PX154 SERIES Pressure Transducer

1-800-TC-OMEGA

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PRESSURE TRANSMITTER BOARD LAYOUT

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Output: 4-20 mA, 2-Wire Loop

TERMINATION SCHEDULE

24 Vdc power
4-20 mA, 2-wire, Field
Conversion to 1-5 Vdc Signal

1 +24 Vdc

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Gauge (Positive) Pressure Sensing

Connect media pressure to port labeled "HIGH", with port labeled "LOW" vented to atmosphere.

1-5 Vdc

Negative (Vacuum) Pressure Sensing

Connect media pressure to port labeled "LOW", with port labeled "HIGH" vented to atmosphere.

Differential Pressure Sensing

Connect the higher of the two media pressures to port labeled "HIGH" and the lower of the two pressures to port labeled "LOW".

Port Connections - 1/8" NPT female. (ALWAYS USE A SECOND WRENCH TO HOLD THE PORT HEX NUT, THEREBY ELIMINATING THE POSSIBILITY OF ROTATING THE BRASS PORT FITTING.)

Mounting

Transducer can be operated in any position; however, be alert to moisture passing through non-waterproof electrical connectors.

Media Compatibility

"HIGH" port - Positive or high pressure port.

30% Glass-filled Polyester, Silicon, Buna-N, Vinyl tubing, Brass or 316 S.S. port fittings.

"LOW" port - Negative or low pressure port.

30% Glass-filled Polyester, Silicon, Fluorosilicone, Vinyl tubing, Brass or 316 S.S. port fittings.

Calibration

The Zero and Span may be adjusted if necessary or desirable; however, the requested full scale range as shipped is established with fixed resistors minimizing the range of the adjustment pots.

The average full scale adjustability is approximately ±10% of the range shipped.

Minimum Pressure Operation - (After applying power, allow approximately 20 - 30 minutes for signal to stabilize)

When operating at low differential pressures of less than 5" W.C. or in applications where the pressure is fluctuating rapidly, it is advisable to insert "snubbers" or air flow restrictors in the input lines. This "steadies" the output signal and keeps it from bouncing erratically.

Adjustments

The transducers are adjusted for the specified range at the factory and should require no further adjustments.

- "Z" Zero control is adjusted for 4 mA output (or 1 volt) signal at 0 psi, or minimum pressure.
- "S" Span control is adjusted to change the full scale range of the transducer.

Due to resistor values required to compensate for the null off-set of the sensing module, evidence of Zero and Span interaction may be experienced in re-adjusting.

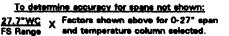
SPECIFICATIONS @ 24 Vdc and 25 °C

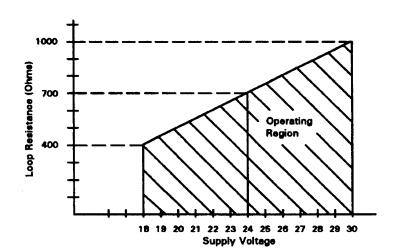
Excitation
Linearity and Hysteresis
Zero and Span Adjustments
100% Relative Humidity
Temperature Zero and Span Effects
Shock Resistance
Vibration

18 Vdc to 30 Vdc ±0.1% FS ±10% FS Non-condensing See Figure 1 50G, 11ms, Half Sine 10 to 2000 Hz @ 100 Sine

Figure 1

Non-Temperature Compensated Accuracy (All Output Signals)			
Span	Accuracy with Temperature Shift from 25 °C Ambient (% FS)		
	± 5°C	±10°C	± 25°C
0-27.7"WC	± .11%	± .32%	± 1.00%
0-25.0"WC	.12	.36	1.10
0-10.0°WC	.30	.90	2.28
0-5.0 "WC	.60	1.80	5.54
0-3.0 "WC	1.00	3.00	9.23
0-1.0 "WC	3.00	9.00	27.70





WARNING! READ BEFORE INSTALLATION

Fluid hammer and surges can destroy any pressure transducer and must always be avoided. A pressure snubber should be installed to eliminate the damaging hammer effects.

Fluid hammer occurs when a liquid flow is suddenly stopped, as with quick closing solenoid valves. Surges occur when flow is suddenly begun, as when a pump is turned on at full power or a valve is quickly opened.

Liquid surges are particularly demaging to pressure transducers if the pipe is originally empty. To avoid demaging surges, fluid lines should remain full (if possible), pumps should be brought up to power slowly and valves opened slowly. To avoid damage from both fluid hammer and surges, a surge chamber should be installed and a pressure snubber should be installed on every transducer.

Symptoms of fluid hammer and surge's damaging effects:

- a) Pressure transducer exhibits an output at zero pressure (large zero offset). If zero offset is less than 10% FS, user can usually re-zero meter, install proper snubber and continue monitoring pressures.
- b) Pressure transducer output remains constant regardless of pressure.
- c) In severe cases, there will be no output.

WARRANTY

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