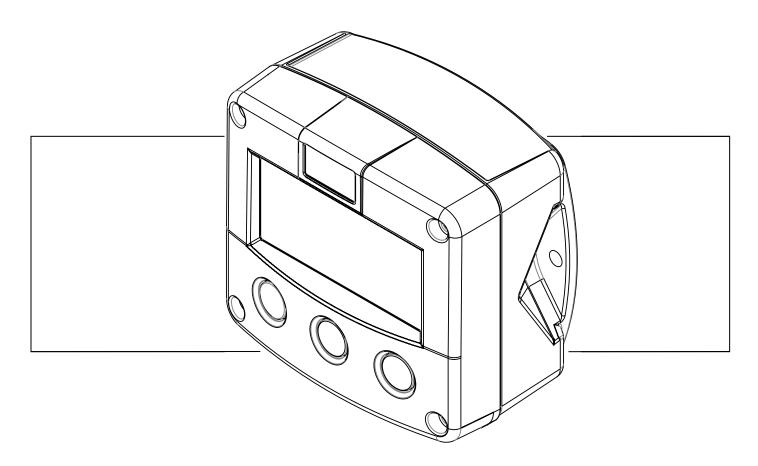
# F136-A

# **BATCH-CONTROLLER**



Signal input flowmeter type A: (0)4-20mA

Status inputs: start and stop

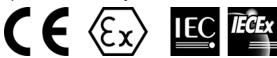
Signal outputs: two control outputs for two stage control, or

one control output and pulse output ref. total

Signal outputs: (0)4-20mA / 0-10V reflecting process stage

Options: Intrinsically Safe, Modbus communication











# SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

- Any responsibility is lapsed if the instructions and procedures as described in this manual are not followed.
- LIFE SUPPORT APPLICATIONS: The F136-A is not designed for use in life support
  appliances, devices, or systems where malfunction of the product can reasonably be
  expected to result in a personal injury. Customers using or selling these products for use
  in such applications do so at their own risk and agree to fully indemnify the manufacturer
  and supplier for any damages resulting from such improper use or sale.
- Electro static discharge does inflict irreparable damage to electronics! Before installing or opening the unit, the installer has to discharge himself by touching a well-grounded object.
- This unit must be installed in accordance with the EMC guidelines (Electro Magnetic Compatibility).
- Do connect a proper grounding to the aluminum casing as indicated if the F136-A has been supplied with the 115-230V AC power-supply type PM. The green / yellow wire between the back-casing and removable terminal-block may never be removed.
- Intrinsically Safe applications: follow the instructions as mentioned in Chapter 5 and consult "Fluidwell F1..-..-XI Documentation for Intrinsic Safety".





At the end of its life this product should be disposed of according to local regulations regarding waste electronic equipment. If a battery is present in this product it should be disposed of separately. The separate collection and recycling of your waste equipment will help to conserve natural resources and ensure that it is recycled in a manner that protects the environment.

# SAFETY RULES AND PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES

- The manufacturer accepts no responsibility whatsoever if the following safety rules and precautions instructions and the procedures as described in this manual are not followed.
- Modifications of the F136-A implemented without preceding written consent from the manufacturer, will result in the immediate termination of product liability and warranty period.
- Installation, use, maintenance and servicing of this equipment must be carried out by authorized technicians.
- Check the mains voltage and information on the manufacturer's plate before installing the unit.
- Check all connections, settings and technical specifications of the various peripheral devices with the F136-A supplied.
- Open the casing only if all leads are free of potential.
- Never touch the electronic components (ESD sensitivity).
- Never expose the system to heavier conditions than allowed according to the casing classification (see manufacture's plate and chapter 4.2.).
- If the operator detects errors or dangers, or disagrees with the safety precautions taken, then inform the owner or principal responsible.
- The local labor and safety laws and regulations must be adhered to.

# ABOUT THE OPERATION MANUAL

This operation manual is divided into two main sections:

- The daily use of the unit is described in chapter 2 "Operation". These instructions are meant for users.
- The following chapters and appendices are exclusively meant for electricians/technicians. These provide a detailed description of all software settings and hardware installation guidance.

This operation manual describes the standard unit as well as most of the options available. For additional information, please contact your supplier.

A hazardous situation may occur if the F136-A is not used for the purpose it was designed for or is used incorrectly. Please carefully note the information in this operating manual indicated by the pictograms:



A "warning" indicates actions or procedures which, if not performed correctly, may lead to personal injury, a safety hazard or damage of the F136-A or connected instruments.



A "caution" indicates actions or procedures which, if not performed correctly, may lead to personal injury or incorrect functioning of the F136-A or connected instruments.



A "note" indicates actions or procedures which, if not performed correctly, may indirectly affect operation or may lead to an instrument response which is not planned.

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# 1. INTRODUCTION

### 1.1. SYSTEM DESCRIPTION OF THE F136-A

### **Functions and features**

The batch controller model F136-A is a microprocessor driven instrument designed for batching and filling of small batch sizes up to large quantities as well as displaying the total and accumulated total. The analog output is related to the course of the batch process.

This product has been designed with a focus on:

- ultra-low power consumption to allow long-life battery powered applications (type PB / PC),
- intrinsic safety for use in hazardous applications (type XI),
- several mounting possibilities with ABS or aluminum enclosures for harsh industrial surroundings,
- ability to process all types of flowmeter signals,
- transmitting possibilities with analog / pulse and communication (option) outputs.

### Flowmeter input

This manual describes the unit with a <u>(0)4-20mA</u> input for the flowmeter "-A version". Other versions are available to process pulse or 0-10V flowmeter signals.

One flowmeter with a (0)4-20mA output can be connected to the F136-A. To power the sensor, several options are available.

# Standard outputs

- Two transistor or relay (option) outputs: for two-stage control or one stage control with pulse output. The configurable pulse output offers a scaled pulse mirroring a certain totalised quantity. Maximum frequency 60Hz.; the pulse length can be set from 7,8msec up to 2 seconds.
- Configurable passive linear 4-20mA analog output with 10-bits resolution mirroring the batch process. The minimum and maximum signal output can be tuned.

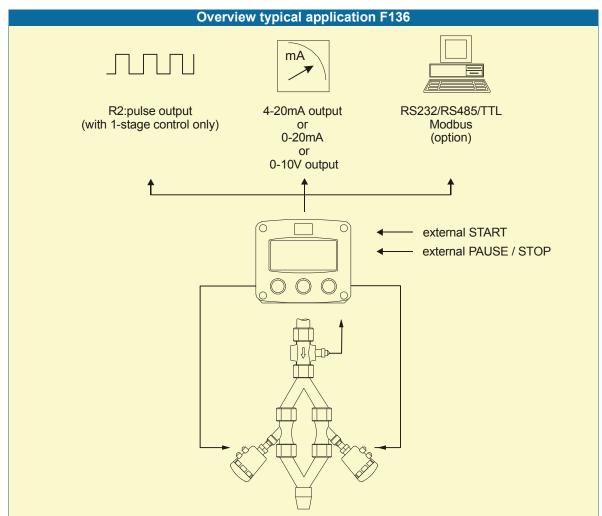


Fig. 1: Typical application for the F136-A.

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# Configuration of the unit

The F136-A was designed to be implemented in many types of applications. For that reason, a SETUP-level is available to configure your F136-A according to your specific requirements. SETUP includes several important features, such as Span, measurement units, signal selection etc. All setting are stored in EEPROM memory and will not be lost in the event of power failure or a drained battery.

To extend the battery-life time (option), please make use of the power-management functions as described in chapter 3.2.3.

# **Display information**

The unit has a large transflective LCD with all kinds of symbols and digits to display measuring units, status information, trend-indication and key-word messages.

A backup of the total and accumulated total in EEPROM memory is made every minute.

### **Options**

The following options are available: isolated or active 4-20mA / 0-10V / 0-20mA analog output, full Modbus communication RS232/485 (also battery powered), intrinsic safety, mechanical relay or active outputs, power- and sensor-supply options, panel-mount, wall-mount and weather-proof enclosures, flame proof enclosure.

# 2. OPERATIONAL

### 2.1. GENERAL



The F136-A may only be operated by personnel who are authorized and trained by the operator of the facility. All instructions in this manual are to be observed. Take careful notice of the "Safety rules, instructions and precautionary measures" in the front of this manual.

This chapter describes the daily use of the F136-A. This instruction is meant for users / operators.

### 2.2. CONTROL PANEL

The following keys are available:







Fig. 2: Control Panel.

# Functions of the keys



This key is used to program and save new values or settings. It is also used to gain access to SETUP-level; please read chapter 3.



This key is used to START the batch process.

The arrow-key riangle is used to increase a value after PROG has been pressed or to configure the unit; please read chapter 3.



Press STOP to "PAUSE" the batch process. When this key is pressed twice, the process is completely finished and can't be continued. STOP is also used to select Total and accumulated total.

After PROG has been pressed, the arrow-key 

is used to select a value

#### 2.3. OPERATOR INFORMATION AND FUNCTIONS

In general, the F136-A will always function at Operator level. The information displayed is dependent upon the SETUP-settings. The signal generated by the connected flowmeter is measured by the F136-A in the background, whichever screen refresh rate setting is chosen. After pressing a key, the display will be updated very quickly during a 30 second period, after which it will slow-down again.

# To enter a batch quantity

To change the PRESET-value, following procedure must be followed:

- 1) press PROG: the word "PROGRAM" will be flashing,
- 2) use to select the digits and to increase that value,
- 3) set the new PRESET-value by pressing ENTER.

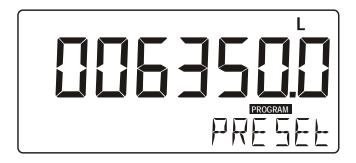


Fig. 3: Example display information during programming preset value.

When data is altered but ENTER has not been pressed yet, then the alteration can still be cancelled by waiting for 20 seconds or by pressing ENTER during three seconds: the former value will be reinstated. The PRESET-value can be used time after time till a new value is programmed.



Please note that alterations will only be set after ENTER has been pressed!

### Batch maximum

When you program a new value which is not valid - the batch size is too large - the decrease-sign ▼ will be displayed while you are programming; the new value will not be accepted!

# Starting up the batch process

The batch process can only be started up when "READY" is displayed. The batch process is started-up by pressing the START-key. Depending on the SETUP-settings, one or two relays will be switched. The arrows at the display indicate if the ACTUAL-value is / was counting up or down.



Fig. 4: Example display information during the process.

# Interrupting and ending the batch process

When STOP is pressed once, the batch process will be temporarily interrupted; the actual values are not lost. At the display, the word "PAUSE" will be flashing. From this stage, the batch process can be resumed with the START-key.

The process can be ended entirely at all times by pressing STOP twice in which case the actual values are "lost" and the system returns to steady state: the batch can not be resumed.

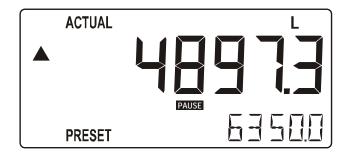


Fig. 5: Example display information when interrupted.

# After batching, following functions are available:

#### Clear total

The value for total can be re-initialized. To do so, select Total and press PROG followed by STOP - STOP. After pressing STOP once, the flashing text "PUSH STOP" is displayed. To avoid re-initialization at this stage, press another key than STOP or wait for 20 seconds. Re-initialization of total DOES NOT influence the accumulated total.

# Display accumulated total

When the STOP-key is pressed, total and accumulated total are displayed. The accumulated total cannot be re-initialized. The value will count up to 99,999,999,999. The unit and number of decimals are displayed according to the configuration settings for preset.

# Low-battery alarm

When the battery voltage drops, it must be replaced. At first "low-battery" will flash, but as soon as it is displayed continuously, the battery MUST be replaced shortly after!

Only official batteries may be used, or else the guarantee will be terminated. The remaining lifetime after the first moment of indication is generally several days up to some weeks.



Fig. 6: Example of low-battery alarm.

### Alarm 01-03

When "alarm" is displayed, please consult Appendix B: problem solving.

# 3. CONFIGURATION

### 3.1. INTRODUCTION

This and the following chapters are exclusively meant for electricians and non-operators. In these, an extensive description of all software settings and hardware connections are provided.



Mounting, electrical installation, start-up and maintenance of the instrument may only be carried out by trained personnel authorized by the operator of the facility. Personnel must read and understand this Operating Manual before carrying out its instructions.

The F136-A may only be operated by personnel who are authorized and trained by the operator of the facility. All instructions in this manual are to be observed.

Ensure that the measuring system is correctly wired up according to the wiring diagrams. The housing may only be opened by trained personnel.

Take careful notice of the "Safety rules, instructions and precautionary measures" in the front of this manual.

# 3.2. PROGRAMMING SETUP-LEVEL

#### **3.2.1. GENERAL**

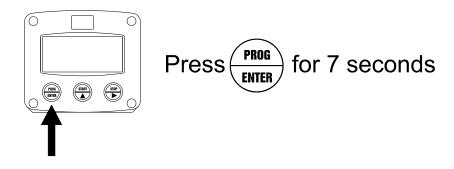
Configuration of the F136-A is done at SETUP-level. SETUP-level is reached by pressing the PROG/ENTER key for 7 seconds; at which time, both arrows \$\displayed\$ will be displayed. In order to return to the operator level, PROG will have to be pressed for three seconds. Alternatively, if no keys are pressed for 2 minutes, the unit will exit SETUP automatically.

SETUP can be reached at all times while the F136-A remains fully operational.

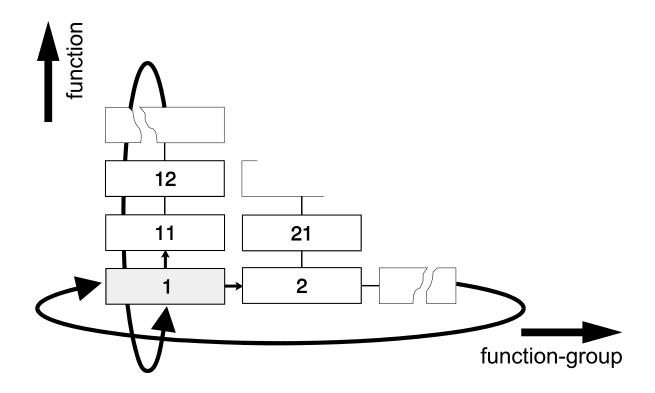


**Note:** A pass code may be required to enter SETUP. Without this pass code access to SETUP is denied.

### To enter SETUP-level:



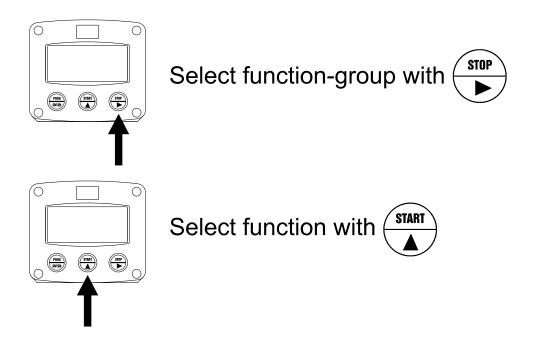
### **Matrix structure SETUP-level:**



# **SCROLLING THROUGH SETUP-LEVEL**

# **Selection of function-group and function:**

SETUP is divided into several function groups and functions.

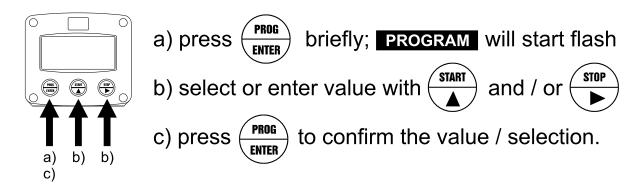


Each function has a unique number, which is displayed below the word "SETUP" at the bottom of the display. The number is a combination of two figures. The first figure indicates the function-group and the second figure the sub-function. Additionally, each function is expressed with a keyword.

After selecting a sub-function, the next main function is selected by scrolling through all "active" subfunctions (e.g.  $1^{4}$ ,  $11^{4}$ ,  $12^{4}$ ,  $13^{4}$ ,  $14^{4}$ ,  $1^{$ 

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# To change or select a value:



To change a value, use ▶ to select the digits and ♠ to increase that value.

To select a setting, both ★ and ▶ can be used.

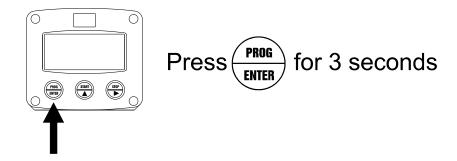
If the new value is invalid, the increase sign ♠ or decrease-sign ▼ will be displayed while you are programming.

When data is altered but ENTER is not pressed, then the alteration can still be cancelled by waiting for 20 seconds or by pressing ENTER for three seconds: the PROG-procedure will be left automatically and the former value reinstated.



Note: alterations will only be set after ENTER has been pressed!

### To return to OPERATOR-level:



In order to return to the operator level, PROG will have to be pressed for three seconds. Also, when no keys are pressed for 2 minutes, SETUP will be left automatically.

# 3.2.2. OVERVIEW FUNCTIONS SETUP LEVEL

	SETUP FUNCTIONS AND VARIABLES						
1	PRESET						
	11	UNIT	L - m3 - kg - lb - GAL - USGAL - bbl - no unit				
	12	DECIMALS	0 - 1 - 2 - 3 (Ref: displayed value)				
	13	SPAN	0.000001 - 9,999,999 unit/second				
	14 DECIMALS SPAN 0 - 6						
	15	BATCH MAXIMUM	X,XXX,XXX quantity				
2	OVERRUN						
	21	OVERRUN	disable - enable				
	22	TIME	0.1 - 999.9 seconds				
3	DISPL	1					
	31	DISPLAY	increase - decrease				
4	POWE	R MANAGEMENT					
	41	LCD UPDATE	fast - 1 sec - 3 sec - 15 sec - 30 sec - off				
	42	BATTERY MODE	operational - shelf				
5	FLOW	METER					
	51	FORMULA	interpolation, square root				
	52	FILTER	00 - 99				
	53	CUT-OFF	0.0 - 99.9%				
			(0)4mA				
		20mA					
6	ANAL						
	61	OUTPUT	decrease - increase - disable				
	62	CONTROL	stay - overrun up - overrun down - end up - end down -				
			bounce up - bounce down				
	63	TUNE MIN - 4mA / 0V	0 - 9,999				
	64	TUNE MAX- 20mA / 10V	0 - 9,999				
7	RELA'	YS					
	71	RELAYS	1-step / 2-step				
	72	PRECLOSE	X,XXX,XXX quantity				
	73	PERIOD TIME	0 - 250				
	74	IMPULSE PER	X,XXX,XXX quantity				
	75	IMPULSE ACCORDING	total - batch				
8	COMM	IUNICATION					
	81	SPEED / BAUDRATE	1200 - 2400 - 4800 - 9600				
	82	ADDRESS	1 - 255				
	83	MODE	ASCII - rtu - off				
9	OTHE		•				
	91	TYPE / MODEL					
	92	SOFTWARE VERSION					
	93	SERIAL NO.					
	94	PASSWORD	0000 - 9999				

# 3.2.3. EXPLANATION OF SETUP-FUNCTIONS

1 - PRESET				
MEASUREMENT UNIT		etermines the measurement unit for preset, total,		
11	accumulated to	otal and pulse output. The following units can be selected:		
	L - m3 - kg - lb GAL - USGAL - bbl (no unit).			
	Alteration of the measurement unit will have consequences for operator and SETUP-level values.			
	not done autor	Please note that the K-factor has to be adapted as well; the calculation is not done automatically.		
DECIMALS 12	pulse output th	oint determines for preset, total, accumulated total and ne number of digits following the decimal point. can be selected:		
	(	0000000 - 1111111.1 - 22222.22 - 3333.333		
SPAN 13	With the span, the flowmeter signal is converted to a quantity. The <u>span</u> <u>for Preset</u> is determined on the basis of the measurement unit (setting 11) and the <u>flowrate per second</u> at 20mA.  Enter the span in whole numbers (decimals are set with SETUP 14). The more accurate the span, the more accurate the functioning of the system will be.			
	Example 1:	Calculating the span for Preset.  Let us assume that the flowmeter generates 20mA at a flowrate of 2,481.3 Liters/minute and the selected unit is "cubic meters / m3".  The rate per second is 2,481.3÷60 is 41.355 L/sec. This is 0.041355 m3/sec., which is the span.  Enter for SETUP - 13: "041355" and for SETUP - 14 - decimals span "6".		
	Example 2:	Calculating the span for Preset  Let us assume that the flowmeter generates 20mA at a rate of 652.31 USGAL per hour, the selected unit is barrels.  There are 42 gallons in one barrel; so the rate is 652.31/42 is 15.53119 barrels/hour. This is 0.0043142 barrels/second, which is the span.  Enter for SETUP - 13: "004314" and for SETUP - 14 "6".		
DECIMALS SPAN 14	This setting determines the number of decimals for the Span (SETUP 13). The following can be selected:			
	0 - 1 -	2 - 3 - 4 - 5 - 6		
	Please note that this function influences the accuracy of the Span indirectly.  This setting has NO influence on the displayed number of digits for preset			
BATCH MAXIMUM 15	(SETUP 12)!  This function limits the operator to enter a new preset-value which is more as the entered batch maximum.			

	2 - OVERRUN				
Consequently, the accura	Overrun can occur at the end of the batch process, as a result of slowness of a valve / pump.  Consequently, the accuracy is less. With this function, the F136-A analyses the actual overrun characteristic after every batch. This information is used to correct the overrun automatically.				
OVERRUN 21	For an accurate overrun correction, it is necessary that the flow meter meets certain technical demands, such as "high resolution" and shows no "false" overrun due to a slow update time.  Do not enable this function if the flow meter does not meet these technical demands.				
OVERRUN TIME 22	The overrun characteristic of the system will be analyzed during a certain time after the batch. In this way, false signal generated through leakage are eliminated.  Enter here the expected time needed by the system to stop a batch. It is advisable to provide extra time in order to avoid an incorrect overrun correction or false leakage alarms.  Note that the next batch can only be started after elapsing of this overrun time!  The minimum overrun time is 0.1 second, maximum 999.9 seconds.				

3 - DISPLAY				
<b>DISPLAY</b> The large 17mm digits can be set to display the actual batched quantity				
(increase) OR to display the remaining quantity to be batched (decrea				

	4 - POWER MANAGEMENT				
	When used with the internal battery (type PB / PC), the user can expect reliable measurement over				
	a long period of time. The F136-A has several smart power management functions to extend the				
LCD NEW	cattery life time significantly. Two of these functions can be set:				
41	The calculation of the display-information influences the power consumption significantly. When the application does not require a fast				
	display update, it is <b>strongly advised</b> to select a slow refresh rate.				
	Please understand that NO information will be lost; the input signal will be				
	processed and the output signals will be generated in the normal way.				
	The following can be selected:				
	Fast - 1 sec - 3 sec - 15 sec - 30 sec - off.				
	Example 3: Battery life-time				
	battery life-time with a FAST update: about 3 years.				
	battery life-time with a 1 sec update: about 7 years.				
	Note: after a button has been pressed by the operator - the display				
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	refresh rate will always switch to FAST for 30 seconds. When "OFF" is				
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BATTERY-MODE	refresh rate will always switch to FAST for 30 seconds. When "OFF" is selected, the display will be switched off after 30 seconds and will be switched on as soon as a button has been pressed.				
BATTERY-MODE 42	refresh rate will always switch to FAST for 30 seconds. When "OFF" is selected, the display will be switched off after 30 seconds and will be				
	refresh rate will always switch to FAST for 30 seconds. When "OFF" is selected, the display will be switched off after 30 seconds and will be switched on as soon as a button has been pressed.  The unit has two modes: operational or shelf.  After "shelf" has been selected, the unit can be stored for several years; it will not count pulses, the display is switched off but all settings and totals				
	refresh rate will always switch to FAST for 30 seconds. When "OFF" is selected, the display will be switched off after 30 seconds and will be switched on as soon as a button has been pressed.  The unit has two modes: operational or shelf.  After "shelf" has been selected, the unit can be stored for several years; it				



5 - FLOWMETER							
SIGNAL	The F136-A can process the 4-20mA signal in two ways:						
51							
	<ul> <li>Interpolation:</li> </ul>	the signal is proces	sed linear				
	R = S x I						
	<ul> <li>Square root: for</li> </ul>	or differential press	ure				
	$R = S \sqrt{I}$						
	where:						
		e calculated flowrat					
		e maximum flowrat		an is programmed			
		th setting 13 for tot e scaled analog va		as value 0 (zero)			
	fo	r (0)4mA and value		,			
	fo	r 20mA.					
CII TED	The engles output	t signal of a flavema	tor door mirror tha	actual flow. This			
FILTER 52	<u> </u>	t signal of a flowme d several times a se					
-		ap-shot" of the real					
		filter a stable and a	•	n be obtained			
		el can be set to a de is based on three i		er level (01_00)			
		analog value and t					
	the filter level, the	longer the respons	e time on a value c	hange will be.			
_		er levels with there					
FILTER VALUE	RESF	PONSE TIME ON STEP C		ALUE.			
	50% INFLUENCE	75% INFLUENCE	SECONDS 90% INFLUENCE	99% INFLUENCE			
01	filter disabled	filter disabled	filter disabled	filter disabled			
02	0.3 seconds	0.5 seconds	1.0 seconds	1.8 seconds			
03	0.5 seconds	1.0 seconds	1.5 seconds	3 seconds			
05	1.0 seconds 1.8 seconds 2.8 seconds 5.3 seconds						
10	1.8 seconds	3.5 seconds	5.6 seconds	11 seconds			
20	3.5 seconds	7.0 seconds	11 seconds	23 seconds			
30	5.3 seconds	10 seconds	17 seconds	34 seconds			
50	8.8 seconds	17 seconds	29 seconds	57 seconds			
75	13 seconds	26 seconds	43 seconds	86 seconds			
99	17 seconds						
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	5	- FLOW	METER (CONTI	NUED)		
CUT-OFF 53		To ignore e.g. leakage of the flow or vibration, a low-flow cut-off can be set as percentage over the full range of 16mA (or 20mA / 10V). When the analog value is less then required with this setting, the signal will be ignored.  The cut-off value can be programmed is the range 0.0 - 99.9%.  Examples:				
FUNCTION	SPAN	REQUIRED	Cut-off	REQUIRED OUTPUT		
(setup 51)	(setup 13)	CUT-OFF	(setup 53)			
interpolation	450 L/min	25 L/min	25/450 x 100%=5.5%	16mA x 5.5% + 4mA = 4.88mA		
square root	450 L/min	25 L/min	(25/450) <sup>2</sup> x 100%=0.3%	$16\text{mA} \times 0.3\% + 4\text{mA} = 4.05\text{mA}$		
TUNE MIN / 4MA 54		signal from the flowrate zero. This function  Warning before the influence.  After pressing actual "( displayed the analysignal well assignal well before the displayed the analysignal well before the displayed the analysignal well before the flow before the influence that the flow before the flow before the influence that the flow before the flow b	<ul> <li>before the calibration is executed as this function has major influences on the accuracy of the system!</li> <li>After pressing PROG, three settings can be selected:</li> <li>CALIBRATE: with this setting, the input will be calibrated with the actual "(0)4mA" value. After pressing enter, CAL SET will be displayed as soon as the calibration is completed. From that moment, the analog value must be more than the calibrated value before the signal will be processed.</li> <li>DEFAULT: with this setting, the manufactures value is re-installed.</li> </ul>			
TUNE MAX / 20MA 55		signal from the flowrate. This function  Warning before the influence.  After pressing actual "2 as soon analog to measure.  DEFAULT	the flowmeter might not be on will measure the real output; be very sure that the he calibration is executed a ses on the accuracy of the sign PROG, three settings can ATE: with this setting, the in 20mA" value. After pressing as the calibration is compleyalue must be less than the ement.	as this function has major ystem!  n be selected: nput will be calibrated with the genter, CAL SET will be displayed eted. From that moment, the calibrated value for a reliable nufactures value is re-installed.		



# 6 - ANALOG OUTPUT

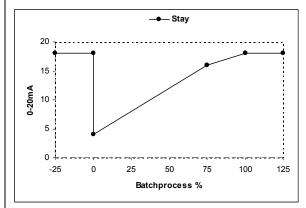
A linear 4-20mA signal (type AB: 0-20mA or type AU: 0-10V) output signal is generated to reflect the running process.

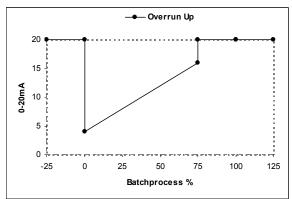
**Note:** When the analog output is not used, please make sure that setting 61 is disabled, or else the battery life time will be reduced significantly!

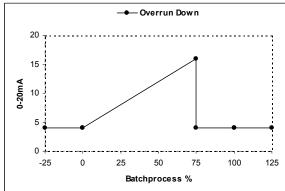
When a power supply is available but the output is disabled, a 3.5mA signal will be generated.

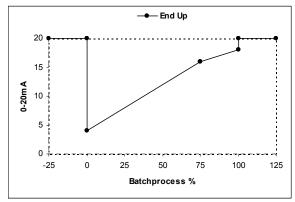
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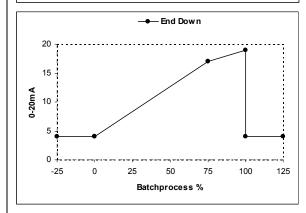
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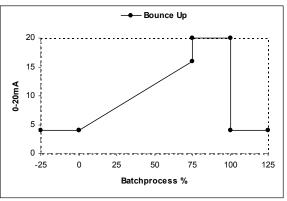


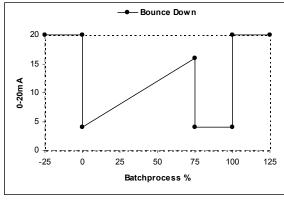










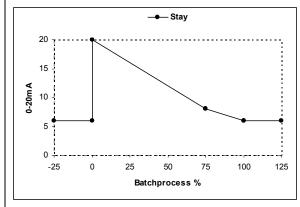


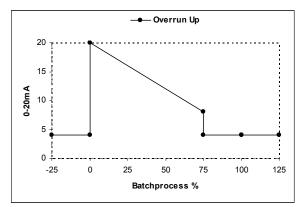
-25%: situation before a next batch start.
0%: the moment after START has been pressed.
75%: valve will be closed due to the overrun correction.
100%: end of overrun-time which is end-of-batch.
125%: situation after end-of-batch.

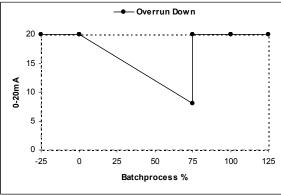
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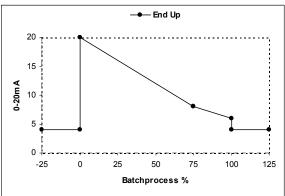
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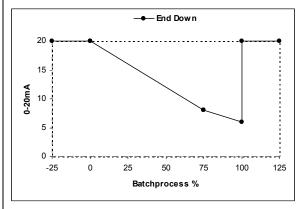
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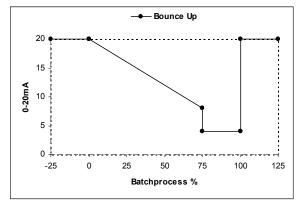


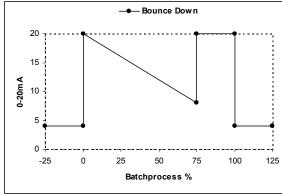












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6 - ANALOG OUTPUT (CONTINUED)				
OUTPUT 61	output is not being used, select "disable" to switch-off the converter.  For more information read par. 4.4.3  Do select increase or decrease depending on the preffered analog output signal as indicated in the above drawings.			
CONTROL 62	According to the drawings above, do select the desired control function. Following can be selected: stay - overrun up - overrun down - end up - end down - bounce up - bounce down			
TUNE MIN / 4MA 63	The initial minimum analog output value is 4mA (or 0mA / 0V). However, this value might differ slightly due to external influences such as temperature for example. The 4mA value (or 0mA / 0V) can be tuned precisely with this setting.			
	Before tuning the signal, be sure that the analog signal is not being used for any application!  After pressing PROG, the current will be about 4mA (or 0mA / 0V). The current can be increased/decreased with the arrow-keys and is directly active.			
TUNE MAX / 20MA 64	Press ENTER to store the new value.  The initial maximum analog output value is 20mA (or 10V). However, this value might differ slightly due to external influences such as temperature for example. The 20mA value (or 10V) can be tuned precisely with this setting.			
	Before tuning the signal, be sure that the analog signal is not being used for any application!			
	After pressing PROG, the current will be about 20mA. The current can be increased/decreased with the arrow-keys and is <u>directly active</u> . Press ENTER to store the new value.			





# 7 - RELAY OUTPUT



Two one open-collector outputs (Optional: mechanic relays or active outputs) are available to control relays or small valves (max. 50VDC - 300mA).

Relay 2 can also be used as pulse output according the batch total (actual) or accumulated total. Please note: if the communication option has been supplied, the pulse output functions 73, 74 and

•	75 are not available.		
	1-STEP / 2-STEP	With this setting, the function of relay is	
	71	Select "2-step" to executed batches with a two-stage valve.	
		Select "1-step" to be able to use relay 2 as pulse output relay.	
	PRECLOSE QUANTITY	According to the setting 81 - 2-step, relay two will be used to control a	
	72	valve for the batch process.	
		If the product is batched in two steps, the switch-off-moment for relay 2	
		has to be set. The switch moment is based on the remaining quantity	
		before the end of batch.	
		If the preclose quantity is set to zero, it will switch simultaneously with	
		relay 1.	
	PERIOD TIME	According to the setting 71 - 1-step, relay 2 can be used as a scaled pulse	
	PULSE OUTPUT	output.	
	70	The period time determines the time that the transister or releving he	

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The period time determines the time that the transistor or relay will be switched; in other words the pulse length. The minimum time between the pulses is as long as the period time.

One period is approx. 7.8 msec. If the value selected is "zero", the pulse output is disabled. The maximum value is 255 periods.

Note: If the frequency should go out of range - when the flowrate increases for example - an internal buffer will be used to "store the missed pulses": As soon as the flowrate reduces again, the buffer will be

It might be that pulses will be missed due to a buffer-overflow, so it is advised to program this setting within it's range

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NUMBER OF PERIODS	PERIOD TIME	MAX. FREQUENCY		
0	disabled	disabled		
1	0,0078 seconds	64 Hz.		
2	0,0156 seconds	32 Hz.		
3	0,0234 seconds	21 Hz.		
64	0,5000 seconds	1 Hz.		
255	1,9922 seconds	0.25 Hz.		

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According to the measurement unit settings for preset, a scaled pulse will be generated every X-quantity. Enter this quantity here while taking the displayed decimal position and measuring unit into account.

# **PULSE ACCORDING** ACC. TOTAL / BATCH 75

With this function, it is determined if a pulse will be generated according the quantity batched or according accumulated total. With setting "batch" the pulse generator will be set to zero when a new

batch is started up.



8 - COMMUNICATION (OPTIONAL)							
The functions described below deal with hardware that is not part of the standard delivery.  Programming of these functions does not have any effect if this hardware has not been installed.							
- ' '	the Modbus communication protocol description for a detailed explanation.						
For external control, the following communication speeds can be selected as 1200 - 2400 - 4800 - 9600 baud							
BUS ADDRESS For communication purposes, a unique identity can be attributed to ever							
82	F136-A. This address can vary from 1-255.						
MODE 83  The communication protocol is Modbus ASCII or RTU mode. Select OF to disable this communication function.							

9 - OTHERS							
TYPE OF MODEL 91	For support and maintenance it is important to have information about the characteristics of the F136-A.  Your supplier will ask for this information in the case of a serious breakdown or to assess the suitability of your model for upgrade considerations.						
VERSION SOFTWARE 92	For support and maintenance it is important to have information about the characteristics of the F136-A.  Your supplier will ask for this information in the case of a serious breakdown or to assess the suitability of your model for upgrade considerations.						
SERIAL NUMBER 93	For support and maintenance it is important to have information about the characteristics of the F136-A.  Your supplier will ask for this information in the case of a serious breakdown or to assess the suitability of your model for upgrade considerations.						
PASS CODE 94	All SETUP-values can be pass code protected.  This protection is disabled with value 0000 (zero).  Up to and including 4 digits can be programmed, for example 1234.						
TAGNUMBER 95	For identification of the unit and communication purposes, a unique tag number of maximum 7 digits can be entered.						

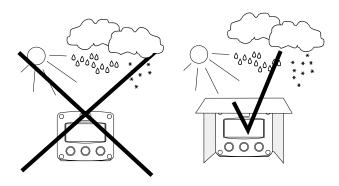
# 4. INSTALLATION



### 4.1. GENERAL DIRECTIONS

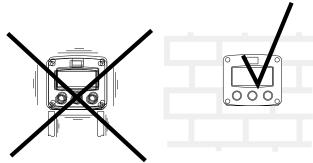
- Mounting, electrical installation, start-up and maintenance of this instrument may only be carried out by trained personnel authorized by the operator of the facility. Personnel must read and understand this Operating Manual before carrying out its instructions.
- The F136-A may only be operated by personnel who are authorized and trained by the operator of the facility. All instructions in this manual are to be observed.
- Ensure that the measuring system is correctly wired up according to the wiring diagrams. Protection against accidental contact is no longer assured when the housing cover is removed or the panel cabinet has been opened (danger from electrical shock). The housing may only be opened by trained personnel.
- Take careful notice of the "Safety rules, instructions and precautionary measures" at the front of this manual.

# 4.2. INSTALLATION / SURROUNDING CONDITIONS



Take the relevant IP classification of the casing into account (see manufactures plate). Even an IP67 (NEMA 4X) casing should NEVER be exposed to strongly varying (weather) conditions. When panel-mounted, the unit is IP65 (NEMA 4X)!

When used in very cold surroundings or varying climatic conditions, take the necessary precautions against moisture by placing a dry sachet of silica gel, for example, inside the instrument case.



Mount the F136-A on a solid structure to avoid vibrations.

# 4.3. DIMENSIONS- ENCLOSURE Aluminum enclosures:

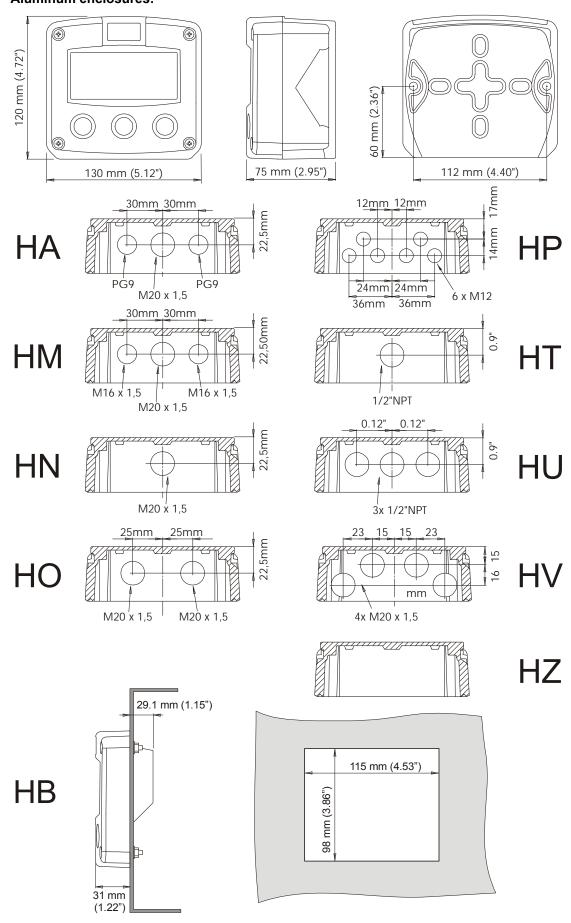


Fig. 7: Dimensions aluminum enclosures.

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# **GRP enclosures:**

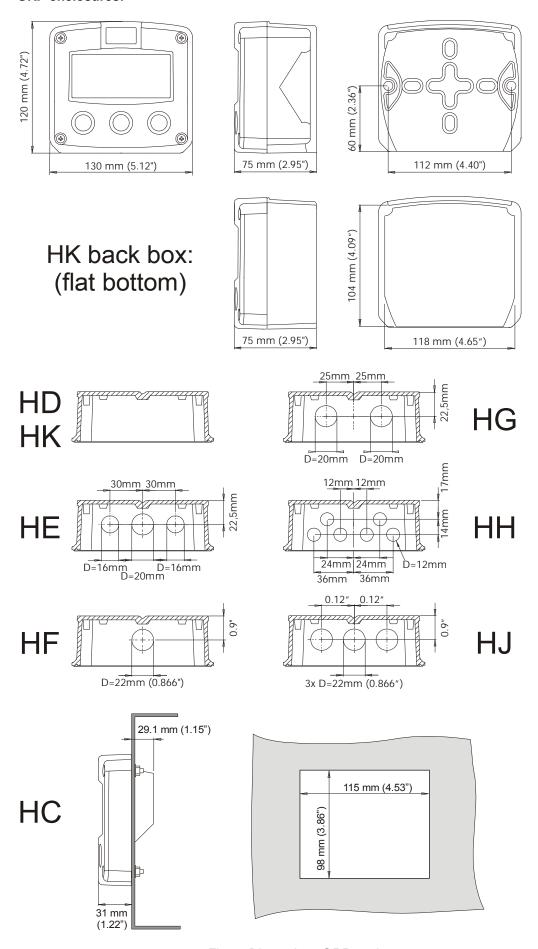


Fig. 8: Dimensions GRP enclosures. HF136AEN\_v0501\_04

### 4.4. INSTALLING THE HARDWARE



# 4.4.1. INTRODUCTION

- Electro static discharge does inflict irreparable damage to electronics! Before installing or opening the unit, the installer has to discharge himself by touching a well-grounded object.
- This unit must be installed in accordance with the EMC guidelines (Electro Magnetic Compatibility).



### **Aluminum enclosures**

- When installed in an aluminum enclosure and a potentially explosive atmosphere requiring apparatus of equipment protection level Ga and Da, the unit must be installed such that, even in the event of rare incidents, an ignition source due to impact or friction sparks between the enclosure and iron/steel is excluded.
- Do ground the aluminum enclosure properly as indicated, if the F136-A has been supplied with the 115-230V AC power-supply type PM. The green / yellow wire between the backcasing and removable terminal-block may never be removed.

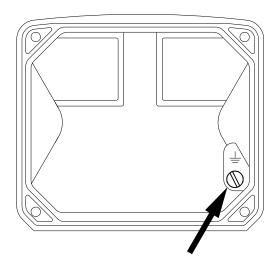


Fig. 9: Grounding aluminum enclosure with type PM 115-230V AC.

# FOR INSTALLATION, PAY EMPHATIC ATTENTION TO:

- Separate cable glands with effective IP67 (NEMA4X) seals for all wires.
- Unused cable entries: ensure that you fit IP67 (NEMA4X) plugs to maintain rating.
- A reliable ground connection for both the sensor, and if applicable, for the metal casing.
- An effective screened cable for the input signal, and grounding of its screen to terminal 9 (GND) or at the sensor itself, whichever is appropriate to the application.

# 4.4.2. VOLTAGE SELECTION SENSOR SUPPLY

For Intrinsically Safe applications: read chapter 5.

# Type PB / PC / PX (AP) - battery powered and output loop-powered applications:

Terminal 11 provides a limited supply voltage of 3.2 V DC which is not suitable to power analog sensors.

# Type PD / PF / PM: Sensor supply: 1.2 - 3.2V - 8.2V - 12V or 24 V DC:

With this option, a real power supply for the sensor is available. The flowmeter can be powered with 8.2 - 12 or 24 V DC.

Total power consumption PD: max. 50mA@24V and PF / PM: max. 400mA@24V.

The voltage is selected with the three switches inside the enclosure.



Warning: be sure that all the leads to the terminals are disconnected from the unit when the internal plastic protection cover has been removed!

HIGH VOLTAGE 400V!! NEVER connect the mains power supply to the unit when the plastic protection cover has been removed!!!

First, remove the terminal strip(s) after which the internal plastic cover can be removed. The switches are located in the top left corner (type PD) or on the right hand (type PM) as indicated:

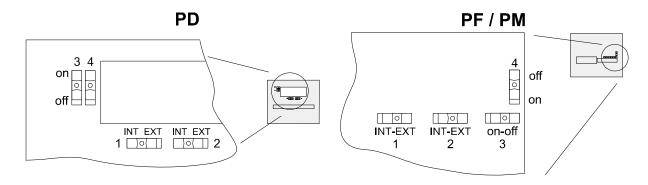


Fig. 10: switch position voltage selection (type PD / PF / PM).

# **Switch positions**

SENSOR A							
SWITCH 1	VOLTAGE						
internal	3.2 V DC						
external	switch 3+4						

SENSOR B							
SWITCH 2	VOLTAGE						

VOLTAGE SELECTION								
SWITCH 3	SWITCH 4	VOLTAGE						
on	on	8.2 V DC						
off	on	12 V DC						
on	off	12 V DC						
off	off	23 V DC						

**Function switch 1:** voltage selection sensor A - terminal 11.

**Function switch 2:** not available for this Model.

**Function switch 3+4:** the combination of these switches determine the voltage as indicated.

Do move switch 1 to the OFF position to enable the selected voltage with

switch 3+4.

# 4.4.3. TERMINAL CONNECTORS

For Intrinsically Safe applications: read chapter 5.

The following terminal connectors are available:

	OPTION VER SUF		(	STAGE or LSE	BAI		8-24 AND 4 or op	SUPPLY V DC 1-20mA otional		METER	SUPPLY					
	) / PF / I			UT R 2	OUTP			λ / 0-10V ΓΡUΤ	(0)4-2		DC		INPUT		STOP	INPUT
GND	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
丄	Ν	L1	R2 ⊥	R2	<sub>R1 ⊥</sub>	R1		+ f	$\perp$	1.1	+ ↓		START		$\perp$	STOP

Fig. 11: Overview of terminal connectors standard configuration F136-A and options.

# **REMARKS: TERMINAL CONNECTORS:**

Power Supply: Terminal GND- 01- 02 only available with type PD / PF or PM:

	Туре	SENSOR SUPPLY		kliaht	PE AA	PE AU	pe OA	e OR				
			GND	01	02	bac	TYF	TYF	Tvr	Tvp		
PD	8-24V AC	8,2-12-24V max. 50mA		AC	AC	$\Diamond$	$\Diamond$	$\Diamond$	$\Diamond$			
PD	8-30V DC	8,2-12-24V max. 50mA	Ŀ	L+		$\Diamond$	$\Diamond$	$\Diamond$	$\Diamond$			
PF	24V AC ± 15%	8,2-12-24V max. 400mA		AC	AC	$\Diamond$	$\Diamond$	$\Diamond$		$\Diamond$		
PF	24V DC ± 15%	8,2-12-24V max. 400mA	L-	L+		$\Diamond$	$\Diamond$	$\Diamond$		$\Diamond$		
PM	115-230V AC ± 15%	8,2-12-24V max. 400mA	EARTH	AC	AC	$\Diamond$	$\Diamond$	$\Diamond$	$\Diamond$	$\Diamond$		
	Note PD	do not use a AC autotransformer (Spartrafo) without a galvanic isolation.										
	Note PF / PM	The total consumption of the	The total consumption of the sensors and outputs may not exceed 400mA@24V									

♦=option

For Intrinsically Safe applications: read chapter 5.

# Terminal 03-04; transistor or relay output R2:

This output is available to drive a low-power device (e.g. relays) to control the batch process. Relay 1 is switched-on during the whole process while relay 2 can be used for two-step control or as pulse output. In case of a pulse output function: the maximum pulse frequency of this output is 60Hz. *Please note: if the communication option has been supplied, the pulse output is not available.* 



# Terminal 03-04; control or pulse output R2:

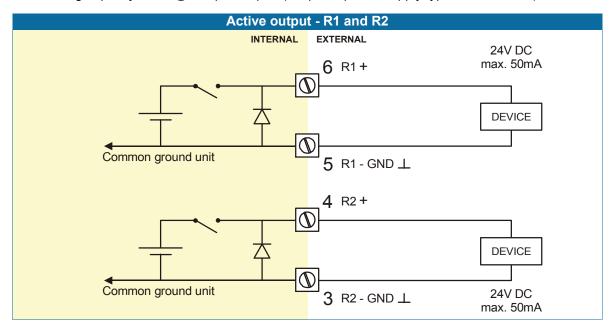
This output is available to control the batch process for two-step control or as pulse output. In case of a pulse output function: the maximum pulse frequency of this output is 60Hz.

# Terminal 05-06; control output R1:

This output is available to control the batch process. Relay 1 is switched-on during the whole batch process.

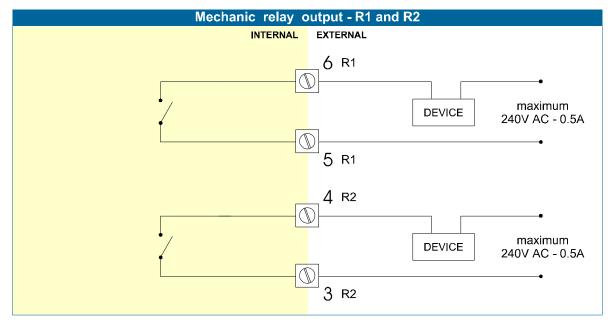
# Type OA: :

An <u>active 24V DC signal</u> according to the functions R1 and R2 is available with this option. Max. driving capacity 50mA@24V per output. (Requires power supply type PD / PF / PM).



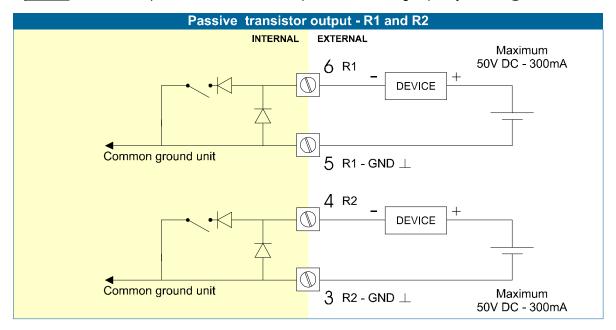
# Type OR: :

A <u>mechanical relay output</u> according the functions R1 and R2 is available with this option. Max. switch power 240V-0,5A per output. (Requires power supply type PF / PM).



Type OT:

A passive transistor output is available with this option. Max. driving capacity 300mA@50V DC.

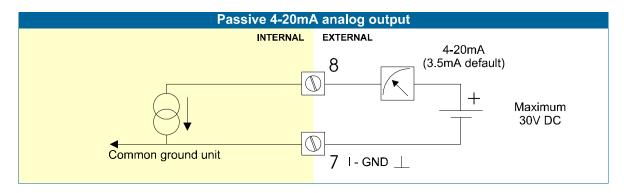


# Terminal 07-08; basic POWER SUPPLY - type PX - output loop powered

Connect an external power supply of 8-30VDC to these terminals; the "-" to terminal 7 and the "+" to terminal 8. When power is applied to these terminals, the (optional) internal battery will be disabled / enabled automatically to extend the battery life time.

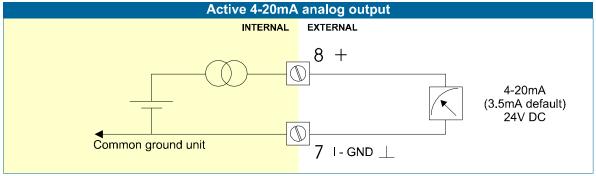
# Terminal 07-08 analog output (passive) (SETUP 6) :

A 4-20mA current-sinking signal proportional to the flowrate is available as standard. A DC power supply should be connected to terminal 07 and 08, the current is then regulated by unit. This DC supply is also used to power the unit (output loop-powered). When a power supply is connected but the output is disabled, a 3.5mA signal will be generated. Max. driving capacity 1000 Ohm.



# **Option AA:**

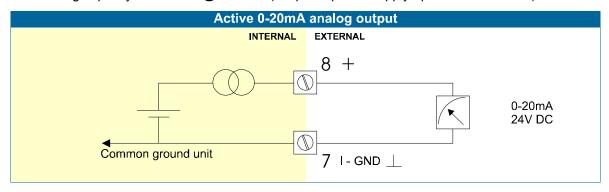
An <u>active 4-20mA signal</u> proportional to the flowrate is available with this option. When the output is disabled, a 3.5mA signal will be generated on these terminals. Max. driving capacity 1000 Ohm @ 24VDC. (Requires power supply option PD / PF / PM).



# **Option AB:**

An <u>active 0-20mA signal</u> proportional to the flowrate is available with this option.

Max. driving capacity 1000 Ohm @ 24VDC. (Requires power supply option PD / PF / PM).



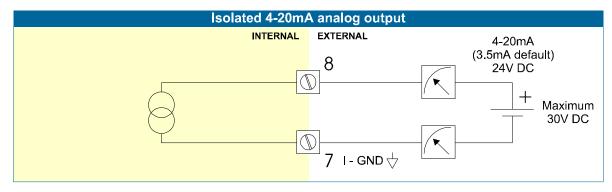
# **Option AF:**

For the Intrinsically Safe floating 4-20mA signal: please read Chapter 5.

# **Option AI:**

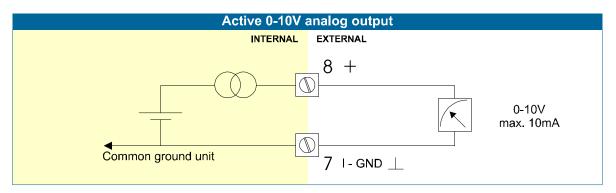
An <u>isolated 4-20mA signal</u> proportional to the flowrate is available with this option. When the output is disabled, a 3.5mA signal will be generated on these terminals. Max. driving capacity 1000 Ohm @ 30VDC.

This option can be battery powered but the life time of the battery is about 2 -3 years.



# **Option AU:**

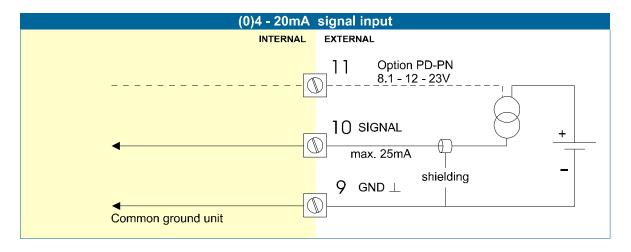
A <u>0-10VDC signal</u> proportional to the flowrate is available with this option. Max. load 10mA @ 10VDC. (Requires power supply option PD / PF / PM).



# Terminal 09-11: Type A – Flowmeter input (general)

The F136-A requires a (0)4-20mA flowmeter signal which will be processed 4 times a second with a 14 bits accuracy. The input is not isolated.

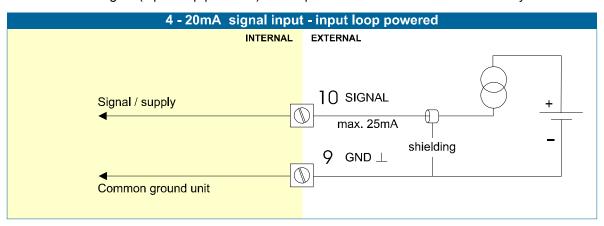
For Intrinsically safe applications (without input loop power): please read chapter 5.



# Terminal 09-10: Type A-PL – Flowmeter input / power supply:

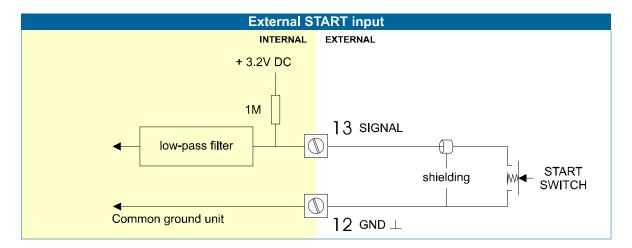
The F136-A-PL requires a 4-20mA flowmeter signal which has a double function:

The signal will be processed 4 times a second with a 14 bits accuracy and the unit will be powered from the sensor signal (input loop powered). The input is not isolated and not intrinsically safe.



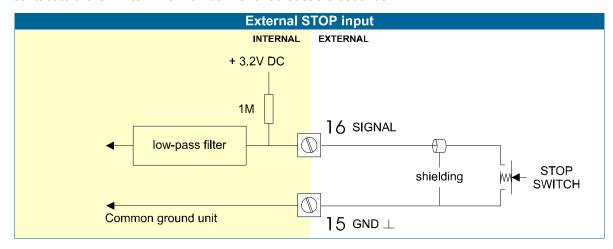
# Terminal 12-13; external START:

With this function, the batch controller can be started with an external switch. The input must be switched with a potential free contact to the GND-terminal number 12 for at least 0.3 seconds.



### Terminal 15-16; external STOP:

With this function, the batch controller can be interrupted or cancelled with an external switch. The input must be switched once for interruption or switch twice for cancellation with a potential free contact to the GND-terminal number 15 for at least 0.3 seconds.



# Terminal 26 - 31: type CB / CH / CI / CT - communication RS232 / RS485 / TTL: see the manufacturer's plate.

- Full serial communications and computer control in accordance with RS232 (length of cable max. 15 meters) or RS485 (length of cable max. 1200 meters) is possible.
- Read the Modbus communication protocol and Appendix C.

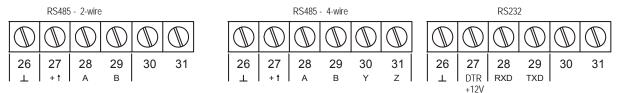


Fig. 12: Overview terminal connectors communication option.

When using the RS232 communication option, terminal 27 is used for supplying the interface. Please connect the DTR (or the RTS) signal of the interface to this terminal and set it active (+12V). If no active signal is available it is possible to connect a separate supply between terminals 26 and 27 with a voltage between 8V and 24V.

### Terminal 26-31: backlight option - type ZB:

Note: if the unit is supplied with a power supply type PD, PF or PM, the backlight supply is integrated, so the text following is not applicable.

To power the backlight, provide a 12-24V DC to terminal 26 (-) and 27 (+). An external trimmer 1kOhm trimmer can be used to tune the brightness of the backlight, or if not desired, a short-cut between these terminals have to be made which will result in the maximum brightness. Note: Intrinsically Safe as well as 4-wire RS485 communication is not possible in combination with option ZB.

### Option type ZB: adjustable backlight

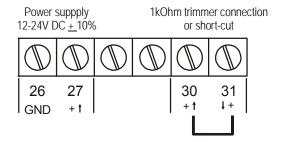


Fig. 13: Overview terminal connectors backlight option.

# 5. INTRINSICALLY SAFE APPLICATIONS

### 5.1. GENERAL INFORMATION AND INSTRUCTIONS



#### **Cautions**

- Mounting, electrical installation, start-up and maintenance of this device may only be carried out by trained personnel authorized by the operator of the facility. Personnel must read and understand this Operating Manual before carrying out its instructions.
- This device may only be operated by personnel who are authorized and trained by the operator
  of the facility. All instructions in this manual are to be observed.
- Ensure that the measuring system is correctly wired up according to the wiring diagrams.
   Protection against accidental contact is no longer assured when the housing cover is removed or the cabinet has been opened (danger of electric shock). The housing may only be opened by trained personnel.
- To maintain the degree of protection of at least IP65 in accordance with IEC 60529, certified cable entries in accordance with IEC 61241-0 must be used and correctly installed. Unused openings must be closed with suitable blanking elements.
- When the enclosure of the Indicator is made of aluminum alloy, when used in a potentially explosive atmosphere requiring apparatus of equipment protection level Ga and Da, the unit must be installed such that, even in the event of rare incidents, an ignition source due to impact or friction sparks between the enclosure and iron/steel is excluded.
- Take careful notice of the "Safety rules, instructions and precautionary measures" in the front
  of this manual.



### **Safety Instructions**

- When two or more active intrinsically safe circuits are connected to the indicator, in order to prevent voltage and/or current addition, applicable to the external circuits, precautions must be taken to separate the intrinsically safe circuits in accordance with IEC 60079-11.
- For the combined connection of the different supply, input and output circuits, the instructions in this manual must be observed.
- From the safety point of view the circuits shall be considered to be connected to earth.
- For installation under ATEX directive: this intrinsically safe device must be installed in accordance with the Atex directive 94/9/EC and the product certificate KEMA 03ATEX1074 X.
- For installation under IECEx scheme: this intrinsically safe device must be installed in accordance the product certificate IECEx DEK 11.0042X.
- Exchange of Intrinsically Safe battery FWLiBAT-0xx with certificate number KEMA 03ATEX1071 U or IECEx KEM 08.0005U is allowed in Hazardous Area. See paragraph 5.4. for detailed battery replacement instructions.



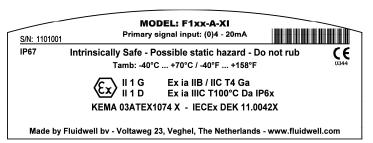
### **Please Note**

- Certificates, safety values and declaration of compliance can be found in the document named:
   "Fluidwell F1..-.-XI Documentation for Intrinsic Safety".
- Special conditions for safe use mentioned in both the certificate and the installation instructions must be observed for the connection of power to both input and / or output circuits.
- When installing this device in hazardous areas, the wiring and installation must comply with the appropriate installation standards for your industry.
- Study the following pages with wiring diagrams per classification.

# Label information (inside and outside the enclosure)

Indicated labels on the back cover (below) and on the inside cover (right) show the type labels for intrinsically safe certified units.

For details on usage see the separate "Fluidwell F1..-..-XI Documentation for Intrinsic Safety".





# Serial number and year of production

This information can be looked-up on the display: See setup function (par. 3.2.2.) for details.



### 5.2. TERMINAL CONNECTORS INTRINSICALLY SAFE APPLICATIONS



The unit is classified as group IIB/IIIC by default.

Classification of the unit as group IIC is only possible under the following conditions:

- The indicator is either supplied by
  - the internal supply (option -PC); or
  - the external supply connected to terminals 0 and 1 (option -PD); or
  - the circuit supply connected to terminals 7 and 8 (option -AP);

The maximum values for any of those circuits are those as defined for group IIB/IIIC;

No other active external intrinsically safe circuits may be connected to the indicator, with exception of circuits connected to terminals 3 and 4 and/or terminals 5 and 6; the maximum values for any of those circuits are those as defined for group IIB/IIIC

# **Explanation Intrinsically Safe options:**

### **Terminal connectors F136-A-XI:**

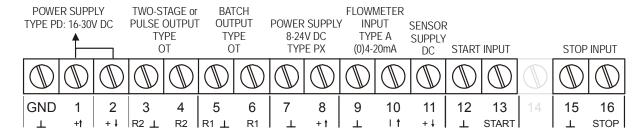


Fig. 14: Overview terminal connectors XI - Intrinsically Safe applications.

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# **Explanation Intrinsically Safe options:**

# Type AF - Intrinsically Safe floating 4-20mA analog output:

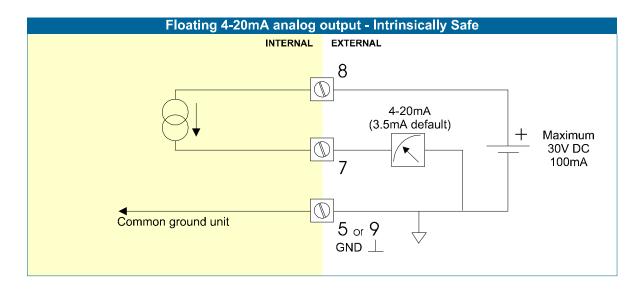
A <u>floating 4-20mA signal</u> proportional to the flowrate is available with this option.

When the output is disabled, a 3.5mA signal will be generated.

Max. driving capacity 1000 Ohm @ 30VDC.



Note! It is required to link the minus from the analog output - terminal 7 - with a ground terminal of the unit, e.g. terminal 5 or 9. Please check the drawings following.



Type PD-XI - Intrinsically Safe power supply and sensor supply - Terminal GND- 01 and 11.

	Typf	SENSOR SUPPLY	Terminal					
		(TERMINAL 11 AND 14)	GND	01	02			
PD-XI	Input voltage: 8-30V DC	= input voltage	L-	L+	output voltage is according the input voltage; internally linked with terminal 01.			

Terminal 02 and 11: these terminals offer the same voltage as connected to terminal 01.

#### 5.3. CONFIGURATION EXAMPLES INTRINSICALLY SAFE APPLICATIONS

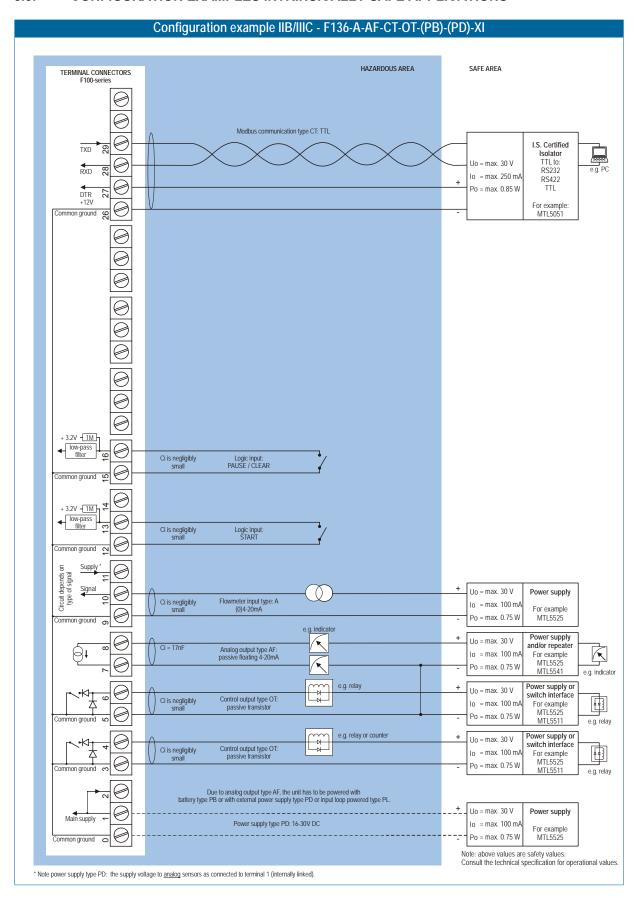


Fig. 15: Configuration example 1 Intrinsically Safe.

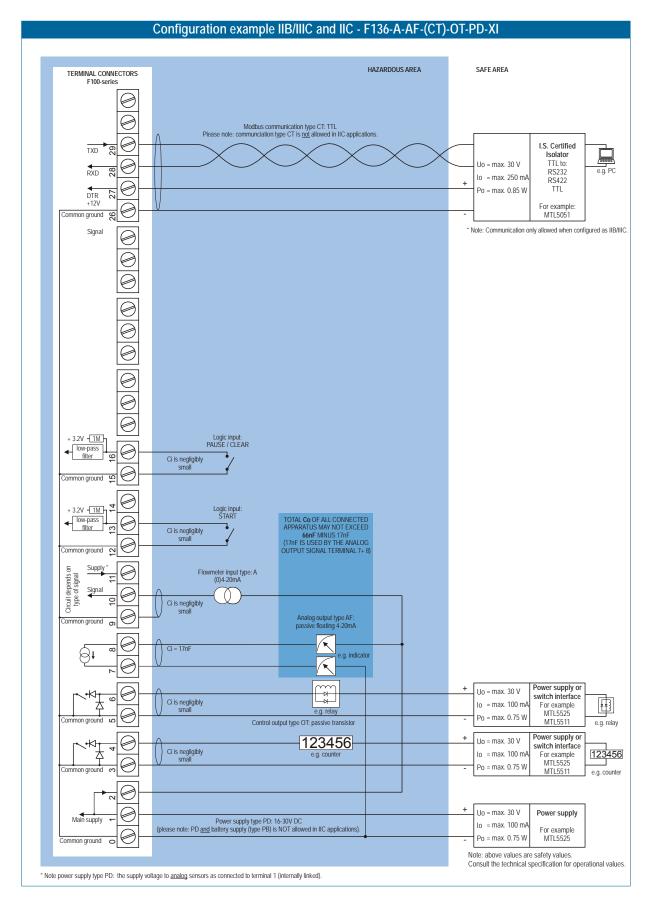


Fig. 16: Configuration example 2 Intrinsically Safe.

#### 5.4 BATTERY REPLACEMENT INSTRUCTIONS



#### **Safety Instructions**

- Fire, explosion or severe burns may result if mistreated. Do not recharge, crush, disassemble, incinerate, heat above 100°C (212°F) or expose contents to water.
- Mounting, electrical installation, start-up and maintenance of this device may only be carried out by trained personnel authorized by the plant operator. Personnel must read and understand this instruction before carrying out the replacement procedure.
- Always follow the instructions listed in the supplied Battery Replacement Instruction Sheet.
- Batteries pose an environmental hazard. Return used batteries to a recycling point.



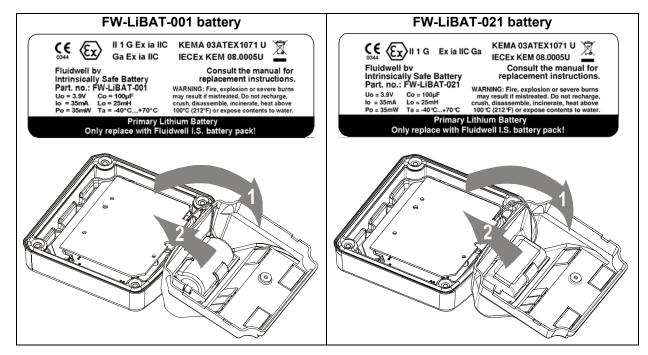
#### Safety instructions for hazardous areas

- Verify the correct battery is supplied: Only batteries with indicated Ex label are certified for replacement and use in hazardous areas. Batteries for use in safe areas have no Ex label. DO NOT EXCHANGE: Using the wrong type of battery can pose a SERIOUS RISK.
- For use in hazardous areas Fluidwell recommends FW-LiBAT type batteries (manufactured by Fluidwell bv) only.

#### **Battery replacement procedure**



Depending on the production batch, one of two visualized Intrinsically Safe certified battery types may have been installed in the unit. They are interchangeable.



- 1. To replace the battery, open the unit to gain access to the back inside cover of the unit
- 2. Unplug the field connectors from the back inside of the unit.
- 3. Remove the screw that holds the plastic inside cover.
- 4. Open the cover and unplug the battery connector.
- 5. Remove the battery from the inside of the plastic cover. Do not remove the battery clip!
- 6. Install the new battery and re-assemble the unit in reverse order.
- 7. Start-up the unit

#### 6. MAINTENANCE

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#### 6.1. GENERAL DIRECTIONS

- Mounting, electrical installation, start-up and maintenance of the instrument may only be carried out by trained personnel authorized by the operator of the facility. Personnel must read and understand this Operating Manual before carrying out its instructions.
- The F136-A may only be operated by personnel who are authorized and trained by the operator of the facility. All instructions in this manual are to be observed.
- Ensure that the measuring system is correctly wired up according to the wiring diagrams.
   Protection against accidental contact is no longer assured when the housing cover is removed or the panel cabinet has been opened (danger from electrical shock). The housing may only be opened by trained personnel.
- Take careful notice of the "Safety rules, instructions and precautionary measures" in the front of this manual.

The F136-A does not require special maintenance unless it is used in low-temperature applications or surroundings with high humidity (above 90% annual mean). It is the users responsibility to take all precautions to dehumidify the internal atmosphere of the F136-A in such a way that no condensation will occur, for example by placing dry silica-gel sachet in the casing just before closing it. Furthermore, it is required to replace or dry the silica gel periodically as advised by the silica gel supplier.

#### **Battery life-time:**

It is influenced by several issues:

- Analog output signal; be sure that an external power supply is connected or that the function is disabled if not in use; or else it will have a major influence on the battery life-time (SETUP 61).
- Display update: fast display update uses significantly more power; SETUP 41.
- Pulse output and communications .
- Low temperatures; the available power will be less due to battery chemistry.



Note: It is strongly advised to disable unused functions.

#### Check periodically:

- The condition of the casing, cable glands and front panel.
- The input/output wiring for reliability and aging symptoms.
- The process accuracy. As a result of wear and tear, re-calibration of the flowmeter might be necessary. Do not forget to re-enter any subsequent Span alterations.
- The indication for low-battery.
- Clean the casing with soapy-water. Do not use any aggressive solvents as these might damage the polyester coating.

# APPENDIX A: TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION

## GENERAL

Display	
Туре	High intensity reflective numeric and alphanumeric LCD, UV-resistant.
Digits	Seven 17mm (0.67") and eleven 8mm (0.31"). Various symbols and measuring units.
Refresh rate	User definable: 8 times/sec - 30 secs.
Type ZB	Transflective LCD with green LED backlight. Good readings in full sunlight and darkness.
	Note: only available for safe area applications.
	Power requirements: 12-24V DC + 10% or type PD, PF, PM. Power consumption max. 1 Watt.

Enclosures	
General	Die-cast aluminum or GRP (Glassfibre Reinforced Polyamide) enclosure with Polycarbonate
	window, silicone and EPDM gaskets. UV stabilized and flame retardant material.
Control Keys	Three industrial micro-switch keys. UV-stabilized silicone keypad.
Painting	Aluminum enclosure only: UV-resistant 2-component industrial painting.
Panel-mount enclosures	Dimensions: 130 x 120 x 60mm (5.10" x 4.72" x 2.38") – LxHxD.
Classification	IP65 / NEMA4X
Panel cut-out	115 x 98mm (4.53" x 3.86") LxH.
Type HC	GRP panel-mount enclosure
Type HB	Aluminum panel-mount enclosure
Field/wall-mount enclosures	Dimensions: 130 x 120 x 75mm (5.10" x 4.72" x 2.95") – LxHxD.
Classification	IP67 / NEMA4X
Aluminum enclosures	
Type HA	Drilling: 2x PG9 – 1x M20.
	Drilling: 2x M16 – 1x M20.
Type HN	Drilling: 1x M20.
Type HO	Drilling: 2x M20.
Type HP	Drilling: 6x M12.
	Drilling: 1x ½"NPT.
31	Drilling: 3x ½"NPT.
Type HZ	No drilling.
GRP enclosures	
	No drilling.
	Drilling: 2x 16mm (0.63") – 1x 20mm (0.78").
	Drilling: 1x 22mm (0.87").
	Drilling: 2x 20mm (0.78").
	Drilling: 6x 12mm (0.47").
Option ZS	Silicone free ABS enclosure with EPDM and PE gaskets. UV-resistant polyester keypad.
	Note: this option comes with type HD only.

Operating temperature	
Operational	-40°C to +80°C (-40°F to +176°F)
Intrinsically Safe	-40°C to +70°C (-40°F to +158°F)

Power supply	
Type PB	Lithium battery - life-time depends upon settings - up to 5 years.
Type PC	Intrinsically Safe lithium battery - life-time depends upon settings - up to 5 years.
Type PD	8-24V AC / DC <u>+</u> 10%. Power consumption max. 10 Watt.
	Intrinsically safe: 16-30V DC; power consumption max. 0.75 Watt.
Type PF	24V AC / DC <u>+</u> 10%. Power consumption max. 15 Watt.
Type PL	Input loop powered from sensor signal 4-20mA (type A, non IS).
Type PM	115-230V AC <u>+</u> 10%. Power consumption max. 15 Watt.
Type PX	Output loop powered: 8-30V DC. Power consumption max. 0.5 Watt.
Note PF / PM	The total consumption of the sensors, backlight and outputs may not exceed 400mA@24V.
Note I.S. applications	For intrinsically safe applications, consult the safety values in the certificate.

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Sensor excitation	
Type PB / PC / PX	3.2V DC for pulse signals and 1.2V DC for coil pick-up.
	Note: This is not a real sensor supply. Only suitable for pulse sensors with a very low power
	consumption like coils (sine wave) and reed-switches.
Type PD	1.2 - 3.2 - 8.2 - 12 and 24V DC - max. 50mA@24V DC
Type PD-XI	Intrinsically safe: Pulse signals: 1.2 - 3.2 - 8.2 - max. 7mA@8.2V DC.
	Analog signals: the sensor supply voltage is according to the power supply voltage connected
	to terminal 1. Also terminal 2 offers the same voltage.
Type PF / PM	1.2 - 3.2 - 8.2 - 12 and 24V DC - max. 400mA@24V DC.

Terminal connections	
Type:	Removable plug-in terminal strip. Wire max. 1.5mm2 and 2.5mm2 (Type PM / PF)

Data protection	
Туре	EEPROM backup of all setting. Backup of running totals every minute.
	Data retention at least 10 years.
Pass code	Configuration settings can be pass code protected.

Hazardous area (option)	
Intrinsically safe	ATEX approval:
Type XI	II 1 G Ex ia IIB/IIC T4 Ga
ş.	II 1 D Ex ia IIIC T100°C Da IP6x
	IECEx approval:
	Ex ia IIB/IIC T4 Ga
	Ex ia IIIC T100°C Da IP6x
Explosion proof	ATEX approval ref.: <ex> II 2 GD EEx d IIB T5. Weight appr. 15kg.</ex>
Type XD/XF	Dimensions of enclosure: 350 x 250 x 200mm (13.7" x 9.9" x 7.9") LxHxD.

Environment	
Electromagnetic	Compliant ref: EN 61326 (1997), EN 61010-1 (1993).
compatibility	

# INPUTS

Flowmeter	
Type P	Coil/sine wave (minimum 20mVpp or 80mVpp - sensitivity selectable), NPN/PNP, open
	collector, reed-switch, Namur, active pulse signals 8 - 12 and 24V.
Frequency	Minimum 0 Hz - maximum 7 kHz for total and flowrate.
	Maximum frequency depends on signal type and internal low-pass filter.
	E.g. Reed switch with low-pass filter: max. frequency 120 Hz.
K-Factor	0.000010 - 9,999,999 with variable decimal position.
Low-pass filter	Available for all pulse signals.
Type A	(0)4-20mA - with signal calibration feature. Resolution: 14 bit.
Type U	0-10 V, 0-5 V, 1-5 V - with signal calibration feature. Resolution: 14 bit.
Accuracy	0.05%. Low level cut-off programmable.
Span	0.000010 - 9,999,999 with variable decimal position.
Update time	Four times a second.
Voltage drop	2.5 Volt.
Load impedance	3kOhm
Relationship	Linear and square root calculation.
Note	For signal type A and U: external power to sensor is required; e.g. type PD.
No-flow monitoring	This function is available to detect a failing flowmeter signal during the batch process.

## OUTPUTS

Analog output	
Function	transmitting course of the batch process.
Accuracy	10 bit. Error < 0.05% - update 10 times a second.
	Software function to calibrate the 4.00mA and 20.00mA levels precisely within set-up.
Load	max. 1 kOhm
Type AA	Active 4-20mA output (requires Type PD, PF or PM).
Type AB	Active 0-20mA output (requires Type PD, PF or PM).
Type AF	Floating 4-20mA output for Intrinsically Safe applications
Type AI	Galvanically isolated output - also for battery powered models.
Type AP	Passive 4-20mA output - output loop powered (type PX)
Type AU	Active 0-10V output (requires Type PD, PF or PM).

Control outputs	
Function	User defined: batch process two stage control or scaled pulse output acc. batch or acc. total.
Pulse output	Max. frequency 60Hz. Pulse length user definable between 7,8msec up to 2 seconds.
Type OA	Two active 24V DC transistor outputs; max. 50mA per output (requires type AA + PD, PF or
	PM).
Type OR	Two mechanic relay outputs; max. switch power 230V AC - 0,5A (requires type PD or PM).
Type OT	Two passive transistor outputs - not isolated. Load max. 50V DC - 300mA.

Communication option	
Functions	reading display information, reading / writing all settings. Start / stop the batch process.
Protocol	Modbus ASCII or RTU
Speed	1200 - 2400 - 4800 - 9600 baud
Addressing	maximum 255 addresses.
Type CB	RS232
Type CH	RS485 2-wire
Type CI	RS485 4-wire
Type CT	TTL Intrinsically Safe communication.
Type CX	no communication.

# OPERATIONAL

Operator functions	
Functions	enter a preset value,
	start / interrupt and stop the batch process,
	total can be reset to zero.
Displayed information	preset value
	running batch total or remaining quantity,
	total and accumulated total.

Preset / Total	
Digits	7 digits.
Units	L, m3, GAL, USGAL, KG, lb, bbl, no unit.
Decimals	0 - 1 - 2 or 3.
Note	total can be reset to zero.

Accumulated total	
Digits	11 digits.
Units / decimals	according to selection for total.

#### APPENDIX B: PROBLEM SOLVING

In this appendix, several problems are included that can occur when the F136-A is going to be installed or while it is in operation.

#### Flowmeter does not work properly

#### Check:

- Settings for span SETUP 13 14
- Did you re-calibrate the 4-20mA input in a proper way? You can remove the re-calibration with the default setting. SETUP 55-56
- Flowmeter, wiring and connection of terminal connectors (par. 4.4.4.),
- Power supply of flowmeter (par. 4.4.4.).

#### Overrun correction does not function properly

#### Check:

- SETUP 21 disable/enable; is the function enabled?
- SETUP 22 overrun time; is this time long enough to measure the real overrun quantity?

#### Analog output does not function properly:

#### Check:

- SETUP 61 is the function enabled?
- SETUP 62 / 63: are the flow-levels programmed correctly?
- connection of the external power-supply according to the specification.

#### Pulse output does not function:

#### Check:

- SETUP 71 pulse per "x" quantity; is the value programmed reasonable and will the maximum output be under 20Hz?
- SETUP 72 impulse width; is the external device able to recognize the selected pulse width and frequency?

#### The pass code is unknown:

If the pass code is not 1234, there is only one possibility left: call your supplier.

#### **ALARM**

When the alarm flag starts to blink an internal alarm condition has occurred. Press the "select button" several times to display the 5-digit error code. The codes are:

0001: irrecoverable display-data error: data on the display might be corrupted.

0002: irrecoverable data-storage error: the programming cycle might have gone wrong: check programmed values.

0003: error 1 and error 2 occurred simultaneously

The alarm condition will almost certainly be handled internally and if all mentioned values still appear correct, no intervention by the operator is needed. If the alarm occurs more often or stays active for a longer time, please contact your supplier.

### **APPENDIX C: COMMUNICATION VARIABLES**

#### Remarks:

- Below, an overview of the F136-A specific variables; other common variables are described in the standard table.
- All numbers are <u>decimal numbers</u>, unless otherwise noted.
- The following variables of the standard table (var00-var30) are not valid for this product and will be responded with value 1: var00, 03-05, 07,08, 16-22, 24, 26-29.

	CONFIGURATION VARIABLES F136-A - SETUP-LEVEL:					
VAR	DESCRIPTION	BYTES	VALUE	REMARKS		
PRESE	T / TOTAL					
32 (20h)	unit	1	0=L 1=m3 2=kg 3=lb 4=gal 5=usgal 6=bbl 7=none			
33 (21h)	decimals	1	03			
34 (22h)	span	3	19.999.999	S 0000001 up to S 0000009 is allowed when decs < 6! (VAR37)		
37 (25h)	decimals Span	1	06			
218 DAh	batch maximum	3	0-9,999,999	decimals: see 33 (21h)		
OVERF	RUN					
192 (C0h)	overrun time	2	19,999	steps of 0.1 second		
194 (C2h)	disable/enable overrun	1	0=disable 1=enable			
DISPLA	ΔV					
195 (C3h)	increase / decrease	1	0=decrease 1=increase			
POWE	RMANAGEMENT					
80 (50h)	LCD update time	1	0=fast 1=1sec 2=3sec 3=15sec 4=30sec 5=off			
81 (51h)	power-mode battery	1	0=operational 1=shelf			
FLOW	METER					
98 (62h)	formula	1	0=linear 1=square root			
99 (63h)	filter	1	099			
100 (64h)	cut-off	2	0999	steps of 0.1%		
102 (66h)	calibration low (4mA)	1	0=default 1=calibrate 2=cal set			
103 (67h)	calibration high (20mA)	1	0=default 1=calibrate 2=cal set			

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VAR	DESCRIPTION	BYTES	VALUE	REMARKS
ANALO	OG OUTPUT	1	1	1
112 (70h)	analog output	1	0=disable 1=enable	
120 (78h)	tune minimum rate	2	09999	
122 (7Ah)	tune maximum rate	2	09999	
99 (63h)	filter	1	099	
RELAY	'S			
196 (C4h)	1-step / 2-step	1	0=1-step 1=2-step	
197 (C5h)	preclose quantity	3	0-9,999,999	decimals: see 33 (21h)
128 (80h)	impulse width	1	0=off 1=short 2=long	
129 (81h)	pulse per X quantity	3	19999999	unit, decimals acc. var32 -33
OTHER	RS			
168 (A8h)	pass code	2	XXXX	read only!
170 AAh	tagnumber	3	09999999	Other vars: see standard table
BATCH	I MODE			
223 DFh	batch mode	1	1 = Batch running 2 = Batch pausing 4 = Batch finished 8 = Batch in overruntime	read only
BATCH	I KEYLOCK			
154 9Ah	Batch keylock	2	Range: 0000hFFFFh	steps of 0.1 second
BATCH	I KEYLOCK MASK			
156 9Ch	Batch Keylock mask keys set are not detected	1	Key 1: 0x01 Key 2: 0x02 Key 3: 0x04	bitfield
BATCH	COMMAND			
157 9Dh	Batch Command Read out returns last executed command entered through communication	1	Commands: 1 = Start 2 = Pause 3 = Stop 4 = Release	Before a new batch can be initiated through communication, the release command must be send. This way, when combined with the Keylock, overwriting of batch information (total/preset) data can be prevented.
PRESE	T			
200 (C8h)	preset quantity	3	0-9,999,999	decimals: see 33 (21h)

#### OTHER F136-A VARIABLES FOR COMMUNICATION

#### ACTUAL - variable number 208 (DOh) - 6 bytes

Read actual: The value of actual read using communication might differ from the value that

appears on the display. This is due to the fact that the display can only display up to seven digits (e.g. when two decimals are selected for "preset" and actual has a value of 123456,78 the display will show 23456,78 while communication will read an

"actual" of 12345678 and a "actual decimals" of 2).

TOTAL - variable number 566 (236h) - 6 bytes

Read total: The value of total read using RS communications might differ from the value that

appears on the display. This is due to the fact that the display can only display up to seven digits (for example when two decimals are selected for total and total has a value of 123456,78 the display will show 23456,78 while communication will read a

"total" of 12345678 and a "total decimals" of 2).

Write total: total can only be cleared. This means writing a value different from 0 will result in

the reply of an error message. Only writing 6 bytes of zero's to total will be

accepted.

ACCUMULATED TOTAL - variable number 560 (230h) - 6 bytes

Read acc. total: A difference between the read value and the display value, as explained for

"Read total", might appear here too.

Write acc. total: Not possible.

When reading or writing total or accumulated total it should be noted that the used values are given including the decimals. This means that a read/write to one of these variables should be accompanied with a read/write to the variable that holds the number of decimals for this variable:

#### Example: read var. 566 for total:

Read var. 33 for total decimals and calculate the real value of total by multiplying total with 10<sup>-(total decimals)</sup>

FLOWRATE - variable number 572 (23Ch) - 4 bytes

Read flowrate: The value difference as mentioned with total/acc. total might appear here

too.

Write flowrate: Not possible.

LIST OF CONFIGURATION SETTINGS						
SETTING	DEFAULT	DATE:	DATE:			
1 - PRESET		Enter your settings here				
11 unit	L					
12 decimals	0000000					
13 span	0000001 unit/sec	unit/sec	unit/sec			
14 decimals span	0					
15 max. batch size	0					
2 - OVERRUN						
21 overrun	disabled					
22 overrun quantity	0 L					
3 - DISPLAY						
31 display	increase					
4 - POWER MANAGEMENT	1	<u> </u>				
41 LCD-new	1 sec.					
42 mode	operational					
5 - FLOWMETER						
51 formula	interpolation					
52 filter	01 (off)					
53 cut-off %	00.0%					
54 calibrat. low-(0)4mA	default					
55 calibrat. high-20mA	default					
6 - ANALOG OUTPUT						
61 output	disabled					
62 control	stay					
63 tune min - 4mA	0208					
64 tune max - 20mA	6656					
7 - RELAY OUTPUT						
71 relays	1-step					
72 preclose quantity	0					
74 impulse width	010 periods					
75 pulse per	0001000					
76 pulse according	batch					
8 - COMMUNICATION		<u>-</u>				
81 baud-rate	2400					
82 address	1					
83 mode	BUS-ASC					
9 - OTHERS		1				
94 pass code	0000					
95 tagnumber	0000000					