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CODE LETTERS (International Protection)

First INDEX FIGURE (foreign bodies protection)

SECOND INDEX FIGURE (water protection)

NDEX	DEGREE OF PROTECTION	INDEX	DEGREE OF PROTECTION
	No protection against accidental contact, no protection against solid foreign bodies	0	No protection against water
1	Protection against contact with any large area by hand and against solid foreign bodies with Ø > 50 mm	1	Protection against vertical water drips
2	Protection against contact with the fingers, protection against solid foreign bodies with Ø > 12 mm	2	Protection against diagonal water drips (up to a 15° angle)
3	Protection against tools, wires or similar objects with $\emptyset > 2.5$ mm, protection against solid foreign bodies with $\emptyset > 2.5$ mm	3	Protection against diagonal water drips (up to a 60° angle)
4	As 3, however Ø > 1 mm	4	Protection against splashed water from all directions
5	Full protection against contact, protection against interior injurious dust deposits	5	Protection against water (out of a nozzle) from all directions
5	Total protection against contact, protection against penetration of dust	6	Protection against ingress of water in case of temporary flooding
		7	Protection against ingress of water in case of temporary immersion
		8	Protection against ingress of water in case of continuous immersion, requirements under agreement of user and manufacture
		9	Protected against close-range high pressure high temperature spray downs