

MULTIFUNCTION ZERO SEQUENCE  
OVERCURRENT EARTH FAULT and  
SENSITIVE EARTH FAULT RELAY  
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## OPERATION MANUAL





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## 1. General Utilization and Commissioning Directions

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Always make reference to the specific description of the product and to the Manufacturer's instruction. Carefully observe the following warnings.

### 1.1 - Storage and Transportation

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must comply with the environmental conditions stated on the product's instruction or by the applicable IEC standards.

### 1.2 - Installation

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must be properly made and in compliance with the operational ambient conditions stated by the Manufacturer.

### 1.3 - Electrical Connection

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must be made strictly according to the wiring diagram supplied with the Product, to its electrical characteristics and in compliance with the applicable standards particularly with reference to human safety.

### 1.4 - Measuring Inputs and Power Supply

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carefully check that the value of input quantities and power supply voltage are proper and within the permissible variation limits.

### 1.5 - Outputs Loading

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must be compatible with their declared performance.

### 1.6 - Protection Earthing

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When earthing is required, carefully check its effectiveness.

### 1.7 - Setting and Calibration

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Carefully check the proper setting of the different functions according to the configuration of the protected system, the safety regulations and the co-ordination with other equipment.

### 1.8 - Safety Protection

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Carefully check that all safety means are correctly mounted, apply proper seals where required and periodically check their integrity.

### 1.9 - Handling

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Notwithstanding the highest practicable protection means used in designing M.S. electronic circuits, the electronic components and semiconductor devices mounted on the modules can be seriously damaged by electrostatic voltage discharge which can be experienced when handling the modules.

The damage caused by electrostatic discharge may not be immediately apparent, but the design reliability and the long life of the product will have been reduced. The electronic circuits reduced by M.S. are completely safe from electrostatic discharge (8 KV IEC 255.22.2) when housed in their case; withdrawing the modules without proper cautions expose them to the risk of damage.

- a. Before removing a module, ensure that you are at the same electrostatic potential as the equipment by touching the case.
- b. Handle the module by its front-plate, frame, or edges of the printed circuit board. Avoid touching the electronic components, printed circuit tracks or connectors.
- c. Do not pass the module to any person without first ensuring that you are both at the same electrostatic potential. Shaking hands need to be at the same potential.
- d. Place the module on an antistatic surface, or on a conducting surface which is at the same potential as yourself.
- e. Store or transport the module in a conductive bag.

More information on safe working procedures for all electronic equipment can be found in BS5783 and IEC 147-OF.



### 1.10 - Maintenance

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Make reference to the instruction manual of the Manufacturer; maintenance must be carried-out by specially trained people and in strict conformity with the safety regulations.

### 1.11 - Waste Disposal of Electrical & Electronic Equipment

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(Applicable throughout the European Union and other European countries with separate collection program). This product should not be treated as household waste when you wish dispose of it. Instead, it should be handed over to an applicable collection point for the recycling of electrical and electronic equipment. By ensuring this product is disposed of correctly, you will help prevent potential negative consequence to the environment and human health, which could otherwise be caused by inappropriate disposal of this product. The recycling of materials will help to conserve natural resource.

### 1.12 - Fault detection and repair

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Internal calibrations and components should not be altered or replaced.  
For repair, please ask the Manufacturer or its authorized Dealers.

Misapplication of the above warnings and instruction relieves the Manufacturer of any liability.

## 2. General Characteristics

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The MC is a very innovative and versatile line of Protective Relays which takes advantage of the long and successful experience coming from the M-Line.

The main features of the MC-Line relays are:

Compact draw-out execution for Flush Mounting or for assembly in 19" 3U chassis for 19" Rack systems.

User friendly front face with 2x8 characters LCD Display, four signal Leds, four keys for complete local management and 9-pin socket for local RS232 serial communication.

Four user programmable Output Relays. On request one of the Output Relays can be replaced by a Can Bus port for control of additional I/O modules.

Three opto-isolated, self-powered Digital Inputs.

RS485 communication port (independent from the RS232 port on front panel)

Totally draw-out execution with automatic C.T. shorting device.

Input currents are supplied to 2 current transformers: - one measuring low level earth fault current, the second measuring high level earth fault current.

Current inputs can be 1 or 5A, selection between 1A or 5A is made by dedicated input terminal blocks (see wiring diagram).

### **Measuring Ranges of the inputs:**

<i>Neutral Current A</i>	(0.001-1)On
<i>Neutral Current B</i>	: (0.1-10) On

The two inputs need to be put in series (see wiring diagram) to ensure a complete protection against earth faults.

Make electric connection in conformity with the diagram reported on relay's enclosure.

Check that input currents are same as reported on the diagram and on the test certificate.

### 2.1 - Power Supply

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The auxiliary power is supplied by a built-in module fully isolated and self-protected.

The relay can be fitted with two different types of **power supply**:

Type 1	24V(-20%) / 110V(+15%) a.c.	24V(-20%) / 125V(+20%) d.c.
Type 2	80V(-20%) / 220V(+15%) a.c.	90V(-20%) / 250V(+20%) d.c.

Before energizing the unit check that supply voltage is within the allowed limits.



## 2.2 - Operation and Algorithms

### 2.2.1 - Reference Input Values

	Display		Description	Setting Range	Step	Unit
Io1	100	A	Rated Primary current of the C.T. detecting earth fault current.	1 - 9999	1	A
Io2	1	A	Rated secondary current of the C.T. detecting earth fault current.	1 - 5	1/5	A
Freq	50	Hz	System rated frequency	50 - 60	10	Hz

### 2.2.2 - Input quantities

#### 2.2.2.1 - Mains Frequency (Freq)

The relay can operate either in 50Hz or 60Hz systems.  
The rated Mains Frequency "Freq" must be set accordingly.

#### 2.2.2.2 - Earth Fault Current Input (Ion)

The relay directly displays the r.m.s. value of the Zero Sequence Residual Current flowing at the Primary of the Current Transformers.

*The measure are not displayed below* : < 0,1% On

### 3. Functions and Settings (Function)

#### 3.1 - 1Io (1F51N) - First Earth Fault protection level

<i>FuncEnab</i>	→	Enable		[Disable / Enable]				
<i>Options</i>	→	<b>Trg</b>	Enable	[Disable / Enable]				
<i>TripLev</i>	→	<b>1Io&gt;</b>	0.001	Ion	(0.001 ÷ 0.2)	step	0.001	Ion
<i>Timers</i>	→	<b>1tIo</b>	0.0	s	(0.0 ÷ 60.0)	step	0.1	s

##### Description of variables

<b>FuncEnab</b>	:	If disable the function is deactivated
<b>Trg</b>	:	Function operation triggers the oscillographic wave form capture
<b>Io&gt;</b>	:	Trip level
<b>tIo</b>	:	Trip time delay

#### 3.2 - 2Io (2F51N) - Second Earth Fault protection level

<i>FuncEnab</i>	→	Enable		[Disable / Enable]				
<i>Options</i>	→	<b>Trg</b>	Enable	[Disable / Enable]				
<i>TripLev</i>	→	<b>2Io&gt;</b>	0.01	Ion	(0.001 ÷ 2.00)	step	0.001	Ion
<i>Timers</i>	→	<b>2tIo</b>	0.05	s	(0.0 ÷ 60.0)	step	0.01	s

##### Description of variables

<b>FuncEnab</b>	:	If disable the function is deactivated
<b>Trg</b>	:	Function operation triggers the oscillographic wave form capture
<b>2Io&gt;</b>	:	Trip level
<b>2tIo</b>	:	Trip time delay

#### 3.3 - 3Io (3F51N) - Third Earth Fault protection level

<i>FuncEnab</i>	→	Enable		[Disable / Enable]				
<i>Options</i>	→	<b>Trg</b>	Enable	[Disable / Enable]				
<i>TripLev</i>	→	<b>3Io&gt;</b>	0.1	Ion	(0.1 ÷ 10.00)	step	0.1	Ion
<i>Timers</i>	→	<b>3tIo</b>	0.01	s	(0.0 ÷ 60.0)	step	0.01	s

##### Description of variables

<b>FuncEnab</b>	:	If disable the function is deactivated
<b>Trg</b>	:	Function operation triggers the oscillographic wave form capture
<b>3Io&gt;</b>	:	Trip level
<b>3tIo</b>	:	Trip time delay

#### 3.4 - 4Io (4F51N) - Third Earth Fault protection level

<i>FuncEnab</i>	→	Enable		[Disable / Enable]				
<i>Options</i>	→	<b>Trg</b>	Enable	[Disable / Enable]				
<i>TripLev</i>	→	<b>4Io&gt;</b>	0.1	Ion	(0.1 ÷ 10.00)	step	0.1	Ion
<i>Timers</i>	→	<b>4tIo</b>	0.01	s	(0.0 ÷ 60.0)	step	0.01	s

##### Description of variables

<b>FuncEnab</b>	:	If disable the function is deactivated
<b>Trg</b>	:	Function operation triggers the oscillographic wave form capture
<b>4Io&gt;</b>	:	Trip level
<b>4tIo</b>	:	Trip time delay

### 3.5 - BF (F51BF) - Breaker Failure

<i>FuncEnab</i>	→	Enable	[Disable / Enable]
<i>Options</i>	→	<b>TrR</b>	Relay1 – Relay2 – Relay3 – Relay4
<i>TripLev</i>	→	No Param	No Parameters
<i>Timers</i>	→	<b>tBF</b>	0.20 s (0.05 ÷ 0.75) step 0.01 s

#### Description of variables

<b>FuncEnab</b>	:	If disable the function is deactivated
<b>TrR</b>	:	Output relay programmed for trip command to the Circuit Breaker
<b>tBF</b>	:	Trip time delay

Operation: If after the time "tBF" from pick-up of the programmed relay "TrR" the current measured still exceeds 5%In, the output relay associated to the "BF" function is operated (relay another than TrR).

### 3.6 - I.R.F. - Internal Relay Failure

<i>FuncEnab</i>	→	No Param	No Parameters
<i>Options</i>	→	<b>OpI</b>	[NoTrip / Trip]
<i>TripLev</i>	→	No Param	No Parameters
<i>Timers</i>	→	No Param	No Parameters

#### Description of variables

<b>OpI</b>	:	The variable "OpI" can be programmed to trip the output relays same as the other protection functions (OpI = TRIP), or to only operate the "IRF" signal led without tripping the output relays (OpI = NoTRIP).
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### 3.7 - Osc - Oscillographic Recording

<i>FuncEnab</i>	→	Enable	[Disable / Enable]
<i>Options</i>	→	<b>Trg</b>	[Disable / Start / Trip / Ext.Inp.]
<i>TripLev</i>	→	No Param	No Parameters
<i>Timers</i>	→	<b>tPre</b>	0.30 s (0.10 ÷ 0.50) step 0.1 s
	→	<b>tPost</b>	0.30 s (0.10 ÷ 1.50) step 0.1 s

#### Description of variables

<b>FuncEnab</b>	:	If disable the function is deactivated
<b>Trg</b>	:	<i>Disab</i> = Function Disable (no recording) <i>Start.</i> = Trigger on time start of protection functions <i>Trip</i> = Trigger on trip (time delay end) of protection functions <i>Ext.Inp.</i> = Trigger from the Digital Input D3
<b>tPre</b>	:	Recording time before Trigger
<b>tPost</b>	:	Recording time after Trigger

When the option "Start" or "Trip" is selected:

The oscillographic recording is started respectively by the "Time Start" or by the "Time End" of any of the functions that have been programmed to Trigger the Wave Form Capture (1Io>, 2Io>, 3Io>, 4Io>).

The "Osc" Function includes the wave Form Capture of the input quantities and can totally store a record of 3 seconds.

The number of events recorded depends on the duration of each individual recording (tPre + tPost).

In any case the number of events stored cannot exceed ten (10 x 0.3 sec).

Any new event beyond the 3 sec capacity of the memory, cancel and overwrites the former records (FIFO Memory).





## 3.8 - Comm – Communication Parameters

<i>FuncEnab</i>	→	No Param	No Parameters
<i>Options</i>	→	<b>LBd</b>	9600
	→	<b>RBd</b>	9600
	→	<b>Mod</b>	8,n,1
	→	<b>RPr</b>	Modbus
<i>TripLev</i>	→	No Param	No Parameters
<i>Timers</i>	→	No Param	No Parameters

## Description of variables

<b>LBd</b>	:	Local Baud Rate (Front panel RS232 communication speed)
<b>RBd</b>	:	Remote Baud Rate (Rear panel terminal blocks RS485 communication speed)
<b>Mod</b>	:	Remote mode (communication parameters) <b>Note:</b> Any change of this setting becomes valid at the next power on
<b>RPr</b>	:	Remote Protocol

## 3.9 - LCD – Display and Buzzer operation

<i>FuncEnab</i>	→	No Param	No Parameters
<i>Options</i>	→	<b>Key</b>	BeepON
	→	<b>LCD</b>	Auto
<i>TripLev</i>	→	No Param	No Parameters
<i>Timers</i>	→	No Param	No Parameters

## Description of variables

<b>Key</b>	:	Buzzer “Beep” on operation of Keyboard buttons.
<b>LCD</b>	:	LCD Backlight continuously “ON” or switched-on Automatically on operation of Keyboard buttons.

#### 4. Output Relays

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Four user programmable Output Relays are normally available R1, R2, R3, R4.

Each of them can be programmed to be controlled by any element (instantaneous or time delayed) of any of the Relay Functions including Breaker Failure and Internal Relay Fault.

Each output relay can also be programmed to operate "OPEN" and "CLOSE" control of the C/B either by the Relay Keyboard or via the serial communication bus

Moreover, the operation of each of the output relays can be programmed to be either Normally Deenergized (energized on tripping of the controlling Functional Element) or Normally Energized (Deenergized on tripping of the controlling Functional Element)

As an option (to be required when ordering the relay), the output relay "R4" can be replaced by a Field Bus output (CANBUS) that controls additional I/O modules for increasing as needed the number of user programmable Output Relays and Digital Inputs controlled from the relay.

#### 5. Digital Inputs

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Three opto-isolated, self-powered Digital Inputs D1, D2, D3 are provided.

A Digital Input is activated when its terminals are shorted by a cold contact.

<b>D1</b>	(Terminals 22 - 19) :	Available
<b>D2</b>	(Terminals 22 - 21) :	Remote Trip
<b>D3</b>	(Terminals 22 - 20) :	The digital Input indicates the position of the Circuit Breaker (Input Closed = C/B closed; Input Open = C/B open). If the option External Trigger = Enabled any time the DI passed from closed to open the oscillographic recording is started.

#### 6. Self-diagnostic

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The relay incorporates a sophisticated self-diagnostic feature that continuously checks the following elements:

A/D conversion  
Checksum of the settings stored into E<sup>2</sup>Prom.  
DSP general operation (Power, Routines, etc.)  
Lamp test (only on manual test).

Any time Power is switched on, a complete test is run; then, during normal operation, the test runs continuously, and the checksum is done any time a parameter is stored into E<sup>2</sup>Prom.

If during the test any Relay Internal Failure (I.R.F) is detected:

If "I.R.F." is programmed to "Trip", the programmed output relays are operated same as on tripping of any protection function operation is stored in the "Event Records" and the I.R.F. signal led is set to flashing.  
If "I.R.F." is programmed to "NO Trip", and only the I.R.F. signal led is set to flashing.



## 7. Relay Management

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The relay can be totally managed locally, either by the RS232 communication port or by the 4 key buttons and the LCD display, or remotely via the communication bus RS485 connected to the rear terminal blocks.

The 2-line x 8 characters LCD display shows the available information.

Key buttons operate according to the flow-chart here below.

## 8. Signalizations

Four signal leds are available on the Front Face Panel:

a)	<b>GREEN LED</b>	C/B OPEN	Illuminated when C/B open status is detected. (Digital Input D3 Open)
b)	<b>RED LED</b>	C/B CLOSED	Illuminated when C/B close status is detected. (Digital Input D3 closed) Flashing when Breaker Failure is detected.
c)	<b>RED LED</b>	TRIP (*)	Flashing when a timed function starts to operate. Illuminated when any function is tripped; reset takes places by pressing the reset button.
d)	<b>YELLOW LED</b>	PWR/ I.R.F.	Illuminated during normal operation when Power Supply is ON. Flashing when a Relay Internal Fault is detected.

(\*) When any protection function is tripped besides the Led which gives the general trip indication.  
The display shows the function that caused the tripping:

LastTrip	steady
"Cause"	blinking

## 9. Keyboard Buttons



**Enter** Give access to any menu or convalidate any programming changement.  
This button is besides used for the control of Open/Close C/B (see § Command).



**Reset** Return from the actual selected menu to the former menu.



**Select +** Scrolls variables available in the different menus or increases/decreases setting values.



**Select -**

## 10. Serial Communication Port

### 10.1 - Main RS485 Serial Communication Port

This port is accessible via the terminals 1-2-3 provided on the relay terminal board.

It is used for connection to a serial bus interfacing up to 31 units with the Central Supervision System (SCADA, DCS, ecc).

The serial bus is a shielded pair of twisted cables connecting in parallel (Multi Drop) the different units (slaves) by the relevant terminals.

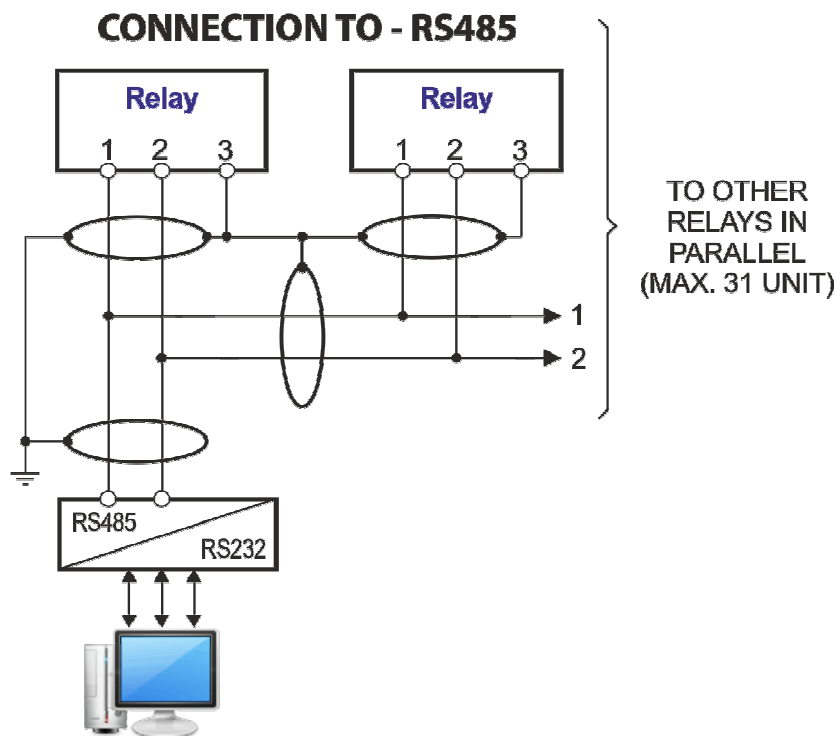
The physical link is RS485, and the Communication Protocol is MODBUS/RTU / IEC60870-5-103.

The configuration of transmission parameters is selectable.

<i>Baud Rate</i>	: 9600/19200 bps	9600/19200 bps	9600/19200 bps
<i>Start bit</i>	: 1	1	1
<i>Data bit</i>	: 8	8	8
<i>Parity</i>	: None	Odd	Even
<i>Stop bit</i>	: 1	1	1

**Note:** any change of this setting becomes valid at the next power on.

Each relay is identified by its programmable address code (NodeAd) and can be called from the P.C. A dedicated communication software (MSCom) for windows is available on [www.microelettrica.com](http://www.microelettrica.com). Maximum length of the serial bus can be up to 200m.

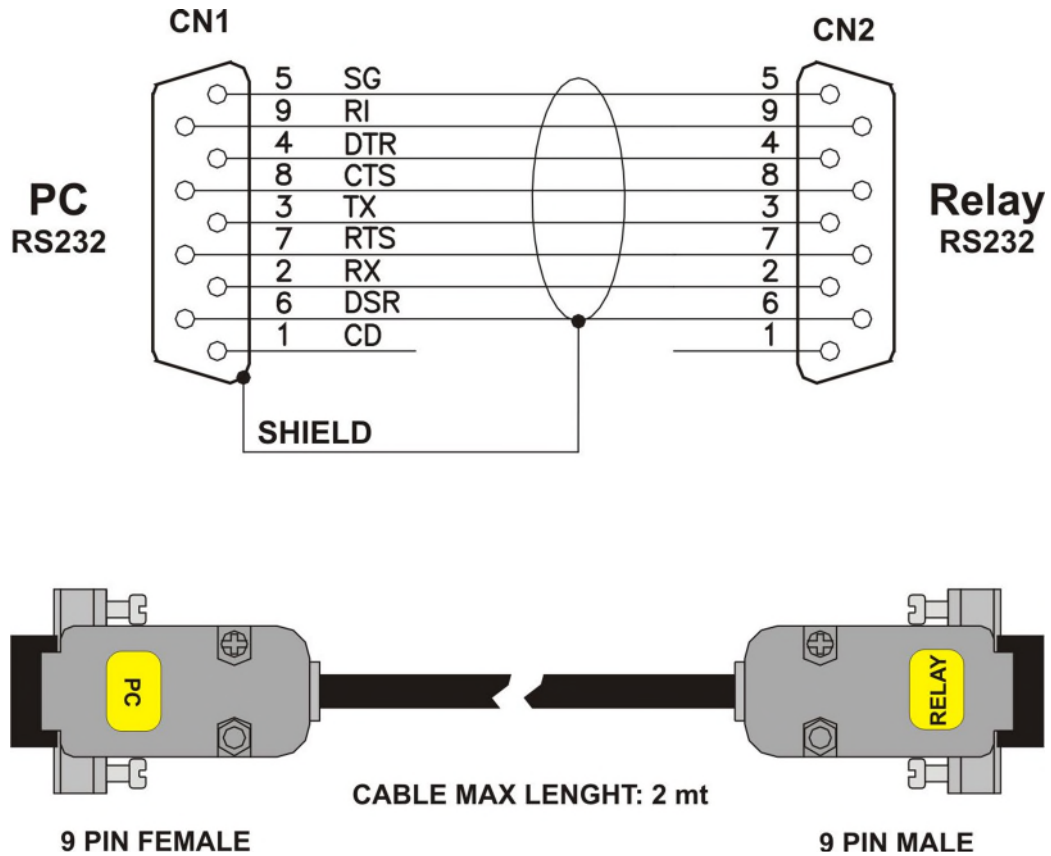


For longer distance and for connection of up to 250 Relays, optical interconnection is recommended. (Please ask Microelettrica for accessories)

## 10.2 - Communication Port on Front Face Panel

This port is used for communication through the Front Face Panel between a local Lap-top PC.

The physical link is RS232 by the standard female 9-pin D-sub connector available on the Front Face Panel. Via this Port complete Relay management and data acquisition is possible.



## 11. Menu and Variables

### 11.1 - Real Time Measurements

Scrolling display of the Real Time Measurements is the Default operation.

Scrolling can be stopped at any of the measurements and restarted by pressing the Reset button .

When stopped on one variable, appears aside the measurement and the different available measurements can be selected by the buttons.

<i>Display</i>			<i>Description</i>
<b>Io</b>	=	0.0 – 6553.5 A	RMS value of Zero Sequence Current (RMS Primary Amps)

### 11.2 - Meas (Instantaneous Measurements)

Real time measurements can be frozen at any moment selecting the menu "Instant Measure":

"**Real Time Meas**"

"Meas"

1<sup>st</sup> Measurement

other measurements

to go back to "Meas"

<i>Display</i>			<i>Description</i>
<b>Io</b>	=	0.0 – 6553.5 A	RMS value of Zero Sequence Current (RMS Primary Amps)

### 11.3 - Counter (Operation Counters)

The operation of any of the function here below reported, is counted and recorded in the menu "Counters".

"**Real Time Meas**"

"Counter"

1<sup>st</sup> counters

other counters

to go back to "Counter"

<i>Display</i>			<i>Description</i>
<b>1Io</b>	=	0 – 65535	Number of 1 <sup>st</sup> Earth Fault (time delayed) trip
<b>2Io</b>	=	0 – 65535	Number of 2 <sup>nd</sup> Earth Fault (time delayed) trip
<b>3Io</b>	=	0 – 65535	Number of 3 <sup>rd</sup> Earth Fault (time delayed) trip
<b>4Io</b>	=	0 – 65535	Number of 4 <sup>th</sup> Earth Fault (time delayed) trip
<b>BF</b>	=	0 – 65535	Number of operations of Breaker Failure
<b>I.R.F.</b>	=	0 – 65535	Number of Internal Relay Faults
<b>HR</b>	=	0 – 65535	Number of HW recovery operations



#### 11.4 - LastTrip (Event Recording)

The relay records any tripping and stores the information relevant to the last 20 tripping of protection functions (FIFO).

Each event recording includes the following information.

“Real Time Meas”  
“LastTrip”  
1<sup>st</sup> event,  
to scroll available events,  
to “Rec #” selected,  
to select the different fields;

Display		Description
Func	xxxxx	Indication of the protection function which caused the relay tripping. For indication of the TRIP Cause the following acronyms are used: <i>1Io</i> = 1 <sup>st</sup> Earth Fault element <i>2Io</i> = 2 <sup>nd</sup> Earth Fault element <i>3Io</i> = 3 <sup>rd</sup> Earth Fault element <i>4Io</i> = 4 <sup>th</sup> Earth Fault element <i>IRF</i> = Internal Relay Fault
Date	: YYYY/MM/GG	Date: Year/Month/Day
Time	: hh:mm:ss:cc	Time: hours/minutes/second/hundredths of seconds
IA	= 0 – 65535 A	RMS value of phase A current (Primary Amps)
IB	= 0 – 65535 A	RMS value of phase B current (Primary Amps)
IC	= 0 – 65535 A	RMS value of phase C current (Primary Amps)
Io	= 0.0 – 6553.5 A	RMS value of Zero Sequence Current (Primary Amps)

to go back to “Rec #”,  
to go back to “Real Time Meas”.





## 11.5 - R/W Set (Programming / Reading the Relay Settings)

"Main Menu"  
select "Function"  
select among following sub menus:

### 11.5.1 - CommAdd (Communication Address)

"Common"  
"Add: #"  
"Password ????" (If not yet entered; see § Password)  
to select the Address (1-250)  
to validate. Set Done!

The default address is 1.

	Display	Description	Setting Range	Step	Unit
Add:	1	Identification number for connection on serial communication bus	1 - 250	1	-

### 11.5.2 - Time/Date (Time/Date)

"Time/Date" Date: Current Date, Time: Current time  
"YY/....." to set year,  
"XX/MM" to set month,  
"XX/XX/DD" to set day,  
"XX/XX/XX" to set hour,  
"hh/mm" to set minutes,  
"XX/mm" Set Done!  
To validate  
Exit

### 10.5.3 - RatedVal (Rated Input Values)

"RatedVal"  
1<sup>st</sup> Variable  
to scroll variables  
to modify selected variable  
"Password ????" (If not yet entered) or #???  
(If not yet entered; see § Password)  
to set variable value,  
to validate. Set Done!

	Display	Description	Setting Range	Step	Unit
Io1	100 A	Rated Primary current of the C.T. detecting earth fault current.	1 - 9999	1	A
Io2	1 A	Rated secondary current of the C.T. detecting earth fault current.	1 - 5	1/5	A
Freq	50 Hz	System rated frequency	50 - 60	10	Hz

### 11.5.4 - Function (Functions)

“Function”,  
1<sup>st</sup> function,  
to scroll available Functions,  
to Read/Write setting of the selected function,  
to select the different definable fields

- FuncEnab                      - TripLev  
- Options                      - Timers

to access the selected field and read the actual  
setting of the relevant variable  
to modify the actual setting;  
to set the new value.  
to validate.

Set Done!

Function	Type	Display Variable	Default Setting	Unit	Description	Setting Range	Step
<b>Password</b>		= 0000-9999	1111	-	Password for programming enable (see § Password)		
<b>1Io</b> (1F51N)	FuncEnab	→	Enable		Enable of the protection function	Enable/Disable	-
	Options	→ <i>Trg</i>	Enable		Function operation triggers the oscillographic wave form capture	Enable/Disable	-
		→ <i>1Io&gt;</i>	0.001	Ion	Trip level of Earth Fault protection	0.001 – 0.2	0.001
	Timers	→ <i>1tIo</i>	0.0	s	Trip time delay	0.0 – 60.00	0.01
<b>2Io</b> (2F51N)	FuncEnab	→	Enable		Enable of the protection function	Enable/Disable	-
	Options	→ <i>Trg</i>	Enable		Function operation triggers the oscillographic wave form capture	Enable/Disable	-
		→ <i>2Io&gt;</i>	0.01	Ion	Trip level of Earth Fault protection	0.001 – 2.00	0.001
	Timers	→ <i>2tIo</i>	0.05	s	Trip time delay	0.0 – 60.00	0.01
<b>3Io</b> (3F51N)	FuncEnab	→	Enable		Enable of the protection function	Enable/Disable	-
	Options	→ <i>Trg</i>	Enable		Function operation triggers the oscillographic wave form capture	Enable/Disable	-
		→ <i>3Io&gt;</i>	0.1	Ion	Trip level of Earth Fault protection	0.1 – 10.00	0.01
	Timers	→ <i>3tIo</i>	0.01	s	Trip time delay	0.0 – 60.00	0.01
<b>4Io</b> (4F51N)	FuncEnab	→	Enable		Enable of the protection function	Enable/Disable	-
	Options	→ <i>Trg</i>	Enable		Function operation triggers the oscillographic wave form capture	Enable/Disable	-
		→ <i>4Io&gt;</i>	0.1	Ion	Trip level of Earth Fault protection	0.1 – 10.00	0.01
	Timers	→ <i>4tIo</i>	0.01	s	Trip time delay	0.0 – 60.00	0.01
<b>BF</b> (F51BF)	FuncEnab	→	Enable		Enable of the protection function	Enable/Disable	-
	Options	→ <i>TrR</i>	Relay1		Output relay operated on BF tripping	Relay1- Relay2 Relay3- Relay4	-
		→	No Parameters				-
	Timers	→ <i>tBF</i>	0.20	s	Time delay for Breaker Failure alarm	0.05 – 0.75	0.01
<b>IRF</b>	FuncEnab	→	Enable		Enable of the protection function	Enable/Disable	-
	Options	→ <i>Opl</i>	NoTrip		Operation of output Relays on detection of Internal Relay Fault	NoTrip – Trip	-
		→	No Parameters				-
	Timers	→	No Parameters				-
<b>Osc</b>	FuncEnab	→	Enable		Enable of the protection function	Enable/Disable	-
	Options	→ <i>Trg</i>	Trip		Trigger operation mode	Disable Start Trip Ext.Inp	-
		→	No Parameters				-
	Timers	→ <i>tPre</i>	0.30		Recording time before Trigger	0.10 – 0.50	0.1
<b>Comm</b>		→ <i>tPost</i>	0.30		Recording time after Trigger	0.10 – 1.50	0.1
	FuncEnab	→	No Parameters				-
	Options	→ <i>LBd</i>	9600		Local Baud Rate (Front panel RS232 communication speed)	9600 - 19200 38400 - 57600	-
		→ <i>RBd</i>	9600		Remote Baud Rate (Rear panel terminal blocks RS485 communication speed)	9600 - 19200	-
		→ <i>Rmd</i>	8, n,1		Remote mode (communication parameters)	8, n, 1 8, o, 1 8, e, 1	-
		→ <i>Rpr</i>	IEC103		Remote Protocol	IEC103-Modbus	-
	Timers	→	No Parameters				-
	Timers	→	No Parameters				-
<b>LCD</b>	FuncEnab	→	No Parameters				-
	Options	→ <i>Key</i>	BeepON		Buzzer “Beep” on operation of Keyboard buttons.	BeepON- BeepOFF	-
		→ <i>BkL</i>	ON		LCD Backlight continuously “ON” or switched-on Automatically on operation of Keyboard buttons.	ON - OFF	-
	Timers	→	No Parameters				-

Settings can also be programmed via the serial communication ports.



## 11.6 - RelayCfg (Relay Configuration)

To associate one of the Output Relays to one or more functions (see § Password): enter the menu "R/W Set", select "Relay Cfg", select the "Relay #" to be programmed, select "Link"; at this stage the list of the available functions is displayed. Scrolling the list by the "+" and "-" keys the function is selected and then assigned by the key "Enter". The assignation is confirmed by the function indication that switches from blinking to steady. Any of the Output Relays can be programmed to work in two different modes:

<b>N.D.</b>	Normally Deenergized	Relay is energized on trip of the associated functions
<b>N.E.</b>	Normally Energized	Relay is deenergized on trip of the associated functions

Programming of working mode is made as above selecting "OpMode" instead of "Link".

Relay	Type	Display	Default Value	Description	Setting Range	Step
<b>Relay1</b> (R1)	Link	→	1Io>, 2Io>, 3Io>, 4Io>	Association of functions to output relay R1	1Io> - t1Io - 2Io> - t2Io - 3Io> - t3Io - 4Io> - BF - RTD - IRF - HwRec - CBopen - CBclose	-
	OpMode	→	N.D.	N.D. (Normally Deenergized) N.E. (Normally Energized)	N.D./N.E.	-
<b>Relay2</b> (R2)	Link	→	BF	Association of functions to output relay R2	1Io> - t1Io - 2Io> - t2Io - 3Io> - t3Io - 4Io> - BF - RTD - IRF - HwRec - CBopen - CBclose	-
	OpMode	→	N.D.	N.D. (Normally Deenergized) N.E. (Normally Energized)	N.D./N.E.	-
<b>Relay3</b> (R3)	Link	→	t1Io, t2Io, t3Io, t4Io	Association of functions to output relay R3	1Io> - t1Io - 2Io> - t2Io - 3Io> - t3Io - 4Io> - BF - RTD - IRF - HwRec - CBopen - CBclose	-
	OpMode	→	N.D.	N.D. (Normally Deenergized) N.E. (Normally Energized)	N.D./N.E.	-
<b>Relay4</b> (R4)	Link	→	IRF	Association of functions to output relay R4	1Io> - t1Io - 2Io> - t2Io - 3Io> - t3Io - 4Io> - t4Io - BF - RTD - IRF - HwRec - CBopen - CBclose	-
	OpMode	→	N.E.	N.D. (Normally Deenergized) N.E. (Normally Energized)	N.D./N.E.	-

## 11.7 - Commands

"Commands"

1<sup>st</sup> Control,

to select other available control,

to operate selected control.

Display	Description
Clear	: Erase memory of Trip Counters, Event Records.
Test Leds	: Start diagnostic
Reset	: Reset after trip
CBopen	: Manual Open - Close Breaker
CBclose	: Manual Close - Close Breaker

## 11.8 - Info&Ver (Firmware - Info&Version)

The menu displays the Relay Model and the Firmware Version

"Real Time Meas"

"Info/Ver",

"Model XXXXXX",

"RelayVrs ###.##.##X",

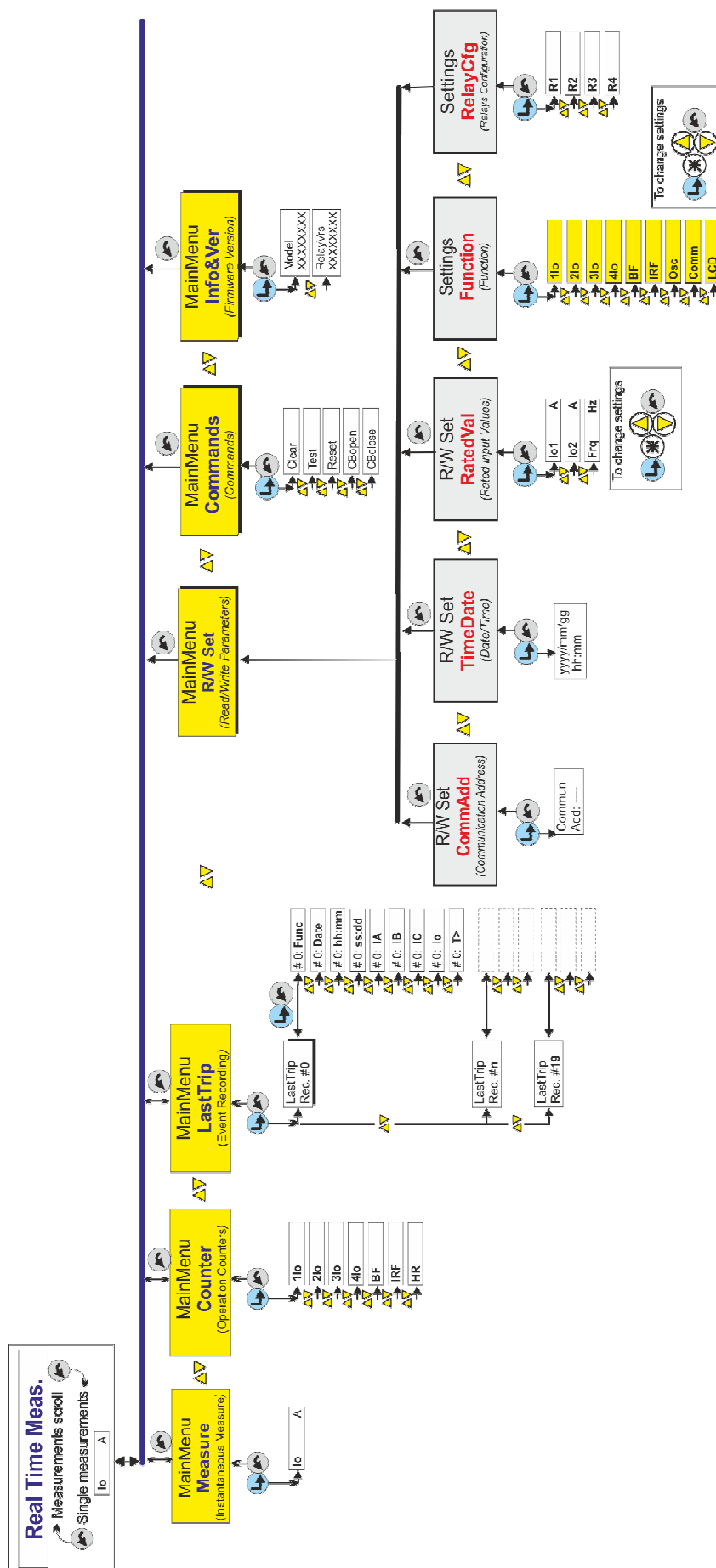
to go back to "Info&Ver".

to go back to "Real Time Meas"

Model Relay

Firmware Version

## 12. Keyboard Operational Diagram



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### 13. Password

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This password is requested anytime the user wants to write in the "Settings" menu a command of the "Commands" menu.

The default password is "1111"

When password is required, proceed as follows

The Display shows the message "Password ????"

to select 1 <sup>st</sup> digit (1-9)	to validate
to select 2 <sup>nd</sup> digit (1-9)	to validate
to select 3 <sup>rd</sup> digit (1-9)	to validate
to select 4 <sup>th</sup> digit (1-9)	to complete procedure.

The "password" is required any time you attempt to modify one of the programmable variables at the first entrance in the "Settings" and/or "Commands" menus.

The "password" remains valid for 2 minutes from the last operation of the programming buttons or until the button is pressed to return to the default display (RT Meas).

Once the Password has been entered, a "#" appears before the variable that can be modified.

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#### 13.1 - MS-Com Password

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This password is requested anytime the user wants to send to the relay a setting parameters modification or to issue a command through the relay itself using the managing software MSCom.

The user can decide whether inserting his own password (see MS-Com Operational Manual) or keeping the password disabled just clicking on the OK button when the password is requested.

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### 14. Maintenance

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No maintenance is required. In case of malfunctioning please contact Microelettrica Scientifica Service or the local Authorized Dealer mentioning the relay's Serial No reported in the label on relays enclosure.

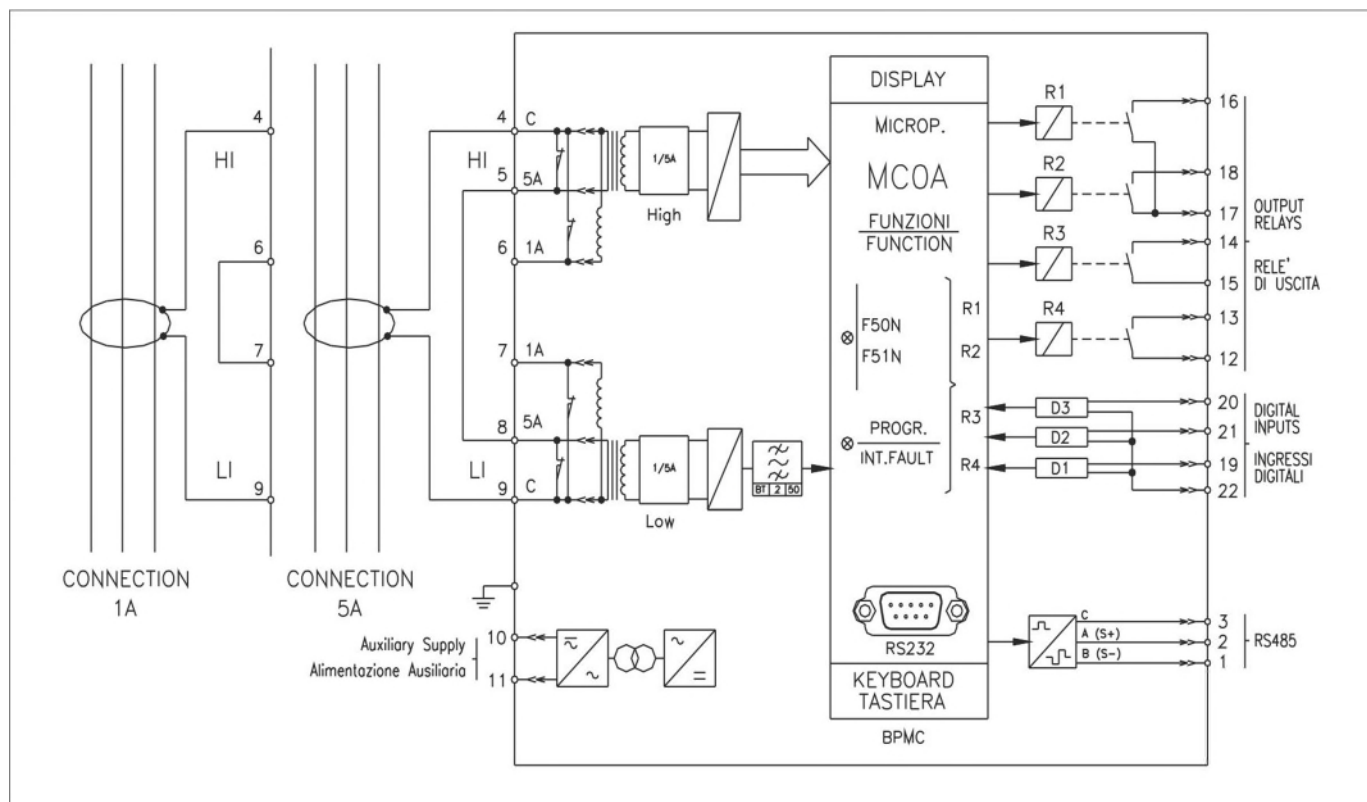
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### 15. Power Frequency Insulation Test

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Every relay individually undergoes a factory insulation test according to IEC255-5 standard at 2 kV, 50 Hz 1min. Insulation test should not be repeated as it unsafely stresses the dielectrics. When doing the insulation test, the terminals relevant to serial output, digital inputs and RTD input must always be short circuited to ground. When relays are mounted in switchboards or relay boards that have to undergo the insulation tests, the relay should be isolated. This is extremely important as discharges eventually tacking place in other parts or components of the board can severely damage the relays or cause damages not immediately evident to the electronic components.

## 16. Connection Diagram



## 17. Overall Dimensions



## 18. Direction for Pcb's Draw-Out and Plug-In

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### 18.1 - Draw-Out

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Rotate clockwise the screws ① in the horizontal position of the screws-driver mark.  
Draw-out the PCB by pulling on the handle ②

### 18.2 - Plug-In

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Rotate clockwise the screws ① in the horizontal position of the screws-driver mark.  
Slide-in the card on the rails provided inside the enclosure.  
Plug-in the card completely and by pressing the handle to the closed position.  
Rotate anticlockwise the screws ① with the mark in the vertical position (locked).



## 19. Electrical Characteristics

## APPROVAL : CE

## REFERENCE STANDARDS IEC 60255 - CE Directive - EN/IEC61000 - IEEE C37

Dielectric test voltage	IEC 60255-5	2kV, 50/60Hz, 1 min.
Impulse test voltage	IEC 60255-5	5kV (c.m.), 2kV (d.m.) – 1,2/50µs
Insulation resistance	> 100MΩ	

## Environmental Std. Ref. (IEC 60068)

Operation ambient temperature	-10°C / +55°C		
Storage temperature	-25°C / +70°C		
Environmental testing	(Cold)	IEC60068-2-1	
	(Dry heat)	IEC60068-2-2	
	(Change of temperature)	IEC60068-2-14	
	(Damp heat, steady state)	IEC60068-2-78	RH 93% Without Condensing AT 40°C

## CE EMC Compatibility (EN61000-6-2 - EN61000-6-4 - EN50263)

Electromagnetic emission	EN55011	industrial environment		
Radiated electromagnetic field immunity test	IEC61000-4-3	level 3	80-2000MHz	10V/m
	ENV50204		900MHz/200Hz	10V/m
Conducted disturbances immunity test	IEC61000-4-6	level 3	0.15-80MHz	10V
Electrostatic discharge test	IEC61000-4-2	level 3	6kV contact / 8kV air	
Power frequency magnetic test	IEC61000-4-8		1000A/m	50/60Hz
Pulse magnetic field	IEC61000-4-9		1000A/m, 8/20µs	
Damped oscillatory magnetic field	IEC61000-4-10		100A/m, 0.1-1MHz	
Immunity to conducted common mode disturbance 0Hz-150KHz	IEC61000-4-16	level 4		
Electrical fast transient/burst	IEC61000-4-4	level 3	2kV, 5kHz	
HF disturbance test with damped oscillatory wave (1MHz burst test)	IEC60255-22-1	class 3	400pps, 2,5kV (m.c.), 1kV (d.m.)	
Oscillatory waves (Ring waves)	IEC61000-4-12	level 4	4kV(c.m.), 2kV(d.m.)	
Surge immunity test	IEC61000-4-5	level 4	2kV(c.m.), 1kV(d.m.)	
Voltage interruptions	IEC60255-4-11			
Resistance to vibration and shocks	IEC60255-21-1 - IEC60255-21-2	10-500Hz 1g		

## ELECTRIC RATED VALUE

Accuracy at reference value of influencing factors	0,05% On	for measure
	2% + to (to=20÷30ms @ 2xIs)	for times
Rated Current	On = 1A/5A	
Current overload	80 On for 1 sec; 2On continuous	
Burden on current inputs	Neutral : 0.05VA at On = 1A ; 0.2VA at On = 5A	
Average power supply consumption	≤ 7 VA	
Output relays	rating 6 A; Vn = 250 V	
	A.C. resistive switching = 1500VA (400V max)	
	make = 30 A (peak) 0,5 sec.	
	break = 0.3 A, 110 Vcc, L/R = 40 ms (100.000 op.)	

## COMMUNICATION PARAMETERS

RS485 (Back)	9600/19200/38400/57600 bps – 8,n,1 - 8,e,1 - 8,o,1 – Modbus RTU or IEC60870-5-103
RS232 (Front)	9600 – 8,n,1 – Modbus RTU

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