



# DIRIS A-30

Multifunction power metering & monitoring device - PMD

Single-circuit metering,  
measurement &  
analysis



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## Function

The **DIRIS A-30** is a power metering and monitoring device that provides the user with all of the measurements needed to complete energy efficiency projects and to ensure the monitoring of electrical distribution.

All the information can be used and analyzed remotely using energy efficiency software packages.

## Advantages

### User-friendly operation

With its large backlit multiple-display screen with 6 hot keys, the **DIRIS A-30** is easy to use.

### detects wiring errors.

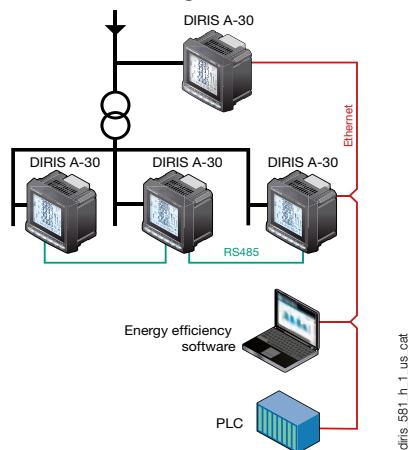
The **DIRIS A-30** is provided with a correction function for CT wiring errors.

### Customizable

The **DIRIS A-30** can be equipped with additional modules that give the user flexibility throughout the service life of the product.

Communication modules and additional digital or analog inputs/outputs can be used to increase its range of functionality.

## Functional diagram



## Compliant with ANSI C12.20

Reference standard for PMDs (Power metering & monitoring devices), IEC 61557-12 guarantees performance levels and satisfactory performance from the PMDs under the environmental conditions typical of industrial and tertiary applications.

## The solution for

- > Industry
- > Building
- > Infrastructures



## Strong points

- > User-friendly operation
- > Detects wiring errors.
- > Customizable
- > Web server function
- > Compliant with ANSI C12.20

## Compliance with standards



> UL 61010  
guide PICQ  
file E257746



> ANSI C12.20  
> IEC 61557-12  
> IEC 62053-22  
class 0.5 S  
> IEC 62053-23  
class 2

## Functions

### Multi-measurement

- Currents
  - instantaneous: I<sub>1</sub>, I<sub>2</sub>, I<sub>3</sub>, I<sub>n</sub>, I<sub>system</sub>
  - average/max average: I<sub>1</sub>, I<sub>2</sub>, I<sub>3</sub>, I<sub>n</sub>
- Voltages & frequency
  - instantaneous: V<sub>1</sub>, V<sub>2</sub>, V<sub>3</sub>, U<sub>12</sub>, U<sub>23</sub>, U<sub>31</sub>, F, V<sub>system</sub>, U<sub>system</sub>
  - average/max average: V<sub>1</sub>, V<sub>2</sub>, V<sub>3</sub>, U<sub>12</sub>, U<sub>23</sub>, U<sub>31</sub>, F
- Powers
  - instantaneous: 3P,  $\Sigma$ P, 3Q,  $\Sigma$ Q,  $\Sigma$ S
  - max average:  $\Sigma$ P,  $\Sigma$ Q,  $\Sigma$ S
  - predictive: ( $\Sigma$ P), ( $\Sigma$ Q), ( $\Sigma$ S)
- Power factors
  - instantaneous: 3PF,  $\Sigma$ PF
  - average/max average:  $\Sigma$ PF
  - Kfactor

### Metering

- Active energy: +/- kWh
- Reactive energy: +/- kvarh
- Effective power: kWAh
- Timetable:
- Harmonic analysis
  - Total Harmonic Distortion
  - Currents: thd I<sub>1</sub>, thd I<sub>2</sub>, thd I<sub>3</sub>, thd I<sub>n</sub>
  - Phase-to-neutral voltage: thd V<sub>1</sub>, thd V<sub>2</sub>, thd V<sub>3</sub>
  - Phase-to-phase voltage: thd U<sub>12</sub>, thd U<sub>23</sub>, thd U<sub>31</sub>

### Individual harmonics up to 63rd

- Currents: H<sub>11</sub>, H<sub>12</sub>, H<sub>13</sub>, H<sub>ln</sub>
- Phase-to-neutral voltage: H<sub>V1</sub>, H<sub>V2</sub>, H<sub>V3</sub>,
- Phase-to-phase voltages: H<sub>U12</sub>, H<sub>U23</sub>, H<sub>U31</sub>
- Demand profiles <sup>(1)</sup>
  - Active & reactive power:  $\Sigma$ P+/-;  $\Sigma$ Q+/-
  - Voltages & frequency: V<sub>1</sub>, V<sub>2</sub>, V<sub>3</sub>, U<sub>12</sub>, U<sub>23</sub>, U<sub>31</sub>, F
- Events <sup>(1)</sup>
  - Alarms on all electrical parameters.

### Communications <sup>(1)</sup>

- RS485 (Modbus & Profibus-DP)
- Ethernet (Modbus/TCP or Modbus RTU)
- Ethernet with RS485 Modbus RTU gateway over TCP

### Inputs/Outputs <sup>(1)</sup>

- Pulse metering
- Remote control/command
- Alarm report
- Pulse report

### Analog output

- Analog 0/4- 20 mA

<sup>(1)</sup> Available with additional storage module (see following pages).

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## Front panel



1. Backlit LCD display
2. Pushbutton for currents and for connection correction function
3. Pushbutton for voltages and frequency..
4. Pushbutton for active, reactive and effective powers and for power factor.
5. Pushbutton for maximum and average values for currents and power levels.
6. Pushbutton for harmonics.
7. Pushbutton for electrical energy meters, timers and impulse counters

## Integratable modules

## DIRIS® A-30



<b>Pulse outputs</b> 2 configurable pulse outputs (type, weight and run) on $\pm$ kWh, $\pm$ kvarh and kVAh.	
<b>MODBUS® communication</b> RS485 link with MODBUS® protocol (speed up to 38400 baud).	
<b>PROFIBUS® DP communication</b> SUB-D9 link with PROFIBUS® DP protocol (speed up to 12 Mbaud).	
<b>Analogue outputs</b> You can connect a maximum of 2 modules, i.e. 4 analogue outputs. 2 outputs can be allocated to: 3I, In, 3V, 3U, F, $\pm$ $\Sigma$ P, $\pm$ $\Sigma$ Q, $\Sigma$ S, $\Sigma$ PFL/C, Isys, Vsys, Usys, Ppred, Qpred, Spred, T°C internal, T°C 1, T°C 2, T°C3 and to 30 VDC power supply.	
<b>2 inputs - 2 outputs</b> You can connect a maximum of 3 modules, i.e. 6 inputs / 6 outputs. 2 outputs can be allocated to: - monitoring: 3I, In, 3V, 3U, F, $\pm$ $\Sigma$ P, $\pm$ $\Sigma$ Q, $\Sigma$ S, $\Sigma$ PFL/C, THD 3I, THD In, THD 3V, THD 3U, Ppred, Qpred, Spred, T°C internal, T°C 1, T°C2, T°C3 and of time counter, - remote control, - timed remote control, - 2 inputs for pulse counting.	
<b>Storage capability</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Memory function up to max. 62 days for P+, P-, Q+, Q- with a TOP for internal or external synchronisation of 5, 8, 10, 15, 20, 30 and 60 minutes.</li><li>• Memory function for the last 10 timed and dated alarms.</li><li>• Memory function for the last min and max instantaneous values for 3U, 3V, 3I, In, F, <math>\Sigma</math>P<math>\pm</math>, <math>\Sigma</math>Q<math>\pm</math>, <math>\Sigma</math>S, THD 3U, THD 3V, THD 3I, THD In, THD 3V, THD 3U, THD 3I.</li><li>• Memory function of average values 3U, 3V et F as a function of synchronisation (maximum 60 days).</li></ul>	
<b>Ethernet communication</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Ethernet link with MODBUS/TCP or MODBUS RTU over TCP.</li></ul>	
<b>Ethernet communication with RS485 MODBUS gateway</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Ethernet link with MODBUS/TCP or MODBUS RTU over TCP.</li><li>• Connect 1 to 247 RS485 MODBUS slaves.</li></ul>	

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## Accessories

UL recognized Current Transformers  
(please consult us)

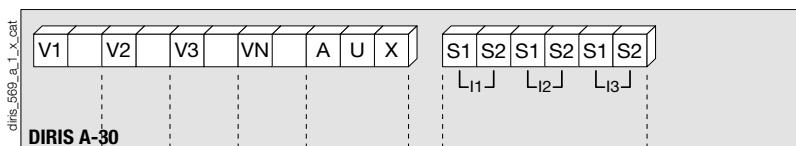


IP65 protection



## Terminals

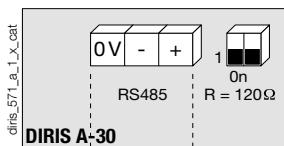
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S1 - S2: current inputs

AUX: auxiliary power supplies U<sub>s</sub>  
V1 - V2 - V3 - VN: voltage inputs

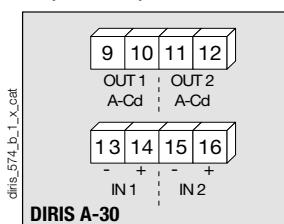
Communication module



RS485 link.

R = 120 Ω : internal resistance for the RS485 end of line termination.

2 input / 2 output module



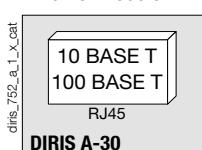
9 - 10: relay output n°1.

11 - 12: relay output n°2.

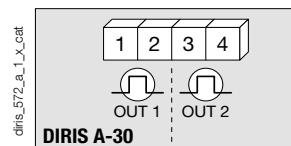
13 - 14: optical input n°1.

15 - 16: optical input n°2.

Ethernet module



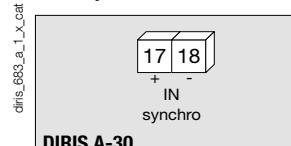
Pulse output module



1 - 2: pulse output n°1.

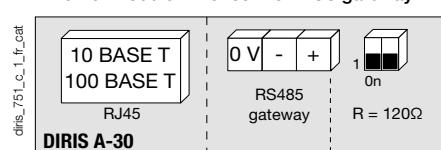
3 - 4: relay output n°2.

Memory module



17 - 18: synchronization input.

Ethernet module + RS485 MODBUS gateway



## Electrical characteristics

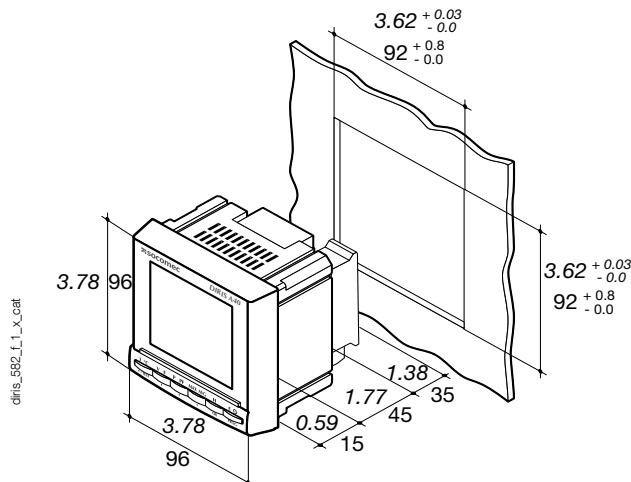
<b>Measurement of currents on insulated inputs (TRMS)</b>	
Via CT primary	9,999 A
Via CT secondary	1 or 5 A
Measurement range	0 ... 11 kA
Input consumption	≤ 0,1 VA
Measurement updating period	1 s
Accuracy	0.2%
Permanent overload	6 A
Intermittent overload	10 I <sub>n</sub> for 1 s
<b>Voltage measurements (TRMS)</b>	
Direct measurement between phases	50 ... 1039 VAC
Direct measurement between phase and neutral	28 ... 600 VAC
VT primary measurement	500,000 VAC
VT secondary measurement	60, 100, 110, 173, 190 VAC
Frequency	50 / 60 Hz
Input consumption	≤ 0,1 VA
Measurement updating period	1 s
Accuracy	0.2%
<b>Current - voltage product</b>	
Limitation for CT 1 A	10,000,000
Limitation for CT 5 A	10,000,000
<b>Power measurement</b>	
Measurement updating period	1 s
Accuracy	0.5%
<b>Power factor measurement</b>	
Measurement updating period	1 s
Accuracy	0.5%
<b>Frequency measurement</b>	
Measurement range	45 ... 65 Hz
Measurement updating period	1 s
Accuracy	0.1%
<b>Energy accuracy</b>	
Active (according to IEC 62053-22)	Class 0.5 S
Reactive (according to IEC 62053-23)	Class 2
<b>Auxiliary power supply</b>	
Alternative voltage	110 ... 400 VAC
AC tolerance	± 10 %
Direct current	120 ... 350 VDC / 12 ... 48 VDC
DC tolerance	± 20 % / - 6 ... + 20 %
Frequency	50 / 60 Hz
Power consumption	≤ 10 VA

<b>Module 2 inputs - 2 outputs: outputs (alarms / control)</b>	
Number of relays	2 <sup>(1)</sup>
Type	250 VAC - 5 A - 1150 VA
<b>Module 2 inputs - 2 outputs: optical coupler inputs</b>	
Number	2 <sup>(1)</sup>
Power supply	10 ... 30 VDC
Minimum width of signal	10 ms
Minimum length between 2 pulses	18 ms
Type	Optical couplers
<b>Pulse output module</b>	
Number of relays	2
Type	100 VDC - 0.5 A - 10 VA
Max. number of manoeuvres	≤ 10 <sup>8</sup>
<b>Analog output module</b>	
Number of outputs	2 <sup>(2)</sup>
Type	Insulated
Scale	0 / 4 ... 20 mA
Load resistance	600 Ω
Maximum current	30 mA
<b>MODBUS communication module</b>	
Link	RS485
Type	2 to 3 half duplex wires
Protocol	MODBUS® RTU
MODBUS® speed	4800 to 38400 baud
<b>PROFIBUS DP communication module</b>	
Link	SUB-D9
Protocol	PROFIBUS® DP
PROFIBUS® speed	9.8 kbaud ... 12 Mbaud
<b>Ethernet communication module</b>	
Connection technology	RJ45
Baud rate	10 base T / 100 base T
Protocol	MODBUS TCP or MODBUS RTU on TCP
<b>Operating conditions</b>	
Operating temperature range	- 10 ... + 55 °C / +14 °F ... +131 °F
Storage temperature	- 20 ... + 85 °C / -4 °F ... +185 °F
Relative humidity	95%

(1) Max. 3 modules / DIRIS.

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(2) Max. 2 modules / DIRIS.

### Dimensions (in/mm)



Type	Panel mounting
Dimensions W x H x D	3.78 x 3.78 x 2.36 in / 96 x 96 x 60 mm
Case degree of protection	IP30
Front degree of protection	IP52
Display type	Backlit LCD display
Type of terminal strips	Fixed or detachable
Section of connection for voltages and other terminals	AWG 34 ... 10 / 0.2 ... 2.5 mm <sup>2</sup>
Section of connection for currents	AWG 20 ... 9 / 0.5 ... 6 mm <sup>2</sup>
Weight	14.11 oz / 400 g

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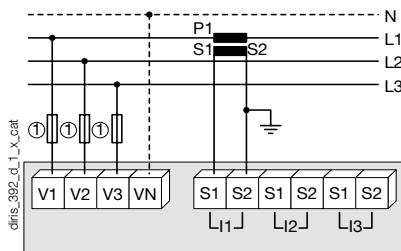
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## Connections

### Balanced low-voltage network for DIRIS A-30

**Recommendation:** When disconnecting the DIRIS, the secondary of each current transformer must be short-circuited. This operation can be carried out automatically by a SOCOMECH PTI: please consult us. In TNC mode, it is advisable to connect the DIRIS A-30 to earth using the functional earth module.

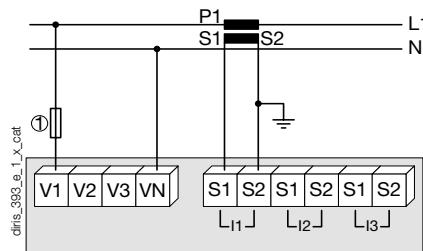
#### 3/4 wires with 1 CTs



The use of 1 CT reduces by 0.5% the accuracy of the phases, the current for which is worked out by vector calculation.

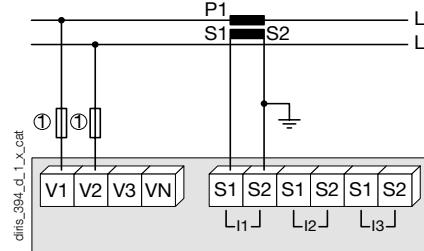
1. 0.5 A gG / 0.5 A class CC fuses.

#### Single-phase



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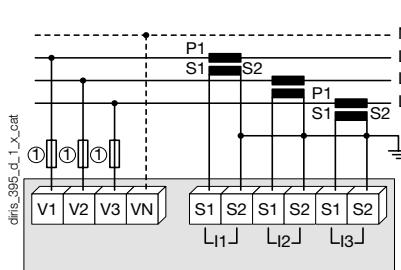
#### Two-phase



1. 0.5 A gG / 0.5 A class CC fuses.

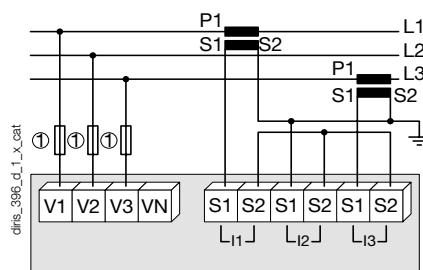
### Balanced low-voltage network for DIRIS A-30

#### 3/4 wires with 3 CTs



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#### 3 wires with 2 CTs



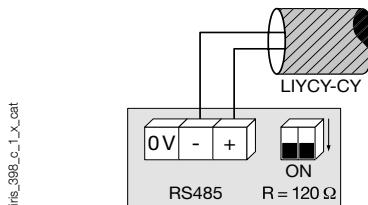
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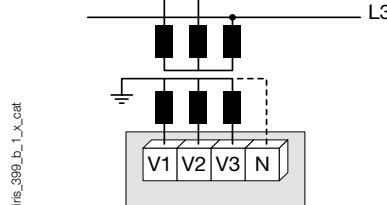
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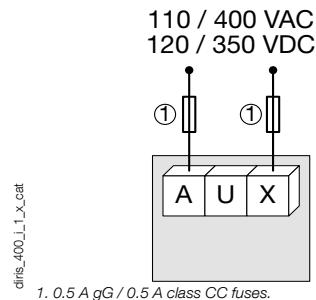
#### Communication via RS485 link



#### Connection of potential transformer for HV networks



#### AC and DC auxiliary power supply



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## References

<b>Basic device</b>	<b>DIRIS A-30</b>
<b>Auxiliary power supply U<sub>s</sub></b>	<b>Part number</b>
110 ... 400 VAC / 120 ... 350 VDC	4825 0403
12 ... 48 VDC	4825 0405

<b>Options</b>		<b>Part number</b>
<b>Plug-in modules<sup>(1)</sup></b>		
Pulse outputs		4825 0090
RS485 MODBUS® communication		4825 0092
PROFIBUS® DP communication		4825 0205
Analog outputs		4825 0093
2 inputs - 2 outputs		4825 0094
Storage capability		4825 0097
Ethernet communication (integrated web server function) <sup>(2)</sup>		4825 0203
Ethernet communication + RS485 gateway (integrated web server function) <sup>(2)</sup>		4825 0204

(1) Ease of integration of additional functions (maximum 4 slots on A-30).

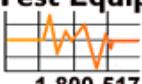
(2) Dimensions: 2 slots.

<b>Accessories</b>	<b>To be ordered in multiples of</b>	<b>Part number</b>
IP65 protection.	1	4825 0089
Integration kit for 144 x 96 mm cutout	1	4825 0088
Fuse circuit breakers to protect voltage inputs (type RM) 3 pole	4	5701 0018
Fuse circuit breakers to protect the auxiliary power supply (type RM) 1 pole + neutral	6	5701 0017
gG 10x38 0.5 A fuses	10	6012 0000
Range of UL recognized current transformers	1	Consult us
Management software for DIRIS		Consult us

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- Our local team offers complete support to ensure the success of your project, from consultation to implementation of your metering system.



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