# Summary

The Foxboro Model 876EC is a full featured transmitter for electrodeless conductivity applications. It offers easy configurability, a rugged field-mounted enclosure for the most challenging industrial environments and agency certifications for hazardous electrical areas. HART communications and a time saving HART Device Type Manager integrates with your plant asset management strategies.

#### Business Value

Unlike other electrodeless conductivity measurement solutions, the Foxboro offering provides the widest choice of sensing and configuration selections, resulting in the best possible match for your application. The result is long service life, quick and easy application set changes, and savings in both material and labor costs.

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# Model 876EC Transmitter for Electrodeless Conductivity Measurement

#### **DESCRIPTION**

The Foxboro brand Model 876EC is a 2-wire loop powered intelligent transmitter that, when used with appropriate electrochemical sensors, provides measurement, local display and transmission of electrodeless conductivity or concentration. The transmitter outputs a HART digital signal and a 4 to 20 mA analog output.



For electrodeless conductivity applications requiring a two-wire, loop powered transmitter, the Invensys Foxboro brand Model 876EC with

Foxboro sensors provides the most flexible solution for wide ranging application conditions. Unlike other electrodeless conductivity measurement solutions, the Foxboro offering provides the widest choice of sensing and configuration selections, resulting in the best possible match for your application. The result is long service life, quick and easy application set changes, and savings in both material and labor costs.

## **FEATURES & BENEFITS**

#### **Application Flexibility**

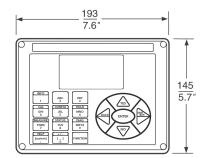
Transmitter can be rapidly customized to specific application requirements, including conductivity and concentration. Conductivity measurements as low as single digit uS/cm can be resolved; however the transmitter can also measure as high as 2000 mS/cm. One basic transmitter handles all applications, simplifying inventory.

#### **Save and Restore Configurations**

Up to two unique configuration profiles can be saved, facilitating a quick and easy change, saving operator time and cost.

#### **Customize and Employ up to Three Applications**

Transmitter can be preconfigured for up to three different applications, each with its own display format, temperature compensation curve, chemical concentration curve (if applicable) and output configuration. Easy switching of applications saves significant time.



### **Auto-switching**

Applications can be auto-switched using user-programmable switch limits. For example, the transmitter can switch from a wide range conductivity application to a very sensitive one without the need to recalibrate the system for the new range. This results in tremendous time savings for operators, and eliminates common sources of error in critical applications.

# **SPECIFICATIONS**

Accuracy:

Stability (After 6 Months): NAMUR Compliance:

Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMC):

Display Format (Selectable):

Temperature Inputs:
Temperature Compensation:

remperature compensation.

Sensor Compatibility:

Output Hold: History Log:

Environmental and Corrosion Resistance:

**Electrical Safety Specifications:** 

±1% of absolute reading within specified range for sensor

Twice the absolute measurement accuracy value NAMUR NE 43 for analog overrange and underrange NAMUR NE 21 for interference immunity requirements Complies with European EMC Directive 2004/108/EC by

conforming to EN 61326-1:2006

From 9.999 uS/cm to 9999 mS/cm

Available display format depends on sensor type and units of

measurement selected

100 ohm or 1000 ohm platinum RTD, 100 kohm thermistor Absolute, NaCl, H2SO4, NaOH, linear, custom and several

other standard types

871EC, 871FT, EP307 and FT10 Series

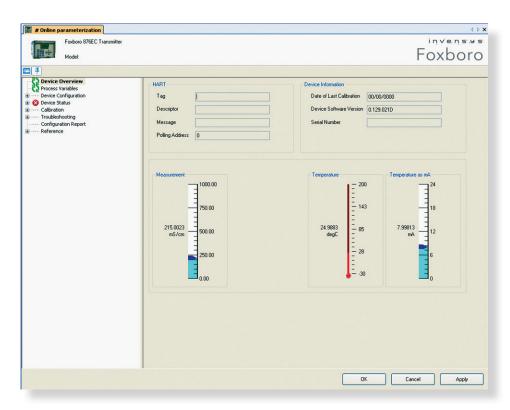
Hold OFF, Hold at PRESENT value, or Hold at MANUAL value

100 most recent events stored in nonvolatile memory

IP66 and NEMA 4X

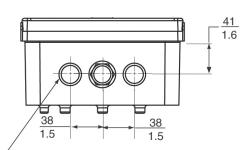
FM approved for Zone 0 and Zone 2, Divisions 1 and 2; ATEX,

CSA and IECEx pending

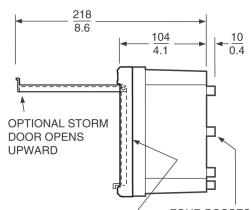


#### HART DTM:

A time-saving HART Device Type Manager (DTM) simplifies configuration and troubleshooting and provides trend graph capabilities.



TWO 22 mm (0.87 in) DIAMETER
HOLES FOR FIELD WIRING ENTRY.
NEMA PLUG IN CENTER HOLE CAN
BE REMOVED FOR ADDITIONAL WIRING.



GASKET BETWEEN
CASE AND HINGED
FRONT COVER.
FRONT COVER
HINGES DOWNWARD.

FOUR BOSSES ON REAR SURFACE TAPPED 0.250-20, 6.4 mm (0.25 in) DEEP ARE USED FOR SURFACE OR PIPE MOUNTING OF TRANSMITTER. CENTERS OF BOSSES ARE ON A 89 mm (3.5 in) BOLT CIRCLE.

# **MODEL CODE**

Description         Mo           Intelligent Transmitter for Electrodeless Conductivity Measurement         876	del SEC
Output Signal Intelligent; Digital HART and 4 to 20 mA	Т
Enclosure Mounting Panel Mounting	Χ
Electrical Safety (contact Foxboro for the current status of certifications)  ATEX intrinsically safe; II 1 G, Ex ia IIC, Zone 0	
CSA intrinsically safe; Class I, II, III, Division 1; and Ex ia IIC, Zone 0	
FM intrinsically safe; Class I, II, III, Division 1; and AEx ia IIC, Zone 0	
IECEx intrinsically safe; II 1 G, Ex ia IIC, Zone 0	
No Certification	Z.
Optional Selections Special per Engineering Order (a)	7

 $<sup>\</sup>hbox{(a) Provides ability to preconfigure the instrument with custom temperature compensation}.$ 

<sup>(</sup>b) Used to protect front panel controls, particularly in field mounting applications.

<sup>(</sup>c) A CD-ROM is shipped as standard with each transmitter.



SENSORS AVAILABLE FOR THE 876EC TRANSMITTER:



871FT Sanitary and Industrial Flow-Through Sensors





871EC Insertion/Submersion Sensors



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