

# RKL-01 Submersible Liquid Level Transmitter User Manual



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# **User Notice**

Please read this manual carefully before use to ensure safe and optimal operation. Retain this manual for future reference.

## **Pre-Use Instructions**

 Carefully review this manual and follow all operational and safety guidelines to prevent malfunctions and hazards.

# **Unpacking Inspection**

- Upon receipt, carefully inspect the sensor device and accessories for any shipping damage.
- If damage is detected:
- Immediately notify the manufacturer and distributor.
- Retain all packaging materials for return or replacement processing.

## **Parts List**

Item	Quantity	Remarks
RKL-01	1	
Cable	1	The length depends on the order



## 1. Product Introduction

RKL-01 Submersible Liquid Level Transmitter features a stainless steel isolation diaphragm and utilizes diffusion silicon pressure sensor element, the pressure core body adopts the process of laser trimming resistor for a wide temperature range of zero and sensitivity temperature compensation. Special cable for air-venting conduit and waterproof technology ensures water tightness and ventilation between inside and outside, ensuring long-term measurement stability and accuracy.

## 2. Product Features

- High accuracy, high sensitivity
- Fast response
- Good stability
- Long service life
- Strong resistance to interference
- Anti-corrosion material optional
- Low temperature drift
- Wide temperature range compensation



# 3. Specifications

Item	Technical Specification						
Product Diameter	Ф27mm default	Ф19 mm	Ф16 mm	Ф13 mm			
	0~0.5m500mH₂O	0~5m300mH <sub>2</sub> O	0~0.5m200mH <sub>2</sub> O	0~3m300mH <sub>2</sub> O			
Range	Or	Or	Or	Or			
	0∼5KPa…5MPa	0~50KPa3MPa	0∼5KPa…2MPa	0~30KPa3MPa			
Temperature Coefficient of Zero	± 0.015%FS	/°C@25°C	2%FS (Max)	± 0.015%FS /°C@25°C			
Temperature Coefficient of Span	± 0.02%FS/	/°C@25°C	2%FS (Max)	± 0.02%FS /°C@25°C			
Supply Voltage		10-30VDC	, 24V typ.				
Output		4-20 mA ,0-5V	,0-10V, RS485				
Overload Pressure		1 .5	* FS				
Measuring Medium	The liqu	uid(not sticky) compa	tible with 316 stainless	steel			
Total Accuracy		0.1% FS , 0.25%FS	, 0.5%FS (standard)				
Long-term Stability		0.1% FS/year typ . , 0.2% FS/year max					
Ingress Protection		IP	68				
Operating		-20°C~	+85°C				
Temperature		-20 0**	103 C				
Compensating		-10°C~ 70°C , -40°C	С~ 70°С ( Ф27mm)				
Temperature		·					
Main Material			304SS (316L is optiona	•			
Cable	_	•	pressure compensation e is greater than or equi le is required.				
Cable Weight	PUR cal	ole: 0.056kg/ m , PUF	R reinforced cable: 0.06	6kg/ m			
Power	Current	output:( U*0 .02 )W,	Voltage output:(U*0 .00	08)W,			
Consumption		Digital output:	( U*0 .015)W				
Load Capacity	Currer	nt output:≤(U-10)/0.02	2Ω , Voltage output:≥20	) kΩ			
Insulation		100MO@	250\/DC				
Resistance		100MΩ@ 250VDC					
Response Time	1 ms						
Pressure	Screw thread , throw-in type						
Connection		co.ov unoda , unov in typo					
Weight (Probe Unpacked)	Probe 27mm: 0.3 kg,Probe 19 mm,16 mm,13 mm,Weight: 0.2kg						
Storage Condition	-40°C-75°C (Dry soundings)						



# 4. Electrical Connections

Connector(Cable)	RS485	Current/Voltage
Red	V+	V+
Black/Green	V-	Signal+
Yellow	RS485A	
Blue	RS485B	

# 5. Output Types & Formulas

Current Type	H=(I-4)/(20-4)*Scale range
Voltage Type	H=U/(full scale voltage-zero point voltage)*Scale range

H: Water level in m;

U: Transmitter output voltage in V;

I: Transmitter output current in mA.

## 6. Product Dimensions

Unit:mm

The following pictures show product size diagrams with different diameters.

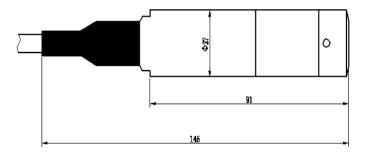


Figure 6.1 Φ27mm Diameter

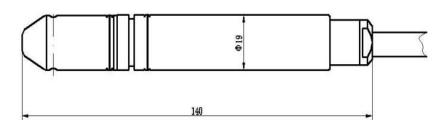


Figure 6.2 Φ19mm Diameter



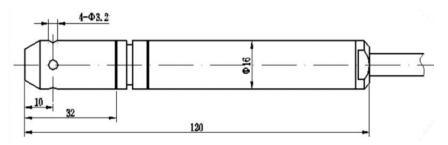


Figure 6.3 Φ16mm Diameter

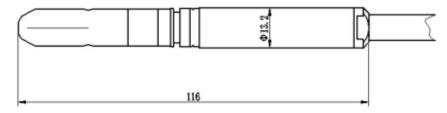


Figure 6.4 Φ13mm Diameter

# Fixed Bracket(Optional)

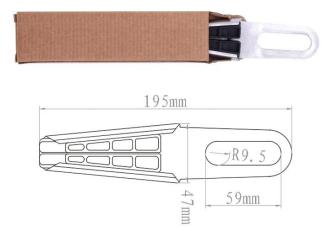


Figure 6.5 Bracket size

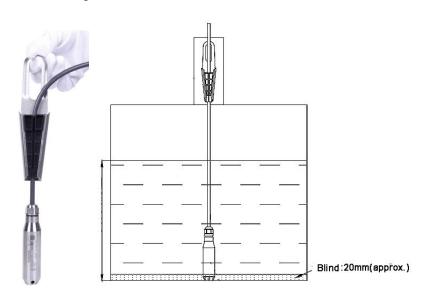


Figure 6.6 Example diagram of bracket

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# 7. Communication Protocol (MODBUS-RTU)

Parameter	Value		
Data Bits	8 bits		
Check Bit	None		
Stop Bit	1 bit		
Baud Rate	9600 bps		
Slave Address	0x01 (Factory Default)		

## 7.1 Read Real-Time Data

Client sends:

01 03 00 03 00 02 340B

Return:

01 03 04 00 02 01 B4 5A14

# 7.1.1 Description of Return Data Format

No.	Conception	Byte Number	Description	Remarks
1	Address block	1	Address(0x01)	0x01
2	Function code	1	Only read(0x03)	0x03
3	Number of bytes	2	0X04	4bytes
4	Data block	2	Coefficient/Resolution	0x0002(0.01)
5	Data block	2	Level value	0x01B4(4.36m)
6	Check block	2		0x5A 0x14

# 7.2 Modify Slave Address

# Step 1:

Client sends:(Change slave address from 01H to 02H.)

Slave id	Function code	Address_H	Address_L	New id_H	New id_L	CRC_L	CRC_H
0x01	0x06	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x02	0x08	0x0B

# Response:

Slave id	Function code	Address_H	Address_L	New id_H	New id_L	CRC_L	CRC_H
0x01	0x06	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x02	0x08	0x0B



# Step 2:

Client sends:(Save the new address.)

Slave id	Function code	Address_H	Address_L	Da	ıta	CRC_L	CRC_H
0x02	0x06	0x00	0x0F	0x00	0x00	0XB9	0xFA

# Response:

Slave id	Function code	Address_H	Address_L	Da	ıta	CRC_L	CRC_H
0x02	0x06	0x00	0x0F	0x00	0x00	0XB9	0xFA

# 7.3 Register Description

Register name	Function code	Register address	Data type	Data length (Byte)	R/W	Remark
Coefficient	0x03	0x0003	Int16	2	R	0-1 1-0.1 2-0.01 3-0.001
Liquid level	0x03	0x0004	Int16	2	R	m
Modify sensor address	0x06	0x0000	Int16	1	W	1-255
Baud rate	0x06	0x0001	Int16	1	W	0-1200 1-2400 2-4800 3-9600 4-19200 5-38400 6-57600 7-115200



## 8. Installation Guidelines

## 8.1 Static Water

As shown in figure 8.1, when the sensor is installed in static water such as in poos, water towers, probe is immersed into the bottom and should be as far as possible away from the pump or valves. The terminal box should keep above water surface and prevent water penetrating into cables. Please make sure the airway not be blocked.

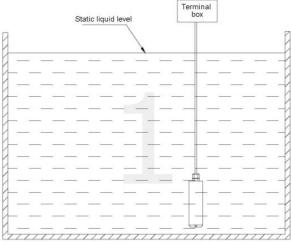


Figure 8.1.1

## 8.2 Dynamic Water

As shown in picture 2,when installing the sensor in dynamic water environment, such as dams and rivers, insert the probe into a steel pipe(inner dia is around 45 mm), with multiple holes drilled at varying heights on the pipe side wall facing away form the water flow direction. The terminal box should keep above water surface and prevent water penetrating into cables. Please make sure the airway not be blocked.

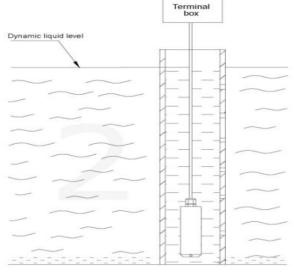


Figure 8.2.1



## 9. Precautions

## **Package and Model Verification**

 Ensure the packaging is intact and verify the sensor model and specifications match your purchased product.

## **Powered Wiring Prohibition**

Do not connect wires while powered. Only energize the sensor after confirming correct wiring.

## **Component Modification Restriction**

Do not alter factory-soldered components or pre-connected wires.

#### **Precautions for Use**

- The blind spot of the sensor is 2cm.
- When using the sensor, the bottom filter cap does not need to be removed.
- Do not block the white dust plug at the sensor output end to avoid data errors.

# **Precision Handling Requirement**

The sensor is a precision device. Avoid:

- Unauthorized disassembly.
- Structural components are strictly prohibited from being compressed under stress.

Note: Unauthorized modifications void the warranty.

## 10. Troubleshooting

## Incorrect Output Signals (Analog/RS232/RS485):

- Verify wiring correctness and secure connections.
- Check if the serial port is occupied or malfunctioning.
- Confirm serial port settings (baud rate, data/stop bits) match device requirements.

#### Persistent Issues:

Contact the manufacturer if the above steps fail to resolve the problem.



## 11. Product Maintenance

## **Maintenance and Safety**

- Regularly clean and inspect the sensor to maintain performance.
- Do not expose the sensor to extreme temperatures, moisture, or corrosive substances unless explicitly specified.
- Unauthorized disassembly, modification, or repairs may void the warranty and lead to malfunctions.
- If the filter cap is blocked and needs to be disassembled for cleaning, please do not touch the bottom membrane and be careful not to bump the membrane with hard objects to avoid sensor data deviation.

## **Troubleshooting Protocol**

- In case of malfunction, refer to the troubleshooting section of this manual.
- Do not attempt unauthorized disassembly or repairs.
- Contact the manufacturer's after-sales department directly for technical support.

## 12. Warranty Terms

This product comes with a one-year warranty, starting from the date of delivery. Within twelve months, the Company shall be responsible for free repair or replacement of any failure caused by sensor quality issues (non-human damage). Fees will be charged for repairs or replacements after the warranty period expires.

Complies with applicable CE directives.

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