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# 1. About this document

#### 1.1 Function

This operating instructions manual provides all the information you need for the mounting, set-up and commissioning to ensure the safe operation and disassembly of the safety switchgear. The operating instructions must be available in a legible condition and a complete version in the vicinity of the device.

# 1.2 Target group: authorised qualified personnel

All operations described in this operating instructions manual must be carried out by trained specialist personnel, authorised by the plant operator only.

Please make sure that you have read and understood these operating instructions and that you know all applicable legislations regarding occupational safety and accident prevention prior to installation and putting the component into operation.

The machine builder must carefully select the harmonised standards to be complied with as well as other technical specifications for the selection, mounting and integration of the components.

### 1.3 Explanation of the symbols used



#### Information, hint, note:

This symbol is used for identifying useful additional information.



**Caution:**Failure to comply with this warning notice could lead to failures or malfunctions.

**Warning:**Failure to comply with this warning notice could lead to physical injury and/or damage to the machine.

#### 1.4 Appropriate use

The products described in these operating instructions are developed to execute safety-related functions as part of an entire plant or machine. It is the responsibility of the manufacturer of a machine or plant to ensure the correct functionality of the entire machinery or plant.

The safety switchgear must be exclusively used in accordance with the versions listed below or for the applications authorised by the manufacturer. Detailed information regarding the range of applications can be found in the chapter "Product description".

# 1.5 General safety instructions

The user must observe the safety instructions in this operating instructions manual, the country-specific installation standards as well as all prevailing safety regulations and accident prevention rules.



Further technical information can be found in the Schmersal catalogues or in the online catalogue on the Internet: www.schmersal.net.

The information contained in this operating instructions manual is provided without liability and is subject to technical modifications.



If multiple safety components are wired in series, the Performance Level to EN ISO 13849-1 will be reduced due to the restricted error detection under certain circumstances. The entire concept of the control system, in which the safety component is integrated, must be validated to EN ISO 13849-2.

There are no residual risks, provided that the safety instructions as well as the instructions regarding mounting, commissioning, operation and maintenance are observed.

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#### 1.6 Warning about misuse



In case of inadequate or improper use or manipulations of the safety switchgear, personal hazards or damage to machinery or plant components cannot be excluded. The relevant requirements of the standard EN 1088 must be observed.

#### 1.7 Exclusion of liability

We shall accept no liability for damages and malfunctions resulting from defective mounting or failure to comply with this operating instructions manual. The manufacturer shall accept no liability for damages resulting from the use of unauthorised spare parts or accessories.

For safety reasons, invasive work on the device as well as arbitrary repairs, conversions and modifications to the device are strictly forbidden; the manufacturer shall accept no liability for damages resulting from such invasive work, arbitrary repairs, conversions and/or modifications to the device.

# 2. Product description

# 2.1 Ordering code

This operating instructions manual applies to the following types:

#### TFH 232-① 1-pedal safety foot switch

No.	Option	Description
1	11UEDR 22UEDR	1 NO contact / 1 NC contact 2 NO contact / 2 NC contact

### T2FH 232-① 2-pedal safety foot switch

No.	Option	Description
1)		2 NO contact / 2 NC contact 4 NO contact / 4 NC contact 3 NO contact / 3 NC contact 3 NO contact / 3 NC contact



Only if the information described in this operating instructions manual are realised correctly, the safety function and therefore the compliance with the Machinery Directive is maintained.

# 2.2 Special versions

For special versions, which are not listed in the order code below 2.1, these specifications apply accordingly, provided that they correspond to the standard version.

### 2.3 Destination and use

These robust safety foot switches are particularly suitable for industrial applications. All safety foot switches are mounted with a shield to protect against unintentional operation. When the foot pedal is actuated to as far as the pressure point, the NO contact is closed. If, in case of danger, the pedal is actuated beyond the pressure point, then the positive break NC contact is opened and mechanically latched.

All safety foot switches are mounted with a shield to protect against unintentional operation. When the foot pedal is actuated to as far as pressure point, the NO contact is closed. If, in case of danger, the pedal is actuated beyond the pressure point, then the positive break NC contact is opened and mechanically latched by means of a locking device and a spring in the housing. Reset operation is carried out by means of the blue push button located on the topside of the enclosure. This button pushes the locking device back to its original position. The unlocking button is equipped with a rubber cap, protecting the inner compartment of the foot switch enclosure against moisture and dirt.

# Design/Operating principle: overlapping contacts with pressure point and latching (UEDR)

Representation:	Condition:	Function
0 1422	Not actuated	No authorised operation
1321 1422 1	Actuated up to pressure point	Safety release
14 222 13 21 13 21	Pushed-through	No authorised operation
14 22 14 22 1 0 • 0 · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Unlock	No authorised operation*

\* Switch-on impulse during the unlocking operation must be suppressed by means of measures at control technology level.



For a single-channel connection, a jumper connection must be fitted between the contacts (not included in delivery).



The non-safety-related pedal of the 2-pedal safety foot switch does not have the overlapping and latching functions.

2.4 Technical data	
Standards:	EN 60947-5-1,
	DIN VDE 0660-200, BG-GS-ET-15
Material of the enclosure,	
cover and protective shield:	aluminium
Enclosure coating:	powder-coated thermoplastic
Material of the pedal:	glass-fibre reinforced thermoplastic
Mechanical data	
Realisation of the electrical connect	
- max. cable section:	2.5 mm <sup>2</sup>
	(incl. conductor ferrules)
Cable entry:	1-pedal: 1 x M20 x 1.5;
	2-pedal: 2 x M25 x 1.5
Mechanical life:	> 1.000.000 operations
Switching frequency:	max. 1 /s
Resistance to shock:	30 g / 11 ms
Resistance to vibration:	10 150 Hz (0.35 mm / 5 g)
Ambient conditions	
Ambient temperature:	−25 °C+60 °C
Storage and transport temperature:	−25 °C+85 °C
Relative humidity:	30% 95%
	- no condensation
	- no icing
Protection class:	IP65 to IEC/EN 60529
Overvoltage category:	III
Degree of pollution:	3
Electrical data	
Execution of the control element:	NC contact, NO contact
Switching principle:	creep circuit element
Rated impulse withstand voltage Uin	mp: 800 V
Rated insulation voltage U <sub>i</sub> :	32 VDC
Thermal test current I <sub>the</sub> :	10 A
Utilisation category:	DC-13: 24 V / 1 A
	AC-15: 230 V / 4 A
Required short-circuit current:	1000 A
Max. fuse rating:	6 A gG D-fuse
Dimensions:	1-pedal: 170 x 189 x 274 mm;
	2-pedal: 295 x 189 x 274 mm

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# 2.5 Safety classification

Standards:	EN ISO 13849-1
B <sub>10d</sub> Opener (NC):	100.000
Service life:	20 years

$$\mbox{MTTF}_{d} = \frac{\mbox{$B_{10d}$}}{\mbox{$0,1$ x $n_{op}$}} \qquad \mbox{$n_{op}$} \equiv \frac{\mbox{$d_{op}$ x $h_{op}$ x $3600 s/h}}{\mbox{$t_{cycle}$}} \label{eq:nop}$$

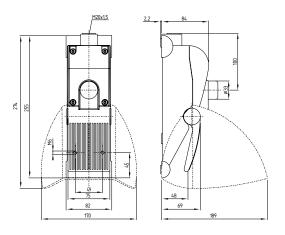
(Specifications can vary depending on the application-specific parameters  $\rm h_{op},\,d_{op}$  and  $\rm t_{cycle}$  as well as the load.)

# 3. Mounting

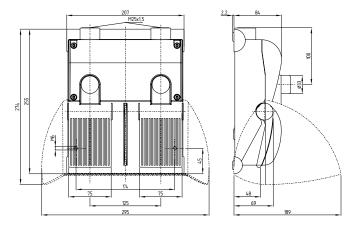
#### 3.1 Dimensions

All measurements in mm.

#### with 1 foot pedal



# with 2 foot pedals



# 4. Electrical connection

# 4.1 General information for electrical connection



The electrical connection may only be carried out by authorised personnel in a de-energised condition.

The terminal designations can be found in the wiring compartment. For cable entries, please use suitable glands of the appropriate protection class. For a proper wiring of the cables, use cable entry M20 x 1.5 for 1-pedal foot switches and 2x M25 x 1.5 for 2-pedal foot switches. Unused entries must be accordingly sealed with a blind gland. Please clean the inside of the switch after wiring (e.g. remove cable residues), as dirt and impurities might affect the switching behaviour. Minimum tightening force on cover screws: 1.8 Nm.

#### 4.2 Contact variants

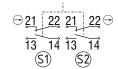
The contacts are shown in a non-actuated condition.

#### with 1 foot pedal

1 NO / 1 NC

2 NO / 2 NC



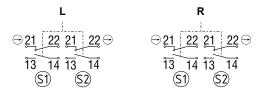


# with 2 foot pedals

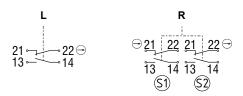
2 NO / 4 NC (T2FH-232-11UEDR/11UEDR)



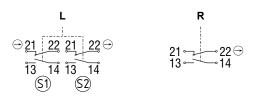
4 NO / 4 NC (T2FH-232-22UEDR/22UEDR)



3 NO / 3 NC (T2FH-232-11/22UEDR)



3 NO / 3 NC (T2FH-232-22UEDR/11)



 $\textbf{Legend:} \qquad \ominus \ \ \text{positive break NC contact}$ 

L left pedal

R right pedal

# 5. Set-up and maintenance

#### 5.1 Functional testing

The safety function of the safety components must be tested. The following conditions must be previously checked and met:

- 1. Check the integrity of the cable entry and connections
- 2. Check the switch enclosure for damage
- 3. Check the functionality of the switch by actuating the safety foot switch

#### 5.2 Maintenance

Regularly check the "safety function" (switching condition) of the foot switch. Remove possible dirt accumulated below the foot lever. A regular visual inspection and functional test, including the following steps, is recommended:

- · Check the switch enclosure for damages
- · Check the cable entries and the wire connections

Damaged or defective components must be replaced.

# 6. Disassembly and disposal

#### 6.1 Disassembly

The safety switchgear must be disassembled in a de-energised condition only.

# 6.2 Disposal

The safety switchgear must be disposed of in an appropriate manner in accordance with the national prescriptions and legislations.

# 7.1 EC Declaration of conformity

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# EC Declaration of conformity

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We hereby certify that the hereafter described safety components both in its basic design and construction conform to the applicable European Directives.

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**Description of the safety component:** Foot switch for safety functions

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