

# Instrumentation designed with the user in mind

# Models L3541

NULL-KOTE™ RF Impedance Remote Point Level Controller

### **Description**

PRINCO's L3541 level controller gives you the optimum combination of reliability, sensitivity, features, and cost. Conformally coated electronics, NULL-KOTE™ circuitry, explosion-proof / weatherproof enclosures, ROLLOCK™ probe construction and our unique 10 Year Warranty mean the ultimate in reliability. Excellent sensitivity, coupled with stability of 1 picofarad over the entire operating range, gives you a true set and forget installation. L3541 controllers are used with NULL-KOTE™ probes, available in a wide variety of lengths and designs to fit every application.

Princo, one of the pioneers of RF level sensing technology, has provided accurate, dependable, long lived service for thousands of applications in all types of industries, worldwide for more than 4 decades.



## **Applications**

- Water-based liquids
- Acids
- Hydrocarbons and solvents
- Powders and granulars
- Oils

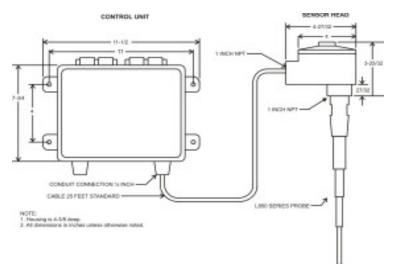
#### **Features**

- **Remote Sensor Mounting** Eliminates the need to work in high places, hazardous locations, or inclement weather. Control unit can be up to 3000 feet from sensor and used ordinary twisted pair cable.
- **Universal** Wide range of point level applications. Detects the level of powders, granules, conductive or non-conductive liquids ... even the sticky ones.
- **NULL-KOTE™ Circuitry** Negates effects of coating build-up.
- **High Sensitivity and Temperature Stability** For critical low response applications.
- **Designed to Survive** RF immune, vibration-proof, all circuit boards are conformally coated (tropicalized) for extra protection.
- **Easy-On Probe Connection** Automatically provides simple, fast installation and reliable operation without wires, connectors, or terminal strips. Simply screw probe into the housing.
- **Unique Status Indicator** Red / green LED shows presence or absence of material and also indicates power "on".
- **Heavy Duty Relay –** 2 sets of form C contacts rated at 5A, 115 Vac resistive contacts
- **High or Low Fail-Safe** Field selectable.
- Wide Temperature Range Standard process temperature: -300 to 500°F (-184 to 260°C).
- **ROLLOCK™ PROBES** No part of the probe can fall into the process or be blown from the mounting. No re-tightening of seals required.
- **Time-Delay** 0 to 30 second delay minimizes relay chatter
- **Ten-Year Warranty** The only level instruments available with this unique assurance of quality.

#### **NULL-Kote Level Probes**

Model L853, L854, L855, L857, L861, L862, and L863 probes are used with all L3500 series controllers.

These probes are three element devices, which employ a bare sensor rod, guard section, and NPT mounting hub. All wetted parts are type 316 stainless steel or Teflon®. L800 Series point level probes use PRINCO's unique ROLLOCK™ construction. Featuring rolled seals and welded assembly, the ingenious ROLLOCK™ design locks all elements of the probe in position and insures that no part of the probe can fall into the process or be blown from the mounting.



#### L3541 Specifications

TYPE Point type (remote sensor, on/off), solid state electronic, RF impedance-sensing,

level controller.

POWER REQUIREMENTS 95 to 135 Vac, 50 to 60Hz or 205 to 250 Vac, 1.3 watts; or 12/34 Vdc, <1 Watt.

AMBIENT TEMPERATURE -40 to 150 °F (-40 to 66 °C)

SENSITIVITY Senses capacitance as low as 0.15pF. May be decreased to approximately 1000pF.

TEMPERATURE STABILITY Less than 1.0 pF typical (-40 °F to 150 °F).

ALARM TYPE Selectable as either High Acting or Low Acting.

ALARM ACTION Fail Safe Alarm : Control relay de-energizes (drops out) upon alarm.

CONTROL RELAY CONTACTS Two sets of form C contacts, rated at 5 amperes, 115 Vac or 26 Vdc, resistive load.

TIME DELAY Adjustable from 0 to 30 seconds. Standard mode is delay alarm both on and off. Consult

the factory for optional times and modes.

DEAD BAND Adjustable over range of 1.3pF for low values of process capacitance. Adjustment range

increases up to approximately 1000pF, for high values of process capacitance.

SELF TEST Pushbutton tests control relays and any devices driven through them.

ELECTRONIC HOUSINGS Control Unit: Structural foam, thermoplastic molded base & hinged cover, NEMA 4X.

Sensor Head: Heavy duty, explosion-proof, cast aluminum.

### L850, L860 & L870 Series Probe Specifications

TYPE Point level, single or dual element.

WETTED SURFACES Teflon and 316 Stainless Steel are standard. Probes fully sheathed inTeflon or Kynar are

also available.

VESSEL CONNECTION SIZE L850 Series: 3/4" NPT; L860 Series: 1" NPT; L870 Series: 1½" NPT

PHYSICAL DIMENSIONS Refer to Princo's Point Level Probe Bulletin for complete information.

PRESSURE / TEMPERATURE 1000 PSI @ -300°F, 1000 PSI @ 100°F, 350 PSI @ 400°F, 0 PSI @ 500°F

#### 10 Year Warranty

All PRINCO RF impedance level control instruments are backed by a 10-year warranty. PRINCO will repair or replace, at our option, any instrument that fails under normal use up to 10 years after purchase.

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