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Data Sheet 3.35

Description

The highly reliable RBX 2-Wire RTD Transmitter accepts direct input from any 2- or 3-wire (platinum, copper, or nickel) RTD. It converts the input to a proportional current output for interface with a readout device (such as an indicator), or a data acquisition/control system.

When ordered with the -LNP option, the RBX provides an output linear with temperature. This is ideal when interfacing with data loggers and recorders, to eliminate the need for special charts or "look-up" tables. This option is recommended for spans exceeding 100 ohm change.

Control Room and Field Housings—The RBX is offered in hockey-puck and DIN-style rail-mounted housings. The hockey-puck housing can be ordered in an explosion-proof housing or with flanges for surface mounting. In addition, a high dome enclosure with a glass window can be ordered which allows a Moore Industries DVX or DSX digital indicator to be mounted in the same enclosure with the RBX for on-site display of temperature readings. At only 1.4 inches (36 mm) wide, the DIN-style RBX is perfect for high-density control room installation.

Complete Temperature Assemblies—Moore Industries offers a complete line of temperature assemblies for use with the RBX including sensors, thermowells, and fittings. For more information, refer to the Temperature Systems data sheet (#3.99).

Ordering

To order, use the bold face data from the Ordering Specifications section of the table on the back of this data sheet to "construct" an RBX model number. Examples of typical model numbers are listed at the bottom of the table.

Installation

For housing dimensions and terminal designations, see the DIN (#13.04), FL/HP (#13.15), HPD (#13.20), and EXPL (#13.12) housing sheets.



The RBX is offered in high-density DIN-style and hockey-puck housings. The hockey-puck fits in a variety of explosion-proof housings without tools or drilling.

Features

- Interfaces with standard RTD types. The RBX accepts input from 2-wire or 3-wire, platinum, copper, or nickel RTD types.
- Linearization option. When ordered with the -LNP option, the RBX provides a linear output proportional to temperature.

Certifications (see Options listing where applicable)



CENELEC Intrinsically Safe, EEx ia IIC T4
Flameproof, EExd IIC T6



CSA Explosion-Proof, Division 1, Class I,
Groups B, C, & D
Non-Incendive, Division 2, Class I, Group D



FM Explosion-Proof, Division 1, Class I,
Groups B, C, & D

SAA Explosion-Proof, Ex d IIC T6 IP66
Intrinsically Safe, Ex ia IIC T4
Type "N", Ex n IIC T6 IP65

Specifications

Performance Calibration Capability: $\pm 0.1\%$ of span (linearity and repeatability) Line Voltage Effect: $\pm 0.002\%$ of span/volt Over Voltage Protection: 60Vdc, maximum Sensor Excitation Current: 1mA, maximum Loop Load Capability: 600 Ω @ 24Vdc	Performance (continued) Ambient Temperature	Linearization: 0.1% of full scale for spans less than 200 Ω (platinum RTD's only) Range: -29°C to $+82^{\circ}\text{C}$ (-20°F to $+180^{\circ}\text{F}$) Effect: $\pm 0.02\%$ of span/ $^{\circ}\text{F}$ change from 5-10 Ω change; $\pm 0.01\%$ of span/ $^{\circ}\text{F}$ from 10 Ω change upward	Adjustments External, multi-turn potentiometers Zero: Adjustable to $\pm 10\%$ of span Span: Output is fully adjustable over a pre-selected input range to 100% of selected input span Weight 142 g (5 oz)
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Ordering Information

Unit	Input	Output	Power	Options	Housing
RBX	(Specify TYPE and RANGE, e.g., 3W 20-40) TYPE: 2W 2-wire 3W 3-wire RANGE (in Ω): 5 thru 10 0-5 Ω thru 0-10 Ω , 10 Ω change, maximum 10 thru 20 0-10 Ω thru 0-20 Ω , 20 Ω change, max. 20 thru 40 0-20 Ω thru 0-40 Ω , 40 Ω change, max. 40 thru 80 0-40 Ω thru 0-80 Ω , 80 Ω change, max. 80 thru 160 0-80 Ω thru 0-160 Ω , 160 Ω change, max. 160 thru 320 0-160 Ω thru 0-320 Ω , 320 Ω change, max. 320 thru 640 0-320 Ω thru 0-640 Ω , 640 Ω change, max. EZ must be specified in all valid RBX model numbers.	4-20MA (limited to 30mA, max) 10-50MA (limited to 65mA, max)	12-42DC Standard, measured at the input terminals 12-24DC required for -ISC option 12-28DC required for -ISB and -SAA options	-EZ Elevated zero input* (select Ω input for 0% output, e.g., -EZ100) -ISB Unit is BASEEFA-approved** intrinsically safe (12-28DC power required) -ISC Unit is CSA approved explosion-proof and non-incendive (12-24DC power required) -ISF Unit is FM approved explosion-proof -SAA Unit is SAA approved explosion-proof (12-28DC power selection required) -FA Front access terminal blocks (DIN only) -LNP Linearizing for 100 Ω , platinum RTD ranges from 20 to 200 Ω ; specify temp range (not available with -RO option) -RF RFI/EMI protection, 50V/m - ABC = $\pm 0.1\%$ of full scale when tested according to SAMA Standard 33.1 -RO Reversed input/output relationship (not available with -LNP option) -RTB Removable terminal blocks (DIN only) * Valid -EZ value must be entered in all RBX model numbers ** Consult factory for availability; see CENELEC and ISSEP approvals	DIN Aluminum DIN-style, fits G-type, 32 mm rail (EN50035) HP Hockey-puck with spring clips mounts in an explosion-proof enclosure HPD Hockey-puck with bottom clip for dual mounting in high-cover explosion-proof enclosure FL Hockey-puck with flanges for surface or relay track mounting 2LS Hockey-puck in 2-hub, low, solid cover explosion-proof enclosure 2HS Hockey-puck in 2-hub, high, solid cover explosion-proof enclosure (for two RBX's in one enclosure) 2HG Hockey-puck in 2-hub, high, glass cover explosion-proof enclosure (for indicator and RBX in a single enclosure) * Other types of explosion-proof enclosures, such as 3-hub and NEMA rated types, are available Add F prefix to selection for CENELEC approved intrinsically safe enclosure (e.g., F2HS); Add FM prefix for FM approved explosion-proof (e.g., FM2HG) Add P suffix for mounting hardware to install enclosure on 2-in pipe (e.g., 2LSP) Consult factory for assistance in ordering.

When Ordering, Specify: Unit / Input (# of wires & range) / Output / Power / Option(s) [Housing]

Model Number Examples: RBX / 3W 10-20 / 4-20MA / 12-42DC / -EZ100 -RF -RTB [DIN]
 RBX / 2W 20-40 / 10-50MA / 12-24DC / -EZ100 -LNP -ISC [F2LSP]