# SC-FI Series 

Frequency to Current Signal Conditioner
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## Description:

The SC-FI is a two wire frequency to analog converter that converts a pulse rate input into a 4-20 mA output signal proportional to frequency or rate.

The input pulse rate is amplified and filtered by the input signal conditioning circuitry. Two forms of input signal conditioning are provided, one for magnetic pickups and the other being an isolated pulse input.

The amplified frequency signal is then converted to an analog signal using a precision frequency to analog converter.

The output stage derives it's power from the output current loop. The output stage converts the input signal into the desired output range. Multi-turn potentiometers provide for the necessary trimming of span and zero.

## SPECIFICATIONS:

## Operating Temperature

$32^{\circ} \mathrm{F}\left(0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$ to $158^{\circ} \mathrm{F}\left(70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$

## High Level Pulse Input

Type: Opto-Isolated
Logic 1: 4-30 VDC
Logic 0: 0-1 VDC
Frequency Range: $0-10 \mathrm{kHz}$
Fault Protection: Reverse Polarity Protection Over Voltage Protection
Isolation Voltage: 500 V
Fast Transient Immunity: 500 V
Maximum Rise Time: No Limit
Maximum Fall Time: No Limit

## Magnetic Pickup Input

Differential Input
Input Impedance: $10 \mathrm{k} \Omega$
Frequency Response: 0-3500 Hz
Trigger Sensitivity: $30 \mathrm{mV} \mathrm{p}-\mathrm{p}$
Over Voltage Protection: $\pm 30$ VDC
Frequency to Current Conversion
Range Selection: DIP Switch Selectable
Available Ranges: $150 \mathrm{~Hz}, 300 \mathrm{~Hz}, 600 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1200 \mathrm{~Hz}$, $2500 \mathrm{~Hz}, 5000 \mathrm{~Hz}, 10,000 \mathrm{~Hz}$
Factory Default: 1000 Hz

## Simplified Block Diagram



Analog Output
Accuracy: $\pm 0.1 \%$ Span (@ $20^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ )
Output Type: Two Wire, Loop Powered
Range: 4-20 mA (10-50 mA optional)
Compliance Voltage: 10 to 40 VDC
Loop Burden: < 10 VDC (less than $500 \Omega$ )
Trim Controls: Zero \& Span, non-interacting
Span (20 mA) Trim Range: $50 \%$ to $100 \%$ of full scale
Linearity: $< \pm 0.1 \%$ Span
Output Voltage Effect: < $\pm 0.002 \%$ Span/Volt
Temperature Effect: < 200 PPM/C ${ }^{\circ}$
Reverse Polarity Protected
Noise Content: < $0.2 \%$ Span
Response Time: 0.1 second ( 1 sec . jumper selectable)
Over-current Limiting: 35 mA
Output Loop Indicator: LED illuminates when output loop is powered by proper polarity and blinks proportionally to the input frequency.

## Mounting Styles

DIN Rail Mount: Plastic enclosure with a snap fastener for fitting to DIN 46277 and DIN EN 50022 assembly rails.

NEMA 4X: 4.92" x 4.92" NEMA 4X Enclosure for wall mounting.

Explosion Proof: Aluminum enclosure for:
Class I, Division 1, Groups B, C \& D Class II, Division I, Groups E, F \& G.

## Typical Wiring Hookup

Magnetic Pickup Hookup


High Level Pulse Hookup


## INPUT \& OUTPUT SETTINGS

## REMOVING THE CASE:

The case must be removed to change switch settings. To remove the case procede as follows:

Refer to FIGURE 1. Using finger tips, carefully pry the case away from the terminal blocks (as shown with dotted lines).

Pry far enough to release the restraining clips on both sides of the case.

Press up on terminal block with thumbs. The assembly will pop out allowing it to be removed from case.

FIGURE 1:


## INPUT FREQUENCY RANGE SETTINGS:

The appropriate range is selected by turning "ON" the corresponding switch.

| Range: | Switch \# "ON" |
| :--- | :---: |
|  |  |
| $0-150 \mathrm{~Hz}$ | 1 |
| $0-300 \mathrm{~Hz}$ | 2 |
| $0-600 \mathrm{~Hz}$ | 3 |
| $0-1200 \mathrm{~Hz}$ | $4^{\star}$ |
| $0-2500 \mathrm{~Hz}$ | 5 |
| $0-5000 \mathrm{~Hz}$ | 6 |
| $0-10000 \mathrm{~Hz}$ | 7 |

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## OUTPUT ADJUSTMENTS:

The unit has two potentiometers for adjustment. The upper potentiometer controls the 20 mA setpoint and the lower potentiometer controls the 4 mA setpoint (see Figure 2). The 4 mA output range can be adjusted from 3 mA to 5 mA . The 20 mA output range can be trimmed from $50 \%$ to $100 \%$ of the selected range. To adjust the output, initially turn the 20ma adjust 20 turns CW for starting position. Input 0 frequency and adjust the 4 mA pot. Connect your maximum frequency and adjust the 20 mA pot.

## FIGURE 2:



## RESPONSE TIME SETTING:

Switch \#8 controls the output response time.
Switch \#8 Response Time

| OFF | 0.1 second |
| :---: | :---: |
| ON | 1 second |

Turn switch \#8 ON to provide damping of the output resulting in a 1 second response time.

## LED INDICATOR:

The SC-FI has a LED which indicates the status of the unit. The table below describes the 3 states for the LED.

| LED STATUS: | MEANING: |
| :--- | :--- |
| OFF | The unit is off. |
| ON (constant) | The unit is loop powered. |
| BLINKING | The unit is receiving an input fre- <br> quency. The LED will blink at a rate |
|  | proportional to the input frequency. <br> (The LED may appear to be constant <br> at high input frequencies) |

## "L" Option SPECIFICATIONS

## Description:

The SC-FI with option "L" is a two wire frequency to analog converter that converts a pulse rate input into a 4-20 mA output signal proportional to frequency or rate.

The SC-FI with option "L" is intended for use with lower full scale input frequencies. Full scale frequencies of 15 Hz to 2000 Hz are possible. The unit includes both a contact closure input and an opto-isolated input. Output response time is selectable 1 or 10 seconds.

The amplified frequency signal is then converted to an analog signal using a precision frequency to analog converter.

The output stage derives it's power from the output current loop. The output stage converts the input signal into the desired output range. Multi-turn potentiometers provide for the necessary trimming of span and zero.

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Over Voltage Protection
Isolation Voltage: 500 V
Fast Transient Immunity: 500 V
Maximum Rise Time: No Limit
Maximum Fall Time: No Limit

## Contact Closure Input

Sensor Compatibility- Requires an isolated, contact closure
Maximum Contact Voltage-5 V
Maximum Contact Current- 0.12 mA
Nominal Pullup Resistance-47 Kohm to 5 Vdc
Frequency Range $-0-100 \mathrm{~Hz}$
Frequency to Current Conversion
Range Selection: DIP Switch Selectable
Available Ranges: $\quad 30 \mathrm{~Hz}, 60 \mathrm{~Hz}, 120 \mathrm{~Hz}, 240 \mathrm{~Hz}$, $480 \mathrm{~Hz}, 960 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1920 \mathrm{~Hz}$
Factory Default: $\quad 100 \mathrm{~Hz}$

## Simplified Block Diagram



## Analog Output

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Compliance Voltage: 10 to 40 VDC
Loop Burden: < 10 VDC (less than $500 \Omega$ )
Trim Controls: Zero \& Span, non-interacting
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Linearity: $< \pm 0.1 \%$ Span
Output Voltage Effect: < $\pm 0.002 \%$ Span/Volt
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Reverse Polarity Protected
Noise Content: < 0.2\% Span
Response Time: 1 second ( 10 sec . jumper selectable)
Over-current Limiting: 35 mA
Output Loop Indicator: LED illuminates when output loop is powered by proper polarity and blinks proportionally to the input frequency.

## Mounting Styles

DIN Rail Mount: Plastic enclosure with a snap fastener for fitting to DIN 46277 and DIN EN 50022 assembly rails.

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## Typical Wiring Hookup (option "L")



## "L" Option INPUT \& OUTPUT SETTINGS

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Press up on terminal block with thumbs. The assembly will pop out allowing it to be removed from case.

FIGURE 1:


## INPUT FREQUENCY RANGE SETTINGS:

The appropriate range is selected by turning "ON" the corresponding switch.

| Range: | Switch \# "ON" |
| :--- | :---: |
| $0-30 \mathrm{~Hz}$ | 1 |
| $0-60 \mathrm{~Hz}$ | 2 |
| $0-120 \mathrm{~Hz}$ | $3^{*}$ |
| $0-240 \mathrm{~Hz}$ | 4 |
| $0-480 \mathrm{~Hz}$ | 5 |
| $0-960 \mathrm{~Hz}$ | 6 |
| $0-1920 \mathrm{~Hz}$ | 7 |

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FIGURE 2:


RESPONSE TIME SETTING:
Switch \#8 controls the output response time.

| Switch \#8 |  |
| :---: | :---: |
|  | Response Time |
| OFF | 1 second |
| ON | 10 second |

Turn switch \#8 ON to provide damping of the output resulting in a 10 second response time.

## LED INDICATOR:

The MS660 has a LED which indicates the status of the unit. The table below describes the 3 states for the LED.

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Dimensions



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Decoding Part Number


ET= Extended Temp ( $-20^{\circ}$ to $85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ )
$\mathrm{L}=$ Low Count Speed for Contact Closure Inputs
$50=10-50 \mathrm{~mA}$ output
Accessories: (add to end of part number)
DR-4= 4" DIN Rail


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