# **KEC115/6/7x**



- Three phase Current Protection with VATOR, Definite time or Two level O/C trip function
- "PREDICTOR" function, The Blackout Preventer
- "Pathfinder" function eases fault finding
- Independent ammeter with Full Load Current (FLC) mark on scale
- Triple relay operation gives more flexibility
- Built-in fast analogue Amp or Hz transducer (Optional)

#### **Specifications**

Auxiliary Voltage: 100-120V, 200-240V, 380-415V, 440-460 or 480VAC 40-70Hz (Fuse 0,5A) **Optional Auxiliary** Voltage: 24, 48 or 110VDC (Fuse 2A) Supply tolerance:  $\pm 10\%$ Power rating: 2VA Current Input: 1A CT or 5A CT, <0,1VA Current burden: CT I/P : <0,4VA Meter I/P: 0,5VA Contact rating: 100VA -250V/2A max. AC: DC: 50W -100V/1A max. Adjustments:

Trip level O/C1: 50-150% of FLC Trip time O/C1: 0-120 Sec Trip level O/C2: 50-250% of FLC Trip time O/C2: 0-120 Sec. Trip level S/C: 150-300% of FLC Trip time S/C: 0,1-1 Sec Hysteresis: Fixed 3%

(O/C2 is only for H-(FLC = Full Load Current) versions)

Analogue outputs: Up to 20mA, max 500R

Up to 10V, min 100kohm (other on request)

Ampere range: KEC116x Any % of the CT value. (Amp transducer)

Available Hz ranges: KEC117x 45-50-55, 55-60-65, 45-55-65, (Hz transducer) 30-50-70 or 40-55-70Hz

Temperature: -20 to +70°C Weight: 0.64kgs

IP52 (IP65 optional) Front protection:

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.

### Related information:

The KEC115x, KEC116x and KEC117x series are also available for rail mounting as KCC115x, KCC116x and KCC117x series.

## **Application**

The digitally controlled true RMS measurement on the KEC115x provides precision (1,0%) three phase current protection for AC generators, motors, transformers etc. for alarms or tripping of a non-essential load or breaker. It can also be supplied with a built-in current (KEC116x) or frequency transducer (KEC117x).

The independent class 1,5 moving iron ammeter input (term. 26 & 27) MUST be externally connected or switched to read individual phase currents..

User settable trip levels and delays. LEDs flash during countdown and indicate the alarm status.

KEC115x range is the standard range with relay outputs for overcurrent and short circuit current trip. The highest phase current will activate the OC/SC levels.

KEC116x range also include a fast response (<50mS) built-in current transducer proportional to the HIGHEST phase current signal. This may be used as an input to a control system, to detect abnormal current conditions (loss of excitation etc).

KEC117x range also include a fast response (<50mS) built-in frequency transducer (several ranges is available, see specification to the left). This may be used as an input to a control system.

#### VATOR (VAriable Time Overcurrent Release function)

Versions with VATOR function have definite delay time trip up to 150% generator over current load. Between 150-200% the trip time will be reduced dynamically based on a curve calculated to maintain full thermal capability protection and selective protection between parallelled generators.

Refer to the VATOR calculation excel sheet for further details of the time release curve.

The main feature of the Predictor function is to open bus-tie breakers or trip heavy loads to prevent a total blackout situation. The predictor relay(s) trips at set over current (O/C) or short circuit current (S/C) level, prior to the generator breaker trip. If the overload condition is still present after this load reduction the generator breaker will trip 1sec or 200mS later relative to set O/C or S/C time delays.

The combination of VATOR and Predictor is the ultimate solution for electrical selectivity and thermal protection of parallelled generators.

#### **PATHFINDER**

The Pathfinder indicates the phase causing an over current or short circuit trip by the flashing pattern of the relevant LED.

## **AC GENERATOR SHORT CIRCUIT AND OVER CURRENT GUARD**

# **KEC115/6/7x**

### **Description**

## **Relay Operation**

#### **KEC115E - KEC116E - KEC117E**

#### Short Circuit and Over Current VATOR Guard

O/C VATOR and definite time S/C trip delays maintain discrimination between parallelled generators. The fail-safe relay R3 (O/C & S/C) should be used to open the generator breaker. R1 (S/C) and R2 (O/C) can be used for local indication, alarm system or PM-System etc. All relays latch after trip.

	S/C	. (	O/C 1	O/C 2	Fail Safe	Latch	Definite Time S/C	Definite Time O/C	VATOR	Predictor
R	/				/	✓	✓			
R	2		/						/	
R	3 \		/				/		/	

 Model
 Latch
 Analogue output
 Hz range
 Adjustments
 Trip level
 Delay

 KEC115E
 X
 SIC:
 150-300% of FLC
 0,1-1secs

 KEC116E
 X
 X
 OIC:
 50-150% of FLC
 0-120 secs

 KEC117E
 X
 X
 X
 X
 X

#### **KEC115E2-KEC116E2-KEC117E2**

#### Short Circuit and Over Current VATOR Guard

O/C VATOR and definite time S/C trip delays. R2 (O/C) and the fail-safe relay R1 (S/C) should be used to open the generator breaker. The common alarm relay R3 (S/C & O/C) can be used for local indication, alarm system or PM-System etc. All relays latch after trip.

#### Relays: Cascade 1

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	S/C	O/C 1	O/C 2	Fail Safe	Latch	Definite Time S/C	Definite Time O/C	VATOR	Predictor
R1					_	/			
R2								✓	
R3	/	/			/	/		/	

 
 Model KEC115E2
 Latch X
 Analogue output
 Hz range

 KEC116E2
 X

 KEC117E2
 X
 X

 KEC117E2
 X
 X
 X
 
 Adjustments
 Trip level
 Delay

 S/C:
 150-300% of FLC
 0,1-1 secs

 O/C:
 50-150% of FLC
 0-120 secs

#### **KEC115F-KEC116F-KEC117F**

#### Short Circuit and Over Current Guard

Replaces the **classic** KEC115. Definite time O/C and S/C trip delays. Fail-safe S/C relay. All relays latch after trip. Either R1 (S/C) and R2 (O/C) can be used to trip generator breaker with R3 as a common alarm  $\mathbf{or}$  R3 can trip the generator breaker with R1/R2 used for local indication, PMS or alarm system input etc.

#### Relays: Cascade 1

	S/C	O/C 1	O/C 2	Fail Safe	Latch	Definite Time S/C	Definite Time O/C	VATOR	Predictor
R1	/			/	_	/			
R2							/		
R3	./	./		./	./	./	./		

 Model
 Latch
 Analogue output
 Hz range

 KEC115F
 X

 KEC116F
 X
 X

 KEC117F
 X
 X
 X

 Adjustments
 Trip level
 Delay

 S/C:
 150-300% of FLC
 0,1-1secs

 O/C:
 50-150% of FLC
 0-120secs

#### KEC115F2-KEC116F2-KEC117F2

## Short Circuit and Over Current Guard

Definite time O/C and S/C trip delays. Either R1 (S/C) and R2 (O/C) can be used to trip generator breaker with R3 as a common alarm  $\mathbf{or}$  R3 can trip the generator breaker with R1/R2 used for local indication, PMS or alarm system input etc. NON fail- safe latching relays. Since all relays are NON fail-safe this version is only suitable as a replacement for older installations.

## Relays: Cascade 1

	S/C	O/C 1	O/C 2	Fail Safe	Latch	Definite Time S/C	Definite Time O/C	VATOR	Predictor
R1					_	✓			
R2		_			_		/		
R3	/				_	_	/		

 Model
 Latch
 Analogue output
 Hz range

 KEC115F2
 X

 KEC116F2
 X
 X

 KEC117F2
 X
 X
 X

 Adjustments
 Trip level
 Delay

 S/C:
 150-300% of FLC
 0,1-1secs

 O/C:
 50-150% of FLC
 0-120secs

## **KEC115G-KEC116G-KEC117G**

#### Short Circuit and Over Current Guard

For marine **emergency/harbour** generator sets. Definite time O/C and S/C trip delays. Non-latching O/C trip relay (R2) and non-failsafe S/C trip relay (R1). If an engine is set as an emergency generator only R1 (S/C) shall be used to open the generator breaker as per the requirements of classification societies. In harbour operation both relay R1 and R2 shall open the breaker. R3 operates on both S/C and O/C and can be used for alarm system input etc.

## Relays: Cascade 1

	S/C	O/C 1	O/C 2	Fail Safe	Latch	Definite Time S/C	Definite Time O/C	VATOR	Predictor
R1	/					/			
R2		/					/		
R3	/	/				/	/		

 Model
 Latch
 Analogue output
 Hz range

 KEC115G
 X

 KEC116G
 X
 X

 KEC117G
 X
 X
 X

 Adjustments
 Trip level
 Delay

 S/C:
 150-300% of FLC
 0,1-1secs

 O/C:
 50-150% of FLC
 0-120secs

 Hysteresis (R2): Fixed 3%
 50-150% of FLC
 0.120secs

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# **KEC115/6/7x**

### **Description**

## **Relay Operation**

#### **KEC115H-KEC116H-KEC117H**

#### Short Circuit and 2-level Over Current Predictor Guard

2-level O/C settings. Definite time O/C and S/C trip delays. Instead of the VATOR function the H-versions have 2 over current set trip levels to reduce trip time in high over load situations. "Predictor" early action on relays R1 and R2, both relays will trip after full set O/C or S/C time. R3 is delayed and will trip after full set O/C time + 1sec or S/C time + 200mS. R3 is used to open the generator breaker. R1 or R2 are used for bus-tie breaker opening or for preference load tripping.

	S/C	0/C 1	O/C 2	Fail Safe	Latch	Definite Time S/C	Definite Time O/C	VATOR	Predictor
R1	_		_			✓	/		/
R2						/	/		/
R3		/				/	/		

 Model
 Latch
 Analogue output
 Hz range
 Adjustments
 Iri

 KEC115H
 X
 S/C:
 15/C

 KEC116H
 X
 X
 O/C2:
 50-C

 KEC117H
 X
 X
 X
 O/C1:
 50-C

 Adjustments
 Trip level
 Delay

 S/C:
 150-300% of FLC
 0,1-1secs

 O/C2:
 50-250% of FLC
 0-120secs

 O/C1:
 50-150% of FLC
 0-120secs

 Hysteresis (R1):
 Fixed 3%

#### KEC115H4-KEC116H4-KEC117H4

#### Short Circuit and 2-level Over Current Guard

2-level O/C settings. Definite time O/C and S/C trip delays. Instead of the VATOR function the H-versions have two over current set trip levels to reduce trip time in high over load situations. All relays will trip after full set time. Individual alarm relay outputs give flexibility for a variety of applications.

#### Relays: Cascade 2

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		S/C	0/C 1	O/C 2	Fail Safe	Latch	Definite Time S/C	Definite Time O/C	VATOR	Predictor
R	1					_		✓		
R	2							✓		
R	3	_				/	/			

Model	Latch	Analogue output	Hz range	<u>Adjustments</u>	Trip level	<u>Delay</u>
KEC115H4	Х		-	S/C:	150-300% of FLC	0,1-1secs
KEC116H4	Х	X	-	O/C2:	50-250% of FLC	0-120secs
KEC117H4	Х	X	Х	O/C1:	50-150% of FLC	0-120secs

## KEC115H5-KEC116H5-KEC117H5

#### Short Circuit and 2-level Over Current Predictor Guard

2-level O/C settings. Definite time O/C trip delays. "Predictor" early action on R1 and R2, both relays will trip after full set O/C or S/C time. R3 is delayed and will trip after full set O/C time + 1sec or S/C time + 200mS. R3 is used to open the breaker. R1 and R2 is used for bus-tie breaker opening or for preference load tripping.

#### Relays: Cascade 2

	S/C	O/C 1	O/C 2	Fail Safe	Latch	Definite Time S/C	Definite Time O/C	VATOR	Predictor
R1							/		/
R2						/	/		/
D3	/	/	/	/	/	/	/		

Model	Latch	Analogue output	Hz range	<u>Adjustments</u>	Trip level	Delay
KEC115H5	Х		-	S/C:	150-300% of FLC	0,1-1secs
KEC116H5	Х	Х	-	O/C2:	50-250% of FLC	0-120secs
KEC117H5	Х	Х	Х	O/C1:	50-150% of FLC	0-120secs
				Hysteresis (R1	& R2\: Fixed 3%	

#### **KEC115P-KEC116P-KEC117P**

#### Short Circuit, VATOR Over Current and Predictor Guard

The best choice for diesel electric systems to prevent totally black out. VATOR O/C trip delay. Fail safe and latching R3. "Predictor" early action on relays R1 and R2, R2 will trip after full set O/C and R1 after full set S/C time. R3 is delayed and will trip after full set O/C time + 1sec  $\,$ or S/C time + 200mS. R3 is used to open the generator breaker. R1 and/or R2 are used for bus tie breaker opening, preference load tripping, PMS or alarm system input etc.

## Relays: Cascade 1

	S/C	0/C 1	O/C 2	Fail Safe	Latch	Definite Time S/C	Definite Time O/C	VATOR	Predictor
R1	/					/			/
R2								✓	/
R3		/		/	/	/		/	

Model	Latch	Analogue output	Hz range	Adjust
KEC115P	Х	•		S/Č:
KEC116P	Х	Х	-	O/C:
KEC117P	X	X	X	Hystere

#### KEC115P2-KEC116P2-KEC117P2

## Short Circuit and Over Current Predictor Guard

Definite time O/C and S/C trip delays. Fail safe and latching R3. "Predictor" early action on relays R1 and R2, R2 will trip after full set O/C and R1 after full set S/C time. R3 is delayed and will trip after full set O/C time + 1sec or S/C time + 200mS. R3 is used to open the generator breaker. R1 and/or R2 are used for bus tie breaker opening, preference load tripping, PMS or alarm system input etc.

## Relays: Cascade 1

	S/C	0/C 1	O/C 2	Fail Safe	Latch	Definite Time S/C	Definite Time O/C	VATOR	Predictor
R1	/					/			/
R2		_					✓		/
R3	/	_			_	/	✓		

 
 Model KEC115P2
 Latch X
 Analogue output X
 Hz range 

 KEC116P2
 X

 KEC117P2
 X
 X
 X

 X
 X
 X
 X
 
 Adjustments
 Trip level
 Delay

 S/C:
 150-300% of FLC
 0,1-1secs

 O/C:
 50-150% of FLC
 0-120secs

 Hysteresis (R1 & R2): Fixed 3%
 0-120secs

## **KEC115P3-KEC116P3-KEC117P3**

#### Short Circuit and Over Current Predictor Guard (S/C only)

Definite time O/C and S/C trip delays. Fail safe and latching R3. "Predictor" early action on relay R1 and R2, both relays will trip after full set S/C time. R3 is delayed and will trip after full set O/C time + 1sec or S/C time + 200mS. R3 is used to open the generator breaker. R1 and R2 are used for bus tie breaker opening, preference load tripping, PMS or alarm system input etc.

## Relays: Cascade 1

	S/C	0/C 1	O/C 2	Fail Safe	Latch	Definite Time S/C	Definite Time O/C	VATOR	Predictor
R1	/					/			_
R2					/	/	/		_
R3	/	/		/	/	/	/		

 Model
 Latch
 Analogue output
 Hz range

 KEC115P3
 X

 KEC116P3
 X
 X

 KEC117P3
 X
 X
 X

 Adjustments
 Trip level
 Delay

 S/C:
 150-300% of FLC
 0,1-1secs

 O/C:
 50-150% of FLC
 0-120secs

Hysteresis (R1): Fixed 3%

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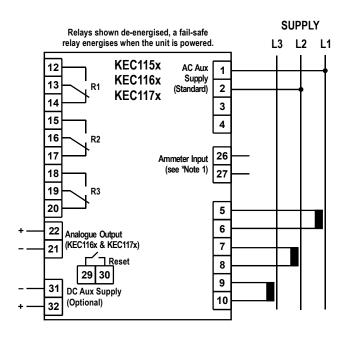


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## **KEC115/6/7x**



## **Analogue Output**

The KEC116x has an analogue output proportional to the highest up ampere-meter reading.

KEC117x has an analogue output proportional to pre-selected frequency range. Available Hz ranges: 45-50-55, 55-60-65, 45-55-65, 30-50-70 or 40-55-70Hz

The signal is specifically intended as an input to a control system for monitoring or control. Add suffix from table below to type designation to specify output required:

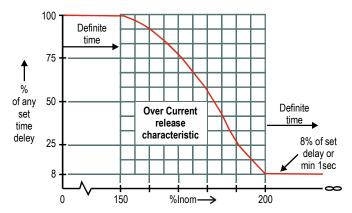
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O/P1	0 - 10mA	O/P6	N/A
O/P2	0 - 20mA	O/P7	N/A
O/P3	4 - 20mA	O/P8	0 - 10V
O/P4	N/A	O/P9	0,2-10V
O/P5	N/A	O/P10	4.3 - 20mA

#### Relay Reset

Any latched relay is reset by linking terminals 29 and 30 or by interrupting the voltage input to terminal 1.

Ammeter input is either connected in serie with one of the C.T. inputs OR via an external selector switch.

## VATOR function - Variable Time Over-current Release

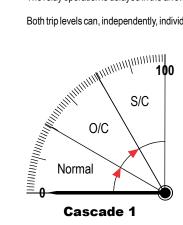


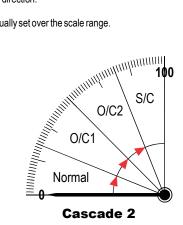
Release characteristic combining definite time and dynamic response to maintain thermal capability protection and selective protection between paralleled generators.

## **Relay Configurations**

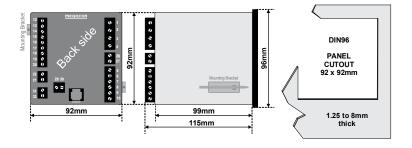
The relay operation is delayed in the arrow direction.

Both trip levels can, independently, individually set over the scale range.



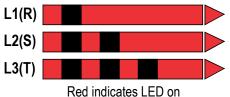


## **Dimensions**



### **Pathfinder Function**

When either short circuit or over current trips have operated the relevant LED will flash in the following pattern to indicate the phase producing the trip.



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KEC117F Type Aux. Supply 200-240V 1500/5A Input Current C.T.

: 0-1.5/3kA Scale Red mark 1250A

O/P3: 4-20mA = 45-50-55Hz Analogue output



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