

# **RDU 1000 - Remote Display Unit Installation Manual**



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# Wireless Submetering & Water Leak Detection Systems

Dear Valued Customer,

We are pleased that you chose to buy one of our products, and want you to be just as pleased with owning it. Before installing your new H2O Degree product, please read the information on the following pages carefully.

We believe that you will find the H2O Degree product easy to install and to use for submetering, water flood & leak detection and utility management.

To be sure that you are 100% satisfied with your products, we provide technical and sales support Monday through Friday, 8:00 am to 4:30 pm, EST: (215) 788-8485. You may also reach us via e-mail at info@h2odegree.com.

If you have questions, we can handle them quickly and effectively with a telephone call. Please let us try to help you BEFORE you remove your product. And to help us help you, we ask that you have all relevant information on hand when you call (model or part numbers, nature of difficulty, etc.)

Be sure to forward this manual to the owner after installation is complete, so that they may use it as a reference guide when using their H2O Degree product.

#### Overview

The H2O Degree RDU1000 units are remote displays that count pulses which are output from an electronic meter register and totalized on the unit's LCD screen.

There are three versions of the H2O Degree RDU1000:

RDU1000C - Cold water meter remote display

RDU1000HC - Dual display for both hot and cold water meters

RDU1000G - Gas meter remote display

In order for the H2O Degree RDU1000 unit to function with either a pulse register or pulse switch for an optimal use of the equipment, the installation and programming procedures outlined in this manual MUST be followed.

#### **Required Materials**

The following materials are required for the installation/programming of the H2O Degree RDU1000:

- Phillips screwdriver
- RDU1000 unit (to be installed)
- Wire Strippers
- Two (2) mounting screws

### Wiring the RDU1000

To wire the RDU1000 unit, first remove the rear cover by removing the four (4) case screws located at each corner:



This exposes the back of the circuit board, where all connections will be made. Also at this time, the rear of the casing can be mounted to the surface where the unit will be located via the two screw holes on the top left and bottom right of the casing.

#### Wiring the RDU1000

To make the connections, please reference the register and AMR (optional) manufacturer's instructions on the input/output of the device. The two three-wire connections that will be made shortly include the pulse wire, the tamper wire (optional), and the common return for the register (the ground), and if an AMR system will be used in conjunction with the H2O Degree RDU1000, the AMR clock in, AMR data or pulse out, and the AMR common (ground).

If you are using a Pulse Switch device obtained through H2O Degree, the configuration for the Pulse Switch are as follows:

GREEN: Pulse WireRED: Tamper Wire

• BLACK: Common (Ground)

Please reference this diagram explaining the connections to the terminals in the RDU1000 unit.

Terminal Block starting from the left:

IN: Signal

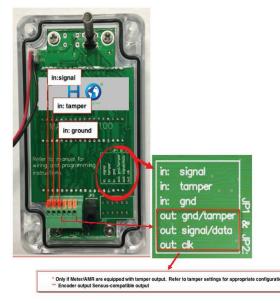
IN: Ground - These are used for the pulse inputs from the meter

**OUT:** Ground

OUT: Signal - These are used for the pulse output from the RDU to our

radio L/M54230

\* Polarity sensitive from the RDU to the radio L/M54230. Follow terminal designations for signal and ground.



## **RDU1000 Programming**

H2O Degree RDU1000 units are shipped pre-programmed from the factory
based on your ordering specifications. For programming questions contact
factory at (215) 788-8485.

#### Menu Display Reference Guide

The following are the menus as displayed on the H2O Degree RDU1000 as well as a brief explanation as to the function. To scroll up and down through the menus, press up and down.









#### **READING**

This is where the current reading on the meter register is entered. The unit will count from this point. To input the reading, press Enter, then up and down to change the values of the blinking digit. Press Enter to move to the next digit and return to the main menu.

#### **OUT TYPE**

Depending on the AMR system installed, if any, this will be selected in this menu. The options are none, encoder or pulse.

#### **ID NUM**

This is where the unique ID number used with the AMR system is entered. This is the number transmitted as the ID when "encoder" output is selected. To input the ID, press **Enter**, then **up** and **down** to change the values of the blinking digit. Press **Enter** to move to the next digit and return to the main menu.

#### **TAMPER**

If enabled and properly wired, this menu will allow you to set the tamper detection. The options are both, case, cable or all off. When the tamper wire is installed via the input from the meter register, and the tamper detection is set to on, an "X" will be displayed on the left of the LCD if the wire is cut or case is opened.

#### Menu Display Reference Guide



#### K FACTOR

The "K Factor" is the value of each pulse per whichever measurement in which the unit will be displayed on the LCD. Please refer to the meter register manufacturer's documentation on this value. However, if you are using a Pulse Switch device obtained through H2O Degree, the value will be .5, or .5 times the amount you would like displayed on the LCD unless otherwise stated. This means that for every sweep of the needle in the meter register, there will be two pulses generated. Pay close attention to the decimal point when entering this value.

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The following exclusions apply:

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