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# About this document

<b>Range of validity</b>	The present user manual applies to the meters specified on the title page.
<b>Purpose</b>	<p>The user manual contains all the information required for metering applications for the intended purpose. This includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Provision of knowledge concerning the characteristics, construction and function of the meters</li><li>• Information about potential dangers, their consequences and measures to prevent any danger</li><li>• Details about the performance of all activities throughout the service life of the meters (parameterisation, installation, commissioning, operation, maintenance, decommissioning and disposal)</li></ul>
<b>Target group</b>	The content of this user manual is intended for technically qualified personnel of utilities (energy supply companies), responsible for system planning, installation and commissioning, operation, maintenance, decommissioning and disposal of meters.
<b>Reference documents</b>	<p>The following documents provide further information related to the subject of this document:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• D000062001 "E650 ZMD300AR/CR Series 4 Technical Data "</li><li>• D000062040 "E650 ZxD/S650 SxA Series 4 Functional Description"</li></ul>
<b>Conventions</b>	<p>The structure and significance of meter type designations are described in section 2.4 "Type designation". The following conventions are employed in this user manual for representing type designations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The lower case letter "x" can be used as an unknown to indicate different versions (e.g. ZMD310xR for the ZMD310AR and ZMD310CR meters).</li><li>• The following collective terms are also sometimes used instead of the type designation:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>– "Active energy meters" for the E650 ZMD300AR meters</li><li>– "Combimeters" for the E650 ZMD300CR meters</li></ul></li></ul>

# 1 Safety

This section describes the safety information used in this manual, outlines the responsibilities and lists the safety regulations to be observed.

## 1.1 Safety information

The following symbols are used to draw your attention to the relevant danger level, i.e. the severity and probability of any danger, in the individual sections of this document.

**Warning**

Used to indicate a dangerous situation that could cause bodily injury or death.

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**Caution**

Used to indicate a situation/ action that could result in material damage or loss of data.

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**Note**

Used to indicate general guidelines and other useful information.

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In addition to the danger level, safety information also describes the type and source of the danger, its possible consequences and measures for avoiding the danger.

## 1.2 Responsibilities

The owner of the meters – usually the utility company – is responsible for ensuring that all persons working with meters:

- Have read and understood the relevant sections of the user manual.
- Are appropriately qualified for the work to be performed.
- Strictly observe the safety regulations (laid down in section 1.3) and the operating instructions as specified in the individual sections.

In particular, the owner of the meters bears responsibility for the protection of persons, prevention of material damage and the training of personnel.

For this purpose, Landis+Gyr provides training on a variety of products and solutions. Contact your local Landis+Gyr representative if interested.

### 1.3 Safety regulations

The following safety regulations must be observed at all times:

- The meter connections must be disconnected from all voltage sources during installation or when opening.
- Contact with live parts can be fatal. The relevant supply fuses should, therefore, be removed and kept in a safe place until the work is completed so that other persons cannot replace them unnoticed.
- Local safety regulations must be observed. Only technically qualified and appropriately trained personnel are authorised to install the meters.
- Only appropriate tools shall be used for the job. This means, e.g. that the screwdriver must be of the correct size for the screws, and the handle of the screwdriver must be insulated.
- The meters must be held securely during installation. They can cause injuries if dropped.
- Meters that have been dropped must not be installed, even if no damage is apparent, but must be returned to the service and repair department (or the manufacturer) for testing. Internal damage may result in malfunctions or short-circuits.
- The meters must never be cleaned under running water or with compressed air. Water ingress can cause short-circuits.

### 1.4 Safety-related meter data

Item	Standard	Value
Protection class	IEC 62052-11	□ II
Rated impulse voltage	IEC 62052-31	6 kV
Overvoltage category	IEC 60364-4-44:2007	OVC III
Usage		Indoor use
Operating altitude	IEC 62052-31	Up to 2000 m
Pollution degree	IEC 62052-31	2
Environmental conditions	IEC 62052-31	Normal environmental conditions
Ingress protection	IEC 60529	IP52

For nominal reference voltage and current, see the nameplate of the meter. The same applies to the current range.

For maximum currents of auxiliary terminals, see section 4.3.3 “Maximum current of auxiliary current outputs”.

## 2 Device description

This section provides you with a brief overview of the design and function of the E650 ZMD300AR/CR meters.

### 2.1 Field of application

ZMD300xR meters can be used for direct connection at the low voltage level. They are primarily used by medium consumers.

ZMD300xR meters have a comprehensive tariff structure. This extends from seasonal tariffs to multiple energy and demand tariff rates.

The ZMD300CR combimeters record active and reactive energy consumption, the ZMD300AR active energy meters only the active energy in three-phase four-wire networks on low voltage, and from this determine the required electrical measured quantities. They are connected directly to the phase conductors at the measuring point.

The data determined are displayed (LCD) and are also available at the optical interface for data acquisition, with an appropriate interface board as selected also as required via RS232, RS422, RS485 or CS. When provided with transmission contacts, the meters can also be used as transmitting meters for telemetering. The tariff rates can be controlled internally or externally.

ZMD300xR meters can be combined easily with data concentrator DC450 through RS485, if option selected.

### 2.2 Standards

The meter complies with the following standards and directives.

IEC standards:

- IEC 62052 Electricity metering equipment (a.c.) – General requirements, tests and test conditions
  - IEC 62052-11 (Part 11: Metering equipment)
  - IEC 62052-31 (Part 31: Product safety requirements and tests)
- IEC 62053 Electricity metering equipment (a.c.) – Particular requirements
  - IEC 62053-21 (Part 21: Static meters for active energy (classes 1 and 2))
  - IEC 62053-22 (Part 22: Static meters for reactive energy (classes 0.2 S and 0.5 S))
  - IEC 62053-23 (Part 23: Static meters for reactive energy (classes 2 and 3))
- IEC 62056 Electricity metering – Data exchange for meter reading, tariff and load control
  - IEC 62056-21 (Electricity metering – Data exchange for meter reading, tariff and load control – Part 21: Direct local data exchange)
  - IEC 62056-5-3 (Electricity metering – Data exchange for meter reading, tariff and load control – Part 5-3: COSEM application layer)
  - IEC 62056-6-1 (Electricity metering – Data exchange for meter reading, tariff and load control – Part 6-1: Object identification system (OBIS))



- IEC 62056-6-2 (Electricity metering – Data exchange for meter reading, tariff and load control – Part 6-2: Interface classes)

EN standards:

- EN 50470-1 (Electricity metering equipment – General requirements, tests and test conditions – Metering equipment class indexes A, B, and C)
- EN 50470-3 (Electricity metering equipment – Particular requirements – Static meters for active energy class indexes A, B and C)
- EN standards corresponding to the IEC standards listed above

Directives:

- MID (Directive 2014/32/EU of the European parliament and of the council 26 February 2014 on the harmonisation of the laws of the Member States relating to the making available on the market of measuring instruments)
- EMCD (2014/30/EU Electromagnetic Compatibility Directive)
- RED (Radio Equipment Directive 2014/53/EU)
- RoHS2 – Directive on the Restriction of the Use of Certain Hazardous Substances in Electrical and Electronic Equipment 2011/65/EU

## 2.3 Characteristics

ZMD300xR meters have the following basic characteristics:

- Recording of active, reactive and apparent energy in all four quadrants (ZMD300CR) or recording of imported and exported active energy (ZxD 300AR).
- Tariff system with energy and demand tariff rates, stored values, load profiles, etc.
- Extended functions such as monitoring functions, sliding maximum demand, etc. (for ZMD300CR additionally power factor  $\cos\phi$ ).
- Tariff control
  - External
    - via control inputs (ZMD300xR21 and ZMD300xR41)
    - via communication interfaces using formatted commands
  - Internal
    - by integral time switch (ZMD300xR24 and ZMD300xR44)
    - by event signals based on monitored values, such as voltage, current and demand.
- Display of data on a liquid crystal display (LCD).
- Active and reactive power per phase and true RMS values of voltages and currents by means of digital signal processing (DSP) chips.
- Accuracy: Compliance with IEC class 1 and with MID accuracy class B for active energy consumption (ZMD310xR) and IEC class 1 S for reactive energy (ZMD310CR).
- Flexible measuring system through parameterisation (definition of different variables by software).

- Correct measurement even with failure of individual phases or when used in two- or single-phase networks.
- Wide range of measurement from starting current to maximum current.
- Optical interface according to IEC 62056-21 and DLMS
  - For direct readout of meter data
  - For service functions of the meter, extension board and interface board (e.g. parameterisation)
- Output contacts (solid-state relays) for fixed valency pulses, control signals and status messages.
- Output contacts (relays) for control and status messages
- Installation aids
  - Indication of phase voltages, phase angles, rotating field and direction of energy
- Storage of event information, e.g. voltage failures, exceeding of thresholds or error messages. Event information can be read out via the available interfaces. Important events can be communicated to the energy supply company as operational messages (sending of SMS messages, control of an arrow in the display, drive for an output contact, etc.).
- A selected interface (RS232, RS422, RS485 or CS) for remote data transmission (interface board).
- Auxiliary power supply for communication with the meter if no measuring voltage is present.

## 2.4 Type designation

Type designation	ZMD	3	10	C	R	44	4207	.c1	S4a
<b>Network type</b>	_____								
ZMD	3-phase, 4-wire network (M-circuit)								
<b>Connection type</b>	_____								
3	Direct connection								
<b>Accuracy class</b>	_____								
10	Active energy class 1 (IEC), B (MID)								
<b>Measured quantities</b>	_____								
C	Active and reactive energy								
A	Active energy								
<b>Construction</b>	_____								
R	With integrated interface								
<b>Tariffication</b>	_____								
21	Energy rates, external rate control via control inputs								
24	Energy rates, internal rate control via time switch (additionally possible via control inputs)								
41	Energy and demand rates, external rate control via control inputs								
44	Energy and demand rates, internal rate control via time switch (additionally possible via control inputs)								
	All versions with 3 control inputs and 2 output contacts								
<b>Additional functions</b>	_____								
000x	No extension board								
060x	6 outputs								
240x	2 control inputs, 4 outputs								
326x	3 control inputs, 2 relay outputs, auxiliary power supply 12–24 VDC								
420x	4 control inputs, 2 outputs								
421x	4 active inputs, 2 relay outputs 8 A								
045x	4 outputs, auxiliary power supply 100–240 VAC/VDC								
047x	4 outputs, auxiliary power supply 12–48 VDC								
xxx0	No additional functions								
xxx7	Load profile								
<b>Integrated Interface (R-types only)</b>	_____								
c1	RS232 interface								
c2	RS485 interface								
c3	CS interface								
c6	RS422 interface								
<b>Series 4</b>	_____								

The designations after AR/CR are not normally specified in the type designation in this user manual, unless necessary for understanding.

### Series designation

The hardware version is distinguished by the series designation.

In the fourth hardware generation (Series 4) the series designation S4 is printed on the nameplate directly after the type designation. With meters which contain a measurement sensor with embedded coil, the series

designation S4a is used for distinction. S4s represents a Series 4 meter with symmetrical terminal layout.

S4 represents the newest hardware generation.

### Firmware version

The firmware version and firmware checksum stored in the meter can be shown on the display or read out as IEC readout list, if parameterised accordingly (see section 5.7 "Data readout"). Specific meter characteristics are present or not depending on the firmware version.

## 2.5 Block schematic diagram

This section provides an overview of the function of ZMD300xR meters based on a block schematic diagram.

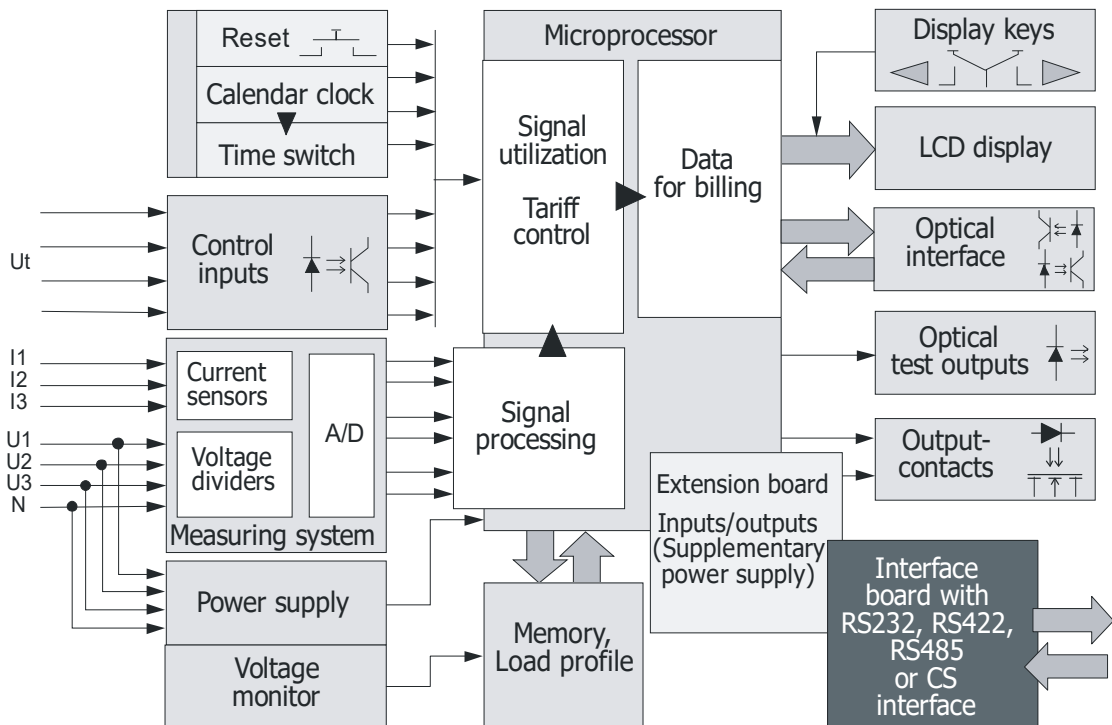


Figure 1. Block schematic diagram ZMD300xR

ZMD300AR active energy meters record the imported and exported active energy consumption, while the ZMD300CR combimeters record the active and reactive energy consumption in all four quadrants.

ZMD300xR meters can be fitted with a maximum of one integrated communication interface (RS232, RS422, RS485 or CS) on the interface board.

### Inputs

The main meter inputs are:

- Connections of phase voltages (U1, U2, U3), phase currents (I1, I2, I3) and neutral conductor N
  - For processing in the measuring system
  - For the three-phase power supply to the meter and voltage monitor
- Control inputs  $U_t$  (3 fixed, plus up to 4 others on extension board) for:
  - Changeover of energy and demand tariff rates
  - Resetting
  - Demand inhibition
  - Synchronising

Optocouplers protect the internal circuitry from interference, which could otherwise enter via the control inputs.

- Button
  - For display control (display buttons, optical interface)
  - For resetting or service functions (reset button)

## Outputs

The meter has the following outputs:

- LCD liquid crystal display with display buttons for local reading of billing data (single 8-digit display with additional information, such as energy direction, energy type, presence of phase voltages and identification number)
- Optical pulse (test) outputs (red, 1 in active energy meters, 2 in combimeters)
- Optional alarm LED (red) to indicate alarms on the front face of the meter
- Static relay with freely parameterised signal assignment (2 fixed, plus up to 6 others on the extension board)
- Relay outputs with limited parameterised signal assignment due to limited life expectancy (up to 2 on the extension board)
- Optical interface for automatic local data acquisition by a suitable acquisition unit (PDA)
- Communication interfaces of various kinds on the interface board (see section 2.8 "Communication")

## Measuring system

The input circuits (voltage dividers and current shunts with voltage transformer) record voltage and current in the individual phases. Analogue-digital converters digitise these values and feed them as instantaneous digital values via calibration stages to a signal processor.

## Signal processing

The signal processor determines the following measured quantities from the instantaneous digital values of voltage and current for each phase and forms their mean value over one second:

- Active power per phase
- Reactive power per phase (ZMD300CR combimeters only)
- Phase voltages
- Phase currents
- Network (mains) frequency
- Phase angles

## Signal utilisation

For signal utilisation in the various registers the microprocessor scans the measured quantities every second to determine the following values:

- Active energy (sum and individual phases, separated according to energy direction, if required in the ZMD300CR combimeters also assigned to the 4 quadrants)
- Reactive energy (only for ZMD300CR combimeters, sum and individual phases, separated according to energy direction, assigned to the 4 quadrants)

- Apparent energy (only for ZMD300CR combimeters, sum and individual phases, separated according to energy direction)
- Power factor  $\cos\phi$  (only for ZMD300CR combimeters, individual phases and mean value)
- Phase voltages
- Phase currents and neutral current
- Active and reactive power
- Direction of rotating field
- Total harmonic distortions of active energy, voltage and current

### Tariff control

Tariff control is performed:

- Externally via control inputs (3 fixed, plus up to 4 others on the extension board)
- Externally via communication interfaces using formatted commands
- Internally by time switch and calendar clock
- By event signals based on threshold values of the monitoring functions

### Data preparation for billing

The following registers are available for evaluation of the individual measured values:

- 32 for energy rates
- 27 for total energy
- 10 for running mean demand values
- 24 for demand rates
- 2 for power factors  $\cos\phi$  (ZMD300CR combimeters only)
- up to 41 diagnostic registers
- others for values of voltage and current, network frequency and phase angles

### Memory

A non-volatile flash memory serves to record data profiles and contains the configuration and parameterisation data of the meter and secures the billing data against loss due to voltage failures.

### Power supply

The supply voltages for the meter electronics are obtained from the three-phase network, whereby the phase voltage can vary over the entire voltage range without the supply voltage having to be adjusted. A voltage monitor ensures correct operation and reliable data recovery in the event of a power failure and correct restarting when the voltage is restored.

### Auxiliary power supply

For medium or high-voltage applications in particular, the measuring voltage can be switched off. Since the meter normally obtains its supply from the measuring voltage, it is also switched off and cannot be read. The auxiliary power supply connected in parallel with the normal power supply ensures operation of the meter free from interruption, so that it can be read at any time. The auxiliary power supply is situated on an extension board.

**Extension board**

The extension board is fitted inside the meter and is secured by the certification seals. It cannot be exchanged. It can have the following components:

- up to 4 control inputs in combination with
- up to 6 output contacts (solid-state relays)
- up to 2 relays outputs
- an auxiliary power supply

**Interface board**

The interface board only present in the ZMD300xR/ZxD400xR meters is permanently fitted in the meter and therefore secured by the certification seal. Depending on the version, it contains:

- an RS232 interface,
- an RS422 interface,
- an RS485 interface or
- a CS interface

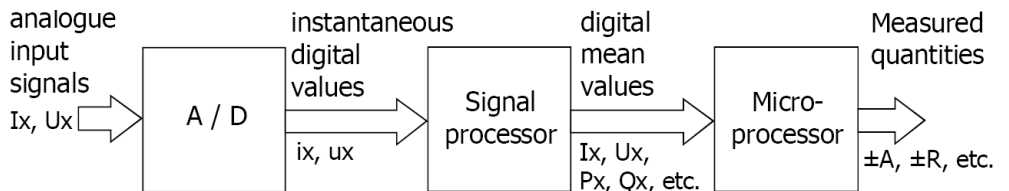
**2.6 Measuring system**

Figure 2. Block schematic diagram of measuring unit

**2.6.1 Input signals**

The meter has the analogue current values I<sub>1</sub>, I<sub>2</sub> and I<sub>3</sub> and analogue voltage values U<sub>1</sub>, U<sub>2</sub> and U<sub>3</sub> available as input signals.

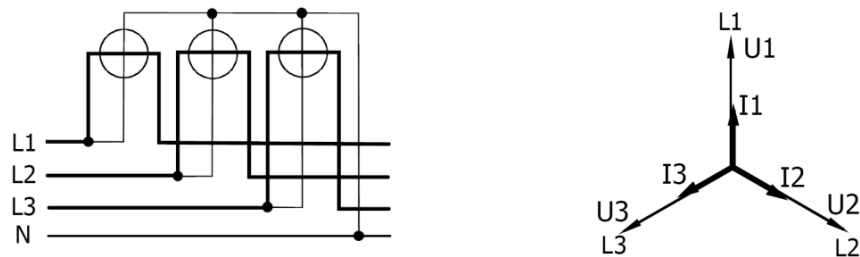
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Figure 3. Type of measurement ZMD300xR

Since the ZMD300xR measures the individual phases mutually independently with one measuring element each, it can record the sum of the three phases, the individual phases themselves, the phase angle between voltage and current as well as the angle between voltages U<sub>1</sub>–U<sub>2</sub> and U<sub>1</sub>–U<sub>3</sub>.

**Voltage input**

High resistance voltage dividers reduce the voltages U<sub>1</sub>, U<sub>2</sub> and U<sub>3</sub> (58 to 240 V) applied to the meter to a proportionate amount of a few mV (U<sub>v</sub>) for further processing.

**Current input**

Internal current transformers reduce the input currents I<sub>1</sub>, I<sub>2</sub> and I<sub>3</sub> to the meter (0 to 120 A) for further processing. The secondary currents of these current transformers develop voltages proportional to the input currents across resistors, also of a few mV (U<sub>i</sub>).

### 2.6.2 Signal processor

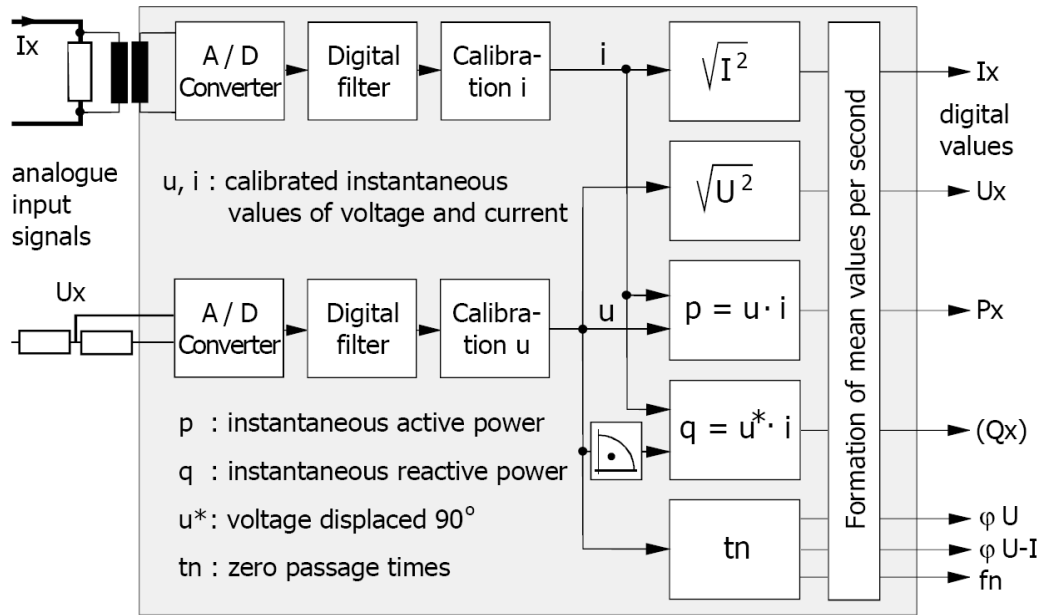


Figure 4. Principle of signal processor

ZMD300AR active energy meters do not measure reactive energy.

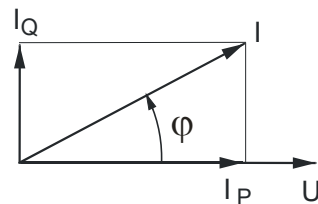
#### Digitising

The analogue signals  $U_x$  and  $I_x$  are digitised in Sigma-Delta converters (analogue-digital converters with highest resolution) with a sample rate of 1.6 kHz and then filtered. A following calibration stage compensates for the natural errors of the voltage divider or current transformer, so that no further adjustment is necessary in the subsequent processing.

Calibrated digital instantaneous values of voltage ( $u$ ) and current ( $i$ ) for all three phases are then available as intermediate values for the formation of the required values in the signal processor.

#### Calculation of active power

The instantaneous value of active power  $p$  is produced by multiplying the instantaneous values of voltage  $u$  and current  $i$  (the active component corresponds to the product of voltage component with the current component parallel to the voltage). Thereby the harmonics up to 1 kHz are measured correctly.



Calculation per phase of  
 $P = U \cdot I \cdot \cos\phi$

Figure 5. Active power calculation

#### Instantaneous power with sign

If the meter is parameterised to calculate instantaneous power as signed values, the following values of power are available:

Active P: + in QI and QIV, - in QII and QIII

Reactive P: + in QI and QII, - in QIII and QIV

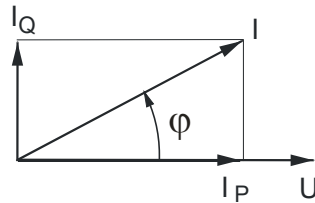


**Calculation of reactive power**

There are two possibilities to calculate the instantaneous value of reactive power (ZxD300Cx combimeters only):

**Measured:**

For the instantaneous value of reactive power  $q$  the instantaneous value of voltage  $u$  must be rotated by  $90^\circ$  before multiplication (the reactive component is the product of the voltage component with the current component vertical to the voltage). Thereby no harmonics are measured since only the fundamental wave is rotated through  $90^\circ$ .



Calculation per phase of  
 $Q = U \cdot I \cdot \sin\phi$

Figure 6. Reactive power calculation (method: measured)

**Calculated vectorial** (not recommended):

The instantaneous value of reactive power is calculated using the values of active power and apparent power.

The reactive power is the square root of the square value of apparent power minus the square value of active power. This method includes the harmonics.

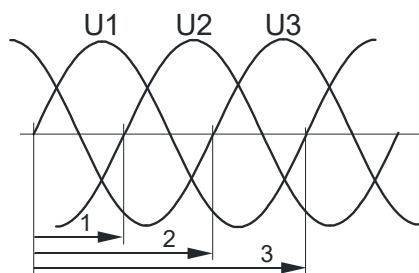
$$Q = \sqrt{S^2 - P^2}$$

**U<sub>RMS</sub>, I<sub>RMS</sub> calculation**

The square values of voltage and current are obtained by multiplying the instantaneous values of voltage and current by themselves. From these values the signal processor forms the corresponding single-phase RMS values  $U_{RMS}$  and  $I_{RMS}$ .

**Time measurement**

The network frequency can be calculated from the time measured between two zero passages (change from negative to positive value of voltage  $U_1$ ). The times between zero passage of the phase voltage  $U_1$  and those of the other phase voltages  $U_2$  and  $U_3$  serves to determine the phase angle between the voltages and of the rotating field.



Time measurement for rotating field, frequency, phase angle

- 1 :  $T_{U1-U2}$
- 2 :  $T_{U1-U3}$
- 3 :  $T_{U1-U1} (fn)$

Figure 7. Time measurement

The phase angle between voltage and current is determined by the times between zero passage of the phase voltage  $U_1$  and those of the phase currents  $I_1$ ,  $I_2$  and  $I_3$ .

**Mean value formation**

For further processing of the individual signal, the signal processor generates mean values over one second, which the following microprocessor scans at intervals of one second.

### 2.6.3 Measured quantities

Measured quantity		ZMD300
Active energy in quadrant I	A (QI)	Sum / Phases
Active energy in quadrant II	A (QII)	Sum / Phases
Active energy in quadrant III	A (QIII)	Sum / Phases
Active energy in quadrant IV	A (QIV)	Sum / Phases
Active energy import	+A (QI+QIV)	Sum / Phases
Active energy export	-A (QII+QIII)	Sum / Phases
Active energy, absolute value	+A + -A	Sum / Phases
Active energy, absolute value	+A - -A	Sum / Phases
Active energy import summation	$\Sigma +A$	Sum
Active energy export summation	$\Sigma -A$	Sum
Active energy by single quantity	$\Sigma  ALx $	Sum
Reactive energy in quadrant I	R (QI)	Sum / Phases
Reactive energy in quadrant II	R (QII)	Sum / Phases
Reactive energy in quadrant III	R (QIII)	Sum / Phases
Reactive energy in quadrant IV	R (QIV)	Sum / Phases
Reactive energy import	+R (QI+QII)	Sum / Phases
Reactive energy export	-R (QIII+QIV)	Sum / Phases
Reactive energy import	+R (QI+QIV)	Sum / Phases
Reactive energy export	-R (QII+QIII)	Sum / Phases
Reactive energy, combined	R (QI+QIII)	Sum / Phases
Reactive energy, combined	R (QII+QIV)	Sum / Phases
Reactive energy, absolute value	+R + -R	Sum / Phases
Reactive energy, absolute value	+R - -R	Sum / Phases
Reactive energy import summation	$\Sigma +R$	Sum
Reactive energy export summation	$\Sigma -R$	Sum
Apparent energy import	+S (QI+QIV)	Sum / Phases
Apparent energy export	-S (QII+QIII)	Sum / Phases
Phase voltages (RMS)		U1, U2, U3
Phase currents (RMS)		I1, I2, I3
Neutral current	I0	yes
Network frequency	$f_n$	yes
Active power	$\pm P$	Sum / Phases
Reactive power	$\pm Q$	Sum / Phases
Phase angle between voltages	$\varphi_U$	U1-U2 / U1-U3*
Phase angle between voltage and current	$\varphi_{U-I}$	U1-I1, U1-I2, U1-I3 * or U1-I1, U2-I2, U3-I3
Power factor	PF	Sum / Phases
Direction of rotating field		yes

Measured quantity		ZMD300
TTHD of active power	TTHD <sub>A</sub> [0;1]	Sum
TTHD of phase voltage	TTHD <sub>V</sub> [0:1]	Phase 1, 2, 3
TTHD of phase current	TTHD <sub>I</sub> [0:1]	Phase 1, 2, 3
TTHD of voltage	TTHD <sub>V</sub> [0:1]	Sum
TTHD of current	TTHD <sub>I</sub> [0:1]	Sum
Line (copper) losses of active energy **	OLA	Sum
Transformer (iron) losses of active energy **	NLA	Sum
Signed line (copper) losses of active energy **	±OLA	Sum
Signed transformer (iron) losses of active energy **	±NLA	Sum
Voltage square hours	U <sup>2</sup> h	Sum
Ampere square hours	I <sup>2</sup> h	Sum

\* Only if U1 is present.

\*\* OLA/NLA not accessible, if ±OLA/±NLA selected.

### 2.6.4 Formation of measured quantities

By scanning the mean values of active power P, and in combimeters also reactive power Q every second, energy components are produced (Ws or vars) at fixed intervals (every second) and with varying energy magnitudes or demand. These energy components are scaled by the microprocessor corresponding to the pulse constant and are then available as measured quantities for selection of the measured values. The measured values are fed directly to the following registers to record the energy and the maximum demand (in combimeters also of minimum power factor).

#### Active energy

The active energy in the individual phases ±A1, ±A2 and ±A3 are formed directly from the mean values of active power P1, P2 and P3.

By summing the mean values of active energy A1, A2 and A3 the microprocessor calculates the total active energy import +A or the total active energy export -A.

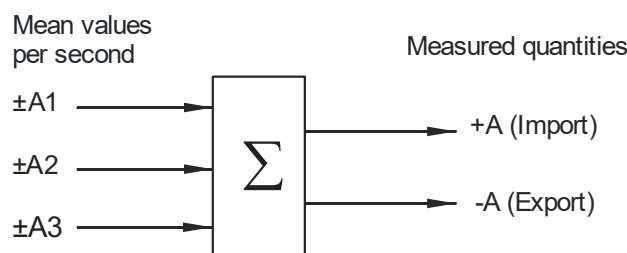


Figure 8. Total active energy

#### Reactive energy

The reactive energy values of the individual phases ±R1, ±R2 and ±R3 are obtained in the combimeters directly from the mean values of reactive power Q1, Q2 and Q3. The reactive energy can therefore also be calculated vectorially (see 1.5.2).

By summing the mean values of reactive energy R1, R2 and R3, the microprocessor calculates the total positive reactive energy +R or the total negative reactive energy -R.

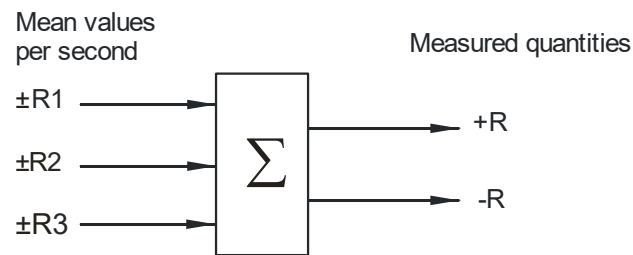


Figure 9. Total reactive energy

The microprocessor can allocate the reactive energy to the 4 quadrants in the combimeters from the signs of R and A:

- Reactive energy in 1st quadrant: +Ri
- Reactive energy in 2nd quadrant: +Rc
- Reactive energy in 3rd quadrant: -Ri
- Reactive energy in 4th quadrant: -Rc

In the same way, it can allocate the reactive energy of the individual phases to the 4 quadrants.

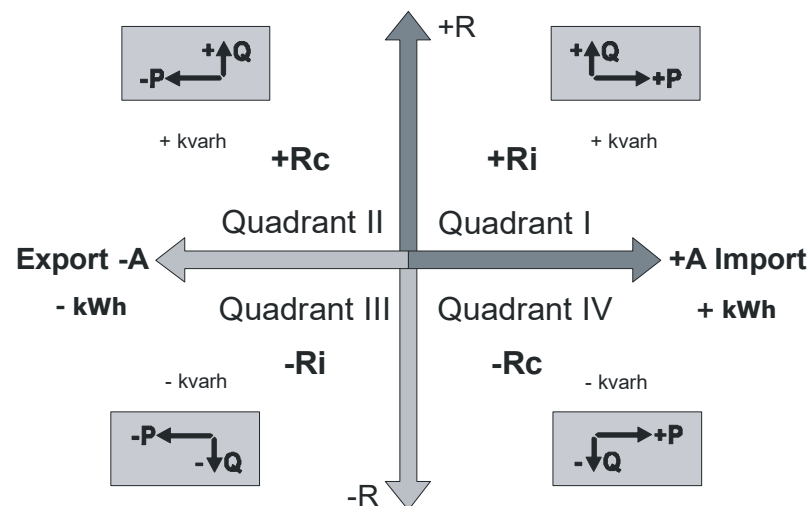


Figure 10. 4-quadrant measurement

The quadrants are numbered from top right as 1st quadrant (+A/+Ri) anti-clockwise to the 4th quadrant (+A/-Rc) at bottom right.

## Apparent energy

The apparent energy is calculated in the combimeters in two ways:

- By vectorial addition of the active and reactive energy of the individual phases
- By multiplying the rms values of voltage and current of the individual phases

The method of calculation can be parameterised (only one possible in each case).

**Calculation method 1 (vectorial addition)** From the mean values A1, A2 and A3 and R1, R2 and R3, the microprocessor calculates the apparent energy of the individual phases  $\pm S1$ ,  $\pm S2$  and  $\pm S3$  as well as the total apparent energy  $\pm S$ .

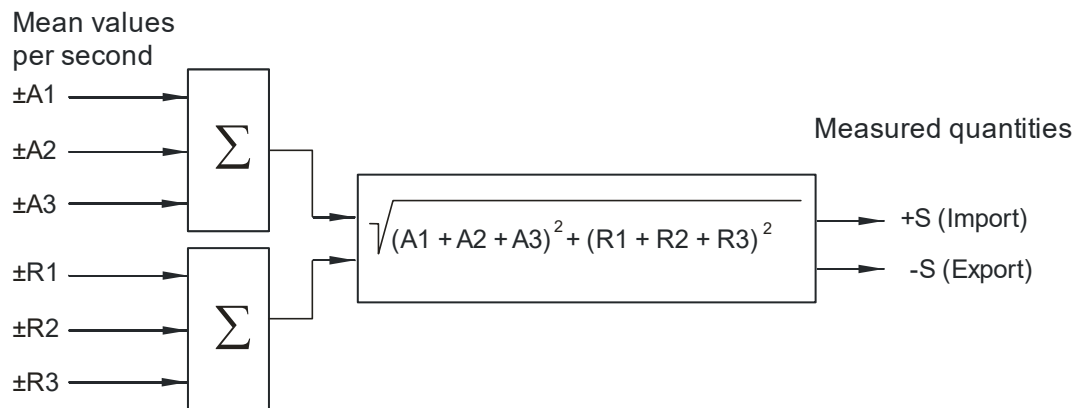


Figure 11. Total apparent energy according to calculation method 1



**Only fundamental wave considered for reactive energy**

Only the fundamental wave is considered for the calculation of the reactive energy share; possible harmonics are not taken into account.

**Calculation method 2 (from rms values)** From the mean values  $U1_{rms}$ ,  $U2_{rms}$ ,  $U3_{rms}$  and  $I1_{rms}$ ,  $I2_{rms}$ ,  $I3_{rms}$  the microprocessor calculates by multiplication the apparent power of the individual phases  $\pm VA1$ ,  $\pm VA2$  and  $\pm VA3$  and summates these for the total apparent power  $\pm VA$ .

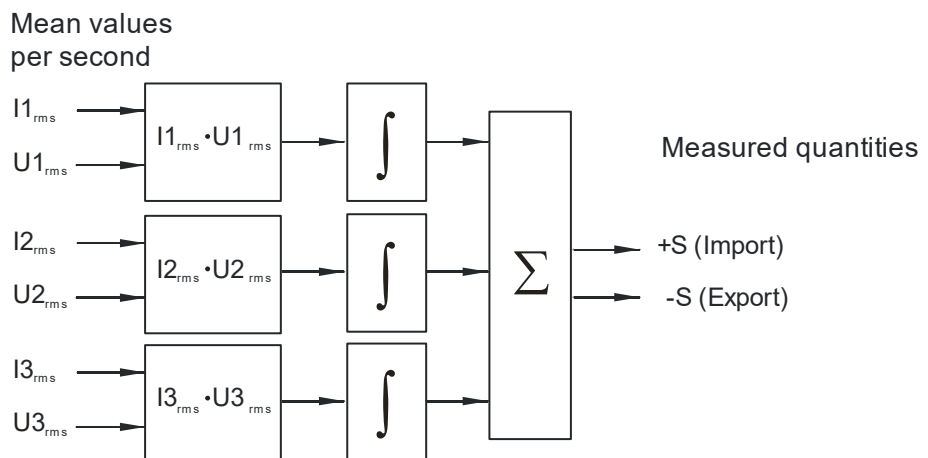


Figure 12. Total apparent power according to calculation method 2 (ZxD300Cx combimeters only)



**Harmonics considered for reactive energy**

As RMS values are used for the calculation of the apparent energy with calculation method 2, not only the fundamental wave but also the harmonics are taken into account. Therefore, if harmonics are present, the measured values are greater than those of calculation method 1.

**Summation channels** The values of two measurement quantities can be added.

**Power factor  $\cos\varphi$**

The power factor  $\cos\varphi$  is calculated in combimeters as follows:

$$\cos\varphi = \frac{P}{S}$$

The meter uses the method of calculation employed for calculating the apparent power.

**Phase voltages**

The rms values of the voltages  $U1_{rms}$ ,  $U2_{rms}$  and  $U3_{rms}$  are obtained from the mean values of the squares of the voltages by extracting the root and directly from these the phase voltages  $U1$ ,  $U2$  and  $U3$ .

**Phase currents**

The rms values of the currents  $I1_{rms}$ ,  $I2_{rms}$  and  $I3_{rms}$  are obtained from the mean values of the squares of the currents by extracting the root and directly from these the phase currents  $I1$ ,  $I2$  and  $I3$ .

**Neutral current**

The signal processor calculates the instantaneous neutral current  $i0$  by adding the instantaneous phase currents  $i1$ ,  $i2$  and  $i3$ .

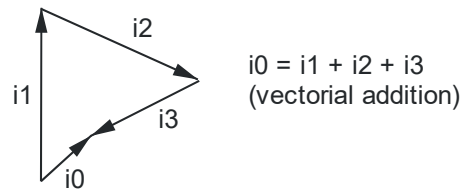


Figure 13. Neutral current  $i_0$

**Network frequency**

The signal processor calculates the network frequency  $f_n$  by forming the reciprocal from the time  $t_{U1-U1}$  between two zero passages of voltage  $U1$ .

**Phase angles**

The signal processor calculates the phase angles between voltages  $U1-U2$  and  $U1-U3$  from the times  $t_{U1-U1}$ ,  $t_{U1-U2}$  and  $t_{U1-U3}$  between zero passages of the various voltages.

The signal processor calculates the phase angle between voltage  $U1$  and current per phase from the times  $t_{U1-I1}$ ,  $t_{U1-I2}$  and  $t_{U1-I3}$  between zero passages of the voltage  $U1$  and the phase currents.

Two forms of representation are available for displaying the phase angle. These can be selected by parameterisation.

**Case 1:** All voltage and current angles are displayed clockwise with reference to the voltage in phase 1. The values of the angles are always positive and can be from 0 to 360°.

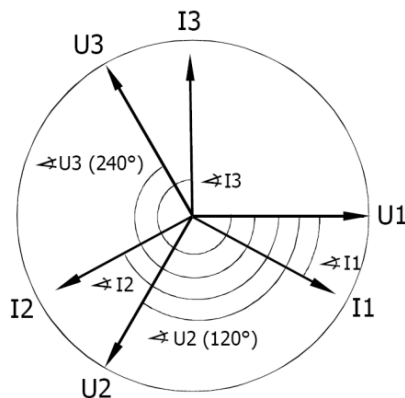


Figure 14. Phase angle case 1

**Case 2:** The voltage angles are displayed as in case 1. The angles of the currents are displayed, however, with reference to the associated phase voltage and can have values between  $-180^\circ$  and  $+180^\circ$ .

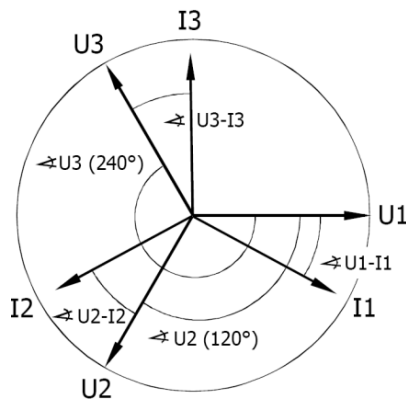


Figure 15. Phase angle case 2

**Direction of rotating field**

The direction of the rotating field is calculated by the microprocessor based on the phase angle of the 3 voltages. If the direction of rotation corresponds to that specified by the parameterisation, the phase voltage indications L1, L2 and L3 are continuously lit. Otherwise they flash every second.

**True total harmonic distortion**

The TTHD information is calculated based on a comparison of the values of the harmonic contents and the value of the fundamental.

- TTHD of active power
- TTHD of phase voltage
- TTHD of phase current
- TTHD of voltage
- TTHD of current

**Losses**

Depending on the metering point in the network, the meter does not only measure the net energy that is transferred from the power station to the user but also the line losses (caused by the copper resistance  $R_{Cu}$ ) and the transformer losses (caused by the iron resistance  $R_{Fe}$ ).

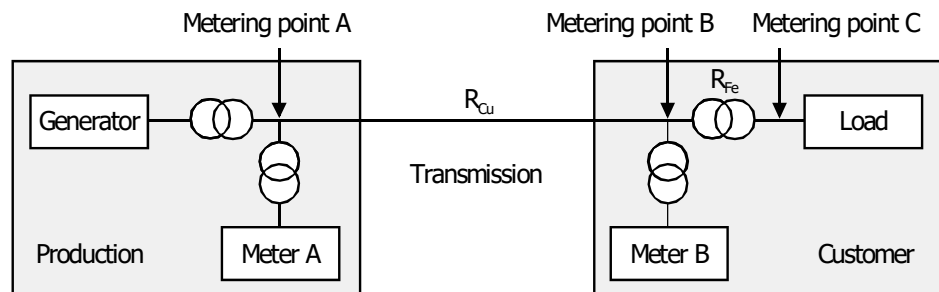


Figure 16. Calculation of losses

Line losses are caused by the copper resistance  $R_{Cu}$  of the transmitting line. The copper resistance is only effective if there is a load and therefore current is actually flowing.

- On Load Active OLA for line losses of active energy

The transformer losses represent all losses of the transformer. They are mainly caused by the iron core of the transformer. Transformer losses (equivalent resistance  $R_{Fe}$ ) are present whenever the transformer is connected to the network.

- No Load Active NLA for transformer losses of active energy

Based on the  $I_{RMS}$  and  $U_{RMS}$  values, the microprocessor generates the following measured quantities:

<b>OLA</b>	On load active. Line (copper) losses of active energy. $OLA = I^2h \times R_{Cu}$ . The value of $R_{Cu}$ can be set by parameterisation.
<b>NLA</b>	No load active. Transformer (iron) losses of active energy. $NLA = U^2h / R_{Fe}$ . The value of $R_{Fe}$ can be set by parameterisation.
<b><math>I^2h</math> (Cu)</b>	Ampere square hours (with $R_{Cu} = 1 \Omega$ )
<b><math>U^2h</math> (Fe)</b>	Voltage square hours (with $R_{Fe} 1 M\Omega$ )

It is also possible to track signed losses ( $\pm NLA/OLA$ ). If this option is chosen, NLA and OLA losses are not available any more as these registers are used for signed losses.

### 2.6.5 Summation channels

The values of two measurement quantities can be added. The added quantities must be of the same energy type (active, reactive or apparent). The sum is stored in a total energy register.

Energy registers which contain the summation of two measured quantities (summation channels) cannot be used for tariffication.

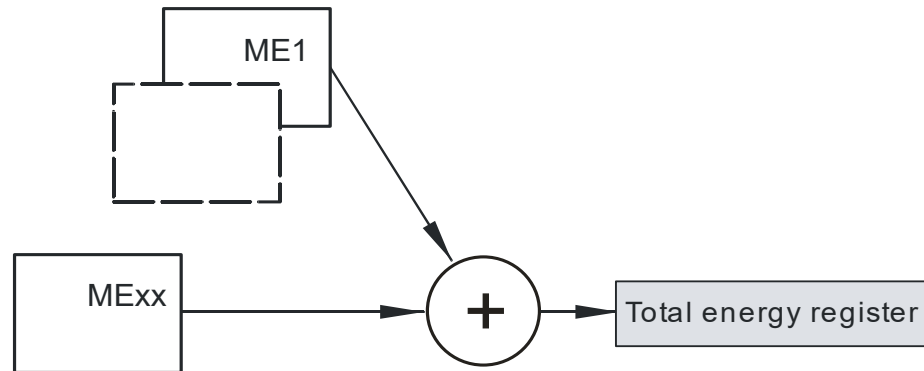


Figure 17. Summation channels



## 2.7 Data profile

A non-volatile memory (FLASH memory) contains the data of:

- the stored value profile
- the load profile 1
- the load profile 2 (optional)
- the event log
- the three groups of dedicated event logs

The flash memory stores data without data loss in case of voltage failures. No battery is required for this purpose.

The total size of the available memory for the stored billing value profile, the load profile(s), the event log and the dedicated event logs is 1.8 MB.

### 2.7.1 Stored value profile

At the end of the billing period, the meter stores the current value of the registers to the stored value profile. Which energy registers and/or demand registers are stored to the stored billing value profile can be selected by parameterisation.

**Memory organisation** The stored value profile is organised as a circular buffer, i.e. the oldest entry will be overwritten by the most recent entry. The memory capacity which is available for the stored value profile depends on parameterisation.

### 2.7.2 Load profile 1 and load profile 2 (option)

The load profiles are used to save the values of various registers at regular intervals. The measured values that are captured in the load profile can be selected by parameterisation.



#### **Load profile 2 is optional**

The second load profile is optional.  
Consult your sales representative for further details.

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**Profile 1** The first load profile is generally used for billing purposes. Its capture period has a range of 1...60 min. This load profile may also contain instantaneous values and detailed status information for data processing in central stations.

**Profile 2** The second load profile can be used to store instantaneous values over a period which differs from the period of the first load profile. Apart from the differing capture period, the second load profile is identical with the first load profile.

**Memory organisation** The load profile is organised as a circular buffer, i.e. the oldest entry will be overwritten by the most recent entry. The memory capacity which is available for the load profile(s) depends on parameterisation. If both load profiles are activated, they share the memory capacity which is allocated to the load profile(s).

### 2.7.3 Event log

Events that occur sporadically are stored in the event log. The user may select which events trigger an entry in the event log. The event log is used to analyse the behaviour of the network as well as to supervise the correct function of the meter.

#### Memory organisation

In the event log, a maximum of 1000 event entries can be stored. The individual entries consist of the time stamp and the event number. Additional information such as the error register or energy total registers can also be stored with every event.

The event log is organised as a circular buffer, i.e. the oldest entry will be overwritten by the most recent entry.

#### Dedicated event log

Network quality events, can be stored in the dedicated event log. The dedicated event log consists of three groups of logs.

- Overvoltage events
- Undervoltage events
- Missing voltage events

In the dedicated event logs, important information can be stored per entry such as:

- duration of the events
- extreme values of the events (not for missing voltage).
- instantaneous values
- maximum three energy registers

Additional information can be read from the header of the event logs, such as the longest entry, the shortest entry, the total number of occurrence and the total duration of the event.

#### Memory organisation

The dedicated event logs are organised as circular buffers, i.e. the oldest entry will be overwritten by the most recent entry.

#### List of events

The table below lists all events which can be captured in the event log. Depending on the parameterisation, some events may never occur.

Events which can be stored in the dedicated event log are marked in the corresponding column.

Number	Event	Entry in dedicated event log possible
1	Parameterisation changed	
2	All energy registers cleared	
3	Stored values and/or load profile cleared	
4	Event log profile cleared	
5	Battery voltage low	
7	Battery ok	
8	Billing period reset	
9	Daylight saving time enabled or disabled	
10	Clock adjusted (old time/date)	
11	Clock adjusted (new time/date)	
17	Undervoltage L1 (below threshold 1)	x

Number	Event	Entry in dedicated event log possible
18	Undervoltage L2 (below threshold 1)	x
19	Undervoltage L3 (below threshold 1)	x
20	Overvoltage L1 (above threshold 1)	x
21	Overvoltage L2 (above threshold 1)	x
22	Overvoltage L3 (above threshold 1)	x
23	Power-down	
24	Power-up	
25	Overcurrent L1	
26	Overcurrent L2	
27	Overcurrent L3	
28	Overcurrent neutral	
31	Power factor monitor 1	
32	Power factor monitor 2	
33-40	Demand monitors 1-8	
45	Error register cleared	
49	Missing voltage L1	x
50	Missing voltage L2	x
51	Missing voltage L3	x
55	Current without voltage L1	
56	Current without voltage L2	
57	Current without voltage L3	
58	Missing additional power supply	
59	All registers and profiles cleared	
63	Wrong phase sequence	
64	Correct phase sequence	
66	Invalid clock	
74	Backup memory access error	
75	Measuring system access error	
76	Time device access error	
77	Load profile memory access error	
79	Communication unit access error	
80	Display board access error	
81	Program checksum error	
82	Backup data checksum error	
83	Parameter checksum error	
84	Load profile checksum error	
85	Stored values checksum error	
86	Event log checksum error	
87	Calibration data checksum error	

Number	Event	Entry in dedicated event log possible
88	Load profile 2 checksum error	
89	Invalid start-up sequence	
93	Expired watchdog (general system error)	
94	Communication locked	
96	Wrong extension board identification	
104	Count registers cleared	
105	SMS delivery to GSM failed	
106	Alarm occurred	
124	Compensation values changed	
128	Energy total and rate register cleared	
179	Undervoltage L1 (above threshold 1)	
180	Undervoltage L2 (above threshold 1)	
181	Undervoltage L3 (above threshold 1)	
182	Overvoltage L1 (below threshold 1)	
183	Overvoltage L2 (below threshold 1)	
184	Overvoltage L3 (below threshold 1)	
193	Load profile 2 cleared	
211	Control input 1 set	
212	Control input 1 reset	
225	Undervoltage L1 (below threshold 2)	
226	Undervoltage L2 (below threshold 2)	
227	Undervoltage L3 (below threshold 2)	
228	Undervoltage L1 (above threshold 2)	
229	Undervoltage L2 (above threshold 2)	
230	Undervoltage L3 (above threshold 2)	
231	Undervoltage L1 (below threshold 3)	
232	Undervoltage L2 (below threshold 3)	
233	Undervoltage L3 (below threshold 3)	
234	Undervoltage L1 (above threshold 3)	
235	Undervoltage L2 (above threshold 3)	
236	Undervoltage L3 (above threshold 3)	

## 2.8 Communication

ZMD300xR meters have an optical interface for local communication via a readout head and, if required, via an integrated communication interface on the interface board for remote reading and for remote tariff control of the meter (RS232, RS422, RS485 or CS as selected).

Access via the communication interfaces is protected for specific access levels using the meter security system by means of passwords. If the monitoring is activated by corresponding parameterisation, communication is inhibited for a selected time (max. 24 h) after a selected number of password attempts with an incorrect password (max. 15). Monitoring takes place independent of all access levels with password protection and for the IEC W5 password.

The interface board is permanently fitted in the meter and cannot therefore be fitted retroactively or exchanged.

### Versions

The following versions of interface boards are available in ZMD300xR meters:

- **Interface board c1** with RS232 interface
- **Interface board c2** with RS485 interface
- **Interface board c3** with CS interface
- **Interface board c6** with RS422 interface

### Optical interface

The optical interface to IEC 62056-21 is a serial, bi-directional interface. It is situated at top right on the main faceplate (see section 3 "Mechanical construction") and serves:

- for automatic local data recording by means of a suitable acquisition unit (hand-held terminal) (see section 5.7 "Data readout")

for performing service functions, e.g. to input formatted commands (see section 5.8 "Input of formatted commands")

- as "optical button", i.e. as receiver of a light signal, e.g. generated by a flashlight acting like the display "down" button (see section 5.2.2 "Control of display via optical interface")
- for communication with a Landis+Gyr .MAP110 Service Tool or a Landis+Gyr MAP120 Parameterisation Tool.

### RS232 interface

The RS232 interface on the interface board c1 is an asymmetric, serial, asynchronous, bi-directional interface. It serves:

- for the connection of an external modem (intelligent or transparent), e.g. for remote reading of meter data or performance of service functions from a central station
- for the provision of a direct connection to the RS232 interface of a computer.

The RS232 interface on the interface board c1 is only available as a version without control lines, and is for connection of an external modem with sufficient intelligence of its own.

### RS485 interface

The RS485 interface on the interface board c2 is a serial bi-directional interface.

Up to 32 locally installed meters can be connected via the RS485 interface (daisy chain network) to a bus system and then centrally to a modem, in

order to read out the meter data or perform service functions (such as setting initial values, time/date, etc.).

### RS422 interface

The RS422 interface on the interface board c6 is a serial, symmetrical, asynchronous bi-directional interface according to ISO-8482.

Up to 10 locally installed meters can be connected via the RS422 interface (parallel network) to a bus system and then centrally to a modem, in order to read out the meter data or perform service functions (such as setting initial values, time/date, etc.).

### CS interface

The CS interface on the c3 interface board is a serial, bi-directional, passive current interface (current loop).

A maximum of 4 locally installed meters can be connected to a bus system and then centrally to a modem, in order to read out the meter data or perform service functions (such as setting initial values, time/date, etc.).

### Further information sources

More detailed information about Landis+Gyr communication solutions as well as advisory services are available from authorised Landis+Gyr representatives.

## 2.9 MAP software tools

There are two software tools available for parameterisation of the E650 meter and for communication with the meter: .MAP110 and MAP120

### Areas of application

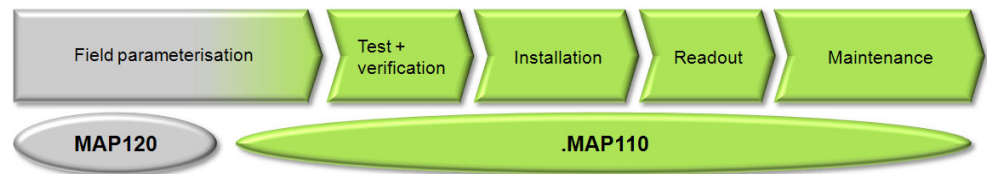


Figure 18. Application of MAP software tools

### .MAP110

The .MAP110 Service Tool covers the following applications normally required for meter installation and in the service sector:

- Billing data readout
- Readout and export of profiles (load profile(s), stored values and event log, dedicated event logs)
- TOU (Time of Use) readout and modification
- Billing period reset
- Register and profile resets
- Setting of certain parameter ranges, such as primary data, time switch, communication parameters, etc.
- Communication input settings
- Test SMS message transmission
- Analysis and diagnostic functions

### MAP120

The Landis+Gyr MAP120 software is used to parameterise the meter, i.e. it is possible to read out and modify all device parameters.

## 2.10 Anti-tampering features

The following anti-tampering feature is available for ZMD310xR meters:

- Terminal cover detection for the detection of situations when the terminal cover has been opened. This feature is a retrofit solution.

## 3 Mechanical construction

This section describes the mechanical construction of the ZMD300xR meter and shows the most common connection diagrams.

### 3.1 Housing

The internal construction of the meters is not described here, since they are protected following calibration and official certification on delivery by a manufacturer and certification seal. It is not permitted to open the meters after delivery. The front door is only secured with a utility seal and can be opened to operate the reset button, to change the battery or to exchange the tariff faceplate with connection diagram.

The following drawing shows the meter components visible from outside.

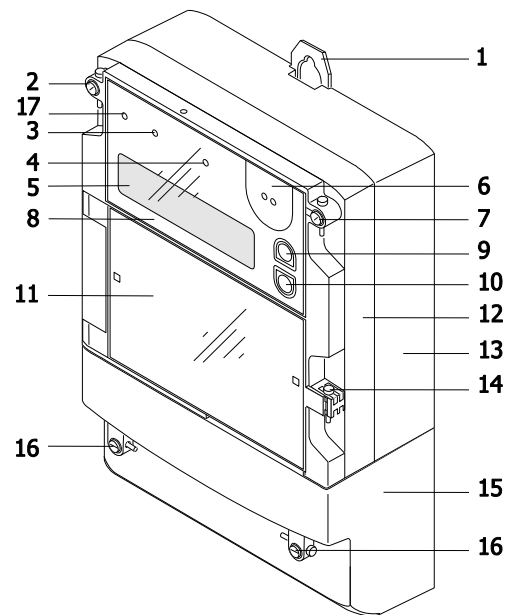


Figure 19. Meter ZMD300xR

1	Combined suspension hanger (open or concealed)	10	Display "down" button
2	Screw with manufacturer seal	11	Front door with tariff faceplate
3	Optical pulse (test) output reactive energy consumption (red), ZMD300CR only	12	Upper part of case
4	Optical pulse (test) output active energy consumption (red)	13	Lower part of case
5	Liquid crystal display (LCD)	14	Utility seal for front door
6	Optical interface	15	Terminal cover
7	Screw with certification seal	16	Terminal cover screws with plate utility seals
8	Front section with main faceplate	17	Alarm LED (optional)
9	Display "up" button		

#### Case

The meter case is made of antistatic plastic (polycarbonate). The upper part of the case is provided with two transparent plastic viewing windows,



affording a view of the main faceplate (top) and the tariff faceplate (bottom). The lower part of the case is additionally glass-fibre reinforced.

### Viewing window

The upper viewing window with the main faceplate is secured on the upper right side with a certification seal, while the upper part of the case is secured on the upper left side with a manufacturer seal (warranty) or a second certification seal.

The lower viewing window is in the form of a hinged front door, secured with a utility seal. The tariff faceplate with the connection diagram on the rear side, the battery compartment and the reset button are situated behind this front door.

### Terminal cover

The terminal cover is available in various lengths in order to ensure the required free space for the connections.

### Front door

The front door must be opened to give access to the battery compartment, reset button and tariff faceplate.

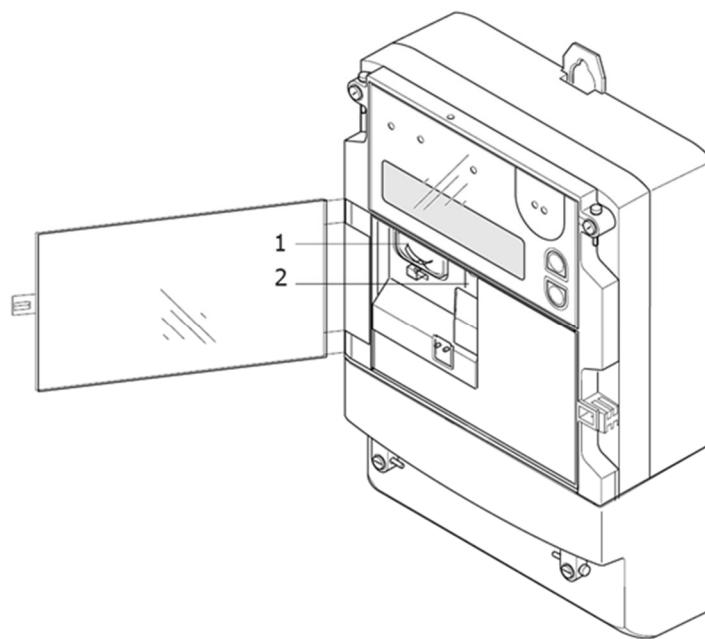


Figure 20. Meter with front door open

- 1 Battery compartment
- 2 Reset button R

### Seal component

An additional component, which is easy to install, allows the use of a standard padlock instead of a utility seal.

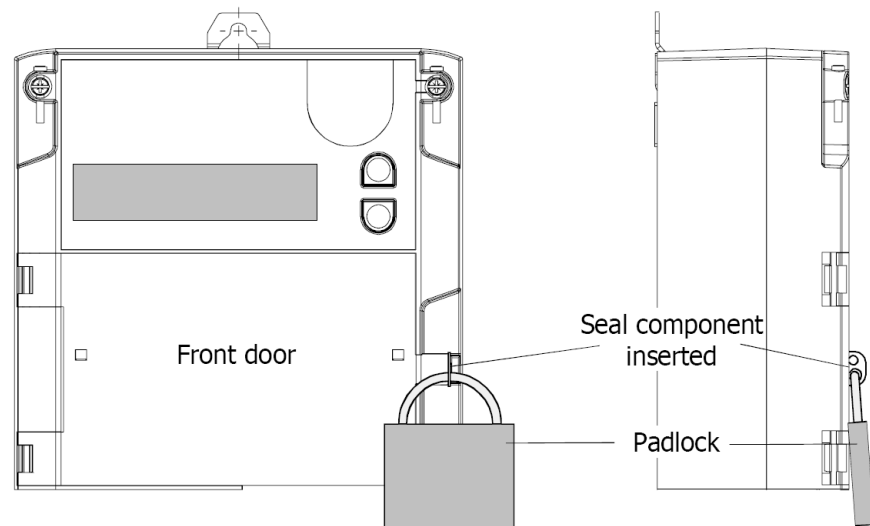


Figure 21. Front door sealing using a padlock

The seal component is stowed away in a holder under the front door when not in use.

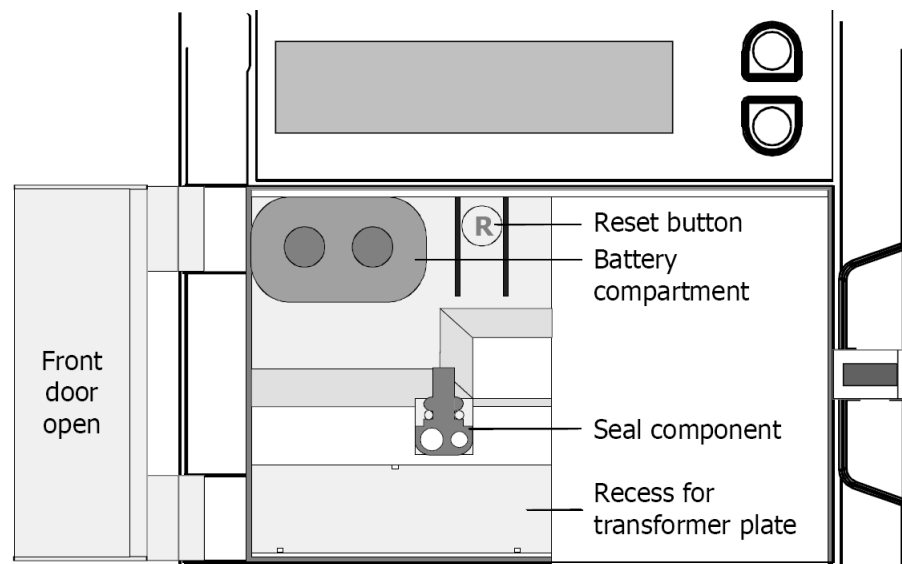


Figure 22. Storage of seal component when not in use

The seal component is installed as follows:

- Slide the seal component into the vertical slot at an angle, as shown, (position 1) until it contacts the rear wall.
- Now turn the seal component until it is horizontal and slide it down into position 2 as illustrated. The two bulges firmly fix the seal component into the lateral grooves.

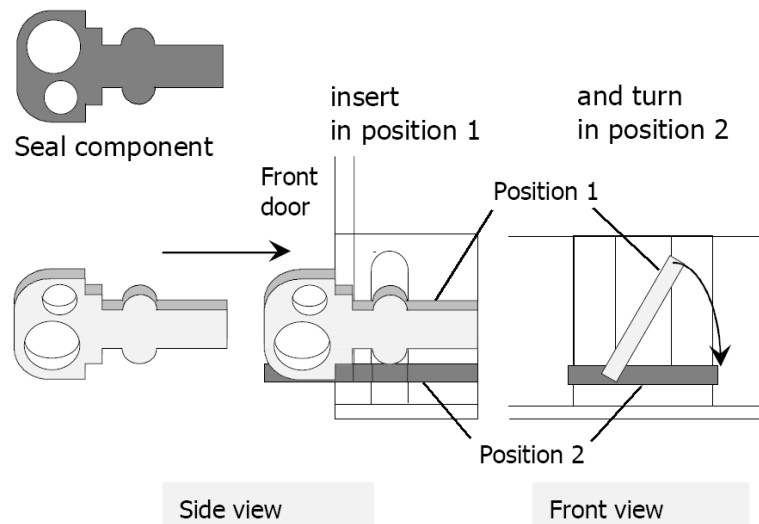


Figure 23. Seal component for use with padlock

## 3.2 Faceplates

The faceplate is divided into two parts and is designed to customer specifications. It contains all relevant data about the meter.

### Main faceplate

The main faceplate is situated behind the plastic viewing window, which is secured by a certification seal. Recesses permit operation of the display "down" and "up" buttons for the control of the liquid crystal display.

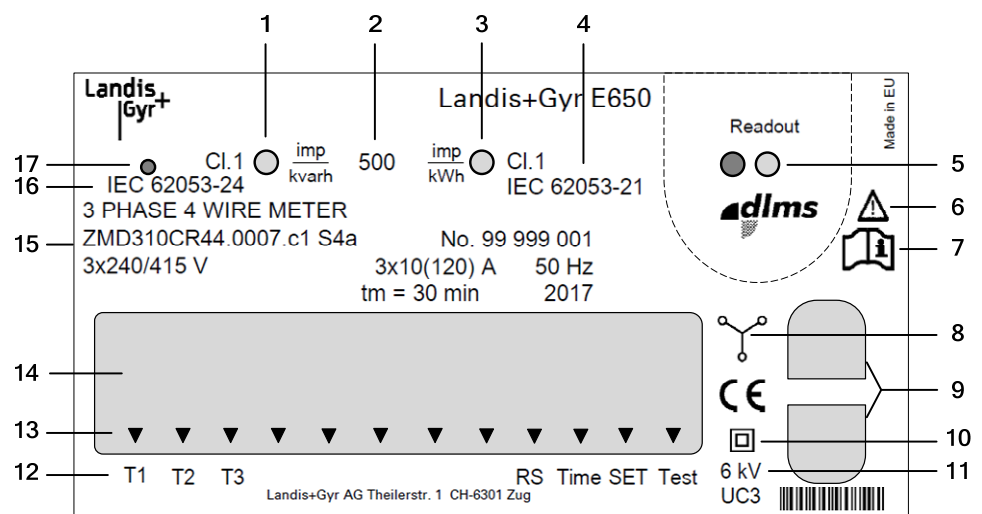


Figure 24. Main faceplate (example ZMD310CR)

- 1 Optical pulse (test) output reactive energy (with accuracy class – ZMD300CR only)
- 2 Pulse constant R1 (referred to primary values) or R2
- 3 Optical pulse (test) output active energy (with accuracy class)
- 4 Reference to active energy standard
- 5 Optical interface
- 6 Caution symbol; refer to the accompanying documentation
- 7 Symbol for operating instructions; consult the User Manual
- 8 Type of connection
- 9 Display "up" button / Display "down" button
- 10 Symbol for double protective insulation
- 11 Rated impulse voltage
- 12 Status indication
- 13 Arrows for present status indication
- 14 Liquid crystal display (LCD)
- 15 Meter data (type designation, serial number, rated values, year of construction)

16 Reference to reactive energy standard

17 Alarm LED (optional)

The operating elements and displays are described more detailed in section 5 "Operation".

**Tariff faceplate**

The tariff faceplate is placed in the front door, which can be swung out sideways to the left and is secured by a utility seal. The connection diagram of the meter is shown on the back of the faceplate and is therefore visible with the front door open.

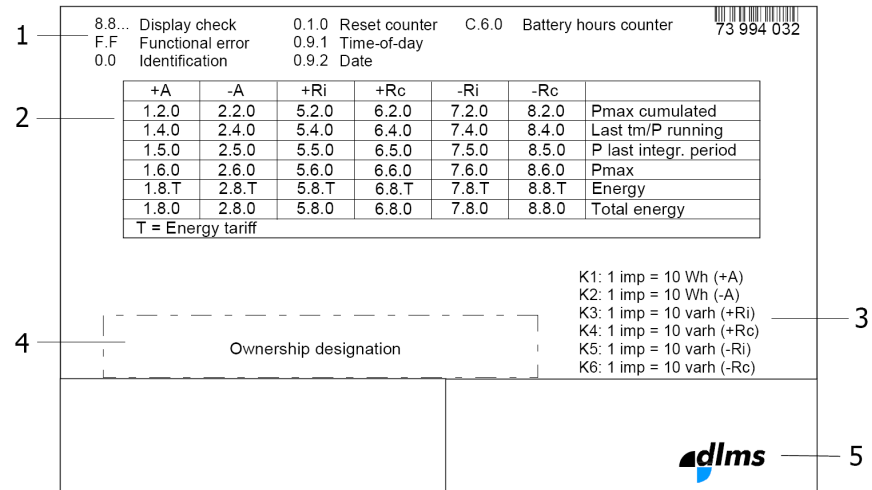


Figure 25. Tariff faceplate (example ZMD310CR)

- 1 General data appearing in the display
- 2 Measured quantities
- 3 Output contact data
- 4 Ownership designation
- 5 DLMS symbol (if interface IEC and DLMS supported)

**3.3 Connections**

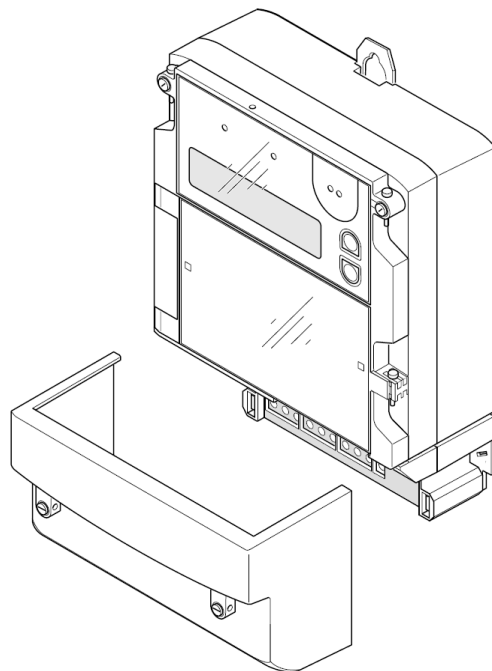


Figure 26. Meter with terminal cover removed (example ZMD300CR)

The terminal block with all meter connections is situated behind the terminal cover. Two utility seals in the fixing screws of the terminal cover prevent unauthorised access to the phase connections and therefore also prevent unrecorded energy consumption.

### Terminal layout (example ZMD300xR)

The top row of terminals (level 1) consists of spring-loaded terminals and comprises

- Extension board terminals on the left.  
Depending on the version, up to 4 control inputs or 6 output contacts, 3 digital inputs and 2 relays outputs or a combination of these with maximum 6 inputs and outputs, or voltage connections for a separate supply.
- Interface board connections on the right – if present.  
There is either a spring-loaded terminal (CS interface) or an RJ12 double jack (RS232, RS422 or RS485 interface). If no interface is present, a dummy circuit board provides dust protection.

The centre row of terminals (level 0) likewise consists of spring-loaded terminals and comprises

- Voltage outputs U1, U2, U3 and N, tapped from the relevant phase input
- 3 fixed control inputs with a common return line G (electrically isolated)
- 2 output contacts for transferring fixed valency pulses or control signals (electrically isolated)

The lower row of terminals comprises the phase connections with input and output of the circuit for each phase with the voltage connection in between and neutral conductor at far right.

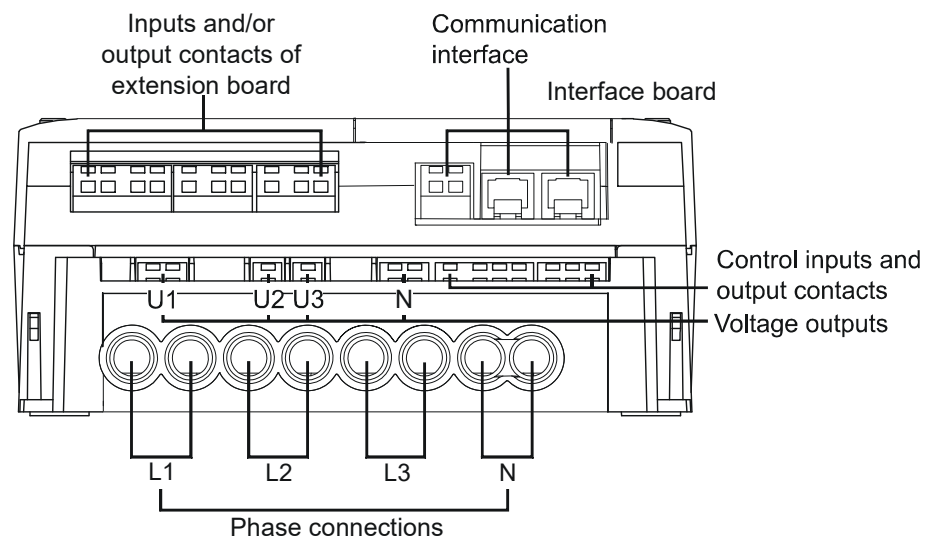


Figure 27. Terminal layout ZMD300xR

### 3.4 Connection diagrams (examples)



#### Binding connection diagrams

The following connection diagrams should be considered examples. The connection diagrams provided at the rear of the front door and visible when the door is open are always binding for the installation.

#### ZMD300xR for three-phase four-wire networks

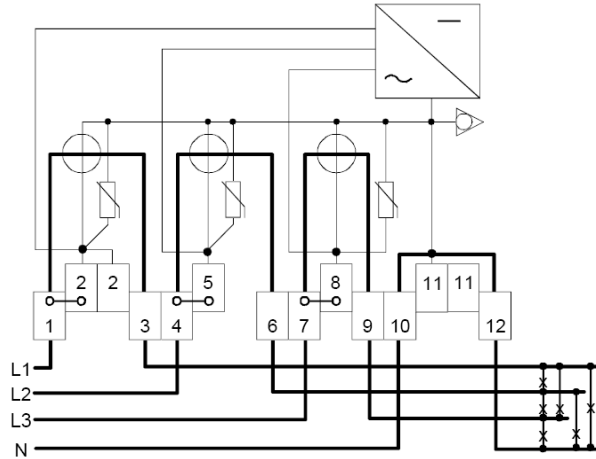
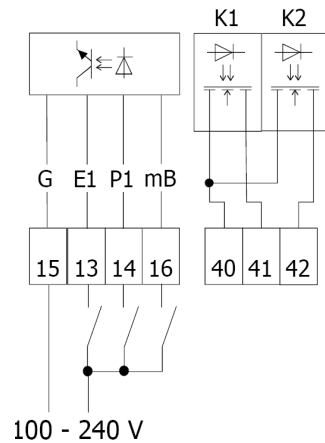


Figure 28. Connection diagram of measuring unit ZMD300xR

In case the ZMD300 is used in a 3-wire network without neutral:  
 For a 3-phase, 3-wire connection, the measurement of phase-to-neutral voltage as well as the measurement of single-phase energy have no meaning, as no neutral voltage is supplied to the meter.

#### Control inputs / output contacts



Basic version:

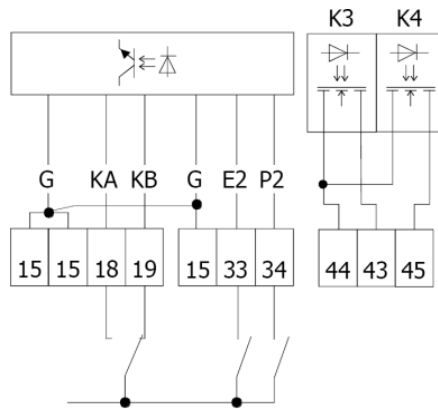
3 control inputs

2 output contacts (solid-state relays)

Signal allocation and numbering of terminals for free parameterisation

Figure 29. Connection diagram fixed control inputs/output contacts

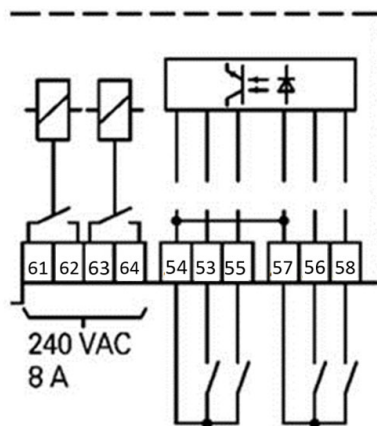
**Extension board 4200**



Extension board 4200:  
 4 control inputs  
 2 output contacts (solid-state relays)  
 Signal allocation and numbering of terminals for free parameterisation

Figure 30. Connection diagram extension board with 4 control inputs and 2 output contacts

**Extension board 4210**



Extension board 4210:  
 4 active inputs  
 2 relay outputs 8 A  
 Signal allocation and numbering of terminals for free parameterisation

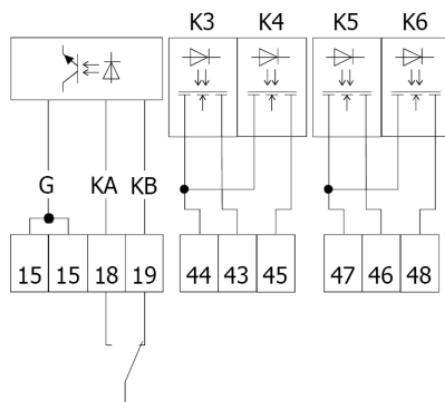
Figure 31. Connection diagram extension board with 4 active inputs and 2 relay outputs 8 A



**Warning**

Active Inputs: Only external contact required. Do not apply voltage!

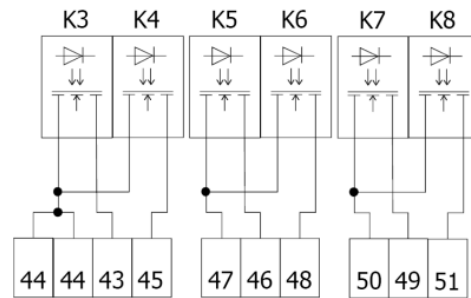
**Extension board 2400**



Extension board 2400:  
 2 control inputs  
 4 output contacts (solid-state relays)  
 Signal allocation and numbering of terminals for free parameterisation

Figure 32. Connection diagram extension board with 2 control inputs and 4 output contacts

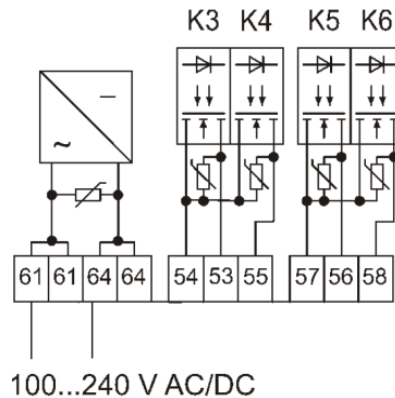
### Extension board 0600



Extension board 0600:  
no control inputs  
6 output contacts (solid-state relays)  
Signal allocation and numbering of  
terminals for free parameterisation

Figure 33. Connection diagram extension board with 6 output contacts

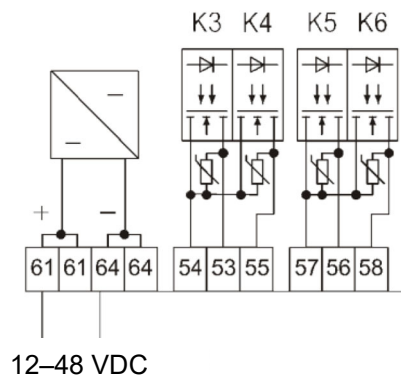
### Extension board 0450



Extension board 0450:  
with auxiliary power supply  
no control inputs  
4 output contacts (solid-state relays)  
Signal allocation and numbering of  
terminals for free parameterisation

Figure 34. Connection diagram extension board with auxiliary power supply and 4 output contacts

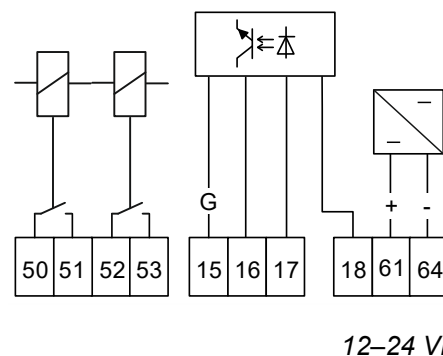
### Extension board 0470



Extension board 0470:  
with auxiliary power supply  
no control inputs  
4 output contacts (solid-state relays)  
Signal allocation and numbering of  
terminals for free parameterisation

Figure 35. Connection diagram extension board with auxiliary power supply and 4 output contacts

### Extension board 3260



Extension board 3260:  
with auxiliary power supply  
3 control inputs  
2 relay outputs (8 A)  
Signal allocation and numbering of  
terminals for free parameterisation

12-24 VDC

Figure 36. Connection diagram extension board with auxiliary power supply, 3 control inputs and 2 relay outputs



## Interface boards

No schematic symbol is shown on the connection diagram for the following interface boards:

- Type c1 (RS232)
- Type c2 (RS485)
- Type c6 (RS422)

The following schematic symbol is shown for type c3 (CS) interface boards on the connection diagram:

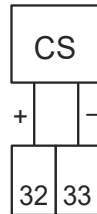


Figure 37. Schematic symbol of CS interface (example)



### Ground terminal connection

Note that the Ground terminal (G) of the control inputs on the extension boards is NOT internally connected to the Ground terminal on the base. If the Ground level is the same, then an external wire must be connected between the two Ground terminals.

## 3.5 Dimensions

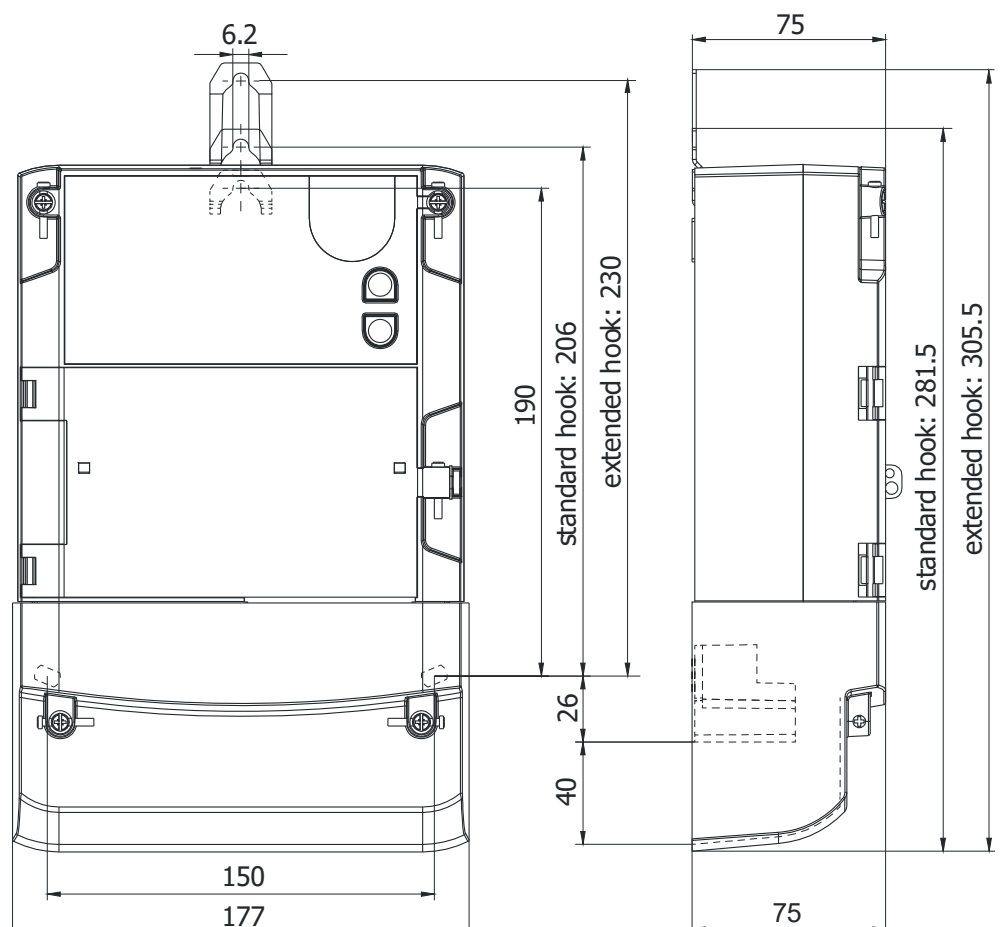


Figure 38. Meter dimensions (standard terminal cover)

## 4 Installation and uninstallation

This section describes the installation and connection of meters for direct connection. In addition, the necessary steps for checking the connections, commissioning of the meter and the final functional check are described as well as the uninstallation.



### Dangerous voltage

Dangers can arise from live electrical installations to which the meters are connected. Touching live parts is dangerous to life. All safety information should therefore be strictly observed without fail.



### This meter is intended for indoor use only

In cases where an outdoor installation is unavoidable, care must be taken to ensure the meter is installed within a suitable enclosure to maintain the operating environment in accordance with the meter specification. Such enclosures must be securely sealed to avoid the risk of meter damage as a consequence of exposure to the external environment including, but not limited to, extreme temperatures, humidity and insect ingress.

### 4.1 Basic information for connecting the meter

It is recommended to use the following circuits whenever possible for connecting the meter to the various voltage levels.



### Restriction for meters fitted with or intended to be fitted with pins, pin adapters and cables

Meters fitted with or intended to be fitted with pins, pin adapters and cables must have appropriately rated service fuse(s) in accordance with the maximum current rating of the pins, pin adapters and cables deployed. In such installation, the maximum rating stated on the meter faceplate is not applicable and must be de-rated to that of the pins, pin adapters and cables deployed.

#### 4.1.1 Connection with 3 phases and neutral

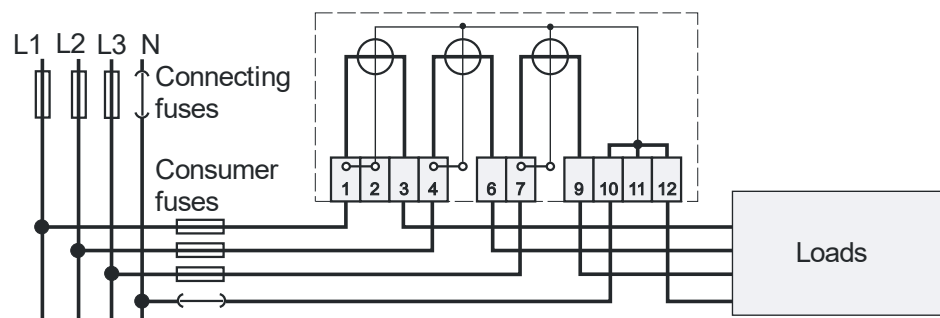


Figure 39. Connection with 3 phases and neutral

#### Neutral

The neutral is normally looped through terminals 10 and 12. Some power supply companies, however, make a simple connection between terminal

10 or 12 and the neutral. This avoids possible contact errors in the neutral conductor.

#### 4.1.2 Connection with 3 phases without neutral (Aron circuit)

A version ZFD300xR for the rarely encountered three-phase networks without neutral with 3 x 230 V is not foreseen.

## 4.2 Mounting the meter



### Dangerous voltage on conductors

The connecting conductors at the point of installation must be voltage-free for installation of the meter. Contact with live components is dangerous to life. The relevant supply fuses should therefore be removed and kept in a safe place until finishing work, so that they cannot be re-inserted by other persons unnoticed.

When you have identified the correct meter position for mounting the meter, it should be mounted as follows on the meter board or similar device provided for this purpose:

1. Determine the desired form of fixing (open/covered meter mounting or extended suspension hook for 230 mm suspension triangle height). If holes for a suspension triangle height of 230 mm are already present, use the **optional extended suspension hook** depicted below. This hook can be ordered with the part number 74 109 0072 0 (minimum order quantity 50) from:

Landis+Gyr AG  
Alte Steinhauserstrasse 18  
CH-6330 Cham  
Switzerland

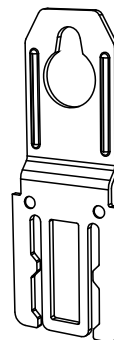


Figure 40. Extended suspension hook for installations with 230 mm suspension triangle height

2. Either set the meter suspension hook in the relevant position as shown below or replace the suspension hook with the extended hook by lifting the latch slightly and pulling out the shorter hook. Insert the extended hook into the grooves in the same way the shorter hook was inserted (bent towards rear) and push it down until it clicks into place.

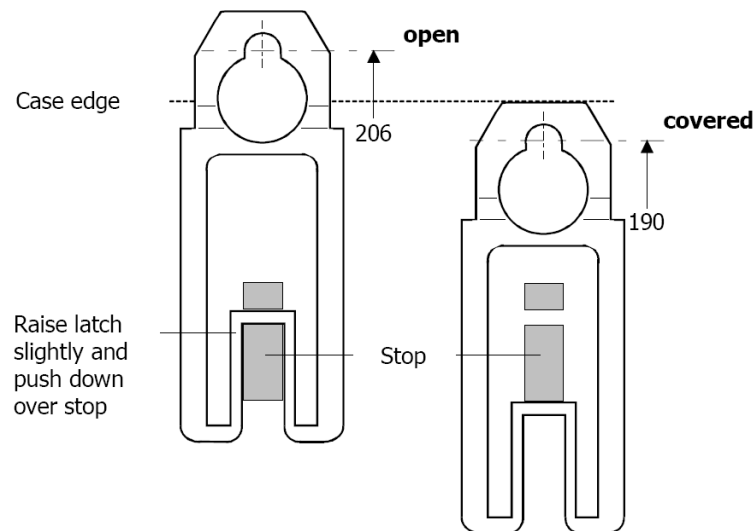


Figure 41. Positioning of meter suspension hook

3. Check with a phase tester or universal measuring instrument whether the connecting wires are live. If so, remove the corresponding supply fuses and keep them in a safe place until installation is completed, so that they cannot be replaced by anyone unnoticed. Open the voltage connections at the test terminal block with an insulated screwdriver and check whether the short-circuit jumpers of the circuit are closed.
4. In case there are no holes provided, e.g. as in the case with the 230 mm suspension triangle: Mark the three fixing points (suspension triangle as in following illustration) on the mounting surface provided:
  - horizontal base of suspension triangle = 150 mm
  - height of suspension triangle for open mounting = 206 mm
  - height of suspension triangle for covered mounting = 190 mm

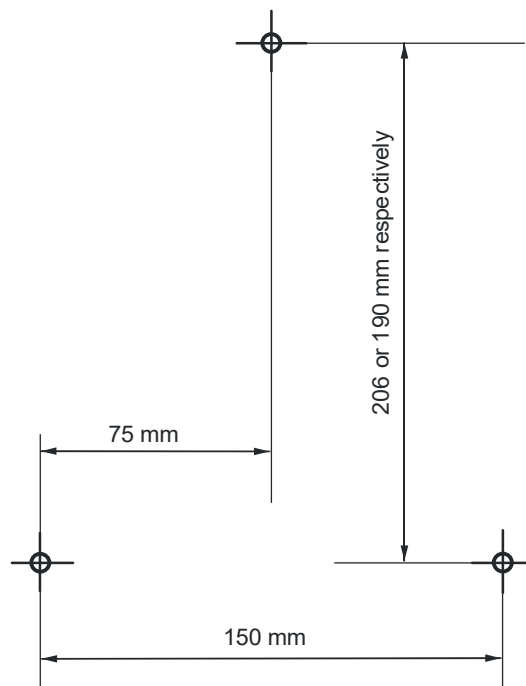


Figure 42. Drilling plan

5. Drill the three holes for the fixing screws.
6. Unscrew the meter terminal cover.

- Fit the meter with the three fixing screws on the mounting surface provided.

## 4.3 Connecting the meter



### Dangerous voltage on conductors

The connecting conductors at the point of installation must be voltage-free for installation of the meter. Contact with live components is dangerous to life. The relevant supply fuses should therefore be removed and kept in a safe place until finishing work, so that they cannot be re-inserted by other persons unnoticed.



### Connecting conductor cross-section

ZMD310CR meters with a maximum current of 100 or 120 A require connecting conductors of 35 mm<sup>2</sup> cross-section. Owing to the terminal opening of 9.5 mm, only cable is possible.

If smaller conductors are used in connection with lower maximum current at the metering point, the cross-section must be chosen corresponding to the protection fuse and maximum current in the installation according to the technical rules.

The electrical connections to the meter should be made as follows according to the connection diagram:

- Check with a phase tester or universal measuring instrument whether the connecting wires are live. If so, remove the corresponding supply fuses and keep them in a safe place until installation is completed, so that they cannot be replaced by anyone unnoticed.

### 4.3.1 Connecting the phase connection lines

- Shorten the phase connecting wires to the required length and then strip them.
- Insert the phase connecting wires in the relevant terminals (the terminals are numbered as shown in the connection diagram) and tighten the terminal screws firmly (torque 3 to 5 Nm).

With small conductor cross-sections (e.g. 4 mm<sup>2</sup>) the connecting line must be placed in the indentation (stamping) of the current loops, so that it cannot shift sideways when tightening the terminal screws. Ensure that the connecting line remains in the indentation when tightening.

Indentation (stamping) for smaller connection lines

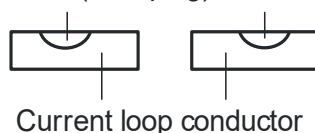


Figure 43. Cross-section through current loop conductor

If smaller connection lines are used, it is possible to adapt the cable section with terminal holes using "assembly aids" or "centering parts" in order to have a safe connection:

- P000225650 (x100 pcs) – 8.5 mm

- P000172980 (x100 pcs) – 9.5 mm

Contact your sales representative for ordering.

It is recommended to identify the beginning and end of the relevant conductors with a suitable test unit (e.g. buzzer) to ensure that the right consumer is connected to the meter output.

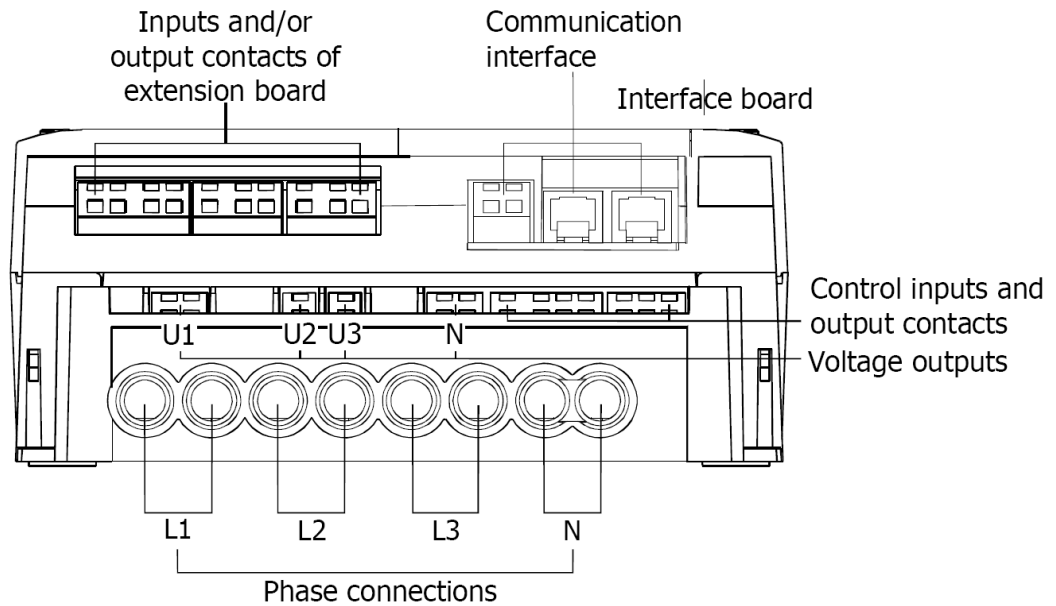


Figure 44. Meter connections (example ZMD300xR)

#### Power losses at the terminals



Insufficiently tightened screws at the phase connections can lead to increased power losses at the terminals and therefore to undesirable heating. A contact resistance of 1 mΩ causes a power loss of 10 W at 100 A!

### 4.3.2 Connecting the signal inputs and outputs

#### Maximum current at auxiliary terminals

The circuits connected to the auxiliary terminals must be built in such a way that the maximum current is never exceeded, as this might damage the meter.



**Maximum current of the voltage outputs: 1 A.**

**Maximum current of the output contacts: See 4.3.3 “Maximum current of auxiliary current outputs”.**

Use fuses or protective relays between external and internal circuits to avoid defects and a possible exchange of the meter.

1. Shorten the connecting wires of the signal inputs and outputs to the required length and strip them for approx. 4 mm (wires and strands up to 2.5 mm<sup>2</sup> can be connected).



#### Use ferrules with stranded wires

If stranded wire is used, provide it with ferrules for connection.

2. Connect the connecting wires of the signal inputs and outputs as follows to the screwless spring-loaded terminals (the terminals are numbered as shown on the connection diagram):
  - Insert a size 1 screwdriver in the upper opening and insert it turning slightly upwards (figure 45 A).
  - Now place the stripped connecting wire in the lower opening and hold it there securely (figure 45 B).
  - Withdraw the screwdriver. The connecting wire is then firmly fixed (figure 45 C).

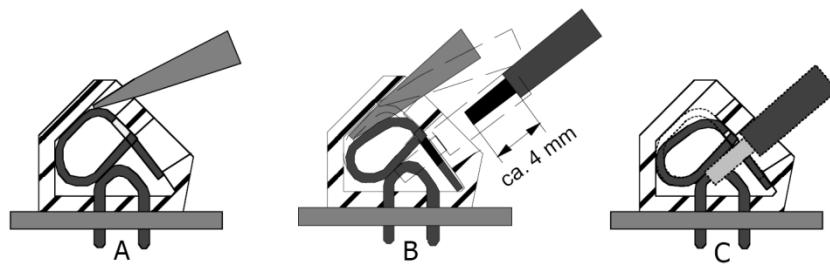


Figure 45. Connection in screwless spring-loaded terminals



#### Bare end of connecting wire must not be too long

The insulation of the connecting line must extend as far as the terminal indentation, i.e. there must be no further bare part of the connecting line visible above the terminal edge (as shown in figure 45 C). Touching live parts is dangerous to life. The stripped part of the connecting wire should be shortened, if necessary.



#### Only one wire or ferrule per terminal

Only one wire or ferrule with strand(s) may be connected in screwless spring-loaded terminals. The terminal could otherwise be damaged or the contact not properly made.

If a connecting wire must be disconnected again for any reason, this is performed in the reverse sequence:

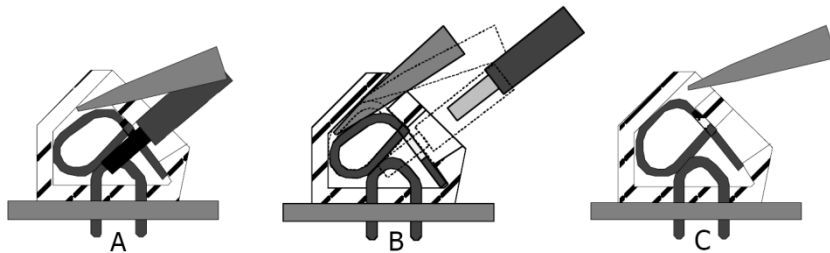


Figure 46. Releasing connection from spring-loaded terminal



#### Damage to terminals

Never withdraw connecting wires with the terminal closed, since this could damage the terminal.

### 4.3.3 Maximum current of auxiliary current outputs

The maximum current of auxiliary outputs:

- Mechanical relays 8 A each.
- Solid-state relays 100 mA each.
  - Max. current all outputs together 200 mA (for base meter and extension board separately)
  - Derating above 25 °C ambient 0.8 mA / °C
- Voltage outputs 1 A each.

### 4.3.4 Connection of active inputs

Extension board 421x offers 4 active inputs. These inputs provide a voltage of 5 V.

The correct wiring of an input is over a switch to the ground as shown in Figure 31 “Extension board 4210”.

Do not apply voltage to any of these inputs. This will destroy the meter.

### 4.3.5 Connecting the RS485 interface

If you connect the RS485 interface you must not strip back the shielded cables, e.g. to connect the individual wires to an external terminal block (see figure below), as this considerably increases the likelihood of interference.

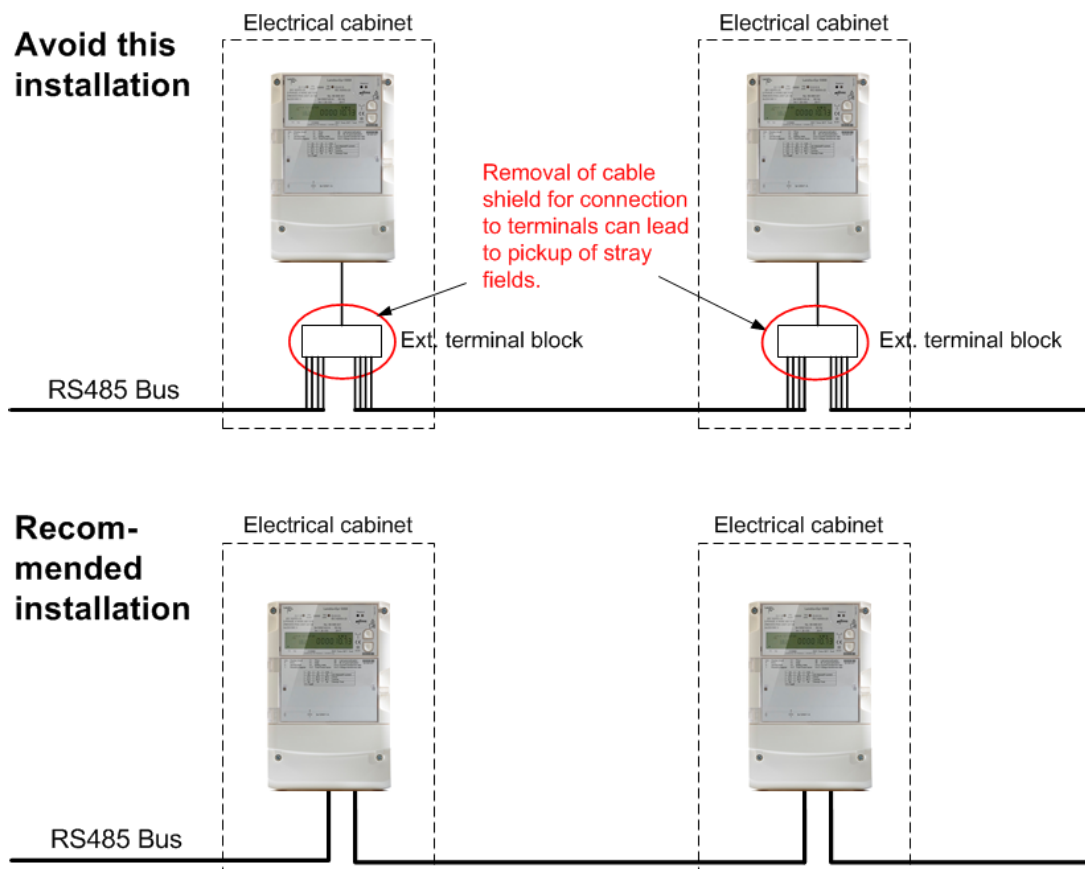


Figure 47. How to connect RS485 correctly

It is also possible to use RS485 distributors instead of connecting the RS485 cables directly to the meter.



## 4.4 Check of connections



### Effects of connection errors

Only a properly connected meter measures correctly!  
Every connection error results in a financial loss for the power company!

Before putting into operation check again whether all meter connections are connected correctly according to the connection diagram.

## 4.5 Commissioning, functional check and sealing



### Dangerous voltage on conductors

The supply fuses must be re-inserted before commissioning and functional check of the meter. If the terminal cover is not screwed tight, there is a danger of contact with the connection terminals. Contact with live components is dangerous to life. The relevant supply fuses should therefore be removed before making any modifications to the installation and these kept in a safe place until completing the work to prevent anyone re-inserting them unnoticed.



### Prerequisites for commissioning and functional check

If no mains voltage is present, commissioning and functional check must be performed at a later date.

The installed meter should be put into service and checked as follows:

1. Insert the supply fuses removed for installation. The meter is switched on.
2. Check whether the operating display is correct (no error message).
3. Check on the display whether all three phases L1, L2 and L3 are indicated and show the right phase sequence.
  - If one phase is not present or less than 20 V, then the relevant symbol is absent.
  - With the normal phase sequence L1-L2-L3 the symbols are displayed continuously.
  - If, however, the meter is connected with reversed phase sequence (e.g. L2-L1-L3) the symbols flash. The direction of field rotation (clockwise or anticlockwise) is determined by the parameterisation. This has no influence on the measuring behaviour of the meter.

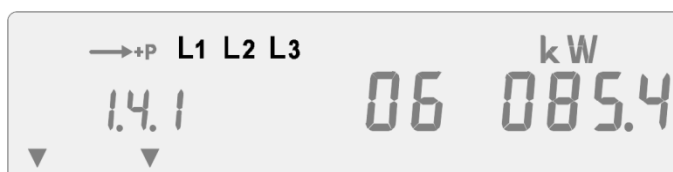


Figure 48. Phase sequence indication

4. Remove all supply fuses.

5. Insert the supply fuse of phase 1 and check the display of the energy direction: +P to right. If the energy direction arrow P points to the left, the input and output of phase 1 are interchanged. If the meter displays no energy direction, the calibration link is open, the supply fuse is defective or the neutral is not connected.
6. Remove the supply fuse of phase 1 again.
7. Repeat the same test for the other phases as in points 5 and 6.
8. You can now check further values such as phase voltages. This is preferably done with MAP110 or, if parameterised, via the service list, which you can reach via the service menu.
9. Check the tariff displays and switch the control voltages to the tariff inputs on and off. The arrow symbols of the tariff display must change.
10. If the meter is connected to a meter readout system via the electrical interface, check the data transmission.
11. If a DC450 is connected to the meter through RS485, the alarm transmission function should be checked by simulating an alarm and check the HES takes into account.
12. Mount the terminal cover if the meter is operating correctly. Otherwise first locate and eliminate the error.
13. Seal the terminal cover with two utility seals.
14. Set the current date and time with the relevant formatted command (see section 5.8 "Input of formatted commands") or in the set mode (see section 5.9 "Set time and date, ID numbers, battery time").
15. Close the front door.
16. Re-seal the front door.

## 4.6 Uninstallation



### **Dangerous voltage on conductors**

The connecting wires at the place of installation must not be live when removing the meter. Touching of live parts is dangerous to life. Remove the corresponding supply fuses and keep these in a safe place until work is completed, so that they cannot be replaced by anyone unnoticed.

The meter should be removed as follows:

1. Remove the two utility seals at the screws of the terminal cover.
2. Release the two screws of the terminal cover and remove it.
3. Check that the connecting wires are not live using a phase tester or universal measuring instrument. If they are live, remove the corresponding supply fuses and keep these in a safe place until work is completed, so that they cannot be replaced by anyone unnoticed.
4. Remove the connecting wires of the signal inputs and outputs from the screwless spring-loaded terminals as follows:
  - Place a size 1 screwdriver in the upper opening and insert it turning slightly upwards (figure 49 A).
  - Then draw the wire from the lower opening (figure 49 B).
  - Withdraw the screwdriver (figure 49 C).

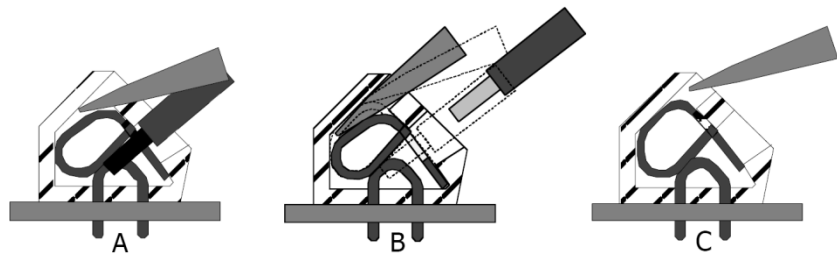


Figure 49. Removing connections in screwless spring-loaded terminals



#### Damage to terminals

Never withdraw connecting wires from closed terminals. The terminals could be damaged.

5. Release the terminal screws 1, 3, 4, 6, 7, 9, 10 and 12 of the phase connecting wires with a suitable screwdriver and withdraw the phase connecting wires from the terminals.
6. Fit a substitute meter as described in section 4.3 "Connecting the meter" and the following sections.

## 5 Operation

This section describes the location and function of all operating elements and displays of the ZMD300xR meters as well as operating sequences.



### Illustrations

The illustrations of the faceplate and display in this section always show the ZMD300CR combimeter (with additional optical pulse (test) output for reactive energy, together with direction of reactive power and quadrant display).

### 5.1 Operation with auxiliary power supply

Meters equipped with an auxiliary power supply which is supplied with electricity (see section 3.4 "Connection diagrams (examples)") are completely functional even in case of a power cut. Despite missing voltage at the terminals they can be read out via display, remote readout, etc. and parameterised, if desired.

Connect the auxiliary power supply as follows:

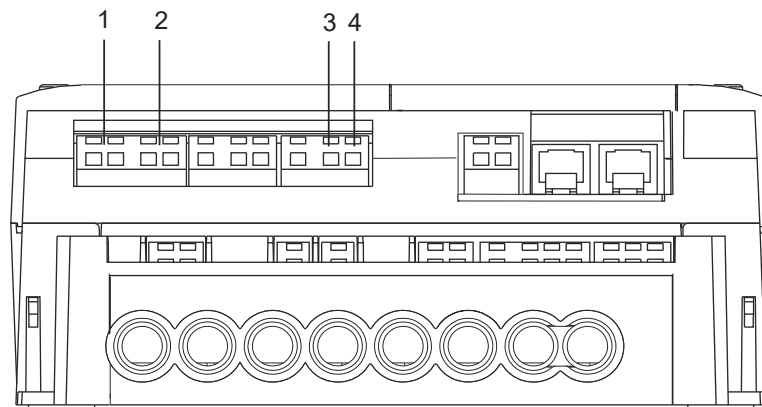


Figure 50. Auxiliary power supply connections

Type 045x: 1 and 2: 100–240 V AC/DC

Type 047x: 1: + (12–48 V DC)

Type 047x: 2: – (12–48 V DC)

Type 326x: 3: + (12–24 V DC)

Type 326x: 4: – (12–24 V DC)

### 5.2 Control elements

E650 meters have the two display "down" and "up" buttons and a reset button as conventional operating elements. The display can also be controlled with the aid of a light source via the optical interface.

### 5.2.1 Display buttons

The two display buttons ("up" and "down") are placed on the main faceplate (top) on the right side of the liquid crystal display.

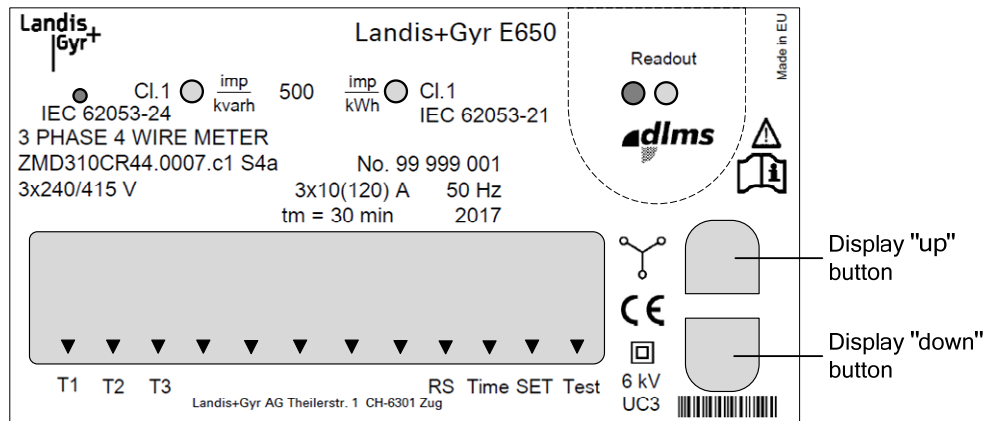


Figure 51. Display buttons

By pressing the lower display "down" button, the display changes to the next value in the list. By pressing the upper display "up" button, the display changes to the previous value (also see section 5.4.2 "Display menu").

### 5.2.2 Control of display via optical interface

All E650 meters have an optical interface in addition to the display "up" and "down" buttons. The optical interface serves to receive a light signal, e.g. generated by a torch (works only with warm light, i.e. LED torches cannot be used for this). The light signal acts like the display "down" button and controls the display in one direction from one value to the next. This type of display control only functions when voltage is supplied to the meter.

The reader can also control the display at a distance from the meter depending on the light intensity from the source, e.g. through a protective glass in front of the meter.

### 5.2.3 Reset button

The reset button is situated to the right of the battery compartment behind the front door. To permit operation of the reset button the front door must be opened and therefore the utility seal be removed.

The reset button can be used to perform a manual reset. If the display check is displayed (after operation of a display button), however, pressing of the reset button produces the service menu (also see section 5.4.3 "Service menu").

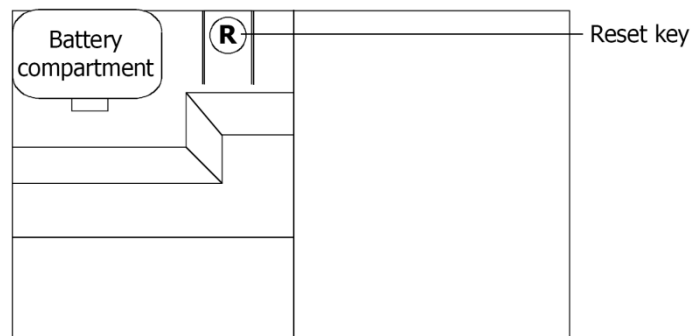


Figure 52. Reset button behind front door

### 5.3 Display

#### 5.3.1 Introduction

E650 meters are provided with a liquid crystal display (LCD).

The display can be provided with background lighting for easier reading (optional). This is switched on by pressing one of the display buttons and is extinguished automatically after a short time if no further button is pressed.

#### 5.3.2 Basic layout

The basic layout shows all the indication possibilities of the display.

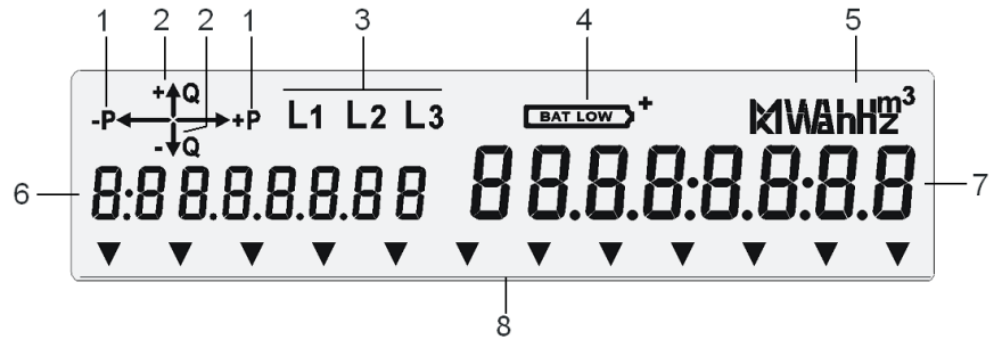


Figure 53. Basic layout of the liquid crystal display (LCD)

- 1 Active power direction (+P: import, -P: export)
- 2 Reactive power direction (not used with ZMD300AT)
- 3 Phase voltages (flash if rotating field reversed)
- 4 Battery status (charge voltage)
- 5 Units field
- 6 Index field (8 digits)
- 7 Value field (8 digits)
- 8 12 arrow symbols for status information (e.g. tariffs)

#### Active power direction

Shows always the sum of the three phases:

- +P positive active energy direction (imported from power company)
- P← negative active energy direction (exported to power company)
- P← →+P negative active energy direction of individual phases (second arrow flashes).

#### Reactive power direction


Indicates for ZMD300CR combimeters always the sum of the three phases (not used for ZMD300AR active energy meters).

- +↑Q positive reactive energy direction
- ↓Q negative reactive energy direction

#### Quadrant display

Indicates for ZMD300CR combimeters in which quadrants the present measurement is made (not used for ZMD300AR active energy meters):

- ↑Q →+P 1<sup>st</sup> quadrant
- P ←+↑Q 2<sup>nd</sup> quadrant
- P ←-↓Q 3<sup>rd</sup> quadrant
- ↓Q →+P 4<sup>th</sup> quadrant

<b>Phase voltages</b>	<b>L1 L2 L3</b>	Indication of presence of phase voltages. If the rotating field corresponds to the parameterised, symbols L1, L2 and L3 are continuously lit. Otherwise they flash every second.
<b>Battery condition</b>		The symbol appears if the charge voltage of the battery fitted is too low (provided the meter is parameterised as "fitted with battery").
<b>Units field</b>	<b>KVAhHz<sup>3</sup></b>	The following units are shown: W, var, VA, k..., M..., ...h, V, A, h, Hz, m <sup>3</sup> (var and VA only for combimeters)
<b>Index field</b>	<b>8:888.8888</b>	Up to 8-digit indices are displayed, which define the value in the value field.
<b>Value field</b>	<b>8888.8888</b>	Up to 8-digit values are displayed.
<b>Arrow symbols</b>	<b>▼ ▼ ▼ ▼</b>	An arrow symbol is an additional status indication for tariff rates, reset block, test mode, etc. The arrow points to a status description on the faceplate.

### 5.3.3 Index system

The information concerning which data are shown in the display is made with an index system and is supported by the unit over the value field.

The 8-digit index field permits all currently known index systems such as DIN, LG, VEOe, OBIS, etc.

The **B:C.D.E.F** structure applies to OBIS (Object Identification System):

- B** Defines the channel number, i.e. the number of the input of a metering device having several inputs for the measurement of energy of the same or different types (e.g. in data concentrators, registration units). This enables data from different sources to be identified.
- C** Defines the abstract or physical data items related to the information source concerned, e.g. active power, reactive power, apparent power,  $\cos\phi$ , current or voltage.
- D** Defines types or the result of the processing of physical quantities according to various specific algorithms. The algorithms can deliver energy and demand quantities as well as other physical quantities.
- E** Defines the further processing of measurement results to tariff registers, according to the tariff rates in use. For abstract data or for measurement results for which tariffs are not relevant, this value group can be used for further classification.
- F** Defines the storage of data according to different billing periods. Where this is not relevant, this value group can be used for further classification.

To simplify reading of the index field, individual parts of the OBIS code can be omitted. The abstract or physical data C and type of data D must be shown.

For further details about OBIS code see Appendix 1.

#### Examples

**1.8.0:** 1 = Active energy import (all phases); 8 = Status; 0 = Total

**0.9.1:** Local time

Reference is made for examples to the following display list and the readout log (see section 5.7 "Data readout").

## 5.4 Types of display

The ZMD300xR has the following three types of display:

### Operating display

The values specified by the parameterisation are shown as a rolling display in the operating display. The display is always in operating mode when the display buttons are not operated. The meter returns automatically from the display list to the operating display after a defined time. This display can consist of one or more values.

### Display menu

By pressing the display button, the display check is activated, and from there the user reaches the display menu by pressing the display button again. From the display menu, values of the display list, the load profile(s), the event log, etc. can be accessed. The values of the display list and also the sequence can be parameterised. The display buttons permit scrolling up and down in the list.

### Service menu

The user reaches the service menu by pressing the reset button starting from the display check. From the service menu, values of the service list, the set mode, etc. can be accessed. The service list, for example, is an extended display list with additional values.

### 5.4.1 Operating display

The values always displayed are considered the operating display. This can be parameterised as a fixed display (only one value present, e.g. the present tariff rate) or as a rolling display (several values alternate at a fixed rate, e.g. every 15 seconds).



running average demand value with status of integrating period

Figure 54. Example of a fixed display

### Error message

The meter can generate an error message on the basis of self-tests. According to parameterisation, this can be permanently included in the operating display. In the event of a serious error (fatal or critical error), it replaces the normal operating display. After a fatal error, the meter no longer operates and must be replaced. In case of a critical error, the error message can be acknowledged with the display button.



Figure 55. Example of an error message (insufficient battery voltage)

In case of an error message, the procedure described in section 6.2 "Error messages" should be followed.



### 5.4.2 Display menu

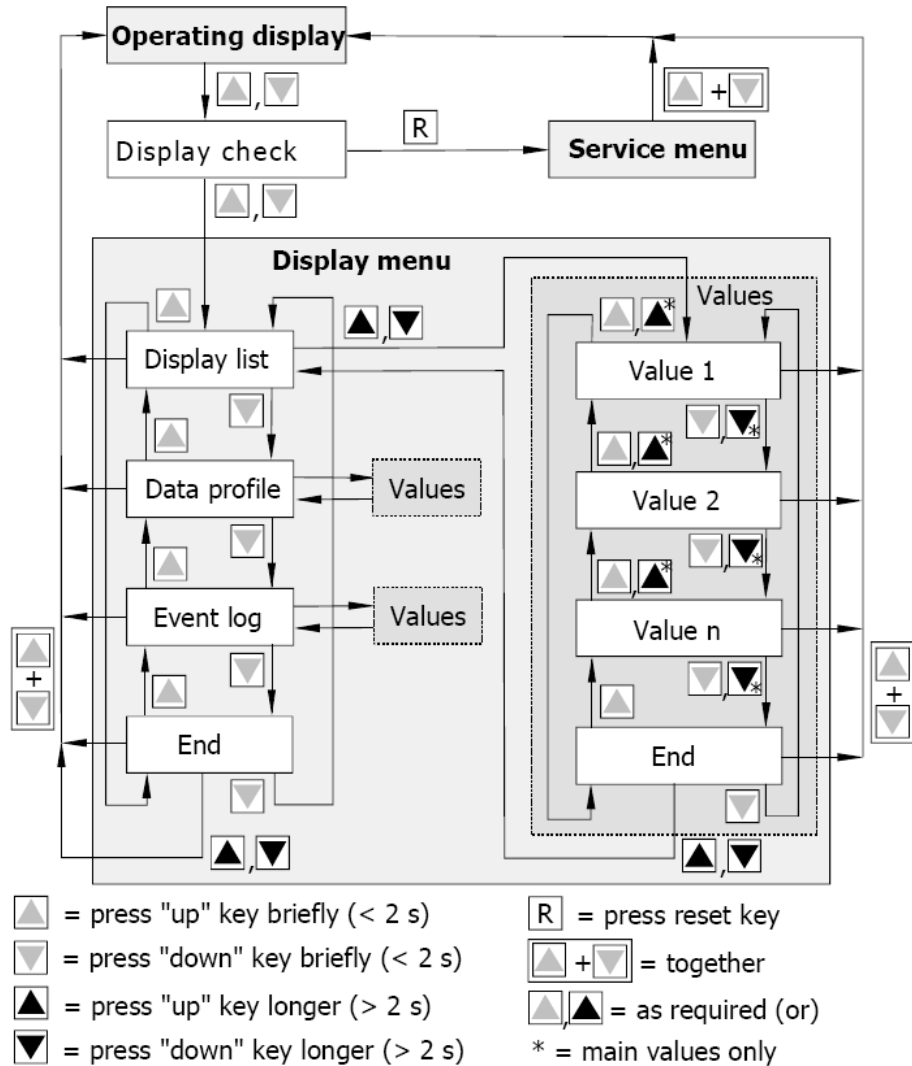


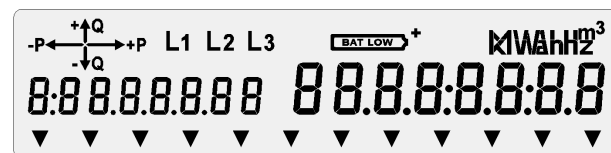
Figure 56. Display menu overview

#### Display check

**Brief** operation (< 2s) of the display "down" or "up" button causes a change of the operating display, e.g.:



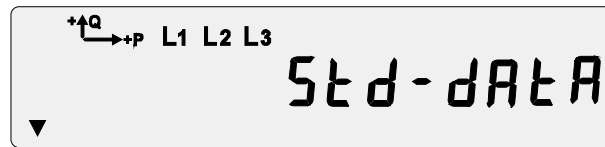
to the display check:



All segments of the display are active here. The index and value fields should be checked each time for missing segments. This can prevent incorrect readings.

#### Display menu

Pressing the display "down" or "up" button again **briefly**, changes to the display menu or directly to the display list. The first menu item appears, e.g. "Display list" (standard data):



The menu item only appears when several menu items exist. Otherwise direct entry is made to the display list.

The next menu item appears for every further **brief** operation of the display "down" button, e.g. "Data profile", "Event log", etc. The first menu item appears again after the last item.

The preceding menu item is displayed again by **briefly** pressing the display "up" button.

Both display ("down" and "up") buttons must be pressed **simultaneously** to return to the operating display from any display menu.

**Value display**

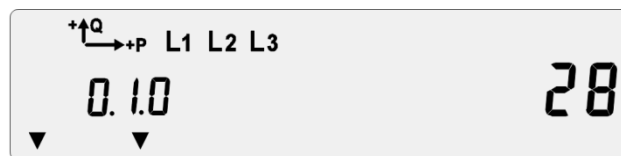
The first value of the list associated with the present menu is displayed by pressing the display "down" or "up" button for **longer** (at least 2 seconds), and is normally the error message:



The next list value appears for every further **brief** operation of the display "down" button. **Brief** operation of the "up" button again displays the preceding value. The sequence of values in the list is determined by the parameterisation.

A rapid run is started by holding down the display "down" or "up" button for **longer** (at least 2 seconds). The main values of the list are then displayed while the button remains pressed, but no stored values.

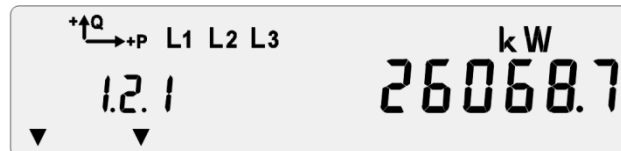
Examples of values in a display list:



Reset counter



Date of resetting stored value 03 (March)



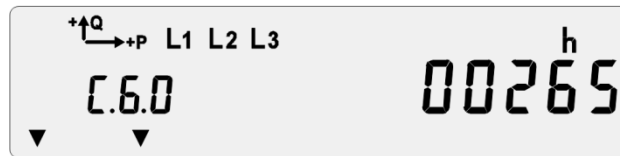
Cumulated maximum demand active power rate 1



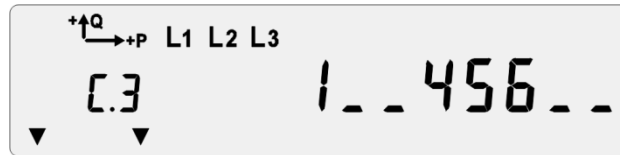
Active energy present status rate 1



Reactive energy present status rate 1



Battery hours counter



Status of signals at control terminals

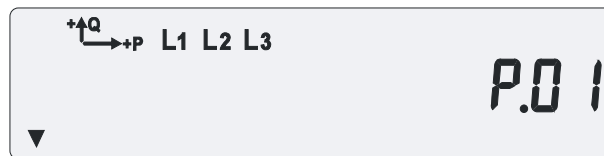


Number of total voltage failures

To return to the menu level from the list at the end of the display list, press the display "down" or "up" button for longer (at least 2 seconds).

**Load profile 1**

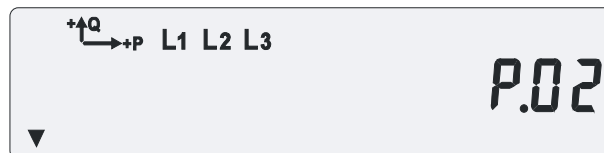
The load profile 1 menu item for selection in the display menu (denoted P.01) is shown as follows:



The first value of the load profile 1 is displayed by pressing the display "down" or "up" button for **longer** (at least 2 seconds).

**Load profile 2**

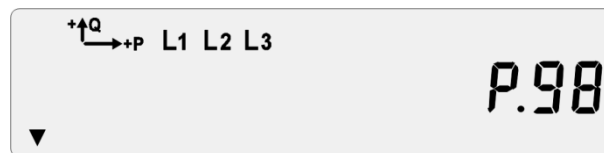
The load profile 2 menu item for selection in the display menu (denoted P.02) is shown as follows:



The first value of the load profile 2 is displayed by pressing the display "down" or "up" button for **longer** (at least 2 seconds).

**Event log**

The event log menu item for selection in the display menu (denoted P.98) is shown as follows:



The first entry in the event log is displayed by pressing the display "down" or "up" button for **longer** (at least 2 seconds).

### 5.4.3 Service menu

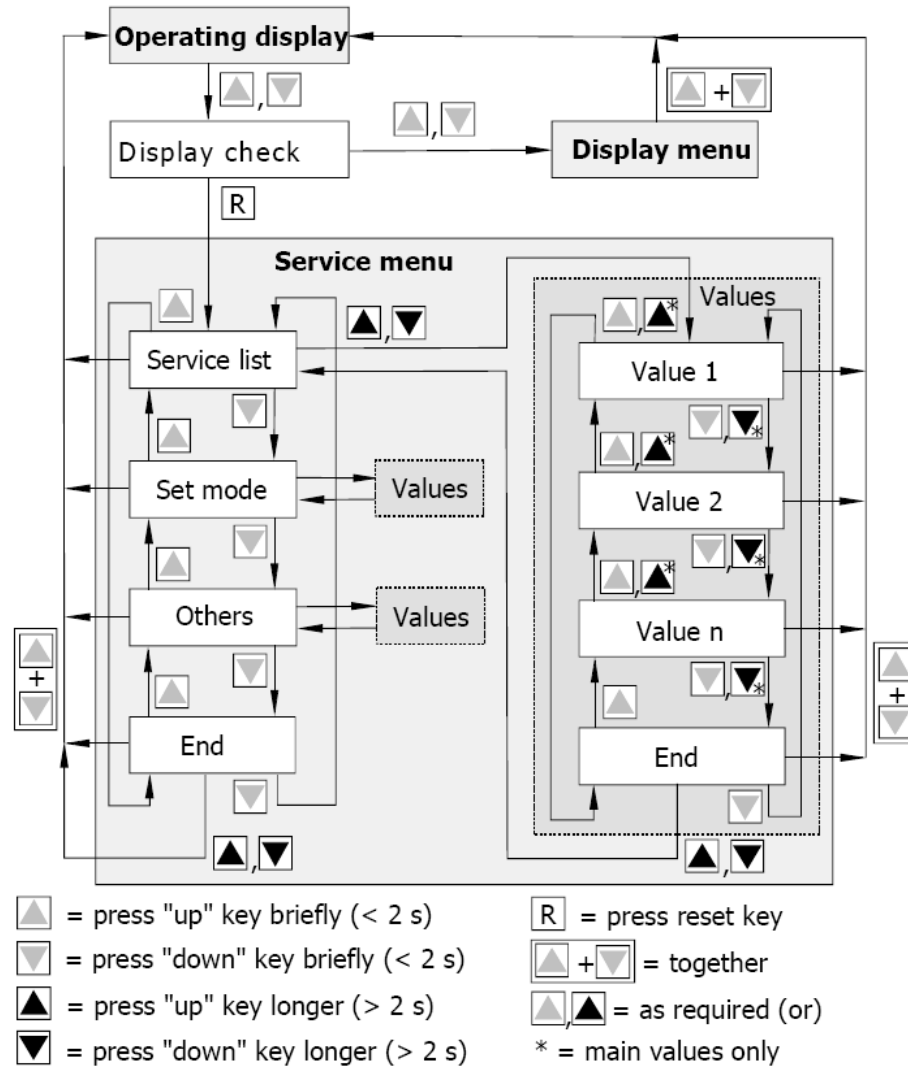
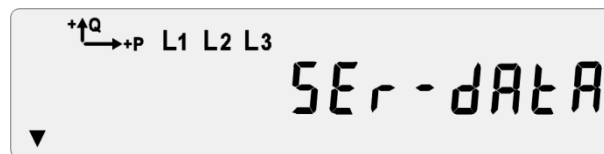


Figure 57. Service menu overview

#### Service menu

Pressing the reset button during the display check changes the display to the service menu or directly to the service list. The first menu item appears, e.g. the service list:



The menu item only appears if there are several items present. Otherwise pressing the reset button directly leads to the values of the service list.

The next menu item appears for every further **brief** operation of the display "down" button, e.g. "Set mode", "Test mode on/off", etc. The first item appears again following the last menu item "End".

The preceding menu item appears again by pressing the "up" button **briefly**.

Both display ("down" and "up") buttons must be pressed **simultaneously** to return to the operating display from the service menu.

#### Value display

The first value of the list associated with the present menu is displayed by pressing the display "down" or "up" button for **longer** (at least 2 seconds).

The next list value appears for every further **brief** operation of the display "down" button. **Brief** operation of the "up" button again displays the preceding value. The sequence of values in the list is determined by the parameterisation.

A rapid run is started by holding down the display "down" or "up" button (at least 2 seconds). The main values of the list are then displayed while the button remains pressed, but no stored values.

To return to the menu level from the list at the end of the display list press the display "down" or "up" button for **longer** (at least 2 seconds).

Both display ("down" and "up") buttons must be pressed **simultaneously** to return to the operating display from the list.

**Set mode**

Values can be changed in the set mode with the aid of the reset button and display buttons (for setting time and date, identification numbers, battery hours counter, etc.). The procedure is described in section 5.9 "Set time and date, ID numbers, battery time".

**5.5 Alarm LED**

The red alarm LED (optional) on the main faceplate indicates that certain event(s) have occurred. Which event(s) trigger the alarm LED can be set by parameterisation.

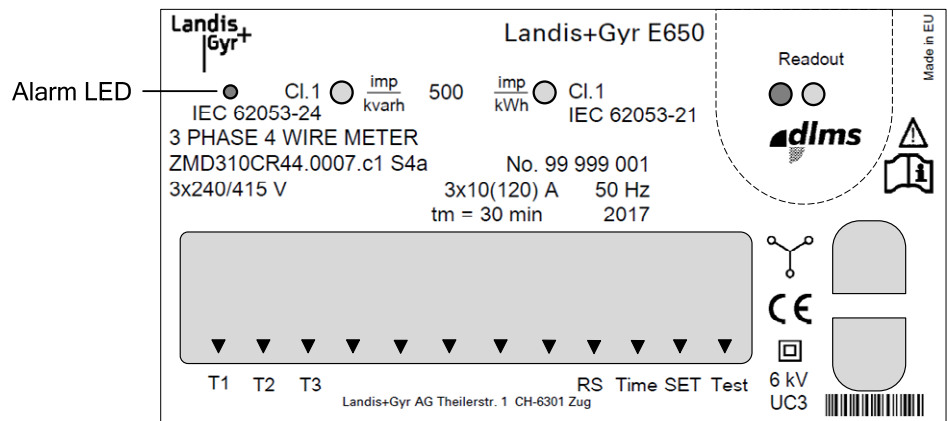


Figure 58. Alarm LED

**5.6 Optical pulse (test) output**

The optical pulse (test) outputs – one for active energy in all meters and a second for reactive energy in combimeters – are fitted in the main faceplate above the liquid crystal display.

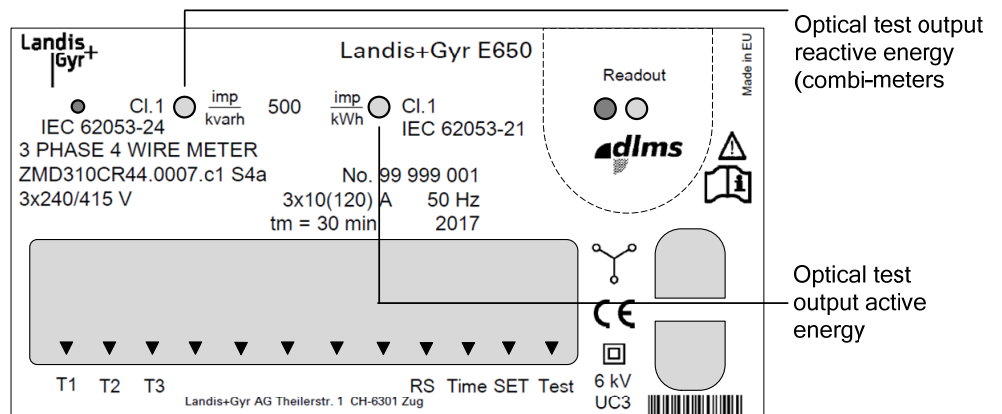


Figure 59. Optical pulse (test) outputs

The optical pulse (test) outputs are used for testing the meter (also see section 7.1 "Meter testing"). They transmit visible red pulses corresponding to the current measured values (active and reactive energy).

## 5.7 Data readout

The energy supply company can record the data stored locally in the meter at any time in two ways:

- Reading the liquid crystal display of the meter. The displayed data is defined by parameterisation.
- Automatic data readout via the optical interface with a readout device (e.g. laptop).



### Readout data

For readout to IEC 62056-21, all data determined by the parameterisation are read out in the specified sequence.

For readout according to DLMS (Device Language Message Specification), the data requested by the readout unit are read out.

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If the meter is fitted with the appropriate communication device, remote readout of the meter data is also possible.

### Procedure for data readout via optical interface

1. Start the readout device (according to the details in the associated operating instructions).
2. Connect the cable of the reading head to the readout device.
3. Place the reading head in the "Readout" indentation on the plastic viewing window of the meter. The reading head cable must point towards the terminal cover (when mounted vertically downwards). The reading head is held magnetically.
4. Start the data readout on the readout device (according to the details in the associated operating instructions).
5. Remove the reading head from the meter again after completing the readout.

### 5.7.1 Readout to IEC 62056-21

The data read out according to IEC 62056-21 are recorded in the form of the example shown below. The quantity and sequence of values in the log is determined by parameterisation.

Log example	Significance	
/LGZ4\2ZMD3104100	Designation of meter (reply on transmit request)	
F.F (00000000)	Error message	
0.0.1 (417242)	1st identification number	
0.1.0 (28)	Number of resets	
0.1.2.04 (98-05-01 00:00)	Time of last reset	
1.2.1 (26068.7*kW)	P <sub>max</sub> cumulated	Rate 1
1.2.2 (15534.8*kW)	P <sub>max</sub> cumulated	Rate 2
1.6.1 (192.4*kW)(00-05-06 10:45)	P <sub>max</sub> present	Rate 1
1.6.1*04 (202.4)(00-04-22 09:30)	with April stored value <sup>1)</sup>	Rate 1
1.6.2 (086.7*kW)(00-05-04 22:30)	P <sub>max</sub> present	Rate 2
1.6.2*04 (100.9)(00-04-14 23:00)	with April stored value <sup>1)</sup>	Rate 2
1.8.1 (0244948*kWh)	Active energy (import)	Rate 1
1.8.1*04 (0234520)	with April stored value <sup>1)</sup>	Rate 1
1.8.2 (0082520*kWh)	Active energy (import)	Rate 2
1.8.2*04 (0078197)	with April stored value <sup>1)</sup>	Rate 2
5.8.1 (0106103*kvarh)	Reactive energy (inductive)	Rate 1
5.8.1*04 (0100734)	with April stored value <sup>1)</sup>	Rate 1
5.8.2 (0039591*kvarh)	Reactive energy (inductive)	Rate 2
5.8.2*04 (0036152)	with April stored value <sup>1)</sup>	Rate 2
1.8.0 (0327468*kWh)	Total active energy	
5.8.0 (0145694*kvarh)	Total reactive energy (inductive)	
8.8.0 (0001452*kvarh)	Total reactive energy (capacitive)	
0.9.1 (14:18:06)	Time-of-day of readout	
0.9.2 (00-05-20)	Date of readout	
C.7.0 (00087)	No. of voltage failures of all phases	
C.72.0 (00157)	Number of under-voltages	
C.73.0 (00000)	Number of over-voltages	
C.74.0 (00306)	Number of over-loads (over-current)	
C.3.0 (500)	Active pulse constant	
C.3.1 (500)	Reactive pulse constant	
C.2.1 (00-03-26)	Date of last parameterisation	
!	End of log	

<sup>1)</sup> If the sequence is parameterised as a month.

**Notes**

By parameterisation, the energy supply company can select between a standard identification and its own identification. The standard identification has the following structure:

/LGZ...	Manufacturer	(Landis+Gyr)
/LGZ 4...	Transmission rate 4 = 4800 bps	
/LGZ4 \2...	Extended communication possibility 2 = DLMS-compatible meter	
/LGZ4\2 ZMD310...	Meter	Type of measuring unit
/LGZ4\2ZMD310 41...		Basic version tariff section
/LGZ4\2ZMD31041 00...		Additional functions (auxiliary power supply)
/LGZ4\2ZMD3104100 .B40		Firmware version
Stored values	The hyphen following the identification number and the rate (1.6.1) denotes the type of resetting:	
e.g. 1.6.1*04	*04	Resetting made internally or remote controlled
e.g. 1.6.1&04	&04	Resetting performed manually

The identification by the energy supply company itself uses an identification number. ID1.1 (designation of ownership by the energy supply company), ID1.2 (any desired number) or ID2.1 (serial number) are available. The identification is comprised as follows in this case:

/LGZ...	Manufacturer	(Landis+Gyr)
/LGZ 4...	Transmission rate 4 = 4800 bps	
/LGZ4 \2...	Extended communication possibility 2 = DLMS-compatible meter	
/LGZ4\2 \B40...	Meter	Firmware version
/LGZ4\2\B40 12345678		Identification number specified by parameterisation (maximum 8 characters)



## 5.7.2 Readout to DLMS

While the readout according to IEC 62056-21 uses a predefined protocol, readout to DLMS enables the power supply company to read out values individually. The company therefore has systematic access to specific values without being influenced by other values that are not required.

### DLMS specification

Various meter manufacturers – including Landis+Gyr – together with related organisations, have compiled the language specification DLMS (Device Language Message Specification).

### Objective

The objective of DLMS is to use a common language for data exchange in energy measurement and other sectors. In addition to end units such as meters, tariff units, etc. DLMS also defines the interfaces, transmission channels and system software.

### Principle

DLMS delivery oriented protocol can be compared to sending a letter: the sender writes the address of the recipient on the letter and hands it to the post office for transport. The way in which the postal department transports the letter is of no consequence to the sender and receiver. The only important thing is that the address of the recipient is clearly shown and that the letter is received, read and it can be seen from whom the letter originates.

Units with DLMS operate in a similar way. They provide the values – termed objects – required by the receiver (e.g. control centre) and pass them via interface to the transport medium (channel). How the values reach the recipient is again immaterial for both parties.

### DLMS items

DLMS is an object-oriented language. The DLMS objects

- have a unique name in the form of the EDIS identification number
- contain the value in an exactly defined form and
- are configured in a similarly exactly defined format.

Examples are number of resets with date and time, cumulative maxima, rolling mean values, maxima, energy status, associated stored values, etc.

The sender feeds these objects to a transport medium, e.g. the telephone network. This transmits them to the receiver, so that the objects are received in the same form as supplied by the sender.

## 5.8 Input of formatted commands

The following operating data or meter characteristics can be modified by the input of formatted commands. The user of formatted commands, however, must have the necessary access authorisation according to the security system.

The following commands can be used both according to IEC 62056-21 and also with DLMS:

- Set time/date
- Set identification numbers for the energy supply company and for the manufacturer (by line).
- Reset
- Neutralise reset inputs KA/KB
- Set/reset counter
- Control tariff rates via interface
- Set/reset energy registers
- Set/reset total energy registers
- Set/reset demand maximum registers
- Set/reset power factor registers
- Reset stored values
- Reset battery hours counter
- Reset voltage failures registers
- Switch on/off increased resolution (test mode) of energy registers
- Define by additional parameters whether the optical pulse (test) output for active energy in test mode supplies active or reactive energy pulses
- Delete error messages
- Change passwords P1, P2 and W5
- Reset load profile 1 / load profile 2
- Reset event log
- Reset dedicated event log groups

The following commands can only be executed with DLMS:

- Reset event register
  - Under- and over-voltages
  - Demand messages
  - Current messages
  - Power factor messages
- Set thresholds for messages

Formatted commands are transferred to the meter with a suitable device via the optical or serial interface.

## 5.9 Set time and date, ID numbers, battery time

The following values can be changed at any time from the service menu (set mode):

- Date and time
- Identification numbers
- Operating time of battery

Below is an example on how to set the date and time.

			Operating display	
1.		All segments of the display are lit		Display check
2.		Enter service menu		Set mode
3.		Enter set mode		Identification number
4.		Select required setting		Date, old value
5.		Select digit to be changed		Digit flashes
6.		Change digit value		Digit flashes
7.		Select digit to be changed		Next digit flashes
8.		Repeat steps 5 – 7 for all digits to be changed.		All digits flash
9.		Confirm new setting		Date, new value
10.		Repeat steps 4 – 9 for all settings to be changed.		
11.		Advance display until <b>End</b>		End of set mode
12.		Back to service menu		Service menu
13.		Advance display until <b>End</b>		End of service menu
14.		Back to operating display		Operating display
15.		Close and re-seal the front door.		

## 6 Service

This section describes the necessary servicing work after the appearance of operating faults or error messages.

### 6.1 Operating faults

If the liquid crystal display is illegible or the data readout does not function, the following points should first be checked:

1. Is the network voltage present (supply fuses intact and test terminals closed)?
2. Is the maximum permissible ambient temperature exceeded?
3. Is the plastic viewing window over the faceplate clean (not scratched, painted over, misted over or soiled in any way)?



#### Danger of short-circuits

Never clean soiled meters under running water or with high pressure devices. Water penetration can cause short-circuits. If the meter is heavily soiled, it should be uninstalled, if necessary, and sent to an authorised service and repair centre, so that a new plastic viewing window can be fitted.

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If none of the points listed is the cause of the fault, the meter should be disconnected, removed and sent to the responsible service and repair centre (according to section 6.3 "Repairing meters").

### 6.2 Error messages

The meters regularly perform an internal self-test. This checks the correct function of all important parts.

In case of a serious error detected (fatal or critical error according to classification in the following degrees of severity), the meters displays an error code. This error code appears as an eight-digit number together with "F.F" or "FF" in the display (error code F.F 00000000 = no error).

#### Classification of degree of severity

The degree of severity of an error occurring is assessed as follows:

A **fatal error** indicates a severe problem, which prevents the meter maintaining measuring operation, e.g. a defective hardware component. The meter stops its operation and the error code is displayed permanently. The meter must be exchanged.

A **critical error** indicates a severe problem, but with which the meter continues to function and measurement is still possible. The data are stored in the memory and suitably marked in case of doubt. After a critical error, the error code is displayed until acknowledged with the display button or until the error register is reset, e.g. via the electrical interface. Depending on the type of the error this can cyclically occur again, since with the acknowledgement the error cause is usually not repaired. The meter must in this case be exchanged as soon as possible.

**Non-critical errors** can influence the meter functions (temporarily or permanently). These errors are recorded in the error register. The meter remains serviceable and normally needs not to be exchanged.

#### Deleting error messages

If nothing else is specified in the following description of the error groups, the error messages can only be deleted with formatted commands (see section 5.8 "Input of formatted commands"). If the error occurs again, the

meter should be removed and sent to the responsible service and repair centre (according to section 6.3 "Repairing meters").

### 6.2.1 Structure of an error message

An error message has the following form:



Figure 60. Error message on E650 meters

All E650 meters use the same format for error messages. It consists of four groups of 2 digits each, whereby the groups have the following significance:

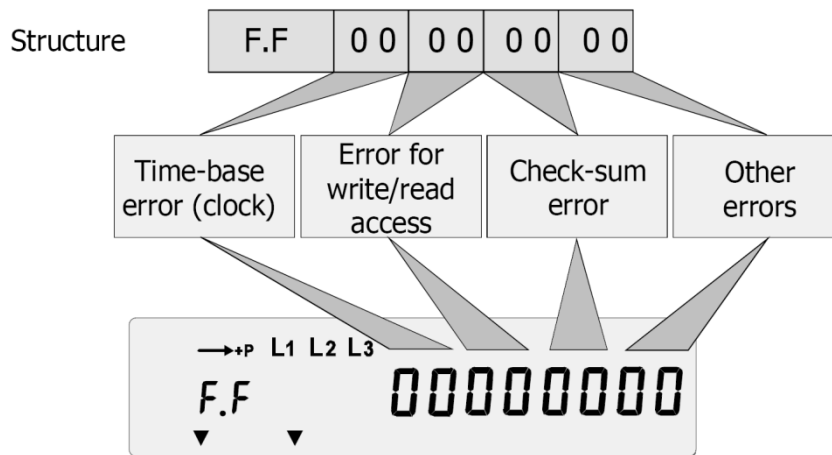


Figure 61. Significance of error message

Each group has two digits written in hexadecimal notation and can therefore have the values 0 to 9 and letters A to F. Both digits each form the sum of the individual values of 4 possible types of error as shown in the following diagrams.

### 6.2.2 Error groups

#### Time-base errors (clock)

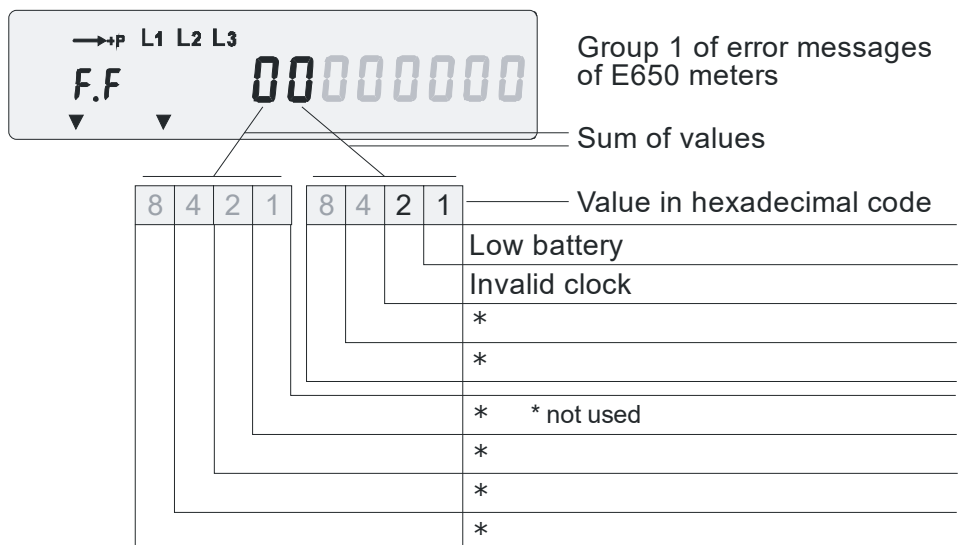


Figure 62. Group 1 of error messages

The first digit in the first group has no significance, since no error messages are assigned to it.

The second digit can have values between 0 (no error message) and 3 (both error messages set). Significance:

F.F 01 00 00 00

**Low battery** (non-critical error)

The battery is missing or discharged. If there is no mains voltage at the meter and the internal supercapacitor is discharged (after about 3 weeks) then the calendar clock will stop.

The error is deleted automatically when the battery voltage has again reached a sufficient value (e.g. after inserting a new battery as described in section 7.2 "Changing the battery").

This error message only appears if the meter is parameterised as "fitted with battery". Otherwise there is no check of the battery condition.

The same applies to messages where the bit is set:

F.F 03 .. .. .

F.F 02 00 00 00

**Invalid clock** (non-critical error)

The meter has found that the calendar clock has stopped at some time, e.g. due to insufficient power reserve (battery low). The clock is running, but shows the wrong time and/or date.

The error is deleted automatically when the time and date have been set correctly by the relevant formatted command or manually in the set mode (see section 5.8 "Input of formatted commands") or section 5.9 "Set time and date, ID numbers, battery time"). If necessary, replace the battery.

The same applies to messages where the bit is set:

F.F 03 .. .. .

**Errors for write/read access**

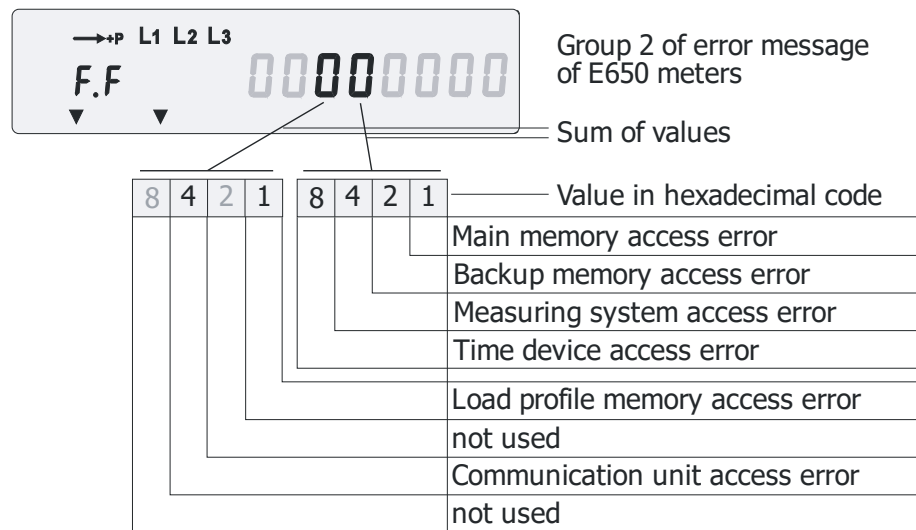


Figure 63. Group 2 of error messages

In the second group both digits can have values between 0 (no error message) and F (all four error messages set). Significance:

- F.F 00 **x1** 00 00      **Main memory access error** (fatal error)
- This error message appears if the main memory could not be accessed several times during the start-up of the meter.
- The meter may contain incorrect data and must be exchanged.**
- The same applies to messages where the bit is set:  
F.F .. x3/x5/x7/x9/xB/xD/xF .. ..
- F.F 00 **x2** 00 00      **Backup memory access error** (non-critical error)
- This error message appears if the backup memory could not be accessed several times.
- The meter may contain incorrect data and must be exchanged.**
- The same applies to messages where the bit is set:  
F.F .. x3/x6/x7/xA/xB/xE/xF .. ..
- F.F 00 **x4** 00 00      **Measuring system access error** (non-critical error)
- This error message appears in case of repeated failures when accessing the measuring system, possibly because of a completely discharged supercapacitor, which causes an incorrect start-up behaviour.
- Power-up meter and wait for a short time, then clear error via communication.** If the error does not reoccur, it is recommended to equip the meter with a battery. If the error reoccurs, replace the meter.
- The same applies to messages where the bit is set:  
F.F .. x5/x6/x7/xC/xD/xE/xF .. ..
- F.F 00 **x8** 00 00      **Time device access error** (non-critical error)
- The meter sets this message in the event of repeated failures when accessing the time device. The calendar clock may display an invalid time or date.
- The error can be reset via communication.** If it occurs repeatedly, the meter must be exchanged.
- The same applies to messages where the bit is set:  
F.F .. x9/xA/xB/xC/xD/xE/xF .. ..
- F.F 00 **1x** 00 00      **Load profile memory access error** (critical error)
- This error message appears in case of repeated failures when accessing the load profile memory.
- Load profile data will be marked in the status code (bit 2 "corrupted measurement" and bit 0 "critical error" set).
- It may not be possible to access the load profile memory. The memory may contain incorrect data. **The meter must be exchanged.**
- The same applies to messages where the bit is set: F.F .. 5x .. ..
- F.F 00 **4x** 00 00      **Communication unit access error** (non-critical error)
- The meter sets this message in the event of repeated failures to access the communication unit. Communication fails or is slow.
- The error can be reset via communication.** If it reoccurs, replace first the communication unit, check the function again. If the error still occurs, the meter must be exchanged.
- The same applies to messages where the bit is set: F.F .. 5x .. ..

**Checksum errors**

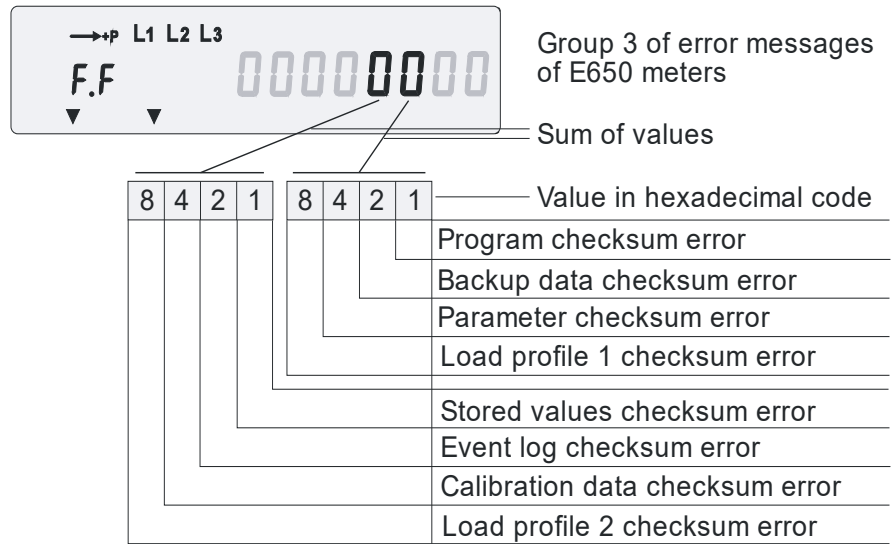


Figure 64. Group 3 of error messages

The first digit in the third group can have the value 0 (no error message) or 1 (error message set).

The second digit can have values between 0 (no error message) and F (all four error messages set). Significance:

F.F 00 00 **x1** 00

**Program checksum error** (fatal error)

**The meter does not operate and must be exchanged.**

The same applies to messages where the bit is set:

F.F ... x3/x5/x7/x9/xB/xD/xF ..

F.F 00 00 **x2** 00

**Backup data checksum error** (critical error)

This error message appears when the backup data checksum test fails.

Load profile data will be marked in the status code (bit 2 "corrupted measurement" and bit 0 "critical error" set). **The meter may contain incorrect data and must be exchanged.**

The same applies to messages where the bit is set:

F.F ... x3/x6/x7/xA/xB/xE/xF ..

F.F 00 00 **x4** 00

**Parameter checksum error** (critical error)

This error message appears when the parameter checksum test fails.

Load profile data will be marked in the status code ("bit 0 "critical error" set). **The meter may contain incorrect data and must be exchanged.**

The same applies to messages where the bit is set:

F.F ... x5/x6/x7/xC/xD/xE/xF ..

F.F 00 00 **x8** 00

**Load profile 1 checksum error** (non-critical error)

Load profile 1 data of the defective memory area will be marked in the status code (bit 2 "corrupted measurement" set).

**The error can be reset via communication.** Reset the load profile first and then the error. If it occurs repeatedly, the meter must be replaced as soon as possible.

The same applies to messages where the bit is set:

F.F ... x9/xA/xB/xC/xD/xE/xF ..



F.F 00 00 1x 00

**Stored values checksum error (critical error)**

Data in the defective memory area will be marked in the status code (bit 0 "critical error" set).

**The error can be reset via communication.** If it occurs repeatedly, the meter must be replaced as soon as possible.

The same applies to messages where the bit is set:

F.F .. .. 3x/5x/7x/9x/Bx/Dx/Fx ..

F.F 00 00 2x 00

**Event log checksum error (non-critical error)**

Data in the defective memory area will be marked in the status code (bit 0 set).

**The error can be reset via communication.** If it occurs repeatedly, the meter must be replaced as soon as possible.

The same applies to messages where the bit is set:

F.F .. .. 3x/6x/7x/Ax/Bx/Ex/Fx ..

F.F 00 00 4x 00

**Calibration data checksum error (critical error)**

Data in the defective memory area will be marked in the status code (bit 0 "critical error" set).

**The meter must be replaced as soon as possible.**

The same applies to messages where the bit is set:

F.F .. .. 5x/6x/7x/Cx/Dx/Ex/Fx ..

F.F 00 00 8x 00

**Load profile 2 checksum error (non-critical error)**

Load profile 2 data of the defective memory area will be marked in the status code.

**The error can be reset via communication.** Reset the load profile first and then the error. If it occurs repeatedly, the meter must be replaced as soon as possible.

The same applies to messages where the bit is set:

F.F .. .. 9x/Ax/Bx/Cx/Dx/Ex/Fx ..

**Other errors**

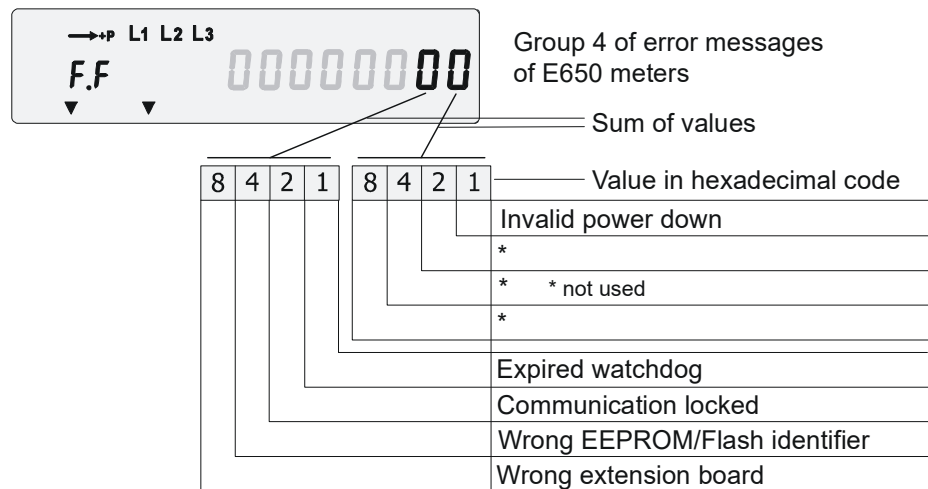


Figure 65. Group 4 of error messages

The first digit in the fourth group can have the values 0 to F.

The second digit can have values between 0 (no error message) and 1 (Invalid power down). Significance:

F.F 00 00 00 <b>x1</b>	<p><b>Invalid power down</b> (non-critical error)</p> <p>The meter has detected that the last data storage was not performed correctly. The meter may contain incorrect data or may have lost data since the last storage, i.e. for 24 hours maximum.</p> <p><b>The error can be reset via communication.</b> If it occurs repeatedly, contact Landis+Gyr Customer Services.</p>
F.F 00 00 00 <b>1x</b>	<p><b>Expired watchdog</b> (non-critical error)</p> <p>The microprocessor was restarted due to a disturbance (e.g. lightning). The meter may lose all data recorded since the last storage, i.e. for 24 hours maximum.</p> <p><b>The error can be reset via communication.</b> If it occurs repeatedly, contact Landis+Gyr Customer Services.</p> <p>The same applies to messages where the bit is set: F.F ... .. 3x/5x/7x/9x/Bx/Dx/Fx</p>
F.F 00 00 00 <b>2x</b>	<p><b>Communication locked</b> (non-critical error)</p> <p>This error indicates access attempts via the communication interface with wrong passwords.</p> <p><b>The error is automatically deleted</b> after the inhibition time or at midnight.</p> <p>The same applies to messages where the bit is set: F.F ... .. 3x/6x/7x/Ax/Bx/Ex/Fx</p>
F.F 00 00 00 <b>4x</b>	<p><b>Wrong EEPROM/Flash</b> (fatal error)</p> <p>Incorrect EEPROM/ Flash memory is installed in meter.</p> <p><b>The meter does not operate and must be exchanged.</b></p> <p>The same applies to messages where the bit is set: F.F ... .. 5x/6x/7x/Cx/Dx/Ex/Fx</p>
F.F 00 00 00 <b>8x</b>	<p><b>Wrong extension board</b> (non-critical error)</p> <p>Identification of extension board differs from that parameterised in the meter.</p> <p>The meter might not have the required functions such as data profile, control inputs or output signals. <b>The meter has to be exchanged.</b></p> <p>The same applies to messages where the bit is set: F.F ... .. 9x/Ax/Bx/Cx/Dx/Ex/Fx</p>

### 6.3 Repairing meters

Meters must only be repaired by the responsible service and repair centre (or manufacturer).

The following procedure should be adopted if a meter repair is necessary:

1. If the meter is installed, remove the meter as described in section 4.6 "Uninstallation" and fit a substitute meter.
2. Describe the error found as exactly as possible and state the name and telephone number of the person responsible in case of inquiries.
3. Pack the meter to ensure it can suffer no further damage during transport. Preferably use the original packing if available. Do not enclose any loose components.
4. Send the meter to the responsible service and repair centre.

## 7 Maintenance

This section describes the necessary maintenance work.

### 7.1 Meter testing

Meter tests should be performed at periodic intervals according to the valid national regulations (either on all meters or on specific random samples). In principle, the meters should be uninstalled for this purpose according to the instructions in section 4.6 "Uninstallation" and replaced by a substitute meter. The meter test can also be performed on the spot in certain circumstances.

#### 7.1.1 Test mode

The test mode permits increasing the resolution of the energy registers by 1 to 5 digits. This allows the energy supply company to carry out the so called measuring unit test in a reasonably short time.

In test mode, the same registers shown as a rolling list in the operating display are always displayed, but with high resolution and not rolling.

The energy registers comprise a total of 12 digits. A maximum of 8 digits, however, is shown on the display. The effective number of digits shown and the number of decimal places are determined by the parameterisation. For the test mode, more decimal places are normally parameterised (maximum 5) to permit a quicker test of the transmission to the energy registers.

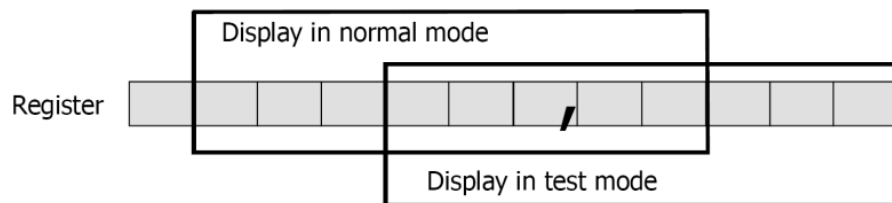


Figure 66. Display changeover normal mode – test mode

Changeover from normal to test mode and back is made by formatted commands (see section 5.8 "Input of formatted commands") or manually in the service menu.

In test mode, the optical pulse (test) output for active energy can also provide reactive energy pulses depending on the parameterisation. Reactive energy pulses are supplied to this pulse (test) output if the register shown on the display represents a reactive energy register. Active energy pulses are supplied for all other measured values shown as in normal operating mode. Formatted commands can also be used to define whether the optical pulse (test) output for active energy in test mode should supply active or reactive energy pulses, independent of the type of register shown on the display. This permits changeover without manual intervention.

## 7.1.2 Measuring times

For technical reasons, greater measuring deviations can occur during short-term measurements. It is therefore recommended to use sufficiently long measuring times in order to achieve the required accuracy.

Table of measuring times required at the optical pulse (test) output:

### ZMD300xR

$U_n = 230 \text{ V}$   
 $I_b = 5 \text{ A}$

Current [% $I_b$ ]	Measuring uncertainty 0.1 %		
	3 P $\cos\varphi=1$	1 P 1	3 P 0,5
5	40 s	40 s	90 s
10	20 s	20 s	40 s
20	10 s	10 s	20 s
50	8 s	8 s	10 s
100	6 s	6 s	8 s
1000	6 s	6 s	6 s
2000	6 s	6 s	6 s
2400	6 s	6 s	6 s

3 P = universal

1 P = single-phase

## 7.1.3 Optical pulse (test) output

The red optical pulse (test) outputs on the meter above the LCD should be used for meter testing. These supply pulses at a frequency dependent on the pulse constant R, whereby the rising edge is always decisive for the test.

Note that the digital signal processing provides a delay of 2 seconds between the instantaneous power at the meter and the appearance of the pulses at the optical pulse (test) outputs. No pulses are lost.

The number of pulses per second for the desired power is obtained by multiplying the pulse constant R by the power in kW divided by 3600.

Example: Pulse constant R = 1000

Power P = 35 kW

$f \text{ pulse output} = R \times P / 3600 = 1000 \times 35 / 3600 = 10 \text{ imp/s}$

The optical pulse (test) outputs are continuously lit at no-load.

### Test mode

The test mode enables you to select which measuring value (active, reactive) is shown on the optical pulse (test) output.

In the display, values for active, reactive and apparent energy are available. Depending on parameter setting, the resolution of the display register can be increased for faster testing. In the test mode, the resolution is increased by one decimal point compared with the normal mode. A maximum of 5 decimal points is possible.

			Operating display	
1.		All segments of the display are lit		Display check
2.		Enter service menu		Set mode
3.		Select test mode		Test mode
4.		Enter test mode		First value
5.		Select required value		Value x
6.		Repeat step 3 for all values to be tested		
7.		Exit test mode		Operating display



### Examples

First value and value x are examples. The real values are defined in the parameter settings and are the same as the operating display.

The measured values are displayed at the optical pulse (test) outputs as shown in the following table:

Mode	Register on Display	Pulse (test) output reactive	Pulse (test) output active
Normal mode	Some sort of register	R	A
Test mode	Reactive energy register	A	R
	Active energy register or one of not mentioned registers in this table.	R	A

### 7.1.4 No-load test

A test voltage  $U_p$  of  $1.15 U_n$  is used for the no-load test (creep test) to IEC 62053-21 (e.g.  $U_p = 265 \text{ V}$  with  $U_n = 230 \text{ V}$ ).

#### Procedure:

1. Disconnect the meter from the network for at least 10 seconds.
2. Then switch on the test voltage  $U_p$  and wait approx. 10 seconds. After this time the energy direction arrows must disappear. The red optical pulse (test) outputs are permanently "lit".
3. Switch on test mode (high resolution).  
The meter must not deliver more than one pulse during the no-load test. Check the energy levels for changes in test mode. They must not increase by more than the value of one pulse (see faceplate).

### 7.1.5 Starting test active part

**Procedure:**

1. Apply a load current of 0.1% of the base current  $I_b$  (IEC-meters) or 0.1% of the reference current  $I_{ref}$  (MID meters) – e.g. 5 mA with  $I_b = I_{ref} = 5$  A – and the voltage  $U_n$  (three-phase in each case) and  **$\cos\phi = 1$** . The meter must remain in no-load.
2. Increase the load current to 0.4%  $I_b$  (IEC meters) or 0.4%  $I_{ref}$  (MID-meters) – e.g. 20 mA with  $I_b = I_{ref} = 5$  A. The energy direction arrow "P" must appear within 10 seconds. The optical pulse (test) output for active energy consumption is no longer permanently "lit".

### 7.1.6 Starting test reactive part

**Procedure:**

1. Apply a load current of 0.1% of the basic current  $I_b$  (e.g. 5 mA with  $I_b = 5$  A) and the voltage  $U_n$  (three-phase in each case) and  **$\sin\phi = 1$** . The meter must remain in no-load.
2. Increase the load current to 0.4%  $I_b$  (i.e. 20 mA with  $I_b = 5$  A). The energy direction arrow "Q" must appear within 10 seconds. The optical pulse (test) output for active energy consumption is no longer permanently "lit".

## 7.2 Changing the battery

If the meter is provided with a battery, this must be changed if one of the following events occurs:

- The **BAT LOW** symbol appears on the display.
- The battery has been in the meter for more than 10 years (preventive servicing). It is recommended to note the date of insertion on the battery. The 10 years depend on the product and on the age of the battery when inserting it into the meter.
- The battery operating hours counter indicates over 80,000 hours (can be read under code C.6.0 in service mode).
- The battery charge indicates less than 4.8 V (can be read under code C.6.1 in service mode).



**Meters with or without battery**

Only meters parameterised as "fitted with battery" have the **BAT LOW** symbol and the battery operating hours counter.

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**Dangerous voltage on contacts in the battery compartment**

The contacts in the battery compartment may have mains voltage applied (F circuit). Therefore only remove the battery with the existing battery holder and insert the new battery only with the battery holder. Ensure that the contacts are never touched.

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**Replacement battery**

As a replacement, use only a lithium battery with a rated voltage of 6 V and the same construction as the original battery.

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**Procedure:**

1. Remove the front door seal.
2. Open the front door.  
The battery compartment is on the left below the liquid crystal display.

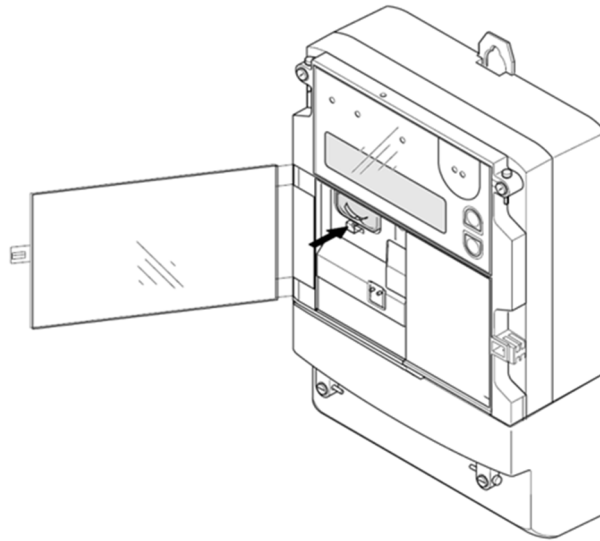


Figure 67. Battery compartment

3. Press on the latch of the plastic battery holder until it releases and then withdraw the battery holder with the old battery.

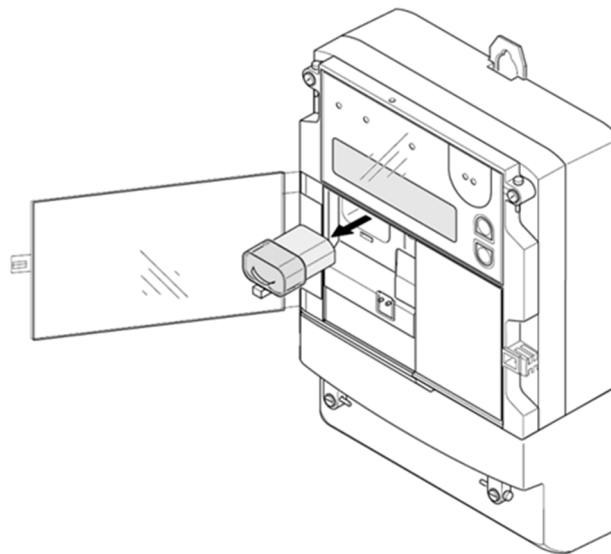


Figure 68. Removing the battery

4. Mark the current date on the new battery.
5. Withdraw the old battery from the holder and insert the new battery.
6. Push the battery holder with battery into the battery compartment until the latch engages.

Reset the battery hours counter to zero with the relevant formatted command (see section 5.8 "Input of formatted commands") or in the set mode (see section 5.9 "Set time and date, ID numbers, battery time").

7. Close the front door.
8. Re-seal the front door.

- Dispose of old batteries as hazardous waste in accordance with local regulations.

**Checking time-of-day and date**

After inserting the battery, check the time-of-day and date without power applied and set these values again, if necessary.

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## 8 Disposal



### Electronic waste treatment

This product must not be disposed of in regular waste. Use a professional electronic waste treatment process.

The components used to manufacture the device can, in the main, be broken down into constituent parts and sent to an appropriate recycling or disposal facility. When the product is removed from use, the whole product must be sent to a professional electronic waste treatment process. The waste treatment and disposal plants must be approved by local regulatory authorities.

The end processing of the product and recycling of its components must always be carried out in accordance with the rules and regulations of the country where the end processing and recycling are done.

On request, Landis+Gyr will provide more information about the environmental impact of the product.



### Disposal and environmental protection regulations

The following are general guidelines and should NOT take priority over local disposal and environmental policies which should be adhered to without compromise.

Components	Disposal
Printed circuit boards, LEDs, LCD display	Delivered to recycling plants
Metal components	Sorted and delivered to metal recycling plants
Plastic components	Sorted and delivered to re-granulation if at all possible
Batteries	Removed from meter and delivered to specialised recycling plants

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# Appendix 1 OBIS code

## Object Identification System

The OBIS code (Object Identification System) is structured as follows:

<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>	Value group
<b>M-</b>	<b>KK:</b>	<b>GG.</b>	<b>AA.</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>W</b>	According to VDEW

### A: Medium [1 ... 9]

Defines the medium used. If only one medium is used it does not have to be specified. The Values represent the following objects:

- 1 Electricity
- 2, 3 Not used
- 4 Heating costs
- 5 Cooling system
- 6 Heating system
- 7 Gas
- 8 Cold water
- 9 Hot water

### B: Channel [1 ... 64]

Defines the channel number, i.e. the number of the input of a metering equipment with several inputs for the measurement of energy of the same or different types (e.g. in data concentrators, registration units). This enables data from different sources to be identified. If only one channel (only one meter) is used, it does not have to be specified.

### C: Measured quantity [1 ... 99]

Defines the abstract or physical data items related to the information source concerned, e.g. active power, reactive power, apparent power,  $\cos\varphi$ , current or voltage.

<b>General data</b>		0			
<b>Active energy</b>	<b>+ (import)</b>	$\Sigma Li$ 1	<b>L1</b> 21	<b>L2</b> 41	<b>L3</b> 61
	<b>- (export)</b>	2	22	42	62
<b>Reactive energy</b>	<b>+</b>	3	23	43	63
	<b>-</b>	4	24	44	64
	<b>QI (quadrant I)</b>	5	25	45	65
	<b>QII</b>	6	26	46	66
	<b>QIII</b>	7	27	47	67
	<b>QIV</b>	8	28	48	68
<b>Apparent energy</b>	<b>+ (import)</b>	9	29	49	69
	<b>- (export)</b>	10	30	50	70
<b>Current</b>		11	31	51	71
<b>Voltage</b>		12	32	52	72
<b>Power factor</b>		13	33	53	73
<b>Frequency</b>		14			
<b>Service data</b>		C			
<b>Error message</b>		F			
<b>Profile data</b>		P			

**D: Measuring type**  
[1 ... 73, F, P]

Defines types, or the result of the processing of physical quantities according to various specific algorithms. The algorithms can deliver energy and demand quantities as well as other physical quantities.

The following list is an excerpt.

<b>Capture period</b>	1	2	3
<b>Cumulated minimum</b>	1	11	21
<b>Cumulated maximum</b>	2	12	22
<b>Minimum</b>	3	13	23
<b>Running average</b>	4	14	24
<b>Last average</b>	5	15	25
<b>Maximum</b>	6	16	26
<b>Instantaneous value</b>	7		
<b>Time integral 1 (energy status)</b>	8		
<b>Time integral 2 (energy consumption)</b>	9		
<b>Time integral 3 (excess consumption)</b>	10		
...			
<b>Test average</b>	55		
<b>Test time integral 4</b>	58		
...			
<b>Error message</b>	F		
<b>Load profile</b>	01		

**E: Tariff**  
[1 ... 9]

Defines the further processing of measurement results to tariff registers, according to the tariffs in use. Total values are marked with '0'. For abstract data or for measurement results for which tariffs are not relevant, this value group can be used for further classification.

**F: Stored value**  
[01 ... 99]

Defines the storage of data according to different billing periods. Where this is not relevant, this value group can be used for further classification.

**Display code**

To simplify the reading of the display code, individual parts of the OBIS code can be omitted. The abstract or physical data C and type of data D must be shown.

**Examples**

- 1.8.0**      1 = all-phase active power in positive direction  
                   8 = cumulative value (meter reading)  
                   0 = total energy (no tariffs)
- 0.9.1**      Local time



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