

FAILURE ALARM

- *microcomputer control*
- *programming through the button*
- *panel mounting*
- *three buttons for the manual*
- *2 times of the failure detection*
- *REGISTRY OF LAST 8 FAILURES*
- *8 failure inputs*
- *8 signalling outputs*
- *1 output for the associated failure*
- *1 output for the sound alarm*

model: **MERPO 02**

Failure Alarm is a microprocessor-based system designed for processing, displaying and registering of failure messages from technological processes. It is ideal for monitoring and signalling of failure conditions in all situations, where one needs a very fast solving of problem without any special and cost means. Failure alarm contains eight voltage logical inputs and two isolated relay outputs. Nine LEDs and three buttons give optical information and serve for communications with operator. Four jumpers (J1-J4) and one button ("PROG") are used for programming of functions of failure alarm.

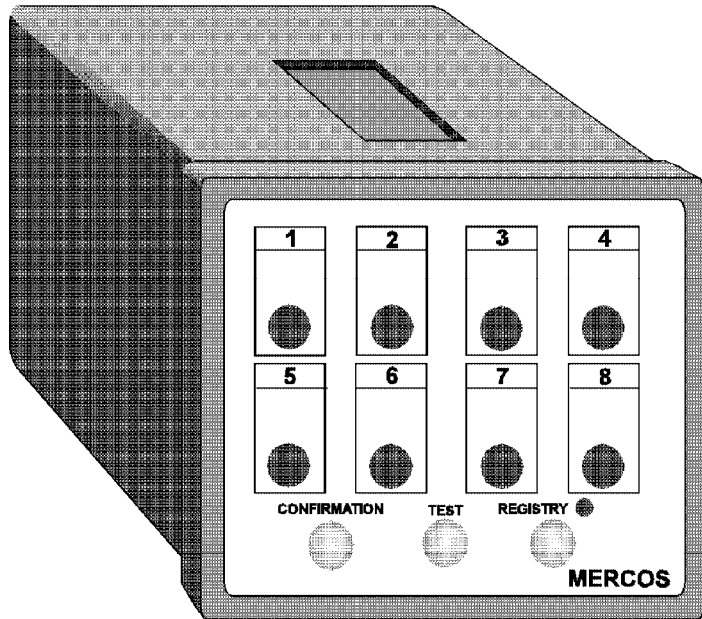
Failure Alarm features user programming of: number of inputs for the monitored failure states (8 failures or 4 failures and 4 status messages), logical value of the failure (failure signaling by normally open or normally closed contacts, types of contacts may be combined, e.g. 5 n.c. contacts, 3 n.o. ones), functions of slow or fast flashing of signalling LEDs, and function of oscillating or non-oscillating relay contact of a sound alarm.

Failure Alarm keeps **eight last** failure states in **register** after power interruption.

After recovery the conditions before power interruption are signalled.

Failure Alarm units may be parallel-connected.

The buttons "test", "confirmation" and "first failure signalling" common function.



Specifications

MERPO02 CAN NOT BE USED FOR EMERGENCY POWER-OFF OF ANY TECHNOLOGICAL PROCES OR DEVICE.

failure inputs:

- 8 monitored failures
- 4 monitored failures and 4 status messages
- detection of the first failures
- fast flashing for first failures
- slow flashing for all failures
- register of eight last failures
- selection of the failure reaction time

outputs:

- 8 outputs for signalling of the failures (LEDs)
- 1 output for an associated failure
- 1 output for the sound alarm (software realization of function of oscillating/non-oscillating relay)
- 1 output for check of operator activities

"registry" of 8 failures:

- viewing of the earliest failure
- start of viewing by one button
- displaying each failure after 2 sec

mounting dimensions:

- panel cutout: $90^{+0,5} \times 90^{+0,5}$ mm
- depth including terminals: 100 mm
- depth excluding terminals: 86 mm
- overall dimensions: 96x96x100 mm

power :

- 230 V /50Hz /5VA
- 24 V DC / 3,5 W

excitation supply:

- 24V unstab. / 50 mA/ DC



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Description of Function of Failure Alarm

After power is connected, green diode LED1 locating near buttons will to light permanently. If supply voltage is slow, LED does not light.

If supply voltage is correct, the Failure Alarm performs following functions:

Signalling of failures

Presence of a failure in some of the failure inputs will cause lighting or flashing of corresponding output LED. Simultaneously, output for sound alarm and output for associated failure are activated /it may be used for control system or emergency shutdown/.

Following situations concerning LEDs may occur:

a/ The first appearance of failure will cause fast flashing of corresponding LED. Other failures, that occur after the first failure, will cause slow flashing of corresponding LEDs. Flashing continues, until the button for confirmation of failure is pressed.

b/ Each appearance of failure will cause slow of corresponding LED. Flashing continues, until the button for confirmation of failure is pressed.

Following situations concerning sound alarm output:

a/ Presence of a failure in some of the failure inputs will cause slow oscillation of relay's contact. Oscillation of relay continues, until the button for confirmation of failure is pressed.

b/ Presence of a failure in some of the failure inputs will cause, that contact of the relay is closed and latched. Contact is closed, until the button for confirmation of failure is pressed.

FUNCTION OF ASSOCIATED FAILURE

If no failure is present, contact of associated failure is closed. In the case of activation of at least one failure input, contact of relay is open. If any one of failure does not last, contact of relay of associated failure is closed, after pressing the "confirmation" button.

Confirmation of the failure

If failure states last, all activated LEDs (slow/fast flashing) will be still after pressing the "confirmation" button. If failure states is finished, all corresponding LEDs are getting dark after pressing of the "confirmation" button. If failure occur at the moment of pressing or holding the button, corresponding LED will light. Simultaneously, after pressing the "confirmation" button, n.o. contact of relay for sound alarm will be open.

If no failure is present, contact relay of associated failure is closed after pressing the "confirmation" button.

Test of the associated failure

Test of the associated failure is possible only by simultaneous pressing three buttons ("confirmation", "test", "registry"). The reason why is safety point of view when the units are used in technological processes. Firstly one should press the "test" button and then following two buttons "confirmation" and "registry".

During pressing above mentioned triad of buttons the contact of relay for associated failure is closed.

After releasing these three buttons the primary state of Failure Alarm is recovered.

Test of signalling LEDs + test of the sound alarm

After pressing the "test" button all LEDs will light and output for sound alarm is activated. Simultaneously, information LED1 locating near buttons will start to flash fast. This state continues till the "test" button is released. Then normally conditions of Failure Alarm are recovered.

Review of failures from "registry"

After pressing the "registry" button signalling LEDs and check LED1 get dark for a moment (if they are lighting). Sound alarm output is disabled. LED1 flashes for a moment and then LEDs signalling the earliest failure begin to light. Thus, the 8 consecutive failures are displayed. If no failure is in registry, no signalling LEDs will light after flashing of LED1. If new failure state occur during review of failure registry, review is stopped and Failure Alarm displayed current conditions.

When the review of failures from registry is finished, the LED1 lights permanently. Failure Alarm then change from review mode to primary state.

If status message mode is set, 4 status LEDs are dark during review of failures from "registry".

Programming

We can simultaneously inputs and outputs. There are one "PROG" button (hidden under front panel) and 4 jumpers (J1-J4). They are intended to programming of failure alarm modes.

Failure Alarm is connected to power voltage. All outputs are set on logical level corresponding with normal state.

input:

Any input can be active in logical low level or logical high level. Any combination of inputs can be set: e.g., 3x low level in failure conditions and 5x high level failure conditions.

outputs for failure signalling:

Combination of outputs can be set using jumpers J1-J4. See chart on the next page.

a / LED corresponding to first failure flashes fast, other LEDs flash slowly

b/ LED corresponding to first failure flashes slowly, other LEDs flash slowly

c/ oscillation of relay contact for sound alarm

d/ permanent closing of relay contact for sound alarm

e/ selection of the failure reaction time /100ms or 1s/ If desired types of inputs and outputs are set, we press "PROG" button to finish programming.

Auxiliary LED1 gets dark and lights again after 2 sec.

This is the end of programming.

Failure Alarm will return to primary state and reset of failure registry will be done.

Failure Alarm specifications

parameter	value	units	note
power supply	230 VAC , 50 Hz	V , Hz	
power supply	24 VDC	V	
current consumption /excitation supply loaded by nominal current/	0,012	A	
energy input /protection on primary side -power 230 VAC	5.0 / T50mA	VA /A	slow appliance fuse
energy input/protection on primary side -power 24 VAC	3.0 / T500 mA	VA / A	slow appliance fuse
excitation supply	24VDC max.50mA	V DC/A	unstabilized for output terminals
8 failure inputs /programmable type of input/	voltageless		internal power supply 24VDC (unstab.) in unit
	voltage		external power 24 VDC
type of input - logical 0	0 - 5	V	
type of input - logical 1	11 - 24	V	
times of the failure detection - 2 times, user selectable with jumpers	1	s	
	100	ms	
number of parallel-connected failure alarms	max. 15		max cable length 20 m
number and type of relay outputs	2	-	contact
1 associated failure output max loading of output contacts	max. 230/2	V/A AC	n.o. contact
1 output for sound alarm / programmable function of oscillating/non-oscillating relay/ , max loading of output contact	max. 230/2	V/A AC	n.o. contact
design	panel mounting	-	
mechanical lifetime of output contacts	min. 2 . 10 ⁷		
electric strength	510 / 50 / 1	Vef/Hz / min.	
enclosure	IP 20	-	optional IP 65
dimensions / including terminals/	96x96x100	mm	Hx Wx D
mounting /panel cutout/	90 ^{+0.5} x 90 ^{+0.5}	mm	screw clamps
operational temperature	0 - 50	°C	
weight	0,36	kg	
connecting	terminal strip	max. cross-section of wire 2.5 mm ²	
operation mode	continuous		
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	due ČSN EN 61000-6-3		

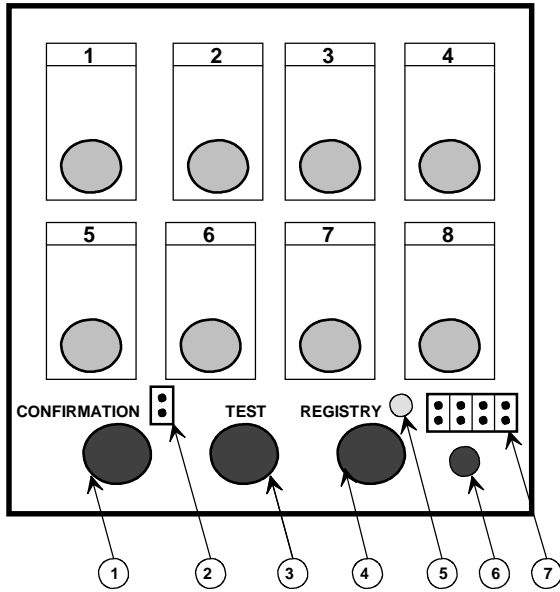
Ordering example

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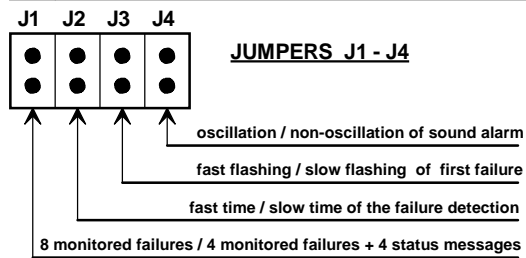
a	power	1 230 VAC, 50 Hz
		2 24 VDC
b	output 8 relays for failures	1 relayless
		2 8 outputs relays for failures

Front panel of Failure Alarm



- 1 - button "CONFIRMATION" failure
- 2 - jumper J5 / function for 8 relays of following LEDs diod:
ON - non-oscillating relay , OFF: non-oscillating relay
- 3 - button "TEST" / test of signalling LEDs + test of the sound alarm /
- 4 - button "REGISTRY" /viewing of failures /
- 5 - LED1 for check of operator activities
- 6 - button "PROG"
- 7 - jumpers J1-J5 for programming

J1	ON	8 failure inputs
	OFF	4 failure inputs + 4 status messages
J2	ON	fast time of the failure detection - 100 ms
	OFF	slow time of the failure detection - 1s
J3	ON	fast flashinf of the first failure
	OFF	slow flashing of the all failures
J4	ON	oscillation of relay contact for sound alarm
	OFF	permanent closing of relay contact for sound alarm



Example of Wiring of Failure

