

# AC/DC sensitive Residual current monitoring module RCMA278P-S

for installation into photovoltaic converters



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#### **Device features**

## • AC/DC sensitive residual current monitoring module Type B

- r.m.s. value measurement (AC+DC)
- Frequency range 0...500 Hz
- CT connection monitoring

#### **Approvals and certifications**



#### **Product description**

The AC/DC sensitive residual current monitoring module RCMA278P-S is suitable for fault current monitoring in transformerless photovoltaic inverters where direct and/or alternating fault currents are likely to occur the value of which is constantly greater than zero.

#### Function

Residual current monitoring is carried out using an internal measuring current transformer. The r.m.s. value is calculated by summing up the DC components included in the residual current and the AC components that are below the cut-off frequency. A signal in proportion to the residual current is available at the module output (X1). In addition, values outside the measuring range are signalled by a switching output (X12).

The control input (X10) will also be queried. Depending on the HIGH/LOW sequence, a reset of the RCMA278P-S will be activated with/without subsequent calibration.

#### **Technical data**

$U_{\rm S} + ({\rm X11})$	12 V (± 1 V)	
U <sub>5</sub> - (X2)	- 12 V (± 1 V)	
Alternative	15 1/ (+ 1 1)	
$U_{\rm S} + (X11)$ $I_{\rm K} = (X2)$	$15 V (\pm 1 V)$ - 15 V (+ 1 V)	
Power consumption	- 13 V (± 1 V) ≤ 1 W	
Measuring circuit		
Operating characteristic acc. to IEC 60755	Type B	
Frequency range	0500 Hz	
Measuring range	0100 mA	
Resolution Pipple max	< 2  mA	
Max. nominal current	50 A/45 Hz65 Hz	
Inputs		
Control input X10: High level	15 55V	
Low level	4.55.V 00.5 V	
Outputs		
Outputs	DC 0 15 4 85 V	
Sensitivity analogue output	1 V/20 mA	
Tolerance 310 mA	020 %/± 1 mA	
Tolerance 10100 mA	020%	
Tolerance at 0.15 V	+ 50 mV/0 mV	
I Olerance at 4,85 V Output registance at the measurement output V1	-150  mV + 50  mV	
Switching behaviour switching output X12 (open collector)	1  Ks 2 (short-circuit proof)	
I ow: values within the r	ermissible measuring range	
High: values outside the p	ermissible measuring range	
Max. switching voltage X12	+ 24 V	
Max. switching current X12	DC 10 mA	
Test winding		
Output voltage at X1 with a test current of 22.4 mA	1.121.4 V	
Time response		
Changes in residual current $I_{\Delta} \ge 30$ mA (output X1)	< 150 ms	
Changes in residual current $I_{\Delta} \ge 60$ mA (output X1)	< 100 ms	
Changes in residual current $I_{\Delta} \ge 100 \text{ mA}$ (output X12)	< 130 ms	
changes in residual current in $I_{\Delta} \ge 150$ mA (output X12)	< 25 ms	
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#### Ordering information

Measuring range	Frequency range	Туре	Art. No.
0100 mA	0500 Hz	RCMA278P-S	B 9404 2095

Dimension diagram

Dimensions in mm

#### Bender p.c.b. RCMA278P-S of 1.5 mm thickness



Bender p.c.b. on a base plate



Base plate of 1.7 mm thickness, tolerance: + 0.1 mm/- 0 mm



X1 - M Ánalogue voltage output

X2 - U2 - U<sub>S</sub> Voltage supply - 12 V/- 15 V

- X3 GND Ground
- X4 not connected

X9 - GND Ground

- X10 Control input 0...5 V
- X11 U1+ Us voltage supply + 12 V/+ 15 VX12 -Switching output/alarm output

(transistor, open collector)

9 - Working space to unlatch the p.c.b.



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