Monnit Industrial Wireless Pulse Counter - 1 Input

Technical Overview

General Description

The industrial wireless pulse counter can be connected to the pulse output of a system (water meter, power meter, etc.) to count the number of actuations within a given time frame.

Features

- Counts the number of pulses in given time frame, or aggregates pulses in an ongoing accumulation.
- 3 filter settings: No filter, 4 Hz filter, and 40 Hz filter.
- Capable of counting passive (open/closed switch) and active (Up to +15 VDC) pulses.
- Capable of counting the positive edge, negative edge, or both edges of a pulse.
- Free iMonnit basic online monitoring system to configure sensors, view data and set alerts via text and email.

Principle of Operation

The Monnit wireless filtered pulse counter is an electronic counter capable of counting passive(open/closed switch) or active (Up to +15 VDC) pulses. The counter includes 3 software configurable low pass filter settings (No filter, 40 Hz filter, or 4 Hz filter). The pulse counter filters pulses with pulse widths greater than those designated in the technical specifcations. For example, if the 4Hz filter is set, the pulse counter will count a pulse if the pulse width is longer than 250 ms, if the pulse width is shorter than 250 ms it will be completely or partially filtered (See the Technical Specification table for detailed filtering information). The sensor can be set to send an alert through the iMonnit Online Sensor Monitoring and Notification System when a given number of pulses have been reached within a set time frame. Alerts from the iMonnit system are sent as they happen (in real time) via SMS text or email.

Solar Power Option

Monnit Industrial Sensors are powered by a replaceable 3.6 V battery (included). An optional solar powered version is also available. The solar powered sensor uses a Lithium Iron Phosphate rechargeable battery in conjunction with a solar power cell, extending the life of the battery.



Monnit Industrial Sensor Electronics Specifications

- Power: replaceable 3.6V battery (included)
- Communication: RF 900, 920, 868 and 433 MHz
- Dimensions: 3.7" x 2.23" x 1.38"
- Antenna: 3dBi RP SMA antenna
- Operating Temperature: -40° to 85°C (-40° to 185°F)
- Transmission Range: 300 350 ft. non-line-of-sight*
- Battery Life: at 1 hour heartbeat setting, battery will last ~ 4-5 years.**
- * Actual range may vary depending on environment.
- ** Battery life is determined by sensor reporting frequency and other variables.



Applications

- Water, gas and air flow meters.
- Door access counter.
- Turn style counting.
- Forklift seat switches.
- Button or switch integration.
- Production line tracking.

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Technical Specifications			
Supply Voltage	2.0 - 3.6 VDC *		
Current Consumption	 0.7 μA (sleep mode) 2 mA (radio idle/off mode) 2 mA (measurement mode) 25 mA (radio RX mode) 35 mA (radio TX mode) 		
Operating Temperature Range (Board Circuitry and Coin Cell)	-7°C to +60°C (20°F to +140°F)**		
Optimal Battery Temperature Range (Coin Cell)	+10°C to +50°C (+50°F to +122°F)		
Enclosure Rating	NEMA 1, 2, 4, 4x, 12 and 13 rated, sealed and weather proof		
Certifications: 900 MHz product; FCC ID: ZTL- RFSC1 and IC: 9794A-RFSC1. 920 MHz product; ARIB STD-T108 R210-103733. 868 and 433 MHz product tested and found to comply with: CISPR 22:2008-09 / EN 55022:2010 - Class B and ETSI EN 300 220-2 V2.4.1 (2012-05).			
Pulse Counter Specifications			

Maximum Count	4294967296 (32 bit number)		
Input Voltage	0 to 15 Volts DC		
Detection Wires	High Impedance (2-Wire), 3 ft. length		
Counter Operation	Positive and / or Negative Edge Pulses		
Compatibility	Open Collector NPN Switches (Passive) Mechanical Switches (Passive) 0-15V Driven Source (Active)***		
Max Input Pulse Rate / Min Pulse Width with Passive Input****		Max Pulse Rate	Min Pulse Width*****
	No Filter	~ 2 KHz	~ 0.5 ms
	4 Hz Filter	~ 4 Hz	~ 250 ms
	40 Hz Filter	~ 40 Hz	~ 25 ms

* Hardware can not withstand negative voltage. Take care when connecting a power device.

** At temperatures above 100°C, it is possible for the board circuitry to lose programmed memory.

*** Low Pulse: 0 Volts to .2 * VBatt, H igh Pulse: .8 * VBatt to 15 Volts.

**** High pulse count rates can impact battery life. AA battery powered sensors are recommended if counting pulses faster than 1x per second.

***** Input pulse rate must be less than specified Max Pulse Rate and input pulse width must be greater than specified Min Pulse Width to ensure the input pulse is counted.

Type 1, 2, 4, 4X, 12 and 13 NEMA Rated Enclosure:

Monnit's Industrial sensors are enclosed in reliable, weatherproof NEMA rated enclosures. Our NEMA rated enclosures are constructed for both indoor or outdoor use and protect the sensor circuitry against the ingress of solid foreign objects like dust as well as the damaging effects of water (rain, sleet, snow, splashing water, and hose directed water).

- Safe from falling dirt.
- · Protects against wind blown dust.
- · Protects against rain, sleet, snow, splashing water, and hose directed water
- · Increased level of corrosion resistance
- · Will remain undamaged by ice formation on the enclosure



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