

## installation information

JOB N	10:							
MODE	EL NO	:						
DESI	DESIGN HARDNESS:							
САРА	CITY I	PER UNIT:			kg. CaCO <sub>3</sub>			
RESI	N VES	SEL SIZE:		DIA. x .		HIGH		
BRIN	E TAN	K SIZE:		DIA. x .		HIGH		
SALT	SETT	ING PER REGENE	RATION:			Kg. NaCl		
RESI		UME:				LITRES		
2900	CONT	ROL VALVE SPEC	IFICATIONS	& SETTING	S:			
1)	*Туре	of Timer:	32001	NT				
2)	*Туре	of meter:	in Hall	effect	*Delete as required			
3)	Meter	setting			m³			
4)	Rege	neration programm	e settings:					
	a)	Backwash			min.			
	b)	Brine & Slow Rins	θ		min.			
	c)	Rapid Rinse			min.			
	d)	Brine tank refill:			min.			
5)	Drain	Line Flow Control			lpm.			
6)	Brine refill rate: US g					I		
7)	Ejecto	or size:						
8)	Electr	ical:	24 volt 50 H	z 65VA				
					FOR SE	RVICE CONTACT:		

### general installation check list

**WATER PRESSURE:** A minimum water pressure of 1,8 bar is required for the regeneration valve to operate effectively. The maximum water pressure must not exceed 8,6 bar.

**ELECTRICAL FACILITIES:** A continuous 24 volt, 50 Hz. current supply is required. Make certain the current supply is always live and cannot be turned off with another switch.

**EXISTING PLUMBING:** Existing plumbing should be free from hardness scale and iron buildup. Piping that is built up heavily with hardness scale and/or iron should be replaced. If piping is clogged with iron, a separate iron filter unit should be installed ahead of the water softener.

LOCATION OF SOFTENER AND DRAIN: The softener should be located close to a drain.

BYPASS VALVES: Always provide for the installation of a bypass valve system.

**CAUTION:** Water pressure is not to exceed 8,0 bar. Water temperature is not to exceed 43°C. The unit must not be subjected to freezing conditions.

#### INSTALLATION AND START-UP INSTRUCTIONS

1). Place the softener resin vessel in position, making sure the vessel is level and on a firm base.

2). All plumbing should be in accordance with local water bylaws. The minimum pipe size for the drain line should not be less than 22mm (3/4") N.B.

3). The distributor tube should be cut 5mm BELOW the top of the vessel. *Note: Top of vessel includes any vessel adaptor if used.* 

4). Lubricate the distributor O-Ring seal and vessel O-Ring seal with silicone lubricant (Dow Corning 7® compound).

5). Fit the control valve on the resin vessel.

6). Make sure that the floor beneath the salt storage tank is both clean and level.

7). Place water in the salt tank to a depth of approximately 25mm. Salt may be placed in the tank at this time. (Use only granular or pellet/tablet type salt if a combined saturator/measuring tank system is installed).

8). Place the installation in the bypass position. Turn on the main water supply. Open a cold soft water outlet nearby and let it run for a few minutes or until such time as the pipework system is flushed free from foreign material that may have resulted from the installation.

9). Place the installation in the service position and let the water flow slowly into the resin vessel(s). Air should be expelled via the open soft water outlet and this should be closed when the water runs free of air entrapment.

10). Electrical: All electrical connections must be made according to the appropriate codes. Connect the system to a suitable transformer if required.

#### SPECIAL METER INSTALLATION NOTE:

It is important that the EM style meter is installed in the horizontal plane

### flow diagrams

### **1 SERVICE POSITION**



Hard water enters the unit at the valve inlet and flows down through the resin in the resin vessel. Softened water enters the centre tube through the bottom screen, then flows up through the centre tube, around the piston and exits from the valve outlet.

#### **2 BACKWASH POSITION**



Hard water enters the unit at the valve inlet, flows through the coupling to the regeneration valve inlet. It then flows through the regen valve piston, down the centre tube, through the bottom screen and up through the resin, around the piston and exits via the valve drain port.



Hard water enters the unit at the valve inlet, flows up into the injector housing and down through the injector nozzle and throat, drawing brine from the brine tank. Brine flows down through the resin exits via the bottom screen, up through the centre tube and exits via the valve drain port.

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## flow diagrams

A SLOW RINSE POSITION

Hard water enters the unit at the valve inlet, flows up into the injector housing and down through the injector nozzle and throat, around the piston and down through the resin. It enters the bottom screen, up through the centre tube and exits via the valve drain port.



Hard water enters the unit at the valve inlet, flows directly from the inlet down through the resin, into the bottom screen and up through the centre tube, around the piston and exits via the valve drain port.

#### **6 BRINE TANK FILL POSITION**



Hard water enters the unit at the valve inlet, flows up through the injector housing, through the brine valve and into the brine tank.

### Set Time of Day

When the timer is **In Service**, push either the **Set Up** or **Set Down** button once to adjust the **Time of Day** by one digit. Push and hold to adjust by several digits.

### Manually Initiating a Regeneration

1. When timer is **In Service**, press the **Extra Cycle** button for 5 seconds to force a manual regeneration. The **In Service** indicator

flashes and after a short delay the regeneration cycle starts.

- 2. The timer reaches **Regeneration Cycle** Step #1.
- 3. Press the Extra Cycle button once to advance valve to Regeneration Cycle Step #2 (if active).
- 4. Press the Extra Cycle button once to advance valve to Regeneration Cycle Step #3 (if active).
- 5. Press the Extra Cycle button once to advance valve to Regeneration Cycle Step #4 (if active).
- 6. Press the Extra Cycle button once to advance valve to Regeneration Cycle Step #5 (if active).
- 7. Press the Extra Cycle button once more to advance the valve back to In Service

### **Timer Operation During Regeneration**

In the **Regeneration Cycle** step display, the timer shows the current regeneration step number the valve is advancing to, or has reached, and the time remaining in that step. The step number that displays flashes until the valve completes driving to this regeneration step position. Once all regeneration steps are complete the timer returns to **In Service** and resumes normal operation.

Example:



Less than 10 Minutes Remaining in Regen Step #1

Press the Extra Cycle button during a Regeneration Cycle to immediately advance the valve to the next cycle step position and resume normal step timing.

## Start a Regeneration Today

With metered delayed timers, press the Extra Cycle button momentarily. The In Service indicator dot flashes and starts a Regeneration at the programmed Regeneration Time.

## **Day Regeneration Timer**

During normal operation the **Time of Day** display is visible at all times. The timer operates normally until the number of days since the last regeneration reaches the **Regeneration Day Override** setting. Once this occurs, a regeneration cycle is initiated at the preset **Regeneration Time**.

### **Flow Meter Equipped Timer**

During normal operation the Time of Day display alternates with the Volume Remaining display (m<sub>3</sub>).

- As treated water is used, the **Volume Remaining** display counts down from the calculated system capacity to zero or (- - -). When this occurs a **Regeneration Cycle** begins or delays to the set Regeneration Time.
- Water flow through the valve is indicated by the Flow Dot that flashes in a direct relationship to flow rate.

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### Immediate Regeneration Timer with Regeneration Day Override Set

When the valve reaches the set **Days Since Regeneration Override** value, a **Regeneration Cycle** initiates immediately. This occurs even if the **Volume Remaining** display has not reached zero.

## **Delayed Regeneration Timer with Regeneration Day Override Set**

When the timer reaches the set **Days Since Regeneration Override** value a **Regeneration Cycle** initiates at the preset **Regeneration Time**. This occurs even if the **Volume Remaining** display has not reached zero.

## **Timer Operation During Programming**

The timer only enters the Programme Mode with the timer **In Service**. While in the Programme Mode the timer continues to operate normally, monitoring water usage and keeping all displays up-to-date. Timer programming is stored in memory permanently. There is no need for battery backup power.

## **Timer Operation During A Power Failure**

During a power failure all timer displays and programming are stored for use when power is restored. The timer retains all values, without loss. When power is restored the timer resumes normal operation from the point that it was interrupted. **NOTE:** An inaccurate **Time of Day** display may indicate a previous power outage.

## **Remote Lockout**

The timer does not allow the unit/system to go into **Regeneration** until the **Regeneration Lockout Input** signal to the unit/system is cleared. This requires a contact closure to activate. See wiring diagram, page 22

## **Remote Signal Start Regeneration**

The control valve/system is initiated by a device other than a water meter. The timer receives a closed contact signal for the amount of time specified. Regeneration begins immediately. See wiring diagram, page 22

## **Day Override Feature**

If the **Day Override** option is turned on and the valve reaches the set Regeneration Day Override value without the water meter initiating a **Regeneration Cycle**, a **Regeneration Cycle** queues. This occurs regardless of the remaining volume available.

## Timer operation

### System 4

### Time Clock (1 Valve)

During normal operation the **Time of Day** display may be viewed at all times. The control operates normally until the number of days since the last regeneration reaches the **Regeneration Day Override** setting. Once this occurs, a **Regeneration Cycle** initiates at the preset **Regeneration Time**.

### Meter Delayed (1 Valve)

During normal operation the Time of Day display alternates with the Volume Remaining display.

- As treated water is used, the Volume Remaining display counts down from the calculated system capacity.
- The system monitors the volume of water used. When the system calculates that there is not a sufficient capacity for the next day's operation, a regeneration cycle is initiated at the preset regeneration time.
- Water flow through the valve is indicated by the Flow Dot that flashes in a direct relationship to flow rate.

#### Meter Immediate (1 Valve)

During normal operation the **Time of Day** display alternates with the **Volume Remaining** display.

- As treated water is used, the Volume Remaining display counts down from the calculated system capacity to zero or (- - -). When this occurs a Regeneration Cycle is started.
- Water flow through the valve is indicated by the Flow Dot that flashes in a direct relationship to flow rate.

## System 5

#### Interlock (2 - 4 Valves)

During normal operation the Time of Day display alternates with the Volume Remaining display.

- As treated water is used, the Volume Remaining display counts down from the calculated system capacity to zero or (- - -). When this occurs a Regeneration Cycle queues.
- If no other valve is in Regeneration the valve generates a lock command and starts a Regeneration Cycle.
- If another valve is in **Regeneration** (i.e. the system is already locked) the valve remains **In Service** with **Regeneration** queued until other valves complete **Regeneration**.
- Water flow through the valve is indicated by the Flow Dot that flashes in a direct relationship to flow rate.

## System 6

#### Series (2 - 4 Valves)

During normal operation the Time of Day display alternates with the Volume Remaining display.

The Volume Remaining is the total volume for all units in the system.

- As treated water is used, the **Volume Remaining** display counts down from the calculated system capacity to zero or (- - -). When this occurs a **Regeneration Cycle** queues.
- If no other valve is in regeneration the valve sends a lock command and starts a Regeneration Cycle.
- If another value is in regeneration (i.e. the system is already locked) the value remains **In Service** until other values complete regeneration, then regeneration is queued. The LEAd value locks the system and **Regeneration** begins.
- When the LEAd valve completes regeneration cycle the remaining valve(s) in the system regenerate sequentially until all valves regenerate.
- Water flow through the valve is indicated by the Flow Dot that flashes in a direct relationship to flow rate.
- LAg valve volume remaining is updated every 5 seconds from the LEAd valve.
- A manually forced regeneration (Extra Cycle button) can only be done on the LEAd valve and only if the system is not in Regeneration.

## Timer operation

## System 7

### Alternating (2 Valves)

During normal operation the Time of Day display alternates with the Volume Remaining display.

The Volume Remaining is the total volume for all units in the system.

- As treated water is used, the Volume Remaining display counts down from the calculated system capacity to zero or (- - -). When this occurs a Regeneration Cycle queues.
- The valve requiring **Regeneration** sends a lock command to the standby valve. The standby valve goes to **In Service** and exhausted unit valve starts a **Regeneration Cycle**.
- If a valve is in Regeneration and the other system exhausts its volume remaining, then the exhausted system valve remains In Service with Regeneration queued until the other valve goes into standby. The exhausted system valve goes into standby after completing Regeneration.
- Water flow through the valve is indicated by the Flow Dot that flashes in a direct relationship to flow rate.

## System 9

#### Alternating (2 – 4 Valves)

During normal operation the Time of Day display alternates with the Volume Remaining display.

The **Volume Remaining** is the total volume for all units in the system.

- As treated water is used, the **Volume Remaining** display counts down from the calculated system capacity to zero or (- - -). When this occurs a **Regeneration Cycle** queues.
- The valve requiring **Regeneration** sends a lock command to the standby valve. The standby valve goes to **In Service** and exhausted valve starts a **Regeneration Cycle**.
- If a valve is in **Regeneration** and another valve exhausts its volume remaining, then the exhausted valve remains **In Service** with **Regeneration** queued until the other valve goes into standby. The exhausted valve goes into standby after completing **Regeneration**.
- All units remain In Service except those in standby or Regeneration.
- Water flow through the valve is indicated by the Flow Dot that flashes in a direct relationship to flow rate.

## **Important System Operation Tips**

When programming multi-unit systems, programme LAg units first and then the LEAd unit. This eliminates or minimizes lower drive movement due to system type changes and errors.

When changing a valve from one system type to another system type, perform a Master Reset first.

System 6, 7 and 9 valves coming out of programme mode or on power-up calculate their volume (display = CALC) and then wait for a good communication signal.

- When a good communication signal is received, the system resume normal operations.
- If the system does not receive a good communication signal, CALC displays and the system goes into a wait. Press the Extra Cycle button to force the system out of the wait and resume normal operation.

The System 4, 5 and 6 LEAd valve drive sequence going into **Regeneration** is:

- The lower drive moves to off-line and the upper drive moves to first **Regeneration** position. System 6 LAg valves and all system 7 and 9 valves:
- The off-line valve moves to online, the valve requiring **Regeneration** moves its lower drive to off-line and then the upper drive moves to first **Regeneration** position.

Reserve capacity–System 4Fd only. After power-up or Master Reset, the reserve is set to one-third of the calculated capacity. Reserve is limited to a range of zero–capacity.

System 6 and 7, LEAd units only, respond to remote lock and chemical pump. Also chemical pump is available only if the auxiliary relay in regeneration is not used [AroF]

## Timer Displays

## Timer Display Identification











Press and hold both the Set Up and Set Down buttons for five (5) seconds to enter Programming Mode. When the programme mode is entered, the programme light illuminates.

#### 2. Set Feed Water Hardness

The feed water hardness setting displays only if the Regeneration Type is set to Meter Immediate or Meter Delayed.

- Press the Set Up and Set Down buttons to set the amount of feed water hardness (mg/l CaCO3 ÷ 10). The system automatically calculates treated water capacity based on the feed water hardness and the system capacity.
- Press the Extra Cycle button to proceed to the next step.



### 3. Set Regeneration Time

A non-flashing colon between two sets of numbers identifies the Regeneration Time display. Set the desired time of day that you want Regeneration to occur.

- Press the Set Up and Set Down buttons to adjust this value.
- Press the Extra Cycle button to proceed to the next step.



#### 4. Set Regeneration Day Override

Us this display to set the maximum amount of time (in days) the unit can be In Service without a Regeneration.

- For System 4 Time Clock regeneration mode the system regenerates at the time set in Step 4 after the number of days programmed in this step.
- For all other System Types (4 Meter Immediate, 4 Meter Delayed, 5, 6, 7, 9) the system regenerates after the number of days programmed in this step unless the meter initiates a Regeneration cycle earlier.
- Press the Extra Cycle button to proceed to the next step.

Timer programming is complete and exits from the Programming Mode. Normal operation resumes.

Timer Display Definitions & Examples

### Time of Day



m3 Treated Water Remaining (More than 4 digits t = x 1000))



### **Communication Error**



**Programming Error** 



### **Remote Start Signal Applied**







### Zero Treated Water Remaining



### Calculating the Volume Remaining



### Timer is Locked Out



### Timer is Remotely Locked Out





## Interlocking 3200NT's

Note: Use only 6-place, 4-conductor, RJ11 phone or extension cables.

- 1. Connect phone or extension cables before attempting programming.
  - System Type 7 and 6: Flow meter cable must be connected to the timer defined as the LEAd timer.
- 2. A maximum cable length of 7,6m can be used between timers.
- 3. Always connect "IN" communication port to the "OUT" communication port of the next timer. Connect the last timer back to the first timer.

## 2910NT Troubleshooting

## **Communication Error**

If a communication error is detected, **cErr** displays. It may take several minutes for all of the units in a system to display the error message.

- All units In Service remain in the In Service position.
- All units in standby go to **In Service**.
- Any unit in regeneration when the error occurs completes regeneration and goes to In Service.
- No units are allowed to start a regeneration cycle while the error condition exists.
- When the communication problem is corrected and the error no longer displays (it may take several minutes for all of the units in a system to stop displaying the error message), the system returns to normal operation.

**NOTE:** During the error condition the control continues to monitor the flow meter and update the remaining volume. Once the error condition is corrected all units return to the operating status they were in prior to the error and regeneration is queued according to the normal system operation. If reprogramming the unit in the Master Programming Mode clears the error, the volume remaining may be reset to the full unit capacity (i.e. as though it were just regenerated).

NOTE: System 4 units retain their normal display and do not display cErr.

Cause	Correction
A. One or more units have a missing or bad communication cable.	A. Connecting the communication cables.
B. One or more units has a communication cable plugged into the wrong receptacle.	B. Connecting the communication cable as shown on the wiring diagrams.
C. One or more units is not powered.	C. Powering all units.
D. One or more of the units programmed as a stand alone system 4tc, 4FI or 4Fd and one or more units pro- grammed as a multi-unit system 5FI, 6FI, 7FI or 9FI.	D. Programming the units for the same system type in the Master Programming Mode.
E. All of the units programmed as LAg. With no unit pro- grammed as a LEAd (there is no unit to start the com- munications).	E. Programming the units correctly in the Master Program- ming Mode.

## **Programming Error**

Units display PErr when a programming error occurs.

- If multiple units are programmed as LEAd, PErr displays on all units.
- All units **In Service** remain in the **In Service** position.
- All units in standby go to In Service.
- Any unit in regeneration when the error occurs completes regeneration and goes to In Service.
- No units are allowed to start a regeneration cycle while the error condition exists.
- When the problem is corrected and the error no longer displays (it may take several minutes for all of the units in a system to stop displaying the error message), the system returns to normal operation.

**NOTE:** During the error condition the control continues to monitor the flow meter and update the remaining capacity. Once the error condition is corrected all units return to the operating status they were in prior to the error and regeneration is queued according to the normal system operation. If reprogramming the unit in the Master Programming Mode clears the error, the volume remaining may be reset to the full unit capacity (i.e. as though it were just regenerated).

NOTE: System 4 units retain their normal display and do not display PErr.

Cause	Correction
A. One or more units programmed as System type different from the LEAd unit.	A. Programming the units correctly in the Master Program- ming Mode.
B. More than one unit programmed as the S unit.	B. Programming the units correctly in the Master Program- ming Mode.
C. One or more units programmed with different hardness, day override or line frequency values.	C. Program these values to be the same on all units.

### Simultaneous Communication and Programming Errors

If both a communication and programming errors occur simultaneously, the communications error (**cErr**) has precedence and masks the programming error (**PErr**). When the communications error (**cErr**) is corrected, the programming error (**PErr**) displays until corrected.

## upper control drive assembly



Item	Qty	Part No.	Description
1	1	26217	Cover assembly
2	1	17845-02	Hinge pin
3	1	40491	Wire harness
4	1	28111	Backplate
5	1	15806	Hole plug
6	3	13741	Hole plug
7	1	17421	Hole plug
8	1	28389	Brine cam
9	1	27204-01	Motor assy 24vac w/cams & switches
10	1	24267	Drive cam assembly
11	1	28255	NT timer assembly
12	1	13547	Strain relief
13	2	23728	Screw
14	1	10909	Connecting pin
		306018	Complete assy incl. NT timer

## 2910NT Iower control drive assembly



Item	Qty	Part No.	Description
1	1	14831	Connecting link pin
2	1	18357-24	Drive motor assy 24vac- 50Hz
3	1	18709-50	Backplate
4	2	21361	Screw - M8x16
5	1	26218	Cover assembly
6	1	40943	Wire harness



## control valve assembly



Item	Qty	Part No.	Description
1	1	28416	Upper piston assy D/flow
2	1	28415	Upper seal & spacer kit
3	1	19925	Injector body gasket
4	1	11893	Injector cover
5	2	24874	Screw
6	1	24173-хх	Injector assy - specify 3C / 4C / 5C
or	1	28422-xx	Injector assy - specify 6C / 7C
7	1	28411-N	Valve body w/O-Rings
8	1	13575-01	O-Ring
9	1	13577-01	O-Ring
10	1	24205	Lower seal & spacer kit
11	1	28413	Lower piston assy - NBP
		28419-N-xx	Complete assembly - specify size

## piston assemblies / seal & spacer kits



Item	Qty	Part No.	Description	
1	1	10909	Connecting link pin	
2	1	14451	Piston	
3	1	24518	End plug assembly	
4	1	40078-01	O-Ring	
5	5 1 41424		Piston rod	
		28416	Upper piston assy - d/flow	



Item	Qty	Part No.	Description	
1	7	10545	Seal ring	
2	6	11451	Spacer	
3	1 10757		End spacer	
		28415	Upper seal & spacer kit	





ltem	Qty	Part No.	Description	
1	1	14752	Piston NBP	
2	1	14758	Piston rod	
3	3 1 148		Connecting pin	
4	1	14818	Piston rod clip	
5	1	28430	End plug assy	
6 1 1		14922	O-Ring	
		24813	Piston assy NBP	

ltem	Qty	Part No.	Description
1	4	11720	Seal
2	2	10369	Spacer
3	1	14753	Spacer
		24205	Lower seal & spacer kit

'C' series injector assembly



Item	Qty	Part No.	Description
1	2	23477	Screw
2	1	11893	Inector cover
3	1	10229	Injector cover gasket
4	1	14801-xx	Injector nozzle - specify size
5	1	17777	Injector body
6	1	14802-xx	Injector throat - specify size
7	1	23304	Injector body gasket
8	1	15413	Male elbow
9	1	15414	Nut & sleeve assy
10	1	13777-01	O-Ring
11	1	24173-xx	Injector assy complete - specify size
12	1	16460-03	Brine tube
13	1	28422-xx	Injector assy complete - specify size
14	1	10228	Injector cap
15	1	17777-03	Injector body

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1710 brine valve assembly

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	Item	Qty	Part No.	Description
	1	1	12050	Retaining ring clip
	2	1	12550-01	Quad ring
	3	4	14202-01	Screw
	4	1	14785-01	Flow control retainer
	5	1	14795	Brine valve piston
	6	1	14798	Brine valve spacer
	7	2	14811	O-Ring
Complete assy	8	1	15310	Brine valve spring
28423-2 or 28423-4	9	3	15415	Insert 1/2in
(excludes item 10)	10	1	17906	Stem guide
	11	1	17908	Brine valve sleeve
	12	1	28410	Label
	13	2	41056	Nut assembly
$\sim$	14	1	41201	Brine valve bottom
	15	1	41202	Brine valve top
	16	1	41203	Brine valve stem
	17	1	41547	O-Ring
	18	1	12087	Flow washer - 2.0 USgpm
	or	1	12091	Flow washer - 4.0 USgpm
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5	Item	Otv	Part No	Description
4	1	1	15413-N	Elbow - 3/8in x 1/2in tube
6	2	2	16123-N	Compression nut
	3	2	16124	Plastic sleeve
	4	1	15416	PVC tube
	5	1	23804	Reducer coupling

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900 series air check assy

Insert sleeve

## 2in plastic meter assembly assembly



Item	Qty	Part No.	Description
1	4	12473	Screw
2	1	18330	Meter cover assembly
3	1	15374	Impeller
4	1	15432	Impeller shaft
5	1	15532	Impeller shaft seat
6	2	17988	Plastic meter nut
7	1	14680	Flow straightener
8	1	17987-101	End connector - machined
9	2	40666	Seal
10	1	17689	Meter body
11	1	17987-100	End connector
12	1	13847	O-Ring
	1	60625-10	Meter assy complete

## ejector performance data

**Please carefully note:** The indicated ejector data is for guidance only on the relative performance between sizes. Many factors influence actual performance, particularly the Ejector Draw Rate. As a result, the Brine Draw & Slow Rinse phase of the regeneration cycle should be established as part of the on site commissioning procedure.





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## Wiring scheme



## 2910NT valve dimensions



Cut riser 5mm below the top of the tank or tank adaptor face. Chamfer the tube end and apply a light smear of silicon grease to ease tube entry.