

# Safety automation system solutions

Preventa safety modules types XPS BA,  
XPS BC, XPS BF  
For electrical monitoring of two-hand control stations

**Operating principle**

Two-hand control stations are designed to provide protection against hand injury. They require machine operators to keep their hands clear of the dangerous movement zone.

The use of two-hand control is an individual protective measure, which can safely protect only one operator. Separate two-hand control stations must be provided for each operator in a multiple-worker environment.

Safety modules XPS BA, BC and BF for two-hand control stations comply with the requirements of European standard EN 574/ISO 13851 for two-hand control systems.

The control stations must be designed and installed such that they cannot be activated involuntarily or easily rendered inoperative. Depending on the application, the requirements of type C standards specific to the machinery involved must be met (additional personal protection methods may have to be considered).

To initiate a dangerous movement, both operators (two-hand control pushbuttons) must be activated within an interval  $\leq 0.5$  s (synchronous activation). If one of the two pushbuttons is released during a dangerous operation, the control sequence is cancelled. Resumption of the dangerous operation is possible only if both pushbuttons are returned to their initial position and reactivated within the required time interval.

The safety distance between the control units and the hazardous zone must be sufficient to ensure that when only one operator is released, the hazardous zone cannot be reached before the dangerous movement has been completed or stopped.

Characteristics				
Module type		XPS BA		XPS BC
Product designed for max. use in safety related parts of control systems (conforming to EN 954-1/ISO 13849-1)		Category 1 max.		Category 4 max.
Conformity to standards		EN/IEC 60204-1, EN/IEC 60947-5-1, EN 574/ISO 13851 type III A, EN 50082-2		EN/IEC 60204-1, EN/IEC 60947-5-1, EN 574 type III C/ISO 13851, EN 50082-2
Product certifications		UL, CSA		UL, CSA, INRS
Supply	Voltage	V	~ 24, ~ 115, ~ 230	~ 24, ~ 24, ~ 115, ~ 230
	Voltage limits		- 20...+ 20% (≐ 24 V), - 20...+ 10% (≐ 24 V), - 15...+ 15% (≐ 115 V), - 15...+ 10% (≐ 230 V)	- 20...+ 10% (≐ 24 V), - 15...+ 10% (≐ 24 V), - 15...+ 15% (≐ 115 V), - 15...+ 10% (≐ 230 V)
	Frequency	Hz	50/60	
Consumption		VA	< 20 (apparent power)	< 6
Module inputs fuse protection		Internal, electronic		
Inputs		S1: 1 N/C + N/O, S2: 1 N/C + N/O		
Two-hand control type		III A		III C
Conforming to EN 574/ISO 13851				
Synchronisation time		s	0.5 maximum	
Control unit voltage	≐ 24 V version	V	24	24
	~ 24 V, 115 V, 230 V version	V	24	48
Minimum voltage and current			Between terminals T11-T12, T11-T13 18 V/30 mA	Between terminals T11-T13, T21-T23 18 V/140 mA
U min./I min. - ≐ 24 V version (20 °C)			18 V/30 mA	30 V/50 mA
U min./I min. - ~ 24 V/115 V/230 V version (20 °C)				
Calculation of wiring resistance RL (for XPS BC only) between terminals T11-T13, T21-T23 as a function of the internal supply voltage U int (terminals T13-T23)		Ω	–	$RL_{max} = \frac{U_{int} - U_{min.}}{I_{min.}}$ Ue = true voltage applied to terminals A1-A2 U int = supply voltage Ue - 1 V (24 V version) (115 V, 230 V version) RL max. must not exceed 50 Ω U int between 30.5 V and 35 V, with typical value = 35 V
Outputs	Voltage reference		Volt-free	
	Number and type of safety circuits		1 N/O (11-14)	2 N/O (13-14, 23-24)
	Number and type of additional circuits		1 N/C (11-12)	1 N/C (31-32)
	Breaking capacity in AC-15	VA	C300: inrush 1800, maintained 180	
	Breaking capacity in DC-13		24 V/1.5 A - L/R = 50 ms	
	Max. thermal current (Ithe)	A	5	2.5
	Output fuse protection, using fuses conforming to EN/IEC 60947-5-1, VDE 0660 part 200	A	4 gG or 6 fast acting	4 gG
	Minimum current	mA	10	
	Minimum voltage	V	17	
Electrical durability			See page 38610/6	
Response time		ms	< 25	< 30
Rated insulation voltage (Ui)		V	300 (degree of pollution 2 conforming to EN/IEC 60947-5-1, DIN VDE 0110 parts 1 & 2)	
Rated impulse withstand voltage (Uimp.)		kV	4 (overvoltage category III, conforming to EN/IEC 60947-5-1, DIN VDE 0110 parts 1 & 2)	
LED display			2	3
Operating temperature		°C	- 10...+ 55	
Storage temperature		°C	- 25...+ 85	
Degree of protection conforming to IEC/EN 60529	Terminals		IP 20	
	Enclosure		IP 40	
Connections		Type	Captive screw clamp terminals	
1-wire connection	Without cable end		Solid or flexible cable: 0.14...2.5 mm²	
	With cable end		Without bezel, flexible cable: 0.25...2.5 mm²	
	With cable end		With bezel, flexible cable: 0.25...1.5 mm²	
2-wire connection	Without cable end		Solid or flexible cable: 0.14...0.75 mm²	
	With cable end		Without bezel, flexible cable: 0.25...1 mm²	
	With cable end		Double, with bezel, flexible cable: 0.5...1.5 mm²	

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## Preventa safety modules type XPS BF

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Characteristics					
Module type			XPS BF1132	XPS BF1132P	
Product designed for max. use in safety related parts of control systems (conforming to EN 954-1/ISO 13849-1)			Category 4 max.		
Conformity to standards			EN/IEC 60204-1, EN 574 type III C/ISO 13851, EN/IEC 60947-1, EN/IEC 60947-5-1, DIN V VDE 0801 (1990), DIN V VDE 0801 A1 (1994)		
Product certifications			UL, CSA, BIA		
Supply	Voltage	V	~ 24		
	Voltage limits		- 20...+ 20%		
Consumption		W	< 2.5		
Module inputs fuse protection			Internal, electronic		
Inputs			S1: 1 N/C + N/O, S2: 1 N/C + N/O		
Two-hand control type			III C conforming to EN 574/ISO 13851		
Synchronisation time		s	0.5 maximum		
Control unit voltage		V	24 V/8 mA		
Outputs	Voltage reference		Volt-free		
	Number and type of safety circuits		2 N/O (13-14, 23-24)		
	Number and type of additional circuits		2 solid-state (type 24 V - 20 mA)		
	Breaking capacity in AC-15	VA	C300: inrush 1800, maintained 180		
	Breaking capacity in DC-13		24 V/1.5 A - L/R = 50 ms		
	Max. thermal current (Ithe)	A	4.2		
	Max. total thermal current	A	8.4		
	Output fuse protection, using fuses conforming to EN/IEC 60947-5-1, VDE 0660 part 200	A	4 gG or 6 fast acting		
	Minimum current	mA	10		
	Minimum voltage	V	17		
Electrical durability			See page 38610/6		
Response time		ms	< 20		
Rated insulation voltage (Ui)		V	300 (degree of pollution 2 conforming to EN/IEC 60947-5-1, DIN VDE 0110 parts 1 & 2)		
Rated impulse withstand voltage (Uimp.)		kV	4 (overvoltage category III, conforming to EN/IEC 60947-5-1, DIN VDE 0110 parts 1 & 2)		
LED display			3		
Operating temperature		°C	- 10...+ 55		
Storage temperature		°C	- 25...+ 85		
Degree of protection conforming to IEC/EN 60529	Terminals		IP 20		
	Enclosure		IP 40		
Connection	Type		Captive screw clamp terminals	Captive screw clamp terminals, removable terminal block	
	1-wire connection	Without cable end		Solid or flexible cable: 0.14...2.5 mm²	Solid or flexible cable: 0.2...2.5 mm²
		With cable end		Without bezel, flexible cable: 0.25...2.5 mm²	
		With cable end		With bezel, flexible cable: 0.25...1.5 mm²	With bezel, flexible cable: 0.25...2.5 mm²
	2-wire connection	Without cable end		Solid or flexible cable: 0.14...0.75 mm²	Solid cable: 0.2...1 mm², flexible cable: 0.2...1.5 mm²
		With cable end		Without bezel, flexible cable: 0.25...1 mm²	
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## Selection

Standard EN 574/ISO 13851 defines the selection of two-hand controls according to the control system category.

The following table details the three types of two-hand control conforming to EN 574/ISO 13851.




For each type, it lists the operating characteristics and minimum requirements.

Requirements of standard EN 574/ISO 13851	Type I	Type II	Type III		
			A	B	C
Use of both hands (simultaneous action)					
Link between input and output signals					
Output signal inhibited					
Prevention of accidental operation					
Tamper-proof					
Output signal reinitialised					
Synchronous action (specified time limit)					
Use of proven components (Category 1 conforming to EN 954-1/ ISO 13849-1)			XPS BA●●		
Redundancy with partial error detection (Category 3 conforming to EN 954-1/ ISO 13849-1)				XPS BC XPS BF	
Redundancy + Self-monitoring (Category 4 conforming to EN 954-1/ ISO 13849-1)					XPS BC XPS BF
Two-hand control station	XY2 SB●●				

Meets the requirements of standard EN 574/ISO 13851

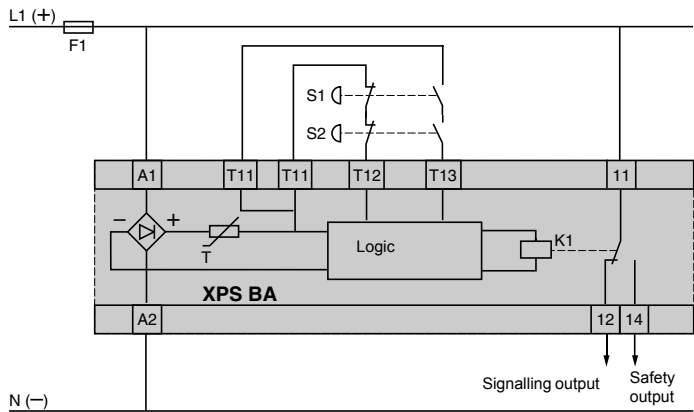
Conforming to standard EN 954-1/ISO 13849-1

## References

	Description	Type conforming to standard EN 574/ISO 13851	Type of terminal block connection	Number of safety circuits	Additional outputs	Supply	Reference	Weight kg
 <b>XPS BA●●●●</b>	Safety modules for electrical monitoring of two-hand control stations	III A	Integrated in module	1 N/O	1 N/C	~ or ~ 24 V	<b>XPS BA5120</b>	0.200
						~ 115 V	<b>XPS BA3420</b>	0.200
						~ 230 V	<b>XPS BA3720</b>	0.200
 <b>XPS BC●●●●</b>		III C	Integrated in module	2 N/O	1 N/C	~ 24 V	<b>XPS BC1110</b>	0.400
						~ 24 V	<b>XPS BC3110</b>	0.400
						~ 115 V	<b>XPS BC3410</b>	0.400
						~ 230 V	<b>XPS BC3710</b>	0.400
 <b>XPS BF1132P</b>				2 N/O	2 solid-state	~ 24 V	<b>XPS BF1132</b>	0.150
				Removable from module	2 solid-state	~ 24 V	<b>XPS BF1132P</b>	0.150

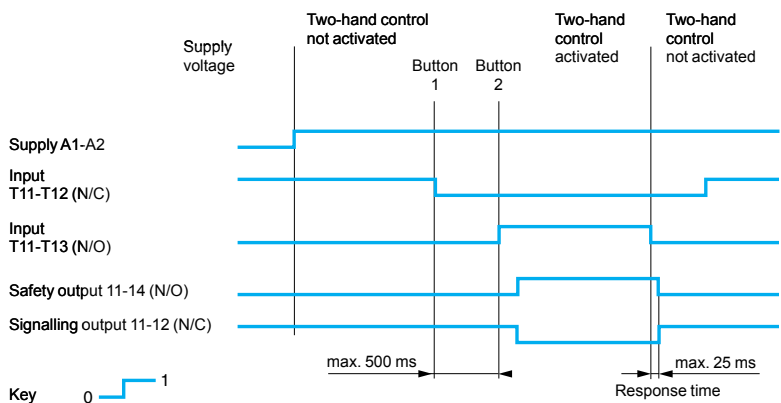
XPS BA

Module XPS BA associated with a two-hand control station  
Type III A conforming to EN 574/ISO 13851

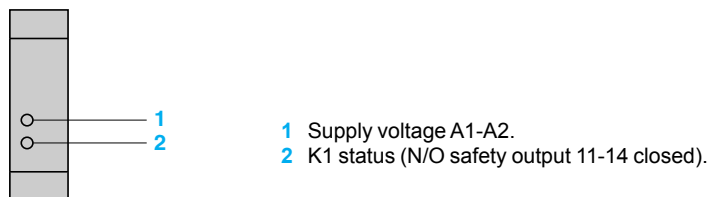


S1 and S2: pushbuttons. Must not be used for applications (presses) which require a type III C module (XPS BC).

Functional diagram of module XPS BA



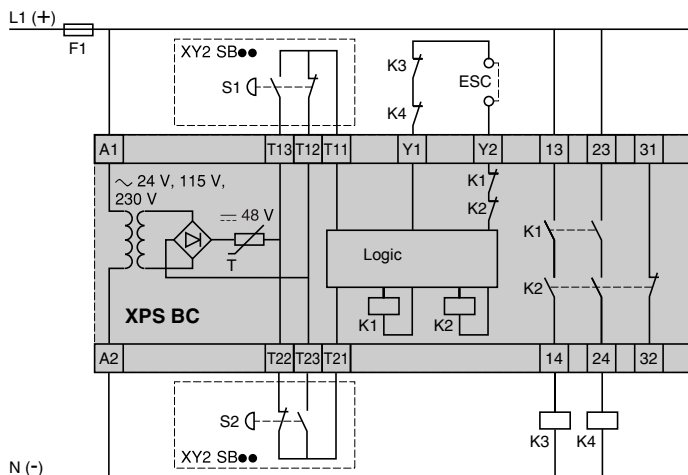
LED details (XPS BA)



## XPS BC

Module XPS BC associated with a two-hand control station

Type III C conforming to EN 574/ISO 13851

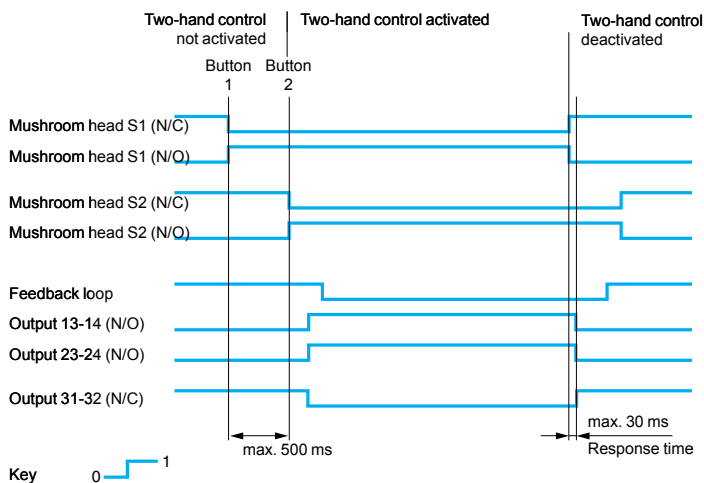


ESC: external start conditions.

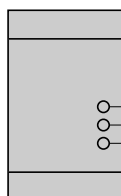
Y1-Y2: feedback loop.

Output (31-32) must not be used as a safety circuit. It can be used for non-dangerous machine movements.

## Functional diagram of module XPS BC



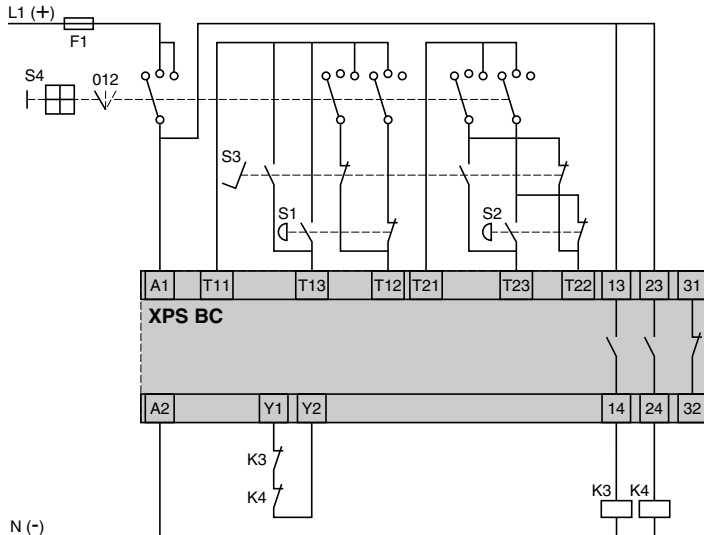
## LED details (XPS BC)



- 1 Supply voltage A1-A2, S1-S2. LED 1 indicates that buttons S1 and S2 are correctly connected.
- 2 Feedback loop Y1-Y2.
- 3 K1-K2 status (N/O safety outputs closed).

#### XPS BC

Module XPS BC associated with a two-hand control station and a foot switch



S4 selector switch:

0 = stop

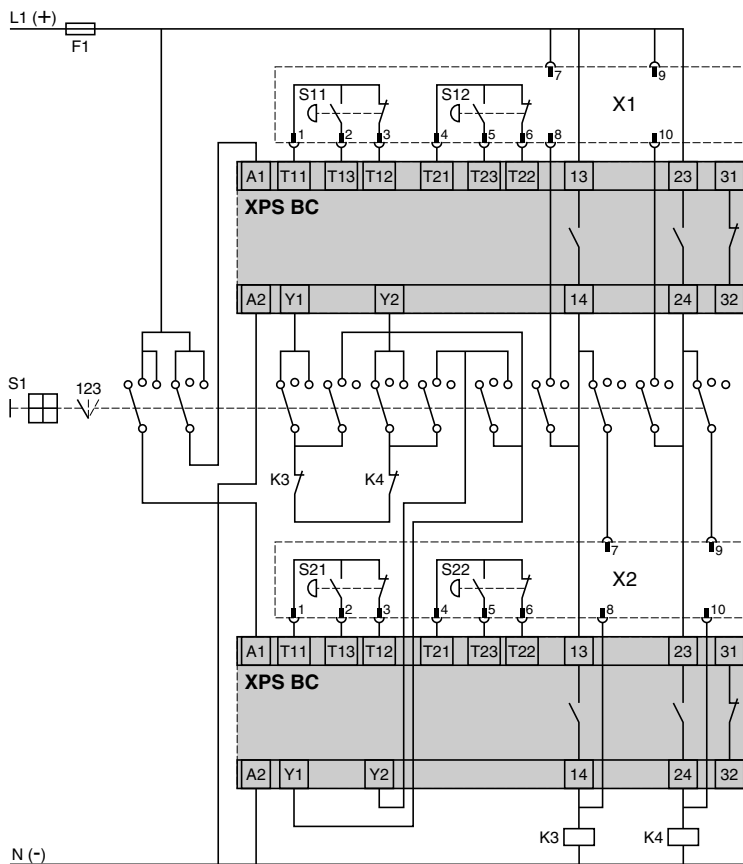
1 = control station

2 = foot switch

S1-S2: two-hand control station pushbuttons

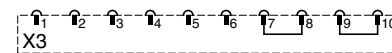
S3: foot switch

#### Modules XPS BC associated with 2 two-hand control stations



When operator 1 is absent: replace terminal block X1 by X3 and physically remove the two-hand control station.

When operator 2 is absent: replace terminal block X2 by X3 and physically remove the two-hand control station.



S1 selector switch:

1 = operator 1

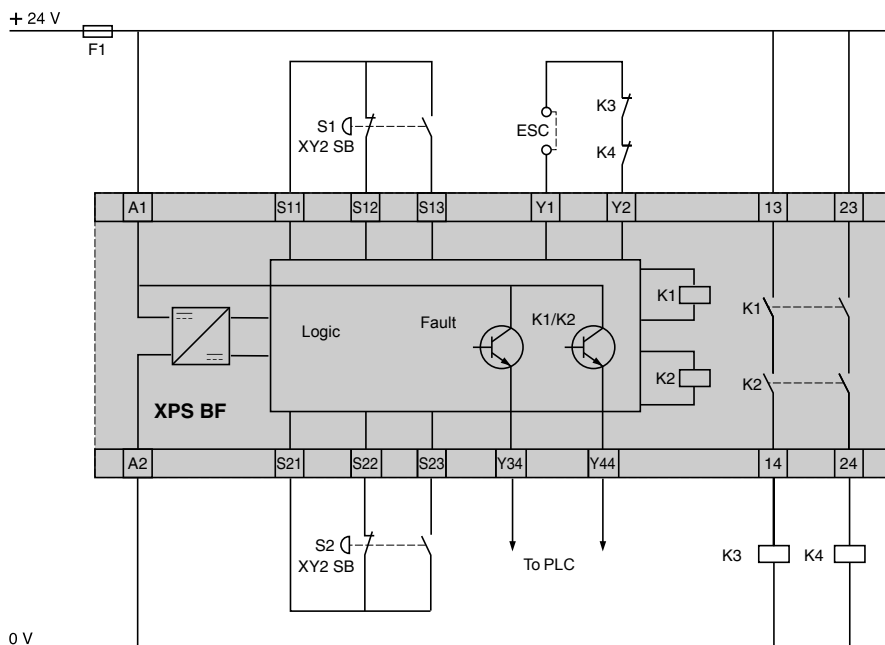
2 = operator 2

3 = operator 1 and operator 2

S11-S12, S21-S22: two-hand control station pushbuttons

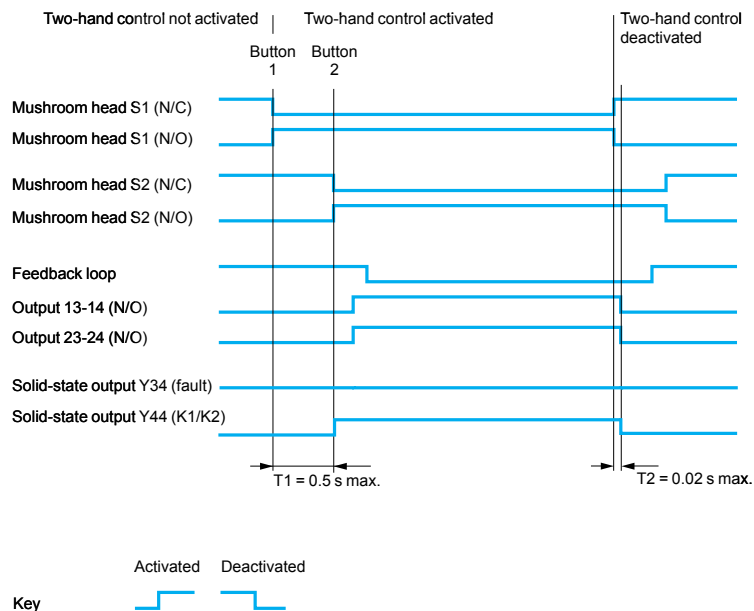
#### XPS BF

##### Module XPS BF associated with a two-hand control station



ESC: External start conditions.  
Y1-Y2: feedback loop

#### Functional diagram of module XPS BF



#### LED details (XPS BF)



- 1 Supply voltage A1-A2 (fuse status).
- 2 Fault signalling.
- 3 K1-K2 status (N/O safety outputs closed).