



Liquid & Gas Flow Computer

MVI46-AFC

The MVI46 Liquid & Gas Flow Computer Module is an SLC backplane compatible module that allows SLC processors to easily support flow applications with 8 meter runs performing measurement of hydrocarbon gases or liquids using AGA 3, 7, 8 and API 2540 measurement standards.

Features and Benefits

The MVI46-AFC is an in-rack Liquid & Gas Flow Computer Module for the SLC platform. The MVI46-AFC Flow Computer module supports 8 meter channels for the measurement of hydrocarbon gases and liquids using currently accepted industry measurement standards.

The module calculates flow rates, accumulated volumes, accumulated mass and accumulated energy (heating value). The calculation results are transferred back to the Processor memory for use in the application ladder program or for transfer back to a SCADA host.

General Specifications

- Single Slot – 1746 backplane compatible (Local or extended I/O rack only. Remote rack not supported)
- The module is recognized as an Input/Output module and has access to processor memory for data transfer between processor and module using M0/M1 files
- Ladder Logic is used for data transfer between module and processor
- Configuration data obtained through user-defined ladder. Sample ladder file included

Specification	Description
Backplane Current Load	800 ma @ 5V (from backplane)
Operating Temperature	0 to 60°C (32 to 140°F)
Storage Temperature	-40 to 85°C (-40 to 185°F)
Shock	30g operational, 50g non-operational
Relative Humidity	5 to 95% (non-condensing)
Vibration	5 g from 10150 Hz
LED indicators	Module status, Backplane transfer status, Application status, Serial activity and error LED status

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The MVI46-AFC module is the ideal solution for the many applications where hydrocarbon flow and SCADA communication must be added to the SLC platform.

Applications using the MVI46-AFC module can be found mainly in the oil and gas industrial sectors.

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Debug/Configuration port (CFG)

CFG Port (CFG)	RJ45 (DB-9M with supplied cable) RS-232 only
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Configuration Connector	RJ45 RS-232 Connector (RJ45 to DB-9 cable shipped with unit)
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Application Ports

Application Serial port (PRT1, PRT2) (Serial Modules)	(3) RJ45 RS-232/422/485 Application ports
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Functional Specifications

The AFC module operates as a powerful flow computer module, augmenting the operation of the SLC processor by providing a dedicated and accurate set of flow calculations; the results of which are easily available to process monitoring and control applications developed in the SLC.

The module is highly-configurable, allowing each of the 8 meter runs to be individually setup to meet the specific requirement of an application. Some of the configurable parameters include:

Configurable options

- Gas analysis concentrations for any of all 21 components
- Physical data for all meter runs including, orifice and pipe diameters, selection of type of taps and tap location etc.
- Reference pressure, temperature and local atmospheric conditions
- Default process and operating parameters like DP threshold for flow cutoff etc.
- Metric or imperial units
- User selectable units for totalizers and flow rates on a per channel basis
- Resettable and/or non-resettable totalizers for every meter channel
- Process I/O: analog inputs (pressure, temperature, diff pressure) from analog modules and pulse inputs from pulse/frequency input modules in SLC I/O rack
- Number of meter channels: 8 differential (AGA3) or linear (AGA7) Gas; MPMS 12.2 Liquid)
- Calculation methods: AGA3-1992, AGA 7, AGA8-1992 (detailed characterization method), API MPMS Ch12.2 API 2540
- Meter scan time under 1 second for all 8 channels
- Product measurement: hydrocarbon gases and liquids
- Data archiving: Hourly for 2 days for each meter run (48 records per channel), Daily for 35 days (optional extended archives up to 1260 hourly and 350 daily). All archived data is available in the onboard Modbus memory map (archive size and contents are fully-configurable)

- Event log report for all security sensitive configuration data (for example, orifice diameter) are date and time stamped and mapped to the local Modbus memory map. This data can be imported into any spreadsheet program and saved to disk or printed as hard copy.

Modbus interface

- The two Modbus slave ports allow the unit to be used as a SCADA interface and to broaden access to the AFC module's data table.
- Either port may be configured for RTU or ASCII Modbus mode.
- Both Modbus slave ports provide access to all configuration and measurement data mapped to the Modbus table.
- Modbus table may be re-mapped for user assigned contiguous register polling from a SCADA master (up to 20,000 registers.)
- Port 3 can be configured as a Modbus Master port to poll data from a remote chromatograph device.

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