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Connection
Handling
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Safety regulations:

Please read the following information carefully before installing and operating the controller. In this way damage to the solar system by wrong installation will be avoided. Please observe that the mounting is adapted to the characteristics of the building, that the local regulations are respected and is conform with the technical rules.

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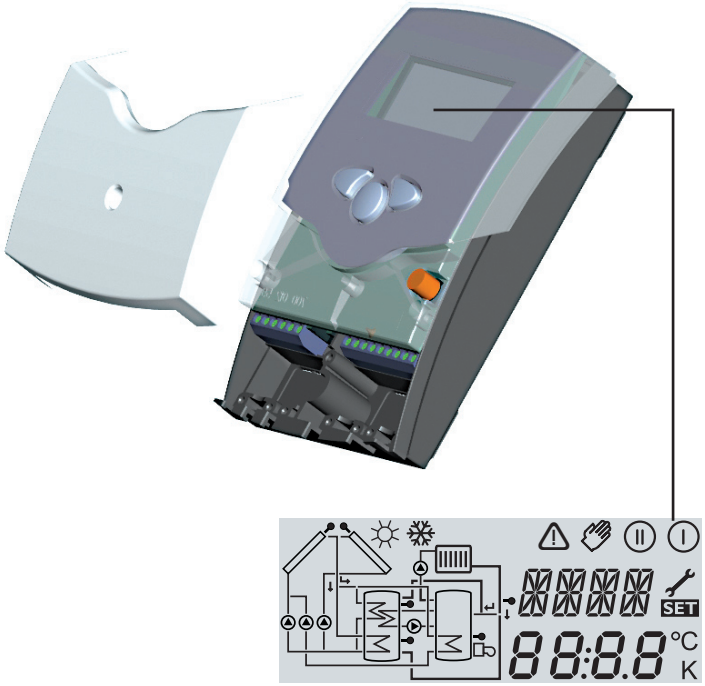
- **system-monitoring-display**
- **up to 4 temperature sensors Pt1000**
- **heat balancing**
- **function control**
- **user-friendly operation by simple handling**
- **solar operating hours counter**

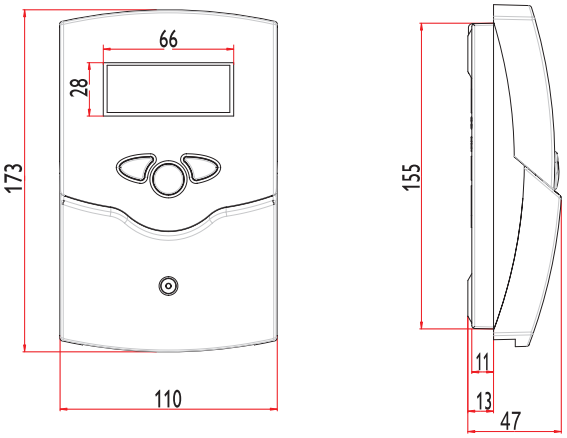


Scope of delivery:

1 x DeltaSol® BS

1 x accessory bag
- 1 x spare fuse T4A
- 2 x screws and dowels
- 4 x strain relief and screws

Additionally enclosed in the full kit:
- 1 x sensor FKP6
- 1 x sensor FRP6



Technical data

Housing:
plastic, PC-ABS and PMMA

Protection type: IP 20 / DIN 40050

Environmental temp.: 32 ... 104 °F

Size: 172 x 110 x 46 mm

Mounting: wall mounting, mounting into patch-panels is possible

Display: System screen for systems visualisation, 16-segment display, 7-segment display, 8 symbols for system status and operating control lamp

Operation: by 3 pushbuttons in the front of the housing

Functions: Temperature differential controller with optional add-on system funtcions. Function control according to BAW-guidelines, operating hours counter for solar pump, tube collector special function, as well as heat quantity balancing.

Inputs: for 4 temperature sensors Pt1000

Outputs: 1 electromechanical relay

Power supply:
115 V~

Total power supply:
2 (1) A 115 V~

Mode of operation:
Typ 1.b

Breaking capacity per relay:
electromechanical relay:
2 (1) A 115 V~

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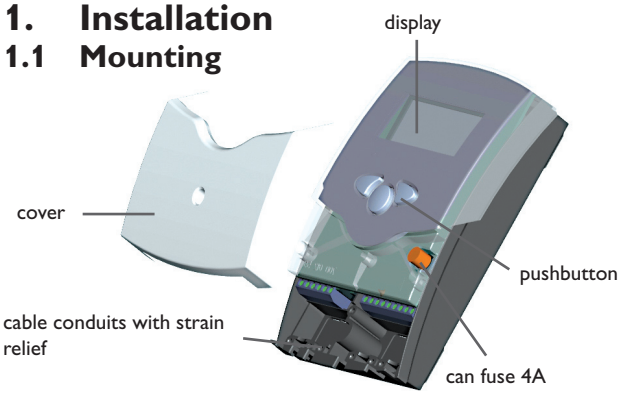
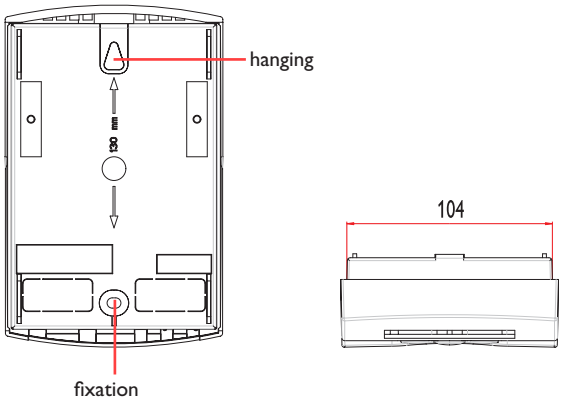
1. Installation

1.1 Mounting



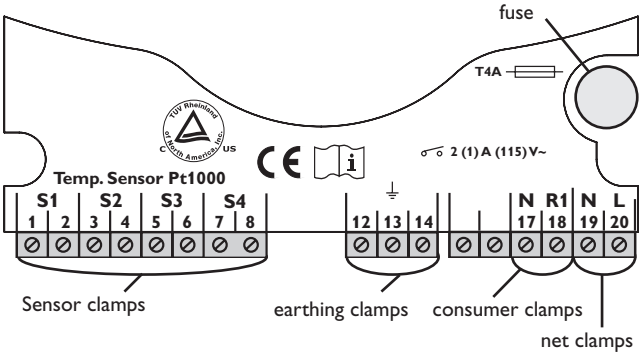


Warning!
Switch-off power supply before opening the housing.

The unit must only be located indoors. It is not suitable for installation in hazardous locations and should not be sited near to any electromagnetic field. The controller must additionally be equipped with an all-polar gap of at least 3 mm or with a gap according to the valid installaton regulations, e.g. LS-switches or fuses. Please pay attention to a separate laying of the cable lines and installation of ac power supply.

1. Unscrew the cross-recessed screw of the cover and remove it from the housing.
2. Mark the upper fastening point on the wall and premount the enclosed dowel and screw.
3. Hang up the housing at the upper fastening point and mark the lower fastening point on the underground (hole pitch 130 mm), afterwards put the lower dowel.
4. Fasten the housing at the underground.

1.2 Electrical wiring



The power supply to the controller must only be made by an external power supply switch (last step of installation!) and the line voltage must be 115 Volt (50...60 Hz). Flexible lines are to be fixed at the housing by enclosed strain relief supports and screws.

Depending on the version the controller is equipped with 1 relay to which the **consumers** e.g. pumps, valves etc. can be connected:

- Relay 1
  18 = conductor R1
  17 = neutral conductor N
  13 = ground clamp ⏚

The **temperature sensors** (S1 up to S4) will be connected to the following terminals independently of the polarity:

1 / 2 = Sensor 1 (e.g. Sensor collector 1)
3 / 4 = Sensor 2 (e.g. Sensor tank 1)
5 / 6 = Sensor 3 (e.g. Sensor TSPU)
7 / 8 = Sensor 4 (e.g. Sensor TRF)

The **power supply** is effected to the clamps:

19 = neutral conductor N
20 = conductor L
12 = ground clamp ⏚

Electrostatic discharge can lead to damages of electronic components!

Dangerous voltage on contact!

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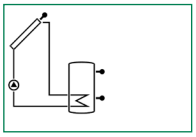
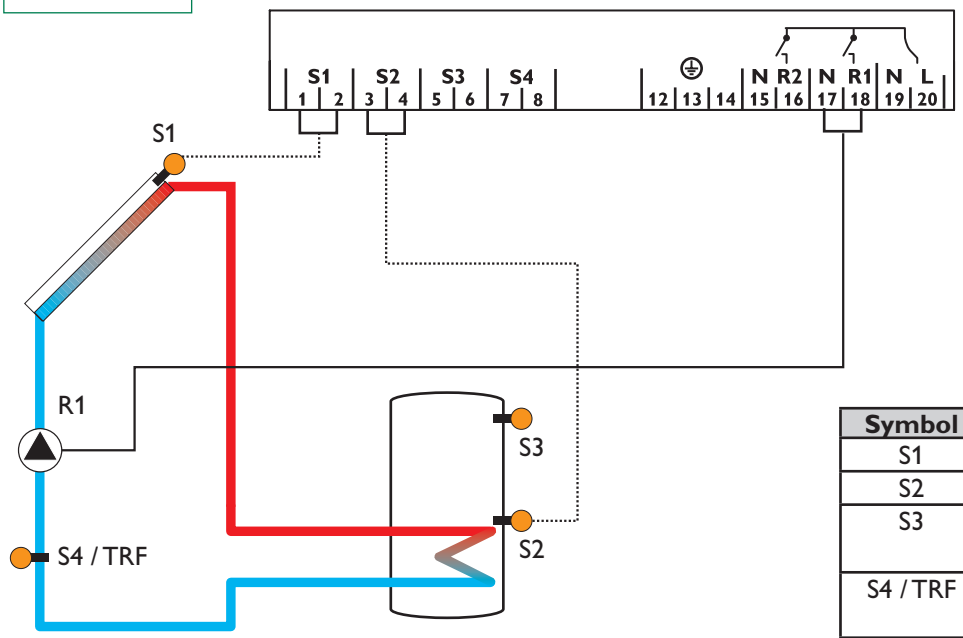
1.2.1 Allocation of clamps for system 1



Standard solar system with 1 tank, 1 pump and 3 sensors. The sensor S4 / TRF can optionally be used for heat quantity balancing.



Symbol	Specification
S1	Collector sensor
S2	Tank sensor below
S3	Tank sensor at the top (optionally)
S4 / TRF	Sensor for heat quantity measurement (optionally)
R1	Solar pump

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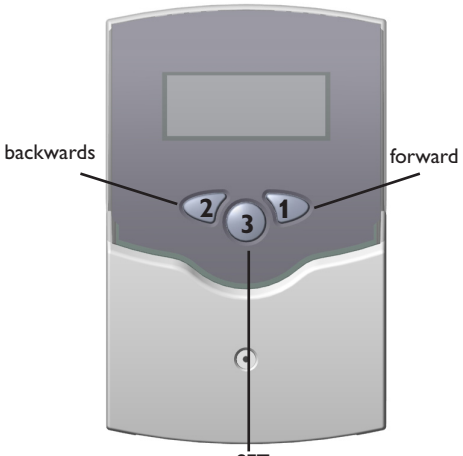
2. Operation and function

2.1 Pushbuttons for adjustment

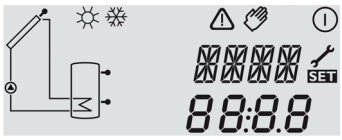


The controller is operated by 3 pushbuttons below the display. The forward-key (1) is used for scrolling forward through the indication menu or to increase the adjustment values. The backwards-key (2) is accordingly used for the reverse function.

For adjustment of last indication channel, keep button 1 pressed for 2 seconds. If an **adjustment value** is shown on the display, **SEt** is indicated. In this case you can press the key „Set“ (3) in order to change into input mode.

Select a channel by keys 1 and 2
Shortly press key 3, so that „SEt“ flashes
Adjust the value by keys 1 and 2
Shortly press key 3, so that „SEt“ permanently appears, the adjusted value is now saved.

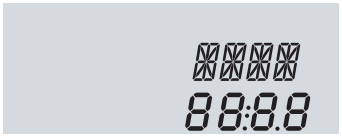
2.2 System monitoring display



Complete Monitoring-Display

The system monitoring display consists of 3 blocks: **indication of the channel, tool bar** and **system screen** (active system scheme).

2.2.1 Channel indication



only channel indication

The **indication channel** consists of two lines. The upper line is an alphanumeric 16-segment indication in which mainly the channel names / menu items are shown. In the lower 7-segment indication, the channel values and the adjustment parameters are indicated.
Temperatures and temperature differences are indicated in **°F / °C** or **Ra / K**.

2.2.2 Tool bar

only tool bar

The additional symbols of the **tool bar** indicate the current system status.

Symbol	standard	flashing
⏻	relay 1 active	
☼	maximum tank limitation active / maximum tank temperature exceeded	collector cooling function or reccoling function active
❄	antifreeze- function activated	collector minimum limitation or antifreeze function active
⚠		collector security shutdown or tank securtiy shutdown active
⚠ + 🔧		sensor defect
⚠ + ✋		manual operation active
SET		an adjustment channel is changed SET-mode

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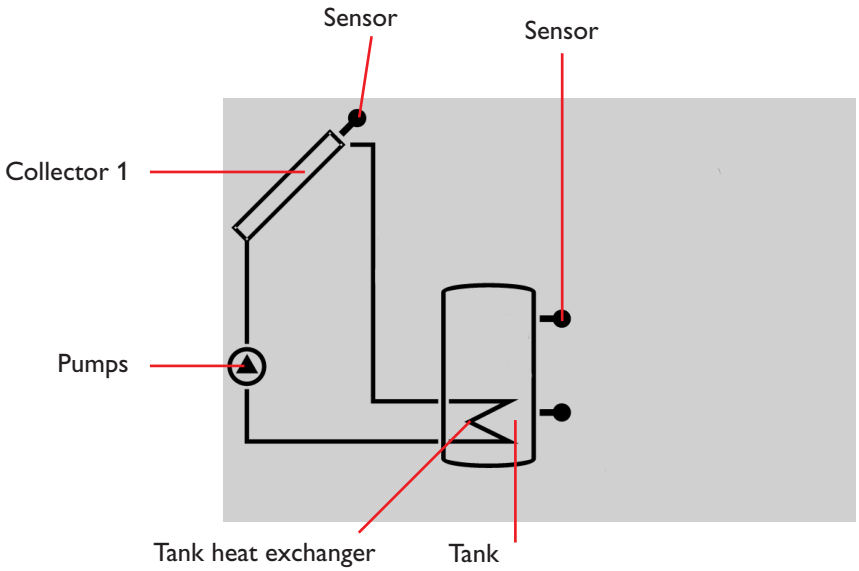
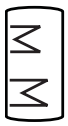
2.2.3 System screen

only system screen

The system screen (active system scheme) shows the schemes selected on the controller. It consists of several system component symbols, which are - depending on the current status of the system - either flashing, permanently shown or hidden.



Collector
with collector sensor



Tank 1
with heat exchanger

Temperature sensor

Pump

2.3 Blinking codes

2.3.1 System screen blinking codes

- Pumps are blinking during starting phase
- Sensors are blinking if the respective sensor-indication channel is selected.
- Sensors are quickly blinking in case of sensor defect.
- Burner symbol is blinking if after-heating is activated.

2.3.2 LED blinking codes

Constantly green:	everything all right
Red/green blinking:	initialisation phase manual operation
Red blinking:	sensor defect (sensor symbol is quickly blinking)

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3. Controller parameter and indication channels

3.1 Channel-overview

Legend:

x*

Corresponding channel is available if the appropriate option is activated.

Please note:
S3 and S4 are only indicated if sensors are connected.

①

Corresponding channel is only available if the option heat quantity measurement is **activated** (OWMZ).

②

Corresponding channel is only available if the option heat quantity measurement is **deactivated** (OWMZ).

MEDT

The channel antifreeze content (MED%) is only shown if a medium other than **water or Tyfocor LS / G-LS (MEDT 0 or 3)** is used. The adjustment is only appropriate when using other types of antifreeze.

channel		specification	page
COL	x	Temperature collector 1	9
TST	x	Temperature tank 1	9
S3	x	Temperature sensor 3	9
TRF	①	Temperature return sensor	9
S4	②	Temperature sensor 4	9
h P	x	Operating hours relay 1	9
kWh	①	Heat quantity kWh	10
MWh	①	Heat quantity MWh	10
DT O	x	Switch-on temperature difference	10
DT F	x	Switch-off temperature difference	10
S MX	x	Maximum temperature tank 1	11
EM	x	emergency temperature collector 1	11

channel		specification	page
OCN	x	Option minimum limitation collector 1	11
CMN	x*	Minimun temperature collector 1	11
OCF	x	Option antifreeze collector 1	11
CFR	x*	Antifreeze temperature collector 1	11
OREC	x	Option reccoling	12
O TC	x	Option tube collector	12
OHQM	x	Option WMZ	12
FMAX	①	Maximum flow	10
MEDT	①	Antifreeze type	10
MED%	MEDT	Antifreeze content	10
HND	x	Manual operation relay 1	12
LANG	x	Language	12
UNIT	x	Change over °FAH / °CEL	12
PROG	XX.XX	Program number	
VERS	X.XX	Version number	

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3.1.1 Indicataion of collector temperatures

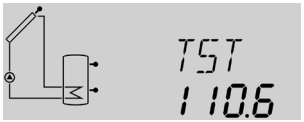
COL:
Collector temperature
display range: -40...+482 °F

Shows the current collector temperature.

- COL : collector temperature (1-collector-system)

3.1.2 Indication of tank temperatures

TST:
Tank temperatures
Display range: -40...+482 °F

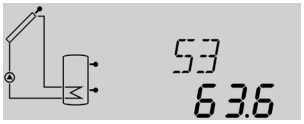


Shows the current tank temperature.

- TST : tank temperature (1-tank-system)

3.1.3 Indication of sensor 3 and sensor 4

S3, S4:
Sensor temperatures
Display range: -40...+482 °F



Shows the current temperature of the corresponding additional sensor (without control function).

- S3 : temperature sensor 3
- S4 : temperature sensor 4

Please note:
S3 and S4 are only indicated if the temperature sensors are connected (shown).

3.1.4 Indication of other temperatures

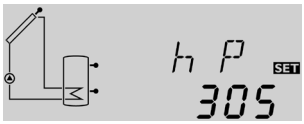
TRF:
other measured temperatures
Display range: -40...+482 °F

Shows the current temperature of the sensor.

- TRF : temperature return flow

3.1.5 Operating hours counter

h P:
Operating hours counter
Display channel



The operating hours counter adds up the solar operating hours of the respective relay (**h P**). Full hours are shown on the display.

The operating hours added up can be reset. As soon as one operating hours channel is selected, the symbol SET in permanently shown on the display. The button SET (3) must pressed for approx. 2 seconds in order to get back into the RESET-mode of the counter. The display-symbol SET is flashing and the operating hours will be set to 0. In order to finish the RESET-procedure, the button SET must be pressed in order to confirm.

In order to interrupt the RESET-procedure, no button should be pressed for about 5 seconds. The controller returns automatically into the indicaton mode.

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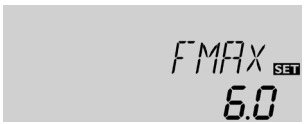
3.1.6 Heat quantity balancing

OHQM:Heat quantity balancing
Adjustment range: OFF ...ON
Factory setting: OFF

FMAX:
Volume flow in l/min
Adjustment range 0 ... 20
in steps of 0,1
Factory setting 6,0



A heat quantity balancing is possible for all systems in conjunction with a flowmeter. You just have to activate the option heat quantity balancing in the channel **OHQM**.

The volume flow readable at the flowmeter (l/min) must be adjusted in the channel **FMAX**. Antifreeze type and concentration of the heat transfer medium are indicated on the channels **MEDT** and **MED%.**

MEDT: Type of antifreeze
Adjustment range 0 ... 3
Factory setting 1

Type of antifreeze:
0 : water
1 : propylene glycol
2 : ethylene glycol
3 : Tyfocor® LS / G-LS

MED%: Concentration of antifreeze in (Vol-) %
MED% is blinded out by MEDT 0 and 3.
Adjustment range 20 ... 70
Factory setting 45

kWh/MWh:Heat quantity in kWh / MWh
Display channel

The heat quantity transported is measured by the indication of the volume flow and the reference sensor of feed flow S1 and return flow S4. It is shown in kWh-parts in the indication channel **kWh** and in MWh-parts in the indication channel **MWh**. The sum of both channels form the total heat output.

The heat quantity added up can be reset. As soon as one of the display channels of the heat quantity is selected, the symbol **SET** is permanently shown on the display. The button SET (3) must be pressed for approx. 2 seconds in order to get back into the RESET-mode of the counter. The display-symbol **SET** is flashing and the value for heat quantity will be set to 0. In order to finish the RESET-procedure, the button **SET** must be pressed for confirmation.

In order to interrupt the RESET-procedure, no button should be pressed for about 5 seconds. The controller returns automatically into indication mode.

3.1.7 ΔT-regulation

DT O:
Switch-on temperature
Adjustment range
2,0 ... 40,0 °Ra
Factory setting 12.0

DT F:
Switch-off temperature diff.
Adjustment range
1,0 ... 38 °Ra
Factory setting 8.0 °Ra

Please note: Switch-on temperature difference DO must be at least 2 °Ra higher than the switch-off temperature-difference DF.

Primarily the controller works in the same way as a standard differential controller. If the switch-on difference (**DT O**) is reached, the pump is activated. If the adjusted switch-off temperature is underrun (**DT F**), the controller switches-off.

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3.1.8 Maximum tank temperature

S MX:
Maximum tank temp.
Adjustment range
40 ... 205 °F
Factory setting 140 °F

If the adjusted maximum temperature is exceeded, a further loading of the tank is stopped so that a damaging overheating can be avoided. If the maximum tank temperature is exceeded, on the display is shown and ☀.

Please note: The controller is equipped with a security-switch-off of the tank, which avoids a further loading of the tank if 203 °F are reached at the tank.

3.1.9 Limit collector temperature Collector emergency shutdown

EM:
Limit collector temperature
Adjustment range
230 ... 400 °F,
Factory setting 285 °F

If the adjusted collector limit temperature (**EM**) is exceeded, the solar pump (R1/R2) is deactivated in order to avoid a damaging overheating of the solar components (collector emergency shutdown). The limit temperature is set to 285 °F but it can be changed within the adjustment range of 230 ... 400 °F. In the display is shown ⚠ (flashing).

3.1.10 System cooling

OCX:
Option system cooling
Adjustment OFF ... ON
Factory setting OFF

CMX:
Maximum collector temp.
Adjustment range
210 ... 380 °F
Factory setting 250 °F

If the adjusted maximum tank temperature is reached, the solar system switches-off. If now the collector temperature raises to the adjusted maximum collector temperature (**CMX**), the solar pump remains activated until this limit temperature value is again underrun. The tank temperature might continue to raise (subordinated active maximum tank temperature), but only until 203 °F (emergency shut-down of the tank). If the tank temperature is higher than the maximum tank temperature (**S MX**) and the collector temperature is lower by at least 5 K than the tank temperature, the solar system remains activated until the tank is again cooled down by the collector and the tubes under the adjusted maximum temperature (**S MX**).
In case of active system cooling on the display is shown ☀ (flashing). Due to the cooling function the solar system can be kept operable for a longer period on hot summer days and a thermal release of the collector and the heat transfer medium is ensured as well.

3.1.11 Option minimum collector limitation

OCN:
Mimimum collector limitation
Adjustment range OFF / ON
Factory setting OFF

CMN:
Minimum collector temperature Adjustment range
14 ... 32 °F
Factory setting 50 °F

The minimum collector temperature is a minimum switching temperature, which must be exceeded so that the solar pump (R1/R2) is switched-on. The minimum temperature shall avoid a steady starting-up of the solar pump (or solid fuel boiler charging pumps) for low collector temperatures. If the minimum temperature is underrun, in the display is shown ❄ (flashing).

3.1.12 Option antifreeze function

OCF:
Antifreeze function
Adjustment range
OFF / ON
Factory setting OFF

CFR:
Antifreeze temperature
Adjustment range
14 ...50 °F
Factory setting 40 °F

The antifreeze function activates the loading circuit between collector and tank if the adjusted antifreeze function is underrun in order to protect the medium that it will not freeze or „get thick". If the adjusted antifreeze temperature is exceeded by 2 °F, the loading circuit will be deactivated.

Please note:
As there is only a limited heat quantity of the tank available for this function, the antifreeze function should only be used in regions with few days of temperatures around freezing point.

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3.1.13 Recooling function

OREC:
option recooling
adjustment range
OFF...ON
Factory setting: OFF

If the adjustem maximum tank temperature (**S MX**) is reached, the solar pump remains activated in order to avoid an overheating of the collector. The tank temperature might continue to increase but only up to 203 °F (emergency shutdown of the tank).
In the evening the solar system continues running until the tank is cooled down to the adjusted maximum tank temperature via collector and pipes.

3.1.14 Tube collector special function

O TC:
Tube collector special function
Adjustment range:
OFF...ON
Factory setting: OFF

If the controller measures an increase of 4 °Ra compared to the collector temperature tankd at last, the solar pump is switched-on to 100 % for about 30 seconds. After expiration of the solar pump runtime the current collector temperature is tankd as new reference value. If the measured temperature (new reference value) is again exceeded by 4 °Ra, the solar pump again switches-on for 30 seconds. If the switch-on difference between collector and tank is again exceeded during runtime of the solar pump or the standstil of the system, the controller automatically switches over to solar charging.
If the collector temperature drops by 4 °Ra during standstill, the switch-on value for the special tube collector function will be recalculated.

3.1.15 Operating mode

HAND:
Operating mode
Adjustment range:
OFF, AUTO, ON
Factory setting: AUTO

For control and service work the operating mode of the controller can be manually adjusted by selecting the adjustment value HAND, in which the following adjustments can be made:

- **HAND**
  Operating mode
  OFF : relay off ⚠ (flashing) + ✋
  AUTO : relay in automatic operation
  ON : relay on ⚠ (flashing) + ✋

3.1.16 Language

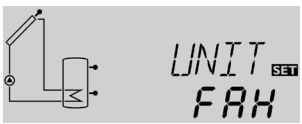
LANG:
Adjustment of language
Adjustment range: dE, En, It
Factory setting: En

The menu language can be adjusted in this channel.

- dE : German
- En : English
- It : Italiano
- Fr : French

3.1.17 Unit

UNIT:
Adjustment of unit
Adjustment range: FAH, °C
Factory setting: FAH



The menu unit can be adjusted:

- °FAH
- °CEL

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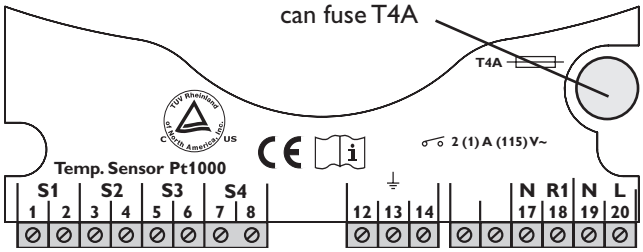
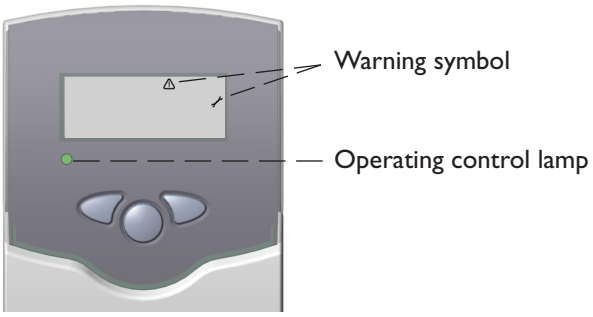
4. Tips for fault localization



If a malfunction occurs, a notification is given on the display of the controller:



Operating control lamp flashes red. On the display the symbols and ⚠ appear.

Sensor defect. An error code is shown on the relevant sensor indication channel instead of a temperature.

888.8 — Line break. Check the line.

- 88.8 — Short-circuit. Check the line.

Pt1000-temperature sensors pinched off can be checked with an ohmmeter. In the following the resistance values corresponding to different temperatures are listed.

°F	Ω	°F	Ω
14	961	131	1213
23	980	140	1232
32	1000	149	1252
41	1019	158	1271
50	1039	167	1290
59	1058	176	1309
68	1078	185	1328
77	1097	194	1347
86	1117	203	1366
95	1136	212	1385
104	1155	221	1404
113	1175	230	1423
122	1194	239	1442

Resistance values of the Pt1000-sensors

Operating control lamp off

Check the power supply

o.k. — The can fuse of the controller is defective. It can be replaced after removal of the front cover (spare fuse is enclosed in the accessory bag).

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4.1 Various:

Pump is overheated, but no heat transfer from collector to the tank, feed flow and return flow are equally warm, possibly also bubble in the tubes

- Air in the system?
  - no
  - yes → Exhaust the system; increase system pressure to at least static primary pressure plus 0,5 bar; if necessary continue to increase, switch the pump on and off for a short time
- Is the collector circuit blocked at the dirt trap?
  - yes → Clean the dirt trap

Pump starts for a short moment, switches-on/off reapeatedly

- Is the temperature difference at the controller too small?
  - no
  - yes → Change ΔT_{on} and ΔT_{off} accordingly.
    - no
    - o.k.
- Wrong placing of the collector sensor?
  - no
  - yes → Mount the collector sensor at solar feed flow (warmest collector output); use the immersion sleeve of the respective collector.
- Plausibility control of the option tube collector special function

Pump starts up very late and stops working soon.

- Switch-on-temperature difference ΔT_{on} too large?
  - no
  - yes → Change ΔT_{on} and ΔT_{off} accordingly.
- Collector sensor unfavourable placed (e.g. contact sensor instead of immersion sleeve sensor?
  - yes → If necessary activate tube collector function.
    - o.k.

The temperature difference between tank and collector increases enormously during operation; the collector circuit cannot dissipate the heat.

- Collector circuit pump defect ?
  - no
  - yes → Repair / Replace
- Heat exchanger calcified?
  - no
  - yes → Decalification
- Heat exchanger plugged?
  - no
  - yes → Cleaning
- Heat exchanger too small?
  - yes → New calculation of the dimension.

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Tanks are cooled during the night.

Does collector circuit pump run during the night?
- no → Check the controller functions
- yes

Collector temperature is at night higher than ambient temperature.
- no → Check the return flow preventer in feed flow and return flow with regard to the functional efficiency.
- yes

Is the tank insulation sufficient?
- yes
- no → Intensify the insulation.

Is the tank insulation close enough to the store?
- yes
- no → Replace or intensify the insulation.

Are the tank connections insulated?
- yes
- no → Insulate connections.

Warm water outflow upwards?
- no
- yes → Change connection and let the water flow sidewards or through a siphon (bow downwards); less tank losses now?
  - no
  - yes → o.k.

Does warm water circulation run for a very long time?
- no
- yes → Use the circulation pump with timer and switch-off thermostat (energy efficient circulation)

Switch-off the circulation pump and the blocking valve for 1 night; less tank losses?
- yes → a
- no → Check the pumps of the after-heating circuit according to nightly run and defect return flow preventer; problem solved?
  - no → b

a

Control the return flow preventer in warm water circulation- o.k.
- yes → The gravitation circulation in the circulation line is too strong; insert a stronger return flow preventer or an electrical 2-way valve behind the circulation pump; the 2-way valve is open in pump operation, otherwise it is closed, conect pump and 2-way valve in parallel; activate the circulation again!
- no → Cleaning or replacement.

b

Please also check further pumps which are connected to the solar tank.

The solar circuit pump does not work although the collector is obviously warmer than the tank.

Does the control LED flash?
- yes
- no → There is no current; check fuses / replace them and check power supply.

Does the pump start up in manual operation?
- no
- yes → The adjusted temperature difference for starting the pump is too high; choose a matching setting

Is the current of the pump released by the controller?
- no
- yes → Is the pump stuck?
  - yes → Put the pump into operation by means of a screwdriver; is it passable now ?
    - no → Is the pump out of order? - replace if necessary

Are the fuses o.k.?
- no → Replace the fuses.
- yes → Controller seems to be defective - replace it.

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5. Accessory

Sensors

Our product range includes high-precision platin temperature sensors, flatscrew sensors, ambient temperature sensors, indoor temperature sensors, cylindrical clip-on sensors and irradiation sensors, also to be used as full sensors with sensor pocket.

Overvoltage protection

We highly recommend to install the RESOL overvoltage protection in order to avoid overvoltage damages at the collector (e.g. by lightening).

Flowmeter

If you are interested in realising a heat quantity balancing, you need a flowmeter for measuring the volume flow in your system.

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