

**• SYSTEM-10-LON BTU METER •  
LONMARK® CERTIFIED**



**DESCRIPTION**

The System-10-LON BTU Meter provides highly accurate thermal energy measurement in chilled water, hot water and condenser water systems based on signal inputs from two matched temperature sensors (included) and any of ONICON's insertion or inline flow meters (ordered separately). The LONWORKS® model provides energy, flow and temperature data to the LonTalk® network using standard network variable types (SNVT). Local indication of energy flow and temperature data is also available through an alphanumeric display located on the front of the System-10-LON meter. An optional auxiliary input is also available to totalize pulses from another device and communicate the total directly to the network.

**APPLICATIONS**

Chilled water, hot water and condenser water systems for:

- Commercial office tenant billing
- Central plant monitoring
- University campus monitoring
- Institutional energy cost allocation
- Performance/efficiency evaluations
- Performance contracting energy monitoring

**ORDERING INFORMATION**

The System-10-LON BTU Meter is sold complete with temperature sensors and standard thermowells. Flow Meters are purchased separately.

ITEM #	DESCRIPTION
SYSTEM-10-LON	System-10 BTU Meter, LON compatible
SYSTEM-10-OPT1	Add for 6" and larger pipes
SYSTEM-10-OPT2	Add for 2.5" - 3" copper tube
SYSTEM-10-OPT3	Add for 4" copper tube
SYSTEM-10-OPT4	Upgrade to outdoor thermowells (pair)
SYSTEM-10-OPT5	Upgrade to hot tap thermowells (pair)
SYSTEM-10-OPT8	High temperature sensors (over 200° F)
SYSTEM-10-OPT9	Add one analog output
SYSTEM-10-OPT10	Add four analog outputs
SYSTEM-10-OPT11	Auxiliary pulse input
<b>Choose from the following flow meters:</b>	
F-1100/F-1200	Insertion Turbine Flow Meter (1¼"-72")
F-1300	Inline Turbine Flow Meter (¾" - 1")
F-2000 Series	Full Bore Vortex Flow Meter
F-3000 Series	Full Bore Electromagnetic Flow Meter
Refer to catalog for flow meter installation kits. Consult with ONICON for additional flow meter types.	



**FEATURES**

**LON® Compatible Serial Communications** - Provides complete energy, flow and temperature data to the control system through a LONWORKS network connection, reducing installation costs.

**Simple Installation and Commissioning** - Factory programmed and ready for use upon delivery. All process data and programming functions are accessible via front panel display and keypad.

**Single Source Responsibility** - One manufacturer is responsible for every aspect of the energy measurement process, ensuring component compatibility and overall system accuracy.

**N.I.S.T. Traceable Calibration with Certification** - Each BTU measurement system is individually calibrated using application specific flow and temperature data and is provided with calibration certifications.

**Precision Solid State Temperature Sensors** - Custom calibrated and matched to an accuracy better than ±0.15° F over calibrated range.

**Highly Accurate Flow Meters** - Insertion turbine and inline turbine flow meters are accurate to within ±0.5% of rate at the calibrated typical flow rate and within ±2% of rate over an extended 50:1 turndown range (0.4 - 20 ft/s).

**Complete Installation Package** - All mechanical installation hardware, color coded interconnecting cabling and installation instructions are provided to ensure error-free installation and accurate system performance.

# SYSTEM-10-LON BTU METER SPECIFICATIONS



## CALIBRATION

Flow meter and temperature sensors are individually calibrated, followed by a complete system calibration. Field commissioning is also available.

## ACCURACY

Differential temperature accuracy  $\pm 0.15^\circ$  F over calibrated range  
 Computing nonlinearity within  $\pm 0.05\%$

## PROGRAMMING

Factory programmed for specific application  
 Field programmable via front panel interface

## MEMORY

Non-volatile EEPROM memory retains all program parameters and totalized values in the event of power loss.

## DISPLAY

Alphanumeric LCD displays total energy, total flow, energy rate, flow rate, supply temperature and return temperature  
 Alpha: 16 character, 0.2" high; Numeric: 6 digit, 0.4" high

## OUTPUT SIGNALS

LONWORKS Output Points: (TP/FT-10F)

Variable Description	Units	SNVT Name
Energy Total	BTU	SNVT_btu_f
Energy Rate	Watts	SNVT_power_f
Flow Rate	Liters/Sec	SNVT_flow_f
Supply Temperature	$^\circ$ C	SNVT_temp_f
Return Temperature	$^\circ$ C	SNVT_temp_f
Flow Total	Liters	SNVT_vol_f
Auxiliary Input	No units	SNVT_count_f

Isolated solid state dry contact for energy total

Contact rating: 100 mA, 50V

Contact duration: 0.5, 1, 2, or 6 sec

Optional Analog Output(s) (4-20 mA, 0-10 V or 0-5 V):

One or four analog output(s) available for flow rate, energy rate, supply/return temps, or delta-T.

## LIQUID FLOW SENSOR INPUT

0-15 V pulse output from any ONICON flow meter.

## TEMPERATURE SENSORS

Solid state sensors are custom calibrated using N.I.S.T. traceable temperature standards.

Current based signal (mA) is unaffected by wire length.

## TEMPERATURE RANGE

Liquid temperature range:  $32^\circ$  to  $200^\circ$  F  
 Optional liquid temperature range:  $122^\circ$  to  $302^\circ$  F  
 Ambient temperature range:  $40^\circ$  to  $120^\circ$  F

## MECHANICAL

### ELECTRONICS ENCLOSURE:

Standard: Steel NEMA 13, wall mount, 8"x10"x4"

Optional: NEMA 4 (Not UL listed)

Approximate weight: 12 lbs.

### TEMPERATURE THERMOWELLS:

Standard:  $\frac{1}{2}$ " NPT brass thermowells (length varies with pipe size) with junction box

Note: 6" pipes and larger require SS thermowell option

Optional: 

- $\frac{1}{2}$ " NPT stainless steel thermowells

- Outdoor junction box with thermal isolation
- Hot tap thermowells with isolation valves are available in plated brass or stainless steel

## ELECTRICAL

### INPUT POWER\*:

Standard: 24 VAC 50/60 Hz, 500 mA

Optional: 120 VAC 50/60 Hz, 250 mA  
 230 VAC, 50 Hz, 250 mA

\*Based on Btu meters configured for network connection without the optional analog outputs

### INTERNAL SUPPLY:

Provides 24 VDC at 400 mA to electronics and flow meter

### WIRING:

Temperature signals: Use 18 - 22 ga twisted shielded pair

Flow signals: Use 18 - 22 ga - see flow meter specification sheet for number of conductors

NOTE: Specifications are subject to change without notice.

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## TYPICAL SYSTEM-10-LON INSTALLATION

