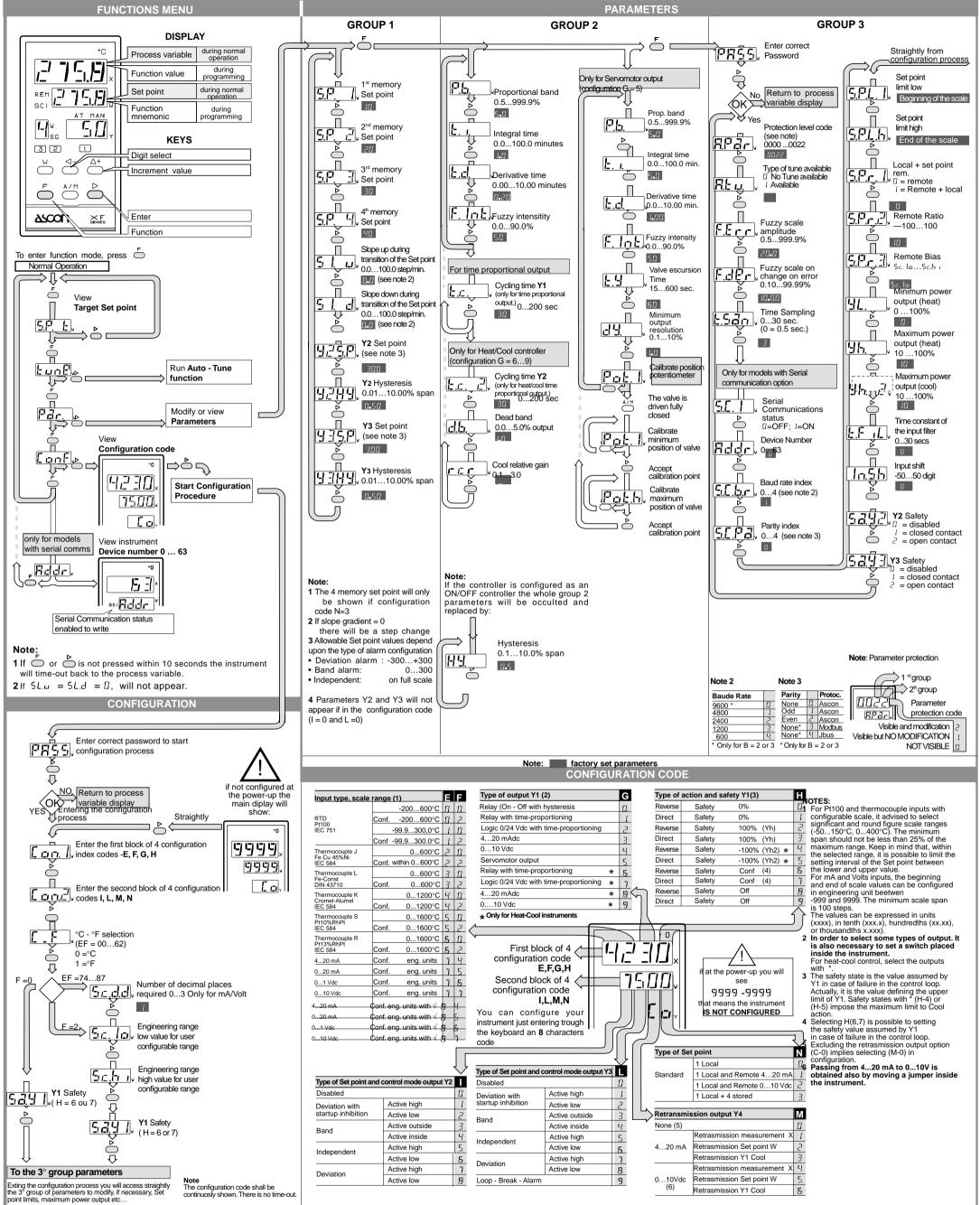
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point limits, maximum power output etc..

### Entering parameters

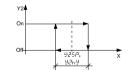
Once the configuration phase is completed, the controller will display all the parameters of functions that may be entered to their desired values. To simplify the exercise the parameters have been divided into two groups plus one. In the first group are listed all the parameters related to the set point of the instrument, in the second are inserted the PID control parameters and in the third group, which is protected by the password 1111, are inserted the access and/or operation indexes, the fuzzy control parameters, the parameters for the serial communication, all the limiting functions and safety states functions.

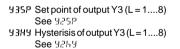
#### First group of parameters

- Stored set point 1 (N = 3)5*P.* I
- SPJE Stored set point 2 (N = 3) 5*P*.3 Stored set point 3 (N = 3)
- Stored set point 4 (N = 3) 5.2.4

The memorised set points are the preset values for operation, recalled through logic inputs, serial transfer or the front keyboard. When one of these set values is recalled the small auxiliary display on the front of the instrument shows the set number recalled.

- 5L, L Rate of variation in increase of the main set point SP.
  - Any new value of the main set point SP greater than that previously entered from the front keyboard, by linear transfer or recalled through logic or remote analogue inputs, will be associated with the rate established for that parameter. On switching on the controller put W = Xand it will settle on the target set (the previously entered SP) at the established rate. The slope is expressed in digits/minute.
- 5L. d. Rate of variation in decrease of the main set point SP. Any new value of the main set point SP greater than that previously entered from the front keyboard, by linear transfer or recalled through logic or remote analogue inputs, will be associated with the rate established for that parameter. On switching on the controller put W = Xand it will settle on the target set (the previously entered SP) at the established rate. The slope is expressed in digits/minute.  $\exists 25P$ . Set point of output Y2 (I = 1....8)
- 92H9 Hysterisis of output Y2 (I = 1....8) By hysterisis is means a zone within which an output does not under go changes and maintains the state previously assumed. In order to obtain a change in the state of variable X it is necessary to go outside this zone. The amplitude of this hysterisis zone is expressed as an amplitude % of the configured scale





Second group of parameters

- HЧ Hysterisis of relay output Y1 (G = 0)
  - By hysterisis is meant a zone within which an output does not under go changes and maintains the state previously assumed. In order to obtain a change in the state of variable X it is necessary to go outside this zone. The amplitude of this hysterisis zone is expressed as an amplitude % of the configured scale. The output contacts are to be found between terminals 16 and 17.
- Proportional band (G = 1....9)PЬ. The band within which commences the modulation of the output in direct proportion to the difference between the set point W and the variable X. It is calculated as a % of the scale amplitude and spread in a symmetrical mode with respect to the set point.
- Integral time (G = 1....9)E. 1. This is the time used by a single integral action to repeat the contribution supplied by the proportional action. This action is expressed in minutes. ĿД Derivative time (G = 1....9)
- This is the time taken for a single proportional action to attain the same level as the P + D output. This action is expressed in minutes.
- F. mE Percentage intensity of fuzzy action (G = 1...9). The main control output is composed of the sum of two control algorithms, Fuzzy and PID. This parameter permits the balancing as a % of the proportion of the fuzzy algorithm in relation to that of the PID. Ъc
  - Cycle time of the output Y1 (G = 1, 2, 6, 7)This parameter is expressed in seconds and defines the total time of the On/Off states of the main output Y1 modulated in % of the PID + Fuzzy algorithm. e.g. If Y1 = 20% and t.c. = 30", the On state = 6" and that of the Off = 24". If G = 1 or 6, the output relay
  - contacts are between terminals 16 and 17. If G = 2 or 7, the logic output as

a voltage is available between the terminals 19(+) and 20(-).

- Ec 2 Cycle time for "cold output" Y1 (G = 6...9 and M = <> 3, <> 6). This parameter is expressed in seconds and defines the total time of the On/Off states of the cold output Y1 modulated in % of algorithm PID + Fuzzy. e.g. If Y = -20% and tc2 = 30", the On state = 6" and that of the Off = 24". The output relay contacts are between the terminals 17 and 18.
- FhF db.
  - The dead zone between the hot and cold outputs (G = 6...9)If the variable X coincides with the set point 5P I and the output positions itself at 0% the

system will tend to pass continually between hot and cold and vice versa. The parameter involved defines that the command at the output of the controller, whether it is hot or cold, will only be forwarded if it is greater than that written in the same parameter.

- Relative gain of the "cold" output rer (G = 6...9).
  - This is a parameter that determines the amplitude of the proportional band of the cold with respect to that of the hot: PbF = Pb/cccPbF = Proportional band output
  - Y1 "cold" Pb = Proportional band output
- Y1 "hot" Total rotation time for servomo-29 tor (G = 5)This is the time used (expressed

in seconds) for valve servomotors to travel from its lower run limit to its upper run limit. As a control algorithm of the "floating" type, this parameter is fundamental to a correct positioning of the valve servomotor. d9 Resolution of positioning or dead

- zone (G = 5).This parameter expressed in actuator run %, defines the minimum movement required for the servomotor. All the commands given by the control algorithm with lower amplitudes than the value written in the dy parameter, will not be executed.
- Pot. I Input procedure for calibration of servomotor position (G=5) This parameter is added if the A/M button is pressed to enter into the calibration phase and the controller automatically locks on the servomotor. When on the X display the numbers stop it signifies that the servomotor has reached its lower run limit. Pressing the A/ M button again, the controller stores the "0%" position and drives the servomotor to its maximum opening. When on the X display the numbers stop it signifies that the servomotor has reached its upper limit. Pressing the A/M button again, the controller stores the "100%" position. At this point the calibration operation is concluded and to terminate it is necessary to press the "> enter" button. During the calibration phase it is useful to time with a stopwatch the rotation for later insertion in the ty parameter.

### Third group of parameters

- **RPar** Access password to parameter groups
  - This function permits the concealment, viewing, but not modifying or rendering completely accessible groups of parameters. The first digit on the right of the display corresponds to the second group, the second digit from the right corresponds to the first group of parameters. The significance of the numbers to be inserted is as follows:
  - 0 Group not visible
  - 1 Group visible, without any facility to modify parameter

- 2 Group visible, with facility to modify parameter contents.

- 8Łu The purpose of this parameter is that of setting / tuning the automatic searching of PID and Fuzzy parameters. On entering "0" the tuning function is disabled and the "tune" parameter is no longer available in the main menu.
- FPrr Span of fuzzy operational zone (G = 1...9)

The parameter in question permits the definition of the zone of operation for the fuzzy algorithm and is calculated in % of scale. The optimum value of this zone can be calculated using the following formula : FPrr = 4 x Ph.

- FdPr Fuzzy derivative (G = 1...9). This parameter permits "informing" the fuzzy algorithm of the speed of the process to be controlled. It is expressed as " % scale/minute" and its optimum value can be calculated with the formula :  $F_{d}P_{r} = 4 \times P_{b}/E_{r}$ Pb = Proportional band expressed as a percentage E = Integral time expressed in minutes.
- $E_{San}$  Sampling time (G = 1...9) This parameter determines the sampling time and is variable between 1 and 30 seconds max. The optimum sampling time is relative to the speed of the process to be controlled and is given  $ESBn = E_{ex} \times 60/FPrr$
- Pb=Proportional band expressed in % of scale
  - =Integral time expressed in minutes.
- 50 / Fixing of parameter levels by linear transfer (B = 1)
- Rddr Recognition address of serial communication (B = 1)5Ebr Rate of serial communication
- (B = 1)5[P3 Parity control of serial communi-
- cation (B = 1)These four parameters are related to serial communication, they only appear during the setting up phase of the instrument (B = 1) and do not relate to the configuration.
- 5PL | Limit of lower excursion of main set point SP1
- 5PLh Limit of upper excursion of main set point SP1

Example of entering set point limits

- Electrical signal 4 mA SPLI SP I SPLH 20 mA -0.20 The main control set point 5P # may only be freely entered between the two parameters 5PLL and SPLh. Trying to input an "external" set point beyond the limit values, will be taken to be the entering of the relative limit.
- 5Pr I Sum of Local + Remote Set Points (N = 1,2)This function permits the adding together of the remote analogue set point and the value of the local set point.
  - 0 Set point target = remote set point 1 Set point target = remote
- set point + local set point 5PB2 Gain control on remote analogue
  - ЧЬ set point (N = 1,2)This parameter determines the

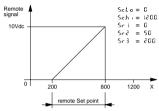
excursion limits of the remote set point.

The inputable values are compressed between - 100 and 100. Entering a value compressed between 1 and 100, if there is a direct action augments the analogue signal and augments the remote set point.

Entering a value compressed between - 1 and -100, if there is an inverse action, augments the analogue signal and diminishes the remote set point

Entering "0" will not result in any variation of the remote set point and will coincide with the written value in parameter 5Pr 3. In order to calculate the excursion amplitude of the remote set point the following formula may be used:

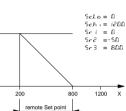
- $SPr = 85 \times SPr2 / 100$ 5Pr = Amplitude of remote set point
- RS = Scale amplitude expressed in operational units
- $-5P_{r}^{2} =$  Number inserted in parameter In order to better understand the functioning of these linearisation parameters refer to the two examples in the following drawings.



Remote signal

ЧL

10Vdc



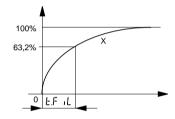
- 5Pr 3 Controlling zero on analogue remote set point (N = 1,2)With this parameter it is possible to establish the starting point for the remote set point with the minimum remote input signal (0Vdc or 4mA). The inputable limit values correspond to the extreme values of the configured
  - scale, 5EL a and 5EA a The minimum value that may be assumed at Y1 (G = 1...4) Normally the control output is free to move between 0% and 100%. With this parameter in use it is possible to limit the required minimum value by which the control output will be free to move to that between the written value in the parameter YL and that written in the parameter Yh. In the event of variable X going outside the scale limits. the value written in the parameter will not be respected and the output will assume the defined value of the safety state of Y1. (Configuration position H) The maximum value that may be assumed at Y1 (G = 1...9) Normally the control output is

free to move between 0% and 100%. With this parameter in use it is possible to limit the required maximum value by which the control output will be free to move between YL and the value written in the parameter Yh. In the event of variable X going outside the scale limits, the value written in the parameter will not be respected and the output will assume the defined value of the safety state of Y1. (Configuration position H)

- 9L.2 The maximum value that may be assumed at Y2 (G = 6...9) Normally the control output is free to move between 0% and 100%. With this parameter in use it is possible to limit the required maximum value by which the control output will be free to move between 0% and the value written in the parameter Yh. In the event of variable X going outside the scale limits, the value written in the parameter will not be respected and the output will assume the defined value of the safety state of Y1. (Configuration position H)
- EF IL Time constant of the agent digital filter on variable X. This parameter defines the time

constant of the digital filter positioned on the input variable X. Given an instantaneous variation between 0% and 100%, variable X will reach 63.2% in the time indicated in the parameter EF JL. The affect of the time constant *LF* d.

## on the input signal X



- Jo5b A function that modifies the "calibration" of the start of the scale. This parameter serves to transfer the value of the scale start for  $\pm$  50 digits. This function is most useful in those cases where it is necessary to aline the reading of controllers with obtained sample values. Entering "0" returns the controller back to its original calibration.
- 5392 Safety state of Y2 (I = 1...8) With this parameter it is possible to define the state taken up by the output Y2 in the case of the output of the variable X going off scale whether it beyond the upper or lower limit.
- 0 Function excluded. Normal operation of alarm respected. - 1 Output held in the On state.
- 2 Output held in the Off state **5333** Safety state of Y3 (I = 1...8) With this parameter it is possible
- to define the state taken up by the output Y3 in the case of the output of the variable X going off scale whether it beyond the upper or lower limit.
- 0 Function excluded. Normal operation of alarm respected. - 1 Output held in the On state.
- 2 Output held in the Off state.

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