

# DMTFB/C-Ex Transit Time Ultrasonic Flow Meter Clamp-on & Insertion Explosion-proof



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### **PART-1 INTRODUCTION**

### 1.1 GENERAL

It is the engineers and technicians' hope to measure the flow on the non-invasive pipeline reliably. Series DMTF are state-of-the-art universal transit-time ultrasonic flow meters, fit to measure flow of full pipe line, providing a measuring system with unsurpassed accuracy, versatility, ease of installation and dependability. Although designed primarily for cleaner liquids, the flow meter is tolerant of liquids with the small amount of air bubbles or suspended solids found in most industrial environments.

### 1.2 PRINCIPLE OF MEASUREMENT

The DMTF ultrasonic flow meter is designed to measure the fluid velocity of liquid within a closed pipe. The transducers are a non-invasive, clamp-on type, which will provide benefits of non-fouling operation and easy installation.

The DMTF transit time flow meter utilizes two transducers that function as both ultrasonic transmitters and receivers. The transducers are clamped on the outside of a closed pipe at a specific distance from each other. The transducers can be mounted in V-method where the sound transverses the pipe twice, or W-method where the sound transverses the pipe four times, or in Z-method where the transducers are mounted on opposite sides of the pipe and the sound crosses the pipe once. This selection of the mounting method depends on pipe and liquid characteristics. The flow meter operates by alternately transmitting and receiving a frequency modulated burst of sound energy between the two transducers and measuring the transit time that it takes for sound to travel between the two transducers. The difference between the transit-time is directly and exactly related to the velocity of the liquid in the pipe, as shown in Figure 1.

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(a) Z method

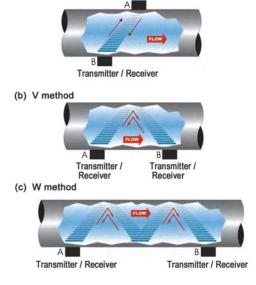
$$V_f = Kdt / TL$$

Where:  $V_f$  Liquid velocity

K Constant

dt Difference in time of flight

TL Average Transit Time



Transmitter / Receiver



### 1.3 APPLICATIONS

- 1. Water, sewage (with low particle content) and sea water
- 2. Water supply and drainage water
- 3. Process liquids; Liquors
- 4. Milk, yoghourt milk
- 5. Gasoline kerosene diesel oil
- 6. Power plant
- 7. The flow patrolling and examining
- 8. Metallurgy, Laboratory
- 9. Energy-conservation, economize on water
- 10. Food and medicine
- 11 Heat measures, Heat balance
- 12 On-the-spot check-up, standard, the data are judged, Pipeline leak detection

### 1.4 FEATURES

- Advanced DSP technology and the MultiPulse TM transducer technology
- DMTFB is Clamp-0n type, non-invasive system allows solids to pass through the pipe within effect on meter. Y-strainers or filtering devices are not needed. DMTFC is Insertion type, hot-tapped.
- Digital cross-correlation technology
- Available including: up to 8 GB data logger.
- Since the sensors do not contact the liquid, fouling and maintenance are eliminated.
- Provides easy and low cost installation by clamping on the outside of existing piping systems.
- Clear, user-friendly menu selections make DMTFB/C simple and convenient to use
- A pair of sensors can satisfy different materials, wide different pipe diameters
- 4 Lines display, can display total flow, flow rate, velocity and meter run status. Parallel
  operation of positive, negative and net flow totalizes with scale factor and 7 digit
  display, while the output of totalize pulse and frequency output are transmitted via
  open collector.
- U.S., British and Metric measurement units are available. Meanwhile, almost all-universal measurement units worldwide may be selected to meet customer's requirements.



### 1.5 SPECIFICATIONS

### Transmitter

Description	Specifications	
Principle of Measurement	Principle of Transit Time, DSP technology and MultiPulse Transducer	
	Technology	
Power Requirements	<b>24VDC</b> ±5%, 2.5VA Max	
Velocity	$0 \sim \pm 12 \text{ m/s}$	
Outputs	All outputs are isolated from earth and system grounds.	
Optional	4-20mA: 1000 ohm max, veracity :0.1%	
	Pulse output: 1~9999Hz (From F.out), Flow rate output	
	Relay output for total flow and alarm. The relays are rated for 150	
	VDC maximum and have a current rating of 0.18 A resistive load.	
	RS232 or RS485, options: MODBUS-ASC II /MODBUS-RTU	
	protocol, Hart protocol+(4-20mA).	
Display	4 line×16 English letters LCD back lit, can display total flow, flow	
	rate, velocity and meter run status etc.	
Units	User Configured (English and Metric)	
Rate	Flow Rate and Velocity Display	
Totalizer	Forward total; Reverse total; Net Total(difference between forward	
	and reverse flow)	
Ambient Conditions	-40 to 131F [-40 to 55°C], 0-95% relative humidity, non-condensing	
Enclosure	NEMA 4X [IP65] Polycarbonate SS Brass and plated steel	
	310H×226W×127D mm	
Accuracy Flow Rate	$\pm 1.0\%$ of reading at rates >0.5 m/s	
	±0.005 m/s of reading at rates<0.5 m/s	
Repeatability	±0.2% of reading	
Responding Time	500ms display refresh, sampling cycle 7.5ms	
Security	Keypad lockout, access code enable	
Approvals(option)	ATEX (Exd II BT6) certified. (LCIE 09 ATEX 3088)	
Other functions	Automatic record incident and functions of management of flow	
	Remember the state of the flow meter	
	Diagnosis	

### Transducer

Description	Specifications
Liquid types	Virtually most any liquid containing less than 2% total suspended
	solids (TSS) or aeration.
Suited Liquid temperature	Standard Temp. Transducer: -40 to 240F [-40 to 121°C]
	High Temp. Transducer: -40 to 480F [-40 to 250°C] for Clamp-on
	-40 to 300F [-40 to 150°C] for Insertion
Transducer to Transmitter	Shield cable, standard 6 meters, (opt) Lengths to 300 meters
Cable distance	
Pipe size	M transducer: 40-1000mm] pipe I.D; L transducer: 1000-4500mm; S
	transducer: 15-50mm; Insertion transducer: 65-4000mm
Pipe material	All kind of steel and cast iron, PVC etc.



### PART-2 TRANSDUCER INSTALLATION

### 2.1 GENERAL

The transducers that are utilized by the Series DMTF contain piezoelectric crystals for transmitting and receiving ultrasound signals through walls of liquid piping systems. The transducers are relatively simple and straight-forward to install, but spacing and alignment of the transducers is critical to the system's accuracy and performance. Extra care should be taken to ensure that these instructions are carefully executed.

Mounting of the clamp-on ultrasonic transit time transducers is comprised of three steps: Select the optimum location on a piping system.

Enter the necessary parameters into the DMTF keypad.

(DMTF will calculate proper transducer spacing based on these entries (menu 25))

Pipe preparation and transducer mounted.

### 2.2 MOUNTING LOCATION

The first step in the installation process is the selection of an optimum location for the flow measurement to be made. For this to be done effectively, a basic knowledge of the piping system and its plumbing is required.

An optimum location is defined as:

### A piping system that is completely full of liquid when measurements are being taken.

The pipe may become completely empty during a process cycle - which will result in an error code being displayed on the flow meter while the pipe is empty. Error codes will clear automatically once the pipe refills with liquid. It is not recommended to mount the transducers in an area where the pipe may become partially filled. Partially filled pipes will cause erroneous and unpredictable operation of the meter.

### A piping system that contains lengths of straight pipe such as those described in Table

**2.1**. The optimum straight pipe diameter recommendations apply to pipes in both horizontal and vertical orientation. The straight runs in Table 2.1 apply to liquid velocities that are nominally 7 FPS [2.2 MPS]. As liquid velocity increases above this nominal rate, the requirement for straight pipe increases proportionally.

Mount the transducers in an area where they will not be inadvertently bumped or disturbed during normal operation.

**Avoid installations on downward flowing pipes** unless adequate downstream head pressure is present to overcome cavitations in the pipe.

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Piping configuration	Upstream Dimension	Downstream Dimension
And transducer position	Pipe Diameters(*)	Pipe Diameters (**)
Flow	10	5
Flow	14	5
Flow	24	5
Flow **	30	5
Flow	10	5
Flow	24	10

**Table 2.1 Straight Pipe Requirement** 

### 2.3 TRANSDUCER SPACING

DMTF transducers are clamped on the outside of a closed pipe at a specific distance from each other. The transducers can be mounted in V-mode where the sound transverses the pipe two times, W-mode where the sound transverses the pipe four times, or in Z-mode where the transducers are mounted on opposite sides of the pipe and the sound crosses the pipe once. For further details, reference pictures located under Table 2.2. The appropriate mounting configuration is based on pipe and liquid characteristics. Selection of the proper transducer mounting method is not entirely predictable and many times is an iterative process. Table 2.2 contains recommended mounting configurations for common applications. These recommended configurations may need to be modified for specific applications if such things as aeration, suspended solids or poor piping conditions are present. W-mode provides the longest sound path length between the transducers - but the weakest signal strength. Z-mode provides the strongest signal strength - but has the shortest sound path length. On pipes smaller than 3 inches [75 mm], it is desirable to have a



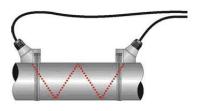
longer sound path length, so that the differential time can be measured more accurately.

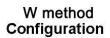
Table 2.2
Transducer Mounting Modes

Transducer Mount Mode	Pipe Material	Pipe Size	Liquid Composition
W-Mode	Plastic (all types) Carbon Steel Stainless Steel Copper Ductile Iron Cast Iron	1-6 in. (25-150 mm) 1-4 in. (25-100 mm) 1-6 in. (25-150 mm) 1-6 in. (25-150 mm) Not recommended Not recommended	Low TSS; non-aerated Low TSS; non-aerated Low TSS; non-aerated Low TSS; non-aerated
V-Mode	Plastic (all types) Carbon Steel Stainless Steel Copper Ductile Iron Cast Iron	6-30 in. (150-750 mm) 4-24 in. (100-600 mm) 6-30 in. (150-750 mm) 6-30 in. (150-750 mm) 3-12 in. (75-300 mm) 3-12 in. (75-300 mm)	Low TSS; non-aerated Low TSS; non-aerated Low TSS; non-aerated Low TSS; non-aerated Low TSS; non-aerated Low TSS; non-aerated
Z-Mode	Plastic (all types) Carbon Steel Stainless Steel Copper Ductile Iron Cast Iron	> 30 in. (> 750 mm) > 24 in. (> 600 mm) > 30 in. (> 750 mm) > 30 in. (> 750 mm) > 12 in. (> 300 mm) > 12 in. (> 300 mm)	Low TSS; non-aerated Low TSS; non-aerated Low TSS; non-aerated Low TSS; non-aerated Low TSS; non-aerated Low TSS; non-aerated

TSS = Total Suspended Solids

### **Transducer Mounting Modes**







V method Configuration



Z method Configuration

The DMTF system calculates proper transducer spacing by utilizing piping and liquid information entered by the user.

The following information is required before programming the instrument. Note that much of the data relating to material sound speed, viscosity and specific gravity are preprogrammed into the DMTF flow meter. This data only needs to be modified if it is known that a particular liquid data varies from the reference value. Refer to Part 3 of this manual for instructions on entering configuration data into the DMTF flow meter via the meter keypad. Transducer mounting configuration. See Table 2.2 on Page 6

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- 1. Pipe Outer Diameter)
- 2. Pipe wall thickness
- 3. Pipe material
- 4. Pipe sound speed
- 5. Pipe relative roughness
- 6. Pipe line thickness
- 7. Pipe line material
- 8. Pipe line sound speed
- 9. Fluid type
- 10. Fluid sound speed

Nominal values for these parameters are included within the DMTF operating system. The nominal values may be used as they appear or may be modified if exact system values are known.

After entering the data listed above, the DMTF will calculate proper transducer spacing for the particular data set. This distance will be in inches if the DMTF is configured in English units, or millimeters if configured in metric units.

### 2.4 TRANSDUCER MOUNTING

After selecting an optimum mounting location and successfully determining the proper transducer spacing, the transducers may now be mounted onto the pipe.

The transducers must be properly oriented on the pipe to provide optimum reliability and performance. On horizontal pipes, the transducers should be mounted 180 radial degrees from one another and at least 45 degrees from the top-dead-center and bottom-dead-center of the pipe. See Figure 2.1. Figure 2.1 does not apply to vertically oriented pipes.

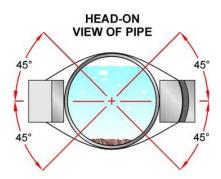


Figure 2.1
Transducer Orientation—Horizontal Pipes

On vertical pipes the orientation does not apply.

### **Pipe Preparation**

Before the transducers are mounted onto the pipe surface, two areas slightly larger than the flat surface of the transducer heads must be cleaned of all rust, scale and moisture. For

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pipes with rough surfaces, such as ductile iron pipe, it is recommended that the pipe surface be ground flat. Paint and other coatings, if not flaked or bubbled, need not be removed. Plastic pipes typically do not require surface preparation other than soap and water cleaning.

Observe Signal Strength while placing the transducers into position. Signal Strength can be displayed on Menu 90.

### V-Mode and W-Mode Installation

1. For DMTF transducers, place a single bead of couplant, approximately 0.05 inch [1.2mm] thick, on the flat face of the transducer. See Figure 2.2. Generally, silicone-based grease is used as an acoustic couplant, but any grease-like substance that is rated not to "flow" at the temperature that the pipe may operate will be acceptable.

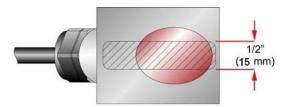


Figure 2.2

- 2. Place the upstream transducer in position and secure with a mounting strap. Straps should be placed in the arched groove on the end of the transducer. A screw is provided to help hold the transducer onto the strap. Verify that the transducer is stick to the pipe adjust as necessary. Tighten the transducer strap securely.
- 3. Place the downstream transducer on the pipe at the calculated transducer spacing. See **Figure 2.3**. Using firm hand pressure, slowly move the transducer both towards and away from the upstream transducer while observing Signal Strength. Clamp the transducer at the position where the highest Signal Strength is observed. A Signal Strength (Menu 90) between 60 and 95 is acceptable.
- 4. If after adjustment of the transducers the Signal Strength (Menu 90) does not rise to above 60, then an alternate transducer mounting method should be selected. If the mounting method was W-mode, then reconfigure the DMTF for V-mode, reset the DMTF, move the downstream transducer to the new location and repeat step 3.

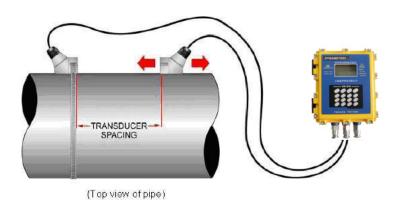


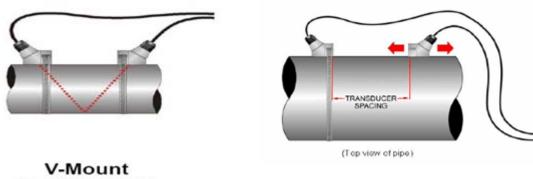
Figure 2.3
Transducer Position

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V-Mount is the STD installation method, it is convenient and accurate, Reflective type (transducers mouthed on one side of the pipe) of installation used primarily on pipe size in the (50mm~400mm) internal diameter range attention transducer designed parallel on the centre line of installing the pipeline.

The spacing value shown on menu window M25 refers to the distance of inner spacing between the two transducers. The actual transducers spacing should be as close as possible to the spacing value. The transducer spacing is from the end of one transducer to another sensor.



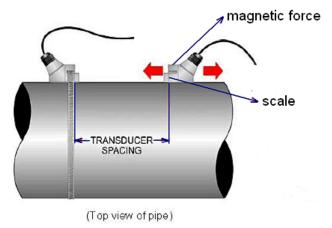
V-Mount Configuration

Normal transducer spacing

The transducer mounting spacing is very important for Transit-time meters, and users need mount transducers exactly according to the spacing distance value M25 displays after users input proper parameter settings. M91 is only for reference, and just keep it within 97--103% value range.

As the above figure shows, the normal transducer spacing refers to the distance between the ends of the two transducers (as the two red lines indicate). And this spacing should be exactly according to the value M25 tells you. Note that this method suits for normal Small, Std. M and Large transducer.

For Magnetic transducers, the definition of transducer spacing is the distance between the two scale lines, just as showed bellow:



Magnetic Transducer Spacing

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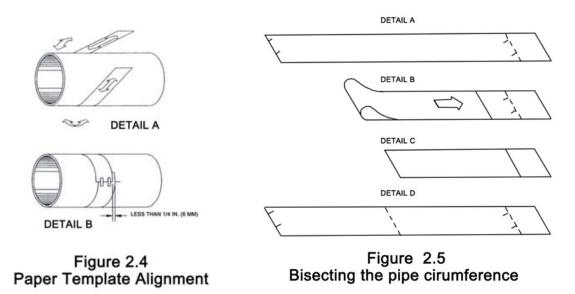


The value displayed in M25 for magnetic transducer spacing refers to the distance showed in the above figure. (Note: The displayed value in M25 is larger than the distance between the ends of the two magnetic transducers.) Users should mount the magnetic transducers with the above showed spacing exactly according to the M25 value.

### **Mounting Transducers in Z-Mount Configuration**

Installation on larger pipes requires careful measurements to the linear and radial placement of the L1 transducers. Failure to properly orient and place the transducers on the pipe may lead to weak signal strength and/or inaccurate readings. The section below details a method for properly locating the transducers on larger pipes. This method requires a roll of paper such as freezer paper or wrapping paper, masking tape and a marking device.

- 1. Wrap the paper around the pipe in the manner shown in **Figure 2.4**. Align the paper ends to within 0.25 inches [6 mm].
- 2. Mark the intersection of the two ends of the paper to indicate the circumference. Remove the template and spread it out on a flat surface. Fold the template in half, bisecting the circumference. See **Figure 2.5**.



- 3. Crease the paper at the fold line. Mark the crease. Place a mark on the pipe where one of the transducers will be located. See **Figure 2.1** for acceptable radial orientations. Wrap the template back around the pipe, placing the beginning of the paper and one corner in the location of the mark. Move to the other side of the pipe and mark the pipe at the ends of the crease. Measure from the end of the crease directly across the pipe from the first transducer location) the dimension derived in Step 2, Transducer Spacing. Mark this location on the pipe.
- 4. The two marks on the pipe are now properly aligned and measured. If access to the bottom of the pipe prohibits the wrapping of the paper around the circumference, cut a piece of paper to these dimensions and lay it over the top of the pipe. Length = Pipe O.D. x 1.57; width = Spacing determined on page 2.6

Mark opposite corners of the paper on the pipe. Apply transducers to these two marks.



- 5. Place a single bead of couplant, approximately 0.05 inch [1.2 mm] thick, on the flat face of the transducer. See **Figure 2.2**. Generally, a silicone-based grease is used as an acoustic couplant, but any grease-like substance that is rated to not "flow" at the temperature that the pipe may operate at, will be acceptable.
- a) Place the upstream transducer in position and secure with a stainless steel strap or other. Straps should be placed in the arched groove on the end of the transducer. A screw is provided
- b) Try to help hold the transducer onto the strap. Verify that the transducer is true to the pipe adjust as necessary. Tighten transducer strap securely. Larger pipes may require more than one strap to reach the circumference of the pipe.
- 6. Place the downstream transducer on the pipe at the calculated transducer spacing. See **Figure 2.6**. Using firm hand pressure, slowly move the transducer both towards and away from the upstream transducer while observing Signal Strength. Clamp the transducer at the position where the highest Signal Strength is observed. Signal Strength of between 60 and 95 percent is acceptable. On certain pipes, a slight twist to the transducer may cause signal strength to rise to acceptable levels.
- 7. Secure the transducer with a stainless steel strap or other.

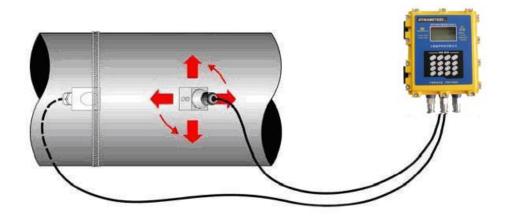


Figure 2.6
Z-Mode Transducer Placement

# 2.5 TRANSDUCER MOUNTING INSPECTION AND COUPLANT APPLICATION

### 2.5.1 Transducer Mounting Inspection

It is very important to use menu operations for TRANSDUCER MOUNTING INSPECTION and Estimation, Refer to 5.16, Use menu windows for Transducer Mounting Inspection.



### 2.52 Couplant Application

### A, It is also very important for couplant application.

When mounting the transducers, apply just enough pressure so that the couplant fills the gap between the pipe and transducer. Commonly, the Dow 732 for permanent and Dow 111 for temporary installations, but Dow 111 has a better coupling effect. If Dow 732 was used, ensure that no relative movement between the transducer and the pipe takes place during the setting time and do not apply instrument power for at least 24 hours, Dow 111 also be used for permanent installations(avoid rain or water etc.), setting time is not necessary. We recommend using Dow 111 for permanent installing, and then use Dow732 around the transducer in order to fix the transducer, waterproof cloth is recommended if the Transducers are installed outdoor. Dow 112 for high temperature application.

### **B**, Transducers for High Temperature

Mounting of high temperature transducers is similar to DMTF standard transducers; High temperature installations require acoustic couplant Dow Corning 112 that is rated not to flow at the temperature that will be present on the pipe surface.



# PART-3 TRANSMITTER INSTALLATION CONNECTION AND OPERATION INSTRUCTIONS

### 3.1 TRANSMITTER INSTALLATION

After unpacking, it is recommended to save the shipping carton and packing materials in case the instrument is stored or re-shipped. Inspect the equipment and carton for damage. If there is evidence of shipping damage, notify the carrier immediately.

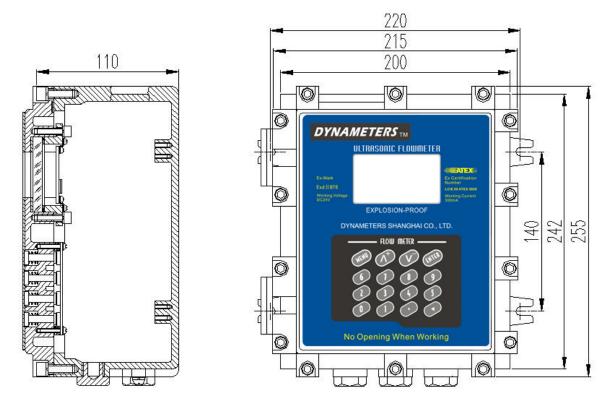
The enclosure should be mounted in an area that is convenient for servicing, calibration or for observation of the LCD readout (if so equipped).

- 1 Locate the transmitter within the length of transducer cable that was supplied with the DMTF system. If this is not possible, it is recommended that the cable be exchanged for one that is of proper length. Transducer cables that are up to 990 feet [300 meters] may be accommodated.
- 2. Mount the DMTF transmitter in a location that is:
- ♦ Where little vibration exists.
- ◆ Protected from falling corrosive fluids.
- ◆ Within ambient temperature limits -40 to 131°F [-40 to 55°C]
- ♦ Out of direct sunlight. Direct sunlight may increase transmitter temperature to above the maximum limit.
- 3. Mounting: Refer to **Figure 3.1** for enclosure and mounting dimension details. Ensure that enough room is available to allow for door swing, maintenance and conduit entrances. Secure the enclosure to a flat surface with four appropriate fasteners.
- 4. Conduit holes. Conduit hubs should be used where cables enter the enclosure. Holes not used for cable entry should be sealed with plugs.

NOTE: Use NEMA 4 [IP65] rated fittings/plugs to maintain the water tight integrity of the enclosure. Generally, the left conduit hole (viewed from front) is used for line power; the center conduit hole for transducer connections and the right hole is utilized for OUTPUT wiring.

5 If additional holes are required, drill the appropriate size hole in the enclosure's bottom. Use extreme care not to run the drill bit into the wiring or circuit cards.





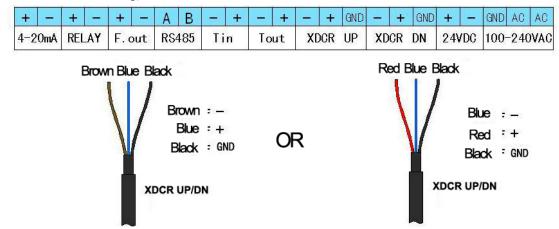
**Figure 3.1 Mechanical Dimensions** 

### 3.2 TRANSDUCER CONNECTIONS

To access terminal strips for electronic connectors, loosen the two screws in the enclosure door and open the door.

Guide the transducer terminations through the transmitter conduit hole located in the bottom-center of the enclosure.

The terminals within DMTF are a pluggable type - they can be removed wired and then plugged back in. Connect the appropriate wires to the corresponding screw terminals in the transmitter. Observe UP/DN Str. Xdcr orientation (if flow rate display negative, exchange the UP/DOWN wiring).



**NOTE**: The transducer cable carries low level high frequency signals. In general, it is not



recommended to add additional cable to the cable supplied with the transducers. If additional cable is required, contact the DYNAMETERS factory to arrange an exchange for a transducer with the appropriate length of cable.

Cables to 990 feet [300 meters] are available.

### 3.3 TRANSMITTER POWER AND OUTPUT CONNECTIONS

1, Connect line power to the screw terminals AC, GND or DC in the transmitter. See the following Figure 3.2, the ground terminal grounds the instrument, which is mandatory for safe operation.

DC Power connection: The DMTF may be operated from a 9-28 VDC source, as long as the source is capable of supplying a minimum of 3 Watts.

**NOTE:** This instrument requires clean electrical line power. Do not operate this unit on circuits with noisy components (i.e., fluorescent lights, relays, compressors, or variable frequency drives). It is recommended not to run line power with other signal wires within the same wiring tray or conduit.

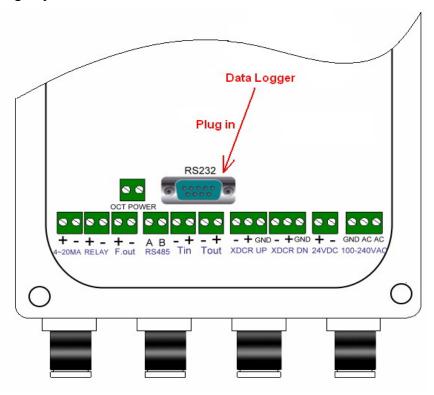


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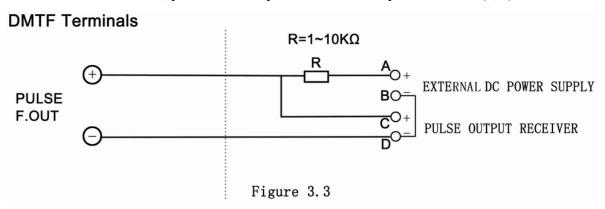
- 2, Connect the 4~20mA wires to the appropriate (4~20mA + -) (The 4-20mA output do not requires power from an external DC power supply)
- 3, Pulse F. out is pulse output terminals. Only For Flow Rate Output.



The pulse output is utilized to transmit information to external counters and PID systems via a frequency output that is proportional to system flow rate. The frequency output range of the Pulse is 0–9,999 Hz.

The type of pulse output is an open-collector transistor (OCT) type that requires an external power source and pull-up resistor. External DC power Supply is depending on Pulse Output receiver, 5-24V is allowable. Resistor selection is based on the input impedance of the receiving device. Select a resistor that is a maximum of 10% of the input impedance of the receiving device, but do not exceed 10k-ohms. The connecting circuit is shown as Fig. 3.3.

For easily using, we have connected a  $1k\Omega$  resistor from F.out (+) to OCT(+), so if  $1k\Omega$  resistor is suitable to use, you can directly connect external power to OCT(+, -).



### 4, Relay "+, -", only For Totalizer Output or Relay Alarm Output.

The relays are rated for 150VDC maximum and have a current rating of 0.18A resistive load. Turn on duration: typical 0.65ms, max. 2.0ms; Turn off duration: typical 0.08ms, max. 2.0ms; Conduction resistance 0.83 ohms, max. 1.63 ohms, output capacitance: 1.5PF. I/O Terminal isolation voltage: 1500VAC.

Once the transmitter is powered on, the "RELAY +, -" output is normally Open state.

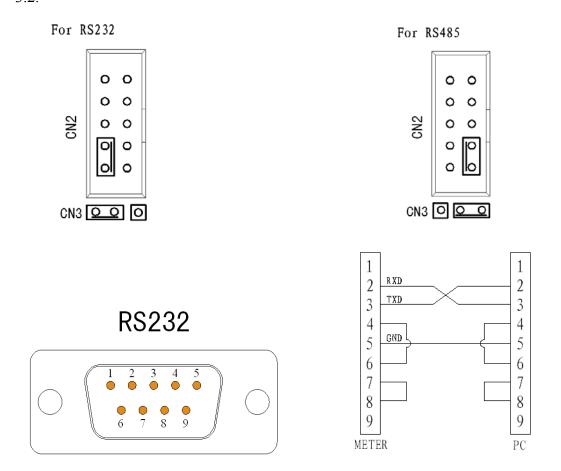
When the relay is used for totalizer output, connect terminal "RELAY + -", select the corresponding totalizer in Menu 79, and setup the minimum display totalizer increments in Menu 33. Every time the totalizer increases a value set in M33, the relay closed one time.

When the relay is used for alarm output, connect terminal "RELAY + -", select the corresponding item in Menu 79, it can be used for several alarm condition. For example, select "Alarm #1", set "Alarm #1 Low Value" in Menu 73, and set "Alarm #1 High Value" in Menu 74. When the flow is between the low value and high value, the relay is open state, and when the flow is lower than "Low Value", or higher than "High Value", the relay is closed state.

### 5, RS232C or RS485 wiring:



DMTF Series provide RS232C or RS485 communication output based on user's option, there are two jumpers (CN2, CN3) on circuit board, please see below jumper diagram for RS232C and RS485 outputs. RS232C output via 9 pins connector on circuit board, and connect to PC see the below diagram. RS485 output wiring terminals is A and B see the Fig. 3.2.



### 6, RS485 (Modbus-RTU) wiring:

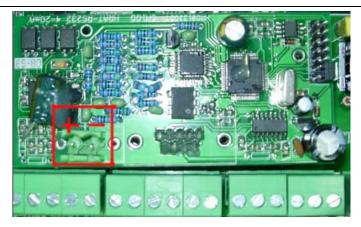
DMTF series default RS485 output is RS485 (Modbus-ASCII protocol), If customers need RS485 (Modbus-RTU protocol), we add a Modbus-RTU module on mainboard, and instrument selects RS232C communication output (The jumper is for RS232). When connect wirings, the "D+" terminal is connected to modbus "A", and the "D-" terminal is connected to modbus "B". (More details in APPENDIX 4 MODBUS-RTU COMMUNICATIONS PROTOCOL)

### 7, HART wiring

When customers need HART output, we plug a HART module on mainboard. HART wiring is shown as the following picture.

On the HART module, there are two terminals, the left terminal is connected to "+", and the right terminal is connected to "-". Please remember that a resistor of  $250\Omega$  must be connected between the "+" and "-" terminal.



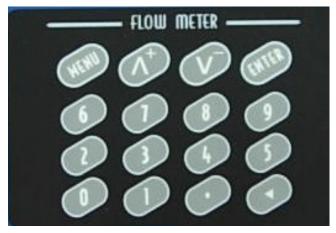


### 3.4 KEYPAD CONFIGURATION

### 3.4.1, Keypad functions

After transducer and connection of appropriate power supply to DMTF, keypad configuration of the instrument can be undertaken. Generally, there should be no display of error messages, and the flow meter will go to the most commonly used Menu Window Number 01 (short for M01) to display the Velocity, Flow Rate, Positive Totalizer, Signal Strength and Signal Quality, based on the pipe parameters entering by the user or by the initial program.

The DMTF contains a 16-key tactile keypad, allows the user to view and change configuration parameters as shown below.



Follow these guidelines when using DMTF keypad:

- $0 \sim 9$  and  $\Box$  to input numbers and decimal.
- ◆ to backspace or delete characters to the left.

The ARROW keys  $\bigcap$  and  $\bigvee$  To return to the last menu or to open the next menu, are used to scroll through menu configuration parameters; also acts as "+" and "-" functions when entering numbers.

MENU To select a menu. Press this key first, input two menu numbers and then enter the



selected menu. For instance, to input a pipe Outside diameter, press MENU 1 2 keys, where "12" is the window Address to display the parameter pipe wall thickness.

### 3.4.2 KEYPAD OPERATION

With all of the parameters entered, the instrument setup and measurement displays are			
subdivided or consolidated into more than 100 independent windows. The user can view the			
window menu, input parameters, modify settings or display measurement results. These			
windows are arranged by 2-digit serial numbers (including $\boxed{\bigwedge}$ sign) from 00~99, then to $\boxed{\bigwedge}$			
0, \( \bigcap \) 8, etc Every window serial number, or so-called window Address code, has a			
defined meaning. For instance, Window No.11 indicates the parameter input for pipe			
outside diameter, while Window No.25 indicates the mounting distance between the			
ransducers, etc. (Refer to Part 4 – Windows Display Explanations).			
The keypad shortcut to visit a specific window is to press the MENU key at any time, then			
nput the 2-digit window Address code. For instance, to input or check the pipe outside			
diameter, just press the MENU 、 1 、 1 keys for window Address code 11.			
Another method to visit a particular window is to press , wand ENTER keys to scroll			
he menu. For instance, if the current window Address code is 66, press  key to enter			
Window No.65, press the \( \sum \) again to enter Window No.64; then, press the \( \subseteq \) key to back			
Window No.65, and press the $\bigvee$ key again to enter Window No.66.			
Example 1. To enter a pipe outside diameter of 218.6, the procedure is as follows:			
Press MENU 1 1 keys to enter Window No.11 (the numerical value displayed			
currently is a previous value). Now press ENTER key. The symbol > and the flashing			
cursor are displayed at the left end of the second line on the Screen. The new value can be			
entered by press 2 1 8 . 6 ENTER.			
M11 M11			
Outer Diameter Outer Diameter			
108 mm   108 mm   > 218.6			
Example 2. If the pipe material is "Stainless Steel", press keys MENU 1 4 to enter			
Window No.14 first. Then press ENTER key to modify the options. Now, select the "1.			
Stainless Steel "option by pressing \(  \) and \(  \) keys, and then press \( \bar{ENTER} \) key to confirm			
the selection. It is possible to press the key \[ \begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{c} \left\ \ \ \end{array} \] to change the selection and wait until "1.			
Stainless Steel" is displayed on the second line of the screen. Then press the ENTER key to			
confirm.			



Generally, press ENTER key first if operator wants to enter "modify" condition. If the "modify" is still not possible even after pressing the ENTER key, it means that system is locked by a password. To "Unlock" it,

Select "Unlock" in Window No. 47 and enter the original password. The keypad will not respond if the keypad is locked. It only can be unlocked by the entering original password. Select keypad lock functions in Window No. 48. Please consult factory for password if necessary.

### 3.4.3 DMTF Window Descriptions

The DMTF has a unique feature of windows processing for all operations.

These windows are assigned as follows:

 $00\sim08$  windows for the display of flow rate, velocity, positive total, negative total, net total, heat flow, date & time, meter run status etc.

11∼29 windows for initial Parameter Setup: To enter pipe outside diameter, pipe wall thickness, pipe material type, fluid type, transducer type, etc. For DMTFC, pipe material type selection is not necessary.

30~38 windows for flow Units Options: to select the flow unit, totalizer unit, measurement unit, turn totalizers on/off and reset totalizes, etc.

40~49 windows for Setup options: Scale factor, network IDN (Window No.46), system lock (Window No.47) and keypad lock code (Window No.48), etc.

50~89 windows for Input and output setup: relay output setup, 4-20mA outputs, flow batch controller, LCD backlit option, date and time, low/high output frequency, alarm output, date totalizer, etc.

90~94 windows for Diagnoses: Signal strength and signal quality (Window No.90), **TOM/TOS\*100** (Window No.91), flow sound velocity (Window No.92), total time and delta time (Window No.93), Reynolds number and factor (Window No.94), etc.

 $\wedge 0 \sim \wedge 8$  APPENDIX: Power on/off time, total working hours, on/off times and hardware adjustment, used by the manufacturer only. For further information, please refer to **Part 4** – **Windows Display Explanations**. If you have any questions, refer to the step-by-step instructions found in the following section (3.4.4 **Pipe Parameter Entry Shortcuts**).

In fact, users don't need to set up so many steps, just select necessary parameters to set up in the menu.

### **3.4.4 Pipe Parameter Entry Shortcuts**



The following parameters should be entered for normal measurement:

- 1. Pipe outer diameter
- 2. Pipe wall thickness
- 3. Pipe material
- 4. Liner material parameters (including thickness and sound velocity, if needed)
- 5. Fluid type
- 6. Transducer type (The transmitter is available for various transducer types, for DMTFB, opt. S, M, L, DMTFC is Plug-in type B45 )
- 7. Transducer mounting methods (refer to Part 2, W, V, Z)
- 8. For the DMTFB, Clamp-on transducers, the M25 displayed the transducers spacing (two transducers installing distance) should be strictly abode. Also user shall refer to M91 and keep the value of M91 to 97%-103. %.

In the order stated above, enter the above-mentioned parameters by the following keypad shortcuts:

1. Press MENU 1   1 keys to enter Windows No.11, and enter the pipe outside diameter,
and then press the ENTER key.
2. Press the $\bigvee$ key to enter Window No.12, pipe wall thickness, and press ENTER key.
3. Press the $\boxed{\bigvee}$ key to enter Window No.14, press the $\boxed{\text{ENTER}}$ key, move the $\boxed{\bigwedge}$ or $\boxed{\bigvee}$ key
to select pipe material, and press the ENTER key.
4. Press the $\bigvee$ key to enter Window No.16, press the $\boxed{\text{ENTER}}$ key, move the $\bigwedge$ or $\bigvee$ key
to select liner material, and press the ENTER key.
5. Press the $\vee$ key to enter Window No.20, press the ENTER key, move the $\wedge$ or $\vee$ key to

- select fluid type, press the ENTER key.

  6. Press the V key to enter Window No. 23, press the ENTER key, move the April V key
- 6. Press the  $\bigvee$  key to enter Window No. 23, press the ENTER key, move the  $\bigwedge$  or  $\bigvee$  key to select transducer type, and press the ENTER key.
- 7. Press the  $\bigvee$  key to enter Window No.24, press the  $\boxed{\text{ENTER}}$  key, move the  $\bigwedge$  or  $\bigvee$  key to select transducer-mounting method, and press the  $\boxed{\text{ENTER}}$  key.
- 8.Press the \( \subseteq \) key to enter Window No.25, accurately install the transducer according to the displayed transducer mounting spacing and the selected mounting method (Refer to Installing the Transducers in Part 2).
- 9. Press the MENU 0 1 keys to enter Window No.01 to display measurement result.
- 10. Press the MENU X X keys to directly enter Window No.XX to display Mxx contents, where X is digital number on keypad.



## PART-4 WINDOWS DISPLAY EXPLANATIONS

**Windows Display Explanations** 

Williams Dispia	y Explanations	
Menu		
Window	Functions/Display	
Numbers		
M00	Positive, negative, net total flow and run status	
	Positive total flow, flow rate , fluid velocity and run	
	status	
	POS +18 m3	
M01	Flow 0.0000 m3/h Vel 0.0000 m/s	
	S=00.0, 00.0 Q=00	
M02	Negative total flow, flow rate, fluid velocity and run status	
M03	Net total flow, flow rate, fluid velocity and run status	
M04	Date, time, flow rate, run status	
M05	Total heat flow, heat flow rate, fluid velocity and run status	
Mod	Tin/Tout temperature value (4-20mA temperature sensor input	
M06	for Heat flow measurement)	
M07	Meter run Error Code and run status	
M08	Net total flow today	
	Above is display menu(M00-M08)	
M11	Window for entering/changing the outside (outer) diameter of	
M11	the pipe line. 0 to 4500 mm is the allowed range of the value.	
M12	Window for entering pipe wall thickness	
	Window for entering the inside(inner) diameter of the pipe(If	
M13	user had entered the parameters of M11 and M12, M13 is not	
	necessary to enter, automatically display and can't change)	
	Window for coloring nine metarial familiar nine metarial	
M14	Window for selecting pipe material, familiar pipe materials	
	include: (The materials must be equable, compact and can	
	transmit ultrasound)	
	0. Carbon steel 1. Stainless steel 2. Cast iron	
	3. Ductile iron 4. Copper 5. PVC	
	6. Aluminum 7. Asbestos 8. Fiberglass	
	9. Others	



M16	Window for selecting the liner material, select none for pipes	
	without any liner. familiar liner materials include:	
	0. No liner 1. Tar Epoxy 2. Rubber 3. Mortar	
	4. Polypropylene 5. Polystryol 6. Polystyrene	
	7. Polyester. 8. Polyethylene 9. Ebonite 10. Teflon	
	11. Others	
M18	Window for entering the liner thickness, if there is liner	
	Window for selecting fluid type	
	familiar liquids types include:	
	0. Water 1. Sea Water 2. Kerosene 3. Gasoline	
M20	4. Fuel oil 5. Crude Oil 6. Propane at -45°C	
	7. Butane at 0°C 8. Other * 9. Diesel Oil	
	10 .Castor Oil 11.Peanut Oil 12. #90 Gasoline	
	13. #93 Gasoline 14. Alcohol 15. Hot water at 125 ℃	
	Window for entering the Fluid Sound Speed, only for "other"	
	liquids. If M20 select "other", user must enter the fluid sound	
M21	velocity (inquiry or estimate a suitable value); if you do not	
	select "other" in Menu 20, M21 won't appear.	
	Window for entering the viscosity of the "other" liquids, unit	
M22	of viscosity is cst. If you do not select "other" in Menu 20,	
	M21 won't appear.	
	Window for selecting the proper transducer type (XDCR	
	Type), There are different types of transducers for. For	
	DMTFB, opt. Standard-S, Standard-M, standard-L, DMTFC	
	is Plug-in type B45.	
	M23	
M23	XDCR Type	
	0. Standard-M	
	Standard-S: Clamp-on small pipe, 15-40mm	
	Standard-M: Clamp-on standard pipe, 40-1250mm	
	Standard-L: Clamp-on large pipe, 1000mm-4500mm	
	Plug-in B45: Insertion, hot-tapped transducer, 65-4500mm	
	Window for selecting the transducer mounting method	
M24	(XDCR Mounting). Four methods can be selected:	
	0. V-method 1. Z-method 2. N (small pipe)	



	3. W-method (tiny pipe)		
	Display the transducer mounting spacing.		
M25	Have need mount transc	luceus executiv eccending to the specing	
*Important		lucers exactly according to the spacing ays after users input correct parameter	
	Entry to store the par	rameter configurations into the	
3.426	internal memory. This is	very important step, otherwise, if	
M26	power off and power on again, the meter may can't		
	memory the parameter of	onfigurations.	
	Display liquid cross sect	ion area, provide user to validate	
M27	flow rate or total flow dis	play, commonly it's no matter with	
	user.		
	Hold poor signal, YES i	s the default setup. If poor signal	
M28	appears, meter still have	a previous read. Commonly, don't	
	change the default setup.		
	Empty Pipe Setup, this	is very useful for user, Empty pipe	
	line or pipe shaking etc., n	neter may display error or undesired	
	read, user can setup a Q	value less than normal Q value, for	
M29	example, normal Q value	is 60-70, user can enter Empty Pipe	
	Setup value 50, such, met	ter will display 0 flow rate when Q	
	value is less than 50. In g	ood pipe status, please do not setup	
	this value too small.		
	Above is initial parameter s	vetup (M11-M29)	
	Window for selecting M	Measurement Unit system. Default	
M30	value is 'Metric'. The cha	inge from English to Metric or vice	
	versa will not affect the unit for totalizers.		
	Window for selecting Flow Rate Unit,		
		M31	
		Flow Rate Unit	
		M3/h	
M31	To change it, press key "ENTER", will display:		
	M31	The > is flashing, press scroll	
	Flow: Units/T	key $\wedge$ or $\vee$ to	
	> Cubic Meters	select desired unit, then	
		press "ENTER', to select	



	time unit will display:		
	The > is flashing, press scroll key ∧ or ∨ to select desired time unit, then press "ENTER', then. Will display desired flow rate unit.		
	Flow rate unit can be in		
	0. Cubic Meters short for (m3)		
	1. Liter (1)		
	2. American Gallon (gal)		
	3. Imperial Gallon (igl)		
	4. Million Gallon (American) (mgl)		
	5. Cubic Feet (cf)		
	6. American Liquid Barrel (bal)		
	7. Imperial Liquid Barrel (ib)		
	8. Oil Barrel (ob)  The flow unit in terms of time can be not day not hour not		
	The flow unit in terms of time can be per day, per hour, per minute or per second. So there are 36 different flow rate units		
	in total for selection.		
	Window for selecting Totaliziers Unit, working unit default is		
M32	cubic meters, if change it, press ENTER, then press scroll key		
	$\wedge$ or $\vee$ , to select desired unit.		
	Select Totalizer Multiplier		
M33	The multiplier ranges from 0.001 to 10000, default value is		
10133	×1, addition, if select total flow pulse output, this value		
	represent one pulse corresponding value.		
M34	Turn on or turn off the NET Totalizer		
M35	Turn on or turn off the Positive Totalizer		
M36	Turn on or turn off the Negative Totalizer		
	Totalizer Reset, the following options are available:		
M37	No		
1913 /	YES		
	Restore the instrument to the default parameters as the		



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	manufacturer did (Reset system) by pressing the dot key		
	followed by the		
	parameters before doing restoration		
	The Manual Totalizer is a separate totalizer, press "ENTER"		
M38	to start, and press "ENTER" to stop it. It is used for flow		
M38	measurement, calculation and manual calibration.		
	Press ENTER When Ready.		
Above is flow units options(M30-M38)			
	Flow rate Damping for displaying a	oing for displaying a stable read. The input	
M40	range is 0 to 999 seconds.		
W140	0 means there is no damping. Default value is 10 seconds;		
	common setup value is 1-10 seconds.		
	Low Flow Cutoff, may be used in	order to force a zero	
	display at lower flows and avoid	M41	
N#41	incorrect totalizer.	Low Flow Cutoff	
M41	For instance, this value is 0.02m/s,	0.02m/s	
	the meter will display zero when		
	flow rate is less than $\pm 0.02$ m/s.		
	Set Zero, when the fluid is in the static state, the displayed		
	value is called "zero point". When the "Zero Point" is not		
	really at zero, the incorrect read value is going to be added		
	into the actual flow values.		
M42	Set Zero must be carried out after the transducers are right		
W142	installed and the flow inside is in the absolute static state (no		
	liquid moved in the pipe line). Set Zero also is very important		
	step when recalibrating the meter in lab. Doing this step		
	enhances the measuring accuracy and flow offset can be		
	eliminated.		
M43	Reset Zero, clear the zero point set by the user, and restore the		
10143	zero point set by the manufacturer.		
M44	Manual Zero Point. Set up a manual flow offset. Generally		
1 <b>V1</b> 44	this value should be 0.		
	The Scale Factor is used to modify the measurement results,		
M45	factory default is 1.0 or other value depend on calibration,		
	please see the calibration data sheet and save this sheet. If		



	really necessary, the user can enter a numerical value other than factory default value according to re-calibration results.		
M46	Network environment Identification Number for PC communication system.		
M47	System Lock, to avoid modification of the parameters, contact factory for the password.		
M48	Keypad Lock Code, enter a password in order to prevent unauthorized keypad operating. Unlock it only using the correct password. If forgot, contact factory for the password to unlock it.		
M49	Comm. Test, for communication test.		
M50	Data Logger Option,  M50 Logger Option ON		
	If select data logger output, please select "ON", then, press "ENTER".		
	Time setup for the data logger		
	Set up Start time and Interval,  M51 Logger Time Start 00:00:00 Interval 00:00:00 Go On 00:00:00		
M51	if "Go On" time is longer than		
	24 hours, please use dot key .  on Keypad, as below:  **:**:**  M51 Logger Time  Start 12:30:00  Interval 00:05:00  Go On **:**:**		
M52	Data logging direction control: Only Select 'To RS-232' is selected, all the data produced by the data logger will be transmitted out through the RS-232 interface.		
M53	CL Calibration  4-20mA output calibration, Press ENTER when ready  M53 CL Calibration Pre ENT When Ready		



	Meter window will display:			
	Use a Ammeter to verify	M53		
	4mA output, if not, use		CL Calibration	
	key $\wedge$ or $\vee$ , let the	4mA=	==>-035_	
	output is 4.0mA			
	Use the same way, let the	M53		
	Output is 20.0mA		alibration	
	This function mainly used by	20m	A==>-100_	
	DMTF manufacturer.			
	CL Mode Select	[	N.C. 4	
	Select Current Loop output mo	ode	e M54 CL Mode Select	
	Use key ∧ or ∨,can select		0. 4-20mA	
M54	different mode:			
1120 1	4-20MA, 0-4-20MA, 0-20MA, 20-4-20MA etc.			
	It is useful if negative flow occurs.			
	For instance, select 0-4-20MA output; user can define 0-4MA			
	as negative flow, 4-20MA as po	ositive flo	ow.	
	CL(Current Loop) 4 MA output	ıt Value	M55	
M55	The flow unit's options are the	same	CL 4mA OutputVal  0 m3/h	
	as those in Menu 31.		0 1113/11	
	CL(Current Loop) 20MA outpo		1456	
	The flow unit's options are the	same	M56 CL 20mA Output	
M56	As those in Menu 31.		2000m3/h	
	Press Enter to change the displ	ayed		
	Value.			
	CL Checkup		M57	
	Press ENTER When Ready.		CL Checkup	
M57	It is necessary to re-calibrate th		ENTER When Ready	
	CL output according user's act			
		Output, the method is similar with M53.		
		User can check up 0MA, 4 MA, 8MA,20MA etc. output.		
M58	CL Output display			
M60	Setup the date and time of the meter.			
	Press ENTER to change it if necessary.			



Above is service options and CL output applications			
Display Version information and Electronic Serial Number			
M61	(ESN) that are unique for each series D	(ESN) that are unique for each series DMTF flow meter.	
M62		M62 RS-232C Setup 9600, None	
M63	Analog input temperature sensor rang application, wiring terminals is Tin+,	Analog input temperature sensor range value for heat flow application, wiring terminals is Tin+, Tin Press ENTER and use key ∧ or ∨ to input value corresponding 4mA and	
M64	application, wiring terminals is Tout+	Analog input temperature sensor range value for heat flow application, wiring terminals is Tout+, Tout Press ENTER and use key ∧ or ∨ to input value corresponding 4mA and	
M65	Setup the frequency range for the frequency output. The biggest range is 0Hz-9999Hz. Default value is 1-1001 Hz.		
M66	Setup the Low Frequency Output Corresponding Value of Flow Rate. This value correspond to the lowest Frequency value entered in M65.	M66 Low FO Flow Rate 0 m3/h	
M67	Setup the High Frequency Output Corresponding Value of Flow Rate. This value correspond to the highest Frequency value entered in M65. Please see the *Note for wiring diagram.	M67 High FO Flow Rate 3000 m3/h	
M70	Off" or "Lighting for" items, if select	LCD Backlit option. User can select "Always On"," Always Off" or "Lighting for" items, if select "Lighting for", please entered a second value, it indicates how many seconds the	
M71	LCD contrast control. The LCD will become darker when a small value is entered.		
M72	Working timer. It can be cleared by pre-	essing ENTER key, and	



	then select YES. Before instrument shipped, We have	
	calibrated and tested, so working timer is usually not zero.	
	Alarm #1 Low Value	
M73	Enter Lowest Flow Rate value that will trigger the Relay	
	wiring terminal output Alarm.	
	Alarm #1 High Value	
M74	Enter Highest Flow Rate value that will trigger the Relay	
	wiring terminal output Alarm.	
M75	Not used	
M76	Not used	
	Buzzer setup.	
	If a proper input source is selected, the buzzer will beep when	
	the trigger event occurs	
	0. No Signal	
	1. Poor Signal	
	2.Not Readystate error	
	3.Reverse Flow	
	4 .Analog Output overflow100%	
	5. Frequency Output overflow120%	
M77	6. Alarm #1	
	7. Alarm #2 (not used)	
	8. Batch Control	
	9. Positive Int Pulse	
	10. Negative Int Pulse	
	11.Energy Pulse	
	12. ON/OFF via RS232	
	13. Fluid Changed –fluid sound speed changed	
	14. Key Stroke ON–ring when press key	
	15. Not using–close the buzzer	
M78	OCT output Selection (Pulse output for flow rate)	
M79	Relay Output Setup	
M80	Flow Batch Control	
M81	Setup Flow Batch Control Value	



	The history logger of net totalizer		
M82	net totalizer of day		
	net totalizer of month		
	net totalizer of year		
	Auto. Correction		
M83	Auto gain the totalizer flow if system power off		
M84	Only used for heat flow measurement		
M85	Only used for heat flow measurement		
M86	Only used for heat flow measurement		
M87	Only used for heat flow measurement  Only used for heat flow measurement		
M88			
M89	Only used for heat flow measurement  Only used for heat flow measurement		
M90	Display signal strength, signal quality IMPORTANT When installing the transducers, Let Q Value at least ≥60	M90 Strenth + Quality S=00.0, 00.0 Q=00	
M91	Displays the Time Ratio between the Measured Total Transit Time and the Calculated time. If the pipe parameters are entered correctly and the transducers are properly installed, the ratio value should be in the range of 100±3%. Otherwise the entered parameters and the transducer installation should be checked.  M91 TOM/TOS*100 0.0000%		
M92	Displays the measured fluid sound speed. Normally this value should be approximately equal to the entered value in Menu 21 when M20 the fluid type select "Other". If this value has an obvious difference with the actual fluid sound speed, pipe parameters entered and the transducer installation should be checked again. If Menu20, the fluid type doesn't select "Other", this window is no matter with user.		

**Note:** Some contents in window menu order are not displayed in new software version, it won't influence user to use DMTF, just press  $\bigcirc$  or  $\bigcirc$  to scroll the menu window and view or setup necessary menu contents.



### PART-5 HOW TO USE MENU FUNCTIONS

# 5.1 HOW TO JUDGE WHETHER THE INSTRUMENT WORKS PROPERLY

Generally speaking, when 'R' is displayed in the lowest right corner of LCD display, the instrument is working properly.

If an 'H' flashes on that place, there could be poor signal received. Please refer to the chapters on diagnosis.

If an 'I' is displayed, it means that there is no signal detected.

If a 'J' is displayed, it means that the hardware of this instrument could be out of order. Refer to the chapter on diagnosis.

### 5.2 HOW TO JUDGE THE LIQUID FLOWING DIRECTION

Make sure that the instrument works properly

Check the flow rate for the indication. If the displayed value is positive, the direction of the flow will be from the UP transducer to the Down transducer; if the displayed value is negative, the direction will be from the Down transducer to the UP transducers;

Check the flow rate, if the display value is "+", will it is positive. If the display value is "-", It is negative.

### 5.3 HOW TO RESET THE DEFAULT SETUPS

Use M37, it has another function to recover the default setups. When the 'selection' message is displayed, press the dot key ☐, first, then press key ◀ then press ENTER, meter will erase all the parameters entered by the user and setup the meter with default values.

### 5.4 HOW TO STABILIZE THE FLOW

The damping acts as a filter for a stable reading. If '0' is entered in window M40, that means there is no damping. A bigger number brings a more stable effect. But bigger damping numbers will prevent the instrument from acting quickly. Numbers 0 to 10 are commonly used for the damping value.



### 5.5 HOW TO USE THE ZERO-CUTOFF FUNCTION

The number displayed in window M41 is called the low-cutoff value. The flow meter will replace these flow rate values that are absolutely less than the low-cutoff value with '0'. This means the flow meter will avoid any invalid accumulation when the actual flow is below the zero-cutoff value.

The low-cutoff value does not affect the flow measurement when the actual flow is absolutely greater than the low-cutoff value.

### 5.6 HOW TO SETUP A ZERO POINT CALIBRATION

It is necessary to establish the true zero flow condition and program that set point into the instrument. If the zero set point is not at true zero flow, a measurement difference may occur. Because every flow meter installation is slightly different and sound waves can travel in slightly different ways through these various installations, a provision is made in this entry to establish "True Zero" flow – SETUP ZERO.

There exists a 'Zero Point' with certain installation which means the flow meter will display a non-zero value when the flow is absolutely stopped. In this case, setting a zero point with the function in window M42 will bring a more accurate measurement result. When do a calibration test, it is also very important.

Make sure that the pipe is full of liquid and the flow is absolutely stopped - securely close any valves and allow time for any settling to occur. Then run the function in window M42 by press the MENU 4 2 keys, then press ENTER key and wait until the counter readings displayed in the lower right corner of the screen goes to "00"; thus, the zero set is completed and the instrument indicates the results automatically through Window No.01. Repeat zero set calibration if it still needs to be minimized, i.e. the velocity reading is still high.

### 5.7 HOW TO USE SCALE FACTOR

Scale factor refers to the ratio between "actual value" and "reading value". For instance, when the measurement is 2.00, and it is indicated of 1.98 on the instrument, the scale factor reading is 2/1.98. This means that the best scale factor constant is 1. However, it is difficult to keep the scale factor as "1" on the instrument especially in batch control operations. The difference is called "consistency". High quality products always require high consistency.

The scale factor default is "1" or a factory calibration value (see the calibration data sheet for every meter) for each instrument prior to shipment from the factory. The scale factor



entered must be one that results from actual calibration. Re-calibration or change the Scale factor may be necessary on different pipe lines or different applications in order to obtain better accuracy.

#### 5.8 HOW TO USE THE OPERATION LOCKER

The system locker provides a means of preventing inadvertent configuration changes or totalizer resets. Using the menu 48 when the system is locked, menu window browsing can be done without affecting any change, but any modifications are prohibited.

The system can be locked with a one 1 to 8 digit password.

If the password is forgotten, please contact the factory for a common password.

#### 5.9 HOW TO USE THE 4~20M A OUTPUT

Refer to Menu 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58. Possessing a current loop output exceeding an accuracy of 0.1%, the DMTF is programmable and configurable with multiple output modules such as 4 ~20mA or 0~20mA. Select in Window M54. For details, please refer to Part 4 – Windows Display Explanations. In Window M55, enter a 4mA flow value. Enter the 20mA flow value in Window M56. For instance, if the flow range in a specific pipe is 0~1000m3/h, enter 0 in Window M55 and 1000 in Window M56. If the flow ranges from -1000~0~2000m3/h, configure the 20~4~20mA module by selecting Window M54 when flow direction is not an issue. Enter -1000 in Window M55 and 2000 in Window M56. When flow direction is an issue, module 0~4~20mA is available. When the flow direction displays as negative, the current output is in range of 0~4mA, whereas the 4~20mA is for the positive direction. The output module options are displayed in Window M54. Enter "-1000" in Window M55 and 2000 in Window M56. Calibrating and testing the current loop is performed in Window M57. Complete the steps as follows: Press Menu, 5, 7, ENTER, move ∧or ∨ to display "0mA", "4mA", "8mA", "16mA", "20mA" readings, connect an ammeter to test the current loop output and calculate the difference. Calibrate it if the difference is within tolerance. Check the present current loop output in Window M58 as it changes along with change in flow.

#### 5.10 HOW TO USE THE FLOW RATE FREQUENCY OUTPUT

DMTF provides a frequency output transmitter function. The high or low frequency output displayed indicates the high or low flow rate reading. The user can reset the frequency output as well as flow rate per his requirements For instance: if a pipe flow range is  $0\sim2000$ m3/h, the relative frequency output required is  $10\sim1000$ Hz, and the configuration is as follows:

In Window M66 (low limit frequency output flow value), input 0;

In Window M67 (high limit frequency output flow value), input 2000;

In Window M65 (Select frequency range), Press ENTER, input Low FO frequency 10, Press  $\vee$  , input 1000.



There is no output circuit specially assigned to frequency output. It need to be powered through OCT, and select item FO in Window M78 (item "FO"—Frequency output.).

#### 5.11 HOW TO USE RELAY OUTPUT

#### Relay output only for Totalizer Output or Relay Alarm Output.

The relays are rated for 150VDC maximum and have a current rating of 0.18A resistive load. Turn on duration: typical 0.65ms, max. 2.0ms; Turn off duration: typical 0.08ms, max. 2.0ms; Conduction resistance 0.83 ohms, max. 1.63 ohms, output capacitance: 1.5PF. I/O Terminal isolation voltage: 1500VAC.

Once the transmitter is powered on, the "RELAY +, -" output is normally Open state.

When the relay is used for totalizer output, connect terminal "RELAY + -", select the corresponding totalizer in Menu 79, and setup the minimum display totalizer increments in Menu 33. Every time the totalizer increases a value set in M33, the relay closed one time.

When the relay is used for alarm output, connect terminal "RELAY + -", select the corresponding item in Menu 79, it can be used for several alarm condition. For example, select "Alarm #1", set "Alarm #1 Low Value" in Menu 73, and set "Alarm #1 High Value" in Menu 74. When the flow is between the low value and high value, the relay is open state, and when the flow is lower than "Low Value", or higher than "High Value", the relay is closed state.

#### 5.12 HOW TO SET THE DATE AND TIMER

Use the windowM60, press ENTER key and then input the new data and the new time. Press the ENTER key to confirm

#### 5.13 ON/OFF NET TOTALIZER

Window M34 is available to turn net totalizer on and off net. Window No.35 is available to turn the positive totalizer on and off, while Window No.36 is for the negative totalizer. Select "On" to activate the totalizer and "Off" to de-activate the totalizer.

#### 5.14 UNITS OPTIONS

Measurement units options, Metric or English, select M30, Press ENTER, and scroll the  $\land$  or  $\lor$  to select units; Flow rate units, Select M31, Press ENTER, and scroll the  $\land$  or  $\lor$  to select units. Details please refer to Part 4, Windows Display Explanations.



#### 5.15 LCD BACKLIT OPT IONS

Adjustment the backlighting in window M70, press MENU, 7, 0, then press ENTER, then use  $\land$  or  $\lor$  to scroll the menu, to select backlit options.

# 5.16 USE MENU WINDOWS FOR TRANSDUCER MOUNTING INSPECTION

#### 5.16.1 Signal Strength

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

Normally, the stronger the signal strength detected, the instrument will work more reliably, as well as the more stable the measurement value obtained.

Adjust the transducer to the best position and check to ensure that enough sonic coupling compounds is applied adequately during installation in order to obtain the maximum signal strength. System normally requires signal strength over 60.0, which is detected from both upstream and downstream directions. If the signal strength detected is too low, the transducer installation position and the transducer mounting spacing should be re-adjusted and the pipe should be re-inspected. If necessary, change the mounting to the Z method.

#### **5.16.2 Signal Quality (Q value)**

Q value is short for Signal Quality (displayed in Window M90). It indicates the level of the signal detected. In the DMTF, Q value is indicated by numbers from 00~99. 00 represents the minimum signal detected while 99 represent the maximum. Normally, the transducer position should be adjusted repeatedly and coupling compound application should be checked frequently until the signal quality detected is as strong as possible.

#### 5.16.3 Total Time and Delta Time

"Total Time and Delta Time", which displays in Window No.93, indicates the condition of the installation. The measurement calculations in the flow meter are based upon these two parameters. Therefore, when "Delta Time" fluctuates widely, the flow and velocities fluctuate accordingly. This means that the signal quality detected is too poor. It may be the resulted of poor pipe-installation conditions, inadequate transducer installation or incorrect parameter input. Generally, "Delta Time" fluctuation should be less than  $\pm 20\%$ . Only when the pipe diameter is too small or velocity is too low can the fluctuation be wider.

#### **5.16.4 Transit Time Ratio (M91)**

Transit Time Ratio indicates if the transducer mounting spacing is accurate. The normal transit time ratio should be 100±3% if the installation is proper. Check it in Window M91.If the transit time ratio is over 100±3%, it is necessary to check (1) if the parameters (pipe outside diameter, wall thickness, pipe material, liner, etc.) have been entered correctly, (2) if the transducer mounting spacing



is accordance with the display in Window M25, (3) if the transducer is mounted at the pipe's centerline on the same diameter, or (4) if the scale is too thick or the pipe mounting is distorted in shape, etc.

#### **5.16.5** Warnings

- 1. Pipe parameters entered must be RIGHT; otherwise the flow meter will not work properly.
- 2. During the installation, apply enough coupling compounds in order to stick the transducer onto the pipe wall. While checking the signal strength and Q value, move the transducer slowly around the mounting site until the strongest signal and maximum Q value can be obtained. Make sure that the larger the pipe diameter, the more the transducer should be moved. Check to be sure the mounting spacing is accordance with the display in Window M25 and the transducer is mounted at the pipe's centerline on the same diameter. Pay special attention to those pipes that formed by steel rolls (pipe with seams), since such pipe is always irregular. If the signal strength is always displayed as 0.00, that means there is no signal detected. Thus, it is necessary to check that the parameters (including all the pipe parameters) have been entered accurately. Check to be sure the transducer mounting method has been selected properly, the pipe is not worn-out, and the liner is not too thick. Make sure there is there is indeed fluid in the pipe or the transducer is not very close to a valve or elbow, and there are not too many air bubbles in the fluid, etc. With the exception of these reasons, if there is still no signal detected, the measurement site has to be changed.
- 3 Make sure that the flow meter is able to run properly with high reliability. The stronger the signal strength displayed, the higher the Q value reached. The longer the flow meter runs accurately, the higher the reliability of the flow rates displayed. If there is interference from ambient electromagnetic waves or the signal detected is too poor, the flow value displayed is not reliable; consequently, the capability for reliable operation is reduced.
- 4 After the installation is complete, power on the instrument and check the result accordingly.



## PART-6 TROUBLESHOOTING AND FAQ

#### **6.1 TROUBLESHOOTING**

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

Errors displayed in the DMTF are divided into two categories: Table 1 is for errors displayed during self-diagnostics upon power on. "\* F" may be displayed on the upper left corner of the screen after entering the measuring mode. When this occurs, it is necessary to power on for self-diagnostics once again to detect and solve possible errors using the table below. If a problem still exists, please contact the factory or the factory's local representative for assistance.

Table 2 applies when errors caused by incorrect settings and signals are detected and are announced by error codes displayed in Window M07.

**Table 1. Self-diagnoses and error solutions (upon power on)** 

LCD Display	Cause	Solution	
Rom Parity Error	* System ROM illegal or	* Contact the factory	
	error		
Stored Data Error	* System stored data block	* Power on again or contact the	
	error	factory	
SCPU Fatal Error!	* SCPU circuit fatal error	* Power on again or contact the	
		factory	
Timer Slow Error	* System clock error	* Contact the factory	
Timer Fast Error			
CPU or IRQ Error	* CPU or IRQ problem	* Power on again	
System RAM Error	* System RAM	* Power on again or contact the	
	questionable	factory	
Time or Bat Error	* System date time chip	* Power on again or contact the	
	error	factory	
No Display, Erratic or	* Bad wiring connection	* Check wiring connections	
Abnormal Operation			
Stroke Key -No	*Keypad locked or bad plug	* Enter the unlock password if	
Response	connection	the keypad is locked	



**Table 2. Error codes and solutions (during operation)** 

Code	M08 Display	Cause	Solution
*R	System Normal	* System normal	No errors
*J	SCPU Fatal Error	* Hardware defect	* Contact the factory
*I	Signal Not Detected	*Signal not detected.	* Attach transducer to the
		*Spacing is not correct	pipe and tighten it
		between the transducers or	securely. Apply a plenty
		not enough coupling	of coupling compound on
		compound applied to face	transducer and pipe wall.
		of transducers. *	* Remove any rust, scale,
		Transducers installed	or loose paint from the
		improperly.	pipe surface. Clean it with
		* Scale is too thick.	a file.
		* New pipe liner.	* Check the initial
			parameter settings. *
			Remove the scale or
			change the scaled pipe
			section. Normally, it is
			possible to change a
			measurement location.
			The instrument may run
			properly at a new site with
			less scale. * Wait until
			liners solidified and
			saturated.
*H	Low Signal Strength	* Low signal strength.	* Solution refers to
		* Cause refers to	above-mentioned
		above-mentioned reasons.	solutions.
*H	Poor Signal Quality	* Poor signal quality	* Solution refers to
		* All reasons are included	above-mentioned
		in the above-mentioned	solutions.
		causes.	
*E	Current Loop over 20mA	* 4-20mA current loop	* Check settings (refer to
	(No influence normally.	over 120%.	Window M56) and
	Ignore it if no current	* Improper settings to	confirm if actual flow is
	output is being used.)	current loop output.	too high.



*Q	Frequency output over set	* Frequency output over	* Check settings (refer to
	value No influence	120%.	Window M66-M69) and
	normally. Ignore it if no	* Improper settings to	confirm if the actual flow
	frequency output is being	frequency output or actual	is too high.
	used.	flow are too high.	
*F	Refer to Table 1.	* Error in self-diagnoses	* Power on again; resolve
		during power on.	it by the method listed in
		* Permanent hardware	Table 1. If it is still a
		error.	problem, contact the
			factory. * Contact the
			factory.

## 6.2 FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

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

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

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

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

**Q:** Why is the CL output abnormal?

**A**: Check to see if the desired current output mode is set in Window M54. Check to see if the maximum and minimum current values are set properly in Windows M55 and M56.Re-calibrate CL and verify it in Window M53.

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



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

**Q**: With a poor measurement site environment in the plant and the voltage and power supplies fluctuating widely, is the instrument really able to keep running 24 hours a day repeatedly without stopping and last for several years under such conditions?

**A**: DMTF is designed to work with high reliability under such conditions. It is provided with an intelligent signal conditioning circuit and internal correction circuitry. It will work under strong interference conditions and is able to adjust itself with strong or weak sound waves. It will work in a wide band of voltage: 90-260VAC or 8V~28V DC voltage.

**Q:** Why is the pipe not full of liquid or no flow in pipe, but still displays an unstable or wrong reading?

**A:** Pipe must be full of liquid, if not, ENTER the menu window M29, setup a EMPTY PIPE Q VALUE less than normal Q value (pipe is full of liquid), cut off abnormal reading, DMTF will display Zero reading.



#### PART-7 WARRANTY AND SERVICE

#### 7.1 WARRANTY

The manufacturer provides one year warranty on all products, free of charge, but the users should be responsible for the one-way transportation fee from the customer to the factory.

#### 7.2 SERVICE

The manufacturer provides instrument installation for our customers, and the charges will be made according the cost.

- (1) For any hardware failure of the instrument, we recommend that our customers send back the instrument to our factory for service, due to the fact that the instrument is made of microprocessors and it will be difficult to perform field maintenance. Before sending back the instrument, please try to contact the factory first to make sure what the problem is.
- (2) For other operational problems, please contact our local distributor by telephone, fax or email. In most cases, the problem could be solved immediately.



#### APPENDIX 1 INSERTION TRANSDUCER INSTALLATION

#### Overview

Insertion transducers can be installed into metal pipelines via an isolation ball valve (installation into pipelines of plastic or other materials may require an optional coupling; If the pipe material is cement, please consult factory to use special lengthen insertion transducer, furthermore, use special cement borer). The maximum pipe diameter in which insertion transducers can be installed is DN6000mm. Sensor cable length (6m standard) normally can be extended to as long as 300m. Follow the procedure below to install insertion transducers, the pipe size should not be smaller than DN50mm).

#### A, MENU CONFIGURATION

Refer to Part 2 and Part3, the transmitter is the same as Clamp-on Ultrasonic Flow meter, entering configuration parameters (pipe O.D., Wall Thickness, liquids type, etc.), then calculate the Transducer Spacing (Menu 23, Transducer type is: **5. Plug-in Type B45**; Menu 24, Transducer Mounting is: **1. Z**, for the Insertion transducer, pipe line diameter ≥100mm, the transducer Mounting type is **Z mode**, less than 100mm, is **V methods**.

#### B, INSTALLATION LOCATING

After entering the setup parameters, the DMTF will calculate the transducer spacing (Menu 25, For DMTF, commonly, this distance= I.D.

(Inside Diameter) -9.113mm). The transducer spacing is distance between the centre points of two transducers.

**Z** method is the most commonly used mounting method for insertion-type ultrasonic flow meters, suitable for pipe diameters ranging from 100mm to 6000mm. Due to strong signal strength and high measurement accuracy, the Z method is preferable for pipe sections severely rusted or with too much scale formation on the inside wall. When installing the transducer using the Z method, be sure that the two transducers and the pipeline center axis are in the same plane, but never in the 6 or 12 o'clock positions.

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Perform the following steps to install transducers using the Z mounting method: Locate the reference mounting positions of 3 and 9 o'clock as shown in Fig. 1.



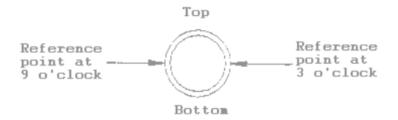


Fig.1 Reference Mounting Positions of 3 and 9 o'clock (Z Method)

#### 1, Locating

By positioning paper, or positioning ropes, first identified point A and then confirmed C points

(A and C into 180° symmetric), extended C level again, determined to point B, L = BC Step by step shown as below Fig.2 – 6

Fig.2 Prepare a rectangular paper or substitutes.

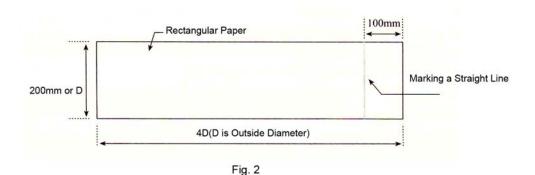


Fig. 3 Wrap the paper around the pipeline with the folded end perpendicular to the length of the paper (Z Method).

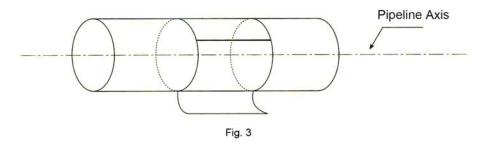


Fig.4 Mark the overlapping line between the folded end and the other end of the paper, mark A point as shown.



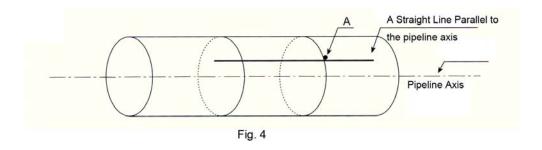


Fig.5 Mark C point (A and C into  $180^{\circ}$  symmetric), extended C level again, determined to point B, L = BC, L is transducer spacing in Menu 25.

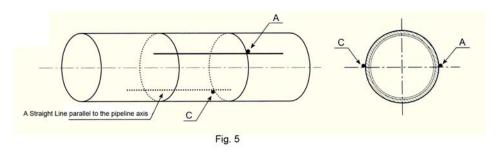
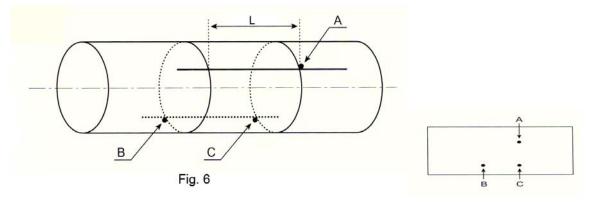


Fig.6 Remove the positioning paper, prepare weld the ball valve bases on A and B point, note that the center point of Ball Valve Base coincidences with the A, B points.



#### C, DRILLING HOLES

After removing the auxiliary paper, draw a locating point and use it as the center to drill a hole of 19mm. Then, weld the transducer-mounting base vertically and install the transducer (Figure 7). Note that the inside central point of the transducer (on the other side of the cable connector) must coincide with the position point marked in Fig. 6.

After Welding the Ball Valve Base, mount the Ball Valve on base.



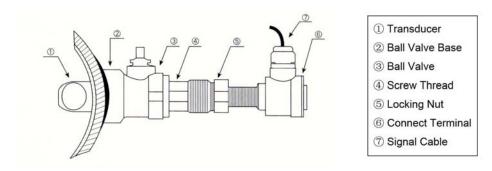


Fig. 7 Construction Drawing of Insertion Transducer

Fig. 7 shows a diagram of the Insertion Transducer. The insertion transducer is attached to its mounting base (which is welded to the pipe section at the measurement point) via a ball valve. When the transducer is removed, pipe fluids can be contained by shutting off the ball valve. Therefore, installation and extraction of the transducer can be performed without relieving pipeline pressure. An O-ring seal and locking nut guarantee user safety while installing or operating the transducer.

If the pipe line is not weldable, please use special Pipe Hoop, shown as Figure 8, below

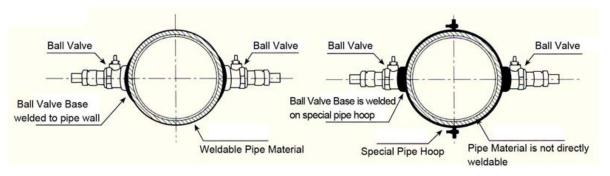


Figure 8

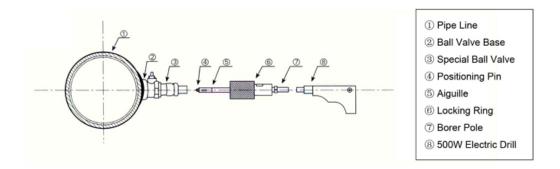


Figure 9 Drilling hole Diagram

After Welding the Ball Valve Base, mount the Ball Valve on base, note use PTFE belt for sealing.

Connecting the locking ring of borer to the thread of Ball Valve, tightening, open the Ball Valve, pushing the Borer Pole to outside of pipeline, connecting the 500W Electric Drill to the Borer Pole, tightening, power on, begin to drill hole. While drilling hole, keep the 500W

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Electric Drill relatively slow speed, do not too fast. After drilling hole finished, pull-out the Borer Pole, shut off the Ball Valve.

#### D, MOUNTING THE TRANSDUCERS

Procedures for installing insertion transducers follow: Fig. 10 is mounting diagram

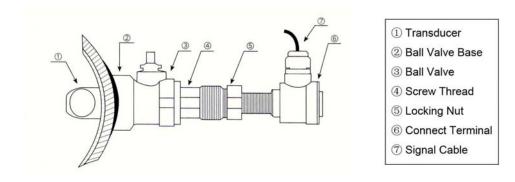


Fig. 10

Screwing the locking nut to bottom of transducer pole, insert the transducer into the Ball Valve, screw and then tighten the locking nut onto the ball valve.

Open the ball valve and insert the transducer into the pipe. At the same time, measure the Length L (See Fig.11) and make sure it complies with the following formula:

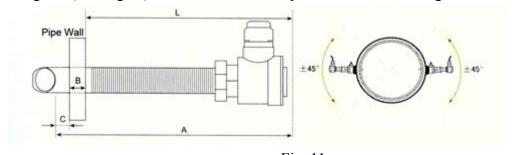


Fig. 11

L=A-B (Let C=0)

In this formula: L---Mounting height (mm)

A--Transducer length (mm)

B---Pipe wall thickness (mm)

As shown Fig.11 right, the cable holes of two transducers must be in same direction.

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

#### E, TRANSDUCER WIRING

**SEE FIGURE12** Connect the transducer cables to the corresponding upstream/downstream terminal ends.

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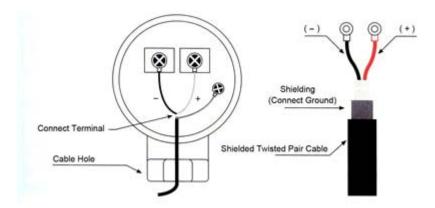


Fig. 12

In Fig. 12, if the colors of wirings are blue and brown, the blue wiring is connected to "+", and the brown wiring is connected to "-". If the colors of wirings are red and blue, the red wiring is connected to "+", and the blue wiring is connected to "-".

In order to keep the transducer waterproof, please screw tight the cable hole and wiring cover.

## F, HOW TO OBTAIN GOOD SIGNAL STRENGTH AND SIGNAL QUALITY

After installing two transducers, please use Menu 90 and 91 to check the signal strength and signal quality, time ratio within the range of 97%-103%.

Screw one transducer or another transducer, let the value of Menu 90 at least >60.

The scale factor is used to modify the measurement results, factory default is 1.0 or other value depends on calibration. The user can enter a numerical value other than 1.0 according to re-calibration results.



## APPENDIX 2 FUILD CHARACTERISTIC (SOUND SPEED)

## 1. FLUID PROPERTIES

Fluid	Specific Gravity	Sound Sp	eed	delta-v/degree	Kinematic	Absolute
				С	Viscosity	viscosity
	20 degrees C	m/s	ft/s	m/s/degree C	Centistokes	Centipoise
Acetate, Butyl		1270 43	163.9			
Acetate, Ethyl	0.901	1085 35	559.7	4.4	0.489	0.441
Acetate, Methyl	0.934	1211 39	973.1		0.407	0.380
Acetate, Propyl		1280 4	196.7			
Acetone	0.79	1174 38	351.7	4.5	0.399	0.316
Alcohol	0.79	1207 39	960.0	4.0	1.396	1.101
Alcohol, Butyl	0.83	1270 4	163.9	3.3	3.239	2.688
Alcohol, Ethyl	0.83	1180 38	868.9	4	1.396	1.159
Alcohol, Methyl	0.791	1120 30	672.1	2.92	0.695	0.550
Alcohol, Propyl		1170 38	836.1			
Alcohol, Propyl	0.78	1222 40	009.2		2.549	1.988
Ammonia	0.77	1729 50	672.6	6.7	0.292	0.225
Aniline	1.02	1639 53	377.3	4.0	3.630	3.710
Benzene	0.88	1306 42	284.8	4.7	0.711	0.625
Benzol, Ethyl	0.867	1338 43	389.8		0.797	0.691
Bromine	2.93	889 29	916.7	3.0	0.323	0.946
n-Butane	0.60	1085 35	559.7	5.8		
Butyrate, Ethyl		1170 38	336.1			
Carbon dioxide	1.10	839 27	752.6	7.7	0.137	0.151
Carbon	1.60	926 30	038.1	2.5	0.607	0.968
tetrachloride	1.00	920 30	J36.1	2.3	0.007	0.906
Chloro-benzene	1.11	1273 4	176.5	3.6	0.722	0.799
Chloroform	1.49	979 32	211.9	3.4	0.550	0.819
Diethyl ether	0.71	985 32	231.6	4.9	0.311	0.222
Diethyl Ketone		1310 42	295.1			
Diethylene glycol	1.12	1586 52	203.4	2.4		
Ethanol	0.79	1207 39	960.0	4.0	1.390	1.097
Ethyl alcohol	0.79	1207 39	960.0	4.0	1.396	1.101
Ether	0.71	985 32	231.6	4.9	0.311	0.222
Ethyl ether	0.71	985 32	231.6	4.9	0.311	0.222
Ethylene glycol	1.11	1658 54	439.6	2.1	17.208	19.153
Freon R12		774.2 2	540			
Gasoline	0.7	1250 40	098.4			
Glycerin	1.26	1904 62	246.7	2.2	757.100	953.946
Glycol	1.11	+	439.6	2.1		
Isobutanol	0.81	1212 39	976.4			
Iso-Butane		1219.8	4002			
Isopentane	0.62	980 32	215.2	4.8	0.340	0.211
Isopropanol	0.79	1170 38	838.6		2.718	2.134
Isopropyl alcohol	0.79	1170 38	838.6		2.718	2.134
Kerosene	0.81	1324 43	343.8	3.6		



Linalool		1400	4590.2			
Linseed Oil	.925939	1770	5803.3			
Methanol	0.79	1076	3530.2	2.92	0.695	0.550
Methyl alcohol	0.79	1076	3530.2	2.92	0.695	0.550
Methylene chloride	1.33	1070	3510.5	3.94	0.310	0.411
Methylethyl		1210	3967.2			
Ketone						
Motor Oil (SAE	.88935	1487	4875.4			
20/30)						
Octane	0.70	1172	3845.1	4.14	0.730	0.513

Oil, Castor	0.97	1477	4845.8	3.6	0.670	0.649
Oil, Diesel	0.80	1250	4101			
Oil (Lubricating		1530	5019.9			
X200)						
Oil (Olive)	0.91	1431	4694.9	2.75	100.000	91.200
Oil (Peanut)	0.94	1458	4783.5			
Paraffin Oil		1420	4655.7			
Pentane	0.626	1020	3346.5		0.363	0.227
Petroleum	0.876	1290	4229.5			
1-Propanol	0.78	1222	4009.2			
Refrigerant 11	1.49	828.3	2717.5	3.56		
Refrigerant 12	1.52	774.1	2539.7	4.24		
Refrigerant 14	1.75	875.24	2871.5	6.61		
Refrigerant 21	1.43	891	2923.2	3.97		
Refrigerant 22	1.49	893.9	2932.7	4.79		
Refrigerant 113	1.56	783.7	2571.2	3.44		
Refrigerant 114	1.46	665.3	2182.7	3.73		
Refrigerant 115		656.4	2153.5	4.42		
Refrigerant	1.62	574	1883.2	3.88		
C318						
Silicone (30 cp)	0.99	990	3248		30.000	29.790
Toluene	0.87	1328	4357	4.27	0.644	0.558
Transformer Oil		1390	4557.4			
Trichlorethylene		1050	3442.6			
1,1,1-Trichloro-e	1.33	985	3231.6		0.902	1.200
thane						
Turpentine	0.88	1255	4117.5		1.400	1.232
Water, distilled	0.996	1498	4914.7	-2.4	1.000	0.996
Water, heavy	1	1400	4593			
Water, sea	1.025	1531	5023	-2.4	1.000	1.025
Wood Alcohol	0.791	1076	3530.2	2.92	0.695	0.550
m-Xylene	0.868	1343	4406.2		0.749	0.650
o-Xylene	0.897	1331.5	4368.4	4.1	0.903	0.810
p-Xylene		1334	4376.8		0.662	



## 2. WATER SOUND SPEED

Water Sound Speed table ( pressure: 1 bar) Units: Sound Speed: m/s

Temperature	Sound	Temperature	Sound	Temperature	Sound	Temperature	Sound
$\mathbb{C}$	Speed	${\mathbb C}$	Speed	$^{\circ}\mathbb{C}$	Speed	${\mathbb C}$	Speed
0	1402.3	25	1496.6	50	1542.5	75	1555.1
1	1407.3	26	1499.2	51	1543.5	76	1555.0
2	1412.2	27	1501.8	52	1544.6	77	1554.9
3	1416.9	28	1504.3	53	1545.5	78	1554.8
4	1421.6	29	1506.7	54	1546.4	79	1554.6
5	1426.1	30	1509.0	55	1547.3	80	1554.4
6	1430.5	31	1511.3	56	1548.1	81	1554.2
7	1434.8	32	1513.5	57	1548.9	82	1553.9
8	1439.1	33	1515.7	58	1549.6	83	1553.6
9	1443.2	34	1517.7	59	1550.3	84	1553.2
10	1447.2	35	1519.7	60	1550.9	85	1552.8
11	1451.1	36	1521.7	61	1551.5	86	1552.4
12	1454.9	37	1523.5	62	1552.0	87	1552.0
13	1458.7	38	1525.3	63	1552.5	88	1551.5
14	1462.3	39	1527.1	64	1553.0	89	1551.0
15	1465.8	40	1528.8	65	1553.4	90	1550.4
16	1469.3	41	1530.4	66	1553.7	91	1549.8
17	1472.7	42	1532.0	67	1554.0	92	1549.2
18	1476.0	43	1533.5	68	1554.3	93	1548.5
19	1479.1	44	1534.9	69	1554.5	94	1547.5
20	1482.3	45	1536.3	70	1554.7	95	1547 .1
21	1485.3	46	1537.7	71	1554.9	96	
							1546.3
22	1488.2	47	1538.9	72	1555.0	97	1545.6
23	1491.1	48	1540.2	73	1555.0	98	1544.7
24	1493.9	49	1541.3	74	1555.1	99	1543.9



## 3. PIPE MATERIAL SOUND SPEED TABLE

Pipe Material	Sound
Sound Speed Table	Speed(m/s)
Steel	3206
ABS	2286
Aluminum	3048
Brass	2270
Cast Iron	2460
Bronze	2270
Fiber Glass	3430
Glass	3276
Polyethylene	1950
PVC	2540

Liner Material	Sound Speed (m/s)
Teflon	1225
Titanium	3150
Cement	4190
Tar Epoxy	2540
Porcelain Enamel	2540
Glass	5970
Plastic	2280
Polyethylene	1600
PTFE	1450
Rubber	1600



#### APPENDIX 3 DMTF COMMUNICATIONS PROTOCOL

#### (For DMTFB/C)

#### 1. OVERVIEW

The DMTF has communication protocol. Its hardware directly supports a modem, a composition of flow data monitoring system that is economical, reliable and based on telephone line transmission. It can also be connected to a RS-485 or RS232C connectors based on jumpers on circuit board for user's option.

Two basic schemes can be chosen for networking, i.e. the analog current output method only using the DMTF or the RS232 communication method via serial port directly using the DMTF. The former is suitable to replace dated instruments in old monitoring networks. The later is used in new monitoring network systems. It has advantages such as low hardware investment and reliable system operation.

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

RS-232C (0~15m) or RS-485(0~1000m) can be directly used for data transmission link for a short distance. Current loop, radio transmission and modem can be used in medium or long distance transmission.

When the DMTF is used in a network environment, various operations can be performed at the host device, except for programming of the address identification code, which needs to be done at the DMTF keyboard.

The command answer mode is used in data transmission, i.e. the host device issues commands and the flowmeter answers correspondingly.

Common/special flow/thermal data monitoring system developed by our company can be used for flow data collection. Based on characteristics of the DMTF flowmeter, the system makes full use of software and hardware designs with flowmeter features. The systems are simple, clear, low cost, and reliable in operation.

#### 2. SERIAL PORT DEFINITIONS

Now DMTF communication output is RS485 or RS232C based on user's selection, please check the jumpers on circuit board; please refer to 3.3.4 RS232C or RS485 Wiring diagram. RS232C connector is a 9 pins connector:

Pin 1, pin 4, pin 6, pin 7, pin 9: empty

Pin2: RXD receive Pin3: TXD send Pin5: Ground Pin 8: +5V

#### 3. RS232 COMMUNICATION PROTOCOL AND THE USE

The communication protocol format used by the DMTF ultrasonic flowmeter is: The



host device requests the flowmeter to answer by sending a "command". The baud rate of asynchronous communication (Primary station: computer system; Secondary station: ultrasonic flowmeter) is generally 9600bit/s. A single byte data format (10 bits): one start bit, one stop bit and 8 data bits. Check bit: none.

#### 3. 1 Protocol Select

DMTF series flowmeter can't suport protocol 0 and protocol 1 at the same time, in Menu +6, select protocol 0 or protocol 1.

When use RS232 for communication, select protocol 0 in menu +6.

#### 3. 2 Basic commands

A data character string is used to express basic commands and a carriage return character is used to express the end of the command. The characteristic is that the length of data is flexible. Frequently used commands are as follows:

Table A-1 Communication commands

Command	Function	DATA format
DQD(cr) Note:0	Return Flow rate per day	±d.ddddddE±dd(cr) <b>note:1</b>
DQH(cr)	Return Flow rate per hour	±d.ddddddE±dd(cr)
DQM(cr)	Return Flow rate per minute	±d.ddddddE±dd(cr)
DQS(cr)	Return Flow rate per second	±d.ddddddE±dd(cr)
DV(cr)	Return Flow velocity	±d.ddddddE±dd(cr)
DI+(cr)	Return Positive totalizer	±dddddddE±d(cr) <b>Note:2</b>
DI-(cr)	Return Negative totalizer	±ddddddE±d(cr)
DIN(cr)	Return Net totalizer	±ddddddE±d(cr)
DIE(cr)	Return Positive Heat totalizer	±ddddddE±d(cr)
DID(cr)	Return Identification Number	ddddd(cr) 5 bits in length
E(cr)	Return heat flow rate per second	±d.ddddddE±dd(cr)
DL(cr)	Return Signal Strength and quality	UP:dd.d,DN:dd.d,Q=dd(cr)
DS(cr)	Return percentage of Analog Output	±d.ddddddE±dd(cr)
DC(cr)	Return current error code	Note: 3
DA(cr)	Alarm signal of OCT or RELAY	TR:s,RL:s(cr)Note: 4
DT(cr)	Return current date and time	yy-mm-dd,hh:mm:ss(cr)



M@(cr)	Send a key value as if a key is pressed on DMTF panel	M@(cr)Note:5
LCD(cr)	Return currently displayed content on the current LCD display	
C1(cr)	OCT actuated	
C0(cr)	OCT not actuated	
R1(cr)	RELAY actuated	
R0(cr)	RELAY not actuated	
FOdddd(cr)	Let the FO output with a frequency in "dddd" value	Dodd(cr)(lf)
Aoa(cr)	Let the Analog Output with a value" a"	AOa(cr)(lf)Note:6
BA1(cr)	Return AI1 value (0~20mA)	±d.ddddddE±dd(cr)(lf)
BA2(cr)	Return AI2 value (0~20mA)	±d.ddddddE±dd(cr)(lf)
BA3(cr)	No used	±d.ddddddE±dd(cr)(lf)
BA4(cr)	No used	±d.ddddddE±dd(cr)(lf)
AI1(cr)	Return AI1 input value	±d.ddddddE±dd(cr)(lf)
AI2(cr)	Return AI2 input value	±d.ddddddE±dd(cr)(lf)
AI3(cr)	No used	±d.ddddddE±dd(cr)(lf)
AI4(cr)	No used	±d.ddddddE±dd(cr)(lf)
ESN(cr)	Return DMTF Electronic Serial Number(ESN)	dddddddt(cr)(lf) Note:7
N	Networking command Prefix of a single byte address	Note:8
W	Networking command Prefix of numeric string address	Note:8
P	Prefix of return command with check	
&	Function sign of command "add"	
RING(cr)(lf)	Modem request handshake command	ATA(CR)(lf)
OK(cr)	Modem answer signal	No output
	DMTF request handshake signal	AT(CR)(lf)



#### Note:

- **0**). (cr) express carriage return, "enter", its ASCII value is 0DH.(If) expresses line feed, its ASCII value is 0AH.
- 1). "d" expresses  $0\sim9$  digit numbers, 0 value is expressed as +0.000000E+00
- 2). "d" stands for 0~9 digit numbers, there is no decimal point in integral part before "E".
- 3). The run status of the DMTF is expressed by 1~6 letters, for example "R", "I", "H"
- **4).** "s" expresses ON or OFF or UD, For example "TR:ON,RL:ON" expresses that OCT and Relay are in actuated status;
  - "TR:UD,RL:UD" expresses OCT and Relay are not actuated.
- 5). "@" expresses key value, for example 30H, expresses "0" key; command "M4" is equivalent to pressing key "4".
- 6). "a" expresses current value, the value range is 0~20, for example AO2.34567, AO0.2
- **7**). Eight "ddddddd" express electronic serial number of the DMTF. "t" expresses the type of the DMTF.
- 8) If there are multiple DMTF flowmeters in a data network then the basic commands cannot be used alone. The prefix N or W must be added. Otherwise, multiple flowmeters will answer simultaneously, which will causes chaos in the system.

## 3.3 Function prefix and function sign

#### (1) Prefix P

The character P could add before every basic command. That means the transferred data has CRC verify. The method of counting the verified sum is gained by binary system addition.

For example: Command DI+(CR)(the relative binary system data is 44H, 49H, 2BH, 0DH) transferred data is +1234567E+0m3. (CR)(the relative binary system data is 2BH, 31H, 32H, 33H, 34H, 35H, 36H, 37H, 45H, 2BH, 30H, 6DH, 33H, 20H, 0DH, 0AH). And command PDI +(CR) transferred data is +1234567E+0m3!F7(CR), "!" means the character before it is the sum character, and the verified sum of the two bytes after it is (2BH+31H+32H +33H +34H +35H +36H +37H +45H +2BH + 30H +6DH +33H +20H = (2) F7H)

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

#### (2) Prefix W

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



#### (3) Function sign &

Function sign & can add up to 6 basic commands (Prefix P is allowed) together to form a compound command sent to the flowmeter together. The flowmeter will answer simultaneously. Fox example, if No.4321 flowmeter is requested to simultaneously return:1) instantaneous flow(flow rate), 2) instantaneous velocity, 3) positive total flow, 4) total heat flow, 5) AI1 analogous input current valve and, 6) AI2 analogous input current value with check, the following command is issued;

W4321PDQD&PDV&PDI+&PDIE&PBA1&PAI2(CR)

Simultaneously returned data are likely as follows;

- +0.000000E+00m3/d!AC(CR)
- +0.000000E+00m/s!88(CR)
- +1234567E+0m3!F7(CR)
- +0.000000E+0GJ!DA(CR)
- +7. 838879E+00mA!59
- +3. 911033E+01!8E(CR)

#### 4. RS485 COMMUNICATION PROTOCOL AND THE USE

On mainboard, there are two Communications short-circuit piece, plug them to RS485 position.

The baud rate of asynchronous communication (Primary station: computer system; Secondary station: ultrasonic flowmeter) is generally 9600bit/s. A single byte data format (10 bits): one start bit, one stop bit and 8 data bits. Check bit: none.

Connect the "RS485 A B" two wiring terminals from mainboard to PC.

#### 4. 1 Protocol Select

DMTF series flowmeter can't suport protocol 0 and protocol 1 at the same time, in Menu +6, select protocol 0 or protocol 1.

When use RS485 for communication, select protocol 1 in menu +6.

#### 4. 2 Communication commands

**4.2.1 Asynchronous communication** (Master station: computer system; Slave station: ultrasonic flow meter).

#### 4.2.2 Baud rate is usually 9600 bit/s.

#### 4.2.3 Single byte data format (10 bit)

- 4.1.3.1 start code: one bit.
- 4.1.3.2 stop code: one bit.
- 4.1.3.3 redundancy check code: no redundancy check.
- 4.1.3.4 digital codes: eight bits.

#### 4.2.4 Gating Signal of Master station



## **4.2.4.1** Format of Gating Signal Slave station NO. Command from Master Station to Slave Station (1)(2)① \* is start code(ASCII code 2A). ② Slave station NO., 000-999(send 3 bytes ASCII code). 0 can't be omitted. ③ Command From Master station to Slave station. There are 7 formats(0-6, send single byte ASCII code). Command 0: obtain flow rate and total flow of Slave station. Command 1: obtain flow velocity and total flow of Slave station. Command 2: obtain positive and negative total flow of Slave station. Command 3: obtain total working time of Slave station. Command 4: obtain signal strength and signal quality of Slave station. Command 5: clear total flow of Slave station Command 6: clear total working time of Slave station **4.2.4.2** For example: \* 189 It should be send: start code: 2A. Slave station NO.: 31, 38, 39. Command: 30. 4.2.5 Answer Signal of Slave Station 4.2.5.1 Answer Signal format for Master station Command 0 Command and symbol flow rate total flow redundancy check bits (1)(2)(3) **(4)** ① Command and symbol: 2 bytes, the first byte is Master station command 0; the second byte is flow rate symbol(0 means positive and 1 means negative). ② Flow rate: 8 bytes (ASCII code), the seventh and eighth bytes are fractional part. ③ Total flow: 12 bytes (ASCII code), the eleventh and twelfth bytes are fractional part. 4 Redundancy check bits: 2 bytes (ASCII code), it is the accumulative sum of former 22 bytes(with decimal additions accumulated) as redundancy check code in transmission For example: Master station Command 0, flow rate symbol is positive, flow rate value is 367.89m3/h, total flow is 16745.78m3, it should send 30, 30, 30, 30, 33, 36, 37, 38, 39, 30, 30, 30, 30, 31, 36, 37, 34, 35, 37, 38, 33, 31. Note: accumulative sum is 31(should send 33, 31). 4.2.5.2 Answer Signal format for Master station Command 1 Command and symbol total flow redundancy check bits flow rate ① Command and symbol: 2 bytes, the first byte is Master station command 1; the

second byte is flow rate symbol(0 means positive and 1 means negative).

fractional part.

2) flow rate: 8 bytes (ASCII code), the fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth bytes are



- ③ total flow: 12 bytes (ASCII code), the eleventh and twelfth bytes are fractional part.
- ④ redundancy check bits: 2 bytes (ASCII code), it is the accumulative sum of former 22 bytes(with decimal additions accumulated) as redundancy check code in transmission process.

For example: Master station Command 1, flow rate symbol is positive, flow velocity value is 3.6859m/s, total flow is 16745.78m3, it should send 31, 30, 30, 30, 30, 33, 36, 38, 35, 39, 30, 30, 30, 30, 31, 36, 37, 34, 35, 37, 38, 33, 30.

Note: accumulative sum is 30(should send 33, 30).

#### 4.2.5.3 Answer Signal format for Master station Command 2

Command and symbol positive total flow negative total flow redundancy check bits

(1)
(2)
(3)
(4)

- ① Command and symbol: 2 bytes, the first byte is Master station command 2; the second byte is insignificant (random 0 or 1).
- ② Positive total flow: 12 bytes (ASCII code), the eleventh and twelfth bytes are fractional part.
- ③ Total flow: 12 bytes (ASCII code), the eleventh and twelfth bytes are fractional part.
- ④ Redundancy check bits: 2 bytes (ASCII code), it is the accumulative sum of former 26 bytes(with decimal additions accumulated) as redundancy check code in transmission process.

For example: Master station Command 2, positive total flow is 14368.59m3, it should send 32, 30, 30, 30, 30, 30, 31, 34, 33, 36, 38, 35, 39, 30, 30, 30, 30, 31, 36, 37, 34, 35, 37, 38, 32, 39.

Note: accumulative sum is 29(should send 32, 39).

#### 4.2.5.4 Answer Signal format for Master station Command 3

Command and symbol total working time redundancy check bits

(1) (2) (3)

- ① Command and symbol: 2 bytes, the first byte is Master station command 3; the second byte is insignificant (random 0 or 1).
- ② Total working time: 8 bytes (ASCII code), unit is minute.
- ③ Redundancy check bits: 2 bytes (ASCII code), it is the accumulative sum of former 10 bytes(with decimal additions accumulated) as redundancy check code in transmission process.

For example: Master station Command 2, total working time is 4368 minutes, it should send 33, 30, 30, 30, 30, 30, 34, 33, 36, 38, 32, 34.

Note: accumulative sum is 24(should send 32, 34).

#### 4.2.5.5 Answer Signal format for Master station Command 4

Command and symbol	signal strength and signal quality	redundancy check bits
1	2	3

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- ① Command and symbol: 2 bytes, the first byte is Master station command 4; the second byte is insignificant (random 0 or 1).
- ② Signal strength and signal quality: 8 bytes (ASCII code), signal strength value is 4 bytes, the last byte is fractional part.
- ③ Redundancy check bits: 2 bytes (ASCII code), it is the accumulative sum of former 10 bytes(with decimal additions accumulated) as redundancy check code in transmission process.

For example: Master station Command 4, signal strength is 88.9, signal quality is 17.8, it should send 34, 30, 30, 38, 38, 39, 30, 31, 37, 38, 34, 35.

Note: accumulative sum is 45(should send 34, 35).

#### 4.2.5.6 Answer Signal format for Master station Command 5

Command and symbol redundancy check bits

(1) (2)

- ① Command and symbol: 2 bytes, the first byte is Master station command 5; the second byte is insignificant (random 0 or 1).
- ② redundancy check bits: 2 bytes (ASCII code), it is the accumulative sum of former 2 bytes(with decimal additions accumulated) as redundancy check code in transmission process.

This command is used for clearing total flow of Slave station.

For example: Master station Command 5, it should send 35, 30, 36, 35.

Note: accumulative sum is 65(should send 36, 35).

(1)

#### 4.2.5.7 Answer Signal format for Master station Command 6

Command and symbol redundancy check bits

① Command and symbol: 2 bytes, the first byte is Master station command 6; the second byte is insignificant (random 0 or 1).

(2)

② Redundancy check bits: 2 bytes (ASCII code), it is the accumulative sum of former 2 bytes(with decimal additions accumulated) as redundancy check code in transmission process.

This command is used for clearing total working time of Slave station.

For example: Master station Command 6, it should send 36, 30, 36, 36.

Note: accumulative sum is 66(should send 36, 36).

#### 5. KEY CODE

In a network environment, a key code is used to simulate the use of keys at the host device. For example, the instruction "M1" is input through the serial port, which is equivalent to pressing Key 1 on the keyboard of the DMTF ultrasonic flowmeter. Thus all functions of key operation can be completely implemented at the host device. All key codes are shown in Table A-2.

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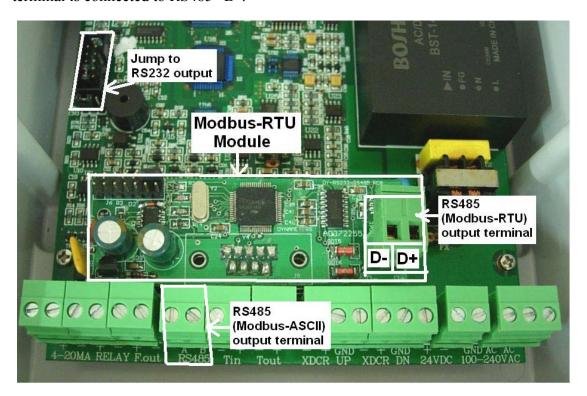
**Table A-2 Key Codes** 

key	Code of key(Hexadecimal system)	Code of key(Decimal system)	ASC II
0	30H	48	0
1	31H	49	1
2	32H	50	2
3	33Н	51	3
4	34H	52	4
5	35H	53	5
6	36Н	54	6
7	37H	55	7
8	38H	56	8
9	39Н	57	9
•	3AH	58	:
<	3BH(0BH)	59	;
MENU	3CH(0CH)	60	<
ENT	3DH(0DH)	61	=
<u> </u>	3ЕН	62	>
V/ <b>-</b>	3FH	63	?



#### APPENDIX 4 MODBUS-RTU COMMUNICATIONS PROTOCOL

DMTF series default RS485 output is RS485 (Modbus-ASCII protocol), If customers need RS485 (Modbus-RTU protocol), we add a Modbus-RTU module on main board (shown as following picture). The "D+" terminal is connected to RS485 "A", and "D-" terminal is connected to RS485 "B".



This module converts RS232 to RS485 (Modbus-RTU protocol), so that, the main board should be jumped to RS232 output.

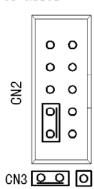
#### **Note:**

Our meters provide RS485 output with Modbus-RTU protocol or Modbus-ASCII protocol. If customers need RS485 output with Modbus-ASCII protocol, the main board should be jumped to RS485 output, and connect wires from "RS485 AB" terminal.

# When use Modbus-RTU protocol, please refer to the following steps:

- 1. The mainboard should be jumped to RS232 output.
- 2. Connect output terminal "D+, D-" to RS485 "A, B".
- 3. Enter Menu 50, select the output off.
- 4. Enter Menu 46, enter the meter address, and this address must be the same with modbus address. If users modify the meter address after power on meter, please restart meter.
- 5. Enter Menu 52, select RS232C.
- 6. Enter Menu 62, select RS232C 9600 None.
- 7. The corresponding Modbus address.

For RS232





Address	Length	Function	RS232 Command
(40001)	0	Return Flow rate per day	DQD
(40003)	2	Return Flow rate per hour	DQH
(40005)	4	Return Flow rate per minute	DQM
(40007)	6	Return Flow rate per second	DQS
(40009)	8	Return Flow velocity	DV
(40011)	10	Return Positive totalizer	DI+
(40013)	12	Return Negative totalizer	DI-
(40015)	14	Return Net totalizer	DIN
(40017)	16	Return Positive Heat totalizer	DIE
(40019)	18	Return heat flow rate per second	E
(40021)	20	Return percentage of Analog Output	DS
(40023)	30	Return T1 value (0~20mA)	BA1
(40025)	32	Return T2 value (0~20mA)	BA2
(40027)	34	No used	BA3
(40029)	36	No used	BA4
(40031)	38	Return T1 input value	AI1
(40033)	40	Return T2 input value	AI2
(40035)	42	No used	AI3
(40037)	44	No used	AI4
(40039)	48	Return meter address	DID
(40041)	50	Return DMHF Electronic Serial Number (ESN)	ESN

Note: The data format of DI+, DI-, DIN, DIE, DID and ESN is long integer data format, high bit is before low bit, the highest bit is symbol bit. The other's data format is IEE754 floating-point data format, high bit is before low bit.



#### APPENDIX 5 ENERGY FUNCTION INSTRUCTION

#### 1. Introduction

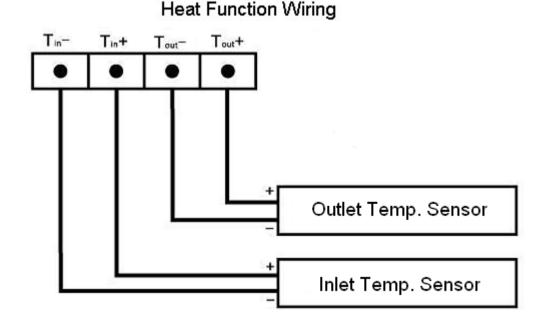
Series DMTFB&C flow meter owns an in-built module for energy calculation. It can calculate the thermal enthalpy of the liquid of a certain temperature automatically. Accordingly we can calculate the heat flow and totalizer. Temperature signal is input by analog hardware T1 (Tin), T2 (Tout) which can only receive 4-20mA and 0-20mA current signal.

All above results can be transferred to host computer through a communication protocol of the portable flowmeter. In this case, DMTFB&C flowmeter works as data monitoring network RTU, greatly decreasing the complexity, cost and enhancing the reliability of hardware of devices

#### 2. Wiring Connection

Analog input can be connected to four 4-20mA temperature signal from outside. When calculating energy, T1 connects to inlet transmitter and T2 to outlet transmitter.

Menu06 displays the current value and the corresponding temperature.



## 3. Energy Calculation

We have two Methods to calculate energy:

Method 1): Energy=Flow×Temp. Difference×heat capacity (Where: Temp. Difference refers to the temperature difference between Tin and Tout; heat capacity is in Menu 86, commonly it is 1.16309KWh/m3°C)

Method 2): Energy = Flow×(thermal enthalpy at T1 temp.- thermal enthalpy at T2 temp.) This thermal enthalpy is automatically calculated by heat meter according to international



standard.

Menu 84 Energy unit selection, kWh, KC optional.

Menu 85 Temperature Signal Origin Selection

- 0. From T1, T2 input
- 1. Fixed temperature difference

Menu 86 Select the specific heat to display according to international standard or fixed value.

Select >0.GB for energy unit KC

Select >1. Fix Spec. Heat for energy unit KWh

Menu 87 Open or Close energy flow totalizer.

Menu 88 Totalizer multiplication factor selection

Menu 89 Reset Zero energy totalizer.

If the liquid temperature goes steady, use can remove the temperature sensor and calculate the energy according to the estimated temperature difference.

### 4. Temperature Range

Temperature range is defined in Menu63 and Menu64. The first digit in Menu refers to the analog signal value input at 4mA current, the second digit refers to the analog signal value input at 20mA current.

For example, at the condition that when temperature sensor outputs 4mA current, temperature is  $0^{\circ}C$ , and outputs 20mA current, temperature is  $200^{\circ}C$ , this temperature sensor is connected to T1, and user needs to input 0, 200 in Menu63. User can check the displayed current value and temperature value in Menu 06.

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