

COMPLETE PRODUCT INFORMATION

SPA-ZC 402

Installation, Application and Verification

ABB SPA-ZC 402 is a SPA-to-IEC 61850 gateway that connects one fibre-optic SPA IED to an IEC 61850 station bus. It also permits SPA protocol access over TCP/IP through the same Ethernet connection.

Manufacturer	ABB
Complete model	SPA-ZC 402
Product type	SPA to IEC 61850 Gateway
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Installation planning

Mount SPA-ZC 402 on the cubicle wall or floor near the IED, keeping the fibre-optic SPA cable within the engineered route and length. Complete protective earth and auxiliary-power wiring before connecting the SPA fibre and LAN path, then commission only one SPA device per adapter loop.

- 1

Record the complete SPA-ZC 402 ordering code so the protocol, Ethernet connector, SPA fibre and power option remain matched.
- 2

Isolate both auxiliary power and the connected protection equipment before terminal or fibre work.
- 3

Connect the protective-earth conductor to the dedicated casing screw before applying auxiliary power.
- 4

Do not connect multiple separate SPA devices in one SPA loop; configure a larger rack as the single device defined by ABB.
- 5

Keep optical fibres clean, correctly paired and within the planned installation route and bend radius.
- 6

Back up the active CET project, device model, datasets, report controls and exported CID file before modification.
- 7

Verify the selected IED connectivity package and adapter firmware combination before downloading a configuration.
- 8

After installation, review the documented LED sequence and prove SPA, LAN and IEC 61850 communication under controlled conditions.

Important Notice: Use one SPA device per SPA-ZC 402 loop and verify the complete execution code, auxiliary-power option, Ethernet interface, IED connectivity package and CID file before start-up.

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Configuration and verification

- 1

Verify the complete model identity and installed hardware execution.
- 2

Compare wiring, optical paths and protective earth with controlled drawings.
- 3

Restore only the approved project or CID configuration for the connected IED.
- 4

Review diagnostic indications before enabling reporting or control functions.
- 5

Record communication and functional test results before operational release.
- 6

Preserve the removed-unit identity and the final replacement configuration record.

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Interface values used during checks

IED optical interface	ST multimode glass pair; snap-in multimode plastic pair
Ethernet optical connectors	LC multimode; MT-RJ multimode
Ethernet copper connector	RJ-45, STP CAT5e
Auxiliary power option A	100-240 VAC; 110-220 VDC
Auxiliary power option C	24-60 VDC
AC power terminals	1 = L; 2 = N
DC power terminals	1 = +; 2 = -
Common diagnostic LEDs	Power; Diagnostic green/red/yellow

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Applications and maintenance

SPA relay IEC 61850 gateway

Connects one installed SPA protection IED to a station-level IEC 61850 network.

SPACOM 300 rack integration

Treats a configured SPACOM 300 rack as one SPA device behind the gateway.

Disturbance-record retrieval

Transfers recorder files from the connected protection device for engineering analysis.

Station upgrade with retained IED

Adds modern station-bus communications while keeping the existing SPA-connected device.

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Maintenance record

1

Complete model and execution code

2

Connected IED or relay identity

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Power, earth and optical connection checks

4

Restored CET project or CID file

5

IED and communication diagnostic results

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Final status, measurement and control tests

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Maintenance FAQ

How many SPA devices should be connected to one SPA-ZC 402?

ABB permits one SPA device on the adapter loop; a configured SPACOM 300 rack is treated as one device.

What must be backed up before reconfiguring SPA-ZC 402?

Retain the CET project, IED data model, datasets, report-control settings, communication parameters and exported CID file.

Where should SPA-ZC 402 be mounted inside a cubicle?

Mount it on the cubicle wall or floor near the protection relay, with the fibre-optic SPA cable length and routing considered before drilling.

How should a SPA-ZC 402 configuration error be diagnosed?

Review the Diagnostic LED sequence, verify the downloaded CID content, inspect the error log and simplify or correct any mismatched configuration.

Which auxiliary-power version of SPA-ZC 402 is required for an existing panel?

Read the complete ordering code and match the panel supply to option A or C before any terminal connection.

What compatibility checks apply when replacing SPA-ZC 402?

Match the protocol execution, Ethernet connector, SPA optical hardware, auxiliary-power range, firmware, CET version and IED connectivity package.

How is SPA-ZC 402 connected between an IED and the station bus?

Connect the IED with the specified optical SPA pair and connect the selected LAN interface to the station-bus Ethernet switch.

How is SPA-ZC 402 commissioned after installation?

Confirm protective earth and power polarity, verify LAN and SPA traffic indications, then test configured reports, controls and engineering access from the station system.

Official ABB source record

ABB SPA/Ethernet Adapter - SPA to IEC 61850 Gateway Installation and Commissioning Manual

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