

Measurement for High-Performance Buildings

EBTRON Measurement Technologies

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EBTRON Thermal Dispersion Technology

AIRFLOW MEASUREMENT



$$Q = \frac{\kappa A}{d} \left[B + C \left(\frac{\rho v d}{\mu} \right)^m \right] (T_H - T_C)$$

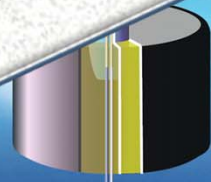
Bead-in-glass
thermistor probe

Individual
Sensor
Node

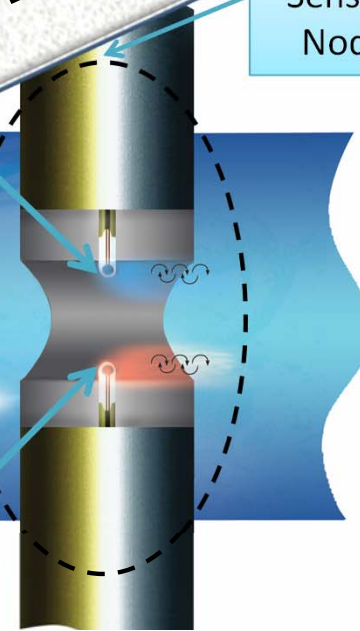
BEAD-IN-GLASS THERMISTORS

"B-I-G" Thermistor Probes

- Oven-aged for stability!
- Hermetically sealed!
- Designed to survive high temperatures!
- Individually calibrated to precise temperatures to determine the precise resistance/temperature characteristics!
- Potted with an advanced epoxy to protect sensor and leads from water and atmospheric acids!

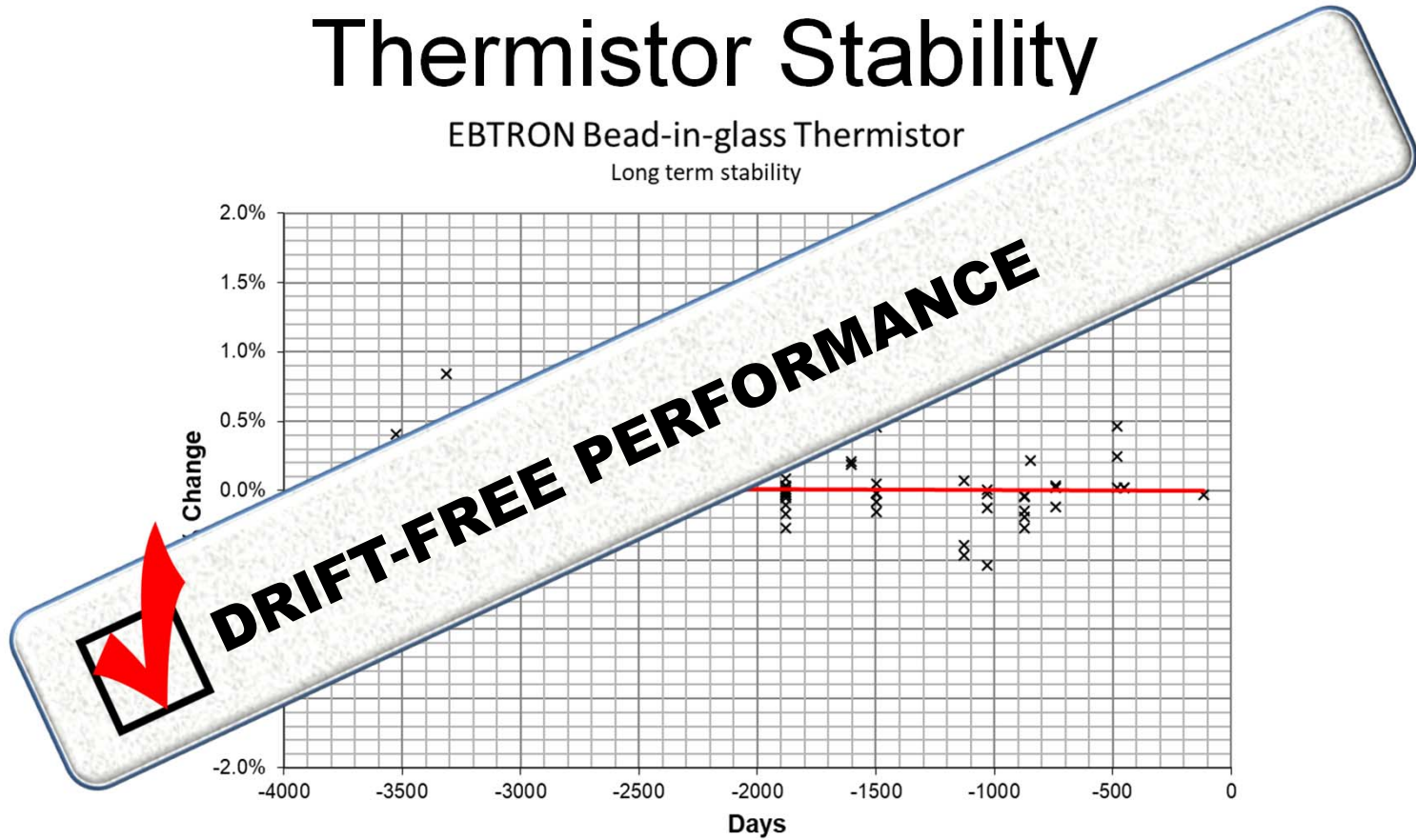


Self-heated
thermistor



Thermistor Stability

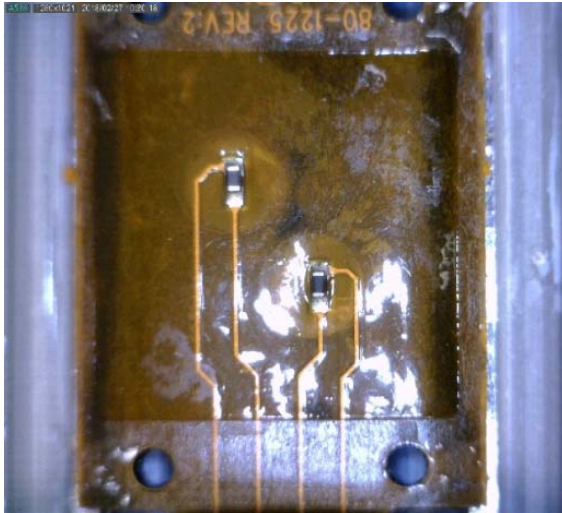
EBTRON Bead-in-glass Thermistor
Long term stability



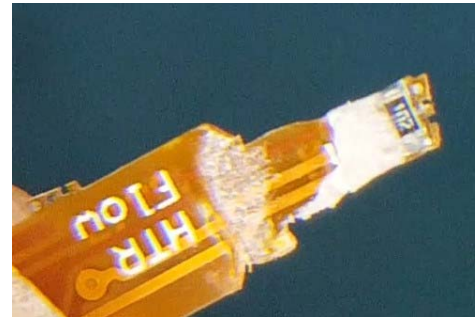
Competitors Use Chip Thermistors

Each sensor node shall consist of two hermetically sealed bead-in-glass thermistors. Devices using chip thermistors of any type or packaging are not acceptable. Devices uses platinum wire RTDs or similar “hot wire” devices are not acceptable.


Ruskin TDP05K



Air Monitor Electra-Flow (Gen 5)



NIST Traceable Calibration




REPORT OF CALIBRATION
FOR
AIR SPEED INSTRUMENTATION

submitted by
Ebron, Inc
1663 Highway
Lombard, IL

The calibration was performed using a NIST LDA (Laser Doppler Anemometer). The NIST LDA is a primary standard for air speed measurement. The instrument under test so that the flow velocity is uniform across the instrument under test.

The air speed ratios (V_{inst}/V_{NIST}) and the expanded uncertainty values for the air speed ratio. The uncertainties of the instruments that measure temperature, pressure, and relative humidity values listed in the Table 1 are 1 K, 0.1 kPa, and 5% respectively.

Instrument Reading (ft/min)	NIST LDA Reading (ft/min)	Ratio (V_{inst}/V_{NIST})	Expanded Uncertainty (%)
166.32	166.32	1.001	1.43
266.31	266.31	1.001	1.09
314.61	314.61	0.992	0.81
366.59	366.59	0.995	1.18
417.92	417.92	0.995	1.03
462.72	462.72	0.997	0.82
506.95	506.95	0.997	0.76
744.49	744.49	0.999	0.67
1035.1	1035.1	1.000	0.67
1190.7	1190.7	0.999	0.71
1438.0	1438.0	0.999	0.68
1772.5	1772.5	0.998	0.73
2050.1	2050.1	0.998	0.67
2488.3	2488.3	0.997	0.67
2986.9	2986.9	0.996	0.65
3382.5	3382.5	0.995	0.64
3984.5	3984.5	0.995	0.64
4988.1	4988.1	0.996	0.67
5990.8	5990.8	0.995	0.67
6979.2	6979.2	0.994	0.68
7993.3	7993.3	0.996	0.88
		0.995	0.87
		0.993	0.65



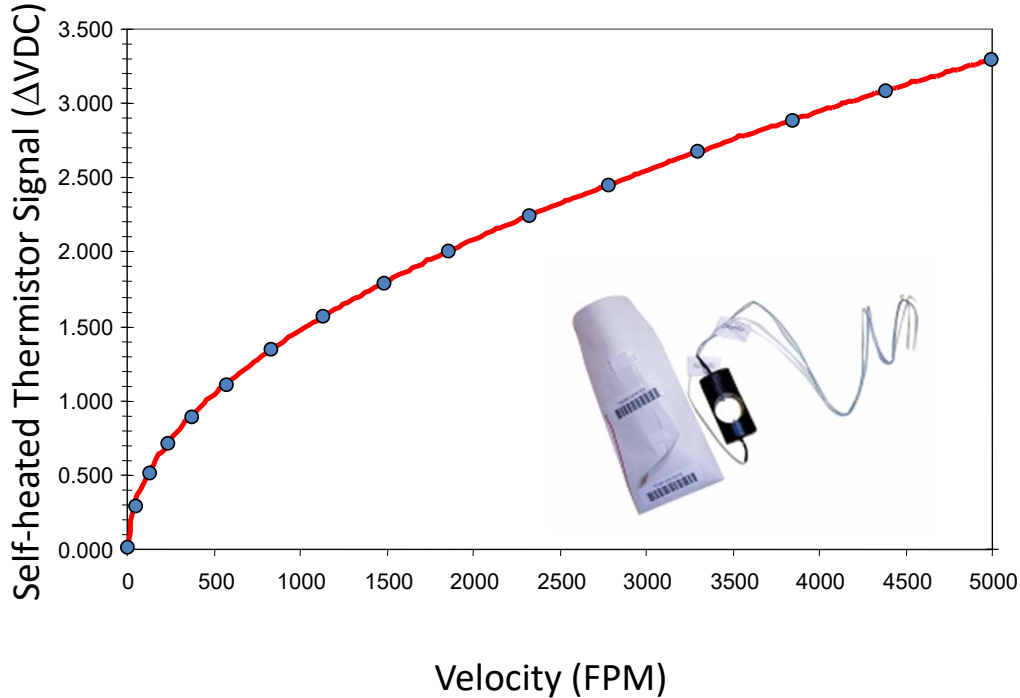
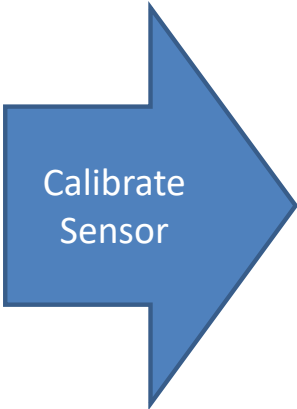
DOCUMENTED ACCURACY



Transfer
NIST
Calibration



Multi-flow Calibration of Individual Sensor Nodes



Documented Accuracy



REPORT OF CALIBRATION

Run Number	Tunnel	Reference	Reading	Error	% Error
7	535.0	447.9	-5.1	-1.1%	
8	577.7	575.0	-2.7	-0.5%	
8	740.8	737.9	-2.9	-0.4%	
9	943.7	940.3	-3.4	-0.4%	
10	1153.8	1165.3	11.5	1.0%	
11	1414.6	1402.5	-12.1	-0.9%	
12	1678.6	1687.9	9.3	0.6%	
13	2024.9	2008.1	-16.8	-0.8%	
14	2409.4	2399.5	-9.9	-0.4%	
15	3342.6	3340.5	-2.1	-0.1%	
16	4941.2	4923.3	-17.9	-0.4%	
Avg. Error >				-0.2%	

Each sensor node shall be installed and calibrated at 16 points to NIST traceable airflow standards and tested for accuracy over the entire operating range.



%-of-reading MEASUREMENT



Competitors AMCA “Certify”

NIST TRACEABLE

- Internationally accepted test standards administered by metrology specialists with no interference
- Airflow measurement third-party NIST traceable labs are not acceptable.
- Report is created and provided by NIST.
- EBTRON calibrates each sensor node so performance of product is assured unit to unit.

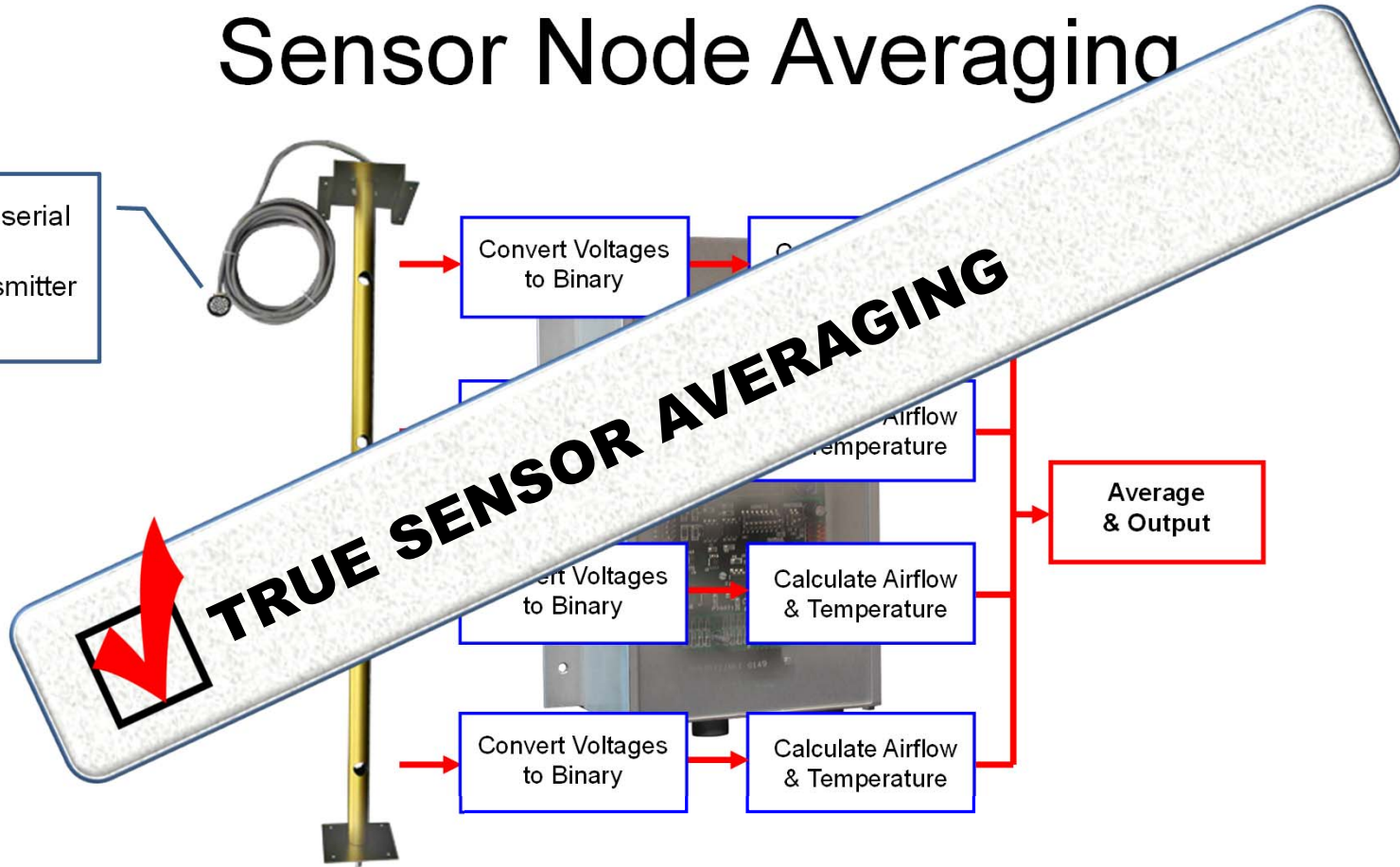
AMCA CERTIFIED

- Industry organization that has member companies developing test standards
- Provide a copy of the NIST calibration report for the reference standard used to calibrate the production tunnels used to calibrate individual sensor nodes. Reference standards calibrated to third-party NIST traceable labs are not acceptable. Devices claiming AMCA certification are not acceptable.
- product as long as test tunnel is certified.
- A single product can be calibrated and tested to satisfy AMCA requirements (false performance).
- The AMCA tested unit may not actually represent the product sold.

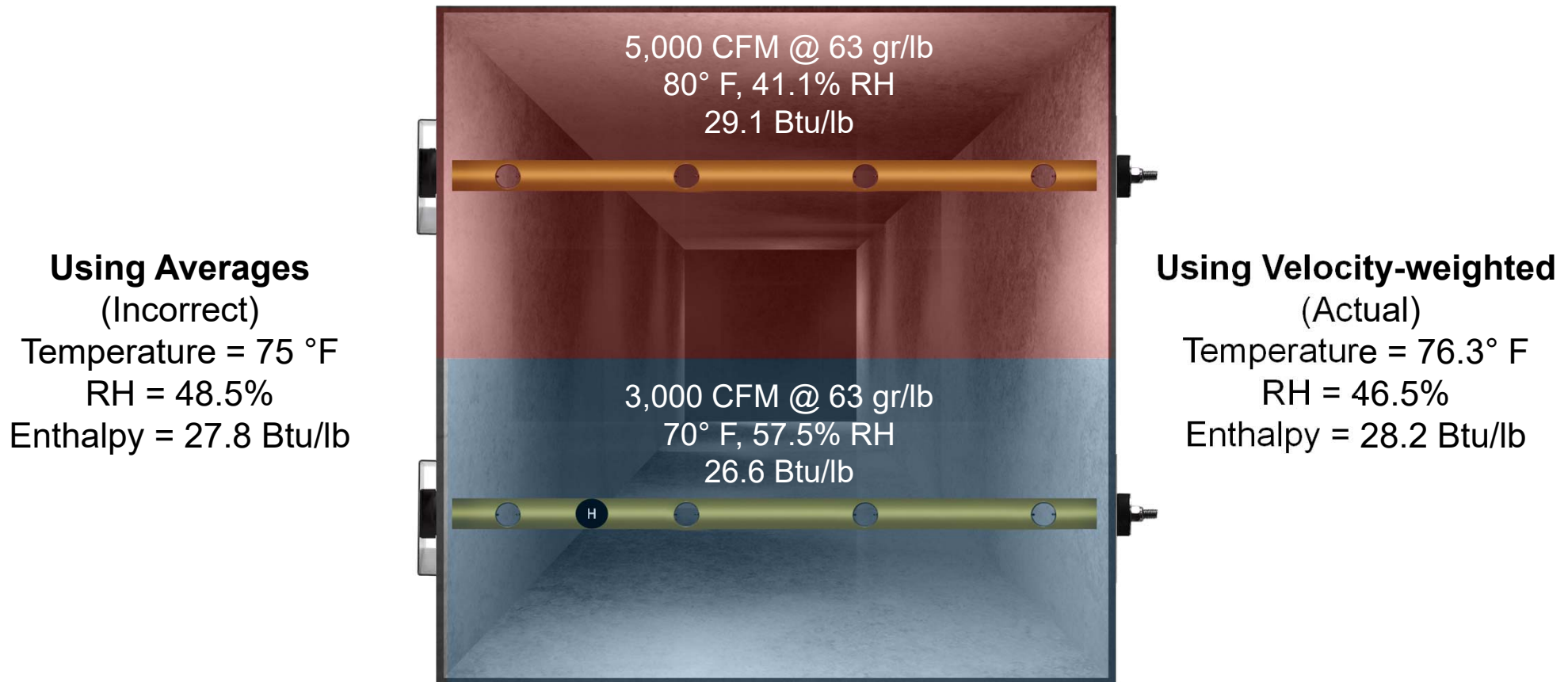


Sensor Node Averaging

Calibration data in serial memory chip gets transferred to transmitter on power-up



Velocity-weighted Measurements



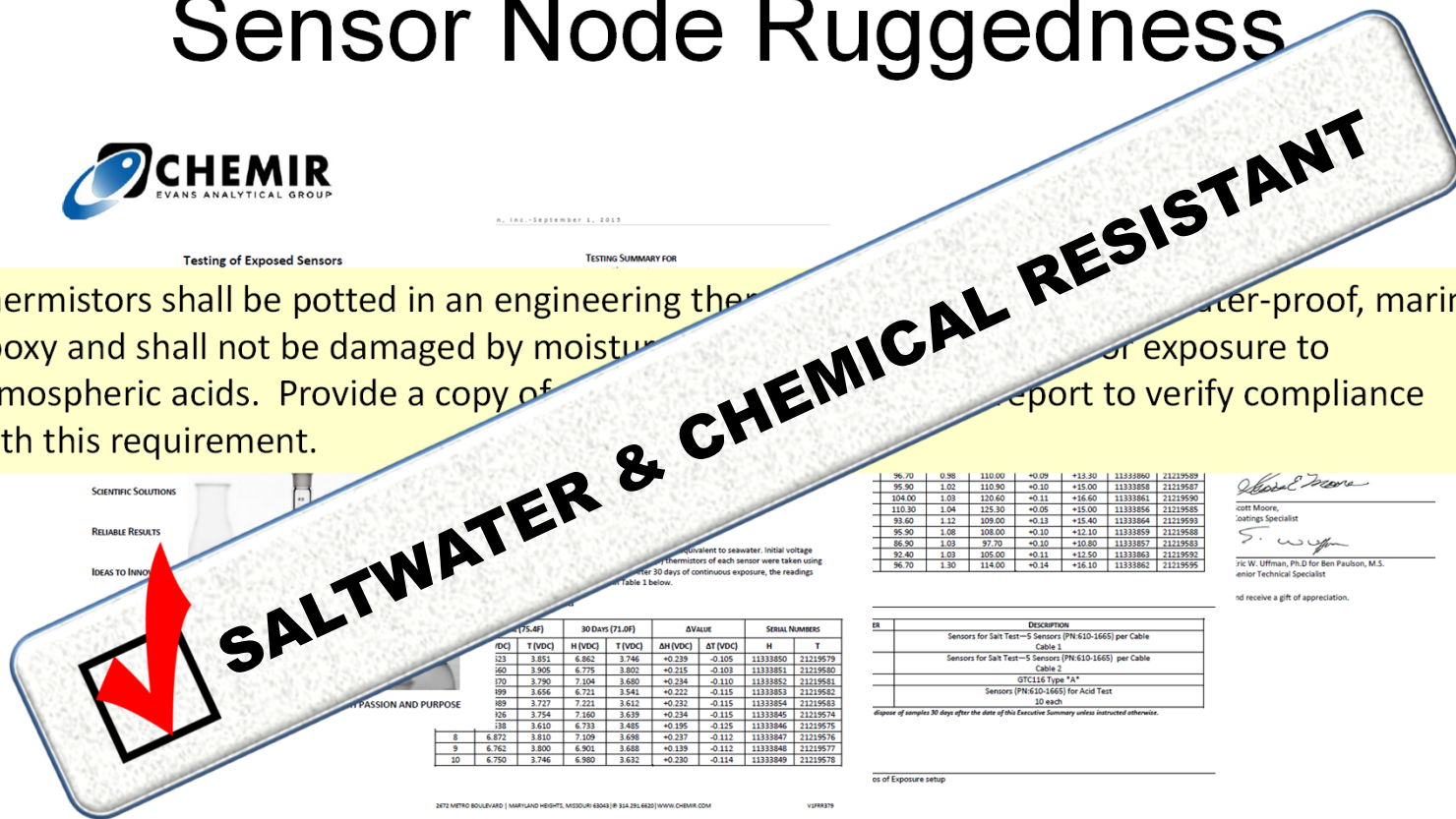
Sensor Node Ruggedness



Testing of Exposed Sensors

TESTING SUMMARY FOR

Thermistors shall be potted in an engineering thermally conductive epoxy and shall not be damaged by moisture or exposure to atmospheric acids. Provide a copy of test report to verify compliance with this requirement.



SCIENTIFIC SOLUTIONS

RELIABLE RESULTS

IDEAS TO INNOVATE

ID	75.4°F		30 Days (71.0°F)		ΔVALUE		SERIAL NUMBERS	
	T (VDC)	H (VDC)	T (VDC)	H (VDC)	ΔH (VDC)	ΔT (VDC)	H	T
23	3.851	6.862	3.746	6.823	-0.105	-0.105	11333850	21219579
50	3.905	6.775	3.803	6.715	-0.103	-0.103	11333851	21219580
170	3.790	7.104	3.680	7.034	-0.110	-0.110	11333852	21219581
899	3.656	6.721	3.541	6.651	-0.115	-0.115	11333853	21219582
809	3.727	7.221	3.612	7.152	-0.115	-0.115	11333854	21219583
126	3.754	7.160	3.639	7.069	-0.115	-0.115	11333845	21219574
138	3.610	6.733	3.485	6.663	-0.125	-0.125	11333846	21219575
8	6.872	3.810	7.109	3.698	-0.237	-0.112	11333847	21219576
9	6.762	3.800	6.901	3.688	-0.139	-0.112	11333848	21219577
10	6.750	3.746	6.980	3.632	-0.230	-0.114	11333849	21219578

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96.70	0.98	110.00	+0.09	+13.30	11333860	21219589
96.90	1.02	110.90	+0.10	+15.00	11333858	21219587
104.00	1.03	120.50	+0.11	+16.50	11333861	21219590
110.30	1.04	125.30	+0.05	+15.00	11333856	21219585
93.60	1.12	109.00	+0.13	+15.40	11333864	21219593
96.90	1.08	108.00	+0.10	+12.10	11333859	21219588
96.90	1.03	97.70	+0.10	+10.80	11333857	21219583
92.40	1.03	105.00	+0.11	+12.50	11333863	21219592
96.70	1.30	114.00	+0.14	+16.10	11333862	21219595

Robert Moore

Scott Moore,
Loadings Specialist

S. W. Uffman

Jic W. Uffman, Ph.D for Ben Paulson, M.S.
Senior Technical Specialist

id receive a gift of appreciation.

DESCRIPTION
Sensors for Salt Test—5 Sensors (PM-610-1665) per Cable Cable 1
Sensors for Salt Test—5 Sensors (PM-610-1665) per Cable Cable 2
GTCL16 Type "A"
Sensors (PM-610-1665) for Acid Test

dispose of samples 30 days after the date of this Executive Summary unless instructed otherwise.

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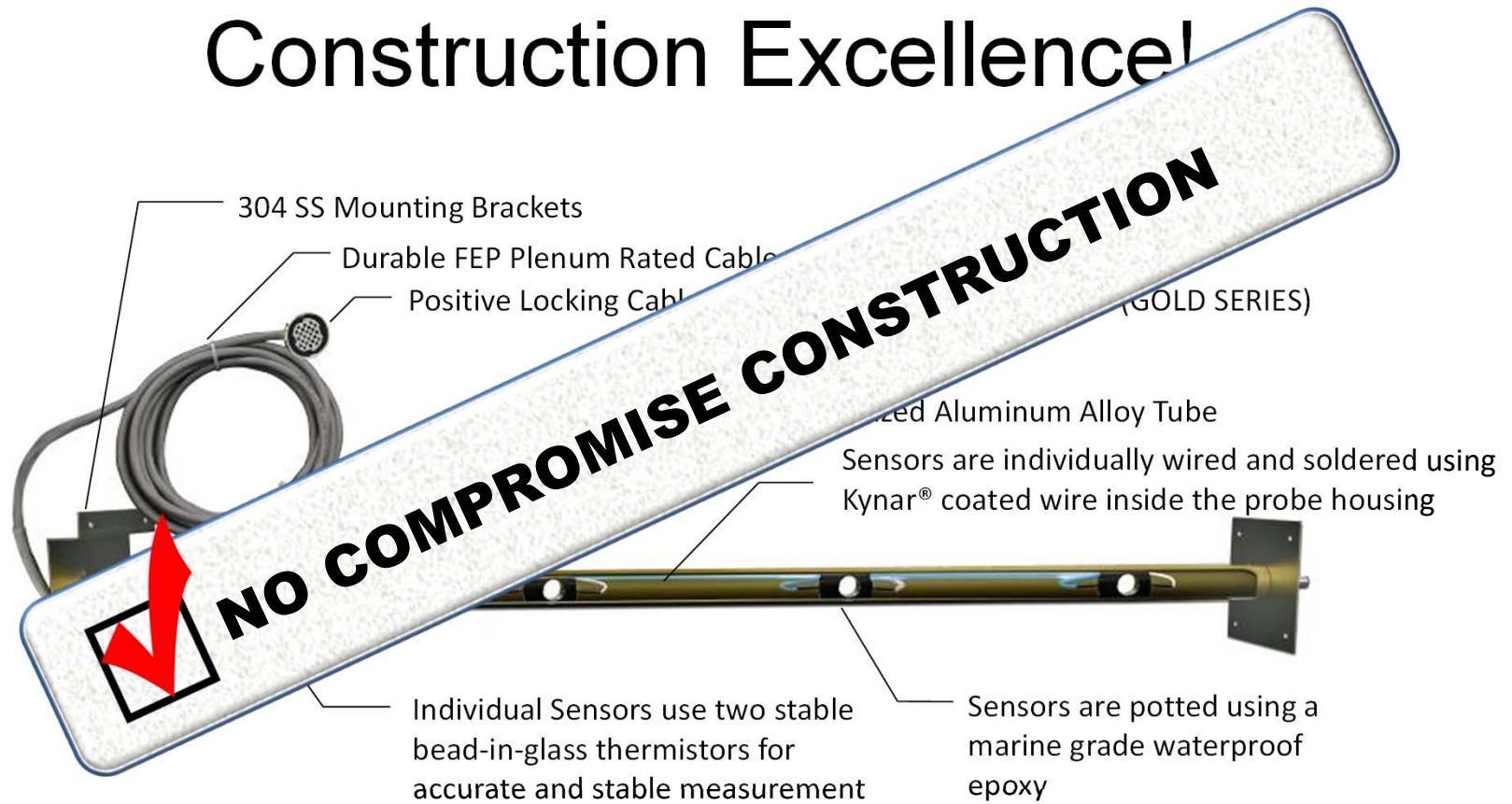
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Salt Water Exposure Test



Construction Excellence



Warranty and Service

3 YEAR
WARRANTY



PEACE OF MIND!

ED
ACEMENT
POLICY

LIFETIME
TOLL-FREE
CUSTOMER
SERVICE



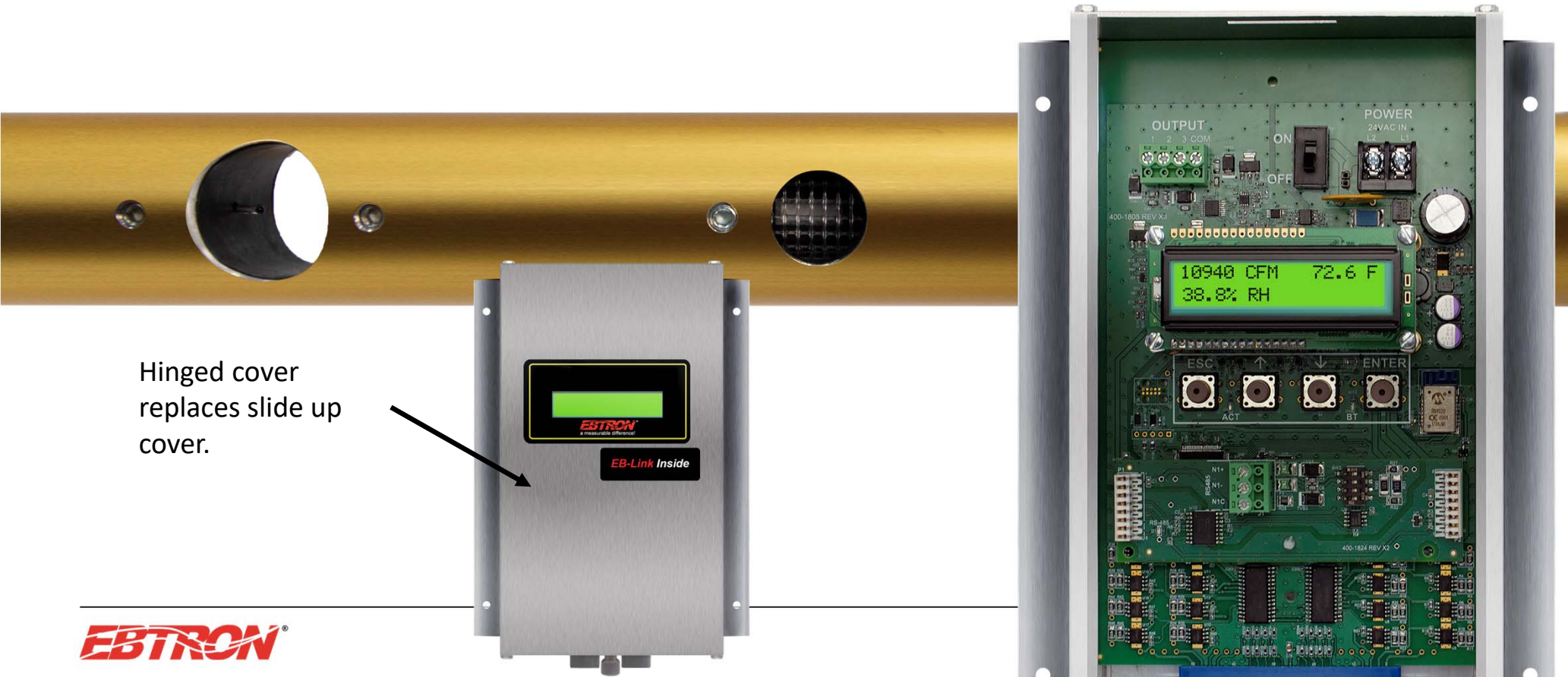
EBTRON Product Solutions



New GOLD Series GTx116e Transmitter

2-line backlit display with on board barometric pressure sensor!

-PC probe types can be provided with RH, Dewpoint and Enthalpy measurements!



Hinged cover
replaces slide up
cover.

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Advantage IV Duct & Plenum Probes

Gold Series

- ✓ High sensor density results in the best installed accuracy without field adjustment.
- ✓ Easy to read dual line, backlit, display.
- ✓ Unsurpassed connectivity options provide isolated analog outputs with RS-485 BACnet/Modbus, Ethernet and Lon network solutions.
- ✓ FREE *EB-Link* Low Energy Bluetooth interface for Android and iOS devices.
- ✓ Relative humidity sensor option provides velocity-weighted RH and enthalpy plus dewpoint.
- ✓ Gold plated cable plug/receptacle connector pins.

Hybrid Series

- Lower sensor density reduces first-cost but may require field adjustment.
- Single line, non-backlit, display.
- Analog or RS-485 connectivity option.
- *EB-Link* is not available.
- RH option is not available.



Advantage IV Product Line



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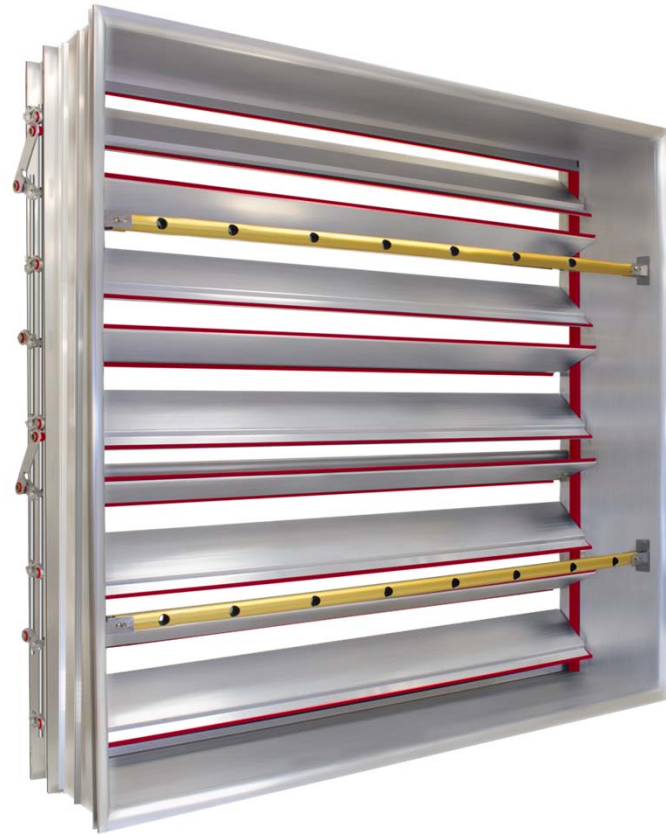


GTx116e-PC HTx104-PE
GTx116e-P+



AIR-IQ2

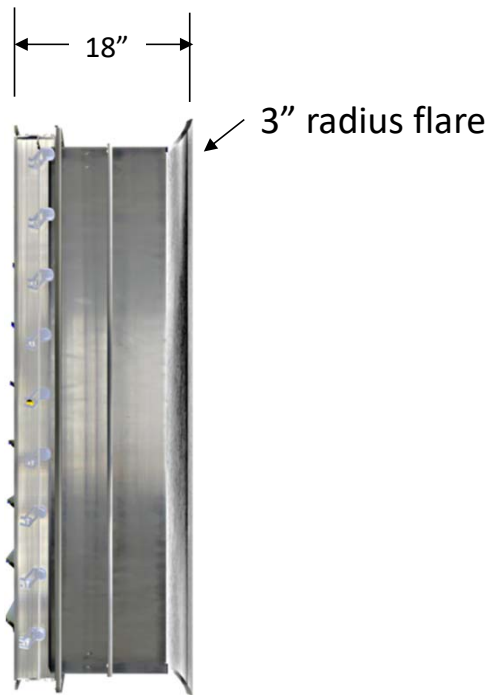
- Designed specifically for outdoor air intakes
- 35% narrower sleeve than AIR-IQ (original)
- 1" radius flare improves measurement performance
- GTx116-P+ with modified log-Tchebycheff sensor placement
- High performance TAMCO damper



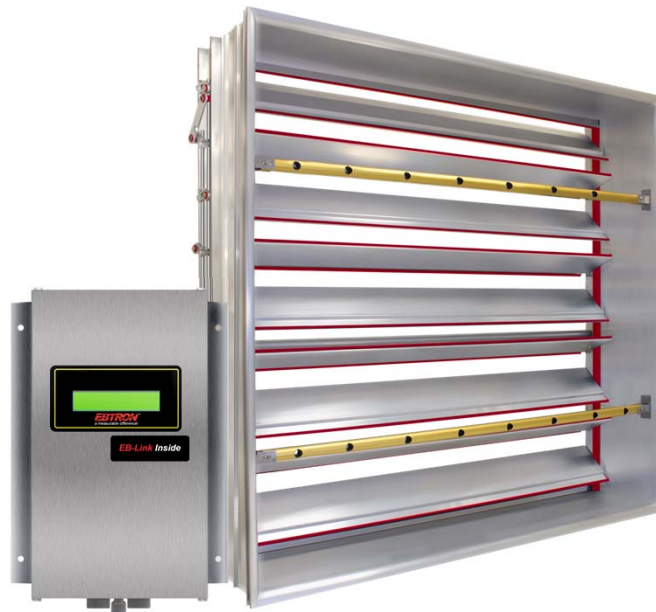
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AIR-IQ AIR FLOW MEASUREMENT SOLUTION

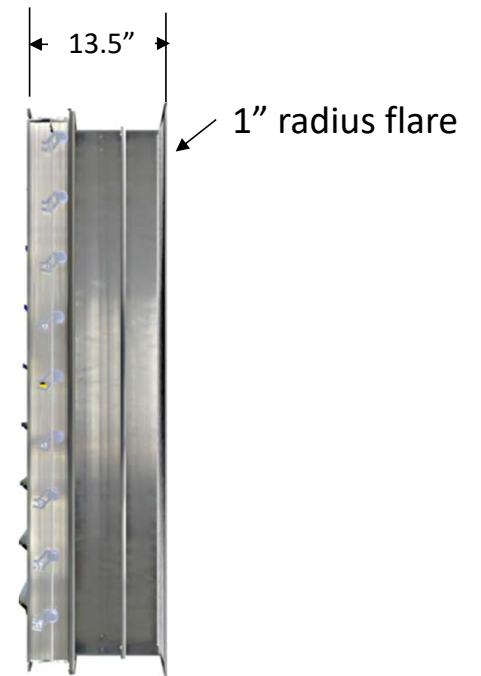
AIR-IQ



AIR-IQ
Damper/AMD Combo

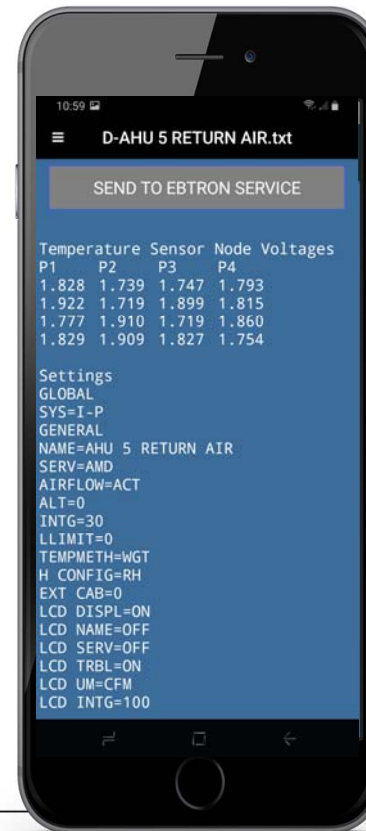


AIR-IQ2



A4-Gold Series *EB-Link*

Standard with all GOLD SERIES -P measuring devices!



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EB-Flow2 Product Line



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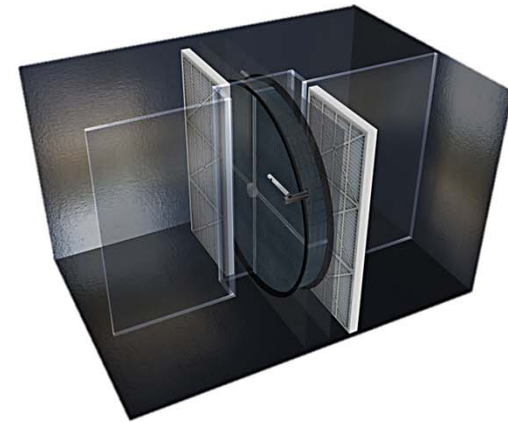
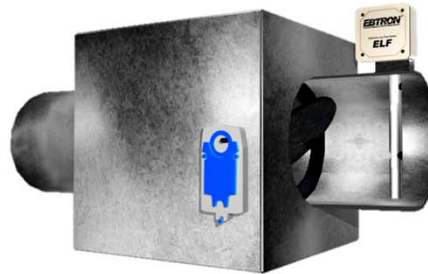
Application Specific



EF-x2000-U



EF-x2000-T
EF-x1000-T
ELF



EF-x2000-U



Advantage IV Fan Inlet Sensors

Gold Series

- ✓ Does not affect fan performance like other fan inlet technologies.
- ✓ Fan array model supports up to eight individual fans.
- ✓ Easy to read dual line, backlit, display.
- ✓ Unsurpassed connectivity options provide isolated analog outputs with RS-485 BACnet/Modbus, Ethernet and Lon network solutions.
- ✓ FREE *EB-Link* Low Energy Bluetooth interface for Android and iOS devices.
- ✓ Gold plated cable plug/receptacle connector pins.

Hybrid Series

- Same sensor options and performance for SWSI and DWDI fans as Gold Series.
- Slightly lower cost than Gold Series.
- Single line, non-backlit, display.
- Analog or RS-485 connectivity option.
- *EB-Link* is not available.



Advantage IV Product Line



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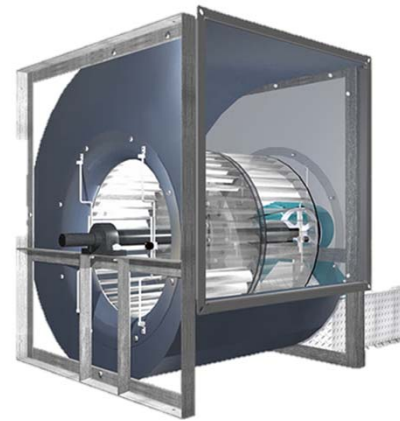
SWSI DWDI Fans



GTx108e-F
/SI & /DI



HTx104-F
/SI & /DI



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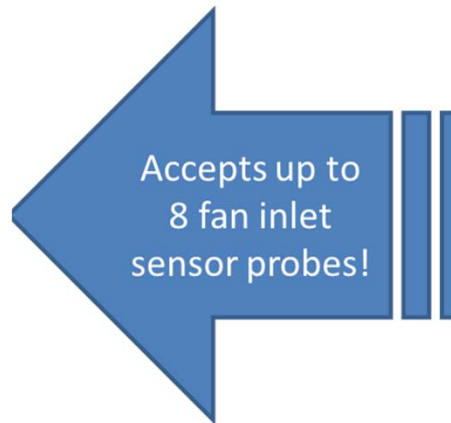


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Fan Arrays



GTx108e-F/An



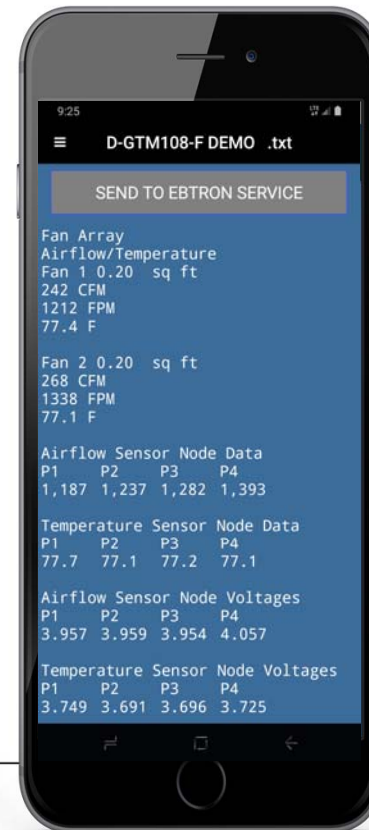
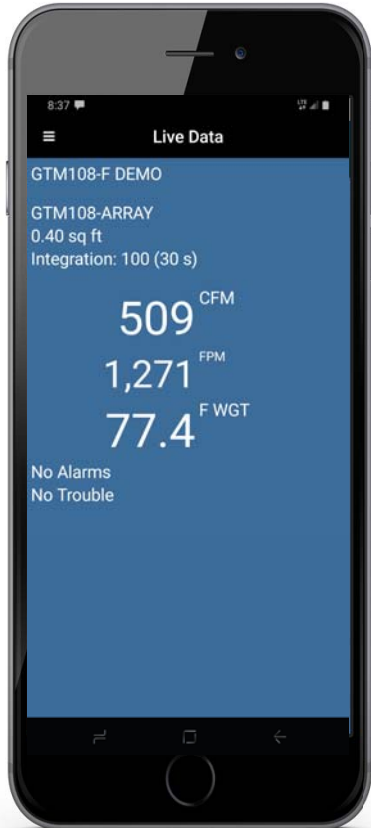
FAN-IQ

- Ideal for fan arrays
- GTx108-F/An supports up to 8 fans
- Airflow measurement device does not affect fan performance
- Individual fan airflow measurement with fan alarm capability
- High performance TAMCO backdraft damper



A4-Gold Series *EB-Link*

Standard with all GOLD SERIES -F measuring devices!



Occupancy



- ✓ Bidirectional occupancy counter for interior openings.
- ✓ Analog and RS-485 BACnet/Modbus connectivity (CENSUS-C100).
- ✓ “Auto-zero” non-activity reset feature.
- ✓ “No-negatives” measurement feature for single entry applications.
- ✓ Better than 2% counting accuracy on openings up to 42 inches wide without an operable door¹.
- ✓ 5% typical counting accuracy on interior, operable doors up to 42 inches wide¹

¹ Accuracy may decrease on dual door applications if more than one person passes through the door at one time.



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