# INDUSTRIAL AND COMMERCIAL

Landis+Gyr Dialog Communication unit

# CU-B1 / B2 / B4 TECHNICAL DATA



### CU-Bx

Definition a	nd use			
Version	S01	S02	RS232	RS485
CU-B1	•	•	•	•
CU-B2				• *
CU-B3	•	•		• *
CU-B4			•	•

 $<sup>^{\</sup>star}$  = One RS 485 interface with 2 sockets for rapid and trouble-free wiring

#### S0-interface CU-B1, CU-B3

The pulse inputs permit the connection of external pulse emitting devices, e.g. electricity-, water-, gasor heat-meters.

# Operating conditions

Standard IEC61393 / DIN 43864
Rated voltage 24 V DC
Max. voltage 27 V DC
Current

- Condition "On" min. 10mA, max 27mA
- Condition "Off" max. 2 mA
Pulse length ≥30 ms
Max. line length normally up to 0.5 m
Insulation resistance to meter 4 kV

#### RS232 interface CU-B1, CU-B4

Asymmetric, serial, asynchronous, bi-directional interface

- 3-wire design basic version
   For use with external modems with sufficient intelligence built in
- 6-wrie design extended version
   For use to initialise the external modem at regular intervals

## Operating conditions

Standard DIN 66256

Pin connections 3-wire basic version

- TxD (Transmitted Data)
- RxD (Received Data)
- GND (Ground)

Pin connections 6-wire extended version

- TxD (Transmitted Data)
- RxD( Received Data)
- GND (Ground)
- CTS (Clear to send)
- DTR (Data terminal ready)
- DSR (Data set ready)

Rated voltage  $\pm$  12 V DC Max. voltage  $\pm$  25 V DC

Max. bit rate 56 kbps
Max. line length up to 15 m
Insulation resistance to meter 4 kV

Additional functions (extended 6-wire version)

- Modem initialisation with AT commands
- Periodic modem initialisation
- Flow control with DTR and CTS
- Time window with multiple-use telephone lines
- Acceptance of calls
- Programmable number of ring signals

RS485 interface CU-B1, CU-B2, CU-B3, CU-B4 asymmetric, serial, asynchronous, bi-directional interface used as communications bus for multiple meter reading applications

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Operating conditions	
Standard	ISO-8482
Signal condition binary 1	
- Voltage difference	< -0.2 V DC
Signal condition binary 0	
<ul> <li>Voltage difference</li> </ul>	> 0.2 V DC
Max. number of slaves	31
Max. line length depending on env	ironment/cable
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- up to 250 m at max. 57'600 bps+max. 31 Slaves

- up to 550 m at max. 38'400 bps+max. 31 Slaves

up to 1000 m at max. 19'200 bps+max. 15 Slaves
 Insulation resistance to meter
 4 kV

## **External influences**

In general	same as for base meter
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## Weight and dimensions

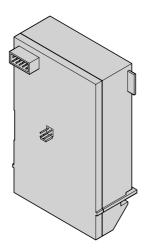
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Width	65 mm
Height	103 mm
Depth	38 mm

#### Connection to base meter

#### Base meter to communication unit

via 10-pin plug and socket serving for supply voltage and inernal bus and 4-pin plug for ground connection



# **Connection diagram**

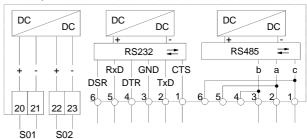
Pulse input 1
Pulse input 2

RS232 (basic version)	
TxD	Transmitted Data
GND	Signal Ground
RxD	Received Data

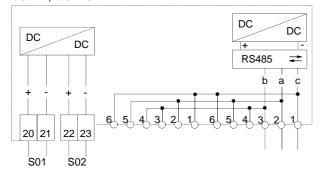
RS232/+ (extended Version)	
CTS	Clear to Send
TxD	Transmitted Data
GND	Signal Ground
DTR	Data Terminal Ready
RxD	Received Data
DSR	Data Set Ready

RS 485	
С	Signal ground
a	Data a
b	Data b

## CU-B1, CU-B4



CU-B2, CU-B3



# **Typical applications**

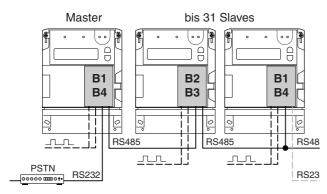
### Multiple meter reading (up to 32 meters

The communication units of the CU-Bx family permit multiple meter reading of up to 32 meters (1 master and up to 31 slaves) via a bi-directional bus that connects the RS485 interfaces of the various meters.

If multiple meter reading of a larger number of meters is required, we are able to propose suitable solutions.

The Landis & Gyr Dialog meter functioning as master uses its RS232 interface for communication with the PSTN modem or the GSM modem. If RS232 interfaces are fitted to the slave meters, these may be used for local applications

# Multiple meter reading telephone modem (PSTN)

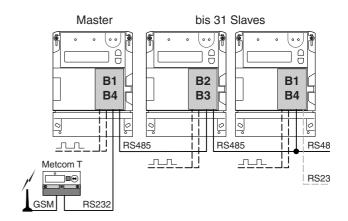


The Landis+Gyr Dialog Meter operating as master uses the RS232 interface for communication with the PSTN-modem.

When using an interface of type RS232/+ it is possible to use a standard modem (transparent modem).

For the same application Landis+Gyr also offers communication modules of type CU-M1 and CU-M4 with built-in PSTN-modem, so that the same application can be achieved without any external devices and cabling between. See respective documentation.

## Multiple meter reading by GSM (e.g.MetcomT)

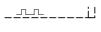


The configuration shown is practically identical to the one shown above, with the difference that instead of a PSTN modem a GSM modem, e.g. MetcomT is used.

#### Key to symbols used

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Optional data channel for local applications



Optional pulse inputs



**PSTN-Modem** (Public Service Telefon Network Modem)



#### MetcomT

- Product of Landis+Gyr AG
- GSM modem with RS232 or CSinterface

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