# EchoSwitch® LU74/77/78 Ultrasonic Level Switch



## **Application**



The general purpose ultrasonic level sensor provides continuous level detection up to 26.2' (8m) with 3 programmable relays for level switch or level control functions, and a 4-20mA signal output. The sensor is programmed via the integral push button display module. Each relay can be configured on a single set point (high level alarm or low level alarm) or latched on two set points for automatic fill or empty in simplex (one pump or valve), duplex (two pumps) or triplex (three pumps) level control modes with selectable time delay and fail-safe logic. The embedded level controller can lower cost by replacing external control hardware. This non-contact liquid level sensor is ideally suited for corrosive, sticky or dirty liquids, and is broadly selected for pump lift station, sump and day tank level applications. ROHS (E XIIX

#### **Features**

- Offered in 3 level detection ranges from 9.8' (3m) to 26.2' (8m)
- Configuration is simple via integral push button display module
- Three programmable relays for switch, pump control and fail-safety
  - 1 pump or valve with 2 alarms
  - 2 pumps (lead-lag) with 1 alarm
  - 2 pumps (duplexing) with 1 alarm
  - 3 independent switch point alarms
- 4-20 mA output can be used to provide local or remote level indication.
- LCD display indicates level height in engineering units and relay status
- Narrow 2" or 3" beam width for applications with limited measurement space
- Short 4" or 8" dead band maximizes the measurable filling capacity of the tank
- PVDF transducer and NEMA 4X polycarbonate enclosure for corrosive liquids
- Automatic temperature compensation for accurate measurement

#### Success



Thermal electric power plants make electricity by converting water into high-pressure steam that drive turbines.

Used steam then passes through cooling towers where it condenses back to water for recirculation. US power plants draw in more than 200 billion gallons of water per day.

The reliable management of water cooling, containment and delivery is core to their process. Here, an EchoSwitch multi-point ultrasonic level switch-controller is mounted over a concrete sump. The sensor monitors water level and automatically empties the sump when full.



## **Specifications**

Range: LU77: 4" to 9.8' (10cm to 3m)

LU74: 8" to 18.0" (20cm to 5.5m) LU78: 8" to 26.2' (20cm to 8m) 0.25" (6.35mm)

Repeatability: Accuracy: ±0.2% of span

Signal Output: 4-20 mA, two-wire, isolated,

sinking

Signal excitation: 12 to 28 VDC, required Loop resist: 500 Ohms @ 24 VDC Signal fail-safe: 4 mA, 20 mA, 21 mA or

hold last

Dead band: LU77: 4" (10cm)

LU74/78: 8" (20cm)

Beam width: LU77: 2" (5cm)

LU74/78: 3" (7.6 cm)

Configuration: Push button Memory: Non-volatile Level & relay status, Display type:

6 character

Display units: Inch, cm, percent,

feet or meter

LCD indication: Level & relay status

95-250 VAC Supply voltage:

Power: 20 watts @ 120 VAC Relay 1, SPDT relay Contact type:

Relay 2 & 3, SPST, N.O. All commons connected

together

2A, 30 VDC Contact rating:

60W (DC), 125 VA 220 VDC, 250 VAC

Contact fail-safe: Programmable / selectable F: -7° to 140° / C: -20° to 60° Process temp.:

Temp. comp.: Automatic

Ambient temp.: F: -40° to 160° / C: -40° to 71°

Pressure: MWP = 30 PSI (2 bar)Enclosure rating: NEMA 4X (IP65) Encl. material: Polycarbonate Encl. hardware: Brass & stainless Enclosure vent: Water tight membrane

Trans. material: **PVDF** 

Conduit entrance: Dual, 1/2" NPT Process mount: LU77: 1" NPT (1" G) LU74/78: 2" NPT (2" G)

Mount gasket:

Classification: General purpose

3m (9.8')

5.5m (18.0')

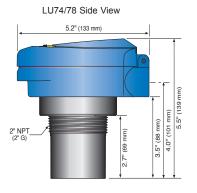
8m (26.2') Process mount (1)

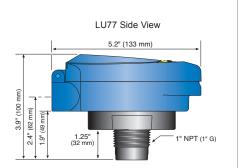
NPT (US)

G (metric)

Compliance: RoHS Approvals: CE

#### **Dimensions**





#### Fittings

For optimum performance, install the level sensor using the below recommended or direct equivalent fittings.



P/N	Description
LM52-1400	2" NPT x 1" NPT (Sch. 40)
LM52-2400	3" NPT x 2" NPT (Sch. 40)
LM52-2800	3" NPT x 2" NPT (Sch. 80)
LM52-3800	4" NPT x 2" NPT (Sch. 80)



LM52-1410 2" Socket x 1" NPT (Sch. 40) LM52-2410 3" Socket x 2" NPT (Sch. 40) LM52-3410 4" Socket x 2" NPT (Sch. 40) LM52-2810 3" Socket x 2" NPT (Sch. 80)

LM52-3810

4" Socket x 2" NPT (Sch. 80)



I M52-2890 2" NPT Bulkhead Fitting, PVC



LM50-1001-1 1" NPT Bracket, Polypropylene LM50-1001 2" NPT Bracket, Polypropylene

# Ordering

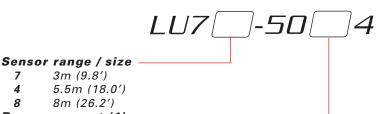
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#### **Notes**

Install the level sensor using Flowline installation fittings or equivalents.