

Ethernet & 4-20 mA Output Transmitter for Ratio, Product, Sum or Difference of 2 Rates or Totals



Features

- Ethernet Serial Data I/O, Modbus TCP or Laurel ASCII protocol
- 4-20 mA or 0-10V transmitter output, 16 bits, jumper selectable, isolated
- Dual 120 mA solid state relays for alarm or control, isolated
- 5V, 10V or 24V dc transducer excitation output, isolated
- Two independently field-scalable pulse input channels A and B
- Arithmetic functions A+B, A-B, AxB, A/B, A/B-1 (draw) applicable to rate or total
- Frequencies from 0.005 Hz to 1 MHz
- Inputs from NPN or PNP proximity switches, contact closures, digital logic, magnetic pickups down to 12 mV, or AC inputs up to 250 Vac
- Analog output resolution 0.0015% of span (16 bits), accuracy ±0.02% of span
- Universal 85-264 Vac / 90-300 Vdc or 10-48 Vdc / 12-32 Vac power
- Power over Ethernet (PoE) jumper selectable with 10-48 Vdc supply

Description

The Laureate dual pulse input transmitter accepts two independently scalable input channels A & B from a wide range of pulse sources, such as NPN or PNP proximity switches, contact closures, digital logic, magnetic pickups down to 12 mV, or AC voltages to 250 Vac. Input frequencies can range from 0.005 Hz to 1 MHz.

Arithmetic functions A+B, A-B, AxB, A/B or A/B-1 are made available by the Extended counter main board and can track the sum, difference, product, ratio, or draw of both input channels. These functions can be applied to scaled rates, scaled totals, square root of rates, totals after square root extraction, custom curve linearized rates, or totals after custom curve linearization.

- Sum A+B can be used to add two flows for total flow, or to add the number of parts carried by two conveyor belts.
- Difference A-B can be used to subtract outflow from inflow for net flow, or to subtract reject parts from total parts.
- Product AxB can be used to multiply two rates, for example to compute horsepower by multiplying torque by RPM.
- Ratio A/B can be used to compare flow rates in two channels, the RPM of rollers or gears, or the speed of moving machinery such as conveyor belts. Ratio can also be applied to scaled totals to compare two batches to be mixed. In this application, one transmitter is used to monitor the ratio of flow rates, and a second transmitter to monitor the resulting batch totals.
- **Draw A/B-1** is obtained by subtracting 1 from ratio. Draw is used to measure the elongation of material as it passes between rollers, or to monitor variation in the speed of rollers for tensioning.

Exceptional Accuracy and Stability. Laureate pulse input frequency and rate transmitters determine frequency by taking the inverse of period as measured with a calibrated quartz crystal time base. Extremely accurate 6-digit internal readings (±999,999 counts) are processed in software.

The update rate of the transmitter output is a programmed gate time + 30 ms + 0-2 signal periods. For pulse rates of 60 Hz and above, the update rate would be 20 per second. Such fast update rates are ideal for alarm and control.

Standard features of Laureate LTE transmitters include:

- Ethernet I/O, isolated. Supported protocols are Modbus RTU and ASCII (tunneled via Modbus TCP) and Laurel ASCII. The latter is simpler than the Modbus protocol and is recommended when all devices are Laureates. Note that RS232 or RS485 data I/O in lieu of Ethernet is provided by our LT Series transmitters.
- 4-20 mA, 0-20 mA or 0-10V analog transmitter output, isolated, jumper-selectable and user scalable. All selections provide 16-bit (0.0015%) resolution of output span and 0.02% output accuracy of a reading from -99,999 to +99,999 counts that is also transmitted digitally. Output isolation from signal and power grounds eliminates potential ground loop problems. The supply can drive 20 mA into a 500 ohm (or lower) load for 10V compliance, or 10V into a 5K ohm (or higher) load for 2 mA compliance.
- **Dual solid state relays**, isolated. Available for local alarm or control. Rated 120 mA at 130 Vac or 180 Vdc.
- Transducer excitation output, isolated. User selectable 5V@100 mA, 10V@120 mA or 24V@50 mA.
- Universal 85-264 Vac power. Low-voltage 10-48 Vdc or 12-32 Vac power is optional.

Discovery and configuration of Laureate Ethernet Nodes is easily achieved with Laurel's Node Manager Software, and the discovered transmitters can then be programmed using Laurel's Instrument Setup Software. Both softwares run on a PC under MS Windows and can be downloaded at no charge.





Specifications

Pulse Input		
Signal Types Grounding Channel A Frequency Channel B Frequency Minimum Signal Maximum Signal Noise Filter Contact Debounce Time Base Accuracy Arithmetic Functions	AC, pulses from NPN, PNP transistors, contact closures, magnetic pickups. Common ground for channels A & B 0.005 Hz to 1 MHz 0.005 Hz to 250 kHz Nine ranges from (-12 to +12 mV) to (+1.25 to +2.1V) 250 Vac 1 MHz, 30 kHz, 250 Hz (selectable) 0, 3, 50 ms (selectable) Quartz crystal calibrated to ±2 ppm A+B, A-B, AxB, A/B, A/B-1	
Analog Output (standard)		
Output Levels Compliance, 4-20 mA Compliance, 0-10V Output Resolution Output Accuracy Output Update Rate Output Isolation	 4-20 mA and 0-10 Vdc (selectable) 10V (0-500 ohm load) 2 mA (5 kOhm load) 16 bits (65,536 steps) 0.02% of output span Programmed gate time + 30 ms + 0-2 signal periods 250V rms working, 2.3 kV rms per 1 minute test 	
Serial Communications (standard)		
Type Data Rates Output Isolation Serial Protocols Modbus Compliance Digital Addresses	10/100Base-T Ethernet per IEEE 802.3 300, 600, 1200, 2400, 4800, 9600, 19200 baud 250V rms working, 2.3 kV rms per 1 min test Modbus TCP, Modbus RTU, Modbus ASCII, Laurel ASCII Modbus over Serial Line Specification V1.0 (2002) 247 for Modbus, 31 for Laurel ASCII	
Dual Relay Output (standard)		
Relay Type Load Rating	Two solid state relays, SPST, normally open, Form A 120 mA at 140 Vac or 180 Vdc	
Sensor Excitation Output (standard)		
Output Levels Output Isolation	5V@100 mA, 10V@120 mA, 24V@50 mA (jumper selectable) 50V from signal ground	
Power Input		
Standard Power Low Power Option Power Frequency Power Isolation Power Consumption	85-264 Vac or 90-300 Vdc 10-48 Vdc or 12-32 Vac DC or 47-63 Hz 250V rms working, 2.3 kV rms per 1 min test 2W typical, 3W with max excitation output	
Mechanical		
Dimensions Mounting Electrical Connections	129 x 104 x 22.5 mm case 35 mm rail per DIN EN 50022 Plug-in screw-clamp connectors	



Application Examples of Frequency / Rate Meters & Transmitters



Ordering Guide

Create a model a model number in this format: LTE80FR, CBL04

Transmitter Type	LTE Laureate Ethernet & 4-20 mA Transmitter
Main Board	8 Extended Main Board (required for arithmetic functions)
Power	 0 Isolated 85-264 Vac or 90-300 Vdc 1 Isolated 12-32 Vac or 10-48 Vdc
Input Type	FR Dual-Channel Frequency