Limit switch boxes for standard applications

Original Manual

To secure the function and for your own safety, please read this manual attentively before you start the installation. Should there be any open questions, please contact EUROTEC Antriebszubeor GmbH.

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1. Description

Limit switch boxes are used for the feedback and control of valves, which are operated by pneumatic part-turn actuators. The modules are easily to be mounted on the actuator or valve with the enclosed mounting kit. The shaft of the limit switch box is connected form-fit to the shaft of the actuator. The shaft of the limit switch box will turn when you actuate the actuator. The cams which are mounted on the shaft of the limit switch box will then actuate the switches which are responsible for the transmission of the electrical signal.

2. General conditions

The equipment may only be installed, connected an put into operation by specialists. The specialists must have knowledge about regulations and ordinaces for the application.

!!! Any liability of our legal person expires in case of non-compliance with these leads, as well as in case of non-appropriate intervention. Furthermore expires the warranty on the equipment and the accessories !!!

 Please consider the leads in this manual as well as the operational conditions and the approved information from the labels on the equipment.

- Please consider the generally accepted rules of technology for the choice and installation of equipment.
- Please take appropriate measures to avoid accidential activation and to avoid invalid damage.

WARNING, Danger of injury!! The electric parts inside of the casing are highly energised. The turning parts may cause a risk of hand or foot injury.



3. Labeling and utilization

The limit switch boxes are to be used for applications in non-explosive atmospheres. The label on the limit switch box contains the following information:

- Article code
- Material of casing
- Switch type
- Electrical information
- Brief address
- Logo

4. Important leads

- 1. Varify if the classification on the label is appropriate to your application.
- Consider the respective national regulations and legal requirements as well as the requirements of the maufacturer.
- 3. Do not remove existing cable entry devices until inserting the cables to ensure that any dirt remains outside the limit switch box.
- 5. Avoid stress on the clamps or fix them properly.
- 6. Never disconnect the cables when they are energised.
- 7. The product may only be operated in fully assembled status.
- 8. Protect the products and cables successfully against any damage.

5. Material

Casings with variuos materials can be used in non-explosive atmospheres. In explosive atmospheres you have to use conductive materials as vestamid or aluminum. For more information please see the technical data sheet.

6. Assembly

- Align the shaft of the limit switch box to the shaft of the actuator. Mount the limit switch box on the actuator using the mounting bracket and the enclosed mounting kit which was prepared in accordance with VDI/VDE 3845 (NAMUR). Tighten the screws firmly
- Open the cover by loosing the 4 cover screws. Take care that they are still plugged into the cover.

- Now connect the cables with the limit switch box. Consider the insturctions on the wiring diagramm on the cover of the limit switch box or on the technical data sheet.
- Close the cover of the limit switch box. Take care that the sealing of the cover is in a proper position when you apply the cover to the casing. Tighten the 4 screws firmly.

7. Disassembly

- 1. Consider the leady of chapter 4.
- Open the cover of the limit switch box by loosing the 4 cover screws. Takte care that the screws remain plugged into the cover.
- 3. Disconnect the cable of the system from the limit switch box.
- Loose the 4 screws which fix the mounting bracket to the actuator. Now remove the limit switch box from the actuator.

8. Setting of cams

The setting of cams is an important process. The cams are always preset by EUROTEC on a swivel range of 0-90°. If you need another swivel range, please execute the following steps:

Rectangular limit switches:

- Remove the visual indicator.
- Bring the actuator in the desired end position 1. Adjust the lower cam first. Press the cam down and turn it into the position in which it actuates the switch. Now let the cam engage again with the toothing.
- Bring the actuator in the desired end position 2. Press the upper cam dwon and turn it into the position in which it actuates the switch. Now let the cam engage again with the toothing.
- Finally verify your presetting through repeted switching.
- Mount the visual indicator to the shaft of the limit switch box.



Cylindrical sensors and slot type sensors:

- Remove the visual indicator.
- Loose the nut M6.
- Bring both cams into the position that you need for your application and tighten the nut M6 again firmly.
- Finally verify your presetting through repeted switching.
- Mount the visual indicator to the shaft of the limit switch box.













9. Connection of soleniod valve

Depending on the model, the limit swich boxes of EUROTEC provide the possibility to connect one or two solenonid valves or one dual stable solenoid valve. Connect the solenoid valve to the cable that is lead outside the limit switch box. Follow the instruction manual of the manufacturer of the solenoid valve.

10 Maintenance

The sealings of the shaft and inside of the cover may become brittle in case of long-time external use or use in high or low ambient temperatures. A secure operation can only be guaranteed in a leak-proof casing. Sealings must be exchanged after they are worn-out or at the latest of 5 years. The required sealings can be ordered from EUROTEC.

11. Interferences

Check the cables, connectors and the position of the cams. Check additionally if there is condensation water inside of the casing and if the valve and the actuator operate properly. Repair occuring defects.

If the interference is still valid, disconnect the box from the system and contact authorised and skilled specialists of the manufacturer.

12. Area of application

This manual is applicable for limit switch boxes of EUROTEC Antriebszubehoer GmbH for the use in non-explosive atmospheres.

The following products are considered:

EPP M	EPP I	EPP_S
EPE M	EPE I	EPE S
EVP_M	EVP_I	EVP_S
EVE_M	EVE_I	EVE_S
EAE_M	EAE_I	EAE_S
EBPS_M	EBPS_I	EBPS_S
EBPL_M	EBPL_I	EBPL_S
EBAS_M	EBAS_I	EBAS_S
EBAL_M	EBAL_I	EBAL_S

