

# Helvar

## 4-Channel Ballast Controller (474)

The DIGIDIM 474 is a 4-channel ballast controller fitted with high-inrush relays rated at 16 A per channel. These relays handle short-lived high peak currents during switch-on of loads.

The outputs can be configured to match common ballast control loads including 0/1–10 V, DSI, DALI broadcast and PWM. They can be set to be independent of, or paired with, relay channels. The 474 ballast controller can operate with a Helvar DIGIDIM or Imagine lighting control system. It is a DIN rail mounted device for ease of installation.

The 474 ballast controller has an intuitive LED segment display and push buttons for monitoring, manual configuration and control purposes.

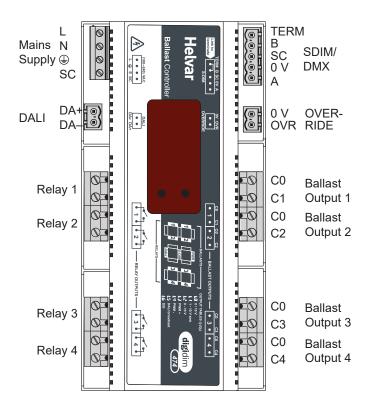


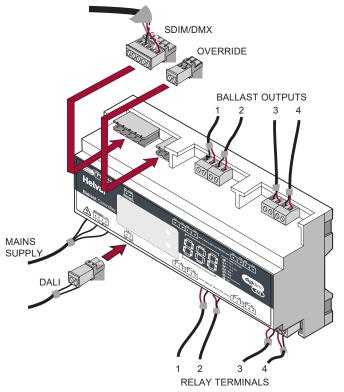
### **Key Features**

- High inrush specification relays
- · Wired override input
- · LED segment display and push buttons
- · Multiple output configurations of:

0-10 V: source 10 mA
1-10 V: sink 100 mA
DALI broadcast: source 100 mA
DS®: source 100 mA
PWM: source 100 mA

#### **Connections**





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#### **Technical Data**

**Connections** 

Mains/relay/output: Solid core: up to 4 mm<sup>2</sup>

Stranded: 2.5 mm<sup>2</sup>

DALI:  $0.5 \text{ mm}^2 - 1.5 \text{ mm}^2$ 

Max. length: 300 m @ 1.5 mm<sup>2</sup>

SDIM/DMX: 0.22 mm<sup>2</sup> – 1.5 mm<sup>2</sup> low-loss

RS485 type (multistranded,

twisted and shielded).

Max. length: 1000 m (low-loss cable). Examples: Belden 8102

or Alpha 6222C.

Note: One twisted pair for A and B (85  $\Omega$  to 100  $\Omega$  impedance), one core or twisted pair for 0 V,

and shield for screen.

**Power** 

Mains supply: 100 VAC – 240 VAC (nominal)

85 VAC – 264 VAC (absolute)

45 Hz – 65 Hz

Power consumption: 2.4 W (minimum) to 11 W

(all outputs fully loaded)

External protection: The mains supply must be

protected at 6 A maximum. The relays must be protected by a

16 A Type C MCB maximum.

DALI consumption: 2 mA

Inputs

Communication: DALI, SDIM and DMX
Override: Wired override input

User interface: 2 push buttons for configuration

**Outputs** 

0–10 V: Source 10 mA 1–10 V: Sink 100 mA

DALI/DSI®: (50 ballasts) Source 100 mA PWM +/-: (50 ballasts) Source 100 mA

Relays

Channels: 4

Relay contacts: High inrush (800 A at 200 µs),

single pole normally open

(SPNO)

Max. load per contact: 16 A resistive/incandescent;

10 A HID (cos y = 0.6). For ballasts, quantity is limited by MCB: refer to the manufacturer's data.

Operating and storage conditions

Ambient temperature: 0 °C to +40 °C

Relative humidity: Max. 90 %, noncondensing

Storage temperature: -10 °C to +70 °C

#### **Mechanical data**

Dimensions: 160 mm × 90 mm × 58 mm

Housing: DIN-rail case; 9U

Weight: 280 g

Mounting: DIN rail (installation in

switchgear/controlgear cabinet)

IP code: IP30 (IP00 at terminals)

Conformity and standards

EMC emission: EN 55015

EMC immunity: EN 61547

Safety: EN 61347-2-11

DALI: According to DALI standard

IEC 62386, with Helvar additions

SDIM: According to Helvar SDIM

protocol

DMX: DMX512-A protocol

(max. refresh rate: 33 Hz)

Isolation: All connectors are isolated from

each other, except for SDIM/ DMX to Override, and ballast output 1–2 to ballast output 3–4.

Environment: Complies with WEEE and RoHS

directives.

#### **Dimensions (mm)**

