

# PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS **RTD-100 Temperature Sensor**

### APPLICATION ... Electric Heat Tracing Control

The RTD-100 is designed for use as control input for freeze protection and temperature maintenance applications requiring pipewall or tankwall temperature sensing.

A cast-aluminum NEMA 4X/7 enclosure and terminal block allows ease of wiring into a single unit that can be installed directly onto a heat traced pipe. The RTD-100 housing and mounting pad are stainless steel.

The RTD-100 is suitable for use in heat tracing applications where surface temperatures do not exceed 900°F (482°C).

## RATINGS/SPECIFICATIONS ....

Electrical connection ceramic strip w/brass terminals
Enclosure rating NEMA 4X/7
Enclosure hub size
RTD leads 22 AWG fiberglass
RTD type
RTD resistance 100 ohms at 32° (0°C)
RTD calibration
Per ASTM E1137, DIN standard 43760/BS1904/IEC 751
Temperature coefficient 00385 Ohms/Ohms - °C
Maximum sensor temperature900°F (482°C)
Sensor housing material 316 stainless steel

Notes

1. For additional options or enclosure materials contact Thermon.



### CONSTRUCTION

- 1 Junction Box With Terminal Strip
- 2 RTD Housing
- 3 Pipe Strap (purchased separately)
  B4 = pipe dia. up to 4"
  - $B10 = pipe dia. up to 10^{\circ}$
  - B21 = pipe dia. up to 21"

### **CERTIFICATIONS/APPROVALS...**



Canadian Standards Association The RTD-100 is CSA certified for use in North America. Ordinary Locations Hazardous (Classified) Locations Class I, Division 2, Groups A, B, C and D Class II, Division 2, Groups E, F and G



The RTD-100 D1 (pictured at left) is provided with a cast aluminum enclosure and is CSA certified for use in North America. Ordinary Locations Hazardous (Classified) Locations Class I, Division 1, Groups B, C and D Class II, Division 2, Groups E, F and G



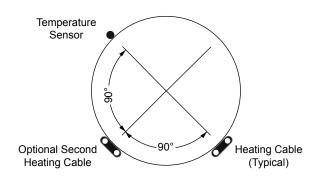
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The following installation procedures are suggested guidelines for the installation of a Thermon temperature sensor. They are not intended to preclude the use of other methods utilizing accepted engineering or field construction practices. Temperature sensors are used for freeze protection or temperature maintenance of piping, tanks and instrumentation.

#### **TEMPERATURE SENSOR INSTALLATION ...**

- 1. Upon receipt, check to make sure the proper type has been received.
- 2. Store in a dry place.
- 3. Ensure that temperature sensor/junction box combination is suitable for the area classification.
- 4. Mount the temperature sensor/junction box vertically upright and in a position that will prevent condensation from draining into the enclosure from the connected conduit. Do not bend sensor or lead. Adequately support conduit leading to enclosure.
- 5. The sensor should be placed at least 90° around the cirumference from the heating cable, or at least 2" (5 cm) from the cable. Mount the sensor in a location that is representative of the overall system temperature away from valves, pipe supports, nozzles, or other heat sinks. Fasten the temperature sensor securely to the pipe/vessel with banding (purchased seperately), being sure that the entire length of the sensor is in intimate contact with the pipe surface. The sensor may be covered with a parallel pass of metallic tape to enhance heat transfer (not shown).
- Power should always be disconnected and a lockout/ tagout procedure performed prior to opening the box enclosure for maintenance.
- Any modification to the enclosure or deviation from these procedures may affect unit's rating or approvals. Contact factory if modifications are necessary.



Heating Cable vs. Sensor Location (Line Sensing Control)

