



## ML 311

HEAT METER



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## SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

ML 311 is a heat meter provided to a consumer through a thermal fluid (typically water). The energy value is calculated according to the standard EN1434.

The quantities to be measured are the flow rate of thermal fluid and two circuit temperatures, measured respectively on inlet and outlet of the fluid itself.

### FLOW MEASUREMENT

It can be done through the acquisition of two different measures:

- Analog: the thermal energy meter can acquire the 4-20mA signal from a flow meter
- Factorized pulses (frequency): flow measure by the factorized pulses counting, arriving to the thermal energy meter by a dedicated digital input.

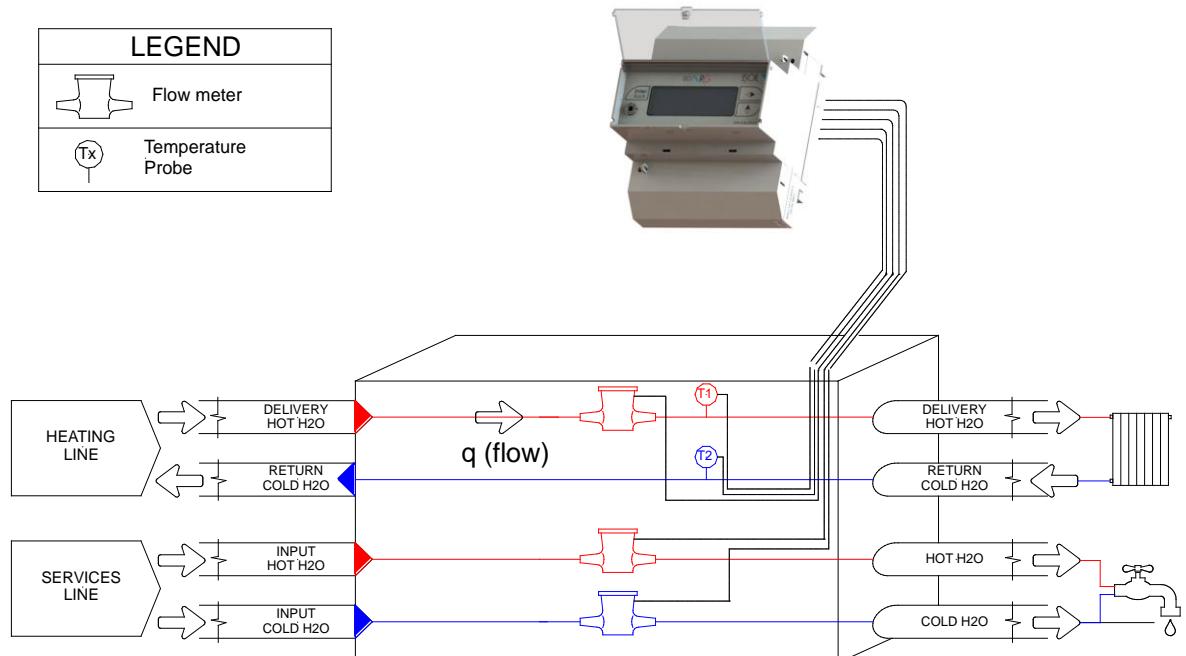
### TEMPERATURE MEASUREMENT

The instrument measures the temperature by RTD (PT type), in a configuration of 4-wires connections; the PT values connected, selectable by software, are:

- PT100
- PT500
- PT1000

By a highly accurate internal reference system and an appropriate electronic switch network, the temperatures are measured by highly accurate ADC (Analog to Digital Converter).

The diagram below is a schematic of the principle: in addition to the thermal energy meter function, the ML 311 allows to totalize the hot and cold water volume used for service lines; in some cases this solution can be helpful for a quick reference of the measures and the possibility to transfer them to other systems using several fieldbus which the instrument has built-in.



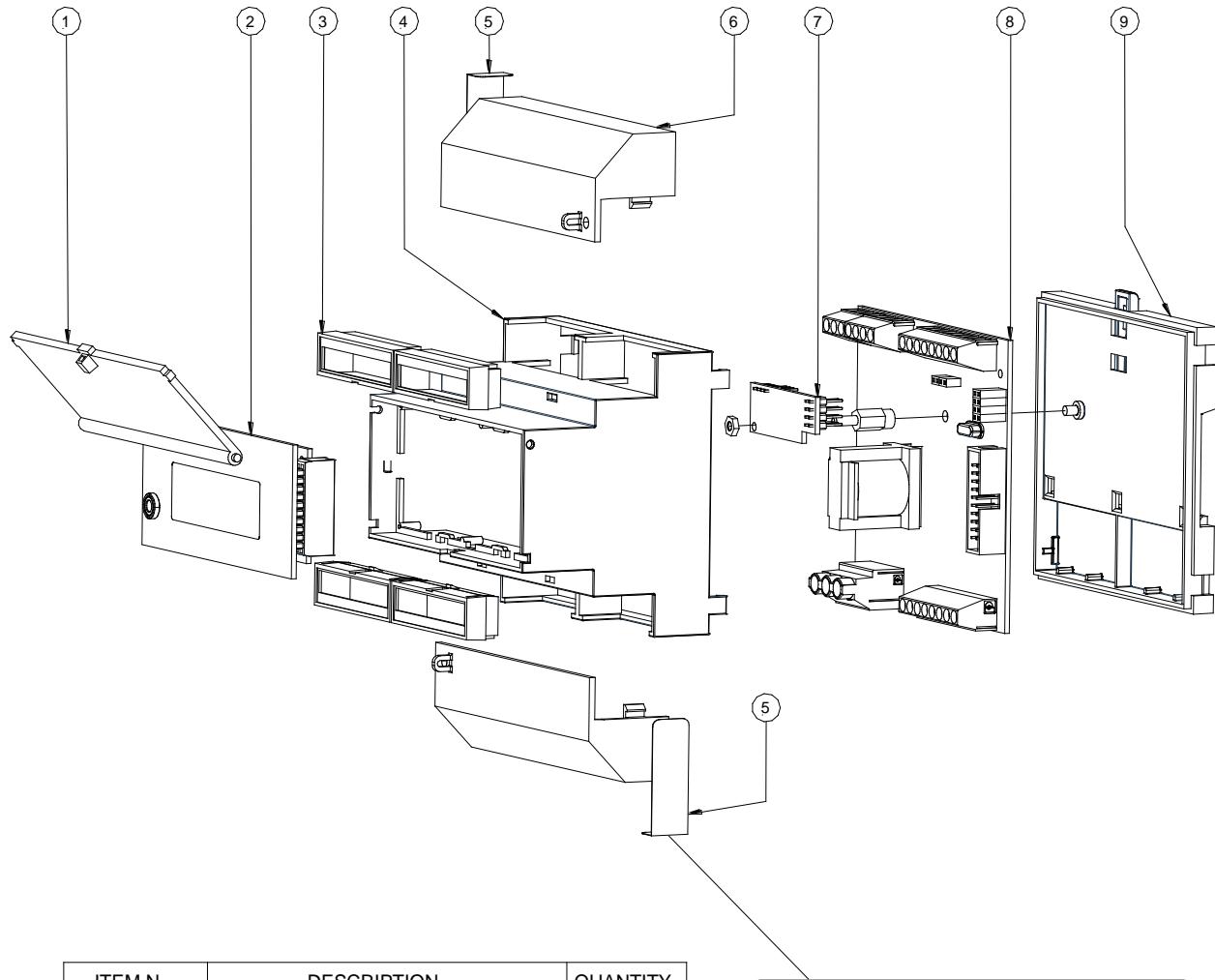
## TECHNICAL DATA

<b>OVERALL FEATURES</b>	
<b>Maximum thermal power</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>P<sub>s</sub> = 99999 GW</b>
<b>Hot/cold switching</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Automatic through assignment of the +/- sign (possibility of congruence control from remote input)</b>
<b>Measure units available</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>kW/MJ</b>
<b>Installation</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Any orientation - DIN rail</b>
<b>Altitude</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>From -200m to 4000m (from -656 to 13120 feet)</b>
<b>Environmental temperature</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>+5... +55°C (+41...+131°F)</b>
<b>Temperature Range(Measure)</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>-15... +200 (+5...+392°F) -15... +150 (+5...+302°F) for MID instrument</b>
<b>Protection Rate</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>IP65</b>

<b>STANDARD FEATURES</b>	
<b>Housing material</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>PPO self-extinguishing</b>
<b>Power supply/power consumption</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>15-45V--- (6W); 15-45V~ – 45-66Hz (8 VA)</b>
<b>Pulses/frequency (out)</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>N° 2 output 1250Hz, 100mA, 40Vdc</b>
<b>Available protocols</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>ETP</b>
<b>Digital input</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>N° 1 multifunction (reset totalizer, cooling /heating)</b>
<b>Analog input for flow meter</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>N°1 4..20mA range for measure fluid flow rate</b>
<b>Frequency inputs for flow meter (q max function of the value for pulse)</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>N° 3 inputs (frequency max. 1kHz, min. 0.003 Hz): ▪ Fluid volume ▪ Cold water volume ▪ Hot water volume</b>
<b>Inputs for sensor temperature</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>N° 2 (one for the delivery and one for the return)</b>
<b>Digital outputs</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>N° 2 programmable for alarms or pulses for energy/volume</b>
<b>Programming Plug In</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Protected plug in for the connection to PC</b>
<b>Galvanic Isolation</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>All the inputs/outputs are galvanically isolated from power supply up to 500 V</b>
<b>Diagnostic Function</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Yes</b>
<b>CE Certification</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Yes</b>

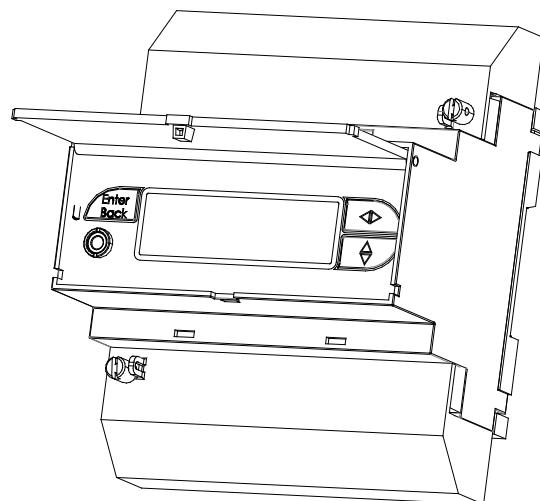
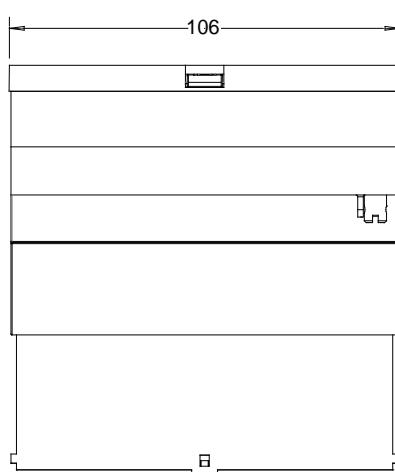
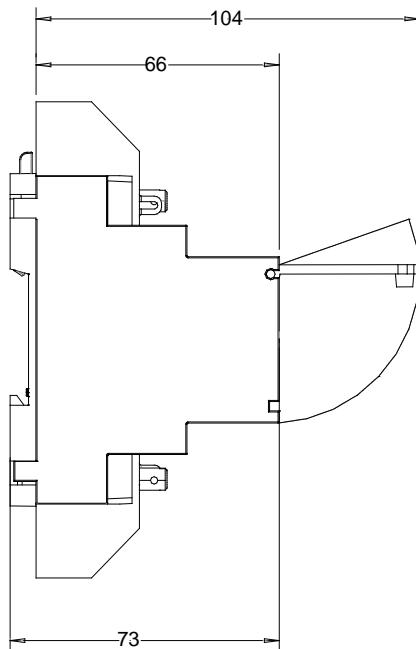
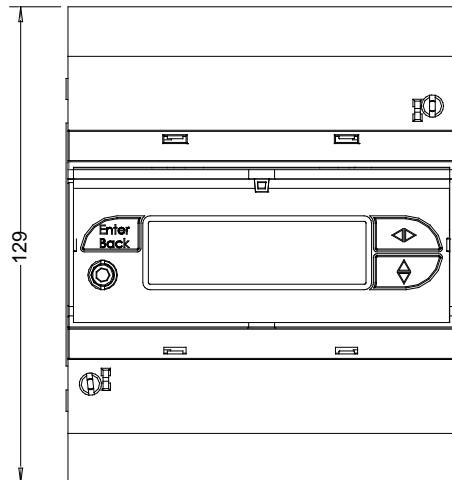
<b>OPTIONAL FEATURES</b> <i>(CHECK FOR MORE DETAILS 'HOW TO ORDER' ON LAST PAGE)</i>	
<b>LCD display</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Graphic display 122 x 32 pixels back light; characters height 6,8 mm</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>3 membrane keys</b>
<b>Current output</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>N° 1 0/4...20mA selectable alternatively for flow, energy, temperature T1, T2 or delta T</b>
<b>Temperature sensor</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Thermal probes PT 100/PT500/PT1000 (2/3/4 wires)</b>
<b>Communication port</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>RS 485/MBus</b>
<b>Available protocols</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Modbus over RS485/N2/BACnet over RS485/Mbus</b>
<b>Data storage</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>F-RAM: permanent data storage in power failure case</b>
<b>MID Certification</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>MI-004</b>

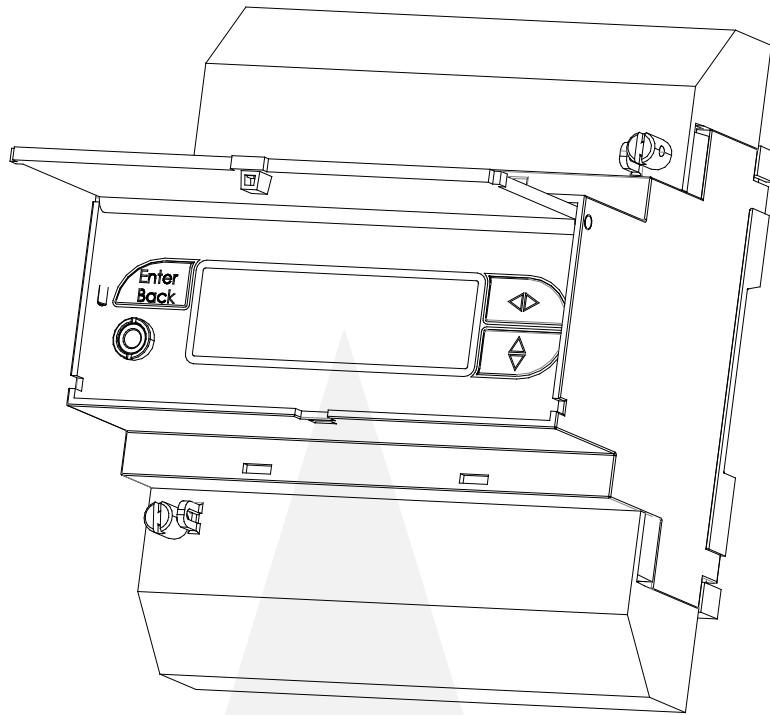
<b>MEASUREMENT</b>	
<b>Temperature measuring range</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b><math>\vartheta_{min}</math> -15 °C (+5°F), <math>\vartheta_{max}</math> 150°C (302°F)</b>
<b>Delta temperature (<math>\Delta\vartheta</math>)</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b><math>\Delta\vartheta_{min}</math> 2 °C (35.6°F), <math>\Delta\vartheta_{max}</math> 150 °C (302°F)</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b><math>\Delta\vartheta_{min}</math> 0,1 °C (32.18°F) – for instruments without MID certificate</b>
<b>Measurement accuracy</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>System: <math>\pm 0.20\%</math> (<math>0.18 + \Delta\vartheta_{min}/\Delta\vartheta</math>)</b>

**EXPLODED LAYOUT**

ITEM N.	DESCRIPTION	QUANTITY
1	COVER-DISPLAY GLASS	1
2	KEYBOARD/DISPLAY	1
3	TERMINALS COVER	4
4	HOUSING	1
5	MID SECURITY SEALING LABEL	2
6	TERMINAL BLOCKS COVER	2
7	EXPANSION MODULE	1
8	PCB BOARD	1
9	REAR CLOSURE	1

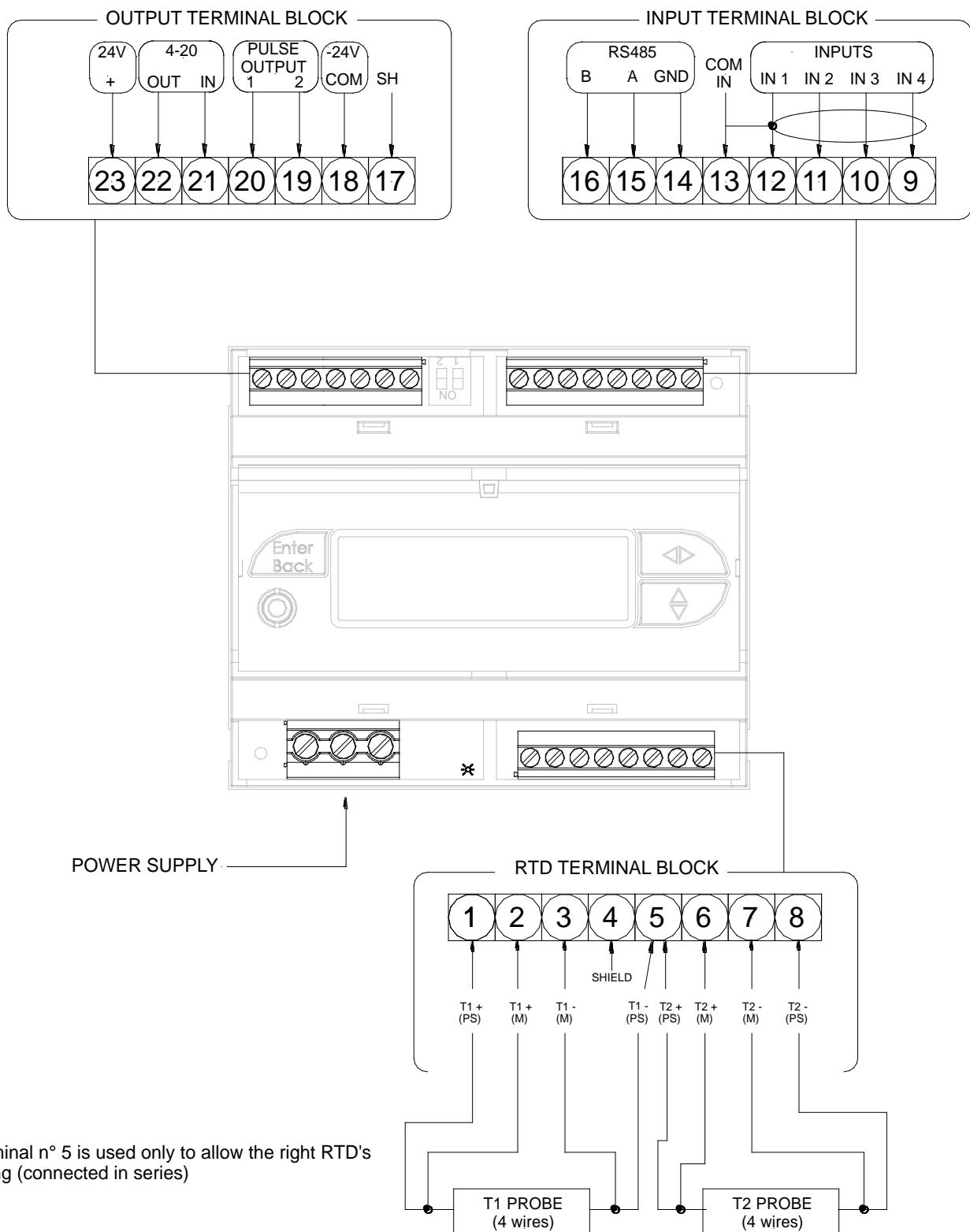
**MID SECURITY  
SEALING**

**OVERALL DIMENSIONS**

**VISUALIZATION PAGES**

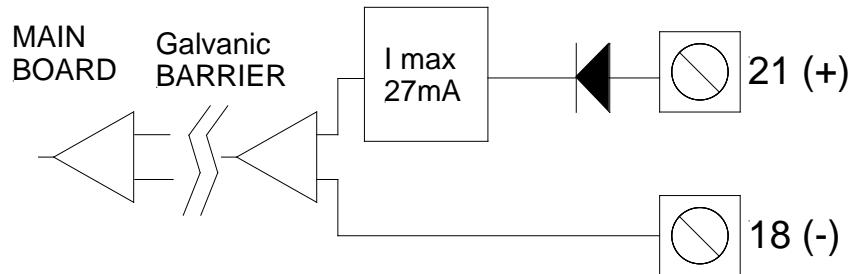
Different visualization possibilities simply by simply pressing a key

## ELECTRICAL CONNECTIONS

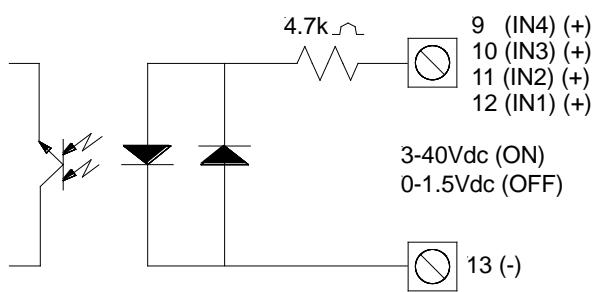


## INPUTS / OUTPUTS

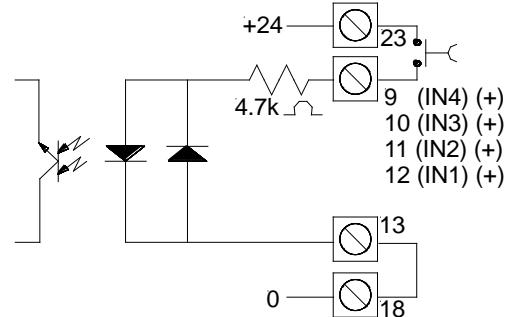
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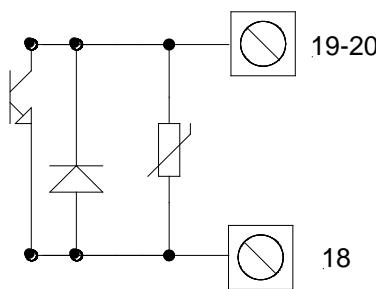
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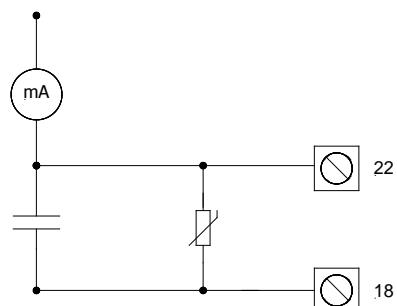
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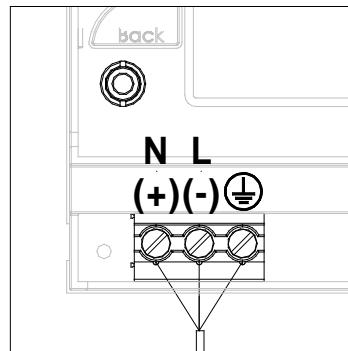
### ON/OFF 1250Hz OUTPUT



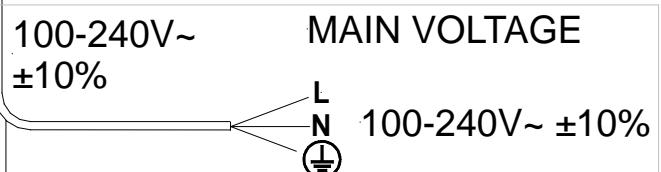
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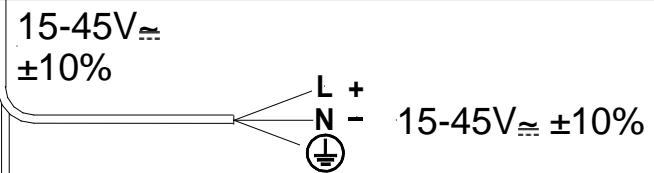
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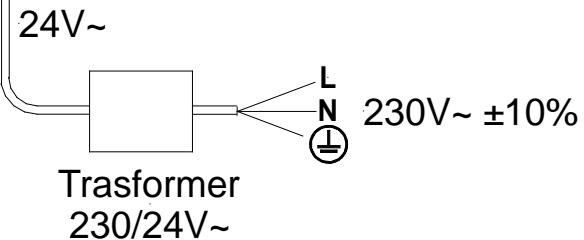
**LIST OPTION 1**  
(Only non-EEC countries)



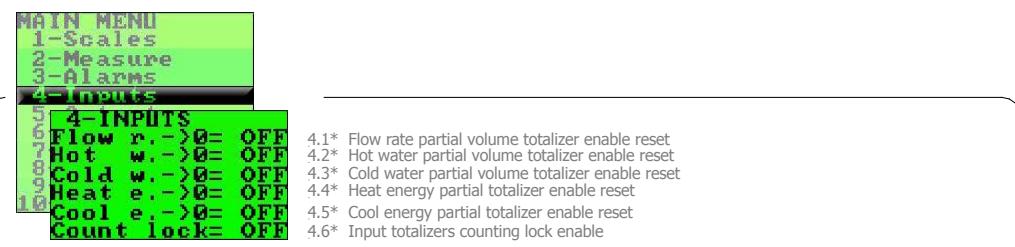
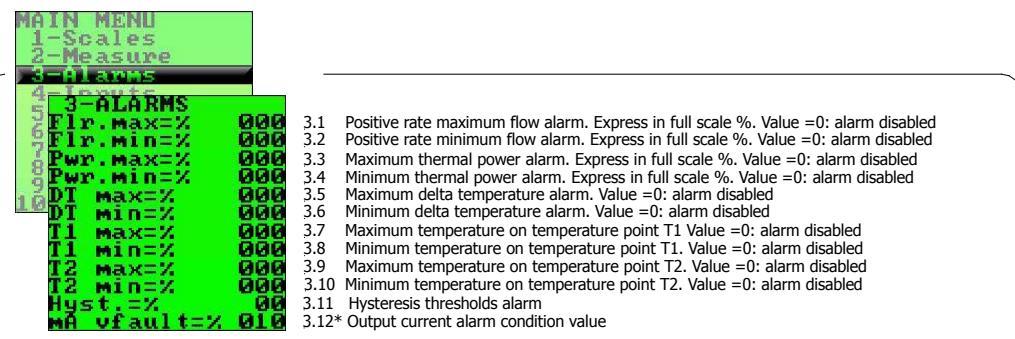
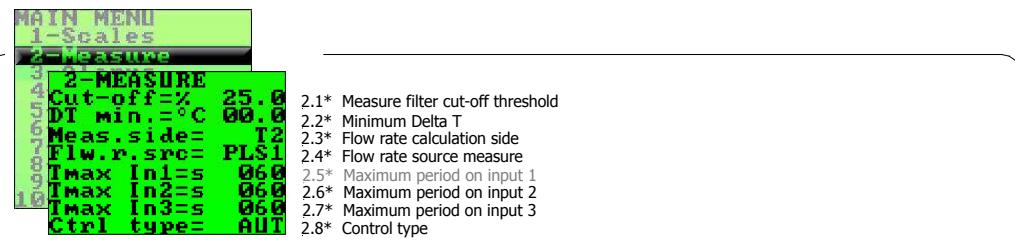
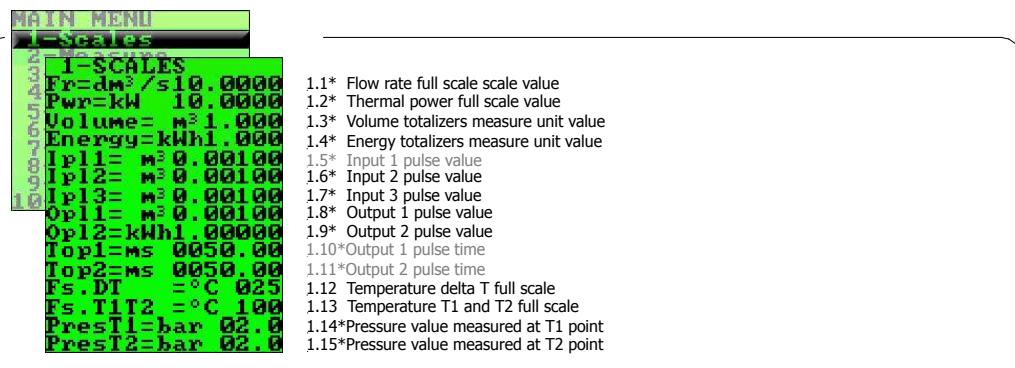
**LIST OPTION 2**



**LIST OPTION 3**  
Transformer delivery included



## FUNCTIONS



**MAIN MENU**

1-Scales  
2-Measure  
3-Alarms  
4-Inputs  
**5-Outputs**

6-**5-OUTPUTS**

7-Out1= FLOW PLS  
8-Out2= POWER PLS  
9-Out MA= 0-22  
10-Out MA= FLOW

5.1\* Output 1 function  
5.2\* Output 2 function  
5.3\* Current output scale  
5.4\* Current output function

4-Inputs  
5-Outputs  
**6-Communicat.**

7-Display  
8-**6-COMMUNICAT.**

9-IF2 prot.= DPP  
10-Address= 255  
Speed= 9600  
Protocol=N2open  
Parity= NO,1SB  
Delay= OFF

6.1 IF2 protocol type  
6.2 Device address (range 0 - 255)  
6.3 RS485 speed  
6.4 RS485 protocol type  
6.5 RS485 parity  
6.6 Answer delay

5-Outputs  
6-Communicat.  
**7-Display**

8-**7-DISPLAY**

10-Language= EN  
Quick start= OFF  
Disp.lock= OFF  
Flow r.->0  
Hot w.->0  
Cold w.->0  
Heat e.->0  
Cool e.->0

7.1 Choice of the language: EN=English, IT=Italian, FR=French, SP=Spanish, DE=German  
7.2 Quick start menu enable  
7.3 Display lock enable  
7.4 Flow rate volume totalizer partial reset  
7.5 Hot water volume totalizer partial reset  
7.6 Cold water volume totalizer partial reset  
7.7 Heat energy partial totalizer reset  
7.8 Cool energy partial totalizer reset

6-Communicat.  
7-Display  
**8-Data logger**

9-**8-DATA LOGGER**

10-10/11/13 13:12  
Disp.min/max  
Display events  
Reset min/max  
Clear events

8.1\* Date and time set  
8.2 Minimum and maximum visualization of: flow rate, thermal power, DT, T1, T2  
8.3\* Stored events read  
8.4 Reset all minimum and maximum values  
8.5 Reset all events stored

7-Display  
8-Data logger  
**9-Diagnostic**

10-**9-DIAGNOSTIC**

Self test  
Simulation= OFF

9.1\* Converter autotest  
9.2\* Measure simulation enable

8-Data logger  
9-Diagnostic  
**10-Intern.data**

10-**10-INTERN.DATA**

keycode= 00000  
Load fact.data  
DT null  
DT null res

10.1 L2 access code  
10.2 Load factory data  
10.3\* Delta T null command  
10.4 Delta T null reset, annul the previous function

## HOW TO ORDER

<b>CODE EXAMPLE</b>		<b>Certification</b>
<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	WITHOUT MID-004
	<b>M</b>	CE M CERTIFICATION: MID-004
<b>Display</b>		
<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	Blind version (without display)
	<b>B</b>	4 LINES X 15 CHARAPHER DISPLAY
<b>Housing material / Protection rate</b>		
<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	PPO Housing sealable
<b>FLOW RATE SOURCE (THERMAL FLUID)</b>		
<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	Pulses
	<b>B</b>	4/20 mA
<b>Power supply</b>		
<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	Power supply :100 ... 240 V AC 45/66 Hz ( <b>Only for countries out of CEE</b> ) ( <b>NO MI-004</b> )
	<b>2</b>	Power supply : 15-45 VAC/DC
	<b>3</b>	Power supply : 15-45 VAC/DC + TRANSFORMER 230/24 VAC
<b>Analogue output</b>		
<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	without analog out
	<b>B</b>	Analogue output 0/4...20/22 mA
<b>Serial Interface</b>		
<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	None
	<b>2</b>	RS485 Serial Interface
	<b>3</b>	Modbus protocol over RS 485 interface
	<b>4</b>	N2 protocol over RS 485 interface
	<b>5</b>	Mbus protocol ( <b>NO MI-004</b> )
	<b>6</b>	BACnet protocol over RS 485 interface
<b>Additional module</b>		
<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	None
	<b>B</b>	PT 100
	<b>C</b>	PT 500
	<b>D</b>	PT 1000
<b>Special Features</b>		
<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	NONE



ML311-0A0A1A0A0 (Example of order code)

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