

# FP-4400 PORTABLE CLAMP-ON ULTRASONIC FLOW METER

ONICON's FP-4400 Portable Clamp-on **Ultrasonic Flow Meter** is the non-invasive approach to highly accurate hydronic flow measurement. The time-tested design incorporates matched transducers and easy to use mounting hardware making it ideal for installation in systems where shutdowns are impractical.



• Chilled Water • Hot Water • Domestic Water • Condenser Water •





ONICON F-4000 Series Ultrasonic Flow Meters utilize the differential transit time method to measure the velocity of relatively clean liquids in full pipes. By measuring the difference between transit times of ultrasonic sound waves traveling between two transducers, the flow velocity and direction are accurately determined.

#### **DESCRIPTION**

ONICON's FP-4400 Portable Clamp-on Ultrasonic Flow Meter is the ideal tool for testing and validating flow. The battery operated portable meter utilizes clamp-on transducers to measure flow through the pipe wall. Three transducer sets are provided for optimal performance with pipes ranging from ½" to 48" in diameter, and it works with most commonly used pipe materials. Programming is easy with the on-screen menu system. Just enter the pipe diameter, wall thickness and pipe material.

The FP-4400 can be powered for up to 15 hours using the internal, rechargeable NiMH battery, or it can be operated continuously with the AC power adapter.

Monitoring flow over time is made easy with the built-in data logger. The logger can capture up to 12 million points with intervals ranging from 10 seconds to 1 hour apart. Download data to you PC via USB.

## **APPLICATIONS**

- Flow testing for closed loop HVAC chilled, hot and condenser water systems
- Temporary flow monitoring for domestic/municipal water
- Flow testing for process water & other clean liquids
- · Baseline monitoring for project planning

#### **FEATURES**

### **Ideal for Monitoring & Testing**

Clamp-on transducers allow for quick installation with no shutdown, no drilling and no pressure drop. Each meter is provided with a built-in data logger making it an ideal solution for monitoring flow over time.

#### **Works with Common Pipe Materials**

The FP-4400 is designed to work with many different pipe materials including carbon steel, stainless steel, copper, PVC, HDPE fiberglass.

## **Operates Over a Very Wide Flow Range**

The FP-4400 is capable of measuring flow over a 400:1 turndown from less than 0.1 ft/s to 40 ft/s in velocity. This makes the FP-4400 ideal for testing and monitoring many different flow applications, including leak testing.

#### Simple to Set Up and Use

The FP-4400 is easily configured through the handheld backlit display and 5-button keypad interface. Just enter a few parameters and the FP-4400 will display the correct transducer separation distance.

#### **CALIBRATION**

All FP-4400 flow meters are wet-calibrated in a flow laboratory against standards that are directly traceable to National Institute of Standards and Technology (N.I.S.T.). A certificate of calibration accompanies every meter.



carrying case.

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## **SPECIFICATIONS\***

| FP-4400 TRANSMITTER           |  |  |  |
|-------------------------------|--|--|--|
| TRANSMITTER PERFORMANCE       | ACCURACY   | $\pm 1\%$ of reading or $\pm 1.5$ ft/s ( $\pm 0.0046$ m/s), whichever is greater   |  |
|                               | REPEATABILITY & LINEARITY  | ±0.25%   |  |
|                               | FLOW VELOCITY RANGE  | ±0.1 to 40 ft/s (±0.03 to 12.2 m/s)  |  |
| OPERATING CONDITIONS          | AMBIENT OPERATING  | -5°F to 140°F  |  |
| INPUT POWER                   | External mains to USB-C charger with 120-240 VAC, 50-60 Hz, 0.6A input; and 5 VDC, 3A, 15W ouput   |  |  |
| ELECTRONICS ENCLOSURE         | IP67 when transducer cables connected. IP65 when transducers cables not connected. Aluminum enclosure with silicone protective end covers. |  |  |
|                               | DISPLAY  | Color TFT LCD display, IPS type, 2.8" screen size, 320 x 240 resolution, 500 NITS brightness, super wide view                        |  |
| PROGRAMMING                   | Menu driven via five (5) programming keys  |  |  |
| APPROVALS                     | CE   | 2014/30/EU EMC Directive   |  |
| FP-4400 FLOW SENSOR           |  |  |  |
| PERFORMANCE                   | SENSING METHOD   | Ultrasonic differential transit time velocity measurement via non-wetted transducers   |  |
| OPERATING CONDITIONS          | FLUID PROPERTIES   | Clean liquids in full (pressurized) pipes  |  |
|                               | FLUID VELOCITY RANGE   | ±0.1 to 40 ft/s (±0.03 to 12.2 m/s) typical  |  |
|                               | FLUID TEMPERATURE RANGE  | -40°F to 300°F   |  |
|                               | PIPE MATERIALS   | Suitable for use in a wide range of metallic and non-metallic piping systems   |  |
|                               | PIPE SIZE RANGE  | ½" through 48", based on transducer series selected.   |  |
| TRANSDUCER DESIGN - 10 SERIES | OPERATING FREQUENCY  | 2.56 MHz   |  |
|                               | PIPE SIZE RANGE  | ½" through 4"  |  |
|                               | TRANSDUCER HOUSING   | CF8M 316 Stainless Steel   |  |
|                               | CABLE CONNECTIONS  | Triax cable with BNC style connectors and sealing jacket Triax cable with NEMA 6 (IP67) direct connection for wet locations          |  |
|                               | MOUNTING KIT   | 304 Stainless Steel mounting brackets with conduit connection, 200 Series Stainless Steel pipe clamps, and alignment and spacer tool |  |
| TRANSDUCER DESIGN - 20 SERIES | OPERATING FREQUENCY  | 1.28 MHz   |  |
|                               | PIPE SIZE RANGE  | 2" through 10"   |  |
|                               | TRANSDUCER HOUSING   | CF8M 316 Stainless Steel   |  |
|                               | CABLE CONNECTIONS  | Triax cable with BNC style connectors and sealing jacket   |  |
|                               | MOUNTING KIT   | 304 Stainless Steel mounting brackets with conduit connection, 200 Series Stainless Steel pipe clamps, and alignment and spacer tool |  |

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# **SPECIFICATIONS CONTINUED\***

| FP-4400 FLOW SENSOR (CONTINUED) |                     |  |  |  |
|---------------------------------|---------------------|--|--|--|
| TRANSDUCER DESIGN - 30 SERIES   | OPERATING FREQUENCY | 640 kHz  |  |  |
|                                 | PIPE SIZE RANGE     | 12" through 48"  |  |  |
|                                 | TRANSDUCER HOUSING  | CF8M 316 Stainless Steel   |  |  |
|                                 | CABLE CONNECTIONS   | Triax cable with BNC style connectors and ½" MNPT conduit connection and NEMA 4 (IP66) threaded strain relief.                       |  |  |
|                                 | MOUNTING KIT        | 304 Stainless Steel mounting brackets with conduit connection, 200 Series Stainless Steel pipe clamps, and alignment and spacer tool |  |  |

## **FLOW RANGES**

The FP-4400 has an operating range of 0.1 ft/s - 40 ft/s. The table below shows the corresponding volumetric ranges (GPM) by nominal pipe size.

| OPERATING RANGE    |   |  |  |
|--------------------|---|--|--|
| PIPE SIZE (inches) | FLOW RATE (GPM)<br>(0.1 ft/sec - 40 ft/sec) |  |  |
| 1/2                | 0.06 - 24                                   |  |  |
| 3/4                | 0.2 - 55                                    |  |  |
| 1                  | 0.3 - 98                                    |  |  |
| 11/4               | 0.4 - 153                                   |  |  |
| 11/2               | 0.6 - 220                                   |  |  |
| 2                  | 1.0 - 390                                   |  |  |
| 21/2               | 1.5 - 610                                   |  |  |
| 3                  | 2.3 - 881                                   |  |  |
| 4                  | 4.0 - 1,500                                 |  |  |
| 5                  | 6.2 - 2,400                                 |  |  |
| 6                  | 9.0 - 3,500                                 |  |  |
| 8                  | 16 - 6,200                                  |  |  |
| 10                 | 25 - 9,700                                  |  |  |

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|--------------------|---|--|--|
| PIPE SIZE (inches) | FLOW RATE (GPM)<br>(0.1 ft/sec - 40 ft/sec) |  |  |
| 12                 | 35 - 14,100                                 |  |  |
| 14                 | 43 - 19,100                                 |  |  |
| 16                 | 57 - 25,000                                 |  |  |
| 18                 | 73 - 31,700                                 |  |  |
| 20                 | 91 - 39,100                                 |  |  |
| 24                 | 132 - 56,400                                |  |  |
| 26                 | 166 - 66,100                                |  |  |
| 30                 | 221 - 88,100                                |  |  |
| 34                 | 283 - 113,200                               |  |  |
| 36                 | 318 - 126,900                               |  |  |
| 42                 | 432 - 172,700                               |  |  |
| 48                 | 564 - 225,600                               |  |  |
|                    |   |  |  |

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## **METER ORDERING INFORMATION**

# **Meter Model Number Coding = FP-4400-AB**

AB = Sensor Type 40 = 10 Series, 20 Series, 30 Series transducers included

