

LMS-RF-Low End

Oil-Management System



INSTRUCTION MANUAL

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1. Introduction

The Badger Meter oil management system is designed to control and monitor the consumption and inventory balances of automotive fluid products with minimal installation and programming costs. Badger has used its years of expertise in the automated meter reading market to develop a modular control system utilizing RF communications.

The RF oil management system hardware consists of one dispense keypad and at least one radio frequency electronic preset meter (LM OG RF). The system verifies the operator's pin number and validates the work order number, fluid quantities and the valid hose / meter.

The dispense keypad can control up to 48 meters. The system supports up to 8 tanks and 8 fluids as a part of the system configuration. The system supports 150 unique operator IDs and pin numbers.

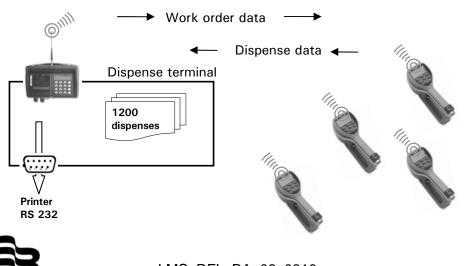
The system utilizes spread spectrum frequency hopping RF technology to prevent communication problems with other equipment in the facility. The RF system will look for a clear channel for transmission to insure that there is reliable communications at all times. Communication distances are typically up to 100 m but can go up to 300 m on plain areas.

The dispense keypad is used to configure the system, maintain system data and enter work orders. The service desk would utilize the dispense keypad to enter a work order selecting the fluid and quantity required. There is no need to predetermine where the work is going to occur. This allows the flexibility to service a vehicle at any open bay and select a meter when the work is going to be performed. When the work order is going to be performed the service operator simply enters his pin number, work order and hose that is going to be used at the dispense keypad.

There are a number of system utilization reports by user; fluid type, tank or meters available for the system's management.

A unique, patented feature of the system is that the RF meter's dispense trigger is locked until an authorization from the dispense keypad is received. After the dispense is completed, the user can top off the dispense, the actual dispensed amount is sent back to the keypad and the meter returns to the locked status. Additionally, the meter can be installed on portable dolly systems offering control and monitoring of high-cost lubrication products.

1.1 Composition and dataflow of the RF-System



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1.2 Operation modes

1.2.1 RF-System in normal mode

Work orders are entered at the dispense keypad and carried out with the meters.

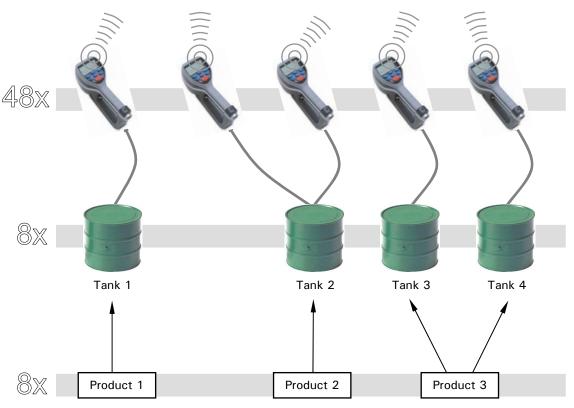
1.2.2 Calibrating / PTB mode

Operation in accordance with the specifications of the Physikalisch Technische Bundesanstalt (PTB) in Braunschweig.

Based on the German act of measurement and calibrating §13 from March 23rd,1992.

- Detection of small quantities (less than 0,5 litres)
- Detection of faulty impulses at the RF-meters
- Storing of the dispense data for at least 3 months in the data logger (RF-Memory).
- A PTB-approved meter is neccessary (green keypad).







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2. Dispense keypad

The dispense keypad is used to configure the system, maintain system data and enter work orders. The service desk would utilize the dispense keypad to enter a work order selecting the fluid and quantity required. To change system settings the supervisor PIN has to be entered.

2.1 Technical data

230 VAC 50/60 Hz Power supply

EMC-approval EN300 220-1

RF communication 2-way 868MHz according to FCC

part 15.247 and part 15.109

16 bit encryption

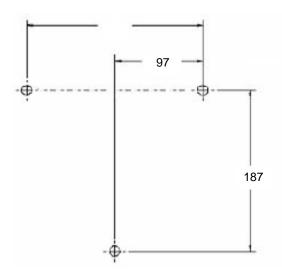
Operating temperature -10° C to +60° C

Internal printer Thermal printer Type FT190 (optional)

External printer Epson LX300 or similar (optional)

2.2 Wall fastening of the dispense keypad

The keypad should be mounted upright with the antenna pointing upward, near a 230 VAC electrical socket, to a structurally sound wall through the two holes on the top of the keypad casing. Height on the wall should be at eye level. Care should be taken to avoid mounting behind any steel objects (tool storage cabinets and metal chain linked fences) that may block the RF communication signal. Care should also be taken to avoid direct, significant heat sources.



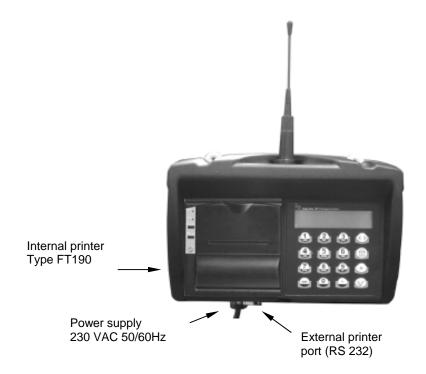
Mounting dimensions for keypad

bore diameter: 5 mm



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2.3 Keypad description



Scroll key: Used to select options on the active display

Home key: Pressing this key will return display to the PIN number and time/date screens

Backspace key: Used to backspace when entering data

Enter Key: Used to enter data and move to the next screen

Space key: Used to enter a space character when entering data

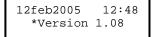
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2.4 Standard screen



The standard screen shows the system date and software version number. The display will alternate between the standard screen and the enter pin number screen. The enter pin n° screen is used to access the supervisor menues.

A star ahead of the version number indicates the PTB mode.

enter a mechanic's PIN to start a wo or the supervisor PIN to enter setup (default: 0000).



2.5 <u>Settings / supervisor menus</u>

Menu INI is used to configure the system and to associate the system components.

Menu CNF is used to change system settings.

Menu MET is used to delete pending work orders.

Menu REP is used to print out system settings and work order reports at an external printer.

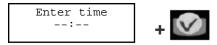
Menu 190 is used to print out system settings and work order reports at the internal printer.

2.6 Menu INI (system initialisation)

This menu is used to set date and time, tank and product data, meters (/hoses) and operators.

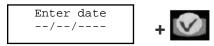
Always go through all menu steps, even if you just want to change a few settings.

Choose the menu INI and press enter.



Format hh:mm

enter the actual time (two / four digits) and press enter.



Format dd.mm.yyyy

Enter the date. Scroll from left to right through the fields by using the scroll key (the date cannot be changed in PTB-mode).

The screen changes to tank unit.



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2.7 Tank initialisation

Before starting the tank initialisation, set the following issues: (You can use the work sheets provided in chapter 5)

- 1. Set the tank number for each tank (1-8).
- 2. Assign the oil types to the corresponding tanks
- 3. Take down the actual levels in the tanks
- 4. Keep the meters in reach.
- 5. Assign each meter to a tank.
- 6. set name and PIN for each user / operator

The tanks are entered considering the following conditions:

- A maximum of 8 tanks.
- Tank number from 1 to 8.
- The default measurement unit is liters.
- The tank level in the system is being automatically refreshed after a dispense.
- Level format: 99999,999.

Start to enter the tank number (1-8) and a level (with corresponding unit) for each tank now.

Tank Unit Tank No =



Enter a number between 1 and 8

Tank Unit No X
 <- LITER ->



You can change between: < LITER, GALLONS, PINTS, QUARTS and REMOVE >

Tank Stock Level No X -----



Enter the actual level.

Repeat these steps for the other tanks. If you do not want set further tanks enter no tank number and press

The screen changes to select fluid.



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2.7.1 Select fluid

The fluid types are entered considering the following conditions:

- A maximum of 8 types (oil, antifreeze, etc.).
- The label can consist of numbers and letters.
- There are no predetermined labels

Select Fluid No =



Enter a fluid number (1-8).

Fluid No X



Enter a valid type label e.g. 5W 38 Mo.

Repeat these steps for the other fluids. If you do not want set further fluids enter no number and press

2.7.2 Assign tank - product

The tank- / product assignment is 1:1. Each tank is assigned to one fluid type. E.g. tank no 1 is assigned to fluid no 1 or tank no 1 is assigned to fluid no 2

Tank-Fluid
Tank No =



Enter the tank number you want to assign with a fluid

Tank-Fluid Fluid No =



Enter the fluid number you want to assign with this tank.

Repeat these steps until all fluids are assigned to their tanks. If you do not want to assign further tanks, enter no tank number and press

The screen changes to create hose.

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2.7.3 Create hose / meter

- The label with the meter's serial number and RF address is located in the battery compartment.
- 4858/01.02.02.51.00.7F 38.862.975 ← RF address 0.0xx.xxx.xxx
- The RF address has 10 digits.
- · Meters can be created and deleted.
- A maximum of 48 meters can be created.
- The dispense keypad can only communicate with a registered meter.
- All addresses are clear.



If the adress is already assigned the following display will indidcate that:

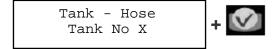
Hose Address already used

Background: The system is checking the last three digits of the entered RF address. If this message appears, please make sure that you are not creating a meter already in use.

2.7.4 Assign meter – tank

Now assign the created meter to its tank.

Therefore enter the corresponding tank number.



The assignment to a tank is 1: n
 (i.e. one tank can be assigned to several meters. Because each tank is assigned to
 one fluid type, all these meters are automatically assigned to the same fluid type).

Repeat these steps until all meters are assigned to their tanks. If you do not want to assign further meters, enter no tank number and press

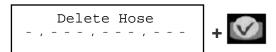
The screen changes to delete hose.



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2.7.5 Delete hose / meter

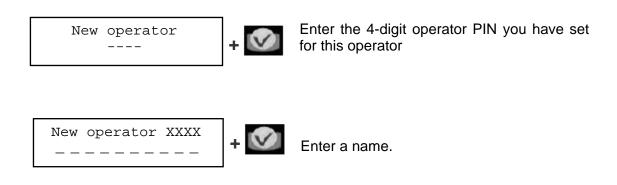
If a meter has to be replaced, it has to be deleted in the system by using this function.



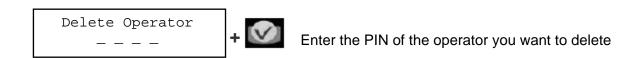
When replacing a meter the new one will be set on the deleted one's position.

2.7.6 Creating and deleting operators

- Work orders can only be started with a valid operator PIN.
- A maximum of 150 operators can be created.
- The PIN is a 4-digit number.
- The operator name can consist of a combination of numbers and letters.
- · At the beginning the operator list is empty.



Repeat these steps until all operators are created. If you do not want to create further operators press



If you do not want to delete any operator press

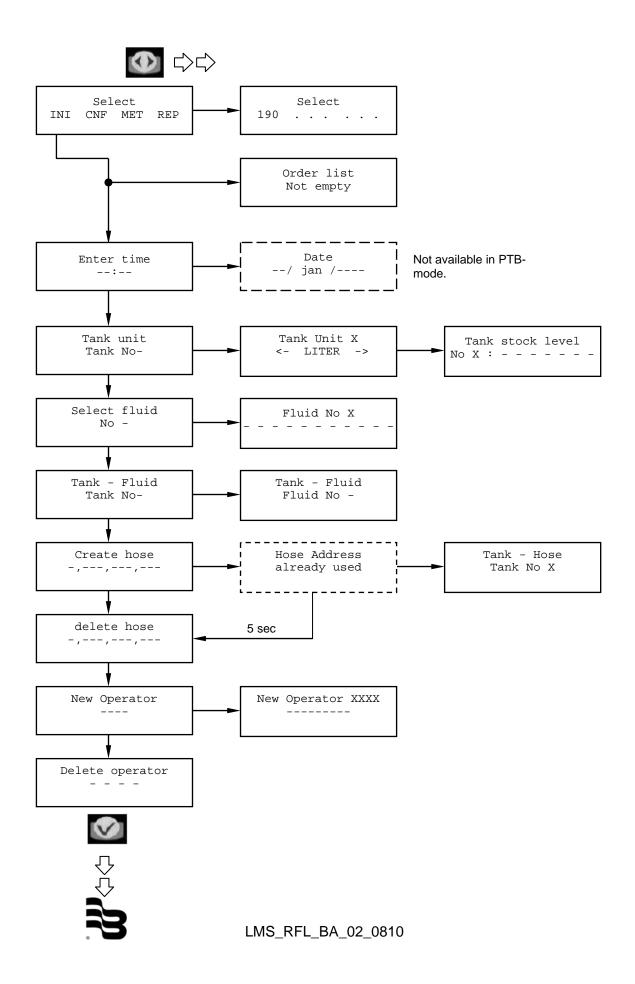


You are now leaving the INI menu.



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2.7.7 Flowchart menu INI



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2.8 Menu CNF (configuration)

The menu is used to change system settings.

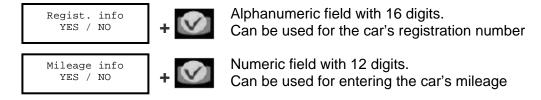
2.8.1 Clear transactions

These functions allow to delete all finished work orders.

2.8.2 System reset

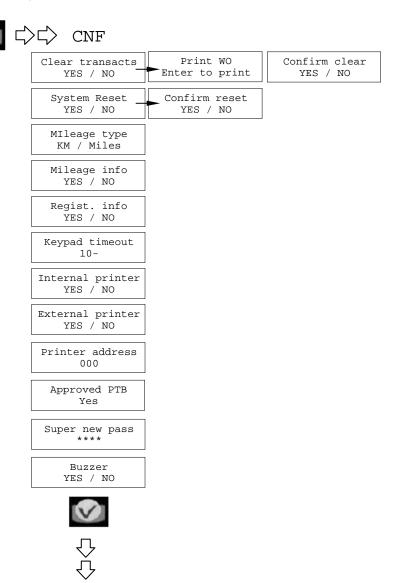
This function is used to set the system back to factory settings.

2.8.3 Mileage info and registration Info



Change from numeric to alphanumeric keys: Press the key for at least 3 sec. until the desired character is on the display. Then release the key.

2.8.4 Flow chart menu CNF





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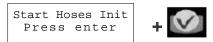
2.9 Menu MET (delete)

Work orders that have been entered at the keypad are being stored untill they will be picked up by the propriate meter (by pressing RESET at the meter). Meanwhile the meter is locked for other suspenses.

By using this menu, the prepared work orders can be deleted to release the meter for new work orders.



YES All pending work orders will be deleted.

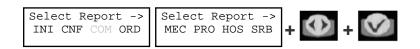


NO You can select single wos to be deleted by entering the propriate meter / hose



2.10 Menu REP (reports)

By using this function reports about the following subjects can be printed out by an external printer:



INI	Initialising	MEC	sort list by operator /mechanic
CNF	Configuration	PRO	sort list by product
COM	not set	HOS	sort list by hose / meter
ORD	sort list work order	SRB	sort list by tank

An appropriate printer or a PC (terminal program) can be connected to the serial printer port (RS 232).

Settings: 9600 Baud, Data Bits 8, Stop Bits 1, Parity None

2.11 Menu 190 (internal printer)

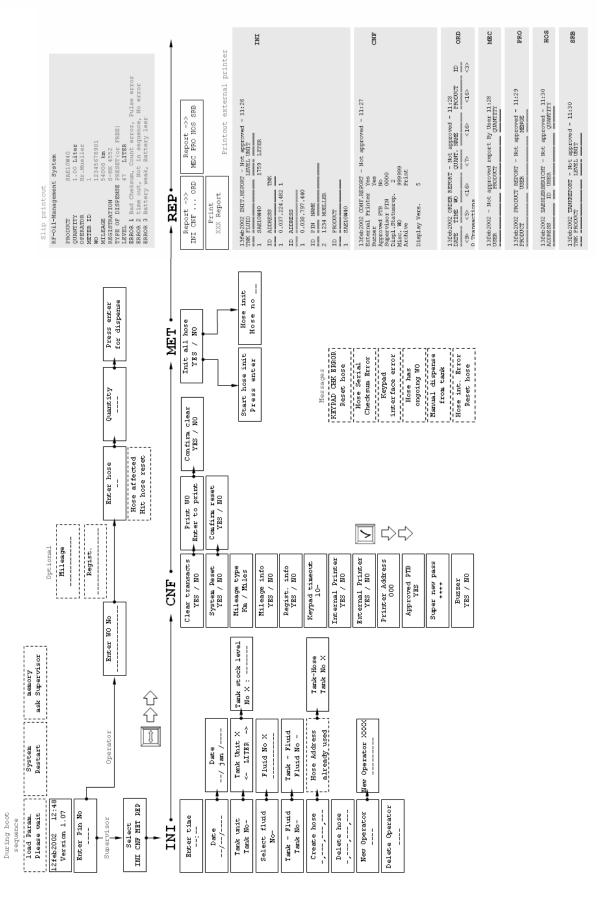
By using this menu, the configuration and status reports can be printed out by the internal printer FT 190.

Menu	Example	Menu	Example
FLU	FLUID address: 258 Size: 18	PEN	Meter 1 inactive (or asking)
	1-> 1 / SAE10W40		-
HOS	HOSE address: 142 Size:12	PAR	Unit Km (or Miles)
	1-> 0.036.700.715 / 1		AN-Field Yes
TNK	TANK address: 194 Size: 8		
	1-> 10000 / LITER		etc.
USE	USER address: 402 Size: 20	MEM	Item Size Max Nb Adress Between
	1-> 1234 / HR.MUELLER		
WO	WO 1 485801020230022B		
			etc.



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2.12 Menu flow chart

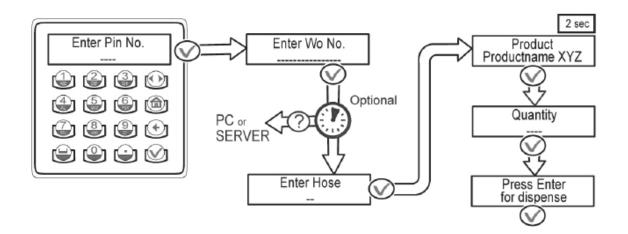




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2.13 Dispense / start a work order

2.13.1 Overview



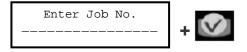
2.13.2 Process

1.) Enter PIN

To start a work order a mechanic / user enters his PIN.

2.) Enter work order number

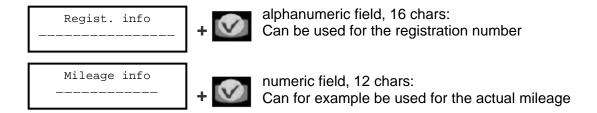
Work order number: Enter an alphanumeric number (max. 16 chars) and press Enter.



Alphanumeric keypad: To change from the numeric to the letter keypad press the equivalent key for at least 3 seconds until the desired letter is shown.

3.) Enter AN-field and N-field

These optional fields are only shown, if they have been enabled.



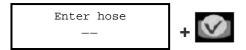
Alphanumeric keypad: To change from the numeric to the letter keypad press the equivalent key for at least 3 seconds until the desired letter is shown.



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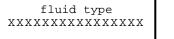
4.) Preset meter selection

Enter a preset meter ID, that is aligned to the desired product.



5.) Display fluid

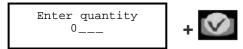
The choosen fluid type is shown for three seconds.



3 sec.

6.) Enter product quantity

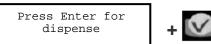
Enter the desired quantity. Optionally, the quantity assigned to this wo is shown.



- The quantity can be chosen between 0,0 99,9 and 100 999 liters. The maximum quantity in the PTB-mode is 90,0 liters. A quantity less than 0,5 liters will be indicated as not calibrateable (no star).
- The pre-selection can be made with one decimal place.
- Quantities of more than 100 liters will be displayed decrementally.
- A quantity of 0.0 will put the RF meter in a free-dispense mode, the RF meter will not latch and the user may dispense fluid as long as the trigger is manually held in the open position. The user must press RESET on the RF meter to exit this dispense and communicate the dispense order to the keypad.

7.) Dispense confirmation

Press Enter to confirm the dispense.

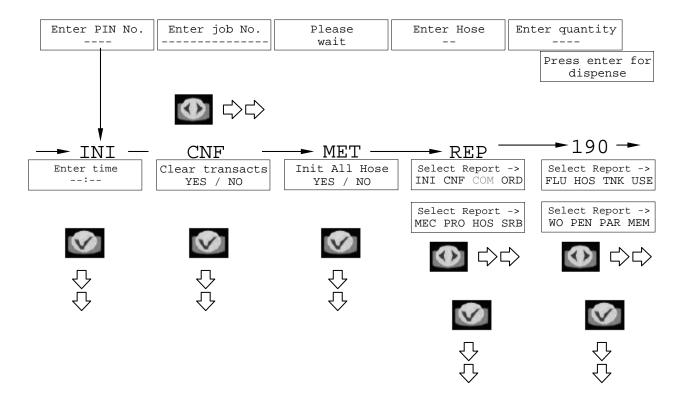


The work order is now ready for being picked up by the RF-meter. (See chapter 3.2 'RF mode (standard) ")



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2.14 Functions overview





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3. LM OG-RF meter

The meter is equipped with RF communications allowing authorization and dispense information. Once a work order has been set up, the operator simply pulls the trigger and the authorized amount of fluid for that meter will dispense. The valve will automatically shut off when the full quantity has been dispensed. A "top off" feature allows additional quantities to be dispensed and tracked after the valve closes. Upon completion of the dispense effort, the valve locks prohibiting any unauthorized dispense to occur.

For more detailed instructions, see the LM OG P manual delivered with the meter.

3.1 Key description

The following keys (except for RESET and SHUT-OFF) are only active in the autonomous mode (described down below)



10 - History

Used to enter the quantity to be dispensed (10 liter steps). In operational mode it shows the five latest dispensed amounts.



1

Used to enter the quantity to be dispensed (1 liter steps).



0.1 - Flow

Used to enter the quantity to be dispensed (0.1 liter steps). In operational mode it shows the actual dispension flow.



TOTAL

Used to display the accumulated total of fluid, as well as the resettable total (hold for 3 seconds) during operational mode.



AUTO

Used to enter and exit the auto mode when RF communications are not available.



RESET

Used to accept a dispense order from the keypad. Used in normal operating mode (RF, manual or auto) to clear the previously programmed batch and to reset the meter. Press the button while viewing the resettable total to set it back to zero.



Shut-off

Used to stop the flow manually through an electrical override.



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3.2 RF mode (standard)

Work order validation via the dispense keypad.

When the battery pack is attached to the meter, the meter will automatically enter the RF mode. The trigger is in a locked-out position and no oil can be dispensed until a dispense order is received by the meter.



RF mode

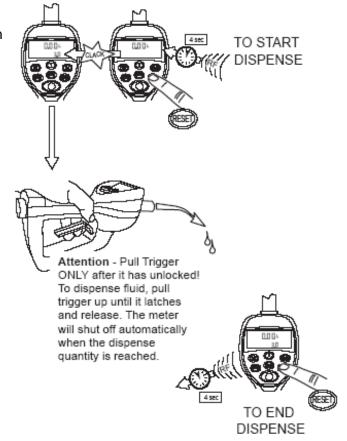
3.2.1 Procedure

1. Press the meter to enable it to receive a dispense order provided by the dispense keypad. The trigger will unlock.



- Pull the trigger to begin the flow. The valve will automatically lock in place, even though the trigger will fall back to the closed position. The flow will automatically shut off when the preselected quantity has been dispensed.
- 3. To top off, pull the trigger to begin the flow and release when the desired amount has been pumped.
- 4. Press the button when finished. The total quantity dispensed will be transmitted to the keypad and the meter will return to a locked-out position. The meter is now ready to receive the next dispense order from the keypad.

3.2.2 Illustration





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3.3 Auto mode (autonomous)

Attention: This function allows unauthorized dispenses. The dispenses will not be assigned to any mechanic / operator.

- Operation will take place with the normal functions.
- The total dispensed quantity will be stored under the general work order number (999999)
- The AUTO sign at the display's lower left corner indidcates the autonomous mode

3.3.1 Procedure:

Program the meter to auto mode by holding down the total button and pressing



The solenoid will now unlock and the meter may be used as a normal meter.

3.3.2 Reset to standard mode

To set the meter back into standard mode advice a work order from the assigned dispense keypad to it (see chapters 2.13 und 0 for the procedure). After terminating the work order, the meter will lock and set back to standard mode.

3.4 Electrical override

In case of an emergency or to interrupt a batch, the meter is equipped with an **electrical override**. This option automatically closes the valve in the meter, stopping the flow immediately. The display will begin to flash because the meter does not sense any flow. Batching can be continued after an override, even if the meter is in the middle of a programmed batch and the display continues to flash.

Press the red button to activate the electrical override. This button can only be used when the valve is open.

Press the button to cue up the next batch and stop the display from flashing.

3.5 Changing the battery

When the batteries need to be changed, a progression of warnings will appear on the screen.

The battery compartment is located on the underside of the trigger guard. Unscrew the two screws located under the guard and remove the battery cover to expose the batteries.

3.6 Programming the LM OG-RF meter

The units of measurement, scale factor and the pulse delay factor can be changed. To enter / leave the programming mode, press and hold the "PROGRAMMING" key located in the access hole at the meter's bottom for 2 seconds. To gain access to this key, a seal has to be broken.

For more detailed instructions see the LM OG P manual delivered with the meter.



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4. Troubleshooting

4.1 <u>Dispense keypad error messages</u>

These error messages can be displayed by the dispense keypad. The associated action to reset the system is listed behind.

Message	Description and error recovery		
Wrong hose for fluid	The meter selected is not a valid meter for the fluid assigned for this work order.		
Radio communication	System communication is in progress, please wait.		
Keypad interface error	The meter has a work order on process. Please complete this work order or press reset on the meter to reset the status.		
Key hose Int Err Reset on hose	An error occurred during communications to the meter, please press reset on the meter to retry the communications.		
Pending WO Please res. hose	The meter has already been selected for a dispense. Complete the dispense or reset the hose status to continue.		
Order list not empty	To change settings in the INI menu, all work orders have to be deleted first. Carry out in menu CNF "clear transacts" and in menu MET "Init. all hose" to delete all wos.		
KEYPAD ERROR	An error occurred in the keypad.		
KEIPAD ERROR	Press RESET on the meter.		
HOSE AFFECTED HIT HOSE RESET	The selected meter currently has a dispense order in processor waiting to be processed, complete the active order.		
IIII IIODE REGEI	The user should clear out the requested dispense by selecting MET in the Supervisor Menu.		
Hose has ongoing WO	The hose has a work order in process. Please complete this work order or press rest on the meter to rest the hose status.		

4.2 Other problems

Problem:	Description and error recovery:
Meter: The AUTO function is shut off, the auto icon disappeared and can not be activated again.	
It is not possible to set back the meter from auto mode to standard mode.	Carry out in menu MET "Init. all hose" to delete all wos at the dispense keypad Afterwards send a new work order to the meter.



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5. Worksheets

Fluid ID	Fluid name
1	
2	
3	
4	
5	
6	
7	
8	

A maximum of 8 products.

The alphanumeric name, max. 16 chars.

Tank ID	Fluid	Tankvolume	Unit	Content
1				
2				
3				
4				
5				
6				
7				
8				

Maximum 8 Tanks.

Tank volume format: 00000.000.



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Meter ID	Address x.xxx.xxx
1	
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8	
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11	
12	
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Max 48 meters/hoses.

The address is a 10 digit number.

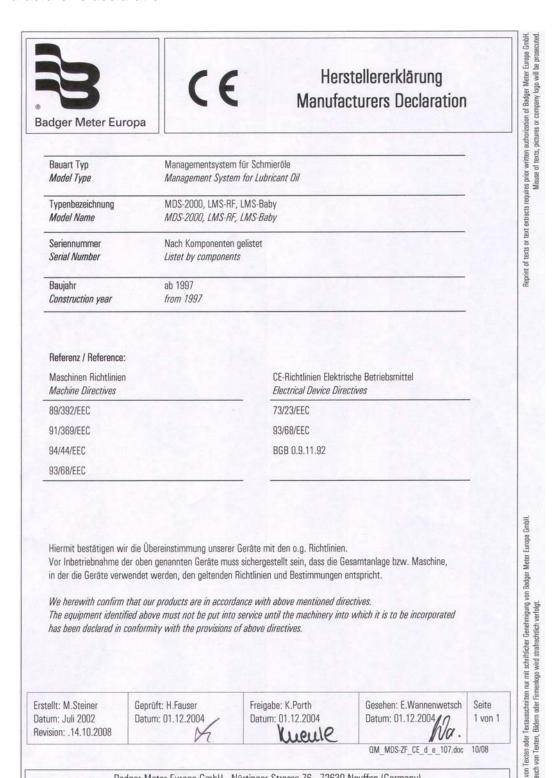
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User ID	Name user	PIN ID
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Up to 150 users. The user field is alphanumeic, max. 16 chars. The user PIN ID is a 4 digit number



6. Manufacturer's declaration





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