

DX³ time switches



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Technical characteristics **p. 54-58**

With synchronous (mains-synchronised clock precision) or quartz motor

- +/-2.5 s/day clock precision (quartz motor)
- Surface-mounting possible with a wall bracket and a terminal cover (Cat.No 4128 59)
- Unit width: 3 modules of 17.5 mm each

Pack	Cat.Nos	Twilight switches
1	4126 23	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Including light sensor • Wire for light sensor: 2 x 1.5 mm², maximum wire length: 50 m • LED switching status indicator Luxo switch

MicroRex analog time switches

In accordance with IEC 60730-1 and 60730-2-7
 Manual switching ON/automatic/OFF
 daily/weekly switching dial with captive segments
 Clock precision: +/- 5 min for the daily time switch
 -10°C to +55°C operating temperature

1	4128 12	MicroRex T31 – Daily time switch
1	4128 13	MicroRex QT31 – Daily time switch
1	4128 14	MicroRex W31 – Weekly time switch
1	4127 90	MicroRex QT11 – Daily time switch
1	4127 94	MicroRex QW11 – Weekly time switch

Accessory

1	4128 59	Wall bracket
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DX³ contactors



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Conform to IEC/EN 61095

Space for power supply busbar on top (up to 63 A)

Pack	Cat.Nos	Power contactors CX ³
1	4125 44	25 A 2 NO contactor
1	4125 45	40 A 2 NO contactor
1	4125 47	63 A 2 NO contactor
1	4125 48	63 A 2 NC contactor
1	4125 49	40 A 3 NO contactor
1	4125 50	63 A 3 NO contactor
1	4125 51	25 A 4 NO contactor
1	4125 53	40 A 4 NO contactor
1	4125 56	63 A 4 NO contactor
1	4125 57	63 A 4 NC contactor

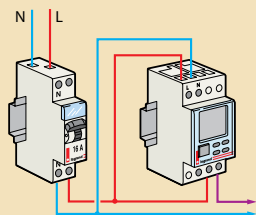
Signalling auxiliaries for contactors

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| 1 | 4124 29 | Auxiliary changeover switch
For 1 module contactors
16 A to 25 A |
| 1 | 4124 30 | For 2 module contactors
25 A |
| 1 | 4124 31 | For 40 and 63 A
contactors |

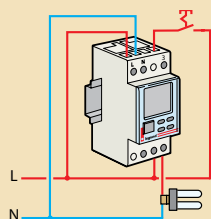
programmable time switches with analogue and digital dial

Diagrams

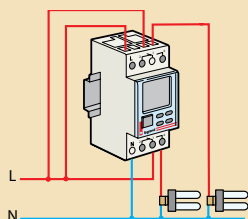
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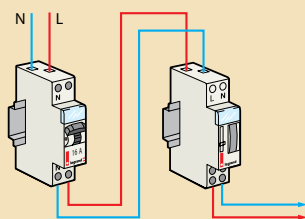
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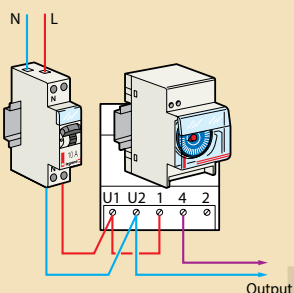
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■ Technical specifications

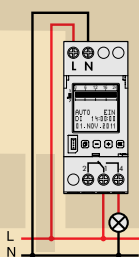
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Nominal voltage	230 V 50/60 Hz						
Number of modules of 17.5 mm each	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Number of channels	1	2	1	1	2	1	2
Switch output	1 changeover contact	2 changeover contacts	1 changeover contact	1 changeover contact	2 changeover contacts	1 changeover contact	2 changeover contacts
Zero-crossing switching	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Switching capacity							
• Ohmic 250 V± cos φ = 1	16 A ±	16 A ±	16 A ±	16 A ±	16 A ±	16 A ±	16 A ±
• Inductive 230 V± cos φ = 0.6	10 A ±	10 A ±	10 A ±	10 A ±	10 A ±	10 A ±	10 A ±
• Incandescent lamp load	2000 W	2000 W	2000 W	2000 W	2000 W	2000 W	2000 W
• Fluorescent lamp, series compensated	2000 VA	2000 VA	2000 VA	2000 VA	2000 VA	2000 VA	2000 VA
• Energy-saving lamp	1000 W	1000 W	1000 W	1000 W	1000 W	1000 W	1000 W
Programs ¹⁾	56	28 per channel	56	56	28 per channel	84	84 per channel
Control input with switch-off delay 0 s to 23 h 59 min 59 s			✓	✓		✓	
Cycle function (pulse time) min. 1 s, max. 1 h 59 min 59 s	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Clock precision (typical)	± 0.1 s/day ²⁾						
Running reserve	5 years						
Shortest switching step	1 s						
Operating temperature	-20 to +55 °C						
Degree of protection	IP20						

¹⁾ A program consists of a switch-on time, a switch-off time as well as days or day blocks which are assigned as "switched-on" or "switched-off"

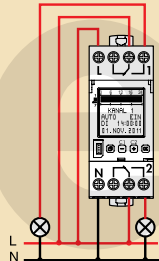
²⁾ Can be set to mains-synchronous operation

■ Connection diagram

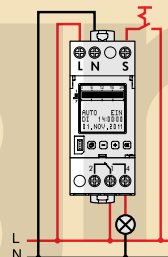
AlphaRex³ D21



AlphaRex³ D22
AlphaRex³ D22 astro
AlphaRex³ DY22



AlphaRex³ D21s
AlphaRex³ D21 astro
AlphaRex³ DY21



■ Functions

- Select menu, go back while in menu
Press > 1 sec. = operating display
- Confirm the selection or accept the parameter
- Select the menu item or set the parameter;
for 2-channel time switches, can be used to select the channel (channel 1 – channel 2)
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■ Brief description of programming functions

Text guidance

Guides the user through programming and setup with plain text prompts. Each step can be read on the screen, and the function that is currently active flashes. An integrated display and button light makes operation easy even in poorly lit environments.

Set language

The language selection function can be accessed using the "MENU" button. The language is set to English by default. The following languages can be selected: German, English, French, Italian, Spanish, Dutch, Portuguese*, Swedish*, Norwegian*, Finnish*, Danish*, Polish*, Czech*, Russian*, Turkish*.

*) Excluding AstroRex DY64

Time, date, summer time (daylight saving time)

The time switch is preset at the factory to the current time and date. The time can be changed by selecting "MENU" + "SET".

Reset

Simultaneously pressing all buttons for more than 2 seconds deletes all data. Language, date/time, summer time (daylight saving time) and switch times must be set again.

■ Data key

If the supply voltage is switched on, the "KEY – READ – WRITE" menu item is automatically opened when a data key is inserted. "WRITE": Program data is written from the time switch to the key. Caution: Any data present on the key will be overwritten. "READ": Program data is written from the key to the time switch; any switching programs on the time switch are overwritten. Only one master switching program, which consists of multiple switching programs, can be saved on the time switch or on the key at a time. If the supply voltage is not connected, the "KEY – READ – WRITE" menu item is not automatically opened when a data key is inserted. The "KEY" function can still be selected from the menu even if the supply voltage is not connected.

■ PC programming

In addition to the easy, text-guided programming directly on the time switch, switching programs can also be created on a PC with the software program from Legrand and transferred to the time switch using a data key. A data transfer device (Cat.No : 4128 73) is required to transfer switching programs created on a PC to the data key. The device is connected to the PC using the USB plug. In addition to the data transfer device, we also offer a CD with the software and the necessary drivers. PC system requirements: USB port; Windows[®] XP, Windows[®] Vista, Windows[®] 7; approx. 40 MB of free memory.

■ Brief description of programming functions

Weekly programs

To create a weekly program, select "MENU", "PROGRAM", and then "CREATE" to easily enter programs which are repeated on a weekly basis. A weekly program consists of a switch-on/switch-off times and days which are assigned as "switched-on" or "switched-off". The following predefined blocks can be selected: "MONDAY – SUNDAY", "MONDAY – FRIDAY"¹⁾ or "SATURDAY – SUNDAY"¹⁾; the assigned days of the week are fixed. The switch-on/switch-off times must be entered. The user can also set custom day blocks. By selecting "CUSTOM", switch times can be freely assigned to any days of the week. This option also allows the user to set switch times at midnight.

¹⁾ Excluding AlphaRex³ DY, AstroRex DY64

Yearly programs [AlphaRex³ DY21, AlphaRex³ DY22]

This menu item allows the user to enter (additional) yearly programs, which are only executed within a defined validity period. They can overlap with one another and with the weekly programs on the same channel based on an "OR" connective. The validity period is defined by entering the start date (at 00:00:00) and the end date (at 24:00:00). The start date must be entered before the end date. With the "EVERY YEAR" option, the additional switch times have the same validity period each year (Christmas, national holidays, birthdays, etc.) Select the "ONCE" option when additional switch times are needed within a validity period (e.g. during holidays), but the start/end dates of the holiday period change from year to year.

Special programs (priority program) [AlphaRex³ DY21, AlphaRex³ DY22]

Weekly and yearly programs on the same channel are not executed during the validity period of a special program. However, other special programs can be executed during the validity period. Different special programs can overlap with each other based on an "OR" connective. With the "EVERY YEAR" option, the additional switch times have the same validity period each year (Christmas, national holidays, birthdays, etc.) Select the "ONCE" option when additional switch times are needed within a validity period (e.g. during holidays), but the start/end dates of the holiday period change from year to year. Additional options include "MON TO SUN"/"CUSTOM": the respective channel only switches according to the special program; "PROG ON"/"PROG OFF": the respective channel is switched on/off during this time period.

■ Basic functions for "astro"

Location (astro) [AlphaRex³ D21 astro, AlphaRex³ D22 astro, AlphaRex³ DY21, AlphaRex³ DY22]

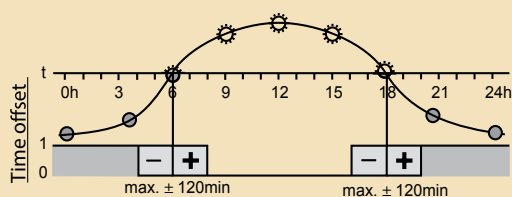
The sunrise/sunset times, which change daily, are calculated for the location programmed in the AlphaRex. The unit is delivered with the location set to "GERMANY – SOEST" by default. Enter the actual location for optimal operation. This can be done in two ways. Select "MENU", "SET" and "ASTRO" to access the two options "LOCATION" and "COORDINATES". "LOCATION": With this menu item, the user can select the country and city which is closest to the site of operation. "COORDINATES": Alternatively, the user can select this menu item to set the geographical coordinates of the location. The longitude and latitude values are entered in degrees or degrees and arcminutes²⁾ (precision can be set in expert mode). Information on coordinates and time zones can be found in the time zone map included with every time switch.

Offset

By selecting "MENU", "SET", "ASTRO" and "OFFSET", time differentials can be set for the calculated switch times. This can be done in two ways: time offset or angle offset.

In time offset, a time differential can be entered to shift the switch time by up to +/- 120 min relative to the sunrise/sunset times.

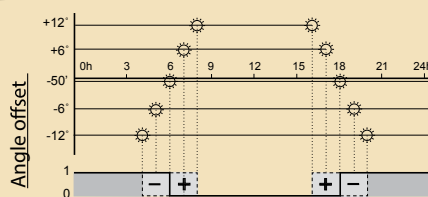
In angle offset²⁾, a value can be entered in degrees and arcminutes to shift the switch time by up to +/- 12° 00' relative to the sunrise/sunset times. The time differentials are set separately for sunrise and sunset using the menu items "SUNSET" (opens the screen for setting the sunset offset) and "SUNRISE" (opens the screen for setting the sunrise offset).



Example:

For a time differential of +30 min, the time switch switches 30 min. after sunrise and 30 min. after sunset.

For a time differential of -30 min, the time switch switches 30 min. before sunrise and 30 min. before sunset.



Note:

If the offset is set in degrees, the time switch always switches at points when the brightness is the same, despite the fact that the twilight duration changes over the course of the year. Sunrise and sunset correspond to -50' for the centre of the sun (the edge of the sun is visible on the horizon).

Offset correction function²⁾

Select "MENU", "SET", "ASTRO" and "CORRECTION" to set a time correction for the 6-month periods surrounding summer and winter. The time correction is set to 0 min. by default and can be set from 1 min. up to 30 min. The time correction for sunset is entered in the "SUNSET" menu item. The time correction for sunrise is set in the "SUNRISE" menu item. The correction function overlaps with the calculated astronomical switch times, including the offset settings.

Example:

Setting a time correction extends the daily switched-on time by up to 60 min. in the middle of the six winter months (switches off up to 30 min. later in the morning and switches on up to 30 min. earlier in the evening). In the middle of the six summer months, the time correction reduces the daily switched-on time by up to 60 min. (switches off up to 30 min. earlier in the morning and switches on up to 30 min. later in the evening). The time correction varies continuously between the two max. values during the rest of the year.

Basic settings using a PC and day key

All of the basic settings described above, with the exception of the current time and date, can be set up using the AlphaSoft software from Legrand and imported to the time switch using the data key.²⁾ Excluding AstroRex DY64

■ Additional functions

Relay function

The relay state can be changed by selecting "MENU" and "FUNCTIONS". The relay is preset to the "AUTO" function; the time switch switches at the programmed times. The following can also be selected: "ALWAYS ON", "ALWAYS OFF" and "EXTRA". If "EXTRA" is selected, the switching status specified by the program is inverted. The time switch resumes switching according to the programmed switch times after the next switch command.

Holiday program

In holiday program, the holiday period is set with a start and an end date. It can be activated with the "ACTIVE" program item and deactivated with "PASSIVE". If the holiday program is activated, the time switch does not carry out any programmed switch commands during this time period. Instead, it remains "ALWAYS OFF" or "ALWAYS ON" during the holiday period, as requested. When the holiday period has ended, the time switch resumes switching according to the programmed switch times.

1 h test

The "1 h TEST" function can be used for a switching simulation. If "1 h TEST" is activated, the switch outputs are switched for one hour. After the time has ended, the time switch resumes switching according to the programmed switch times.

PIN code

Input and programming can be locked using a four-digit "PIN CODE". The time switch can be unlocked using the "PIN CODE". The time switch can also be unlocked using the "RESET" function, which also deletes all settings and programs.

Operating hours counter

This function displays the time for which the relay has been switched on and the date of the last reset. Counting range: 65,535 h.

Contrast adjustment

This function allows the user to adjust the display contrast.

Expert mode*

Expert mode is activated by selecting "OPTIONS" and "EXPERT". After expert mode is activated, the following additional functions can be used: control input "extra"¹⁾, control input "out"¹⁾, cycle function, channel-switching function (2-channel time switches), mains-synchronous operation, offset correction function²⁾, geographical coordinates in degrees and arcminutes²⁾.

¹⁾ AlphaRex³ D21s, AlphaRex³ D21 astro, AlphaRex³ DY21 ²⁾ AlphaRex³ astro, AlphaRex³ DY

Control input with switch-off delay

Adjustable switch-off delay via control input. The control input enables an additional switching of the relay, parallel to the switching program. The switch-off delay can be set from 0 s to 23 h 59 min 59 s. The switch-off delay begins as soon as the voltage is removed from the control input.

Control input "extra"*

Override of switching state via control input. If the "EXTRA" function is activated, the switching state specified by the program is inverted. The time switch resumes switching according to the programmed switch times after the next switch command. The "EXTRA" function is ended prematurely if the button is pressed again or if a pulse is received at the control input.

Control input "off"*

Switch off via control input. Activating the "OFF" function causes the time switch to be switched off via the control input. The "OFF" function is ended if the button is pressed again or if a pulse is received at the control input. The time switch resumes switching on/off according to the programmed switch times.

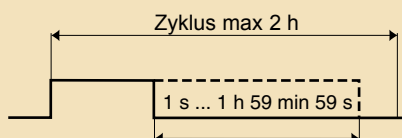
Pulse function

Programmable with precision to the second.

Cycle function

Function for cyclical switching. With this function, the time switch is switched on once within a defined time period and for a defined duration. The cycle time can be set between 2 s and 2 h. The switch-on time can be set between 1 s and 1 h 59 min 59 s.

	Min.	Max.
Cycle	2 s	2 h
Switch-on time	1 s	1 h 59 min 59 s



Random function

If the random function is activated, set switch times are randomly shifted within a range of +/- 15 minutes.

Channel-switching function*

With 2-channel time switches, this function can be activated so that the time switch regularly switches between the outputs assigned to the channels, in order to protect connected devices (for example lights/lamps) or so that two devices can be used simultaneously. The channel-switching function is activated by selecting "MENU", "OPTIONS" and "CHANNEL 1<>2". The time switch switches between the outputs according to whether the menu item "DAILY" (once per day at 12:00 p.m.) or "WEEKLY" (once per week on Sunday at 12:00 p.m.) is selected.

Mains-synchronous operation

Mains-synchronised clock precision. By activating the "SYNC" function and then "ACTIVE", the quartz-controlled time switch becomes a synchronous time switch.

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Rex analogue time switches

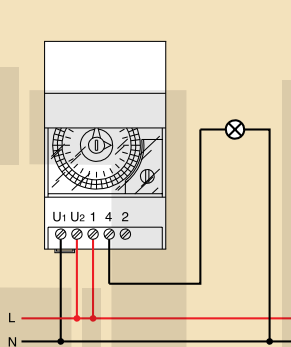
daily/weekly time switches

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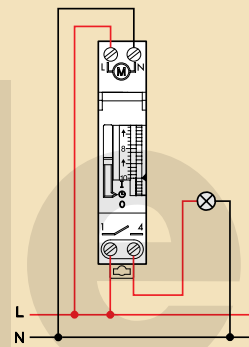
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Number of modules of 17.5 mm each	3	1			
Number of channels	1	1	1	1	1
Drive type	synchronous	quartz	synchronous	quartz	quartz
Switching dial	24 h	24 h	7 days	24 h	7 days
Running reserve	none	100 h	none	100 h	100 h
Switching increment	15 min	15 min	2 h	15 min	2 h
Shortest switching step	30 min	30 min	4 h	15 min	2 h
Switching step	+/- 5 min	+/- 5 min	+/- 30 min	+/- 5 min	+/- 30 min
Clock precision	mains	2.5 s/day	mains	2.5 s/day	2.5 s/day
Switching capacity	synchronised				
• Ohmic 230 V± cos φ = 1	16 A ±				
• Incandescent lamp 230 V±	4 A ±				
• Inductive 230 V± cos φ = 0.6	12 A ±				
Switch output	1 changeover contact	1 changeover contact	1 changeover contact	1 normally open contact	1 normally open contact
Operating temperature	-10 to +55 °C				
Degree of protection	IP20				

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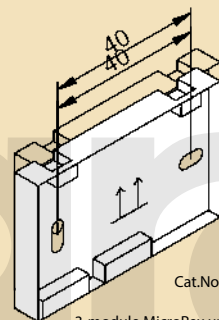
MicroRex - 3 modules



MicroRex - 1 module



Wall bracket - 3 modules

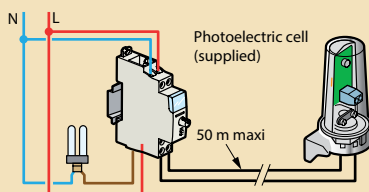


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3-module MicroRex units can be surface mounted using the wall bracket. A terminal cover is included with delivery.

■ Standard light sensitive switch (Cat.No 4126 23)

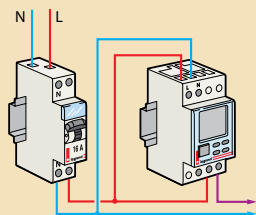
Switch "ON" and "OFF" defined by a light level threshold



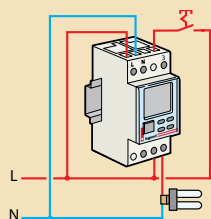
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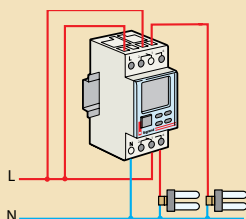
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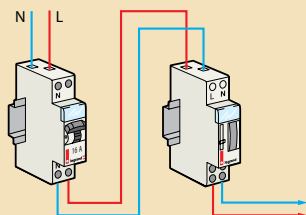
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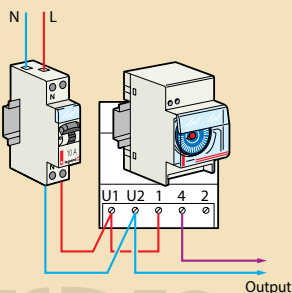
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