

Overview

The BA/◆(H200, H300) is a humidity transmitter which comes in 2% or 3% accuracies and an optional temperature sensor. The temperature sensor can be either a Thermistor or RTD. It can be ordered for either Duct or Outside Air applications with Weatherproof (WP), Weather Tight (EU), BAPI-Box (BB), or BAPI-Box 2 (BB2) Enclosures. The transmitter can be wired for either a 0 to 5VDC output or a loop powered 4 to 20mA output.

Duct Unit Mounting

Mount at least 3 duct diameters from humidifiers in the center of the duct wall. Drill a 1 inch hole for the probe in the duct and use two number 8 sheet metal screws to attach the sensor to the duct. Center the probe in its mounting hole. Be sure that the foam seals the hole, do not over tighten the screws.

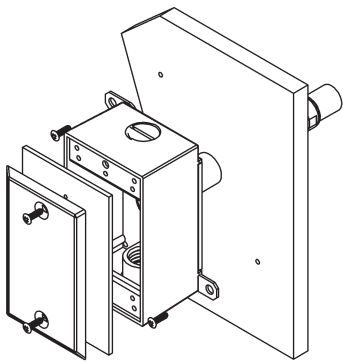


Fig. 1: Duct Humidity
in a Weatherproof
(WP) Enclosure

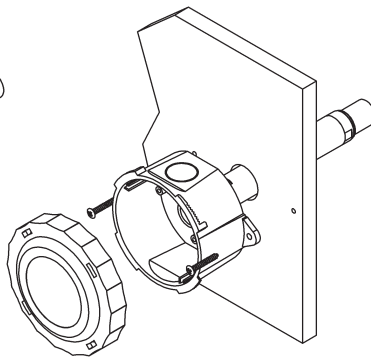


Fig. 2: Duct Humidity
in a Weather Tight (EU)
Enclosure

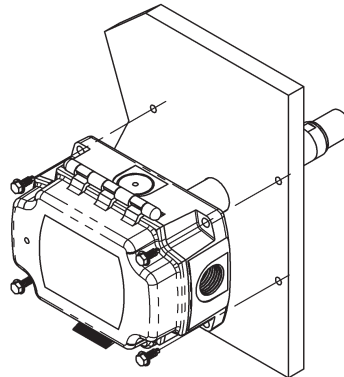


Fig. 3: Duct Humidity
in a BAPI-Box (BB)
Enclosure

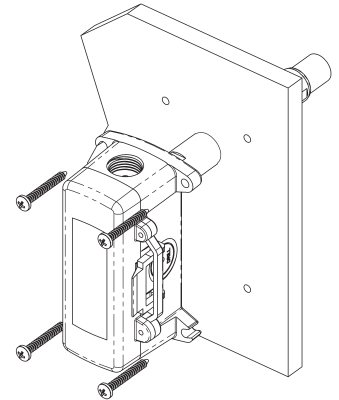


Fig. 4: Duct Humidity
in a BAPI-Box 2 (BB2)
Enclosure

Outside Air Mounting

Mount in a permanently shaded area away from windows and doors. Do not mount in direct sunlight. Mount with the sensor probe pointed down. Drill a hole large enough for your sensor cable through your mounting surface. Mount the unit to the surface with the wiring knock out centered over the wiring hole. Pull the wiring into the unit and terminate using sealant filled connectors. Best practice is to seal the wiring hole with caulk after the wiring is installed. Be sure that the foam on the back of the unit makes a good weather tight seal.

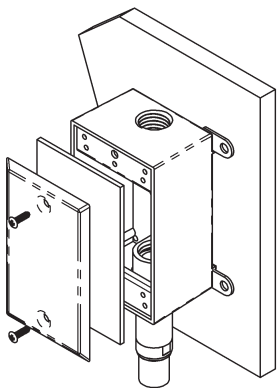


Fig. 5: Outside Humidity
in a Weatherproof (WP)
Enclosure

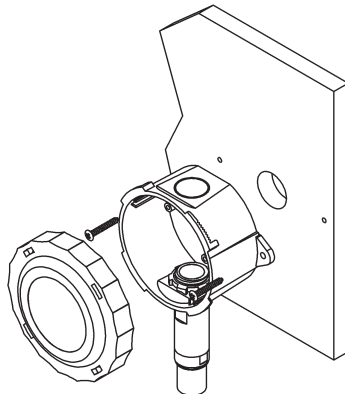


Fig. 6: Outside Humidity
in a Weather Tight (EU)
Enclosure

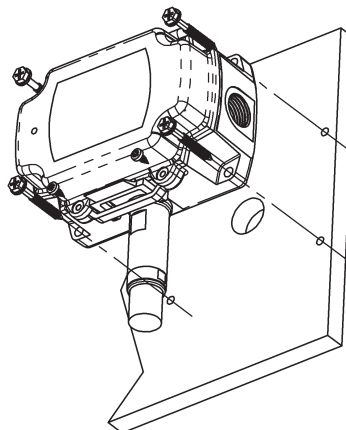


Fig. 7: Outside Humidity
in a BAPI-Box (BB)
Enclosure

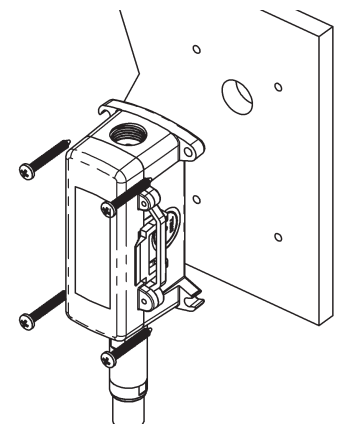


Fig. 8: Outside Humidity
in a BAPI-Box 2 (BB2)
Enclosure

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Duct and Outside Air Humidity (H200-H300)

4 to 20mA or 0 to 5V Humidity Output with Optional Temperature Sensor

Installation and Operating Instructions

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Wiring and Termination

BAPI recommends using twisted pair of at least 22AWG and sealant filled connectors for all wire connections. Larger gauge wire may be required for long runs. All wiring must comply with the National Electric Code (NEC) and local codes.

Do NOT run this device's wiring in the same conduit as AC power wiring of NEC class 1, NEC class 2, NEC class 3 or with wiring used to supply highly inductive loads such as motors, contactors and relays. BAPI's tests show that fluctuating and inaccurate signal levels are possible when AC power wiring is present in the same conduit as the signal lines. If you are experiencing any of these difficulties, please contact your BAPI representative.



BAPI recommends wiring the product with power disconnected. Proper supply voltage, polarity, and wiring connections are important to a successful installation. Not observing these recommendations may damage the product and will void the warranty.

Table 1: Humidity Transmitter with 4 to 20mA Output

Wire Color	Purpose	Note
White	Not Used	Not Used (Cap Wires)
Black	Humidity Output	4 to 20 mA, To Analog Input of Controller
Red	Power	10 to 35VDC

Table 2: Humidity Transmitter with 0 to 5VDC Output

Wire Color	Purpose	Note
White	Humidity Output	0 to 5VDC, To Analog Input of Controller
Black	GND (Common)	Ground for Power and Humidity Output
Red	Power	10 to 35VDC or 12 to 27 VAC

Table 3: Temperature Sensor Lead Wire Colors

Thermistors		Platinum RTDs - 2 Wire	
1.8KΩ	Orange/Red	100Ω	Red/Red
2.2KΩ	Brown/White	1KΩ	Orange/Orange
3KΩ	Yellow/Black	Nickel RTD	
3.25KΩ	Brown/Green	1KΩ	Green/Green
3.3KΩ	Yellow/Brown	Silicon RTD	
10K-2Ω	Yellow/Yellow	2KΩ	Brown/Blue
10K-3Ω	Yellow/Red	Platinum RTDs - 3 Wire	
10K-3(11K)Ω	Yellow/Blue	100Ω	Red/Red/Black*
20KΩ	White/White	1KΩ	Orange/Orange/Black*
47KΩ	Yellow/Orange	*In the 3-Wire RTD sensors listed above, the two wires of similar color are connected together.	
50KΩ	White/Blue		
100KΩ	Yellow/White		

Additional sensors are available so your sensor may not be listed on this table.

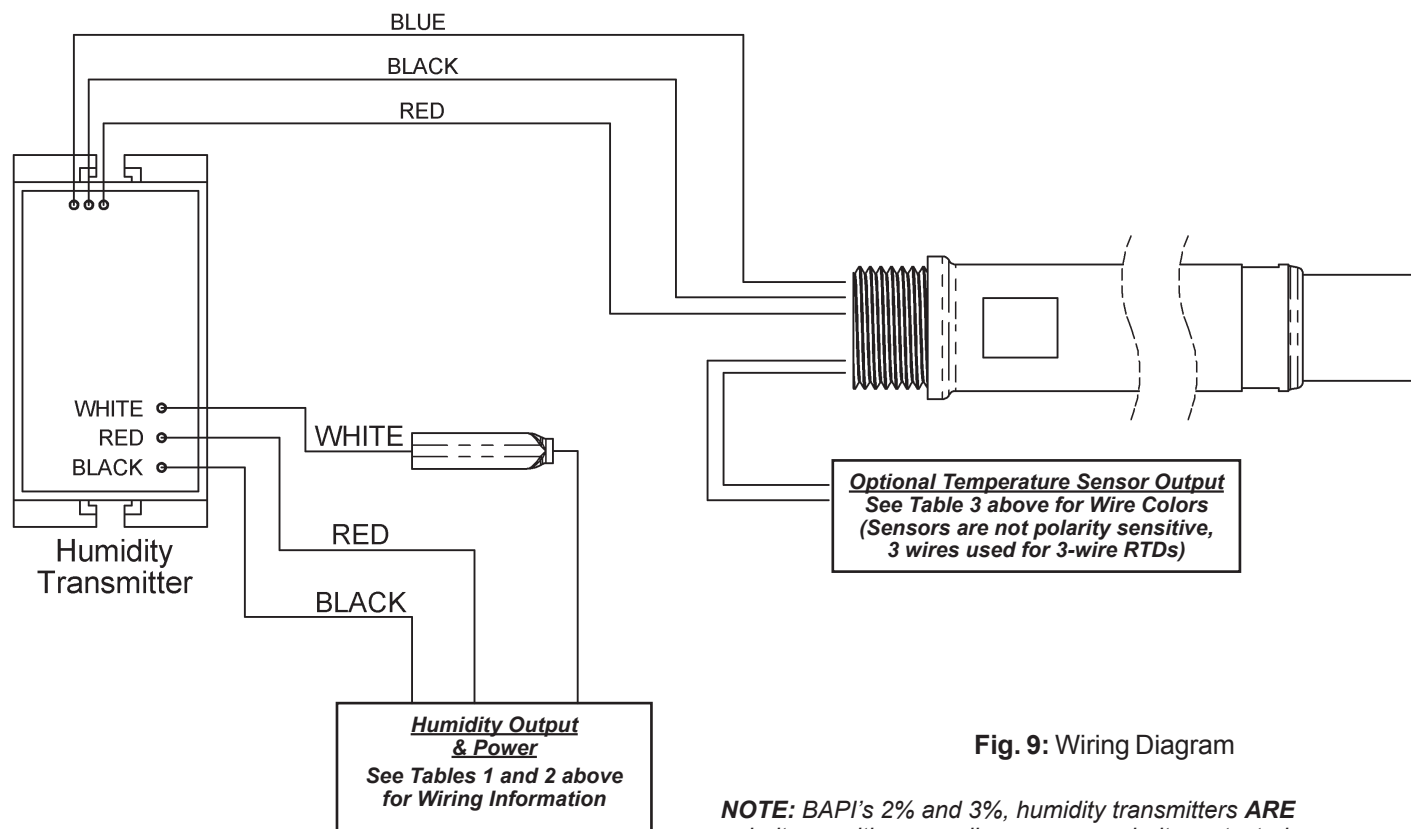


Fig. 9: Wiring Diagram

NOTE: BAPI's 2% and 3%, humidity transmitters **ARE** polarity sensitive as well as reverse polarity protected.

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Duct and Outside Air Humidity (H200-H300)

4 to 20mA or 0 to 5V Humidity Output with Optional Temperature Sensor

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Specifications

Power:

10 to 35 VDC For 0 to 5 VDC or 4 to 20 mA Humidity Outputs
12 to 27 VAC For 0 to 5 VDC Humidity Output

Power Consumption:

22 mA max. DC For 0 to 5 VDC or 4 to 20 mA Humidity Outputs
0.53 VA max. AC For 0 to 5 VDC Humidity Output

Sensor:

Humidity Factory corrected @17 RH points (10 to 90% RH)
RH Accuracy Capacitive Polymer
±2% @ 73°F (23°C) from 10 to 90%
Drift 0.5% per year
Response time < 5 seconds in moving air
RH Linearity Negligible, factory corrected linear from 10 to 90%
RH Hysteresis Factory corrected to <1%
Opt. Temp. Passive RTD or Thermistor

Filter:

80 micron sintered stainless steel filter

Calibrated Accuracy:

RH 2% Calibration @17 RH points, (10% to 90%)
RH 3% 2% from 10 to 90% @ 73°F (23°C), Non-condensing
Thermistor 3% from 10 to 95% @ 73°F (23°C), Non-condensing
RTD ±0.36°F (0.2°C) from 32 to 158°F (0 to 70°C) - High accuracy units are available
±0.55°F (0.31°C) @ 32°F (0°C) - High accuracy units are available

Output:

Humidity Selectable via wiring detail
0 to 5VDC or 4 to 20mA at 0 to 100% RH
Opt. Temp. Resistance RTD or Thermistor

Humidity Output Impedance:

Current 700Ω @ 24VDC, Voltage drop is 10VDC
(Supply Voltage DC – Transmitter voltage drop 10VDC) / 0.02 Amps = Max load Impedance
Voltage 10KΩ

Probe Length:

Duct 5.3" (13.5cm) Duct Insertion, 1" diameter
Outside Air 2.4" (6.1cm) Below Enclosure, 1" diameter

Dimensions:

W x H x D
Weatherproof (WP) 2.75" x 4.5" x 2.2", (70 x 114 x 55 mm)
Weather Tight (EU) 4.1" x 3.8" x 2.1", (105 x 97 x 54 mm)
BAPI-Box (BB) 4.15" x 5" x 2.5", (105.4 x 127 x 63.5mm)
BAPI-Box 2 (BB2) 4.9" x 2.8" x 2.35", (124.8 x 71.6 x 59.7mm)

Termination:

Open wire
Crimp 18 to 26 AWG with Sealant Filled Crimp Connector (BA/SFC1000-x00)
Wire Nut 26 to 16 AWG with Sealant Filled Wire Nut (BA/SFC2000-x00)

Enclosure Material:

Weatherproof (WP) Cast Aluminum
Weather Tight (EU) ABS plastic, UV resistant
BAPI-Boxes (BB, BB2) Polycarbonate, UV resistant

Enclosures Ratings:

Weatherproof (WP) NEMA-3R
Weather Tight (EU) IP66, UL94V-0
BAPI-Boxes (BB, BB2) NEMA-4, IP66, UL94V-0

Environmental Operation Range: -40° to 158°F (-40° to 70°C) • 0% to 100% RH**Approvals:**

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Filter Care

A sintered filter protects the humidity sensor from various airborne particles and may need periodic cleaning. To do this, gently unscrew the filter from the probe. Rinse the filter in warm soapy water and rinse until clean. A nylon brush may be used if necessary. Gently replace the filter by screwing it back into the probe. The filter should screw all the way into the probe. Hand tighten only. If a replacement filter is needed, call BAPI.

BA/HDOFS3 Stainless Steel Sintered Filter Replacement for Outside Air Units

Humidity Diagnostics

Possible Problems:

Unit will not operate

Humidity output is at its maximum value of 5V or 20mA

Humidity output is at its minimum value of 0V or 4mA

Humidity reading in controller's software appears to be off by more than the specified accuracy

Possible Solutions:

- Check for proper supply power. (See page 2 for wiring diagram and power specifications)

- Make sure the humidity sensor is wired properly.

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- Check all software parameters
- Determine if the sensor is exposed to an external air source different from the intended measured environment or reference device.
- Check the Humidity transmitter output against a calibrated reference such as a 2% accurate hygrometer. Measure the humidity at the sensor's location using the reference meter, then calculate the humidity transmitter output using the humidity formula at left. Compare the calculated output to the actual humidity transmitter output (see the wiring diagram on page 2 for the humidity transmitter output wire colors). If the calculated output differs from the humidity transmitter output by more than 5%, contact BAPI technical support.

Output	Humidity Formula
4 to 20mA	$\%RH = (mA - 4) / 0.16$
0 to 5VDC	$\%RH = V / 0.05$

Temperature Diagnostics

Possible Problems:

Controller reports Incorrect temperature

Possible Solutions:

- Confirm the input is set up correctly in the controller's software
- Verify that the sensor wires are not physically shorted or open
- Check wiring for proper termination
- Measure the temperature at the temperature sensor's location using an accurate temperature standard. Disconnect the temperature sensor wires and measure the temperature sensor's resistance with an ohmmeter. Compare the temperature sensor's resistance to the appropriate temperature sensor table on the BAPI website. If the measured resistance is different from the temperature table by more than 5%, call BAPI technical support. BAPI's web site is found at www.bapihvac.com; click on "Resource Library" and "Sensor Specs" then click on the type of sensor you have.

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