# LCD and KEYPAD User's Manual ProMinent<sup>®</sup> DCM 200 series

Aquatic Water Quality Controller

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### **KEYPAD**

If you get lost in a sub-menu, press **EXIT** & you'll stop what you're doing & move back to the main menu

An **ENTER** symbol on the display signals that there are sub-menus available.

Press & Hold **ENTER** or **RIGHT** when viewing a pump to switch between Auto-OFF-Manual. See section **1.4** 

UP & DOWN to view options or to EDIT numbers	<b>4</b>
Move <b>RIGHT</b> to select next field when EDITing	
ENTER to select an option & to execute EDITing	
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### MAIN MENU

The sensors and controls in the main menu vary with your controller part number and sensors and pumps that you enable or disable.

The main menu auto-groups sensors with the pumps that they control, so you will find the menu order changing when you modify a pH sensor from controlling an ON/OFF pump connected to Relay #1 to a frequency controlled pump connected to output #5.

### Where are Sensors, Solenoids, Valves & Pumps Connected

You may modify the names of sensors, meters, flowswitches and pumps but the controller tags each input with a letter **A** to **F** and each output with a number **1** to **5** representing where each is wired so you can locate each I/O within the controller enclosure.

Inputs A, to F have wiring terminals on the lower left side of the controller board. A is the pH sensor, labeled +pH- (where '+' is the center conductor & '-' is the shield) B is the ORP sensor, labeled +ORP-.

C is a temperature sensor labeled RED & BLK & used for the 10mV/K sensor.

**D** is a Langelier-Ryznar calculated input & does not require wiring terminals

E is sensor header flowswitch, labeled FS & ground.

**F** is an assignable contact set, defaulted to monitoring the recirculation pump & labeled **RC** & ground. The adjacent **+12** terminal is used if input **F** is used for a paddlewheel or turbine water meter.

Terminals for relay outputs 1 to 3 are located on the right hand side of the circuit board. They are ON/OFF power relays that switch 120 or 230VAC to pumps & solenoids. The AC load connections are labeled, P1, P2 & R3 for outputs 1 to 3 with state indicated by green LEDs.

Terminals for outputs **4** & **5** are located to the right of the Ethernet jack & are labeled **A4B** and **A5B**. Outputs **4** & **5** are electronic switches configurable as frequency controlled pumps or dry contact, DO outputs and thermally fused to 24VDC & 250mA with state indicated by red LEDs

### FREQUENCY CONTROLLED PUMPS

DCM200 controllers combine the 3 ON/OFF controls with 2 frequency controls.

Depending on your feed application, frequency controlled pumps may deliver more accurate feed, easier to understand setpoints and fed volume tracking, without increasing pump cost.

Frequency controls may be new to you:

Typical	ON/OFF	Frequency
Applications	Controller switches AC power	Controller-to-pump cable varies
	ON/OFF to pump or solenoid.	stroke rate.
PID controls	Modulates pump ON & OFF time	Continuously modifies the pump
	within a user set period	feed rate.
Acid or Oxidant	Turn ON pump when pH greater	Increase the acid feed rate as the
Feed on Setpoints	than 7.65 & OFF when pH less	pH increases.
	than 7.55	Decrease the oxidant feed rate as
		the ORP increases.
Proportional Feed	Requires a 4-20mA controlled	Any sensor can control the feed
	pump or modulates the pump ON	rate from a 1000:1 turn down to
	& OFF times	maximum feed rate.
Metered Feeds	Turn-on pump for 45 minutes	Turn-on pump for 0.535 Gallons
Priming	@ 7:00 every Tuesday	@ 7:00 every Tuesday
Typical Base Feed	Turn pump ON for 45 seconds	Feed @ 4.5mL/minute
	every 5 minutes	
User Support	Relies on user to correctly set	Won't let you set feed rate greater
	pump stroke & frequency	than the pump can deliver.
		Auto-switches from proportional to
		MAX rate depending on feed mode.

You can select one of 6 of the most popular ProMinent pumps for each frequency control which automatically sets the maximum stroke rate and volume per stroke OR you can define a mL/stroke and maximum frequency for any manufacturer's frequency controlled pump.

Sidebars: Are used to explain typical uses for feed and control functions. Sidebars are at the bottom of the page detailing the function. New aquatics users & users new to the DCM200 may find these explanations helpful.

# **1.0 Day-to-Day Operation**

1.1 Main Menu

Displays the current values of controlling sensors.

Press **ENTER** to view or modify system settings

Displays the status of the oxidant feed.

Alternates with Alarms.

Active alarms are displayed by the letter, A..F, of the input or the number 1..5, of the output or 'None'. Press ENTER to reset alarms, to view alarm detail, or to scroll the key-press log,

Present value of the **pH Sensor** connected to sensor input '**A**'. Updates every second. Press **ENTER** to Calibrate, view-set Alarms & Diagnostics.

pH Sensor 'A controls the Acid Pump connected to relay output '1' so they display together. The pump is ON because the pH is less than the turn OFF Setpoint Press ENTER to view-modify Setpoints, Alarms, Diagnostic...

> Alternates with Auto-Manual-OFF selector Press & <u>hold</u> EXIT or **RIGHT** to select

Present value of the **ORP Sensor** connected to sensor input '**B**'. Updates every second. Press **ENTER** to Calibrate, view-set Alarms & Diagnostics.

ORP Sensor 'B' controls the Oxidant Pump connected to relay output '2' so they display together. The pump is OFF; the ORP is above the ON setpoint. Press ENTER to view-modify Setpoints, Alarms, Diagnostic...

> Alternates with Auto-Manual-OFF selector Press & hold EXIT or RIGHT to select

Press **UP** or **DOWN** to scroll through all of the enabled I/O, flowswitches, solenoids, manual LSI-Ryznar entries... Press **ENTER** to select each I/O's sub-menus.



# 1.2 Checking & Clearing Alarms



In this example, the thermal sensor @ input 'C', the LSI-Ryznar calculation @ input 'D' and the acid pump

Press ENTER to view or clear Alarms

Press ENTER to clear Alarms, resets all alarmed feeds and controls; zeroing owed time & volume, and resets the delay on alarm for all sensors.

Exit the acknowledge display, press **ENTER** or any key. The adjacent flashing **RED** LED will switch to **BLUE**.

Returns to the main menu **Alarms** display.

Press **ENTER** then **DOWN** to view active alarms. Alarms display until cleared so you'll know there was a problem although it may have occurred

and UP or **DOWN** to view active alarms.

**'C'** is a thermal sensor which is below or has been below its low alarm limit.

Acid pumps are usually set to stay OFF after alarming until the issue that caused the alarm has been corrected.

Sidebar: Feed limit and water meter alarms will immediately re-trip unless you adjust the alarm limits. Sensor alarms will re-trip after the user set 'Delay' unless the fault is corrected.

# 1.3 View & Adjust Setpoints



### Sidebar:

'Alarms-Limit' displays if the new setpoint exceeds the sensor alarm limits. Setpoint is auto-set to the alarm limit.
'ON=OFF fault' displays if the ON setpoint = OFF setpoint. Setpoints auto corrected for a 1% deadband.
'Out of Range' displays if ON > OFF on Oxidant feed or ON<OFF on Acid feed</li>
'Out of Range' displays if PID control setpoint = 0.0. Setpoint change rejected in both cases.
Frequency outputs 4 and 5 configured as dry contact special controls (Digital Outs) display No Sensor, No Setpoints.

ON-OFF Acid pumps without PID control selected typically use setpoints 0.05 pH apart so that the delay between feeding acid and measuring its pH does not cause wide pH swings.

# 1.3 View & Adjust Setpoints

Adjust Sotnoints

Key **UP** or **DOWN** to the target Pump, Valve or Solenoid then press **ENTER**.

The **Acid Pump**, frequency controlled by output **5** is **ON** and feeding at **65.84%** of maximum SPM (strokes/minute).

This chemical is fed based on the value of a pH sensor.

Key ENTER once to Setpoints and again to view the 100%ON Setpoint. At pH's greater than 7.50 the '5' Acid Pump is @ maximum, rated SPM.

Press **ENTER** to adjust.

Press **DOWN** to view the **OFF Setpoint** setpoint. At pHs less than 7.25 the '5' **Acid Pump** is OFF.

> Press ENTER to adjust. Key RIGHT to move the underline and then UP or DOWN to change the number.

> > Press ENTER to change the setpoint or EXIT to leave unchanged

In this example, we've narrowed the control range from 0.25pH (7.5-7.25) to 0.13pH (7.5-7.37).

Variable Frequency	
Acid Pump 🚽 5	
Feed@ 65.84%	
Setpoints 🚽	
Test-Prime	
100%ON Setpoint	
7.50 рн 🗘	
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OFF Setpoint 🚽	
7.25 рН 🗘	
Editing, or Exit	
7.3 <u>7</u> pH →♦	
then ->	
OFF Setpoint 🚽	

### Sidebar:

The controller knows the pump type connected to output '5' and its rated maximum SPM. Pumps of varying SPM and ml/stroke rating may be controlled at the same time.

In this example, the red '**A5B**' indicating LED on the lower controller board flashes at the pump stroke rate. As the feed rate approaches zero, the time between flashes increases.

Any sensor may be used to frequency control any pump connected to outputs '4' or '5' delivering proportional control without using 4-20mA controlled pumps.

Controls inherit the setpoint units and resolution from the controlling sensor.

# 1.4 Auto-Manual-Off Selection

Key **UP** or **DOWN** to the target Pump, Valve or Solenoid Output displays alternate with Auto-Manual-OFF selection

If you are operating in Auto, a sensor is controlling the pump. Press & **HOLD EXIT** or **RIGHT** to change state.

> The *HOLD* time to change state is user settable from 1 to 10 seconds, defaulting to 2 seconds. *HOLD* time is adjusted @ **System/Configuration**

> > Manual turns the output controlling the pump or solenoid ON all of the time.

Open flowswitch and RUN-STOP contacts will still turn the output OFF.

Selecting OFF, turns OFF the pump or solenoid & it remains OFF until Manual or Auto is selected

An alarm may be set when OFF is selected if Alarm on STOPs is set to Yes in the SYS Configure browser page.



### Sidebar:

**Manual** is an easy way to prime pumps or to slug feed a chemical on system start-up. **Manual** overrides sensor control to turn ON a control relay but it does not bypass safety interlocks and blocking.

**Stop** finds most use remotely as a way to disable a faulted feed control until corrective maintenance

Hold on Select:

The 1 to 10 seconds *HOLD* delay on pressing the **RIGHT** or **EXIT** key blocks accidental state change selection.

### **ON/OFF** Indicators

If the green or red LED on the controller circuit board is ON, the pump or valve connected to that output **1** to **5** should also be ON.

# 2.0 Chemical Feed Controls

# 2.1 Limiting Feed & Alarms



To view or modify the Alarms-Limits used on a pump or solenoid, key **UP** or **DOWN** to the target Pump,

Key UP or DOWN to Alarms-Limits & key ENTER.

The **Minutes per Actuation** limit is the elapsed ON time for each ON-OFF cycle. Key ENTER to adjust.

> The **Minutes per Day** limit is the total ON time In any one day. Key **ENTER** to adjust.

If this pump alarms, it will turn OFF. Acid Pumps ALWAYS are set to OFF on alarm.

> Set to **Yes** to control any output with the Alarm Relay special control set.

**ENTER** ends all owed time or volume & feed events. Will not restart after a Minutes/Day alarm

If this pump or solenoid has ever previously alarmed, displays type of alarm and time & date it occurred. Used to flag alarms that have been Reset

### Sidebar:

Alarms and Feed Limits prevent over feeds and/or alert users to operating faults. Set limits to more than 1440 to block alarms. Example:

An acid feed that exceeds 15 minutes indicates that we're out of acid, the pump's unplugged or incorrectly adjusted, the pH sensor isn't responding...

# 2.1 Limiting Feed & Alarms



To view or modify the Alarms-Limits used on a pump or solenoid, key UP or DOWN to the target Pump, & press ENTER.

In this example, the **Oxidant** pump is frequency controlled by output **4** and is currently **ON** & **Owes 56.4 mL** of feed.

Key ENTER & DOWN to Alarms-Limits & key ENTER.

The **Volume/ day** limit is currently set @ 23.8 Gallons. Controllers set to metric units, will display in Liters. Key **ENTER** to adjust.

> Key **RIGHT** to move the underline and then **UP** or **DOWN** to change the number.

Press ENTER to change the Volume/day limit or EXIT to leave unchanged.

In this example we've decreased the Volume/day limit from 23.8 to 1.5 Gallons Sanity Check: An 18mL/minute pump, would have to be ON for more 3.5 hours to trip the alarm.

### Sidebar:

Feed Limits are times for pumps & solenoids controlled by relays 1 to 3 and volumes for frequency controlled outputs 4 and 5.

Set the limits so that worst-case operation on the hottest day or highest bio-load load will not trip the limit, avoiding nuisance alarms. In more critical applications, run the limit close to actual operating volume or time & use the limit alarms to flag atypical system operation.

Typically you are only concerned with either the **Actuation** or **Day** limit. **Examples:** 

Oxidant feeds usually use the **Actuation** limit to prevent overfeeds & to detect loss of feed, setting the **Day** limit so it never trips.

Acid feeds would use both **Actuation** and **Day** limits since different fault types trip each limit alarm.

# 2.1 Limiting Feed & Alarms



### Sidebar:

Chemical feeds are usually all set to **OFF on alarm** since an overfeed indicates an operating problem which requires correction.

Setting **Alarm Relay** = **YES** turns ON the output with Alarm Relay special control set. Multiple sensors and pumps may be set to trip the alarm power relay or contact set.

# 2.2 Feed Diagnostics



To view or modify the **Diagnostic** for a pump or solenoid, key **UP** or **DOWN** to the target Pump The main menu display provides the current state. Press **ENTER**.

> Key **DOWN** to **Diagnostic** & key **ENTER**. then **UP** or **DOWN**.

> > Displays Alarmed if feed stopped on Actuation or Day limits.

Displays the controlling sensor, meter or contact set & current value This example shows a pump controlled by the ORP sensor connected to input '**B**'.

Displays the first setpoint type & value. This example is ORP sensor controlled so the first setpoint is the mV value @ pump turn ON

Displays the 2nd setpoint type & value. This example is ORP controlled so the OFF setpoint is higher than ON. Adding oxidant increases the ORP.

Typical ORP controls **Feed Oxidant**, but it's also possible to use the same ORP sensor to De-Chlor. Similarly, a pH sensor can be used to control both Acid & Caustic chemical pumps.

A pump that never runs may indicate a setpoint, sensor or flow cell problem. Always ON may indicate a setpoint, pump sizing, feed or sensor problem.

### Sidebar:

**Diagnostics** vary with the output type and control. Relays '1' to '3' use ON time instead of the volumes displayed Frequency controls '4' and '5'.

The main menu displays **Blocked** & the blocking output OR **Lockout** & the **Interlock** input OR **Alarmed** if a pump cannot feed OR **Delayed** on power-on sample cell delay.

# 2.2 Feed Diagnostics



Pumps or solenoids with ON time or volume events will display the time or volume owed

Available **Special Controls** vary with the type of output: Relay, Frequency or Digital Out and the controlling sensor type.

Displays active Special Control; PID, Percentage Time-Base Feed, Time Modulate, Alarm Output, Filter Events.. Meter paced feeds don't use Special Controls.

& we're back at the top of the **Diagnostic** scroll.

### Sidebar:

DCM200 controllers are Diagnostic intensive.

Each sensor, water meter, contact set, relay-frequency-digital output and the controller itself has a **Diagnostic** display sequence.

**Diagnostic** tells you a lot about the operation of the control system and is invaluable if you have a configuration problem or feed fault.

Even if you have **Passwords** turned ON, any user can still view the **Diagnostics**. An on-site person reading you the **Diagnostic** screen sequence may save you a site trip.

Browser access available locally or remotely via a VPN or modem connection displays all controller Diagnostics.

Periodic E-mails sent by LAN connected DCM200s contain diagnostic & configuration information on sensors and controls.

# 2.3 Selecting a Pump Type



Controller outputs '4' and '5' may be used for frequencycontrolled pumps or as dry contact, digital outputs.

> To view or modify a **Pump Type** key **UP** or **DOWN** to the target pump and press **ENTER** then **UP**.

### Key ENTER @ Pump Type.

Displays one of six default pump types or **Other**. In this example **Oxidant** '4' controls a **ProMinent 1001** type pump. Key **ENTER** to modify.

Displays the current **mL/stroke** volume in mL. In this example, it's the default for a **ProMinent 1001** type pump. Key **ENTER** to modify.

Displays the current **Rated SPM** in strokes per minute. In this example, it's fixed by selecting a **ProMinent 1001** type pump.

# Sidebar:

### Pump Type:

If you select one of the 6 built-in ProMinent pumps, the feed volume mL/stroke and maximum frequency are correctly and automatically assuming a nominal 40psi feed line pressure.

If you select '**Other**' as a pump type, you'll need to provide both the nominal mL/stroke and maximum stroke rate. Pumps with maximum stroke rates from 50 SPM to 400 SPM are supported by the controller.

### **Relay Controls:**

Frequency controlled pumps may be switched ON/OFF by one of the controller's relays '1' to '3'. Disconnect and remove the frequency control cable and plug the pump power cord into the controller.

This is not the best use for a frequency controlled pump but if you need more than the controller's four frequency controls, it's an option.

# 3.0 Sensors



### Sidebar:

**Single Point Calibration:** All sensors can be single point calibrated. Measure a grab sample from the sensor installation line and calibrate the sensor based on the grab sample. It's the simplest, most repeatable method.

Aquatics systems, setpoint control so that the pH or ORP is controlled within a narrow range, allowing simple, single point calibration.

Process control and monitoring only sites which may operate over a wide sensor range benefit from 2-point calibration.

Calibration Faults: Refer to the next page for options on fault.

# 3.1 Sensor Calibration



### Sidebar:

**Sensor Fault:** The controller verifies that sensor OFFSET or GAIN required to make the sensor read its new value are within the range of typical sensor operation. **Sensor Fault** on out of range.

Fault Cause varies with sensor type.

**ORP:** Verify sensor cable not shortened & firmly connected. Verify not visibly fouled. If stream contains organics, clean with alcohol or solvent. If stream high in iron or copper the sensor's platinum surface reads low and responds slowly & requires strong acid stripping.

**pH:** Verify solution ground in sensor header connected & excess pH sensor cable coiled at sensor, not in enclosure. Verify sensor cable not shortened & firmly connected. Then replace if no recovery after **Factory Reset**. pH sensor life decreases with handling and temperature extremes.

**Temperature:** Verify cabling color-coding correct and sensor wires firmly connected. Inspect sensor for damage or leaking.

# 3.2 LSI-Ryznar Manual Entry



### Sidebar:

The LSI-Ryznar scaling & corrosion indexes calculations require current pH, temperature & conductivity is addition to hardness & alkalinity.

You'll be prompted for a conductivity calibration after you view-modify **Alkalinity.** 

Calcium limits = 50 to 400ppm Alkalinity limits = 30 to 140 ppm Conductivity limits = 100 to 10000 If you enter a value outside of the limits, it will be set to the limit

# 3.3 Sensor Alarms



To view or adjust sensor alarm, key **UP** or **DOWN** to the target sensor and press **ENTER**.

In this example we're viewing the alarms on the **Temperature** sensor connected to input 'C'

Key UP and ENTER @ Alarms.

In this example, the controller will alarm if the **Temperature** exceeds **90.0 F**. Key **ENTER** to modify.

In this example, the controller will alarm if the **Temperature** falls below **60.0 F**. Key **ENTER** to modify.

**Delay on Alarm** prevents nuisance alarms by requiring, in this example, **5** minutes of fault occur before alarming.

Set the Delay to zero minutes if you require an immediate alarm. Key ENTER to modify.

### Sidebar:

**Sensor Alarms:** Nuisance alarms tend to be ignored. Select alarm limits that represent user safety & comfort and trap control fault & sensor failure.

LAN connected DCM200's auto E-mail out on each sensor and control alarm unless E-mailing is disabled.

Sensors can be configured using the browser interface to trip a relay or digital output designated as an Alarm Output

# 3.3 Sensor Alarms



### Sidebar:

**Reset Alarms:** Section 1.2 **Clear Alarms** resets the **Delay on Alarm** time If the **Delay on Alarm** is set to zero minutes and the sensor is above the **High Alarm** or below the **Low Alarm**, the sensor alarm will immediately re-trip.

### Alarms when OFF Line:

If the sensor installation piping drains or siphons when the system turns OFF and a sensor alarm results, install a check valve on the sensor line.

A check valve will prevent alarms but more importantly will prevent wet-dry cycles from depositing on sensing surfaces, causing calibration problems and shortening sensor life.

# **3.4 Sensor Diagnostics**



### Sidebar:

**Diagnostic** displays how the sensor is configured, compensated and calibrated. This is where you go if you have a non-obvious sensor problem.

# **3.4 Sensor Diagnostics**



Offset Adjust is the value required to make the displayed pH, ORP or temperature match your last calibration.

### Default Offset is the Offset after a Factory Reset.

pH & ORP sensors with offsets remote from the default offset will not usually track & have failed, contaminated or fouled.

Measured Level is the sensor voltage measured by the controller. Varies with sensor type. Useful when diagnosing non-tracking sensors.

Example: 44.3 mV x 0.0170 Gain + 6.896 Offset = 7.65 pH The pH Sensor value displayed on the previous page.

### Sidebar:

### Offset & Default Offset

When you calibrate a pH, ORP or temperature sensor, the controller adjusts the OFFSET to make your measured value match the displayed value. Note above that the actual pH sensor OFFSET is not the Default.

### Gain & Default Gain

When you two point calibrate a pH sensor, the controller adjusts both OFFSET and GAIN.

### Measured Level:

pH sensors have a well defined mV to pH relationship. Example pH7 = 0mV, pH10=176 mV and pH4 = -176 mV. Displayed sensor value = (GAIN x Measured Level ) + OFFSET.

Using this simple equation, you can directly modify the OFFSET & GAIN to get a desired display. This is seldom done, but it's convenient for some unusual sensor types.

# **3.4 Sensor Diagnostics**



If we are viewing the **Volume Today** at noon and this site runs 24 hours a day, is this the expected volume for the current load?

If it's high, are we losing water? If it's low is the meter volume/contact correct? & if it is, is the level control functioning?

Diagnostics are only useful if you draw operating conclusions from the data.

Note: A DCM200 can only set input 'F' to be a water meter. Input 'E' is fixed as a flowswitch.

# **3.4 Sensor Diagnostics**



### Sidebar:

If **Days Online** = 286 and **Vol. this year** = 1642900 & the site operates 24/7 then we're averaging 5750 Gallons/day. Is this the expected make-up volume for the load? If we've been averaging 5750 and today at noon we've measured **Volume today** = 9860 Gallons, why the increase?

### Meter Alarms: Low Alarm

The **Low Alarm** for water meters only trips at midnight if the meter has not exceeded the **Low Alarm** volume. Set **Low Alarms** = 0 to prevent alarms @ midnight.

Use **Low Alarm** to flag sites that have not made-up.

### Meter Alarms: High Alarm

The High Alarm for water meters trips when the meter exceeds the High Alarm volume.

Set **High Alarms** higher than the volume expected @ highest load to prevent nuisance alarms OR close to actual usage to flag you on increased load...

Set **High Alarms** on feed verify meters to flag you on increased usage.

Note; clearing a water meter **High Alarm** without adjusting the **High Alarm** level will immediately trip another alarm on the meter.

# 3.5 Contact Set Alarms

To view or modify contact set **Alarms** key **UP** or **DOWN** to the target contact set input and press **ENTER**.

### Key UP and ENTER @ Alarms.

Alarms if the contact set is **ON** today for longer than the **ON Time Alarm**. Timing resets every time contact set turns **OFF** and at midnight.

Alarms if the contact set is **OFF** today for longer than the **No Flow Alarm**. Timing resets every time contact set turns **ON** and at midnight.

Keying ENTER to modify. Key UP or DOWN to change the underlined digit. Key RIGHT to move the <u>underline</u>.

Press ENTER to save the new No Flow Alarm. or EXIT to leave unchanged.

In this example we've reduced the **No Flow Alarm** from its factory default of **1500** minutes to **60** minutes.



### Sidebar:

Default alarm times are set so that contact sets won't alarm unless user configured. It's unlikely that you would set both alarms on any one contact set but the ability to alarm both ON & OFF states gives you a lot of application flexibility.

### **ON Time Alarm:**

If the pressure switch on your RO or side-stream filter shows high pressure for more than 30 minutes, you'd like to log an alarm.

### **No Flow Alarm:**

If you had a system that typically runs 24/7 you'd want to alarm on a flowswitch that has no flow since it indicates that the sensor or injection line is blocked or inadvertently valved OFF.

If you expected a switch to trip or a contact set to close daily when an event or action occurred, you'd want an alarm if it did not occur.

# 4.1 Passwords



Controllers are defaulted to Keypad Password OFF.

To turn ON the **Keypad Password** press **ENTER** and **DOWN** to **Configure** at the power up or top of menu display.

Key ENTER @ Configure.

Key **DOWN** to Keypad Password.

Key ENTER DOWN ENTER to turn ON Keypad Password.

You'll view the Login display when you select a password protected part of the controller. See Login Displays:. Key ENTER

Key **UP** or **DOWN** to change the underlined letter or digit. Key **RIGHT** to move the <u>underline</u>.

> Press **ENTER** to **Login**. If you have not keyed any of the current, valid passwords, you'll view an error message.

### Sidebar:

Default Passwords:

The first time you turn ON **Keypad Password** the 8 default passwords are: Operator1 = 1 Operator2 = 2 Operator3 = 3 Operator4 = 4. Configure5 = 5 Configure6 = 6 Configure7 = 7 Administrator = **AAAA** There are 3 password levels, Operator, Configure and Administrator. The 8 default User IDs are used in the controller's keypress log.

 Modify Password: Once you Login you can modify your password. Refer to the following page.
 Login Displays: Prompts you for the required password level. Login @ Admin, Config or Operate depending on what key press activity required a password.

# 4.1 Passwords

After you've turned ON passwords and logged in as one of the eight users:

To modify your **Keypad Password** press **ENTER** and **UP** to **Passwords** at the power up or day-time display.

Key ENTER @ Passwords.

To **Logout** as the current user, key **ENTER** at **Logout**. The controller automatically logs you out 30 minutes after your last key press. Note that this display shows **Operator1**, your user ID.

Key ENTER at Reset Pswrds.

to key in the reset code which returns all passwords to default.

### Key ENTER at Edit Passwords

to view or modify your password.

Key **UP** or **DOWN** to change the underlined letter or digit. Key **RIGHT** to move the <u>underline</u>.

> Press ENTER to change your password or EXIT to leave unchanged. In this example we changed **Operator1**'s default password from '1' to **OP1**.

### Sidebar:

Modify Passwords:

Because all 8 default passwords are listed on the previous page. You'll should modify all 8 passwords when you initially turn ON passwords. Passwords are limited to 8 numbers. Any space in a password ends the password on both editing and **Login** password entry

Two users cannot share the same password because the password is used to identify the user. The controller displays **Password Fail** on a duplicate password.

**Reset Passwords:** If you forget your password, a **Reset Password** is available from ProMinent, specific to your controller's serial number ; sets all passwords to default.

Passwords: This menu item only displays on controllers that have turned ON Keypad Password.



# 4.2 Time & Date



# Sidebar:

**Time & Date:** The controller uses a 24 hour clock where 14:30 is 2:30 PM.

Controller Response to a new Time&Date:

When you change the time & date, the controller:

- 1. Turns all outputs OFF, resets all control timing and restarts the logging period on each I/O
- 2. Ends time and volume owed which ends all events.
- 3. Does a midnight reset which will may set volume-meter Low Alarms.
- 4. Sets the event control Day 1 to the most recent Sunday.

Example: If you are at Day 19, Thursday of week 3, on a 28 day event feed cycle. After a **Time&Date** change you are now at, Day 5,Thursday of week 1.

# 4.3 Keypress-Alarm Log



Sidebar:

**Keypress-Alarm Log:** The log contains the last 25 activities that effect the operation of the controller. Most recent activities first. Both keypad and browser user activities are logged.

### **User IDs:**

**Keypad Password** ON: Logs the User IDs listed in **Section 11.1 Sidebar:Default Passwords**. **Keypad Password** OFF: Logs all User IDs as **Keypad**.

Browser user IDs are always logged because login is required to browse. Actions taken by the controller, like logging a power OFF/ON, use the **System** user ID.

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# 4.4 Enabling Inputs & Outputs



# 4.5 Metric & U.S. Units



### Sidebar:

### **Commissioning:**

Select U.S. or Metric Units when you commission or install the controller. Data logging uses the Units setting for the units on logged volumes and temperatures. Changing units does not change data already logged.

### **Metric Inputs:**

Temperature inputs are converted to Centigrade using the default offset and gain for each of the thermal input type. If you switch back to U.S. units, temperatures are converted to Fahrenheit using the default offset & gain, removing the effect of any user calibration. Water meter units default to 'L'iters not 'G'allons.

### **Metric Outputs:**

Pumped volumes are reported in mL & Liters. Timed event volumes are in Liters and not Gallons. The controller uses the units of the controlling sensor for setpoints. If a water meter was set to measure Gallons prior to switching the **Metric Units**, it will still display Gallons on the meter and wherever it's used for control.

To view or adjust the configuration of the whole controller press ENTER and DOWN to Configure at the power up display.

Key ENTER @ Configure

Currently set to U.S. units. To switch to **Metric Units**, key **ENTER**, select **Yes & ENTER**.

Password for LCD-Keypad users currently OFF. To turn ON passwords key ENTER, select Yes & ENTER.

The DCM200 logs up to 24000 records at Log Periods from 1 to 60 minutes. Five minutes is an 83 day log of sensor values, state & pump ON times. Key ENTER to modify the Log Period.

> Insert a USB flash drive & auto-uploads the Last 7 days of Log records. Key ENTER to select Last 48 hours or All Logs.

You can modify the keypress response to your preference from 150mS, default to 200mS. Key ENTER to modify.

You can modify the Auto-Manual-OFF, **HOA** Press & HOLD response to prevent accidental Selection from 1 to 10 seconds; 2 second default. Key ENTER to modify



### Sidebar: Recommended:

Turn on Keypad password.

Log on as the 'admin' and modify the password if this controller is likely to be accessed by uninformed users. Do this to prevent accidental or malicious controller reconfiguration.

To view or adjust the controller Ethernet settings press **ENTER** and **DOWN** to **Communicate** at the power up or top of menu display.

# Key ENTER @ Communicate

Displays the current LAN **IP address**. In this example, it's the factory default.

Key **ENTER** to modify.

Netmask is usually this value for most sites. Key ENTER to modify.

**Gateway** is frequently the '1' address on the subnet Key **ENTER** to modify.

> Primary DNS is frequently provided @ the same address as the Gateway Key ENTER to modify.

The DCM200 HTTP sever is fixed at Port 80.

The **MAC address** is six 2 digit hexadecimal numbers, separated by colons into 3 groups of 4 to fit the LCD screen. In this example, the **MAC address** is **00 90 C2 00 00 00** 



### Sidebar:

### Not Connected to the Site LAN?

Leave the IP Address at 10.10.6.106. Connect a crossover cable from your notebook PC to the controller and browse 10.10.6.106.

Browser passwords are the same as the default keypad passwords listed in manual Section **5.1 Passwords**.

You'll need to configure your notebook or netbook to connect & browse. Refer to DCM200\_browser manual.

# **4.7 Communications**



### Sidebar:

### Not LAN connected: Using An Ethernet CrossOver Cable:

You'll need to set your notebook PC's IP Address to the same network to browse the controller using a crossover cable. In this pages example, the controller **IP Address** is **192.168.24.86**.

To be on the same network, your notebook needs an **IP Address 192.168.24.**xxx where xxx is any number from 2 to 255, excluding **86**.

# 5.8 System Diagnostic



To view the controller's **Diagnostic** press **ENTER** at the power up or top of menu display.

### Key ENTER @ Diagnostic.

The **12VDC Power** level is the unregulated voltage @ the controller's **+12** terminal. At less than 10VDC, an alarm will indicate an external wiring error is loading the 12V turbine meter supply.

> Displays the time and date of the most recent Factory Reset I/O reset or the time and date of DCM200 manufacturing

An Admin Password @ Default has not been modified from 'AAAA'. If modified displays 'Changed'.

An **Watchdog Resets** should always display **0**. An increasing number of **Resets** indicates corrupted firmware or controller electrical fault or interference.

The controller **Firmware Version** indicates the version of the software operating the controller.

### Sidebar:

**Reset to Factory:** Sets volume-water meter total for this year and the previous year to zero.

# DCM200 User 5. Data Logging

# 5.1 Overview

The DCM200 logs all sensor, flowswitch & meter values & state and all pump-valve-solenoid ON times or fed volumes & status at a user set interval every 1 to 60 minutes.

The 24,000 record log therefore has time span of 16.6 days @ a 1 minute rate to 1000 days @ a 60 minute logging rate.

There are several ways to download the DCM200 data log and to generate reports.

### 1. LAN Connected DCM200 Controllers

- **1A:** Run ProMinent's Trackster app on a local site PC.
- **1B:** Use a VPN or cell EVDO modem to remotely access the data log via Trackster
- **1C:** Set the E-mail out to send an hourly log file to ProMinent's dedicated E-mail server. Then connect to [Needs site link] for reporting. Also provides E-mails on alarm.

### 2. Stand-alone DCM200 Controllers

Insert a USB flash drive into the DCM200 USB socket and your selected log download size will auto-upload. Transfer the upload file to ProMinent's app @ [Needs site link] for reporting

Log files are compacted, CSV (comma separated variable) delimited text files, structured to be read by an application but also human readable. Log files are named 'DxxxLyyy' where xxx = last 3 digits of controller serial number and yyy = day of year from 1 to 365.

# 5.2 USB Flash Drive Log Upload

HP v125w flash drives are both SCSI and USB 2.0 compatible and can be written by the DCM200. Other flash drives may or may not be compatible. The DCM200 will detect an incompatible flash drive on insertion into the DCM200 USB connector.

### 1. Insert the Flash Drive

If the DCM200 cannot read or write the flash drive, you'll view an error message.

### 2. Auto-Upload

Log upload starts automatically.

Keypad is locked during upload but control continues.

Do not browse during log upload.

LCD display alternates between the current sensor values & the record# uploading with record number counting down to zero.

If you have requested more records than the log holds, you get all of the log.

### 3. Remove the Flash Drive

Upload Complete Remove Drive LCD displays on completion.