

M-Bus design notes

1. Work to be carried out by the electrician

- Installation of empty conduits or line channels from data centre to branch boxes or measuring equipment etc.
- Drawing-in of cables to all measuring devices and components
- Delivery, installation and connection of sealable branch/ connector boxes at all terminal blocks and connection components
- Installation of data centre, incl. connection
- 230V 10A from sealable fuse groups
 Caution: Do not apply voltage to the centre or the supply unit!

2. Electrical installation instructions/installation cable

In general, the SEV regulations apply. The bus lines should be designed to the shortest length possible. GWF recommends the following cable types:

Riser	TT2x1.5mm² (preferred) Maximum cable length = 1'000m
Stub line	U72 1x4x0.8mm² (preferred) Maximum cable length = 50m

For greater cable lengths please consult GWF

Terminals / ConnectionsAll branch-off and connecting points have to be sealable. Sealing is
done by GWF. Proposed material:Surface-mounted boxese.g. Woertz 78x78mmFlush-mounted boxesStandard junction boxes

Line connections (proposed material)

Insulation displacement connectors «Scotchlok IDC» 0,5 ... 1,5mm² Usual terminals for low-voltage lines

3. Bus topology





4. Combinations of these cable routings

We recommend to split the laying of bus cables into risers and stub lines.



Caution: Ring cable routing of the M-Bus is not allowed.



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