Product Datasheet







EFEN LV Horizontal Fuse Switch Disconnects

The best of both worlds with EFEN SILAS and IN Series

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Horizontal fuse switch disconnects provide an alternative mounting and connection method to vertical disconnects, for example for single circuit supplies and for the safe and cost effective upgrade or replacement of earlier generations of fuse switches.

The EFEN SILAS range has been used successfully in New Zealand for 30+ years by our brand partner EFEN, and is now complemented by the EFEN IN series.

Both the SILAS and IN series use the widely available and economic DIN blade fuse cartridges, and offer an excellent level of operator safety thanks to their AC22B switching capacity. Both may be used in AC or DC applications, as specified by their ratings.

The SILAS range is designed for independent mounting for single switch protection applications by virtue of its terminal covers. These features are ideally suited to solar applications or wherever battery protection is required in an internal installation.

SILAS is also suitable for multiple feeder mounting on busbars with ratings from 160 A to 630 A.

The EFEN IN series of switches is available from 160 to 1,600 A and is a more compact design. Cable covers are supplied: these can be removed for use in applications where a protective enclosure is used. Its compact size makes the IN ideal for network pillar applications.

Sizes 00, 1, 2 and 3 of the IN series and sizes 1, 2 and 3 of the SILAS series have the added advantage of phase protection barriers moulded into the base.

Characteristics and Ratings (According to IEC 60947-3)

IN series		DIN size	000/00	1	2	3	4A
							1,250
Rated operational current, le	690 V	Α	160	250	400	630	1.600
							1,250
Conventional free-air thermal current Ith	690 V	Α	160	250	400	630	1,600
Rated operational voltage, Ue		V	690	690	690	690	690
Rated insulation voltage, Ui		V	800	800	800	800	800
Rated impulse withstand voltage, Uimp		kVpk	8	8	8	8	8
Rated conditional short circuit current	400 V	kA	100	100	1001	100	50
(when protected with NH fuse-links)	690 V	kA	50	50	50	50	50
	400 V		AC-22B	AC-22B	AC-22B	AC-22B	AC-22B
	500 V		AC-22B	AC-22B	AC-22B	AC-22B	AC-22B
Utilisation category	690 V		AC-21B	AC-21B	AC-21B	AC-21B	AC-21B
	440 Vdc2		DC-21B	DC-21B	DC-21B	DC-21B	DC-21B
Mechanical service life		Cycles	1,600	1,600	1,000	1,000	600
Permissible ambient temperature		°C			25 to +55		
Degree of protection to IEC 60529				IP3X			
Maximum permissible power dissipation of the NH fuse-links							115
		W	12	23	34	48	140
Weight without fuse links		kg	0.5	2.0	3.3	5.3	14.0

SILAS Series		DIN size	000/00	1	2	3
Rated operational current, le	690 V	А	160	250	400	630
Conventional free-air thermal current Ith	690 V	Α	160	250	400	630
Rated operational voltage, Ue		V	690	690	690	690
Rated insulation voltage, Ui		V	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
Rated impulse withstand voltage, Uimp		kVpk	8	8	8	8
Rated conditional short circuit current (when protected with NH fuse-links)	690 V	kA	80	80	50	80
Utilisation category	400 V 500 V 690 V 220Vdc 440 Vdc		AC-23B AC- 22B AC-21B DC-22B	AC-23B AC- 22B AC-21B DC-21B DC-21B	AC-23B AC- 22B AC-21B DC-21B DC-21B	AC-23B AC- 22B AC-21B DC-21B DC-21B
Mechanical service life		Cycles	1,600	1,600	1,000	1,000
Permissible ambient temperature	°C	25 to +55				
Degree of protection to IEC 60529		IP3X				
Maximum permissible power dissipation of the	W	12	23	34	48	
Weight without fuse links		kg	0.8	2.2	3.6	4.1

Notes

- With pilot tool
- 2. When equipped with L1 and L3 with two poles; 1-pole Ue = 220 Vdc

Tightening Torques for Terminals and Busbar Mounting

IN Series	DIN size	000/00	1	2	3	4A
Multiple use screw terminal		14	32	32	32	32/56
Pressure plates with bolts / prism clamps	Nm	4	8	14	14	-
Busbar mounting	INIII	6	10	10	14	-

SILAS Series	DIN size	000/00	1	2	3
Multiple use screw terminal		12	20	20	20
Pressure plates with bolts / prism clamps		3	6	8	8
Busbar mounting	Nm	3	6	8	8
Box clamps		5	12	20	20

Conductor Application Ranges

IN Series	Condu	Conductor type		Conductor type Cross so		000/00	1	2	3	4A
Multiple use screw terminal	-	-	-	M8	M10	M10	M10	M12/M16		
		RE		1.5-16	1.5-16	-	-	-		
Pressure plates with bolts	CU	RM/SM		2-25	6-50	6-70	6-70			
Pressure plates with bolts and prism clamps	CU/AL	RE/RM/ SE/SM	mm2	2.5-70	70-150	70-240	70-240	-		
Flat conductor (max W x H)	-	-	mm	10x6	16x15	21x15	21x15	-		

SILAS Series	Conduc	tor type	Cross section	000/00	1	2	3
Multiple use screw terminal	-	-	-	M8	M10	M10	M10
		RE		6-50	70-150	-	-
Pressure plates with bolts	CU	RM/SM		6-25	6-50	6-70	6-70
Pressure plates with bolts and prism clamps	CU/AL	RE/RM/ SE/SM		6-70	70-150	120-240	150-300
		RE/RM		2.5-95	35-150	95-300	95-300
Box clamps	CU	RE/RM		-	50-150	120-300	120-300
		RE/RM	mm2	-	35-150	95-300	95-300
	AL	RE/RM		-	50-150	120-300	120-300
Flat conductor (max W x H)	-	-	mm	-	15x20	20 x 32	20 x 32

Product Selection Table and Dimensions

Hiko Code	Туре	DIN Size	Current Rating (A)	Configuration	Mounting System	Optional V- Clamps1	Nominal Height (mm)	Nominal Width (mm)	Nominal Depth (mm)	
WE160E		00	160	Single Phase		No	157	50	80	
EFH00160		00	160				156	106	90	
EFH1250		1	250				270	184	110	
EFH2400		2	400	Three phase single throw		Yes	281	210	127	
EFH3630		3	630				163	289	250	132
EFH41600		4A	1,600		Base plate	No	330	378	233	
EF00160S		00	160			200	50	95		
EF1250S		1	250				284	100	142	
EF2400S		2	400		,	Yes	284	100	142	
EF3630S		3	630				284	115	142	
EF41600S	IN	4A	1,600	Single phase			No	330	126	233
EF2400SB		2	400				284	100	142	
EF3630SB		3	630		Busbar	Yes	284	115	142	
WE500		00	160				194	106	80	
WE510		1	250	Three phase single throw				306	184	110
WE520	SILAS	2	400			Base plate	Yes	306	210	130
WE530	2.27.10	3	630		place	. 00	306	250	130	

Notes

1. add "V" suffix to product code to specify V-clamps.

Also available

Solid copper (knife) links

LV switchgear assembly frames, cabinets and underground pits

Other literature available on request

Reports, drawings, technical data sheets, installation instructions, O&M guidelines

