

# Rub-Block type RB100DN with a PT100 sensor

Belt off-tracking WARNING device, for use in hazardous areas

## **Brochure**









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### 1. Application

The Rub-Block with PT100 temperature sensor is designed to report the belt off-tracking of a conveyor belt or elevator belt, whereby belt off-tracking can be detected in a timely manner.

The Rub-Block is equipped with a brass plate insulated with a plastic PTFE FDA-approved High-Heat intermediate plate (see **photo 3.1**), the purpose of which is to prevent outflow of heat to the stainless steel mounting plate or the elevator casing. One thereby gets a very accurate measurement.

# The Rub-Block is easy to install. It will be fitted on both sides of a conveyor or elevator belt at belt height (See Mounting location).

As soon as the belt strikes the brass plate, it creates friction. The measuring principle is: 1°C temperature difference results in a difference in resistance of 0.348 Ohms.

#### **1.1 Rub-Block and ATEX regulations**

The Rub-Block RB100DN can be used in the following ATEX zones:

ATEX Classification Ex II 1D Ex iaD T85°C Ex II 1G Ex ia IIC T6 TAMB -40°C to 185°C

#### 1.2 The use of a Rub-Block in an ATEX environment

In order to avoid additional risks when utilising this instrument, the Rub-Block should be used as described in the ATEX 114/153:

Zone 20 maximum temperature 80°C to shut down the elevator or conveyor.

Zone 21 maximum temperature 100°C to shut down the elevator or conveyor.

Zone 22 maximum temperature 120°C to shut down the elevator or conveyor.

We recommended installing a pre-alarm programme to prevent product pile-up in the elevator or conveyor.

#### Before installing the Rub-Block, we recommended first taking the following measures:

- Field cabling to the PLC;
- Set the configuration of the maximum temperature in the transmitter and in the PLC (see 1.2 zone related).

### 2. Functioning of the Rub-Block RB200DN

#### 2.1 Rub-Block with PT100-Sensor

The electrical conductivity of metal (i.e. platinum) is based on the mobility of free electrons. With increasing temperatures the atoms in the metal lattice will vibrate more vigorously and thus impede the free flow of electrons towards the positive pole of a voltage source. This impedance causes a resistance in linear proportion to the temperature. For generating the output signal, the PT100 is charged with a constant test current (approx. 1 mA). The resistance of the PT100 causes a voltage drop (U = R xl), which can be analysed.



**Sideview** 

#### 2.2 Measuring transmitter (head transmitter)

The measuring transmitter can only be supplied by ordering; it is not delivered standard with the Rub-Block. Various models are available, **(see 8.2)** 

The transmitter transforms the temperature-dependant resistance into a standardised digital or Profibus jump signal of 4 to 20mA. The signal can be transmitted without distortion over great distances.

## 3. Mounting and Fitting Rub-Block

3.1 Rub-Block type RB100DN detail drawing



### Front View





## 4. Mounting location

- Rub-Block RB100DN or RB200DN belt misalignment monitoring location (both sides)
  Bearing temperature sensor monitoring PT100 location (both sides)
  Speed monitoring
  Junction box small or large







## 5. Installation requirements

#### 5.1 Installation options Rub-Block and Bearing temperature sensor





#### 5.2 Positioning RB100DN



Rub-Block **RB100DN** view from inside the elevator.



Warm heat photo **RB100DN** 

#### 5.3 Installation instructions

First of all preventative measure should be taken;

- install correctly constructed drums;
- keep the installation and surroundings clean;
- earth the apparatus.

# We recommend inserting the Rub-Block a minimum of 2 mm and a maximum of 6 mm inside the elevator during installation (see installation guid)

The PT100 sensor should be inserted up to the stop in the predrilled hole provided using the compression fitting supplied. If not properly fitted, there will be no precise measuring and the risk of breaking the sensor will be very high.

**The PT100 produces a standard analogue output signal**. It is easy to implement this signal in a PLC system, for example a SIEMENS S7. If it is not possible to implement an analogue signal, an analogue card is required or a HEAD transmitter with a digital output signal of 4-20mA (see 7.2 further on in the documentation) can be used. Software for the visualisation can be programmed by a software engineer.

# For the cabling of the PT100 to the PLC, we recommend using a shielded **0,75 mm<sup>2</sup>** core cable in order to avoid any electrical interference.

#### Warnings and symbols in this operation manual

⚠ This symbol indicates safety measures that definitely must be taken into account **in order to prevent personal injury**. ☑ This symbol indicates ATEX Certified components with a certain zoning designation



### 6. Technical data

#### 4.1 Rub-Block RB100DN with PT100 technical data

#### PT100 sensor

Sensor type: Protection type connection head: Tolerance class: Cable type: Ambient temperature limit for cable Cable Length: Measuring temperature limit: Measuring current: Output signal: Probe lenght Probe Diameter Probe-tip Diameter

#### Material Rub-Block

Mounting plate round NBR-Gasket Insulation material round Friction Plate round

#### PT100 materials

Housing sensor head Diameter screw head connection PT100 sensor plug size Stainless steel probe diameter Brass probe diameter



: R7-63527320-0090/050.S01 with 1 x 4L connection wires : IP 67 : Class A DIN IEC751 : PFA-PFA-V2A Cn 4 x 0,22 mm<sup>2</sup> : - 40°C to + 185°C : 3 or 5 meter : - 40°C to + 280°C : 1mA : Analogue : 60 mm : Stainless Steel 5 mm : Brass 3 mm

: Stainless steel Ø 90 mm x 4 mm

- : 1 mm thick
- : PTFE high-heat plastic FDA-approved Ø 52 mm x 12 mm
- : Brass Ø 52 mm x 8 mm
- : Brass
- : M12 fine
- : 60 mm square
- :5 mm
- : 3 mm







#### 6.2 Elevator belt misalignment test with a RB100DN

This measuring was done on an elevator with a height of **50 meters** and an elevator belt with a thickness of **13 mm**. The elevator belt runs at a speed of **3 meters** per second.

#### Diagram (°C) Time (min.)



#### Ambient temperature of 25°C

Duration contact of elevator belt and Rub-Block **RB100DN** because of belt off-tracking: 60 sec. Duration temperature rise to 100°C **PT100: Approximately 23 sec.** 

#### Additional Notes: for temperature line monitoring

We recommend to use an trending software module. As soon as a difference in temperature occurs within a certain time, there is a slight belt misalignment. It prevents unnecessary wear of the brass plate from the Rub-Block and you will be informed for a threatening belt misalignment.

- Temperature rise rate STOP-ALARM  $: 2,5^{\circ}C$  /min, max allowed  $10^{\circ}C$ /min
- Temperature rise rate STOP-ALARM : 1°C /5sec, max allowed 5°C /5sec
  - Temperature rise rate PRE-ALARM : 0,2°C /min, max allowed 10°C /min
- Temperature rise rate PRE-ALARM : 0,7°C /5sec, max allowed 5°C /5sec



## 7. Explosion protection worldwide

IEC EC directive NEC 500 NEC 505 Ex ia IIC T6 II 1G Ex ia IIC T6 Intrinsic safety Class I Division 1 Group ABCD T6 Class I Zone 0 AEx ia IIC T6



### Groups

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IEC/ATEX	/NEC 505	NEC 500/CEC				
	Gas g	groups				
Group I						
I	Methane	-*				
Group II		Class I				
IIA	Propane	Propane	Class I, Group D			
IIB	Ethylene	Ethylene	Class I, Group C			
IIB + H2	Ethylene + hydrogen	Acetylene	Class I, Group B			
liC	Acetylene Hydrogen	Hydrogen	Class I, Group A			
Dust groups						
Group III*		Class II/Class III				
IIIA	Combustible flyings	Fibres, flyings	Class III			
IIIB	Non-conducting dust	Non-carbon-containing dust	Class II, Group G			
IIIC	Conducting dust	Carbon-containing dust	Class II, Group F			
		Metal dust	Class II, Group E			
* Are not within the scope of NEC or CEC	** per IEC 2007 and CENELEC 2009					

### 7.1 ATEX Groups

Conditions hazardous areas									
		Classification of hazardous area							
Material Groups	Temporary behaviour of the flammable material in the hazardous area	IEC	EPL*	EU Directive 94/9/EC (ATEX)			US NEC 500		
				Zone	Group	Category	Canada CEC	03 NEC 305	
Gases, vapours	Are present continuously, for long periods or frequently	Zone 0	Ga	Zone 0	П	1 G	Class I	Class 1 Zone 0	
	Occur occasionally	Zone 1	Gb	Zone 1	II	2 G	Division 1	Class 1 Zone 1	
	Probably do not occur at all, but if they do, only rarely or for short periods	Zone 2	Gc	Zone 2	Ш	3 G	Class I Division 2	Class 1 Zone 2	
Dust	Are present continuously, for long periods or frequently	Zone 20	Da	Zone 20	II	1 D	Class II	-	
	Occur occasionally	Zone 21	Db	Zone 21	II	2 D	Division 1	-	
	Probably do not occur at all, due to suspended dust, but if they do, only rarely or for short periods	Zone 22	Dc	Zone 22	Ш	3 D	Class II Division 2	-	
Methane, dust	Hazardous areas	-	Ma	-	I	М1	-	-	
	Potentially hazardous areas	-	Mb	-	I	M2	-	-	
Fibres/ flyings		-		-	-	-	Class III	-	
*) Equipment Protection Level per IEC 2007 and CENELEC 2009									

Ignition protection types (examples)							
Ignition protection type	Marking	Definition	IEC	ATEX approval	FM / UL		
Flameproof enclosure	Ex d	Propagation of an explosion to the outside is prevented	IEC 60079-1	EN 60079-1	FM 3615 UL 1203		
Intrinsic safety	Ex i	Limitation of the energy of sparks and temperatures	IEC 60079-11	EN 60079-11	FM 3610 UL 913		
n	Ex n	Different protection principles only for Zone II/Div. 2	IEC 60079-15	EN 60079-15	FM 3611 ANSI/ISA 12.12.01		

Temperature classes and max. surface temperatures									
Class	T1	T2	T2A, T2B T2C, T2D	Т3	T3A, T3B T3C	T4	T4A	T5	Т6
IEC/ATEX/NEC 505	450°C	300°C	-	200°C	-	135℃	-	100°C	85°C
NEC 500/CEC	450°C	300°C	280°C 260°C 230°C 215°C	200°C	180℃ 165℃ 160℃	135℃	120°C	100°C	85°C



### 8. Connection

#### 8.1 PT100 connection diagram



#### 8.2 Various indicators and transmitters available

#### GSI 48 Series – Universal input – Panel mounting

#### **SPECIFICATION**

Description

Process indicator for analogue signals. Displaying a process, temperature, load cell or potentiometer signal in engineering units.

Input						
thermocouples	: J, K, T, E, R, S, N					
RTD	: Pt100					
current	: 4÷20 mA					
voltage	: 0÷50mV, 0÷10V					
Accuracy						
± 0.25% FS ±1°C	: for thermocouples J, K, T,					

± 0.25% FS ±3°C ± 0.2% FS ± 0.2% FS : for thermocouples J, K, T, E, N : for thermocouples S, R : for Pt100 : for input voltage, current



Alarm output 2x SPDT relay contact, 260Vca/1A/150VA 4x SPST relay contact, 260Vca/0,1A/50VA Isolated 4...20mA

Operating Conditions: -10 ÷ +55°C/20 ÷ 85%RH

Power supply: 10-70Vdc and 21-53Vac or 85-260Vac and 100-300Vdc

Dimensions: 48 x 96 x 90 mm

### 9. Safety notice to our customers

- A. In order to maximize efficiency and safety, selecting the right equipment for each operation is vital. The correct installation of this equipment, as well as regular maintenance and inspection, are equally important to proper operation and safety of the product. The correct installation and maintenance of the products are the responsibility of the user.
- B. All installation and wiring must conform to governing local and national electrical codes and other standards applicable to specific industries. The installation of the wiring should be undertaken by an experienced and qualified professional electrician.
  Failure to correctly wire the product to any machinery may result in the product or machine failing to operate as intended.
- C. Periodic inspection by a qualified person will help assure that this product performs properly. It is recommended that a documented inspection is carried out at least annually or more frequently in case that the product has been subjected to intensive use.

#### 9.1 Customer safety responsibilities

- 1. Read all literature provided with the product. Read all user instructions and safety manuals to ensure that the product operation is understood and can be used safely and effectively use this product.
- 2. Select a qualified and competent installer; Correct installation of the product is important for safety and performance. It is critical for the safety of your operation and of those who may work with your equipment that a qualified and competent electrical installer is selected to undertake the installation of this product. The product must be installed properly to perform to its designed functions. The installer should be qualified, trained, and competent to perform the installation in accordance with local and National Electrical Codes, all relevant OSHA Regulations, as well as any of the user's own standards and preventive maintenance requirements, and other product installation information supplied with the product. The installer should be provided with all necessary installation information to assist in the installation.

### It is required to check the latest product information on Muller Beltex' website, before installing this product. Failure to do so, could result in to product failure or damage. The flat sealing surfaces and seals must not be damaged!



Installation and commissioning must be performed by qualified personnel. Read the instructions carefully before starting up. The supplier is not liable for personal injury or prop-

erty damage incurred by incorrect use.



