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Chapter 1 INSTALLATION

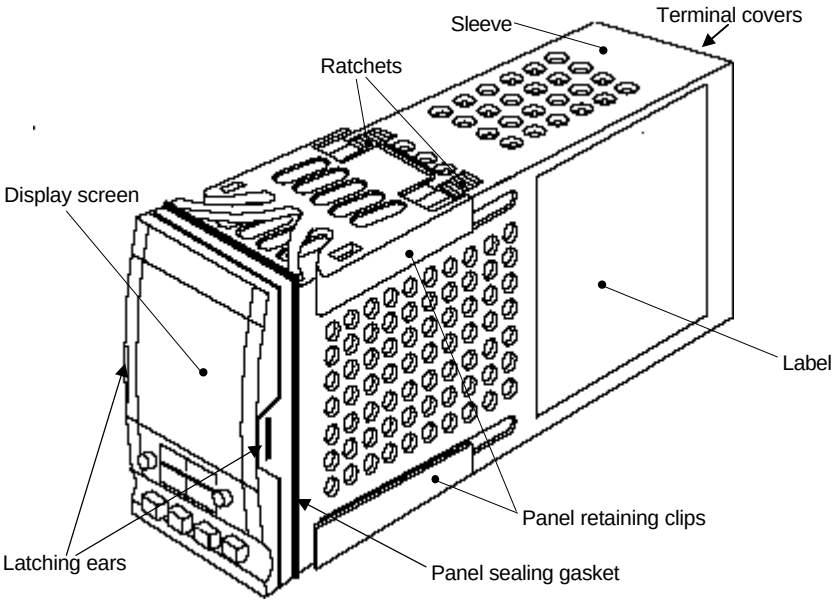


Figure 1-1 2408 1/8 DIN controller

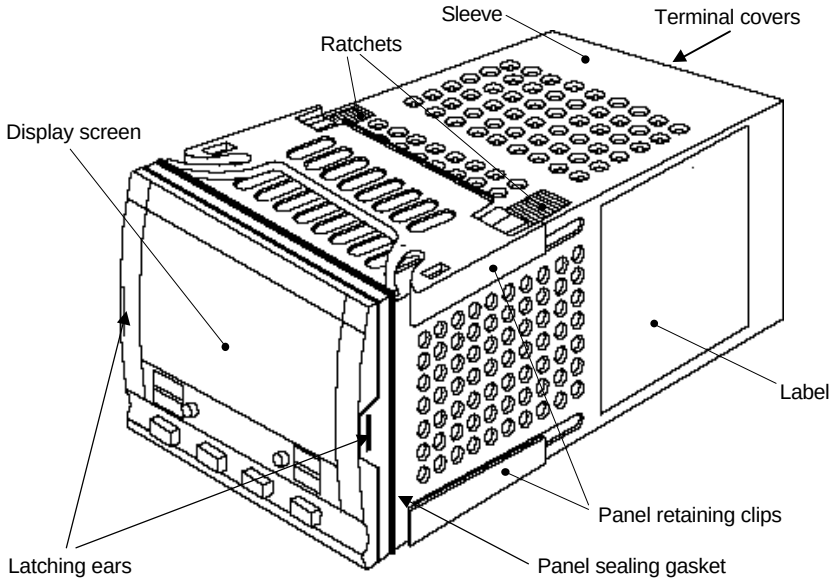


Figure 1-2 2404 1/4 DIN controller

Outline dimensions Model 2408

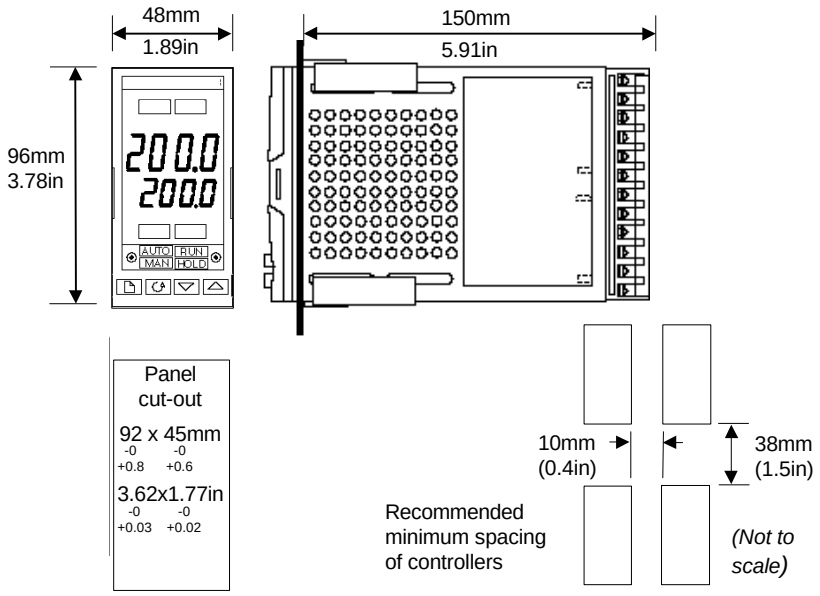


Figure 1-3 Outline dimensions of Model 2408 controller

Outline dimensions Model 2404

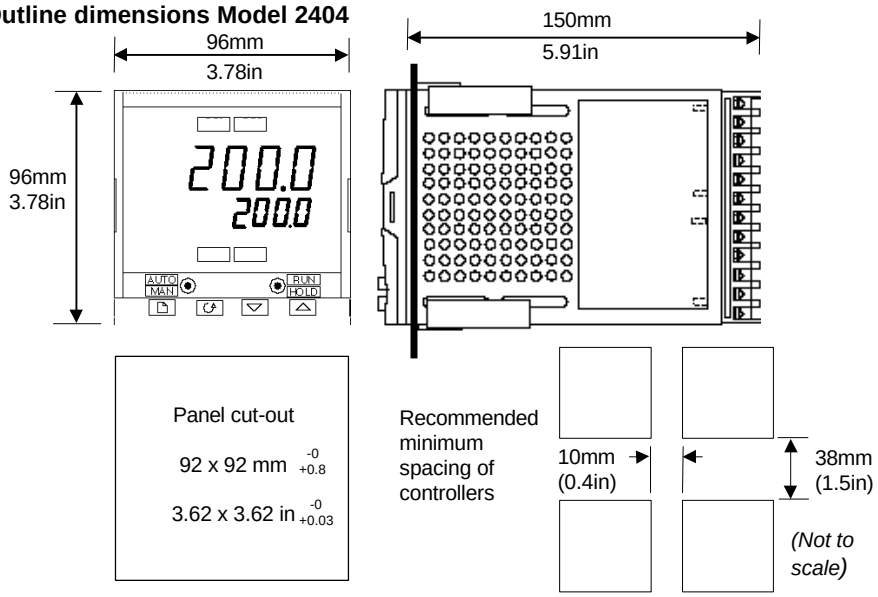


Figure 1-4 Outline dimensions Model 2404 controller

The electronic assembly of the controller plugs into a rigid plastic sleeve, which in turn fits into the standard DIN size panel cut-out shown in Figures 1-3 and 1-4.

INTRODUCTION

Models 2408 and 2404 are high stability, temperature or process controllers with self and adaptive tuning. They have a modular hardware construction which accepts up to three plug-in Input/Output modules and two interface modules to satisfy a wide range of control requirements. Two digital inputs and an optional alarm relay are included as part of the fixed hardware build. In addition, the Model 2404 has an optional plug-in 10A heating output.

The instruments are available as:

- standard controllers - which include a basic 8-segment programmer
  Models 2408/CC and 2404/CC
- setpoint programming controllers: Models 2408/CP, P4, CM and
  2404/CP, P4, CM
- motorised valve controllers - which include a basic 8-segment programmer
  Models 2408/VC and 2404/VC
- setpoint programming motorised valve controllers: Models 2408/VP, V4, VM and
  2404/VP, V4, VM

Before proceeding, please read the chapter called, *Safety and EMC Information.*

Controller labels

The labels on the sides of the controller identify the ordering code, the serial number, and the wiring connections.

Appendix A, *Understanding the Ordering Code*, explains the hardware and software configuration of your particular controller.

MECHANICAL INSTALLATION

To install the controller

1. Prepare the control panel cut-out to the size shown in Figure 1-3, or 1-4.
2. Insert the controller through the panel cut-out.
3. Spring the upper and lower panel retaining clips into place. Secure the controller in position by holding it level and pushing both retaining clips forward.

Note: If the panel retaining clips subsequently need removing, in order to extract the controller from the control panel, they can be unhooked from the side with either your fingers, or a screwdriver.

Unplugging and plugging-in the controller

If required, the controller can be unplugged from its sleeve by easing the latching ears outwards and pulling it forward out of the sleeve. When plugging the controller back into its sleeve, ensure that the latching ears click into place in order to secure the IP65 sealing.

ELECTRICAL INSTALLATION

This section consists of five topics:

- Rear terminal layouts
- Fixed connections
- Plug-in module connections
- Typical wiring diagrams
- Motorised valve connections.

WARNING

You must ensure that the controller is correctly configured for your application. Incorrect configuration could result in damage to the process being controlled, and/or personal injury. It is your responsibility, as the installer, to ensure that the configuration is correct. The controller may either have been configured when ordered, or may need configuring now. See Chapter 6, *Configuration*.

Model 2408 rear terminal layout

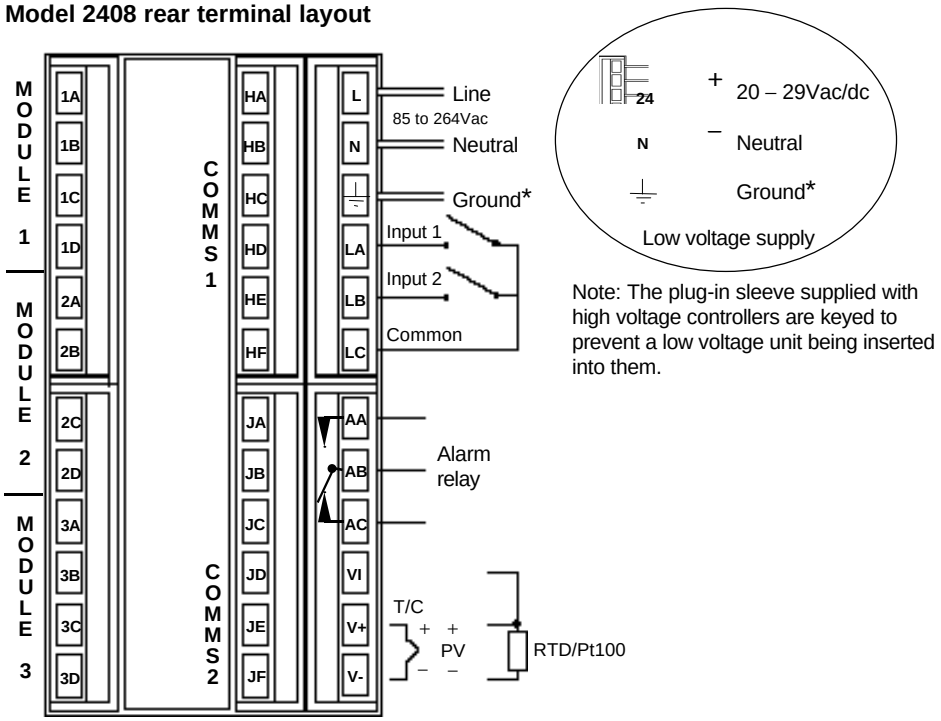


Figure 1-5 Rear terminal layout – Model 2408

* The ground connection is provided as a return for internal EMC filters. It is not required for safety purposes, but must be connected in order to satisfy EMC requirements.

All electrical connections are made to the screw terminals at the rear of the controller. If you wish to use crimp connectors, the correct size is AMP part number 349262-1. They accept wire sizes from 0.5 to 1.5 mm^2 (16 to 22 AWG). A set of connectors is supplied with the controller. The terminals are protected by a clear plastic hinged cover to prevent hands, or metal, making accidental contact with live wires.

Rear terminal layouts

The rear terminal layouts are shown in Figures 1-5 and 1-6. The right-hand column carries the connections to the power supply, digital inputs 1 and 2, alarm relay and sensor input. The second and third columns from the right carry the connections to the plug-in modules. The connections depend upon the type of module installed, if any. To determine which plug-in modules are fitted, refer to the ordering code and wiring data on the controller side labels. The Model 2404 has the option of 10Amp heating output in the left-hand column.

Model 2404 rear terminal layout

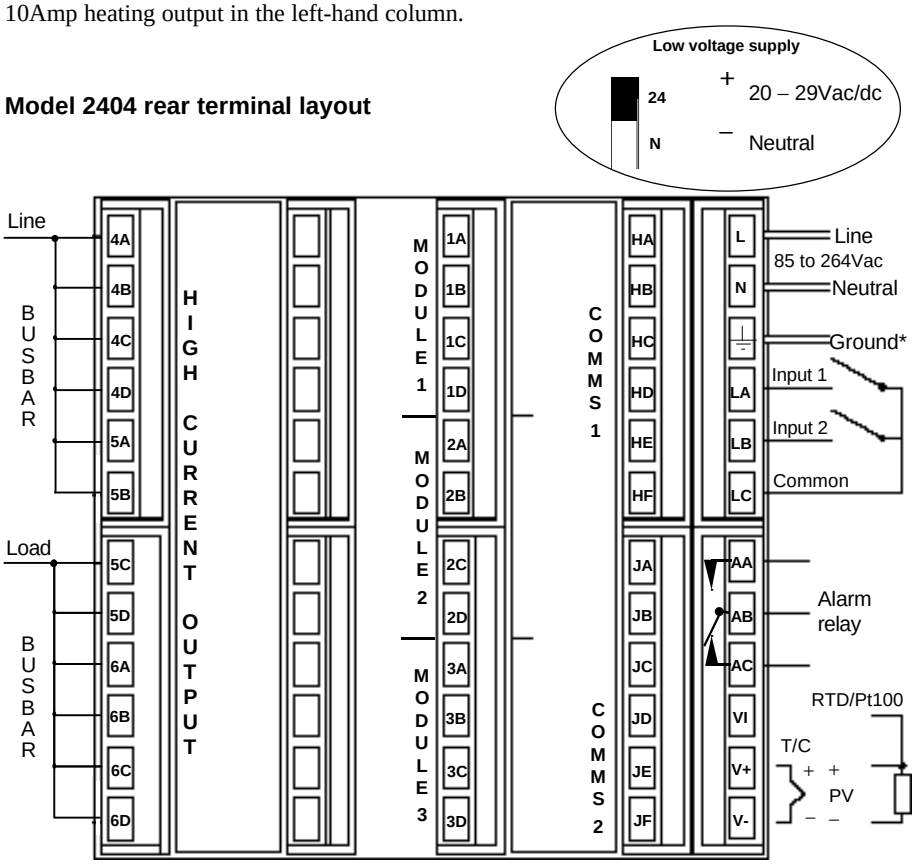


Figure 1-6 Rear terminal layout – Model 2404

Sensor input connections

The connections for the various types of sensor input are shown below.

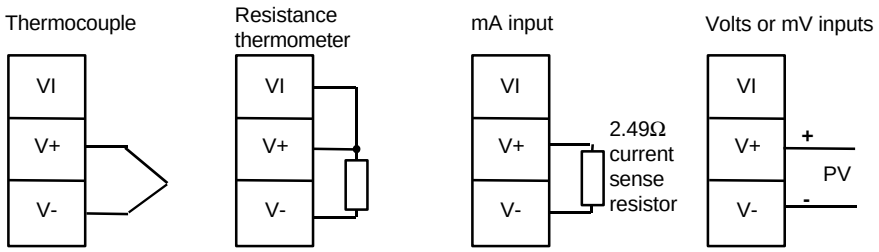


Fig 1-7 Sensor input connections

PLUG-IN MODULE CONNECTIONS

Module 1, 2 and 3

Module positions 1, 2 and 3 are plug-in modules. They can be either two terminal modules of the types shown in Table 1-8, or four terminal modules of the types shown in Table 1-9.

The tables show the connections to each module and the functions that they can perform. Module 1 is normally used for heating and module 2 for cooling although the actual functions will depend upon how the controller has been configured.

PDSIO modes

Table 1-8 refers to PDSIO modes 1 and 2.
PDSIO stands for ‘Pulse Density Signalling Input/Output’. This is a proprietary technique developed by Eurotherm for bi-directional transmission of analogue and digital data over a simple 2-wire connection.
PDSIO 1 mode uses a logic output module to control a Eurotherm TE10S solid state relay and provides a load failure alarm.
PDSIO 2 mode uses a logic output module to control a Eurotherm TE10S solid state relay, provide load/SSR failure alarms, and read back the load current for display on the controller.

Two terminal modules

Note: Module 1 is connected to terminals 1A and 1B
Module 2 is connected to terminals 2A and 2B
Module 3 is connected to terminals 3A and 3B.

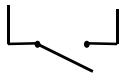
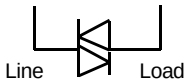
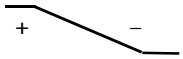
	Terminal identity				
Module type	A	B	C	D	Possible functions
Relay: 2-pin *(2A, 264 Vac max.)*			Unused		Heating, cooling, alarm, program event, valve raise, or valve lower
Logic - non-isolated *(18Vdc at 20mA)*			Unused		Heating, cooling, PDSIO mode 1, PDSIO mode 2, program event
Triac *(1A, 30 to 264Vac)*			Unused		Heating, cooling, program event, valve raise, or valve lower
DC output: - non-isolated *(10Vdc, 20mA max.)*			Unused		Heating, or cooling, or retransmission of PV, setpoint, or control output

Table 1-1 Two terminal module connections

Snubbers

The relay and triac modules have an internal 15nF/100Ω ‘snubber’ connected across their output, which is used to prolong contact life and to suppress interference when switching inductive loads, such as mechanical contactors and solenoid valves.

WARNING

When the relay contact is open, or the triac is off, the snubber circuit passes 0.6mA at 110Vac and 1.2mA at 240Vac. You must ensure that this current, passing through the snubber, will not hold on low power electrical loads. It is your responsibility as the installer to ensure that this does not happen. If the snubber circuit is not required, it can be removed from the relay module (BUT NOT THE TRIAC) by breaking the PCB track that runs crosswise, adjacent to the edge connectors of the module. This can be done by inserting the blade of a small screwdriver into one of the two slots that bound it, and twisting.

Four terminal modules

Note: Module 1 is connected to terminals 1A, 1B, 1C and 1D
Module 2 is connected to terminals 2A, 2B, 2C and 2D
Module 3 is connected to terminals 3A, 3B, 3C and 3D

Module type	Terminal identity				Possible functions
	A	B	C	D	
Relay: changeover *(2A, 264 Vac max.)*	N/O		N/C		Heating, cooling, alarm, or program event output
DC control: Isolated *(10V, 20mA max.)*	+	–			Heating, or cooling
24Vdc transmitter supply	+	–			To power process inputs
Potentiometer input 100Ω to 15KΩ		+0.5Vdc		0V	Motorised Valve Position feedback
DC retransmission	+	–			Retrans. of setpoint, or process value
DC remote input or Process Value 2 *(Module 3 only)*	0-10Vdc	RT source	±100mV 0-20mA	COM	Remote Setpoint Second PV
	(Refer to Fig. 1-8)				
Dual output modules					
Dual relay *(2A, 264 Vac max.)*					Heating + cooling Dual alarms Valve raise & lower
Dual Triac *(1A, 30 to 264Vac)*	Line	Load	Line	Load	Heating + cooling Valve raise & lower
Dual logic + relay (*Logic* is non-isolated)	+	–			Heating + cooling
Dual Logic + triac (*Logic* is non-isolated)	+	–	Line	Load	Heating + cooling
Triple logic input and output modules - *see ratings on the next page*					
Triple contact input	Input 1	Input 2	Input 3	Common	
Triple logic input	Input 1	Input 2	Input 3	Common	
Triple logic output	Output 1	Output 2	Output 3	Common	Program events

Table 1-2 Four terminal module connections

Connections for Process Value 2 in module position 3

The diagrams below show the connections for the various types of input.
The input will have been configured in accordance with the ordering code.

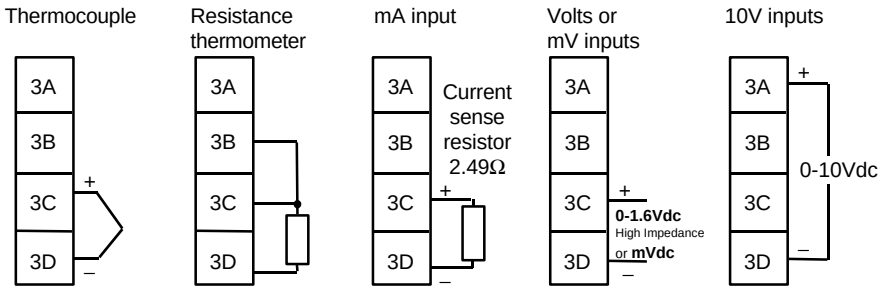


Figure 1-8 Connections for Process Value 2 (PV2)

Triple Logic Input and output ratings

1. Triple logic input (current sinking)

OFF state:	–3 to 5Vdc
ON state:	10.8 to 30Vdc(max), at 2 to 8mA

2. Triple contact closure or open collector transistor input

Internally generated switching Vdc & mA:	15 to 19Vdc at 10 to 14mA
OFF state	>28KΩ input resistance
OFF state voltage	>14Vdc
ON state	<100Ω resistance
ON state voltage	<1.0Vdc

3. Triple logic output (current sourcing)

OFF state output	0 to 0.7Vdc.
ON state output	12 to 13Vdc, at up to 8mA.

Communication modules 1

The Models 2408 and 2404 will accept two plug-in communications modules.
The possible module types are shown in the table below.

Only one of the two modules can be for serial communications and this will normally be installed in position COMMS 1, as shown below. However, it is possible to install the serial communications module in position COMMS 2.
The serial communications can be configured for either Modbus, or EI bisynch protocol.

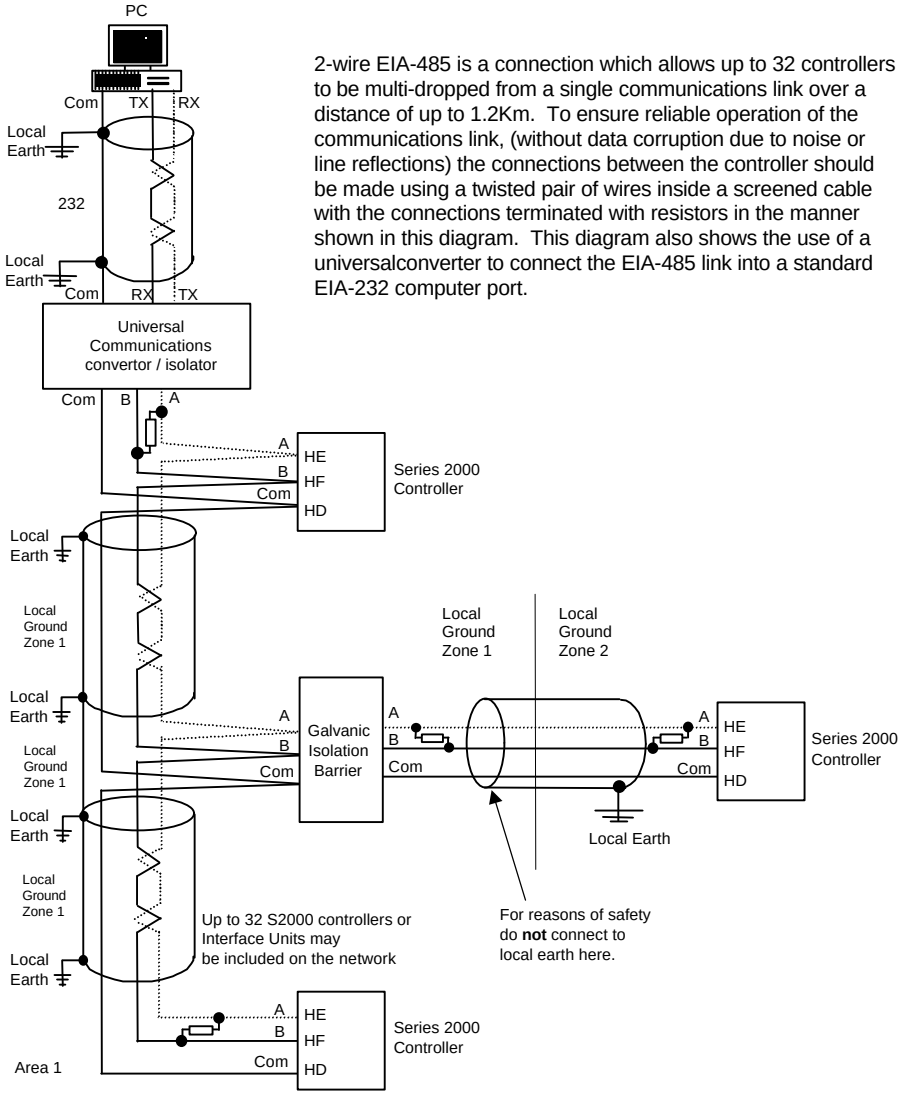
Communications module 1	Terminal identity (COMMS 1)					
Module type	HA	HB	HC	HD	HE	HF
2-wire EIA-485 serial communications	–	–	–	Common	A (+)	B (–)
EIA-232 serial communications	–	–	–	Common	Rx	Tx
4-wire EIA-485 serial communications	–	A′ (Rx+)	B′ (Rx–)	Common	A (Tx+)	B (Tx–)
PDSIO Setpoint retransmission	–	–	–	–	Signal	Common

Communications module 2	Terminal identity (COMMS 2)		
Module type	JD	JE	JF
PDSIO Setpoint retransmission	–	Signal	Common
PDSIO Setpoint input	–	Signal	Common

Table 1-3 Communication modules 1 and 2 connections

Wiring of 2-wire EIA-485 serial communications link

2-wire EIA-485 is a connection which allows up to 32 controllers to be multi-dropped from a single communications link over a distance of up to 1.2Km. To ensure reliable operation of the communications link, (without data corruption due to noise or line reflections) the connections between the controller should be made using a twisted pair of wires inside a screened cable with the connections terminated with resistors in the manner shown in this diagram. This diagram also shows the use of a universalconverter to connect the EIA-485 link into a standard EIA-232 computer port.



Note:
All resistors are 220 ohm 1/4W carbon composition.
Local grounds are at equipotential. Where equipotential is not available wire into separate zones using a galvanic isolator.
Use a repeater for more than 32 units.

Figure 1-9 EIA-485 wiring

TYPICAL WIRING DIAGRAM

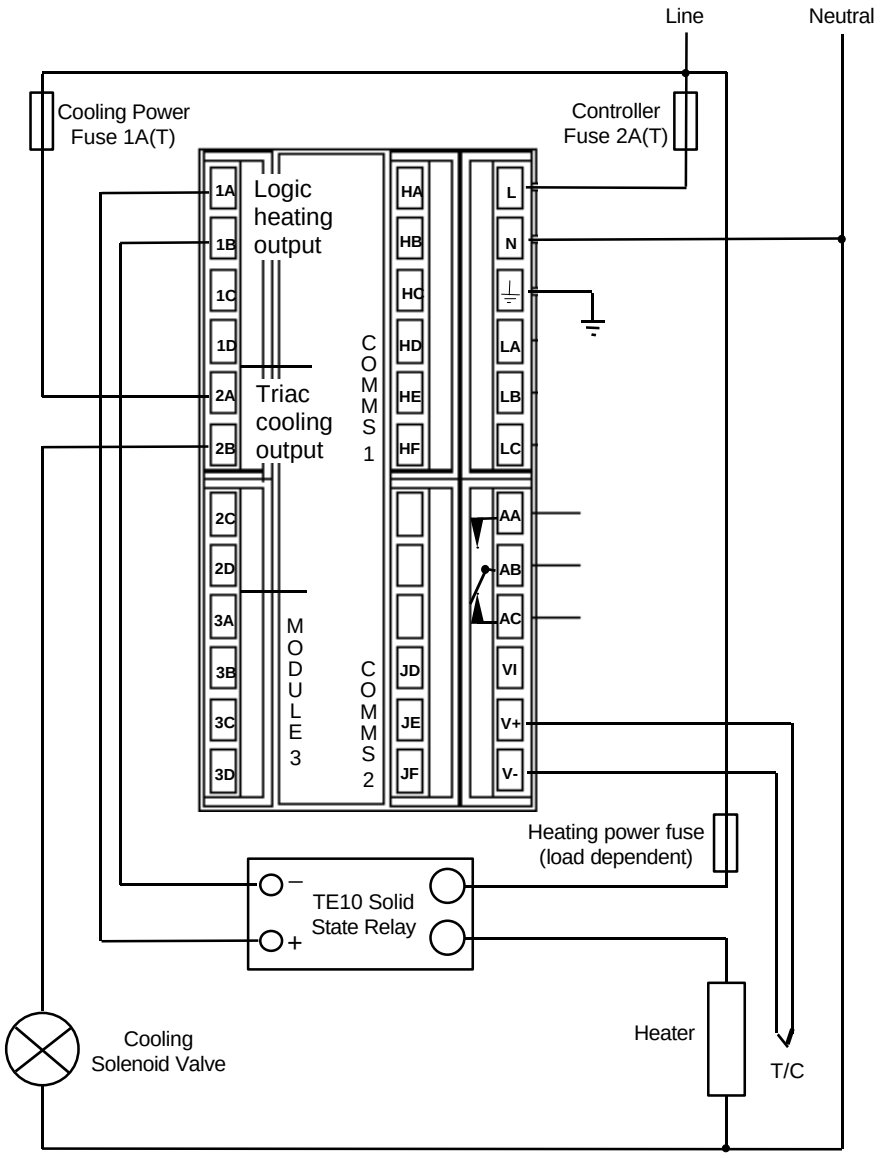


Fig 1-10 Typical wiring diagram, Model 2408 Controller

MOTORISED VALVE CONNECTIONS

Motorised valves will normally be wired either to dual relay, or dual triac, output modules installed in the Module 1 position, or to single channel relay and triac outputs installed in Module positions 1 and 2. In the latter case, the convention is to configure output 1 as the raise output and output 2 as the lower output.
Depending on the configuration, control of the valve is achieved in one of three ways:

1. With no position feedback potentiometer.
2. With a feedback potentiometer used to monitor the valve's position. It does not influence the control.
3. With a feedback potentiometer, where the valve's position is controlled in response to the signal from it.

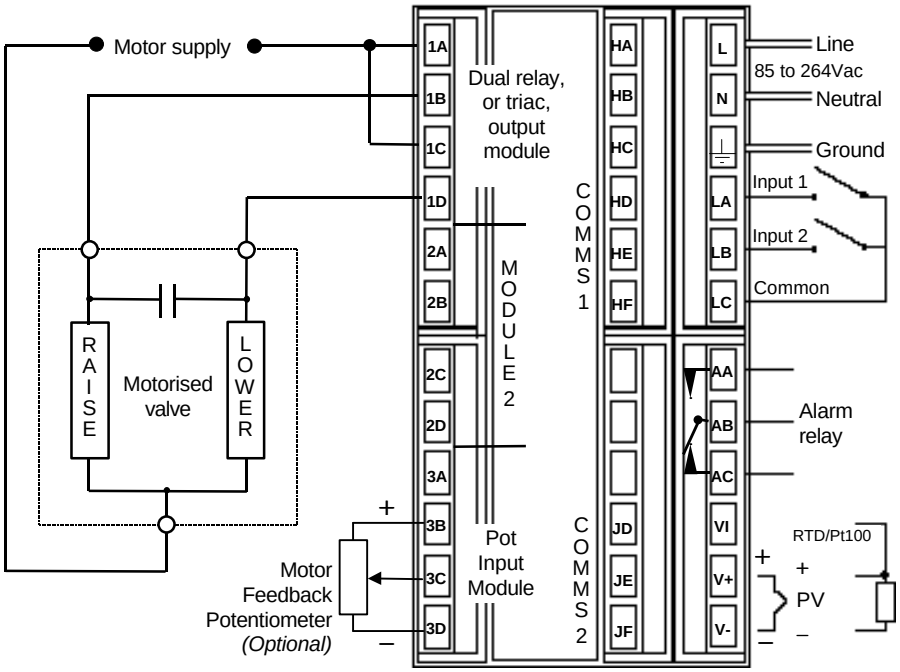


Fig 1-11 Motorised valve connections

Chapter 2 OPERATION

This chapter has nine topics:

- FRONT PANEL LAYOUTS
- BASIC OPERATION
- OPERATING MODES
- AUTOMATIC MODE
- MANUAL MODE
- PARAMETERS AND HOW TO ACCESS THEM
- NAVIGATION DIAGRAM
- PARAMETER TABLES
- ALARMS

FRONT PANEL LAYOUTS

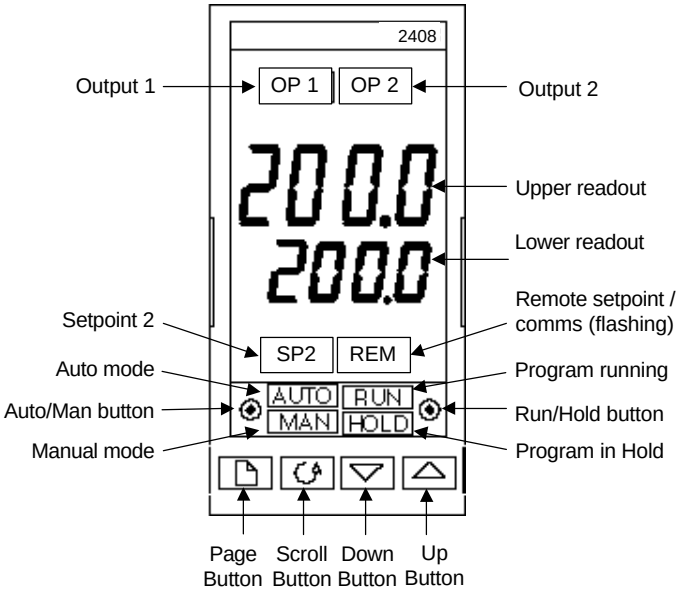


Figure 2-1 Model 2408 front panel layout

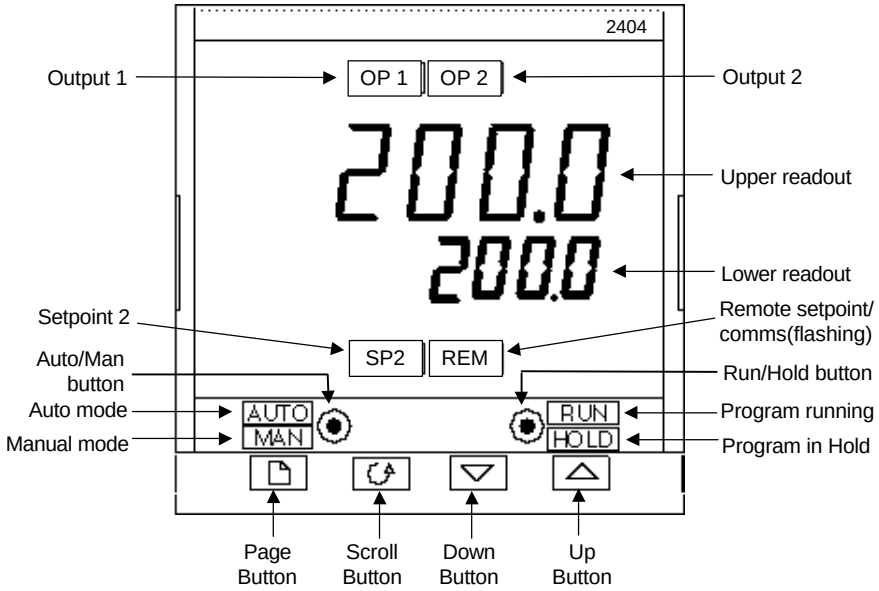


Figure 2-2 Model 2404 front panel layout

Button or indicator	Name	Explanation
OP1	Output 1	When lit, it indicates that the output installed in module position 1 is on. This is normally the heating output on a temperature controller.
OP2	Output 2	When lit, it indicates that the output installed in module position 2 is on. This is normally the cooling output on a temperature controller.
SP2	Setpoint 2	When lit, this indicates that setpoint 2, (or a setpoint 3-16) has been selected.
REM	Remote setpoint	When lit, this indicates that a remote setpoint input has been selected. 'REM' will also flash when communications is active.
	Auto/Manual button	When pressed, this toggles between automatic and manual mode: • If the controller is in automatic mode the AUTO light will be lit. • If the controller is in manual mode, the MAN light will be lit. The Auto/Manual button can be disabled in configuration level.
	Run/Hold button	• Press once to start a program (RUN light on.) • Press again to hold a program (HOLD light on) • Press again to cancel hold and continue running (HOLD light off and RUN light ON) • Press and hold in for two seconds to reset a program (RUN and HOLD lights off) The RUN light will flash at the end of a program. The HOLD light will flash during holdback.
	Page button	Press to select a new list of parameters.
	Scroll button	Press to select a new parameter in a list.
▼	Down button	Press to decrease a value in the lower readout.
▲	Up button	Press to increase a value in lower readout.

Figure 2-3 Controller buttons and indicators

BASIC OPERATION

Switch on the power to the controller. It runs through a self-test sequence for about three seconds and then shows the measured temperature, or process value, in the upper readout and the target value, called the *setpoint*, in the lower readout. This is called the **Home** display.

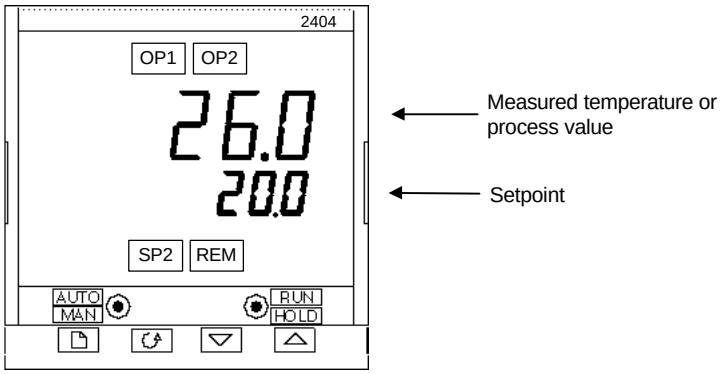


Figure 2-4 Home display

You can adjust the setpoint by pressing the ▲ or ▼ buttons. Two seconds after releasing either button, the display blinks to show that the controller has accepted the new value.

OP1 will light whenever output 1 is ON. This is normally the heating output when used as a temperature controller.
OP2 will light whenever output 2 is ON. This is normally the cooling output when used as a temperature controller.

Note: You can get back to this display at any time by pressing ↺ and 🗎 together. Alternatively, you will always be returned to this display if no button is pressed for 45 seconds, or whenever the power is turned on.

Alarms

If the controller detects an alarm condition, it flashes an alarm message in the Home display. For a list of all the alarm messages, their meaning and what to do about them, see *Alarms* at the end of this chapter.

OPERATING MODES

The controller has two basic modes of operation:

- **Automatic mode** in which the output is automatically adjusted to maintain the temperature or process value at the setpoint.
- **Manual mode** in which you can adjust the output independently of the setpoint.

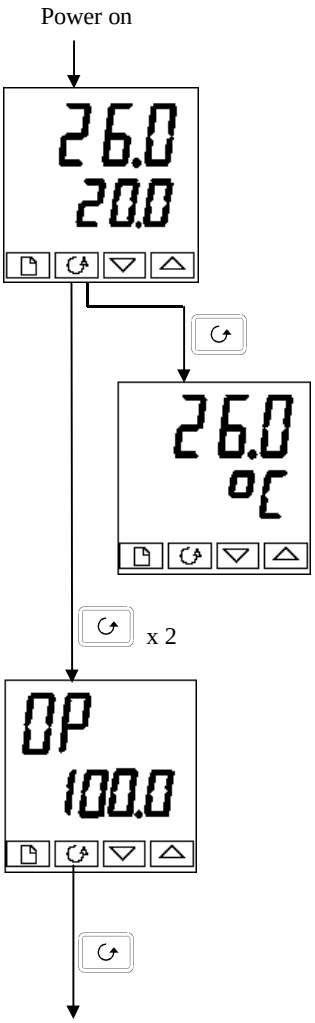
You toggle between the modes by pressing the AUTO/MAN button. The displays which appear in each of these modes are explained in this chapter.

Two other modes are also available:

- **Remote Setpoint mode,** in which the setpoint is generated from an external source.
  In this mode, the REM light will be on.
- **Programmer mode** which is explained in Chapter 5, *Programmer Operation.*

AUTOMATIC MODE

You will normally work with the controller in automatic mode. If the MAN light is on, press the AUTO/MAN button to select automatic mode. The AUTO light comes on.



The Home display

Check that the AUTO light is on.
The upper readout shows the measured temperature.
The lower readout shows the setpoint.
To adjust the setpoint up or down, press ▲ or ▼.
(Note: If Setpoint Rate Limit has been enabled, then the lower readout will show the active setpoint. If ▲ or ▼ is pressed, it will change to show and allow adjustment of, the target setpoint.)

Press ↻ once.

Display units

A single press of ↻ will flash the display units for 0.5 seconds, after which you will be returned to the **Home** display.
Flashing of the display units may have been disabled in configuration in which case a single press will take you straight to the display shown below.

Press ↻ twice

% Output power demand

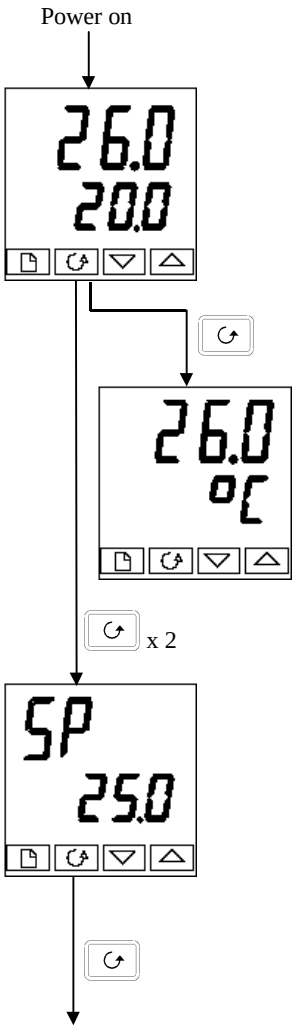
The % output power demand is displayed in the lower readout. This is a read-only value. You cannot adjust it.
Press 🗎 and ↻ together to return to the **Home** display.

Press ↻

Pressing ↻ from the Output Power display may access further parameters. These may be in this scroll list if the 'Promote' feature has been used (see Chapter 3, *Edit Level*). When you reach the end of this scroll list, pressing ↻ will return you to the **Home** display.

MANUAL MODE

If the AUTO light is on, press the AUTO/MAN button to select manual mode. The MAN light comes on.



The Home display

Check that the MAN light is on.
The upper readout shows the measured temperature, or process value. The lower readout shows the % output.
To adjust the output, press ▲ or ▼.
(Note: If Output Rate Limit has been enabled, then the lower readout will show the working output. If ▲ or ▼ is pressed, it will change to show and allow adjustment of, the target output.)

Press ↺ once.

Display units

A single press of ↺ flashes the display units for 0.5 seconds, after which you are returned to the Home display.
Flashing of the display units may have been disabled in configuration, in which case a single press will take you straight to the display shown below.

Press ↺ twice.

Setpoint

To adjust the setpoint value, press ▲ or ▼.

Press ↺.

Pressing ↺ from the Output Power display may access further parameters. These may be in this scroll list if the 'Promote' feature has been used (see Chapter 3, *Edit Level*). When you reach the end of this scroll list, pressing ↺ will return you to the **Home** display.

PARAMETERS AND HOW TO ACCESS THEM

Parameters are settings, within the controller, that determine how the controller will operate. For example, alarm setpoints are parameters that set the points at which alarms will occur. For ease of access, the parameters are arranged in lists as shown in the navigation diagram on Pages 2-10 and 2-11. The lists are:

Home list
Run list
Programming list
Alarm list
Autotune list
PID list
Motor list
Setpoint list
Input list
Output list
Communications list
Information list
Access list.

Each list has a 'List Header' display.

List header displays

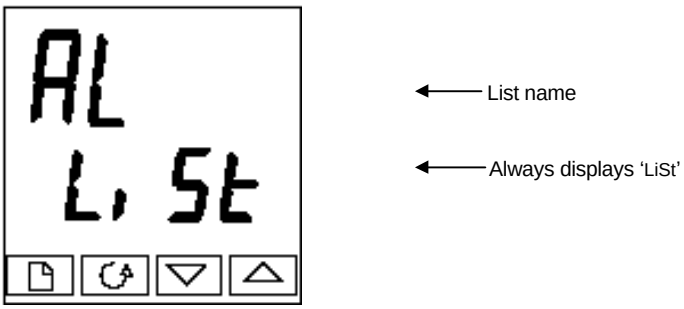


Figure 2-5 Typical list header display

A list header can be recognised by the fact that it always shows 'LiSt' in the lower readout. The upper readout is the name of the list. In the above example, 'AL' indicates that it is the Alarm list header. List header displays are read-only.

To step through the list headers, press . Depending upon how your controller has been configured, a single press may momentarily flash the display units. If this is the case, a double press will be necessary to take you to the first list header. Keep pressing to step through the list headers, eventually returning you to the Home display.

To step through the parameters within a particular list, press .
When you reach the end of the list, you will return to the list header.
From within a list you can return to the current list header at any time can by pressing . To step to the next list header, press once again.

Parameter names

In the navigation diagram, each box shows the display for a selected parameter.
The Operator parameter tables, later in this chapter, list all the parameter names and their meanings.

The navigation diagram shows all the parameters that can, *potentially*, be present in the controller. In practice, a limited number of them appear, as a result of the particular configuration.

The shaded boxes in the diagram indicate parameters that are hidden in normal operation. To view all the available parameters, you must select Full access level. For more information about this, see Chapter 3, *Access Levels*.

Parameter displays

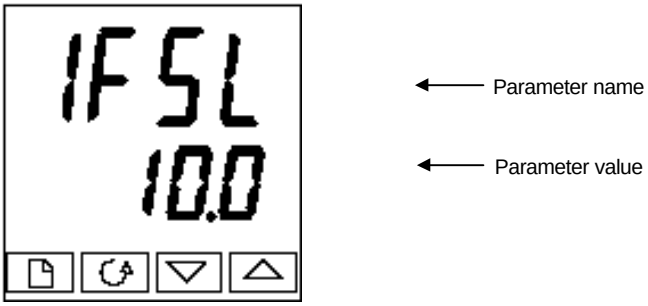


Figure 2-6 Typical parameter display

Parameter displays show the controller's current settings. The layout of parameter displays is always the same: the upper readout shows the parameter name and the lower readout its value. In the above example, the parameter name is 1FSL (indicating *Alarm 1, full scale low*), and the parameter value is 10.0.

To change the value of a parameter

First, select the required parameter.
To change the value, press either ▲ or ▼. During adjustment, single presses change the value by one digit.
Keeping the button pressed speeds up the rate of change.
Two seconds after releasing either button, the display blinks to show that the controller has accepted the new value.

NAVIGATION DIAGRAM *(PART A)* *(The parameters that appear depend upon how the controller has been configured)*

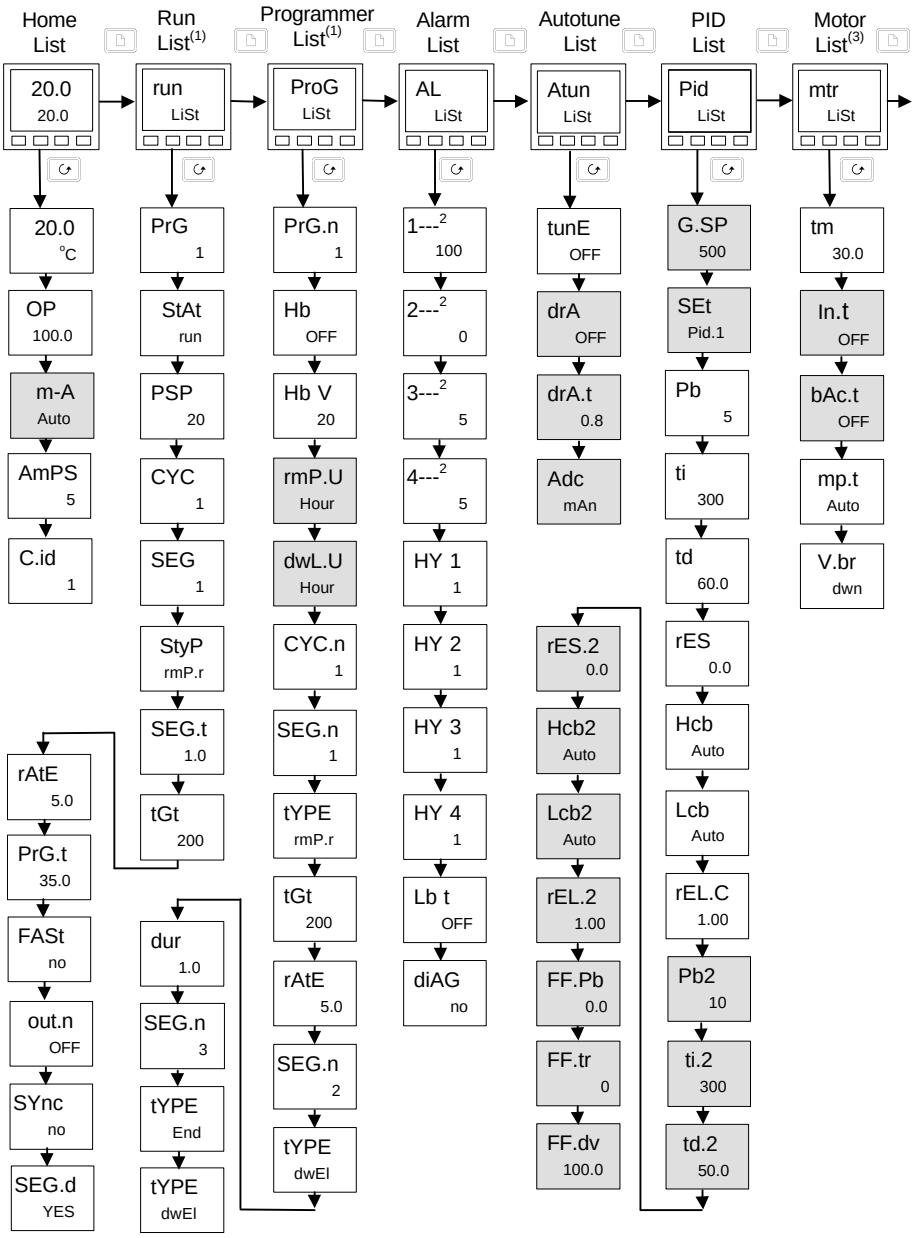
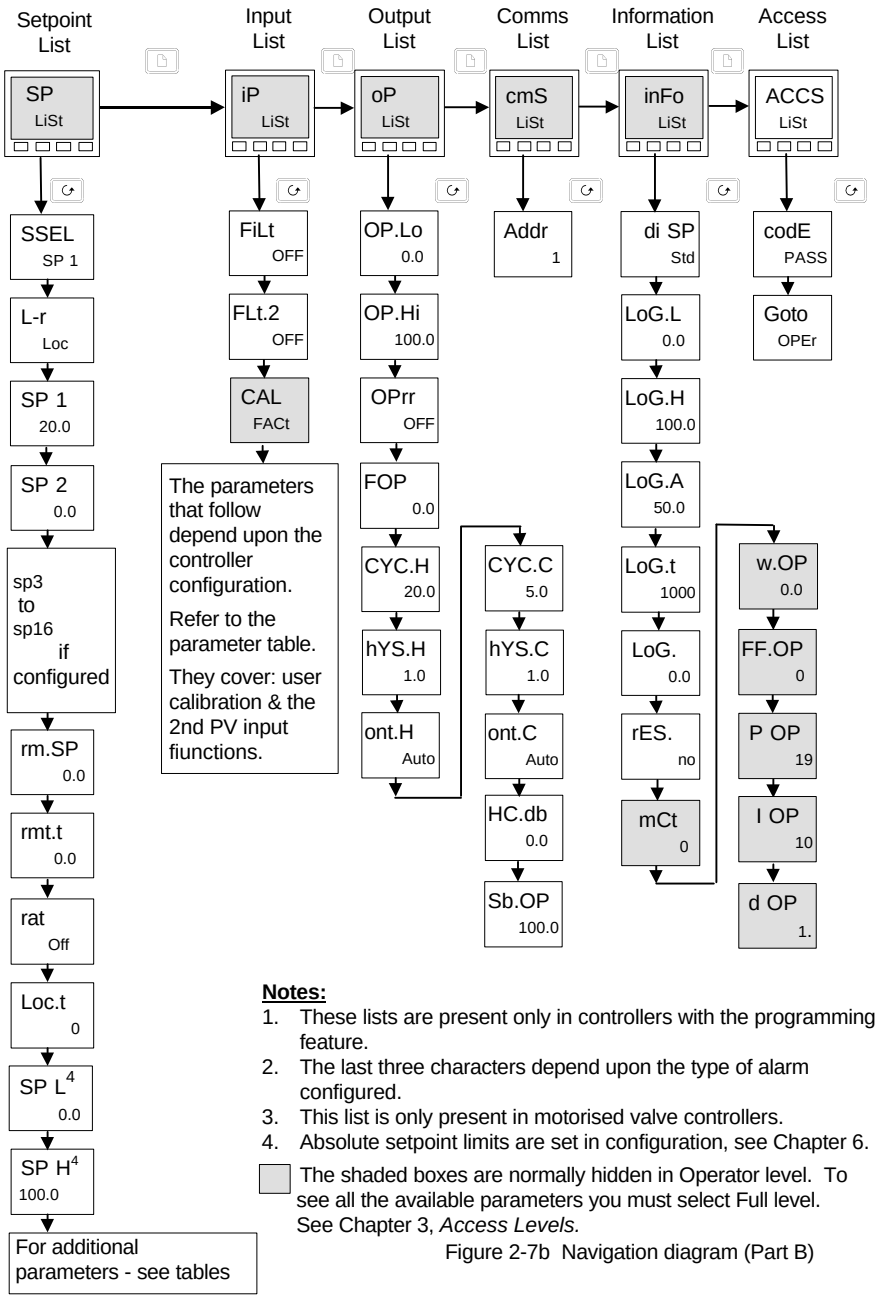


Figure 2-7a Navigation diagram (Part A)

NAVIGATION DIAGRAM *(PART B)*



Notes:

1. These lists are present only in controllers with the programming feature.
2. The last three characters depend upon the type of alarm configured.
3. This list is only present in motorised valve controllers.
4. Absolute setpoint limits are set in configuration, see Chapter 6.

The shaded boxes are normally hidden in Operator level. To see all the available parameters you must select Full level. See Chapter 3, *Access Levels.*

Figure 2-7b Navigation diagram (Part B)

PARAMETER TABLES

Name	Description

	Home list
Home	Measured value and Setpoint
OP	% Output level
SP	Target setpoint (if in Manual mode)
m-A	Auto-man select
AmPS	Heater current (With PDSIO mode 2)
C.id	Customer defined identification number
+ Extra parameters, if the 'Promote' feature has been used (see Chapter 3, *Edit Level).*	

run	**Program run list** – *Present only in setpoint programming controllers*
PrG	Active program number (Only on 4, or 20, program versions)
StAt	Program status (OFF, run, hoLd, HbAc, End)
PSP	Programmer setpoint
CYC	Number of cycles remaining in the program
SEG	Active segment number
StyP	Active segment type
SEG.t	Segment time remaining in the segment units
tGt	Target setpoint
rAtE	Ramp rate (if a rate segment)
PrG.t	Program time remaining in hours
FASt	Fast run through program (no / YES)
out.n	Event output states (OFF / on) (*not 8-segment programmer*)
SYnc	Segment synchronisation (no / YES) (*not 8-segment programmer*)
SEG.d	Flash active segment type in the lower readout of the home display (no / YES)

ProG	**Program edit list** – *Present only in setpoint programming controller.* *For a fuller explanation of these parameters refer to Chapter 5s*
PrG.n	Select program number (Only on 4, or 20, program versions)
Hb	Holdback type for the program as a whole (if configured)(OFF, Lo, Hi, or bAnd)
Hb V	Holdback value (in display units)
rmP.U	Ramp units (SEc, min, or Hour) [*for both* **rmP.r** *and* **rmP.t** *type segments*]
dwL.U	Dwell units (SEc, min, or Hour)
CYC.n	Number of program cycles (1 to 999, or 'cont')
SEG.n	Segment number
tYPE	Segment type:(**End**) (**rmP.r**=ramp rate) (**rmP.t**=ramp time) (**dwel**) (**StEP**) (**cALL**)
The following parameters depend on the tYPE *selected, as shown below.*	

	End	rmP.r	rmP.t	dwEl	StEP	cALL	
Hb							Holdback type: OFF, Lo, Hi, or bAnd
tGt		✓	✓		✓		Target setpoint for a 'rmP' or 'StEP' segment
rAtE		✓					Ramp rate for a 'rmP.r' segment
dur			✓	✓			'dwEl' time / Time to target for a 'rmP.t' segment
PrG.n						✓	cALLed ProGram number
cYc.n						✓	No. of cycles of cALLed program
outn	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		Event output: OFF/on (*not 8-segment programmer*)
SYnc		✓	✓	✓	✓		Segment synchronisation: no/YES (*not 8-seg progr*)
End.t	✓						End of prog – dwEl, RSEt, S OP
Pwr							Power level in end segment

Name	Description
AL	**Alarm list**
1 - - -	Alarm 1 setpoint value
2 - - -	Alarm 2 setpoint value
3 - - -	Alarm 3 setpoint value
4 - - -	Alarm 4 setpoint value
In place of dashes, the last three characters indicate the alarm type. See alarm types table:	
HY 1	Alarm 1 Hysteresis (display units)
HY 2	Alarm 2 Hysteresis (display units)
HY 3	Alarm 3 Hysteresis (display units)
HY 4	Alarm 4 Hysteresis (display units)
Lb t	Loop Break Time in **min**utes
diAG	Enable Diagnostic alarms 'no' / 'YES'
	Alarm types table
-FSL	PV Full scale low alarm
-FSH	PV Full scale high alarm
-dEv	PV Deviation band alarm
-dHi	PV Deviation high alarm
-dLo	PV Deviation low alarm
-LCr	Load Current low alarm
-HCr	Load Current high alarm
-FL2	Input 2 Full Scale low alarm
-FH2	Input 2 Full Scale high alarm
-LOP	Working Output low alarm
-HOP	Working Output high alarm
-LSP	Working Setpoint low alarm
-HSP	Working Setpoint high alarm
4rAt	Rate of change alarm (*AL 4 only*)

Atun	Autotune list
tunE	One-shot autotune enable
drA	Adaptive tune enable
drA.t	Adaptive tune trigger level in display units. Range = 1 to 9999
Adc	Automatic Droop Compensation (PD control only)

Name	Description
Pid	**PID list**
G.SP	If Gain Scheduling has been enabled (see Chapter 4), this parameter sets the PV below which 'Pid.1' is active and above which 'Pid.2' is active.
SEt	'Pid.1' or 'Pid.2' selected
Pb	Proportional Band (in display units) (SEt 1)
ti	Integral Time in secs (SEt 1)
td	Derivative Time in secs (SEt 1)
rES	Manual Reset (%) (SEt 1)
Hcb	Cutback High (SEt 1)
Lcb	Cutback Low (SEt 1)
rEL.C	Relative Cool Gain (SEt 1)
Pb2	Proportional Band (SEt 2)
ti2	Integral Time in secs (SEt 2)
td2	Derivative Time in secs (SEt 2)
rES.2	Manual Reset (%) (SEt 2)
Hcb2	Cutback High (SEt 2)
Lcb2	Cutback Low (SEt 2)
rEL.2	Relative Cool Gain (SEt 2)
The following three parameters are used for cascade control. If this facility is not being used, then they can be ignored.	
FF.Pb	SP, or PV, feedforward propband
FF.tr	Feedforward trim %
FF.dv	PID feedforward limits ± %

mtr	**Motor list -** *see Table 4-3*
tm	Valve travel time in seconds
In.t	Valve inertia time in secs
bAc.t	Valve backlash time in secs
mp.t	Minimum ON time of output pulse
U.br	Valve sensor break strategy

Name	Description

SP	Setpoint list
SSEL	Select SP 1 to SP16, depending on configuration
L-r	Local (Loc) or remote (rmt) setpoint select
SP 1	Setpoint one value
SP 2	Setpoint two value
rm.SP	Remote setpoint value
rmt.t	Remote setpoint trim
rat	Ratio setpoint
Loc.t	Local setpoint trim
SP L	Setpoint 1 low limit
SP H	Setpoint 1 high limit
SP2.L	Setpoint 2 low limit
SP2.H	Setpoint 2 high limit
SPrr	Setpoint Rate Limit
Hb.ty	Holdback Type for setpoint rate limit (OFF, Lo, Hi, or bAnd)
Hb	Holdback Value for setpoint rate limit in display units. (Hb.ty ≠ Off)

iP	Input list
FiLt	IP1 filter time constant (0.0 - 999.9 seconds).
FLt.2	IP2 filter time constant (0.0 - 999.9 seconds).
Hi.IP Lo.Ip	Transition of control between ip.1 and ip.2. (*if configured*) The transition region is set by the values of 'Lo.Ip' and 'Hi.Ip'. PV = ip.1 below 'Lo.Ip' PV = ip.2 above 'Hi.Ip'
F.1 F.2	Derived function, (*if configured*) PV = (f.1 x iP1) + (f.2 x iP2). 'F.1' and 'F.2' are scalars with the range -9.99 to 10.00
PV.ip	Selects 'ip.1' or 'ip.2'
Continued in next column	

Name	Description

iP	Input list - *continued*
The next 3 parameters appear if User Calibration has been enabled. (*Refer to Chapter 7.) By default they are hidden when in Operator level. To prevent unauthorised adjustment, we recommend that they are only made available in* FuLL *access level.*	
CAL	'FACt' - *reinstates the factory calibration and disables User calibration. Next 2 parameters will not appear.* 'USEr' - *reinstates any previously set User calibration. All parameters below now appear.*
CAL.s	Selected calibration point – 'nonE', 'iP1.L', 'ip1.H', 'iP2.L', 'ip2.H'
AdJ *	User calibration adjust, if CAL.s = 'iP1.L', 'ip1.H', 'iP2.L', 'ip2.H'
OFS.1	IP1 calibration offset
OFS.2	IP2 calibration offset
mV.1	IP1 measured value (at terminals)
mV.2	IP2 measured value (at terminals), if DC input in Module 3 position
CJC.1	IP1 cold junction temp. reading
CJC.2	IP2 cold junction temp. reading
Li.1	IP1 linearised value
Li.2	IP2 linearised value
PV.SL	Shows the currently selected PV input - 'ip.1' or 'ip.2'

** Do not make adjustments using the* AdJ *parameter unless you wish to change the controller calibration.*

Name	Description

oP	Output list
Does not appear if Motorised Valve control configured.	
OP.Lo	Low power limit (%)
OP.Hi	High power limit (%)
OPrr	Output Rate Limit (% per sec)
FOP	Forced output level (%)
CYC.H	Heat cycle time (0.2S to 999.9S)
hYS.H	Heat hysteresis (display units)
ont.H	Heat output min. on-time (secs) Auto (0.05S), or 0.1 - 999.9S
CYC.C	Cool cycle time (0.2S to 999.9S)
hYS.C	Cool hysteresis (display units)
ont.C	Cool output min. on-time (secs) Auto (0.05S), or 0.1 - 999.9S
HC.db	Heat/cool deadband (display units)
Sb.OP	Sensor Break Output Power (%)

cmS	Comms list
Addr	Communications Address

inFo	Information list
diSP	Configure lower readout of Home display to show: VPoS Valve position Std Standard - display setpoint AmPS Load current in amps OP Output Stat Program status PrG.t Program time remaining in hours Li 2 Process value 2 rAt Ratio setpoint PrG Selected program number rSP Remote setpoint
LoG.L	PV minimum
LoG.H	PV maximum
LoG.A	PV mean value
Log.t	Time PV above Threshold level
Log.v	PV Threshold for Timer Log
Continued in next column	

Name	Description

inFo	Information list - *continued*
rES.L	Logging Reset - 'YES/no'
The following set of parameters is for diagnostic purposes.	
mCt	Processor utilisation factor
w.OP	Working output
FF.OP	Feedforward component of output
VO	PID output to motorised valve
P OP	Proportional component of output
I OP	Integral component of output
d OP	Derivative component of output

ACCS	Access List
codE	Access password
Goto	Goto level - OPEr, FuLL, Edit or conF
ConF	Configuration password

ALARMS

Alarm annunciation

Alarms are flashed as messages in the Home display. A new alarm is displayed as a double flash followed by a pause, old (acknowledged) alarms as a single flash followed by a pause. If there is more than one alarm condition, the display cycles through all the relevant alarm messages. Table 2-1 and Table 2-2 list all of the possible alarm messages and their meanings.

Alarm acknowledgement and resetting

Pressing both and at the same time will acknowledge any new alarms and reset any latched alarms.

Alarm modes

Alarms will have been set up to operate in one of several modes, either:

- **Non-latching**, which means that the alarm will reset automatically when the Process Value is no longer in the alarm condition.
- **Latching**, which means that the alarm message will continue to flash even if the alarm condition no longer exists and will only clear when reset.
- **Blocking,** which means that the alarm will only become active after it has first entered a safe state on power-up.

Alarm types

There are **two** types of alarm: **Process alarms** and **Diagnostic alarms.**

Process alarms

These warn that there is a problem with the process which the controller is trying to control.

Alarm Display	What it means
_FSL*	PV Full Scale Low alarm
_FSH*	PV Full Scale High alarm
_dEv*	PV Deviation Band alarm
_dHi*	PV Deviation High alarm
_dLo*	PV Deviation Low alarm
_LCr*	Load Current Low alarm
_HCr*	Load Current High alarm

Alarm Display	What it means
_FL2*	Input 2 Full Scale Low alarm
_FH2*	Input 2 Full Scale High alarm
_LOP*	Working Output Low alarm
_HOP*	Working Output High alarm
_LSP*	Working Setpoint Low alarm
_HSP*	Working Setpoint High alarm
4rAt	PV Rate of change alarm *Always assigned to Alarm 4*

** In place of the dash, the first character will indicate the alarm number.*

Table 2-1 Process alarms

Diagnostic alarms

These indicate that a fault exists in either the controller or the connected devices.

Display shows	What it means	What to do about it
EE.Er	*Electrically Erasable Memory Error:* The value of an operator, or configuration, parameter has been corrupted.	This fault will automatically take you into Configuration level. Check all of the configuration parameters before returning to Operator level. Once in Operator level, check all of the operator parameters before resuming normal operation. If the fault persists, or occurs frequently, contact Eurotherm Controls.
S.br	*Sensor Break:* Input sensor is unreliable or the input signal is out of range.	Check that the sensor is correctly connected.
L.br	*Loop Break* The feedback loop is open circuit.	Check that the heating and cooling circuits are working properly.
Ld.F	*Load failure* Indication that there is a fault in the heating circuit or the solid state relay.	This is an alarm generated by feedback from a Eurotherm TE10S solid state relay (SSR) operating in PDSIO mode 1 - see Chapter 1, *Electrical Installation*. It indicates either an open or short circuit SSR, blown fuse, missing supply or open circuit heater.
SSr.F	*Solid state relay failure* Indication that there is a fault in the solid state relay.	This is an alarm generated by feedback from a Eurotherm TE10S solid state relay (SSR) operating in PDSIO mode 2 - see Chapter 1, *Electrical Installation*. It indicates either an open or short circuit condition in the SSR.
Htr.F	*Heater failure* Indication that there is a fault in heating circuit.	This is an alarm generated by feedback from a Eurotherm TE10S solid state relay (SSR) operating in PDSIO mode 2 - see Chapter 1, *Electrical Installation*. It indicates either a blown fuse, missing supply, or open circuit heater.
Hw.Er	*Hardware error* Indication that a module is of the wrong type, missing, or faulty.	Check that the correct modules are fitted.
no.io	*No I/O* None of the expected I/O modules is fitted.	This error message normally occurs when pre-configuring a controller without installing any of the required I/O modules.

Table 2-2a Diagnostic alarms - *continued on the next page*

Diagnostic alarms (continued)

These indicate that a fault exists in either the controller, or the connected devices.

Display shows	What it means	What to do about it
rmt.F	*Remote input failure.* Either the PDSIO input, or the remote DC input, is open or short circuit	Check for open, or short circuit wiring on the PDSIO, or remote DC, input.
LLLL	*Out of range low reading*	Check the value of the input.
HHHH	*Out of range high reading*	Check the value of the input.
Err1	*Error 1:* ROM self-test fail	Return the controller for repair.
Err2	*Error 2:* RAM self-test fail	Return the controller for repair.
Err3	*Error 3:* Watchdog fail	Return the controller for repair.
Err4	*Error 4:* Keyboard failure Stuck button, or a button was pressed during power up.	Switch the power off and then on, without touching any of the controller buttons.
Err5	*Error 5:* Faulty internal communications.	Check printed circuit board interconnections. If the fault cannot be cleared, return the controller for repair.

Table 2-2b Diagnostic alarms

Chapter 3 ACCESS LEVELS

This chapter describes the different levels of access to the operating parameters within the controller.

There are three topics:

- THE DIFFERENT ACCESS LEVELS
- SELECTING AN ACCESS LEVEL
- EDIT LEVEL

THE DIFFERENT ACCESS LEVELS

There are four access levels:

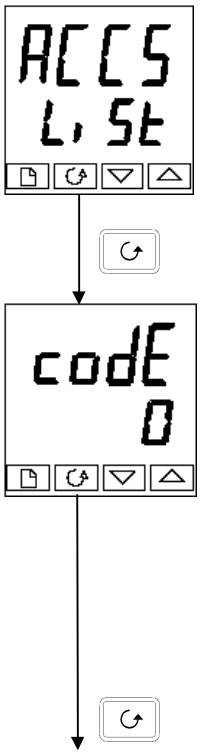
- **Operator level**, which you will normally use to operate the controller.
- **Full level**, which is used to commission the controller.
- **Edit level**, which is used to set up the parameters that you want an operator to be able to see and adjust when in Operator level.
- **Configuration level**, which is used to set up the fundamental characteristics of the controller.

Access level	Display shows	What you can do	Password Protection
Operator	OPEr	In this level, operators can view and adjust the value of parameters defined in Edit level (see below).	No
Full	FuLL	In this level, all the parameters relevant to a particular configuration are visible. All alterable parameters may be adjusted.	Yes
Edit	Edit	In this level, you can determine which parameters an operator is able to view and adjust in Operator level. You can hide, or reveal, complete lists, individual parameters within each list and you can make parameters read-only or alterable. (See *Edit level* at the end of this chapter).	Yes
Configuration	conF	This special level allows access to set up the fundamental characteristics of the controller.	Yes

Figure 3-1 Access levels

SELECTING AN ACCESS LEVEL

Access to Full, Edit or Configuration levels is protected by a password to prevent unauthorised access.
If you need to change the password, see Chapter 6, *Configuration*.



Access list header

Press until you reach the access list header 'ACCS'.

Press

Password entry

The password is entered from the 'codE' display. Enter the password using ▲ or ▼. Once the correct password has been entered, there is a two second delay after which the lower readout will change to show 'PASS' indicating that access is now unlocked.
The pass number is set to '1' when the controller is shipped from the factory.

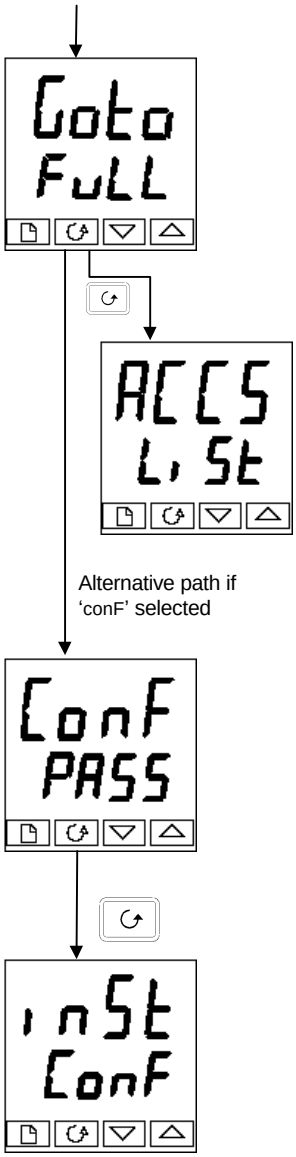
Note; A special case exists if the password has been set to '0'. In this case access will be permanently unlocked and the lower readout will always show 'PASS'.

Press to proceed to the 'Goto' *page*.

(If an *incorrect* password has been entered and the controller is still 'locked' then pressing returns you to the 'ACCS' list header.)

Access to Read-only Configuration

From this display, pressing ▲ and ▼ together will take you into Read-Only Configuration without entering a password. This will allow you to view all of the configuration parameters, but not adjust them. If no button is pressed for ten seconds, you will be returned to the Home display. Alternatively, pressing and together takes you immediately back to the Home display.



Level selection

The 'Goto' display allows you to select the required access level.
Use ▲ and ▼ to select from the following display codes:

OPEr:	Operator level
FuLL:	Full level
Edit:	Edit level
conF:	Configuration level

Press ↻

If you selected either 'OPEr', 'FuLL' or 'Edit' level you will be returned to the 'ACCS' list header in the level that you chose. If you selected 'conF', you will get a display showing 'ConF' in the upper readout (see below).

Configuration password

When the 'ConF' display appears, you must enter the Configuration password in order to gain access to this level. Do this by repeating the password entry procedure described in the previous section.
The configuration password is set to '2' when the controller is shipped from the factory. If you need to change the configuration password, see Chapter 6, *Configuration.*

Press ↻

Configuration level

The first display of configuration is shown. See Chapter 6, *Configuration,* for details of the configuration parameters.
For instructions on leaving configuration level, see Chapter 6, *Configuration.*

Returning to Operator Level

To return to operator level from either 'FuLL' or 'Edit' level, repeat entry of the password and select 'OPEr' on the 'Goto' display. In 'Edit' level, the controller will automatically return to operator level if no button is pressed for 45 seconds.

EDIT LEVEL

Edit level is used to set which parameters you can view and adjust in Operator level. It also gives access to the 'Promote' feature, which allows you to select and add ('Promote') up to twelve parameters into the Home display list, thereby giving simple access to commonly used parameters.

Setting operator access to a parameter

First you must select Edit level, as shown on the previous page.
Once in Edit level, you select a list, or a parameter within a list, in the same way as you would in Operator, or Full, level – that is to say, you move from list header to list header by pressing [ ], and from parameter to parameter within each list using [ ].
However, in Edit level what is displayed is not the value of a selected parameter, but a code representing that parameter's availability in Operator level.
When you have selected the required parameter, use [▲] and [▼] buttons to set its availability in Operator level.

There are four codes:

ALtr Makes a parameter alterable in Operator level.
PrO Promotes a parameter into the Home display list.
rEAd Makes a parameter, or list header, read-only *(it can be viewed but not altered).*
HIdE Hides a parameter, or list header.

For example:

The parameter selected is Alarm 2, Full Scale Low

It will be alterable in Operator level

Hiding or revealing a complete list

To hide a complete list of parameters, all you have to do is hide the list header. If a list header is selected, only two selections are available: rEAd and HIdE.
(It is not possible to hide the 'ACCS' list, which always displays the code: 'LiSt'.)

Promoting a parameter

Scroll through the lists to the required parameter and choose the 'PrO' code. The parameter is then automatically added (promoted) into the Home display list. (The parameter will also be accessible, as normal, from the standard lists.) A maximum of twelve parameters can be promoted. Promoted parameters are automatically 'alterable'.

Please note, in the 'PrOG List', the parameters from segment number (SEG.n) onwards *cannot* be promoted.

Chapter 4 TUNING

Before tuning, please read Chapter 2, *Operation*, to learn how to select and change a parameter.

This chapter has five topics:

- WHAT IS TUNING?
- AUTOMATIC TUNING
- MANUAL TUNING
- COMMISSIONING OF MOTORISED VALVE CONTROLLERS
- GAIN SCHEDULING

WHAT IS TUNING?

In tuning, you match the characteristics of the controller to those of the process being controlled in order to obtain good control. Good control means:

- Stable, ‘straight-line’ control of the temperature at setpoint without fluctuation
- No overshoot, or undershoot, of the temperature setpoint
- Quick response to deviations from the setpoint caused by external disturbances, thereby rapidly restoring the temperature to the setpoint value.

Tuning involves calculating and setting the value of the parameters listed in Table 4-1. These parameters appear in the ‘Pid’ list.

Parameter	Code	Meaning or Function
Proportional band	Pb	The bandwidth, in display units, over which the output power is proportioned between minimum and maximum.
Integral time	ti	Determines the time taken by the controller to remove steady-state error signals.
Derivative time	td	Determines how strongly the controller will react to the rate-of-change of the measured value.
High Cutback	Hcb	The number of display units, above setpoint, at which the controller will increase the output power, in order to prevent undershoot on cool down.
Low cutback	Lcb	The number of display units, below setpoint, at which the controller will cutback the output power, in order to prevent overshoot on heat up.
Relative cool gain	rEL	Only present if cooling has been configured and a module is fitted. Sets the cooling proportional band, which equals the Pb value divided by the rEL value.

Table 4-1 Tuning parameters

AUTOMATIC TUNING

Two automatic tuning methods are provided in the 2408 and 2404:

- **A one-shot tuner,** which automatically sets up the initial values of the parameters listed in Table 4-1 on the previous page.
- **Adaptive tuning,** which continuously monitors the error from setpoint and modifies the PID values, if necessary.

One-shot Tuning

The 'one-shot' tuner works by switching the output on and off to induce an oscillation in the measured value. From the amplitude and period of the oscillation, it calculates the tuning parameter values.
If the process cannot tolerate full heating or cooling being applied during tuning, then the level of heating or cooling can be restricted by setting the heating and cooling power limits in the 'oP' list. However, the measured value *must* oscillate to some degree for the tuner to be able to calculate values.
A One-shot Tune can be performed at any time, but normally it is performed only once during the initial commissioning of the process. However, if the process under control subsequently becomes unstable (because its characteristics have changed), you can re-tune again for the new conditions.
It is best to start tuning with the process at ambient temperature. This allows the tuner to calculate more accurately the low cutback and high cutback values which restrict the amount of overshoot, or undershoot.

How to tune

1. Set the setpoint to the value at which you will normally operate the process.

2. In the 'Atun' list, select 'tunE' and set it to 'on'.

3. Press the Page and Scroll buttons together to return to the Home display. The display will flash 'tunE' to indicate that tuning is in progress.

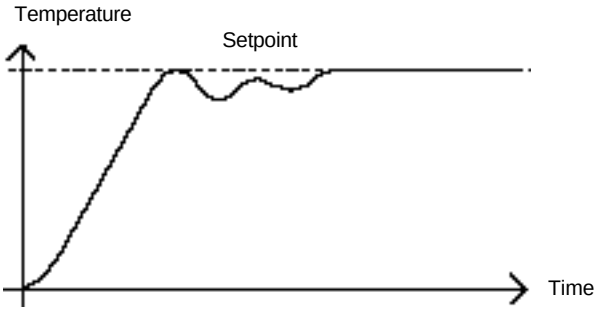
4. The controller induces an oscillation in the temperature by first turning the heating on, and then off. The first cycle is not complete until the measured value has reached the required setpoint.

5. After two cycles of oscillation the tuning is completed and the tuner switches itself off.

6. The controller then calculates the tuning parameters listed in Table 4-1 and resumes normal control action.

If you want 'Proportional only', 'PD', or 'PI' control, you should set the 'ti' or 'td' parameters to OFF before commencing the tuning cycle. The tuner will leave them off and will not calculate a value for them.

Typical automatic tuning cycle



Calculation of the cutback values

Low cutback and *High cutback* are values that restrict the amount of overshoot, or undershoot, that occurs during large step changes in temperature (for example, under start-up conditions).
If either low cutback, or high cutback, is set to 'Auto' the values are fixed at three times the proportional band, and are not changed during automatic tuning.

Adaptive tune

Adaptive tuning is a background algorithm, which continuously monitors the error from setpoint and analyses the control response during process disturbances. If the algorithm recognises an oscillatory, or under-damped, response it recalculates the Pb, ti and td values.

Adaptive tune is triggered whenever the error from setpoint exceeds a trigger level. This trigger level is set in the parameter 'drA.t', which is found in the Autotune list. The value is in display units. It is automatically set by the controller, but can also be manually
re-adjusted.

Adaptive tune should be used with:
1. Processes whose characteristics change as a result of changes in the load, or setpoint.
2. Processes that cannot tolerate the oscillation induced by a One-shot tune.

Adaptive tune should not be used:
1. Where the process is subjected to regular external disturbances that could mislead the adaptive tuner.
2. On highly interactive multiloop applications. However, moderately interactive loops, such as multi-zone extruders, should not give a problem.

MANUAL TUNING

If for any reason automatic tuning gives unsatisfactory results, you can tune the controller manually. There are a number of standard methods for manual tuning. The one described here is the Ziegler-Nichols method.

With the process at its normal running temperature:

1. Set the Integral Time 'ti' and the Derivative Time 'td' to OFF.

2. Set High Cutback and Low Cutback, 'Hcb' and 'Lcb', to 'Auto'.

3. Ignore the fact that the temperature may not settle precisely at the setpoint.

4. If the temperature is stable, reduce the proportional band 'Pb' so that the temperature just starts to oscillate. If the temperature is already oscillating, increase the proportional band until it just stops oscillating. Allow enough time between each adjustment for the loop to stabilise. Make a note of the proportional band value 'B' and the period of oscillation 'T'.

5. Set the Pb, ti, td parameter values according to the calculations given in Table 4-2.

Type of control	Proportional band 'Pb'	Integral time 'ti'	Derivative time 'td'
Proportional only	2xB	OFF	OFF
P + I control	2.2xB	0.8xT	OFF
P + I + D control	1.7xB	0.5xT	0.12xT

Table 4-2 Tuning values

Setting the cutback values

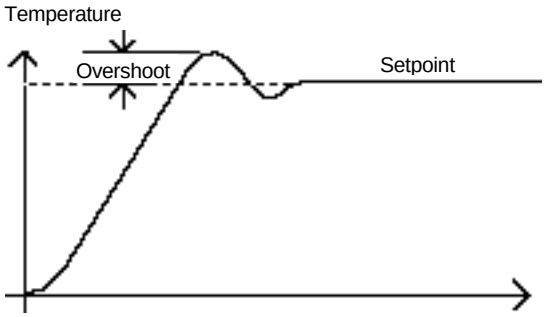
The above procedure sets up the parameters for optimum steady state control. If unacceptable levels of overshoot or undershoot occur during start-up, or for large step changes in temperature, then manually set the cutback parameters 'Lcb' and 'Hcb'.

Proceed as follows:

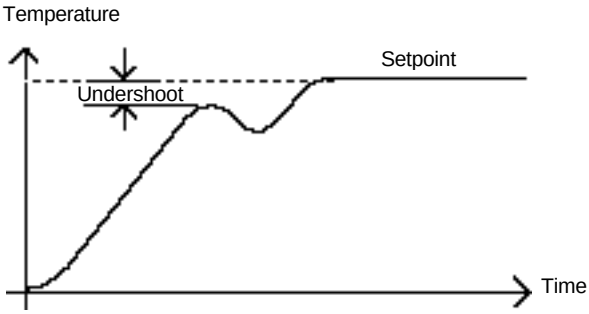
1. Set the low and high cutback values to three proportional bandwidths (that is to say, Lcb = Hcb = 3 x Pb).
2. Note the level of overshoot, or undershoot, that occurs for large temperature changes (see the diagrams below).

In example (a) increase 'Lcb' by the overshoot value. In example (b) reduce 'Lcb' by the undershoot value.

Example (a)



Example (b)



Where the temperature approaches setpoint from above, you can set 'Hcb' in a similar manner.

Integral action and manual reset

In a full three-term controller (that is, a PID controller), the integral term 'ti' automatically removes steady state errors from the setpoint. If the controller is set up to work in two-term mode (that is, PD mode), the integral term will be set to 'OFF'. Under these conditions the measured value may not settle precisely at setpoint. When the integral term is set to 'OFF' the parameter *manual reset* (code 'rES') appears in the 'Pid LiSt' in 'FuLL' level. This parameter represents the value of the power output that will be delivered when the error is zero. You must set this value manually in order to remove the steady state error.

Automatic droop compensation (Adc)

The steady state error from the setpoint, which occurs when the integral term is set to 'OFF' is sometimes referred to as 'droop'. 'Adc' automatically calculates the manual reset value in order to remove this droop. To use this facility, you must first allow the temperature to stabilise. Then, in the autotune parameter list, you must set 'Adc' to 'on'. The controller will then calculate a new value for manual reset, and switch 'Adc' to 'OFF'.

'Adc' can be repeated as often as you require, but between each adjustment you must allow time for the temperature to stabilise.

MOTORISED VALVE CONTROL

The 2408 and 2404 can be configured for motorised valve control as an alternative to the standard PID control algorithm. This algorithm is designed specifically for positioning motorised valves.
These are ordered pre-configured as Model numbers:

- 2408/VC and 2404/VC motorised valve controllers
- 2408/VP and 2404/VP motorised valve controllers with a single setpoint programmer
- 2408/V4 and 2404/V4 motorised valve controllers storing four setpoint programs.
- 2408/VM and 2404/VM motorised valve controllers storing twenty setpoint programs.

Figure 1-11 in Chapter 1 shows how to connect a motorised valve controller. The control is performed by delivering open, or close, pulses in response to the control demand signal.

The motorised valve algorithm can operate in one of three ways:
1. The so-called *boundless* mode, which does not require a position feedback potentiometer for control purposes; although one can be connected and used purely to display the valve's position.
2. Bounded, (*or position*), control mode, which requires a feedback potentiometer. This is closed-loop control determined by the valve's position.

The desired control mode is selected in the 'inst' list in configuration level.

The following parameter list will appear in the navigation diagram shown in Chapter 2, if your controller is configured for motorised valve control.

Name	Description	Values		
mtr	**Motor list**	**Min**	**Max**	**Default**
tm	Valve travel time in seconds. This is the time taken for the valve to travel from its fully closed position to its fully open position.	0.1	240.0	30.0
In.t	Valve inertia time in seconds. This is the time taken for the valve to stop moving after the output pulse is switched off.	OFF	20.0	OFF
bAc.t	Valve backlash time in seconds. This is the minimum on-time required to reverse the direction of the valve. i.e. the time to overcome the mechanical backlash.	OFF	20.0	OFF
mp.t	Output pulse minimum on-time, in seconds.	Auto	100.0	Auto
U.br	Valve sensor break strategy.	rESt, uP, dwn		dwn

Table 4-3 Motorised valve parameter list

COMMISSIONING THE MOTORISED VALVE CONTROLLER

The commissioning procedure is the same for both bounded and boundless control modes, except in bounded mode you must first calibrate the position feedback potentiometer, as described in the section below.
Proceed as follows:

1. Measure the time taken for the valve to be raised from its fully closed to its fully open position and enter this as the value in seconds into the 'tm' parameter.
2. Set all the other parameters to the default values shown in Table 4-3.

The controller can then be tuned using any of the automatic, or manual, tuning procedures described earlier in this chapter. As before, the tuning process, either automatic or manual, involves setting the values of the parameters in Table 4-1. The only difference with boundless control is that the derivative term 'td', although present, will have no effect.

Adjusting the minimum on-time 'mp.t'

The default value of 0.2 seconds is satisfactory for most processes. If, however, after tuning the process, the valve activity is excessively high, with constant oscillation between raise and lower pulses, the minimum on-time can be increased.
The minimum on-time determines how accurately the valve can be positioned and therefore the control accuracy. The shorter the time, the more precise the control. However, if the time is set too short, process noise will cause an excessively busy valve.

Inertia and backlash settings

The default values are satisfactory for most processes, i.e. 'OFF'.
Inertia is the time taken for the valve to stop after the output pulse is turned off. If this causes a control problem, the inertia time needs to be determined and then entered into the parameter, 'In.t'. The inertia time is subtracted from the raise and lower output pulse times, so that the valve moves the correct distance for each pulse.
Backlash is the output pulse time required to reverse the direction of the valve, i.e. the time taken to overcome the mechanical backlash of the linkages. If the backlash is sufficient to cause a control problem, then the backlash time needs to be determined and then entered into the parameter, 'bac.t'.
The above two values are not part of the automatic tuning procedure and must be entered manually.

CALIBRATING THE POSITION FEEDBACK POTENTIOMETER

Before proceeding with the feedback potentiometer calibration, you should ensure, in configuration level, that module position 2 (2a), or 3 (3a), has its 'id' indicating 'Pot.i', (meaning *Potentiometer Input*). Continue to scroll down the module configuration list. 'func' should be set to 'Vpos', 'VAL.L' must be set to '0' and 'VAL.H' to '100'.
Exit from configuration and you are now ready to calibrate the position feedback potentiometer. Proceed as follows.

1. In Operator level, press the AUTO/MAN button to put the controller in Manual mode.
2. Drive the valve to its fully open position using ▲.
3. Press 🗎 until you get to 'ip-List'.
4. Press ↻ to get to 'PCAL-OFF'.
5. Press ▲ or ▼ to turn 'PCAL' to 'on'.
6. Press ↻ and the upper readout indicates 'Pot'.
7. Press ▲ or ▼ to get to 'Pot-3A.Hi'. *(Assuming that the Potentiometer Input Module is in module position 3.)*
8. Press ↻ to go to 'GO-no'.
9. Press ▲ or ▼ to see 'GO-YES', which starts the calibration procedure.
10. Calibration is complete when the display returns to 'GO-no'.
11. Press 🗎 and ↻ together to return directly to the Operator level.
12. The controller should still be in Manual mode.
13. Drive the valve to its fully closed position using ▼.
14. Press 🗎 until you get to 'ip-List'.
15. Press ↻ to get to 'PCAL-OFF'.
16. Press ▲ or ▼ to turn 'PCAL' to 'on'.
17. Press ↻ and the upper readout indicates 'Pot'.
18. Press ▲ or ▼ to get to 'Pot-3A.Lo'
19. Press ↻ to go to 'GO-no'.
20. Press ▲ or ▼ to see 'GO-YES', which starts the calibration procedure.
21. Calibration is complete when the display returns to 'GO-no'.
22. Press 🗎 and ↻ together to return directly to the Operator level.
23. Press the AUTO/MAN button to place the controller in AUTO and the calibration of the position feedback potentiometer is now complete.

GAIN SCHEDULING

Gain scheduling is the automatic transfer of control between one set of PID values and another. In the case of the 2408 and 2404 controllers, this is done at a presettable process value. It is used for the more difficult to control processes which exhibit large changes in their response time or sensitivity at, for example, high and low temperatures, or when heating or cooling.

The 2408 and 2404 has two sets of PID values. You can select the active set from either a digital input, or from a parameter in the PID list, or you can transfer automatically in gain scheduling mode. The transfer is bumpless and will not disturb the process being controlled.

To use gain scheduling, follow the steps below:

Step1: Enable in configuration level

Gain scheduling must first be enabled in Configuration level. Goto the Inst Conf list, select the parameter Gsch, and set it to YES.

Step 2: Set the transfer point

Once gain scheduling has been enabled, the parameter G.SP will appear at the top of the Pid list in FuLL access level. This sets the value at which transfer occurs. PID1 will be active when the process value is below this setting and PID2 when the process value is above it. The best point of transfer depends on the characteristics of the process. Set a value between the control regions that exhibit the greatest change.

Step 3: Tuning

You must now set up the two sets of PID values. The values can be manually set, or automatically tuned as described earlier in this chapter. When tuning automatically you must tune twice, once above the switching point G.SP and again below the switching point. When tuning, if the process value is below the transfer point G.SP the calculated values will automatically be inserted into PID1 set and if the process value is below G.SP, the calculated values will automatically be inserted into PID2 set.

Chapter 5 PROGRAMMER OPERATION

This chapter deals with the setpoint programming option. All 2408 / 2404 instruments have a basic 8-segment programmer built-in as standard. This facility must be enabled by the user, as explained in the section, *Configuring the Programmer*. Other programmer versions are listed below, and have 16-segments in each program.

16-segment programmer with:

a single program:	Models 2408/CP and 2404/CP.
four stored programs:	Models 2408/P4 and 2404/P4.
twenty stored programs:	Models 2408/CM and 2404/CM.

16-segment Motorised Valve programmer with:

a single program:	Models 2408/VP and 2404/VP.
four stored programs:	Models 2408/V4 and 2404/V4.
twenty stored programs:	Models 2408/VM and 2404/VM.

The 8-segment programmer differs from the other programmers in that it will not provide event outputs and program synchronisation. Otherwise they all operate in the same way.

There are eight topics:

- WHAT IS SETPOINT PROGRAMMING?
- PROGRAMMER STATES
- RUNNING A PROGRAM FROM THE RUN LIST
- RUNNING A PROGRAM USING THE RUN/HOLD BUTTON
- AUTOMATIC BEHAVIOUR
- CONFIGURING THE PROGRAMMER
- CONFIGURING DIGITAL INPUTS TO SELECT PROGRAM NUMBER
- CREATING A NEW PROGRAM, OR MODIFYING AN EXISTING PROGRAM.

To understand how to select and change parameters in this chapter you need to have read Chapter 2, *Operation* and Chapter 3, *Access Levels*.

WHAT IS SETPOINT PROGRAMMING?

Many applications need to vary temperature, or process value, with time. Such applications need a controller which varies a setpoint as a function of time; all 2408 and 2404 models can do this.

The setpoint is varied by using a *setpoint program*. Within each 2408 and 2404 controller, there is a software module called *the programmer*, which stores one, or more, such programs and drives the setpoint according to the selected program. The program is stored as a series of 'ramp' and 'dwell' segments, as shown below.

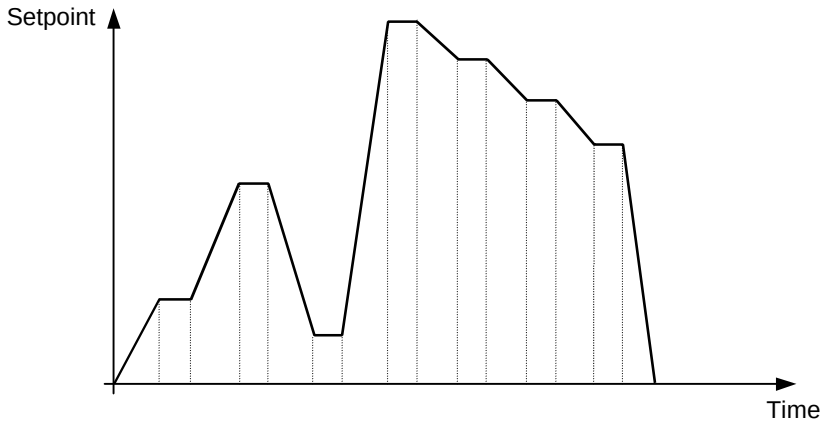


Fig 5-1 Setpoint profile

(*If the 8-segment programmer is being used, then the information in the next paragraph does* ***not*** *apply*.)
In each segment you can define the state of up to eight (8) digital outputs, each of which can be used to trigger external events. These are called *event outputs* and can drive either relay, logic, or triac outputs, depending on the modules installed.

A program is executed either, once, repeated a set number of times, or repeated continuously. If repeated a set number of times, then the number of cycles must be specified as part of the program.

There are five different types of segment:

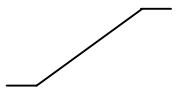
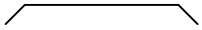
Ramp		**The setpoint ramps linearly**, from its current value to a new value, either at a set rate (called *ramp-rate programming*), or in a set time (called *time-to-target programming*). You must specify the ramp rate or the ramp time, and the target setpoint, when creating or modifying a program.
Dwell		**The setpoint remains constant** for a specified period.
Step		**The setpoint steps instantaneously** from its current value to a new value.
Call		**The main program calls another program as a subroutine**. The called program then drives the setpoint until it returns control to the main program. This facility is available on those controllers with 4, or 20, stored programs.
End		**The program either ends in this segment, or repeats.** You specify which is the case when you create, or modify, the program (see the final topic in this chapter). When the program ends, the programmer is put into either, a continuous Dwell state with all outputs staying unchanged, or the Reset state, or to a settable power level.

Table 5-1 Segment Types

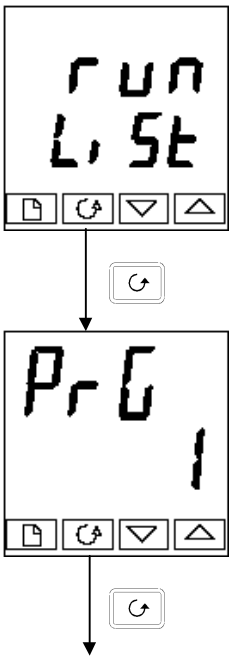
PROGRAMMER STATES

The programs have five states: *Reset, Run, Hold, Holdback* and *End.*

State	Description	Indication
Reset	In Reset, the programmer is inactive and the controller behaves as a standard controller, with the setpoint determined by the value set in the lower readout.	**Both the RUN and HOLD lights are OFF**
Run	In Run, the programmer varies the setpoint according to the active program.	**RUN light on**
Hold	In Hold, the program is frozen at its current point. In this state you can make temporary changes to any program parameter (for example, a target setpoint, a dwell time, or the time remaining in the current segment). **Such changes will only remain effective until the program is reset and run again, when they will be overwritten by the stored program values.** ***Note:*** When a program is running, you cannot alter a **cALLed** program until it becomes active within that program.	**HOLD light on**
Holdback	Holdback indicates that the measured value is lagging the setpoint by more than a preset amount and that the program is in Hold, waiting for the process to catch up. See *Holdback* in the section on Automatic behaviour later this chapter.	**HOLD light flashes**
End	The program is complete.	**RUN light flashes**

Table 5-2 Program States

RUNNING A PROGRAM FROM THE RUN LIST



The Run List

From the Home display, press until you reach the 'run' list header.

Press

Program number

This display only appears on programmers that can store more than one program. Use ▲ or ▼ to select the required program number, from 1 to 4, or 1 to 20, depending on the particular controller. Alternatively, the program number can be selected remotely, using digital inputs on the rear terminals. See the section on *Configuring Digital Inputs to Select a Program Number* for information on how this is done.

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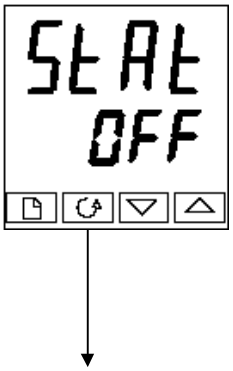


Status selection

Use ▲ or ▼ to select:

- **run:** Run program.
- **hoLd:** Hold program.
- **OFF:** Program reset.

After two seconds, the lower readout blinks and the chosen state is now active.

To return to the Home display press ↺ *and* 🗎 *together.*

Other parameters

To access the other parameters in the '**run**' list, continue to press ↺. These parameters are shown in the 'Program run list' in Chapter 2, Parameter Tables. They show the current status of the active program.

Temporary changes

Temporary changes can be made to the parameters in this '**run**' list, (for example a setpoint, ramp rate, or an unelapsed time), by first placing the programmer into '**hoLd**'. Such changes remain active only for the duration of the segment; the segment parameters will revert to their original (stored) values whenever the segment is re-executed.

RUNNING A PROGRAM USING THE RUN/HOLD BUTTON

If you are using a 4, or 20, program version of the controller, you must first select the number of the program that you want to run. Do this in the '**run**' list – see the previous topic, *Running a program from the Run list.*
Then:

	RUN / HOLD button	Press once to run a program (RUN light on) Press again to hold a program (HOLD light on) Press again to cancel hold and continue running (HOLD light off, RUN light on) Press and hold in for two seconds to reset a program (RUN and HOLD lights off).

Note: The RUN/HOLD button can be disabled, either when ordering the controller, or subsequently in configuration. This will force you to operate the programmer from the '**run**' list all the time. The main advantage of this method is that it will reduce the chance of accidentally changing the state of a program.

AUTOMATIC BEHAVIOUR

The preceding topics explain how to operate the programmer manually.
The following topics cover aspects of its automatic behaviour: *Servo*, *Holdback* and *Power Failure*.

Servo

When a program is RUN, the setpoint can start either from the initial controller setpoint, or from the process value. Whichever it is, the starting point is called the 'servo' point and you set it up in configuration. When the program starts, the transition of the setpoint to its starting point is called 'servoing'.

The normal method is to servo to the process value, because this will produce a smooth and bumpless start to the process. However, if you want to guarantee the time period of the first segment, you should set the controller to servo to its setpoint.

Holdback

As the setpoint ramps up, or down (or dwells), the measured value may lag behind, or deviate from, the setpoint by an undesirable amount. 'Holdback' is available to freeze the program at its current state, should this occur. The action of Holdback is the same as a deviation alarm. It can be enabled, or disabled. Holdback has **two** parameters - a *value* and a *type*. If the error from the setpoint exceeds the set 'holdback' value, then the Holdback feature, if enabled, will automatically freeze the program at its current point and flash the HOLD light. When the error comes within the holdback value, the program will resume normal running.

There are *four* different Holdback types. The choice of type is made by setting a parameter when creating a program, and may be one of the following:–

'OFF' – **Disables Holdback** – therefore no action is taken.

'Lo' – **Deviation Low Holdback** holds the program back when the process variable deviates *below* the setpoint by more than the holdback value.

'Hi' – **Deviation High Holdback** holds the program back when the process variable deviates *above* the setpoint by more than the holdback value.

'bAnd' – **Deviation Band Holdback** is a combination of the two. It holds the program back when the process variable deviates *either above, or below,* the setpoint by more than the holdback value.

There is a single Holdback Value which applies to the whole program. However, the Holdback type and whether or not it is enabled, can be applied to the program as a whole, or individually in each segment.

Power failure

If power is lost and then restored, while a program is running, the behaviour of the programmer is determined by the setting of the parameter 'Pwr.F' *Power fail strategy* in Programmer configuration. This can have one of three settings:– cont (Continue), rmP.b (Ramp from PV), or rSEt (Reset).

If* 'cont' *is selected, then when power is restored the program continues from where it was interrupted when power was lost. All parameters, such as the setpoint and time remaining in the active segment, will be restored to their power-down values. For applications that need to bring the measured process value to the setpoint as soon as possible, this is the best strategy.

If* 'rmP.b' *is selected, then when power is restored the setpoint starts at ('servos to') the current measured value, and then ramps to the target setpoint of the active segment at the last ramp rate used by the program. This strategy provides a smoother recovery. The two diagrams below illustrate the respective responses, Fig 5-2 if power fails during a dwell segment and Fig 5-3 if it fails during a ramp segment.

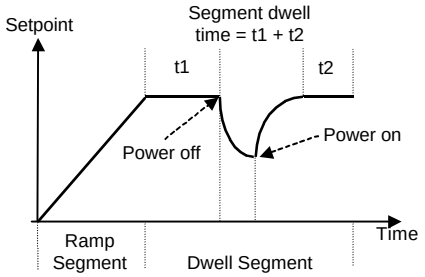


Figure 5-2 Continue after a power fail

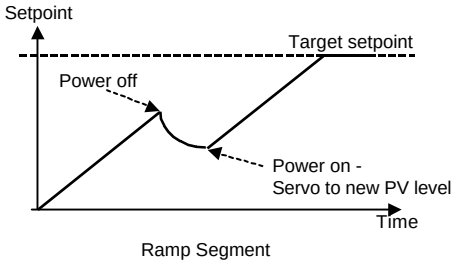


Figure 5-3 Ramp back after a power fail

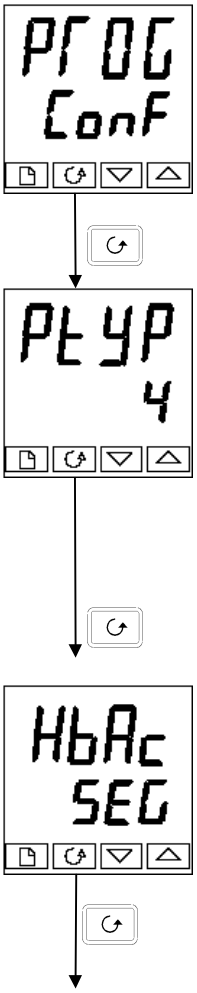
If* 'rSEt' *is selected, then when power is restored the program terminates.

CONFIGURING THE PROGRAMMER

When first installing a programmer you should check that the configuration conforms to your requirement.
Configuration defines:

- the number of stored programs (*multi-programmer only*)
- the holdback strategy
- the power fail strategy
- the servo type
- if event outputs are available (*not 8-segment programmer*)
- if program synchronisation is available. (*not 8-segment programmer*)
- selection of program number using digital inputs (*multi-programmer only*)

To check, or change, the configuration, select Configuration level. See Chapter 6.



Programmer list header

After selecting Configuration mode, press until the PROG ConF header is displayed.

Press

Number of programs

Use ▲ or ▼ to select:

- nonE: Disable built-in 8-segment programmer
- 1: Enable built-in 8-segment programmer

For 16-segment programmers:

- nonE: no programs
- 1: One stored program
- 4: Four stored programs
- 20: Twenty stored programs

Press

Holdback Strategy

Use ▲ or ▼ to select:

- SEG: Holdback type to be set in each segment
- ProG: Holdback type to be set for the whole program

Press

Continued on the next page.

Power fail strategy

Use ▲ or ▼ to select

- cont: Continue from last setpoint
- rmP.b: Ramp from PV to setpoint at last ramp rate
- rSEt: Reset the program.

Press ↻

Servo type

Use ▲ or ▼ to select:

- to.PV: Servo to PV
- to.SP: Servo to SP

Press ↻

Event Outputs (***not in*** **8-segment** ***programmer***)

Use ▲ or ▼ to select:

- no: Event outputs disabled
- YES: Event outputs enabled

Press ↻

Synchronisation (***not in*** **8-segment** ***programmer***)

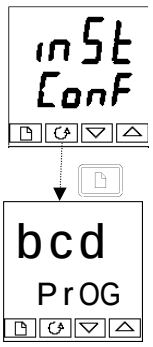
Use ▲ or ▼ to select:

- no: Synchronisation disabled
- YES: Synchronisation enabled

Press ↻ *to return the list header.*

CONFIGURING DIGITAL INPUTS TO SELECT PROGRAM NUMBER

The program number can be selected by external BCD inputs from, for example, a thumbwheel switch.
The appropriate number of digital inputs must be installed in the controller and be configured for this function - see Chapter 6, *Configuration.*
To invoke this mode of operation, the parameter 'bcd' in 'inst-Conf' must be set to 'PrOg'.

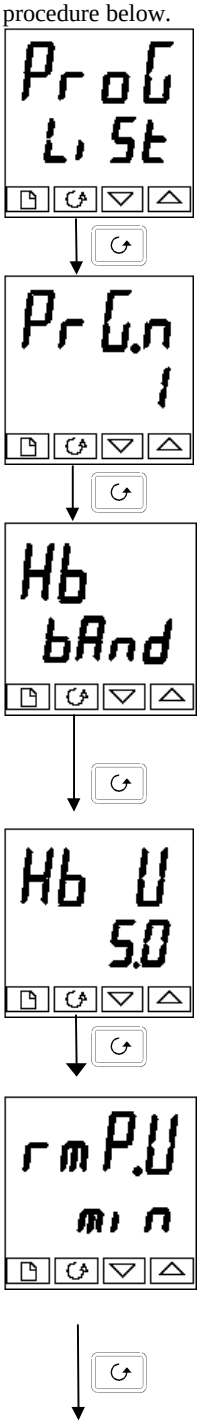


Press 🗎 until you reach 'bcd'.

Use the ▲ or ▼ buttons, to select 'PrOG'.

CREATING A NEW PROGRAM, OR MODIFYING AN EXISTING ONE

The only difference between creating a new program, and modifying an existing one, is that a new program starts with all its segments set to End in the tYPE parameter. The procedure for both consists of setting up the parameters in the PrOG list of the Operator Navigation Diagram shown in Chapter 2. As explained earlier under 'Programmer states', temporary changes can be made to these parameters while in the HOLD state but permanent changes (to the stored values) can only be made when the programmer is in the Reset state. So, before modifying a stored program first make sure that it is in Reset and then follow the procedure below.



Program edit list

From the Home display press until you reach the PrOG LiSt header.

Press

Program number

This display appears only on the multi-program controllers.
Use ▲ or ▼ to select the number of the program which you wish to modify (from 1 to 4, or 1 to 20).

Press

Holdback type

[Only appears when Holdback has been selected for the whole program.]
Use ▲ or ▼ to select:

- OFF: Holdback disabled
- Lo: Deviation Low Holdback
- Hi: Deviation High Holdback
- bAnd: Deviation Band Holdback

Press

Holdback value

Note! The value set in this parameter is always for the whole program.
Use ▲ or ▼ to set the value.
Press

Ramp units

Use ▲ or ▼ to select:

- Sec
- min
- Hour

Press *Continued on the next page.*

Dwell units

Use ▲ or ▼ to select:

- Sec
- min
- Hour

Press ↻

Number of program cycles

Use ▲ or ▼ to set the number of program cycles required from 1 to 999, or 'cont' for continuous cycling.

Press ↻

Segment number

Use ▲ or ▼ to select the number, from 1 to 16.
(1 to 8 *in 8-segment programmers*)
The parameters that follow 'SEG.n' set up the characteristics of the individually-selected segment number. By defining the characteristics of each segment of the program, you define the whole program.

Press ↻

Segment type

Select the segment type using ▲ or ▼:

- rmP.r: Ramp to a new setpoint at a set rate
- rmP.t: Ramp to a new setpoint in a set time
- dwEl: Dwell for a set time
- StEP: Step to a new setpoint
- cALL: Call another program as a subroutine (*only available in multi-program controllers*)
- End: Make this segment the end of the program.

Press ↻

The parameters that follow 'tYPE' depend on the type of segment selected as shown in the table below. The function of each parameters follows the table.

Parameter	Segment type selected					
	rmP.r	rmP.t	dwEl	StEP	cALL	End
Hb	✓	✓	✓	✓		
tGt	✓	✓		✓		
rAtE	✓					
dur		✓	✓			
PrG.n					✓	
cYc.n					✓	
outn	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓
SYnc	✓	✓	✓	✓		
End.t						✓
Pwr						✓

Table 5-3 Parameters that follow segment type

Holdback type

Only appears when Holdback per segment has been selected.
Use ▲ or ▼ to select:

- OFF: Holdback disabled
- Lo: Deviation Low Holdback
- Hi: Deviation High Holdback
- bAnd: Deviation Band Holdback

Press ↻

Target setpoint

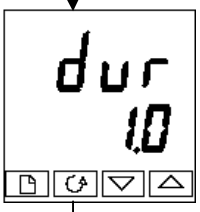
Target setpoint for 'rmP.r', 'rmP.t' or 'StEP' segments.
Set the target setpoint using ▲ or ▼.

Press ↻

Ramp rate

Ramp rate for 'rmP.r' segments
Using ▲ or ▼, set a value for the ramp rate, ranging from 0.01 to 99.99. The units are the ramp units (rmP.U) set earlier in this sequence.

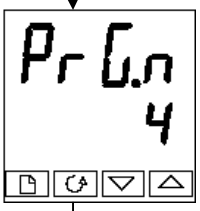
Press ↻



Duration time

Time for a 'dwEl' segment, or time to target for a 'rmP.t' segment.
Set the time using ▲ or ▼. You have set the units earlier in this sequence. ['dwL.U' defines the units for 'dwEl' segments: 'rmP.U' defines the units for 'rmP.t' segments.]

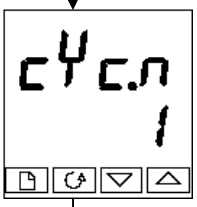
Press ↻



Called program number

Only appears for 'cALL' segments. *(multi-program controllers only)*
Set a called program number from 1 to 4, or from 1 to 20, using ▲ or ▼.

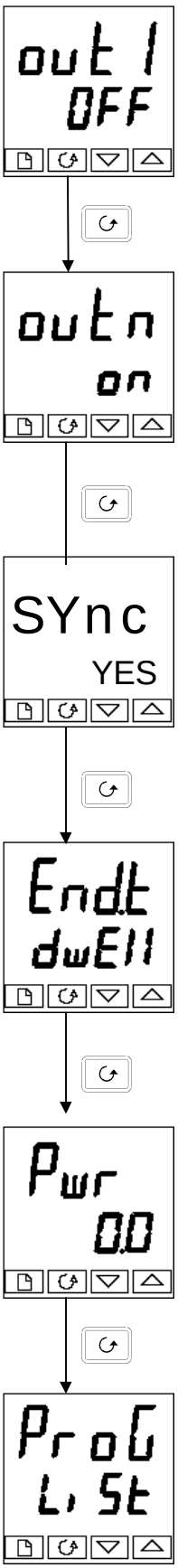
Press ↻



Number of cycles of the cALLed program

Only appears for 'cALL' segments. *(multi-program controllers only)*
Sets the number of cycles of the cALLed program from 1 to 999, using ▲ or ▼.

Press ↻ *Continued on the next page.*



Event output 1 *(16-segment programmers only)*

Appears in all segments, except 'cALL' segments.
Use ▲ or ▼ to set output 1:

- OFF: Off in the current segment
- on: On the current segment.

Press ↻

Further event outputs *(16-segment programmers only)*

Up to eight (8) event outputs may appear in this list where 'n' = event number.
Pressing ↻ will step through all the remaining event outputs.
Note: *If you are not using all of the event outputs, you can step immediately to the next segment number by pressing* ☐.

Press ↻

Synchronisation event output *(only appears if configured)*

Use ▲ or ▼ to select:

- YES: Synchronisation Enabled
- no: Synchronisation Disabled

Note: This event output, if used, occupies the position of 'out8'.

Press ↻

End segment

Use ▲ or ▼ to select:

- dwEl: An indefinite dwell
- rSEt: Reset.
- S OP: End Segment Output Power Level

Press ↻

Power Value [End Segment]

Use ▲ or ▼ to set the power value in the range ±100.0%.
This power level is clipped by the parameters 'OP.Hi' and 'OP.Lo' before being applied to the process.

Press ↻ to return to the ProG-LiSt header

Chapter 6 CONFIGURATION

This chapter consists of six topics:

- SELECTING CONFIGURATION LEVEL
- LEAVING CONFIGURATION LEVEL
- SELECTING A CONFIGURATION PARAMETER
- CHANGING THE PASSWORDS
- NAVIGATION DIAGRAM
- CONFIGURATION PARAMETER TABLES.

In configuration level you set up the fundamental characteristics of the controller.
These are:

- The type of control (e.g. reverse or direct acting)
- The Input type and range
- The Setpoint configuration
- The Alarms configuration
- The Programmer configuration
- The Digital input configuration
- The Alarm Relay configuration
- The Communications configuration
- The Modules 1, 2 & 3 configuration
- Calibration
- The Passwords.

WARNING

Configuration is protected by a password and should only be carried out by a qualified person, authorised to do so. Incorrect configuration could result in damage to the process being controlled and/or personal injury. It is the responsibility of the person commissioning the process to ensure that the configuration is correct.

SELECTING CONFIGURATION LEVEL

There are two alternative methods of selecting Configuration level:

- If you have already powered up, then follow the access instructions given in Chapter 3, *Access levels*.
- Alternatively, press ▲ and ▼ together when powering up the controller. This will take you directly to the 'ConF' password display.

Password entry

When the 'ConF' display appears, you must enter the Configuration password (which is a number) in order to gain access to Configuration level.

Enter the password using the ▲ or ▼ buttons.
The configuration password is set to '2' when the controller is shipped from the factory.

Once the correct password has been entered, there is a two second delay, after which the lower readout will change to 'PASS' indicating that access is now unlocked.

Note: A special case exists if the password has been set to '0'. In this situation, access is permanently unlocked and the lower readout will always show 'PASS'.

Press ↻ *to enter configuration.*

(If an incorrect password has been entered and the controller is still 'locked' then pressing ↻ at this point will take you to the 'Exit' display with 'no' in the lower readout. Simply press ↻ to return to the 'ConF' display.)

You will obtain the first display of configuration.

LEAVING CONFIGURATION LEVEL

To leave the Configuration level and return to Operator level Press until the 'Exit' display appears.
Alternatively, pressing and together will take you directly to the 'Exit' display.

Use ▲ or ▼ to select 'YES'. After a two-second delay, the display will blank and revert to the Home display in Operator level.

SELECTING A CONFIGURATION PARAMETER

The configuration parameters are arranged in lists as shown in the navigation diagram in Figure 6.1.

To step through the list headers, press the Page button.

To step through the parameters within a particular list press the Scroll button.
When you reach the end of the list you will return to the list header.
You can return directly to the list header at any time by pressing the Page button.

Parameter names

Each box in the navigation diagram shows the display for a particular parameter. The upper readout shows the name of the parameter and the lower readout its value. For a definition of each parameter, see the Configuration Parameter Tables at the end of this chapter. To change the value of a selected parameter, use the ▲ and ▼ buttons.

The navigation diagram shows all the lists headers and parameters that can, potentially, be present in the controller. In practice, those actually present will vary according to the particular configuration choices you make.

CHANGING THE PASSWORDS

There are TWO passwords. These are stored in the Password configuration list and can be selected and changed in the same manner as any other configuration parameter.
The password names are:

'ACC.P' which protects access to Full level and Edit level
'cnF.P' which protects access to Configuration level.

NAVIGATION DIAGRAM *(PART A)*

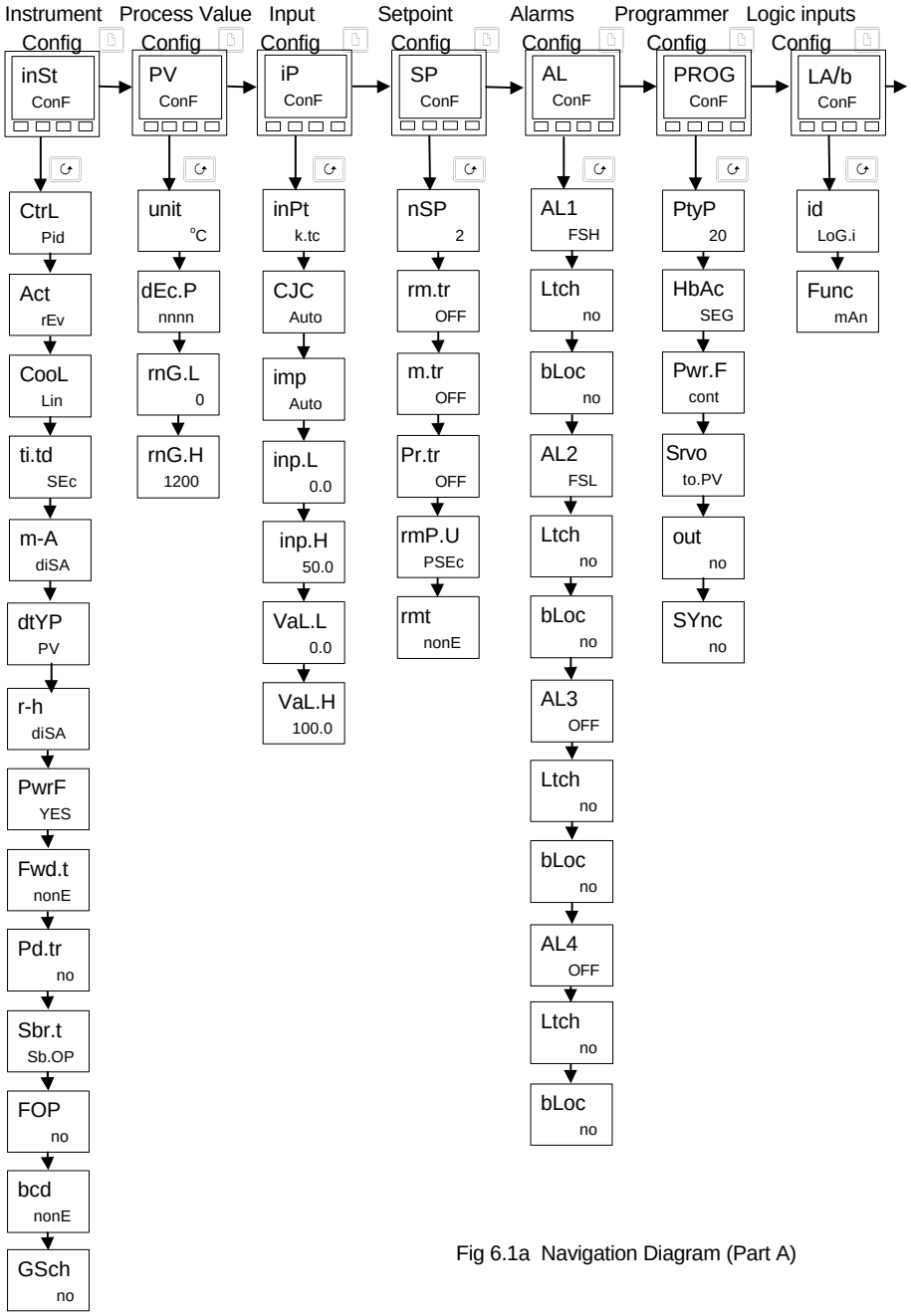
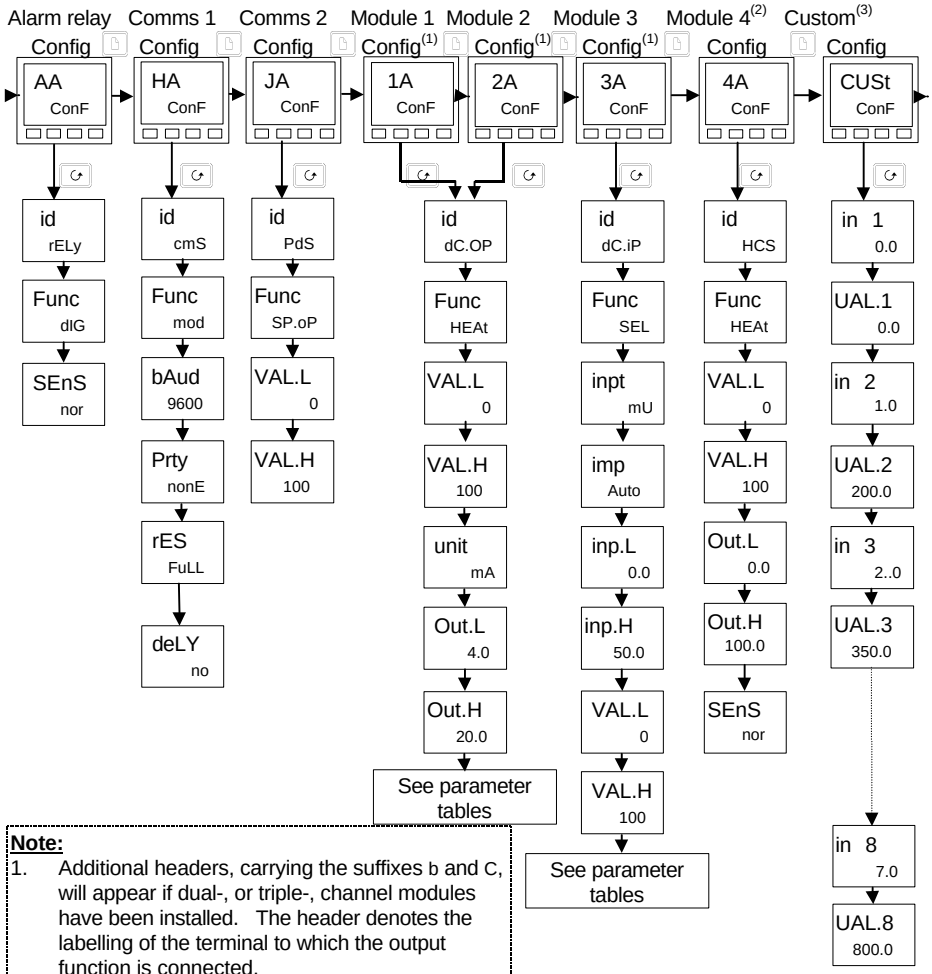


Fig 6.1a Navigation Diagram (Part A)

NAVIGATION DIAGRAM *(PART B)*



Note:

1. Additional headers, carrying the suffixes b and C, will appear if dual-, or triple-, channel modules have been installed. The header denotes the labelling of the terminal to which the output function is connected.
2. Module 4 is the High Current Switch Module. This is only available in the Model 2404 controller.
3. 8-point custom linearisation. Only appears when either'3a or iP-Conf' has 'inpt' = 'mV.C', or 'mA.C', or 'V.C'.
4. The navigation diagram shows typical parameters, but is dependant upon the exact configuration of the instrument. The following sheets show the full list of parameters.

Fig 6.1b Navigation Diagram (Part B)

NAVIGATION DIAGRAM *(PART C)*

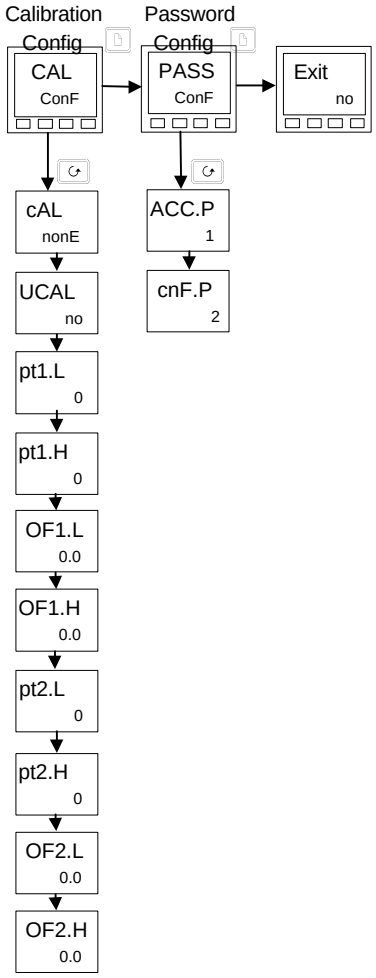


Fig 6.1c Navigation Diagram (Part C)

CONFIGURATION PARAMETER TABLES

Name	Description	Values	Meaning
inSt	**Instrument configuration**		
CtrL	Control type	Pid On.OF VP VP b	PID control On/off control Boundless motorised valve control - *no feedback required* Bounded motorised valve control - *feedback required*
Act	Control action	rEv dir	Reverse acting Direct acting
CooL	Type of cooling	Lin oiL H2O FAn ProP on.OF	Linear Oil (50mS minimum on-time) Water (non-linear) Fan (0.5S minimum on-time) Proportional only to error On/off cooling
ti.td	Integral & derivative time units	SEc min	Seconds, OFF to 9999 Minutes, OFF to 999.9
m-A	Front panel Auto/Man button	EnAb diSA	Enabled Disabled
r-h	Front panel Run/Hold button	EnAb diSA	Enabled Disabled
PwrF	Power feedback	on OFF	On Off
Fwd.t	Feed forward type	none FEEd SP.FF PV.FF	None Normal feed forward Setpoint feed forward PV feed forward
Pd.tr	Manual/Auto transfer when using PD control	no YES	Non-bumpless transfer Bumpless transfer - *(Pre-loads Manual Reset value)*
Sbr.t	Sensor break output	Sb.OP HoLd	Go to pre-set value Freeze output
FOP	Forced manual output	no trac Step	Bumpless Auto/Manual transfer Returns to the Manual value that was set when last in Manual mode Steps to forced output level. Value set in 'FOP' of 'op-List' in Operator Level
bcd	BCD input function	none prog sp	Not used Select program number Select setpoint number
gsch	Gain schedule enable	no yes	Disabled Enabled

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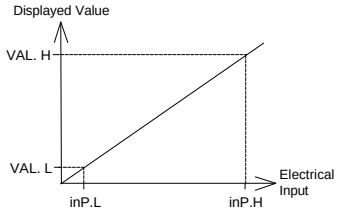
Name	Description	Values	Meaning
pV	**Process value config**		
unit	Inststrument units	^{0}C ^{0}F ^{0}k	Celsius Farenheit Kelvin
dec.p	Decimal places in the displayed value	none nnnn nnn.n nn.nn	Display units blanked None One Two
rng.l	Range low		Low range limit. Also setpoint limit for alarms and programmers
rng.h	Range high		High range limit. Also setpoint limit for alarms and programmers

iP	Input configuration		
inPt	Input type	J.tc k.tc L.tc r.tc b.tc n.tc t.tc S.tc PL 2 C.tc rtd mV voLt mA Sr V Sr A	J thermocouple K thermocouple L thermocouple R thermocouple (Pt/Pt13%Rh) B thermocouple (Pt30%Rh/Pt6%Rh) N thermocouple T thermocouple S thermocouple (Pt/Pt10%Rh) PL 2 thermocouple Custom downloaded t/c (default = type C) 100Ω platinum resistance thermometer Linear millivolt Linear voltage Linear milliamps Square root volts Square root milliamps
	* see "CUST" List.	mV.C V.C mA.C	8-point millivolt custom linearisation* 8-point Voltage custom linearisation* 8-point milliamp custom linearisation*
CJC	Cold Junction Compensation	Auto 0°C 45°C 50°C OFF	Automatic internal compensation 0°C external reference 45°C external reference 50°C external reference No cold junction compensation
imp	Sensor Break Impedance	Off Auto Hi Hi.Hi	Disabled *(only with linear inputs)* Factory set Impedance of input > 5KΩ Impedance of input > 15KΩ
Linear Input Scaling – *The next 4 parameters only appear if a linear or sq rt input is chosen.*			
inp.L			Input value low
inp.H			Input value high
VAL.L			Displayed reading low
VAL.H			Displayed reading high

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Name	Description	Values	Meaning
SP	**Setpoint configuration**		
nSP	Number of setpoints	2, 4, 16	Select number of setpoints available
rm.tr	Remote Tracking	OFF trAc	Disable Local setpoint tracks remote setpoint
m.tr	Manual Track	OFF trAc	Disable Local setpoint tracks PV when in manual
Pr.tr	Programmer Track	OFF trAc	Disable Local setpoint tracks programmer SP
rmP.U	Setpoint rate limit units	PSEc Pmin PHr	Per second Per minute Per hour
rmt	Remote setpoint configuration	nonE SP Loc.t rmt.t	Disable Remote setpoint Remote setpoint + local trim Remote trim + local setpoint

AL	Alarm configuration	Values
The controller contains four 'soft' alarms, which are configured in this list. Once configured, they can be attached to a physical output as described in the alarm relay configuration list, 'AA Conf'.		
AL1	Alarm 1 Type	*see Table A*
Ltch	Latching	no/YES/Evnt/mAn*
bLoc	Blocking	no/YES
AL2	Alarm 2 Type	*see Table A*
Ltch	Latching	no/YES/Evnt/mAn*
bLoc	Blocking	no/YES
AL3	Alarm 3 Type	*see Table A*
Ltch	Latching	no/YES/Evnt/mAn*
bLoc	Blocking	no/YES
AL4	Alarm 4 Type	*see Table A*
Ltch	Latching	no/YES/Evnt/mAn*
bLoc	Blocking (not if 'AL4' = 'rAt')	no/YES

Table A - Alarm types

Value	Alarm type
OFF	No alarm
FSL	PV Full scale low
FSH	PV Full scale high
dEv	PV Deviation band
dHi	PV Deviation high
dLo	PV Deviation low
LCr	Load Current low
HCr	Load Current high
FL2	Input 2 Full Scale low
FH2	Input 2 Full Scale high
LOP	Working Output low
HOP	Working Output high
LSP	Working Setpoint low
HSP	Working Setpoint high
rAt	PV Rate of change *AL4 only*

*** Alarm Modes**

'no' means that the alarm will be non-latching.

'YES' means that the alarm will be latched, with automatic resetting. Automatic resetting means that if a reset is actioned before the alarm has cleared, then it will automatically reset when it clears.
'Evnt' means that the alarm is used to trip an external event. If this option is selected the front panel alarm message will not appear.

'mAn' means that the alarm will be latched, and can only be reset after it has first cleared (called 'manual reset mode').

*The following parameters apply if the **standard 8-segment programmer** is to be configured.*			
PROG	**Programmer configuration**	**Values**	**Meaning**
PtyP	Programmer type	nonE 1	Programmer disabled (***factory setting***) 8-segment programmer enabled
HbAc	Holdback	SEG ProG	Holdback is individually selectable in each segment. Holdback is applied across the whole Program.
Pwr.F	Power fail recovery	cont rmP.b rSEt	Continue from last setpoint (SP) Ramp from PV to SP at last ramp rate Reset the program
Srvo	Starting setpoint of a program (Servo point)	to.PV to.SP	From the Process Value (PV) From the setpoint

*The following parameters apply if a **16-segment programmer** is to be configured.*			
PROG	**Programmer configuration**	**Values**	**Meaning**
PtyP	Programmer type	nonE 1 4 20	Programmer disabled Single program Four programs Twenty programs
HbAc	Holdback	SEG ProG	Holdback is individually selectable in each segment. Holdback is applied across the whole Program.
Pwr.F	Power fail recovery	cont rmP.b rSEt	Continue from last setpoint (SP) Ramp from PV to SP at last ramp rate Reset the program
Srvo	Starting setpoint of a program (Servo point)	to.PV to.SP	From the Process Value (PV) From the setpoint
out	Programmable event outputs	no YES	Disabled Enabled
SYNC	Synchronisation of programs of several programmers	no YES	Disabled Enabled

Name	Description	Values	Meaning
LA	**Digital input 1 configuration**		**Action on contact closure**
id	Identity	LoG.i	Logic input
Func	Function of input *The function is active when the input has a contact closure to the common terminal - LC*	nonE	No function
		mAn	Manual mode select
		rmt	Remote setpoint select
		SP.2	Setpoint 2 select
		Pid.2	PID set 2 select
		ti H	Integral hold
		tunE	One-shot self-tune enable
		drA	Adaptive tune enable
		Ac.AL	Acknowledge alarms
		AccS	Select Full access level
		Loc.b	Keylock
		uP	Simulate pressing of the ▲ button
		dwn	Simulate pressing of the ▼ button
		ScrL	Simulate pressing of the button
		PAGE	Simulate pressing of the button
		run	Run program
		HoLd	Hold program
		r-H	Run program (*closed*) / Hold (*open*)
		rES	Reset program
		SkiP	Skip to End of Current Segment, without changing the setpoint
		HbAc	Program holdback enabled
	These BCD inputs are used to select either a program number or the setpoint number according to the setting of the parameter 'bcd' *in the* 'inSt' *configuration list*	bcd.1	Least significant BCD digit
		bcd.2	2nd BCD digit
		bcd.3	3rd BCD digit
		bcd.4	4th BCD digit
		bcd.5	5th BCD digit
		bcd.6	Most significant BCD digit
		rmP.E	Setpoint Rate Limit Enable
		SYnc	Program waits at the end of the current segment
		rrES	Program Run *(closed)* / Reset *(open)*
		rESr	Program Reset *(closed)* / Run *(open)*
		Stby	Standby - ALL control outputs turned OFF (alarm Outputs are not affected)
		PV.SL	PV Select: Closed = PV1 / Open = PV2
		AdV	Advance to End of Segment and to Target Setpoint

Lb	Digital input 2 configuration		Action on contact closure
As per **Digital input 1** configuration			

Name	Description	Values	Meaning
AA	**Alarm relay configuration**		
id	Identity	rELy	Relay output
Func	Function	nonE dIG	No function Digital output
SEnS	Digital output sense	nor inv	Normal *(output energises when TRUE, e.g. program events)* Inverted *(output de-energises when TRUE, e.g. alarms)*
The following digital events appear after 'SEnS'. *Any one, or more, of the events can be combined on to the output (see Fig. 6-2) by selecting* 'YES' *in the lower readout.*			
1 - - -	Alarm 1 active	YES / no	(- - -) = *alarm type (e.g.* FSL*). If an alarm has not been configured in* 'AL ConF' *list, then display will differ:- e.g.* Alarm 1 = 'AL 1'.
2 - - -	Alarm 2 active	YES / no	
3 - - -	Alarm 3 active	YES / no	
4 - - -	Alarm 4 active	YES / no	
mAn	Controller in manual mode	YES / no	
Sbr	Sensor break	YES / no	
SPAn	PV out of range	YES / no	
Lbr	Loop break	YES / no	
Ld.F	Load failure alarm	YES / no	
tunE	Tuning in progress	YES / no	
dc.F	Voltage output open circuit, or mA output open circuit	YES / no	
rmt.F	PDSIO module connection open circuit	YES / no	
nw.AL	New Alarm has occurred	YES / no	
End	End of setpoint rate limit, or end of program	YES / no	
SYnc	Program Synchronisation active	YES / no	
PrG.n	Programmer event output active, where 'n' = event number from 1 to 8. *(Not available with 8-segment programmer.)*	YES / no	

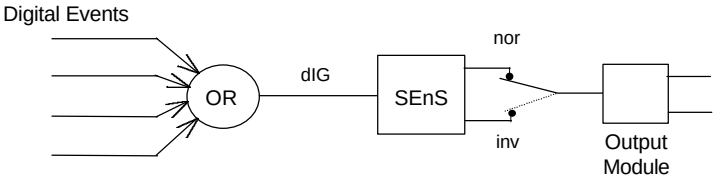
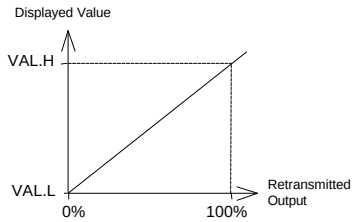
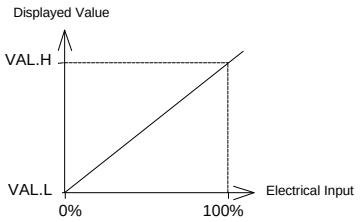


Figure 6-2 Combining several digital events on to one output

Name	Description	Values	Meaning
HA	**Comms 1 module config**		
id	Identity of the module installed	cmS	EIA-232, or 2-wire EIA-485, or 4-wire EIA-485 comms
		PDS	PDSIO retransmission
		PDS.i	PDSIO input

For '**id**' = 'cms' (Digital communications) use this parameter table:			
Func	Function	mod	Modbus protocol
		EI.bi	Eurotherm Bisynch protocol
bAud	Baud Rate	1200, 2400, 4800, 9600, 19.20(19,200)	
dELy	Delay - quiet period, required by some comms adaptors	no	No delay
		YES	Delay active - 10mS
The following parameters only appear if the function chosen is Modbus *protocol.*			
Prty	Comms Parity	nonE	No parity
		EvEn	Even parity
		Odd	Odd parity
rES	Comms Resolution	FuLL	Full resolution
		Int	Integer resolution

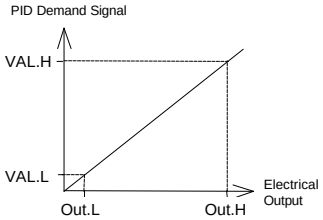
For '**id**' = 'pds' (PDSIO retransmission output) use this parameter table:			
Func	Function *i.e. Retransmitted output*	nonE	No PDSIO function
		SP.oP	PDSIO setpoint retransmission
		PV.oP	PDSIO PV retransmission
		OP.oP	PDSIO output power retransmission
		SP.nH	PDSIO setpoint retransmission - no holdback
Output Scaling			
VAL.L			Retransmitted value low
VAL.H			Retransmitted Value High

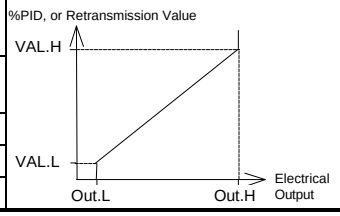
For '**id**' = 'Pdsi' (PDSIO setpoint input) use this parameter table:			
Func	Function	SP.iP	PDSIO setpoint input
VAL.L			Setpoint Displayed Value - Low
VAL.H			Setpoint Displayed Value - High

Note: Having configured the module function as remote setpoint you must then specify the type of remote setpoint in the SP-conf list

JA	**Comms 2 module config**		
As per Comms 1 module configuration			

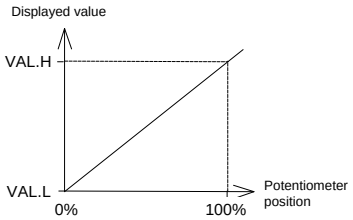
Name	Description	Values	Meaning
1A/b/C(1)	**Module 1 configuration**		
id	Identity of module installed *(1) If a dual-, or triple-, channel module is installed then the list headers* 1b *and* 1C *also appear*	nonE rELy dC.OP LoG LoG.i SSr dc.rE dc.OP	Module not fitted Relay output Non-isolated DC output Logic/PDSIO output Logic input Triac output DC retransmission (isolated) Isolated DC output

For '**id**' = 'rELy', 'LoG', or 'SSr' use this parameter table:			
Func	Function *(Only Channels* 1A *and* 1C *can be Heating, or Cooling)* (*Only if* 'id' = 'LoG') (*Only if* 'id' = 'LoG')	nonE	Function disabled
		dIG	Digital output function
		HEAt	Heating output
		COOL	Cooling output
		up	Open motorised valve
		dwn	Close motorised valve
		SSr.1	PDSIO mode 1 heating
		SSr.2	PDSIO mode 2 heating
VAL.L			% PID demand signal giving minimum output – 'Out.L'
VAL.H			% PID demand signal giving maximum output – 'Out.H'
Out.L			Minimum average power
Out.H			Maximum average power
SEnS	Sense of output *(Only if* 'Func' = 'dIG')	nor inv	Normal *(output energises when TRUE, e.g program events)* Inverted *(output de-energises when TRUE, e.g. alarms)*
Notes: *1. When* 'SEnS' *appears, then further parameters are available. These are identical to those in the* 'AA ConF' *list on Page 6-12.* *2. To invert a PID output, the Val. H can be set below the Val.L*			

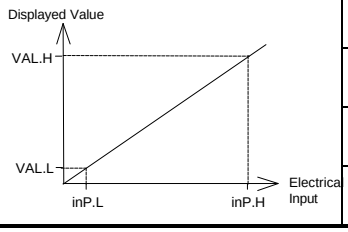
Name	Description	Values	Meaning
For '**id**' = 'dC.OP', 'dc.rE', or 'dc.OP' use this parameter table:			
Func	Function	nonE	Function disabled
		HEAt	Heating output
		COOL	Cooling output
		PV	Retransmission of PV
		wSP	Retransmission of setpoint
		Err	Retransmission of error signal
		OP	Retransmission of OP power
VAL.L			% PID, or Retrans'n Value, giving minimum output
VAL.H			% PID, or Retrans'n Value, giving maximum output
unit			voLt = Volts, mA = milliamps
Out.L			Minimum electrical output
Out.H			Maximum electrical output

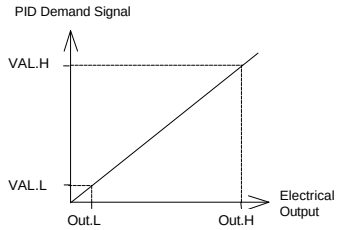
For '**id**' = 'LoG.i' (i.e logic input) use the **LA** Conf' list on Page 6-11.

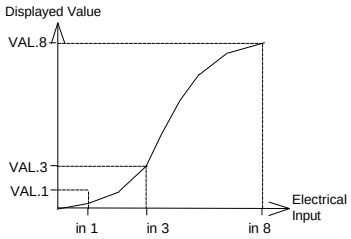
2A/b/C	Module 2 configuration		
As per module 1 configuration, but excluding the 'SSr.1', 'SSr.2' functions.			
id	Identity of module installed. As per module 2 plus:	tPSU Pot.i	Transmitter power supply Potentiometer input

For '**id**' = 'Pot.i (i.e. potentiometer input module) use this parameter table:			
Func	Function	nonE rSP Fwd.i rOP.h rOP.L VPoS	Function disabled Remote Setpoint Feedforward input Remote OP power max. Remote OP power min. Motorised valve position
VAL.L			Displayed value low equivalent to 0% potentiometer position
VAL.H			Displayed value high equivalent to 100% potentiometer position

3A/b/C	**Module 3 configuration**		
As per module 2 configuration, plus ‘id’ = ‘dC.iP’			

For ‘**id**’ = ‘dC.iP’ use this parameter table. THIS INCLUDES THE SECOND PV FUNCTIONS			
Func	Function	nonE	Function disabled
		rSP	Remote Setpoint
		Fwd.i	Feedforward input
		rOP.h	Remote OP power max.
		rOP.L	Remote OP power min.
		Hi	PV = The highest of iP.1, or iP.2
		Lo	PV = The lowest of iP.1, or iP.2
		Ftn	Derived function, where PV = (f.1 x iP1) + (f.2 x iP2). ‘F.1’ and ‘F.2’ are scalars which are found in ‘ip-List’ of Operator Level
		SEL	Select ip.1, or ip.2 via Comms, front panel buttons, or a digital input
		trAn	Transition of control between ip.1 and ip.2. The transition region is set by the values of ‘Lo.Ip’ and ‘Hi.Ip’, which are found in ‘ip-List’ of Operator Level. PV = ip.1 below ‘Lo.Ip’ PV = ip.2 above ‘Hi.Ip’
inpt	Input type	Refer to ‘ip Conf’ for all types, + the following:	
		HiIn	High Impedance (range = 0 to 2 volt)
CJC	Cold Junction Compensation	OFF	No cold junction compensation
		Auto	Automatic internal compensation
		0°C	0°C external reference
		45°C	45°C external reference
		50°C	50°C external reference
imp	Sensor Break Impedance	Off	Disabled *(only with linear inputs)*
		Auto	Factory set
		Hi	Impedance of input > 15KΩ
		Hi.Hi	Impedance of input > 30KΩ
Linear Input Scaling – *The next four parameters only appear if a linear input is chosen.*			
inP.L			Input value low
inP.H			Input value high
VAL.L			Displayed value low
VAL.H			Displayed value high

Name	Description	Values	Meaning
4A	**Module 4 configuration**		
id	Identity of module installed	HCS	High Current Switch
Func	Function	nonE dIG HEAt COOL	Function disabled Digital output function Heating output Cooling output
VAL.L			% PID demand signal giving minimum output – 'Out.L'
VAL.H			% PID demand signal giving maximum output – 'Out.H'
Out.L			Minimum electrical output
Out.H			Maximum electrical output
SEnS	Sense of output *(Only if* 'Func' = 'dIG')	nor inv	Normal *(output energises when TRUE, e.g. program events)* Inverted *(output de-energises when TRUE, e.g. alarms)*
When 'SEnS' *appears, then further parameters are available.* *These are identical to those in the* 'AA ConF' *list on Page 6-12.*			

Cust	**8-point Custom Linearisation** (1)	
in 1		Custom input 1
VAL.1		Linearisation Value representing in 1
⋮		⋮
in 8		Custom input 8
VAL.8		Linearisation Value representing in 8

Note:

1. Custom Linearisation is only available when '3a-Conf'or iP- ConF list has 'inpt' set to 'mV.C', or 'mA.C', or 'V.C'.
2. The values and inputs must be continuously increasing or decreasing

Name	Description	Values	Meaning
CAL	**Calibration**		
In this mode you can *1. Calibrate the instrument using a mV source - rcAL or ref source cal.* *2. Offset the calibration to account for errors in actual sensor measurement and a ref sensor - UCAL or user calibration* *3. Return to factory set calibration - FACT or factory set calibration.*			
rcAL	Calibration point	nonE	No calibration
		PV	Calibrate main Process Value input.
		PV.2	Calibrate DC input, or PV 2.
		1A.Hi	Calibrate DC output high - Module 1
		1A.Lo	Calibrate DC output low - Module 1
		2A.Hi	Calibrate DC output high - Module 2
		2A.Lo	Calibrate DC output low - Module 2
		3A.Hi	Calibrate DC output high - Module 3
		3A.Lo	Calibrate DC output low - Module 3

Goto User calibration table-See also chapter 7

Go to input Calibation table

Go to DC Output Calibration table

INPUT CALIBRATION *For* 'CAL' = 'PV', or 'PV.2', *the following parameters apply.*			
PV	PV Calibration Value *1. Select calibration value* *2. Apply specified input* *3. Press ↻ to step to* 'GO' *See* **Note** *below.*	IdLE	Idle
		mv.L	Select 0mV as the calibration point
		mv.H	Select 50mV as the calibration point
		V 0	Select 0Volt as the calibration point
		V 10	Select 10V as the calibration point
		CJC	Select 0°C CJC calibration point
		rtd	Select 400Ω as the calibration point
		HI 0	High impedance: 0Volt cal'n point
		HI 1.0	High impedance: 1.0 Volt cal'n point
		FACt	Restore factory calibration
GO	Start calibration *Select* 'YES' *with ▲ or ▼* *Wait for calibration to complete.*	no	Waiting to calibrate PV point
		YES	Start calibration
		buSy	Busy calibrating
		donE	PV input calibration completed
		FAIL	Calibration failed

Note. When a DC input module is installed for the first time, or there is a requirement to change one, then the microprocessor in the controller needs to read the factory calibration data stored in the module. Select 'FACt' as the calibration value. Step to 'GO' and start calibration.

DC Output Calibration *The following parameters apply to DC output modules ie for rcAL = 1A.Hi to 3A.Lo*			
cAL.H	Output Calibration High	0	0 = Factory set calibration. Trim value until output = 9V, or 18mA
cAL.L	Output Calibration Low	0	0 = Factory set calibration. Trim value until output = 1V, or 2mA

User calibration		
UCAL	User calibration enable	Yes/no
pt1.L	Low calibration point for Input 1	The factory calibration point at which the low point offset was performed.
pt1.H	High calibration point for Input 1	The factory calibration point at which the high point offset was performed.
OF1.L	Offset Low for Input 1	Calculated offset, in display units.
OF1.H	Offset High for Input 1	Calculated offset, in display units.
pt2.L	Low calibration point for Input 2	The factory calibration point at which the low point offset was performed.
pt2.H	High calibration point for Input 2	The factory calibration point at which the high point offset was performed.
OF2.L	Offset Low for Input 2	Calculated offset, in display units.
OF2.H	Offset High for Input 2	Calculated offset, in display units.

Name	Description	Values	Meaning
PASS	**Password configuration**		
ACC.P	FuLL or Edit level password		
cnF.P	Configuration level password		
Exit	**Exit configuration**	no/YES	

Chapter 7 USER CALIBRATION

This chapter has five topics:

- WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF USER CALIBRATION?
- USER CALIBRATION ENABLE
- OFFSET CALIBRATION
- TWO POINT CALIBRATION
- CALIBRATION POINTS AND CALIBRATION OFFSETS

To understand how to select and change parameters in this chapter you will need to have read Chapter 2 - *Operation*, Chapter 3- *Access Levels* and Chapter 6 - *Configuration.*

WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF USER CALIBRATION?

The basic calibration of the controller is highly stable and set for life. User calibration allows you to offset the 'permanent' factory calibration to either:

1. Calibrate the controller to the your reference standards.
2. Match the calibration of the controller to that of a particular transducer or sensor input.
3. Calibrate the controller to suit the characteristics of a particular installation.
4. Remove long term drift in the factory set calibration.

User calibration works by introducing a single point, or two-point, offset onto the factory set calibration.

USER CALIBRATION ENABLE

The User calibration facility must first be enabled in configuration level by setting the parameter ‘UCAL' in the input conf list to 'YES'. This will make the User calibration parameters visible in Operator ‘FuLL’ level.
Select configuration level as shown in Chapter 6, *Configuration.*

The Calibration Configuration List

Press until you reach the ‘CAL-Conf’ list.

Press *until you reach* ‘UCAL’.

User Calibration Enable

Use or to select:

- YES: Calibration enable
- no: Calibration disabled

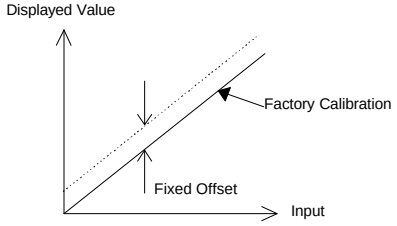
Press *and* *together to go to the* Exit *display.*

Exit configuration

Use or to select ‘YES’ to return to Operator level.

OFFSET CALIBRATION

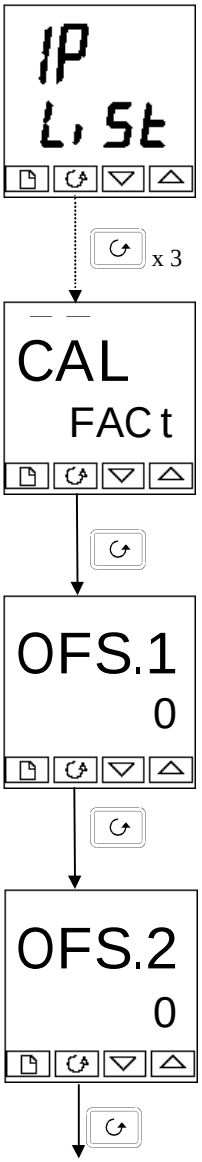
Offset calibration is used to apply a single fixed offset over the full display range of the controller.



To calibrate, proceed as follows:

1. Connect the input of the controller to the source device to which you wish to calibrate.
2. Set the source to the desired calibration value.
3. The controller will display the current measurement of the value.
4. If the displayed value is correct, then the controller is correctly calibrated and no further action is necessary. If it is incorrect, then follow the steps shown below.

Select 'FuLL' access level, as described in Chapter 3.



Input list header

Press until you reach the input list header.

Press until you reach the 'CAL' *display.*

Calibration type

- FACt: Factory Calibration
- USEr: User Calibration

Use or to select 'FACt'.

Selecting 'FACt' reinstates the factory calibration and allows the application of a single fixed offset.

Press

Set Offset 1

Use or to set the offset value of Process Value 1 (PV1).
The offset value is in display units.

Press

Set Offset 2

Use or to set the offset value of Process Value 2 (PV2), *if configured.*
The offset value is in display units.

Press *continued next page*

See table on the right for additional parameters.

Press

The table below shows the parameters which appear after 'OFS.2'. These are all read only values and are for information. Press to step through them.

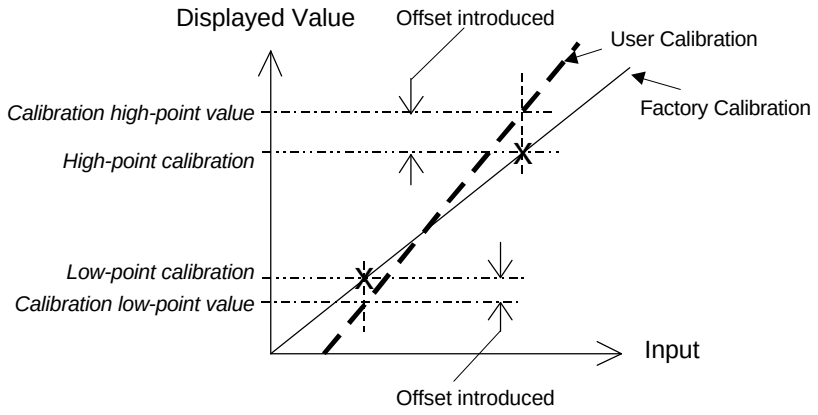
mV.1	IP1 measured value (at terminals)
mV.2	IP2 measured value (at terminals), if DC input in Module 3 position
CJC.1	IP1 Cold Junction Compensation
CJC.2	IP2 Cold Junction Compensation
Li.1	IP1 Linearised Value
Li.2	IP2 Linearised Value
PV.SL	Shows the currently selected input

If you do not want to look at these parameters, then press and this returns you to the 'iP-LiSt' header.

To protect the calibration against unauthorised adjustment, return to Operator level and make sure that the calibration parameters are hidden. Parameters are hidden using the 'Edit' facility described in Chapter 3, *Access Levels*.

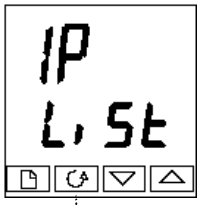
TWO-POINT CALIBRATION

The previous section described how to apply a offset, or trim, calibration, which applies a fixed offset over the full display range of the controller. A two-point calibration is used to calibrate the controller at two points and applies a straight line between them. Any readings above, or below, the two calibration points will be an extension of this straight line. For this reason it is best to calibrate with the two points as far apart as possible.



Proceed as follows:

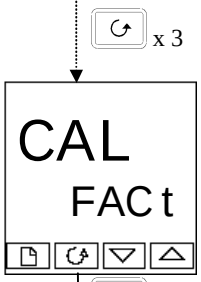
1. Decide upon the low and high points at which you wish to calibrate.
2. Perform a two point calibration in the manner described below.



Input list header

Press until you reach the input list header, ‘ip List’.

Press *until you reach the* ‘CAL’ *display.*



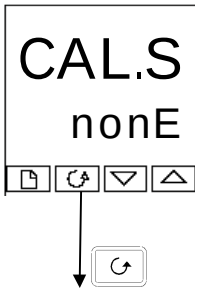
Calibration type

- FACt: Factory Calibration
- USEr: User Calibration

Use ▲ or ▼ to select ‘USEr’.

Selecting ‘USEr’ enables two-point calibration.
[If two-point calibration is unsatisfactory, select ‘FACt’ to return to the factory set calibration.]

Press



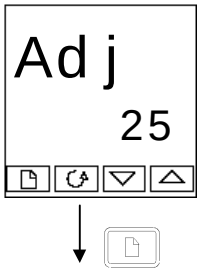
Select Low-point Calibration

This is the Calibration Status display. This display shows that no input is selected for calibration.

- nonE: No selection
- ip1.L: Input 1 (PV1) calibration low-point selected
- ip1.H: Input 1 (PV1) calibration high-point selected
- ip2.L: Input 2 (PV2) calibration low-point selected
- ip2.H: Input 2 (PV2) calibration high-point selected

Use ▲/▼ to select the parameter for the Low Calibration point of Input 1, ‘ip1.L’.

Press

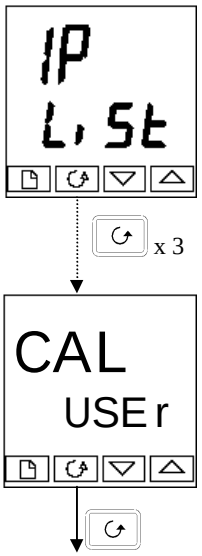


Adjust low-point calibration

This is the display for adjusting the Low Calibration point of Input 1. The lower readout is a live reading of the process value, which changes as the input changes.
Make sure that the calibration source is connected to the terminals of Input 1, switched on and feeding a signal to the controller. It should be set to the desired low-point calibration value. If the lower readout does not show this value, then use ▲/▼ to adjust the reading to the required value.

Press to return to the ‘ip-List’ header.

To perform the High-point Calibration, repeat the above procedure, selecting ‘ip1.H’ in the ‘CAL.S’ display for adjustment.

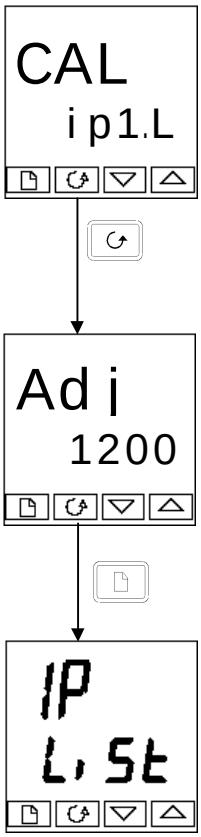


Press three times.

Calibration type

‘USEr’ was selected for the Low-point Calibration, and has remained selected.

Press continued on next page



Select High-point Calibration

This is the Calibration Status display, again.

Use ▲/▼ to select the parameter for the High-point Calibration of Input 1, 'ip1.H'.

Press ↻

Adjust High-point Calibration

This is the display for adjusting the High Calibration point of Input 1. The lower readout is a live reading of the process value, which changes as the input changes.

Feed the desired high-point calibration signal to the controller, from the calibration source. If the lower readout does not show this value, then use ▲/▼ to adjust the reading to the required value.

Press 🗎 to return to the 'ip-List' header.

To protect the calibration against unauthorised adjustment return to Operator level and make sure that the calibration parameters are hidden. Parameters are hidden using the 'Edit' facility described in Chapter 3.

To perform a User Calibration on Input 2, proceed as with Input 1 above, except that when 'CAL.S-nonE' appears, press ▲/▼ until 'CAL.S-iP2.L' is obtained, then proceed as with Input 1. Repeat the procedure for 'iP2.H'.

CALIBRATION POINTS AND CALIBRATION OFFSETS

If you wish to see the points at which the User calibration was performed and the value of the offsets introduced, then these are shown in Configuration, in 'CAL-Conf'.
The parameters are:

Name	Parameter description	Meaning
pt1.L	Low calibration point for Input 1	The factory calibration point at which the low point offset was performed.
pt1.H	High calibration point for Input 1	The factory calibration point at which the high point offset was performed.
OF1.L	Offset Low for Input 1	Calculated offset, in display units.
OF1.H	Offset High for Input 1	Calculated offset, in display units.
pt2.L	Low calibration point for Input 2	The factory calibration point at which the low point offset was performed.
pt2.H	High calibration point for Input 2	The factory calibration point at which the high point offset was performed.
OF2.L	Offset Low for Input 2	Calculated offset, in display units.
OF2.H	Offset High for Input 2	Calculated offset, in display units.

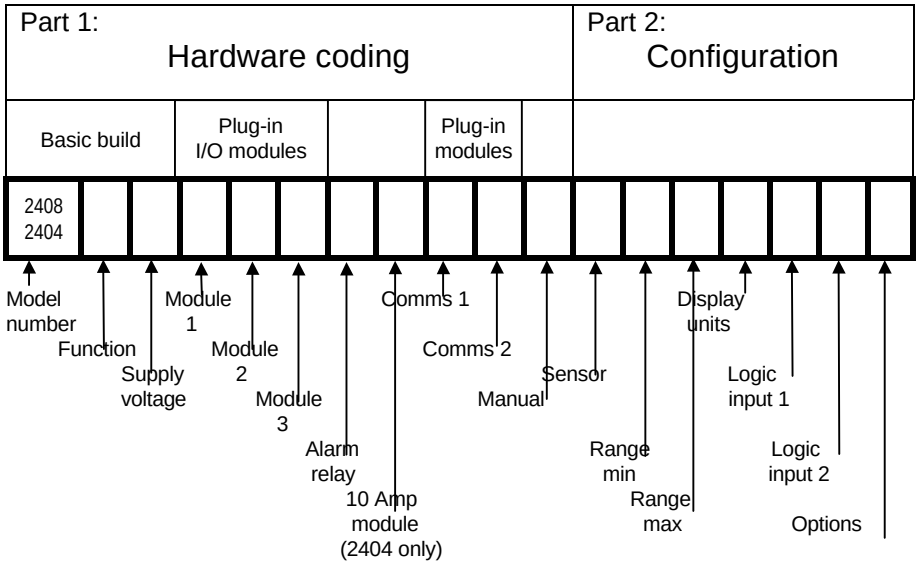
Note: The value of each of the parameters in the above table may also be altered by using the ▲/▼ buttons.

Appendix A

UNDERSTANDING THE ORDERING CODE

The 2408 and 2404 controllers have a modular hardware construction, which accepts up to three plug-in Input/Output modules and two communications modules to satisfy a wide range of control requirements. Two digital inputs and an optional alarm relay form part of the fixed hardware build. Additionally, the Model 2404 has the option of a 10A heating output.

The ordering code is in two parts. The hardware coding and an optional configuration coding. The hardware coding specifies the basic build of the controller and the plug-in modules that are fitted.



The controller may have been ordered with just the hardware build specified, or with configuration included. This is indicated by the ordering code on the side of the controller.

Part 1A: Hardware coding			
Basic build			Plug-in modules
Model number	Function	Supply voltage	Module 1
2408 2404	CC	VH	LH

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Function	
CC	Controller
CP	Single Program
P4	Four Programs
CM	20-Programs
VC	Valve positioner (VP)
VP	VP/Single Program
V4	VP/Four Programs
VM	VP/20-Programs

Supply voltage	
VH	85 to 264Vac
VL	20 to 29Vac/dc

Module 1		
XX	None	
Relay: 2-pin		
R2	Fitted unconfigured	
RH	PID heating	
RU	Valve raise output	
Relay: change-over		
R4	Fitted unconfigured	
YH	PID heating	
Or Alarm 1: select from table A		
Logic		
L2	Fitted unconfigured	
LH	PID heating	
M1	PDSIO mode 1(1)	
M2	PDSIO mode 2(1)	
Triac		
T2	Fitted unconfigured	
TH	PID heating	
TU	Valve raise output	
DC control	non-isol	Isol
Unconfigured	D2	D4
0-20mA heating	H1	H6
4-20mA heating	H2	H7
0-5Vdc heating	H3	H8
1-5Vdc heating	H4	H9
0-10Vdc heating	H5	HZ
Triple I/O Modules		
TK	Triple contact input	
TL	Triple logic input	
TP	Triple logic output	
Dual relay + relay		
RR	Fitted unconfigured	
RD	PID heat + PID cool	
RM	Valve raise and lower	
Dual triac + triac		
TT	Fitted unconfigured	
TD	PID heat + PID cool	
TM	Valve raise and lower	
Dual logic + relay		
LR	Fitted unconfigured	
LD	PID heat + PID cool	
Dual Logic + triac		
LT	Fitted unconfigured	
GD	PID heat + PID cool	

Table A : Alarm relay functions	
FH	High alarm
FL	Low alarm
DB	Deviation band
DL	Low dev. alarm
DH	High dev alarm

Part 1B: Hardware coding

Plug-in modules				Plug-in modules		
Module 2	Module 3	Alarm relay	10A output	Comms 1	Comms 2	Manual
RC	RH	RH	XX	MB	XX	ENG

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Module 2

XX	None
Relay: 2-pin	
R2	Fitted unconfigured
RC	PID cooling
RW	Valve lower output
Relay: change-over	
R4	Fitted unconfigured
YC	PID cooling
PO	Program event output 1
Or Alarm 2: select from table A	
Dual relay + relay	
RR	Fitted unconfigured
PP	Program events 1 & 2
Logic	
L2	Fitted unconfigured
LC	PID cooling
Triac	
T2	Fitted unconfigured
TC	PID cooling
TW	Valve lower output

DC control	**non-isol**	**Isol**
Unconfigured	D2	D4
0-20mA cooling	C1	C6
4-20mA cooling	C2	C7
0-5Vdc cooling	C3	C8
1-5Vdc cooling	C4	C9
0-10Vdc cooling	C5	CZ

Triple I/O Modules	
TK	Triple contact input
TL	Triple logic input
TP	Triple logic output
MS	24Vdc transmit supply
DC retransmission	
D6	Fitted unconfigured
First character	
V–	PV retransmission
S–	Setpoint retransmission
O–	Output retransmission
Z–	Error retransmission
Second character	
–1	0 to 20mA
–2	4 to 20mA
–3	0 to 5V
–4	1 to 5V
–5	0 to 10V

Alarm relay-alarm 4

XX	None
RF	Unconfigured
RA	Rate of change
LF	PDSIO load failure
HF	PDSIO heater failure
SF	PDSIO SSR failure
PO	Program event 7
Plus table A functions	

Module 3

XX	None
Relay: 2-pin	
R2	Fitted unconfigured
Relay: change-over	
R4	Fitted unconfigured
PO	Program event 4
Or Alarm 3 select from table A	
Dual relay + relay	
RR	Fitted unconfigured
PP	Program events 4 & 5
Other modules	
L2	Logic unconfigured
T2	Triac unconfigured
D2	DC non- Isolated
TK	Triple contact input
TL	Triple logic input
TP	Triple logic output
VS	VP slidewire input
MS	24Vdc transmitter PSU
DC remote input	
D5	Fitted unconfigured
W2	4 to 20mA setpoint
W5	0 to 10V setpoint
WP	Second PV input
DC retransmission	
D6	Fitted unconfigured
First character	
V–	PV retransmission
S–	Setpoint retransmission
O–	Output retransmission
Z–	Error retransmission
Second character	
–1	0 to 20mA
–2	4 to 20mA
–3	0 to 5V
–4	1 to 5V
–5	0 to 10V

Manual

XXX	No manual
ENG	English
FRA	French
GDR	German
ITA	Italian

Comms 1

XX	None
2-wire EIA-485	
Y2	Fitted unconfigured
YM	Modbus protocol
YE	EI Bisynch protocol
EIA-232	
A2	Fitted unconfigured
AM	Modbus protocol
AE	EI Bisynch protocol
4-wire EIA-485	
F2	Fitted unconfigured
FM	Modbus protocol
FE	EI Bisynch protocol
PDSIO output	
M7	Fitted unconfigured
PT	PV retransmission
TS	Setpoint retrans
OT	Output retrans

Comms 2

XX	None
PDSIO input	
M6	Fitted unconfigured
RS	Setpoint input
PDSIO output	
M7	Fitted unconfigured
PT	PV retransmission
TS	Setpoint retrans
OT	Output retrans

10A output

XX	None
R6	Fitted unconfigured
RH	PID heating

Hardware coding	Part 2: Configuration						
	Sensor input	Range min	Range max	Units	Logic input 1	Logic input 2	Options
	K	*See note 2* 0	1000	C	XX	XX	CF

Sensor input		Range min &max	
Standard sensor inputs		°C	°F
J	J thermocouple	-210 to 1200	-340 to 2192
K	K thermocouple	-200 to 1372	-325 to 2500
T	T thermocouple	-200 to 400	-325 to 750
L	L thermocouple	-200 to 900	-325 to 650
N	N thermocouple	-250 to 1300	-418 to 2370
R	Type R - Pt13%Ph/Pt	-50 to 1768	-58 to 3200
S	Type S - Pt10%Rh/Pt	-50 to 1768	-58 to 3200
B	Type B - Pt30%Rh/Pt6%Rh	0 to 1820	32 to 3308
P	Platinel II	0 to 1369	32 to 2496
C	*Type C W5%Re/W26%Re (Hoskins)*	0 to 2319	32 to 4200
Z	RTD/PT100	-200 to 850	-325 to 1562
Process inputs			
F	+/- 100mV	0 to 9999	
Y	0-20 mA Linear	0 to 9999	
A	4-20 mA Linear	0 to 9999	
W	0-5V DC Linear	0 to 9999	
G	1-5V DC Linear	0 to 9999	
V	0-10V DC Linear	0 to 9999	
Custom Sensor inputs *(* replaces type C thermocouple)*			
D	Type D - W3%Re/W25%Re	0 to 2399	32 to 4350
E	E thermocouple	-270 to 1000	-450 to 1830
1	Ni/Ni18%Mo	0 to 1399	32 to 2550
2	Pt20%Rh/Pt40%Rh	0 to 1870	32 to 3398
3	W/W26%Re (Englehard)	0 to 2000	32 to 3632
4	W/W26%Re (Hoskins)	0 to 2010	32 to 3650
5	W5%Re/W26%Re (Englehard)	10 to 2300	50 to 4172
6	W5%Re/W26%Re (Bucose)	0 to 2000	32 to 3632
7	Pt10%Rh/Pt40%Rh	200 to 1800	392 to 3272
8	Exergen K80 I.R. pyrometer	-45 to 650	-50 to 1200

Logic inputs 1 & 2	
XX	Disabled
AM	Manual select
SR	Remote setpoint select
S2	Second sepoint select
EH	Integral hold
AC	Alarm acknowledge
RP	Setpoint rate limit en'ble
RN	Run program
HO	Hold program
RE	Reset program
RH	Run/hold program
NT	Run/Reset program
TN	Reset/Run program
HB	Prog. holdback enable
KL	Keylock
P2	PID2 select
ST	One-shot tune enable
AT	Adaptive tune enable
FA	Select full access level
RB	Simulates pressing ▲
LB	Simulates pressing ▼
SB	Simulates pressing ↺
PB	Simulates pressing 🗎
B1	Least sig. BCD dig.
B2	2nd BCD digit
B3	3rd BCD digit
B4	4th BCD digit
B5	5th BCD digit
B6	Most sig. BCD digit
SY	Standby - ALL ops OFF
SC	Program synch

Units	
C	Centigrade
F	Fahrenheit
K	Kelvin
X	Blank

Options	
Add as many options as required	
Control options	
NF	On/Off control
DP	Direct acting PID control
PD	Power feedback disabled
Cooling options	
CF	Fan cooling
CW	Water cooling
CL	Oil cooling
Front panel buttons	
MD	Auto/man button disabled
RD	Run/hold button disabled
Programmer options	
HD	Dwell time in hours
HR	Ramp rate in units/hour (minutes is standard)

Notes:

1. **PDSIO** is a proprietary technique developed by Eurotherm for bi-directional transmission of analogue and digital data between instruments.
   Mode 1: provides logic heating to a Eurotherm TE10S (fitted with option PDS1) solid state relay with feedback of a general load fault alarm.
   Mode 2: provides logic heating to a Eurotherm TE10S (fitted with option PDS2) solid state relay with feedback of load current and two alarms: solid state relay failure and heater circuit failure.

2. **Range min and Range max:** Thermocouple and RTD sensor inputs will always display over the full operating range shown in Sensor input table. For these inputs, the values entered here are the low and high setpoint limits. For process inputs, the values are the display scaling. corresponding to the minimum and maximum input values.

SAFETY and EMC INFORMATION

Please read this section carefully before installing the controller

This controller is intended for industrial temperature and process control applications when it will meet the requirements of the European Directives on Safety and EMC. Use in other applications, or failure to observe the installation instructions of this handbook may impair the safety or EMC protection provided by the controller. It is the responsibility of the installer to ensure the safety and EMC of any particular installation.

Safety

This controller complies with the European Low Voltage Directive 73/23/EEC, amended by 93/68/EEC, by the application of the safety standard EN 61010.

Electromagnetic compatibility

This controller conforms with the essential protection requirements of the EMC Directive 89/336/EEC, amended by 93/68/EEC, by the application of a Technical Construction File.
This instrument satisfies the general requirements of an industrial environment as described by EN 50081-2 and EN 50082-2.
For more information on product compliance refer to the Technical Construction File.

SERVICE AND REPAIR

This controller has no user serviceable parts. Contact your nearest Eurotherm Controls agent for repair.

Caution: Charged capacitors

Before removing an instrument from its sleeve, disconnect the supply and wait at least two minutes to allow capacitors to discharge. Failure to observe this precaution will expose capacitors that may be charged with hazardous voltages. In any case, avoid touching the exposed electronics of an instrument when withdrawing it from the sleeve.

Electrostatic discharge precautions

When the controller is removed from its sleeve, some of the exposed electronic components are vulnerable to damage by electrostatic discharge from someone handling the controller. To avoid this, before handling the unplugged controller discharge yourself to ground.

Cleaning

Do not use water or water based products to clean labels or they will become illegible. Isopropyl alcohol may be used to clean labels. A mild soap solution may be used to clean other exterior surfaces of the product.

INSTALLATION SAFETY REQUIREMENTS

Safety Symbols

Various symbols are used on the instrument, they have the following meaning:

⚠ Caution, (refer to the accompanying documents) ⏚ Functional earth (ground) terminal

The functional earth connection is not required for safety purposes but to ground RFI filters.

Personnel

Installation must only be carried out by qualified personnel.

Enclosure of live parts

To prevent hands or metal tools touching parts that may be electrically live, the controller must be installed in an enclosure.

Caution: Live sensors

The fixed digital inputs, non-isolated dc, logic and PDSIO outputs and the logic output of dual output modules, are all electrically connected to the main process variable input. If the temperature sensor is connected directly to an electrical heating element then these non-isolated inputs and outputs will also be live. The controller is designed to operate under these conditions. However you must ensure that this will not damage other equipment connected to these inputs and outputs and that service personnel do not touch connections to these i/o while they are live. With a live sensor, all cables, connectors and switches for connecting the sensor and non-isolated inputs and outputs must be mains rated.

Wiring

It is important to connect the controller in accordance with the wiring data given in this handbook. Take particular care not to connect AC supplies to the low voltage sensor input or other low level inputs and outputs. Only use copper conductors for connections (except thermocouple inputs) and ensure that the wiring of installations comply with all local wiring regulations. For example in the in the UK use the latest version of the IEE wiring regulations, (BS7671). In the USA use NEC Class 1 wiring methods.

Power Isolation

The installation must include a power isolating switch or circuit breaker. This device should be in close proximity to the controller, within easy reach of the operator and marked as the disconnecting device for the instrument.

Earth leakage current

Due to RFI Filtering there is an earth leakage current of less than 0.5mA. This may affect the design of an installation of multiple controllers protected by Residual Current Device, (RCD) or Ground Fault Detector, (GFD) type circuit breakers.

Overcurrent protection

To protect the internal PCB tracking within the controller against excess currents, the AC power supply to the controller and power outputs must be wired through the fuse or circuit breaker specified in the technical specification.

Voltage rating

The maximum continuous voltage applied between any of the following terminals must not exceed 264Vac:

- line or neutral to any other connection;
- relay or triac output to logic, dc or sensor connections;
- any connection to ground.

The controller should not be wired to a three phase supply with an unearthed star connection. Under fault conditions such a supply could rise above 264Vac with respect to ground and the product would not be safe.

Voltage transients across the power supply connections, and between the power supply and ground, must not exceed 2.5kV. Where occasional voltage transients over 2.5kV are expected or measured, the power installation to both the instrument supply and load circuits should include a transient limiting device.

These units will typically include gas discharge tubes and metal oxide varistors that limit and control voltage transients on the supply line due to lightning strikes or inductive load switching. Devices are available in a range of energy ratings and should be selected to suit conditions at the installation.

Conductive pollution

Electrically conductive pollution must be excluded from the cabinet in which the controller is mounted. For example, carbon dust is a form of electrically conductive pollution. To secure a suitable atmosphere in conditions of conductive pollution, fit an air filter to the air intake of the cabinet. Where condensation is likely, for example at low temperatures, include a thermostatically controlled heater in the cabinet.

Over-temperature protection

When designing any control system it is essential to consider what will happen if any part of the system should fail. In temperature control applications the primary danger is that the heating will remain constantly on. Apart from spoiling the product, this could damage any process machinery being controlled, or even cause a fire.

Reasons why the heating might remain constantly on include:

- the temperature sensor becoming detached from the process;
- thermocouple wiring becoming short circuit;
- the controller failing with its heating output constantly on;
- an external valve or contactor sticking in the heating condition;
- the controller setpoint set too high.

Where damage or injury is possible, we recommend fitting a separate over-temperature protection unit, with an independent temperature sensor, which will isolate the heating circuit.

Please note that the alarm relays within the controller will not give protection under all failure conditions.

Grounding of the temperature sensor shield

In some installations it is common practice to replace the temperature sensor while the controller is still powered up. Under these conditions, as additional protection against electric shock, we recommend that the shield of the temperature sensor is grounded. Do not rely on grounding through the framework of the machine.

INSTALLATION REQUIREMENTS FOR EMC

To ensure compliance with the European EMC directive certain installation precautions are necessary as follows:

- For general guidance refer to Eurotherm Controls EMC Installation Guide, HA025464.
- When using relay or triac outputs it may be necessary to fit a filter suitable for suppressing the emissions. The filter requirements will depend on the type of load. For typical applications we recommend Schaffner FN321 or FN612.
- If the unit is used in table top equipment which is plugged into a standard power socket, then it is likely that compliance to the commercial and light industrial emissions standard is required. In this case to meet the conducted emissions requirement, a suitable mains filter should be installed. We recommend Schaffner types FN321 and FN612.

Routing of wires

To minimise the pick-up of electrical noise, the wiring for low voltage dc and particularly the sensor input should be routed away from high-current power cables. Where it is impractical to do this, use shielded cables with the shield grounded at both ends.

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION

Environmental ratings

Panel sealing:	Instruments are intended to be panel mounted. The rating of panel sealing is IP65, (EN 60529), or 4X, (NEMA 250).
Operating temperature:	0 to 55°C. Ensure the enclosure provides adequate ventilation.
Relative humidity:	5 to 95%, non condensing.
Atmosphere:	The instrument is not suitable for use above 2000m or in explosive or corrosive atmospheres.

Equipment ratings

Supply voltage:	100 to 240Vac -15%, +10%, or optionally: 24Vac or dc, -15%, +20%.
Supply frequency:	48 to 62Hz.
Power consumption:	15 Watts maximum.
Relay 2-pin (isolated):	Maximum: 264Vac, 2A resistive. Minimum: 12Vdc, 100mA.
Relay changeover (isolated):	Maximum: 264Vac, 2A resistive. Minimum: 6Vdc, 1mA.
Triac outputs (isolated):	30 to 264Vac. Maximum current: 1A resistive.
Leakage current:	The leakage current through triac and relay contact suppression components is less than 2mA at 264Vac, 50Hz.
Over current protection:	External over current protection devices are required that match the wiring of the installation. A minimum of 0.5mm^2 or 16awg wire is recommended. Use independent fuses for the instrument supply and each relay or triac output. Suitable fuses are T type, (EN 60127 time-lag type) as follows; Instrument supply: 85 to 264Vac, 2A, (T). Relay outputs: 2A (T). Triac outputs: 1A (T).
Low level i/o:	All input and output connections other than triac and relay are intended for low level signals less than 42V.
Single logic output:	18V at 24mA. (Non-isolated.)
Triple logic output:	12 to 13V at up to 8mA. (Isolated.)
DC output (Isolated):	0 to 20mA (600Ω max), 0 to 10V (500Ω min).
DC output (Non isolated):	0 to 20mA (600Ω max), 0 to 10V (500Ω min).
Fixed digital inputs:	Contact closure. (Non isolated.)
Triple contact input:	Contact closure. (Isolated.)
Triple logic input:	11 to 30Vdc. (Isolated.)
DC or 2nd PV input:	As main input plus 0-1.6Vdc, Impedance, >100MΩ. (Isolated.)
Potentiometer input:	0.5V excitation, 100Ω to 1.5kΩ Potentiometer. (Isolated.)
Transmitter supply:	24Vdc at 20mA. (isolated.)
Strain gauge supply:	10Vdc. Minimum bridge resistance 300Ω. (Isolated.)
PDSIO output (non-isolated):	Setpoint, PV or o/p retransmission to a slave PDSIO controller.
PDSIO input (isolated):	Setpoint input from and holdback to a master PDSIO controller.
Digital Communications:	EIA-232, 2-wire EIA-485 or 4-wire EIA-485 (All isolated).

General

Main PV Input range:	±100mV, 0 to 10Vdc (auto ranging) and 3 wire Pt100.
Calibration accuracy:	The greater of ±0.2% of reading, ±1 LSD or ±1°C.
Cold junction compensation	>30:1 rejection of ambient temperature, (for thermocouple i/p).

Electrical safety

Standards:	EN 61010, Installation category II, pollution degree 2. CSA C22.2 No.142-M1987.
Installation category II:	Voltage transients on any mains power connected to the instrument must not exceed 2.5kV.
Pollution degree 2:	Conductive pollution must be excluded from the cabinet in which the instrument is mounted.
Isolation:	All isolated inputs and outputs have reinforced insulation to provide protection against electric shock. The fixed digital inputs, non-isolated dc, logic and PDSIO outputs and the logic output of dual output modules, are all electrically connected to the main process variable input, (thermocouple etc.).