

Ultrasonic flow meter

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# **Preface**

Thank you for purchasing our ultrasonic flow meter. Please read this manual carefully before operating and using it correctly to avoid unnecessary losses caused by false operation.

### Note

- Modification of this manual's contents will not be notified as a result of some factors, such as function upgrading.
- We try our best to guarantee that the manual content is accurate, if you find something wrong or incorrect, please contact us.
- This product is forbidden to use in explosion-proof occasions.

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# **Safety Precautions**

In order to use this product safely, be sure to follow the safety precautions described.

#### About this manual

- Please submit this manual to the operator for reading.
- Please read the operation manual carefully before applying the instrument.
   On the precondition of full understanding.
- This manual only describes the functions of the product. The company does not guarantee that the product will be suitable for a particular use by the user.

# Precautions for protection, safety and modification of this product

- To ensure safety of this product and the systems it controls, Please read carefully the operation manual and understand the correct application methods before putting into operation, to avoid unnecessary losses due to operation mistakes. If the instrument is operated in other ways not described in the manual, the protections that the instrument give may be destroyed, and the failures and accidents incurred due to violation of precautions shall not be borne by our company.
- When installing lightning protection devices for this product and its control system, or designing and installing separate safety protection circuits for this product and its control system, it needs to be implemented by other devices.
- If you need to replace parts of the product, please use the model specifications specified by the company.
- This product is not intended for use in systems that are directly related to
  personal safety. Such as nuclear power equipment, equipment using
  radioactivity, railway systems, aviation equipment, marine equipment,
  aviation equipment and medical equipment. If applied, it is the responsibility
  of the user to use additional equipment or systems to ensure personal
  safety.
- Do not modify this product.

The following safety signs are used in this manual:



Hazard, if not taken with appropriate precautions, will result in serious personal injury, product damage or major property damage.



Warning:Pay special attention to the important information linked to product or particular part in the operation manual.



- Confirm if the supply voltage is in consistent with the rated voltage before operation.
- Don't use the instrument in a flammable and combustible or steam area.
- To prevent from electric shock, operation mistake, a good grounding protection must be made.
- Thunder prevention engineering facilities must be well managed: the shared grounding network shall be grounded at is-electric level, shielded, wires shall be located rationally, SPD surge protector shall be applied properly.
- Some inner parts may carry high voltage. Do not open the square panel
  in the front except our company personnel or maintenance personnel
  acknowledged by our company, to avoid electric shock.
- Cut off electric powers before making any checks, to avoid electric shock.
- Check the condition of the terminal screws regularly. If it is loose, please tighten it before use.
- It is not allowed to disassemble, process, modify or repair the product without authorization, otherwise it may cause abnormal operation, electric shock or fire accident.
- Wipe the product with a dry cotton cloth. Do not use alcohol, benzine or other organic solvents. Prevent all kinds of liquid from splashing on the

product. If the product falls into the water, please cut off the power immediately, otherwise there will be leakage, electric shock or even a fire accident.

- Please check the grounding protection status regularly. Do not operate if you think that the protection measures such as grounding protection and fuses are not perfect.
- Ventilation holes on the product housing must be kept clear to avoid malfunctions due to high temperatures, abnormal operation, shortened life and fire.
- Please strictly follow the instructions in this manual, otherwise the product's protective device may be damaged.



- Don't use the instrument if it is found damaged or deformed at opening of package.
- Prevent dust, wire end, iron fines or other objects from entering the instrument during installation, otherwise, it will cause abnormal movement or failure.
- During operation, to modify configuration, signal output, start up, stop, operation safety shall be fully considered. Operation mistakes may lead to failure and even destruction of the instrument and controlled equipment.
- Each part of the instrument has a certain lifetime, which must be maintained and repaired on a regular basis for long-time use.
- The product shall be scrapped as industrial wastes, to prevent environment pollution.
- When not using this product, be sure to turn off the power switch.
- If you find smoke from the product, smell odor, abnormal noise, etc.,
   please turn off the power switch immediately and contact the company in time.

# Disclaimer

- The company does not make any guarantees for the terms outside the scope of this product warranty.
- This company is not responsible for damage to the instrument or loss of parts or unpredictable damage caused directly or indirectly by improper operation of the user.

No.	Name	Quantity	Note
1	Ultrasonic flow meter	1	
2	Manual	1	
3	Certificate	1	

After opening the box, please confirm the package contents before starting the operation. If you find that the model and quantity are incorrect or there is physical damage in appearance, please contact us.

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# **Chapter 1 Installation**

Please read this section when installing this product.

# Installation precautions

- The installation method of this product is threaded installation/flange installation.
- In order to prevent the internal temperature of this product from rising,
   please install it in a well-ventilated location.

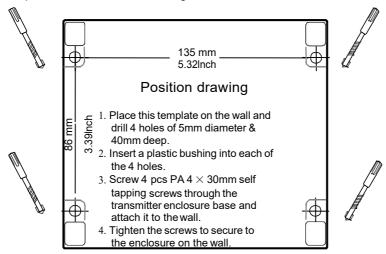
### Avoid the following location during installation

- Location where sunlight directly hits and near hot appliances
- Location where the ambient temperature exceeds 60<sup>™</sup> during work
- Location where the ambient humidity exceeds 85% at work
- Near the electromagnetic generation source
- Location with strong mechanical vibration
- Location with high temperature changes and easy condensation
- Location with high quantities of lampblack, steam, moisture, dust and corrosive gases

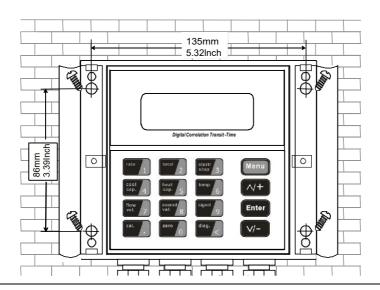
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### 1.1. Inspection prior to transmitter Installation

You will find a "Position Drawing" in the packing. Please use it as a template in the place that you are going to install the flowmeter. Then drill 4 installing holes at the screws position shown on the drawing with the 5.0mm drill.



Take out the enclosed screws and plastic bushings. Insert the plastic bushings into the installing holes. Put the flowmeter to the position and screw it in.





#### Attention

When installing please ensure the front cover is secure and will not fall open.

### 1.2. Wire Connecting

### 1.2.1. Power supply option

Customers should pay special attention to specify the desired power supply when wiring. Factory standard power supply is 10~36VDC/1A max.

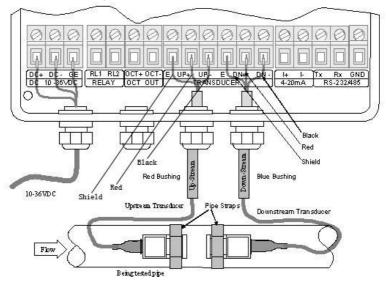
1.2.2.To ensure the transmitter can work normally, please pay attention to the followings when wiring: Ensure that power connections are made in accordance with the specifications shown on the transmitter.

#### 1.2.3. Transmitter wiring

Once the electronics enclosure has been installed, the flowmeter wiring can be connected. Open the case, you will find the transmitter interfaces labels from left to right as follows:

Power supply, Relay output, OCT Output, Upstream transducer, Downstream transducer, 4-20mA, RS485 interface.

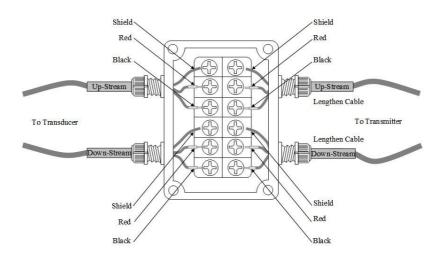
Refer to the below diagram for specific connection:



# 1.2.4. Lengthened cable method

Standard cable length of sensor is 9 meters; it can be lengthened to be 300 meters according to the actual need for fluid measurement.

# 1.2.4.1. Sketch of lengthened cable



# 1.2.4.2. Junction Box Requirements

The flowmeter use sealed waterproof junction box, installing 6×2 press-connections, the recommended minimum specifications of the junction box is 115×90×55mm.

# 1.2.4.3. Cable specifications

Name: Shielded Twisted Pair

Administer Standard: JB8734.5-1998

Diameter: Φ5 mm

Twist Line Space: 50 mm

Multi Core Line: 0.4 mm2/radix

Wire Guage: AWG 20#

Core Line Color: Red and Black

Shield Floor: 128 Intwine



#### Warning

Wire with power off. The flow meter must be reliable grounding before installation.

### 1.3. Powering on

As soon as the flowmeter is switched on, the self-diagnosis program will start to run. If any error is detected, an error code will display on the screen (Refer - Error Diagnoses). After that self-diagnosis, the system will run automatically according to the last input parameters.

If the installation is accomplished when system is switched on, gain adjustment can be monitored in Window M01. After S1, S2, S3, S4 are displayed on the upper left corner of the screen, the system will activate the normal measurement condition automatically. It is indicated by code "\*R" on the upper left corner of the screen.

If it is the first time to use or install on a new site, the customer need to input the new installation site parameters. The system will default to the last window settings and automatically display them at next power on.

# 1.4. Keypad functions

This keypad is dual function keypad:

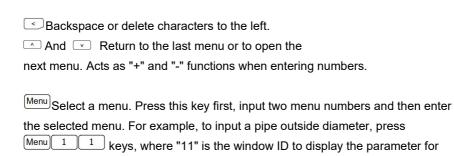
1. When separately pressed, is shortcut function, referring to "2. Quickly set menu instructions";

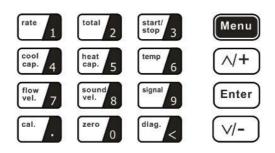
2.Press Menu key, referring to 6.Menu Window Description.

Follow these guidelines when using the flowmeter keypad (Refer to Keypad Figure):

0 ~ 9 And • To input numbers.

pipe outside diameter.





# 1.5. Key operation

The flow meter adopts the window software design to consolidate or subdivide all of the parameters entered, the instrument setup and measurement result displays into more than 100 independent windows. The operator can input parameters, modify settings or display measurement results by "visiting" a specific window. These windows are arranged by 2-digit serial numbers (including "+" sign) from  $00\sim99$ , then to +0, +1, etc. Each window serial number, or so-called window ID code, has a defined meaning. For example, Window M11 indicates the parameter input for pipe outside diameter, while Window M25 indicates the mounting spacing between the transducers, etc. (Refer – Windows Display Explanations).

The keypad shortcut to visit a specific window is to press the Menu key at any time, then input the 2-digit window ID code. For example, to input or check the pipe

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outside diameter, just press the Menu 1 keys for window ID code 11.
Another method to visit a particular window is to press and keys to
scroll the screen. For example, if the current window ID code is M02, press
key to enter Window M01, press the button again to enter Window M00; then,
press the v key to back Window M01, and press the v key again to enter
Window M02.
Windows are separated into three types: (1) Data Type, such as M11, M12; (2)
Option Type, such as M14; (3) Pure Display Type, such as M01, M00.
You can check the corresponding parameters by visiting the Data Type Windows.
If you want to modify the parameters, input the digits and press Enter or press
first, input the digits then press Enter again to confirm.
Example1: To enter a pipe outside diameter of 219.234, the procedure is as
follows:
Press Menu 1 1 keys to enter Window M11 (the numerical value displayed
currently is a previous value). Now press Enter key. The symbol ">" and the
flashing cursor are displayed at the left end of the second line on the Screen. There
input the parameters; or do not press the Enter key, directly enter
2 1 9 • 2 3 4 5 Enter.
Pipe Outer Diameter
>
You can check the selected option by visiting Option Type Windows. If you want to
modify it you must press Enter first the symbol ">" and the flashing cursor are

You can check the selected option by visiting Option Type Windows. If you want to modify it, you must press Enter first, the symbol ">" and the flashing cursor are displayed at the left of the Screen. Operator can use the and to scroll the screen and get the required value then press Enter to confirm; or enter the corresponding value option directly and press Enter to confirm.

Pipe Material [14 >1. Stainless Steel

For example, if the pipe material is "Stainless Steel", Press Menu 1 4 to enter Window M14, press Enter to modify the options. Select the "1. Stainless Steel" option by pressing and , then press Enter to confirm the selection; It is possible to press 1 key to change the selection and wait until"1. Stainless Steel" is displayed on the second line of the screen, then press Enter to confirm.



#### Attention

Generally, press [Enter] key first if operator wants to enter "modify" status. If the "modify" is still not possible even after pressing the [Enter] key, it means that system is locked by a password. To "Unlock" it, select "Unlock" in Window M47 and enter the original password.

# 1.6. flowmeter window description

These windows are assigned as follows:

- 01~08 Flow Totalizer Display: to display flow rate, positive total, negative total, net total, velocity, date & time, present operation and flow results today, etc.
- 10~29 Initial Parameter Setup: to enter pipe outside diameter, pipe wall thickness, fluid type, transducer type, transducer mounting method and spacing, etc.
- 30~38 Flow Units Options: to select the flow unit such as cubic meter, liter or other units, can turn totalizers on/off and reset totalizers, etc.
- 40~49 Setup options: Scaling factor, system lock (Window M47), etc.
- 55~89 Input and output setup: date and time, ESN, communication baud rate setting, etc.
- 90~98 Diagnoses: Signal strength and signal quality (Window M90), TOM/TOS\*100 (Window M91), flow sound velocity (Window M92), total time and delta time (Window M93), Reynolds number and factor (Window M94), etc.
- +0~+5 Appendix: power on/off time, total working hours, on/off times and a single-accuracy function calculator.

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#### Attention

The other windows for hadware adjustment are reserved by the manufacturer.

# **Chapter 2 Pipe parameter entry shortcuts**

# 2.1. Dual function keys menu description

Press rate key

Display Net Flow Today /Flow Max /Flow Min/The Average/Current Rate in turn.

Press total 2 key

Display Day Totalizer Flow/Monthly Totalizer Flow/ Yearly Totalizer Flow in turn.

Press start/stop 3

Display Totalizer Start and Stop in turn.

Press cool

key

Display instantaneous cool capacity and cool capacity totalizer.

Press heat cap. 5 kev

Display instantaneous heat capacity and heat capacity totalizer.

Press temp 6 kev

Display the temp in, out and temperature difference.

Press flow vel.

kev

Display Flow Rate and Velocity.

Press flow vel.

Display Flow Rate and Velocity.

Flow Max.

360.0000

m3/h

Day Totalizer

700.1000 m3

60 sec 10.123

ON

m3

GJ

0.0000 GJ/ h\* R **EFR** FNT 0X1

EFR FPT

6.21

0.0000 GJ/ h\* R 0X1

In-Out-Delta

8.21

-2.00

Flow 0.1129m3/h\*R

1.0415 m/s Vel

Flow 0.1129m3/h\*R 1.0415 m/s Vel

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Press sound key

Display Flow Sound Velocity.

Press signal 9 kev

Display Signal Strength and Signal Quality.

Press Ent to start Manual Totalizer, then press Ent to end Manual Totalizer, press Ent to input Standard Totalizer to get the final K factor. Complete the calibration with pressing Ent to store.

Press zero key

Input Code 1234 to complete Reset Zero.

Press diag.

key

Display System Error Codes.

Fluid Sound Veloci ty 0.0000m/s

Strength + Quality [90] UP:00.0 DN:00.0 Q=00

Manual Calibrate Press Ent When Ready

Set Zero Please Enter PW

System Normal

# 2.2. Examples

For example, measuring the diameter of 219mm and pipe wall thickness of 6mm, measuring medium is water, Pipe Material is carbon steel, No Liner, can be operated as follows:

Step1. Pipe outside diameter:

Press Menu 1 1 keys to enter Window M11, and enter the pipe outside diameter, and then press the Enter key to confirm.

Pipe Outer Diameter 219mm

Step2. Pipe wall thickness

Press the Menu 1 2 keys to enter Window M12, and enter the pipe wall thickness, and press the Enter key to confirm.

Pipe Wall Thickness 6mm

Step3. Pipe Material

Press the Menu 1 4 keys to enter Window M14, press the Enter key, press the or key to select Pipe Material, and press the Enter key to confirm.

Pipe Material [14 0. Carbon Steel

Step4. Transducer type
(The transmitter is available for
various
transducer types.)
Press the Menu 2 3 key to enter
Window M23,press the Enter key,
move the ^ or vkey to select
transducer type,and press the
Enter key to confirm.

Transducer Type [23 0. Standard

Step5. Transducer mounting methods
Press the Menu 2 4 key to
enter
Window M24, press the Enter key,

Window M24, press the Enter key, press the or key to select transducer-mounting method, and press the Enter key to confirm.

Step6. Adjust Transducer spacing
Press the 4 begin by the Menu 2 begin by the Menu 2 begin begin begin begin by the Menu 2 begin beg

Transducer Mounting 0. V

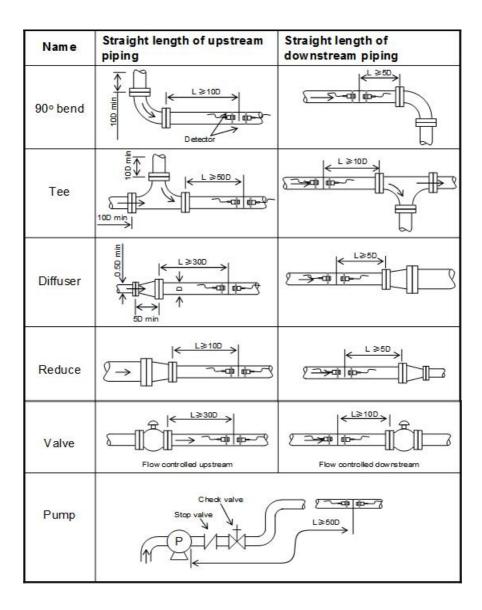
Tranducer Spacing 177.01 mm

# **Chapter 3 Measurement site selection**

When selecting a measurement site, it is important to select an area where the fluid flow profile is fully developed to guarantee a highly accurate measurement. Use the following guidelines to select a proper installation site: Choose a section of pipe that is always full of liquid, such as a vertical pipe with flow in the upward direction or a full horizontal pipe. Ensure enough straight pipe length at least equal to the figure shown below for the upstream and downstream transducers installation.

- Select a fluid-filled section, such as a vertical section of the line (upward flow is preferred) or a horizontal section filled with fluid.
- The measuring point should be within 10 diameters (10D) of the upstream and 5 diameters (5D) of the downstream, without any devices such as valves, elbows and diameters interfering with the flow field. The length of straight pipe is recommended as shown in FIG. 6.
- On the horizontal pipe section, the sensor should be installed at 9 o 'clock
  and 3 o 'clock of the pipe and should avoid the position at 6 o 'clock and 12 o
  'clock, so as to avoid the attenuation of the signal caused by the sediment at
  the bottom of the pipe or the bubbles and cavitation at the top of the pipe.
- Make sure the temperature at the measuring point is within the working range.
- Full consideration should be given to the condition of scale formation on the inner wall of the pipe, and the tube section without scale should be selected for measurement as far as possible. If it cannot be completely satisfied, the scale formation should be considered as the lining in order to obtain better measurement accuracy.
- Select the tube segment with uniform density and easy ultrasonic transmission.

Ensure that the pipe surface temperature at the measuring point is within the transducer temperature limits. Consider the inside condition of the pipe carefully. If possible, select a section of pipe where the inside is free of excessive corrosion or scaling.



# **Chapter 4 Transducer installation**

### 4.1. Installing the transducers

Before installing the transducers, clean the pipe surface where the transducers are to be mounted. Remove any rust, scale or loose paint and make a smooth surface. Choose a section of sound conducting pipe for installing the transducers. Apply a wide band of sonic coupling compound down the center of the face of each transducer as well as on the pipe surface, ensure there are no air bubbles between the transducers and the pipe wall, and then attach the transducers to the pipe with the straps provided and tighten them securely.

#### Note:

- The two transducers should be mounted at the pipe's centerline on horizontal pipes. Make sure that the transducer mounting direction is parallel with the flow.
- 2. During the installation, there should be no air bubbles or particles between the transducer and the pipe wall. On horizontal pipes, the transducers should be mounted in the 3 o'clock and 9 o'clock positions of the pipe section in order to avoid any air bubbles inside the top portion of the pipe. (Refer to Transducer Mounting).
- 3. If the transducers cannot be mounted horizontally symmetrically due to limitation of the local installation conditions, it may be necessary to mount the transducers at a location where there is a guaranteed full pipe condition (the pipe is always full of liquid).

### 4.1.1. Transducer spacing

After entering the required parameters, the spacing between the ENDS of the two transducers is considered as the standard transducer spacing (Refer to Top View on transducer mounting methods). Check the data displayed in Window M25 and space the transducers accordingly.

#### 4.1.2. Transducer mounting methods

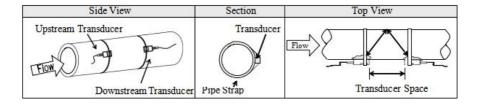
Three transducer mounting methods are available. They are respectively: V

method, Z method and N method. The V method is primarily used on small diameter pipes (DN100~300mm, 4  $^{\prime\prime}~$  ~12  $^{\prime\prime}~$  ). The Z method is used in applications where the V method cannot work due to poor signal or no signal detected. In addition, the Z method generally works better on larger diameter pipes (over DN300mm, 12  $^{\prime\prime}~$ ) or cast iron pipes.

The N method is an uncommonly used method. It is used on smaller diameter pipes (below DN50mm,  $2^{"}$ ).

#### 4.1.3. V method

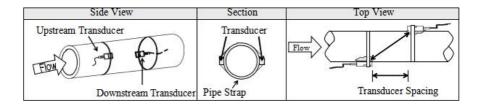
The V method is considered as the standard method. It usually gives a more accurate reading and is used on pipe diameters ranging from 25mm to 400mm (1 "  $\sim$ 16  $^{\prime\prime}$  ) approximately. Also, it is convenient to use, but still requires proper installation of the transducers, contact on the pipe at the pipe's centerline and equal spacing on either side of the centerline.



#### 4.1.4. Z method

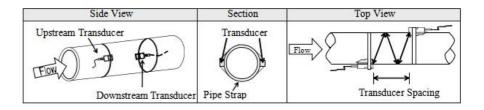
The signal transmitted in a Z method installation has less attenuation than a signal transmitted with the V method when the pipes are too large, there are some suspended solid in the fluid, or the scaling and liner are too thick .This is because the Z method utilizes a directly transmitted (rather than reflected) signal which transverses the liquid only once.

The Z method is able to measure on pipe diameters ranging from 100mm to 800mm (4"  $\sim 32$ ") approximately. Therefore, we recommend the Z method for pipe diameters over 300mm (12").



#### 4.1.5. N method

With the N method, the sound waves traverse the fluid three times and bounce twice off the pipe walls. It is suitable for small pipe diameter measurement. The measurement accuracy can be improved by extending the transit distance with the N method (uncommonly used).



# 4.2. Transducer mounting inspection

Check to see if the transducer is installed properly and if there is an accurate and strong enough ultrasonic signal to ensure proper operation and high reliability of the transducer. It can be confirmed by checking the detected signal strength, total transit time, delta time as well as transit time ratio.

The "mounting" condition directly influences the flow value accuracy and system long-time running reliability. In most instances, only apply a wide band of sonic coupling compound lengthwise on the face of the transducer and stick it to the outside pipe wall to get good measurement results. However, the following inspections still need to be carried out in order to ensure the high reliability of the measurement and long-term operation of the instrument.

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## 4.2.1. Signal strength

Signal strength (displayed in Window M90) indicates a detected strength of the signal both from upstream and downstream directions. The relevant signal strength is indicated by numbers from 00.0~99.9. 00.0 represents no signal detected while 99.9 represents maximum signal strength.

Normally, the stronger the signal strength detected, the longer the operation of the instrument reliably, as well as the more stable the measurement value obtained. Adjust the transducer to the best position and check to ensure that enough sonic coupling compound is applied adequately during installation in order to obtain the maximum signal strength.

System normally requires signal strength over 60.0, which is detected from both upstream and downstream directions. If the signal strength detected is too low, the transducer installation position and the transducer mounting spacing should be readjusted and the pipe should be re-inspected. If necessary, change the mounting method to be Z method.

## 4.2.2. Signal quality (Q value)

Q value is short for Signal Quality (displayed in Window M90). It indicates the level of the signal detected. Q value is indicated by numbers from 00~99. 00 represents the minimum signal detected while 99 represent the maximum.

Normally, the transducer position should be adjusted repeatedly and coupling compound application should be checked frequently until the signal quality detected is as strong as possible.

#### 4.2.3. Total time and delta time

"Total Time and Delta Time", which displays in Window M93, indicates the condition of the installation. The measurement calculations in the flowmeter are based upon these two parameters. Therefore, when "Delta Time" fluctuates widely, the flow and velocities fluctuate accordingly, this means that the signal quality detected is too poor. It may be the resulted of poor pipe-installation conditions,

inadequate transducer installation or incorrect parameter input.

Generally, "Delta Time" fluctuation should be less than ±20%. Only when the pipe diameter is too small or velocity is too low can the fluctuation be wider.

#### 4.2.4. Transit time ratio

Transit Time Ratio indicates if the transducer mounting spacing is accurate. The normal transit time ratio should be 100+/-3 if the installation is proper. Check it in Window M91.

#### Attention





- If the parameters(pipe outside diameter,wall thickness,pipe material,line, etc.) have been entered correctly,
- (2) If the transducer mounting spacing is accordance with the display in Windows M25,
- (3) If the transducer is mounted at the pipe's centerline on the same diameter.
- (4) If the scale is too thick or the pipe mounting is distorted in shape, etc.

# 4.2.5. Warnings

- (1) Pipe parameters entered must be accurate; otherwise the flowmeter will not work properly.
- (2) During the installation, apply enough coupling compounds in order to stick the transducers onto the pipe wall. While checking the signal strength and Q value, move the transducers slowly around the mounting site until the strongest signal and maximum Q value can be obtained. Make sure that the larger the pipe diameter, the more the transducers should be moved.
- (3) Check to be sure the mounting spacing is accordance with the display in Window M25 and the transducer is mounted at the pipe's centerline on the same diameter.
- (4) Pay special attention to those pipes that formed by steel rolls (pipe with seams), since such pipe is always irregular. If the signal strength is always displayed as 0.00, that means there is no signal detected. Thus, it is necessary to check that the parameters (including all the pipe parameters) have been entered accurately. Check to be sure the transducer mounting

- (5) method has been selected properly, the pipe is not worn-out, and the liner is not too thick. Make sure there is indeed fluid in the pipe or the transducer is not too close to a valve or elbow, and there are not too many air bubbles in the fluid, etc. With the exception of these reasons, if there is still no signal detected, the measurement site has to be changed.
- (6) Make sure that the flowmeter is able to run properly with high reliability. The stronger the signal strength displayed, the higher the Q value reached. The longer the flowmeter runs accurately, the higher the reliability of the flow rates displayed. If there is interference from ambient electromagnetic waves or the signal detected is too poor, the flow value displayed is not reliable; consequently, the capability for reliable operation is reduced.
- (7) After the installation is complete, power on the instrument and check the result accordingly.

# **Chapter 5 Operating instructions**

## 5.1. System normal indentification

Press the Menu 0 8 keys. If the letter "\*R" displays on the screen, it indicates system normal.

If the letter "G" is displayed, it indicates that system is adjusting the signal gain prior to the measurement. Also, it means system normal. Only when the adjustment takes too long without stopping, can system be identified as abnormal. Letter "I" indicates no signal is being detected. Check the transducer wiring connections are correct, the transducers are installed firmly, etc.

#### 5.2. Zero set calibration

Once zero flow occurs, a zero point may indicate on each measuring instrument, but the displayed measuring value is not equal to "0", this value indicates "Zero". To any measuring instrument, the smaller the "Zero" is, the better the quality is. Conversely, if the Zero is too big, that indicates the quality of the instrument is poor.

If the zero set point is not at true zero flow, a measurement difference may occur. The smaller the physical measurement capacity is, the larger the measurement

difference from the zero point will exist. Only when zero point reduced to a definite degree, as compared with the physical measurement capacity, can the measuring difference from zero point be ignored.

For an ultrasonic flowmeter, the measurement difference from zero point cannot be ignored at low flow. It is necessary to perform a static zero set calibration to improve low flow measurement accuracy.

Press Window M42 to set the Zero, press Enter first, and then wait the readings displayed at the lower right corner reducing to be "0". If this is carried out with flow, the flow will be displayed as "0", M43 can help to restore settings.

#### 5.3. Scale factor

Scale factor refers to the ratio between "actual value" and "reading value". For example, when the measurement and is 2.00, and it is indicated as 1.98 on the instrument, the scale factor reading is 2/1.98. This means that the best scale factor constant is 1.

However, it is difficult to keep the scale factor as "1" on the instrument especially in batch productions. The difference is called "consistency".

During operation, there still exists possible difference in pipe parameters, etc. The "scale factor" may be necessary when used on different pipes. Thus, scale factor calibration is specially designed for calibrating the differences that result from application on different pipes. The scale factor entered must be one that results from actual calibration. The scale factor can be input in Window M45.

# 5.4. System lock

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unauthorized tampering by unauthoriz				
Press the Menu 4 7 keys, if				
press the $\overline{ ^{ ext{Enter}} }$ key, enter 6 numerica	ally long p	passwo	ord, and then press the	Enter
key to confirm.				
		_	Menu 4 7 7	

System lock is readable but not modifiable to prevent operation error due to

Unlock it by using the selected password only. Press werld , if "lock" is displayed on the screen, then press the Enter key and enter the correct password,

then press Enter to confirm.

Keep the password in mind or recorded in a safe place, otherwise the instrument cannot be used.

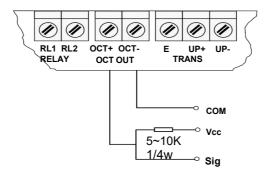
### 5.5. Frequency output

The flowmeter is provided with a frequency output transmitter function. The high or low frequency output displayed indicates the high or low flow rate reading. The user can reset the frequency output as well as flow rate as his requirements.

For example: if a pipe flow range is 0~3000m3/h, the relative frequency output required is 0~5000Hz, and the configuration is as follows:

In Window M68 (low limit frequency output flow value), input 0;

In Window M69 (high limit frequency output flow value), input 3000; Typical OCT Output wiring diagram as below:



### 5.6. 4~20mA current loop output verification (optional)

Processing a current loop output exceeding an accuracy of 0.1%, the flowmeter is programmable and configurable with multiple output modes such as flow rate or fluid velocity. Select in Window M55. For details, please refer to "Windows Display Explanations".

In Window M56, enter a 4mA flow rate or fluid velocity value. Enter the 20mA flow rate or fluid velocity value in Window M57. For example, if the flow range in a

specific pipe is 0~1000m3/h, enter 0 in Window M56 and 1000 in Window M57.					
Calibrating and testing the current loop is performed in Window M58. Complete					
the steps as follows:					
Press Menu 5 8 Enter, move or v to display "0mA", "4mA",					
"8mA", "12mA", "16mA", "20mA" readings, connect an ammeter to test the current					
loop output and calculate the difference. Calibrate it if the difference is within					
tolerance. If the difference is without tolerance, refer to the "Analog Output					
Calibration" to calibrate the current loop.					
Check the present current loop output in Window M59 as it changes along with					
change in flow.					
5.7. Recover the factory default					
Press Menu 3 7 Enter keys to Window m37, press ^ or v key to					
choose "Reset" keys to recover the factory default.					
5.8. 4~20mA analog output calibration					
Note Each flowmeter has been calibrated strictly before leaving factory. It is unneccessary to carry through this step except when the current value (detected while calibrating the current loop) displayed in Window M58 is not identical with the actual output current value.					
The hardware detect window must be activated prior to calibration the Analog					
Output. The procedure is as follows:					
Press Menu v 0 Enter enter password "115800", then press Enter to					
activate the detect menu. With no effect to next power on, this window will close					
automatically as soon as the power is turned off.					
Press v to calibrate the current loop 4mA output. Use an ammeter to					
measure the current loop output current.					
At the same time, press or to adjust the displayed numbers. Watch					
the ammeter until it reads 4.00. Stop at this point, the 4mA has been calibrated.					
Then, press Enter to calibrate the current loop 20mA output. The method is the					
same as 4mA calibration. The results are automatically saved in EEPROM and					
won't lose when power off.					

### 5.9. ESN

We provide the flowmeter with a unique electronic serial number to identify each flowmeter for the convenience of the manufacturer and customers. The ESN is able to be viewed in Window M61.



#### Attention

Other Operation refers to "7.2 Windows Display Explanations".

# Chapter 6 Manual Zero Point Windows display codes

# 6.1. Windows display codes

Flow Totalizer Display		32	Totalizer Units	72	Working Timer	
00	Flow Rate/Net Total	33	3 Totalizer Multiplier		Beeper Setup	
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	Totalizer					
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	Capacity / Totalizer		Setup Options			
	Heat Capacity					
06	Instantaneous Cool	40	Damping	86	Delta Temperature	
	Capacity/ Totalizer				Sensitivity Settings	
	Cool Capacity					
07	Inlet Water Temp/	41	Low Flow Cutoff			
	Outlet Water Temp /		Value			
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					ON/OFF	
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				Totalizer		
Initial Parameter setup		45	Scale Factor	Diagnoses		

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14	Pipe Material	47	System Lock	92	Fluid Sound Velocity	
23	Transducer Type	Inpu	ut and output setup	93	Total Time and Delta	
		55	CL Mode Select	94	Reynolds Number	
24	Transducer Mounting	56	CL 4mA Output		and Factor	
	Method		Value			
25	Transducer Spacing	57	CL 20mA Output	97	Transducer Spacing	
			Value		correction selection	
26	Parameters Setups	58	CL Check			
27	Cross-sectional Area	59	CL Current Output	Appendix		
28	Holding with Poor	60	Date and Time	+0	+0 Last Power Off Time	
	Sig			and Flow Rate		
29	Empty Pipe Setup	61	ESN			
30	Metric system Units	62	Serial Port	+1	+1 Total Working Hours	
			Parameter			
31	Flow Rate Units	67	FO Frequency	+2	Last Power Off Time	
			Range			
Flow Units Options		68	Low FO Flow Rate	FO Flow Rate +3 Last Flo		
30	Metric system Units	69	High FO Flow Rate	+4	Total Power Off	
					Times	
31	Flow Rate Units	70	LCD Backlit Option	-0	Hardware Adjusting	
					Entry	

NOTE: The other menu features are retained by manufacturers and the windows in gray background are optional functions

# 6.2. Display explanation

Menu 0 0 0  Display Flow Rate/Net Total	Flow NET	0.1154 m	n3/h 0x 1	* R m3
Menu 0 1  Display Flow Rate and Velocity.		0.1129 r 1.0415 r	m3/h m3	* R

Menu 0 2

# Flow Rate / POS Totalizer

Display Flow Rate and POS
Totalizer.Select the POS
Totalizer units in Window M31.
If the POS Totalizer has been
turned off, the POS Totalizer
value displayed is the total prior
to its turn off

Flow 0.1129 m3/h \* R POS 0x1 m3

Menu 0 3

### Flow Rate/NEG Total

Display Flow Rate and NEG Total Select the NEG Total units in Window M31.If the NEG Total has been turned off, the NEG Total value displayed is the total prior to its turn off.

Flow 0.1120 m3/h \* NEG 0x1 m3

Menu 0 4

### Date Time / Flow Rate

The time setting method can be found in WindowM60.

03-04-03 15:49:40 \*R Flow 0.116 m3/h

Menu 0 5

# **Heat Capacity / Totalizer Heat**

# **Capacity**

Display Instantaneous Heat Capacity
And Totalizer Heat Capacity.Net
Energy Totalizer: E.T; Instantaneous

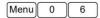
Energy: EFR.

Note: when the instrument is named

EFR 0.0000 GJ/h\*I EPT <sub>0X1</sub> GJ

energy meter: Heat Capacity: "[P",

Cool Capacity: "[N".



## Cool Capacity / Totalizer Cool

## Capacity

Display Instantaneous Cool Capacity and Totalizer Cool Capacity.

EFR 0.0000 GJ/h\*I ENT <sub>0X1</sub> GJ

Menu 0 7

## **System Error Codes**

Display the Working Condition and the System Error Codes. More than one error code can occur at the same time. The explanations of error codes and detailed resolution methods can be found in "Error Diagnoses"

Tn- Out- Delta C 0.00 0.00 0.00

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Menu 0 9

## **Net Flow Today**

Display Net Flow Today.

POS Flow Today [09 0.458748 m3

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Menu 1 1

#### **Pipe Outer Diameter**

Enter the pipe outside diameter or enter the pipe circumference in Window M10. The pipe outside diameter must range from 10mm to 6000mm. Note: Enter either pipe outside diameter or pipe circumference.

Pipe Outer Diameter

Menu 1 2

## Enter the pipe wall thickness

Menu 1 4

## **Pipe Material**

Enter pipe material. The following options are available (by , v buttons or numerical keys)

 
 0.Carbon Steel
 1.Stainless Steel
 2.Cast Iron

 3.Ductile Iron
 4.Copper
 5.PVC

 6.Aluminum
 7.Asbestos
 8.Fiber Glass-Epoxy

Menu 2 3

#### **Transducer Type**

- Standard(clamp-on type transducer)
- 1. Type-45B(W210 type insertion transducer)

Pipe Wall Thickness 4.00 mm

Pipe Materi [14 0. Carbon

Transducer Type [23] 0. Standard

Menu 2 4

## **Transducer Mounting**

Four mounting methods are available:

0. V

- 1. Z
- 2. N

Menu 2 5

## **Transducer Spacing**

The operator must mount the transducer according to the transducer spacing displayed (be sure that the transducer spacing must be measured precisely during installation). The system will display the data automatically after the pipe parameter had been entered.

Menu) 2 6

## **Initial Parameter Setups and Save**

Load and save the parameters.

18 different sets of setup conditions/
groups are available to load and save
by three methods

- 0. Entry to Save
- 1. Entry to Load
- 2. To Browse
  Select "Entry to Save", press Enter.

An ID code and the original parameters are displayed in the window. Press UP or DOWN ARROW

Transducer
Mounting 0.V

Tranducer Spacing 148.66 mm

Parameter Setups Entry to to move the ID code, then press the Enter key again to save the current parameter in the current ID room. When selecting "Entry to Load", press ENT, and the system will read and calculate the parameters automatically and display the transducer mounting spacing in Window M25.

Menu 2 7

## **Cross-sectional Area**

Menu 2 8

## **Holding with Poor Sig**

Select "Yes" to hold last good flow signal displayed if the flowmeter experiences a poor signal condition. This function will allow to calculate flow totalizer data without interruption. Select "NO", instead.

[Menu]( 2 ]( 9

## **Empty Pipe Setup**

This parameter is used to overcome the possible problems that usually show up when the pipe being measured is empty. Since signals can be transmitted through the pipe wall, the flow meter may still read a flow while measuring an empty pipe. To prevent this condition from happening, you can specify a value. When the

Cross-sectional Area 314515.9 mm2

Holding with Poor Sig NO

Empty Pipe Setup [29

signal quality falls below this value, the measurement stops automatically. If the flow meter is already able to stop measuring when the pipe is empty, a value in the range of 30 to 40 should also be entered in this window to ensure no measurement when the pipe is empty.

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## **Measurement Units Options**

Select the measurement unit as follows:

0. Metric

1. Engl	ısh	
Menu	3	1

## Flow Rate Units Options

The following flow rate units are available:

0. m3**Cubic Meters** 1. 1 Liters 2. gal **USA Gallons** 3. ig Imperial Gallons 4. mg Million Gallons 5. cf **Cubic Feet** 6. bal **USA Barrels** 

Oil Barrels The following time units are available:

Imperial Barrels

/ Day / Hour / Min / Sec

Factory default is Cubic Meters/hour

Measurement Units In 0.Metric

Flow Rate Unite m3/h

7. lb

8. Ob

Menu 3 2

## **Totalizer Units Options**

Select totalizer units. The available unit options are as same as those found in Window M31. The user can select units as their requirement. Factory default is Cubic Meters.

Menu) 3 3

## **Totalizer Multiplier Options**

The totalizer multiplier acts as the function to increase the totalizer indicating range. Meanwhile, the totalizer multiplier can be applied to the positive totalizer, negative totalizer and net totalizer. The following options are available:

- 0. x 0.001 (1E-3)
- 1. x 0.01
- 2. x 0.1
- 3. x1
- 4. x 10
- 5. x 100
- 6. x 1000
- 7. x 10000(1E+4)

Factory default factor is x1

Menu 3 5

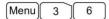
#### **ON/OFF POS Totalizer**

On/off POS Totalizer. "NO" indicates the flowmeter starts to totalize the value. When it is turned off, the Totalizer Units [32 0.Cubic Meters(m3)

Totalizer Multipler >0. x0.001(1E-3)

POS Totalizer [35 YES

positive totalizer displays in Window M02 will not change. Factory default is "YFS".



## **ON/OFF NEG Totalizer**

On/off NEG Totalizer. "NO" indicates the flowmeter starts to totalize the value. When it is turned off, the positive totalizer displays in Window M03 will not change. Factory default is "YES".

NEG Totalizer [36 YES

Menu 3 7

## **Totalizer Reset**

Totalizer reset; all parameters are reset. Press Enter; press or or arrow to select "YES" or "NO".

After "YES" is selected, the following options are available:

None:No reset:

All:Reset all totalizers;

**NET Totalizer Reset:** 

POS Totalizer Reset:

**NEG Totalizer Reset:** 

Reset:back to the factory default

If the user wants to delete all the already set parameters and set back to the factory default, select reset in this window and then the flow meter will reset to be the factory default automatically.

Totalizer Reset [37 Selection

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#### Attention

This operation will delete the entire user's data and reset as the factory default. Please consider carefully before taking this operation.

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#### **Manual Totalizer**

The manual totalizer is a separate totalizer. Press Enter to start, and Press Enter to stop it. It is used for flow measurement and calculation.

Menu 4 0

# Manual <u>Totalizer</u> [38 Pr ess ENT When Ready

## **Damping Factor**

The damping factor ranges from  $0\sim$  999 seconds.0 indicates no damping; 999 indicates the maximum damping. The damping function will stabilize the flow display. Its principle is the same as that in a single-section RC filter. The damping factor value corresponds to the circuit time constant. Usually a damping factor of 3 to 10 is

Dampi [40 10 sec

Menu 4 1

#### Low Flow Cut off Value

recommended in applications.

Low Flow Cut off is used to make the system display as "0" value at lower and smaller flows to avoid any invalid totalizing. For example, if the cutoff value is set as 0.03, system will take all the measured flow values below ±0.03 as "0". Usually 0.03 is recommended in most applications.

Low Flow Cutoff Val 0.01m/s



#### **Set Static State Zero**

When fluid is in the static state, the displayed value is zcalled "Zero Point". When "Zero Point' is not at zero in the flowmeter, the difference is going to be added into the actual flow values and

measurement.Differences will occur in the flowmeter. Setting zero must be carried out after the transducers are installed and the flow inside the pipe is in the absolute static state. Thus, the "Zero Point" resulting.

## Reset Zero

Select "YES"; reset "Zero Point" which was set by the user.

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Menu	4	4

### **Manual Zero Point**

This method is not commonly used. It is only suitable for experienced operators to set zero under conditions when it is not preferable to use other methods. Enter the value manually to add to the measured value to obtain the actual value. For example: Actual measured value = 250 m3/H Actual measured value = 10 m3/H flowmeter Display = 240 m3/H Normally, set the value as "0".

Set zer [42 Pr ess Ent To

Reset zero [43 N

Manual zero point [44 0.0000 m3/h



## **Scale Factor**

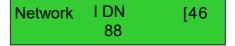
The scale factor named as instrument K factor is used to modify the measurement results. The user can enter a numerical value according to the actual calibration results.





#### **Network IDN**

Input system identifying code, these numbers can be selected from 1~247 except that 13 (0DH EN TER), 10 (0AH Newline), 42 (2AH \* ) and 38 (26H&) are reserved. System IDN is used to identify the flowmeter to a network.



## System Lock

Lock the instrument, Once the system is locked, any modification to the system is prohibited, but the parameter is readable. "Unlock" using your d esignated password. The password is composed of 6 numbers.

Menu 5 5

## **Current Loop Mode Select**

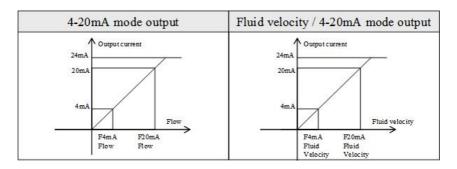
CL mode Select [55 0. 4-20

0. 4-20mA set up the 4-20mA output to. be flow rate mode

1. 0-20mA set up output range to be 0-20mA mode

2. 4-20mA vs.Vel. set up the 4-20mA output to. be velocity mode

3. 4-20mA vs.Energy set up current loop output 4-20mAcorresponding energy Other different current output characteristics are displayed in below figures. The user can select one of them according to his actual requirements.



In two graphs shown above, flow F4mA indicates the value that the user entered in Window M57; and flow F20mA indicates the value that the user entered in Window M58. In the 4-20mA modes, F4mAand F20mA can be selected as a positive or negative flow value as long as the two values are not the same.

Menu 5 6

## **CL 4mA Output Value**

Set the CL output value according to the flow value at 4mA. The flow unit's options are the same as those in Window m31. Once "4-20mA vs.Vel." is selected in Window M56, the unit should be set as m/s.

CL 4 mA Output Value 0.000 m3/h Menu 5 7

#### 20mA Output Value

Set the CL output value according to the flow value at 20mA. the flow unit is the same as that found in Window m31. Once "4-20mA vs. Vel." is selected in Window M57, the unit should be set as m/s.

CL 20mA Output Value 14400.00 m3/h

Menu 5 8

#### **CL Check Verification**

Check if the current loop has been calibrated before leaving the factory. Press Enter to start, press or to display 0mA, 4mA, 8mA, 12mA, 16mA,20mA, and at the same time, check with an ammeter to measure the current loop output current and calculate the differences to see if it is under the permitted tolerance.If not, refer to the "Analog Output Calibration" to calibrate.

CL Checkup [58 Press ENT When Ready

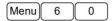
Menu 5 9

### **CL Current Output**

Display CL current output. The display of 10.0000mA indicates that CL current output value is 10.0000mA. If the difference between displaying value and CL

CL Current Output [59 15.661mA

output value is too large, the current loop then needs to be recalibrated accordingly.



## **Date and Time Settings**

Date and time modifications are made in this window. The format for setting time setting is 24 hours.

Press Enter, wait until ">" appears, the modification can be made.

YY:MM:	HH:MM:	
DD	SS	

Menu 6 1

#### **ESN**

Display electronic serial number (ESN) of the instrument. This ESN is the only one assigned to each flowmeter ready to leave the factory. The factory uses it for files setup and the user uses it for management.

Menu 6 2

S/N=V2500008 he

Ultrasonic Flowmeter

The factory default serial port parameter is "9600, None".

## Serial Port Settings

This window is used for serial port setting. Serial port is used to communicate with other instruments. The serial port parameters setting of the instrument that applies the serial port connection must be consistence. The first selected

RS485 Setup 9600 None

data indicates baud rate, 9600, 19200, 38400, 56000, 57600, 115200 are available.

The second option indicates parity bit, None (No verification).Data length fixed to 8;Stop bit length for a fixed length.



## FO Frequency Range

Set the highest limit of the output Signal frequency. highest limit frequency values must be greater than the lower frequency range:
1-9999Hz, Factory default: 1~1001Hz. Note: output frequency signal output from OCT mouth, so to output frequency signal, must also Be set OCT into frequency signal output mode (M78 choose 0. FO).

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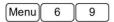
## **Low FO Flow Rate**

Set up low FO flow rate, i.e. the corresponding flow value when output signal frequency is at the lowest FO frequency. For example, when the low FO frequency is 0 Hz, low FO flow rate is 100m3/h then when the frequency output is 0 Hz,

FO Frequency Range 1-5000

High FO Flow Rate [69 26550 m3/h

the low flow at this moment measured by the flowmeter is 100m3/h.



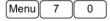
#### **High FO Flow Rate**

Enter the high FO flow rate, i.e.

the corresponding flow value when frequency output signal is at highest FO frequency. For example, when the low FO

frequency is 5000Hz, low FO flow rate is 1000m3/h,then when the frequency output is 5000Hz, the low flow at this moment measured by the flowmeter is 1000m3/h.

Low FO Flow Rate [ 68 0.0000 m3 / h



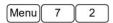
#### **LCD Back lit Option**

Select LCD back lit controls.

- 0. Always OFF
- 1. Always ON
- 2. Lighting For nn sec

Keep the backlight off can save about 30mA power.





## **Working Timer**

Display the totalized working hours of the flowmeter since last reset. It is displayed by HH:MM:SS. If it is necessary to reset it, press Enter, and select "YES".

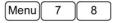
Working time [72 45:04:59 Menu 7 7

## **Beeper Setup**

Set up the beeper on-off state.

- 0. ONBeeper ON
- 1. OFF Beeper OFF





## **OCT Output Setup**

Set OCT output hardware unit output trigger sources, selection of triggering events:

0.No Signal		1.Alarm	#1
2. Alarm	#2	3. NET Int Pulse	
4.Energy Pulse		5.FO	

OCT Output Setup [ 78 5.FO

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## **Relay Output Setup**

The relay is single-pole and constant-on for external instrument controls. The following options are available:

0.Not Ready (No*R)	1.Alarm#1
2.Alarm#2	3.NET Int Pulse

RELAY OutputSetup 3.NET Int Puls e

Menu 8 2

## **Date Totalizer**

In this window, it is possible to review the historical flow data totalizer for any day of the last 64 days, any month of the last 64 months and any year of the last 5 years.Press Enter , use the or voto review totalizer in days, months and years. "0" for day, "1" for month, "2" for year.

Use the ^ or v to review the totalizer in some day, some month, some year. For example, to display the flow total for July 18,2000, the display "" at the upper right corner of the screen indicates that it was working properly the whole day. On the contrary, if "G" is displayed, it indicates that the instrument gain was adjusted at least once. Probably it was offline once on that day. If "H" is displayed, it indicates that poor signal was detected at least once. Also, it indicates that the operation was interrupted or problems occurred in the installation For more information. please refer to "Error Code and Resolutions".

Date Totali zer [82 0 .Day

00 03-04-05 G-H-I - 0 m3

00 03-04-05 ----->

Menu 8 3

## **Automatic Flow Correction**

With the function of automatic flow correction, the flow lost in an offline session can be estimated and automatically adjusted. The estimate is based on the average value, which is obtained from flow rate before going offline and flow measured after going online the next time, multiplied times the time period that the meter was offline. Select "ON" to use this function and "OFF" to cancel this function.

Menu 8 4

## **Energy Units Options**

Select Energy Units. The factory default unit is GJ. The following options are available:



The following units of time are available: /day ( per day ); /hour ( per hour ); /min ( per minute );/sec ( per second ). The factory default unit is /hour.

Automatic Correction YES

Ener gy Uni ts Select GJ/h

Menu 8 6

## Temperature sensitivity and user SHC

When the delta temperature is less than the sensitivity set,, energy will not be accumulated. Set the adjustable temperature range of 0°C to 10°C. The factory default setting is 0.2°C When the user specific heat is setting, energy is accumulated according to the user specific heat value. The setting range is from 1 to 99999 KJ/m3 C.The factory default is 4186.8KJ/m3C.

Temperature Delicacy 0.20 C

Menu 8 7

## **Energy Totalizer Switch**

Select "ON" represent to open Energy Totalizer; Select "OFF" represent to close Energy Totalizer.

Ener gy Totalizer [87 ON

Menu 8 8

## Energy Multiplier

Select Energy Multiplier range: 10-3 ~ 104 (E-3 ~ E4) Energy Multiplier [88 3. x1 =(EO)

Menu 8 9

## Reset Energy Totalizer

Select "YES" to reset Energy Totalizer value.

Reset Ener gy Total N



## Signal Strength and Signal Quality

Display the measured signal strength and signal quality Q value upstream and downstream. Signal strength is indicated from

00.0~99.9. A reading of 00.0 indicates no signal detected,

while 99.9 indicates maximum signal strength. Normally the signal strength should be ≥60.0. Signal quality Q is indicated by 00~99. Therefore, 00 indicates the poorest signal while 99 indicates the best signal. Normally, signal quality Q value should be better than 50. During the installation, pay attention to the signal strength and signal quality, the higher, the better. The strong signal strength and high quality value can ensure the long-term stability and the high accuracy of the measurement results.

Strength+Quality [90 UP: 0.0 DN: 0.0 Q=00

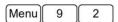
## Menu 9 1

#### **TOM/TOS\*100**

Display the ratio between the actual measured transmit time and the calculated transmit time according to customer's requirement. Normally the ratio should be 100±3%. If the difference is too large, the user should

Tom/Tos\* 100 [9 0.00

check whether the parameters are entered correctly, especially the sound velocity of the fluid and the installation of the transducers. This data is of no use before the system is ready.



## Fluid Sound Velocity

Display the measured fluid sound velocity.

Fluid Sound Velocity 1443.4 m/s

properly or if the parameters have been entered correctly.



#### **Total Time and Delta Time**

Display the measured ultrasonic average time (unit: nS) and delta time of the upstream and downstream (unit: nS) time. The velocity calculation in the flowmeter is based on the two readings. The delta time is the best indication that the instrument is running steadily. Normally the fluctuation in the ratio of the delta time should be lower than 20%. If it is not, it is necessary to check if the transducers are installed

Totl Time Delta Time 8.9149uS, -171.09nS

Menu 9 4

## **Reynolds Number and Factor**

Display the Reynolds number that is calculated by the flowmeter and the factor that is set currently by the flowmeter. Normally this scaling factor is the average of the line and surface velocity factor inside the pipe.

Spacing Cor r ection 0.OFF

Menu 9 7

Installation spacing correction

## selection

selection includes the followings:

0.OFFTurn off Installation spacing correction

1.1.ONTurn on Installation spacing

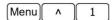
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## **Power ON/OFF Time**

To view the power on/off time and flow rate for the last 64 update times to obtain the offline time period and the corresponding flow rate.Enter the window, press Enter and ^ to display the last update before the last 64 times of on/off time and flow rate values. "ON" on right hand indicates that time power is on; "00" on the upper left corner indicates "00-07-18 12:40:12" the date time; flow rate is displayed in the lower right corner.

Reynolds Number [94 0 .0000 1.0000

ON/OFF [+0 00- 07 18 12:40 :12 \* ON 123.65 m3/ h



## **Total Working Hours**

With this function, it is possible to view the total working hours since the flowmeter left the factory. The figure on the right indicates that the total working hours since the flowmeter left the factory is 1107 hours 1 minute 41 seconds.

Total Work Hours [+1 00001107:01:41

Menu	٨	2
11		

Display the last power off time.

Menu	٨	3
	333000	

Displays the last flow rate.

Menu	^	4
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## **Total ON/OFF Times**

Display total on/off times since the flowmeter left the factory.

Menu v	0
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#### Hardware Parameter Adjusting Entry

Please refer to the 5.8 "4~20mA Analog Output Verification.

Last Power Off Time 03-04-04 11:33:02

Last Flow Rate [+3 100.43 m3/h

ON/OFF Time [+4 40

Hardware Adjusting Entry

## **Chapter 7 Troubleshooting**

The ultrasonic flowmeter has advanced self-diagnostics functions and displays any errors in the upper right corner of the LCD via definite codes in a date/time order. Hardware error diagnostics are usually performed upon each power on. Some errors can be detected during normal operation. Undetectable errors caused by incorrect settings and unsuitable measurement conditions can be displayed accordingly. This function helps to detect the errors and determine causes quickly; thus, problems can be solved in a timely manner according to the solutions listed in the following tables.

Table 1 applies when errors caused by incorrect settings and signals are detected and are announced by error codes displayed in Window M08.

## 7.1. Table 1. Error codes and solutions

Code	M08 Display	Cause	Solutions
*R	System	* System normal	
	Normal		
	Signal Not	Signal not detected.	Attach transducer to the pipe
	Detected	Spacing is not correct	and tighten it securely. Apply
		between the	a plenty of coupling
		transducers or not	compound on transducer and
		enough coupling	pipe wall.
		compound applied to	Remove any rust, scale, or
		face of transducers.	loose paint from the pipe
			surface. Clean it with a file.
		* Transducers	* Check the initial parameter
*I		installed improperly	settings.
			* Remove the scale or
		* Scale is too thick.	change the scaled pipe
			section. Normally, it is
			possible to change a
			measurement location. The
			instrument may run
			properly at a new site with
		* New pipe liner.	less scale.
			* Wait until liners solidified
			and saturated.
	Adjusting Gain	The machine is	
*G	(Display in	adjusting for	
	Windows	gain,preparing for	
	M01)	normal calibration.	

#### 7.2. FAQ

Question: New pipe, high quality material, and all installation requirements met: why still no signal detected?

Answer: Check pipe parameter settings, installation method and wiring connections. Confirm if the coupling compound is applied adequately, the pipe is full of liquid, transducer spacing agrees with the screen readings and the transducers are installed in the right direction.

Question: Old pipe with heavy scale inside, no signal or poor signal detected: how can it be resolved?

Answer: Check if the pipe is full of fluid.

Try the Z method for transducer installation (If the pipe is too close to a wall, or it is necessary to install the transducers on a vertical or inclined pipe with flow upwards instead of on a horizontal pipe). Carefully select a good pipe section and fully clean it, apply a wide band of coupling compound on each transducer face (bottom) and install the transducer properly. Slowly and slightly move each transducer with respect to each other around the installation point until the maximum signal is detected. Be careful that the new installation location is free of scale inside the pipe and that the pipe is concentric (not distorted) so that the sound waves do not bounce outside of the proposed area. For pipe with thick scale inside or outside, try to clean the scale off, if it is accessible from the inside. (Note: Sometimes this method might not work and sound wave transmission is not possible because of the a layer of scale between the transducers and pipe inside wall).

Question: Why is the flow rate still displayed as zero while there is fluid obviously inside the pipe and a symbol of "R" displayed on the screen?

Answer: Check to see if "Set Zero" was carried out with fluid flowing inside the pipe(Refer to Window M42). If it is confirmed, recover the factory default in Window M43.

## **Chapter 8 Product overview**

#### 8.1. Introduction

The ultrasonic flowmeter is a state-of-the-art universal transit-time flowmeter designed using FPGA chip and low voltage broadband pulse transmission.,available for measuring water.

#### 8.2. Features

Comparing With other traditional flowmeter or ultrasonic flowmeter, it has distinctive features such as high precision, high reliability, high capability and low cost, the flowmeter features other advantages:

- SLSI technology designed. Less hardware components, low voltage broadband pulse transmission, low consumption power, high reliability, antijamming and outstanding applicability.
- User-friendly menu designed. Parameters of pipe range, pipe material, pipe wall thickness, output signals, etc can be conveniently entered via the windows. British and Metric measurement units are available.
- 3. Daily, monthly and yearly totalized flow: Totalized flow for the last 64 days and months as well as for the last 5 years are may be viewed. Power on/off function: allows the viewing of time and flow rate as power is switched on and off 64 times. Also, the flowmeter has manual or automatic amendment during offline sessions.
- 4. Parallel operation of positive, negative and net flow totalizes with scale factor (span) and 7 digit display, while the output of totalize pulse and frequency output are transmitted via open collector.

## 8.3. Specification

Performance specifications			
Flow range	0.03 ~ 16 ft/s ( 0.01 ~ 5.0 m/s ).		
Accuracy	± 1.0 %.		
Pipe size	Clamp-on: 1" ~ 24" ( 25mm ~ 600mm ).		
Fluid	Water, oil and other single medium liquids		
Function specifications			
Outputs	OCT Pulse output: 0-5000Hz.		
	Analog output : 4 ~ 20mA, max load 750Ω.		
Communication interface	RS485MODBUS.		
Power supply	10VDC ~ 36VDC/1A.		
Keypad	16 ( 4×4 ) key with tactile action.		
Display	20×2 lattice alphanumeric, back lit LCD.		
Temperature	Transmitter: 14 °F to 122 °F ( $-10^{\circ}$ C ~ $50^{\circ}$ C );		
	Transducer: 32 °F to 176 °F ( $0^{\circ}$ C ~ $80^{\circ}$ C ).		
Humidity	Up to 99% RH, non-condensing.		
Physical specifications			
Transmitter	PC/ABS, IP65.		
Transducer	Encapsulated design, IP68.		
transducer cable	Standard cable length: 30 ft (9m).		
Weight	Transmitter: approximately 0.7kg; Transducer:		
	approximately 0.4kg.		

# Chapter 9 Appendix-Serial interface network use and communications protocol

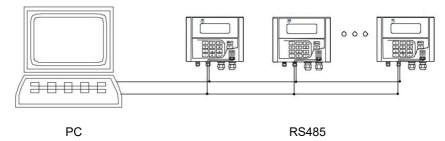
#### 9.1. Overview

The transmitter has perfect communication protocol. It can also be connected to a RS-485. Two basic schemes can be chosen for networking, i.e. the analog current output method only using the flowmeter or the RS485 communication method via serial port directly using the flowmeter. The former is suitable to replace dated instruments in old monitoring networks. The later is used in new monitoring network systems. It has advantages such as low hardware investment and reliable system operation.

When the serial port communication method is directly used to implement a monitoring network system, the address identification code (in window M46) of the flowmeter is used as network address code. Expanded command set with [W] is used as communication protocol. Thus analog current loop and OCT output of flowmeter can be used to control the opening of a control valve. The relay output can be used to power-on/off other equipment. The analog input of the system can be used to input signals such as pressure and temperature. The system provides an RTU function for flow measurement.

RS-485(0~1000m) can be directly used for data transmission link for a short distance. The command answer mode is used in data transmission, i.e. the host device issues commands and the flowmeter answers correspondingly.

#### 9.2. Direct connection via RS-485 to the host device



Drawing of Upper Computer RS-485 network data acquisition system

#### Notices:

When the flowmeter is in flowmeter network ,the following network IDN:13(0DH ENTER), 10(0AH NEWLINE), 42(2AH\*) and 38(26H&). The Network IDN is set in M46.

#### 9.3. Communication protocol and the use

The communication protocol format used by the ultrasonic flowmeter is an expanded set of the Fuji FLV series flowmeter protocol. The host device requests the flowmeter to answer by sending a "command". The baud rate of asynchronous communication (Primary station; computer system; ultrasonic flowmeter is generally 9600BPS. A single byte data format (10 bits): one start bit, one stop bit and 8 data bits. Check bit: NONE.

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A data character string is used to express basic commands and a carriage return

(ENTER) is used to express the end of a command. The characteristic is that the string of data is flexible. Frequently used commands are as follows:

Command	Description	Data Format	
DQD(cr)(lf) 0	Return daily instantaneous	±d.ddddddE±dd(cr) *1	
	flow		
DQH(cr)(lf)	Return hourly	±d.ddddddE±dd(cr)	
	instantaneous flow		
DQM(cr) (If)	Return instantaneous flow	±d.ddddddE±dd(cr)	
	per minute		
DQS(cr) (lf)	Return instantaneous flow	±d.ddddddE±dd(cr)	
	per second		
DV(cr) (If)	Return instantaneous	±d.ddddddE±dd(cr)	
	velocity		
DI+(cr) (If)	Return positive	±dddddddE±d(cr) *2	
	accumulative flow		
DI-(cr) (If)	Return negative	±dddddddE±d(cr)	
	accumulative flow		
DIN(cr) (If)	Return net accumulative	±dddddddE±d(cr)	
	flow		
	Return identification code		
DID(cr) (If)	of instrument (address	ddddd(cr)5 bits in length	
	code)		
DL(cr) (lf)	Return signal intensity	UP:dd.d,DN:dd.d,Q=dd(cr)	
DC(cr) (If)	Return current error code	*3	
DT(cr) (lf)	Current date and time	yy-mm-dd,hh:mm:ss(cr)	
	Return currently displayed		
LCD(cr) (If)	content on LCD display		
ESN(cr) (lf)	Return electronic serial	dddddd(cr)(lf) *4	
	number		

W	Networking command prefix of numeric string address	*5
Р	Prefix of return command with check	
&	Function sign of command "add"	

#### Communications commands

#### Note:

- 1. (cr)expresses carriage return. Its ASCII value is 0DH. (If) expresses line feed. Its ASCII value is 0AH.
- "d" expresses 0-9 number. 0 value is expressed as +0.000000E+00.
   "d" expresses 0-9 numbers. There is no decimal point in integral part before "E".
- 3. The status of the machine is expressed by 1-6 letters. See the error code section for the meaning of the characters. For example, "R" and "IH".
- 4. Eight "dddddddd" expresses the electronic serial number of the machine. "t" expresses the type of machine.
- If there are multiple flowmeters in a data network then the basic commands cannot be used alone. The prefix W must be added. Otherwise, multiple flowmeters will answer simultaneously, which will cause chaos in the system.

## Function prefix and function sign

#### Prefix P

The character P can be added before every basic command. It means that the transferred data has CRC verification. The method of counting the verified sum is achieved by binary system addition.

For example: Command DI+(CR) (the relative binary system data is 44H, 49H, 2BH, 0DH) transferred data is +1234567E+0m3. (CR) (the relative binary system data is 2BH, 31H, 32H, 33H, 34H, 35H, 36H, 37H, 45H, 2BH, 30H, 6DH, 33H, 20H, 0DH, 0AH). And command PDI+ (CR)

transferred data is

+1234567E+0m3! F7 (CR), "!" means the character before it is the sum character, and the verified sum of the two bytes after it is (2BH+31H+32H+33H+34H+35H+ 36H+37H+45H+2BH+30H+6DH+33H+20H =(2)F7H)

Note: there can be no data before "!", and also may be a blank character.

#### Prefix W

Usage of prefix W: W+ numeric string address code +basic command. Value range of the numeric string is 0~65535, except 13 (0DH carriage return), 10 (0AH line feed), 42 (2AH \*) and 38 (26H &). If the instantaneous velocity of No. 12345 flowmeter is to be accessed, the command W12345DV(CR) can be issued. Corresponding binary code is 57H, 31H, 32H, 33H, 34H, 35H, 44H, 56H and 0DH

## Function sign &

Function sign & can add up to 5 basic commands (Prefix P is allowed) together to form a compound command sent to the flowmeter together. The flowmeter will answer simultaneously. For example, if No. 4321 flowmeter is requested to simultaneously return: 1] instantaneous flow, 2] instantaneous flow velocity, 3] positive total flow, 4] energy total, 5] Al1 analogous input current value, the following command is issued: W04321PDQD&PDV&PDI+&PDI-&PDIN(CR)

Simultaneously returned data are likely as follows:

- +0.000000E+00m3/d! AC(CR)
- +0.000000E+00m/s! 88(CR)
- +1234567E+0m3! F7(CR)
- +0.000000E+0m3! DA(CR)
- +0.000000E+0 m3! DA(CR)

#### 9.3.2. MODBUS communication protocol

This MODBUS Protocol uses RTU transmission mode. The Verification Code uses CRC-16-IBM (polynomial is X16+X15+X2+1, shield character is 0xA001) which is

gained by the cyclic redundancy algorithm method. MODBUS RTU mode uses hexadecimals to transmit data.

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## 9.3.2.1. MODBUS protocol function code and format

The flow meter protocol supports the following two-function codes of the MODBUS:

Function Code	Performance Data
0x03	Read register
0x06	Write single register

## 9.3.2.2. MODBUS protocol function code and format

The host sends out the read register information frame format:

Slave Address	Operation Function Code	First Address Register	Register Number	Verify Code
1 byte	1 byte	2 bytes	2 bytes	2 bytes
0x01~0xF7	0x03	0x0000~0xFFFF	0x0000~0x7D	CRC(Verify)

#### The slave returns the data frame format:

The days retains the data name format.				
Slave	Read Operation	Number of	Data Bytes	Verify Code
Address	Function Code	Data Bytes		
1 byte	1 byte	1 byte	N*x2 byte	2 bytes
0x01~0xF7	0x03	2xN*	N*x2	CRC(Verify)

N\*=data register number

The range of flow meter addresses 1 to 247 (Hexadecimal:  $0x01\sim0xF7$ ), and can be checked in the Menu 46. For example, decimal number "11" displayed on

Menu 46 means the address of the flow meter in the MODBUS protocol is 0x0B.

The CRC Verify Code adopts CRC-16-IBM (polynomial is X16+X15+X2+1, shield character is 0xA001) which is gained by the cyclic redundancy algorithm method. Low byte of the verify code is at the beginning while the high byte is at the end.

For example, to read the address 1 (0x01) in the RTU mode, if the instantaneous flow rate uses hour as a unit(m3/h), namely reads 40005 and 40006 registers data, the read command is as follows:

0x01 flowmeter Address	0x03 Function Code	0x00 0x04 Register Address	1	0x00 0x02 Register Number	0x85 0xCA CRC Verify Code
flowmeter returned data is (assuming the current flow=1.234567m3/h)					
0x01	0x03	0x04	0x 0x	06 0x51 0x3F 9E	0x3B 0x32
flowmeter	Function	Data	Data(1.2345678)		CRCVerify
Address	Code	Bytes			Code

The four bytes 3F 9E 06 51 is in the IEEE754 format single precision floating point form of 1.2345678.

Pay attention to the data storage order of the above example. Using C language to explain the data, pointers can be used directly to input the required data in the corresponding variable address, the low byte will be put at the beginning, such as the above example 1.2345678 m/s, 3F 9E 06 51 data stored in order as 06 51 3F 9E.

#### 9.3.2.3. Error check

The flowmeter only returns one error code 0x02 which means data first address in error. For example, to read address 1 (0x01) of the flowmeter 40002 register data

in the RTU mode, the flowmeter considers it to be invalid data, and sends the following command:

0x01	0x03	0x00 0x01	0x00 0x01	0xD5 0xCA
flowmeter	Function	Register	Register	CRC Verify
Address	Code	Address	Number	Code

flowmeter returned error code:

0x01 0x83 0x02 0xC0 0xF1

flowmeter Address Error Code Error Extended Code CRC Verify Code

# 9.3.2.4. MODBUS register address list

The flowmeter MODBUS Register has a read register and a single write register. Read Register Address List (use 0x03 performance code to read).

PDU Address	Register	Read	Write	Туре	No.
\$0000	40001	Flow/s - low word	32 bits real	2	registers*
\$0001	40002	Flow/s - high word			
\$0002	40003	Flow/m - low word	32 bits real	2	
\$0003	40004	Flow/m- high word			
\$0004	40005	Flow/h - low word	32 bits real	2	
\$0005	40006	Flow/h - high word			
\$0006	40007	Velocity – low word	32 bits real	2	
\$0007	40008	Velocity – high word			
\$0008	40009	Positive total –	32 bits uint.	2	
\$0009	40010	Positive total – high word			
\$000A	40011	Positive total – exponent	16 bits int.	1	
\$000B	40012	Negative total—low word	32 bits int.	2	
\$000C	40013	Negative total—high word			

\$000D	40014	Negative total— exponent	16 bits int.	1	
\$000E	40015	Net total— low word	32 bits int.	2	
\$000F	40016	Net total— high word			
\$0010	40017	Net total—exponent	16 bits int.	1	
\$0016	40023	Up signal int – low word	32 bits real	2	0~99.9
\$0017	40024	Up signal int – high word			
\$0018	40025	Down signal int – low word	32 bits real	2	0∼99.9
\$0019	40026	Down signal int – high word			
\$001A	40027	Quality	16 bits int.	1	0∼99
\$001B	40028	4~20mA Analog output—low word	32 bits real	2	
\$001C	40029	4~20mA Analog output—high word			Unit: mA
\$001D	40030	Error code – char 1,2	String	3	Refer to

	\$001E	40031	Error code – char 3,4		Analysis"
L					for
	\$001F	40032	Error code – char 5,6		
	ψυστι	40032	Life code – chai 5,0		detailed
					codes
					meanings

\$003B	40060	Velocity unit – char	String	2	
		1,2			Currently
\$003C	40061	Velocity unit – char			support
		3,4			m/s only
\$003D	40062	Flow unit – char 1,2	String	2	
\$003E	40063	Flow unit – char 3,4			
\$003F	40064	Total unit – char 1,2	String	1	

#### Notes:

1. The following flow rate units are available:

0. "m3" — Cubic Meter

1. "I" —Liters

2. "ga" —Gallons

3. "ig" — Imperial Gallons

4. "mg" —Million Gallons

5. "cf"-Cubic Feet

6. "ba"-US Barrels

7. "ib"-Imperial Barrels

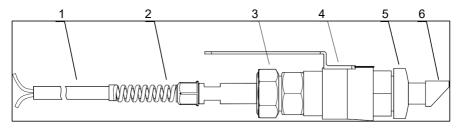
8. "ob"-Oil Barrels

- When the flowmeter address or communication baud rate change, the meter will work under the new address or communication baud rate after the communication baud rate responded with returned primary address and communication baud rate.
- 3. 16 bits int—short integer, 32 bits int—long integer, 32 bits real—floating point number, String— alphabetic string.

# **Chapter 10 Appendix2-Insertion transducer**

## 10.1. Overview

W210 type insertion transducers can be installed into metal pipelines via an isolation ball valve (installation into pipelines of plastic or other materials may require an optional mounting seat). The maximum pipe diameter in which insertion transducers can be installed is DN2000. Fluid temperature range: +10°C~+80oC. Sensor cable length (9m standard) normally can be extended to as long as 100m. Figure 1 shows a diagram of the W210 Insertion Transducer. The insertion transducer is attached to its mounting base (which is welded to the pipe section at the measurement point) via a ball valve. When the transducer is removed, pipe fluids can be contained by shutting off the ball valve. Therefore, installation and extraction of the transducer can be performed without relieving pipeline pressure. An O-ring seal and joint nut guarantee user safety while installing or operating the transducer



Construction Drawing Transducer

- 1. Cable
- 4. Ball value
- 2. Connector
- 5. Mounting base
- 3. Locknut
- 6. Sensor

#### 10.2. Measurement point selection

To guarantee highly accurate measurement results, it is necessary to select an appropriate measurement point before installing the transducer. For examples of measuring point selection, see the related section in the manual.

## 10.3. Determining transducer spacing& transducer installation

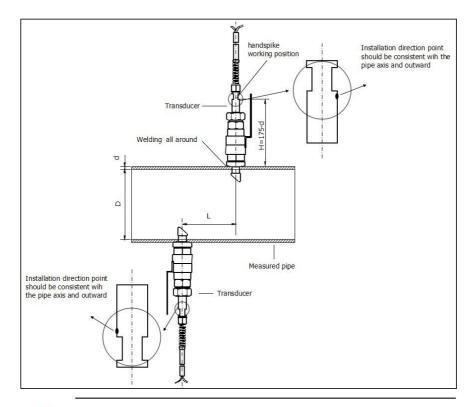
The mounting space of insertion transducer is the center-to-center hole distance between the two transducers (please refer to Menu 25). After enter the right parameter, please check the mounting space in Menu 25. (unit: mm) Mounting method:

- 1. Drilling at the measuring point, the diameter of the drilling hole is 24mm. Before drilling, please make the hole center of transducer mounting base aim at the drilling hole center, and then weld it on the pipe vertically.(When the flowmeter need to be hot-tapped into the pipe under pressure without flow interruption, please refer to the Sitelab' operation construction of DDK electric Hot-tapping or corresponding equipment.)
- 2. Close the ball valve and screw it tightly on the mounting base.
- 3. Twist off the locknut and loose the lock ring, pull the transducer into the joint nut, and then screw up the joint nut on the ball valve.
- 4. Open the ball valve and insert the transducer, measure the dimension from the outer surface of the pipe to the front end surface of handspike position to meet the following formula:

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H=175-d
In this formula:
H is Mounting height (mm);
175 is Transducer length (mm);
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d is Pipe wall thickness(mm);

- 5. Attach the lock ring to the joint nut by fitting its pinhole in the locating pin, then tighten the screw slightly and turn the orientation handle until it points at the middle position between the two transducers and its axes matches the axes of the pipeline. Finally, tighten the locking screw and screw the locating sleeve onto the joint nut.
- Connect the transducer cables to the corresponding upstream/downstream (upstream=red, downstream=blue) terminal ends.
- 7. Please refer to the following installation diagram:





#### Important

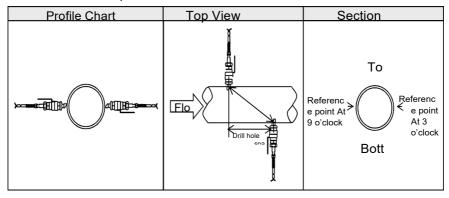
For horizontal pipelines, transducers must be fixed on the sides of the pipe (i.e. at the 3 and 9 o'clock position of the pipe) to prevent signal attenuation caused by sediment on the bottom of the pipe or air bubbles and air pockets in the top of the pipe.

# 10.4. Transducer mounting methods

W210 insertion transducer mounting method: Z method through M24, it should be installed according to the specific application condition.

## 10.4.1. Z mounting method

Z method is the most commonly used mounting method for insertion-type ultrasonic flowmeters, suitable for pipe diameters ranging from 50mm to 2000mm. Due to strong signal strength and high measurement accuracy, the Z method is preferable for pipe sections severely rusted or with too much scale formation on the inside wall. When installing the transducer using the Z method, be sure that the two transducers and the pipeline center axis are in the same plane, but never in the 6 or 12 o'clock positions. see below:



## 10.4.2. Pipe parameter entry shortcuts

For example, measuring the diameter of DN200, pipe outside diameter is 219mm, pipe wall thickness is 6mm, pipe inner diameter is 207mm, measuring medium is water, and material is carbon steel, no liner, can be operated as follows:

Step1. Pipe outside diameter

Pipe Outer Diameter 207 mm

Press Menu 1 keys to enter the window M11 and enter the pipe outside diameter, and then press the key to confirm.

(For insertion transducer, M11 menu need to be entered the pipe inner diameter)

Step2. Pipe wall thickness

Pipe Wall Thickness 0.01mm

Press the key to enter the window M12, and enter the pipe wall thickness, and press the key to confirm.

(The Wall Thickness needs to be 0.01mm for use with insertion sensors.)

Step3. Pipe Material

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Press the Menu 1 4 keys to enter the window M14, press the key, press the or key to select Pipe Material, and press the Enter key to confirm.

Step4. Transducers type

Transducer Type [23 1.Plug- in TypeB45

Press the Menu 2 3 keys to enter the window M23, press the or

key to select transducer type, and press the tenter key to confirm.

1. Plug—in Type B45 (W type insertion transducer).

Step5. Transducer mounting methods

Transducer Mounting
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2. Press the key, bress the key, bress the key, bress the key to select transducer-mounting method, and press the key to confirm.

Choose according to the pipes on site.

Step6. Adjust Transducer spacing

Transducer Spacing 192.68mm

Press the Menu 2 5 keys to enter the window M25, accurately install the transducer according to the displayed transducer mounting spacing and the selected mounting method (Refer to Installing the Transducers in this chapter).

Step7. Display measurement result

Flow 0.1129 m3/h \*R Vel 1.0415 m/s

Press the Menu 0 1 keys to enter the window M01.

About other setup, please refer to the related information in the manual.

# Chapter 11 Appendix3-CG clamp-on transducers and the installation methods

#### 11.1. Overview

CG100 is a 2MHz clamp-on transducer, is suitable for small pipe measurement, and it must be equipped with D116G transmitter.

Pipe Range: DN15~DN50

Pipe Materials: Carbon Steel, Stainless Steel, Copper

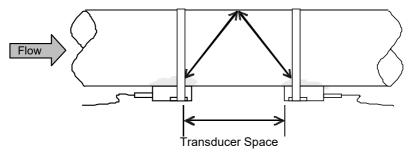
### 11.2. Measurement site selection

The spacing between the transducers is very important for the strongest signal and the most accurate measurement. For the measurement site selection, please refer to Chapter 3.0.

#### 11.3. Installation methods

- Select the suitable transducers installation site, please refer to Chapter 3.0 for more details;
- Transducers Installation Methods: V-type and Z-type. Choose the proper installation method according to the field condition, please refer to Chapter 4.1 for more details;
- 3. Clean the transducers installation site, remove the rust and painting (excluding the fine painting); Attention: on the horizontal pipe, the transducers should be mounted on the 3 o'clock and 9 o'clock position of the pipe section, in order to avoid the signal attenuation caused by the sediment at the bottom, or air bubbles or cavitations.
  - Apply the coupling compound on the center of each transducer's surface Attention: while installing the transducers, ensure that there are no bubbles between the transducers and the pipe.
- 4. Fix the transducers according to the spacing displayed in MENU 25 (see the following picture, Transducer Space is the spacing between the two

# transducers);



CG100 Transducers Installation Diagram

- Transducers: Upstream Transducer with red cable connector, Downstream
   Transducer with blue cable connector. Fix the upstream transducer and the
   downstream transducer with SS straps according to the flow direction, if
   mistake the direction, you will get the inverse flow;
- 6. Properly wire the transducers cable according to the flow direction (redupstream, blue –downstream);

After the transducers installation and settings inspection, you can start to measure the flow.

# 11.4. Examples

For example, measuring the diameter of 32mm and pipe wall thickness of 2mm, measuring medium is water, Pipe Material is carbon steel, No Liner, can be operated as follows:

Step1. Pipe outside diameter	Pipe Outer Diameter 32 mm				
Press Menu 1 1 keys to enter Window M11, and enter the pipe outside diameter, and then press the Enter key to confirm.					
Step2. Pipe wall thickness	Pipe Wall Thickness 2 mm				
Press the Menu 1 2 key to enter Window M12, and enter the pipe wall thickness, and press the Enter key to confirm.					
Step3. Pipe Material	Pipe Mater ial [14 0 . Car bon Steel				
Press the Menu 1 4 keys to enter Window M14, press the Enter key, press the or v key to select Pipe Material, and press the Enter key to confirm.					
Step4. Transducer type	Tr ans ducer Type [23 0. Standar d				
	nter Window M23,press the Enter et transducer type,and press the Enter				

Step5. Transducer mounting methods

Tr ansducer Mounting 0. V

Press the Menu 2 4 key to enter Window M24, press the Enter key, press the or key to select transducer-mounting method, and press the Enter key to confirm.

Step6. Adjust Transducer spacing

Transducer Spacing 26.85 mm

Press the key to enter Window M25, accurately install the transducer according to the displayed transducer mounting spacing and the selected mounting method (Refer to Installing the Transducers in this chapter).

Step7. Display measurement result

Flow 0.1129m3/ \*R Vel 1.0415m/

Press the Menu 0 1 keys to enter Window M01 to display measurement result. (Base on the actual measurement)