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Note Indicates information of particular interest for efficient and convenient operation of the product.

1, 2, 3... 1. Indicates lists of one sort or another, such as procedures, checklists, etc.

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About this Manual:

This manual describes the installation and operation of the K3NX Process Meter and includes the sections described below.

Please read this manual carefully and be sure you understand the information provided before attempting to install and operate the K3NX.

Section 1 describes the functions of the K3NX. The main components are also described.

Section 2 provides instructions required for mounting and wiring the K3NX.

Section 3 provides instructions for setting the parameters of the K3NX.

Section 4 provides instructions for operating the K3NX in RUN mode.

Section 5 provides information on the teaching function, output test, and maintenance mode.

Section 6 provides information on the use of the K3NX with the BCD Output Board.

Section 7 provides information for troubleshooting the K3NX

The ***Appendices*** provide specifications, a list of settings, a list of standard models, and a list of available menu items.

⚠WARNING Failure to read and understand the information provided in this manual may result in personal injury or death, damage to the product, or product failure. Please read each section in its entirety and be sure you understand the information provided in the section and related sections before attempting any of the procedures or operations given.

PRECAUTIONS

This section provides precautions for using the K3NX Process Meter and related devices.

The information contained in this section is important for the safe and reliable application of the K3NX. You must read this section and understand the information contained before attempting to set up or operate the K3NX.

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1 General Precautions

The user must operate the product according to the performance specifications described in the operation manuals.

Before using the product under conditions which are not described in the manual or applying the product to nuclear control systems, railroad systems, aviation systems, vehicles, combustion systems, medical equipment, amusement machines, safety equipment, and other systems, machines, and equipment that may have a serious influence on lives and property if used improperly, consult your OMRON representative.

Be sure to read this manual before attempting to use the product and keep this manual close at hand for reference during operation.

2 Safety Precautions

⚠ **WARNING** Never attempt to disassemble any Units while power is being supplied. Doing so may result in serious electrical shock or electrocution.

⚠ **WARNING** Never touch any of the terminals while power is being supplied. Doing so may result in serious electrical shock or electrocution.

3 Application Precautions

Observe the following precautions when using the product.

- Always use the power supply voltage specified in the specifications.
- Do not use the product in locations subject to flammable gases or combustible objects.
- Be sure to confirm terminal names when wiring.
- Be sure to tighten the screws on the terminal blocks.

Observe the following precautions when mounting the product.

- Mount the product on level surfaces.
- Mount the product on a panel which has a thickness of 1 to 3.2 mm.

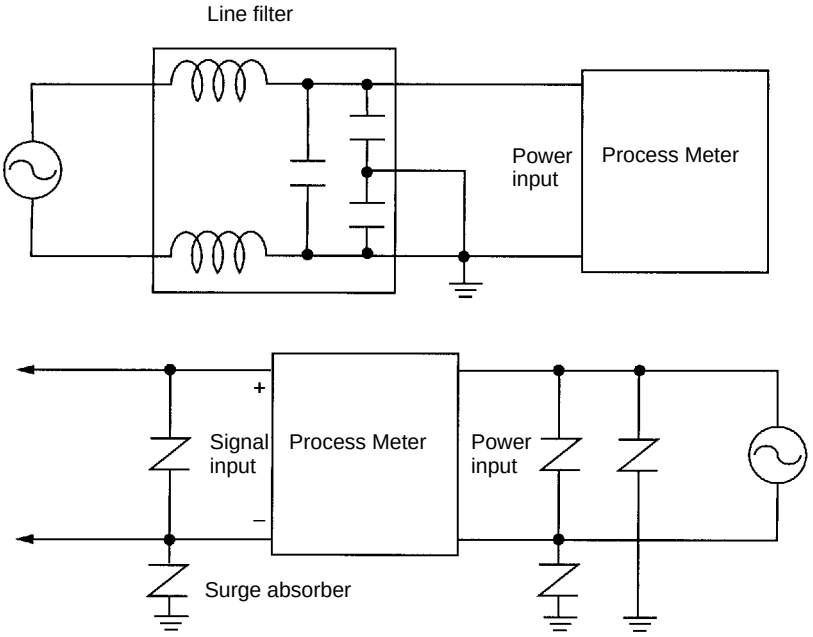
Do not mount the product in the following places.

- Locations subject to strong shock or vibration.
- Locations subject to temperature or humidity exceeding the rated levels or where icing is liable to occur.
- Locations subject to dust.
- Locations subject to corrosive gases (particularly sulfuric gases or ammonium gases).
- Locations subject to direct sunlight or outdoor conditions.
- Locations near devices (high-frequency welders or high-frequency sewing machines) that produce high-frequency noise.

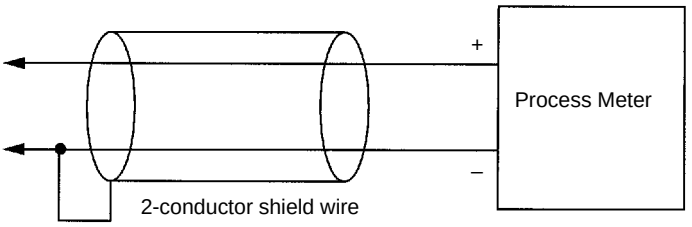
4 Noise Prevention

Provide the following countermeasures when using the product in an environment where the product is exposed to noise.

- Countermeasures for protecting the product against high-frequency noise or abnormal voltages.



- Countermeasures for protecting the product against inductive noise produced from the input line.



SECTION 1
Introduction

This section describes the functions of the K3NX. The main components are also described. Refer to the remaining sections of this manual for the operation of the K3NX and its menus in detail.

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1-1 Features

The K3NX Process Meter displays voltage or current input after performing the numeric conversion of the input.

The K3NX has the following functions.

Scaling

Current or voltage input is converted into a value within a specified range to display engineering units.

There are two scaling methods: scaling by using measured input values or scaling without connecting a sensor and using assumed input values instead.

Refer to *3-2-4 Scaling Menu*.

Comparative Output Selection

Comparison output patterns can be selected from the standard, level, or zone output depending on the application.

Refer to *Comparative Output Patterns,* page 48.

Linear Output

Refer to *Linear Output Range*, page 51.

BCD Output

A digital data output format where every four binary bits is numerically equivalent to one decimal digit.

Refer to *Section 6 BCD Output*.

Communications Output

Refer to the *Communications Manual*.

HOLD

HOLD is an external input which is used to stop the A/D process and freeze the display. The comparative, linear, and BCD outputs are also retained.

Refer to *4-4 External Input Signals* for details.

RESET

RESET is an external input to reset the present maximum and minimum values. The process value when the RESET is ON is set as the maximum and minimum values. The maximum and minimum values can be reset using the front panel keys.

Refer to *4-3 Displaying and Resetting of Maximum and Minimum Values*.

Teaching

The K3NX is provided with a teaching function that can set an actual measured value as a setting value without key input.

This function is useful for setting parameters while checking the operating status of the K3NX.

The teaching function can be used to set the set and scaling values. It can be also used to set the linear output range of the K3NX with a Linear Output Board.

Refer to *5-1 Teaching Function* for details.

Output Test

This function is convenient for checking a system to which the K3NX is connected, especially when some inputs cannot be operated. The K3NX simulates an input to check the output conditions.

Refer to *5-2 Output Test* for details.

Forced-zero

By turning the ZERO input ON, the process value can be calibrated to zero.

This function is useful for measurement on the basis of any process value as zero.

This calibration is maintained without being influenced by input range changes or power interruptions until the next time the ZERO input signal is turned ON or the scaling value is changed.

Refer to *4-1 Forced-zero* for details.

Hysteresis

The established setting value includes a hysteresis setting to prevent “chattering” of the output when the measured value fluctuates in the vicinity of the setting values.

Hysteresis is enabled when the measured value is starts to become smaller than the HH and H setting values and larger than the LL and L setting values.

Refer to *Hysteresis*, page 46.

Startup Compensation Time

The startup compensation time parameter keeps the measurement operation from sending an unnecessary output corresponding to instantaneous, fluctuating input from the moment the K3NX is turned ON until the end of the preset period.

Refer to *Startup Compensation Time,* page 44.

Remote/Local Selection

The K3NX can be operated remotely through a host computer or locally with key inputs.

Remote Mode: For programming remotely by downloading setup parameters from a host computer via RS-232C, RS-485, or RS-422.

Local Mode: Programming is performed with the front panel key input.

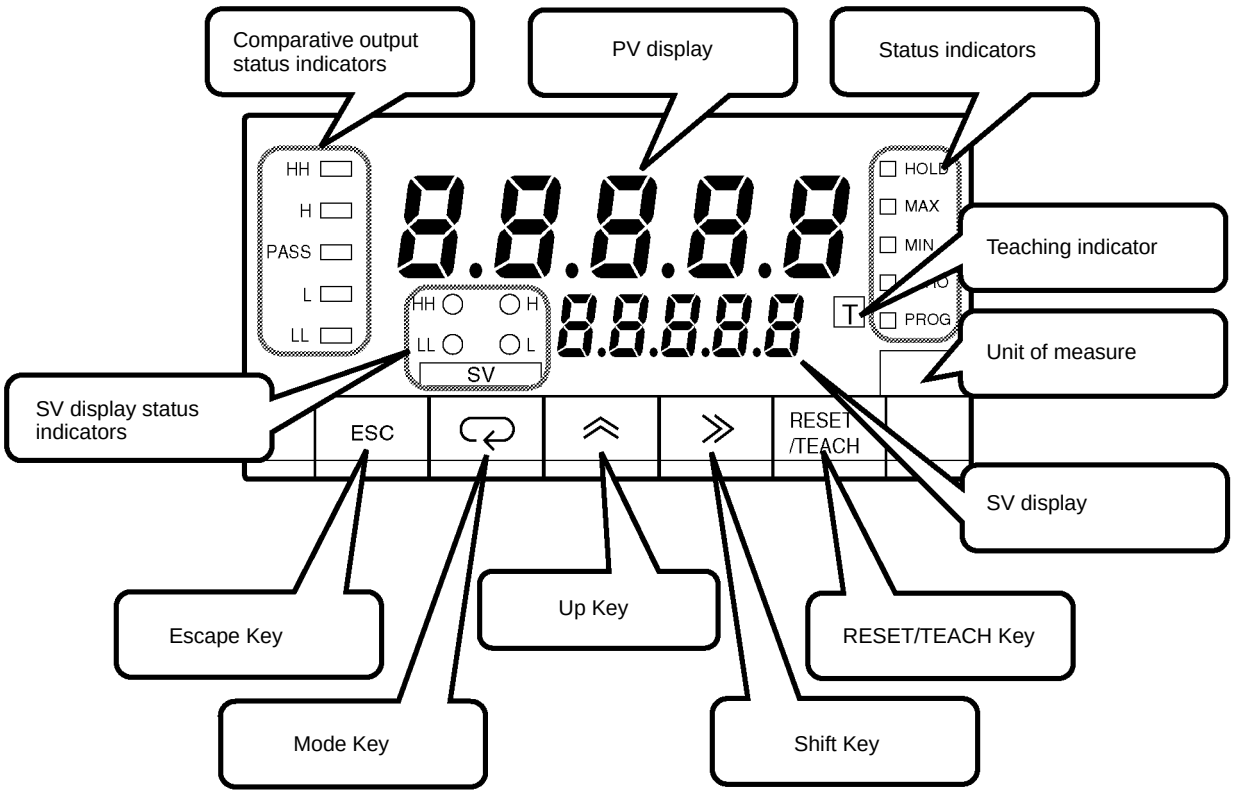
Refer to *Remote/Local Programming*, page 54.

Average Processing

Average processing prevents the display from fluctuating due to unstable input. Simple average processing or movement average processing can be selected.

Refer to *Average Processing*, page 41.

1-2 Front of the Meter



Five-digit (–19999 to 99999), seven-segment, 14.2-mm-high LED display with a programmable decimal point.

The displays show the process value, maximum value, minimum value, operations/parameters when setting, and error messages.

PV Display

K3NX-□□□A Basic Model

RUN Mode: Displays the process, maximum, and minimum values. Also displays setting values while the SV indicator is lit. When changing a value, all digits other than those that can be set become dimmer.

Setting Mode: Displays the menu, parameter, or setting value. When changing a value, all digits other than those that can be set become dimmer.

K3NX-□□□C Set Value LED Display Model

RUN Mode: Displays the process, maximum, and minimum values.

Setting Mode: Displays the menu and parameters.

SV Display (Setting value LED Display Models Only)

RUN Mode: Displays comparative setting values. When changing a value, all digits other than those that can be set become dimmer.

Setting Mode: Displays setting values. When changing a value, all digits other than those that can be set become dimmer.

Comparative Output Status Indicators

Indicates the status of the comparative output.

Status Indicators

HOLD Indicator
Lit when the HOLD input signal is ON.

MAX Indicator
Lit when the value displayed on the PV display is the maximum value.

MIN Indicator
Lit when the value displayed on the PV display is the minimum value.

ZERO Indicator
Lit when the ZERO input signal is ON.

PROG Indicator
Lit when the setting mode menu is displayed. The indicator flashes while parameters are displayed.

Teaching Indicator

Lit when displayed parameters can be set in teaching operation. The indicator flashes when the process value is indicated as a setting value.

SV Display Status Indicators

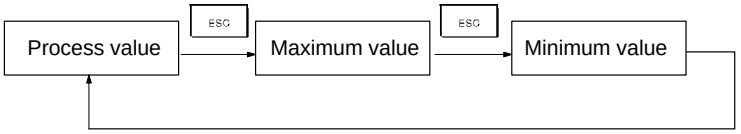
Indicates which set value is on the PV or SV display.

Unit of Measure

Attach the appropriate label showing the unit of measure (enclosed).

Escape Key

Used to select the process, maximum, or minimum value to be displayed on the PV display in RUN mode.

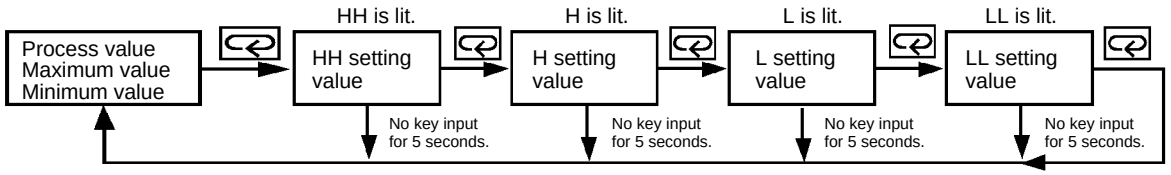


Used to return from the setting, protect, or maintenance mode to the RUN mode.

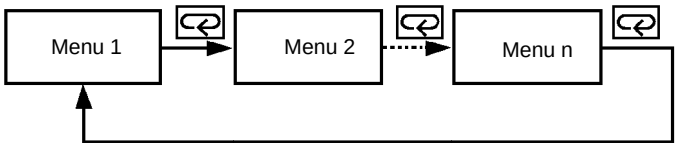
This key is also used to return to the previous operation during the setting, protect, or maintenance mode.

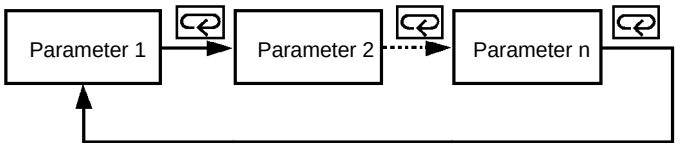
Mode Key

Displays a setting value (out of HH, H, L, and LL setting values in this order) on the PV display in RUN mode when this key is pressed. Unless another operation key is pressed within five seconds after this key has been pressed, the display automatically changes to the one for process values.



In the RUN mode, this button terminates the measurement process and allows you to enter the setting mode, advancing through the menus and parameters.



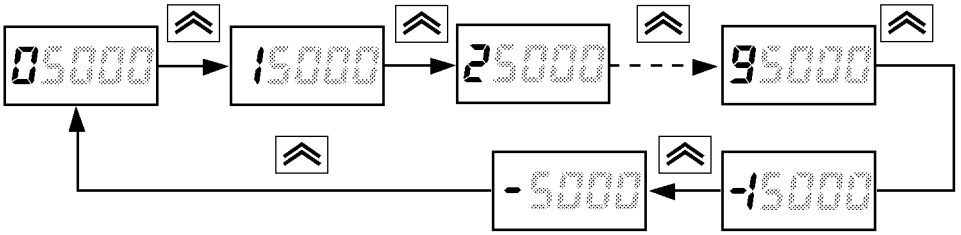


In the setting mode, this button will store changes in the non-volatile memory while at the same time advancing the display to the next menu item.

Up Key

Used to select a parameter to be displayed for setting value change.

Used to increment the current digit in the setting value by one.



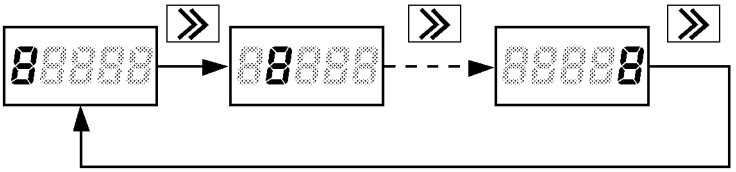
The value increases in the following order:
0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, (–1), and (–)

Only the leftmost digit will be displayed if the value is set to “–1” or“ –.”
The value will be set to 0 if this key is pressed when “9” or “–” is displayed.

Shift Key

Used to change the parameter displayed in setting mode.

Used to scroll the digit to the right of the presently displayed digit.



RESET/TEACH Key

Used to set the process value forcibly to “0” or reset the maximum/minimum value in RUN mode.

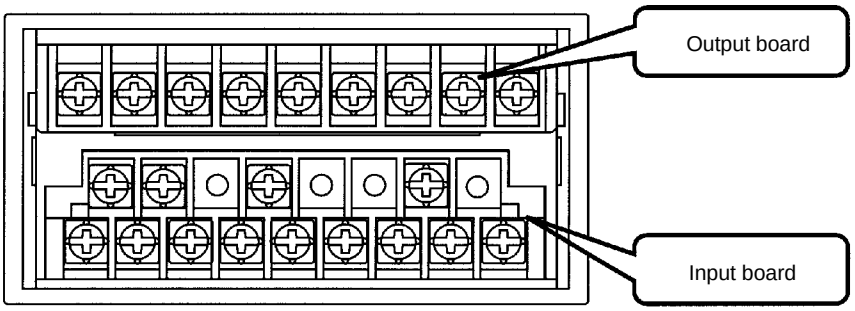
Used to select the teaching function. Refer to *5-1 Teaching Function* for details.

1-3 Rear of the Meter

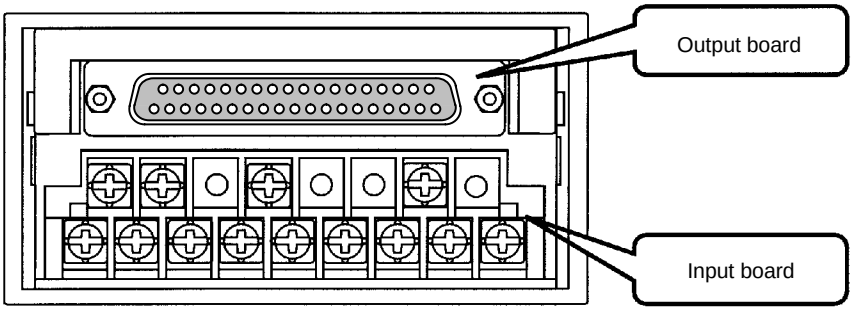
Terminal arrangement varies depending on the selected Output Board.

For wiring, refer to *Section 2 Setup*.

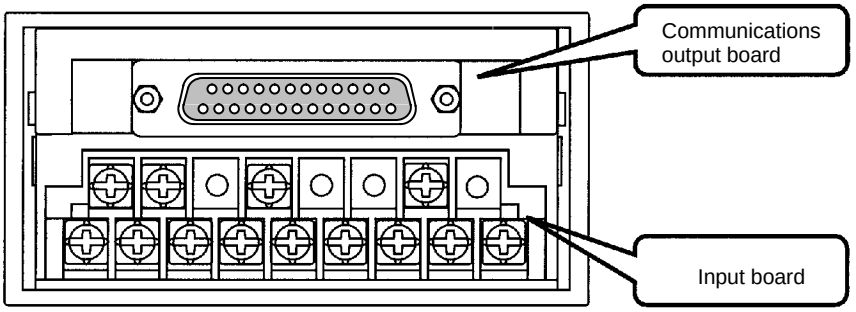
K3NX with Relay Output Board, K31-C1, -C2, -C5
K3NX with Transistor Output Board, K31-T1, -T2
K3NX with Linear Output Board, K31-L1, -L2, -L3, -L4, -L5, -L6, -L7, -L8, -L9, -L10
K3NX with RS-485 Output Board, K31-FLK2, -FLK5



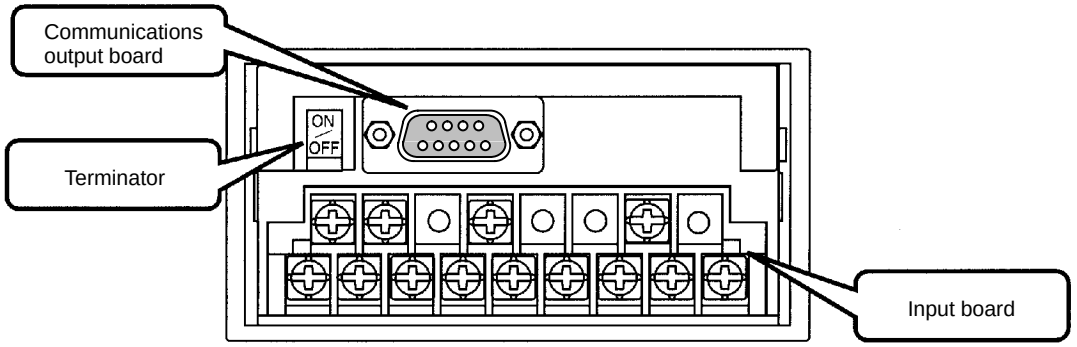
K3NX with BCD Output Board, K31-B2, -B4



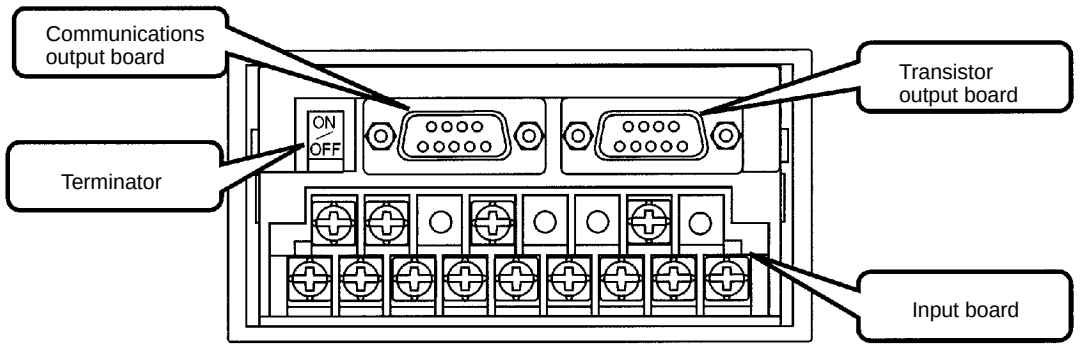
K3NX with RS-232C Output Board, K31-FLK1



K3NX with RS-422 Output Board, K31-FLK3



K3NX with RS232C + Transistor Output Board, K31-FLK4
K3NX with RS-422 + Transistor Output Board, K31-FLK6



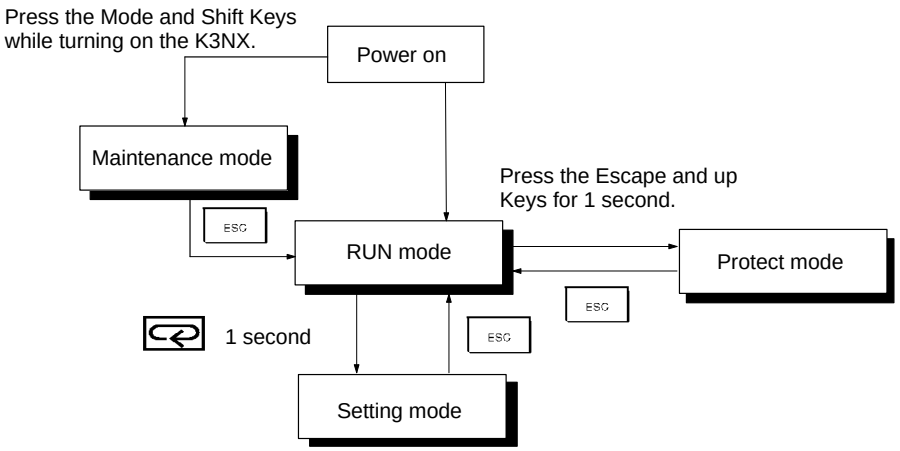
Note There is no terminator with K31-FLK4 models.

1-4 Modes

The following four modes are available.

- RUN mode for normal operations (see *Section 4 Operations in RUN Mode*)
- Setting mode for initializing parameter input (see *Section 3 Parameter Setting*)
- Protect mode for lock-out configuration (see *3-1 Protect Mode*)
- Maintenance mode for user-calibration and initialization (see *5-3-3 Field Calibration* and *5-3-2 Initialization*)

Refer to the following for the relationship among these modes and selection of the modes.



RUN Mode

K3NX is in RUN when the K3NX is turned ON.

The K3NX in this mode provides an output signal as a result of the comparison of the measured and setting values.

The basic model in this mode usually displays the process value. The maximum and minimum values are displayed by pressing the Escape Key. The parameters and setting values are displayed by pressing the Mode Key.

Refer to *Section 4 Operations in RUN Mode* for RUN mode in detail.

Setting Mode

Values are set in the K3NX in this mode by key input or using the teaching function.

Refer to *Section 3 Parameter Setting* for value setting by key input and *5-1 Teaching Function* for the teaching function in detail.

Protect Mode

Use this mode to prohibit some operations in order to lock out the setting values.

Refer to *3-1 Protect Mode* for details.

Maintenance Mode

The field calibration of the K3NX in this mode is possible. Refer to *5-3-3 Field Calibration* for details.

The setting values are reset to factory-set values in this mode. Refer to *5-3-2 Initialization* for details.

1-5 Communications Function

The communications function of the K3NX makes it possible for the host computer to perform the following operations.

- Confirmation and change of setting values. Communications conditions cannot be changed.
- Reading and resetting the maximum and minimum values.
- Forced-zero setting and resetting.
- Confirmation of model data.

Use a model with the Communications Board if the communications function is required.
Refer to the *Communications Manual* for the communications function in detail.

RS-232C

Use the K31-FLK1 or K31-FLK4 Output Board to use the RS-232C interface.

RS-422

Use the K31-FLK3 or K31-FLK6 Output Board to use the RS-422 interface.

RS-485

Use the K31-FLK2 or K31-FLK5 Output Board to use the RS-485 interface.

1-6 Field Calibration

The K3NX is correctly calibrated before shipping. Normally, therefore, the user will not need to calibrate the K3NX.

The user can calibrate the K3NX by referring to *5-3 Maintenance Mode*. OMRON does not, however, guarantee the result of calibration performed by the user.

The user should prepare calibration instruments or equipment. Before operating such instruments or equipment, be sure to read the operation manuals provided with them.

SECTION 2
Setup

This section provides instructions required for mounting and wiring the K3NX.

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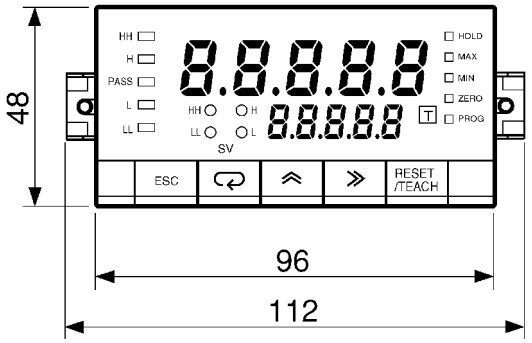
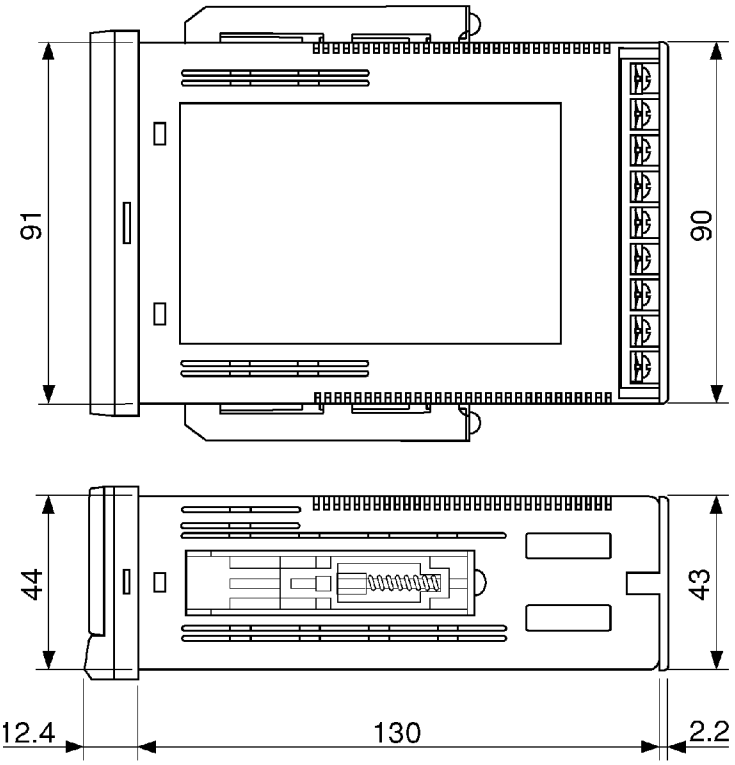
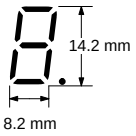
2-1 Mounting

Dimensions All dimensions are in millimeters.

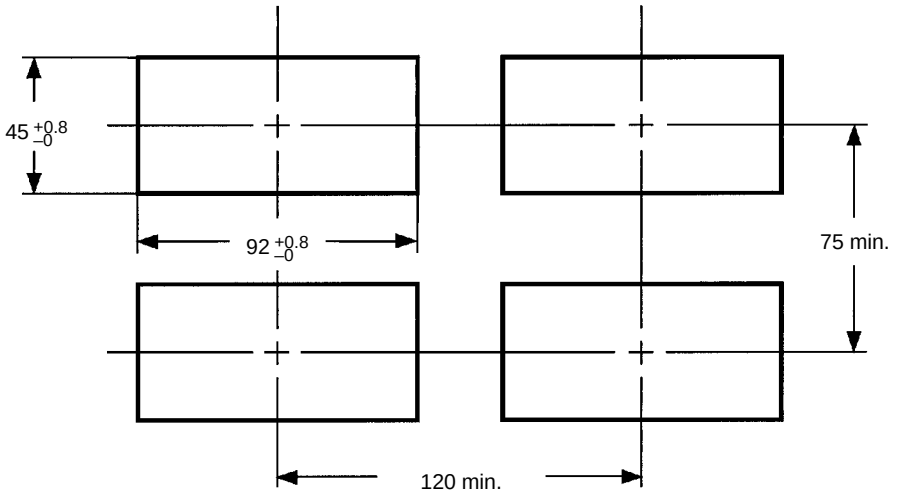




PV LED Indicator Size



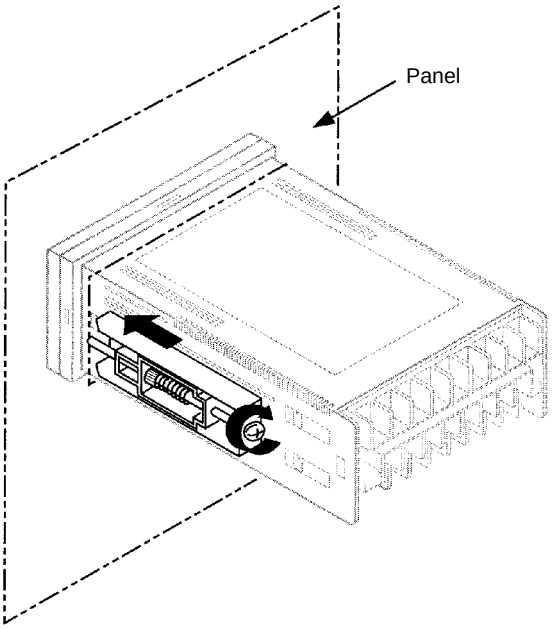
Panel Cutouts



Recommended panel thickness is 1 to 3.2 mm.

Do not mount more than one Unit closely in the horizontal or vertical direction. Be sure to keep the distance between adjacent Units.

Mounting Method



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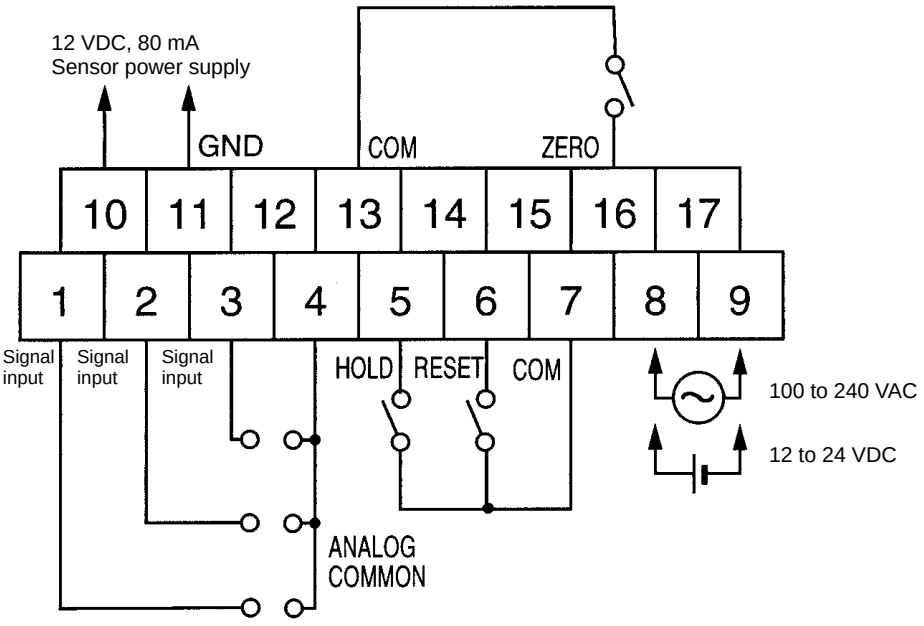
1. Insert the K3NX into the mounting hole on the panel.
2. Hook the fixture claws onto the side holes.
3. Mount a fixing metal to the right and left sides as shown above and while keeping them in balance, alternately tighten each screw until the ratchet becomes idle.

2-2 Base Unit

2-2-1 Terminal Arrangement



Note Terminals 7 to 13 are connected internally.

2-2-2 Wiring Precautions

- Do not make any mistake in polarity when supplying DC power to the K3NX.
- Do not wire power lines alongside the signal lines of the K3NX in order to prevent the K3NX from noise interference.
- Wire the terminal block with crimp terminals.
- Tighten the terminal screws to the torque of approx. 0.78 N • m (8 kgf • cm).

2-2-3 Wiring

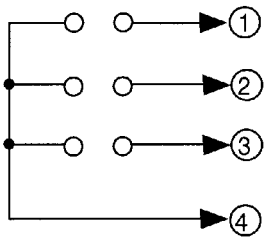
Power Supply

Apply 100 to 240 VAC or 12 to 24 VDC to terminals 8 and 9.

Signal Input

Connect measurement inputs to terminals 1, 2, or 3, and to terminal 4.

The terminals used vary with the input range as shown in the following table.



Input type	Input range	Measurement range	Input terminals
DC voltage input	5 -199 to 1999	–199.99 to 199.99 V	1 and 4
	5 -19.99 to 19.999	–19.999 to 19.999 V	2 and 4
	5 -1.999 to 1.9999	–1.9999 to 1.9999 V	3 and 4
	5 -199 to 1999	–199.99 to 199.99 mV	3 and 4
	5 1.000 to 5.000	1.0000 to 5.0000 V	2 and 4
DC current input	4 -199 to 1999	–199.99 to 199.99 mA	1 and 4
	4 -19.99 to 19.999	–19.999 to 19.999 mA	2 and 4
	4 -1.999 to 1.9999	–1.9999 to 1.9999 mA	3 and 4
	4 4.000 to 20.000	4.000 to 20.000 mA	2 and 4
AC voltage input	5 0.0 to 400.0	0.0 to 400.0 V	1 and 4
	5 0.00 to 199.99	0.00 to 199.99 V	1 and 4
	5 0.000 to 19.999	0.000 to 19.999 V	2 and 4
	5 0.0000 to 1.9999	0.0000 to 1.9999 V	3 and 4
AC current input	6 0.000 to 10.000	0.000 to 10.000 A	1 and 4
	6 0.0000 to 1.9999	0.0000 to 1.9999 A	1 and 4
	6 0.00 to 199.99	0.00 to 199.99 mA	2 and 4
	6 0.000 to 19.999	0.000 to 19.999 mA	3 and 4

Sensor Power Supply

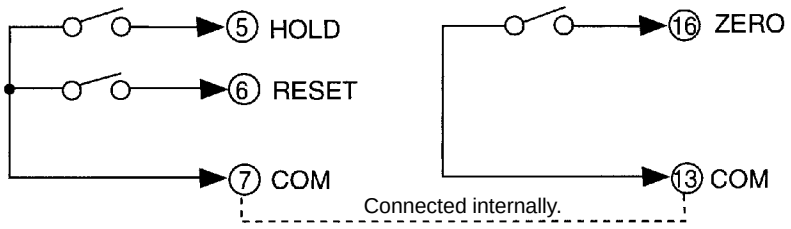
A rated output current of 80 mA at 12 VDC.

Terminal 4 (ANALOG COMMON) and terminal 11 (GND) are insulated from each other.

External Control Input

HOLD Input
RESET Input
ZERO Input

Connect external signal input to terminals 5, 6, 7, 13, and 16. Terminals 7 and 13 are connected to each other internally.



Connect hold signal (HOLD) input to terminal 5.

Connect reset signal (RESET) input to terminal 6.

Connect forced-zero signal (ZERO) input to terminal 16.

The transistor satisfying the following conditions must be used to input open collector external signals.

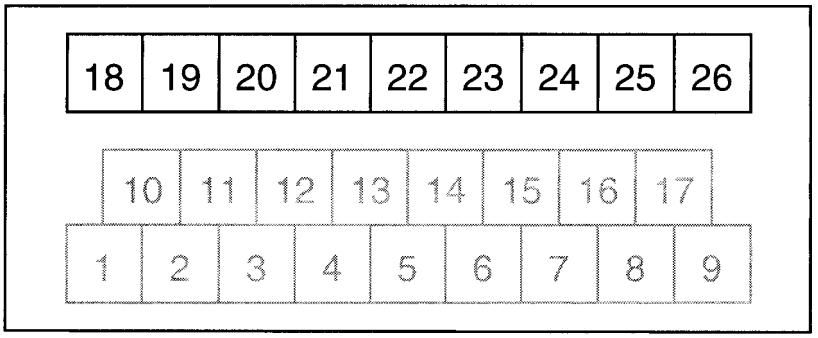
- Residual voltage with transistor turned on: 3 V max.
- Current leakage with transistor turned off: 1.5 mA max.
- Switching load current: 20 mA or greater.

Approximately 5 V is imposed between COM and terminals 5 to 7 with a current flow of approximately 18 mA (a nominal value) at the time of external input short-circuiting.

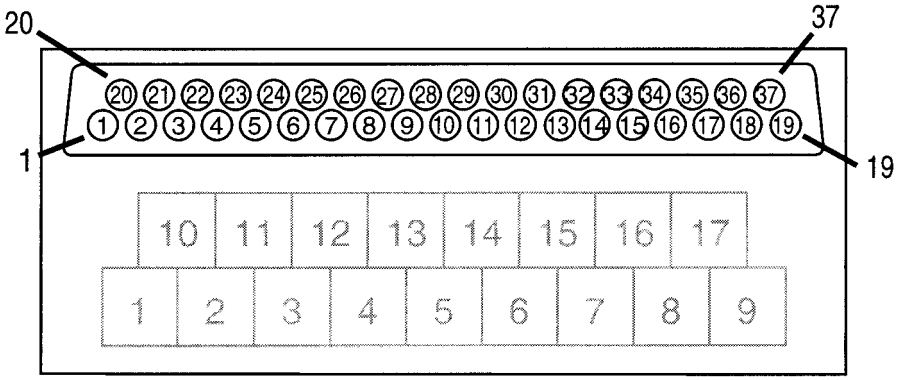
2-3 Output Board

2-3-1 Terminal Arrangement

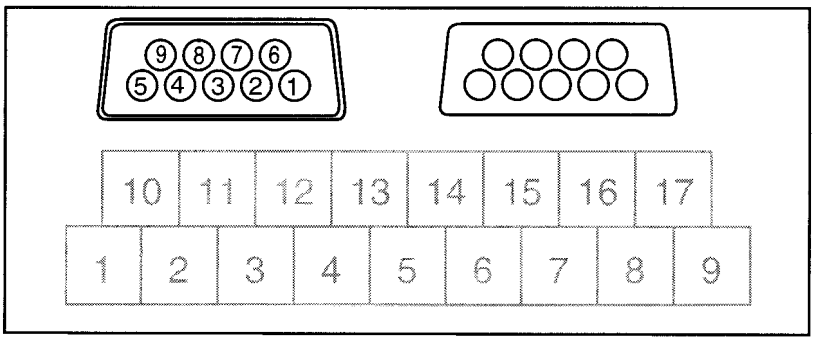
K3NX with Relay Output Board, K31-C1, -C2, -C5
K3NX with Transistor Output Board, K31-T1, -T2
K3NX with Linear Output Board, K31-L1, -L2, -L3, -L4, -L5, -L6, -L7, -L8, -L9, -L10
K3NX with RS-485 Output Board, K31-FLK2, -FLK5



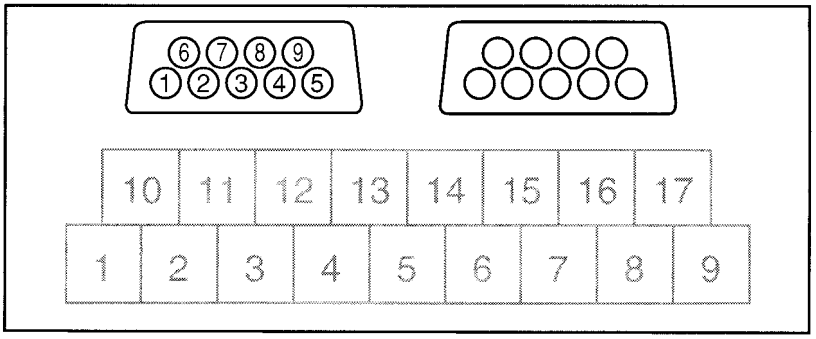
K3NX with BCD Output Board, K31-B2, -B4



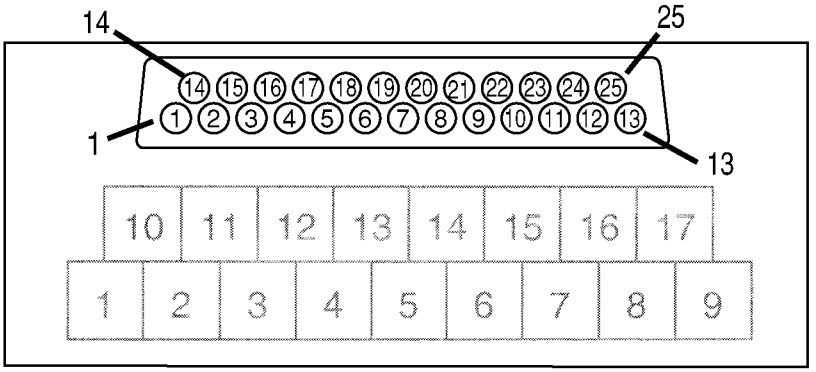
K3NX with RS232C + Transistor Output Board, K31-FLK4



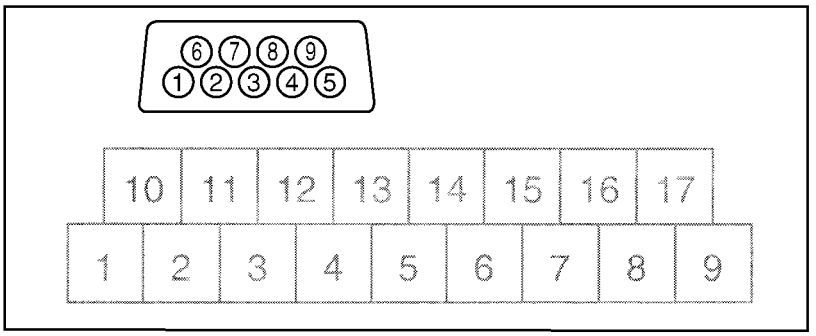
K3NX with RS-422 + Transistor Output Board, K31-FLK6



K3NX with RS-232C Output Board, K31-FLK1



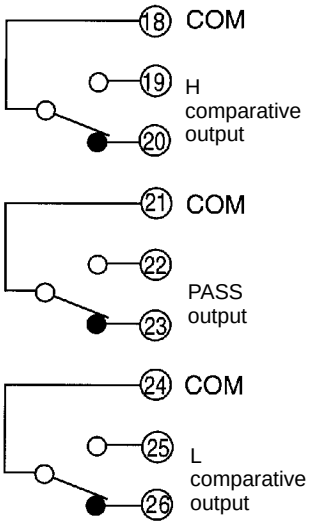
K3NX with RS-422 Output Board, K31-FLK3



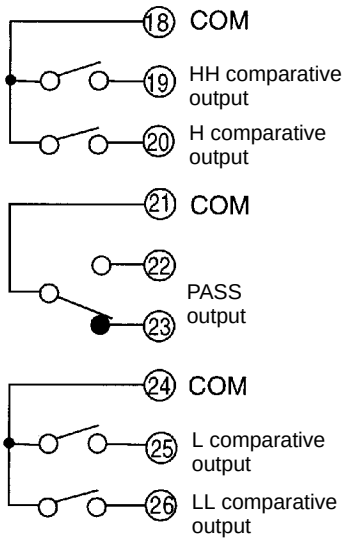
2-3-2 Relay Output Board

The following figures show the connections for relay output.

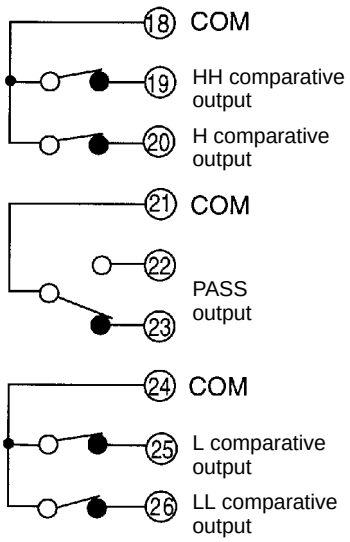
K3NX with 3 Relay Output Boards, K31-C1



K3NX with 5 Relay Output Boards, K31-C2



K3NX with 5 Relay Output Boards, K31-C5



The following contact output conditions are required.

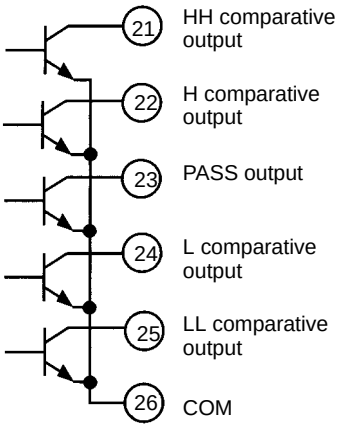
5 A (resistive load) at 250 VAC
1.5 A (inductive load) at 250 VAC
5 A (resistive load) at 30 VDC
1.5 A (inductive load) at 30 VDC

2-3-3 Transistor and Combination Output Board

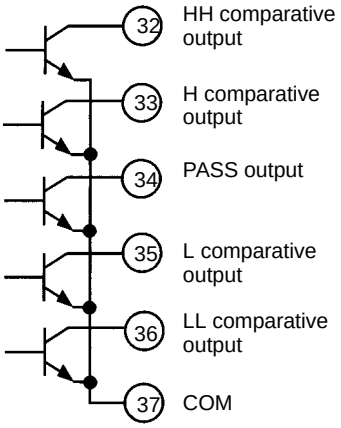
K3NX with Transistor Output Board, K31-T1 or K31-T2

K3NX with Linear Output Board, K31-L4, -L5, -L6, -L9, -L10

K3NX with RS-485 + 5 Relay Output Boards, K31-FLK5

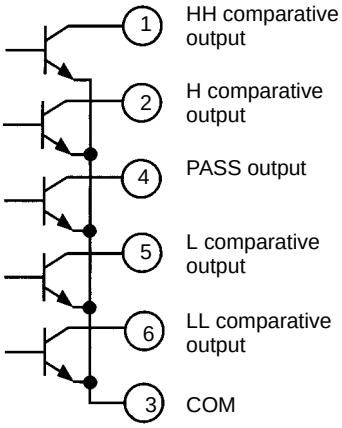


K3NX with BCD Output Board, K31-B2 or K31-B4



K3NX with RS232C + 5 Transistor Output Boards, K31-FLK4

K3NX with RS-422 + 5 Transistor Output Boards, K31-FLK6



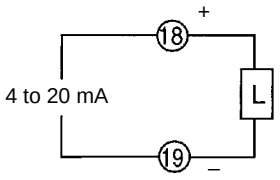
The following transistor output conditions are required.

Maximum rated voltage: 24 VDC
Load current: 50 mA
Current leakage with transistor turned off: 100 μA.

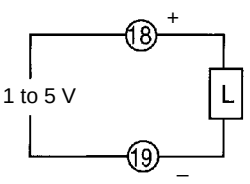
2-3-4 Linear Output Board

The following figures show connections for linear output.

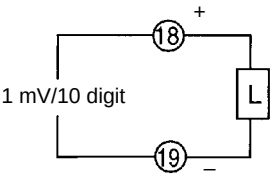
K3NX with Linear Output Board, K31-L1 or K31-L4



K3NX with Linear Output Board, K31-L2 or K31-L5



K3NX with Linear Output Board, K31-L3 or K31-L6



The following linear output conditions are required.

Linear output	Permissible load resistance	Resolution	Output error
4 to 20 mA	600 Ω max.	4096	±0.5% FS
1 to 5 V	500 Ω min.	4096	±0.5% FS
1 mV/10 digit	1 kΩ min.	4096	±1.5% FS

2-3-5 BCD Output Board

Refer to *Section 6 BCD Output* for the terminal arrangement and interface.

SECTION 3
Parameter Setting

This section provides instructions for setting the parameters of the K3NX. Be sure to read this section before using the K3NX Process Meter for the first time.

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3-1 Overview

3-1-1 Heading Symbols

The following symbols are used for headings in this section.

FUNCTION

This symbol precedes an explanation of the parameter's meaning and function.

SETTING

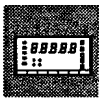
This symbol precedes a description of the settings, setting range, and default value.

PROCEDURE

This symbol precedes an explanation of procedures for parameters that specify operations.

REFERENCE

This symbol precedes a listing of references and related parameters.



MODELS

This symbol precedes a listing of the models in which this parameter can be used.

3-1-2 Setting Procedures

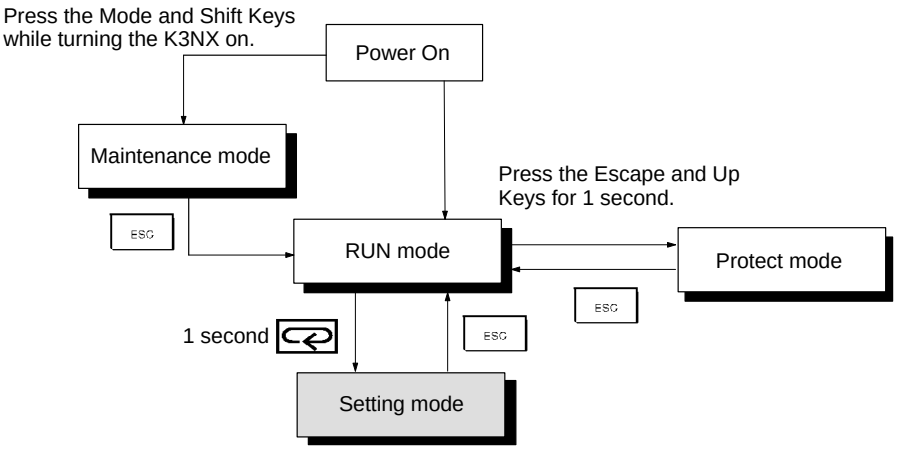
- The K3NX has four modes: RUN mode for normal operations, Setting mode for initial parameter input, Protect mode for lock-out configuration, and Maintenance mode for initializing set values and user calibration. The parameters that are accessible on any individual K3NX will vary depending on the Output Board installed. Refer to *Appendix D Available Parameters.*
- The K3NX is in RUN mode when the K3NX is turned on. Parameter settings in protect or setting mode are described below on the basis that the parameters are set for the first time.

  For the operation in RUN mode, refer to *Section 4 Operations in RUN Mode.*
- The setting examples are provided on condition that the factory-set values of the K3NX have not been changed.

3-2 Setting Mode

3-2-1 Selecting Setting Mode

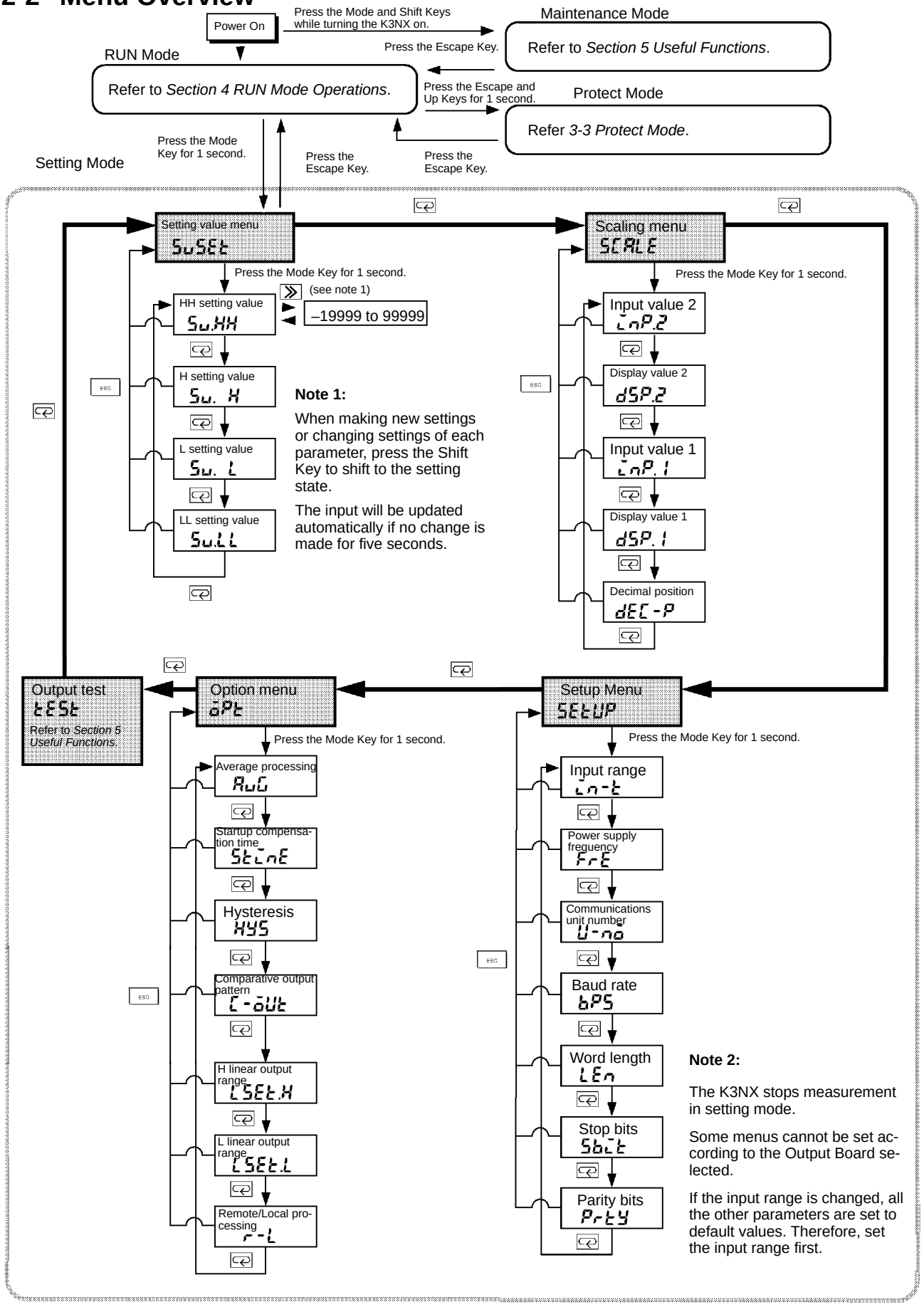
- The K3NX in RUN mode will go into setting mode if the Mode Key is pressed for 1 s minimum.
- The K3NX in setting mode will go into RUN mode if the Escape Key is pressed.



- The menu in each mode changes whenever the Mode Key is pressed.
- If the Mode Key is pressed for more than one second while a menu is displayed, a parameter will be displayed.
- The parameter changes whenever the Mode Key is pressed.
- If the Shift Key is pressed while a parameter is displayed, the parameter will be ready to change.
- Press the Up Key to change parameters.
- The digit of a set value is selected with the Shift Key and changed with the Up Key.
- The PROG indicator is lit while a menu or parameter is displayed.
- The PROG indicator flashes during a set value change.

Note If the input range is changed, all the other parameters will be set to default values. Therefore, set the input range first.

3-2-2 Menu Overview



3-2-3 Setting Value Menu (SuSEt)

Su.HH	**HH Set Value**
Su. H	**H Set Value**
Su. L	**L Set Value**
Su.LL	**LL Set Value**

FUNCTION

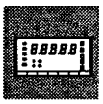
SETTING

- There are two basic methods for setting HH, H, L, and LL set values: by entering during RUN mode via the front panel keys, setting in Setting mode, or by the teaching function.

Input type	Setting range	Default	
DC voltage input	–19999 to 99999	HH set value	19999
		H set value	19999
		L set value	–19999
		LL set value	–19999
DC current input	–19999 to 99999	HH set value	19999
		H set value	19999
		L set value	–19999
		LL set value	–19999
AC voltage input	–19999 to 99999	HH set value	4000
		H set value	4000
		L set value	00
		LL set value	00
AC current input	–19999 to 99999	HH set value	10000
		H set value	10000
		L set value	0000
		LL set value	0000

REFERENCE

Refer to *5-1 Teaching Function*.
Refer to *4-2 Displaying and Changing Set Values.*



MODELS

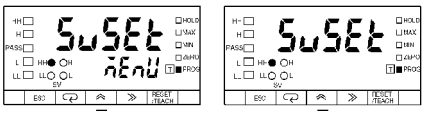
- The setting value menu is only available for K3NX with the Comparative Output Board.

SETTING EXAMPLE

Follow the steps described below to input the following.

Setting value HH = “8000”
Setting value H = “6000”
Setting value L = “4000”
Setting value LL = “2000”

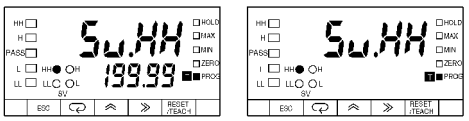
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



1, 2, 3...

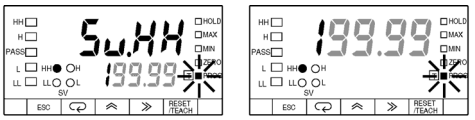
1. Press the Mode Key for more than one second while the SuSEt setting value menu is displayed. The Su.HH HH setting value setting will be displayed.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



2. Press the Shift Key to display the set value 199.99 for changing. The PROG indicator will flash.

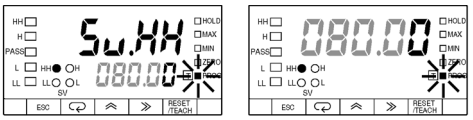
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



3. Press the Up and Shift Keys to set the value to 8000. The input will be validated automatically if no change is made for five seconds. The Su.HH HH setting value setting will be displayed again.

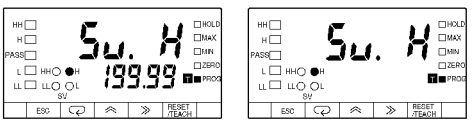
   Note Press the Mode Key to enter the set value immediately. The Su.H H setting value setting will be displayed for setting the next parameter.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



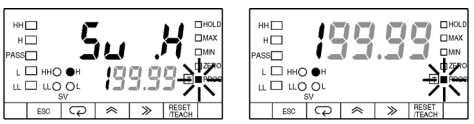
4. Press the Mode Key to display the Su.H H setting value setting.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



5. Press the Shift Key to display the set value 199.99 for changing. The PROG indicator will flash.

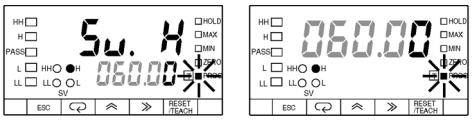
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



6. Press the Up and Shift Keys to set the value to 6000. The input will be validated automatically if no change is made for five seconds. The Su. H H setting value setting will be displayed again.

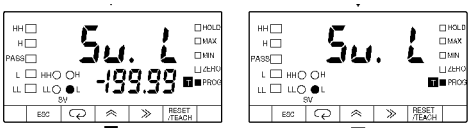
   Note Press the Mode Key to enter the set value immediately. The Su. L L setting value setting will be displayed for setting the next parameter.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



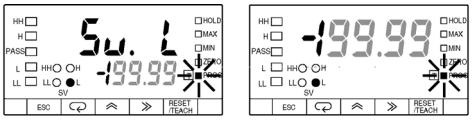
7. Press the Mode Key to display the Su. L L setting value setting.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



8. Press the Shift Key to display the set value - 199.99 for changing. The PROG indicator will flash.

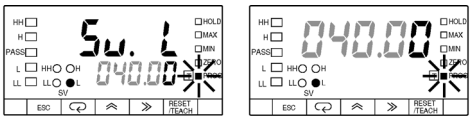
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



9. Press the Up and Shift Keys to set the value to 4000. The input will be validated automatically if no change is made for five seconds. The Su. L L setting value setting will be displayed again.

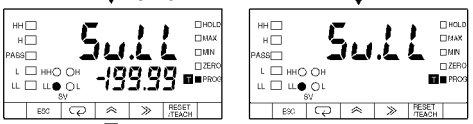
   Note Press the Mode Key to enter the set value immediately. The Su.LL LL setting value setting will be displayed for setting the next parameter.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



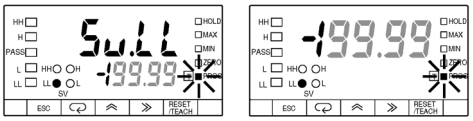
10. Press the Mode Key to display the Su.LL LL setting value setting.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



11. Press the Shift Key to display the set value - 199.99 for changing. The PROG indicator will flash.

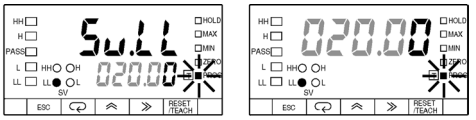
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



12. Press the Up and Shift Keys to set the value to 2000. The input will be validated automatically if no change is made for five seconds. The Su.LL LL setting value setting will be displayed again.

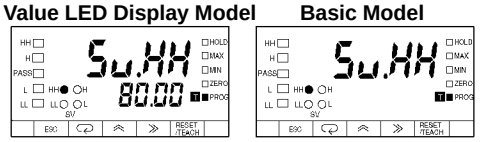
    Note Press the Mode Key to enter the set value immediately. The Su.HH HH setting value setting will be displayed for setting the next parameter.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



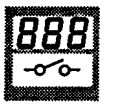
13. Press the Mode Key to display the Su.HH HH set value setting.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



3-2-4 Scaling Menu (SCALE)

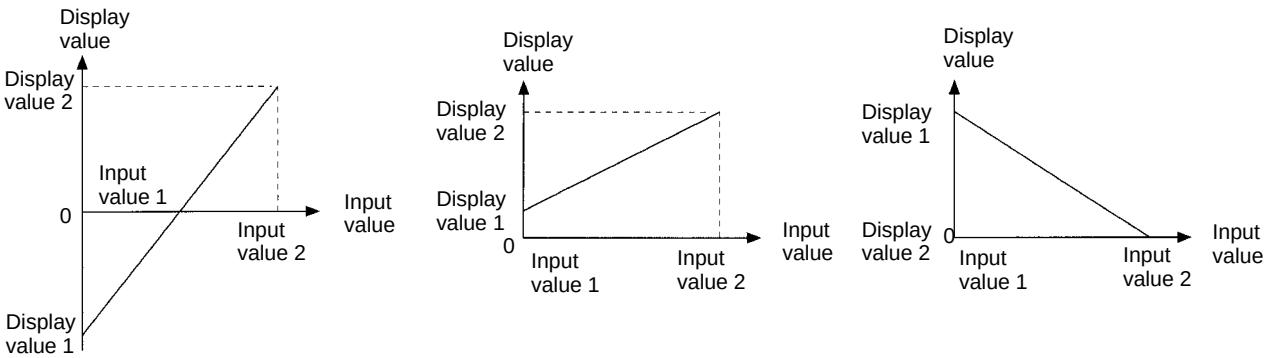
InP.2	**Input Value 2**
dSP.2	**Display Value 2**
InP.1	**Input Value 1**
dSP.1	**Display Value 1**
dEC-P	**Decimal Point Position**



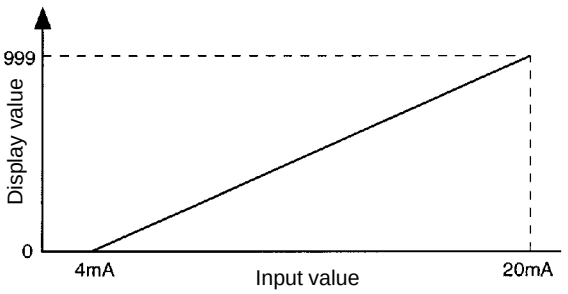
FUNCTION

There are two basic methods for scaling the Process Meter to display engineering units: scaling by using measured input values or scaling without connecting a sensor.

- By setting display value 1 to correspond to input value 1 and display value 2 to correspond to input value 2, scaling is possible for display on the line that connects these display values together.
- The teaching function can be used for setting input values 1 and 2.
- Input value 1 can be greater or less than input value 2 and display value 1 can be greater or less than display value 2.
- Input value 1 cannot be the same as input value 2, otherwise input value 2 will be automatically set to a value obtained by adding 1 to input value 1.
- Set the scaling value after setting the input range.



For example, if a sensor with 4- to 20-mA output is connected to the K3NX and the K3NX is set so that it will display “0” for 4-mA input and “999” for 20-mA input, the following will be the relationship between input and display values.



SETTING

• Input and Display Values

Input type	Setting range	Default	
DC voltage input	–19999 to 99999	Input value 2	199.99
		Display value 2	199.99
		Input value 1	–199.99
		Display value 1	–199.99
DC current input	–19999 to 99999	Input value 2	199.99
		Display value 2	199.99
		Input value 1	–199.99
		Display value 1	–199.99
AC voltage input	–19999 to 99999	Input value 2	400.0
		Display value 2	400.0
		Input value 1	0.0
		Display value 1	0.0
AC current input	–19999 to 99999	Input value 2	10.000
		Display value 2	10.000
		Input value 1	0.000
		Display value 1	0.000

• Decimal Point Position

Input type	Setting range	Default
DC voltage input	00000 (without decimal point)	000.00
DC current input	0.0000	000.00
AC voltage input	00.000	0000.0
AC current input	000.00	00.000
	0000.0	

REFERENCE

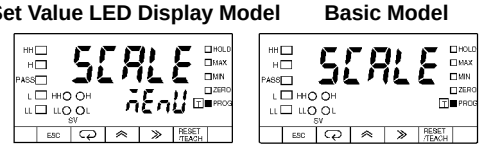
Refer to *5-1 Teaching Function* for scaling the Process Meter with the sensor connected.

SETTING EXAMPLE

Follow the steps described below to input the following.

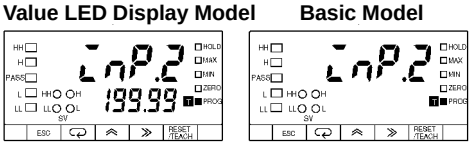
Input value 2 = “5.00”
Display value 2 = “1000.0”
Input value 1 = “1.00”
Display value 1 = “0.0”
Decimal point position = “– – – – . –”

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



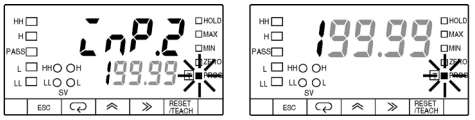
1, 2, 3... 1. Press the Mode Key for more than one second while the SCALE scaling menu is displayed. The inP.2 input value 2 setting will appear.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



2. Press the Shift Key to display the prior set value 199.99 for changing. The PROG indicator will flash.

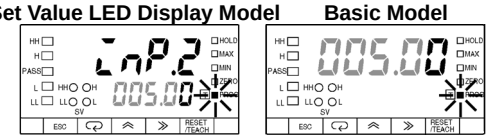
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



3. Press the Up and Shift Keys to set the value to 005.00. The input will be validated automatically if no change is made for five seconds. The inP.2 input value 2 setting will be displayed again.

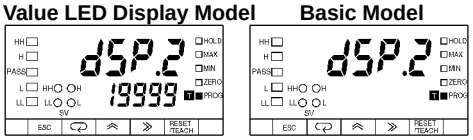
Note Press the Mode Key to enter the set value immediately. The dSP.2 display value 2 setting will be displayed for setting the next parameter.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



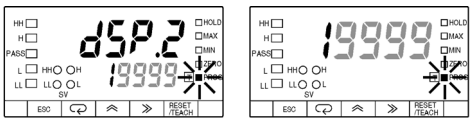
4. Press the Mode Key to display the dSP.2 display value 2 setting.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



5. Press the Shift Key to display the set value 19999 for changing. The PROG indicator will flash.

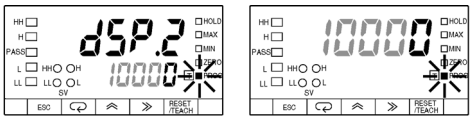
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



6. Press the Up and Shift Keys to set the value to 10000. The input will be validated automatically if no change is made for five seconds. The dSP.2 display value 2 setting will be displayed again.

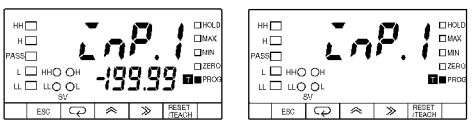
Note Press the Mode Key to enter the set value immediately. The inP.1 input value 1 setting will be displayed for setting the next parameter.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



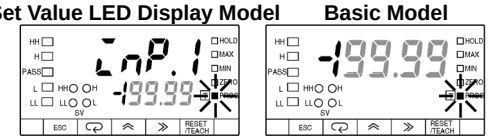
7. Press the Mode Key to display the inP.1 input value 1 setting.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



8. Press the Shift Key to display the prior set value -199.99 for changing. The PROG indicator will flash.

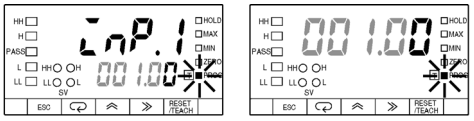
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



9. Press the Up and Shift Keys to set the value to 001.00. The input will be validated automatically if no change is made for five seconds. The inP.1 input value 1 setting will be displayed again.

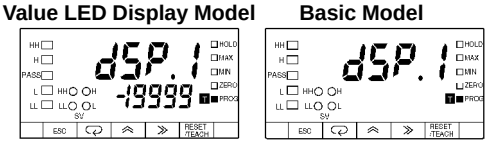
   Note Press the Mode Key to enter the set value immediately. The dSP.1 display value 1 setting will be displayed for setting the next parameter.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



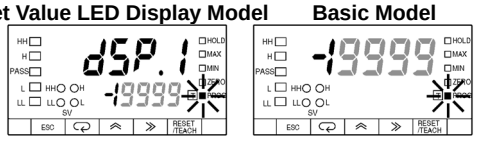
10. Press the Mode Key to display the dSP.1 display value 1 setting.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



11. Press the Shift Key to display the prior set value -19999 for changing. The PROG indicator will flash.

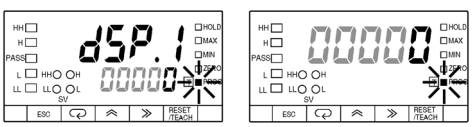
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



12. Press the Up and Shift Keys to set the value to 00000. The input value will be validated automatically if no change is made for five seconds. The dSP.1 display value 1 setting will be displayed again.

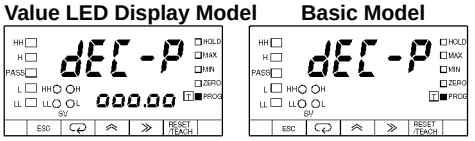
    Note Press the Mode Key to enter the set value immediately. The dEC-P decimal point position setting will be displayed for setting the next parameter.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



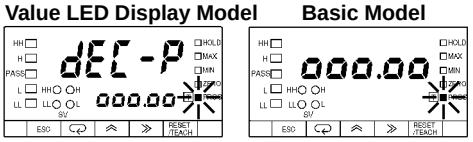
13. Press the Mode Key to display the dEC-P decimal point position setting.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



14. Press the Shift Key to display the prior decimal point position 000.00 for changing. The PROG indicator will flash.

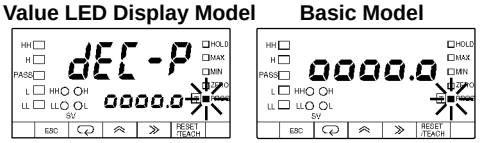
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



15. Press the Up Key to set the decimal point position to 0000.0. The input will be validated automatically if no change is made for five seconds. The InP.2 input value 2 setting will be displayed again.

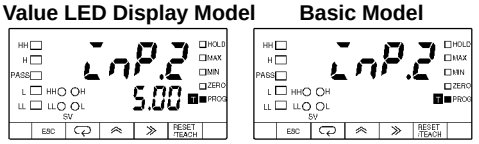
Note Press the Mode Key to enter the decimal point position immediately. The InP.2 input value 2 setting will be displayed again.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



16. Press the Mode Key to display the InP.2 input value 2 setting.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



3-2-5 Setup Menu (SEtUP)

Input Range

FUNCTION

SETTING

- Select the appropriate input type signal. All parameters will be set to default values if the input range is changed.

Input type	Setting range	Measurement range	Default
DC voltage input	A ud	–199.99 to 199.99 V	A ud
	b ud	–19.000 to 19.999 V	
	C ud	–1.9999 to 1.9999 V	
	d ud	–199.99 to 199.99 mV	
	E ud	1.0000 to 5.0000 V	
DC current input	A Ad	–199.99 to 199.99 mA	A Ad
	b Ad	–19.999 to 19.999 mA	
	C Ad	–1.9999 to 1.9999 mA	
	d Ad	4.000 to 20.000 mA	
AC voltage input	A uA	0.0 to 400.0 V	A uA
	b uA	0.00 to 199.99 V	
	C uA	0.000 to 19.999 V	
	d uA	0.0000 to 1.9999 V	
AC current input	A AA	0.000 to 10.000 A	A AA
	b AA	0.0000 to 1.9999 A	
	C AA	0.00 to 199.99 mA	
	d AA	0.000 to 19.999 mA	

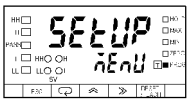
REFERENCE

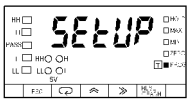
Refer to *2-2 Base Unit*.

SETTING EXAMPLE

Follow the steps described below to change E ud from A ud.

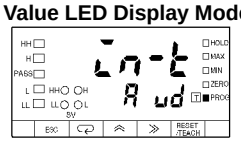
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**

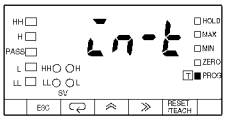




1, 2, 3... 1. Press the Mode Key for more than one second while the SEtUP setup menu is displayed. The in-t input range setting will appear.

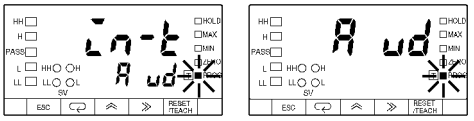
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**





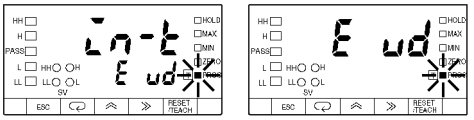
2. Press the Shift Key to display the prior set value Au d for changing. The PROG indicator will flash.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



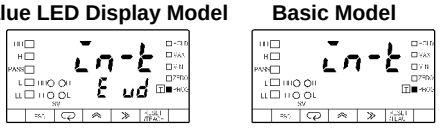
3. Repeatedly press the Up Key until E ud is displayed. The displayed setting will be validated automatically if no change is made for five seconds. The In-t input range setting will be displayed again.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



When no operation is executed for five seconds

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



Note Press the Mode Key to enter the displayed setting immediately. The next parameter will be displayed for setting.

FrE

Power Supply Frequency

FUNCTION

SETTING

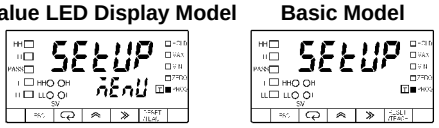
- Set the number of sampling times in the setup menu according to the power supply frequency in order to shut off inductive noise that may be generated from the power supply.

Setting	Unit	Number of sampling times	Default
50/60	Hz	50: 12.5 times/second 60: 15 times/second	50

SETTING EXAMPLE

Follow the steps described below to set the power supply frequency to 60 Hz.

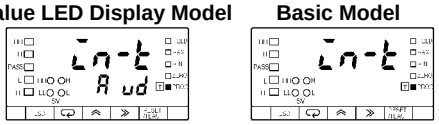
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



1, 2, 3...

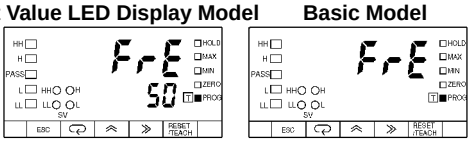
1. Press the Mode Key for more than one second while the SEtUP setup menu is displayed. The In-t input range setting will appear.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



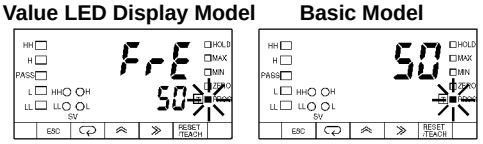
2. Press the Mode Key to display the FrE power supply frequency setting.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



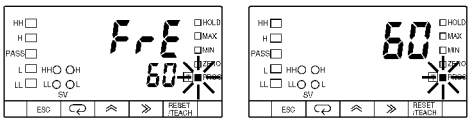
3. Press the Shift Key to display the prior set value 50 for changing. The PROG indicator will flash.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



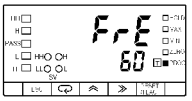
4. Press the Up Key to display the set value 60. The displayed value will be validated automatically if no change is made for five seconds. The FrE power supply frequency setting will be displayed again.

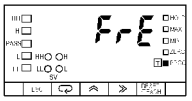
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



When no operation is executed for five seconds

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**





Note Press the Mode Key to enter the displayed setting immediately. The next parameter will be displayed for setting.

U-no

Communications Unit Number

bPS

Baud Rate

FUNCTION

- Set a communications unit number as an identification number by which the host computer is connected to the K3NX.
- If more than one K3NX is connected in parallel, make sure that each communications unit number is unique.
- The baud rate should be set to the baud rate of the host computer.

SETTING

- Communications Unit Number

Setting range	Unit	Default
00 to 99	---	00

- Baud Rate

Setting range	Default
1200: 1,200 bps / 2400: 2,400 bps / 4800: 4,800 bps / 9600: 9,600 bps / 19200:19.2 Kbps / 38400: 38.4 Kbps	9600

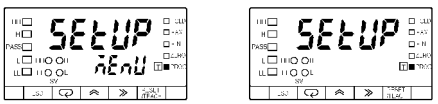
MODELS

This setting is available for the K3NX with the Communications Output Board.

SETTING EXAMPLE

Follow the steps described below to set the communications unit number to 15 and the baud rate to 19,200 bps.

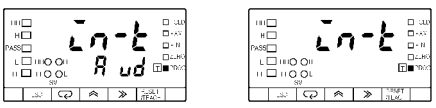
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



1, 2, 3...

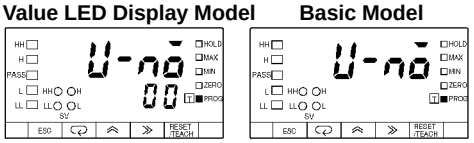
1. Press the Mode Key for more than one second while the SEtUP setup menu is displayed. The in-t input range setting will appear.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



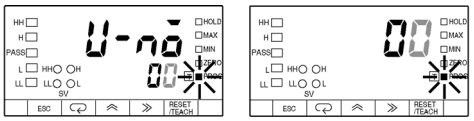
2. Repeatedly press the Mode Key until the U-no communications unit number setting is displayed.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



3. Press the Shift Key to display the prior set value 00 for changing. The PROG indicator will flash.

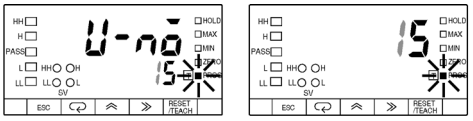
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



4. Press the Up and Shift Keys to set the value to 15. The input value will be validated automatically if no change is made for five seconds. The U-nō communications unit number setting will be displayed again.

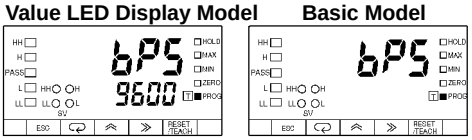
Note Press the Mode Key to enter the set value immediately. The next parameter will be displayed for setting.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



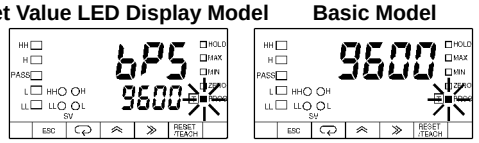
5. Press the Mode Key to display the bPS baud rate setting.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



6. Press the Shift Key to display the prior set value 9600 for changing. The PROG indicator will flash.

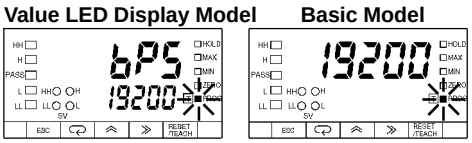
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



7. Press the Up Key to set the value to 19200. The input will be validated automatically if no change is made for five seconds. The bPS baud rate setting will be displayed again.

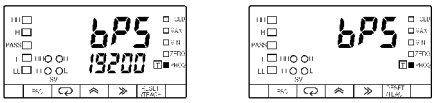
Note Press the Mode Key to enter the set value immediately. The next parameter will be displayed again for setting.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



8. Press the Up Key to enter the set value for setting the next parameter. The input value will be validated automatically if no change is made for five seconds. The bPS baud rate setting will be displayed again.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



Word Length

Stop Bits

Parity Bits

FUNCTION

- The communications format used for communicating with the host computer is set in the setup menu.
- Refer to the *Communications Manual* for the communications format in detail.

SETTING

- Word Length

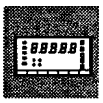
Setting	Unit	Default
7/8	bit	7

- Stop Bits

Setting	Unit	Default
1/2	bit	2

- Parity Bit

Setting	Default
nonE: None EvEn: Even Odd: Odd	EvEn



MODELS

This setting is available for the K3NX with the Communications Output Board.

SETTING EXAMPLE

Follow the steps described below to set the following.

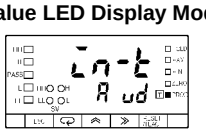
Word length: 8 bits
Number of stop bits: 1
Parity bits: nonE

Set Value LED Display Model

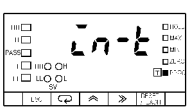
Basic Model

1, 2, 3... 1. Press the Mode Key for more than one second while the SEtUP setup menu is displayed. The in-t input range setting will appear.

Set Value LED Display Model

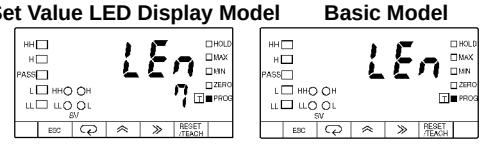


Basic Model



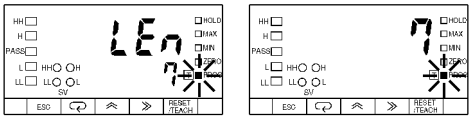
2. Repeatedly press the Mode Key until the LEn word length setting is displayed.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



3. Press the Shift Key to display the prior set value 7 for changing. The PROG indicator will flash.

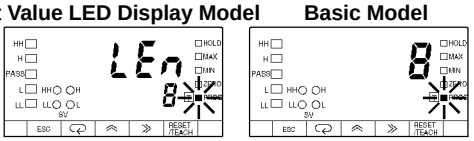
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



4. Press the Up Key to set the value to 8. The input value will be validated automatically if no change is made for five seconds. The LEn word length setting will be displayed again.

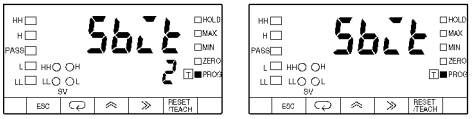
Note Press the Mode Key to enter the set value immediately. The next parameter will be displayed for setting.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



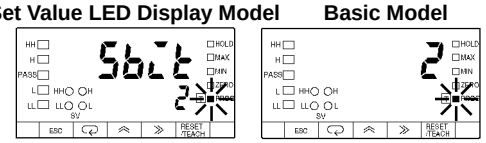
5. Press the Mode Key to display the SbIt stop bit setting.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



6. Press the Shift Key to display the set value 2 for changing.

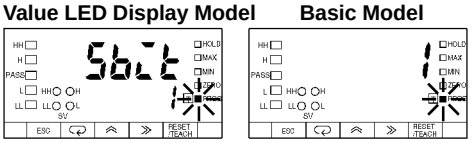
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



7. Press the Up Key to set the value to 1. The input will be validated automatically if no change is made for five seconds. The SbIt stop bit setting will be displayed again.

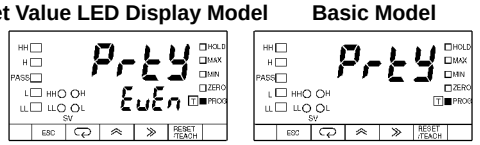
Note Press the Mode Key to enter the set value immediately. The next parameter will be displayed for setting.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



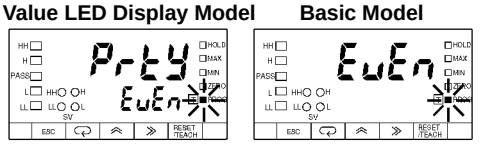
8. Press the Mode Key to display the PrtY parity bit setting.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



9. Press the Shift Key to display EuEn for changing.

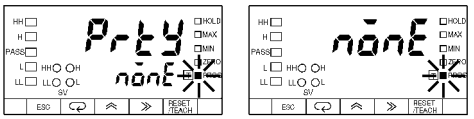
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



10. Press the Up Key to display nonE. The setting will be validated automatically if no change is made for five seconds. The Prty parity bit setting will be displayed again.

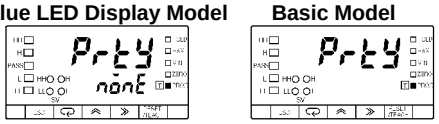
Note Press the Mode Key to enter the setting immediately. The next parameter will be displayed for setting.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



When no operation is executed for five seconds

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



3-2-6 Option Menu (oPt)

AvG

Average Processing

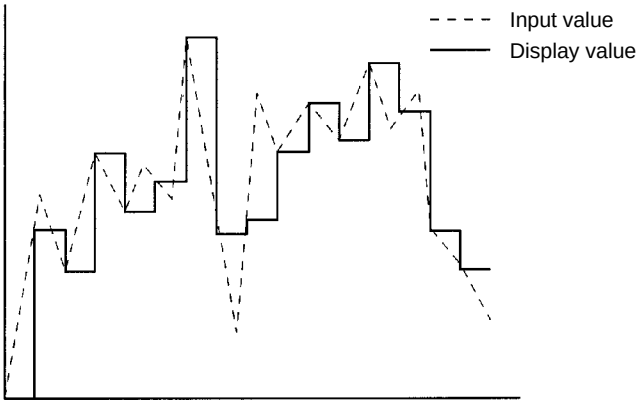
FUNCTION

- The average processing of inputs are enabled for setting.
- Average processing prevents the display from fluctuating due to unstable input.
- Select simple average processing or movement average processing and the number of sampling times.

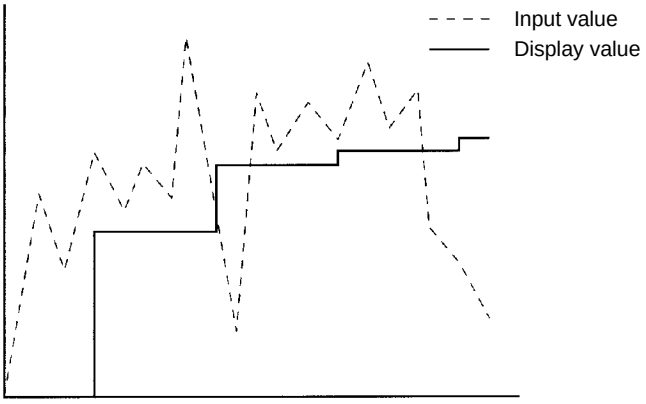
SETTING

Setting	Default
1: No average processing A0002: Movement average processing by sampling 2 times A0004: Movement average processing by sampling 4 times A0008: Movement average processing by sampling 8 times A00 16: Movement average processing by sampling 16 times A0032: Movement average processing by sampling 32 times S0002: Simple average processing by sampling 2 times S0004: Simple average processing by sampling 4 times S0008: Simple average processing by sampling 8 times S00 16: Simple average processing by sampling 16 times S0032: Simple average processing by sampling 32 times	1

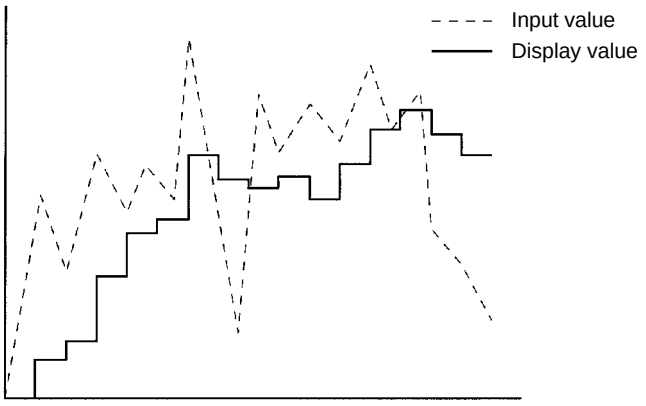
REFERENCE



Without average processing



Simple average processing



Movement average processing

Simple Average Processing:
The average value is displayed after the input is sampled “n” times.

The previous value is displayed until the sampling is complete.

Simple average processing is ideal for a display refresh period that is comparatively long.

The number of sampling times can be set to 2, 8, 16, or 32.

Movement Average Processing

When an input is sampled, the new sampling data is added to the previous sampling data and averaged.

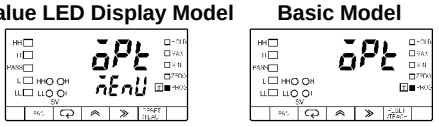
Movement average processing is ideal for removing cyclic noise from the input signal.

The number of sampling times can be set to 2, 8, 16, or 32.

SETTING EXAMPLE

Follow the steps described below to set the number of movement average processing times to 16.

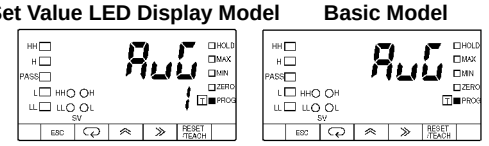
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



1, 2, 3...

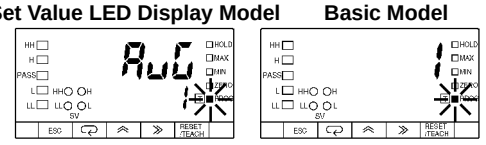
1. Press the Mode Key for more than one second while the oPt option menu is displayed. The AvG average processing setting will appear.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



2. Press the Shift Key to display the prior setting 1 for changing. The PROG indicator will flash.

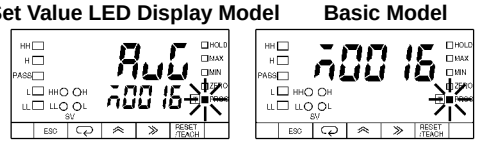
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



3. Repeatedly press the Up Key until n00 16 is displayed. The setting will be validated automatically if no change is made for five seconds. The AvG average processing setting will be displayed again.

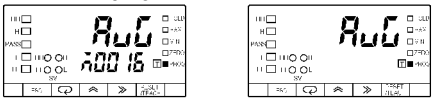
Note Press the Mode Key to enter the set value immediately. The next parameter will be displayed for setting.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



When no operation is executed for five seconds

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



Startup Compensation Time

FUNCTION

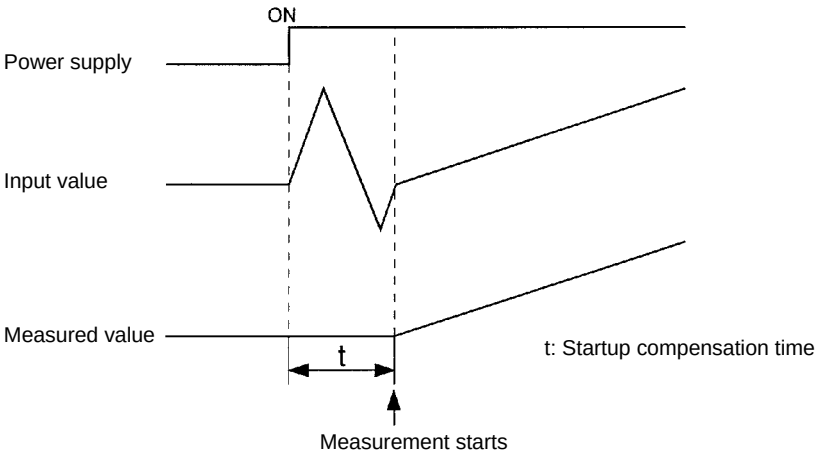
SETTING

REFERENCE

- The interval between the moment the K3NX is turned and the moment the K3NX enters measurement operation is set in the option menu.

Setting range	Unit	Default
0.0 to 99.9	s	0.0

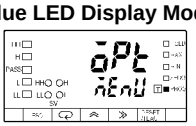
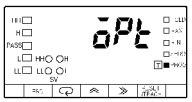
The K3NX will display "00000" with all outputs turned OFF until the K3NX is in measurement operation.



SETTING EXAMPLE

Follow the steps described below to set the startup compensation time to 2 seconds.

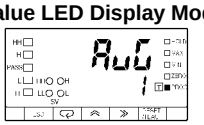
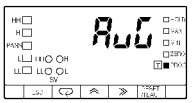
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**

1, 2, 3...

1. Press the Mode Key for more than one second while the oPt option menu is displayed. The AvG average processing setting will appear.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**

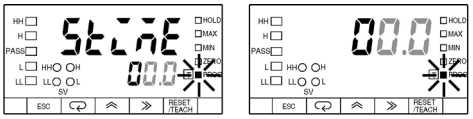



2. Press the Mode Key to display the StnE startup compensation time setting.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**

3. Press the Shift Key to display the prior set value 000 for changing. The PROG indicator will flash.

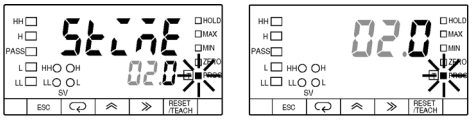
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



4. Press the Up and Shift Keys to set the value to 02.0. The setting will be validated automatically if no change is made for five seconds. The StAnE start-up compensation time setting will be displayed again.

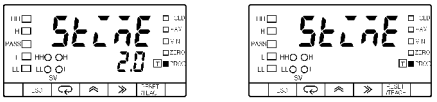
Note Press the Mode Key to enter the set value immediately. The next parameter will be displayed for setting.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



When no operation is executed for five seconds

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



HYS

Hysteresis

FUNCTION

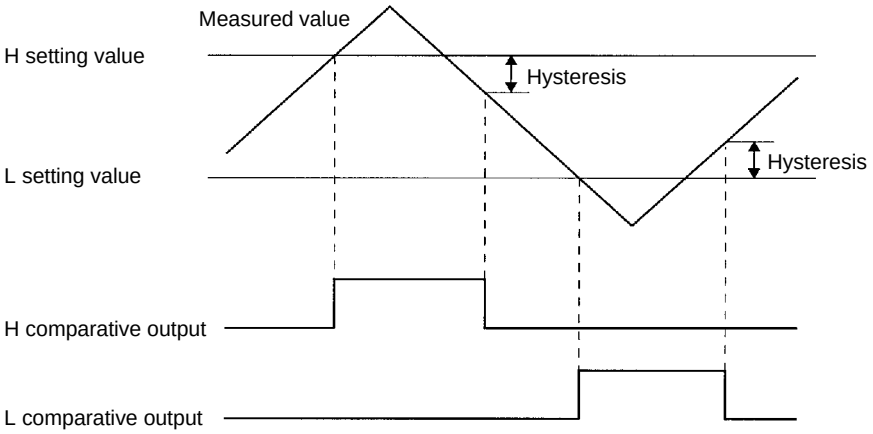
- The hysteresis can be set in the option menu to prevent “chattering” of the output if the measured value fluctuates in the vicinity of the setting values.
- The hysteresis can be set within a range of 1 and 9999 digits for four consecutive digits beginning with the leftmost digit regardless of the decimal point.
- The value set to 0 is regarded as 1.
- The decimal point position set in the scaling menu becomes valid.

SETTING

Setting range	Unit	Default
1 to 9999	---	1

REFERENCE

If the comparative output is a level output, however, the hysteresis will be enabled when the measured value starts to become smaller than the HH, H, LL, and L setting values.



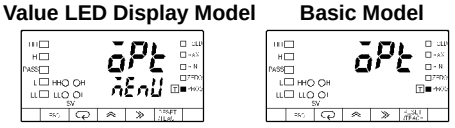
MODELS

This setting is only available for the K3NX with the Comparative Output Unit.

SETTING EXAMPLE

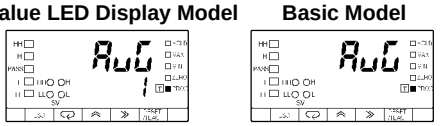
Follow the steps described below to set the hysteresis to 30.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



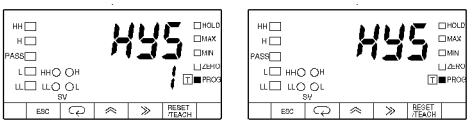
1, 2, 3... 1. Press the Mode Key for more than one second while the oPt option menu is displayed. The AvG average processing setting will appear.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



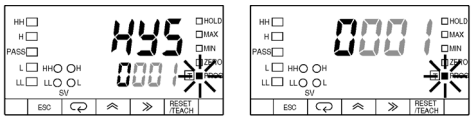
2. Repeatedly press the Mode Key until the HYS hysteresis setting is displayed.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



3. Press the Shift Key to display the prior set value 0001 for changing. The PROG indicator will flash.

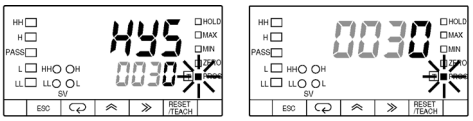
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



4. Press the Up and Shift Keys to set the value to 0030. The setting will be validated automatically if no change is made for five seconds. The HYS hysteresis setting will be displayed again.

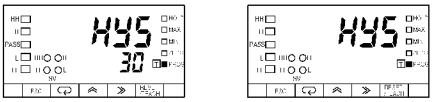
Note Press the Mode Key to enter the set value immediately. The next parameter will be displayed for setting.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



When no operation is executed for five seconds

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



C-OUT

Comparative Output Pattern

FUNCTION

- The pattern of HH, H, L, LL, and PASS comparative outputs is set in the option menu.

SETTING

Setting	Default
NORML: Standard output ZONE: Zone output LEVEL: Level output	NORML

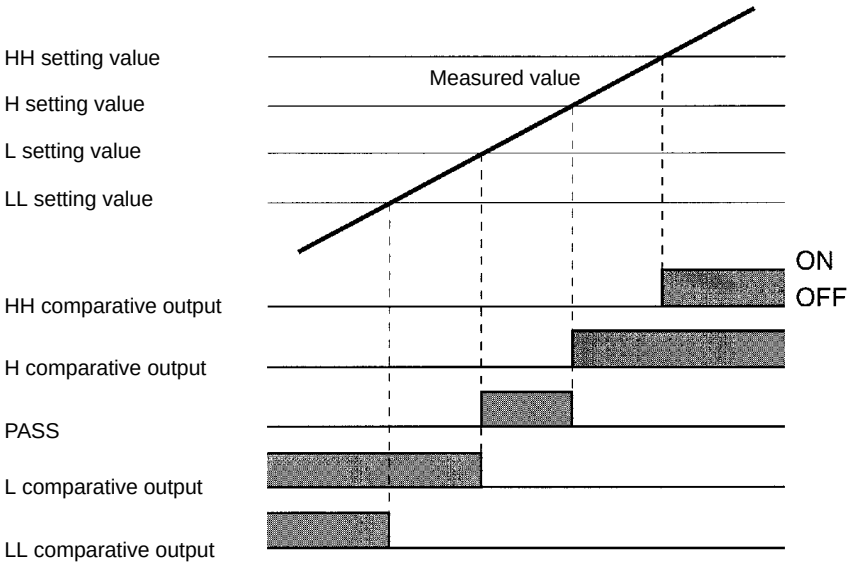
REFERENCE

Standard Output

H or HH Comparative Output:
Turns ON when the measured value is larger than the H or HH setting value.

PASS Output:
Turns ON when LL, L, H, and HH comparative outputs are all OFF.

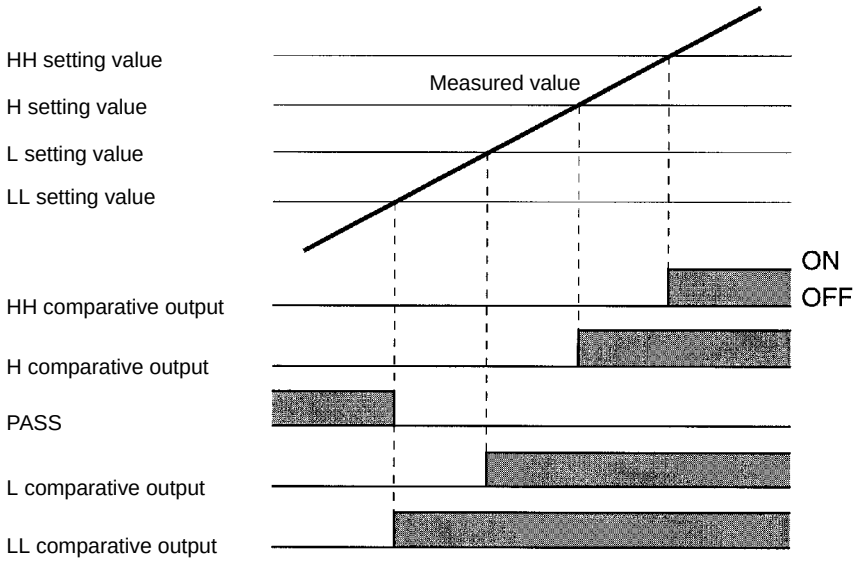
L or LL Comparative Output:
Turns ON when the measured value is smaller than the L or LL setting value.



Level Output

LL, L, H, or HH Comparative Output:
Turns ON when the measured value exceeds the LL, L, H, or HH setting value.

PASS Output:
Turns ON when the LL, L, H, and HH comparative outputs are all OFF.



Zone Output

HH Comparative Output:
Turns ON when the measured value exceeds the HH setting value.

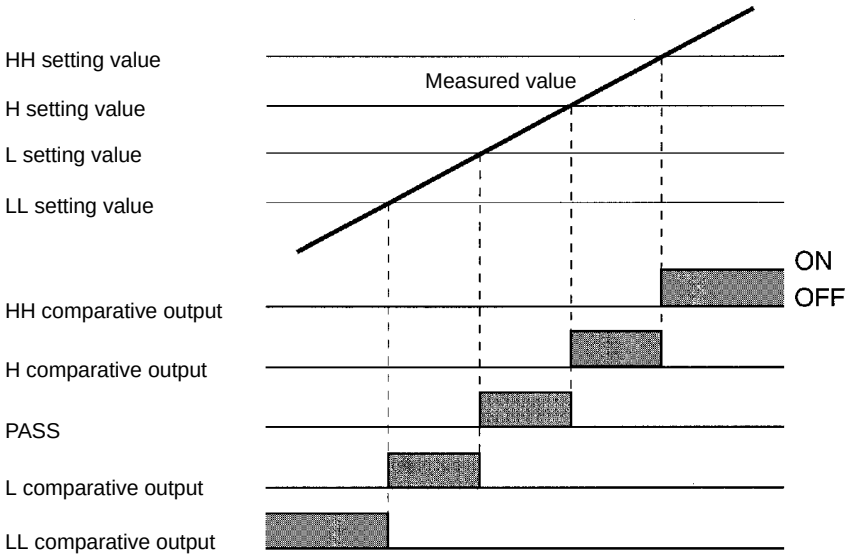
H Comparative Output:
Turns ON when the measured value is between the H and HH setting values.

PASS Output:
Turns ON when the measured value is between the L and H setting values.

L Comparative Output:
Turns ON when the measured value is between the LL and L setting values.

LL Comparative Output:
Turns ON when the measured value falls below the LL setting value.

Be sure to set the setting values so they satisfy the following formula:
LL < L < H < HH



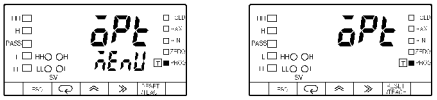
MODELS

This setting is only available for the K3NX with the Comparative Output Units.-

SETTING EXAMPLE

Follow the steps described below to set the comparative output pattern to level output.

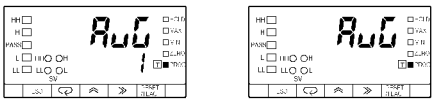
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



1, 2, 3...

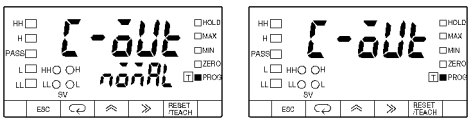
1. Press the Mode Key for more than one second while the oPt option menu is displayed. The AuG average processing setting will appear.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



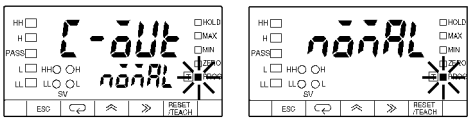
2. Repeatedly press the Mode Key until the C-oUt comparative output pattern setting is displayed.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



3. Press the Shift Key to display the prior setting nonAL for changing. The PROG indicator will flash.

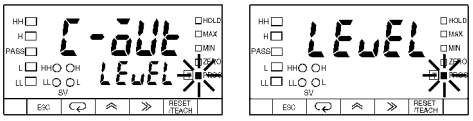
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



4. Press the Up Key twice to display LEvEL. The setting will be validated automatically if no change is made for five seconds. The C-oUt comparative output pattern setting will be displayed again.

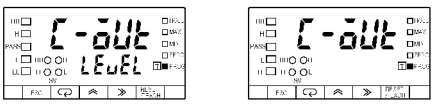
Note Press the Mode Key to enter the setting immediately. The next parameter will be displayed for setting.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



When no operation is executed for five seconds

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



LSEt.H

Upper Limit (H) of Linear Output Range

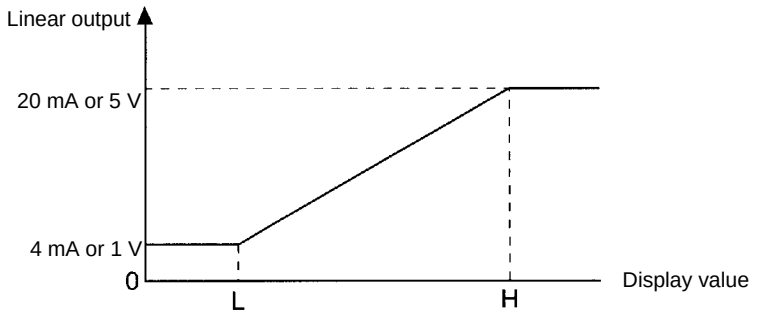
LSEt.L

Lower Limit (L) of Linear Output Range

FUNCTION

Linear output setting is made in the option menu to enable the K3NX to have voltage or current output in proportion to the change in display value.

- The maximum and minimum values of linear output are set in this parameter.



- L can be greater or less than H.
- L cannot be the same as H, otherwise H will be automatically set to a value obtained by adding 1 to L.
- The teaching function can be used for setting linear output ranges.

SETTING

Input type	Setting range	Default	
DC voltage input	–19999 to 99999	H linear output range	199.99
		L linear output range	–199.99
DC current input	–19999 to 99999	H linear output range	199.99
		L linear output range	–199.99
AC voltage input	–19999 to 99999	H linear output range	400.0
		L linear output range	0.0
AC current input	–19999 to 99999	H linear output range	10.000
		L linear output range	0.000

REFERENCE

Refer to *5-1 Teaching Function*.

MODELS

This setting is available for the K3NX with the Linear Output Board.

SETTING EXAMPLE

Follow the steps described below to set the following.

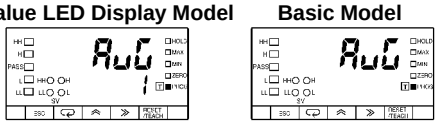
H: 100.00
L: 0.00

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**

1, 2, 3...

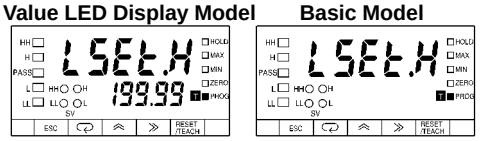
1. Press the Mode Key for more than one second while the oPt option menu is displayed. The AvG average processing setting will appear.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



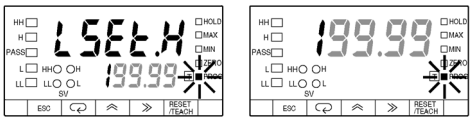
2. Repeatedly press the Mode Key until the LSEt.H H linear output range setting is displayed.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



3. Press the Shift Key to display the prior set value 1999.9 for changing. The PROG indicator will flash.

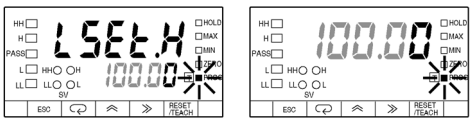
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



4. Press the Up and Shift Keys to set the value to 100.00. The setting will be validated automatically if no change is made for five seconds. The LSEt.H H linear output range setting will be displayed again.

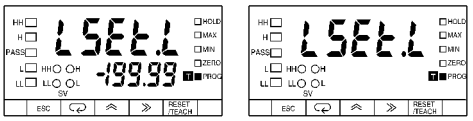
   Note Press the Mode Key to enter the set value immediately. The next parameter will be displayed for setting.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



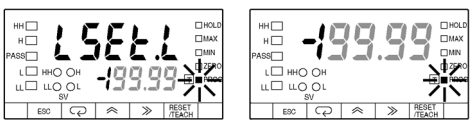
5. Press the Mode Key to display the LSEt.L L linear output range setting.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



6. Press the Shift Key to display the prior set value -1999.9 for changing. The PROG indicator will flash.

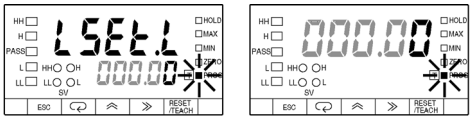
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



7. Press the Up and Shift Keys to set the value to 000.00. The setting will be validated automatically if no change is made for five seconds. The LSEt.L L linear output range setting will be displayed again.

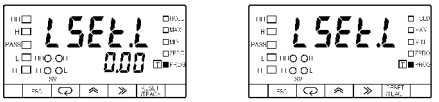
   Note Press the Mode Key to enter the set value immediately. The next parameter will be displayed for setting.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



When no operation is executed for five seconds

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



r-L

Remote/Local Programming

FUNCTION

SETTING

MODELS

- The K3NX can be set to remote or local mode in the option menu. The K3NX in remote mode is operated through the host computer and the K3NX in local mode is operated through the front panel key input.

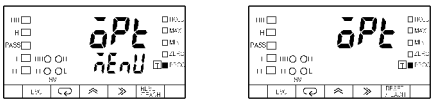
Setting	Default
Remote: rmt Local: LCL	LCL

This setting is available for the K3NX with the Communications Output Board.

SETTING EXAMPLE

Follow the steps described below to set the K3NX to remote programming.

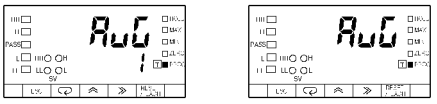
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



1, 2, 3...

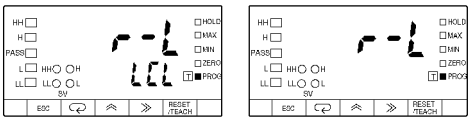
1. Press the Mode Key for more than one second while the oPt option menu is displayed. The AuG setting will appear.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



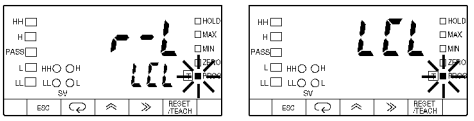
2. Repeatedly press the Mode Key until the r-L remote/local setting is displayed.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



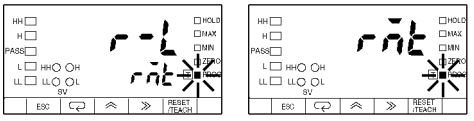
3. Press the Shift Key to display the prior setting LCL for changing. The PROG indicator will flash.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



4. Press the Up Key to display rmt.

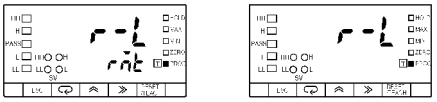
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



5. The setting will be validated automatically if no change is made for five seconds. The AVG average processing setting will be displayed again.

Note Press the Mode Key to enter the setting immediately. The $r\text{-}L$ remote/local setting will be displayed again.

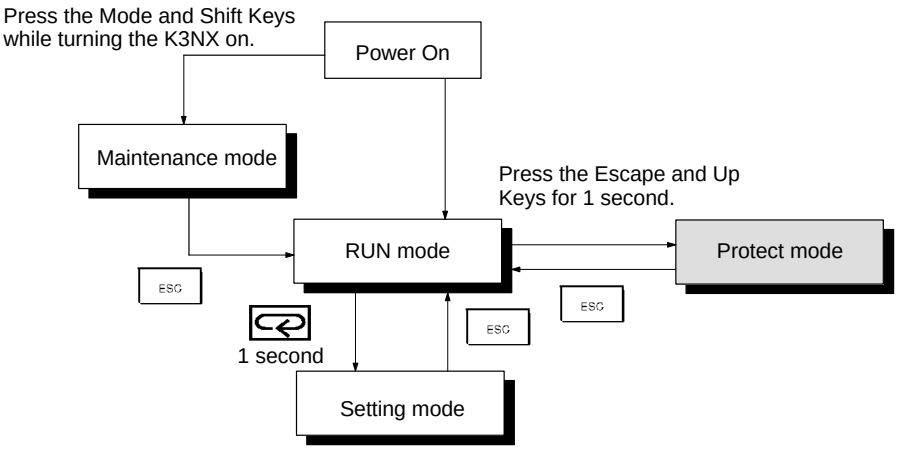
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



3-3 Protect Mode

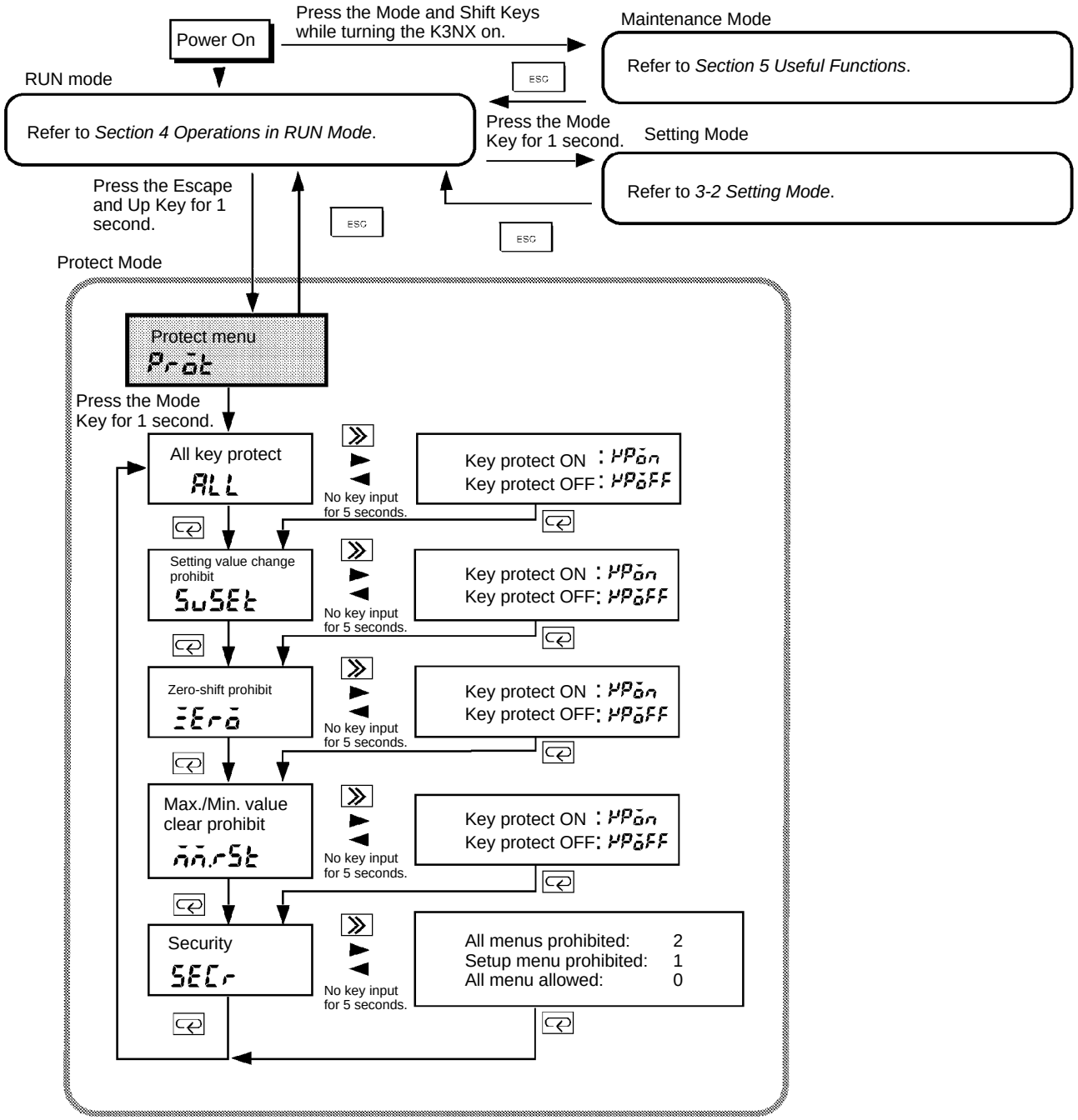
3-3-1 Selecting Protect Mode

- The K3NX in RUN mode will go into protect mode if the Escape and Up Keys are pressed for more than 1 second.
- The K3NX in protect mode will go into RUN mode if the Escape Key is pressed.



- If the Mode Key is pressed for more than one second while a menu is displayed, a parameter will be displayed.
- The parameter changes whenever the Mode Key is pressed.
- If the Shift Key is pressed while a parameter is displayed, the parameter will be ready to change.
- Press the Up Key to change parameters.

3-3-2 Menu Overview



Note 1. The K3NX stops measurement in setting mode.

2. Some menus cannot be set due to the display type or output type selected.

3-3-3 Protect Menu (Prot)

ALL **All Key Protect**

FUNCTION

- The operation of all keys can be prohibited in the protect menu.

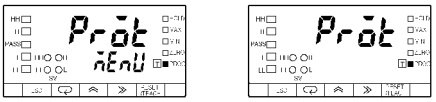
SETTING

Setting	Default
Pon: Key protect ON PoFF: Key protect OFF	PoFF

SETTING EXAMPLE

Follow the steps described below to set the key protect to ON.

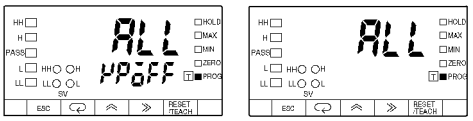
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



1, 2, 3...

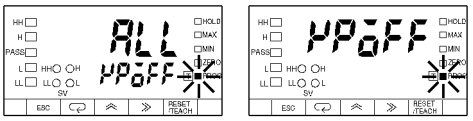
1. Press the Mode Key for more than one second while the Prot protect menu is displayed. The ALL all key protect setting will appear.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



2. Press the Shift Key to display the prior setting PoFF for changing. The PROG indicator will flash.

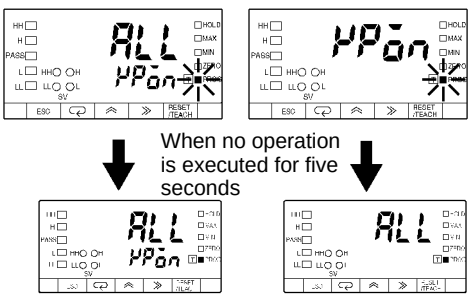
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



3. Press the Up Key to display Pon. The setting will be validated automatically if no change is made for five seconds. The ALL all key protect setting will be displayed again.

   Note Press the Mode Key to enter the setting immediately. The next parameter will be displayed for setting.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



SuSEt Setting Value Change Prohibit

FUNCTION

- The setting value change of the K3NX in RUN mode with the front panel key inputs can be prohibited in the protect menu.

SETTING

Setting	Default
KPOn: Key protect ON KPoFF: Key protect OFF	KPoFF

REFERENCE

Refer to *4-2 Checking and Changing Setting Values*.

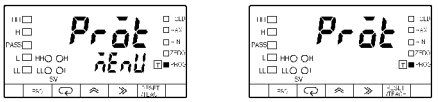
MODELS

This setting is only available for the K3NX with the Comparative Output Unit.

SETTING EXAMPLE

Follow the steps described below to set the setting value change prohibit to ON.

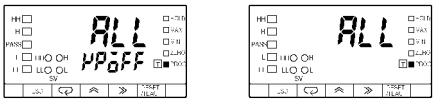
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



1, 2, 3...

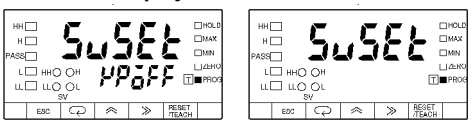
1. Press the Mode Key for more than one second while the Prot protect menu is displayed. The ALL all key protect setting will appear.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



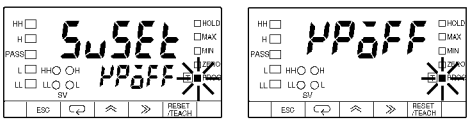
2. Press the Mode Key to display the SuSEt setting value prohibit setting.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



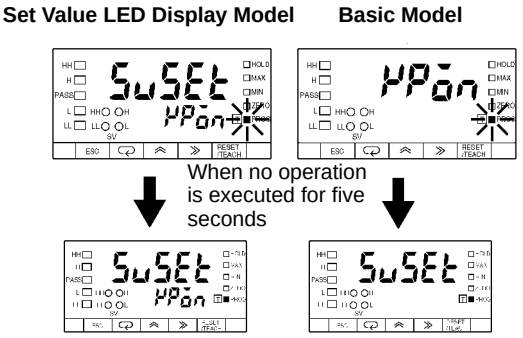
3. Press the Shift Key to display the prior setting KPoFF for changing. The PROG indicator will flash.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



4. Press the Up Key to display *vPon*. The setting will be validated automatically if no change is made for five seconds. The *SuSEt* setting value prohibit setting will be displayed again.

   Note Press the Mode Key to enter the setting immediately. The next parameter will be displayed for setting.



Forced-zero Prohibit

FUNCTION

- Forced-zero setting with key input can be prohibited in the protect menu. However, forced-zero setting with external signal input is permitted.

SETTING

Setting	Default
oPon: Key protect ON oPoFF: Key protect OFF	oPon

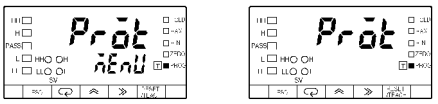
MODELS

Refer to *2 Forced-zero*.

SETTING EXAMPLE

Follow the steps described below to set the forced-zero prohibit to OFF.

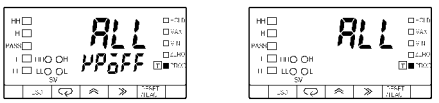
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



1, 2, 3...

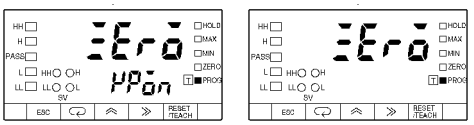
1. Press the Mode Key for more than one second while the Prot protect menu is displayed. The ALL all key protect setting will appear.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



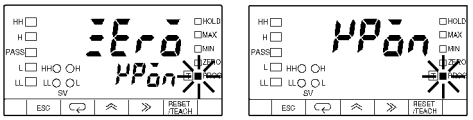
2. Repeatedly press the Mode Key until the ZEro forced-zero prohibit setting is displayed.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



3. Press the Shift Key to display the prior setting oPon for changing. The PROG indicator will flash.

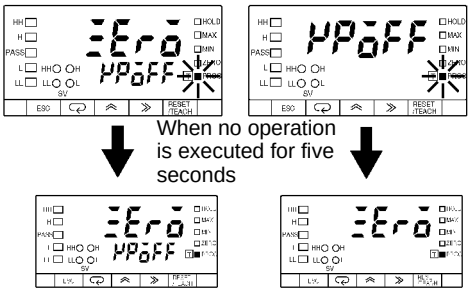
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



4. Press the Up Key to display *HPoFF*. The setting will be validated automatically if no change is made for five seconds. The *ZEro* forced-zero prohibit setting will be displayed again.

   Note Press the Mode Key to enter the setting immediately. The next parameter will be displayed for setting.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



MM.rSt Maximum/Minimum Value Clear Prohibit

FUNCTION

- The resetting of maximum and minimum values with key input can be prohibited in the protect menu.
  However, the resetting of maximum and minimum values with external signal input is permitted.

SETTING

Setting	Default
MPon: Key protect ON MPoFF: Key protect OFF	MPoFF

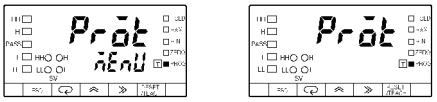
REFERENCE

Refer to *4-3 Checking and Resetting of Maximum and Minimum Values*.

SETTING EXAMPLE

Follow the steps described below to set the maximum/minimum value clear prohibit to ON.

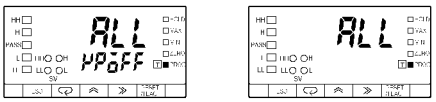
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



1, 2, 3...

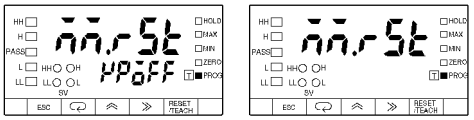
1. Press the Mode Key for more than one second while the Prot protect menu is displayed. The ALL all key protect setting will appear.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



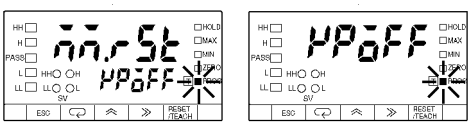
2. Repeatedly press the Mode Key until the MM.rSt maximum/minimum value clear prohibit setting is displayed.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



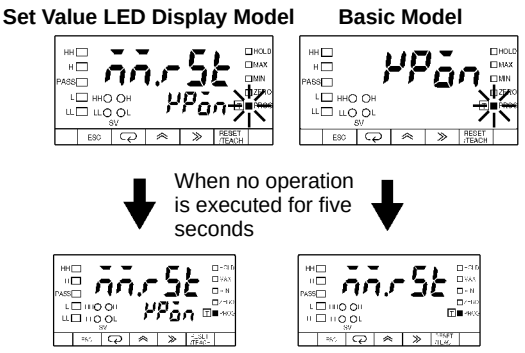
3. Press the Shift Key to display the prior setting MPoFF for changing. The PROG indicator will flash.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



4. Press the Up Key to display *UPon*. The setting will be validated automatically if no change is made for five seconds. The *mm.rSt* maximum/minimum value clear prohibit setting will be displayed again.

   Note Press the Mode Key to enter the setting immediately. The next parameter will be displayed for setting.



SECr

Security

FUNCTION

SETTING

- Settings in setting mode can be prohibited in the protect menu.
- The following table shows what set values for menus can be prohibited. The default is 0.

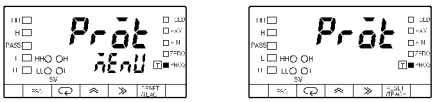
Menu	Set value		
	0	1	2
Setting value			Prohibited
Scaling			Prohibited
Setup		Prohibited	Prohibited
Option			Prohibited

- The value changes in the following order with the Up Key: 0, 1, 2, and 0

SETTING EXAMPLE

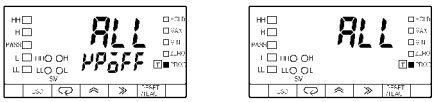
Follow the steps described below to set the security setting to 1.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



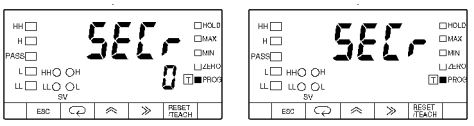
1, 2, 3... 1. Press the Mode Key for more than one second while the Prot protect menu is displayed. The ALL all key protect setting will appear.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



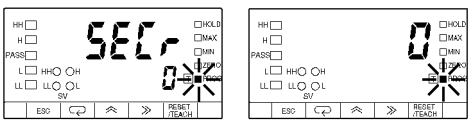
2. Repeatedly press the Mode Key until the SECr security setting is displayed.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



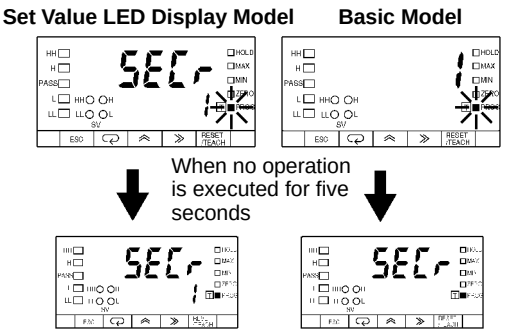
3. Press the Shift Key to display the prior set value 0 for changing. The PROG indicator will flash.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



4. Press the Up Key to display 1. The setting will be validated automatically if no change is made for five seconds. The SECr security setting will be displayed again.

   Note Press the Mode Key to enter the setting immediately. The next parameter will be displayed for setting.



SECTION 4
Operations in RUN Mode

This section provides instructions for operating the K3NX in RUN mode.

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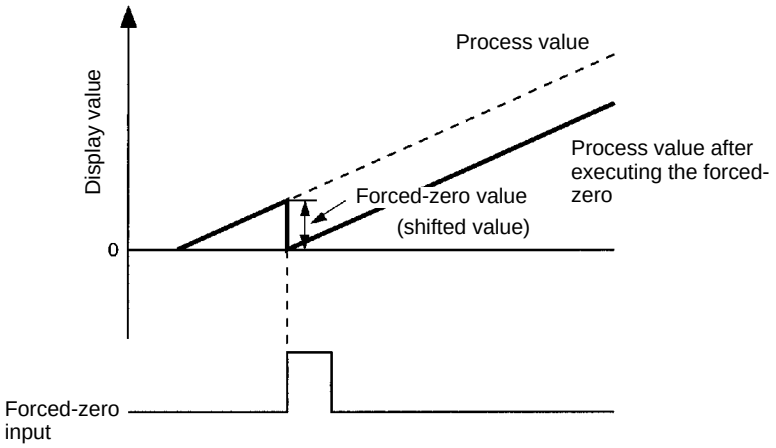
4-1 Forced-zero

- The forced-zero function enables the K3NX to shift the process value to 0, which allows relative object measurement with ease when one of the following is activated in RUN mode.

  The RESET/TEACH Key is pressed while the process value is displayed.

  The external ZERO input signal is turned ON.

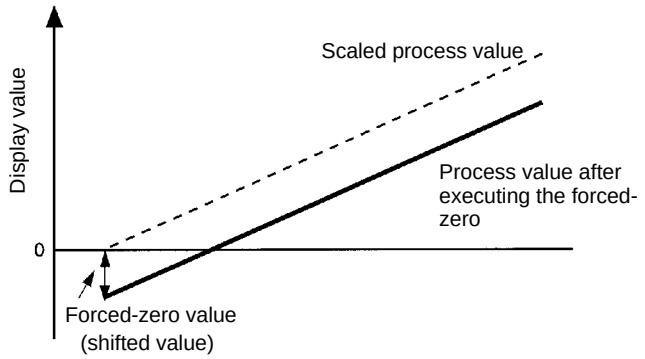
  The K3NX receives the forced-zero command through communications.
- The ZERO indicator is lit while the K3NX is in forced-zero state.
- The K3NX retains the forced-zero value even when the power is switched off.
- The process value can be prohibited against change when the forced-zero prohibit setting is ON in protect mode.



- The following is the relationship between the process value after scaling and display value after the process value is shifted to zero.

  Display value after executing the forced-zero =
  Process value after scaling – Shifted value

  Therefore, if the process value after scaling is shifted to zero, the scaled process value and the display value after executing the forced-zero will not coincide with each other.



- Forced-zero state will be canceled if one of the following is performed.

  The RESET/TEACH Key is pressed for longer than one second while the process value is displayed.

  The K3NX receives the forced-zero cancel command through communications.

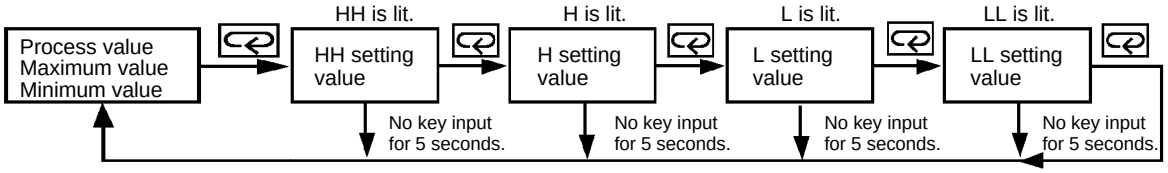
  Two-coordinate input scale (input 1 and input 2) is changed in setting mode.

4-2 Displaying and Changing Setting Values

4-2-1 Displaying Setting Values

Basic Model

- When the Mode Key is pressed in RUN mode, the K3NX displays a setting value on the PV display (in the order of HH, H, L, and LL).
- While the setting value is displayed, the corresponding SV display status indicator is lit.
- Unless another operation key is pressed within five seconds after the setting value is displayed, the process, maximum, or minimum value is displayed again.



Set Value LED Display Model

- The setting value appears on the SV display and the corresponding SV display status indicator is lit while the process, maximum, or minimum value is displayed on the PV display
- When the Mode Key is pressed, the K3NX displays a setting value (in the order of HH, H, L, and LL) on the SV display.

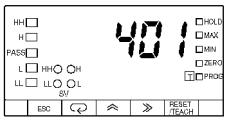
4-2-2 Changing Setting Values

- Setting values can be prohibited against change when key protect or setting value change prohibit is ON in protect mode.
- Select the setting value to be changed with the Mode Key.
- All digits will be displayed and ready for changing if the Shift Key is pressed.
- Press the Up and Shift Keys to change the displayed setting value. The input will be entered if nothing else is input within two seconds. The input is entered immediately by pressing the Mode Key.
- The next setting value will be displayed and ready for changing if the Mode Key is pressed. If nothing else is input within two seconds, the setting value will be entered and the previous setting value will be displayed.
- The setting value can be changed through communications if the K3NX is a model with a communications function.

SETTING EXAMPLE

Basic Model

Follow the steps below to change the H setting value from 600 to 700 while the process value is displayed in RUN mode.

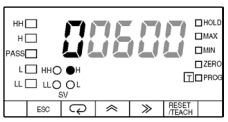


1, 2, 3...

1. Press the Mode Key to display the HH setting value and to light the HH indicator of the SV display status indicators.

2. Press the Mode Key again to display the H setting value H and light the H indicator.

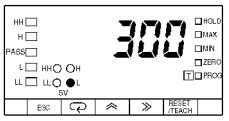
3. Press the Shift Key to display all the digits of the prior setting value 600 for changing.



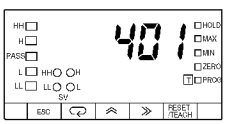
4. Press the Up and Shift Keys to set the value to 00700.

5. The input will be entered if nothing else is input within five seconds.

or Press the Mode Key to display the L setting value for changing. The H setting value will appear again if nothing else is input within five seconds.



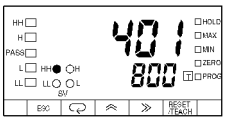
6. To return to the process value display, perform one of the following.
   - Repeatedly press the Mode Key until the process value appears.
   - Leave the K3NX with no key input for five seconds.



SETTING EXAMPLE

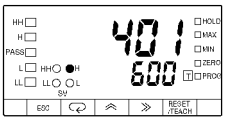
Set Value LED Display Model

Follow the steps below to change the H setting value from 600 to 700 while the process value is displayed in RUN mode, provided that the HH setting value is already displayed on the SV display.

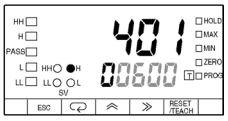


1, 2, 3...

1. Press the Mode Key to display the H setting value and to light the H indicator of the SV display status indicators.



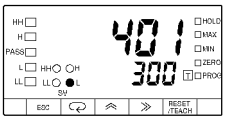
2. Press the Shift Key to display all the digits of the setting value 600 for changing.



3. Press the Up and Shift Keys to set the value to 00700.

4. The input will be entered if nothing else is input within five seconds.

or Press the Mode Key to display the L setting value for changing. The H setting value will appear again if nothing else is input within five seconds.

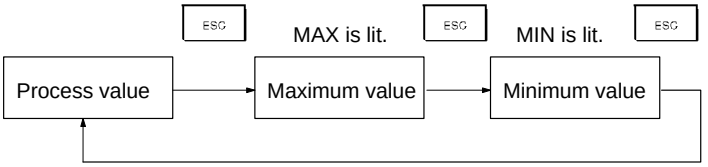


4-3 Displaying and Resetting of Maximum and Minimum Values

The maximum and minimum values are refreshed automatically while the K3NX is in measurement operation.

4-3-1 Displaying Maximum and Minimum Values

- The Escape Key is used to select the process, maximum, or minimum value to be displayed on the PV display in RUN mode.
- The corresponding SV display indicator (i.e., the MAX or MIN indicator) is lit while the maximum or minimum value is displayed.



4-3-2 Resetting Maximum and Minimum Values

- The maximum and minimum values are reset when the K3NX is turned on, set to RUN mode, or reset.
- The K3NX will be reset when one of the following is performed.

  The RESET/TEACH Key is pressed for more than one second while the maximum or minimum value is displayed.

  The external RESET input signal is turned ON.

  The K3NX receives the reset command through communications.
- When the K3NX is reset, the maximum and minimum values are set to the process value.

Note The K3NX cannot be reset with the RESET/TEACH Key if the maximum/minimum value clear prohibit is ON in protect mode.

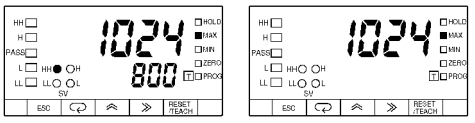
SETTING EXAMPLE

1, 2, 3... 1. The process value 401 is displayed.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**

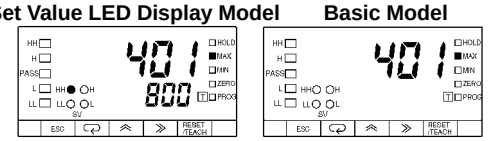
2. Press the Escape Key to display the maximum value 1024 and light the MAX indicator.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



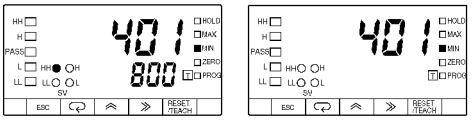
3. Press the RESET/TEACH Key to set the maximum and minimum values to the process value 401.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



4. Press the Escape Key to check that the minimum value is set to 401.

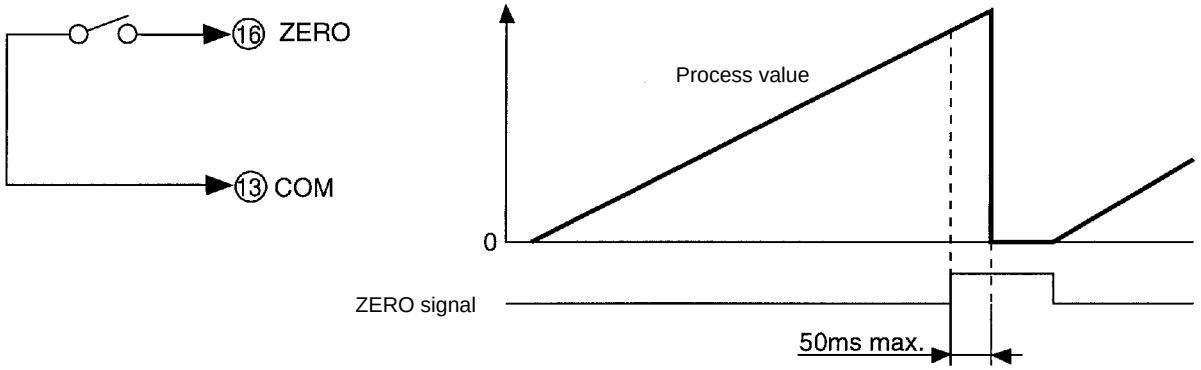
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



4-4 External Input Signals

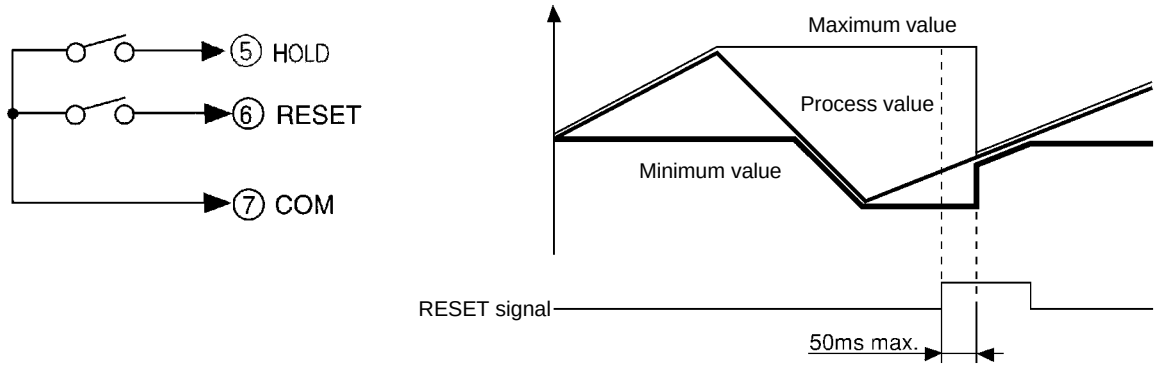
4-4-1 Forced-zero

- Refer to *4-1 Forced-zero* for the function of this signal.
- The following graph shows the operation timing of the signal.



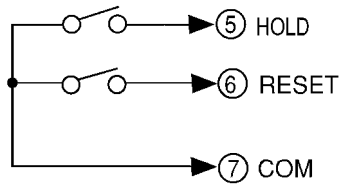
4-4-2 RESET

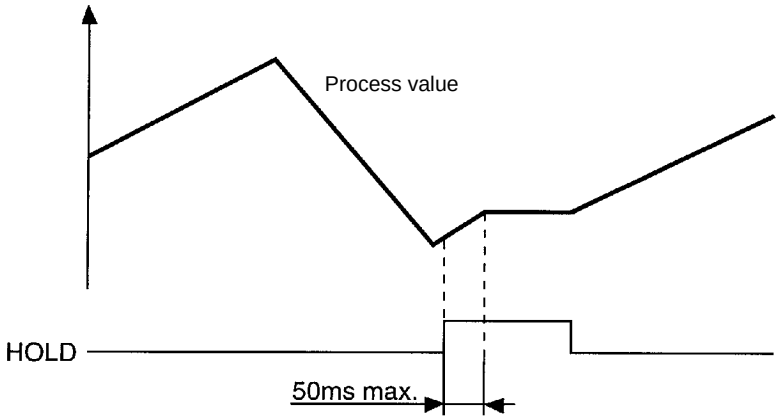
- Refer to *4-3 Displaying and Resetting of Maximum and Minimum Values* for the function of this signal.
- The following graph shows the operation timing of the signal.



4-4-3 HOLD

- The K3NX will stop the measurement if the HOLD input is ON.
- When the HOLD input is ON, the K3NX will retain the process value, output, and BCD data effective immediately before the HOLD input.
- The HOLD indicator is lit while HOLD input is ON.





SECTION 5
Useful Functions

This section provides information on the teaching function, output test, and maintenance mode.

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5-1 Teaching Function

- The K3NX is provided with a teaching function that can set an actual measured value as a set value without any front panel key input.

  This function is useful for setting parameters while checking the operating status of the K3NX.
- The teaching function can be used to set the setting, scaling values, and linear output range. The TEACH indicator will be lit if a parameter that can use the teaching function is displayed.

5-1-1 Set Value

- A setting value can be set with the actual input instead of key input in the setting mode.
- Follow the steps below to teach the setting value.

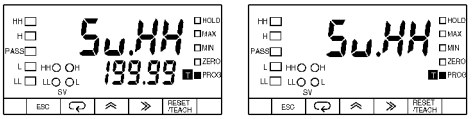
1, 2, 3...

1. Press the RESET/TEACH Key for more than one second while the parameter is displayed. The process value will be displayed and the teaching indicator will flash.
2. Press the RESET/TEACH Key again to retrieve the process value immediately before the key was pressed as a set value. The teaching indicator will be lit and the parameter will be displayed. Press the Escape Key to interrupt teaching.

SETTING EXAMPLE

Follow the steps described below to set the HH set value by using the teaching function.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



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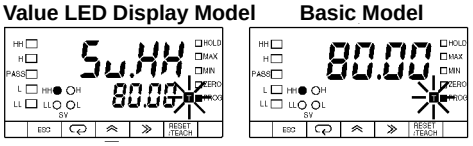
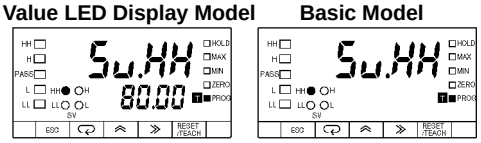
1. Press the RESET/TEACH Key for more than one second while the parameter is displayed. The process value will be displayed and the teaching indicator will flash.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



2. Press the RESET/TEACH Key again to retrieve the process value immediately before the key was pressed as a set value for changing. The teaching indicator will be lit and the parameter is displayed.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



5-1-2 Scaling Value

- A scaling input value can be set using the actual measured value instead of key input in the scaling menu.
- Follow the steps below to teach the setting value.

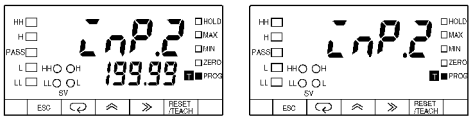
1, 2, 3...

1. Press the RESET/TEACH Key for more than one second while the parameter is displayed. The process value will be displayed and the teaching indicator will flash.
2. Press the RESET/TEACH Key again to retrieve the process value immediately before the key was pressed as a set value. The teaching indicator will be lit and the parameter will be displayed. Press the Escape Key to interrupt teaching.

SETTING EXAMPLE

Follow the steps described below to set the input value 2 by using the teaching function.

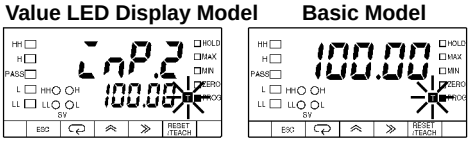
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



1, 2, 3...

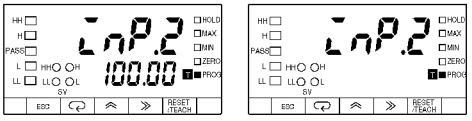
1. Press the RESET/TEACH Key for more than one second while the parameter is displayed. The process value will be displayed and the teaching indicator will flash.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



2. Press the RESET/TEACH Key again to retrieve the process value immediately before the key was pressed as a set value for changing. The teaching indicator will be lit and the parameter will be displayed.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



5-1-3 Linear Output Range

The teaching function can be also used to set the linear output range of the K3NX with the Linear Output Board.

- The H and L linear output ranges can be set using the actual measured value instead of key input in the option menu.
- Follow the steps below to teach the setting value.

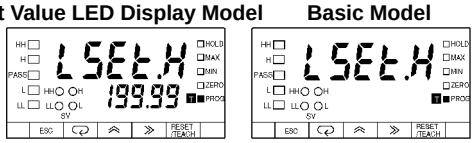
1, 2, 3...

1. Press the RESET/TEACH Key for more than one second while the parameter is displayed. The process value will be displayed and the teaching indicator will flash.
2. Press the RESET/TEACH Key again to retrieve the process value immediately before the key was pressed as a set value. The teaching indicator will be lit and the parameter will be displayed. Press the Escape Key to interrupt teaching.

SETTING EXAMPLE

Follow the steps described below to set the H linear output range by using the teaching function.

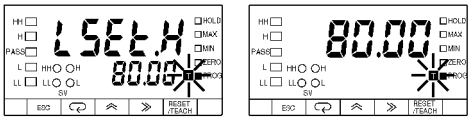
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



1, 2, 3...

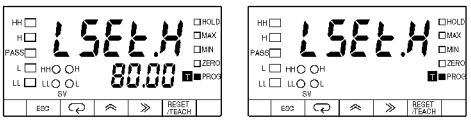
1. Press the RESET/TEACH Key for more than one second while the parameter is displayed. The process value will be displayed and the teaching indicator will flash.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



2. Press the RESET/TEACH Key again to retrieve the process value immediately before the key was pressed as a set value for changing. The teaching indicator will be lit and the parameter will be displayed. Press the Escape Key to interrupt teaching.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



5-2 Output Test

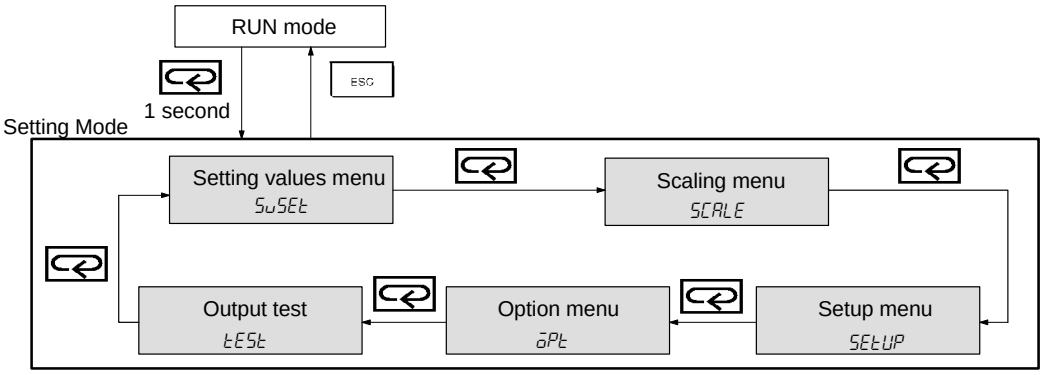
This function is convenient for checking a system to which the K3NX is connected, especially when some inputs cannot be operated. The K3NX simulates an input signal to check the output conditions.

Note The K3NX has output according to the simulated input in this mode. If there is any device connected to the output of the K3NX, be sure that the output will not have a negative influence on the device before testing the system.

- Follow the steps described below to perform the test.

1, 2, 3...

1. While the K3NX is in RUN mode, press the Mode Key for more than one second to set the K3NX to the setting mode.
2. Repeatedly press the Mode Key until tEST output test setting is displayed.



3. Press the Mode Key for more than one second to display 0, which is a simulated input value.
4. The simulated input value increases when the Up Key is pressed. Comparative outputs are output according to the output pattern that has been preset.
5. The simulated input value decreases when the Shift Key is pressed. Comparative outputs are output according to the output pattern that has been preset.
6. Press the Escape Key after testing. The tEST output test setting will be displayed again.
7. Press the Escape Key to return to the RUN mode.

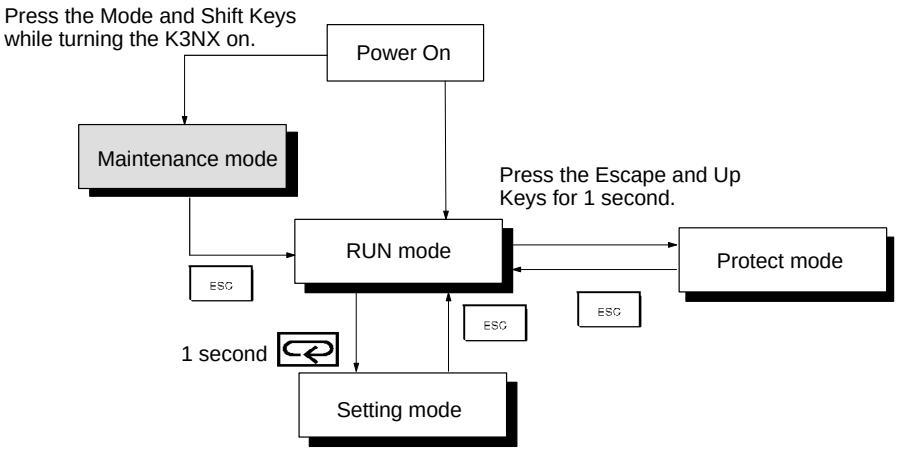
- To change the simulated input value continuously, keep pressing the Up or Shift Key.

5-3 Maintenance Mode

The set values of the K3NX can be initialized and field calibration of the K3NX is possible in maintenance mode. The operations of the K3NX in this mode are described below.

5-3-1 Maintenance Mode

- The K3NX will be in maintenance mode if the Mode and Shift Keys are pressed simultaneously while the K3NX is turned on.
- The K3NX in maintenance mode will go into RUN mode if the Escape Key is pressed.



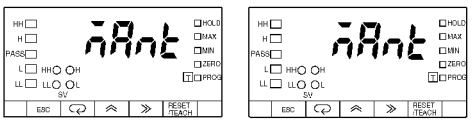
5-3-2 Initialization

Follow the steps described below to reset the set values of the K3NX to factory-set values.

1, 2, 3...

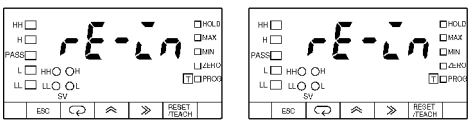
1. Press the Mode and Shift Keys simultaneously while turning the K3NX on. The $\bar{n}Rn\underline{t}$ maintenance mode setting will be displayed.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



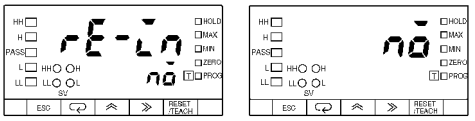
2. Press the Mode Key for more than one second. The $r\underline{E}\text{-}\bar{\underline{L}}n$ initialization setting will be displayed.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**

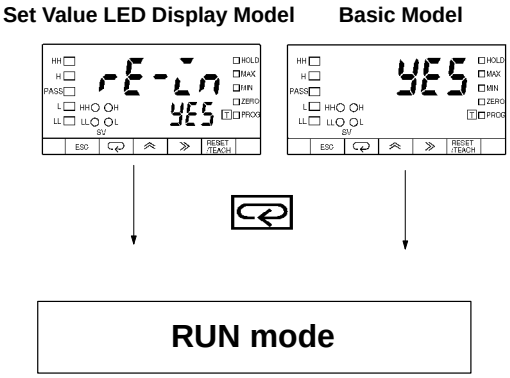


3. Press the Up Key to display $n\bar{o}$.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



4. Press the Up Key to display YES. Press the Mode Key to initialize all set values. The K3NX will go into RUN mode.



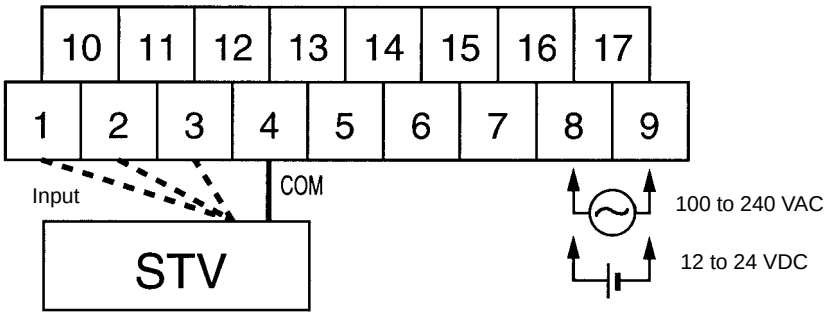
5-3-3 Field Calibration

Calibration is to be performed when adjustment is required for display accuracy exceeding the specified value. Follow the procedure below when calibration is required.

Be sure to conduct an accuracy test after calibration.

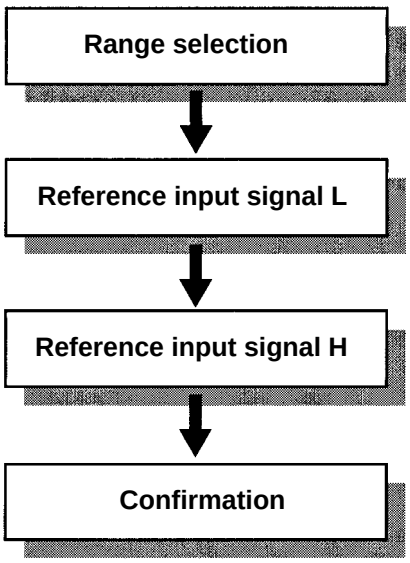
Preparation

Connect an STV (standard voltage/current generator) to the measurement input terminals.
Connect an STV to input terminal 1, 2, or 3 according to the input range.



Calibration

Perform calibration for each range.



Select the input range

Input reference input signal L for calibration from the STV. The reference signal varies with the input range.

Input reference input signal H for calibration from the STV. The reference signal varies with the input range.

Determine whether the factory-set data should be overwritten with new data.

5-3-4 Reference Input Signal

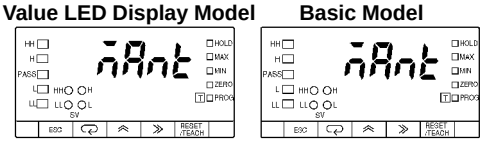
The following are the reference signals for all input ranges.

Input type	Input range	Reference input signal L	Reference input signal H	Input terminals
DC voltage input	A uD	0.00 V	199.99 V	1 and 4
	b uD	0.000 V	19.999 V	2 and 4
	C uD	0.0000 V	1.9999 V	3 and 4
	d uD	0.00 mV	199.99 mV	3 and 4
	E uD	1.0000 V	5.0000 V	2 and 4
DC current input	A Ad	0.00 mA	199.99 mA	1 and 4
	b Ad	0.000 mA	19.999 mA	2 and 4
	C Ad	0.0000 mA	1.9999 mA	3 and 4
	d Ad	4.000 mA	20.000 mA	2 and 4
AC voltage input	A uA	0.0 V	400.0 V	1 and 4
	b uA	0.00 V	199.99 V	1 and 4
	C uA	0.000 V	19.999 V	2 and 4
	d uA	0.0000 V	1.9999 A	3 and 4
AC current input	A AA	0.000 A	10.000 A	1 and 4
	b AA	0.0000 A	1.9999 A	1 and 4
	C AA	0.00 mA	199.99 mA	2 and 4
	d AA	0.000 mA	19.999 mA	3 and 4

SETTING EXAMPLE

Follow the steps described below to calibrate the input range E-uD.

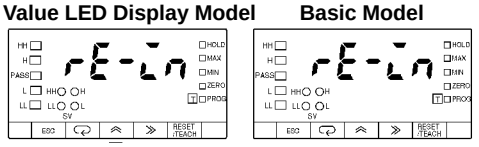
Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



1, 2, 3...

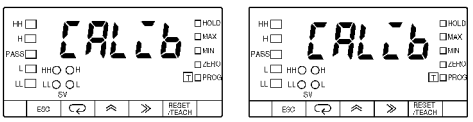
1. Press the Mode Key for more than one second while the initialization maintenance mode setting is displayed. The rE-Cn initialization setting will be displayed.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



2. Press the Mode Key to display the CALCb field calibration setting.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**

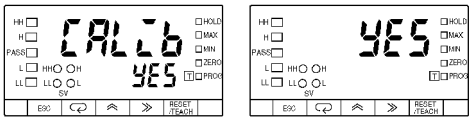


3. Press the Shift Key so that the K3NX will be ready for the field calibration.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**

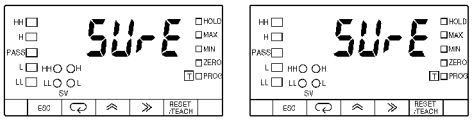
4. Press the Up Key to display YES and press the Mode Key.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



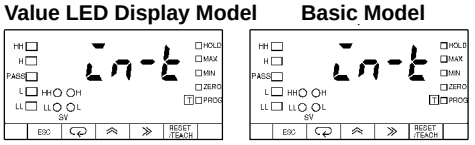
5. The warning message SUrE will be displayed if field calibration is performed for the first time. OMRON does not guarantee the results of field calibration. This warning message will not be displayed the next time field calibration is performed on the K3NX.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



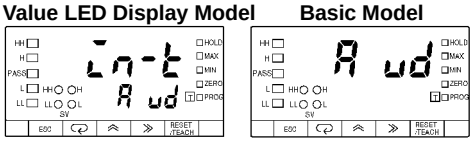
6. Press the Mode Key to display the In-t input range setting.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



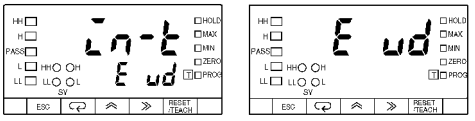
7. Press the Shift Key so that the K3NX will be ready for the input range.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



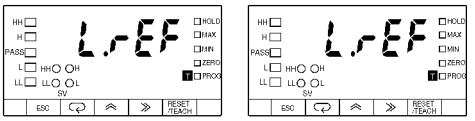
8. Press the Up Key and input the range to be calibrated.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



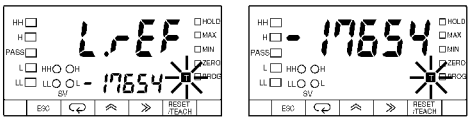
9. The teaching indicator will be lit and L.rEF will be displayed for reference input signal L.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



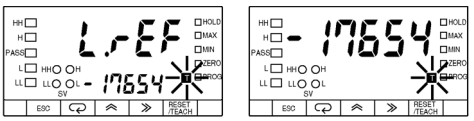
10. Press the RESET/TEACH Key and input 1.0000 V as reference input signal L. The teaching indicator will flash.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



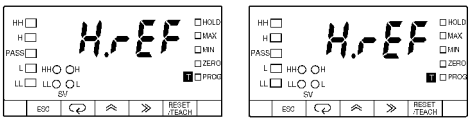
11. The process value will be displayed. Press the Mode Key to enter the process value as calibration data.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



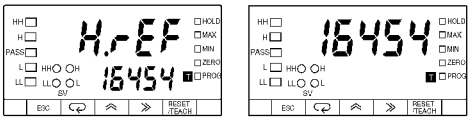
12. The H.rEF reference input signal H setting will be displayed.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



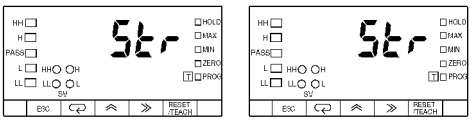
13. Press the RESET/TEACH Key and input 5.0000 V as reference input signal H.
14. The process value will be displayed. Press the Mode Key to enter the process value as calibration data.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



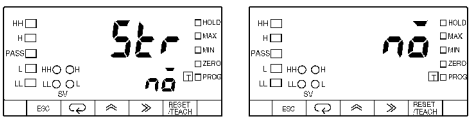
15. The prompt Str will be displayed for confirmation of the input.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



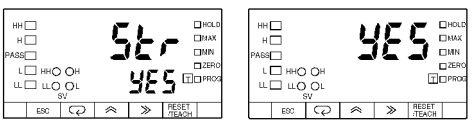
16. Press the Shift Key to answer the prompt.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



17. Press the Up Key to display YES.

Set Value LED Display Model **Basic Model**



18. Press the Mode Key to overwrite the calibration data and put the K3NX in RUN Mode. If no is selected, the calibration data will not be overwritten.

SECTION 6
BCD Output

This section provides information on the use of the K3NX with the BCD Output Board.

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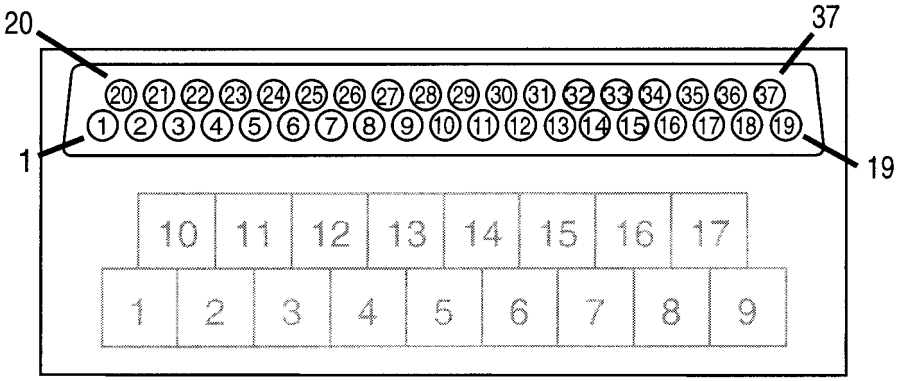
6-1 Connectors

Terminal Arrangement



Terminal number	Signal name	Signal direction	Use
1	COM	---	GND:VO (See note 1.)
2	RD1-1	Output	1: Read data 10^0 digit
3	RD1-2	Output	2: Read data 10^0 digit
4	RD1-4	Output	4: Read data 10^0 digit
5	RD1-8	Output	8: Read data 10^0 digit
6	RD2-1	Output	1: Read data 10^1 digit
7	RD2-2	Output	2: Read data 10^1 digit
8	RD2-4	Output	4: Read data 10^1 digit
9	RD2-8	Output	8: Read data 10^1 digit
10	RD3-1	Output	1: Read data 10^2 digit
11	RD3-2	Output	2: Read data 10^2 digit
12	RD3-4	Output	4: Read data 10^2 digit
13	RD3-8	Output	8: Read data 10^2 digit
14	RD4-1	Output	1: Read data 10^3 digit
15	RD4-2	Output	2: Read data 10^3 digit
16	RD4-4	Output	4: Read data 10^3 digit
17	RD4-8	Output	8: Read data 10^3 digit
18	RD5-1	Output	1: Read data 10^4 digit
19	RD5-2	Output	2: Read data 10^4 digit
20	RD5-4	Output	4: Read data 10^4 digit
21	RD5-8	Output	8: Read data 10^4 digit
22	OVER	Output	Output when input value is not within the display range.
23	D - V	Output	Data confirmation signal
24	RUN	Output	Operation signal
25	COM	---	GND:VO (See note 1.)
26	REQ	Input	PV output request
27	MAX REQ	Input	Maximum value output request
28	MIN REQ	Input	Minimum value output request
29	HOLD	Input	Hold input
30	RESET	Input	Reset input
31	POL	Output	Positive/Negative polarity signal
32	HH	Output	HH output (See note 2.)
33	H	Output	H output (See note 2.)
34	PASS	Output	PASS output (See note 2.)
35	L	Output	L output (See note 2.)

Terminal number	Signal name	Signal direction	Use
36	LL	Output	LL output (See note 2.)
37	COM	Output	GND:VO (See note 1.)

Note
1. Terminals 1, 25, and 37 have the same COM.
2. Refer to *2-3 Output Board* for comparative outputs.

Applicable Connectors

Use the connector provided with the K3NX or an equivalent connector for the cable connecting to the BCD output connector.

The following connectors are provided with the K3NX.

Plug: XM2A-3701 (OMRON)
Hood: XM2S-3711 (OMRON)

The depth required for the installation of the K3NX is 200 mm min. in consideration of the space required by the cable.

Connecting Conditions

Refer to the following for the connecting conditions of each I/O. Refer to *2-3 Output Block* for output signals HH through LL.

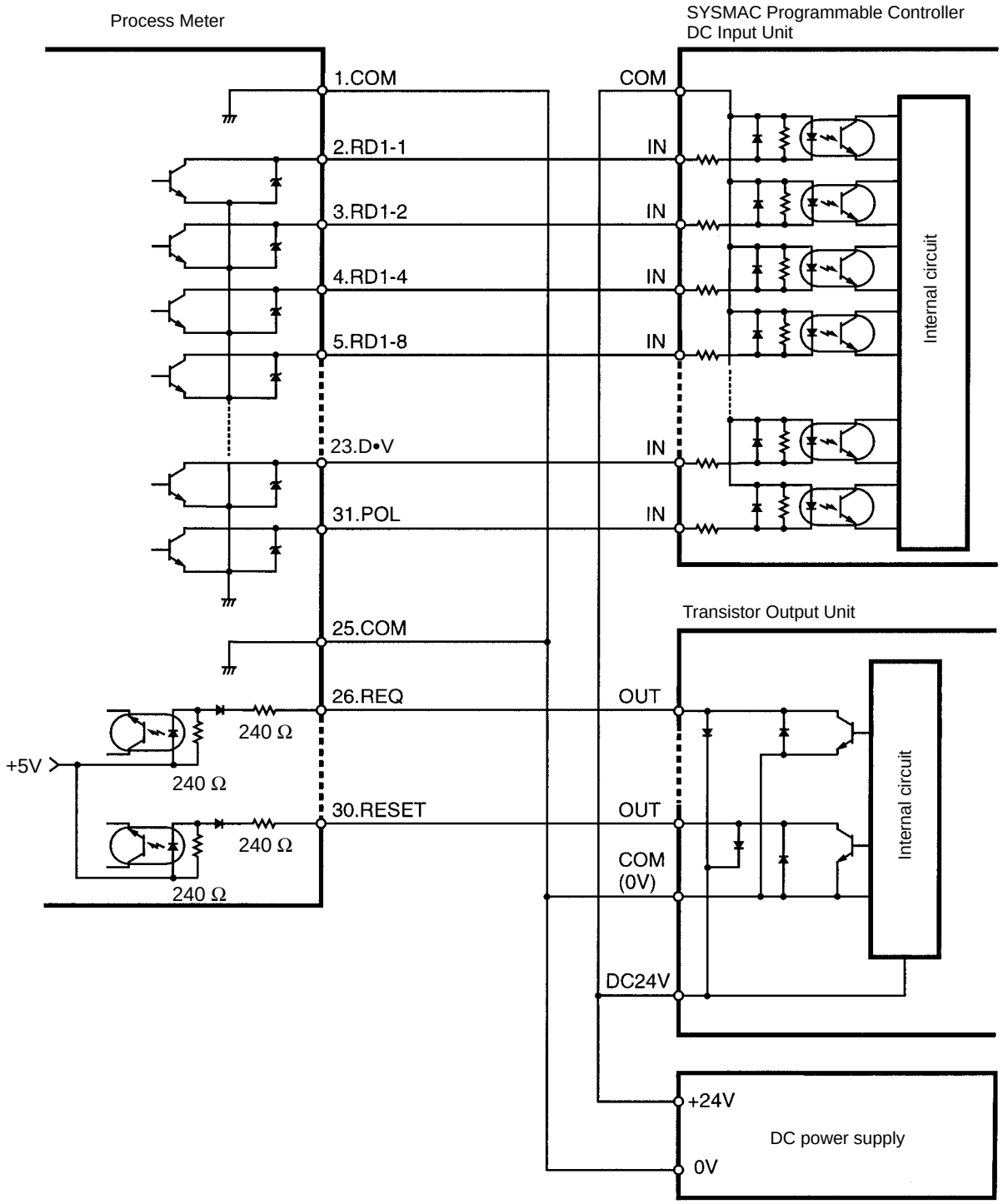
- Input

Input current with no voltage input: 10 mA
Signal level
ON voltage: 1.5 V max.
OFF voltage: 3 V min.

- Output

Rated load voltage: 24 VDC
Rated load current: 10 mA
Current leakage: 10 μA max.

Connection Example



Note
1. Connect RD2-1 through RD2-4, RD3-1 through RD3-4, RD4-1 through RD4-4, and RD5-1 through RD5-4 in the same way as RD1-1 through RD1-4.
2. Connect the RUN and OVER signals if they are used as status data.

Signals

When the HOLD signal is ON, the measurement operation stops and the process value input effective immediately before the HOLD signal is retained.

When the RESET signal is ON, the maximum and minimum values are set to the process value.

The OVER signal is ON when the input value is not within the display range.

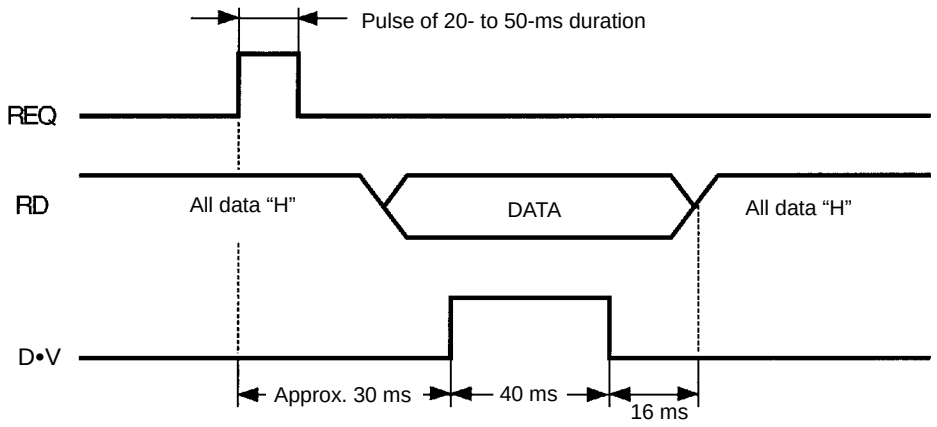
The process value is output when the MAXREQ or MINREQ signal is ON at the time the output is tested in output test.

Multiple input signals must not turn ON. If multiple input signals turn ON or a single signal input is combined with another signal input, all output data will be turned OFF.

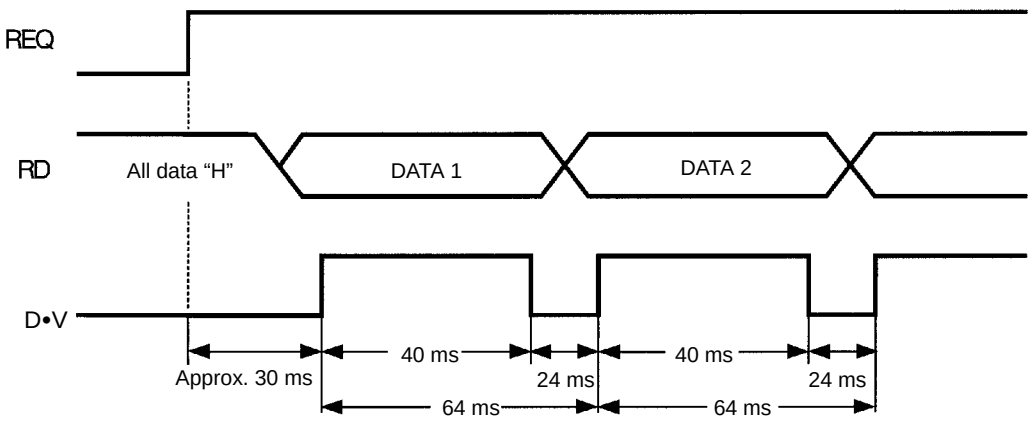
6-2 Timing Charts

When a REQ signal is input from a Programmable Controller to the K3NX in RUN or output test, the K3NX outputs a DATA VALID (D•V) signal. In other cases, the K3NX has All Signals OFF (H) output.

Refer to the following for the timing of each signal.



The REQ signal must be kept ON as shown below if the K3NX has continuous data output.



The polarity of the data must be checked with a POLARITY signal. The polarity is positive when the POLARITY signal is OFF and negative when the POLARITY signal is ON.

The K3NX in output test has test data output regardless of the type of REQ signal.

Operating Conditions

The RUN signal is turned ON in RUN or output test. The RUN signal is, however, turned OFF when an error other than overflow results.

Do not input multiple signals, otherwise all output data will be turned OFF.

SECTION 7
Troubleshooting

This section provides information for troubleshooting the K3NX.

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7-1 Items to Be Checked First

First, check the following three items if the K3NX has any problems during operation.

1, 2, 3...

1. **Power Supply**
   Be sure that power supplied to the K3NX is within the rated voltage range.
2. **Wiring**
   Be sure that the K3NX is wired correctly.
3. **Communications Conditions**
   If the model is a K3NX with the Communications Output Board, be sure that the baud rate and unit numbers are correct.

After checking and remedying the above items, if the K3NX still has problems during operation, check the error message.

7-2 Display

7-2-1 Flashing

The display will flash in the following cases.

- The input or process value is not within the display range.
  If the display flashes the output status will be as follows:

  Models with BCD Output Board: The OVER signal will be ON.

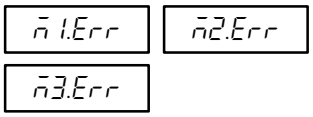
  Models with Communications Output Board: The OVER or UNDER signal will be ON and other output signals will be retained.
- The display will flash for three seconds if an attempt is made to change a setting on the K3NX. Set to remote programming to accept key input.

7-2-2 Error Message

The error condition can be checked with the error message.

The K3NX will have the following output statuses when an error message is displayed.

- HH, H, PASS, L, and LL will all be OFF.
- Linear output will be limited to the minimum value.
- The type of BCD output will be All Outputs OFF (H).
- The Unit error response will be returned from the model with a communications function.



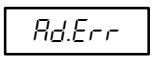
Memory Error

Meaning of Error

The internal memory has an error.

Remedy

Turn the K3NX off and on. If the memory error still exists, the K3NX will need to be repaired. If the K3NX returns to normal operation, the K3NX may have been affected by noise. Check if there is any source of noise generation near the K3NX.



AD Converter Error

Meaning of Error

The internal circuit has an error.

Remedy

Turn the K3NX off and on. If the AD converter error still exists, the K3NX will need to be repaired. If the K3NX returns to normal operation, the K3NX may have been affected by noise. Check if there is any source of noise generation near the K3NX.

Notice

When the power is turned ON for the first time after a separately purchased Output Unit is mounted to the K3N□, the following messages will be displayed.

Follow the procedures below to clear the messages.

CHG-o

Meaning of Message:
This message is displayed when the power is turned ON after an Output Unit is mounted or replaced.

It is also displayed when there is an error in the internal circuitry.

Remedy:
Press the Mode Key for less than 1 second. The K3N□ should enter RUN mode. In this case, a malfunction has not occurred.

If CHG-o continues to be displayed, turn the power OFF and ON again. If the K3N□ still fails to enter RUN mode, repairs are necessary. It is possible that noise has caused faulty operation.

Err-o

Meaning of Message:
This message will be displayed when the power is turned ON and either an incompatible Output Unit has been mounted on the K3N□ or an Output Unit has not been mounted on the K3N□ with set value LED display.

It is also displayed when there is an error in the internal circuitry.

Remedy:
Check that the Output Unit is compatible, and if it is not, turn OFF the power and replace it with a compatible one. If an Output Unit is not mounted on the K3N□ with set value LED display, turn OFF the power and mount a compatible Unit.

When the power is turned ON again, CHG-o will be displayed. If the Mode Key is pressed for less than 1 second, the K3N□ should enter RUN mode. In this case, a malfunction has not occurred.

If Err-o or CHG-o is still displayed, turn the power OFF and ON again. If the K3N□ still fails to enter RUN mode, repairs are necessary. It is possible that noise has caused faulty operation.

Appendix A
Specifications

Ratings

Supply voltage	100 to 240 VAC (50/60 Hz); 12 to 24 VDC
Operating voltage range	85% to 110% of supply voltage
Power consumption (see note)	15 VA max. (max. AC load with all indicators lit) 10 W max. (max. DC load with all indicators lit)
Sensor power supply	80 mA at 12 VDC±10% (Use a power supply of less than 50 VAC or 70 VDC for input signals.)
Insulation resistance	20 MΩ min. (at 500 VDC) between external terminal and case. Insulation provided between inputs, outputs, and power supply.
Dielectric withstand voltage	2,000 VAC for 1 min between external terminal and case. Insulation provided between inputs, outputs, and power supply.
Noise immunity	±1,500 V on power supply terminals in normal or common mode ±1 μs, 100 ns for square-wave noise with 1 ns
Vibration resistance	Malfunction: 10 to 55 Hz, 0.5-mm for 10 min each in X, Y, and Z directions Destruction: 10 to 55 Hz, 0.75-mm for 2 hrs each in X, Y, and Z directions
Shock resistance	Malfunction: 98 m/s^2 (10G) for 3 times each in X, Y, and Z directions Destruction: 294 m/s^2 (30G) for 3 times each in X, Y, and Z directions
Ambient temperature	Operating: –10°C to 55°C (with no icing) Storage: –20°C to 65°C (with no icing)
Ambient humidity	Operating: 25% to 85% (with no condensation)
Ambient atmosphere	Must be free of corrosive gas
EMC	Emission Enclosure: EN55011 Group 1 class A Emission AC Mains: EN55011 Group 1 class A Immunity ESD: EN61000-4-2: 4-kV contact discharge (level 2) 8-kV air discharge (level 3) Immunity-RF-interference: ENV50140: 10 V/m (amplitude modulated, 80 MHz to 1 GHz) (level 3) 10 V/m (pulse modulated, 900 MHz) Immunity Conducted Disturbance: ENV50141: 10 V (0.15 to 80 MHz) (level 3) Immunity Burst: EN61000-4-4: 2-kV power-line (level 3) 2-kV I/O signal-line (level 4)
Approved standards	UL508, CSA22.2; conforms to EN50081-2, EN50082-2, EN61010-1 (IEC61010-1); conforms to VDE106/part 100 (Finger Protection) when the terminal cover is mounted.
Weight	Approx. 400 g

Note An Intelligent Signal Processor with DC supply voltage requires approximately 1 A DC as control power supply current the moment the Intelligent Signal Processor is turned on. Do not forget to take this into consideration when using several Intelligent Signal Processors. When the Intelligent Signal Processor is not in measuring operation (e.g., the Intelligent Signal Processor has been just turned on or is operating for start-up compensation time), the display will read "□□□□□" and all outputs will be OFF.

Input/Output Ratings

Relay Contact Output
(Incorporating a G6B Relay)

Item	Resistive load (cosϕ = 1)	Inductive load (cosϕ = 0.4, L/R = 7 ms)
Rated load	5 A at 250 VAC; 5 A at 30 VDC	1.5 A at 250 VAC, 1.5 A at 30 VDC
Rated carry current	5 A max. (at COM terminal)	
Max. contact voltage	380 VAC, 125 VDC	
Max. contact current	5 A max. (at COM terminal)	
Max. switching capacity	1,250 VA, 150 W	375 VA, 80 W
Min. permissible load (P level, reference value)	10 mA at 5 VDC	
Mechanical life	50,000,000 times min. (at a switching frequency of 18,000 times/hr)	
Electrical life (at an ambient temperature of 23°C)	100,000 times min. (at a rated load switching frequency of 1,800 times/hr)	

Transistor Output

Rated load voltage	24 VDC max.
Max. load current	50 mA
Leakage current	100 μA max.

BCD Output

I/O signal name		Item	Rating
Inputs	REQUEST, HOLD, MAX, MIN, RESET	Input signal	No-voltage contact input
		Input current with no-voltage input	10 mA
		Signal level	ON voltage: 1.5 V max. OFF voltage: 3 V min.
Outputs	DATA, POLARITY, OVERFLOW, DATA VALID, RUN	Rated load voltage	24 VDC max.
		Max. load current	10 mA
		Leakage current	100 μA max.

Note Logic method: negative logic

Linear Output

Item	4 to 20 mA	1 to 5 V	1 mV/10 digits (see note)
Resolution	4,096		
Output error	±0.5% FS		±1.5% FS
Permissible load resistance	600 Ω max.	500 Ω min.	1 KΩ min.

Note For the 1 mV/10-digit output, the output voltage changes for every 40 to 50 increment in the display value.

Communications

Item		RS-232C, RS-422	RS-485
Transmission method		4-wire, half-duplex	2-wire, half-duplex
Synchronization method		Start-stop synchronization	
Baud rate		1,200/2,400/4,800/9,600/19,200/38,400 bps	
Transmission code		ASCII (7-bit)	
Communications	**Write to K3NX**	Comparative set value, scaling value, remote/local programming, forced zero control, reset control of maximum/minimum values, and other setting mode items excluding communications conditions.	
	Read from K3NX	Process value, comparative set value, maximum value, minimum value, model data, error code, and others	

Note For details, refer to *Communication Operation Manual.*

Characteristics

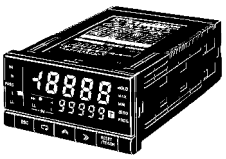
Input signal	DC voltage/current, AC voltage/current
A/D conversion	16-bit resolution double integral method
Sampling period	50 Hz: 12.5 times/s; 60 Hz: 15 times/s (selectable)
Display refresh period	Sampling period (sampling times multiplied by number of averaging times if simple average processing is selected.)
Max. displayed digits	5 digits (–19999 to 99999)
Display	7-segment LED
Polarity display	"–" is displayed automatically with a negative input signal.
Zero display	Leading zeros are not displayed.
Scaling function	Programmable with front-panel key inputs (range of display: –19999 to 99999). The decimal point position can be set freely.
HOLD function	Maximum hold (maximum data) Minimum hold (minimum data)
External controls	HOLD: (Process value held) RESET: (Maximum/Minimum data reset) ZERO: (Forced zero)
Comparative output hysteresis setting	Programmable with front-panel key inputs (1 to 9999).
Other functions	Variable linear output range (for models with linear outputs only) Remote/Local processing (available for communications output models only) Maximum/Minimum value data reset with front panel keys Forced-zero set with front panel keys Averaging processing function (simple or moving average) Startup compensation time (0.0 to 99.9 s) Comparative output pattern selection Security Field calibration
Output configuration	Relay contact output (3 or 5 outputs) Transistor output (NPN and PNP open collector), BCD (NPN open collector) Parallel BCD (NPN open collector) + transistor output (NPN open collector) Linear output (4 to 20 mA, 1 to 5 V) + transistor output (NPN open collector) Communication functions (RS-232C, RS-485, RS-422) Communication functions (RS-232C, RS-485, RS-422) + transistor output (NPN open collector)
Delay in comparative outputs (transistor output)	DC input: 200 ms max. AC input: 400 ms max.
Enclosure ratings	Front panel: NEMA4X for indoor use (equivalent to IP66) Rear case: IEC standard IP20 Terminals: IEC standard IP00
Memory protection	Non-volatile memory (EEPROM) (possible to rewrite 100,000 times)

Appendix B
List of Settings

Menu	Parameter		Setting range	Unit	Set value
SuSEt Setting values menu	Su.HH	HH set value	–19999 to 99999	---	
	Su. H	H set value	–19999 to 99999	---	
	Su. L	L set value	–19999 to 99999	---	
	Su.LL	LL set value	–19999 to 99999	---	
SCALE Scaling menu	InP.2	Input value 2	–19999 to 99999	---	
	dSP.2	Display value 2	–19999 to 99999	---	
	InP. 1	Input value 1	–19999 to 99999	---	
	dSP. 1	Display value 1	–19999 to 99999	---	
	dEC-P	Decimal point position	oooooo/o.oooo/oo.ooo/ooo.oo/oooo.o		
SEtUP Setup menu	In-t	Input range	DC voltage input: R ud to E ud DC current input: R Rd to d Rd AC voltage input: R uR to d uR AC current input: R RR to d RR	---	
	FrE	Power supply frequency	50/60	Hz	
	U-no	Communications unit no.	00 to 99	---	
	bPS	Baud rate	1200/2400/4800/9600/19200/ 38400	bps	
	LEn	Word length	7/8	bit	
	Sbit	Stop bits	1/2	bit	
	Prty	Parity bits	None/Even/Odd	---	
oPt Option menu	AuG	Average processing	No average processing Movement average processing: 2, 4, 8, 16, or 32 times Simple average processing: 2, 4, 8, 16, or 32 times	---	
	StInE	Startup compensation time	0.0 to 99.9	s	
	HIS	Hysteresis	1 to 9999	---	
	C-oUt	Comparative output pattern	Standard output, zone output, or level output	---	
	SLEEtY	H linear output range	–19999 to 99999	---	
	SLEEtY	L linear output range	–19999 to 99999	---	
	r-L	Remote/local programming	Remote or local programming	---	

Appendix C
Available Models

Base Units

Model	Input type	Supply voltage	
		100 to 240 VAC	12 to 24 VDC
Basic Models These models provide a process value LED and front-panel control keys. Can be connected to available Output Board, or can be used for display only without an Output Board.	DC voltage	K3NX-VD1A	K3NX-VD2A
	DC current	K3NX-AD1A	K3NX-AD2A
	AC voltage	K3NX-VA1A	K3NX-VA2A
	AC current	K3NX-AA1A	K3NX-AA2A
Set Value LED Models These models provide a process value LED, set value LED, and front-panel control keys. Can be connected to Relay Contact, Transistor, or Combination Output Boards. 	DC voltage	K3NX-VD1C	K3NX-VD2C
	DC current	K3NX-AD1C	K3NX-AD2C
	AC voltage	K3NX-VA1C	K3NX-VA2C
	AC current	K3NX-AA1C	K3NX-AA2C

Available Output Board Combinations

Output type	Output configuration	Output boards	Base units	
			Basic	Set Value LED Display
Relay contact	3 outputs: H, PASS, L (SPDT)	K31-C1	Yes	Yes
	5 outputs: HH, H, L, LL (SPST-NO), and PASS (SPDT)	K31-C2	Yes	Yes
	5 outputs: HH, H, L, LL (SPST-NC), and PASS (SPDT)	K31-C5	Yes	Yes
Transistor	5 outputs (NPN open collector)	K31-T1	Yes	Yes
	5 outputs (PNP open collector)	K31-T2	Yes	Yes
BCD (see note)	5-digit output (NPN open collector)	K31-B2	Yes	---
Linear	4 to 20 mA DC	K31-L1	Yes	---
	1 to 5 VDC	K31-L2	Yes	---
	1 mV/10 digits	K31-L3	Yes	---
	0 to 5 VDC	K31-L7	Yes	---
	0 to 10 VDC	K31-L8	Yes	---
Communication boards (see note)	RS-232C	K31-FLK1	Yes	---
	RS-485	K31-FLK2	Yes	---
	RS-422	K31-FLK3	Yes	---
Combination output and communication boards	BCD output + 5 transistor outputs (NPN open collector)	K31-B4	Yes	Yes
	4 to 20 mA + 5 transistor outputs (NPN open collector)	K31-L4	Yes	Yes
	1 to 5 V + 5 transistor outputs (NPN open collector)	K31-L5	Yes	Yes
	1 mV/10 digits + 5 transistor outputs (NPN open collector)	K31-L6	Yes	Yes
	0 to 5 VDC + 5 transistor outputs (NPN open collector)	K31-L9	Yes	Yes
	0 to 10 VDC + 5 transistor outputs (NPN open collector)	K31-L10	Yes	Yes
	RS-232C + 5 transistor outputs (NPN open collector)	K31-FLK4	Yes	Yes
	RS-485 + 5 transistor outputs (NPN open collector)	K31-FLK5	Yes	Yes
	RS-422 + 5 transistor outputs (NPN open collector)	K31-FLK6	Yes	Yes

Note For details, refer to the *Communication Operation Manual.*

Model Number Legend

Base Units and Output Boards can be ordered individually or as sets. Refer to the *Available Output Board Combinations* table on page 101.

Base Units
K3NX - □ □ □ □
1 2 3 4

Output Boards
K31 - □ □ □ □
5 6 7 8

Base Units with Output Boards
K3NX - □ □ □ □ - □ □ □ □
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8

1, 2. Input Sensors Codes

VD: DC voltage input
AD: DC current input
VA: AC voltage input
AA: AC current input

3. Supply Voltage

1: 100 to 240 VAC
2: 12 to 24 VDC

4. Display

A: Basic
C: Set Value LED Display

5, 6, 7, 8. Output Type Codes

C1: 3 comparative relay contact outputs (H, PASS, L: SPDT)
C2: 5 comparative relay contact outputs (HH, H, L, LL: SPST-NO; PASS: SPDT)
C5: 5 comparative relay contact outputs (HH, H, L, LL: SPST-NC; PASS: SPDT)
T1: 5 comparative transistor outputs (NPN open collector)
T2: 5 comparative transistor outputs (PNP open collector)
B2: BCD output (NPN open collector) (see note)
B4: BCD output + 5 transistor outputs (NPN open collector)
L1: Linear output (4 to 20 mA) (see note)
L2: Linear output (1 to 5 VDC) (see note)
L3: Linear output (1 mV/10 digits) (see note)
L4: Linear output, 4 to 20 mA + 5 transistor outputs (NPN open collector)
L5: Linear output, 1 to 5 V + 5 transistor outputs (NPN open collector)
L6: Linear output, 1 mV/10 digits+ 5 transistor outputs (NPN open collector)
L7: Linear output, 0 to 5 VDC (see note)
L8: Linear output, 0 to 10 VDC (see note)
L9: Linear output, 0 to 5 VDC + 5 transistor outputs (NPN open collector)
L10: Linear output, 0 to 10 VDC + 5 transistor outputs (NPN open collector)
FLK1: Communication RS-232C (see note)
FLK2: Communication RS-485 (see note)
FLK3: Communication RS-422 (see note)
FLK4: RS-232C + 5 transistor outputs (NPN open collector)
FLK5: RS-485 + 5 transistor outputs (NPN open collector)
FLK6: RS-422 + 5 transistor outputs (NPN open collector)

Note These output types are available on Basic Models only.

Appendix D
Available Parameters

Available parameters vary with the output board of the K3NX and are indicated as “YES” in the following table.

Setting Mode

Menu	Parameter		Output Board							
			No output	C1/C2 /C5/T1 /T2	B2	B4	L1/ L2/ L3/L7/ L8	L4/L5/ L6/L9/ L10	FLK1/ FLK2/ FLK3	FLK4/ FLK5/ FLK6
SuSEt Setting values menu	Su.HH	HH set value		YES (note 1)		YES		YES		YES
	Su. H	H set value		YES		YES		YES		YES
	Su. L	L set value		YES		YES		YES		YES
	Su.LL	LL set value		YES (note 1)		YES		YES		YES
SCALE Scaling menu	InP.2	Input value 2	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
	dSP.2	Display value 2	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
	InP. 1	Input value 1	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
	dSP. 1	Display value 1	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
	dEC-P	Decimal point position	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
SEtUP Setup menu	In-t	Input range	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
	FrE	Power supply frequency	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
	U-no	Communications unit no.							YES	YES
	bPS	Baud rate							YES	YES
	LEn	Word length							YES	YES
	Sbit	Stop bits							YES	YES
	PrtY	Parity bits							YES	YES
oPt Option menu	Avg	Average processing	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
	StInE	Startup compensation time	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
	HYS	Hysteresis		YES		YES		YES		YES
	C-oUt	Comparative output pattern		YES		YES		YES		YES
	LSEt.H	H linear output range					YES (note 2)	YES (note 2)		
	LSEt.L	L linear output range					YES (note 2)	YES (note 2)		
	r-L	Remote or local programming							YES	YES
tESt Output test				YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES

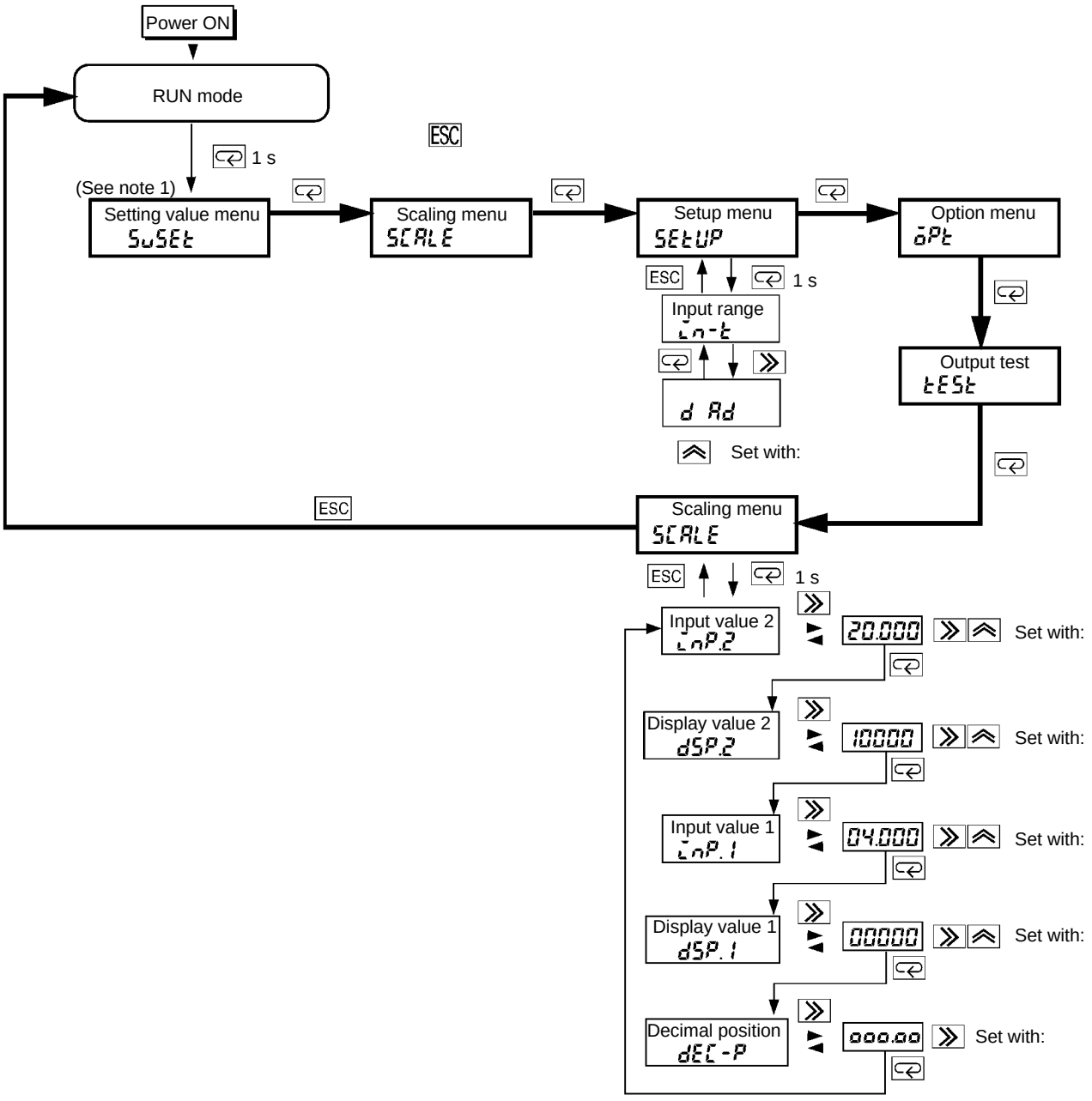
Note 1. The HH and LL set values cannot be set with the K31-C1 Output Board.
2. The linear output range cannot be set with K31-L3 and K31-L6 Output Boards.

Protect Mode

Menu	Parameter		Output Board							
			No output	**C1/C2 /C5/T1 /T2**	**B2**	**B4**	**L1/ L2/ L3**	**L4/L5/ L6/L7/ L8/L9 L10**	**FLK1/ FLK2/ FLK3**	**FLK4/ FLK5/ FLK6**
PrōŁ Protect menu	ALL	All key protect	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
	SuSEŁ	Set value change prohibit		YES		YES		YES		YES
	ƎEroō	Forced-zero prohibit	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
	ōō.rSŁ	Maximum/Minimum value clear prohibit	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
	SECr	Security	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES

Appendix E
Setting Examples

With the K3NX-AD□A, the input of 4 to 20 mA can be converted and displayed within a range of 0 to 100.00 as shown below.

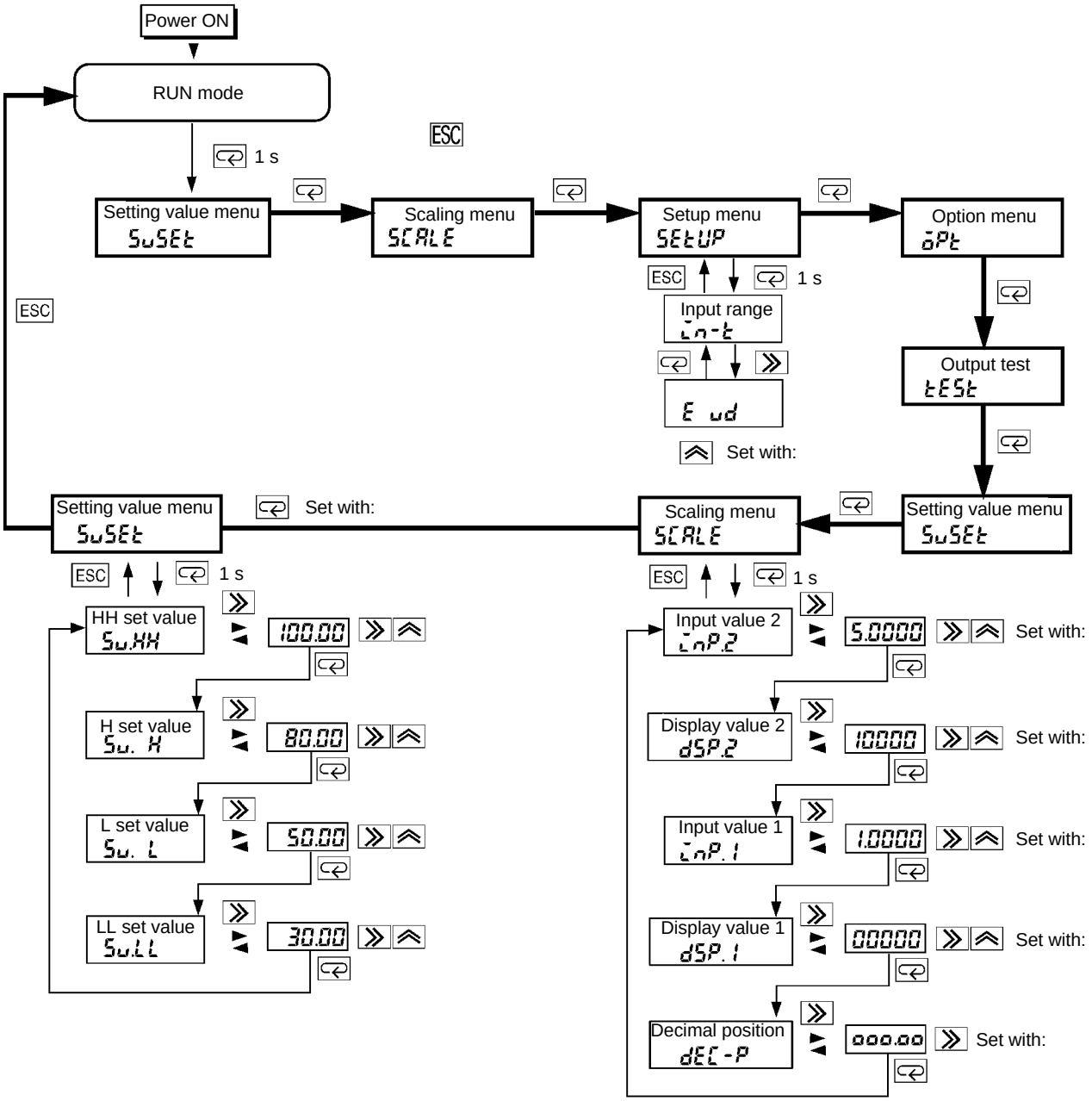


Note 1. First set the input range because all the parameters are initialized when the input range settings are changed.

2. If no operation is executed for five seconds after changing the settings, the set values will be validated automatically and will be displayed.

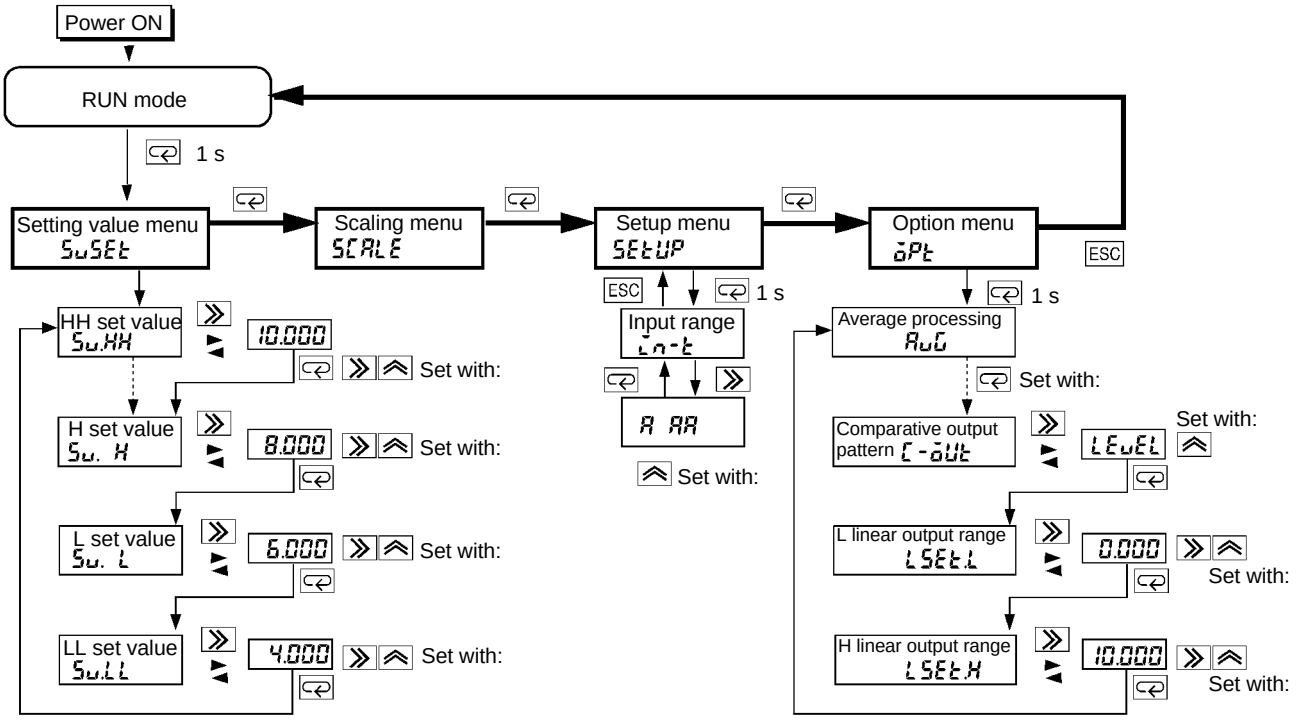
With the K3NX-VD□A-C2, the input of 1 to 5 V can be converted and displayed within a range of 0 to 100.00 and can be output as follows according to the following procedure:

HH output for a display value larger than 100.00
H output for a display value larger than 80.00
L output for a display value smaller than 50.00
LL output for a display value of smaller than 30.00



With the K3NX-AA□C-L4, the input of 0 to 10 A can be converted and displayed within a range of 0.000 to 10.000 and can be output in the range of 4 to 20 mA in proportion to the change in display value according to the following conditions.

Output Pattern Selection: Level output
LL output for a display value of larger than 4.000
L output for a display value of larger than 6.000
H output for a display value of larger than 8.000
HH output for a display value of larger than 10.000



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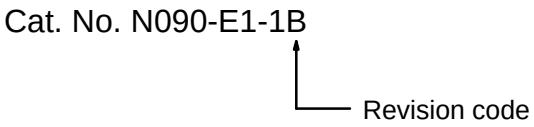

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