

# **Instruction Manual**

- AT200BB (incorporating AT200-WP1 timer controller)





## **BOILER BLOW-DOWN CONTROL SYSTEM**

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## 1. INTRODUCTION

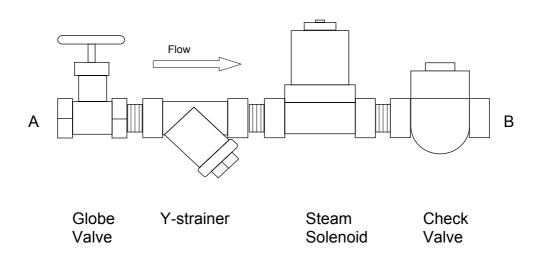
The AT200-WP1 timer controller, is easy to set up and operate. Once installed, together with the manifold, all that is required of the user is to set up a BLOW-DOWN time and an IDLE time. Automatic blow-down occurs on a repeating cycle, ie. BLOW-DOWN time followed by an IDLE time.

## 1.1 Components of the AT200BB Boiler Blow-down System

The following components are required for boiler blowdown control:

- 1. AT200-WP1 Timer Control Box incorporating Rhomberg AT200 timer set on Function 1.
- 2. Isolation/Globe Valve installed on outlet of sample line of boiler.
- 3. Y-strainer to prevent solids from clogging the solenoid valve.
- 4. Steam Solenoid Valve.
- 5. Check Valve.
- 6. Blow-down line.

The diagram below outlines the Bypass Assembly used in a boiler blow-down system. This assembly consists of a globe valve, Y-strainer, a steam solenoid and a check valve. Point 'A' in the diagram is the manifold inlet, taken from the boiler sample line. Point 'B' leads to the boiler blow-down line. The globe valve is necessary as it isolates the bypass to service any of the components.

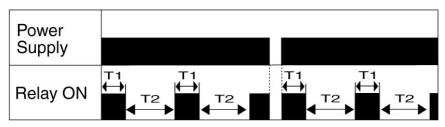


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### 2. DESCRIPTION OF OPERATION

#### **Rhomberg Timer Model AT200**

Function 2: Asymmetrical Recycling. ON cycle first.



T1 = Time set for BLOW-DOWN time

T2 = Time set for IDLE time

The AT200-WP1 starts timing as soon as mains power is applied (usually when the boiler is operating).

When the AT200BB is powered, an BLOW-DOWN time commences. Once the BLOW-DOWN time is complete, an IDLE time commences. During the BLOW-DOWN time, the solenoid valve is energised, allowing boiler water to pass through. Once, the IDLE time is complete, the cycle starts again with another BLOW-DOWN time.

After experimentation, the adjusted time settings will provide sufficient blow-down time to keep the TDS of the boiler water at a desirable level.

| Timer:<br>Operation:                                  | Rhomberg AT200 Function 2: Asymmetrical Recycling, ON cycle first (Terminals Y3 & Y4 linked). |
|---|---|
| T1:<br>T2:  | Blowdown Time (default 6 seconds) Idle Time (default 2 minutes)                               |
| L1: Red LED<br>L2: Green LED                          | Blowdown occurring (ie. solenoid valve activated) Power On (Flashing indicates timing)        |
| Default Time Range for T1: Default Time Range for T2: | Seconds<br>Minutes  |
| To change T1 (ie. Blowdown time) to minutes:          | Add a link between terminals Y1 & Y3  |
| To change T2 (ie. Idle time) to seconds:              | Remove the link between terminals Y2 & Y3   |
|   | (WARNING: remove power before adding or removing links)                                       |

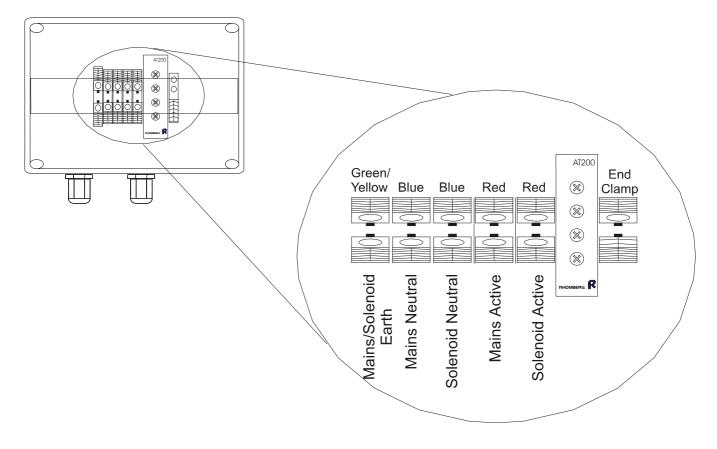
## 3. INSTALLATION

## 3.1 Mounting the AT200BB Controller & Bypass Manifold Assembly

- 1. Mount the AT200-WP1 controller on a flat vertical surface away from extreme heat, humidity or areas where temperature variation is extreme.
- 2. Mount the AT200-WP1 such that the instrument is at eye-level to allow good visibility of the unit.
- 3. Make up the bypass manifold assembly as shown in section 1.1 which should be plumbed from the sample line. THIS SHOULD ONY BE PERFORMED BY A QUALIFIED BOILER FITTER.
- 4. Use sufficient PTFE tape to provide leak-proof connection to sample line and other fittings.
- 5. Fit point 'A' of the bypass assembly to the sample line of the boiler.
- 6. Fit point 'B' of the bypass assembly to the main blow-down line. If necessary, weld a socket to the blow-down line. Make sure that no manual 'bottom' blow-down takes place when doing this installation.

### 3.2 Electrical Wiring Information

The diagram below shows the terminals for wiring the solenoid valve.



Terminal 1: Mains Neutral
Terminal 2: Solenoid Neutral
Terminal 3: Mains Active
Terminal 4: Solenoid Active

## 3.3 Y-strainer Maintenance

The Y-strainer should be cleaned periodically to maintain trouble free operation.

## 4. SPECIFICATIONS

#### **Control Panel**

| Power Supply:                | 220 – 240 VAC                             |
|------------------------------|---|
| Standard Output:             | 240VAC applied to Solenoid – 5 Amp rated. |
| LED Indication:              | Power ON, Solenoid valve Operate, Timing  |
| Controller dimensions:       | 170mm (h) x 220mm (w) x 160mm (d)         |
| Controller Enclosure rating: | IP55 (ie. completely weatherproof)        |
| Operating Temperature:       | 0 - 50°C                                  |

Manifold (Included with AT200BB. Optional with AT200-WP1)

| Max. manifold size:     | 1/2"                         |
|-------------------------|------------------------------|
| Max. manifold pressure: | 10.5 Bar (1050 kPa, 150 psi) |