

TDC-BH-U Intelligent duct humidistat

Features

- Low power energy consumption: < 1W per unit.
- Relays switching for outputs each up to 2(1.2)A.
 Humidity control for humidifying and
- Humidity control for humiditying and dehumidifying.
- Option for fan supported devices.
- Cost saving option with Economy functionality and set point limitations.
- External sensor input for setpoint setback based on outdoor temperature.
- Control for binary humidifiers and dehumidifiers with or without fan support.
- Password protected programmable user and control parameters.
 - Setpoint range limitation.
 - Access control for setpoints and mode change.
 - Access control for clock and time programs.
 - Select display contents.
 - Selectable behavior after return from power failure.
- Temperature display of external input in Celsius or Fahrenheit. Deluxe Version:
- Clock and time schedule functions.
- Blue backlight for LCD.

Applications

- Humidifiers:
 - On / Off type humidifiers
 - On / Off type humidifiers with single speed fan support
- Dehumidifiers:
 - On / Off type dehumidifiers
 - On / Off type dehumidifiers with single speed fan support
 - Combination humidifiers and dehumidifiers without fan support

General Description

The TDC-BH-U is a stand-alone electronic binary humidity stat. The TDC-BH-U features one internal humidity sensor, one external NTC temperature sensor input and two binary outputs (Relays).

A detailed parameterization is possible with the use of a simple configuration routine. The TDC-BH-U can be configured using the standard operation terminal. No special tools or software are required.

Ordering

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Item Name	Item code	Variant	Features
TDC-BH TDC-BH-W04 TDC-BH-W05	40-10 0059 40-10 0059-04 40-10 0059-05	standard humidifying de-humidifying	Binary controller with: 1 Internal humidity input
TDC-BH-D TDC-BH-D-W04 TDC-BH-D-W05	40-10 0060 40-10 0060-04 40-10 0060-05	Deluxe humidifying de-humidifying	1 DO (Relay) for fan (optional)

Accessories

40-20 0001	Flying lead sensor with 2 m cable
40-20 0002	Flying lead duct sensor 12cm immersion depth, 2m cable
40-20 0003	Flying lead duct sensor 20cm immersion depth, 2m cable
40-20 0051	Duct sensor with housing, 12cm immersion depth
40-20 0004	Duct sensor with housing, 20cm immersion depth
40-20 0006	Outdoor sensor
40-50 0031-5	Replacement humidity sensor 5% accuracy
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Subject to alteration



Selection of devices and sensors

External temperature sensors: Use only our approved NTC sensors to achieve maximum accuracy. Recommended is SDB-Tn10-15 as Duct sensor and SOA-Tn10 as outdoor sensor.

Binary auxiliary devices: E.g. humidifiers, de-humidifiers and fans. Do not directly connect devices that exceed 2(1.2)A. Observe startup current on inductive loads!

Technical Specification

Power Supply	Operating Voltage	24 V AC/DC ± 10 %, 5060 Hz	
	Power Consumption	Max. 1.5 VA	
	Electrical Connection	Terminal Connectors, wire 0.342.5 mm ² (AWG 2412)	
	Deluxe type only: Power backup for real time clock	Min 48h if charged for 24h	
Signal Inputs	Humidity Input: (-H Version only) Range Accuracy	Element: Polymer-Based Capacity Sensor 0100 % r.H. 10%90% r.H. ± 5.0 % 010% and 90100% ± 7.0 %	
	Temperature Input Range Accuracy	External NTC (Sxx-Tn10 sensor): -4070 °C (-40158 °F) -400 °C (-4032 °F): 0.5 K 050 °C (32122 °F): 0.2 K 5070 °C (122158 °F): 0.5 K	
Signal Outputs	Digital Switching Outputs Switching type AC Switching power	DO1DO2 Relays, Normally open 2(1.2) A	
Environment	Operation Climatic Conditions Temperature Humidity	To IEC 721-3-3 class 3 K5 0°C50°C (32°F122°F) <95% R.H. non-condensing	
	Transport & Storage Climatic Conditions Temperature Humidity Mechanical Conditions	To IEC 721-3-2 and IEC 721-3-1 class 3 K3 and class 1 K3 -25°C70°C (-13°F158°F) <95% R.H. non-condensing class 2M2	
Standards	CE conform according to EMC Standard 89/336/EEC EMEI Standard 73/23/EEC	EN 61 000-6-1/ EN 61 000-6-3	
	Product standards Automatic electrical controls for household and similar use Special requirement on humidity dependent controls	EN 60 730 -1 EN 60 730 - 2 - 9	
	Degree of Protection	IP52 to EN 60 529	
	Safety Class	III (IEC 60536)	
Housing	Cover, back part Filter material	Polycarbonate PC (UL94 class V-0) PTFE coated 1µm pores	
General	Dimensions (H x W x D): Transmitter case: Probe:	91 x 68 x 47mm (3.7″ x 2.7″ x 1.9″) Ø14 x 77 mm (Ø 0.55 x 3″)	
	weight (including package)	220g	



Dimensions in mm (inch)





Wiring Diagram



Description:

Connections depend on parameter CP10 and CP11! (See page 10)

CP10 = 0

0.20	•		
	\mathbf{Y}_{B1}	Binary output 1: Humidify	024 VAC or 030 VDC
	Y _{B2}	Binary output 2: De-humidify	024 VAC or 030 VDC
	R _T	Temperature input for setback:	NTC 10kΩ @ 25°C (77°F)
CP10 =	1		
	Y _{B1}	Binary output 1: Humidify	024 VAC or 030 VDC
	Y _{B2}	Binary output 2: if CP11 = ON Fan	024 VAC or 030 VDC
	RT	Temperature input for setback:	NTC 10kΩ @ 25°C (77°F)
CP10 =	2		
	\mathbf{Y}_{B1}	Binary output 1: if CP11 = ON: Fan	024 VAC or 030 VDC
	Y _{B2}	Binary output 2: De-humidify	024 VAC or 030 VDC
	RT	Temperature input for setback:	NTC 10kΩ @ 25°C (77°F)



Connection terminals



Terminal-description:

1. Connection for power-supply (24 V AC/DC, $\pm 10\%$). In case of DC, connect the negative power-terminal. Common connection for analog in- and outputs.

2. Connection for power-supply (24 V AC/DC, $\pm 10\%$). In case of DC, connect the positive power-terminal

- 3. Contact "DO 1" Humidify or Fan (Max. 2 (1.2A)
- 4. Contact "DO 1" Humidify or Fan (Max. 2 (1.2A)
- 5. Contact "DO 2" Dehumidify or Fan (Max. 2 (1.2A)
- 6. Contact "DO 2" Dehumidify or Fan (Max. 2 (1.2A)
- 7. Thermistor input "RT" (Thermistor Sxx-Tn10)
- 8. Thermistor input "RT" (Thermistor Sxx-Tn10)

Observe limits on all switched contacts of 2(1.2)A each

Mechanical Design and installation

The unit consists of three parts: (a) The back part, (b) the front part and (c) the probe.

Mounting location

The Duct controller should be installed directly on the duct, in an area where the air stream is well mixed:

- Locate a supply air sensor two or three meters downstream from the nearest fan and coil.
- Mount the return air sensor close to the air inlet but downstream from a return fan if one is present.

Installation

- 1. Drill a hole with a diameter of 16mm(5/8'') in the air duct.
- 2. Connect the wires to be connected to the terminals of the back part according to wiring diagram.
- 3. Insert the probe in the hole; secure the back part to the duct with two -self-tapping screws.
- 4. Connect the cable of the operating unit to the matching connector on the back part.
- 5. Slide the two latches located on the left side of the front part into the hooks at the upper left side of the back part.
- 6. Carefully lower the front part until the interconnector reaches the back part. Continue pressing in a gentle way until the front part is fully connected.
- 7. With a Philips-type screw driver of size #2, carefully tighten the front holding screw to secure the front part to the back part. This screw is located on the front right side of the front part. There is no need to tighten the screw too much.



Display and Operation

The operation terminal uses an LCD display and four operation buttons.

Legend:

- 1. 4-digit display of current value, time, control parameter or set point.
- 2. Unit of displayed value, °C, °F, % or none
- Indication of active binary stage, running down to up = humidifying running up to down = de-humidifying
- 4. 4-digit display of current value, time, control parameter or set point.



- 5. Operation modes: I Comfort mode, I Economy mode, OFF Energy Hold Off
- 6. Symbols:

Setback Active	Schedule Set	Fan Active	TSET Error
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- 7. Buttons for operating the controller
 - POWER button: Pressing the button less than 2 sec toggles Economy and comfort modes. Pressing the
 - \bigcirc button for more than 2 seconds switches the unit off.
 - $\bigwedge \bigtriangledown$ UP and DOWN buttons: change setpoints and parameters

 \triangleright OPTION button: display temperature if temperature setback is enabled and access advanced setup.

Power Failure

All the parameters and set points are memorized and don't need to be reentered. Depending on UP05 the unit will remain switched off, switch on automatically or return to the operation mode it was in before the power failure.

The deluxe version includes a real time clock with a 48h backup battery powered through a super capacitor. The time does not need to be re-entered after a power failure.

Operation Modes

- Comfort: The unit is in full operation mode. All the control functions are operating according to their setpoints. The unit displays occupied mode.
- Economy: The set point is shifted according to parameter FC-04. The heating parameter is shifted down and cooling parameter up. The unit displays unoccupied mode. Economy operation may be disabled with UP-06.
- Off mode: The unit is switched off. All outputs are off. Off and current time are displayed.

Activation of operation modes

- Via operation terminal
- Clock: (Deluxe version only) Operation modes may automatically be switched according to daytime and weekday. The clock symbol will be indicated if time programs are activated.

Note: Time programs will not operate if operation mode is set to OFF by remote control, or if time is not set.



Clock Operation and Time Schedules (Deluxe Version)

TDC-BH-U-D contains a real time clock. Up to 16 mode changes (not defined, Off, Economy, Comfort, University mode) based on weekdays and time may be programmed. See chapter operation on how to program switch times.

The different scheduled mode changes have these effects:

Name on display	Function	Override reset
no	Switching event not used	
OFF	Operation mode changes to off mode	Reset is active
ECO	Operation mode changes to economy mode	Reset is not active
ON	Operation mode changes to comfort mode	Reset is not active
UNI	Operation mode does not change	Reset is not active

UNI: University mode: This switching mode is used for rooms such as lecture rooms and auditoriums that might be occupied during a certain time. During this time the reset is not active. The unit will not start itself when UNI mode is active. It still needs to be manually activated. This is to avoid unnecessary heating or cooling of such rooms while they are not occupied.

Override reset function: The override reset applies when the unit is manually switched on, while in scheduled off mode. The unit will switch automatically off when the reset time defined in UP13 expires. Setting UP13 to 0, disables the override reset. A blinking clock indicates that the time needs to be set. Time programs will not operate if the time is not defined. See chapter operation, advanced settings for instructions on how to set the time.

Error messages

The TDC-BH-U may display the following error condition:

- **Err1:** Humidity sensor faulty. The humidity sensor is damaged.
- Err2: External input for temperature setback missing or damaged.



Operation of the Terminal Unit

Switching ON

The unit is switched on by pressing the POWER button. It will start up in comfort mode.

Changing between COMFORT and ECONOMY

Pressing the POWER button for less than 2 seconds toggles between ECONOMY and COMFORT modes. Economy mode may be disabled with UP-06.

Switching OFF

Pressing the POWER button for more than 2 seconds, will switch the unit off. OFF and current time will be displayed in the LCD.

Standard display

This display mode is active if no UP/DOWN or OPTION button has been pressed during the previous 30 seconds. The contents of the large and small digits may be chosen with parameters UP-10 and UP-11.

Pressing UP/DOWN button will show the humidity setpoint in the small digits and room humidity in the large digits.

Changing of set points

Press UP/DOWN buttons to change the humidity setpoint. Changing of set points may be disabled with UP-01.

Showing the external temperature sensor

If temperature setback is enabled, the measured external temperature can be seen by pressing the OPTION button for less than 3 seconds.

Accessing advanced settings

Pressing the option button for more than three seconds will start the advanced setup menu. The basic version will only show heat/cool setup. The deluxe version will allow access to the time setting function.

The large LCD digits display SEL. The advanced setup menu accesses these settings: CALH, CAL t, Clock setup, Time schedule. The menu may be left by pressing the POWER button or by not pressing a button for more than 5 minutes.

Clock Setup and Time Schedule (only available on Deluxe versions)

- **Calibration of inputs:** SEL is displayed in the large digits and CALH or CAL t in the small. Pressing OPTION will reveal the current calibration value of the humidity sensor (CALH) or the temperature input (CAL t). Change the value with the UP/DOWN keys and confirm with OPTION key.
- **Clock Setup:** The current time is displayed in the small digits. Pressing the OPTION button will enter the clock setup. The minutes are blinking and may be changed with the UP/DOWN buttons. Pressing OPTION saves the minutes and steps to the hours. The hours are blinking. Pressing the OPTION button again will step to the weekday. DAY1-7 is displayed. Day 1 stands for the first working day (Monday) of a 5-day working week. (See schedule). Select the day according to current weekday. Pressing Option again saves the settings and moves back to the SELECT menu.
- **Time Schedules:** press the option button while Pro is displayed in the small digits. Pro1 is now shown in the large digits, while the number 1 is blinking. Select time program by using UP/DOWN buttons. There are a total of 4 time programs with each 4 switching times available. Enter the time program by pressing the OPTION button.
 - 1. Activate or deactivate the time program. Choose ON or OFF with the UP/DOWN buttons
 - 2. Select weekday(s) = d1-7, d1-5, d6-7, day1, day2, day3, day4, day5, day6, day7

The next steps define the switching mode and time. The bar indicator on the right side shows programming progress. There are four switch times for each program.

- 3. Select desired operation mode. (no, OFF, ECO, ON, UNI), press OPTION to continue
 - no = disables this switching time
 - OFF = switches unit Off, enables reset timer
 - ECO = sets operation mode to On and Economy, disables reset timer
 - ON = sets operation mode to On and Comfort, disables reset timer
 - UNI = Does not change operation mode, only disables reset timer
- 4. Select switching time 00:00 to 23:45 in 15-minute steps; press OPTION to continue.
- 5. Repeat steps 3 and 4 for each switching time.

Access to time schedules may be disabled with UP-04



Setting of user parameters

The TDC-BH-U can be adapted to fit perfectly into your application. The control operation is defined by parameters. The parameters are set during operation by using the control buttons.

The parameters may only be accessed by entering a code. There are two levels of parameters: User operation parameters for access control settings and Expert parameters for control functions and unit setup. The codes for user levels and expert levels are different. Only control experts should be given the control parameter access code.

The parameters can be changed as follows:

- 1. Press UP and DOWN button simultaneously for three seconds. The display shows the software version in the large digits and the product code in the small digits.
- 2. Pressing the OPTION button will indicate CODE on the small digits and 000 on the large digits.
- 3. The code for accessing the user parameters is 009
- 4. Select this using UP or DOWN buttons.
- 5. Press OPTION button after selecting the correct code.
- 6. Once logged in, the parameter is displayed immediately.
- 7. Select the parameters with the UP/DOWN buttons. Change a parameter by pressing the OPTION button. Three triangles show up on the lower right and indicate that the parameter may be modified now. Use UP or DOWN buttons to adjust the value.
- 8. After you are done, press OPTION or POWER in order to return to the parameter selection level.
- 9. Press the POWER button again so as to leave the menu. The unit will return to normal operation if no button is pressed for more than 5 minutes.

User Parameters

Parameter	Description	Setting Range	Factory Setting
UP 00	Enable change of operation modes	ON, OFF	ON (Enabled)
UP 01	Enable change of setpoints	ON, OFF	ON (Enabled)
UP 02	Enable access to Time programs	ON, OFF	ON (Enabled)
UP 03	State after power failure: 0 = Switched OFF, 1 = Switched ON, 2 = state before power failure	0, 1, 2	2
UP 04	Enable Economy functionality	ON, OFF	OFF (Disabled)
UP 05	Celsius or Fahrenheit, Select ON for Fahrenheit, OFF for Celsius	ON, OFF	OFF (Celsius)
UP 06	Select contents of small digits in standard mode: 00 = OFF 01 = Setpoint 02 = Humidity Sensor 03 = External Temperature Sensor 04 = Clock	05	04 Deluxe: show clock 01 Standard: show setpoint
UP 07 Deluxe only	Clock display type: OFF = Show 24hour clock ON = Show 12hour clock (AM, PM)	ON, OFF	OFF (24h)
UP 08 Deluxe only	 Reset timer for override mode: Only available for deluxe version 0 = Reset of override mode is not active. 1255 = delay in minutes to switch off device if ON/Economy mode is activated while the unit is scheduled to be in OFF mode 	0255	60 (Min)



Control Functions

The controller is designed to control binary heating and/or cooling systems.

Setpoint

Minimum and Maximum Set Point Limits: Limits the adjustable range of the loop set point. The limits for heating and cooling sequence may be chosen individually.

Control Sequence

Economy set point shift X_{SBY}: This function shifts the set point while the operation mode is Economy. The heating set point W_H is reduced and the cooling set point W_C increased by the value of the Economy set point shift X_{SBY} .

Dead Zone Span X_{DZ}: The dead zone span lies between the humidifying and the de-humidifying set point.

Switching Hysteresis: Defines the difference between switching on and switching off an output. A small hysteresis will increase the number of switching cycles and thus the wear on associated equipment.

Delay OFF: Prevents a too short running cycle for the control output by setting a minimum running time.

Delay ON: Prevents a too short stopping cycle for the control output by setting a minimum stopping time.

Binary Control



Т	Room Humidity	W _{HU}	Setpoint Humidifying Mode	Dz	Dead Zone
W _{DH}	Setpoint De-humidifying Mode	X_{SBY}	Economy Shift	X _H	Hysteresis
Q _{HU}	Humidifying Output	\mathbf{Q}_{DH}	De-humidifying Output		

Temperature setback (TSET)

Shift the humidity set point towards a defined TSET setpoint **CP 15** depending on the outdoor temperature.

Temperature setback becomes active when the outside temperature drops below the activation limit of temperature setback **CP17**. The full temperature setback is reached when the temperature reaches the full limit **CP16**. The actual set point will in this case be equal to the TSET setpoint.

Temperature setback may be enabled with **CP14**.





Output Configuration

Two devices may be controlled. CP10 decides if control mode is humidify or dehumidify modes are enabled. In case dual control mode is disabled CP11 activates fan control on the available output.

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System type	CP10	CP11	DO1	DO2
Humidify and de-humidify	0	OFF	Humidifying	Dehumidifying
Humidify only	1	OFF	Humidifying	OFF
Humidify with fan	1	ON	Humidifying	FAN
De-humidify only	2	OFF	OFF	Dehumidifying
De-humidify with fan	2	ON	FAN	Dehumidifying

Fan delay

The fan output may be activated with parameter CP11. CP10 must be \neq 0 for the fan output to function.

Once there is an output demand, the humidistat will first activate the fan, wait the required start delay time (CP12) and then activate the control output. This will ensure stable air for humidification or de-humidification.

The control output will be switched off when the setpoint is reached. The fan keeps running until stop delay (CP13) has expired. This will ensure that no left over humidity remains in the humidify- / de-humidify device or its ducts.



Averaging function of input signal:

The averaging function is used to prevent unwanted fluctuation of sensor signals. The controller measures every second the signal inputs. The input signal is built over a number of measured values. Select how many values should be used to calculate the averaging signal. Control speed will slow down when a large number of samples are used for an averaging signal. This should be taken into account when defining the control parameters.



Configuration parameters for firmware version 1.1

The TDC-BH-U can be adapted to wide variety of applications. The adaptation is done with parameters. The parameters can be changed on the unit without the need of additional equipment.

Identifying the firmware version

The parameters and functionality of controller depend on its firmware revision. It is therefore important to use a matching product version and parameter set. The firmware version is shown on the large LCD digits when pressing UP and DOWN buttons for more than 3 seconds simultaneously.

Control Parameters (Access Code: 241)

Warning! Only experts should change these settings! See user parameters for login procedure.

Parameter Description		Range	Standard	
CP 00	Minimum setpoint limit in humidification mode	0100%	10%	
CP 01	Maximum setpoint limit in humidification mode	0100%	90%	
CP 02	2 Minimum setpoint limit in de-humidification mode		10%	
CP 03	Maximum setpoint limit in de-humidification mode	0100%	90%	
Controls confi	guration			
CP 04	Economy humidity shift	0100%	10%	
CP 05	Dead zone between humidifying & de-humidifying set point X _{DZ}	0100%	10%	
CP 06	Delay on humidify – de-humidify change over	0255 min	5 min	
CP 07	Switching Hysteresis	0100%	3%	
CP 08	Delay OFF (Minimum running time)	0255s	10s	
CP 09	Delay ON (Minimum stopping time)	0255s	10s	
CP 10	CP 10 CP 10 Configuration of control mode 0 = Both Humidification and de-humidification 1 = W04 = Humidification only 2 = W05 = De-humidification only		TDC-BH: 0 TDC-BH-W4: 1 TDC-BH-W5: 2	
Output configu	uration			
CP 11	CP 11 Enable fan (only if CP 10 \neq 0)		TDC-BH: OFF TDC-BH-W4: ON TDC-BH-W5: ON	
CP 12	CP 12 Start delay for fan (Time the fan runs before control output starts)		10 s	
CP 13	Stop delay for fan (Time the fan keeps running after control output stops)	0255 s	90 s	
Temperature s	setback configuration			
CP 14	CP 14 Enable temperature setback OFF = Temperature setback is disabled ON = Temperature setback is enabled		OFF	
CP 15	Setpoint limit at full setback	0100%	20%	
CP 16	CP 16 Lower temperature limit: Outside temperature with maximum setback The setpoint will be equal to the minimum setpoint limit		-30°C (-22°F)	
CP 17	CP 17 Upper temperature limit: Outside temperature at begin of setback.		0°C (32°F)	
Input signal c	onfiguration			
CP 18	Number of seconds taken into account to calculate the averaging input signal. Low value = fast response High value = slow response	0100	10	