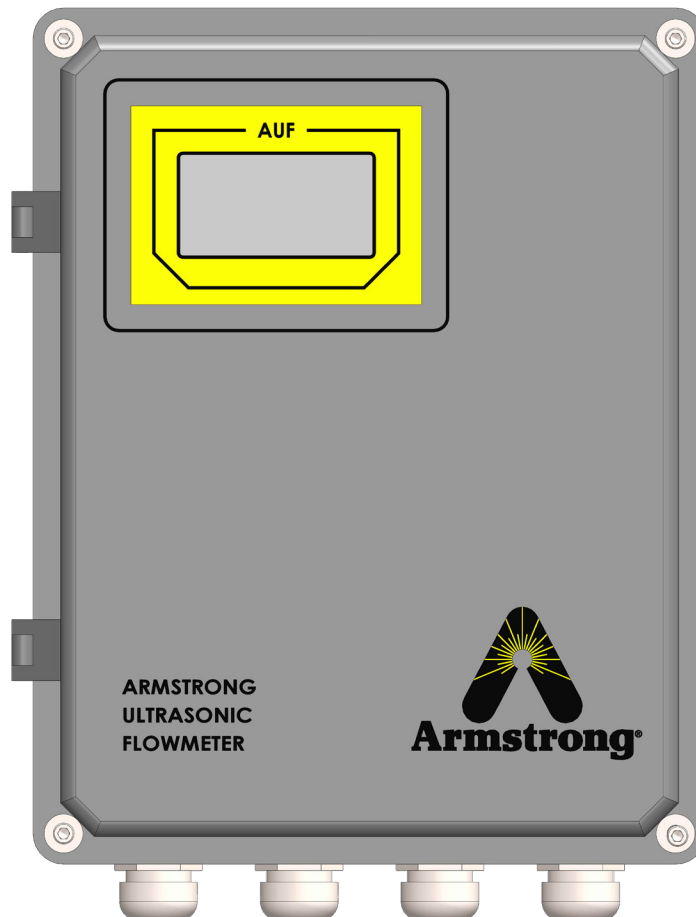


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Safety

Icon Legend:



— **WARNING!** ... Read the declaration carefully before starting any other action!



— **CAUTION!** ... Attention! Damage could occur to the device if handled inappropriately.



— **STOP!** ... It is extremely important to enter the parameters properly before installing the transducers. Incorrect parameters result in operation errors and inaccurate measurements.

Failure to comply with instructions following a safety icon may result in adverse consequences including, property damage, personal injury, or, in extreme cases, death.

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1.0 Introduction

1.1 Preface

The wall-mount Armstrong Ultrasonic Flowmeter (AUF) is a revolutionary flow & BTU meter with rich functions.

It is designed to accommodate the challenge of on-site flow and energy measurements. The applications include **almost all liquids that allow ultrasonic sound to propagate.**

The AUF uses the latest signal processing and ultrasonic measurement technologies. It offers highly accurate and reliable measurements. The meter is self-explanatory and simple to follow. The AUF is also a thermal energy meter when it is equipped with a BTU measurement module.

The unique clamp-on fixture design, for both the flow transducers and temperature sensors, makes the installation hassle-free. No special skills or tools are required.

The AUF is the **best choice for long term flow monitoring, HVAC energy balancing, facility management, and other demanding flow and energy monitoring applications.**

1.2 Features

- Accurately measures energy and flow using non-intrusive technology
- Capability of measuring bi-directional flow and thermal energy (BTU)
- Ease of use and fast installation
- Able to measure on a very wide pipe size range, from 3/4" (DN20) up to 120" (DN3000)
- Signal quality tracking and self-adaptation for robust performance
- Suitable for pure liquids and liquids with some particles. No dependency on conductivity
- Suitable for all commonly used pipes
- Self-explanatory user interface. Step-by-step Quick Start guidance
- Optional built-in data logger
- PC software for data download and real-time data acquisition
- $\pm 0.5\%$ of linearity
- Accuracy: $\pm 1\%$ of reading in velocity plus $\pm 0.03\text{ft/s}$ (10mm/s)

1.3 Typical Applications

The AUF wall-mount flow and BTU meter is a perfect fit for the following applications:

- Energy consumption supervision and water conservation management
- Cooling system and air conditioning/glycol solutions
- Water, including hot water, chilled water, city water, sea water, and more
- Sewage and drainage water with small particle concentration
- Oil, including crude oil, lubricating oil, diesel oil, fuel oil, and more
- Various chemicals, including alcohol, acids, and more
- Solvents
- Beverage and food processors
- Water and waste treatment
- Carrying Case
- Power plants (nuclear, thermal & hydro-power) heat energy boiler feed water
- Metallurgy and mining applications (e.g., acid recovery)
- Marine operation and maintenance
- Pulp and paper
- Pipeline leak detection, inspection, tracking, and collection
- Water distribution network monitoring

1.4 Principle of Measurement

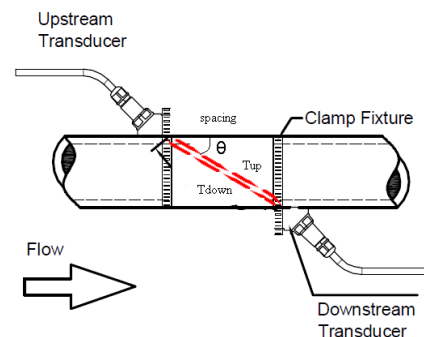
The Armstrong Ultrasonic Flowmeter is based on the transit-time measurement principle, where the system utilizes a pair of sensors which function as both ultrasonic transmitter and receiver. The sensors are installed on the pipe wall, either clamped on the outside of the pipe or inserted into the pipe at a specific distance from each other. The flow meter operates by alternately transmitting and receiving a coded burst of sound energy between the two sensors and measuring the transit time it takes for sound to travel between the two sensors. The difference in the transit time is directly related to the velocity of the liquid in the pipe. The flowrate is then calculated based on the transit-time difference, the geometry of the pipe and the fluid dynamics formula.

The flow sensors, or transducers, are commonly mounted with the direct method or the reflect method. There are several types of transducers you may choose for your application. Among them, AS, AM and AL transducers have mounting rails. They are, therefore, easy to install. You may need a clamping strap to secure the mounting rail to the pipe if the magnet on the rail does not work with the pipe. See section 1.5 for details on the different types of transducers. All the other types of transducers do not have a mounting rail. You can clamp them on to pipe using the supplied clamping strap. Installation using these clamping straps is an easy, straight-forward process. **The installation process is fully explained in Section 3.0.**

The AUF operates by alternately transmitting and receiving a frequency-modulated burst of sound energy between the two transducers and measuring the transit time that it takes for sound to travel between the two transducers. The difference in the transit time measured is directly and exactly related to the velocity of the liquid in the pipe, as shown in Equation 1 and the following figure.

Equation 1

$$V = \frac{MD}{\sin 2\theta} \times \frac{\Delta T}{T_{up} + T_{down}}$$



Where:

θ is the angle between the sound path and the flow direction

M is the number of times the sound traverses the flow

D is the pipe diameter

T_{up} is the time for the beam traveling from upstream the transducer to the downstream transducer

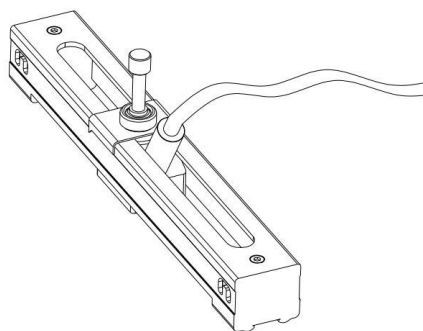
T_{down} is the time for the beam traveling from the downstream transducer to the upstream transducer

$T = T_{up} - T_{down}$

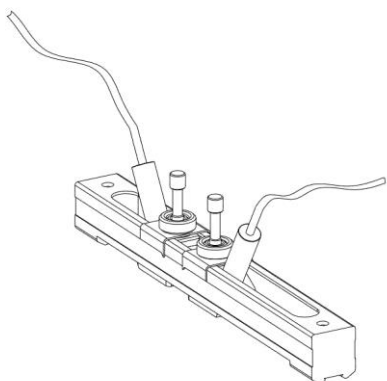
The site of the transducer installation is very important. Here are some recommendations for selecting the right site:

- In order to achieve high accuracy, we recommend using a pipe with at least a 15D straight-pipe run: upstream 10D and downstream 5D, where D is pipe diameter. A longer, upstream straight-pipe run is best. (Note 15D means 15 times the Diameter, 5D is 5 times the diameter)
- If there is a valve upstream and the valve is not fully open, it could generate flow disturbance.
- If there is a pump upstream, we recommend a pipe with at least a 30D straight pipe run.
- If the pipe is vertical, make sure the flow is going upward, not downward. Downward flow could produce air gaps, if the flow is free fall.
- If the pipe is horizontal, make sure the pipe is **FULL**. The transducer needs to be installed on the side of the pipe, not on the top or bottom of the pipe.

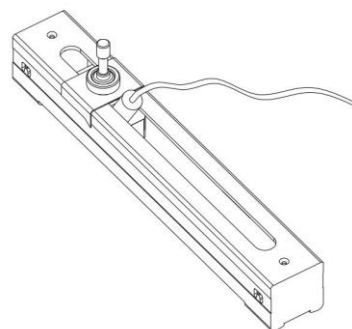
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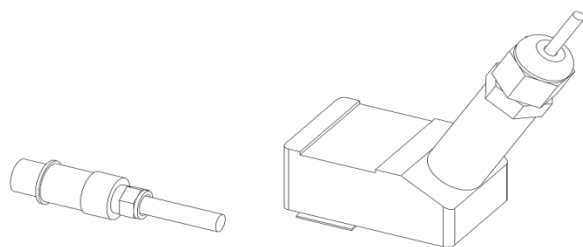
AS Transducer



AM Transducer



AL Transducer



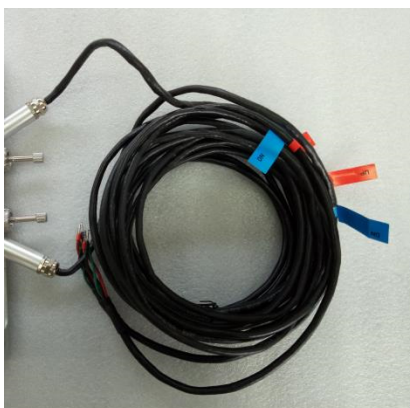
Temperature Sensors



Clamping Cable



Clamping Strap (optional)



Transducer Cable 5m x 2



Main Unit

1.6 Product Identification

Every AUF has a unique product identification number, or ESN. This number is written on the label inside of the meter enclosure. It is also displayed in Menu Window M55. The window can be accessed by pressing the following series of keys:

M → 5 (System) → 5 (Version/SN#)

See section 2.5 for more information on display windows.

In the case of any hardware failure, please provide this number when contacting the manufacturer.

1.7 Data Integrity and Built-in Time-Keeper

All user-entered configuration values are stored in the built-in, non-volatile flash memory that can retain the data for over one hundred years. The memory integrity is retained even when the power is disconnected or turned off. Password protection is provided to avoid inadvertent configuration changes or totalizer resets.

A time-keeper is integrated in the flowmeter. It works as the time base for flow totalizing. The time-keeper remains operational as long as the battery's terminal voltage is over 1.5V. In the case of battery failure, the time keeper will not keep running, and the time data will be lost. The user must re-enter proper time values after the battery is restored. Improper time values will affect the totalizer as well as many other functions. Re-entering the time value is a crucial step after battery failure because the totalizer is a factor in accurate flow rate measurement.

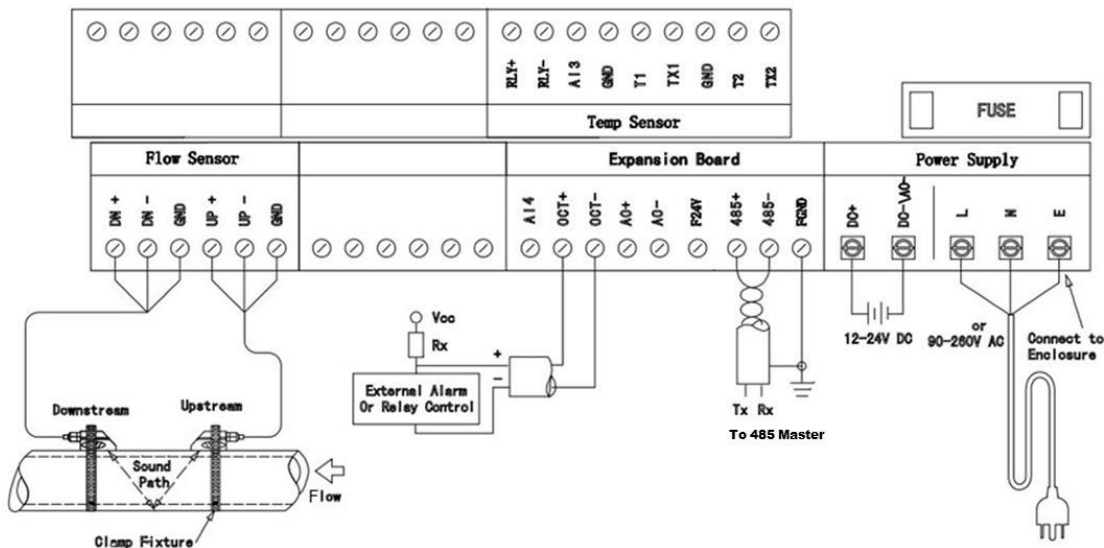
1.8 Technical Specifications

Design	Wall-mount for permanent installation
Flow Measurement	Volumetric flow rate, total flow, velocity. Bi-directional
Energy Measurement	Measure energy rate and energy total. Optional dual RTD is required
Flow Velocity Range	± 32 ft/s (± 10 m/s), bi-directional.
Flow Accuracy	±1% of reading ±0.03ft/s (±0.01m/s) in velocity*
Temperature Accuracy	Within 0.1°C
Repeatability	0.5%
Response Time	0.5s. Configurable between 0.5s and 99s
Display/Keypad	LCD with back-light. 4 x 16 letters. 5 x 4 tactile-feedback membrane keypad plus utility 4 keys. Displays instantaneous energy rate/total, flow rate/total (positive, negative and net), velocity.
Units	English (U.S.) or Metric
Totalizers	Positive totalizer, negative totalizer, net totalizer, manual totalizer
Output	4-20mA Optically isolated Open Collector Transistor (OCT) output for frequency and pulse or relay
Recording	Automatically records the daily total of the last 128 days, the monthly total of the last 64 months and the yearly total of the last 5 years.
Data Logger	Optional. >150,000 measured values
Communication Interface	Default RS232. Supports the MODBUS protocol BACnet/MSTP and GPRS is available upon request
Software	PC software for data logger download and real-time data acquisition
Pipe Size Range	3/4" - 120", (DN20mm - DN3000mm), depending on transducer
Pipe Material	All metals, most plastics, some lined pipes**
Liquid Type	Virtually all liquids (full pipe).
Liquid Temperature	32°F - 176°F (0°C - 80°C) or 32°F - 312°F (0°C - 150°C), depending on transducer type
Environment Temp	32°F - 140°F (0°C - 60°C)
Enclosure	11" x 8.66" x 3.54" (280mm x 220mm x 90mm) Aluminum, powder coated
Protection	IP65. Weather-proof
Weight	6.6 lbs (3kg) approximate
Power Source	90-260VAC /50-60Hz/0.1A, or, 12-24VDC/1A (Fuse 0.5A)

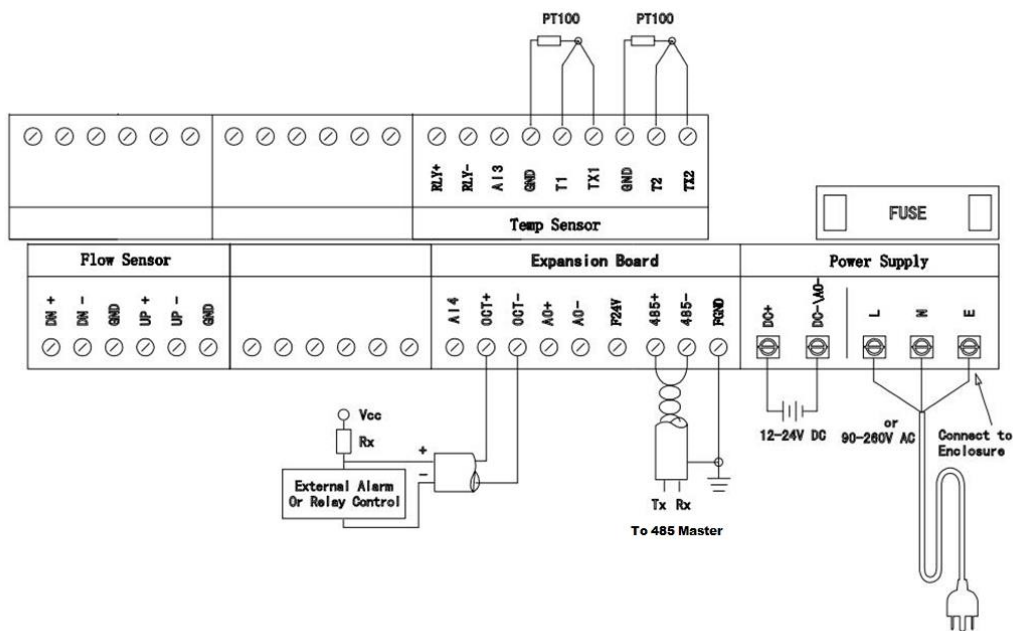
*Note: This accuracy rate is only applicable under the reference conditions and with a velocity above 1ft/s. Flowrate is calculated by multiplying velocity with the inner cross-section area of the pipe.

1.9 Wiring

For Flow Measurement:



For Thermal Energy (BTU) Measurement:



2.0 Flow Measurement

2.1 Unpacking

Please unpack the shipping box and check the parts and documents against the **packing** slip. If there is something missing, the device is damaged, or something is abnormal, please [contact us](#) immediately and do not proceed with the installation.



WARNING!

The AUF can be used to measure the flow of many kinds of liquids. Some of the liquids may be hazardous. It is very important that you comply with local safety codes and regulations in installing and using electronic devices in your area. We do not accept returns on meters for service or refund if it has been installed in a hazardous environment!

2.2 Installation Considerations

This section provides guidelines for installing the AUF main unit (the flow converter) and its transducers.

2.2.1 Mounting the Main Unit

The AUF main unit electronics are housed in an IP65 weather-proof and dust-tight metal enclosure. Therefore, the main unit can be installed indoors or outdoors. Usually, it is mounted in a meter shed or a location where one can easily access the meter for testing and servicing.

Note: because the unit is not water-proof, be sure it is not exposed to rain or water when it is installed outdoors. Also avoid locations where there are strong sources of electrical interference and excessive vibration.

2.2.2 Installing Transducers

First, you need to select a proper installation site. For this, one usually needs to consider the accessibility of the location, operating space needed for the installation, safety code compliance, etc. In addition, flow and pipe conditions near the installation site are also very important. Please refer to section 3.1 for site selection details.

Then, follow the installation guidelines given in Appendix 9.2 for installing clamp-on transducers.

If you ordered a wetted transducer, either insertion type or flow cell type, please refer to Section 3.2 and 9.2 for installation instructions.

Distance from Main Unit to Transducers

In general, signal quality will improve based on the length of the transducer cable. Shorter cables will result in better signal quality. The Armstrong VERIS Flow Measurement Group can supply up to 1000ft (300m) long transducer cables.

Transducer Cables

The AUF utilizes a double-balanced driving technique for high performance ultrasonic transmission and receiving. It requires twisted shielded cables for the transducers. We recommend using the cable supplied by the manufacturer. If you want to do the transducer cabling yourself, please consult the manufacturer in advance.

Try not to route the transducer cable along with high current AC lines. Avoid strong interference sources. Make sure the cables and cable connections are protected from weather and corrosive conditions.



WARNING!

The transducers may have static charges accumulated during transportation. Before connecting the transducers to the main unit, discharge the transducers by shorting the center conductor of the transducer cable connectors to the metal shield of the connector.

2.2.3 Power Supply Wiring

Two types of power supplies can be used, 12-24VDC or 90~260VAC.

Note: Do not apply both power supplies (DC and AC) at the same time. Please refer to Appendix 9.1 for wiring information.

Backup Battery

There is a 3V coin cell battery, CR2032, on the main board which is used to backup the calendar real-time clock (RTC). When the main power is off, this battery will keep the RTC running. The battery lifetime is normally about 3 years. Replace the battery with the same type when necessary. Please disconnect the main power and wear an anti-static wrist straps to prevent electro-static damage to the main board electronics.

If time stamping is not needed for data recording, you may remove this battery from the board.



WARNING!

There might be risk of explosion if the battery is replaced with an incorrect type. Batteries should be recycled where possible. Disposal of used batteries must comply with local environmental regulations.

2.2.4 Other Electrical Connections

Wiring 0/4-20mA Output

Using standard twisted-pair wiring. Refer to section 4.20

Wiring analog Inputs

The analog input channels are wired to terminal block pins AI3(20), AI4(19) . Please refer to section 4.21 for more information.

Wiring Alarms

You may use the OCT or Relay output to drive an alarm. The maximum electrical ratings for the OCT and Relay are listed in Technical Specifications sections 4.18 and 4.19. Use standard twisted-pair wiring.

Refer to section 4.0 for details.

2.3 Power On

The Armstrong Ultrasonic Flowmeter does not have a power ON/OFF switch. When connected to an external power source, it will start to run automatically.



WARNING!

Before connecting the device to a power source, please do a final check to make sure all the wiring is correct and all the local safety codes are followed.

The flowmeter will run a self-diagnostic program—checking the hardware first, and then, the software integrity. If there are any abnormalities, corresponding error messages will be displayed. (See Section 6 for more information on error messages.) Under normal conditions, there should be no display of error messages and the flowmeter will proceed to the main window. This menu can also be accessed at any time by pressing the ◀ (“Ex”) key up to three times, depending on the menu window in use at the time. The main menu will display the signal strength, signal quality, and transit-time ratio. These readings are based on the most recent pipe parameters configured, or by the initial program.

The flow measurement will keep running in the background without change, regardless of any user window browsing or viewing activities. Only when the user enters new pipe parameters will the flowmeter change measurement to reflect these alterations.

When new pipe parameters are entered or when the power is turned on, the flowmeter will enter into a self-adjusting mode. The device will account for the increase in receiving circuits so that the signal strength will be within a proper range. Using this step, the flowmeter finds the best receiving signals. See Section 2.7 for more information on configuring the pipe parameters.

When the user adjusts the position of the installed transducers, the flowmeter will re-adjust the signal gain automatically. Any user-entered configuration value will be stored in the NVRAM (non-volatile memory), until it is modified by the user.

2.4 Keypad



The SET key is used to configure the pipe parameters.



The LOG key is used to set up and view the built-in data-logger. Please note that you need to choose the Data Logger option when placing the order.



The CAL key is used to set up calibrations.



The M key is used across all the other menu functions.



The ENT key is the enter key to confirm or acknowledge any input or selections.



The “Ex” or  key is the exit or backspace key.



The “Vi” key is used to view measurements.



The “+” key is used to navigate up, or to add numbers together.

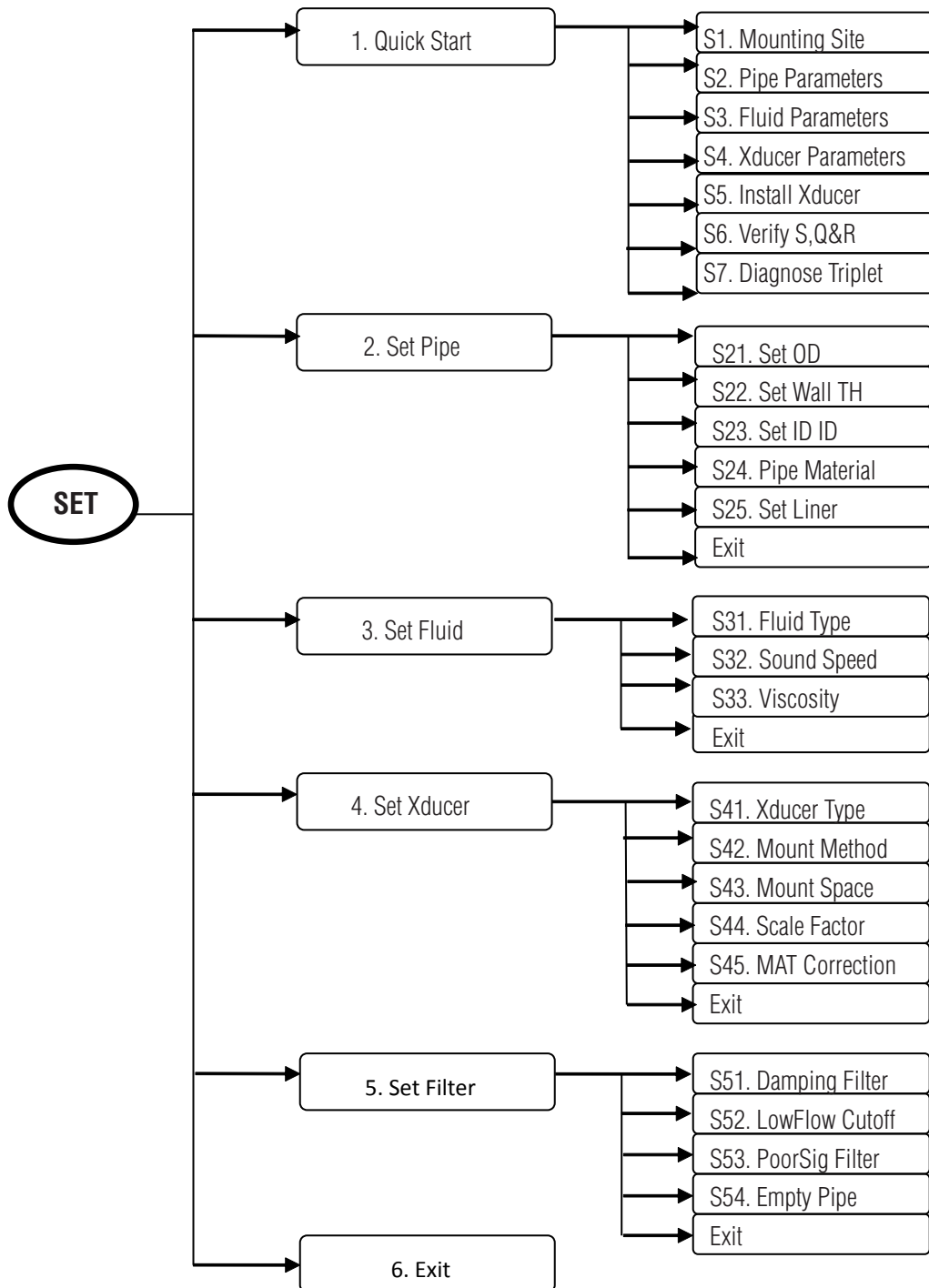


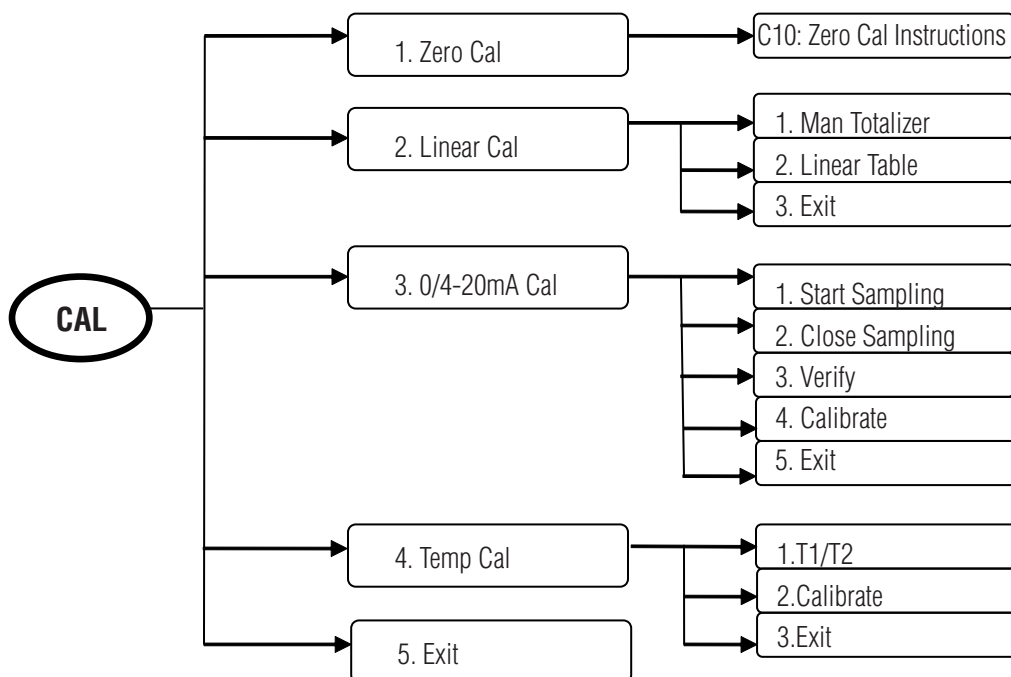
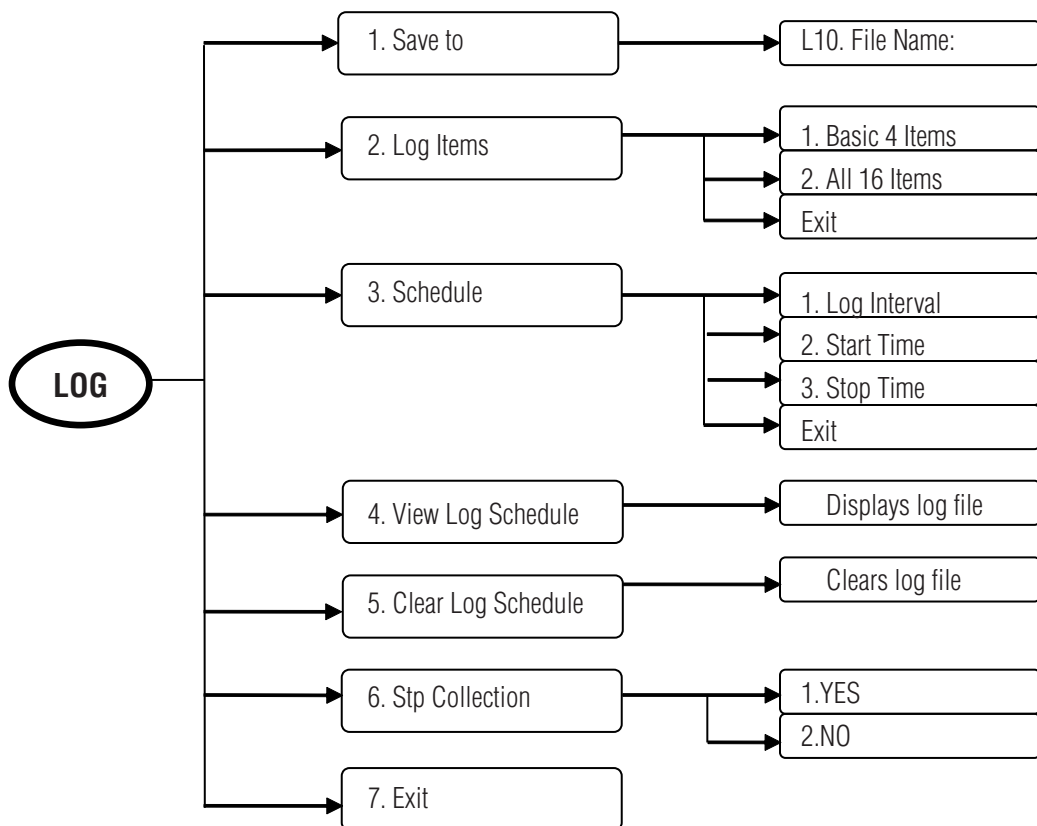
The “-” key is used to navigate down, or to subtract numbers.

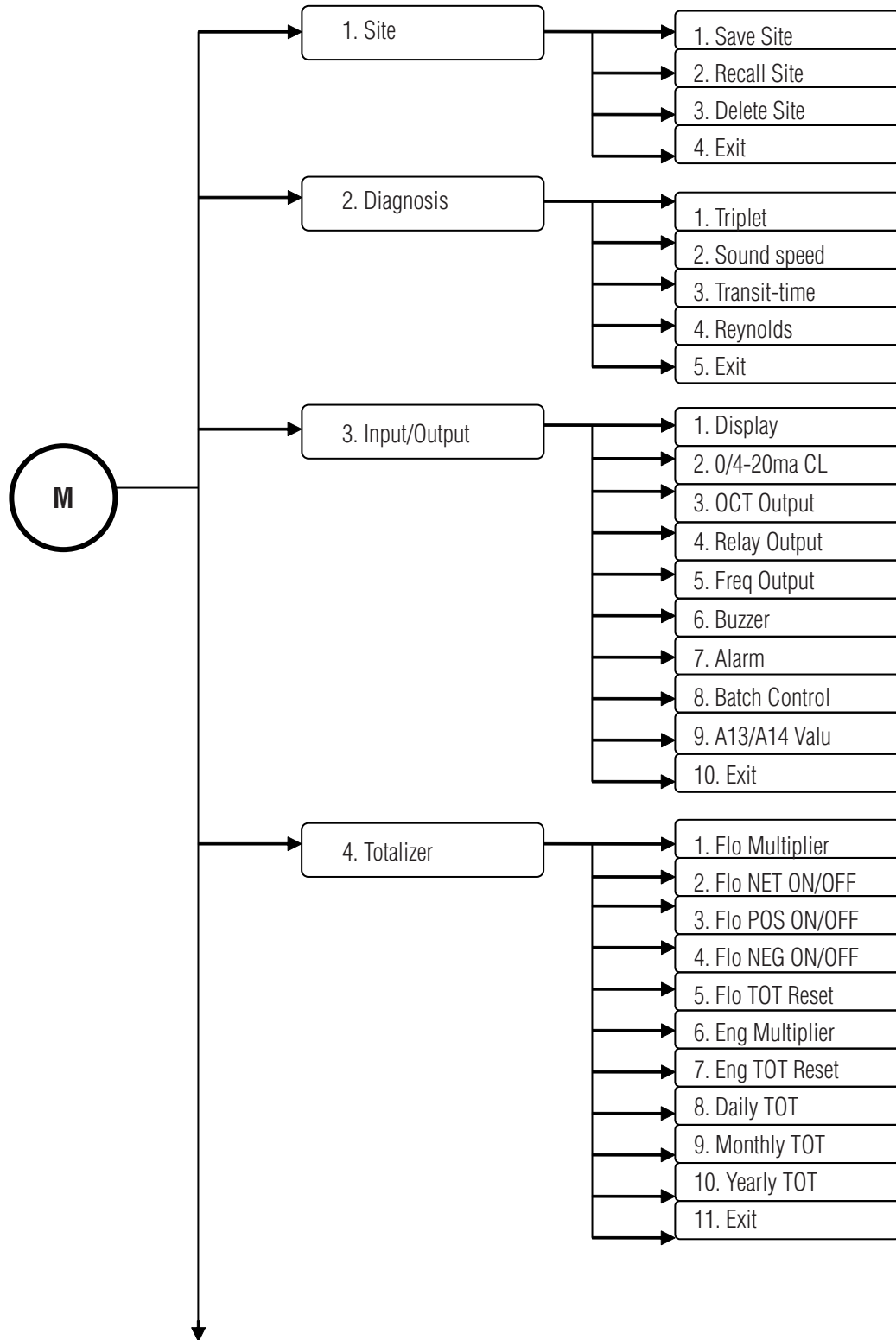


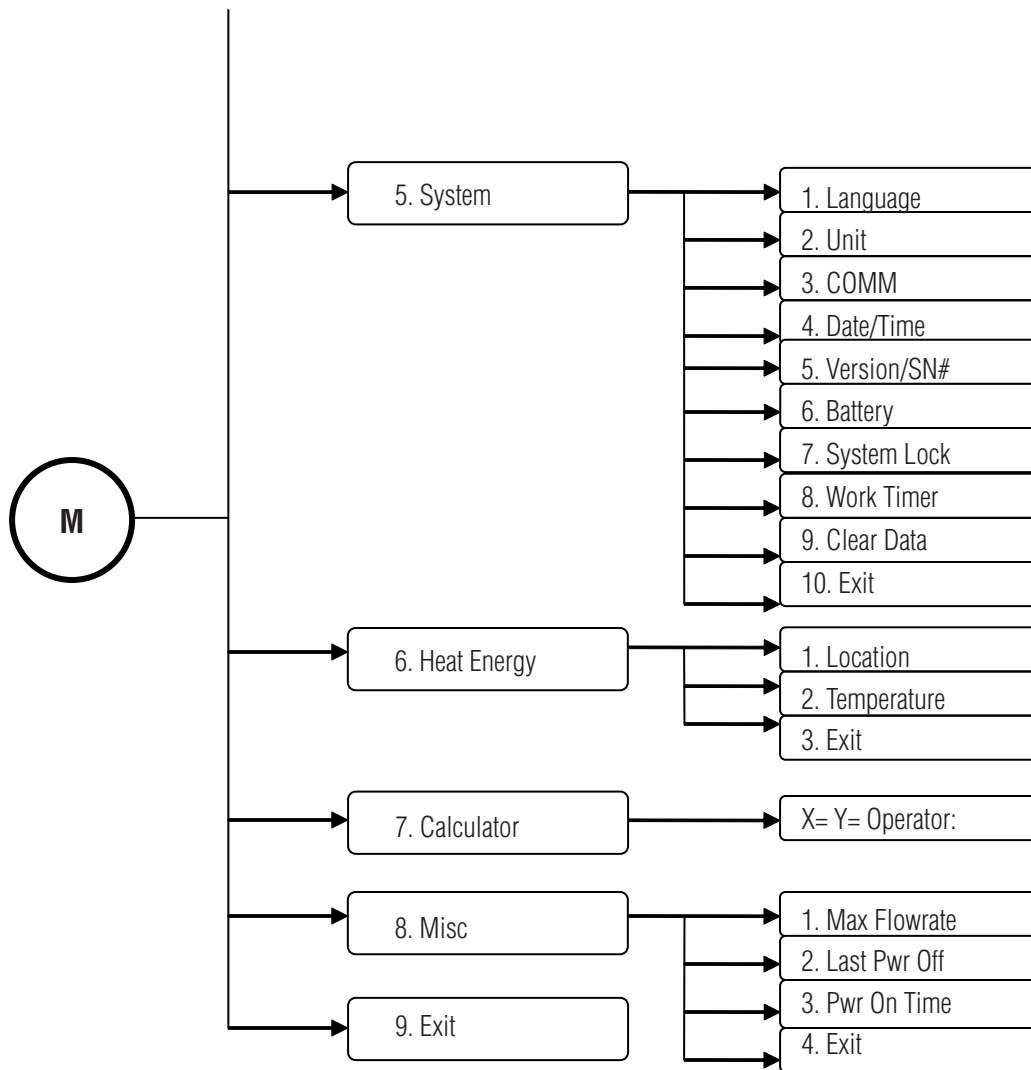
The “0-9” and “.” keys are used to enter numbers and values.

2.5 Display Windows









2.6 Display Window List

SET → Quick Start	To help the user get the flowmeter up and running as quickly as possible. Includes instructions on preparing mounting site, setting pipe parameters, setting fluid parameters, and setting transducer parameters, followed by instructions on transducer installation, verification, and diagnosis.
SET → Pipe	To set pipe parameters. This includes outer diameter, wall thickness, inner diameter, pipe material, and pipe liner.
SET → Set Fluid	To set fluid parameters. This includes fluid type, sound speed, and viscosity.
SET → Set Transducer	To set transducer parameters. This includes transducer type, mounting method, transducer spacing, and scale factor.
SET → Set Filter	To set up filter parameters. This includes average filter, noise filter, poor signal filter, and empty pipe.
LOG → Save To	To save logged data to a custom file name.
LOG → Log Items	To set up data logging. This includes logging a basic set of 4 items or logging all 16 items.
LOG → Schedule	To set up a schedule for data logging. This includes logging interval, start time, and stop time.
LOG → View Log	To view any previously saved log.
LOG → Clear Log	To delete a previously saved log.
CAL → Zero	To set up zero calibration.
CAL → Linear	To set up linear calibration. This includes manual totalizer and a linear table.
CAL → 0/4 – 20mA	To verify that the output of the 0/4 – 20mA is accurate.
CAL → Temp	To set up temperature calibration.
M11 – M13 → Site	To save, recall, and delete site parameters, respectively.
M21 – M24 → Diagnosis	To display triplets, sound speed, transit time, and Reynolds time, respectively.
M31 – M38 → Input/Output	To change display settings, 0/4-20mA CL, OCT output, Relay output, Frequency output, buzzer, alarm, batch control and A13/A14 value.
M41 – M410 → Totalizer	To set up totalizer. Includes Flo multiplier, NET on/off, POS on/off, NEG on/off, totalizer reset, Eng Multiplier, daily, monthly, and yearly totalizer.
M51 – M59 → System	To change and/or view the system settings. Includes language, system units, COMM, date/time, ESN version, battery volts, set up system lock, work timer, and Clear Data.
M61 – M62 → Heat Energy	To set up the heat energy. Includes location and temperature.
M70 → Calculator	Option that features a scientific calculator.
M80 → Misc	To set Max Flowrate, Last Pwr Off, and Pwr On Time.

2.7 Steps to Configure the Parameters

You may use the built-in Quick Start by pressing SET and 1 keys to program the flow meter. Alternatively, you may follow the following steps to program the flow meter.

Step 1: Enter Transducer Information

Change the Scale Factor: The scale factor can be found printed on the transducer pair. Press keys S44 (e.g., press **SET**, **4**, **4** consecutively). Then, press the **ENT** key. Key in the new scale factor of the transducer pair you are planning to use. Press **ENT** to confirm.

S44
Scale Factor
>= 1.01

Step 2: Enter Pipe Information

All pipe parameters can be entered by pressing keys S1 (e.g., press **SET**, **1** consecutively) and then, scroll down to Step 2 using the **▼/▲** key. Finally, press **ENT**. To find your pipe's parameters, visit http://www.engineeringtoolbox.com/pipes-tubes-dimensions-t_16.html. Select the type of pipe you are using, and click the corresponding link. Once you have this information, proceed with the following steps.

S2a:
Outer Diameter
2.375 in

Pipe OD: Enter the pipe outer diameter, and press the **ENT** key to confirm.

Wall-thickness: Press the **▼/▲** key to scroll down to the next parameter. Press **ENT** and enter the pipe wall-thickness. Press **ENT** again to confirm. If pipe wall thickness is unknown, Armstrong can provide a device to measure this value.

Pipe Material: Press **▼/▲** to scroll down. Press **ENT** and then use **▼/▲** to select the material of the pipe you are using. If your pipe material is not shown on the list (non-standard material), select Other. Press **ENT** to confirm.

S2c:
Select Pipe
1. Carbon Steel

Sound Speed in Pipe Wall: If your pipe material is on the list in the previous step, the flow meter will automatically skip this step and go to the next step. You do not have to enter in the Sound Speed unless you have selected other as your pipe material.

If you selected 'Other' as your pipe material, you will have to enter the sound speed manually. Press **ENT** which will prompt you to enter the correct sound speed for the pipe wall material you are using. You can find this data in the Appendix 9.4 of this Manual. When you are done, press **ENT** to confirm.

Pipe lining: Press **▼/▲** to scroll down, and then, press **ENT**. If your pipe has lining inside, enter the lining information. Press **ENT** to confirm. Press **◀** or ("Ex") to go back to the Quick Start menu.

S2d: Has Liner?
3. Rubber

Step 3: Enter Fluid Information

From the Quick Start menu, scroll down to Step 3.

Fluid Type: Press **ENT** and select the item that matches your fluid type. If you do not find a match (non-standard fluid), select item 9 (Other). Press the **ENT** to confirm.

S3a
Select Fluid
9. Other

Sound Speed in Fluid: If you found your fluid type in the previous step, the flow meter already has the sound speed data. Therefore, skip this step and go on to the next.

Otherwise, exit to the main screen and press keys S32. Press **ENT** and key in the sound speed of your fluid. You can find this information in Appendix 9.4 of this Manual. When you are done, press **ENT** to confirm.

Step 4: Enter Transducer Installation Info

From the Quick Start menu, scroll down to Step 4.

Transducer Type: Press **ENT** to edit the type of transducer. Use the **▼** key to scroll down and press **ENT** and select the proper transducer type from the list. *Note: The type of transducer you are using will be printed on the side of the transducers.* Press **ENT** to confirm.

Mounting Method: Use the **▼** key to scroll down to the mounting method selection screen. Then, press **ENT** and select the proper method. Press **ENT** to confirm. For pipes smaller than 1", try the reflect-method. For pipes from 1" to 12", use the direct-method. For pipes larger than 12", use the direct method. See Section 3.3 for more details on how to select the proper method.

Mounting Spacing: Use the **▼** key to scroll down to Step 5. The displayed value is the mounting spacing between the two transducers (see the image on the right). **Write down this number, as you will need it later when installing the transducers.**

S4a XDUCER TYPE:

1. THC-HS
2. THC-RS2

STEP5.

INSTALL XDUCER NOW

Dist= 113.41mm, V



It is extremely important to enter the parameters properly before installing the transducers. Incorrect parameters result in operation errors and inaccurate measurements. Common parameter errors are incorrect wall thickness, usually due to corrosion on the pipe. See Section 3 for more details on issues caused by wall thickness problems.

Example:

For standard, or commonly-used, pipe materials and standard liquids, the parameter configuration steps are as following:

1. Press the **SET** key. Make sure that the option "1. Quick Start" is highlighted. Press **ENT**.
2. You should see a "Select Mounting Site" window for information on ideal mounting conditions. Press the down arrow **▼** to move on to the next step.
3. You should see the "Set Pipe Parameters" window. Press the **ENT** key to program pipe parameters. Press **ENT** to edit the outer diameter. Press **ENT** again to save. Press the down arrow **▼**.
4. You should see the "S22: Set Wall-Thickness" window. Press **ENT** to edit the wall-thickness. Press **ENT** again to save. Press the down arrow **▼**.
5. You should see the "S24: Select Material" window. Press **ENT** to select the pipe material. Using the up and down arrows, select the appropriate pipe material. Press **ENT** to save. Press the down arrow **▼**.
6. You should see the "S25: Set Liner?" window. Press **ENT** if the pipe has no liner. Press **ENT** again, use the up and down arrows to select the appropriate liner. Press **ENT** to save. Use the arrow **◀** to exit.
7. You should see a "Set Fluid" window. Press the down arrow **▼** to access this menu. Press the **ENT** key. Use the up and down arrows to select the appropriate fluid. Press **ENT** again to save information. Use the arrow **◀** to exit.
8. You should see a "Set Transducer" window. Press the **ENT** key. You should now see the "S41: Transducer Type" window. Press the **ENT** key once again and use the up and down arrows to select the appropriate transducer type. Press **ENT** to save.
9. Press the down button to access the transducer mounting method. You should see the "S42: Mount Method" window. Press **ENT** to edit the mount method. Use the up and down arrows to select your appropriate method. Press **ENT** again to save.
10. Press the down arrow to access this menu. You should see an "S43: Mount Space" window. The number displayed on the screen represents the distance between the two transducers (transducer spacing). For more information on installation press the **ENT** key.
11. Use the down arrow button to edit the scale factor. You should see the "S44: Transducer Scale Factor" window. Press the **ENT** key to edit. Enter in the scale factor of the transducer pair you are planning to use. Press **ENT** key again to save. Use the arrow **◀** to exit.

Refer to Quick Start for more information and diagrams.

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3.0 Installation

3.1 Mounting Allocation for Transducers

The first step in the installation process is to select an optimal location for installing the transducers in order to make the measurements reliable and accurate. A basic knowledge about the piping and its plumbing system is advised.

An optimal location is defined as a long, straight-pipe line filled with the liquid to be measured. This pipe can either be in a vertical or horizontal position. However, on a vertical pipe, an upwards flow direction is required. The following instructions will guide the user in finding an optimal location:

Principles to Select an Optimal Location:

1. The straight pipe should be long enough to eliminate any irregular-flow-induced errors. Typically, the length of the straight pipe should be at least 15 times the pipe outer diameter (represented as 15D). A run of over 15D, is more likely to yield a laminar, or undisturbed, flow. This is an ideal condition for accurate measurement. As a general rule, the longer the straight run, the higher the accuracy. The transducers should be installed at a pipe section where the **length of the straight pipe at the upstream side is at least 10D and the downstream is at least 5D. The transducer installation site should be at least 30D away from the pump.** Refer to Table A for more details.
2. **Make sure that the pipe is completely filled with liquid.** It is impossible to take an accurate measurement if there are any air bubbles. The equation used to calculate the flow rate assumes the pipe is filled completely with the liquid being measured. For the best results, make sure the pipe is under pressure. This way, it has to be full.
3. Make sure that the temperature on the mounting location does not exceed the range for the transducers. Refer to the transducer specification chart in Appendix 9.2
4. If possible, select a relatively new straight-pipe line. Old pipes tend to have corrossions and depositions, which could affect the results. If an old pipe is used, **it is recommended that the corrossions and depositions are treated as if they were a part of the pipe wall or as part of the pipe liner (i.e. extra value is added to the pipe wall thickness or liner thickness parameters to take into account the deposition).**
5. Some pipes may have a type of plastic liner, which creates a certain amount of gap between liner and inner pipe wall. These gaps could prevent the ultrasonic waves from direct travel. Such conditions will make measurement very difficult. Whenever possible, try to avoid these kinds of pipes. **If lined pipes must be used, try our insertion transducers (PN#: TWI-V) that are installed permanently in the pipe. The two transducers are installed by welding on a base adding a ball valve, then drilling a hole in the pipe to install the transducer, even as liquid is flowing inside.**

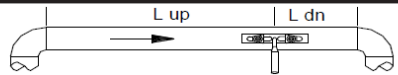
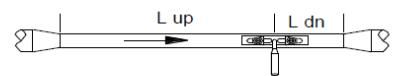
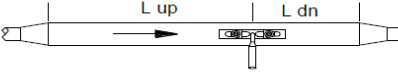
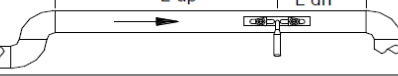
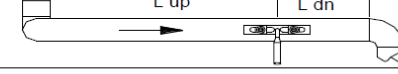
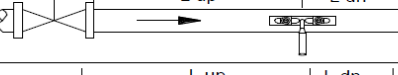

Piping Configuration and Transducer Position	Upstream Dimension	Downstream Dimension
	L up x Diameters	L dn x Diameters
	10D	5D
	10D	5D
	10D	5D
	12D	5D
	20D	5D
	20D	5D
	30D	5D

Table A.

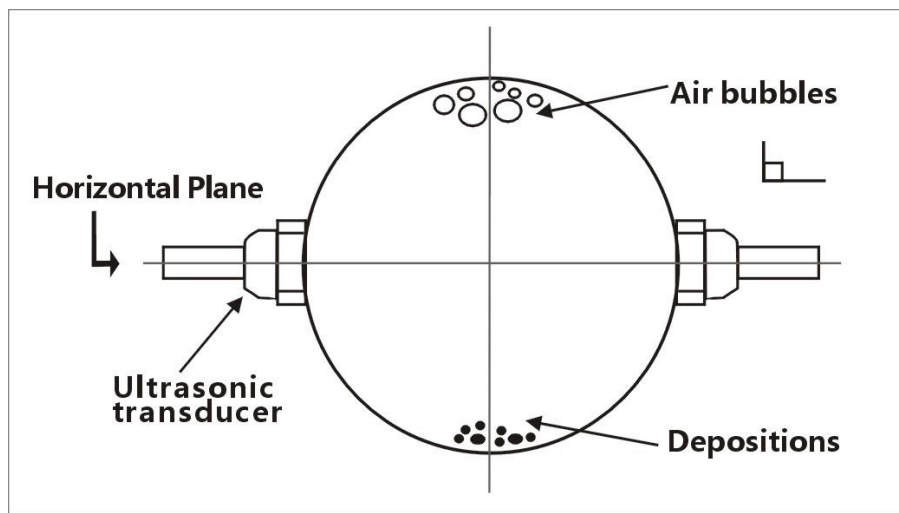
3.2 Transducer Installation

The transducers used by the AUF are made out of piezoelectric crystals for both transmitting and receiving ultrasonic signals through the wall of a liquid-piping system. The measurement is obtained by calculating the travel-time difference of the ultrasonic signals. Since the difference is very small, the spacing and the alignment of the transducers are critical factors to the accuracy of the measurement and to the performance of the system. **Meticulous care should be used for the installation of the transducers.**

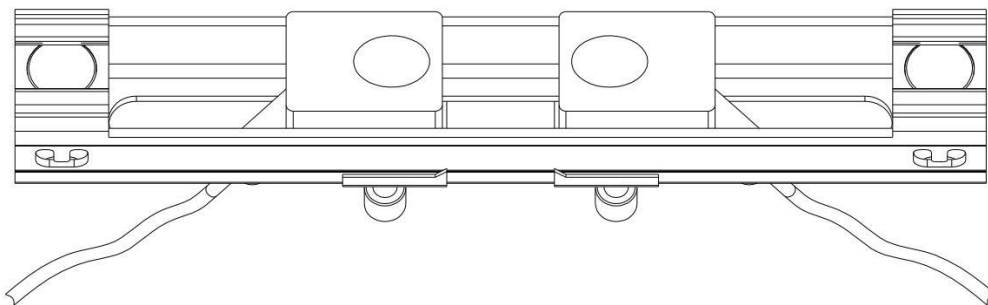
Steps to Install the Transducers:

1. Determine an optimal location. The straight pipe at both sides of the transducers needs to be of **sufficient length** (See Section 3.1, #1). The pipes are required to be in **favorable condition** – newer pipes with no rust are recommended (See Section 3.1, #4). Horizontal pipes typically have gas bubbles inside, especially on the pipe ceiling. There also may be sediment on the pipe base. As a result, it is recommended that the transducers are installed on the side of, rather than the top or bottom of, a horizontal pipe. See Appendix 9.2 for more details.

Direct Method

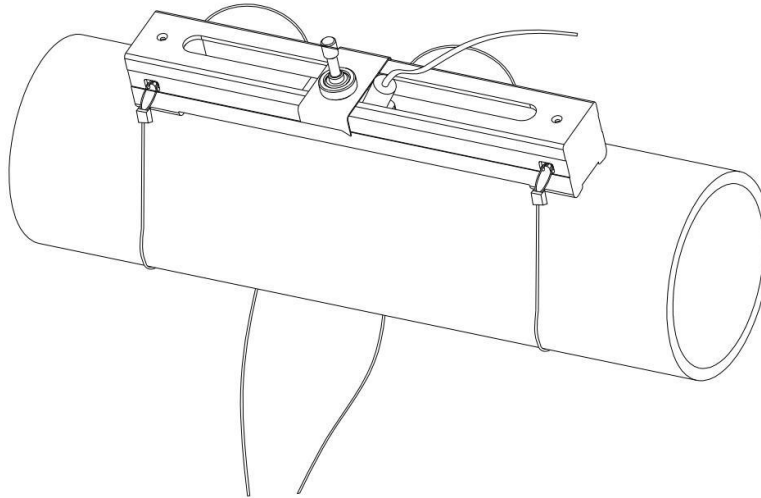


2. Make sure the chosen location is safe for and compatible with the operation of the flowmeter. **The AUF is not designed for contact with hazardous materials.**
3. Clean any dust and/or rust off the spot where the transducers are to be installed. For better results, **polishing the pipe's outer surface with a sander is strongly recommended.**
4. Extra care should be taken to avoid any sand or dust particles left between the pipe surface and the transducer surface. We recommend wiping the surface thoroughly with a damp towel or sponge. Once the surface is completely clean, dry it with a towel for best results.
5. Apply adequate ultrasonic couplant (grease, gel, or Vaseline®)*. **Couplant should be spread over the entire transmitting surface on the transducer and the entire installation surface on the pipe.** Make sure there is no gap between the transducer transmitting surface and the pipe surface. However, be careful not to apply too much couplant, especially for small pipes. See figure below:



6. Consider the appropriate method for mounting the transducers on the pipe. There are **2 methods of mounting**:

- a. **Magnetic fixture:** If the pipe material is metal, the magnetic force will keep the transducers on the pipe.
- b. **Clamp-on fixture:** We provide 2 types of clamp-on fixtures. The transducers may be pressed tightly against the pipe with the metal straps or metal strings provided for permanent installation. Turn the screws on the metal strips clockwise to tighten, using a screwdriver or a wrench.



7. Install the transducers and space them carefully. See Appendix 9.2 for specifics on the AM and AS transducers. The spacing value shown on window S15 refers to the distance of inner spacing between the two transducers. The actual distance of the two transducers should be as close to this value as possible. **Read Section 3.3 for more details on transducer spacing.**

Please see Appendix 9.2 for more installation information.

*NOTE: As a safety precaution, it is recommended that the Sonotech Inc. SOUND SAFE® product be used as the ultrasonic couplant. Other couplants such as grease, gel, or Vaseline® can be used as alternatives – but please use at your own risk!



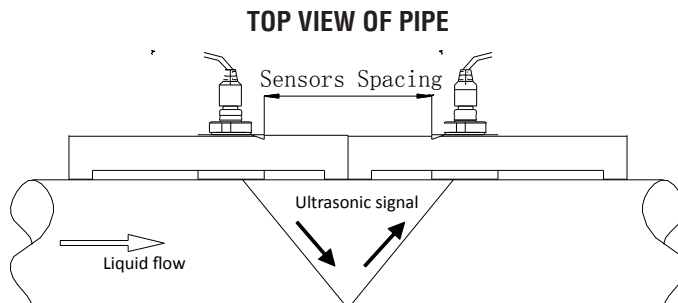
STOP!

Before mounting, please read Section 3.3! Transducer spacing is critical to the accuracy of the meter readings.

3.3 Transducer Spacing

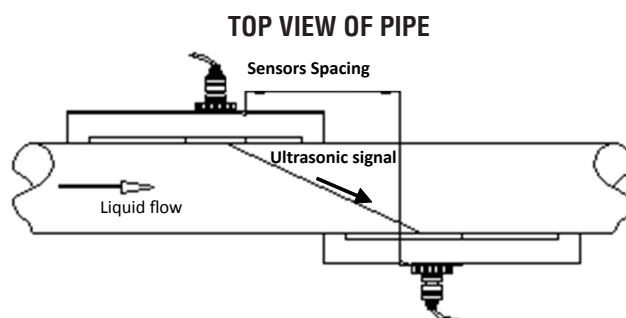
Reflect Method Installation

The reflect method installation is the most widely used method for daily measurements. It is used when the inner diameter of the pipe ranges from 20mm to 300mm. The small sound path of pipes in this range can interfere with accuracy. This method doubles the sound path, thus, ensuring an accurate measurement.



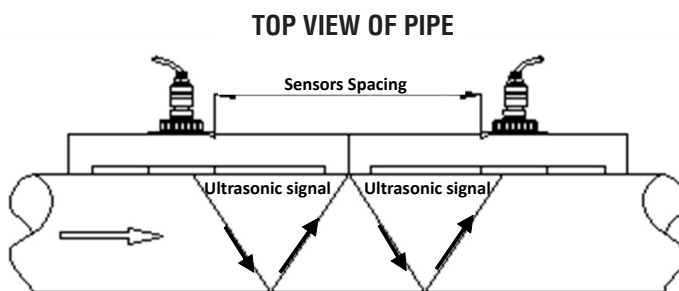
Direct Method Installation

The direct method is commonly used for pipe diameters between 300mm and 5000mm. Signal strength is increased with this method. However, occasionally the reflect-method does not work reliably; you can then try the direct method, even though the pipe is small. One example is AS transducer on a ¾" SS pipe.



W-Method Installation

The W-method can be used on pipes with diameters between 20mm and 40mm. This method is only considered when reflect method and direct method do not work.



N-Method Installation (Armstrong VERIS Flow Measurement Group does not recommend this method)

The N-method is commonly used for pipe diameters between 10mm and 80mm and requires small transducers. However, occasionally the N-method does not work reliably, if this is the case the direct method is recommend.



STOP!

The meter readings WILL NOT be accurate unless the transducers are installed properly. A critical value in determining proper placement of transducers is the Transit Time Ratio. The ratio must be in the range of 100 ± 3 . Please read Section 3.4 carefully to ensure accurate measurement.

3.4 Installation Checkup

After the completion of the transducer installation, the user should check the following items:

- The receiving signal strength (S value) and the degree of symmetry (Δ value) between upstream strength and downstream strength
- The signal quality (Q value)
- The transit time ratio (R value)
- The delta time (travel time difference between the upstream and the downstream signals)
- The estimated liquid sound speed

The S, Δ , Q and R values are displayed in the main window. You may press the View key to switch to the main window in case your current window is not the main window. All the other information can be viewed by pressing the + or – key.

This process will ensure that the flow meter is working properly for the most reliable and accurate results.

3.4.A Signal Strength

Signal strength, represented as S, is a 5 bar of signal graphic that represents the amplitude of the receiving ultrasonic signals. This value can be seen on the main menu. When all of the 5 bars are empty, it indicates that there are no signals detected. When all of the 5 bars are full, it indicates that the received signal is at its maximum strength.

The flow meter will operate well when **the signal strength ranges from 4 to 5 full bars**. Regardless of the functioning range, **higher signal strength is always desirable**—the more bars, the more reliable and accurate the results will be. The following methods are recommended to obtain strong signals:

1. Make sure the pipe is in excellent condition. Polish the outer surface of the pipe and apply more couplant between the pipe and transducers.
2. Carefully adjust the position of the two transducers, both vertically and horizontally. Check the signal strength after each movement. Stop at the position where the signal strength reaches a maximum. Be sure to check the transducer spacing to make sure it is still the same or very close to the figure displayed in S43 menu.
3. If the current location of the transducers provides a signal strength that is less than 4 full bars, try relocating it to a location with a better signal.

The degree of symmetry (value) shows the difference between the upstream signal strength and the downstream signal strength. Ideally, should be close to 0.0 or below 0.2. When the flow velocity in the pipe is high, may increase to 0.5.

3.4.B Signal Quality

Signal quality is indicated as the Q value for this instrument. This value can be seen on the main menu. A higher Q value means a higher Signal to Noise Ratio (SNR). Higher signal quality yields a higher degree of accuracy. Under normal pipe conditions, the Q value should be in the **range of 4 to 5 full bars**. A higher quality is always more desirable.

Causes for a low Q value may be:

- Interference from other instruments and devices nearby, such as a power frequency converter or a high-voltage AC power line, which could cause strong interference. If possible, relocate the flow meter to a location where interference is minimal.
- Bad sonic coupling between the transducers and the pipe. If the Q value is not in the desired range, we recommend polishing the pipe surface again. It is important to clean the surface after polishing. We also recommend adding more couplant. Finally, the pipe needs to be in the best condition possible.
- The selected pipe section is not conducive to accurate measurement. In some cases, the pipe material causes this problem with signal quality. For example, carbon steel pipes frequently feature corroded pipe sections, which would change pipe wall thickness values. In this case, we recommend using the direct method for transducer installation. Increase or decrease the spacing between the transducers until the ratio is 100 ± 3 . See section 3.4.D for more details. The user may also move the transducers to a pipe section that is in more favorable condition.

3.4.C Total Transit Time and Delta Time

The total transit time (or traveling time) and the delta time are both displayed on menu window M23. This window can be accessed by pressing the following series of keys:

M → (Diagnosis) → M23 (Transit Time)

See section 3.4.D for more details. These values are the primary data used by the instrument to calculate the flow rate. They are the **most important values calculated by the flowmeter**. The measured flow rate will vary as the total transit time and delta time vary. Therefore, the total transit time should remain stable or fluctuate only very slightly. **The device will adjust for any variance on its own until it is stable.**

The delta time, or delta t, is the transit time difference between the upstream transit time and the downstream transit time. It normally varies less than 20%. **If the variation exceeds 20% in either positive or negative direction, there may have been errors in the installation of the transducers.** The user should examine the installation site for any apparent problems. The following list shows some common examples of installation errors that cause inaccuracies in measurement:

- There may be insufficient couplant between the transducers and the pipe surface.
- The transducers may not be spaced correctly or may have been placed in a non-favorable location. Either of these issues will cause weak signal strength and quality.
- The pipe may be only partially full or there may be air bubbles. If this is the case, the logarithm used to calculate the flow rate will not yield accurate readings. Make sure that the pipe is completely full and that there are no air bubbles in the line.
- The wall thickness values may be incorrect. The error may have resulted from corrosion on the pipe. Use the direct method of installation or move to a more favorable location.

3.4.D Transit Time Ratio

This ratio, R, is used to check the quality of the transducer installation. It also verifies whether the entered pipe parameters are consistent to their actual values. If the pipe parameters are correct and the transducers are installed properly, the transit time ratio should be in the **range of 100±3**.

If this range is not met, the user should verify the following:

- The entered pipe parameters are correct
- The actual spacing of the transducers is the same as or close to what is shown on window S1, Step 5 (see Section 3)
- The transducers are installed properly and are facing the right direction
- The mounting location is stable
- The pipe-run upstream and downstream of the transducers is straight
- The pipe is in adequate condition (the most common pipe quality issues are too much corrosion or too much deposition inside the pipe)
- There are no interference sources inside the pipe
- For ASM transducer, if you see the ratio is less than 90% and the pipe is DN20 or smaller, please try to program the transducer as following:
 - Press S4 to enter into XDUCER TYPE menu.
 - Select User Defined, press ENT to modify
 - In 1/4 menu, enter 38
 - In 2/4 menu, enter 2267m/s or 7438ft/s
 - In 3/4 menu, no change
 - In 4/4 menu, enter 4.16us
 - Go back to the main window. You should see R has increase to somewhere in 100+/-3 range

Please refer to Appendix 9.2 for more installation details.

4.0 How To

4.1 How To Check If The Instrument Is Working Properly

The upper right hand corner of the LCD display features the symbol corresponding to the device's current level of functionality. The following list explains the most commonly-seen symbols:

1. Generally speaking, when “R” is displayed, the device is working properly.
2. If an “H” flashes, then the received signal may be poor. See Section 6 for more on troubleshooting.
3. If an “I” is displayed, then no signal was detected.
4. If a “J” is displayed, then the hardware of this instrument may be out of order. See Section 6 for more details.

4.2 How To Check The Liquid Flowing Direction

1. Make sure that the instrument is working properly. There should be an “R” displayed in the upper right hand corner of the screen.
2. Check the flow rate display. If the value is **positive**, the direction of the flow will be **from the upstream transducer, which is connected to the upstream connector of the meter, to the downstream transducer**; if the value is **negative**, the direction will be **from the downstream transducer to the upstream transducer**.

4.3 How To Change The Unit's Measurement System

The device can operate in either the English or the Metric system. This option can be accessed using the following series of keys:

[M] → [System] → [Unit] (M52) → [Metric/English]

4.4 How To Select A Flow Rate Unit

Press keys M52, followed by the second sub-menu option “Flow Rate Unit” to select the flow rate unit as well as the corresponding time unit. This can be accessed as follows:

[M] → [System] → [Unit] (M52) → [Flow Rate Unit]

4.5 How To Use The Totalizer Multiplier

The user must enter the proper multiplying factor for the totalizer Flo and Eng multiplier. This setting can be accessed by pressing the following series of keys:

[M] → [Totalizer] → [Flo Multiplier] (M41)

There is also an Energy multiplier under Totalizer. This setting can be accessed by pressing the following series of keys:

[M] → [Totalizer] → [Eng Multiplier] (M46)

The multiplying factor, which uses the method of scientific notation, is used for expressing the total readings which are too large or too small. To reset the totalizer use the following series of keys:

[M] → [Totalizer] → [TOT Reset] (M45)

4.6 How To Turn On And Off Totalizers

Use menu window M42, M43, and M44 to turn on or turn off the NET, POS, and NEG totalizers, respectively. These menus can be accessed as follows:

[M] → [Totalizer] → [NET on/off] (M42), [POS on/off] (M43), [NEG on/off] (M44)

4.7 How To Reset The Totalizer

Use menu window M45 to reset the flow rate totalizers. This can be accessed as follows:

M → **4.Totalizer** → **5.Flo TOT Reset** (M45)

4.8 How To Use The Damping Filter To Stabilize The Reading

The damper acts as a filter for a stable reading. This setting can be adjusted in the “Avg Filter” menu, which can be accessed through the following series of keys:

SET → **Set Filter** → **ENT**

If a “0” is entered, there is no damping. A bigger number generally brings a more stable effect. However, a balance is required; bigger damping numbers will slow down the instrument's response time.

4.9 How To Use The Zero-Cutoff Function (Noise Filter)

This function can be accessed by pressing the following series of keys:

SET → **5** → **2**

4.10 How To Set Up The Zero Calibration

Without a zero calibration, the flow meter may give a small non-zero flow rate reading even when the flow in the pipe is not running. In order to make an accurate measurement, it is necessary to set the correct zero calibration. While setting this data, the liquid flow should be completely turned off. If there is any value besides zero at the time zero velocity is set, all future results will be skewed. This window can be accessed by pressing the following series of keys:

CAL → **Zero Cal** Press the **ENT** key to start the zero calibration.

4.11 How To Change The Flow Rate Scale Factor

The scale factor (SF) is the ratio between the “actual flow rate” and the flow rate measured by the flowmeter. It can be determined with standard flow calibration equipment. This value can be adjusted by pressing the following series of keys:

SET → **Set Transducer** → **Scale Factor** **S44** Press the **ENT** key to edit the scale factor.

4.12 How To Use The Password Lock

The password lock provides a means of preventing inadvertent configuration changes or totalizer resets. When the system is locked, the user can still browse menu windows, but cannot make any modifications to the windows.

The password locking/unlocking can be done in menu window M57, which can be accessed with the following series of keys:

M → **System** → **M57**

The system can be locked with or without a password. A password-free lock can be enabled by pressing the **ENT** key while in menu window M57. A personalized password can also be set up. It must consist of 1 to 4 digits.

4.13 How To Use The Built-In (Optional) Data Logger

When the flowmeter has the Data Logger option, you may follow these steps to use the data logger.

1. Data will be saved on the SD card, and every file can hold about 2,000 lines of data.
2. Use window L10 to save the logged data. The data can be stored in a logger buffer. Alternatively, the data can be directed to the RS-485 interface without being stored in the logger buffer. This window can be accessed using the following series of keys: **LOG** → **Save To**
3. Use window L20 to select items; this can be accessed using the following series of keys: **LOG** → **Log Items** This will select the items to be logged.
4. Use windows L31, L32, L33 to set up the time log interval, start time, and stop time, respectively. Also pressing '9' on "start time" interface will start data collection after one minute. All of these windows can be accessed using the following series of keys: **LOG** → **Schedule**
5. Use window L40 to view saved data in the logger buffer. This window can be accessed using the following series of keys: **LOG** → **View Log**
6. Use window L50 to clear any unwanted logging data remaining in the RS-485 interface and in the logger buffer. This window can be accessed using the following series of keys: **LOG** → **Clear Log**
7. Use Window L60 to stop the current collection. This window can be accessed using the following series of keys: **LOG** → **Stop Collection**
8. The data stored in the data logger can be downloaded to any PC with "RW.exe". Please contact Armstrong VERIS Flow Measurement Group for this software.

4.14 How To Use The Frequency Output

All AUF Series Flowmeters have a Frequency Output functionality. The signal for each device represents its flow rate for the purpose of communicating with other devices. The emitted frequency output signal is designed to connect with other instruments. The Frequency Output is completely user-configurable. Usually, three parameters are configured:

1. Enter the frequency range in the "Freq Range" window as follows:

M → **Input/Output** → **Frequency Output** → **Freq Range**

2. Enter the lower limit of flow rate in the "Freq Min" window as follows:

M → **Input/Output** → **Frequency Output** → **Freq Min**

3. Enter the higher limit of flow rate in the "Freq Max" window as follows:

M → **Input/Output** → **Frequency Output** → **Freq Max**

Example: Assume that the flow rate varies in a range from 0m³/h to 3000m³/h and the required output signal frequency should be in the range 200Hz to 1000Hz. The user should enter 0 for the "Freq Min" window, 3000 for the "Freq Max" window, and 200 followed by 1000 for the "Freq Range" windows. ***Please note that the user needs to select the frequency output option ***

4.15 How To Use The Totalizer Pulse Output

The flowmeter will produce a pulse output with every unit of liquid flow. This pulse could be used by an external pulse counter to measure the accumulation of the flow rate. Refer to Sections 4.4 and 4.5 for the set up totalizer units and multiplier. **The totalizer pulse output can only be connected to the OCT output interface.**

Example: Assume that the POS totalizer pulse output is needed and every pulse represents 0.1 cubic meter of liquid flow. Assume also that the pulse output is connected to the OCT interface. With every 0.1 cubic meter of flow, we need the OCT to output a pulse for a while. In order to achieve this, the following steps must be performed.

1. Select the Cubic Meter (m3) unit in window M52 → Flow Rate unit. This can be accessed as follows:



2. Select the Multiplier factor as '2. X 0.1' in menu window M41.

4.16 How To Set Up The Alarm Signal

An alarm can be programmed to generate an ON and OFF signal on the OCT or Relay output interface, which can be wired to an external alarm circuitry or valve circuitry to drive an external device.

The triggering sources of the alarming events for the ON/OFF alarm signal could be:

- (0) No Signal - There is no receiving signal.
- (1) Poor Signal - The signal received is too weak.
- (2) Not Ready - The flowmeter is not in normal measurement mode.
- (3) Reverse Flow - The flow direction is reversed.
- (4) AO Over 100% - Overflow occurs at the analog outputs by 100% or more.
- (5) FO Over 120% - Overflow occurs at the frequency output by 120% or more.
- (6) Alarm #1 - The flow rate is out of the specified upper and lower limits specified in Alarm#1 settings
- (7) Reverse Alarm #2 - The flow rate is out of the specified upper and lower limits specified in Alarm#2 settings.
- (8) Batch Controller – Batching started.
- (9) POS Int Pulse – Positive totalizer pulse output.
- (10) NEG Int Pulse – Negative totalizer pulse output.
- (11) NET Int Pulse – Net totalizer pulse output.
- (12) Energy POS Pulse – Thermal energy positive totalizer pulse output.
- (13) Energy NEG Pulse – Thermal energy negative totalizer pulse output.
- (14) Energy NET Pulse – Thermal energy net totalizer pulse output.
- (15) MediaVel => Thresh – Liquid sound speed becomes bigger, over the preset threshold.
- (16) MediaVel < Thresh – Liquid sound speed becomes smaller, lower than the preset threshold.
- (17) ON/OFF Via RS485 – RS485 is the trigger source, providing ON/OFF control.
- (18) Timer (M51, Daily) –Daily scheduler programmed is the trigger source.
- (19) Timed Alarm #1 – Alarm#1 is the trigger source during the time period.
- (20) Timed Alarm #2 – Alarm#2 is the trigger source during the time period.
- (21) Batch Total Full – The totalizer in the batch controller is full.
- (22) Timer by M51.
- (23) Batch 90% Full-- The totalizer in the batch controller is 90%.
- (24) Key Stroking ON – Key stroke is the trigger source.
- (25) Disable BEEPER – the BEEPER will not be activated.

Example A: assume we need to drive an external Buzzer with the relay output interface to start beeping when the flow rate is less than 300 m3/h and greater than 2000m3/h. This is how to set that up:

- (1) Enter flow rate lower limit 300 in M371 for #1 alarm
- (2) Enter flow rate upper limit 2000 in M372 for #1 alarm
- (3) Select item '7. Alarm #1' in M36

Example C: assume we need the OCT output to activate when flow rate exceeds 100–500m³/h and the relay output to activate when flow rate exceeds 600–1000m³/h. The following setup steps would be recommended:

- (1) Enter flow rate lower limit 100 in M371
- (2) Enter flow rate high limit 500 in M372
- (3) Enter flow rate lower limit 600 in M373
- (4) Enter flow rate high limit 1000 in M374
- (5) Select item '7. Alarm #1' in M33
- (6) Select item '7. Alarm #1' in M34

4.17 How To Use The Built-In Buzzer

The built-in buzzer is for the keypad only.

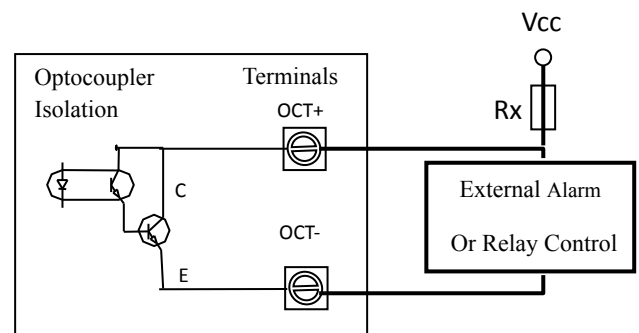
4.18 How To Use The Oct Output

There is one OCT (Open Collector Transistor) output. It is a ON/OFF type and is electrically isolated. One can program an OCT output to be an ON/OFF type alarm signal or a totalizer pulse signal.

Notice that the Frequency Output shares the same OCT hardware. When used as Frequency Output, the OCT cannot be used for another purpose (neither alarm signal nor totalizer pulse signal).

The OCT has two wiring terminals, terminals OCT+ and OCT-. Terminal OCT+ is the collector and terminal OCT- is the emitter. Be careful of the polarity. An external DC power supply Vcc and an external pull-up resistor Rx are needed for using the OCT (see figure below). Vcc can be from +12VDC to +24VDC. Rx can be from 1KOhm to 10KOhm. The maximum current for the OCT is less than 0.2A. The OCT can drive an alarm, pulse counter, frequency counter, etc. It can also be used to drive a relay, which operates a valve system, for instance. The triggering sources for OCT output are similar to those listed in the previous section for the Buzzer.

Refer to Section 5.0 on the menus.

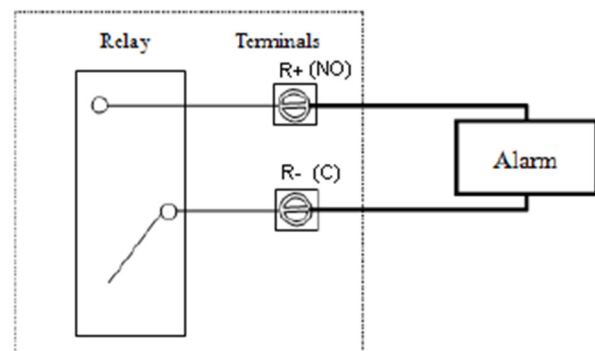


4.19 How To Use The Relay Output

The relay output is a single-pole single-throw (SPST). It has two terminals, R+ (normally open, NO) and R- (common, C). Its maximum operating frequency is 1Hz. when the input power is 110VAC, Its load current is 1A at 125VAC, when the input power is 220V, Its load current is 1A at 235VAC, or 2A at 30VDC.

The relay output is user-configurable and can be configured as an ON/OFF type signal to drive an alarm or a valve, or, as a totalizer pulse signal to drive a remote counter or totalizer.

When wiring the relay to an external device, you can only wire it as normally open (NO). The figure below illustrates how to wire the relay to an external alarm with a normally open configuration.



4.20 How To Use The 4-20mA Output Interface

The AUF has one channel of isolated 4-20mA analog output. The accuracy of this output is better than 0.1%. It can be configured in different modes, such as 4-20mA mode and 0-20mA mode. Mode selection can be made in menu M32, refer to the next chapter for details. In order to use the 4-20mA output function, you need to not only select the mode to be 4-20mA in M321, but also set the flow rate values which correspond to the minimum current (4mA) and the maximum current (20mA). Enter the two values in M323 and M324.

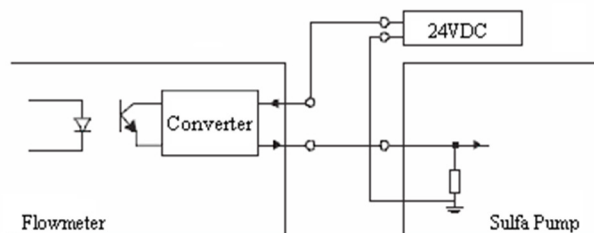
Example A: flow rate range is 0-500m³/h. Just enter 0 in M323 and 500 in M324.

If the differences are not within tolerance, calibrate the current loop.

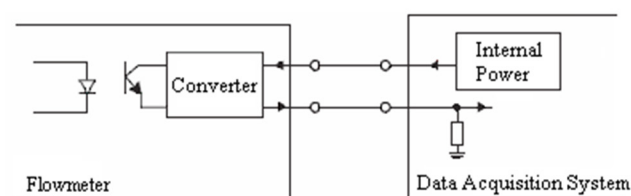
The present current loop output is displayed in Window M325. It changes along with flow rate change.

Wiring: There are two ways to wire this analog output to an external device: standard current-loop connection and loop-powered connection. Which connection to use is totally dependent on whether the external device provides 24VDC power to the current-loop. If yes, use the loop-powered connection.

The 0/4-20mA current output actually does not output current. Instead, it sinks current. The minimum sinking current is about 3mA.



Standard current-loop connection



Loop-powered connection

4.21 How To Use The Analog Input

The AUF can be equipped with a maximum of two temperature measurement channels and two analog input channels. The two temperature channels will be explained in Section 8.

The analog input channel, terminal AI3-GND or AI4-GND, can be connected to an analog sensor where output is in standard 4-20mA current to measure physical quantity, such as temperature, pressure, concentration, sulfa, etc. By combining the flow rate information, the AUF can provide very valuable information for resources management and process control.

All the results can be sent to a master computer through the serial port (see chapter 7 for the communication). This means that an AUF can be used as a RTU in a flow monitoring network. It helps to reduce the cost and complexity while improving the reliability of a monitoring network.

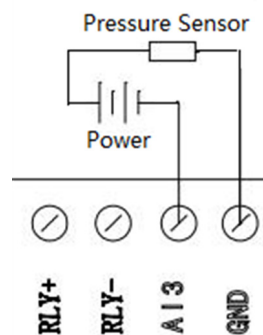
Note that the analog-to-digital conversion resolution of these analog channels is 12-bit, and there is no electrical isolation for those channels. If the working environment is subjected to strong interference, it is recommended that external isolation is added to protect the flowmeter circuitry.

The wiring diagram is shown in the figure to the right. The input values can be viewed in the local LCD by using the browsing key. The measurement range can be set in window M39. The second

option is the parameter minimum of the measurement range, corresponding to an analog input of 4mA. The third option is the parameter maximum, corresponding to 20mA input current.

Example: assume a pressure transmitter outputs 4mA current at 0.98kg pressure and 20mA at 10.5kg pressure. The transmitter is connected to channel AI3. Then, you need to enter 0.98 and

10.5 in window M3912 AND M3913. The present values of input current and corresponding temperature are shown in M393.



4.22 How To View The Totalizers

Use menu windows M48, and M49 AND M410 to view the daily, monthly, and yearly totalizer, respectively. These menu windows may be accessed as follows:

M → Totalizer → M48: Daily TOT or M49: Monthly TOT or M79: Yearly TOT

4.23 How To View The Totalizers

Use the working timer to check the time that has passed with a certain kind of operation. For example, use it as a timer to show how long a fully-charged battery will last. In menu window M58 press **ENT** key and **YES** to reset the working time. M58 may be accessed as follows:

M → System → M58: Work Timer

4.24 How To Modify The Built-In Calendar

No modification on the built-in calendar will be needed in most cases. The calendar consumes an insignificant amount of power. Modifications will only be needed when the battery has been totally exhausted or when the replacement battery takes so long that the original time data is lost. Use window menu M54 to change the time and date. This menu can be accessed as follows:

M → System → Date/Time (M54)

4.25 How To Use The Manual Totalizer

Use menu window C21, which can be accessed as follows:

CAL → Linear Cal → C21: Man Totalizer

Press any key to start and press the key again to stop the totalizer.

4.26 How To Check The ESN

Every Armstrong Ultrasonic Flowmeter utilizes a unique ESN to identify the meter—the ESN in an eight-digit number that provides the product version and manufacturing date.

The user can also employ the ESN for instrumentation management.

The ESN is displayed in menu window M55, which can be accessed as follows:

M → System → Version/SN# (M55)

4.27 How To Adjust The LCD Contrast

Use M312 to adjust the LCD contrast (back-light). The adjusted results will be stored in the EEPROM so that the Clear Data option will not effect the contrast. M312 may be accessed as follows:

M → Input/Output → M31: Display → M312: LCDBklt

4.28 What To Do When The Flow Rate Reading Jumps Abnormally

In general the flow rate reading should be stable when the flow in the conduit is stable. If the reading fluctuates a lot, you may try to increase the damping filter constant in the Damping Filter menu (SET->5) to smooth out the fluctuation.

If the flow rate jumps to an abnormally big number, the flow meter is locked to a wrong pulse cycle. This might happen when the signal is weak due to old pipe, entrained air or complicated pipe wall structure. Sometimes ASM transducers on a small pipe, such as DN20 or DN25, may show this problem. If this happens, please try to install the transducers with a different installation configuration. For example, if a big number jump happens when the transducers are installed with reflect method, then, try to install the transducers with direct method.

4.29 How To Calibrate The Flow Meter

There are 4 calibration functions for the AUF: Zero Calibration, Linear Calibration, 0/4-20 mA loop calibration, and temperature calibration. These can be found by pressing the **CAL** key on the device.

1. For Zero Calibration, refer to Section 4.10.
2. Linear and 0/4-20 mA loop calibration are unavailable at this time. For updates, please contact the Armstrong VERIS Flow Measurement Group at veris-sales@armstronginternational.com
3. For Temperature Calibration, normally, there is no need for calibration, as the device is calibrated at the factory. In case you need to re-calibrate the sensors, contact the Armstrong VERIS Flow Measurement Group at veris-sales@armstronginternational.com

5.0 Menu Window Details

Key	Sub-Key	Window Number	Function
SET	Quick Start	Step 1: Select Mounting Site	S1: Select Site Window for providing instructions on selecting a mounting site: - Pipe is full - Straight pipe: 10D upstream, 5D downstream - Vertical pipe: Flow must go up. - Horizontal pipe: Transducers must be on the side of pipe.
		Step 2: Set Pipe Parameters	S2a: Enter Outer Diameter Window for entering the outer diameter of the pipe Valid range: 0 to 6000mm.
			S2b Window for entering pipe wall thickness
			S2c Window for selecting pipe material Standard pipe materials (no need to enter the material sound speed) include: (1) Carbon Steel (2) Stainless Steel (3) Cast Iron (4) Ductile Iron (5) Copper (6) Pvc (7) Aluminum (8) Asbestos (9) Fiberglass (10) Other
			S2d Window for selecting the liner material. Select none (1) For pipes without any liner. Standard liner materials (no need to enter liner sound speed) include: (2) Tar Epoxy (3) Rubber (4) Mortar (5) Polypropylene (6) Polystyrol (7) Polystyrene (8) Polyester (9) Polyethylene (10) Ebonite (11) Teflon (12) Other
		Step 3: Set Fluid Parameters	S3a Window for selecting fluid type For standard liquids (no need to enter liquid sound speed) include: (1) Water (2) Sea Water (3) Kerosene (4) Gasoline (5) Fuel Oil (6) Crude Oil (7) Propane at -45°C (8) Butane at 0°C (9) Other Liquids (10) Diesel Oil (11) Castor Oil (12) Peanut Oil (13) #90 Gasoline (14) #93 Gasoline (15) Alcohol (16) Hot water at 125°C
		Step 4: Set Transducer Parameters	S4a Window for selecting transducer type There are 30 different types of transducers for selection. The user needs to configure the 3 transducer parameters.
			S4b Window for selecting the transducer mounting methods Four methods can be selected: (0) Reflect method (1) Direct method (2) N-method (3) W-method
			S4c Window to set the flow rate scale factor. The factory default is '1'. Keep this value as '1' when no calibration has been made.
		Step 5: Install Transducer Now	S5a Window for transducer mount distance and installation: a) Mark 2 spots of the same side on pipe surface, with the distance equal to the number shown. b) Sand & clean the spots, make surface smooth. c) Put compound on transducer surface. d) Clamp transducer onto pipe. Cable towards outside. e) Finish wiring then power up.
		Step 6: Verify	Window to verify the signal strength, signal quality and transit time ratio shown
		Step 7: Diagnose	Window to Diagnose Triplet
	S20: Set Pipe	S21: Set OD	Window for entering the outer diameter of the pipe. Valid range: 0 to 6000mm.
		S22: Set Wall Thickness	Window for entering the pipe wall thickness.
		S23: Set ID	Window for entering the inner diameter of the pipe. If pipe outer diameter and wall thickness are entered correctly, the inner diameter will be calculated automatically, thus no need to change anything in this window.
		S24: Pipe Material	Window for selecting pipe material Standard pipe materials (no need to enter the material sound speed) include: (1) Carbon Steel (2) Stainless Steel (3) Cast Iron (4) Ductile Iron (5) Copper (6) Pvc (7) Aluminum (8) Asbestos (9) Fiberglass (10) Other
		S25: Set Liner	Window for selecting the liner material. Select none for pipes without any liner. Standard liner materials (no need to enter liner sound speed) include: (1) No Liner (2) Tar Epoxy (3) Rubber (4) Mortar (5) Polypropylene (6) Polystyrol (7) Polystyrene (8) Polyester (9) Polyethylene (10) Ebonite (11) Teflon (12) Other

Key	Sub-Key	Window Number	Function
SET	S30: Set Fluid	S31: Fluid Type	Window for selecting fluid type For standard liquids (no need to enter liquid sound speed) include: (1) Water (2) Sea Water (3) Kerosene (4) Gasoline (5) Fuel Oil (6) Crude Oil (7) Propane at -45°C (8) Butane at 0°C (9) Other liquids (10) Diesel Oil (11) Castor Oil (11) Peanut Oil (12) #90 Gasoline (13) #93 Gasoline (14) Alcohol (15) Hot Water at 125°C
		S32: Sound Speed	Window for entering the sound speed of non-standard liner materials
		S33: Viscosity	Window for entering the viscosity of non-standard liquids
	S40: Set Transducer	S41: Transducer Type	Window for selecting transducer type There are 31 different types of transducers for selection. If the ∞ type spool-piece transducers are used, the user needs to configure the 3 transducer parameters. Otherwise, the user needs to configure the 4 transducer parameters.
		S42: Mount Method	Window for selecting the transducer mounting methods Four methods can be selected: (1) Reflect method (2) Direct method (3) N-method (4) W-method
		S43: Mount Space	Window to display the transducer mounting space or distance.
		S44: Scale Factor	Window to set the flow rate scale factor. The factory default is '1'. Keep this value as '1' when no calibration has been made.
		S45: Mat correction	"Factory only" password protected input.
	S50: Set Filter	S51: Damping Filter	Window to set the damping constant.
		S52: Low Flow Cutoff	Window to set the velocity cutoff for noise flow.
		S53: PoorSig Filter	Window to set the poor signal filter. If last reading was acceptable, select (1) Yes. If last reading was not acceptable, select (2) No.
		S54: Empty Pipe	Window to establish setting for an empty pipe. During normal operation, pipe should be full.
LOG	L10: Save To		Window to save recorded log to a customizable file name.
	L20: Log Items	L21: Basic 4 Items	Window to instruct device to log only basic information.
		L22: All 16 Items	Window to instruct device to log all 16 items available on AUF
	L30: Schedule	L31: Log interval	Window for entering the interval at which the flowmeter will log data.
		L32: Start Time	Window for entering the start time of the logger. (Year-Month-Day and Hour-Minute-Second) or directly press number '9' to start collect data after one minute.
		L33: Stop Time	Window for entering the end time of the logger. (Year-Month-Day and Hour-Minute- Second)
	L40: View Log		Window to view a previously recorded log.
	L50: Clear Log		Window to clear a previously recorded log.
	L60: Stop Collection		Window to stop current collection.
CAL	C10: Zero Cal		Window to set up the Zero point. Make sure the liquid in the pipe is not running during setup.
	C20: Linear Cal	C21: Man Totalizer	Window for manual totalizer used for calibration. Press any key to start and press the key again to stop the totalizer.
		C22: Linear Table	Window to view linear table. (1) Add data point. (2) View table.
	C30: 0/4 –20 mA Cal	C31: Start Sampling	Start to sampling current flow value in every 4 seconds and outputting corresponding 4~20mA value.
		C32: close Sampling	Close to sampling current flow value.
		C33: Verify	Verify 0/4-20 mA loop.
		C34: Calibrate	Currently unavailable for the AUF
	C40: Temp cal	C41: T1/T2	Window to display temperature for supply line and return line.
		C42: Calibrate	Window to calibrate temperature sensors. User must enter password. Use resistors to recalibrate sensors.

Key	Sub-Key	Window Number	Function	
M	M10: Site	M11: Save Site	Window to store the pipe parameters into the internal NVRAM (non-volatile memory).	
		M12: Recall Site	Window to recall the previously saved pipe parameters	
		M13: Delete Site	Window to delete previously saved pipe parameters	
	M20: Diagnosis	M21: Triplet	Window to display the signal strength, signal quality and transit time ratio.	
		M22: Sound Speed	Window to display the estimated sound speed of the fluid in the pipe. If this value has an obvious difference with the actual fluid sound speed, the user is recommended to check if the pipe parameters are correct and if the transducer installation is good.	
		M23: Transit-time	Window to display the total transit time and delta time (transit time difference between upstream and downstream traveling).	
		M24: Reynolds	Window to display the Reynolds number and the pipe factor used by the flow rate measurement program. Note, the pipe factor is rarely used.	
	M30: Input/ Output	M31: Display	M311: Main window	Window to control main window display. Choose between Flow Rate, Velocity, Flow TOT, and ENERGY-RATE.
			M312: LCD Bklt	Window to control the LCD display back-light. The entered value indicates how many seconds the back-light will be on with every key pressing.
			M313: Buzzer	Window to turn buzzer on or off.
		M32: 0/4-20 mA CL	CL Mode	Select the current loop (CL) mode.
			Output Param	Enter flow rate.
			Param Min	Enter minimum for 0/4 mA signal.
			Param Max	Enter maximum for 20 mA signal.
			CL Reading	Display present output of the current loop circuit.
		M33: OCT output	Pulse Width	OCT (Open Collector Output) setup. By selecting a proper triggering source, the OCT circuit will close when the trigger event occurs
			Trigger Source	Select the pulse type for the trigger source.
		M34: Relay Output	Window to select event for relay trigger source.	
		M35: Freq Output	Freq Range	Window to set up the frequency range (lower limit and upper limit) for the frequency output. Valid values: 0Hz-9999Hz. Factory default is 1-1001 Hz
			Freq Min	Window to set up the minimum flow rate which corresponds to the lower frequency limit of the frequency output.
			Freq Max	Window to set up the maximum flow rate which corresponds to the upper frequency limit of the frequency output.
		M36: Buzzer	Window to set up the buzzer. If a proper input source is selected, the buzzer will beep when the trigger event occurs	
		M37: Alarm	#1 Low Limit	Alarm #1 lower threshold setup. Below this threshold the #1 Alarm will be triggered. There are two alarming methods. User must select the alarming output items from window M33 or M36
			#1 High Limit	Alarm #1 upper threshold setup.
			#2 Low Limit	Alarm #2 lower threshold setup.
			#2 High Limit	Alarm #2 lower upper threshold setup.
		M38: Batch Control	Window to access the built-in batch controller.	
	M40: Totalizer	M41: Flo Multiplier	Window to set the totalizer multiplying factor for the flow rate. The multiplying factor ranges from 0.001 to 10000.	
		M42: Flo NET ON/OFF	Window for turning on or off the NET totalizer	
		M43: Flo POS ON/OFF	Window for turning on or off the POS totalizer.	
		M44: Flo NEG ON/OFF	Window for turning on or off the NEG totalizer.	
		M45: Flo TOT Reset	Window for: (1) None; (2) ALL TOTs (3) Flow TOTs (4) Energy Net TOTs. Press the dot key followed by the backspace key. Attention, it is recommended to make notes on the parameters before doing the restoration.	

Key	Sub-Key	Window Number	Function	
		M46: Eng Multiplier	Window to set the multiplying factor for the Eng totalizer.	
		M47: Eng TOT ON/OFF	Window to turn thermal energy totalizer on or off.	
		M48: Daily TOT	Window to set up for daily totalizer.	
		M49: Monthly TOT	Window to set up for monthly totalizer.	
		M410: Yearly TOT	Window to set up for yearly totalizer.	
	M50: System	M51: Language	Window to set up the language Selection – English or Chinese.	
		M52: Unit	English/Metric	Window for selecting unit system. English is the factory default. The conversion from English to Metric or vice versa will not affect the unit for totalizers.
			Flow rate unit	Change Volume Window for selecting flow rate unit system. Flow rate can be in: 1. Cubic meter short for (m3) 2. Liter (l) 3. USA gallon (gal) 4. Imperial gallon (igl) 5. Million USA gallon (mgl) 6. Cubic feet (cf) 7. USA oil barrel (bal) 8. Imperial oil barrel (ib)
				Change Time The flow unit in terms of time can be per day, per hour, per minute or per second. So there are 36 different flow rate units in total for selection.
		Flow rate TOT Unit	Window for selecting flow rate totalizer unit system. This can be in: 1. Cubic meter short for (m3) 2. Liter (l) 3. USA gallon (gal) 4. Imperial Gallon (igl) 5. Million USA gallon (mgl) 6. Cubic feet (cf) 7. USA oil barrel (bal) 8. Imperial oil barrel (ib)	
		M53: COMM	Port Config	Window for RS-485 serial communication setup.
			Protocol	Window for communication protocol selection.
			Monitor	Window to verify the data being logged.
		M54: Date/Time	M54	Window for setting the date and time.
		M55: Version/ SN#	Displays version information and Electronic Serial Number (ESN) that are unique for each AUF series flowmeter. The user can use the ESN for instrumentation management.	
		M56: Battery	Window that displays the current button cell battery voltage.	
		M57: System Lock	Window to set up System lock to avoid modification of the system parameters.	
		M58: Work Timer	Work timer. It can be reset by pressing ENT key, Ok to Reset? select YES.	
		M59: Clear Data	Clears all stored Data. It can be reset by pressing ENT key, Are you sure?, select YES.	
	M60: Heat Energy	M61: Location	Window to configure the location of the transducers. They can be placed on the supply or the return line.	
		M62: Temperature	Window to view the temperature of both transducers.	
		M63: EngTemp Select	Window to temperature source selection: 0. Temperature from input AI1 and AI2; 1. Fixed difference. When selecting fixed difference, enter the difference in this menu.	
		M64: Specific Select	Window to specific heat (or thermal capacity coefficient) input	
	M70: Calculator		Window which includes scientific calculator for the convenience of field applications. All the mathematic operators are selected from a list.	
	M80: Misc.	M81: Max Flowrate	Window to view maximum flow rate for the day and for the month.	
		M82: Last pwr off	Window to display the last recorded time the device was powered off.	
		M83: Pwr On Time	Window to display the last recorded time the device was powered on.	

6.0 Troubleshooting

6.1 Power-On Errors

When powered on, the AUF series ultrasonic flowmeter will automatically start the self-diagnostic process to determine if there are any hardware and/or software problems. If a problem is identified, an error message will be displayed. The following table shows the possible error messages, the corresponding causes, and their solutions.

Error Message	Causes	Solutions
ROM Parity Error	ROM operation illegal/error	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reboot the system • Contact the manufacturer
Stored Data Error	User entered parameters were lost	Press ENT key to restore the default configuration
SCPU Fatal Error	SCPU hardware fatal error	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reboot the system • Contact the manufacturer
System Clock Slow or Fast Error	Problem with the system clock or the crystal oscillator	
CPU or IRQ Error	Problem with RAM chip	
System RAM error	Problem with RAM chip	
Time Date Error	Problem with date/time chip	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Initialize the calendar in menu window M54 • Contact the manufacturer
No Display, Erratic or Abnormal Operation	Problem with wiring	Double-check wiring connections
No response to key pressing	Keypad is locked; bad plug connection	Press keys M, 5, and 7, consecutively (M57). From there, unlock the keypad.
Reboot Repetitively	Hardware problems	Contact the manufacturer

6.2 Working Status Errors

The AUF series ultrasonic flowmeter will show an Error Code (i.e. a single letter, e.g. I, R, etc.) in the upper right corner of the main menu window. When any abnormal error code shows, counter-measures should be taken.

Error Code	Message Displayed On Main Menu Window	Causes	Solutions
R	System Normal	No Error	
I	No Signal	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unable to receive signal • Transducers installed improperly • Loose contact, or not enough couplant between transducer and pipe surface • Pipe liners are too thick, or the deposition inside the pipe is too thick. • Transducer cables are not properly connected. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Polish the pipe surface and clean the spot. Remove paint. • Make sure there is adequate couplant. • Make sure the transducer is in tight contact with pipe surface • Check transducer cables • Check installation parameter settings • Find a better measurement site (newer pipe, no corrosion, no deposition)
J	Hardware Error	Hardware problem	Contact the manufacturer
H	Poor Sig. Detected	Poor signal detected. Similar to error code I.	Refer to error code I.
E	Current Loop Over 20mA	4-20mA loop output over 120%. Improper settings for current loop output	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ignore it if current loop output is not used • Check current loop settings in menu window M32 • Confirm if the actual flow rate is too high
Q	Frequency Output Over	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The frequency output is 120% over • Improper settings for frequency output. • The actual flow rate is too high. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ignore if frequency output is not used • Check the values entered in menu window M35 • Use a larger value in M35 if needed • Confirm if the actual flow rate is too high
F	System RAM Error Date Time Error CPU or IRQ Error ROM Parity Error	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Temporary problems with RAM, RTC • Permanent problems with hardware 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reboot the system • Refer to Table 6.1, and contact the manufacturer
G	Adjusting Gain > s1 Adjusting Gain > s2 Adjusting Gain > s3 Adjusting Gain > s4	Instrument is in progress of adjusting the gain for the signal, and the number indicates the progressive steps.	No need for action
K	Empty Pipe	No liquid inside the pipe	If the pipe is not full, relocate the flowmeter to where the pipe is full of liquid.

6.3 Other Problems and Solutions

Q: Why does the instrument display 0.0000 flow rate while the liquid in the pipe is actually flowing? The signal strength, R, is in good range and the signal quality, Q, is a satisfactory value.

A: The problem is likely to be caused by an incorrect zero calibration. The user may have conducted the zero point set up while the flow was not at a complete standstill. To solve this problem, press keys C, 1 to enter window C10 and follow the directions given.

Q: Why is the displayed flow rate much lower or much higher than the actual flow rate in the pipe despite being under normal working conditions?

A: There are three possible explanations for this error:

1. The entered offset value may be incorrect. Enter "0" offset in window S44. Please see Section 4.11 for more information on changing the scale factor.
2. Incorrect transducer installation. Re-install the transducers carefully.
3. The zero calibration was set wrong. Press keys C, 1 to enter window C10 and redo the zero calibration setup. The flow inside the pipe needs to be at a standstill. This menu can be accessed as follows: CAL → Zero Cal

Q: Why is there no signal even when the installation requirements are met, pipe is new, and pipe material is in good quality?

A: Check the following:

- Is the installation method suitable for the pipe size?
- Is the entered installation parameters correct?
- Is the wiring correct?
- Is there adequate couplant? Are the transducers in good contact with the pipe?
- Is the pipe full?
- Is the distance between the transducers true to the value shown in window S43? Accessed as follows:
- This should be the same figure from the set-up process, which was accessed on Step 5 under the Quick Start menu window (S1, Step 5).

SET → SetTransducer → Mount Space (S43)

- Are the transducers facing in the right direction?

Q: If the pipe in use is heavily scaled inside, and/or poor or no signal is detected, is it possible to conduct a measurement? Are there options for conducting a measurement on an old pipe?

A: Follow the instructions below:

- Check if the pipe is filled with liquid.
- Try the direct method. If the pipe is close to a wall, and it is hard to do the direct method installation, the user may use an inclined pipe or even vertical pipe with an upward flow direction.
- Carefully select a good pipe section and fully polish/clean the installation area of the pipe surface. Apply a wide band of couplant on each transducer face. Install the transducers properly. See Section 3 for more details on proper transducer installation.
- Slowly and carefully move each transducer with respect to each other around the installation point until the maximum signal is found. Be sure that the new installation location is free of scales inside the pipe and that the pipe is properly rounded (not distorted). This way, the sound waves will not bounce outside of the intended area.
- For pipe with a thick scale inside or outside, try to clean the scale off – if accessible from the inside. **Note: This method is not always successful. Therefore, in that case, adequate sound wave transmission is not possible due to the layer of scale between the transducers and inside pipe wall. **

Q: Can the flowmeter work normally for a few years without stop under harsh environment where power supply voltage varies widely?

A: Yes, the AUF flow meter employs intelligent signal processing algorithms to handle strong interference coming from either power lines or radiation. It also automatically adjusts itself to the optimal operation status when sound wave strength varies due to a changing environment.

7.0 Communication

7.1 General

The AUF uses a standard RS485/Modbus communication interface for access to a variety of parameters and measurement results. It can be connected to a Modbus master such as a PLC directly. Just connect the Tx and Rx terminals of the flowmeter to the Rx and Tx terminals of the PLC device, respectively. You need to also make sure to set the flow meter serial port settings such as Baud rate the same as that of your PLC. Please go to Menu->System->Communication window to change the serial port settings if needed.

If your flowmeter comes with a RS485-BACnet/MSTP adapter, you may not need to change any COM port settings in the flowmeter because they should have been already set. You just need to make sure the Baud rate on the BACnet/MSTP adapter matches that on your BACnet/MSTP master. The Baud rate of the BACnet/MSTP adapter can be modified by the DIP switches on the adapter.

If you want to connect to your computer which does not have RS485 bus, you need to use a RS485 to USB adapter. Please refer to the next section for details.

7.2 Connect the Flowmeter to a PC

You can connect the flowmeter to your PC through a RS485-USB adapter. First, you need to install the driver for the RS485-USB adapter. The driver should be on the CD that comes with the RS485-USB adapter, or, it can be downloaded from the manufacturer's website.

Connect the Tx and Rx terminals of the RS485-USB adapter to the Rx and Tx terminals of the flowmeter. Then, plug the adapter USB into the computer USB port. The computer should detect the adapter automatically and assign a virtual COM port for this adapter.

At this point, you should be able to run Modbus software such as MODSCAN (free software) to get information from the flowmeter.

7.3 Check the Flowmeter COM Port Settings

Go to menu window M53 to check the COM port settings on your flow meter. Baud rate is displayed under 1. Port Config. Write down the baud rate. It is needed later in order to set up the computer's COM port. If you want to change the baud rate, press ENT key while in the Port Config window and select the proper baud rate. Press ENT key again to confirm the change.

M53: COMM

1. Port Config
2. Protocol
3. Monitor

7.4 Set Up PC Software

Any PC software that supports standard Modbus protocol can be used. You may also make your own software to communicate with the flowmeter by using the protocol described in the following section.

If you purchased Armstrong VERIS Flow Measurement Group PC software, you would need to install this software now. After completion of the installation, launch the software, select the COM port which corresponds to the RS485-USB adapter, make the COM port settings the same as those in the flowmeter, then, click the Connect button on the StufManager software. The software will start to communicate with the flowmeter and get basic information from the flowmeter. The rest of the software is self-explanatory.

7.5 Communication Protocol

The protocol is comprised of a set of basic commands that are strings in ASCII format, ending with a carriage (CR) and line feed (LF). Commonly used commands are listed in the following table.

Command	Function	Data Format
DQD(CR)	Return flow rate per day	±d.dddddE±dd (CR) (LF)*
DQH(CR)	Return flow rate per hour	±d.dddddE±dd (CR) (LF)
DQM(CR)	Return flow rate per minute	±d.dddddE±dd (CR) (LF)
DQS(CR)	Return flow rate per second	±d.dddddE±dd (CR) (LF)
DV(CR)	Return instantaneous flow velocity	±d.dddddE±dd (CR) (LF)
DI+(CR)	Return POS totalizer	±dddddE±d (CR) (LF)**
DI-(CR)	Return NEG totalizer	±dddddE±d (CR) (LF)
DIN(CR)	Return NET totalizer	±dddddE±d (CR) (LF)
DID(CR)	Return Identification Number (IDN)	ddddd (CR) (LF)
DL(CR)	Return signal strength and signal quality	S=ddd,ddd Q=dd (CR)(LF)
DT(CR)	Return the current date and time	yy-mm-ddhh:mm:ss (CR)(LF)
M@(CR)***	Send a key value as if a key is pressed	
LCD(CR)	Return the current display contents	
F0ddd(CR)	Force the FO output to output a frequency of dddd Hz	
ESN(CR)	Return the ESN of the flowmeter	Ddddddd (CR)(LF)
RING(CR)	Handshaking Request from a MODEM	
OK(CR)	Acknowledgment from a MODEM	No action
GA	Command for GSM messaging	Please contact the manufacturer for detail
GB	Command for GSM messaging	
GC	Command for GSM messaging	
DUMP(CR)	Return the print buffer content	In ASCII string format
DUMP0(CR)	Clear the whole print buffer	In ASCII string format
DUMP1(CR)	Return the whole print buffer content	In ASCII string Format, 24KB in length
W	Prefix of an IDN-addressing- based networking command. The IDN address is a word, ranging 0-65534.	
N	Prefix of an IDN-addressing- based networking command. The IDN address here is a single byte value, ranging 00- 255.	Not recommend for use.
P	Prefix of any command with checksum	
&	Command binder to make a longer command by combining up to 6 commands	

Notes * CR stands for Carriage Return and LF for Line Feed.

** “d” stands for a digit number of 0~9.

*** @ stands for the key value, e.g., 30H for the value of ASCII key “0”.

7.6 Protocol Prefix Usage

1. Prefix P

The prefix P can be added before any command in the above table to have the returning data followed with two bytes of CRC check sum, which is the adding sum of the original character string.

Take the Return POS Totalizer Value command, DI+(CR), as an example. Assume that DI+(CR) would return +1234567E+0m3(CR)(LF) (the string in hexadecimal is 2BH, 31H, 32H, 33H, 34H, 35H, 36H, 37H, 45H, 2BH, 30H, 6DH, 33H, 20H, 0DH, 0AH), then PDI(CR) would return +1234567E+0m3!F7(CR)(LF). The '!' acts as the starter of the check sum (F7) which is obtained by adding up the string 2BH, 31H, 32H, 33H, 34H, 35H, 36H, 37H, 45H, 2BH, 30H, 6DH, 33H, 20H.

Please note that it is allowed to not have data entry or to have SPACES (20H) character before the '!' character.

2. Prefix W

The prefix W is used for networking commands. The format of a networking command is: W + IDN address string + basic command.

The IDN address should have a value between 0 and 65534, except 13(0DH), 10 (0AH), 42(2AH,*), 38(26H, &).

For example, if we want to visit the instantaneous flow velocity of device IDN=12345, the following command should be sent to this device: W12345DV(CR). The corresponding binary code is 57H, 31H, 32H, 33H, 34H, 35H, 44H, 56H, 0DH.

3. Prefix N

The prefix N is a single byte IDN network address, not recommended in a new design.

4. Command Binder &

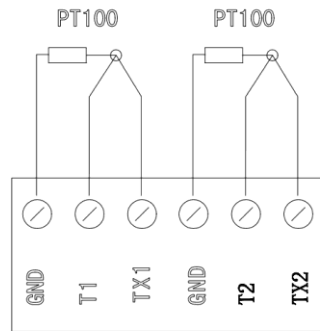
The & command binder or connector can connect up to 6 basic commands to form a longer command so that it will make the programming much easier. For example, assume we want device IDN=4321 to return the flow rate, velocity and POS totalizer value simultaneously. The combined command would be W4321DQD&DV&DI+(CR), and the result would be: +1234567E+0m3(CR)

8.0 Thermal Energy Measurement

8.1 Introduction

When the BTU Measurement option is selected, the AUF flowmeter will be equipped with a thermal energy measurement module and a pair of PT100 RTD sensors.

The two temperature channels designed for thermal measurement function are wired to terminal block pins TX1, T1, TX2, T2 and GND. They can work with a 3-wire PT100 sensor without any extra parts. The wiring diagram is shown in the figure below. The temperature and thermal energy values can be viewed in the local LCD by using the browsing key. You may also view the data from an auxiliary interface.



8.2 Thermal Energy Measurement

There are two methods for thermal energy calculation:

$$(1) Q_t = Q \times (T_2 - T_1) \times C_t,$$

$$(2) Q_t = Q \times (TC_2 - TC_1)$$

Where Q_t is the thermal energy (or caloric) consumed, Q is the flow rate, T_1 and T_2 are the temperature at supply and return points, respectively. C_t is the specific heat (or the thermal capacity coefficient) of the fluid, which can be entered in menu M64. For water, it is normally about 0.0041868GJ/m³°C. TC_1 and TC_2 are the thermal capacities corresponding to temperature T_1 and T_2 , which are calculated by the flowmeter according to international standards and displayed in the main interface.

The following menu windows are used when performing thermal energy measurement:

Menu window M3114: choose energy rate, the energy rate will show in the main interface. Press the button “up” or “down” to view the total energy and the two temperature measurement results

Menu window M39: display the values of input current AI3 and AI4 and their corresponding physical values.

Menu window M524: thermal unit selection.

KCAL/s - Kilocalories/second, GJ/s – Giga Joules/second

Menu window M563: temperature source selection: 0. temperature from input AI1 and AI2; 1. fixed difference. When selecting fixed difference, enter the difference in this menu.

Menu window M64: specific heat (or thermal capacity coefficient) input

Menu window M47: thermal totalizer on/off switch

Menu window M46: thermal totalizer multiplier factor

Menu window M45: thermal totalizer reset

Note that, if the fluid temperatures at both supply and return points are stable, you may choose not to use temperature transmitters. Instead, you can directly enter the temperature difference of the two points on menu window M63.

8.3 Calibration

The temperature measurement accuracy of the AUF, under the un-calibrated condition, is usually within the 1.0 °C range. That is, if the PT100 sensor was replaced, or if the temperature measurement devices were replaced, it will produce errors of about 1.0 °C.

In order to achieve the temperature measurement accuracy of 0.1 °C, the temperature measurement portion must be calibrated.

In general constant temperature baths are used for the calibration.

AUF uses two reference temperature points of 50 °C and 84.5 °C for the calibration.

Two constant temperature baths are set, one at 50 ± 0.05 °C, and the other at 84.5 ± 0.05 °C, use the following steps for the calibration:

1. Immerse the two PT100 sensors into the 50°C constant temperature bath.
2. Key in **【C】 【4】 【2】** for the “Temp Calibration” window, then press **【ENT】** and key in the Hardware Adjusting code **【4】 【2】 【1】 【3】 【0】 【6】 【8】 【ENT】** to start the hardware adjustments.
3. Key in **【C】 【4】 【2】 【1】** or the “50°C Cal” window, which will display the current un-calibrated T1 and T2 temperature values.
4. After the PT100 sensors have reached temperature stabilization (about 2 minutes), press the **【9】** key to confirm calibration at 50°C.
5. Now immerse the two PT100 sensors into the 84.5°C constant temperature bath.
6. Key in **【C】 【4】 【2】 【2】** for the “84.5°C Cal” window, which will display the current un-calibrated T1 and T2 temperature values.
7. After the PT100 sensors have reached temperature stabilization (about 2 minutes), press the **【9】** key to confirm calibration at 84.5°C.
8. The temperature measurement calibration portion is now complete; you may now test the calibration results.

During the above (4) or (7) steps, if the display window shows: “Temperature Error? Press [ENT] to continue”, this indicates either a problem with your reference temperature, or the temperature measurement circuit has a problem.

If constant temperature baths are not available, you may use decade resistor boxes to achieve the temperature calibration. For calibrating the reference temperature of 50 °C, you can connect two equivalent resistances of 119.397 ohms to the TX1, T1, TX2, T2, and GND terminals; likewise, for calibrating the reference temperature of 84.5 °C, the equivalent resistances will be 132.613 ohms.

If constant temperature baths and decade resistor boxes are not available, the EF40 has a dual-channel PT100 sensors zero-set point function; this is to correct the dual-channel’s temperature sensors’ matching errors. In order to match the full scale range of zero, EF40 has two zero set points for both the low and high temperatures. “Low Temp Zero-Set” is in menu C423, “High Temp Zero Set” is in menu C424.

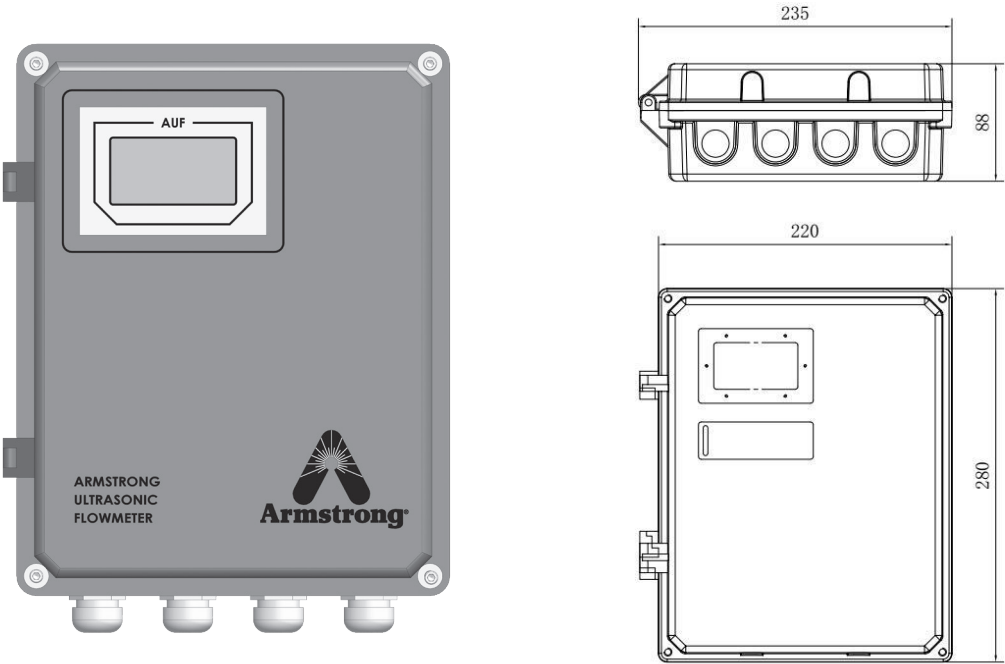
When setting the temperature zero set points, it is best that the two PT100 sensors be immersed into sufficient amount of water until they have reached temperature stabilization, and then go to menu C423 or C424 to set their respective zero set points. Please note that the temperature for setting the “Low Temp Zero-Set” cannot exceed 40°C, and the temperature of the “High Temp Zero Set” must be at least 55 °C.

Setting the temperature zero set points is only for correcting the initial two temperature sensors’ inherited “zero” offsets. The best way is still to use constant temperature baths for the temperature calibration.

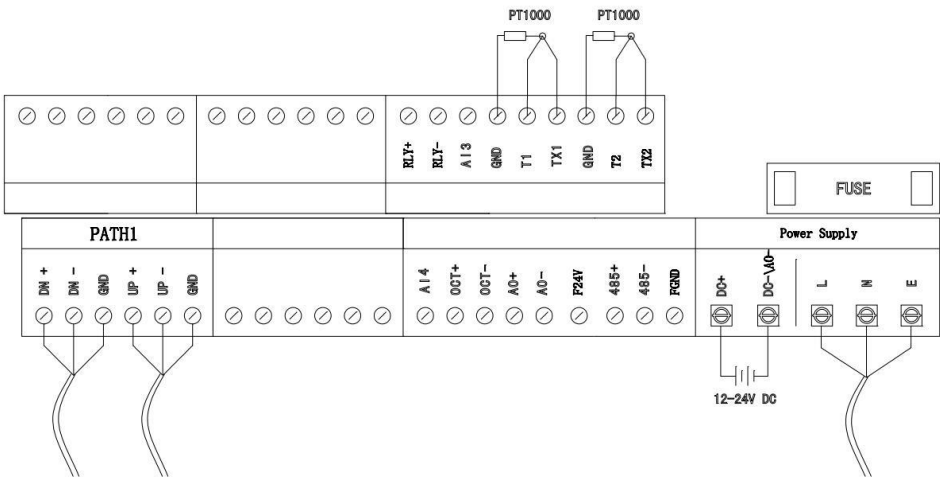
9.0 Appendix

9.1 Wiring Diagram and Outline Drawings

Main Unit Outline Drawings



Wiring Terminal Block



AUF Startup

Open the main unit cover using the 5mm hex wrench (4 screws).

Wire the power supply cable and the transducer cables according the above wiring diagram. After wiring is done, close the enclosure cover. Note, you can wire only one power source, either 24VDC or 90-260VAC. (Note: The meter comes pre-wired in most cases.)

Connect to and turn on the power supply. The meter will start immediately. It goes through a self-checking process to make sure everything is working properly. After a few seconds, the main unit will enter into the normal working status.

Sample Screen Without Transducer Installed On The Pipe



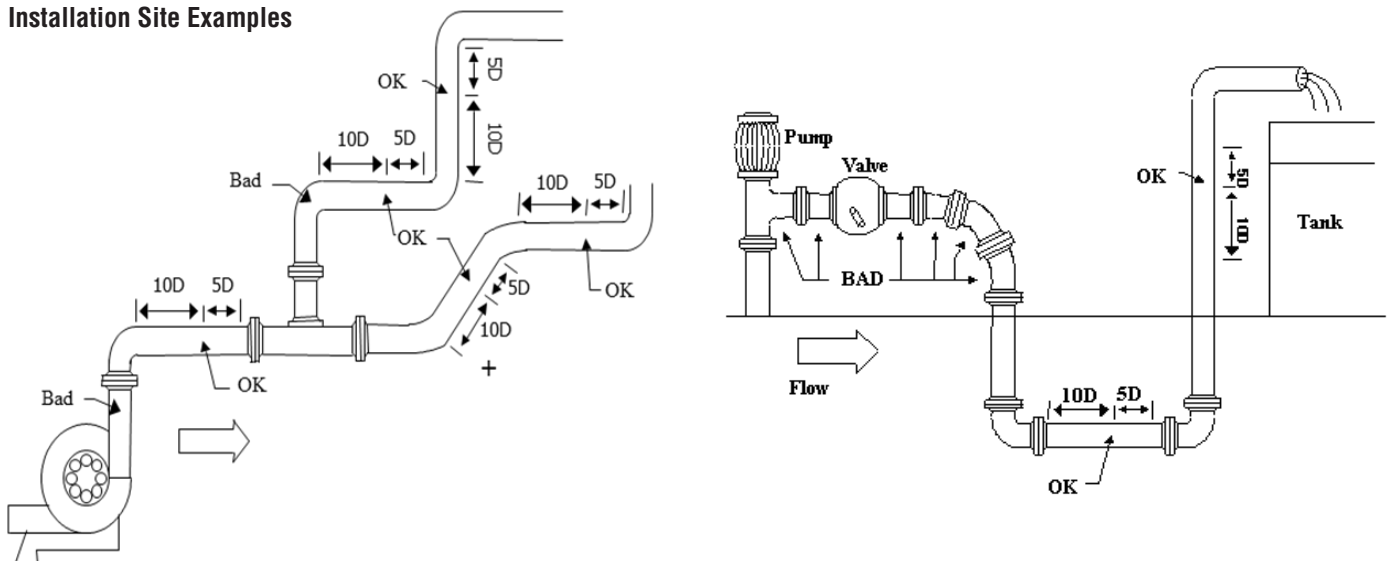
9.2 Transducer Installation Guide

9.2.A Find the mounting site

1. Pipe must be full of liquid at the measurement site.
2. No heavy corrosion or deposition inside the pipe.
3. Must be a safe location.
4. The straight run of the pipe must not be shorter than 15D as a general guideline, where D is the pipe diameter. Insufficient straight pipe length will degrade the accuracy of the results.
5. The transducer mounting site should be 10D straight run upstream and 5D straight run downstream.
6. If there are flow disturbing parts such as pumps, valves, etc. on the upstream, the straight pipe length should be increased. The disturbance strength of those flow conducting parts will be (from low to high):

Single Bend → Pipe Reduction / Enlargement → Outflow Tee → Same Plane Multiple Bends → Inflow Tee → Out of Plane Multiple Bends → Valve → Pump

Installation Site Examples

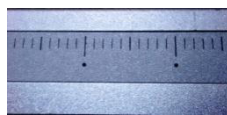
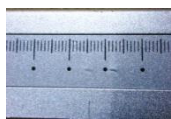
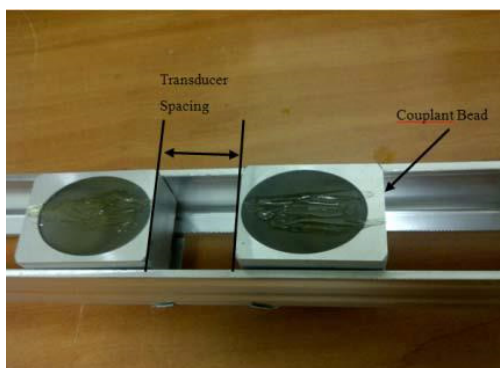


9.2.B Prepare the Pipe Surface

Clean the pipe surface where the transducers will be mounted. Remove rust and paint. Sand the surface if not smooth. Use a wet cloth to wipe off the powder after sanding. Dry up the surface. A dry, clean surface will ensure a good acoustic bond between the transducer and the pipe.

9.2.C Prepare the Transducer

Clean the transducer surface. Keep the surface dry. Put couplant on transducer surface as shown in the figure on the right. Do not put more couplant than needed, especially for small pipes.

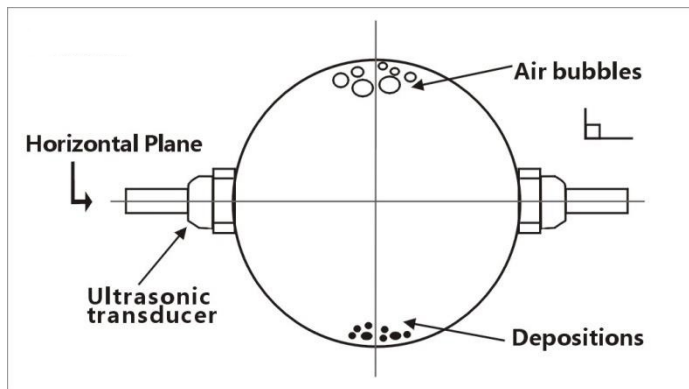


Note: Some transducers have a mm ruler on one side and a inches ruler on the opposite side to help set spacing.

9.2.D Install the Transducers

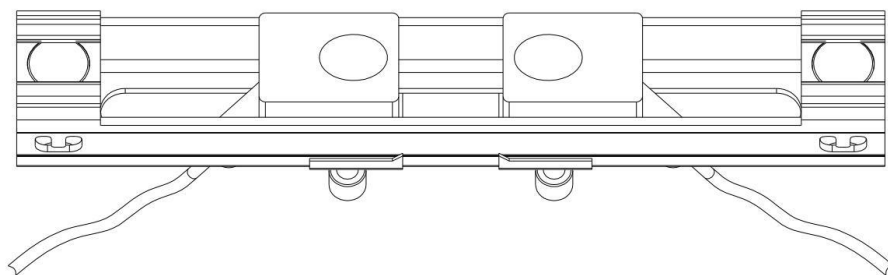
For horizontal pipe lines, it is recommended to install the transducers on the side instead of on the top or bottom of the pipe. This is to avoid air bubbles on the top and sediments on the bottom of the pipe.

Direct Method



AS Transducer:

- Connect the transducer cables to the main unit.
- Move the transducer pair apart so that the mounting spacing between the two transducers is equal to the one shown in window S43
- Apply a small amount of couplant in the prepared area of the pipe where transducers will be in contact.
- Align the transducer mounting rack with the pipe axis.
- Release the transducer rack if magnetic force takes effect.
- If the pipe material is non-metal, push the transducer handle against the pipe and hold it during the measurement. Clamps or metal strips may be used to mount the rack.



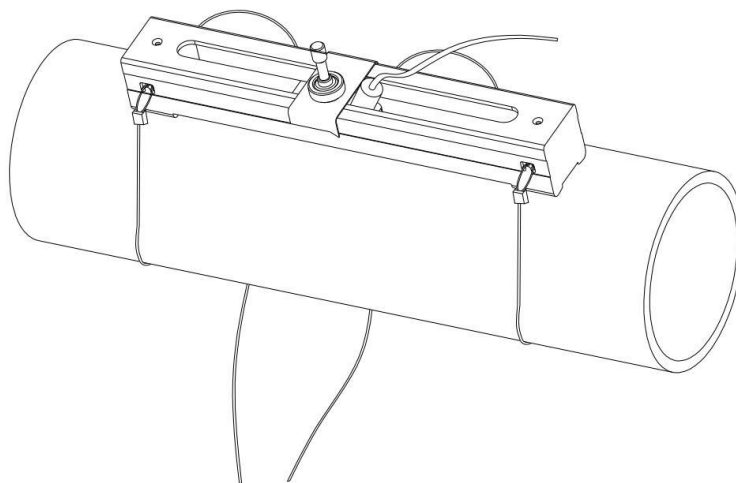
For pipe size 1"~1.5" metal pipe, we recommend a damping material to be used around the pipe surface, such as "Grace Ice and Water Shield".

(Note: The cables are labeled Up and Down for Upstream and Downstream, see Section 1.9 for wiring and flow).

If wrapping acoustic damping material is not an option, try to put some acoustic couplant around the pipe to absorb the acoustic noise.

AM/AL Transducer:

Connect the transducer cables to the main unit. Move the transducer pair apart so that the mounting spacing between the two transducers is equal to the one shown in menu window S43. Then, follow the same steps as installing AS transducers, applying couplant as necessary.



9.3 Pipe Size Tables

Table A1: Standard copper tubes according ASTM B88.

Nominal Size (Inches)	Actual Outside Diameter (Inches)	Tolerance on Outside Diameter (Inches)			Wall Thickness (Inches)	
		Annealed	Drawn	Nominal	Tolerance	
Type K						
¾	7/8	0.875	0.003	0.001	0.065	0.006
1	1 1/8	1.125	0.004	0.002	0.065	0.006
1 ¼	1 3/8	1.375	0.004	0.002	0.065	0.006
1 ½	1 5/8	1.625	0.005	0.002	0.072	0.007
2	2 1/8	2.125	0.005	0.002	0.083	0.008
2 ½	2 5/8	2.625	0.005	0.002	0.095	0.010
3	3 1/8	3.125	0.005	0.002	0.109	0.011
3 ½	3 5/8	3.625	0.005	0.002	0.120	0.012
4	4 1/8	4.125	0.005	0.002	0.134	0.013
Type L						
¾	7/8	0.875	0.003	0.001	0.045	0.004
1	1 1/8	1.125	0.004	0.002	0.050	0.005
1 ¼	1 3/8	1.375	0.004	0.002	0.055	0.006
1 ½	1 5/8	1.625	0.005	0.002	0.060	0.006
2	2 1/8	2.215	0.005	0.002	0.070	0.007
2 ½	2 5/8	2.625	0.005	0.002	0.080	0.008
3	3 1/8	3.125	0.005	0.002	0.090	0.009
3 ½	3 5/8	3.625	0.005	0.002	0.100	0.010
4	4 1/8	4.125	0.005	0.002	0.114	0.011

Table A2: Standard ANSI Pipe Size Data for Carbon Steel and Stainless Steel Pipe

Nominal Pipe Size (in)	Outer Diameter (in)	Wall Thickness (in)	ANSI B 36.10	ANSI B 36.10	ANSI B 36.19
			Carbon Steel	Carbon Steel	Stainless Steel
			Wall Thickness	Schedule Number	Schedule Number
1/8	0.405	0.049	-	-	10S
		0.068	STD	40	40S
		0.095	XS	80	80S
1/4	0.540	0.065	-	-	10S
		0.088	STD	40	40S
		0.119	XS	80	80S
3/8	0.675	0.065	-	-	10S
		0.091	STD	40	40S
		0.126	XS	80	80S
1/2	0.840	0.065	-	-	5S
		0.083	-	-	10S
		0.109	STD	40	40S
		0.147	XS	80	80S
		0.187	-	160	-
		0.294	XXS	-	-

Table A2 (continued): Standard ANSI Pipe Size Data for Carbon Steel and Stainless Steel Pipe

Nominal Pipe Size (in)	Outer Diameter (in)	Wall Thickness (in)	ANSI B 36.10	ANSI B 36.10	ANSI B 36.19
			Carbon Steel	Carbon Steel	Stainless Steel
			Wall Thickness	Schedule Number	Schedule Number
3/4	1.050	0.065	-	-	5S
		0.083	-	-	10S
		0.113	STD	40	40S
		0.154	XS	80	80S
		0.218	-	160	-
		0.308	XXS	-	-
1	1.315	0.065	-	-	5S
		0.109	-	-	10S
		0.133	STD	40	40S
		0.179	XS	80	80S
		0.250	-	160	-
		0.358	XXS	-	-
1 1/4	1.660	0.065	-	-	5S
		0.109	-	-	10S
		0.140	STD	40	40S
		0.191	XS	80	80S
		0.250	-	160	-
		0.382	XXS	-	-
1 1/2	1.900	0.065	-	-	5S
		0.109	-	-	10S
		0.145	STD	40	40S
		0.200	XS	80	80S
		0.281	-	160	-
		0.400	XXS	-	-
2	2.375	0.065	—	—	5S
		0.109	—	—	10S
		0.154	STD	40	40S
		0.218	XS	80	80S
		0.344	—	160	—
		0.436	XXS	—	—

Table A2 (continued): Standard ANSI Pipe Size Data for Carbon Steel and Stainless Steel Pipe

Nominal Pipe Size (in)	Outer Diameter (in)	Wall Thickness (in)	ANSI B 36.10	ANSI B 36.10	ANSI B 36.19
			Carbon Steel	Carbon Steel	Stainless Steel
			Wall Thickness	Schedule Number	Schedule Number
2 1 / 2	2.875	0.083	—	—	5S
		0.120	—	—	10S
		0.203	STD	40	40S
		0.276	XS	80	80S
		0.375	—	160	—
		0.552	XXS	—	—
3	3.500	0.083	—	—	5S
		0.120	—	—	10S
		0.216	STD	40	40S
		0.300	XS	80	80S
		0.438	—	160	—
		0.600	XXS	—	—
3 1 / 2	4.000	0.083	-	—	5S
		0.120	-	—	10S
		0.226	STD	40	40S
		0.318	XS	80	80S
		0.636	XXS	—	—
4	4.500	0.083	-	—	5S
		0.120	-	—	10S
		0.237	STD	40	40S
		0.337	XS	80	80S
		0.438	-	120	—
		0.531	-	160	—
		0.674	XXS	—	—
5	5.536	0.109	-	—	5S
		0.134	-	—	10S
		0.258	STD	40	40S
		0.375	XS	80	80S
		0.500	-	120	—
		0.625	-	160	—
		0.750	XXS	—	—

Table A2 (continued): Standard ANSI Pipe Size Data for Carbon Steel and Stainless Steel Pipe

Nominal Pipe Size (in)	Outer Diameter (in)	Wall Thickness (in)	ANSI B 36.10	ANSI B 36.10	ANSI B 36.19
			Carbon Steel	Carbon Steel	Stainless Steel
			Wall Thickness	Schedule Number	Schedule Number
6	6.625	0.109	-	-	5S
		0.134	-	-	10S
		0.280	STD	40	40S
		0.432	XS	80	80S
		0.562	-	120	-
		0.719	-	160	-
		0.864	XXS	-	-
8	8.625	0.109	-	-	5S
		0.148	-	-	10S
		0.250	-	20	-
		0.277	-	30	-
		0.322	STD	40	40S
		0.406	-	60	-
		0.500	XS	80	80S
		0.594	-	100	-
		0.719	-	120	-
		0.812	-	140	-
		0.875	XXS	-	-
		0.906	-	160	-
10	10.750	0.134	-	-	5S
		0.165	-	-	10S
		0.250	-	20	-
		0.307	-	30	-
		0.365	STD	40	40S
		0.500	XS	60	80S
		0.594	-	80	-
		0.719	-	100	-
		0.844	-	120	-
		1.000	XXS	140	-

Table A2 (continued): Standard ANSI Pipe Size Data for Carbon Steel and Stainless Steel Pipe

Nominal Pipe Size (in)	Outer Diameter (in)	Wall Thickness (in)	ANSI B 36.10	ANSI B 36.10	ANSI B 36.19
			Carbon Steel	Carbon Steel	Stainless Steel
			Wall Thickness	Schedule Number	Schedule Number
12	12.750	0.156	-	-	5S
		0.180	-	-	10S
		0.250	-	20	-
		0.330	-	30	-
		0.375	STD	-	40S
		0.406	-	40	-
		0.500	XS	-	80S
		0.562	-	60	-
		0.688	-	80	-
		0.844	-	100	-
		1.000	XXS	120	-
		1.125	-	140	-
		1.312	-	160	-
14	14.000	0.156	-	-	5S
		0.188	-	-	10S
		0.250	-	10	-
		0.312	-	20	-
		0.375	STD	30	-
		0.438	-	40	-
		0.500	XS	-	-
		0.594	-	60	-
		0.625	XXS	-	-
		0.750	-	80	-
		0.938	-	100	-
		1.094	-	120	-
		1.250	-	140	-
		1.406	-	160	-

Table A2 (continued): Standard ANSI Pipe Size Data for Carbon Steel and Stainless Steel Pipe

Nominal Pipe Size (in)	Outer Diameter (in)	Wall Thickness (in)	ANSI B 36.10	ANSI B 36.10	ANSI B 36.19
			Carbon Steel	Carbon Steel	Stainless Steel
			Wall Thickness	Schedule Number	Schedule Number
16	16.000	0.165	-	-	5S
		0.188	-	-	10S
		0.250	-	10	-
		0.312	-	20	-
		0.375	STD	30	-
		0.500	XS	40	-
		0.656	-	60	-
		0.844	-	80	-
		1.031	-	100	-
		1.219	-	120	-
		1.439	-	140	-
		1.549-	-	160	-
18	18.000	0.165	-	-	5S
		0.188	-	-	10S
		0.250	-	10	-
		0.312	-	20	-
		0.375	STD	-	-
		0.438	-	30	-
		0.500	XS	-	-
		0.562	-	40	-
		0.750	-	60	-
		0.938	-	80	-
		1.156	-	100	-
		1.375	-	120	-
		1.562	-	140	-
		1.781	-	160	-

Table A2 (continued): Standard ANSI Pipe Size Data for Carbon Steel and Stainless Steel Pipe

Nominal Pipe Size (in)	Outer Diameter (in)	Wall Thickness (in)	ANSI B 36.10	ANSI B 36.10	ANSI B 36.19
			Carbon Steel	Carbon Steel	Stainless Steel
			Wall Thickness	Schedule Number	Schedule Number
20	20.000	0.188	-	-	5S
		0.218	-	-	10S
		0.250	-	10	-
		0.375	STD	20	-
		0.500	XS	30	-
		0.594	-	40	-
		0.812	-	60	-
		1.031	-	80	-
		1.281	-	100	-
		1.500	-	120	-
		1.750	-	140	-
		1.969	-	160	-
22	22.000	0.188	-	-	5S
		0.218	-	-	10S
		0.250	-	10	-
		0.375	STD	20	-
		0.500	-	40	-
		0.875	-	60	-
		1.125	-	80	-
		1.375	-	100	-
		1.625	-	120	-
		1.875	-	140	-
		2.215	-	160	-

Table A2 (continued): Standard ANSI Pipe Size Data for Carbon Steel and Stainless Steel Pipe

Nominal Pipe Size (in)	Outer Diameter (in)	Wall Thickness (in)	ANSI B 36.10	ANSI B 36.10	ANSI B 36.19
			Carbon Steel	Carbon Steel	Stainless Steel
			Wall Thickness	Schedule Number	Schedule Number
24	24.000	0.218	-	-	5S
		0.250	-	-	10S
		0.375	-	10	-
		0.500	STD	20	-
		0.562	XS	-	-
		0.688	-	30	-
		0.969	-	60	-
		1.219	-	80	-
		1.531	-	100	-
		1.812	-	120	-
		2.062	-	140	-
		2.344	-	160	-
26	26.000	0.312	-	10	
		0.375	STD	-	
		0.500	XS	20	
28	28.000	0.312	-	10	
		0.375	STD	-	
		0.500	XS	20	
		0.625	-	30	
30	30.000	0.250	-	-	5S
		0.312	-	10	10S
		0.375	STD	-	-
		0.500	XS	20	-
		0.625	-	30	-
		0.750	-	40	-

Table A2 (continued): Standard ANSI Pipe Size Data for Carbon Steel and Stainless Steel Pipe

Nominal Pipe Size (in)	Outer Diameter (in)	Wall Thickness (in)	ANSI B 36.10	ANSI B 36.10	ANSI B 36.19
			Carbon Steel	Carbon Steel	Stainless Steel
			Wall Thickness	Schedule Number	Schedule Number
32	32.000	0.312	-	10	-
		0.375	STD	-	-
		0.500	XS	20	-
		0.625	-	30	-
		0.688	-	40	-
34	34.000	0.344	-	10	10S
		0.375	STD	-	-
		0.500	XS	20	-
		0.625	-	30	-
		0.688	-	40	-
36	36.000	0.312	-	10	10S
		0.375	STD	-	-
		0.500	XS	20	-
		0.625	-	30	-
		0.750	-	40	-
42	42.000	0.375	STD	-	-
		0.500	XS	20	-
		0.625	-	30	-
		0.750	-	40	-
48	48.000	0.375	STD	-	-
		0.500	XS	-	-

Table A3: Standard Classes of Cast Iron Pipe

Nominal Pipe Size (in.)	Class A		Class B		Class C		Class D	
	Outer Diameter (in.)	Wall Thickness (in.)	Outer Diameter (in.)	Wall Thickness (in.)	Outer Diameter (in.)	Wall Thickness (in.)	Outer Diameter (in.)	Wall Thickness (in.)
3	3.80	0.39	3.96	0.42	3.96	0.45	3.96	0.48
4	4.80	0.42	5.00	0.45	5.00	0.48	5.00	0.52
6	6.90	0.44	7.10	0.48	7.10	0.51	7.10	0.55
8	9.05	0.46	9.05	0.51	9.30	0.56	9.30	0.60
10	11.10	0.50	11.10	0.57	11.40	0.62	11.40	0.68
12	13.20	0.54	13.20	0.62	13.50	0.68	13.50	0.75
14	15.30	0.57	15.30	0.66	15.65	0.74	15.65	0.82
16	7.40	0.60	17.40	0.70	17.80	0.80	17.80	0.89
18	19.50	0.64	19.50	0.75	19.92	0.87	19.92	0.96
20	21.60	0.67	21.60	0.80	22.06	0.92	22.06	1.03
24	25.80	0.76	25.80	0.89	26.32	1.05	26.32	1.16
30	31.74	0.88	32.00	1.03	32.40	1.20	32.74	1.37
32	37.96	0.99	38.30	1.15	38.70	1.36	39.16	1.58
42	44.20	1.10	44.50	1.28	45.10	1.54	45.58	1.78
48	50.50	1.26	50.80	1.42	51.40	1.71	51.98	1.99
54	56.66	1.35	57.10	1.55	57.80	1.90	58.40	2.23
60	62.80	1.39	63.40	1.67	64.20	2.00	64.82	2.38
72	75.34	1.62	76.00	1.95	76.88	2.39		
84	87.54	1.72	88.54	2.22				

Table A3 (continued): Standard Classes of Cast Iron Pipe

Nominal Pipe Size (in.)	Class E		Class F		Class G		Class H	
	Outer Diameter (in.)	Wall Thickness (in.)	Outer Diameter (in.)	Wall Thickness (in.)	Outer Diameter (in.)	Wall Thickness (in.)	Outer Diameter (in.)	Wall Thickness (in.)
3								
4								
6	7.22	0.58	7.22	0.61	7.38	0.65	7.38	0.69
8	9.42	0.66	9.42	0.66	9.60	0.75	9.60	0.80
10	11.60	0.74	11.60	0.80	11.84	0.86	11.84	0.92
12	13.78	0.82	13.78	0.89	14.08	0.97	14.08	1.04
14	15.98	0.90	15.98	0.99	16.32	1.07	16.32	1.16
16	18.16	0.90	18.16	1.08	18.54	1.18	18.54	1.27
18	20.34	1.07	20.34	1.17	20.78	1.28	20.78	1.39
20	22.54	1.15	22.54	1.27	23.02	1.39	23.02	1.51
24	26.90	1.31	26.90	1.45	27.76	1.75	27.76	1.88
30	33.10	1.55	33.46	1.73				
32	39.60	1.80	40.04	2.02				
42								
48								
54								
60								
72								
84								

Table A4: Standard Classes of Ductile Iron Pipe

Nominal Pipe Size (in)	Outer Diameter (in)	Pipe Wall Thickness (in)						
		Class 50	Class 51	Class 52	Class 53	Class 54	Class 55	Class 56
3	3.96		0.25	0.28	0.31	0.43	0.37	0.40
4	4.80		0.26	0.29	0.32	0.35	0.38	0.41
6	6.90	0.25	0.28	0.31	0.34	0.37	0.40	0.43
8	9.05	0.27	0.30	0.33	0.36	0.39	0.42	0.45
10	11.10	0.29	0.32	0.35	0.38	0.44	0.47	
12	13.20	0.31	0.34	0.37	0.40	0.43	0.46	0.49
14	15.30	0.33	0.36	0.39	0.42	0.45	0.48	0.51
16	17.40	0.34	0.37	0.40	0.43	0.46	0.49	0.52
18	19.50	0.35	0.38	0.41	0.44	0.47	0.50	0.53
20	21.60	0.36	0.39	0.42	0.45	0.48	0.51	0.54
24	25.80	0.38	0.41	0.44	0.47	0.50	0.53	0.56
30	32.00				0.51	0.55	0.59	0.63
32	38.30				0.58	0.63	0.68	0.73
42	44.50				0.65	0.71	0.77	0.83
48	50.80				0.72	0.79	0.86	0.93
54	57.10				0.81	0.89	0.97	1.05

10.4 Sound Speed Tables

Table A5: Sound Speed Data of Solids

Material	Sound Speed Shear Wave (25 °C)		Sound Speed Long. Wave (25°C)	
	m/s	ft/s	mm/us	in/us
Steel, 1% Carbon, hardened	3,150	10,335	5.88	0.2315
Carbon Steel	3,230	10,598	5.89	0.2319
Mild Steel	3,235	10,614	5.89	0.2319
Steel, 1% Carbon	3,220	10,565		
302 Stainless Steel	3,120	10,236	5.690	0.224
303 Stainless Steel	3,120	10,236	5.640	0.222
304 Stainless Steel	3,141	10,306	5.920	0.233
304L Stainless Steel	3,070	10,073	5.790	0.228
316 Stainless Steel	3,272	10,735	5.720	0.225
347 Stainless Steel	3,095	10,512	5.720	0.225
Aluminum	3,100	10,171	6.32	0.2488
Aluminum (rolled)	3,040	9,974		
Copper	2,260	7,415	4.66	0.1835
Copper (annealed)	2,235	7,628		
Copper (rolled)	2,270	7,448		
CuNi (70%Cu 30%Ni)	2,540	8,334	5.03	0.1980
CuNi (90%Cu 10%Ni)	2,060	6,759	4.01	0.1579
Brass (Naval)	2,120	6,923	4.43	0.1744
Gold (hard-drawn)	1,200	3,937	3.24	0.1276
Inconel	3,020	9,909	5.82	0.2291
Iron (electrolytic)	3,240	10,630	5.90	0.2323

Table A5 (continued): Sound Speeds in Solids

Material	Sound Speed* Shear Wave (25°C)		Sound Speed* Long Wave (25°C)	
	m/s	ft/s	mm/us	in/us
Iron (Armco)	3,240	10,630	5.90	0.2323
Ductile Iron	3,000	9,843		
Cast Iron	2,500	8,203	4.55	0.1791
Monel	2,720	8,924	5.35	0.2106
Nickel	2,960	9,712	5.63	0.2217
Tin,rolled	1,670	5,479	3.32	0.1307
Titanium	3,125	10,253	6.10	0.2402
Tungsten,annealed	2,890	9,482	5.18	0.2039
Tungsten,drawn	2,640	8,661		
Tungsten,carbide	3,980	13,058		
Zinc,rolled	2,440	8,005	4.17	0.1642
Glass,Pyrex	3,280	10,761	5.61	0.2209
Glass,heavy silicate flint	2,380	7,808		
Glass,light borate crown	2,840	9,318	5.26	0.2071
Nylon	1,150	3,772	2.40	0.0945
Nylon,6-6	1,070	3,510		
Polyethylene (LD)			2.31	0.0909
Polyethylene (LD)	540	1,772	1.94	0.0764
PVC,CPVC	1,060	3,477	2.40	0.0945
Acrylic	1,430	4,690	2.73	0.1075
Asbestos Cement			2.20	0.0866
Tar Epoxy			2.00	0.0787
Mortar			2.50	0.0984
Rubber			1.90	0.00748

Table A6: Sound Speed in Water at atmosphere pressure. Unit: t (°C) v (m/s)

t	v	t	v	t	v	t	v
0	1402.3	25	1496.6	50	1542.5	75	1555.1
1	1407.3	26	1499.2	51	1543.5	76	1555.0
2	1412.2	27	1501.8	52	1544.6	77	1554.9
3	1416.9	28	1504.3	53	1545.5	78	1554.8
4	1421.6	29	1506.7	54	1546.4	79	1554.6
5	1426.1	30	1509.0	55	1547.3	80	1554.4
6	1430.5	31	1511.3	56	1548.1	81	1554.2
7	1434.8	32	1513.5	57	1548.9	82	1553.9
8	1439.1	33	1515.7	58	1549.6	83	1553.6
9	1443.2	34	1517.7	59	1550.3	84	1553.2
10	1447.2	35	1519.7	60	1550.9	85	1552.8
11	1451.1	36	1521.7	61	1551.5	86	1552.4
12	1454.9	37	1523.5	62	1552.0	87	1552.0
13	1458.7	38	1525.3	63	1552.5	88	1551.5
14	1462.3	39	1527.1	64	1553.0	89	1551.0
15	1465.8	40	1528.8	65	1553.4	90	1550.4
16	1469.3	41	1530.4	66	1553.7	91	1549.8
17	1472.7	42	1532.0	67	1554.0	92	1549.2
18	1476.0	43	1533.5	68	1554.3	93	1548.5
19	1479.1	44	1534.9	69	1554.5	94	1547.5
20	1482.3	45	1536.3	70	1554.7	95	1547.1
21	1485.3	46	1537.7	71	1554.9	96	1546.3
22	1488.2	47	1538.9	72	1555.0	97	1545.6
23	1491.1	48	1540.2	73	1555.0	98	1544.7
24	1493.9	49	1541.3	74	1555.1	99	1543.9

Table A7: Sound Speed of Liquids

Substance	Chemical Formula	All data given at 77°F (25°C) unless otherwise noted.					
		Specific Gravity	Sound Speed		$\Delta v/^\circ\text{C}$	Kinematic Viscosity $\times 10^{-6}$	
			m/s	ft/s		m ² /s	ft ² /s
Acetic anhydride(22)	(CH ₃ CO) ₂ O	1.082 (20°C)	1,180	3,871.4	2.5	0.769	8.274
Acetic acid, anhydride(22)	(CH ₃ CO) ₂ O	1.082 (20°C)	1,180	3,871.4	2.5	0.769	8.274
Acetic acid, nitrile	C ₂ H ₃ N	0.783	1,290	4,232.3	4.1	0.441	4.745
Acetic acid, ethyl ester(33)	C ₄ H ₈ O ₂	0.901	1,085	3,559.7	4.4	0.467	5.025
Acetic acid, methyl ester	C ₃ H ₆ O ₂	0.934	1,211	3,973.1		0.407	4.379
Acetone	C ₃ H ₆ O	0.791	1,174	3,851.7	4.5	0.399	4.293
Acetonitrile	C ₂ H ₃ N	0.783	1,290	4,232.3	4.1	0.441	4.745
Acetylacetone	C ₆ H ₁₀ O ₂	0.729	1,399	4,589.9	3.6		
Acetylen dichloride	C ₂ H ₂ CL ₂	1.26	1,015	3,330.1	3.8	0.400	4.304
Acetylen tetrabromide(47)	C ₂ H ₂ Br ₄	2.966	1,027	3,369.4			
Acetylen tetrachloride(47)	C ₂ H ₂ CL ₄	1.595	1,147	3,763.1		1.156 (15°C)	12.438 (59°F)
Alcohol	C ₂ H ₆ O	0.789	1,207	3,960	4.0	1.396	15.02
Alkazene-13	C ₁₅ H ₂₄	0.86	1,317	4,320.9	3.9		
Alkazene-25	C ₁₀ H ₁₂ CL ₂	1.20	1,307	4,288.1	3.4		
2-Amino-ethanol	C ₂ H ₇ NO	1.018	1,724	5,656.2	3.4		
2-Aminotolidine(46)	C ₇ H ₉ N	0.999 (20°C)	1,618	5,308.4		4.394 (20°C)	47.279 (68°F)
4-Aminotolidine(46)	C ₇ H ₉ N	0.999 (45°C)	1,480	4,855.6		1.863 (50°C)	20.045 (122°F)
Ammonia(35)	NH ₃	0.771	1,729 (-33°C)	5,672.6 (-27°F)	6.68	0.292 (-33°C)	3.141 (-27°F)
Amorphous Polyolefin		0.98	962.6 (190°C)	3158.2 (374°F)		26,600	286.000
t-Amyl alcohol	C ₅ H ₁₂ O	0.81	1,204	3,950.1		4.374	47.064
Aminobenzene(41)	C ₆ H ₅ NO ₂	1.022	1,639	5,377.3	4.0	3.63	39.058
Aniline(41)	C ₆ H ₅ NO ₂	1.022	1,639	5,377.3	4.0	3.63	39.058
Argon(45)	Ar	1.400 (-188°C)	853 (-188°C)	2798.6 (-306°F)			

Table A7 (continued): Sound Speed of Liquids

Substance	Chemical Formula	All data given at 77°F (25°C) unless otherwise noted.					
		Specific Gravity	Sound Speed		$\Delta v/^\circ\text{C}$ m/s/°C	Kinematic Viscosity $\times 10^{-6}$	
			m/s	ft/s		m ² /s	ft ² /s
Azine	C ₆ H ₅ N	0.982	1,415	4,642.4	4.1	0.992 (20°C)	10.673 (68°F)
Benzene(29,40,41)	C ₆ H ₆	0.879	1,306	4,284.8	4.65	0.711	7.65
Benzol(29,40,41)	C ₆ H ₆	0.879	1,306	4,284.8	4.65	0.711	7.65
Bromine(21)	Br ₂	2.928	889	2,916.7	3.0	0.323	3.475
Bromo-benzene(46)	C ₆ H ₅ Br	1.522	1,170 (20°C)	3,838.6 (68°F)		0.693	7.456
1-Bromo-butane(46)	C ₄ H ₉ Br	1.276 (20°C)	1,019 (20°C)	3,343.2 (68°F)		0.49 (15°C)	5.272 (59°F)
Bromo-ethane(46)	C ₂ H ₅ Br	1.460 (20°C)	900 (20°C)	2,952.8 (68°F)		0.275	2.959
Bromoform(46,47)	CHBr ₃	2.89 (20°C)	918	3,011.8	3.1	0.654	7.037
n-Butane(2)	C ₄ H ₁₀	0.601 (0°C)	1,085 (-5°C)	3,559.7 (23°F)	5.8		
2-Butanol	C ₄ H ₁₀ O	0.81	1,240	4,068.2	3.3	3.239	34.851
Sec-Butylalcohol	C ₄ H ₁₀ O	0.81	1,240	4,068.2	3.3	3.239	34.851
n-Butyl bromide(46)	C ₄ H ₉ Br	1.276 (20°C)	1,019 (20°C)	3,343.2 (68°F)		0.49 (15°C)	5.272 (59°F)
n-Butyl chloride(22,46)	C ₄ H ₉ CL	0.887	1,140	3,740.2	4.57	0.529 (15°C)	5.692 (59°F)
Tert Butyl chloride	C ₄ H ₉ CL	0.84	984	3,228.3	4.2	0.646	6.95
Butyl oleate	C ₂₂ H ₄₂ O ₂		1,404	4,606.3	3.0		
2,3 Butylene glycol	C ₄ H ₁₀ O ₂	1.019	1,484	4,808.8	1.51		
Cadmium(7)	CD		2,237.7 (400°C)	7,341.5 (752°F)		1.355cp (440°C)	14.579 (824°F)
Carbinol(40,41)	CH ₄ O	0.791 (20°C)	1,076	3,530.2	2.92	0.695	7.478
Carbitol	C ₆ H ₁₄ O ₃	0.988	1,458	4,783.5			
Carbon dioxide(26)	CO ₂	1.101 (-37°C)	839 (-37°C)	2,752.6 (-35°F)	7.71	0.137 (-37°C)	1.474 (-35°F)
Carbon disulphide	CS ₂	1.261 (22°C)	1,149	3,769.7		0.278	2.991

Table A7 (continued): Sound Speed of Liquids

Substance	Chemical Formula	All data given at 77°F (25°C) unless otherwise noted.					
		Specific Gravity	Sound Speed		$\Delta v/^\circ\text{C}$ m/s/°C	Kinematic Viscosity $\times 10^{-6}$	
			m/s	ft/s		m ² /s	ft ² /s
Carbon tetrachloride (33,35,47)	<chem>CCl4</chem>	1.595 (20°C)	929	3038.1	2.48	0.607	6.531
Carbon tetrafluoride(14) (Freon 14)	<chem>CF4</chem>	1.75 (-150°C)	875.2 (-150°C)	2,871.5 (-238°F)	6.61		
Cetane(23)	<chem>C16H34</chem>	0.773 (20°C)	1,338	4,389.8	3.71	4.32	46.483
Chloro-benezene	<chem>C6H5Cl</chem>	1.106	1,273	4,176.5	3.6	0.722	7.768
1-Chloro-butane(22,46)	<chem>C4H9Cl</chem>	0.887	1,140	3,740.2	4.57	0.529 (15°C)	5.692 (59°F)
Chloro-diFluoromethane (3)(Freon 22)	<chem>CHClF2</chem>	1.491 (-69°C)	893.9 (-50°C)	2,932.7 (-58°F)	4.79		
Chloroform(47)	<chem>CHCl3</chem>	1.489	979	3,211.9	3.4	0.55	5.918
1-Chloro-propane(47)	<chem>C3H7Cl</chem>	0.892	1,058	3,471.1		0.378	4.067
Chlorotrifluoromethane (5)	<chem>CCLF3</chem>		724 (-82°C)	2,375.3 (-116°F)	5.26		
Cinnamaldehyde	<chem>C9H8O</chem>	1.112	1,554	5,098.4	3.2		
Cinnamic aldehyde	<chem>C9H8O</chem>	1.112	1,554	5,098.4	3.2		
Colamine	<chem>C2H7NO</chem>	1.018	1,724	5,656.2	3.4		
o-Cresol(46)	<chem>C7H8O</chem>	1.047 (20°C)	1,541 (20°C)	5,055.8 (68°F)		4.29 (40°C)	46.16 (104°F)
m-Cresol(46)	<chem>C7H8O</chem>	1.034 (20°C)	1,500 (20°C)	4,923.1 (68°F)		5.979 (40°C)	64.334 (104°F)
Cyanomethane	<chem>C2H3N</chem>	0.783	1,290	4,232.3	4.1	0.441	4.745
Cyclohexane(15)	<chem>C6H12</chem>	0.779 (20°C)	1,248	4,094.5	5.41	1.31 (17°C)	14.095 (63°F)
Cyclohexanol	<chem>C6H12O</chem>	0.962	1,454	4,770.3	3.6	0.071 (17°C)	0.764 (63°F)
Cyclohexanone	<chem>C6H10O</chem>	0.948	1,423	4,668.6	4.0		
Decane(46)	<chem>C10H20</chem>	0.730	1,252	4,107.6		1.26 (20°C)	13.55 (68°F)
1-Decene(27)	<chem>C10H20</chem>	0.746	1,235	4,051.8	4.0		
n-Decene(27)	<chem>C10H20</chem>	0.746	1,235	4,051.8	4.0		
Diacetyl	<chem>C4H6O</chem>	0.99	1,236	4,055.1	4.6		

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			m/s	ft/s		m ² /s	ft ² /s
Diamylamine	C ₁₀ H ₂₃ N		1,256	4,120.7	3.9		8.5 (68°F)
1,2Dibromo-ethane(47)	C ₂ H ₄ Br ₂	2.18	995	3,264.4		0.79 (20°C)	
trans-1,2-Dibromoethene (47)	C ₂ H ₂ Br ₂	2.231	935	3,067.6			
Dibutylphthalate	C ₈ H ₂₂ O ₄		1,408	4,619.4			
Dichloro-t-butylalcohol	C ₄ H ₈ Cl ₂ O		1,304	4,278.2	3.8		
2,3Dichlorodioxane	C ₂ H ₆ Cl ₂ O ₂		1,391	4,563.6	3.7		
Dichlorodifluoromethane (3)(Freon12)	CCl ₂ F ₂	1.516 (40°C)	774.1	2,539.7	4.24		
1,2Dichloro ethane(47)	C ₂ H ₂ Cl ₂	1.253	1,193	3,914		0.61	6.563
cis1,2-Dichloro-ethene (3,47)	CHCl ₂ F	1.284	1,061	3,481			
trans1,2-Dichloro-ethene (3,47)	C ₄ Cl ₂ F ₆	1.257	1,010	3,313.6			
Dichloro-fluoromethane (3)(Freon21)	C ₄ H ₈ Cl ₂	1.426 (0°C)	891 (0°C)	2,923.2 (32°F)	3.97		
1-2-Dichlorohexafluoro-cyclobutane(47)	CClF ₂ -CClF ₂	1.654	669	2,914.9			
1-3-Dichloro-isobutane	C ₄ H ₁₀ O	1.14	1,220	4,002.6	3.4		
Dichloro methane(3)	C ₄ H ₁₀ O ₃	1.327	1,070	3,510.5	3.94	0.31	3.335
1,1-Dichloro-1,2,2,2 tetra fluoromethane	C ₆ H ₁₄ O ₃	1.455	665.3 (-10°C)	2,182.7 (14°F)	3.73		
Diethyl ether	C ₄ H ₉ NO	0.713	985	3,231.6	4.87	0.311	3.346
Diethylene glycol	C ₄ H ₈ (NF ₂) ₂	1.116	1,586	5,203.4	2.4		
Diethylene glycol Monoethyl ether	C ₄ H ₉ (NF ₂) ₂	0.988	1,458	4,783.5			
Diethylenimide oxide	C ₃ H ₆ (NF ₂) ₂	1.00	1,442	4,731	3.8		
1,2-bis(DiFluoramino) butane(43)	C ₁₀ H ₂₃ N	1.216	1,000	3,280.8			
1,2-bis(DiFluoramino)-2-methylpropane(43)	C ₂ H ₄ Br ₂	1.213	900	2,952.8			
1,2-bis(DiFluoramino) propane(43)	C ₂ H ₂ Br ₂	1.265	960	3,149.6			

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			m/s	ft/s		m ² /s	ft ² /s
2,2-bis(Difluoromino propane)(43)	$\text{C}_3\text{H}_6(\text{NF}_2)_2$	1.254	890	2920			
2,2-Dihydroxydiethyl ether	$\text{C}_4\text{H}_{10}\text{O}_3$	1.116	1,586	5,203.4	2.4		
Dihydroxyethane	$\text{C}_2\text{H}_6\text{O}_2$	1.113	1,658	5,439.6	2.1		
1,3-Dimethyl-benzene(46)	C_8H_{10}	0.868 (15°C)	1,343 (20°C)	4,406.2 (68°F)		0.749 (15°C)	8.059 (59°F)
1,2-Dimethyl-benzene (29,46)	C_8H_{10}	0.897 (20°C)	1,331.5	4,368.4	4.1	0.903 (20°C)	9.716 (68°F)
1,4-Dimethyl-benzene(46)	C_8H_{10}		1,334 (20°C)	4,376.6 (68°F)		0.662	7.123
2,2Dimethyl-butane (29,33)	C_6H_{14}	0.649 (20°C)	1,079	3,540			
Dimethyl ketone	$\text{C}_3\text{H}_6\text{O}$	0.791	1,174	3,851.7	4.5	0.399	4.293
Dimethylpentane(47)	C_7H_{16}	0.674	1,063	3,487.5			
Dimethylphthalate	$\text{C}_8\text{H}_{10}\text{O}_4$	1.2	1,463	4,799.9			
Diiodo-methane	CH_2I_2	3.235	980	3,215.2			
Dioxane	$\text{C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}_2$	1.033	1,376	4,514.4			
Dodecane(23)	$\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{26}$	0.749	1,279	4,196.2	3.85	1.80	19.368
1,2Ethanediol	$\text{C}_2\text{H}_6\text{O}_2$	1.113	1,658	5,439.6	2.1		
Ethanenitrile	$\text{C}_2\text{H}_3\text{N}$	0.783	1,290	4,232.3		0.441	4.745
Ethanoic anhydride(22)	$(\text{CH}_3\text{CO})_2\text{O}$	1.082	1,180	3,871.4		0.769	8.274
Ethanol	$\text{C}_2\text{H}_6\text{O}$	0.789	1,207	3,690	4.0	1.39	14.956
Ethanol amide	$\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{NO}$	1.018	1,338 (20°C)	5,656.2	3.4		
Ethoxyethane	$\text{C}_4\text{H}_{10}\text{O}$	0.713	900 (20°C)	3,231.6	4.87	0.311	3.346
Ethyl acetate(33)	$\text{C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}_2$	0.901	876 (20°C)	3,559.7	4.4	0.489	5.263
Ethyl alcohol	$\text{C}_2\text{H}_6\text{O}$	0.789	890	3,960	4.0	1.396	15.020
Ethyl benzene(46)	C_8H_{10}	0.867 (20°C)	1,586	4,389.8 (68°F)		0.797 (17°C)	8.575 (63°F)
Ethyl Bromide(46)	$\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{Br}$	1.456 (20°C)	1,658	2,952.8 (68°F)		0.275 (20°C)	2.959 (68°F)
Ethyl iodide(46)	$\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{I}$	1.950 (20°C)	1,343 (20°C)	2874 (68°F)		0.29	3.12

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			m/s	ft/s		m ² /s	ft ² /s
Ether	C ₄ H ₁₀ O	0.713	985	3231.6	4.87	0.311	3.346
Ethyl ether	C ₄ H ₁₀ O	0.713	985	3231.6	4.87	0.311	3.346
Ethylene bromide(47)	C ₂ H ₄ Br ₂	2.18	995	3264.4		0.79	8.5
Ethylene chloride(47)	C ₂ H ₄ Cl ₂	1.253	1,193	3914		0.61	6.563
Ethylene glycol	C ₂ H ₆ O ₂	1.113	1,658	5439.6	2.1	17.208 (20°C)	185.158 (68°F)
d-Fenochone	C ₁₀ H ₁₆ O	0.974	1,320	4330.7		0.22	2.367
d-2-Fenecanone	C ₁₀ H ₁₆ O	0.974	1,320	4330.7		0.22	2.367
Fluorine	F	0.545 (-143°C)	403 (-143°C)	1322.2 (-225°F)	11.31		
Fluoro-benzene(46)	C ₆ H ₅ F	1.024 (20°C)	1,189	3900.9		0.584 (20°C)	6.283 (68°F)
Formaldehyde, methylester	C ₂ H ₄ O ₂	0.974	1,127	3697.5	4.02		
Formamide	CH ₃ NO	1.134 (20°C)	1,622	5321.5	2.2	2.91	31.311
Formic acid, amide	CH ₃ NO	1.134 (20°C)	1,622	5321.5		2.91	31.311
Freon R12			774.2	2540			
Furfural	C ₅ H ₄ O ₂	1.157	1,444	4737.5	3.7		
Furfuryl alcohol	C ₅ H ₆ O ₂	1.135	1,450	4757.5	3.4		
Fural	C ₅ H ₄ O ₂	1.157	1,444	4737.5	3.7		
2-Furaldehyde	C ₅ H ₄ O ₂	1.157	1,444	4737.5	3.7		
2-Furancarboxaldehyde	C ₅ H ₄ O ₂	1.157	1,444	4737.5	3.7		
2-Furyl-Methanol	C ₅ H ₆ O ₂	1.135	1,450	4757.2	3.4		
GAllium	Ga	6.095	2,870 (30°C)	9416 (86°F)			
Glycerin	C ₃ H ₈ O ₃	1.26	1,904	6246.7	2.2	757.1	
Glycerol	C ₃ H ₈ O ₃	1.26	1,904	6246.7	2.2	757.1	
Glycol	C ₂ H ₆ O ₂	1.113	1658	5439.6	2.1		8,081.8 36
50%Glycol/50%h2O			1,578	5,177			8,081.836

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			m/s	ft/s		m ² /s	ft ² /s
Helium(45)	He ₄	0.125 (-269°C)	183 (-269°C)	600.4 (-452°F)		0.025	269
Heptane(22,23)	C ₇ H ₁₆	0.684 (20°C)	1,131	3,710.6	4.25	0.598 (20°C)	6.434 (68°F)
n-Heptane(29,33)	C ₇ H ₁₆	0.684 (20°C)	1,180	3,871.3	4.0		
Hexachloro- Cyclopentadiene(47)	C ₅ Cl ₆	1.7180	1,150	3,773			
Hexadecane(23)	C ₁₆ H ₃₄	0.773 (20°C)	1,338	4,389.8	3.71	4.32 (20°C)	46.483 (68°F)
Hexalin	C ₆ H ₁₂ O	0.962	1,454	4,770.3	3.6	70.69 (17°C)	760.882 (63°F)
Hexane(16,22,23)	C ₆ H ₁₄	0.659	1,112	3,648.3	2.71	0.446	4.798
n-Hexane(29,33)	C ₆ H ₁₄	0.649 (20°C)	1,079	3,540	4.53		
2,5Hexanedione	C ₆ H ₁₀ O ₂	0.729	1,399	4,589.9	3.6		
n-Hexanol	C ₆ H ₁₄ O	0.819	1,300	4,265.1	3.8		
Hexahydrobenzene(15)	C ₆ H ₁₂	0.779	1,248	4,094.5	5.41	1.31 (17°C)	14.095 (63°F)
Hexahydrophenol	C ₆ H ₁₂ O	0.962	1,454	4,770.3			
Hexamethylene(15)	C ₆ H ₁₂	0.779	1,248	4,094.5		1.31 (17°C)	14.095 (63°F)
Hydrogen(45)	H ₂	0.071 (-256°C)	1,187 (-256°C)	3,894.4 (-429°F)		0.003 (-256°C)	0.032 (-429°F)
2-Hydroxy-toluene(46)	C ₇ H ₈ O	1.047 (20°C)	1,541 (20°C)	5,055.8 (68°F)		4.29 (40°C)	46.16 (104°F)
3-Hydroxy-toluene(46)	C ₆ H ₅ l	1.034 (20°C)	1,500 (20°C)	4,921.3 (68°F)		5.979 (40°C)	64.334 (104°F)
Iodo-benzene(46)	C ₂ H ₅ l	1.823	1,114 (20°C)	3,654.9 (68°F)		0.954	
Iodo-ethane(46)	CH ₃ l	1.950 (20°C)	876 (20°C)	2,874 (68°F)		0.29	3.12
Iodo-methane	C ₆ H ₁₂ O	2.28 (20°C)	978	3,208.7		0.211	2.27
isobutylacetate(22)	He ₄		1,180 (27°C)	3,871.4 (81°F)	4.85		

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			m/s	ft/s		m ² /s	ft ² /s
Isobutanol	C ₄ H ₁₀ O	0.81 (20°C)	1,212	3,976.4			
Iso-Butane			1,219.8	4002			
Isopentane(36)	C ₅ H ₁₂	0.62 (20°C)	980	3,215.2	4.8	0.34	3.658
Isopropano(46)	C ₃ H ₈ O	0.758 (20°C)	1,170 (20°C)	3,838.6 (68°F)		2.718	29.245
Isopropyl alcohol(46)	C ₃ H ₈ O	0.758 (20°C)	1,170 (20°C)	3,838.6 (68°F)		2.718	29.245
Kerosene		0.81	1,324	4,343.8	3.6		
Ketohexamethylene	C ₆ H ₁₀ O	0.948	1,423	4,668.6	4.0		
Lithium fluoride(42)	LiF		2,485 (900°C)	8,152.9 (1652°F)	1.29		
Mercury(45)	Hg	13.594	1,449 (24°C)	4,753.9 (75°F)		0.114	1.226
Mesityloxide	C ₆ H ₁₀ O	0.85	1,310	4,297.9			
Methane(25,28,38,39)	CH ₄	0.162 (-89°C)	405 (-89°C)	1,328.7 (-128°F)	17.5		
Methano(40,41)	CH ₄ O	0.791 (20°C)	1,076	3,530.2	2.92	0.695	7.748
Methyl acetate	C ₃ H ₆ O ₂	0.934	1,211	3,973.1		0.407	4.379
o-Methylaniline(46)	C ₇ H ₉ N	0.999 (20°C)	1,618	5,308.4		4.394 (20°C)	47.279 (68°F)
4-Methylaniline(46)	C ₇ H ₉ N	0.966 (45°C)	1,480	4,855.6		1.863 (50°C)	20.095 (122°F)
Methyl alcohol(40,44)	CH ₄ O	0.791 (20°C)	1,076	3,530.2	2.92	0.695	7.478
Methyl benzene(16,52)	C ₇ H ₈	0.867	1,328 (20°C)	4,357 (68°F)	4.27	0.644	7.144
2-Methyl-butane(36)	C ₅ H ₁₂	0.62 (20°C)	980	3,215.2		0.34	3.658
Methycarbinol	C ₂ H ₆ O	0.789	1,207	3,960	4.0	1.396	
Methyl-chloroform(47)	C ₂ H ₃ Cl ₃	1.33	985	3,231.6		0.902 (20°C)	9.705 (68°F)
Methyl-cyanide	C ₂ H ₃ N	0.783	1,290	4,232.3		0.441	4.745
3-Methyl cyclohexanol	C ₇ H ₁₄ O	0.92	1,400	4,593.2			

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			m/s	ft/s		m ² /s	ft ² /s
Methylene chloride(3)	CH ₂ Cl ₂	1.327	1,070	3,510	3.94	0.31	3.335
Methylene iodide	CH ₂ I ₂	3.235	980	3,215.2			
Methyl formate(22)	C ₂ H ₄ O ₂	0.974 (20°C)	1,127	3,697.5	4.02		
Methyl iodide	CH ₃ I	2.28 (20°C)	978	3,208.7		0.211	2.27
α -Methyl naphthalene	C ₁₁ H ₁₀	1.090	1,510	4,954.1	3.7		
2-Methylpheno(46)	C ₇ H ₈ O	1.047 (20°C)	1,541 (20°C)	5,055.8 (68°F)		4.29 (40°C)	46.16 (104°F)
3-Methylpheno(46)	C ₇ H ₈ O	1.034 (20°C)	1,500 (20°C)	4,921.3 (68°F)		5.979 (40°C)	64.334 (104°F)
Milk, homogenized			1,548	5,080			
Morpholine	C ₄ H ₉ NO		1,442	4,731	3.8		
Naphtha		1.00	1,225	4,091			
Natural Gas(37)		0.76	753 (-103°C)	2,470.5 (-153°F)			
Neon(45)	Ne	0.316 (-103°C)	595 (-246°C)	1,952.1 (-411°F)			
Nitrobenzene(46)	C ₆ H ₅ NO ₂	1.207 (-246°C)	1,415 (20°C)	4,642.4 (68°F)		1.514	16.29
Nitrogen(45)	N ₂	1.204 (20°C)	962 (-199°C)	3,156.2 (-326°F)		0.217 (-199°C)	2.334 (-326°F)
Nitromethane(43)	CH ₃ NO ₂	0.808 (-199°C)	1,300	4,265.1	4.0	0.549	5.90
Nonane(23)	C ₉ H ₂ O	1.135	1,207	3,960	4.04	0.99 (20°C)	10.652 (68°F)
1-Nonene(27)	C ₉ H ₁₈	0.718 (20°C)	1,207	3,960	4.0		
Octane(23)	C ₈ H ₁₈	0.736 (20°C)	1,172	3,845.1	4.14	0.73	7.857
n-Octane(29)	C ₈ H ₁₈	0.723 (20°C)	1,212.5	3,978	3.50	0.737	0.930
1-Octane(27)	C ₈ H ₁₆		1,175.5	3,856.6	4.1		
Oil of Camphor Sassafrassy		1.74	1,390	4,560.4	3.8		
Oil, Car(SAE20a.30)		0.969	870	2,854.3		190	2,405.93
Oil, Castor	C ₁₁ H ₁₀ O ₁₀		1,477	4,854.8	3.6	0.670	7.209

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			m/s	ft/s		m ² /s	ft ² /s
Oil,Diesel		0.80	1,250	4,101			
Oil,Fuel AA gravity		0.99	1,485	4,872	3.7		
Oil(Lubricating x200)			1,530	5,019.9			
Oil(Olive)		0.912	1,431	4,694.9	2.75	100	1,076.3 65
Oil(peanut)		0.936	1,458	4,783.5			
Oil(Sperm)		0.88	1,440	4,724.2			
Oil,6			1,509 (22°C)	4,951 (72°F)			
2,2-Oxydiethanol	CH ₁₀ O ₃	1.116	1,586	5,203.4	2.4		
Oxygen(45)	O ₂	1.155 (-186°C)	952 (-186°C)	3,123.4 (-303°F)		0.173	1.861
Pentachloro-ethane(47)	C ₂ HCl ₅	1.687	1,082	3,549.4			
pentalin(47)	C ₂ HCl ₅	1.687	1,082	3,549.4			
Pentane(36)	C ₅ H ₁₂	0.626 (20°C)	1,020	3,346.5		0.363	3.905
n-pentane(47)	C ₅ H ₁₂	0.557	1,006	3,300.5		0.41	4.413
Perchlorocyclopentadiene(47)	C ₅ Cl ₆	1.718	1,150	3,773			
Perchloro-ethylene(47)	C ₂ Cl ₄	1.632	1,036	3,399			
Perfluoro-1-Hepten(47)	C ₇ F ₁₄	1.67	583	1,912.7			
Perfluoro-n-Hexane(47)	C ₆ H ₁₄	1.672	508	1,666.7			
Phene(29,40,41)	C ₆ H ₆	0.879	1,306	4,284.8	4.65	0.711	7.65
o-Phenyl acrolein	C ₉ H ₈ O	1.112	1,554	5,098.4	3.2		
Phenylamine(41)	C ₆ H ₅ NO ₂	1.022	1,639	5,377.3	4.0	3.63	39.058
Phenyl bromide(46)	C ₆ H ₅ Br	1.522	1,170 (20°C)	3,838.6 (68°F)		0.693	7.465
Phenyl chloride	C ₆ H ₅ Cl	1.106	1,273	4,176.5	3.6	0.722	7.768
Phenyl iodide(46)	C ₆ H ₅ I	1.823	1,114 (20°C)	3,654.9 (68°F)		0.954 (15°C)	10.265 (59°F)
Phenyl methane(16,52)	C ₇ H ₈	0.867 (20°C)	1,328 (20°C)	4,357 (68°F)	4.27	0.644	6.929
3-Phenylpropenal	C ₉ H ₈ O	1.112	1,554	5,098.4	3.2		

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			m/s	ft/s		m ² /s	ft ² /s
Phthalardione	C ₈ H ₄ O ₃		1,125 (152°C)	3,691 (306°F)			
Phthalic acid, anhydride	C ₈ H ₄ O ₃		1,125 (152°C)	3,691 (306°F)			
Phthalic anhydride	C ₈ H ₄ O ₃		1,125 (152°C)	3,691 (306°F)			
Pimelicketone	C ₆ H ₁₀ O	0.948	1,423	4,668.6	4.0		
Plexiglas, Lucite, Acrylic			2,651	8,698			
Polyterpene Resin		0.77	1,099.8 (190°C)	3,608.4 (374°F)		39,000	419,500
Potassium bromide(42)	KBr		1,169 (900°C)	3,835.3 (1652°F)	0.71	715CP (900°C)	7.693 (1652°F)
Potassium fluoride(42)	KF		1,792 (900°C)	5,879.3 (1652°F)	1.03		
Potassium iodide(42)	KI		958 (900°C)	3,231.6 (1652°F)	0.64		
Potassium nitrate(48)	KNO ₃	1.859 (352°C)	1,740.1 (352°C)	5,709 (666°F)	1.1	1.19 (327°C)	12.804 (621°F)
Propane(2,13) (-45° to -130°C)	C ₃ H ₈	0.585 (-45°C)	1,003 (-45°C)	3,290.6 (-46°F)	5.7		
1,2,3-Propanetriol	C ₃ H ₈ O ₃	1.26	1,904	6,246.7	2.2	000757	
1-Propanol(46)	C ₃ H ₈ O	0.78 (20°C)	1,222 (20°C)	4,009.2 (68°F)			
2-Propanol(46)	C ₃ H ₈ O	0.785 (20°C)	1,170 (20°C)	3,838.6 (68°F)		2.718	29.245
2-Propanone	C ₃ H ₆ O	0.791	1,174	3,851.7	4.5	0.399	4.293
Propene(17,18,35)	C ₃ H ₆	0.563 (-13°C)	963 (-13°C)	3,159.4 (9°F)	6.32		
N-propyl-acetate(22)	C ₅ H ₁₀ O ₂		1,280 (2°C)	4,199 (36°F)	4.63		
n-propyl-alcohol	C ₃ H ₈ O	0.78 (20°C)	1,222 (20°C)	4,009.2 (68°F)		2.549	27.427
propylchloride(47)	C ₃ H ₇ Cl	0.892	1,058	3,471.1		0.378	4.067
propylene(17,18,35)	C ₃ H ₆	0.536 (-13°C)	963 (-13°C)	3,159.4 (9°F)	6.32		

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		Specific Gravity	Sound Speed		$\Delta v/^\circ\text{C}$	Kinematic Viscosity $\times 10^{-6}$	
			m/s	ft/s	m/s/°C	m ² /s	ft ² /s
Pyridine	C ₅ H ₅ N	0.982	1,415	4,642.4	4.1	0.992 (20°C)	10.673 (68°F)
Refrigerant11(3,4)	CCl ₃ F	1.49	828.3 (0°C)	2,717.5 (32°F)	3.56		
Refrigerant12(3)	CCl ₂ F ₂	1.516 (-40°C)	774.1 (-40°C)	2,539.7 (-40°F)	4.24		
Refrigerant14(14)	CF ₄	1.75 (-150°C)	875.24 (-150°C)	2,871.5 (-238°F)	6.61		
Refrigerant21(3)	CHCl ₂ F	1.426 (0°C)	891 (0°C)	2,923.2 (32°F)	3.97		
Refrigerant22(3)	CHClF ₂	1.491 (-69°C)	893.9 (50°C)	2,932.7 (122°F)	4.79		
Refrigerant113(3)	CCl ₂ F-CClF ₂	1.563	783.7 (0°C)	2,571.2 (32°F)	3.44		
Refrigerant114(3)	CClF ₂ -CClF ₂	1.455	665.3 (-10°C)	2,182.7 (14°F)	3.73		
Refrigerant115(3)	C ₂ ClF ₅		656.4 (-50°C)	2,153.5 (-58°F)	4.42		
RefrigerantC318(3)	C ₄ F ₈	1.62 (-20°C)	574 (-10°C)	1,883.2 (41°F)	3.88		
Selenium(8)	Se		1,072 (250°C)	3,517.1 (482°F)	0.68		
Silicone(30cp)		0.993	990	3,248		30	322.8
Sodiumfluoride(42)	NaF	0.877	2,082 (1000°C)	6,830.7 (1832°F)	1.32		
Sodiumfluoride(48)	NaNO ₃	1.884 (336°C)	1,763.3 (336°C)	5,785.1 (637°F)	0.74	1.37 (336°C)	14.74 (637°C)
Sodiumfluoride(48)	NaNO ₂	1.805 (292°C)	1,876.8 (292°C)	6,157.5 (558°F)			
Solvesso#3		0.877	1,370	4,494.8	3.7		
Spiritofwine	C ₂ H ₆ O	0.789	1,207	3,960	4.0	1.397	15.02
Sulfur(7,8,10)	S		1,177 (250°C)	3,861.5 (482°F)	-1.13		
SulfueicAcid(1)	H ₂ SO ₄	1.841	1,257.6	4,126	1.43	11.16	120.081
Tellurium(7)	Te		991 (450°C)	3,251.3 (842°F)	0.73		

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			m/s	ft/s		m ² /s	ft ² /s
1,1,2,2-Tetrabromoethane(47)	C ₂ H ₂ Br ₄	2.966	1,027	3,369.4			
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane(67)	C ₂ H ₂ Cl ₄	1.595	1,147	3,763.4		1.156 (15°C)	12.438 (59°F)
Tetrachloroethane(46)	C ₂ H ₂ Cl ₄	1.553 (20°C)	1,170 (20°C)	3,838.6 (68°F)		1.19	12.804
Tetrachloro-ethene(47)	C ₂ Cl ₄	1.632	1,036	3,399			
Tetrachlor-Methane (33,47)	CCl ₄	1.595 (20°C)	926	3,038.1		0.607	6.531
Tetradecane(46)	C ₁₄ H ₃₀	0.763 (20°C)	1,331 (20°C)	4,366.8 (68°F)		2.86 (20°C)	30.773 (68°F)
Tetraethylene glycol	C ₈ H ₁₈ O ₅	1.123	1,568	5,203.4	3.0		
Tetrafluoro-methane(14) (Freon14)	CF ₄	1.75 (-150°C)	875.24 (-150°C)	2,871.5 (-238°F)	6.61		
Tetrahydro-1,4-isoxazine	C ₄ H ₉ NO	1.000	1,442	4,731	3.8		
Toluene(16,52)	C ₇ H ₈	0.867 (20°C)	1,328 (20°C)	4,357 (68°F)	4.27	0.644	6.929
o-Toluidine(46)	C ₇ H ₉ N	0.999 (20°C)	1,618	5,308.4		4.394 (20°C)	47.279 (68°F)
p-Toluidine(46)	C ₇ H ₉ N	0.966 (45°C)	1,480	4,855.6		1.863 (50°C)	20.053 (122°F)
Toluol	C ₇ H ₈	0.866	1,308	4,291.3	4.2	0.58	6.24
Tribromo-methane(46,47)	CHBr ₃	2.89 (20°C)	918	3,011.8		0.645	7.037
1,1,1-Trichloro-ethane(47)	C ₂ H ₃ Cl ₃	1.33	985	3,231.6		0.902 (20°C)	9.705 (68°F)
Trichloro-ethene(47)	C ₂ HCl ₃	1.464	1,028	3,372.7			
Trichloro-fluoromethane (3)(Freon11)	CCl ₃ F	1.49	828.3 (0°C)	2,717.5 (32°F)	3.56		
Trichloro-methane(47)	CHCl ₃	1.489	979	3,211.9	3.4	0.55	5.918
1,1,2-Trichloro-1,2,2,2-Trifluoro-Ethane	CCl ₃ F-CClF ₂	1.563	783.7 (0°C)	2,571.2 (32°F)			
Triethyl-amine(33)	C ₆ H ₁₅ N	0.726	1,123	3,684.4	4.47		
Triethyleneglycol	C ₆ H ₁₄ O ₄	1.123	1,608	5,275.6	3.8		

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			m/s	ft/s		m ² /s	ft ² /s
1,1,1-Trifluoro-2-Chloro-2-Bromo-Ethane	C ₂ HClBrF ₃	1.869	693	2,273.6			
1,2,2-Trifluorotrichloro-ethane(Freon113)	CCl ₂ -CClF ₂	1.563	783.7 (0°C)	2,571.2 (32°F)	3.44		
d-1,3,3-Trimethylnorcamphor	C ₁₀ H ₁₆ O	0.947	1,320	4,330.7		0.22	2.367
Trinitrotoluene(43)	C ₇ H ₅ (NO ₂) ₃	1.64	1,610 (81°C)	5,282.2 (178°F)			
Turpentine		0.88	1,255	4,117.5		1.4	15.064
Unisis800		0.87	1,346	4,416		1.00	
Water, distilled(49,50) Water, sea	H ₂ O	0.996	1,498	4,914.7	-2.4	0.695	10.76
WoodAlcihol(40,41)	D ₂ O		1,400	4,593	-2.4		
Xenon(45)		1.025	1,531	5,023	2.92	1.00	10.76
m-Xylene(46)	CH ₄ O	0.791 (20°C)	1,076	3,530.2		0.695	7.478
o-Xylene(29,46)	Xe		630 (-109°C)	2,067 (-164°F)			
P-xylene(46)	C ₈ H ₁₀	0.868 (15°C)	1,343 (20°C)	4,406.2 (68°F)		0.749 (15°C)	8.059 (59°F)
Xylenehexafluoride	C ₈ H ₁₀	0.897 (20°C)	1,331.5	4,368.4	4.1	0.903 (20°C)	9.716 (68°F)
Zinc(7)	C ₈ H ₁₀		1,334 (20°C)	4,376.6 (68°F)		0.662	7.123
1,1,1-Trifluoro-2-Chloro-2-Bromo-Ethane	C ₂ H ₄ F ₆	1.37	879	2,883.9		0.613	6.595
1,2,2-Trifluorotrichloro-ethane(Freon113)	Zn		3,298 (450°C)	10,820.2 (842°F)			

9. Warranty and Service

9.1 Warranty

The products manufactured by Spire Metering are warranted to be free from defects in materials and workmanship for a period of one year from the date of shipment while under use of the original purchaser. Spire Metering's obligation shall be limited to restoring the meter to normal operation or replacing the meter—at the company's choice—and shall be conditioned upon receiving written notice of any alleged defect within 10 days after its discovery. Spire Metering will make the determination if the return of the meter is necessary. In the case that a full return is deemed required, the user will be responsible for the one-way shipping fee from the customer to the manufacturer.

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9.2 Service

The manufacturer provides unit installation for its customers. The charge will depend on the complexity of the installation.

The most important criteria that effects accurate measurement and proper functionality of the device is the installation of the transducers. Section 3 and Appendix 10.2 provide in-depth information on transducer installation. A checklist to ensure proper installation is located in Section 3.4. Additionally, information on troubleshooting any issues that occur in powering on or operating the device can be found in Section 6.

For operational problems, please contact the technical support department by telephone, fax, or email.

The user may contact Spire at support@spiremt.com or 978-263-7100, extension 612. In most cases, problems can be resolved immediately.

For any hardware failures with the device, we recommend that our customers send the unit back to Spire for servicing. Please contact the technical support department with the model number and the serial number before returning the unit. Both numbers can be found on the product label.

For any service or calibration request, we will issue a Return Materials Authorization (RMA). Spire can only determine the details of the repair (complexity of repair, timetable, cost) after receipt and inspection of the instrument. A quote will be sent to the customer before proceeding with the service.

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Before returning the instrument for warranty repair or service, please read the following carefully:

- 1) If the return item has been exposed to nuclear or other radioactive environment and/or has been in contact with hazardous materials, which could pose any sort of danger to our personnel, the unit cannot be serviced.
- 2) If the return item has been exposed to or in contact with dangerous materials, but has been recognized as a hazard-free device by a reputable organization, you are required to include the certificate for service.
- 3) If the return item does not include the RMA number provided, it will be sent back without any service conducted.

For more information, please see Spire's RMA Policy and Procedure.

9.3 Software Upgrade Service

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