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# FPB SERIES Paddlewheel Flowmeter



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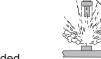
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#### SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS



- Depressurize and vent system prior to installation or removal.
   Confirm chemical compatibility before use.
- 3. Do not exceed maximum temperature/pressure specifications.
- 4. Wear safety goggles or faceshield during installation/service.
- 5. Do not alter product construction.



- 6. If this equipment is used in a manner not specified by the manufacturer, the protection provided by the equipment may be impaired.
- 7. This device is not approved for use or installation in hazardous locations.

#### Description

The Omega FPB Paddlewheel Flowmeter Series offers low flow, low power and high resolution with various output options such as a Volumetric Pulse, Pulse Divider, Flow Switch, or 4 to 20 mA. This unit can be configured on-site directly through the built-in user interface.

- The 4 to 20 mA model provides a blind current loop output.
  - The Multi model uses a single relay (mechanical or solid state) and has three selectable operating modes:
  - Divider Mode scales the paddlewheel frequency down to accommodate low frequency input devices.
  - Total Mode outputs one pulse per a set volume of fluid.
  - Flow Switch Mode uses a single relay for Hi or Lo alarm operation.

A small LCD enables the FPB to be programmed without any external equipment. During normal operation the display is not visible.

#### **Specifications**

#### General

#### Wetted Materials

Series	Sensor Body	Rotor	Pin	O-ring	
FPB1X <u>1</u> , 1X <u>2</u>	glass-filled PP	PVDF, Black	Titanium	FPM	
FPB1X <u>3</u>	PVDF, Natural	PVDF, Natural	PVDF, Natural	FPM	

Case: Inside Cover: Wiring Ports:	PBT, yellow Valox, black ½ in. NPT threads; liquid-tight connector accepts cables 7 to 10 mm OD (0.275 in. to 0.394 in.)
Power Pequirements	10 mm OD (0.275 m. to 0.594 m.)
Power Requirements	
Multi:	
with Dry-Contact Relay:	24 VDC nominal, ±10%, regulated
	30 mA max. current
with Solid-State Relay:	5 to 24 VDC nominal, ±10%, regulated
,	30 mA max. current
4 to 20 mA:	400 mV max. ripple voltage
	30 mA max. current
Reverse Polarity and Shore	rt Circuit Protected: Up to 40V, 1 hour
Over-Voltage Protection:	> 40 VDC over 1 hour

#### **Paddlewheel Sensor Performance Specifications**

Pipe Size Range:	DN15 to DN200 (1/2 in. to 8 in.)
Min. Reynolds Number:	4500
Paddlewheel Frequency:	49 Hz per m/s nominal
	(15 Hz per ft/s nominal)
Operating Range:	0.1 m/s to 6 m/s (0.3 ft/s to 20 ft/s)
Linearity:	±1% of max. range @ 25 °C (77 °F)
Repeatability:	±0.5% of max. range @ 25 °C (77 °F)
<b>Electronics Performance</b>	e Specifications
Input Frequency Range:	1 to 1000 Hz
System Response:	100 ms update rate nominal

#### **Environmental Requirements**

Enclosure Rating:	NEMA 4X/IP65
Storage Temperature:	-10 to 75 °C (14 to 167 °F)
Ambient Temperature:	0 to 65 °C (32 to 150 °F)
Relative Humidity:	0 to 90% RH, non-condensing
Altitude:	2000 m (6,562 ft)
Pollution Degree:	2

#### **Output Specifications**

Signal Averaging: Sensitivity Response:	Programmable 0 to 100 seconds Programmable 0 to 9 scale	
Pulse Divider/Total Pulse	e Output	
Pulse Divider Setting:	1.0000 to 99999	
	Maximum pulse rate: 300 Hz	
	Maximum pulse width: 50 ms	
Flow Switch Output Relay Modes: Time Delay: Hysteresis:	Low, High 0.0 to 6400.0 seconds Adjustable in Engineering Units	
<b>Relay Specifications</b> Dry Contact SPDT: Solid-State Relay:	5 A @ 30 VDC, 5 A @ 250 VAC 100 mA @ 40 VDC, 70 mA @ 33 VAC	
Current output (Passive 4 to 20 mA)		
Loop Accuracy:	±32 μA (@ 25 °C @ 24 VDC)	
Loop Resolution:	5 μΑ	
Temp. Drift:	±1 μA per °C max.	
Power Supply Rejection:	±1 uA per V	

305 m (1,000 ft)

600 Ω @ 24 VDC, 1 KΩ @ 32 VDC

#### **Standards & Approvals**

Maximum Cable Length:

Max Loop Resistance:

- CE
- Manufactured under ISO 9001, ISO 14001

Fluid Conditions	bar psi
Pressure/Temperature Ratings:	
Polypropylene Body: • 12.5 bar (180 psi) max. @ 20 °C (68 °F)	11 160
• 1.7 bar (25 psi) max. @ 85 °C (185 °F) PVDF Body:	8 120
<ul> <li>14 bar (200 psi) max @ 20 °C (68 °F)</li> <li>1.7 bar (25 psi) max @ 85 °C (185 °F)</li> </ul>	8 120 6 80
Intended Use: This product is intended for use in industrial water treatment	3 40
and wastewater treatment applications where the chemical content and the fluid temperatures are consistent with the specifications listed herein. This device is not approved for use or installation in flammable liquids.	°F — 0 40 80 120 160 200 240
	°C — -18 4 27 49 71 93 115

#### **Chemical Compatibility**

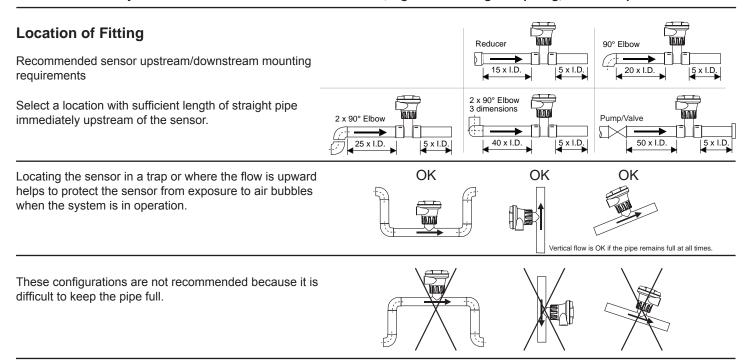
OMEGA products are manufactured in a variety of wetted materials to suit various liquids and chemicals.

All plastic materials including typical piping types (PVC, PVDF, PP and PE) are more or less permeable to contained media, such as water or volatile substances, including some acids. This effect is not related to porosity, but purely a matter of gas diffusion through the plastic. If the plastic material is compatible with the medium according to the application guidelines, the permeation will not damage the plastic itself. However, if the plastic encloses other sensitive components, as is the case with OMEGA plastic paddlewheel sensors, these may be affected or damaged by the media diffusing through the plastic body and rotor.

PVDF paddlewheel sensor failure when used in hot nitric acid applications has been reported. PVDF is known to allow for substantial permeation of nitric acid constituents without being damaged itself. No clear guideline can be given here, since the damaging effect to the sensor is highly dependent on temperature, pressure and concentration. Utilizing sensors in applications with aggressive substances is possible. On special request OMEGA can provide sensors with a different internal resin encapsulation (potting) that will delay the damaging effect of acids to the sensors. For all Special Product inquiries or to place an order, please contact OMEGA.

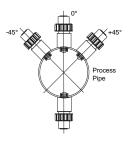


The retaining nuts of paddlewheel sensors are not designed for prolonged contact with aggressive substances. Strong acids, caustic substances and solvents or their vapor may lead to failure of the retaining nut, ejection of the sensor and loss of the process fluid with possibly serious consequences, such as damage to equipment and serious personal injury. Retaining nuts that may have been in contact with such substances, e.g. due to leakage or spilling, must be replaced.



## **Sensor Mounting Position**

- Horizontal pipe runs: Mount sensor in the upright (0°) position for best performance. Mount at a
  maximum of 45° when air bubbles are present (pipe must be full). Do not mount on the bottom of
  the pipe when sediments are present.
- Vertical pipe runs: Mount sensor in any orientation, however, downward flow is not recomended. Upward flow is preferred to ensure full pipe.



#### Installation: Pipe fittings

Omega offers a wide selection of installation fittings that control the position of the paddlewheel in relation to the dimensions of the pipe.

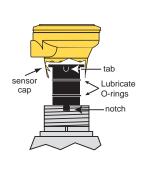
Туре	Description	Туре	Description
Plastic tees	<ul> <li>0.5 to 2 inch versions (MPVC or CPVC)</li> <li>2.5 to 4 inch versions (PVC)</li> </ul>	Iron, Carbon Steel, 316 SS Threaded tees	<ul><li>0.5 to 2 in. versions</li><li>Mounts on threaded pipe ends</li></ul>
PVC Glue-on Saddles	<ul> <li>Available in 10 and 12 inch sizes only</li> <li>Cut 2-1/2 inch hole in pipe</li> <li>Weld in place using solvent cement</li> </ul>	Carbon steel & stainless steel Weld-on Weldolets	<ul> <li>2 to 4 inch, cut 1-7/16 inch hole in pipe</li> <li>Over 4 inch, cut 2-1/8 inch hole in pipe</li> </ul>
PVC Saddles	<ul> <li>2 to 4 inch, cut 1-7/16 inch hole in pipe</li> <li>6 to 8 inch, cut 2-1/8 inch hole in pipe</li> </ul>	Fiberglass tees FPT	• 1.5 in. to 2 in. PVDF insert
Iron Strap-on saddles	<ul> <li>2 to 4 inch, cut 1-7/16 inch hole in pipe</li> <li>Over 4 inch, cut 2-1/8 inch hole in pipe</li> <li>Special order 14 in. to 36 in.</li> </ul>	Metric Union Fitting	<ul> <li>For pipes from DN 15 to 50 mm</li> <li>PP or PVDF</li> </ul>

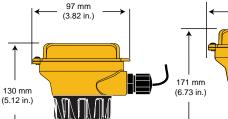
**Dimensions** 

#### 3. Installation

Plastic sensor installation tips

- Inspect the sensor O-rings for nicks and other damage that may compromise the seal.
- Lubricate O-rings with a nonpetroleum based, viscous lubricant (grease) compatible with the system.
- Using an alternating/twisting motion, lower the sensor into the fitting, making sure the conduit ports on the yellow housing are pointing in the direction of flow.
- Engage one thread of the sensor cap then turn the sensor until the alignment tab is seated in the fitting notch.

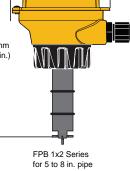




FPB 1x1, 1x3 Series

for 1/2 in. to 4 in. pipe





97 mm

(3.82 in.)



#### WARNING!

FAILURE TO FOLLOW THESE INSTRUCTIONS MAY RESULT IN SENSOR BEING EJECTED FROM THE PIPE!



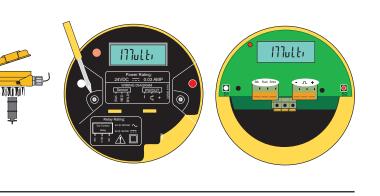
- ▶ DO NOT USE ANY TOOLS ON THE RETAINING CAP. HAND TIGHTEN ONLY.
- ► DO NOT LUBRICATE THE RETAINING CAP OR THE INSTALLATION FITTING THREADS.
- ▶ DO NOT USE THREAD SEALANT ON THE RETAINING CAP OR ON THE PLASTIC FITTING THREADS.
- ► IF LEAKING IS OBSERVED FROM THE RETAINING CAP, IT INDICATES DEFECTIVE OR WORN O-RINGS ON THE SENSOR. <u>DO NOT</u> ATTEMPT TO CORRECT BY FURTHER TIGHTENING.

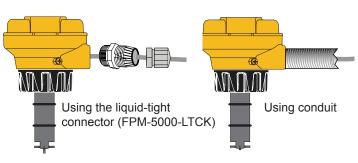
## Wiring

Electrical connections to this product should be made only by qualified personnel.

To access the wiring terminals:

- Turn yellow cover 1/4 turn counterclockwise to remove.
- Remove the two retaining screws and remove the black cover.
- Route all cables through the conduit ports before connecting them to the terminals.
- Wiring terminals are rated for 16-22 AWG conductors.
- The cable must be 7 to 10 mm in diameter (0.275 to 0.394 in.) to seal properly in the liquid tight connector.
- The conduit ports have ½ inch NPT threads. After routing the cables, seal the port with a liquid-tight conduit connector (FPM-5000-LTCK) or with conduit.
- For conduit installations:
  - Thread conduit with ½ in. NPT threads directly into the conduit port.
  - For conduit with ISO threads, use the black thread adapter included with the connector kit.
  - To comply with NEC requirements, do not use any metal conduit in the installation.

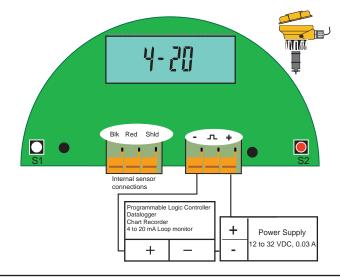




#### Wiring: 4 to 20 mA Output

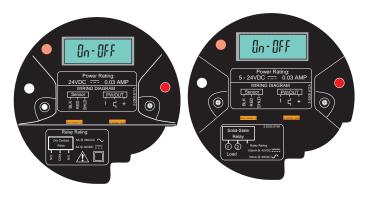
The 4 to 20 mA output can be connected to Chart Recorders, PLCs or any device that requires a 4 to 20 mA signal. The 4 to 20 mA model requires an external power source of 12-32 VDC.





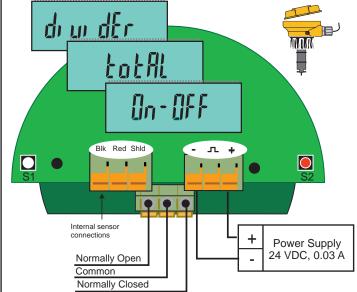
#### Wiring: Flow Switch Output (On-Off)

- The Flow Switch models provide a single relay that is programmable as a HIGH setpoint or LOW setpoint.
- The relay may be a dry-contact type or a solid state type.
  The dry contact relay requires an external power source of
- $24 \text{ VDC} \pm 10\%$ .
- The solid state relay requires an external power source of 5 to 24 VDC.



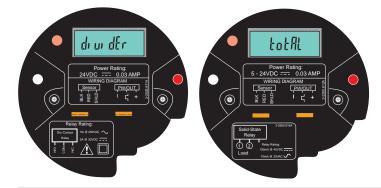
#### **Dry Contact Relay Wiring**

• The wiring is identical for On-Off and Pulse models.



#### Wiring: Pulse Output

- The "Multi" mode allows a single relay that is programmable as a Flow Switch, Volumetric pulse output or as a simple pulse divider output.
- The relay may be a dry-contact type or a solid state type.
- The Dry Contact Relay requires an external power source of 24 VDC ± 10%.
- The Solid State Relay requires an external power source of 5 to 24 VDC.
- Solid State Relay requires a pull-up resistor (10K ohm recommended). Consult your instrument/PLC manual for wiring information.



#### Operation

The FPB Flowmeter is available in 2 different models. The programming menus vary significantly from one model to another.

This chart is provided inside the yellow cover to assist in navigating the programming menus.

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MODE			
VIEW	$\bigcirc_{2s} \rightarrow \stackrel{\text{Display}}{\text{Flow Rate}}$	$\bigcirc_{2s} \rightarrow \stackrel{\text{Go to}}{\text{MENU}}$	Go to VIEW
		$1X \rightarrow \begin{array}{c} \text{Display} \\ \text{Current Val} \end{array}$	Previous MODE
MENU	$1X \rightarrow \frac{\text{Next}}{\text{Menu}}$	$\bigcirc_{2s} \rightarrow \text{Go to EDIT}$	Previous MODE

Increment

Value

 $1X \rightarrow Toggle$ 

 $1X \rightarrow$ 

Shift digit to

Go to SAVE

right

Store

Change

 $1X \rightarrow$ 

 $1X \rightarrow$ 

 $\bigcirc_{2s}$ 

Previous

Previous

MODE

N/A

MODE

This table shows the definition of each menu function, the setting parameters and the page where detailed instructions can be located.

EDIT

SAVE

Menu Function	Definition	Setting Parameters	More Information On
Flow Unit	Liters or Gallons per sec, min, hour or day	See list on page 7	page 7
K-Factor	Set PULSES per VOLUME UNIT	0.0001 to 999999	page 7
4 Set	Set flow RATE to be represented by 4 mA	0.0000 to 99999	page 7
20 Set	Set flow RATE to be represented by 20 mA	0.0000 to 99999	page 7
Contrast	Adjust visibility of liquid crystal display	1 to 3	page 7
Average	Smooths out erratic flow conditions	0 to 100 seconds	page 8
Sensitivity	Overrides Average for large rate changes	0 to 9	page 8
Mode	Select the output mode	Total or Divider or ON/OFI	F page 9
P-Factor	As PULSE DIVIDER, divides input freq.	1.0000 to 99999	page 9
P-Factor	As PULSE TOTAL, multiplies K-Factor	1.0000 to 99999	page 9
Relay Logic	Select Hi alarm or Lo alarm mode	Hi or Lo	page 10
Relay Set	Set Relay Setpoint	0.0000 to 99999	page 10
Relay Hysteresis	Rate inside Setpoint to DEENERGIZE relay	0.0000 to 99999	page 10
Relay Delay	Time delay before relay is ENERGIZED	0000.0 to 6400.0	page 10

#### Solid State Relay Wiring

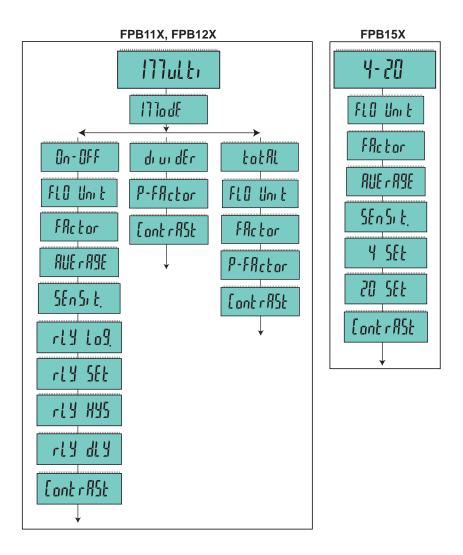
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• The wiring is identical for On-Off and Pulse models.

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#### **View Mode Function**

- All models display the model name: Multi or 4-20.
- If the white key (S1) is held down for three seconds, the flow rate is displayed for 10 minutes before reverting back to the model name.

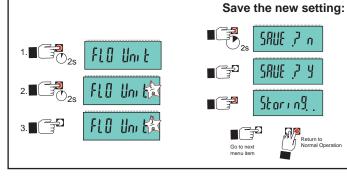
In the Multi models, if the "Multi" menu item is set to "divider", then the divided pulse output will be displayed in pulses/seconds (p/s).

## **Flow Units**

Select the volumetric units for the flow measurement.

1 5	Liters/second	ם י/ ר	Gallons/second
	Liters/minute (Factory setting)	0     0	Gallons/minute
_     	Liters/hour	0-) -h	Gallons/hour
	Liters/day	םיי/ ים	Gallons/day

#### Example: Set the Flow Units to Gallons per minute:

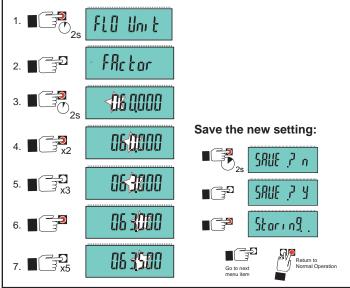


#### **K-Factor**

The factory setting is 60.0000. Locate the K-factor in the tables on page 10.

	FRetor
Minimum value	0 <u>000 I</u>
Maximum value	999999

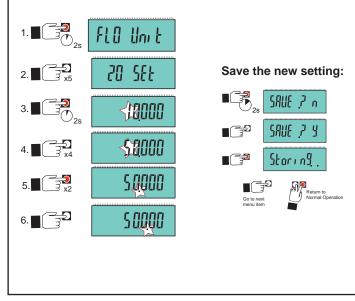
#### Example: Set the K-Factor to 63.5 Pulses per Gallon:



#### Set 4 and Set 20

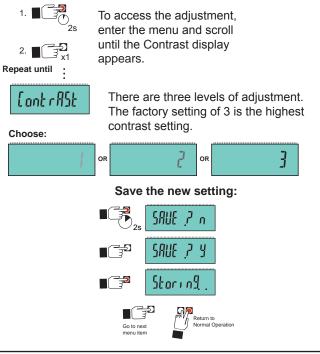
These two functions are used to span the 4 to 20 mA output signal to the required range. The factory setting is 4-20 mA = 0 to 10.000

Only the 20 mA span is illustrated here. **Example: Set 20 mA = 500 GPM.** 



## Set Contrast

All models of the FPB have the CONTRAST adjustment. It is always located at the end of the menu.



## Averaging and Sensitivity Settings

- Because ideal flow conditions are often impossible to achieve, the flow rate is often erratic, which causes any control features (e.g., relays, 4 to 20 mA loops, etc.) that are associated with the flow rate to be erratic.
- The best solution to these problems is to correct any piping deficiency that causes the instability. This may involve longer straight runs upstream, reducing the pipe size to maintain a full pipe at all times, and other installation changes. In many situations, however, these measures are simply not possible.
- The FPB meter provides two tools that are designed to "work around" these deficiencies. The Averaging and the Sensitivity features should be studied before making adjustments.

#### Averaging Time in Seconds (Factory set: 0 seconds)

• Set the time the meter will use as the averaging period. The range is from 0 (no average applied to input) to 100 (seconds of averaging applied to input).

Use higher averaging times to smooth the display and current output where the flow in the pipe is erratic.

#### Quick Response Sensitivity (Factory set: 0)

Set the relative degree of change in the flow rate required to allow the FPB to disable the AVERAGING and jump to a new flow rate immediately. The scale is from 0 (Least sensitive, averaging is never disabled.) to 9 (a very small change in flow rate will disable the averaging).

No AVERAGING, no SENSITIVITY

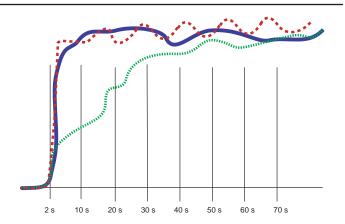
With AVERAGING set to 0 (zero) and with SENSITIVITY set to zero, the FPB responds to every unstable shift in the flow. The dashed red line represents the actual output of the flow sensor in unstable flow conditions.

#### AVERAGING only

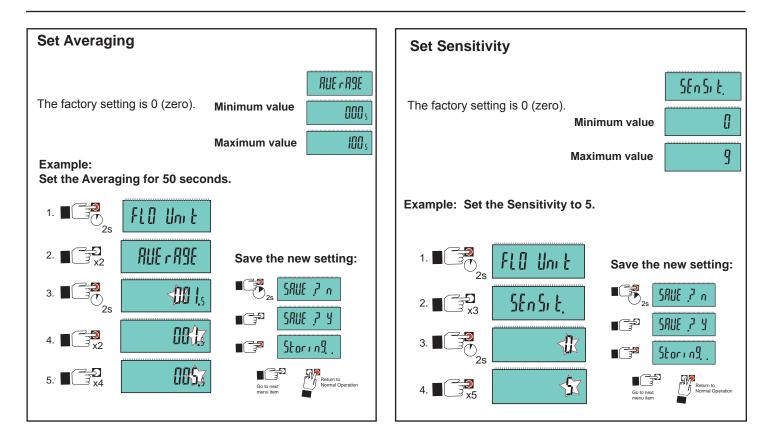
With AVERAGING set to 50 seconds and SENSITIVITY still set to zero the flow rate is stabilized, but a sharp change in flow rate is not represented for 50 seconds or longer. (dotted green line).

#### AVERAGING and SENSITIVITY

With AVERAGING at 50 seconds and SENSITIVITY set to 4 OR 5, the flow rate is stabilized, while the sudden shift in flow is reflected very quickly. (Solid blue line)



NOTE: The SENSITIVITY function is ineffective if the AVERAGING function is set to zero (seconds).



#### Mode

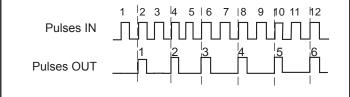
Select DIVIDER or TOTAL operation. The factory setting is TOTAL.

#### PULSE DIVIDER Output = Input pulses ÷ P-Factor

DIVIDER allows you to set a scaling value (P-Factor) from 1.0000 to 99999.

Example: If the P-Factor is set for 2, then the FPB will output one pulse for every 2 pulses received from the sensor. This selection enables the output frequency to be scaled down to match associated equipment capabilities.

When using the PULSE DIVIDER output, associated equipment must divide the K-Factors in this manual by the P-Factor for correct calibration.



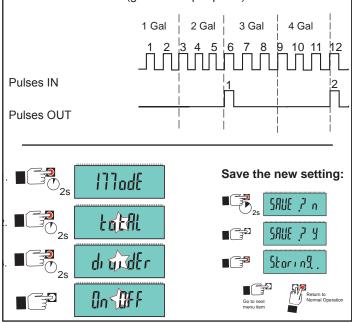
**PULSE TOTAL Output = Input pulses ÷ (K-Factor × P-Factor)** TOTAL is a traditional pump pulser function. This selection will allow the entry of a K-Factor to define a volumetric unit, then set a P-Factor to define the number of volumetric units required to generate one pulse out.

Example:

Set the Total Pulse output so there is one pulse out for each 2 gallons that passes the sensor if the K-Factor is 3.0.

1. K-Factor = 3.0 (pulses in per gallon)

2. P-Factor = 2 (gallons out per pulse)



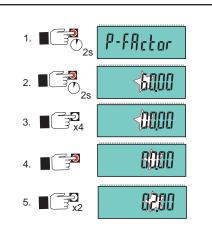
P-Factor		
The factory setting is 1.0000		P-FActor
	Minimum value	1,0000
	Maximum value	99999

#### In PULSE DIVIDER mode the P-Factor divides:

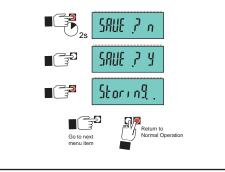
The pulse stream from the paddlewheel sensor will be divided by the P-Factor. The resulting frequency is output through a relay.

#### In PULSE TOTAL mode the P-Factor multiplies:

The pulse stream from the paddlewheel sensor is divided by the K-Factor MULTIPLIED by the P-factor. The resulting frequency is output through a relay.

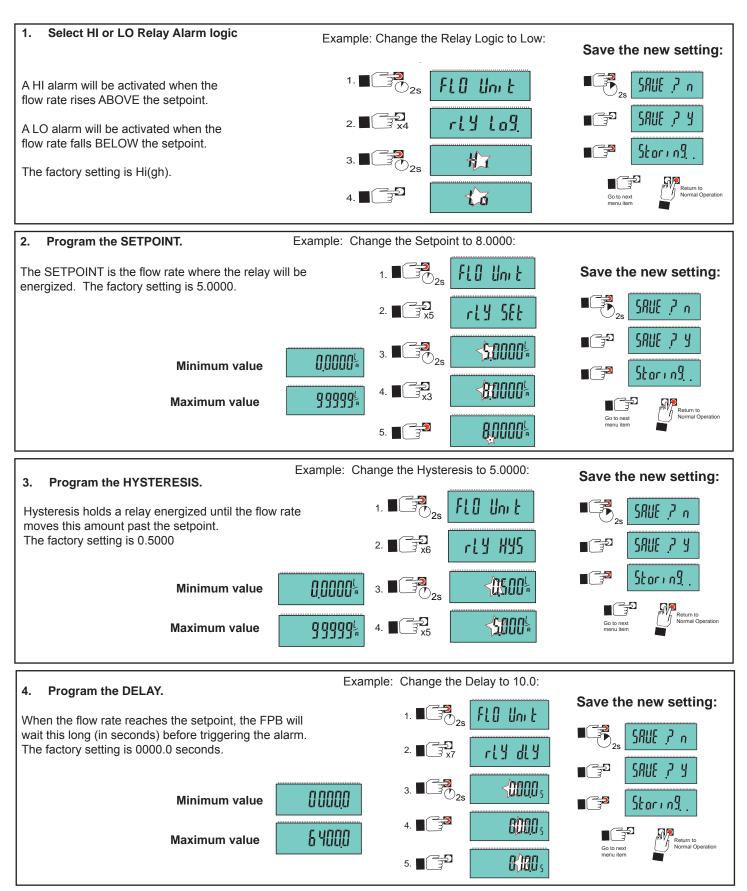


#### Save the new setting:



## Set Relay operation

The Flow Switch has one relay (SPDT or solid-state) that can be programmed as a HIGH (Hi) alarm or a LOW (Lo) alarm.



#### **K-Factors**

When using the PULSE DIVIDER output, associated equipment must divide the K-Factor by the P-Factor.

Metal Tees

FITTING

FP-5307CS

FP-5310CS

FP-5312CS

FP-5315CS

FP-5320CS

FMG-5305

FMG-5307

FMG-5310

FMG-5312

FMG-5315

FMG-5320

FP-5310GI

FP-5312GI

FP-5315GI

FP-5320GI

**BRONZE TEES ON SCH 40 PIPE** FP-5310BR

FP-5312BR

FP-5315BR

FP-5320BR

FP-5305CU

FP-5307CU

FP-5310CU

FP-5312CU

FP-5315CU

FP-5320CU

FP-5305CU

FP-5307CU

FP-5310CU

FP-5312CU

FP-5315CU

FP-5320CU

COPPER TEE FITTINGS ON COPPER PIPE SCH K

COPPER TEE FITTINGS ON COPPER PIPE

STAINLESS STEEL TEES ON SCH 40 PIPE

**GALVANIZED IRON TEES ON SCH 40 PIPE** 

CARBON STEEL TEES ON SCH 40 PIPE FP-5305CS

PIPE

SIZE

(IN.)

1/2

3/4

1-1/2

1 1-1/4

2

1/2 3/4

1 1-1/4

2

1 1 - 1/4

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1 1-1/4

2

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3/4

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1

2

1 1-1/4

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1-1/2

1-1/2



PIPE SIZE (IN.)	FITTING	FPB Series Paddlewheel	
		U.S. GAL	LITERS
SCH 80 MOLDED TEES FOR SCH 80 PVC PIPE			
1/2	FP-5305M	1027.1	271.37
3/4	FP-5307M	583.19	154.08
1	FP-5310M	335.53	88.65
1-1/4	FP-5312M	178.79	47.24
1-1/2	FP-5315M	121.42	32.08
2	FP-5320M	71.44	18.87
2-1/2	FP-5325	42.994	11.359
3	FP-5330	26.652	7.0414
4	FP-5340	15.006	3.9645
SCH 80 CPVC TEES FOR SCH 80 CPVC PIPE			
1/2	FP5305CM	1027.1	271.37
3/4	FP-5307CM	583.19	154.08
1	FP-5310CM	335.53	88.65
1-1/4	FP-5312CM	178.79	47.24
1-1/2	FP-5315CM	121.42	32.08
2	FP-5320CM	71.44	18.87



PIPE SIZE	FITTING	FPB Series Paddlewheel	
(IN.)		U.S. GAL	LITERS
PVDF FIT	TINGS (DIN/IS	O AND BS A	ND ANSI)
DN 15	FP-5105PO	827.26	218.56
DN 20	FP-5107PO	489.87	129.42
DN 25	FP-5110PO	283.55	74.915
DN 32	FP-5112PO	158.59	41.899
DN 40	FP-5115PO	86.980	22.980
DN 50	FP-5120PO	50.385	13.312
POLYPROPYLENE FITTINGS (DIN/ISO AND BS AND ANSI)			
DN 15	FP-5105PO	952.87	251.75
DN 20	FP-5107PO	563.10	148.77
DN 25	FP-5110PO	291.60	77.042
DN 32	FP-5112PO	169.22	44.709
DN 40	FP-5115PO	103.90	27.450
DN 50	FP-5120PO	60.789	16.060

#### **H-Dimensions**

Union Tees

The plastic insert in Weldolet fittings MUST be removed during the welding process. When reinstalled, it is important that the insert be threaded to the proper height ("H" dimension).

Nominal	"H" di	
Pipe size	inches	
21⁄2 in.	2.33	
3 in.	2.32	
4 in.	2.30	
5 in.	3.09	
6 in.	2.96	
8 in.	2.73	
	Pipe size           2½ in.           3 in.           4 in.           5 in.           6 in.	



**FPB Series** 

Paddlewheel

LITERS

199.74

115.90

75.768

32.026

24.079 14.391

193.98

108.88

66.764

33.849

20.428

12.095

56.277

33.751

24.941

15.699

56.277

33.751

24.941

15.699

242.50

113.15

67.749

46.615

30.565

16.746

226.74

101.91

63.841

45.152

29.598

16.310

mm

59.18

58.92

58.42

78.48

75.18

69.34

mension

U.S. GAL

756.00

438.69

286.78

121.22

91.139

54.468

734.20

412.10

252.70

128.12

77.320

45.780

213.01

127.75

94.401

59.420

213.01

127.75

94.401

59.420

917.84

428.27

256.43

176.44

115.69

63.385

858.22

385.74

241.64

170.90

112.03

61.74

Saddles	and Weldolets	5	
PIPE SIZE (IN.)	FITTING	FPB Series Paddlewheel	
	U.S. GAL	LITERS	
SCH 80 P	VC SADDLES F	OR SCH 80	PVC PIPE
2	FP-5320S	66.739	17.633
2-1/2	FP-5325S	42.994	11.359
3	FP-5330S	26.652	7.0414
4	FP-5340S	15.006	3.9645
6	FP-5360S	8.3246	2.1994
8	FP-5380S	5.0164	1.3253
SCH 80 P	VC SADDLE ON	SCH 40 P	C PIPE
2	FP-5320S	54.700	14.452
2-1/2	FP-5325S	37.159	9.8175
3	FP-5330S	23.697	6.2608
4	FP-5340S	13.456	3.5552
6	FP-5360S	7.4594	1.9708
8	FP-5380S	4.5292	1.1966
SCH 80 IF	ON SADDLES	ON SCH 80	PIPE
2	FP-5320GS	64.720	17.099
2-1/2	FP-5325GS	42.480	11.223
3	FP-5330GS	26.420	6.980
4	FP-5340GS	14.700	3.884
5	FP-5350GS	12.180	3.218
6	FP-5360GS	8.4400	2.230
8	FP-5380GS	4.9000	1.295
SCH 80 IF	RON SADDLE OI	N SCH 40 F	IPE
2	FP-5320GS	53.640	14.172
2-1/2	FP-5325GS	37.600	9.934
3	FP-5330GS	23.220	6.135
4	FP-5340GS	13.260	3.503
5	FP-5350GS	11.040	2.917
6	FP-5360GS	7.2400	1.913
8	FP-5380GS	4.4000	1.162
STAINLE	SS STEEL WELD	OLETS OF	SCH 40 PIPE
2-1/2	FMG-5325	37.600	9.9339
3	FMG-5330	24.340	6.4306
4	FMG-5340	13.920	3.6777
5	FMG-5350	10.860	2.8692
6	FMG-5360	7.5200	1.9868
8	FMG-5380	4.3400	1.1466
CARBON	STEEL WELDO	LETS ON S	CH 40 PIPE
2-1/2	FP-5325CS	37.600	9.9339
3	FP-5330CS	24.340	6.4306
4	FP-5340CS	13.920	3.6777
5	FP-5350CS	10.860	2.8692
6	FP-5360CS	7.5200	1.9868
8	FP-5380CS	4.3400	1.1466
COPPER/	BRONZE BRAZ		
2-1/2	FP-5325BR	37.600	9.934
3	FP-5330BR	24.340	6.431
4	FP-5340BR	13.920	3.678
5	FP-5350BR	10.860	2.869
6	FP-5360BR	7.5200	1.987
8	FP-5381BR	4.3400	1.147

#### **Maintenance and Cleaning**

The Omega FPB Series requires very little maintenance.

- If the paddlewheel becomes fouled, it can be cleaned with mild detergents and a small brush.
- The electronics portion of the FPB does not require maintenance or cleaning.

#### **Rotor Replacement Procedure**

- 1. To remove the rotor, insert a small screwdriver between the rotor and the ear of the sensor.
- 2. Twist the screwdriver blade to flex the ear outward enough to remove one end of the rotor and pin. DO NOT flex the ear any more than necessary! If it breaks, the sensor cannot be repaired.
- 3. Install the new rotor by inserting one tip of the pin into the hole, then flex the opposite ear back enough to slip rotor into place.

#### **Ordering Information**

#### Mfr. Part No. Description

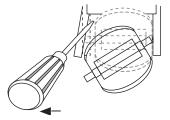
FPB system for 0.5 in. to 4 in. pipes, with Polypropylene body, Black PVDF rotor, Titanium pin, FPM O-rings		
FPB111	Pulse/Flow Switch via Dry-Contact Relay, Integral Mount	
FPB121	Pulse/Flow Switch via Solid-State Relay, Integral Mount	
FPB151	4-20 mA, Integral Mount	

FPB systemfor 5 in. to 8 in. pipes, with polypropylene body, Black PVDF rotor, Titanium pin, FPM O-ringsFPB1524-20 mA, Integral Mount

**FPB system for 0.5 in. to 4 in. pipes, with natural PVDF body, rotor and pin, FPM O-rings** FPB153 4-20 mA, Integral Mount

#### Accessories

Part No.	Description
FMK-2536-1	Rotor, PVDF Black
FMK-2536-5	Rotor and Pin, PVDF Natural
FMK-1546-1	Rotor Pin, Titanium
FMK-1546-2	Rotor Pin, Hastelloy-C
FMK-1546-3	Rotor Pin, Tantalum
FPP-1220-0021	O-Ring, FPM
FPP-1224-0021	O-Ring, EPDM
FMK-31536-1	Sensor Plug, Polypro
FP90RC	RC Filter kit (for relay use)
FPM-5000-LTCK	Liquid Tight Connection Kit



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FOR **WARRANTY** RETURNS, please have the following information available BEFORE contacting OMEGA:

- 1. Purchase Order number under which the product was PURCHASED,
- 2. Model and serial number of the product under warranty, and
- 3. Repair instructions and/or specific problems relative to the product.

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