

Public Safety Announcement

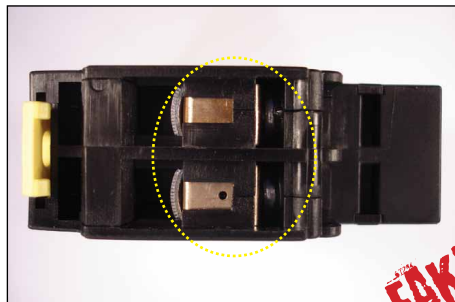
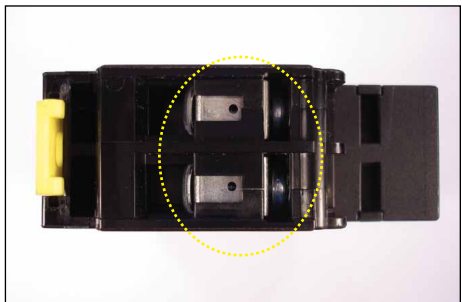
Imitation isn't flattery – it's **MURDER!**

How to spot a **FAKE / COUNTERFEIT / IMITATION**

Earth Leakage: (QA17 A/C)



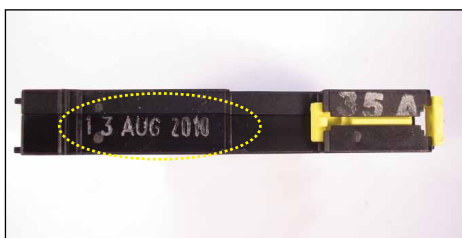
Date stamp on side of earth leakage device. Imitation devices have a machine applied mark, whereas authentic devices have 100% quality inspection and the date stamp is applied by a quality inspector by hand.



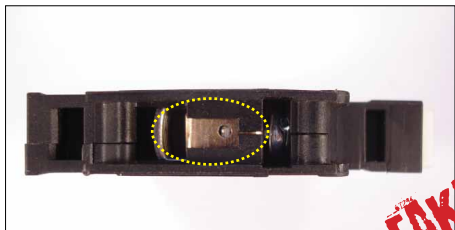
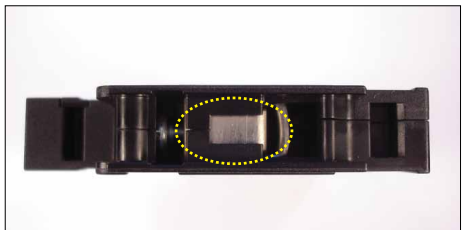
Imitation devices have one terminal with a locating hole, and one without. Both terminals on authentic devices have locating holes.



Circuit Breaker: QA - 1(13)



Date stamp on bottom of device. Imitation devices have a machine applied mark, whereas authentic devices have 100% quality inspection and the date stamp is applied by a quality inspector by hand.



Imitation devices have holes in the terminals, authentic devices do not.



Counterfeit and imitation devices may ignite and burn under normal load conditions because they are produced without even the most basic quality control measures. These fake devices fail the most lenient tests prescribed by the compulsory standards. Since counterfeit and imitation devices are not compliant, the installation is not protected, nor is the Certificate of Compliance valid.

Authentic CBI devices are guaranteed to comply with numerous international standards as well as the local compulsory standards. Authentic CBI devices will protect, always.

Should you suspect a counterfeit or imitation device, please do not hesitate to contact our **hotline** at 0860 BREAKR (273257) or +27119282000. You may also email us at cbi@cbi-electric.com or visit our website at www.cbi-lowvoltage.co.za.