

Level Measurement

Continuous level measurement - Ultrasonic controllers

SITRANS LU10

Overview



SITRANS LU10 is an ultrasonic long-range level monitor for liquids and solids, offering 10-point monitoring in a single unit.

Handheld programmer shown is an accessory and must be ordered separately.

Benefits

- Ten point, long-range level monitoring
- Automatic level-to-volume conversion for standard or custom tank shapes
- Dolphin Plus and SmartLinX[®] compatible
- Backlit LCD display with reading in standard engineering units
- Easy to install, easy to program using removable infrared keypad (optional)

Application

It can be used in a wide range of applications to scan liquids, solids or a combination of both contained in vessels of differing size, shape and configuration up to 60 m (200 ft).

SITRANS LU10 uses ultrasonic technology to measure level, space, distance, volume or average/differential. Transducers can be mounted up to 365 m (1200 ft) from the monitor. The SITRANS LU10 features patented Sonic Intelligence[®] echo processing software for superior reliability. Readings are displayed in user-selectable linear engineering units on the LCD.

SITRANS LU10 will connect to a DCS or PLC using Siemens SmartLinX[®] interface modules, giving you remote 2-way communication and full parameter access. Modules for popular industrial buses can be factory installed or added later to meet changing needs. No external gateway is required, reducing hardware and cabling costs.

- Key Applications: chemical storage, liquid storage, bulk solids storage (sugar, flour bins, grains, cereals), plastic pellets, tank farms

Technical specifications

Mode of operation	
Measuring principle	Ultrasonic level measurement
Measuring range	Max. 0.3 ... 60 m (1 ... 200 ft)
Measuring points	Max. 10
Output	
Ultrasonic transducer	Echomax [®] series, ST-H transducers
Relays	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SITRANS LU SAM module (option): 20 alarm/control relays • SPDT Form C relays, rated 5 A at 250 V AC, resistive load
mA output	SITRANS LU A0 module (option): 0/4 ... 20 mA, optically isolated
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Max. load • Resolution 	750 Ω , isolated 0.1 % of range
Accuracy	
Error in measurement	0.25 % of range or 6 mm (0.24"), whichever is greater
Resolution	0.1 % of measuring range or 2 mm (0.08"), whichever is greater
Temperature compensation	-50 ... +150 °C (-58 ... +302 °F) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Integral temperature sensor • External TS-3 temperature sensor (expandable to 10 inputs with optional TIB-9 card) • Programmable fixed temperature
Rated operating conditions	
Ambient conditions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ambient temperature for enclosure -20 ... +50 °C (-4 ... +122 °F)
Design	
Weight	2.7 kg (6 lbs)
Material (enclosure)	Polycarbonate
Degree of protection (wall mount)	IP65/Type 4X/NEMA 4X
Electrical connection	
Ultrasonic transducer	RG62-A/U coaxial cable with low capacitance
Signal transmission	2-core copper conductor, twisted, shielded, 0.5 ... 0.75 mm ² (22 ... 18 AWG), Belden [®] 8760 or equivalent is acceptable
Electrical connection and relay connection	Copper conductor according to local requirements, rated 250 V 5 A
Synchronization	Up to 16 LU10 units can be synchronized together
Power supply	100/115/200/230 V AC \pm 15 %, 50/60 Hz, 31 VA
Displays and controls	
Memory	EEPROM (non-volatile), no backup battery required
Programming	Using removable programmer (ordered separately) or Dolphin Plus (option)
Certificates and approvals	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CE, C-TICK, FM, CSA_{US/C}, ATEX II 3D • Lloyd's register of Shipping (Categories ENV1, ENV2, ENV3 and ENV5) 	

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Options

Expansion card	TIB-9, increases the number of TS-3 inputs from 1 ... 10
External temperature sensor	TS-3
Communications	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> SmartLinx: protocol-specific modules as interface for popular industrial fieldbus systems Dolphin Plus: Siemens Windows[®] compatible interface and ComVerter link (infrared)
I/O devices	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Max. 3 I/O devices per SITRANS LU10 SITRANS LU AO analog output module (max. 1) SITRANS LU SAM, satellite alarm module (max. 2)

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Selection and Ordering data

Further designs

Please add **"-Z"** to Order No. and specify Order code(s).

Stainless steel tag [69 x 50 mm (2.71 x 1.97")]:
Measuring-point number/identification
(max. 16 characters) specify in plain text

Order code

Y15

Operating Instructions

English	C) 7ML1998-5AN02
French	C) 7ML1998-5AN12
German	C) 7ML1998-5AN32

Other Operating Instructions

SmartLinx Allen-Bradley Remote I/O, English	C) 7ML1998-1AP03
SmartLinx PROFIBUS DP, English	C) 7ML1998-1AQ03
SmartLinx PROFIBUS DP, German	C) 7ML1998-1AQ33
SmartLinx PROFIBUS DP, French	C) 7ML1998-1AQ12

SmartLinx Modbus, English	C) 7ML1998-1BF01
SmartLinx Modbus, German	C) 7ML1998-1BF31
SmartLinx Modem, English	C) 7ML1998-1BG01

Note: The appropriate SmartLinx Operating Instructions should be ordered as a separate line on the order.

Accessories

Handheld programmer	7ML1830-2AN
Tag, stainless steel, 12 x 45 mm (0.47 x 1.77"), one text line, suitable for enclosures	7ML1930-1AC
M20 cable gland kit (6 M20 cable glands, 6 M20 nuts, 3 stop plugs)	7ML1830-1GM

Spare parts

Card, mother main, AC, comm ready	C) 7ML1830-1ML
Card, daughter, comm ready	C) 7ML1830-1LY
Card, display	7ML1830-1LQ

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Ten point ultrasonic long-range level monitoring system for liquids and solids applications, and ranges up to 60 m (200 ft).

Input voltage

100/115, 200/230 V AC, selectable

Feature software

Standard

Application software

Standard

Data communications

No module (SmartLinx ready)
SmartLinx Allen-Bradley[®] Remote I/O module
SmartLinx PROFIBUS DP module
SmartLinx Modbus[®] RTU module

TIB-9 temperature card

None
With TIB-9 card

Enclosure

Wall mount
Wall mount, drilled, 12 x M20

Approvals

CE, CSA_{US}^C, FM¹⁾
ATEX II 3D¹⁾
CE, C-TICK²⁾

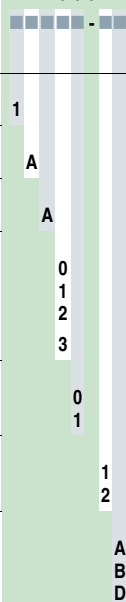
1) Available with Enclosure option 1 only

2) Available with Enclosure option 2 only

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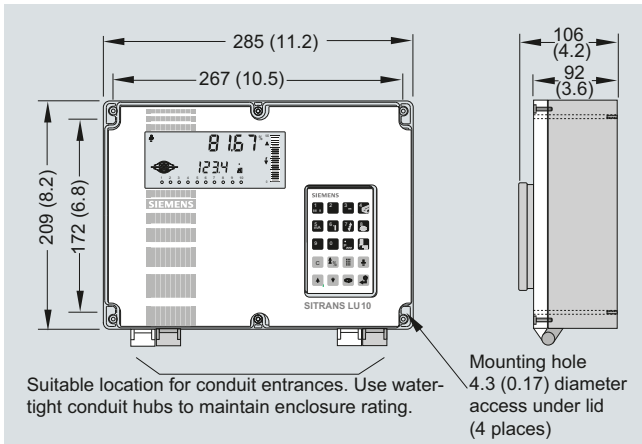


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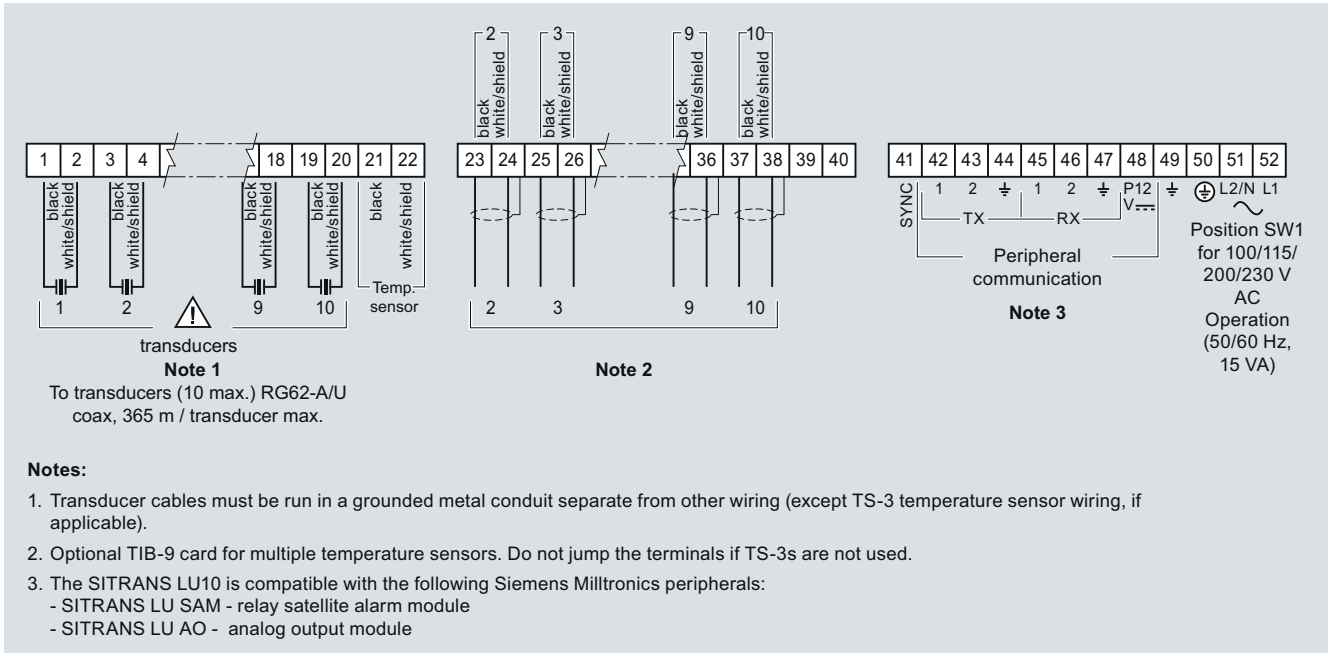
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Dimensional drawings



SITRANS LU10, dimensions in mm (inch)

Schematics



SITRANS LU10 connections

Notes:

1. Transducer cables must be run in a grounded metal conduit separate from other wiring (except TS-3 temperature sensor wiring, if applicable).
2. Optional TIB-9 card for multiple temperature sensors. Do not jump the terminals if TS-3s are not used.
3. The SITRANS LU10 is compatible with the following Siemens Milltronics peripherals:
 - SITRANS LU SAM - relay satellite alarm module
 - SITRANS LU AO - analog output module

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