SmartLine

RMA801 SmartLine Remote DE or Analog Indicator Specification

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Introduction

The Honeywell RMA801 is a DE or analog remote indicator suitable for use with any DE transmitter or a transmitter operating in analog, 4-20 mA mode. The RM801 is part to the RMA 800 family and delivers the ability to locate a remote indicator away from a SmartLine transmitter. In this specific instance, the RMA801 is the remote display offering that supports Honeywell's DE protocol and thus it connects to the SmartLine family of transmitters when using DE protocol. Besides supporting DE protocol, the RMA801 is also capable of operating in analog only mode allowing it to connect to any transmitter with a 4-20 mA output including HART protocol transmitters.

Best in Class Features:

- RMA auto-configuration when connected to DE protocol transmitters
- Modular design hardware
- Dual compartment housing separating sensitive electronics from termination wiring
- Standard and custom measurement units available
- Integrated two configuration buttons
- Simple, easy to use interface
- Remote indicator diagnostic displays
- Reverse wiring polarity protection
- Functions as a second, remotely-located display for ease of view

Integral Keypad

The RMA801 features a built-in 2-button keypad on display, permitting display set-up and operation, including:

- RMA configuration for LRV, URV and engineering unit
- RMA calibration
- Display appearance (contrast setting)

Figure 1–RMA801 Remote Indicator

Display Characteristics

The RMA801 Remote Indicator features the following:

- 360º rotation in 90º Increments

- 2 lines, 8 characters

- Diagnostic messaging

- Custom units of measurement

- Standard units of measurement:

Temperature	°C, °F, °R, K, mV, Ohm
Pressure	inH2O@39ºF, mH2O@4ºC, cmH2O@4ºC, Torr, mmH2O@68ºF, ftH2O@68ºF, inH2O@68ºF, inH2O@60ºF, atm, Pa, kPa, MPa, gf/cm2, kgf/cm2, psi, mbar, bar, inHg@0ºC, mmHg@0ºC, mmH2O@4ºC.
Flow	ft3/sec, gal/min, gal/hr, liter/min, liter/hr, m3/sec, m3/hr, Pounds per sec(lbm/sec), Pounds per min (lbm/min), Pounds per hr(lbm/hr), kg/sec, kg/hr, Standard Cubic Feet per min (SFt3/m), Standard Cubic Feet per hr (SFt3/h), Standard Cubic Feet per Day (SFt3/d), Metric Standard Cubic Feet per Hour(MSCFH), Normal Cubic meter per hr(NM3/h), Million Standard Cubic Feet per Day (MMSCFD), Million Standard Cubic Feet per Hour (MMSCFH)
Level	ft, in, m, cm, mm, %

Display Screens & Diagnostics

Similar to all other SmartLine products, the display rotation and contrast settings are user configurable.

The RMA801 remote indicator can rotate the display in 90 deg and cover 360 deg manually

Diagnostic messages

BAD-Tx
Transmitter critical diagnostic
condition present

BAD-RMA
RMA diagnostics present

RMA DG
RMA Diagnostics

Figure 2: Standard Display screens

Specifications

Operating Conditions						
Parameter	**Reference Condition**		**Operative Limits**		**Transportation and Storage**	
	°C	°F	°C	°F	°C	°F
Ambient Temperature	25±1	77±2	-40 to 70*	-40 to 158	-30 to 80	-22 to 175
Humidity (%RH)	10 to 55		0 to 100		0 to 100	

Note: LCD display ambient temperature: -30°C to +70°C. LCD display storage temperature: -30°C to +80°C. The display will be slower and may become unreadable as the ambient temperature drops below -20°C to -30°C. It will return to normal functionality once the ambient temperature rises above -20°C.

Physical/Functional Specifications	
Parameter	**Description**
Input Signal	4-20 mA DC
Max Voltage drop	2.3V @ 21.5mA
Drop under Failure conditions	5.6V
Min loop operating current	3.6mA
Vibration:	IEC 60770-1 field or pipeline, vibration (10-2000 Hz: 0.21mm displacement / 3g max acceleration)
Electromagnetic Compatibility	IEC 61326-3-1
Electronic Housing	Pure Polyester Powder Coated Low Copper (<0.4%) Aluminum. Meets NEMA 4X, IP66, IP67 and NEMA 7 (explosion proof). All stainless-steel housing is optional. Cover o-ring material: Silicone
Wiring	Accepts up to 16 AWG (1.5 mm diameter).
Mounting Bracket	Carbon Steel (zinc-chromate plated) or 316 Stainless Steel. Suitable for wall or 2" (50mm) vertical or horizontal pipe mounting.
Electrical Connections	½"-14 NPT or M20
Dimensions	See Figure 3 and Figure 5
Net Weight	2.5 lbs (1,1 kg) with aluminum housing

Performance	
Parameter	**Description**
Accuracy: • Analog 4-20 mA Mode • Temperature Effect • DE	+/- 0.1% of Span under standard conditions +/- 0.01 % of Span under standard conditions Same as transmitter*
Display	Digital Readout: 7 digits,
Display Resolution	0.01 unit for reading range (-999 to 999) 0.1 unit for reading range (-9999 to -1000) or (1000 unit to 9999). 1 unit for reading range (-99999 to -10000) or (10000 to 99999). 10 units for reading range (-999999 to -100000) or (100000 to 999999).

*Reproduces the transmitter signal exactly to within its resolution

Mounting & Dimensional Drawings

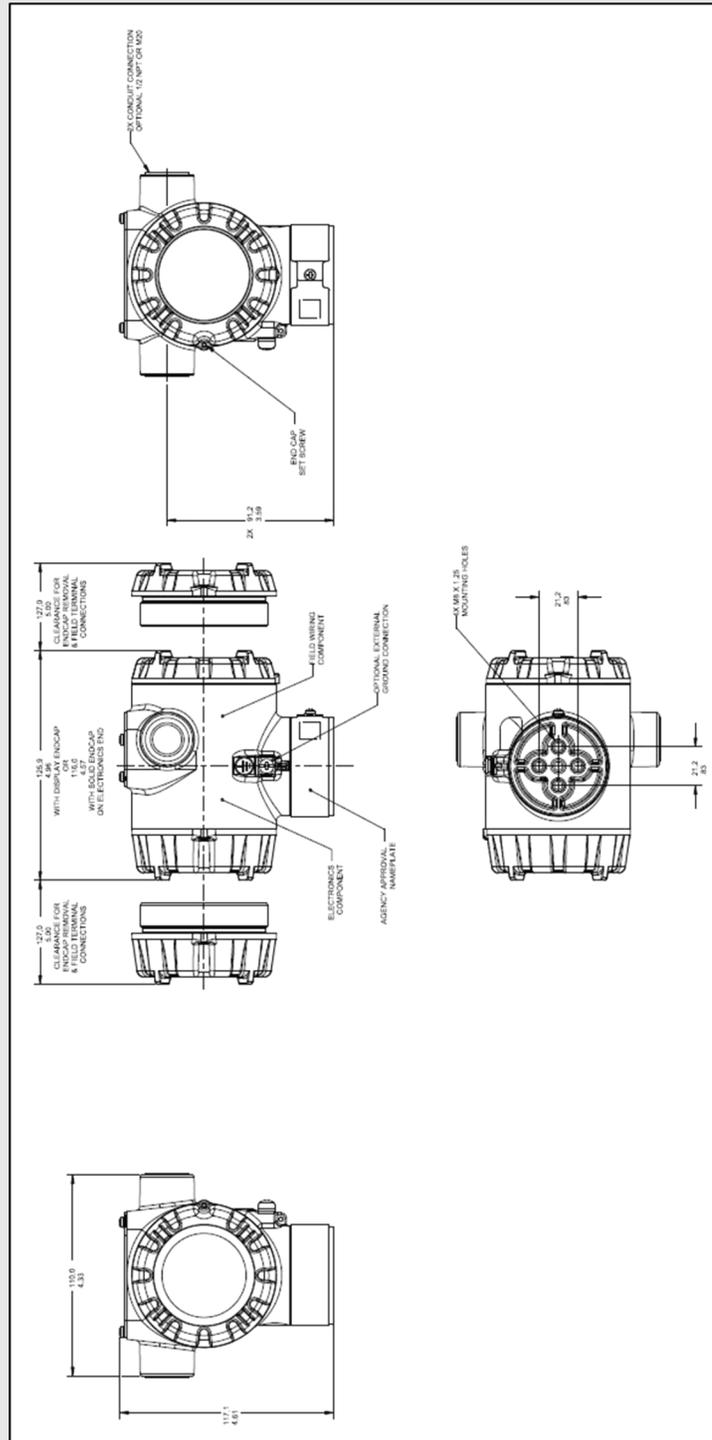**Reference Dimensions:** $\dfrac{\text{millimeters}}{\text{inches}}$

Figure 3 – RMA Dimensions

Mounting & Dimensional Drawings

TRANSMITTER ENCLOSURE CAN BE ROTATED A TOTAL OF 90° FROM THE STANDARD MOUNTING POSITION
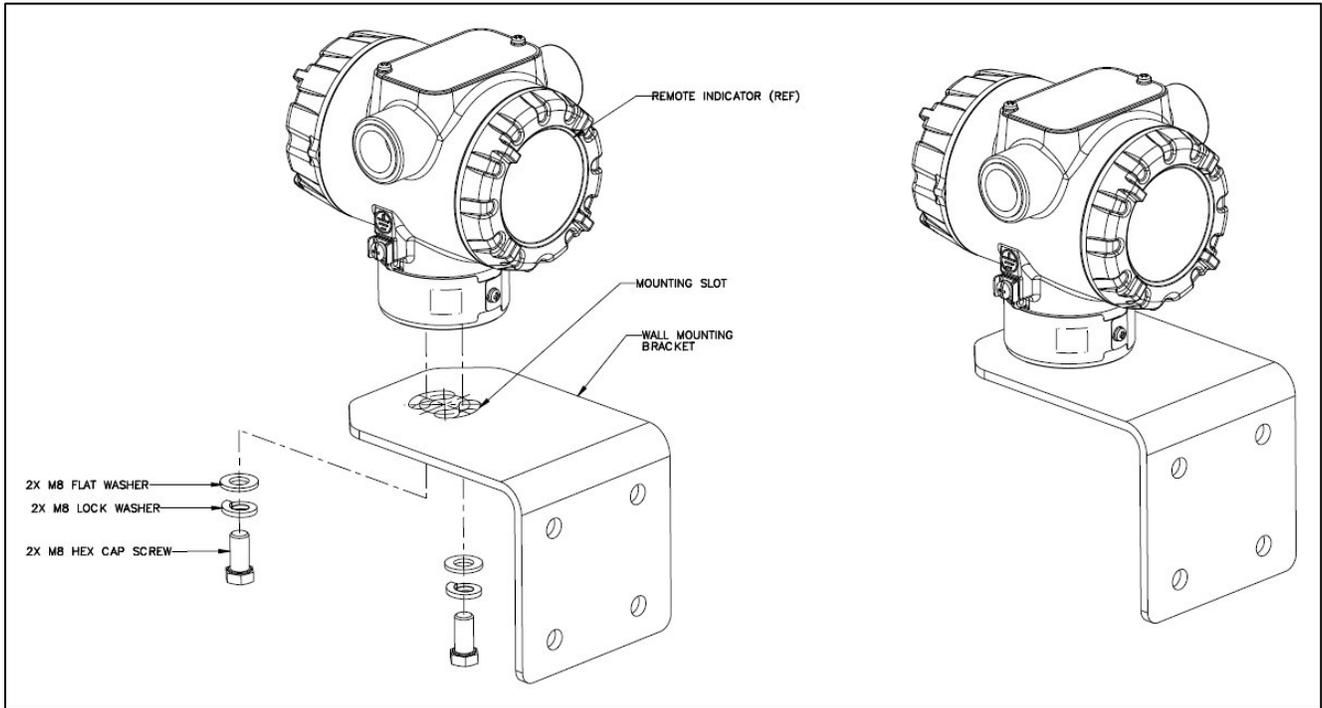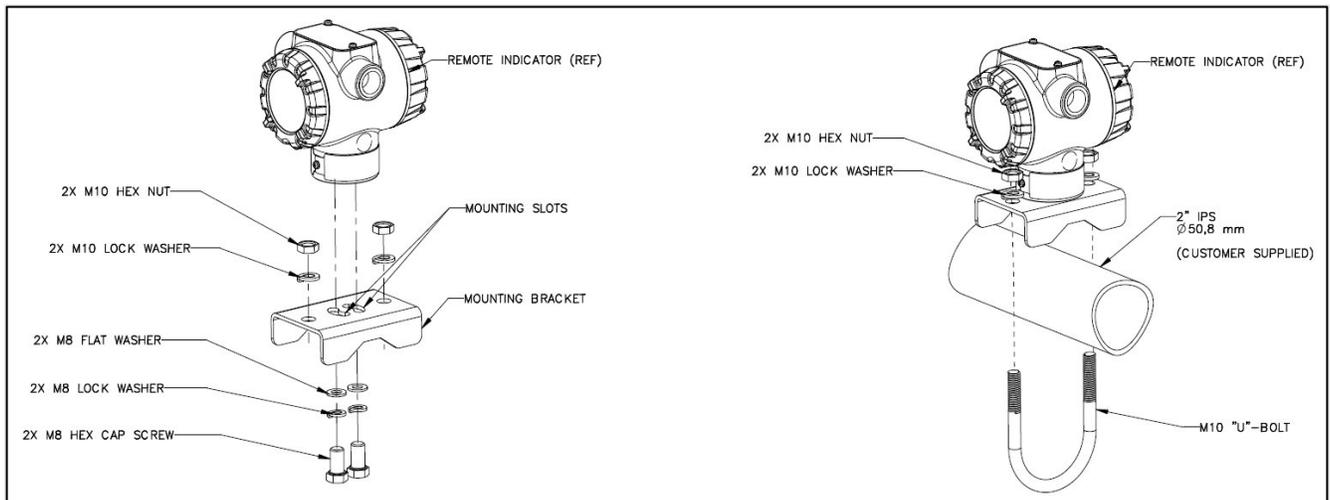

Figure 4 - Wall Mounting

Figure 5 – Pipe Mount, Horizontal & Vertical

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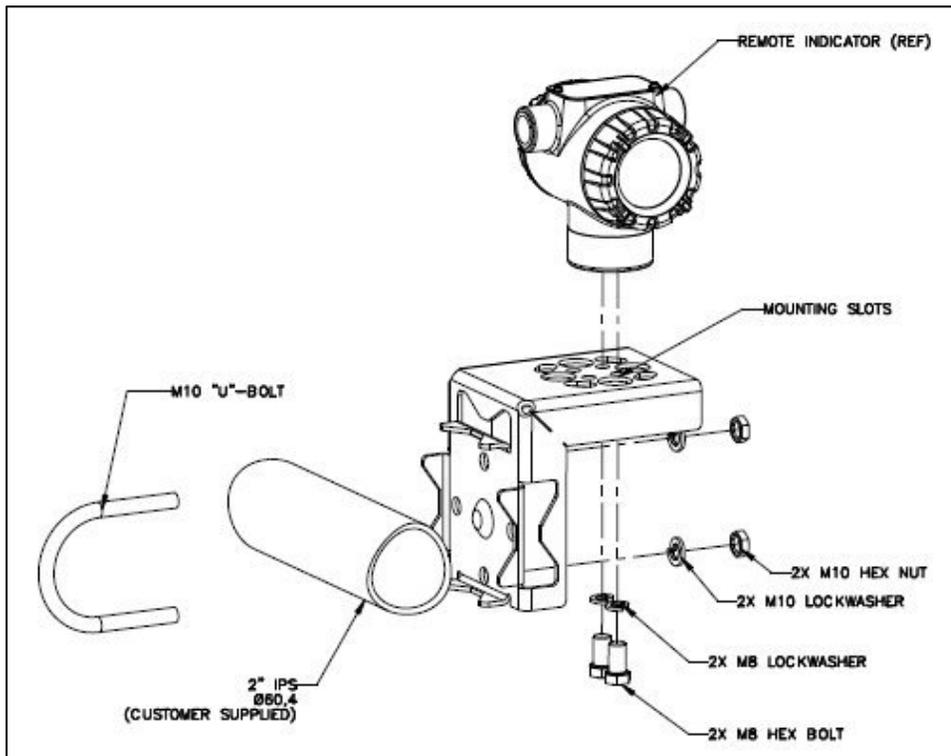

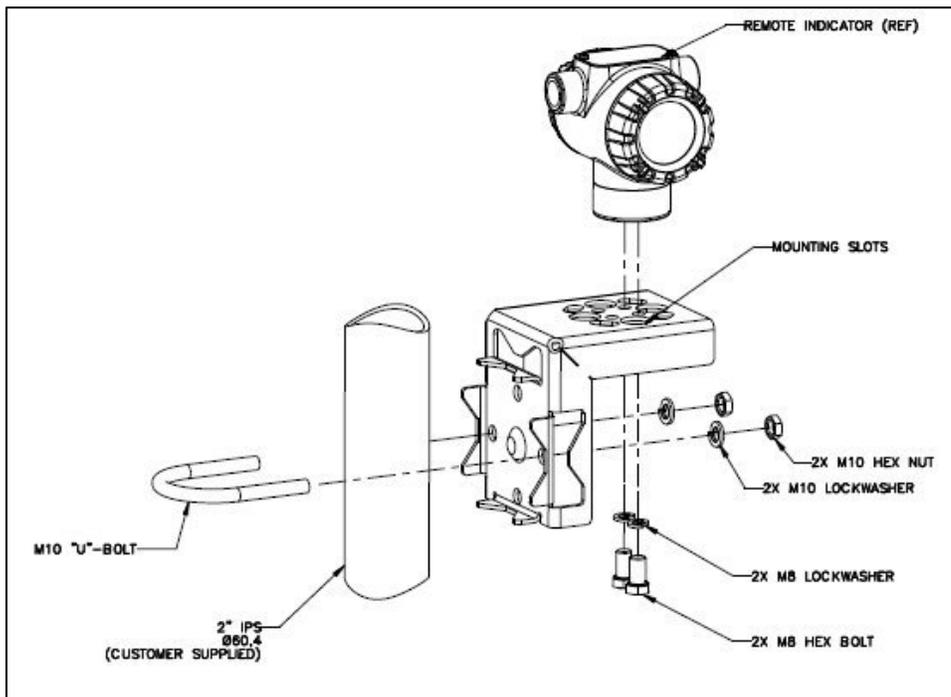**Figure 6: Pipe Mount - Horizontal Mounting Bracket**

Figure 7: Pipe Mount - Vertical Mounting Bracket

Approval Certifications:

MSG CODE	AGENCY	TYPE OF PROTECTION	Electrical Parameters	Ambient Temperature
C	ATEX	**Flame-proof and Dust:** II 2 G Ex db IIC T6..T5 Gb II 2 D Ex tb IIIC T 95ºC Db	Note 1	T6: -50ºC to 65ºC T95ºC, T5: -50ºC to 85ºC
		Intrinsically Safe: II 1 G Ex ia IIC T4 Ga II 3 G Ex ic IIC T4 Gc	Note 2	-50ºC to 70ºC
		Non-Incendive II 3 G Ex ec IIC T4 Gc	Note 1	-50ºC to 85ºC
		Enclosure: Type IP66/ IP67	ALL	ALL
		STANDARDS: EN 60079-0: 2018; EN 60079-1: 2014; EN 60079-11: 2012; EN 60079-31: 2014; EN 60079-7: 2015+A1: 2018;		
C	UKEX	**Flame-proof and Dust:** II 2 G Ex db IIC T6..T5 Gb II 2 D Ex tb IIIC T 95ºC Db	Note 1	T6: -50ºC to 65ºC T95ºC, T5: -50ºC to 85ºC
		Intrinsically Safe: II 1 G Ex ia IIC T4 Ga II 3 G Ex ic IIC T4 Gc	Note 2	-50ºC to 70ºC
		Non-Incendive II 3 G Ex ec IIC T4 Gc	Note 1	-50ºC to 85ºC
		Enclosure: Type IP66/ IP67	ALL	ALL
		STANDARDS: EN 60079-0: 2018; EN 60079-1: 2014; EN 60079-11: 2012; EN 60079-31: 2014; EN 60079-7: 2015+A1: 2018;		
D	IECEx	**Flame-proof:** Ex db IIC T6..T5 Gb Ex tb IIIC T 95ºC Db	Note 1	T6: -50ºC to 65ºC T95ºC, T5: -50ºC to 85ºC
		Intrinsically Safe: Ex ia IIC T4 Ga Ex ic IIC T4 Gc	Note 2	-50ºC to 70ºC
		Non-Incendive Ex ec IIC T4 Gc	Note 1	-50ºC to 70ºC
		Enclosure: IP66/ IP67	ALL	ALL
		STANDARDS: IEC 60079-0: 2018; IEC 60079-1: 2014; IEC 60079-11: 2011; IEC 60079-7: 2017; IEC 60079-31: 2014		
E	SAEx	**Flame-proof:** Ex db IIC T6..T5 Gb Ex tb IIIC T 95ºC Db	Note 1	T6: -20ºC to 65ºC T95ºC, T5: -20ºC to 85ºC
		Intrinsically Safe: Ex ia IIC T4 Ga Ex ic IIC T4 Gc	Note 2	-20ºC to 70ºC
		Non-Incendive Ex ec IIC T4 Gc	Note 1	--20ºC to 85ºC
		Enclosure: IP66/ IP67	ALL	ALL
		STANDARDS: IEC 60079-0: 2011; IEC 60079-1: 2014; IEC 60079-11: 2011; IEC 60079-7: 2006; IEC 60079-31: 2013		
F	INMETRO	**Flame-proof:** Ex db IIC T6..T5 Gb Ex tb IIIC T 95ºC Db	Note 1	T6: -50ºC to 65ºC T95ºC, T5: -50ºC to 85ºC
		Intrinsically Safe: Ex ia IIC T4 Ga Ex ic IIC T4 Gc	Note 2	-50ºC to 70ºC

		Non-Incendive Ex ec IIC T4 Gc	Note 1	--50ºC to 85ºC
		Enclosure: IP66/ IP67	ALL	ALL
		STANDARDS: ABNT NBR IEC 60079-0: 2018; ABNT NBR IEC 60079-1: 2016; ABNT NBR IEC 60079-11: 2013; ABNT NBR IEC 60079-7: 2018; ABNT NBR IEC 60079-31: 2014		
G	NEPSI	**Flame-proof:** Ex d IIC T6/T5 Gb Ex tD A21 IP66/67 T95ºC	Note 1	T6: -50ºC to 65ºC T95ºC, T5: -50ºC to 85ºC
		Intrinsically Safe: Ex ia IIC T4 Ga Ex ic IIC T4 Gc	Note 2	-50ºC to 70ºC
		Non-Incendive Ex nA IIC T4 Gc	Note 1	--50ºC to 85ºC
		Enclosure: IP66/ IP67	ALL	ALL
		STANDARDS: GB 3836.1-2010; GB 3836.2-2010; GB 3836.4-2014; GB 3836.19-2010; GB 3836.20-2010; GB 12476.1-2013; GB 12476.5-2013		
P	CCoE/ PESO	**Flame-proof:** Ex db IIC T6..T5 Gb	Note 1	T6: -50ºC to 65ºC T5: -50ºC to 85ºC
		Intrinsically Safe: Ex ia IIC T4 Ga	Note 2	-50ºC to 70ºC
		Enclosure: IP66/ IP67	ALL	ALL
		STANDARDS: IEC 60079-0: 2011; IEC 60079-1: 2014; IEC 60079-11: 2011; IEC 60079-7: 2006; IEC 60079-31: 2013		
K	cCSAus	**Explosion proof:** Class I, Division 1, Groups A, B, C, D;T6..T4 **Dust Ignition Proof:** Class II, III, Division 1, Groups E, F, G; T4 Class I Zone 1 Ex db IIC T4 Gb Ex db IIC T4 Gb Zone 21 Ex tb IIIC T 95ºC Db Ex tb IIIC T 95ºC Db	Note 1	T6: -50ºC to +65ºC T4, T5: -50 ºC to 85ºC
		Intrinsically Safe: CSA 14.2689056 Class I, II, III, Division 1, Groups A, B, C, D, E, F, G; T4 Ex ia IIC T4 Ga	Note 2	-50ºC to 70ºC
		Non-Incendive Class I, Division 2, Groups A, B, C, D; T4 Class I Zone 2 Ex nA IIC T4 Gc Ex nA IIC T4 Gc	Note 1	-50ºC to 85ºC
		Enclosure: Type 4X/ IP66/ IP67	ALL	ALL
		Standards: CSA C22.2 No. 0: 2015; CSA C22.2 No. 30: 2016; CSA C22.2 No. 94-M91; CSA C22.2 No. 25: 2017; CSA C22.2 No. 61010-1: 2017; CSA-C22.2No.157: 2016; C22.2 No. 213: 2017; C22.2 No. CSA 60079-0:2015; C22.2 No. 60079-1: 2016; C22.2 No. 60079-11: 2014; C22.2 No. 60079-15: 2016; C22.2 No. 60079-31: 2015; ANSI/ ISA12.12.01-2017; ANSI/ ISA 61010-1: 2016; ANSI/ UL 60079-0: 2013; ANSI/ UL 60079-1: 2015; ANSI/ UL 60079-11: 2014; ANSI/ UL 60079-15: 2013; ANSI/ UL 60079-31: 2015 ; FM 3600: 2011; FM 3615: 2006; FM Class 3616: 2011; ANSI/ UL 913: 2015; UL 916: 2015; ANSI/ UL 12.27.01: 2017; ANSI/UL 50E: 2015		

Notes

   1. **Operating Parameters:**
   Input : 4-20 mA ; 42VDC max, 30mA.
   2. **Intrinsically Safe Entity Parameters**
   For details see Control Drawing, 50089981.

Model Selection Guide

The Model Selection Guide is subject to change and is inserted into the specification as guidance only.

Model Selection Guide

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Instructions: Make selections from all Tables Key through VI using column below the proper arrow. Asterisk indicates availability. Letter (a) refer to restrictions highlighted in the restrictions table. Tables delimited with dashes.
List Price: Price equals the sum of prices for all selections made.

Key	I	II	III	IV	V	VI
RMA80_ -	_ -	_ _ _ -	_ _ -	_ _ _ _ -	_ _ _ _ _ -	00000

KEY NUMBER	BASE MODEL	Selection		
Remote Indicator	DE Protocol or Analog (4-20mA DC)	RMA801	▼	
	Foundation Fieldbus	RMA803		▼

TABLE I	AGENCY APPROVALS (see data sheet for Approval Code Details)			
Approvals	No Approvals Required	0	*	*
	FM Explosion proof, Intrinsically Safe, Non-incendive, & Dustproof	A		*
	cCSAus Explosion proof, Intrinsically Safe, Non-incendive, & Dustproof	B		*
	ATEX Explosion proof, Intrinsically Safe & Non-incendive	C	*	*
	IECEx Explosion proof, Intrinsically Safe & Non-incendive	D	*	*
	cCSAus Explosion proof, Intrinsically Safe, Non-incendive, & Dustproof-Canada & US	K	*	
	SAEx Explosion proof, Intrinsically Safe & Non-incendive	E	*	*
	KOSHA Explosion proof, Intrinsically Safe & Non-incendive	H	*	
	CCoE Explosion proof, Intrinsically Safe & Non-incendive	P	*	*

TABLE II	TRANSMITTER ELECTRONICS SELECTIONS					
	Material	Connection	Lightning Protection			
a. Electronic Housing Material & Connection Type	Polyester Powder Coated Aluminum	1/2 NPT	None	A _ _	*	*
	Polyester Powder Coated Aluminum	M20	None	B _ _	*	*
	Polyester Powder Coated Aluminum	1/2 NPT	Yes	C _ _		*
	Polyester Powder Coated Aluminum	M20	Yes	D _ _		*
	316 Stainless Steel (Grade CF8M)	1/2 NPT	None	E _ _	*	*
	316 Stainless Steel (Grade CF8M)	M20	None	F _ _	*	*
	316 Stainless Steel (Grade CF8M)	1/2 NPT	Yes	G _ _		*
	316 Stainless Steel (Grade CF8M)	M20	Yes	H _ _		*
b. Protocol Compatibility	Communications Protocol					
	DE protocol or Analog (4-20mA DC)			_ D _	*	
	Foundation Fieldbus Enabled			_ F _		*
c. Customer Interface Selections	Display	External Config Buttons	Languages			
	Standard	None (Integrated on Display)	English	_ _ A	*	
	Advanced	None	EN, GE, FR, IT, SP, RU, TU	_ _ D		*
	Advanced	External	EN, GE, FR, IT,SP, RU, TU	_ _ E		*
	Advanced	None	EN, CH, JP	_ _ H		*
	Advanced	External	EN, CH, JP	_ _ J		*

TABLE III	CONFIGURATION SELECTIONS				
a. Application Software	Application Software				
	Standard Software		1 _	*	*
	Additional Function Blocks (Fieldbus Only: Adds PID, Char, Arith, Selector & Integ blocks)		2 _		*
b. Configuration	Factory Configuration	Write Protection			
	Factory Standard	Disabled	_ S	*	*
	Factory Standard	Enabled	_ T	*	*

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TABLE IV	ACCESSORY SELECTIONS			RMA801	RMA803
	Bracket Type	**Material**			
a. Mounting Bracket	None	None	0 _ _ _	*	*
	Flat Pipe Mounting Bracket	Carbon Steel	1 _ _ _	*	*
	Flat Pipe Mounting Bracket	316 Stainless Steel	2 _ _ _	*	*
	Wall Mounting Bracket	Carbon Steel	3 _ _ _	*	*
	Wall Mounting Bracket	316 Stainless Steel	4 _ _ _	*	*
	Angle Pipe Mounting Bracket	Carbon Steel	6 _ _ _	*	*
	Angle Pipe Mounting Bracket	316 Stainless Steel	7 _ _ _	*	*
b. Customer Tag	**Customer Tag Type**				
	No customer tag		_ 0 _ _	*	*
	One Wired Stainless Steel Tag (Up to 4 lines 26 char/line)		_ 1 _ _	*	*
	Two Wired Stainless Steel Tag (Up to 4 lines 26 char/line)		_ 2 _ _	*	*
c. Unassembled Conduit Plugs & Adapters	**Unassembled Conduit Plugs & Adapters**				
	No Conduit Plugs or Adapters Required		_ _ A0	*	*
	1/2 NPT Male to 3/4 NPT Female 316 SS Certified Conduit Adapter		_ _ A2	n	n
	1/2 NPT 316 SS Certified Conduit Plug		_ _ A6	n	n
	M20 316 SS Certified Conduit Plug		_ _ A7	m	m

TABLE V	OTHER Certifications & Options:(String in sequence comma delimited (XX, XX, XX,..)		RMA801	RMA803	
a. Additional Options	None - No additional options required	00	*	*	
	Certificate of Conformance	F3	*	*	
	Certificate of Origin	F5	*	*	
	Extended Warranty Additional 1 year	01	*	*	
	Extended Warranty Additional 2 years	02	*	*	b
	Extended Warranty Additional 3 years	03	*	*	
	Extended Warranty Additional 4 years	04	*	*	
	Extended Warranty Additional 15 years	15	*	*	

TABLE VI	MANUFACTURING SPECIALS			
Factory	Factory Identification	0000	*	*

MODEL RESTRICTIONS

Restriction	Available Only with		Not Available with	
Letter	Table	Selection(s)	Table	Selection(s)
m	IIa	B, D, F, H _ _		
n	IIa	A, C, E, G _ _		
b	Select only one option from this group			

PRODUCT MANUALS

Description	Part Number
RMA801 Remote Meter Assembly HART / DE manual - English	34-ST-25-62
RMA803 Remote Meter Assembly Foundation Fieldbus manual - English	34-ST-25-51

All product documentation is available at www.honeywellprocess.com.

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