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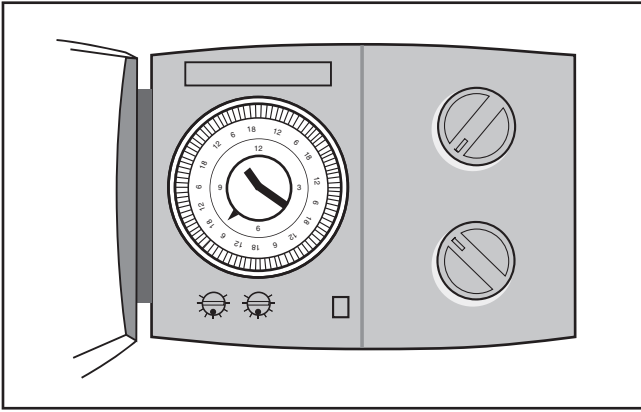
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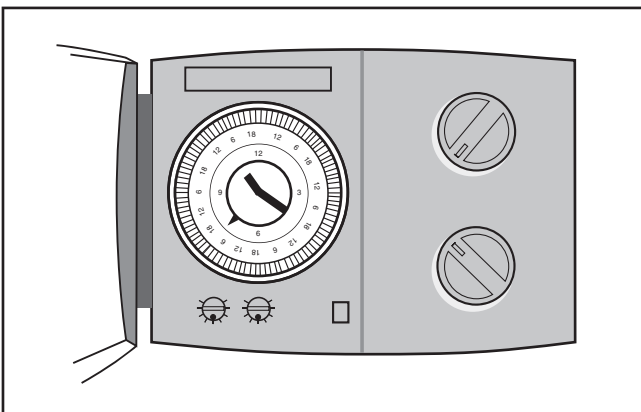
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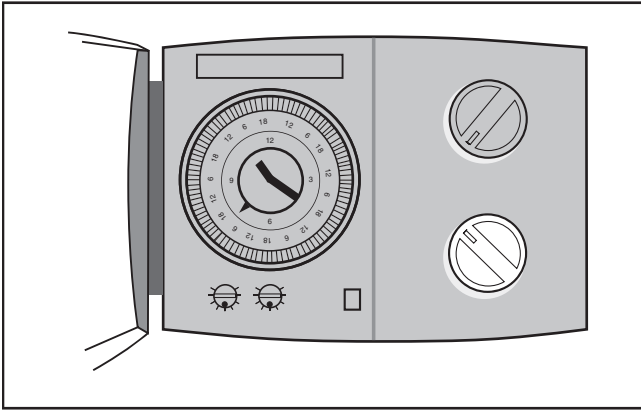
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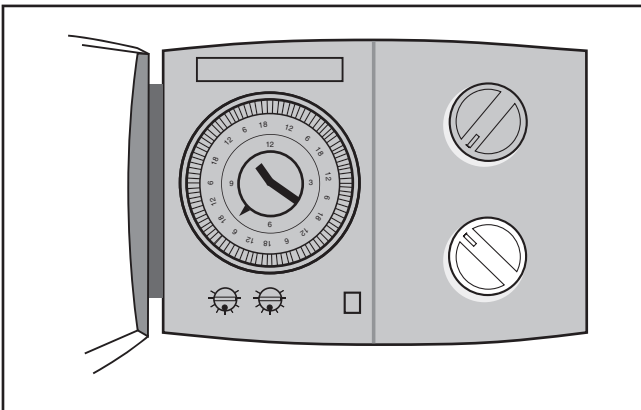
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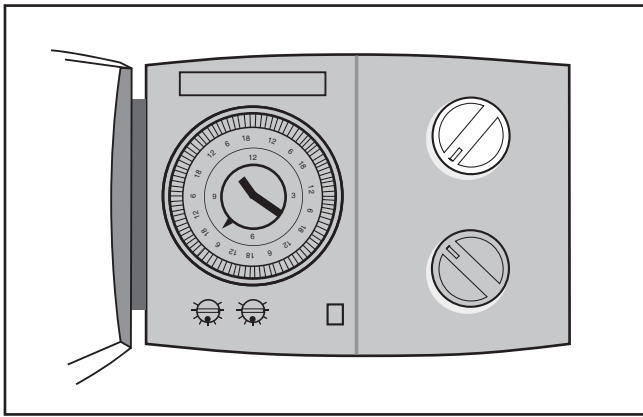
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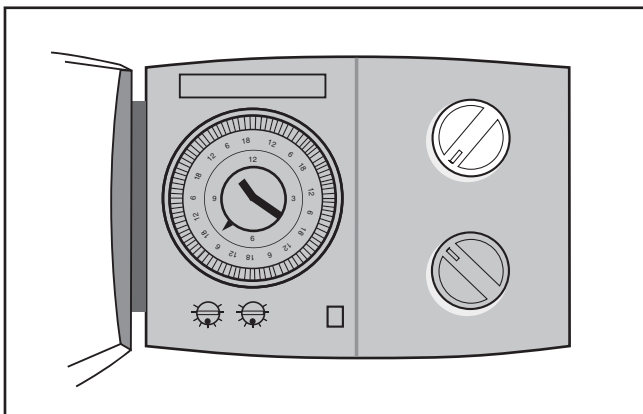
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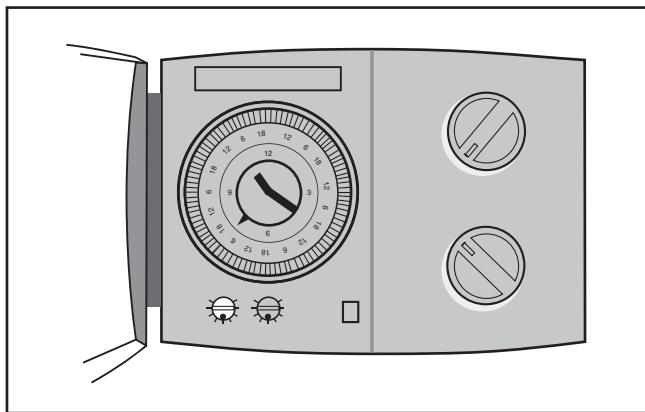
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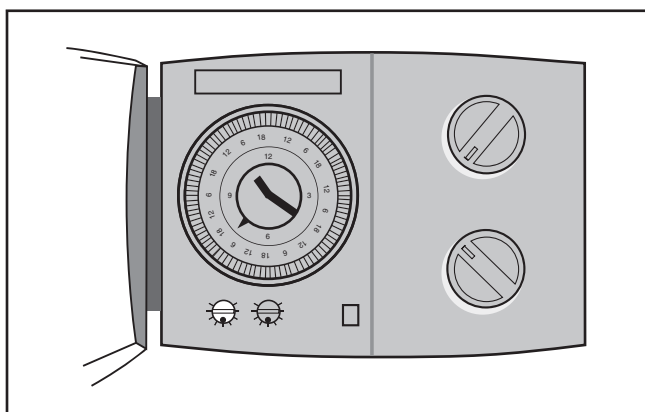
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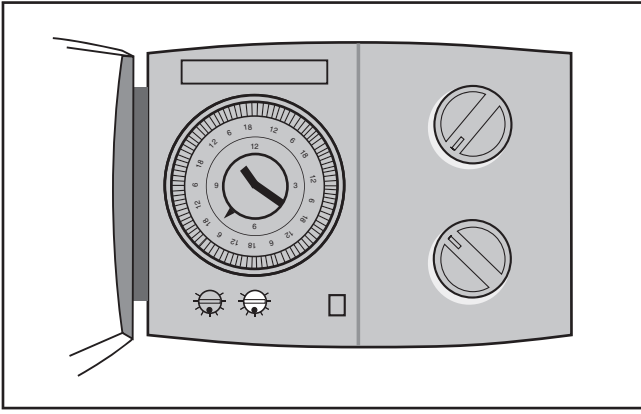
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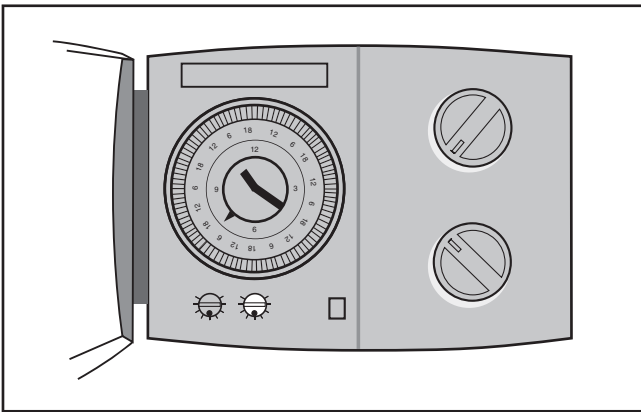
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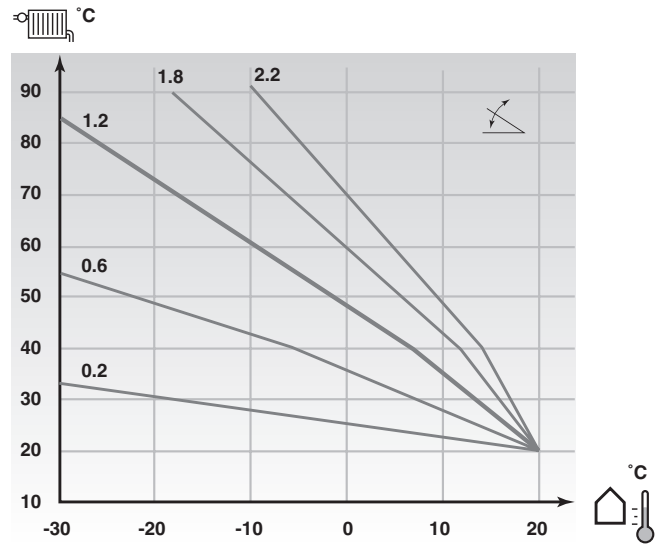
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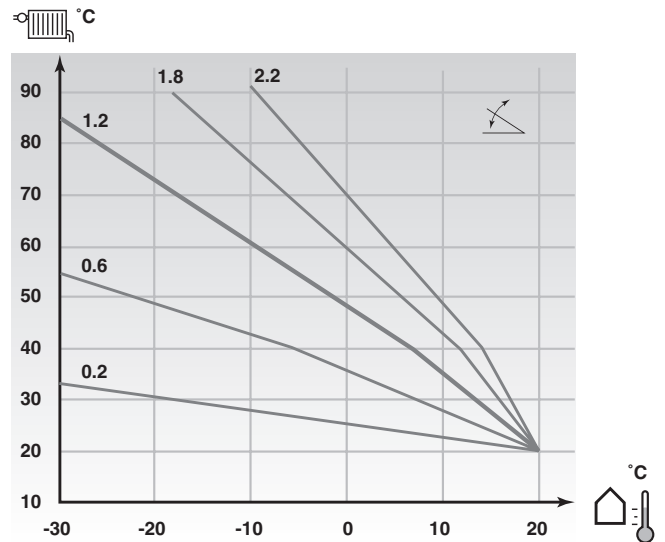
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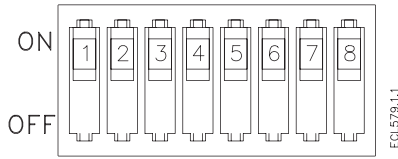
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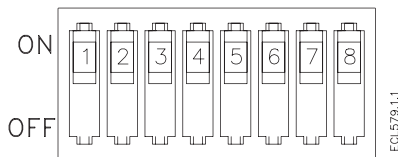


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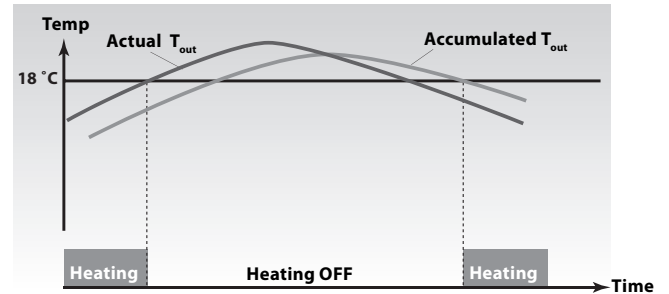


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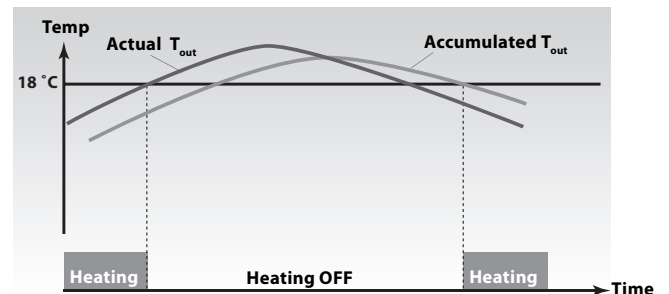
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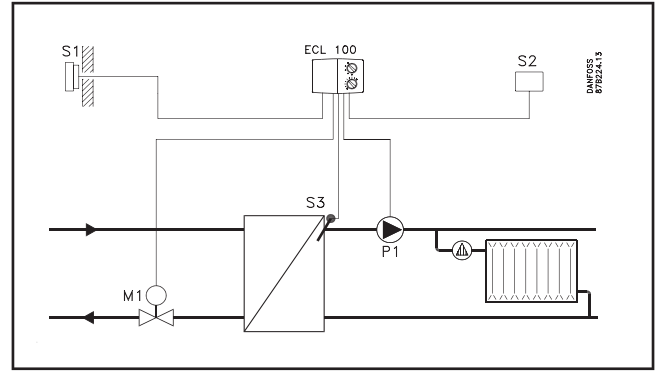
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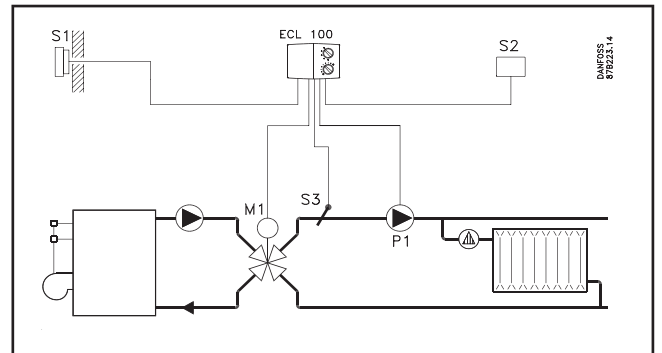
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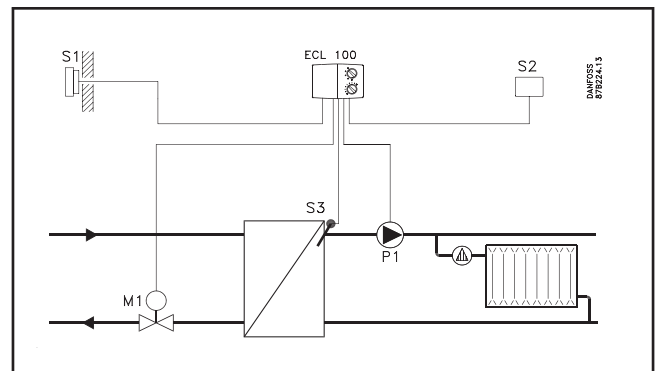
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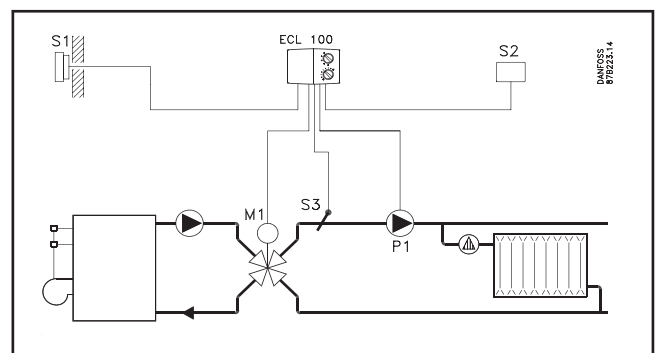
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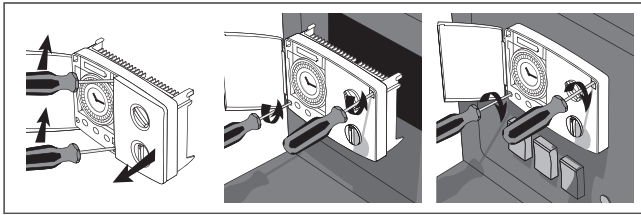
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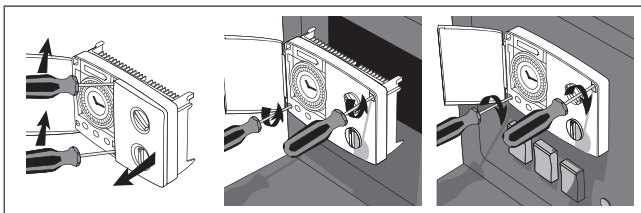
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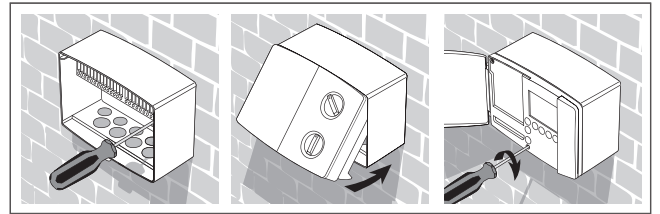


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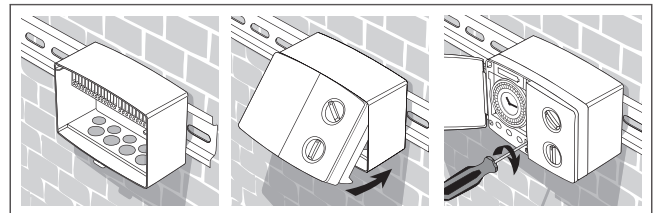
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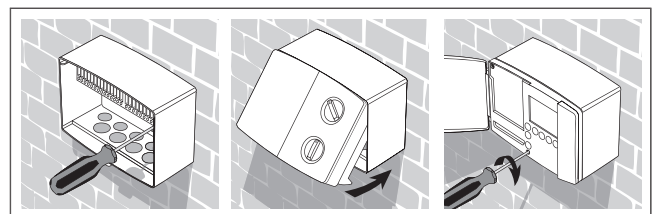


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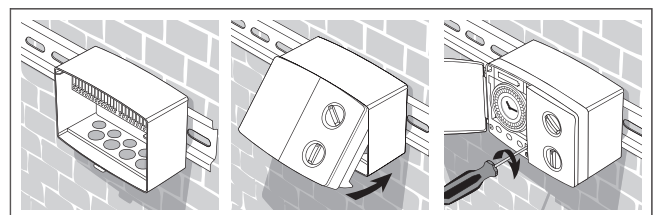
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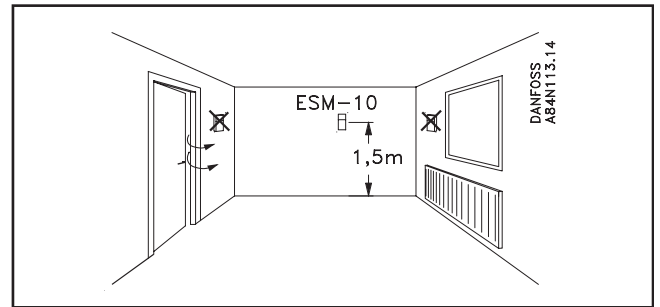
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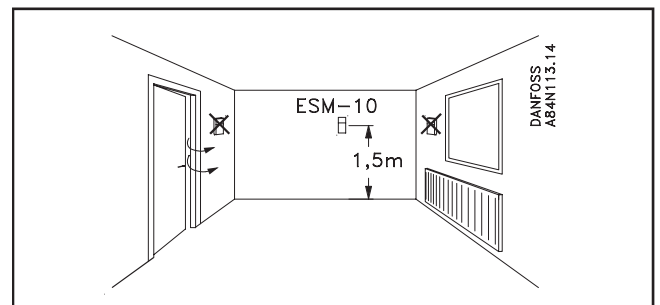
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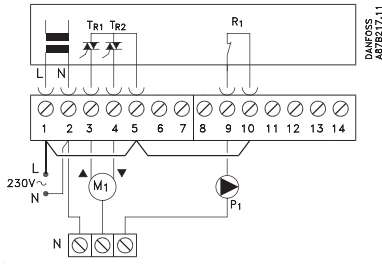
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3	M1	Gear motor - open	0.2 VA 230 V a.c.
4	M1	Gear motor - close alt.: ABV thermo actuator	0.2 VA 230 V a.c.
5		230 V a.c. supply for M1	
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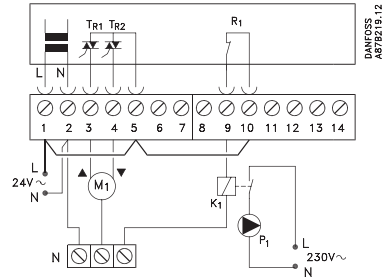
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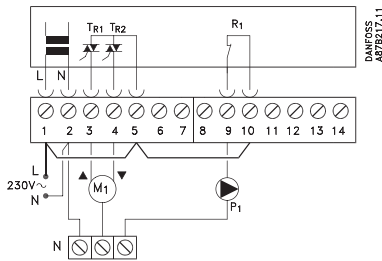
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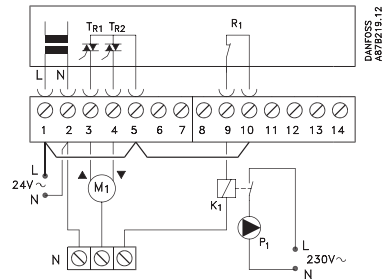
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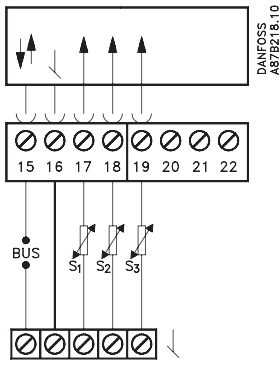
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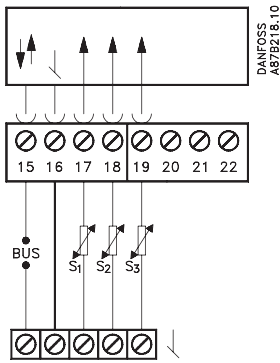
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Control status

At normal operation with the function switch in the positions , , or the indicator lights.

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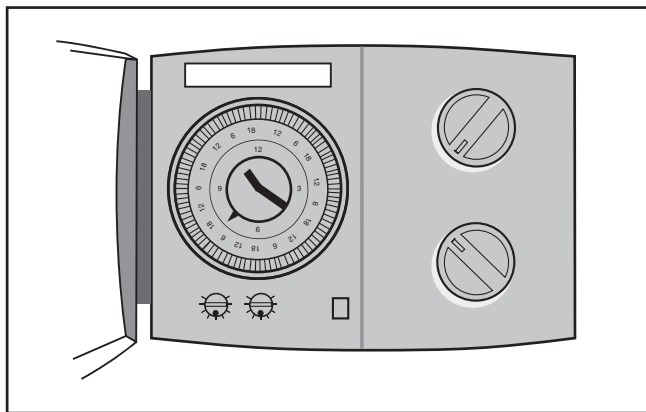
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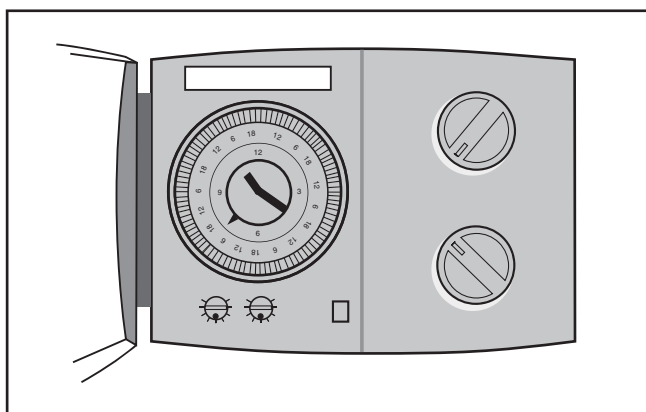
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