

# **EchoSonic® II**

## **Ultrasonic Level Transmitter**

### **LU23, LU27, LU28 & LU29 Series Manual**

#### **NEMA 4X Enclosure**



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The EchoSonic® II is a general-purpose ultrasonic level transmitter that provides a loop powered 4-20 mA output. The 4-20 mA output can be used to provide the proportional level of liquid in any tank or vessel. The signal can be connected to any device that accepts loop powered 4-20 mA signals, such as a PLC, SCADA, DCS, display, controller, etc.

### New Features

- Simple configuration with WebCal® software, ***no more target calibration***.
- Adjustable Loop Fail-Safe, Hold Last, Empty, Full, 21 mA, 22 mA
- Easy to reverse mA output, 4-20 mA to 20-4 mA
- Adjustable start-up condition, Empty, Mid (12 mA), Full, Over range (22 mA)

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Range:	LU27: 4" to 9.8' (10 cm to 3 m)	LU23: 8" to 18.0' (20 cm to 5.5 m)	LU28: 8" to 26.2' (20 cm to 8 m)	LU29: 8" to 32.8' (20 cm to 10 m)
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Accuracy:  $\pm 0.2\%$  of range

Resolution: LU27: 0.019" (0.5mm)

LU23: 0.039" (1mm)

LU28: 0.079" (2 mm)

LU29: 0.079" (2 mm)

Dead band: LU27: 4" (10cm)

LU23/28/29: 8" (20cm)

Beam width: LU27: 2" (5cm)

LU23/28/29: 3" (7.6cm)

Configuration: WebCal® PC

Windows® USB® 2.0

Memory: Non-volatile

Supply voltage: 24 VDC (loop)

Consumption: 0.5 W

Loop resistance: 500 Ohms @ 24 VDC

Signal output: 4-20 mA, two-wire

Signal invert: 4-20 mA or 20-4 mA

Signal fail-safe: 4 mA, 20 mA, 21 mA,  
22 mA or hold last

Process temp.: F: -4° to 140°

C: -20° to 60°

Temp. comp.: Automatic

Ambient temp.: F: -31° to 140°

C: -35° to 60°

Pressure: MWP = 30 PSI

Enclosure type: NEMA 4X (IP65)

Encl. hardware: Brass & stainless

Enclosure vent: Water tight membrane

Conduit entrance: Dual, ½" NPT

Encl. material: Polycarbonate

Trans. material: PVDF

Process mount: LU27: 1" NPT (1" G)

LU23/28/29: 2" NPT (2" G)

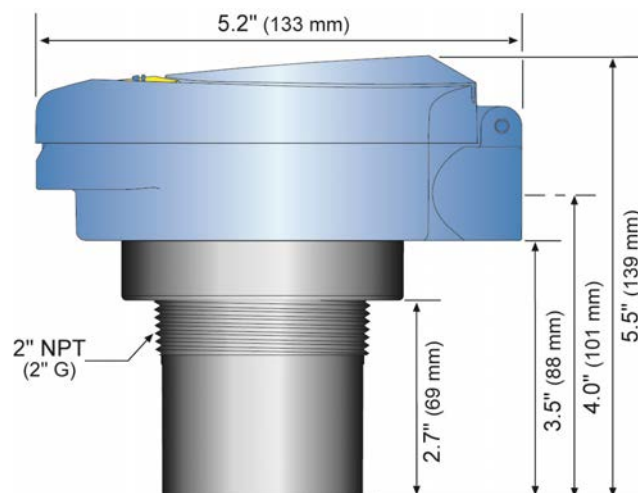
Mount. gasket: Viton®

Classification: General purpose

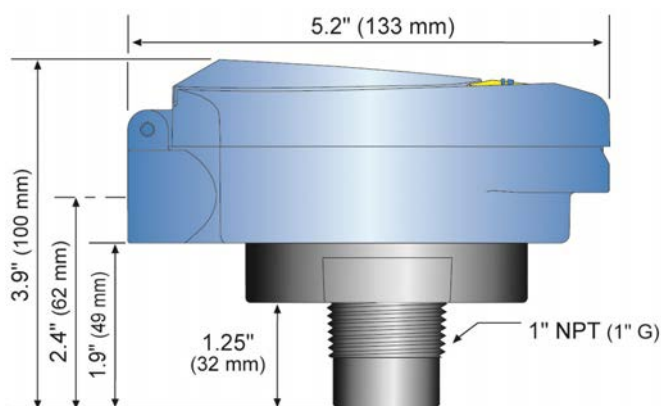
Compliance: CE, RoHS

**Models:** LU23-4\_, LU23-5\_,

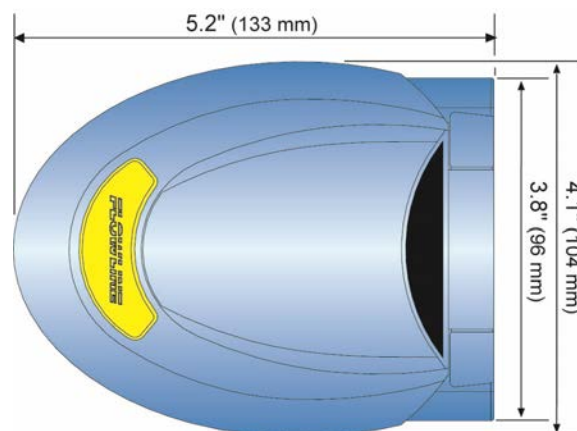
LU28-4\_, LU28-5\_, LU29-4\_ & LU29-5\_



**Models:** LU27-4\_, LU27-5\_



**Top View: All models**



**⚠ About this Manual:** PLEASE READ THE ENTIRE MANUAL PRIOR TO INSTALLING OR USING THIS PRODUCT. This manual includes information on the EchoSonic® II series Ultrasonic Level transmitter from FLOWLINE. Please refer to the part number located on the sensor label to verify the exact model configuration, which you have purchased.

**⚠ User's Responsibility for Safety:** FLOWLINE manufactures a broad range of level sensing technologies. While each of these sensors is designed to operate in a wide variety of applications, it is the user's responsibility to select a sensor model that is appropriate for the application, install it properly, perform tests of the installed system, and maintain all components. The failure to do so could result in property damage or serious injury.

**⚠ Proper Installation and Handling:** Only professional staff should install and/or repair this product. Install the transmitter with the included Viton® gasket and never over tighten the transmitter within the fitting. Always check for leaks prior to system start-up.

**⚠ Wiring and Electrical:** A supply voltage of 12 to 28 VDC is used to power the EchoSonic® II. Electrical wiring of the transmitter should be performed in accordance with all applicable national, state, and local codes.

**⚠ Material Compatibility:** The enclosure is made of Polycarbonate (PC). The transducer is made of Polyvinylidene Fluoride (PVDF). Make sure that the model, which you have selected, is chemically compatible with the application media.

**⚠ Enclosure:** While the transmitter housing is liquid-resistant the EchoSonic® II is not designed to be operational when immersed. It should be mounted in such a way that the enclosure and transducer do not come into contact with the application media under normal operational conditions.

The enclosure has a flip cover with dual 1/2" NPT female conduit ports and an internal terminal strip for wiring. To open the enclosure, you will need a small tool such as a screwdriver. Loosen the locking screw located at the top front of the enclosure. Rotate the hinged cover up for 135° access to the faceplate and terminal strips. Before closing the enclosure, make sure that the enclosure gasket is properly seated, and that any conduit fittings, cable connectors or plugs are installed correctly and sealed.

#### **⚠ Safety**

- Installation should be done by properly trained staff
- Supply voltage should never exceed a maximum of 28 VDC
- Make sure the sensor is chemically compatible with your application
- Design a fail-safe system that accommodates the possibility of sensor and/or power failure.
- This sensor should not be used in classified hazardous environments

**⚠ Make a Fail-Safe System:** Design a fail-safe system that accommodates the possibility of transmitter and/or power failure. FLOWLINE recommends the use of redundant backup systems and alarms in addition to the primary system.

**⚠ Flammable, Explosive or Hazardous Applications:** *EchoSonic® II should not be used within classified hazardous environments.*

**⚠ Warning:** Always use the Viton® gasket when installing the EchoSonic® II, and make sure that all electrical wiring of the switch is in accordance with applicable codes.

**Components:** EchoSonic® II is offered in four different models. Depending on the model purchased, you may or may not have been shipped all the components shown below. You do however, need an EchoSonic® II, USB® Fob and Viton® gasket to configure, install and operate EchoSonic® II.

P/N	Max. Range	Dead Band	Thread	Fob
LU23-40	18.0' (5.5m)	8" (20cm)	2" NPT	No Fob
LU23-41				Fob Included
LU23-50			2" G	No Fob
LU23-51				Fob Included
LU27-40	9.8' (3m)	4" (10cm)	1" NPT	No Fob
LU27-41				Fob Included
LU27-50			1" G	No Fob
LU27-51				Fob Included
LU28-40	26.2' (8m)	8" (20cm)	2" NPT	No Fob
LU28-41				Fob Included
LU28-50			2" G	No Fob
LU28-51				Fob Included
LU29-40	32.8' (10m)	8" (20cm)	2" NPT	No Fob
LU29-41				Fob Included
LU29-50			2" G	No Fob
LU29-51				Fob Included

- Viton® Gasket
  - Part #200128 for LU27 series
  - Part #220129 for LU23, LU28 or LU29 series
- USB® Fob
  - Part #LI99-2001
- Quick Start Guide

EchoSonic® II is configured through WebCal®\*, a PC software program. WebCal® is a free download from Flowline's website. **You must download and install WebCal® prior to plugging in the USB® Fob.** Please go to [www.flowline.com/webcal-software](http://www.flowline.com/webcal-software), and select your language version.



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## WebCal® Software

WebCal software is a PC utility program that enables users to easily configure and test compatible Flowline level sensors to their measurement and control requirements. Download your free copy in English or Chinese and connect your sensor through our Fob USB® adapter. Sensors are sold with and without Fobs. When connected to your level sensor, WebCal displays the factory or user configuration that was last written to the sensors non-volatile memory.

### System Requirements

- Windows® XP, Vista, 7, 8
- 32 or 64-bit system
- USB® 2.0
- 10 mB hard disk space
- 256 mB RAM

### Sensor Configuration



### Downloads

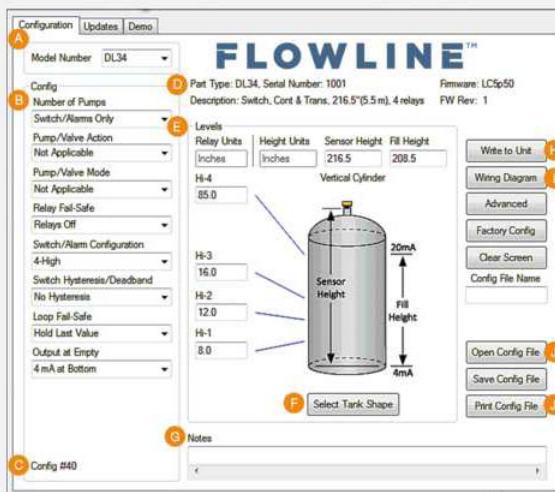
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WebCal 軟件



- Configure your sensor, update the firmware or demo your configuration prior to installation
- Select from preprogrammed drop down menus to create your level configuration
- Supports up to 175 sensor configurations
- View your sensor part number, serial number, description and firmware
- Customize set points to your level measurement or control requirements
- Change the proportional signal output from distance to linearized volume using the standard tank shapes or custom strapping table

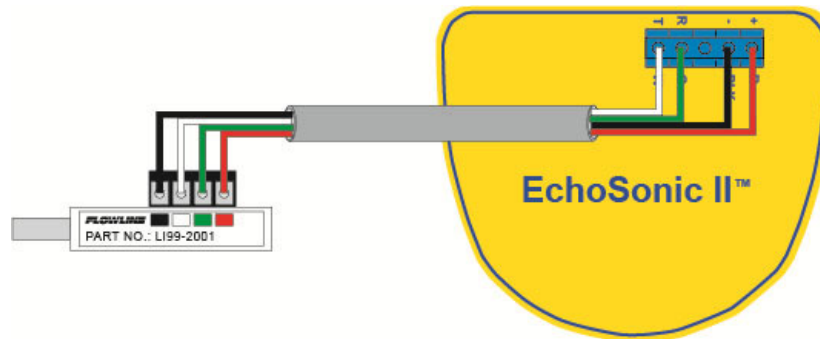
### WebCal® System Requirements

Windows® XP, Vista, 7, 8, 10  
 32 or 64-bit system  
 1 USB® 2.0 port  
 10 mB hard drive space  
 256 mB RAM  
 Internet connection

**\* For complete information on the WebCal® software, please refer to the WebCal® manual located at [www.flowline.com/webca-software](http://www.flowline.com/webca-software).**

**USB® Fob Interface:** EchoSonic® II communicates with WebCal® through a USB® interface called a Fob. Before plugging your Fob into your computer's USB® port, be sure that you have installed WebCal® on your computer.

Connect the red, green, white and black wires from EchoSonic® II into the correct terminals on the Fob. Tighten the screws on the terminals and plug your Fob into the USB® port of your computer.



***Wiring identical for all series – Use only the Red, Black, Green and White wires.***

- The maximum cable distance between the computer and EchoSonic® II is 15'. This only applies when configuring the EchoSonic® II.
- Once EchoSonic® II is configured and prior to installation, isolate the white and green wires from active power to prevent a short of the configuration circuit
- **Note:** When using the Fob, do not add VDC power. The Fob, when connected to the computer, will provide the required power to the EchoSonic® II.

**\* For complete information on the WebCal® software, please refer to the WebCal® manual located at [www.flowline.com](http://www.flowline.com)**

**Note:** EchoSonic® II ships with the LI99-2001 Fob (white in color). The LI99-1001 Fob (black in color) can be used with EchoSonic® II (LU23, LU28 & LU29 series) to configure the sensor with WebCal®.

With EchoSonic® II connected to your computer, open the WebCal®\* software by clicking on the WebCal® icon. Follow steps 1-4 to configure the transmitter. Click “Help” in the lower right hand corner and open the help menu of WebCal® for additional instructions on WebCal®. If you need additional assistance using WebCal®, please contact a Flowline applications engineer at (562) 598-3015. **\* For complete information on the WebCal® software, please refer to the WebCal® manual located at [www.flowline.com/webcal-software](http://www.flowline.com/webcal-software).**

### Configuring EchoSonic® II with WebCal®

1. Sensor Configuration
  - a. Configures the Loop Fail-Safe, Output at Empty and Startup condition for the sensor.
2. Tank Shape Selection
  - a. Defines the shape of the tank as well as the dimensional information for the tank with respect to the sensor's location on the tank.
3. Tank Level Configuration
  - a. Enter the settings for the relay activation points as well as confirm the operational range.
4. Write to Unit
  - a. Uploads configuration into the sensor.
  - b. Access to a customer wiring diagram specific to the relay configuration.

### Sensor Configuration:

WebCal® 5.0.0 - Sample Program

Configuration Updates Demo

Model Number: LU28

Config

Loop Fail-Safe

Overfill (22 mA)

Output at Empty: 4 mA at Bottom

Startup Condition: Empty

Part Type: LU28, Serial Number: 1001, Firmware: LT8p00, FW Rev: 1

Description: Transmitter, 314.88" (8 m)

Levels

Height Units: Inches, Sensor Height: 314.9, Fill Height: 306.9

Vertical Cylinder

Select Tank Shape

Write to Unit, Wiring Diagram, Advanced, Factory Config, Clear Screen, Config File Name, Open Config File, Save Config File, Print Config File

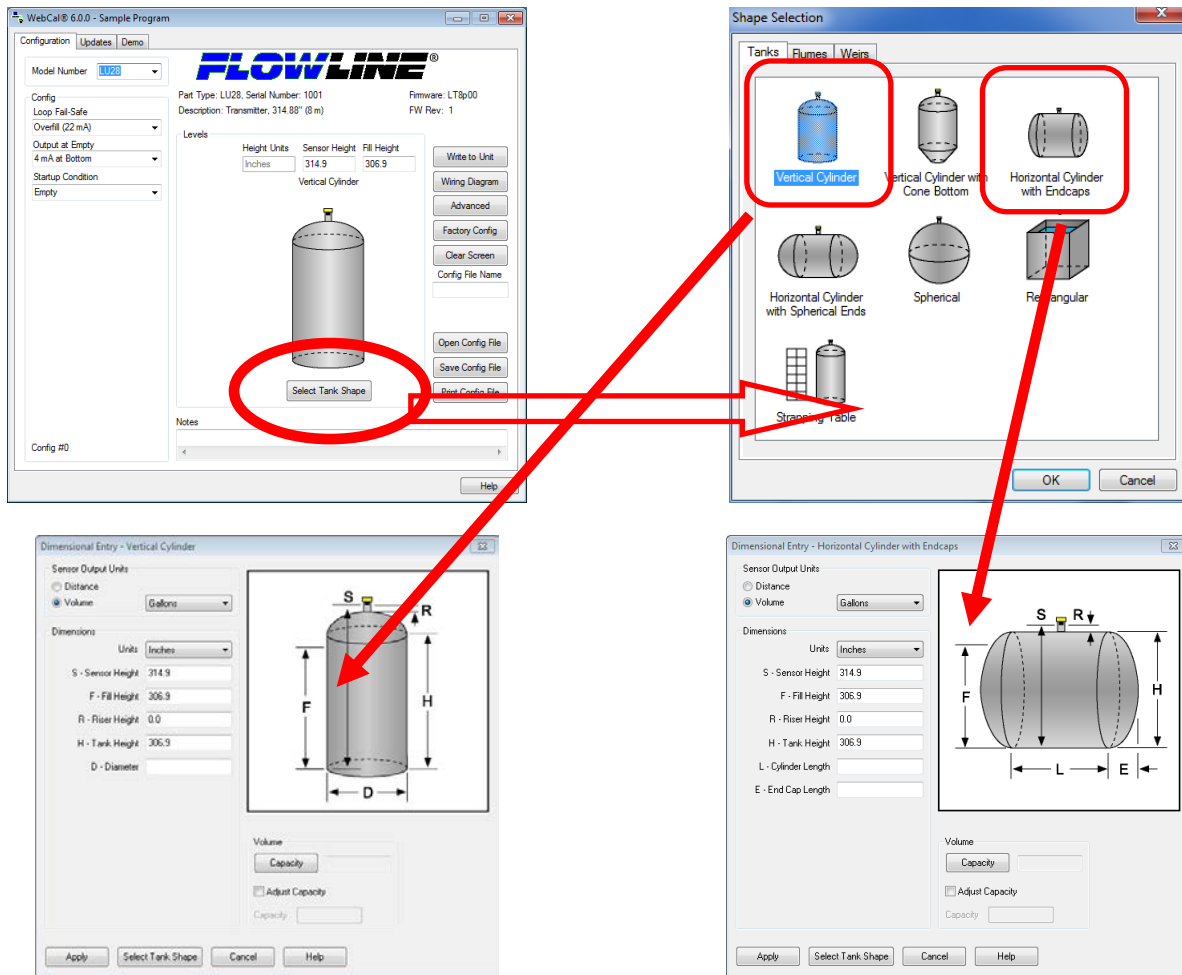
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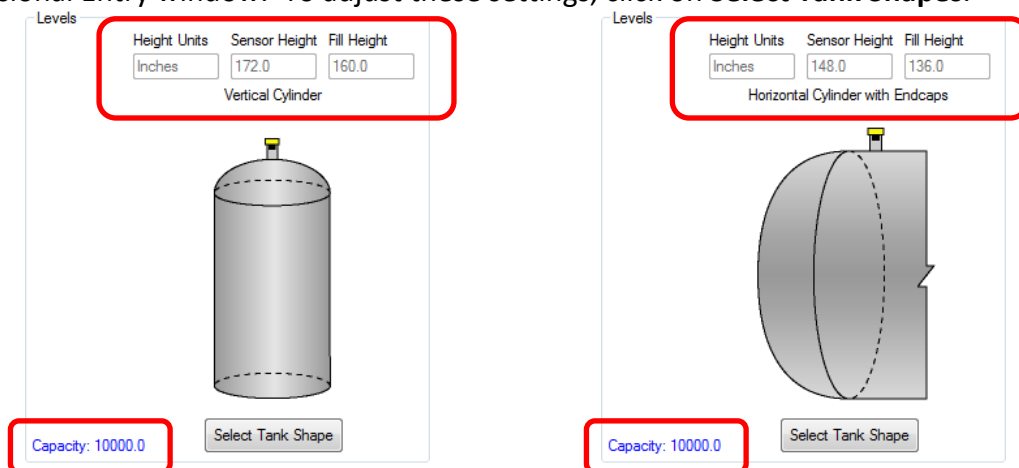
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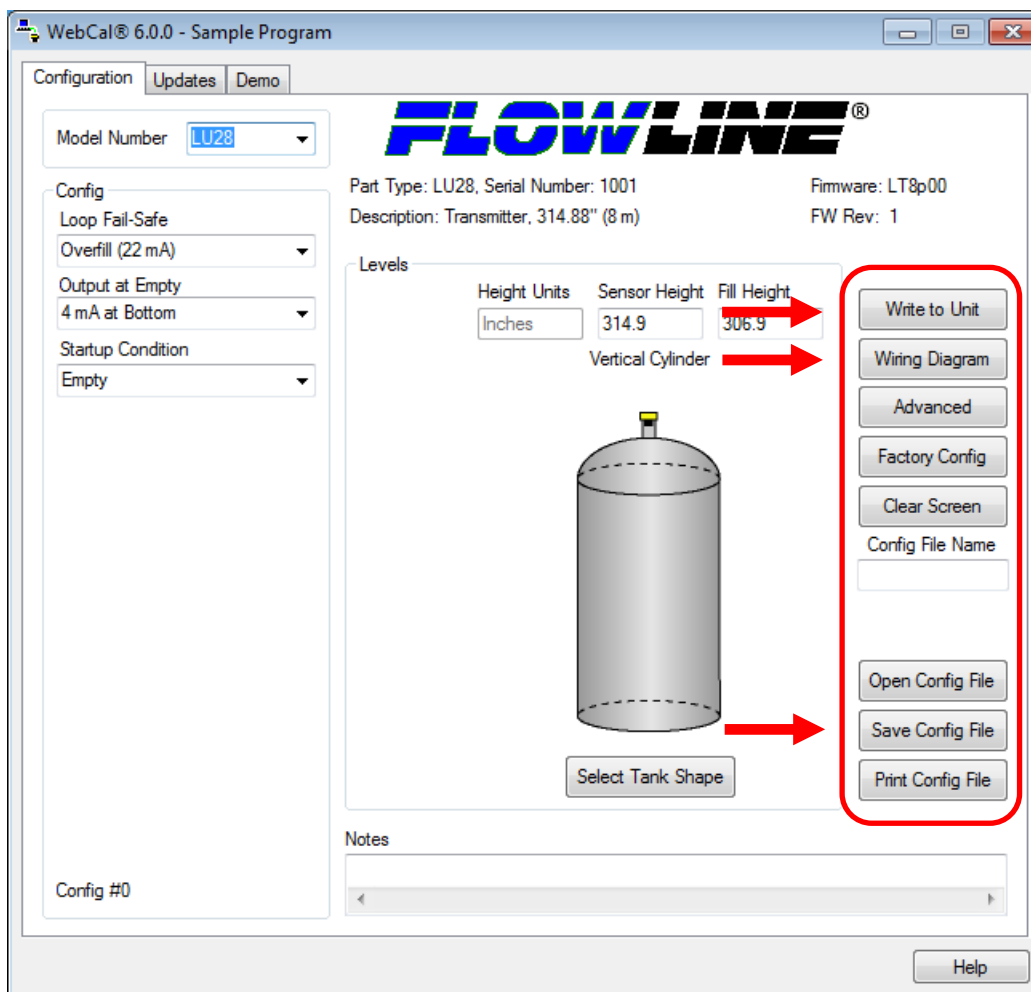
**Tank Shape Selection:** Defines the shape of the tank as well as the dimensional information for the tank with respect to the sensor's location on the tank.



**Tank Level Configuration:** The Height Units, Sensor Height, Fill-Height and Capacity were all calculated in the previous Dimensional Entry window. To adjust these settings, click on **Select Tank Shapes**.

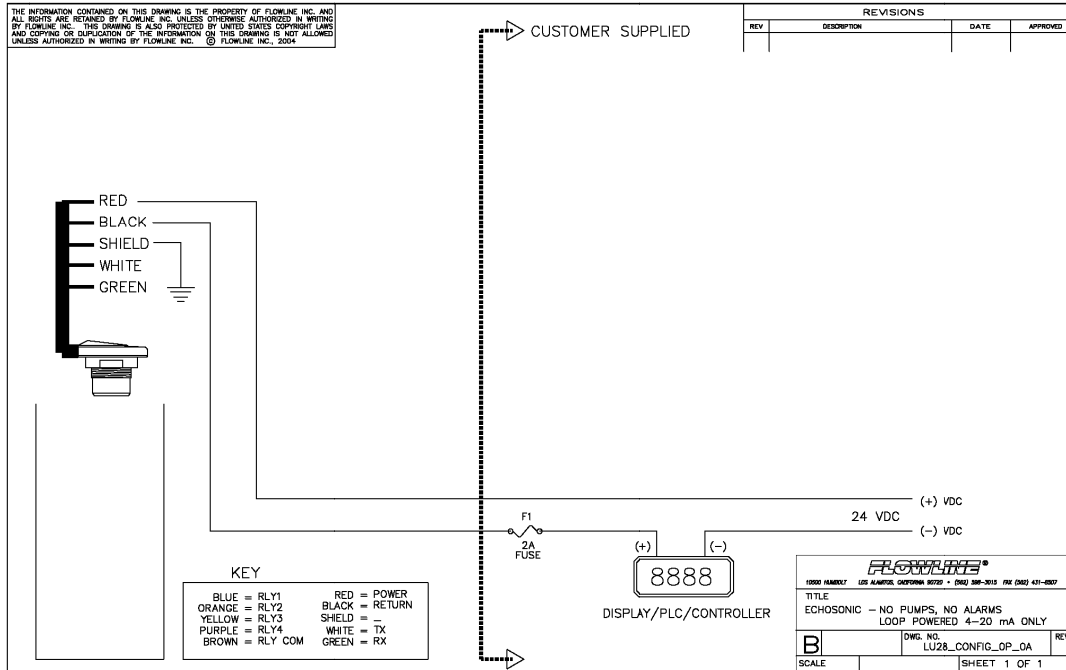


**Write to Unit** – This WebCal®\* operation uploads configuration into the sensor, provides a custom wiring diagram specific to the signal output and/or relay configuration, and saves the configuration file to your hard drive.



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## Wiring Diagram



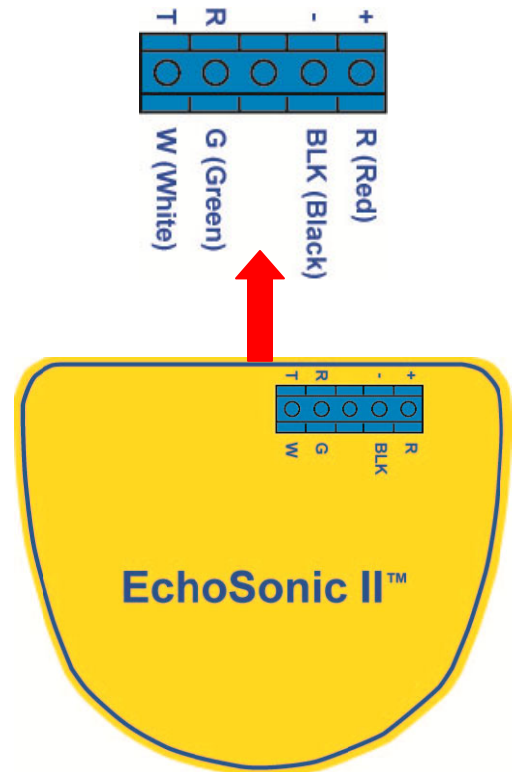
**Wiring EchoSonic® II:** Once EchoSonic® II has been configured, follow the Wiring Diagram by the WebCal® software. A typical wiring diagram is shown above. Flowline recommends using a qualified licensed electrician to wire EchoSonic® II and your application's components.

**Wire Connections:**

**Red (+) & Black (-):** Red (R/+) and Black (BLK/-) leads are for connection to a 24 VDC power supply or to a 4-20 mA loop power source. The red and black wires can be extended up to 1,000 feet using a 22 gauge or larger wire; however do not extend the green and white wires beyond 15'.

**White (T) & Green (R):** White (W/T) and Green (G/R) leads are reserved for use with WebCal® and should not be connected during usage in the application. These wires should not be connected to WebCal® while power is supplied from any source other than the LI99 series Fob. The maximum cable distance between the computer and EchoSonic® II is 15'

**Note:** Never allow the white or green terminals or wires connected to the terminals to touch any power supply.

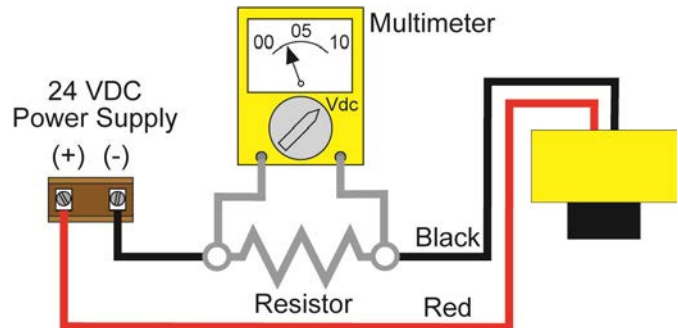


**General notes for electrical connections, usage and safety:**

- **Where personal safety or significant property damage can occur due to a spill, the installation must have a redundant backup safety system installed.**
- Wiring should always be completed by a licensed electrician.
- Supply voltage should never exceed 28 VDC.
- Protect the sensor from excessive electrical spikes by isolating the power, whenever possible.
- The sensor materials must be chemically compatible with the liquids to be measured.
- Design a fail-safe system for possible sensor and/or power failure.
- **Never use the sensor in environments classified as hazardous.**

**Voltage Output:** EchoSonic® II can be used as a 0 to 5 or 0 to 10 VDC output device. A resistor will need to be added to the circuit to enable a voltage output (refer to the wiring diagram below).

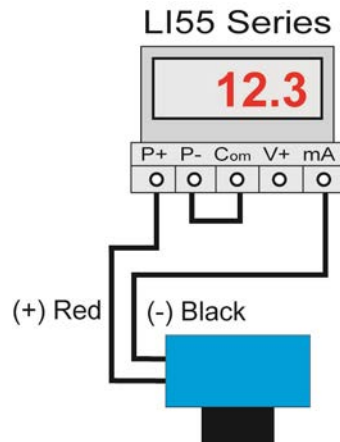
- 0-5 VDC output
  - Add a 250 Ohm resistor
  - Actual output will be 1 to 5 VDC
- 0-10 VDC output
  - Add a 500 Ohm resistor
  - Actual output will be 2 to 10 VDC



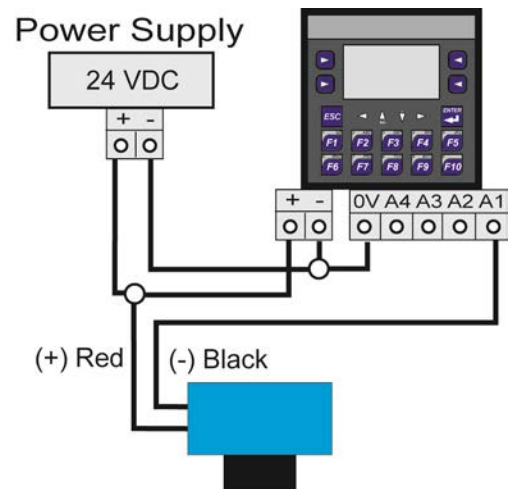
**Wiring to Display, Controllers & PLC's**

Below is a quick review of wiring the EchoSonic® II to common display, controllers and PLC's.

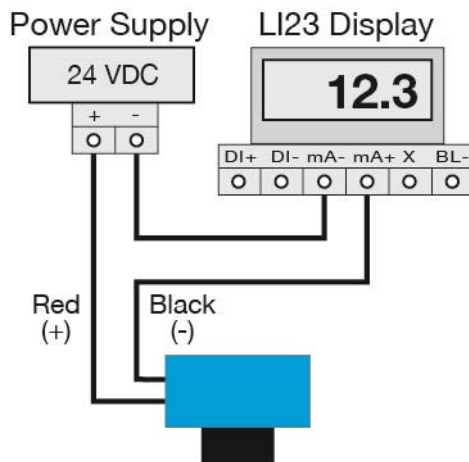
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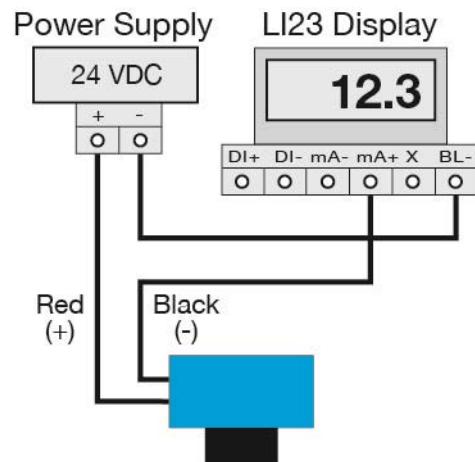
**Commander™ LI90 Series  
Multi-Tank Level Controller**



**DataLoop™ LI23 Series  
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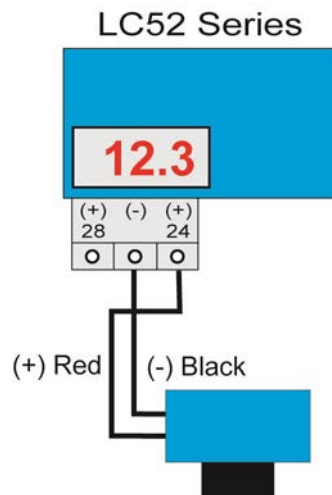


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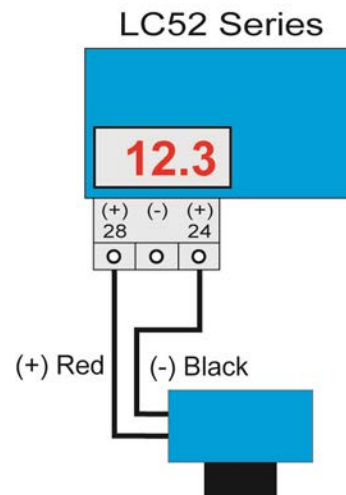


## Wiring to Display, Controllers &amp; PLC's (continued)

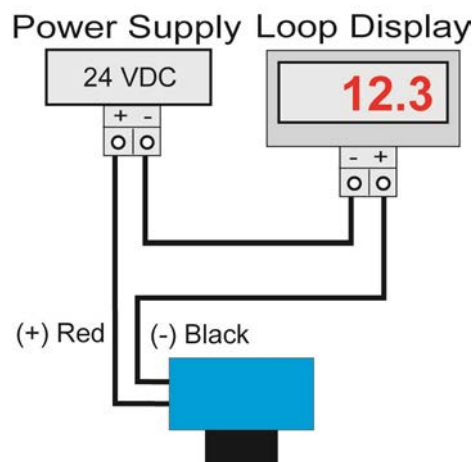
**DataPoint™ LC52 Series  
Level Controller  
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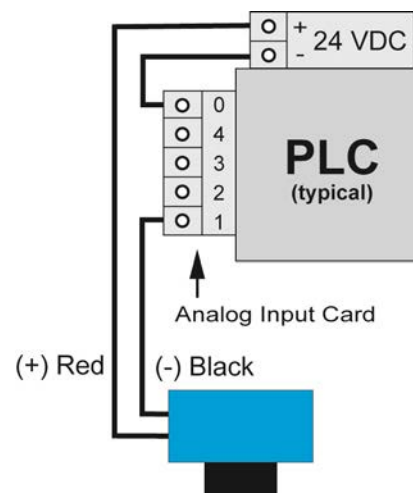
**DataPoint™ LC52 Series  
Level Controller  
JWB mode**



**Generic Loop  
Powered Display**



**Generic PLC**



The EchoSonic® II should always be mounted perpendicular to the liquid surface and installed using the provided Viton® mounting gasket. Make sure that the fitting and transmitter threads are not damaged or worn. Always *hand-tighten* the transmitter within the fitting. Perform an installed leak test under normal process conditions prior to system start up. **Note:** *The preferred mounting fitting for the LU27 series is the LM52-1400 (2" thread x 1" thread) reducer bushing.*

### Mounting Guide

1. Do not mount at an angle
2. Liquid should never enter the dead band
3. Side Wall:
  - a. Mount at least 3" from the side wall
  - b. For LU27 Series - mount at least 2" from the side wall
4. Do not mount where obstacles will intrude on sensor's beam width
  - a. For LU27 Series - mount at least 2" from the side wall
  - b. For LU23, LU28 & LU29 Series - mount at least 3" from the side wall
5. Do not mount in a vacuum
6. Avoid mounting in the center of a dome top tank.
7. In cone bottom tank, position the sensor over the deepest part of the tank.

**Installation in existing fittings:** If the existing fitting is larger than the threads of the EchoSonic® II, select a reducer bushing such as the LM52-1400 (2" thread x 1" thread) or LM52-2400 (3" thread x 2" thread).



LM52-1400



LM52-2400

Do not install at angle relative to the liquid.	
Do not install within 3" of tank sidewall.	
Do not install with objects in the beam.	
Do not install in applications with vacuum.	
Do not install in the center of a dome top tank.	

**Metal Tanks (LU27 series only):** The LU27 series has been optimized for use in non-metallic fittings.

1. For best performance, avoid the use of metallic fittings.
  - a. Use a plastic 2" x 1" reducer bushing, such as the LM52-1400 or a plastic 1" flange, such as the LM52-1850 for metallic tanks.
2. While installations directly into a 1" metal fitting are not recommended, acceptable results may be obtained if the 1" fitting is a half coupling in form and the outer diameter of the coupling is tightly wrapped in vinyl tape to dampen vibrations.

**Fitting Selection:** Check the part number to determine the required fitting mount size and thread type. EchoSonic® II is commonly installed in tank adapters, flanges, brackets or standpipes. **Note:** Always include the gasket when installing the EchoSonic® II.

1. **Tank Adapter:** Select a tank adapter fitting, such as the LM52-1890 for the LU27 series or the LM52-2890 for the LU23, LU28 & LU29 series.
  - a. For best results, select a 2" tank adapter and add a reducer bushing such as the LM52-1400, thread x thread, reducer bushing.
  - b. Avoid tank adapter (thread x thread) styles and/or pipe stops forward of the installed transducer.
  - c. Always mount the tank adapter so the majority of fitting is outside the tank.
    - i. **Note:** Never mount the tank adapter upside down or where the bulk of the material is inside the tank.

**2" Tank Adapter  
Slip x Thread  
(LM52-2890)**



**Tank Adapter  
w/ 2" x 1" Reducer Bushing  
LM52-2890 w/LM52-1800)**

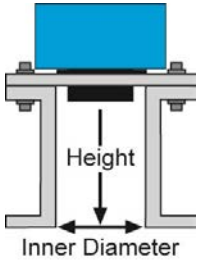


**Tank Adapter  
Thread x Thread**



**Do not use thread x thread**

2. **Riser:** Installations with tall, narrow risers can impede the acoustic signal.
  - a. **Core-Out Concrete:** Applications where tank with a concrete ceiling that has been cored out can also be considered as a riser type application. In these applications follow a 2:1 ratio (Inner Diameter to Core Height) for the diameter of the core.
  - a. **LU23, LU28 & LU29 Series:** 2" (5 cm) diameter risers should be no taller than 4" (10 cm). Larger diameter risers should be no taller than 12" (30.5 cm).
  - b. **LU27 Series:**

	Riser Specifications	
	Inner Diameter	Maximum Height
	2" (5cm)	4" (10cm)
	4" (10cm)	8" (20cm)
	6" (15cm)	12" (30cm)

**Note:** Do not exceed the dimensions listed above.



**Note:** If attempting to raise the sensor above the top of the tank to allow for a higher fill capacity, avoid the use of tall and narrow risers. The example to the left exceeds the dimensions listed in the **Riser Specifications** chart. Use a larger tank adapter which takes into account the **Riser Specifications**.



3. **Flange (LU27 series):** If installing on a flange, select a flange with a thread that is above the plane of the flange, such as the LM52-1850.
  - a. *The LU23, LU28 & LU29 series works well with Flange installations.*
  - b. Avoid the use of blind flanges with tapped threads or flanges where the threads are even with the plane of the flange, such as the Banjo 1" Poly ANSI Flange (series AF100).
  - c. Use a flange with a 2" thread and add a 2" to 1" reducer bushing to complete the installation.

2" Flange w/  
thread out of plane  
(LM52-1850)



2" Flange w/  
thread in plane

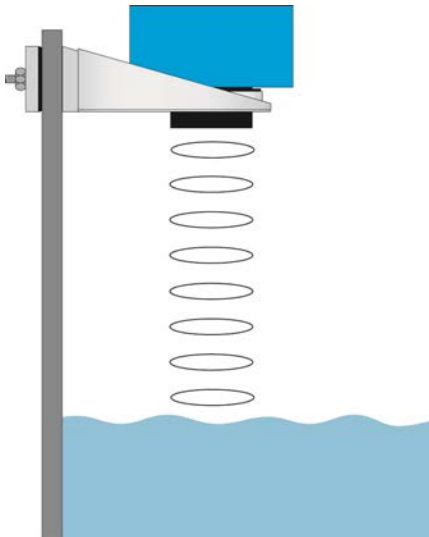


Do not use thread in plane

2" Flange w/  
Reducer Bushing  
(w/LM52-1800)



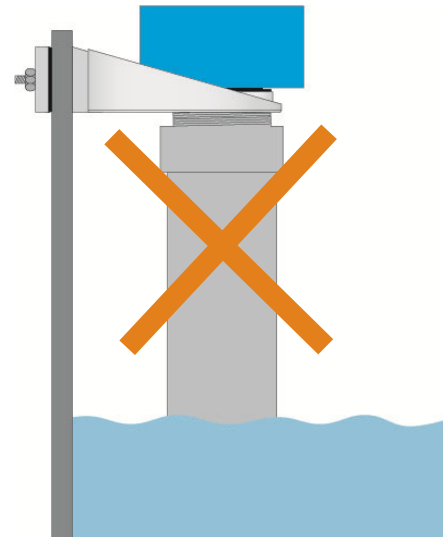
4. **Side Mount Bracket:** For installations in open tanks and sumps, use the LM50 series side mount bracket.
  - a. For the LU27 series, order the LM50-1001-1, which includes a 2"x 1" Reducer Bushing.
  - b. For the LU23, LU28 & LU29, series, order the LM50-1001 side mount bracket.



LM52-1001 Shown



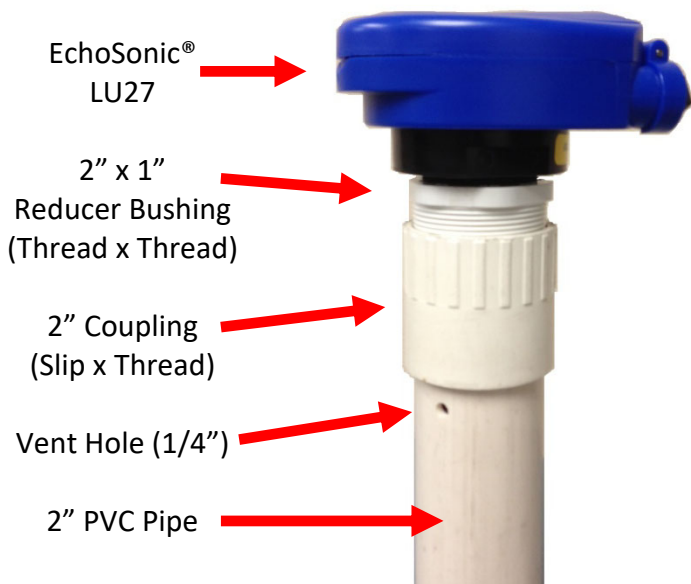
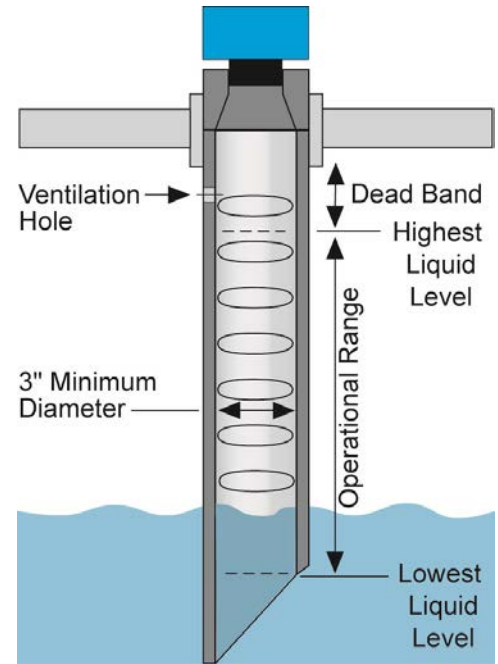
LM52-1001-1 Shown



**Note:** *The Side Mount Bracket (LM50 series) is not designed for use with stand pipes or as a method to secure stand pipes. There are too few threads to properly hold the sensor and the stand pipe.*

**5. Stand Pipe:** A standpipe maybe used to dampen turbulence or when foam is present in the application.

- a. Pipe can be made of any material.
- b. Minimum ID for the stand pipe is listed below.
  - i. A 2" pipe (min. pipe ID) is usable with the LU27 series.
  - ii. A 3" pipe (min. pipe ID) is usable with the LU23, LU28 & LU29 series.
  - iii. Pipes larger than 3" can also be used.
- c. Use a coupling and reducer bushing to attach the EchoSonic® II to the pipe.
  - i. With the LU27 series, be sure to use a plastic reducing bushing such as LM52-1400 2" T x 1" T fitting or the LM52-1410 2" S x 1" T fitting.
  - ii. For the LU23, LU28 & LU29 series, use a reducer bushing such as LM52-2400 (3" T x 2" T) fitting or the LM52-2410 (3" S x 2" T) fitting.
- d. The pipe length should run the measurement span and the bottom of the pipe should remain submerged at all times to prevent foam from entering the pipe.
- e. Cut a 45° notch at the bottom of the pipe and drill a 1/4" pressure equalization hole in the dead band.
- f. The pumps should not drive liquid past the open end of the stand pipe which causes the liquid in the pipe to oscillate.

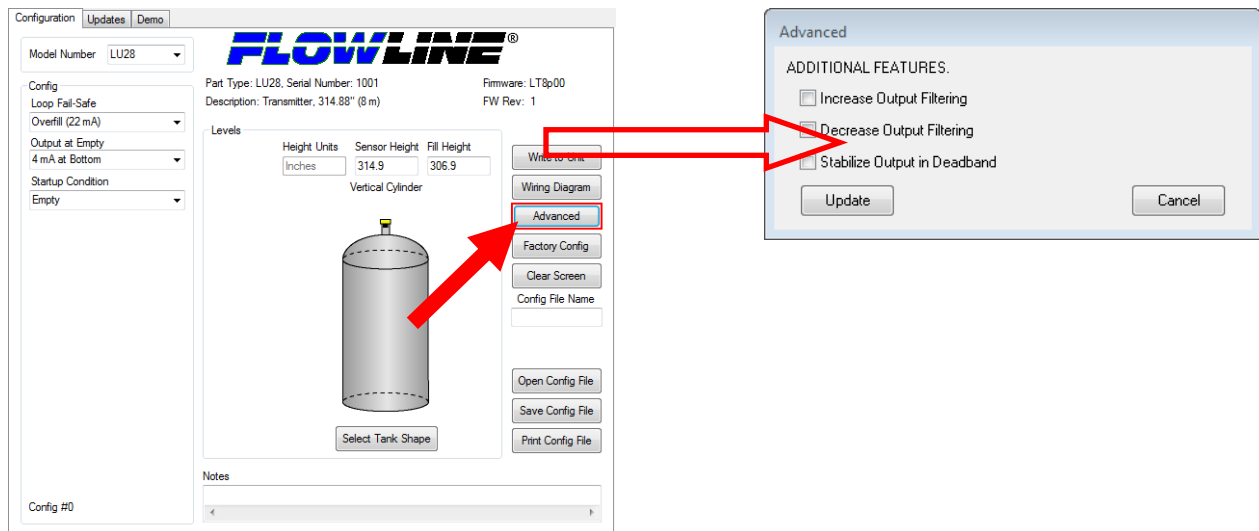


LU27 attached to a LM52-1400 (2" x 1" reducer bushing) to a Slip x Thread 2" Coupling.



Avoid the use of a tee within the stand pipe. A tee can create false signals which will interfere with the sensor's performance.

This tool is designed to help solve operational issues. Changing these settings will alter the performance of your unit. Please read through this HELP file to assist you in making adjustments or if still unclear about a specific issue, please contact FLOWLINE, Applications Engineering.



**NOTE:** When the Advanced Button is highlighted with a RED border, this indicates you have selected an advanced feature...

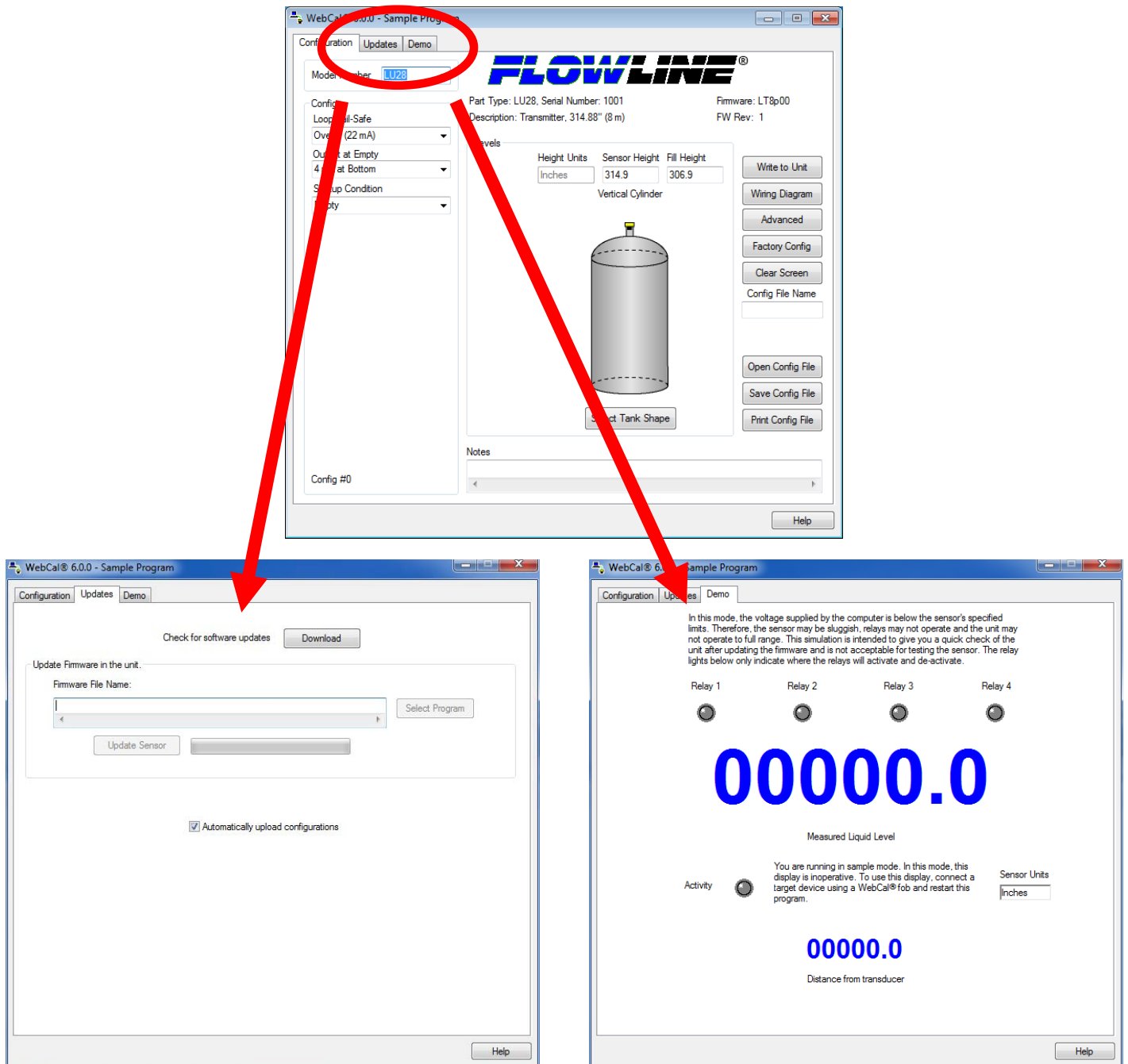
- **Increase Output Filtering:** Placing a check mark in the box will increase the filtering (averaging) of the analog output. Use this filter if the 4 to 20 mA output requires a smooth output for the application such as open channel flow measurement.
- **Decrease Output Filtering:** Placing a check mark in the box will eliminate all filtering (averaging) of the analog output. Enables a pulse by pulse level reading. Use this filter to see changes in level after every sound pulse.

**Note:** Never check increase output filtering and decrease output filtering at the same time.

- **Stabilize Output in Dead band:** Placing a check mark in the box will activate a filter to hold the output at Full if the level enters the dead band of the EchoSonic® II. This filter requires the level to leave the dead band at a smooth and steady rate.

**Update and Demo Tabs:** WebCal® has two other page tabs which can be used to assist in the configuration of the EchoSonic® II. These page tabs are the Updates and Demo tabs.

- **Updates:** The Updates tab has two key features. The first is the ability to update the WebCal® software to its latest version. The second is the ability to update EchoSonic® II's firmware to its latest version.
- **Demo:** The Demo tab has the ability to test the EchoSonic® II sensor against a fixed target and can be used to confirm the switching points for the relays. **Note:** *this feature is only a simulation and the relays are not physically opening and closing.*



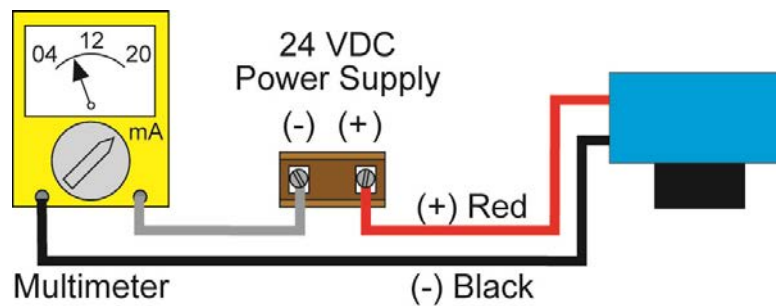
**Factory Default:** Pressing the **Factory Config** button in the Configuration menu will return the screen to the following settings. Out of the box, the EchoSonic® II will output a 4-20 mA output that is maximized for its operational range. The transmitter can be used in the original factory setting without configuration with WebCal®. Use the table below to identify the configuration of the sensor out of the box.

Factory Defaults Table

Part Number	Sensor Height	Fill Height	Loop Fail-Safe	Output at Empty	Startup Condition
LU27-__ Series	300 cm (118.1")	290 cm (114.1")	Overfill (22 mA)	4 mA @ Bottom	Empty
LU23-__ Series	550 cm (216.5")	530 cm (208.7")	Overfill (22 mA)	4 mA @ Bottom	Empty
LU28-__ Series	800 cm (315.0")	780 cm (307.1")	Overfill (22 mA)	4 mA @ Bottom	Empty
LU29-__ Series	1000 cm (393.7")	980 cm (385.8")	Overfill (22 mA)	4 mA @ Bottom	Empty

The screenshot shows the FLOWLINE configuration web interface. At the top, there are tabs for 'Configuration', 'Updates', and 'Demo'. The 'Configuration' tab is active. On the left, there is a 'Model Number' dropdown set to 'LU28'. Below it, a 'Config' section contains four dropdown menus: 'Loop Fail-Safe' (set to 'Overfill (22 mA)'), 'Output at Empty' (set to '4 mA at Bottom'), 'Startup Condition' (set to 'Empty'), and 'Factory Config' (which is highlighted with a red arrow). The main area displays the 'FLOWLINE' logo and part information: 'Part Type: LU28, Serial Number: 1001', 'Description: Transmitter, 314.88" (8 m)', 'Firmware: LT8p00', and 'FW Rev: 1'. Below this, there is a 'Levels' section with 'Height Units' set to 'Inches', 'Sensor Height' at '314.9', and 'Fill Height' at '306.9'. A diagram of a 'Vertical Cylinder' tank is shown with a 'Select Tank Shape' button. On the right side, there is a vertical stack of buttons: 'Write to Unit', 'Wiring Diagram', 'Advanced', 'Factory Config' (highlighted with a red arrow), 'Clear Screen', 'Config File Name' (with a text input field), 'Open Config File', 'Save Config File', and 'Print Config File'. At the bottom, there is a 'Notes' section with a text area and a 'Config #0' label.

## Testing the Transmitter



1. Connect a multimeter in series with the black wire to read the current output.
2. Verify that the current increases (tank filling) and decreases (tank emptying) appropriately in the calibrated span.
3. If not, carefully observe and attempt to correlate any installation, level or application event for more specific troubleshooting direction.

**User Settings:**

Fill out the chart below and keep as a record of your configuration.

*Tank*

Height =	Fill-H =
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*Loop Fail-Safe (select one)*

Hold Last Value	Empty	Full	Overfill (21mA)	Overfill (22mA)
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*Output at Empty (select one)*

4mA at Bottom	20mA at Bottom
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*Startup Condition (select one)*

Empty	Mid-Tank (12mA)	Full Tank	Overfill (22mA)
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*Advanced (if selected, identify which filter that was activated)*

Increase output filtering:	Decrease output filtering:	Stabilize output in dead band
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## Troubleshooting

PROBLEM	SOLUTION
Transmitter indicates a current of 0 mA	Check the EchoSonic® II wiring for an open circuit. An open circuit is the most common issue with a 0 mA signal.
Transmitter jumps to a current reading between 19 and 20 mA	Check the EchoSonic® II installation. Bad installation fittings will cause false signals near the top of the tank, which typically translates to a signal between 19 and 20 mA. Also look for interference just below the transmitter. If the transmitter is installed in a metal fitting, switch to a plastic fitting.
Transmitter indicates a current over 23 mA	Check the wiring for a short circuit. The EchoSonic® II is current limited to 22 mA. Anything above 22 mA indicates a short circuit..
Transmitter always jumps to LOST condition	Check the dimensional configuration ( <b>Sensor Height</b> and <b>Fill-Height</b> ) of the EchoSonic® II. Make sure that the <b>Fill-H</b> setting corresponds to the full level of liquid (from the bottom up) and not the distance from the transmitter to the liquid (top down).
Output of transmitter is opposite of the level of liquid	Check the <b>Output at Empty</b> Setting.
No Unit Detected in WebCal®	WebCal® cannot detect an EchoSonic® II connected to the computer. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Check that the Fob is connected to the USB® port.</li> <li>• Check that all four wires (Red, Black, White and Green) are securely attached to the Fob.</li> <li>• Check in Device Manager that both drivers (WebCal® Configuration &amp; EchoFob) are present.</li> </ul>
Internet error. The server name or address could not be resolved.	This is a warning indicating the computer configuring EchoSonic® II is not connected to the internet. Click <b>OK</b> to continue. Flowline recommends being connecting to the internet for all configurations. Not being connected to the internet will not prevent the EchoSonic® II from being configured.
Cannot access some of the features in Configuration	As choices are made in Configuration, WebCal® will begin to eliminate functions that are not applicable to a configuration. To reset Configuration or get access to all the features, click on the <b>Clear Screen</b> button.

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