TLA100 Tank Level Adapter



The TLA100 is used to adapt commercially available resistive tank senders to the NMEA 2000[®] network. This allows you to observe tank levels anywhere on the vessel where there are NMEA 2000[®] compatible displays such as the Maretron DSM250 or DSM200.

The TLA100 is compatible with both the American standard (240-30 ohm) and the European standard (10-180 ohm) resistive senders. In fact, the TLA100 can be calibrated for any resistance between 0 and 300 ohms.

Unlike most tank senders that only work with rectangular tanks, the TLA100 can be calibrated for irregular tank shapes so you know the true level of the tanks. You can also use the TLA100 with analog gauges at the same time as NMEA 2000[®] so you don't have to give up existing analog gauges to enjoy the advantages of digitally networked information.

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| PART NUMBER | DESCRIPTION |
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| TLA100-01 | Tank Level Adapter |





The Maretron TLA100 has the following features:

- NMEA 2000® Interface
- Adapts American standard (240-30 ohm) resistive senders to NMEA 2000[®] Network
- Adapts European standard (10-180 ohm) resistive senders to NMEA 2000[®] Network
- Calibrated for any Resistance Range from 0 to 300 Ohms or 300 to 0 Ohms
- Accommodates Irregularly Shaped Tanks with 16 Point Calibration
- 16 Programmable Tank Types Including Fuel, Fresh Water, Waste Water, Live Well
- Programmable Tank Number(s) Up to 16 per Tank Type
- Programmable Tank Capacity
- Works Alongside of Analog Gauges
- Can be Used Standalone without Analog Gauges





Side View







DSM250/DSM200 Screen Shots

| Parameter | Value | Comment |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|--|
| Accuracy | +/-2% | Does Not Include Inaccuracies of Analog Gauge or Sender |
| Resolution | +/-1% | Worst Case (Resolution Better at High Resistance Values) |
| Number of Tank Types | 16 | Fuel, Fresh Water, Waste Water, Live Well, Oil, etc. |
| Number of Tanks per Tank Type | 16 | 16 Tanks per Tank Type Numbered 0-15 |
| American Standard Senders | 240-30 ohms | Standard Sender Types are User Selectable |
| European Standard Senders | 10-180 ohms | Standard Sender Types are User Selectable |
| Calibration Resistance Range | 0-300 ohms | Non-Standard Sender Calibration |
| Support for Irregularly Shaped Tanks | Yes | Can be Calibrated for any Shape Tank |
| Programmable Tank Capacity | Yes | Allows Displays to Calculate Amount Remaining |
| Analog Gauge Support | Yes | Can be Used With or Without Analog Gauges |

| ns | Standard | Comment |
|---------|---|-------------------------------|
| 먍 | NMEA 2000® Standard | Level B+ |
| cat | Maritime Navigation and Radio Communication Equipment & Systems | IEC 61162-3 |
| Ē | Maritime Navigation and Radio Communication Equipment & Systems | IEC 60945 |
| ě | FCC and CE mark | Electromagnetic Compatibility |
| Certifi | | |

| Description | PGN # | PGN Name | Default Rate |
|----------------------------|--------|----------------------------------|------------------|
| Periodic Data PGNs | 127505 | Fluid Level | 0.4 Times/Second |
| Response to Requested PGNs | 126464 | PGN List (Transmit and Receive) | N/A |
| | 126996 | Product Information | N/A |
| | 126998 | Configuration Information | N/A |
| Protocol PGNs | 059392 | ISO Acknowledge | N/A |
| | 059904 | ISO Request | N/A |
| | 060928 | ISO Address Claim | N/A |
| | 065240 | ISO Address Command | N/A |
| | 126208 | NMEA Request/Command/Acknowledge | N/A |

| Parameter | Value | Comment |
|-------------------------------|---------------|--------------------------------|
| Operating Voltage | 9 to 16 Volts | DC Voltage |
| Power Consumption | <100mA | Average Current Drain |
| Load Equivalence Number (LEN) | 2 | NMEA 2000® Spec. (1LEN = 50mA) |
| Reverse Battery Protection | Yes | Indefinitely |
| Load Dump Protection | Yes | Energy Rated per SAE J1113 |

| Parameter | Value | Comment |
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| Size | 3.9" x 1.2" x 1.0" (99mm x 30mm x 25mm) | Excluding NMEA 2000 [®] Connector & Cable |
| Weight | 9 oz. (255g) | |
| Mounting | Any Orientation | |

| Parameter | Value |
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| IEC 60945 Classification | Exposed |
| Degree of Protection | IP67 |
| Operating Temperature | -25°C to 55°C |
| Storage Temperature | -40°C to 70°C |
| Relative Humidity | 93%RH @40° per IEC60945-8.2 |
| Vibration | 2-13.2Hz @ ±1mm, 13.2-100Hz @ 7m/s ² per IEC 60945-8.7 |
| Rain and Spray | 12.5mm Nozzle @ 100liters/min from 3m for 30min per IEC 60945-8.8 |
| Solar Radiation | Ultraviolet B, A, Visible, and Infrared per IEC 60945-8.10 |
| Corrosion (Salt Mist) | 4 times 7days @ 40°C, 95%RH after 2 hour Salt Spray Per IEC 60945-8.12 |
| Electromagnetic Emission | Conducted and Radiated Emission per IEC 60945-9 |
| Electromagnetic Immunity | Conducted, Radiated, Supply, and ESD per IEC 60945-10 |
| Safety Precautions | Dangerous Voltage, Electromagnetic Radio Frequency per IEC 60945-12 |



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