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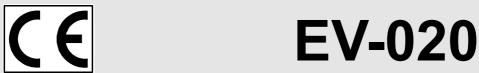
### **CONTAMETRI**

CHAIN COUNTER

COMPTEUR MÉTRIQUE

**METERZÄHLER** 

**CUENTAMETROS** 



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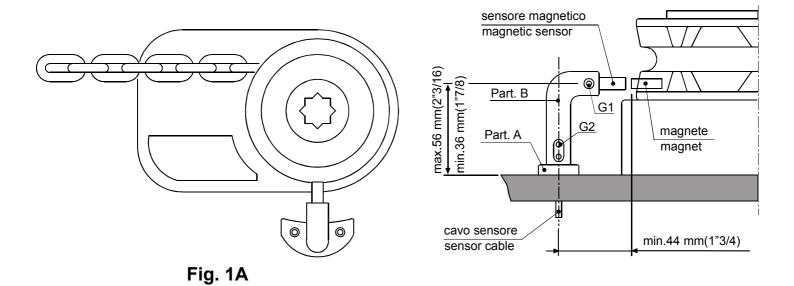


Fig. 1B

Fig. 2A

Fig. 2B

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Fig. 2C



### **Description**

The **EV-020** chain counter displays the length of chain let out or down, expressed in metres or feet and the speed of the same.

### **Technical data**

Power supply	from 10 to 30 V DC
Current intake	min. 5 mA – max 50 mA
Protection rating	IP65
Operative temperature	0 / +70 °C (32 / 158 °F)
Graphic display	128 x 64 pixels
Max. chain length	999 metres – 999 feet
Size (mm)	145 x 50 x 24
Weight (g)	450*

<sup>\*</sup> with cable



**Warning** 

#### CONNECT ONLY TO A DC POWER SUPPLY.

#### **General notes**

The **EV-020** chain counter must be used solely for the purposes described herein, i.e. to operate and display the number of metres/feet of chain let out by an anchor windlass. Any other use is to be considered improper.

Any tampering with the instrument will result in immediate voiding of the warranty.

### **Components**

#### The package contains:

- chain counter with extensible cable and fastening kit (1 bracket with 2 screws);
- 6-pole connector tap with gasket, 4 fastening screws with spacer rings and plug;
- instructions for use.

### Installation

On a few models of anchor windlass the sensor and the magnet are already installed (chain counter setting). Therefore, the operations described below are not necessary.

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### Installing the magnet on the anchor windlass

- A hole having a diameter of 6.5 mm (~1/4") and depth of 8 mm (5/16") must be drilled on a tooth of the gipsy, in a place outside the chain's path.
- In the case of vertical shaft anchor windlasses (see Fig. 1B), drill the hole in the lower circumference of the gipsy.
- In the case of horizontal shaft anchor windlasses (see Fig. 2B), drill the hole in the outer circumference of the gipsy.
- Also make sure that the protruding part of the magnet will not collide with the base or sensor during rotation of the gipsy.
- Insert the metal part of the magnet in the hole, allowing the protected part to protrude by about 2 mm. Fix it in place using an adhesive for metals (two-component epoxy glue) or silicone. The glue used must be able to withstand a marine environment.

# Installing the magnetic sensor for vertical shaft anchor windlasses

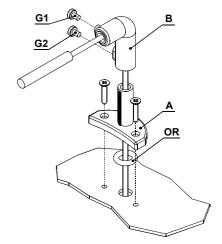
(see Fig. 1A - 1B)

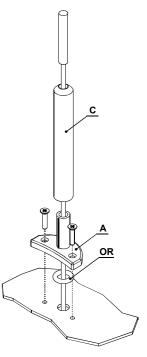
- Drill a 4 mm (~3/16") hole in the cover through which to thread the sensor cable.
- Fasten Part A of the support with the two screws provided, after having positioned the O-ring in the lower part of the support.
- Fit Part B with the magnetic sensor on support A and adjust its height until it is aligned with the magnet fastened on the gipsy.
- Bring the sensor to a distance of about 3 mm (~1/8") from the magnet and secure it in place by tightening screw G1. Then tighten screw G2.

# Installing the magnetic sensor for horizontal shaft anchor windlasses

(see Fig. 2A - 2B - 2C)

- Drill a 4 mm (~3/16") hole in the cover through which to thread the sensor cable.
- Fasten Part A of the support with the two screws provided, after having positioned the O-ring in the lower part of the support.
- Cut Part C to measure using a hacksaw. The sensor must be positioned at a distance of about 3 mm (~1/8") from the magnet.
- Fit Part C with the magnetic sensor on support A and fix it in place using an adhesive for plastic (two-component epoxy glue) or silicone.
- Using the same glue, attach the sensor to Part C.





#### Installing the chain counter

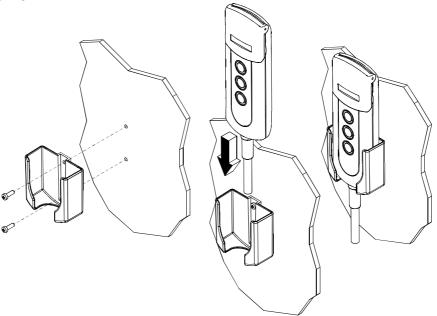
(see connection diagram)



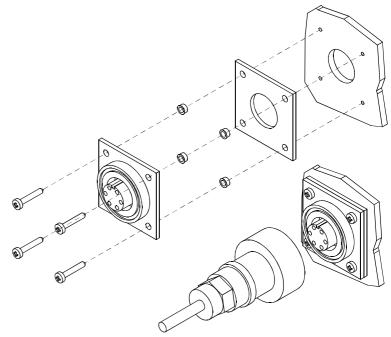


### ALWAYS DISCONNECT THE BATTERY PRIOR TO INSTALLATION.

- The chain counter must be positioned so that the display will be easy to read. It should not be exposed to direct sunlight.
- Secure the instrument in place with the bracket provided, tightening the two screws using a cross screwdriver.



- Drill on the dashboard one hole of 20.5 mm (~13/16") and 4 holes of 2.2 mm (~3/32") to fasten the connector tap.
- Put the gasket between the rear part of tap and the dashboard.
- The rear part must be protected from contact with water or moisture.
- For instructions on making electrical connections, see the attached diagram. The wires must have a minimum cross section size of 1.5 mm².
- Install a 3 A (ampere) fast safety fuse on the + wire of the battery. Do not use the voltage generated by the engine battery set to provide power.
- The instrument complies with EMC standards (EN55022) and must be positioned at a distance of:
  - 30 cm (~1 Ft) from the compass;
  - 50 cm (~1.5 Ft) from radio

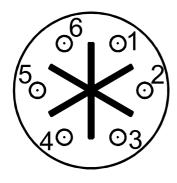




#### equipment;

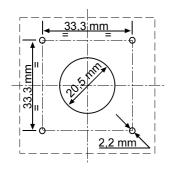
- 2 metres (~6.5 Ft) from radio transmitter equipment;
- 2 metres (~6.5 Ft) from the radar beam.

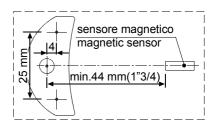
#### **Connections**



	6-POLE REAR CONNECTOR
PIN	SIGNAL
1	- battery
2	+ battery
3	DOWN command
4	UP command
5	Magnetic sensor
6	

### **Connector and sensor holes**





#### Starting up

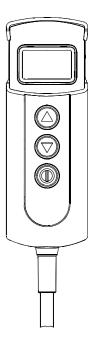
The chain counter features a graphic display and three keys:  $\bigcirc$  (**ON**),  $\bigcirc$  (**UP**) and  $\bigcirc$  (**DOWN**). There is also a buzzer that indicates the pressing of the keys or attracts the user's attention in particular conditions (alarm triggering).

The **ON** key switches on the display and enables the other two keys. It must be used to access the parameter setting menus. For selecting the parameters to be modified and to confirm the values set. The display backlight will switch off 30 seconds after the last command given (adjustable default time – see "BkLight Time").

The **UP** key commands the hoisting of the anchor and the **DOWN** key casts it. When the key is released, the action is stopped. During parameter setting, the two keys allow the User to move around the menu and vary parameter values.

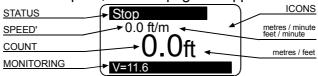
When switched on, the instrument will make a beep and the following page will appear for a few seconds:







Once the initialisation procedure is complete, the main page will appear.



Where:

**STATUS**: indicates the status of the instrument and any failure.

SPEED': indicates the chain speed during hoisting or lowering in meters per minute or feet per minute.

**COUNT**: indicates the measurement of the chain lowered (in metres or feet).

**MONITORING**: indicates the power supply voltage.

**ICONS**: this is the part of the *display* bearing the icons that indicate the hoisting or casting of the anchor and any failure.

When the instrument is turned on for the first time, it will set up as programmed in the factory (see table).

Parameter	Default value
Up Alarm	3.0 metres
Auto Down	Off
BackLight Time	30 seconds
Units of measurement	Metres/centimetres
Chain Measure	0.0 metres
Barbotin Circumference	33 cm
Sensor type	unknown
Keyboard Beep	Yes
Language	Italian
Works Hours	0
Division factor	1

### Chain counter setting menu

Hold down the (I) (ON) key for six seconds to access the instrument setting menu. The following page will appear on the display:    Menu   Measure   Alarms & Function   Settings   Language   Sensor Calibration						
Use the (DOWN) and (UP) keys to move around the menu options.	Menu Language Sensor Calibration Tests Exit					
Once you are positioned on the item to be modified press the (ON) key to confirm your choice.						
Use the (DOWN) or (UP) keys to move from one parameter to another.						
Once one is positioned on the parameter press the $^{\textcircled{0}}$ ( <b>ON</b> ) key to enable modification.						
According to the type of parameter, using the $\bigcirc$ ( <b>DOWN</b> ) and $\bigcirc$ ( <b>UP</b> ) keys it is possible to reduce/increase the value of the same or disable/enable the function.						

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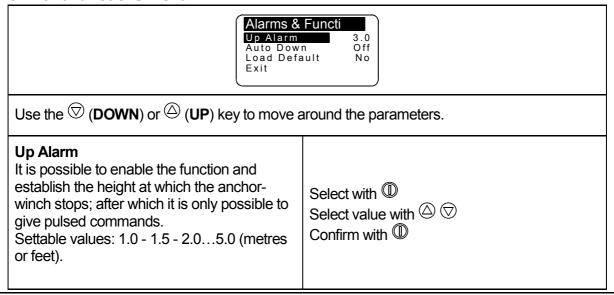
Once the modification has been performed, press the  $^{\textcircled{1}}$  (**ON**) key to confirm.

Using the  $\bigcirc$  (**DOWN**) key go to the **Exit** option and press the  $\bigcirc$  (**ON**) key again to return to the setting menu. The same procedure must be used to return to the main page.

### Measurement menu

Measure Reset Mes Units Exit	asure No Feet
Use the (DOWN) or (UP) key to move a	around the parameters.
Reset Measurement Resets the chain measurement value (0.0).	Select with
Units Selects the unit of measurement: Feet/ inches Metres / centimetres	Select with
Exit To return to the settings menu.	Confirm with

#### Alarm and functions menu



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Auto Down Enables the automatic anchor lowering procedure, at the desired height, with the pressing (for at least 3 seconds) of the keys and .  Settable value: 5 - 10 - 1540 (metres or feet).	Select with   Select value with   Confirm with
Load Default This function allows the User to revert to the original factory default settings, thus erasing all settings memorised. This command must only be used in the event of programming errors.	Select with
Exit To return to the settings menu.	Confirm with

### Settings menu

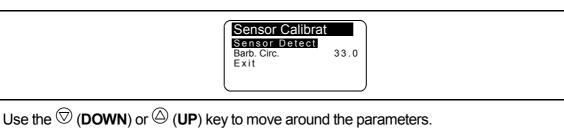
Settings Contrast Light BkLight Time 30 Keyb. Beep Yes Exit				
Use the (DOWN) or (UP) key to move around the parameters.				
Contrast By enabling this function it is possible to start the display contrast programming procedure.	Select with  Select value with   Confirm with   Select value with			
Light By enabling this function it is possible to start the display luminous intensity programming procedure.	Select with  Select value with   Confirm with   Confirm with   Select with    Select with   Select with   Select with   Select with   Select w			
BackLight Time This function allows the user to set the backlight on time during which the display remains lit after the last command given (default value 30 seconds).	Select with  Select value with   Confirm with			
Keyboard Beep This function allows the user to enable or disable the buzzer (emitted each time a key is pressed).	Select with   △ = No  ▽ = Yes  Confirm with  □			
Exit To return to the settings menu.	Confirm with			



#### Language menu

Language Language Exit	
Use the (DOWN) or (UP) key to move a	around the parameters.
Language The user may select the display language: Italian, English, French, German, Spanish	Select with   Select value with   Confirm with
Exit To return to the settings menu.	Confirm with

#### **Sensor calibration menu**



#### **Sensor Detect**

This function has the purpose of calibrating the instrument according to the type of sensor installed (Standard or Project). The second screen indicates the time for a sensor period and type.



# Sensor Detect. Press Up/Down Key to run the motor

Press  $\triangle$  or  $\bigcirc$ 



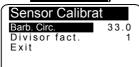
Sensor Detect
Press Up/Down Key
to run the motor
0.400 sec.
Sensor:Proj.

Confirm with

Once the "Sensor Detection" function has recognised a "Standard" type sensor instead of a "Project" sensor, when the "Sensor Calibrat." menu is entered again, the menu options will "configure" themselves according to the sensor detected.



# Standard and X.. Project series sensor menu (magnet and sensor placed on barbotin)



### 1000 – 1500 – 2000 W Project series sensor menu (magnet and sensor placed on motor)

Sensor Calibrat	
Red. Factor	57.0
Exit	

#### **Barbotin Circumference**

In this row the user must enter the circumference of the gipsy (in centimetres or inches). Use the **Table 1** provided to calculate the circumference.

Settable values: centimetres or inches. Default value, 33 cm.

#### **Division Factor**

If you use the 3-wire inductive sensor set here the number of signatures of the gypsy obtained from **Table 1**.

If you use the 2-wire magnetic sensor leave the value set to **1**.

#### **Reduction Factor**

In this row the user must enter the reduction factor. See next **Table 2** for the correct value to be entered Default value, 57.

Select with $\@$	Select	with	
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Select value with  $\bigcirc$ 

Confirm with

### **Exit**

To return to the settings menu.

Confirm with

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Table 1 - Standard and Project X.. series sensor (magnet and sensor placed <u>on barbotin</u>)

Chain Type	Number of recesses	Gipsy Circumference (cm)	Gipsy Circumference (inches)
6 mm	6	22	9
OTHILL	9	34	13
7 mm	6	25	10
	5	24	9
8 mm	6	28	11
	7	33*	13
	8	38	15
10 mm	5	31	12
10111111	6	36	14
12 mm	5	36	14
ı∠ mm	6	43	17
13 mm	6	46	18
14 mm	5	42	16

<sup>\*</sup> factory settings of instrument

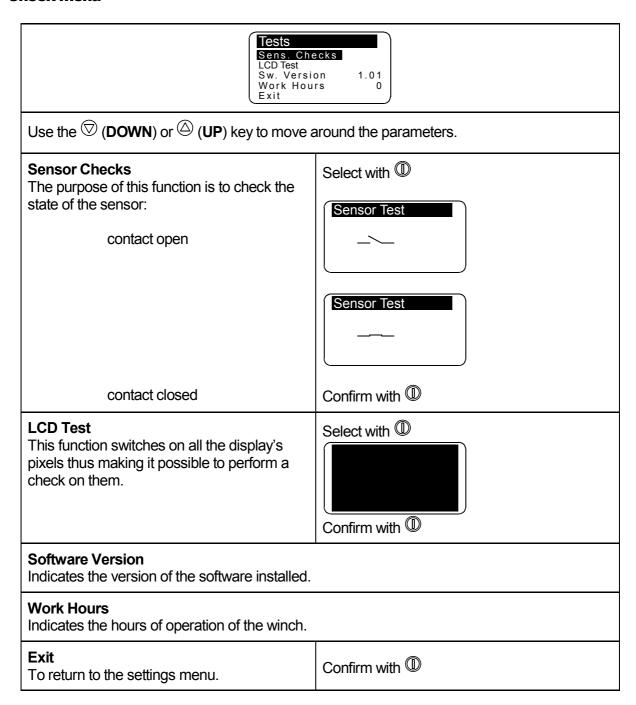
Table 2 - 1000 – 1500 – 2000W Project series sensor (magnet and sensor placed <u>on motor</u>)

Туре	Gipsy Circumfer. (cm)	Reduction ratio	Number of recesses	Chain type (mm-inches)	Reduction Factor
	30	1:52	6	8-5/16"HT	57*
Project 1000	30	1:52	5	10 DIN 766	57
Froject 1000	31	1:52	5	10 ISO-3/8"HT	59
	34	1:52	9	6	65
	30	1:70	6	8-5/16"HT	43
Project 1500	30	1:70	5	10 DIN 766	43
i roject 1300	31	1:70	5	10 ISO-3/8"HT	44
	36	1:70	5	12 ISO-13 DIN 766-7/16"HT	51
	39	1:75	6	3/8"HT	52
	40	1:75	6	3/8"Proof Coil	53
	41	1:75	6	10 DIN 766-3/8"BBB	54
Project 2000	44	1:75	7	10 ISO	58
	45	1:75	5	14 ISO	60
	46	1:75	6	12 ISO-13 DIN 766	61
	47	1:75	5	13 DIN 764	63

<sup>\*</sup> factory setting of instrument



#### Check menu



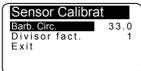
#### Instrument calibration

Before using the instrument the following parameters must be set:

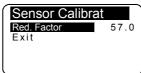
- choice of unit of measurement (metres or feet);
- detection of type of sensor (Standard or Project);
- gipsy diameter setting (default value 33 cm) or reduction factor (default value 57).



### Standard and X.. Project series sensor menu



### 1000 – 1500 –2000 W Project series sensor menu



#### Use

Press the (ON) key to activate controls and to switch on the display lighting. The *display* lighting switches off 30 seconds after the last command given (adjustable *default* time – see "BkLight Time"). Press key (UP) to control the anchor ascending.



Press key (DOWN) to cast anchor.



When any key is released (UP or DOWN) the corresponding action is stopped.

### **Measurement reset**

To reset the measurement count simultaneously press the 0 (**ON**) and the 0 (**UP**) keys for at least three seconds.

Measurement reset may also be performed in the **Measurement** menu by selecting "**Yes**" in the **Reset Measure** row.



### **Automatic casting of the anchor**

This function must be enabled in the **Alarms and Functions** menu (disabled by default).



Select the row "Auto Down" and set the value at which the anchor must stop. Then press the (ON) and (DOWN) keys for at least three seconds. Once anchor casting has commenced, release the keys. For safety reasons it is however possible to interrupt automatic descent by pressing any instrument key.



### **Troubleshooting**

FAULT	CAUSE	CORRECTIVE ACTION
No Sensor 0.0 ft/m 0.0ft V=11.6	Though <b>UP</b> or <b>DOWN</b> keys are pressed, the instrument doesn't receive any signal from the magnetic sensor for more than 5 seconds.	Check the sensor electric connections.  Check if sensor operates properly. If not, replace it.
		Check the position of sensor and magnet on gipsy and their distance (3 mm).
		Check the operation of electric installation or anchor windlass.
Low Voltage 0.0 ft/m 0.0ft V=7.9	The instrument's power supply voltage is lower than 10V.	Verify the battery charge or operation of the electrics system.

### **Warranty**

We guarantee our products from manufacturing defects for 2 years from the purchase date (purchase ticket or any other purchase proof will be requested). Guarantee does not include damages and breakage during the transport, damages and breakage due to faulty installation or improper use. Warranty is no longer valid when repairs or servicing have been made by unauthorized people or made with spare parts which are not original. Warranty does not include the complete replacement of the goods and refers exclusively to the replace of faulty pieces and necessary labour. It does not include transfer or transport expenses. The Customer will not ask for expenses refund.

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