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### **Resistance Transmitters**



### SensoTrans R P 32300

The transmitter for potentiometer position detection, path measurement, or setpoint specification – in a 6 mm housing with infrared interface, SIL approval and broad-range power supply.

#### The Task

In many fields of industry the positions of actuators or setpoint devices, for example, must be measured accurately. In many cases they are used as a reference input for controllers or monitoring systems, safety shutdown systems, or for similar critical tasks. As a rule, high demands are placed on accuracy, flexibility and functional safety as well as electrical safety. Rotary motion can be measured with potentiometers configured as angle sensors, translational motion with linear potentiometers as path sensors. These and other sensors provide a raw signal which is prepared, scaled and converted into a standard signal for further processing using a resistance transmitter.

#### **The Problem**

Commercial position sensors have individual characteristics, which requires tedious and time-consuming adjustment of the respective resistance transmitter using potentiometers. Furthermore, resistance transmitters up to now had a very wide modular housing and therefore occupied a large amount of space in the enclosure. For world-wide applications, several versions with different supply voltages were often used.

#### The Solution

The universal SensoTrans R P 32300 resistance transmitters provide connection possibilities for all standard potentiometers for angle, path or position detection up to 50 kohms. They can be flexibly adapted to the respective measuring task using DIP and rotary encoder switches or via an IrDA interface. 3-port isolation with protective separation up to 300 V AC/DC according to EN 61140 ensures optimum protection of personnel and equipment as well as unaltered

transmission of measuring signals. The SensoTrans R P 32300 offer maximum performance in the smallest of spaces. Adjusting the start and end value to the individual position sensor is particularly convenient via the infrared interface, for example using a PDA. Sensors with known characteristics can be very easily calibrated using four rotary encoder switches and eight DIP switches.

Special measuring tasks can be solved with SensoTrans devices which Knick configures according to individual specifications. Fixed-range devices without switch are used, for example, when manipulations or mix-ups must be precluded.

Knick offers the SensoTrans R P 32300 transmitter with SIL approval for applications with high demands on functional safety. The requirements of EN 61508 were implemented through specially developed hardware and software.

The implemented fail-safe concept makes use of structural measures at the device level (redundancy of system components) and diagnostic methods for selective fault detection. The product is SIL 2 approved (EN 61508) by an authorized body (TÜV Rheinland).

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#### **Operating Software**

The user-friendly, menu-guided Paraly SW 111 communication software runs on standard and pocket PCs and opens a number of further options such as input of customer-specific linearization curves, readout of the connection configuration, as well as the use of extensive diagnostic functions. Configuration, documentation and, if necessary, maintenance of entire plant components can be accomplished by "infrared remote control". Moreover, the output current or voltage can be specified independently of the input value using the simulation function - a useful feature for plant commissioning or revision.

#### The Housing

The modular housing – 6 mm slim – is stingy with enclosure space and allows for high component densities. DIN rail bus connectors inserted in the mounting rail facilitate the power supply connection if necessary.

IrDA is a registered trademark of the Infrared Data Association.









#### **Facts and Features**

- Universal usability
   with potentiometers, resistive
   sensors, potentiometric transmitters
   and similar sensors
- Convenient parameter setting via IrDA port – uncomplicated, menu-guided adjustment also "on site" including archiving of configuration data
- Intuitive configuration of basic parameters – easy, without tools, using 4 rotary and 8 DIP switches
- Calibrated range selection without complicated trimming
- Easy adjustment start and end points adjustable via IrDA port

Simulation

of any desired output values for correct installation/commissioning

- Protective separation
   according to EN 61140 protection
   of the maintenance staff and down stream devices against excessively
   high voltages up to 300 V AC/DC
- Functional safety
   up to SIL 2 (up to SIL 3 in the case of
   redundant configuration) with TÜV
   certificate systematically devel oped according to EN 61508
- High accuracy with innovative switching concept

- Minimum space requirement in the enclosure – only 6 mm wide modular housing – more transmitters per meter of mounting rail
- Low-cost assembly quick mounting, convenient connection of power supply via DIN rail bus connectors
- 5-year warranty



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DIN rail bus connector

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#### **Product Line** SensoTrans R P 32300, adjustable Order no. P 32300 P0 / 0 Functional safety (EN 61508) SIL 2 (up to SIL 3 in the case of redundant configuration) 1 Power supply 24 V DC via screw terminals 0 or DIN rail bus connector SensoTrans R P 32300, fixed setting Order no. P 32300 P0 / **Functional Safety** Without (EN 61508) 1 SIL 2 (up to SIL 3 in the case of redundant configuration) 0 Power supply 24 V DC via screw terminals or DIN rail bus connector Ρ Input / Sensor type Potentiometer R Resistor Start of range 4-digit number (0xxx % / xx.xx kohms) x x x xEnd of range X X X X4-digit number (0xxx % / xx.xx kohms) Output 0 ... 20 mA 4 ... 20 mA В 0 ... 10 V C 0 ... 5 V D Without Further customer-specific settings As specified n n n n Accessories Order no. Paraly SW 111 Communication software SW 111 ZU 0628 ZU 0628 Power supply bridging for two isolators, A 20XXX P0 or P 32XXX P0 DIN rail bus connector IsoPower A 20900 Power supply unit 24 V DC, 1 A A 20900 H4 ZU 0677 power terminal block For connecting the 24 V DC supply voltage **ZU 0677** to the ZU 0628 DIN rail bus connector

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Tapping of supply voltage (A 20900),

routing to ZU 0628 DIN rail bus connector

ZU 0678



### **Specifications**

ncl. line resistance	0 5 kohms or 5 100 kohms				
Connection	2-, 3- or 4-wire (automatic recognition), signaling via yellow LED				
Max. line resistance	100 ohms				
Supply current	- 200 μA, 400 μA or 0 500 μA				
ine monitoring	Open circuits				
nput error limits		$\pm$ (50 mohms + 0.05 % meas. val.) for spans > 15 ohms $\pm$ (1 ohm +0.2 % meas. val.) for spans > 50 ohms			
emperature coefficient t the input	< 50 ppm/K of adjusted end value (average TC within allowable operating temp range, reference temp 23 °C)				
Potentiometer, input data					
nput	200 ohms 50 kohms				
Connection	3- or 4-wire				
Supply current	0 5 mA				
ine monitoring	Short circuit or open circuit				
nput error limits	± (0.2 % full scale + 0.05 % meas.val.) for spans > 5 %				
Temperature coefficient at the input	< 50 ppm/K of adjusted end va (average TC within allowable o	alue operating temp range, reference temp 23 °C)			
Output data					
Outputs	0 20 mA, calibrated switching 4 20 mA, (default setting 4 20 mA) 0 5 V, 0 10 V				
Control range	0 approx. 102.5 % of span at 0 20 mA, 0 10 V or 0 5 V output –1.25 approx. 102.5 % of span at 4 20 mA output				
Resolution	16 bit				
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### **Specifications** (continued)

Characteristic	Rising / falling linearly; configurable characteristic curves using interpolation points (via IrDA por				
Measuring rate	Approx. 3/s *)				
Display					
Green LED	Power supply				
Yellow LED	Signaling of connection type, IrDA communication				
Red LED	Maintenance request/device failure				
Power supply					
Power supply	24 V DC (–20 %, +25 %), approx. 1.2 W  The power supply can be routed from one device to another via DIN rail bus connectors.				
Isolation					
Galvanic isolation	3-port isolation between input, output, and power supply				
Test voltage	2.5 kV AC, 50 Hz: power supply against input against output				
Working voltage basic insulation)	Up to 300 V AC/DC across all circuits with overvoltage category II and pollution degree 2 according to EN 61010-1.  For applications with high working voltages, take measures to prevent accidental contact and make sure that there is sufficient distance or insulation between adjacent devices.				
Protection against electric shock	Protective separation to EN 61140 by reinforced insulation according to EN 61010-1. Working voltage up to 300 V AC/DC across all circuits with overvoltage category II and pollution degree 2.  For applications with high working voltages, take measures to prevent accidental contact and make sure that there is sufficient distance or insulation between adjacent devices.				
Standards and approvals	CII 2 according to IFC (1500 CII 2 with module days confirmation				
Functional safety	SIL 2 according to IEC 61508, SIL 3 with redundant configuration				
EMC	Product family standard: EN 61326  Emitted interference: Class B  Immunity to interference <sup>1)</sup> : Industrial environment  EMC requirements for devices with safety related functions  IEC 61326-3: Draft				
cURus	File no. 220033 Standards: UL 508 and CAN/CSA 22.2 No. 14-95				
CTA approval	KTA3507 (special versions)				
RoHS conformity	According to directive 2011/65/EU				
nterfaces					
IrDA	Specification 1.1, slave device for bidirectional communication Paraly SW 111 communication software Free download at www.knick.de				

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### **Specifications** (continued)

Further data			
Ambient temperature	Operation: 0 +55 °C mounted without gaps		
	$0 \dots +65$ °C with gaps $\geq 6$ mm		
	Storage: −25 +85 °C		
Ambient conditions	Stationary, weather-protected operation		
	Relative humidity: 5 95 %, no condensation		
	Barometric pressure: 70 106 kPa		
	Water or wind-driven precipitation (rain, snow, hail, etc.) excluded		
Design	Modular housing with screw terminals, 6.2 mm wide		
	See dimension drawings for further measurements		
Tightening torque	0.6 Nm		
Ingress protection	Terminals IP 20, housing IP 40		
Mounting	For 35 mm DIN rail acc. to EN 60715		
Connection	Conductor cross sections		
	Single wire: 0.2 2.5 mm <sup>2</sup>		
	Stranded wire: 0.2 2.5 mm <sup>2</sup>		
	24-14 AWG		
Weight	Approx. 60 g		

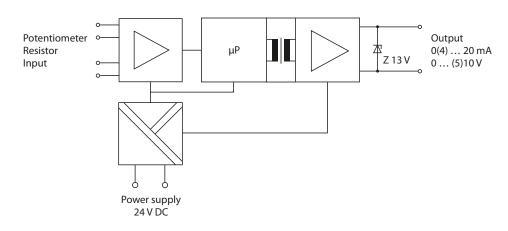
<sup>\*)</sup> For resistance measurements of 5  $\dots$  100 kohms: approx. 2/s <sup>1)</sup> Slight deviations are possible while there is interference

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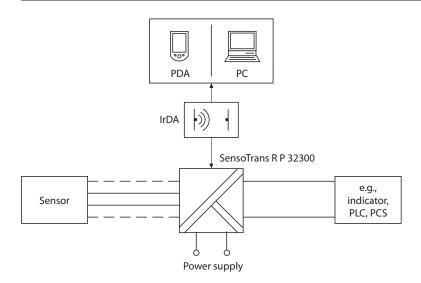
### **Block Diagram**



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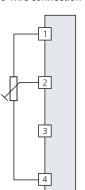


### **Typical Applications**

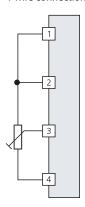


#### **Connection of Potentiometers**

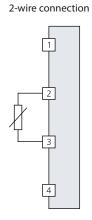
#### 3-wire connection



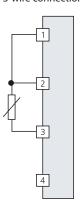
#### 4-wire connection



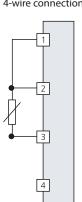
#### **Connection of Resistors**







4-wire connection

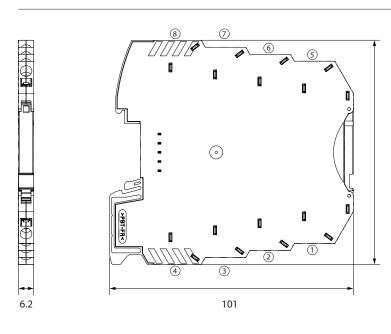


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### **Dimension Drawing and Terminal Assignments**



#### **Terminal assignments**

- 1 Input +
  2 Input +
  3 Input 4 Input 5 Output +
  6 Output 7 Power supply
- 7 Power supply + 8 Power supply -

 $\begin{array}{lll} \text{Conductor cross-sections:} \\ \text{single wire} & 0.2 \dots 2.5 \text{ mm}^2 \\ \text{stranded wire} & 0.2 \dots 2.5 \text{ mm}^2 \\ 24\text{-}14 \text{ AWG} \\ \end{array}$ 

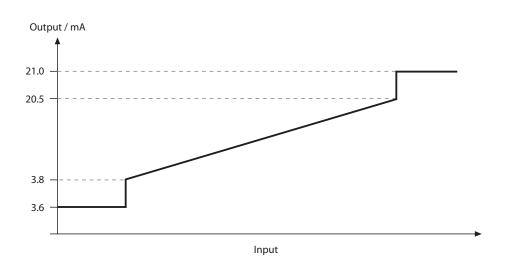
All dimensions in mm

### **Error Signaling**

No.	Error	Signal configuration <sup>1)</sup>		Output	Output			
		With SIL function	Without SIL function	4 20 [mA]	0 20 [mA]	0 5 [V]	0 10 [V]	
0	None	Not self-locking	Not self-locking	-	-	-	-	
1	Underrange	Not self-locking	Not self-locking	3.6	0	0	0	
2	Overrange	Not self-locking	Not self-locking	21	21	5.25	10.5	
3	Sensor short circuit	Self-locking	Not self-locking	21	21	5.25	10.5	
1	Sensor open	Self-locking	Not self-locking	21	21	5.25	10.5	
5	Resistance error <sup>2)</sup>	Self-locking	Not self-locking	21	21	5.25	10.5	
5	Output load error <sup>3)</sup>	Not self-locking	Not self-locking	3.6	0	0	0	
7	Identification of connection	Self-locking	Not self-locking	21	21	5.25	10.5	
3	Switch misadjusted	Self-locking	Not self-locking	21	21	5.25	10.5	
9	Adjustment error	Self-locking	Not self-locking	21	21	5.25	10.5	
10	Device error (subordinated error number differentiated via IrDA port)	Self-locking	Self-locking	3.6	0	0	0	

<sup>1)</sup> With the "self-locking" configuration, the error signal is maintained after termination of the error cause. The error message can be reset through a restart (power supply on/off or via IrDA port).
2) With potentiometers only

### Response of the Output Current (4 ... 20 mA) to Out-of-Range Conditions



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<sup>3)</sup> With SIL models P 32200 P0/1x only