

INW Panel Meter

Reading an INW PT12 Sensor



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Introduction

What is an INW Panel Meter for an INW PT12 Smart Sensor?

This is a Modbus® meter that is specially configured to read an INW PT12 Pressure/Temperature Smart Sensor.

By default, the meter displays pressure in PSI. The meter can also be set to display pressure in feet of water or meters of water or to display temperature in degrees Celsius.

The meter is available in either an 85 - 265 VAC version for wired-in power or in a 12 VDC version for remote or portable usage.

The meter comes installed in a weatherproof Nema 4X enclosure with the PT12 Smart Sensor connected through a wire seal.

An INW PT12 Smart Sensor is a submersible pressure/temperature sensor which can communicate via Modbus, as well as SDI-12. When used with this meter, the sensor communicates via Modbus.

Initial Inspection and Handling

Upon receipt of your meter, inspect the shipping package for damage. If any damage is apparent, note the signs of damage on the appropriate shipping form. After opening the carton, look for concealed damage. If concealed damage is found, immediately file a claim with the carrier.

Do's and Don'ts

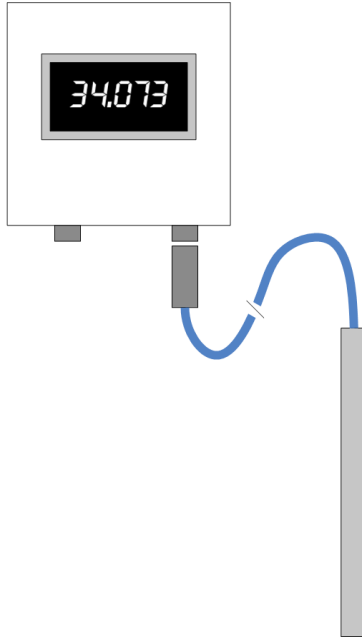
Do handle the device with care.

Don't install the device so that the box or connector is submerged.

Don't bang or drop the device on hard objects.

Setup

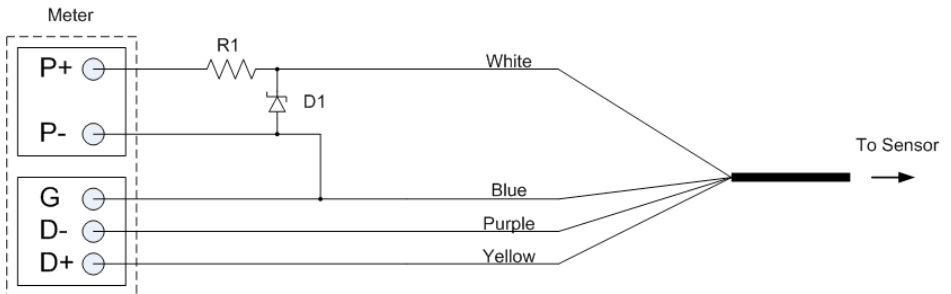
Connecting the Meter



Connecting the Meter

Sensor Connection

The sensor is wired to the meter as shown in Figure 2. The meter supplies 12 VDC power to the sensor through a dropping resistor and voltage regulating zener diode.




R1 = Res, Carbon Film, 1200 ohm, 5%, 1/2W
 D1 = Diode, Zener, 12V, 5%, 1W, DO-41, 1N4742A

Direct wiring sensor

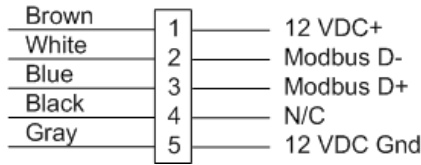
Power Connection

INW does not supply a power connection. It is up to the client and their engineers to wire the power connection.

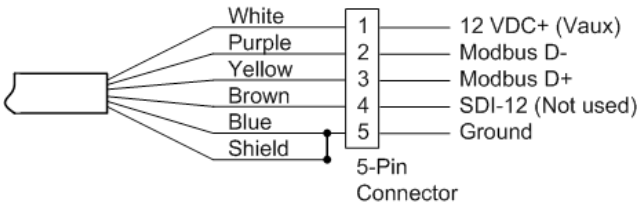
Meter manufacturer power specifications:
AC: 85 - 265 VAC, 50/60 Hz, 15 Watts
Recommended fuse: 1 A, 250V, slow-blow
Wire: Copper with 60° C or 60/75° C insulation

	Observe all safety precautions. To ensure safety and prevent damage to the meter, wiring should be done by a qualified technician in accordance with all local, state, and federal guidelines.
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Bulkhead and Sensor Wiring



Bulkhead Wiring



Sensor Wiring

Baud Rate

The panel meter is set to communicate at 19,200 baud. The normal baud rate for the PT12 is also 19,200. The PT12 can communicate at 38,400, 19,200, or 9600 baud. The panel meter can communicate at either 19,200 or 9600 baud, but not at 38,400. If your PT12 has been set to a different baud rate, contact INW for information on how to reset the baud rate.

Operation

Your meter comes preconfigured to read your INW PT12 Pressure/Temperature sensor. Once the meter is powered and the sensor is connected, the meter should immediately begin displaying pressure readings.

Meter Settings

Though your meter comes preconfigured, there may be times when you want to change some of the settings. The meter is controlled via four buttons on the front of the meter face:











Figure 3: Meter control buttons



The most common settings are detailed below. For complete settings, see the Appendix.

Slave ID

The Slave ID is the sensor address assigned to your sensor. You can find this address on the calibration sheet that came with your sensor.









If you need to reset the address in the meter, do so as follows:

<u>Press</u>	<u>Display or Action</u>
	mode
	mastr
	funcod
 2 times	SLAU.id
	Id.PU I
	Change sensor address here
	reC.nbr
	Sensor begins reading

To change a value on the meter, use the  to select the digit you want to change. Use the  to cycle through acceptable values.

Register Number

The meter reads a particular register (memory) address on the sensor in order to display a reading. The PT12 has three registers - one for pressure, one for temperature, and one for voltage. The meter comes preconfigured to read pressure. If you want to read temperature, you must set the meter to read the correct register, as shown below. (Note, if you are using other than PSI as display units for pressure, see the following section on display units.)

<u>Press</u>	<u>Display or Action</u>
	mode
	mAStr
	FunCod
 3 times	rEG.nbr
	rEG.PU 1
	Enter register to read
	400001 for pressure
	400003 for temperature
	400005 for voltage
	dAtA. 1
	Sensor begins reading

NOTE: With firmware version 0.13 and higher you can also read from registers:
 462593 for pressure
 462595 for temperature
 462597 for voltage








Display Units

The panel meter comes preconfigured to display readings in the units you have ordered for your PT12. The PT12 default is PSI for pressure and degrees Celsius for temperature, unless something else is specified in your order.

If you need to change units, see Appendix A.











Polling Interval

The polling interval controls how often the meter queries the sensor for a new value. The meter comes preconfigured with a two second polling interval. You can change this interval as follows:

<u>Press</u>	<u>Display or Action</u>
	mode
	MAStR
	FuNcOd
 5 times	t-Poll
	Change polling interval here
	t-rESP
	Sensor begins reading

Decimal Point Placement

The meter can display a maximum of six digits and comes preconfigured to display three digits followed by three decimal places. For example, 154.925. You can change the number of decimal places as follows:

















<u>Press</u>	<u>Display or Action</u>
	mode
 2 times	ProC
	DISP.dp
	Adjust decimal place by pressing  as needed
	Flot.dp
	Adjust decimal place by pressing  as needed
	ScALE
	Sensor begins reading

Appendix A - Display Units

If your PT12 displays pressure readings in PSI and you want to display in feet of water or meters of water, you can change the readout on the meter as shown below. If your PT12 is configured for something other than PSI and you want different units than what is displaying, contact INW for information on changing the units on the PT12.

Units	Input 1	Display 1	Input 2	Display 2
PSI	-10.000	-10.000	299.999	299.999
Feet H2O	-10.000	-23.070	299.999	692.098
Meters H2O	-10,000	-7.031	299.999	210.926

Set these in the meter as follows:

<u>Press</u>	<u>Display or Action</u>
	mode
 2 times	Prog
	DISP.dp
 2 times	SCALE
	INP 1
	Enter value for Input 1
	DIS 1
	Enter value for Display 1
	INP 2
	Enter value for Input 2
	DIS 2
	Enter value for Display 2
	INP 1
	SAVE ? Flashes
	RELAY
	Sensor begins reading

Temperature

You cannot change display units for temperature. They will always display in degrees Celsius. However, if you are using other than PSI for pressure and you later want to read temperature, you must set the display units per the chart below. Failure to do this will result in erroneous temperature readings. If you switch back to pressure, you must reset for pressure units again.

Units	Input 1	Display 1	Input 2	Display 2
Temperature	-10.000	-10.000	100.000	100.000

Default - if only using PSI

If you have been using other than PSI for pressure units and wish to return to using just PSI, then change the display units as shown in this chart.


Units	Input 1	Display 1	Input 2	Display 2
Default	-199.999	-199.999	999.999	999.999



Once these defaults have been reset, you can switch between reading pressure and reading temperature without having to change the display settings.

Appendix B - Meter Reset

On occasion the meter can get into a state where you are unsure what it is doing. This can happen if a mistake is made while changing settings or if someone else has used the meter for some other purpose. It is often easier to set the meter back to factory defaults than to determine exactly what had changed.


Follow the steps below to set the meter back to factory defaults:


Press and hold 

Press  while still holding 

Hold until displays FUNC

Press  6 times until says INFO



























Press and hold 

When display flashes rESEt, press 

Complete Meter Configuration


























The meter is controlled via four buttons on the front of the meter face. Though your meter comes preconfigured, if it should ever need to be completely reset, follow the instructions below:

Complete Reset

<u>Press</u>	<u>Display or Action</u>		
	mode	To change a value on the meter, use the  to select the digit you want to change. Use the  to cycle through acceptable values.	
	MAStR		
	FUnCod		
	FUn 03		
	PU.nbr		
	1		If other than 1, set to 1.
	SLAUId		
	Id-PU 1		
	Change to match sensor address.		
	rEG.nbr		
	 until reads 6 dig		
	rEG.PU 1		
	Enter register to read		
	40000 1 for pressure		NOTE: With firmware version 0.13 and higher you can also read from registers: 462593 for pressure 462595 for temperature 462597 for voltage
	400003 for temperature		
	400005 for voltage		
			
	data. 1		
	 until reads FL0At		
	1234		
	t-Poll		
	Enter 02.0	(2 second polling interval)	









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<u>Press</u>	<u>Display or Action</u>
	t-rESP
	05.0 (Meter waits 5 seconds for response)
	SERIAL
	bAud
	 until reads 19200
	PARITY
	 until reads 00
	 until reads 1 Stop
	t-bytE
	0.01
	ProG
	DISP.dP
	Adjust decimal place by pressing  until reads ddd.ddd
	Flot.dP
	Adjust decimal place by pressing  until reads ddd.ddd
	ScALE
	InP 1
	- 199.999
	dis 1
	- 199.999

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<u>Press</u>	<u>Display or Action</u>
	INP 2
	999.999
	DIS 2
	999.999
	INP 1
	SAVE ? Flashes
	RELAY
	Sensor begins reading

Further Information:

If you need further information on the meter capabilities or settings, you can download the meter manual from www.predig.com/download.asp?File=360

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