# GP:50 MELT PRESSURE TRANSDUCERS & TRANSMITTERS

# 6. APPENDICES

# APPENDIX A - OPTIONS

**AA** None (standard connector PTIH-10-6P)

# ALTERNATE CONNECTOR OR CABLE

CC Bendix PC02E-12-8P,[
Mate: PC06A-12-8S-(SR), not included]
CD Cannon WK6-32S,[
Mate: WK6-21C, not included]
CF 1/2" NPT(M) thread with 36"
potted leads
CZ Alternate Connector/ Cable/
Other

#### **ALTERNATE PRESSURE PORTS**

FB M18 X 1.5 Metric Thread FG M14 X 1.5 Metric Thread FZ Non-Standard Pressure Port

#### **GENERAL OPTIONS**

GX Mineral Oil Fill.

(Increases Thermal Shift)

GB Alternate Electronic Output specify zero and span output values
GJ Add Zero and Span Controls.
(Approximately ±20% FSO adjustment)
GP Hastelloy C-276 Diaphragm and
Thread
GQ Boron-Hardened diaphragm
GV Silicone Oil Fill.
(Increases Thermal Shift)
Consult factory
GW NaK Fill with Inconel diaphragm
and stem for 1000°F max. applications

Consult factory
GZ Customer Special
JA 100 ohm RTD., 3 - wire, provided

JA 100 ohm RTD., 3 - wire, provided with no external cal. & 8 - pin standard connector

JW Titanium Nitride-Coated
Diaphragm & Threads
MD Zero and Span Controls, 330X,
331X only. (Span adjustment ± 20%
FSO, Zero adjustment +10% - 80% FSO
for ranges below 500 psi, Zero adjustment ±20% FSO for ranges 500 psi and
up)

**ME** Internal Calibration Resister set to 80% ± 0.5% FSO

MO Gentran Wiring

**MP** Barber-Colman Wiring **NE** Second 4-20 mA output for temperature (with HART®)

QF Second 4-20 mA output for temperature (no HART®)

**QG** Temperature compensated to 350°F

**QJ** NaK Fill for 750°F max. applications

QS Diamond coating

# RIGID STEM GN 12.5" Rigid Stem

GO 9" Rigid Stem HD 3" Rigid Stem HJ 1 3/16" Rigid Stem HT 24" Rigid Stem HU 4" Rigid Stem MU Non-Standard Rigid Stem

## **FLEX TUBING**

GT 30" Armored Capillary Tube HS 9" Armored Capillary Tube HV 24" Armored Capillary Tube HY 12" Armored Capillary Tube MT Non-standard Armored Capillary Tube (50" max)

\*Not all options are available for all models; consult manufacturer for details.

# **INSTALLATION MANUAL**

Models V130, V131 and Model V135 Models V230, V231 and Model V235



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#### 5. WARRANTY

**GP:50** warrants its products to the original customer/purchaser against defects in material and workmanship for a period of one (1) year from the date of delivery by GP:50, as shown in its shipping documents, subject to the following terms and conditions:

Without charge GP:50 will repair or replace products found to be defective in materials or workmanship within the warranty period provided that:

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- As to any prior defect in materials or workmanship covered by this warranty, the product has not been repaired or altered by any one except GP:50 or its authorized service agencies.
- 3 The serial number has not been removed, defaced or otherwise changed.
- Examination discloses, in the judgment of GP:50, a defect in materials or workmanship which developed under normal installation, use and service.
- 5. GP:50 is notified in advance of, and approves, the return by issuing a Return Material Authorization Number; and the products are returned to GP:50 transportation prepaid. Products returned without an RMA number will not be accepted and be returned to sender at sender's expense.

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Prior to transducer removal, ensure that the polymer is hot and liquid to avoid diaphragm damage. Once removed, immediately wipe the entire tip of the transducer with a soft, non-abrasive cloth.



Unit can be hot when removed from service. Wear protective gloves when handling unit in this condition.

Models V135 and V235 include a J-Type thermocouple. To remove simply loosen the Allen Screw with a  $6/32 \times 1/4$  Allen Wrench and pull thermocouple assembly straight out without bending or twisting. If needed, Contact GP:50 for replacement or repair.

#### 4. TROUBLESHOOTING & RETURN INFORMATION

#### No output

- Verify power supply voltage meets transducer requirements
- Check wiring connections
- Verify pressure if being applied
- Verify output load is not shorted

#### Erratic output or zero drift

- Verify pressure applied is constant
- Verify power supply remains within specifications
- Inspect electrical connections for discontinuity or damage
- Verify output with a multi-meter
- Check insulation resistance between amplifier and transducer case

#### Slow Response

- Verify pressure port is not cloqged
- \* If the problem persists, please call the factory as indicated below for assistance. Please have the following information ready:
- Serial number
- Model number
- Loop setup details (power supply, resistor, cable routing/length)
- Which action caused devices to fail.

Contact: meltsales@gp50.com 716-775-8830



Repairs should only be done by GP:50. Repairs done by customer will void any warranties and may cause permanent damage to unit. Repairs done by customer on Intrinsically Safe units will void the approvals and are a potential explosion hazard.



Returned products that have been exposed to hazardous substances should be cleaned prior to return and should include the Material Safety Data Sheet for all substances.



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#### 1. INTRODUCTION

#### 1.1 Product Description

Models V130, V131 and V135 are melt pressure transducers with a  $\frac{1}{2}$  - 20UNF pressure port fitting (standard - optional ports available), 3mV/V output and measures pressures up to 30,000 psi (2200 bar). Models V230, V231 and V235 has same specifications with output range being 0-10Vdc

### 1.2 Warning

Pressurized vessels and associated equipment are potentially dangerous. The product described in the guide should be operated only by personnel trained in the procedures that will assure safety to themselves, to others, to the equipment, and to the product. Specific warnings are noted as in specific installation/operation sections.

#### 1.3 Unpacking and Inspection

All models covered in this manual are carefully tested, inspected and packed. Upon receipt of the shipment thoroughly inspect the transducer. If you see any visible signs of obvious shipping damage, notify the freight company immediately.

#### 1.4 Using this manual

This manual is intended to help the end user install, maintain, and provide general service of GP:50 Models V130, V131, V135 as well as models V230, V231, and V235 lines of pressure transducers. The user should have a general understanding of current loops & general instrument control. All aforementioned models are precision instruments and should be given the same care as any other precision instrument during installation and operation.

#### 2. INSTALLATION

#### 2.1 Mounting/Process Connection

All melt pressure transducers are shipped with a protective cap. Leave protective cap on until ready to install. Removing protective cap prior to installation can expose threads and diaphragm to unnecessary damage.

Prior to installation or subsequent reinstallations, ensure that the mounting hole is free from media or debris



Standard Models V130, V131, V135, V230, V231 and V235 transducers are supplied with a  $\frac{1}{2}$  -20 UNF pressure port. Installation of the device shall be in accordance with industry standard pipe fitting requirements for this size . Torque shall only be applied to the transducer during installation (or removal) from the wrench flats provided on the pressure port. As a general rule of thumb, the device torque should be "wrench-tight" to preclude leakage from the process connection. Contact GP:50 sales personnel for additional information if required, or for specific installation requirements for non-standard process connections.



Ensure media is compatible with 15-5 PH (standard material, optional materials available, check part number (Appendix A) to verify wetted material to avoid premature corrosion of the diaphragm. This can cause performance degradation and eventual sensor rupture/failure.



Properly tighten process connections before applying pressure to insure no leaks or mechanical failure can occur.



Never insert sharp objects into diaphragm. This could cause permanent damage the sensor and/or mechanical failure/diaphragm rupture.

#### 2.2 Power Supply Connection

For best operation the pressure transducer needs clean, regulated power with an output impedance less than 20 ohms. Voltage range for V130, V131 and V135 models is 3.5Vdc – 15Vdc and models V230, V231 and V235 operate between 14Vdc – 36Vdc. As loads are added to the current loop (galvanic barriers, current measuring devices resistors), the minimum excitation voltage must increase in order to maintain proper operating voltage.

#### 2.3 Wiring & Grounding.

Wiring is set per Fig. 1 below. PTIH-10-6P electrical connection is standard on all Models. PC02E-12-8P is available as option code "CC." Do not run wires next to power lines, electrical systems, motors, generators, or any other equipment which may generate a significant amount of electrical noise or magnetic fields

PTIH-10-6P	V130, V131 & V135	V230, V231 & V235
A/1	+SIGNAL	+SIGNAL
B/2	- SIGNAL	- SIGNAL *
C/3	+EXC.	+EXC.
D/4	- EXC	- EXC *
E/5	CALIBRATE	CALIBRATE
F/6	CALIBRATE	CALIBRATE

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A/1	+ EXC.	+ EXC.
B/2	+ SIGNAL	+ SIGNAL
C/3	- EXC	- EXC *
D/4	- SIGNAL	- SIGNAL *
E/5	CAL. (Common)	CAL. (Common)
F/6	CAL. (Int. Res)	CAL. (Int. Res)
G/7	NC	NC
H/8	CAL. (Ext. Res)	CAL. (Ext. Res)

<sup>\* -</sup> Signal and - Excitation are common to each other.

#### 2.4 Environment

The typical operating temperature range for the electronics is from -40°F (-23°C) to 185°F (85°C). The unit should be mounted as close to the process as possible with the ambient temperature surrounding the electronics in the range as specified above.



Exceeding maximum temperature rating can cause electronics malfunction or failure, with IS units, an explosion risk.



Protect electrical connection from direct/continued exposure to fluids. Moisture ingress can occur and cause eventual electrical failure.

# 3. OPERATION & MAINTENANCE

These models are designed to produce their respective outputs as a direct proportion to pressure. Specific pressure range, input voltage requirements and electrical connections are marked on unit. Appropriate mating connections are required for proper installation and safety. Other port and electrical connections are available and noted as option code in part number. See Appendix A for list of options.

After securely installed, bring system up to current operating temperature with no pressure applied. Once condition has been reached, adjust zero and span controls accordingly to maximize output accuracy.



Replace broken fasteners (available through the factory) as they may compromise the seal and cause contamination and/or electronics failure.