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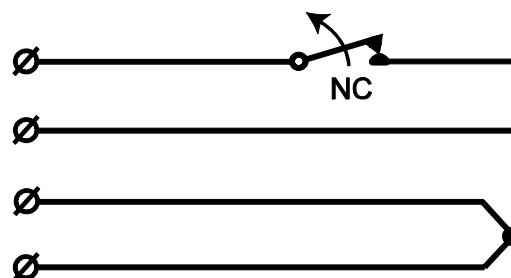
MC 340 is a versatile magnetic contact used in both alarm and security access control systems for protection of doors, gates and windows against unauthorised opening. A wide range of accessories enables the contact to be recessed- or surface-mounted on a variety of surfaces, including ferromagnetic materials.

MC 340 is certified according to EN 50131-2-6:2008.

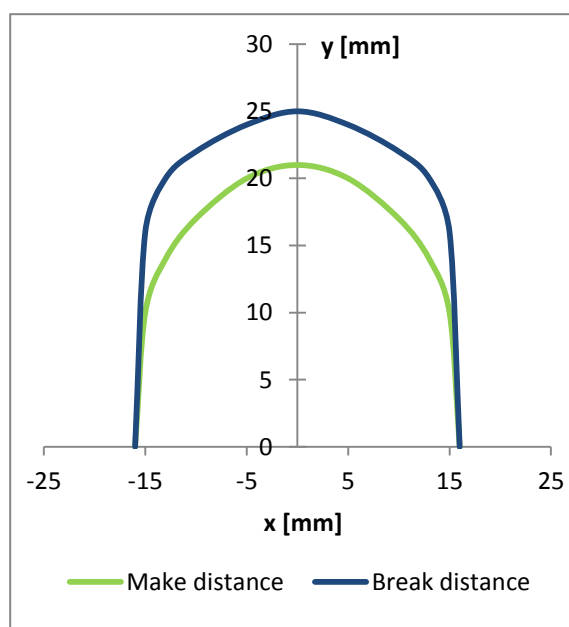
MOUNTING INSTRUCTIONS

- Contact and magnet should be installed axially, corresponding to each other.
- Catch-bolts on the housing enable direct installation in ϕ 8 mm holes in wood.
- Appropriate accessory must be used for installation in ferromagnetic environment.

CIRCUIT DIAGRAM



DISTANCE DIAGRAM - WOOD



TECHNICAL DATA

Working environment	Wood	Steel
Make distance	typ. 21 mm +/- 40 %	see distance table
Break distance	typ. 25 mm +/- 40 %	see distance table
Contact type	form A, SPST	
Switching voltage max.	48 V DC/AC	
Switching current max.	400 mA DC/peak AC	
Contact rating max.	10 W	
Estimated life expectancy	>20 million switching operations at 10 V/4 mA	
Cable	2 m, ϕ 3,2 mm, 4x0,14 mm ²	
Environmental class (EN50130-5:2011)	IIIA	
Operating temperature range	-40°C to +55°C	
Operating humidity range	max. 95% r. h.	
Housing material	plastic ABS	
Dimensions:		
Contact part	ϕ 9 x 25,5 mm	
Magnet part	ϕ 9 x 25,5 mm	
Security grade (EN50131-2-6:2008)	2	
Approvals	ITR 5/2013	

OPERATING PRINCIPLE

MC 340 magnetic contact has two parts: the contact part with a reed switch and the magnet part. In its neutral position the reed switch remains closed under the force of the magnetic field. Opening the monitored object increases the distance between the reed switch and the magnet. This reduces the influence of the magnetic field on the reed switch until it opens and activates an alarm.

Magnetic contacts should not be installed in the vicinity of strong magnetic fields.

INSTALLATION

Detailed installation instructions can be found in MC 340 Installer Manual.

Contact and magnet should be aligned axially in the frames and leaves of the monitored objects (windows, doors etc.). Offset will reduce the working distances. The contact should be mounted in the stationary part of the monitored object (ex. door frame) and the magnet in the movable part (ex. door leaf). Before mounting, holes must be drilled. Catch-bolts on the housing enable direct installation in ϕ 8 mm holes in wood.

For sites where it is impossible to mount the contact directly, a variety of accessories is available.

Accessories with a strong magnet provide a bigger working

distance for more demanding applications and maintain the parameters of the magnetic contact when mounted in ferromagnetic environment.

Accessories for surface mounted applications provide installation solutions for sites where recessed mounting is not suitable.

The working distances of the magnetic contact will be decreased in the proximity of ferromagnetic surfaces. The closer the contact/magnet is installed to the ferromagnetic surface, the lower the working distances

Only non-ferromagnetic screws may be used when mounting the contact using accessories.

After the installation, use an ohmmeter to check the electrical connections and test the function of the magnetic contact.

Warning: applying excessive force to the housing of the contact may damage the glass body of the reed switches inside.

Warning: appropriate accessories must be used for installation in ferromagnetic environment.

RESISTORS (OPTIONAL)

MC 340 is available in two additional options with resistors of the chosen value: MC 340-R with one resistor parallel to the alarm switch and MC 340-2R with two resistors in 2EOL configuration

DISTANCE TABLE

Contact	Accessory	Distance on wood [mm]		Distance on steel [mm]	
		Make	Break	Make	Break
MC 340	-	21	25	X	X
	MC 300-S1	21	25	X	X
	MC 300-S3	17	20	12 ^{a)}	15 ^{a)}
	MC 300-S11	21	25	X	X
	MC 300-S12	35	40	22	24
	MC 300-S21	21	25	X	X
	MC 300-S22	35	40	27	30
	MC 300-S31	21	25	X	X
	MC 300-S32	35	40	22	24
	MC 300-S35	18	20	X	X

X – not recommended

^{a)} measured with spacers (included in the MC 300-S3 set)

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