

Model 649A01

Reciprocating Machinery Protector (RMP)

Installation and Operating Manual

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Introduction

Reciprocating compressors can develop devastating faults in a short period of time. Mechanical looseness caused by a cracked rod nut, loose bolt, or excessive clearance can deteriorate quickly resulting in catastrophic failure of the compressor. In extreme cases, this can happen in a matter of minutes.

Many of the serious faults associated with reciprocating compressors are characterized by impacting in the compressor. While the peak vibration levels associated with impacting are quite high, they add little energy to the overall vibration level that is usually monitored and trended, thus faults can be missed. Additionally, since the time from fault to failure of compressors can be short, periodic monitoring is not generally a good option.

The Reciprocating Machinery Protector (RMP) is a Patented Smart Vibration Transmitter that detects impacts and outputs a Reciprocating Fault Index (4-20 mA) that indicates the health of the compressor. Using a built in accelerometer and microprocessor, the RMP detects, weights, and quantifies the measured shock (impacts) and vibration and outputs a 4-20 mA signal proportional to the result. This data can be logged and trended to provide a historical view of condition.

The RMP accommodates two vibration threshold levels and allows different weighting for them, the higher typically being more severe. It also allows for peak acceleration trending when measured levels are below either threshold. Traditional impact transmitters essentially only count vibration peaks and therefore often result in missed faults or false trips. Using the multiple thresholds and acceleration trending features, the RMP avoids these problems and outperforms traditional impact transmitters.

The RMP can be factory programmed or field programmed using an optional USB Programmer, seen on page 18. The unit can set all defaults and recommend alarm levels by specifying only the machine speed (RPM). If desired, all parameters and alarm levels can be selected and programmed by the user to tailor the analysis to a particular machine.

The RMP is loop powered and compatible with most plant monitoring systems such as PLC, DCS, SCADA, and Plant Information (PI) systems. When used in conjunction with one of these systems, the RMP provides 24/7 monitoring and protection of critical compressors.

Typical Faults

- Loose or broken bolts
- Loose or cracked rod nuts
- Cracked connecting or piston rod
- Excessive crosshead/slipper clearance
- Excessive clearance in connecting pins
- Liquid or debris in the cylinder
- Scoring in the cylinder



General Features

- USB Programmable (with optional USB Programmer Kit, page 18)
- Interfaces with PLC, DCS, SCDA, and other PI systems
- 2-pin hermetically sealed stainless steel housing for use in harsh environments
- Imbedded Piezoelectric Accelerometer
- Loop powered
- 4-20 mA output
- Two vibration threshold levels
- Small footprint, mounts like a sensor
- Programmable Features
 - o RPM
 - o Time window
 - o Vibration threshold levels
 - Weighting factors
 - o Trending Range
- Intrinsically safe versions available
 - o CSA
 - o ATEX

Note: For a complete list of product specifications, see the "Specification Sheet" and "Outline Drawing" at the end of this Manual



RMP Program

The RMP can be user programmed with Model 600A21 Programming Kit The kit includes the Model 070A89 USB Programmer and the EE225 software, and includes an extra cable, Model 042M17, for connection to terminal block or integral cable versions of the RMP. The software can also be downloaded from IMI's website, <u>www.imi-sensors.com</u>. This software must be installed prior to connecting the RMP to the computer using Model 070A89 USB Programmer. The software includes the driver and user interface needed for programming the RMP. You may need Administrative rights on the computer being used to install the drivers. Once installed, administrative rights are not required for use.

Program Installation

Installing the Software and USB Driver: Insert the software CD provided into the disk drive. The Software will start the installation automatically if your PC is set to auto-install applications. If not, browse the CD and click on Setup.exe, this will start the installation process. The default installation directory is C:\PCB\600A21 it is recommended to use the default setting.

The Installer will first install the PCB 600A21 Programmer Kit application and then the Silicon Labs USBXpress device driver. This device driver is required for the programmer software to communicate with the 070A89 USB dongle included in the programmer kit.

The following screens will be displayed when the installer starts. Click the Next button to proceed from step to step.

Destination Directory Select the primary installation d	iliectory.
All software will be installed in the	lolowing locations. To instal software into a
different locations, click the Brow	ed button and select another directory.
Directory for FCB 600421 Prog	rammer Kit
Directory for PCB 600421 Prog C:\PCB\600421\	rammer K)
Directory for PCB 600421 Prog C:\PCB\600421\	rammer Kit Biowse
Directory for PCB 600421 Prog C-\PCB\600421\ Directory for National Instrumen	rammer Kit Browse Kg
Directory for PCB 600A21 Prog C:\PCB\600A21\ Directory for National Instrumen C:\Program Files (x86)\National	rammer Kit Browse Browse Its products It products Browse Browse
Directory for PCB 600A21 Prog C:\PCB\600A21\ Directory for National Instrumen C:\Program Files (x86)\National	rammer Kit Browse his products if instruments/ Browse
Directory for PCB 600421 Prog C:\PCB\600A21\ Directory for National Instrumen C:\Program Files (c86)\National	rammer Kit Browse Ng Its products It Instruments\ Browse

Figure 1 – 600A21 Install location screen

The following screen should appear, select "Install from a list or specific location" and click





Start Installation		905)		
Review the following	ng summary before continui	ng.		
Adding or Changing • FCB 600421 Programmer K	(t Fie:			
ik the Next button to begin in	istallation. Click the Black (bution to change the	installation settings.	

Figure 2 – 600A21 Installation verification screen

The installer has finished updat	ng your system.		

Figure 3 – 600A21 Installation complete screen



After the 600A21 Programmer application installation completes the USB driver installer will start automatically. The initial USB installer will look similar to the one below.

	Silicon Laboratories	
F (1)	Silicon Laboratories USBXpress Devic	e
		Driver Version 3.3

Figure 4 – USBXpress driver installation screen

The drivers will now be properly installed and you should get the following screen. Click "Finish". The software is now ready to use.

When the USB driver installation completes the following screen will be displayed.



Figure 5 – USBXpress driver installation complete screen



Running the 600A21 Software

Connect the 070A89 Dongle to a USB port on the PC and then run the 600A21 Programmer application from the **Start | All Programs | PCB 600A21** menu item

Initially the screen will appear as in **Error! Reference source not found.** with a yellow bar and status indicating 'Initializing...' followed by the message: "Connecting to USB Dongle...".

Device Select Select	Always use Device Select after attaching a sensor.	Status Initializing	
	Select a Device to pro The status bar at the top If this takes more than 10 so	ceed when the USB link is establ should turn bright green when the link is made sconds then disconnect & reconnect the USB dong	ished ^{Ie}
		ф	

Figure 6 – 600A21 software without 070A89 USB dongle connection

Once the connection is made the bar at the top of the screen will turn green and the status will indicate "USB Connection Success - Select a device" (Figure 7). If the software and dongle fail to connect, remove and reinsert the USB dongle.

Device Selec Select	Always use Device Select after attaching a sensor.	Status USB Connection Success - Select a device
	Select a Device to p The status bar at the If this takes more than 1	proceed when the USB link is established e top should turn bright green when the link is made. 10 seconds then disconnect & reconnect the USB dongle
Read Da		Set Parameter



To select a device click on the Device Select pull down menu (Figure 8) and select the device you'd like to program, in this case, 649A01.

Hel	p	
	Device Select Select	Always use Device Select
	✓ Select	anter attacting a sensor.
	649A01	
	649A03 K	

Figure 8 – 600A21 Device Selection

Once selected the software prompt you to connect the cable to the selected device. When the sensor is connected click OK to proceed. While the software is establishing communication with the sensor the status will display 'Checking Status...' and the colored indicator box next to the status will alternate between red and yellow, this will take ~15 seconds. Once communication is established the indicator box will turn green and the software will read the sensors current settings and data (**Error! Reference**)



source not found.). The fields presented in the main body of the screen will be specific to the selected sensor.

649A01 Setting & Data fields

The 649A01 screen has 2 sections;

- Actual 649A01 Settings this section, in the middle of the screen, shows the settings currently
 programed in the sensor.
- 649A01 Settings to Write this section, on the right, presents the options for programming the sensor.
- Independent When the Independent box is NOT checked, all RMP parameters are automatically set based on the RPM entered. If you type in the RPM of your machine the remaining parameters will automatically change. When the Independent box is checked, all parameters, except Time Window, can be set independently of RPM and/or each other.

elect Always use Device Select after attaching a sensor.	Status Done
Actual 649A01 Settings	649A01 Settings to Write 📃 Independant
	RPM (I/Min) 300-10,000
Time Window (Sec) 3.2 .1 - 4.0	Time Window (Sec) 0.1 .1 - 4.0
Threshold Level 1 (g) 3.8 .2 - 50	Threshold Level 1 (g) 0.2 .2 - 50
Threshold Level 2 (g) 6 .2 - 50	>>> Threshold Level 2 (g) 0.2 .2 - 50
Weighting 1 (mA) 0.4 0 - 16	Weighting 1 (mA) 0 - 16
Weighting 2 (mA) 0.6 0 - 16	Weighting 2 (mA) 0 - 16
Trending Range (mA) 4-10 4-20	Trending Range (mA) 4- 4 - 20

Figure 9 – Typical RMP (649A01) screen after a successful parameter read

Menu Bar Items

The menu bar has 1 item, Help, which has 2 sub-items;

- Log Communication selecting this option creates the text file <u>600A21 Comms.txt</u> in the same directory where the application is located. This file will be helpful to PCB technical support if communication problems occur.
- **About**... Selection this option causes a dialog box to appear with the software application version information.



Reading and Setting Parameters

Reading Parameters - To Read the current sensor settings click the Read Parameters button.

Note: These operations take ~45 seconds.

Parameter Descriptions

Arrow Button – use the '>>>' button to transfer all Actual Settings to the Settings to Write fields.

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Actu	al 649A01 Settings			6	49A01 Settings to Write		🗌 Independant
					RPM (I/Min)	300	300-10,000
	Time Window (Sec)	3.2	.1 - 4.0		Time Window (Sec)	3.2	.1 - 4.0
	Threshold Level 1 (g)	3.8	.2 - 50		Threshold Level 1 (g)	3.8	.2 - 50
	Threshold Level 2 (g)	6	.2 - 50	>>>	Threshold Level 2 (g)	6	.2 - 50
	Weighting 1 (mA)	0.4	Click to trans	fer the active setti	ngs to the scratchpad 1 (mA)	0.4	0 - 16
	Weighting 2 (mA)	0.6	0 - 16		Weighting 2 (mA)	0.6	0 - 16
	2 2 2 10 10 10 10	10	4 - 20		Tranding Panga (mA) 4-	10	4 - 20

Figure 10 -649A01 Transfer settings to scratchpad using the Arrow button

RMP Parameters - There are seven parameters (see Figure 10 above) that can be programmed to optimize performance of the RMP. Six of these values are based primarily on the rotational speed (RPM) of the compressor and other empirically determined criteria. These parameters include the following.

Note: The default parameters that are automatically inserted in Programmer Screen based on the RPM entry are intended for use with reciprocating gas compressors. If you are using the RMP with a piston pump or any other type of reciprocating machinery, see the section in this manual titled "Using the RMP with Piston Pumps Other Type of Reciprocating Machinery".

RPM – This is the rotational speed of the compressor or other machine in RPM.



Time Window – The total time that data is collected for an analysis cycle is equal to the time required for 16 revolutions of the machine's shaft. This allows sufficient data collection time for accurate analysis. The default value of 16 cannot be changed, even when using the Independent function. This value can be calculated using the following formula, where TW is the time window in seconds.

$$TW = \frac{60}{RPM} \times 16$$

Threshold 1 – The low shock threshold level is typically set to 2 to 4 times the baseline acceleration level measured in g's peak. This value is based on empirical results and assumes a normally operating machine with no impacts at the time of setup. Care should be taken not to set this level too low or false alarms could occur. If this information is not known, a default value is automatically set based on RPM.

Threshold 2 – The high shock threshold level is typically set at 1.5 to 1.6 times the low shock threshold level. The default value is about 1.6.

Weighting 1 – Weighting factor applied for peaks counted above Threshold 1

Weighting 2 - Weighting factor applied for peaks counted above Threshold 2

Trending Range (I_L) – The maximum current used for trending vibration acceleration peaks that do not exceed either shock threshold level (Threshold 1 or Threshold 2).

- If the Trending Range is set to 20 mA, the shock thresholds are disabled, and the sensor outputs 4-20 mA proportional to peak acceleration.
- When the Trending Range is set to some value between 4 and 20 mA, the output is controlled as follows.
 - The sensor outputs $4 I_L$ mA proportional to peak acceleration when no peaks in the time window exceed either shock threshold. Thus, a current of I_L is equal to a vibration value equivalent to that of Threshold 1.
 - The sensor outputs $I_L 20$ mA proportional to the calculated index when at least one peak in the time window exceeds either shock threshold level.



Examples

Example 1: Connect the RMP to the USB Programmer and run the program. Be sure the Independent box is not checked and type 780 in the RPM box. Note that all of the other parameters are set automatically. Click Setup to program the RMP with these settings. The RMP will be programmed, the status read, and the screen in Figure 11 displayed.

elect	after attaching a ser	nsor.	Status	Done		
Actu	al 649A01 Settings		64	9A01 Settings to Write		Independant
				RPM (l/Min)	780	300-10,000
	Time Window (Sec) 1.2	.1 - 4.0		Time Window (Sec)	1.23	.1 - 4.0
	Threshold Level 1 (g) 9.8	.2 - 50		Threshold Level 1 (g)	9.8	.2 - 50
	Threshold Level 2 (g) 15	.6 .2 - 50	>>>	Threshold Level 2 (g)	15.6	.2 - 50
	Weighting 1 (mA) 0.2	0 - 16		Weighting 1 (mA)	0.2	0 - 16
	Weighting 2 (mA) 0.8	0 - 16		Weighting 2 (mA)	0.8	0 - 16
	Trending Range (mA) 4- 8.8	4 - 20		Trending Range (mA) 4-	8.8	4 - 20

Figure 11 – RMP Programmer Screen with Default Setting

Example 2: Connect the RMP to the USB Programmer and run the program. Select the Independent box by clicking on it and type 780 in the RPM box. Note that only the Time Window is set automatically. Type in the following values: Threshold 1 = 5, Threshold 2 = 7, Weighting 1 = 0.6, Weighting 2 = 0.8, and Trending Range = 10. Click Setup to program the RMP with these settings. The RMP will be programmed with the custom setting, the status read, and the screen in Figure 12 below displayed.



after attaching a sensor.	5.00		
Actual 649A01 Settings		549A01 Settings to Write	Independant
		RPM (l/Min) 78	30 300-10,000
Time Window (Sec) 1.23 .1 - 4.0		Time Window (Sec) 1.	23 .1 - 4.0
Threshold Level 1 (g) 5 .2 - 50		Threshold Level 1 (g) 5	.2 - 50
Threshold Level 2 (g) 7 .2 - 50	>>>	Threshold Level 2 (g) 7	.2 - 50
Weighting 1 (mA) 0 - 16		Weighting 1 (mA) 0.	6 0 - 16
Weighting 2 (mA) 0 - 16		Weighting 2 (mA) 0.	8 0 - 16
Trending Range (mA) 4- 10 4 - 20		Trending Range (mA) 4- 10	4 - 20

Figure 12 – RMP Programmer Screen with Independent Settings



Using the RMP

Determine Baseline Vibration using the RMP

When impacts occur in a machine, the peak acceleration rises well above the vibration baseline. The default shock threshold values (Threshold 1 & Threshold 2) that are automatically inserted in the Programmer Screen based on the specified RPM assume a typical gas compressor with the sensor mounted as recommended in this manual. For some machine types and measurement locations, the default values for Threshold 1 and Threshold 2 may need to be adjusted. This would be the case if the machinery type or selected measurement location has a higher base vibration than normal.

If you want to measure the baseline peak vibration and do not have appropriate vibration analysis equipment, it can be done using the RMP. To determine the baseline level using the RMP, install the RMP programmed with the following settings and measure the output in mA. This can be done using the same system that will be used for monitoring the RMP.

Threshold 1 = 8 g (or 16 g) Trending Range = 20 mA

Since the RMP outputs a 4-20 mA signal proportional to peak acceleration, 4 mA is zero and each mA over the 4 mA is equal to 0.5g (or 1g) of peak vibration. Example, if Threshold 1 is set to 8 g, the Trending Range to 20 mA, and the reading is 12.7 mA, then the actual peak vibration level is $(12.7-4) \times 0.5 = 4.35g$. For more details see "Using the RMP with Piston Pumps Other Types of Reciprocating Machinery".

Weighting Factors

The weighting factors (Weighting 1 and Weighting 2) are used to determine the emphasis to be placed on peaks that exceed the lower and upper shock threshold levels (Threshold 1 and Threshold 2). Higher peaks are of more concern than lower ones, and thus have a higher weighting factor. As the fault characteristics and failure modes of the particular machinery being monitored are better understood, the combination of shock threshold levels and weighting factors can be adjusted. Proper selection of these parameters will lead to earlier warning of developing faults and better protection of the machine.

Usage with Gas Compressors

Unless otherwise specified, the RMP comes from the factory with default settings for a 1200 RPM reciprocating gas compressor. When field programming a unit, the software will automatically set all parameters based on the specified machine speed. These default parameters are calculated for use with a gas compressor.

Note: The default parameters that are automatically inserted in Programmer Screen based on the RPM entry are intended for use with reciprocating gas compressors. If you are using the RMP with a piston pump or any other type of reciprocating machinery, see the section in this manual titled "Using the RMP with Piston Pumps Other Types of Reciprocating Machinery".



Usage with Piston Pumps and Other Types of Reciprocating Machinery

Although the RMP software has the ability to calculate suggested parameters based on rotational speed for gas compressors, these values may not be appropriate for use when monitoring piston pumps and other types of reciprocating machinery. Due to the nature of their operation, other mechanisms contribute to the maximum acceleration levels seen during normal pump operation. Therefore, it is important to determine what levels exist during normal operation before configuring the software. The following procedure will allow you use the RMP to measure the highest acceleration level occurring during normal operation. Based on this measurement, the RMP parameters can be calculated.

This procedure sets the parameters in the RMP such that 1 mA of incremental output equals 1 g of incremental vibration (i.e., 4 mA = 0 and 20 mA = 16 g pk). The Trending Range is set to 20 mA, which disables the alarm threshold feature of the unit; and thus outputs only the peak acceleration value. Follow these steps to properly set up the unit for this reading.

- 1. Connect the RMP to the computer using the USB Programmer and run the RMP software.
- 2. Check the Independent box at the top of the screen. This allows manual configuration of the parameters.
- 3. Type the following values into the appropriate boxes on the Programmer Screen, Figure 13. When these values have been entered, click the Setup button to download the configuration to the RMP.
 - a. Time Window: 1 s
 - b. Threshold 1: 16 g
 - c. Threshold 2: 20 g
 - d. Weighting 1: 0.2 mA
 - e. Weighting 2: 0.8 mA
 - f. Trending Range: 20 mA

Actual 649A01 Settings	6	i49A01 Settings to Write	Independant
		RPM (l/Min)	300-10,000
Time Window (Sec) 1 - 4.0		Time Window (Sec)	1 .1 - 4.0
Threshold Level 1 (g) 16 .2 - 50		Threshold Level 1 (g)	16 .2 - 50
Threshold Level 2 (g) 20 .2 - 50	>>>	Threshold Level 2 (g)	20 .2 - 50
Weighting 1 (mA) 0.2 0 - 16		Weighting 1 (mA)	0.2 0 - 16
Weighting 2 (mA) 0.8 0 - 16		Weighting 2 (mA)	0.8 0 - 16
Trending Range (mA) 4-20 4-20		Trending Range (mA) 4-	20 4 - 20

Figure 13 – RMP Programmer Screen Setup for Measuring Base Vibration



- 4. Disconnect the RMP from the computer and mount it on the pump. Wire it into a PLC or other 4-20 mA compatible system. Optionally, it can be used with a 4-20 mA loop calibrator such as the IMI Model 699A05 (see page 20). Record the output of the RMP in mA. Subtract 4 from that value to get the peak baseline acceleration. For example, if 10 mA is displayed, the peak level is 10 4 = 6 g.
- 5. Based on the peak acceleration level determined in step 4, the RMP can now be programmed appropriately. Disconnect the RMP from the 4-20 mA compatible device, reconnect it to the computer, and run the RMP Software. Use the following guideline to calculate Threshold 1 and Threshold 2 values.
 - a. If the peak acceleration value measured in step 4 is <u>less than or equal to</u> 10 g, multiply it by 3 and set the Threshold 1 equal to it. Then, multiply the Threshold 1 value by 1.6 and set the Threshold 2 value equal to it. For example, if the measured peak acceleration in step 4 is 6 g, set Threshold 1 to 18 g and Threshold 2 to 28.8 g.
 - b. If the peak acceleration value determined in step 4 is <u>greater than</u> 10 g, set Threshold 1 to 30 g and Threshold 2 to 50 g.
 - c. Set the remaining parameters as follows.
 - i. If the peak acceleration value measured in step 4 is <u>less than or equal to</u> 10 g, use the default values that are set automatically by the program based on machine RPM.
 - ii. If the peak acceleration value determined in step 4 is <u>greater than</u> 10 g, use the following parameters
 - 1. Time Window: 1 s
 - 2. Weighting 1: 0.5 mA
 - 3. Weighting 2: 0.5 mA
 - 4. Trending Range 10 mA
- 6. Using the example of 6 g peak acceleration from step 4, enter the parameters in the Programmer Screen, and click Setup to program the RMP. The following Programmer Screen, Figure 14, should be displayed.

elect Always after at	use Device Select aching a sensor.	Stat	us Done	_	
Actual 649A01 Setting	ļs		549A01 Settings to Write		Independant
			RPM (l/Min)	960	300-10,000
Time Windo	ow (Sec) 1 .1 - 4.0		Time Window (Sec)	1	.1 - 4.0
Threshold Lev	el 1 (g) 18 .2 - 50		Threshold Level 1 (g)	18	.2 - 50
Threshold Lev	/el 2 (g) 28.8 .2 - 50	>>>	Threshold Level 2 (g)	28.8	.2 - 50
Weighting	1 (mA) 0.5 0 - 16		Weighting 1 (mA)	0.5	0 - 16
Weighting	2 (mA) 0.5 0 - 16		Weighting 2 (mA)	0.5	0 - 16
Trending Range	(mA) 4- 10 4-20		Trending Range (mA) 4-	10	4 - 20

Figure 14 – RMP Programmer Screen for 6 g Peak Acceleration on a Piston Pump

Reciprocating Fault Index Calculation

The Reciprocating Machinery Protector is a Smart Vibration Transmitter that contains a piezoelectric accelerometer, high speed true peak detector, and a microprocessor. It operates off standard 24 volt loop power and outputs a 4-20 mA signal that is proportional to the Reciprocating Fault Index (RFI). The RFI is a "hybrid" index as defined below.

The RMP looks at data for a period of time equal to the length of the specified Time Window. It detects each peak value occurring in the window and compares it against the vibration (shock) threshold levels, Threshold 1 & Threshold 2. If none of the peaks exceed Threshold 1 or Threshold 2, Figure 15, the RMP outputs a $4 - I_L$ mA signal proportional to the maximum peak value seen in the Time Window.



Figure 15: Vibration Peaks Do Not Exceed Threshold Levels

If at least one peak exceeds Threshold 1 or Threshold 2, Figure 16, the RMP outputs $I_L - 20$ mA that is proportional to the calculated Reciprocating Fault Index (RFI).



Figure 16: Vibration Peaks Exceed Threshold Levels



The RFI is computed by counting the number of peaks that exceed Threshold 1 and Threshold 2, applying the appropriate weighting factor (Weighting 1 and Weighting 2), and adding them up. The actual current output that is proportional to the RFI (I_{out}) is computed using the following equation.

 $I_{OUT} = I_L + W_1 N_1 + W_2 N_2$

 W_1 and W_2 are the weighting factors (Weighting 1 and Weighting 2)

 $N_{\rm 1}$ and $N_{\rm 2}$ are the total number of peaks that exceed Threshold 1 and Threshold 2 respectively in the Time Window.

Note: If a peak exceeds Threshold 2, then by default it also exceeds Threshold 1, and thus, gets counted in both N_1 and N_2 .



Mounting the RMP

The Reciprocating Machinery Protector is generally mounted to the crosshead or crosshead slipper (distance piece) with its sensing axis perpendicular to piston rod motion, see Figure 17. If the compressor does not have a crosshead, it should be mounted to the crankshaft side of the cylinder.

It is highly recommended that the RMP be stud mounted to the machine. If it is not possible to drill and tap the machine, then epoxy or weld a sensor mounting pad to the machine and stud mount the sensor to the pad. Most RMP models mount using a supplied ¼-28 stud. Some model mount with an integral ¼" NPT stud. It is not recommended to use a magnet for mounting. Magnetic mounting can cause false impacts and result in shutting down a good machine. See the Outline Drawing at the end of this manual for additional details.

For additional information on ¼-28 mounting pads, visit <u>www.imi-sensors.com</u> and type mounting pad into the search box or call IMI for assistance.



Figure 17 Recommended mounting locations for the Reciprocating Machinery Protector

Optional Accessories

USB Programmer Kit for the RMP

The 600A21 Programming kit consists of a USB Programmer, adapter cable (for models requiring it), and programming software. The software is also available for download at no charge from <u>www.imi-sensors.com</u>.

Model 600A21 USB Programmer Kit

- Model 070A89 USB Programmer
- Model EE225 Programming Software
- Model 042M17 Adapter Cable for use with terminal block or integral cable versions (Models 649A1x, 649A6x, and 649A7x)



Figure 18 - Model 600A21 USB Programmer Kit



Cable Ordering Information for Model 649A0x

Listed below are some of the more popular cables for use with Model 649A0x units. For additional information on cable options, visit <u>www.imi-sensors.com</u> and click on the "Cables & Connectors" tab or call IMI for assistance.

	IMI Part Number: <u>0</u>	<u>52</u>	<u>BR</u>	<u>010</u>	<u>BZ</u>	
<u>Cable</u> 052	<u>Model Series</u> Polyurethane, Shielded, Twisted Pair					
048	Armored Polyurethane, Shielded, Twisted Pair					
<u>Switch</u>	Connector Type					
AE	2 socket MIL type with environmental boot					
BP	2 socket MIL type high temp with strain relief					
BR	2 socket MIL type molded composite					
BQ	2 socket MIL type molded composite, right angle					
Cable	Length					
010	10 feet					
020	20 feet					
030	30 feet					
040	40 feet					
050	50 feet					
XXX	Any length					
<u>Cable</u> B7	termination					
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Model 699A05 Portable 4-20 mA Loop Calibrator

The Model 699A05 Loop Calibrator provides 24V loop power and displays the transmitters electrical current output. This can be used with the RMP for measuring the baseline peak acceleration as described in step 4, on page 16. Visit <u>www.imi-sensors.com</u> for more information on the Loop Calibrator.





ESD Sensitivity

Warning 1 – ESD sensitivity

The power supply/signal conditioner should not be opened by anyone other than qualified service

personnel. This product is intended for use by qualified personnel who recognize shock hazards and are familiar with the safety precautions required to avoid injury.

Warning 2 – ESD sensitivity

This equipment is designed with user safety in mind; however, the protection provided by the equipment may be impaired if the equipment is used in a manner not specified by PCB Piezotronics, Inc.

Caution 1 – ESD sensitivity

Cables can kill your equipment. High voltage electrostatic discharge (ESD) can damage electrical devices. Similar to a capacitor, a cable can hold a charge caused by triboelectric transfer, such as that which occurs in the following:

- Laying on and moving across a rug,
- Any movement through air,
- The action of rolling out a cable, and/or
- Contact with a non-grounded person.

The PCB solution for product safety:

- Connect the cables only with the AC power off.
- Temporarily "short" the end of the cable before attaching it to any signal input or output.

Caution 2 – ESD sensitivity

ESD considerations should be made prior to performing any internal adjustments on the equipment. Any piece of electronic equipment is vulnerable to ESD when opened for adjustments. Internal adjustments should therefore be done ONLY at an ESD-safe work area. Many products have ESD protection, but the level of protection may be exceeded by extremely high voltage.



Model Number 649A01	RECIPROCA	TING MACHINER	Y PROTECTOR (RMP)	Revision A ECN #: 29789
Performance Output Machinery RPM Range Sampling Time Weighting Factor Peak Coupling Current Range Shock Threshold Limit Environmental Temperature Range Storage Temperature Range Electrical Excitation Voltage Load Resistance Electrical Isolation Physical Size (Hex x Height) Weight Mounting Thread Mounting Torque Sensing Element Housing Material Sealing Electrical Connector Electrical Connector Electrical Connector Electrical Connectors (Pin A) Electrical Connections (Pin B) Overload Limit (Shock)	ENGLISH 4-20 mA 150 to 4800 cpm 0.2 to 6.4 sec 0.1 to 20 mA 4 to 20 mA 2 to 50 g -40 to 212 °F -40 to 257 °F 15 to 30 VDC 50(Vs-15) Ohm >10^8 Ohm 1.25 in x 2.60 in 7 oz 1/4-28 UNF 3 to 5 ft-lb Piezoelectric Accelerometer Stainless Steel Welded Hermetic MIL-C-5015 Top 4-20 mA Pos (+) 4-20 mA Neg (-) 5000 g pk	SI 4-20 mA 2.5 to 80 Hz 0.2 to 6.4 sec 0.1 to 20 mA 4 to 20 mA 2 to 50 g -40 to 100 °C -40 to 125 °C 15 to 30 VDC 50(Vs-15) Ohm >10^8 Ohm 32 mm x 66 mm 198 gm 1/4-28 UNF 4 to 7 Nm Piezoelectric Accelerometer Stainless Steel Welded Hermetic MIL-C-5015 Top 4-20 mA Pos (+) 4-20 mA Neg (-) 49050 m/s ² pk	 Optional Versions (Optional versions have identify for standard model except where noted below. Mo EX - Hazardous Area Approval- contact factory f M - Metric Mount Supplied Accessory: Model M081A61 Mounting 081A41 Notes [1] See PCB Declaration of Conformance P [2] AEx ia IIC T4 [3] AEx nA IIC T4 [4] Class I, Div. 1, Groups A, B, C and D; C III, Div. 1 [5] Class I, Div. 2, Groups A, B, C, D [6] Ex ia IIC T4, II IG [7] Ex ia IIC T4, II 3 G [9] Ex nL IIC T4. Supplied Accessories 081A41 Mounting stud 1/4-28 socket head set so 	cal specifications and accessories as listed re than one option maybe used.) or specific approvals [3] [5] g stud, 1/4-28 to M6 x 1 replaces Model S039 or PS053 for details. lass II, Div. 1, Groups E, F, and G; Class
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