

RC-H

External room unit with hidden setpoint

RC-H is a room controller from the Regio Mini series intended to control heating and cooling in a single zone.

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Regio

Regio is an extensive range of controllers for control of heating and cooling.

The controllers are divided into three different series; Mini, Midi and Maxi. The Midi range consists of pre-programmed controllers with communication. Maxi consists of freely programmable controllers with communication. The Mini controller range, of which RC-H is a part, consists of pre-programmed, stand-alone controllers.

Applications

The Regio controllers are suitable for use in buildings requiring optimum comfort and reduced energy consumption, such as offices, schools, shopping centres, airports, hotels and hospitals.

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Sensor

The controller has a built-in room temperature sensor. An external sensor for room temperature or change-over can also be connected (PT1000).

Actuators

RC-H can control 0...10 V DC valve actuators and/or 24 V AC thermal actuators.

Short facts about RC-H

- Easy installation
- Built-in function for forced ventilation
- Hidden setpoint
- On/Off or 0...10 V control
- Input for occupancy detector, window contact, condensation detector and change-over function

Easy to install

The modular design, featuring a separate bottom plate for wiring, makes the entire Regio range of controllers easy to install and commission. The bottom plate can be put into place before the electronics are installed. Mounting takes place directly on the wall or on an electrical connection box.



Control mode

RC-H has the control mode Heating and Cooling in sequence. A change-over function can also be activated, see below.

Operating modes

There are three different operating modes: *Stand-by*, *Occupied* and *Bypass*. *Occupied* is the preset operating mode. It can be set to *Stand-by* via a DIP switch. The operating modes can be activated via an occupancy detector.

Stand-by: The room is in an energy saving mode and is not used at the moment. This can, for instance, be during nights, weekends and evenings. The controller stands by to change operating mode to *Occupied* if presence is detected. Both heating and cooling are disconnected within a temperature interval surrounding the current setpoint (FS heating setpoint = $-3^{\circ}C$, cooling setpoint = $+3^{\circ}C$).

Occupied: The room is in use and a comfort mode is activated. The controller maintains the temperature around a heating setpoint (22°C) and a cooling setpoint (24°C).

Bypass: The temperature in the room is controlled in the same way as in the Occupied operating mode. The output for forced ventilation is also active. This operating mode is useful for instance in conference rooms, where many people are present at the same time for a certain period of time.

If no occupancy is detected for 10 minutes, the controller will automatically return to its preset operating mode (*Occupied* or *Stand-by*).

Occupancy detector

By connecting an occupancy detector, RC-H can switch between the Bypass operating mode and its preset operating mode (*Occupied* or *Stand-by*). This way, the temperature is controlled from requirement, making it possible to save energy while maintaining the temperature at a comfortable level.

Forced ventilation

Regio has a built-in function for forced ventilation. A closing of the digital occupancy detector input will set the controller to *Bypass* mode and activate the output for forced ventilation (DO1). This can for instance be used to open a damper. This function is terminated when the settable forcing interval (10 min.) has run out. The function can also be activated at the press of a button.

Change-over function

RC-H has an input for change-over that automatically resets output UO1 to operate with heating or cooling function. A PT1000 type sensor can be connected and mounted so that it monitors the supply temperature of the heating coil.

The output function is set to Heating when the fluid temperature exceeds 22°C and to Cooling when the temperature falls below 18°C.

To ensure satisfactory functioning using a sensor, the system must have continuous primary circuit circulation. When the change-over function is not used, the input must be left disconnected.

Setpoint adjustment

RC-H has hidden setpoint, which is useful in for instance schools and other buildings where unauthorised setpoint adjustment is to be avoided.

When in mode *Occupied*, the controller operates using a heating setpoint (FS = 22° C) or a cooling setpoint (FS = 24° C) that can be changed locally using DIP switches.

The setpoint can be adjusted up or down (FS = $\pm 3^{\circ}$ C) on the back of the electronics cassette using a small screwdriver.

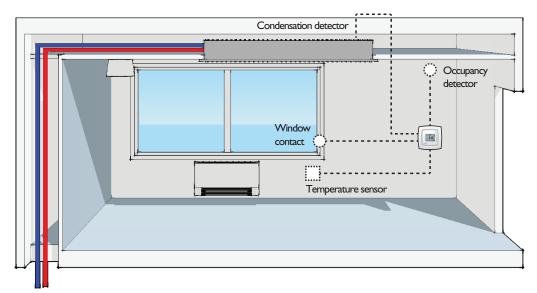
Switching between heating and cooling setpoints takes place automatically in the controller depending on heating or cooling requirements.

Built-in safety functions

RC-H has an input for a condensation detector to detect moisture accumulation. If detected, the cooling circuit will be stopped. The controller also has frost protection which is active when a window is open and the controller is in mode *Off*. This prevents frost damages by ensuring that the room temperature does not drop below 8°C.

Actuator exercise

All actuators are exercised, regardless of type or model. The controller performs this exercise at an interval of 23 hours. An opening signal is sent to the actuator for as long time as its configured run time. A closing signal is then sent for an equal amount of time, after which the exercise is completed.



Application example

Technical data	
Supply voltage Power consumption Ambient temperature Storage temperature Ambient humidity Protection class Built-in temperature sensor Material, casing Weight Colour	1830 V AC, 5060 Hz 2.5 VA 050°C -20+70°C Max 90% RH IP20 NTC type, range 050°C, accuracy ±0.5°C at 1530°C Polycarbonate, PC 110 g Signal white RAL 9003
CE	This product carries the CE mark. For more information, see www.regincontrols.com.
Inputs	
External room sensor Change-over Presence detector IR24-P. Condensation detector alt. window contact	PT1000 sensor, 050°C. Suitable sensors are Regin's TG-R5/PT1000, TG-UH/PT1000 and TG-A1/PT1000. PT1000 sensor, 0100°C. Suitable sensor is Regin's TG-A1/PT1000. Closing, potential-free contact. Suitable occupancy detector is Regin's Regin's condensation detector KG-A/1 resp. potential-free contact
Outputs Forced ventilation Valve actuators alt. thermal actuators Valve actuators Termal actuator Output	24 V AC actuator, max 0.5 A 2 outputs 010 V DC, max. 5 mA 24 V AC, max. 2.0 A Heating or cooling
Actuator exercise Terminal blocks	23 hours interval Lift type for max cable cross-section 2.1 mm ²

Basic heating setpoint, set via DIP switches

The ON-position is marked on the DIP switch. The cooling setpoint is 2°C higher.

Basic setpoint, heating (°C)	SW1	SW2
20	OFF	OFF
22 (FS)	OFF	ON
24	ON	OFF
26	ON	ON

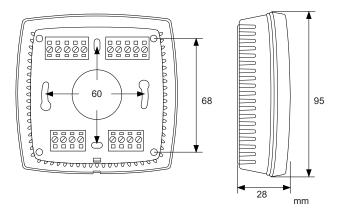
Other DIP switches

	ON	OFF	Comment
SW3	Stand-by	Occupied (FS)	Preset operating mode
SW4	DI, window switch. Closed contact indicates closed window.	, 8	
SW5	Digital output for 24 V AC thermal actuator.	Analogue output for 010 V DC valve actuator (FS).	Function terminal 23, UO1.
SW6	Digital output for 24 V AC thermal actuator.	Analogue output for 010 V DC valve actuator (FS).	Function terminal 24, UO2.
SW7	External, PT1000-sensor	Internal NTC-sensor (FS)	Temperature sensor

Wiring

Terminal	Designation	Function
10	G	Supply voltage 24 V AC
11	G0	Supply voltage 0 V
12	DO1	Output for forced ventilation
13-14		No function
20	GDO	24 V AC out common for DO
21	G0	0 V common for UO (when using 010 V actuators)
22		No function
23	UO1	Output for 010 V valve actuator alt. thermal actuator. Heating or Cooling via change-over.
24	UO2	Output for 010 V valve actuator alt. thermal actuator, cooling.
30	AI1	Input for an external sensor
31	UII	Input for change-over sensor
32	DII	Input for occupancy detector
33	DI2/CI	Input for Regin's condensation detector KG-A/1 alt. window contact
40	+C	24 V DC out common for DI
41	AGnd	Analogue ground, reference for AI and UI (with analogue and digital function)
42-43		No function

Dimensions



Product documentation

The product documentation is available for download from Regin's website, www.regincontrols.com.

