

# SCHMERSAL Tech Briefs:

## DN3PS2 Standstill Monitor



### Overview

After the removal of power to a motor, a machine may still pose hazardous conditions because of flywheel overrun, spindle momentum, or unstable rest positions for example. Guard locking devices protecting such type or machines and equipment need to remain locked until dangerous conditions have abated. Hazardous motions must be monitored to insure that the machine has reached a safe speed or standstill before the locked safety guards can be opened.

One common practice to monitor standstill is by monitoring the back electromotive force (EMF) directly off of a motor. An EMF reading in the low millivolt range from the line voltage will represent a safe state for the opening of a locked guard.

The DN3PS2 is a safety rated standstill monitoring relay which uses back electromotive force to detect standstill. 1 or 3 phase motors of up to 600VAC can be monitored without the need of any additional external sensors. The monitoring ability of the DN3PS2 allows it to be used in applications with VFD and up to PLe per ISO 13849 and SIL 3 per IEC 61508.

### Features

- Compact 22.5mm housing
- 600VAC monitoring
- Cat.4 / PLe / SIL 3
- Simple wiring and setup
- LED device status
- Can be used in VFD systems
- 1 or 3 phase motors
- Requires no external sensors

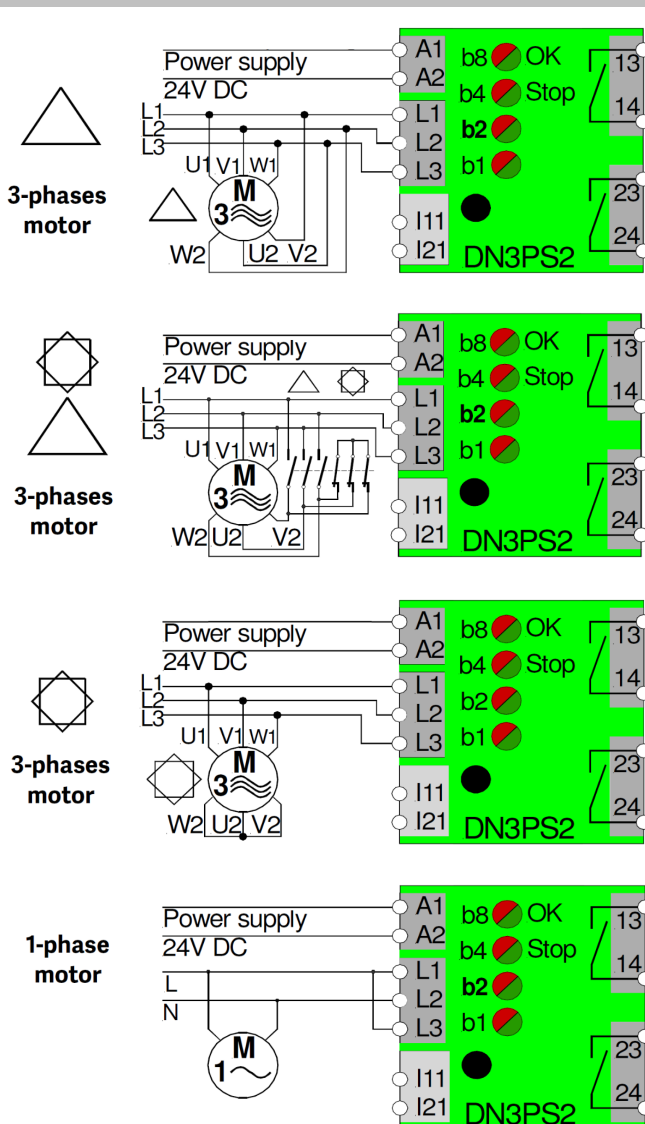
### Applications



- Machine tool Industry for CNC machines
- High Speed packaging machines
- Bakery Equipment for the Food Industry
- High Speed Stretch wrapping machines
- Material handling Robot cell applications
- High Speed conveyor applications
- Batch processing mixing Applications
- Woodworking industry
- Woodworking CNC machines



### Wiring Examples



### Ordering Details

**DN3PS2-33PS02**

### Related products

#### Initiate stop:

##### Control Devices

BDF100 Single operator  
BDF200-2875 4 operators, field configurable

##### Panel mounted pushbuttons

N Series IP69K / Hygienic  
R series Robust / metal  
EX-R series Explosive environments

#### Guard Locks:

##### Solenoid interlocks

AZM161 6 contacts, 4 actuating planes  
AZM170 Compact, QD options  
AZM190 Slim design

##### Electronic Safety Locks

AZM200 Door handle assembly  
AZM300 IP69K rated  
AZM400 Bi-stable bolt lock  
MZM100 Electromagnet lock

### Product Extension

#### DNDS

In addition to standstill, some applications may require the monitoring of safe speeds during operator interaction. Setup modes, as that seen in printing machines, which require motion must be monitored to prevent speeds from exceeding the safe setup speeds.

The modular DNDS system can be programmed via dipswitches to monitor up to 3 different speeds by the means of an encoder, resolver or proximity sensors to PLe per ISO 13849 and SIL 3 per IEC 61508. Please consult factory for additional information.

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