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SMART ACTUATORS WITH OLED SCREEN, TOUCH BUTTONS AND SMARTMENU™

All of our Smart actuators have a colour OLED screen and 3 x touch buttons. The screen will typically tell you all you need to know about your actuator, from the input command to the actual position, any problems with the actuator such as loss of power (if failsafe) or flash ALERT if the actuator as an alarm condition such as an over torque situation or valve jam. As standard, all of our actuators have Local Control as explained below. The touch buttons are used to navigate our onboard firmware to adapt and change the actuator settings to enable you, the user to customise our Smart actuators to your application and own specific requirements. Need to change the speed, no problem. Need to setup a 3 position configuration, no problem. It's all possible using our Smart actuator series.

How to access the main customer accessible menus:		
Main Menu:	Hold M for 3 seconds and enter the password 333 to access main user Main Menu.	
Local Control:	Hold K3 (bottom button) for 3 seconds and enter the password 111 to access Local Control / manual override	
Reset:	Need to go back to factory reset/default settings? Hold all 3 buttons for 3 seconds and enter 6666.	
Note:	If the actuators is left in a menu screen without a change in 120 seconds, the actuator will exit the menu.	



Understanding the default screen: this is the screen you will see when not in a menu but the actuator is powered

1.	BUS ID: Only used on Modbus actuators	5.	Internal Temperature in °C	9.	Firmware version number shown on power up/exiting menu. Cycles count shows how many times
2.	Set Value: Input command and % 0-100	6.	Internal humidity shown as a %		
3.	Angle: Actual position of actuator 0-100%	7.	Motor RPM		open/close.
4.	Input Signal type & Precision Sensor	8.	Failsafe Capacitor charge: <i>if applicable</i>		



New feature, we are adding a QR label to all of our products that will enable users of our product to have quicker and more direct access to support documents via our new purpose built QR website. Simply scan the QR code using your Smart phone camera and you will be taken directly to the specific actuator you have on site and will have access to Technical Datasheets, Firmware guides and product support videos.



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0 UserSET PassWord: XXX	User settings are accessed by holding down the 'M' button for ~3 seconds, after this time the screen will request a password. The User Settings password is simply: 333 Use 'K2' to select the column and 'K3' to change the number.	
UserSET DisMod: English	Display Mode allows the user to choose English or Chinese. If you hard reset the actuator using 6666 password, this will default the actuator to Chinese. To change back to English, simply hold M, enter 333, press M to go to the first screen and press K2 to select English. Available Range: English/Chinese	
2 UserSET DeadZone: X. X%	DeadZone is a sensitivity feature which allows for much more accurate positioning. The AVA default setting stops the actuator from hunting on a signal. Available Range: 0.3%-9.9%	
3 UserSET DW_Close: X. X%	DW_Close is the system default parameter. It is not necessary to adjust this value. The system default is 0.8-1.5. Available Range: 0.5% - 1.2%	
4 UserSET StallTime: 1X	Stall Time represents the delay between the actuator detecting an error and the actuator trig- gering the alert signal (LED will light BLUE). Available Range: 5x–90x	
5 UserSET BrkDelay: 100ms	Break Delay allows the actuator to delay its movement from one position to another. Available Range: 0ms—990ms	
6 UserSET PosiOFBrk: 100ms	PosiOFBrk is the brake delay time in the range of Deadzone of full-close. The default is 80ms. Available Range: 0ms—200ms	
7 UserSET SWDIR_Dly: Oms	Switch Direction Delay is similar to the above setting, although this is based on a sudden change of direction rather than end of travel. Available Range: 20ms—2000ms	
8 UserSET PDChk_Time: 20x	Power Down Check Time dictates the delay on the actuator using the capacitors to close on loss of power. E.g. if loss if power lasts 2 seconds the actuator would not immediately begin to close. Available Range: 10% - 500% *Only applicable if actuator is Failsafe type	



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9 UserSET	Power Down Action allows the user to dictate the failsafe position. Whether that be Open, Close, complete the last signal given or Keep in position.	
PDAction: 20x	Available Range: NOCK/OFF/ON/B33/KEEP *Only applicable if actuator is Failsafe type	
10 UserSET CapCharge: XXX%	Failsafe actuator capacitors should be fully charged before the actuator is operable and there- fore the default setting reflects this. But with this setting you can change the actuator to power on at an earlier %.	
	Available Range: 0%-99% *Only applicable if actuator is Failsafe type	
11 UserSET	To replicate an 'Alert' situation we can set the 'Test Alarm' to 'ON'. This will turn the LED BLUE , if you purchased your actuator with an alarm relay, this will also generate a signal.	
TestAlarm: ON	Available Range: ON/OFF	
12	Manual Speed allows the user to dictate the speed in which the 'Manual' operation runs.	
UserSEI	Available Range: 20-100%	
Manu_Spd: XXX%		
13	This allows you to set your 4mA or 0V position.	
	Default is 0.0%.	
Posi_0: XXX%	Available Range: -50% - 80%	
14 HearSET	This allows you to set your 20mA or 10V position.	
USEROLI	Default is 100.0%	
Posi_90: XXX%	Available Range: 20% - 220%	
15 UserSET	If the deviation value of the output current of 4mA is large, it can be adjusted by modifying this value.	
Out_4mA: XXX	Available Range: 0_A — 481_A	
16 UserSET	If the deviation value of the output current of 20mA is large, it can be adjusted by modifying this value	
Out_20mA: XXX	Available Range: 281_A — 1000_A	
17 UserSET RevDis: Normal	4-20mA: Control direction: Direct acting (Dir), Reverse acting (Rev). Direct acting: 4mA means valve is totally off, 20mA means valve is totally on. Reverse acting: 4mA means valve is totally on, 20mA means valve is totally off.	
	Available Range: Normal/Disrev	



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18	UserSET DisPosi: Pos420	DisPosi is the setting to displaying mode. This parameter is setting to the display value of Posi 4mA and Posi 20mA. 0-100 %: is logic displaying value; Pos420 is practical position value. Available Range: 0-100%/Pos420
19	UserSET FKChkMod: Pos420	FKChk Mod is setting the mode of feedback. Feedback must match the input. Available Range: Pos420/NoOFST
20	UserSET B33Posi: XX%	 B33 is the AVA version of a 3rd position. This setting allows the user to adjust the angle of that 3rd position. Note that the range of the actuator for open and close is 0-100%. Example, if you set the B33 to 50% it will set the mid position as 45 degrees or 50% open. Available Range: 1%-99%
21	UserSET Speed_PUL:	running speed: the running time of valve can be set by running speed. The bigger the set value is , the shorter switch time is. The smaller the set value is, the longer switch time is. The system default: 100%.
22	UserSET Speed_PWM:	You can adjust the value to control running time of actuator .The bigger the value is, the faster the actuator rotates. The smaller the value is ,the slower the actuator rotates. The default is 100%. Notice 1.PWM speed adjustment could effect actuator output torque, the bigger value is, the larger the torque is. 2.It is not recommended that the combination of PWM speed control with pulse speed control ,which may cause the actuator to be overload
23	UserSET IsGo_Hyste: Yes	This setting is a prerequisite to the next option 'Hysteresis'. This option simply enables or disables the Hysteresis function. The default is 'NO'. Available Range: Yes/No
24	UserSET CMD_Swap:	Control command exchange Setting "Yes" means the valve_on command can be exchanged with valve_off command. B33 and B44 could not be controlled by this.
25	UserSET BothIN_ON:	BothIN_ON 'The state of the actuator when both control lines (red and black) are connected to power. The executed commands can be set: open (ON), close (OFF), hold (KEEP), B33 (B33 position).
26	UserSET BothIn_OFF:	'BothIN_OFF'The state of the actuator when both control lines (red and black) are disconnected to power. The executed commands can be set: open (ON), close (OFF), hold (KEEP), B33 (B33 position).



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36 UserSET StartUpDly: XXs	StartUpDIy is the displaying time of the start-up interface. The default value is 0.5s.	
37 UserSET Cycles: XXXXXXX	This shows the amount of full cycles that this actuator has completed	
38 UserSET ErrStall: XXXXXX	This shows the amount of times this actuator has gone into alert mode	
39 UserSET SoftVer: XX.X	This shows the current version of firmware on the actuator	
40 UserSET ExitSET: Push K3	Once you have made any of the necessary changes, please press K3 to save and exit. You will see the message 'SaveOK' appear and the actuator will display a 'Thank you for your use' message and default back to the default screen that displays actuator input and actual position.	
41 Re Calibration Required	If you change your actuator's control signal from the default of 4-20ma to 2-10V for example, you will need to recalibrate the actuator using the input signal you have. We have produced a step by step guide for doing this on our website. Please ensure you follow our guide if you need to change the input control signal.	

English version. Available in Spanish



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UserSET BothIN_ON: KEEP	This setting allows you to set how you want the actuator to respond on receiving input voltage to both the ON and OFF command. Usually you will operate the actuator by either powering ON (open) or powering OFF (closed) but if you apply power to both ON and OFF at the same time, we can allow certain the following functionality. Both ON and OFF:			
	KEEP:	this will keep the current position of actuator		
	ON:	this will go to the ON (open) position of actuator		
UserSET	OFF:	this will go to the OFF (close) position of actuator		
BothIN_OFF: KEEP	B33:	this will go to the B33 / 3rd position		
UserSET ExitSET: Push K3	Once you ha see the mes sage and de	ave made any of the necessary changes, please press K3 to save and exit. You will ssage 'SaveOK' appear and the actuator will display a 'Thank you for your use' mes- fault back to the default screen that displays actuator input and actual position.		
	Local Contro	ol / Manual Control under power:		
SetU: 100.0% Angle: 99.3%	This mode is the bottom I	s to control the actuator locally when power is applied to the actuator. Simply hold button (K3) for 3-4 seconds and enter the password 111 and press M.		
	Once in th controlled b screen simp return to the 45 seconds	e menu you will see Manual displayed on screen, the actuator can now be y pressing K2 (middle button) and K3. This will open/close the actuator. To exit the ly press M and you will return to the powered mode and the actuator will a signal currently being applied. If the actuator is left in Local Control, after approx. the actuator will return to the powered mode.		
Manual: OFF	Remember t stallation, O	o not use the Manual Override via Allen key when power is applied. Refer to the In- peration and Maintenance guide.		
K2 OFF				

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