

# **Data Sheet**

90° Moving Coil Rectifier Meter















## **Application**

The moving coil, rectifier meters, VQ48/72/96/144 housed in moulded polycarbonate cases are suitable for the measurement of AC currents and voltages.

Moving coil rectifier instruments measure average values & are calibrated to indicate RMS values, assuming a sinusoidal waveform for frequencies from 40 to 10000 Hz (AC current 40 to 1000 Hz and for AC voltage 40 to 10000 Hz)

These instruments offer several advantages in switchboards and Generating Set Panels. Number of meters can be mounted in a single Cut out (Mosaic mounting). Front glass, Bezel & Dial can be easily replaced.

### **Features**

- Less VA burden.
- Linear scale.
- Fully range indication.
- Glass filled polycarbonate housing (UL 94-V-0).
- Knife edge pointer.
- Easily replaceble glass and bezel.
- Easy installation with swivel screws.

### **Movement**

Moving coil movement has pivots of very high hardness. Movement is suspended between spring loaded saphire jewels. Movement is properly shielded & critically damped by eddy currents induced in coil former.

# **Specifications**

### Scale and Pointer

Pointer Knife - edge pointer

Pointer deflection 0...90 Scale characteristics linear\*1 Scale division Coarse - fine

VQ72 VQ96 VQ144 Scale length VQ 48 41 mm 61mm 97mm 146 mm

Scale Interchangeability Interchangeable\*

### **Mechanical Data**

Case details Moulded square case suitable for

mounting in Control / Switchgear panels,

Machinery consoles. Case material

Glass filled polycarbonate flame retardanr and drip proof as per UL 94 V-0.

Front facia Glass Colour of be zel Black Position of use Vertical

Panel fixing Swivel screws

Mounting Stackable in a single cutout

≤ 25 mm Panel thickness

Terminals

Voltmeters and Hexagon studs, M4 screws and wire clamps E3 (DIN 46282) ammeters <6A

Ammeters ≤6A Threaded studs M6 with nuts

#### **Electrical Data**

Measured quantity DC voltage or current Overload capacity (acc. to IS: 1248 / IEC 51) Continuously 1.2 times rated voltage / current

Short duration:

2 times for 5 sec: 1 overload Voltmeters

2 times for 0.5 sec: 9 overloads

10 times for 5 sec: 1 overload Ammeters

10 times for 0.5 sec: 9 overloads

IP 52 case Enclosures code

(IEC 529) IP 00 for terminals without backcover

IP 20 for terminals with backcover Group A according to VDE 0110

**VQ 48** VQ 72/96/144

Rated insulation voltage 660 V 1000V Proof voltage 2k\/ 2k\/

300V CAT III Installation category 300V CAT III

Insulation resistance > 50 Mohm at 500 V d.c.

#### **Accuracy at Reference Conditions**

Accuracy class 1.5 according to IS: 1248

(IEC 51/ DIN EN 60051)

Reference conditions Ambient temperature

Insulation class

Nominal position ± 1° Position of use

Input Rated value of measured quantity Other conditions IS: 1248 (IEC 51/ DIN EN 60051)

23°C ± 2°C

Nominal range of use

Ambient temperature 0...50 °C Vertical ± 5° Position of use External magnetic field At 0.4 kA/m

#### **Environmental Conditions**

Climatic suitability Climate category II as per IS: 1248

(climatic class 3 according to

VDE/VDI 3540)

0... + 50°C Operating temperature Storage temperature - 25... + 65°C

≤75% annual average, non-condensing Relative humidity

Shock resistance 15g, 11ms

Vibration resistance 10-55-10 Hz / 0.15mm 1.5 g<sub>a</sub>at about 50 Hz.

# **Standard Measuring Ranges**

A. C. Current		A. C. Voltage		
Rated Value	Approx Voltage drop	Rated value	Sensitivity (?10%)	
1 mA	2.4 V	40 V *3	900 ohm/ V	
1.5 mA	1.4 V	60 V *4	900 ohm/ V	
2.5 mA	1.4 V	100 V	900 ohm/ V	
4 mA	1.4 V	150 V	900 ohm/ V	
6 mA	1.4 V	250 V	900 ohm/ V	
10 mA	1.4 V	400 V	900 ohm/ V	
15 mA	1.7 V	500 V	900 ohm/ V	
25 mA	1.7 V	600 V	900 ohm/ V	
40 mA	1.7 V			
60 mA	1.7 V			
100 mA	1.7 V			
150 mA	1.33V			
250 mA	0.80V			
400 mA	0.50V			
600 mA	0.33V			
750 mA	0.27V			
1A *1	0.20V			
1.5A *1	0.14V			
2.5A *1	0.80V			
4A *1	0.50∨			
5A *1	0.40V			
6A *2	0.03V			
10A *2	0.02V			

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<sup>\*1</sup> Possible in 72 and above size

<sup>\*2</sup> Possible in 96 and above size

<sup>\*3</sup> Accuracy class 5 \*4 Accuracy class 2.5

### **Options**

Case

Front facia Colour of bezel Red index pointer

Position of use Accuracy class

Antiglare glass

Red, Yellow, Blue, White. Front adjustable on site on request 0° .... 180°

Dial

Blank dial Special markings With initial and endvalues marked. Numbering / Lettering. Basic divisions without numbering.

Division dials Colour markings/bands

Red or green

others

**Others** 

Increased sensitivity Adjustment of Resistance 4 k ohm/V forvoltmeters 1...600V Within 1% at 23°C

IS 2419

DIN 43700

DIN 43802 IS 1248, IEC51

**DIN 43807** 

DIN 46282 IS 9249

DIN

IS 1248

DIN 43701

UL 94 V-0

: DIN 43701

40050/8-70,

VDE 0110/ 11-72 VDE 0410/10-76 IEC 529, IEC 1010

IEC51/DINEN60051

IS 1248, IEC51 IS: 9000, Part 5, 7, 8, VDE / VDI 3540 DIN 43718

IS 1248, IEC51

(Sensitivity)

**Applicable Standards** 

Nominal case and cutout dimensions for indicating Electrical instruments

Scale and pointer for electrical measuring: instruments

Connections and Terminal markings for

panel meters

Terminal bolts / leads. DIN 46200/46282

Clamp straps for connections

Safety requirements and protecti ve measures for Electrical indicating.

instruments and their accessories.

Performance specification for direct

acting indicating analogue electrical measuring instruments and their accessories

Environmental conditions

Front frames for indicating measuring instruments Principle dimensions

**UL Combustibility Class** Technical conditions of deli very for

electrical instruments

Mechanical strength (Free fall test,

vibration test)

IS 1248, IEC 51 IS 9000 VDE 0411, part 1, Sec. 43/44, IEC 1010

### **Accessories**

#### **Safety Terminal Protection**

Full sized polycarbonate back cover to provide protection against accidental contact (hand and fingers) acc to IS 9249, VDE 0410.

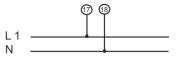
# Safety Precautions

- · Instruments with damaged bezels or window glasses must be disconnected from mains.
- · Adequate safety clearance must be maintained to control panel fasteners and to sheet metal housing, if non - insulated connector wires are used.
- The back cover must be snapped into place after the connector wires have been clamped for protection against accidental contact.

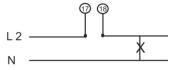
- · Scales should be replaced under Voltage- free conditions.
- · Be zels and window glasses should be replaced under Voltage - free conditions.

### **Connections**

AC voltage

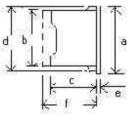


AC current



### **Dimensions**

For Voltmeters & ammeters upto 10 A



Dimensions (in mm)		VQ 48	VQ 72	VQ 96	VQ 144
C	o c ×	48 43.5 53 44.5 5.5	72 66 53 67.5 5.5	96 90 53 91.5 5.5	144 136 53 137.5 5.5 +1
Cotout Size		45+0.6	68 +0.7	92 +0.8	138
Depth with Back cover f	f ××	64	64	64	64
Weight (approx.)		0.2 kg.	0.25 kg.	0.3 kg.	0.58 kg.

# **Ordering Information**

Type V Q	Moving coil with rectifier panel meter		
Front dimension	48 48mm x 48mm 7272 mm x 72 mm 9696 mm x 96 mm 144 144mm x 144mm		
Measuring ranges	refer to table inside		
Front facia	Normal glass <sup>-1</sup> , PC glass <sup>-3</sup> Antiglare glass <sup>-3</sup>		
Colour of bezel	Black *1 Red,Blue,Yellow,White *3		
Position of use	Vertical <sup>11</sup> on request 0180 <sup>0</sup> <sup>13</sup>		
Terminal protection	Full sized polycarbonate back cover		
Increased sensiti vity	4 kohm/V for voltmeters 1600 V <sup>-3</sup>		
Adjustment Resistance (Sensiti vity)	Within ± 1 % at 23°C <sup>3</sup>		
Dial	Standard scale same as measuring range *1. Blank dial with division *3 Additional lettering on request *3 Additional numbering on request *3 Coloured marking red or green *3 Coloured sector red or green *3		
Logo	RISHABH <sup>*1</sup> Others <sup>*3</sup>		

<sup>\*1</sup> standard

# **Ordering example**

VQ 72 measuring range 0 ... 100mA,dial with 0...100 $^{\circ}$ C, red mark at 37 $^{\circ}$ C.

Specifications are subjects to change without notice (03/18)

<sup>\*3</sup> Please clearly add the desired specification while ordering





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