

Installation, Operating and Maintenance Instructions for

Jola Electrodes EL/.../...../.../../Ex-... **(2)** II 1 G Ex ia IIC T6 Ga or **(2)** II 1 G Ex ia IIB T6 Ga or **(2)** II 2 G Ex ia IIC T6 Gb or **(2)** II 2 G Ex ia IIB T6 Gb or **⚠ I M2** Ex ia I Mb and the system with the obligatory connection box OAK/EL/NR/.x1MΩ W II 2 G Ex ia IIC T6 Gb **⚠ I M2** Ex ia I Mb and the Jola Electrode Relay NR 5/Ex 🗟 I (M1) / II (1) GD [Ex ia Ma] I [Ex ia Ga] IIC [Ex ia Da] IIIC

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1. Area of application

The combination of conductive electrodes EL/.../...../.../.../../Ex-...

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EL/.../....../.../.../.../Ex-...

| II 1 G Ex ia IIC T6 Ga or
| II 1 G Ex ia IIB T6 Ga or
| II 2 G Ex ia IIC T6 Gb or
| II 2 G Ex ia IIB T6 Gb or
| II 2 G Ex ia I IMb

(serial number)
(production year)

T_{amb}: - 20°C to + 60°C

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the obligatory connection box OAK/EL/NR/.x1M Ω and one electrode relay NR 5/Ex is designed to transmit electrical switching signals coming **from conductive electrodes EL/.../...../.../..././Ex-... installed in a potentially explosive atmosphere**, to non-hazardous areas via one **electrode relay NR 5/Ex**.

The components of the system have to be installed:

in above-ground areas which could be at risk due to a potentially explosive atmosphere		in underground areas in mines as well as in above-ground areas	only outside potentially explosive atmospheres	
zone 0, 1 or 2 zone 1 or 2		of mines which could be at risk due to firedamp and/or flammable dusts		
EL//Ex0G	EL//Ex1G	EL//ExM	NR 5/Ex,	
⅓ II 1 G	€ II 2 G	€ I M2	€ I (M1) /	
or			II (1) GĎ	
EL//Ex0BG	OAK/EL/NR/.x1MΩ	OAK/EL/NR/.x1MΩ	[Ex ia Ma] I	
© 1 G	€ II 2 G	€ I M2	[Ex ia Ga] IIC	
₩ II 1 G			[Ex ia Da] IIIC	



As mentioned before, the above mentioned electrodes are devices for use:

♦	in underground areas in mines as well as in above-ground areas of mines which
	could be at risk due to firedamp and/or flammable dusts:
	EL//////.Ex-M 🖾 I M2;

• in above-ground areas which could be at risk due to a potentially explosive atmosphere:

EL//	///./Ex-0G 🦭 II 1 G: in zone 0, 1 or 2,
	///./Ex-0BG 🖾 II 1 G: in zone 0, 1 or 2,
EL//	////./Ex-1G 🖾 II 2 G: in zone 1 or 2.

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The combination of conductive electrodes and electrode relay is designed to <u>detect</u> <u>leakage</u> of electrically conductive liquids in normally dry rooms or <u>for level</u> <u>control</u> (for the automatic control of pumps or solenoid valves or for overflow or run-dry protection in wells or tanks) of electrically conductive liquids.

Leakage detection:

For the purpose of leakage detection, a conductive electrode in which one control and one earth electrode are integrated is connected to an electrode relay NR 5/Ex. Alternatively, several electrodes of this type can be parallel-connected to one electrode relay NR 5/Ex.

Level control:

The liquid levels are monitored by electrodes which transmit switching commands to the connected electrode relay NR 5/Ex if they come into contact with the liquid. Two-point control requires two control electrodes and one earth electrode. Signalling of a liquid level requires only the control electrode E1 and one earth electrode.

A conductive tank wall made of metal may serve for earthing purposes in place of the earth electrode.

However, we always advise you to use a separate earth electrode.

A combination of conductive electrodes and electrode relay may or must <u>not be used</u>:

- in electrically non-conductive liquids (e.g. in mineral oils).
- in pasty or highly viscous liquids.
- in liquids which have a tendency to foam (under certain circumstances in beer or washing lyes, for example).
- in liquids with high steam generation and condensation (at high temperatures, for example).
- in liquids which have a tendency to form residues (for example in milk of lime, waste water containing fats, certain paints etc.).
- in liquids that contain coarse solid particles (wood chips, material residues, for example).



All the technical parameters of the conductive electrodes and/or the electrode relay are listed in this brochure and/or the accompanying product descriptions. These documents also contain the corresponding installation recommendations. You must always observe and follow all the instructions relating to these parameters and installation recommendations. The units may not be used for applications outside the specified parameter range.

If the <u>product descriptions are not supplied with the products or are lost</u>, you must always request a copy of the descriptions prior to installation, connection or start-up and ensure that they are read and observed by the suitably qualified specialist personnel. Otherwise the conductive electrode and/or electrode relay may not be installed, connected and started up.

2. Preconditions for safe use

♦ Maximum parameters of the conductive electrodes EL/.../...../.../.../.../../../Ex-... fitted with a connecting cable

Electrode type	Type designation	Li	Ci
Rod electrodes	EL//SB-1///./Ex		
Rod electrodes	EL//SZ//././Ex		
Rod electrodes	EL//SZ/PPLF//////Ex		
Rod electrodes	EL//SE///.//Ex		
Rod electrodes	EL//SE/NL////Ex		
Rod electrodes	EL//SE/LF///././Ex		
Plate electrodes	EL//PE////Ex		
Plate electrodes	EL//PEK////./Ex	0 + 1µH	0 + 200 pF
Plate electrodes	EL//WDX/NL////./Ex	per metre	per metre
Plate electrodes	EL//WDX/LF/////Ex	connecting	connecting
Suspension	EL//EH////Ex	cable	cable
electrodes			
Suspension	EL//EHK/NL////./Ex		
electrodes			
Suspension	EL//EHK/LF/////Ex		
electrodes			
Suspension	EL//EHW/NL ./////./Ex		
electrodes			
Suspension	EL//EHW/LF ./////.Ex		
electrodes			
Cable	EL//KE////Ex	1.7 µH per metre	25 pF per metre
electrodes		detection	detection
		cable	cable
		+	+
		1 μH per metre	200 pF per metre
		connecting cable	connecting cable



◆ Special requirements/conditions for the safe use of the conductive electrodes EL/.../...../.../.../.../Ex-...

To ensure safe operation, power supply to the conductive electrode EL/.../...../..../.../.../../Ex-... must be via an Ex ia voltage source with output circuits which are approved as Ex ia intrinsically safe for use in the potentially explosive atmosphere which corresponds to the gas explosion group in which the device is installed: IIC, IIB, IIA respectively I.

Always observe all the restrictions specified with regard to the voltage source.

The maximum output parameters of this voltage source must not exceed the following values:

U = 20 V; I = 0.1 A and P = 0.5 W.

Maximum parameters of the electrode relay NR 5/Ex

Rated supply voltages (terminals J15, J16):

U = AC 24 V; AC 110 V, AC 115 V, AC 230 V or AC 240 V

Maximum electrical parameters of the electrical circuit connected to terminals J9, J10 and J11:

 $U_{max} = 250 \text{ V}$; $I_{max} = 4 \text{ A}$, but max. P = 100 VA

Maximum electrical parameters at output terminals J6 and J7:

 $U_0 = 22 \text{ V}$; $I_0 = 6 \text{ mA}$, but max. $P_0 = 31.8 \text{ mW}$

Maximum electrical parameters at output terminals (J1, J6) or (J1, J7):

 $U_0 = 11.5 \text{ V}$; $I_0 = 11.6 \text{ mA}$, but max. $P_0 = 64 \text{ mW}$

 Special requirements/conditions for the safe use of the electrode relay NR 5/Ex

The maximum parameters of the external circuits that may be connected <u>to terminals J6 and J7</u> are as follows:

For explosion group IIC	For explosion group IIB	For explosion group IIA / I
Co(L=0) = 165 nF	Co(L=0) = 1.14 μF	$Co(L=0) = 4.2 \mu F$
Lo(C=0) = 672 mH	Lo(C=0) = 972 mH	Lo(C=0) = 972 mH
or	or	or
$Lo/Ro = 350 \mu H/Ohm$	$Lo/Ro = 510 \mu H/Ohm$	$Lo/Ro = 510 \mu H/Ohm$



The maximum parameters of the external circuits that may be connected <u>to terminals J6, J1 or J7, J1</u> are as follows:

For explosion group IIC	For explosion group IIB	For explosion group IIA / I
$Co(L=0) = 1.62 \mu F$	Co(L=0) = 11.1 µF	Co(L=0) = 45 μF
Lo(C=0) = 172 mH	Lo(C=0) = 672 mH	Lo(C=0) = 972 mH
or	or	or
$Lo/Ro = 156 \mu H/Ohm$	$Lo/Ro = 707 \mu H/Ohm$	Lo/Ro = 1.05 mH/Ohm

3. Additional conditions for safe operation

The ambient temperature at the terminal box or at the body of the conductive electrode EL/.../...../.../.../.../.../.../... must be between - 20°C and + 60°C.

In case of doubt, consult a suitably trained expert prior to use. Do not use the product before these questions have been fully clarified.

4. Installation, connection, start-up and maintenance, general regulations

Installation, connection, start-up and maintenance of the conductive electrode(s) and the electrode relay may only be performed by suitably qualified specialist personnel in line with all the information material and documentation supplied with the units and following all instructions contained therein.

The qualified specialist personnel must ensure that they are familiar with all valid standards, regulations, local requirements and specific conditions, in particular the standards, regulations, local requirements and specific conditions relating to explosion protection – and must proceed accordingly.

In potentially explosive atmospheres with gas hazards, the entire installation setup of the electrodes EL/.../...../..../..././Ex-... the obligatory connection box OAK/EL/NR/.x1M Ω and the electrode relay NR 5/Ex must always comply with the standard EN 60 079-14 resp. the replacing standard.

You must always read – and adhere to the instructions outlined in - the yellow DIN A 5 leaflet "User information/Instructions for use with mounting, operating and maintenance instructions for the product...". If the leaflet is not supplied with the product or is lost, you must always request a replacement leaflet from Jola.



5. Installation of the conductive electrodes EL/.../...../.../.../../../../Ex-...

The conductive electrodes must be installed by qualified specialist personnel.

Follow the instructions supplied with the electrodes when installing the conductive electrodes EL/.../...../.../../../Ex-.... If no specific documents concerning installation are enclosed with the delivery, the electrodes must be installed in accordance with the relevant accepted practices.

6. Mounting of the electrode relay NR 5/Ex

The electrode relays NR 5/Ex must be mounted **by qualified specialist personnel** following the Installation, Operating and Maintenance Instructions for the Jola electrode relay NR 5/Ex.

7. Connection in the form of an intrinsically safe system

The intrinsically safe system composed of the conductive electrode EL/.../....../.../.../../Ex-... with 2 electrode rods,

the obligatory connection box OAK/EL/NR/2x1M Ω and one electrode relay NR 5/Ex must be installed and connected according to the connection diagrams 90P-7577-1 dated 26.07.2013,

90P-8528 dated 14.10.2017,

90P-7573-2 dated 14.10.2017 or

90P-7575-2 dated 14.10.2017

to be found in the annex.

The installation personnel has to control that the 2 resistors of 1 MOhm each are present in the obligatory connection box OAK/EL/NR/2x1MΩ and correctly connected as shown on the above mentioned connection diagrams.

The intrinsically safe system composed of the

floating electrode EL/.../...../.../../Ex-... with 3 electrode rods,

the obligatory connection box OAK/SCHE/NR/3x1M Ω and the two electrode relays NR 5/Ex, Version A must be installed and connected according to the connection diagrams

90P-8347 dated 19.12.2016,

90P-7578-1 dated 26.07.2013,

90P-8529 dated 14.10.2017,

90P-7572-2 dated 14.10.2017 or

90P-7576-2 dated 14.10.2017

to be found in the annex.

The installation personnel has to control that the 3 resistors of 1 MOhm each are present in the obligatory connection box OAK/EL/NR/3x1M Ω and correctly connected as shown on the above mentioned connection diagrams.



Always observe the following when connecting the unit:

Potential equalisation

To avoid the <u>danger coming from the static electricity</u>, potential equalisation is necessary for the conductive electrodes EL/.../...../.../.../.../.../.../...with body and/or screw-in nipple made of metal or of antistatic (conductive) PPLF:

Connect the external earth connection terminals on the screw-in nipple and, if present, on the optional flange of the conductive electrode to the potential equalisation system.

Connection to the potential equalisation system is essential for safe operation and must <u>never</u> be neglected.

In potentially explosive atmospheres with gas hazards, the entire installation set-up must always comply with the standard EN 60 079-14 resp. the replacing standard.

◆ Use of several electrodes and electrode relays for control operations in the same tank

A particular connection mode as represented in the connection diagrams 58P-7622 dated 03.07.2013, 58P-7613 dated 03.07.2013, 58P-7616 dated 03.07.2013, 58P-7619 dated 03.07.2013 and 58P-7625 dated 03.07.2013 may only be used "x" times in the same tank, taking into account the maximum overall length of all connecting cables taken together of "y" metres (see attached connection diagrams and the table below).

« x » times per mode / max. overall length of all connecting cables taken together	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Mode A (*)	1000 m	1000 m	350 m	250 m	150 m	125 m	100 m	75 m
Mode A (**)	1000 m	1000 m	313 m	200 m	88 m	50 m	13 m	
Mode B	1000 m	1000 m	350 m	250 m	150 m	125 m	100 m	75 m
Mode C	1000 m	250 m	125 m	100 m	75 m	50 m		
Mode D	1000 m	250 m	125 m	100 m	75 m	50 m		
Mode E	1000 m	250 m	125 m	100 m	75 m	50 m		

^{(*) =} all mode A electrodes **except** electrodes EL/./KE/..../2/..././Ex-...

^{(**) =} mode A electrodes EL/./KE/..../2/..../../Ex-...



Connecting cables

All cables that are used to connect the electrodes to the obligatory Ex connection box OAK/EL/NR/.x1M Ω and possibly to optional Ex connection boxes and to the electrode relay NR 5/Ex are considered as connecting cables.

Each connecting cable must possess a dielectric strength of at least AC 500 V test voltage.

Each conductor must have a cross section greater than or equal to 0.017 mm².

See the above table for the maximum admissible total length of all connecting cables taken together.

In all cases, the parameters of these cables must be below or equal to the following values:

C = 200 pF/m and $L = 1 \mu\text{H/m}$.

Supplementary terminal boxes (optional extras)

The protection class of each terminal box must be at least IP 20. The terminal box(es) must be **approved** for use in the corresponding potentially explosive atmosphere.

If the terminal box is made of metal or of conductive plastic, the dielectric strength between the intrinsically safe circuit and the conductive body of the terminal box must be greater than or equal to AC 500 V.

 Dielectric strength between the intrinsically safe circuit and an adjacent nonintrinsically safe circuit

The **dielectric strength** between the intrinsically safe circuit and an adjacent non-intrinsically safe circuit **must be greater than or equal to AC 1500 V.**

8. Start-up

Prior to start-up, you must re-check the mounting position, the mechanical fastening and the electrical connection of the units.

In particular, you must check once again that the conductive electrode(s) is (are) also connected to the corresponding, admissible intrinsically safe circuit(s).

In addition, you must also check and verify that there is no possibility whatsoever of hazardous conditions occurring due to non-adherence to any of the relevant instructions, standards or official regulations.



Only then may the unit in question be started up electrically.

9. Maintenance

The electrodes EL/.../...../.../.../../Ex-... are maintenance-free when used in low-viscosity, non-adhesive liquids that are free of solids and do not attack the component materials and/or in clean environments.

To rule out any risks, the electrode(s) and the relay must be serviced by qualified specialist personnel at least once a year.

Where risks cannot be ruled out, you should adhere to an inspection frequency suited to the application in question and laid down in consultation with the relevant supervisory authorities.

If electrode(s) and electrode relay are installed as safety elements within a system, they must always be inspected and checked at intervals to be agreed with the local supervisory authorities.

Prior to all maintenance work, the qualified specialist personnel must inform themselves of all valid standards, regulations, local guidelines and special conditions, in particular standards, regulations, local guidelines and special conditions concerning explosion protection and proceed accordingly.

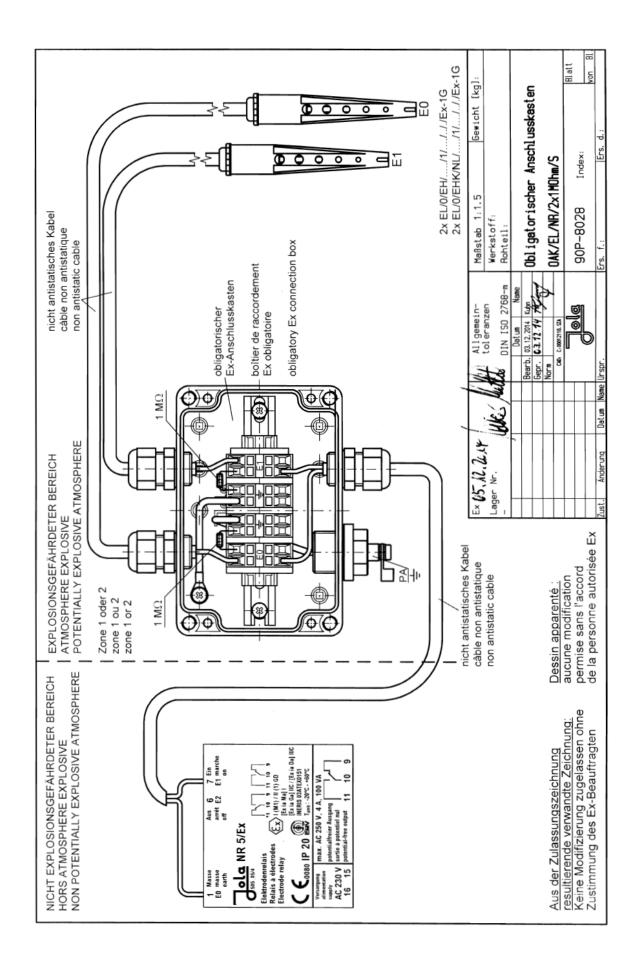
10. Repair

All alterations and repairs to the electrode EL/.../....../..../.../.../../Ex-... and/or the electrode relay NR 5/Ex must be performed in the manufacturer's facility. Under no circumstances may other individuals or companies perform unauthorised alterations or repairs.

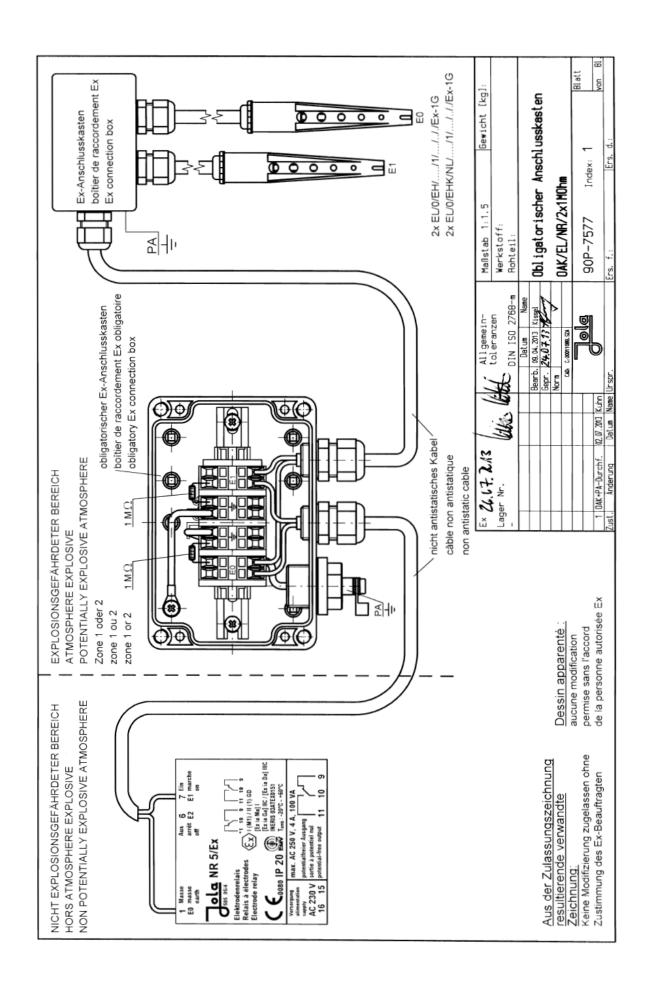
11. Disposal

The units must be disposed of by depositing them in conformity with the law at an appropriate collection point for electrical and electronic devices.

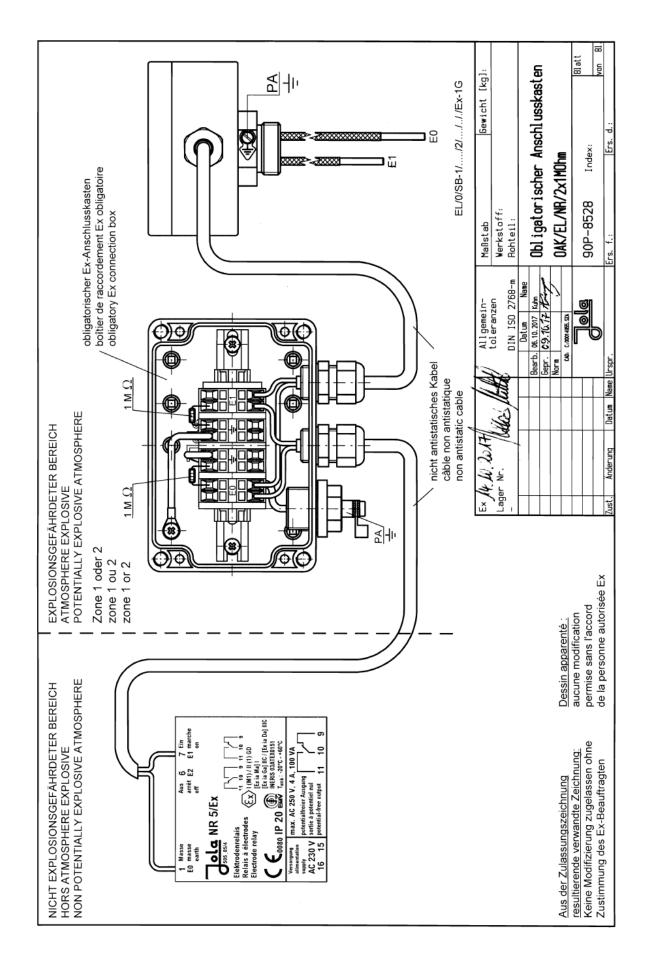




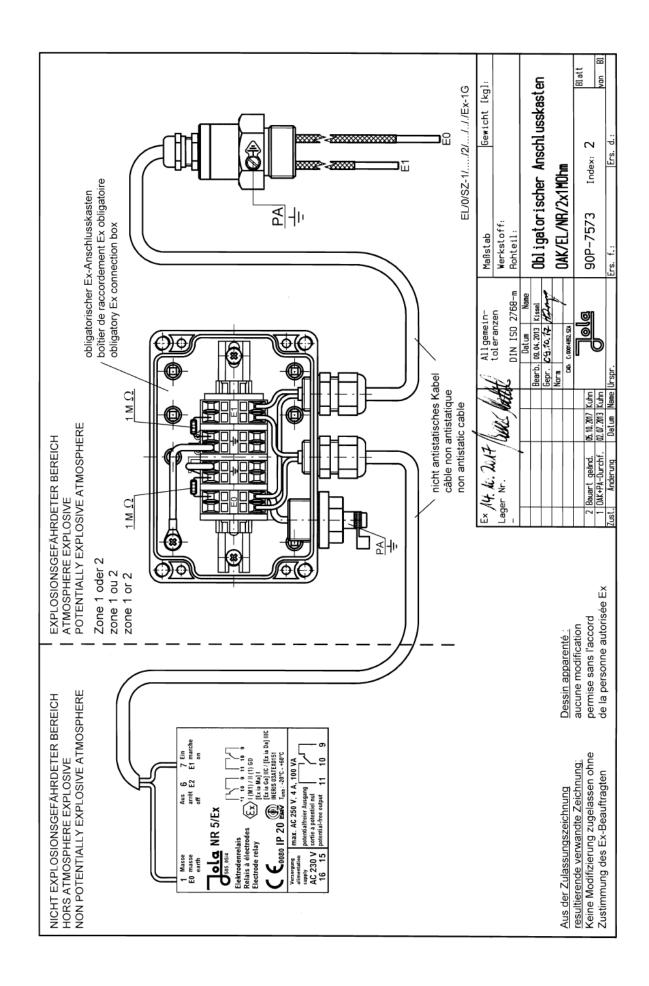




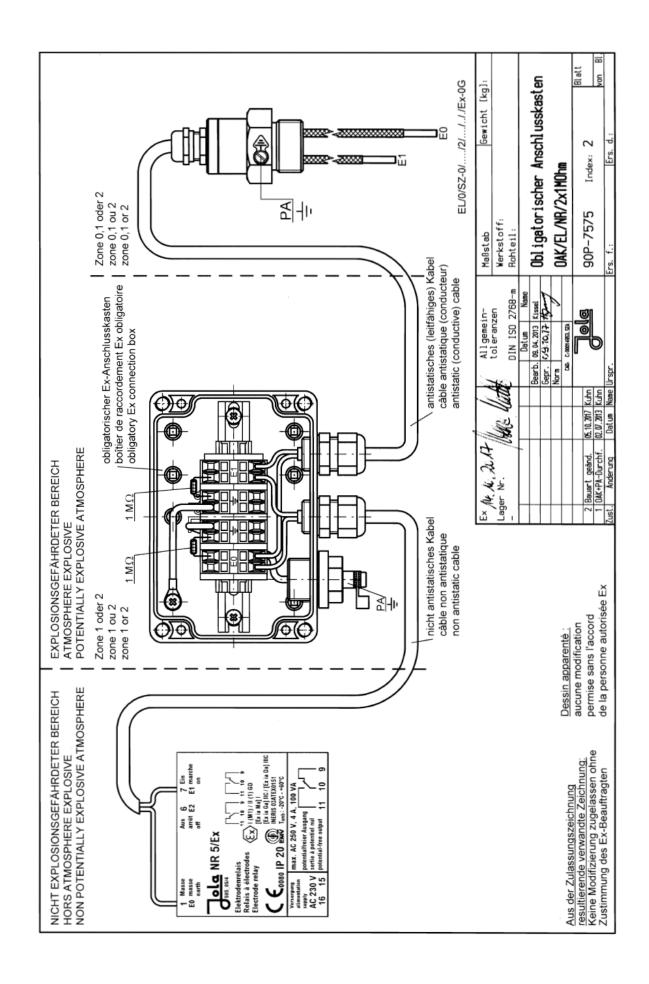




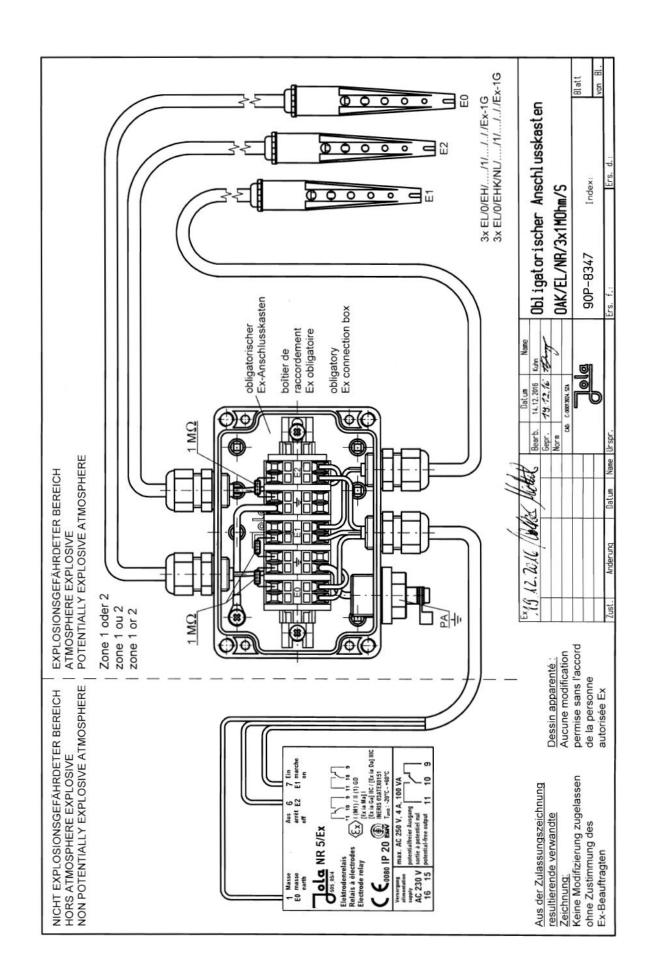




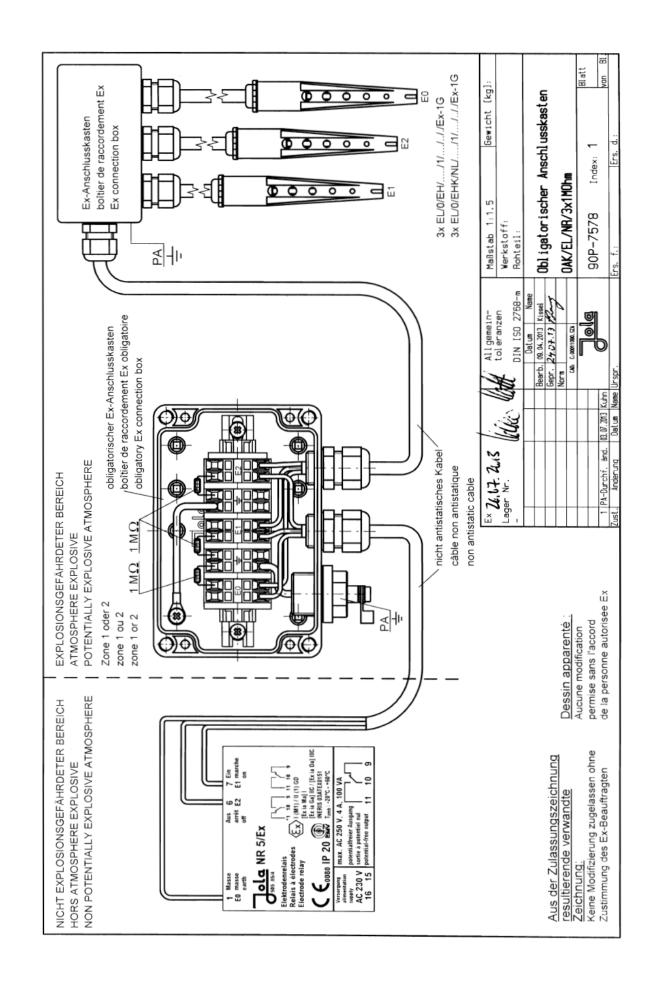




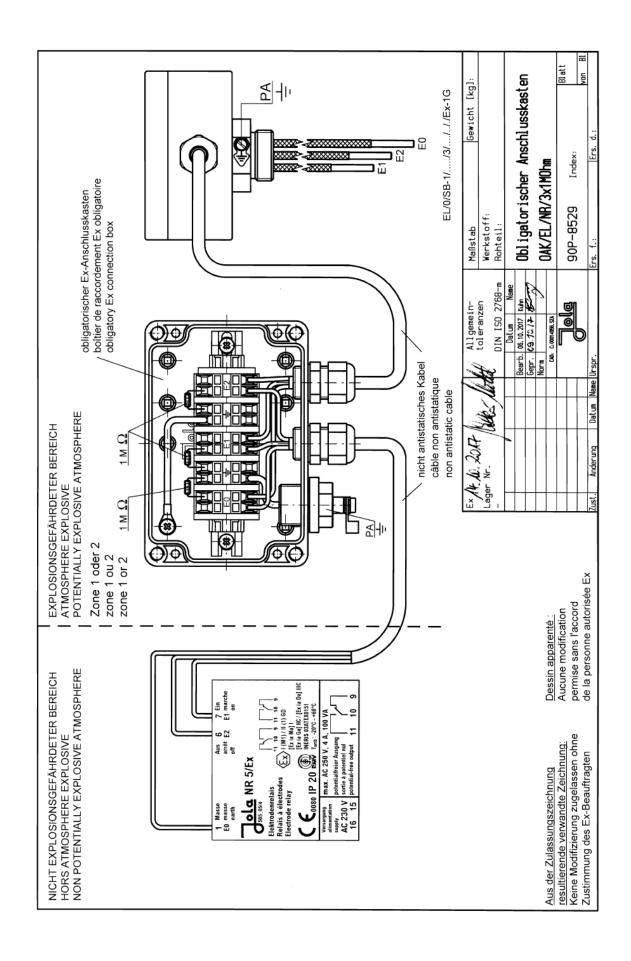




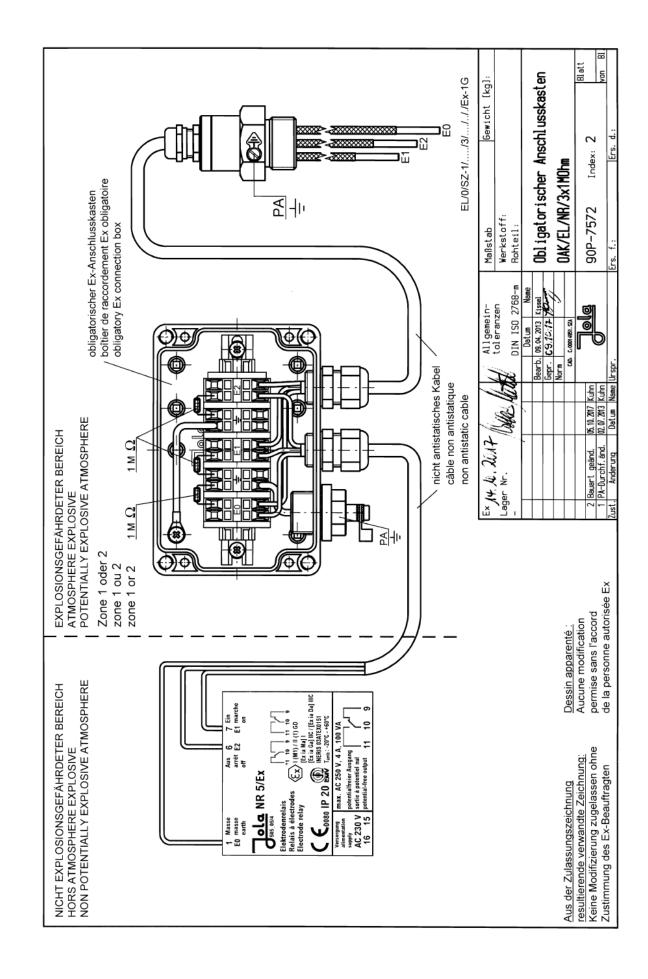




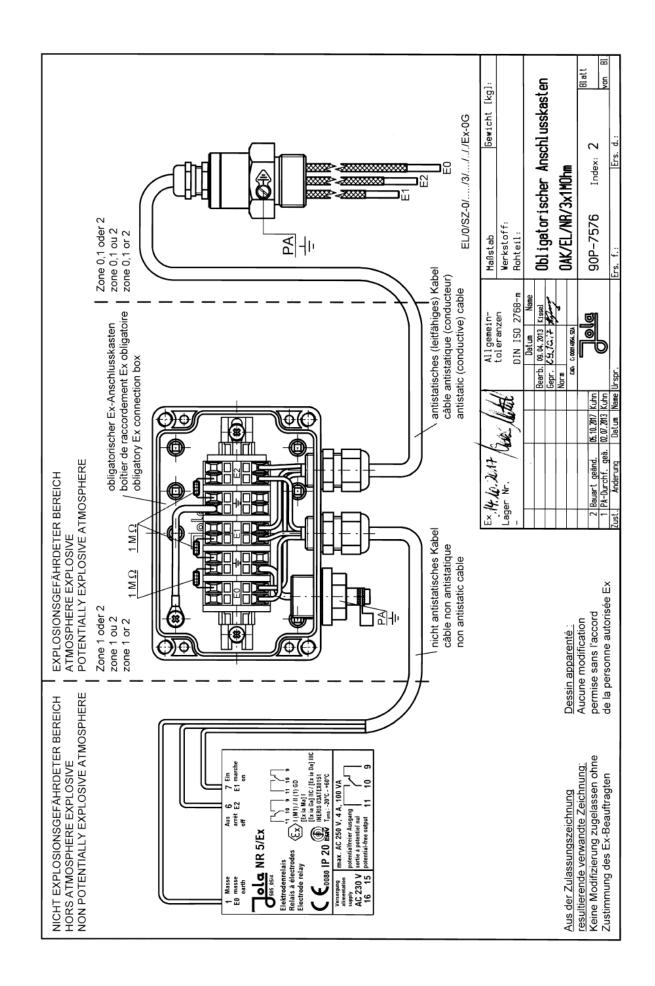




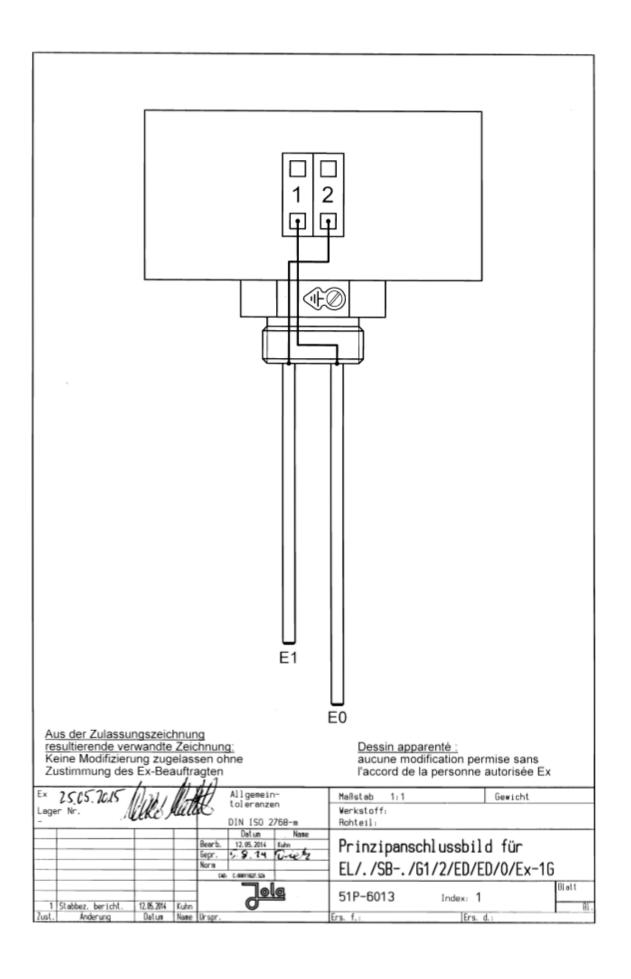




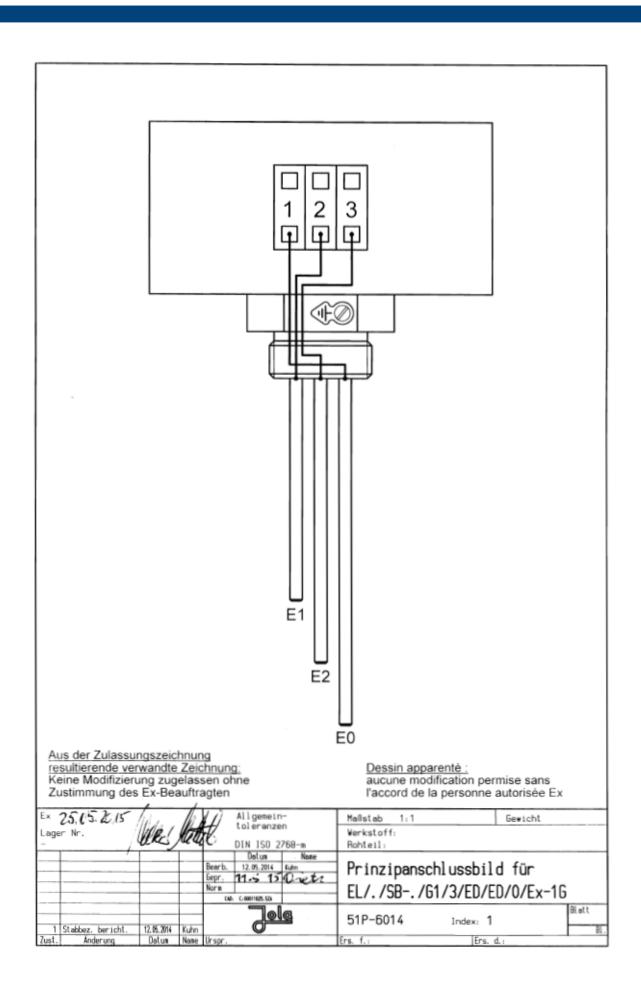




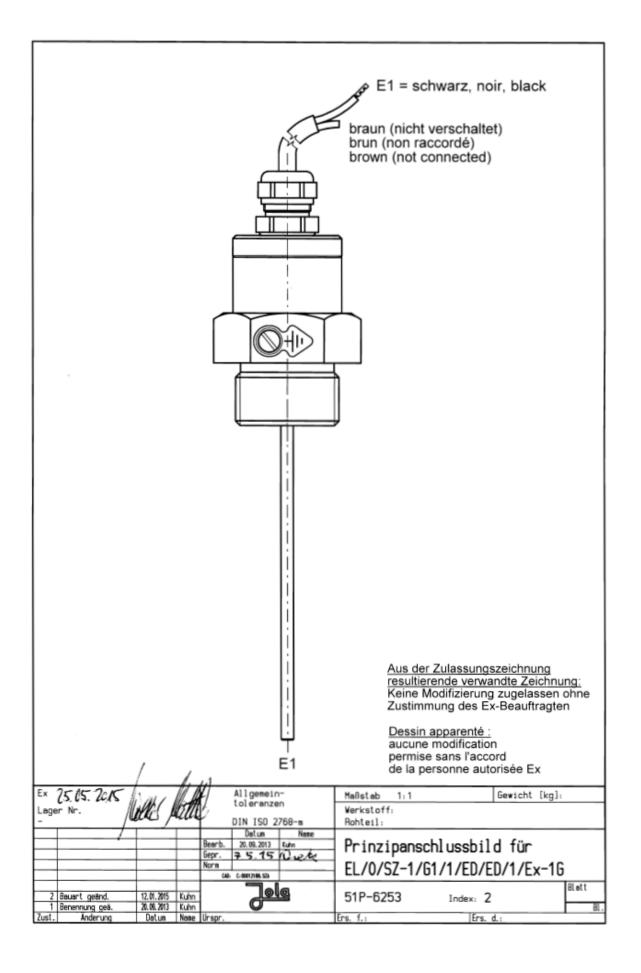




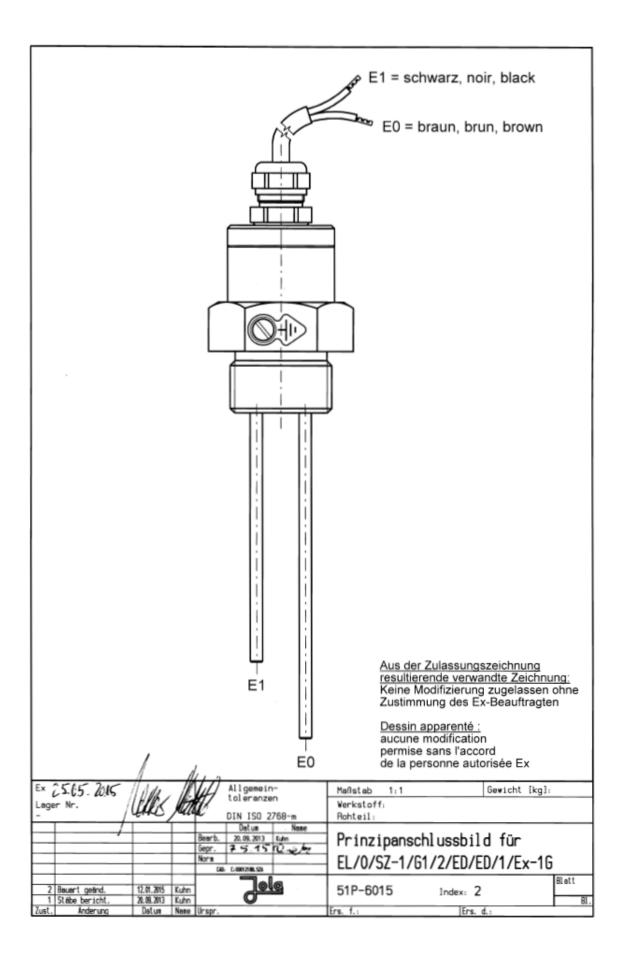




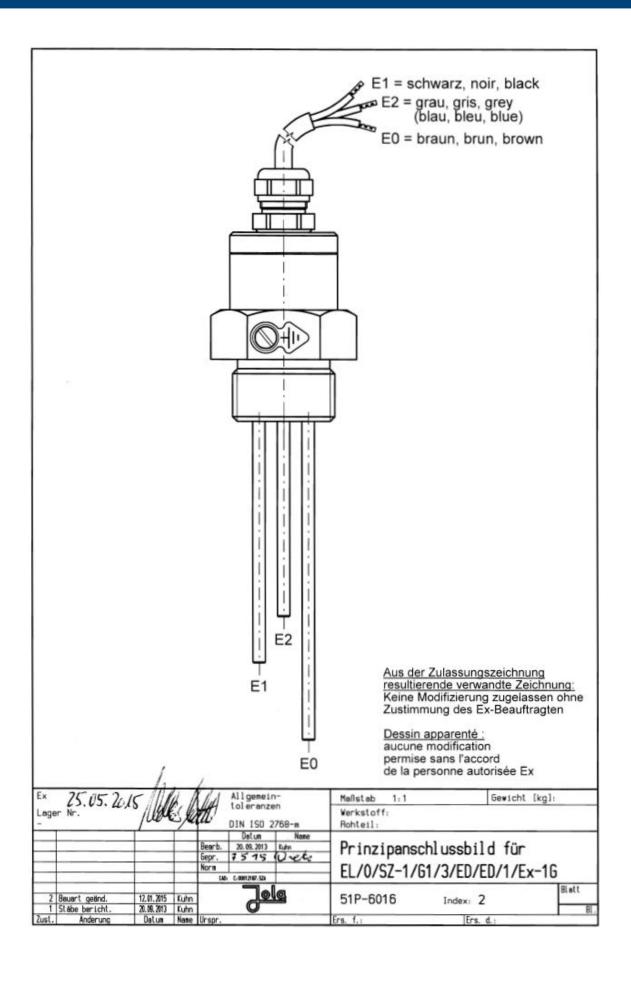




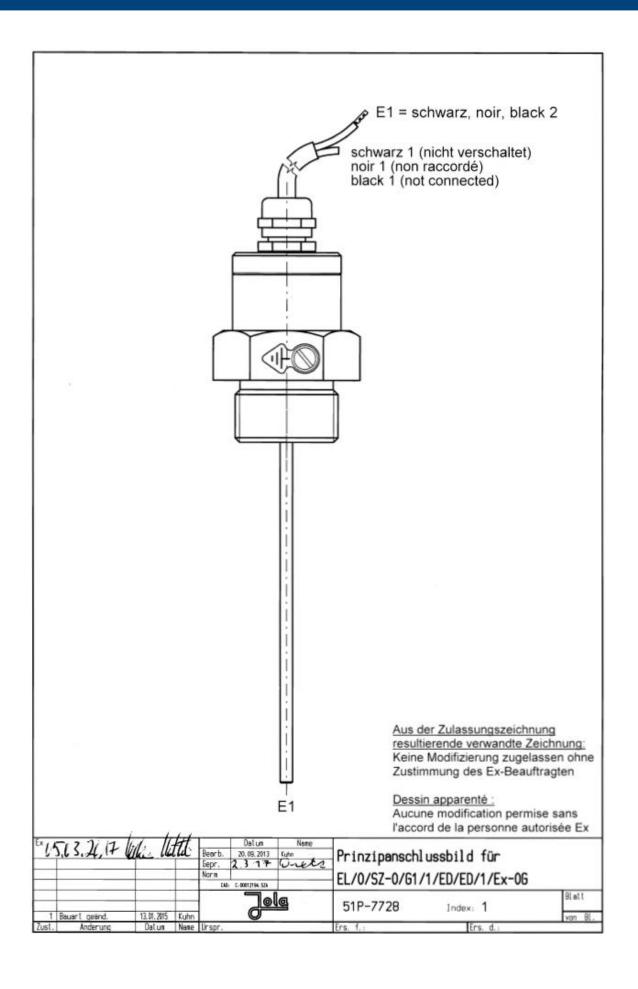




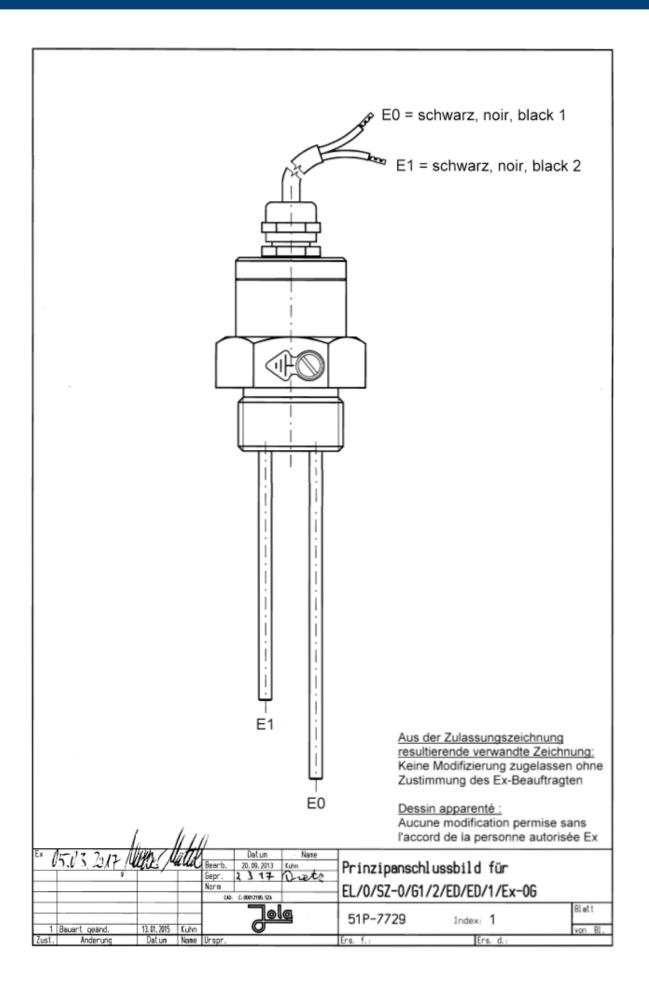




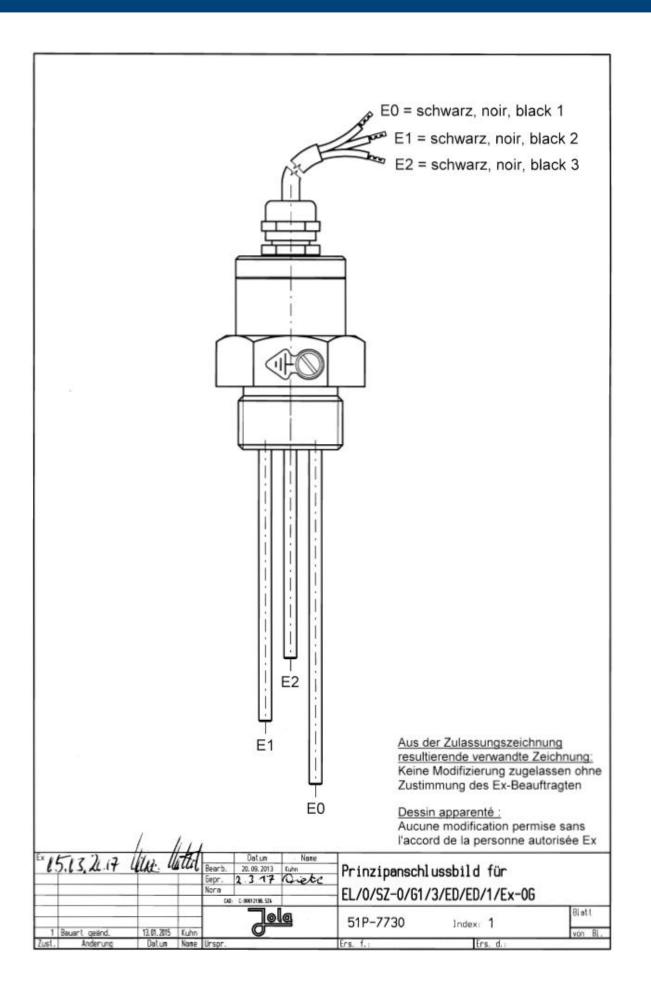














Installation, Operating and Maintenance Instructions for

Jola Electrode Relay
NR 5/Ex & I (M1) / II (1) GD
[Ex ia Ma] I
[Ex ia Ga] IIC
[Ex ia Da] IIIC

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1. Area of application

The electrode relay NR 5/Ex

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C € 0080 NR 5/Ex **(** I (M1) / II (1) GD

(serial number) (production year)

[Ex ia Ma] I [Ex ia Ga] IIC [Ex ia Da] IIIC

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is designed to transmit electrical signals coming from one or more conductive electrodes installed in a potentially explosive atmosphere to non-hazardous areas. The electrode relay NR 5/Ex must be installed outside potentially explosive atmospheres or be protected by a suitable standardised ignition protection class.

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The conductive electrodes are, for example, used for leakage detection or for the automatic control of pumps or solenoid valves or for the purpose of overflow or run-dry protection in tanks.

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2. Preconditions for safe use

Maximum parameters of the conductive electrodes

The maximum parameters of the conductive electrodes are listed in the corresponding product documentation.

- ◆ Special requirements/conditions for the safe use of the conductive electrodes
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- ◆ Maximum parameters of the electrode relay NR 5/Ex Rated supply voltages (terminals J15, J16):

U = AC 24 V, AC 110 V, AC 115 V, AC 230 V or AC 240 V

Maximum electrical parameters of the electrical circuit connected to terminals J9, J10 and J11:

Umax. = 250 V; Imax. = 4A, but max. P = 100 VA

Maximum electrical parameters at output terminals J6 and J7:

Uo = 22 V; Io = 6 mA, but max. Po = 31.8 mW

Maximum electrical parameters at output terminals (J1, J6) or (J1, J7):

Uo = 11.5 V; Io = 11.6 mA, but max. Po = 64 mW

 Special requirements/conditions for the safe use of the electrode relay NR 5/Ex

The electrode relay NR 5/Ex must be **installed outside potentially explosive atmospheres** or be protected by a suitable standardised ignition protection class.

The electrical circuits connected to terminals J6 and J7 must be approved for use

- in above-ground areas which could be at risk due to a potentially explosive atmosphere caused by gases (groups IIC, IIB or IIA) or
- in underground areas in mines as well as in above-ground areas of mines which could be at risk due to firedamp and/or flammable dusts (group I) or
- in above-ground areas which could be at risk due to a potentially explosive atmosphere caused by dusts

and their suitability in terms of intrinsic safety must be ensured.



The maximum parameters of the external circuits that may be connected are as follows:

For explosion group IIC	For explosion group IIB	For explosion groups
	and for dust	IIA and I
Co(L=0) = 165 nF	Co(L=0) = 1.14 μF	Co(L=0) = 4.2 μF
Lo(C=0) = 672 mH	Lo(C=0) = 972 mH	Lo(C=0) = 972 mH
or	or	or
$Lo/Ro = 350 \mu H/Ohm$	Lo/Ro = 510 μH/Ohm	$Lo/Ro = 510 \mu H/Ohm$

The electrical circuits connected to terminals J6, J1 or J7, J1 must be approved for use

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or	or	or
Lo/Ro = 156 μH/Ohm	$Lo/Ro = 707 \mu H/Ohm$	Lo/Ro = 1.05 mH/Ohm

3. Additional conditions for safe operation

Before using the conductive electrodes, you must ensure that the materials used in the respective conductive electrode are sufficiently chemically and mechanically resistant to the liquid to be monitored and all other external influences.

In case of doubt, consult a suitably trained expert prior to use. Do not use the product before these questions have been fully clarified.

4. Installation, connection, start-up and maintenance, general regulations

Installation, connection, start-up and maintenance of the conductive electrodes and the electrode relay may only be performed by suitably qualified specialist



personnel in line with all the information material and documentation supplied with the units and following all instructions contained therein.

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5. Installation and connection of the electrode relay NR 5/Ex

The electrode relay NR 5/Ex must be installed outside potentially explosive atmospheres or be protected by a suitable standardized ignition protection class.

The entire installation set-up must always comply with the standard EN 60 079-14 resp. the replacing standard.

The unit is designed exclusively for installation in a switch cabinet or in a suitable protective housing and may therefore only be installed in these locations. It is only suitable for use in clean environments.

6. Start-up

Prior to start-up, you must re-check the mounting position of all the units, the mechanical fastening and the electrical connection.

<u>In particular, you must check once again that the electrodes are connected to the corresponding, admissible intrinsically safe circuit(s).</u>

In addition, you must also check and verify that there is no possibility whatsoever of hazardous conditions occurring due to non-adherence to any of the relevant instructions, standards or official regulations.

Only then may the unit in question be started up electrically.

7. Maintenance

The maintenance intervals are listed in the product documentation for the conductive electrodes.

To rule out any risks, however, the conductive electrodes and electrode relay must be sight-checked and function-tested by qualified specialist personnel at least once a year.



Where risks cannot be ruled out, you should adhere to an inspection frequency suited to the application in question and laid down in consultation with the relevant supervisory authorities.

If the conductive electrode(s) and electrode relay are installed as safety elements within a system, they must always be inspected and checked at intervals to be agreed with the local supervisory authorities.

Prior to all maintenance work, the qualified specialist personnel must inform themselves of all valid standards, regulations, local guidelines and special conditions, in particular standards, regulations, local guidelines and special conditions concerning explosion protection and proceed accordingly.

8. Repair

All alterations and repairs to the conductive electrode(s) and/or the electrode relay NR 5/Ex must be performed in the manufacturer's facility. Under no circumstances may other individuals or companies perform unauthorised alterations or repairs.