# INSTALLATION, OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE MANUAL

# FLT<sup>6</sup> Series FlexSwitch<sup>6</sup> Flow, Level, Temperature Switch/Monitor

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# Symbols

The following symbols are used throughout the manual to draw attention to items or procedures that require special notice or care.



Warning: Warns of possible personal danger to those handling the equipment.



Caution: Cautions against possible equipment damage.



Note: Contains important information.

# 1. General Information

## Description

The FLT Series models are multipurpose measurement instruments. The FLT Series models that are included in this manual are FLT93-C, FLT93-F, FLT93-L and FLT93-S. Each model is a single instrument that is capable of detecting air flow, fluid flow and temperature. It is also able to detect liquid level or fluid media interfaces. The instrument has two field adjustable alarm set points, two buffered voltage outputs, as well as a built-in calibration circuit. The output of the alarm set points are 6 amp relay contacts that can be used to control customer process applications. One buffered voltage output is available for flow or level monitoring and the second buffered voltage output is available for temperature monitoring.

#### Theory of Operation

The flow switch is a fixed position, single-point flow, level, interface and temperature switch. The operation of the sensing element is based upon the thermal dispersion principle: A low-powered heater is used to produce a temperature differential between two Resistance Temperature Detectors (RTDs). The RTD temperature differential varies as a function of forced convection for flow measurement and as a function of fluid thermal conductivity for level and interface measurement. The measurement of the fluid's temperature is obtained from the non-heated RTD.

#### Sensing Element

The sensing element consists of two thermowells (hollow tubes) that when inserted into the flow process allows an unimpeded flow inside the process line. The top thermowell has a self-heated RTD inserted into it. The bottom thermowell has a reference RTD inserted into it. In order to correctly orient the sensing element a flow arrow has been etched onto the threaded portion of the sensing element. See Figure 1-1 for a view of the sensing element.

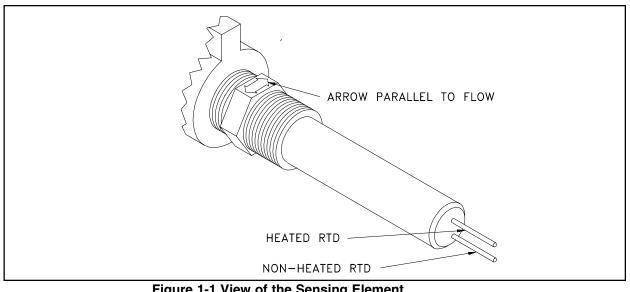


Figure 1-1 View of the Sensing Element

#### **Control Circuit**

The control circuit converts the sensing element's RTD temperature differential into an analog DC voltage signal. Dual comparators monitor the sensing element signal and activates the relay alarm circuits if the signal exceeds an adjustable set point.

The control circuit contains all the removable jumpers that configure the instrument to perform as needed by the customer.

### **Technical Specifications**

#### Process Connection

3/4 inch male NPT standard. 1 inch BSP, 1 inch male NPT, 1/4 inch male NPT (FLT93-F only), flanged mounting, spool piece with 3/4 inch NPT tee or retractable sensing element available.

#### • Insertion Length

Beginning as low as 0.9 inches (23 mm). Standard as well as custom lengths are available.

#### Sensing Element Material

All wetted surfaces are 316 Stainless steel, with allwelded construction. Hastelloy C-276, Monel 400 and electro-polished stainless steel surface preparation optionally available. Titanium is optionally available on the FLT93-S configuration only.

#### • Operating Temperature

Control circuit:

Ambient: -40 to  $140^{\circ}$ F (-40 to  $60^{\circ}$ C).

Sensing element:

Standard temperature configuration: -40 to 350°F (-40 to 177°C). Medium temperature configuration: -100 to 500°F (-73 to 260°C). High temperature configuration:

-100 to 850°F (-73 to 454°C).

## Operating Pressure

Hydrostatically proof pressure tested to 3500 psi (241.3 bar) at 70°F (21.1°C). De-rated with temperature, the maximum recommended operation service is 2350 psi (162 bar) at 500°F (260°C). Higher ratings available with special construction and test certification.

#### Flow Range

From 0.01 to 5 fps (0.006 to 0.15mps) with fluid or 0.25 to 120 fps (0.076 to 38.1 mps) with gas, depending upon model.

#### Signal Output

Buffered voltage output available as a standard for temperature and either flow or level/interface. The minimum load impedance is 100 K ohms.

#### • Accuracy

Switch point accuracy:

Up to  $\pm 2\%$  of the switch point velocity.

#### Monitoring accuracy:

 $\pm 5$  % reading (or  $\pm 0.04$  fps, 0.012 mps, which ever is larger for liquid applications and  $\pm 2$  fps, 0.061 mps, which ever is larger for gas applications).

#### Level accuracy:

Down to  $\pm 0.1$  inch ( $\pm 0.25$  cm)

#### Temperature accuracy:

Up to  $\pm 2$  °F, ( $\pm 1.1$  °C) depending upon application. Higher accuracy is available with factory calibration.

#### Repeatability

 $\pm 0.5\%$  of monitor reading.

Up to  $\pm 0.05$  inch ( $\pm 0.13$  cm) of level depending on model.

 $\pm 1.0^{\circ}$ F, ( $\pm 0.56^{\circ}$ C) of temperature.

#### Response Time

Alarm set point may be set as low as 0.5 seconds. Alarm reset may be as low as 2.5 seconds.

#### Input Power

Field or factory selectable for 115 Vac  $\pm$ 15V, 13VA 100 mA maximum; 230 Vac  $\pm$ 30V 14 VA 50mA maximum; 24 Vac +2 to -6V 12.5 VA 485 mA maximum; or 24 Vdc +6, to -3V, 7 watts, 230 mA maximum. 100 Vac  $\pm$ 10 V is optionally available. All AC Power is 50 to 60 Hz. Power applied is indicated by an LED.

#### Heater Power

Field or factory selectable for specific fluid service requirements.

#### Relay Rating

Dual alarm SPDT or single alarm DPDT field configurable 6 amp resistive at 240 Vac, 115 Vac or 24 Vdc. Options available on auxiliary relay board are 2 amp or 10 amp DPDT, plastic sealed, 0.5 amp DPDT hermetically sealed.

#### Enclosure

Hazardous Location Class I, II, Div. 1, 2 Groups B, C, D, E, F, and G. NEMA type 4X optionally available.

#### Electronics

Part Number: 5294-\_\_\_FlexSwitch<sup>TM</sup>

#### Agency Approvals

Factory Mutual and CSA system approved. CENELEC (hazardous location only) system approved. Approved CE marking.

# 2. Installation

#### **Receiving/Inspection**

- Unpack carefully.
- Verify that all items in the packing list are received and are correct.
- Inspect all instruments for damage or contaminants prior to installation.

If the above three items are satisfactory, proceed with the installation. If not, then stop and contact a customer service representative.

#### Packing/Shipping/Returns

These issues are addressed in Appendix C - Customer Service.

#### **Factory Calibration Note**

The instrument is factory calibrated to the applications as specified at the time of order. There is no need to perform any verification or calibration steps prior to installing and placing the instrument in service unless the application has been varied.

#### **Pre-Installation Procedure**



**Warning:** Only qualified personnel should install this instrument. Install and follow safety procedures in accordance with the current National Electrical Code. Ensure that power is off during installation. Any instances where power is applied to the instrument will be noted in this manual. Where the instructions call for the use of electrical current, the operator assumes all responsibility for conformance to safety standards and practices.



**Caution:** The instrument contains electrostatic discharge (ESD) sensitive devices. Use standard ESD precautions when handling the control circuit. See below, for ESD details.

The instrument is not designed for weld-in-place applications. Never weld to a process connection or a structural support.

Damage resulting from moisture penetration of the control circuit or flow element enclosure is not covered by product warranty.

#### **Use Standard ESD Precautions**

Use standard ESD precautions when opening an instrument enclosure or handling the control circuit. FCI recommends the use of the following precautions: Use a wrist band or heel strap with a 1 megohm resistor connected to ground. If the instrument is in a shop setting there should be static conductive mats on the work table and floor with a 1 megohm resistor connected to ground. Connect the instrument to ground. Apply antistatic agents to hand tools to be used on the instrument. Keep high static producing items away from the instrument such as non-ESD approved plastic, tape and packing foam.

The above precautions are minimum requirements to be used. The complete use of ESD precautions can be found in the U.S. Department Of Defense Handbook 263.

#### **Prepare or Verify Sensing Element Location**

Prepare the process pipe for installation, or inspect the already prepared location to ensure that the instrument will fit into the system.

Review the requirement for the supply power and alarm circuit connections.

#### **Verify Dimensions**

Verify the instrument's dimensions versus the process location to be sure of a correct fit. Also see Appendix A for dimensions.

#### Verify Sensing Element Flow Direction and Placement Orientation (Flow Application)

For flow detection, the sensing element surface marked with direction arrows should be oriented parallel to the process flow. The flow can be from either direction. See the appropriate figure in Appendix A for the flow arrow marking.

Mount the sensing element at least 20 diameters downstream and 10 diameters upstream from any bends or interference in the process pipe or duct to achieve the greatest accuracy.

For liquid flow service, the sensing element should be located in the process pipe so that the thermowells are always completely wet.

When mounted in a tee or section of pipe larger than the normal process pipe, position in a vertical run of pipe with flow upward. This will prevent air or gas bubbles from becoming trapped at the sensor assembly.

Vertical positioning with flow downward is only recommended for higher flow rate applications (consult FCI).

#### Verify Sensing Element Flow Direction and Placement Orientation (Level Application)

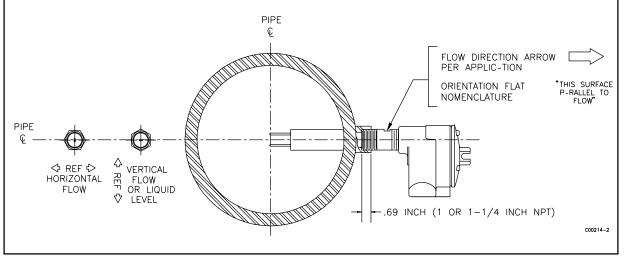
If the sensing element is side-mounted on the process vessel, then the surface marked with direction arrows should be vertically oriented.

If the sensing element is top- or bottom-mounted on the process vessel, the orientation of the surface marked with direction arrows does not matter.

#### **Install the Sensing Element**

#### **Male NPT Mounting**

When mounting the sensing element to the process pipe, it is important that a lubricant/sealant be applied to the male threads of all connections. Be sure to use a lubricant/sealant compatible with the process environment. All connections should be tightened firmly. To avoid leaks, do not overtighten or cross-thread connections. See Figure 2-1 and the appropriate figure in Appendix A for proper mounting.



#### Figure 2-1. NPT Pipe Thread Mount

#### **Flange Mounting**

For flange mounted sensing elements, attach the process mating flange with care. The correct orientation of the sensing element must be maintained to ensure optimum performance or calibration. See Figure 2-2 and the appropriate drawings in Appendix A.

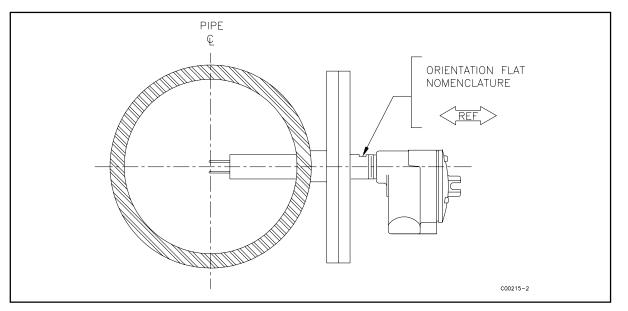


Figure 2-2. Flange Mount

#### **Packing Gland Assembly**

Applications involving the use of a packing gland (low or medium pressure) should refer to the drawings in Appendix A for additional detail.

- 1. Threaded or flanged packing gland mounts are available. The valve assembly with appropriate connections are customer supplied. Follow the male NPT mounting procedure above to attach the pipe thread portion or flange mounting portion as applicable.
- Tighten the packing nut until the internal packing is tight enough so that the friction fit on the shaft is adequate to prevent leakage but not prevent the shaft from sliding. Position the etched flow arrow parallel with the flow (±1° of level) and position the flow arrow so it is pointing in the direction of the flow.
- 3. Proceed to insert the probe into the process media line. Use the adjusting nuts on the all-thread to pull the sensing element into proper predetermined depth position.
- 4. Tighten the opposing lock nuts on the all-threads. Tighten the packing nut another half to full turn until tight (approximately 65 to 85 ft-lbs [88 to 115 N-m] torque).
- 5. Rotate the split ring locking collar to line up with the connecting strap welded to the packing nut. Tighten the two 1/4-28 hex socket cap screws on the split ring locking collar.

Reverse these steps for removal.

#### In-line NPT Assembly (FLT93-L)

The body length of the in-line assembly should be verified to be sure the assembly will fit into the process line. See the appropriate figure in Appendix A to determine the assemblies length. The direction of flow is important for proper operation. There is a flow direction arrow on the in-line pipe that is to point in the direction of flow. See Figure 2-3 for the correct orientation.

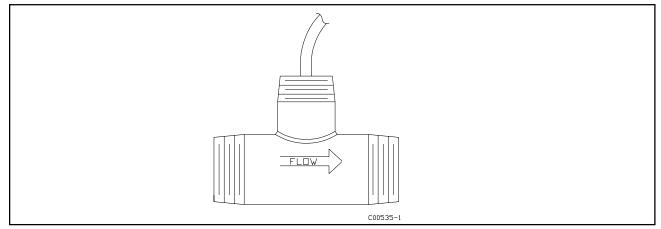


Figure 2-3. FLT93-L In-line Flow Element

#### Sanitary Assembly (FLT93-C)

The instrument is inserted into the process connection with a removable clamp fittings. The Removable Clamp (RC) sanitary assembly contains a removable clamp connection to the flow element. The Clean-In-Place (CIP) sanitary assembly has the flow element directly welded into the process stand pipe. Otherwise these instruments function exactly the same as an FLT93-F or FLT93-S. See Appendix A for an outline dimensions of the instruments. Figure 2-4 also shows the sanitary assemblies.

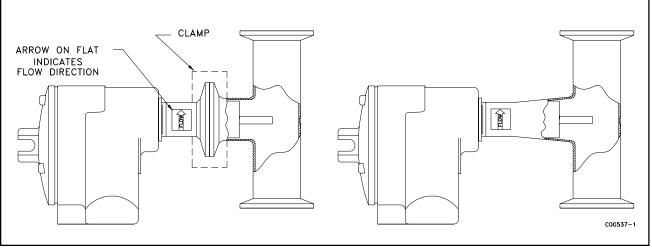


Figure 2-4. FLT93-C Sanitary Flow Elements (RC and CIP Respectively)

#### Install and Wire the Enclosure(s)

**Caution:** In applications where the sensing element is located in an explosive environment, isolate the conduit before it leaves the environment. A potting Y may be used to provide the isolation.

Pulling wires can cause damage to the control circuit. Therefore, remove the control circuit from the enclosure and use extreme care when pulling wires into the enclosure.

Mount and wire the control circuit either locally or remotely (option) by following the local or remote enclosure procedure below.

#### **Minimum Wire Size**

Table 2-1 shows the smallest (maximum AWG number) copper wire that is used in the electrical cables. Use a lower gauge of wire for less of a voltage drop. Contact FCI concerning greater distances than those listed in the table. The sensing element cable must be shielded. If the cable is spliced the shield wire must be continued through the splice. If a terminal block is used, the shield must have its own terminal.

	Maximum Distance for AWG						
Connection	10 ft.	50 ft.	100 ft.	250 ft.	500 ft.	1000 ft.	
	(3m)	(15m)	(31m)	(76m)	152m)	(305m)	
AC Power	22	22	22	20	18	16	
Relay (2A)	28	22	20	16	12	10	
Flow Element Wires*	22	20	20	18	18	18	
*Requires a shielded cable with the shield wire connected to the control socket only.							

Table 2-1. Maximum AWG Number

#### Wiring the Local Enclosure

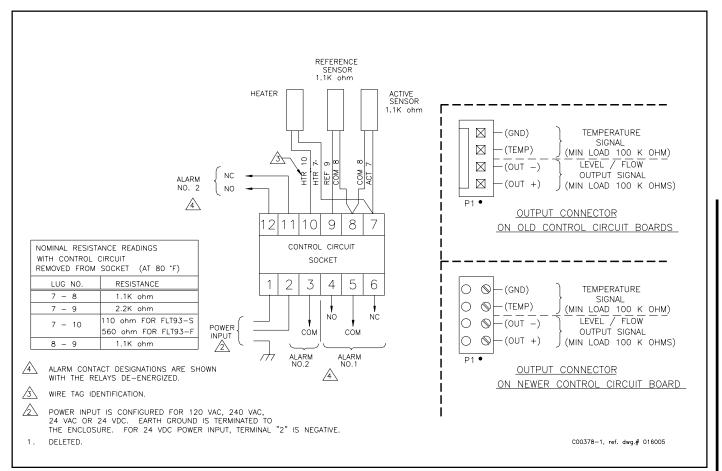
This procedure is for instruments with the control circuit located in the sensing element enclosure.

- 1. Remove the control circuit from its socket. Do not remove the control circuit socket. Removal of the control circuit socket may cause damage to the instrument.
- 2. Install conduit between the local enclosure and the power source and monitoring circuit. Provide watertight hardware and apply thread sealant to all connections to prevent water damage.



**Warning:** Ensure that all power is off before wiring any circuit.

3. When connecting the relay wiring, do so with complete understanding of what the process requires of the instrument. The instrument has dual SPDT or single DPDT relay output contacts dependent on the jumper configuration for each alarm switch point. For the relay logic, refer to Figure 2-5. Also refer to Table 3-5 and Table 3-6 in Chapter 3 - Operation. Relay contacts are shown with the relays de-energized. Wire in accordance with the system requirements.



#### Figure 2-5. Local Wiring Diagram

#### Wiring The Remote Enclosure

This procedure is for instruments with the control circuit located remotely from the sensing element.

#### Locate the Remote Hardware Location

Appendix A shows the remote enclosure along with the physical dimensions to properly mount it. Select a location for the remote enclosure within a 1000 feet (305 m) of the sensing element. Pigtail sensing elements can not be located more than 10 feet (3 m) from the enclosure unless the pigtail is extended with the proper size cable listed in Table 2-1. If the cable is extended the cable connections should be located in a junction box with a 6 position terminal block. All 5 conductors and the shield must have its own termination. The remote enclosure should be easily accessible with enough room to open the enclosure cabinet cover at any time. Secure the remote enclosure solidly to a vertical surface capable of providing support. Use appropriate hardware to secure the enclosure.

- 1. Remove the control circuit from the remote enclosure.
- 2. Run a five-conductor, shielded cable from the local enclosure to the remote enclosure. Use Table 2-1 to determine which wire gauge to use.
- 3. Wire between the local and remote enclosures according to Figure 2-6.



Warning: Ensure that all power is off before wiring any circuit.

4. When connecting the relay wiring, do so with complete understanding of what the process requires of the instrument. The instrument has dual SPDT or single DPDT relay output contacts dependent on the jumper configuration for each alarm switch point. For the relay logic, refer to Figure 2-6. Also refer to Table 3-5 and Table 3-6 in Chapter 3 - Operation. Relay contacts are shown with the relays de-energized. Wire in accordance with the system requirements.

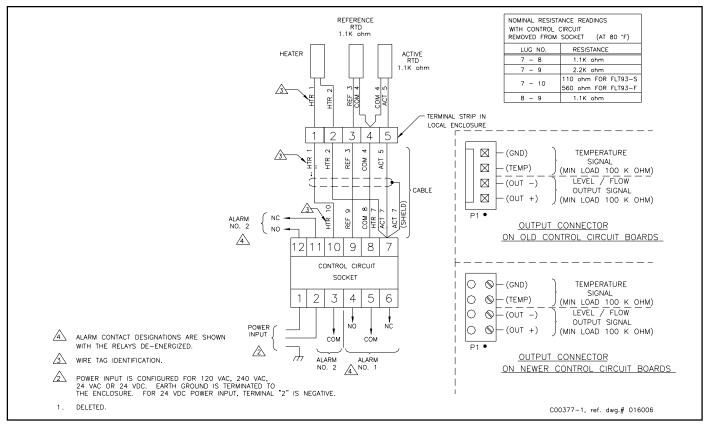


Figure 2-6. Remote Wiring Diagram

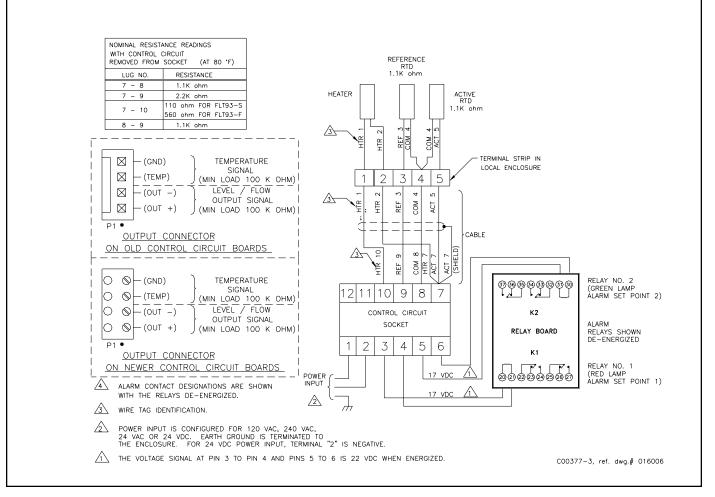


Figure 2-7. Auxiliary Relay Board Wiring Diagram

#### Wiring Remote Enclosure with Auxiliary Relay

Refer to the "Wiring the Remote Enclosure" section to run the cable between the local and remote enclosures. In most cases the auxiliary relay board is in the same enclosure as the control circuit. Both boards are mounted on the same panel and have been wired together at the factory. This configuration can be ordered without an enclosure which can be supplied by the customer.

The alarm connections are made at the auxiliary relay board where each alarm is driving a DPDT relay.

**Caution:** Do not connect any loads to the control circuit socket. Damage will occur to the control circuit if the alarm circuit is energized.

Be sure the correct relay board has been ordered for the correct output. See the following paragraph.

This configuration uses a control circuit that provides a switching voltage signal instead of relay contacts. The switch voltage is wired from the control circuit socket to the auxiliary relay board actuating the relays.

The auxiliary relay board has several relay options that can be ordered. The options are as follows:

- Dry to 2 amps at 115 Vac or 28Vdc, Dry to 1 amp at 230 Vac (relay is enclosed in a plastic sealed cover).
- 100mA to 10mA at 115 Vac or 28Vdc, 50mA to 3 amps at 230 Vac (relay is enclosed in a plastic sealed cover).
- Dry to 0.5 amps at 115 Vac, hermetically sealed relay.

Make sure that the proper relays have been selected for the intended load. See Appendix A for the auxiliary relay board configuration drawing.

When connecting the relay wiring, do so with complete understanding of what the process requires of the instrument. The instrument has dual DPDT or single 4PDT relay output contacts dependent on the jumper configuration for each alarm switch point. For the relay logic, refer to Figure 2-5. Also refer to Table 3-5 and Table 3-6 in Chapter 3 - Operation. Relay contacts are shown with the relays de-energized. Wire in accordance with the system requirements.

The control circuit can be ordered with switching voltage outputs without ordering a relay board. This can be used with customer supplied relays or any other device that has a differential input. The output voltage is 17 Vdc and will drive a load as low as 1500 ohms. Refer to Figure 2-7 for the output terminals.

#### Wiring A Remote Control Circuit To An Auxiliary Relay Board

- 1. Run a four-conductor cable from the control circuit to the auxiliary relay board if the board was not factory installed. Use the wiring diagram in Figure 2-7 to wire the boards together.
- 2. Attach the customer wiring as desired using Figure 2-7 as a wiring guide.

Wiring for this configuration is the same as the sensing element wiring to the control circuit on a remote instrument.

#### Wiring Output Signal Terminals



Two output signals are provided on the control circuit at P1. The signal voltage at positions 1 and 2 represents the process change. The signal voltage at positions 3 and 4 is proportional to the temperature at the sensing element. See Figures 2-5 through 2-7. See also Chapter 3 for the physical layout of the control circuit.

**Caution:** Do not ground terminal 2 of P1. (Terminal 2 is the negative lead of the process signal.) This terminal is 9 volts above the control circuit ground. The peripheral using this signal must have a differential input.

These voltages can be used by other peripherals with a minimum load of 100K ohms. The terminal block can be wired with between gauge 26 and 18 wire (22 gauge wire is normally used). The maximum recommended length of wire is 1000 feet. Shielding is required on any length of cable. The shield must be terminated at position 4 on P1.

Early versions of the FLT93 require a connecting harness that was supplied with each instrument. The harness can be ordered if it is missing. The FCI part number is 015664-01. Newer versions of the FLT93 require a supplied terminal plug.

# 3. Operation

Caution:

**n:** The control circuit contains electrostatic discharge (ESD) sensitive devices. Use standard ESD precautions when handling the control circuit. See Chapter 2, Operation, for ESD details.

## Factory Default Jumper Configuration

Unless a custom factory setup or calibration is specified, the instrument is delivered in a standard factory configuration. The standard default jumper configuration is shown in Table 3-1.

Input Power	230 Vac (J2, J5 and J6).		
Heater Power	FLT93-S	0.75 watts for air or liquid level applications. (J13)	
neater rower	FLT93-F	0.25 watts for air or liquid level applications. (J14)	
Number of Alarms	Two (J23). Each alarm has one set of SPDT contacts.		
Alarm No. 1 Red LED Set Point Pot. R26	Set to monitor flow or level signals (J20). Relay energized at flow or wet (J27).		
Alarm No. 2 Green LED Set Point Pot. R25	Set to monitor temperature signals (J19). Relay energized below temperature (J25). Set point at approximately: 250 F (121 C) for standard temperature, 500 F (260 C) for medium temperature, 850 F (454 C) for high temperature (FLT93-S Only).		

Table 3-1. Standard Jumper Default Configuration

If the order included custom factory setup and calibration, leave all settings alone. The instrument is ready for service without changes.

If custom factory setup or calibration was not ordered, configure the control circuit using the jumper tables (Tables 3-2 to 3-6) and then follow the set point adjustment section that is appropriate for the application.

#### **Configuration Jumpers**

If the order did not specify for the control circuit to be factory configured, the standard configuration can be changed using Figure 3-1 and Table 3-2 though Table 3-6. The factory default configuration is shown as being <u>underlined</u>.

#### **Heater Cut-Off**

The 5294 control circuit has a heater cutoff switch that limits the skin temperature of the sensing element to a temperature differential of approximately  $150^{\circ}F(66^{\circ}C)$  above the process temperature. In the case where the instrument is used as a gas flow switch, and the heater wattage is set too high, the temperature differential (DT) between the RTDs may exceed the usable input range of the control circuit. The usable input range can also be exceeded in the case where the instrument is used in liquid flow applications where the heater wattage is set at the highest value, and when the sensing elements go dry. When the temperature differential is less than  $150^{\circ}F(66^{\circ}C)$  the heater automatically turns back on. The yellow power indicator LED (DS3) turns on and off with the heater for a visual indication of the heater state. The LED will alternate between on and off until the condition iss corrected.

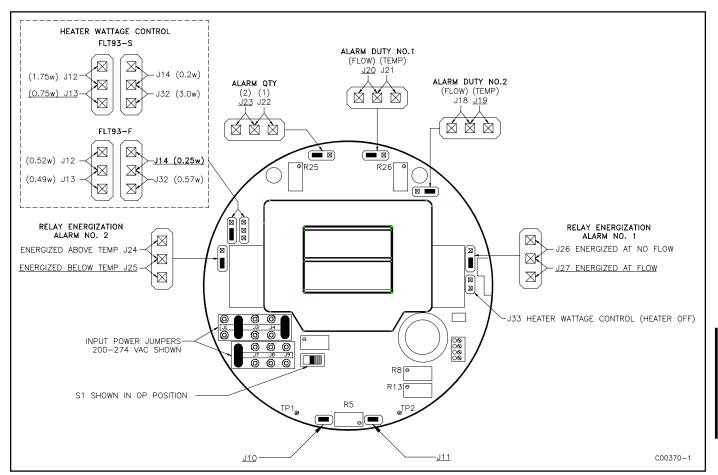


Figure 3-1. 5294 Control Circuit Jumper Locations

The reason for operation in the above extreme conditions is that the input signal range is at the widest point making the alarm set point adjustment easier to perform. If the heater does cycle the operator may need to use the next lower wattage setting.

In some applications it is desirable to set the heater wattage high, even though the sensing element goes into the heater cutoff mode. An example is when the instrument is used to detect the interface of two liquids. These liquids may have viscosities that will have signals very close to each other. In order to have the maximum signal difference between the signals the heater wattage is set to its maximum. If the sensing element detects a dry condition the control circuit will indicate a heater cutoff condition. The sensing element will not be dammaged if it is left dry with the maximum heater wattage. The alarms can be set so one alarm will switch at the interface and one alarm can detect when the element goes dry.

## Alarm Set Point Adjustments

#### Numerical Adjustment Versus Adjustment by Observation

An alarm set point is established using either numerical adjustment or adjustment by observation. The adjustment by observation requires the customer to establish normal process operation and adjust the alarm set point relative to this condition. The numerical approach requires measuring normal and alarm process conditions with a voltmeter and setting up the instrument in the calibrate mode based on these values. The adjustment by observation requires less time to establish the alarm set point. The numerical adjustment requires control of the process as well as additional time to establish the alarm set point. Use the adjustment procedure that is the most appropriate for the application requirement.

#### Table 3-2. Input Power

JUMPER	POWER SELECT						
JUMPER	100-130 VAC	200-260VAC	18-26VAC	21-30VDC			
J1	IN	OUT	OUT	OUT			
<u>J2</u>	OUT	IN	OUT	OUT			
J3	IN	OUT	OUT	OUT			
J4	OUT	OUT	IN	OUT			
<u>J5</u>	IN	IN	OUT	OUT			
<u>J6</u>	OUT	IN	IN	IN			
J7	OUT	OUT	OUT	IN			
J8	OUT	OUT	OUT	IN			
J9	OUT	OUT	IN	OUT			

Table 3-3A. Selectable Heater Wattage Control

JUMPER	J32	J12	J13*	J14*	J33
FLT93-F ELEMENT WATTAGE (560 OHM HTR)	0.57 WATTS	0.52 WATTS	0.49 WATTS	0.20 WATTS	OFF
FLT93-S ELEMENT WATTAGE (110 OHM HTR)	3 WATTS	1.75 WATTS	0.75 WATTS	0.27 WATTS	OFF

\*J13 is standard for FLT93-S and J14 is standard for FLT93-F.

Table 3-3B. Fixed Heater Wattage Control

JUMPER	J13	J14	J33
FLT93-F ELEMENT WATTAGE (560 OHM HTR)	N.A.	0.20 WATTS	OFF
FLT93-S ELEMENT WATTAGE (110 OHM HTR)	0.75 WATTS	N.A.	OFF

# Table 3-4. Application

	FLOW/LEVEL	TEMP.
ALARM NO. 1	<u>J20</u>	J21
ALARM NO. 2	J18	<u>J19</u>

#### Table 3-5. Relay Energization

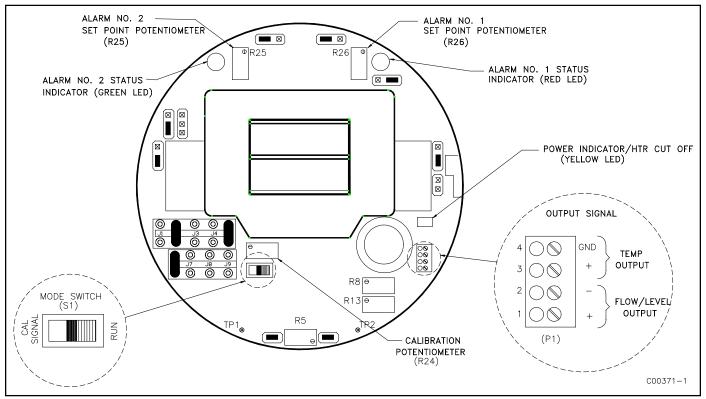
JUMPER						
ALARM NO. 1						
<u>J27</u> RELAY DE-ENERGIZED WITH LOW FLOW, LO LEVEL (DRY) OR HIGH TEMPERATURE.						
J26	RELAY DE-ENERGIZED WITH HIGH FLOW, HIGH LEVEL (WET) OR LOW TEMPERATURE					
	ALARM NO. 2					
<u>J25</u>	RELAY DE-ENERGIZED WITH LOW FLOW, LOW LEVEL (DRY) OR HIGH TEMPERATURE.					
J24	RELAY DE-ENERGIZED WITH HIGH FLOW, HIGH LEVEL (WET) OR LOW TEMPERATURE.					

#### Table 3-6. Relay Contact Configuration

<u>J23</u>	DUAL SPDT (ONE RELAY PER ALARM)
J22	SINGLE DPDT (DISABLES ALARM NO. 2)

#### **Numerical Alarm Set Point Adjustment**

The control circuit has two mutually exclusive alarms; they are identified as Alarm No. 1 and Alarm No. 2. Each has an alarm set point adjustment potentiometer and LED indicator. Both alarms can be setup for one of three applications; flow, level/interface, or temperature. The following application specific adjustment procedures are generic and can be used for setting either or both alarms. Use Figure 3-2 to help locate the important setup components (potentiometers, LEDs, etc.).



#### Figure 3-2. 5294 Control Circuit Component Locations Air/Gas Flow Applications

- 1. Remove the instrument's enclosure cover.
- 2. Ensure the configuration jumpers on the control circuit are correct for this application. See Tables 3-3 through 3-6.
- 3. Check to make sure the input power jumpers match the power to be applied to the instrument. See Table 3-2.
- 4. Apply power to the instrument. Verify the yellow LED is on and allow the instrument fifteen minutes to warm-up.
- 5. Verify the mode switch is in the RUN position.
- 6. Attach a DC voltmeter to the P1 terminal block with the positive (+) lead to position one and the negative (-) lead to position two.
- **Note:** The terminal block can be unplugged from the control circuit to facilitate easy connections. The terminal block is used in late production instruments. Early production instruments used a mating cable and connector. If a cable and connector are required use FCI part number 015664-01 to order.
- 7. Establish the normal process flow condition and allow the signal to stabilize.
- **Note:** The output signal at connector P1 will vary inversely with changes in the process flow rate. The output signal level is relative to the type of process media being measured and the heater wattage setting. See Figure 3-3.

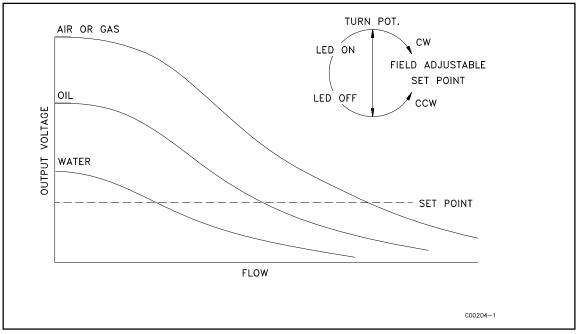


Figure 3-3. Flow Application Signal Output

8. Record the normal flow signal value.

Normal Flow Signal = \_\_\_\_\_ volts DC

9. Follow either the Detecting Decreasing Flow or the Detecting Increasing Flow procedure for each flow application alarm.

#### Detecting Decreasing Flow (low flow alarm)

- 1. Stop the process flow and allow the signal to stabilize.
- 2. Record the no-flow signal. (The no-flow signal should be greater than the normal flow signal.)

No-Flow Signal = \_\_\_\_\_ volts DC

- 3. Determine the set point by calculating the average of the normal and no-flow output signals. (i.e.; If the normal signal is 2.000 volts and the no-flow signal is 5.000 volts, then the calculated set point would be 3.500 volts.)
- 4. Record this value.

Calculated Set Point = \_\_\_\_\_ volts DC



**Note:** The calculated set point must be at least 0.020 volts greater than the normal signal to ensure that the alarm will reset.

- 5. Slide the mode switch to the CALIBRATE position.
- 6. Adjust the calibrate potentiometer (R24) until the voltmeter equals the calculated set point.
- 7. For the appropriate alarm, determine whether the status LED is on or off (red for No. 1 or green for No. 2).

If the LED is off, turn the set point adjustment potentiometer (R26 for alarm No. 1 or R25 for alarm No.2) slowly clockwise just until the LED turns on .

OR

If the LED is on, turn the set point adjustment potentiometer (R26 for alarm No. 1 or R25 for alarm No. 2) counterclockwise until the LED turns off and then slowly clockwise just until the LED turns on.

8. If this is the only flow application alarm to be setup, then skip to the Continue With the Air/Gas Flow Procedure.

#### Detecting Increasing Flow (high flow alarm)

- 1. Establish the excessive process flow condition and allow the signal to stabilize.
- 2. Record the high flow signal. (The high flow signal should be less than the normal flow signal.)
  - High Flow Signal = \_\_\_\_\_ volts DC
- 3. Determine the set point by calculating the average of the normal and high flow output signals. (i.e., If the normal signal is 2.000 volts and the high flow signal is 1.000 volts, then the calculated set point would be 1.500 volts.)
- 4. Record this value.

Calculated Set Point = \_\_\_\_\_ volts DC

- **Note:** The calculated set point must be at least 0.020 volts less than the normal signal to ensure that the alarm will reset.
- 5. Slide the mode switch to the CALIBRATE position.
- 6. Adjust the calibrate potentiometer (R24) until the voltmeter equals the calculated set point.
- 7. For the appropriate alarm, determine whether the status LED is on or off (red for No. 1 or green for No. 2).

If the LED is on, turn the set point adjustment potentiometer (R26 for alarm No. 1 or R25 for alarm No. 2) slowly counterclockwise just until the LED turns off.

OR

If the LED is off, turn the set point adjustment potentiometer (R26 for alarm No. 1 or R25 for alarm No. 2) clockwise until the LED turns on and then slowly counterclockwise just until the LED turns off.

#### Continue With the Air/Gas Flow Procedure

- 1. Slide the mode switch to the RUN position.
- 2. Establish the normal process flow condition. For low-flow alarm setups, the status LED should be off. For high flow alarm setups, the status LED should be on.
- 3. Establish the process alarm condition and monitor the voltmeter display.
- 4. When the output signal passes through the calculated set point value, the status LED should turn on for low-flow alarms, off for high flow alarms, and the relay contacts should change state.
- 5. Reestablish the normal process flow condition. Both the LED and the relay contacts should reset.
- 6. Disconnect the voltmeter from P1.
- 7. Replace the enclosure cover.
- **Note:** The alarm can be set for a specific flow rate. Follow the Air/Gas Flow Application procedure up to step 7 except establish the specific flow rate rather than the normal flow. The output signal will be the set point value. Determine whether the alarm should actuate with decreasing or increasing flow and skip to the appropriate step 4 in Detecting Decreasing Flow or Detecting Increasing Flow, respectfully. Enter the specific flow rate value as the set point. Then follow the Continue With the Air /Gas Flow Procedure steps.

The relay logic default configuration is set for the relay coil to be de-energized when the flow signal voltage is greater than the set point value. (i.e., Assume that the normal process flow condition has been established. In this state, the relay coil will be energized if the alarm has been set for low-flow detection and de-energized if the alarm has been set for high flow detection.) A recommendation is to have the relay coils energized when the process condition is normal. This will enable the alarm to close or open the contacts in case of a power failure.

#### Wet/Dry Liquid Level Applications

- 1. Remove the instrument's enclosure cover.
- 2. Ensure the configuration jumpers on the control circuit are correct for this application. See Tables 3-3 through 3-6.
- 3. Check to make sure the input power jumpers match the power to be applied to the instrument. See Table 3-2.
- 4. Apply power to the instrument. Verify the yellow LED is on and allow the instrument fifteen minutes to warm-up.
- 5. Verify the mode switch is in the RUN position.
- 6. Attach a DC voltmeter to P1 with the positive (+) lead to position one and the negative (-) lead to position two.
- **Note:** The terminal block can be unplugged from the control circuit to facilitate easy connections. The terminal block is used in late production instruments. Early production instruments used a mating cable and connector. If a cable and connector are required use FCI part number 015664-01 to order.
- 7. Raise the process fluid level so the sensing element is wet.
- 8. Allow the output signal to stabilize and record the wet condition value.

Wet Condition Signal = \_\_\_\_\_ volts DC



**Note:** The output signal at P1 is relative to the type of process media detected. See Figure 3-4.

- 9. Lower the process fluid level so the sensing element is dry.
- 10. Allow the output signal to stabilize and record the dry condition value. (The dry signal should be greater than the wet signal.)

Dry Condition Signal = \_\_\_\_\_ volts DC

- 11. Determine the set point by calculating the average of the wet and dry output signals. (i.e., If the wet signal is 0.200 volts and the dry signal is 4.000 volts, then the calculated set point would be 2.100 volts.)
- 12. Record this value.

Calculated Set Point = \_\_\_\_\_ volts DC

**Note:** The calculated set point must be at least 0.015 volts greater than the wet signal and 0.020 volts less than the dry signal to ensure that the alarm will reset.

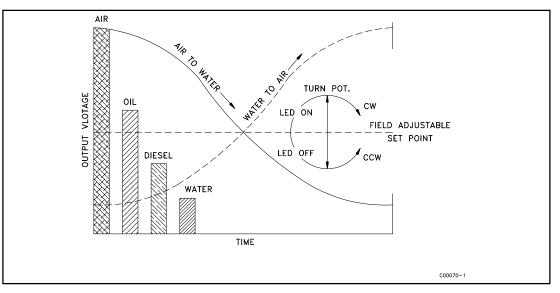


Figure 3-4. Level Application Signal Output

- 13. Slide the mode switch to the CALIBRATE position.
- 14. Adjust the calibrate potentiometer (R24) until the voltmeter equals the calculated set point.
- 15. For the appropriate alarm, determine whether the status LED is on or off (red for No. 1 or green for No. 2).
- 16. Follow either the Detecting Dry Condition or the Detecting Wet Condition for each level application alarm.

#### Detecting Dry Condition (low level alarm)

If the status LED is off, turn the set point adjustment potentiometer (R26 for alarm No. 1 or R25 for alarm No. 2) slowly clockwise just until the LED turns on.

#### OR

If the status LED is on, turn the set point adjustment potentiometer (R26 for alarm No. 1 or R25 for alarm No. 2) counterclockwise until the LED turns off and then slowly clockwise just until the LED turns on.

#### Detecting Wet Condition (high level alarm)

If the status LED is on, turn the set point adjustment potentiometer (R26 for alarm No. 1 or R25 for alarm No. 2) slowly counterclockwise just until the LED turns off.

OR

If the status LED is off, turn the set point adjustment potentiometer (R26 for alarm No. 1 or R25 for alarm No. 2) clockwise until the LED turns on and then slowly counterclockwise just until the LED turns off.

- 17. Slide the mode switch to the RUN position. The status LED should be on if the sensing element is dry and off if the sensing element is wet.
- 18. Monitor the voltmeter display while raising or lowering the process fluid level. When the output signal passes through the set point, the status LED should change states and the relay contacts should change state.
- 19. Reestablish the normal level condition. Both the LED and relay contacts should reset.
- 20. Disconnect the voltmeter from P1.
- 21. Replace the enclosure cover.
- **Note:** The relay logic default configuration is set for the relay coil to be de-energized when the level signal is greater than the set point value. (i.e., The relay coil will be de-energized when the sensing element is dry.) A recommendation is to have the relay coils energized when the process condition is normal. This will enable the alarm to close or open the contacts in case of a power failure.

#### **Temperature Applications**

For temperature versus voltage values, see Table 3-7 located at the rear of this chapter. These values have an accuracy of  $\pm 5^{\circ}$ F (2.78°C). There is also a conversion formula later in this chapter to convert the temperature output voltage to degrees fahrenheit. If a factory calibration chart was ordered look for it in the plastic page protector at the back of this manual. Make sure the serial number of the chart matches the instrument to be adjusted.

- 1. Remove the instrument's enclosure cover.
- 2. Ensure the configuration jumpers on the control circuit are correct for this application. See Tables 3-3 through 3-6.
- **Caution:** If both alarms are to be used for temperature, then remove the heater control jumper from the heater, control header. The jumper may be stored on the control circuit by plugging it across J12 and J14. Placing the jumper here will not turn on the heater. If one alarm is for temperature and the other is for flow or level, then set the heater power according to the application. Use alarm No. 2 for the temperature alarm. See Table 3-3.

- 3. Check to make sure the input power jumpers match the power to be applied to the instrument. See Table 3-2.
- 4. Apply power to the instrument. Verify the yellow LED is on. Allow the instrument fifteen minutes to warm-up.
- 5. Verify the mode switch is in the RUN position.
- 6. Attach a DC voltmeter to P1 with the positive (+) lead to position 3 and the negative (-) lead to position 4.

- 7. Establish the normal process temperature condition and allow the signal to stabilize.
- 8. Record the normal temperature signal value.

Normal Temperature Signal = \_\_\_\_\_ volts DC



- **Note:** The output signal at connector P1 will vary proportionally with the process temperature.
- 9. Follow either the Detecting Increasing Temperature or the Detecting Decreasing Temperature procedure for each temperature application alarm.

#### Detecting Increasing Temperature (high temperature alarm)

- 1. Slide the mode switch to the CALIBRATE position.
- 2. Adjust the calibrate potentiometer (R24) until the voltmeter equals the desired temperature signal in Table 3-7.
- 3. For the appropriate alarm, determine whether the status LED is on or off (red for No. 1 or green for No. 2).

If the LED is off, turn the set point adjustment potentiometer (R26 for alarm No. 1 or R25 for alarm No. 2) slowly clockwise just until the LED turns on.

OR

If the LED is on, turn the set point adjustment potentiometer (R26 for alarm No. 1 or R25 for alarm No. 2) counterclockwise until the LED turns off and then slowly clockwise just until the LED turns on.

If this is the only temperature application alarm to be setup, then skip to the Continue With the Temperature Application procedure.

#### Detecting Decreasing Temperature (low temperature alarm)

- 1. Slide the mode switch to the CALIBRATE position.
- 2. Adjust the calibrate potentiometer (R24) until the voltmeter equals the normal temperature signal.
- 3. For the appropriate alarm, determine whether the status LED is on or off (red for No. 1 or green for No. 2).

If the LED is on, turn the set point adjustment potentiometer (R26 for alarm No. 1 or R25 for alarm No. 2) slowly counterclockwise just until the LED turns off.

OR

If the LED is off, turn the set point adjustment potentiometer (R26 for alarm No. 1 or R25 for alarm No. 2) clockwise until the LED turns on and then slowly counterclockwise just until the LED turns off.

#### Continue With the Temperature Applications

- 1. Slide the mode switch to the RUN position.
- 2. Establish the normal process temperature condition. For the high temperature alarm setups, the status LED should be off at normal temperatures. For the low temperature alarm setups, the status LED should be on at normal temperatures.

**Note:** The terminal block can be unplugged from the control circuit to facilitate easy connections. The terminal block is used in late production instruments. Early production instruments used a mating cable and connector. If a cable and connector are required use FCI part number 015664-01 to order.

- 3. Establish the process alarm condition and monitor the voltmeter display.
- 4. When the output signal passes through the set point value, the status LED should turn on for high temperature alarms, off for low temperature alarms, and the relay contacts should change state.
- 5. Reestablish the normal process temperature condition. The LED and relay contacts should reset.
- 6. Disconnect the voltmeter from P1.
- 7. Replace the enclosure cover.

#### **Liquid Flow Applications**

- 1. Remove the instrument's enclosure cover.
- 2. Check to make sure the input power jumpers match the power to be applied to the instrument. See Table 3-2.
- 3. As necessary, set the following control circuit configuration jumpers. See Tables 3-3 through 3-6.

Application: J20 or J18 (Flow/Level) for alarm No. 1 or No. 2, respectively.

Heater Power: J32 (3 watts for FLT93-S or 0.57 watts for FLT93-F).

- 4. Apply power to the instrument. Verify the yellow LED is on. Allow the instrument fifteen minutes to warm-up.
- 5. Verify the mode switch is in the RUN position.
- 6. Attach a DC voltmeter to P1 connector with the positive (+) lead to position one and the negative (-) lead to position two.
- **Note:** The terminal block can be unplugged from the control circuit to facilitate easy connections. The terminal block is used in late production instruments. Early production instruments used a mating cable and connector. If a cable and connector are required use FCI part number 015664-01 to order.

The output signal at connector P1 will vary inversely with changes in the process flow rate. The output signal level is also relative to the type of process media being measured. See Figure 3-3.

- 7. Establish the normal process flow condition and allow the signal to stabilize.
- 8. Record the normal flow signal value.
  - Normal Flow Signal = \_\_\_\_\_ volts DC
- 9. Follow either the Detecting Decreasing Flow or Detecting Increasing Flow procedure for each Liquid flow application alarm.

#### Detecting Decreasing Flow (low flow alarm)

- 1. Stop the process flow and allow the signal to stabilize.
- 2. Record the no-flow signal. (The no-flow signal should be greater than the normal flow signal.)

No-Flow Signal = \_\_\_\_\_ volts DC

- 3. Determine the set point by calculating the average of the normal and no-flow output signals. (i.e.; If the normal signal is 0.080 volts and the no-flow signal is 0.300 volts, then the calculated set point would be 0.190 volts.)
- 4. Record this value.

Calculated Set Point = \_\_\_\_\_ volts DC

**Note:** The relay default configuration is for the relay coil to be de-energized when the temperature signal is greater than the set point value. (i.e., Assume that the normal process temperature condition has been established. In this state, the relay coil will be energized.)



**Note:** The calculated set point must be at least 0.020 volts greater than the normal signal to ensure that the alarm will reset.

- 5. Slide the mode switch to the CALIBRATE position.
- 6. Adjust the calibrate potentiometer (R24) until the voltmeter equals the calculated set point.
- 7. For the appropriate alarm, determine whether the status LED is on or off (red for No. 1 or green for No. 2).

If the LED is off, turn the set point adjustment potentiometer (R26 for alarm No. 1 or R25 for alarm No. 2) slowly clockwise just until the LED turns on.

OR

If the LED is on, turn the set point adjustment potentiometer (R26 for alarm No. 1 or R25 for alarm No. 2) counterclockwise until the LED turns off and then slowly clockwise just until the LED turns on.

8. If this is the only flow application alarm to be setup, then skip to Continue With the Liquid Flow Applications procedure.

#### Detecting Increasing Flow Rate (high flow alarm)

- 1. Establish the excessive flow condition and allow the signal to stabilize.
- 2. Record the high flow signal. (The high flow signal should be less than the normal flow signal.)

High Flow Signal = \_\_\_\_\_ volts DC

- 3. Determine the set point by calculating the average of the normal and high flow output signals. (i.e.; If the normal signal is 0.080 volts and the high flow signal is 0.030 volts, then the calculated set point would be 0.055 volts.)
- 4. Record this value.

Calculated Set Point = \_\_\_\_\_ volts DC

- **Note:** The calculated set point must be at least 0.020 volts less than the normal signal to ensure that the alarm will reset.
- 5. Slide the mode switch to the CALIBRATE position.
- 6. Adjust the calibrate potentiometer (R24) until the voltmeter equals the calculated set point.
- 7. For the appropriate alarm, determine whether the status LED is on or off (red for No. 1 or green for No. 2).

If the LED is on, turn the set point adjustment potentiometer (R26 for alarm No. 1 or R25 for alarm No. 2) slowly counterclockwise just until the LED turns off.

OR

If the LED is off, turn the set point adjustment potentiometer (R26 for alarm No. 1 or R25 for alarm No. 2) clockwise until the LED turns on and then slowly counterclockwise just until the LED turns off.

#### Continue With the Liquid Flow Applications

- 1. Slide the mode switch to the RUN position.
- 2. Establish the normal process flow condition. For low-flow alarm setups, the status LED should be off. For high flow alarm setups, the status LED should be on.
- 3. Establish the process alarm condition and monitor the voltmeter display.
- 4. When the output signal passes through the calculated set point value, the status LED should turn on for low-flow alarms, off for high flow alarms, and the relay contacts should change state.
- 5. Reestablish the normal process flow condition. Both the LED and the relay contacts should reset.

- 6. Disconnect the voltmeter from P1.
- 7. Replace the enclosure cover.

# **Note:** The alarm can be set for a specific flow rate. Follow the Liquid Flow Application Procedure above to establish the specific flow rate rather than the normal flow. The output signal will be the set point value. Determine whether the alarm should actuate with decreasing or increasing flow and skip to the appropriate step, 4 of either Decreasing Flow Rate or Increasing flow rate. Enter the specific flow rate value as the set point and then follow the Continue With the Liquid Flow Application procedure steps.

The relay logic default configuration is set for the relay coil to be de-energized when the flow signal is greater than the set point value. (i.e., Assume that the normal process flow condition has been established. In this state, the relay coil will be energized if the alarm has been set for low-flow detection and de-energized if the alarm has been set for high flow detection.)

#### Adjustment by Observation



**Note:** The control circuit has two mutually exclusive alarms; they are identified as Alarm No. 1 and Alarm No. 2 and each has a set point adjustment potentiometer and LED indicator. Each alarm can be setup for one of three applications: flow, level/interface, or temperature. The following application specific adjustment procedures are generic and can be used for setting either or both alarms. The mode switch must be in the RUN position. Use Figure 3-2 to help locate the adjustment potentiometers and LEDs.

#### **Flow Applications**

- 1. Ensure that the instrument has been properly installed in the pipeline. Fill the pipeline so the sensing element is surrounded by the process medium.
- 2. Apply power to the instrument and allow fifteen minutes for the sensing element to become active and stabilize.
- 3. Flow the pipeline at the normal or expected rate. Remove the enclosure cover to allow access to the control circuit to make adjustments.

#### Detecting Decreasing Flow (low flow alarm)

If the status LED is off, turn the set point adjustment potentiometer clockwise until the LED turns on. With the LED on, slowly turn the potentiometer counterclockwise one turn past the point at which the LED just turns off. The potentiometer may have up to one-quarter turn of hysteresis, therefore, if the mark is overshot, the procedure should be repeated.

#### Detecting Increasing Flow (high flow alarm)

If the status LED is on, turn the set point adjustment potentiometer counterclockwise until the LED turns off. With the LED off, slowly turn the potentiometer clockwise one-half turn past the point at which the LED just turns on. The potentiometer may have up to one-quarter turn of hysteresis, therefore, if the mark is overshot, the procedure should be repeated.

#### Signal Output for Flow Applications

The output signal at connector P1 varies inversely with flow rate. The output signal level is also relative to the type of process media, see Figure 3-3.

#### **Level Applications**

- 1. Ensure that the instrument has been properly installed in the vessel.
- 2. Apply power to the instrument and allow fifteen minutes for the sensing element to become active and stabilize.
- 3. Remove the enclosure cover to allow access to the control circuit to make adjustments.

#### Detecting Dry Condition (adjustment with sensing element wet)

Verify that the sensing element is wet. If the status LED is off, turn the set point adjustment potentiometer clockwise until the LED turns on. With the LED on, slowly turn the potentiometer counterclockwise one turn past the point at which the LED just turns off. The potentiometer may have up to one-quarter turn of hystereses, therefore, if the mark is overshot, the procedure should be repeated.

#### Detecting Wet Condition (adjustment with sensing element dry)



**Caution:** Give consideration to the fact that air or gas flowing over the sensing element may decrease the output signal resulting in a false alarm. If the sensing element is exposed to air or gas flow in the dry condition, or where the process media is highly viscous, make set point adjustments in the wet condition only.

Field adjustments made in the dry condition should be performed in the actual service environment or within a condition that approximates that environment. Provision should be made for the worst case condition of air or gas flow on the sensing element. If the status LED is on, turn the set point adjustment potentiometer counterclockwise until the LED turns off. (If the LED cannot be turned off, the instrument must be set in the wet condition.)

With the LED off, slowly turn the potentiometer clockwise 1 turn past the point at which the LED just goes on. The potentiometer may have up to one-quarter turn of hysteresis, therefore, if the mark is overshot, the procedure should be repeated.

#### Signal Output for Level Applications

The output signal at P1 is lowest in water and highest in air. See Figure 3-4.

#### Temperature Applications

**Note:** It is reccommended not to use the instrument for a dual flow and temperature application in air or gas unless the flow rate is greater than 1.0 SFPS. (The instrument may be used for a dual flow and temperature application in liquids at any flow rate.)

When using the instrument for dual level and temperature applications, the temperature signal can be as much as  $50^{\circ}$ F ( $28^{\circ}$ C) high when the sensing element is in still air.

Turn the heater off for temperature only applications. To turn off the heater remove the heater control jumper from the heater, control headder. The jumper may be stored on the control circuit by plugging it across J12 and J14. Placing the jumper here will not turn on the heater.

- 1. Ensure that the instrument has been properly installed. Apply power the instrument and allow fifteen minutes for the sensing element to become active and stabilize.
- 3. Establish the normal or expected temperature. Remove the enclosure cover to allow access to the control circuit. Perform either the detecting increasing temperature or detecting decreasing temperature procedure shown below.

#### Detecting Increasing Temperature (high temperature alarm)

If the status LED is off, turn the alarm adjustment potentiometer clockwise until the LED turns on. With the LED on, slowly turn the potentiometer counterclockwise one half turn past the point at which the LED just turns off. The potentiometer may have up to one-quarter turn of hysteresis, therefore, if the mark is overshot, the procedure should be repeated.

#### Detecting Decreasing Temperature (low temperature alarm)

If the status LED is on, turn the set point adjustment potentiometer counterclockwise until the LED turns off. With the LED off, slowly turn the potentiometer clockwise one-half turn past the point at which the LED just turns on. The potentiometer may have up to one-quarter turn of hysteresis, therefore, if the mark is overshot, the procedure should be repeated.

0.00375 OHMS/OHMS/C 1000 OHMS PLATINUM										
TEMPERATURE VERSUS VOLTAGE OUTPUT, FLT93										
T(°F)	V OUT	T(°F)	V OUT	T(°F)	V OUT	T(°F)	V OUT			
-100	1.434	-57	1.620	-14	1.804	29	1.987			
-99	1.439	-56	1.625	-13	1.809	30	1.992			
-98	1.443	-55	1.629	-12	1.813	31	1.996			
-97	1.447	-54	1.633	-11	1.817	32	2.000			
-96	1.452	-53	1.637	-10	1.822	33	2.004			
-95	1.456	-52	1.642	-9	1.826	34	2.008			
-94	1.460	-51	1.646	-8	1.830	35	2.013			
-93	1.465	-50	1.650	-7	1.834	36	2.017			
-92	1.469	-49	1.655	-6	1.839	37	2.021			
-91	1.473	-48	1.659	-5	1.843	38	2.025			
-90	1.478	-47	1.663	-4	1.847	39	2.030			
-89	1.482	-46	1.667	-3	1.851	40	2.034			
-88	1.486	-45	1.672	-2	1.856	41	2.038			
-87	1.491	-44	1.676	-1	1.860	42	2.042			
-86	1.495	-43	1.680	0	1.864	43	2.047			
-85	1.499	-42	1.685	1	1.868	44	2.051			
-84	1.504	-41	1.689	2	1.873	45	2.055			
-83	1.508	-40	1.693	3	1.877	46	2.059			
-82	1.512	-39	1.698	4	1.881	47	2.063			
-81	1.517	-38	1.702	5	1.885	48	2.068			
-80	1.521	-37	1.706	6	1.890	49	2.072			
-79	1.525	-36	1.710	7	1.894	50	2.076			
-78	1.530	-35	1.715	8	1.898	51	2.080			
-77	1.534	-34	1.719	9	1.902	52	2.085			
-76	1.538	-33	1.723	10	1.907	53	2.089			
-75	1.543	-32	1.728	11	1.911	54	2.093			
-74	1.547	-31	1.732	12	1.915	55	2.097			
-73	1.551	-30	1.736	13	1.919	56	2.101			
-72	1.556	-29	1.740	14	1.924	57	2.106			
-71	1.560	-28	1.745	15	1.928	58	2.110			
-70	1.564	-27	1.749	16	1.932	59	2.114			
-69	1.569	-26	1.753	17	1.936	60	2.118			
-68	1.573	-25	1.757	18	1.941	61	2.122			
-67	1.577	-24	1.762	19	1.945	62	2.127			
-66	1.581	-23	1.766	20	1.949	63	2.131			
-65	1.586	-22	1.770	21	1.953	64	2.135			
-64	1.590	-21	1.775	22	1.958	65	2.139			
-63	1.594	-20	1.779	23	1.962	66	2.144			
-62	1.599	-19	1.783	24	1.966	67	2.148			
-61	1.603	-18	1.787	25	1.970	68	2.152			
-60	1.607	-17	1.792	26	1.975	69	2.156			
-59	1.612	-16	1.796	27	1.979	70	2.160			
-58	1.616	-15	1.800	28	1.983	70	2.165			

Table 3-7.	Temperature	Versus	Voltage	Output	(sheet 1	of 5)
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Table 3-7.	<b>Temperature Versus</b>	Voltage Output	(sheet 2 of 5)
	remperature versus	Vollage Output	

			/IS/OHMS/ºC				
			RE VERSUS V		,		
T(°F)	V OUT	$T(^{\circ}F)$	V OUT	$T(^{\circ}F)$	V OUT	$T(^{\circ}F)$	V OUT
72	2.169	121	2.374	170	2.577	219	2.779
73	2.173	122	2.378	171	2.581	220	2.783
74	2.177	123	2.382	172	2.585	221	2.787
75	2.181	124	2.386	173	2.590	222	2.791
76	2.186	125	2.391	174	2.594	223	2.795
77	2.190	126	2.395	175	2.598	224	2.799
78	2.194	127	2.399	176	2.602	225	2.803
79	2.198	128	2.403	177	2.606	226	2.807
80	2.202	129	2.407	178	2.610	227	2.811
81	2.207	130	2.411	179	2.614	228	2.816
82	2.211	131	2.415	180	2.618	229	2.820
83	2.215	132	2.420	181	2.623	230	2.824
84	2.219	133	2.424	182	2.627	231	2.828
85	2.223	134	2.428	183	2.631	232	2.832
86	2.228	135	2.432	184	2.635	233	2.836
87	2.232	136	2.436	185	2.639	234	2.840
88	2.236	137	2.440	186	2.643	235	2.844
89	2.240	138	2.445	187	2.647	236	2.848
90	2.244	139	2.449	188	2.651	237	2.852
91	2.248	140	2.453	189	2.656	238	2.856
92	2.253	141	2.457	190	2.660	239	2.860
93	2.257	142	2.461	191	2.664	240	2.865
94	2.261	143	2.465	192	2.668	241	2.869
95	2.265	144	2.469	193	2.672	242	2.873
96	2.269	145	2.474	194	2.676	243	2.877
97	2.274	146	2.478	195	2.680	244	2.881
98	2.278	147	2.482	196	2.684	245	2.885
99	2.282	148	2.486	197	2.688	246	2.889
100	2.286	149	2.490	198	2.693	247	2.893
101	2.290	150	2.494	199	2.697	248	2.897
102	2.295	151	2.499	200	2.701	249	2.901
103	2.299	152	2.503	201	2.705	250	2.905
104	2.303	153	2.507	202	2.709	251	2.909
105	2.307	154	2.511	203	2.713	252	2.913
106	2.311	155	2.515	204	2.717	253	2.917
107	2.315	156	2.519	205	2.721	254	2.922
108	2.320	157	2.523	206	2.725	255	2.926
109	2.324	158	2.528	207	2.729	256	2.930
110	2.328	159	2.532	208	2.734	257	2.934
111	2.332	160	2.536	209	2.738	258	2.938
112	2.336	161	2.540	210	2.742	259	2.942
113	2.340	162	2.544	211	2.746	260	2.946
114	2.345	163	2.548	212	2.750	261	2.950
115	2.349	164	2.552	213	2.754	262	2.954
116	2.353	165	2.556	214	2.758	263	2.958
117	2.357	166	2.561	215	2.762	264	2.962
118	2.361	167	2.565	216	2.766	265	2.966
119	2.366	168	2.569	217	2.770	266	2.970
120	2.370	169	2.573	218	2.775	267	2.974

	Table 3-7.	<b>Temperature Versus</b>	Voltage Output	(sheet 3 of 5)
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			IS/OHMS/°C				
	1	MPERATU	RE VERSUS V	VOLTAGE O	UTPUT, FLT		-
T(°F)	V OUT	T(°F)	V OUT	T(°F)	V OUT	T(°F)	V OUT
268	2.978	317	3.176	366	3.373	415	3.567
269	2.982	318	3.180	367	3.377	416	3.571
270	2.987	319	3.184	368	3.381	417	3.575
271	2.991	320	3.188	369	3.385	418	3.579
272	2.995	321	3.192	370	3.388	419	3.583
273	2.999	322	3.196	371	3.392	420	3.587
274	3.003	323	3.200	372	3.396	421	3.591
275	3.007	324	3.205	373	3.400	422	3.595
276	3.011	325	3.209	374	3.404	423	3.599
277	3.015	326	3.213	375	3.408	424	3.602
278	3.019	327	3.217	376	3.412	425	3.606
279	3.023	328	3.221	377	3.416	426	3.610
280	3.027	329	3.225	378	3.420	427	3.614
281	3.031	330	3.229	379	3.424	428	3.618
282	3.035	331	3.233	380	3.428	429	3.622
283	3.039	332	3.237	381	3.432	430	3.626
284	3.043	333	3.241	382	3.436	431	3.630
285	3.047	334	3.245	383	3.440	432	3.634
286	3.051	335	3.249	384	3.444	433	3.638
287	3.055	336	3.253	385	3.448	434	3.642
288	3.059	337	3.257	386	3.452	435	3.646
289	3.063	338	3.261	387	3.456	436	3.650
290	3.068	339	3.265	388	3.460	437	3.654
291	3.072	340	3.269	389	3.464	438	3.658
292	3.076	341	3.273	390	3.468	439	3.662
293	3.080	342	3.277	391	3.472	440	3.665
294	3.084	343	3.281	392	3.476	441	3.669
295	3.088	344	3.285	393	3.480	442	3.673
296	3.092	345	3.289	394	3.484	443	3.677
297	3.096	346	3.293	395	3.488	444	3.681
298	3.100	347	3.297	396	3.492	445	3.685
299	3.104	348	3.301	397	3.496	446	3.689
300	3.108	349	3.305	398	3.500	447	3.693
301	3.112	350	3.309	399	3.504	448	3.697
302	3.116	351	3.313	400	3.508	449	3.701
303	3.120	352	3.317	401	3.512	450	3.705
304	3.124	353	3.321	402	3.516	451	3.709
305	3.128	354	3.325	403	3.520	452	3.713
306	3.132	355	3.329	404	3.523	453	3.716
307	3.136	356	3.333	405	3.527	454	3.720
308	3.140	357	3.337	406	3.531	455	3.724
309	3.144	358	3.341	407	3.535	456	3.728
310	3.148	359	3.345	408	3.539	457	3.732
311	3.152	360	3.349	409	3.543	458	3.736
312	3.156	361	3.353	410	3.547	459	3.740
313	3.160	362	3.357	411	3.551	460	3.744
314	3.164	363	3.361	412	3.555	461	3.748
315	3.168	364	3.365	413	3.559	462	3.752
316	3.172	365	3.369	414	3.563	463	3.756

Table 3-7.	<b>Temperature</b>	Versus	Voltage Out	put (	(sheet 4 of 5)	
	romporataro	101040	Tonage Out	pull	(011001 + 010)	

	Table 3-7. Temperature versus voltage Output (sneet 4 of 5)									
	0.00375 OHMS/OHMS/°C 1000 OHMS PLATINUM TEMPERATURE VERSUS VOLTAGE OUTPUT, FLT93									
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T(°F)	V OUT	T(°F)	V OUT	T(°F)	V OUT	T(°F)	V OUT			
464	3.760	513	3.950	562	4.139	611	4.327			
465	3.763	514	3.954	563	4.143	612	4.330			
466	3.767	515	3.958	564	4.147	613	4.334			
467	3.771	516	3.962	565	4.151	614	4.338			
468	3.775	517	3.966	566	4.155	615	4.342			
469	3.779	518	3.970	567	4.159	616	4.346			
470	3.783	519	3.974	568	4.162	617	4.349			
471	3.787	520	3.977	569	4.166	618	4.353			
472	3.791	521	3.981	570	4.170	619	4.357			
473	3.795	522	3.985	571	4.174	620	4.361			
474	3.799	523	3.989	572	4.178	621	4.365			
475	3.803	524	3.993	573	4.182	622	4.368			
476	3.806	525	3.997	574	4.185	623	4.372			
477	3.810	526	4.001	575	4.189	624	4.376			
478	3.814	527	4.005	576	4.193	625	4.380			
479	3.818	528	4.008	577	4.197	626	4.384			
480	3.822	529	4.012	578	4.201	627	4.387			
481	3.826	530	4.016	579	4.205	628	4.391			
482	3.830	531	4.020	580	4.208	629	4.395			
483	3.834	532	4.024	581	4.212	630	4.399			
484	3.838	533	4.028	582	4.216	631	4.403			
485	3.842	534	4.032	583	4.220	632	4.406			
486	3.845	535	4.035	584	4.224	633	4.410			
487	3.849	536	4.039	585	4.228	634	4.414			
488	3.853	537	4.043	586	4.231	635	4.418			
489	3.857	538	4.047	587	4.235	636	4.422			
490	3.861	539	4.051	588	4.239	637	4.425			
491	3.865	540	4.055	589	4.243	638	4.429			
492	3.869	541	4.059	590	4.247	639	4.433			
493	3.873	542	4.062	591	4.250	640	4.437			
494	3.877	543	4.066	592	4.254	641	4.440			
495	3.880	544	4.070	593	4.258	642	4.444			
496	3.884	545	4.074	594	4.262	643	4.448			
497	3.888	546	4.078	595	4.266	644	4.452			
498	3.892	547	4.082	596	4.270	645	4.456			
499	3.896	548	4.086	597	4.273	646	4.459			
500	3.900	549	4.089	598	4.277	647	4.463			
501	3.904	550	4.093	599	4.281	648	4.467			
502	3.908	551	4.097	600	4.285	649	4.471			
503	3.912	552	4.101	601	4.289	650	4.474			
504	3.915	553	4.105	602	4.292	651	4.478			
505	3.919	554	4.109	603	4.296	652	4.482			
506	3.923	555	4.113	604	4.300	653	4.486			
507	3.927	556	4.116	605	4.304	654	4.490			
508	3.931	557	4.120	606	4.308	655	4.493			
509	3.935	558	4.124	607	4.311	656	4.497			
510	3.939	559	4.128	608	4.315	657	4.501			
511	3.943	560	4.132	609	4.319	658	4.505			
512	3.947	561	4.136	610	4.323	659	4.508			

Table 3-7. Te	emperature Ve	rsus Voltage O	utput (sheet 5 of 5)
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					S PLATINUM		
		1	T		UTPUT, FLT		IL OLIT
T(°F)	V OUT	T(°F)	V OUT	T(°F)	V OUT	T(°F)	V OUT
660	4.512	709	4.696	758	4.878	807	5.058
661	4.516	710	4.700	759	4.881	808	5.062
662	4.520	711	4.703	760	4.885	809	5.065
663	4.523	712	4.707	761	4.889	810	5.069
664	4.527	713	4.711	762	4.892	811	5.072
665	4.531	714	4.714	763	4.896	812	5.076
666	4.535	715	4.718	764	4.900	813	5.080
667	4.538	716	4.722	765	4.904	814	5.083
668	4.542	717	4.726	766	4.907	815	5.087
669	4.546	718	4.729	767	4.911	816	5.091
670	4.550	719	4.733	768	4.915	817	5.094
671	4.554	720	4.737	769	4.918	818	5.098
672	4.557	721	4.741	770	4.922	819	5.102
673	4.561	722	4.744	771	4.926	820	5.105
674	4.565	723	4.748	772	4.929	821	5.109
675	4.569	724	4.752	773	4.933	822	5.113
676	4.572	725	4.755	774	4.937	823	5.116
677	4.576	726	4.759	775	4.940	824	5.120
678	4.580	727	4.763	776	4.944	825	5.124
679	4.584	728	4.767	777	4.948	826	5.127
680	4.587	729	4.770	778	4.951	827	5.131
681	4.591	730	4.774	779	4.955	828	5.134
682	4.595	731	4.778	780	4.959	829	5.138
683	4.599	732	4.781	781	4.962	830	5.142
684	4.602	733	4.785	782	4.966	831	5.145
685	4.606	734	4.789	783	4.970	832	5.149
686	4.610	735	4.793	784	4.974	833	5.153
687	4.614	736	4.796	785	4.977	834	5.156
688	4.617	737	4.800	786	4.981	835	5.160
689	4.621	738	4.804	787	4.985	836	5.164
690	4.625	739	4.807	788	4.988	837	5.167
691	4.629	740	4.811	789	4.992	838	5.171
692	4.632	741	4.815	790	4.996	839	5.175
693	4.636	742	4.819	791	4.999	840	5.178
694	4.640	743	4.822	792	5.003	841	5.182
695	4.644	744	4.826	793	5.007	842	5.185
696	4.647	745	4.830	794	5.010	843	5.189
697	4.651	746	4.833	795	5.014	844	5.193
698	4.655	747	4.837	796	5.018	845	5.196
699	4.658	748	4.841	797	5.021	846	5.200
700	4.662	749	4.844	798	5.025	847	5.204
701	4.666	750	4.848	799	5.029	848	5.207
702	4.670	751	4.852	800	5.032	849	5.211
703	4.673	752	4.856	801	5.036	850	5.214
704	4.677	753	4.859	802	5.040	851	5.218
705	4.681	754	4.863	803	5.043	852	5.222
706	4.685	755	4.867	804	5.047	853	5.225
707	4.688	756	4.870	805	5.051	854	5.229
708	4.692	757	4.874	806	5.054	855	5.233

#### Converting Temp Out Voltage to Temp in Degrees F

This formula is useful when monitoring the temperature output voltage with a data acquisition system where the formula can be used in the program.

Use the following formula to determine what the temperature is in degrees Fahrenheit, if the FLT temperature output voltage is known.

$$y = a + bx + c/x + dx^{2} + e/x^{2} + fx^{3} + g/x^{3}$$

Where:

y = Temperature in Degrees F

x = FLT Temperature Output Voltage a = -533.998303 b = 251.-092242 c = 218.4101830 d = -1.25664666 e = -225.492653 f = 0.522817769 g = 95.41271936

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#### Fail Safe Alarm Setting

These procedures set the second relay to detect component failure (fail-safe).

#### Low Flow Alarm Settings

For the low flow fail safe setup the following jumpers are to be installed: J18, J20, J23, J24, J27.

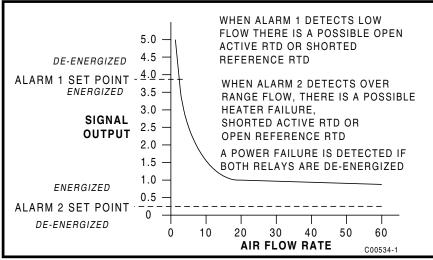


Figure 3-5. Low Flow Fail Safe Alarm

The following information is assumed:

Relay is de-energized in the ALARM condition. Alarm 1 set point is adjusted for desired low flow alarm velocity or signal.

Alarm 2 set point is adjusted for desired low now alarm velocity of signal. Alarm 2 set point is adjusted slightly below minimum signal output (over range flow).

#### **High Flow Alarm Settings**

For the high flow fail safe setup the following jumpers are to be installed: J18, J20, J23, J25, J26.

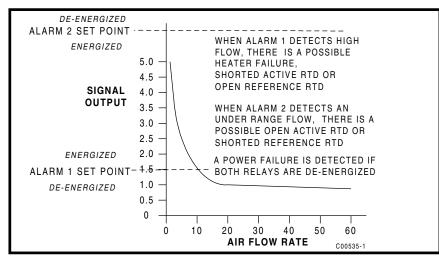


Figure 3-6. High Flow Fail Safe Alarm

The following information is assumed:

Relay is de-energized in the ALARM condition.

Alarm 1 set point is adjusted for desired high flow alarm velocity or signal.

Alarm 2 set point is adjusted above maximum signal output (under range flow not to exceed 7.0 volts).

#### Low Level Alarm Settings (Sensing Element Normally Wet)

For the low level fail safe setup the following jumpers are to be installed: J18, J20, J23, J24, J27.

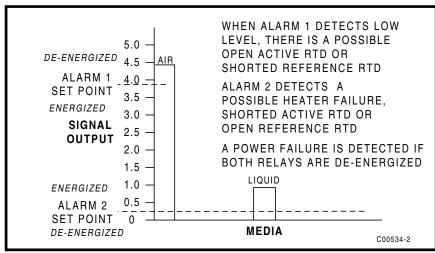


Figure 3-7. Low Level Fail Safe Alarm

The following information is assumed:

Relay is de-energized in the ALARM condition.

Alarm 1 set point is adjusted for the mean value between the air and liquid signals. Alarm 2 set point is adjusted to approximately half of the liquid signal. (A lower setting might be needed if the liquid is moving.)

#### High Level Alarm Settings (Sensing Element Normally Dry)

For the high level fail safe setup the following jumpers are to be installed: J18, J20, J23, J25, J26.

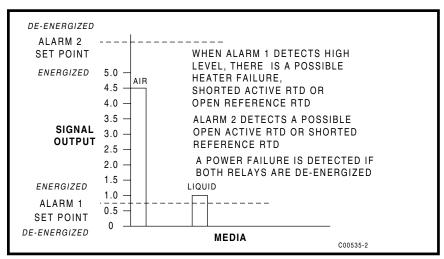


Figure 3-8. High Flow Fail Safe Alarm

The following information is assumed:

Relay is de-energized in the ALARM condition.

Alarm 1 set point is adjusted for the mean value between the air and liquid signals. Alarm 2 set point is adjusted above maximum signal output for air (not to exceed 7.0 volts).

## 4. Maintenance



**Warning:** To avoid hazards to personnel, ensure that all environmental isolation seals are properly maintained.

**Caution:** The insturment contains electrostatic discharge (ESD) sensitive devices. Use standard ESD precautions when handling the control circuit. See Chapter 2, Operation, for ESD details.

The FCI instrument requires very little maintenance. There are no moving parts or mechanical parts subject to wear in the instrument. The sensor assembly which is exposed to the process media is all stainless steel construction and is only susceptible to chemical attack based on the corrosion relationship of the RTD thermowell material with the process media.

## Maintenance

Without detailed knowledge of the environmental parameters of the application surroundings and process media, FCI cannot make specific recommendations for periodic inspection, cleaning, or testing procedures. However, some suggested general guidelines for maintenance steps are offered below. Use operating experience to establish the frequency of each type of maintenance.

#### Calibration

Periodically verify the calibration of the output and re-calibrate if necessary. See Chapter 3 for instructions.

#### **Electrical Connections**

Periodically inspect cable connections on terminal strips and terminal blocks. Verify that terminal connections are tight and in good condition with no sign of corrosion.

#### **Remote Enclosure**

Verify that the moisture barriers and seals protecting the electronics in the local and remote enclosures are adequate and that no moisture is entering those enclosures.

#### **Electrical Wiring**

FCI recommends occasional inspection of the system's interconnecting cable, power wiring and sensing element wiring on a common sense basis related to the application environment. Periodically the conductors should be inspected for corrosion and the cable insulation checked for signs of deterioration.

#### **Sensing Element Connections**

Verify that all seals are performing properly and that there is no leakage of the process media. Check for deterioration of the gaskets and environmental seals used.

#### Sensing Element Assembly

Periodically remove the sensing element for inspection based on historical evidence of debris, foreign matter, or scale buildup during appropriate plant shutdown schedules and procedures. Check for corrosion, stress cracking, and/or buildup of oxides, salts, or other substances. The thermowells must be free of excessive contaminants and be physically intact. Any debris or residue buildup could cause inaccurate switching. Clean the sensing element with a soft brush and available solvents that are compatible with the instruments wetted metal.

## 5. Troubleshooting



**Warning:** Only qualified personnel should attempt to test this instrument. The operator assumes all responsibilities for safe practices while troubleshooting.

**Caution:** The control circuit contains electrostatic discharge (ESD) sensitive devices. Use standard ESD precautions when handling the control circuit. See Chapter 2, Operation, for ESD details.

## **Tools Needed**

Digital Multimeter (DMM)

## **Quick Check**

Verify that the control circuit is seated firmly.
LED DS3 should be lit when power is applied and in most cases it should not be blinking.
Ensure that the jumpers are in the correct position. See Chapter 3 for the correct positions.
(The power is factory preset for 220 Vac, the customer may need to reset jumpers for other power input.)
Ensure that the CALIBRATE - RUN switch is in the RUN position (switch S1 positioned toward the heat sink).
If LED DS3 flashes the heater power is set to high for most applications.

Check any customer supplied fuses.

See the troubleshooting chart in Figure 5-1 at the end of this chapter.

#### **Non-maintenance Observations**

At this point, observe the system setup to verify operation. No disassembly or testing is required at this time.

#### **Check Serial Numbers**

Verify that the serial number of the sensing element and the control circuit are the same number. The sensing element and the control circuit are a matched set and cannot be operated independently of each other. The exception to this is if a removal and replacement have been done for repair purposes. All calibrations and jumpers must have been done and set.

#### **Check Input Power**

Verify that the correct power source is turned on and connected. Verify that the power jumpers are correct for the application. See Chapter 3 for the correct positions.

#### **Check the Instrument Installation**

Review the information on instrument installation in Chapter 2 to verify correct mechanical and electrical installation.

#### Check for Moisture

Check for moisture on the control circuit. Moisture on the control circuit may cause intermittent operation.

For normally dry conditions check for moisture on the sensing element. If a component of the process media is near its saturation temperature it may condense on the sensing element. Place the sensing element where the process media is well above the saturation temperature of any of the process gases.

#### **Check Application Design Requirements**

Application design problems may occur with first time application instruments, although the design should also be checked on instruments that have been in operation for some time. If the application design does not match field conditions, errors occur.

- 1. Review the application design with plant operation personnel and plant engineers.
- 2. Ensure that plant equipment such as pressure and temperature instruments conform to the actual conditions.
- 3. Verify operating temperature, operating pressure, line size, and process medium.

If conditions and specifications are satisfactory, then refer to the troubleshooting chart in the back of this chapter for troubleshooting suggestions.

### **Troubleshooting the Flow Element**

Use Tables 5-1 and 5-2 to determine if the flow element is wired correctly or has failed. Turn off the input power to the instrument. Unplug the control circuit from its socket and measure the resistances below from the terminal block socket.

If the instrument is set up in remote configuration (flow element enclosure seperate from the control circuit enclosure), and the ohm readings are incorrect disconnect the flow element cable at the local (flow element) enclosure. Measure the resistance as shown in Table 5-2. If the resistance is correct then the cable between the enclosures is probably bad or not connected properly (loose, corroded, or connected to the wrong terminal).

NOMINAL CONTROL CIRCUIT RESISTANCE				
LUG NUMBER	RESISTANCE			
7 TO 8	1.1 K OHM			
7 TO 9	2.2 K OHM			
7 TO 10	110 OHM FOR FLT93-S 560 OHM FOR FLT93-F			

Table 5-1. Resistances at Control Circuit Terminal Block Socket

#### Table 5-2. Resistance at Flow Element Enclosure Terminal Block (Remote Applications Only)

1.1 K OHM

8 TO 9

NOMINAL RESISTANCE AT LOCAL ENCLOSURE TERMINAL BLOCK				
TERMINAL NO. RESISTANCE				
1 TO 2	110 OHM FOR FLT93-S			
1 TO 2	560 OHM FOR FLT93-F			
3 TO 4 1.1 K OHM				
3 TO 5 2.2 K OHM				
4 TO 5 1.1 K OHM				
SHIELD CONNECTED TO CONTROL CIRCUIT SOCKET ONLY. NO				
CONNECTION TO LOCAL ENCLOSURE OR ITS TERMINAL BLOCK.				

## **Troubleshooting the Flow Transmitter**

With power applied measure 9 volts DC  $\pm 2\%$  (8 to 10 volts) from Plug P1 Pin 1 to Pin 4. See Figure 3-2 for the location of P1.

1.	Is the Yellow LED ON, OFF or BLINKING	<ul> <li>LED ON Although the LED is on, it may appear dim. This is caused by the unit being supplied with 115 Vac and the Input Power Jumper Configuration set to the default setting of 230 Vac. Input power and the jumper configuration: OK: See Step 2. NOT OK: Pull out the control circuit and set the jumpers correctly. Reinstall the control circuit and restart the system. LED OFF Check the Input Power Jumper Configuration setting and verify the input power. OK: See Step 4 NOT OK: Pull out the control circuit and set the jumpers correctly and verify the input power. Reinstall the control circuit and restart the system and check for proper operation. If LED is still off go to Step 4. ED BLINKING For Liquid Flow Applications: Line is DRY. Make sure the line is packed. For Liquid Flow Applications: Heater power set too high. Set to lower value. For Liquid Interface Applications: In some cases it is necessary to set the heater power to the maximum value to achieve the maximum signal difference between the two liquids. For this application it is normal for the LED to blink if the element goes dry. Go to Step 2.</li></ul>
2.	Mode Switch	Make sure the mode switch is in the "RUN" position.
		OK: See Step 3.
3.	Signal Voltage Observation	Remove the Heater Wattage Control jumper. With a voltmeter measure the signal voltage at P1 Terminals 1 and 2.
		a) The voltage is 0 volts +/- 25 mV: OK, Reinstall the jumper and wait 5 minutes. Go to c) or d) which ever is applicable.
		<b>b)</b> The voltage is out of tolerance: NOT OK, Make sure that the serial numbers on the control board and the sensing element match. If the serial numbers are OK then go to the "Restoring Temp Comp Adjustments" procedure in Appendix D then go to c) or d) which ever is applicable.
		c) The Voltage is between 1 and 6 volts and changes with flow or level changes: OK. See Step 9.
		<ul> <li>d) The voltage is still about 0 volts: or the voltage is over +/- 7 volts: or the voltage is negative, between -1 and -6 volts and changes with flow or level changes: Not OK,</li> <li>Sensing element may be miswired or is defective. Miswiring is more common on remote installations at the initial installation. See Step 6 for integral installation, Step 7 for remote installations.</li> </ul>
4.	Power Supply Check	Measure the voltage at P1 terminals 3 to 4.
		Voltage is 0 volts: NOT OK. See Step 5.
		<b>Voltage is 9 volts: OK.</b> See Step 6 for integral installation, Step 7 for remote installations.

#### Figure 5-1. Troubleshooting Chart

5.	Fuse Check	<ul><li>Turn off the power to the FLT and remove the control circuit. With an ohmmeter, measure the continuity of the fuse F1.</li><li>Fuse has no continuity: NOT OK Replace the fuse and restart the system.</li></ul>				
		Check for proper operation. Call the factory if the fuse fails again. <b>Fuse has continuity: OK</b> Control circuit is defective. Replace it with a control circuit that has the temp comp adjusted for the particular sensing element. Follow the "Restoring temperature compensation settings" procedure in Appendix D and restart the system.				
6.	Sensor Element Check for Integral Installation	Turn off the power and remove the control circuit. Follow the "Troubleshooting the Flow Element" procedure in this chapter. Sensor Failure: Call the Factory Sensors are OK: See Step 8.				
7.	Sensor Element Check for Remote Installation	<ul> <li>Turn off the power and remove the control circuit. Follow the "Troubleshooting the Flow Element" procedure in this chapter.</li> <li>Remote cable miswired or damaged: Repair and restart the system.</li> <li>Sensor Failure: Call the Factory</li> <li>Sensors are OK: See Step 8.</li> </ul>				
8.	Sensor Balance and Temp Comp Settings Check	<ul> <li>Turn off the power and remove the control circuit. Follow the procedure to check the temp comp settings and balance adjustment.</li> <li>Temp Comp Settings are Wrong: Perform the "Restore Temp Comp" Procedure. Then perform the sensor Balancing procedure.</li> <li>Temp Comp Settings are OK: Perform the Balancing procedure. Restart the system for proper operation. See Step 9.</li> </ul>				
9.	Alarm Switch Point Settings	Make sure that the jumpers are set correctly. The related settings are the "Alarm Duty", "Alarm Quantity" and the "Energization". Refer to the charts in chapter 3 or the bottom of the control circuit.				
		Using the Mode Switch set to Cal, check and record the alarm settings. Compare these setting to the signals generated by the process and make adjustment if necessary. Refer to the Operation chapter for guidelines on setting a switch point in your particular application.				

#### Figure 5-1. Troubleshooting Chart

#### Spares

FCI recommends an extra control circuit to be kept as a spare. The control circuit part number is 5294-XXX. The dash number can be found on the control circuit, the enclosure and on the ordering paper work.

#### **Defective Parts**

Before returning any equipment to FCI, please obtain an RA number for authorization, tracking, and repair/ replacement instructions. If a return is required, remove defective instrument, replace with spare, calibrate, then return defective instrument to FCI freight prepaid for disposition.

## **Customer Service**

- 1. In the event of problems or inquiries regarding the instrument, contact the Regional or Country Authorized FCI Field Agent. There is an extensive list of these representatives at the front of this manual.
- 2. Before contacting the FCI representative, please be sure that all the applicable information is near so that a more effective, efficient and timely response may be provided.
- 3. Refer to Appendix C for specific Customer Service policy provisions.

## **Appendix A. Drawings**

Inch [mm]

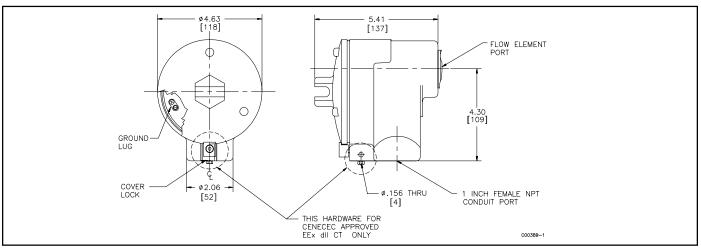


Figure A-1. Local Enclosure, NEMA Type 4X and Hazardous Location (Aluminum Enclosure Shown)

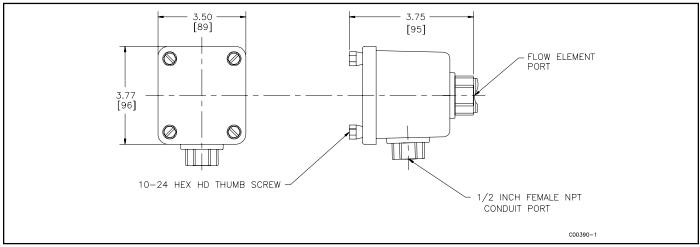
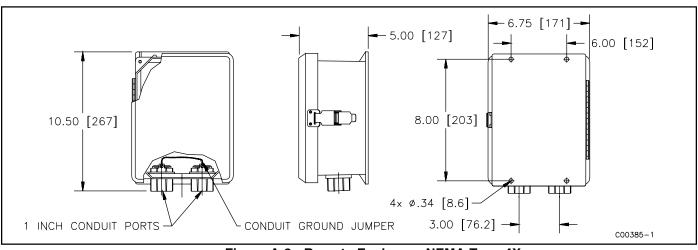


Figure A-2. Local Enclosure NEMA Type 4X (Fiberglass Shown)



#### Figure A-3. Remote Enclosure NEMA Type 4X

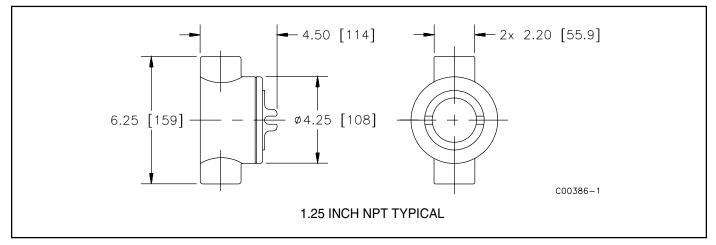


Figure A-4. Remote Enclosure, Feralloy, NEMA Type 4 and Hazardous Location

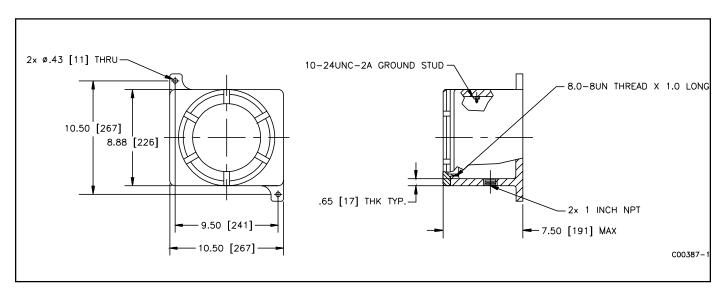


Figure A-5. Remote Enclosure, Killark, NEMA Type 4 and Hazardous Location

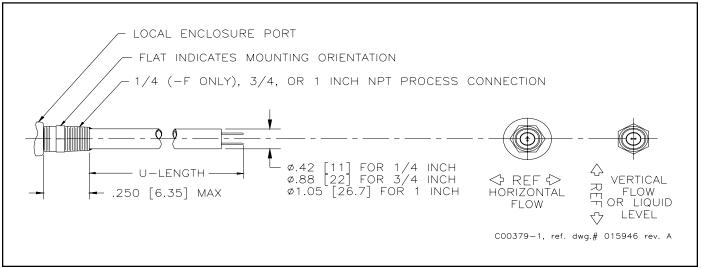


Figure A-6. 1/4 (FLT-F Only), 3/4 or 1 Inch NPT Process Connection

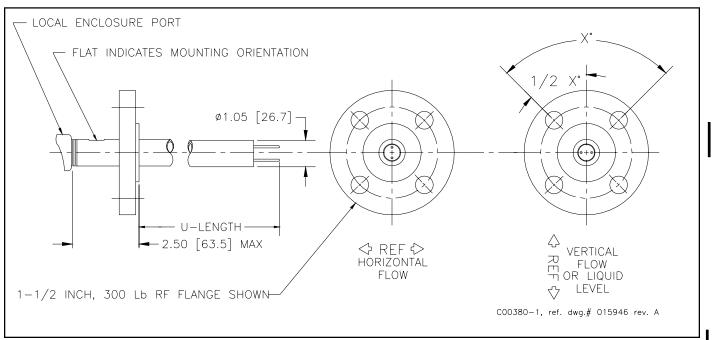


Figure A-7. Flanged Process Connection

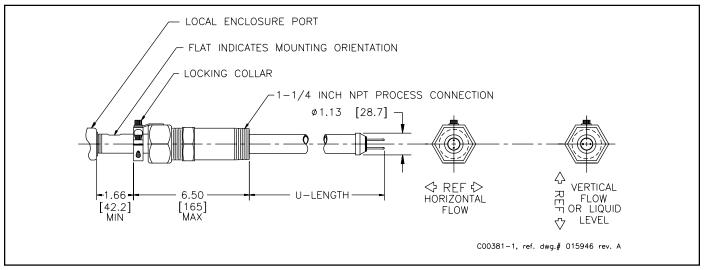


Figure A-8. Low Pressure Packing Gland

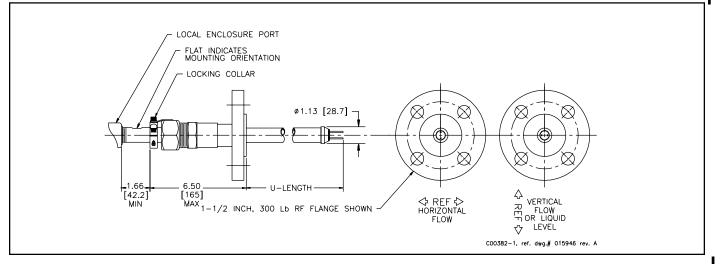


Figure A-9. Flanged Low Pressure Packing Gland Process Connection

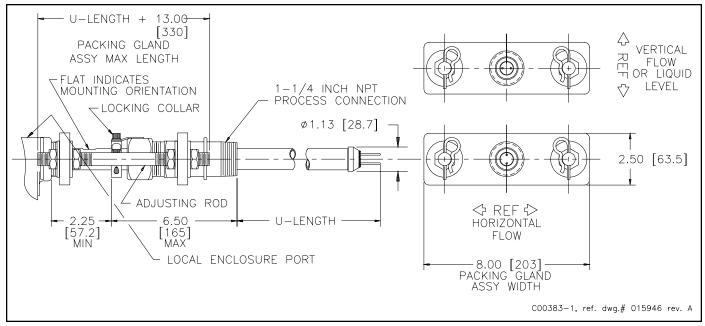


Figure A-10. 1-1/4 Inch Medium Pressure Packing Gland Connection

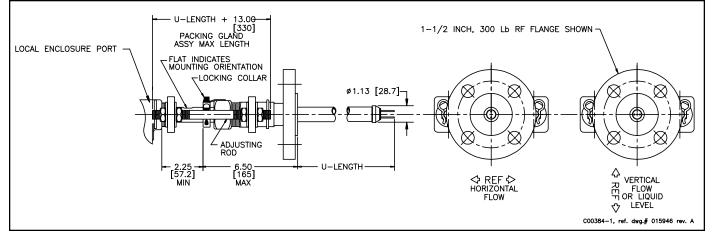


Figure A-11. Flanged Medium Pressure Packing Gland Process Connection

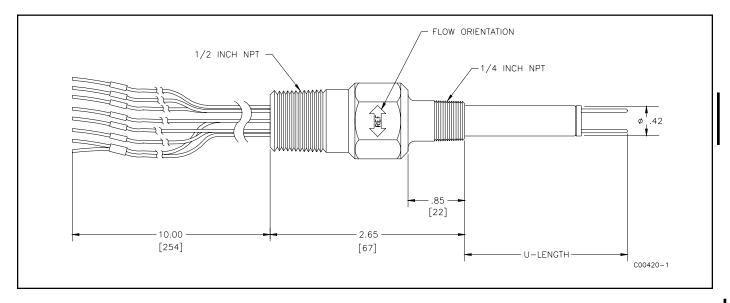
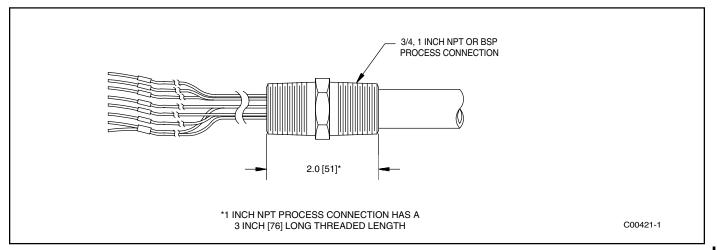


Figure A-12. 1/4 Inch Process Connection





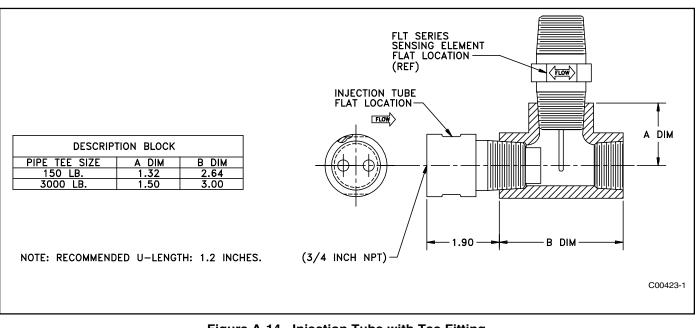
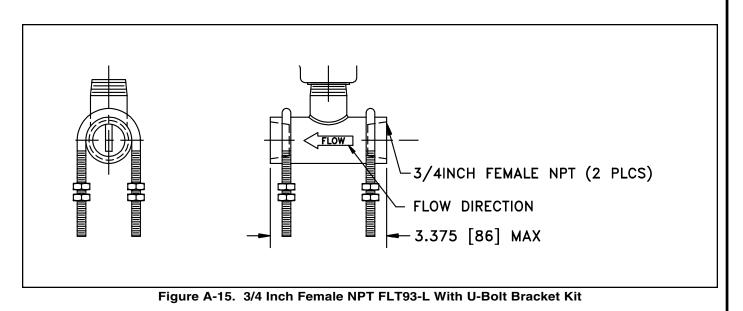


Figure A-14. Injection Tube with Tee Fitting



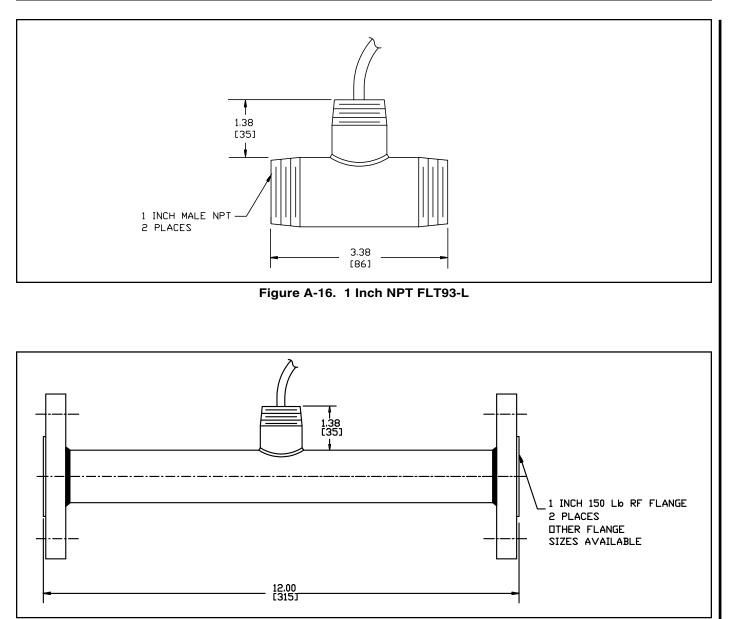


Figure A-17. 1 Inch RF Flanged FLT93-L

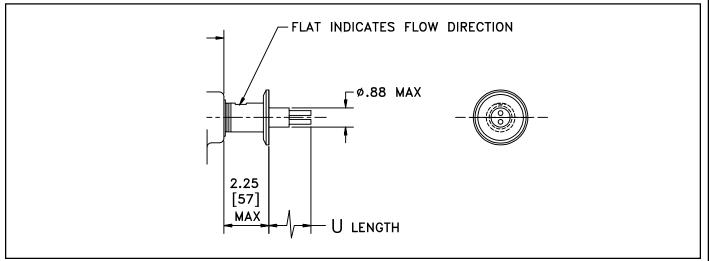


Figure A-18. FLT93-C Sanitary Removable Clamp (RC) Instrument

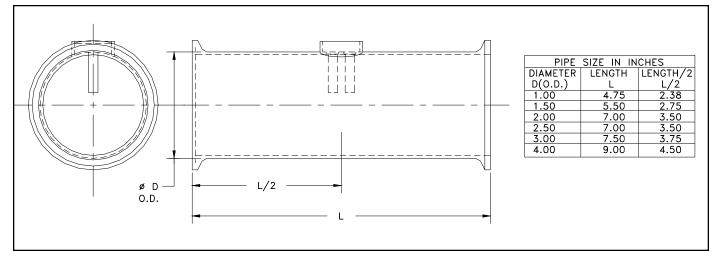


Figure A-19. FLT93-C Sanitary Clean-In-Place (CIP) Instrument

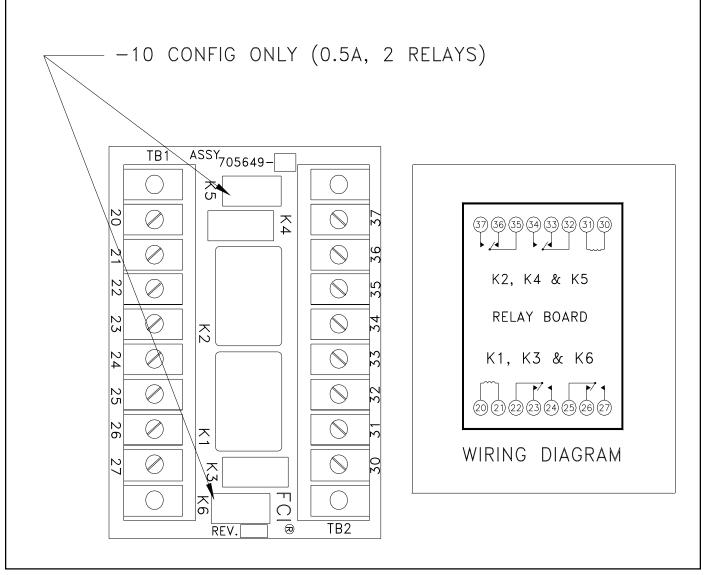


Figure A-20. FLT93 Auxiliary Relay

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	[	INPUT POWER	
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	015905-01	STD: NORMAL LINE A.C. 120 VAC, 240 VAC, 24 VDC, 24 VAC	A
	015906-01	LOW LINE A.C. 100 VAC, 200 VAC, 24 VDC, 24 VAC	В
	PART NUMBER	RELAY CONTACT RATING 5	DES
	015334-01	STD: 6 AMP AT 120 VAC EPOXY SEALED	1
	015336-01	EXTERNAL RELAYS 18 VDC SIGNAL OUTPUT	2
MODEL	PART NUMBER	HEATER	DES
	015920-01	WATTAGE CONTROL VARIABLE	A
-S ELEMENT	015921-01	FIXED (171°F DELTA T MAX)	B
— F	015922-01	VARABLE	С
ELEMENT	015923-01	FIXED (171°F DELTA T MAX)	D
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#### Figure A-21. FLT93 PWB Module

## Appendix B. Glossary

#### **ABBREVIATIONS**

Delta-R (DR)	Differential Resistance
Delta-T (DT)	Differential Temperature
DMM	Digital Multimeter
DPDT	Double Pole Double Throw
FCI	Fluid Components Intl
HTR	Heater
LED	Light Emitting Diode
РОТ	Potentiometer
RA	Return Authorization
RTD	Resistance Temperature Detector
SFPS	Standard Feet Per Second
SPDT	Single Pole Double Throw
DEFINITIONS	
Active RTD	The of the sensing element that is heated by the heater. The active RTD
	is cooled due to increases in the process fluid flow rate or density (level sensing).
Differential resistance Delta-R (DR)	is cooled due to increases in the process fluid flow rate or density (level sensing). The difference in resistance between the active and reference RTDs.
Delta-R (DR) Differential temperature	The difference in resistance between the active and reference RTDs.
Delta-R (DR) Differential temperature Delta-T (DT)	The difference in resistance between the active and reference RTDs. The difference in temperature between the active and reference RTDs.
Delta-R (DR) Differential temperature Delta-T (DT) Heater (HTR)	The difference in resistance between the active and reference RTDs. The difference in temperature between the active and reference RTDs. The part of the sensing element that heats the active RTD. The enclosure attached to the sensing element. (Usually contains the
Delta-R (DR) Differential temperature Delta-T (DT) Heater (HTR) Local enclosure	The difference in resistance between the active and reference RTDs. The difference in temperature between the active and reference RTDs. The part of the sensing element that heats the active RTD. The enclosure attached to the sensing element. (Usually contains the control circuit and mounting socket.)
Delta-R (DR) Differential temperature Delta-T (DT) Heater (HTR) Local enclosure Reference RTD	The difference in resistance between the active and reference RTDs. The difference in temperature between the active and reference RTDs. The part of the sensing element that heats the active RTD. The enclosure attached to the sensing element. (Usually contains the control circuit and mounting socket.) The part of the sensing element that senses the process media temperature. An optional protective enclosure for the control circuit. Used when the

Thermowell	The part of the sensing element that protects the heater and RTDs from the process fluid.
Turndown	The ratio of the upper to lower flow rate values.

## **Appendix C. Customer Service**

## **Point of Contact**

Your point of contact for service, or return of equipment to FCI is your authorized FCI service representative (see list in the front matter of this manual).

### **Reference Documents**

Return Authorization Request/Certificate of Non-Contamination (Document 1) Warranties (Document 2) Documents 1 and 2 are included in this appendix.

### Hardware Return Procedure

- 1. Complete a Return Authorization (RA) Request/Certificate of Non-Contamination form (Document 1). Mail or fax it to the FCI customer service department. After FCI issues you an RA number, do the following steps.
- 2. Thoroughly clean the hardware.
- 3. Package each instrument with protective packing material similar to the original FCI shipment cartons indicated below. All damage occurring in transit is the customer's responsibility.
  - a. Instruments weighing less than 25 pounds each are to be covered with protective wrap, i.e. bubble wrap or surrounded with "popcorn". Instruments weighing greater than 60 pounds or extending more than four feet should be secured in wooden crates by bolting the sensing element assembly in place.
  - b. Protect the sensing element with a cardboard tube or other sturdy wrapping.
  - c. Do not pack more than four small instruments in each carton.
  - d. Packages weighing in excess of 70 pounds or with a combined length and girth of more than 138 inches cannot be shipped by United Parcel Service. Larger packages or crates should be shipped by carriers who specialize in the transport of industrialized instrumentation.
  - e. The RA number should be noted on the packing list and marked clearly on the outside of the box.
- 4. Prepay freight to the FCI receiving door.

## **Shipping/Handling Charges**

## All Shipping (Warranty and Nonwarranty Repairs or Returns)

The customer prepays all shipping, freight, duty/entry and handling charges from the customer site to the FCI door. If the customer does not prepay, FCI will invoice the customer for the charges that appear on the freight bill. Address the return equipment to :

FLUID COMPONENTS INTL 1755 LA COSTA MEADOWS DRIVE SAN MARCOS, CA. 92069 ATTN: REPAIR DEPT. RA NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

### Warranty Repairs or Returns

FCI prepays ground transportation charges for return of freight to the customer's door. FCI reserves the right to return equipment by the carrier of our choice.

International freight, handling charges, duty/entry fees for return of equipment are paid by the customer.

### Nonwarranty Repairs or Returns

FCI returns repaired equipment to the customer either collect or prepaid and adds freight charges to the customer invoice.

#### **Return to Stock Equipment**

The customer is responsible for all shipping and freight charges for equipment that is returned to FCI stock from the customer site. These items will not be credited to customer's account until either all freight charges are cleared or until the customer agrees to have any freight costs incurred by FCI deducted, along with applicable return to stock charges, from the credit invoice. (Exceptions are made for duplicate shipments made by FCI.)

If any repair or return equipment is received at FCI, freight collect, without prior factory consent, FCI bills the sender for these charges.

### **Field Service Procedures**

### **Field Service Requests**

Contact your FCI field representative to request field service.

A field service technician is dispatched to the site from either the FCI factory or one of the FCI representative offices. After the work is complete, the technician completes a preliminary field service report at the customer site and leaves a copy with the customer.

Following the service call, the technician completes a formal, detailed service report. The formal report is mailed to the customer within five days of the technician's return to the factory or office.

#### Rates

All field service calls are billed at the prevailing rates as listed in the FCI Price Book unless specifically excepted by the FCI Customer Service Manager. FCI reserves the right to bill for travel times at our discretion.

Customers are charged for shipping costs related to the transfer of equipment to and from the job site. They are also invoiced for field service work and travel expenses by FCI's Accounting Department.

## Document 1.

## FCI RETURN AUTHORIZATION REQUEST

Customer Information		
Name of Company Returning Hardware		
Contact Name: Phone #		
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Customer Bill to Address:		
Purchase Agent Contact: Pho	ne #	_ Fax #
Product Information		
Model Number(s)	Serial Number(s)	
Sending: Electronics only Sensor only	Complete unit	Number of units
Failure Symptoms		
Troubleshooting done in the field by FCI representative	or by Customer	:
Action to be taken by FCI		Application Data Sheet)
Process Flow Media:		
Who is your FCI factory technical contact:		
Note: FCI will charge a <b>\$100 minimum</b> handling fee on all non-		
Have you contacted your local FCI representative for assistance	-	no
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Decontamination Information		
Exposure to hazardous materials is regulated by Federal, state (C laws provide FCI's employees with the right to know the hazardou		-
our products. Consequently, our employees must have access to o	lata regarding the hazard	ous materials which the equipment
has been exposed to in your process(es). Accordingly, prior to returning thoroughly comply with the instructions, if applicable.	your instrument for repair,	please sign the certification below and
I certify that the item(s) has (have) been thoroughly and complet	ely cleaned and if the iter	m(s) has (have) been exposed to or
contacted by a hazardous material, hazardous substance or toxic materials	or substances that the undersi	gned can assure the returned item(s) has
<ul> <li>(have) been thoroughly and completely decontaminated and neutralize</li> <li>Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) which covers all hazardous material</li> </ul>		
exposed to or contacted by the instrument. Furthermore, I understand responsibility to provide a neutralized, decontaminated, and clear		
responsibility to provide a neutralized, decontaininated, and elea	in product for repair to r	
Authorized Signature	Date	
Cleanliness of a returned item or the acceptability of the MS		
Any returned item which does not comply with these instruc		

## **Document 2. Warranties**

## Warranties

Goods furnished by the Seller are to be within the limits and of the sizes published by the Seller and subject to the Seller's standard tolerances for variations. All items made by the Seller are inspected before shipment, and should any of said items prove defective due to faults in manufacture or performance under Seller approved applications, or fail to meet the written specifications accepted by the Seller, they will be replaced or repaired by Seller at no charge to Buyer provided return or notice of rejection of such material is made within a reasonable period but in no event longer than three (3) years for non-calibration defects and one (1) year for calibration defects from date of shipment to Buyer, and provided further, that an examination by Seller discloses to Seller's reasonable satisfaction that the defect is covered by this warranty and that the Buyer has not returned the equipment in a damaged condition due to Buyer's or Buyer's employees', agents', or representatives' negligence and Buyer has not tampered, modified, redesigned, misapplied, abused, or misused the goods as to cause the goods to fail. In addition, this warranty shall not cover damage caused by Buyer's exposure of the goods to corrosive or abrasive environments. Moreover, Seller shall in no event be responsible for (1) the cost or repair of any work done by Buyer on material furnished hereunder (unless specifically authorized in writing in each instance by Seller), (2) the cost or repair of any modifications added by a Distributor or a third party, (3) any consequential or incidental damages, losses, or expenses in connection with or by reason of the use of or inability to use goods purchased for any purpose, and Seller's liability shall be specifically limited to free replacement, or refund of the purchase price, at Seller's option, provided return or rejection of the goods is made consistent with this paragraph, and the Seller shall in no event be liable for transportation, installation, adjustment, loss of good will or profits, or other expenses which may arise in connection with such returned goods, or (4) the design of products or their suitability for the purpose for which they are intended or used. Should the Buyer receive defective goods as defined by this paragraph, the Buyer shall notify the Seller immediately, stating full particulars in support of his claim, and should the Seller agree to a return of the goods, the Buyer shall follow Seller's packaging and transportation directions explicitly. In no case are the goods to be returned without first obtaining a return authorization from the Seller. Any repair or replacement shall be at Seller's factory, unless otherwise directed, and shall be returned to Seller transportation prepaid by Buyer. If the returned goods shall prove defective under this clause they will be replaced or repaired by Seller at no charge to Buyer provided the return or rejection of such material is made within a reasonable period, but in no event longer than (1) year from the date of shipment of the returned goods or the unexpired terms of the original warranty period whichever is later. If the goods prove to be defective under this paragraph, the Buyer shall remove the goods immediately from the process and prepare the goods for shipment to Seller. Continued use or operation of defective goods is not warranted by Seller and damage occurring due to continued use or operation shall be for Buyer's account. Any description of the goods contained in this offer is for the sole purpose of identifying them, and any such description is not part of the basis of the bargain, and does not constitute a warranty that the goods will conform to that description. The use of any sample or model in connection with this offer is for illustrative purposes only, is not part of the basis of the bargain, and is not to be construed as a warranty that the goods will conform to the sample or model. No affirmation of that fact or promise made by the Seller, whether or not in this offer, will constitute a warranty that the goods will conform to the affirmation or promise. THIS WARRANTY IS EXPRESSLY IN LIEU OF ANY AND ALL OTHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED WARRANTIES WITH RESPECT TO THE GOODS OR THEIR INSTALLATION, USE, OPERATION, REPLACEMENT OR REPAIR, INCLUDING ANY IMPLIED WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS OF PURPOSE; AND THE GOODS ARE BEING PURCHASED BY BUYER "AS IS". SELLER WILL NOT BE LIABLE BY VIRTUE OF THIS WARRANTY OR OTHERWISE FOR ANY SPECIAL, INCIDENTAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL LOSS OR DAMAGE RESULTING FROM THE USE OR LOSS OF USE OF THE GOODS.

## **Appendix D. Temperature Compensation**

## Introduction

Temperature compensation (Temp Comp) is an essential part of the FLT FlexSwitch circuitry. When the Temp Comp is set correctly, the instrument stays accurate over a process temperature range of 100°F. The instrument is a thermal dispersion device. It relies on the temperature differential between the reference RTD, which is at the process media temperature, and the active RTD, which is heated to produce a temperature differential (DT). For example; with constant temperature, flow rate, process media and heater power, the DT is reduced and reaches a stable value. If the process media temperature goes up and all other conditions stay the same, the DT is reduced. Without Temp Comp the circuitry would process the signal as an increased flow rate.

To understand Temp Comp the output signal needs to be understood first. This temperature output signal is the absolute voltage drop across the reference RTD, and proportional to temperature. The instrument uses this voltage for two purposes. The voltage drop across the reference RTD is subtracted from the voltage drop across the Active RTD to produce a voltage differential. The voltage differential is used to set flow or liquid level alarms. Also, the voltage drop across the reference RTD adds to, or subtracts from, the output signal as a function of DT.



**Note:** In order to adjust the Temp Comp correctly certain parameters must be measured and calculated. All temperature measurements should converted to degrees Fahrenheit before a temperature differential is found. These parameters and measurements will be discussed later in this appendix.

## **Factory Temperature Compensation Settings**

A Temp Comp adjustment procedure is performed on the instrument before it is shipped. Under normal conditions this setting will not have to be done by the customer. However, if there have been changes in environment since the instrument was ordered then the following instructions may need to be done by the customer.

## **Restoring Temp Comp Adjustments**

When the control circuit is replaced or if the Temp Comp potentiometers are accidently moved the adjustments must be restored. There are three adjustments that need to be made on the control circuit in order to set the Temp Comp. Two of the adjustments are done with no power applied to the instrument and a third adjustment is done with power applied. Calibration values for each instrument are on the Temp Comp calibration sheet that is found in the plastic page protector at the back of this manual. The calibration values are listed by the serial number of the instrument.

## **Equipment Required**

5-1/2 digit digital multimeter (DMM). (Small clip leads are desirable.)

Adapter cable FCI part number 015664-01 for older version of the control circuit.

Flat screw driver, capable of adjusting control circuit potentiometers.

Temp Comp calibration values from the page protector in the back of this manual.

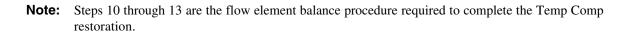
Insulating varnish or equivalent to reseal the potentiometers.



Alert: The instrument contains electrostatic discharge (ESD) sensitive devices. Use standard ESD precautions when handling the control circuit. See Chapter 2, Installation, for ESD details.

#### Procedure

- 1. Turn off the instrument power. Remove the control circuit form the socket.
- 2. Write down where the heater wattage control jumper is located in the area of the upper left hand side of the control circuit. Remove the heater wattage control jumper and set it aside. Refer to Figure 3-1 for the jumper location.
- 3. Remove jumpers J10 and J11 at the lower side of the control circuit and set them aside.
- 4. Connect the DMM from TP1 (by J10), to the left jumper post of J10. Set the DMM to ohms. See Figure 3-2 for component placement.
- 5. Adjust potentiometer R5 (bottom center of the control circuit) until the DMM reads the ohm value for R5 as shown on the Temp Comp calibration sheet that is in the plastic page protector in the back of this manual.
- 6. Remove the DMM, and reconnect it between TP2 (by J11), and the right jumper post of J11. Figure 3-1 shows jumper post location.
- 7. Adjust pot R8 (below the yellow LED) until the ohm value for R8 is as shown on the Temp Comp Cal sheet.
- 8. Remove the DMM and reinstall jumpers J10 and J11. (Leave the heater jumper removed.)



- 9. Connect the DMM to P1 (the adapter cable on older control circuits) with the positive lead connected to position 2 (red wire on older control circuits) and the negative lead connected to position 2 (blue wire on older control circuits). Re-install the control circuit on the socket. Set the DMM to volts DC.
- 10. Turn on the instrument power and wait fifteen minutes for the instrument to stabilize. During this time make sure that the process media is flowing or the sensing elements are submerged. Do not make the following adjustment in still gas.
- 11. Adjust potentiometer R13 (next to R8) until the DMM reads 0 volts ±5mV.
- 12. Turn off the instrument power and remove the DMM. Re-install the heater jumper in its original position.

The Temp Comp adjustments are now restored. Turn on the power and make sure the instrument is functioning properly. Make adjustments to the alarm set points if needed.

#### Field Temp Comp Calibration

If the application of the instrument changes the Temp Comp may need to be re-calibrated. An example of when the Temp Comp needs to be re-calibrated is as follows: The process media is gas, the factory set Temp Comp is 40 to 140 °F. The instrument is then placed in an application that varies in temperature from 300 to 400 °F. In this case the instrument's accuracy would be greater with a new Temp Comp calibration performed.

Another example of where the accuracy will be affected and a Temp Comp calibration would need to be done is when the process media is changed, i.e. from water to heavy oil.

Temp Comp calibration is possible to do in the field if the test conditions are met and the data is measured correctly. However, in many applications it is difficult to achieve these parameters and it is easier to have the switch factory calibrated. To do the procedure the following parameters are required:

- The maximum temperature range does not exceed 100 °F.
- The maximum temperature does not exceed the instruments rated maximum temperature.
- The velocity at which the switch will alarm needs to be known.

## **Equipment Required**

1 each	DC Power Supply, 0 to 20 Vdc minimum, at 0.5 Amps.
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2 each 5-1/2 Digit DMM with 4 wire clip leads.

- 1 each #1 Philips screw driver.
- 1 each #1 Flat blade screw driver.
- 1 each Flat screw driver, capable of adjusting control circuit potentiometers.

Insulating varnish or equivalent to reseal the potentiometers.

#### Procedure

- 1. Turn off the instrument power.
- 2. Install the instrument into the pipe or a test stand where it can be calibrated. Start the process media flowing at a normal rate. Cool the process media to the lowest temperature in the expected operating range.
- 3. Remove the control circuit. Disconnect the wires on terminals 6 through 10. Removal of the socket from the enclosure may be necessary for access to the wires.
- 4. Connect the DMM's and the power supply to the sensing element as shown in Figure D-1.
- 5. Set the power supply voltage to the proper voltage as shown in Table D-1. Turn on the power supply and check the voltage setting.

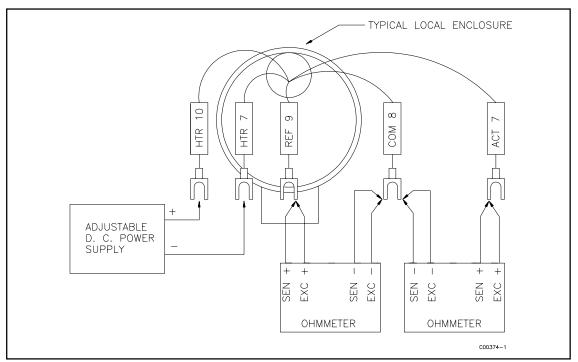


Figure D-1. Sensing Element Calibration Connections

Table D-1.	Hostor	Voltage	Sottings
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POWER SUPPLY SETTINGS					
FLT93-S	3 Watts	1.75 Watts	0.75 Watts	0.21 Watts	
FL195-5	Set For 18.0 Vdc	Set For 13.8 Vdc Set For 9.0 Vdc		Set For 4.9 Vdc	
ELTO2 E	0.57 Watts	0.52 Watts	0.40 Watts	0.25 Watts	
FLT93-F Set For 18.0 Vdc Set For 17.0 Vdc Set For 15.0 Vdc Set For 11.8					

- 6. Stop the process media flow and make sure that the media is at no flow and then let the instrument stabilize for fifteen minutes.
- 7. Record the resistance values of the sensing elements and calculate the resistance differential  $\square R$ ). If  $\square R$  does not exceed the maximum  $\square R$  of 280 ohms then proceed with the calibration. If the  $\square R$  is above 280 ohms use the next lower heater wattage setting and let the instrument stabilize. Recheck the  $\square R$
- 8. Start the process media flowing at the desired switch point velocity and at the low temperature, let the instrument stabilize for fifteen minutes.
- 9. Record the resistance values of the active and reference RTD's at the low temperature.
- 10. Raise the temperature of the process media to the maximum expected temperature. With the instrument power on, let the instrument stabilize for fifteen minutes. The difference between the low and the high temperature should not exceed 100°F.
- 11. Record the resistance values of the active and reference RTD's for the high temperature.
- 12. Calculate the Temp Comp factor with the formula shown below.

 $\frac{\text{TEMP}}{\text{COMP}} = \frac{\text{DR Low Temperature}}{(\text{R Reference High Temperature}) - (\text{R Reference Low Temperature})}$ 

The Temp Comp factor is not to exceed  $\pm 0.041$ .

- 13. If the Temp Comp factor is within tolerance, turn off the power to the instrument and stop the process media if needed. Disconnect the DMM's and the power supply from the instrument. Reconnect the sensing element wires to the control circuit socket and reinstall the socket in the enclosure if it was previously removed. Do not pinch the wires between the socket and the enclosure.
- Look up the resistance values to adjust potentiometers R5 and R8 in the Temp Comp Factor table (Table D-2). Follow the procedure in the Restoring Temp Comp adjustment section using the values found in the table below.
- 15. If the calculated Temp Comp factor exceeds the allowable tolerance by a small amount  $(\pm 0.01)$ , using the maximum Temp Comp factor may make the instrument perform satisfactorily. However, if the factor is out of tolerance by more than  $\pm 0.01$  then it will be necessary to repeat the calibration to verify the result. Continue with the adjustment procedure if the second result is within tolerance.

TEMP			TEMP			TEMP		
COMP	R5	R8	COMP	R5	R8	COMP	R5	R8
FACTOR	K OHMS	K OHMS	FACTOR	K OHMS	K OHMS	FACTOR	K OHMS	K OHMS
0.042	119.75	263.16	0.013	123.38	149.25	-0.016	127.00	104.17
0.041	119.88	256.41	0.012	123.50	147.06	-0.017	127.13	103.09
0.040	120.00	250.00	0.011	123.63	144.93	-0.018	127.25	102.04
0.039	120.13	243.90	0.010	123.75	142.86	-0.019	127.38	101.01
0.038	120.25	238.10	0.009	123.88	140.85	-0.020	127.50	100.00
0.037	120.38	232.56	0.008	124.00	138.89	-0.021	127.63	99.01
0.036	120.50	227.27	0.007	124.13	136.99	-0.022	127.75	98.04
0.035	120.63	222.22	0.006	124.25	135.14	-0.023	127.88	97.09
0.034	120.75	217.39	0.005	124.38	133.33	-0.024	128.00	96.15
0.033	120.88	212.77	0.004	124.50	131.58	-0.025	128.13	95.24
0.032	121.00	208.33	0.003	124.63	129.87	-0.026	128.25	94.34
0.031	121.13	204.08	0.002	124.75	128.21	-0.027	128.38	93.46
0.030	121.25	200.00	0.001	124.88	126.58	-0.028	128.50	92.59
0.029	121.38	196.08	0.000	125.00	125.00	-0.029	128.63	91.74
0.028	121.50	192.31	-0.001	125.13	123.46	-0.030	128.75	90.91
0.027	121.63	188.68	-0.002	125.25	121.95	-0.031	128.88	90.09
0.026	121.75	185.19	-0.003	125.38	120.48	-0.032	129.00	89.29
0.025	121.88	181.82	-0.004	125.50	119.05	-0.033	129.13	88.50
0.024	122.00	178.57	-0.005	125.63	117.65	-0.034	129.25	87.72
0.023	122.13	175.44	-0.006	125.75	116.28	-0.035	129.38	86.96
0.022	122.25	172.41	-0.007	125.88	114.94	-0.036	129.50	86.21
0.021	122.38	169.49	-0.008	126.00	113.64	-0.037	129.63	85.47
0.020	122.50	166.67	-0.009	126.13	112.36	-0.038	129.75	84.75
0.019	122.63	163.93	-0.010	126.25	111.11	-0.039	129.88	84.03
0.018	122.75	161.29	-0.011	126.38	109.89	-0.040	130.00	83.33
0.017	122.88	158.73	-0.012	126.50	108.70	-0.041	130.13	82.64
0.016	123.00	156.25	-0.013	126.63	107.53	-0.042	130.25	81.97
0.015	123.13	153.85	-0.014	126.75	106.38			
0.014	123.25	151.52	-0.015	126.88	105.26			

#### Table D-2. Temp Comp Factor Table

## Appendix E. CE Conformance

## Approved CE marking FLT Series FlexSwitch Configurations

## **Approved Options**

1) all process temperature ranges

2) all metallic sensor elements

3) all process connections and flanges

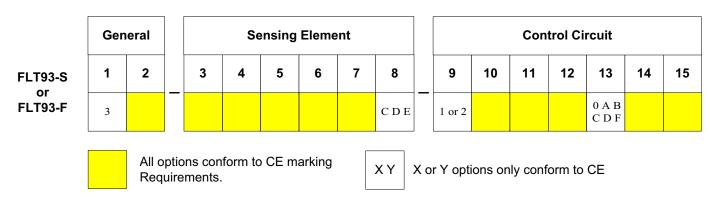
4) all insertion U-lengths

5) aluminum and 300 series stainless steel NEMA 4X local and remote enclosures

6) all specified application combinations

7) all cable jackets and lengths

8) 115/230 VAC power input.



## **Approved Part Numbers**

All other configurations must be approved for CE marking conformity by FCI's Engineering Department.

# Conditionally Approved CE marking FLT Series FlexSwitch Configurations

## 24 VAC and 24 VDC Field/Factory Selectable Options

Input power of 24 VAC and 24 VDC may be optionally selected. Since the manufacturer does not supply the power source or transformer for these connections, the responsibility for the conditioning of these sources and associated compliance to the EMC Directive shall be the responsibility of the User.

## **Panel Mounted Control Circuit Options**

The models included in this family may be supplied with panel mounted (code F block 13 as derived from the above diagram) control circuit boards. Since the manufacturer does not supply an EMC enclosure for these configurations, the associated compliance to the EMC Directive shall be the responsibility of the User.

## INSTALLATION CONFORMITY CRITERIA

## Grounding

All enclosures must be grounded to earth ground through a path of less than 1 ohm.

## Interconnecting Cables

All interconnecting cables between the FlexSwitch local enclosure, remote enclosure, power source and monitoring device shall be enclosed in metal conduit. AC power input cabling shall be enclosed separately in conduit for entrance into the FlexSwitch and is not to be combined with switch or monitor output cabling.

## **Standard ESD Precautions**

Use standard ESD precautions when opening an instrument enclosure or handling the FlexSwitch. FCI recommends the use of the following precautions: Use a wrist band or heel strap with a 1 megohm resistor connected to ground. If the instrument is in a shop setting there should be static conductive mats on the work table and floor with a 1 megohm resistor connected to ground. Connect the instrument to ground. Apply antistatic agents to hand tools to be used on the instrument. Keep high static producing items away from the instrument such as non-ESD approved plastic, tape and packing foam.

The above precautions are minimum requirements to be used. The complete use of ESD precautions can be found in the U.S. Department Of Defense Handbook 263.

## Location of CE mark documentation (European Location)

The technical documentation file part A resides at Fluid Components Intl, European Service Center, Persephonestraat 3-01 5047 TTTilburg-The Netherlands-Phone 31-13-5159989-Fax 31-13-5799036

## Location of CE mark documentation (Manufacturer Location)

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