

Quick Start Manual



Read the user's manual carefully before starting to use the unit. Producer reserves the right to implement changes without prior notice.

Clamp-On Ultrasonic Flow Meter Sensor



Safety Information

- De-pressurize and vent system prior to installation or removal
- Confirm chemical compatibility before use
- DO NOT exceed maximum temperature or pressure specifications
- ALWAYS wear safety goggles or face-shield during installation and/or service
- **DO NOT** alter product construction





Warning | Caution | Danger

Indicates a potential hazard. Failure to follow all warnings may lead to equipment damage, or failure, injury, or death.

Intended Use

The **UltraFlo®** ultrasonic flow meter should only be used for measuring the flow of pure, homogeneous liquids - it is not intended for use in medical applications!

The volume flow meter **UltraFlo®** is built in accordance with industry standard EN 61010 regulations (corresponds to VDE 0411 "Safety specifications for electrical measurement, control and laboratory devices").

The manufacturer is not responsible for improper use, losses of work caused by either direct or indirect damage, and for expenses incurred during installation or use of the flow meter.

The manufacturer is not liable for any injury, damage or harm due to inappropriate or unintended use or modifications of the flow meter. Conversions and/or changes to the flow meter may only be made, if they are expressly performed in accordance with the operating instructions in this operating manual.

Personnel for Installation, Commissioning, and Operation

All operations described in this instruction manual (i.e. assembly, electrical installation, commissioning and maintenance of the flow meter) must be carried out only by trained personnel or an accredited person. The qualified personnel must have read and understood the operating instructions in this manual and must follow said instructions accordingly.

The installer has to ensure that the flow meter is correctly connected according to the electrical connection diagrams in this operating manual.

Serious injury or death from electric shock may occur if wiring, installation, disassembly or removal of wires is performed while electrical power is energized.

Warranty and post warranty service must be exclusively carried out by the manufacturer.

Product Description

The **Truflo® UF-500** series clamp-on ultrasonic flow meters are easy to install with exceptional long life performance and they require no alteration to current piping configurations.

The sensor sends over 50 pulses/sec in order to provide accurate measurement of liquid flow rates in full pipes and can be used in low pressure systems.



Features

- Wide Dynamic Flow Range
- High Accuracy
- Lightweight
- Excellent External Corrosion Resistance
- No Contact with Liquid
- No Moving Parts
- O Data Logging (day | month | year)
- Suitable for RO | DI Systems
- Simple Programming & Installation

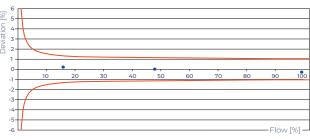
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Technical Specifications

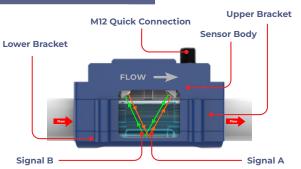
General									
Operating Range	0.3 – 15 ft/s								
Pipe Size Range	1/2 – 10"	DN15 – DN250							
T D	32 to 122°F	0 to 50°C							
Temperature Range	32 to 302°F (HT model)	0 to 150°C (HT model)							
Repeatability	±0.8% of max. range	@ 25 °C (77 °F)							
Linearity	±2.0% of max. range	@ 25 °C (77 °F)							
Output	Pulse 4-20mA RS485								
Viscosity Range	/iscosity Range 10 cPs Max.								
Materials									
Sensor Body Teflon® Epoxy Coated Aluminum									
Electrical									
Power Supply	24 VDC								
Connection	M12								
Display									
OLED 128 * 64 Dot Matrix									
Totalizer Units									
6-Digit Accumulator									
Standards & Approvals									
CE RoHS Compliant									

Measuring Points



Example: Measuring points of a calibrated UltraFlo® UF-500

Working Principle



Other Considerations

Ensure Proper Installation

Proper installation plays a crucial role in ensuring the accuracy of the UF-500 flow meter. Any errors or misalignments during installation can lead to inaccurate measurements. The UF-500 is designed with ease of installation in mind. Installation time is typically less than two minutes.

Installation Location

Selecting an appropriate location away from disturbances such as bends, valves, or pipe irregularities is essential as it will effect the flow profile (see Page 17).

Flow Profile

The flow profile refers to the velocity distribution across the pipe's cross-section. If the flow profile is not uniform, the accuracy of the ultrasonic flow meter can be compromised. Factors such as bends, valves, or obstructions in the pipe can cause variations in the flow profile. The flow meter's accuracy can be improved by ensuring a smooth and fully developed flow profile (see Page 17).

Transducer Care

The transducers are the key components of an ultrasonic flow meter that emit and receive ultrasonic signals. The transducer surface should be free from air bubbles, dirt, or deposits which can interfere with the ultrasonic signal. Ensure that the pipe surface is clean and smooth.

Signal Interference

External factors can introduce signal interference, affecting the flow meter's accuracy. Electrical equipment, nearby machinery, or electromagnetic fields can disrupt the ultrasonic signals. Shielding the flow meter from these interferences or relocating it to a less disruptive environment can help mitigate inaccuracies caused by signal interference.

Pipe Conditions and Material

The condition and material of the pipe through which the liquid flows can impact the accuracy of the ultrasonic flow meter. Irregularities in the pipe, such as corrosion, scaling, or rough surfaces, can cause signal reflections or attenuations, leading to inaccuracies. It is important to regularly inspect the pipe and address any issues promptly to maintain accurate measurements.

Model Selection

UltraFlo® 500 — Clamp-On Ultrasonic Flow Meter								
Size	Part Number	Material						
1/2"	UF500-A-15	Teflon® Epoxy Coated Aluminum						
3/4"	UF500-A-20	Teflon® Epoxy Coated Aluminum						
1"	UF500-A-25	Teflon® Epoxy Coated Aluminum						
1 ½"	UF500-A-40	Teflon® Epoxy Coated Aluminum						
2"	UF500-A-50	Teflon® Epoxy Coated Aluminum						
3"	UF500-A-80	Teflon® Epoxy Coated Aluminum						
4"	UF500-A-100	Teflon® Epoxy Coated Aluminum						
6"	UF500-A-150	Teflon® Epoxy Coated Aluminum						
8"	UF500-A-200	Teflon® Epoxy Coated Aluminum						
10"	UF500-A-250	Teflon® Epoxy Coated Aluminum						

Add Suffix -

'P' - Pulse Output

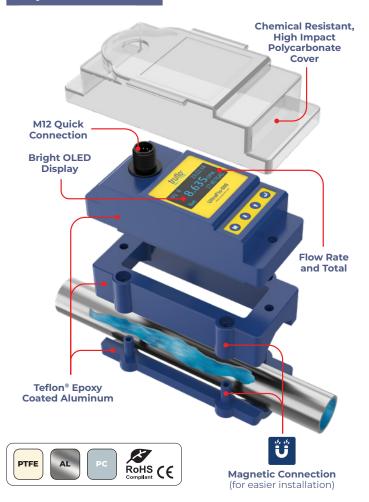
'HT' - High Temperature

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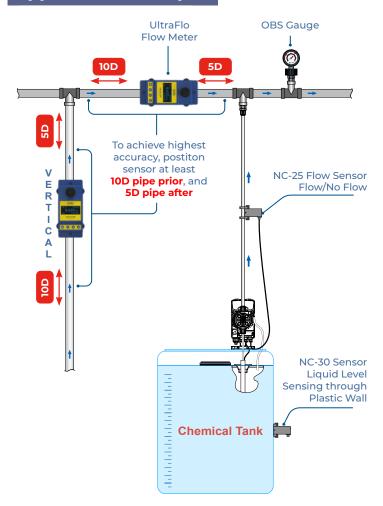
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Exploded View



Application Example



Outside Dimension

Pipe/	ASME/ANSI	1/2"	3/4"	1"	1 1/4"	1½"	2"	2 ½"	3"	4"	6"	8"	10"
Tube	OD min.	16.5	22	32	38	48	58	72	86	108	142	196	250
Size	OD	20	25	32	40	50	63	75	90	110	160	200	250
(mm)	OD max.	23	28	35	45	54	64	78	92	116	169	223	277

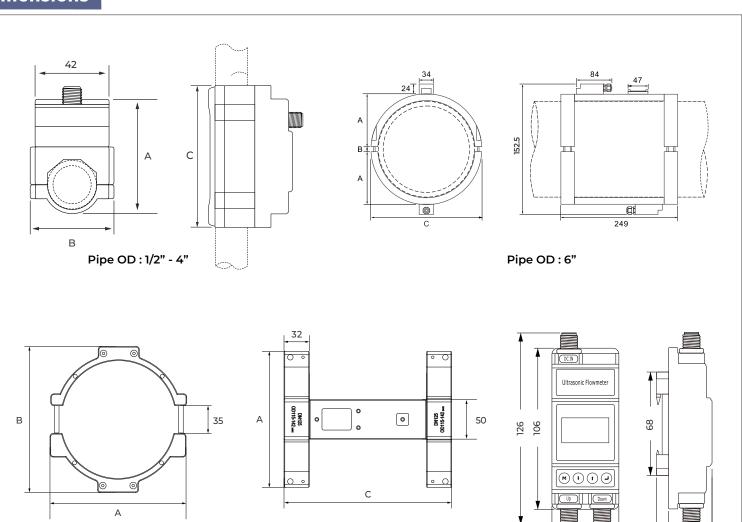
Minimum Flow Range

Size ASI	ME/ANSI	1/2"	3/4"	1"	1 1/4"	1½"	2"	2½"	3"	4"	6"	8"	10"
	0.03m/s	0.57	0.88	1.45	2.26	3.53	5.61	7.95	11.45	17.1	303	530	867
Flow	0.5m/s	9.4	14.7	24.1	37.7	58.9	93.5	132.5	190.9	285.1	505	884	1445
Range (L/min)	1.5m/s	28.3	44.2	72.4	113.1	176.7	280.5	397	572.6	855.3	1600	2651	4336
, ,	5m/s	94.2	147.2	241.2	376.9	588.9	934.9	1325.4	1908.5	2851	5055	8838	14454
	0.03m/s	0.15	0.23	0.38	0.6	0.93	1.48	2.1	3.03	4.52	80.04	140.01	229.04
Flow	0.5m/s	2.48	3.88	6.37	9.96	15.56	24.7	35	50.43	75.32	133.41	233.53	381.73
Range (Gal/min)	1.5m/s	7.48	11.68	19.13	29.88	46.68	74.1	104.88	151.27	225.95	422.68	700.32	1145.45
	5m/s	24.89	38.89	63.72	99.57	155.57	246.97	350.13	504.17	753.15	1335.39	2334.75	3818.34

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Dimensions



Pipe OD: 8" - 10"

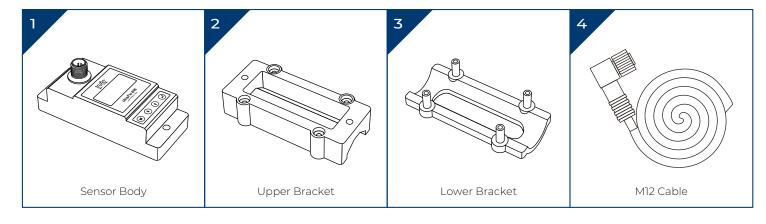
Model	Pipe OD	OD Range	A (mm) Max.	B (mm)	C (mm)
UF500-15	1/2"	16.5 - 23	86 (Max.)	58	106
UF500-20	3/4"	22 - 28	86 (Max.).	58	106
UF500-25	1"	32 - 35	91 (Max.)	58	106
UF500-40	1½"	48 - 54	110 (Max.)	78	106
UF500-50	2"	58 - 64	126 (Max.)	91	130
UF500-80	3"	86 - 92	154 (Max.)	119	150
UF500-100	4"	108 - 116	177 (Max.)	143	174
UF500-150	6"	158 - 169	199	212	205
UF500-200	8"	196 - 223	253	266	263
UF500-250	10"	250 - 277	307	320	276

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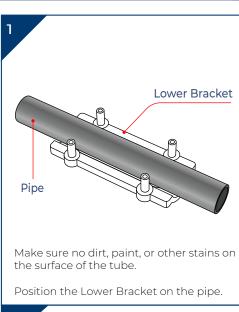
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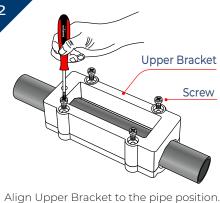


Components



Installation and Connection

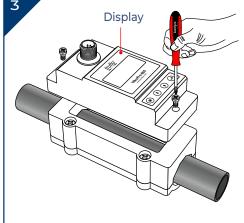






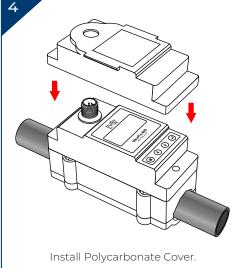
Using the mounting screws, connect Upper and Lower Brackets together.

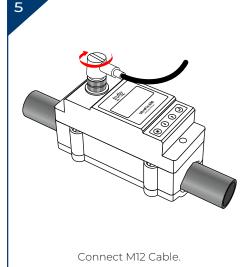
Ensure parts are snug | DO NOT over-tighten!

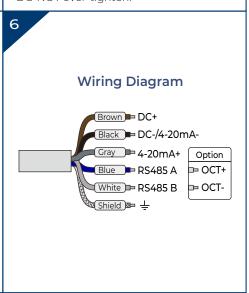


Position display over Upper Bracket and connect using the mounting screws.

DO NOT over-tighten!



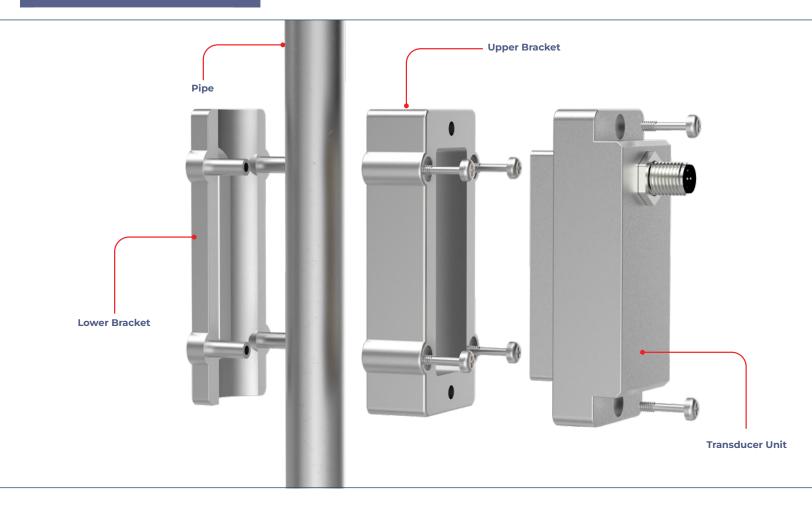




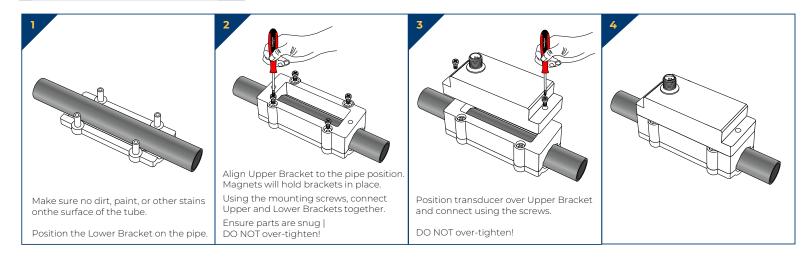
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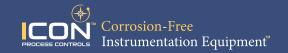
Installation – HT Models

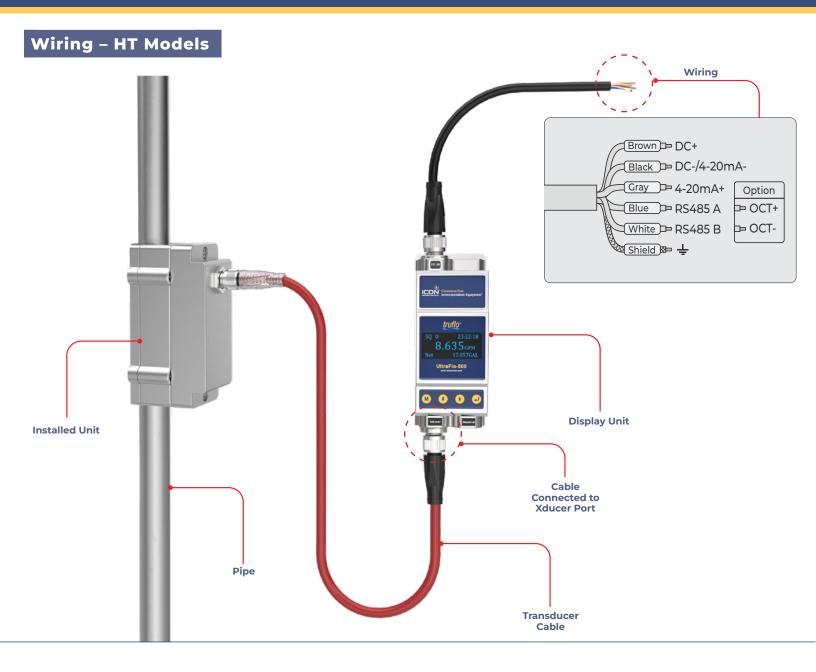


Installation Procedure









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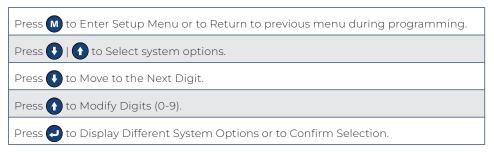


Display



Keypad Functions

Follow these guide lines when using the Flow Meter Keypad:



Powering ON

When connected to a VDC Power Supply, the UltraFlo® UF-500 will begin to run a self-diagnosis program.

Signal Quality (SQ Value)

SQ value is short form for Signal Quality. It indicates the level of the signal detected. SQ value is indicated by numbers from 0-99.

"00" is the minimum signal that could be detected and "99" represents the maximum.

Normally, the transducer position should be adjusted repeatedly and coupling compound should be checked frequently until the signal quality detected is as strong as possible.



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Main Display Layout



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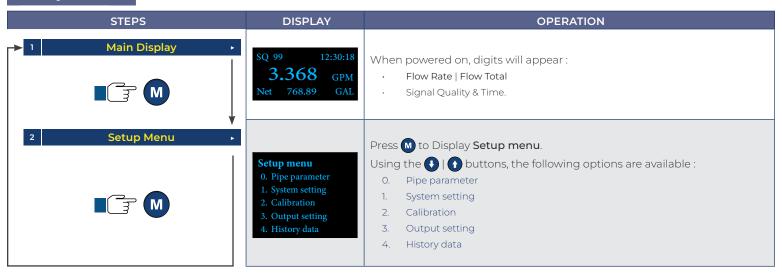


Display Features

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Setup Menu



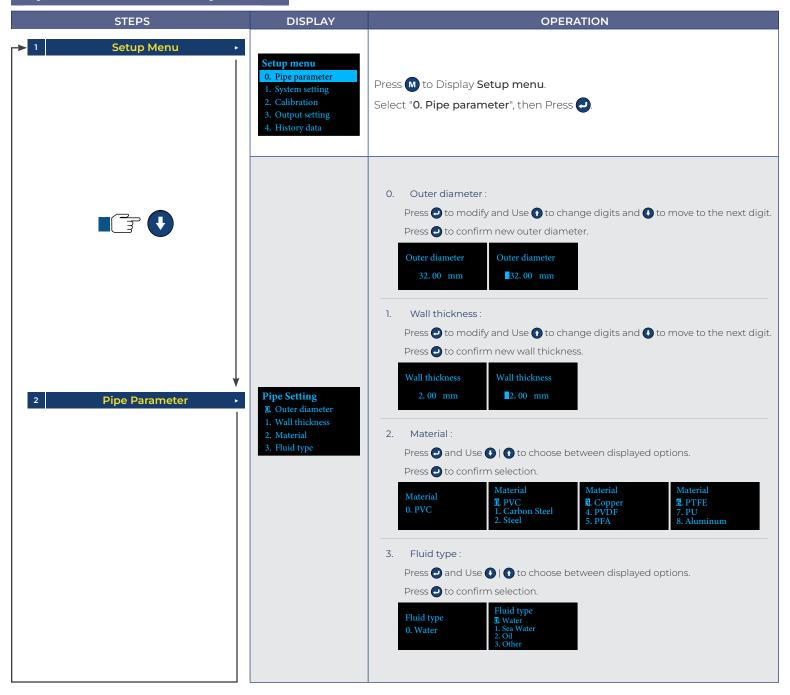
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Pipe Parameter Setup Menu

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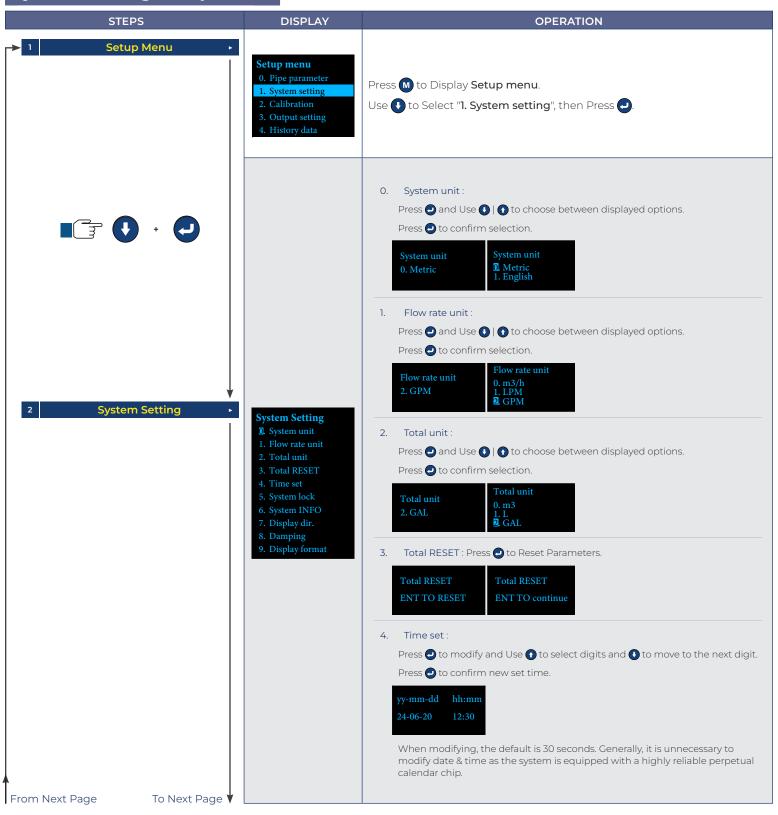
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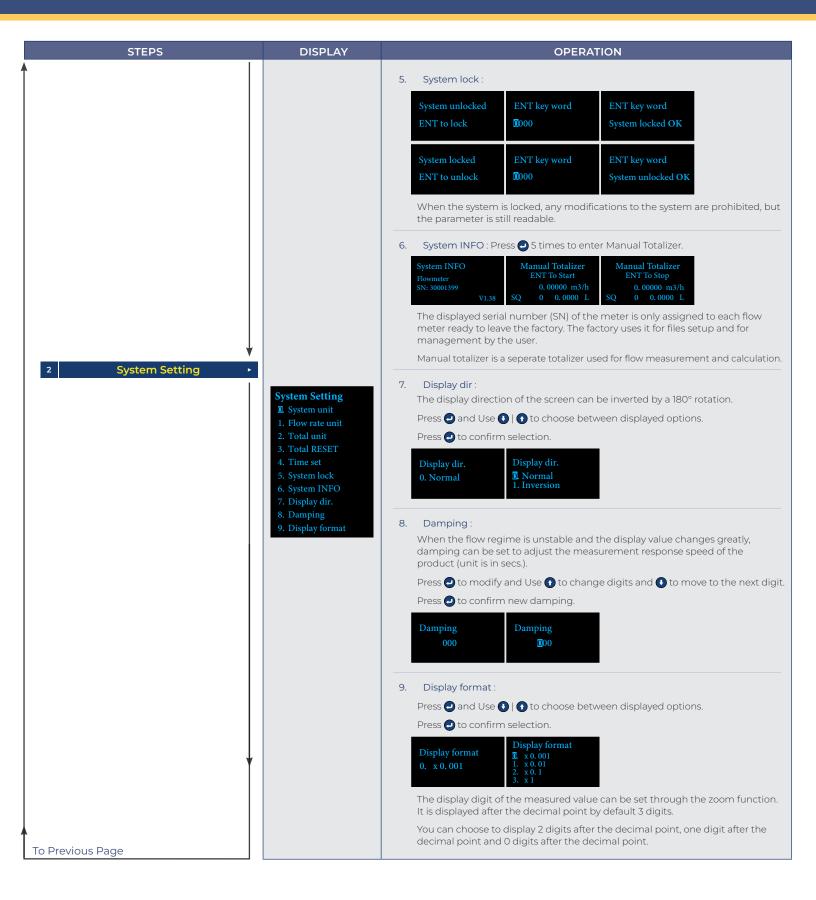
System Setting Setup Menu

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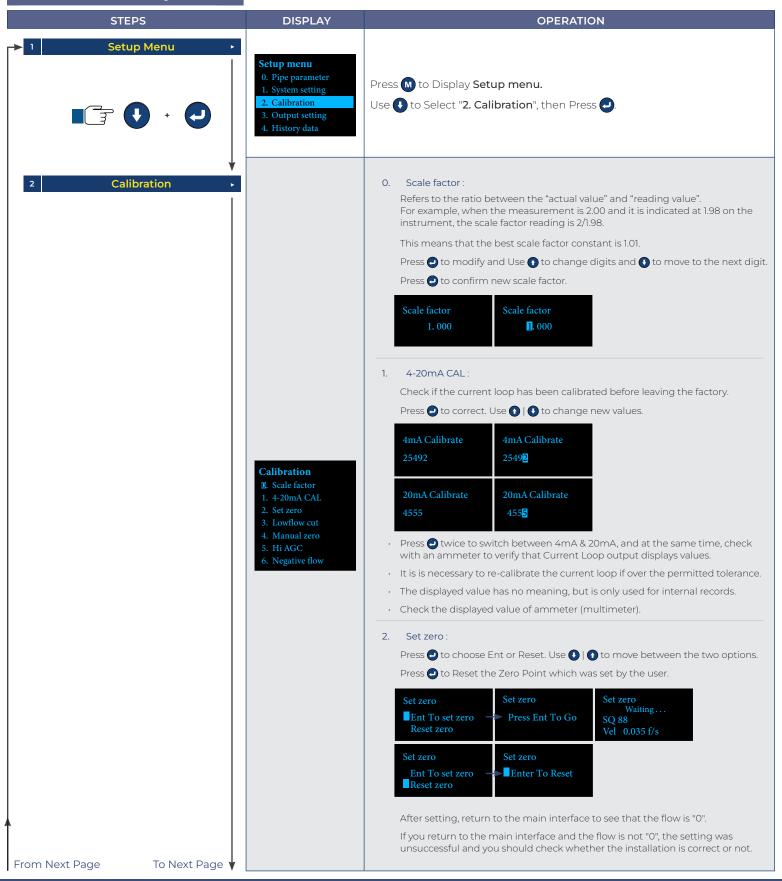
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Calibration Setup Menu

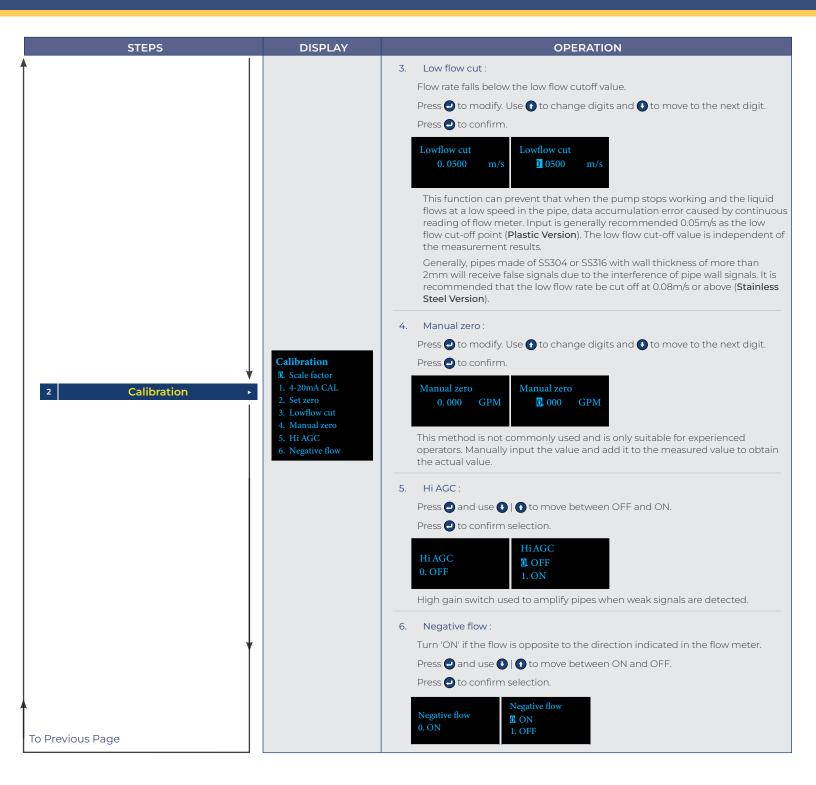
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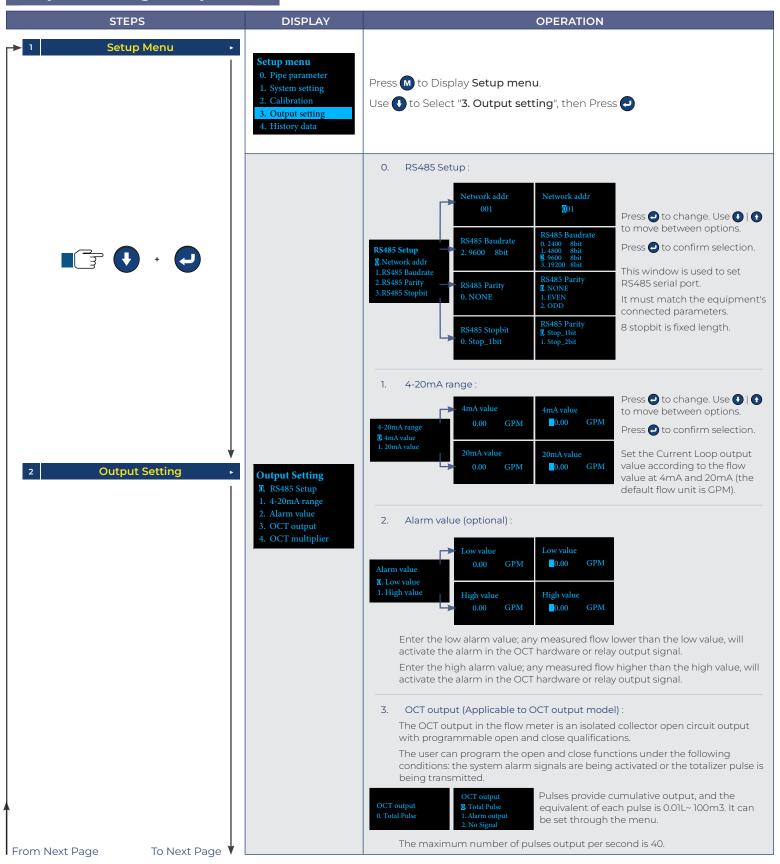
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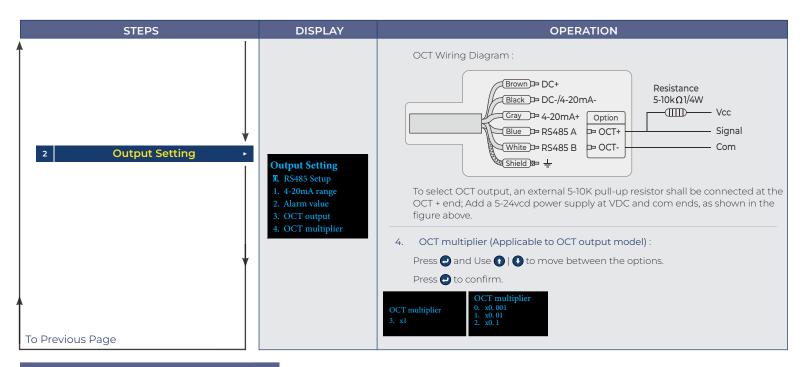
Output Setting Setup Menu

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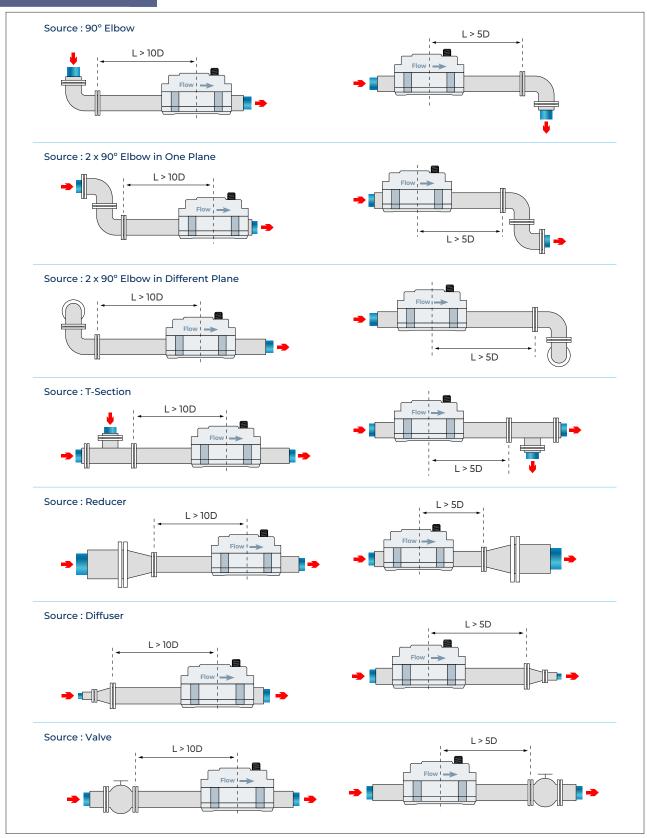
Data Logging Setup Menu



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Installation Positions



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Warranty, Returns and Limitations

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