

PRESS RELEASE

GE Digital Energy Sets New Standards for Advanced Industrial Motor Protection

The Multilin M60 Motor Protection System adds remote RTD support, enhanced security features, and ambient temperature alarming

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MARKHAM, Ontario, Canada -- GE Digital Energy announces significant enhancements to the Multilin M60 Motor Protection System, its premiere product for the protection of medium and large-sized medium voltage motors. The M60, based on GE Digital Energy's industry-leading Universal Relay (UR) platform, now includes remote Resistance Thermal Detector (RTD) support, embedded IEC 61850 communications, enhanced security features, and ambient temperature monitoring and alarming.

Now supporting remote RTDs, the M60 Motor Protection System drives down costs associated with the installation and maintenance of traditional temperature monitoring devices. With the remote RTD module mounted close to the motor, and the ability to monitor up to 12 RTDs, the M60 delivers an advanced, cost-effective solution.

The M60 offers comprehensive communications capabilities including support for the new Multilin HardFiber™ Process Bus Solution, which provides bi-directional IEC 61850 fiber optic communications, using GOOSE messaging, directly to the primary switchyard. With programmable logic to build custom control applications, the M60 delivers seamless communications and interoperability, eliminating the need for point-to-point wiring and auxiliary devices.

Adhering to the latest in security compliance, the M60 includes added features for the highest levels of device and system security. It creates a robust network security while enabling critical infrastructure protection with Dual Permission Access Control and User Command Logging.

For maximum system reliability and durability, the M60 now incorporates ambient temperature monitoring and alarming. With customizable alarm set points with user definable upper thresholds, the M60 provides advanced warning and notification of potential system issues before they occur.

For more information on the Multilin M60 Motor Protection System, visit www.gemultilin.com.

About the Multilin Universal Relay (UR) Family

The UR is a family of leading edge protection and control products built on a common modular platform. All UR products feature high performance protection, expandable I/O options, integrated monitoring and metering, high-speed communications, and extensive programming and configuration capabilities. The UR forms the basis of simplified power management for the protection of critical assets, either as a stand-alone device or within an overall power automation system. For more information, visit the website at www.GEMultilin.com/URFamily.

About GE Digital Energy:

GE Digital Energy, a part of GE Enterprise Solutions, is a global leader in protection and control, communications, power sensing and power quality solutions. Its products and services increase the reliability of electrical power networks and critical equipment for utility, industrial and large commercial customers. From protecting and optimizing assets such as generators, transmission lines and motors, to ensuring secure wireless data transmission and providing uninterruptible power, GE Digital Energy delivers industry-leading technologies to solve the unique challenges of each customer. For more information, visit http://www.gedigitalenergy.com.

About GE Enterprise Solutions:

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