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## **SD241-B (Contrac)**

### Motor temperature monitoring unit



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For monitoring of the motor temperature of Contrac control actuators in explosion-proof design

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**Complies with PTB 01 ATEX 3218**

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**Thermistor control unit for monitoring the motor temperature**

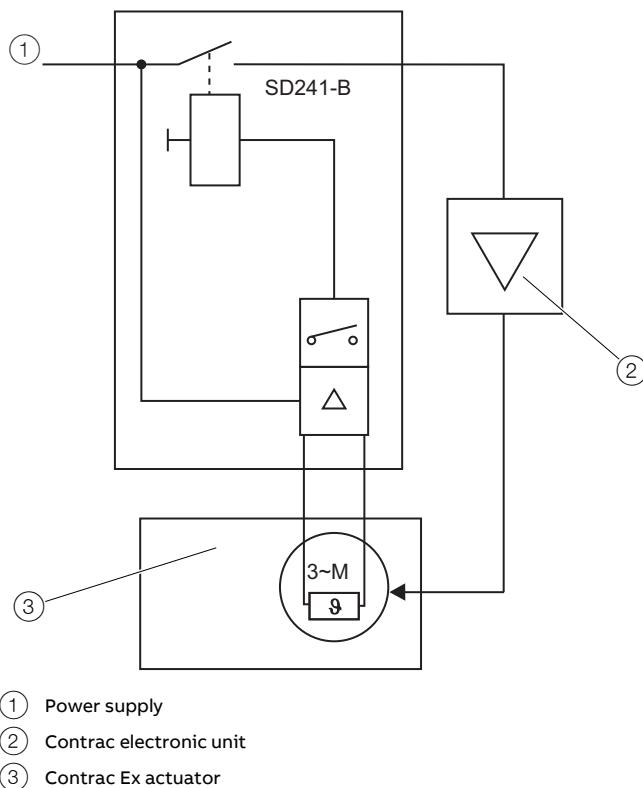
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**Integrated contactor for interrupting the power supply**

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**Plastic housing in IP rating IP 54**

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**Test button on the front**

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**Signal contact to monitor the trip function**

## Concept



The PTCs integrated in the winding are calibrated to the max. permissible temperature limit of the motor. Once the rated operating temperature is reached, the PTCs suddenly increase their resistance.

The trigger circuit in the tripping unit responds to the new resistance and switches off the contactor activated during operation. The electronic unit and the motor are disconnected from the power supply.

The SD241-B (Contrac) monitoring unit works in accordance with the closed circuit principle. It monitors itself, the PTC and the connecting cable for wire breaks. The button (Open) in the housing cover can check the tripping unit for proper operation.

In addition, a resistance equivalent to the response threshold of the tripping unit can be set in the measuring line in order to simulate the operating temperature.

After tripping, the device is reset using the internal blue reset button.

**Figure 1:** Switching concept

## Electrical connections

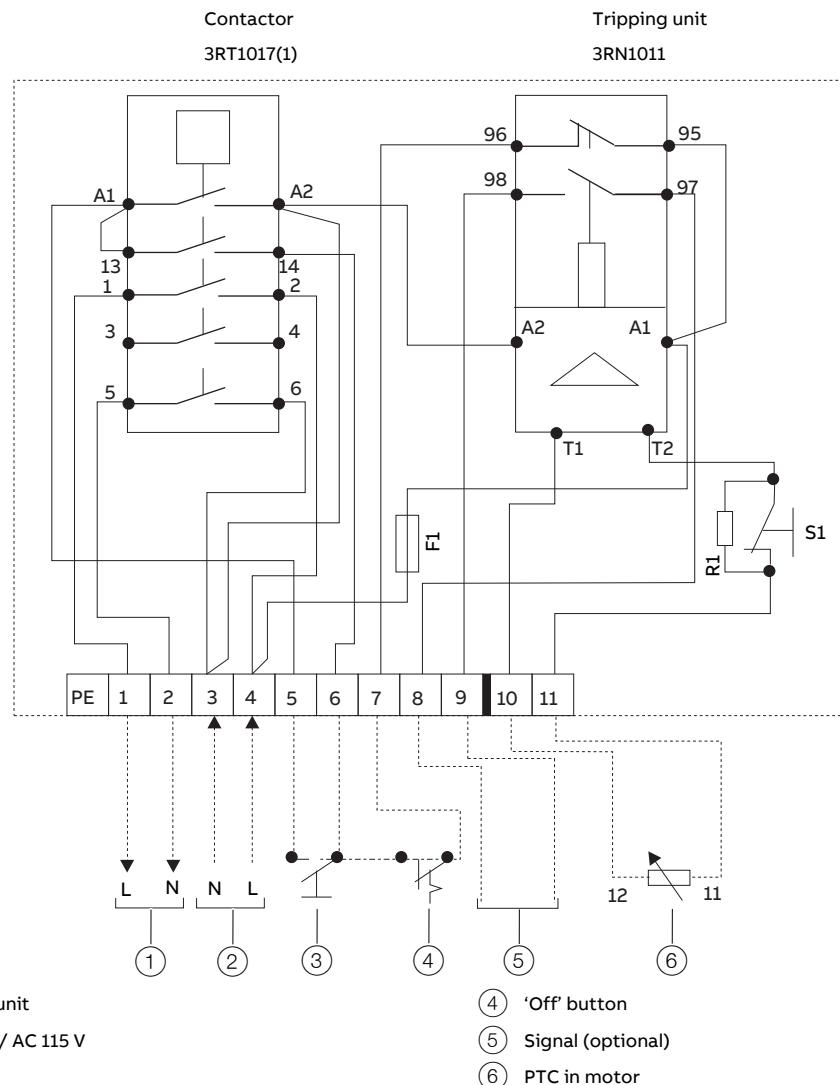


Figure 2: Circuit diagram

### Information

- The line for temperature monitoring must not be routed through the supply voltage line of the motor.
- If extreme inductive or capacitive interference is expected, use shielded signal lines.
- Prior to commissioning, test the sensor resistance using a suited measuring device.
- The cumulative cold resistance may not up-scale  $1.5\text{ k}\Omega$ .
- For resistances  $< 50\text{ }\Omega$  check for a short-circuit in the sensor circuit.
- Seal unused cable entries using suited sealing plugs.

### Line lengths in sensor circuit

Cross section	Line length
2.5 mm <sup>2</sup> (14 AWG)	2 × 2,800 m (9,185 ft)
1.5 mm <sup>2</sup> (16 AWG)	2 × 1500 m (4920 ft)
0.5 mm <sup>2</sup> (20 AWG)	2 × 500 m (1640 ft)

## Specification

SD241-B	
Line voltage / control voltage	AC 230 V (196 to 253 V) AC 115 V (94 to 121 V) depending on design; see order information / name plate
Frequency	50/60 Hz
Backup fuse	16 A; time-lag
Fuse	4 A; fast-acting
Operating temperature	-25 to 60 °C (-13 to 140 °F)
Transport and storage temperature	-25 to 70 °C (-13 to 158 °F)
Relative humidity	75 % annual average 95% of 30 days; condensation not permitted
IP rating	IP 54

## Ordering Information

RHDE / RSDE	Ordering number
Motor Temperature Monitoring Unit SD241-B	
for Contrac Ex-actuators, 230 V AC	8678007
for Contrac Ex-actuators, 115 V AC	8678052

## Dimensions

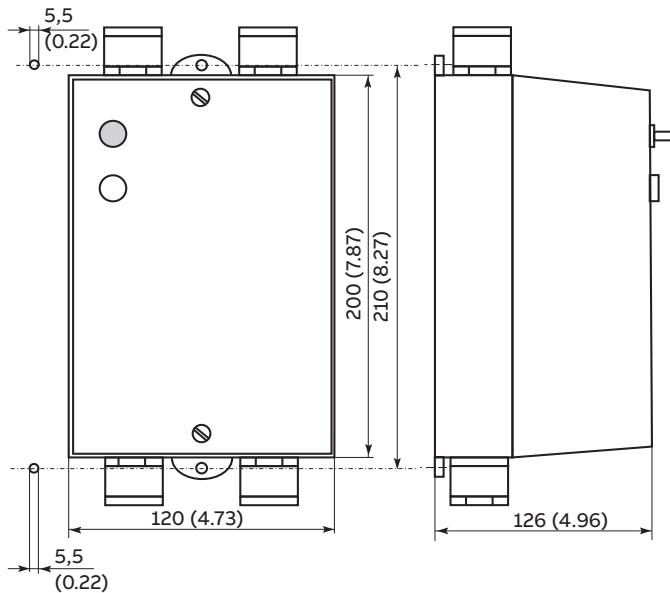


Figure 3: Dimensions in mm (in)

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## Notes





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