

## GESTRA Steam Systems

### Conductivity (TDS) Controller and Limiter / Intermittent Blowdown Cycling Timer

#### LRR 1-40

#### CAN-Bus

#### Description

The continuous blowdown controller LRR 1-40 used in conjunction with the conductivity sensing electrode LRG 16-40 constitutes a conductivity (TDS) monitoring and control system. Electrical conductivity is used to measure boiler water TDS (= Total Dissolved Solids). The blowdown controller features the following functions:

- Two conductivity limits with one switchpoint each: TDS high (MAX) alarm and TDS low (MIN) alarm. The TDS low (MIN) alarm can alternatively be used to control an intermittent blowdown valve.
- Three-position control within a predefined proportional band.
- TDS level (conductivity) monitored and maintained within a predefined control range.
- Stand-by input.
- 24 h purging pulse for continuous boiler blowdown.

The LRR 1-40 can, by choice, be provided with an actual value output with a standard signal of 4 - 20 mA. The TDS data are transferred to the controller or another system component via a CAN data bus. The controller and the conductivity sensing electrode use the CANopen protocol.

#### Function

At regular intervals the conductivity sensing electrode LRG 16-40 sends a data signal to the blowdown controller LRR 1-40. The data transfer is effected by means of a CAN bus according to DIN ISO 11898 using the CANopen protocol. The transferred measuring data are evaluated and assigned to the control range and the switchpoints. A standard output signal of 4-20 mA (optional extra) is provided for external conductivity (TDS) indication. The control terminal and display unit URB 1 can be used to manually set a de-energizing time delay for the relay. To guarantee the correct and fail-safe operation of the system the data transmitting cycle is constantly monitored by the TDS controller. If the CAN bus line is interrupted, the TDS controller sends a visual signal to indicate a malfunction and the relays 1 and 4 will be instantaneously de-energized (fail-safe position).

The additional control terminal and display unit URB 1 permits a second water level indication and a continuous display of the actual TDS – i. e. conductivity – value in accordance with WÜL 00.

#### Design

##### LRR 1-40b

Enclosure of insulating material with terminals for installation in control cabinets. The terminals are externally accessible.

Clipping onto a 35 mm standardised supporting rail TS 35 x 15 to DIN EN 50022.

External dimensions: 100 x 73 x 118

#### CAN Bus

All level and conductivity switches, controllers and electrodes are interconnected by means of a CAN bus. The data exchange is effected by means of a CAN bus according to DIN ISO 11898 using the CANopen protocol. Every item of equipment features an electronic address (Node ID). The four-core bus cable serves as power supply and data highway for high-speed data communication.

The LRR 1-40 is configured at our works and ready for service with other GESTRA components.

The LRR 1-40 can be used straight away without having to set the Node ID.

#### Technical Data

##### Type approval

TÜV- WÜL-02-007

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##### Input

Interface for CAN bus to DIN ISO 11898, CANopen protocol.

Feedback potentiometer 1000 Ω.

Voltage input 24 V – 230 V, 50 – 60 Hz for external command “Close valve” or “Control off” – stand-by –.

##### Output

Power supply 24 V DC, short-circuit protected.

Analogue output 4 - 20 mA, load 750 Ω for actual value indication (optional extra).

20 mA depending on range 20, 100, 200, 500, 1000, 2000, 6000, 12000 µS/cm.

Four volt-free relay contacts.

Max. contact rating with switching voltages of 24 V AC, 115 V AC and 230 V AC:

resistive 4 A, inductive 0.75 A at cos φ 0.5.

Max. contact rating at a switching voltage of 24 V DC: 4 A

Contact material: silver, hard-gold plated

##### Relay de-energizing delay

Output “MIN”, “MAX” 3 sec. (factory setting)

##### Indicators and adjustors

One red LED for switchpoint MAX (TDS HIGH)

One red LED for switchpoint MIN (TDS LOW) or for intermittent blowdown control.

Two green LEDs for deviations “X<sub>w</sub> MIN” and “X<sub>w</sub> MAX”.

One green LED “Power on”

One red LED “Bus malfunction”.

One ten-pole code switch “Node ID”, “Baud rate”,

Four push-buttons.

##### Setpoint

Setpoint W continuously adjustable within the whole control range between the adjusted MAX/MIN limits

##### Dead band

W < 2000 µS/cm = 3 %

W > 2000 µS/cm = 1 %

##### Switching hysteresis

1 – 25 % of setpoint W

##### Proportional band X<sub>p</sub>

1 – 150 % referred to W

0 % (factory setting)

##### Switching hystereses of MAX/MIN limits

MIN +1 %, MAX -1 %

##### 24 h purging pulse BAE

##### Automatic intermittent boiler blowdown

(MIN contact used for a timed output to control the purging intervals of bottom blowdowns)

Frequency: 1 – 120 h, in steps of 1 h in 1 sec.

Duration: 1 – 60 sec.

##### Control characteristic

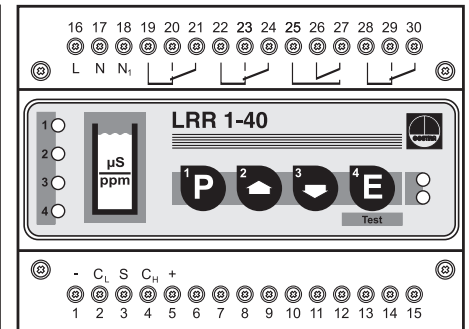
Proportional controller for two- or three-position control

##### Proportional band X<sub>p</sub>

1 – 100 %

## Product Range B

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## Technical Data – continued –

**Position feedback**  $X_f$   
0 – 1000  $\Omega$

**Switching range (dead band)**  $X_{Sn}$   
3 %

**Supply voltage**  
230 V +/- 10 %, 50/60 Hz  
115 V +/- 10 %, 50/60 Hz (optional)

**Power consumption**  
5 VA

**Protection**  
Casing: IP 40 to DIN EN 60529  
Terminal strip: IP 20 to DIN EN 60529

**Admissible ambient temperature**  
0 – 55 °C

**Enclosure material**  
Front panel: polycarbonate, grey  
Casing: polycarbonate, black

**Approx. weight**  
0.8 kg

## Important Note

Note that multi-paired control cable, e. g. UNITRO-NIC® Bus Can 2 x 2 x ...mm<sup>2</sup> is required. Alternatively RE-2YCYV-fl 2 x 2 x ...mm<sup>2</sup> can also be used. Max. cable length 125 m at 250 kBit/s.

The bus **must** be wired in series. Star-type wiring (point-to-point) is **not** permitted.

Standard values for cable lengths between two bus-based devices (length of segment) and for conductor sizes as specified in ISO 11898:

Length of segment [m]	Number of pairs and conductor size [mm <sup>2</sup> ]
up to 300	2 x 2 x 0.34
300 to 600	2 x 2 x 0.5
600 to 1000	2 x 2 x 0.75

To protect the switching contacts provide circuit with a 2.5 A anti-surge fuse or – according to TRD regulations – with 1.0 A for 72 hrs operation.

## Order and Enquiry Specification

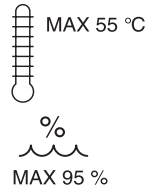
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## Ancillary Unit

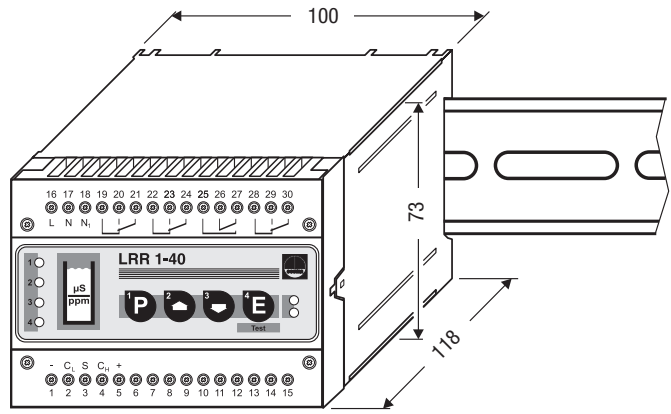
- Conductivity sensing (TDS) electrode LRG 16-40 CANopen
- URB 1 as easy-to-use control terminal and display unit for LRR 1-40 CANopen

Supply in accordance with our general terms of business.

## Dimensions

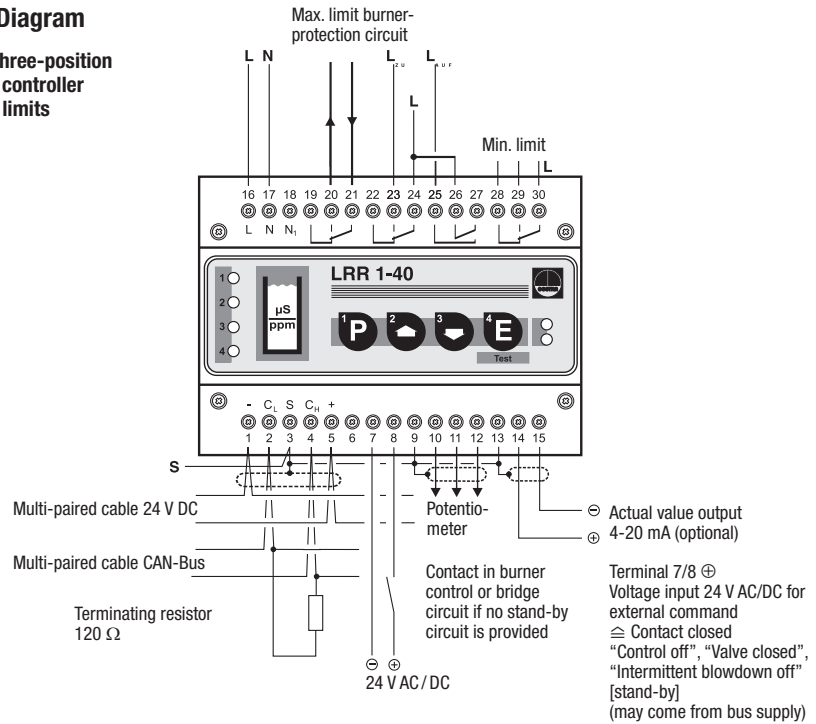


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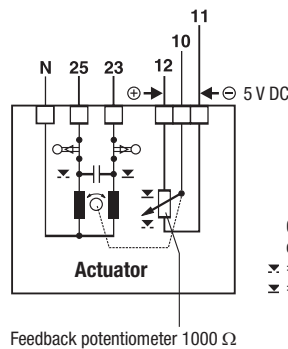
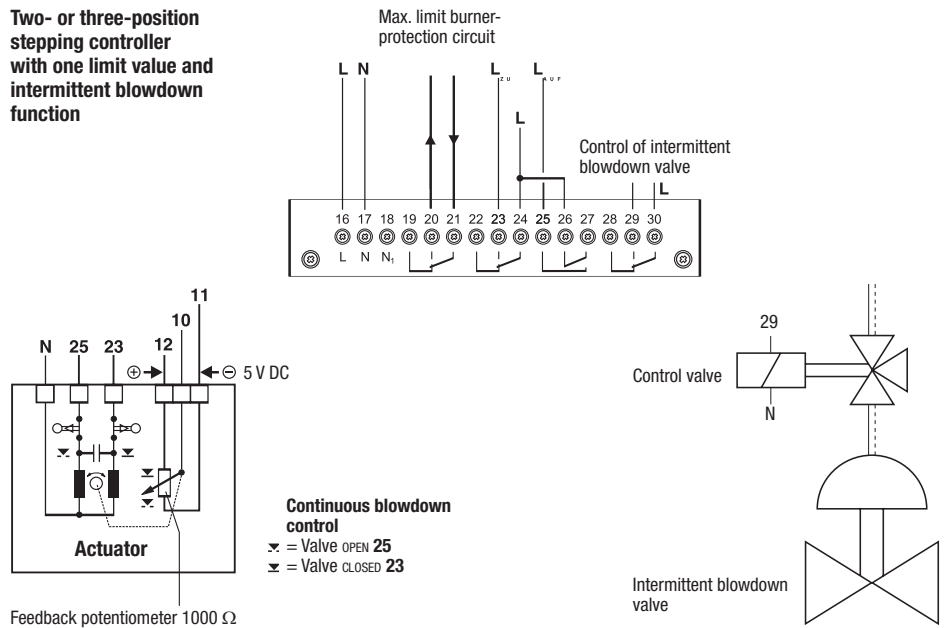


## Wiring Diagram

### Two- or three-position stepping controller with two limits



### Two- or three-position stepping controller with one limit value and intermittent blowdown function



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