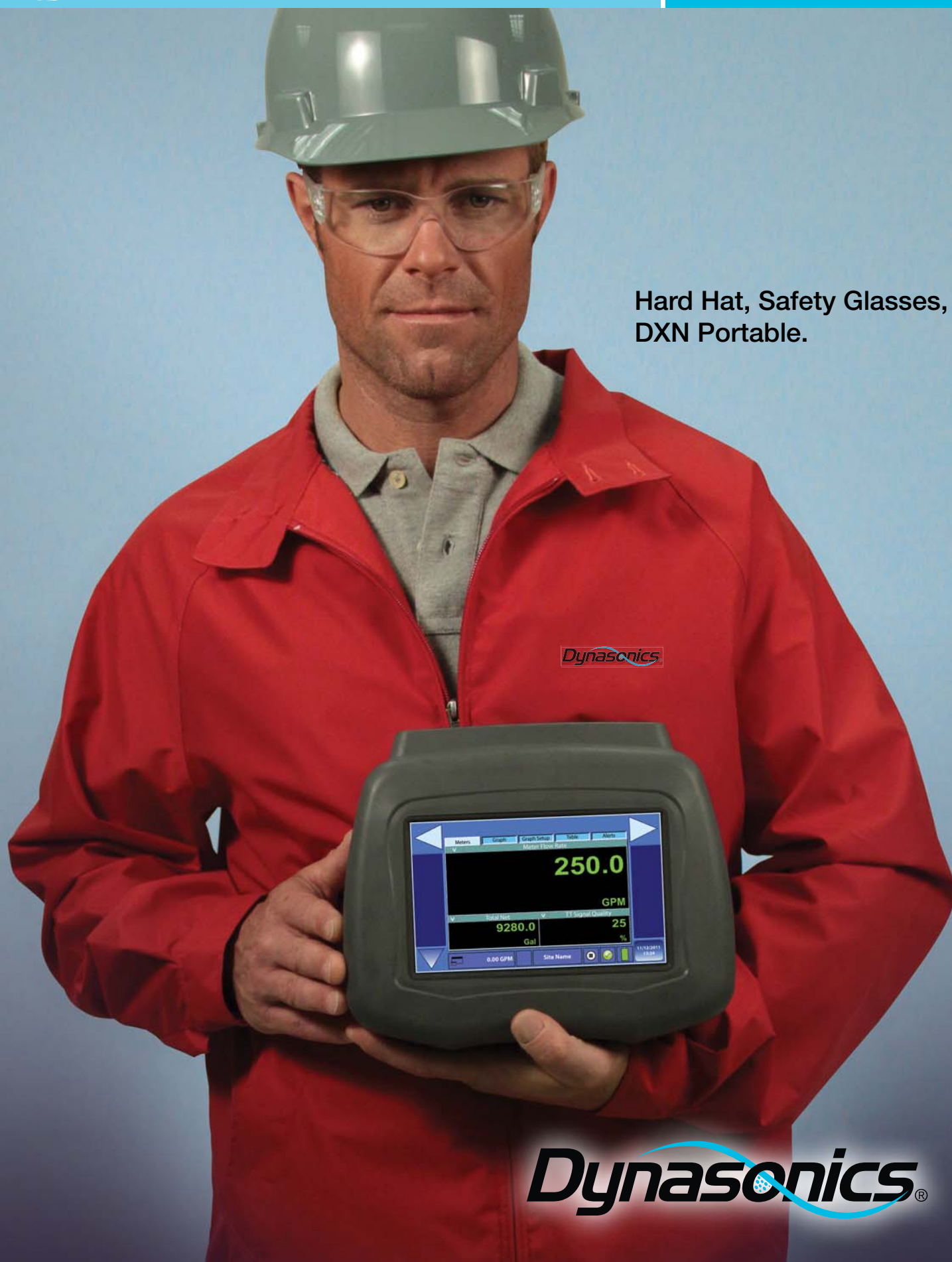


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Don't head out to the jobsite without the NEW DXN Portable Ultrasonic Flow Meter from Dynasonics. The DXN gives you unprecedented levels of portable ultrasonic flow measurement with a 7" color touchscreen interface that adapts to suit the needs of your application and a compact design that puts everything you need in one convenient over-the-shoulder bag, all while providing the level of accuracy you've come to expect from the leader in ultrasonics, Dynasonics.

The DXN is simply the best option for your next portable application, with true hybrid transit time and Doppler operation, an expandable

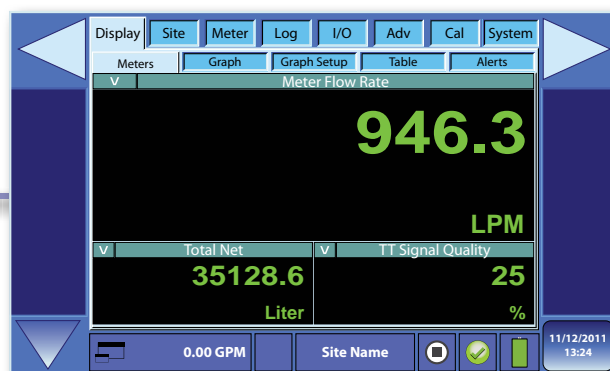
1GB data logger that takes readings over 100 times a second, and the ability to store site-specific parameters using plain English site descriptions. Take control of your toughest applications, add the DXN Portable to your flow measurement toolkit today.

## Features and Benefits

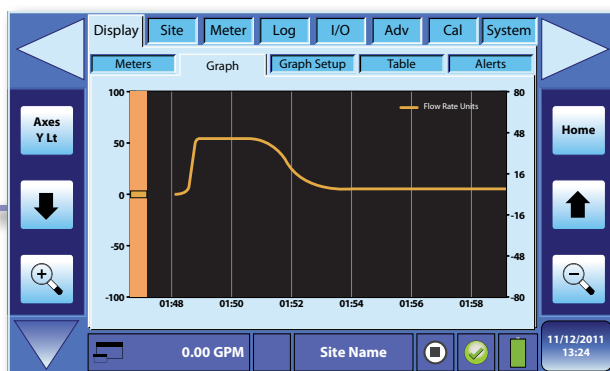
- One portable meter does it all - TRUE HYBRID instrument switches automatically between transit time and Doppler measurement as needed
- Take control of your reading with the industry's only advanced touch-screen interface featuring job-specific controls
- Always have your data on hand with user-customizable site-specific parameters, 1 GB internal data logging, and USB connectivity for additional storage capability
- Take more accurate readings with superior measurement processing speed; takes over 100 flow readings per second
- Built to handle rigorous environments with an outdoor-readable FULL COLOR WVGA display and protective cover



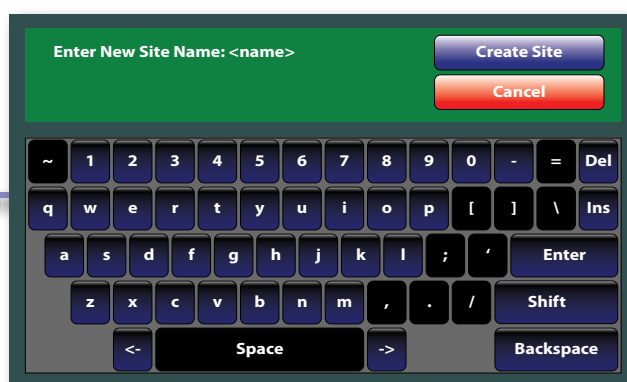
Color  
Touch-screen  
Interface



Easy to read flow measurement screens



Multiple graphing options and advanced diagnostics



Full keyboard for more efficient data input



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## Complete Portable Flow Measurement Package

**Full Kit** – Includes: meter, transducers, cables, power cord and carrying case.



New DXN portable features easy to use plug and play connections



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# DXN Portable Ultrasonic Flow and Energy Meter

The DXN Portable Ultrasonic Flow Meter is a true hybrid ultrasonic flow meter, capable of measuring liquid flow with multiple technologies, including: Doppler, Transit Time and Liquid Thermal (Heat Energy) Flow. DXN is also compatible with a pipe wall thickness gauge, used to verify inside pipe diameter and ensure highly accurate ultrasonic measurements when piping details are unknown or unavailable.

The DXN has a number of advanced features that allow the user to obtain accurate readings while capturing flow surges and high-speed batch operations. DXN captures and records multiple application parameters at one time with an easy-to-use data logging function and provides the power to verify and troubleshoot permanent flow installations with ease.

## Ultrasonic Flow Rate Measurement

**Transit time** flow meters measure the time difference between the travel time of an ultrasound wave going with the fluid flow and then against the fluid flow. This time difference is used to calculate the velocity of the fluid traveling in a closed-pipe system. The transducers used in transit time measurements operate alternately as transmitters and receivers. Transit time measurements are bi-directional and are most effective for fluids that have low concentrations of suspended solids.

**Doppler** flow meters operate by transmitting an ultrasonic wave from a transmitting transducer through the pipe wall and into the moving liquid. The sound wave is "reflected" by suspended particles or bubbles moving with the liquid and ultimately gathered by the receiving transducer. A frequency shift (Doppler effect) will occur that is directly proportional to the speed of the moving particles or bubbles. This shift in frequency is interpreted by the digital signal processor (DSP) and converted to a fluid velocity measurement.

Regardless of the method used to determine velocity, multiplying the pipe's cross sectional area by the fluid velocity produces a volumetric flow rate. The measurement also presumes that the pipe is completely full during the measurement cycle.



## Energy Monitoring

Temperature measurements, when used in conjunction with flow measurement, can yield energy usage readings in the form of heat flow. Energy usage is calculated by multiplying the flow rate of the heat transfer fluid by the change of heat content in that fluid after it has done some kind of work, to find the net heat loss or gain.

An ultrasonic meter equipped with heat flow capabilities is designed to measure the rate and quantity of heat delivered or removed from devices such as heat exchangers. The instrument measures the volumetric flow rate of the heat exchanger liquid, the temperature at the inlet pipe and the temperature at the outlet pipe. By applying a scaling factor this heat flow measurement can be expressed in the units of your choosing: BTU, Watts, Joules, Kilowatts, etc.

$$\text{Rate of Heat Delivery} = Q \times (T_{\text{in}} - T_{\text{out}}) \times C$$

Where

- Q = volumetric flow rate
- T<sub>in</sub> = temperature at the inlet
- T<sub>out</sub> = temperature at the outlet
- C = specific heat of the liquid

## Part Number Construction

### DXN Portable Transit Time/Doppler Ultrasonic Flow Meter

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Model	Power Cord	Sensor & Hardware Kit	Carrying Case	Approvals	Options
<b>P)</b> Portable	<b>A)</b> North American <b>U)</b> U.K., Singapore <b>E)</b> Euro <b>J)</b> Japan <b>C)</b> China	<b>B)</b> Basic – Small pipe and standard pipe transit time transducers only <b>T)</b> All Transit Time – Basic kit plus large pipe transducers <b>H)</b> Hybrid – Basic kit and Doppler transducers <b>E)</b> Energy – Basic kit and noninvasive RTDs <b>F)</b> Full – Includes all, transit time, Doppler, RTDs and wall thickness gauge	<b>S)</b> Standard – Outer case with shoulder strap	<b>N)</b> CE + General Safety, U.S., Canada, and EU	<b>N)</b> None

## Parts and Accessories

### Power Cords/Cables

Part Number	Description
D005-2109-013	North American plug (2 flat & 1 round prong; NEMA 5/15P)
D005-2109-015	UK plug (3 rectangular prongs; BS1363A)
D005-2109-016	Euro plug (2 round prongs; CEE7/7)
D005-2109-017	Japan plug (2 flat & 1 round, JIS8303, w/ 3-2 prong adapter)
D005-2109-014	China plug (3 flat prongs; GB2099)
D005-2129-020	Transit time Cables, 20' (6m)
D005-2129-050	Transit time Cables, 50' (15m)
D005-2129-100	Transit time Cables, 100' (30m)
D005-2130-020	Doppler Cables, 20' (6m)
D005-2130-050	Doppler Cables, 50' (15m)
D005-2130-100	Doppler Cables, 100' (30m)

### Transducers (Heads with case)

Part Number	Description	Minimum Pipe O.D.	Maximum Pipe O.D.
D010-2200-002-C	DTTSU universal small pipe	.5" (12 mm)	2.4" (60.3 mm)
D071-0110-000-C	DTTN standard pipe	2" (50 mm)	98" (2500 mm)
D071-0110-200-C	DTTL large pipe	16" (400 mm)	120" (3050 mm)
D071-0112-001-C	DT94 Doppler transducer	1" (25 mm)	60" (1524 mm)

### RTDs/Accessories/Spare Parts

Part Number	Description
D002-2007-004	0-200 °C RTD Silicone stretch tape
D002-2007-001	36 inch SS Hose clamp / transducer strap
D002-2007-005	72 inch SS Hose clamp / transducer strap
D002-2011-001	Acoustic couplant, grease (Dow 111), +150 °F (+65 °C) 5.3 oz. tube
D002-2011-011	Acoustic couplant, paste high temperature, 142 gram tube, +392 °F (+200 °C)
D010-3000-128	Industrial RTD Kit, <sup>1</sup> 1000 Ohm, +392 °F (+200 °C); 20' (6m) cable
D010-3000-129	Building Automation RTD Kit, <sup>1</sup> 1000 Ohm, +266 °F (+130 °C); 20' (6m) cable

<sup>1</sup> RTD Kits include: 2 RTDs, heat sink compound and installation tape.

## System

### Measurement Type:

**Flow:** Ultrasonic transit time and Doppler (reflection of acoustic signals); Hybrid operation.

**Pipe wall thickness:** Ultrasonic transit time of acoustic signals.

**Liquid thermal energy**

### Liquid Types:

Liquid dominant fluids.

### Velocity Range:

**Transit Time:** Bi-directional to 40 FPS (12 MPS)

**Doppler:** Uni-directional to 40 FPS (12 MPS)

### Flow Rate Accuracy:

**Transit Time:**  $\pm 1\%$  of reading or  $\pm 0.01$  FPS (0.003 MPS), whichever is greater

**Doppler:** 2% of full scale

### Flow Sensitivity:

0.001 FPS (0.0003 MPS)

### Repeatability:

$\pm 0.1\%$  of reading

### Temperature Accuracy:

Absolute 0.5 °F (1 °C); Difference 0.2 °F (0.5 °C);

Resolution 0.02 °F (0.01 °C)

### Measurement Update:

0.1 to 10 seconds update/filter rate. Transit Time, up to 50Hz high speed mode

### Battery:

Internal 11.1V lithium ion battery, 75W-hr. Provides 6-9 hrs of continuous operation with battery and indefinitely on external power. Charging (0 to 40 °C), 12 hours while in use; 4 hours maximum powered off

### Power Requirements:

10-30 VDC via 3-pin connector, 40W min; 3.6A resettable fuse

**Supplies:** Desktop adapter: 100-240 VAC 50/60 Hz 50W

10V-18V; Cigarette lighter adapter: 5A fused

### Power Cords:

North American plug (2 flat & 1 round prong; NEMA 5/15P); China plug (3 flat prongs; GB2099); Euro plug (2 round prongs; CEE7/7); U.K. plug (3 rectangular prongs; BS1363A) Japan Plug (2 flat & 1 round, JIS8303, w/ 3-2 prong adapter)

### Display:

800 × 480 WVGA Color Outdoor Readable Display;

Gloved-operation resistive touch screen

### Ambient Conditions:

Battery powered: -4 °F to +110 °F (-20 °C to +45 °C);

Externally powered: -20 °F to +140 °F (-30 °C to +60 °C)

### Storage Temperature:

Do not exceed +175 °F (80 °C)

### Enclosure:

Water/Dust resistant [IP 64]

### User Menu:

Windows .NET fully integrated user menu; Multi-language

### Internal PC:

500MHz AMD PC, 256 MB RAM, 1GB user storage;

Licensed Windows Embedded Standard 2009

### Logging:

>300 sites stored in 1 GB; downloads to USB jump drive

## Transducers

### Pipe Sizes:

½" and larger; standard pipe tables built into User Interface

### Housing Material:

**DTTSU:** CPVC, Ultem®, and anodized aluminum track system;

**Connector:** Nickel-plated brass with Teflon® insulation

**DTTN/DTTL/DT94 Doppler:** CPVC, Ultem®;

**Connector:** Nickel-plated brass with Teflon® insulation

### Pipe Surface Temperature:

**DTTSU/DTTN/DTTL:** -40 °F to +250 °F (-40 °C to +121 °C)

**DT94 Doppler:** -40 °F to +250 °F (-40 °C to +121 °C)

### Transducer Frequency:

**DTTSU:** 2MHz, **DTTN:** 1MHz, **DTTL:** 500kHz

**DT94 Doppler:** 625kHz

### Cable Length:

**Transit Time:** 20 feet (6 meters) paired coaxial cable, BNC to BNC,

**Doppler:** 20 feet (6 meters) paired coaxial cable, BNC to 4-pin

### Diagnostics:

Open, Short, Nominal (transit time only)

### Pipe Thickness:

Dual mode transducer with 6 feet (1.8 meters) of cable (BNC ends)

### RTDs:

2x platinum 385, 1000 Ohm, 3-wire PVC jacketed cable;

20 feet (6 meters) cable standard with quick connector

## Process Monitoring Inputs/Outputs

### Connector:

15-pin high-density DSUB

### Breakout Box:

.2" quick disconnect screw terminal; 15 pin to adapter box;

6 feet (1.8 meters) of cable (DSUB to DSUB connectors)

### Inputs/Outputs:

#### Energy/Temperature:

2x RTDs PT1000 tab type; -122 °F to +570 °F (-85 °C to +300 °C) measurement range

#### Current Output:

4-20mA active/passive 1% accuracy

#### Sensor Supply:

14V @ 50mA max for powering current or voltage sensors

#### Digital Output:

Open collector, External pull-up

Rate or Total pulse user selectable

**Rate pulse:** 0 to 1000Hz

**Total pulse:** 33mSec duration

#### Digital Input:

Totalizer reset, External pull-up

#### Auxiliary Inputs:

Voltage input. 0 – 5V or 0 – 10V, 1% accuracy

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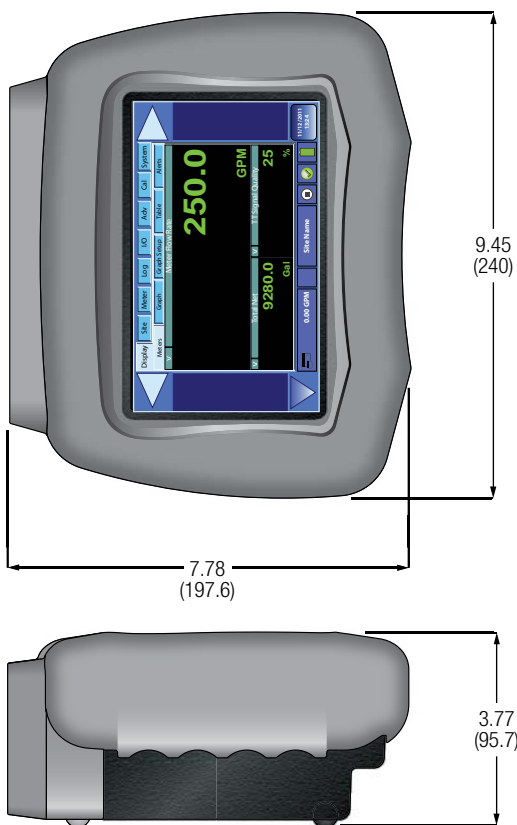
80k Ohms input impedance

#### Voltage Output:

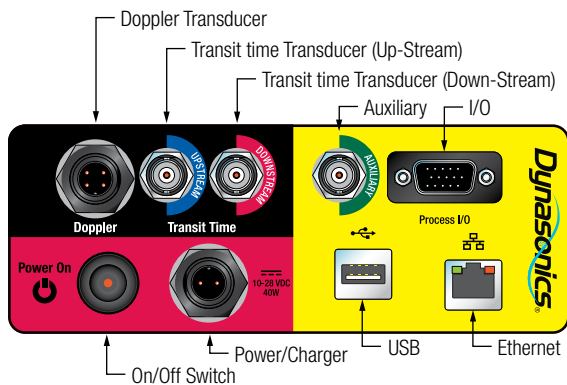
0 – 5V or 0 – 10V output voltage, 1% accuracy

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100 Ohms output impedance



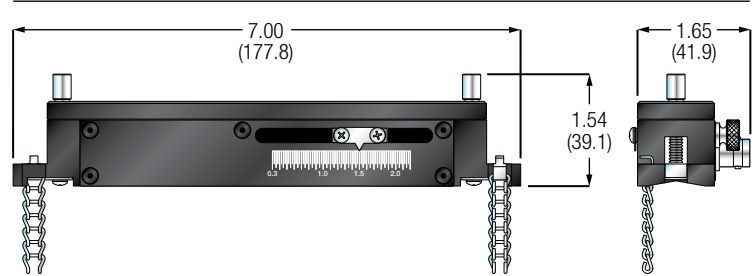
## DXN Connection Panel



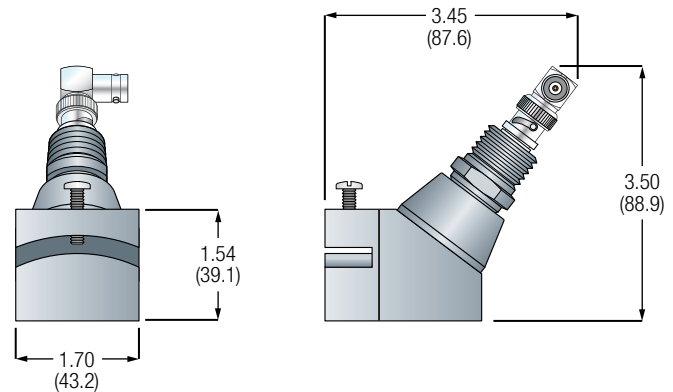
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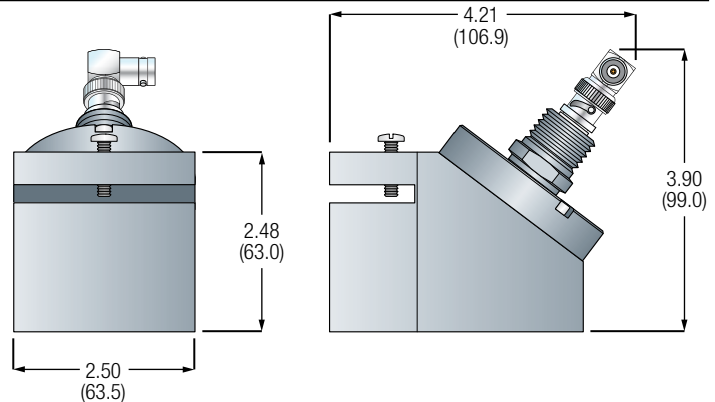
## DTTSU Transit Time Transducer



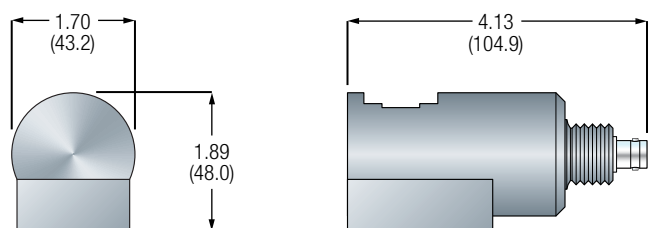
## DTTN Transit Time Transducer



## DTTL Transit Time Transducer



## DT94 Doppler Transducer



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DATA LOGGING (LOG) GROUP

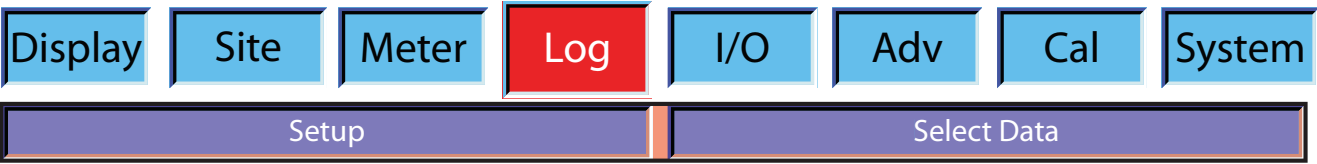


FIGURE 4.37 - LOG GROUP

Setup

The setup screen controls the selection of the **Logging Rate** and has a software button for starting and stopping logging sessions.

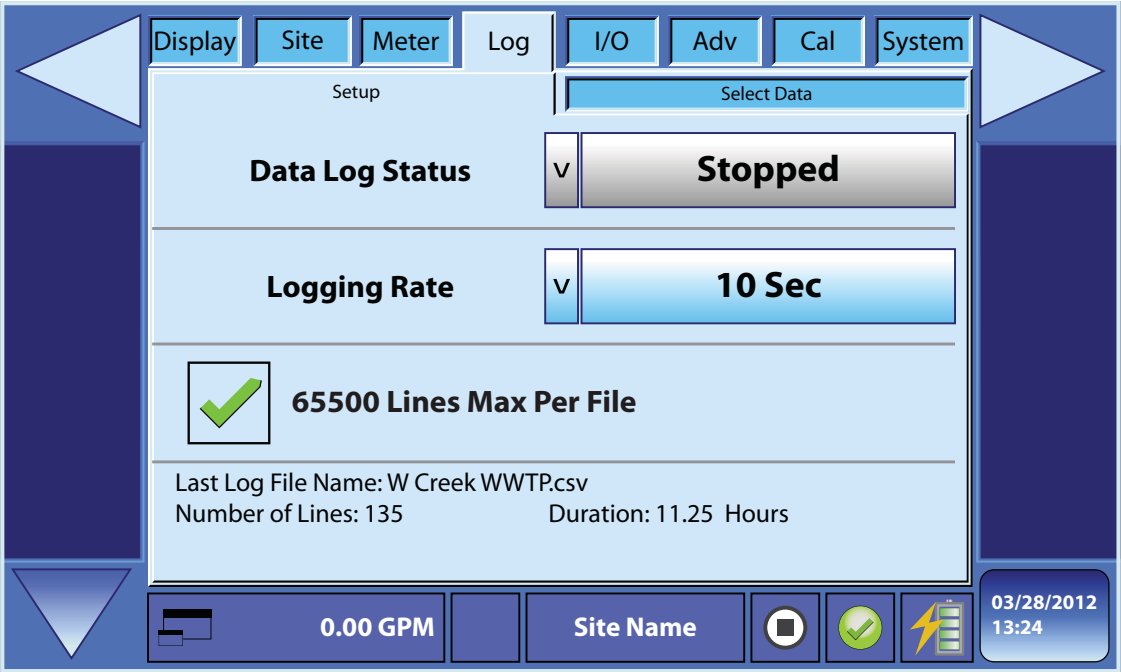


FIGURE 4.38 - DATALOGGING SETUP

**Important:** To enable datalogging a site from the **Site Group ► Create Page** must be either created or selected from previous site names. If a site is not chosen the datalogger start/stop control button will not function and the control will be “grayed out”.

The logging rate entry tells the DXN how often to collect data points. The logger memory area has the capacity to store more than **300 individual files consisting of a maximum of 65,500 points per log file.**

The amount of time the logger will collect data depends on the **Logging Rate** the DXN is programmed for. In general the logging time is calculated by dividing 65,563 by the number of data points recorded per minute.

$$\text{Logging Time (Minutes)} = \frac{65,563}{\text{Number of Samples per Minute}}$$