



Technical Instruction VPD_6708537_03_en
Control unit type ECOTAP® VPD® Basic & Control Pro
Checklist for malfunctions / error events

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NOTICE

Safety, hazard and other information included in the MR operating instructions for control unit type ECOTAP® VPD® must be observed!

Safety information for work performed on electrical systems must be observed!

All work must be carried out by sufficiently qualified personnel!

The causes for a malfunction of the ECOTAP® VPD® control unit can be very diverse. Just one missing piece of information may prevent clear identification of the error cause. Therefore, please fill in this checklist as completely as possible.

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1 General information	
Serial number OLTC: _____	Serial number control unit: _____
Operator: _____	Date: _____
Contact person: _____	
E-mail address: _____	Phone number: _____
Substation: _____	
Operating site: _____	
Address: _____	
Commissioning date transformer: _____	

2 Control unit data																																		
Current number of operations of on-load tap-changer (operations counter on display): _____																																		
Event(s) currently shown on display (E X, for example E4): _____																																		
<i>Are events currently pending on control unit?</i>																																		
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No																																		
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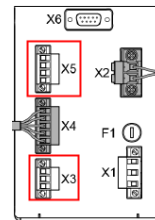
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	E13		
	E14		
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	E16		
	E17		
	E18		
	E19		
	E20		

Control unit data – continued

Are terminals X3 and X5 in use? (Is a cable connected?)

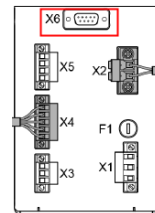
X3: Yes No

X5: Yes No



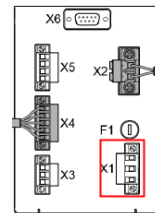
Is the control unit connected via Modbus using interface X6?

Yes No



Which voltage is present on terminals X1? Which voltage is shown on the display?

X1: _____ V / display: _____ V

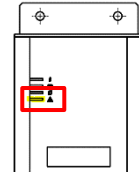


Which **temperature** is measured next to the terminals X1?

Read and note Function **F2**: Remaining life of the energy accumulator:

Is the **red LED** currently active? (advanced: In which mode is the LED active?)

Yes No _____



Read parameters on control unit display and enter them in parameter list.

Activate function F9 to show the parameters in the menu.

(<MENU>, <UP> until F9 is shown on display ,<AVR MANUAL>)

Parameters entered in parameter list in attachment A1.

It is not possible to display the parameters.

Which operating mode was active in the control unit at the time of the failure?

AVR Manual AVR AUTO External Control

Is the control unit connected to a "Control Pro" control unit?

Yes No

If yes, please download the data of "Control Pro" control unit (Settings>Export>System Image with history) and send it to MR.

Is the current tap position indicated in the web visualization of "Control Pro" control unit?

Yes No

If yes, note the current tap position value: _____

Is the transformer operated in parallel with a second or several transformers?

Yes No

Where is the control unit mounted? (location/cabinet/environment behavior)

=> It is important for analyses to get photos from the mounting situation and the temperature situation.

3 Additional information

Was there a voltage drop or a power system blackout before the incident?

Yes No

If yes please specify
which type:

(e.g., weather event,
switching operations) _____

*Were maintenance or modification measures performed in the substation before the incident, or
was the wiring/cabling changed?*

Yes No

If yes, which? _____

Please send the completed checklist to e-mail-address service@reinhausen.com or to:

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A Attachment

A.1 Parameter list

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Parameters	Setting range	Factory setting	Setting
P1: Desired voltage	84...266 V	225 V	
P2: Normal regulation			
P2.1: Bandwidth B1	0.5...8 %	2%	
P2.2: Delay time T1	5....1800 s	10 s	
P3: Fast regulation			
P3.1: Bandwidth B2	3 %...9 %,off ¹	4 %	
P3.2: Delay time T2	2 s...(T1-1 s/5 s) ²	2 s	
P4: Voltage blocking			
P4.1: Undervoltage blocking	84...266 V	84 V	
P4.2: Overvoltage blocking	84...266 V	266 V	
P5: Blocking contact	0 = inactive, 1 = active	0	
P6: Target position for loss of voltage			
P6.1: Target position	1...9(17)	1	
P6.2: Function	0 = inactive, 1 = active	0	
P7: Number of operating positions	9 or 17	9	
P8: Regulating range			
P8.1: Lowest operating position	1...9 (17) ³	1	
P8.2: Highest operating position	1...9 (17)	9	
P9: Remote behavior	0 = local, 1 = remote	1	
P10: Password protection			
P10.1: Password	0...999	0	
P10.2: Activate password protection	0 = inactive, 1 = active	0	

¹ Bandwidth B2 is always at least 0.5 % larger than bandwidth B1

² Delay time T2 is always at least one second less than T1

³ Depending on the number of tap positions of the on-load tap-changer

Functions	Setting range	Factory setting	Setting
F1: Automatic adjustment			
F1.1: Automatic adjustment			
F1.2: Manual adjustment n-1			
F1.3: Manual adjustment n+1			
F2: Remaining life of the energy accumulator			
F3: LED function test			
F5: Invert travel commands	0 = inactive, 1 = active	0	
F6: Read out software version			
F7: Error relay			
F7.1: Error relay E1	0 = inactive, 1 = active	1	
F7.2: Error relay E2	0 = inactive, 1 = active	1	
F8: Factory setting			
F9: Display control parameters			