- Full 3-1/2 Digit, Bright Red 0.56"(14.2mm) Display
- Broad Range Display Scaling
- Short 2.94" (74.7mm) Deep, 1/8 DIN Case
- Screw Terminal Connector for Easy Installation
- Four User-Settable Ranges: 200mV, 2V, 20V, 200 V
- One Factory-Settable Range: 750V
- Jumper-Selectable Decimal Point
- Average Responding and TRMS Measurement Ranges

Optional Isolated 9-32VDC Power Supply

The Falcon Series digital indicators are premium quality $1 / 8$ DIN meters for industrial applications. All Falcon units feature jumper-selectable decimal point (internal and on the connector for remote decimal point) and display scaling, providing wide application flexibility. In addition, signal input ranges are easy to change with jumpers on the main board. The Falcon has a 0.56 " bright red LED display for high visibility.

Compactly designed for applications requiring minimal rear panel depth, the Falcon fits a standard $1 / 8$ DIN panel cutout ( $91.9 \mathrm{~mm} \times 45 \mathrm{~mm}$ ) and requires less than $3^{\prime \prime}$ behind the panel. A screw terminal connector is a standard feature for easy wiring of the power supply and signal input connections.


## Specifications

DISPLAY
Type: 7-segment, red LED
Height: 0.56 " ( 14.2 mm )
Decimal Point: 3-position programmable, internally or on the terminal block
Overrange indication: most significant digit = "1"; other digits blank
Polarity: Automatic, with "-" indication,
"+" indication implied
POWER REQUIREMENTS
AC Voltages: 120 or 220VAC, $\pm 10 \%$
50/60Hz
DC Voltages: 9-32VDC, $\pm 1 \%$
Power Consumption: 3VA

ACCURACY @ 25o C
$\pm 1.0 \%$ of reading $\pm 5$ counts ( 45 Hz - 1 kHz )

ENVIRONMENTAL
Operating Temperature: 0 to $55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Storage Temperature: -10 to $60^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Relative Humidity: 0 to $85 \%$ non-condensing Temperature Coefficient:
( $\pm 0.1 \%$ of input $\pm 0.5$ count) ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
Warm-up Time: Less than 15 minutes
Response Time: Less than 3 seconds
NOISE REJECTION
NMRR: $50 \mathrm{~dB}, 50 / 60 \mathrm{~Hz}$
CMRR: (w/1K $\Omega$ unbalanced @ 60 Hz ): 90 dB min.

ANALOG TO DIGITAL CONVERSION
Technique: Dual slope integration Rate: 3 samples per second, nominal

## MECHANICAL

Bezel: 3.78" x 1.89" x .44"
$(96 \times 48 \times 11.2 \mathrm{~mm})$
Depth: 2.94 "(74.7mm)
Panel Cutout: 3.62" X 1.77"
( $91.9 \times 45 \mathrm{~mm} 1 / 8 \mathrm{DIN}$ )
Case Material: 94V-1, UL rated Noryl®
Weight: 9.00 z (255.1g)

INPUTS: AC/AC TRMS Voltage

| Input <br> Range | Display <br> Resolution | Input <br> Impedance | Maximum <br> Overload |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 200 mV | $100 \mu \mathrm{~V}$ | $\geq 100 \mathrm{M} \Omega$ | 50 V |
| 2 V | 1 mV | $1 \mathrm{M} \Omega$ | 100 V |
| 20 V | 10 mV | $10 \mathrm{M} \Omega$ | 100 V |
| 200 V | 100 mV | $10 \mathrm{M} \Omega$ | 250 |

Wiring Diagram


Input Signal: Connect the signal to be monitored to the IN HI and IN LO terminals. IN HI is terminal \#1, IN LO is terminal \#2.

Supply Power: Connect the supply power to terminals \#11 and \#12. Note that if AC power is supplied, terminal \#11 is for Neutral, and terminal \#12 is for Hot. If DC power is used, terminal \#11 is for -DC, and \#12 is for +DC.

Display Hold: This feature allows you to hold the displayed value indefinitely. A remote switch can be used to make the connection. To activate the display hold, short terminal blocks \#3 and \#4 (Hold Ref and +Ref). This connection must be kept isolated from other circuitry. To hold multiple units, separate poles of the switch must be used to maintain the isolation.


These instruments are designed for maximum safety to the operator when mounted in a panel according to instructions. They are not to be used unmounted or for exploratory measurements in unknown circuits.


Before switching the instrument on, make sure the supply voltage matches the power source required of the instrument as indicated on the hook-up label affixed to the instrument.

## Decimal Point Selection

From terminal block: The decimal point can be set from the rear screw terminal block by connecting the appropriate decimal point (DP 1, 2, 3, ) to the DP C terminal. The J105 jumper must be in the D position (see diagram under "From front panel").

| Decimal |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Point | Connect |  |
| 1.999 | DP C to DP1 |  |
| 19.99 | DP C to DP2 |  |
| 199.9 | DP C to DP3 |  |
| 1999 | No Decimal |  |

From front panel: The decimal point can also be selected by removing the front bezel from the meter. Move the push-on jumper J105 across the correct letter.


## Voltage Range Selection

All Falcon Indicators are configured initially per the customer specifications. Range changes can be accomplished as follows:

Disconnect power from the unit. Remove the unit from the panel. Remove the front bezel by inserting slotted screwdriver in the vertical slots on either side of the bezel and then turning to pry the bezel off. Unscrew the two Phillips head screws at either side of the circuit board. Finally, push on the green connector assembly in the back of the unit to slide the main circuit board out from the meter. Change jumpers according to the chart below.

Note: If a new range is selected, the calibration procedure must also be performed.

| Input <br> Range | $\mathrm{JU102}$ | J 103 | J 106 | $\mathrm{JU101}$ | $\mathrm{JU103}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 200 mV | IN | C | R | V | OUT |
| 2 V | OUT | B | R | V | IN |
| 20 V | OUT | B | R | V | OUT |
| 200 V | OUT | D | R | V | OUT |

750 volt range may be configured by factory or Simpson Authorized Service Center only.

Note: JU101 and JU102 are hard wire jumpers, and are removed by cutting them. Resoldering the JU jumpers is not recommended. If this is required, or if a function is to be changed (from volts to current), Simpson recommends returning the Falcon to the factory or an Authorized Service Center. After moving the jumpers to the desired location, put the Falcon back together and install in your panel, or proceed to calibration.


## Application Example

A plant supervisor needs to monitor a welding process from a remote mezzanine. This process runs off of an AC power supply, and draws 45AC amps.

A Falcon 20VAC meter, coupled with a 50 amp/10 volt current transformer, can monitor the current draw of the welding process. The transformer allows the signal to be sent to a remote location without any appreciable signal loss.

The Falcon meter needs to be scaled before it is connected to the transformer. Remove the front bezel with a small screwdriver. Apply a 10VAC signal to the Falcon meter. Adjust potentiometer VR101 (to the right of the display) until the meter indicates 50.0 (amps), which is the full scale output of the current transformer. Once this is done, remove the signal input and put the bezel back on the Falcon.


The current transformer is installed in series between the power supply and the welding process. The Falcon AC volt meter is connected to the transformer.

The Falcon can be installed in the mezzanine, remotely located from the transformer (and the process).

## - Safety Symbols <br> The WARNING sign denotes a hazard. It calls attention to a procedure, practice, or the like, which, if not correctly performed or adhered to, could result in personal injury. <br> The CAUTION sign denotes a hazard. It calls attention to an operating procedure, practice, or the like, which, if not correctly adhered to, could result in damage to or destruction of part or all the instrument. <br> 

* Meets CE EMI EN-50082-1, EN-55022, EN-61000-3-2, EN-61000-3-3

Ordering Information


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Model 186 Current Transformers easily convert a current signal (up to 50 amps ) into a 0-10 AC volt signal and transmit the signal over a long distance. This allows remote monitoring of a process or application.

These units can be coupled with a Donut Current Transformer if a high current rating (up to 1999 amps ) is to be monitored at a remote location.

