





# E-KABIN X SERIES

STAINLESS STEEL ENCLOSURES

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#### **XS SERIES OVERVIEW**



# XS Series Stainless Steel, Modular, Indoor, Floor Standing Enclosures

E-Kabin XS Series modular floor standing enclosures are designed for general purpose indoor electrical applications. Their simple design provides functionality for different usage and economy. They have an extensible structure for stand-alone applications or for multiple combinations.

Place of use : Indoor

Protection class : IP55, IP41 – Depending on the

front door type

Operating temperature  $: -5^{\circ}\text{C}, +40^{\circ}\text{C}$ Operating relative humidity: 90% at +20 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ 

50% at +40°C

Operating environment

conditions class

: IE33 but, max. relative humidity %90 and min. temperature -5°C

- Acc. to EN 60721-3-3

Standards : IEC 61439-1

IEC 62208 IEC 60529 IEC 62262

Material : 304 grade stainless steel -

standard

316 grade stainless steel -

optional



#### XS SERIES CHARACTERISTICS



#### Clean and Smooth Surface

Production process is free from welded stud marks. In this way clean and smooth surface appearance is provided.



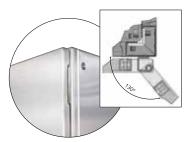
#### **IP55 Gasket Protection**

Foam-in-place gasket behind the door does not lose its elasticity in time and provides protection against dust and water.



#### **Optional Stainless Steel Lock**

Standard lock is swing handle type and made of special plastic material which provides high chemical resistance. Optionally, 316 grade stainless steel lock is available.



#### Robust Hidden Hinge

Door hinge which is 3mm thick and 316 grade stainless steel, is designed in such a way that it is not visible from outside of the door. Thanks to this hinge the door can be opened up to 130°.



#### **E-Kabin Interior Accessories**

All E-Kabin interior accessories can also be used in stainless steel products.



#### **Modular Plinth**

It's possible to increase enclosure height by mounting one more extra modular plinth on top of existing one.

#### **XS SERIES DIMENSIONS**

XS SERIES DIMENSIONS			
HEIGHT	WIDTH	DEPTH	
1400	400	400	
1600	500	500	
1800	600	600	
2000	700	700	
2200	800	800	

304

304 grade stainless steel is standard. Optionally, 316 grade stainless steel is available.



Standard lock is plastic. Optionally 316 or 304 grade stainless steel lock is available.



All E-Kabin interior accessories can also be used in stainles steel products.



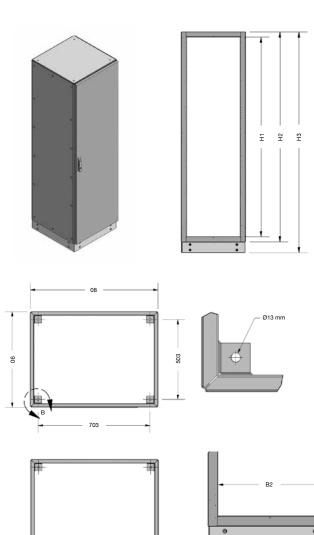
Modification possibilities on standard design.
Different dimensions • Different material thickness
Hole processing

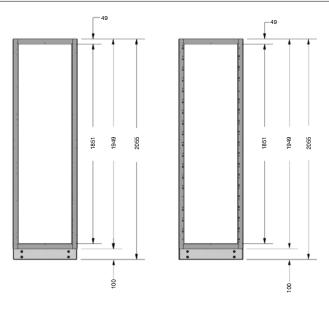


Optional, powder coating in any desired RAL colour codes or lacquer coating

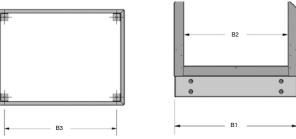


# **XS SERIES DIMENSIONS**

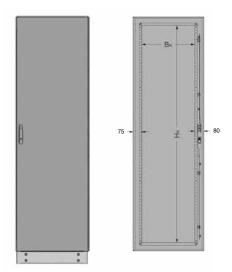




Net	Enclosure rated height			
Dimensions	18	20	22	
H1	1749 mm	1949 mm	2149 mm	
H2	1651 mm	1851 mm	2051 mm	
H3	1855 mm	2055 mm	2255 mm	



Net	Enclosure rated width or depth				
Dimensions	04	05	06	07	08
B1	396 mm	496 mm	596 mm	696 mm	796 mm
B2	301 mm	401 mm	501 mm	601 mm	701 mm
В3	303 mm	403 mm	503 mm	603 mm	703 mm



#### Front door usable net height $(H_K)$

	ES OK 18	ES OK 20	ES OK 22
Net Height (H <sub>K</sub> )	1610 mm	1810 mm	2010 mm

#### Front door usable net width (B<sub>K</sub>)

	03	04	05	06	07	08
Net Width (B <sub>K</sub> )	145 mm	245 mm	345 mm	445 mm	545 mm	645 mm

#### **XH SERIES OVERVIEW**



# XH Series Stainless Steel Modular Floor Standing Outdoor Enclosures

E-Kabin XH Series Electrical Enclosures are designed for general purpose outdoor electrical applications. They have an extensible structure for stand-alone applications or for multiple combinations. Place of use : Outdoor

Protection class : IP55, IP41 – Depending on the

front door type

Operating temperature : -5°C, +40°C Operating relative humidity: 90% at +20°C

50% at +40°C

Operating environment

conditions class

: IE37 but, max. Relative humidity

%90 and min. temperature

-5°C / according to -EN60721 - 3 - 3 -

Standards : IEC 61439-1

IEC 62208 IEC 60529 IEC 62262

Material : 304 grade stainless steel - standard

316 grad stainless steel - optional

Lock Set : Plastic – Standard

Stainless steel - Optional



#### XH SERIES CHARACTERISTICS



#### **Aesthetic Look**

Modern exterior outlines, internally accessible side and back panel connections combined with clean surface treatment, provide aesthetic appearance.



#### Modular Design-side-by-side expandability

Thanks to modular design of framework and roof, expanding side by side is possible to form large combinations.



#### **Optional Eyebolts**

Optional eyebolts enable fully loaded enclosure to be lifted up and carried for installation purposes.



#### **IP55 Gasket Protection**

Foam-in-place gasket behind the door does not lose its elasticity in time and provides protection against dust and water.



#### **Under Canopy Fan Unit**

A fan unit can be installed under the canopy. It is easily accessible from inside the enclosure for service and maintenance.

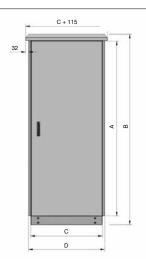


#### **Optional Stainless Steel Lock**

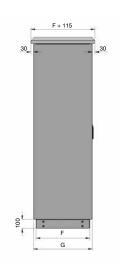
Standard lock is swing handle type and made of special plastic material which provides high chemical resistance. Optionally, 316 grade stainless steel lock is available.

# **XH SERIES DIMENSIONS**

ENCLOSURE RATED HEIGHT	A DIMENSION FRAMEWORK HEIGHT	B DIMENSION EXTERNAL HEIGHT (A+180 mm)
14-1400	1350	1530
16-1600	1550	1730
18-1800	1750	1930
20-2000	1950	2130
22-2200	2150	2330



ENCLOSURE RATED WIDTH	C DIMENSION FRAMEWORK WIDTH	D DIMENSION ENCLOSURE WIDTH SIDE COVERS INCLUDED (C+50 mm)
04-400 mm	400	450
05-500 mm	500	550
06-600 mm	600	650
08-800 mm	800	850
10-1000 mm	1000	1050
12-1200 mm	1200	1250

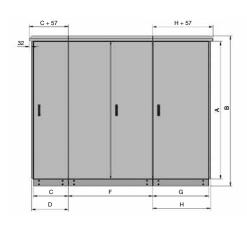


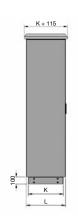
ENCLOSURE RATED DEPTH	F DIMENSION BODY DEPTH	G DIMENSION ENCLOSURE DEPTH FRONT-REAR COVERS INCLUDED (F+55 mm)
04-400 mm	400	455
05-500 mm	500	555
06-600 mm	600	655
08-800 mm	800	855

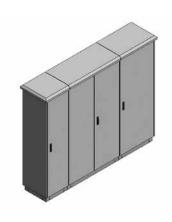


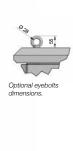


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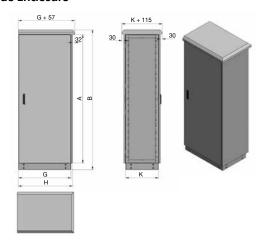




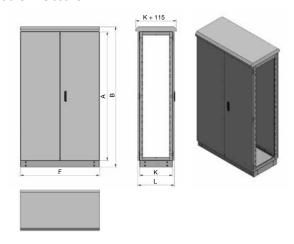




#### **Side Enclosure**







ENCLOSURE RATED HEIGHT	A FRAMEWORK HEIGHT	B EXTERNAL HEIGHT (A+180 mm)
14-1400	1350	1530
16-1600	1550	1730
18-1800	1750	1930
20-2000	1950	2130
22-2200	2150	2330

ENCLOSURE RATED DEPTH	K FRAMEWORK DEPTH	L ENCLOSURE DEPTH (FRONT-REAR PANELS INCLUDED) (K+55 mm)
04-400 mm	400	455
05-500 mm	500	555
06-600 mm	600	655
08-800 mm	800	855

ENCLOSURE RATED WIDTH	C FRAMEWORK WIDTH	C ENCLOSURE WIDTH (SIDE PANELS INCLUDED) (C+25 mm)	F FRAMEWORK WIDTH	G FRAMEWORK WIDTH	H ENCLOSURE WIDTH (SIDE PANELS INCLUDED) (G+25 mm)
04-400 mm	400	425	400	400	425
05-500 mm	500	525	500	500	525
06-600 mm	600	625	600	600	625
08-800 mm	800	825	800	800	825
10-1000 mm	1000	1025	1000	1000	1025
12-1200 mm	1200	1225	1200	1200	1225

#### **XM SERIES OVERVIEW**



#### XM Series Stainless Steel Monoblock Enclosures

E-Kabin XM Series electrical enclosures are designed for general purpose electrical applications.

Place of use : Indoor, Outdoor Protection class : IP 66

Type of mounting : Wall-mounted
Operating temperature : -5°C, +40°C
Operating relative humidity : 90% at +20°C

50% at +40°C

Standards : IEC 61439-1, IEC 62208

IEC 60529, IEC 62262

Operating environment conditions class

: IE37 but, max. relative humidity %90 and min. temperature -5°C

according to -EN 60721 - 3 - 3 -

Material : 304 grade stainless steel -

standard

316 grade stainless steel -

optional

Lock Set : Plastic – Standard

Stainless steel - Optional





# **XM SERIES CHARACTERISTICS**



#### Polyurethane Gasket

Polyurethane foam-in-place gasket, does not lose its elasticity over time and provides protection against dust and water.



#### Hidden Hinge

Thanks to stainles steel hinge the door can be opened up to 125° angle. This feature provides comfortable access into the enclosure.



#### **Optional Stainless Steel Bracket**

Optional bracket set provides enclosure mounting on the wall to be done easily and quickly. Thanks to 90° swivel feature of the bracket, it's positioning can be chosen either horizontally or vertically.



#### **Symmetrical Canopy**

For outdoor applications, symmetrical canopy design provides an aesthetic look. They can only be used for floor standing applications. For symmetrical canopies wall mounting opplications with bracket set are not suitable.



#### **Asymmetrical Canopy**

For wall mounting outdoor applications asymmetrical canopy can be used with brackets. Thanks to their reverse angle edge design above door threshold, rain water flows out of the enclosure.



#### **Optional Stainless Steel Lock**

Standard lock is quarter-turn 3 mm double-bit type and made of special plastic material which provides high chemical resistance. Overlapping door locks are swing haadle type and similar to floor standing modular types. Optionally, 316 grade stainless steel lock is available.

# **XM SERIES ORDER INFORMATION**

	XM SERIES	STAINLESS STEE	L MONOBLOCK ENCLOS	URES SINGLE DOOR	
HEIGHT (A)	WIDTH (B)	DEPTH (C)	ORDER CODES (304)	ORDER CODES (316)	NUMBER of LOCK
300	200	120	XM 30 20 12-304	XM 30 20 12-316	1
300	200	150	XM 30 20 15-304	XM 30 20 15-316	1
300	300	150	XM 30 30 15-304	XM 30 30 15-316	1
300	300	200	XM 30 30 20-304	XM 30 30 20-316	1
400	300	150	XM 40 30 15-304	XM 40 30 15-316	1
400	300	200	XM 40 30 20-304	XM 40 30 20-316	1
400	400	200	XM 40 40 20-304	XM 40 40 20-316	1
500	350	150	XM 50 35 15-304	XM 50 35 15-316	1
500	350	200	XM 50 35 20-304	XM 50 35 20-316	1
500	400	200	XM 50 40 20-304	XM 50 40 20-316	1
500	500	200	XM 50 50 20-304	XM 50 50 20-316	1
600	400	150	XM 60 40 15-304	XM 60 40 15-316	1
600	400	200	XM 60 40 20-304	XM 60 40 20-316	1
600	400	200	XM 60 40 25-304	XM 60 40 25-316	1
600	500	300	XM 60 50 30-304	XM 60 50 30-316	1
600	600	200	XM 60 60 20-304	XM 60 60 20-316	1
600	600	250	XM 60 60 25-304	XM 60 60 25-316	1
700	500	150	XM 70 50 15-304	XM 70 50 15-316	2
700	500	200	XM 70 50 20-304	XM 70 50 20-316	2
700	500	300	XM 70 50 30-304	XM 70 50 30-316	2
800	600	150	XM 80 60 15-304	XM 80 60 15-316	2
800	600	200	XM 80 60 20-304	XM 80 60 20-316	2
800	600	250	XM 80 60 25-304	XM 80 60 25-316	2
800	600	300	XM 80 60 30-304	XM 80 60 30-316	2
900	600	150	XM 90 60 15-304	XM 90 60 15-316	2
900	600	200	XM 90 60 20-304	XM 90 60 20-316	2
900	600	250	XM 90 60 25-304	XM 90 60 25-316	2
1000	600	200	XM 100 60 20-304	XM 100 60 20-316	2
1000	600	250	XM 100 60 25-304	XM 100 60 25-316	2
1000	600	300	XM 100 60 30-304	XM 100 60 30-316	2
1000	700	150	XM 100 70 15-304	XM 100 70 15-316	2
1000	700	200	XM 100 70 20-304	XM 100 70 20-316	2
1000	700	300	XM 100 70 30-304	XM 100 70 30-316	2
1000	700	400	XM 100 70 40-304	XM 100 70 40-316	2
1000	800	300	XM 100 70 40 304 XM 100 80 30-304	XM 100 70 40 316	2
1000	800	400	XM 100 80 40-304	XM 100 80 40-316	2
1200	600	300	XM 120 60 30-304	XM 120 60 30-316	2
1200	800	150	XM 120 80 15-304	XM 120 80 15-316	2
1200	800	200	XM 120 80 20-304	XM 120 80 13-316	2
1200	800	300	XM 120 80 30-304	XM 120 80 20-316 XM 120 80 30-316	2
1200	800	400	XM 120 80 40-304	XM 120 80 40-316	2



# **XM SERIES ORDER INFORMATION**

	XM SERIES STAINLESS STEEL MONOBLOCK ENCLOSURES OVERLAPPING DOOR						
HEIGHT (A)	WIDTH (B)	DEPTH (C)	ORDER CODES (304)	ORDER CODES (316)			
800	1000	300	XM 80 100 30-304	XM 80 100 30-316			
800	1200	300	XM 80 120 30-304	XM 80 120 30-316			
1000	1000	300	XM 100 100 30-304	XM 100 100 30-316			
1000	1200	300	XM 100 120 30-304	XM 100 120 30-316			
1200	1000	300	XM 120 100 30-304	XM 120 100 30-316			
1200	1200	300	XM 120 120 30-304	XM 120 120 30-316			

Note: Standard lock is swing handle type and made of plastic material. If stainless steel lock type is required, please specify while ordering.

	ORDER ALTERNATIVES					
CODE	LOCK	PLAIN DOOR	SYMMETRICAL RAIN CANOPY	WITH GLAND PLATE		
XM 60 40 20	Χ	D	S	R		
		GLAZED DOOR	ASYMMETRICAL RAIN CANOPY			
		С	А			

Example of Order Configuration:

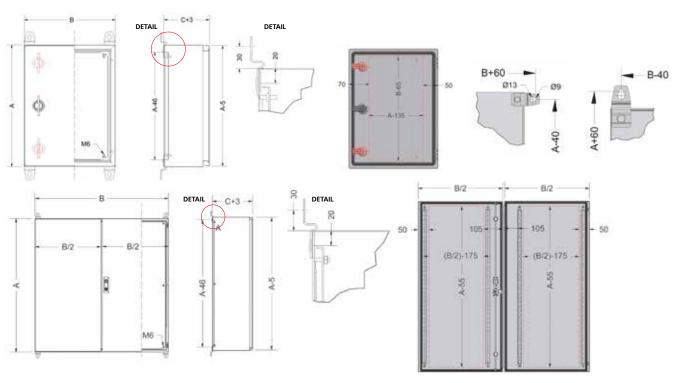
XM 60 40 20 DSR (Plain door + Symmetrical rain canopy + Gland plate)

XM 60 40 20 AB (Asymmetrical rain canopy + Plinth)

XM 60 40 20 CB (Glazed door + Plinth)

XM 60 40 20 X (Stainless Steel Lock + Gland Plate)

# **DIMENSIONS**

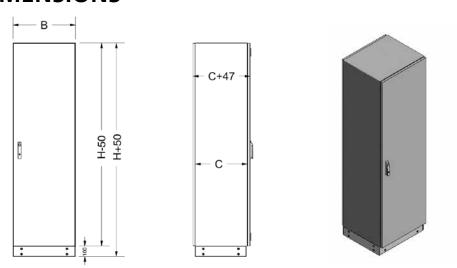


# **XM SERIES ORDER INFORMATION**

XM SERIES STAINLESS STEEL MONOBLOCK FLOOR STANDING ENCLOSURES					
ENCLOSURE RATED HEIGHT (H)	WIDTH (B)	DEPTH (C)			
14-1400	400	400			
16-1600	500	500			
18-1800	600	600			
20-2000	700	700			
22-2200	800	800			

Example of Order Configuration: XM 20 06 04

# **XM SERIES DIMENSIONS**



CODE	LOCK	PLAIN DOOR	SYMMETRICAL RAIN CANOPY	PLINTH
XM 60 40 20	Χ	D	S	В
		GLAZED DOOR	ASYMMETRICAL RAIN CANOPY	

C A

Example of Order Configuration:

XM 60 40 20 DSB (Plain Door + Symmetrical Rain Canopy + Plinth)

XM 60 40 20 AB (Asymmetrical Rain Canopy + Plinth)

XM 60 40 20 CB (Glazed Door + Plinth)

XM 60 40 20 XB (Stainless Steel Lock + Plinth)







#### STAINLESS STEEL LOCK TYPES



304 / 316 Swing Handle Lock Type



304 / 316 Stainless Steel Lock Type



Hygenic Lock Type



304 / 316 T - Wing Lock Type

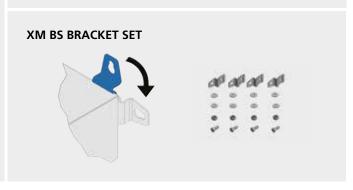
#### EM MK FULL HEIGHT MOUNTING PLATES

Galvanized sheet material

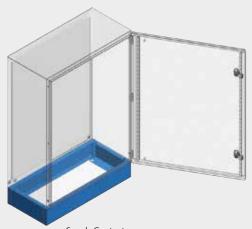
**EG MK FULL HEIGHT MOUNTING PLATES** 



Galvanized sheet material



#### **XM BZ PLINTH SET**



Supply Contents;

XM BZ Depth Profile 2 Pcs.

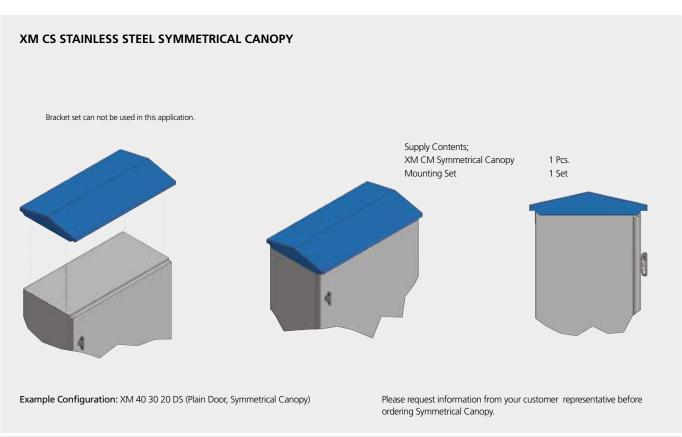
XM BZ Width Profile 2 Pcs.

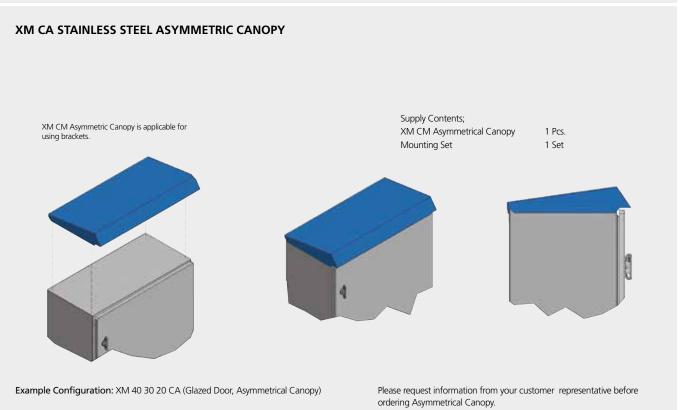
XM BZ Mounting Set 1 Set

**Example Configuration:** XM 40 30 20 DSB (Plain Door, Symmetrical Rain Canopy, Plinth)

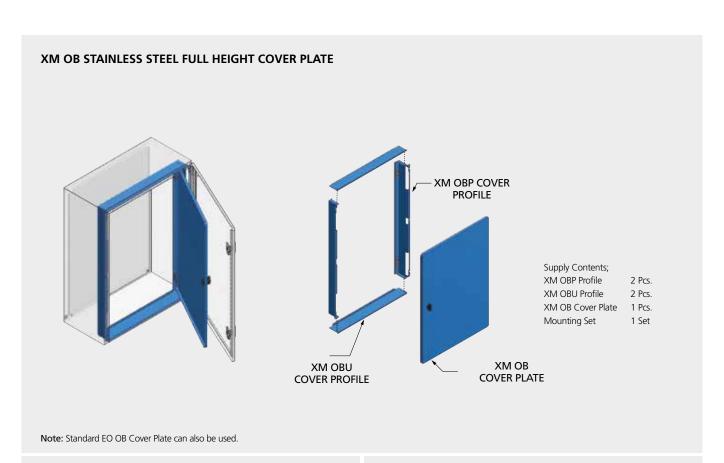
Please request information from your customer representative before ordering XM BZ Plinth Module.

# **XM SERIES ACCESSORIES**

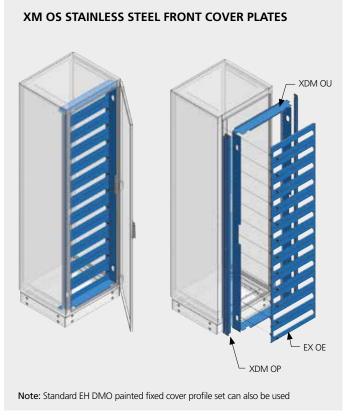








# Note: Standard EH DM OB full height painted cover set can also be used.



# **XT SERIES OVERVIEW**



#### **XT Series Stainless Steel Terminal Boxes**

E-Kabin XT Series Terminal Boxes are designed for general purpose electrical applications.

Place of use : Indoor Protection class : IP 66

Type of mounting : Wall-mounted : -5°C, +40°C Operating temperature Operating relative humidity : 90% at +20°C

50% at +40°C

Operating environment conditions class

: IE33 but, max. relative humidity %90 and min. temperature -5°C /

according to -EN 60721 - 3 - 3 -

Standards : IEC 62208, IEC 60529,

IEC 62262

Material : 304 grade stainless steel -

standard

316 grade stainless steel -

optional



# **XT SERIES CHARACTERISTICS**



#### 270° Turn Fastening Screw

Four 270° turn fastening screws provide ease of assembly white maintaining high pressure on the gasket in door fixed position.



#### **IP 66 Protection Class**

Polyurethane gasket behind the door does not loose its flexibility and adhesiveness over time. It also provides high protection against dust and water.



#### Wide Box Opening

Large box opening provide easy access and maximize usable area.



#### **Functional Mounting Plate**

Galvanized steel mounting plate allows to use maximum space inside the box.



#### **Stainless Steel Bracket**

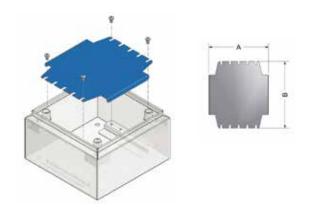
Stainless Steel bracket set within standard supply content easily and quickly mounted on the wall. Thanks to 90° swivel feature of the bracket it's position can be choosen either horizontally or vertically.

# **XT SERIES ORDER INFORMATION**

XT SERIES DIMENSIONS					
HEIGHT (A)	WIDTH (B)	DEPTH (C)	ORDER CODES (304)	ORDER CODES (316)	
200	200	120	XT 20 20-304	XT 20 20-316	
200	300	120	XT 20 30-304	XT 20 30-316	
200	400	120	XT 20 40-304	XT 20 40-316	
300	300	120	XT 30 30-304	XT 30 30-316	
300	400	120	XT 30 40-304	XT 30 40-316	
400	400	120	XT 40 40-304	XT 40 40-316	

Note: Mounting Plate and Bracket Set are in standard supply content.

#### **MOUNTING PLATE**

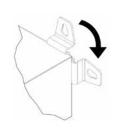


Mounting Plate 1 piece

A DIMENSION	B DIMENSION	ORDER CODE
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171	292	ET MK 20 30
171	392	ET MK 20 40
271	292	ET MK 30 30
371	392	ET MK 30 40

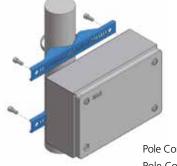
#### STAINLESS STEEL BRACKET SET





Bracket 4 pcs.

#### POLE CONNECTION SET



#### ORDER CODE

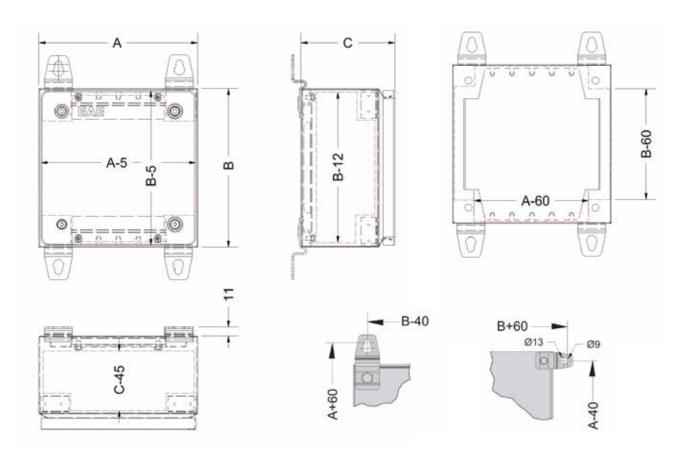
XT DB 20 XT DB 30 XT DB 40

Pole Connection Profile 2 sets
Pole Connection Strip 2 sets
Connection Set 1 pieces

Connection Set 1 piece



# **XT SERIES DIMENSIONS**



XT SERIES DIMENSIONS						
HEIGHT (A)	WIDTH (B)	DEPTH (C)				
200	200	120				
200	300	120				
200	400	120				
300	300	120				
300	400	120				
400	400	120				

#### **XK SERIES OVERVIEW**



#### XK Series Stainless Steel Monoblock Console

E-Kabin XK Series Monoblock Consoles are designed for general purpose electrical applications.

Place of use : Indoor

Protection class : IP 55

Operating temperature : -5°C, +40°C

Operating relative humidity : 90% at +20°C

50% at +40°C

Operating environment conditions class

: IE37 but, max. relative humidity %90 and min. temperature -5°C according to -EN 60721 - 3 - 3 -

Standards : IEC 61439-1, IEC 62208 IEC 60529, IEC 62262

Material : 304 grade stainless steel -

standard

316 grade stainless steel -

optional

Lock Set : Plastic – Standard

Stainless Steel – Optional



#### XK SERIES CHARACTERISTICS



#### **Rear Door**

Easy assembly through rear access from hinged rear door. All hinges of three doors for access - front, back and top - are made of 316 grade stainless steel.



#### **Mounting Possibility at Sides**

Mounting rails located at side wall provide mounting possibility of various E-Kabin inner accessories.



#### **IP 55 Protection Class**

Polyurethane foam-in-place gasket behind doors does not lose its flexibility and adhesiveness over time. It provides protection against dust and water. Modular bottom cover elements made of the same material as the body and their gaskets provide IP 55 Protection Class.



#### **Door Rails**

Cable fixing can easily be done by using rails located on the inner side of top door. As standard, there are two profiles on both side fixed through depth. Additional profiles can also be used but should be ordered separately.



#### **Top Door Piston**

Piston is included as standard order content in both sides which enables one to open and close top cover safely.



#### **Double Mounting Plates**

Second mounting plate can be used and fixed inside of the console as an additional accessory. In this way, it is possible to obtain two assembly surfaces which can be reached from front and rear.

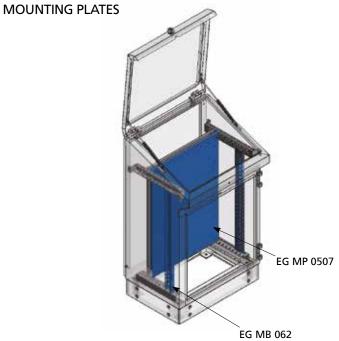
# **XK SERIES ORDER INFORMATION**

XK SERIES DIMENSIONS					
HEIGHT (A)	WIDTH (B)	DEPTH (C)	ORDER CODES (304)	ORDER CODES (316)	
1025	600	400	XK MN 0604-304	XK MN 0604-316	
1025	800	400	XK MN 0804-304	XK MN 0804-316	
1025	1000	400	XK MN 1004-304	XK MN 1004-316	
1025	1200	400	XK MN 1204-304	XK MN 1204-316	
1060	600	500	XK MN 0605-304	XK MN 0605-316	
1060	800	500	XK MN 0805-304	XK MN 0805-316	
1060	1000	500	XK MN 1005-304	XK MN 1005-316	
1060	1200	500	XK MN 1205-304	XK MN 1205-316	
1095	600	600	XK MN 0606-304	XK MN 0606-316	
1095	800	600	XK MN 0806-304	XK MN 0806-316	
1095	1000	600	XK MN 1006-304	XK MN 1006-316	
1095	1200	600	XK MN 1206-304	XK MN 1206-316	

Note: As standard, there are 1 piece mounting plate and 2 pcs. MA mounting profiles fixed through the depth under the top door in each console. Note: Standard lock and piston component is made of plastic. If locks and/or pistons are required as stainless steel, please specify at your order.

# **XK SERIES ACCESSORIES**

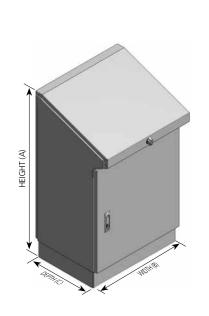


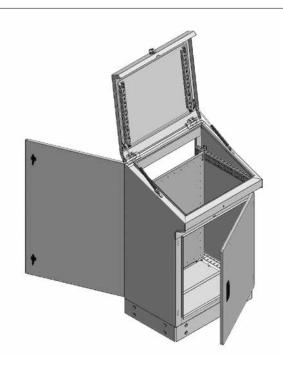


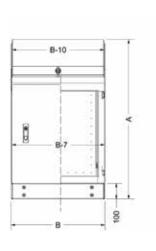
EK MN MOUNTING PLATES						
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698	492	XK MN MK 06				
698	692	XK MN MK 08				
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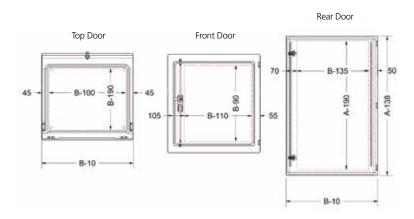
# **XK SERIES DIMENSIONS**











XK SERIES DIMENSIONS						
HEIGHT (A)	WIDTH (B)	DEPTH (C)	HEIGHT (A)	WIDTH (B)	DEPTH (C)	
1023	600	400	1023	1000	500	
1023	800	400	1023	1200	500	
1023	1000	400	1023	600	600	
1023	1200	400	1023	800	600	
1023	600	500	1023	1000	600	
1023	800	500	1023	1200	600	

### **CUSTOM DESIGN**





Monoblock or modular designs customised for outdoor applications

Different solutions for fixing to the ground

Special canopy design - symmetric - asymmetric and lifting-up solutions

Suitable to be used in hygienic environments

Optional additional powder coating in any desired RAL colour or lacquer coating.



#### STAINLESS STEEL ELECTRICAL ENCLOSURES

It is generally preferred that the electrical enclosures are manufactured from stainless steel material in various industrial applications where corrosion resistance is important. However, there are rules to be considered when selecting and using stainless steel materials.

#### **Stainless Steel Enclosures**

Stainless steel is a proven it's reliability in various industrial applications as electrical equipment enclosures. In the corrosion resistance of the stainless steel, the environment and its conditions of the application, the grade of steel and the surface treatment have determinant importance.

When the characteristics of stainless steel enclosures are determined for using in a project, by careful consideration of the factors stated here, the required level of corrosion protection and the overall success of the application can be possible.

# Oxygen Passive Layer

The metallic satin finish of the stainless steel makes itself passive, if a suitable environment is provided, i.e. sufficient oxygen and available rich chromium oxidation.

This reaction occurs spontaneously in very short time once the sufficient oxygen contacts on the surface, and the protective layer thus formed becomes thick over time.

The resistance against corrosion on the surface has the ability to repair itself in case of mechanical defection.

#### **Environment and its conditions;**

The climate of the area where the application will be, has a great effect on the corrosion resistance of the stainless steel material.

For example, 304 grade stainless steel is resistant to corrosion under a wide range of environment conditions and climate effects, but it is inevitable to experience corrosion in salt and other chloride environments. De facto, 304 grade stainless steel should not be used up to 10 km inside by the sea coast; but the actual length of this distance can be determined by evaluating the climatic



conditions according to the application area specifications. By this reason, it is not recommended to use 304 grade stainless steel in marine applications without taking special precautions. In cold climate zones, chlorides are used as defrosting chemicals and also, can cause point corrosion on 304 stainless steel surfaces.

In industrial environments, chlorides can be existing in smoke and flying ashes. These are dirt and debris deposits on non-washed, uncleaned surfaces and eventually they may cause point corrosion. Even if the right stainless steel is chosen, corrosive substances condensed in the accumulation of impurities in that way, may cause the protective passive layer on the stainless steel surface to be pierced. In such cases, cleaning is necessary. By this way, self-repairing of stainless steel material can be provided and the stainless steel surfaces can be prevented from condensation of sulfur-dioxide, chloride or ferrous deposits. In another particular attention should be paid not only to the general climatic conditions, but also to the specific micro-climatic conditions where the enclosure is to be mounted. The most obvious example to this, is the negative effect in the settlement areas especially in highways, where salt and chemicals are is used as de-icing, which can be carried up to a distance by the vehicles. Likewise, the effects of increased exhaust gas emission by the dense and stopped traffic on the underpass, in the tunnel or at the ticket office, can be evaluated in terms of attracting attention to the micro-climatic conditions.

#### Which grade of stainless steel?

304 grade stainless steel is the most widely used type in different applications where a special corrosion resistance is not required. More harsh environments require the use of 316 qualities which is more expensive grade of stainless steel. However, even for 316 grade stainless steel, chemicals, their concentration and their level of aggressiveness in the environment must be examined,

evaluated and observed in deep detail; because there may be cases where this grade is not sufficient.

#### 304 Grade Stainless Steel SEA 304-304L / EN 1.4301-1.4303

Classified as 304 grade by the American Society of Automotive Engineers - SAE, stainless steel contains 18-20% chromium and 8-10.5% nickel. The 304 grade sometimes referred to as '18 -8', is widely used as standard stainless steel grade in different industrial applications. The most common application where the use of 304 quality stainless steel is inconvenient, is the outdoor applications in the coastal areas where the salt is deposited on the surfaces by flying.

In the food and beverage industry, it is necessary for the enclosures to be washed frequently without worrying about rusting. 304 grade stainless steel is used extensively here. Due to its high resistance to various acids found in meat, milk, fruits and vegetables, 304 grade stainless steel has become the ideal raw material for control and control equipment enclosures of machines used in food and beverage processes. Nevertheless, a stronger stainless steel grade may be required, if the environment has excessive chloride usage, or cleaning procedures require high corrosion resistance solvents.

The use of 304 grade stainless steel may be sufficient in a majority of waste treatment and clean water treatment plants. However, in some clean water treatment plants, chlorine gas is used as a disinfectant and sulfur dioxide is used to remove the residues of used chlorine. When the nature of the environment with high humidity and the corrosive effect of these gases are combined together, the capabilities of 304 grade stainless steel are exceeded. Some municipalities put efforts to use less chemicals with environment friendly approaches and apply ultraviolet treatment for water treatment. 304 quality stainless steel can be used, due to no chemical usage in such facilities.

#### 316 Grade Stainless Steel SEA 316-316L / EN 1.4401-1.4404

The second most widely used grade of stainless steel is 316 when the limits of 304 are reached. In general, 316 quality stainless steel, which is 25-35% more expensive, has a higher nickel content and an additive molybdenum content of 2-3%. Molybdenum additive provides increase of corrosion resistance especially against chlorides. The rate of chloride contained in water is the most determinant factor in the selection of stainless steel enclosure material for water treatment plants. 304 grade stainless steel is able to withstand against the corrosive effect of water containing up to 100 ppm of chloride. On the contrary, in the 316 grade stainless steel material,



this limit is up to 1000 ppm of chloride. In addition to chlorides, there are other substances that affect the corrosive behavior of the water. Especially, attention should be paid to halides such as bromides or iodides which are not chlorides. Another important factor is the presence of water oxidizers (e.g. ozone); the risk of point corrosion is also increasing as long as water oxidizing power increases. In such some cases, 316 grade stainless steel is also insufficient.

316 grade stainless steel commonly known as the marine standard, cannot withstand to be presented in continuous saline water (equivalent to 19,000 ppm chlorine). However, it can be used in overwater applications such as temporary and short-term salt spray applications. It should not be forgotten to take various precautions for the application areas with narrow and closed low airflow a difficult harsh environment conditions with low pH or high temperature. 316 grade stainless steel is generally considered as an adequate enclosure for marine applications such as ships and oil platforms and even for salt mines. Essentially, the stainless steel grade is 316 which should be used mainly in corrosive environments where high chloride levels are present.

316 grade stainless steel should be preferred because of having high chloride resistance in food processing plants using excessive acidic chemicals and concentrated chloride salts. 316 grade stainless steel having considerable degree of resistance against sulfuric acid solutions (<10%) and sulfur-containing gases, is used as the raw materials for the enclosures used in industries where they are frequently found. For example, 316 grade stainless steel is used in the paper industry. Similarly, in other industries such as vulcanization process for the rubber or gun powder manufacturing, it is also widely used.

#### Nitric and hydrochloric acid

As a general rule, 316 grade stainless steel enclosures are more resistant to aggressive chemical environments than





304 grade. Nitric acid is at the top of special cases which does not suit this rule. Nitric acid is especially used in fertilizer production, pharmaceutical industry and explosive production; also, it can be used in synthetic yarn and polymer manufacturing or in water treatment plants.

All stainless steel grades have a slight resistance to nitric acid, but in industries where the use of nitric acid is widespread, 304 grade stainless steel should be preferred due to its high resistance against this substance. In this case, the self-passive ability of the stainless steel is enhanced by the strong oxidizing effect of nitric acid and the corrosion resistance of the stainless steel is increased.

It is important to consider that neither the 304 grade nor the 316 grade stainless steel will be able to withstand against the chemical corrosion caused by hydrochloric acid. This acid destroys the passive surface and leaves the metal vulnerable.

#### **Swimming pool environments**

The swimming pool atmosphere is generally characterized by at a relative humidity approximately 60-70% together with chlorine and chlorine compounds relatively high levels. The original "pool smell" is existent due to these. These substances can be spread to the entire space as both steam



and aerosol. In addition to sodium chloride, relatively high amounts of calcium and magnesium chloride are found in many applications. Typical values are 2-5% for the chloride ratio and 3-4 for the pH value. The high relative humidity rate fluctuates by depending on the intensity of swimming activity, the temperature changes during the day and resulting in the accumulation of deposits at various locations with the switched off air conditioning system in the nights. The evaporation of chloride-containing liquids and the increase of chloride concentration in the contact zones considerably increase the likelihood of corrosion.

It is necessary to pay special attention to the selection of the right material in swimming pool applications. Especially, attention should be paid to the selection of materials for enclosures placed in closed areas such as machine rooms of pools. Special precautions such as micro climate air quality, should be taken in these applications. It is obvious that the selection of 316 grade stainless steel will not sufficient alone in the presence of oxidizing substances such as ozone or where disinfectant chemicals are stored. In this case application of lacquer coating or 316 quality stainless steel or both is required.

#### **Surface treatment**

Grinding is common surface treatment for stainless steel enclosures used in industrial applications. The protective film as the purpose of masking, adhered on the outer surfaces of the enclosures is kept to the very last of the manufacturing steps, after removing the film and the possible adhesive residues are cleaned with special chemicals, the enclosure is packed with an air-permeable material before last packaging.

In addition to the surface treatment quality, the direction of grinding of the stainless steel surface is also important in terms of corrosion resistance. The vertically oriented grinding allows cleaning to be done easily and in case of outdoor applications, rain water can flow down itself with help of gravity. Some stainless steel enclosures can be painted. Especially, it is known that outdoor stainless steel enclosures exposed to intense solar radiation can be 10 degrees cooler, if they are painted with a light color. It is also possible to consider the paint as an additional layer of protection for extremely corrosive environments. Stainless steel can be painted by using standard paint process.

#### **Hygienic applications**

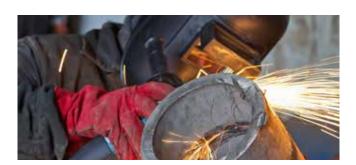
Stainless steel enclosures are also preferred for their superior hygienic features in addition to their corrosion resistance. It is more difficult to stick and reproduce for bacterias and microbes on stainless steel surfaces (assuming to have appropriate surface smoothness). The smooth and though surface of the stainless steel allows for easier and more effective cleaning.

# Precautions for storage and construction site environment

In order to ensure that the surface qualities of stainless steel enclosures are also protected under storage and site conditions, some precautions might be needed to be taken in addition to the manufacturer's precautions such as product packaging.

Water which may accumulate during storage and transport, especially under heat shrinkage or under the plastic packaging of the stretch-film construction, may cause corrosion. This is the case when the packaged product is left in a humid environment for a long time. Strong acids (chloride based) which can be used for cleaning after ground work, especially stone or ceramic laying in new buildings, should be prevented from getting in contact with stainless steel surfaces. Any cleaning or rinsing fluid must not be interacted with the surrounding metals.

During storage, transfer, positioning and assembling in construction site environment, contamination of stainless steel enclosures' surfaces with carbon steel or iron must be avoided. For example, metal machining, grinding or welding around stainless steel enclosures should be avoided or precautions should be taken. Carbon steel metal burrs or slag splashing on the stainless steel surfaces will cause corrosion of splinters.



#### Cleaning before delivery

The stainless steel electrical enclosures manufactured by EAE, are delivered in an air-permeable package material, after the protective film is stripped and the surface is cleaned with flying chemicals which have protective features for stainless steel. Before the final delivery against the contamination, it is necessary to clean the surface defections which may be occurred in the workshop environment or the construction site environment. Mortars and cement particles can be cleaned with 10-15% phosphoric acid. The solution should be applied hot onto the surface, subsequently, neutralized by the ammonia solution, finally rinsed with water purified from the minerals. Cleaning products manufacturers offer some special products for this type of cleaning. The superficial

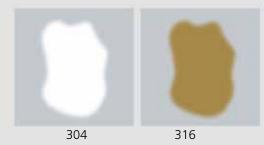
light stains can be removed by gentle cleaning creams and polishing pastes which are available in the market. These cleaning products contain substances that can penetrate the surface together with calcium carbonate. Household cleaners are also based on lemon acid and suitable for cleaning.

Grinding powders containing iron adhering to the surface in a short time ago, should be cleaned with saturated solutions of oxalic acids. Firstly, it must be applied to the surface without pressing hardly with a soft cotton cloth or cotton-based polishing pad and waited for a few minutes. Thus, as a rule, it is ensured that the particles are separated from the surface without scratches and damages on the surface. Moderate level rust stains are cleaned using cleaning products containing phosphoric acid. Careful cleaning is done without damaging the surface and changing color. Alternatively, small amounts of iron particles treated on the surface are successfully cleaned with slenderized nitric acid. It is only possible to clean the surface treated with rust thoroughly with acid processing and / or passivation to be done professionally. The acid cleaning process should be considered as a thin layer removal from the surface. For this, a mixture of nitric acid and hydrofluoric acid is generally used. Passivation process is a controlled and accelerated reconstitution of the impaired passive layer on the surface in the nitric acid environment. However, first of all, the oil and organic soils on the surface must be cleaned.

#### Maintenance

For all stainless steel applications, periodic surface maintenance should be planned and applied during operation.

#### 304 and 316 grades raw material discrimination test:



A fine liquid from Monil 304-316 separator solution is dropped on the surface (under room temperature). 20-25 minutes to be waited. The colour of drop is watched. On the tested surface, in 5 minutes, yellow-green-brown color changes in sequence as the proof of 316 grade stainless steel. For 316L grade stainless steel, more than 5 minutes to be waited.

# Some of the most important environmental pollutants in different environments (ISO 9223: 2012 Annex B, IEC 60721-3-3: 2002, IEC 60721-2-5: 1991)

Environmental	ISO 9223	IEC 60721	I-3-3	ISO 9223	ISO 9223	
pollutant	Condensation/ Residue (annual mean value) (µg / m3)	Referance Value (µg/m³)	Class	Environment	Sources of Residue	
	2-15	10		rural		
SO <sub>2</sub>	5-100	100 max.	3C1L 3C1	urban	The main reasons of SO <sub>2</sub> are the usage of coal and fuel with the emissions of industrial plants.	
	50-400	300	3C2	industrial		
NO <sub>2</sub>	2-25	100	3C1L	rural	The main reason of $SO_2$ is traffic.	
	20-150	100 max.	3C1	urban		
HNO <sub>3</sub>	0,1-0,7			rural	HNO <sub>3</sub> is in correlation with NO <sub>2</sub> . High concentrated NO <sub>2</sub> organic compound and UV	
111103	0,5-4			industrial	light concentration will increase.	
	< 10	10 max.	3C1L 3C1		O <sub>3</sub> occurs with the interaction of sunlight,	
O <sub>3</sub>	10 < X < 20	10 max.	3C1L		oxygen and environmental pollutants in the atmosphere. Concenrations are higher in dirty rural atmosphere but, in urban areas with high	
	20-90	50	3C2		traffic is lower.	
H <sub>2</sub> S	1-5	10 max.	3C1L 3C1	in normal	There are some natural resources such as swamps and volcanic activities. Pulp, paper industry and	
112 3	20-250	100	3C2	indusrial & animal shelters	agriculture produce the highest concentrations.	
CI <sub>2</sub>	0,1			in normal	Main sources are the emissions of paper and pulp	
	20'ye kadar			some industrial plants	industries.	
		10 max.	3C1L 3C1		The main sources are the defrosting of ice	
CI	0,1-200	100	3C2		in the oceans and the roads. Depending on the geographical location - in the marine	
	300-1500	600	3C4		environment.	
	< 20			low concentration in normal		
NIL	< 300	300 max.	3C1L 3C1	close to source	The emissions sourced from food production and fertilizing industry in agriculture provide the	
NH₃ -	300 to 1000			close to source	highest average values.	
	1000 to 3000	1000	3C2	close to source		
	10-25			rural	Largely, ineffective components	
Particles PM <sub>10</sub>	20.70			urban	High density traffic, corrosive ingredients	
	30-70			industrial	Emissions caused from production at high concentration.	

Note: This table indicates the general limits of the concentrations of pollutants. Actual ranges can be variated in some certain regions of the world depending on the level of industrialization and the implementation of precautions for reducing pollution. (legal precautions, exhaust emission technologies, etc.)



# **TEST CERTIFICATE**

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34490 Basaksehir - Istanbul

Turkey

For the product: Empty enclosure for low-voltage switchgear and controlgear assemblies

Trade name: EAE

Type/Model: E-Kabin D / S / H / X / L / E / M / O / T / K Series

Ratings: IP67 (T Series), IP66 (M / O Series), IP55 (E / S / D / L / H / K Series),

IP41 / IP30 (S / D / L Series (natural ventilated)), IP30 (E Series with safety glass door); IK 10;

indoor (D / S / L / E / O / K Series), outdoor (H Series), indoor/outdoor (M / T Series)

For more details see annex

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Subject: Type test

Requirements: IEC 62208:2011

Clauses 9.3 - 9.9 and 9.11 - 9.14

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This Test Certificate is granted on account of an examination by DEKRA, the results of which are laid down in report no. 2171524.01-INC, issued on 16 February 2015.

The examination has been carried out on one single specimen of the product, submitted by the manufacturer. The Attestation does not include an assessment of the manufacturer's production. Conformity of his production with the specimen tested by DEKRA is not the responsibility of DEKRA.

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E-KABİN E

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E-KABİN H

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E-KABİN K

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