

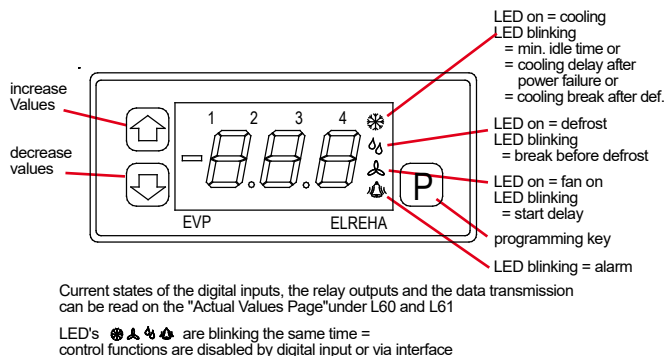
## Brief Description / Applications

- Controller for all kind of Storages, such as Walk-In Coolers/Freezers, Refrigerated Shelves, Refrigerated Counters, Refrigerated Cases, etc.
- For standard cold storages or cold storages with pulse-width modulated expansion valves or expansion valves with thermal drive
- For single or network operation
- 4 Temperature Sensors, 1 Pressure Transmitter, 4 Relays, 2 Digital Inputs

## Standard Functions

- Controls temperature, defrost device, evaporator fans, roller blinds, etc.
- Expansion Valve control
- Valve control is fully autoadaptive
- Foresight control and condenser pressure optimization in cooperation with the VPR compressor compounds central unit
- Intelligent defrost control, able to learn, no additional sensors
- Defrost Start fully automatic, by 6 release times or manually
- Defrost cycle is pulsed, controlled by evap sensor (variable intervals)
- Automatic recognition of the leading evaporator
- Emergency Mode if sensor or defrost recognition fails.
- Autoreset after repair
- Use of Latency Heat by intelligent fan control

## Operating / Operating Elements



3 keys allow programming the unit, all parameters will be displayed on the red LED-7-segment display. 4 red icons at the right side indicate specific control functions (*not the relay states, these are displayed on the 'Actual Values Page' !*).

## Programming

All parameters of the **EVP** are distributed on different pages. While normal operation or if no key is pressed for about 3 minutes, the **EVP** displays the following information:

- 1<sup>st</sup> priority ..... current failure (blinking)  
2<sup>nd</sup> priority ..... operating states (e.g. 'oFF')  
3<sup>rd</sup> priority ..... selected 'permanent parameter' display

## Selecting and Changing of Parameters

- | key          | action   |
|--------------|--|
| P (> 2 sec.) | ..... Page name will be displayed                              |
| ↑ ↓          | ..... Select desired page                                      |
| P            | ..... Enter the page   |
| ↑ ↓          | ..... Select parameter   |
| P            | ..... Prepare programming. Enter access code if necessary      |
| ↑ ↓          | ..... Change value.  |
| P            | ..... If you hold the key, the values change faster and faster |
| P            | ..... Confirm programming                                      |
| P (> 2 sec.) | ..... Page name will be displayed again                        |

## Access Protection

Except the temperature setpoints, parameters can be changed only after entering a correct access code. If you want to change such a parameter after pushing the "P"-key, then the following display appears:

Now the controller expects the entry of a code number .

This code number is always 88. Enter it by the up/down keys and confirm it by pressing "P" again.

If no key is pushed for about 3 minutes, the code number must be entered again.

## Manual Defrost

- Start manual defrost:
- Select "d50" (Defrost Page),
  - Set it to "on" and confirm.



If the defrost limitation probe is warmer than the defrost limitation temperature (d31) and the minimum defrost temperature (d30) is set to "0", defrost cannot be initiated manually.



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## Cold Storage Controller

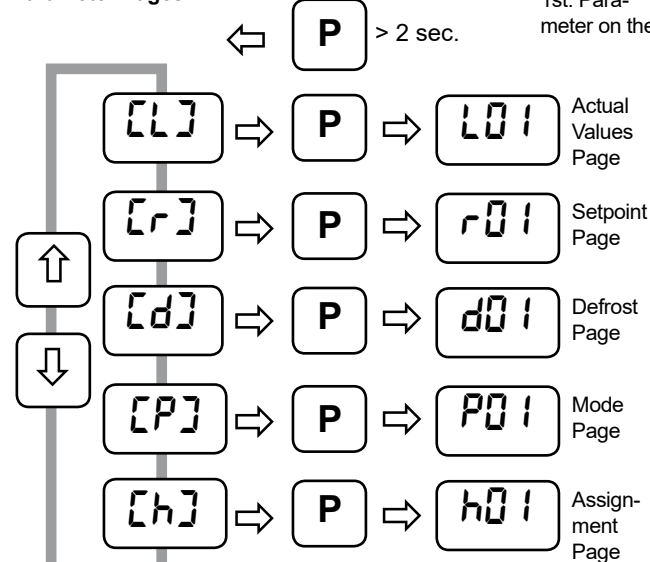
## EVP 1140 EVP 1140/ST

from Software Version 1.16

Certain functions may be missing for controllers with older software versions!



## Parameter Pages



Attention

**Please note safety instructions !**

## Technical Data

Supply Voltage ..... 12-24V AC, 50-60Hz, 18-33V DC, max. 5,5VA



If the controller works with a pressure transmitter, the AC voltage should be between 15..18V.

Ambient Temperature ..... 0...+50°C

Max. Ambient Humidity ..... 85% r.F., not condensing

Analogue Inputs ..... 4x Temperature Sensors TF 201 (PTC) or TF 501 (Pt 1000) as well as customer specific probes  
1x pressure transducer 0(2)-10V (scalable), Ri=69 kOhm

Measuring ranges ..... TF 501 (Pt1000) ..... -100°C...+200°C  
of the probe inputs TF 201 (PTC, 2 kΩ at 25°C) ..... -50°C...+100°C

So1 ..... -40°C...+25°C

So2 ..... -50°C...+50°C

TF 202 (PTC, 990 Ω at 25°C) ..... -55°C...+100°C



**The temperature ranges of the probe heads and cables must be observed !**

Accuracy ..... ±0.5K in range -35...25°C within the ambient temperature range 10...30°C

Digital Inputs ..... 2x mains voltage, 3mA max.  
Overvoltage Category II, pollution degree 2

Relay Outputs ..... 1x SPDT, 2x SPST, potential free, 8A res/3A ind./250V  
Overvoltage Category III, pollution degree 2

EEx-Valve Output ..... 1x Solid-State-Relay (SSR), each max. 1A / 250VAC  
Overvoltage Category III, pollution degree 2



**Please note the information at the connection plan about a necessary snubber circuit at the SSR output!**

Pressure Transmitter (2-wire) Supply ..... DC, unregulated, 40 mA max.  
Voltage depends on the used transmitter

Display/Parameter Ranges ..... see parameter pages

Data Interface ..... RS 485

Data storage ..... unlimited

Real Time Clock ..... automatic summer/winter switch,  
about 10 days clock backup without mains voltage

Connecting Terminals

**EVP 1140** ..... screw terminals 2,5mm<sup>2</sup>

**EVP 1140/ST** .....pluggable screw terminals 2,5mm<sup>2</sup> (mains voltage in/out)  
pluggable screw terminals 1,5mm<sup>2</sup> (all low voltages)

Housing / Protection class ..... 77 x 35 mm, IP 54 from front

## Accessories

- Temperature Probe TF 201 or TF 501
- Pressure Transmitter DG -1/9 2-10V with 2-10VDC output
- PC-Software "COOLVision"  
Module "COOLVision-MES" for remote control and configuration  
Modules "COOLVision-Analyse" and "COOLVision-SMM"  
for data logging, visualization and alarm forwarding.

## New refrigerants without firmware update



If you use a refrigerant that is not available in the controller, you can set the refrigerant parameter P55 to „SET“.

This gives you the option of mapping a refrigerant using parameters P37, P38, P39 and P40. The necessary settings for these parameters can be found on our homepage in the download area.



## Cleaning

The use of a dry, lint-free cloth is sufficient to clean the product.  
Never use liquids or acidic fluids! Risk of damage!

## CONNECTION INFORMATION & SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS



The guarantee will lapse in case of damage caused by failure to comply with these operating instructions! We shall not be liable for any consequent loss! We do not accept liability for personal injury or damage to property caused by inadequate handling or non-observance of the safety instructions! The guarantee will lapse in such cases.

This manual contains additional safety instructions in the functional description. Please note them!



If you notice any damage, the product may not be connected to mains voltage! Danger of Life!

A riskless operation is impossible if:

- The device has visible damages or doesn't work
- After a long-time storage under unfavourable conditions
- The device is strongly dragged or wet
- After inadequate shipping conditions

- Never use this product in equipment or systems that are intended to be used under such circumstances that may affect human life. For applications requiring extremely high reliability, please contact the manufacturer first.

**• The product may only be used for the applications described on page 1.**

**• Electrical installation and putting into service must be done from qualified personnel.**

**• During installation and wiring never work when the electricity is not cut-off ! Danger of electric shock!**

**• To prevent electrical shock, the device may only be operated in a closed control cabinet or control box.**

**• Never operate unit without housing.  
Danger of electric shock!**

**• All 'PE' terminals must be connected to ground.  
Danger of electric shock!** Additionally, the internal noise filter will not work, faulty indicated values may occur.

**• Please note the safety instructions and standards of your place of installation!**



- Before installation: Check the limits of the controller and the application (see tech. data). Check amongst others:
  - Make sure that all wiring has been made in accordance with the wiring diagram in this manual.
  - Supply voltage (is printed on the type label).
  - Environmental limits for temperature/humidity.
  - Maximum admitted current rate for the relays. Compare it with the peak start-up currents of the controlled loads (motors, heaters, etc.).
 Outside these limits malfunction or damages may occur.

• Sensor/probe cables must be shielded. Don't install them in parallel to high-current cables. Shielding must be connected to PE at the end close to the controller. If not, inductive interferences may occur.

• Please note for elongation: The wire gauge is not critical, but should have 0,5mm<sup>2</sup> as a minimum.

• Mounting the controller close to power relays is unfavourable. Strong electro-magnetic interference, malfunction may occur!

• Take care that the wiring of interface lines meets the necessary requirements.

• All used temperature sensors must be identical. Never use different types at the same time. This will not work.

• TF-type sensors are not designed for being immersed in fluids permanently. In such a case, always use dip-fittings. With extreme temperature variations, the sensor may be damaged.

• Note the data sheets of the used probes. The maximum measuring range of the controller can only be reached with a probe which allows this. If a probe with a limited range will be used, a defect may occur.

## Display of actual values and states

All actual values are shown on the "Actual Values Page" (L1 J).

### Status of the controller unit

If the 4 status LED's on the right side are blinking simultaneously and the display shows "oFF" at L46, all control functions are disabled by digital input or data interface.

### Display of temperatures

"L01" - "L04" (Actual Values Page) show the actual temperature value of the sensors 1-4. "L05" shows a temperature value which is calculated from the pressure value of the transmitter and the selected refrigerant table, "L07" shows the 'virtual' temperature value.

With "P31"- "P34" and "P36" (Mode Page) this displays can be calibrated.

### Setpoints

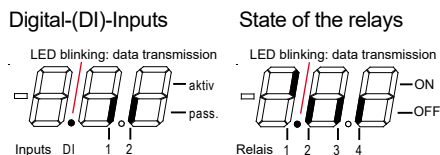
The active day or night setpoints are indicated by a luminous left decimal point.

### Time information

The Actual Values Page contains all runtime- / remaining time information, so the times up to the start of a function can be read.

### Status of inputs/outputs

"L60" and "L61" (Actual Values page) show the current states of the digital inputs, the relays and a data transmission.



Analogue Output: Parameter L50, value in %

### Temperature Probes

These types of temperature probes can be used: TF 201, TF 501, So1, So2 and TF 202.

The type of sensor can be set by 'P35' (Mode Page).



**Please do not use the TF 201 sensor if you work with Electronic Expansion Valves.**

## 'Permanent Parameter' - Function

After power-up of the controller, the display will indicate the 'permanent parameter' after some seconds (or in case of a failure it will display the current failure). This can also be read if you don't touch a key for more than 3 minutes.

If you think that it is suggestive to show any sensor value as permanent parameter, do the following:

### Change permanent parameter

- Select the parameter you want to have as 'permanent parameter'
- Press "↑" and "↓" simultaneously. The display shows "888" for a moment, after that the selected parameter will be shown as the 'permanent parameter'.

## Error Messages / Error Memory / Error Codes

If a failure occurs, the controller will show parameter P43 with an error code with a flashing display automatically. Always the last 15 error messages keep memorized with date and time of their appearance and can be read-out via data interface.

----	no error
5E1	error in assignment page, e.g. function selected too often or cooling is assigned to a SPST relay and the "cooling mode" (Mode Page) is set to "in"
t h i	alarm sensor, overtemperature
t l o	alarm sensor, under temperature
t 1 b	temperature sensor #1 broken,
t 2 b	temperature sensor #2 broken,
t 3 b	temperature sensor #3 broken,
t 4 b	temperature sensor #4 broken,
t 5 b	Analog IN 0-10V broken,
d b t	number of defrost cycles without termination by temperature exceeded, maybe too many ice or heater malfunction.
r r t	cooling has achieved maximum runtime. This message is only active at point-in-time set by P42 (mode page).
r d o	door contact is open too long. This message is only active at point-in-time set by P42 (mode page).
d o r	door X is open
a P c	alarm at digital input X
c h p	safety chain open
h r d	hardware failure

If a sensor is shorted or broken, a time delay of 5 seconds takes effect before an alarm will be activated.

## Configuration Concept

The inputs/outputs of the EVP-cold storage controller have no fixed tasks. The EVP works with a **"free configurable"** concept, this means that all available inputs and outputs (*relays, sensors, digital inputs, analogue output*) can be configured to work with any integrated control function or control circuit.

### Sensors

Each sensor can fulfill each function, even up to 3 functions at the same time. (Function (a) of sensor X, Function (b) of sensor X, Function (c) of sensor X, X = sensor#). e.g.:

1. Control sensor/alarm sensor at the same time
2. Defrost limitation sensor and control sensor at the same time, e.g. to control a refrigerated shelf by the temperature of its air outlet.

### Virtual Sensors

Both sensors can be combined to a 'virtual' sensor to realize averaging with selectable emphasis.

### Digital inputs (DI)

Each digital input can be assigned to one of the possible functions. How the input reacts (high/low) can also be fixed by the function.

### Relay Outputs

Each relay can be used to control one of the possible functions. The same function can even be assigned to multiple relays.

### Parameter

Parameters of functions which are not assigned will not appear in the parameter pages to improve survey.

### Assignment

The function of each input and output can be preset on the 'assignment page'. The assignment can be done by keys or via interface.

## Configuration of the controller

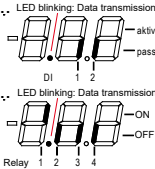
Example of a configuration sequence (incomplete):


Action	Key	Display	Remarks
enter page listing	"P"	(A)	hold key for > 2 seconds
select assignment page	"↑↓"	(h)	
enter assignment page	"P"	h01	h01 is the 1st parameter on the page and determines the function of relay 1
displaying the function of relay 1	"P"	any	
new assignment of relay 1	"P"	C00	(Code expected) only if no key key is hit for about 3 minutes
enter access code	"↑"	C88	
confirm	"P"	any	
select function	"↑↓"	ALA	ALA = alarm relay
confirm	"P"	h01	parameter # will be displayed again
select new in-/output	"↑↓"	h02	determines the function of relay 2
displaying the function of relay 2	"P"	any	
new assignment of relay 2	"P"	any	
select function	"↑↓"	dF1	dF1 = defrost relay (evaporator 1)
confirm	"P"	h02	parameter # will be displayed again

**Repeat this steps until all inputs and outputs are assigned to the desired functions.**

## Parameter Pages



## Actual Values Page [L]

Param.	Disp.	Note	Range	Factory Setting
L01	X	Actual temperature at sensor 1 (can be corrected +/- 10K)	°C	---
L04	X	Actual temperature at sensor 4	°C	---
L05	X	Actual temp, calculated from pressure+refrigerant	°C	---
L07	X	Virtual temperature value, calculated from real values and selected emphasis	°C	---
L09	X	Actual superheat temperature	K	---
L16	X	Current superheat setpoint	K	---
L17	X	Active superheat minimum value	K	---
L18	X	Active superheat maximum value	K	---
L19	X	Active superheat setpoint set	1 = setpoint rate 1 2 = setpoint rate 2	---
L21	X	Runtime of cooling	24.0 h:(10min) max.	00:00
L22	X	Runtime of open door	24.0 h:(10min) max.	00:00
L31	X	Remaining time of open door	240 minutes max.	---
L32	X	Remaining time of temperature alarm delay	120 minutes max.	---
L33	X	Remaining defrost time	minutes	---
L34	X	Remaining defrost idle time	minutes	---
L35	X	Remaining fan start delay time	minutes	---
L36	X	Remaining compressor idle time	minutes	---
L41	X	Solenoid valve	0, 1, OFF	---
L42	X	State of the Electronic Expansion Valve, actual aperture size in % or state	---	---
L43	X	Day/Night Operation	on, OFF	---
L44	X	Operation state of the controller unit	on, OFF	---
L60	X	State of digital inputs DI1 and DI2	---	---
L61	X	States of relays 1-4		---

 - Parameters marked by "Disp" are for information only and cannot be changed.

## Setpoint Page [r]

Param.	Disp.	Note	Range	Factory Setting
r01		Setpoint Layer	1, 2	1
r02		Setpoint 1 (day)	-100/+100°C	-20°C
r03		Setpoint 2 (night)	-100/+100°C	-20°C
r04		Setpoint 1 (day), Setpoint Layer 2	-100/+100°C	-20°C
r05		Setpoint 2 (night), Setpoint Layer 2	-100/+100°C	-20°C
r06	X	The currently active setpoint	-100/+100°C	---
r15		Fan limitation value	-100,0/+100,0°C	100°C
r16		Hysteresis of the fan limitation value	0, 1...20K	2.0K
r10		Hysteresis	0, 1...20K	2 K
r22		Fan start delay	0...30 (min.)	5 min.
r23		Fan trailing delay	0...30 (min.)	0 min.
r31		Runtime check cooling (in 10 minute steps)	OFF, 00.0...23.5	OFF
r32		Runtime check door (in 10 minute steps)	OFF, 00.0...23.5	OFF
r33		Minimum compressor idle time	0...30 min.	0 min.
r34		Cooling delay after mains voltage loss	0...30 min.	0 min.
r41		Alarm offset (relative to the setpoint)	0...100K	7 K
r42		Alarm offset, Layer 2 (relative to the setpoint)	0...100K	7 K
r43		Lower Alarm Limit (absolute value, threshold for low temperature limitation/alarm)	-100/+100°C	-50°C
		<b>!! Function cannot be switched off.</b>		
r44		Lower Alarm Limit, Layer 2 (absolute value)	-100/+100°C	-50°C
r45		Temperature Alarm Delay	0...120 min.	45 min.
r46		Release time of safety chain	0...60 sec.	60 sec.
r58		Cooling/Heating Relay Time Period	1...240 sec.	1 sec.
r59		Cooling/Heating Relay ON-Time	1...240 sec.	240 sec.
r61		Digital inputs alarm delay	0...120 min.	5 min.
r62		Digital inputs door contact delay	1...240 min.	5 min.

If this point is ON while displaying a parameter number (marked with X), the parameter is active at present

## Defrost Page [d]

Param.	Disp.	Note	Range	Factory Setting
d01		Fan during defrost	on, OFF	OFF
d02		Defrost Mode	Ext = external only Int = extern+intern AdR = adaptive	Int
d03		Fan operation before defrost	0...15 minutes	3 minutes
d04	X	Time up to defrost (in 10-minutes steps)	48.0 h/min.	00.0
d05		Maximum time up to defrost (10-minutes steps)	02.0...48.0 h/min	24.0 h
d11		Defrost release time 1 (in 10-minutes steps)	00.0 - 23.5, OFF	05.0
d12		Defrost release time 2 (in 10-minutes steps)	00.0 - 23.5, OFF	OFF
d13		Defrost release time 3 (in 10-minutes steps)	00.0 - 23.5, OFF	OFF
d14		Defrost release time 4 (in 10-minutes steps)	00.0 - 23.5, OFF	OFF
d15		Defrost release time 5 (in 10-minutes steps)	00.0 - 23.5, OFF	OFF
d16		Defrost release time 6 (in 10-minutes steps)	00.0 - 23.5, OFF	OFF
d30		Minimum defrost time	0...30 minutes	0 min.
d31		Defrost limitation temperature	0.0°C...100°C	14.0°C
d32		Max. defrost runtime (defrost safety time)	0...240 minutes	45 min.
d33		Alarm time extension after defrost	0...60 minutes	30 min.
d34		Pulse-defrost threshold	-5.0...+100°C	100°C
d35		Cooling pause after defrost (drain time)	0...30 minutes	0 min.
d36	X	Duration of last defrost	minutes	---
d37		Number of defrost cycles limited by time, then alarm	OFF, 1-15	OFF
d38		Break before defrost	0...15 minutes	0 min
d50		Manual defrost initialization	on, OFF	---



## Mode Page [P]

Param.	Disp.	Note	Range	Factory Setting
P01		Assigned to compressor compound # (0 = not assigned)	0, 1, 2, 3	1
P02		Fan operation mode	Int = Interval, PEr = Permanent Add = Special mode pos. room temp. + latency heat utilization nor = normal, In = inverted	Int
P03		Cooling / Fan relay mode (! note correct relay wiring)		nor
P04		Emergency mode if sensor fails in % of the max. power	0...100%	50%
P11		Frame heater, period time	10...60 minutes	15 min.
P12		Frame heater, pulse width (day operation)	0...100%	100%
P13		Frame heater, pulse width (night operation)	0...100%	100%
P14	X	Current Pulse Width of the frame heater (eventually shifted by a VPR-host)		
P21		Night operation ON at (in 10 min-steps)	00.0...23.5, OFF	OFF
P22		Night operation OFF at (in 10 min-steps)	00.0...23.5, OFF	OFF
P31		Calibration of sensor 1	± 10.0	0.0
P32		Calibration of sensor 2	± 10.0	0.0
P33		Calibration of sensor 3	± 10.0	0.0
P34		Calibration of sensor 4	± 10.0	0.0
P35		Sensor type (with EEx valves only use 501 types !)	501=TF501, 201=TF201, 501, 502= cust.spec 202= TF202	501
P36		Calibration of temp. value calculated from pressure/refrigerant	+/-10.0, adjustable	0.0 K
P37		Refrigerant f3	0...13	0
P38		Refrigerant f2	-999...+999	0
P39		Refrigerant f1	-999...+999	100
P40		Refrigerant f0	-999...+999	0
P41		Under temperature Alarm	on, OFF	on
P42		Runtime message at (time)	0...23 o'clock, OFF	6 o'clock
P43	X	Current failure		
P53		Lower limit of pressure transmitter	-1.0...+90.0 bar	-1.0 bar
P54		Upper limit of pressure transmitter	-1.0...+90.0 bar	+9.0 bar
P55		Used refrigerant --- = switched OFF : EEx-valve control not possible, control only by temperature probe	SEt, --, 1= NH3, 2= R134a, 3= R22, 4= R23, 5= R404a, 6= R507, 7= R404a, 8= R402b, 9= R407C (wet steam), 10 = R407C (due p.), 11 = R123, 12 = R290, 13 = CO2, 14 = R502, 15=R 723, 16= R410A, 17= R407F (due p.), 18= R448A, 19= R449A, 20=R1270	0
P56		Lower voltage limit of pressure transmitter input	0.0...10.0 V (V < P56 : error message)	0 V
P57		Upper voltage limit of pressure transmitter input	0.0...10.0 V (V > P57 : error message)	10.0 V
P60		Superheat (depends on evaporator) minimum value	0.0...50.0 K	8.0 K
P61		MOP (Limitation of evaporation temperature, depends on compressor resp. plant)	-100.0...+100.0°C	+100.0°C
P62		P-Part of the Expansion Valve Control	0.1...20.0 K	8.0 K
P63		I-Part of the Expansion Valve Control	1...999 sec	240 sec
P65		Superheat, maximum value	2.0...100.0K	8.0K
P66		Limitation of EEx-valve signal	0...100%	100%
P67		Actuating Variable Delay (EEx-valve) / step size	1...100%	100%
P68		Actuating Variable Delay (EEx-valve) / output delay	0...240 sec	0
P69		Superheat minimum value setpoint set 2	0.0...50.0 K	8.0 K
P70		Superheat maximum value setpoint set 2	0.0...100.0 K	8.0 K
P71		Superheat limitation minimum	0.0...10.0 K	4.0 K
P72		Cool down start	on, OFF	OFF
P73		Cool down interval 1 (step time cool down curve)	0 = off, 1...24 h	12 h
P74		Cool down step 1 (temperature change per step time)	0.5...5.0 K	1.5 K
P75		Cool down pause	0...168 h	72 h
P76		Cool down threshold	-50.0...+50.0°C	0.0 °C
P77		Cool down interval 2 (step time cool down curve)	0 = off, 1...24 h	12 h
P78		Cool down step 2 (temperature change per step time)	0.5...5.0 K	1.5 K
P79	X	Software version		
P81		Standard of summer/winter switch	OFF, on = EU since '96	on
P82, P83		Year, Month		
P84, P85		Day, Hour		
P86, P87		Minute, Second		
P90		Address of the controller unit in a network	0 - 78	78
P91		Data transmission speed (Baudrate)	Aut(o), 12(00)...576(00)	96(00)

## Assignment Page [h]

Param.	Disp	Note	Range	Factory Setting
h01		Function of relay 1 (K1).....	---. on= continuous on, rEF= cooling, dF1= defrost 1... dF3= def.3	rEF
h02		Function of relay 2 (K2).....	FRn = fan, RLn = alarm, FRn = frame heater, rol = roller blind,	dF1
h03		Function of relay 3 (K3).....	lit = light, HER = heater, EEP = EExValve, Un1 = Relay OFF	FRn
h04		Function of relay 4 (SSR4).....	with "controller OFF", continuous ON while normal operation	EEP
h11		Function (a) of sensor 1 (S1).....	dto. ....	con
h12		Function (b) of sensor 1 (S1).....	--- = off, con = control sens., dF1 = defrost limit. sens 1,	RLn
h13		Function (c) of sensor 1 (S1).....	dF2 = defrost limit. sensor 2, dF3 = defrost limit. sensor 3,	---
h17		Sensor 1, emphasis for virtual sensor.....	RLn = alarm sensor, d15 = display only sensor,	0%
h21		Function (a) of sensor 2 (S2).....	inL = inlet sensor, out = outlet sensor, FRn = fan sensor	dF1
h22		Function (b) of sensor 2 (S2).....	dto. ....	---
h23		Function (c) of sensor 2 (S2).....	dto. ....	---
h27		Sensor 2, emphasis for virtual sensor.....	0...100% .....	0%
h31		Function (a) of sensor 3 (S3).....	dto. ....	inL
h32		Function (b) of sensor 3 (S3).....	dto. ....	---
h33		Function (c) of sensor 3 (S3).....	dto. ....	---
h37		Sensor 3, emphasis for virtual sensor.....	0...100% .....	0%
h41		Function (a) of sensor 4 (S4).....	dto. ....	out
h42		Function (b) of sensor 4 (S4).....	dto. ....	---
h43		Function (c) of sensor 4 (S4).....	dto. ....	---
h47		Sensor 4, emphasis for virtual sensor.....	0...100% .....	0%
h71		Function (a) of the virtual sensor.....	dto. (the same like the real sensors)	---
h72		Function (b) of the virtual sensor.....	---	---
h73		Function (c) of the virtual sensor.....	---	---
h51		Function of digital input (OK/DI) 1 .....	--- = switched off, dEF= external defrost,	---
			dnL = night operat., act. low, dnH= night operat., act. high,	
			oFL= unit oFF, act. low, oFH= unit oFF, act. high,	
			chR= Safety chain, SEt= Setpoint layer, doh= Door contact (active),	
			RLn= external alarm, RnR= Analogue output to fixed value,	
			rLL= Cooling lock, act. low, rLH= Cooling lock, act. high,	
			rFL= Cooling release, act. low, rFH= Cool. rel., act. high,	
			S2L= Superheat setpoint set 2 (passive),	
			S2H= Superheat setpoint set 2 (active),	
			doL= Door contact (passive)	
h52		Function of digital input (OK/DI) 2 .....	dto. ....	---



Parameters marked by "Disp" are for information only and cannot be changed.

## 'Physical' and 'virtual' sensors

1. Each 'physical' (real) sensor is able to fulfill up to 3 functions at the same time (see Assignment Page), any sensor is able to do the same job.  
Up to 4 control sensors can be assigned the same time. If the warmest of them reaches setpoint + hysteresis, then cooling starts.

2. It is possible to create a 'virtual' sensor to realize different kinds of averaging, e.g. multiple sensors in a huge room or averaging of inlet and outlet sensor in a chest freezer. The 'virtual' sensor resp. value (L07) follows from the selectable emphasis of the sensors which must have an effect on the result (h17, h27, h37, h47, Assignment Page). The functions assigned to this 'sensors' (h71, h72, h73, Assignment Page) are the same as the functions for the 'physical' sensors.

**Example:** If the 'physical' sensor 1 got the function "con" (control sensor) and also the 'virtual' sensor, then the warmer one initiates refrigeration.

- Selection of a "virtual sensor":
  - Assignment of a function by **h71-h73**
- Selection of a 'physical' sensor which must have an effect on the result :
  - Activating of the sensor by assigning a function (e.g. display only sensor)
- Set emphasis for the selected sensor (h17, h27, h37, h47).

**i** Notice The sum of all emphasis values must be 100%. **Example:**

If sensor 1 and sensor 2 must have an effect on the result and you set "h17" to "30%" and "h27" to "60%", then you get the error message "SEL" (assignment error).

### Further causes for the error message "SEL"

- The sum of all emphasis parameters is 100%, but no virtual sensor function is selected
- All 4 emphasis values are set to '0' and a 'virtual' sensor function is assigned
- A physical sensor is switched off, but an emphasis value > 0 is selected.

### Example 1, Chest Freezer:

For the detection of the actual value, inlet and outlet sensor must be used. Sensor 1 is mounted at the suction side (inlet) and must have an 60% influence on the result. Sensor 2 is mounted at the outlet and must have an 40% influence.

- set "h17" to "60"
- set "h27" to "40"
- set "h71" to "con" (control sensor)

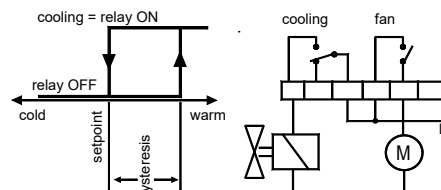
### Example 2, huge room, standard application

Sensors 1-3 must measure the rooms temperature, an arithmetic average must be calculated, sensor 4 is the defrost limitation sensor in the evaporator.

- set "h17", "h27" to "33" and "h37" to "34"
- set "h71" to "con" (control sensor)
- set "h41" to "df1"

## Cooling

**Cooling control by Solenoid Valve/Compressor**  
Cooling is controlled by switching the output relay contacts ON an OFF. For freezing applications, the N/C contact can be used (inverted mode) to secure permanent cooling in case of a controller defect, adjustable by "P03" (Mode Page).  
The point of cut-off is always the valid setpoint. If the temperature at the control sensor exceeds setpoint + hysteresis ("r10", Setpoint Page), the control relay will switch on. "P03" also affects to the switching characteristic of the fan relay.



**i** Do not use 'inverted', if compressors are controlled directly. Risk of compressor damage by continuous running!

The control relay can be locked via data interface.

### Low temperature Limitation

Can be used e.g. for refrigerated shelves with roller blinds to limit the temperature at the air outlet during night operation. When the temperature at the alarm sensor decreases the limit set by "r43" (resp. "r44", Setpoint Page) cooling will switch off. This value is the threshold for the low temperature alarm at the same time.

**i** The low temperature limitation cannot be switched off, it can only disabled by selecting a very low value. The low temperature alarm can be disabled by at **P41**.

### Second setpoint (e.g. night operation)

A second setpoint can be defined by "r03" (Setpoint Page). A change between these setpoints can be initiated by the internal clock or a digital input. The current used setpoint is marked by a lighted decimal point in the parameter display. On the 'Actual Values Page', parameter "L43" shows the current state.

#### Internal switching

The parameters "P21" and "P22" determine the 2<sup>nd</sup> setpoint period. If the internal timer is not used, set both times to "OFF".

#### External switching

The digital inputs can be configured for external switching, selectable as "dnL" (active low = no voltage) or "dnH" (active high). After the input has been activated, the 2<sup>nd</sup> setpoint is active all time and cannot be changed by the internal timer.

If you want to use external switching only, please set "P21" and "P22" to "OFF".

### Second Set of Setpoints

The controller offers two complete setpoint sets including day/night setpoints and alarm limits.

**Example Application:** Changing a cold room from refrigeration to freezing for temporary storage of other products by an external switch. Even here the currently used setpoint is marked by a lighted decimal point in the parameter display.

### Toggleing between the setpoint layers

1. internal: by parameter "r01" (Setpoint Page)
2. external: assign function "SEt" to a digital input. If connected to mains phase, the 2<sup>nd</sup> layer is in use.



Please note while switching by digital input, that "r01" is set to "1"

## Time-controlled Cooling (Cool down)

In order to meet the structural requirements when commissioning cold rooms, this function can be used to automatically delay the cool down using a three-phase time control.

This "cool down" is started manually with parameter "P72". Cool down begins at the current actual value of the temperature sensor, reduced by one cool down step.

### - Phase 1

Parameter "P73" defines a cool down interval for the first cool down phase. After each cool down interval the setpoint is lowered by one cool down step entered at "P74".

### - Phase 2

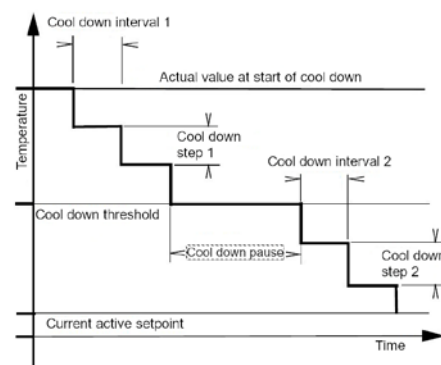
With "P75" a cool down pause is determined. During this time the temperature is held at the value entered at "P76". After the end of this cool down pause the next cool down phase starts.

### - Phase 3

Parameter "P77" sets the cool down interval for the second cool down phase. After each cool down interval the setpoint is lowered by one cool down step entered at "P78".

"r06" in the setpoint list shows the currently active cooling setpoint.

The cool down function is deactivated when the active cooling setpoint or the actual sensor temperature reaches or falls below the cooling setpoint.



### Behavior in the event of possible errors:

The cool down function automatically restarts with the current actual value when:

- a sensor error has occurred and was fixed or
- the controller was restarted (e.g. after a power failure).

The current cooling setpoint is then calculated in the same way as after a manual start.



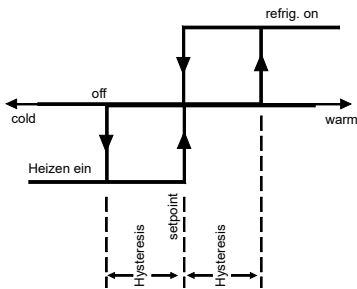
### Special Function

If an emphasis parameter value is set to 100% (others to 0), up to 6 functions can be assigned to the corresponding physical sensor. This may be of interest for applications where more than 3 sensor functions are used.

## Heating function

One relay is able to work as a heater relay. Then the control setpoint is the cut-off of heating and cooling at the same time. Cut-in temperature will be:

- for cooling: setpoint + hysteresis (r10)
- for heating: setpoint - hysteresis (r10).



## Temperature Alarm

If a relay gets the function "ALA", a temperature alarm will be forwarded by the 'Quiescent current' principle. After power-up of the controller, the alarm relay will be energized after ~4 sec. In case of a failure the relay will be de-energized after a delay timer ("r45", Setpoint Page) has been run down. LED "Alarm" shows the alarm state. If temperature comes back to the normal range, the relay will be energized again. "L32" shows the remaining time up to an alarm.

### Overtemperature Alarm

It is possible to select max. 4 (5 with the 'virtual') alarm sensors (e.g. 4x "ALA"). If the temperature at one of the alarm sensors exceeds the control setpoint + the "r41" (resp. "r42", Setpoint Page) setting, an alarm will be initiated after the delay time "r45". The alarm will be reset if the temperature falls below 'control setpoint + alarm offset - 1K'.

### Under Temperature Alarm

If the temperature at any alarm sensor gets lower than the "r43" (resp. "r44", Setpoint Page) setting, an alarm will come on with the delay explained above. This setting is an absolute value and independent from the control setpoint. At the same time, this setting works as threshold for the "low temperature limitation" function. The alarm will be reset if the temperature exceeds 'lower alarm limit + 1K'.

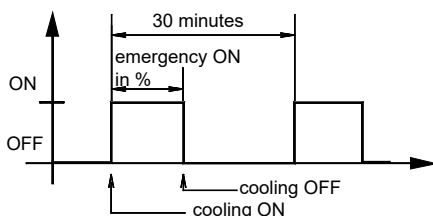
Low temperature alarm can be disabled by "P41" (Mode Page).

### Supplementary alarm delay during defrost

After a defrost cycle the temperature may take longer to stabilize and the normal alarm delay turns out to be too short. For this reason the value of parameter „d33" (defrost page) will be added on to the normal alarm delay after defrosting.

## Emergency Operation

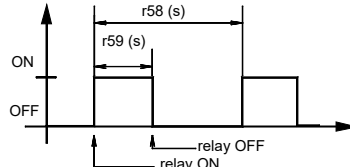
If all control sensors fail, the unit turns to an emergency mode automatically. The cooling relay cycles with a %-part (P04, Mode Page) of a 30 minutes period.



## Actuating Variable Delay

For working with control paths with wide dead times the controller offers an additional actuating variable delay.

While operating e.g. with actuating drives, the actuating variable delay can be realized by clocking the cooling/heating relays. If the controller requires an action in which a relay would be permanently switched (normally), an adjustable time period "r58" (Setpoint Page, Cooling/Heating Relay Time Period) will be started. Within this period, the relay switches ON for the time set with "r59" (Setpoint Page, Cooling/Heating Relay ON-Time).



If "r59" is set higher than or identical to "r58", then this function is disabled and the relays work normally.



**Please note the decreased lifetime of the relay contacts in cycling operation. Please care for a suitable relief or use an SSR output**

## Runtime Monitoring

The controller monitors the total running hours of the cooling output over 3 days. A 'day' is defined as the period within "P42" + 1 hour and 1 minute before the same point in time next day.

### Example:

"P42" set to 11:00 am =

Monitoring time range is from 12:00 o'clock day 1 up to 11:59 o'clock day 2.

The overall runtime of the cooling relay over a day will be added and stored ("L21", Actual Values Page). If this runtime exceeds the value set by "r31" three days in a sequence, this will cause an alarm at the hour programmed by "P42" (Mode Page). The alarm relay will be de-activated and the alarm LED switches on.

**This alarm will be cancelled automatically 1 hour later.**

## Operation with a single compressor

If a single compressor is controlled by a refrigeration relay, it is suggestive to have an idle time to prevent the machine from damages caused by short cycle operation. The compressor can restart only after the timer "r33" (Setpoint Page) has been run down. Also after a power failure the refrigeration restarts first after the time set by "r34". The remaining time up a restart can be read at "L36" (Actual Values Page).

## Digital Inputs (Optocoupler Inputs)

The functions of the digital inputs DI1/DI2 are initiated (depending on function) by mains voltage resp. 0V on the terminals 10 and 11.

### Switching OFF the controller unit

Sometimes it is necessary to switch off cold storages completely including the controller.

If the controller works in a network, the bus-master so detects a malfunction and generates an alarm. To prevent this, the unit must be switched OFF via digital input.

### Controller OFF

If a digital input is assigned to the functions "oFL" or "oFH" and is activated by the matching signal, then all control functions will be disabled. All alarm functions are locked and the display shows "oFF".

### Cooling lock via digital input

With the setting "rLL" or "rLH" cooling and heating can be switched off via a digital input.

During a permanent cooling lock (longer than 4 hours) there is no overtemperature warning for a certain period. After this time the warning can occur again:

4 hours (fix)

+ Temperature Alarm Delay (r45).

+ Alarm time extension after defrost (d33)

After the cooling lock has ended, any overtemperature will be reported again at the earliest after the "Temperature Alarm Delay" and the "Alarm time extension after defrost".

### Safety Chain Monitoring

While using the controller for single compressor applications, one of the digital inputs can be used to monitor the safety chain ("chA").

Normally the digital input is connected to phase via this chain of contacts. If the chain opens, cooling and fan will switch off, a running defrost cycle will be terminated and a new defrost cycle is impossible. Parameter "r46" defines the response time on the missing signal voltage.

### Door Contact Input

If a door contact is connected to a digital input with the function "dor" and activated, then the evap fan stops immediately.

If the door is open > 3 minutes, cooling will be stopped. All other functions continue working.

If the door is open longer than the time set by "r62" (Setpoint Page), the cooling restarts and the unit generates the error message "dor".



### Exception:

**If no alarm sensor is assigned or if the temperature is above the alarm limit, cooling continues without interruption. The cooling keeps switched ON and the fan starts again, so the door opening is ignored.**

### Door open monitoring

Every time a door is opened, the controller adds the time to the total opening time of the present day "L22" (Actual Values Page). If the total opening time exceeds the value set by "r32" (Setpoint Page), an alarm will be generated.

The alarm message will be forwarded at the point in time determined by "P42" (Mode Page) and will be cancelled automatically 1 hour later. "L31" shows the remaining time up to the alarm message.

### External Alarm

The digital inputs are able to process external alarm messages. For this, the function "ALA" must be assigned (Assignment Page).

While normal operation, the input is connected to



## Temperature control with Electronic Expansion Valves

The EVP 1140 is able to control one (1) cold storage with an evaporator which is equipped with an Electronic Expansion Valve (EExV).

**In such applications, the EExV takes over the jobs of the former solenoid valve and the standard thermal expansion valve.**

### Expansion Valves

The EVP is able to drive **pulse-width modulated, cycling expansion valves** and **valves with thermal drive**.

AC type valves can be used, they are supplied by mains voltage via SSR-relay.

Missmatches valve/nozzle and evaporator will be compensated in a wide range. Because the valves need no high pressure difference to open, it's possible to work with low condensation pressures, as long as the configuration allows that.

From this, it follows a higher COP-value for the compressor and so an option for energy saving. The energy saving depends on outdoor temperature (if the condenser is located on the roof) and is higher in winter than in summer.

By the optimal filling of the evaporator and the more equable icing an additional energy saving of 2 - 5% is possible.



The unit always controls the 'virtual' aperture size of the valve to reach an optimal filling and so the optimal efficiency ratio of the evaporator.

Period time and pulse-width of the PWM-control are defined by the control algorithm (autoadaptive), disturbances like suction pressure fluctuations and flashgas will be filtered out.

### Pressure Transducer / Temperature Probe Method

To capture the superheat, a pressure transducer with 2-10V output signal and a TF 501 temperature sensor at the evaporators outlet is used. The arrangement of this parts is equivalent to the components of a thermal expansion valve.

### Variable Superheat Control / 2nd Setpoint Set

If you get a difference by the settings of **P60/P69** (Superheat, minimum value) und **P65/P70** (Superheat, maximum value), then the superheat will be shifted by the control algorithm within the ON-point (setpoint+hysteresis **r10**) and the OFF-point (setpoint). If the function is disabled, the superheat value is determined by **P60/P69** only.

Function is enabled:

**P65/P70** (Superheat, maximum value) exceeds **P60/P69**.

Function disabled:

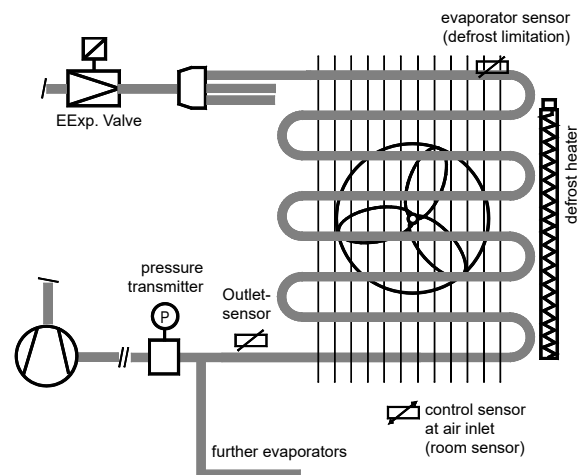
**P65/P70** is below or equal to **P60/P69**.

The setpoints for minimum **P60** and maximum superheat **P65** can be switched to a second set of setpoints **P69** and **P70**. The second setpoint set may be activated by a digital input signal or by network from a VPR system. Parameters **L17**, **L18** and **L19** show the active values.

Superheat is limited with parameter **P71** 'Superheat limitation minimum'. If the superheat value reaches or falls below the set value, the valve opening is set to 0%.

### Sensor Positions

### Pressure Transmitter/ Temperatur Sensor method



### Parameterization

The following recommendations refer to the pressure transmitter "DG -1/9 2-10V".

- L05** ..... Display of the temperature which is calculated from pressure value and refrigerant
  - L09** ..... Actual Superheat Value
  - P55** ..... Method is active as soon as the used refrigerant is selected.
  - P53** ..... Lower limit of transmitter (-1.0, relative pressure)
  - P54** ..... Upper limit of transmitter (+9.0, relative pressure)
  - P56** ..... Lower voltage limit of the pressure transmitter input. (2V. Below this 2V, an error message is generated).
  - P57** ..... Upper voltage limit of the pressure transmitter input (10V).
  - P60 / P69** ..... Superheat setpoint, minimum value (depends on evaporator)
  - P61** ..... MOP-setpoint (Maximum Opening Pressure, i.e. limitation of the evaporation temperature at the outlet. Depends on compressor resp. plant).
  - P65 / P70** ..... Superheat setpoint, maximum value
- The settings of **P60/P61** depend on the used compressor and the used evaporator.

- P62** ..... P-Part of the Expansion Valve Control
  - P63** ..... I-Part of the Expansion Valve Control
- The factory settings of **P62/P63** are almost ideal for all kind of cold storages, changes must be made with care.  
After this basic settings, all other relevant parameters must be set.

### Limitation of the EEx-Valve Signal

With this function (**P66**) the maximum opening of oversized expansion valves can be limited.

### Actuating Variable Delay for EEx-Valves

**P67** (step size) and **P68** (output delay) affect as actuating variable delay for the Electronic Expansion Valve, both for the analogue output as well as the relay output. The OFF-value (0%) will be initiated immediately with: Controller OFF, solenoid valve locking, cooling OFF because of an open door, defrost initiation

### Information

Parameter "**L42**" (Actual Values Page) shows the state of the EEx-valve permanently.

## Defrost

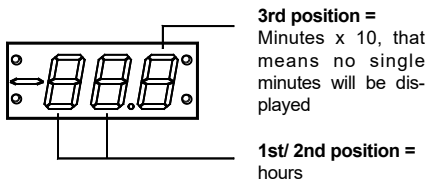
The EVP allows several, different defrost methods. The evaporator is monitored by a defrost termination sensor. According to the application, the fan may stop or run during the defrost cycle.

- **"d02"** (Defrost Page) fixes the defrost initiation mode.
  - **"Etn"**: Defrost is initiated by a digital input
  - **"Int"**: Defrost can be initiated by digital input or the internal time-switch.
  - **"AdA"**: Defrost is controlled by the intelligent (adaptive) defrost algorithm

Electric defrost heaters are always switched by the N/O contact of the defrost relay. **"L33"** shows the remaining time up to the end of the defrost cycle.

### Defrost release by internal timer

With parameters **"d11"...****"d16"** (Defrost Page) you can set six (6) possible defrost release times. This points-in-time can be set in 10 minute steps only, that means a defrost time like 6:55 is impossible. Times on the display:



The precondition for the start of a defrost cycle is that at least one of the defrost termination sensors detects a temperature below limitation temperature. If parameter **"d02"** is set to **"Etn"** (external only), a defrost cycle cannot be initiated by the timer.



**Please note that this function differs with the 'adaptive' defrost method**

### External (Remote) Defrost Initiation

To start de-icing by a digital input, note that mains phase has to be applied for 3 seconds minimum.

### Break before defrost

Parameter **"d38"** (defrost page) effects a delayed energizing of the heater at the beginning of the defrost cycle. By this, the rest of the evaporators chilliness can be blown to the storage. So the defrost heaters must deliver less energy, because the evaporator is already warmed up.

### Minimum Defrost Time

For special applications a minimum defrost time may be useful. With parameter **"d30"** a period of time of 0...30 minutes can be set. If this time is set higher than the defrost safety time, the defrost will be limited with the end of the safety time. With this minimum defrost time it will also be ignored if the defrost limitation sensor has already exceeded the limitation value or there is a failure at this probe.

### Defrost termination by temperature

Defrost is individually terminated for each defrost output by the corresponding defrost (evaporator) sensor. This evaporator sensor must be placed at a position where, by experience, ice remains the longest time. If the temperature rises at that position, the ice in the evaporator is probably melted completely. A defrost cycle is completed as soon as the defrost sensor has reached the defrost limitation temperature **"d31"** (Defrost Page) and the minimum defrost time **"d30"** has been run down. If 2 defrost sensors are assigned, **both** sensors must achieve the limitation temperature to terminate defrost.

### Defrost termination by time

If no defrost sensors are assigned or if they are out of order, the defrost cycle will be terminated after **"d32"** (Defrost Page) has been run down. **"L33"** shows the remaining time up to termination.

### Defrost termination time monitoring

The unit captures the number of defrost cycles which are terminated by time (min. 1 defrost term. sensor must be assigned). If the number of defrost cycles terminated by time exceeds the number programmed by **"d37"** (Defrost Page) an alarm message will be generated. With this function, massive icing or defective defrost heaters can be recognized timely and reliable.



In case of airflow-defrost without evaporator sensor, this function must be disabled (**"oFF"**), because here every defrost will be terminated by timer and no alarm message is desired.

### Cooling Delay (drain time)

After defrost is terminated, the solenoid valve keeps locked for the time set by **"d35"** (Defrost Page). **"L34"** shows the remaining time up to the restart of cooling.

### Manual Defrost

A manual defrost initiation is possible at any time.

To start manual defrost:

Select **"d50"** (Defrost Page),  
set it to **"on"** and confirm.

Stop manual defrost

Select **"d50"** (Defrost Page),  
set it to **"oFF"** and confirm.



If the defrost limitation sensor is warmer than the defrost limitation temperature (d31) and the minimum defrost time (d30) is set to 0, the defrost **cannot** be started manually.

### Pulsed Defrost

To save energy it's possible to work with a pulsed (switched in intervals) defrost function. If the evaporator temperature is located within **"d34"** (Defrost Page) and the limitation temperature **"d31"** (the value of **"d34"** must be lower than limitation temperature), the controller determines about the optimal heat distribution in the evaporator depending on the gradients of the temperature. The heater will be switched on in controlled periods until the defrost limitation temperature is reached.

The result of this procedure:

- Heat energy in the evaporator will be distributed much better
- Defrost limitation temperature can be set to a lower value
- Less of humidity in the chamber
- Save of energy by optimized heat distribution and lower limitation temperature

### Display Hold (DH) while defrost

This function allows to hold the last measured actual temperature value on the display during the defrost cycle before defrost starts.

After the defrost cycle has been terminated, the display shows the last measured value until:

- the current measured value becomes smaller than the 'hold' temperature +2K or
- 15 minutes after the end of the defrost the display switches to the current value automatically.

While this period of time, the 'hold' value will be transmitted also via the data interface. At the same time, the **real** value is only available for internal use and cannot be used external (e.g. for data logging).

This function can be initiated by the sensor function **"HLd"** (Assignment Page) and can be combined with any sensor.

If the actual value is necessary while this time, the virtual sensor can be used as DH-sensor. If for this virtual sensor a real sensor (with DH-function) is used, then this function will be ignored and the current value will be used for value weighting.

## Intelligent Defrost (adaptive defrost) for Walk-In Coolers

### Main Characteristics

This defrost control method fits especially for **cold stores** and freezers which are closed (like walk-ins).

**i** It is **less efficient** in applications where the limitation sensor is located in the airflow (e.g. open chest freezers).

This technique **reduces significantly the amount of energy** the refrigeration plant needs.

Especially while **difficult situations** (like high air-humidity, in cool-down chambers, while long opening times of the door of the cold storage room, uneven feeding of the cold storage room, etc.) the adaptive method protects the evaporator from glaciation safely.

**Dynamic 'room-feeding' situations engage the controller to adapt itself to the new situation, without expensive adjustment by technical personnel.**

**Specialized sensors or additional probes are not required.**

### Parameterization is very easy:

- set parameter "d02" to value "AdA" (adaptive)
- set parameter "d05" (Defrost Page) to a value which is 2 or 3 times higher than the normal defrost interval. Within this period the algorithm decides independently about the point in time to defrost. After the end of this period defrost starts in all cases.
- parameter "d04" (Defrost Page) shows the time up to the next defrost.
- parameters "d34" and "d31" define the range the heater will be pulsed within.

### Process Sequence

1. While the time period set by „d05“ the controller decides itself if and at which moment a defrost cycle is necessary. If icing is detected, the controller prepares defrost and begins either immediately or at the next allowed defrost time.
2. Cooling stops, the fan goes on turning a certain time
3. The fan stops and the defrost heater starts
4. If several evaporators are installed, each one has its own defrost sensor and heater relay, so it is individually heated.
5. With working temperatures of [setpoint + hysteresis > 2,5°C] the process saves energy by increased use of the fan (**more airflow**) to reduce icing.
6. After achieving a defined evaporator temperature, the heater will be clocked in calculated periods.
7. Defrost heater cut off, limit temp. is reached.
8. Cooling and fan remain still off (drain time).
9. Restart of cooling, fan start delay / still off.
10. Normal refrigeration starts again.

### Refrigeration

Even during normal operation the fan stays on after cut-off of cooling to reduce icing.

### Recognition of icing

The more ice are on the fins the more increases the difference of temperature between room sensor and evaporator sensor. The controller uses the value of these sensors, their difference, the historic curves of these values as well as curves and duration of the past defrostings to calculate the necessity of defrosting.

### Use of latent energy by airflow

We recommend to use "d03" (defrost forerun, defrost page) to switch on the fan several minutes ahead the defrost cycle, while cooling stops and the heater is not yet on.

Additionally, the fan is switched on automatically at a certain difference between the sensors. By this, the „cooling-energy“ is brought out of the evaporator and stored in the chamber. This helps also to reduce the amount of heat energy necessary to defrost.

### Defrost start

If all six parameters release times are set to Off, the controller decides itself when it starts defrost.

- **Further time influence**  
If you want to prevent that defrost starts at certain day-times use all the defrost release times and set them to points in time where defrost is allowed. If no icing is detected, these times will be ignored.  
On the other hand, once icing detected, the controller will wait for the next defrost release time before starting a defrost cycle.
- **External command**  
Assign one of the digital inputs to "deF". By applying voltage to that input it is possible to start defrosting at every moment.

### Defrost heating

When „d34“ is achieved, the heater will be switched off. The heat energy of the resistances will dissipate slowly and melt the ice. The length of the cut-off is calculated by the controller and as soon as some criteria are fulfilled, it will switch on the heater again. The heater will be pulsed until the temperature of the evaporator sensor reaches the defrost limitation temperature "d31".

This procedure fits in the same way for the case of several evaporators in the chamber.



**By this way defrost period will take longer, but will be more efficient.**

### Emergency Operation Mode

In cases the controller recognizes that it would be incapable or too slow to control the process, or when it gets not enough information, e.g.:

- charge of unusual very humid goods
- freezer door was open a very long time
- the evaporator is sprinkled with water
- sensor broken or shortened

the emergency operation starts.

To detect malfunction of the defrost control the unit uses the limit set by "d05".

If a defrost cycle is terminated by this time, the controller starts several defrost events with the interval corresponding to one quarter (1/4) of the time programmed by "d05".

**Therefore be careful in choosing the time for this parameter.**

After the end of the disturbance the controller works on normally.

### Example

Max time to defrost is set to 24 hours. If defrost is not terminated by the evaporator sensor, the controller will start defrost cycle every  $24 / 4 = 6$  hours until a cycle will be finished by the evaporator sensor and not by timer. Independent from this procedure, a failure message will be initiated.

### End of defrost

When the defrost sensor has reached the defrost limitation temperature "d31", the heater stops and the controller waits until "d35" has expired, to allow the melted water drop to the drainage.

While the following 'drain-on' time ("r22", Setpoint Page) cooling starts, but the fan still stay OFF to prevent that the fans blow warm and humid air or water drops into the chamber.



Further information about possibilities to use latency heat you can find under "Evaporator Fan Control"

## Evaporator Fan Control

Each output relay can be configured for evaporator fan control. The fan control depends on the following parameters:

**P03** .... (cooling/fan relay mode, Mode Page)

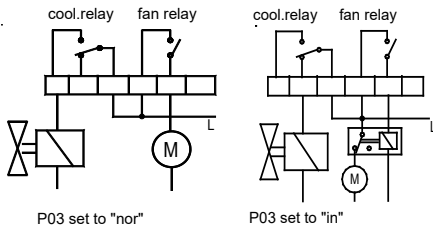
"nor" = normal refrigeration, fan will be switched by the N/O-contact of the fan relay

"in" = relay inverted, fan will be switched by opening the relay.

Only possible if an external slave relay with N/C contact is connected which switches the fan.



Attention



**P02** .... (fan operation, Mode Page), defines the characteristic of the fan during the cooling period.

"Int" = fan runs together with solenoid valve/compressor

"PER" = fan runs continuously while cooling

"Add" = Using of latency heat by a special fan control + "Special mode for room temperatures > 2,5°C", as described in chapter "Intelligent Defrost".

**d01** .... (fan during defrost, Defrost Page), defines the fan characteristic during the defrost cycle.

"on" = during defrost, fan runs continuously

"off" = fan is stopped during defrost.

### Fan start-up (freeze-on) delay

The start-up time delay for the fan after defrosting is defined by parameter "r22" (Setpoint Page). This avoids that water drops will be blown into the chamber. "L35" (Actual Values Page) show the remaining time up to the fan will switch on.

### Thermostatic Fan Control

If a sensor gets the function ,FAn', then the fan works depending on the parameters ,r15' (fan limitation value) and ,r16' (hysteresis of the fan limitation value).

The fan stops, if the temperature at the sensor ,FAn' exceeds the value ,r15+r16' and will be restarted if ,r15' is reached again.

### Examples for fan operation modes

#### 1. fan in permanent mode

This mode is mainly used in refrigerated shelves, refrigerated display counters and chest freezers

- fan is directly connected to mains voltage, not connected to the controller unit *or*
- a relay is reserved for fan control, "P02" is set to "PER", "d01" is set to "on". Drain-time "d35" is set to "0".

#### 2. fan interval mode, defrost by fan

A relay is reserved for fan control, "P02" is set to "Int", "d01" is set to "on".

#### 3. fan interval mode, defrost by electric heater/hot gaz:

A relay is reserved for fan control, "P02" is set to "Int", "d01" is set to "oFF". The fan runs while cooling is on, will be disabled during defrost periods and comes on after defrost with a time delay set by parameter "r22".

#### 4. fan in permanent mode and defrost by electric heater

A relay is reserved for fan control, "P02" is set to "PER", "d01" is set to "oFF". The fan will run continuously and stops during a defrost period only.



### Chances to exploit Latency Heat

#### 1. Fan operation mode P02 = "Add"

- If temperature falls, cooling and fan will stop with reaching the control setpoint. If the room temperature rises to a value equal to *Control Setpoint + 1/2 Hysteresis*, the fans restart under the condition that the temperature of the evaporator (detected with limitation sensor) is lower than *Control Setpoint - 1/2 Hysteresis*. So remaining coldness will be blown into the room which reduces the number of compressor starts.

- Evaporators can be de-iced already at temperatures from 2°C by forced air. When cooling stops, fans are turning on until ice and frost are melted (limitation calculated within 2...5°C, cooling switches on at -3K). Thus humidity stays in the chamber which will improve the quality of certain goods like meat or vegetables. Additionally to the compulsory "fan trailing delay" (r23, fan is forced to continue turning after cooling reached the setpoint and stopped), the fan will turn from a specific temperature [setpoint + hysteresis => +2,5°C] until the evaporator sensor has reached a certain value.

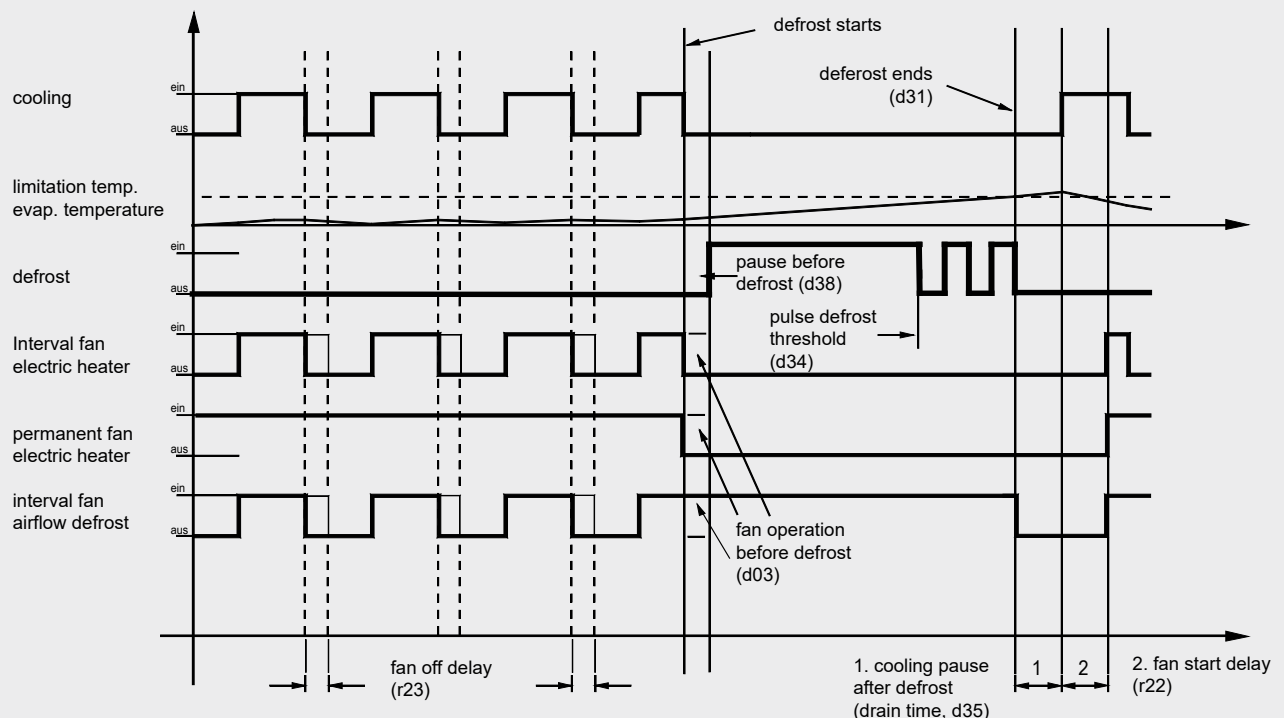


At room temperatures [setpoint+hysteresis => +2,5°C] notify to set parameter "d05" to a higher value, because a defrost start is forced if this time is past.

#### 2. Fan trailing delay

To utilize latent energy, the fan is able to run for up to further 30 minutes after the cut-off of valve or compressor ("r23", Setpoint Page).

## Fan operation modes, defrost termination using electric heaters





## Frame Heater control

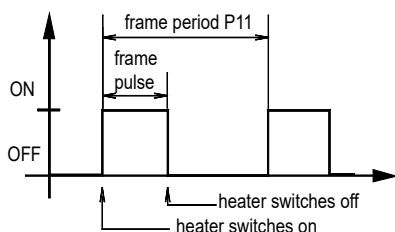
Frame heaters are used to avoid a door freezing onto the door frame. In addition it prevents condensing water around the door or on top of the frames of open chest freezers.

### Power Optimization

To optimize the power requirement of the connected heaters, the controller is able to adapt the pulse ratio (within a specific range) to the current humidity of the ambient air (market temperature). The information about current market temperature and humidity the controller gets from a superior system (VPR 5240, can also be disabled there) to calculate the absolute humidity.

If one of the relays is assigned to **"FrA"**, this will control the frame heater energy with a certain frequency and pulse-width. For day and night operation you can choose different values to save energy. The corresponding parameters on Mode Page are:

- **"P11"** defines the duration of the cycle,
- **"P12"** defines the percentage of heating during day operation within each cycle. 100% = continuous heating, 0% = off
- **"P13"** defines the percentage of heating during night operation within each cycle. 100% = continuous heating, 0% = off
- **"P14"** shows the current active ON-time of the heating, which may varied e.g. by a VPR host system.



### Limit values

- Temperature: 19-24°C
- Air Humidity: 40-70% r.H.

At the upper limit, the pulse ratio is equivalent to the value set by P11...P13. At the lower limit, the ON-time decreases by the half value.

## Roller Blind Control

To enable the EVP to control roller blinds automatically, it is necessary to assign the function **"roL"** to a relay output. The roller blind control is coupled to the day/night-mode, so the blind will be closed in night-mode. Defrosting overrides this function and opens the roller blind during a defrost period.



For this, the SPDT relay K1 or a slave relay must be used.

### Internal control:

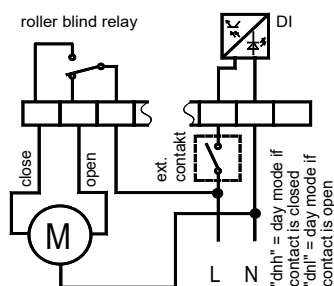
No digital input has got the functions **"dnL"** or **"dnh"**, but if yet, the input must be set to day-mode. The switch times **"P21"** (night operat. ON) and **"P22"** (night operat. OFF, Mode Page) must be programmed.

Day-Mode: Roller blind relay is de-activated, so the motor will turn the blind to the 'open'-position via the N/C contact of the relay.

Night -Mode: Roller blind relay will be activated to close the blind via the N/O contact of the relay.

### External control

A digital input has got the function **"dnL"** or **"dnh"**. Switch times **"P21"** and **"P22"** (night operation on/off) must be set to **"off"**.



If the digital input is activated, the relay switches on and closes the roller blind. After de-activating the digital input, the relay switches off and opens the roller blind via its N/C-contact.

## Real Time Clock

The built-in real time clock has a buffer for max. 10 days without mains voltage. Date and time can be set by **"P82"..."P87"** (Mode Page). An automatic summer / winter switch (**"P81"**, Mode Page) considers the current EU-rules from 1996 (EU 96), but can also be switched off.

## Light Control

One of the relays is able to control room lightings (function **"Lit"**). In this case, the relay switches together with the night settings. While 'day'-operation the light relay keeps energized.

## Networking of controllers via E-LINK

The EVP can be networked together with other ELREHA control devices via an RS-485 2-wire databus, which enables up to 78 controllers to communicate. For communication, the E-LINK transmission protocol is used. Each controller in a network has its individual address ("P90", Mode Page).



**!! Never use address 64 !!**

The data transmission rate is factory set to "96(00 baud)", if necessary, the rate can also be changed

at ("P91", Mode Page). If the controller is used outside a network, these parameters are of no importance.

### Remote control at Frontend Systems

EVP controllers can be operated remotely via interface when they are connected to Frontend Systems such as SMZ or VPR.

In this case, the Frontend System shows the EVP's display contents and the keys of the frontend work as if they were the keys of the EVP.

### Configuration / Service via PC

The controller can be linked to a PC via its RS-485 interface. By using the PC-software „Coolvision-MES“, parameters can be changed, they can be saved to the hard disk (download) and can be sent to other controllers (upload).

To do this, the PC must be equipped with an RS-485 interface (internal card or an converter of the SSC-series).

## Wiring of data lines

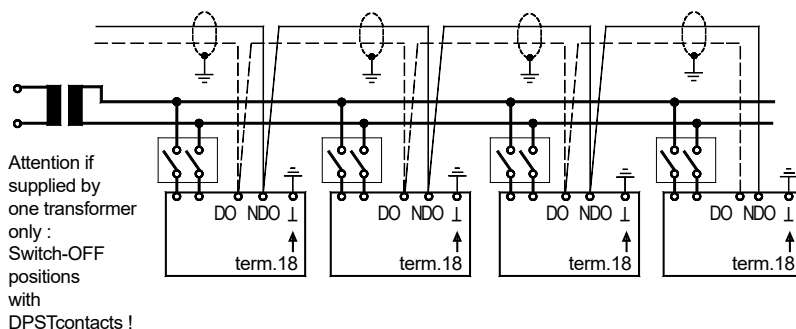
The scheme beside shows briefly, how dataline wiring of several controllers is made. At each controller, the shield has to be connected to the nearest ground terminal. If networked controllers are supplied by one transformer only and the single positions must be switched off, use double-pole switches only.

If not, the unit will be supplied partially over the shielding of the data connection and continues operation depending on the secondary voltage of the transformer. Please note: If a unit is not supplied, the PC-software notifies a unit breakdown with complete justification !

A better way is not to switch-off the supply voltage but to disable the unit by a digital input (Parameter h61 and h62).



**Never connect secondary coil of the transformer to PE !  
Danger of destruction with networking!**



## Communication with the VPR Compound Controller System

The EVP-controller can be used as intelligent cold storage controller in co-operation with the compound control system VPR.

In this case, the VPR central processing unit monitors the EVP.

When the EVP's are connected to the compound controller, each one needs an individual address ("P90", Mode Page)

For the EVP's there is a possibility of assigning each controller to a certain compound ("P01", Mode Page). This enables the VPR to transmit specific information to the cold storage controllers assigned to the compound where a failure occurs. Additionally, the information exchange allows different optimizing methods for suction and condensing control.

More detailed information you will find in the technical manuals of the VPR compound systems.

### Behavior in case of a compound failure

If an EVP is assigned to a certain compound and a disturbance occurs, the unit responds as follows:

- The solenoid valves close
  - The fan switches off
  - A defrost will be terminated. A new defrost period is only possible after the compound problem is solved.
- To see if this function is released, look at "L41" (Actual Values Page).
- "0" = solenoid valve closed  
 "1" = solenoid valve open  
 "oFF" = solenoid valve closed via interface

### Data transmission disturbances

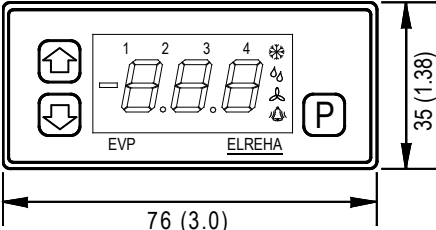
If the controller gets no new information from the central unit (e.g. VPR), it continues working with the current settings.

If there was an order from the VPR to close the solenoid valves and a technical defect interrupts the data transmission for more than 30 minutes, the EVP ignores this order and starts working normally.

When data transmission is restored, the EVP will work again immediately according to the commands of the VPR.

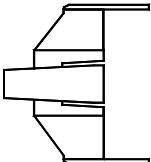
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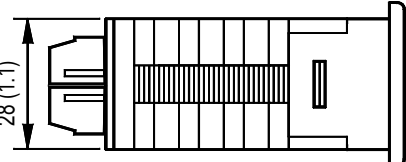


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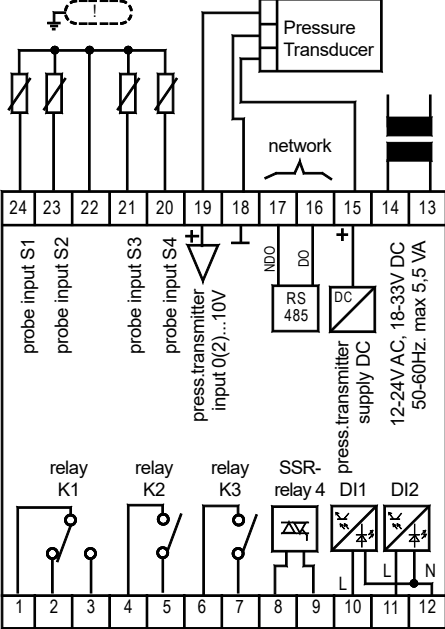


Snap in fixing  
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**EVP 1140**



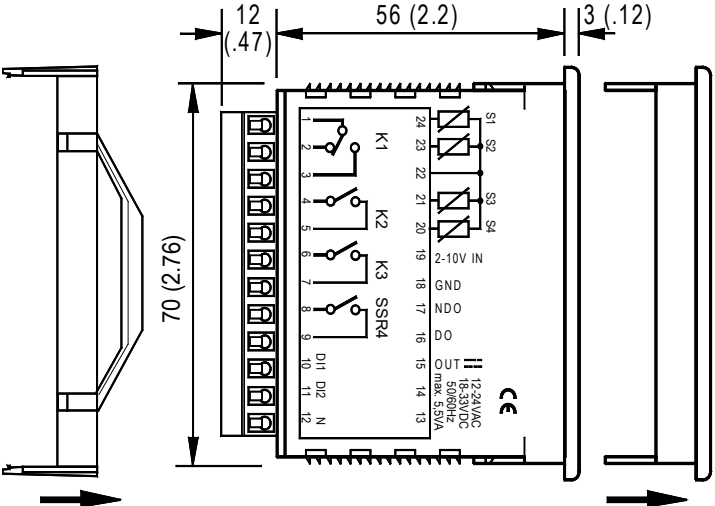
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press. transmitter  
input 0(2)...10V  
NDO  
DO  
RS 485  
DC  
press. transmitter  
supply DC  
12-24V AC, 18-33V DC  
50-60Hz, max 5.5 VA

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12

relay K1  
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SSR-relay 4  
DI1  
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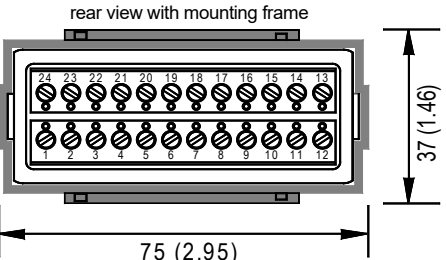
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24 23 22 21 20 19 18 17 16 15 14 13

S1 S2 S3 S4  
K1 K2 K3 SSR4  
2-10V IN  
GND  
NDO  
DO  
DI1 DI2 N

12-24V AC  
18-33V DC  
50-60Hz  
max 5.5 VA

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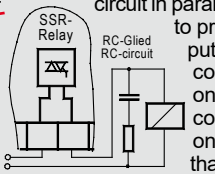
rear view with mounting frame

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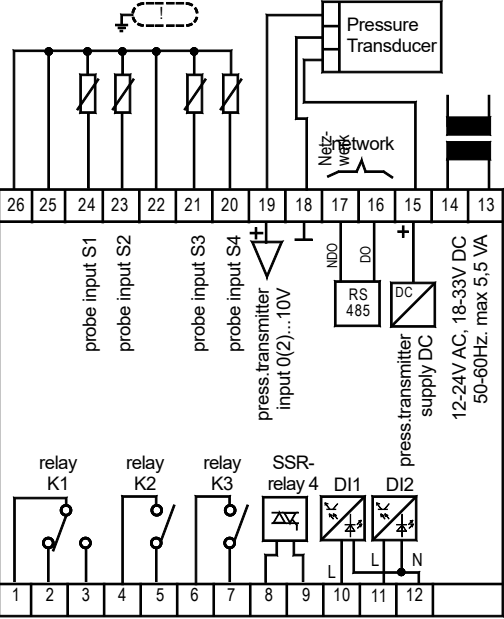
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**!** The relay outputs must be connected to a single phase only or to low voltage alternatively. A mixing operation of mains/low voltage or switching of different phases is not allowed !

**!** With connecting an inductive load to the SSR output, like e.g. a relay, it may be necessary to connect a snubber circuit in parallel to the load to protect the output from an uncontrolled turn on. By an uncontrolled turn on it is possible that the load is switched on permanently. The snubber circuit must be adapted to the load.



**EVP 1140/ST**



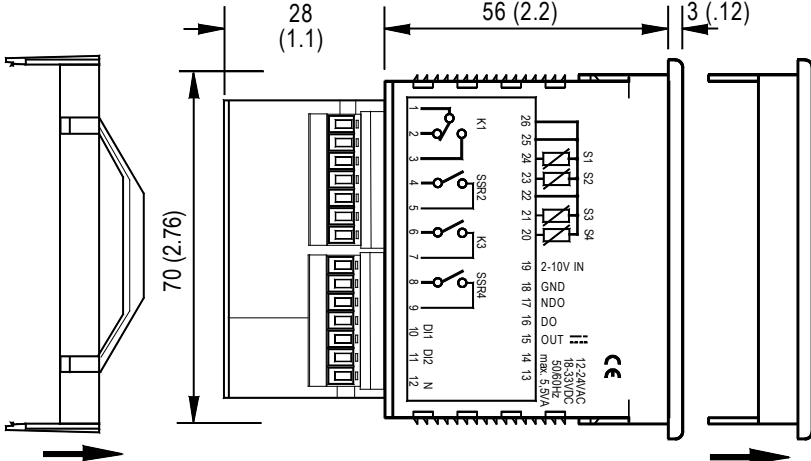
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DI2

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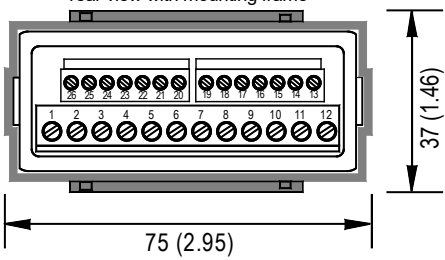
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rear view with mounting frame

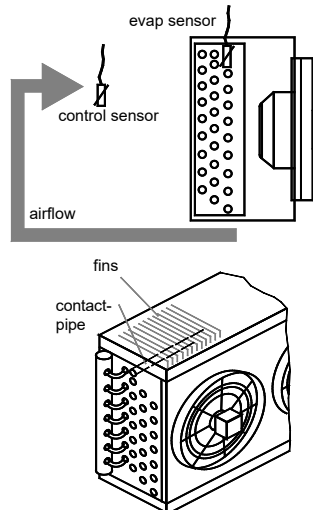
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## Sensor Positions

Sensor positions are not critical in standard applications. The **control sensor** or **alarm sensor** has to be fixed behind the evaporator (air-inlet) or at a representative place in the chamber, but not in the air outlet.

The second sensor (**defrost termination sensor, evaporator sensor**) should be assembled in the contact pipe or within the fins of the evaporator. A good thermal exchange to the fins is important. It should be placed at the position where the ice remains the longest time while a defrost cycle.



### Sensors for intelligent (adaptive) defrost

To detect icing the EVP doesn't need additional sensors. The control sensor and the defrost (evap.) sensor are sufficient. Please note that the emergency defrost mode is not able to prevent ice-clusters or slow glaciation in case of a incorrect sensor position. If ice-clusters appear, the defrost sensor must be placed at this position.

## Installation / Start-Up

Upon applying voltage to the controller, after a few seconds the display shows the parameter which is selected as permanent display or an actual error code.

### Start-up sequence

- Assign inputs/outputs to functions
- Select type of used temperature sensors ("P35", Mode Page), never use TF 201 types for EEx-valves !
- Correct the displayed temperature values if necessary ("P31"- "P34", Mode Page).
- Set date and time ("P81"- "P87", Mode Page)
- Set defrost mode ("d02", Defrost Page)
- Set fan mode "d01" and "P02"
- See page 8 for parameterization of the pressure transmitter inputs

These are the most important steps for the basic configuration of the controller. Upon that, adapt the other parameters like temperature setpoint, hysteresis, delay times.... Refer to the previous chapters in this manual.

### Start-up in a data network

- Set the address of the controller ("P90", Mode Page)
- Upload parameters from PC to controller

The EVP offers several status messages, which enables you to check the states of inputs and outputs:

- "L60", state of the digital inputs DI1 and DI2
- "L61", state of the relays



**After start-up, Please check the position of the evaporator/defrost sensor accurately!!**

## Sensor positions for EEx-Valve Control, Pressure Transmitter / Temperature Sensor Method

The pressure transmitter must be mounted at the suction pipe, at a position where no pressure decrease can affect the measuring. The best place is close to the evaporator. If there are several evaporators, select a position from where the distance to all evaporators is as short as possible.

### Selection of Pressure Transmitter

To detect a pressure transmitter malfunction, the signal voltage input is scalable. So you can use e.g. transmitters with an 2...10V output which makes it easier to recognize a malfunction.

## Number of controllers working with the same pressure transmitter

The input resistance of the pressure transmitter input is 69 kOhm. Several inputs can be connected in parallel, but the resulting resistance must not fall below the minimum specifications of the used pressure transmitter.

In practise, up to 10 controllers mostly work trouble-free.



**More information about Electronic Expansion Valves you will find on page 8 !**



This device complies with the requirements of EU directives 2014/30/EC and 2014/35/EC as well as the applicable standards. The declaration of conformity is deposited at the following address:

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This manual, which is part of the product, has been set up with care and our best knowledge, but mistakes are still possible. Technical details can be changed without notice, especially the software. Please note that the described functions are only valid for units containing the software with the version-number shown on page 1 of this manual. Units with an other version number may work a little bit different.