

Safety Switches

Non-Contact Switches

Ferrogard™ 1, 2, 20 & 21



Description

The Ferrogard range of magnetically actuated safety switches offers non-contact reliability together with tolerance to misalignment. They are designed to be installed so that when a guard door is opened, the action of the magnetic actuator being removed from the switch opens the N.C. safety contacts which are intended for the isolation of control power to a machine primary control element.

The FRS1, FRS2, FRS20, FRS21 are rectangular housings. Sealed to IP67 (NEMA 6P), these Ferrogards are ideal for wet environments.

Unlike some magnetic switches the Ferrogards have protected safety contacts to help ensure that they do not fail to danger. In addition, some versions have independent auxiliary signal contacts to indicate the guard condition.

All Ferrogards have internal non-resettable overload protection on the safety contact. They should be protected by an external fuse rated as shown in the Specifications table.

Features

- Non-contact actuation
- High tolerance to misalignment
- High switching current (up to 2 A AC, 1 A DC)
- Plastic rectangular housing (IP67)
- Cable or quick-disconnect (QD) connections

Specifications

Safety Ratings	
Standards	EN954-1, ISO13849-1, IEC/EN60204-1, NFPA79, EN1088, ISO14119, ANSI B11.19, AS4024.1
Safety Classification	Cat. 1 Device per EN954-1 Dual channel interlocks suitable for Cat. 3 or 4 systems
Functional Safety Data	B10d: > 2 x 10 ⁶ operations at min. PFH _D : > 3 x 10 ⁻⁷ MTTFd: > 385 years Dual channel interlock may be suitable for performance levels PLe or PLd (according to ISO 13849-1:2006) and for use in SIL2 or SIL3 systems (according to IEC 62061) depending on application characteristics
Note: For up-to-date information, visit	http://www.ab.com/Safety/
Certifications	CE Marked for all applicable directives and cULus
Outputs (Guard Door Closed, Actuator in Place)	
Safety Outputs	FRS1: 1 N.C., FRS2: 1 N.C., FRS20: 2 N.C., FRS21: 2 N.C.
Auxiliary Outputs	FRS1: None, FRS2: 1 N.O., FRS20: None, FRS21: 1 N.O.
Operating Characteristics	
Operating Distance, Make [mm (in.)]	Safety: 12 (0.47); Auxiliary: 15 (0.59)
Operating Distance, Break [mm (in.)]	Safety: 23 (0.91); Auxiliary: 26 (1.02)
Fuses, External	FRS1, 2 & 21: 1.6 A (Bussmann BK/60 A-1.6 A) max. FRS20: 0.4 A (Bussmann BK/60 A-400 mA) max.
Environmental	
Enclosure Type Rating	IP67 (NEMA 6P)
Operating Temperature [C (F)]	-10...+55° (+14...+131°)
Relative Humidity	5...95%
Shock	50 g
Vibration	7 g; 50...200 Hz
Radio Frequency	IEC 61000-4-3, IEC 61000-4-6
Physical Characteristics	
Actuator/Housing Material	Molded ABS plastic
Weight [g (lbs)]	FRS 1—Sensor: 35 (0.08)/Actuator: 85 (0.19) FRS 2—Sensor: 40 (0.09)/Actuator: 85 (0.19) FRS 20—Sensor: 43 (0.09)/Actuator: 85 (0.19) FRS 21—Sensor: 43 (0.09)/Actuator: 85 (0.19)
Color	Red

* Usable for ISO 13849-1:2006 and IEC 62061. Data other than B10d is based on:
- Usage rate of 1op/10 mins., 24 hrs/day, 360 days/year, representing 51840 operations per year
- Mission time/Proof test interval of 38 years

Product Selection

Safety Contact Switching Capability	Safety Contacts	Auxiliary Contacts	Connection	Type	Cat. No.
250V AC, 2 A max	1 N.C.	—	2 m Cable	FRS 1	440N-G02001
			4 m Cable		440N-G02004
			6 m Cable		440N-G02022
			8 m Cable		440N-G02041
			10 m Cable		440N-G02015
		1 N.O.	2 m Cable	FRS 2	440N-G02002
			4 m Cable		440N-G02014
			6 m Cable		440N-G02038
			8 m Cable		440N-G02033
			10 m Cable		440N-G02019
	2 N.C.	—	15 m Cable	FRS 20	440N-G02043
			20 m Cable		440N-G02040
	2 N.C.	1 N.O.	4-Pin Micro QD	FRS 21	440N-G02093
			2 m Cable		440N-G02055
			4 m Cable		440N-G02061
			6 m Cable		440N-G02060
			10 m Cable		440N-G02059
24V DC, 1 A	1 N.C.	1 N.O.	6-Pin AC Micro QD§	FRS 2	440N-G02098
			2 m Cable		440N-G02092
	2 N.C.	—	4-Pin Micro QD	FRS 20	440N-G02094
			4 m Cable		440N-G02085
		1 N.O.	4-Pin Micro QD	FRS 21	440N-G02090
			2 m Cable		440N-G02058
			4 m Cable		440N-G02077
			6 m Cable		440N-G02083
			6-Pin Micro QD		440N-G02099

Note: Contacts are described with the guard door closed, that is, actuator in place. Switch is shipped complete with actuator.

§ For connector ratings see 3-9.