

# PSC6194 Controller Readout & Control System

## Quick Start Guide



## Product Overview

To control the liquid and gas supply flows, Process Solutions Corp. offers a custom engineered solution consisting of a 4.3" color touchscreen PLC readout and control system. The touchscreen enables the user to easily view or change functions. The PSC6194 controller serves as a power supply unit, for up to two meters and two controllers, and comes equipped with Analog IOs and Modbus interface. The controller also provides data logging of instrument data.

## Display



The controller consists of the following:

1. 4.3" color touchscreen PLC
2. Flow Controller – *Remote control analog IO connection (Ch. 1 & 2)*
3. Flow Meter – *Remote control analog IO connection (Ch. 3 & 4)*
4. RS-485/Power (+) – *communicates and powers meters/controllers via Modbus*

## Connections



5. Ethernet Lan1
  - a. *Program PLC*
  - b. *Additional communication port*
6. Power Port –
  - a. *120 Vac wall plug connection*
  - b. *Plug must be disconnected to Power Off*

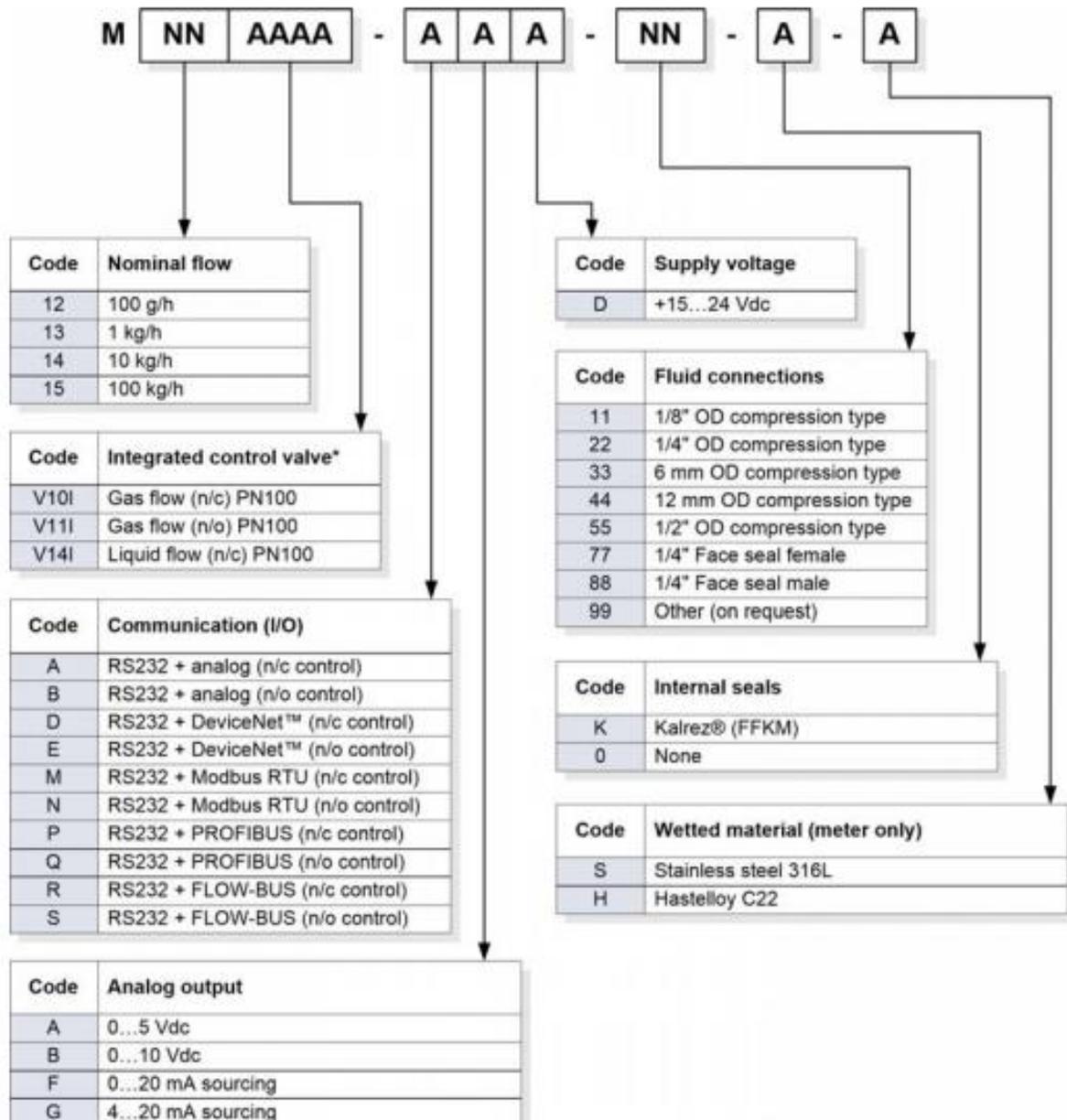
## Powering Up



### Model Key

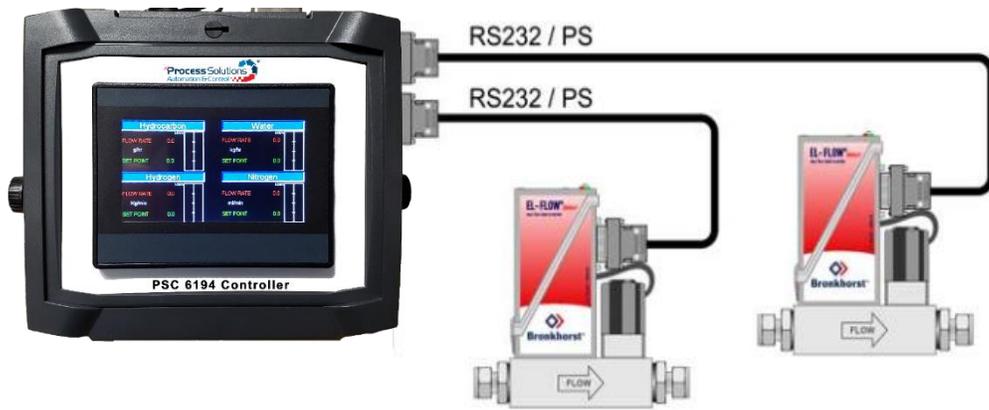
The model key on the product label contains information about the technical properties of the instrument as ordered. The specific properties can be retrieved with the diagram below (Mini-Cori controller example).

Refer to the Communication (I/O) to determine if the Bronkhorst instrument is equipped with Modbus communication.



### Analog Setup

Connecting Bronkhorst flow instruments to PSC controller via RS232, Channel 1 – 4.  
Bronkhorst instruments must be configured in Analog Mode to communicate via RS232.



### Modbus Setup

Connecting Bronkhorst flow instruments to PSC controller via RS485/Power.  
Bronkhorst instruments must be configured in Modbus Mode to communicate.

**Communication settings are:**

Baud rate: 38400	MFC#1: Address 1
Parity: Even	MFC#2: Address 2
Data Bit: 8	MFM#1: Address 3
Stop Bit: 1	MFM#2: Address 4



## Configure Control Mode

To change Bronkhorst instrument from Analog to Modbus, or vice versa, the control mode must be configured via FlowDDE(<https://www.bronkhorst.com/en-us/products-en/accessories-and-software/flowware/flowdde/>).

### Connecting to FlowDDE

In the messages section the general procedure to start serving client applications with the FlowDDE server is described in four steps:

1. Connect an instrument to a COM port of the PC
2. Set the communication settings
3. Start the communication
  - a. Press F3 or
  - b. Communication tab > Open Communication
4. Wait until FlowDDE is ready
  - a. Message: "Server is active and ready for any client"

If further instruction is needed, please refer to the FlowDDE Manual found in the link above.

### Analog to Modbus Configuration

After opening communication, use the following steps to change the Control Mode from Analog operation to Modbus operation:

1. FLOW-BUS tab > Test Flow-BUS and DDE
  - a. Or Press F6
2. Select the following parameters to view simultaneously
  - a. Parameter 7 – *InitReset*
  - b. Parameter 12 – *IO Status*
3. Set parameter *InitReset* to 64 (unlocked)
4. Read parameter *IO Status*
5. Subtract 64 from the read value
  - a. New Parameter Value: 15 or 11
6. Write the new value to parameter *IO Status*
7. Set parameter *InitReset* to 82 (locked)
8. Restart Bronkhorst instrument
  - a. *InitReset must be unlocked/locked for the new Control Mode to remain after the instrument is restarted*

### Modbus to Analog Configuration

After opening communication, use the following steps to change the Control Mode from Modbus operation to Analog operation:

1. FLOW-BUS tab > Test Flow-BUS and DDE
  - a. Or Press F6
2. Select the following parameters to view simultaneously
  - a. Parameter 7 – *InitReset*
  - b. Parameter 12 – *IO Status*
3. Set parameter *InitReset* to 64 (unlocked)
4. Read parameter *IO Status*
5. Add 64 from the read value
  - a. New Parameter Value: 79
6. Write the new value to parameter *IO Status*
7. Set parameter *InitReset* to 82 (locked)
8. Restart Bronkhorst instrument
  - a. *InitReset must be unlocked/locked for the new Control Mode to remain after the instrument is restarted*

### Basic Operation



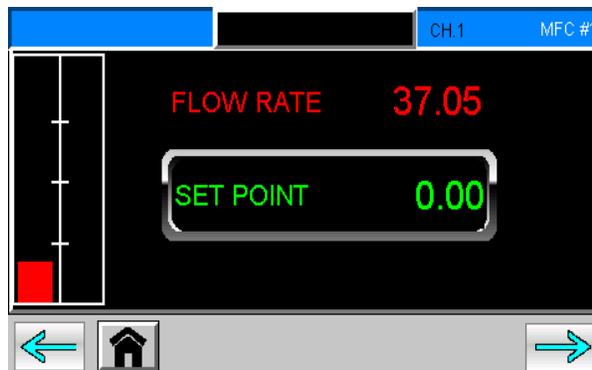
#### Main Menu

The display consists of the following readout areas:

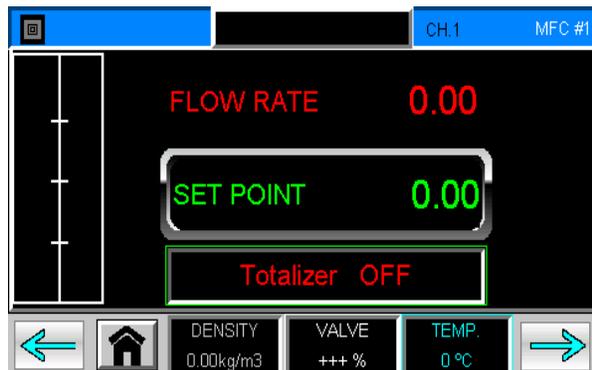
1. Process – *readouts and set points Bronkhorst meter/controllers*
2. Instrument Range – *set full range according to instrument*
3. Trending – *Flow vs. Time plots for each instrument*
4. Communication Mode – *Analog Controlled or Digital Controlled*
5. Date and Time Settings
6. Totalizer\* - *Only available via Modbus (Digital Controlled) and Coriolis Instrument*

### User Interface

#### Analog Controlled



#### Digital Controlled



#### Communication Mode

The PSC6194 controller is equipped with two forms of communication:

**Analog Controlled** – Analog IOs, 4 – 20 mA signal

**Digital Controlled** – Modbus communication

#### Communication settings are:

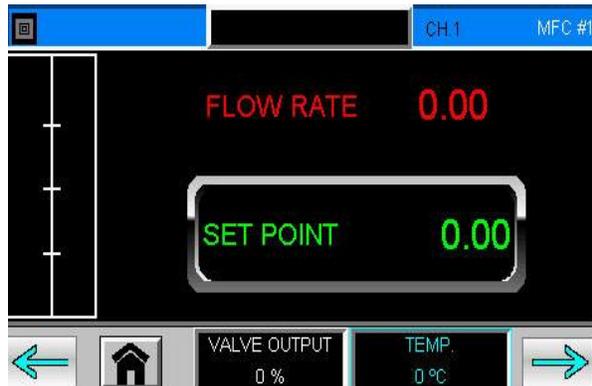
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Parity: Even	MFC#2: Address 2
Data Bit: 8	MFM#1: Address 3
Stop Bit: 1	MFM#2: Address 4

Modbus features:

- Density Values
- Temperature Values
- Totalizer

Both Communication Modes support up to four instruments, 2 Mass Flow Controllers and 2 Mass Flow Meters.

Process Screen



Process Screens

The Process Screens will display the flow rates, set points and other process conditions for the Bronkhorst instruments.

The Process screens consist of:



**Arrows:** To navigate between Process screens



**Status:** Green – Communicating, Grey – Not Communicating, Blinking – Error

**Instrument Label:** (Blue Label)

Displays channel and instrument number on the top right corner.

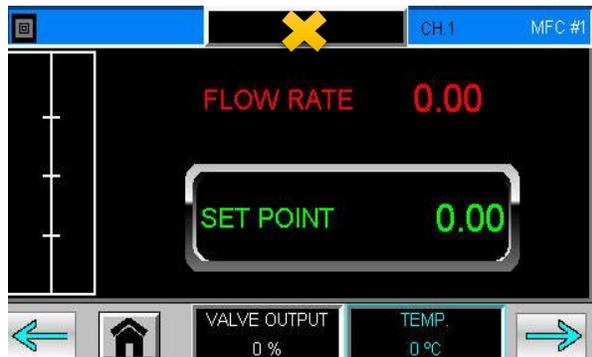
**Units:** (Black Label) To configure the instrument's units (i.e. g/hr)



**Home:** To return to Main Screen

*\*Density, Temperature and Totalizer values are only available via Modbus*

Process Screen



Labeling Units

To edit the Instruments' Units, press the black label, as shown by the X on the image, for the keyboard to appear. (i.e. g/hr, kg/hr, etc.)

Use the touchscreen to name the instrument and press ENTER.

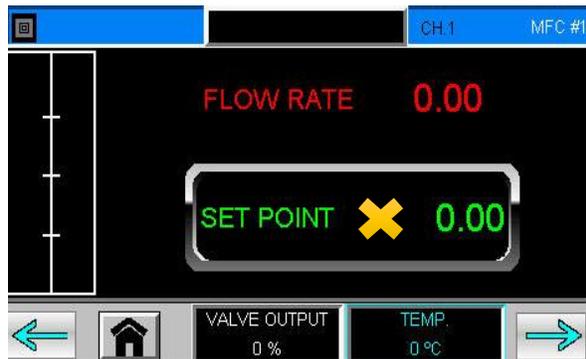
Keyboard



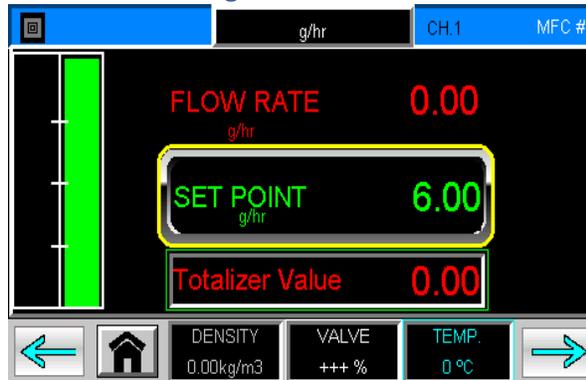
ENTER – Save value and return to previous screen.

ESC – Return to previous screen without saving.

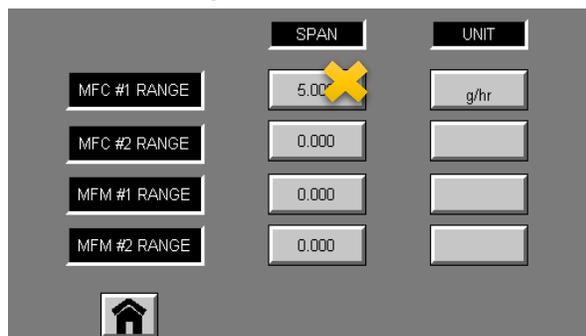
### Process Screen



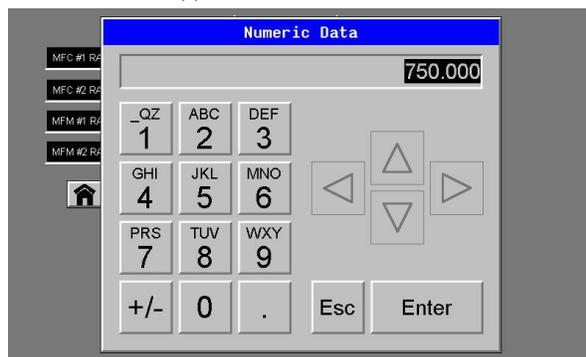
### Set Point Warning



### Instrument Range Screen



### Numerical Keypad



### Edit Set Points

To edit the set point of the instruments, press the boxed number, as shown by the **X** on the image, for the numerical pad to appear.

Set the value and press ENTER.

**No Border** – Valid Set Point

**Yellow Border** – the Set Point is set above the Instrument Range.

**Red Border** – the Set Point is locked due to the Totalizer. Please see Totalizer settings for details.

ENTER – Save value and return to previous screen.

ESC – Return to previous screen without saving.

*The value must be within the Instrument's range, or the Status light will start blinking with an error.*

### Instrument Range

The Instrument ranges must be set to the **FULL** flow range of the Bronkhorst instrument, shown on instrument label.

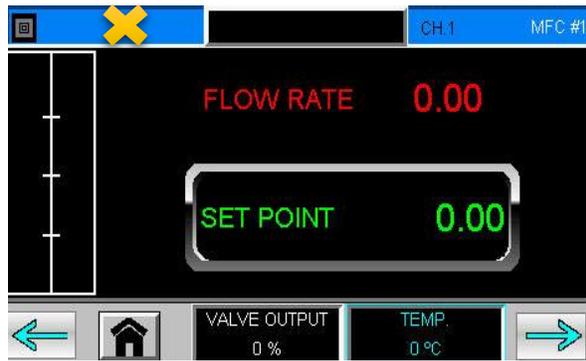
To edit range, press on the corresponding SPAN value, as shown by the **X** on the image, for the Numeric Keyboard.

ENTER – Save value and return to previous screen.

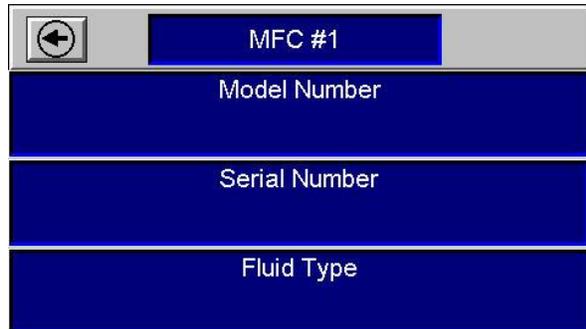
ESC – Return to previous screen without saving.

HOME – Return to Main Screen

### Process Screen



### Details Screen



### View Details

To view the instrument details, press the BLUE label, as shown by the **X** on the image. The next screen displays the following instrument details:

- Instrument Number
- Model Number
- Serial Number
- Fluid Type

Press the Arrow button on the Details Screen to return to the previous screen.

### Process Screen



### Function Buttons



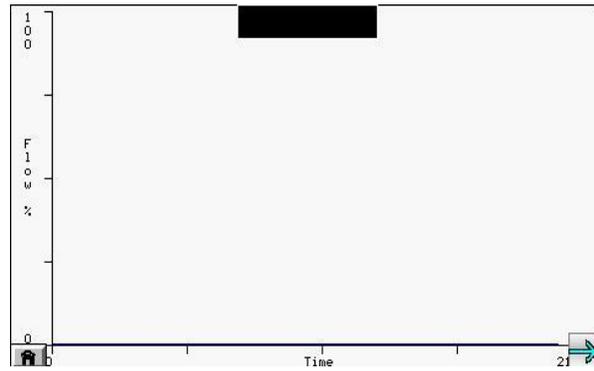
### System Menu

To access the System Menu, press the top right corner, as shown by the **X** on the image, for the Functions Buttons to appear.

Select the SYSTEM button to view the System Menu.

ESC – Return to previous screen without saving.

Trending Screen



Trending

The Trending screens compare the Flow vs. Time values for each instrument.

The Instruments' Units are displayed on the black label.

ARROWS – navigate between screen

HOME – Return to Main Screen

### Totalizer

#### Main Screen

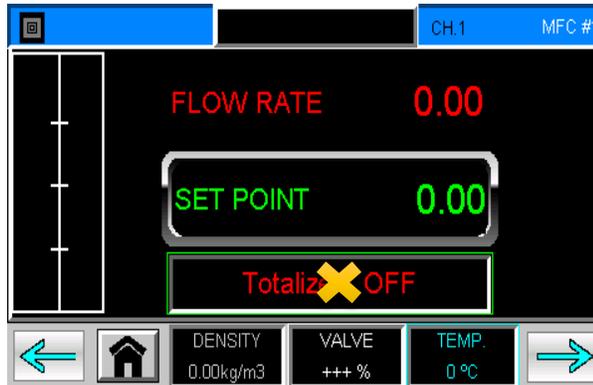


#### Accessing Totalizer

The Totalizer is only available via Modbus for Coriolis Instruments.

The Totalizer may be accessed from the Main Screen or the Mass Flow Controllers' Process Screens, MFC# 1 and 2, as shown by the **X**.

#### Process Screen



### Totalizer Screen

MFC #1	MODE	LIMIT	VALUE	UNIT
RESET VALUE	OFF	5.00	0.00	
RESET TOTALIZER	UP	<input type="checkbox"/>	New Flow Rate Setpoint on Limit:	50.0%**
	UP TO			
MFC #2	MODE	LIMIT	VALUE	UNIT
RESET VALUE	OFF	5.00	0.00	
RESET TOTALIZER	UP	<input type="checkbox"/>	New Flow Rate Setpoint on Limit:	0.0%**
	UP TO			

Allow up to 5s for Totalizer Reset

HOME EXIT

### Totalizer Screen

The Totalizer Screen displays two separate Totalizers for both MFC# 1 and 2. Each Totalizer contains the following settings:

**Mode** – Mode of the corresponding Totalizer

**Limit** – Totalizer limit/batch size in units selected with parameter *Unit*.

**Value** – Current totalizer value in units selected with *Unit*.

**Unit** – This parameter contains the name of the totalizer readout unit.

**Setpoint Mode** – Specifies whether or not to change the setpoint after reaching the totalizer limit.

**New Setpoint(%)** – New (safe) setpoint when a totalizer limit is reached until *Totalizer Reset*.

**Reset Value** – Resets totalizer *value* only.

**Reset Totalizer** – Resets totalizer *value* and *new setpoint* setting.

All settings are editable.

EXIT – Return to previous screen without saving.

HOME – Return to Main Screen

### OFF Mode

MFC #1	MODE	LIMIT	VALUE	UNIT
	OFF			
	UP			
	UP TO			
MFC #2	MODE	LIMIT	VALUE	UNIT
	OFF			
	UP			
	UP TO			

### Up Mode

MFC #1	MODE	LIMIT	VALUE	UNIT
RESET VALUE	OFF		0.00	
RESET TOTALIZER	UP			
	UP TO			
MFC #2	MODE	LIMIT	VALUE	UNIT
	OFF			
	UP			
	UP TO			

Allow up to 5s for Totalizer Reset

### Up To Mode

MFC #1	MODE	LIMIT	VALUE	UNIT
RESET VALUE	OFF	5.00	0.00	
RESET TOTALIZER	UP TO	New Flow Rate Setpoint on Limit: 50.0%**		
	UP			
MFC #2	MODE	LIMIT	VALUE	UNIT
RESET VALUE	OFF	5.00	0.00	
RESET TOTALIZER	UP TO	New Flow Rate Setpoint on Limit: 0.0%**		
	UP			

Allow up to 5s for Totalizer Reset

### Totalizer Modes

The Mode of the corresponding Totalizer can be selected and changed from the Totalizer Screen.

The available modes are:

**OFF** – Totalizer off (default)

**UP** – Counting up continuously

**UP TO** – Counting up until limit is reached (set by *Totalizer Limit*)

Each Mode will display different settings:

**OFF** –

- Mode only

**UP** –

- Mode,
- Value,
- Unit and
- Reset Buttons

**UP TO** –

- Mode,
- Limit,
- Value,
- Unit,
- New Setpoint Mode,
- New Setpoint and
- Reset Buttons

### Configure Units

MFC #1	MODE	LIMIT	VALUE	UNIT
RESET VALUE	OFF	5.00	0.00	X
RESET TOTALIZER	UP	New Flow Rate Setpoint on Limit:		50.0%**
MFC #2	MODE	LIMIT	VALUE	UNIT
RESET VALUE	OFF	5.00	0.00	
RESET TOTALIZER	UP	New Flow Rate Setpoint on Limit:		0.0%**

Allow up to 5s for Totalizer Reset

HOME EXIT

### Units Page

Volume Flow	Normal / Standard Volume Flow		Mass Flow
	ln	ls	g
mm3	mm3n	mm3s	mg
ml	mln	mls	ug
cm3	cm3n	cm3s	kg
ul	uln	uls	
m3	dm3n	dm3s	
MFC#1 Units: XXXX	m3n	m3s	

CHANGING UNITS: Press once, may take up to 5 seconds to update.

HOME EXIT

### Totalizer Unit

To configure the totalizer units, press the box below the *Unit label*, as shown by the **X**, to navigate to the corresponding *Units Page*.

Once at the *Unit Page*, press the desired *Unit* **once** and allow up to 5 seconds to update. The configured unit will be displayed at the bottom left corner.

*The Units available to configure from will depend on the Instrument Mode. Instrument Mode must be configured by FlowDDE.*

#### Instrument Modes:

Mass Flow, Normal Volume Flow, Standard Volume Flow, Volume Flow (Actual)

Totalizer Unit supports the following values:

**Volume Flow** – l, mm3, ml, cm3, ul, m3

**Normal/Standard Volume Flow** – ln, mm3n, mln, cm3n, uln, dm3n, m3n, ls, mm3s, mls, cm3s, uls, dm3s, m3s

**Mass Flow** – g, mg, ug, kg

EXIT – Return to previous screen without saving.  
HOME – Return to Main Screen

### Configure Limit

MFC #1	MODE	LIMIT	VALUE	UNIT
RESET VALUE	OFF	X00	0.00	
RESET TOTALIZER	UP	New Flow Rate Setpoint on Limit:		50.0%**
MFC #2	MODE	LIMIT <th>VALUE</th> <th>UNIT</th>	VALUE	UNIT
RESET VALUE	OFF	5.00	0.00	
RESET TOTALIZER	UP	New Flow Rate Setpoint on Limit:		0.0%**

Allow up to 5s for Totalizer Reset

HOME EXIT

### Totalizer Limit

The Totalizer Limit is displayed in units selected with parameter *Unit*.

To edit the Totalizer Limit, press the number box below the Limit Label, as shown by the **X**.

**Red Border** – when *Value* reaches *Limit*.

ENTER – Save value and return to previous screen.

ESC – Return to previous screen without saving.

### Configure New Setpoint Mode

MFC #1	MODE	LIMIT	VALUE	UNIT
RESET VALUE	OFF	5.00	0.00	
RESET TOTALIZER	UP	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	New Flow Rate Setpoint on Limit:	50.0%**
MFC #2	MODE	LIMIT	VALUE	UNIT
RESET VALUE	OFF	5.00	0.00	
RESET TOTALIZER	UP	<input type="checkbox"/>	New Flow Rate Setpoint on Limit:	0.0%**
Allow up to 5s for Totalizer Reset		**Percent of Full Instrument Range		EXIT

### New Setpoint Mode

To configure the New Setpoint Mode, press the checkbox to activate setting, as shown by the **X**.

**Grey** – No setpoint change.

**Green** – Active; Change setpoint to *New Setpoint*.

### Configure New Setpoint

MFC #1	MODE	LIMIT	VALUE	UNIT
RESET VALUE	OFF	5.00	0.00	
RESET TOTALIZER	UP	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	New Flow Rate Setpoint on Limit:	50%**
MFC #2	MODE	LIMIT	VALUE	UNIT
RESET VALUE	OFF	5.00	0.00	
RESET TOTALIZER	UP	<input type="checkbox"/>	New Flow Rate Setpoint on Limit:	0.0%**
Allow up to 5s for Totalizer Reset		**Percent of Full Instrument Range		EXIT

### New Setpoint

To configure a New Setpoint when limit is reached, press the percentage value, as shown by the **X**.

**Red Border** – when value reaches limit, the new setpoint is locked until *Totalizer Reset* is executed.

*New Setpoint* is the percent value of the **FULL Instrument range**.

#### Examples:

##### New Setpoint at 0%:

Full Instrument Range: 500 grams/hr  
Setpoint: 400 grams/hr

When limit is reached,

New setpoint value: 0 grams/hr

##### New Setpoint at 50%:

Full Instrument Range: 500 grams/hr  
Setpoint: 400 grams/hr

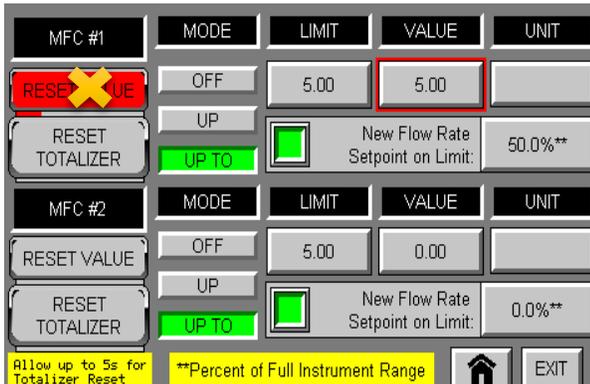
When limit is reached,

New setpoint value: 250 grams/hr

#### **IMPORTANT:**

Instrument will not stop flowing after limit is reached unless *New Setpoint Mode* is active/green **AND** *New Setpoint* is 0%.

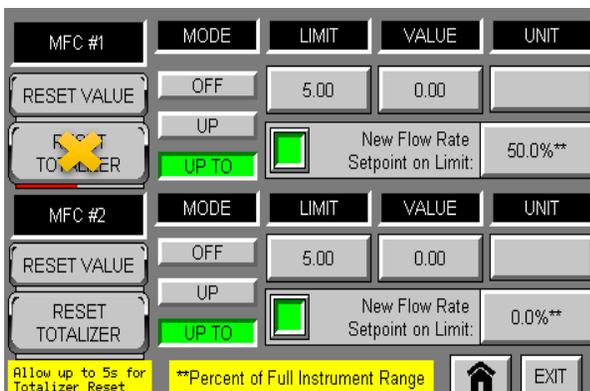
### Reset Value



### Reset Value

To reset *Value* only, press and hold the *Reset Value* button for 1s, as shown by the **X**. Value will reset immediately.

### Reset Totalizer



### Reset Totalizer

To reset the *Value* and *Setpoint*, press and hold the *Reset Totalizer* button for 1s, as shown by the **X**.

Allow up to 5 seconds for the Totalizer to Reset.