

## INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing an HK Instruments RHT-MOD series relative humidity transmitter. The RHT-MOD series is intended for use in commercial environments in HVAC/R applications.

The RHT-MOD measures relative humidity (rH), and temperature (T). RHT-MOD devices are available with large touchscreen display making configuration of the device quick and easy.

## APPLICATIONS

RHT-MOD series devices are commonly used to monitor:

- humidity and temperature levels in offices, public spaces, hospitals, meeting rooms and classrooms
- humidity and temperature in various commercial applications
- humidity and temperature in HVAC/R environment

## SPECIFICATIONS

### Performance

#### Measurement ranges:

Temperature: 0...50 °C

Relative humidity: 0-100 %

#### Accuracy:

Temperature: <0.5 °C

Relative humidity: ±2...3 % at 0...50 °C and 10-90 % rH

Total error band includes accuracy, hysteresis and temperature effect over 5...50 °C and 10-90 % rH.

### Technical Specifications

#### Media compatibility:

Dry air or non-aggressive gases

#### Measuring units:

°C and % rH

#### Measuring element:

Temperature: Integrated

Relative humidity: Thermoset polymer capacitive sensing element

#### Environment:

Operating temperature: 0...50 °C

Storage temperature: -20...70 °C

Humidity: 0 to 95 % rH, non condensing

### Physical

#### Dimensions:

Case: 99 x 90 x 32 mm

#### Weight:

150 g

#### Mounting:

3 screw holes slotted, 3,8 mm

#### Materials:

Case: ABS

#### Protection standard:

IP20

#### Display

Touchscreen

Size: 77.4 x 52.4 mm

#### Electrical connections:

##### Power supply:

5-screw terminal block

(24 V, GND)

0.2-1.5 mm<sup>2</sup> (16-24 AWG)

##### Relay out:

3-screw terminal block

(NC, COM, NO)

0.2-1.5 mm<sup>2</sup> (16-24 AWG)

### Electrical

Input: 24 VAC or VDC, ±10 %

Current consumption: max 90 mA (at 24 V) +

10 mA for each voltage output or 20 mA for each current output

##### Relay out:

SPDT Relay, 250 VAC / 30 VDC / 6 A

Adjustable switching point and hysteresis

One analog output for selected media:

0/2\*-10 VDC, Load R minimum 1 kΩ

\*(2-10 VDC display models only) or

4-20 mA, maximum load 500 Ω

## WARNING

- READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY BEFORE ATTEMPTING TO INSTALL, OPERATE OR SERVICE THIS DEVICE.
- Failure to observe safety information and comply with instructions can result in PERSONAL INJURY, DEATH AND/OR PROPERTY DAMAGE.
- To avoid electrical shock or damage to equipment, disconnect power before installing or servicing and use only wiring with insulation rated for full device operating voltage.
- To avoid potential fire and/or explosion do not use in potentially flammable or explosive atmospheres.
- Retain these instructions for future reference.
- This product, when installed, will be part of an engineered system whose specifications and performance characteristics are not designed or controlled by HK Instruments. Review applications and national and local codes to assure that the installation will be functional and safe. Use only experienced and knowledgeable technicians to install this device.
- Fuse at load supply (normally 6 A, 10 A, 16 A) does not always limit the relay output load current to 6 A. Relay Maximum Load (250 V x 6 A res.)
- Add an external fuse to relay common connector. Use a time-lag fuse (max 6 A) that is in accordance with the standard IEC 60127-2. The product doesn't have an internal fuse for the relay.

CAUTION: The product may only be connected to overvoltage category II electricity network according to IEC 60664-1.

### Communication

Protocol: MODBUS over Serial Line

Transmission Mode: RTU

Interface: RS485

Byte format (11 bits) in RTU mode:

Coding System: 8-bit binary

Bits per Byte:

1 start bit

8 data bits, least significant bit sent first

1 bit for parity

1 stop bit

Baud rate: selectable in configuration

Modbus address: 1-247 addresses selectable in configuration menu

### Conformance

Meets requirements for:

CE: UKCA:

EMC: 2014/30/EU S.I. 2016/1091

RoHS: 2011/65/EU S.I. 2012/3032

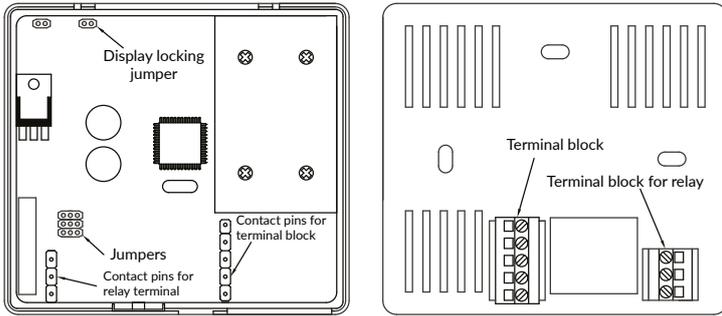
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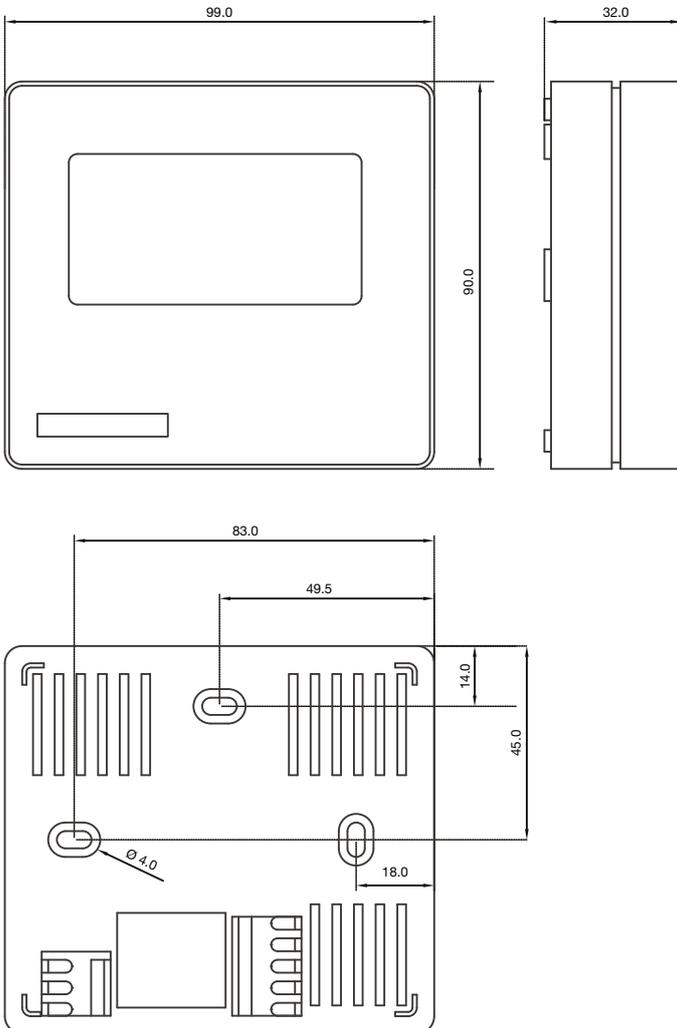
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## SCHEMATICS



## DIMENSIONAL DRAWINGS



## INSTALLATION

- 1) Mount the device in the desired location (see step 1).
- 2) Route the cables and connect the wires (see step 2).
- 3) The device is now ready for configuration.

**⚠ WARNING!** Apply power only after the device is properly wired.

### STEP 1: MOUNTING THE DEVICE

- 1) Select a mounting location on the wall at 1.2–1.8 m (4–6 ft) above the floor and at least 50 cm (20 in) from the adjacent wall. Do not block device air vents from any direction and leave at least 20 cm (8 in) gap to other devices. Locate the unit in an area with good ventilation and an average temperature, where it will be responsive to changes to the room conditions. The RHT-MOD should be mounted on a flat surface.

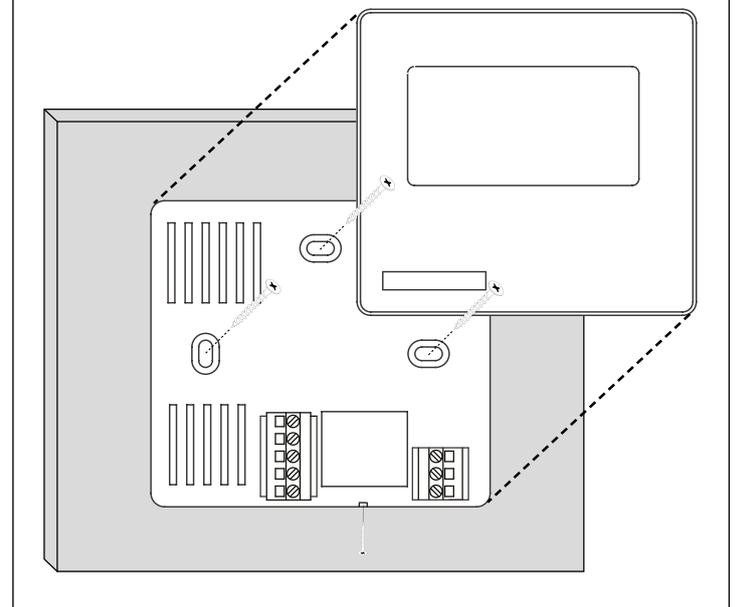
Do not locate the RHT-MOD where it can be affected by:

- Direct sunlight
- Drafts or dead areas behind doors
- Radiant heat from appliances
- Concealed pipes or chimneys
- Outside walls or unheated / uncooled areas

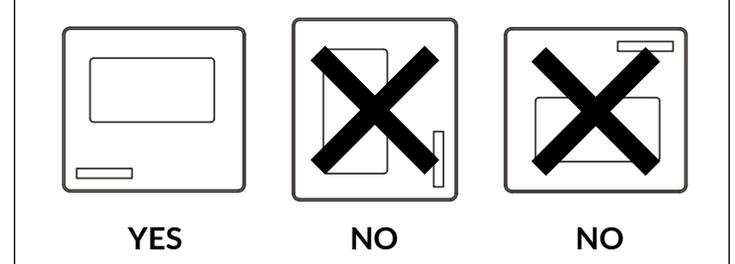
- 2) Use the device as a template and mark the screw holes.
- 3) Mount the wall plate with screws.

- Incorrect installation may cause a shift in temperature output
- Secure the lid with a locking screw, if the relay is connected to the mains power

**Figure 1a - Surface mounting**



**Figure 1b - Mounting orientation**



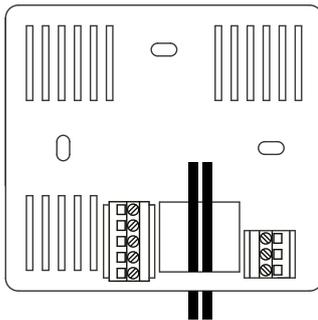
## STEP 2: WIRING DIAGRAMS

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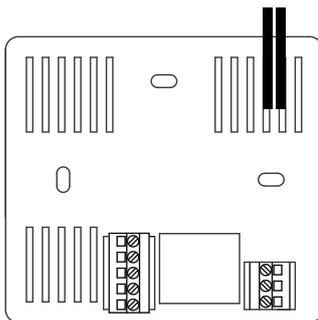
- For CE compliance, a properly grounded shielding cable is required.
- Use copper wire only. Insulate or wire nut all unused leads.
- Supply a separate cable for relay and signal out when using line voltage to power the relay.
- Any wiring may carry the full operating line voltage current based on field installation. The cover locking screw must be installed if the line voltage is supplied to the relay.
- Care should be used to avoid electrostatic discharge to the device.
- This unit has configuration jumpers. You may need to reconfigure this device for your application.

- 1) Route the cables through the square opening in the back plate or for surface wiring select a knockout on the top or bottom of the wall plate, as shown in Figure 2a.
- 2) Connect the wires as shown in Figure 2b and 2c.

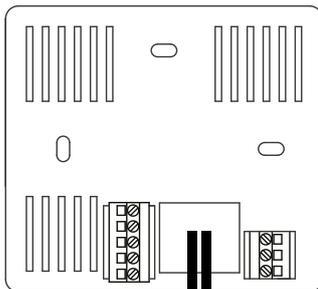
Figure 2a - Routing the cables



Wires can be routed through the square opening in the back plate



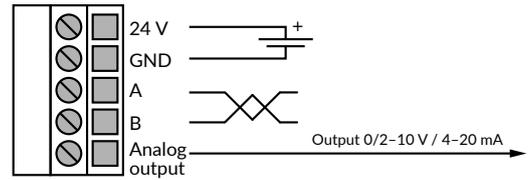
Wires can be routed through the top knockouts



Wires can be routed through the bottom knockouts

## WIRING DIAGRAMS CONTINUED

Figure 2b - Wiring diagram: Power input & signal output



NOTE! When using long connection wires it may be necessary to use a separate GND wire for voltage output current to prevent measurement distortion. The need for an extra GND wire depends on the cross section and length of the used connection wires. If long and/or small cross section wires are used, supply current and wire resistance may generate a voltage drop in the common GND wire resulting in a distorted output measurement.

Figure 2c - Wiring diagram: Extra GND wire

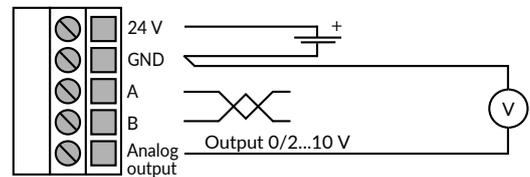
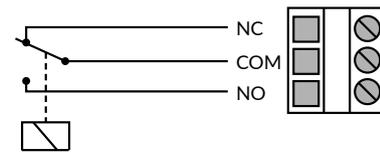


Figure 2d - Wiring diagram: Relay



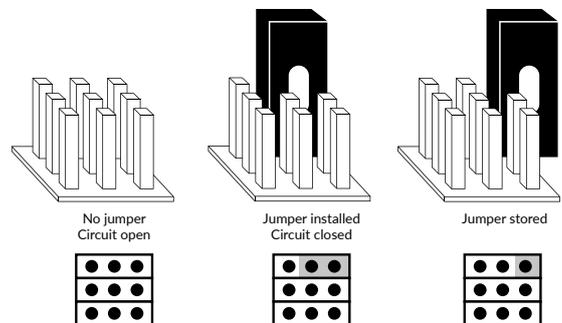
## STEP 3: CONFIGURATION

Configuration of the RHT-MOD series device consists of:

- 1) Configuring the jumpers (see step 4)
- 2) Configuration menu options. (Display versions only. See the user manual for further details)

## STEP 4: JUMPER SETTINGS

Figure 3 - Jumper installation



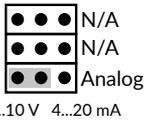
(Grey colour indicates that a jumper is installed)

- 1) Configuration of the output modes:  
Select the output mode, current (4-20 mA) or voltage (0-10 V), by installing jumpers as shown in Figure 4.  
To select 2-10 V output mode on a display version of the device: First, select 0-10 V output by jumper, then change the voltage (V) output from 0-10 V to 2-10 V via the configuration menu. Please see the user manual for more details.

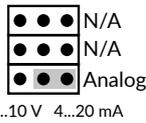
## JUMPER SETTINGS CONTINUED

Figure 4

Jumper installed to the left side pins:  
0–10 V output selected



Jumper installed to the right side pins:  
4–20 mA output selected



### 2) Locking the display:

Install the jumper to lock the display to prevent access to the configuration menu after installation is completed (see the schematics for the location of the pins).

## STEP 5: MODBUS REGISTERS

Functions for Modbus communication:

Function Code	Description
01	Read coil status
02	Read input status
03	Read holding registers
04	Read input registers
05	Force single coil
06	Preset single register
07	Read exception status
15	Force multiple coils
16	Preset multiple registers
17	Report slave ID

### Function code 02 - Read input status

Register	Parameter description	Data Type	Value	Range
1x0001	Relay status	Bit 0	0...1	0=Off - 1=On
1x0002	Relay trend	Bit 0	0...1	0=Increasing, 1=Decreasing

### Function code 03 - Read input holding register

Register	Parameter description	Data Type	Value	Range
4x0001	Parameter for P-controller	16 bit	0...3	1=rH, 2=TE, 3=MAX
4x0004	rH high limit	16 bit	100...1000	10.0...100.0 %
4x0005	rH low limit	16 bit	0...900	0.0...90.0 %
4x0006	TE high limit	16 bit	50...500	5.0...50.0 °C
4x0007	TE low limit	16 bit	0...450	0...45.0 °C
4x0008	Parameter for relay	16 bit	0...3	1=rH, 2=TE, (3=Off)
4x0011	rH relay on	16 bit	15...990	1.5...99.0 %
4x0012	rH relay off	16 bit	10...985	1.0...98.5 %
4x0013	TE relay on	16 bit	15...490	1.5...49.0 °C
4x0014	TE relay off	16 bit	10...485	1.0...48.5 °C

### Function code 04 - Read input register

Register	Parameter description	Data Type	Value	Range
3x0001	Parameter for P-controller	16 bit	0...3	1=rH, 2=TE, 3=MAX
3x0003	rH reading	16 bit	0...1000	0.0...100.0 %
3x0004	Temp. reading	16 bit	0...500	0.0...50.0 °C
3x0007	rH high limit	16 bit	100...1000	10.0...100.0 %
3x0008	rH low limit	16 bit	0...900	0.0...90.0 %
3x0009	TE high limit	16 bit	50...500	5.0...50.0 °C
3x0010	TE low limit	16 bit	0...450	0...45.0 °C
3x0011	Parameter for relay	16 bit	0...3	1=rH, 2=TE, (3=Off)
3x0014	rH relay on	16 bit	15...990	1.5...99.0 %
3x0015	rH relay off	16 bit	10...985	1.0...98.5 %
3x0016	TE relay on	16 bit	15...490	1.5...49.0 °C
3x0017	TE relay off	16 bit	10...485	1.0...48.5 °C

### Function code 05 - Write single coil

Register	Parameter description	Data Type	Value	Range
0x0001	Relay trend	Bit 0	0...1	0=Increasing, 1=Decreasing

## MODBUS REGISTERS CONTINUED

### Function code 06 - Write single register

Register	Parameter description	Data Type	Value	Range
4x0001	Parameter for P-controller	16 bit	0...3	1=rH, 2=TE, 3=MAX
4x0004	rH high limit	16 bit	100...1000	10.0...100.0 %
4x0005	rH low limit	16 bit	0...900	0.0...90.0 %
4x0006	TE high limit	16 bit	50...500	5.0...50.0 °C
4x0007	TE low limit	16 bit	0...450	0...45.0 °C
4x0008	Parameter for relay	16 bit	0...3	1=rH, 2=TE, (3=Off)
4x0011	rH relay on	16 bit	15...990	1.5...99.0 %
4x0012	rH relay off	16 bit	10...985	1.0...98.5 %
4x0013	TE relay on	16 bit	15...490	1.5...49.0 °C
4x0014	TE relay off	16 bit	10...485	1.0...48.5 °C

### Function code 16 - Write multiple registers

Register	Parameter description	Data Type	Value	Range
4x0001	Parameter for P-controller	16 bit	0...3	1=rH, 2=TE, 3=MAX
4x0004	rH high limit	16 bit	100...1000	10.0...100.0 %
4x0005	rH low limit	16 bit	0...900	0.0...90.0 %
4x0006	TE high limit	16 bit	50...500	5.0...50.0 °C
4x0007	TE low limit	16 bit	0...450	0...45.0 °C
4x0008	Parameter for relay	16 bit	0...3	1=rH, 2=TE, (3=Off)
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4x0013	TE relay on	16 bit	15...490	1.5...49.0 °C
4x0014	TE relay off	16 bit	10...485	1.0...48.5 °C

## RECYCLING/DISPOSAL

The parts left over from installation should be recycled according to your local instructions. Decommissioned devices should be taken to a recycling site that specializes in electronic waste.



## WARRANTY POLICY

The seller is obligated to provide a warranty of five years for the delivered goods regarding material and manufacturing. The warranty period is considered to start on the delivery date of the product. If a defect in raw materials or a production flaw is found, the seller is obligated, when the product is sent to the seller without delay or before expiration of the warranty, to amend the mistake at his/her discretion either by repairing the defective product or by delivering free of charge to the buyer a new flawless product and sending it to the buyer. Delivery costs for the repair under warranty will be paid by the buyer and the return costs by the seller. The warranty does not comprise damages caused by accident, lightning, flood or other natural phenomenon, normal wear and tear, improper or careless handling, abnormal use, overloading, improper storage, incorrect care or reconstruction, or changes and installation work not done by the seller. The selection of materials for devices prone to corrosion is the buyer's responsibility, unless otherwise is legally agreed upon. Should the manufacturer alter the structure of the device, the seller is not obligated to make comparable changes to devices already purchased. Appealing for warranty requires that the buyer has correctly fulfilled his/her duties arisen from the delivery and stated in the contract. The seller will give a new warranty for goods that have been replaced or repaired within the warranty, however only to the expiration of the original product's warranty time. The warranty includes the repair of a defective part or device, or if needed, a new part or device, but not installation or exchange costs. Under no circumstance is the seller liable for damages compensation for indirect damage.