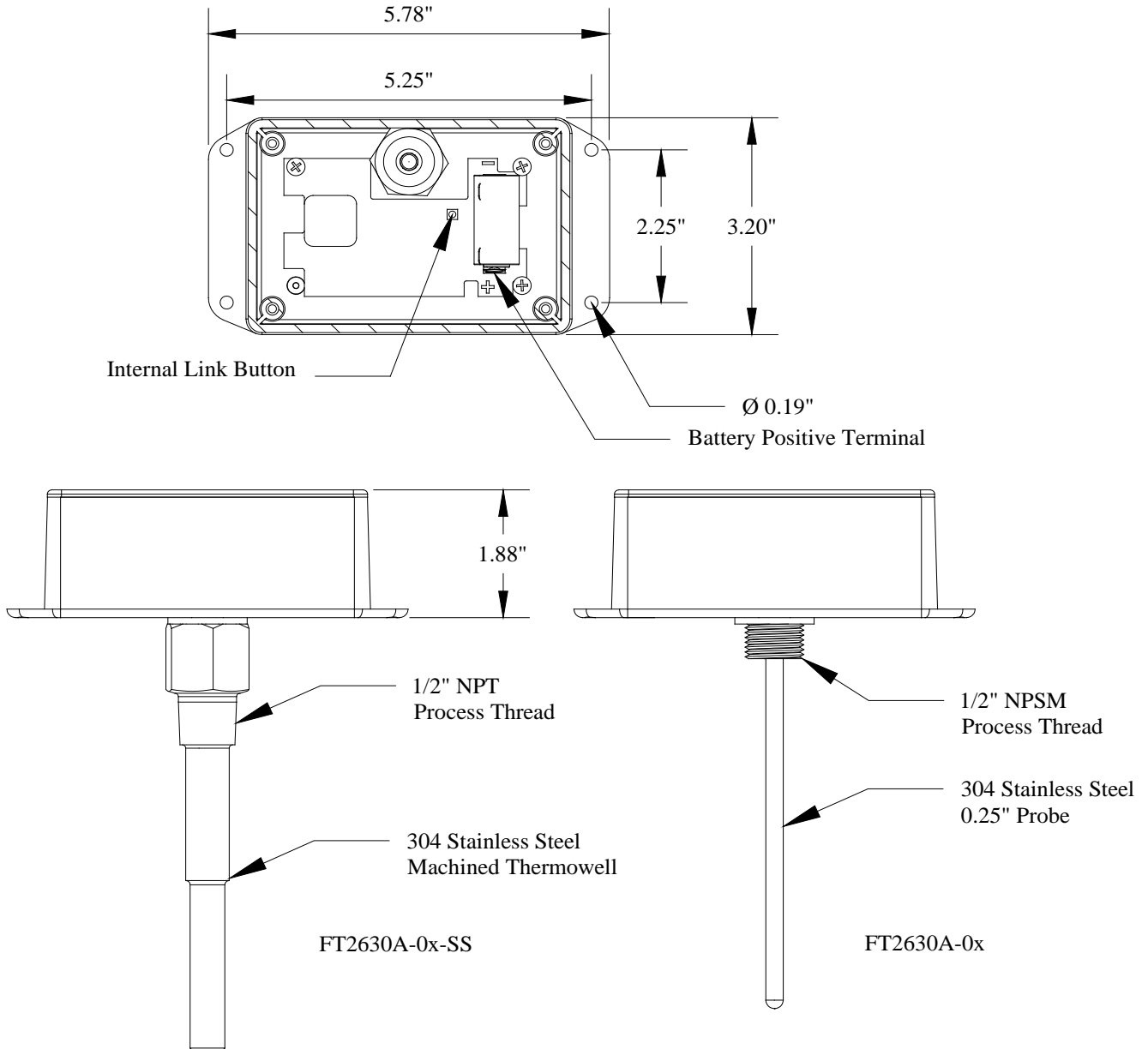




Installation and Operation Instructions FT2630A Wireless Immersion Temperature Sensors For Water and Steam Applications



General Description

The FT2630 is a battery operated spread spectrum wireless immersion temperature sensor for fluid temperature applications.

The sensor is encapsulated in a 0.25" O.D. 304 stainless steel probe. The sensor assembly has a ½" NPT fitting to be mounted into the thermowell. Thermowells with different materials are available for different fluid applications.

ACI's mesh network Series 2000 wireless sensors utilize reliable Spread Spectrum Radio technology. They can be installed easily in minutes eliminating hundreds of feet of wire and saving installation cost while reducing installation labor risks.

The Series 2000 sensor Data-Link LED confirms the data transmission was received by the receiver for fast and reliable positioning of the sensor during installation. There is no need for special wireless installation equipment or tool.

Together with the ACI Series 2000 receivers and controllers, the ACI wireless sensors can be used with any LON, BacNet, MODbus, or DDC control system or panel.

The maximum radio transmission distance is dependent on the building type. The maximum open air transmission distance is one mile. In a typical commercial building with steel I-Beam construction, concrete floors with reinforcing rod, and metal stud walls, it can be expected that transmissions will penetrate vertically through floors and horizontally through 200 to 500 feet of walls, furniture and air.

Installation

Wireless sensors should be installed within 200 to 500 feet of the receiver. RR2552 signal repeaters can be installed as to increase transmission distance between sensors and receivers.



CAUTION

Observe battery polarity when installing battery.

To select the proper sensor location, *first install and power the receiver. To activate the sensor insert the battery observing the polarity.* The mesh networked Series 2000 system does not require any additional wireless equipment to determine the proper location of the sensors.

While the sensor is attempting to connect to the receiver the Data-Link LED will blink rapidly 8–10 times every 10 seconds. Once a connection has been established the Data-Link LED will blink once to indicate the data transmission has been received successfully. The Data-Link LED will continue to blink once for every data transmission. The data transmission rate is programmed into the sensor (normally 1 minute intervals). To manually initiate a data transmission press the push button switch located by the negative terminal of the battery.

The immersion sensor probe must be installed into a thermowell. The thermowell should be mounted either horizontally or in a position to allow any condensation to drain. Use thermal compound to ensure effective heat transfer. Make sure the thermowell does not make contact with the inside wall of the pipe.

Locate and record the sensor PC & ID numbers located on a label on the inside of the enclosure cover.

The sensor has a Low Battery LED that will start to blink continuously when the battery voltage is low. A low battery signal is also sent to the receiver for remote indication that the battery should be replaced. If the battery is not replaced in approximately 2 months the battery voltage will become so low that the Low Battery and Data-Link LEDs will not blink. Replace the battery and the Data-Link LED will start blinking while the sensor is re-establishing communications with the receiver.



PRECAUTIONS

SENSORS, REPEATERS AND RECEIVERS SHOULD NOT BE INSTALLED IN THE FOLLOWING AREAS:

- **INSIDE METAL ENCLOSURE / PANEL**
- **INSIDE OR IMMEDIATELY NEXT TO ELEVATOR SHAFT / ELEVATOR BANKS**
- **IN FRONT OF OR IMMEDIATELY NEXT TO LARGE TREES OR LARGE BODY OF WATER**

TRANSMISSION DISTANCE AND PERFORMANCE WILL BE DRASTICALLY REDUCED.



CAUTION

DO NOT USE THIS PRODUCT IN ANY SAFETY RELATED APPLICATIONS WHERE HUMAN LIFE MAY BE AFFECTED.

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS

Supply	Voltage	(1) Li/MnO ₂ 3.0 VDC Battery, 1400 mAh (e.g. Duracell DL123A)
RF	Data Protocol	IEEE 802.15.4-2003/2006
	Operating Frequency	902-928 MHz
	Output Power	+11 dBm
	Receiver Sensitivity	-110 dBm
	Open Field Range	One mile (line of sight)
	Data Transmission Interval	75 seconds (standard), 300 seconds (option)
Temperature	Accuracy	± 1°F
	Sensor Operating Range	-40 to 200°F
Enclosure	Material	ABS (standard), Polycarbonate (Nema 4X)
	Rating	UL 94 5VA (standard), UL 94 HB (Nema 4X)
Environment	Operating Temperature	14 to 140°F (-10 to 60°C)
	Operating Humidity	0 to 95% RH (non-condensing)
Approvals		FCC

WARRANTY SPECIFICATION

The ACI Wireless Series is covered by ACI's Two (2) Year Limited Warranty, which is located in the front of ACI'S SENSORS & TRANSMITTERS CATALOG or can be found on ACI's web site: www.workaci.com.

