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WARNINGS

Read Before Operating
This manual must be carefully read by all individuals who have or will have the responsibility of using, maintaining, or servicing this product. The product will perform as designed only if it is used, maintained, and serviced in accordance with the manufacturer’s instructions.

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Register your warranty online by visiting:

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This ensures that your RadiantReader is registered and ensures that we can let you know of important updates.

Proper Product Disposal At End Of Life

The Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (WEEE) directive (2002/96/EC) is intended to promote recycling of electrical and electronic equipment and their components at end of life. This symbol (crossed-out wheeled bin) indicates separate collection of waste electrical and electronic equipment in the EU countries. This product may contain one or more Nickel-metal hydride (NiMH), Lithium-ion, or Alkaline batteries. Batteries must be recycled or disposed of properly.

At the end of its life, this product must undergo separate collection and recycling from general or household waste. Please use the return and collection system available in your country for the disposal of this product.
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1 General Information
The RadiantReader connects wireless gas monitors to a personal computer (PC) for real-time data insight and Management. ProRAE Guardian software can communicate with remote monitors through RadiantReader. Each RadiantReader can wirelessly communicate with up to 50 remote monitors directly. It supports higher capacity of 500 monitors and 5 zones when integrated within a plant-wide deployment. The RadiantReader can plug directly into a PC via a COM port, or one or more Radiant Readers can be networked through a TCP/IP connection via Ethernet to push sensor data to ProRAE Guardian. It also offers RS-232 and RS-485 support. The networked setup allows communication with over 500 remote monitors and enables passive viewing of the system on other PCs running ProRAE Guardian.

The RadiantReader has an internal battery that can run from 25 to 27 hours if PoE (Power over Ethernet) or DC power is disrupted. The battery charges via PoE power and takes approximately 12 hours to be fully charged. It can also be externally powered by 12 to 28 volts DC.
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Radiant Readers can also be used in a closed network such as a LAN, with a network router or switch via TCP/IP.
# RadiantReader Specifications

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<th>Details</th>
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<td><strong>Operating Range</strong></td>
<td>1,000' (300 m) line of sight</td>
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<td><strong>Maximum Monitors Supported</strong></td>
<td>100</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Digital Interface</strong></td>
<td>RS-232; Ethernet RJ45 (802.3); RS-485</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Power</strong></td>
<td>12 to 28VDC 25W or PoE 25 W at 48V</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Backup Battery</strong></td>
<td>7.2V 10Ah</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Backup battery run time</strong></td>
<td>25 to 27 hours if power from Ethernet is disrupted</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Battery recharge time</strong></td>
<td>Approx. 12 hours on Power over Ethernet</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Operating Temperature</strong></td>
<td>-4° to 122° F (-20° to 50° C)</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Storage Temperature</strong></td>
<td>-40° to 140° F (-40° to 60° C)</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Humidity</strong></td>
<td>10% to 95%, non-condensing (continuous)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Environmental Rating (IP rating)</strong></td>
<td>IP-65</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Size</strong></td>
<td>8.6&quot; x 8.5&quot; x 3.4&quot; (21.8 cm x 21.6 cm x 8.6 cm)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Weight</strong></td>
<td>6.2 lb (2.8 kg)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Radio Type</strong></td>
<td>RM900A</td>
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| **Wireless Frequency & Approvals**   | ISM license-free band 802.15.4 Sub1 GHz  
FCC Part 15, CE R&TTE  
Contact RAE Systems for approvals of other countries |
| **RF Output Power**                  | Up to 100 mW |
| **RF Receive Sensitivity**           | -105dB   |
| **Radio Type**                       | RM2400A  |
| **Wireless Frequency & Approvals**   | ISM license-free band ISM 802.15.4 2.4 GHz  
FCC Part 15, CE R&TTE  
Contact RAE Systems for approvals of other countries |
| **RF Output Power**                  | Up to 100mW |
| **RF Receive Sensitivity**           | -104dB   |
FCC Part 15 Statement
This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.
3 Requirements

3.1 Minimum Hardware Requirements

- Pentium (or compatible) CPU, 1.0 GHz or better.
- Color monitor (at least 1024x768 resolution, 16-bit color)
- 1GB or more of
- At least 2GB of free hard disk space
- CD-ROM drive
- Sound card (to enable local sound notifications)
- LAN for network connection of RadiantReader(s) through TCP/IP or RS-232

3.2 Minimum Software Requirements

Windows 7 or newer, Adobe Acrobat Reader v6.0 or higher (to view online help)

3.3 Run-Time Requirements

The PC’s “Energy Saving” feature should be set at “Always On.” Never turn off the hard disk when ProRAE Guardian software is running. “Hibernate” (if available) must be disabled.

3.4 User Privilege Requirements

During installation and operation, you must have administrator privileges on the local PC.
4 RadiantReader Overview

The RadiantReader can be mounted to any flat surface. It has one external port (Ethernet) and two unconnected internal ports (RS-232 and RS-485). It requires DC power or power over Ethernet (PoE), which can be provided by some network switch or a PoE Injector for powering the RadiantReader via Ethernet or connect to an Ethernet switch that provides PoE. The Ethernet port accommodates a standard RJ45 plug connected to an Ethernet cable.

*Front*

- Antenna
- Ethernet Port

*Bottom*

- Grounding Screw
- LED status indicators
- Ethernet Port
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LED status indicators on the bottom of the RadiantReader provide visual monitors of the following (activity is indicated by blinking, except Power, which glows steadily when power is on):

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<td>COM</td>
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<tr>
<td>Power</td>
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</table>

RF
- Radio is active/communicating (green LED blinks)

LAN
- LAN (via Ethernet port) activity (green LED blinks)

COM
- Communication via RS-232 or RS-485 activity (green LED blinks)

Power
- When PoE is present and internal backup battery charging is finished, the LED glows green continuously.
- When the battery is being used (PoE is disconnected), the Power LED glows red continuously.
- When the battery is charging, both Power LED glows yellow continuously.
5 Network Configuration

5.1 Configuring RadiantReader

An Ethernet cable can be used to connect a RadiantReader via TCP/IP to a computer running ProRAE Guardian on the same network.

Note: You must connect the RadiantReader to a small, segregated network that is separate from other networks or the Internet.

5.2 Preparation
Before you connect the RadiantReader, you must enable the battery backup, unless you do not want backup power.

1. Open the enclosure by loosening and removing the six screws on the front.

2. Loosen the screws on the wiring block labeled “GND” and “OFF,” and remove the jumper wire.

3. Replace the six screws and tighten them to seal the enclosure.
5.3 Lightning Surge Protection

If your RadiantReader or an extension antenna is to be used outdoors, especially if it is to be located in an area prone to lightning, you must install a coaxial lightning surge protector inline between the antenna and the RadiantReader. The lightning surge protector must be earth-grounded: A wire must run directly from the lightning surge protector to a verified ground source such as a copper or copper-clad rod that is set into the ground. A minimum wire gauge of 10AWG or heavier (depending on local electrical ordinance) must be used.

The RadiantReader comes with a coaxial lightning surge protector (P/N: 190-0201-000). If an optional extension cable and antenna are required contact your system’s integrator for the correct equipment to be used.
5.4 Connections For Configuration

You will need the following for the simplest way to perform configuration on the RadiantReader:

1. RadiantReader
2. Power over Ethernet power injector
3. Internet Router (not associated with a network)
4. PC with Reader Utility
5. IP Address of the PC that will be running ProRAE Guardian
6. Ethernet cables for connecting:
   - the RadiantReader to the Power Injector
   - the router to the Power Injector
   - the PC running Reader Utility to the router

Using a standard Internet router that is not connected to a network simplifies configuration. Use standard Ethernet Cat-5 cables with RJ-45 plugs to connect the components in the following way:

**Note:** The Internet router should not supply power over Ethernet.
The PoE Power Injector’s connections are shown here:

Once connections are made and the Internet router and PoE Power Injector are supplied with power, check that the Internet router is active, that the PoE Injector is working properly (Power and PoE status LEDs are glowing) and that the RadiantReader is functioning (Power LED is on).

**Note:** If the green PWR LED is not glowing, then AC power is not reaching the PoE Injector. If the yellow PoE LED is not glowing, then DC power is not being passed to the RadiantReader.
5.5  Checking Your Configuration
Make sure your connections are set correctly.

Click the “Start” button on your PC. Click “Control Panel,” and when the menu appears, select “Network and Sharing Center.”
Click “Local Area Connection.”
In the “Local Area Connection Status” window, click “Properties.”
In the “Local Area Connection Properties” window, make sure that the “Networking” tab is selected and that the box labeled “Internet Protocol Version 4 (TCP/IPv4)” is checked.

Now click “OK.”

Click “Close” to close the “Local Area Connection Status” window, and then exit “Network and Sharing Center.”
5.5.1 Changing To Advanced Mode

By default, this utility runs in “Regular Operation Mode.” You cannot change any of the RadiantReader’s settings.

Click “Setting > Operation Mode” to switch to “Advanced Operation Mode.” In the Advanced Mode, you can make changes to the RadiantReader. Click “OK” after making the proper selection.
Note: The utility saves the Operation Mode selection and activates this selection the next time it is started.
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5.5.2 Configuring RadiantReader

Start the Reader Utility by starting ProRAE Guardian, following this path:

Start >> Programs >> RAE Systems by Honeywell >> ProRAE Guardian >> Tools >> Reader Utility

Note: If this path does not work, the program may be in another location, with a path like this:

C:\Program Files (x86)\RAE Systems by Honeywell\ProRAE Guardian\tools
file name: RaeDownloader.exe

If the RadiantReader is powered on and it is connected to the RadiantReader to the PC, the RadiantReader is shown in the list:
Double-click on its name. This window appears:

![Set Product Window]

### 5.5.3 Set The IP Address

If the RadiantReader is set to communicate with ProRAE Guardian via a TCP/IP network, you must set the Reader’s IP address and the PC’s IP address properly.

**Note:** Network communication is flexible. The RadiantReader can be placed far away from the PC that runs ProRAE Guardian, using a LAN or WAN, provided that a TCP connection can be created.
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5.5.4 Input The Server IP Address

Enter the PC’s IP address that the ProRAE Guardian runs on and that the RadiantReader will connect to.

<table>
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<th>Manually confirming a PC’s IP address:</th>
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<tr>
<td>1. Click the Start button.</td>
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<td>2. Select Run.</td>
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<td>3. Type CMD.</td>
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<td>4. Press Enter.</td>
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<tr>
<td>5. Type ipconfig.</td>
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<td>6. Press Enter.</td>
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<td>7. Several lines of information are displayed. The IP address looks like &quot;149.72.61.234&quot;.</td>
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Note: You can get the correct IP address by viewing the “About ProRAE Guardian…” and checking the “PRG IP Address”

If you are using wireless connectivity, look for “Wireless LAN adapter Wireless Network Connection” configuration.

If you are using Ethernet connectivity, look for “Ethernet adapter Local Area Connection” (that is, look for the IPv4 Address).

You will also see the Subnet Mask and Default Gateway.

5.5.5 Set The RadiantReader’s IP Address

If the LAN has a DHCP server, it is easy to set the RadiantReader’s IP address by choosing the default DHCP selection. The DHCP server in the LAN automatically sets the IP address properly after you connect the Reader to the network with an Ethernet cable.
If there is no DHCP server, you must set a static IP address. Click the “Static IP” option in the “Product IP Address” pane, enter the IP address, Netmask, and Gateway for the RadiantReader.

Alternatively, you can click the “Recommend” button (next to the “Static IP” option) to let the tool select an IP address setting.

**Note:** The utility selects the IP address just next to the current PC’s IP address, the Netmask is set to “255.255.255.0,” and the Gateway is set to the PC’s IP address. This will work for most cases, but it may cause IP address conflicts if any other PC uses this IP address.
5.5.6 Set The RadiantReader’s Channel

Set the channel to match your network’s channel. This varies according to the frequency of your RadiantReader.

These are the channels that can be used:

- **868MHz**: Channel 0 only
- **900MHz**: Channels 1 through 10
- **2.4GHz**: Channels 11 through 26
The channel number must be input using hexadecimal values (hex):

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<th>Channel</th>
<th>Hex Value</th>
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Click “Set” to finish the configuration.
Click “Save” to save the RadiantReader’s settings to a .rcf file.
Click “Load” to load the reader settings from a .rcf file.
5.5.7 Checking After Configuration

With the RadiantReader configured with an IP Address, PAN ID, and Channel, you can now connect the RadiantReader to the network on which ProRAE Guardian will be running.

Remove the Internet router from your setup.

If the PC you used to configure the RadiantReader is not the same one that is running ProRAE Guardian, disconnect the configuration PC and connect the PC running ProRAE Guardian to the network that the RadiantReader will be operating on.

Note: If the RadiantReader is connected to a network that provides Power over Ethernet, do not include the PoE Power Injector. Instead connect the RadiantReader straight to the network.
5.5.8 Connecting Ethernet For Permanent Installation

After you have configured the RadiantReader and have it in place for actual use, wire the Ethernet cable through the gland, which acts as a strain relief and a way of keeping contamination out of the Ethernet port.

String the cable through the parts as follows, plug the cable’s RJ-45 connector into the Ethernet port, and then tighten the gland’s components.
6 Using RadiantReaders In A Network
Employing a router or switch and a TCP/IP network, it is possible to use multiple RadiantReaders (for instance, in large facilities). The diagram below shows a simple view. More “branches” can be added.

Note: If the network provides Power over Ethernet, then you do not need to include a PoE Injector with each RadiantReader. Simply use an Ethernet cable to connect to the network directly from the RadiantReader.
7 Using Modbus Protocol
To use the Modbus protocol for RadiantReader, follow these instructions.

7.1 Communication Setting
The two communication modes can be set in the Reader Utility. If changing protocol to MODBUS in Utility, the RadiantReader supports Modbus RTU over RS-485 interface and Modbus TCP over Ethernet interface. Refer to this picture:

Mode 1: Modbus RTU over RS485 interface:
RadiantReader: Slave
Baud Rate: 2400, 4800, 9600, 19200 (default), 38400
Client ID: 1~247(0x01~0xF7)
Data Format:
  Data bits: 8
  Check bits: none
  Stop bits: 1

Mode 2: Modbus TCP over Ethernet interface
(1) It is the standard Modbus TCP.
(2) The RadiantReader is a server (the default listen port is 502, configurable).
(3) Once a client connects to the server, the client needs to send the request command to RadiantReader to get the monitor information.
7.2 Message Frame/Communication Procedure

Important! RadiantReader supports Function Code 0x03 only.

7.2.1 ModBus RTU

The Requesting Message:

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<th>Device Address</th>
<th>Function Code</th>
<th>Starting Address high byte</th>
<th>Starting Address low byte</th>
<th>Quantity of Registers high byte</th>
<th>Quantity of Registers low byte</th>
<th>CRC low byte</th>
<th>CRC high byte</th>
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<tr>
<td>Client ID</td>
<td>CMD</td>
<td>Addr_H</td>
<td>Addr_L</td>
<td>Qty_H</td>
<td>Qty_L</td>
<td>Crc_L</td>
<td>Crc_H</td>
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The Answering Message:

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<th>Function Code</th>
<th>Byte Count</th>
<th>Register Values</th>
<th>CRC low byte</th>
<th>CRC high byte</th>
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<tr>
<td>Client ID</td>
<td>CMD</td>
<td>len</td>
<td>MSB first</td>
<td>Crc_L</td>
<td>Crc_H</td>
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Notes:
1. The maximum Quantity of registers value is 48, so Qty H should always be 0.
2. Function code CMD should always be 0x03.

7.2.2 ModBus TCP

The Requesting Message:

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<th>Transaction Identifier (2 bytes)</th>
<th>Protocol Identifier (2 bytes)</th>
<th>Length field (2 bytes)</th>
<th>Unit identifier (1 byte)</th>
<th>Function code (1 byte)</th>
<th>Starting Address (2 bytes)</th>
<th>Quantity of Registers (2 bytes)</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>The requestor setting</td>
<td>0x0000</td>
<td>Number of bytes</td>
<td>Client ID</td>
<td>CMD</td>
<td>MSB first</td>
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<th>function code (1 byte)</th>
<th>Byte Count (1 bytes)</th>
<th>Register Values (2 bytes)</th>
</tr>
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<tr>
<td>Copied from requestor</td>
<td>0x0000</td>
<td>Number of bytes</td>
<td>Client ID</td>
<td>CMD</td>
<td>len</td>
<td>MSB first</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Notes:
1. The transaction identifier is produced by the requestor. Generally, it is 0.
2. The protocol identifier should be 0x00 for Modbus TCP.
3. The maximum Quantity value is 48, so the quantity of registers high byte should always be 0.
4. Function code CMD should always 0x03.

7.3 Registers Table

(1) 0x03 (Read Holding Registers)
The entire register space is divided into blocks, and each block is a monitor. All monitor data is in one block. One block register space corresponds to a monitor’s data registers. A monitor’s basic address is located from 0x0000 to 0x05D0 (#1 basic address: 0x0000, #2 basic address: 0x0030, #3 basic address: 0x0060 . . . , #32 basic address: 0x05D0), step value is 0x30.

Terminology:

Monitor. Refer to the actual unit like MeshGuard.
Sensor. Refer to the sensor inside the monitor. One monitor may has more than 1 sensor and up to 8
The monitor data and register’s offset address

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<th>Start offset address</th>
<th>Length (2 Bytes)</th>
<th>Response data</th>
<th>Remarks</th>
</tr>
</thead>
</table>
| 0x0000               | 0x0001           | byte[0] = Status byte[1] = SysOnlineNum                                      | **Status**: the monitor data Availability  
0: unavailable;  
1: available;  

**SysOnlineNum**:  
the number of online monitors in RadiantReader |
| 0x0001               | 0x0001           | byte[0] = SlaveID high byte[1] = SlaveID low                                 | Monitor unit ID, data format: Hex.  
Example: UnitID = 0x4011 means the monitor wireless ID is “4011”. |
| 0x0002               | 0x0005           | byte[0 ~ 9] = SN[0 ~ 9]                                                      | Monitor’s serial number:  
ASCII, 10 bytes |
| 0x0007               | 0x0001           | byte[0] = InstrID byte[1] = SenSkt                                           | Instrument ID: refer to Appendix 1  
Sensor mask to tell you how many sensors. |
| 0x0008               | 0x0001           | byte[0] = UnitErr byte[1]: 0                                               | Monitor unit error status  
Refer to Appendix 4 |
| 0x0009               | 0x0001           | byte[0] = DutyCycle high byte[1] = DutyCycle low                            | How often the monitor updates its reading |
| 0x000A               | 0x0001           | byte[0] = PwrStatus byte[1] = PwrPer                                        | **PwrStatus**:  
0: Battery only;  
1: charging;  
2: fully charged+AC  
3: AC only  

**PwrPer**: the battery capacity in percentage |
| 0x000B               |                  |                                                                               | Field 0x000B reserved for future use |
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<tr>
<th>Sensor Data Range</th>
<th>Description</th>
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</table>
| 0x000C 0x0004     | byte[0] = SenID  
byte[1] = UnitID  
byte[2] = DataFormat  
B0..B1: DataLength  
B2..B4: DevideFactor  
B5..B7: DecimalPoint  
byte[3] = SenErr  
byte[4] = Rding higher  
byte[5] = Rding high  
byte[6] = Rding low  
byte[7] = Rding lower  |
|                   | First sensor info. Total 8 bytes  
SenID: refer to Appendix 2  
UnitID: refer to Appendix 3  |

**For byte2 bit definition:**
- **DataLength:** B0:B1  
Always  
B0:0  
B1:1  
means 4 bytes  

- **DivideFactor = 10^n:**
  - B4 B3 B2  
  0 0 0 - 1  
  0 0 1 - 10  
  0 1 0 - 100  
  0 1 1 - 1000;  
  1 0 0 ~ 111: reserved for future use  

- **DecimalPoint:**
  - B7 B6 B5  
  0 0 0 - 0  
  0 0 1 - 1  
  0 1 0 - 2  
  0 1 1 - 3  
  1 0 0 ~ 111: reserved for future use  

**Note:** For instructions on how to perform sensor data calculations, refer to Appendix 6  

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<th>Sensor Data Range</th>
<th>Description</th>
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| 0x0028 0x0004     | byte[0] = SenID  
byte[1] = UnitID  
byte[2] = DataFormat  
B0..B1: DataLength  
B2..B4: DevideFactor  
B5..B7: DecimalPoint  
byte[3] = SenErr  
byte[4] = Rding higher  
byte[5] = Rding high  
byte[6] = Rding low  
byte[7] = Rding lower  |
|                   | The 8th sensor info.  
Location: ASCII & CHN  
Font code, 8 bytes |

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**Appendix 1: Supported Instrument ID**

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<td>RAEWatch</td>
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<td>RAETag</td>
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<td>Router</td>
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<td>ToxiRAE Pro</td>
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<td>MultiRAE</td>
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<td>QRAE3</td>
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<td>RAEPPoint Switch</td>
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**Appendix 2: Supported Sensor ID**

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<td>H2S</td>
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<td>0x03</td>
<td>LEL</td>
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<td>CO2</td>
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<td>0x0F</td>
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<td>0x1B</td>
<td>Neutron</td>
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Appendix 3: Supported Unit ID

0x00: " " (Unknown)
0x01: ppm
0x02: %
0x03: uSv/h
0x04: uR/h
0x05: DegC
0x06: w_m2
0x07: ppb
0x08: DegF
0x09: mg/m^3
0x0A: " " (Space)
0x0B: %LEL
0x0C: %VOL

Appendix 4: Unit error definition

Unit Error byte:

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<th>Bit</th>
<th>Description</th>
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<tr>
<td>0 (LSB)</td>
<td>Power – 1 = ON, 0 = Off</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>Battery – 1=Low, 0= Normal</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2</td>
<td>Pump – 1=Stall, 0=Normal or not installed</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3</td>
<td>Memory – 1=Full, 0=Normal or not installed</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4</td>
<td>Sensor mask = bit map for 1-8 sensors</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5</td>
<td>Unit Failure – 1=Failure, 0=OK</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>6</td>
<td>0, reserved for future use</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>7 (MSB)</td>
<td>0, reserved for future use</td>
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Appendix 5: Sensor error definition

Sensor Error byte:

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<th>Bit</th>
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<td>0 (LSB)</td>
<td>Over Range – 1=fail, 0=normal</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>MAX – 1=fail, 0=normal</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2</td>
<td>Sensor Failure – 1=fail, 0=normal</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>If Sensor = PID</td>
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<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Failure = Lamp Alarm</td>
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<td></td>
<td>Else if Sensor = LEL</td>
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<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Failure = Off</td>
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<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Else</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Failure (General)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3</td>
<td>High limit – 1=fail, 0=normal</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4</td>
<td>Low limit – 1=fail, 0=normal</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5</td>
<td>STEL limit – 1=fail, 0=normal</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>6</td>
<td>TWA limit – 1=fail, 0=normal</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>7 (MSB)</td>
<td>Drift – 1=fail, 0=normal</td>
</tr>
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</table>
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Appendix 6: Sensor data calculation

Example: Calculate a sensor data of MeshGuard LEL. The requesting message and the answering message are shown here:

The Requesting Message:
01 03 00 C0 00 30 45 E2

The Answering Message:
00 01 03 60 01 02 0F E6 64 30 31 35 30 31 32 6E 36 01 01 00 00 1E 03
64 00 00 03 02 06 08 00 00 01 51 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 23 23 23 23 23 23 23 23 23 62 27 00

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<td>Byte[0] = SenID</td>
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<td>B2..B4: DivideFactor</td>
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</tr>
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<td>B5..B7: DecimalPoint</td>
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<tr>
<td>Byte[3] = SenErr</td>
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<tr>
<td>Byte[4] = Rding higher</td>
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DivideFactor = 10^n:
B4 B3 B2
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0 1 0 - 100
0 1 1 - 1000;
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DecimalPoint:
B7 B6 B5
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Note: For instructions on how to perform sensor data calculations, refer to Appendix 6

SenErr
Refer to Appendix 5
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From the answering message, we can find the DataFormat byte and the reading bytes.

The DataFormat is 06. The reading bytes are 00 00 01 51. Through these bytes and the forward table, it is possible to calculate the reading = 337 and the divider = 10, the DecimalPoint= 0.

The sensor data follows this equation:

Sensor Data = (float)( (int)( ( (float) data / 10^DF) + 0.5) ) / 10^DP

through the equation

Sensor Data= (float)(int)(337/10+0.5)/1 = (float)(int)34.2/1 =34
8 Wiring For RS-232 Or RS-485

If you need to wire the RadiantReader for RS232 or RS-485 connection, the gland with the RJ-45 jack can be removed and replaced with a gland or similar access junction that accommodates the wiring.

Note: All wiring must meet local code requirements.

8.1.1 Wiring Without Ethernet

If the RadiantReader is not going to use Ethernet or PoE, then you can remove the RJ-45 module and replace it to accommodate other wiring. Make sure you wrap the cable with sealant before tightening parts. This will help to ensure that water does not get into the RadiantReader where the wires enter.

1. Open the RadiantReader.
2. Disconnect the RJ-45 Ethernet module from the PC board.
3. Loosen the nut that secures the gland to the RadiantReader housing.
4. Disassemble the gland and pass a cable through as shown.
5. Wrap the cable with sealant at the point where the gland will grip the cable.
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6. Tighten the nut to “shrink” the gland’s clamp around the cable.

7. Pass the gland and cable through the RadiantReader’s opening and tighten the nut.

8. Connect the wires to the power and RS-232 or RS-485 blocks.
8.2 Wiring Blocks
On the main PC board inside the RadiantReader are two wiring blocks for RS-232 and RS-485. Place wires into the openings on the front of the blocks and then tighten the screws to hold them securely.

Schematic diagram of PC board locations
Note: SW2 and P5 (card reader slot) are for factory service only.
8.3 Grounding
Follow local electrical codes when installing and using the RadiantReader. If direct grounding is required, connect a ground wire to the screw on the bottom of the instrument to ground the chassis.

9 Mounting The RadiantReader
The RadiantReader may be placed on top of any stable platform, wall-mounted, or pole-mounted. A mounting kit (P/N: W02-3004-000) includes all parts necessary for mounting the RadiantReader to the mounting plate for wall mounting or attaching to a pole. The kit includes two bracket clips for pole attachment.

Eight drilled, tapped holes on the rear of RadiantReader are designed to accept the screws that hold the mounting plate.
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The mounting plate can be attached two ways, allowing the plate to be positioned for vertical mounting (to a pole) or for horizontal mounting (to a wall).

**Wall Mounting**
1. Use the plate as a template to mark and drill holes in the wall to accommodate screws to hold the mounting plate. If necessary, install anchors (if mounting plate is to be fastened to a masonry or brick wall).
2. Fasten the mounting plate to the RadiantReader, using four screws as shown below.
3. Fasten the mounting plate to the wall with four screws through the keyhole-shaped holes.

Position screws for attaching the RadiantReader for wall mounting.

Attach the mounting plate to the wall using the screws that pass through the four keyhole-shaped holes.
Pole Mounting

1. Fasten the mounting plate to the RadiantReader, using four screws as shown below.

2. Hold the RadiantReader and plate unit against the pole where it is to be mounted, and slide the U-shaped mounting screws’ ends through the top and bottom holes of the plate as shown.

3. Put washers and nuts on the ends of the mounting screws and tighten them until the entire unit is firmly attached to the pole.

Insert and tighten four screws as shown. Then mount the combined RadiantReader/mounting plate assembly.
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