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Make The Switch



Aspire Part M Wiring Accessories

Building Regulations Part M

The objective of Part M is to make it easier for those people with disabilities to use buildings, and the facilities in them, including electrical switches, outlets and controls. The implementation of the requirements of Part M will not only benefit those with physical disabilities, but also but many more; especially the elderly, hard of hearing and visually impaired.

PART M of the Building Regulation is split into 4 requirements and PART M1 lays down that reasonable provision should be made for people with disabilities to have access to and use of building structures and their facilities.

How the provisions are interpreted and applied will depend largely upon the building owner’s, or specifiers understanding or interpretation of the term disability and its associated implications. Whilst Contactum offer a range of products to meet the requirements of PART M, the onus on the correct specification of electrical wiring accessories in relation to meeting the regulations, their installation, and position is on the specifiers or contractor.

Key Design Considerations

The key design considerations are outlined in Sections 4.25 – 4.29 of PART M1 of the approved building regulations document. Some of the key points are:

- Switches, outlets and controls should be easy to operate, be readily visible, and be positioned free from obstruction.
- A consistent relationship with doorways and corners will reinforce the ease with which people manipulate switches and controls.
- All users should be able to locate a control, know which setting it is on and use it without inadvertently changing its setting.
- Controls should contrast with their surroundings; thus ensuring convenience for the visually impaired as are light switches that are activated by a large push pad.
- To avoid inadvertent selection by the visually impaired or those with limited dexterity it is an advantage if individual switches on panels and multiple socket outlets are well separated or in the form of large touch plates.
- The colours red and green should not be used in combination as indicators of “on” and “off” for switches and controls. The use of text or a pictogram to clarify the purpose and status of multiple switches and controls may be useful instead.

Aspire Part M

Features

- Colour coded terminals on socket outlets
- 13A twin sockets fitted with two earth terminals
- In compliance with BS1363:Part 2 or BS EN 606691-1 as appropriate
- Slim line grey rounded profile
- Switches, sockets, modular grid and media units
- 25 Year Guarantee



A2346PM



A2358PM



A2712PM



A2368PM



A2732PM



A2722PM

Switches and Sockets

10AX Plate Switches

1 Gang 2 Way 10AX Switch	A2712PM
2 Gang 2 Way 10AX Switch	A2722PM
3 Gang 2 Way 10AX Switch	A2732PM
1 Gang Intermediate Switch 10AX	A2710PM
3 Pole Fan Isolator Switch 10AX	A2713PM

13 Amp Connection Units

13A Switched Double Pole Flex Outlet	A2368PM
13A Switched Double Pole Flex Outlet Neon	A2369PM

45 Amp Switches

1 Gang 45A Double Pole Switch Neon	A2757SWPM
White Rocker	

Switches and Sockets

13 Amp Socket Outlets

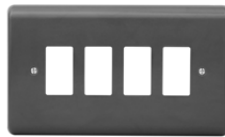
1 Gang 13A Switched Socket Double Pole	A2346PM
1 Gang 13A Switched Socket Double Pole Neon	A2347PM
2 Gang 13A Switched Socket Double Pole	A2358PM
Outboard Rockers	
1 Gang 13A Switched Socket Double Pole Neon Outboard Rockers	A2359PM

20 & 32 Amp Switches

20A Double Pole Switch Flex Outlet Neon	A1799PM
32A Double Pole Switch Flex Outlet Neon	A1789PM



A2117PM



G7204PM



G714GF



E1160W



AG2719 AG2710



E1146W E1187W

Modular and Media

Moulded Cover Plates

1 Gang Moulded Cover Plate	G7201PM
2 Gang Moulded Cover Plate	G7202PM
3 Gang Moulded Cover Plate	G7203PM
4 Gang Moulded Cover Plate	G7204PM
6 Gang Moulded Cover Plate	G7206PM
8 Gang Moulded Cover Plate	G7208PM

Grid Frames

1 Gang Grid Frame	G711GF
2 Gang Grid Frame	G712GF
3 Gang Grid Frame	G713GF
4 Gang Grid Frame	G714GF

Modular Grid Frames

Single Data Plate 2 Modules	A2117PM
Double Data Plate 4 Modules	A2127PM

Modular and Media

10AX Switches

Intermediate 10AX Switch	AG2710
2 Way 10AX Switch	AG2712
2 Way Retractive Centre Off Switch	AG2719

20AX Switches

1 Way Double Pole 20AX Switch	AG2814
1 Way Double Pole 20AX Switch Neon	AG2815
2 Way Double Pole 20AX Switch	AG2816

Communication Modules

RJ45 CAT5e White	E1180W
TV Outlet White (Male)	E1146W
TV Outlet White (Female)	E1147W
F Connector White	E1151W
TV/Radio/Satellite Module White	E1160W
Blanking Module White (1 Module)	E1187W



DLB135



DLB235



DLBD35



MB116



MB225



MBD35

Accessories

Dry Lining Boxes

1 Gang 35mm Dry Lining Box	DLB135
1 Gang 47mm Dry Lining Box	DLB147
2 Gang 35mm Dry Lining Box	DLB235
2 Gang 47mm Dry Lining Box	DLB247
Dual 35mm Dry Lining Box	DLBD35

Accessories

Metal Boxes

1 Gang 16mm Steel Box	MB116
1 Gang 25mm Steel Box	MB125
1 Gang 35mm Steel Box	MB135
1 Gang 47mm Steel Box	MB147
2 Gang 25mm Steel Box	MB225
2 Gang 35mm Steel Box	MB235
2 Gang 47mm Steel Box	MB247
Dual 35mm Steel Box	MBD35
Triple 1 & 2 Gang 35mm Steel Box	MBT35
4 x 2 Gang 35mm Media Box	MB435



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