

## Surge Counters Installation Instructions





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IMPORTANT: Please read these instructions carefully. Whilst straightforward, the installation of these devices is critical to their performance. Installation should only be carried out by a suitably qualified person in accordance with all relevant standards.

## 1. Introduction

- **1.1** These installation instructions apply to the Novaris range of surge counters with the following catalogue numbers:
  - TSC1-IP65
- TSC1-DIN
- TSC1-DIN-EC
- 1.2 These products are used to count the number of surges experienced at a site. The TSC1-DIN-EC also doubles as an earth clamp. This eliminates the problems associated with having two separate earths by clamping the two together during a surge.



Figure 1: TSC1-IP65 & TSC1-DIN

## 2. Installation of TSC1-IP65

**2.1** Using the clamps provided, the TSC1-IP65 model is simply clamped to a downconductor (as shown in Figure 2) or to an earth return conductor of a surge diverter or surge filter.

To adjust the clamps, remove the clear plastic front of the unit. The clamps may then be tightened or loosened using a suitably long phillips head screwdriver in the four round holes at the corners of the TSC1-IP65.



Figure 2: Installation of TSC1-IP65

## 3. Installation of TSC1-DIN & TSC1-DIN/EC

- **3.1 TSC1-DIN:** If using a MEN wiring system, the TSC1-DIN should be connected between the neutral terminal of a surge filter or surge diverter and the neutral bar for the system. In a non MEN system the TSC1-DIN should be connected between the earth terminal of a surge filter or surge diverter and earth. Lead lengths must be kept as short as possible.
- **3.2 TSC1-DIN/EC:** The TSC1-DIN-EC model is connected between two different earthing systems as shown in Figure 4. Again, lead lengths must be kept as short as possible.
- **3.3** Earth: All units should be mounted on a DIN rail. For safety it is crucial the DIN rail is electrically connected to earth.
- **3.4 Display unit:** The display unit is connected as shown in Figure 6. The connecting leads do not need to be kept short but should be routed away from electrically noisy environments. This allows the display unit to be panel mounted in a convenient location.

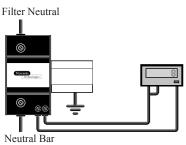


Figure 3: Installation of TSC1-DIN in MEN system

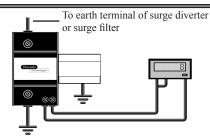


Figure 4: Installation of TSC1-DIN in Non MEN system

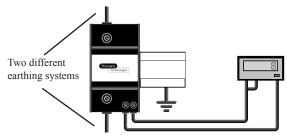


Figure 5: Installation of TSC1-DIN-EC

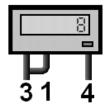


Figure 6: Wiring Display Unit



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