

The BA377NE timer or clock has a rugged stainless steel enclosure allowing it to be safely installed in an Ex n or Ex to panel enclosure located in Zones 2 or 22 without the need for Zener barriers or galvanic isolators. The instrument is easy to use and can be configured on-site to operate with sensors having a wide variety of outputs. A slide-in scale card simplifies identification.

Configuration may be performed on-site via the front panel push buttons using simple well documented menus. The Timer employs a state and event structure to simplify configuration. If required the BA377NE can be supplied configured to customer's requirements including a customer defined printed slide-in scalecard for no additional charge.

Applications as a Timer include simply displaying the time interval between two events detected by a hazardous area sensor, such as a 2-wire proximity detector, providing a maintained single input. With the addition of optional dual control outputs, the Timer can perform control functions, for instance opening a hazardous area solenoid valve for a defined time. The Timer includes a powerful cycle function which can be configured to repeat a timing function up to 99 times or continuously, with up to 100 hours delay between timed periods.

As a Clock local time can be displayed in various twelve or twenty four hour formats and the display may be synchronised to a pre-set time via the external reset input. Optional control outputs may be configured to switch loads on or off at pre-set times twice during each twenty four hour period. The display has high contrast and a wide viewing angle enabling the instrument to be read in most lighting conditions over a wide temperature range.

**IP66** front panel protection with a silicone gasket to seal the joint between the instrument and the instrument panel, allow the BA377NE to be installed in areas that will be washed down.

International Ex nA certification permits the BA377NE timer or clock to be installed worldwide. When mounted in a panel enclosure complying with Ex n (non sparking) impact and ingress requirements, the enclosure and instrument may be installed in a Zone 2 hazardous area without barriers or isolators. Certified Ex n or Ex e enclosures are often used. Similarly, the BA377NE can be mounted in an Ex to enclosure located in Zone 22. BEKA Application Guide AG310 provides Ex nA installation recommendations.

**Display backlighting** which is internally powered, is available as a factory fitted option. It provides green background illumination enhancing daylight viewing and allowing the display to be easily read at night or when installed in a poorly illuminated area.

Optional dual control outputs can switch hazardous or safe area loads such as a sounder or solenoid valve. The two galvanically isolated, solid state voltage free outputs may be independently conditioned with normally open or closed outputs. Annunciators on the BA377NE display show the status of both control outputs.

Intrinsically safety models and instruments with larger displays are available within the range. The BA377E-SS has the same features as the BA377NE including a rugged stainless steel enclosure, but is certified intrinsically safe Ex ia. If a larger display or momentary action inputs are required the BA378E is a two input intrinsically safe Timer or Clock housed in a 144 x 72mm Noryl DIN enclosure.

## **BA377NE**

# Rugged Ex nA & Ex tc one input timer or clock

Can be installed in Zones 2 or 22 without Zener barriers or galvanic isolators.

- Configurable input: switch contact, proximity detector, open collector or voltage.
- Separate displays
- Ex nA & Ex tc certified
- ◆ 105 x 60mm rugged 316 stainless steel enclosure with IP66 front protection.
- Optional:BacklightDual control outputs
- 3 year guarantee

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#### **SPECIFICATION**

Power supply

Voltage 10 to 30V dc

Current 16mA max plus 22.5mA for optional

backlight.

Input (Maintained) Lower Upper switching thresholds

Switch contact  $100\Omega$  $1k\Omega$ Proximity detector (NAMUR) 1.2mA 2.1mA Open collector  $2k\Omega$  $10k\Omega$ 

Voltage (low) 30V max 1V 3V 10V 30V max Voltage (high) 3V

Display

Liquid crystal Туре Primary 9mm high Secondary 6mm high

Format hh:mm:ss; hh:mm; mm:ss or s

Remote Timer Contact closure with resistance

reset & Clock sync. less than  $10k\Omega$ .

Timer

Maximum duration 99h 59m and 59s or equivalent in any

display format.

99h 59m and 59s or equivalent in any Maximum delay

between cycles. display format.

5 x 106 hours maximum Grand total

run-time

Clock

Timekeeping accuracy Less than ±0.43s error per day over

operating temperature range

Certification Note: Ex ic in codes refers to instrument

push button contacts which are

nonincendive.

Europe ATEX

Group II Category 3G Ex nA ic IIC T5 Gc Code

Group II Category 3D Ex ic tc IIIC T80°C Dc

 $-40^{\circ}C \leq Ta \leq +60^{\circ}C$ 

Cert. No. ITS16ATEX48409X

International IECEx

Code Ex nA ic IIC T5 Gc

Ex ic tc IIIC T°80°C Dc -40°C ≤ Ta ≤ +60°C

IECEx ITS 16.0005X Cert. No.

FTI & cFTI

Class I Zone 2 AEx nA ic IIC T5 Gc (USA) Code

Zone 22 AEx ic tc IIIC T80°C Dc (USA)

Ex nA ic IIC T5 Gc (Canada) Ex n IIC T5 Gc (Canada) Ex ic tc IIIC T80°C Dc (Canada)

 $-40^{\circ}C \leq Ta \leq 60^{\circ}C$ 

ETL Control No. 4008610

Environmental

Operating temp -40 to +60°C display -20 to +60°C

Storage temp -40 to +85°C

to 95% at 40°C non condensing Humidity

Vibration Report available Enclosure

Ingress Front IP66, rear IP20 Material BS 3146-2:1977 ANC4B (316) Complies with 2014/30/EU **EMC** 

Mechanical

Screw clamp for 0.5 to 1.5mm<sup>2</sup> cable, Terminals

removable terminal blocks.

Weight 0.85kg

Accessories

Backlight Green LED internally powered

Control outputs Two outputs each of which may be

independently configured as a NO or NC

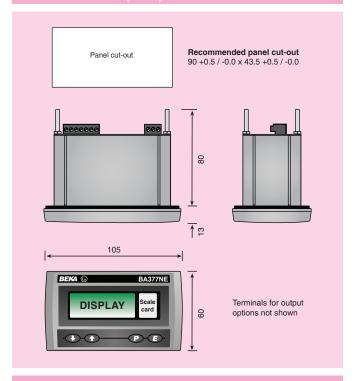
output.

Outputs Isolated single pole, voltage free solid state

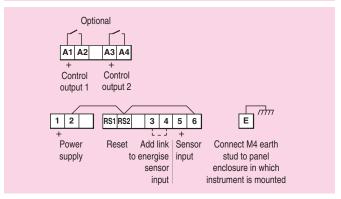
switch.

Ron  $5\Omega + 0.7V \text{ max}$ Roff IMΩ min

#### **DIMENSIONS** (mm



#### TERMINAL CONNECTIONS



Scale card Blank card fitted to all instruments.

Can be supplied typeset with specified units of measurement for no additional charge at

time of purchase. #

Tag legend Specified tag number or application laser

etched onto rear of instrument. #

Provides impact and IP66 protection for BA495 rear cover

and sealing kit rear of instrument. #

### OW TO ORDER

See accessory datasheet for details

Please specify BA377NE Model number Function Timer or Clock Input Tvpe

Accessories Please specify if required

Display backlight Backlight Control outputs Control outputs Scale card Legend required

No charge if ordered with instrument.

Tag Legend required

Rear cover and sealing kit **BA495** 

BA377NE can be supplied configured as required for no additional charge, see instruction manual, which can be downloaded from www.beka.co.uk/ba377ne for details. If configuration information is not supplied, instrument will be configured as a Timer with an open collector input. Can easily be reconfigured on-site.