EGF Series Ground Fault Sensors CurrentWatch Current Sensors

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The CurrentWatch EGF Series from Eaton's electrical business is a family of ground fault (earth leakage) sensors. Ground fault sensors help protect people, products and processes from damage by ground fault conditions by monitoring all current-carrying conductors in grounded single- and three-phase delta or wye systems. The EGF Series is available with either solid-state or mechanical relay outputs.

The EGF Series with solid-state outputs offers the benefit of reliable, long-lasting solid-state switches. Solid-state design provides unlimited switch operating life, superior resistance to shock and vibration, zero off-state leakage, high switch speeds and high input-output isolation. Solid-state outputs have solid-core housings with screw terminals.

The EGF Series with mechanical relay outputs are available in solid-core housings with a choice of N.O. or N.C. SPST latching relays and a SPDT Form C relay with auto-reset. All mechanical models can be ordered with a fixed setpoint or with a "triset" option, which provides three factory-set, field-adjustable setpoints.

Approvals

■ UL Recognized

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Unless otherwise noted, the products contained in this document are not designed or intended for use in human safety applications.

Ground Fault Sensors with Solid-State or Mechanical Relay Outputs



Product Features

- Broad Range of Options to Meet Application Needs N.O. or N.C., solidstate or mechanical relays, normally energized or normally de-energized contacts
- Setpoint Options Maximize Ease-of-Use and Application Flexibility Field selectable 5, 10 or 30 mA setpoints on the EGF "Tri-set" models make user adjustments fast, sure and convenient
- Compatible with Standard Equipment Application on single- and threephases systems, ideal for use with shunt trip breakers, and magnetically isolated from monitored circuit and control power
- Agency Approved UL and CE Certified, accepted worldwide

Typical Applications

- Personnel Protection (Typically 5 mA) Detects sensitive ground fault conditions, which could cause injury to people, and functions as a sensor and alarm trigger when applied as an input to an overall ground fault protection system
- Equipment Protection (Typically 10 or 30 mA) For applications where personnel protection is not the primary concern, higher setpoint capability helps eliminate nuisance tripping while still providing adequate ground fault detection to protect machine electronics
- Regulatory Meets requirements as stipulated by governmental and industrial regulatory groups for ground fault sensing

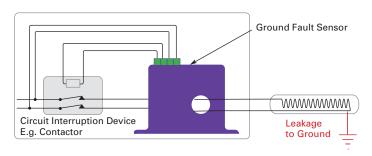
"Zero Sum" Operating Principle

In three-phase delta and wye systems, under normal conditions, current in the "hot" leg of a two-wire load is equal in magnitude but opposite in sign to the current in a neutral leg. As a result, the electromagnetic fields surrounding these two conductors cancel, producing a "zero sum current." As soon as current leaks to ground (fault condition), the two currents become imbalanced and a net magnetic field results. The CurrentWatch EGF Series sensors monitor this field and trips the contacts when the leakage rises above the setpoint.

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Example Application — CurrentWatch EGF Series

Insulation Breakdown Monitoring



Model Selection — CurrentWatch EGF Series

| | Power Supply | Setpoint | AC Solid-State Output | DC Solid-State Output | Contacts | Catalog Number | | | | |
|----------------------------|--------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------|--|--|----------------|-----------------------|
| Solid-State Output Sensors | • | • | | • | | • | | | | |
| Solid-Core Housings | 120V AC | Fixed, 50 mA | Solid-State, N.O., 1A @ 240V AC | _ | Normally Energized | EGF1NOACNE050 | | | | |
| | | | | | Normally De-energized | EGF1NOACDE050 | | | | |
| | | | Solid-State, N.C., 1A @ 240V AC | _ | Normally Energized | EGF1NCACNE050 | | | | |
| | | | | | Normally De-energized | EGF1NCACDE050 | | | | |
| F.1-10 | | | _ | Solid-State, N.O., | Normally Energized | EGF1NODCNE050 | | | | |
| | | | | 0.15A @ 30V DC | Normally De-energized | EGF1NODCDE050 | | | | |
| | | | _ | Solid-State, N.C., | Normally Energized | EGF1NCDCNE050 | | | | |
| | | | | 0.15A @ 30V DC | Normally De-energized | EGF1NCDCDE050 | | | | |
| | | Fixed, 100 mA | Solid-State, N.O., 1A @ 240V AC | _ | Normally Energized | EGF1NOACNE100 | | | | |
| | | | | | Normally De-energized | EGF1NOACDE100 | | | | |
| | | | Solid-State, N.C., 1A @ 240V AC | _ | Normally Energized | EGF1NCACNE100 | | | | |
| | | | | | Normally De-energized | EGF1NCACDE100 | | | | |
| | | | _ | Solid-State, N.O., 0.15A @ 30V DC | Normally Energized | EGF1NODCNE100 | | | | |
| | | | | | Normally De-energized | EGF1NODCDE100 | | | | |
| | | | _ | Solid-State, N.C., 0.15A @ 30V DC | Normally Energized | EGF1NCDCNE100 | | | | |
| | | | | | Normally De-energized | EGF1NCDCDE100 | | | | |
| | | Tri-Set Adjustable, 5, 10 or 30 mA | Solid-State, N.O., 1A @ 240V AC | _ | Normally Energized | EGF3NOACNET3 | | | | |
| | | | | | Normally De-energized EGF3N | EGF3NOACDET3 | | | | |
| | | | Solid-State, N.C., 1A @ 240V AC | | Normally Energized | EGF3NCACNET3 | | | | |
| | | | | | Normally De-energized | EGF3NCACDET3 | | | | |
| | | | _ | Solid-State, N.O., | Normally Energized | EGF3NODCNET3 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 0.15A @ 30V DC | Normally De-energized |
| | | | _ | Solid-State, N.C., | Normally Energized | EGF3NCDCNET3 | | | | |
| | | | | 0.15A @ 30V DC | Normally De-energized | EGF3NCDCDET3 | | | | |

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Model Selection — CurrentWatch EGF Series (Continued)

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| | Power Supply | Setpoint | Mechanical Relay Output | Contacts | Catalog Number | |
|-------------------------------|--------------|---------------------------------------|--|--|----------------|-------------|
| Mechanical Relay Output Senso | rs | | | | | |
| Solid-Core Housings | 120V AC | Fixed, 50 mA | Mechanical Relay, N.O. SPST Relay, Form A (1A @ 120V AC) | Latching Relay | EGF1NOLA050 | |
| | | | Mechanical Relay, N.C. SPST Rela (1A @ 120V AC) | Mechanical Relay, N.C. SPST Relay, Form B (1A @ 120V AC) | Latching Relay | EGF1NCLA050 |
| | | | Mechanical Relay, SPDT Form C, Auto-Reset (1A @ 120V AC) | Normally Energized | EGF1SPDTNE050 | |
| | | | | Normally De-energized | EGF1SPDTDE050 | |
| | | Fixed, 100 mA | Mechanical Relay, N.O. SPST Relay, Form A (1A @ 120V AC) | Latching Relay | EGF1NOLA100 | |
| | | | Mechanical Relay, N.C. SPST Relay, Form B (1A @ 120V AC) | Latching Relay | EGF1NCLA100 | |
| | | | Mechanical Relay, SPDT Form C, Auto-Reset | Normally Energized | EGF1SPDTNE100 | |
| | | | (1A @ 120V AC) | Normally De-energized | EGF1SPDTDE100 | |
| | | Tri-set Adjustable, 5, 10 or 30 mA | Mechanical Relay, N.O. SPST Relay, Form A (1A @ 120V AC) | Latching Relay | EGF1NOLAT3 | |
| | | | Mechanical Relay, N.C. SPST Relay, Form B (1A @ 120V AC) | Latching Relay | EGF1NCLAT3 | |
| | | | Mechanical Relay, SPDT Form C, Auto-Reset (1A @ 120V AC) | Normally Energized | EGF1SPDTNET3 | |
| | | | | Normally De-energized | EGF1SPDTDET3 | |
| | 24V AC/DC | Fixed, 50 mA | Mechanical Relay, N.O. SPST Relay, Form A (2A @ 30V DC) | Latching Relay | EGF2NOLA050 | |
| | | | Mechanical Relay, N.C. SPST Relay, Form B (2A @ 30V DC) | Latching Relay | EGF2NCLA050 | |
| | | | Mechanical Relay, SPDT Form C, Auto-Reset (2A @ 30V DC) | Normally Energized | EGF2SPDTNE050 | |
| | | | | Normally De-energized | EGF2SPDTDE050 | |
| | | Fixed, 100 mA | Mechanical Relay, N.O. SPST Relay, Form A (2A @ 30V DC) | Latching Relay | EGF2NOLA100 | |
| | | | Mechanical Relay, N.C. SPST Relay, Form B (2A @ 30V DC) | Latching Relay | EGF2NCLA100 | |
| | | | Mechanical Relay, SPDT Form C, Auto-Reset (2A @ 30V DC) | Normally Energized | EGF2SPDTNE100 | |
| | | | | Normally De-energized | EGF2SPDTDE100 | |
| | | Tri-set Adjustable, 5, 10 or 30 mA | Mechanical Relay, N.O. SPST Relay, Form A (2A @ 30V DC) | Latching Relay | EGF2NOLAT3 | |
| | | | Mechanical Relay, N.C. SPST Relay, Form B (2A @ 30V DC) | Latching Relay | EGF2NCLAT3 | |
| | | | Mechanical Relay, SPDT Form C, Auto-Reset (2A @ 30V DC) | Normally Energized | EGF2SPDTNET3 | |
| | | | | Normally De-energized | EGF2SPDTDET3 | |

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Accessories — CurrentWatch EGF Series

| Description | Catalog Number |
|---|----------------|
| DIN Rail Mounting Kit (Sensor pictured for reference and not included in kit) | EDINKIT |

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Output Table — CurrentWatch EGF Series

Normally Energized Models

Protection from faults and control power loss.

| | | Control Power Applied | |
|------------------------|----------|-----------------------|--------|
| | No Power | No Fault | Fault |
| Normally Open Models | Open | Closed | Open |
| Normally Closed Models | Closed | Open | Closed |

Normally De-energized Models

Protection from faults only when power is applied.

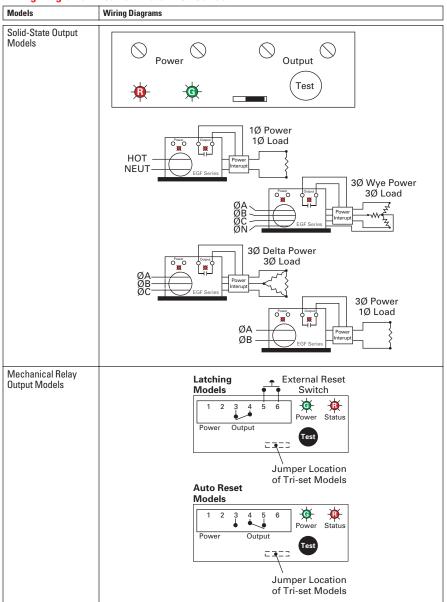
| | | Control Power Applied | |
|------------------------|----------|-----------------------|--------|
| | No Power | No Fault | Fault |
| Normally Open Models | Open | Open | Closed |
| Normally Closed Models | Closed | Closed | Open |

Latching (Mechanical Relay Output) Models

Latching models power up initially in the rest (normal) mode. If there is a fault condition or the test button is pushed, the output contacts will change state and latch. The output will remain latched regardless of whether the fault is cleared or control power is removed. To reset the output, apply a momentary contact across "reset" terminals.

Wiring Diagrams — CurrentWatch EGF Series

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Specifications — **CurrentWatch EGF Series**

| Description | Solid-State Output Models | Mechanical Relay Output Models | |
|--|---|--|--|
| Power Supply | 120V AC (55 – 110% of nominal voltage) 24V AC/DC (± 20%) | | |
| Output Contact Type | Isolated Dry Contact | Mechanical Relay | |
| Output Rating (Switching Current and Switching Voltage) | AC Output Switching Models: 1A @ 240V AC DC Output Switching Models: 0.15A @ 30V DC | Auto Reset Models: SPDT Relay 1A @ 120V AC 2A @ 30V DC Latching Models: SPST Relay 1A @ 120V AC 2A @ 30V DC | |
| Off-State Leakage | N.O. Models: < 10 μA N.C. Models: < 2.5 mA | None | |
| Response Time | 200 ms @ 5% above trip point 60 ms @ 50% above trip point 15 ms @ 500% above trip point | | |
| Frequency Range | 50 – 400 Hz (monitored circuit) | | |
| Loading | 2 VA max. | | |
| Isolation Voltage | 5,000V AC (tested) | | |
| Sensing Aperture | 0.74 in. (19 mm) dia. | | |
| LED Indicator | Green LED for Power On Status; Red LED for Contact Status | | |
| Housing | UL94 V0 Flammability Rated | | |
| Environmental | Operating Temperature: -4 to 122°F (-20 to 50°C) Humidity: 0 – 95% RH, Non-condensing | | |
| Approvals | UL 1053, Class 1 Recognized, CE | | |

Approximate Dimensions — CurrentWatch EGF Series

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