

- Fairbanks Scales approach to digital technology for scales.
- Digital signal from cells to Instument common in various forms.



What is it ?

An <u>advanced digital technology</u> for weighing equipment, providing outstanding <u>resolution</u>, accuracy and performance !



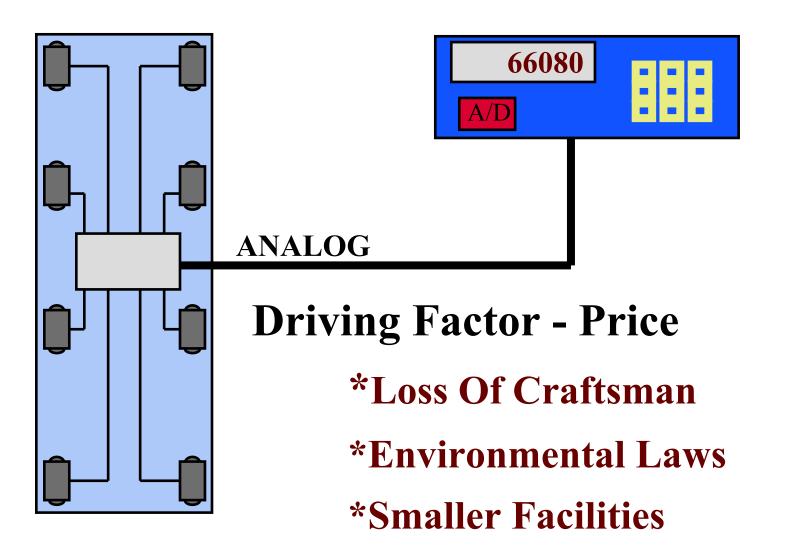
Digital Technology !

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1970's Digital Weighing Systems



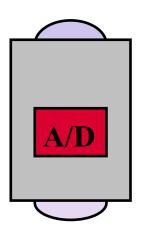


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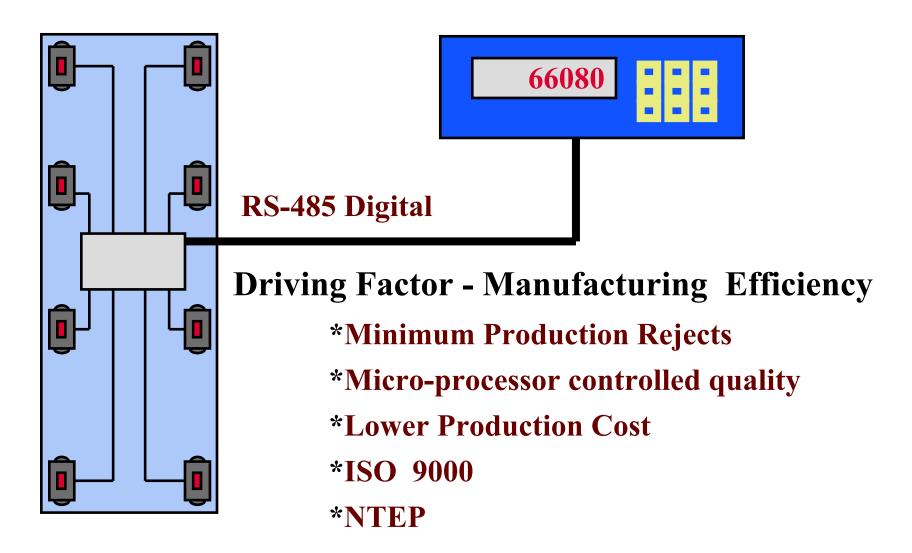
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1990 Digital output cells, converter in cells lower manufacturing cost





Early 90's Digital Load Cell Systems

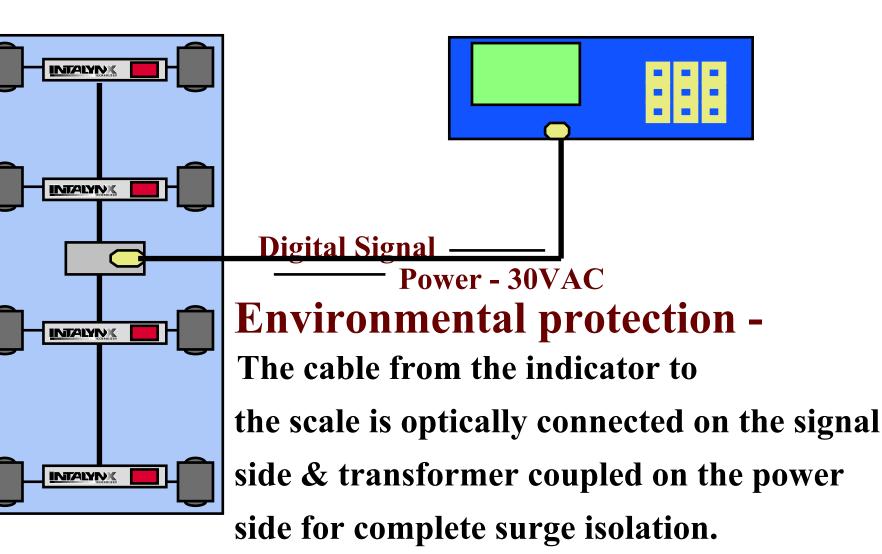




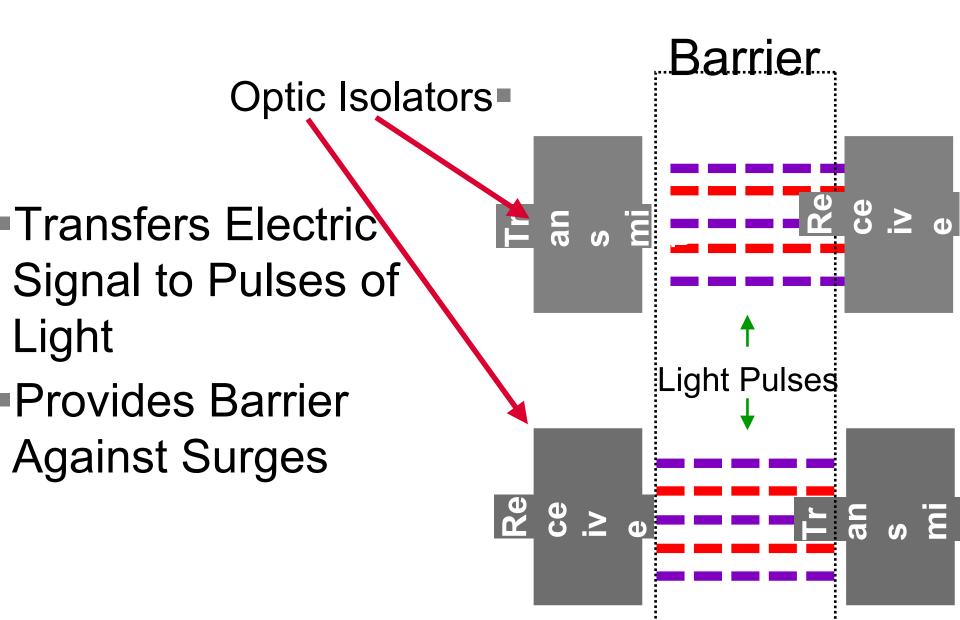
Advanced digital technology? **1995 INTALOGIX Technology: Converter is separate component.** Analog load cells are isolated from power surges. "Instrument" is microprocessor only. The result is a high resolution, high accuracy, environmentally protected system !







Optic Isolation



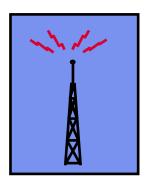


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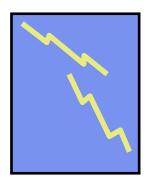
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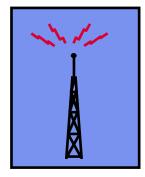
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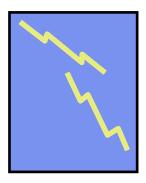


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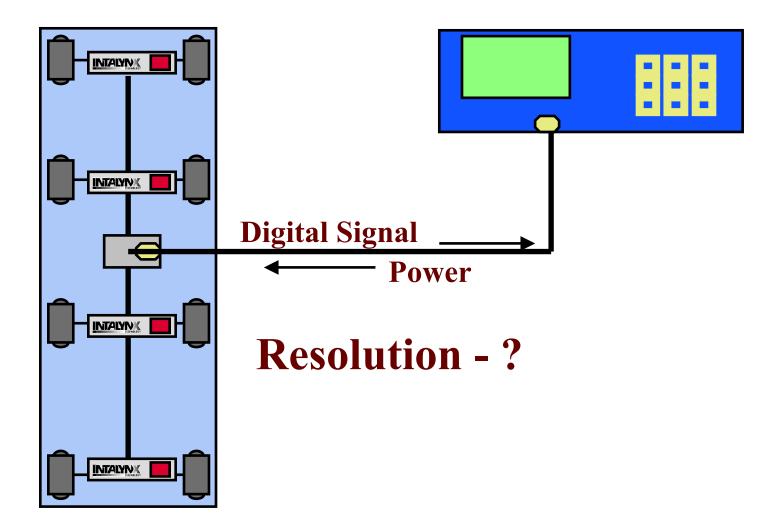
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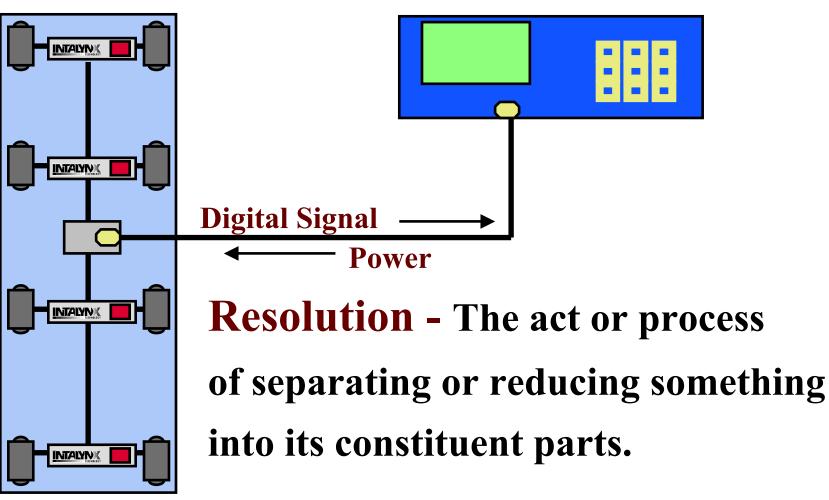


Water Resistance - Smart Sectional Controllers and Power Supply in NEMA 4X



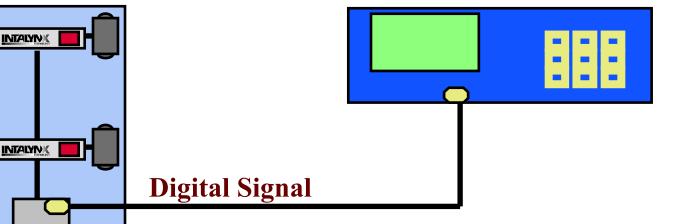


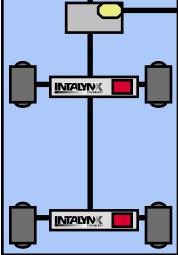




American Heritage Dictionary







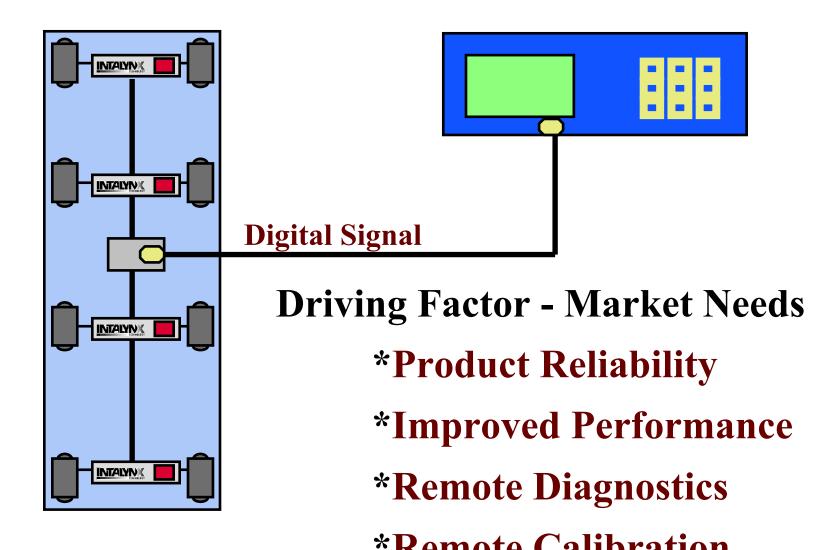
Resolution – The load cells are multiplexed individually by the *INTALOGIX* smart sectional controllers (SSC) and each converted to RS-485 digital signal for processing by the instrument.



Resolution:

*Each load cell independent >Higher Signal Level ~Greater Stability ~Smaller Division Size * **>Simplified Diagnostics** ~Track Load Cell Performance **>Precision Calibration** ~Individual Cell Level >Multiple Scale ~Indonandant of call characteristics





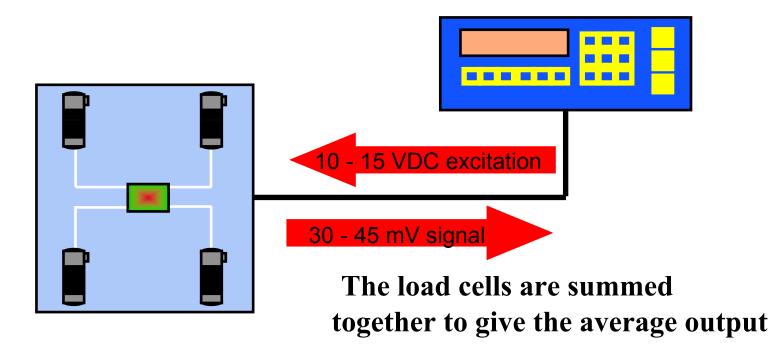
Digital Technology FEATURES

- Digital signal from scale to instrument
 - f Allows better resolution
 - f Increased accuracy
 - f Stronger Signal
 - –Analog = 30 to 45 mV at Capacity corresponding to the amount of weight on platform
 - -Digital (Intalogix) = 5 VDC Zero to Capacity regardless of weight

Digital Technology Analog Comparison

- Analog Technology weak signal between instrument and platform
 - f 30 45 mV at capacity
- nstrument provides 10 VDC excitation oad cells have a 3mV/V rating 30 mV at capacity
 - NOTE:
 - Some instruments use a 15 VDC excitation This would result in a 45 mV signal at capacity

Analog Technology



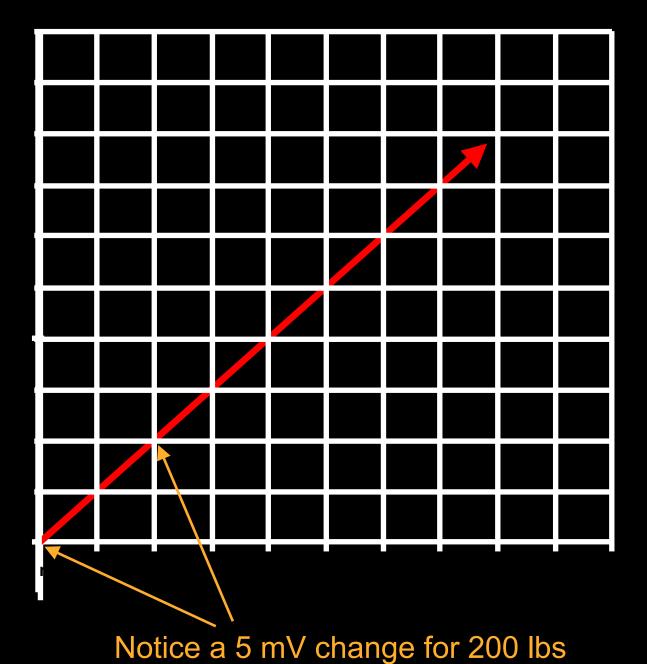
Digital Technology Analog Comparison

- What about at 'zero' weight or half capacity?
 - f 30 45 mV at capacity
- First lets assume the scale is linear
- Meaning ... As weight is added, the signal should also increase proportionally

Digital Technology Analog Comparison

- If the floor scale is at 'zero', the mV signal will be somewhere around 0 to 5 mV
- This is due to the weight of the platform itself setting on the load cells
- As weight is added, the signal will increase

Sample Linearity Graph



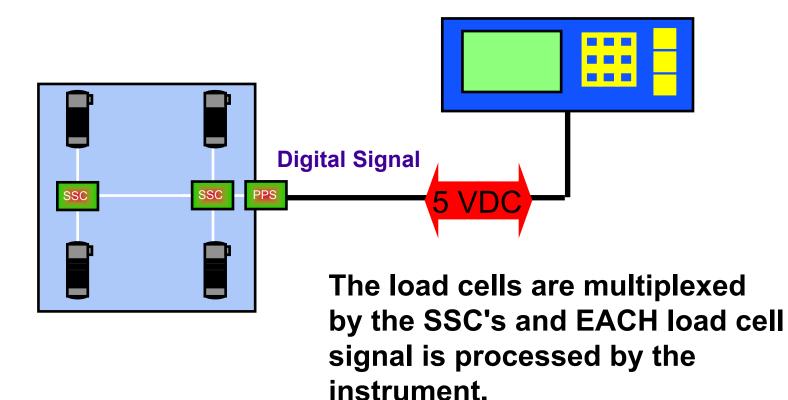
Digital Technology Analog Comparison

- Lets break it down into the smallest parts
- 1000 x 0.1
 - -Capacity = 1000 lbs
 - –Division size = 0.1 lbs
 - -Total divisions = 10,000
- When we add 200 lbs, the signal in our example increases 5 mV or 0.005 VDC
- 200 lbs in 0.1 steps is 2000 divisions
- 0.005 / 2000 = 0.0000025 VDC for each 0.1 lb

Digital Technology

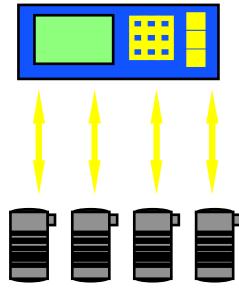
- Lets look at how Intalogix Technology works
- Platform to instrument signal is a digital signal
- Signal strength does NOT vary as weight changes
- Signal is a digital RS 485
 - f Strength is a 5 VDC differential
 - -5.0 digital
 - -0.0000025 analog

Intalogix Technology



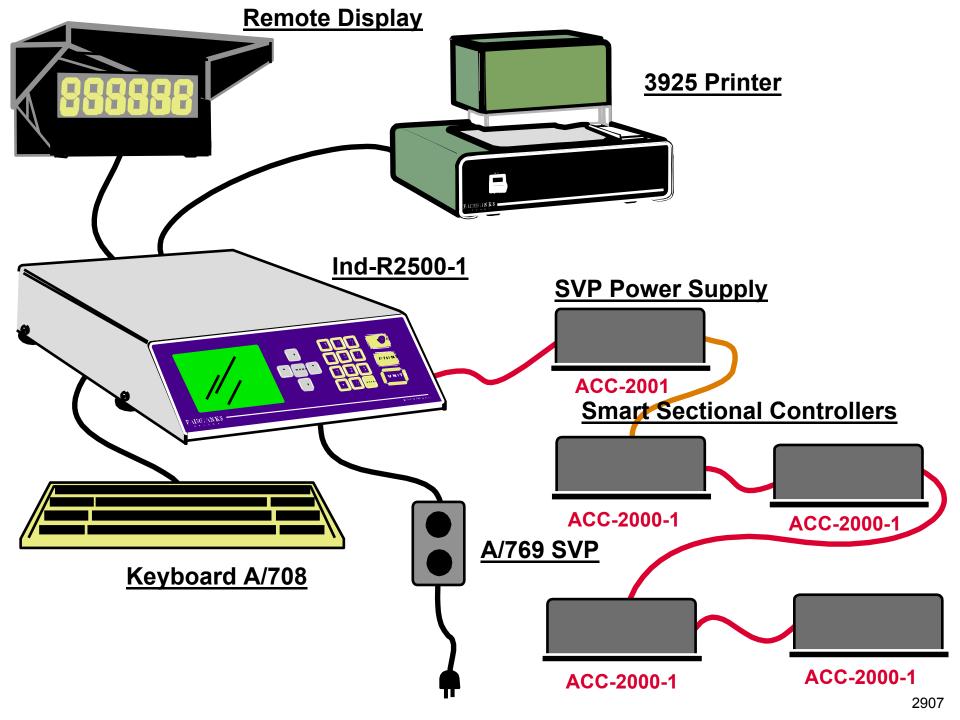
Intalogix Technology

- Each cell is identified individually
- Instrument is constantly polling cells for data by ID
- Each cell is treated like its own scale

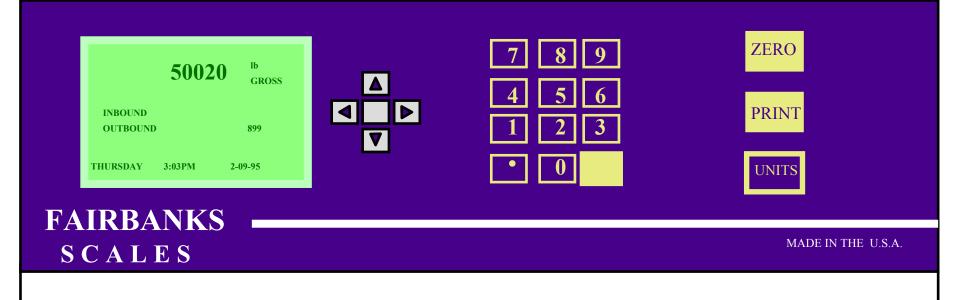


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IND - R2500 Series Instruments



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- *Compatible with Intalogix Technology
- *Monitor all system components
- *Provides system diagnostics
- *****Performs system calibration
- *Powers up to 32 load cells and/or 4 scales
- *Controls all weighing operations
- *User friendly operation
- *Moder competible for remote energian

CALIBRATION GOOD CONFIGURATION GOOD ALL LOAD CELLS GOOD

COM2:	19200	NONE	8	1
COM3:	4800	NONE	8	1
COM4:	19200	NONE	8	1
COM5:	19200	NONE	8	1

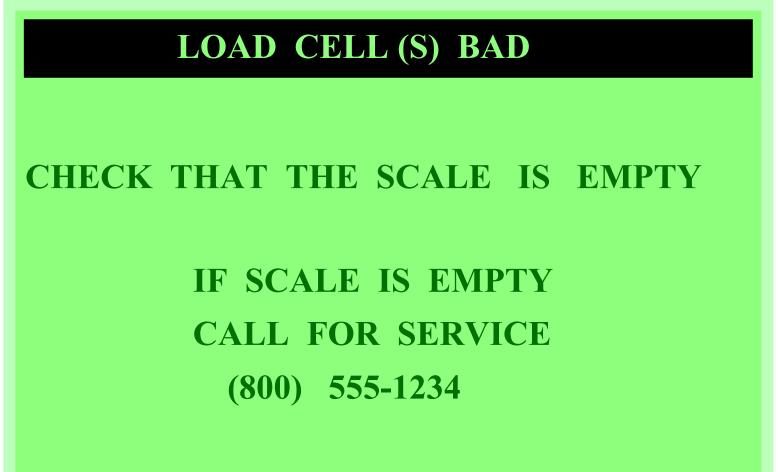
COM5: 19200

BATTERY = 3.2V

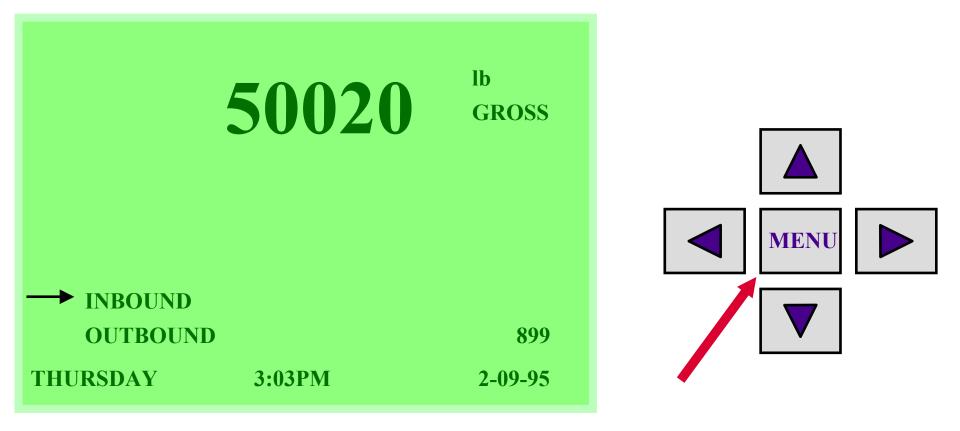
NO KEYBOARD

CELLS FOUND

1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8



OPERATE THE ZERO KEY TO CONTINUE

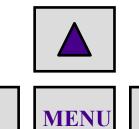


OPERATION MENU

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TIME and DATE TICKET NUMBER KEYBOARD TARE AUTOTARE AUDIT TRAIL MODEM CONFIGURATION MENU SERVICE MENU











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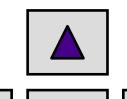
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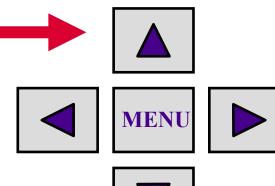
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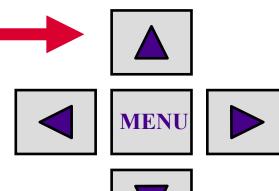




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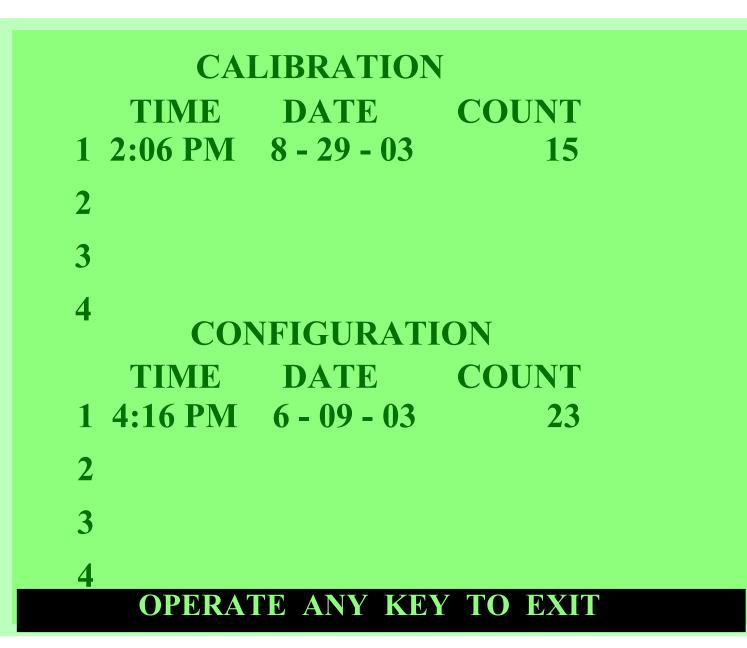
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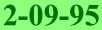
OPERATION MENU KEYBOARD TARE AUTOTARE SELECT SCALE TITLE **FIELD NAMES PRODUCT ID** MAIL ID **PROMPTS REPORTS DISPLAY CONTRAST** LOAD CELL DIAGNOSTICS **COMMUNICATIONS PORT**

1 GOOD	2 GOOD
3 GOOD	4 GOOD
5 GOOD	6 GOOD
7 GOOD	8 GOOD

LOAD CELL FAILURES (S)



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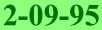
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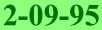
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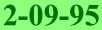
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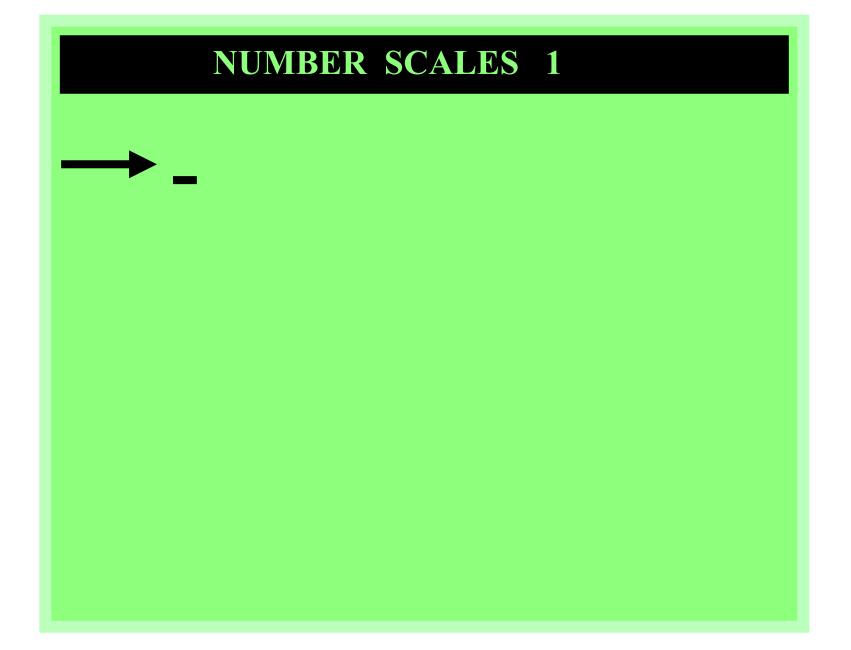


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OPERATION MENU OPERATING MODE UPDATE RATE ZERO MODE TARE MODE NUMBER SCALES **CELL OUTPUT (COUNTS) CALIBRATION** WRITE PASSWORD **PRINT CALIBRATION REPORT** SPECIAL FUNCTIONS



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1	16432	16122
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CELL SENSITIVITY

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CELL
SENSITIVITY
RESISTANCE
CALIBRATE

X 0.0000mV/V XXX Ohms

CELL GROUP 1-4

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CENTER TRUCK OVER SECTION 1 OPERATE ENTER KEY WHEN READY

SECTION 1 COUNTS XXXXXX TOTAL COUNTS

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TRIM CELL
TRIM SECTION
TRIM SCALE

CELL GROUP 1-8

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SPECIAL FUNCTIONS MENU

SERVICE MENU
SPAN (CORNERS)
HYSTERISIS
SERVICE INFORMATION
RESET SECTION PEAKS
PEAK WEIGHTS
CLEAR ALL MEMORY

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MODEM CONTROL PANEL

OPERATIONS MENU INITIALIZE MODEM BAUD SELECT (COM 2) TONE TELEPHONE DIAL REDIAL HANGUP **COM PORT ENABLED** NO **MODEM COMMAND Carrier** Off

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