

# INSTRUCTION MANUAL

SES/16A – Generator and load protection



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Please read these instructions carefully and inspect the device to become familiar with it before trying to install, operate, service or maintain it.

Electrical equipment should be installed, operated, serviced, and maintained only by qualified personnel. Applicable electrical regulations and guidance notes should be followed.

No responsibility is assumed by SES for any consequences arising out of the use of this device.

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# 1 GENERAL

The SES/16A is a **16A** maximum resistive capacity load protection device, which is connected inline between the generator and the load using 16A EN60309-1/2 trailing plug and socket (coupler) arrangement. These are each connected with ~600mm of Artic flex cable. The controller has a rated current capacity of 40A.

The protection device comprises of three interconnected components:

- 1. GPS8-02 Microprocessor controller
- 2. Earth leakage protection
- 3. Visual indicator light

The microprocessor controller provides disconnection of a connected generators supply to the load if any of the pre-programmed parameters entered in the configurable controller are not met, this includes:

- Over voltage
- Under voltage
- Over current

**Note** – When first powered up, there is a programmed delay before the controller switches power to the load on, this is to allow the generator to stabilise its output voltage.

Protection against fire or electrocution caused by earth leakage is provided by a 'Type A' 30mA RCCD (Residual Current Circuit Breaker) rated at 63A.

A visual comfort indication illuminates when the supply is healthy and available to the load.

The SES/16A enclosure is constructed of flame-retardant polycarbonate with an IP65 rating, both the 16A maximum capacity plug and coupler are IP44 rated.

Final circuits **MUST** be protected by individual overcurrent protective devices.

#### 1.1 MAXIMUM LOADING ASSUMPTIONS

The assumption is the generator output voltage is 240V AC.

A 5kVA generator for example will deliver a current of 20.88A, assuming continuous running is 80% of maximum capacity, 5000x0.8 = 4000w,  $\therefore 4000/240 = 16.7A$  available for a resistive only load.

A fully resistive load may not always be possible or preferable, therefore a 0.8 power factor has been assumed: 4000x0.8 = 3200w,  $\therefore 3200/240 = 13.3A$ .

13.3A is well within the loading of the 16A plug and socket, therefore, this value has been configured in the microprocessor controller as the upper current limit cut-off, however, this can be adjusted by the user to suit the particular load characteristics being supplied if required.

For Information: A resistive load is a kettle, immersion heater or element heaters without fans, loads with motors such as fridges, washing machines, air conditioning and pumps require power factor correction being allowed for.

Generator Load Limited Output					
Generator Rating (kVA)	Output Amps (Resistive)	Continuous Output (80%)	Running Amps	Power Factor Adjusted	Limited Amps
1000	4.2	800	3.3	640	2.7
1800	7.5	1440	6.0	1152	4.8
2000	8.3	1600	6.7	1280	5.3
2200	9.2	1760	7.3	1408	5.9
2500	10.4	2000	8.3	1600	6.7
3000	12.5	2400	10.0	1920	8.0
3200	13.3	2560	10.7	2048	8.5
3500	14.6	2800	11.7	2240	9.3
4000	16.7	3200	13.3	2560	10.7
4500	18.8	3600	15.0	2880	12.0
5000	20.8	4000	16.7	3200	13.3
6000	25.0	4800	20.0	3840	16.0

# 2 OPERATION



**NOTE -** There is a real danger of back feeding voltage into the supply network which could cause injury or death to linesmen working downstream of your installation. Before use, ensure the device is only connected via a sufficiently rated double pole transfer switch which disconnects all external line conductors.

## 2.1 CONNECTION

The SES/16A has a trailing plug and socket, the plug **MUST** be connected to the generators 16A output socket; whilst the trailing socket **MUST** be connected to the transfer switch supplying the load.

If the above is not adhered to, damage or incorrect operation of the SES/16A will occur and the trailing plug, if exposed, could become a live exposed part with the associated shock risk.

## 2.2 POWER TO THE TRANSFER SWITCH

With the generator running and the SES/16A plugged in, the GPS-02 controller will be displaying the incoming generator voltage, if nothing is displayed, confirm the generator output is turned on.



If the generators voltage is within the controllers' correct parameters, the '**power closed**' indicator light will illuminate as above after the programmed delay has expired and at the same time the 'power to load' green LED indicator will come on.

If the green LED indicator fails to light, check the RCCD is switched to ON.



It is important to test the operation of the RCCD by pressing the 'Test' button, this should operate the device and turn OFF the green indicator, if this fails, please contact SES.

#### 2.3 TRANSFER SWITCH

With the circuits supplied by the transfer switch turned OFF, turn ON the transfer switch powered by the SES/16A.

Turn on the individual critical circuits to be supplied by the generator. If the current exceeds the controllers' parameters, the load will disconnect and try to establish connection again at the end of the configured reset time.

## 2.4 SES/16A MANUAL LOAD SWITCHING

Turning the load OFF manually at the SES/16A can be done in two ways:

- Place the RCCD switch in the OFF position,
- Use the controllers' front button as follows -



Under normal operation, the load can be switched ON or OFF manually by pressing the power key for 0.5 seconds.

## 2.5 POWER-ON AND RESET-DELAY



During the 'power-on' and 'fault reset' of the controller, the controller will count down and display this according to the set delay time. At the end of the countdown, power will be switched ON to the RCCD.

# 3 SOFTWARE SETUP OF THE CONTROLLER

In this chapter, are the protection and control functions of the SES/16A.

Parameter	Range	Step value	Factory settings
Over voltage value	OFF,230v~300v	1v	275v
Over voltage recovery value	225v~295v	1v	265v
Under voltage value	140v~210v, OFF	1v	175v
Under voltage recovery value	145v~215v	1v	180v
Voltage fault action time	0.1s~10s	0.1s	0.5s
Over current value	OFF,1A~40A	0.1A	40A
Over current action delay	2s~600s	1s	5s
Power on delay time	2s~600s	1s	5s
Reset time	2s~900s	1s	30s
Fault reset	ON-OFF		ON
Maximum device current	40A		

# 3.1 PANEL DIAGRAM





## 3.1.1 BUTTON FUNCTIONS

M	Press and hold the setting key for 3 seconds to enter the setting. After modifying the setting, press and hold for 3 seconds to save the setting.
	Used to increase the value when setting parameters.
	1.Used to reduce the value when setting parameters.
	2.After exiting the setting, it can be used to manually turn ON or OFF the load.
	3.If the automatic fault reset function is turned off, this button can be used for manual reset when the fault occurs.

#### NOTE:

Short press () () to increase or decrease the value, a long press speeds through value options. If no key is pressed in 60 seconds, programming mode will exit automatically. You can press the (M) for 3 seconds at any time to exit the and save the setting.

## 3.2 SETTING CONTROLLER PARAMETERS



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## 3.3 GPS8-02 CONFIGURATION 'AS FITTED'

Parameter	Configured Value	
Over voltage value	253v	
Over voltage recovery value	248v	
Under voltage value	210v	
Under voltage recovery value	215v	
Voltage fault action time	0.1s	
Over current value	13.3A	
Over current action delay	005s	
Power on delay time	030s	
Reset time	20s	
Fault reset	ON-OFF	
Maximum device current	40A	

Maximum load 13.3A based on example 5kVA generator.

On initial 'Power Up', the output from the controller will be switched to the RCCD after a preprogrammed delay, this is to enable the generators output voltage to stabilise.

The controller displays the countdown time remaining in seconds in the 'A' window.

# 3.4 GPS8-02 TECHNICAL PARAMETERS

	GPS8-02		
Function	Over voltage, under voltage and over current		
Rated supply voltage	AC220V(L-N)		
Rated supply frequency	45~65Hz		
Operation voltage range	80V~400V(L-N)		
Rated operational current	32A,40A,50A,63A,80A (AC1)		
Burden	AC max.3VA		
Over voltage operation value	OFF,230V~300V		
Under voltage operation value	140V~210V, OFF		
Over/under voltage action delay	0.1s~10s		
Over current operation value	1~32A,40A,50A,63A,80A		
Over current action delay	2s~600s		
Power-up delay	2s~600s		
Reset time	2s~900s		
Measurement error	≤1%		
Electrical life (AC1) Mechanical	1×10 <sup>4</sup>		
life	1×10 <sup>6</sup>		
Operating temperature	-20°C~ +60°C		
Storage temperature	-35°C ~ +75°C		
Mounting/DIN rail	Din rail EN/IEC 60715		
Protection degree	IP40 for front panel/IP20 terminals		
Operating position	any		
Overvoltage category	III.		
Pollution degree	2		
Dimensions	82×36×68mm		
Weight	135g		

## 3.5 SES/16A INTERNAL WIRING



Internal cabling is PVC insulated with copper conductors.

2.5mm<sup>2</sup> cross sectional area (CSA) is used throughout with the exception for the 'Power available' LED indicator, which uses1.5mm<sup>2</sup> CSA due to the LED indication being fused down to 1A.

All terminations use crimped ferrules.

# 4 DATA SHEETS

## 4.1 RCCD MODULE



# RCCB 63A 30mA 2P TYPE A 6kA





## 63/30/2A

TECHNICAL DATA			REGISTRY		
For cables ø	1-35mm2		Net weight	0.19KG	
Frequency	50/60Hz		Min order quantity	1	
Poles	2		EAN Code	5026992048	795
Residual Current	30mA		Gross Weight	0.21KG	
Rated operating voltage	ge 230V		Dimensions	85x36x78mm	n (HWD)
Execution	DIN RAIL MOUNTING				STANDADDS
Rated current	63A	NEI ENEIVOE STANDARDS STANDARDS		STANDARDS	
RCD Class	A		BS EN 61008-1		

Protection against fire or electrocution as a result of earth leakage is provided by a Type 'A' residual current circuit breaker. This automatically switches off the supply if a fault develops. Type 'A' RCCDs are used for alternating sinusoidal residual current and for electronics which produce residual pulsating direct current up to 6 mA.

It is important to press the 'Test' button with the power on, this should operate the device. Afterwards, manually switch on the device.

Type 'A' protection symbol:

If the device does not operate correctly after testing, contact SES.



## 4.2 INDICATOR MODULE

Item Type: DIN Rail LED Indicator Light Material: PC Model: JD9 Current: 20mA Working Life: ≥30,000h Connection Wire: 6mm<sup>2</sup> Tightening Torsion: 0.8N.m IP Rating: IP20

The LED indicator is overcurrent protected by a 1A HRC 20mm fuse contained within a DIN mounted fuse carrier.

## 4.3 ENCLOSURE

The HT-5WAY surface-mounted distribution box is made of high-quality, flame-retardant ABS material, overall dimensions.  $12 \text{ cm} \times 9.5 \text{ cm} \times 16 \text{ cm}$ .

IP65 protection standard, the surface-mounted distribution box is waterproof, dustproof and rainproof, cable entry penetrations use compression glands with sealing grommets.

The distribution box has a 1-row DIN rail construction that accommodates 3 modules, in addition, the box is equipped with a Gray transparent door to enable switch and controller status to be observed without breaching the enclosures IP rating.

## 4.4 CONNECTING CABLE

Artic grade, external blue flex cable (3183A) meeting EN 60228 Flame Retardant according to IEC/EN 60332-1-2 standards.

2. 5mm<sup>2</sup> conductor cross sectional area, 3 core cable, 25A current carrying capacity with an external diameter of 10.5mm.

Plug and coupler each have ~600mm of trailing lead from the enclosure.







# 4.5 TRAILING PLUG

Voltage Rating	240V
Current Rating	16A
IP Rating	IP44
Frequency	50Hz
Weight	0.111kg
Number of Poles	2P+E
Terminal size (Range)	1 - 2.5mm <sup>2</sup>
Torque	0.8Nm
Mounting	Trailing
Cable Entry	Compression Gland
Clamping range (min - max)	7 - 15.5mm
Colour	Blue
Material	Thermoplastic
Compliance	UKCA, CE
Guarantee	1 Year
Standards	IEC/EN 60309-1/2
Diameter Ø	51mm
Height	58mm
Length	124mm



# 4.6 TRAILING SOCKET (COUPLER)

Voltage Rating	240V
Current Rating	16A
IP Rating	IP44
Weight	0.135kg
Frequency	50Hz
Number of Poles	2P+E
Terminal size (Range)	1 - 2.5mm²
Torque	0.8Nm
Mounting	Trailing
Cable Entry	Compression Gland
Clamping range (min - max)	7 - 15.5mm
Colour	Blue
Material	Thermoplastic
Compliance	UKCA, CE
Guarantee	1 Year
Standards	IEC/EN 60309-1/2
Diameter Ø	51mm
Height	77mm
Length	135mm



# **5** INGRESS PROTECTION RATINGS



# 6 MATERIALS LIST

Description	Model	Quantity	Size
DIN Enclosure	HT-5WAY	1	120mm x 90mm x 160mm
Axiom trailing lead plug	IP1623QF	1	16A - 2P+E Blue 6h
Axiom trailing lead coupler	IC1623QF	1	16A - 2P+E Blue 6h
Heat shrink label		2	23.6mm Diameter
Geya Microprocessor Controller	GPS8-02	1	2 Module - 40A
Lewden RCCB	2P Type A	1	2 Module - 63A
LED Indicator	JD9	1	1 Module – 240v
DIN fuse carrier		1	1A HRC Fuse
Artic cable	3183A	2m	2.5mm <sup>2</sup> 3 core
Brown & Blue conduit cable	6491X	20cm x 2	1.5mm <sup>2</sup> singles
Double bootlace crimp		2	4mm <sup>2</sup>
Bootlace crimp - Plain		6	2.5mm <sup>2</sup>
Bootlace crimp - Insulated		6	2.5mm <sup>2</sup>
Bootlace crimp - Insulated		4	1.5mm <sup>2</sup>
Cable tie		4	120mm x 4.8mm
Cable tie		3	100mm x 2.5mm
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# 7 REFERENCE INFORMATION

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