



**Model Number**

NJ15S+U4+N

**Features**

- 15 mm flush

**Accessories**

**MHW 01**

Modular mounting bracket

**MH 04-2681F**

Mounting aid for VariKont, +U1+ and +U9\*

**MH 04-2057B**

Mounting aid for VariKont and +U1+

**Technical Data**

**General specifications**

Switching element function		NAMUR, NC
Rated operating distance	$s_n$	15 mm
Installation		flush
Output polarity		Safety Function
Assured operating distance	$s_a$	0 ... 12.15 mm
Reduction factor $r_{Al}$		0.4
Reduction factor $r_{Cu}$		0.3
Reduction factor $r_{304}$		0.85

**Nominal ratings**

Nominal voltage	$U_o$	8.2 V ( $R_i$ approx. 1 k $\Omega$ )
Switching frequency	f	0 ... 150 Hz
Current consumption		
Measuring plate not detected		$\geq 3$ mA
Measuring plate detected		$\leq 1$ mA

**Ambient conditions**

Ambient temperature		-40 ... 100 °C (-40 ... 212 °F)
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**Mechanical specifications**

Connection type		screw terminals
Core cross-section		$\leq 2.5$ mm <sup>2</sup>
Housing material		PBT/metal
Sensing face		PBT
Degree of protection		IP68

**General information**

Use in the hazardous area		see instruction manuals
Category		1G; 2G; 1D

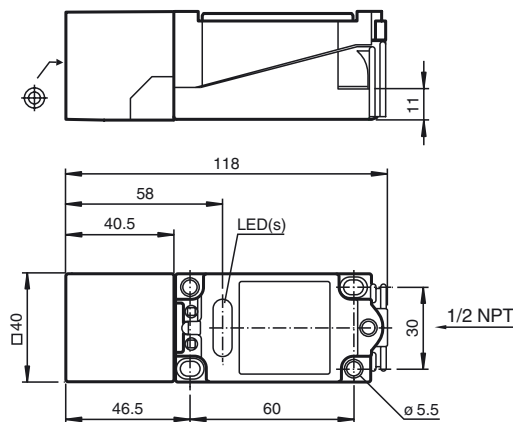
**Compliance with standards and directives**

Standard conformity		
NAMUR		EN 60947-5-6:2000 IEC 60947-5-6:1999
Standards		EN 60947-5-2:2007 IEC 60947-5-2:2007

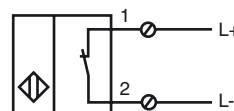
**Approvals and certificates**

FM approval		
Control drawing		116-0165
UL approval		cULus Listed, General Purpose
CSA approval		cCSAus Listed, General Purpose
CCC approval		CCC approval / marking not required for products rated $\leq 36$ V

**Dimensions**



**Electrical Connection**



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**ATEX 1G**

## Instruction

Device category 1G  
EC-Type Examination Certificate  
CE marking

## ATEX marking

Directive conformity  
Standards

Appropriate type  
Effective internal capacitance  $C_i$   
Effective internal inductance  $L_i$   
General

## Ambient temperature

## Installation, commissioning

## Maintenance

**Special conditions**


## Protection from mechanical danger

## Electrostatic charge

## Degree of protection required when installing connecting components

**Manual electrical apparatus for hazardous areas**

for use in hazardous areas with gas, vapour and mist  
PTB 00 ATEX 2049 X  
CE 0102

 II 1G Ex ia IIC T6...T1 Ga

The Ex-related marking can also be printed on the enclosed label.  
94/9/EG

EN 60079-0:2012+A11:2013 EN 60079-11:2012  
Ignition protection "Intrinsic safety"  
Use is restricted to the following stated conditions

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≤ 180 nF ; a cable length of 10 m is considered.

≤ 150 μH ; a cable length of 10 m is considered.

The apparatus has to be operated according to the appropriate data in the data sheet and in this instruction manual. The EC-Type Examination Certificate has to be observed. The special conditions must be adhered to! Directive 94/9/EC and therefore the EC-type-examination certificates generally apply only to the use of electrical apparatus under atmospheric conditions.

The device has been checked for suitability for use at ambient temperatures of > 60 °C by the named certification authority. The surface temperature of the device remains within the required limits.

For the use of apparatus outside of atmospheric conditions, a reduction of the permissible minimum ignition energies may need to be considered.

Details of the correlation between the type of circuit connected, the maximum permissible ambient temperature, the temperature class, and the effective internal reactance values can be found on the EC-type examination certificate. **Note:** Use the temperature table for category 1 !!! The 20 % reduction in accordance with EN 1127-1 has already been applied to the temperature table for category 1.

Laws and/or regulations and standards governing the use or intended usage goal must be observed. The intrinsic safety is only assured in connection with an appropriate related apparatus and according to the proof of intrinsic safety. The associated apparatus must satisfy the requirements of category ia. Because of the risk of ignition, which can occur due to faults and/or transient currents in the equipotential bonding system, galvanic isolation is preferable in the supply and signal circuits. Associated apparatus without electrical isolation can only be used if the corresponding requirements of IEC 60079-14 are satisfied. If the Ex-related marking is printed only on the supplied label, then this must be attached in the immediate vicinity of the sensor. The sticking surface for the label must be clean and free from grease. The attached label must be legible and indelible, including in the event of possible chemical corrosion. After opening the housing, you should check that the seal is in the correct position and is clean and intact before closing the housing again.

No changes can be made to apparatus, which are operated in hazardous areas. Repairs to these apparatus are not possible. After opening the housing, you should check that the seal is in the correct position and is clean and intact before closing the housing again.

The maximum allowable proportions of metallic materials in enclosure parts in accordance with IEC/EN 60079-0 have been exceeded. Check whether the device is suitable for the specific application, e.g., to prevent ignition hazards arising from impact or friction.

When using the device in a temperature range of -60 °C to -20 °C, protect the sensor against the effects of impact by installing an additional enclosure. The information regarding the minimum ambient temperature for the sensor as provided in the datasheet must also be observed.

When used in group IIC non-permissible electrostatic charges should be avoided on the plastic housing parts. Avoid electrostatic charges that can cause electrostatic discharge when installing or operating the device. Information on electrostatic hazards can be found in the technical specification IEC/TS 60079-32-1. Electrostatic charges must be avoided on the mechanical housing components. Dangerous electrostatic charges on the mechanical housing components can be avoided by incorporating these in the equipotential bonding.

The connecting parts of the sensor must be set up in such a way that degree of protection IP20, in accordance with IEC 60529, is achieved as a minimum.

**ATEX 2G**

Instruction

**Device category 2G**

EC-Type Examination Certificate

CE marking

ATEX marking

Directive conformity

Standards

Appropriate type

Effective internal capacitance  $C_i$ Effective internal inductance  $L_i$ 

General

Maximum permissible ambient temperature  $T_{amb}$ 

Installation, commissioning

Maintenance

**Special conditions**

Protection from mechanical danger

Electrostatic charge

Degree of protection required when installing connecting components

**Manual electrical apparatus for hazardous areas**

for use in hazardous areas with gas, vapour and mist

PTB 00 ATEX 2049 X

CE0102

Ex II 1G Ex ia IIC T6...T1 Ga

The Ex-related marking can also be printed on the enclosed label.

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EN 60079-0:2012+A11:2013 EN 60079-11:2012

Ignition protection "Intrinsic safety"

Use is restricted to the following stated conditions

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 $\leq 180$  nF ; a cable length of 10 m is considered. $\leq 150$   $\mu$ H ; a cable length of 10 m is considered.

The apparatus has to be operated according to the appropriate data in the data sheet and in this instruction manual. The EC-Type Examination Certificate has to be observed. The special conditions must be adhered to! Directive 94/9/EC and therefore the EC-type-examination certificates generally apply only to the use of electrical apparatus under atmospheric conditions.

The device has been checked for suitability for use at ambient temperatures of  $> 60$  °C by the named certification authority. The surface temperature of the device remains within the required limits.

For the use of apparatus outside of atmospheric conditions, a reduction of the permissible minimum ignition energies may need to be considered.

Details of the correlation between the type of circuit connected, the maximum permissible ambient temperature, the temperature class, and the effective internal reactance values can be found on the EC-type examination certificate.

Laws and/or regulations and standards governing the use or intended usage goal must be observed. The intrinsic safety is only assured in connection with an appropriate related apparatus and according to the proof of intrinsic safety. If the Ex-related marking is printed only on the supplied label, then this must be attached in the immediate vicinity of the sensor. The sticking surface for the label must be clean and free from grease. The attached label must be legible and indelible, including in the event of possible chemical corrosion. After opening the housing, you should check that the seal is in the correct position and is clean and intact before closing the housing again.

No changes can be made to apparatus, which are operated in hazardous areas. Repairs to these apparatus are not possible.

When using the device in a temperature range of  $-60$  °C to  $-20$  °C, protect the sensor against the effects of impact by installing an additional enclosure. The information regarding the minimum ambient temperature for the sensor as provided in the datasheet must also be observed.

When used in group IIC non-permissible electrostatic charges should be avoided on the plastic housing parts. Avoid electrostatic charges that can cause electrostatic discharge when installing or operating the device. Information on electrostatic hazards can be found in the technical specification IEC/TS 60079-32-1. Electrostatic charges must be avoided on the mechanical housing components. Dangerous electrostatic charges on the mechanical housing components can be avoided by incorporating these in the equipotential bonding.

The connecting parts of the sensor must be set up in such a way that degree of protection IP20, in accordance with IEC 60529, is achieved as a minimum.

## ATEX 1D

Instruction

## Device category 1D

EC-Type Examination Certificate

CE marking

ATEX marking

Directive conformity

Standards

Appropriate type

Effective internal capacitance  $C_i$ Effective internal inductance  $L_i$ 

General

Permissible ambient temperature range

Installation, commissioning

Maintenance

## Special conditions

Protection from mechanical danger

Electrostatic charge

Degree of protection required when installing connecting components

## Manual electrical apparatus for hazardous areas

for use in hazardous areas with combustible dust

PTB 00 ATEX 2049 X

CE 0102

II 1D Ex ia IIC T135°C Da

The Ex-related marking can also be printed on the enclosed label.

94/9/EG

EN 60079-0:2012+A11:2013 EN 60079-11:2012

Ignition protection "Intrinsic safety" Use is restricted to the following stated conditions

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≤ 180 nF ; a cable length of 10 m is considered.

≤ 150 μH

A cable length of 10 m is considered.

The apparatus has to be operated according to the appropriate data in the data sheet and in this instruction manual. The EC-Type Examination Certificate has to be observed. Directive 94/9/EC and therefore the EC-type-examination certificates generally apply only to the use of electrical apparatus under atmospheric conditions. The device has been checked for suitability for use at ambient temperatures of > 60 °C by the named certification authority. The surface temperature of the device remains within the required limits.

For the use of apparatus outside of atmospheric conditions, a reduction of the permissible minimum ignition energies may need to be considered.

Details of the correlation between the type of circuit connected, the maximum permissible ambient temperature, the surface temperature, and the effective internal reactance values can be found on the EC-type-examination certificate. **The maximum permissible ambient temperature of the data sheet must be noted, in addition, the lower of the two values must be maintained.**

Laws and/or regulations and standards governing the use or intended usage goal must be observed. The intrinsic safety is only assured in connection with an appropriate related apparatus and according to the proof of intrinsic safety. If the Ex-related marking is printed only on the supplied label, then this must be attached in the immediate vicinity of the sensor. The sticking surface for the label must be clean and free from grease. The attached label must be legible and indelible, including in the event of possible chemical corrosion. After opening the housing, you should check that the seal is in the correct position and is clean and intact before closing the housing again.

No changes can be made to apparatus, which are operated in hazardous areas. Repairs to these apparatus are not possible.

When using the device in a temperature range of -60 °C to -20 °C, protect the sensor against the effects of impact by installing an additional enclosure. The information regarding the minimum ambient temperature for the sensor as provided in the datasheet must also be observed.

Avoid electrostatic charges that can cause electrostatic discharge when installing or operating the device. Information on electrostatic hazards can be found in the technical specification IEC/TS 60079-32-1. Electrostatic charges must be avoided on the mechanical housing components. Dangerous electrostatic charges on the mechanical housing components can be avoided by incorporating these in the equipotential bonding. Do not attach the nameplate provided in areas where electrostatic charge can build up.

The connecting parts of the sensor must be set up in such a way that degree of protection IP20, in accordance with IEC 60529, is achieved as a minimum.