on the cables or conductors that are routed through.

Closed W...AB series measuring current transformers are required to measure AC/DC sensitive residual currents (according to IEC/TR 60755: Type B). Six W...AB series measuring current transformers require one AN420 or AN110 power supply unit. W (closed), WR (rectangular), WS (split-core) and WF... (flexible) series measuring current transformers are used for alternating and pulsating currents (according to IEC/TR 60755: Type A).

Any combination of the various measuring current transformer series can be connected to the monitor measuring channels. Each RCMS460-D/-L and RCMS490-D/-L has 12 measuring channels. Up to 90 residual current monitors can be connected via a BMS bus (RS-485 interface with BMS protocol), thereby up to 1080 measuring channels (sub-circuits) can be monitored. If this product is to be used for personnel, fire or plant protection, the frequency response can be set accordingly. The measured currents can be analysed for harmonics.

Typical applications

Measuring and evaluating residual, fault and rated currents of loads and installations in the frequency range of 0...2000 Hz (W...AB series measuring current transformers), 42...2000 Hz (W, WR, WS WF series measuring current transformers).

- Monitoring of currents regarded as fire hazards in flammable atmospheres
- EMC monitoring of TN-S systems for "stray currents" and additional N-PE connections.
- Monitoring of N conductors for overload caused by harmonics
- Monitoring of PE and equipotential bonding conductors to ensure they are free of current
- Residual current monitoring of stationary electrical equipment and systems to determine test intervals which meet practical requirements in compliance with the accident prevention regulations DGUV V3 (Germany).
- Personnel and fire protection due to rapid disconnection
- Monitoring of digital inputs

Function

The currents are detected and evaluated as true r.m.s. values in the frequency range of 0 (42) ...2000 Hz. All channels are scanned simultaneously so that the maximum scanning time for all channels is 180 ms if 1x the response value is exceeded and 30 ms if 5x the response value is exceeded.

The current values of all channels are indicated on the LC display in bar graph format. If one of both values falls below or exceeds the set response value, the response delay t_{on} begins. Once the response delay has expired, the common alarm relays "K1/K2" switch and the alarm LEDs 1/2 light up.

Two response values/common alarm relays, which can be set separately, allow a distinction to be made between prewarning and alarm. The faulty channel(s) and the associated measured value are indicated on the LC display. If the current exceeds or falls below the release value (response value plus hysteresis), the delay on release t_{off} begins. Once the delay has expired, the common alarm relays return to their initial position.

If the fault memory is enabled, the common alarm relays remain in the alarm state until the reset button is pressed or a reset command is sent via the BMS bus. The device function can be tested using the test button. Parameters are assigned to the device via the LCD and the control buttons on the front of one of the connected RCMS...-D devices or via connected panels and protocol converters (e.g. COM465IP). The preset function allows the response values to be set for all channels considering the currently measured value for each channel.

Digital input

Each individual channel can be used for one of the following monitoring functions: as digital input using a potential-free contact 1/0 or for current or residual current monitoring in combination with measuring current transformers.

History memory in RCMS460-D, RCMS490-D

The device utilises a history memory for failsafe storing of up to 300 data records (date, time, channel, event code, measured value), so that all data about an outgoing circuit or an area can be traced back at any time (what happened when).

Analysis of harmonics

The analysis of the harmonics of the measured currents can be selected via a menu item in RCMS460-D, RCMS490-D. There, the DC component, the THF and the current value of the harmonics (1...40 at 50/60 Hz, 1...5 at 400 Hz) is displayed numerically and graphically.

Device variants

RCMS residual current monitoring systems differ in the type of residual current evaluator used. RCMS460... or RCMS490... are available as an option.

RCMS460-D

Device version RCMS460-D utilises a backlit graphical display. This version is applied when detailed information about all devices in the switchboard cabinet, connected to the bus, are to be displayed locally. This device is capable of assigning parameters to all RCMS devices connected to the BMS bus and displaying all measurement details. Several RCMS-D devices can be used in one system.

RCMS460-L

Device version RCMS460-L utilises a two-digit 7-segment display where the address of this device is displayed within the BMS bus. The alarm LEDs indicate in which measuring channel the response value has been exceeded. Parameter assignment can be carried out via an RCMS-D... or the protocol converter COM465IP.

RCMS490-D/RCMS490-L

The function of the device versions RCMS490-D/RCMS490-L corresponds to the function described above. In addition, a galvanically isolated alarm contact (N/O contact) is provided, for example, to trigger a circuit breaker in this sub-circuit when a response value has been exceeded or the value has fallen below the set response value.

RCMS...-D4/RCMS...-L4

The function of device version RCMS...-D4/RCMS...-L4 corresponds to the function described before. The functions of measuring channels k9...k12 vary from those described before. They are exclusively designed for current measurements with Type A measuring current transformers (measuring range 100 mA...125 A). For that reason, the measuring channels k9...k12 cannot be used in combination with W... AB series measuring current transformers or as digital inputs.

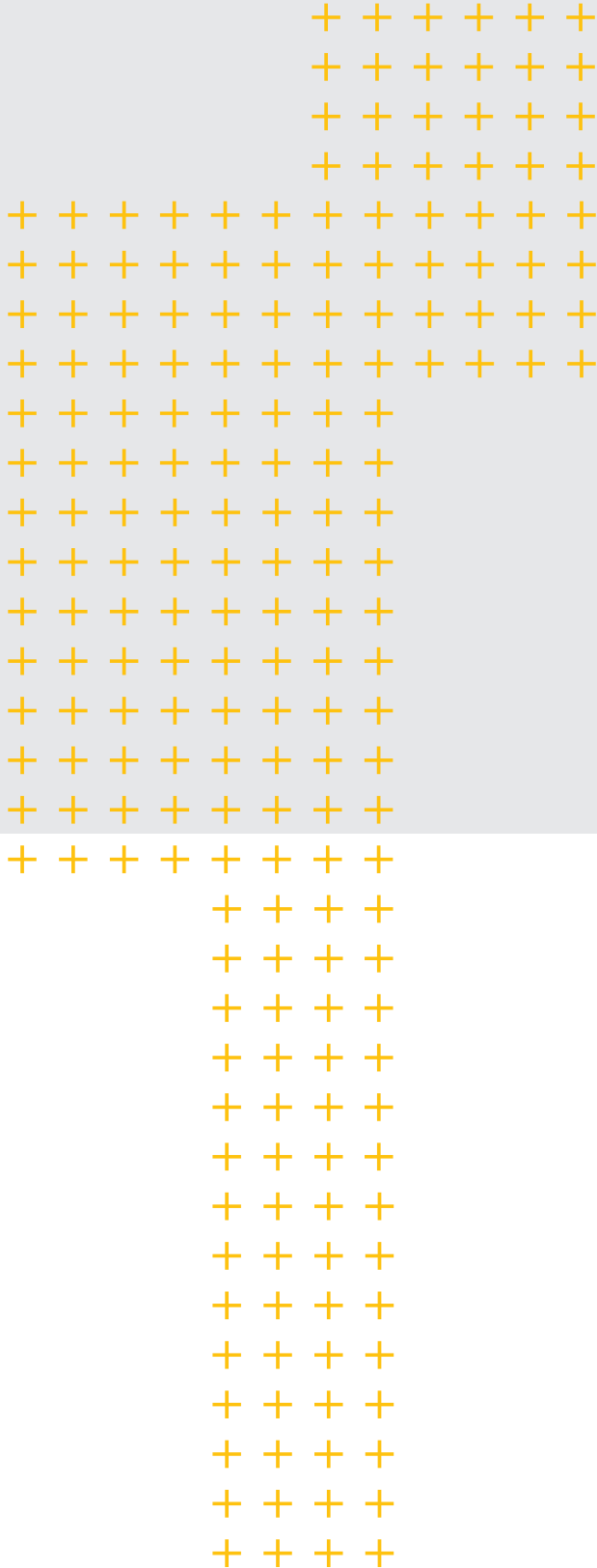
Standards

The LINETRAXX® RCMS460/490 series complies with the requirements of the device standards: DIN EN 62020 (VDE 0663) and IEC 62020.

Overview of device types

| Distinctive device features | | RCMS460-D... | RCMS460-L | RCMS490 -D... | RCMS490-L... | |
|---|---|--|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------------|
| Measuring circuit | Parameter setting function | ■ | - | ■ | - | |
| | Master/Slave | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | |
| | Address range | 1...90 | 1...90 | 1...90 | 1...90 | |
| | Measuring channels per device | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | |
| | W..., WR..., WS..., W...AB, W...F series measuring current transformers | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | |
| | CT monitoring | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | |
| | Rated residual operating current $I_{\Delta n2}$ (Alarm) | AC/DC sensitive 0...2000 Hz (Type B) | 10 mA...10 A | 10 mA...10 A | 10 mA...10 A | 10 mA...10 A |
| | | pulsed DC sensitive 42...2000 Hz (Type A) | 6 mA...20 A | 6 mA...20 A | 6 mA...20 A | 6 mA...20 A |
| | | pulsed DC sensitive 42...2000 Hz (Type A) for the channels 9...12 (RCMS4x0-D4/-L4) | 100 mA...125 A | 100 mA...125 A | 100 mA...125 A | 100 mA...125 A |
| | Rated residual operating current $I_{\Delta n1}$ (prewarning) | 10...100 %, min. 5 mA | 10...100 %, min. 5 mA | 10...100 %, min. 5 mA | 10...100 %, min. 5 mA | |
| Function selectable per channel off, <, >, I/O | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | | |
| Cut-off frequency adjustable for personnel, plant and fire protection | ■ | * | ■ | * | | |
| Preset function for $I_{\Delta n2}$ and I/O | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | | |
| Hysteresis | 2...40 % | 2...40 % | 2...40 % | 2...40 % | | |
| Factor for additional CT | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | | |
| Switching elements | Common alarm relay for all channels | 2 x 1 changeover contact | 2 x 1 changeover contact | 2 x 1 changeover contact | 2 x 1 changeover contact | |
| | Alarm relay per channel | - | - | 12 x 1 N/O contact | 12 x 1 N/O contact | |
| Time response | Start-up delay 0...99 s | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | |
| | Response delay t_v , adjustable 0...999 s | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | |
| | Operating time at | $I_{\Delta n} = 1 \times I_{\Delta n2} \leq 180$ ms | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ |
| $I_{\Delta n} = 5 \times I_{\Delta n2} \leq 30$ ms | | ■ | ■ | ■ | ■ | |
| Displays, memory | Analysis of the harmonics (ΔI , DC, THF) | ■ | * | ■ | * | |
| | History memory 300 data records | ■ | - | ■ | -- | |
| | Data logger for 300 data records/ channel | ■ | - | ■ | - | |
| | Internal clock | ■ | - | ■ | - | |
| | Password | ■ | - | ■ | - | |
| | Language English, German, French, Swedish | ■ | - | ■ | - | |
| | Backlit graphics LC display | ■ | - | ■ | - | |
| 7-segment display and LED line | - | ■ | - | ■ | | |

* only in conjunction with RCMS4xx-D, MK2430 or COM465IP



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