# INSULATION GUARD FOR IT-NETWORKS W/FREQUENCY CONVERTERS KPM161FQx



- **Designed for non-grounded networks with Frequency Converters**
- Direct connection up to 690V line voltage, up to 1,4kV with **HV Adapter**
- Monitoring during both live and standby conditions
- For use in land, marine and offshore Installations •
- Complies with IMCA D 045 Code of Practice •
- "Megger" safe to 1.4kVDC when aux power is OFF •
- Immune to earth capacitance and voltage surges
- Analogue output proportional to meter reading

# **Specifications**

Auxiliary Supply: Optional Voltage:	100-120, 200-240, 380-415 or 440-460VAC, 40-70Hz (Fuse 0.5A) 12-24, 48 or 110VDC (Fuse 2A)
Supply tolerance:	± 10%
Power rating:	1,5VA
Contact rating:	AC: 100VA - 250V/2A max. DC: 50W - 100V/1A max.
Analogue Output: F-versions	Up to 20mA, max 500R Up to 10V, min 100kohm (other on request)
Temperature:	-20 to +70°C
Weight:	0.85kgs
Front protection:	IP52 (IP65 optional)

#### INTELLIGENT SETTING ASSISTANCE

KPM161FQx has a built-in Assistance tool for setting/verification of the trip levels and the analogue output.

When either the Warning or Alarm potmeter on the rear is operated by user, the meter goes into Assistance Mode and meter reading and analogue output will reflect the potmeter setting

#### How to set alarm levels:

Firstly adjust potmeter fully clockwise (see that meter goes to the top), then adjust potmeter down to required Warning or Alarm setpoint. In this mode, the Alarm or Warning LEDs (depending on which potmeter is adjusted) will flash quickly Red/Yellow.



Without any movement of potmeters, the meter will revert to normal Insulation Monitoring Mode after approximately 10 seconds

### How to test analogue output signal:

Adjust any trip level potmeter to activate Assistance Mode. Example: On a 4-20mA output, adjust potmeter fully anti clockwise for 4mA and fully clockwise for 20mA.

The KPM161FQx range is designed to comply with specification IMCA D 045 "Code of Practice for the Safe Use of Electricity Under Water" issued by IMCA.

The unit meets EN 61010-1 Cat. III, Pollution degree 2 and the relevant environmental and EMC tests specified in EN 61326-2-4 to comply with the requirements of the major Classification Societies.

# **Application**

The digitally controlled KPM161FQx is designed to monitor the insulation level between a nongrounded (IT) AC mains and its protective earth in systems with frequency converters . The unit is for land, marine and offshore use.

An AC or DC auxiliary voltage is required for the unit, if powered from a separate source the network can also be monitored during inactive (standby) conditions. Only ONE KPM161FQx can be connected to each IT-system. The ohmmeter and the triple-zone status LEDs give at a glance the clear safety message:

> -ALARM (red zone) - WARNING (yellow zone) - HEALTHY (green zone)



# General

# **IDV MEASURING PRINCIPLE**

Insulation is measured between the complete galvanically interconnected AC network and its protective earth.

The unit injects a DC measuring signal into the monitored system. The signal flows to ground via the path of the insulation fault, the level of flow indicates the insulation resistance. The measuring accuracy is not influenced by any normal kind of load attached to the AC network.

This unit is used for any land, marine or offshore installations. Start of monitoring function is delayed when auxiliary power is switched on (default 5 secs delay). The unit has minimum of 9 seconds detection time for any insulation fault.

Trip levels and delays are settable on unit rear. A trip LED flashes when the trip level is passed, the relay trips when the delay has elapsed. The timer resets if the fault is removed during countdown.

### **MEGGER SAFE**

When auxiliary power is OFF the unit input is automatically protected against "megger" test voltages up to 1.4kVDC, and incorrect measurements caused by the unit's input impedance are avoided.

# OUTPUTS

The KPM161FQx has an isolated analogue output proportional to meter reading. If output is used for remote meter reading, we recommend 0-1mA for the slave indicator.

### SAFETY

When a voltage adapter (CHx) is used the signal to terminals 4 and 6 on KPM161FQx is limited to a safe level, avoiding any dangerous voltage exposure to personnel.

### **HIGH VOLTAGE ADAPTOR**

Voltage Adaptor CH163-1,4 is used for Insulation Guard KPM161FQx when the monitored line voltage is higher than 690VAC.

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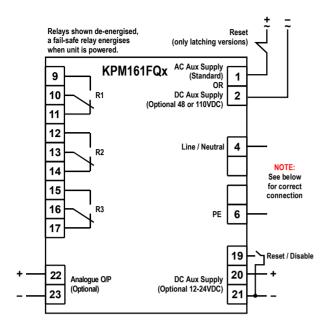


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# **Analogue Output**

KPM161FQ and KPM161FQG have an analogue output proportional to meter reading. (Special outputs are available on request)

Add suffix from table below to type designation to specify output required:

0/P1	0-10mA	O/P6	N/A
O/P2	0-20mA	O/P7	N/A
O/P3	4-20mA	O/P8	0-10VDC
O/P4	N/A	O/P9	N/A
O/P5	N/A	O/P10	N/A

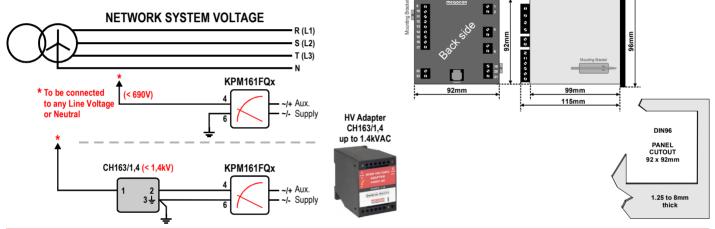
# **Reset / Parallelling Disable Function**

KPM161FQx has a built-in disable function. When connecting two or more IT-networks together only one unit can be active, the other(s) must be disabled. When unit is disabled the power led will flash every 2 seconds to indicate that unit is inactive.

Use a potential free contact on terminal 19 & 21 to activate the disable function (after 2 secs). When activated the measuring input terminal 4 will be internally disconnected.

A pulse (60mS - 2 secs) on terminal 19 & 21 will only reset any latching alarm.

#### **Dimensions**



# Description

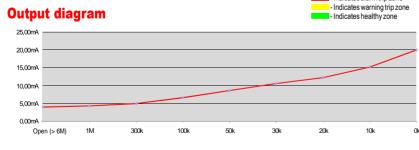
# KPM161FQ-KPM161FQG

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This unit is used for industrial, marine and offshore installations with frequency converters. Start of monitoring function is delayed when auxiliary power is switched on (default 5 secs delay). The unit has a detection time of 6-9 seconds for any insulation fault.

Direct connection up to 690V line voltage. Up to 1,4kVAC via HV adaptor.

# **Output diagram**



# **Relay Operation**

Scale range:  $0-1000k\Omega - \infty$  (>6M $\Omega$ )

	Warning	3	Alarm	Fail Safe	Latch
R1	$\checkmark$				
R2			$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	*
R3			$\checkmark$		*/
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#### Output table (example for 4-20mA) Range

Value (scale)	mA output	
0kΩ	20.00mA	
10kΩ	15.22mA	
20kΩ	12.32mA	
30kΩ	10.61mA	
50kΩ	8.68mA	
100kΩ	6.69mA	
300kΩ	4.98mA	
1MΩ	4.28mA	
Open (>6MΩ)	4.00mA	





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- Indicates alarm trip zone

KPM161FQ 200-240VAC 690VAC (O/P3) 4-20mA

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