## INSTALLATION & OPERATION MANUAL

# SP718-V REV. A Modulated Carrier Amplifier 0-5V/0-10V Transmitter

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### **SPECIFICATIONS**

**Temperature:** Operating  $0 - 70^{\circ}$ C

Storage -20 - 85°C

Input Voltage: 110VAC 60Hz or 12 – 16.5VDC 50mA MAX

**Observe Polarity** 

Consult factory for other Input Voltages

**Signal Input:** Frequency 0 – 3500 Hz w/ 50KHz carrier (requires P/U Coil 1 – 1.3 mh)

Analog Output: 0V @ 0Hz, 5 or 10 V @ desired Full Scale Frequency

Full Scale Range 60 Hz – 3500 Hz Selectable

Consult factory for other Ranges

Response Time 95% of change in 1 second

Linearity .3% F/S

Tempco <2% of Reading over entire Temperature Range

Maximum Load Resistance 1000 ohms

Features: Switch Selectable Output Range

Mounts directly on flowmeter

**Enclosure:** FM Approved, CSA Certified

Class I Groups B, C, D Class II Groups E, F, G

Weight 1.7 lbs.

The SP718-V Modulated Carrier Amplifier and Analog Transmitter is a meter mounted device designed to combine the advantages of the Modulated Carrier principle with the convenience of an Analog Output in a single PCB Assembly. The SP718-V linearly converts the detected carrier frequency shift rate to an equivalent voltage output level, 0-5V/0-10V that is switch selectable. When incorporated with a turbine flowmeter, a voltage representation proportional to flow is obtainable.

The SP718-V produces a carrier frequency in conjunction with a RF pick-up coil, detects the shift in the carrier frequency (Modulation) that occurs with the passage of magnetic material and linearly generates a voltage output that is proportional to the rate of Modulation.

A full-scale frequency range of 60-3500Hz is jumper selectable. The Span adjustment establishes the frequency point at which the Full Scale Output is achieved.

The Modulated Carrier principle introduces no drag on the passing magnetic device therefore; when utilized with a turbine flowmeter extension of the flowmeter's nominal linear range at the low end of the flow spectrum is realized. This parameter is particularly useful when measuring a low mass gas and the operating flowrate is at the flowmeter's low end.

### **BENCH TEST CALIBRATION PROCEDURE**

Required Equipment: Power Supply 12-16.5VDC or 110VAC

Digital Multimeter (DMM) Frequency Generator Frequency Counter Oscilloscope

Refer to Figure

#### **Test Procedure:**

**NOTE:** All test equipment power cords should be equipped with 2-prong 'cheater' plugs.

- A) Connect Flowmeter with RF Pick-up Coil to J1-1,2
- **B)** Connect Power Supply Positive (HOT) & Negative (NEU) Leads to J1-6,5 Respectively
- C) Connect O'Scope Positive & Negative Leads to J1-1,2 Respectively
- D) Connect DMM Positive & Negative Leads to J1-3,4 Respectively, Set Function to Volts DC
- E) Install Jumper @ JU4, Set S1 for desired Output Voltage Level
- F) Install Jumper @ JU1-3 for desired Full Scale Frequency Range
- **G)** Turn Power Supply 'ON', LED D1 Illuminates & O'Scope displays a 50KHz +/- 5KHz Carrier Sinewave
- H) Observe Carrier Amplitude of 6Vp-p
- I) Adjust 'ZERO' (R25) for a DMM Indication of .000V
- J) Disconnect O'Scope
- K) Connect Frequency Generator Positive and Negative Leads to J1-1,2 Respectively; Set Function to Squarewave Amplitude to 5Vp-p & Frequency to desired Full Scale Point
- L) Adjust 'SPAN' (R23) for a DMM Indication of 5.00V or 10.00V
- **M)** Reduce Signal Amplitude of Frequency Generator to Zero, Adjust 'ZERO' (R25) for DMM Indication of .000V if necessary
- N) Increase Signal Amplitude of Frequency Generator to 5Vp-p; Adjust 'SPAN' (R23) for DMM Indication of 5.00V or 10.00V if necessary
- O) Adjust Frequency of Frequency Generator to 0, 25, 50, 75, & 100% of Full Scale Frequency of Step K

To check for Linearity at any Frequency Point, incorporate the following formula - (F/F Max X Full Scale Output) = Volts

Example: Assume Maximum Frequency Point = 2KHz (5 or 10V Point) Check for Linearity at 750Hz. 10V Full Scale Output

750/2000 = .375

.375 X 10 = 3.75V DMM Should Indicate - 3.75V @ 750Hz

