

# **Process Solutions Automation Control PSC6194 Controller Readout and Control System User Guide**

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## **Product Overview**

To control the liquid and gas supply flows, Process Solutions Corp. offers a custom engineered solution consisting of a 4.3" color touchscreen PLC readout and control system. The touchscreen enables the user to easily view or change functions. The PSC6194 controller serves as a power supply unit, for up to two meters and two controllers, and comes equipped with Analog IOs and Modbus interface. The controller also provides data logging of instrument data.

## **Display**



The controller consists of the following:

- 1. 4.3" color touchscreen PLC
- 2. Flow Controller Remote control analog IO connection (Ch. 1 & 2)
- 3. Flow Meter Remote control analog IO connection (Ch. 3 & 4)
- 4. RS-485/Power (+) -communicates and powers meters/controllers via Modbus
- 5. Ethernet Lan1
  - Program PLC
  - · Additional communication port
- 6. Power Port -
  - 120 Vac wall plug connection
  - Plug must be disconnected to Power Off

#### **Connections**

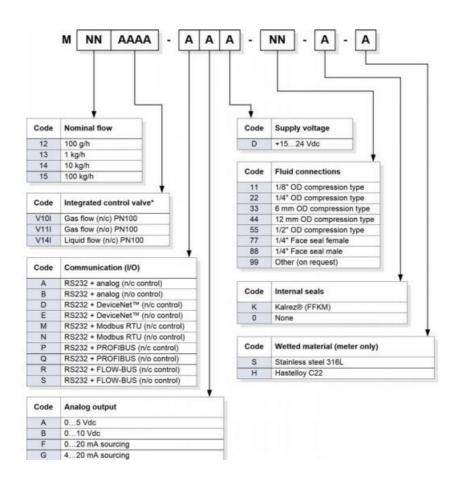


## **Powering Up**



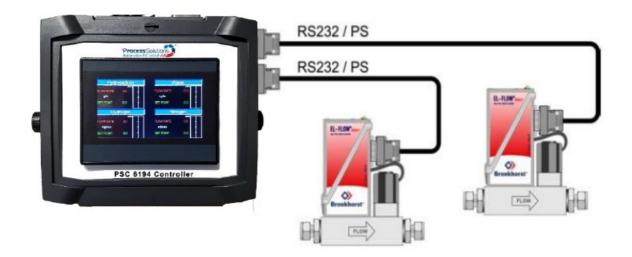
### **Model Key**

The model key on the product label contains information about the technical properties of the instrument as ordered. The specific properties can be retrieved with the diagram below (Mini-Cori controller example). Refer to the Communication (I/O) to determine if the Broncho's instrument is equipped with Modbus communication.



#### **Analog Setup**

Connecting Bronkhorst flow instruments to PSC controller via RS232, Channel 1 - 4. Bronkhorst instruments must be configured in Analog Mode to communicate via RS232.



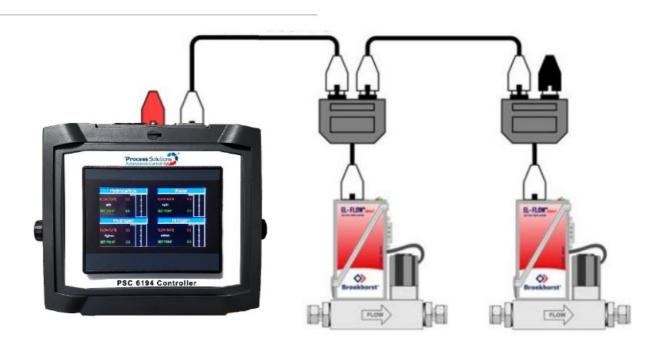
## **Modbus Setup**

Connecting Bronkhorst flow instruments to PSC controller via RS485/Power. Bronkhorst instruments must be configured in Modbus Mode to communicate.

## **Communication settings are:**

Baud rate: 38400 Parity: Even

Data Bit: 8 Stop Bit: 1 MFC#1: Address 1 MFC#2: Address 2 MFM#1: Address 3 MFM#2: Address 4



## **Configure Control Mode**

To change Bronkhorst instrument from Analog to Modbus, or vice versa, the control mode must be configured via

(https://www.bronkhorst.com/en-us/products-en/accessories-and-software/flowware/flowdde/).

#### **Connecting to FlowDDE**

In the messages section the general procedure to start serving client applications with the FlowDDE server is described in four steps:

- 1. Connect an instrument to a COM port of the PC
- 2. Set the communication settings
- 3. Start the communication
  - · Press F3 or
  - Communication tab > Open Communication
- 4. Wait until FlowDDE is ready
  - Message: "Server is active and ready for any client"

If further instruction is needed, please refer to the FlowDDE Manual found in the link above.

#### **Analog to Modbus Configuration**

After opening communication, use the following steps to change the Control Mode from Analog operation to Modbus operation:

- 1. FLOW-BUS tab > Test Flow-BUS and DDE
  - Or Press F6
- 2. Select the following parameters to view simultaneously
  - Parameter 7 InitReset
  - Parameter 12 IO Status
- 3. Set parameter InitReset to 64 (unlocked)
- 4. Read parameter IO Status
- 5. Subtract 64 from the read value
  - New Parameter Value: 15 or 11
- 6. Write the new value to parameter IO Status
- 7. Set parameter InitReset to 82 (locked)
- 8. Restart Bronkhorst instrument
  - InitReset must be unlocked/locked for the new Control Mode to remain after the instrument is restarted

#### **Modbus to Analog Configuration**

After opening communication, use the following steps to change the Control Mode from Modbus operation to Analog operation:

- 1. FLOW-BUS tab > Test Flow-BUS and DDE
  - Or Press F6
- 2. Select the following parameters to view simultaneously
  - Parameter 7 InitReset
  - Parameter 12 IO Status
- 3. Set parameter InitReset to 64 (unlocked)
- 4. Read parameter IO Status

- 5. Add 64 from the read value
  - New Parameter Value: 79
- 6. Write the new value to parameter IO Status
- 7. Set parameter InitReset to 82 (locked)
- 8. Restart Bronkhorst instrument
  - · InitReset must be unlocked/locked for the new Control Mode to remain after the instrument is restarted

## **Basic Operation**



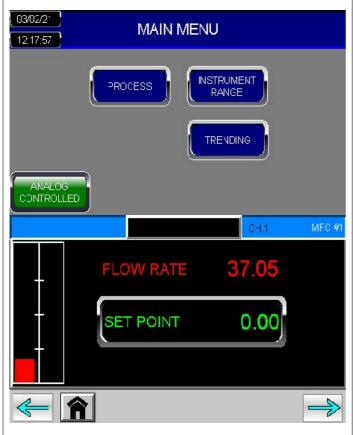
#### Main Menu

The display consists of the following readout areas:

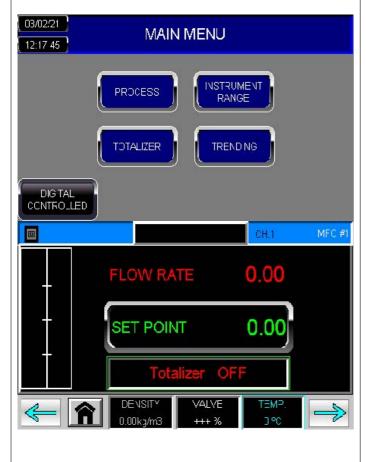
- 1. Process readouts and set points Bronkhorst meter/controllers
- 2. Instrument Range set full range according to instrument
- 3. Trending Flow vs. Time plots for each instrument
- 4. Communication Mode Analog Controlled or Digital Controlled
- 5. Date and Time Settings
- 6. Totalizer\* Only available via Modbus (Digital Controlled) and Coriolis Instrument

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| User Interface    |  |  |  |

### **Analog Controlled**



## **Digital Controlled**



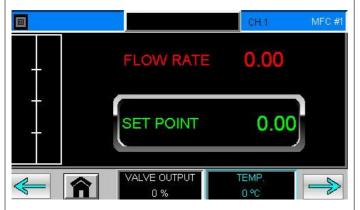
#### Communication Mode

The PSC6194 controller is equipped with two forms of communication: **Analog Controlled** – Analog IOs, 4 – 20 mAsignal **Digital Controlled** – Modbus communication Modbus features:

- Density Values
- Temperature Values
- Totalizer

Both Communication Modes support up to four instruments, 2 Mass Flow Controllers and 2 Mass Flow Meters.

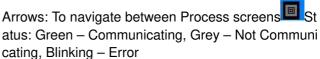
#### **Process Screen**



#### **Process Screens**

The Process Screens will display the flow rates, set p oints and other process conditions for the Bronkhorst

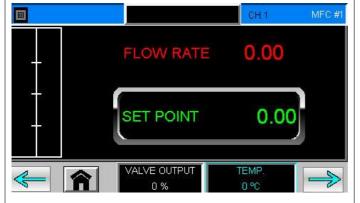
instruments. The Process screens consist of:



Instrument Label: (Blue Label) Displays channel and instrument number on the top right corner. Units: (Bla ck Label) To configure the instrument's units (i.e. g/hr

Home: To return to Main Screen\*Density, Tem perature and Totalizer values are only available via M odbus

#### **Process Screen**



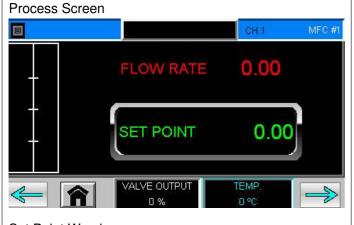
## Keyboard



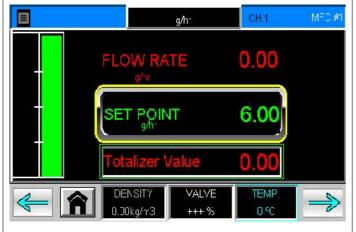
#### Labeling Units

To edit the Instruments' Units, press the black label, as shown by the X on the image, for the keyboard to appear. (i.e. g/hr, kg/hr, etc.)Use the touchscreen to n ame the instrument and press ENTER.ENTER – Sav e value and return to previous screen.

ESC - Return to previous screen without saving.



Set Point Warning



#### **Edit Set Points**

To edit the set point of the instruments, press the box ed number, as shown by the **X** on the image, for the numerical pad to appear.

Set the value and press ENTER.

No Border - Valid Set Point

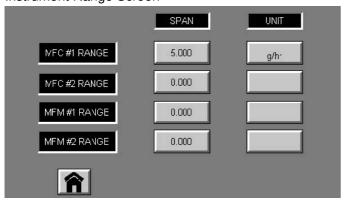
**Yellow Border** – the Set Point is set <u>above</u> the Instrument Range.

**Red Border** – the Set Point is <u>locked</u> due to the Total izer. Please see Totalizer settings for details.

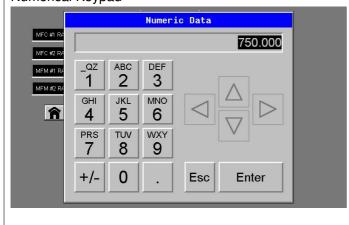
ENTER – Save value and return to previous screen. ESC – Return to previous screen without saving.

The value must be within the Instrument's range, or the Status light will start blinking with an error.

#### Instrument Range Screen



## Numerical Keypad

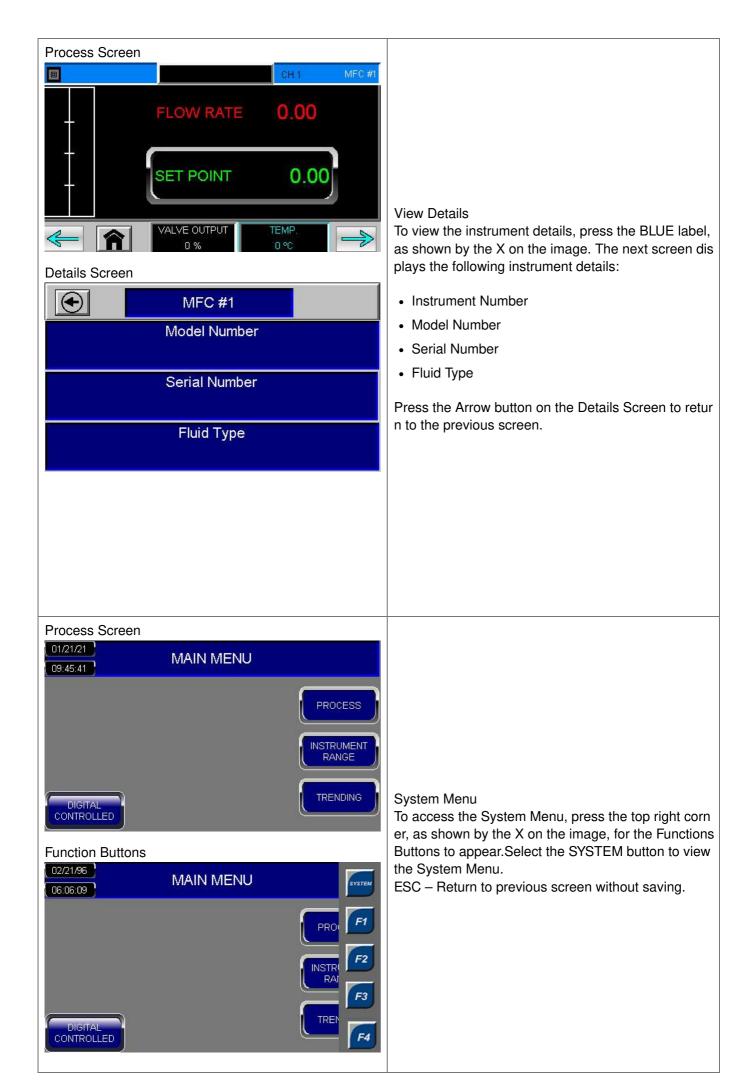


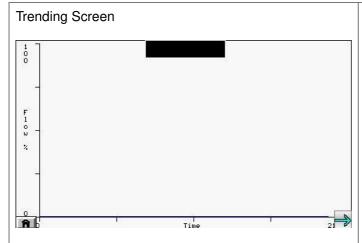
#### Instrument Range

The Instrument ranges <u>must</u> be set to the **FULL** flow range of the Bronkhorst instrument, shown on instrument label.

To edit range, press on the corresponding SPAN value, as shown by the  ${\bf X}$  on the image, for the Numeric Keyboard.

- ENTER Save value and return to previous scree
   n.
- ESC Return to previous screen without saving.
- HOME Return to Main Screen





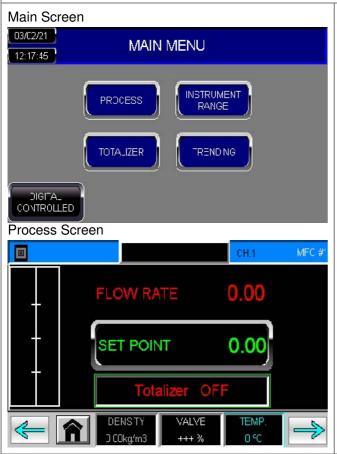
## Trending

The Trending screens compare the Flow vs. Time values for each instrument.

The Instruments' Units are displayed on the black lab el.

ARROWS – navigate between screen HOME – Retur n to Main Screen

#### Totalizer

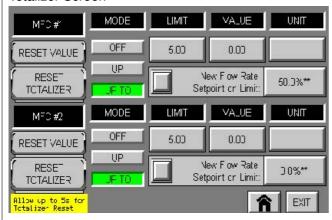


## Accessing Totalizer

The Totalizer is only available via Modbus for Coriolis In struments.

The Totalizer may be accessed from the Main Screen or the Mass Flow Controllers' Process Screens, MFC# 1 a nd 2, as shown by the **X**.

#### Totalizer Screen



Totalizer Screen

The Totalizer Screen displays two separate Totalizers for both MFC# 1 and 2. Each Totalizer contains the following settings:Mode – Mode of the corresponding Totalizer

Limit – Totalizer limit/batch size in units selected with parameter Unit.

Value – Current totalizer value in units selected with Unit.

Unit – This parameter contains the name of the totalizer readout unit.

Setpoint Mode – Specifies whether or not to change the setpoint after reaching the totalizer limit.

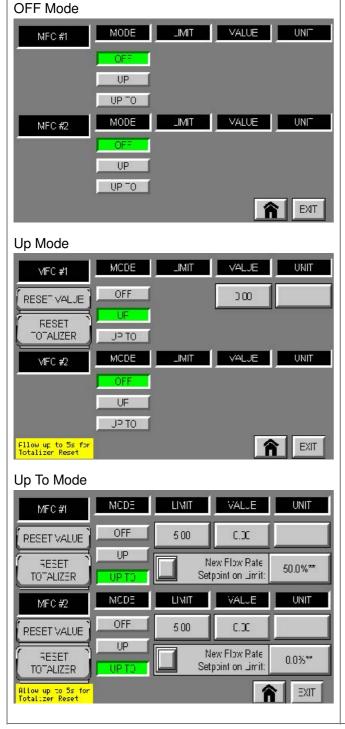
New Setpoint(%) – New (safe) setpoint when a totalizer limit is reached until Totalizer Reset.

Reset Value – Resets totalizer value only.

Reset Totalizer – Resets totalizer value and new setpoint setting.

All settings are editable.

EXIT – Return to previous screen without saving. HOM E – Return to Main Screen



#### **Totalizer Modes**

The Mode of the corresponding Totalizer can be selected and changed from the Totalizer Screen. The avaliable modes are: OFF – Totalizer off (default)

UP - Counting up continuously

UP TO – Counting up until limit is reached (set by Totali zer Limit)

Each Mode will display different settings:

OFF-

Mode only

UP-

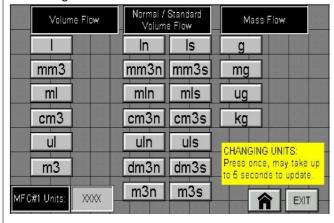
- Mode,
- Value,
- · Unit and
- Reset Buttons

UP TO -

- Mode,
- · Limit,
- · Value,
- Unit.
- · New Setpoint Mode,
- · New Setpoint and
- Reset Buttons

#### Configure Units VALUE MCDE LIMIT MFC #1 OFF 5 00 0.00 RESET VALUE UP New Flow Rate RESET 50.0%\*\* TOTALIZER Setpoint on Limit: LIMIT VALUE UNIT MCDE MFC#2 OFF 5 00 0.00 RESET VALUE HP New Flow Rate RESET 0.0%₩ Setpoint on Limit TOTALIZER EXIT Allow up to 5s for Totalizer Reset

#### **Units Page**



#### Totalizer Unit

To configure the totalizer units, press the box below the Unit label, as shown by the X, to navigate to the corresp onding Units Page. Once at the Unit Page, press the de sired Unit once and allow up to 5 seconds to update. The configured unit will be displayed at the bottom left cor ner. The Units available to configure from will depend on the Instrument Mode. Instrument Mode must be configured by FlowDDE. Instrument Modes:

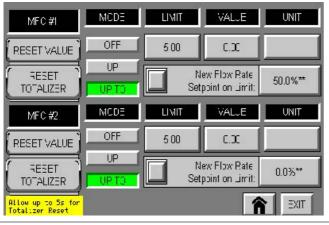
Mass Flow, Normal Volume Flow, Standard Volume Flow, Volume Flow (Actual)

Totalizer Unit supports the following values: Volume Flo w-I, mm3, ml, cm3, ul, m3 Normal/Standard Volume Flo w-In, mm3n, mln, cm3n, uln, dm3n, m3n, ls, mm3s, mls, cm3s, uls, dm3s, m3s

Mass Flow – g, mg, ug, kg

EXIT – Return to previous screen without saving. HOM E – Return to Main Screen

#### Configure Limit



#### **Totalizer Limit**

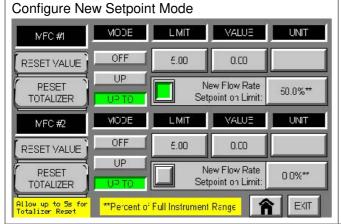
The Totalizer Limit is displayed in units selected with parameter Unit.

To edit the Totalizer Limit, press the number box below the Limit Label, as shown by the X.

Red Border - when Value reaches Limit.

ENTER – Save value and return to previous screen.

ESC - Return to previous screen without saving.

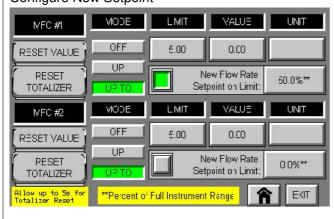


#### New Setpoint Mode

To configure the New Setpoint Mode, press the checkbox to activate setting, as shown by the X.Grey – No setpoint change.

Green - Active; Change setpoint to New Setpoint.

## Configure New Setpoint



#### New Setpoint

To configure a New Setpoint when limit is reached, pres s the percentage value, as shown by the X.

Red Border – when value reaches limit, the new setpoin t is locked until Totalizer Reset is executed.

New Setpoint is the percent value of the FULL Instrume nt range. Examples:

New Setpoint at 0%:

Full Instrument Range: 500 grams/hr

Setpoint: 400 grams/hrWhen limit is reached,

New setpoint value: 0 grams/hr

New Setpoint at 50%:

Full Instrument Range: 500 grams/hr

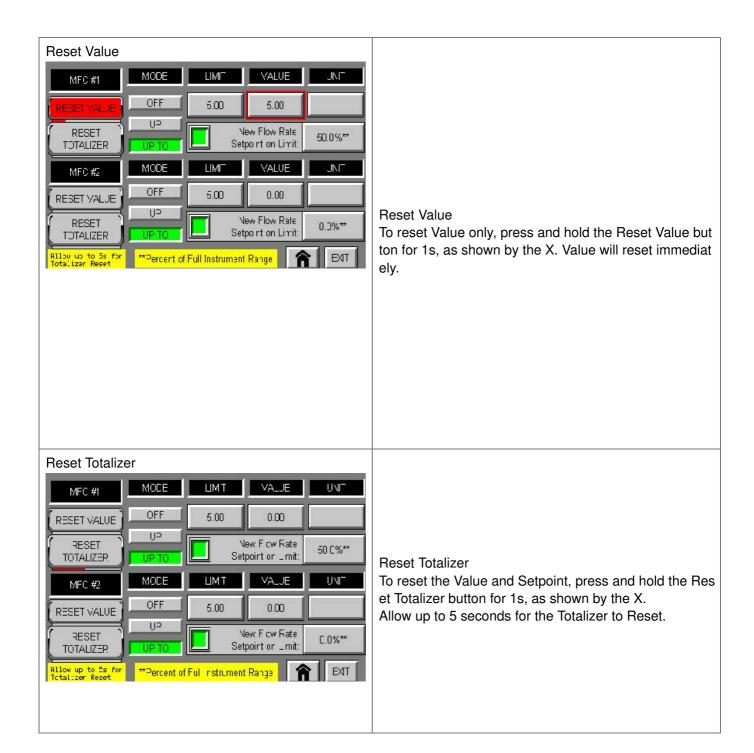
Setpoint: 400 grams/hr

When limit is reached,

New setpoint value: 250 grams/hr

## **IMPORTANT:**

Instrument will not stop flowing after limit is reached unl ess New Setpoint Mode is active/green AND New Setpoint is 0%.



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#### **Documents / Resources**



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#### References

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