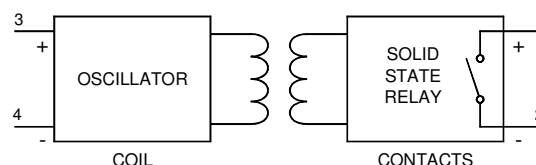


## DA-149 Series Intrinsically Safe Relay

### Description

RTK Instrument's range of DIN rail mounted Intrinsically Safe Solid State Relays provide a means of switching control signals and other data between items of equipment in hazardous areas and between hazardous and safe area equipment. The relays provide a isolated barrier between the different equipment. Models are available for mounting in the safe area and within the hazardous area



### Connections

The terminals are designated as follows:

Terminal 1 : Positive contact

Terminal 2 : Negative contact

Terminal 3 : Positive coil

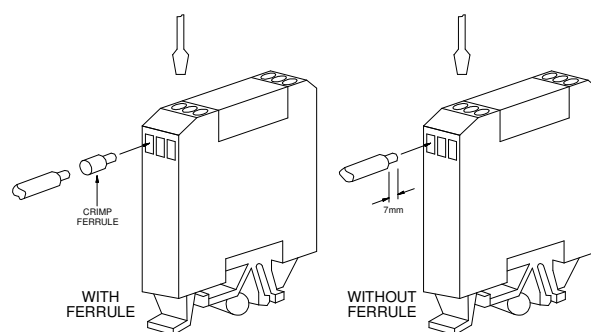
Terminal 4 : Negative coil

Refer to Table 1 for the exact specifications of the model supplied. Refer to Figure 1 for the equivalent circuit.

#### WARNING

**Both contacts and coil are polarised, ensure this is observed as incorrect connection may damage the unit**

Figure 1  
Equivalent Circuit



### Installation

The unit should be mounted on standard top-hat section TS32 or G-section DIN rail TS35 as shown in Figure 3.

We recommend that bootlace ferrules be used, to provide a secure termination.

Select a suitable ferrule, strip the insulation from the wire and crimp on the ferrule. Insert the crimped assembly into the correct terminal and tighten the screw.

Refer to Figure 2.

If ferrules are not to be used, strip back the wire's insulation by 7mm and insert the wire directly into the correct terminal. Tighten the screw.

Figure 2

### Warning

**Models intended for use in safe areas must not be located within hazardous areas, unless mounted in a suitably certified explosion proof enclosure. Please contact RTK Instruments for further information**

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## Dimensions

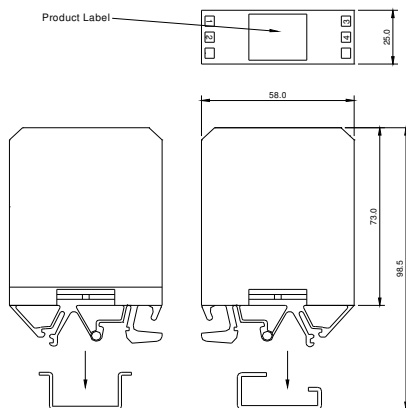


Figure 3

## Specification

ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATION	DAA149	DAB149	DAD149	DAE149
<b>Location:</b>	Safe Area	Zone 0	Zone 0	Safe Area
<b>Operating temperature:</b>	-20 to +70°C	-20 to +40°C	-20 to +70°C	-20 to +70°C
<b>Relative humidity:</b>	5-95%	5-95%	5-95%	5-95%
<b>Protection:</b>	IP20	IP20	IP20	IP20
<b>Coil terminals TM 3&amp;4</b>				
Connect to:	Zone 0	Zone 0	Zone 0	Safe area
Min. voltage to operate VDC (VAC):	4 (10)	4 (10)	4 (10)	4 (10)
Min. Current (µA):	60	60	60	20
Max. voltage to operate VDC/VAC:	40	40	30	250
Current at Vmax (mA):	3	3	3	0.07
<b>Contact terminals TM 1&amp;2</b>				
Connect to:	Safe area	Zone 0	Zone 0	Zone 0
I <sub>max</sub> (mA):	90	90	45	225
Max. contact drop (V) at I <sub>max</sub> :	3.4	5.8	3.0	4.5
On voltage (V)	0	2.1	2.1	2.1
On resistance (Ω):	30	30	15	30
Off resistance (kΩ):	>10000	60	60	60
Max. voltage (V):	52	40	30	40
<b>Response time</b>				
Max. energise (ms):	6	6	6	6
Max. de-energise (ms):	21	21	21	21

Response time is measured whilst switching a nominal 51Ω load from 5V, using end points of 250µA and 39mA.

Table 1

## Electrical Safety

When connected in an intrinsically safe circuit the internal stored energy, voltage and current of the DA-149 Relay will not add more than the values specified for "Simple Apparatus" in Clause 5.4 of EN 50020:2002 to the parameters of the circuit which it is connected. This assumes the  $U_i$  is less than 40V (30V for the DAD149)

Please note the DAA149 and the DAE149 are designed to interface equipment between the safe and hazardous areas and MUST be mounted within the safe area. The DAB149 and DAD149 are suitable for mounting within the hazardous area itself

## Certification

The DA-149 range of Intrinsically Safe Relays are certified to EN 50014:1997, EN 50020:2002 and EN 50824:1999 (Except DAA149 & DAE149) standards and are marked with the following info:

### DAA149

II (1)G [EEx ia] IIC (Tamb = -20 to 70°C),  
Certificate Number: Baseefa03ATEX0624

### DAB149

II 1G EEx ia IIC T4 (Tamb = -20 to 40°C),  
Certificate Number: Baseefa03ATEX0625X

### DAD149

II 1G EEx ia IIC T5 (Tamb = -20 to 70°C),  
Certificate Number: Baseefa03ATEX0625X

### DAE149

II (1)G [EEx ia] IIC (Tamb = -20 to 70°C),  
Certificate Number: Baseefa03ATEX0624

## Special Conditions for Safe Use

Units whose certificate has an X suffix (DAB149 and DAD149) have the following warning:

**WARNING - ELECTROSTATIC HAZARD - DO NOT RUB**

## Maintenance & Fault Finding

No repair work can be carried out by the user, as there are no user-serviceable parts in the units..

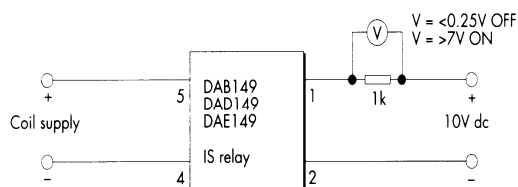
**Note:** observe the polarity of the connections to the coil ( terminals 4 & 5) as series protection diodes are fitted

**DAA149** This can be tested as a conventional type relays, treating the output terminals as contacts.

### DAB149, DAD149, DAE149.

Test in safe area only using test circuit in Fig 4. Do not test output terminals for closure using a conventional resistance meter, as internal components may result in incorrect readings

Faulty units should be returned to RTK Instruments for investigation and possible repair or replacement



**Figure 4** Test circuit for DAB149,DAD149,DAE149

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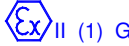
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## Certification Labels


Terminals 1 2 SAFE AREA	Terminals 4 3 HAZARDOUS AREA
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**IS RELAY TYPE DAA149**

 II (1) G  
[EEx ia] IIC T4 (Tamb = 70°C)  
Cert No. Baseefa03ATEX0624

TERM 1-2 Ui = 250V RMS/DC  
TERM 3-4 Ui = 40V RMS/DC


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**DAA149**

Terminals 1 2 HAZARDOUS AREA	Terminals 4 3 HAZARDOUS AREA
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**IS RELAY TYPE DAB149**

 II 1 G  
EEx ia IIC T4 (Tamb = 40°C)  
Cert No. Baseefa03ATEX0625X

TERM 1-2 Ui = 40V RMS/DC  
TERM 3-4 Ui = 40V RMS/DC

WARNING - ELECTROSTATIC HAZARD  
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**DAB149**

Terminals 1 2 HAZARDOUS AREA	Terminals 4 3 HAZARDOUS AREA
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**IS RELAY TYPE DAD149**

 II 1 G  
EEx ia IIC T5 (Tamb = 70°C)  
Cert No. Baseefa03ATEX0625X

TERM 1-2 Ui = 30V RMS/DC  
TERM 3-4 Ui = 30V RMS/DC

WARNING - ELECTROSTATIC HAZARD  
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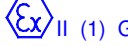
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**DAD149**


Terminals 1 2 HAZARDOUS AREA	Terminals 4 3 SAFE AREA
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**IS RELAY TYPE DAE149**

 II (1) G  
[EEx ia] IIC (Tamb = 70°C)  
Cert No. Baseefa03ATEX0624

TERM 1-2 Ui = 40V RMS/DC  
TERM 3-4 Ui = 250V RMS/DC

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## EC DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY

This is to certify that the DA-149 Intrinsically Safe Relays

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Conforms to the protection requirements of the following directives:

- Council directive 89/336/EEC (EMC Directive) to BS EN 61000-6-4 and BS EN 61000-6-2
- Council Directive 94/9/EC (ATEX Directive) to EN50014, EN50020 and EN 50284 (DAD and DAB only)

The DAA149 and DAE149 products are certified to:

 II (1) G [EEx ia] IIC (Ta -20°C to +70°C)

Certificate No: Baseefa03ATEX0624

The DAD149 product is certified to:

 II 1 G EEx ia IIC T4 (Ta -20°C to +70°C)

Certificate No: Baseefa03ATEX0625X

The DAB149 product is certified to:

 II 1 G EEx ia IIC T4 (Ta -20°C to +40°C)

Certificate No: Baseefa03ATEX0625X

The Quality System is certified and monitored by Baseefa Ltd, Rockhead Business Park, Staden Lane, Buxton, Derbyshire, SK17 9R



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