

# Operating Instructions



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## 1 General Information

This document contains necessary information for the proper installation and use of this device. In addition to this instruction, be sure to observe all statutory requirements, applicable standards, the additional technical specifications on the accompanying data sheet (see [www.labom.com](http://www.labom.com)) as well as the specifications indicated on the type plate.

### 1.1 General Safety Notes

The installation, set up, service or disassembly of this device must only be done by trained, qualified personnel using suitable equipment and authorized to do so.



#### Warning

Media can escape if unsuitable devices are used or if the installation is not correct.

Danger of severe injury or damage

- Ensure that the device is suitable for the process and undamaged.

### 1.2 Intended Use

The device is intended to measure pressure of gases, vapors and liquids as specified in the data sheet.

### 1.3 Conformity with EU Regulations

The CE-marking on the device certifies its compliance with the applicable EU Directives for placing products on the market within the European Union.

You find the complete EU Declaration of Conformity (document no. KE\_035) at [www.labom.com](http://www.labom.com).

## 2 Transportation and Storage

Store and transport the device only under clean and dry conditions preferably in the original packaging. Avoid exposure to shocks and excessive vibrations.

Permissible storage temperature: -40...85 °C

## 3 Installation and Commissioning

Ensure that the device is suitable for the intended application with respect to pressure range, overpressure limit, media compatibility, temperature range and process connection.

### 3.1 Mechanical Installation

Use gaskets, if required, that are suitable for the process connection and resistant to the media.

Before starting operation, check the process connection carefully for leaks under pressure.

You can use the device in any mounting position. Normally the transmitter is adjusted for a vertical mounting position. A different mounting position in combination with a small nominal range might cause a zero point offset. In this case a zero point adjustment might be necessary.

## 3.2 Electrical Connection

Complete the mechanical installation before you connect the device electrically.  
Set up all electrical connections while the voltage supply is switched off.

Permissible supply voltage:  $U_v = 14 \dots 30 \text{ VDC}$   
Permissible load:  $R_a = (U_v - 14 \text{ V}) / 0,022 \text{ A}$

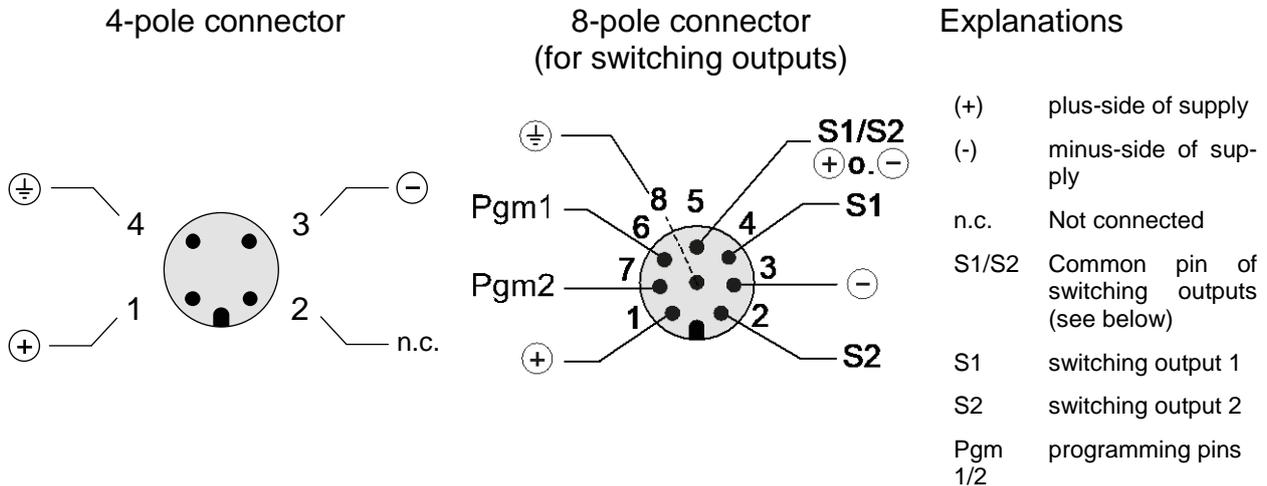


Figure 1: Pin assignment for M12 circular connector (device side)

### 3.2.1 Anschluss der Schaltkontakte (optional)

The switching outputs are potential-free. They are electrically isolated from the supply side (see Figure 2).

Therefore you can connect the load on the high-side (PNP-style) or the low-side (NPN-style) as long as you use only one switching output.

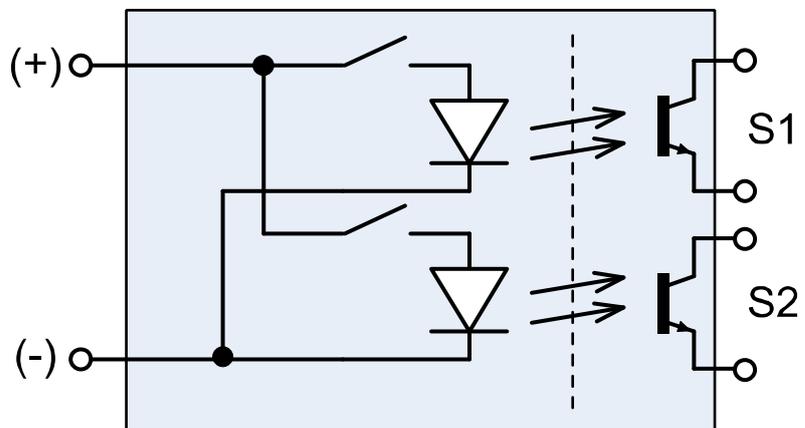


Figure 2: Switching outputs isolated from supply

Due to the limited number of pins either the low-side or the high-side is combined internally and routed to Pin 5. Therefore you have to connect both loads as shown below if you want to use both switching outputs.

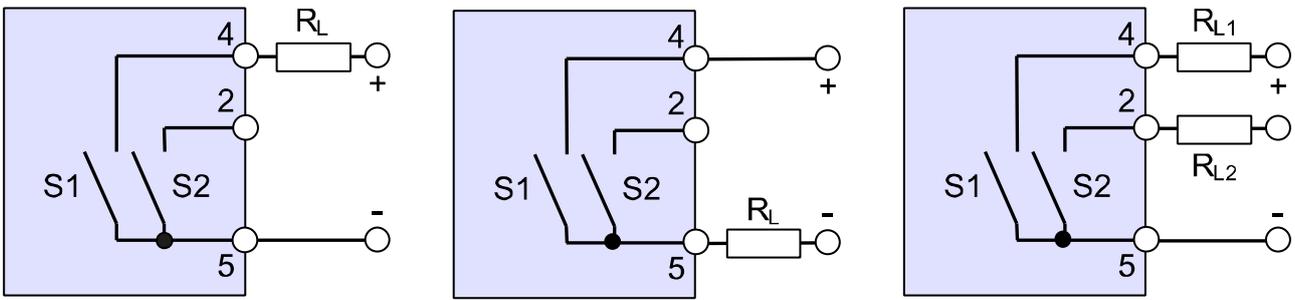


Figure 3: Connecting options with shared low-side (NPN/Lowside)

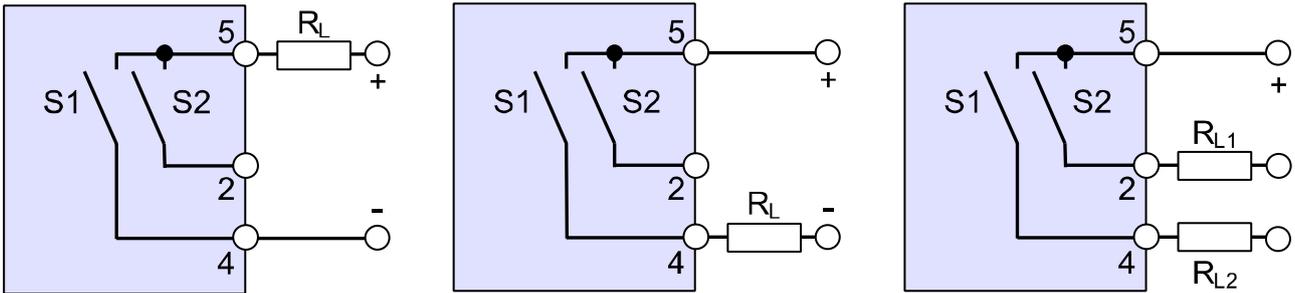


Figure 4: Connecting options with shared high-side (PNP/Highside)

Use an appropriate free-wheeling diode, if you want to switch inductive loads.

### 3.3 Adjusting the Display Unit

You can turn the display unit approx. 300° to optimize the readability. To do so hold the stainless steel housing with one hand and turn the display unit with the other hand into the wanted position.

The turning angle is limited by an internal limit stop. Do not try to force the display unit beyond that point. It might get destroyed.

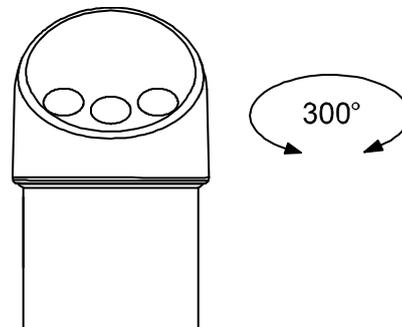


Figure 5: display unit

### 3.4 Devices with Diaphragm Seal

Remove the protective cap or protective wrapping from the diaphragm only just before installation to prevent contamination or damage.

The diaphragm must not be touched. Do not place the device on its diaphragm. Even small scratches or deformations may negatively influence the zero point or other characteristics of the device.

Pressure transmitter and diaphragm seal are a closed system that must not be separated. You can find further information about diaphragm seals in the document TA\_031 on [www.labom.com](http://www.labom.com).

## 4 Operation

During operation, take care that the device remains within its intended pressure and temperature ranges. No other monitoring is necessary.

The permissible media temperature depends on the type of device and its design. This information can be found in the relevant data sheet.

Permissible ambient temperature: -20...85 °C

The measured value is shown on the four-digit display. The LEDs above the display indicate the switch states of the switching outputs. The LEDs are on, when the switch is active.

### 4.1 Setup / Parameterization

You can set or change all adjustable parameters of the device at the device itself. This is described in detail in the User Manual (Chapter 6).

The three buttons on the display module are capacitive, not mechanical, therefore they do not move when pressed. Capacitive buttons sense the presence of your finger when pressed. Withdraw the finger at least one centimeter after pressing a button. This helps the device to clearly detect individual keypresses.

### 4.2 Maintenance / Service

When properly installed in accordance with applicable specifications, this device is maintenance-free. However, we recommend an annual recalibration of the device.

In the event of any damage or defect the customer cannot replace or repair any components or assemblies.

## 5 Disassembly

When measuring hot media, make sure that the device has cooled down prior to any dismounting or wear appropriate protective clothing to avoid burns.

Switch off the power supply to the device before disconnecting the electrical connections. Once this is done, the device may be mechanically removed.



#### Warning

Opening pressurized lines might cause severe injuries.

Danger of severe injuries or damage

- Relieve the process pressure before attempting to remove the device. Shut off the pressure supply for all feed lines to the device and relieve the pressure in them.



#### Warning

Hazardous deposits and residues might remain on opened process connections and removed devices.

Danger of injury

- After the device has been removed, seal off the measuring point and mark the open process connection accordingly. Consider a possible danger due to residues when handling the removed device.

## 6 User Manual

This chapter describes the handling and parameterization of the device with the three buttons on the display head.

You find an overview of the menu tree on the last page of this document.

### 6.1 System Operating Principles

#### 6.1.1 System feedback to operator when buttons are pressed

When you press a button, the switching output LEDs flash acknowledging the pressed button. The left and right arrow buttons are indicated by flashing the left or the right LED. When you press the left and right arrow buttons at the same time, both LEDs will flash. Both LEDs flash rapidly if you press the middle button.

Button		Feedback
	Left arrow button	Left LED flashes
	Right arrow button	Right LED flashes
	Both arrow buttons at the same time	Both LEDs flashes
	Middle button	Both LEDs flash rapidly

Table 1: Feedback to operator when buttons are pressed

The switching outputs are not affected by the LED flashing. When there is no button pressed, the output states are displayed.

#### 6.1.2 Display Mode / Measured-value screen

When the device is switched on, it goes into display mode. The currently measured value is displayed, or it is displayed alternately with the unit (see 6.4.1).

By pressing the middle button, the selected unit will be displayed. The unit will continue to be displayed as long as the middle button is pressed.

The arrow buttons have no function in display mode.

#### 6.1.3 Activating the Menu Mode / Key lock

A key lock prevents an unintentional misconfiguration of the device. You have to press both arrow buttons simultaneously for at least two seconds to enter the operator menu. The first entry of the main menu (bASE) will then appear on the display. If you hold both buttons for more than four seconds, the device switches back to display mode and shows the currently measured value again.

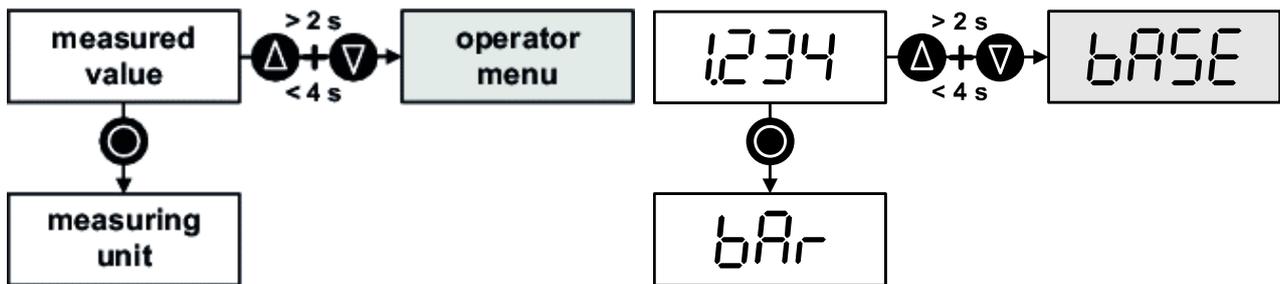


Figure 6: Button function in display mode, with example

#### 6.1.4 Menu mode / Operator menu

When you enter the menu mode, you always begin with the first main menu item (bA5E). In menu mode you can navigate the menu with the arrow buttons. The middle button selects the menu item resp. enters the submenu. If a value is just displayed (e.g. the maximum pointer) you can also return back to the menu item with the middle button.

The menu item "-rEt-" (return), which allows you to go back to the next highest menu level, is available in every menu. When you are in the main menu, "-rEt-" returns you to display mode.

At the end of a menu (typically, the "-rEt-" item) you return to the first menu item by pressing the down arrow button again. Similarly, you can jump from the first menu item to the end of the menu or a value list with the up arrow button.

You can return to the next higher menu level from every menu item by pressing both arrow buttons at the same time. The return is indicated by a blinking "-rEt-". By pressing both buttons for more than one second, you return to the display mode. Cancelling the menu mode is indicated in the display by a blinking "-ESc-".

If no button is pressed for five minutes in menu mode, the device automatically switches back to display mode.

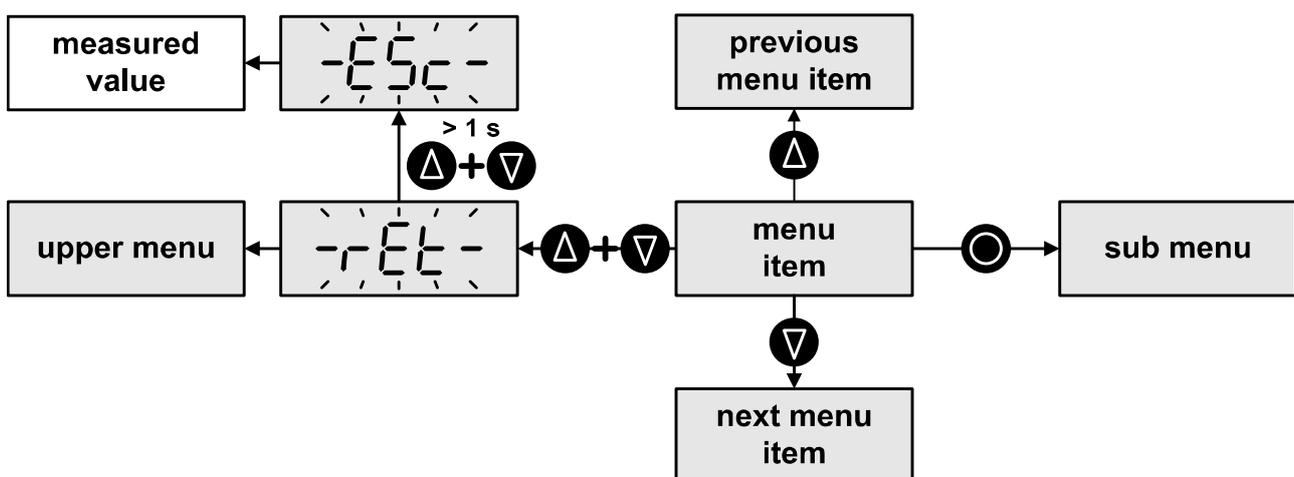


Figure 7: Button functions in menu mode



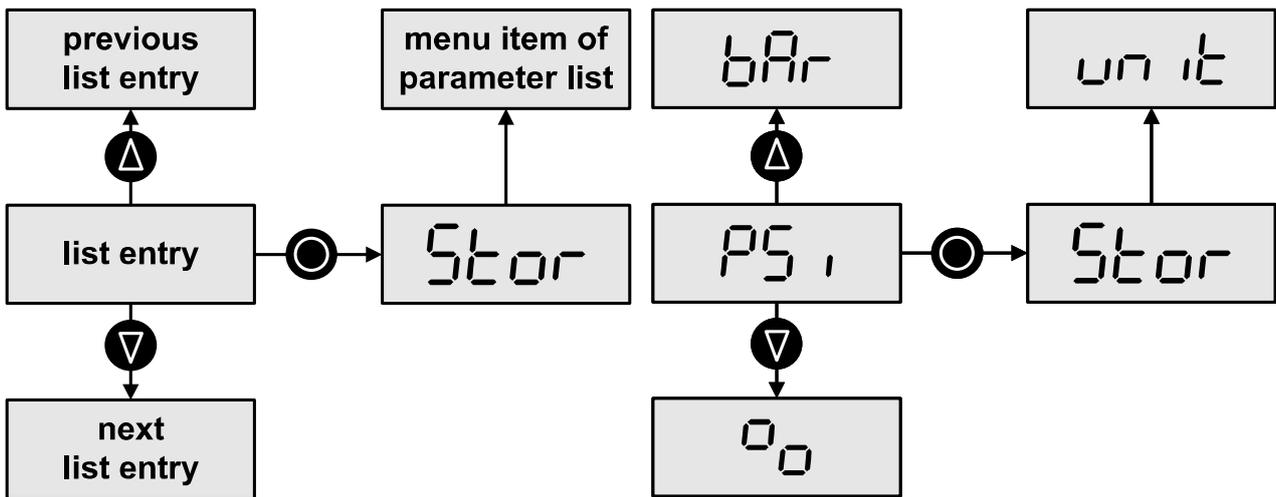


Figure 9: Button functions in a selection menu and example with parameter list for measuring units

### Setting a numerical value

Numerical values are entered digit by digit. The selected digit flashes and is incremented with the up arrow button and decremented with the down arrow button. The more significant digit will also be incremented or decremented when stepping over zero. If a change of the active digit would exceed the allowable value (e.g. the lower or upper range limit) the allowable value will be shown. With the opposite arrow button you can return to the previous value.

You confirm the selected digit with the middle button and proceed to the next digit.

You can cancel the value entry at any time by pressing both arrow buttons simultaneously. The device will then switch back to the corresponding menue entry. The partially edited value will not be saved.

When the right-most digit is selected, the middle button confirms the whole value. "Stor" appears on the display to confirm that the value has been stored and the device switches back to the menue item for the value.

You can store the partially edited value at any digit position by holding the middle button until "Stor" appears on the display (approx. two seconds).

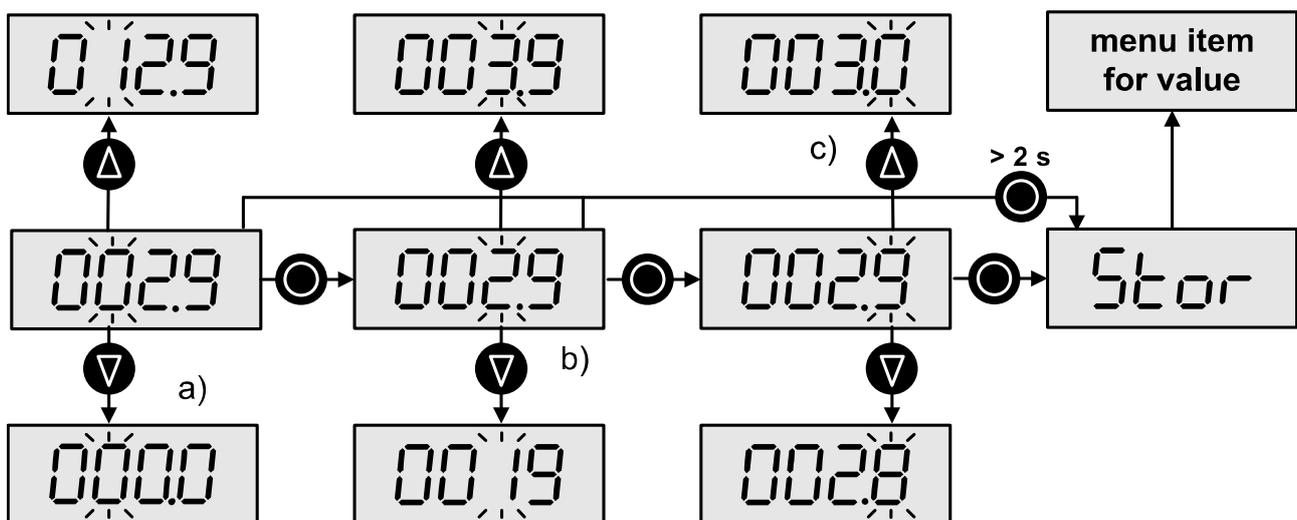


Figure 10: Button functions for entering numeric values a) limit to allowed values, b) changing one digit, c) incrementing the more significant digit when stepping over zero

## 6.2 Main Menu

The main menu contains the following functions:

Display	Designation	Description
bASE	Basic functions	Setting the unit, setting the zero point, min./max. pointer
dISP	Display functions	All settings relating to the display
SP	Switch point settings	Configuration of the switching outputs (optional)
SYS	System data	Displaying system data (versions, serial number); reset to factory settings
-rEt-	Return	Return to display mode

Table 2: The items in the Main Menu

## 6.3 Basic Menu (bASE)

The basic menu contains the following items:

Display	Designation	Description
unit	Measuring unit	Setting the measuring unit via a parameter list
ELr	Set zero point (Teach lower range)	Setting the applied pressure as zero point (0 bar)
Lo	Min. pointer (low)	Display resp. delete the min. pointer
Hi	Max. pointer (high)	Display resp. delete the max. pointer
-rEt-	Return	Return to the main menu

Table 3: The items in the basic menu

### 6.3.1 Setting the measuring unit (unit)

The device can operate with the units shown in the table 4. The selected unit applies to data entries (e.g. for set points) and to the displaying of numerical values (e.g. the min./max. pointer).

Display	Unit	Display	Unit
bar	bar	kPa	kPa
mbar	mbar	MPa	MPa
PSI	PSI	mA	mA
%	%	-rEt-	Return

Table 4: Parameter list for the measuring unit

As an example the steps needed to change the unit from bar to PSI are shown below.

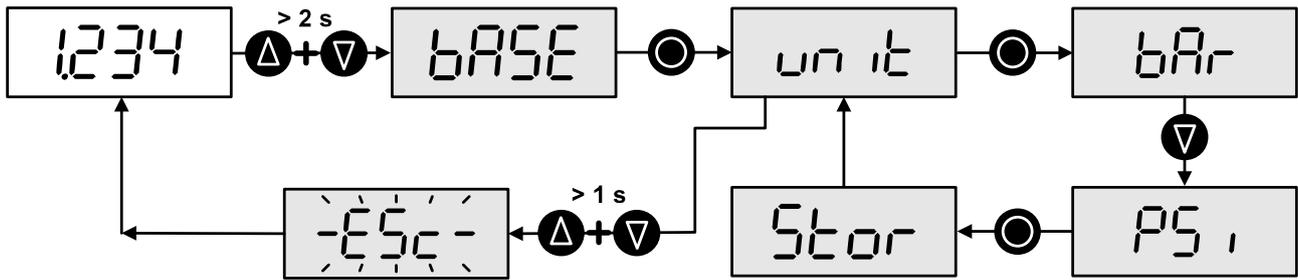


Figure 11: Operator actions for changing the measuring unit

### 6.3.2 Correcting the Zero Point (t1r)

You can correct the zero point by up to  $\pm 20\%$  of the measuring range with the "teach lower range" menu item (t1r). When the menu item is selected the entry points to "-rEt-". To trigger the function go to "YES" with one of the arrow buttons and confirm with the middle button. This extra step prevents any unintentional zero shift while navigating the menu.

With the final confirmation, the applied pressure is stored as zero point. "donE" appears on the display to confirm that the zero point has been adjusted and the device switches back to the menu item "Teach Lower Range" (t1r).

Display	Designation	Description
-rEt-	Return	Return to „t1r“
YES	Confirm (yes)	Setting the applied pressure as the zero point (0 bar)

Table 5: Parameter list for correcting the zero point

The steps needed to adjust the zero point are shown below (starting from display mode).

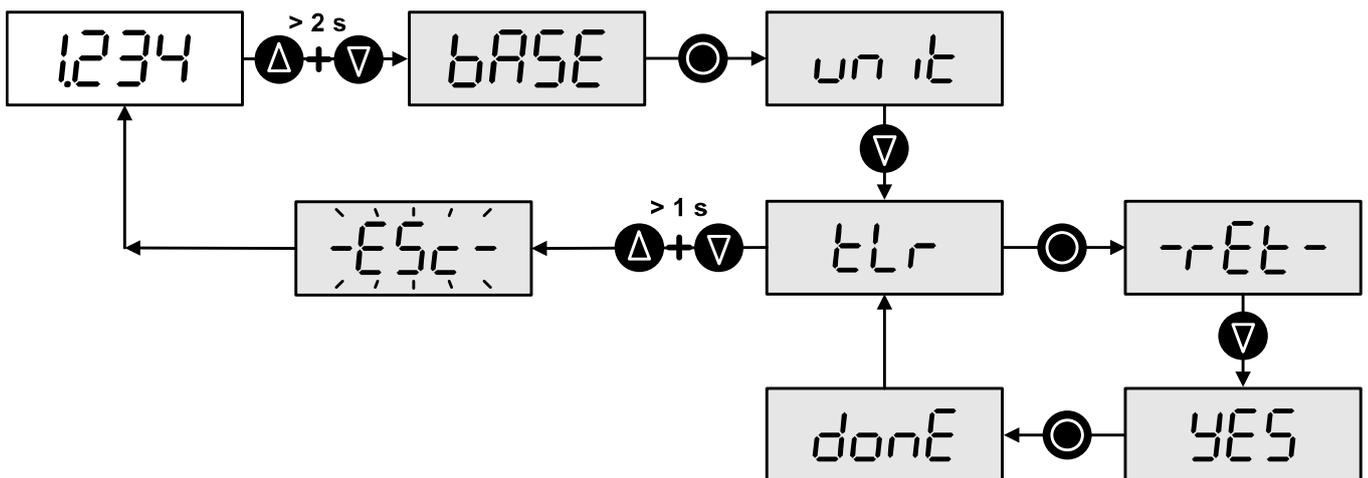


Figure 12: Operator actions for correcting the zero point

### 6.3.3 Min. and max. pointers (Lo / Hi)

The device has min./max. pointers for minimum and maximum pressure values. You can display and reset them in this menu. Resetting a pointer is confirmed by showing "----" on the display.

Display	Designation	Description
1234	Value of min./max pointer	Value of min./max. pointer in the selected measuring unit
clr	Clear	Reset the stored pointer value
-rEt-	Return	Return to „Lo “ or „Hi “

Table 6: Parameter list for min./max. pointer

The steps needed to reset the minimum pointer are shown below.

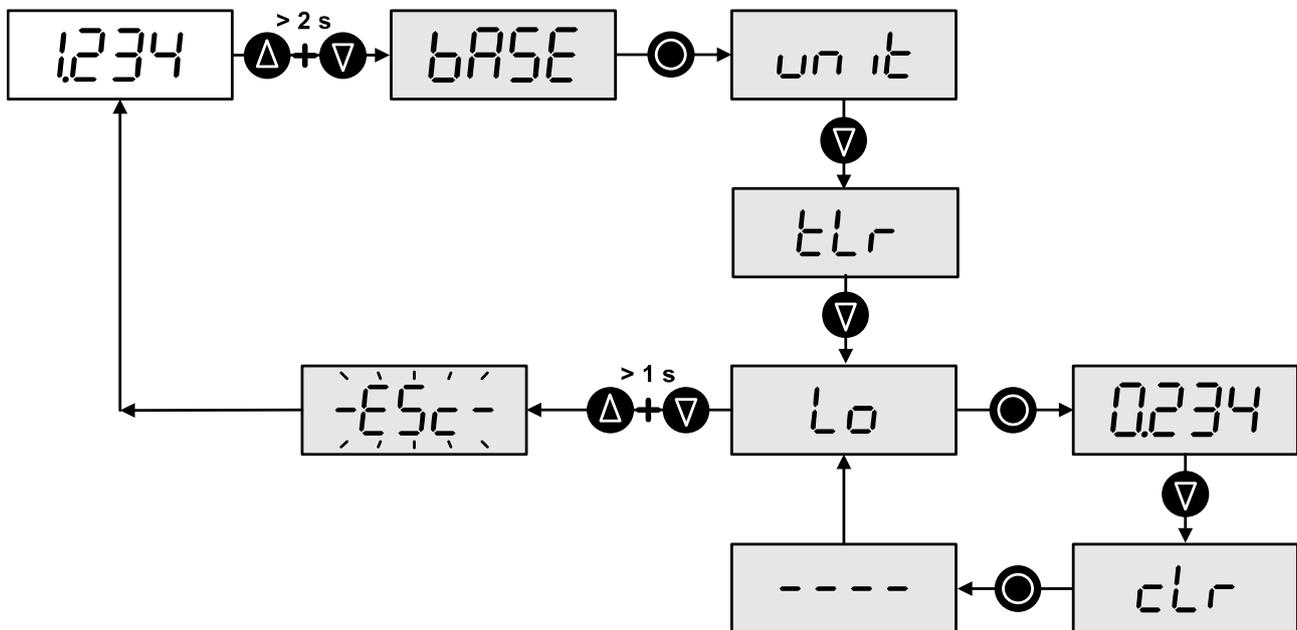


Figure 13: Operator actions to reset the minimum pointer

## 6.4 Display Menue (diSP)

The display menu for configuring the display contains the following items:

Display	Designation	Description
	Display period for measured value (time data)	Can be set between 0.5 and 99.9 s
	Display period for unit (time unit)	Can be set between 0.0 and 99.9 s
	Rotate 180°	Rotate screen by 180° when the device is installed upside down
	Decimal places	Setting the decimal places (zero to three fixed decimal places or automatic)
	Return	Return to "diSP"

Table7: The items in the display menue

### 6.4.1 Display period for measuring value/unit ( $t_d$ / $t_u$ )

The unit can be displayed in two ways, either by pressing the middle button in display mode or alternating with the measured value. When displayed alternating with the measured value, the display periods for the measured value and the unit can be selected independently of one another.

If the period for displaying the unit is set to zero, only the measured value will be displayed.

### 6.4.2 Rotating the display by 180° (rot)

You can rotate the 7-segment display by 180°, so that it can be read when the device is put in place upside down. The function for the arrow buttons are also swapped in this case, so that the device can be operated the same way in either position.

Display	Designation	Description
	Standard (0°)	
	Upside down (180°)	Display rotated 180° for upside down operation
	Return	Return to (rot)

Table 8: Parameter list for rotating the display

### 6.4.3 Decimal-point setting (dECP)

You can set a fixed decimal point or allow the system to compute the best position for the decimal point.

Display	Designation	Description
Auto	Automatic	The decimal point is set so that the decimal places are fully used
0000	No decimal place	
000.0	One decimal place	
00.00	Two decimal places	
0.000	Three decimal places	
-rEt-	Return	Return to "dECP"

Table 9: Parameter list for setting the decimal point

Please note that when the decimal point is set as “fixed”, the decimal point will shift to the right if there are insufficient digits to the left of the decimal point. If, for example, the display is set to use two decimal places and the measured value is 110 mbar, the display will show “110.0”.

## 6.5 Switch-point Menue (SP)

The switch-point menue contains the functions for setting the first and second switch-point. The menue items vary, depending on whether you select a hysteresis or frame function. Independently from the output function you can define switching delays.

Display	Designation	Description
SP	Switch-point	Switch-point in the selected measuring unit
rP	Reset-point	Reset-point in the selected unit
dS	Delay switch	Output delay at the switch point
dr	Delay reset	Output delay at the reset point
out	Output function	Configuring the output (normally open / normally closed, hysteresis / frame)
<i>Menue items for second switch point</i>		
-rEt-	Return	Return to "SP"

Table 10: Menue items for a switching output with hysteresis function

The switch-point (SP) must be between the upper range limit (URL) and the reset-point. The reset-point (rP) must be between the lower range limit (LRL) and the switch-point. The minimum distance between switch-point and reset-point (minimal hysteresis) is 0.5% of the measuring range.

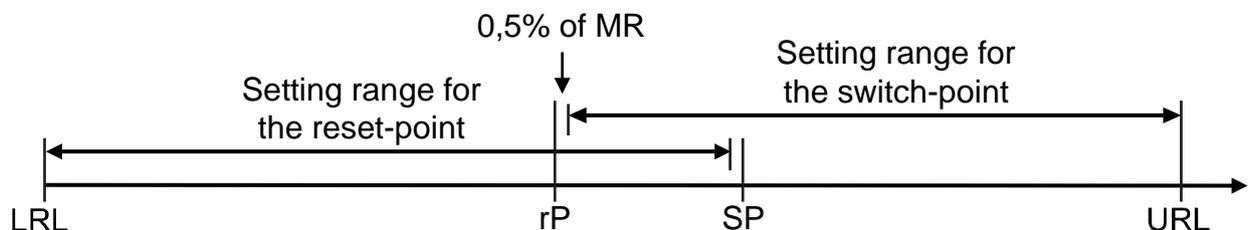


Figure 14: Setting ranges for switch-point and reset-point

You can define delays for the switch-point as well as the reset-point, e.g. to avoid that short pressure peaks trigger the switch.

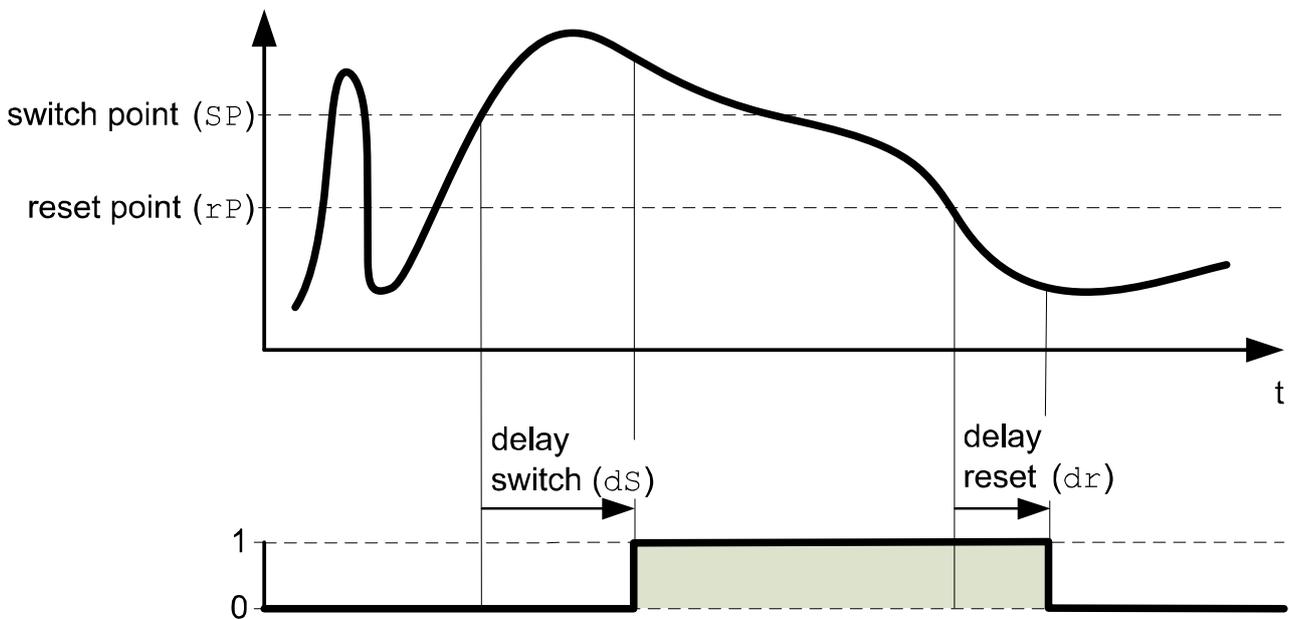


Figure 15: Output delays for a hysteresis function normally open (Hno)

When you select a frame function, the menu items for switch-point and reset-point are replaced by the upper and lower frame limits. The minimum difference of the frame limits is also 0.5% of the measuring range.

Display	Designation	Description
FH	Frame high	Upper frame limit in the selected measuring unit
FL	Frame low	Lower frame limit in the selected measuring unit
ds	Delay switch	Output delay when entering the frame
dr	Delay reset	Output delay when leaving the frame
out	Output function	Configuring the output (normally open / normally closed, hysteresis / frame)
<i>Menu items for second switch point</i>		
-rEt-	Return	Return to "SP"

Table 11: Menu items for a switching output with frame function

### 6.5.1 Configuring the output function (out 1 / 2)

You can choose a hysteresis or frame function as the output function. Furthermore you can define whether the output is normally open or normally closed.

Display	Designation	Description
Hno	Hysteresis, normally open	If the pressure is above the switch-point the switch is closed. At the lower range limit the switch is open.
Hnc	Hysteresis, normally closed	If the pressure is above the switch-point is open. At the lower range limit the switch is closed.
Fno	Frame, normally open	Inside of the frame the switch is closed. At the lower range limit the switch is open.
Fnc	Frame, normally closed	Inside of the frame the switch is open. At the lower range limit the switch is closed.
-rEt-	Return	Return to "out 1" or "out 2"

Table 12: Parameter list for output function

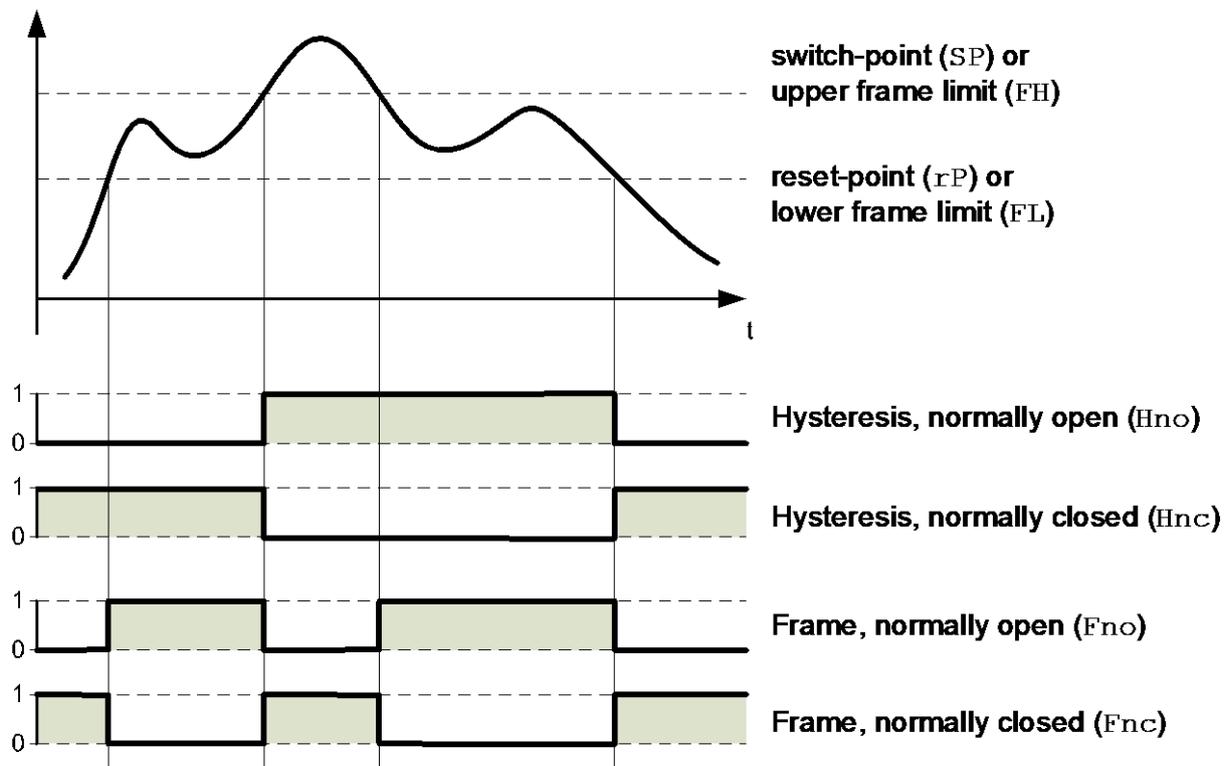


Figure 16: The output functions

## 6.6 System Menue (SYS)

The system menue contains the following items:

Display	Designation	Description
inFo	Information	Display of Hardware and software version, serial number
rES	Reset	Reset
-rEt-	Return	Return to "SYS"

Table 13: The items in the system menue

### 6.6.1 Information (inFo)

The following device information is available in the system menue.

Display	Designation	Display	Designation
HW1	Hardware version 1 (HW1)	Sn 1	Serial number 1 (Sn 1)
HW2	Hardware version 2 (HW2)	Sn 2	Serial number 2 (Sn 2)
SW1	Software version 1 (SW1)	Sn 3	Serial number 3 (Sn 3)
SW2	Software version 2 (SW2)	Sn 4	Serial number 4 (Sn 4)
-rEt-	Return	Return to "inFo"	

Table 14: Menue items in the information menue

Due to the limited number of alphanumerical segments on the display, hardware and software versions are split into two separate items, and serial number into four items.

### 6.6.2 Reset to factory settings (rES)

You can reset the device to the configuration as delivered with the menue item "Reset" (rES). When the menue item is selected the entry points to "-rEt-". To trigger the function go to "YES" with one of the arrow buttons and confirm with the middle button. This extra step prevents any unintentional reset while navigating the menue.

"donE" appears on the display to confirm that the device has been reset to factory settings and the device switches back to the menue item "Reset" (rES). The factory reset does not affect the zero point adjustment.

Display	Designation	Description
-rEt-	Return	Return to "rES"
YES	Confirm (yes)	Resetting the device to factory settings

Table 15: Parameter list for resetting the device to factory settings



## 6.7 Overview of the Menu Tree

Main Menu	Sub Menu	Description
BASE		Menu with basic functions
	unit	Setting the measuring unit (bar, mbar, PSI, %, kPa, MPa, mA)
	ELr	Setting the zero point to the applied pressure
	Lo	Display resp. delete the min. pointer
	Hi	Display resp. delete the max. pointer
DISP		All settings relating to the display
	td	Setting the display period for the measured value
	tu	Setting the display period for the unit
	rot	Display direction (0° = normal, 180° = rotated)°
	decP	Setting the decimal places (zero to three fixed decimal places or automatic)
SP		Configuring the switching outputs (only if available)
	ds 1 FH 1	Switch-point or upper frame limit of the first switching output
	rp 1 FL 1	Reset-point or lower frame limit of the first switching output
	ds 1	Output delay at the switch point of the first switching output
	dr 1	Output delay at the reset point of the first switching output
	out 1	Output function of the first switching output (Hno, Hnc, Fno, Fnc)
	<i>Menu items for the second switching output</i>	
SYS		System information and reset
	info	Hard- and software versions, serial number
	res	Reset to factory settings

Table 16: Overview of the menu tree