Model TBC-41 Board PID Temperature Control

**Design Features**
- Easy to use high performance at a low price
- Fuzzy logic PID heat and cool control
- Fast A-D sampling rate (5 samples/second)
- Universal Sensor Input (PT-100 RTD, thermocouple) with high accuracy 18-bit A-D Converter
- Analog output (linear current or voltage) uses high accuracy 15-bit D-A Converter
- Optional RS-232 or RS-485 communications interface
- Universal input power—90-250 VAC 50/60HZ or 11-26 VAC/VDC
- Programming port provided on board
- Supports manual control & auto-tune functions
- Wide variety of alarm mode selections
- Lockout Protection
- Bumpless transfer
- Soft-start ramp and dwell timer
- Bright 0.55” (14 mm) red LED process display
- Available from Stock
- Agency Approvals:

**Output 1**
- 1 = Relay: 2A / 240 VAC
- 2 = Pulse DC for SSR drive: 5 VDC (30 mA max)
- 3 = Isolated 4-20 mA (default), 0-20 mA
- 4 = Isolated VDC, 1-5 (default), 0-5
- 5 = Isolated VDC, 0-10
- 6 = Triac-SSR output 1A / 240 VAC
- 7 = Isolated 24V @ 25 mA DC, Output Power Supply
- 8 = Isolated 12V @ 40 mA DC, Output Power Supply
- 9 = Isolated 5V @ 80 mA DC, Output Power Supply
- C = Pulse DC for SSR drive: 14 VDC (40 mA max)

**Output 2**
- 0 = None
- 1 = Relay: 2A / 240 VAC Form A
- 2 = Pulse DC for SSR drive: 5 VDC (30 mA max)
- 3 = Isolated 4-20 mA (default), 0-20 mA
- 4 = Isolated VDC, 1-5 (default), 0-5
- 5 = Isolated VDC, 0-10
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- 9 = Isolated 5V @ 80 mA DC, Output Power Supply
- C = Pulse DC for SSR drive: 14 VDC (40 mA max)

**Power Input**
- 4 = 90-250 VAC, 50-60 Hz
- 5 = 11-26 VAC / VDC

**Signal Input**
- 1 = Thermocouple: J (default), K, T, E, B, R, S, N, L, RTD PT100 DIN
- 2 = 0-50mV
- 3 = 0-5 VDC
- 4 = 1-5 VDC
- 5 = 4-20 mA
- 6 = 0-20 mA
- 7 = 0-10 VDC
- 8 = Other

**Alarm**
- 0 = None
- 1 = Relay: 2A / 240 VAC, Form C

**Communication**
- 0 = None
- 1 = RS-485 Interface
- 2 = RS-232 Interface
- 3 = Retransmission 4-20 mA (default), 0-20 mA
- 4 = Retransmission 1-5 VDC (default), 0-5 VDC
- 5 = Retransmission 0-10 VDC

**Display Board and Cable**
- 0 = None
- 3 = With Display Board and 12” (300 mm) Cable (default)
  Consult Tempco for other cable lengths.

**Ordering Code:**

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**List Prices Starting at $140.00**
**Quantity Discounts Available!**

**Board Control Fuzzy Logic PID, Configurable for 4 Programmable Outputs!**

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**WARNING:** Cancer and Reproductive Harm - www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

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The new Tempco TBC-41 PID board temperature controller has been designed to be built into equipment by OEMs. This highly accurate electronic controller can easily be installed behind an overlay or control panel to allow for a very smooth and built-in look. Its many features can easily control electric or gas heating & cooling devices.

The fuzzy logic plus PID microprocessor-based controller series incorporates two bright, easy to read 4-digit LED displays, indicating process value and setpoint value. The fuzzy logic technology enables a process to reach a predetermined setpoint in the shortest time with the minimum of overshoot during power-up or external load disturbance.

The unit is powered by 11-26 or 90-250 VDC /VAC supply. The second output can be used as cooling control or an alarm. Both outputs can select relay, triac, 5V logic output, linear current or linear voltage to drive an external device. There are six types of alarms, plus a dwell timer, that can be configured for the third output. The units are fully programmable for PT100 and thermocouple types J, K, T, E, B, R, S, N and L. The input signal is digitized by using an 18-bit A to D converter. Its fast sampling rate allows the unit to control fast processes.

Optional digital communications via RS-485 or RS-232 are available. These options allow the units to be integrated with supervisory control systems and software.

A programming port is available for automatic configuration, calibration and testing without the need to access the keys on the front panel.

By using proprietary fuzzy logic modified PID technology, this control will minimize the overshoot and undershoot in the shortest time.

High Accuracy
The TBC series controls are manufactured with custom designed ASIC (Application Specific Integrated Circuit) technology which contains an 18-bit A to D converter for high resolution measurement (true 0.1°F resolution for thermocouple and PT100) and a 15-bit D to A converter for linear current or voltage control output. The ASIC technology provides improved operating performance, low cost, enhanced reliability and higher density.

Fast Sampling Rate
The sampling rate of the input A to D converter is 5 samples/second. The fast sampling rate allows this series to control fast processes.

Fuzzy Control
The function of fuzzy logic control is to continually vary the PID parameters in a slight manner to allow for a more precise control of your process, over time. Also, this allows your process to reach the setpoint in the shortest amount of time with minimal overshoot during initial heat-up or setpoint and load changes.

Digital Communication
Optional RS-232 or RS-485 interface modules allow for Modbus RTU digital communications. The RS-485 interface allows for a maximum of 247 controllers to be connected to a host computer.

Programming Port
A programming port is used to connect the unit to a PC for quick configuration.

Auto-tune
The auto-tune function allows the user to simplify initial setup for a new system. A clever algorithm is provided to obtain an optimal set of control parameters for the process, it can be applied either as the process is warming up (cold start) or if the process has been in steady state (warm start).

Lockout Protection
According to the actual security requirement, one of four lockout levels can be selected to prevent the unit from being changed by unauthorized persons.

Bumpless Transfer
Bumpless transfer allows the controller to continue to control by using its previous value if the sensor breaks. Hence, the process can be well controlled temporarily.

Soft-start Ramp
The ramping function can be performed during power-up as well as any time the setpoint is changed. The ramp function works during heat-up and cool-down.

Digital Filter
A first order low pass filter with a programmable time constant is used to improve the stability of process value. This is particularly useful in certain applications where the process value is too unstable to read.

SEL Function
The units have the flexibility for the user to move as many as 8 parameters, which are the most significant, from the set-up menu and place them in the front of the display sequence in the user menu.
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**TBC-41 Board PID Control**

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**Power**
90-250 VAC, 47-63 Hz, 12VA, 5W max.
11-26 VAC / VDC, SELV, Limited Energy, 12VA, 5W max.

**Input**
Resolution: 18 bits
Sampling Rate: 5 samples/second
Max. Rating: -2 VDC min, 12 VDC max.
(1 minute for mA input)
Temperature Effect: ±1.5uV/ °C for all inputs except mA
±3.0uV/ °C for mA input

**Sensor Lead Resistance Effect:**
- T/C: 0.2uV/ohm
- 3-wire RTD: 2.6°C/ohm of resistance difference of two leads
- 2-wire RTD: 2.6°C/ohm of resistance sum of two leads

**Burn-out Current:** 200 mA

**Common Mode Rejection Ratio (CMRR):** 120dB

**Normal Mode Rejection Ratio (NMRR):** 55dB

**Sensor Break Detection:**
Sensor open for TC, RTD and mV inputs
Sensor short for RTD input
Below 1 mA for 4-20 mA input
Below 0.25V for 1-5 V input
Unavailable for other inputs

**Sensor Break Responding Time:**
Within 4 seconds for TC, RTD and mV inputs
Within 1 second for 4-20 mA and 1-5 V inputs

**Output 1 / Output 2**
Relay Rating: 2A/240 VAC, life cycles 200,000 for resistive load
Pulsed Voltage: Source Voltage 5V
- current limiting resistance 66Ω

**Linear Output**
Resolution: 15 bits
Output Regulation: 0.02% for full load change
Output Setting Time: 0.1 sec. (stable to 99.9%) (1 minute for mA input)
Isolation Breakdown Voltage: 1000 VAC min.
Temperature Effect: ±0.01% of SPAN / °C

**Triac (SSR) Output**
Rating: 1A / 240 VAC
Inrush Current: 20A for 1 cycle
Min. Load Current: 50 mA rms
Max. Off-state Leakage: 3 mA rms
Max. On-state Voltage: 1.5 V rms
Insulation Resistance: 1000 Mohms min. at 500 VDC
Dielectric Strength: 2500 VAC for 1 minute

**Alarm**
Alarm Relay: Form C Rating
2A/240VAC, life cycles 200,000 for resistive load

**Alarm Functions:**
- Dwell timer, Deviation High / Low Alarm
- Deviation Band High / Low Alarm
- PV High / Low Alarm

**Alarm Mode:** Normal, Latching, Hold, Latching / Hold
Dwell Timer: 0.1-4553.6 minutes

**Data Communication**
Interface: RS-232 (1 unit), RS-485 (up to 247 units)
Protocol: Modbus Protocol RTU mode
Address: 1-247
Baud Rate: 2.4~38.4 Kbits/sec
Data Bits: 7 or 8 bits
Parity Bit: None, Even or Odd
Stop Bit: 1 or 2 bits
Communication Buffer: 160 bytes

**Analog Retransmission**
Output Signal: 4-20 mA, 0-20 mA, 0-5V
1 - 5V, 0 - 10V
Resolution: 15 bits
Accuracy: ±0.05% of span ±0.0025%/ °C

**Load Resistance:**
- 0 - 500 ohms (for current output)
- 10 K ohms minimum (for voltage output)

**Output Regulation:** 0.01% for full load change
Output Setting Time: 0.1 sec. (stable to 99.9%)
Isolation Breakdown Voltage: 1000 VAC min.
Integral Linearity Error: ±0.005% of span
Temperature Effect: ±0.0025% of span / °C
Saturation Low: 0 mA (or 0V)
Saturation High: 22.2 mA (or 5.55V, 11.1V min.)
Linear Output Range: 0-22.2mA (0-20mA or 4-20mA)
0-5.55V (0-5V, 1-5V)
0-11.1 V (0-10V)

**User Interface**
Dual 4-digit LED Displays
Keypad: 4 keys
Programming Port: For automatic setup, calibration and testing
Communication Port: Connection to PC for supervisory control

**Control Mode**
Output 1: Reverse (heating) or direct (cooling) action
Output 2: PID cooling control, cooling P band 50~300% of PB, dead band -36.0~36.0% of PB
ON-OFF: 0.1-90.0 (°F) hysteresis control (P band = 0)
P or PD: 0-100.0% offset adjustment
PID: Fuzzy Logic modified
- Proportional band 0.1~900.0°F
- Integral time 0-3600 seconds
- Derivative time 0-360.0 seconds
Cycle Time: 0.1-90.0 seconds
Manual Control: Heat (MV1) and Cool (MV2)
Auto-tuning: Cold start and warm start
Failure Mode: Auto-transfer to manual mode while sensor break or A-D converter damage
Ramping Control: 0-900.0°F/minute or 0-900.0°F/hour ramp rate

**Digital Filter**
Function: First order
Time Constant: 0, 0.2, 0.5, 1, 2, 5, 10, 20, 30, 60 seconds programmable

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Environmental & Physical
Operating Temperature: -10°C to 50°C
Storage Temperature: -40°C to 60°C
Humidity: 0 to 90% RH (non-condensing)
Altitude: 2000m maximum
Pollution: Degree 2
Insulation Resistance: 20 Mohms min. (at 500 VDC)
Dielectric Strength: 2000 VAC, 50/60 Hz for 1 minute
Vibration Resistance: 10-55 Hz, 10 m/s² for 2 hours
Shock Resistance: 200 m/s² (20 g)
Approval Standard
EMC: EN61326

Control Board Overlay Dimensions (mm)

Control PC Board Dimensions (mm)