



Smart Positioner – Contact Type Technology





## SMARTPoz™ 8400S-P

The Forbes Marshall SMARTPoz™ 8400S-P smart positioner brings advanced sensor technology with numerous salient features. A simple to use, operator friendly device which is easy to adapt to control valve application. Numerous functions can be easily achieved by simple configuration. The design lends itself for use in all process plants such as power, pharma, chemical, paper etc. It is built in an elegant aluminium pressure die cast case with environmental protection and yet easy to maintain.

The Forbes Marshall SMARTPoz<sup>™</sup> 8400S-P positioner is a smart two-wire device that uses a 4-20mA signal input as its set point. It compares the setpoint with the actual position of the actuator stem and eliminates the positioning error using an internal PID control action.

This microprocessor based smart positioner provides fast, sensitive and accurate positioning for single acting linear pneumatic actuators. The device is HART compliant with a 4-20mA output signal as position feedback. It comes in variants designed for use in both safe and hazardous environments.

The heart of the positioner is a small piezo based transducer, which is a low power and low air consumption device. The electrical signal from the microcontroller is converted to precise equivalent pneumatic signals through the transducer, which operates the pilot valve, which in turn supplies the proportional air to the valve actuator. It uses a highly reliable potentiometric sensor for feedback.

## **Features**

Precise position control

Robust design

Auto/manual calibration for full stroke

Low air consumption, which ensures payback of investment within few months

Can be used for linear, equal % characteristics irrespective of the plug characteristics

Split range feature for two valves

Alphanumeric LCD display

Local and remote monitoring over HART protocol

Can be used for air- to-open, air-to-close applications irrespective of actuator type

Potentiometric feedback

Basic programming front fascia without configurator

Retro-fitting of existing positioner possible

NAMUR tubeless connection for MF-series actuators. Requires less space as external pneumatic tubing is not required



## **Advantages of HALL Based Positioner**

Suitable for wide range of travel

Compatible with any single acting linear pneumatic actuator

Low maintenance

Reliable

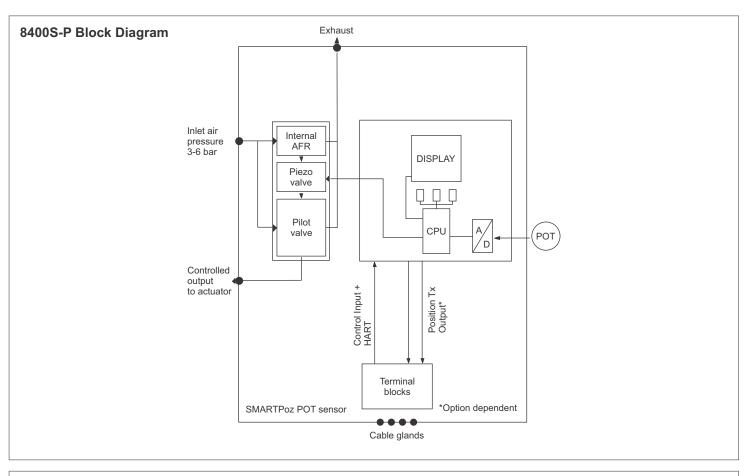
Operating Specifications						
Position sensing	Potentiometric sensor					
Controller type	Smart					
Stroke length	10 - 200 mm : Potentiometric sensor					
Valve characteristics	Linear, equal %, inv equal%, free adjustment					
Actuator type	Single-acting, linear pneumatic actuator (Forbes Marshall / any other make)					
Control input (SP)	4-20mA, 2 wire with HART					
Display	Custom alphanumeric LCD with bar graph					
User input	Via tactile keys : requires opening of lid					
Operating power	4-20mA control input signal, with compliance voltage 10VDC to maintain current of ≥3.4mA at 500 Ohms. It is mandatory to maintain compliance voltage 10VDC minimum to keep the positioner ON.					
Operating temperature	[-] 20° to [+] 80°					
Pneumatic input	1.5 – 6 bar pressure					
Air quality	Filtered with 5 microns, oil class : 3 (< 1 ppm), dried according to ISO8573-1 Class 3 Humidity – Class I					
Air consumption	< 0.02 m³/hr at 6 bar air pressure					

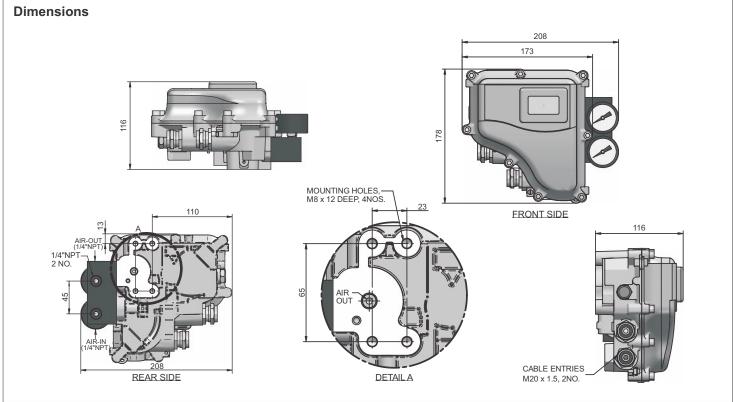
Position transmitter (optional)					
Position feedback signal	Passive 4-20mA output				
External power supply	Vs = 12 to 30 VDC max, RI = [Vs-5V]/20mA				
Temperature stability	0.2% /10° K of full scale				
Accuracy of position feedback	±0.5% of span				
Communication	HART over control input signal				

	Standard	Specially for Ex-Proof / Intrinsically Safe						
Connections								
Terminations	Screw type, for 1sqmm conductor termination	Additional stud for earth connection						
Cable gland	M20 x 1.5mm single compression	M20 x 1.5mm Double compression						
Cable construction	2 core, 1sqmm each conductor, 7-12mm OD	2 core, 1sqmm each conductor, 7-12mm OD						
Cable specs	Cable inductance : 3.05mH max Cable capacitance : 0.083 µF max	Cable inductance : 3.05mH max Cable capacitance : 0.083 µF max						
Cable type	Control input : Unshielded 2 core Feedback : Unshielded 2 core	Control input : Armored 3 core (input+earth) Feedback : Armored 2 core						
Pneumatic connection	1/4" NPT(F)							
Enclosure								
Housing	Aluminium pressure die cast (same for safe and hazardous area)							
Weight	3 kgs							
Area Classification and	Approvals							
Ingress protection	IP 66 conforms to IEC60529							
Certification EMC, EMI	Conforms to IEC 61000-4-2, 4-3, 4-4, 4-5, 4-6 and 4-8, CISPR 22							
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CE Declaration	Declaration of conformity							
Tests	Vibration test : IEC 60068-2-6, Bump test : IEC 60068-2-29							

Model de-codification										
Model	Sensor		Communication		Position Transmitter		Enclosure			
8400S	Р	POT	Н	4-20mA	N	Without Position Tx	W	Weather proof		
		Contact	F16	withHART	Т	With Position Tx	Е	Ex-proof		
		Туре		4-20mA only			E*	Intrinsically safe		
Ordering code : 8 4 0 0 S P										

**Example :** Model 8400SPHTW : Smart Positioner with Hall, HART, Position transmitter and Weather Proof







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