

INSTRUCTION MANUAL

FOR

ELECTRICAL CONDUCTIVITY LEVEL SENSOR

MODEL : M T 1 0 - Z

MODEL: R E 9 0 0 0

Read and understand this manual for safely usage.

- This manual describes the product of standard specification. Read the other manual for the product of explosion-proof specification.
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Indicates a hazardous situation which, if not pay attention, may result in minor or moderate injury or damage to device.

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If installed, the flammable gas or vapor may be ignited, and serious disaster may be occurred. Use the product of explosion-proof construction in this case.

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Ensure the wire is properly connected. The product and connected device may be malfunctioned, damaged, fired, or miner injury and electric shock may be occurred by improper wiring.

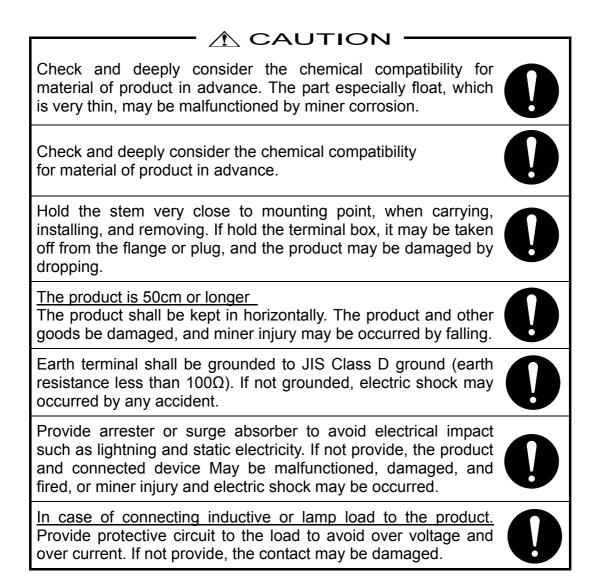
Turn off the power immediately, if the smoke, strange smell and sound are occurred.

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Avoid shock and rough handling to this product. The product may be damaged by shock as dropping, falling, throwing, knocking, lugging, and etc.

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Operation test shall be done before practical usage. If the serious accident is expected to occur by malfunction of product, the other operating principle of product shall be installed in parallel.



INTRODUCTION

- A) This manual specifies the specification of general product. If you order special product, some details of specification may be different with the manual.
- B) We are glad to suggest and advice for Model selection and chemical resistant of material, but final decision has to be made by the customer.
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- B) The warranty only covers the damage of products. The secondary and third kind disasters are not covered by NOHKEN INC.
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NOTE TO USERS

First of all, it is essential that this manual should be read and understood before installation and start-up of the Electrical conductivity level sensor. This manual covers instructions for the installation, wiring, maintenance, and troubleshooting.

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1. PURPOSE OF USE

This system consists of the sensor (model MT) and the relay unit(model RE9000). This system will controls for level detection of sewage, waste, sweet water conductive liquid water, high conductive liquid water in tank.

2. SPECIFICATIONS

2.1 Model

Sensor : M T 1 0 - Z

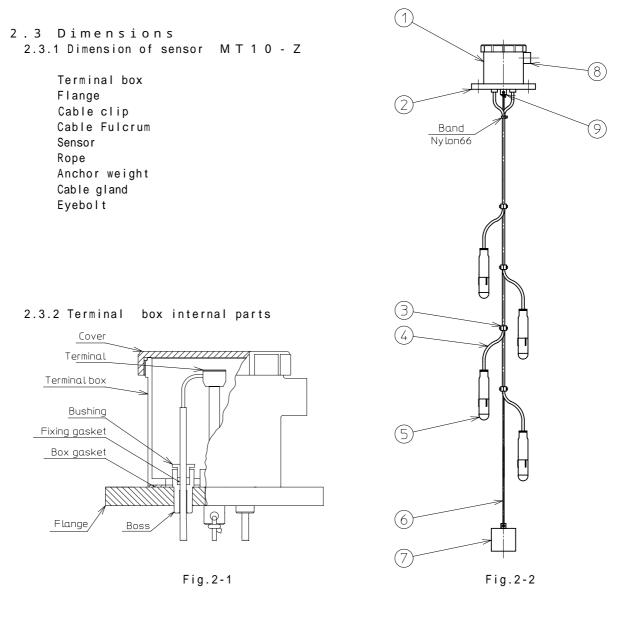
Relay unit: R E 9 0 0 0

2.2 Specifications

		Т	able 2–1 Sensor	
Name		Electrical conductivity level sensor (sensor)		
	Model		MT10-Z	
Measu	ring object	Discharged or sewage water、Sweet water (Conductive Liquid、High conductive Liquid)		
Workir	ng temperature		0~+80 (Get rid of dew)	
Со	nstruction		IP45	
Materials	Terminal box		ABS	
	Flange		CPVC	
	Sensor	Body PE		
			316 Stainless steel	
Γ	Cable		PVC sheath ()	
	Anchor weight	304 Stainless steel		
	Rope	РР		
	Rope clip	CPVC		
Installation		Flange connection		
		(Equivalent JIS 10K 100A proviso 4 holes)		
Ca	able inlet	G 3/4 or Equivalent		

: One point sensor has two core cables, Black and White, but these cables are short circuited inside of sensor.

	Table 2–2 Relay unit		
Name	Electrical conductivity level sensor (relay unit)		
Mode I	RE9000		
Operating resistance Reset resistance	Function 1: Drainage control and high alarm (3 or 2 point detection) Function 2: Drainage control, Feeding control, or Alarm output (2 or 1 point detection)		
Sensitivity	1k (High conductive Liquid) 4k (Conductive Liquid) 20k (Discharged or sewage water) 80k (Sweet water)		
Operating display	Power ON : Green LED lights Pump control relay ON (RY1) : Yellow LED lights Alarm relay ON (RY2) : Red LED lights		
Power supply	AC : 100 to 240V AC ±10% 50/60Hz DC : 24V DC (20 to 28V DC)		
Power consumption	AC:7VA Max. (240V AC) DC:7W Max.		
Power source to sensor	12V AC (1mA Max.)		
Wiring distance between sensor and relay unit	500m Max. (Relay unit earth and tank earth are the same.)		
Output signal	2 × (1a + 1b)		
ON delay time	Function 1 : Alarm relay (RY1); 0.5 / 10(sec.) Alarm relay (RY2); 0.5 / 15(sec.) Function2 : 0.5 / 2.5 / 5 / 10 / 20 / 40 / 80 / 160 (sec.) (RY1,2 Common)		
Contact rating	240V 5A AC (with resistive load)		
Life expectancy	1 x 10 ⁵ times or more. (with rating load)		
Withstand voltage test	1500V AC for 1 miniute (between power supply terminal / relay terminal to grand terminal)		
Insulation resistance test	More than 20M at 500V DC (between power supply terminal / relay terminal to grand terminal)		
Allowable temperature	-10~+60 (Get rid of dew)		
Allowable humidity	95% R.H Max.		
Construction	IP 20		
Materials	PC / PET		
Mass	Approx. 200 g		



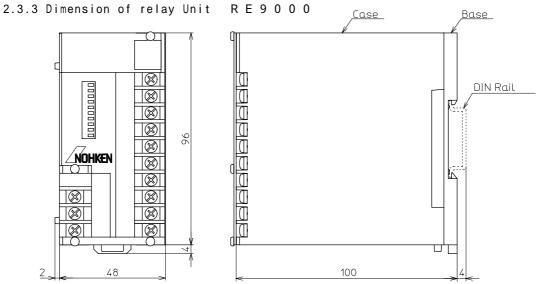


Fig.2-3

3. **PRINCIPLE OF OPERATION** This Electrical conductivity level sensor is installed on the conductivity between the earth (tank) and the electrode.

If the sensor is installed to FRP or plastic tank, the conductor as pump must be used for earth rode. If there is no conductor to use it for earth rode, the earth rode must be provided. The earth rode shall be grounded at earth resistance less than 100 .

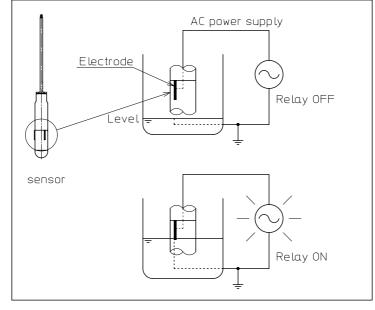


Fig.3-1

4. Handing cautions

Following shall be observed when handling the sensor and relay unit. Otherwise, malfunction or accident may occur.

4.1 Avoid physical shock. Dropping, throwing or bumping will damage the sensor and relay unit.	
4.2 During unpacking, care must be taken not to damage cables with sharp object.	
4.3 Do not put the level controller where it will be exposed to direct sunlight. Locate away from condensation, dust and foreign matters.	
4.4 Do not use in a corrosive atmosphere such as NH ₃ , SO ₂ , Cl ₂ , etc. Internal circuit board will be corroded through radiation slots.	
4.5 To avoid personal injury, JIS Class D grounding (less than 100 ohm) should be done.	

5. INSTALLATION

5.1 Unpacking

This unit has been thoroughly inspected and carefully packed at the factory to prevent from damage during shipment. When unpacking, care must be taken not to damage the instrument with mechanical shock. After unpacking, visually check the instrument exterior for damage.

NOTE the following points:

- (1) During unpacking, care must be taken not to damage cables with sharp object.
- (2) Cable must be kept from vending forcefully during unpacking or carring.
- (3) Be sure that the parts such as clip, rope and anchor weight are attached correctly.

5.2 Installation location

This sensor should be installed in an area where the following conditions :

- (1) No excessive vibration.
- (2) No corrosive gases (Such as NH $_3$, SO $_2$, Cl $_2$ and so on).
- (3) Provide ample space for maintenance / inspection.

5.3 Installation method of sensor This sensor is provided with flange. Normally, it is installed on the mating flange which is compatible on the top of the tank.

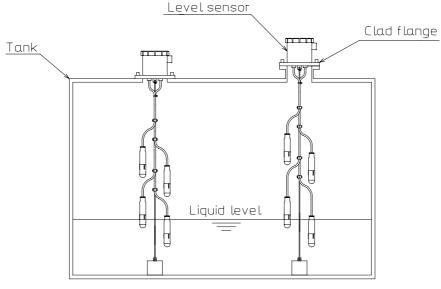


Fig.5-1

NOTE the following points ;

- a) Do not install the sensor near the agitator or liquid inlet or outlet where wave and flow of liquid is heavy. Provide steeling pipe, if it is necessary.
- b) Make sure cable must be properly wired, do not wire faultily. Terminal screw must be tightened properly. Otherwise, loose connection or accident of short circuit may be occurred.

C) The size of the cable inlet is G 3/4. There are two ways for connecting the sensor cable. One is fixing the cable with a cable gland. The other is connecting a conduit to the housing. In either case, an adequate sealing should be provided to prevent water or dust ingress into the housing through the sensor cable. Secure the cable using sealing material for the conduit connection, or a proper tool when the gland is used, to protect the housing inside from dust or water.

When water or moisture comes into the housing from the conduit, use putty to fill the inside of the conduit.

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Do not use lowest point of sensor for earth rode.

The sensor shall be installed closed to the inflow where the surface of liquid is waving. However, the liquid does not inflow directly to sensor. (Normally, the amount of suspended solid as scum around inflow is less than normal condition.)

Keep away sensor for 150mm or more from conductor such as wall of manhole, pump, baffle plate, pipe, or chain. The sensor may be malfunctioned by touching with them.

The sensor must be set on 10mm or higher than lowest operation point of pump. (Serve as prevention against idling of pump.)

The wiring between sensor and relay unit must be connected as short as possible. Avoid Influence of electromagnetic induction, the connection cable must be wired by 50cm away from power cable or using duct and conduit is recommended.

If the sensor is installed to FRP or plastic tank, the conductor as pump must be used for earth rode. If there is no conductor to use it for earth rode, the earth rode must be provided. The earth rode shall be grounded at earth resistance less than 100 .

Use VCTF cable $(1, 25mm^2)$ for extension. Do not use shielded cable.

Avoid touching cum on the sensor with structure on bottom of pit.

5.4 Installation method of relay unit Before installate, inspect the MT for shipping damage.

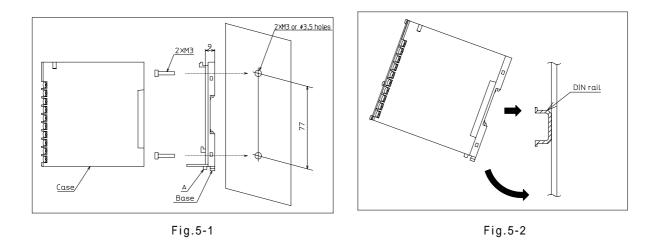
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Locate away from rain and jetting water. RE9000 is not water-proof.

Avoid physical shock. Dropping, throwing or bumping will damage the sensor and relay unit.

(1)Screw mounting
 Prepare M3 screw tap, and fixed by M3 screw. The base is separated from body by push button A.
 (See fig.5-2)

(2)Rail mounting
Use DIN rail 35mm and fixed.
Note: If relay unit is taken off from rail, push button A to take off body and take off the base.
(See fig.5-3)



6 . COMPONENT NAMES OF RELAY UNIT

- : Power lamp (power / green LED)
- Light up, when power supply is on.
- : Dip switch
- Correcting for function, sensitivity, on delay
- : Terminal
- Power supply terminal、 Input terminal、 Relay terminal、 Ground terminal、 and com terminal
- : Alarm rely operating display (RY1 / yellow LED)
- Light up, when pump control rely is on.
- : Alarm relay operating display (RY2 / red LED) Light up, when alarm rely is on.

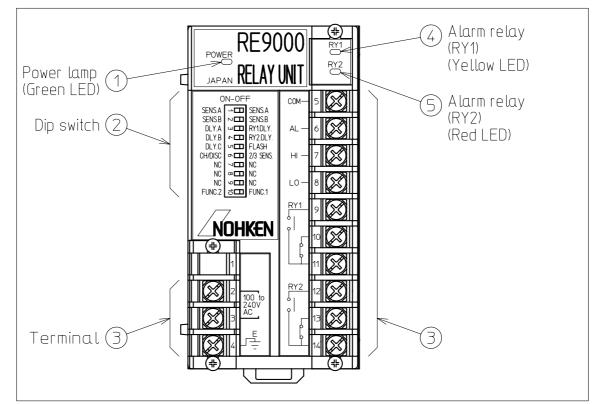
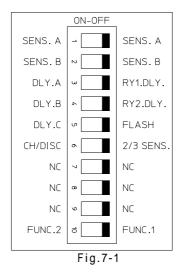


Fig.6-1

7 . SETTING

The sensitivity, On delay, or operation mode shall be set by turning On or OFF for dip switch No. 1 to No. 10 on front panel of unit. Refer to the drawing 3-1 for detail.



7.1 Function switch (SW No. 10) Select switch with matching of function. Refer to Table 7-1 for function selection.

Table 7-1

SW.No.10	Function
OFF	Function 1: Drainage control and high alarm
(FUNC.1)	(3 or 2 point detection)
ON	Function 2: Drainage control, Feeding control, or
(FUNC.2)	Alarm output (2 or 1 point detection)

7.2 Setting of function 1

The following is step of function setting for selecting of Function 1 (SW 10-OFF).

Sensitivity setting (SW. No. 1 / No. 2)

Set sensitivity by matching with medium. When the resistance between sensor electrode and E terminal of RE9000 is below setting value, the function shall be detected. The sensitivity can not be set for each sensor. This function is common for both function 1 and 2.

Table 7-2				
SW.No.1 (SENS.A)	SW.No.2 (SENS.B)	Sensitivity		
OFF	OFF	1k	High conductive liquid	Low sensitivity
OFF	ON	4k Conductive liquid		
ON	OFF	20k	Discharged or sewage water	
ON	ON	80k	sweet water	High sensitivity

ON delay setting of relay for pump control (SW No. 3) Set ON delay time of pump control relay (RY1). The delay time shown on table 7–3 may have an error of $\pm 10\%$ Max.

Table 7-3		
SW.No.3	ON delay time	
(RY1.DLY.)	(sec.)	
OFF	0.5	
ON	10	

ON delay setting of relay for high alarm (SW No. 4)

Set ON delay time of high alarm relay (RY2). The delay time shown on table 7-4 may have an error of $\pm 10\&$ Max.

Table 7-4		
SW.No.4	ON delay time	
(RY2.DLY.)	(sec.)	
OFF	0.5	
ON	15	

Mode setting of high alarm (SW. No. 5)

Set operation of high alarm relay (RY2). Operation of high alarm relay is flicker operation (*) in 2 seconds with ON setting.

(*): Repeat operation of ON and OFF.

	Table 7-5
SW.No.5 (FLASH)	High alarm operation mode
OFF	Normal operation
ON	Flicker operation

Input Mode setting (SW No. 6)

Set the number of sensor connected.

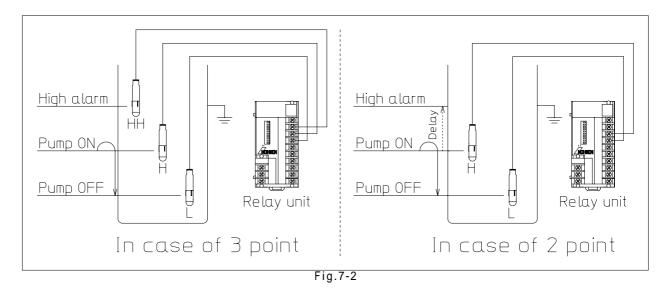
Table 7-6				
SW.No.6 (2/3 SENS.)	Number of sensor connected			
OFF	3 point			
ON	2 point			

a) Three points input mode

Connect three sensors. The sensor at high and low position operates discharge, and the sensor at high position operates high alarm.

b) Two points input mode

Connect two sensors. The sensor at high and low position operates discharging, and the sensor in high position operates high alarm. High alarm relay (RY2) shall be operated, when the level of liquid is decreased to below high level within setting delay time from sensor going under the liquid to going out from liquid. This delay time is set by delay time for pump operation and high alarm relay. *: Recommended delay time of high alarm is 15 seconds.



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Take the delay time for fifteen seconds or more.

7.3 Setting of function 2

The following is step of function setting for selecting of Function 1 (SW 10-ON).

Sensitivity setting (SW. No. 1 / No. 2)

Set Sensitivity by matching with medium. When the resistance between sensor electrode and E terminal of RE9000 is below setting value, the function shall be detected. The sensitivity can not be set for each sensor. This function is common for both function 1 and 2. (See table 7-7)

Table 7-7				
SW.No.1 (SENS.A)	SW.No.2 (SENS.B)		Sensitivity	
OFF	OFF	1 k	High conductive liquid	Low sensitivity
OFF	ON	4k	Conductive liquid	\wedge
ON	OFF	20k	Discharged or sewage water	V
ON	ON	80k	sweet water	High sensitivity

ON delay setting (SW. No. 3 / No. 4 / No. 5)

Set delay time for each operation. The delay time shown on table 7-8 may have an error of $\pm 10\%$ Max. *: Recommended delay time is 5 seconds or longer.

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SW.No.3 (DLY.A)	SW.No.4 (DLY.B)	SW.No.5 (DLY.C)	ONディレイ時間(秒)
OFF	OFF	OFF	0.5
OFF	OFF	ON	2.5
OFF	ON	OFF	5
OFF	ON	ON	10
ON	OFF	OFF	20
ON	OFF	ON	40
ON	ON	OFF	80
ON	ON	ON	160

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Take the delay time for five seconds or more.

Operation mode setting (SW. No. 6)

Set operation mode. (See table 7-9)

a) Discharging / high alarm (SW. No.6-OFF)

Connect two sensors at high and low position operates discharging. Connect one sensor operates high alarm. The relay output of RY1 and RY2 are identical operation.

b) Feeding / low alarm (SW. No.6-ON)

Connect two sensors at high and low position operates feeding. Connect one sensor operates low alarm. The relay output of RY1 and RY2 are identical operation.

Table 7-9		
SW.No.6 (CH/DISC)	Operation Mode	
OFF	Discharging or high alarm	
ON	Feeding or low alarm	

8.WIRING

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Turn off the power supply during wiring.

Make sure that the supply voltage is sufficient, within 100 to 240 V AC range. Otherwise, the MP may cause malfunction or damage.

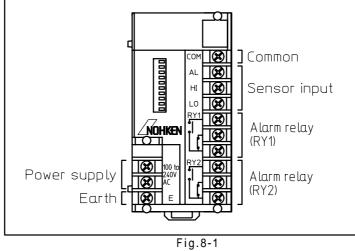
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The wiring between sensor and relay unit must be connected as short as possible. Avoid Influence of electromagnetic induction, the connection cable must be wired by 50cm away from power cable or using duct and conduit is recommended.

If the sensor is installed to FRP or plastic tank, the conductor as pump must be used for earth rode. If there is no conductor to use it for earth rode, the earth rode must be provided. The earth rode shall be grounded at earth resistance less than 100 . Use VCTF cable (1,25mm²) for extension. Do not use shielded cable.

8.1 Wiring

Wiring shall be in accordance with all local codes. Since the terminal screw is M 3.5, We recommend to use shielded control cable of 1.25mm² with R1.25-3.5 (JIS C 2805) solderless rugs. This product does not provide fuse. If needed, it shall be additionally prepared.



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Contact rating for relay output is 240 V 3 A AC or 30 V 3A DC. Provide external relays when exceeding.

One point sensor has two core cables, Black and White, but these cables are short circuited inside of sensor. It is possible to connect one or two cable to relay unit. Connect two core cables in one terminal. Connect one core cable in one terminal and the other must be isolated, do not connect to COM terminal.

8.2 Example of wiring

The drawing as below shows the typical wiring for electrical conductivity level sensor Model MT and relay unit RE9000.

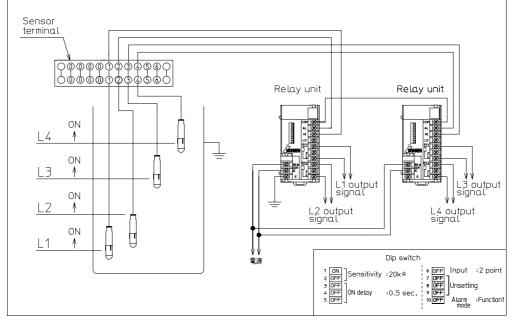


Fig.8-2

One point sensor has two core cables, Black and White, but these cables are short circuited inside of sensor. It is possible to connect one or two cable to relay unit. Connect two core cables in one terminal. Connect one core cable in one terminal and the other must be isolated, do not connect to COM terminal. E terminal must be grounded to JIS D Class. Relay unit measures the alteration of conductivity between electrode and E terminal.

In case of only two or more sensors can be installed, connect to COM terminal. Connect earth only one relay unit.

9 . MAINTENANCE AND INSPECTION

Re-install and re-wiring the sensor after maintenance / inspection in accordance with "5.4 Installation method" and "6.WIRING".

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To avoid personal injury, leakage current or short circuit, the power supply shall be always turned off while wiring.

Inspect the sensor semi-annually or annually. Since inspection intervals varies with applications and process conditions such as pressure, temperature etc., we recommends periodical inspection.

- (1)Check for and replace damaged and collapsed parts.
- (2)Clean contaminant or sticky.
- (3)Clean dirt, dust and moisture from the housing.

1 O .STORAGE

10.1 Storage of the sensor

(1)The sensor shall be stored under the following conditions when it is not used for a long time.

Environmental conditions are as follows:

- temperature : -10 \sim +60
- humidity: 85 % RH Max. (No condensing)
- \cdot No corrosive atmosphere such as NH3, SO2, CI2 etc.
- No excessive vibration.
- · Locate away from rain, condensation, dust and foreign matters.
- (2)Tighten the housing cover and the cable gland. Do not remove the blind plate from the cable gland to protect from dust or moisture. We recommend to put the cable gland pointing down.

REFERENCE: Keep the sensor in sealed plastic bags with desiccant or other

moisture-proof packing.

11. TROUBLE SHOOTING

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Use the following chart to troubleshoot the malfunctioning sensor. If your remedies are unsuccessful, ask Nohken for repair and replacement.

	Table 11-1		
Problems	Possible causes	Remedies	Refernce
Liquids exceeds the actuation level, relay does not activate.	Disconnection of cable	Wire correctly and replace the cable.	
	Relay unit is damage.	Replace the relay unit.	
	Sensitivity shortage.	Set high sensitivity.	Section 7.2 Page 8 to 9
Liquids does not exceed the	Affected by deposit.	Clean the sensor.	
actuation level, relay activate.	Relay unit is damage.	Replace the relay unit.	
	Sensitivity shortage.	Set high sensitivity.	Section 7.2 Page 8 to 9
Relay chatter.	Affected by deposit.	Clean the sensor.	
		ON delay setting. Set low sensitivity.	Section 7.2 Page 8 to 9
Liquids does not exceed the actuation level, relay activate. (in case of two or more use)	Miswiring	Connect between com and com.	Section 8 Page 10 to 12

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