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Programmable Controllers
MELSEC-Q Series
Insulation Monitoring Module

Continuously Monitoring of Insulation by PLC - Production Equipment Preventive Maintenance Support -



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QE82LG
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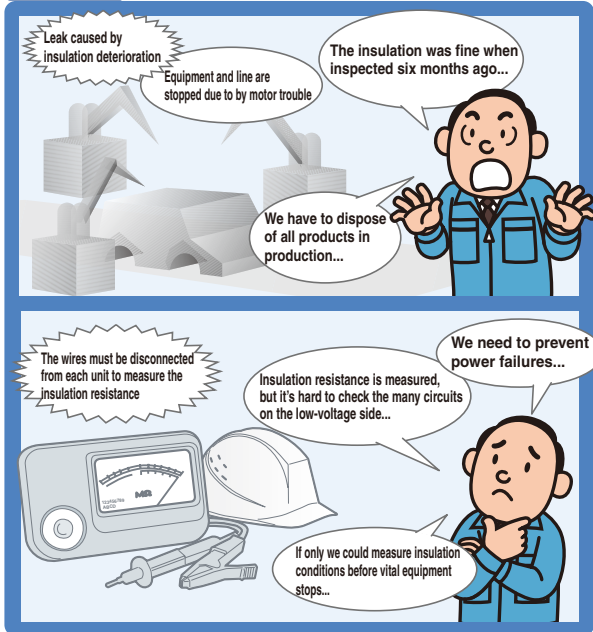
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Insulation monitoring by PLC. Insulation deterioration in equipment can be detected without omission.

Before



After

Insulation deterioration is constantly monitored for each unit/load

Prevention of sudden failure of machines and lines

Reduction of downtime caused by insulation deterioration

Cost reduced by ending defective product disposal due to sudden line stoppage

Reduction of maintenance hours for periodic inspections

Detection of insulation deterioration (earth leakage) at early stage



Insulation Monitoring Module QE82LG

Features of MELSEC-Q Series Insulation Monitoring Module

Feature 1 Early Detection of Insulation Deterioration in Production Equipment

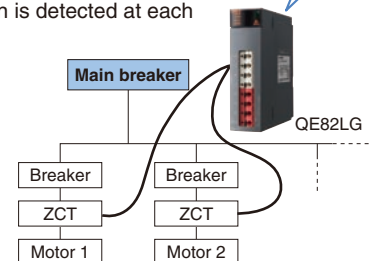
- Since this module is connected directly to the PLC in the control panel, leakage current from points close to loads can be measured easily without the need for additional installation space.
- The module can detect troubles caused by earth leakage (ground fault) and monitor the insulation of motor loads in the production equipment. It does not overlook ongoing insulation deterioration.
- Upper-limit monitoring values for alarms can be set in two stages. Insulation deterioration/condition is detected at each stage, enabling countermeasures before equipment stoppage/malfunction.

Conventional insulation monitoring equipment

System where leakage occurs can be identified, but it's not possible to detect insulation deterioration in equipment.

Insulation Monitoring Unit

Insulation monitoring pinpoints the problematic equipment, making it possible to recognize deteriorated insulation location early on!



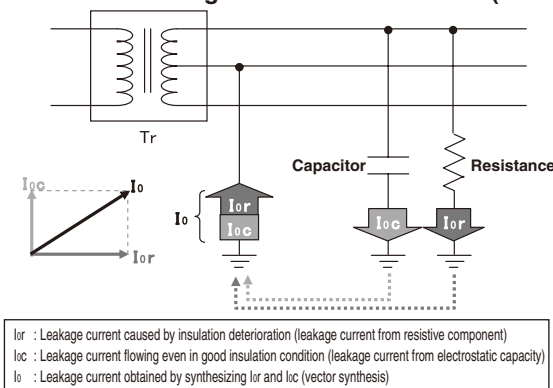
Feature 2 Constant Monitoring for Insulation Deterioration of Equipment Using Ior Method

- The module can measure resistive-component leakage current (I_{or}). Even on circuits which cannot be monitored for insulation using the conventional I_o method, such as inverter circuits on which capacitor component leakage current (I_{oc}) is large, the module removes the I_{oc} component and can correctly monitor the leakage current caused by insulation deterioration.
- The module constantly measures the resistive-component leakage current (I_{or}) even while equipment is running. It detects any sign of insulation deterioration without power interruption.

The I_{or} method stated in the "Standard Specifications for Public Works Construction (Electric Equipment Work)" edited by the Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism is used.

Since leakage current (I_o) is affected by the I_{oc} of the whole equipment, the I_{or} measurement is effective for insulation deterioration diagnosis

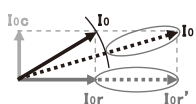
Method of leakage current measurement (I_o and I_{or} measurements)



- The I_{oc} fluctuates on equipment with long wiring distance or inverter devices and filters.

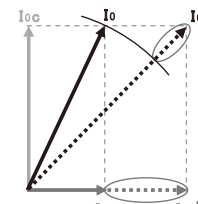
When I_{oc} is low

Amount of change due to insulation deterioration



Amount of change in $I_o \approx$ Amount of change in I_{or}

When I_{oc} is high



Amount of change in $I_o <$ Amount of change in I_{or}

The leakage current from insulation resistive component cannot be correctly determined due to existence of the I_{oc} component.



Advantages of Introducing the Insulation Monitoring Module

Conventional systems

- Measurement of insulation resistance with wiring disconnected during inspection
- Power must be suspended to set the equipment in the non-voltage state
- When leakage current is detected, power supply stops suddenly
- Insulation deterioration cannot be detected easily due to the loc component

Insulation Monitoring Module

Constant monitoring of leakage current during operation



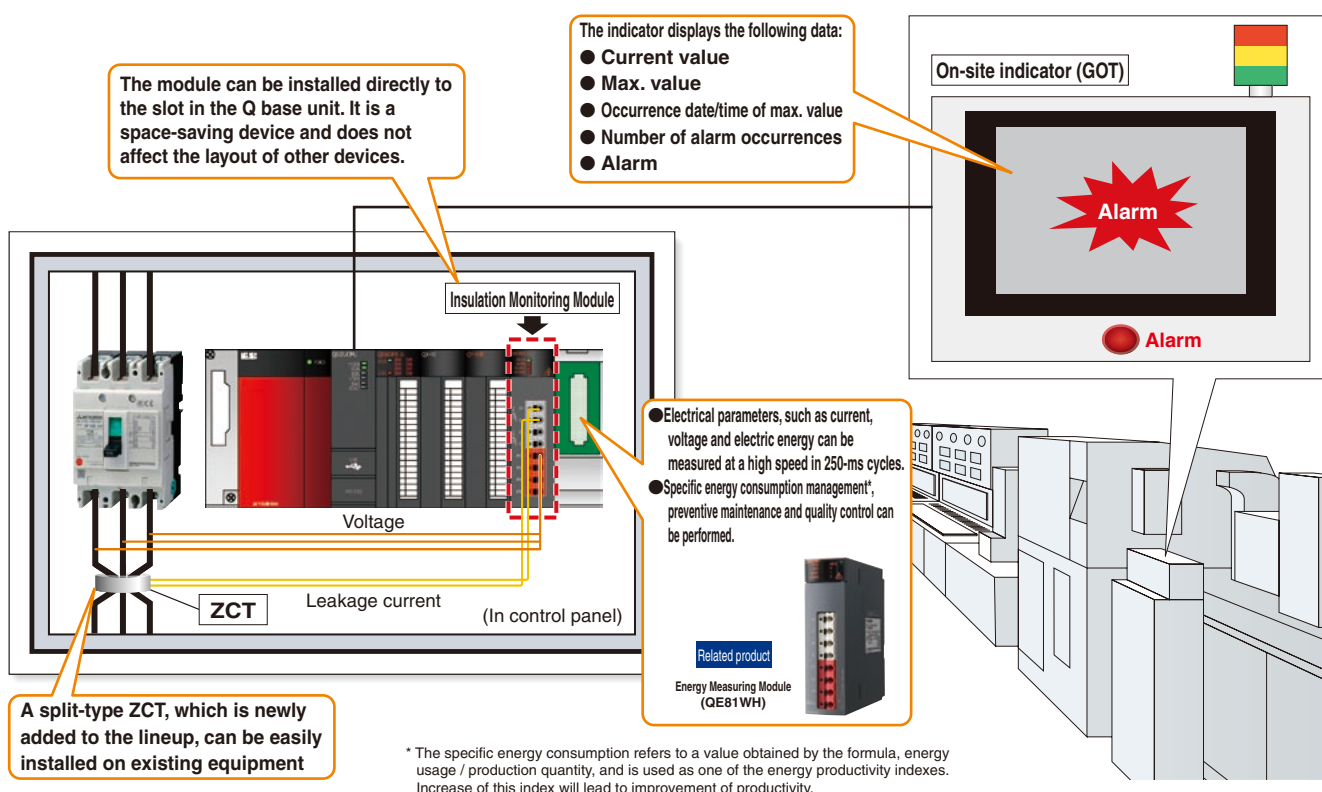
Reduction of labor for insulation resistance test

No need to suspend power supply to equipment

Early detection of insulation deterioration signs

Improvement of availability and reduction of product loss through measures taken before sudden stop

System Configuration Example

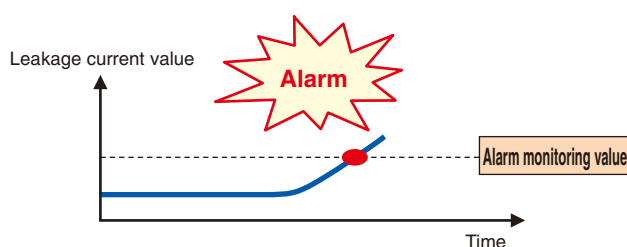


Insulation Monitoring Module Solution Example

From Corrective to Preventive Maintenance as a Result of Insulation Monitoring

Constant measurement of leakage current (I_o or I_{or}) can prevent sudden trouble and reduce production loss due to equipment stoppage.

Example: Increase in leakage current is detected based on the preset alarm monitoring value, so maintenance of deteriorated insulation is performed.



Monitoring of upper limit alarm (leakage current)
(Monitoring of equipment trouble)

Alarm

Equipment maintenance and repair

Reduction of production loss due to equipment stoppage

Applicable Systems

(1) Number of modules which can be installed on applicable units

(a) When installing on a CPU unit

Applicable CPU units						Installable quantity
CPU type	CPU model name					
Basic model QCPU	Q00JCPU					16
	Q00CPU	Q01CPU				24
High-performance model QCPU	Q02CPU	Q02HCPU	Q06HCPU	Q12HCPU	Q25HCPU	64
Process CPU	Q02PHCPU	Q06PHCPU	Q12PHCPU	Q25PHCPU		64
Redundant CPU	Q12PRHCPU	Q25PRHCPU				53
Universal model QCPU	Q00UJCPU					16
	Q00UCPU	Q01UCPU				24
	Q02UCPU					36
	Q03UDCPU	Q04UDHCPU	Q06UDHCPU	Q10UDHCPU	Q13UDHCPU	64
	Q20UDHCPU	Q26UDHCPU	Q03UDECPU	Q04UDEHCPU	Q06UDEHCPU	
	Q10UDEHCPU	Q13UDEHCPU	Q20UDEHCPU	Q26UDEHCPU		

(b) When installing on a MELSECNET/H remote I/O station

Applicable network units	Installable quantity ^{*1}
QJ72LP25-25 QJ72LP25G QJ72BR15	64

^{*1}: Limited within the number of I/O points on the network units.

(2) Applicable base units

QE82LG can be installed in any I/O slot (^{*2}) of the basic base unit or an extension base unit.

^{*2}: In the case of a redundant CPU, the module can be installed only on an extension base unit. It cannot be installed on the basic base unit. The number of installed modules is limited within the number of I/O points on the CPU unit.

(3) Application to multi-CPU systems

QE82LG is applicable to multi-CPU systems. When using QE82LG on a multi-CPU system, first please refer to the "QCPU User's Manual (Multi-CPU System)."

(4) Applicable software packages

The software packages compatible with QE82LG are shown below.

Product name	Model name	Remarks
GX Developer	SWnD5C-GPPW	MELSEC PLC programming software. The "n" in the model name is 4 or higher.
GX Works2	SWnDNC-GXW2	iQ Platform compatible PLC engineering software. The "n" in the model name is 1 or higher.

General Specifications & Measurement Items

(1) General specifications

Item		Specification
Phase wire system		Single-phase 2-wire, single-phase 3-wire and 3-phase 3-wire systems common use
Instrument rating	Voltage circuit ^{*1} ^{*2}	Single-phase 2-wire 110VAC and 220VAC common use
		3-phase 3-wire 110VAC (between wires 1-2, between wires 2-3), 220VAC (between wires 1-3)
		Single-phase 3-wire 110VAC (between wires 1-2, between wires 2-3), 220VAC (between wires 1-3)
	Leakage current circuit	AC1A (ZCT is used. The current is the primary current of ZCT.)
Frequency		50-60Hz (automatic frequency selection)
Main unit tolerances (excluding ZCT)		Leakage current : $\pm 2.5\%$ (10% to 100% of rating) Resistive-component leakage current : $\pm 2.5\text{mA}$ ($\leq 10\%$ of rating) (The resistive-component leakage current does not include electrostatic capacity.)
Number of measurement circuits		2 circuits ^{*3}
Data refresh period		Leakage current : 2 sec or less Resistive-component leakage current : 10 sec or less
Response time		Leakage current : 4 sec or less Resistive-component leakage current : 30 sec or less
Power outage compensation		Backup to nonvolatile memory (Saved items: Setting values, max. value and its occurrence date/time, alarm occurrence times)
Number of occupied I/O points		16 points (I/O assignment: intelligent 16 points)

^{*1}: The module can be connected directly to 110V and 220V. To connect to 440V, an external voltage transformer (VT) is necessary. Leakage current (I_l, I_{or}) cannot be measured without voltage input.

^{*2}: I_l can be measured on a single-phase 3-wire or 3-phase 3-wire delta circuit. On special grounded circuits, such as 3-phase 3-wire star circuits, high-resistance grounded circuits and capacitor grounded circuits, only I_l can be measured.

^{*3}: Leakage current (I_l and I_{or}) of CH1 and CH2 can be measured only on circuits when the voltage input was on the same system.

(2) Measurement items

Measurement items	
	Details
Leakage current (I _l)	Current value
	Max. value
	Occurrence date/time of max. value
	Number of first stage alarm occurrences
	Number of second stage alarm occurrences
Resistive-component leakage current (I _{or})	Current value
	Max. value
	Occurrence date/time of max. value
	Number of first stage alarm occurrences
	Number of second stage alarm occurrences

(3) Specifications for Zero-phase Current Transformer (ZCT)

■ Split-type Zero-phase Current Transformer

Item	Specification				
Model name	CZ-22S	CZ-30S	CZ-55S	CZ-77S	CZ-112S
Hole diameter [mm]	22	30	55	77	112
Allowable current	See the following table "Penetrable max. wire size and allowable current of ZCT"				
Mass [kg]	0.5	0.6	1.8	2.8	6.0
Rated short-time current	50kA (peak value is 100kA)				

■ Through-type Zero-phase Current Transformer

Item	Specification					
Model name	ZT15B	ZT30B	ZT40B	ZT60B	ZT80B	ZT100B
Hole diameter [mm]	15	30	40	60	80	100
Allowable current	See the following table "Penetrable max. wire size and allowable current of ZCT"					
Mass [kg]	0.2	0.4	0.6	2.0	2.6	3.3
Rated short-time current	50kA (peak value is 100kA)					

■ Zero-phase Current Transformer with primary conductor

Item	Specification		
Model name	ZTA600A	ZTA1200A	ZTA2000A
Allowable current [A]	600	1200	2000
Mass [kg]	6.5	11	27
Number of poles	3		
Rated voltage	AC600V		
Rated short-time current	100kA (peak value)		

■ Penetrable max. wire size and allowable current of ZCT

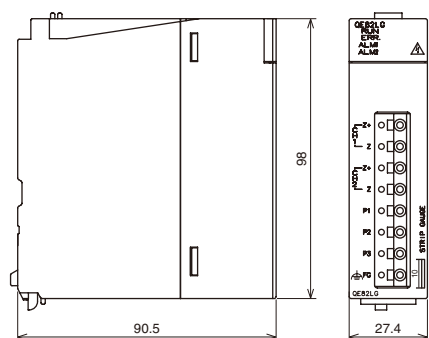
Wiring method			Penetrable max. wire size (mm²) (allowable current (A))										
			Split-type					Through-type					
Phase wire system	No. of wires	Wire type	CZ-22S	CZ-30S	CZ-55S	CZ-77S	CZ-112S	ZT15B	ZT30B	ZT40B	ZT60B	ZT80B	ZT100B
Single-phase 2-wire	2	600-V vinyl wire (IV wire)	22 (115)	60 (217)	250 (556)	500 (842)	—	14 (88)	60 (217)	150 (395)	325 (650)	600 (992)	800 (1185)
		600-V cross-linked polyethylene insulated wire with single core (CV wire)	22 (130)	38 (190)	200 (545)	500 (920)	1000 (1465)	2 (33)	38 (190)	60 (260)	250 (655)	400 (870)	600 (1140)
Single-phase 3-wire	3	600-V vinyl wire (IV wire)	22 (115)	38 (162)	200 (496)	500 (842)	—	8 (61)	38 (162)	100 (298)	250 (556)	500 (842)	725 (1095)
3-phase 3-wire		600-V cross-linked polyethylene insulated wire with single core (CV wire)	14 (100)	22 (135)	150 (455)	325 (760)	800 (1285)	2 (33)	22 (135)	60 (260)	200 (560)	325 (760)	600 (1140)

Remarks (1) Note that the wire thickness may vary slightly depending on the manufacturer. (2) The IV wire applies to cases where insulators are used. (3) The CV wire applies to cases of installation in a covered conduit in air. (Cables of 600mm² or more have various structures. The values are shown for reference.)

Outline Dimension Drawings

Item name	Model name	Outline dimension dwg.
MELSEC-Q Series Insulation Monitoring Module	QE82LG	①
Split-type Zero-phase Current Transformer	CZ-22S	②
	CZ-30S	
	CZ-55S	
	CZ-77S	
	CZ-112S	
Through-type Zero-phase Current Transformer	ZT15B	③
	ZT30B	
	ZT40B	
	ZT60B	
	ZT80B	
Zero-phase Current Transformer with primary conductor	ZTA600A	⑤
	ZTA1200A	⑥
	ZTA2000A	⑦

① QE82LG



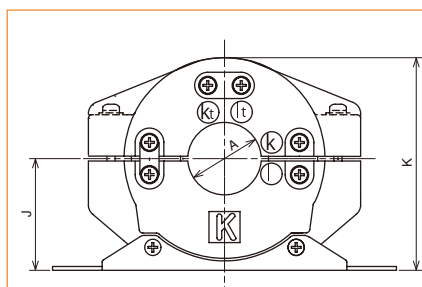
Unit : mm

② CZ-22S/30S/55S/77S/112S

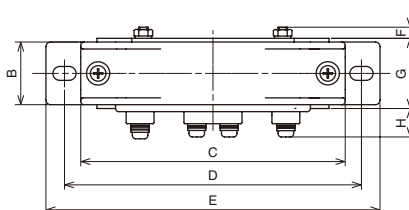
■ Dimensions of Split-type Zero-phase Current Transformer

	CZ-22S	CZ-30S	CZ-55S	CZ-77S	CZ-112S
A	22	30	55	77	112
B	27	27	32	41	57
C	100	114	148	198	234
D	112	130	160	210	246
E	128	144	177	232	268
F	5	5	7	10	8
G	30	30	36	45	62
H	12	12	12	12	12
J	41	47	66	90	109
K	77	89	124	171	207

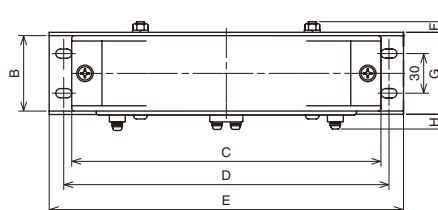
Unit : mm



(CZ-22S/30S/55S/77S)

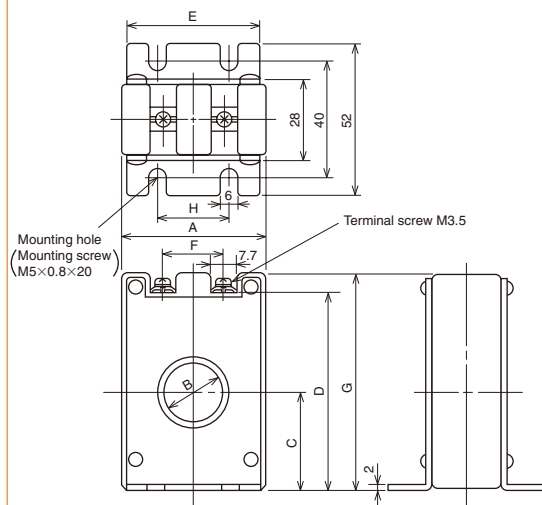


(CZ-112S)



Unit : mm

③ ZT15B/30B/40B



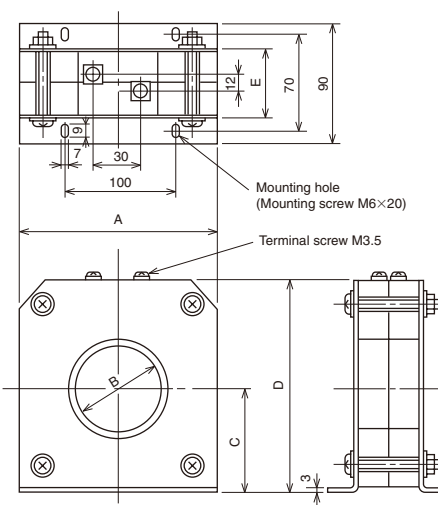
■ Dimensions of ZT15B, 30B and 40B

	ZT15B	ZT30B	ZT40B
A	48	68	85
B	15	30	40
C	29	37	43
D	62	82	92
E	46	66	81
F	15	30	40
G	70	90	100
H	25	50	50

■ Dimensions of ZT60B, 80B and 100B

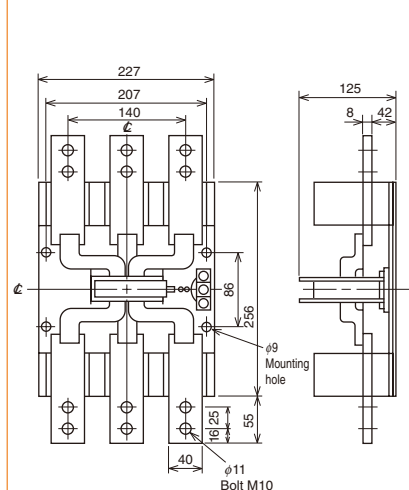
	ZT60B	ZT80B	ZT100B
A	140	160	185
B	60	80	100
C	73	82	93
D	150	169	190
E	46	48	50

④ ZT60B/80B/100B

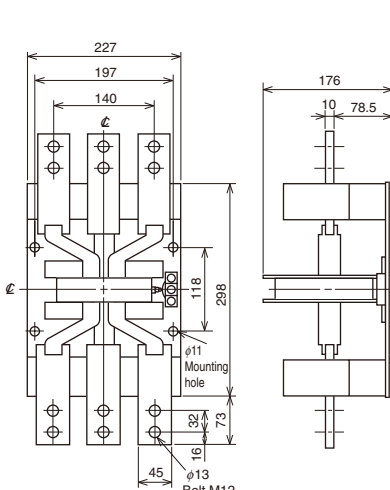


Unit : mm

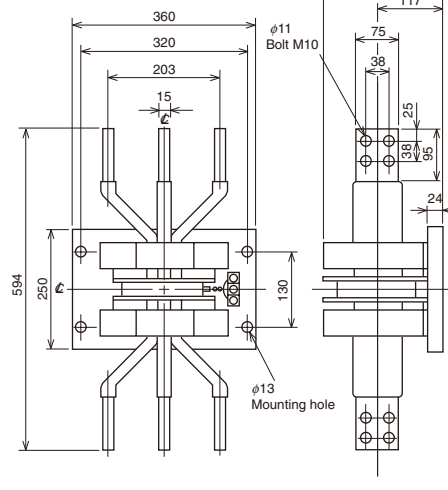
⑤ ZTA600A (600A)



⑥ ZTA1200A (1200A)

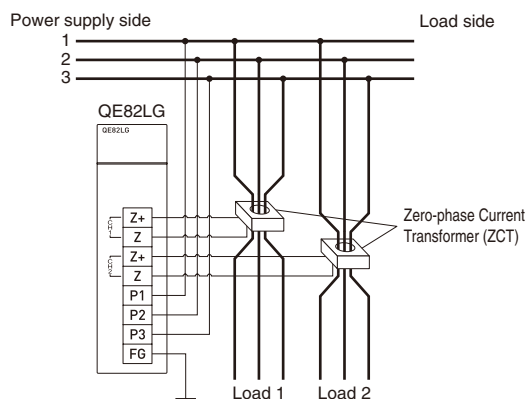


⑦ ZTA2000A (2000A)

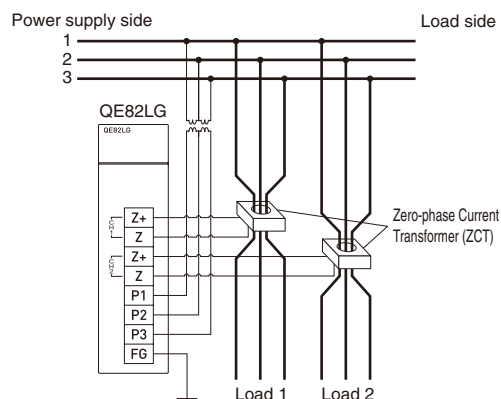


Connection Diagrams

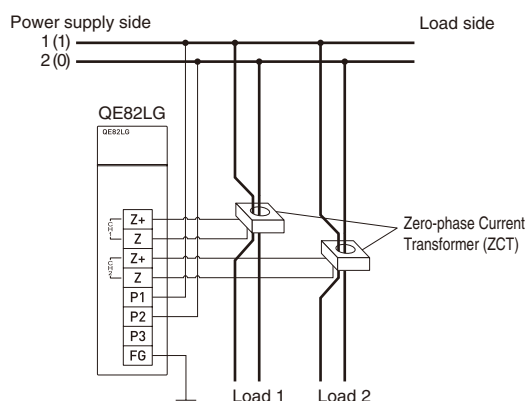
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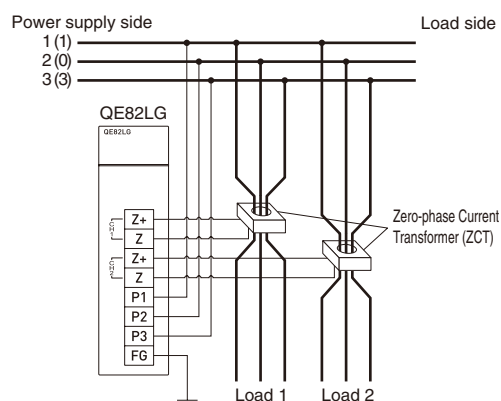
For 3-phase 3-wire type
(with voltage transformer)



For single-phase 2-wire type



For single-phase 3-wire type

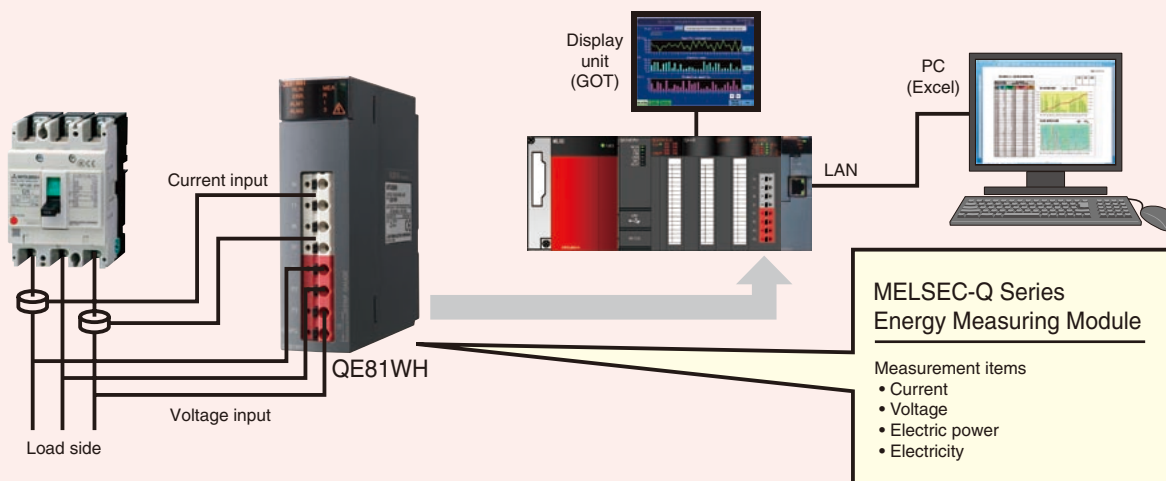


* Cables between QE82LG and Zero-phase Current Transformer (ZCT) are to be prepared by the customer. * In all cases, make sure to connect FG to ground.

Related Models

Industry's First*! PLC-slot-mounted-type Energy Measuring Module

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Features

- By mounting the Energy Measuring Module onto the open slot of the base unit, a measuring instrument can be added without changing the layout in the control panel.
- The communication unit eliminates the need for communication cables and creation of a communications program, lowering costs by reducing wire volume and engineering workload.
- Allows for easy specific energy consumption management by matching the “production information” of the CPU unit with the “energy information” of the energy measuring module.
Since measured data is automatically collected in a buffer memory at 250ms, detailed specific energy consumption management is also available.
- Allows for easy graphic display of specific energy consumption with a graphic operation terminal (GOT) installed on the control panel at the manufacturing site.
Combination with the “high-speed data logger module (QD81DL96)” allows specific energy consumption analysis to be performed easily using personal computer.

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Mitsubishi Electric Programmable Controllers Insulation Monitoring Module

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