

The BA364G is a two input, field mounting, intrinsically safe counter which can display the sum or difference of the two pulse inputs, or the count direction of input A may be controlled by input b, The output from a quadrature encoder can also be decoded to show speed and direction of movement. The counter is easy to use and each input can be independently configured on-site to operate with a magnetic pick-off, switch contact, proximity detector, open collector or a sensor with a voltage pulse output. A slide-in scale card simplifies identification and international intrinsic safety certification permits worldwide installation.

Any display application requiring the sum or difference of pulse outputs from two sensors can be performed by the BA364G, such as counting the number of strokes performed by two reciprocating pumps and displaying total volume and rate of pumping in engineering units. The counter's quadrature decoder also enables the position of a shaft or a cable to be displayed together with it's speed and direction of movement.

The large display has high contrast and a wide viewing angle, enabling the counter to be read in most lighting conditions over a wide temperature range. The total display may be shown in almost any engineering units and may be reset using the front panel push buttons or an external contact closure. Rate may be displayed in the same or different units of measurement per second, minute or hour.

**Display backlighting** which is internally powered from the counter is available as a factory fitted option. It provides green background illumination enhancing daylight viewing and allowing the display to be easily read at night or when installed in a poorly illuminated area.

The isolated open collector pulse output may be configured to synchronously retransmit either pulse input, or a scaled pulse when the least significant digit of the total display is incremented.

**IP66 protection** is provided by the robust GRP enclosure which has stainless steel fittings, a silicone gasket and an 8mm thick armoured glass window. Ingress and impact protection have been independently assessed by Intertek.

International intrinsic safety certification allows the BA364G counter to be installed in gas and dust hazardous areas worldwide. When configured to operate with a sensor having a voltage or magnetic pick-off output, the input terminals comply with the requirements for *simple apparatus* reducing system design and documentation.

An optional isolated 4/20mA current sink output, which has been certified as a separate intrinsically safe circuit complying with the requirements for simple apparatus, may be configured to produce an output proportional to any part of the rate or total display.

Optional dual alarms with galvanically isolated solid state outputs can switch hazardous area loads such as a sounder or solenoid valve, or safe area loads via a Zener barrier or isolator. Both may be independently configured as a rate or a total alarm monitoring either input, or the sum or difference of the two inputs. Annunciators on the BA364G display show the status of both alarm outputs.

Other field mounting counters include the BA364E which has the same functions as the BA364G, but incorporates a separate terminal compartment.

# BA364G two input counter

Intrinsically safe for use in all gas & dust hazardous areas

- Configurable input:
   magnetic pick-off,
   switch contact,
   proximity detector,
   open collector,
   voltage pulse or
   quadrature decoder.
- Separate displays
- ◆ Intrinsically safe
- **♦ IP66 GRP enclosure**
- ◆ Isolated pulse output
- Simple on-site scale card installation.
- Optional:BacklightDual alarms4/20mA output
- 3 year guarantee

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#### **SPECIFICATION**

Power supply

Voltage 10 to 28V from a Zener barrier or galvanic isolator Current 16mA max plus 16mA for optional backlight

 $2k\Omega$ 

Input

Upper switching thresholds Switch contact 100Ω 1kΩ Proximity detector (NAMUR) 1.2mA 2.1mA

10k0

Magnetic pick-off 0 +40mV Voltage pulse (low) 1V 3V 28V max 10V 28V max Voltage pulse (high) 3V

Frequency

Open collector

150Hz typical | Depends upon pulse width Switch contact Other inputs 100kHz max and debounce setting. All inputs 0.01Hz min

Display

Liquid crystal

Zero blanking Blanked apart from 0 in front of decimal point

8 digits 18mm high 1 of 5 positions or absent Total # Decimal point Rate # 6 digits 12mm high Decimal point 1 of 4 positions or absent ‡ Rate & Total can be shown on either 6 or 8 digit display

Grand total Maximum count 1016

Remote reset Contact closure with resistance less than  $10 k\Omega$ 

Isolated open collector, certified as a separate Pulse output intrinsically safe circuit complying with the

requirements for simple apparatus.

Either input, synchronous pulse output 5kHz max Source and output

Least significant digit of total display pulse output

divisible by 1, 10, 100, 1000 or 10000 Pulse width definable as 0.1, 0.5, 1, 2.5, 5, 10, 25,

50, 100, 250 or 500ms.

Ron  $51\Omega + 3V \text{ max}$ Roff 1MΩ min I max 10mA

Configurable functions

Each input individually configurable

Input function Input A + b: Input A - b: Input A direction

controlled by input b or quadrature encoder input (Inputs 90° out of phase).

Adjustable between 0.0001 and 99999 Adjustable between 0.0001 and 99999 Total scale factor Rate scale factor

Rate timebase Rate may be displayed per second, minute or hour

Adjustable digital filter Rate display filter

Intrinsic safety Europe ATEX

Code Group II Category 1G Ex ia IIC T5 Ga

-40 ≤ Ta ≤ 70°C

Group II Category 1D Ex ia IIIC T80°C Da -40 ≤ Ta ≤ 60°C

ITS16ATEX28408X Cert. No

International IECEx

Ex ia IIC T5 Ga Code

-40 ≤ Ta ≤ 70°C Ex ia IIIC T80°C Da -40 ≤ Ta ≤ 60°C IECEx ITS 16.0004X

Cert No.

ETL & cETL Code

Class I Div 1 Gp A, B, C, D T5 Class II Div 1 Gp E, F, G Class III ] USA &

Class I Zone 0 AEx ia IIC T5 Ga Zone 20 AEx ia IIIC T80°C Da Ex ia IIC T5 Ga Ex ia IIIC T80°C Da

USA Canada

-40°C ≤ Ta ≤ 70°C

Nonincendive USA & Canada ETL & cETL

Code Class I Div 2 Gp A, B, C & D T5

Class II Div 2 Gp F, G. Class III Div 2 Ex ia IIC T5 Ga -40 ≤ Ta ≤ 70°C

ETL Control No. 4008610

Environmental

Operating temp -40 to +70°C display -20 to +70°C

Storage temp -40 to +85°C

Humidity to 95% at 40°C non condensing

Vibration Report available Enclosure

Material GRP

IP66 Ingress

EMC Complies with 2014/30/EU

Mechanical

Terminals Screw clamp for 0.5 to 1.5mm²

Weight 1.1kg

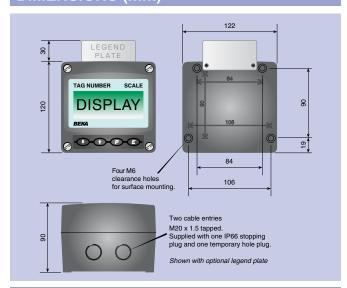
Accessories

Green LED internally powered Backlight

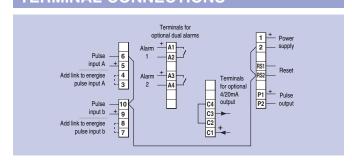
4/20mA output Isolated current sink

Voltage drop 5 to 28V

### **DIMENSIONS (mm)**



# **TERMINAL CONNECTIONS**



Two alarms each of which may be independently Dual alarms

configured as a rate or total, high or low alarm with

a NO or NC output.

Isolated single pole, voltage free solid state switch Outputs

Ron  $5\Omega + 0.7V \text{ max}$ Roff  $IM\Omega$  min

Blank card fitted to all instruments. Scale card

Can be supplied printed with specified units of measurement and tag information for no additional

charge at time of purchase. #

316 stainless steel plate laser engraved with tag Legend plate number or application information attached to rear

of the instrument, visible from the front. #

BA393G 316 stainless steel #

BA394G 316 stainless steel not sealing # Panel mounting kits

BA494G GRP sealing #

# See accessory datasheet for details

# HOW TO ORDER

Pipe mounting kit

Model number Input function	Please specify for each input BA364G Input A + b: Input A - b: Input A direction controlled by input b or quadrature encoder input (Inputs 90° out of phase).*
Input	Type *
Total scale factor	XXXXX *
Rate scale factor	XXXXX *
Rate timebase	Seconds, minutes or hours*
Accessories Display backlight	Please specify if required Backlight

4/20mA output 4/20mA output Dual alarms Alarms

Scale card marking Units

Legend required Tag

Legend required

No charge if ordered with counter

Stainless legend plate Legend required

BA393G Pipe mounting kit

BA394G or BA494G Panel mounting kit

\* Counter can be supplied configured as required for no additional charge. If configuration information is not supplied, instrument will be configured for Input A + b, open collector inputs with rate and total scaling factors of 1.0 and a timebase of seconds with direct pulse retransmission. Can easily be reconfigured on-site.