Computer Controlled Chemical Reactors Training System, with SCADA and PID Control

Key features:

- Advanced Real-Time SCADA and PID Control.
- Open Control + Multicontrol + Real-Time Control.
- Specialized EDIBON Control Software based on LabVIEW.
- National Instruments Data Acquisition board (250 KS/s, kilo samples per second).
- Calibration exercises, which are included, teach the user how to calibrate a sensor and the importance of checking the accuracy of the sensors before taking measurements.
- Projector and/or electronic whiteboard compatibility allows the unit to be explained and demonstrated to an entire class at one time.
- Capable of doing applied research, real industrial simulation, training courses, etc.
- Remote operation and control by the user and remote control for EDIBON technical support, are always included.
- Totally safe, utilizing 4 safety systems (Mechanical, Electrical, Electronic & Software).
- Designed and manufactured under several quality standards.
- Optional ICAI software to create, edit and carry out practical exercises, tests, exams, calculations, etc. Apart from monitoring user’s knowledge and progress reached.
- This unit has been designed for future expansion and integration. A common expansion is the EDIBON Scada-Net (ESN) System which enables multiple students to simultaneously operate many units in a network.

For more information about Key Features, click here
PROCESS DIAGRAM AND UNIT ELEMENTS ALLOCATION

10 actuators and 8 sensors controlled from any computer, and working simultaneously.

**QRUBI**
BASE AND SERVICE UNIT AND ELECTRONIC INTERFACE
Unidad Base, de Servicio e Interface

**QRIA**
ISOTHERMAL REACTOR WITH STIRRER
Reactor Isotermo con Agitador

**QRIA/D**
ISOTHERMAL REACTOR WITH DISTILLATION
Reactor Isotermo con Destilación

**QRAD**
ADIABATIC AND ISOTHERMAL REACTOR
Reactor Adiabático e Isotermo

**QRSW**
REACTORS WITH STIRRER IN SERIES
Reactores con Agitador en Serie

**QRFT**
TUBULAR FLOW REACTOR
Reactor de Flujo Tubular
QRUBI. Base Service Unit:

This unit is common for the Chemical Reactors and can work with one or several reactors.

Installation and exchange system of the reactors quick and easy to handle.

It supplies all the services for the operation of each reactor.

Anodized aluminum structure and panels of painted steel. It includes wheels for its mobility.

Main metallic elements of stainless steel.

Diagram in the front panel with similar distribution to the elements in the real unit.

Safety, easy and quick connections.

All elements of this unit are chemically resistant.

This unit is mainly composed of:

Three tanks of 10 l. made of Pyrex-glass: two of them for the reagents and the other one for the product.

Thermostatic bath of 6 l. that regulates the temperature between (Tº C + 5ºC) and 70ºC. It includes a heating element (power: 600 W), computer controlled. PID control of the temperature.

Three pumps, computer controlled:

- Pump to impel the water from the thermostatic bath to the reactor, power: 0.37 KW, max. flow: 80 l./min. to 12.8 m.w.c.
- Two dosing pumps, max. flow: 7 l./h.

Temperature sensor type “J” to measure the water temperature of the thermostatic bath in a continuous way.

Conductivity cell and a conductivity meter to measure the product conductivity during the reaction, range: 30 μS/cm – 20 mS/cm. Working temperature: 0-100ºC. The software includes a temperature compensation to remove the temperature effect of the conductivity measurement.

Three flow meters to measure the gas and reagents flow:

- Flow meter to measure the CO₂ flow, range: 0-1440 Nl./h., max. pressure: 0.5 kg/cm².
- Flow meter to measure the sodium acetate flow, range: 0.54 – 5.4 l./h.
- Flow meter to measure the ethyl acetate flow, range: 0.7-7 l./h.

Two 3-way valves to divert the reagents between the reactor and the reactive tank (bypass).

The complete unit includes as well:

Advanced Real-Time SCADA and PID Control.

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Specialized EDIBON Control Software based on LabVIEW.

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QRUBI/CIB. Control Interface Box:

This control interface is common for the Chemical Reactors and can work with one or several reactors.

The Control Interface Box is part of the SCADA system.

Control interface box with process diagram in the front panel and with the same distribution that the different elements located in the unit, for an easy understanding by the student.

All sensors, with their respective signals, are properly manipulated from -10V to +10V computer output.

Sensors connectors in the interface have different pines numbers (from 2 to 16), to avoid connection errors.

Single cable between the control interface box and computer.

The unit control elements are permanently computer controlled, without necessity of changes or connections during the whole process test procedure.

Simultaneous visualization in the computer of all parameters involved in the process.

Calibration of all sensors involved in the process.

Real time curves representation about system responses.

Storage of all the process data and results in a file.

Graphic representation, in real time, of all the process/system responses.

All the actuators' values can be changed at any time from the keyboard allowing the analysis about curves and responses of the whole process.

All the actuators and sensors values and their responses are displayed on only one screen in the computer.

Shield and filtered signals to avoid external interferences.

Real time PID control with flexibility of modifications from the computer keyboard of the PID parameters, at any moment during the process.

Real time PID and on/off control for pumps, compressors, heating elements, control valves, etc.

Real time PID control for parameters involved in the process simultaneously.

Proportional control, integral control and derivative control, based on the real PID mathematical formula, by changing the values, at any time, of the three control constants (proportional, integral and derivative constants).

Open control allowing modifications, at any moment and in real time, of parameters involved in the process simultaneously.

Possibility of automatization of the actuators involved in the process.

Three safety levels, one mechanical in the unit, another electronic in the control interface and the third one in the control software.

DAB. Data Acquisition Board:

This board is common for the Chemical Reactors.

The Data Acquisition board is part of the SCADA system.

PCI Express Data acquisition board (National Instruments) to be placed in a computer slot. Bus PCI Express.

Analog input:

Number of channels = 16 single-ended or 8 differential. Resolution = 16 bits, 1 in 65536.

Sampling rate up to: 250 KS/s (kilo samples per second).

Input range (V) = ±10 V. Data transfers = DMA, interrupts, programmed I/O. DMA channels = 6.

Analog output:

Number of channels = 2. Resolution = 16 bits, 1 in 65536.

Maximum output rate up to: 900 KS/s.

Output range (V) = ±10 V. Data transfers = DMA, interrupts, programmed I/O.

Digital Input/Output:

Number of channels = 24 inputs/outputs. D0 or DI Sample Clock frequency: 0 to 100 MHz.

### Chemical Reactors

#### QRIA. Isothermal Reactor with Stirrer:

Anodized aluminum structure and panels in painted steel.

Main metallic elements in stainless steel.

Diagram in the front panel with similar distribution to the elements in the real unit.

Safety, easy and quick connections.

All elements of this unit are chemically resistant.

Cylindrical reactor made of Pyrex-glass with water jacket, max. capacity: 2 l., diameter: 100 mm. It includes:

- Cover with a gas outlet and a connection for the stirrer.
- Water inlet and water outlet for the water jacket, forming a close circuit with the QRUBI Base Service Unit. This allows to keep the temperature inside of the reactor.
- Two inlets for the reagents of the reactive tanks of the QRUBI Base Service Unit.
- Two outlets for the products, which are stored in the product tank of the QRUBI Base Service Unit.
- Gas inlet and gas diffuser plate at the bottom of the reactor.
- Connection at the bottom of the reactor for the sample collection.
- Connection for the conductivity cell of the QRUBI Base Service Unit and connection for a temperature sensor.

Temperature sensor type “J” to measure the temperature inside of the reactor.

Stirrer, computer controlled, power: 50 W., max. speed: 2000 r.p.m.

This unit is supplied with 8 manuals: Required Services, Assembly and Installation, Interface and Control Software, Starting-up, Safety, Maintenance, Calibration & Practices Manuals.

**Computer Control Software:**

- **Computer Control+Data Acquisition+Data Management Software for Isothermal Reactor with Stirrer (QRIA).**
- **The three softwares are part of the SCADA system.**
- **Compatible with actual Windows operating systems.**
- **Graphic and intuitive simulation of the process in the computer screen.**
- **Compatible with the industry standards.**
- **Registration and visualization of all process variables in an automatic and simultaneous way.**
- **Flexible, open and multicontrol software**, developed with actual windows graphic systems, acting simultaneously on all process parameters.

**Analog and digital PID control.**

PID menu and set point selection required in the whole work range.

**Management, processing, comparison and storage of data.**

**Sampling velocity up to 250 KS/s (kilo samples per second).**

**Calibration system for the sensors involved in the process.**

**It allows the registration of the alarms state and the graphic representation in real time.**

**Comparative analysis of the obtained data, after the process and modification of the conditions during the process.**

**Open software, allowing the teacher to modify texts, instructions. Teacher’s and student’s passwords** to facilitate the teacher’s control on the student, and allowing the access to different work levels.

This unit allows the 30 students of the classroom to visualize simultaneously all the results and the manipulation of the unit, during the process, by using a projector or an electronic whiteboard.

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Chemical Reactors

QRIA/D. Isothermal Reactor with Distillation:

- Anodized aluminum structure and panels in painted steel.
- Main metallic elements in stainless steel.
- Diagram in the front panel with similar distribution to the elements in the real unit.
- Safety, easy and quick connections.
- All elements of this unit are chemically resistant.
- Cylindrical reactor made of Pyrex-glass with water jacket, max. capacity: 2 l., diameter: 100 mm. It includes:
  - Cover with a gas outlet and a connection for the stirrer.
  - Water inlet and water outlet for the jacket, forming a close circuit with the QRUBI Base Service Unit.
  - Two inlets for the reagents of the reactive tanks of the QRUBI Base Service Unit.
  - Two outlets for the products, which are stored in the product tank of the QRUBI Base Service Unit.
  - Gas inlet and gas diffuser plate at the bottom of the reactor.
  - Connection at the bottom of the reactor for the sample collection.
  - Connection for the conductivity cell of the QRUBI Base Service Unit and connection for a temperature sensor.
- Distillation system. It includes:
  - Distillation column, length: 300 mm., diameter: 30 mm.
  - Balls condenser, length: 300 mm.
  - Coil condenser, length: 250 mm.
  - Vacuum trap, length: 125 mm., diameter: 24 mm.
  - Graduated funnel, volume: 500 ml.
  - Vacuum pump (computer controlled) to decrease the mixture boiling temperature.
- Four temperature sensors type “J”:
  - Sensor to measure the temperature inside of the reactor.
  - Two sensors to measure the water temperature in the distillation system.
  - Sensor to measure the condensed product temperature of the distillation system.
- Pressure sensor to measure the pressure inside of the reactor, range: 0-0.34 bar.
- Stirrer, computer controlled, power: 50 W., max. speed: 2000 r.p.m.
- This unit is supplied with 8 manuals: Required Services, Assembly and Installation, Interface and Control Software, Starting-up, Safety, Maintenance, Calibration & Practices Manuals.

Computer Control Software:

- Computer Control+Data Acquisition+Data Management Software for Isothermal Reactor with Distillation (QRIA/D).
- The three softwares are part of the SCADA system.
- Compatible with actual Windows operating systems.
- Graphic and intuitive simulation of the process in the computer screen.
- Compatible with the industry standards.
- Registration and visualization of all process variables in an automatic and simultaneous way.
- Flexible, open and multicontrol software, developed with actual windows graphic systems, acting simultaneously on all process parameters.
- Analog and digital PID control.
- PID menu and set point selection required in the whole work range.
- Management, processing, comparison and storage of data.
- Sampling velocity up to 250 KS/s (kilo samples per second).
- Calibration system for the sensors involved in the process.
- It allows the registration of the alarms state and the graphic representation in real time.
- Comparative analysis of the obtained data, after the process and modification of the conditions during the process.
- Open software, allowing the teacher to modify texts, instructions. Teacher’s and student’s passwords to facilitate the teacher’s control on the student, and allowing the access to different work levels.
- This unit allows the 30 students of the classroom to visualize simultaneously all the results and the manipulation of the unit, during the process, by using a projector or an electronic whiteboard.
Complete Technical Specifications (for main items)

Chemical Reactors

QRFT. Tubular Flow Reactor:

Anodized aluminum structure and panels in painted steel.
Main metallic elements in stainless steel.
Diagram in the front panel with similar distribution to the elements in the real unit.
Safety, easy and quick connections.
All elements of this unit are chemically resistant.
Reactor with inner coil made of Teflon of 6 mm. of inner diameter. Reactor coil length: 14.5 m. It includes:
- Water inlet and water outlet for the jacket, forming a close circuit with the QRUBI Base Service Unit. This allows to keep the temperature inside of the reactor.
- 3-way valve to divert the product between the sample collection and its analysis with the conductivity cell of the QRUBI Base Service Unit.
- Outlet for the products, situated at the outlet of the conductivity cell, which are stored in the product tank of the QRUBI Base Service Unit.

Electrical preheater for the reactives. It includes a computer controlled heating element and a thermostat (70°C):
- Heating element power: 265 W.
- PID control of the reagents temperature.
- It includes two inlets for the reagents of the reactive tanks of the QRUBI Base Service Unit.

Two temperature sensors type “J”:
- Sensor to measure the jacket water temperature inside of the reactor.
- Sensor to control the reagents temperature at the electrical preheater outlet.

This unit is supplied with 8 manuals: Required Services, Assembly and Installation, Interface and Control Software, Starting-up, Safety, Maintenance, Calibration & Practices Manuals.

Computer Control Software:

- Computer Control+Data Acquisition+Data Management Software for Tubular Flow Reactor (QRFT).
- The three softwares are part of the SCADA system.
- Compatible with actual Windows operating systems.
- Graphic and intuitive simulation of the process in the computer screen.
- Compatible with the industry standards.
- Registration and visualization of all process variables in an automatic and simultaneous way.

Flexible, open and multicontrol software, developed with actual windows graphic systems, acting simultaneously on all process parameters.

Analog and digital PID control.

PID menu and set point selection required in the whole work range.

Management, processing, comparison and storage of data.
Sampling velocity up to 250 KS/s (kilo samples per second).
Calibration system for the sensors involved in the process.

It allows the registration of the alarms state and the graphic representation in real time.

Comparative analysis of the obtained data, after the process and modification of the conditions during the process.

Open software, allowing the teacher to modify texts, instructions. Teacher’s and student’s passwords to facilitate the teacher’s control on the student, and allowing the access to different work levels.

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Chemical Reactors

QRAD. Adiabatic and Isothermal Reactor:

Anodized aluminum structure and panels in painted steel.
Main metallic elements in stainless steel.
Diagram in the front panel with similar distribution to the elements in the real unit.
Safety, easy and quick connections.
All elements of this unit are chemically resistant.

Cylindrical reactor made of Pyrex-glass with water jacket, max. capacity: 2 l., diameter: 100 mm. It includes:
- Cover with two connections for the coil and a connection for the stirrer.
- Two inlets for the reagents of the reactive tanks of the QRUBI Base Service Unit.
- Two outlets for the products, which are stored in the product tank of the QRUBI Base Service Unit.
- Connection for the conductivity cell of the QRUBI Base Service Unit and connection for a temperature sensor.
- Outer jacket made of anodized aluminum. The space between the jacket and the reactor is filled with expanded polyurethane foam.
- Nickel plated copper coil, length: 2500 mm., outer diameter: 6.7 mm., inner diameter: 4.1 mm. It includes a water inlet and one water outlet, forming a close circuit with the QRUBI Base Service Unit. This allows to keep the temperature inside of the reactor.

Three temperature sensors type “J”:
- Sensor to measure the temperature inside of the reactor.
- Sensor to measure the water temperature at the coil inlet.
- Sensor to measure the water temperature at the coil outlet.

Flow sensor to measure the water flow in the coil, range: 0.25-6.5 l./min.
Stirrer, computer controlled, max. speed: 330 r.p.m.

This unit is supplied with 8 manuals: Required Services, Assembly and Installation, Interface and Control Software, Starting-up, Safety, Maintenance, Calibration & Practices Manuals.

Computer Control Software:
- Computer Control+Data Acquisition+Data Management Software for Adiabatic and Isothermal Reactor (QRAD).
- The three softwares are part of the SCADA system.
- Compatible with actual Windows operating systems.
- Graphic and intuitive simulation of the process in the computer screen.
- Compatible with the industry standards.
- Registration and visualization of all process variables in an automatic and simultaneous way.
- Flexible, open and multicontrol software, developed with actual windows graphic systems, acting simultaneously on all process parameters.
- Analog and digital PID control.
- PID menu and set point selection required in the whole work range.
- Management, processing, comparison and storage of data.
- Sampling velocity up to 250 KS/s (kilo samples per second).
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Complete Technical Specifications (for main items)

Chemical Reactors

QRSA. Reactors with Stirrer in Series:
Anodized aluminum structure and panels in painted steel.
Main metallic elements in stainless steel.
Diagram in the front panel with similar distribution to the elements in the real unit.
Safety, easy and quick connections.
All elements of this unit are chemically resistant.
Three cylindrical reactor made of Pyrex-glass with water jacket., max. capacity: 1 l. each one., diameter: 100 mm. Each one of the reactors includes:
Cover with a connection for the stirrer.
Water inlet and water outlet for the jacket, forming a close circuit the three reactors with the QRUBI Base Service Unit. This allows to keep the temperature inside of the reactors.
Inlets for the reagents.
Outlet for the products. They can circulate through one, two or three reactors before being stored in the product tank of the QRUBI Base Service Unit.
Connection at the bottom of the reactor for the sample collection.
Connection for a temperature sensor.
Two collectors made of Teflon to divert the reagents between one, two and three reactors. They include one inlet (each one) for the reagents of the reactive tanks of the QRUBI Base Service Unit.
Collector made of Teflon to collect the reactors products. It includes a connection for the conductivity cell of QRUBI Base Service Unit and an outlet for the products obtained in the reactors, which are stored in the product tank of the QRUBI Base Service Unit.
Stirrer, computer controlled, max. speed: 330 r.p.m. (for each reactor).
Three temperature sensors type “J” to measure the temperature inside of each reactor.
Valves to circulate the reagents and products between the reactors and the outlet.
This unit is supplied with 8 manuals: Required Services, Assembly and Installation, Interface and Control Software, Starting-up, Safety, Maintenance, Calibration & Practices Manuals.
Computer Control Software:

- Computer Control+Data Acquisition+Data Management Software for Reactors with Stirrer in Series (QRSA).
- The three softwares are part of the SCADA system.
- Compatible with actual Windows operating systems.
- Graphic and intuitive simulation of the process in the computer screen.
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Cables and Accessories, for normal operation.

Manuals:
This unit is supplied with 8 manuals for each Chemical Reactor: Required Services, Assembly and Installation, Interface and Control Software, Starting-up, Safety, Maintenance, Calibration & Practices Manuals.
Practices to be done with the Isothermal Reactor with Stirrer (QRIA):
1.- Determining the ionic conductivities.
2.- Batch operation. Obtaining the reaction order with respect to the ethyl acetate. Method of initial rates.
3.- Batch operation. Obtaining the reaction order with respect to the sodium hydroxide. Method of initial rates.
4.- Batch operation. Calculation of the rate constant. Constant sodium hydroxide initial concentration.
5.- Batch operation. Calculation of the rate constant. Constant ethyl acetate initial concentration.
6.- Rate equation formulation.
7.- Batch operation. Variation of the kinetic constant with temperature. Arrhenius equation.
8.- Batch operation. Theoretical and experimental conversion comparison. Deviation from ideality.
9.- Batch operation. Mixture effects.
10.-Continuous operation.
11.-Continuous operation. Mixture effects.
Additional practical possibilities:
12.-Sensors calibration.

Practices to be done with Isothermal Reactor with Distillation (QRIA/D):
13.- Determination of the ionic conductivities.
14.- Batch operation. Obtaining the reaction order with respect to the ethyl acetate. Method of initial rates.
15.- Batch operation. Obtaining the reaction order with respect to the sodium hydroxide. Method of initial rates.
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20.- Batch operation. Theoretical and experimental conversion comparison. Deviation from ideality.
21.- Batch operation. Mixture effects.
22.-Continuous operation.
23.-Continuous operation. Mixture effects.
Additional practical possibilities:
24.-Sensors calibration.

Practices to be done with the Tubular Flow Reactor (QRFT):
25.- Determination of the ionic conductivities.
26.- Theoretical conversion of the tubular reactor.
27.- Experimental determination of the tubular reactor conversion.
28.- Dependence on the residence time.
29.- Determination of the reaction order.
30.- Dependence of the rate constant and the conversion with the temperature.
Additional practical possibilities:
31.- Sensors calibration.

Practices to be done with the Adiabatic and Isothermal Reactor (QRAD):  
32.- Determination of the ionic conductivities.
33.- Batch operation. Obtaining the reaction order with respect to the ethyl acetate. Method of initial rates.
34.- Batch operation. Obtaining the reaction order with respect to the sodium hydroxide. Method of initial rates.
35.- Batch operation. Calculation of the rate constant. Constant sodium hydroxide initial concentration.
36.- Batch operation. Calculation of the rate constant. Constant ethyl acetate initial concentration.
37.- Rate equation formulation.
38.- Batch operation. Variation of the kinetic constant with temperature. Arrhenius equation.
39.- Batch operation. Theoretical and experimental conversion comparison. Deviation from ideality.
40.- Batch operation. Effect of concentration on conversion.
41.- Calculation of the heat transfer coefficient of the coil.
42.- Batch operation. Mixing effects.
43.- Continuous operation.
Additional practical possibilities:
44.- Sensors calibration.

Practices to be done with the Reactors with Stirrer in Series (QRSA):
45.- Determination of the ionic conductivities.
46.- Continuous operation with only one reactor.
47.- Continuous operation with only one reactor with mixture effects.
48.- Continuous operation with the three reactors.
Additional practical possibilities:
49.- Sensors calibration.

Other possibilities to be done with this Unit:
50.- Many students view results simultaneously.
    To view all results in real time in the classroom by means of a projector or an electronic whiteboard.
51.- Open Control, Multicontrol and Real Time Control.
    This unit allows intrinsically and/or extrinsically to change the span, gains; proportional, integral, derivate parameters; etc, in real time.
52.- The Computer Control System with SCADA and PID Control allow a real industrial simulation.
53.- This unit is totally safe as uses mechanical, electrical and electronic, and software safety devices.
54.- This unit can be used for doing applied research.
55.- This unit can be used for giving training courses to Industries even to other Technical Education Institutions.
56.- Control of the unit process through the control interface box without the computer.
57.- Visualization of all the sensors values used in the unit process.
    - By using PLC-PI additional 19 more exercises can be done.
    - Several other exercises can be done and designed by the user.
## DIMENSIONS AND WEIGHTS

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## AVAILABLE VERSIONS

**Offered in this catalogue:**
- QRQC. Computer Controlled Chemical Reactors Training System.

**Offered in other catalogues:**
- QRC. Computer Controlled Chemical Reactors Trainer.
- QR. Chemical Reactors Trainer.

## REQUIRED SERVICES

- Electrical supply: single phase, 220V/50Hz or 110V/60 Hz.
- Water supply and drainage.
- Computer.

## RECOMMENDED ACCESSORIES (Not included)

- Laboratory materials as: burettes, test tubes, glasses and a 1 l. glass flask.

## RECOMMENDED COMSUMABLES (Not included)

- Chemical reagents: ethyl acetate, sodium acetate and sodium hydroxide.
- Cylinder of carbon dioxide.

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SCADA and PID Control

Main screen

Isothermal Reactor with Stirrer (QRIA) Main Screen

Note: ST = Temperature sensor. SCC = Conductivity sensor. AB = Pump. AR = Heating element. AA = Stirrer.
Tubular Flow Reactor (QRFT) Main Screen

Note: ST = Temperature sensor. SCC = Conductivity sensor. AB = Pump. AA = Stirrer. AR = Heating element. SP = Pressure sensor.
Adiabatic and Isothermal Reactor (QRAD) Main Screen

Note: ST = Temperature sensor. SCC = Conductivity sensor. SC = Flow sensor. AA = Stirrer. AB = Pump. AR = Heating element.

Reactors with Stirrer in Series (QRSA) Main Screen

Note: ST = Temperature sensor. SCC = Conductivity sensor. AB = Pump. AR = Heating element. AA = Stirrer.
Software for Sensors Calibration
Example of screen

![Software Main Screen](image-url)
Additionally to the main items (1 to 6) described, we can offer, as optional, other items from 7 to 11. All these items try to give more possibilities for:

a) Industrial configuration. (PLC)

b) Technical and Vocational Education configuration. (ICAI and FSS)

c) Multipost Expansions options. (Mini ESN and ESN)

g) Industrial configuration

PLC. Industrial Control using PLC (It includes PLC-PI Module plus PLC-SOF Control Software):

-PLC-PI. PLC Module:

Metallic box.

Circuit diagram in the module front panel.

Front panel:

Digital inputs (X) and Digital outputs (Y) block:
- 16 Digital inputs, activated by switches and 16 LEDs for confirmation (red).
- 14 Digital outputs (through SCSI connector) with 14 LEDs for message (green).

Analog inputs block:
- 16 Analog inputs (-10 V. to + 10 V) (through SCSI connector).

Analog outputs block:
- 4 Analog outputs (-10 V. to + 10 V) (through SCSI connector).

Touch screen:
- Multi language function. True type fonts.

Back panel:
- Power supply connector. Fuse 2A. RS-232 connector to PC. USB 2.0 connector to PC.

Inside:
- Power supply outputs: 24 Vdc, 12 Vdc, -12 Vdc, 12 Vdc variable.

Panasonic PLC:
- High-speed scan of 0.32 µsec. for a basic instruction.
- Program capacity of 32 Ksteps, with a sufficient comment area.

Power supply input (100 to 240 V AC).
- DC input: 16 (24 V DC).
- Relay output: 14.
- High-speed counter.
- Multi-point PID control.

Digital inputs/outputs and analog inputs/outputs Panasonic modules.

Communication RS232 wire to computer (PC).

Dimensions: 490 x 330 x 310 mm. approx. (19.29 x 12.99 x 12.20 inches approx.). Weight: 30 Kg. approx. (66 pounds approx.).

-QRQC/PLC-SOF. PLC Control Software:

Always included with PLC supply.

Each Chemical Reactor has its own Software.

Practices to be done with PLC-PI:

1.- Control of the particular unit process through the control interface box without the computer.
2.- Visualization of all the sensors values used in the particular unit process.
3.- Calibration of all sensors included in the particular unit process.
4.- Hand on of all the actuators involved in the particular unit process.
5.- Realization of different experiments, in automatic way, without having in front the particular unit. (These experiments can be decided previously).
6.- Simulation of outside actions, in the cases do not exist hardware elements. (Example: test of complementary tanks, complementary industrial environment to the process to be studied, etc).
7.- PLC hardware general use.
8.- PLC process application for the particular unit.
9.- PLC structure.
10.- PLC inputs and outputs configuration.
11.- PLC configuration possibilities.
12.- PLC program languages.
13.- PLC different programming standard languages (ladder diagram (LD), structured text (ST), instructions list (IL), sequential function chart (SFC), function block diagram (FBD)).
14.- New configuration and development of new process.
15.- Hand on an established process.
16.- To visualize and see the results and to make comparisons with the particular unit process.
17.- Possibility of creating new process in relation with the particular unit.
18.- PLC Programming Exercises.
19.- Own PLC applications in accordance with teacher and student requirements.
b) Technical and Vocational Education configuration

QRQC/ICAI. Interactive Computer Aided Instruction Software System.

This complete software package consists of an Instructor Software (EDIBON Classroom Manager -ECM-SOF) totally integrated with the Student Software (EDIBON Student Labsoft -ESL-SOF). Both are interconnected so that the teacher knows at any moment what is the theoretical and practical knowledge of the students.

This software is optional and can be used additionally to items (1 to 6).

-ECM-SOF. EDIBON Classroom Manager (Instructor Software).

ECM-SOF is the application that allows the Instructor to register students, manage and assign tasks for workgroups, create own content to carry out Practical Exercises, choose one of the evaluation methods to check the Student knowledge and monitor the progression related to the planned tasks for individual students, workgroups, units, etc... so the teacher can know in real time the level of understanding of any student in the classroom.

Innovative features:
- User Data Base Management.
- Administration and assignment of Workgroup, Task and Training sessions.
- Creation and Integration of Practical Exercises and Multimedia Resources.
- Custom Design of Evaluation Methods.
- Creation and assignment of Formulas & Equations.
- Equation System Solver Engine.
- Updatable Contents.
- Report generation, User Progression Monitoring and Statistics.

-ESL-SOF. EDIBON Student Labsoft (Student Software).

ESL-SOF is the application addressed to the Students that helps them to understand theoretical concepts by means of practical exercises and to prove their knowledge and progression by performing tests and calculations in addition to Multimedia Resources. Default planned tasks and an Open workgroup are provided by EDIBON to allow the students start working from the first session. Reports and statistics are available to know their progression at any time, as well as explanations for every exercise to reinforce the theoretically acquired technical knowledge.

Innovative features:
- Student Log-In & Self-Registration.
- Existing Tasks checking & Monitoring.
- Default contents & scheduled tasks available to be used from the first session.
- Practical Exercises accomplishment by following the Manual provided by EDIBON.
- Evaluation Methods to prove your knowledge and progression.
- Test self-correction.
- Calculations computing and plotting.
- Equation System Solver Engine.
- User Monitoring Learning & Printable Reports.
- Multimedia-Supported auxiliary resources.

For more information see ICAI catalogue. Click on the following link: www.edibon.com/products/catalogues/en/ICAI.pdf
EDIBON Mini Scada-Net System.

The “FAULTS” mode consists in causing several faults in the unit normal operation. The student must find them and solve them. There are several kinds of faults that can be grouped in the following sections:

Faults affecting the sensors measurement:
- An incorrect calibration is applied to them.
- Non-linearity.
Faults affecting the actuators:
- Actuators channels interchange at any time during the program execution.
- Response reduction of an actuator.
Faults in the controls execution:
- Inversion of the performance in ON/OFF controls.
- Reduction or increase of the calculated total response.
- The action of some controls is annulled.
On/off faults:
- Several on/off faults can be included.

For more information see FSS catalogue. Click on the following link:
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