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## Model TAT420



NOTE: The LCD and Switch Option are no longer available.

## User Manual



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<sup>1</sup>In order to insure the proper calibration, all custom-length cables for air probes with temperature sensors must be ordered at the time the transmitter is purchased; or the unit must be returned for calibration.

<sup>2</sup>The maximum length for probe cables is 150 ft.; please consult manufacturer if longer cable is required.

<sup>3</sup>Cable grips will seal on round cables from 2.5 to 6.5mm diameter. For wire bundles, if you wish to insure water tightness, use RTV silicon or other sealant safe for electronics at end of cable grip.

### Notes:



## APPENDIX A – No Longer Available

### APPENDIX B – Collecting data by means of resident “Hyper-Terminal” program on Win 95, 98, NT4, and Win 2000 PC’s

#### A. Set up Communication Port.

- 1) Find and open “HyperTerminal” under “Accessories” and “Communications”
- 2) Type a name like “Air Transmitter” and select an icon, then click “OK”
- 3) In the “Connect using:” box, select a COM port - probably “COM 1”. Click “OK”

#### B. Set up “COM 1 Properties”

- 1) Set “Bits per second:” to “1200”
- 2) Set “Data bits:” to “8”
- 3) Set “Parity:” to “None”
- 4) Set “Stop bits:” to “1”
- 5) Set “Flow control:” to “None”
- 6) Click “OK”, then select “Save”

#### C. Connect cable and transfer data

- 1) Connect the RS-232 cable to “COM 1” port
- 2) Power up transmitter
- 3) Select “Call” from “Call” menu. Data will fill window
- 4) To stop, select “Disconnect” from “Call” menu
- 5) To save data, select “Save As...” and give file a name

#### D. To transfer to Excel

- 1) Select data file from C5 above and open with “Notepad”
- 2) Select data to be transferred and “Copy”
- 3) Open a new blank Excel worksheet, select “Paste”
- 4) Select entire Column “A”. Under “Data” menu, select “Text to columns...” and click “Next”
- 5) Follow directions to separate data, then click “Finish”



## INTRODUCTION

The AT400 and TAT420 air velocity transmitters supply accurate air velocity and (TAT420) temperature data from a building or process airflow on a continuous basis to a computer, chart recorder, printer, and meter or control circuit.

The THT500 provides accurate humidity and temperature data.

Every instrument has terminals for both DC and AC power, and 0-1V, 0-5V and 4-20mA outputs. The outputs are concurrent and can accept multiple wires (depending on the gauge used).

The heavy, all metal (except for the electronics pod) air probes can be used for airstreams that have a wide range of humidity, temperature and contaminants without compromising accuracy.

## SPECIFICATIONS

### Sensors:

Air Velocity sensor: Metal rotating vane 1" or 2 3/4"  
Temperature (TAT420): PT100 RTD

### Range:

Air Velocity: 1" Probe: 300-6890 FPM (1.5-35 MPS)  
2 3/4" Probe: 50-7800 FPM (0.2-40 MPS)  
Temperature (TAT420): -4° to 176°F (-20° to 80°C)

### Accuracy:

Air Velocity:  
2 3/4" Probe: ±1%+1 digit  
1" Probe: ±0.5% full scale +0.75% reading + 1 digit

Temperature (TAT420): ±0.5°C

### Resolution (optional display):

Air Velocity: 1 FPM or 0.01 MPS  
Temperature (TAT420): 0.1°F or °C

### Response Time:

Air Velocity: 2 second average and update  
Temperature (TAT420): Approximately 60 seconds

### Analog Outputs (separate and concurrent):

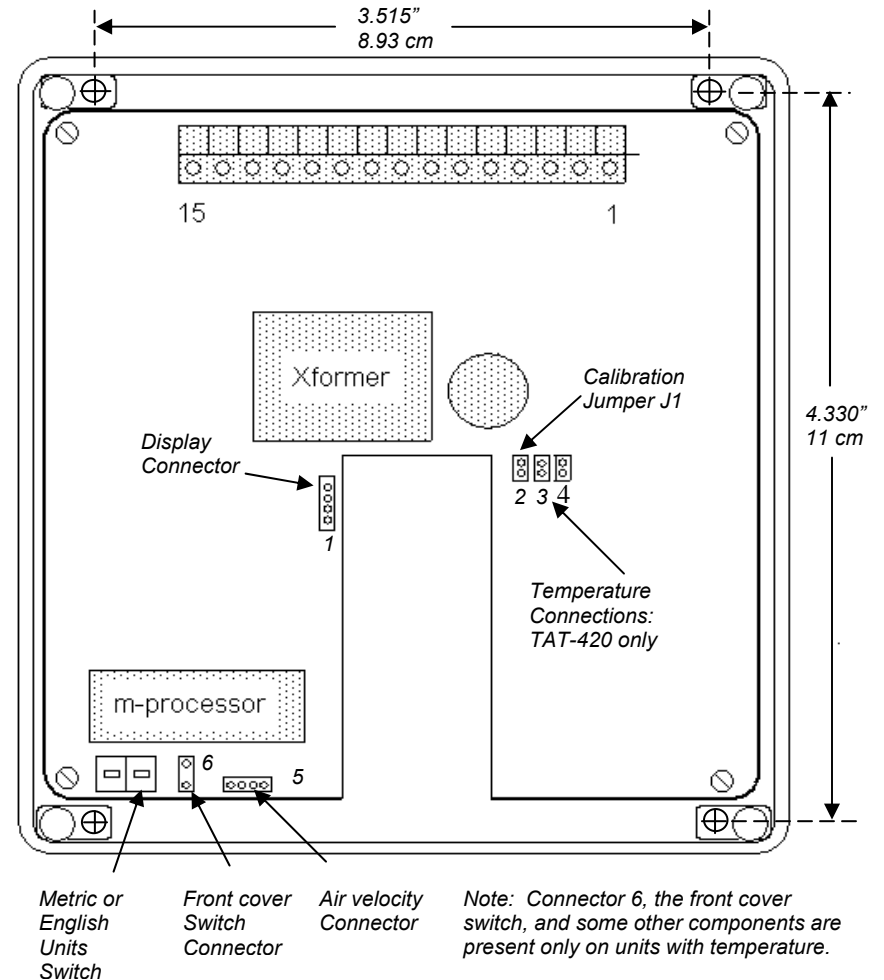
Air Velocity:  
0-1V, 0-5V and 4-20mA represent 0-6800FPM (0-35MPS) for the 1" probe and 0-7800FPM (0-40MPS) for the 2 3/4" probe

Temperature (TAT420):  
0-1V, 0-5V and 4-20mA represent -4 to 176°F (-20° to 80°C)

**Operating Range:** -4° to 176°F (transmitter)  
-22° to 212°F (probe heads)

**Power Supplies:** 120 or 220VAC, 50-60Hz, also 10-30VDC

## Diagram 1: Location and Polarity of Connectors and Switches.





## REPLACING COVER

Use care not to damage the seal; if the cover has a display, use proper polarity when reinstalling connectors (see Diagram 1).

## DISPLAY SWITCH

Shown on the diagram but no longer available

\*NOTE: Be sure to tighten screws above slots when finished.



## Input Current (with all options):

10-30VDC:	AT400: 22mA, TAT420: 43mA
110VAC:	AT400: 19mA, TAT420: 21mA
220VAC:	AT400: 10mA, TAT420: 11mA

## Output Impedance (0-1V and 0-5V outputs):

1K $\Omega$

## Enclosure:

ABS plastic, NEMA Class 4

## Dimensions:

Housing:	4.8" x 4.8" x 2.2"
Probe:	1" or 2 3/4" diameters

## Weight:

18 ounces

## Options:

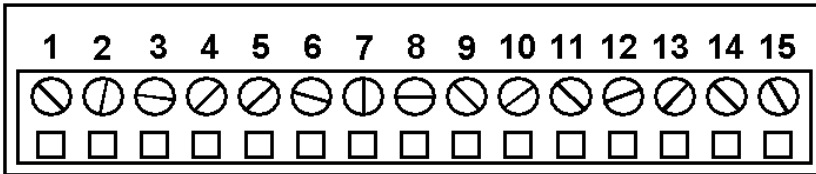
Custom cable lengths: For probe cables<sup>1,2</sup>

## INSTALLATION AND SETUP FOR AT400, TAT420

**Note: Make all connections with Power Off. Remove cover to attach Transmitter to mounting area and to attach power and signal cables. Attach in location free of physical dangers such as excessive heat or continuous condensing moisture.<sup>3</sup>**

**Note: On the AT400, terminals 1-3 may not be installed. Terminals 13-15 are not installed on any transmitter.**

### TERMINAL CONNECTIONS



- |                          |          |                   |
|--------------------------|----------|-------------------|
| 1. 4-20 mA temp          | } TAT420 | 9. 220 VAC        |
| 2. 0-1 Volt temp         |          | 10. 110 VAC       |
| 3. 0-5 Volt temp         |          | 11. 220/110 VAC   |
| 4. 4-20 mA air velocity  |          | 12. No Connection |
| 5. 0-5 Volt air velocity |          | 13. No Connection |
| 6. 0-1 Volt air velocity |          | 14. No Connection |
| 7. Ground                |          | 15. No Connection |
| 8. V+ (10-30 VDC)        |          |                   |

## POWER HOOKUP\*

- 1a) 110VAC power: hook white (neutral) wire into slot 10. Then hook black (hot) wire into slot 11.
- 1b) 220VAC power: hook either hot wire into slot 11. Then hook the other hot wire into slot 9.
- 1c) 10-30VDC: first hook ground wire into slot 7. Then hook V+ wire into slot 8.

## AIR VELOCITY OUTPUT\*

- 2a) 0-1V F/S output: hook output ground reference to slot 7. Then hook the air velocity output wire to slot 6.
- 2b) 0-5V F/S output: hook output ground reference to slot 7. Then hook the air velocity output wire to slot 5.
- 2c) 4-20mA F/S output: hook output ground reference to slot 7. Then hook the air velocity wire to slot 4.

## TEMPERATURE OUTPUT (TAT420)\*

- 3a) 0-1V F/S output: hook output ground reference to slot 7. Then hook temperature output wire to slot 3.
- 3b) 0-5V F/S output: hook output ground reference to slot 7. Then hook temperature output wire to slot 2.
- 3c) 4-20mA F/S output: hook output ground reference to slot 7. Then hook temperature output wire to slot 1.

## MOUNTING THE PROBE

Mount the probe in the air stream to be measured. A common 3/8" by 16-tpi threaded rod or bolt can be used to mount the probe to a fixture. Connect the air probe to the TAT420 unit via the connector on the top of the case.

## METRIC OR ENGLISH UNITS

Shown on the diagram but no longer available