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1.0 **FOUNDATION fieldbus™**

1.1 **Overview**

FOUNDATION fieldbus™ is a digital communications system that serially interconnects devices in the field. A Fieldbus system is similar to a Distributed Control System (DCS) with two exceptions:

- Although a FOUNDATION fieldbus™ system can use the same physical wiring as 4–20 mA device, Fieldbus devices are not connected point to point, but rather are multidropped and wired in parallel on a single pair of wires (referred to as a segment).
- FOUNDATION fieldbus™ is a system that allows the user to distribute control across a network. Fieldbus devices are smart and can actually maintain control over the system.

Unlike 4–20 mA analog installations in which the two wires carry a single variable (the varying 4–20 mA current), a digital communications scheme such as FOUNDATION fieldbus™ considers the two wires as a network. The network can carry many process variables as well as other information. The PULSAR Model R86 FF transmitter is a FOUNDATION fieldbus™ registered device that communicates with the H1 FOUNDATION fieldbus™ protocol operating at 31.25 kbits/sec. The H1 physical layer is an approved IEC 61158 standard.

Details regarding cable specifications, grounding, termination, and other physical layer network information can be found in IEC 61158 or the wiring installation application guide AG-140 at www.fieldcommgroup.org.
1.2 Device Description (DD)

An important requirement of Fieldbus devices is the concept of interoperability, defined as “the ability to operate multiple devices in the same system, regardless of manufacturer, without loss of functionality.”

Device Description (DD) technology is used to achieve this interoperability. The DD provides extended descriptions for each object and provides pertinent information needed by the host system. DDs are similar to the drivers that your personal computer (PC) uses to operate peripheral devices connected to it. Any Fieldbus host system can operate with a device if it has the proper DD and Common File Format (CFF) for that device.

The most recent DD and CFF files can be found on the FOUNDATION fieldbus™ web site at www.fieldcommmgroup.org.

NOTE: Consult your host system vendor for any host-specific files that may be needed.

1.2.1 FOUNDATION fieldbus™ DD Revision Table

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<td>April 2017</td>
<td>Version 1.0a or later</td>
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1.3 Link Active Scheduler (LAS)

The default operating class of the PULSAR Model R86 FF with FOUNDATION fieldbus™ is a Basic device. However, it is capable of being configured as a Link Active Scheduler (LAS).

The LAS controls all communication on a FOUNDATION fieldbus™ segment. It maintains the “Live List” of all devices on a segment and coordinates both the cyclic and acyclic timing.

The primary LAS is usually maintained in the host system, but in the event of a failure, all associated control can be transferred to a backup LAS in a field device such as the PULSAR Model R86 FF transmitter.

NOTES:

1) The PULSAR Model R86 is normally shipped from the factory with Device Class set to Basic.

2) The operating class can be changed from Basic to LAS using a FOUNDATION fieldbus™ configuration tool.
1.4 **Intrinsic Safety**

The H1 physical layer supports Intrinsic Safety (IS) applications with bus-powered devices. To accomplish this, an Intrinsically Safe barrier or galvanic isolator is placed between the power supply in the safe area and the device in the hazardous area.

H1 also supports the Fieldbus Intrinsically Safe Concept (FISCO) model which allows more field devices in a network. The FISCO model considers the capacitance and inductance of the wiring to be distributed along its entire length. Therefore, the stored energy during a fault will be less and more devices are permitted on a pair of wires. Instead of the conservative entity model, which only allows about 90 mA of current, the FISCO model allows a maximum of 110 mA for Class II C installations and 240 mA for Class II B installations.

FISCO certifying agencies have limited the maximum segment length to 1000 meters because the FISCO model does not rely on standardized ignition curves.

The PULSAR Model R86 FF is available with entity IS, FISCO IS, FNICO and non-incendive approvals (explosion proof–future).
2.0 Standard Function Blocks

2.1 Overview

The function of a FOUNDATION fieldbus™ device is determined by the arrangement of a system of blocks defined by the Fieldbus foundation. The types of blocks used in a typical User Application are described as either Standard or Advanced.

Function Blocks are built into the FOUNDATION fieldbus™ devices as needed to provide the desired control system behavior. The input and output parameters of function blocks can be linked over the Fieldbus and there can be numerous function blocks in a single User Application.

The PULSAR Model R86 FF is a Pulse Burst Radar level transmitter with the following standard FOUNDATION fieldbus™ Function Blocks:

- One (1) Resource Block (RB)
- Three (3) Custom Transducer Blocks (TB)
- Eight (8) Analog Input Function Blocks (AI)
- Two (2) PID Blocks (PID)

With Advanced Function Blocks:

- One (1) Arithmetic Block (AR)
- One (1) Input Selector Block (IS)
- One (1) Signal Characterizer Block (SC)
- One (1) Integrator Block (IT)

The idea of Function Blocks, which a user can customize for a particular application, is a key concept of Fieldbus topology. Function Blocks consist of an algorithm, inputs and outputs, and a user-defined Block Tag.

The Transducer Block (TB) output is available to the network through the Analog Input (AI) blocks. Refer to Section 2.3 for additional information on the Transducer Blocks.

The AI blocks take the TB values and make them available as an analog value to other function blocks. The AI blocks have scaling conversion, filtering, and alarm functions.

Refer to Section 2.4 for additional information on the Analog Input Blocks.

As shown in the diagram at left, the end user typically configures the Process Variable value as an Analog Input to their fieldbus network.
2.1.1 Universal fieldbus Block Parameters

The following are general descriptions of the parameters common to all function blocks. Additional information for a given parameter may be described later in a section that describes the specific block.

ST_REV: a read-only parameter that gives the revision level of the static data associated with the block. This parameter will be incremented each time a static parameter attribute value is written and is a vehicle for tracking changes in static parameter attributes.

TAG_DESC: a user assigned parameter that describes the intended application of any given block.

STRATEGY: a user assigned parameter that identifies groupings of blocks associated with a given network connection or control scheme.

ALERT_KEY: a user-assigned parameter which may be used in sorting alarms or events generated by a block.

MODE_BLK: a structured parameter composed of the actual mode, the target mode, the permitted mode(s), and the normal mode of operation of a block.

- Target: The mode to “go to”
- Actual: The mode the “block is currently in”
- Permitted: Allowed modes that target may take on
- Normal: Most common mode for target

NOTES:

1) It may be required to change the MODE_BLK target parameter to OOS (out of service) to change configuration parameters in that specific function block. (When in OOS, the normal algorithm is no longer executed and any outstanding alarms are cleared.)

2) All blocks must be in an operating mode for the device to operate. This requires the Resource Block and the Transducer Block to be in “AUTO” before the specific function block can be placed in a mode other than OOS (out of service).

BLOCK_ERR: a parameter that reflects the error status of hardware or software components associated with, and directly affecting, the correct operation of a block.

NOTE: A BLOCK_ERR of “Simulation Active” in the Resource Block does not mean simulation is active—it merely indicates that the simulation (hardware) enabling jumper is present. (See page 21 and refer to Section 2.4.5 for additional information).

3) Function Block Execution Times:

- 10 msec (AI, IT, IS, AR, SC)
- 15 msec (PID)
2.2 Resource Block

The RESOURCE BLOCK describes the characteristics of the FOUNDATION fieldbus™ device such as the device name, manufacturer, and serial number. As it only contains data specific to the PULSAR Model R86 FF transmitter, it has no control function.

2.2.1 Resource Block Parameters

**MODE_BLK**: Must be in AUTO in order for the remaining function blocks in the transmitter to operate.

**NOTE**: A Resource Block in “out of service” mode will stop all function block execution in the transmitter.

**RS_STATE**: Identifies the state of the RESOURCE block state machine. Under normal operating conditions, it should be “On-Line.”

**DDRESOURCE**: A string identifying the tag of the resource that contains the Device Description for this device.

**MANUFACT_ID**: Contains Magnetrol International's FOUNDATION fieldbus™ manufacturer's ID number, which is 0x000156.

**DEV_TYPE**: The model number of the PULSAR Model R86 FF transmitter (0x0008). It is used by the Host System and other fieldbus interface devices to locate the Device Descriptor (DD) file.

**DEV_REV**: Contains the device revision of the PULSAR Model R86 FF transmitter and is used by the Host System and other fieldbus interface devices to correctly select the associated DD.

**DD_REV**: Contains the revision of the DD associated with the device revision of the PULSAR Model R86 FF transmitter. It is used by the Host System and other Fieldbus interface devices to correctly select the associated DD.

**GRANT_DENY**: Options for controlling access of host computer and local control panels to operating, tuning and alarm parameters of the block.

**HARD_TYPES**: The types of hardware available as channel numbers.

**RESTART**: Default and Processor are the available selections. Default will reset the Model R86 to the default function block configuration.

**NOTE**: As RESTART DEFAULT will set most function block configuration parameters to their default values. Devices need to be reconfigured following activation of this function.
FEATURES: A list of the features available in the transmitter, such as Reports and Soft Write Lock.

FEATURES_SEL: Allows the user to turn Features on or off.

CYCLE_TYPE: Identifies the block execution methods that are available.

CYCLE_SEL: Allows the user to select the block execution method.

MIN_CYCLE_T: The time duration of the shortest cycle interval. It puts a lower limit on the scheduling of the resource.

MEMORY_SIZE: Available configuration memory in the empty resource.

NV_CYCLE_T: The minimum time interval between copies of non-volatile (NV) parameters to NV memory. NV memory is only updated if there has been a significant change in the dynamic value and the last value saved will be available for the restart procedure.

NOTE: After completing a download, allow several seconds before removing power from the PULSAR Model R86 FF transmitter to ensure that all data has been saved.

FREE_SPACE: Shows the amount of available memory for further configuration. The value is zero percent in a preconfigured device.

FREE_TIME: The amount of the block processing time that is free to process additional blocks.

SHED_RCAS: The time duration at which to give up computer writes to function block RCas locations.

SHED_ROUT: The time duration at which to give up computer writes to function block ROUT locations.

FAULT_STATE, SET_FSTATE, CLR_FSTATE: These only apply to output function blocks. (The Model R86 FF has no output function blocks).

MAX_NOTIFY: The maximum number of alert reports that the transmitter can send without getting a confirmation.

LIM_NOTIFY: the maximum numbers of unconfirmed alert notify messages allowed. No alerts are reported if set to zero.

CONFIRM_TIME: the time that the transmitter will wait for confirmation of receipt of a report before trying again. Retry will not occur if CONFIRM_TIME = 0.
**WRITE_LOCK**: When set to LOCKED, will prevent any external change to the static or non-volatile data base in the Function Block Application of the transmitter. Block connections and calculation results will proceed normally, but the configuration will be locked.

**UPDATE_EVT** *(Update Event)*: Is an alert generated by a write to the static data in the block.

**BLOCK_ALM** *(Block Alarm)*: Is used for configuration, hardware, connection, or system problems in the block. The cause of any specific alert is entered in the subcode field.

**ALARM_SUM** *(Alarm Summary)*: Contains the current alert status, the unacknowledged states, the unreported states, and the disabled states of the alarms associated with the block.

**ACK_OPTION** *(Acknowledge Option)*: Selects whether alarms associated with the block will be automatically acknowledged.

**WRITE_PRI** *(Write Priority)*: The priority of the alarm generated by clearing the write lock.

**WRITE_ALM** *(Write Alarm)*: The alert generated if the write lock parameter is cleared.

**ITK_VER** *(ITK Version)*: Contains the version of the Interoperability Test Kit (ITK) used by the FieldComm Group during their interoperability testing.

### 2.2.2 Additional Resource Block Parameters

Additional parameters are available within the resource block for use with NE-107 to aid in communicating device conditions to the user.

**FD_VER**: Major version of the Field Diagnostic specification to which this device conforms.

**FD_FAIL_ACTIVE**: For error conditions that have been selected for the FAIL alarm category, this parameter reflects those that have been detected as active.

**FD_OFFSPEC_ACTIVE**: For error conditions that have been selected for the OFFSPEC alarm category, this parameter reflects those that have been detected as active.

**FD_MAINT_ACTIVE**: For error conditions that have been selected for the MAINT alarm category, this parameter reflects those that have been detected as active.

**FD_CHECK_ACTIVE**: For error conditions that have been selected for the CHECK alarm category, this parameter reflects those that have been detected as active.
**FD_FAIL_MAP**: Maps conditions to be detected as active for the FAIL alarm category.

**FD_OFFSPEC_MAP**: Maps conditions to be detected as active for the OFFSPEC alarm category.

**FD_MAINT_MAP**: Maps conditions to be detected as active for the MAINT alarm category.

**FD_CHECK_MAP**: Maps conditions to be detected as active for the CHECK alarm category.

**FD_FAIL_MASK**: Used to suppress an alarm from being broadcast for single or multiple conditions that are active in the FAIL alarm category.

**FD_OFFSPEC_MASK**: Used to suppress an alarm from being broadcast for single or multiple conditions that are active in the OFFSPEC alarm category.

**FD_MAINT_MASK**: Used to suppress an alarm from being broadcast for single or multiple conditions that are active in the MAINT alarm category.

**FD_CHECK_MASK**: Used to suppress an alarm from being broadcast for single or multiple conditions that are active in the CHECK alarm category.

**FD_FAIL_ALM**: Used to broadcast a change in the associated active conditions, which are not masked, for the FAIL alarm category.

**FD_OFFSPEC_ALM**: Used to broadcast a change in the associated active conditions, which are not masked, for the OFFSPEC alarm category.

**FD_MAINT_ALM**: Used to broadcast a change in the associated active conditions, which are not masked, for the MAINT alarm category.

**FD_CHECK_ALM**: Used to broadcast a change in the associated active conditions, which are not masked, for the CHECK alarm category.

**FD_FAIL_PRI**: Specifies the priority of the FAIL alarm category.

**FD_OFFSPEC_PRI**: Specifies the priority of the OFFSPEC alarm category.

**FD_MAINT_PRI**: Specifies the priority of the MAINT alarm category.

**FD_CHECK_PRI**: Specifies the priority of the CHECK alarm category.

**FD_SIMULATE**: Diagnostic conditions can be manually supplied when simulation is enabled.
**FD_RECOMMEND_ACT:** Describes what actions can be taken to address an active diagnostic condition.

**FD_EXTENDED_ACTIVE_1:** For error conditions that have been selected in the Extended_Map_1 parameter, this parameter reflects those that have been detected as active.

**FD_EXTENDED_MAP_1:** Allows the user finer control in selecting multiple conditions contributing to a single condition that may be mapped for the various alarm categories.

**SERIAL_NUMBER:** Manufacturer specific read-only parameter that corresponds to “Magnetrol Serial Number” in the Transducer Block.

**SOFTWARE_REV:** Read-only parameter that corresponds to “Firmw are Version” in the Transducer Block.

**HARDWARE_REV:** Read-only parameter that corresponds to “Hardware Version” in the Transducer Block.

**COMPATIBILITY_REV:** Read-only parameter that is optionally used when replacing field devices. The correct usage of this parameter presumes that the DEV_REV value of the replaced device is equal or lower than the COMPATIBILITY_REV value of the replacing device.

### 2.3 Transducer Block

The three TRANSDUCER blocks (TB) contained within the PULSAR Model R86 FF transmitter are custom blocks containing parameters pertinent to the transmitter itself.

TRANSDUCER Block 1 (used for level only operation) contains information such as the Configuration, Diagnostics, Calibration data, output level and Status information.

TRANSDUCER Block 2 contains parameters for volume measurement configuration.

TRANSDUCER Block 3 contains parameters for flow measurement calculations.

The read-only parameters and read-write parameters within the TB are grouped in a useful configuration.

- The read-only parameters report the block status and operation modes.
- The read-write parameters affect both the operation of the function block and the transmitter itself.

**NOTE:** The Transducer Block will automatically be changed to “Out of Service” when the local interface (keypad) is used to change a static parameter online. The Transducer Block must be manually placed back in service from the Host System to resume operation.
2.3.1 Transducer Block Parameters

The first six parameters in the TRANSUDER Block are the universal parameters discussed in section 2.1.1. After the universal parameters, six additional parameters are required for Transducer Blocks. The most notable of these parameters are UPDATE_EVT and BLOCK_ALM. It should be noted that these six additional parameters must exist but do not have to be implemented.

An important device-specific parameter found later in the TRANSUDER Block list is PRESENT_STATUS, which displays the status of the device. If more than one message exists, then the messages are displayed in priority order.

If PRESENT_STATUS indicates a problem, refer to Section 5.2, Troubleshooting.

For a complete list of Transducer Block Parameters, refer to table in the Appendix.

NOTE: The user should compare the DD file and revision number of the device with the HOST system to ensure they are at the same revision level.

Refer to the DD Revision Table Section 1.2.1.

Refer to Appendix B for a complete list of the three Transducer Block parameter sets.

2.3.2 Password Parameters

To change a parameter at the local user interface, host, or fieldbus interface, a value matching the user password must be entered (Default = 0). If a static parameter is changed from the local user interface, the Associated Transducer Block goes Out of Service (OOS).

Refer to the Section 4.3 for additional information regarding passwords.

After five minutes with no keypad activity, the entered password expires. However, the device must be placed back in service from the Host System.

2.3.3 PULSAR Model R86 FF Configuration Parameters

One of the main advantages of the PULSAR Model R86 FF Pulse Burst Radar transmitter is that the device can be delivered pre-configured to the user.

In addition, FOUNDATION fieldbus™ provides the ability to monitor changes and make adjustments to a transmitter. The Fieldbus™ concept allows a user to make adjustments if deemed necessary.
2.3.4 PULSAR Model R86 FF Device-Specific Configuration Parameters

Refer to PULSAR Model R86 I/O Manual 58-603 for detailed information on the Model R86 device-specific configuration parameters.

2.4 Analog Input Block

The ANALOG INPUT (AI) block takes the PULSAR Model R86 FF input data, selected by channel number, and makes it available to other function blocks at its output.

The channel selections are:

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2.4.1 AI Block Parameters

ST_REV: a read-only parameter that gives the revision level of the static data associated with the block. This parameter will be incremented each time a static parameter attribute value is written and is a vehicle for tracking changes in static parameter attributes.

TAG_DESC: a user assigned parameter that describes the intended application of any given block.

STRATEGY: a user assigned parameter that identifies groupings of blocks associated with a given network connection or control scheme.

ALERT_KEY: a user-assigned parameter which may be used in sorting alarms or events generated by a block.
MODE_BLK: a structured parameter composed of the actual mode, the target mode, the permitted mode(s), and the normal mode of operation of a block.

- Target: The mode to “go to”
- Actual: The mode the “block is currently in”
- Permitted: Allowed modes that target may take on
- Normal: Most common mode for target

BLOCK_ERR: This parameter reflects the error status associated with the hardware or software components associated with a block. It is a bit string so that multiple errors may be shown.

PV: Either the primary analog value for use in executing the function, or a process value associated with it.

OUT: The primary analog value calculated as a result of executing the function block.

SIMULATE: Allows the transducer analog input or output to the block to be manually supplied when simulate is enabled. When simulate is disabled, the simulate value and status track the actual value and status. Refer to Section 2.4.5 for additional information.

XD_SCALE: The high and low scale values, Engineering Units, and number of digits to the right of the decimal point used with the value obtained from the transducer for a specified channel.

OUT_SCALE: The high and low scale values, Engineering Units, and number of digits to the right of the decimal point to be used in displaying the OUT parameter.

GRANT_DENY: Options for controlling access of host computers and local control panels to operating, tuning, and alarm parameters of the block.

IO_OPTS: Option which the user may select to alter input and output block processing.

STATUS_OPTS: Options which the user may select in the block processing of status.

CHANNEL: The number of the logical hardware channel that is connected to this I/O block. (This information defines the transducer to be used going to or from the physical world).

L_TYPE: Determines if the values passed by the transducer block to the AI block may be used directly (Direct), or if the value is in different units and must be converted linearly (Indirect), using the input range defined for the transducer and the associated output range.
LOW_CUT: Limit used in square root processing.

PV_FTIME: Time constant of a single exponential filter for the PV, in seconds.

FIELD_VAL: Raw value of the field device in % of PV range, with a status reflecting the Transducer condition before signal characterization (L_TYPE) or filtering (PV_FTIME).

UPDATE_EVT: This alert is generated by any change to the static data.

BLOCK_ALM: The block alarm is used for all configuration, hardware, or system problems in the block.

ALARM_SUM: The current alert status, unacknowledged states, unreported states, and disabled states of the alarms associated with the function block.

ACK_OPTION: Selection of whether alarms associated with the function block will be automatically acknowledged.

ALARM_HYS: Amount the PV must return within the alarm limits before the alarm condition clears. Alarm hysteresis expressed as a percent of the span of the PV.

HI_HI_PRI: Priority of the high-high alarm.

HI_HI_LIM: The setting for high-high alarm in engineering units.

HI_PRI: Priority of the high alarm.

HI_LIM: The setting for high alarm in engineering units

LO_PRI: Priority of the low alarm.

LO_LIM: The setting for low alarm in engineering units.

LO_LO_PRI: Priority of the low-low alarm.

LO_LO_LIM: The setting for low-low alarm in engineering units.

HI_HI_ALM: The status for high-high alarm and its associated time stamp.

HI_ALM: Status for high alarm and associated time stamp.

LO_ALM: Status for low alarm and associated time stamp.

LO_LO_ALM: The status for low-low alarm and its associated time stamp.
BLOCK_ERR_DESC: Reports more specific details regarding some errors reported through BLOCK_ERR.

The MODE_BLK parameter (within both the TB and AI Blocks) must be set to AUTO to pass the PV Value through the AI to the network.

Transducer scaling, called XD_SCALE is applied to the PV from the CHANNEL to produce the FIELD_VAL in percent.

- Valid XD_SCALE engineering units depend on the Channel Type.

2.4.2 AI Block Diagnostics

The AI blocks can display a BLOCK_ERR diagnostic when:

1. The Channel is not set correctly.
2. XD_SCALE does not have suitable engineering units.
3. The SIMULATE parameter is active.
4. AI block MODE is O/S (out of service).
5. L-TYPE not set or set to Direct with improper OUT_SCALE.

NOTE: This can be caused by the Resource Block being OOS or the AI Block not scheduled for execution.

The AI block uses the STATUS_OPTS setting and the “LIMIT” ALARM PARAMETERS value to modify the AI PV and OUT QUALITY.

A Damping Filter is a feature of the AI block. The PV_FTIME parameter is a time constant of a single exponential filter for the PV, in seconds. This parameter can be used to dampen out fluctuation in level due to excessive turbulence.

The AI block also has multiple ALARM functions that monitor the OUT parameter for out of bound conditions.

2.4.3 Local Display of Analog Input

The PULSAR Model R86 FF transmitter incorporates a useful feature that allows the Analog Input (AI) block Out values to be displayed on the local LCD.
NOTE: There are many reasons that AI block Out values can deviate from the measurement value originating in the Transducer block, and because the keypad and local display will only provide access to Transducer block parameters, there is no way to change (or view) the other fieldbus configuration items affecting the AI block output using the keypad and LCD. In other words, these screens should only be considered as measured value indicators for configured transmitters. For example:

- The screens are not used for commissioning or diagnostic/troubleshooting purposes.
- Prior to full fieldbus configuration (transmitter assigned a permanent address, AI block(s) configured and scheduled for execution, etc.), the value displayed will be 0 with “BAD: OUT OF SERVICE” indicated. It will not reflect the transducer measurement.

2.4.3.1 AI Out Display Screens

The Analog Input Block Out values can be conditionally displayed as part of the “rotating” home menu screens. A representative example is shown at left.

The screens will be formatted as shown with:

- Physical Device Tag (Selectable)
- Measured Value Status (Bad, Good, Uncertain)
- Bar Graph

For example, “AI1_Level” would be the most commonly used AI Out screen.

“AI2---” would be displayed when the channel value is 0 [uninitialized] for AI block 2.

Because the Model R86 transmitter has eight (8) Analog Input blocks, any or all of which may be used in particular applications, a Transducer block parameter controls which AI block Out values will be displayed on the LCD.

Any or all (or none) of the AI block Out values can be selected for display on the rotating home menu.

NOTE: In the photo at left, status is shown as “Bad: Out of Service”. This message would be shown prior to commissioning.
2.4.4 AI Block Configuration

Below are examples of various typical AI Block configurations.

**Example 1:**
standard configuration for transmitter with tank height TH inches or cm.
(setup by factory as part of final assembly procedure)

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Configuration</th>
<th>Tank Height</th>
<th>TH</th>
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<tbody>
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<td>Bottom Blocking Distance</td>
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<tr>
<td>XD Scale EU at 0%</td>
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<tr>
<td>XD Scale EU at 100%</td>
<td>60</td>
<td></td>
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<tr>
<td>XD Scale Units</td>
<td>in/cm</td>
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<tr>
<td>Out Scale EU at 0%</td>
<td>0</td>
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<tr>
<td>Out Scale EU at 100%</td>
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<tr>
<td>Out Scale Units</td>
<td>%</td>
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<tr>
<td>L Type</td>
<td>Indirect</td>
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</table>

**Example 2:**
end user desires 0 to 100% output for a subset of the measureable region
(e.g., for a chamber application)

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<tr>
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<td></td>
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<tr>
<td>XD Scale EU at 0%</td>
<td>10</td>
<td></td>
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<tr>
<td>XD Scale EU at 100%</td>
<td>95</td>
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<tr>
<td>XD Scale Units</td>
<td>cm</td>
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<td>Out Scale EU at 100%</td>
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<td>Out Scale Units</td>
<td>%</td>
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<td>L Type</td>
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**Example 3:**
same configuration as previous except Direct [no] scaling setup in AI block
Output to FF segment is in cm

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<td>XD Scale EU at 0%</td>
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<td>cm</td>
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<td>Out Scale Units</td>
<td>cm</td>
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<tr>
<td>L Type</td>
<td>Direct</td>
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</table>
2.4.5 Simulation Feature

The PULSAR Model R86 with FOUNDATION fieldbus™ supports the Simulate feature in the Analog Input block. The Simulate feature is typically used to exercise the operation of an AI block by simulating a TRANSDUCER block input.

This feature cannot be activated without the placement of a hardware jumper. A jumper is provided in the “Run” position of the PULSAR Model R86, and is placed under the display module. To enable the simulation feature, remove display module and move the jumper to the “SIM” position. Refer to figure at left for jumper location.

NOTE: A BLOCK.Err of “Simulation Active” in the Resource Block does not mean simulation is active—it merely indicates that the simulation (hardware) enabling jumper is present.

- The jumper may be removed to eliminate the BLOCK.Err and placed back in the “Run” position.

2.5 PID Block

The PID Function Block contains the logic necessary to perform Proportional/Integral/Derivative (PID) control. The block provides filtering, set point and rate limits, feed-forward support, output limits, error alarms, and mode shedding.

Although most other function blocks perform functions specific to the associated device, the PID block may reside in any device on the network. This includes a valve, a transmitter, or the host itself.

The PULSAR Model R86 FF PID Block implementation follows the specifications documented by the FieldComm Group.

2.5.1 PID Block Parameters

ACK_OPTION: Used to set auto acknowledgement of alarms.

ALARM_HYS: The amount the alarm value must return to before the associated active alarm condition clears.

ALARM_SUM: The summary alarm is used for all process alarms in the block.

ALERT_KEY: The identification number of the plant unit.

BAL_TIME: The specified time for the internal working value of bias to return to the operator set bias.
BKCAL_IN: The analog input value and status for another blocks BKCAL_OUT output.

BKCAL_HYS: The amount the output must change away from its output limit before the limit status is turned off, expressed as a percent of the span of the output.

BKCAL_OUT: The value and status required by the BKCAL_IN input for another block.

BLOCK_ALM: Used for all configuration, hardware, or system problems in the block.

BLOCK_ERR: Reflects the error status associated with the hardware or software components associated with a block.

BYPASS: Used to override the calculation of the block.

CAS_IN: The remote set point value from another block.

CONTROL_OPTS: Allows one to specify control strategy options.

DV_HI_ALM: The DV HI alarm data.

DV_HI_LIM: The setting for the alarm limit used to detect the deviation high alarm condition.

DV_HI_PRI: The priority of the deviation high alarm.

DV_LO_ALM: The DV LO alarm data.

DV_LO_LIM: The setting for the alarm limit used to detect the deviation low alarm condition.

DV_LO_PRI: The priority of the deviation low alarm.

FF_GAIN: The feedforward gain value.

FF_SCALE: The high and low scale values associated with FF_VAL.

FF_VAL: The feedforward control input value and status.

GAIN: The proportional gain value. This value cannot equal zero.

GRANT_DENY: Options for controlling access of host computers to alarm parameters of the block.

HI_ALM: The HI alarm data.

HI_HI_ALM: The HI HI alarm data.

HI_HI_LIM: The setting for the alarm limit used to detect the HI HI alarm condition.

HI_HI_PRI: The priority of the HI HI Alarm.

HI_LIM: The setting for the alarm limit used to detect the HI alarm condition.

HI_PRI: The priority of the HI alarm.
IN: The connection for the PV input from another block.

LO_ALM: The LO alarm data.

LO_LIM: The setting for the alarm limit used to detect the LO alarm condition.

LO_LO_ALM: The LO_LO alarm data.

LO_LO_LIM: The setting for the alarm limit used to detect the LO_LO alarm condition.

LO_LO_PRI: The priority of the LO_LO alarm.

LO_PRI: The priority of the LO alarm.

MODE_BLK: The actual, target, permitted, and normal modes of the block.

OUT: The block input value and status.

OUT_HI_LIM: The maximum output value allowed.

OUT_LO_LIM: The minimum output value allowed.

OUT_SCALE: The high and low scale values associated with OUT.

PV: The process variable use in block execution.

PV_FTIME: The time constant of the first order PV filter.

PV_SCALE: The high and low scale values associated with PV.

RATE: The derivative action time constant.

RCAS_IN: Target set point and status that is provided by a supervisory host.

RCAS_OUT: Block set point and status that is provided to a supervisory host.

RESET: The integral action time constant.

ROUT_IN: Block output that is provided by a supervisory host.

ROUT_OUT: Block output that is provided to a supervisory host.

SHED_OPT: Defines action to be taken on remote control device timeout.

SP: The target block set point value.

SP_HI_LIM: The highest SP value allowed.

SP_LO_LIM: The lowest SP value allowed.

SP_RATE_DN: Ramp rate for downward SP changes.

SP_RATE_UP: Ramp rate for upward SP changes.
STATUS_OPTS: Allows one to select options for status handling and processing.

STRATEGY: Can be used to identify grouping of blocks.

ST_REV: The revision level of the static data associated with the function block.

TAG_DESC: The user description of the intended application of the block.

TRK_IN_D: Discrete input that initiates external tracking.

TRK_SCALE: The high and low scale values associated with TRK_VAL.

TRK_VAL: The value applied to OUT in LO mode.

UPDATE_EVT: This alert is generated by any changes to the static data.

BLOCK-ERR-DESC: Reports more specific details regarding some errors reported through BLOCK_ERR.

3.0 Advanced Function Blocks

3.1 Integrator Block (IT)

The Integrator (IT) function block integrates one or two variables over time. The block compares the integrated or accumulated value to pre-trip and trip limits and generates discrete output signals when the limits are reached.

ST_REV: The revision level of the static data associated with the function block.

TAG_DESC: The user description of the intended application of the block.

STRATEGY: The strategy field can be used to identify grouping of blocks.

ALERT_KEY: The identification number of the plant unit. This information may be used in the host for sorting alarms.

MODE_BLK: The actual, target, permitted, and normal modes of the block.

- Target: The mode to “go to”
- Actual: The mode the “block is currently in”
- Permitted: Allowed modes that target may take on
- Normal: Most common mode for target

BLOCK_ERR: The summary of active error conditions associated with the block. The block error for the Integrator function block is Out of service.

TOTAL_SP: The set point for a batch totalization.
OUT: The block output value and status.
OUT_RANGE: The high and low scale values, engineering units code, and number of digits to the right of the decimal point associated with OUT.
GRAND_DENY: Options for controlling access of host computers and local control panels to operating, tuning, and alarm parameters of the block (not used by the device).
STATUS_OPTS: Allows you to select option for status handling and processing. The supported status option for the Integrator block is: “Uncertain if Manual mode.”
IN_1: The block input value and status.
IN_2: The block input value and status.
OUT_TRIP: The first discrete output.
OUT_PTRIP: The second discrete output.
TIME_UNIT1: Converts the rate time, units in seconds.
TIME_UNIT2: Converts the rate time, units in seconds.
UNIT_CONV: Factor to convert the engineering units of IN_2 into the engineering units of IN_1.
PULSE_VAL1: Determines the mass, volume or energy per pulse.
PULSE_VAL2: Determines the mass, volume or energy per pulse.
REV_FLOW1: Indicates reverse flow when “true”; 0-Forward, 1-Reverse
REV_FLOW2: Indicates reverse flow when “true”; 0-Forward, 1-Reverse
RESET_IN: Resets the totalizers
STOTAL: Indicates the snapshot of OUT just before a reset.
RTOTOTAL: Indicates the totalization of “bad” or “bad” and “uncertain” inputs, according to INTEG_OPTIONS.
SRTOTAL: The snapshot of RTOTAL just before a reset.
SSP: The snapshot of TOTAL_SP.
INTEG_TYPE: Defines the type of counting (up or down) and the type of resetting (demand or periodic)
INTEG_OPTIONS: A bit string to configure the type of input (rate or accumulative) used in each input, the flow direction to be considered in the totalization, the status to be considered in TOTAL and if the totalization residue should be used in the next batch (only when INTEG_TYPE=UP_AUTO or DN_AUTO).
CLOCK_PER: Establishes the period for periodic reset, in hours.

PRE_TRIP: Adjusts the amount of mass, volume or energy that should set OUT_PTRIP when the integration reaches (TOTAL_SP-PRE_TRIP) when counting up of PRE_TRIP when counting down.

N_RESET: Counts the number of resets. It cannot be written or reset.

PCT_INC: Indicates the percentage of inputs with “good” status compared to the ones with “bad” or “uncertain” and “bad” status.

GOOD_LIMIT: Sets the limit for PCT_INC. OUT. Receives the status “Good” is PCT_INCL ≥ GOOD_LIM.

UNCERTAIN_LIMIT: Sets the limit for PCT_INC. OUT receives the status “uncertain” if PECT_INC ≥ UNCERT.LIM.

OP_CMD_INT: Operator command RESET Resets the totalizer

OUTAGE_LIMIT: The maximum tolerated duration for power failure

RESETCONFIRM: Momentary discrete value with can be written by a host to enable further resets, if the option “Confirm reset” in INTEG_OPTIONS is chosen.

UPDATE_EVT: This alert is generated by any changes to the static data.

BLOCK_ALM: Used for all configuration, hardware, connection failure, or system problems in the block.

BLOCK_ERR_DESC: Reports more specific details regarding some errors reported through BLOCK_ERR.

3.2 Arithmetic Block (AR)

The Arithmetic function block provides the ability to configure a range extension function for a primary input and applies the nine different arithmetic types as compensation to or augmentation of the range extended input.

The nine arithmetic functions are:
- Flow Compensation Linear
- Flow Compensation Square Root
- Flow Compensation Approximate
- Btu Flow
- Traditional Multiply and Divide
• Average
• Summer
• Fourth Order Polynomial
• Simple HTG Compensate Level

**ST_REV:** The revision level of the static data associated with the function block. The revision value will increment each time a static parameter value in the block is changed.

**TAG_DESC:** The user description of the intended application of the block.

**STRATEGY:** The strategy field can be used to identify grouping of blocks. This data is not checked or processed by the block.

**ALERT_KEY:** The identification number of the plant unit. This information may be used in the host for sorting alarms, etc.

**MODE_BLK:** The actual, target, permitted, and normal modes of the block.
  - Target: The mode to “go to”
  - Actual: The mode the “block is currently in”
  - Permitted: Allowed modes that target may take on
  - Normal: Most common mode for target

**BLOCK_ERR:** This parameter reflects the error status associated with the hardware or software components associated with a block. It is a bit string so that multiple errors may be shown.

**PV:** The primary analog value for use in executing the function, or a process value associated with it.

**OUT:** The analog output value and status.

**PRE_OUT:** Displays what would be the OUT value if the mode was “Auto” or lower.

**PV_SCALE:** Associated with the PV.

**OUT_RANGE:** The high and low scale values, engineering units code, and number of digits to the right of the decimal point associated with OUT.

**GRANT_DENY:** Options for controlling access of host computers and local control panels to operating, tuning, and alarm parameters of the block.

**INPUT_OPTIONS:** Option bit string for handling the status of the auxiliary inputs.

**IN:** The block input value and status.
IN_LO: Input of the low range transmitter, in a range extension application.

IN–1, IN–2, IN–3: Inputs combined with the PV in a section of four term math functions.

RANGE_HI: Constant value above which the range extension has switch to the high range transmitter.

RANGE_LO: Constant value below which the range extension has switch to the high range transmitter.

BIAS_IN_1: The bias value for IN_1.

GAIN_IN_1: The proportional gain (multiplier) value for IN_1.

BIAS_IN_2: The bias value for IN_2.

GAIN_IN_2: The proportional gain (multiplier) value for IN_2.

BIAS_IN_3: The bias value for IN_3.

GAIN_IN_3: The proportional gain (multiplier) value for IN_3.

COMP_HI_LIM: Determines the high limit of the compensation input.

COMP_LO_LIM: Determines the low limit of the compensation input.

ARITH_TYPE: The set of nine arithmetic functions applied as compensation to or augmentation of the range extended input.

BAL_TIME: Specifies the time for a block value to match an input, output, or calculated value or the time for dissipation of the internal balancing bias.

BIAS: The bias value is used to calculate the output.

GAIN: The gain value is used to calculate the output.

OUT_HI_LIM: The maximum output value allowed.

OUT_LO_LIM: The minimum output value allowed.

UPDATE_EVT: This alert is generated by any changes to the static data.

BLOCK_ALM: Used for all configuration, hardware, connection failure, or system problem in the block.

BLOCK_ERR_DESC: Reports more specific details regarding some errors reported through BLOCK_ERR.
3.3 Input Selector Block (IS)

The Input Selector (IS) function block can be used to select the first good, maximum, minimum, or average of as many as four input values and place it at the output. The block supports signal status propagation. (There is no process alarm detection in the Input Selector function block.)

ST_REV: The revision level of the static data associated with the function block. The revision value will be incremented each time a static parameter value in the block is changed.

TAG_DESC: The user description of the intended application of the block.

STRATEGY: The strategy field can be used to identify grouping of blocks. This data is not checked or processed by the block.

ALERT_KEY: The identification number of the plant unit. This information may be used in the host for sorting alarms, etc.

MODE_BLK: The actual, target, permitted, and normal modes of the block.

- Target: The mode to “go to”
- Actual: The mode the “block is currently in”
- Permitted: Allowed modes that target may take on
- Normal: Most common mode for target

BLOCK_ERR: This parameter reflects the error status associated with the hardware or software components associated with a block. It is a bit string, so that multiple errors may be shown.

OUT: The block output value and status.

OUT_RANGE: High and low scale values, engineering units code, and number of digits to the right of the decimal point associated with OUT

GRANT_DENY: Options for controlling access of host computers and local control panels to operating, tuning, and alarm parameters of the block.

STATUS_OPTIONS: Allows you to select options for status handling and processing. The supported status options for the input selector block are: “Use Uncertain as Good”, “Uncertain if Man mode.”

IN_1: The block input value and status.
IN_2: The block input value and status.
IN_3: The block input value and status.
IN_4: The block input value and status.
DISABLE_1: Parameter to switch off the input from being used 0 - Use, 1 - Disable.
DISABLE_2: Parameter to switch off the input from being used 0 - Use, 1 - Disable.
DISABLE_3: Parameter to switch off the input from being used 0 - Use, 1 - Disable.
DISABLE_4: Parameter to switch off the input from being used 0 - Use, 1 - Disable.
SELECT_TYPE: Determines the selector action; First good, Minimum, Maximum, Middle, Average.
MIN_GOOD: The minimum number of inputs which are “good” is less than the value of MIN_GOOD then set the OUT status to “bad”.
SELECTED: The integer indicating the selected input number.
OP_SELECT: An operator settable parameter to force a given input to be used.
UPDATE_EVT: This alert is generated by any change to the static data.
BLOCK_ALM: The block alarm is used for all configuration, hardware, connection failure, or system problems in the block.
BLOCK_ERR_DESC: Reports more specific details regarding some errors reported through BLOCK_ERR.

3.4 Signal Characterizer Block (SC)

The Signal Characterizer (SC) function block characterizes or approximates any function that defines an input/output relationship. The function is defined by configuring as many as 21 X, Y coordinates. The block interpolates an output value for a given input value using the curve defined by the configured coordinates. Two separate analog input signals can be processed simultaneously to give two corresponding separate output values using the same defined curve.

ST_REV: The revision level of the static data associated with the function block. The revision value will be incremented in each time a static parameter value in the block is changed.
TAG_DESC: The user description of the intended application of the block.

STRATEGY: The strategy field can be used to identify grouping of blocks. This data is not checked or processed by the block.

ALERT_KEY: The identification number of the plant unit. This information may be used in the host for sorting alarms, etc.

MODE_BLK: The actual, target, permitted, and normal modes of the block.
  • Target: The mode to “go to”
  • Actual: The mode the “block is currently in”
  • Permitted: Allowed modes that target may take on
  • Normal: Most common mode for target

BLOCK_ERR: This parameter reflects the error status associated with the hardware or software components associated with a block. It is a bit string so that multiple errors may be shown.

OUT1: The block output value and status.

OUT2: The block output value and status.

X_RANGE: The display scaling of the variable corresponding to the x-axis for display. It has no effect on the block.

Y_RANGE: The display scaling of the variable corresponding to the y-axis for display. It has no effect on the block.

GRANT_DENY: Options for controlling access of host computers and local control panels to operating, tuning, and alarm parameters of the block.

IN1: The block input value and status.

IN2: The block input value and status.

SWAP_2: Changes the algorithm in such a way that IN_2 corresponds to “y” and OUT_2 to “x”.

CURVE_X: Curve input points. The “x” points of the curve are defined by an array of 21 points.

CURVE_Y: Curve input points. The “y” points of the curve are defined by an array of 21 points.

UPDATE_EVT: This alert is generated by any changes to the static data.

BLOCK_ALM: The block alarm is used for all configuration, hardware, connection failure, or system problems in the block.

BLOCK_ERR_DESC: Reports more specific details regarding some errors reported through BLOCK_ERR.
4.0 Model R86 Transmitter Configuration

Although the PULSAR Model R86 transmitter can be delivered pre-configured from the factory, it can also be easily reconfigured in the shop or at the installation using the local LCD/Keypad. Bench configuration provides a convenient and efficient way to set up the transmitter before going to the tank site to complete the installation.

NOTE: The transmitter can be configured without the antenna connected. Disregard any diagnostic indicators that may appear.

4.1 Configuration Information

To utilize the DEVICE SETUP/BASIC CONFIG menu available on the PULSAR Model R86, some key information is required for configuration.

Gather the information and complete the following operating parameters table before beginning configuration.

NOTE: These configuration steps are not necessary if the transmitter was pre-configured prior to shipment.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Display</th>
<th>Question</th>
<th>Answer</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Measurement Type</td>
<td>What is the intended measurement type (Level, Volume, or Flow)?</td>
<td>_____________</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>System Units</td>
<td>What units of measurement will be used?</td>
<td>_____________</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Antenna Model</td>
<td>What type of antenna is being used? Select first 3 digits of model number. (See nameplate on side of antenna.)</td>
<td>_____________</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Antenna Extension</td>
<td>What is maximum nozzle length for which the antenna can be used? Select 11th digit of antenna model number. (See nameplate on side of antenna.)</td>
<td>_____________</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Antenna Mount</td>
<td>Is the antenna mounting NPT, BSP, or flanged?</td>
<td>_____________</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Heat Extension</td>
<td>Is there a heat extension connected to the antenna?</td>
<td>_____________</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Tank Height</td>
<td>What is the tank height?</td>
<td>_____________</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Stillwell ID</td>
<td>What is the Inner Diameter (ID). Enter 0 if not applicable.</td>
<td>_____________</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Dielectric Range</td>
<td>What is the dielectric of the process medium?</td>
<td>_____________</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Turbulence</td>
<td>What amount of turbulence is expected?</td>
<td>_____________</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Foam</td>
<td>What amount of foam is expected?</td>
<td>_____________</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Rate of Change</td>
<td>What is the expected maximum rate of level change?</td>
<td>_____________</td>
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4.2 Menu Traversal and Data Entry

The four push buttons offer various forms of functionality for navigation and data entry.

The Model R86 user interface is hierarchical in nature, best described as a tree structure. Each level in the tree contains one or more items. Items are either menu labels or parameter names.

- Menu labels are presented in all CAPITAL LETTERS
- Parameters are Capital Words

4.2.1 Navigating the Menu

- UP moves to the previous item in the menu branch.
- DOWN moves to the next item in the menu branch.
- BACK moves back one level to the previous (higher) branch item.
- ENTER enters into the lower level branch or switches to the entry mode. Holding the ENTER down on any highlighted menu name or parameter will show help text for that item.

4.2.2 Data Selection

This method is used for selecting configuration data from a specific list.

- UP and DOWN to navigate the menu and highlight the item of interest
- ENTER allows modification of that selection
- UP and DOWN to choose new data selection
- ENTER to confirm selection

Use BACK (Escape) key at any time to abort the procedure and escape to previous branch item.
4.2.3 Entering Numeric Data Using Digit Entry

This method is used to input numeric data, e.g., Tank Height.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Push button</th>
<th>Keystroke Action</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Up</td>
<td>Moves up to the next highest digit (0,1,2,3,...,9 or decimal point). If held down the digits scroll until the push button is released.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Down</td>
<td>Moves up to the next lowest digit (0,1,2,3,...,9 or decimal point). If held down the digits scroll until the push button is released.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Back</td>
<td>Moves the cursor to the left and deletes a digit. If the cursor is already at the leftmost position, then the screen is exited without changing the previously saved value.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Enter</td>
<td>Moves the cursor to the right. If the cursor is located at a blank character position, the new value is saved.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

All numeric values are left-justified, and new values are entered from left to right. A decimal point can be entered after the first digit is entered, such that .9 is entered as 0.9.

Some configuration parameters can have a negative value. In this case, the leftmost position is reserved for the sign (either "-" for a negative value, or "+" for a positive value).

4.2.4 Entering Numeric Data Using Increment/Decrement

Use this method to input the following data into parameters such as Failure Alarm Delay.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Push button</th>
<th>Keystroke Action</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Up</td>
<td>Increments the displayed value. If held down the digits scroll until the push button is released. Depending on which screen is being revised, the increment amount may increase by a factor of 10 after the value has been incremented 10 times.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Down</td>
<td>Decrements the displayed value. If held down the digits scroll until the push button is released. Depending on which screen is being revised, the decrement amount may increase by a factor of 10 after the value has been decremented 10 times.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Back</td>
<td>Returns to the previous menu without changing the original value, which is immediately redisplayed.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Enter</td>
<td>Accepts the displayed value and returns to the previous menu.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
4.2.5 Entering Character Data

This method is used for parameters requiring alphanumeric character entry, such as for entering tags, etc.

General Menu Notes:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Push button</th>
<th>Keystroke Action</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>✈ Up</td>
<td>Moves to the previous character (Z...Y...X...W). If held down, the characters scroll until the push button is released.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>⬇ Down</td>
<td>Moves to the next item character (A...B...C...D). If held down, the characters scroll until the push button is released.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>⬅ Back</td>
<td>Moves the cursor back to the left. If the cursor is already at the leftmost position, then the screen is exited without changing the original tag characters.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>➞ Enter</td>
<td>Moves the cursor forward to the right. If the cursor is at the rightmost position, then the new tag is saved.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

4.3 Password Protection

The PULSAR Model R86 transmitter has three levels of password protection to restrict access to certain portions of the menu structure that affect the operation of the system. The user password can be changed to any numerical value up to 59999. When the transmitter is programmed for password protection, a password is required whenever configuration values are changed.

**User Password**

The User Password allows the customer to limit access to the basic configuration parameters from both the local and fieldbus interfaces.

The default User Password installed in the transmitter at the factory is 0. (With a password of 0, the transmitter is not password protected and any value in the basic user menus can be adjusted without entering a confirming password.)

**NOTE:** If a User Password is not known or has been misplaced, the menu item New Password in the DEVICE SETUP/ADVANCED CONFIG menu displays an encrypted value representing the present password. Contact Technical Support with this encrypted password to retrieve the original User Password.

**Advanced Password**

Certain portions of the menu structure that contain more advanced parameters are further protected by an Advanced Password.
This password will be provided, when necessary, by Factory technical support.

**Factory Password**

Calibration-related and other factory settings are further protected by a Factory Password.

### 4.4 Model R86 Menu: Step-By-Step Procedure

The following tables provide a complete explanation of the software menus displayed by the PULSAR transmitter. The menu layout is similar between the local Keypad/LCD interface, the DD, and the DTM.

Use these tables as a step-by-step guide to configure the transmitter based on the desired measurement type from the following selections:

- Level Only
- Volume & Level
- Flow

**HOME SCREEN**

The Home Screen consists of a “slide show” sequence of Measured Values screens which are rotated at 2-second intervals. Each Home Measured Value screen can present up to four information items:

- **physical device tag**
- **measured value**
  Label, Numerical Value, Units
- **present status**
  Will be displayed as text
- **bar graph** (shown in %)
  Bar graph is only displayed on AI_OUT screens shown in % based on XD scale configuration.

The Home Screen presentation can be customized by viewing or hiding some of these items.

At left is an example of a Home Screen for a Model R86 configured for a Level Only application.
MAIN MENU
Pressing any key on the Home Screen will present the Main Menu, consisting of three basic menu labels shown in all capital letters.

DEVICE SETUP
DIAGNOSTICS
MEASURED VALUES

As shown, the reverse video represents a cursor identifying the selected item, which will appear in reverse video on the LCD. The actions of the keys at this point are:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Push button</th>
<th>Keystroke Action</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Up</td>
<td>No action as the cursor is already at the first item in the MAIN MENU</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Down</td>
<td>Moves the cursor to DIAGNOSTICS</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Back</td>
<td>Moves back to HOME SCREEN, the level above MAIN MENU</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Enter</td>
<td>Presents the selected item, DEVICE SETUP</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

NOTES: 1. Items and parameters that are shown in lower level menus will depend on the Measurement Type chosen. Those parameters not applicable to the present Measurement Type will be hidden.

2. Holding down the Enter key when the cursor is highlighted over a parameter or menu will provide additional information about that item.

DEVICE SETUP
Choosing DEVICE SETUP from the MAIN MENU will result in an LCD presentation as shown at left.

The small down arrow shown at the right hand side of the screen is the indication that more items are available below and can be accessed by pressing the DOWN key.

Section 4.5 shows the entire tree menu for the Model R86 DEVICE SETUP Menu.

DIAGNOSTICS
Refer to Section 5.0.

MEASURED VALUES
Allows the user to scroll through all of the available measured values for the measurement type chosen.
4.5 Model R86 Configuration Menu — Level Only

**Home Screen**

**Main Menu**

**Device Setup**

**Identity**

- Model (read only)
- Magnetrol S/N (read only)
- Hardware Rev. (read only)
- Firmware Rev. (read only)
- Physical Dev Tag
- Device Address
- Date Code (read only)

**Basic Config**

- Display Config
- Advanced Config
- Factory Config

**Measurement Type:**

- **Level Only**
- System Units
- Volume and Level
- Flow

**Antenna Model:**
- RB1-x 1.5" Horn
- RB2-x 2" Horn
- RB3-x 3" Horn
- RB4-x 4" Horn
- RBE-x — Encapsulated
- RBH-x — Hygienic
- RBF-x — Faced Flange

**Antenna Extension:**
- -0** No nozzle
- -1** Nozzle ≤ 4"
- -2** Nozzle ≤ 8"
- -3** Nozzle ≤ 12"
- -4** Nozzle ≤ 24"
- -5** Nozzle ≤ 48"
- -6** Nozzle ≤ 72"

**Antenna Mount:**
- NPT
- BSP
- Flange

**Heat Extension:**
- No
- Yes

**Tank Height:**
- 20 inches to 130 feet
  (50 cm to 40 meters)

**Stillwell I.D.:**
- 1.3 to 19.7 inches
  32 to 500 mm

**Level Units:**
- Inches
- Feet
- Millimeters
- Centimeters
- Meters

**Distance Units:**
- Inches
- Feet
- Millimeters
- Centimeters
- Meters

**Temperature Units:**
- Celsius
- Fahrenheit

**Dielectric Range:**
- 1.7 to 3.0
- 3.0 to 10
- Above 10

**ECHO REJECTION:**
- View Echo Curve
- View Reject Curve (if Rej Profile Valid)
- Echo Rejection Type
- Echo List Mode
- Level
- Distance
- Live Echo List
- Rejected Echo List (if Rej Profile Valid)
- Reject Curve End
- Echo Reject State
  - Off
  - Disabled (if Rej Profile Saved)
  - Enabled (if Rej Profile Valid)

**Rate of Change:**
- < 5 in/min
- 5-20 in/min
- 20-60 in/min
- > 60 in/min

**NEW REJECT CURVE**
- Select Target Echo
- New Rej Curve End
- Save Reject Curve
4.6 Model R86 Configuration Menu — Volume and Level

**Measurement Type:**
- Level Only
- Volume Only
- Flow

**SYSTEM UNITS**
- Volume and Level

**Volume Config**
- Custom Table

**CUSTOM TABLE SETUP:**
- Custom Table Type:
  - Linear
  - Spline
- Level Input Source:
  - Keypad
  - Sensor
- CUSTOM TABLE VALUES:
  - VESSEL DIMENSIONS:
    - (not used with Custom Table)
    - Width
    - Length
    - Sensor Offset

**Device Setup**
- Identity
  - Basic Config
    - Volume Config
    - Display Config
    - Advanced Config
    - Factory Config
- Volume Units:
  - Cubic Feet
  - Cubic Inches
  - Gallons
  - Barrels
  - Milliliters
  - Liters
- Temperature Units:
  - Celsius
  - Fahrenheit

**Level Units:**
- Inches
- Feet
- Millimeters
- Centimeters
- Meters

**Distance Units:**
- Inches
- Feet
- Millimeters
- Centimeters
- Meters

**Dielectric Range:**
- 1.7 to 3.0
- 3.0 to 10
- Above 10

**Turbulence:**
- None
- Light
- Medium
- Heavy

**Foam:**
- None
- Light
- Medium
- Heavy

**Heat Extension:**
- No
- Yes

**New Reject Curve:**
- Select Target Echo
- New Rej Curve End
- Save Reject Curve

**Specifications:**
- **Level Units:**
  - Inches
  - Feet
  - Millimeters
  - Centimeters
  - Meters

- **Volume Units:**
  - Cubic Feet
  - Cubic Inches
  - Gallons
  - Barrels
  - Milliliters
  - Liters

- **Temperature Units:**
  - Celsius
  - Fahrenheit

- **Antenna Mount:**
  - NPT
  - BSP
  - Flange

- **Heat Extension:**
  - No
  - Yes

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  - 20 inches to 130 feet
  - (50 cm to 40 meters)

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**Vessel Type:**
- Rectangular
- Horizontal/Flat
- Horizontal/Elliptical
- Horizontal/Spherical
- Spherical
- Vertical/Flat
- Vertical/Elliptical
- Vertical/Spherical
- Vertical/Conical
- Custom Table

**Echo Rejection:**
- View Echo Curve
- View Reject Curve (if Rej Profile Valid)
- Echo Rejection Type
- Echo List Mode
- Level
- Distance

- Live Echo List
- Rejected Echo List (if Rej Profile Valid)
- Reject Curve End
- Echo Reject State
- Off
  - Disabled (if Rej Profile Saved)
  - Enabled (if Rej Profile Valid)

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  - Select Target Echo
  - New Rej Curve End
  - Save Reject Curve

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- Echo Rejection Type
- Echo List Mode
- Level
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- NEW REJECT CURVE
  - Select Target Echo
  - New Rej Curve End
  - Save Reject Curve

**NEW REJECT CURVE**
- Select Target Echo
- New Rej Curve End
- Save Reject Curve
4.7 Model R86 Configuration Menu — Flow

**Home Screen**

**Main Menu**

**Device Setup**

**Identity**

**Basic Config**
- Flow Config
- Display Config
- Advanced Config
- Factory Config

**Measurement Type:**
- Level Only
- Volume and Level

**SYSTEM UNITS**

**Flow**

**Level Units:**
- Inches
- Feet
- Millimeters
- Centimeters
- Meters

**Distance Units:**
- Inches
- Feet
- Millimeters
- Centimeters
- Meters

**Volume Units:**
- Cubic Feet
- Cubic Inches
- Gallons
- Barrels
- Milliliters
- Liters

**Temperature Units**
- Celsius
- Fahrenheit

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- Medium
- Heavy

**Rate of Change:**
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- Reject Curve End
- Echo Reject State
- Off
- Disabled (if Rej Profile Saved)
- Enabled (if Rej Profile Valid)

**NEW REJECT CURVE**
- Select Target Echo
- New Rej Curve End
- Save Reject Curve
### 4.7 Model R86 Configuration Menu — Flow

#### Flow Units:
- Cubic Ft/Second
- Cubic Ft/Minute
- Cubic Ft/Hour
- Gallons/Minute
- Gallons/Hour
- Mil Gallons/Day
- Liters/Second
- Liters/Minute
- Liters/Hour
- Cubic Meters/Hour

#### Head Units:
- Inches
- Feet
- Millimeters
- Centimeters
- Meters

#### Flow Element:
- Palmer-Bowlus Flume
- Flume Channel Width:
  - 4 inches
  - 6 inches
  - 8 inches
  - 10 inches
  - 12 inches
  - 15 inches
  - 18 inches
  - 21 inches
  - 24 inches
  - 27 inches
  - 30 inches
- Parshall Flume
- Flume Channel Width:
  - 1 inch
  - 2 inches
  - 3 inches
  - 6 inches
  - 9 inches
  - 12 inches
  - 18 inches
  - 24 inches
  - 36 inches
  - 48 inches
  - 60 inches
  - 72 inches
  - 96 inches
  - 120 inches
  - 144 inches

#### V-notch Weir
- V-notch Weir Angle:
  - 22.5°
  - 30°
  - 45°
  - 60°
  - 90°
  - 120°
- Rect Weir with Ends
  - 0 to 215.0 feet (0 to 65 m)
- Rect Weir w/o Ends
  - 0 to 215.0 feet (0 to 65 m)
- Cipolletti Weir
  - 0 to 215.0 feet (0 to 65 m)

#### Generic Equation
- K
- L
- C
- n

#### Custom Table
- Custom Table Type:
  - Linear
  - Spline

#### CUSTOM TABLE VALUES:
- Up to 30 Pairs of Head/Flow Data

#### Reference Distance:
- 12 inches to 130 feet (30 cm to 40 m)

#### Maximum Head
- (calculated, read only)

#### Maximum Flow
- (calculated, read only)

#### Low Flow Cutoff:
- 0 to 6 inches (0 to 15.3 cm)

#### NON-RESET TOTALIZER:
- Units:
  - Cubic Feet
  - Gallons
  - Mil Gallons
  - Liters
  - Mil Liters
  - Cubic Meters

#### Multiplier:
- 1
- 10
- 100
- 1,000
- 10,000
- 100,000

#### Value (read only)

#### RunTime (read only)

#### RESETTABLE TOTALIZER:
- Mode:
  - Disabled
  - Enabled

#### Units:
- Cubic Feet
- Gallons
- Mil Gallons
- Liters
- Mil Liters
- Cubic Meters

#### Multiplier:
- 1
- 10
- 100
- 1,000
- 10,000
- 100,000

#### Value (read only)

#### RunTime (read only)

#### Reset
## 4.8 Model R86 Configuration Menu — Display Configuration

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Language:</th>
<th>AI1:</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>English</td>
<td>Hide View</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>French</td>
<td>View</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>German</td>
<td>View</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Spanish</td>
<td>View</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Russian</td>
<td>View</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Portuguese</td>
<td>View</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Physical Dev Tag:</th>
<th>AI3:</th>
</tr>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Hide View</td>
<td>View</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Level:</th>
<th>AI4:</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Hide View</td>
<td>View</td>
</tr>
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<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Volume:</th>
<th>AI5:</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>(Volume and Level mode only) Hide View</td>
<td>View</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Flow:</th>
<th>AI6:</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>(Flow mode only)</td>
<td>View</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Head:</th>
<th>AI7:</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>(Flow mode only)</td>
<td>View</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Distance:</th>
<th>AI8:</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Hide View</td>
<td>View</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>NR Totalizer:</th>
<th>IT Out:</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>(Flow mode only)</td>
<td>Hide View</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

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<th>R Totalizer:</th>
<th></th>
</tr>
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<td>(Flow mode only)</td>
<td>View</td>
</tr>
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<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Echo Strength:</th>
<th></th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
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<td>Hide View</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
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<th>Echo Margin:</th>
<th></th>
</tr>
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<tbody>
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<td>Hide View</td>
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<table>
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<tr>
<th>Elec Temp:</th>
<th></th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Hide View</td>
<td></td>
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</tbody>
</table>
4.9 Model R86 Configuration Menu — Advanced/Factory Configuration

### SAFETY ZONE SETTINGS
- **Safety Zone Alarm:**
  - Off
  - On
  - Latch
- **Safety Zone Height:**
  - (not used when Safety Alarm is Off)
  - 2 inches to 20 feet (5 cm to 6 meters)
- **Reset SZ Alarm**
  - (used when Safety Alarm is Latch)

### THRESHOLD SETTINGS
- **Target Selection:**
  - First Echo
  - Largest Echo
  - First Moving Echo
- **Target Threshold Mode:**
  - Automatic
  - Fixed Value
- **Target Threshold Value:**
  - 0-99% (Auto Mode)
  - 0-253 (Fixed Mode)
- **Base Threshold:**
  - 0–99 ESU
- **Echo Loss Delay:**
  - 1 to 1000 seconds
- **Failure Alarm Delay:**
  - 0 to 5 seconds
- **Level Trim:**
  - -24 to +24 inches (-60 to +60 cm)

### TIME VARIABLE GAIN
- **TVG Start Value**
- **TVG Start Location**
- **TVG End Value**
- **TVG End Location**
- **# Run Average**
- **Max Surface Velocity**
- **Max Level Jump**
- **Empty State Delay**
- **Compound Peak Logic**

### CONFIG CHANGED
- **Indicator Mode:**
  - Disabled
  - Enabled
- **Reset Config Chngd:**
  - Reset?
  - No
  - Yes
- **Reset Parameters:**
  - No
  - Yes

### FACTORY CALIBRATION
- **Elec Temp Offset**
- **Conversion Factor**
- **Scale Offset**
- **Fiducial Gain**
- **Fiducial Strength (read only)**
- **Initial Gain**
- **TVG Divisor**
5.0 Troubleshooting and Diagnostics

The PULSAR Model R86 transmitter is designed and engineered for trouble-free operation over a wide range of operating conditions. The transmitter continuously runs a series of internal self-tests and displays helpful messages on the large graphic liquid crystal display (LCD) when attention is required.

The combination of these internal tests and diagnostics messages offer a valuable proactive method of troubleshooting. The device not only tells the user what is wrong, but also, and more importantly, offers suggestions on how to solve the problem.

All of this information can be obtained directly from the transmitter on the LCD, remotely from the Fieldbus host system, or by utilizing PACTware and the PULSAR Model R86 DTM.

PACTware™ PC Program

The PULSAR Model R86 offers the ability to perform more advanced diagnostics such as Trending and Echo Curve analysis using a PACTware DTM. This is a powerful troubleshooting tool that can aid in the resolution of any diagnostic indicators that may appear.

5.1 Diagnostic Parameters

As mentioned above, the PULSAR Model R86 measurement engine runs through a series of self-tests and will detect and report faulty operation. The TRANSDUCER BLOCK displays this diagnostic information in the STATUS INDICATOR parameter. Refer to Section 5.1.3 for more information on specific diagnostic indicators.

Note: Within the TRANSDUCER BLOCK, BLOCK_ERROR is not used except for indicating Out of Service (OOS).

For the first few seconds after power is applied to the Model R86 transmitter, the LEVEL_STATUS/QUALITY is “Uncertain,” the SUB_STATUS is “Initial value,” and the LIMIT attribute is shown as “Constant.”

When the Model R86 is operating properly, the LEVEL_STATUS/QUALITY is shown as “GOOD,” and the SUB_STATUS is “Non-Specific.”
While changing any transmitter parameters using the local display or through a system configuration tool (with the MODE_BLK in OOS), the output might be inaccurate because of the changing parameters. When the device is set to OOS, the TRANSUDUCER BLOCK will still output level but the QUALITY will be shown as “Bad” and the SUB_STATUS is “Out of Service.”

If the Model R86 fails to find a measurable level, the TRANSUDUCER BLOCK maintains the last good value as the output and flags the failure. The QUALITY is “Bad,” the SUB_STATUS is “Device failure” for no level, and the LIMIT attribute is “Constant.”

Refer to Section 5.2 for additional information.

5.1.1 Diagnostics (Namur NE 107)

The PULSAR Model R86 transmitter includes an exhaustive list of Diagnostic Indicators which follow the NAMUR NE 107 guidelines.

NAMUR is an international user association of automation technology in process industries, whose goal is to promote the interest of the process industry by pooling experiences among its member companies. In doing so, this group promotes international standards for devices, systems, and technologies.

The objective of NAMUR NE 107 was essentially to make maintenance more efficient by standardizing diagnostics information from field devices. This was initially integrated via FOUNDATION Fieldbus, but the concept applies regardless of the communication protocol.

According to the NAMUR NE107 recommendation, "Self Monitoring and Diagnosis of Field Devices," fieldbus diagnostic results should be reliable and viewed in the context of a given application. The document recommends categorizing internal diagnostics into four standard status signals:

- Failure
- Function Check
- Out of Specification
- Maintenance required
In essence, this approach ensures that the correct diagnostic information is available to the correct person—at the correct time. In addition, it allows diagnostics to be applied, as most appropriate, for a particular plant application (such as process control engineering or asset management maintenance). Customer specific mapping of diagnostics to these categories allows for flexible configuration depending on the user’s requirements.

From an external Model R86 transmitter perspective, diagnostic information includes measurement of process conditions, in addition to detection of internal device or system anomalies.

As mentioned above, the indicators can be assignable (via the DTM or host system) by the user to any (or none) of the NAMUR recommended Status Signal categories: Failure, Function Check, Out of Specification, and Maintenance Required.

The FOUNDATION fieldbus version of the Model R86 transmitter was implemented according to the Field Diagnostics Profile, which is consistent with the objectives of NE 107.

In the FOUNDATION fieldbus version, diagnostic indicators can be mapped to multiple categories, an example is shown in the diagram at left.

In this example, “Calibration Required” is mapped to both the Out of Specification and Maintenance Required status signals, and the diagnostic indicator named “High Electronic Temperature” is mapped to none of the signals.

Indicators that are mapped to the Failure category will normally result in a bad status indication.

A default mapping of all diagnostic indicators will be applied initially, and can be re-applied through use of a restart with defaults operation.
Refer to the table below for a complete listing of the Model R86 diagnostic indicators, along with their explanations, default categories, and recommended remedies.

NOTES: 1. The remedies shown in this table can also be seen on the transmitter LCD by viewing the present status screen when the device is in a diagnostic condition.

2. Those indicators showing failure as the default result in an alarm condition.

5.1.2 Diagnostic Indication Simulation

The DD and DTM allow for the ability to manipulate diagnostic indicators mapped to NE-107 alarm categories in the Resource Block. Intended as a means to verify the configuration of the diagnostic parameters and connected equipment, a user can manually change any indicator in the Resource Block to and from the active state.

5.1.3 Diagnostic Indicator Table

Below is a listing of the Model R86 diagnostic indicators, showing their priority, explanations and recommended remedies. (Priority 1 is highest priority.)

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Priority</th>
<th>Indicator Name</th>
<th>Default Category</th>
<th>Explanation</th>
<th>Remedy (Context Sensitive Help)</th>
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<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>Software Error</td>
<td>Failure</td>
<td>Unrecoverable error occurred in stored program</td>
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<td>2</td>
<td>RAM Error</td>
<td>Failure</td>
<td>RAM (read/write) memory failing</td>
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</tr>
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<td>3</td>
<td>ADC Error</td>
<td>Failure</td>
<td>Analog-to-digital converter failing</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4</td>
<td>EEPROM Error</td>
<td>Failure</td>
<td>Non-volatile parameter storage failing</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5</td>
<td>Analog Board Error</td>
<td>Failure</td>
<td>Unrecoverable hardware failure</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>6</td>
<td>Spare Indicator 10</td>
<td>OK</td>
<td>Reserved for future use</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
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<td>7</td>
<td>Spare Indicator 1</td>
<td>OK</td>
<td>Reserved for future use</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8</td>
<td>Default Parameters</td>
<td>Failure</td>
<td>All saved parameters are set to default values</td>
<td>Perform complete Device Setup</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>9</td>
<td>Spare Indicator 2</td>
<td>OK</td>
<td>Reserved for future use</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
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<td>Indicator Name</td>
<td>Default Category</td>
<td>Explanation</td>
<td>Remedy</td>
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<td>10</td>
<td>Sweep Time Error</td>
<td>Failure</td>
<td>Internal Timing Error</td>
<td>Contact Magnetrol Technical Support</td>
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<td>Spare Indicator 3</td>
<td>OK</td>
<td>Reserved for future use</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
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<td>12</td>
<td>Too Many Echoes</td>
<td>Failure</td>
<td>Excessive number of possible echoes detected</td>
<td>Check settings: Dielectric Range, Sensitivity, Polarization Direction, View Echo Curve.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>13</td>
<td>Safety Zone Alarm</td>
<td>Failure</td>
<td>Risk of echo loss if liquid rises above Top Blocking Distance</td>
<td>Ensure that liquid cannot reach Blocking Distance</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>14</td>
<td>Echo Lost</td>
<td>Failure</td>
<td>No detectable level signal identified within the configured range</td>
<td>Check settings: Dielectric Range, Sensitivity, Tank Height, View Echo Curve</td>
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<td>Spare Indicator 4</td>
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<td>Spare Indicator 11</td>
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<td>Reserved for future use</td>
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<td>17</td>
<td>High Volume Alarm</td>
<td>Failure</td>
<td>Volume calculated from Level reading exceeds capacity of vessel or custom table</td>
<td>Check settings: Vessel Dimensions, Custom Table entries</td>
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<td>High Flow Alarm</td>
<td>Failure</td>
<td>Flow calculated from Distance reading exceeds capacity of flow element or custom table</td>
<td>Check settings: Flow Element, Reference Distance, Gen Eqn Factors, Custom Table entries</td>
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<td>Spare Indicator 5</td>
<td>OK</td>
<td>Reserved for future use</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>20</td>
<td>Initializing</td>
<td>Function Check</td>
<td>Distance measurement is inaccurate while internal filters are settling</td>
<td>Wait for up to 10 seconds</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>21</td>
<td>TB Config Changed</td>
<td>Function Check</td>
<td>A parameter has been modified from the User Interface</td>
<td>If desired, reset Config Changed indicator in ADVANCED CONFIG</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>22</td>
<td>Spare Indicator 6</td>
<td>OK</td>
<td>Reserved for future use</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>23</td>
<td>High Elec Temp</td>
<td>Out of Spec</td>
<td>Electronics too hot. May compromise Distance measurement or damage instrument</td>
<td>Shield transmitter from heat source or increase air circulation</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>24</td>
<td>Low Elec Temp</td>
<td>Out of Spec</td>
<td>Electronics too cold. May compromise Distance measurement or damage instrument</td>
<td>Insulate transmitter or locate remotely in a warmer area</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Priority</td>
<td>Indicator Name</td>
<td>Default Category</td>
<td>Explanation</td>
<td>Remedy</td>
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<td>-----------------------------------------------------------------------------</td>
<td>-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>25</td>
<td>Calibration Required</td>
<td>Out of Spec</td>
<td>Factory calibration has been lost. Measurement accuracy is diminished</td>
<td>Return transmitter to factory for recalibration</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>26</td>
<td>Reject Curve Invalid</td>
<td>Out of Spec</td>
<td>Echo Rejection invalid. May report erroneous Level readings</td>
<td>Save a fresh Echo Rejection Curve</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>27</td>
<td>Spare Indicator 7</td>
<td>OK</td>
<td>Reserved for future use</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>28</td>
<td>Inferred Level</td>
<td>Out of Spec</td>
<td>The target has been lost within the Max Distance Jump distance from the Top or Bottom Blocking Distance locations. As a result, the transmitter has inferred that the level has moved into one of those blocking regions, and will report level measurement corresponding to full or empty along with the Inferred Level diagnostic</td>
<td>Verify level reading. If incorrect the configuration may need to be adjusted. Contact MAGNETROL Technical Support</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>29</td>
<td>Spare Indicator 12</td>
<td>OK</td>
<td>Reserved for future use</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>30</td>
<td>Totalizer Data Lost</td>
<td>Out of Spec</td>
<td>Non-volatile Totalizer Data storage failing</td>
<td>Contact Magnetrol Technical Support</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>31</td>
<td>Spare Indicator 13</td>
<td>OK</td>
<td>Reserved for future use</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>32</td>
<td>Spare Indicator 8</td>
<td>OK</td>
<td>Reserved for future use</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>33</td>
<td>Max Jump Exceeded</td>
<td>Maintenance Required</td>
<td>A potential valid level target has been detected which is further away from the last known valid level target than the “Max Distance Jump” parameter value derived from the selected rate of change</td>
<td>Check settings: Dielectric Range Sensitivity View Echo Curve</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>34</td>
<td>Low Echo Margin</td>
<td>Maintenance Required</td>
<td>Target echo has low Echo Margin rating</td>
<td>Check settings: Dielectric Range Sensitivity View Echo Curve</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>35</td>
<td>High Surface Velocity</td>
<td>Maintenance Required</td>
<td>The measured Surface Velocity is greater than the Max Surface Velocity value derived from the rate of change parameter</td>
<td>Confirm actual tank rate of change. Adjust (increase) Rate of Change parameter accordingly</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>36</td>
<td>Spare Indicator 9</td>
<td>OK</td>
<td>Reserved for future use</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>37</td>
<td>Sequence Record</td>
<td>OK</td>
<td>A Sequence Record number has been stored in Event Log</td>
<td>If desired, report Sequence Record number to MAGNETROL Technical Support</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

The PULSAR Model R86 offers the ability to do Trending and Echo Curve analysis via the local graphical LCD or by using PACTware and the Model R86 DTM. The Model R86 DTM is an advanced troubleshooting tool that can aid in the resolution of some of the Diagnostic Indicators shown above.
5.1.4 Diagnostic Help

Selecting DIAGNOSTICS from the MAIN MENU presents a list of five ITEMS from the top level of the DIAGNOSTICS tree.

When Present Status is highlighted, the highest MAGNETROL priority active diagnostic indicator (numerically lowest in Table 5.1.3) is displayed on the bottom LCD line as shown above. Pressing the ENTER key moves the active diagnostic indicator to the top line outdented and presents in the lower area of the LCD a brief explanation of and possible remedies for the indicated condition. A blank line separates the explanation from the remedies. Additional active diagnostic indicators, if any, appear with their explanations in descending priority order. Each additional active indicator name-explanation pair is separated by a blank line from the one above.

If the explanation and remedy text (and additional name-explanation pairs) exceeds the available space, a ❗️ appears in the rightmost column of the last line indicating more text below. In this situation, the DOWN key scrolls the text up. Similarly, while text exists above the upper line of the text field, a ❗️ appears in the rightmost column of the top (text) line. In this situation, the UP key scrolls the text down. Otherwise the DOWN and UP keys are inoperative. In all cases the ENT or BACK key reverts to the previous screen.

When the transmitter is operating normally and the highlight cursor is positioned on Present Status, the bottom LCD line displays “OK” because no diagnostic indicators are active.

EVENT HISTORY – This menu displays the parameters related to diagnostic event logging.

ADVANCED DIAGNOSTICS – This menu displays parameters related to some of the advanced diagnostics available within the Model R86.

INTERNAL VALUES – Displays read-only internal parameters.

ELEC TEMPERATURES – Displays temperature information as measured in the potted module in degrees F or C.

ECHO CURVES – This menu allows the user to display the live Echo Curve, Echo Reference Curve, Echo History Curves, or Echo Rejection Curve on the LCD.
**ECHO HISTORY SETUP** – The Model R86 contains the unique and powerful feature that allows waveforms to be automatically captured based on Diagnostic Events, Time or both. This menu contains those parameters that configure that feature.

Eleven waveforms can be saved directly into the transmitter.
- Nine Troubleshooting Curves
- One Echo Rejection Curve
- One Reference Curve

**TREND DATA** – A 15-minute trend of the PV can be displayed on the LCD.

### 5.2 Diagnostic Parameters

Each detected diagnostic condition potentially affects the status of one or more of the Transducer Block output parameters.

The Process Variable Status is described by three characteristics—Quality, Sub-status and Limit.

The following table assigns the proposed values of these characteristics, in order of decreasing priority, for each of the diagnostic conditions and/or device configurations.

**NOTES:**
1. Only the highest priority status will be indicated for a given process variable.
2. If a process variable is not listed for a given diagnostic condition and/or device configuration, the status of that process variable is not affected and will be shown as Good::Non-specific: Not limited

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Diagnostic/Condition</th>
<th>Process Variables</th>
<th>Quality</th>
<th>Sub-status</th>
<th>Limit</th>
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<td>Level TB -&gt; OOS</td>
<td>Level Distance</td>
<td>Bad</td>
<td>Out of Service</td>
<td>Not limited</td>
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<td>Echo Strength</td>
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<td>Elec Temperature</td>
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<td></td>
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<tr>
<td>Vol TB -&gt; OOS</td>
<td>Volume</td>
<td>Bad</td>
<td>Out of Service</td>
<td>Not limited</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Flow TB -&gt; OOS</td>
<td>Flow Head</td>
<td>Bad</td>
<td>Out of Service</td>
<td>Not limited</td>
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<td>NR Totalizer</td>
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<td>R Totalizer</td>
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<tr>
<td>Analog Board Error</td>
<td>All PVs except</td>
<td>Bad</td>
<td>Sensor Failure</td>
<td>Constant limited</td>
</tr>
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<td></td>
<td>Elec Temperature</td>
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<tr>
<td>Software Error</td>
<td>All PVs</td>
<td>Bad</td>
<td>Device Failure</td>
<td>Constant limited</td>
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<td>All PVs</td>
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<td>All PVs except Elec Temperature</td>
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<tr>
<td>Default Parameters</td>
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<td>Config Error</td>
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<td>Constant limited</td>
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<td>Bad</td>
<td>Config Error</td>
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<td></td>
<td>Head</td>
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<td>Head</td>
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<td>Level, Distance,</td>
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<td>Non-specific</td>
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Appendix A

Block Mode Operation (OOS)

Screens such as shown below (which can be from a 475 Field Communicator, NI Configurator, AMS, DTMs, etc.) can be an indication that the block should be set to Out of Service (OOS):

![Error Screen 1]

![Error Screen 2]

![Error Screen 3]
## Appendix B

### Level Transducer Block Table

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<td>Strategy</td>
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<td>MODE_BLK</td>
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58 | VOLUME_HIGH_LIMIT | Volume High Limit
59 | LEVEL_LOW_LIMIT | Level Low Limit
60 | LEVEL_HIGH_LIMIT | Level High Limit
61 | ENTER_PASSWORD | Enter Password
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2 | TAG_DESC | Tag Description |
3 | STRATEGY | Strategy |
4 | ALERT_KEY | Alert Key |
5 | MODE_BLK | Block Mode |
6 | BLOCK_ERR | Block Error |
7 | UPDATE_EVT | Update Event |
8 | BLOCK_ALM | Block alarm |
9 | TRANSUDER_DIRECTORY | Transducer Directory |
10 | TRANSUDER_TYPE | Transducer Type |
11 | XD_ERROR | Transducer Error |
12 | COLLECTION_DIRECTORY | Collection Directory |
13 | MEAS_TYPE | Measurement Type |
14 | FLOW | Flow |
15 | FLOW_UNIT | Flow Unit |
16 | HEAD | Head |
17 | HEAD_UNIT | Head Unit |
18 | DISTANCE_VALUE | Distance |
19 | DISTANCE_UNIT | Distance Unit |
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Service Policy

Owners of MAGNETROL may request the return of a control or any part of a control for complete rebuilding or replacement. They will be rebuilt or replaced promptly. Controls returned under our service policy must be returned by Prepaid transportation. Magnetrol will repair or replace the control at no cost to the purchaser (or owner) other than transportation if:

1. Returned within the warranty period; and
2. The factory inspection finds the cause of the claim to be covered under the warranty.

If the trouble is the result of conditions beyond our control; or, is NOT covered by the warranty, there will be charges for labor and the parts required to rebuild or replace the equipment.

In some cases it may be expedient to ship replacement parts; or, in extreme cases a complete new control, to replace the original equipment before it is returned. If this is desired, notify the factory of both the model and serial numbers of the control to be replaced. In such cases, credit for the materials returned will be determined on the basis of the applicability of our warranty.

No claims for misapplication, labor, direct or consequential damage will be allowed.

Return Material Procedure

So that we may efficiently process any materials that are returned, it is essential that a “Return Material Authorization” (RMA) number be obtained from the factory prior to the material’s return. This is available through Magnetrol local representative or by contacting the factory. Please supply the following information:

1. Company Name
2. Description of Material
3. Serial Number
4. Reason for Return
5. Application

Any unit that was used in a process must be properly cleaned in accordance with OSHA standards, before it is returned to the factory.

A Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) must accompany material that was used in any media.

All shipments returned to the factory must be by prepaid transportation.

All replacements will be shipped F.O.B. factory.

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