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in
Flammable Atmospheres

SYSTEM CERTIFICATE No Ex 79249

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MEASUREMENT TECHNOLOGY LIMITED of Luton, Beds

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT A TWO CHANNEL SWITCH OPERATED RELAY MTL2211 SYSTEM

comprising the items of apparatus specified in and arranged in accordance with the Schedule and the documents therein referred to, complies with the requirements of an Intrinsically Safe System as defined in BASEEFA Standard SFA 3012: 1972 for Category ia and Group IIC

This Certificate is granted subject to the general conditions of the British Approvals Service for Electrical Equipment in Flammable Atmospheres and any additional conditions as may be prescribed.

This Certificate does not imply that the apparatus meets all statutory requirements in any particular industry or circumstance.

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SYSTEM

AN MTL2211 TWO CHANNEL SWITCH **OPERATED** comprises:

- 1. Apparatus located in a Safe Area.
- An MTL2211 two channel switch operated relay (BASEEFA Certificate No Ex 79221X).
- 1.2 Apparatus which is unspecified except that it must not be supplied from nor contain under normal or abnormal conditions a source of potential with respect to earth in excess of 250 volts r.m.s. or 250 volts d.c.
- Apparatus which may be located in a Hazardous Area.
- Switch contacts which meet the requirements for simple apparatus as defined in paragraph 6.3.3 in BS 5345 : Part 4: 1977.
- 3. Permissible interconnecting cables.

DRAWING NUMBER	ISSUE	DATE	DESCRIPTION
CI2211-01 Sheet 9	1	5-79	Installation Drawing for MTL2211 switch module single channel 120/240V a.c.
CI2211-02 Sheet 10	1	5-79	Installation Drawing for MTL2211 switch module single channel 24V d.c.

ADDITIONAL CERTIFICATION CONDITIONS

- 1. The Installation must conform to the approved drawings CI2211-01 sheet 9. and CI2211-02 sheet 10.
- The Capacitance and Inductance or the Inductance to Resistance ratio (L/R) of the cables connecting remote switch contacts to the Hazardous Area terminals of the switch operated relay must not exceed the following values:

Protected switches in Zone 0 (i.e. hermetically sealed or flameproof) and switches in Zone 1 and 2.

GROUP	CAPACITANCE in µF	INDUCTANCE in mH	OR	L/R Ratio in µH/ohm
IIC	13	69		600

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Unprotected switches in Zone 0 (supplementary protection measures apply).

GROUP CAPACITANCE in µF		INDUCTANCE in mH		L/R Ratio in µH/ohm
IIC	. 0.9	18		150

The values for Groups IIB and IIA are 3 and 8 times the values for Group IIC respectively.

The above cable parameters will only apply when the two intrinsically safe input circuits are completely segregated from one another.

3. The curents and voltages switched by the relay contacts must not exceed 5 amperes r.m.s. and 250 volts r.m.s. respectively and the rating must not exceed 500VA.



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is hereby extended to apply to apparatus conforming to the specification set out in the Schedule of the said Certificate but having the variation specified in the following Schedule.

Schedule

VARIATION ONE To permit a minor drawing change to incorporate the certificate of conformity number for the MTL 2211 switch module (Ex 802333).

DRAWINGS Number	Issue	<u>Date</u>	Description
CI2211-01 Sheet 9	2	10.80	Installation Drawing
C12211-02 Sneet 10	2	10.80	Installation Drawing

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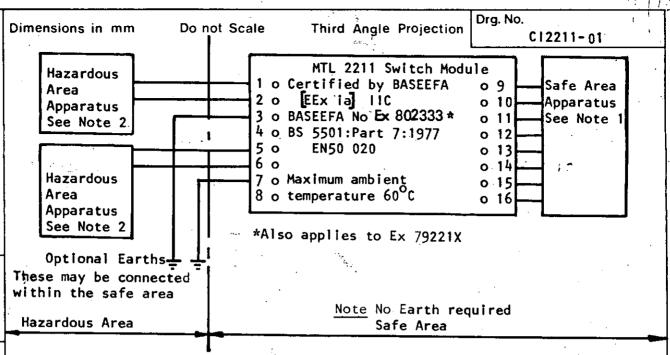
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Safe Area Apparatus - unspecified except that it must not be supplied from, nor contain, a source of potential under normal or fault conditions exceeding 250v rms or 250v dc.

Hazardous Area Apparatus - must be as specified in paragraph 6.3.3. in BS 5345: Part 4: 1977. Normally the apparatus must be capable of withstanding an a.c. test voltage of 500V r.m.s. to earth or frame. However when the input circuit is fully floating i.e. there is no connection to earth or to an MTL 2220, there is no need to meet this insulation requirement.

The maximum relay contact ratings are:- AC-250v, 5A, 500VA; DC-250v, 5A, 250 watts.

The following cable parameters must not be exceeded:- (Applies to protected switches in Zone 0 and unprotected switches in Zone 1 and 2). These parameters apply to one channel.

GAS GROUP	CAPACITANCE	INDUCTANCE	OR L/R RATIO
IIC(Hydrogen)	13 uF	69mH	600uH/Ω

Note 5 The following cable parameters must not be exceeded:- (Applies to unprotected switches in Zone 0). These parameters apply to one channel.

GAS GROUP	CAPACITANCE	INDUCTANCE C	R L/R RATIO
IIC(Hydrogen)	0.9µF	18mH	150μH/Ω

The values for Group IIB and IIA are 3 and 8 times the values for Group IIC respectively.

Note 6 In order to maintain the segregation between channels and comply with the above cable parameters, the two channels should be treated as two separate intrinsically safe circuits.

> BASEEFA System Certificate No Ex79249 at Code Ex la IIC

Certifying Authority: BASEEFA Used on Scale Tolerance unless otherwise stated ± Sheet of 9 Title Installation Drawing for MTL 2211 Switch Drg. No. Module Two Channel 120/240v a.c. C1 2211-01 **2**

