

# ***Dual-Channel H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> Monitor***

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## SPECIFICATIONS

<b>Range:</b>	0-2000 PPM Hydrogen Peroxide on Channel 1 0-100 PPM Hydrogen Peroxide on Channel 2
<b>Display:</b>	Backlit graphics liquid crystal display
<b>Accuracy:</b>	Sensor dependent but generally $\pm 5\%$ of value (limited by cal. gas)
<b>Sensitivity:</b>	$\frac{1}{2}\%$ of operating range.
<b>Repeatability:</b>	$\pm 20$ PPM on 0-2000 range. $\pm 1$ PPM on 0-100 range.
<b>Outputs:</b>	Two RS-232/485 outputs for stored gas values Two 4-20 mA DC, 500 ohms max. load
<b>Memory:</b>	15,000 data points per measuring channel
<b>Storage Interval:</b>	Programmable: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 10, 12, 15, 20, 30 and 60 minute intervals
<b>Typical Capacity:</b>	11 Days at 1-minute storage interval.
<b>Alarms:</b>	Three adjustable level alarms and one trouble alarm per channel. Level alarm type may be high, low, or disabled (None). 3 SPST alarm relays per channel (one relay used internally)
<b>Power:</b>	120 or 220 VAC, 50/60 Hz, 15 W Max.
<b>Operating Temp.:</b>	-5° to +45° C
<b>Humidity:</b>	0-95% Non-condensing
<b>Enclosure:</b>	Nema 4X (IP-65), ABS with polycarbonate cover
<b>Shipping Weight:</b>	10 lbs. (4.5 Kg.)

## INTRODUCTION

The Dual Peroxide Monitor is a specially designed 2-channel system for monitoring the sterilization cycles in glove boxes, isolators, or other chambers using hydrogen peroxide for sterilization. The instrument is designed to pull samples from an enclosed space and deliver the samples to two separate measuring cells, one designed for high concentration H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> and the other designed for low concentration H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>.

The system draws sample through Teflon lined tubing using an internal two-headed sample pump. A common sample inlet port is provided, but an integral solenoid valve controls sample delivery to the low-concentration sensor. The solenoid valve is controlled by the high-concentration monitor to avoid saturation of the low-concentration sensor. The solenoid is activated when the measured value on the high concentration sensor reaches about 50 PPM and will reset at about 48 PPM. When the solenoid switches, ambient air is drawn into the low-concentration unit to insure that it is ready to operate when peroxide levels fall back to safe levels.

The high-concentration measuring channel can measure to a maximum of 2000 PPM. However, it is possible to set the data-logging and mA output range to a smaller full-scale value. As shipped from the factory, the high-concentration channel will be programmed for a logging range of 0-1000 PPM. With this adjustment, the display will indicate peroxide values up to 2000 PPM, but the internal data logger will not log values above 1000 PPM. This is done to improve data-logger resolution when the instrument is measuring at lower levels.

The low-concentration channel has a maximum measuring value of 100 PPM, but is set for a logging range of 0-20.0 PPM as the default. As with the high-concentration channel, the low-concentration channel can be programmed for any full-scale logging range within the limits of the sensor.

Each channel has 3 level alarms. By default, these alarms are disable as shipped from ATI (except for the high range Warning alarm). The alarms can be activated by following the procedures in Alarm Menus, Methods, and Settings on page 26.

External power is required to operate the monitor. Units are factory adjusted for operation on either 120 VAC or 220 VAC. A power cord is shipped on all units delivered within the U.S. or Canada, otherwise, no power cord is supplied.

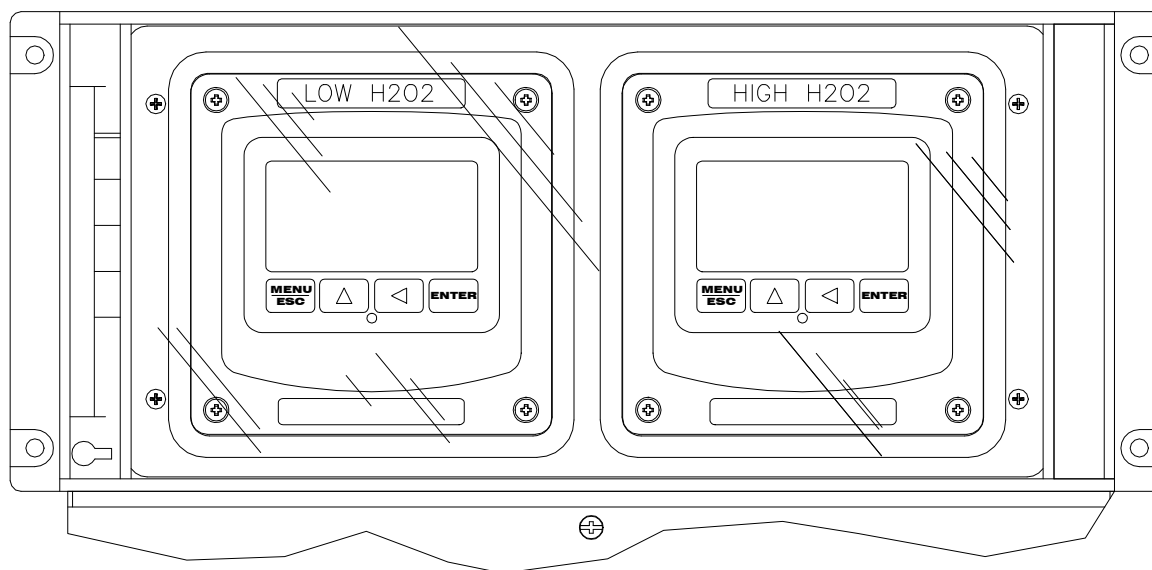
The sensor module's electrochemical cell requires a period of time for bias stabilization. Readings are normally high when power is first applied, and after a sensor replacement. If the sensor has been unpowered for a few days, you should allow a minimum of 1 hour. If the sensor is subsequently used every day, and not removed, they will normally stabilize within 15 minutes. The monitor must have power applied for proper sensor stabilization. The sample pump will usually remain off during this time because of the high reading.

## UNPACKING

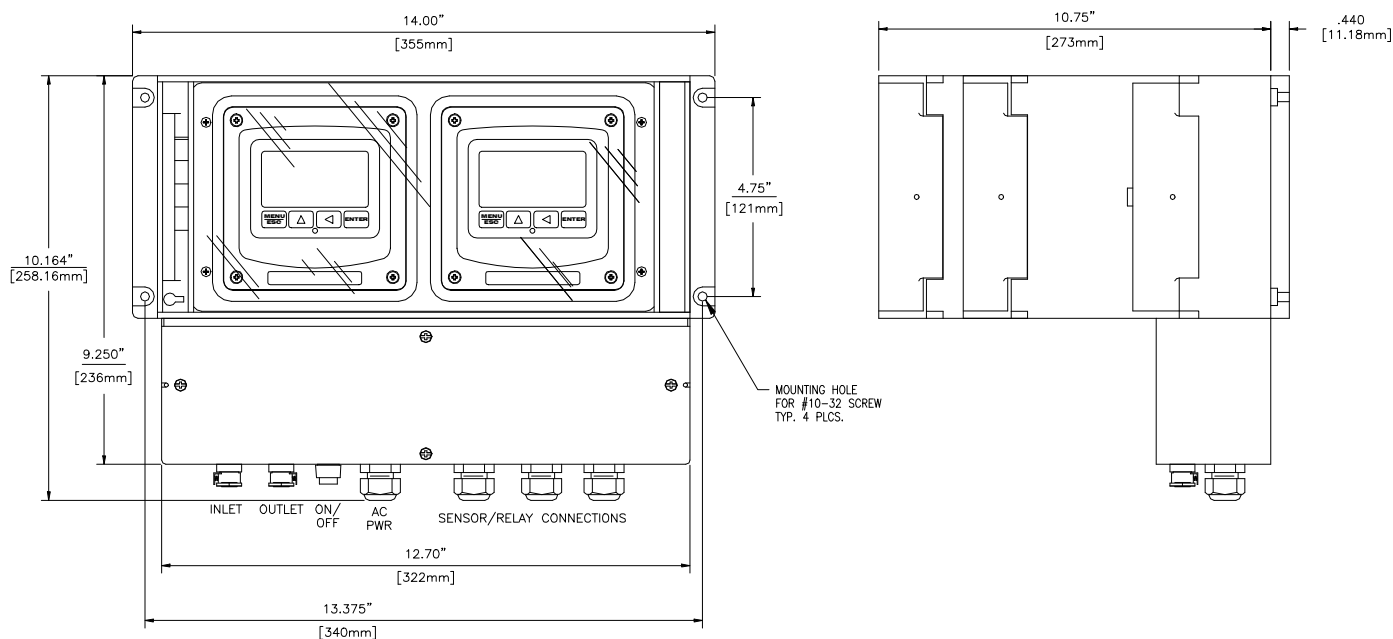
Upon receipt, inspect the contents for any damage caused by handling. The package will contain the following items.

- 1 – Two Channel Hydrogen Peroxide Monitor
- 1 – Hydrogen Peroxide Sensor, 10/100 PPM (mounted inside unit)
- 1 – Hydrogen Peroxide Sensor, 200/2000 PPM (mounted inside unit)
- 1 – 25 ft. (7 m.) length of 1/8" ID Teflon-lined inlet tubing.
- 1 – 25 ft. (7 m.) length of 1/8" ID PVC vent tubing.
- 2 – Quick-disconnect fittings for inlet and outlet tubing connection.
- 1 – Flowmeter
- 2 – Spare fuse
- 2 – RS-232 cable assemblies

Sensors are mounted inside the measuring chambers for each channel. Spare sensors and additional items are packaged into a separate parts bag.



**Figure 1 - Front Panel Overview**

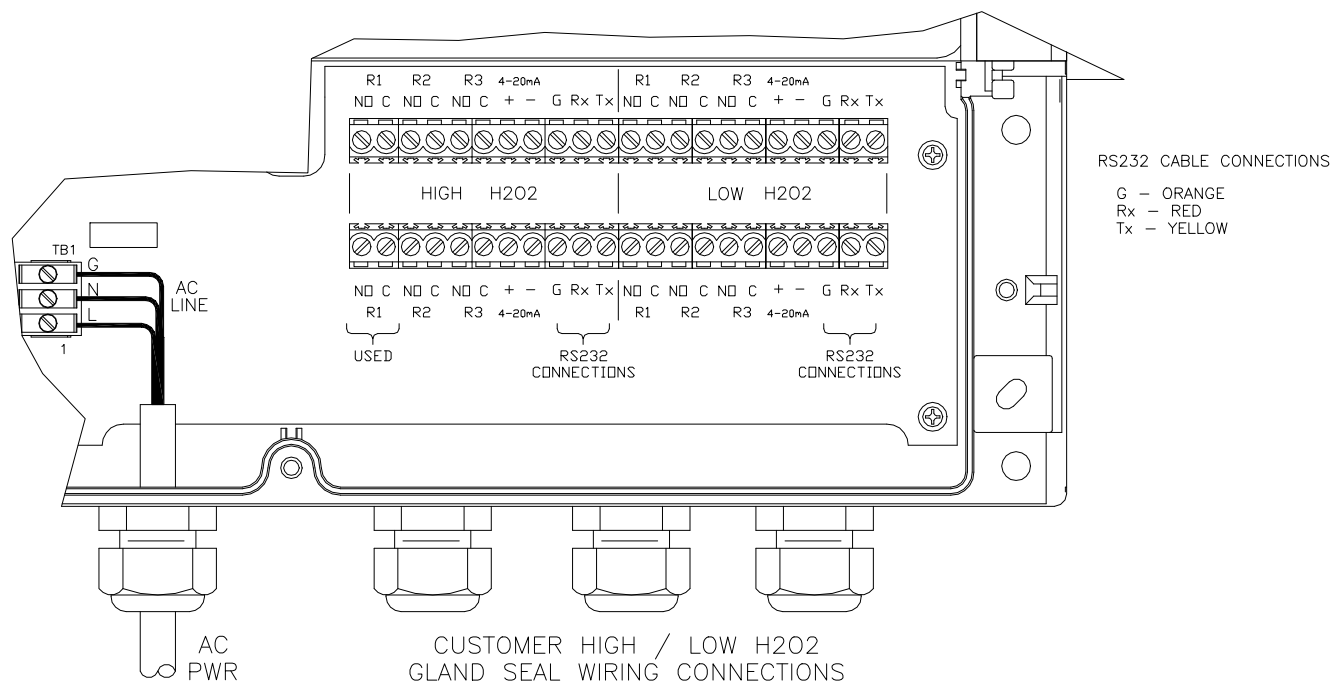


**Figure 2 - Overall Dimensional Drawing**



## ELECTRICAL CONNECTIONS

The monitor features a high range and low range transmitter “channel”. Each channel exposes connections to an RS232/485 port, a 4-20mA output, and 3 SPST relays.. Relay 1 on the high range channel is connected internally to a pump controlling air flow to the low range sensor, and its exposed terminals may be used to monitor the status of that relay. The monitor requires a single A/C line power connection, as shown below.



**Figure 3 - Electrical Connections**

## OPERATION

### Considerations for the Dual-Channel H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> Monitor

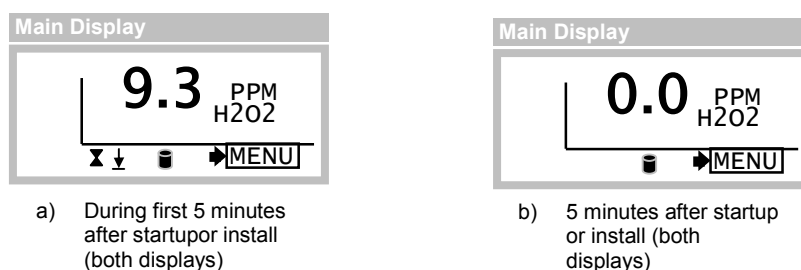
The Peroxide Monitor is shipped completely assembled and ready to use. Sensors are factory calibrated and require time to stabilize after power is connected. Simply mount the instrument on a wall or other vertical surface and plug it in. A/C line power is required as shown on page 8 of this manual.

#### NOTICE

1. The INLET and OUTLET ports must not be blocked or obstructed.
2. The low range sensor must be installed in the lower holder connected to the solenoid valve. Failure to do so may result in damage to the low range sensor due to over exposure to high levels of hydrogen peroxide.

When power is first applied, the transmitter will sequence the Transmitter Review and Sensor Review as shown starting on page 18, and eventually present the Main Display as shown below.

For the first 5 minutes after startup, or after installing a sensor, alarms (and their assigned relays) are inhibited and the current loop outputs are held at 4.0mA, as indicated on the display shown below in Figure 4a. During this period, the readings are likely to be high, but falling steadily to zero. The low range reading normally takes longer to completely stabilize. After 5 minutes, the power-on-inhibit and current-loop-fixed indicators disappear from the display, as shown below in Figure 4b.



**Figure 4 - Main Channel Display(s)**

To begin using the monitor, after sensors are stable, connect inlet and vent tubing as required. The inlet tubing must be inserted into the isolation chamber that is to contain the peroxide. The outlet vent tube can be either inserted into the isolator or vented to another safe location. Once the tubing is connected, activate the pump using the on/off switch next to the inlet connection on the bottom.

### Sensor Module Exchange

The Hydrogen Peroxide Monitor uses the H10 Series smart sensors. These sensors are interchangeable and allow users to exchange sensors quickly and easily. This allows spare sensors to be used when the primary sensors removed for span calibration (field span calibration is frequently difficult, or even impossible). Sensors may be exchanged with power applied.

Exchanging one sensor module for another is a simple procedure. Release the hinge for the center section of the box on the left side (do not open the right side) by sliding a small screwdriver blade into the slot and using it as a lever to pop the hinge. Release the catch and swing the center section

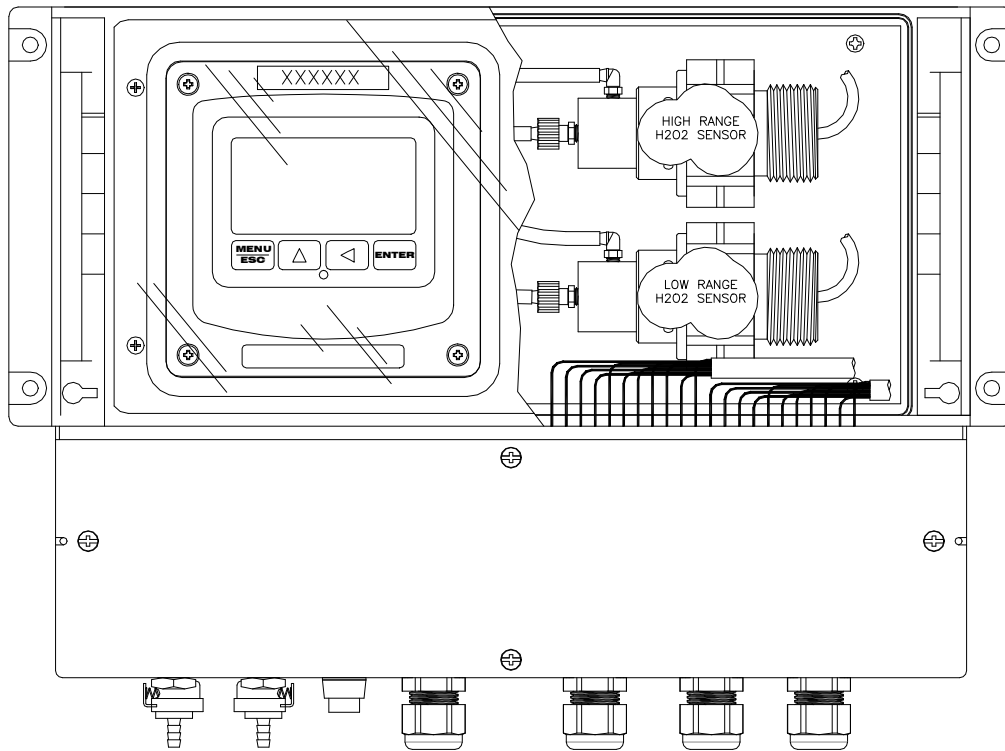
open to the right. Inside, you will see two sensor holders with flowcells and tubing attached, each entirely held in place by a large plastic clip attached to the bottom panel.

Remove the flowcell by twisting slightly and sliding it out of the sensor holder. It is held in place by an internal o-ring. If necessary, release the plastic clip to allow the assembly to move more freely. Unscrew the cap on the bottom of the sensor holder and gently pull the sensor out of the holder. Install the new sensor by rotating it as necessary to align the sensor guide pin, then push it onto the connector seated at the base of the holder. Replace the cap and gently work the flowcell back in the opening. Press the entire assembly back into the plastic clip.

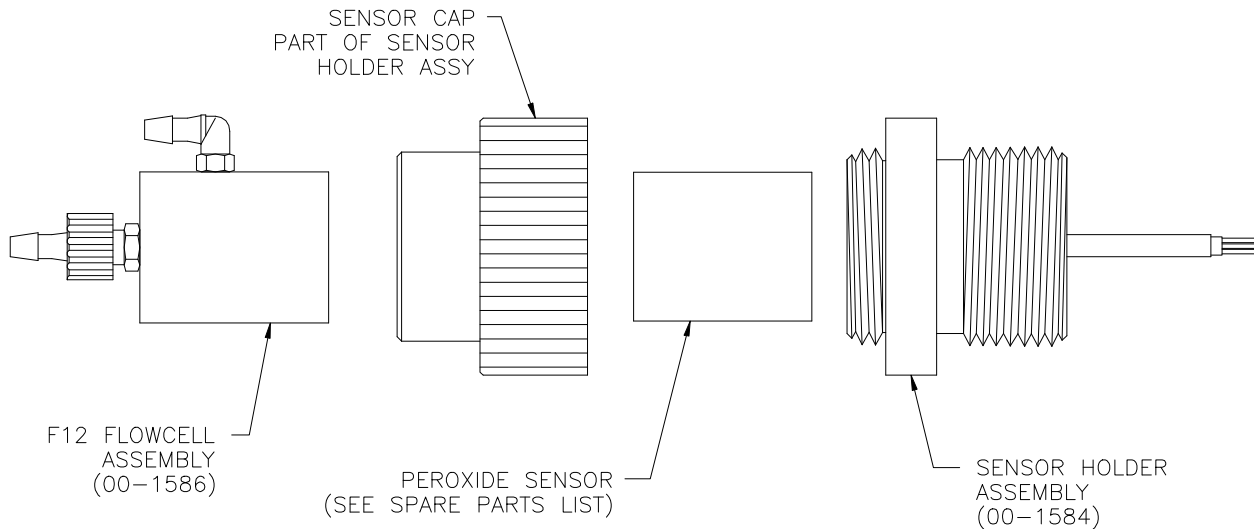
If power is on when the sensor is removed, the transmitter will display "Sensor Removed", along with a digital timer that counts down from 01:00 (1 minute). This is normally enough time to install a new sensor, but if not, you may repeatedly select "Reset" to restart the period at 05:00 (5 minutes). When a sensor is reinstalled, the transmitter will sequence the Sensor Review as shown on page 19.

**NOTICE**

**The low range sensor must be installed in the lower holder connected to the solenoid valve. Failure to do so may result in damage to the low range sensor due to over exposure to high levels of hydrogen peroxide.**



**Figure 5 - Sensor Module Location**



**Figure 6 - Sensor Holder Exploded View**

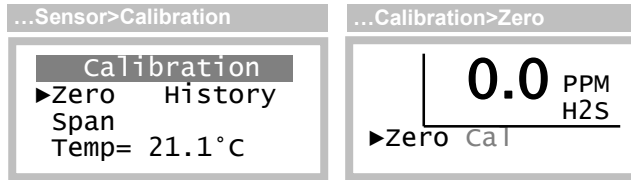
### **Calibration**

Calibration of the Dual Channel System is recommended approx. every 6 months in normal use. If the unit is used very infrequently, yearly calibration should be sufficient. Checking the zero every few months is recommended.

Zero and span calibration data is stored in the sensor, and is independent of the transmitter being used. The sensor may be span calibrated remotely and later returned to the unit. More often, the H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> sensor is returned to ATI Service for span calibration on specialized gas equipment that might be unavailable to most users. Because stable gas standards for many gases are not readily available or are very expensive, the factory calibration service can be more economical in the long run. Contact ATI or your ATI representative for details on factory calibration service for sensor modules.

### Zero Calibration Procedure

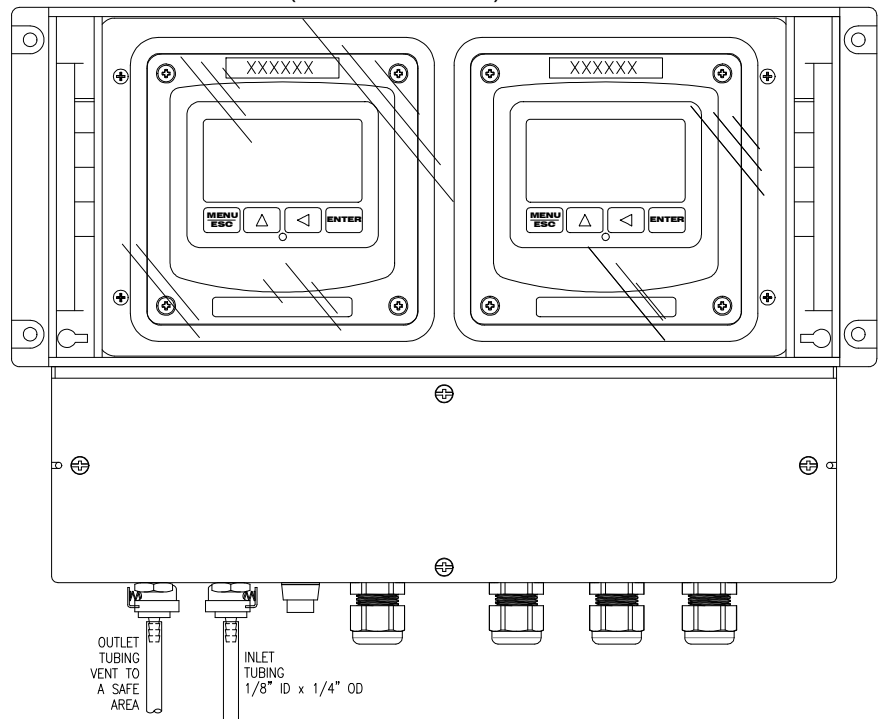
To zero the sensor, verify there is no H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> present and turn on the internal pump. From the Main Display, select Menu, then Zero. This will clear and inhibit alarms at the transmitter, and hold the current loop output at 4mA.



**Figure 7 - Zero Sensor Page**

After approximately four minutes, select Zero. The “Cal” message will appear briefly at the bottom of the page and the reading will be forced to 0, 0.0, or 0.00. Since the reading is not blanked, it may show a negative sign, like “-0.0”, which is normal.

Press the Escape key twice to leave the Zero page and return to the Main page. By default, alarms will remain inhibited, and the current loop fixed for 15 more minutes (the default value).



**Figure 8 - Flow Schematic using Zero Air**

**Solenoid Flow Control**

The Peroxide Monitor contains an internal solenoid valve designed to protect the low-concentration sensor from over-exposure to peroxide. The solenoid is controlled by an output from the high-concentration monitor. When the high-concentration channel reaches 50 PPM, the solenoid valve is energized. When energized, sample gas flow to the low-concentration sensor is stopped and ambient air from inside the box is drawn into this sensor. The end result is that sample gas is only allowed to flow to the low-concentration sensor when the value is below 50 PPM.

The concentration at which this switching occurs is controlled by the warning set level in the high concentration monitor. It can be programmed to other values as described later in this manual. Normally, this should be left at 50, but can be changed if desired.

**Display Resolution**

Channel displays indicate gas concentration with a resolution that depends upon the range of the unit. Full scale ranges of 0-49.9 or below will provide resolution of 0.1. Ranges from 0-50 up to 0-2000 will provide resolution of 1 PPM.

**Response Time**

The upscale response time of the hydrogen peroxide sensors is generally about 40 seconds to 66% of final value and 120 seconds to 90% of final value. The downscale response time varies significantly with the duration and concentration of the exposure. A typical high-concentration sensor will recover to 20 PPM after a 1-hour exposure to 1000 PPM in about 10 minutes. A low-concentration sensor will recover to 1 PPM after a 1-hour exposure to 50 PPM in about 10 minutes.

**Response Check**

Prior to using the peroxide monitoring system, it is useful to perform a quick test to verify that both sensors are operating. To do this, you will need an 8-oz. bottle containing about 25 cc. of 37% hydrogen peroxide. The peroxide is available through laboratory supply houses such as Fisher Scientific.

**CAUTION:**

**Hydrogen peroxide at 37% is an extremely strong oxidizer and must be handled with great care. Follow all safety recommendations provided by the supplier when using this material. Do not use unless you fully understand the hazards and the proper first aid requirements if exposure occurs.**

Connect a piece of 1/8" I.D. tubing to the inlet fitting on the bottom of the monitor. Open the bottle containing the peroxide and insert the other end of the tube about 1" into the bottle so that vapors inside the bottle are drawn into the tube. **DO NOT ALLOW LIQUID PEROXIDE TO ENTER THE TUBE OR SERIOUS DAMAGE MAY RESULT.** Observe the two channel displays. Both displays should show a rapid increase in peroxide values (the low concentration sensor will be faster). When the concentration exceeds about 50 PPM on the high-concentration display, the solenoid isolating the low-concentration sensor will trigger, causing that display to begin to fall back toward zero. When this test works correctly, the system is ready for use.

**Interferences**

Hydrogen peroxide gas sensors respond to certain gases or vapors that might also be present in an area being monitored. Refer to the table below for data on the response to other gases. The table indicates equivalent peroxide readings when exposed to 1 PPM of interference.

		H <sub>2</sub> O <sub>2</sub>
I N T E R F E R E N C E	NH <sub>3</sub>	N
	CO	0.005
	H <sub>2</sub>	0.01
	NO	1.5
	O <sub>2</sub>	*
	Cl <sub>2</sub>	N
	O <sub>3</sub>	N
	HCl	0.1
	HCN	0.1
	HF	N
	H <sub>2</sub> S	4
	NO <sub>2</sub>	0.2
	SO <sub>2</sub>	1
	Hydride	2
	SiH <sub>4</sub>	2
	CO <sub>2</sub>	N
	CH <sub>4</sub>	N
	CH <sub>3</sub> SH	1.3
	C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>2</sub>	0.1
	C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	N
	C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>6</sub> O	0.02

1. Sensors marked with an asterisk (\*) in the oxygen columns are 3 electrode sensors that require a minimum of 5% oxygen to operate properly. Hydrogen sensors require oxygen levels at least two times the maximum percent hydrogen value to be measured.
2. Data presented in this table represent exposure of gas sensors to low PPM levels of the interfering gas. Very high concentrations of any interfering gas may cause either short term or long term response from a sensor.

### **Level Alarm Functions**

Each monitor channel features three adjustable level alarms with visual indicators and relay contacts. They are designated as:

Caution ...normally the low alarm to indicate sensor negative drift

Warning ...normally the high alarm

Alarm ...normally the high-high alarm

The Peroxide Monitor is normally used for continuous measurement, rather than for alarming on gas leaks. The alarms are disabled, except for the high range Warning alarm, which is used as the low range sensor's pump control. Disabled alarms may be enabled by following the instructions in Alarm Menus, Methods, and Settings on page 26.

When alarms are enabled, the gas reading is continuously compared to the alarm level. When the reading reaches the alarm level, a corresponding indicator on the front panel will appear (see Main Display on page 20) and the associated relay will activate. There is no audible alarm in the unit. If external alarm devices are connected to the relays, these devices will also activate. See Relay Operation, Menus, and Settings on page 45 for details about assigning relays to alarms.

### **RS-232 Computer Interface**

Each channel in the monitor is equipped with an on-board data logger, which can be used to store gas concentration readings over time and transfer the data to a PC. See Data-log Menus, Methods, and Settings on page 34 for details on the data logger function. Two RS-232/485 connections are also exposed at terminals inside the monitor. Cables are supplied for connection to the digital outputs

### **Analog Outputs**

One 4-20 mA output is provided for each channel. An output of 4 mA represents a gas reading of 0 PPM, and an output of 20mA represents a full scale reading, which is automatically configured by the sensor 'Range' setting (upper range value). The Range setting is user adjustable within the upper range limits of the sensor (see Sensor Range Menu on page 25). By default, the low range channel 20mA output is equivalent to a gas level of 20 PPM, and the high range 20mA output is equivalent to 1000 PPM.

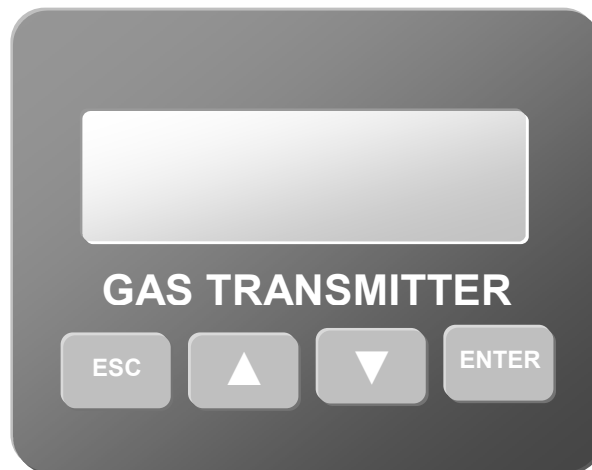
### **Startup**

When the monitor starts, each display sequences a series of pages to review the configuration of the transmitter and sensor. During this time, alarms are normally inhibited, and the analog outputs are held at 4.0 mA. This state is maintained for 5 minutes to provide time for the sensor readings to stabilize. If the trouble alarm is active, the analog output drops to 3.6mA (default value) and remains there indefinitely.



**Operator Interface Panel**

The F12/D operator interface is non-intrusive, so you do not have to remove the housing cover to view the display, configure the transmitter, or calibrate the sensor. It features a backlit, transfective 96x32 dot LCD display and four panel keys.



*Figure 9. Operator interface panel*

### Menus and Settings

Items appearing on the display are usually text labels that identify the name of a menu or a setting. Menus are typically a single text label, like “Menu”, while settings are typically composed of a text label and a value field separated by an equal sign, like, “Range= 50.0”.

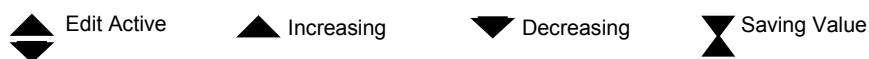
### Moving the Cursor and Selecting

The up (▲) and down (▼) keys are used to move the selection cursor (◆) between displayed items. The down key typically moves the cursor down, or to the right, while the up key moves the cursor up, or to the left. Pressing the **Enter** key when the cursor is pointing at a menu label (ie, is to the left of the label) causes the transmitter to display the new menu and position the cursor at the first item. Pressing the **ESC** key at any item on the selected menu causes the transmitter to return to the previous display.

### Editing Settings

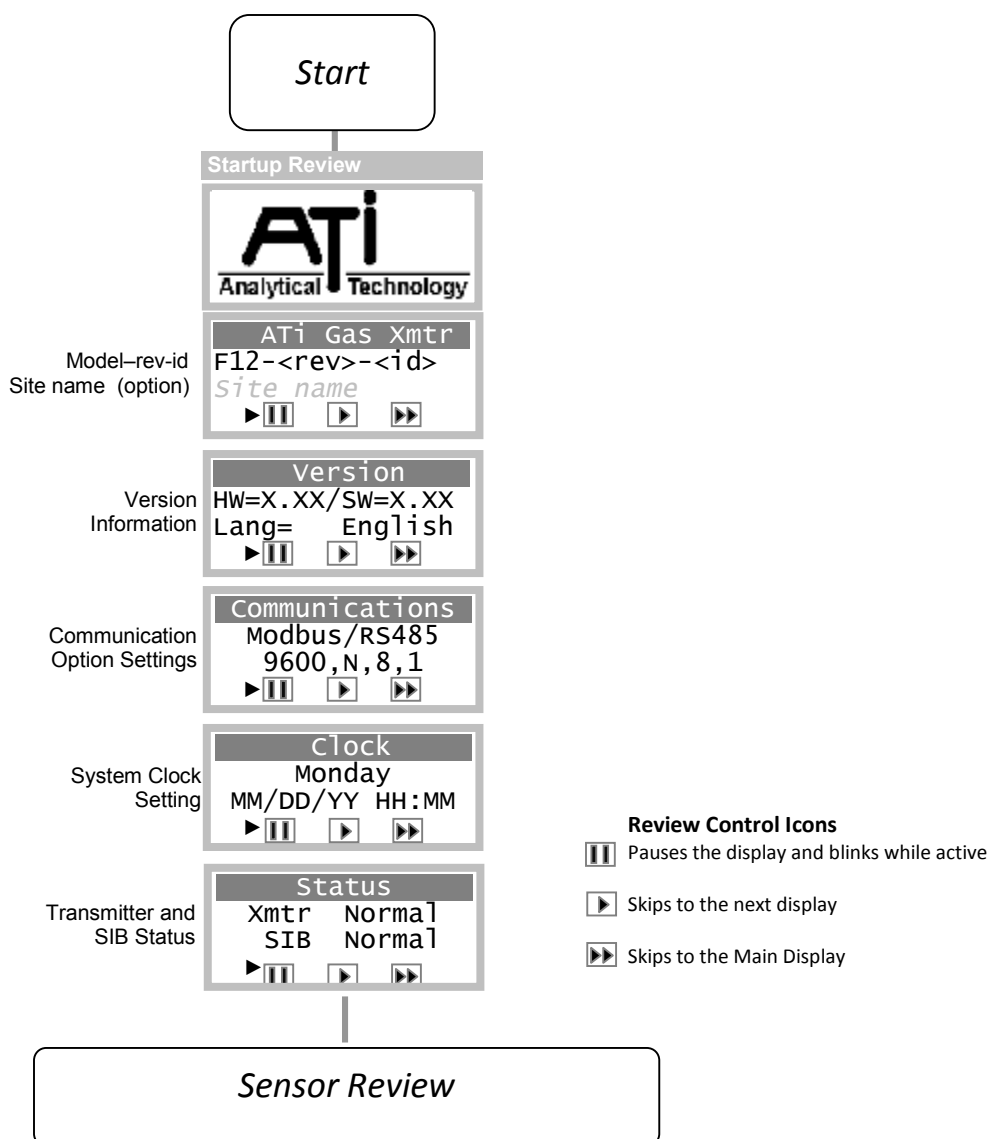
A setting is selected for editing by moving the cursor to the left of the label and pressing the **Enter** key, which causes the up-down edit cursor (◆) to appear in front of the value. Pressing the up key (▲) causes the value to increase or present the next list item, while pressing the down key (▼) causes the value to decrease or present the previous list item. Once the setting has been adjusted to the desired value, pressing the **Enter** key stores the new value and exits edit mode. Pressing the **ESC** key restores the original value and exits edit mode.

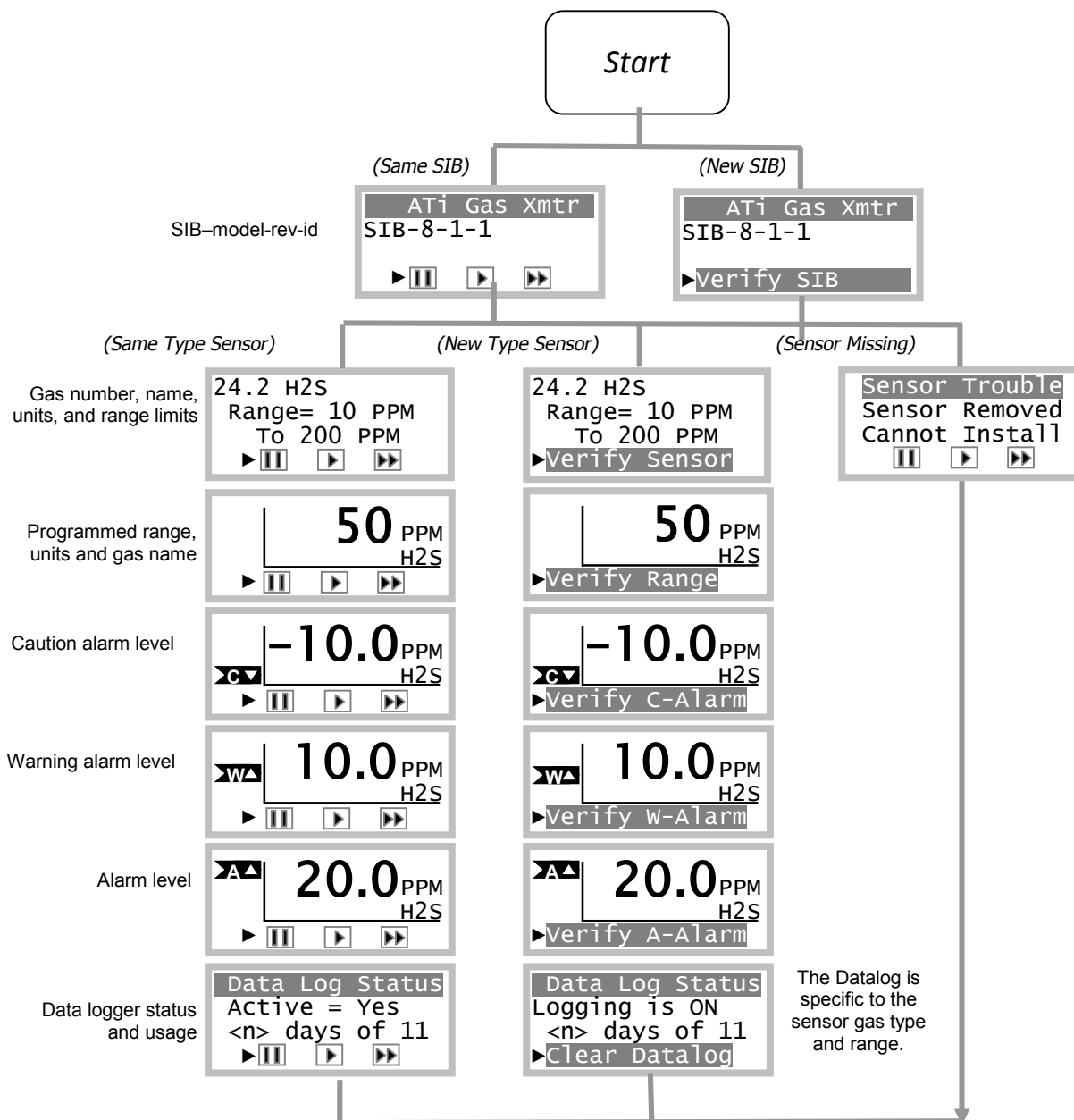
While editing, the edit cursor changes its shape to provide feedback on which key is activate.



1	◆Range = 50.0	Move the selection cursor in front of the setting's label, and swipe the <b>Enter</b> key.
2	Range◆50.0	The up-down edit cursor appears.
3	Range▲50.1	Pressing the ▲ key increases the value.
4	Range▼49.9	Pressing the ▼ key decreases the value.
5	RangeX100.0	Pressing the <b>Enter</b> key saves the new value and exits edit mode.
6	◆Range = 50.0	Pressing the <b>ESC</b> key restores the old value and exits edit mode.

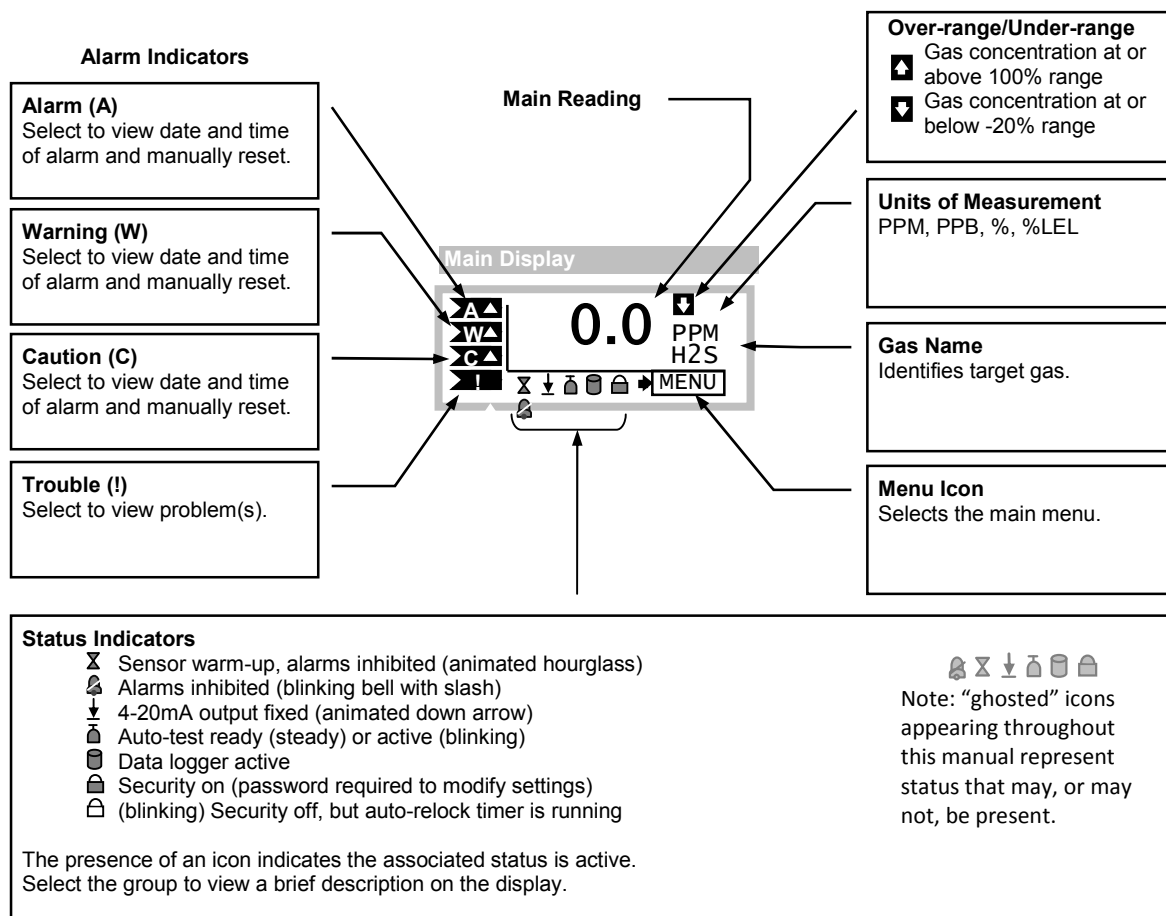
**Figure 10. Example Edit**

Transmitter Review**Figure 11 - Transmitter Review Menu**

**Sensor Review****Figure 12 - Sensor Review Menu**

## Main Display

The Main Display Page shows the name and concentration of the target gas, and units of measurement (PPM, PPB, %, etc). Indicators on the left and below show alarm and operating status.



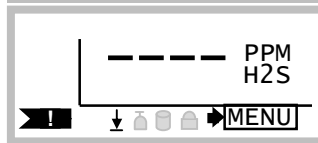
**Figure 13 - Main Display**

## Main Reading

The main reading represents the gas concentration value and appears on the Main Display, along with the gas name and units of concentration, and is reported on the 4-20mA output<sup>1,2</sup>. By default, it is blanked to suppress the display of negative values. That is, the reading is reported as zero if the concentration drifts below zero, which can occur over time as a result of sensor aging. If the concentration falls to -20% of the full-scale range, a trouble alarm is generated. Blanking is typically extended slightly above zero, as a means of stabilizing the reading in the presence of excessive external noise, or other environmental factors (see Sensor Settings Menu on pg 25). During zero and span calibration, the "un-blanked" gas concentration value is displayed, primarily to assess the amount of positive or negative drift.

<sup>1</sup> The 4-20mA may not match the reading when the ⬇️ status indicator is visible on the Main Display, or when the output is in a physical limit.

<sup>2</sup> Throughout this manual, "ghosted" status icons are used to indicate status that may be present or not present.

**Trouble Indication****Main Display**

The Trouble alarm is indicated by four dashes appearing on the Main Display, along with the (!) flag in the lower left corner, and the 4-20mA status icon indicating that the 4-20mA output is fixed (default = 3.6mA).

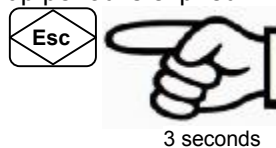
**Figure 14 - Main Display Trouble Indication**

**Timed Return to Main Display**

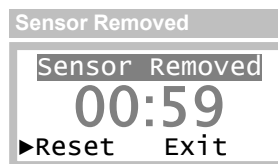
Menus and other pages used for configuring the transmitter and sensor return to the Main Display after 5 minutes of no key activity. Exceptions to this behavior include the zero and span calibration pages.

**Inhibiting Alarms from the Main Display**

Pressing the ESC key for 3 seconds, then releasing, toggles the alarm inhibit mode. If alarm inhibit was off, it is turned on for 15 minutes (default value). If alarm inhibit was on, it is turned off, and in addition, the sensor warm up period is expired immediately (see status indicators above).

**Pop-up Displays****Sensor Removed**

Removing the gas sensor causes the transmitter to “pop-up” the count-down timer display below. Alarms are inhibited and the current loop output is fixed at 4.0mA (17.4mA for Oxygen sensors). A trouble alarm will occur if a sensor is not installed before the timer expires. This 60 second period is usually long enough to reinstall the sensor, or install a replacement, but if more time is needed, the count may be extended to 5 minutes by selecting “Reset”. Selecting “Exit” forces expiration of the timer and exits to the Main Display, which will then indicate the Trouble alarm is active (see Figure 14 - Main Display Trouble Indication



**Figure 15 - Sensor Removed Display**

**Sensor Installed**

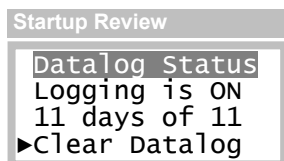
When a sensor is installed, the transmitter compares the type to the previously installed sensor. If they match, the previous sensor's settings are copied to the new sensor, if necessary<sup>3</sup>. The transmitter then starts the sensor review as shown in Figure 6.

<sup>3</sup> The transmitter sets the new sensor's range, blanking, damping, and alarms to match the previously installed sensor, which might cause confusion when transferring sensors from field transmitters to shop transmitters for calibration. During review, the shop transmitter will display the settings of the previously installed sensor, which might not match the field transmitter. Fortunately, this is not a real problem. The sensor may be calibrated as normal, and when it is eventually returned to the field, the field transmitter will restore its original settings. Always verify the settings of field transmitters.

When the types do not match, the review halts and waits for the operator to verify the new sensor's full-scale range, and alarm settings. After verifying the sensor, the transmitter copies the sensor settings to its local memory.

#### Sensor Install Effects on the Data Log

When the sensor is replaced with one of a different gas type (ie, a different part number), you are also prompted to clear the data log during review.



Once the sensor is installed, the transmitter executes a 5-minute (typical value) warm-up period, during which alarms are inhibited, the 4-20mA output is held at 4mA (17.4mA for Oxygen sensors), and Zero, Span and Auto-test are not permitted. Once the 5 minute warm up period is complete, the monitor is ready for use. No additional adjustments are needed.

**Figure 16 - Startup Review Menu**

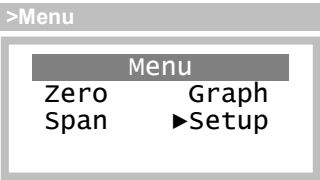
The monitor contains inlet and outlet gas ports on the bottom of the enclosure. Quick-connect plugs are supplied for connection of gas inlet and outlet tubing. Two 25 ft. lengths of Teflon-lined PVC tubing (1/8" I.D.) are supplied. For monitoring hydrogen peroxide levels inside an isolator, the inlet tubing must be connected into the isolator. The outlet tube can either be placed in the isolator so that gas is returned to the source, or it must connect to a safe vent.

**CAUTION:** Do not allow high concentrations of hydrogen peroxide vapor to vent into the ambient air where employees are present. Doing so can create an unsafe condition where H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> levels exceed those allowed under OSHA and/or other regulatory agency limits.

## Main Menu

### Main Menu

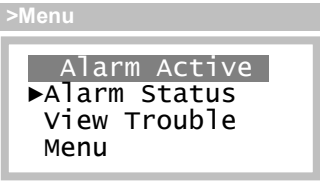
The main menu provides direct access to the sensor calibration methods, data logger graph, and transmitter settings.

	Item	Select to ...
	Zero	Calibrate the gas sensor zero reading (see Con page 11).
	Span	Calibrate the gas sensor sensitivity (see Con page 11)
	Graph	View the contents of the logged data as a graph (see Data Log Graph View on page 36).
	Setup	View and configure transmitter settings (below).

**Figure 17. Main Menu**

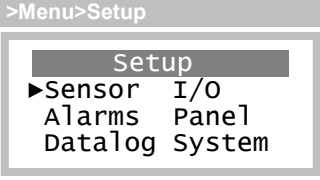
### Alarm Active Menu

When a gas or trouble alarm is active, the following menu appears in place of the main menu.

	Item	Select to ...
	Alarm Status	View the Alarm Status Menu and clear manual reset alarms. This item appears only if a gas alarm is active (see Figure 31. Alarm Status Menu on page 28).
	View Trouble	View the Trouble Status Display. This item appears only if the trouble alarm is active (see Figure 35. Trouble Status Display on pg 31).
	Menu	View the Main Menu (above).

**Figure 18. Alarm Active Menu**

### Setup Menu

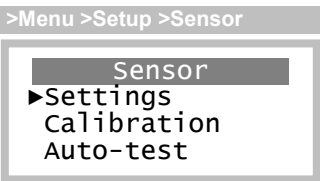
	Item	Select to ...
	Sensor	Configure sensor settings, auto-test, and calibration methods (see Sensor Menus, Methods, and Settings below).
	Alarms	Configure the three gas alarms (see Alarm Menus, Methods, and Settings on pg 26)
	Datalog	View the data log graph (see Data-log Menus, Methods, and Settings on pg 34).
	I/O	Configure the 4-20mA output, serial communications, and relay operation (see I/O Menus, Methods and Settings on pg 40).
	Panel	Configure the display contrast and backlighting, and panel security (see Panel Menus, Methods, and Settings on pg 48).
	System	Set the real-time-clock, site name, and view version information (see System Menu on pg 52).

**Figure 19. Setup Menu.**



## Sensor Menus, Methods, and Settings

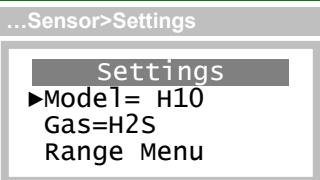
### Sensor Menu

	Item	Select to ...
	Settings	Configure the sensor range, damping, and blanking (see Sensor Settings, below).
	Calibration	Maintain the accuracy of the gas sensor (see Con page 11)
	Auto-test	Configure automatic gas sensor tests or perform manual tests (not available on this model).

**Figure 20. Sensor Menu.**

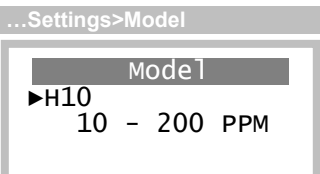
### Sensor Settings Menu

The transmitter accommodates a variety of sensors that automatically configure the transmitter with the gas name, range, units, and other settings, and contain calibration data to convert the sensor analog output to a gas concentration reading. Some of these settings can be changed by the transmitter and it is important to make sure they are configured properly for the site.

	Item	Description ...
	Model	Displays the model name. Select to view sensor specific settings or information about the installed sensor (below).
	Gas	Displays the name of the target gas (read only).
	Range Menu	Select to view and adjust the sensor's upper range, blanking, and damping settings (below)

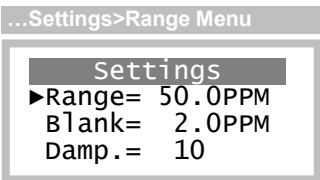
**Figure 21. Sensor Settings Menu**

### Sensor Model Menu

	Item	Description ...
	Line 1	Sensor model name (read only)
	Line 2	Sensor upper range limits (read only)

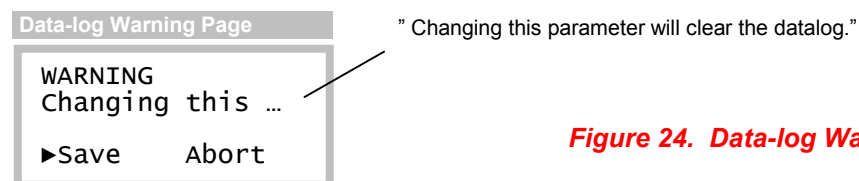
**Figure 22. Sensor Model Menu**

**Sensor Range Menu**

	Item	Select to ...							
	Range	Set the gas concentration value corresponding to the 20mA output value. Changing this value also changes the Blank (blanking) value, which is maintained as a fraction of the range. Setting limits vary among sensors. Changing this setting invalidates data stored in the data logger (see below), and may result in an Auto-test exception message (also below).							
	Blank (Blanking)	<p>Force the main reading to zero whenever the gas concentration is below this setting. The limits vary from sensor to sensor, but are typically 0 to 5% of Range. Note that the transmitter always reports negative readings as 0 (except on calibration displays), without regard to this setting.</p> <p>The setting is recomputed when the Range setting changes, so that the same fraction of range is maintained. Doubling, or halving the Range setting, doubles or halves the Blanking setting, respectively.</p>							
	Damp. (Damping)	<p>Helps to stabilize the gas sensor readings. It is a unit-less value from 1 to 100 that controls a s/w lag filter. The setting has an approximate effect on the T90<sup>4</sup> response time, as shown</p> <table><tr><th>Damping</th><th>T90 time</th></tr><tr><td>1</td><td>6 s</td></tr><tr><td>10</td><td>10 s</td></tr><tr><td>100</td><td>50 s</td></tr></table>	Damping	T90 time	1	6 s	10	10 s	100
Damping	T90 time								
1	6 s								
10	10 s								
100	50 s								

**Figure 23. Sensor Range Menu****Effect of the Range Setting on the Data Logger**

The data-logger records readings as a fraction of the sensor range. If data-logging is turned on (as indicated on the Main Display), changing the Range setting causes a warning message to appear prior to saving the value. Select "Save" to save the new Range setting, or "Abort" to leave it unchanged.

**Figure 24. Data-log Warning Message****Effect of Range on Auto-test**

Gas generators used for Auto-test may not be compatible on all sensor ranges. If the Auto-test Status is READY, scrolling to a higher Range may result in the following exception message, "Gas generator incompatible on sensor's range." To overcome this exception, change the Auto-test Status to OFF, then set the desired range.

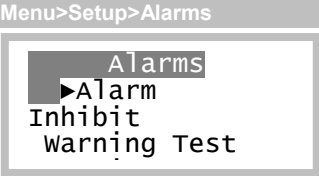
<sup>4</sup> T90 is the approximate time required for the transmitter to reach 90% of its final value after a step change. The values given in the table do not include gas flow time or the actual response time of the sensor.

## Alarm Menus, Methods, and Settings

The transmitter features three gas level alarms - Alarm, Warning, and Caution, and a Trouble alarm. Gas level alarms are automatically configured when a gas sensor is installed, and are retained between same type sensors.

### Alarms Menu

The Alarms Menu is the main entry point for configuring gas level alarms, and for inhibiting and testing configured alarms.

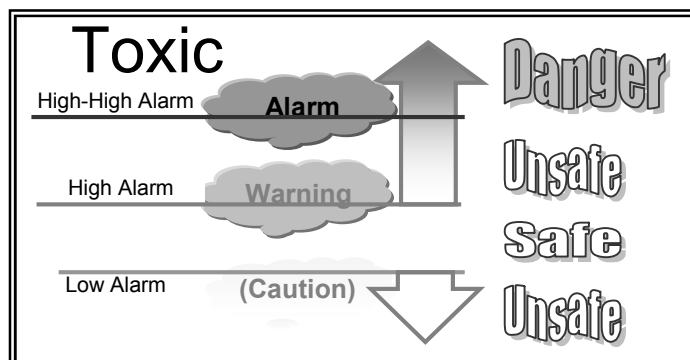
	<i>Item</i>	<i>Select to ...</i>
	Alarm	Configure the Alarm settings to indicate a dangerous condition (see Alarm Setting Menus on pg 29).
	warning	Configure the Warning settings to indicate an unsafe condition (see Alarm Setting Menus on pg 29).
	Caution	Configure the Caution settings (normally used to indicate excessive sensor drift - see Alarm Setting Menus on pg 29).
	Inhibit	Configure or activate the manual alarm inhibit period (see Alarm Inhibit on pg 32)
	Test	Test operation of the alarm indicators and relays (see Alarm Test Menu on pg 33)

**Figure 25. Alarms Menu**

### Gas Level Alarms

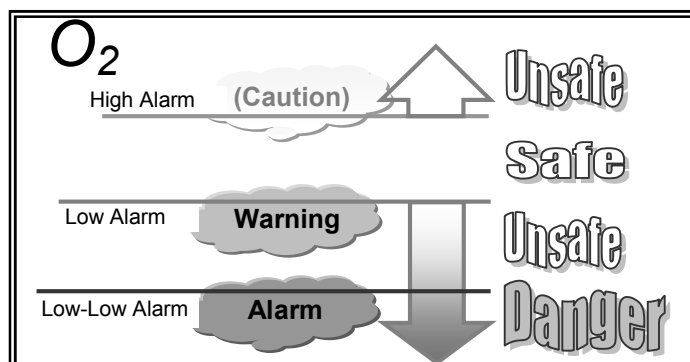
For toxic gas sensors, Alarm is a high-high alarm and the default setting for Alarm is normally 2 or 3 times higher than the TLV (threshold limit value) of the target gas. The Warning alarm is a high alarm and normally set to the TLV. Caution is a low alarm and set to activate on negative drift of -10% of the sensor range (a trouble alarm occurs if the reading drifts to -20% of the sensor range). Figure 26 depicts the relationships of these alarms.

**Figure 26. Toxic Gas Alarms.**



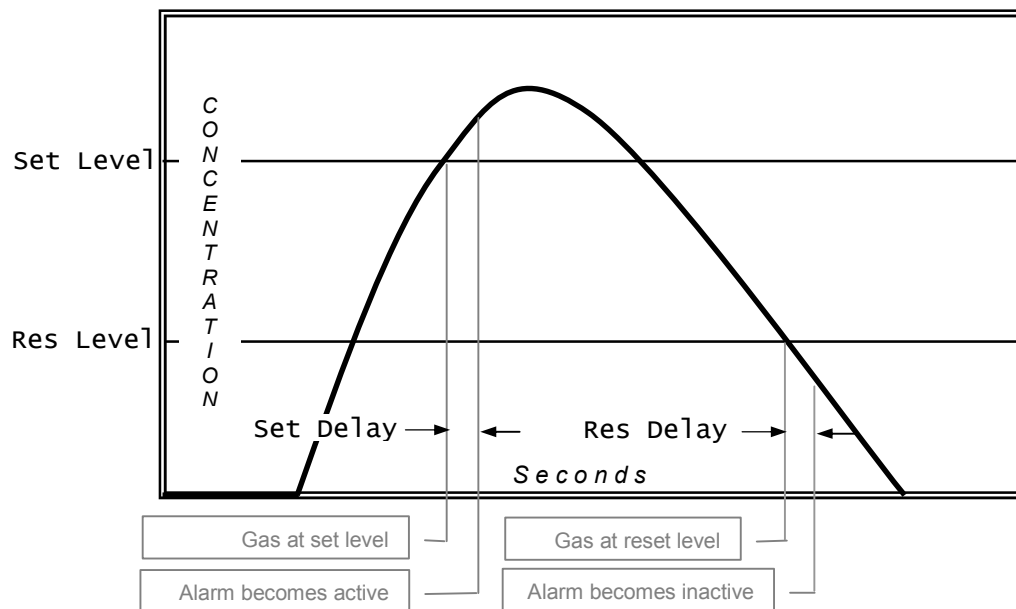
For oxygen sensors, Alarm is a low-low alarm set to 16%, Warning is a low alarm set to 19.5%, and Caution is a high alarm set to 23%. Figure 27 depicts the relationships of these alarms.

**Figure 27. Oxygen Deficiency Alarms**



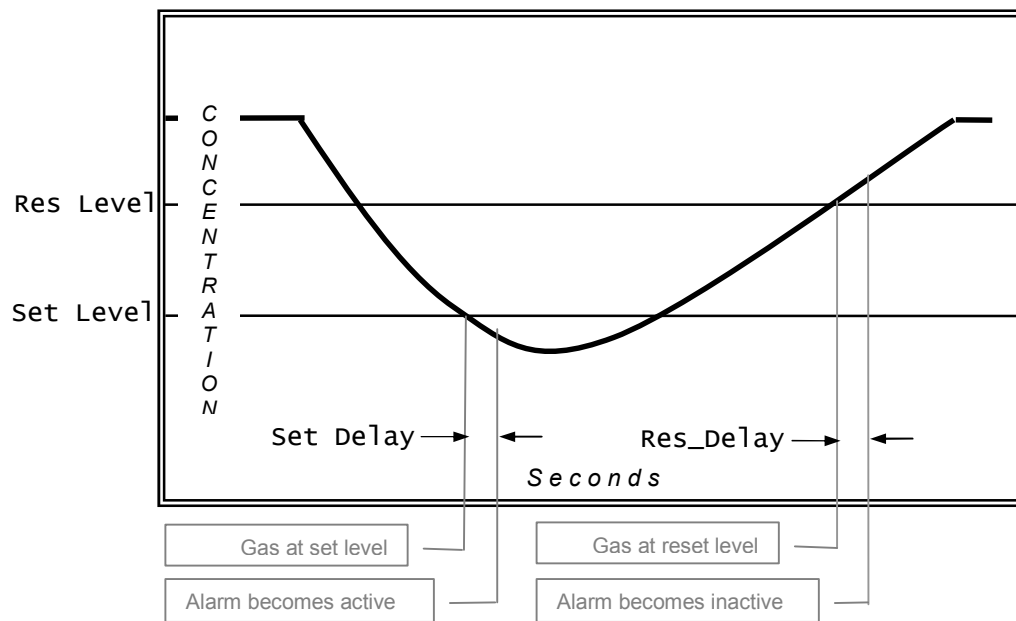
### Gas Alarm Operation

Figure 28 illustrates the operation of a high (rising) gas level alarm.



**Figure 28. High Alarm Operation**

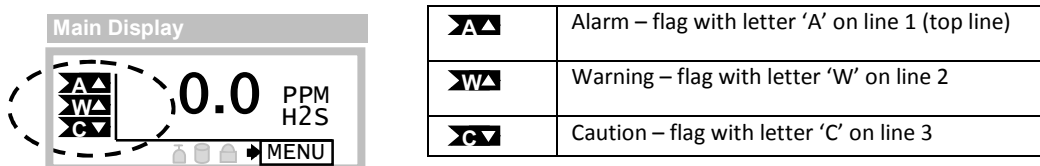
Figure 29 illustrates the operation of a low (falling) gas level alarm (such as for Oxygen deficiency).



**Figure 29. Low Alarm Operation**

### Alarm Indicators

Gas level alarms are indicated by three flags on the left side of the Main Display, each containing a letter indicating the alarm name, and an arrow indicating the type of alarm - high (rising) alarm, or low (falling) alarm.



**Figure 30. Alarm Indicator Flags**

### Alarm Status Menu

The Alarm Status Menu appears only when a gas alarm is active. It is displayed by selecting Menu from the Main Display, then selecting "Alarm Status", from the Alarm Active Menu (see pg 23). The menu lists the three gas alarms and the word, "Active", if the alarm is currently active. Selecting an active alarm displays the specific Alarm Reset Menu, below.

	Item	Select to ...
<div> ...Alarm Status&gt;(alarm)  09/26/06 18:11  ▶Reset ALARM  Reset All  Inhibit Alarms </div>	(line 1)	Date and time of alarm event.
	Reset (alarm)	Manually reset the alarm selected on the Alarm Status Menu above. Reset is performed only if the alarm conditions have subsided, and the alarm is programmed for manual reset (see Figure 33. Alarm Setting on pg 29),
	Reset All	Manually reset all manual-reset alarms, once alarm conditions have subsided.
	Inhibit Alarms	Temporarily resets and inhibits gas level and Trouble alarms (default is 15 minutes, see Alarm Inhibition pg 32).

**Figure 31. Alarm Status Menu**

### Alarm Reset Menu

The Alarm Reset Menu appears by selecting an active alarm from the Alarm Status Menu, or by selecting an alarm indicator flag from the Main Display. The menu presents the date and time of when the alarm became active, and permits manual reset, along with the other options are listed below.

**Figure 32. Alarm Reset Menu**

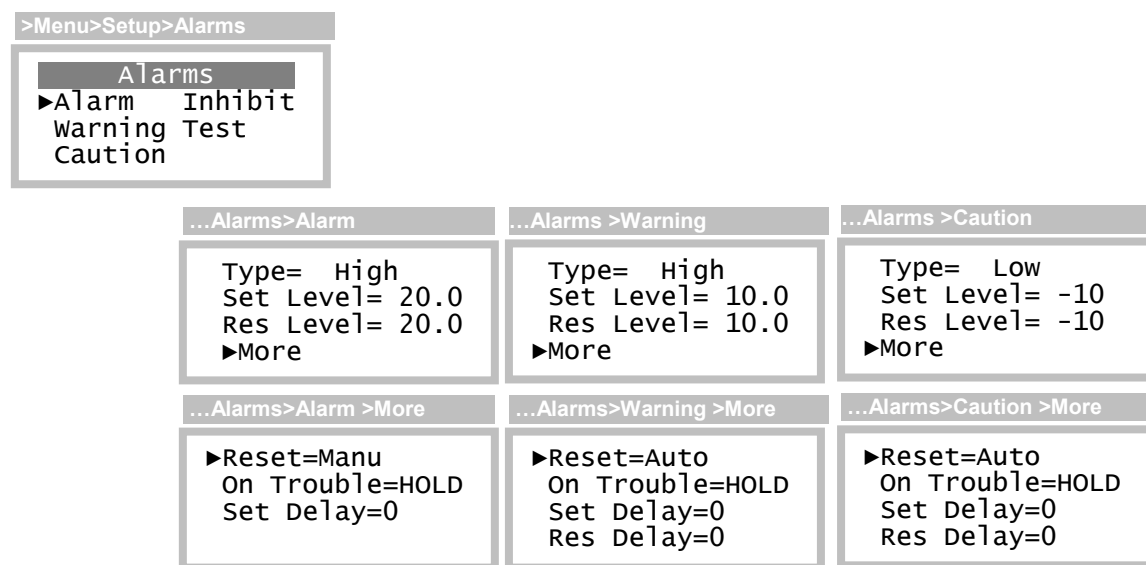
	Item	Select to ...
<div> Menu&gt;Alarm Status  <div> AlarmStatus  ▶Alarm Active  warning Active  Caution </div> </div>	Alarm	View the time and date of Alarm and manually reset it, if required.
	warning	View the time and date of the Warning alarm and manually reset it, if required.
	Caution	View the time and date of the Caution alarm and manually reset it, if required.

### Remote Reset

Grounding the Remote Reset input resets all manual reset alarms, if the respective alarm conditions have subsided.

### Alarm Setting Menus

The Alarm Setting Menus are accessed from the Alarms Menu and are used to configure the three gas level alarms.



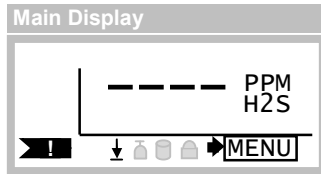
**Figure 33. Alarm Setting Menus**

tem	Select to...
Type	Set the type of alarm as High, Low, or None. When set to High, the alarm becomes active <i>at and above</i> the Set Level. When set to Low, the alarm becomes active <i>at and below</i> the Set Level. Setting the value to None permanently deactivates the alarm. The setting is stored in the sensor memory.
Set Level	Set the gas concentration level at which the alarm becomes active. The alarm then becomes active at the expiration of the Set Delay period. Changing Set Level changes Res Level to the same value. Limits for the Set Level are maintained in the gas sensor memory.

\Res Level	<p>Set the gas concentration level at which the alarm becomes inactive. The alarm then becomes inactive after expiration of the Res Delay period, and only if the Reset setting is programmed as Auto – see below. The limits for the Res Level depend on the alarm Type setting.</p> <p>Type = High  Upper limit = Set Level  Lower limit = lowest Set Level</p> <p>Type = Low  Upper limit = highest Set Level  Lower limit = Set Level</p> <p>Changing Set Level changes Res Level to the same value.</p>
Reset	<p>Select how the alarm is reset as Manu or Auto. When set to Auto, the alarm will reset (clear) without operator intervention, as soon as conditions allow (concentration reaches Res Level, and the Res Delay period expires). When set to Manu, the operator must reset the alarm manually after conditions subside, through the operator interface, the serial interface, or through the remote reset.</p> <p>Note: Res Delay is meaningful only when Reset= Auto. Setting Reset to Manu suppresses display of the Res Delay setting.</p>
On Trouble	<p>Specify the alarm state during Trouble alarms. This setting specifies alarm behavior during transmitter faults, and overrides all other alarm settings. If the trouble alarm should become active, you may program the concentration alarm to behave in one of three ways:</p> <p>Hold - the transmitter will attempt to hold the alarm in its current state. If the alarm is active, it will remain active. If the alarm is inactive, it will be inhibited from becoming active until after Trouble is cleared.</p> <p>Set - activates the alarm immediately (the Set Delay period is ignored). This feature permits the alarm to signal both concentration and trouble conditions.</p> <p>Reset – deactivates the alarm immediately (the Res Delay period is ignored).</p>
Set Delay	<p>Configure the amount of time, in seconds, that the gas concentration must be at or above a high alarm set level, or at or below a low alarm set level, before the alarm becomes active. This is used to avoid triggering alarms on relatively short gas exposures. The setting may be programmed between 0 (its default) and 10 seconds.</p>
Res Delay	<p>Configure the amount of time, in seconds, that the gas concentration must be below a high alarm reset level, or above a low alarm reset level, before the alarm becomes inactive. The setting is typically used to keep relays energized to maintain exhaust fans after a gas leak. The setting is displayed only when Reset is set to Auto, and may be programmed between 0 (default) and two hours (7200 seconds).</p>

### Trouble Alarm

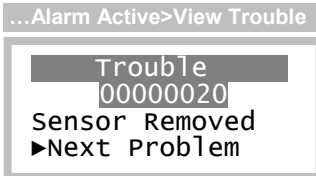
Trouble alarm are presented on the Main Display as shown below. When active, new alarms are inhibited, and (by default) active alarms are held so that relays controlling lights, sirens, and fans may continue to operate (this behavior may be modified on the Alarms Menu (see pg 26). Certain Trouble alarm causes, like a temporary bus fault, may clear automatically without operator intervention. Others, such as a missing sensor, will not clear until corrected.



**Figure 34. Trouble Indication on Main Display**

### Trouble Status Display

The Trouble Status Display appears by selecting the Trouble indicator from the Main Display. It may also be viewed by selecting MENU from the Main Display when the Trouble alarm is active, then selecting View Trouble. The 8-digit hex code on line 2 represents all active faults and is useful when obtaining help from the factory. Select Next Problem to view a description of each problem in succession on line 3.



Some problems listed in TROUBLESHOOTING on page 55 are cleared after pressing **Esc** to return to the previous display.

**Figure 35. Trouble Status Display**

### Corrective Actions

#### Prior to opening the transmitter housing:

- **Declassify the hazardous area** - if the transmitter is located in a hazardous location.
- Check connections and wiring **outside of** the transmitter for shorts or opens.
- Unplug the sensor and generator modules and inspect the connectors for bent or recessed contacts.

#### After the transmitter housing is open:

- Start by checking connections inside the housings in the order listed under "Corrective Actions".
- If none of the listed corrective actions solve the problem, replace the transmitter board electronics.

#### After replacing the sensor, generator, or SIB board:

- **Review, verify, and restore all Sensor and Auto-test settings.** This includes the critical sensor settings like Range and Blank, and the Auto-test Status setting (Status must set to READY for automatic operation).

#### After replacing the CPU board:

- **Review, verify, and restore all transmitter settings.**



### Alarm Inhibit

Alarms are inhibited to temporarily disable (false) activation and should be re-enabled as soon as possible to maximize the safety of the area. The duration of inhibit period depends the method used to activate it. For example, alarm inhibit occurs automatically during zero and span calibration and expires after 30 minutes. The table below summarizes the duration of the alarm inhibit periods for each method used to initiate it.

**Table 1. Alarm Inhibit Periods**

<i>Method</i>	<i>Alarm Inhibit Period</i>
Start up	(same as Sensor Install below)
Zero,Span	Set immediately on entering the method Then for up to 30 minutes after pressing a key while in the method
Sensor Auto-test	5 minutes during gas generation attempt 10 minutes during recovery period
Sensor Removal	60 seconds, then Trouble alarm active
Sensor Install	Alarm inhibit active during sensor warm-up (usually 5 minutes)
Manual activation from Main Display using Esc key	Duration value in Alarm Inhibit Menu
Manual activation by Start in Alarm Inhibit menu	Duration value in Alarm Inhibit Menu

The Main Display indicates when alarms are inhibited (see Status Indicators in

Figure 13 - Main Display

on page 20), and the 4-20mA output is fixed at the Inhibit mA (see below).

The most convenient method for manually starting alarm inhibit is from the Main Display. For more information on that method, see Inhibiting Alarms from the Main Display on page 21. Alarm inhibit may also be started through the Alarm Inhibit Menu, shown below.

### Alarm Inhibit Menu

The Alarm Inhibit Menu exposes the manual alarm inhibit start and stop control, and the duration and fixed 4-20mA setting.

<i>Item</i>	<i>Select to ...</i>
<div> <div>&gt;Menu &gt;Setup &gt;Alarms &gt;Inhibit</div> <div> <div>►Inhibit mA= 4.0</div> <div>Duration= 15:00(mm:ss)</div> <div>Start</div> </div> </div>	
Inhibit_mA	Set the fixed value of the 4-20mA output during alarm inhibit (3.5 to 22.0 mA). This is normally 4mA for toxic gas sensors, and 17.4mA for oxygen sensors.
Duration	When alarm inhibit is <b>off</b> : Set the manual alarm inhibit period (0-60, default=15 minutes).  When alarm inhibit is <b>on</b> : Adjust the amount of time remaining.
Start (Stop)	Start (or stop) alarm inhibit

**Figure 36. Alarm Inhibit Menu**

**Alarm Test Menu**

...Alarms &gt;Test

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Test
Warning: this wi
▶Alarm= C W A T
Start

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The Alarm Test Menu can be used to test the gas level and Trouble alarms to verify operation of the associated relays.

"This will activate alarm relays"

**Note**

Devices wired to the relays may activate when "Start" is selected. Inform all personnel before performing the test.

Display	Instructions
<pre> ...Alarms &gt;Test Test Warning: this wi ▶Alarm= - - - - Start </pre>	1. Select Alarm
<pre> ...Alarms &gt;Test Test Warning: this wi ▶Alarm= ▲- - A - Start </pre>	2. Scroll up or down to specify which alarms to test - C, W, A, T, and save the selection by pressing the Enter key.  (C=Caution, W=Warning, A=Alarm, T=Trouble)
<pre> ...Alarms &gt;Test Test Warning: this wi Alarm= - - A - &gt;Start </pre>	3. Select Start to begin the test.
<pre> ...Alarms &gt;Test Test Warning: this wi Alarm= - - A - Any key to STOP </pre>	4. Press any key to end the test. The test stops automatically after 5 minutes.

**Figure 37. Alarm Test Menu**

### **Data-log Menus, Methods, and Settings**

The transmitter records gas concentrations in one of 12 intervals ranging from 1 to 60 minutes, providing data from 11 to 474 days. Table 2 details the sampling intervals, and the samples/day and totals days for each interval.

**Table 2. Data-log sampling metrics**

<b><i>Sampling (Minutes)</i></b>	<b><i>Samples/Day</i></b>	<b><i>Total Days</i></b>
1	1440	11
2	720	22
3	480	32
4	360	43
5	288	54
6	240	64
10	144	104
12	120	124
15	96	152
20	72	196
30	48	278
60	24	474

The gas concentration reading is recorded as an instantaneous value and is not averaged or filtered in any way. When the data log memory is filled, new records overwrite older ones.

### **Data Log Menu**

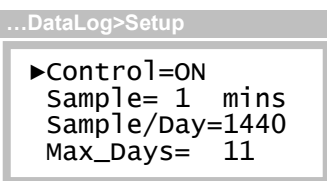
The Data Log Menu permits access to configuration, review, and print menus.

	<b><i>Item</i></b>	<b><i>Select to ...</i></b>
<div> <div>&gt;Menu &gt;Setup &gt;DataLog</div> <div> <div>DataLog</div> <div> <div>►Setup</div> <div>View</div> <div>Print</div> </div> </div> </div>	Setup	Configure the data log settings (see Data Log Setup Menu below).
	View	View the logged data as a graph or single text records.
	Print	Send a tabular ASCII report to the device connected to the COM port (see Data Log Print on the next page). The data log must not be empty, and the COM protocol must be set to ASCII. Otherwise, the transmitter will display an exception message.

**Figure 38. Data Log Menu**

**Data Log Setup Menu**

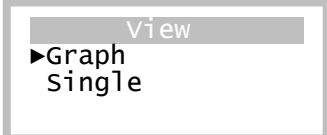
Settings on the Data Log Setup page select one of the 12 discrete sampling intervals listed in Table 2, and control starting, stopping and clearing of the data-log.

	<i>Item</i>	<i>Select to ...</i>
	Control	Turn data logging on or off, or clear stored data.
	Sample	Set the sampling interval to one of the 12 values listed in Table 2. Changing one automatically changes the other two. Warning: changing the sampling interval will clear the data-log.
	Sample/Day Max_Days	

**Figure 39. Data Log Setup Menu**

**Data Log View Menu**

Data is presented as a gas concentration reading at a specific date and time and may be viewed collectively as points on a graph (Graph), or individually as a single text record (Single). In Graph view, readings are presented sequentially in time when scrolling the up and down keys. In Single view, both the date and time may be scrolled to provide a pseudo random-access method. Since the two views are connected, it is possible to navigate directly to the date and time of interest using the Single view, and then switch to the Graph view to see more readings around a particular time. Conversely, the view can be switched from Graph to Single to view readings taken around the same time on different days.

	<i>Item</i>	<i>Select to ...</i>
	Graph	View multiple points of data as a graph (sequential selection).
	Single	View single records (pseudo random-access selection)

**Figure 40. Data Log View Menu**

Samples reported are assumed to be in units of PPM, PPB, or %, as determined by the gas concentration units appearing on the Main Display. Sample values outside of printing limits are forced to the following values.

<i>Samples ...</i>	<i>Forced to...</i>
Less than -999	-999
Greater than 9999	9999

Readings in both views are displayed in the same units and decimal precision as those on the Main Display, and the date format is consistent<sup>5</sup> with the format selected in the Clock Menu (see pg 52). Both views also display special codes to indicate samples were unavailable. The table below summarizes the special codes.

<sup>5</sup> Dates presented in the Graph view are shortened to just the month and date, the year is not presented.

Table 3. Data Log Special Codes

Special Code	Description
----	Sample unavailable (transmitter powered off, or sample not yet recorded)
FFFF	Trouble alarm active at time of sample
TEST	Auto-test active at time of sample ( Log_Data=NO)
****	Data corrupted

### Data Log Graph View

The Graph view plots a sample as a vertical line, the height of which corresponds to the gas reading as a percentage of the sensor's range (ie, height = 100\*reading/range). Samples are plotted from left (oldest) to right (newest). On entry, a vertical cursor appears over the most recent sample (or sample of interest), and the corresponding date, time, and gas reading or special code (see above) are displayed on the lower line. These values are updated as the cursor is moved left and right by pressing the up and down keys. Note: the gas reading on the lower line is in the same units that appear in the Main Display and Sensor menus.

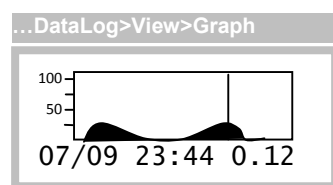


Figure 41. Data Log Graph View

New data is not plotted while viewing the page. Pressing the **Enter** key presents the Data Log Menu shown below, pressing the **Esc** key returns to the previous menu.

### Data Log Graph View Menu

The Data Log Graph View Menu is appears by pressing the **Enter** key while viewing the Data Log Graph View (above).

Item	Select to ...
Single	View single records (pseudo random-access selection) starting at the cursor position.
Print	Send a tabular ASCII report to the device connected to the COM port (see Data Log Print on the next page). The data log must not be empty, and the COM protocol must be set to ASCII. Otherwise, the transmitter will display an exception message.

Figure 42. Data Log Graph View Menu

**Data Log Single View**

The Data Log Single View Menu allows scrolling to an exact date and time for viewing a single sample. Selecting Graph then presents the Graph view at the selected date and time.

	Item	Select to ...
<div> ...DataLog&gt;View&gt;Single  ▶Date= 07/09/14  Time= 23:44  Conc= 0.12  Graph </div>	Date	Scroll to a specific sample date.
	Time	Scroll to a specific sample time.
	Conc	View the gas reading when sample was recorded (not selectable).
	Graph	View the Graph at the specified date and time.

**Figure 43. Data Log Single View Menu**

**Data Log Print Menus, Methods, and Settings**

The RS232 interface, a data log report may be sent to a serial printer, or “captured” to a file using a terminal emulation program. Many terminal emulation programs exist for both Microsoft Windows® and non-Windows platforms. See example on pg 54 for a detailed example of how to capture a report using Hyperterminal®, and how to then open it in Microsoft Excel® for charting.

The report consists of a series of lines, each containing a date and time, followed by up to 30 gas readings. All fields on the line are separated by a TAB character (ASCII 9), which serves to keep the fields aligned in columns. This format is suitable for most Epson protocol printers and for import into most spreadsheet programs after capture. The date and time apply to the first gas reading on the line following the time. Readings appearing in subsequent columns to the right were recorded at the programmed sampling interval after the first reading. The format of the gas readings appear as described in Data Log View Menu on page 35. A report example is shown below.

07/09/14 22:40	0.01	0.00	0.02	0.01	
07/09/14 22:44	-0.0	0.00	0.00	-0.0	
07/09/14 22:48	0.01	TEST	TEST	TEST	
07/09/14 22:52	TEST	TEST	TEST	TEST	
07/09/14 22:56	TEST	TEST	TEST	TEST	
07/09/14 23:00	0.07	0.06	0.07	0.06	
07/09/14 23:04	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.06	
07/09/14 23:08	0.05	0.05	0.04	0.05	
07/09/14 23:12	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.04	
07/09/14 23:16	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.00	
07/09/14 23:20	0.00	0.00	0.00	-0.1	
07/09/14 23:24	-0.0	0.00	0.00	0.00	
07/09/14 23:28	----	----	----	----	
07/09/14 23:32	----	----	----	----	
07/09/14 23:36	----	----	----	----	

	22:40	22:41	22:42	22:43
07/09/14 22:40	0.01	0.00	0.02	0.01
	22:44	22:45	22:46	22:47
07/09/14 22:44	-0.0	0.00	0.00	-0.0
	22:48	22:49	22:50	22:51
07/09/14 22:48	0.01	TEST	TEST	TEST
	22:52	22:53	22:54	22:55
07/09/14 22:52	TEST	TEST	TEST	TEST

**Figure 44. Data Log Print Example**

In the example above, the first sample occurred at 22:40. The next sample to the right occurred at 22:41, followed by the next at 22:42, and so on. This pattern is repeated to the end of the line, and then repeats on the line below, and so on.

### Data Log Print Menu

The Data Log Print Menu appears by selecting Print from the Data Log Menu (pg 34). The data log must not be empty, and the communication protocol must be set to ASCII before entry, or an exception message will be displayed. The transmitter's real time clock should also be set to the correct date and time.

	Item	Select to ...
<div> ...DataLog &gt;Print  ▶First=07/09/14  Days= 1 of 2  Start  Format </div>	First	Set the first date to print in the report. Scrolling this date automatically updates the Days field.
	Days	Set the number of days of data to include in the report.
	Start	Send the report to the device connected to the transmitter's COM port.
	Format	Configure the report format for the connected device.

**Figure 45. Data Log Print Menu**

To send the report, set the start date (First) and number of days to print (Days), and select Start. The line will blink Printing until the report is done. The report always begins at 00:00 on the start date, and continues for the number of days specified. If no data has yet been logged, the report will show four dashes (----) in place of samples.

### Data Log Print Format Menu

The Data Log Print Format Menu appears by selecting Format from the Data Log Print Menu (above) and is used to control the appearance of the report, and the interaction of the transmitter with the device.

	Item	Select to ...
<div> ...DataLog &gt;Print&gt;Format  ▶width= 4 data  Eol= CR  Delay= 0 ms </div>	width	Change the number of data samples (gas readings) printed on each line.
	Eol	Toggle the ASCII control code(s) transmitted at the end of each line from CR to CR/LF (more on this below).
	Delay	Add up to a 10 second delay at the end of each line.

**Figure 46. Data Log Print Format Menu**

The transmitter adds a CR (ASCII 13) or CR/LF (ASCII 13 and 10) at the end of each line. If the lines of the report appear to be printing over each other, choose the CR/LF option. If the lines appear to be double spaced, choose the CR option.

The number of sample data samples (gas readings) appearing across the page is programmable from 1 to 30. This is designed to allow reports to fit on small thermal printers, and on conventional sized printers. A wider report takes less time to print because the date and time fields are printed less frequently.

A delay of up to 10 seconds can be added after each line is transmitted to help prevent buffer overflows on printers without XON/XOFF protocol. This is sometimes required to allow slow printers enough time to perform carriage return. If characters appear to be missing, increase the setting.

**Flow Control**

The transmitter uses XON/XOFF flow control while sending a report. That is, once the data stream has begun, it will continue until the XOFF character (19) is received. After sitting idle, the report stream will begin again upon reception of the XON character (17).

An RS232 connection can support full duplex communication and is perfectly suited for XON/XOFF flow control. However, an RS485 connection is only half duplex. It cannot receive while it is transmitting and might miss the XOFF character, resulting in a buffer overflow at the receiving device.

A receiving device will send the XOFF character when its buffer is nearly full. Some older dot-matrix printers will send an XOFF because they have a small receive buffers and cannot process characters while the head is returning to start a new line. By comparison, most computers have comparatively large buffers and can easily accept the report stream without sending an XOFF, so an RS485 connection may work in those cases.

The transmitter features an additional method to help avoid losing data due to buffer overflow problems on receiving devices that lack XON/XOFF capability (or have the capability but are using an RS485 connection). A programmable time delay of up to 10s may be inserted at the end of each report line. This permits the receiver time to process more characters in its buffer and avoid an overflow. However, this may be a method of trial and error until the proper delay setting is determined so that no characters are missing from the report.

**Report Control**

The start date and length of the report may be controlled from the operator interface. The length of the report is limited to the number of days actually stored in the log. The report always begins at 00:00 on the start date, and continues forward for the number of days specified. If no data has yet been logged, the report will show four dashes (----) in place of samples.



## I/O Menus, Methods and Settings

### I/O Menu

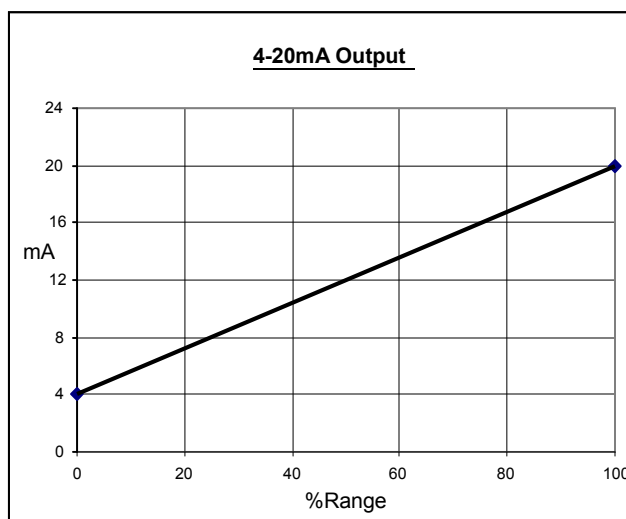
The I/O menu is shown below and appears by selecting I/O from the Main Menu on pg 23.

	Item	Select to ...
Menu>Setup>I/O I/O ►4-20mA COM Relays	4-20mA	Configure and adjust the 4-20mA output.
	COM	Configure the RS232/RS485 serial interface (option).
	Relays	Configure the three transmitter relays (option).

**Figure 47. I/O Menu**

### 4-20mA Output

The transmitter sources (or sinks) a 4-20mA current that is proportional to the gas reading on the Main Display (see Main Reading on pg 20). The current is normally 4 mA at zero and 20mA at the programmed range of the sensor (see Range in Sensor Settings Menu on pg 24). Since the Main Reading is blanked below zero, the output should never go below 4mA in the course of normal operation. In the event of gas flooding, the current and may go as high as 25mA (125% Range).



**Figure 48. Graph of 4-20mA Output**

### 4-20mA Menu

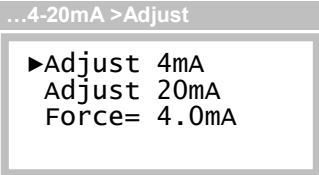
During alarm inhibit and Auto-test, the 4-20mA output is fixed at 4.0mA (17.4mA for oxygen sensors) to prevent false alarms at the receiver. The output is forced to 3.6mA to signal a Trouble alarm to the receiver. These are the default values, which may be changed in the 4-20mA Menu, below.

	Item	Select to ...
...I/O>4-20mA ►Autotst mA= 4.0 Inhibit mA= 4.0 Trouble mA= 3.6 Adjust	Autotst mA	Set the fixed output level during Auto-test (4.0 to 22.0 mA). This is normally 4.0mA to prevent alarms at the receiver.
	Inhibit mA	Set the output level to indicate alarms are not enabled (4 to 22 mA). This is normally 4.0mA to prevent alarms at the receiver.
	Trouble mA	Set the output level to indicate the Trouble alarm (3.5 to 3.8 mA). Note: 3.5mA not allowed on 2-wire 4-20mA connection.
	Adjust	Adjust the 4mA and 20mA levels, or force the output for testing.

**Figure 49. 4-20mA Menu**

### 4-20mA Adjust Menu

These methods permit adjustment of the 4-20mA output and provide a way to force it to a fixed value to test receiver alarms. They do not affect the computed gas concentration reading.

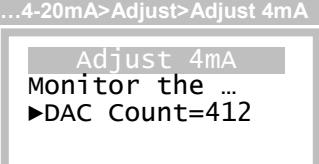
	Item	Select to ...
	Adjust 4mA	Adjust the 4mA analog output level.
	Adjust 20mA	Adjust the 20mA analog output level.
	Force	Force the 4-20mA output to a fixed level between 3.5 and 22.0 mA. Displays the real time value when not selected.

**Figure 50. 4-20mA control page**

### 4-20mA Adjustment

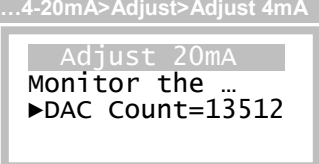
Loop adjustment consists of adjusting the 4 and 20 mA levels (order does not matter) by scrolling the corresponding DAC value. This may be accomplished by reading a calibrated current meter connected in series with the transmitter's 4-20mA output, reading a calibrated volt meter across a precision load resistor in series with the transmitter's 4-20mA output, or reading the display of a calibrated, current loop receiver<sup>6</sup>.

### Adjust 4mA Menu

	Item	Select to ...
	DAC Count	Scroll the DAC (digital-to-analog converter) count up to increase or down to decrease the analog output to 4.00mA.
		Note The displayed value is "as left" by the previous adjustment.

**Figure 51. Adjust 4mA Menu**

### Adjust 20mA Menu

	Item	Select to ...
	DAC Count	Scroll the DAC (digital-to-analog converter) count up to increase or down to decrease the analog output to 20.0mA.
		Note The displayed value is "as left" by the previous adjustment. When selected, however, the DAC count changes to the factory calibrated value of 20.0mA. This is to help prevent adjustment errors caused by 4-20mA receivers that limit readings to 20mA.

**Figure 52. Adjust 20mA Menu**

	<b>Warning:</b> Disable current loop receiver alarms before proceeding.	
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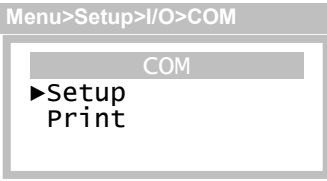
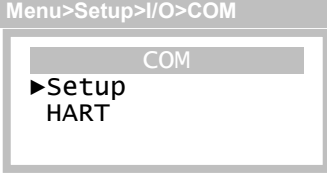

<sup>6</sup> When using a current loop receiver, make certain the reading is not limited to 20mA by hardware or programming. If so, adjust the reading first to 19.5mA, then slowly increase it to 20.0mA.

**COM Menus and Settings**

The transmitter supports ASCII, HART, and Modbus communications, which are configured through the COM Menu below.

**COM Menu**

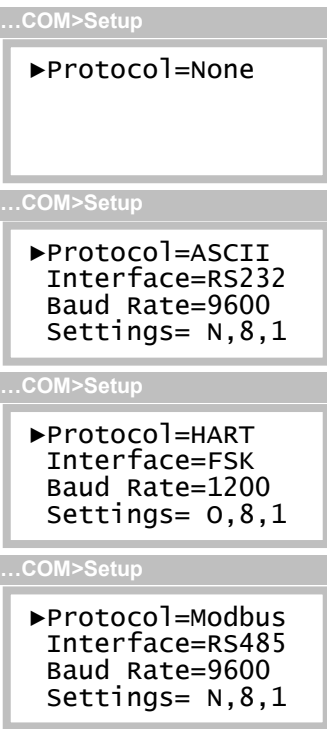
The is *COM Menu* used to configure the protocol and connection settings of the serial COM interface, and varies slightly, depending on the factory configured protocol.

	<i>Item</i>	<i>Select to ...</i>
	Setup	Configure the connection settings (only selection when Protocol is None).
	Print	Print the data log (appears only when the Protocol is ASCII, see Data Log Print Menu on pg 38). Note that the transmitter must have an RS232 or RS485 interface.
	HART	Configure the HART protocol settings (appears only when Protocol is HART). Note that the transmitter must have a HART FSK modem interface, and be ordered with the HART FSK stack option.
	Modbus	Configure the Modbus protocol settings (appears only when Protocol is Modbus). Note that the transmitter must have an RS232 or RS485 interface, and be ordered with the optional Modbus protocol stack option.
		
		

**Figure 53. COM Menu**

*COM Setup Menu*

The COM Setup Menu is used to select the protocol and configure the transmitter's connection settings.

	<i>Item</i>	<i>Select to ...</i>
	Protocol	<p>Change the slave protocol.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ASCII (default)</li> <li>• Modbus (option)</li> <li>• HART (option)</li> <li>• None</li> </ul> <p>Protocol selection is performed at the factory and may not be changed. Settings for the ASCII and Modbus protocols may be changed, but are restricted for the HART protocol.</p>
	Interface	<p>Change the physical communication interface that the transmitter will control during transmit and receive functions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• RS232 (available for ASCII or Modbus, not for HART)</li> <li>• RS485 (available for ASCII or Modbus, not for HART)</li> <li>• FSK (HART only)</li> </ul>
	Baud Rate	<p>Change the baud rate of the transmitter's UART. May be set to: 300, 600, 1200, 2400, 4800, 9600, 14.4k, 19.2k, 28.8k, 38.4k, 57.6k, 115.2k, 230.4k, and 460.8k.</p> <p>The value is fixed at 1200 for HART FSK, and defaults to 9600 for Modbus and ASCII.</p>
	Settings	<p>Change the parity, number of data bits, and number of stop bits of the transmitter's UART:</p> <p>N,8,1 ...no parity, 8 data bits, 1 stop bits  N,8,2 ...no parity, 8 data bits, 2 stop bits  E,8,1 ...even parity, 8 data bits, 1 stop bit  O,8,1 ...odd parity, 8 data bits, 1 stop bit</p> <p>The value is fixed at O,8,1 for HART protocol, and defaults to N,8,1 for Modbus and ASCII.</p>

**Figure 54. COM Setup Menu**

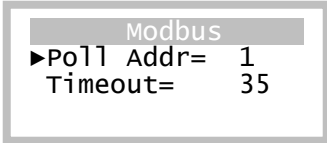
## Modbus

The following applies to transmitters that have an RS232 or RS485 COM interface and Modbus firmware options. The RS232 and RS485 option is **NOT INTENDED** for use in Hazardous Locations.

Modbus is a master/slave protocol that supports a single master, and up to 247 slave devices on a common bus. The RS485 interface physically limits this number to 32 (1 master, 31 slaves), and RS232 restricts communication to a master and a single slave. Note that the 4-20mA output is fully functional even when using the transmitter's Modbus interface.

### Modbus Menu

The *Modbus Menu* appears by selecting Modbus from the *COM Menu* (pg 42).

		Item	Description
		Poll Addr	This setting controls the address to which the transmitter responds to queries from the host (1-247, default =1).
		Timeout	This setting belongs to the data-link layer of the protocol and defines the number of character bits used to frame Modbus RTU messages. The protocol specifies the silent interval as 3.5 characters, which corresponds to 35 bit-times at 10 bits per character. This setting is reserved for future use and changing it is not recommended.

**Figure 55. Modbus Menu**

**Relay Operation, Menus, and Settings**

The following applies to F12 transmitters ordered with optional 3 SPST relays that are NOT INTENDED for Hazardous Locations.

The F12 Alarm Relay option provides three SPST mechanical relays on the Power Supply board. The relays are rated for 5 amps, non-inductive loads at 250VAC, and are suitable for switching small loads, such as horns and warning lights, but should not be used to switch motors or other high current, inductive loads.

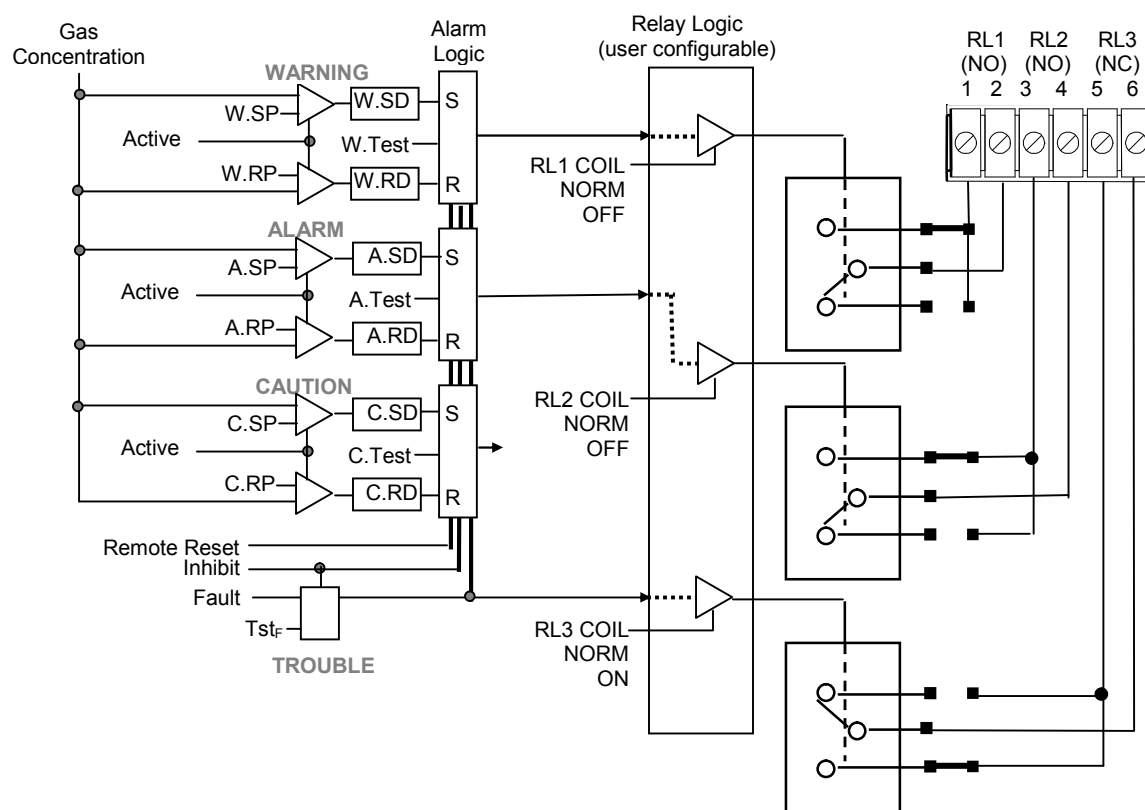
Each relay coil may be assigned to one of the four alarms and operate as normally energized (Norm=1, also called “fail-safe”), or normally de-energized (Norm=0). Selecting normally energized (1) allows the relay to indicate an alarm, or a power failure. This selection is made in the Relay Setup Menu on page 47.

The table below details the contact states for the two selections in the no-alarm, alarm, and power fail conditions.

Table 4. Relay Coil “Norm” Setting

	<i>No-Alarm</i>	<i>Alarm</i>	<i>Power Failure</i>
<b>0 (normally de-energized)</b>			
Coil	De-energized	Energized	De-energized
Closed Contacts	C-NC	C-NO	C-NC
<b>1 (normally energized, “fail-safe”)</b>			
Coil	Energized	De-energized	De-energized
Closed Contacts	C-NO	C-NC	C-NC

Figure 56 illustrates the alarm and relay operation.



**Figure 56 Alarm Relay Diagram**

### Relays Menu

The Relays Menu appears by selecting Relays from the I/O Menu (see pg 40) .

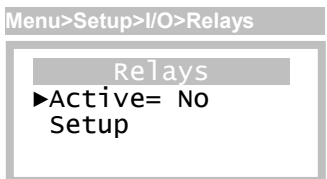
	Item	Select to ...
	Active	Permanently enable or disable operation of the relays.
	Setup	Assign each relay to an alarm and select the normal state of its coil.

Figure 58. Relays Menu

### Relay Setup Menu

The Relay Setup Menu appears by selecting Setup from the Relays Menu above.

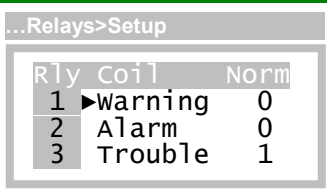
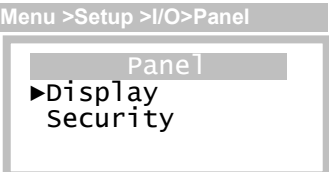
	Item	Select to ...
	Coil	Change the alarm assigned to the relay coil. Selections are ALARM, WARNING, CAUTION, or TROUBLE.
	Norm	Change the normal (no-alarm) state of the coil to: normally de-energized normally energized ("fail-safe") See <b>Table 4</b> on page 45.

Figure 59. Relay Setup Menu



## Panel Menus, Methods, and Settings

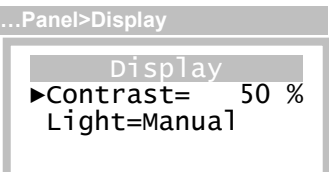
### Panel Menu

	Item	Select to ...
	Display	Adjust the display contrast or when the backlight comes on. Note: backlight operates only when powered in 3 or 4 wire mode.
	Security	Lock or unlock the transmitter panel, or change the password.

**Figure 60. Panel Menu**

### Display Menu

The transmitter features a backlit, 96w x 32h graphics LCD. The Display menu is used to control the display contrast and manage the backlight.

	Item	Select to ...
	Contrast	Adjust the LCD contrast. Scroll the setting up to increase contrast (darker text), or down to decrease it (lighter text). The default value is 50%, and is adjustable between 0 and 100%.
	Light*	Control when the LCD backlight is turned on and off* :  Manual On when any key is pressed Off when no key pressed for 5 minutes  Auto On when any key is pressed or alarm is active Off when no key pressed for 5 minutes, and no alarms active  Never On Off permanently  Always On On permanently (not recommended)

**Figure 61. Display Menu**

### Security Menu

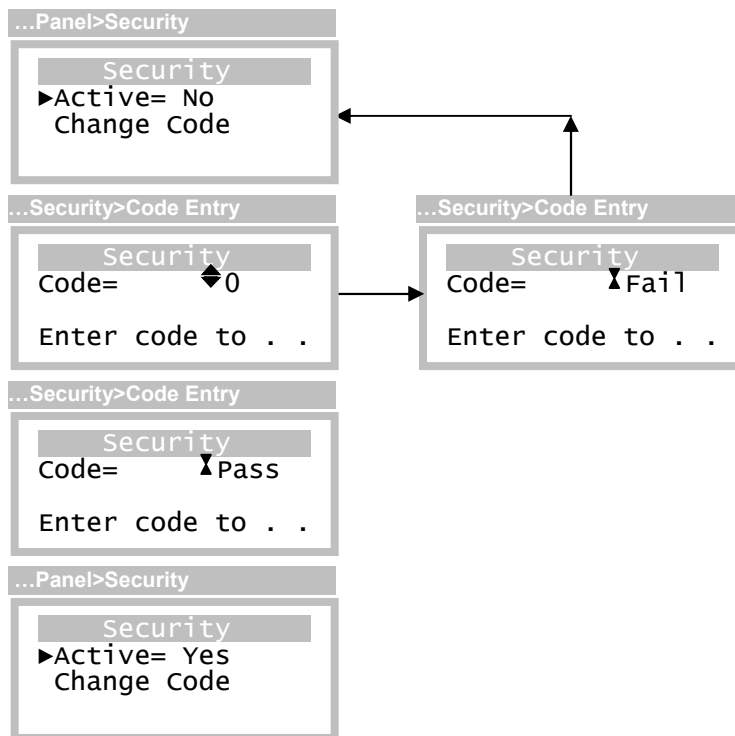
The transmitter prevents changes to the transmitter configuration through the front panel when security is active. Settings may be read, but not modified, and methods will not execute, including sensor verifications during startup. To do so, security must be disabled, either permanently or temporarily, by entering the correct 4-digit code. Panel security status is indicated on the Main Display.

	Item	Select to ...
<div> <div>...Panel&gt;Security</div> <div> <div>Security</div> <div>►Active= No Change Code</div> </div> </div>	Active	Activate or deactivate panel security. You must enter the panel code in either case.
	Change Code	Change the panel code.

**Figure 62. Security Menu**

### Activating Security

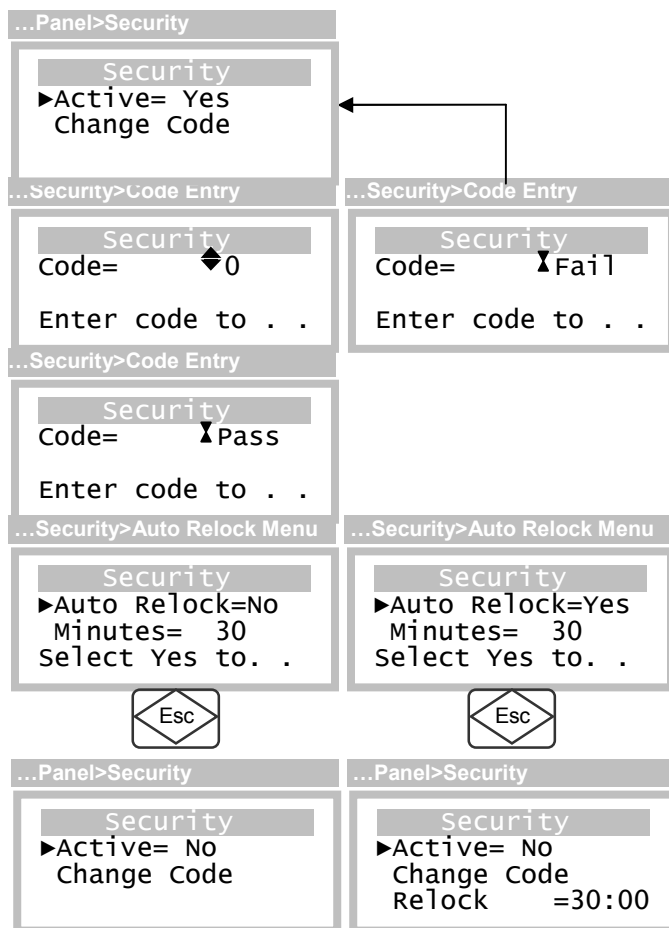
The following display sequence appears when attempting to activate panel security.



**Figure 63 - Activating Security**

### Deactivating Security

The following display sequence appears when attempting to deactivate panel security. Note the option for automatically relocking the panel after a timed period.



The automatic relock time defaults to 30 minutes, but may be extended up to 60 minutes.

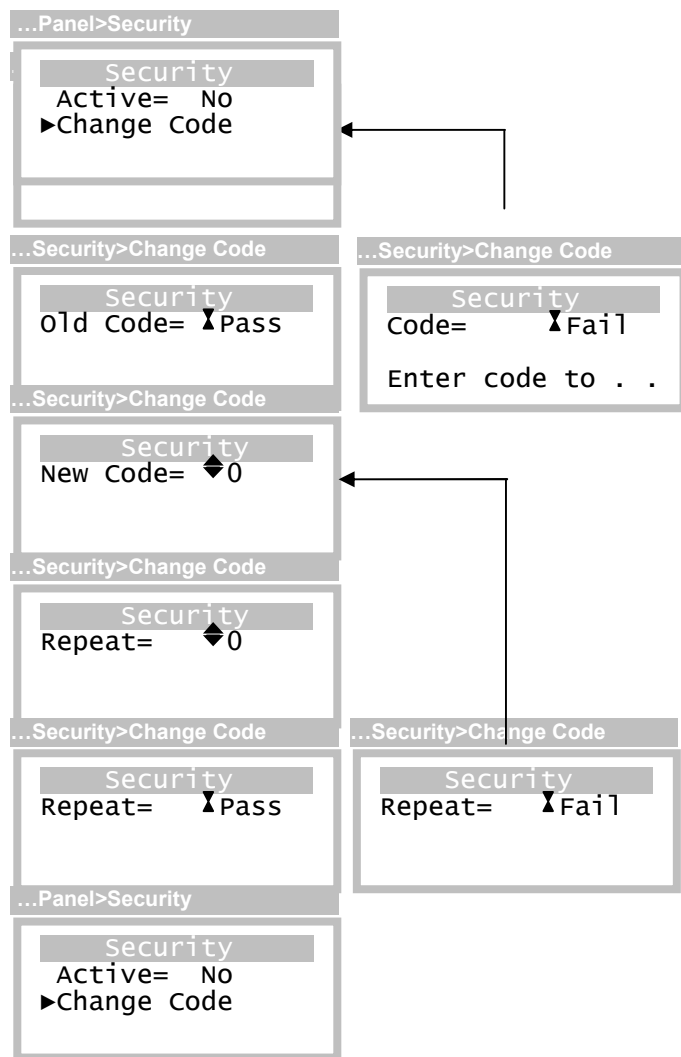
Press the Esc key to exit the Relock display.

The panel re-lock timer is displayed on line 4, but is fixed to prevent relocking while viewing this display. You may select Relock to return to the Auto Relock Menu to extend the period, if necessary.

**Figure 64 - Deactivating Security**

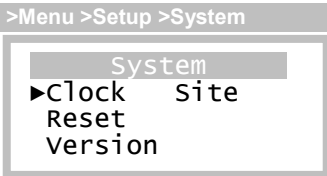
### Changing the Security Code

The security code is changed by selecting Change Code from the Security Menu above.



**Figure 65. Changing the Security Code**

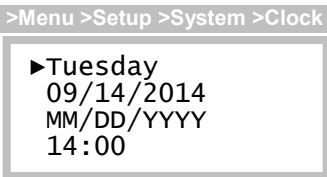
## System Menu

	Item	Select to ...
	Clock	Set or update the transmitter's real-time-clock.
	Reset	Restart the transmitter or change all user settings to default values.
	Version	Display transmitter and sensor version information.
	Site	Change the site name displayed during startup review.

**Figure 66. System Menu**


### Clock Menu

The Clock Menu is used to set the transmitter's real-time clock, which is recorded during sensor calibration and data logging, and is used to trigger Auto-test starts

	Item	Select to ...
	Line 1	Change the day of the week: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday
	Line 2	Configure the month, date, and year, in the format specified by the Format setting (below). Built-in support for leap year. Note: you may select and adjust the year separately.
	Line 3	Change the date format: MM/DD/YYYY, example: 09/14/2014 DDMMM/YYYY, example: 09Sep/2014
	Line 4	Change the time of day (24-hour format, 00:00 to 23:59)

**Figure 67 Clock Menu**

### Reset Menu

	Item	Select to ...
	Restart	Restart the transmitter without cycling power.
	UserMem	<b>Reset all user settings to default values.</b> <b>NOTE:</b> this method is provided to recover from a corrupted user memory. It does not affect calibration of the sensor or transmitter analog inputs or outputs. After running this method, you will be required to manually restore all of the transmitter alarm, data logger, i/o (communications, relays, and 4-20mA), panel (display and security), settings, as well as the transmitter's real-time clock.

**Figure 68 Reset Menu**

**Version Menu**

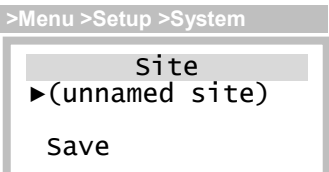
The Version Menu appears by selecting Version from the System Menu above and lists the major components of the transmitter as menu entries.

	<i>Item</i>	<i>Select to ...</i>
>Menu>Setup>System>Version	Xmtr	View the transmitter version information.
Settings	Sensor	View the sensor version information.
►Xmtr SIB	GasGen	View the gas generator version information.
Sensor	SIB	View the SIB (board) version information.
GasGen		
...Version>Xmtr	g/n	Gas number – identifies a gas species
Xmtr	m/n	Model number – identifies a series model type
D12Ex-ver-id	p/n	Part number – identifies a specific assembly
HW=xxxx/SW=xxxx	id	Identity – uniquely identifies a CPU board assembly*
	ver	Version number – indexes a specific assembly (shorter text)
	HW	Hardware revision – revision level of the electronics
	SW	Software revision – revision level of the software
...Version>Sensor		
Sensor		* Id numbers displayed here are used to identify board level components and are not intended to identify the complete device. These numbers will not match serial numbers printed on labels physically attached to the device.
H10-p/n-id		
HW=xxxx/SW=xxxx		
...Version>GasGen		
GasGen		
C18-g/n-id		
HW=xxxx/SW=xxxx		
...Version>SIB		
SIB		
SIB-m/n-ver-id		
HW=xxxx/SW=xxxx		

**Figure 69. Version Menu**

**Site Menu**

The Site name appears by selecting Site from the System Menu. The name allows the user to assign a meaningful name to the location of the transmitter.

	<i>Item</i>	<i>Select to ...</i>
	<name>	The name of the site
	Save	Saves the new name

**Figure 70. Site Menu**

To change the name:

1. Press the Enter key. A block cursor will appear over the first character.
2. Press the up or down key to scroll to the desired character, and press Enter to advance to the next character. Repeat this for each character.
3. When finished, press the Esc key, move the arrow cursor to Save, and press Enter. Otherwise, press the Esc key to exit without saving changes.

## TROUBLESHOOTING

Most electronic faults result in an error message on the display. The following lists transmitter faults and corrective actions.

<b>Trouble</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Corrective Action(s)</b>
Gas Signal Err	The analog-to-digital converter channel assigned to the sensor's gas concentration output signal has failed, or is out of range.	1-3,4,6,8
LCD Busy Error	The LCD driver chip cannot recover from an internal error.	1-3,9,7,8
SPI/I2C Bus Error	An internal CPU bus has faulted.	1-3,7,9
Tmp. Signal Err	The analog-to-digital converter channel assigned to the sensor's temperature output signal has failed, or is out of range.	1-3,4,6,8
Sensor (-)Range	The sensor has drifted -20% range (below zero).	Zero calibrate the sensor 4,6,8
Sensor Removed	The sensor cannot be detected.	2-4,6,8
Sensor NVM Err	One or more configuration settings in the sensor memory do not pass checksum test.	4,6,8
Sensor Config	One or more sensor configuration settings are outside of their expected range.	4
Generator NVM	The generator's non-volatile memory is corrupt.	5,6,8
Auto-test Fail With Gen. Config Err	Auto-test is enabled (Status=READY) and a problem has been detected with the gas generator, or the gas generator is not compatible with the sensor's type or range. This problem is reported on the display during startup, when a sensor is installed, and when a generator is removed or installed.	4,5, or disable Auto-test (set Status to OFF)
NVM1 User CRC	An error has been detected in the user settings stored in the transmitter's primary non-volatile memory.	2,3, otherwise, reset the user memory defaults (see Reset Menu on pg 52) If the problem persists, replace the CPU board.
NVM1 Fact CRC	An error has been detected in the factory settings stored in the transmitter's primary non-volatile memory.	2,3,7
NVM2 User CRC	An error has been detected in the transmitter's secondary non-volatile memory.	Not applicable on this transmitter
NVM2 Fact CRC	An error has been detected in the transmitter's secondary non-volatile memory.	Not applicable on this transmitter
Auto-test Fail Without Gen. Config Err	Auto-test failed after three attempts (and the Auto-test Trouble is set to YES).	5,4,6



<b>Trouble</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Corrective Action(s)</b>
3W Pwr Required	Relays or RS232/485 communication is enabled, but transmitter does not have 3-wire power applied.	If relays are not being used, disable them
Xmtr Uncal	The transmitter's factory calibration data has become corrupted.	2,3,7
CPU Trouble	A stack overflow or other internal error occurred in the CPU.	2,3,7
Fault Test	Trouble alarm is being tested, not an actual fault.	
Gas Sensor Uncal	The gas sensor appears to be uncalibrated, which occurs after resetting its memory.	Zero and Span calibrate the sensor.
No User Verify	A setting was not verified at the panel within 5 minutes.	Restart the transmitter (2) and verify all settings.
Hardware Fault	The real-time-clock, a non-volatile memory, or some other component has faulted or been corrupted. The transmitter will restart upon exit from the Trouble Status Display (pg 31), or automatically from the Main Display after 5 minutes.	1,3,7,8
Sensor COM TmOut	The SIB is not responding.	2,3,6,7,8
Sensor COM Error	The SIB is responding with physical communication errors.	2,3,6,7,8
Sensor Proto Err	The SIB is responding with protocol errors (ie, bad crc). This could be caused by physical communication errors.	2,3,6,7,8
Sensor Reply Err	The SIB is responding with bad information.	2,3,6,7,8
Sensor CPU Trble	The SIB is reporting a stack overflow or other internal error occurred in its CPU.	2,3,6,7,8
Sensor H/W Error	The SIB is reporting a non-volatile memory or other hardware component has faulted.	2,3,6,7,8
Sensor NVM1 CRC	The SIB is reporting an error has been detected in the user or factory settings stored in its primary non-volatile memory.	2,3,6,7,8
Sensor NVM2 CRC	The SIB is reporting an error has been detected in the user or factory settings stored in its secondary non-volatile memory.	Not applicable on this transmitter.

### **Corrective Action Codes**

1. Select View Trouble (status is cleared on exit, see Trouble Status Display on page 31)
2. Restart the transmitter (Menu>Setup>System>Reset>Restart)
3. Toggle power off and on
4. Replace the sensor
5. Replace the generator
6. Replace the SIB
7. Replace the CPU Board
8. Replace the Power Supply Board
9. Replace the Display Board

## **Maintenance**

The F12/D is virtually maintenance free. Other than the consumable sensor and auto-test generator, the battery backup for the real time clock is the only other user replaceable part.

### **Real Time Clock Battery Replacement**

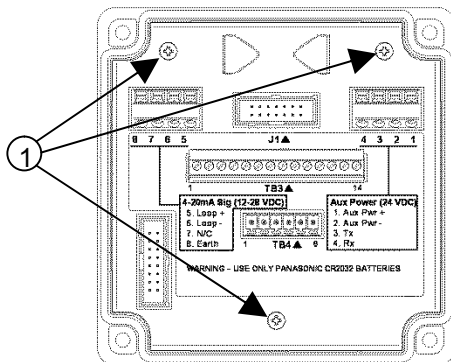
**WARNING:**

Disconnect power, and move unit to a non-hazardous area before servicing.

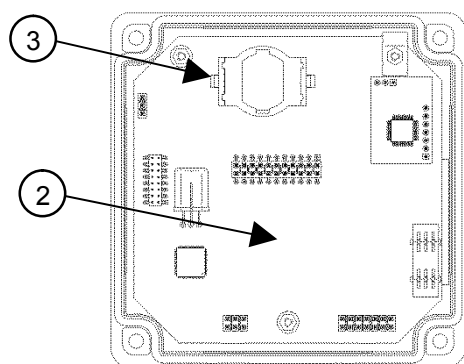
**WARNING:**

Replace with only Panasonic CR2032 battery

1. Loosen the four screws securing the front enclosure
2. Remove the front enclosure from the rear enclosure, by squeezing the hinge pin
3. Remove the Internal Shield by removing the three screws (1)



4. Remove the Terminal Board by gently prying evenly along the top edge to loosen it from the board below, then pull straight up, to expose the CPU PCB (2).



5. Remove the Battery (3), and replace with same kind.
6. Reverse steps 4 through 1 to re-assemble the unit.
7. After powering up the unit, set the data and time.

## SPARE PARTS LIST

Part No.	Description
00-1042	Hydrogen peroxide, 0-10/100 PPM (20 PPM Standard)
00-1169	Hydrogen peroxide, 200/2000 PPM (500 PPM Standard)
03-0477	F12/D Transmitter Front Lid Assembly
00-1584	F12 Sensor Holder Assembly
03-0118	Sensor Cap
01-0413	AC Relay Board Assy, 115 or 230V (specify when ordering)
01-0420	Power Supply Circuit Protection Cover
31-0192	Ribbon Cable, P/S to Front Lid, 16 conductor
29-0013	Battery
00-1251	Flowcell Assembly * requires the 03-0118 Flowcell Sensor Cap
36-0044	Solenoid Valve, 3 way, 12 VDC
36-0045	Sample Pump, twin-head, 12 VDC
44-0124	Tubing, FEP lined PVC, 1/8" I.D.
00-1592	RS232 cable

## APPENDIX 1. Example: Charting a Data Log Report

Start HyperTerminal by clicking **Start**, pointing to **Programs**, pointing to **Accessories**, pointing to **Communications**, clicking **HyperTerminal**, and then double-clicking **Hypertm.exe**.

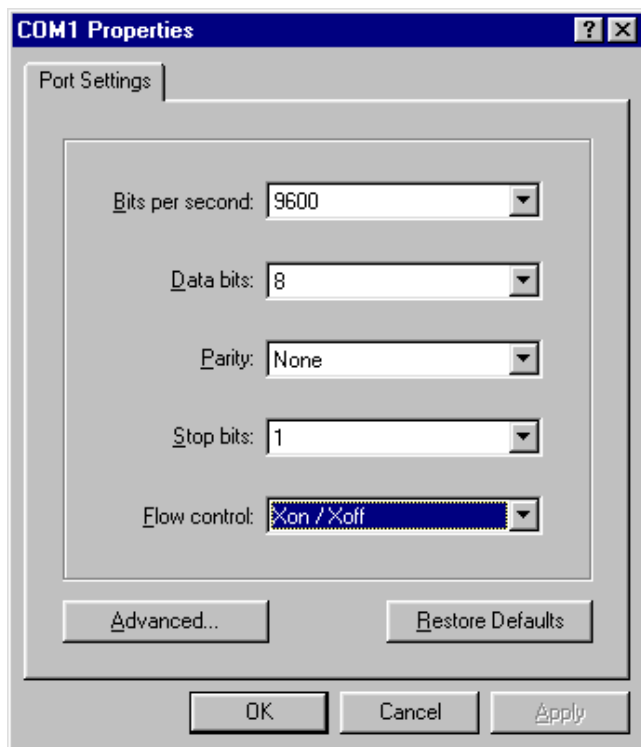
When the **Connection Description** dialog box appears, type in **Connect to F12**. If you wish, choose an icon by sliding the horizontal scroll bar over and clicking one of the selections. Click **OK** when ready.



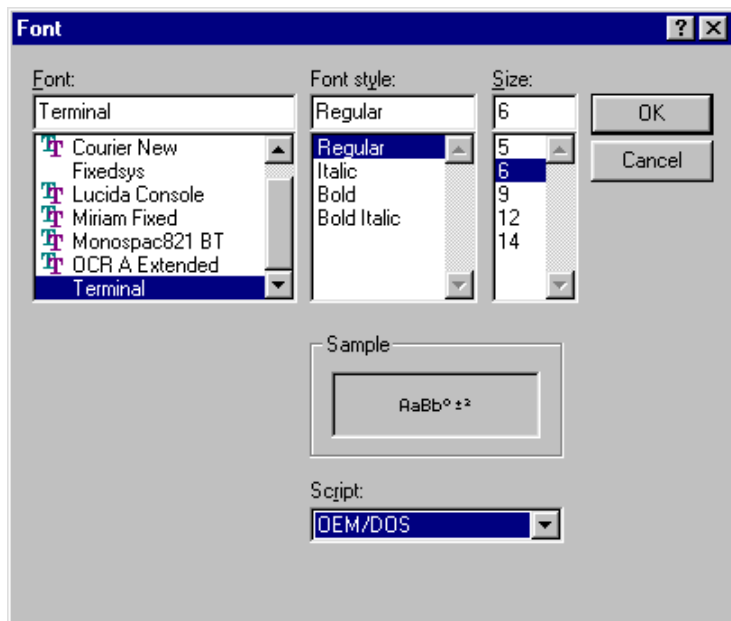
When the **Connect To** dialog appears, set **Connect using:** to **Direct to Com1** (or Direct to Com2 if you are using COM2) and click **OK**.



When the **COM1 Properties** dialog box appears, configure the Port Settings as shown below and click **OK**.

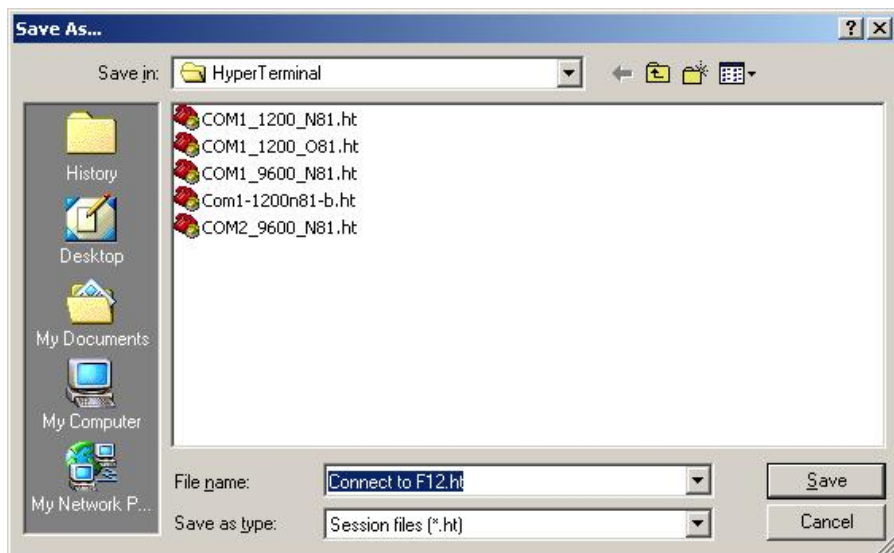


Click **View**, then click **Font** and configure the font settings as shown. This will insure that the data is presented in the terminal window without wrapping from line to line. You may need to experiment with these settings to obtain an acceptable presentation in the terminal window.

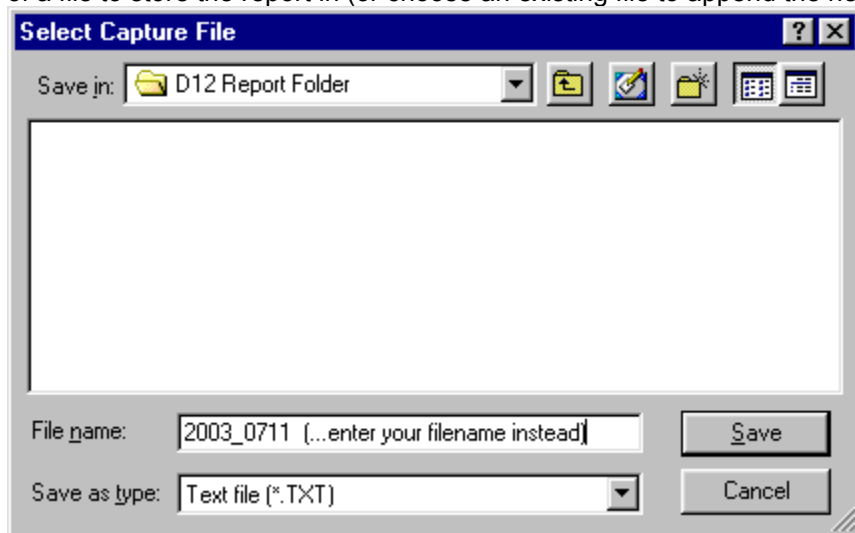


Click **OK** when finished.

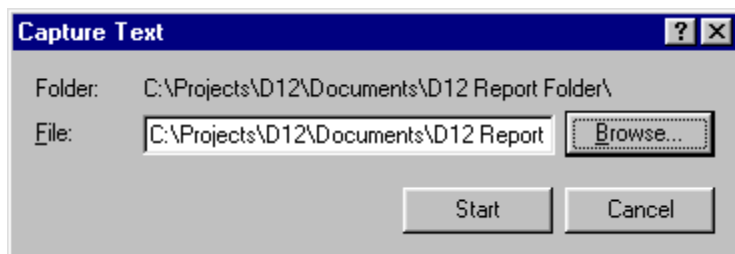
Click **File**, then click **Save As**, and click the **Save** button to store the settings as a HyperTerminal session file named Connect to F12.ht (the filename should automatically appear). You may later place this file on your desktop and simply click it to get this point automatically.



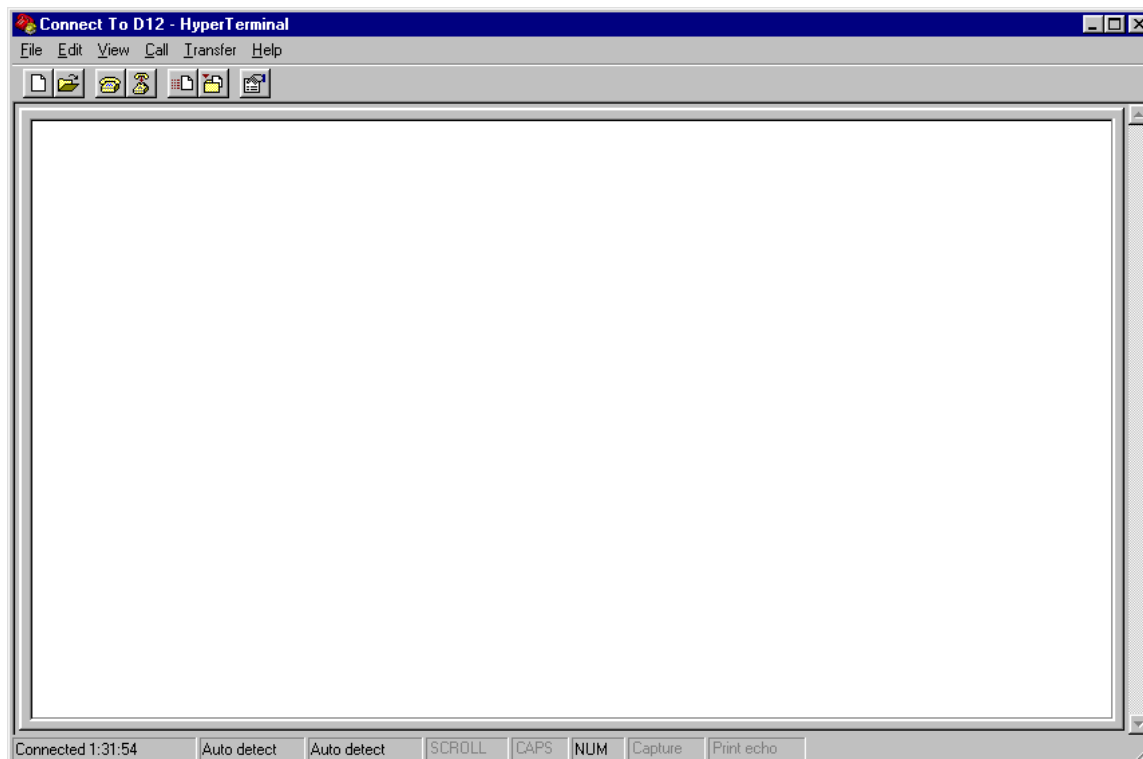
In order to chart the report data, it must be “captured” in a file and given a name. Click **Transfer** on the menu bar, click **Capture Text**, and then click the **Browse** button. Navigate to a folder and type the name of a file to store the report in (or choose an existing file to append the new report).



Click the **Save** button to return to the **Capture Text** dialog box. When the **Capture Text** dialog box reappears, click the **Start** button.



HyperTerminal is now ready to accept a report from the F12 transmitter and save it in a file. Note that data may appear in the terminal window (shown below) if the Connect to F12 session has been run previously, but this data will not appear in the file just opened.



### Starting the Report

Prior to sending a report to the computer, the system clock should be set and the data logger turned on to record at least one sample. In addition, the Log\_Data variable (in the Menu/Setup/Auto-T/Setup menu) should be set to NO if you prefer to see the symbol TEST and not gas concentration values during auto-test.

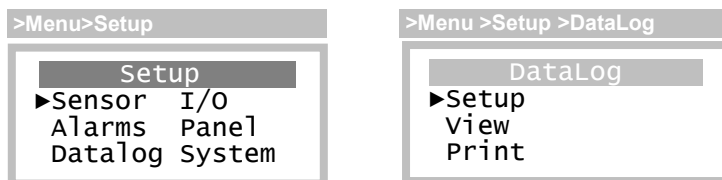
Configure the communication variables as shown below. Note that 9600 is the highest baud rate common to the F12 transmitter and the Hyperterminal program.

Menu>Setup>System>Commun

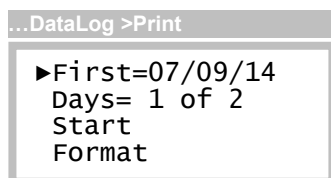
►Protocol=ASCII  
Interface=RS232  
Baud\_Rate=9600  
Parameters=N,8,1



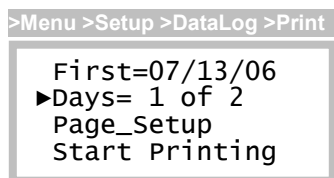
Navigate to the DataLog page and select Print. You will not be allowed access if there are no samples in the log.



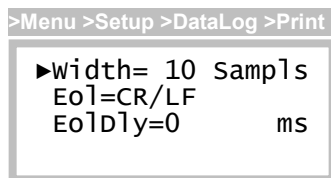
Select the first (starting) date. This will automatically re-compute the maximum number of days shown of the report (variable values will most likely differ from yours).



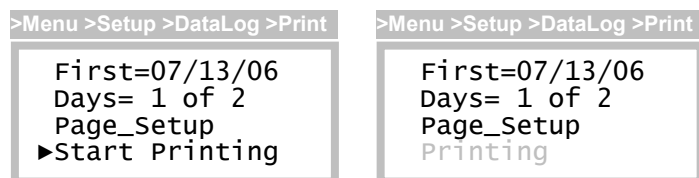
Edit the Days variable if you prefer to reduce the length of the report, otherwise the entire report will be printed.



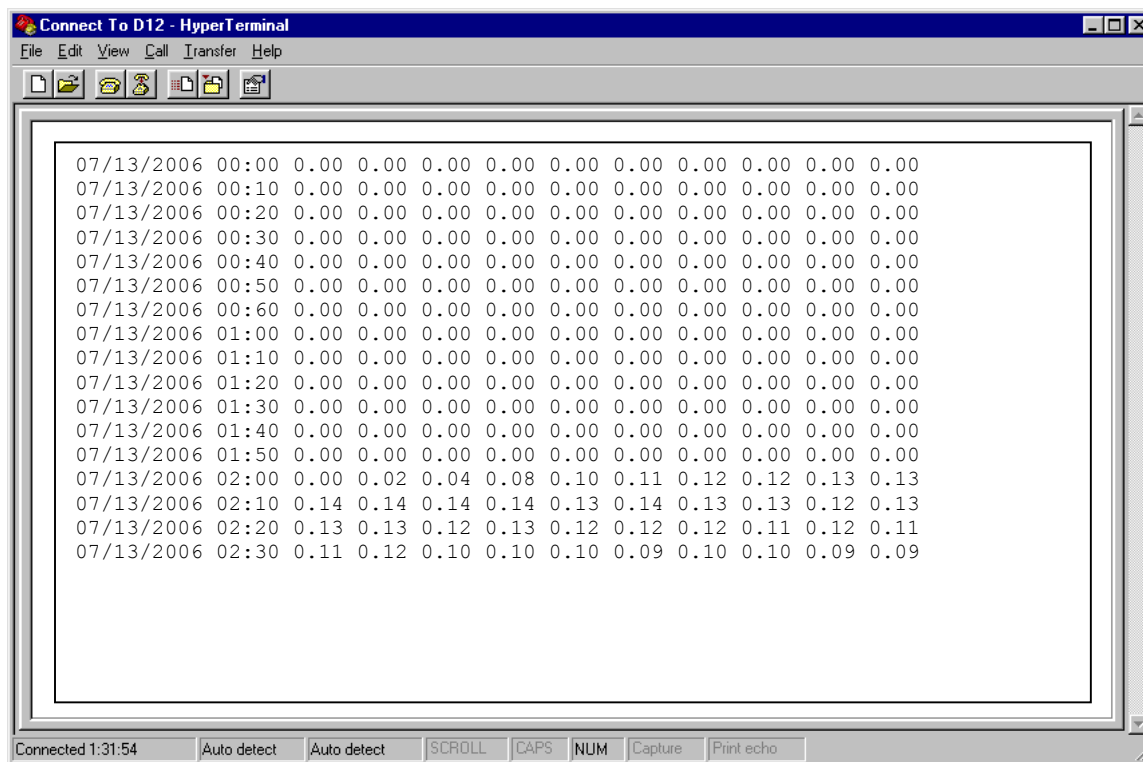
Select Page\_Setup and configure the Width, Eol, and EoIDly variables as shown. The Width variable controls the number of sample columns printed and is settable from 1 to 30. Since the Hyperterminal display is 80 characters wide, set this to 10 columns so that data does not wrap around to the next line. Set Eol for CR/LF, and EoIDly to 0.



Escape from Page\_Setup and select Start\_Printing. "Printing" will begin flashing, and you may stop at any time by pressing the Esc key.



The HyperTerminal terminal window should now begin to fill with lines from the report.



When the transmitter has stopped printing (displays Start\_Printing), click **Transfer**, move down to **Capture Text** and click **Stop**. This will close the report file so that it may be opened by another program.

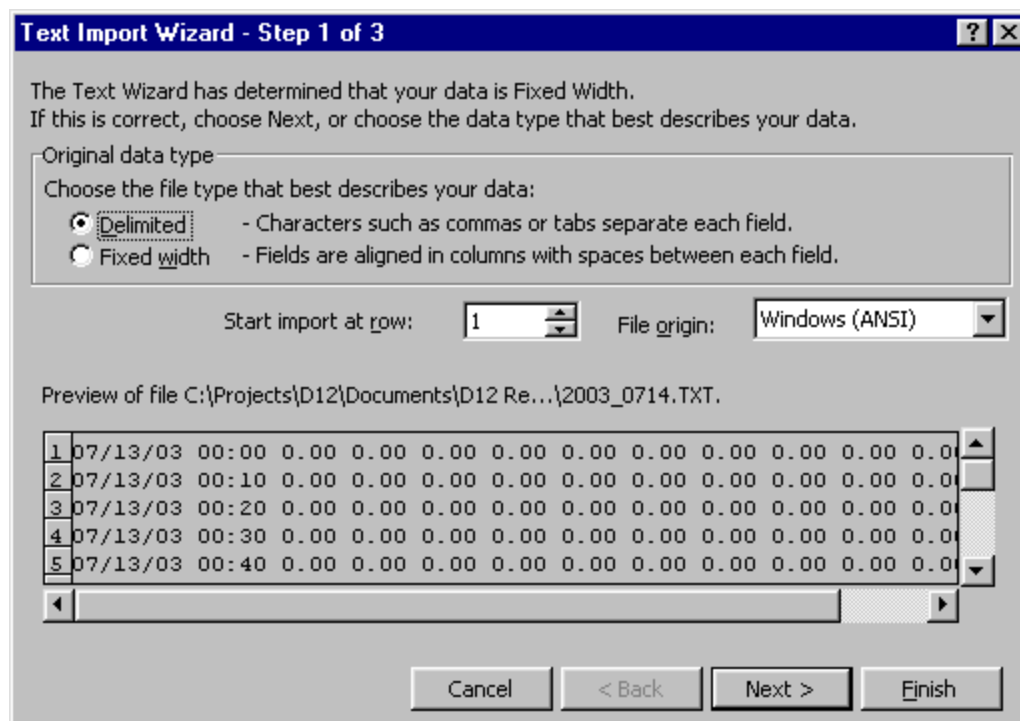
Charting with Microsoft Excel

Microsoft Excel can be used to import data log reports and create useful and informative charts.

Start Excel by clicking **Start**, pointing to **Programs**, and clicking **Microsoft Excel**.

When Excel opens, click **File** and then click **Open**. Navigate to the data log report file you wish to chart and click **Open**. Excel will recognize the report as a text file and offer some configuration options.

When the **Text Import Wizard – Step 1 of 3** appears, configure the settings as shown below and click **Next**. (Note that the values in your report file will be different than those shown below.)



When the **Text Import Wizard – Step 2 of 3** appears, configure the settings as shown below and click **Next**.

**Text Import Wizard - Step 2 of 3**

This screen lets you set the delimiters your data contains. You can see how your text is affected in the preview below.

**Delimiters:**

☐ Tab ☐ Semicolon ☐ Comma  
☒ Space ☐ Other:

☒ Treat consecutive delimiters as one

Text qualifier:

**Data preview**

07/13/03	00:00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
07/13/03	00:10	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
07/13/03	00:20	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
07/13/03	00:30	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
07/13/03	00:40	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Cancel < Back Next > Finish

When the **Text Import Wizard – Step 3 of 3** appears, click **Finish**.

**Text Import Wizard - Step 3 of 3**

This screen lets you select each column and set the Data Format.

'General' converts numeric values to numbers, date values to dates, and all remaining values to text.

Advanced...

**Column data format:**

☒ General  
☐ Text  
☐ Date:   
☐ Do not import column (skip)

**Data preview**

General	General	General	General	General	General	General	General	General	General	General	General
07/13/03	00:00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
07/13/03	00:10	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
07/13/03	00:20	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
07/13/03	00:30	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
07/13/03	00:40	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Cancel < Back Next > Finish

The report should appear as a spreadsheet resembling the format shown below. Of course the dates, times, and values will be different.

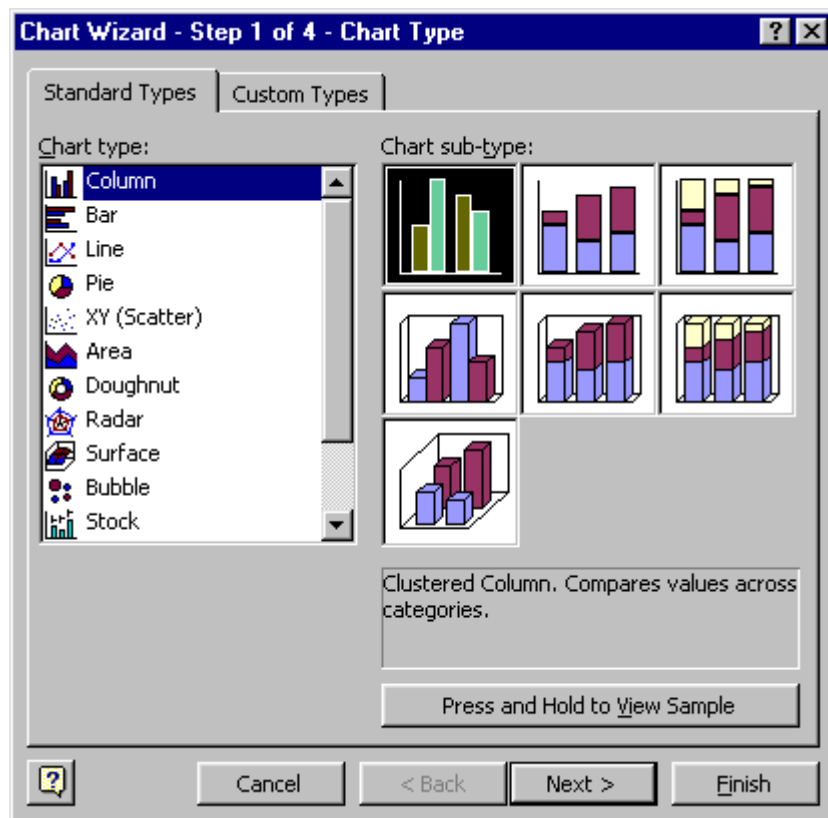
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q
1	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
9	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
11	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
12	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
13	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
14	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
15	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
18	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
19	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
21	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
22	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
23	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
24	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
25	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
26	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
27	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
28	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
29	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
31	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
32	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
33	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
34	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
35	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
36	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
37	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
38	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
39	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
40	7H1303	0.00	C	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
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To chart the report, select one full day of data by dragging the mouse cursor over the region to be charted. Notice that this region begins in the time of day column and extends across each of the sample columns.

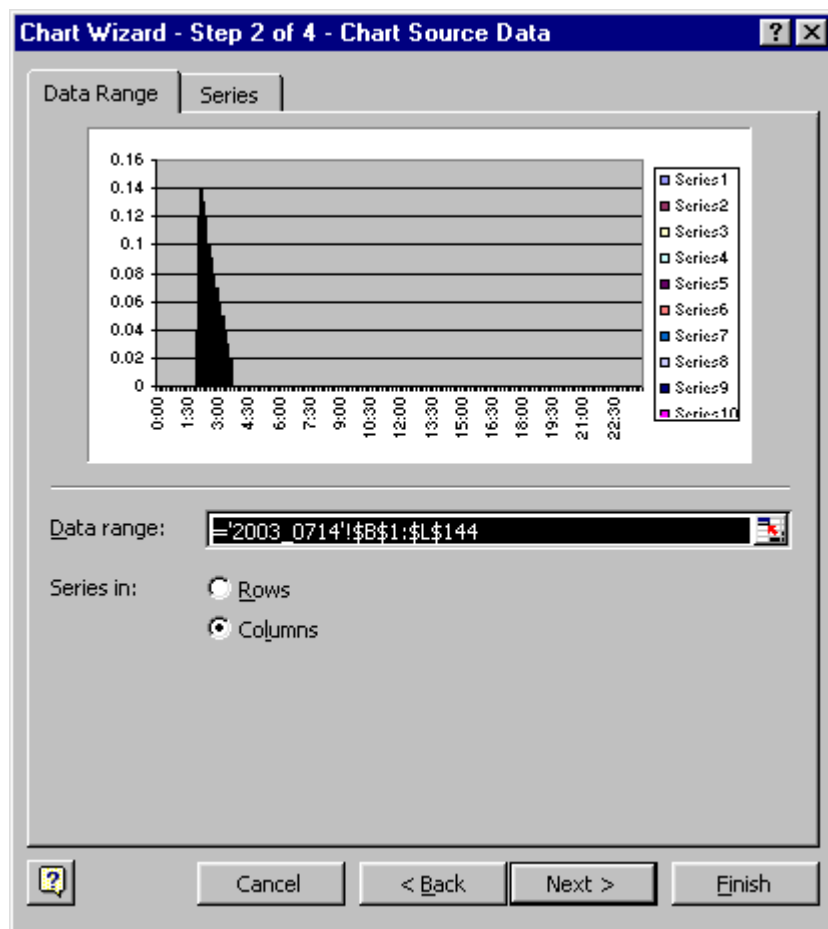
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4	7/13/03	0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
5	7/13/03	0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
6	7/13/03	0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
7	7/13/03	0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
8	7/13/03	0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
9	7/13/03	0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
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12	7/13/03	0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
13	7/13/03	0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
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19	7/13/03	0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
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22	7/13/03	0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
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25	7/13/03	0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
26	7/13/03	0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
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30	7/13/03	0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
31	7/13/03	0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
32	7/13/03	0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

After selecting the region, click Insert and then Chart (or click the Chart icon directly from the toolbar).

When the **Chart Type** dialog appears, click on **Column**, and click **Next**.

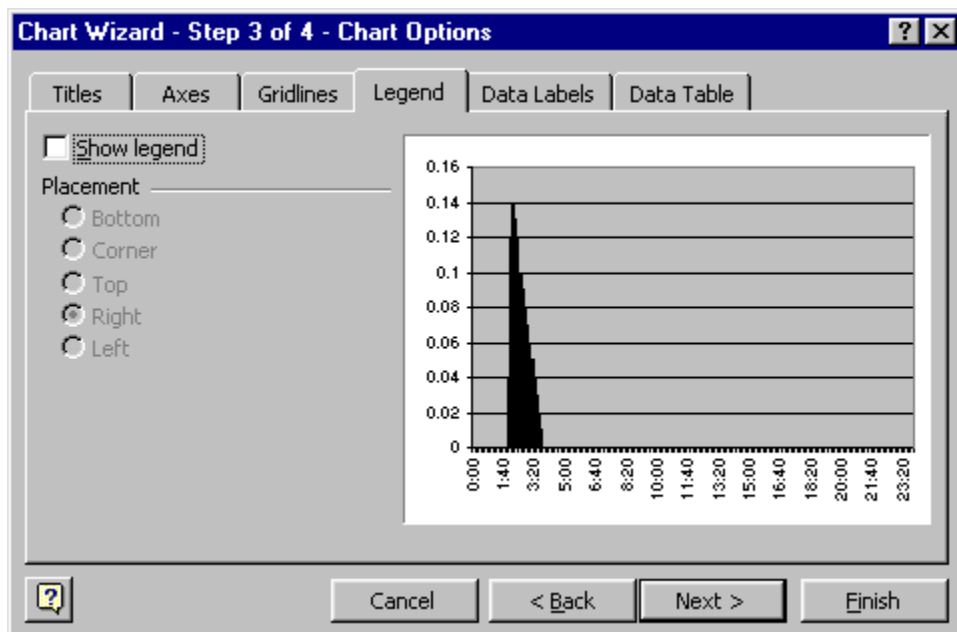


When the **Chart Source Data** dialog appears, click **Next**.

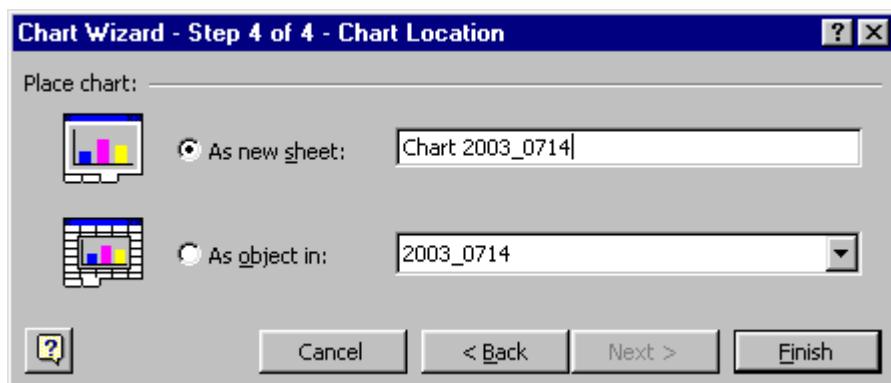




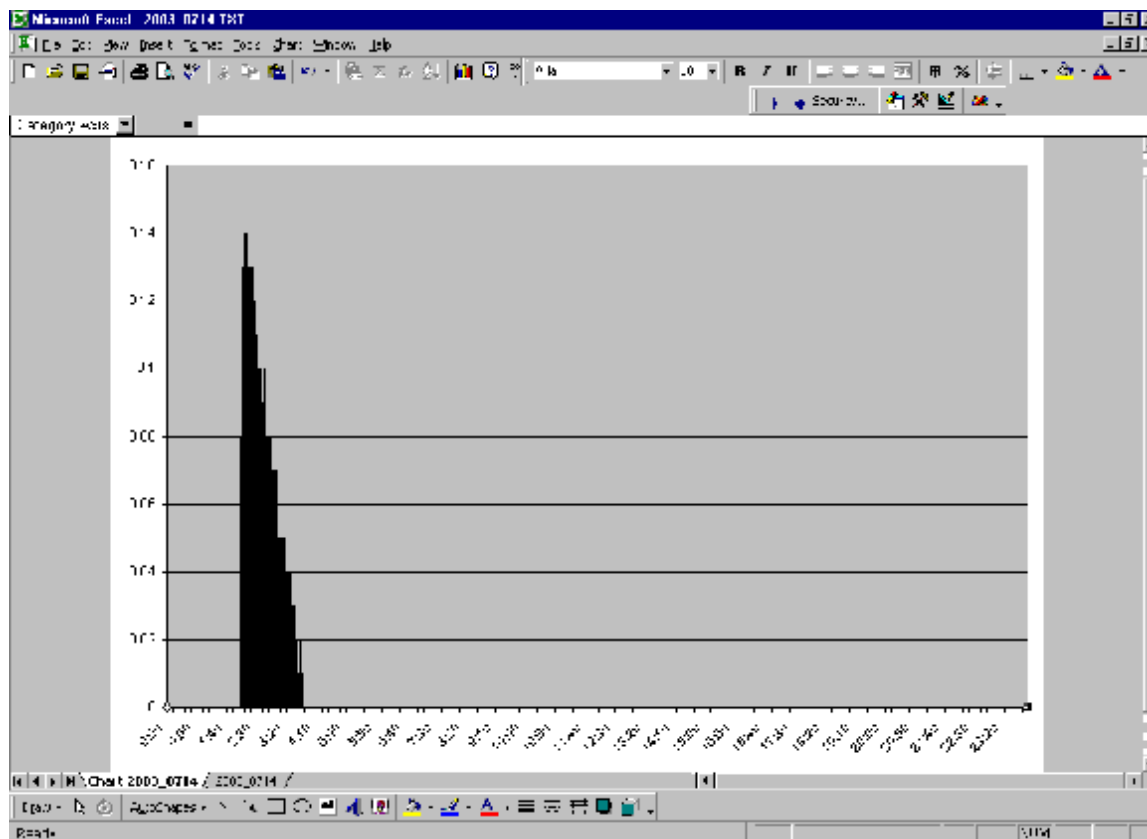
When the **Chart Options** dialog appears, click off the **Show legend** option, and click **Next**.



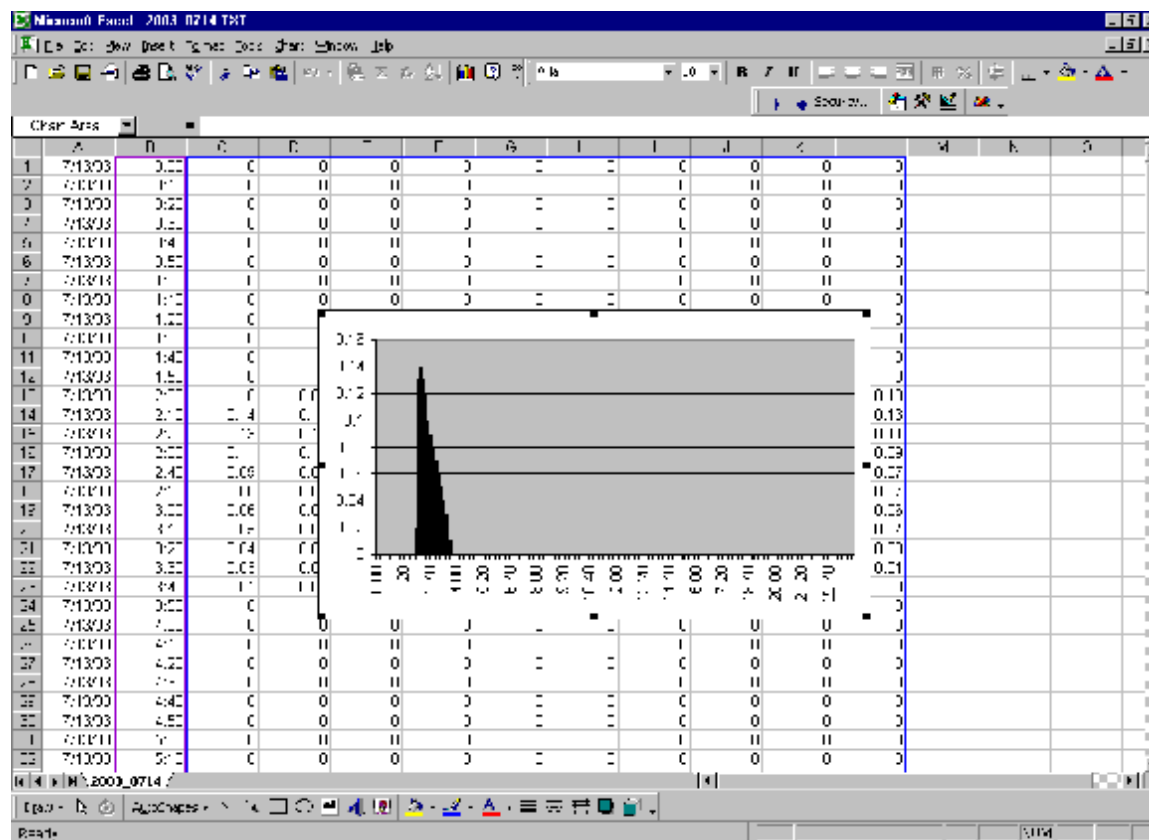
When the **Chart Location** dialog appears, click the **as new sheet** radio button and enter the name of a new sheet to store the chart in. Alternately, you may click the **As object in** radio button to place the chart onto the sheet you have just created.



If you have previously clicked the **As new sheet** radio button, the chart will appear on the new sheet named above. You may now move between the new sheet and the old sheet by clicking the sheet tabs that appear just below the chart display.



If you have previously clicked the **As object in:** radio button, the chart will appear on the existing sheet.



Finally, click **File**, then **Save** to store the chart.

Once the chart has been created, you may wish to rescale it, title it, and print it. These features are detailed in Microsoft Excel Help and are beyond the scope of this document.