

Consumer Unit Design 10 Switch Disconnecter 100A (I_{nA}) with SPD

For the distribution of power in a residential application, conforming to BS EN 61439-3

The range of consumer units with a 100A rated current (I_{nA}) have been designed for installations where the upstream overcurrent protection device (OCPD) is rated at 100A or below.

Design 10 consumer unit is an entry level board designed for all applications and allows compliance with BS 7671:2018;

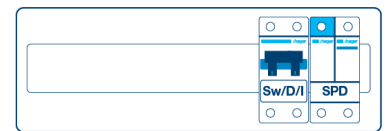
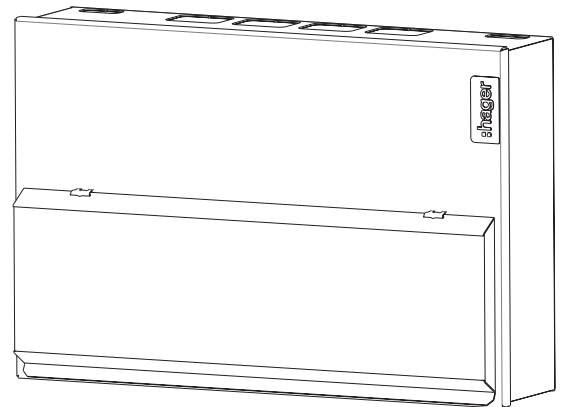
Regulation 421.1.201 within domestics (household) applications consumer units and similar assemblies shall comply with BS EN 61439-3 and shall have their enclosure manufactured from a non-combustible material.

Regulation 411.3.3 additional protection by means of a 30mA RCD is provided by RCBOs. Regulation 314.1&2 segregation of circuits to avoid danger and minimise inconvenience in the event of a fault.

Regulation 522.6.202 protection of wiring concealed in walls or partitions. Regulation 531.3.3 Selection of appropriate RCD. Type A RCBOs can detect and respond to both AC and pulsating DC components.

Regulation 536.4.3.2 & 536.4.202 overload protection of switches and RCCBs. For installations where the upstream overcurrent protection is less than or equal to 100 A.

Regulation 443.4 Protection against transient over voltages, provided by factory fitted type 2 SPD.



VML112SPD

Description	Size	Cat ref.
8 Way 100A Switch Disconnecter Incomer with Factory Fitted SPD	Size 4	VML108SPD
12Way 100A Switch Disconnecter Incomer with Factory Fitted SPD	Size 5	VML112SPD
18 Way 100A Switch Disconnecter Incomer with Factory Fitted SPD	Size 7	VML118SPD
8 + 10 Way 100A Switch Disconnecter Incomer with Factory Fitted SPD	Size 4(2)	VML10810SPD
12 + 14 Way 100A Switch Disconnecter Incomer with Factory Fitted SPD	Size 5(2)	VML11214SPD
18 + 20 Way 100A Switch Disconnecter Incomer with Factory Fitted SPD	Size 7(2)	VML11820SPD

Features & Benefits

- Type A RCCBs for general purpose circuits and circuits containing equipment incorporating electronic components.
- Square cable entry points top and bottom for use with cable trunking
 - Meter tail cable entry plate (VM04CE) provided
 - Rigid top wall – Enhances rigidity to prevent distortion when removing knockouts
 - Rear Knockouts for ease of cable entry – Cable protector plate (VM02CE) available as accessory
 - Front cover retained screws – Prevents loss during installation
- Full metal DIN rail – Secure and stable attachment of devices
- Quick release clip on MCB – Allows removal of MCB with busbar still in place
- Optimised cabling space – DIN rail position allows maximum cabling space.
- Top mounted terminal rail for each row makes the wiring of the neutral and earth connections neat and simple.
- Torque settings displayed inside front cover – easily accessible to electrician during installation and maintenance.
- Factory Fitted Type 2 Surge Protection

Technical Characteristics

Standards	BS EN 61439-3
Classification	Consumer Unit
Rated & Operational Voltage (U_n/U_e)	230V a.c 50 Hz
Rated Insulation Voltage (U_i)	320V a.c. 50Hz
Rated Frequency (fn)	50 Hz
Rated impulse withstand voltage (U_{imp})	4kV
Rated Current of the Assembly (I_{na})	100A
Rated Current of an Outgoing Circuit (I_{nc})	MCB 6A - 63A (Marked Rated Current on Device) RCBO 40A - 45A ADA1**G (Marked Rated Current on Device) RCBO 6A - 32A ADA3**G (Marked Rated Current on Device)
Rated Conditional Short Circuit of the Assembly (I_{cc})	Annex ZB: 16kA rms at 250V, power factor 0.6 with equipment and arrangements specified in Hager's technical documentation/catalogue
Rated Current of Assembly Circuit (I_{nc})	Main Switch 100A (marked rated current on device)
Protection against electric shock	Consumer Unit shall be installed in an electrical system conforming to IEC 60364 / BS 7671
Rated Diversity Factor (RDF) / Values of assumed loading	6 way - 9 way = 0.6 10 way and above - 0.5

Note: RDF only applies to continuously and simultaneously loaded circuits. In principle, this means adjacent circuit breakers having a load on time exceeding 30 minutes or where a load not exceeding 30 minutes has an 'off' time less than the 'on' time will need to have the rated diversity factor applied as indicated.

Pollution Degree	2
Types of System Earthing for which the assembly is designed	TNC-S and TN-S when installed in an electrical system conforming to BS 7671
Intended locations	Indoor use only
Stationary assembly	
Degree of protection	IP2XC with door open / closed and full compliment of devices / blanks fitted. Note: Where cables are installed through the top wall of the enclosure, gaps of IP4X to be maintained.
Intended use	Intended for use in domestic (residential) or similar premises
Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) classification	EMC environment B
External design	Wall mounted, surface type, enclosed assembly.
Mechanical impact protection	IK05
Type of construction	Fixed parts
Incoming Line/Neutral terminal	50mm ²
Incoming Earth Terminal	16mm ²

Warranty - Hager undertakes to replace or repair at its discretion products should they become inoperable within the time periods as stated. - 2 Years.

Accessories

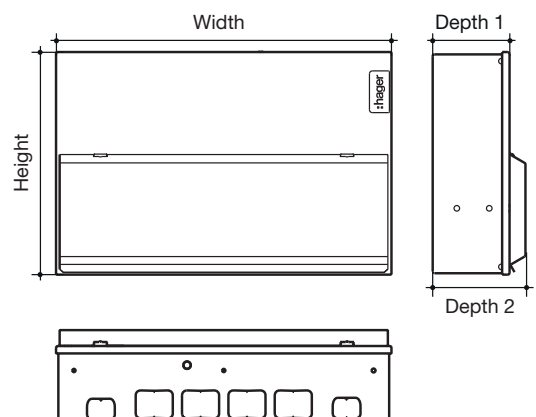
Cable clamp	Secures supply cables on entry to main incoming device	VA10MT
Top wall cable entry plates	Provide more options for cable entry, when used with 50x50mm trunking IP ratings can be achieved.	V M03CE
Blind cable entry plates	A blank plate for drilling which allows the installation of cable glands etc.	VM04CB, VM03CB
Grommet strip	For protecting cables against damage when entering board	VM05GS
Rear stand off plates	To stand consumer unit off wall allowing surface mounted cables to enter through rear of unit.	VM01SP

Design 10 Dimensions (mm)

	Enclosure Size							
	3	4	5	7	3(2)	4(2)	5(2)	7(2)
Height	246	246	246	246	486	486	486	486
Width	227	299	370	478	227	299	370	478
Depth 1	83	83	83	83	83	83	83	83
Depth 2	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100

Number of Knockouts

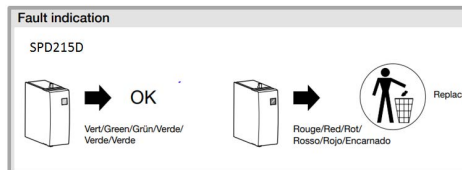
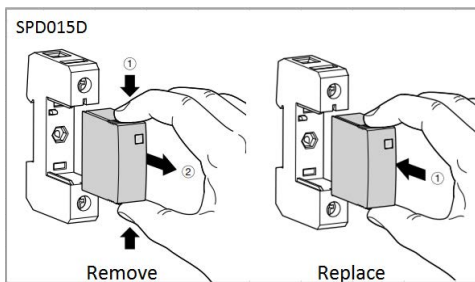
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Back 100 x 50 (mm)	1	1	3	3	2	2	6
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Surge protection devices

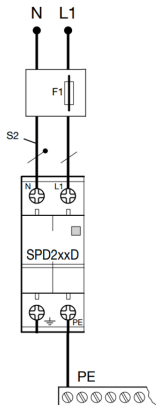
Consumer units with SPD in the part reference come with a Type 2 (T2) surge protection device. All connections to and from the surge protection device are made at the factory. The phase is protected by a Metal Oxide Varistor (MOV) and the neutral by a spark gap device. The Metal Oxide Varistor will degrade each time it deals with high voltage or electromagnetic disturbances, when it is end of life the flag will turn red and the cartridge will require to be changed. At this point the cartridge will fail open circuit and the device will no longer provide surge protection. Simply remove the cartridge and replace with a new cartridge (SPD015D). The rest of the installation will remain unaffected.

To remove a cartridge when the flag is red




Position of SPD in installation

TT/ TN-S/ TNC-S



Overcurrent protection (F1) is provided by the upstream over current protection device (OCPD) which for a consumer unit is generally the service cut-out fuse.

SPD Characteristics

	I_n (8/20 μ s)	I_{max} (8/20 μ s)	U_p	U_c	F1 max \ominus	I_{pe}	I_{scrr}	
SPD215D	5 kA	15 kA	≤ 1 kV	275 V (50/60 Hz)	125 A gG	$< 5 \mu$ A	10 kA _{rms}	SPD015D