

**DK****ADVAREL**

Følgende operationer bør kun udføres på modulet i spændingsløs tilstand og under ESD-sikre forhold. Installation, ledningsmontage og demontage.

**WARNING**

The following operations should only be carried out on a disconnected device and under ESD safe conditions:



General mounting, connection and disconnection of wires. Troubleshooting the device.

Repair of the device must be done by PR electronics A/S only.

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PR Loop Link programmeringenheneden må ikke benyttes til kommunikation med moduler installeret i Ex-område.



Enhederne skal installeres i henhold til den tilhørende installations vejledning ved montering i eksplosionfarlig område.

SIKKERHEDSREGLER**Modtagelse og udpakning**

Udpak modulet uden at beskadige det. Kontrollér ved modtagelsen, at modultypen passer til den bestilte. Indpakningen bør følge modulet, indtil dette er monteret på blivende plads.

Miljøforhold

Undgå direkte sollys, kraftigt støv eller varme, mekaniske rystelser og stød, og vætsk ikke modulet for regn eller kraftig fugt. Om nødvendigt skal opvarmning, ud over de opgivne grænser for omgivelstes temperatur, forhindres ved hjælp af ventilation.

Installation

Modulet må kun tilsluttes af kvalificerede teknikere, som er bekendte med de tekniske udtryk, advarsler og instruktioner i installationsvejledningen, og som vil følge disse.

Hvis der er tvivl om modulets rette håndtering, skal derrettes henvendelse til den lokale forhandler eller alternativt direkte til PR electronics A/S.

Installation og tilslutning af modulet skal følge landets gældende regler for installation af elektrisk materiel bl.a. med henblik til ledningssikring, for-sikring og placering.

Beskrivelse af findgang/udgangsforbindelser findes i produktmanuallen, som kan hentes på www.prelectronics.dk.

Kalibrering og justering

Under kalibrering og justering skal måling og tilslutning af eksterne spændinger udføres i henhold til denne installationsvejledning, og teknikeren skal benytte sikkerhedsmaßigt korrekte værktøj og instrumenter.

Rengøring

Modulet må, i spændingsløs tilstand, rengøres med en klud let fugtet med destilleret vand.

PC-programmering af SYSTEM 5300

Modulet konfigureres til den aktuelle opgave ved hjælp af en PC og PR electronics A/S' kommunikationsinterface Loop Link. Det er muligt at konfigurere moduler både med og uden tilslutning forsyningsspænding, idet kommunikationsinterfacet leverer nødvendig forsyning til opsætningen. Kommunikationsinterfacet er galvanisk isoleret, så PC'en port er optimalt beskyttet. Kommunikationen er 2-vejs, så modulets opsætning kan hentes ind i PC'en, og opsætningen i PC'en kan sendes til modulet. For de brugere, der ikke selv vil foretage opsætning, kan modulet leveres konfigureret efter oplyst specifikation: indgangstype, måleområde, fejlforsigtedektering, og udgangssignal.

Elektriske specifikationer

Specifikationsområde: -40°C til +85°C
Forsyningsspænding:
5331A & 5334A 7,2...35 VDC
Intern effektstab.:
5331A & 5334A 25 mW...0,8 W
Forsyningsspænding:
5331D & 5334B 7,2...30 VDC
Intern effektstab.:
5331D & 5334B 25 mW...0,7 W
Isolationsspænd. test/oper.: 1,5 kVAC / 50 VAC
Kalibreringstemperatur 20...28°C
Relativ fugtighed < 95% RH (non-cond.)
Mål Ø44 x 20,2 mm
Kapslingsklasse (hus/klemme) IP68 / IP00

Indgangstyper:

Pt100 -200°C...+850°C
Ni100 -60°C...+250°C
TC-indgang B, E, J, K, L, N, R, S, T, U, W3, W5, Lr
Lin. R 0...5000 Ω
Spænding -12...800 mV

Strømudgang:

Signalområde 4...20 mA
Min. signalområde 16 mA
Belastningsmodstand, Ω ≤ (Vforsyn.-7,2V)/0,023

Godkendelser:

DNV-GL, Ships & Offshore.... Stand. f. Certific. No. 2.4
EAC..... TR-CU 020/2011
EAC Ex..... TR-CU 012/2011

Overholdte myndighedskrav:

EMC..... 2014/30/EU
ATEX..... 2014/34/EU
RoHS..... 2011/65/EU

UK**WARNING**

The following operations should only be carried out on a disconnected device and under ESD safe conditions:

**ADVARSEL**

Do not use the Loop Link programming interface to program the units in Ex area. For installation in classified area the modules must be installed according to the appropriate installation drawings.



Enhederne skal installeres i henhold til den tilhørende installations vejledning ved montering i eksplosionfarlig område.

SIKKERHEDSREGLER**Receipt and unpacking**

Unpack the device without damaging it. The packing should always follow the device until this has been permanently mounted. Check at the receipt of the device whether the type corresponds to the one ordered.

Environment

Avoid direct sunlight, dust, high temperatures, mechanical vibrations and shock, as well as rain and heavy moisture. If necessary, heating in excess of the stated limits for ambient temperatures should be avoided by way of ventilation.

Mounting

Only qualified technicians who are familiar with the technical terms, warnings, and instructions in this installation guide and who are able to follow these should connect the device.

Should there be any doubt as to the correct handling of the device, please contact your local distributor or, alternatively, PR electronics A/S.

Mounting and connection of the device should comply with national legislation for mounting of electric materials, i.e. wire cross section, protective fuse, and location. Descriptions of input / output and supply connections are shown in the product manual found on www.prelectronics.com.

Calibration and adjustment

During calibration and adjustment, the measuring and connection of external voltages must be carried out according to the specifications of this installation guide. The technician must use tools and instruments that are safe to use.

Cleaning

When disconnected, the device may be cleaned with a cloth moistened with distilled water.

PC programming of SYSTEM 5300

The device is configured to the present task by way of a PC and PR electronics A/S' communications interface Loop Link. The device can be configured with or without a connected supply voltage as the communications interface supplies the necessary voltage to the set-up. The communications interface is galvanically isolated to protect the PC port. Communication is 2-way to allow the retrieval of the device set-up into the PC and to allow the transmission of the PC set-up to the device. For users who do not wish to do the set-up themselves, the device can be delivered configured according to customer specifications: input type, measurement range, sensor error detection, and output signal.

Electrical specifications

Specifications range -40°C to +85°C
Supply voltage,
5331A & 5334A 7,2...35 VDC
Internal power dissipation,
5331A & 5334A 25 mW...0,8 W
Supply voltage,
5331D & 5334B 7,2...30 VDC
Internal power dissipation,
5331D & 5334B 25 mW...0,7 W
Isolation voltage, test/oper. 1,5 kVAC / 50 VAC
Calibration temperature 20...28°C
Relative humidity < 95% RH (non-cond.)
Dimensions Ø44 x 20,2 mm
Protection degree (encl./terminal). IP68 / IP00

Input types:

Pt100 -200°C...+850°C
Ni100 -60°C...+250°C
TC Input B, E, J, K, L, N, R, S, T, U, W3, W5, Lr
Lin. R 0...5000 Ω
Voltage -12...800 mV

Current output:

Signal range 4...20 mA
Min. signal range 16 mA
Load resistance, Ω ≤ (Vsupply-7,2V)/0,023

Approvals:

DNV-GL, Ships & Offshore.... Stand. f. Certific. No. 2.4
EAC..... TR-CU 020/2011
EAC Ex..... TR-CU 012/2011

Observed authority requirements:

EMC..... 2014/30/EU
ATEX..... 2014/34/EU
RoHS..... 2011/65/EU

FR**AVERTISSEMENT**

Les opérations suivantes doivent être effectuées avec le module débranché et dans un environnement exempt de décharges électrostatiques (ESD): montage général, raccordement et débranchement de fils et recherche de pannes sur le module.



Seule PR electronics SARL est autorisée à réparer le module.

AVERTISSEMENT

Ne pas utiliser le kit de programmation "Loop Link" en zone classée dangereuse Ex.



Pour des installations en zone classée, les modules doivent être monté conformément aux plans appropriés.

CONSIGNES DE SECURITE**Réception et déballage**

Déballez le module sans l'endommager. Il est recommandé de conserver l'emballage du module tant que ce dernier n'est pas définitivement monté. A la réception du module, vérifiez que le type de module reçu correspond à celui que vous avez commandé.

Environnement

N'exposez pas votre module aux rayons directs du soleil et choisissez un endroit à humidité modérée et à l'abri de la poussière, des températures élevées, des chocs et des vibrations mécaniques et de la pluie. Le cas échéant, des systèmes de ventilation permettent d'éviter qu'une pièce soit chauffée au-delà des limites prescrites pour les températures ambiantes.

Montage

Il est conseillé de réserver le raccordement du module aux techniciens qualifiés qui connaissent les termes techniques, les avertissements et les instructions de ce guide et qui sont capables d'appliquer ces dernières.

Si vous avez un doute quelconque quant à la manipulation du module, veuillez contacter votre distributeur local. Vous pouvez également vous adresser à PR electronics SARL.

Installation

Das Gerät darf nur von qualifizierten Technikern angeschlossen werden, die mit den technischen Ausdrücken, Warnungen und Anweisungen in dieser Installationsanleitung vertraut sind und diese befolgen.

Sollten Zweifel bezüglich der richtigen Handhabung des Gerätes bestehen, sollte man mit dem Händler vor Ort Kontakt aufnehmen. Sie können aber auch direkt mit PR electronics GmbH Kontakt aufnehmen.

Umgebungsbedingungen

Direkte Sonneninstrahlung, starke Staubentwicklung oder Hitze, mechanische Erschütterungen und Stoße sind zu vermeiden; das Gerät darf nicht Regen oder starker Feuchtigkeit ausgesetzt werden. Bedarf muss eine Erwärmung, welche die angegebenen Grenzen für die Umgebungstemperatur überschreitet, mit Hilfe eines Kühlgebläses verhindert werden.

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Reinigung

Das Gerät darf in spannunglosem Zustand mit einem Lappen gereinigt werden, der mit destilliertem Wasser leicht angefeuchtet ist.

Montage et entretien

Une fois le module hors tension, prenez un chiffon imbibé d'eau distillée pour le nettoyer.

Programmation par PC du SYSTEME 5300

Le module peut être programmé en fonction d'une application donnée à partir d'un PC et le kit de programmation Loop Link de PR electronics A/S. Le module peut être programmé sans être alimenté car l'interface de communication fournit l'alimentation nécessaire pour la configuration. L'interface de communication est dotée d'une isolation galvanique pour protéger le port du PC. La communication est bidirectionnelle. Cela permet non seulement la récupération d'une configuration existante ainsi que la lecture du numéro de série et du répère. Le module peut être livré déjà programmé, si l'utilisateur le souhaite.

PC-Programmierung des Systems 5300

Das Gerät wird für die jeweilige Aufgabe mit Hilfe eines PCs und PR electronics A/S Kommunikationschnittstelle Loop Link konfiguriert. Es ist möglich, das Gerät sowohl mit als auch ohne angeschlossene Versorgungsspannung zu konfigurieren, da die Kommunikationschnittstelle die notwendige Versorgung für die Einstellung liefert. Die Kommunikationschnittstelle ist galvanisch isoliert, sodass der Anschluss des PCs optimal geschützt ist. Die Kommunikation erfolgt in beiden Richtungen, sodass die Einstellung des Gerätes in den PC geholt und die Einstellung im PC an das Gerät gesendet werden kann. Für diejenigen Anwender, welche die Einstellung nicht selbst vornehmen wollen, kann das Gerät nach folgenden Kundenspezifikationen konfiguriert geliefert werden: Eingangstyp, Messbereich, Fühlerfehlererkennung und Ausgangssignal.

Elektrische Daten

Spezifikationsbereich -40°C bis +85°C

Versorgungsspannung, 7,2...35 VDC

Verlustleistung, 7,2...30 W

Puissance dissipée, 25 mW...0,8 W

5331A & 5334A 25 mW...0,8 W

Tension d'alimentation, 7,2...35 Vcc

5331D & 5334B 25 mW...0,7 W

Tension d'alimentation, 7,2...30 Vcc

5331D & 5334B 25 mW...0,7 W

Tension d'alimentation, 7,2...30 Vcc

5331D & 5334B 25 mW...0,7 W

Tension d'alimentation, 7,2...30 Vcc

ATEX Installation drawing 5331QA01-V2R0

! For safe installation of 5331D or 5334B the following must be observed. The module shall only be installed by qualified personnel who are familiar with the national and international laws, directives and standards that apply to this area. Year of manufacture can be taken from the first two digits in the serial number.

ATEX Certificate KEMA 06ATEX 0062 X

Marking II 1 G Ex ia IIC T4...T6 Ga
II 1 D Ex ia IIC Da
I M1 Ex ia I Ma

Standards EN 60079-0 : 2012, EN 60079-11 : 2012, EN 60079-26 : 2007, EN 60079-15 : 2010

Hazardous area Zone 0, 1, 2, 20, 21, 22

T4: -40 ≤ Ta ≤ 85°C
T6: -40 ≤ Ta ≤ 60°C

Terminal: 3,4,5,6
Uo: 9.6 VDC
Io: 25 mA
Po: 60 mW
Lo: 33 mH
Co: 2.4 μF

Terminal: 1,2
Ui: 30 VDC
Ii: 120 mA
Pi: 0.84 W
Li: 10 μH
Ci: 1.0 nF

Installation notes.

The sensor circuit is not infallibly galvanic isolated from the input circuit. However, the galvanic isolation between the circuits is capable of withstanding a test voltage of 500Vac during 1 minute.

In a potentially explosive gas atmosphere, the transmitter shall be mounted in an enclosure in order to provide a degree of protection of at least IP20 according to IEC60529.

If the transmitter is installed in an explosive atmosphere requiring the use of equipment of category 1 G, 1 M or 2 M, and if the enclosure is made of aluminum, it must be installed such, that ignition sources due to impact and friction sparks are excluded.

If the enclosure is made of non-metallic materials, electrostatic charging shall be avoided.

For installation in a potentially explosive dust atmosphere, the following instructions apply:

The transmitter shall be mounted in a metal enclosure form B according to DIN43729 that is providing a degree of protection of at least IP6X according to EN60529, that is suitable for the application and correctly installed.

Cable entries and blanking elements shall be used that are suitable for the application and correctly installed.

For an ambient temperature ≥ 60°C, heat resistant cables shall be used with a rating of at least 20 K above the ambient temperature.

The surface temperature of the enclosure is equal to the ambient temperature plus 20 K, for a dust layer with a thickness up to 5 mm

IECEx Installation drawing 5331QI01-V1R0

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Certificate IECEx DEK 13.0035X

Marking Ex ia IIC T4...T6 Ga
Ex ia IIC Da
Ex ia I Ma

Standards IEC 60079-0 : 2011, IEC 60079-11 : 2011, IEC 60079-26:2006

Hazardous area Zone 0, 1, 2, 20, 21, 22, M1

T4: -40 ≤ Ta ≤ 85°C
T5: -40 ≤ Ta ≤ 60°C
T6: -40 ≤ Ta ≤ 45°C

Terminal: 3,4,5,6
Uo: 9.6 VDC
Io: 25 mA
Po: 60 mW
Lo: 33 mH
Co: 2.4 μF

Terminal: 1,2
Ui: 30 VDC
Ii: 120 mA
Pi: 0.84 W
Li: 10 μH
Ci: 1.0 nF

Installation notes

The sensor circuit is not infallibly galvanic isolated from the input circuit. However, the galvanic isolation between the circuits is capable of withstanding a test voltage of 500Vac during 1 minute.

In a potentially explosive gas atmosphere, the transmitter shall be mounted in a metal form B enclosure in order to provide a degree of protection of at least IP20 according to IEC60529. If however the environment requires a higher degree of protection, this shall be taken into account.

If the transmitter is installed in an explosive atmosphere requiring the use of equipment protection level Ga, Ma and Mb, and if the enclosure is made of aluminum, it must be installed such, that ignition sources due to impact and friction sparks are excluded.

For installation in a potentially explosive dust atmosphere, the following instructions apply:

For explosive dust atmospheres, the surface temperature of the outer enclosure is 20 K above the ambient temperature.

The transmitter shall be mounted in a metal enclosure form B according to DIN43729 that is providing a degree of protection of at least IP6X according to IEC60529, that is suitable for the application and correctly installed.

Cable entries and blanking elements shall be used that are suitable for the application and correctly installed.

For an ambient temperature ≥ 60°C, heat resistant cables shall be used with a rating of at least 20 K above the ambient temperature.

IECEx Installation drawing 5331QI02-V1R0

! For safe installation of 5331A or 5334A the following must be observed. The module shall only be installed by qualified personnel who are familiar with the national and international laws, directives and standards that apply to this area. Year of manufacture can be taken from the first two digits in the serial number.

Certificate IECEx DEK 13.0035X

Marking Ex nA [id] IIC T4..T6 Gc
Ex ic IIC T4...T6 Gc
Ex ic IIC Da

Standards IEC 60079-0 : 2011, IEC 60079-11 : 2011, IEC 60079-15 : 2010

T4: -40 ≤ Ta ≤ 85°C
T6: -40 ≤ Ta ≤ 60°C

Terminal: 3,4,5,6
Ex nA [id]

Uo: 9.6 V
Iu: 25 mA
Po: 60 mW
Lo: 33 mH
Co: 2.4 μF

Terminal: 1,2
Uo: 9.6 V

Io: 25 mA
Po: 60 mW
Lo: 33 mH
Co: 2.4 μF

Umax =35 VDC

Installation note:

For installation in a potentially explosive gas atmosphere, the following instructions apply:
For nA installation the transmitter must be installed in a metal enclosure, e.g. a form B enclosure providing a degree of protection of at least IP54 according to IEC60529 or in an enclosure with type of protection Ex n or Ex e.

For ic installation the transmitter must be installed in enclosure providing a degree of protection of at least IP20 according to IEC60529 and that is suitable for the application.

Cable entry devices and blanking elements shall fulfill the same requirements
For an ambient temperature ≥ 60°C, heat resistant cables shall be used with a rating of at least 20 K above the ambient temperature.

For installation in a potentially explosive dust atmosphere, the following instructions apply:

The surface temperature of the enclosure is equal to the ambient temperature plus 20 K, for a dust layer with a thickness up to 5 mm.

The transmitter shall be mounted in an enclosure according to DIN 43729 that provides a degree of protection of at least IP6X according to IEC60529, and that is suitable for the application. Cable entry devices and blanking elements shall fulfill the same requirements.

Desenho de Instalação INMETRO 5331QB01-V2R0

! Para instalação segura do 5331D ou 5334B o seguinte deve ser observado. O modo deve apenas ser instalado por pessoas qualificadas que são familiarizadas com as leis nacionais e internacionais, diretrizes e padrões que se aplicam a esta área. Ano de fabricação pode ser pego dos dois primeiros dígitos do número de série.

CertificadoDEKRA 16.0013 X

Markas Ex ia IIC T6...T4 Ga
Ex ia IIC Da

Normas ABNT NBR IEC 60079-0 : 2013; ABNT NBR IEC 60079-11 : 2013

Áreas classificadas Zona 0, 1, 2, 20, 21, 22

T4: -40 ≤ Ta ≤ 85°C
T5: -40 ≤ Ta ≤ 60°C
T6: -40 ≤ Ta ≤ 45°C

Terminal: 3,4,5,6
Uo: 9.6 VDC
Io: 25 mA
Po: 60 mW
Lo: 33 mH
Co: 2.4 μF

Terminal: 1,2
Ui: 30 VDC
Ii: 120 mA
Pi: 0.84 W
Li: 10 μH
Ci: 1.0nF

Notas de instalação

O circuito do sensor não é isolado galvanicamente do circuito de entrada de forma infalível. Contudo, a isolação galvânica entre os circuitos é capaz de resistir a um ensaio de tensão de 500Vac durante 1 minuto.

Em uma atmosfera de gás potencialmente explosivo, o transmissor deve ser montado em um invólucro a fim de garantir um grau de proteção de no mínimo IP20 de acordo com a ABNT NBR IEC60529. Se contudo, o ambiente necessitar de um nível de proteção maior, isso deve ser levado em consideração.

Se o transmissor é instalado em uma atmosfera explosiva exigindo o uso de equipamento de proteção de nível Ga, Ma e Mb, e se o invólucro é feito de alumínio, ele deve ser instalado de modo que, mesmo em caso remoto de avaria, fontes de ignição devido ao impacto e fricção, fáscias são eliminadas.

Se o invólucro é feito de materiais não metálicos, cargas eletrostáticas devem ser evitadas.

Para instalação em atmosfera de poeira potencialmente explosiva, as instruções a seguir são aplicáveis:

O transmissor deve ser montado em invólucro de metal forma B de acordo com DIN43729 que está fornecendo um grau de proteção de pelo menos IP6X de acordo com ABNT NBR IEC60529. O invólucro deve ser adequado para aplicação pretendida e instalado corretamente.

As entradas dos cabos e os elementos de obturação que podem ser utilizados devem ser adequados à aplicação pretendida e corretamente instalados.

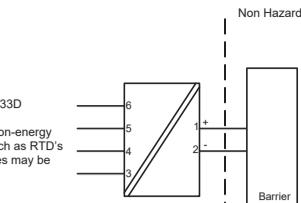
Para temperatura ambiente >= 60°C, fios de resistência ao calor devem ser usados com uma faixa de pelo menos 20K acima da temperatura ambiente.

A temperatura da superfície do invólucro é igual à temperatura ambiente mais 20 K, para uma camada de pó, com espessura de até 5 mm.

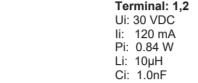
CSA Installation drawing 533XQC03 – V4R0

Hazardous area

T4: -40 ≤ Ta ≤ 85°C
T6: -40 ≤ Ta ≤ 60°C



Module 5331D, 5333D
Terminal: 3,4,5,6
Only passive, or non-energy storing devices such as RTD's and Thermocouples may be connected



Module 5335D, 5336D and 5337D
Terminal: 3,4,5,6
Terminal: 1,2
UI: 30 VDC
Io: 28 mA
Po: 67.2 mW
Lo: 35 mH
Cl: 2.5 μF

CLASS 2258 04 - PROCESS CONTROL EQUIPMENT - Intrinsically Safe Entity - For Hazardous Locations Class I, Division 1, Groups A, B, C and D
Ex ia IIC, Ga

CLASS 2258 84 - PROCESS CONTROL EQUIPMENT - Intrinsically Safe Entity - For Hazardous Locations - Certified to US Standards Class I, Division 1, Groups A, B, C and D
Class I, Zone 0, AEx ia IIC, Ga

Warning:
Substitution of components may impair intrinsic safety.

The transmitters must be installed in a suitable enclosure to meet installation codes stipulated in the Canadian Electrical Code (CEC) or for US National Electrical Code (NEC).

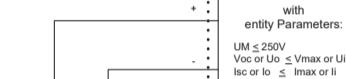
FM Installation Drawing 5300Q502 V3R0

Model 5331D, 5332D, 5333D and 5343B

Hazardous (Classified) Location

Class I, Division 1, Groups A,B,C,D T4..T6
Class I, Zone 0, AEx ia IIC T4..T6

Ambient temperature limits
T4: -40 to + 85 deg. Celsius
T6: -40 to + 60 deg. Celsius



Associated Apparatus or Barrier with entity Parameters:
UH ≤ 250V
Voc or Uo ≤ Vmax or Ul or Ue or Uo ≤ Imax or Il or Po ≤ Pi
Ca or Co ≥ Ci + Ccable
La or Lo ≥ Li + Lcable

This device must not be connected to any associated apparatus which uses or generates more than 250 VAk.

Model 5335D, 5337D

Hazardous (Classified) Location

Class I, Division 1, Groups A,B,C,D T4..T6
Class I, Zone 0, AEx ia IIC T4..T6

Ambient temperature limits
T4: -40 to + 85 deg. Celsius
T6: -40 to + 60 deg. Celsius



Associated Apparatus or Barrier with entity Parameters:
UH ≤ 250V
Voc or Uo ≤ Vmax or Ul or Ue or Uo ≤ Imax or Il or Po ≤ Pi
Ca or Co ≥ Ci + Ccable
La or Lo ≥ Li + Lcable

This device must not be connected to any associated apparatus which uses or generates more than 250 VAk.

The entity concept

The Transmitter must be installed according to National Electrical Code (ANSI-NFPA 70) and shall be installed with the enclosure, mounting, and spacing segregation requirement of the ultimate application.

Equipment that is FM-approved for intrinsic safety may be connected to barriers based on the ENTITY CONCEPT. This concept permits interconnection of approved transmitters, meters and other devices in combinations which have not been specifically examined by FM, provided that the agency's criteria are met. The combination is then intrinsically safe, if the entity concept is acceptable to the authority having jurisdiction over the installation.

The entity concept criteria are as follows:

The intrinsically safe devices, other than barriers, must not be a source of power.

The maximum voltage UI(VMAX) and current IL(MAX), and maximum power PI(MAX), which the device can receive and remain intrinsically safe, must be equal to or greater than the voltage (Uo or VOC or VI) and current (Io or ISC or Il) and the power Po which can be delivered by the barrier.

The sum of the maximum unprotected capacitance (Ci) for each intrinsically safe device and the interconnecting wiring must be less than the capacitance (Ca) which can be safely connected to the barrier.