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Whilst no hard and fast rules apply to the mounting of these units, the lead should be supported in an enclosed vessel, and in an open vessel it is advantageous to clip the lead to the side, especially if excessive turbulence is experienced.

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Connect the BROWN lead to the COMMON/NEUTRAL connector and the other leads as follows:

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Ensure any connector boxes in close proximity of water are fully waterproofed.

If in any doubt, regarding electrical installation, consult a qualified technician, DO NOT attempt to carry out the installation yourself.