# Instruction Manual



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- 1. Power to unit must be removed.
- 2. Personnel must be grounded, via wrist strap or other safe, suitable means, before any printed circuit board or other internal device is installed, removed or adjusted.
- Printed circuit boards must be transported in a conductive bag or other conductive container. Boards must not be removed from
  protective enclosure until the immediate time of installation. Removed boards must be placed immediately in protective container
  for transport, storage, or return to factory.

#### Comments

This instrument is not unique in its content of ESD (electrostatic discharge) sensitive components. Most modern electronic designs contain components that utilize metal oxide technology (NMOS, CMOS, etc.). Experience has proven that even small amounts of static electricity can damage or destroy these devices. Damaged components, even though they appear to function properly, may exhibit early failure



#### The following instructions must be observed.

- This instrument was designed and is checked in accordance with regulations in force EN 60950 ("Safety of information technology equipment, including electrical business equipment").
   A hazardous situation may occur if this instrument is not used for its intended purpose or is used incorrectly. Please note operating instructions provided in this manual.
- The instrument must be installed, operated and maintained by personnel who have been properly trained. Personnel must read and understand this manual prior to installation and operation of the instrument.

160 mA slow blow fuse 80 mA slow blow fuse 800 mA slow blow fuse

This instrument is internally fused. Replace the internal fuse with the following specified type and rating only:
 <u>Input Power</u>
 <u>Recommended Fuse</u>

Input Power
115 VAC
230 VAC
12-24 VDC

### Disconnect power supply before replacing fuse!

• The manufacturer assumes no liability for damage caused by incorrect use of the instrument or for modifications or changes made to the instrument.

## Symbols Used On Unit

Number	<u>Symbol</u>	<b>Publication</b>	Description
1		IEC 417, No. 5031	Direct current
2		IEC 417, No. 5172	Equipment protected throughout by DOUBLE INSULATION or REINFORCED INSULATION (equivalent to Class II of IEC 536-see annex H)
3	Â	ISO 3864, No. B.3.1	Caution (refer to accompanying documents)

## **Technical Improvements**

• The manufacturer reserves the right to modify technical data without prior notice.

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### 1. Description

### 1.1 Unit Description:

The FTT Flow Computer satisfies the rate, total and batching instrument requirements for a variety of pulse producing flowmeter types in liquid applications. Multiple flow equations and instrument functions are available in a single unit with many advanced features.

The alphanumeric display shows measured and calculated parameters in easy to understand format. Single key direct access to measurements and display scrolling is supported.

The versatility of the FTT permits a wide measure of versatility within the instrument package. The various hardware inputs and outputs can be "soft" assigned to meet a variety of common application needs. The user "soft selects" the usage of each input/output while configuring the instrument. Consider the following illustrative examples.

The user can assign the standard RS-232 Serial Port for data logging, transaction printing, or for connection to a modem for remote meter reading.

### 1.2 Unit Features:

The FTT Flow Computer offers the following features:

- Compatible with Pulse Producing Flowmeters
- Multiple Instrument Functions; Rate, Total, Batching
- Menu Selectable Hardware & Software Features
- Two Line LCD Display
- Automatic Batch Overrun Compensation
- Isolated Pulse Output Standard
- Isolated Analog Output Standard
- Versatile RS-232 Port Standard
- Linearization Capability Standard
- DIN Enclosure with Two Piece Connectors
- EZ Setup Feature
- Advanced Batching Features

### 1.3 Specifications:

## Specifications:

Environmental Indoor Use Altitude up to 2000m Operating Temperature: 0°C to +50°C (-20°C to 55°C optional) Storage Temperature: -40°C to +85 C Maximum Relative Humidity : 80% for temperatures up to 31°C decreasing linearly to 50% RH at 40°C Main supply voltage fluctuations not to exceed  $\pm 10\%$  of the nominal voltage Transient overvoltage according to INSTALLATION CATEGORY II (see UL 3101-1 Annex J) POLLUTION DEGREE 2 in accordance with IEC 664 (see 3.7.3) Materials: UL, CSA, VDE approved

Approvals: CE Compliant Light Industrial, UL File #: E192404, C/UL

### Display

Type: 2 lines of 20 characters Types: Backlit LCD Character Size: 0.3" nominal User selectable label descriptors and units of measure

### Keypad

Keypad Type: Membrane Keypad Keypad Rating: Sealed to Nema 4 Number of keys: 16

### Enclosure

Size: See Dimensions Depth behind panel: 6.5" including mating connector Type: DIN Materials: Plastic, UL94V-0, Flame retardant Bezel: Textured per matt finish Equipment Labels: Model, safety, and user wiring

### **Power Input**

The factory equipped power option is internally fused. An internal line to line filter capacitor is provided for added transient suppression.

Order Option 1: 110VAC: 85 to 127 Vrms, 50/60 Hz Order Option 2: 220VAC: 170 to 276 Vrms, 50/60 Hz Order Option 2: 12V/DC: 10.5 to 14 VDC

Order Option 3: 12VDC: 10.5 to 14 VDC Order Option 4: 24VDC: 18 to 24 VDC

### Flow Inputs:

### Pulse Inputs:

Number of Flow Inputs: one Configurations supported: single input with or without quadrature (menu selectable) Input Impedance: 10 KΩ nominal Pullup Resistance: 10 K $\Omega$  to 5 VDC (menu selectable) Pull Down Resistance: 10 K $\Omega$  to common Trigger Level: (menu selectable) High Level Input Logic On: 3 to 30 VDC Logic Off: 0 to 1 VDC Low Level Input (mag pickup) Selectable sensitivity: 10 mV & 100 mV Minimum Count Speed: User selectable down to 1 pulse in 99 sec. Maximum Count Speed: Selectable: 0 to 20kHz **Overvoltage Protection: 50 VDC** Fast Transient: Protected to 500 VDC (Capacitive Clamp)

### **Control Inputs**

Switch Inputs are menu selectable for Start, Stop, Reset, Lock, Inhibit, Alarm Acknowledge, Print or Not Used. Control Input Specifications

Input Scan Rate: 10 scans per second Logic 1: 4 - 30 VDC Logic 0: 0 - 0.8 VDC Transient Suppression: 500 V fast transient (Capacitive Clamp) Input Impedance: 100 KΩ

Control Activation: Positive Edge or Pos. Level based on product definition

### **Excitation Voltage**

110/220 VAC Powered Units Menu Selectable: 5, 12 or 24 VDC @ 100mA
24 VDC Powered Units Menu Selectable: 5 or 12 VDC @ 100mA
12 VDC Powered Units 5 VDC @ 100mA

### **Relay Outputs**

The relay outputs are menu assignable to (Individually for each relay) Low Rate Alarm, Hi Rate Alarm, Prewarn Alarm, Preset Alarm, General purpose warning (security), overrun or not used.

Number of relays: 2 (4 optional) Contact Style: Form C contacts Contact Ratings: 250 VAC @ 5 amps 30 VDC @ 5 amps Fast Transient Threshold: 1000 V

### **Serial Communication**

The serial port can be used for printing, datalogging, modem connection and communication with a computer.

RS-232:

Device ID: 01-99

Baud Rates: 300, 600, 1200, 2400, 4800, 9600, 19200

Parity: None, Odd, Even

Handshaking: None, Software, Hardware Print Setup: Configurable print list and formatting

### RS-485:

Device ID: 01-247 Baud Rates: 2400, 4800, 9600, 19200 Parity: None, Odd, Even Protocol: Modbus RTU (Half Duplex)

#### Analog Output

The analog output is menu assignable to correspond to the Rate or Total. Type: Isolated Current Sourcing Isolated I/P/C: 500 V Available Ranges: 4-20 mA, 0-20 mA Resolution: 12 bit Accuracy: 0.05% FS at 20 Degrees C Update Rate: 1 update/sec minimum Temperature Drift: Less than 200 ppm/C Maximum Load: 1000 ohms (at nominal line voltage) Compliance Effect: Less than .05% Span 60 Hz rejection: 40 dB minimum Calibration: Operator assisted Learn Mode Averaging: User entry of DSP Averaging constant to cause an smooth control action.

### **Isolated Pulse output**

The isolated pulse is assigned to Volume Total.

Isolation I/O/P: 500 V Pulse Output Form: Isolated Photomos Relay Maximum On Current: 125 mA Maximum Off Voltage: 30 VDC Saturation Voltage: 1.0 VDC Maximum Off Current: 0.1 mA Pulse Duration: User selectable: 10mSec, 100mSec Pulse output buffer: 8 bit Fault Protection Reverse polarity: Shunt Diode Transient Protection: 500 VDC (Capacitive Clamp)

### **Operating Mode**

The Flow Computer can be thought of as making a measurement of flow and then performing calculations which are then updated periodically on the display as rate and total. The pulse output, analog output and the alarm relays are also updated. The cycle then repeats itself.

- Step 1: Update the measurements of input signals-Raw Input Measurements are made at each input.
- Step 2 : Compute the Volumetric Flow-

Uncompensated flow is the term given to the flow in volume units. The value is computed based on the flowmeter input type selected and augmented by any performance enhancing linearization that has been specified by the user.

### Step 3: Check Flow Alarms-

The flow alarm functions have been assigned to flow rate during the setup of the instrument. A comparison is now made by comparing the current flow rates against the specified hi and low limits.

### Step 4: Compute the Flow Totals by Summation-

A flow total increment is computed for each flow rate. This increment is computed by dividing the pulses by the K-Factor and then summing. The totalizer format also includes provisions for total rollover.

### Step 5: Total Preset Comparisons-

The total associated with a preset function is then compared against the corresponding preset value and any required control actions taken.

### Step 6: Pulse Output Service-

The pulse output is next updated by scaling the total increment which has just been determined by the pulse output scaler and summing it to any residual pulse output amount.

### Step 7: Compute the Analog Output-

This designated flow rate value is now used to compute the analog output.

### Step 8: Update Display and Printer Output-

The instrument finally runs a task to update the various table entries associated with the front panel display and serial outputs.

### Setup Mode

The setup mode is password protected by means of a numeric lock out code established by the user. In addition, a secret, manufacturers numeric unlock entry sequence is available.

The system also provides a minimum implementation of an "audit trail" which tracks significant setup changes to the unit. This feature is increasingly being found of benefit to users or simply required by Weights and Measurement Officials in systems used in commerce, trade, or "custody transfer" applications.

A Worksheet is provided to assist the user in setting up the instrument. An Easy Setup (EZ Setup) feature is offered in the setup menu. The EZ Setup routine is a quick and easy way to configure the unit for the most commonly used instrument functions.

The setup mode has numerous subgrouping of parameters needed for flow calculations. There is a well conceived hierarchy to the setup parameter list. Selections made at the beginning of the setup affect offerings further down in the lists.

In the setup mode, the flow computer activates the correct setup variables based on the instrument configuration, the flow equation, and the hardware selections, the flow transmitter type, and meter enhancements (linearization) options selected. All required setup parameters are enabled. All setup parameters not required are suppressed.

A help line prompt is provided for each entry. In addition a help message is available which may be accessed by depressing the "HELP" key.

Also note that in the setup mode are parameter selections which have preassigned industry standard values. The unit will assume these values unless they are modified by the user.

### Maintenance (Test) Mode:

The Maintenance Mode of the FTT provides a number of specialized utilities required for instrument checkout on start-up, setup documentation and data logger access.

A password is required to gain access to this specialized mode of operation. Quality and maintenance personnel will find this mode of operation very useful. It is also useful for factory testing.

Many of these tests may be used during start-up of a new system. Inputs signals may be read, and output signals may be exercised to verify the electrical interconnects before the entire system is put on line.

The following action items may be performed in the Maintenance Mode:

Print Setup Report Examine Audit Trail Examine Error History Perform Keypad Checkout Perform Display Checkout Perform Pulse Input Checkout Perform Pulse Output Checkout Perform Control Input Checkout Perform Relay Output Checkout Perform Analog Output Checkout Calibrate Analog Output using the Learn Feature Perform Excitation Output Test Examine or Dump Data Logger

### **RS-232 Serial Port**

The FTT has a general purpose RS-232 Port which may be used for any one of the following purposes:

Transaction Printing Data Logging Remote Metering by Modem (optional) Computer Communication Link Configuration by Computer Print System Setup Print Malfunction History

# Operation of Serial Communication Port with Printers

FTT's RS-232 channel supports a

number of operating modes. One of these modes is intended to support operation with a printer in metering applications requiring transaction printing, data logging and/or printing of maintenance reports.

For transaction printing, the user defines the items to be included in the printed document. The user can also select what initiates the transaction print generated as part of the setup of the instrument. The transaction document may be initiated via a front panel key depression, a remote contact closure, upon completion of a batch, time of day or at a timed interval.

In data logging, the user defines the items to be included in each data log as a print list. The user can also select when or how often he wishes a data log to be made. This is done during the setup of the instrument as either a time of day or as a time interval between logging.

The system setup and maintenance report lists all the instrument setup parameters and usage for the current instrument configuration. In addition, the Audit trail information is presented along with a status report listing any observed malfunctions which have not been corrected.

The user initiates the printing of this report at a designated point in the menu by pressing the requested key on the front panel.

### **Operation of Serial Port with Modems** (optional)

The FTT RS-232 channel supports a number of operating modes. One of these modes is intended to support operation with a modem in remote metering applications.

An external modem is intentionally being used with the FTT. This permits use with the variety of modem standards worldwide while avoiding the specialized approvals required for equipment that is deemed to fall under the category of telecommunication equipment.

In the modem mode, the FTT is assumed to be operating in a remote metering role. In addition, the FTT will be capable of initiating a call to a designed telephone number in the event of a metering malfunction.

### 2. Installation

### 2.1 General Mounting Hints:

The FTT Flow Computer should be located in an area with a clean, dry atmosphere which is relatively free of shock and vibration. The unit is installed in a 5.43" (138mm) wide by 2.68" (68mm) high panel cutout. (see Mounting Dimensions) To mount the Flow Computer, proceed as follows:

- a. Prepare the panel opening.
- b. Slide the unit through the panel cutout until the it touches the panel.
- c. Install the screws (provided) in the mounting bracket and slip the bracket over the rear of the case until it snaps in place.
- d. Tighten the screws firmly to attach the bezel to the panel. 3 in. lb. of torque must be applied and the bezel must be parallel to the panel.

### **Termination Connectors:**

Minimum Wire Gauge: 22 AWG Maximum Wire Gauge: 14 AWG Voltage/current limits are limited by unit specifications.

### Permanently Connected Equipment:

### UL 3101-1, Section 6.12.2.1 specifies that:

- A switch or circuit breaker shall be included in the building installation;
- It shall be in close proximity to the equipment and within easy reach of the OPERATOR;
- It shall be marked as the disconnecting device for the equipment.
- **NOTE:** Ensure that the switch or circuit breaker chosen is suitable for the power requirements of the unit.

### 2.2 Mounting Diagrams:



To provide protection type IP65/NEMA 4X, the unit must be mounted with the bezel adaptor and the gasket (supplied with the mounting kit). The bezel must be glued to the unit with silicon.

(see Instructions supplied with the mounting kit)



### 3. Applications

### 3.1 Liquid Volume

### Measurements:

A flowmeter measures the actual volume in a liquid line.

### **Calculations:**

• For Flowmeters with Pulse Outputs, Volume flow is calculated using the flowmeter frequency output and the user entered K-Factor or Linearization Table.

### **Output Results:**

- Display Results
   Flow Rate, Resettable Total, Non-Resettable Total
- Pulse Output
  - Total
- Analog Output
   Rate or Total
- Relay Outputs
   Rate or Total Alarms

### **Applications:**

The Flow Computer can monitor actual volume flow and total of any liquid. Flow alarms are provided via relays and datalogging is available via serial outputs.

### Liquid Volume Illustration



### Calculations

Pulse Input; Average K-Factor or Linearization Table

input frequency \* time scale factor

Volume Flow = -

K-Factor

### 3.2 Batching

### Measurements:

A flowmeter measures the actual volume in a liquid line.

### **Calculations:**

• For Flowmeters with Pulse Outputs, Volume flow is calculated using the flowmeter frequency output and the user entered K-Factor or Linearization Table.

### **Output Results:**

- Display Results
   Flow Rate, Batch Total, Non-Resettable Total
- Pulse Output
  - Total
- Analog Output
   Rate or Total
- Relay Outputs Batch Total, Rate, or Alarms

### **Applications:**

Batching and monitoring flow and total of any liquid. Batching is accomplished via relays and datalogging is available via serial outputs.

### **Batching Illustration**



### Calculations

Pulse Input; Average K-Factor or Linearization Table

Volume Flow = K-Factor

### **4 WIRING**

#### **4.1 Typical Batcher Wiring:** (+) V DC OUTPUT 1 FLOW Signal 2 PULSE IN 1 IN 3 PULSE IN 2 Common 4 COMMON 5 NOT USED FLOW METER 6 NOT USED with Pre Amp 7 NOT USED NOT USED 8 Stop Start 9 CNTR IN 1 CNTR IN 2 SEE USER 10 11 CNTR IN 3 MANUAL 12 COMMON 13 PULSE OUTPUT + 123456 PULSE OUTPUT -14 15 ANALOG OUT + ANALOG OUT -Remote Electronic Counter 16 115 VAC MOV 17 NC 25 NC recommended 18 COM RLY1 26 COM RLY3 ٩Å. 19 NO 27 NO 20 NC 28 NC 115 VAC SOLENOID VALVE 21 COM RLY2 29 COM RLY4 5 22 NO 30 NO 23 AC LINE DC + POWER IN 115 VAC 24 AC LINE DC -

### 4.2 Typical Rate/Total Wiring:

Oliveral "	1	DC OUTPU	Г		
	- 2	PULSE IN 1			FLOW
	3	PULSE IN 2			IIN
	- 4	COMMON			
	5	NOT USED			
FLOW SENSOR	6	NOT USED			
with magnetic pickup	7	NOT USED			
	8	NOT USED			
	9	CNTR IN 1			
	10	CNTR IN 2			SEE USER
	11	CNTR IN 3			MANUAL
	12	COMMON			
	- 13	PULSE OUT	PUT	+	
123456	- 14	PULSE OUT	PUT	-	
Remote Electronic Counter		ANALOG O	JT +		
	16	ANALOG O	UT –		
ſ	17	NC	2	25	NC
Alarm Relay 1	18	COM RLY1	2	26	COM RLY3
	19	NO	2	27	NO
C	20	NC	2	28	NC
Alarm Belay 2	21	COM RLY2	2	9	COM RLY4
		NO	3	30	NO
	- 23	AC LINE	DC	+	
	- 24	AC LINE	DC	-	

### 5. UNIT OPERATION

### 5.1 Front Panel Operation Concept for Run Mode

The FTT is fully programmable through the front panel. Please review the following usage summary before attempting to use the instrument.



#### HELP

On-line help is provided to assist the operator in using this product. The help is available during RUN and SETUP modes simply by pressing the HELP key. The HELP key is used to enter decimals when entering numeric values.

#### **FUNCTION KEYS**

In the RUN mode, several keys have a special, direct access feature, to display an item of interest (i.e. RATE, TOTAL, PRE 1, etc.). Press the key to view your choice. Press the SCROLL key to return to scrolling display.

#### **CLEARING TOTALIZER**

To clear the total, you must press the TOTAL Function Key 3 times quickly to select the total. Once the total is selected, press the CLEAR key to reset the total. The operator will be prompted to enter password if the unit is locked.

NOTE: In the Batcher Mode, simply press the CLEAR key to reset the total (the batcher must be stopped or finished batching). It is not necessary to press the TOTAL Function Key first.

#### **CLEARING GRAND TOTAL**

To clear the grand total, you must press the GRAND Function Key 3 times quickly to select the grand total. Once the grand total is selected, press the CLEAR key to reset the grand total. The operator will be prompted to enter password if the unit is locked.

#### PRESET KEYS

In the RUN mode, PRE 1, PRE 2, F1 and F2 keys are used to view and/or change the preset setpoints. To view the Presets, simply press the desired Preset key once. Rapidly press the Preset keys 3 times, then press the Clear key for direct editing of the preset setpoints.

#### SCROLL

Rapidly press the Scroll key 3 times to setup a display list. Press the CLEAR key to remove old scroll list. Press the function key for the item you wish to add Use the  $\Delta \nabla$  keys to assign the line. Press the ENTER key to save scroll list.

#### PRINT

The PRINT key is used to print on demand. When the PRINT key is pressed, a user defined list of data (TOTAL, RATE, PRE 1, etc.) is sent to the RS232 port. A timed message of "PRINTING" will be displayed to acknowledge the print request.

#### SPECIAL BATCHING KEYS

The START and STOP keys are used only when batching to start and stop batches. The CLEAR key will clear the total without first pressing the TOTAL key (unit must be stopped). All other keys work the same in both Rate/Total mode and Batch mode. The Start and Stop keys operation are set by the control input settings. The Start options are: START or RESET/START. The Stop options are: STOP or STOP/RESET.

#### **MENU KEY**

The MENU key is used to enter the Setup and Test modes. Press the MENU key to enter the Setup and Test modes. The user will be prompted to enter a password if the unit is locked. (See section 6 for Setup mode, section 8 for Test mode). The MENU key is also used as "escape" in Setup and Test Programming. Pressing the MENU key while programming in the Sub-Menu groups will backup the display to that Sub-Menu group heading. Pressing the MENU key while viewing the Sub-Menu groups will backup the display to the Top Level Menu.

#### ACKNOWLEDGING ALARMS

Most alarm messages are self-clearing. Press the ENTER key to acknowledge and clear alarms.

NOTE: Some keys and functions are password protected. Enter the password to gain access. The passwords are factory set as follows: Operator = 0; Supervisor = 2000

### TIME/DATE

The TIME key is reserved for displaying Time and Date. To View the Time or Date, press the TIME key once.

### 5.2 General Operation

The unit can display: Rate, Total, Grand Total, Presets and Time of Day. The unit can be programmed to perform Ratemeter/Totalizer or Batching functions.

### 5.3 Ratemeter/Totalizer Operation

The Ratemeter/Totalizer mode is used primarily to monitor flowrate and accumulated total. The relays can be used to trigger on flow rate, total, or alarms.

### 5.3.1 Password Protection for Rate/Total mode

After an Operator and/or Supervisor Password is entered in the setup mode (see section 6.3, SETUP PASSWORD submenu), the unit will be locked. The unit will prompt the user for the password when trying to perform the following functions:

Clear Total Clear Grand Total Enter Menu Edit Preset 1 (PRE 1 Key) Edit Preset 2 (PRE 2 Key) Edit Preset 3 (4 Key) Edit Preset 4 (9 Key)

The Supervisor password should be reserved for supervisors. The Supervisor password will allow access to restricted areas of the Setup and Test menus.

### 5.3.2 Relay Operation in Rate/Total mode

Up to four relays are available (two standard) for alarm outputs. The relays can be assigned to trip according to rate, total or general system alarms. The relays can be programmed for low or high alarms. Preset 1 (RLY1) and Preset 2 (RLY2) are easily accessible by pressing the PRE 1 or PRE 2 key on the front panel. Preset 3 and Preset 4 are accessible by pressing the 4 or 9 keys.

### 5.3.3 Pulse Output in Rate/Total mode

The isolated pulse output (open collector) is assigned to Volume Total. The pulse output duration can be set for 10mS (50 Hz max) or 100mS (5 Hz max). A pulse output scale factor (pulse value) can be set to scale the pulse output. The pulse output is ideal for connecting to remote totalizers or other devices such as a PLC. See section 1.3 for electrical specifications.

### 5.3.4 Analog Output in Rate/Total mode

The analog output is menu assignable to correspond to the Volume Rate or Volume Total. The analog output is ideal for "trend" tracking using strip chart recorders or other devices.

### 5.3.5 RS-232 Serial Port Operation in Rate/Total mode

The RS-232 serial port can be used for programming (using the Setup Disk) or for communicating to printers and computers in the Operating Mode (Run Mode).

### PC Communications:

The Setup Disk also allows the user to query the unit for operating status such as Flow Rate, Flow Total, Presets, etc.

### **Operation of RS-232 Serial Port with Printers:**

### Transaction Printing

For transaction printing, the user defines the items to be included in the printed document (see section 6.3.20 SET DATA OUTPUT, Select\_list). The transaction document can be initiated by pressing the PRINT key or by a remote contact closure.

### Data Logging

In data logging, the user defines the items to be included in each data log (see section 6.3.20 SET PRINTER OUTPUT, Select\_list). The user can also select when (time of day) or how often (print interval) the data log is to be made (see section 6.3.19 SET PRINTER OUTPUT, Configure).

#### System Setup and Maintenance Report

The system setup and maintenance report lists all of the instrument setup parameters and usage for the current instrument configuration. The audit trail information and a status report is also printed. This report is initiated in the Test menu (see section 8.2.3 PRINT SYSTEM SETUP).

### 5.3.6 RS-485 Serial Port (optional)

### **RS-485 Port Description:**

The optional RS-485 card utilizes Modbus RTU protocol to access a variety of process parameters and totalizers. The Relays can be controlled via Modbus. In addition, action routines can be executed. For further information, contact factory and request RS-485 Protocol manual.

### **Operation of Serial Communication Port with PC**

The flow computer's RS-485 channel supports a number of Modbus RTU commands. Modbus RTU drivers are available from third party sources for a variety of Man Machine Interface software for IBM compatible PC's.

The user reads and writes information from/to the RS-485 using the Modbus RTU commands. The FTT then responds to these information and command requests.

Process variables and totalizers are read in register pairs in floating point format. Time and date are read as a series of integer register values. Alarms are individually read as coils. Action routines are initiated by writing to coils.

### 5.4 Batcher Operation

The Batcher mode is used primarily to control batches. The main difference between the Batch mode and Rate/Total mode is the relay operation. The Batch mode allows the operator to "START" the unit via the front panel or remote input. Once started, the relays (RLY1 & RLY2) will energize and send a contact to a flow control device (i.e. solenoid valve or pump). The flow sensor will send a signal to the unit and total accumulation will begin. Just before the end of batch, when the Prewarn value (PRE 2) is reached, Relay 2 will drop out (this is ideal for flow slow down). When the final Batch amount (PRE 1) is reached, Relay 1 will drop out and the Batch is complete.

Several messages will be displayed during normal batch operation (i.e. Batch Fill, Batch Stopped). The keypad is disabled for the duration of these timed messages (approx. 2 sec).

### 5.4.1 Batcher Configuration.

When the unit is programmed for batch mode, several batch operation choices are available. These choices include: EZ Preset, Up or Down Counting, Maximum Batch Preset, Batch Overrun Compensation, Auto Batch Restart, Time Delay, Flow Signal Timeout, Maximum Drain Time, Slow Start Quantity, Start or Reset/ Start, and Stop or Stop/Reset.

### EZ Preset

A selectable mode of batching where user can press "PRE 1", then "ENTER" then the quantity to be batched, then "START" for a quick enter-start sequence.

### Batch Count Mode

The Batch Count Mode allows the user to choose whether the unit will batch up to a preset value or batch down from a preset value to zero.

#### **Maximum Batch Preset**

The Maximum Batch Preset allows the user to program the Maximum Batch value allowed to be entered by the operator. If an operator should try to program a batch higher then this value, the unit will not allow the value to be entered and will prompt the user with an error message saying that the permitted Maximum Batch Preset size has been exceeded.

### **Batch Overrun**

The Batch Overrun is used for batch applications that have slow responding valves and a consistent batching flowrate. When the Batch Overrun is set, the unit will compensate for batch overruns by computing an averaged overrun value from the last four batches. This average is used to internally adjust the batch setpoint to minimize overrun. The maximum drain time must be set greater than the slowest valve response time for proper operation of this feature.

### **Auto Batch Restart**

The Auto Batch Restart function allows the user to set an amount of time to automatically restart a batch after the completion of a batch. This time can be set from 1 to 99 seconds.

### Flow Signal Timeout

The Flow Signal Timeout allows the user to enter a timeout of 0 to 99 seconds. If a batch is "Filling" and zero flow persists for more than the user entered time then the batch will be aborted. This prevents over flows due to faulty flow sensors and/or wiring.

#### Maximum Drain Time

The unit declares that a batch is "done" when the flow rate equals "0". A flow rate may be present long after the Preset Relay de-energizes due to slow reacting valves or leaky valves. The Maximum Drain Time allows the user to enter an amount of time (0 to 99 seconds) to wait before declaring "Batch Done". After the Preset Batch quantity is reached, the unit will declare "Batch Done" when the flow rate is "0" or the Maximum Drain Time has expired. The batch data will then be available for printing and datalogging.

### **Slow Start Quantity**

The Slow Start Quantity is a function that allows an amount to be entered for a Slow Start of fill. This function requires two stage valve control. RLY 1 (slow flow) will energize for Slow Start and RLY 2 (fast flow) will energize after the Slow Start Quantity has been delivered. This helps reduce turbulence when filling an empty container.

### START, RESET/START and STOP, STOP/RESET

When configuring the control inputs, Control Input1 can be set for START or RESET/START. When set for START, the unit will start batching when a signal is applied to Control Input 1 or the front panel Start key is pressed. A separate Reset signal or CLEAR key depression must be used to clear the previous batch total. When set for RESET/START, the unit will automatically reset then start when a signal is applied to Control Input1 or the front panel Start key is pressed (provided that the pervious batch was completed). If a previous batch was stopped during a batch cycle, the unit will Start from where it was stopped.

Control Input 2 can be set for STOP or STOP/RESET. When set for STOP, the unit will stop batching when a signal is applied to Control Input 2 or the front panel Stop key is pressed. A separate Reset signal or CLEAR key depression must be used to clear the batch total. When set for STOP/RESET, a running batch will stop when a signal is applied to Control Input 2 or the front panel Stop key is pressed. If the unit is Stopped or after a completed batch, the unit will reset when a signal is applied to Control Input 2 or the front panel Stop key is pressed.

**NOTE:** Applying a voltage level to Control Input 2 will inhibit and override all Start inputs in either mode.

### 5.4.2 Password Protection for Batcher Mode

After an Operator and/or Supervisor Password is entered in the setup mode (see section 6.3, SETUP PASSWORD Sub-menu), the unit will be locked. The unit will prompt the user for the password when trying to perform the following functions:

Clear Grand Total Enter Menu

The Supervisor password should be reserved for supervisors. The Supervisor password will allow access to restricted areas of the Setup and Test menus.

The passwords are factory set as follows:

Operator = 0

Supervisor = 2000

**NOTE:** A password of "0" should not be used since it will leave the unit unlocked and open to accidental changes.

### 5.4.3 Relay Operation in Batcher mode

Up to four relays are available (two standard) for alarm outputs. Preset 1 (RLY1) is reserved for batch amount, Preset 2 (RLY2) is reserved for prewarn. (see section 5.4 Batcher Operation for Relay 1 & Relay 2 functions)

Preset 1 (RLY1) and Preset 2 (RLY2) are easily accessible by pressing the PRE 1 or PRE 2 key on the front panel. Preset 3 and Preset 4 are accessible by pressing the 4 or 9 keys.

Relays 3 and 4 can be assigned to trip according to rate, total, overrun or alarm. When Rate is selected the relays can be programmed for low or high alarms. When N.A (not assigned) is selected, the relays may be tripped via serial commands. Alternately, Preset 2, 3 or 4 may be used to enter alternate information and can be printed in the print list for transaction history.

### 5.4.4 Pulse Output in Batcher mode

The isolated pulse output (open collector) is assigned to Volume Total. The pulse output duration can be set for 10mS (50 Hz max) or 100mS (5 Hz max). A pulse output scale factor (pulse value) can be set to scale the pulse output. The pulse output is ideal for connecting to remote totalizers or other devices such as a PLC. See section 1.3 for electrical specifications.

### 5.4.5 Analog Output in Batcher mode

The analog output is menu assignable to correspond to the Volume Rate or Volume Total. The analog output is ideal for "trend" tracking using strip chart recorders or other devices.

### 5.4.6 RS-232 Serial Port Operation in Batcher mode

The RS-232 serial port can be used for programming (using the Setup Disk) or for communicating to printers and computers in the Operating Mode (Run Mode).

### **PC Communications:**

The Setup Disk also allows the user to query the unit for operating status such as Flow Rate, Flow Total, Presets, etc.

### **Operation of RS-232 Serial Port with Printers:**

### Transaction Printing

For transaction printing, the user defines the items to be included in the printed document (see section 6.3.20 SET DATA OUTPUT, Select\_list). The transaction document can be initiated by pressing the PRINT key, by a remote contact closure or print at end of batch.

### Data Logging

In data logging, the user defines the items to be included in each data log (see section 6.3.20 SET PRINTER OUTPUT, Select\_list). The user can also select when (time of day) or how often (print interval) the data log is to be made (see section 6.3.19 SET PRINTER OUTPUT, Configure).

### System Setup and Maintenance Report

The system setup and maintenance report lists all of the instrument setup parameters and usage for the current instrument configuration. The audit trail information and a status report is also printed. This report is initiated in the Test menu (see section 8.2.3 PRINT SYSTEM SETUP).

### 5.4.7 RS-485 Serial Port (optional)

### **RS-485 Port Description:**

The optional RS-485 card utilizes Modbus RTU protocol to access a variety of process parameters and totalizers. Batches/Relays can be controlled remotely via Modbus. In addition, action routines can be executed. For further information, contact factory and request RS-485 Protocol manual.

### **Operation of Serial Communication Port with PC**

The flow computer's RS-485 channel supports a number of Modbus RTU commands. Modbus RTU drivers are available from third party sources for a variety of Man Machine Interface software for IBM compatible PC's.

The user reads and writes information from/to the RS-485 using the Modbus RTU commands. The FTT then responds to these information and command requests.

Process variables and totalizers are read in register pairs in floating point format. Time and date are read as a series of integer register values. Alarms are individually read as coils. Action routines are initiated by writing to coils.

### 6. PROGRAMMING

### 6.1 Front Panel Operation Concept for Program Mode

The FTT is fully programmable through the front panel. Please review the following usage summary before attempting to use the instrument.



### Setup Mode:

### **MODE CHANGES**

Pressing the MENU key will offer selections of RUN, SETUP, TEST. RUN is the normal operating mode for the instrument. SETUP offers various sub-menus used for instrument setup. TEST offers various sub-menus for Test, Calibration and System Start-up testing.

### Sub-menu GROUP NAVIGATION

Use the UP and DOWN arrow keys to navigate up and down through the Sub-Menu groups when in the SETUP or TEST mode. Press the ENTER key to enter a desired setup or test Sub-Menu group.

### **SELECTION OF ITEM**

During setup, the unit will often offer multiple choices for a given topic. The topic prompt appears on the top line of the display. The choices are shown on the lower line of the display. **To select an item, press the key (in top row) beneath the desired choice. The selected choice will blink. Press the ENTER key to accept the selected choice.** 

### NUMERIC ENTRY

The keys labeled "0 - 9", "-", ".", CLEAR and ENTER are used to enter numerical values. A leading 0 will assume that you intend to enter a minus "-" sign. Press the CLEAR key to clear the existing value and to enable editing. Enter the digits of your desired values, press ENTER to accept the value.

### **TEXT CHARACTER ENTRY**

Some setup items (i.e. Descriptors, Units Label) require the user to enter text characters. Press CLEAR to enable editing. The UP and DOWN arrow keys are used to scroll through the available character sets for each individual character. Press the ENTER key to accept the character and advance to the next character.

### 6.2 EZ Setup

The EZ Setup routine is a quick and easy way to configure the unit for the most commonly used instrument functions. This setup assumes that you are measuring Volumetric Flow using a high level, DC Pulsing flow sensor. Entering the EZ Setup mode automatically sets many features. This may cause any previously programmed information to be lost or reset. For a complete customized configuration, see sections 6.3 and 6.4.

<u>Menus</u>	<u>Display</u>	<u>Notes</u>
6.2.1 TOP LEVEL SETUP MENU	SELECT OPERATE STATE Run <mark>Setup</mark> Test	Select Setup to enter the instrument setup routine.
6.2.2 EZ Setup Sub-menu	SELECT EZ SETUP	Press ENTER to begin EZ Setup routine.
Groups	CHANGES ALL SETUPS ! No Yes	Confirm that you want to run EZ Setup. <b>Caution:</b> Any previous program settings may be lost or reset.
	INSTRUMENT TYPE Rate/Tot Batch	Instrument Type.
	RATE TIME BASE Sec Min Hour Day	Select the appropriate rate time base.
	RATE DEC PLACES(0-4)	Enter the desired rate decimal location. 0-4 decimal places allowed.
	TOTAL VOLUME UNITS	Enter the desired totalizer units label.
	TOT DEC PLACES (0-3)	Enter the desired totalizer decimal location. 0-3 decimal places allowed.
	K_FACTOR TYPE Avg LinTbl	Enter the desired K-Factor Type.
	AVERAGE KA-FACTOR ####### P/gal	If Average selected, Enter the desired Average K-Factor.
	LINEAR TABLE KA Fre01:######## Hz 5.5	If LinTbl selected, Enter the desired frequency/ K-Factor pair for each point in the Linearization Table.
		exit Linearization Table setup.
	FS ANALOG OUT 20mA #######gal/m	Enter the desired full scale setting for the analog output.
	RATE 00.0 gal/m TOTAL 0 qal	Return to Run Mode

### 6.3 Setup Menus



### 6.4 Setup Sub-Menus

<u>Sub-menus</u>	<u>Display</u>	Notes
6.4.1	SELECT EZ SETUP	Refer to page 17 for EZ Setup routine.
SELECT EZ SETUP	Advance To INSTRUMENT TYPE	Press the DOWN (stop) key to advance to Instrument Type. Press the UP (start) key to advance to Administrative Setup.
6.4.2 INSTRUMENT TYPE	INSTRUMENT TYPE	Press ENTER to enter Instrument Type sub-menus.
	INSTRUMENT TYPE Rate/Tot Batch	Press ENTER when Rate/Total is flashing to configure the instrument as a Ratemeter/Totalizer.
Rate/Tot	Advance To SELECT FLOW EQUATION	If Rate/Tot selected, advance to Setup Indicators.
	INSTRUMENT TYPE	Press ENTER to enter Instrument Type sub-menus.
Batch	INSTRUMENT TYPE Rate/Tot Batch	Press ENTER when Batch is flashing to configure the instrument as a Batcher.
	SELECT PRESET TYPE Standard EZ-Preset	Select Standard for standard preset operation. Select EZ-Preset for quick preset editing mode. (see section
		5.4.1 Batcher Configuration.)
	BATCH COUNT MODE Up Down	Select UP to Reset to 0 and count up to preset. Select DOWN to reset to Preset and count down to 0.
	Continue On Next Page	

### Sub-menus

### Notes

#### 6.4.2 **INSTRUMENT TYPE** (continued)

See Section 5.4, see also Max. Drain Time note.

NOTE: Max Drain time value

slowest valve response time

when using Batch Overrun

Comp.

must be greater than the



SETUP INDICATORS

Enter the maximum allowable Batch Preset. The operator will not be able to enter a batch preset larger than this value.

Select ON to set the unit to operate using a Batch Overrun Compensation routine. Select OFF to inhibit Batch Overrun Compensation routine.

Select On to enable the Auto Batch Restart. This will automatically restart the unit at the end of each batch run (after programmed timeout). Select Off to disable.

Enter Time Delay for Auto Batch Restart. When a batch is completed, the next batch will start automatically after the amount of time entered here has elapsed.

Enter a timeout of 0 to 99 seconds. If a batch is "Filling" and zero flow persists for more than this time, the batch filling will be stopped.

Enter time (0-99 sec.) for Max. Drain Time. After batch quantity is reached, "Batch Done" is declared when the flow rate is "0" or the Maximum Drain Time has expired.

Enter a quantity for a Slow Start up. RLY 1 (slow flow) will energize for Slow Start and RLY 2 (fast flow) will energize after the Slow Start Quantity has been delivered. Both RLY 1 and RLY 2 are energized during "fast fill".

<u>Sub-menus</u>	<u>Display</u>	Notes
6.4.3 SETUP INDICATORS	SETUP INDICATORS	Press ENTER to begin setup of the Indicators
(Total)	SETUP INDICATORS Total Rate	Press ENTER when Total is flashing to configure the Totalizer Indicators
		Enter the desired Total Descriptor text
	TOTAL VOLUME UNITS gal	Enter the desired Volume Units Label text for the Totalizer.
	TOT DEC PLACES (0-3)	Select the desired Total Decimal Place. 0-3 decimal places allowed.
	Advance To SETUP INDICATORS (Rate)	
6.4.4 SETUP INDICATORS	SETUP INDICATORS Total Rate	Press ENTER when Rate is flashing to configure the Ratemeter Indicators
(Rate)	RATE TIME BASE Sec Min Hour Day	Select the desired Rate Time Base.
	RATE DESCRIPTOR RATE	Enter the desired Descriptor text for the Ratemeter.
	RATE DEC PLACES(0-4)	Select the desired Rate Decimal Place. 0-4 decimal places allowed.
	RATE AVG FILTER	Enter desired Rate Averaging Filter. (see Definitions for more details)
	QUICK UPDATE % 5 ENTER Advance To	Enter desired Percent of Change for Quick Update. If the current flowrate deviates by an amount greater than the percentage value entered, the Rate Averaging is inhibited. (See Definitions for more details.)
	SETUP FLOW INPUT	

Sub-menus	<u>Display</u>	Notes
6.4.5 SETUP FLOW INPUT	SETUP FLOW INPUT	Press ENTER to begin setup of Flow Input.
(Pulse - chA & chA=chB)	EXCITATION VOLTAGE 5v 12v 24v	Select the desired Excitation Voltage for your flow sensor. Caution: Improper selection may cause damage to sensor
NOTE: chA = Single Pulse chA=chB = Pulse checking	PULSE INPUT TYPE ChA ChA=ChB Qx1 Qx2 ENTER	Enter the desired Pulse type. See side note.
for missing pulses Qx1 = Quadrature Qx2 = Quadrature x 2	PULSE TRIGGER LEVEL 10mV 100mV 2.5V	Select the desired Input Pulse Trigger Level.
	LOW PASS FILTER 40Hz 3KHz 20KHz	Select the desired Low Pass Filter. (Max. Count Speed). Use 3kHz with turbine flowmeters.
	INPUT TERMINATION Pullup Pulldown None	Select the proper input termination.
	MAX WINDOW (1-99)	Enter the desired Maximum Sample Window Time (1-99 sec) that can occur at the lowest flowrate. Use 1 second for turbine flowmeters.
	K_FACTOR TYPE Avg LinTbl	Enter the desired K-Factor Type.
	AVERAGE KA-FACTOR ######## P/gal	If Avg selected, Enter the desired Average K-Factor in the units requested.
	LINEAR TABLE KA Fre01:####### Hz	If LinTbl selected, Enter the desired frequency/ K-Factor pair for each point in the Linearization Table. <b>NOTE:</b> Enter 0 for Fre value of any point (other than Fre01) to exit the routine and use the values entered up to that point.
	LOW FLOW RATE ALARM ######## gal/m [ENTER]	Enter the desired volumetric Low Rate Alarm. This will trigger an alarm message if alarm conditions occur. The relays are not affected.
	HIGH FLOW RATE ALARM ####### gal/m ENTER Advance To SETUP PULSE OUTPUT	Enter the desired volumetric High Rate Alarm. This will trigger an alarm message if alarm conditions occur. The relays are not affected.

Sub-menus	<u>Display</u>	Notes
6.4.6 SETUP FLOW INPUT	SETUP FLOW INPUT	Press ENTER to begin setup of Flow Input.
(Pulse - Quadrature, Qx1 or Qx2)	EXCITATION VOLTAGE	Select the desired Excitation Voltage.
	FLOW INPUT TYPE Pulse	Press ENTER when Pulse is flashing to configure the flow input for Pulse signals.
NOTE: chA = Single Pulse chA=chB = Pulse	ENTER Y PULSE INPUT TYPE chA chA=chB Q21 Q22 ENTER Y	Enter the desired Pulse type. See side note.
checking for missing pulses Qx1 = Quadrature	PULSE TRIGGER LEVEL 10mV 100mV 2.5V	Select the desired Input Pulse Trigger Level.
Qx2 = Quadrature x 2	LOW PASS FILTER 40Hz 3KHz 20KHz	Select the desired Low Pass Filter. (Max. Count Speed) Use 3kHz with turbine flowmeters
	INPUT TERMINATION Pullup Pulldown None	Select the proper input termination.
	MAX WINDOW (1-99)	Enter the desired Maximum Sample Window Time (1-99 sec) that can occur at the lowest flowrate. Use 1Hz for turbine flowmeters.
	K_FACTOR TYPE Avg LinTbl	Enter the desired K-Factor Type.
	AVERAGE KA-FACTOR ######## P/gal	If Avg selected, Enter the desired Average K-Factor (KA for channel A).
	AVERAGE KB-FACTOR ####### P/gal	Enter the desired Average K-Factor (KB for channel B).
	LINEAR TABLE KA Fre01:######## Hz figure fig	If LinTbl selected, Enter the desired frequency/ K-Factor pair for each point in the Linearization Table. (channel A) <b>NOTE:</b> Enter 0 for Fre value of any point (other than Fre01) to exit the routine and use the values entered up to that point
	ENTER	Enter the desired frequency/ K-Factor pair for each point in the Linearization Table. (channel B) <b>NOTE:</b> Enter 0 for Fre value of any point (other than Fre01) to exit the routine and use the values entered up to that point.
	LOW FLOW RATE ALARM ####### gal/m	Enter the desired volumetric Low Rate Alarm. This will trigger an alarm message if alarm conditions occur. The relays are not affected.
	HIGH FLOW RATE ALARM ####### gal/m	Enter the desired volumetric High Rate Alarm. This will trigger an alarm message if alarm conditions occur. The relays are not affected.
	Advance To SETUP PULSE OUTPUT	

Sub-menus	<b>Display</b>	Notes
6.4.7 SETUP	SETUP PULSE OUTPUT	Press ENTER at this prompt to setup the Pulse Output.
PULSE OUTPUT		
	PULSE OUTPUT USAGE Off Volume	Select the desired Pulse Output Usage.
	PULSE WIDTH 10mS 100mS	Select the desired Pulse Width for the Pulse Output.
	ENTER	
	PULSE VALUE 1000 gal/P	Enter the desired Pulse Value for the Pulse Output (Volume Units per Pulse).
	SETUP ANALOG OUTPUT	
6.4.8 SETUP	SETUP ANALOG OUTPUT	Press ENTER when Analog is flashing to setup the Analog Output.
ANALOG OUTPUT	ENTER	
	ANALOG OUTPUT USAGE	Select the desired Analog Output Usage.
	Rate Iotal	
	ANALOG OUTPUT RANGE 4-20mA 0-20mA	Select the desired current range for the Analog Output.
	ENTER	
	LS ANALOG OUTPUT 0.0 gal/m	Enter desired Analog Output Low Scale Value. <b>NOTE:</b> Units label will correspond with output usage
	ENTER	type selected.
	FS ANALOG OUT 20mA 1000.0 gal⁄m	Enter desired Analog Output Full Scale Value.
	ENTER	
	ANALOG OUT DAMPING 0.0	Enter the desired Analog Output Damping Constant. See Definitions for additional information.
	ENTER	
	Advance To SETUP RELAYS	

### Sub-menus

### 6.4.9 SETUP RELAYS (Relay 1 & Relay 2)

#### NOTE:

In Batch mode, Relay 1 is reserved for Preset, Relay 2 is reserved for Prewarn or NA (not assigned).

### **Display**

SETUP RELAYS 3, 4

### <u>Notes</u>

SETUP RELAYS Select the desired Relay for setup. Rly1 Rly2 Rly3 Rly4 (Relays 3 & 4 Optional, menus will always appear even if option not installed) ENTER RELAY 1 USAGE If Relay 1 or Relay 2 Selected, Select Rate, Total or NA. NΑ RATE TOTAL ENTER RELAY 1 DELAY If Rate selected, enter desired relay activation delay sec value. Alarm condition must be continuously present for 0 this amount of time before alarm will activate. If Total Selected, Enter desired Relay Duration. RELAY 1 DURATION ##### RELAY 1 MODE Select the desired Relay Activation. LO\_ALARM Low: Relay activates when reading is below setpoint. HI\_ALARM High: Relay activates when reading is above setpoint. ENTER Enter the desired Setpoint. The Setpoint can be edited in **RELAY 1 SETPOINT ######**# gal run mode using the PRE 1 key (PRE 2 key for Relay 2). ENTER **RELAY 1 HYSTERESIS** If Rate, selected, Enter desired Relay Hysteresis. ##### gal/m Advance To

#### Sub-menus **Display** Notes SETUP RELAYS Select the desired Relay for setup. 6.4.9 (Continued) Rly3 Rly4 (Relays 3 & 4 Optional) Rly1 Rly2 SETUP RELAYS (Relay 3 & Relay 4) ENTER RELAY 3 USAGE If Instrument Type is set for BATCHER, Choose Rate, Total, Alrm, Ovr or NA. Rate Tot Alrm Ovr NA NOTE: Settings for Relays If Instrument Type is set for RATE/TOTAL, RELAY 4 USAGE 3 & 4 may be Choose Rate, Total, Alrm or NA. Rate Tot Alrm NA entered even if ENTER relays are not supplied. The RELAY 3 DELAY If Rate / Alrm selected, enter desired relay activation sec settings will still 0 delay value. trigger display alarm messages if applicable. RELAY 3 DURATION If Total Selected, Enter desired Relay Duration. ##### ENTER RELAY 3 MODE Select the Relay Activation for Rate/Alrm. Low: Relay activates when reading is below setpoint. LO\_ALARM HI\_ALARM High: Relay activates when reading is above setpoint. RELAY 3 SETPOINT Enter the desired Setpoint. The setpoint 3 can be edited ####### gal in the "Run Mode" using the 4 key (9 key for Relay 4). ENTER RELAY 3 HYSTERESIS If Rate, selected, Enter desired Relay Hysteresis. ##### gal/m Advance To

SETUP CONTROL INPUTS

### **RELAY NOTES & CONSIDERATIONS**

- 1. Relay activation is based on the computed readings not the displayed value. Therefore the display damping factor will not affect the relay response time. The RELAY DELAY feature allows the user to enter a time delay for relay activation. This feature is very useful in applications where short over/ under range conditions are not considered alarm conditions.
- 2. When INSTRUMENT TYPE is set to batcher, Relay 1 is reserved for PRESET and Relay 2 is reserved for PREWARN or NA (not assigned).
- Setting the relays to NA (Not Assigned), will allow the relay activation to be controlled via the RS-232 Serial and/or RS-485 Modbus ports. It also allows the Presets to be used for other numeric entry values via serial commands which can be part of the print list.
- 4. Relay 3 and Relay 4 settings may be used to trigger display alarm conditions even if the relays are not supplied.

Sub-menus	<u>Display</u>	Notes
6.4.10 SETUP CONTROL	SETUP CONTROL INPUTS	Press Enter to begin setup of the Control Inputs.
INPUTS (RATE/TOTAL)	ENTER SETUP CONTROL INPUTS Input1 Input2 Input3	Select the desired Control Input for setup.
	CONTROL INPUTI USAGE INHIBIT_TOTAL NA	If Control Input 1 Selected, Select Inhibit Total or NA (Not Assigned).
	CONTROL INPUT2 USAGE RESET_TOTAL NA	If Control Input 2 Selected, Select Reset Total or NA (Not Assigned).
	CONTROL INPUT3 USAGE Prn Ack KeyLk NA Movence To SETUP REALTIME CLOCK	If Control Input 3 Selected, Select Prn (Print), Ack (acknowledge), KeyLk (Keylock) or NA (Not Assigned). ACK will acknowledge and clear alarms and warning messages. <b>Note:</b> Alarms may reassert themselves if alarm conditions are still present.
6.4.11 SETUP CONTROL INPUTS	SETUP CONTROL INPUTS Input1 Input2 Input3	Select the desired Control Input for setup.
(BATCH)	CONTROL INPUT1 USAGE Start Rst/Start NA	If Control Input 1 Selected, Select Start ,Reset/Start, NA (Not Assigned).
	CONTROL INPUT2 USAGE Stop Stop/Rst NA	If Control Input 2 Selected, Select Stop, Stop/Reset, NA (Not Assigned).
	CONTROL INPUT3 USAGE Rst Prn Keylk Ack NA Merer Advance To SETUP REALTIME CLOCK	If Control Input 3 Selected, Select Prn (Print), Ack (acknowledge), KeyLk (Keylock) or NA (Not Assigned). ACK will acknowledge and clear alarms and warning messages. <b>Note:</b> Alarms may reassert themselves if alarm conditions are still present.



SERIAL USAGE

#### Sub-menus **Display** Notes SERIAL USAGE Press Enter to begin setup of the Serial Port. SERIAL USAGE Select Serial Hardware type for standard port. RS-232 is SERIAL HARDWARE RS232 RS485 standard. (See SETUP NETWORK CARD for RS485 Modbus option) ENTER DEVICE ID Select the Device ID (0-99). ## ENTER BAUD RATE Select the desired Baud Rate. 300 600 1200 (more) BAUD RATE (If <more> selected, additional baud rates are offered. 2400 4800 9600 19200 9600 is standard) ENTER PARITY Select the desired Parity. (NONE is standard) None Odd Even HANDSHAKING Set the Handshake. (NONE is standard) None Softwre Hardwre ENTER Choose end of line termination. Only choose <CR> if DEVICE LINE FEED your external device automatically assigns a line feed for every <CR> carriage return. <CR> <CR+LF> ENTER MODEM CONTROL Select "Yes" if the serial port will be used to control a Hayes compatible modem. No Yes MODEM AUTO ANSWER Select the desired Modem Auto Answer mode. Select YES to setup modem to answer incoming calls. No Yes CALL OUT PHONE # Enter the Call Out Phone Number to be dialed at "Call 0 Out Time" or upon "Call On Error/Alarm". ENTER CALL OUT TIME Enter the time of day to perform Call Out transmission. ##:##:## ENTER Select "Yes" to have the unit perform a Call Out CALL ON ERROR/ALARM transmission upon error/alarm condition. No Yes NUMBER OF REDIALS Enter the number of redials to be performed on call out 0 time if busy or no answer. (error/alarm tries until connected) HANGUP IF 2MIN INACT Select "Yes" to perform hang-up if there is inactivity for No more than 2 minutes for calls initiated by the SUPERtrol-I Yes LE ENTER Advance To SETUP DATALOG/PRINT

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Sub-menus	<u>Display</u>	Notes
6.4.15 SETUP	SETUP DATALOG/PRINT	Press Enter to setup the Datalog/Print information.
<b>DATALOG/PRINT</b> (Configure)	ENTER   SETUP DATALOG/PRINT Config Select_list	Select Config to configure the Datalog/Print information.
	ENTER) OUTPUT FORMAT Printer Term Dbase	Select the type of Output Format.
	ENTER PAGE LENGTH [99 max] 99	Enter the desired Page Length. If Printer selected above.
	ENTER) TOP MARGIN [99 max] 3	Enter the desired Top Margin. If Printer selected above.
	ENTER DATALOG ONLY No Yes	Select Yes to record events to the datalogger only. Events will not be sent to the serial port. Select NO to
	ENTER PRINT TIME HH:MM:SS 00:00:00	Enter Print Time, printer will print at this time every day. Enter 00:00:00 to inhibit print time.
	ENTER PRINT INTERVAL 00:00:00	Enter Print Interval, (HH:MM:SS) Enter 00:00:00 to inhibit print interval.
	ENTER V ENABLE PRINT KEY NO YES	Select YES to enable Print Key. Select NO to disable Print Key
	RINT END OF BATCH	Batch mode only. Select Yes to print at end of batch.
	LENTER)∲ Advance To SETUP DATALOG∕PRINT (Select_list)	

Sub-menus	<u>Display</u>	Notes
6.4.16 SETUP	SET DATALOG/PRINT	Press enter to begin Setup Datalog/Print routine.
DATALOG/PRINT (Select_list)	ENTER SET DATALOG/PRINT Config Select_list	Press enter when Select_list is selected to setup print list.
List Items: TOTAL RATE PRE1	PRINT LIST ITEMS TOTAL YES PRINT LIST ITEMS RATE YES PRINT LIST ITEMS PRE 1 YES	Use Up and Down arrow keys to view list status. Press the PRINT key to add or remove items from the list. Items marked with Yes will be added to the list, items marked with No will be removed from the list. Press ENTER to accept list when ready
PRE3 GRAND PRE2 PRE4 TIME	PRINT LIST ITEMS DataLog size =001489 Movance To Advance To ADMINISTRATIVE SETUP	The Select Print List Information display shows the current possible Datalog size after your list has been entered.
6.4.17 ADMINISTRATIVE SETUP	ADMINISTRATIVE SETUP	Press Enter to begin Administrative Setup.
NOTE: Accessed only with supervisor	OPERATOR PASSWORD ****	Enter Operator Password. (Factory Set to 0) Define a nonzero value for each unit to lock unit and prevent accidental menu changes.
password.	SUPERVISOR PASSWORD *****	Enter Supervisor Password. (Factory Set to 2000)
	SOFTWARE VERSION	This display is used to show the software version of the installed software.
	PRODUCT ORDER CODE SL90xxxxxx	This display is used to show the product order code (model number). Factory set.
	UNIT SERIAL NUMBER	This display is used to show the unit's serial number. Factory set.
	SENSOR SERIAL NUMBER	This display is used to edit and show the sensor's serial number.
	Advance To SETUP NETWORK CARD	

<u>Sub-menus</u>	<u>Display</u>	Notes
6.4.18 SETUP	SETUP NETWORK CARD	Press Enter to setup Network Card
NETWORK CARD		1
(optional)	SELECT NETW PROTOCOL Mod	Select desired Network Protocol. (only Modbus RTU is supported)
	ENTER	
	NETWORK DEVICE ID	
	1	Enter the device address on network (00-247).
	ENTER	
	BAUD RATE 2400 4800 9600 19200	Select the desired Baud Rate.
	ENTER	-
	PARITY	Select the desired Parity.
	None Odd Even	
	ENTER	
	Advance To D0 EZ SETUP?	

### 7. Principals Of Operation

### 7.1 General:

The FTT Flow Computer uses several internal calculations to compute the input frequency based on specific data input. Several computations are performed to yield flow or linearized flow.

### 7.2 Flow Equations:

### **Uncompensated Flow Computation:**

K-Factor

Pulse Input; Linear Table

input frequency • time scale factor

Volume Flow =

K-Factor (Hz)

Where K-Factor (Hz) is the K-Factor returned at frequency (Hz) from interpolation of the 16 point table.

### 7.3 Linearization Table

### 7.3.1 Linearization Table General Information

The Linearization Table is used when the flow input device gives a nonlinear input signal. The unit uses up to 16 different points, as entered by the operator, to form a curve for linearizing the input signal.

Notes:

1) A minimum of three points must be set up.

2) If "0" is entered for the frequency of any point other than point 1, the Flow Computer assumes there are no more points above the points that preceded them. The display will advance to the next setup prompt.

3) If the input frequency is above the highest or below the lowest frequency programmed, the unit will use the last known point for the K factor in computing the resulting actual flow.

4) Frequency- Point pairs should be entered in ascending order of frequency.

### 7.3.2 Linearization Table for Pulse Inputs

The linearization table for pulse inputs programming is quite simple when values of frequency and K-Factors are known. The Flow Computer asks for 16 different frequencies (Freq) and 16 corresponding K factors (K). It then uses this data to determine what the actual flow is for any given input frequency. Usually the necessary data is provided with the flowmeter.

### 7.3.3 Linearization Table Interpolation

The Linearization Table routine uses the entered data to determine the K factor for any given input frequency signal. This is done by taking the closest data points above and below the input signal, then using those points to interpolate the K factor (correction factor), then calculating the flow from the data. Below are the formulas.

Parameters:

Determine closest point above input signal signal = X, K factor (correction factor) = KA

Determine closest point below input signal signal = Y, K factor (correction factor) = KB

Let input signal = H, unknown K factor (correction factor) = KN

To find KN use this formula:

$$\frac{H - Y}{X - Y} x (KA - KB) + KB = KN$$



## 8. Test, Service and Maintenance

### 8.1 Test Menus

<u>Sub-menus</u>		<u>Display</u>	Notes
8.1.1 TOP LEVEL TEST MENUS	START	SELECT OPERATE STATE Run Setup Test MENU ENTER Audit Trail	Select Test to enter the instrument test & calibration routine. NOTE: Supervisor (Service) password required to gain access to this mode. Refer to Page 36 for Details.
		STOP   (START) Error history	Refer to Page 36 for Details.
		Print System Setup	Refer to Page 36 for Details.
		Keypad Test	Refer to Page 37 Details.
		STOP ↓ ♠ START Display test	Refer to Page 37 for Details.
		STOP ↓ ▲START Calibrate	Refer to Page 37 Details.
		Fulse input test	Refer to Page 38 Details.
		Analog out test	Refer to Page 38 for Details.
		Excitation out test	Refer to Page 38 for Details.
		STOP     START Pulse out test	Refer to Page 39 for Details.
		Relay Test	Refer to Page 39 for Details.
		Control inputs test	Refer to Page 39 for Details.
		Data logger utility	Refer to Page 39 for Details.

### 8.2 Test Sub-Menus

Sub-menus	<u>Display</u>	Notes
8.2.1 Audit Trail Sub-menu Group	Audit Trail	Press Enter to view the audit trail information.
	Config_Audit nnnnn hh:mm:ss mm/dd/yy	The configuration audit trail format: nnnnn= number of critical menu changes, hh:mm:ss; mm/dd/yy = time and date of last change.
	Cal_Audit nnnnn hh:mm:ss mm/dd/yy	The calibration audit trail format: nnnnn= number of calibration changes, hh:mm:ss; mm/dd/yy = time and date of last change.
	Audit Trail	Press Menu to get back to audit trail top-level menu.
8.2.2 Error History Sub-menu Group	Error history	Press Enter to view error history. <b>NOTE:</b> Press Print Key to print Error History. Printout will include time/date of each errors first occurrence.
	Error history Flow rate alarm low	Press Up/Down arrow keys to scroll through error message history. Press CLEAR to clear entire error log.
	Error history	Press Menu to get back to error history top-level menu.
8.2.3 Print System Setup Sub-menu Group	Print System Setup	Press enter key to enter print system setup Sub-menu
	Print System Setup Press ENTER to print	Press enter to begin printing the system setup.
	Print System Setup Printing	This message will display as the data transmission takes place.
	Print System Setup	Press Menu to get back to print system setup top-level menu.

Sub-menus	<u>Display</u>	Notes
8.2.4 Keypad test Sub-menu Group	Keypad test	Press Enter to enter keypad test
	Keypad test Key pressed-> ENTER	Press the various keys and the display will show the key that was pressed. Press Menu to exit the test
	Keypad test	Press Menu to get back to Keypad test top-level menu.
8.2.5 Display test Sub-menu Group	Display test	Press Enter to enter display test.
	00000000000000000000000000000000000000	Upon pressing enter the each digit on the display will scroll 0-9 then A-Z. Press menu to exit the test.
	Display test	Press Menu to get back to Display test top-level menu.
	Calibrate	Calibrate Sub-menu group
8.2.6 Calibrate 0 mA Out	Calibrate ØmA out + TB1-15 - TB1-16	Connect ammeter to (+) TB1-15, (-) TB1-16. Press enter.
Sub-menu Group	ENTER) Calibrate ØmA out Enter mA: 0.00000	To trim 0mA output: Press CLEAR to enable editing and enter a small negative number (i.e0.100) to force a display reading, then clear and enter small quantity measured on your meter.
	Calibrate ØmA out + TB1-15 - TB1-16	The display will return to Calibrate 0mA out. Press the down arrow key to advance to Cal. 20mA out or repeat above if necessary.
8.2.7 Calibrate 20mA Out Sub-menu Group	Calibrate 20mA out + TB1-15 - TB1-16	Connect ammeter to (+) TB1-15, (-) TB1-16. Press enter.
	Calibrate 20mA out Enter mA: 20.00000	To trim 20mA output: Press CLEAR to enable editing and enter the current reading that is on the ammeter display. Press enter.
	Calibrate 20mA out + TB1-15 - TB1-16	The display will automatically return to the Calibrate 20mA out Sub-menu. Calibration is complete.
	Calibrate	Press the Menu key to go back to Calibrate top-level menu.

Sub-menus	<u>Display</u>	Notes
8.2.8 Pulse input test Sub monu Group	Pulse input test	Press Enter key to test the pulse input.
2.5V 10mV 100mV	Pulse input test Trigger level 2.5V	Use the Up/Down arrow keys to select the appropriate trigger level.
40Hz 3KHz 20kHz	Pulse input test count speed 3kHz	Use the Up/Down arrow keys to select the appropriate frequency range.
	ENTER Pulse input test F1: 0 F2: 0	To check Pulse input accuracy: Use TB1-4 as reference ground, input a frequency F1 on TB1-2, frequency F2 on TB1-3. The display should show frequency being input. Use a frequency counter to verify input.
	Pulse input test	Press Menu key to return to Pulse input test top-level menu.
8.2.9 Analog out test	Analog out test	Press Enter to test the analog output.
Sub-menu Group	ENTER Analog out test *0 4 10 15 20 mA	To simulate analog output: Connect an ammeter to (+) TB1-15, (-) TB1-16. Press the key under the desired current setting to move the asterisk (*). The unit should output the selected current.
	Analog out test	Press Menu key to return to Analog out test top-level menu.
8.2.10 Excitation out test	Excitation out test	Press Enter to test the excitation output.
Sub-menu Group	ENTER Excitation out test *50 120 240	To test the excitation output: Connect a voltmeter to (+) TB1-1, (-) TB1-4. Press the key under the desired voltage setting to move the asterisk (*). The unit should output the selected voltage.
	Excitation out test	Press Menu key to return to Excitation out test top-level menu.

8.2.11	Pulse out test	Press Enter key to test the pulse output.
Pulse out test Sub-menu Group	ENTER Pulse out test *0Hz 1Hz 10Hz 20Hz ENTER	To simulate a frequency on the pulse output: Connect a frequency counter to (+)TB1-13, (-)TB1-14. Press the key under the desired frequency setting to move the asterisk (*). The unit should output the selected frequency.
	Pulse out test	Press Menu key to return to Pulse out test top-level menu.
8.2.12 Relay test	Relay Test	Press Enter to test the relays.
Sub-menu Group	Rly1 Rly2 Rly3 Rly4 Off Off Off Off	To manually control the relay outputs: Press the key under the desired relay to toggle the relays On/Off. Use an ohmmeter to check the relay contacts.
	Relay Test	Press Menu key to return to Relay Test top-level menu.
8.2.13	Control inputs test	Press Enter to test the control inputs.
Control inputs test		
Sub-menu Group	TB1-9 TB1-10 TB1-11 Off Off Off	To check the control inputs: Use TB1-12 as reference, input a DC voltage (4-24VDC) signal to TB1-9, TB1-10 and/or TB1-11, The Display will show ON when input is active, OFF when inactive.
	Control inputs test	Press Menu key to return to control input test top-level menu.
8 2 14		
Data logger utility Sub-menu Group	Lata logger utility	Press Enter to access data logger utility.
	Data logger utility Log 10 958 Max	The displays shows the number of Data Logs. Press the Down arrow key to advance to PRT (print) or CLR (clear) to clear datalog contents.
	Data logger utility Log 00001 PRT CLR	Press PRINT key to output data logger logs to printer, Press CLEAR key to clear the data logger contents.
	ENTER∳ Data logger utility ]	Press Menu key to return to Data logger utility top-level menu.

### 8.3 Internal Fuse Replacement

### Instructions:

- 1. Make sure you follow proper E.S.D. Precautions. All persons performing this replacement must follow proper grounding procedures.
- 2. Turn the power to the unit off.
- 3. Disconnect the two piece connector rear terminal block, leaving all connections in place.
- 4. Remove the unit from the panel.
- 5. Remove the four machine screws (see fig. 1) which hold the two sections of the case together.
- 6. The rear section of the case should detach from the rest of the case. With the rear section of the case removed the fuse will be exposed (located near the rear terminal, AC connection).
- 7. Locate the Fuse F1 (see fig. 2) and unplug the fuse from its socket.
- 8. Insert the new fuse into the socket. Insure that the pins are fully inserted and straight.
- 9. Reassemble the case and install the four machine screws which join the two sections of the case.
- 10. Reinstall the unit into the panel.
- 11. Reconnect the rear terminal block.
- 12. Turn the unit back on.

### Fuse Specifications:

110 VAC Power: 160mA/250V, TD FUS-BC-T5-R160(Wickman 19372-030-k) or equivalent





### 9. Glossary Of Terms

### Acknowledge & Clear Alarms

Acknowledge is used to clear alarm relays and remove any visual alarm messages from the display. In the run mode, press the ENTER key or activate CONTROL INPUT 3 (if set for *ACK*) to momentarily clear alarms and alarm messages. Alarms will reassert themselves if alarm conditions are still present.

#### **Analog Output**

The analog signal (4-20mA) that is generated by the FTT. It can correspond to the Rate or Total. This output is used primarily for transmission of process information to remote systems.

#### Audit Trail

The audit trail is used to track the number of changes made to the units setup program and calibration.

#### **Auto Batch Restart**

The Auto Batch Restart function allows the user to set an amount of time to automatically restart a batch after the completion of a batch. This time can be set from 1 to 99 seconds.

#### **Batch Count Mode**

Batch Count Mode specifies the user preference for count direction. The "Up" selection begins with a value of "0" and counts up until the batch size is reached. The "Down" selection begins with a value equal to the desired batch size and counts down to "0".

#### **Batch Overrun**

The FTT offers a batch overrun compensation routine. If batch overrun occurs due to slow valve response time, the unit will compensate for the overrun amount on the next batch. This feature can be disabled if desired.

NOTE: A nonzero MAX DRAIN TIME value is also required.

#### Batcher

An instrument which controls the dispensing of desired batch amounts. Liquid batching systems are usually comprised of a batch controller (batcher), flowmeter and control valve. The batcher opens and closes the valve through the use of relays and measures the amounts of liquid being dispensed via the flowmeter.

#### **Baud Rate**

The speed of serial communication transmissions, expressed in bits per second.

#### **Custody Transfer**

Weights and Measure metering codes often specify several requirements for instruments and mechanisms to prevent and track changes in the setup of an instrument which may be used in the commercial sale of goods. The FTT tracks changes via the Audit Trail.

### **Data Logger**

The capturing of information for later use and the mechanism for specifying the conditions where a capture should be made.

### DC Output / Excitation Voltage

An on-board DC power supply used to power peripheral sensors. The FTT offers excitation voltages of 5VDC, 12VDC or 24VDC when powered by AC voltage.

#### **Default Value**

The value to be used by the instrument if a sensor failure or out of range signal is detected.

### **EZ** Setup

A utility that provides for rapid configuration of an instrument. The FTT EZ Setup provides the following:

1) Prompts the user for only critical information.

2) Automatically sets specifications to common uses.

After following the EZ Setup procedure, the unit will be operational to perform the basic measurement. The setup can be further customized using the setup menus.

#### **Flow Alarm**

A visual indication that the volumetric flowrate is above or below the flow alarm setpoint specified by the user.

#### **Flow Signal Timeout**

The Flow Signal Timeout allows the user to enter a timeout of 0 to 99 seconds. If a batch is "Filling" and zero flow persists for more than the user entered time then the batch will be aborted. This prevents over flows due to faulty flow sensors and/or wiring.

### **Flow Equation**

A flow control expression or algorithm describing a mathematical equation to be solved by a flow computer in the desired application.

#### **Follow Alarm**

Alarm relays which are non latching and whose output state is based solely on the comparison of the current process value, the alarm setpoint (trip point) and hysteresis.

#### **Function Key**

A key on a push-button panel or keyboard (whose function is described by the key label) used to perform an instrument function or special routine.

#### Handshake

A means of controlling the information flow between two pieces of equipment to prevent the sending device from transmitting information at a rate faster than what can be accepted by the receiver.

#### Hysteresis

The relay hysteresis is a "dead band" setting which allows the relay to remain energized for a given amount below the setpoint. This is used to prevent relay chatter when the process value is near the setpoint value. Example: If the Preset is set at 100, and the hysteresis is set at 10, the relay will energize when the rate, temp or dens. reaches 100, the relay will remain energized until the reading falls below 90.

#### **Input Termination**

Input signal lines on digital inputs often require pullup or pulldown resistor configurations to operate properly with different sensor configurations. The FTT contains such resistors and may be enabled via the setup menu.

#### **Inhibit Totalizer**

"*Inhibit Total*" is a Control Input 1 setting that is used to stop the totalization. If enabled, a voltage level on control input 1 will inhibit the total as long as the voltage is present. This feature is useful during meter proving and in applications that provide a sensor to signal the flow computer when liquid is present.

#### **K-Factor**

A scaling factor derived from the pulses produced by a flowmeter output, expressed in pulses per unit (i.e. pulses/gallon)

#### LCD

Abbreviation for: Liquid Crystal Display

#### **Limit Setpoint**

An alarm trip point setting which specifies the value or magnitude of a process parameter necessary to activate an alarm indicator or control relay.

### **Linear Flowmeter**

A flow measurement device whose output is proportional to flow.

#### Linearization

The mathematical correction of a nonlinear device. The FTT uses a linearization Table which is made up of input frequency and K-Factor values and makes interpolations of the table to arrive at a "linearized" measurement.

### LinTbl

Abbreviation for Linearization Table.

### Low Flow Cutoff

A value set at which any flow measurements read below this value will be ignored.

### Low Pass Filter

A low pass filter passes low input frequencies while blocking high frequencies. In the FTT, this is the maximum input count speed to be encountered in an application. It is expressed in counts per second (Hz).

### **Maximum Batch Preset**

The Maximum Batch Preset allows the user to program the Maximum Batch value allowed to be entered by the operator. If an operator should try to program a batch higher then this value, the unit will not allow the value to be entered and will prompt the user with an error message saying that the Maximum Batch Preset has been exceeded.

### **Maximum Drain Time**

The unit declares that a batch is "done" when the flow rate equals "0". A flow rate may be present long after the Preset Relay de-energizes due to slow reacting valves or leaky valves. The Maximum Drain Time allows the user to enter an amount of time (0 to 99 seconds) to wait before declaring "Batch Done". After the Preset Batch quantity is reached, the unit will declare "Batch Done" when the flow rate is "0" or the Maximum Drain Time has expired. The batch data will then be available for printing and datalogging.

NOTE: A nonzero MAX DRAIN TIME value must be entered when using batch overrun compensation.

### **Max Window**

The max. window time sets the maximum sample time (1 to 99 sec) for the ratemeter.

#### **Operator Code**

An operator password code which authorizes changes to the setup of the instrument but blocks access to the Service/Calibration/Test mode. The operator code also blocks the clearing of the Grand Total.

#### Parity

A method for detecting errors in transmissions of serial communications data.

#### Preset

A set point used to trigger the relay outputs of the FTT.

### **Print Interval**

The print interval allows the FTT to transmit information to the serial port at selectable time intervals.

#### **Process Parameters**

Any sensor information which has been scaled to engineering units including Flow, Temperature and Density.

#### Pulldown (Input Termination)

The termination of an input at which the input is pulled down to ground through a resistor. Inputs that are terminated by this method need to be driven high with a positive voltage pulse.

#### Pullup (Input Termination)

The termination of an input at which the input is pulled up to a positive voltage through a resistor. Inputs that are terminated by this method need to be pulled low with a sinking current or contact to ground .

#### **Pulse Output**

The pulse output of the FTT is available for remote accumulation of the total or sent to peripheral devices, such as a PLC. The output can be scaled using the Pulse Output Scaling Constant.

### Quad

Abbreviation for Quadrature. Quadrature signals are used for direction control. Two flowmeter signals are output with a 90° phase shift. The counter counts UP when channel A precedes channel B, and counts DOWN when Channel A lags Channel B.

#### Quick Update %

This feature is used to disable the rate averaging filter when a significant change in the flow rate occurs. The user can enter the percent of change needed to be detected to disable the averaging feature. This is especially useful during start-up and shutdown of flow.

#### **Rate Averaging Filter**

The rate averaging filter is used to stabilize fluctuating rate displays. Higher settings provide more averaging for a more stable display. Derived from the equation:

((OLD DATA x "Avg. Filter") + NEW DATA) ("Avg. Filter" + 1)

#### Ratemeter

Any device used to display the speed of a process. The ratemeter in the FTT displays flow rate.

#### **Reset/Start Control Input**

In a batching system, a single operator activation of the START key or Control Input 1 will reset the total then start the batch process.

#### **Select Preset Type**

This menu selection allows the user to choose between Standard Preset or EZ Preset. Select Standard for standard preset operation. Select EZ-Preset for quick preset editing mode. (see section 5.4.1 Batcher Configuration.)

#### Single Pulse

The Single\_Pulse setting is used for flowmeters with single pulse outputs.

#### **Slow Start Quantity**

The Slow Start Quantity is a function that allows an amount to be entered for a Slow Start up. This function requires two stage valve control. RLY 1 (slow flow) will energize for Slow Start and RLY 2 (fast flow) will energize after the Slow Start Quantity has been delivered. This helps reduce turbulence when filling an empty container.

#### Stop/Reset Control Input

In a batching system, a single operator activation of the STOP key or Control Input 2 will stop the batch process then reset the total.

#### Totalizer

Any device which accumulates and displays a total count.

#### **Volume Flow**

The measurement of volumetric flow.

### 10. Diagnosis and Troubleshooting

### 10.1 Response of FTT on Error or Alarm:

Error and warning indications which occur during operation are indicated in the RUN mode alternately with the measured values. The FTT Flow Computer has three types of error:

TYPE OF ERROR	DESCRIPTION
Sensor/Process Alarms	Errors detected due to sensor failure or process alarm conditions
Self Test Errors	Errors detected during self test.
System Alarms	Errors detected due to system failure

Some alarms are self clearing. Other alarms require the user to acknowledge and clear the alarm. Press the ENTER button to acknowledged and clear alarms. Alarms may reassert themselves if the alarm condition is still present.

NOTE: A historical error alarm log is available in the "Test Mode".

The following descriptions suggest possible causes and corrective actions for each alarm message.

### **10.2 Diagnosis Flow Chart and Troubleshooting**

All instruments undergo various stages of quality control during production. The last of these stages is a complete calibration carried out on state-of-the-art calibration rigs.

A summary of possible causes is given below to help you identify faults.



# 10.3 Error & Warning Messages:

### 10.3.1 Sensor/Process Alarms

Error/Warning Message	Cause	Remedy
TOTALIZER ROLLOVER	Displayed when totalizer rolls over	Acknowledge Rollover, Remedy not required
RATE OVERFLOW ERROR	Pulse counter overflowed. The totalizer may have lost counts.	<ul> <li>Report error to factory</li> <li>Check application conditions</li> <li>Check wiring</li> </ul>
PULSE OUT OVERFLOW	Calculated pulse frequency too large: • Pulse width setting too long • Larger pulse scaler needed	<ul> <li>Adjust pulse value</li> <li>Adjust pulse width</li> <li>Check process conditions</li> </ul>
FLOW RATE ALARM LOW FLOW RATE ALARM HIGH	Limit value exceeded.	<ul> <li>Check application if necessary</li> <li>Check limit value</li> <li>Adjust the limit value if required</li> </ul>
BATCH OVERRUN ALARM	Batch size exceeded by more than set limit.	<ul> <li>Check valves in system for proper operation and/or leaks</li> <li>Check limit value</li> <li>Adjust the limit value if required</li> </ul>
MODEM NOT PRESENT	The setup expects modem usage and a modem is not responding.	<ul> <li>Check setup for proper baud rate, parity, etc.</li> <li>Check modem connection and cycle power FTT</li> <li>Replace modem</li> </ul>
SOFTWARE ERROR RESET	Software error	Report error to factory
EXTENDED PFI LOCKUP	Unit was operated with an input power level lower than safe operating range for an extended period of time.	<ul> <li>Check data in unit. Totalizer may have inaccuracies</li> <li>Investigate brownout cause.</li> </ul>

### 10.3.2 Self Test Alarms

Error/Warning Message	Cause	Remedy
BATTERY LOW WARNING	Battery voltage too low	<ul> <li>Replace Battery</li> <li>Consult Factory for service information</li> </ul>
TIME CLOCK ERROR	The correct time/date is no longer shown	<ul> <li>Re-enter time and date.</li> <li>If error occurs again contact factory</li> </ul>
CAL CHECKSUM ERROR	Calibration constants have been corrupted	Report error to factory
SETUP CHECKSUM ERROR	The units setup has been corrupted	Report error to factory

START HERE	SET	UP MENUS				Арре
SELECT EZ SETUP						enaix /
INSTRUMENT TYPE	INSTRUMENT SELECT PRESET BATCH COUNT MAX BATCH BATCH OVERAUN TYPE TYPE MODE PRESET COMP.	AUTO BATCH TIME DELAY RESTART	TIMEOUT	AIN TIME SLOW START QUANTITY		A - Se
SETUP INDICATORS	SETUP TOTAL VOLUME UNITS TOTAL DECIMAL RATE TIME BASE INDICATORS DESCRIPTOR	RATE DECIMAL DESCRIPTOR PLACES AV	RATE QUI ERAGE FILTER UPDA	АХ % П		etup IV
SETUP FLOW INPUT	EXCITATION PULSE INPUT VOLTAGE TYPE FILTER TERMINATION	MAX WINDOW K-FACTOR TYPE	AVERAGE AVER. A-FACTOR KB-FAC	GE CHANGE TABLE TOR A	CHANGE TABLE LOW FLOW P	IENUS
SETUP PULSE OUTPUT	PULSE OUPUT PULSE WIDTH PULSE VALUE USAGE					
SETUP ANALOG OUTPUT	ANALOG OUTPUT ANALOG OUTPUT ANALOG OUT OUT ANALOG OUT DAMPING USAGE FULL SCALE FULL SCALE DAMPING					
SETUP RELAYS	SETUP RELAY USAGE RELAY 1,2,3,4 RELAY USAGE RELAY DURATION 1,2,3,4	HELAY SETPOINT RELAY HYSTERESIS		These functions	s will only appear with ap	propri-
SETUP CONTROL INPUTS	CONTROL INPUT 1 CONTROL INPUT 2 CONTROL INPUT 3 1.2.3 1.2.3			ate settings in c	ther functions.	
SETUP REAL TIME CLOCK	SETUP REAL CLOCK TYPE SELECT CLOCK TIME OF DAY ENTER DATE TIME CLOCK					
SERIAL USAGE	SERIAL DEVICE ID BAUD RATE PARITY HANDSHAKE D	DEVICE LINE FEET MODEM CONTROL	ODEM AUTO CALL O ANSWER	UT NO CALL OUT TIME	CALL ON NUMBER OF 1 REDIALS 20	HANG-UP IF
SETUP DATALOG/PRINT	SETUP DATALOG/PRINT OUTPUT FORMAT PAGE LENGTH TOP MARGIN DATALOG	PRINT TIME PRINT INTERVAL E	VABLE PRINT KEY BAT	ND OF CLEAR TOTAL IF PRINT	SELECT PRINT LIST ITEMS	
ADMINISTRATIVE SETUP	OPERATOR SUPERVISOR SOFTWARE PRODUCT ORDER UNIT PASSWORD PASSWORD VERSION CODE NUMBER	SENSOR SERIAL. NUMBER				
SETUP NETWORK CARD	SELECT NETWORK BAUD RATE PARITY NETWORK DEVICE ID PROTOCOL					

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### FTT-710 REINITIALIZE SEQUENCE

- 1. Remove power from the FTT-710 controller.
- 2. Press and hold the START and MENU keys while applying power.
- 3. Release keys when display indicated "FLOW COMPUTER INITIALIZING UNIT".
- 4. Press the MENU key.
- 5. Display indicates "ENTER PASSWORD".
- 6. Enter the 2000 and press the ENTER key.
- 7. Display indicates "SELECT OPERATE STATE".
- 8. Select "TEST" by pressing the 5 key then ENTER.
- 9. Display indicates "AUDIT TRAIL".
- 10. Press the STOP key and "ERROR HISTORY" is displayed.
- 11. Press the ENTER key.
- 12. Indicated errors can be cleared by pressing the CLEAR key.
- 13. Press the MENU key until the display indicates "SELECT OPTERATE STATE".
- 14. Select "SETUP" by pressing the 3 key then ENTER. (see factory configuration table)

### FTT-710 FACTORY PARAMETER SEQUENCE

- 1. Press MENU key
- 2. Enter password 0000 select the ENTER key.
- 3. Display indicates OK PASSWORD VALID.
- 4. At "SELECT OPERATE STATE" Press 3, select the ENTER key. (See manual page 18)
- 5. Display indicates SELECT EZ SETUP
- 6. Use STOP key to arrow down to SET UP INDICATORS, select the ENTER key.
- 7. Display indicates SETUP INDICATORS with TOTAL flashing, select the ENTER key
- 8. Display indicates TOTAL DESCRIPTOR with TOTAL on the screen, Select the ENTER key.
- 9. Display indicates TOTAL VOLUME UNITS with gal on the screen.
- 10. Change gal to lbs by pressing CLEAR then START key to arrow up to desired letter then select the ENTER key.
- 11. Display indicates TOT DEC PLACES (0-3) with 0 highlighted select the ENTER key.
- 12. Display indicates SETUP INDICATORS with RATE flashing, select the ENTER key.
- 13. RATE TIME BASE is displayed, select MIN by pressing "3", select the ENTER key.
- 14. RATE DESCRIPTOR is displayed with RATE highlighted, select the enter key.
- 15. RATE DEC PLACES (0-4) is displayed with 3 highlighted, press CLEAR, select 1 then select the ENTER key.
- 16. RATE AVG FILTER is displayed, 0 is selected, select the ENTER key.
- 17. QUICK UPDATE % is displayed, 1 is selected, select the ENTER key.
- 18. Display indicates SETUP FLOW INPUT select the ENTER key.
- 19. EXCITATION VOLTAGE is displayed, select 12V select the ENTER key.
- 20. PULSE INPUT TYPE is displayed, select chA, select the ENTER key.
- 21. PULSE TRIGGER LEVEL is displayed, select 2.5V select the ENTER key.
- 22. LOW PASS FILTER is displayed, select 20KHz, select the ENTER key.
- 23. INPUT TERMINATION is displayed, with Pulldown highlighted , select the ENTER key.
- 24. MAX WINDOW (1.99) is displayed, 1 sec is selected, select the ENTER key.
- 25. K\_FACTOR TYPE is displayed, select Avg, select the ENTER key
- 26. AVERAGE KA-FACTOR is displayed, press CLEAR. •Enter 11.6279 then select the ENTER key.
- 27. Select the ENTER key 2 times.
- 28. Display indicates SETUP PULSE OUTPUT, select the ENTER key.
- 29. PULSE OUTPUT USAGE is displayed, select Volume by pressing #5, select the ENTER key.
- 30. PULSE WIDTH is displayed, select 100 mS by pressing #5, select the ENTER key.
- 31. PULSE VALUE is displayed, press CLEAR.
- 32. Enter 110 then select the ENTER key.
- 33. Display indicates SETUP ANALOG OUTPUT, press the STOP (DOWN ARROW) key three times.
- 34. SETUP REALTIME CLOCK is displayed, select the ENTER key.
- 35. SETUP REALTIME CLOCK is displayed, select Time, select the ENTER key.
- 36. CLOCK TYPE is displayed, select 24HR, select the ENTER key.
- 37. TIME OF DAY is displayed, use arrow keys to change flashing digit, once the selected digit is correct, select the ENTER key, to get to the next digit until (CORRECT TIME OF DAY) is displayed, select the ENTER key.
- 38. SETUP REALTIME CLOCK is displayed, select Date, select the ENTER key.
- 39. Enter the date using XX,XX,XX (MONTH, DAY, LAST TWO DIGITS OF THE YEAR) format, select the ENTER key.
- 40. SERIAL USAGE is displayed, select the ENTER key.
- 41. SERIAL HARDWARE is displayed, select RS232, select the ENTER key.
- 42. DEVICE ID is displayed, select 1, select the ENTER key.
- 43. BAUD RATE is displayed, select 9600 which is not displayed yet so, select the ENTER key.
- 44. BAUD RATE is displayed, select 9600, select the ENTER key.

- 45. PARITY is displayed, select NONE, select the ENTER key.
- 46. HANDSHAKING is displayed, select NONE, select the ENTER key.
- 47. DEVICE LINE FEED is displayed, select (CR + LF), select the ENTER key.
- 48. MODEM CONTROL is displayed, select NO, select the ENTER key.
- 49. SETUP DATALOG/PRINT is displayed, select the ENTER key.
- 50. SETUP DATALOG/PRINT is displayed, select Config, select the ENTER key.
- 51. OUTPUT FORMAT is displayed, select Printer, select the ENTER key.
- 52. PAGE LENGTH (99 max) is displayed, enter 0, select the ENTER key.
- 53. TOP MARGIN (99 max) is displayed, select 3, select the ENTER key.
- 54. DATALOG ONLY is displayed, select No, select the ENTER key.
- 55. PRINT TIME is displayed, select the ENTER key with 00:00:00 displayed.
- 56. PRINT INTERVAL is displayed, select the ENTER key with 00:00:00 displayed.
- 57. ENABLE PRINT KEY is displayed, select YES, select the ENTER key.
- 58. CLEAR TOTAL IF PRINT is displayed, select NO, select the ENTER key.
- 59. SETUP DATALOG/PRINT is displayed, select Select\_list, select the ENTER key. Use the UP (START) and DOWN (STOP) arrow keys to view list status. Press the print key (F3) to add or remove from the list. Items marked with YES will be added to the list, items marked with NO will be removed from the list. Select TOTAL, TIME, and GRAND to be printed on the ticket. Remove PRE1, PRE2, PRE3, PRE4 and RATE from the list of printed items. Press the ENTER key when the list is complete.

### PARAMETER CONFIGURATION TABLE.

SETUP INDICATORS (See manual page 21)		
SETUP DESCRIPTOR	TOTAL	
TOTAL VOLUME UNITS	LBS	
TOT DEC PLACES	0	
RATE TIME BASE	Min	
RATE DESCRIPTOR	RATE	
RATE DEC PLACES (0-4)	1	
RATE AVG FILTER	0	
QUICK UPDATE %	1	
SETUP FLOW INPUT (See manual page 22)		
EXCITATION VOTAGE	12V	
PULSE INPUT TYPE	ChA	
PULSE TRIGGER LEVEL	2.5V	
LOW PASS FILTER	20KHz	
INPUTE TERMINATION	Pulldown	
MAX WINDOW	1	
K_FACTOR TYPE	Avg	
AVERAGE KA-FACTOR	11.6279	
LOW FLOW RATE ALARM	NA	
HI FLOW RATE ALARM	NA	
SETUP PULSE OUTPUT (See ma	inual page 24)	
PULSE OUTPUT USAGE	Volume	
PULSE WIDTH	100ms	
PULSE VALUE	110	
SETUP REALTIME CLOCK (See manual page 28)		
CLOCK TYPE	24HR	
SELECT CLOCK AM/PM	CURRENT TIME	
TIME OF DAY	CURRENT TIME	
DATE: MONTH,DAY,YEAR	CURRENT DATE	
SERIAL USAGE (See manual page 29)		
SERIAL HARDWARE	RS232	
DEVICE ID	1	
BUAD RATE	9600	
PARITY	NONE	
HANDSHAKING	NONE	
DEVICE LINE FEED	(CR+LF)	
MODEM CONTROL	NO	
SETUP DATALOG PRINT (See manual page 30/31)		
OUTPUT FORMAT	Printer	
PAGE LENGTH	0	
TOP MARGIN	3	
DATALOG ONLY	No	
	00:00:00	
	00:00:00	
	YES	
PRINT LIST ITEMS	I OTAL, HME, GRAND	

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