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## The Tracker 220 Series

A Complete Range of Universal Input Digital Panel Indicators for Temperature and Process Measurement

# TRACKER 220 SERIES INDICATORS

Universal Input ☐ IP65 Front Panel ☐ Standard 1/8 DIN Size ☐ Analogue Output Digital Status Inputs Red or Green LED Display ☐ Transmitter & Transducer Supplies Programmable Function Buttons ☐ Four Alarm Set points Maths Functions ☐ Wide Ranging Power Input Serial Communications Universal Input Universal Power Input Any one of over 20 different input types can be directly Wide-ranging 90 to 265v ac connected. Thermocouple, RTD, 20mA, mV and 10 volt input allows world-wide signals are accepted as standard. installation. Low voltage ac/dc input option available. Connectivity Tough but Attractive Digital Status inputs, serial Designed to enhance the looks of any communications, analogue instrument panel, the enclosure uses flame output, transmitter supply, retardant (VO) materials and the front alarm relays, transducer panel conforms to IP65 (NEMA 4). supply, are all available. The plug in sleeve-type The instrument can construction facilitates be removed for simple exchange routine servicing for routine without disturbing servicing/calibration. these connections. Clear Display -Front Panel Control The flat, slightly recessed Full set-up is available using display, together with the front panel buttons to step high brightness red or through a simple password green LEDs ensure protected menu. Some maximum visibility even functions can be made directly in difficult ambient available to an operator. lighting conditions. Alternatively units can be supplied without buttons. User Definable Buttons Two of the front panel buttons can be user programmed to provide one or more special functions such as tare and auto zero.

The Tracker 220 series of universal input indicators comprises a range of four models which offer unparalleled price and performance. The use of surface mount components and modern microprocessor technology has enabled powerful features to be packed into a standard 1/8 DIN case. The measurement performance is significantly better than that normally associated with indicators in this price range.

The four models can be used for simple measurement-only applications or in more demanding situations requiring digital communications, alarms, maths functions and complex signal conditioning. The powerful menu-driven software enables fast flexible set-up from the front panel or via the serial communications interface. No adjustments of internal potentiometers, internal links or plug-in cards are necessary.



CONFIGURATION

SOFTWARE

All Tracker 220 series indicators have been tested and comply with the European Electromagnetic Compatibility directives and safety requirements. The instruments are designed to be used in the most demanding applications and each carries the CE marking. The enclosure is manufactured in re-cyclable and flame-retardant (VO) materials and the front panel conforms to IP 65.

**SCADA** 

**SOFTWARE** 

# TRACKER 220 APPLICATIONS





### Temperature

The Tracker 220 series can be used in a wide variety of temperature measurement applications with results displayed in °C, °F or Kelvin (Absolute). In applications where non-linearising temperature transmitters are used the Tracker 220 series can linearise the 4-20 mA signal received to the thermocouple curve. Where accuracy is vital to an application, a 220 series indicator can be calibration-matched to the output of the actual sensor to be used, thus removing most system measurement errors.





## Signal Re-Transmission

The user programmable isolated analogue output allows the 220 series to be used in applications where a local display as well as data recording is required. This output can be configured to transmit the measured, averaged, maximum or minimum value and has its own damping filter for noisy or fast moving signals. The input can be locally conditioned and retransmitted over a relatively long distance. Being electrically isolated, problems associated with earth loops, which are often encountered in measurement systems, are eliminated.





## Pressure and Weighing

A variety of pressure transducers, pressure transmitters or strain gauge bridges can be connected to the Tracker 220 series. The indicator and sensor can be matched using the user calibration feature, greatly reducing errors due to sensor output and excitation supply voltage variations. A front panel button or digital status input can be configured to provide an auto zero feature allowing zero offset errors to be eliminated. For weighing applications, a tare function can be similarly configured.





#### Communications

The Tracker 220 series serial protocol is compatible with most SCADA software packages. Up to 32 indicators can be connected to a single master device in a multidrop two or four wire configuration. Tracker PC based software can be supplied which enables multiple configurations to be modified and stored. The display and analogue output can be controlled via the serial interface, allowing an indicator to be used as a remote display or control device.





## **Process Inputs**

The Tracker 220 series indicators have a number of features which make them particularly suitable for the measurement of process signals. Maths functions allow calculations for orifice plate, "V" notch weir flow and rectangular (Cippaletti) weir flow. A filter is available for noisy or fast- moving signals. A 24 point user linearisation facility is provided for applications such as tank contents measurements. All of the Tracker 220 input types can be scaled to any engineering units within the display range or, if necessary, mapped to one of the thermosensor or user linearisation curves. SG Correction is also available.





## Alarm and Control

The comprehensive alarm functions built into the Tracker 220 series make them particularly suitable for monitoring, switching and control applications.

The hysteresis facility stops noisy signals switching alarms. High and low deviation allow control around a setpoint. On and off delay times can be set, with individual alarms configured as latching or non-latching, depending upon user requirements. Alarms can be displayed or acknowledged on the Tracker 220 front panel.

# TRACKER 220 FEATURES





### Universal Input

All of the Tracker 220 series can be directly connected to most process sensors including thermocouples, RTDs, 20mA loops, transmitters, or dc type signals. All thermosensor ranges have built-in linearisation curves and internal or external CJC is available. The display can show °C, °F or Kelvin (Absolute), with the decimal point position being user-adjustable to give the required measurement resolution or switched to automatic (auto ranging mode). The sensor break detection can be selected to produce upscale or downscale readings. Process inputs can be scaled to any engineering unit and any input can be mapped to one of the thermosensor linearisation curves.





#### Sensor Excitation

All Tracker 220 models are fitted with a fixed 24 volt DC output which is electrically isolated. This can be used to power a single 20~mA loop for two wire transmitters.

In addition the Tracker models 221 and 222 have a 10v regulated supply and the Tracker models 223 and 224 are fitted with a programmable 0-12 volt dc regulated output. Both of these outputs are electrically isolated to 500v. The programmable supply is configured via the internal software and is primarily designed to power strain gauge-type sensors including load cells.



### User Linearisation

Some applications require a special linearisation curve to be defined by the user. A typical example is tank contents measurement where the pressure of a liquid can be measured but this does not have a linear relationship to the actual volume. User linearisation allows up to 24 calibration points to be defined. Each point can be entered manually or, for greater accuracy, directly from the sensor output, thus removing most system measurement errors. The 24 readings can be entered in any order. The Tracker 220 will use the stored values to define the required linearisation curve.



## Analogue Output

Models 223 and 224 are fitted with an electrically isolated analogue output which has 0.05% resolution. This can be configured by the user as 0-10 volt, 0-20 mA or 4-20 mA and can be scaled over any portion of the display range. For example, a type K thermocouple can be retransmitted as a linear 4-20 mA signal equivalent to 0-1000°C to another device such as a chart recorder or data logger. The output is linear to temperature (display value).

The analogue output can be set to transmit the measured, the maximum, the minimum or the averaged value and has its own damping filter for noisy or fast moving signals.



### Serial Communications

Both models 223 and 224 are fitted with an electrically-isolated RS 422/485 serial interface. Models 221 and 222 can optionally be fitted with two wire communications. All measured values and set-up parameters are accessible, however, the instruments can be set to be read only, thus protecting their configuration.

Two protocols are available, namely the MODBUS and the proprietary DTPI, which has been designed to be easier to implement. The display, analogue output and transducer supply can all be set or configured via the serial interface.



### Alarms

Each of the Tracker 220 series has four software alarms. These can be configured by the user for alarm type, setpoint, on/off delay and on/off hysteresis value. Alarms can be individually set to be latching or non-latching and to flash a message on the front panel display when active. Any of the four software alarms can operate a relay (models 222 and 224 only). In addition a special AND function allows a relay to switch only if two or more alarm conditions are active. Relays can be configured to be energised or de-energised in the alarm condition.

# TRACKER 220 SOFTWARE

All configuration parameters can be password protected and are preserved in the event of a power failure. The following software functions are available to the user:

Maths Functions Models 223 and 224 only Input Type Status Input Set-up x 2 Linearisation Type Alarm Set-up x 4 Internal or External CIC Transducer Supply Set-up Averaging Time Period Sensor Break Detection User Linearisation Analogue Output Set-up Analogue Output Scaling Display Resolution Password Set-up Display Filter Time Constant Analogue Output Damping Function Button Set-up x 2 Scaling and Calibration Serial Comms Set-up Relay Set-up (222/224 only)

#### **Advanced Maths**

All models have the following maths functions available to the user:

Maximum and Minimum (Peak/Valley) Memory

Signal Averaging

Square Root

5/2 Root

3/2 Root

Tare (Weighing Applications)

Auto Zero

S.G. Correction (Specific Gravity)

The Auto Zero function is particularly useful for correcting sensor zero offset errors in a system.

#### Software Alarms

There are four software alarms as standard on the Tracker 220 series indicators. A separate alarm menu is provided for each alarm allowing for independent operation.

The software allows the user to configure the following parameters for each alarm:

Type (High, Low or Deviation)

Setpoint Value

Deviation High and Low

On and Off Delay Time  $\,$ 

On and Off Hysteresis Value

Output (None, Relay 1 or 2 or both)

 $Latching \ or \ Non\text{-}Latching$ 

Alarm Display Message On or Off

Front Panel Setpoint Edit On/Off (Alarms 1 and 2)

Link Setpoint On or Off (Alarms 3 and 4)

The set-up link function allows multiple alarms to track one adjustable setpoint value.

All setpoint values can be password protected or Setpoints  $1\ \mathrm{and}\ 2$  can be edited by an operator. The display can be set to flash a message when an alarm is active.

#### Alarm Relay Control

Models 222 and 224 are each fitted with two alarm relays which can be activated by any of the four software alarms. In addition the AND function allows a relay to be set only when two or more software alarms are active. Relays can be configured to be energised or de-energised (fail safe) in the alarm condition.

#### **Digital Status Inputs**

Tracker models 223 and 224 are fitted with two digital inputs which can be activated by external volt-free contacts. These can be programmed individually by the user to perform one or more of the following functions:

Tare

Auto Zero

Display Hold

Display Maximum

Display Minimum

Display Average

Reset Maximum, Minimum and Average

Alarm Disable

Alarm Acknowledge

Analogue Output Hold

Keyboard Lock

Display Test

#### **Function Buttons**

The two buttons marked and on the front panel of all models can be user-programmed to give operator level access to one or more of the following functions:

Tare

Auto Zero

Display Hold

Display Maximum

Display Minimum

Display Average

Reset Maximum, Minimum and Average

Display Test

#### Display

The software allows the user to configure the display. The decimal point position can be set to the required measurement resolution or switched to automatic (auto-ranging) mode. A filter is available to damp fast-moving signals and leading zeros can be suppressed if required.

#### Password Protection

The instrument's configuration can be protected by the use of a user-definable password. In addition, editing of the alarm setpoints, alarm acknowledging and the resetting of the maximum, minimum or average value memory can be individually protected from an operator.

Display	TRACKER 220 SELECTION CHART								
Type: 14.2mm high brightness LED (red or green)	ELIED (CCC)						Accuracy includin		
Range: –19999 to 99999 (T223, T224)	THERMOCOUP		221		223			ypical @ 25°C	
–1999 to 9999 (T221, T222)	Type J Fe/NiCu	−210 to 1200°C	√	√	V	√	± 0.5°C	± 0.2°C	
Update Rate: 2 per second	Type K NiCh/NiAl	−270 to 1372°C	√	√	√	√	± 0.5°C	± 0.2°C	
A/D Converter	Type T Cu/CuNi	−270 to 400°C				√	± 0.5°C	± 0.2°C	
Dual slope integrating with auto zero	Type B Pt30%/6%Rh					$\sqrt{}$	± 1.5°C	± 0.8°C	
Conversion rate: 10 per second	Type E NiCh/CuNi	−270 to 1000°C				√	± 0.5°C	± 0.3°C	
Resolution: 16 bit + sign (1μV)	Type N Nicrosil-Nisil	−200 to 1300°C	√	√	√	√	± 0.5°C	± 0.3°C	
Common mode Rejection: >150dB	Type R Pt13%Rh Pt	2–50 to 1767°C	V	V	V	V	± 1.0°C	± 0.6°C	
Series mode Rejection: >70dB (50 or 60Hz)		Pt -50 to 1767°C	√	√	√	√	± 1.0°C	± 0.6°C	
Voltage Inputs	Type U Cu/CuNi	−200 to 400°C	V	V	V	V	± 0.7°C	± 0.4°C	
Ranges: ± 100mV, ± 10V	Type L Fe/Con	−200 to 900°C	√	√	√	√	± 0.7°C	± 0.4°C	
Accuracy: 0.05% of reading ± 20μV (typically 0.02%)	Type G W/W26%Rh		· √	√	√ V	· √	± 1.0°C	± 0.4°C	
Resolution: 1μV (100mV range), 100μV (10V range)	Type D W3%/26%Rh					<b>√</b>	± 1.0°C	± 0.4°C	
Input Impedance (Ohms): >100M (mV i/p) >1M (V i/p)	Type C W5%/26%Rl-					<b>√</b>	± 1.0°C	± 0.4°C	
Current Input	Ni/Ni 18% Moly	0 to 1370°C					± 1.0°C	± 0.4°C	
Range: ± 20mA									
Accuracy: 0.05% of reading ± 4μA (Typically 0.02%)	Platinel II	0 to 1370°C					± 1.0°C	± 0.4°C	
Resolution: 2.0μA	Palaplat	0 to 240°C	√	√	√	√	± 1.0°C	± 0.4°C	
Input Impedance: 5 Ohms typical	DECLOSE ANOT SE	HED) (O) (EEE	n c						
Maximum Burden: 100mV	RESISTANCE T								
Reference Junction Compensation (CJC)	Pt100 (alpha=385)	−200 to 850°C	√	V	V	√	± 0.5°C	± 0.2°C	
Accuracy: better than ± 0.5°C after 30 minutes	Pt100 (alpha=392)	−100 to 457°C					± 0.5°C	± 0.2°C	
Resistance/RTD Inputs	Pt130	−200 to 500°C	V	V	V	V	± 0.5°C	± 0.2°C	
Configuration: 2, 3 or 4 wire programmable.	Ni 100	−60 to 250°C	√	√	√	√	± 0.5°C	± 0.2°C	
Excitation Current: 0.25mA typical									
Range: 0–400 Ohms (0-4K Ohms using 10V input)	DC INPUT TYP	ES							
Accuracy: 0.4 Ohms (typically 0.2 Ohms)	± 20mA		V	V	V	V	± 0.05%	± 0.02%	
Resolution: 0.01 Ohms	± 100mV		√	√	√	√	± 0.05%	± 0.02%	
Thermosensor Break Detection	± 10V		V	V	V	V	± 0.05%	± 0.02%	
Programmable: Up or down scale						<u> </u>			
Transmitter/Transducer Supplies	_ RESISTANCE 0-400	Ohme				$\sqrt{}$	± 0.4Ω	± 0.2Ω	
All supplies isolated: 500 Vdc/peak ac	0_4000 Ohms using 10						± 0.5%	± 0.3%	
24V Transmitter supply – All models		v mput	V	V	V	V	± 0.3 /0	± 0.5 /6	
Nominally 24V @ 32mA maximum	DIODI AV DICITO		4				0.1 : 0.1		
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	DISPLAY DIGITS		4	4	5	5	Ordering Code		
10V Regulated Transducer Supply – T221, T222	°C, °F or KELVIN		√	√	√	√			
10 volts ± 0.1V @ 30mA maximum	USER LINEARISAT	ION	√	√	√	V			
0–12V Regulated Transducer Supply – T223, T224	DISPLAY FILTER		√	V	V	√	Model Number	Power Displa	
Resolution: 0.01V	MATHS FUNCTION		V		V		Wiodel Nullibel	Tower Displa	
Accuracy: ± 0.05V (Typically 0.02V)	MAX, MIN and AVE	$\sqrt{}$				Power			
Temperature Drift: <100ppm/°C	INTERNAL OR EXT	V	√	√			ac 50 or 60Hz		
Output Ripple: <5mV	2 x FUNCTION BUT	√	√	√	√	10VA (40n	nA @240V)		
Output Current: 35mA maximum	4 x SOFTWARE ALA	ARMS	V	V	V		2 12 to 32V a		
Analogue Output - T223, T224	24V TRANSMITTER		√	√	√	√			
Isolation: 500 Vdc/peak ac	10V TRANSDUCER		√	√		•	Display Colour		
Ranges: User selectable 0–10V, 0–20mA or 4–20mA	0–12V TRANSDUCE		•	•	√	<b>√</b>	R Red		
Accuracy: 0.2% of Span (typically 0.1%)	RS422/485 SERIAL I		V	V		<b>√</b>	G Green		
Temperature drift: <100ppm/°C			V	V			T 1 222 1	D	
Output Ripple: <10mV	DIGITAL STATUS I			,	٧	√ 	Example: 223–1		
Response: 63% within 32ms, 99% within 100ms	TWO ALARM RELA			V		√ 	Tracker 22		
Resolution: 0.05% of Span (5mV or 0.01mA)	ANALOGUE OUTPU	UT			V	√	powered w	ith red display.	
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Maximum Voltage Output: 11V @ 22mA	Serial Communications				Physical/Mechanical				
Maximum Current Output: 22mA @ 18V	Type: RS422/485 2 or 4 wire multidrop				Front Panel: Protection to IP65 (NEMA4)				
Load: 0-900 Ohms (mA)	Speed: 1200, 2400, 4800 or 9600 baud				Dimensions: 48mm (H) x 96mm (W) x 173mm (D)				
Programmable damping filter	Parity: Odd, even or none					Panel Cutout: 44mm (H) x 92mm (W)			
	Stop Bits: 1 or 2				Depth Behind Panel: 166mm including terminals				
Alarm Relay Outputs – T222, T224	Protocol: MODBUS™ (RTU or ASCII), J-BUS and DTPI				Weight: 0.4kg maximum. Packed weight 0.55kg.				
Alarm Relay Outputs – T222, T224 Relays: 2 x Change over contacts – 1 Amp @ 250VAC									
Relays: 2 x Change over contacts – 1 Amp @ 250VAC – 5 Amp @ 30VDC	Isolation: 500 Vdc/peak ac								
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Relays: 2 x Change over contacts – 1 Amp @ 250VAC – 5 Amp @ 30VDC	Isolation: 500 Vdc/peak ac						ental 10–50°C operating, –1	0 to 70°C storage.	
Relays: 2 x Change over contacts – 1 Amp @ 250VAC – 5 Amp @ 30VDC  Safety and EMC Certifications	Isolation: 500 Vdc/peak ac				Temp	erature:			

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