

# Zepto

## Multimeter Power & Energy Meter Analyzer



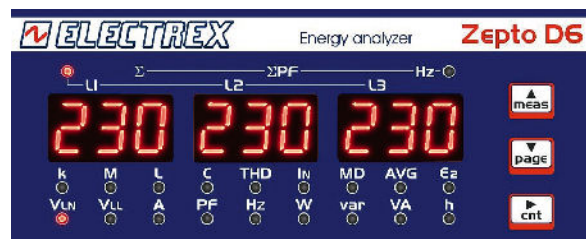
**Zepto** is a microprocessor based Multimeter, Power & Energy Meter and Analyzer with outstanding flexibility and accuracy designed to meet the most demanding applications of electrical parameters analyses and energy supply monitoring in the industrial and residential environment. The instrument combines the functions of multimeter, power&energy meter and analyzer

### True-RMS

All the readings are "true-RMS" and they are obtained with a continuous sampling of the voltage and current waveforms in order to ensure the maximum metering accuracy of rapidly varying loads (e.g. spot welding). A sophisticated digital measurement method with a compensation system of the internal amplifiers' offsets ensures the maximum metering accuracy and stability irrespective of the signal level and the environmental working conditions.

### Simple to use

The high brightness red led displays provide a superior reading visibility, up to 7 m. away, also in presence of intense light. Three displays of 3 digits each with floating point allow the simultaneous reading of 3 parameters (or a 4 digit reading of the energy counters).



3 keys on the instrument front panel, make the instrument use simple and rational.

### Versatile in application

**Zepto** is suitable for virtually all type of electrical grid, 3- and 4-wire, symmetrical and asymmetrical, balanced or unbalanced, single- and bi-phase, Low Tension and High Tension, with 1, 2 or 3 CTs as well as for 2 quadrant measurement.

A simple keyboard programming allows the setting of all the operational parameters such as grid type, LT/HT, CT and VT ratios (free setting) integration time (1-60 min), digital output and alarms (thresholds, delays, hysteresis), digital input, RS485 serial communication.

The instrument set-up is password protected against undesired modifications.

### Zepto types

All **Zepto** meters are available in 2 versions:

§ Without digital inputs and outputs.

§ With 1 digital input and 2 digital outputs.

### Digital input

**Zepto 1DI 2DO** is equipped, as standard feature, with an optically insulated digital input complete with programmable filter for input glitches. The digital input is set to operate for external pulse count of, example, water meters, gas meters (insulation to meet the ATEX requirements), quantity count, etc. The input may be alternatively configured to operate as

ON/OFF input (example for reading the ON/OFF state of machines and switches). The digital input requires an external 10-30Vdc power supply.

### Readings

Parameter	Type	L1	L2	L3	n	Σ	P	Range
Voltage	U <sub>L-N</sub>	h	h	h	h			20,0V...400 kV
	U <sub>L-L</sub>	h	h	h	h			
Current	I	h	h	h	h			10 mA...10,0 kA
	I <sub>AVG THERM</sub> (1)	h	h	h				
Power Factor	PF	h	h	h	h			0,00ind...1,00...0,00cap
	I <sub>MD THERM</sub> (1)	h	h	h				
Frequency	f	h	h	h	h			45 ... 65 Hz
Harmonic distortion	THD-U <sub>L-N</sub>	h	h	h	h			0...199,9%
	THD-U <sub>L-L</sub>	h	h	h	h			
	THD-I	h	h	h	h			
Active Power	P	h	h	h	h			± 0,00...1999 MW
	P <sub>m</sub> (1)					h		
	P <sub>MD</sub> (1)					h		
Reactive Power	Q <sub>IND</sub>	h	h	h	h			± 0,00...1999 Mvar
	Q <sub>CAP</sub>	h	h	h	h			
	Q <sub>m IND</sub> (1)					h		
	Q <sub>m CAP</sub> (1)					h		
	Q <sub>MD IND</sub> (1)					h		
	Q <sub>MD CAP</sub> (1)					h		
Apparent Power	S	h	h	h	h			± 0,00...1999 MVA
	S <sub>m</sub> (1)					h		
	S <sub>MD</sub> (1)					h		
Life Time	h, (1/1000 h)					h	h	0,01...99.999,99
Active Energy	E <sub>a</sub> (2)					h	h	0,1 kWh...99.999,9 MWh
Reactive Energy	E <sub>r IND</sub> (2)					h	h	0,1 kvarh...99.999,9 Mvarh
	E <sub>r CAP</sub> (2)					h	h	
Apparent Energy	E <sub>s</sub> (2)					h	h	0,1kVAh...99.999,9 MVAh

(1) Mean value (rolling average) over the integration time (1.. 60 min. programmable).

(2) Energies displayed as 9 digits in floating-point readings; internal energy metering performed with 0,1 Wh minimum resolution and 99.999.999,9999 kWh maximum energy count before rollover.

### Digital outputs

**Zepto 1DI 2DO** is equipped, as standard feature, with two optically insulated transistor outputs rated 27 Vdc 27 mA per DIN 43864 standards. The two outputs are factory set to the transmission of pulses proportional to the Active energy and the Reactive energy (pulse weight and length are user programmable). The outputs may be alternatively configured as outputs of the internal alarms (see Alarms) or as remote output devices controlled via serial line and Modbus commands.

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## Alarms

**Zepo 1DI 2DO** is complete with 2 programmable alarms offering the maximum configuration flexibility for adapting to the most diverse requirements. Each alarm can be selected to link to any one of the parameters available, for example, either as a minimum and/or as a maximum. Linking of both alarms to the same parameter is also possible for operating as dual threshold alarm. The alarms configuration includes the option of precise setting of a delay time (1-99 sec), an hysteresis cycle (in % of threshold value) and the polarity of the output contacts (NO, NC). The alarms state information is always available on serial communication as Modbus “coils”. Due to the numerous combinations available the alarms are programmable only via serial port with the Energy Brain software or by means of Modbus *Holding registers*.

## Power Supply

**Zepto** is equipped with 230-240Vac power supply (transformer type). On request 115/120 Vac or 400 Vac transformer power supply.

## Serial communication

**Zepto** is equipped, as standard feature on all types, with an optoinsulated and over-voltage protected RS485 serial communication port. The protocol is a *full compliant* Modbus-RTU suitable for communication with PLCs and with SCADA programs. The instrument data are read as numerical registers composed by mantissa and exponent in the IEEE format.

A transmission speed of up to 38.400 bps, with maximum 125 registers (equivalent to 62 parameters) per query with no waiting time between queries, ensure an unrivalled communication speed and dialogue efficiency.

## Technical specification

### **Readings**

Voltage:	.....	$U_{L1-N}, U_{L2-N}, U_{L3-N}, U_{L1-L2}, U_{L2-L3}, U_{L3-L1}, U_{LL\Sigma}$
Current:	.....	$I_1, I_2, I_3, I_{\Sigma}, I_N$
Therm.:	.....	$I_1, I_2, I_3$
Power Factor:	.....	$PF_1, PF_2, PF_3, PF_{\Sigma}$
Frequency:	.....	$f$
Voltage THD:	.....	$U_{L1-N}, U_{L2-N}, U_{L3-N}, U_{LL\Sigma}$ $U_{L1-L2}, U_{L2-L3}, U_{L3-L1}, U_{LL\Sigma}$
Current THD:	.....	$I_1, I_2, I_3, I_{\Sigma}$
Active Power:	.....	$P_1, P_2, P_3, P_{\Sigma}$
Average (AVG):	.....	$P_{\Sigma}$
Max. Demand (MD):	.....	$P_{\Sigma}$
Reactive Power:	.....	$Q_{1IND}, Q_{2IND}, Q_{3IND}, Q_{\Sigma IND}$ $Q_{1CAP}, Q_{2CAP}, Q_{3CAP}, Q_{\Sigma CAP}$
Average (AVG):	.....	$Q_{IND\Sigma}, Q_{CAP\Sigma}$
Max. Demand (MD):	.....	$Q_{IND\Sigma}, Q_{CAP\Sigma}$
Apparent Power:	.....	$S_1, S_2, S_3, S_{\Sigma}$
Average (AVG):	.....	$S_{\Sigma}$
Max. Demand (MD):	.....	$S_{\Sigma}$
Active Energy:	.....	$E_{a\Sigma T}, E_{a\Sigma Part.}$
Reactive Energy	INDUCTIVE: .....	$E_{r\Sigma T}, E_{r\Sigma Part.}$
	CAPACITIVE: .....	$E_{r\Sigma T}, E_{r\Sigma Part.}$
Apparent Energy :	.....	$E_{s\Sigma T}, E_{s\Sigma Part.}$
Life Time TOTAL :	.....	Hours, 1/100 h

### Functional characteristics

*Measurement system:*

- True-RMS measurement up to the 31<sup>st</sup> harmonic
- 2 quadrant measurement
- 12bit A/D converter (6-channel)
- Continuous sampling of voltage and current waveforms (64 sampling per period, with PLL)
- Automatic compensation of the offset

*RS485 serial port :*

- *Galvanically insulated*
- *2.400 to 38.400 bps programmable speed*
- *Built-in over-voltage protection*
- *Modbus-RTU protocol, full compliant*

*Digital Output:*

- Galvanically insulated
- DIN 43864 (27Vdc, 27mA)
- Programmable functionality: pulse output, remote control.

*Digital Input:*

- Galvanically insulated
- Programmable functionality: external pulse count, ON/OFF state detection
- Programmable 10/100 Hz filter for input glitches suppression.

### Front panel

*Display:* *red led display*

Display update interval: ..... 1s

Keyboard: ..... 3 keys

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### Electrical characteristics

Connection: ..... single-, bi-phase & 3-phase, LT and HT grids,  
balanced, unbalanced, 3- and 4-wire

Voltage inputs:

Direct:..... up to 300 Vrms phase-neutral  
or 519 Vrms phase-phase (300Vrms if bi-phase)

Via external VTs:

Primary:..... programmable (max. 400 kV)

Secondary:..... programmable (max. 300 V)

Frequency:..... 45÷65 Hz

Max voltage to ground:..... 300 Vrms

Input burden:..... < 0,3 VA

Input impedance..... > 2 MΩ

Overload:..... 900 Vrms phase-phase per 1 sec

Current Inputs:

with external CT:

Primary:..... programmable (max. 10 kA)

Secondary:..... 1 or 5 A

Max current:..... 1,2 or 6 Arms

Input burden:..... < 0,7 VA

Overload:..... 40 Arms, 1 sec.

Digital Inputs (depending on type):

Power supply (external):..... 10 to 30 Vdc

Absorbed current:..... 2 to 10mA

Max counting frequency:..... 10 or 100Hz (programmable)

Digital Outputs (depending on type):

Type (per DIN 43864):..... open collector (NPN)

Max voltage:..... 27 Vdc

Max current:..... 27mA

Power supply (separate from voltage inputs):

standard type:..... 230/240Vac +/- 10% 50/60Hz

Self consumption:..... < 3VA

Galvanic insulation:

Power supply (separate):..... 4 kV

RS485 serial port:..... 1,5 kV

Digital Input & Outputs:..... 1,5 kV

### Accuracy

Voltage:..... 0,5% of reading +/- 1 digit from 40 to 300V,  
min. reading: 10V

Current:..... 0,5% of reading +/- 1 digit  
from 0,02 to 1,2A or from 1,2 to 6A,  
min. reading: 10mA

Frequency:..... 0,02Hz from 45 to 65 Hz

Power:..... 1% of reading +/- 1 digit

Active Energy:..... Class 1 complying with IEC EN 62053-21

Reactive Energy:..... Class 2 complying with IEC EN 62053-21

### Standards

Safety:..... IEC EN 61010-1 CAT III-300V, class 2

E.M.C.:..... IEC EN 61326-1A

Accuracy:..... IEC EN 62053-21

Digital Output:..... DIN 43864

### Environmental conditions

Working temperature range:..... -10/+50 °C

Storage temperature range:..... -15/+60 °C

Relative Humidity..... RH< 95% non-condensing

### Mechanical characteristics

Enclosure..... Self-extinguishing plastic material class V0

Protection degree..... Front panel..... IP40)

Terminals side..... IP20

Size: Zepto D6 ..... 105 x 90 x 58 mm (6 DIN modules)

Mount..... DIN rail

Zepto 96..... 96 x 96 x 72 mm

Mount..... panel

Panel cut-out..... 92 x 92 mm

Terminals..... screw connector

Max cable size:..... 2,5 mm<sup>2</sup> (stranded cable) /  
4 mm<sup>2</sup> (solid cable)

### How to order

Type	Code
Zepto D6 RS485 230-240V .....	PFA8611-02
Zepto D6 RS485 230-240V 1DI 2DO .....	PFA8611-12
Zepto 96 RS485 230-240V .....	PFA8C11-02
Zepto 96 RS485 230-240V 1DI 2DO .....	PFA8C11-12