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Device features

- Monitoring of the insulation resistance $R_{\rm F}$ to earth
- Monitoring of the battery voltage Un between terminals L+ and L-
- Measurement of the voltages U_{L+e} and U_{L-e} of terminals L+ and L- to earth
- Determination of the fault location (%), i.e. the distribution of the insulation resistance *R*_F between terminals L+ and L-
- Monitoring and automatic adjustment to the system leakage capacitance up to 1 μF
- Continuous connection monitoring of terminals L+, L- and E
- Selectable start-up delay, response delay and delay on release
- Two separately adjustable response value ranges of 10 k Ω ...5 M Ω (alarm 1, alarm 2)
- Configurable measuring frequency for adjustment to the physical characteristics of the battery
- Alarm signalling via LEDs (AL1, AL2), display and alarm relays (K1, K2)
- · Automatic device self test
- N/C operation or N/O operation selectable
- Measured value indication via multi-functional LCD
- Fault memory can be activated
- Device supply via wide-range power supply
- RS-485 (galvanically isolated) including the following protocols:
 - BMS interface (Bender measuring device interface) for data exchange with other Bender components (bidirectional)
 - Modbus RTU (bidirectional)
 - IsoData for continuous data output (unidirectional)
- Password protection to prevent unauthorised parameter changes

Product description

This ISOMETER® is intended for monitoring the insulation resistance as well as the voltage of a battery during its assembly from individual battery cells. The ISOMETER® monitors the insulation resistance of batteries with nominal system voltages of DC 0...400 V. The maximum permissible system leakage capacitance Ce is 1 μ F. The resulting measured values allow diagnosing the type and location of the insulation fault.

In order to meet the requirements of applicable standards, customised parameter settings must be made on the equipment in order to adapt it to local equipment and operating conditions. Please heed the limits of the area of application indicated in the technical specifications.

Any other use than that described in this manual is regarded as improper.

Application

• Batteries up to DC 500 V

Function

The isoBAT425 ISOMETER[®] is intended for monitoring the insulation resistance as well as the voltage of a battery during its assembly from individual battery cells. The ISOMETER[®] measures the insulation resistance R_F and the leakage capacitance C_e of the battery to earth. In addition, the voltages U_n between L+ and L-, U_{L+e} between U_{L+} and earth as well as U_{L-e} between U_{L-} and earth are measured.

The first step consists of assembling the battery in two parallel strings (plus and minus string) which are not interconnected. During the second step, the two strings are connected to form a complete battery by means of another battery.

The resulting measured values allow diagnosing the type and location of the insulation fault. In the LC display, the fault location is marked with a plus or a minus sign preceding the value $R_{\rm F}$.

It is possible to assign the detected fault or the faulty conductor to an alarm relay via the menu. If the values R_F or U_n violate the activated response values in "AL" menu, the LEDs and the relays K1 and K2 issue an alarm according to the alarm assignment settings in the "out" menu. In addition, the operating mode of the relay (n.c./n.o.) can be set and the fault memory "M" can be activated in this menu.

If the values R_F or U_n do not violate their respective release value (response value plus hysteresis) for the period toff without interruption, the alarm relays will switch back to their initial position and the alarm LEDs AL1/AL2 will go out. If the fault memory is activated, the alarm relays remain in alarm condition and the LEDs light until the reset button "R" is pressed or the supply voltage is interrupted.

The device function can be tested using the test button "T". Parameters are assigned to the device via the LCD and the control buttons on the front panel; this function can be password-protected. The parameters of the device can be set via Modbus RTU.

ZE420 coupling impedance

In the case of open battery strings, the ZE420 coupling impedance provides a "low-resistance" connection (10 k Ω) between terminals L+ and L-, necessary for the measuring functions of the ISOMETER[®]. In the case of closed batteries, the resistance is optional due to the internal resistance of the battery.

In addition to this resistance, there is also an optional 1.5 mA current limitation. It starts above $U_n = 25$ V and increases the internal resistance of the coupling impedance. For this reason, in the event of a cross fault, the system connection monitoring may be additionally triggered but, at the same time, the responsivity of the cross fault detection is increased.

In addition, the coupling impedance contains two capacitances for a necessary minimum leakage capacitance to earth.

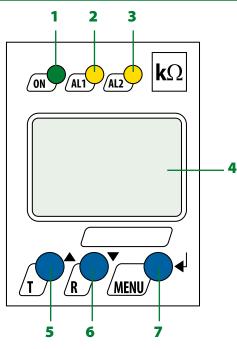
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Standards

The $\mathsf{ISOMETER}^{\otimes}$ has been developed in compliance with the following standards:

- DIN EN 61557-8 (VDE 0413-8): 2015-12/Ber1: 2016-12
- IEC 61557-8: 2014/COR1: 2016

Operating elements



Ordering information

Version	U _n DC	Туре	Art. No.
Push-wire terminal	0400 V	isoBAT425-D4-4 with ZE420	B71036327

Devices are available as a set.

Accessories

Description	Art. No.
Mounting clip for screw mounting (1 piece per device)	B 9806 0008

Suitable system components

Description	Туре	Art. No.
Replacement device	isoBAT425-D4-4	B71036324
	ZE420	B71036326

Certifications



(isoBAT425 only)

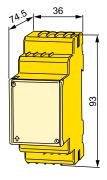
- LED "ON" (operation LED) flashes in case of interruption to the connecting wires E/KE, L1(+)/L2(-) or system faults.
- 2 Alarm LED "AL1" lights when the values fall below the set response value Alarm 1 and flashes in case of interruption to the connecting wires E/KE, L1(+)/L2(-) or system faults as well as in the case of overvoltage (can be activated).
- 3 Alarm LED "AL2" lights when the values fall below the set response value Alarm 2 and flashes in case of interruption to the connecting wires E/KE, L1(+)/L2(-) or system faults as well as in the case of undervoltage (can be activated).
- 4 LC display
- 5 Test button "T": to call up the self test Arrow up button: to change parameters, to move upwards in the menu
- 6 Reset button "R": to delete stored insulation fault alarms
 Down button: to change parameters, to move downwards in the menu
- 7 Menu button "MENU": to call up the menu system Enter button: to confirm parameter changes

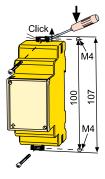
Dimension diagram XM420

Dimensions in mm Open the front plate cover in direction of arrow!

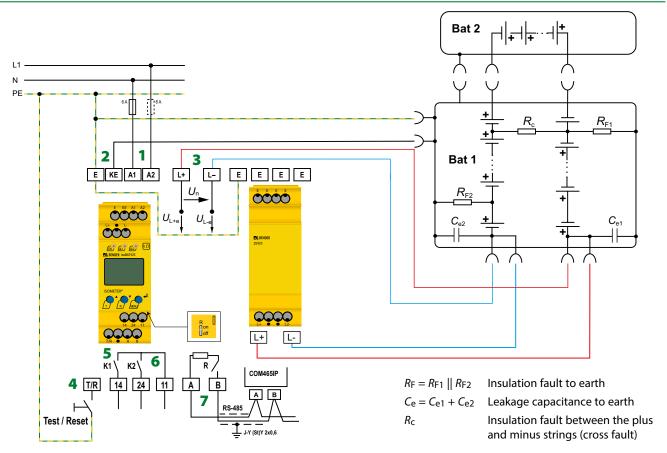
Screw mounting

Note: The upper mounting clip must be ordered separately (see ordering information).





Wiring diagram



- 1 A1, A2 Connection to the supply voltage via fuse (line protection).
 If being supplied from an IT system, both lines have to be protected by a fuse*
- 2 E, KE Connect to PE: The same wire cross section as for A1, A2 is to be used Connection to the battery enclosure
- 3 L+, L- Connection to the battery to be monitored
- 4 T/R Connection for the external combined test and reset button
- 5 11, 14 Connection to alarm relay K1
- 6 11, 24 Connection to alarm relay K2
- 7 A, B RS-485 communication interface with connectable terminating resistor Example: Connection of a BMS Ethernet gateway COM465IP
- * For UL applications:
 - Only use 60/75°C copper lines!

For UL and CSA applications, the supply voltage must be protected via 5-A fuses. Connect the device as illustrated in the wiring diagram.

Technical data isoBAT425

Insulation coordination acc. to IEC 60664-1/IEC 6	0664-3
Definitions:	
Measuring circuit (IC1)	L+, L-
Supply circuit (IC2)	A1, A2
Output circuit (IC3)	11, 14, 24
Control circuit (IC4)	E, KE, T/R, A, B
Rated voltage	400 V
Overvoltage category	
Rated impulse voltage:	
IC1/(IC2-4)	6 kV
IC2/(IC3-4)	4 kV
IC 3/(IC4)	4 kV
Rated insulation voltage:	
IC1/(IC2-4)	400 V
IC2/(IC3-4)	400 V 250 V
IC 3/(IC4)	250 V
Pollution degree	3
Safe isolation (reinforced insulation) between:	
IC1/(IC2-4)	Overvoltage category III, 600 V
IC2/(IC3-4)	Overvoltage category III, 300 V
IC 3/(IC4)	Overvoltage category III, 300 V
Voltage tests (routine test) acc. to IEC 61010-1:	
IC2/(IC3-4)	AC 2.2 kV
IC 3/(IC4)	AC 2.2 kV
Supply voltage	
Supply voltage Us	AC 100240 V/DC 24240 V
Tolerance of Us	-30+15 %
Frequency range Us	4763 Hz
Power consumption	\leq 3 W, \leq 9 VA
IT system being monitored	
Nominal system voltage Un	DC 0400 V
Tolerance of U _n	+25 %
Measuring circuit	
Measuring voltage U _m	±12 V
Measuring current I_m at R_F , $Z_F = 0 \Omega$	 ≤ 110 μA
Internal resistance R_i, Z_i	≥ 115 kΩ
Permissible system leakage capacitance C _e	
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Response values	
Response value R _{an1}	11…5000 kΩ (1500 kΩ)*
Response value R _{an2}	10…4900 kΩ (1000 kΩ)*
Relative uncertainty Ran	\pm 15 %, at least \pm 2 k Ω
Hysteresis R _{an}	25 %, at least 1 kΩ
Voltage detection U _{BattH}	4500 V (400 V)
Voltage detection UBattL	3499 V (378 V)
Voltage detection UcrossH	4500 V (345 V)
Voltage detection U _{CrossL}	3499 V (6 V)
Overvoltage detection	510 V
Relative uncertainty U	±5 %, at least ±0.5 V
Hysteresis U	5 %, at least 2 V
Time response	,
Response time t_{ae} at $R_F = 0.5 \times R_{an}$ for the measuring p	oulse period durations:
$T_{\rm MP} = 0.8$ s	≤ 3.5 s
$T_{MP} = 2.0 \text{ s}$	≤ 3.3 3 ≤ 8.0 s
$T_{MP} = 2.0$ s	≤ 0.0 s ≤ 16 s
$T_{\rm MP} = 8.0 \rm s$	$\leq 32 \text{ s}$
Start-up delay t	010 s (0 s)*
Response delay t _{on}	099 s (0 s)*
Delay on release t _{off}	099 s (0 s)*

Displays, memory					
Display			function	al, not illu	
Display range measured value insulati	ion resistance (<i>R</i> F	:)			.10 MΩ
perating uncertainty			±15	%, at leas	
Display range measured value nomina	al system voltage	e (U _n)			.500 V _{DC}
perating uncertainty	· · ·			%, at leas	
Display range measured value system l	eakage capacitan	ce at $R_{\rm F}$ >	> 10 kΩ		1.6 μF
Operating uncertainty			±10 %,	at least =	±0.02 μŀ
Password			01	/0999	
ault memory alarm messages				(on/(off)*
nterface					
nterface/protocol				dbus RTU	
	s/s), Modbus RTU	(selecta	ble), isoD		
Cable length (9.6 kbits/s)					1200 m
Cable: twisted pairs, shield connected	to PE on one sid	e		nin. J-Y(St	
Ferminating resistor	120 Ω ((0,25 W),	internal,	can be co	
Device address, BMS bus, Modbus RTL	J			3	.90 (3)*
Switching elements					
Switching elements	2 x 1	N/O con	tacts, cor	nmon teri	minal 11
Dperating principle	N/C operat				
Electrical endurance, number of cycles	5			. (10000
Electrical endurance at DC 30 V / \leq 0.	$\frac{1}{1} A (L/R = 7 ms)$		10) ⁶ operatir	
Contact data acc. to IEC 60947-5-1					5 7 1
Jtilisation category	AC-12	AC-14	DC-12	DC-12	DC-12
Rated operational voltage	230 V	230 V	24 V	110 V	
Rated operational current	5 A	2 A	1.4	0.2 A	0.1 A
Ainimum contact rating				A at AC/D	
Environment/EMC					
ЕМС				IFC 61	326-2-4
Ambient temperatures:				12001	520 2 1
Operation				-25	.+55 ℃
Transport					.+85 °C
Storage					.+05 ℃ .+70 ℃
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Classification of climatic conditio Stationary use (IEC 60721-3-3)	3K5 (except		ation and	formatic	n ofico)
Fransport (IEC 60721-3-2)	2K4 (except				
Long-term storage (IEC 60721-3-1)	1K5 (except				
				lonnatic	in or ice)
Classification of mechanical condi	itions acc. to IE	C 60721	:		
Stationary use (IEC 60721-3-3)					3M4
Transport (IEC 60721-3-2)					2M4
Long-term storage (IEC 60721-3-1)					1M12
Connection					
Connection type			pus	h-wire t	erminal
Nominal current			•		\leq 10 A
Conductor sizes				AW	G 24 -14
Stripping length					10 mm
Rigid					2.5 mm ²
Flexible without ferrules				0.75	2.5 mm ²
Flexible with ferrules with/without pl	astic sleeve				2.5 mm ²
Multi-conductor flexible with TWIN fe	rrules with plast	ic sleeve		0.5	1.5 mm ²
Opening force					50 N

()* = Factory settings

Enclosure material DIN rail mounting acc. to

Screw fixing Documentation number

Weight

Opening force

Other Operating mode

Mounting

Test opening, diameter

Degree of protection, built-in components (DIN EN 60529) Degree of protection, terminals (DIN EN 60529)

continuous operation

2 x M4 with mounting clip

cooling slots must be ventilated vertically

50 N

IP30

IP20 polycarbonate

, IEC 60715

D00308

≤ 150 g

2.1 mm

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Overvoltage category	
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Rated insulation voltage:	
IC1/IC2	400 V
Pollution degree	3
Safe isolation (reinforced insulation) be	etween:
IC1/IC2	Overvoltage category III, 600 V
Monitored IT system	
Nominal system voltage Un	DC 0400 V
Tolerance of U _n	+25 %
Environment/EMC	
EMC	IEC 61326-2-4
Ambient temperatures:	
Operation	-25…+55 ℃
Transport	-40…+85 °C
Storage	-40…+70 °C
Classification of climatic condition	s acc. to IEC 60721:
Stationary use (IEC 60721-3-3)	3K5 (except condensation and formation of ice)
Transport (IEC 60721-3-2)	2K4 (except condensation and formation of ice)
Long-term storage (IEC 60721-3-1)	1K5 (except condensation and formation of ice)
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Transport (IEC 60721-3-2)	2M4
Long-term storage (IEC 60721-3-1)	1M12

Connection	
Connection type	push-wire terminal
Nominal current	\leq 10 A
Conductor sizes	AWG 24 -14
Stripping length	10 mm
Rigid	0.22.5 mm ²
Flexible without ferrules	0.752.5 mm ²
Flexible with ferrules with/without plastic sleeve	0.252.5 mm ²
Multi-conductor flexible with TWIN ferrules with plastic sleeve	0.51.5 mm ²
Opening force	50 N
Test opening, diameter	2.1 mm

Other	
Operating mode	continuous operation
Mounting	cooling slots must be ventilated vertically
Degree of protection, built-in components (DIN	EN 60529) IP30
Degree of protection, terminals (DIN EN 60529)	IP20
Enclosure material	polycarbonate
DIN rail mounting acc. to	IEC 60715
Screw fixing	2 x M4 with mounting clip
Weight	≤ 150 g



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