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Flow-X[®] series flow computers

Spirit 
Innovative Technologies



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■ Channel partners in more than 15 countries

■ Supporting more than 50 countries





- Spirit IT is Technology Partner to PETRONAS for the development, implementation, marketing, and commercialization of Custody Transfer and Allocation Metering solutions.
- SmartCen™, an intelligent and centralized metering supervisory computer software platform is the first jointly developed and implemented product, to establish a standardized metering software platform throughout the PETRONAS organization.
- SmartCen™ provides an intelligent and highly reliable solution which proactively optimizes Hydrocarbon Accounting Management.
- The software addresses current metering-related issues such as unavailability of online real-time verification functionality and the unavailability of remote monitoring functionality.
- Smartcen™ furthermore actively prevents conditions for fiscal exposure.
- By adopting Smartcen™ in PETRONAS' operations, these fiscal exposures can be avoided through the real time verification of computation flow, enabling quick detection of abnormalities.



Flow-X[®] series flow computers

Some of our customers

Install-base Flow-X series

- More than 2000 units in 50 countries (per 31/1/12)

Systems & solutions worldwide

- At major Pipeline companies
- Gas metering systems
- Off-shore platforms
- Calibration management systems

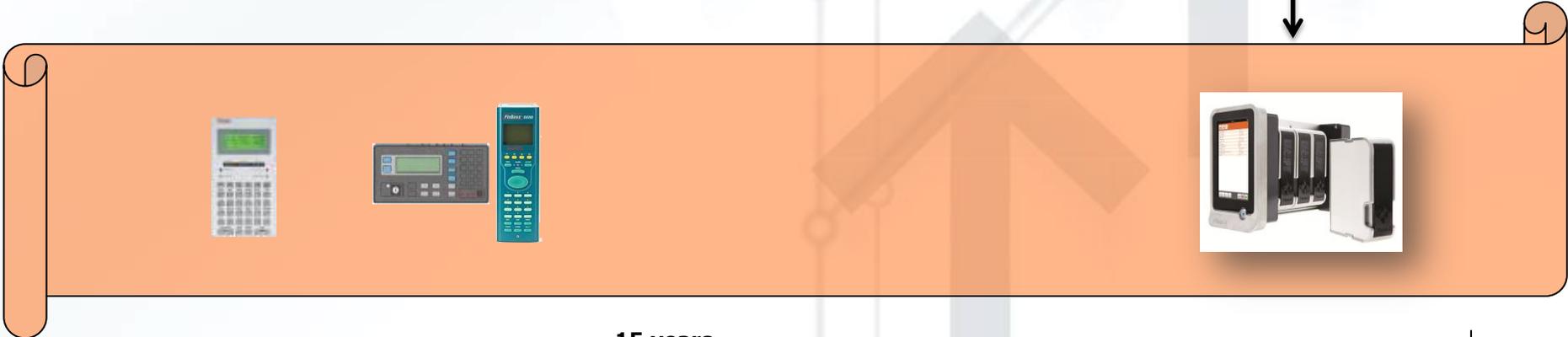
Our customers

- Worldwide operating oil & gas companies
- National oil & gas companies
- R&D institutes





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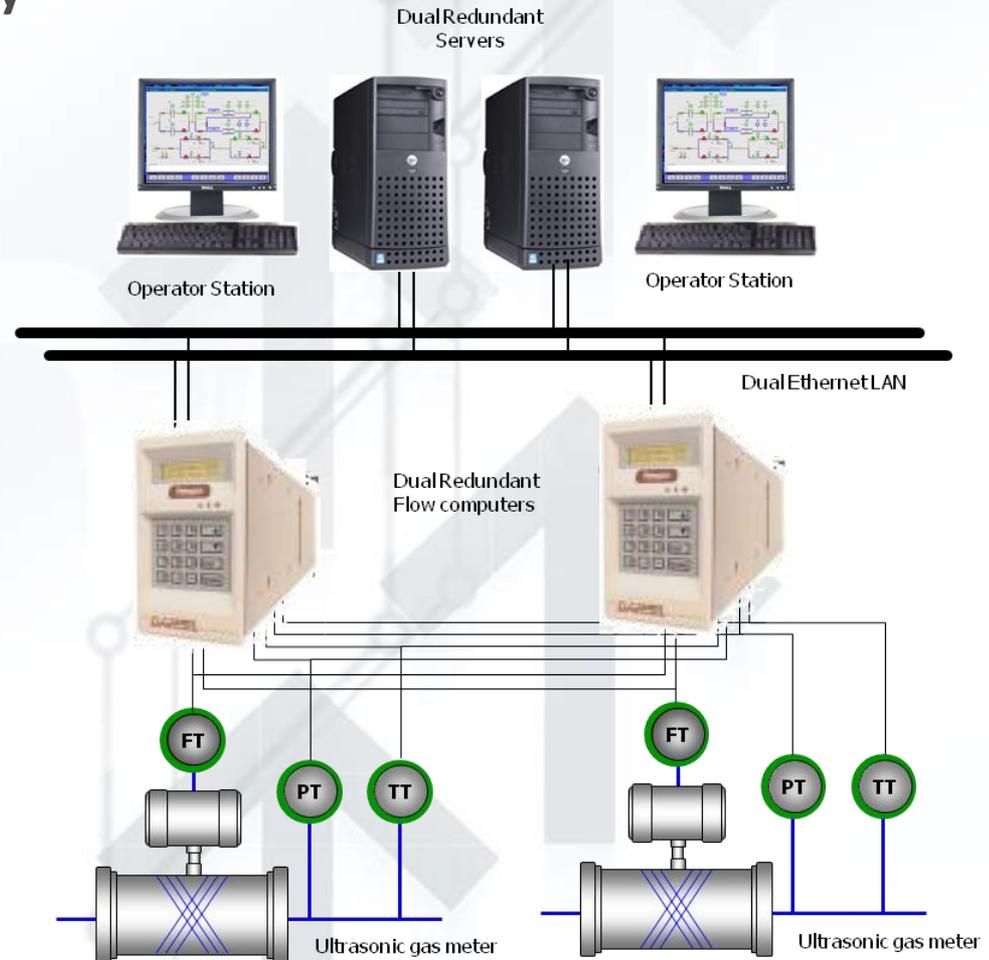


19 years 15 years 2011

Compelling reasons for new technology

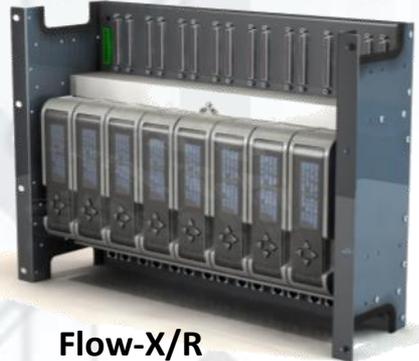
■ We wanted to be able to:

- ➔ Develop **state-of-the-art** measurement systems. We simply needed to redesign the flow computer hardware platform.
- ➔ Offer our customers **cost effective** and **scalable** solutions.
- ➔ Upgrade legacy systems with maximum flexibility to interface old as well as new technology.
- ➔ Offer solutions with both superb supervisory software fully **integrated** with flow computer technology





Flow-X/S
Single stream for Rail mount



Flow-X/R
19" Rack for 1-8 flow computers



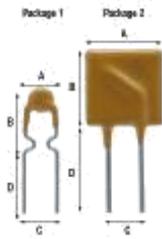
Flow-X/P
Multi-stream panel with 1-4 flow computers



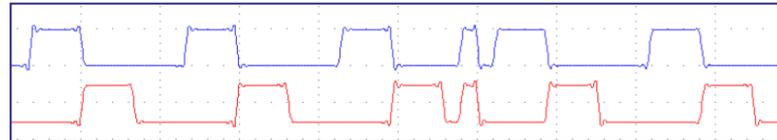
X/M - Standalone, Single Run, Custody Transfer Flow Computer

- One module required per meter run
- Gas or Liquid, or other
- Metric or US Units, or a mix

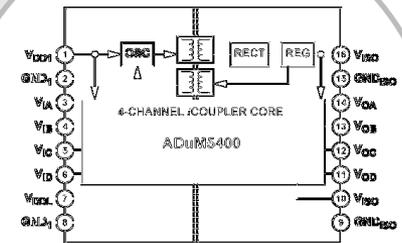
- High performance hardware using new and state-of-the-art electronics
- No battery needed to retain memory
- Hardware: 10 times as accurate with latest technology
 - ➔ 4-20mA with +/- 0.008% full scale & **full operating range** 0..60 °C (32 to 140°F)
 - ➔ Time integration accuracy 0.0002% (1 second per 5 days)
 - ➔ Highest standard for Meter Pulse integrity (True Level 'A')



**Multifuse, next generation
Glass fuse**



**FPGA hardware, next generation
Sophisticated Level 'A' pulse fidelity**



**iCoupler, next generation
opto coupler**

- High performance software using state-of-the art technology
- Software: Merge of Simplicity & Flexibility
 - Managed Standard applications (covers all Omni and S600 functionality)
 - Interfacing to legacy systems
 - Freedom to develop your own field-upgradeable applications
- Configuration and operation with a web browser
- Full fledged liquid and gas applications
 - All OMNI and S600 functionality available
- FREE Software updates from our website



■ Analog I/O

- ❶ 6x Analog inputs, high precision (+/- 0.008%), temperature range 0-60 °C; 4x support HART
- ❶ 2x RTD 4-wire temperature inputs (+/- 0.02 °C)
- ❶ 4x Analog outputs (+/- 0.075%)

■ Digital I/O (16x)

- ❶ 1x Dual Pulse meter input with true level A integrity
- ❶ Status inputs and outputs
- ❶ 4x periodic time input (density) (max)
- ❶ 4x prover detector inputs (max)
- ❶ 4x pulse outputs (max)
- ❶ 1x common prover bus output (max)

■ Fast 32-bit CPU

- ❶ 2x serial ports (RS232/RS485)
- ❶ 2x Ethernet TCP/IP
- ❶ 32-bit fast CPU with integrated Math co-processor
- ❶ 1GB of data storage for logging

■ Display & keys



■ Communication already built-in

- ❶ Built-in support for many devices, e.g. Micromotion, Promass, Anton Paar, ABB, Danalyzer, etc.
- ❷ Flexible and powerful diagnostics built in
- ❸ Built-in data analyzer / datascope
- ❹ Support for any dataformat

■ Communication flexibility

- ❶ Listen-only is supported
- ❷ Fully fledged Modbus/TCP Server & Client
- ❸ Fully fledged Modbus Serial Master & Slave
- ❹ Flexible HART protocol
- ❺ Any data format, from single bit to 64 bits and more

■ I/O

- ❶ No glass fuses
- ❷ No Jumpers or dipswitches - all options are software controlled
- ❸ No shutdown or reboot is required when I/O settings are changed
- ❹ Calibration of analog inputs is simplistic, RTD also included
- ❺ Flexible usage of analog outputs

■ **For all fluids**

- ❶ Natural gas, hydrocarbon liquids, LPG, steam, water, CO2 etc.

■ **Bidirectional meter runs**

- ❶ Uni- and bidirectional applications for gas and liquid

■ **High Security**

- ❶ Support for Individual users with multiple levels
- ❶ Controlled access to displays & editing of settings
- ❶ All access is audited in log file

■ **Standard control functions**

- ❶ Pipe and compact provers
- ❶ Samplers (single and twin)
- ❶ Enhanced PID (flow, pressure, cascade)
- ❶ Valves and valve sequencing

■ **Loading Control / LACT loading & unloading**

- ❶ Support for 4 customers
- ❶ Flow weighted averages for each customer separately

Flow Control

- Combined Flow / Pressure
- Run, station and prover

MOV Control

- Standard available
- Run and station inlet and outlet valves
- Prover 4-way and outlet valves

Sampler control

- Standard available
- Single and dual can
- Flow and time-proportional
- Auto-stop, auto-restart, auto-switchover

Generic PID

- Simple to complex PID logic
- Cascade control

... any custom-made logic

- Unlimited number of reports
- Serial and Ethernet printers
- Text and graphical printers
- MS-Excel type of definition
- Calculations on reports
- 1 GB storage capacity
- Custody transfer integrity / system simplicity
 - ⓘ All custody transfer reports generated and stored on flow computer and not by Supervisory Computer.

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SAUDI ARAMCO
METER TICKET
SAUDI ARABIAN OIL COMPANY (Saudi Aramco)

(X) DELIVERY      ( ) RECEIPT      TICKET      0
(X) OFFICIAL      ( ) UNOFFICIAL
( ) RECALCULATED

LOCATION:          ---          PRINT DATE/TIME:      9/2/2010 0:21
DELIVERED TO:

METER MANUFACTURER: ---          METER SIZE (in):      ---
METER MODEL:      ---          NOMINAL K FACTOR:     0.000
METER SERIAL NUMBER: ---        METER TAG NUMBER:     ---
PRIMARY FLOW COMPUTER: ---

1  BATCH NUMBER          0
2  TYPE OF LIQUID        ---
3  METER CLOSING READING (DATE/TIME)  01/00/00 00:00
4  METER OPENING READING (DATE/TIME)  01/00/00 00:00
5  NET DELIVERY TIME     0.000          hours
6  METER CLOSING READING 0          bbl
7  METER OPENING READING 0          bbl
8  INDICATED VOLUME      0          bbl
9  AVERAGE FLOW RATE    0 0          BPH
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■ Superb diagnostics and troubleshooting capabilities

- ❶ Remote online debugging (full transparency from a distance)
- ❷ Embedded protocol analyser (shows all HART and Modbus messages)
- ❸ Full ultrasonic, coriolis, GC diagnostics available in FC

■ User-friendly and intuitive operation

- ❶ Touch and web
- ❷ You see what you need to see; no more no less
- ❸ Separate displays for operators, technicians and engineers
- ❹ Flow computers can share one and the same touch panel
- ❺ Multiple touch panels to access same group of flow computers

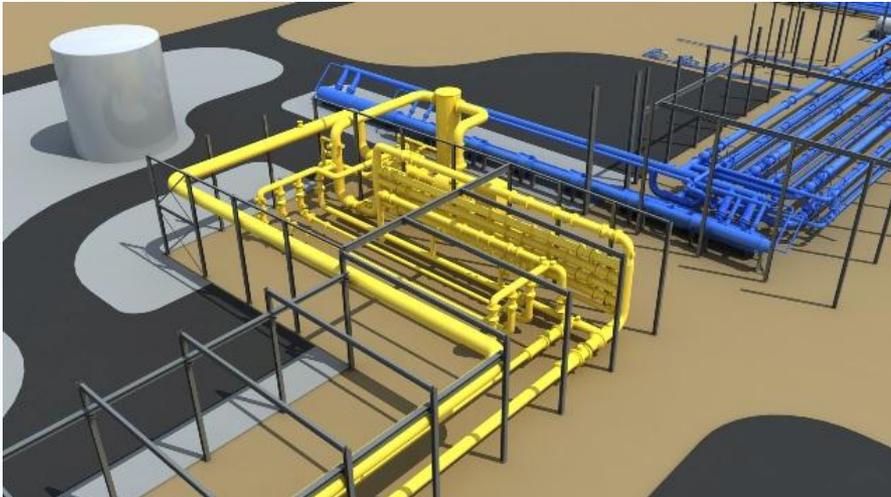
■ Powerful and flexible reporting

- ❶ Unlimited number of report templates
- ❷ Free format graphical reports
- ❸ 24 hourly records, 31 daily records, etc. on a single report
- ❹ Bi-directional totals and averages for 4 period types and batch
- ❺ Batch scheduler with 5 dates to be programmed, including daily, weekly, monthly periods
- ❻ Support for Batch Stack



Versatile

- Flow-X used to calibrate flow meters
- eXLerate Metering Supervisory software used for Calibration Management system



Dual Redundant Metering Supervisory Computer (MSC)
with built-in HMI and engineering facilities



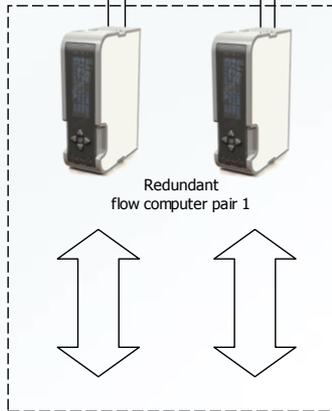
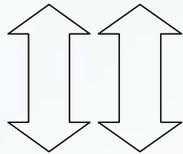
Operator Station
Client of
redundant MSC

Report Printers

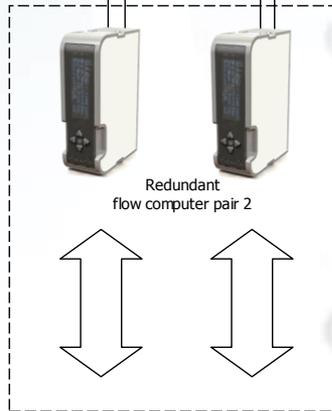
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Dual redundant Ethernet network

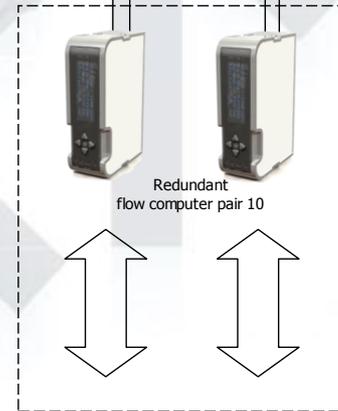
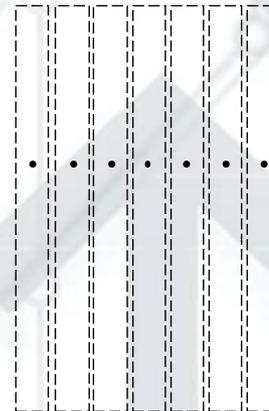
Redundant PLC



Redundant
flow computer pair 1



Redundant
flow computer pair 2



Redundant
flow computer pair 10



Ticket-printer with
Ethernet interface
for reports from
flow computers

FIELD I/O

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Flow-X/P - Panel Mount



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Offshore Platform at PETRONAS

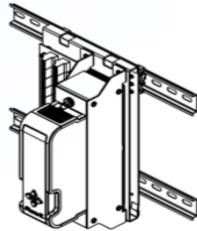
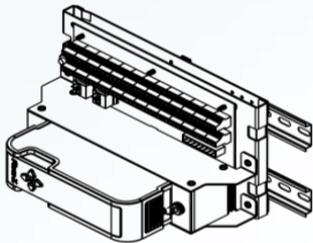




Single stream flow computer

Direct screw terminal I/O

- ❶ 6x Analog inputs 4-20mA
- ❷ 4x HART loops
- ❸ 2x RTD inputs
- ❹ 1x Dual Meter pulse
- ❺ 16x DI/DO/PO/Density
- ❻ 2x RS232/485
- ❼ 2x Ethernet

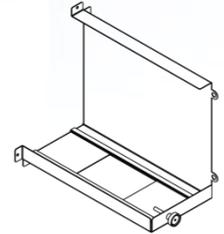






Multi-stream flow computer

- ❗ Sealable with single lead seal
- ❗ Panel mountable
- ❗ Usable as:
 - 1...4 x single stream
 - 2x dual stream redundant
 - Contains internal bus



Additional features

- ❗ Additional station processor with 7" touch screen
- ❗ Horizontally or vertically installation
- ❗ Multi-lingual, user selectable
- ❗ Additional 1 GB storage

Connections via backplane

- ❗ Per stream 2x 37-pin D-SUB
- ❗ 3x Additional RS232/485 via 9-pin D-SUB
- ❗ 2x Ethernet via RJ45

Externally powered with 24VDC

- ❗ Redundant connections for 2x power supply

Multiple stream flow computer

- ❶ Sealable with single lead seal
- ❷ Standard 19" Rack mounting
- ❸ Usable as 8 x single stream flow computers

Additional features

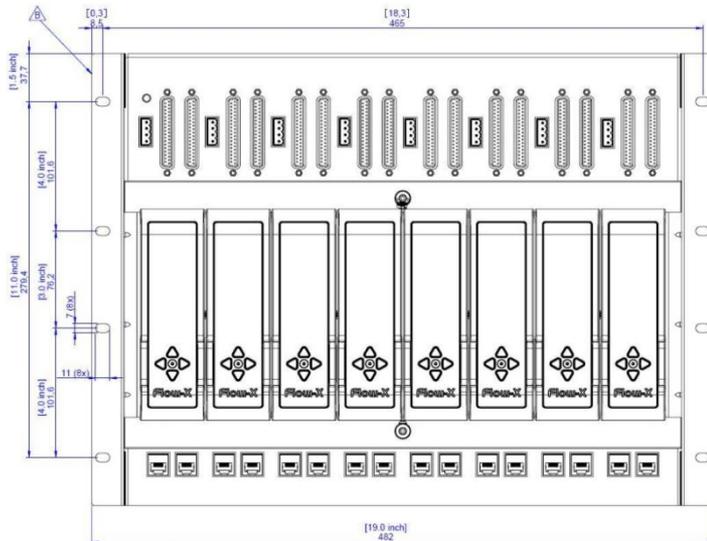
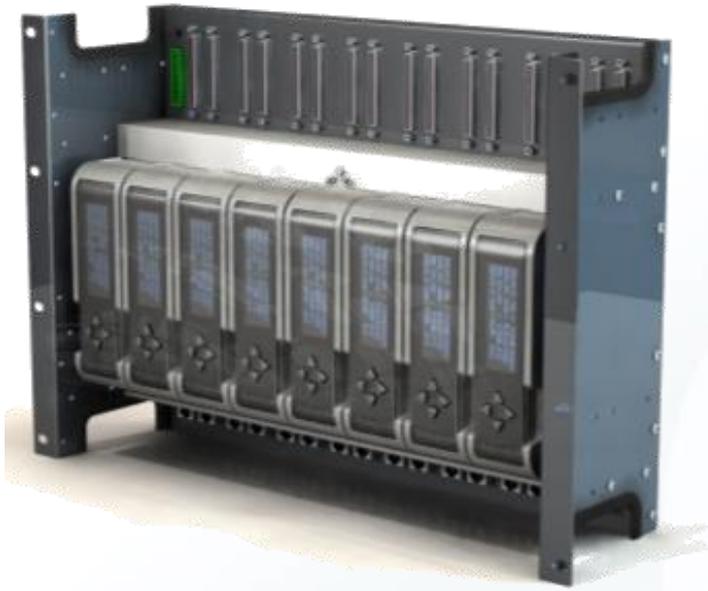
- ❶ Highly condense 19" cabinets

Connections at rack

- ❶ Per stream 2x 37-pin D-SUB at top
- ❷ Per stream 2x Ethernet via RJ45 at bottom

Externally powered with 24VDC

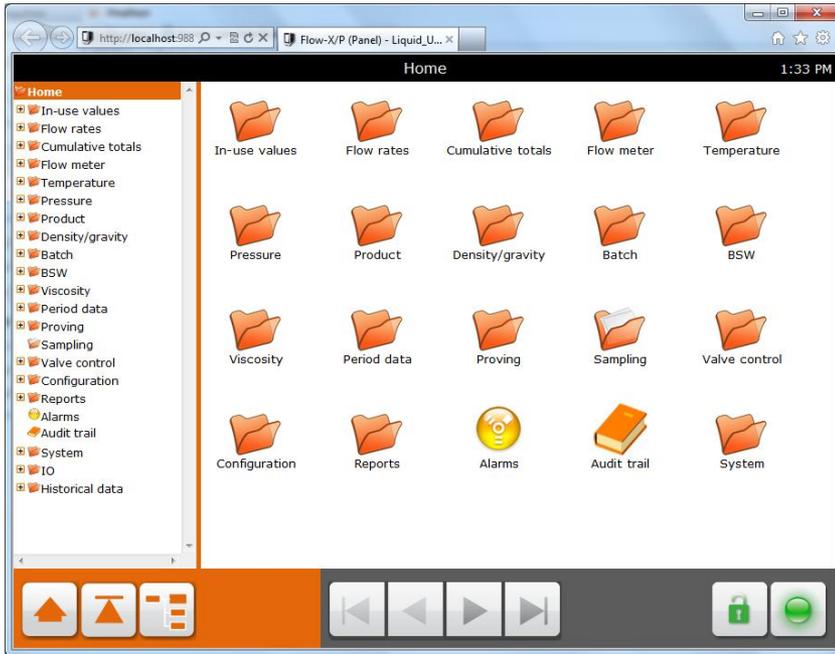
- ❶ Redundant connections for 2x power supply



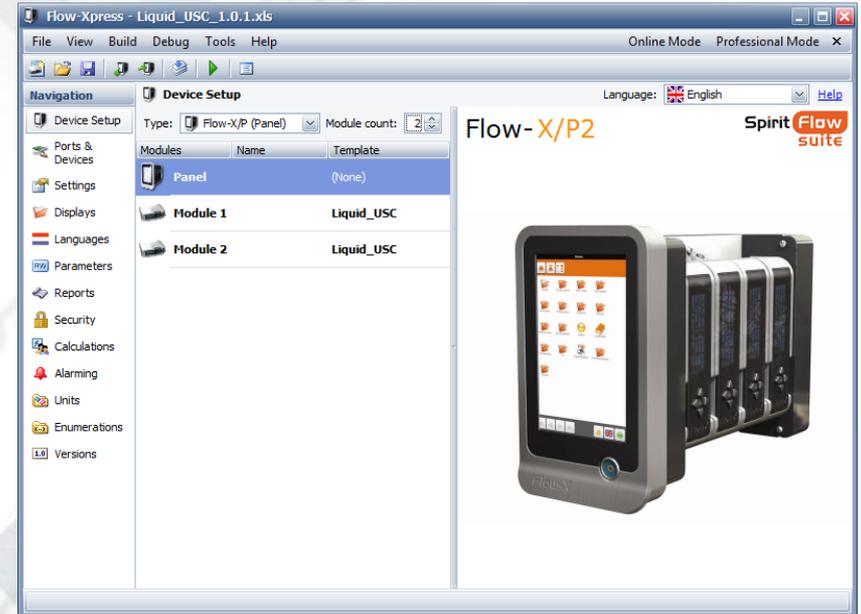
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Flow-X/R - Rack Mount

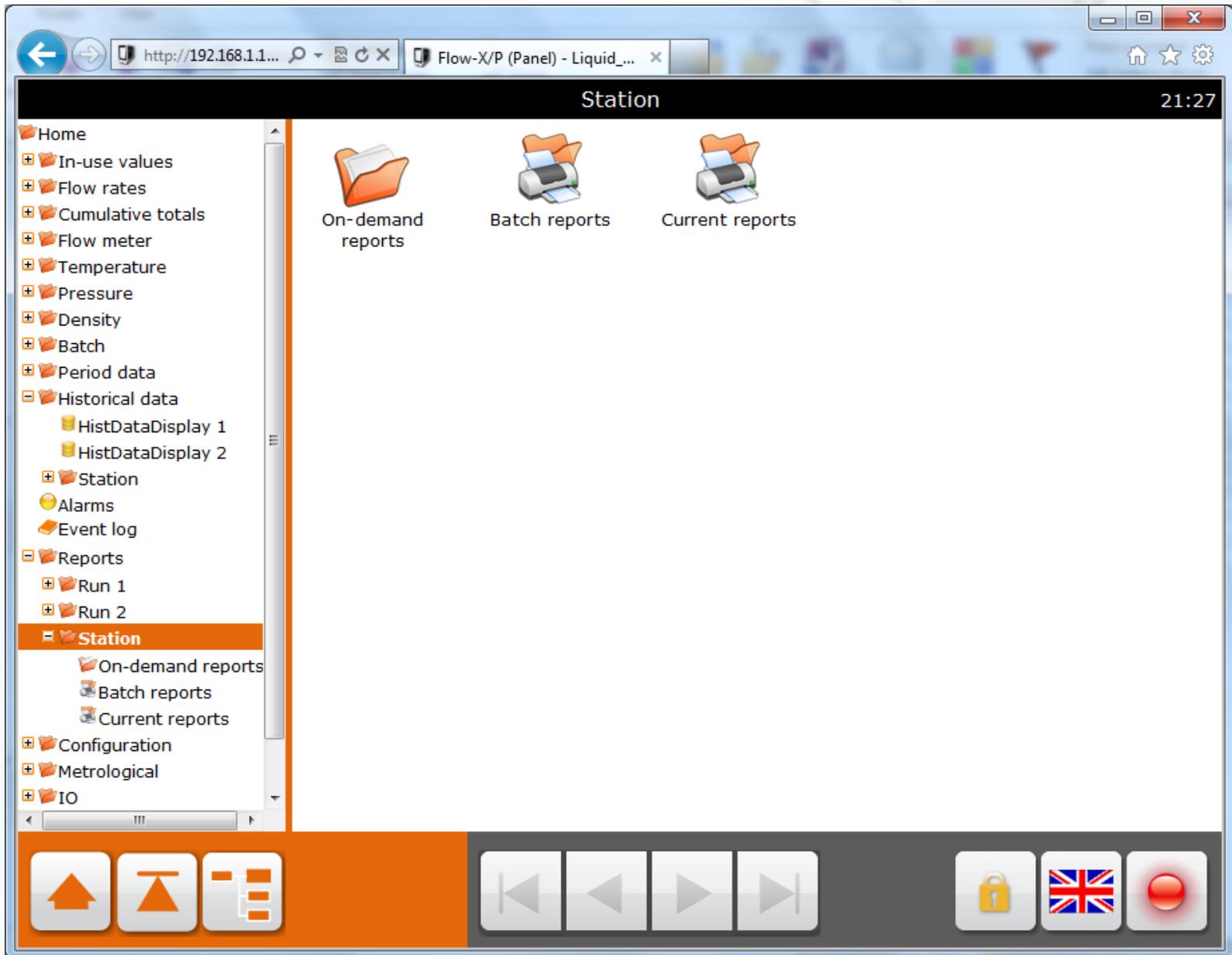




Using a simple Web-browser, or:



Flow-Xpress advanced software



Flow-Xpress - Liquid_Metric_1.0.5.xls

File View Build Debug Tools Help Online Mode Professional Mode X

Navigation

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Device Setup

Type: Flow-X/R (Rack) Module count: 7

Modules	Name	Template
Module 1	Liquid_Metric	
Module 2	Liquid_Metric	
Module 3	Liquid_Metric	
Module 4	Liquid_Metric	
Module 5	Liquid_Metric	
Module 6	Liquid_Metric	
Module 7	Liquid_Metric	

Language: English

Flow-X/R7 Spirit Flow suite



Compilation failed (6 errors), check output window

Open configuration mode

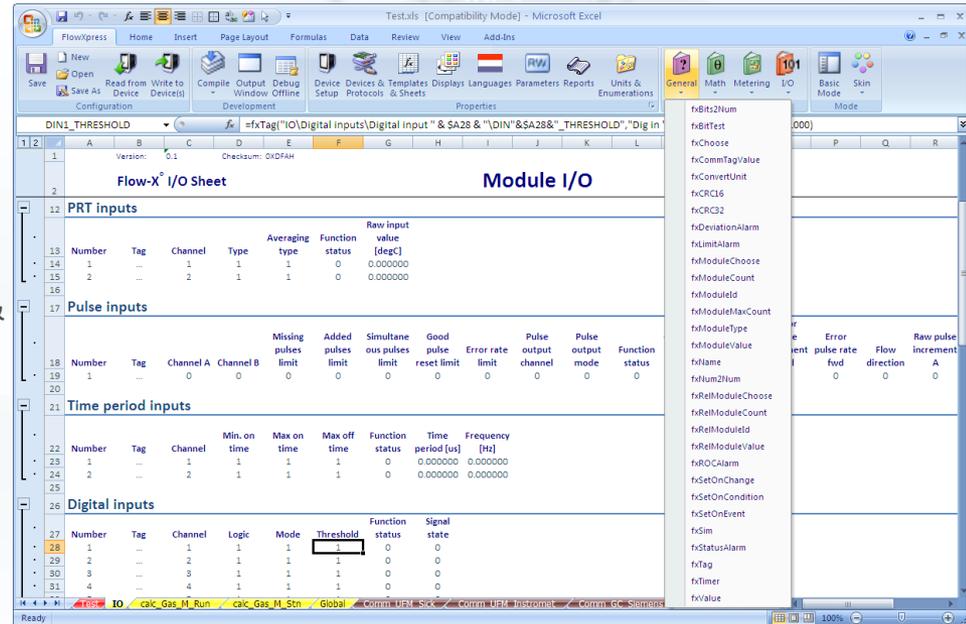
- ❶ Virtually unlimited number of logic & calculations
- ❷ Storage of primary & calculated data in historical database for time-stamping
- ❸ Unlimited number of user-definable period & batch totals, flow & time weighted averages

Free configurable communication

- ❶ Standard Flow-X communication list
- ❷ Any custom-made Modbus list
- ❸ Fully emulates any other Modbus interface

No limits

- ❶ Communicates with any external device (flow meter, process analyser, DCS, data historian)
- ❷ Unlimited number of meter calibration points
- ❸ Unlimited number of prover runs
- ❹ Unlimited number of historical batches
- ❺ Imperial & metric units - in one unit
- ❻ Mix gas & liquid applications in same flow computers



The screenshot displays the Flow-X software interface within a Microsoft Excel window titled "Liquid_Metric.xls [Compatibility Mode] - Microsoft Excel". The interface is divided into several functional areas:

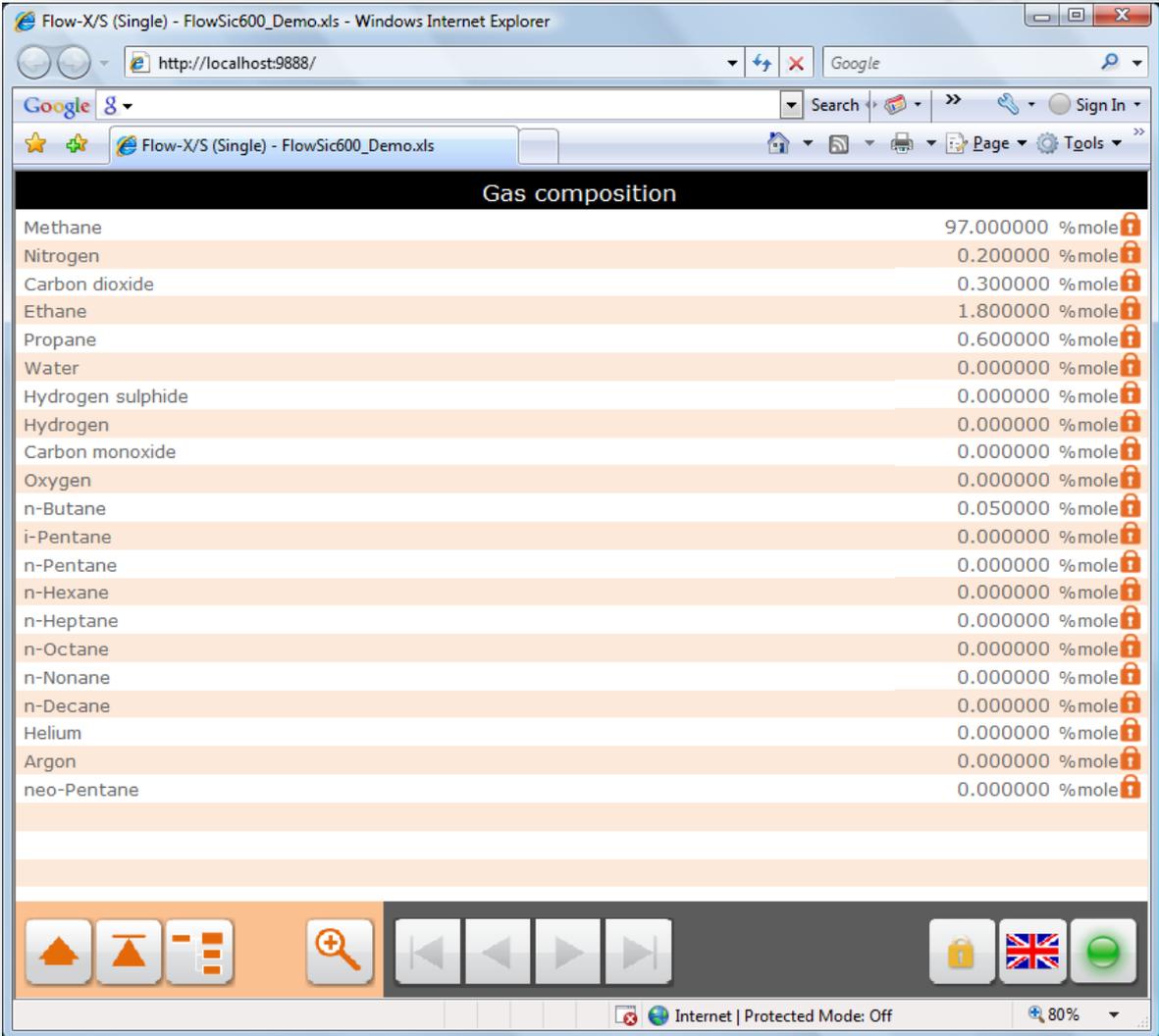
- Top Panel:** Includes a "Debug" menu with options like Exit, Reset Data, Reboot, Website, LCD, Tags, Alarms, I/O, and Cell Info. Below this is a "Main" section with a "View" button.
- Spreadsheet:** The main area is a calculation sheet titled "Flow-X[®] Calculation Sheet" and "Run - Liquid - Metric". It contains various data points and formulas, such as "Version: 0.1", "Checksum: 0XDFAH", and "dP mass flow".
- I/O Simulation Window:** A window titled "I/O Simulation" is open, showing a table of I/O types and their status.

I/O Type	#	Status	Value %
Analog Inputs	1	0: Normal	48
Analog Outputs	2	0: Normal	48
Digital Inputs	3	0: Normal	58.1
Digital Outputs	4	0: Normal	50
Pulse Inputs	5	0: Normal	0
Pulse Outputs	6	0: Normal	0
PT100 Inputs			
- Alarms Window:** An "Alarms" window is open, showing a list of active alarms.

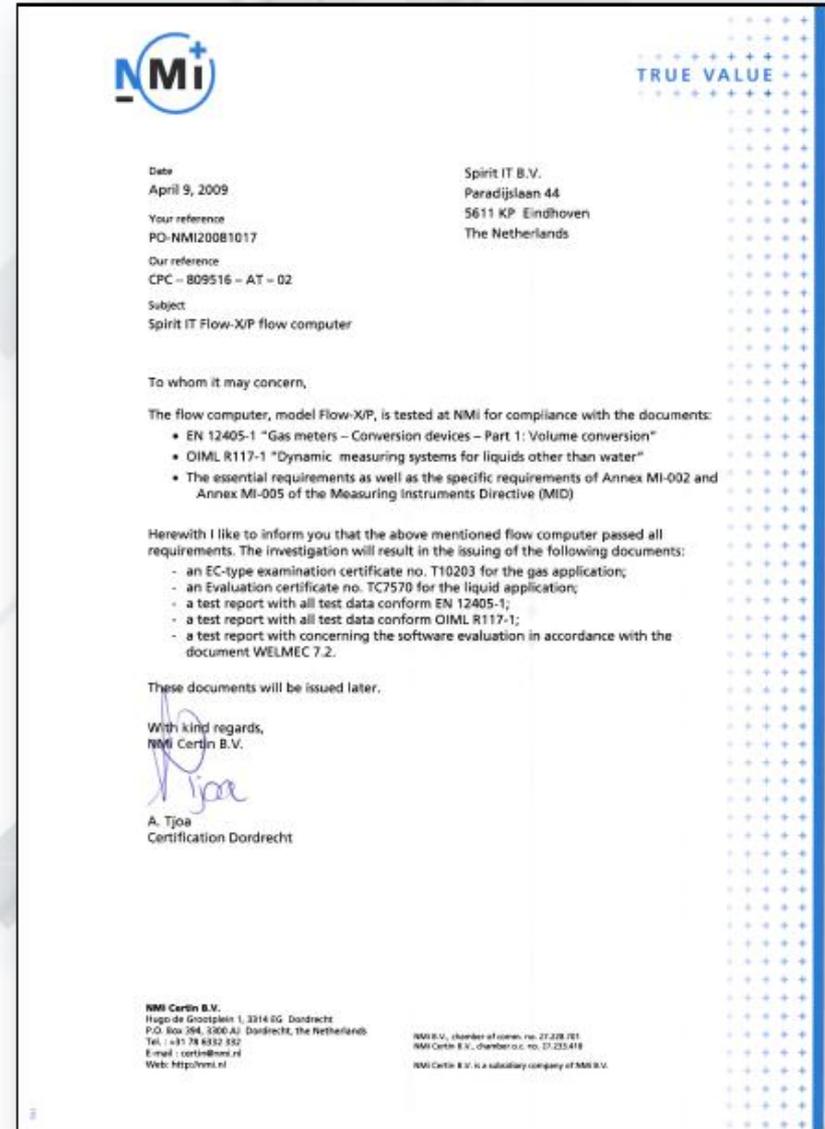
Timestamp	State	Alarm
10/10/2008 14:58:33	Active & Acked	Prover inlet temp hi hi alm
10/10/2008 14:58:33	Active & Acked	Prover outlet temp hi hi alm
10/10/2008 14:58:33	Active & Acked	Prv in pres hi hi alm
10/10/2008 14:58:33	Active & Acked	Prv out pres hi hi alm
10/10/2008 14:58:33	Active & Acked	Std den hi hi alm 1
10/10/2008 14:58:33	Active & Acked	Time in B hi hi alm 1
10/10/2008 14:58:33	Active & Acked	Time in A hi hi alm 1
10/10/2008 14:58:33	Active & Acked	Time in B keypad 1
10/10/2008 14:58:33	Active & Acked	Time in A keypad 1
- Tags Window:** A "Tags" window is open, showing a list of tags and parameters.

Tag/Parameter	Value	Unit	R...
Stn den rate of change al...	0		
Stn den alarm status	0		
Stn den hi hi alm	False		
Stn den lo lo alm	False		
Stn den hi alm	False		
Stn den lo alm	False		
Std dens in-use	712.43	kg/...	
Dens inp batch prev	0	kg/...	
Dens inp batch cur	0	kg/...	
Dens override batch prev	False		

Only requires a web browser



- **CE (Europe), UL (USA) and CSA (Canada)**
- **MID Approval comprises:**
 - ❶ Measuring Instruments Directive MID, Annex MI-002 and Annex MI-005
 - ❷ Valid in 30 EU countries
 - ❸ Basis for other approvals
- **OIML R117-1**
 - ❶ Dynamic measuring systems for liquids other than water
- **EN 12405-1**
 - ❶ Gas Meters - Conversion devices
- **WELMEC 7.2**
 - ❶ software evaluation



■ Industry leading high performance hardware platforms

- ❶ Mounting options to suit customer budgets and applications
- ❷ Single stream modules that can be scaled in groups from 1 to 8 and beyond
- ❸ True redundancy in hardware and software

■ Flexible Software

- ❶ Standard full featured applications or fully user defined (and anything in-between)
- ❷ Mixed gas and liquid calculations
- ❸ Metric or US customary measurement units or mix of both
- ❹ Multi language
- ❺ Fully test and debug before going live (transparency)
- ❻ Only show the relevant information
- ❼ Unlimited number of displays, reports, communication links and calculations





**Questions?
Thank you!**

Please feel free to ask!