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**UG-25+ Governor**

**Installation and Operation Manual**



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## Warnings and Notices

### Important Definitions



This is the safety alert symbol used to alert you to potential personal injury hazards. Obey all safety messages that follow this symbol to avoid possible injury or death.

- **DANGER** - Indicates a hazardous situation, which if not avoided, will result in death or serious injury.
- **WARNING** - Indicates a hazardous situation, which if not avoided, could result in death or serious injury.
- **CAUTION** - Indicates a hazardous situation, which if not avoided, could result in minor or moderate injury.
- **NOTICE** - Indicates a hazard that could result in property damage only (including damage to the control).
- **IMPORTANT** - Designates an operating tip or maintenance suggestion.

#### **WARNING**

##### **Overspeed / Overtemperature / Overpressure**

The engine, turbine, or other type of prime mover should be equipped with an overspeed shutdown device to protect against runaway or damage to the prime mover with possible personal injury, loss of life, or property damage.

The overspeed shutdown device must be totally independent of the prime mover control system. An overtemperature or overpressure shutdown device may also be needed for safety, as appropriate.

#### **WARNING**

##### **Personal Protective Equipment**

The products described in this publication may present risks that could lead to personal injury, loss of life, or property damage. Always wear the appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE) for the job at hand. Equipment that should be considered includes but is not limited to:

- Eye Protection
- Hearing Protection
- Hard Hat
- Gloves
- Safety Boots
- Respirator

Always read the proper Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) for any working fluid(s) and comply with recommended safety equipment.

#### **WARNING**

##### **Start-up**

Be prepared to make an emergency shutdown when starting the engine, turbine, or other type of prime mover, to protect against runaway or overspeed with possible personal injury, loss of life, or property damage.

#### **WARNING**

##### **Automotive Applications**

On- and off-highway Mobile Applications: Unless Woodward's control functions as the supervisory control, customer should install a system totally independent of the prime mover control system that monitors for supervisory control of engine (and takes appropriate action if supervisory control is lost) to protect against loss of engine control with possible personal injury, loss of life, or property damage.

**NOTICE****Battery Charging  
Device**

To prevent damage to a control system that uses an alternator or battery-charging device, make sure the charging device is turned off before disconnecting the battery from the system.

## Electrostatic Discharge Awareness

**NOTICE****Electrostatic  
Precautions**

Electronic controls contain static-sensitive parts. Observe the following precautions to prevent damage to these parts:

- Discharge body static before handling the control (with power to the control turned off, contact a grounded surface and maintain contact while handling the control).
- Avoid all plastic, vinyl, and Styrofoam (except antistatic versions) around printed circuit boards.
- Do not touch the components or conductors on a printed circuit board with your hands or with conductive devices.

To prevent damage to electronic components caused by improper handling, read and observe the precautions in Woodward manual **82715**, *Guide for Handling and Protection of Electronic Controls, Printed Circuit Boards, and Modules*.

Follow these precautions when working with or near the control.

1. Avoid the build-up of static electricity on your body by not wearing clothing made of synthetic materials. Wear cotton or cotton-blend materials as much as possible because these do not store static electric charges as much as synthetics.
2. Do not remove the printed circuit board (PCB) from the control cabinet unless absolutely necessary. If you must remove the PCB from the control cabinet, follow these precautions:
  - Do not touch any part of the PCB except the edges.
  - Do not touch the electrical conductors, the connectors, or the components with conductive devices or with your hands.
  - When replacing a PCB, keep the new PCB in the plastic antistatic protective bag it comes in until you are ready to install it. Immediately after removing the old PCB from the control cabinet, place it in the antistatic protective bag.

**IMPORTANT**

External wiring connections for reverse-acting controls are identical to those for direct-acting controls.

# Regulatory Compliance

## European Compliance for CE Marking:

These listings are limited only to those units bearing the CE Marking.

**EMC Directive** Declared to Directive 2014/30/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 February 2014 on the harmonization of the laws of the Member States relating to electromagnetic compatibility (EMC).

## Other European Compliance

**Machinery Directive:** Compliant as partly completed machinery with Directive 2006/42/EC of the European Parliament and the Council of 17 May 2006 on machinery.

**Pressure Equipment Directive:** Compliant as "SEP" per Article 4.3 to Pressure Equipment Directive 2014/68/EU on the harmonisation of the laws of the Member States relating to the making available on the market of pressure equipment.

## North American Compliance:

**CSA:** CSA Certified for Class I, Division 2, Groups A, B, C, & D, T4 at 55 °C Ambient for use in Canada and the United States Certificate 1802083. The module housing should be protected from exposure to sunlight and rain. These listings are limited only to those units bearing the CSA Agency identification.

## Marine Compliance:

**DNV GL:** Det Norske Veritas Rules for Classification of Ships, High Speed & Light Craft and Det Norske Veritas Offshore Standards

**ABS:** 2007 Steel Vessel Rules 1-1-4/7.7, 4-9-7/13.1

**BV:** BV Rules for the Classification of Steel Ships  
(AUT-UMS) Unattended Machinery Spaces  
(AUT-CCS) Centralized Control Station  
(AUT PORT) Automated Operation in Port  
(AUT-IMS) Integrated Machinery Spaces

**KRS:** Korean Register of Shipping Pt. 6, Ch. 2, Art. 301 of the Rules for Classification, Steel Ships

**LR:** Lloyds Register Environmental Categories ENV1, ENV2, ENV3, and ENV4

**NK:** Nippon Kaiji Kyokai requirements specified in Chapter 1, Part 7 of Guidance for the approval and Type Approval of materials and equipment for Marine use and relevant Society's Rules.

**RINA:** Register Italiano Navale Rules for the Classification of Ships – Part C, Machinery, Systems and Fire Protection – Chapter 3, Section 6, Table 1. Remarks: According to SOLAS Requirements, Governor UG-25+ is not suitable for the following applications:

- On propulsion engine of ships having single propulsion
- On emergency generators engines.



**Special Conditions for Safe Use:**

Wiring must be in accordance with North American Class I, Division 2 wiring methods as applicable, and in accordance with the authority having jurisdiction.

Field wiring must be suitable for at least 105 °C.



**EXPLOSION HAZARD—Do not connect or disconnect while circuit is live unless area is known to be non-hazardous.**

**Substitution of components may impair suitability for Class I, Division 2 or Zone 2 applications.**



**RISQUE D'EXPLOSION—Ne pas raccorder ni débrancher tant que l'installation est sous tension, sauf en cas l'ambiance est décidément non dangereuse.**

**La substitution de composants peut rendre ce matériel inacceptable pour les emplacements de Classe I, applications Division 2 ou Zone 2.**

**Safety Symbols**

Direct Current



Alternating Current



Both Alternating and Direct Current



Caution, risk of electrical shock



Caution, refer to accompanying documents



Protective conductor terminal



Frame or chassis terminal

# Chapter 1.

## General Information

### How to Use This Manual

The following summarizes how to install a UG-25+ into a new or existing system:

- Unpack and inspect the hardware.
- Mount and wire the hardware following the procedures and recommendations in Chapters 2–3.
- Configure application-specific settings (Chapter 6).
- Speed control tuning information (Chapter 7).
- Specifications and Troubleshooting information are provided in the Appendixes.

### General Description

The Woodward UG-25+ governor is a microprocessor controlled mechanical hydraulic governor for controlling diesel, gas, or dual fuel engines, or steam turbines. The UG-25+ includes enhanced control capabilities, such as start fuel and boost limiting schemes. The additional transient fuel limiting (jump-rate) improves the engine load acceptance and reduces transient emissions significantly.

The UG-25+ provides a fast-acting and high-work-output governor, without the need for any auxiliary devices such as a start booster.

The UG-25+ offers speed control with software-selectable speed setpoints, dynamics, fuel limiting, and start behavior.

Front panel and external speed settings make synchronization easy for generator applications. A 4–20 mA speed setting is available for variable speed applications or for remote synchronization or remote setting of speed/load.

Adjustable droop permits load division and balancing among paralleled prime movers. Droop can be set with a knob on the front panel between 0–10%. The load limiter knob allows you to limit the governor output stroke manually.

The UG-25+ uses an internal, self-contained oil system operating at 1034 kPa (150 psi) internal pressure with an internal oil pump driven from the governor's drive shaft. Oil pressure is maintained by a relief valve system with a drain to an internal oil sump.

The UG-25+ combines all the advantages of a traditional mechanical governor with the state-of-the-art control algorithms for optimal engine operation.

### Controller Features

The governor features include:

- State-of-the-art speed sensing and control algorithms
- Built-in user interface which provides speed raise/lower and local shutdown functions
- Speed Control with Droop and Dynamics features
- Configurable speed settings and adjustment rates
- Multiple Fuel Limiting algorithms, such as jump-rate, boost pressure, and start fuel limiting
- Temperature monitoring
- Run / Stop
- Status discrete output
- Speed setpoint adjustments using a 4–20 mA analog input or raise/lower discrete inputs or front panel raise/lower commands
- Front panel Droop, Stability, and Load Limit adjustments are also available
- Comprehensive diagnostics for easy troubleshooting

## Inputs / Outputs

The following optional inputs and outputs are available, only input power is required.

- Input Power (single or dual)
- Run/Stop discrete input
- Unit Health Status discrete output
- Speed Setpoint Raise discrete input
- Speed Setpoint Lower discrete input
- Analog Speed Setpoint 4–20 mA input
- Analog Speed Setpoint Enable discrete input
- Boost Pressure 4–20 mA input
- Boost Pressure Input Enable discrete input

## Available Terminal Shafts and Drive Shafts

The following output terminal shafts and drive shafts are available:

Standard—

- 0.625–36 serrated terminal shaft
- 0.625–36 serrated drive shaft
- 0.625 keyed drive shaft with 0.625-18 thread

Available (for special applications at additional cost)—

- 0.562 / 0.625 D-shaped terminal shaft
- Extended 0.625 keyed drive shaft

## UG Governor Similarities

The base is designed to fit any drive designed for a UG governor. The terminal shaft location relative to the mounting base is similar to a UG governor.

## Hydraulic Pump

The UG-25+ is equipped with a Gerotor fixed displacement pump (3161 governor type) with a relief valve. The pump/relief valve uses oil from its self-contained sump to provide 1035 kPa (150 psi) internal operating pressure.

Two displacements are offered to cover the speed range up to 1700 grpm. The large displacement pump (0.875 inch/22.22 mm thick) is intended to be used with governor drive speeds from 350 to 1200 rpm. Running the large displacement pump continuously above 1200 grpm could result in excessive oil temperatures. The small displacement pump (0.625 inch/15.88 mm thick) is designed to be used with governor drive speeds between 500 and 1700 rpm maximum continuous operation. The description of governors (naming in the extended description) refers to the thickness (equals flow) of the pump segment in inches.

The direction of rotation is selected by pump housing alignment. Once this selection is made, the pump operates in one direction only. The drive uses a maximum of 335 W (0.45 hp).

## References

The following publications provide additional information about installation, operation, and storage of Woodward products. All are available on the Woodward website ([www.woodward.com](http://www.woodward.com)).

### Publication

25071	Oils for Hydraulic Controls
25075	Commercial Preservation Packaging for Storage of Mechanical-Hydraulic Controls
50516	Governor Linkage for Butterfly Control Valve
03339	UG-25+ Product Specification
36684	Booster Servomotor

Contact your nearest Woodward Distributor or Authorized Independent Service Facility about repairs.

## Serviceability

No field-replaceable parts



The UG-25+ is not equipped with an overspeed trip function. The engine, turbine, or other type of prime mover should be equipped with an overspeed shutdown device to protect against runaway or damage to the prime mover with possible personal injury, loss of life, or property damage.

The overspeed shutdown device must be totally independent of the prime mover control system. An overtemperature or overpressure shutdown device may also be needed for safety, as appropriate.

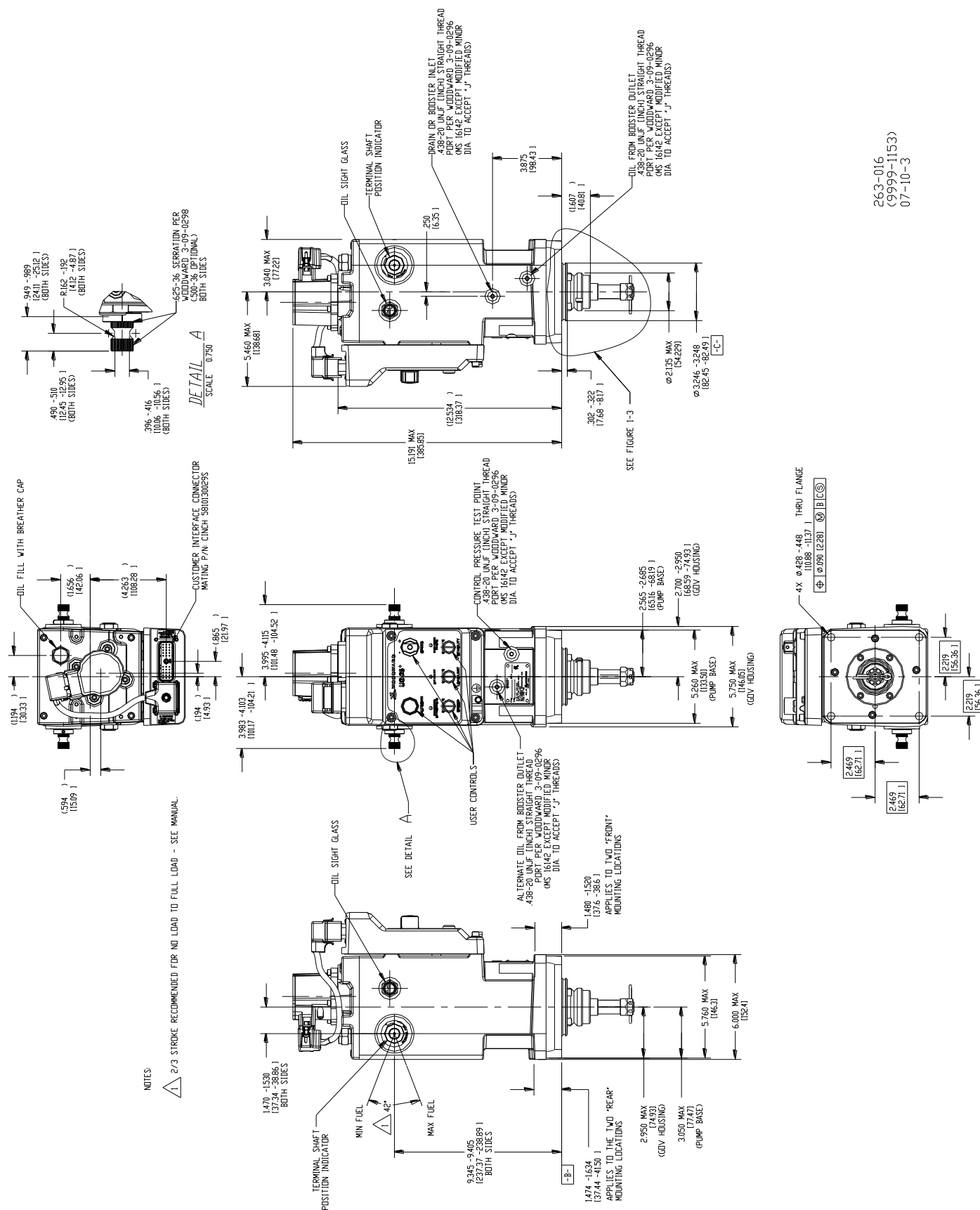


Figure 1-1. UG-25+ Outline Drawing (25 lb-ft version)

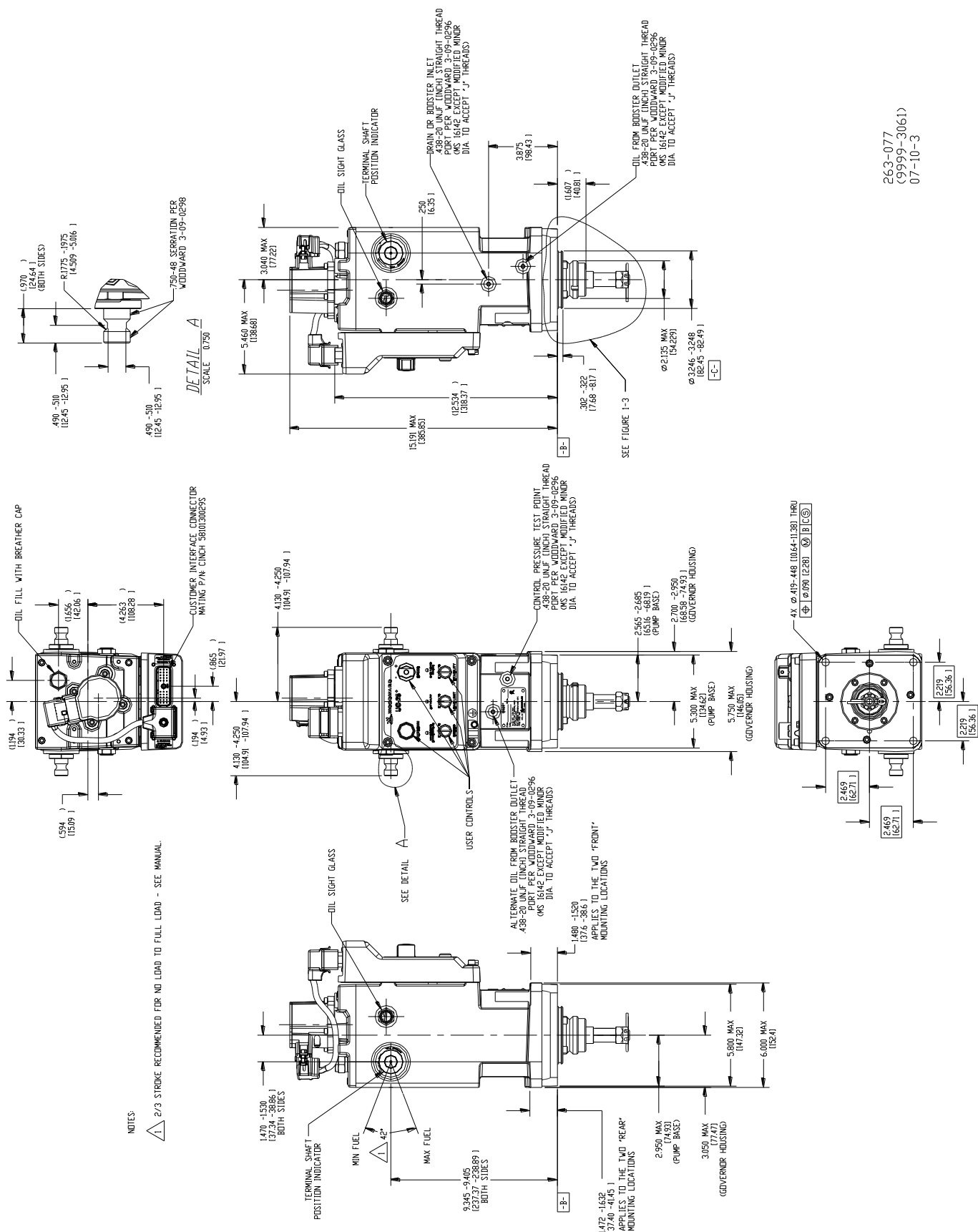


Figure 1-2. UG-25+ Outline Drawing (31 lb-ft version)

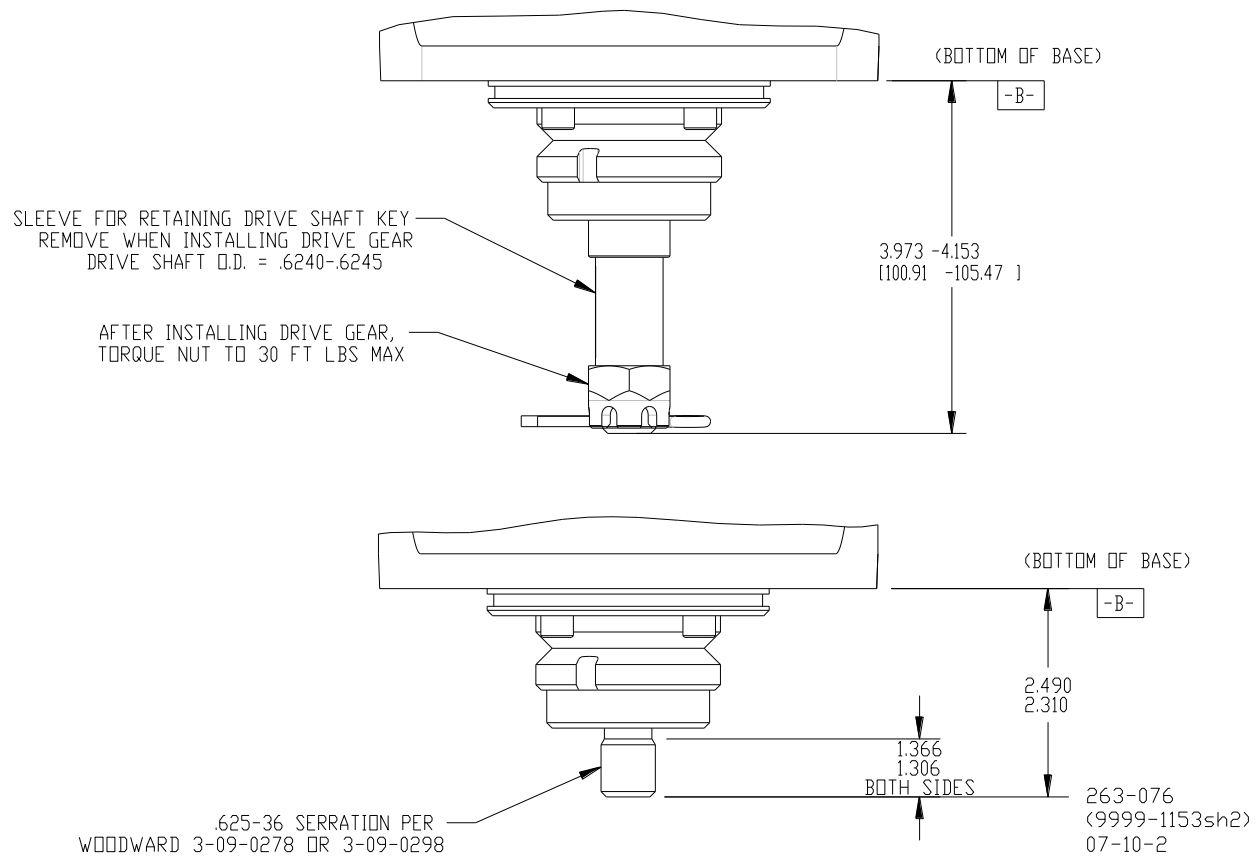


Figure 1-3. UG-25+ Drive Shaft Configurations

## Chapter 2. Mechanical Installation

### Introduction

This chapter describes receiving, storage, and installation requirements for the UG-25+.

#### **WARNING**

Due to typical noise levels in turbine or engine environments, hearing protection should be worn when working on or around the UG-25+.

#### **WARNING**

The surface of this product can become hot enough or cold enough to be a hazard. Use protective gear for product handling in these circumstances. Temperature ratings are included in the specification section of this manual.

#### **WARNING**

Use of an independent device for positive shutdown, such as a fuel shut-off valve, is highly recommended. Failure to comply with this recommendation can cause personal injury and/or property damage.

#### **WARNING**

Use of an external spring to return to minimum fuel is highly recommended. Failure to comply with this recommendation can cause personal injury and/or property damage.

#### **WARNING**

Use of a predicted minimum fuel shutdown procedure is highly recommended. Failure to comply with this recommendation can cause personal injury and/or property damage.

#### **NOTICE**

Use care while handling and installing the UG-25+. Be particularly careful to avoid striking the drive shaft, terminal shaft, or the electrical connector. Abuse can damage seals, internal parts, and factory adjustments. Do not set the governor on its drive shaft.

### Initial Operation

#### **WARNING**

Before initial operation of the engine equipped with a UG-25+, read all of Chapters 2 and 3, Installation Procedures and Electrical Installation. Make sure that all installation steps have been correctly accomplished and all linkages are secured and properly attached. Carefully review the direction of rotation for the actuator oil pump. Configure the software settings following the instructions in Chapter 6.

Follow this procedure when putting a new or repaired UG into service.

1. Check that the actuator is full of the proper type and grade of clean oil.
2. Properly adjust the linkage.





To prevent possible serious injury or loss of life, or damage to the engine, be sure to allow sufficient overtravel at each end of the terminal shaft so the actuator can shut down the engine, and also give maximum fuel when required. Misadjusted linkage could prevent the actuator from shutting down the engine.

3. Select a low speed setting to give low engine speed at initial start-up.



Be prepared to make an emergency shutdown when starting the engine, turbine, or other type of prime mover, to protect against runaway or overspeed with possible personal injury, loss of life, or property damage.

4. Follow the engine manufacturer's instructions, and start the engine.
5. Adjust the selected speed setting to bring the engine to rated speed.
6. Obtain system stability as outlined in Chapter 7 (Speed PID Tuning). (If less than the recommended actuator output stroke is used, it may cause for less than optimum engine stability or response.)

All operating adjustments of the UG-25+ are made during factory calibration. Additional adjustment should not be needed.

## Unpacking

Be careful when unpacking the unit. Check the unit for signs of damage, such as bent or dented panels, scratches, and loose or broken parts. Notify the shipper and Woodward if damage is found.

## Receiving

After factory testing and calibration, the UG-25+ is drained of oil. This leaves a light film of oil on internal parts to prevent rust. External parts are painted or coated with a spray lubricant/rust inhibitor.

No internal cleaning or flushing is necessary before installation and operation. The little oil left in the governor is clean, multi-viscosity engine oil, which will not contaminate the oil selected to operate the governor.

Fill the governor with 2.1 liters (2.2 quarts) of oil selected to match the expected operating conditions. (If the governor is a direct replacement for a UG governor, you may use the same grade and weight of oil that was being used in the governor.) Use only new, clean oil in the governor. Do not allow dirt or contamination to enter the governor while filling with operating oil. Do not use oil drained from the UG governor.



Figure 2-1. UG-25+ Governor Overview

## Storage

The UG-25+ may be stored for short periods of time (less than a year) as received from the factory. For long-term storage (more than a year), storage in an environment with large temperature changes, humid or corrosive atmosphere, etc., or if the governor is installed on the engine for storage, fill the governor with oil and follow preservation packaging instructions in Woodward manual 25075, *Commercial Preservation Packaging for Storage of Mechanical-Hydraulic Controls*.

## Drive Shaft Rotation

The governor drive-shaft rotation is one direction only. Rotation, as viewed from the top of the governor, must be the same as that of the engine drive when looking down on the mounting pad.

If the governor oil pump is rotated in the wrong direction, oil pressure will not be generated in the governor.

### NOTICE

Be sure engine mounting-pad drive and governor-drive rotation are the same. Incorrect drive rotation will cause the governor to become inoperative, and may cause governor damage.

THIS FIGURE SHOWS COUNTERCLOCKWISE ROTATION WHEN VIEWED FROM TOP OF ACTUATOR.

ALIGN THE ROTATION ARROW WITH NOTCH IN BASE.

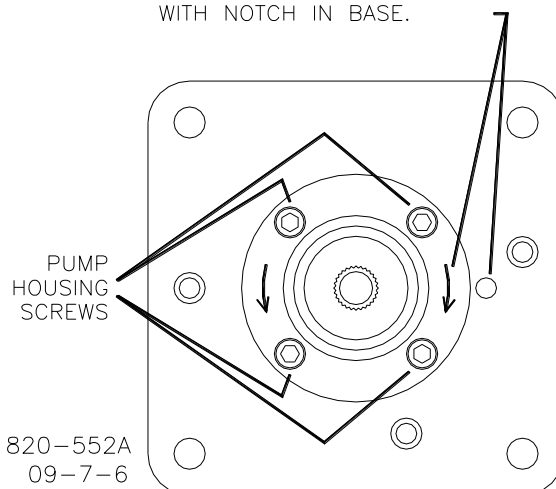


Figure 2-2. Proper Drive Shaft Rotation

Use the following procedure to change the direction of rotation:

1. Remove the four pump-housing screws located on the bottom of the UG-25+.
2. Index the pump plate 180 degrees to align the arrow corresponding to the direction of rotation selected with the reference notch in the base.
3. Replace the four screws, and torque the screws to 10.2 N·m (90 lb-in).
4. Make sure that the governor drive shaft rotates freely.

## Mounting Location

Locate the UG-25+ a distance from sources of extreme radiant heat, such as exhaust manifolds, turbochargers, or live steam lines. The ambient operating temperature range of the control is 0 to 55 °C (32 to +131 °F) [maximum allowable governor case temperature is 100 °C (212 °F max)]. In spark-ignited applications, make sure the UG-25+ is located away from the ignition coil, and that harness wires are not routed next to the spark plug wires.

As shown in the specifications, the UG-25+ has been designed for and verified to a given accelerated life vibration test level at the mounting surface of the governor. The user should be aware that in any application, bracket design could significantly change the vibration levels at the module. Therefore, every effort should be made to make the bracket as stiff as possible so that engine vibrations are not amplified, creating an even more severe environment at the module.

## Attitude

The UG-25+ can be installed in a vertical or near vertical position without affecting its calibration. Do not install more than 45 degrees from vertical. See the outline drawing for installation instructions and dimensions.

## Mounting Dimension

When using the O-ring to seal between the governor and governor mounting pad on the engine, the mounting hole should have dimensions of 82.7–83.2 mm (3.255–3.275 inches) in order to provide the correct amount of squeeze on the O-ring. The mounting hole must be concentric with the drive in order to avoid side-loading the governor drive shaft. (This O-ring part number 1355-308 can be ordered separately from Woodward.)

## Lifting Method

When mounting the UG-25+ on the engine, a lifting sling can be used as shown in the photo below.

### NOTICE

This lifting method should be used only for normal installation of the UG-25+. Do NOT use this method for removing the UG-25+ if the governor may be stuck in/on the engine drive. This could result in serious damage to the UG-25+.



Figure 2-3. Proper Lifting Technique

## Drive Connection

Make sure the governor drive shaft turns freely before installing the governor. The drive gear or coupling must slip freely into the governor drive of the engine. Torque the nut that secures the drive gear to 40.7 N·m (30 lb-ft) maximum.

Do not apply external force. The drive must be free of binding, side load, or excess end-play. Improper alignment or fit between the parts can result in excessive wear or governor-drive seizure.

Mount the governor squarely on the mounting pad. Torque the mounting bolts evenly. There can be no movement or rocking of the governor on the engine-mounting pad.

## Control Linkage

The terminal shaft rotates 42 degrees. Use 2/3 of the total rotation between no load and full load. The additional “overtravel” should be split and used at both ends to provide maximum fuel when required and to assure shutdown at minimum-fuel governor position (see Figure 2-2).

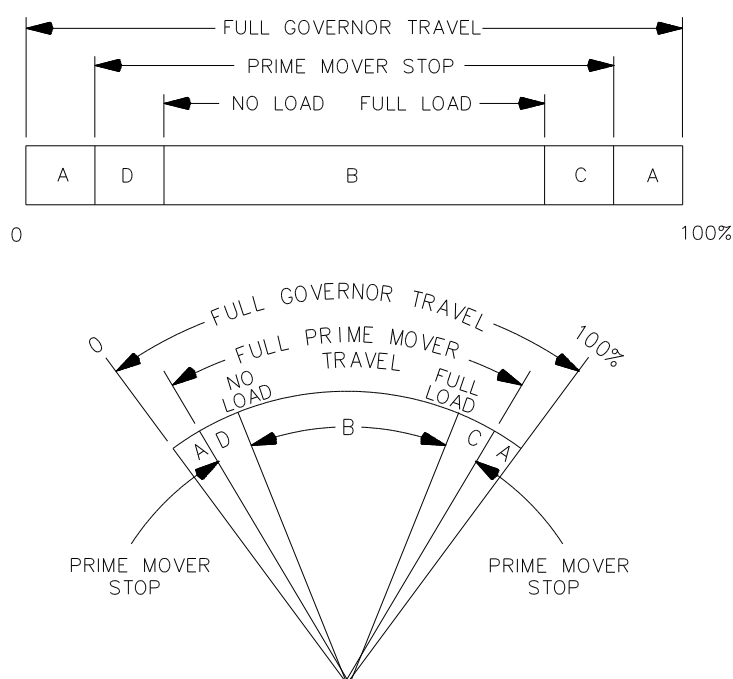


# WARNING

To prevent possible serious injury or loss of life, or damage to the engine, be sure to allow sufficient overtravel at each end of the terminal shaft so the governor can shut down the engine, and also give maximum fuel when required. Misadjusted linkage could prevent the governor from shutting down the engine.

Many control problems are related to the linkage between the governor and the engine. Use only high-quality rod ends for the linkage, rod ends that will last under the nearly constant motion associated with precise speed control. The linkage must be stiff, not subject to engine-caused vibration. The linkage must be as light as possible and still maintain the attributes of stiffness. Linkage which is too heavy can damage the governor as well as make it difficult to achieve steady control.

Installed linkages must operate smoothly, be free of binding, and free of lost motion due to worn parts. If there is a collapsible member in the linkage, be sure it does not yield each time the governor moves the linkage rapidly.



- A – OVERTRAVEL TO INSURE PRIME MOVER STOPS ARE REACHED.
- B – NO LOAD TO FULL LOAD TRAVEL – NORMALLY 2/3 OF FULL GOVERNOR TRAVEL IS RECOMMENDED.
- C – TRAVEL REQUIRED TO ACCELERATE THE PRIME MOVER.
- D – TRAVEL REQUIRED TO DECELERATE OR SHUT DOWN PRIME MOVER.

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Figure 2-4. Terminal Shaft Travel

Use a linear linkage for most diesel applications. Most gas-fueled engines will require a non-linear linkage. See Figures 2-3 and 2-4 for information on the arrangements of linear and nonlinear connections. Linear linkage moves the fuel setting shaft in direct proportion to the movement of the governor output.

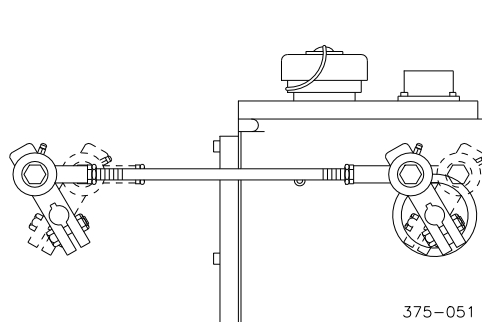


Figure 2-5. Linear Linkage

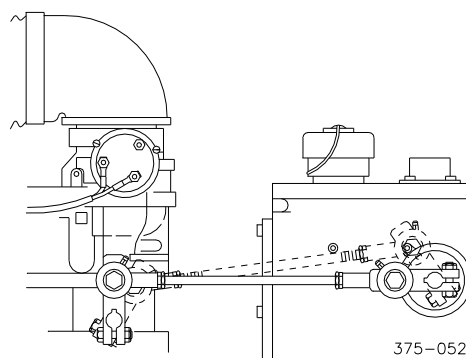


Figure 2-6. Non-linear Linkage

A non-linear fuel arrangement lets the governor move the fuel setting more at maximum settings than it does at minimum settings. Woodward application note 50516, *Governor Linkage for Butterfly Throttle Valves*, provides more information about non-linear linkage.

Design the linkage so the power output of the engine is proportional to the position of the governor output shaft.

Follow the engine manufacturer's instructions on linkage selection, installation, and adjustment. In almost all cases, the linkage designed for a UG-8 governor will work with the UG-25+, with the exception that the standard terminal shaft size is 0.625-36 serrated versus the UG-8 standard size of 0.50-36 serrated. In the case of a direct exchange, make sure that the linkage is in good condition and the installation of the lever on the governor is in the same position as it was on the old governor.

## Oil Supply

Use the information given in Figures 2-5 and 2-6 as a guide in the selection of a suitable oil. Oil grade selection is based on the operating temperature range of the governor. Also, use this information to aid in recognizing and correcting common problems associated with oil used in the governor. Many operation and maintenance problems associated with UG-25+ are directly related to the selection and condition of the oil in the governor. Use care in the selection and make sure that the oil in the governor is not contaminated.

The oil in the UG-25+ is both a lubricating and hydraulic oil. It must have a viscosity index that allows it to perform over the operating temperature range and it must have the proper blending of additives that cause it to remain stable and predictable over this range.

The UG-25+ is designed to give stable operation with most oils, if the fluid viscosity at the operating temperature is within a 50 to 3000 SUS (Saybolt Universal Seconds) range (see Figure 2-6). Poor governor response or instability is an indication that the oil is too thick or too thin.

Governor oil must be compatible with seal material, that is, nitrile, polyacrylic, and fluorocarbon. Many automotive and gas engine oils, industrial lubricating oils, and other oils of mineral or synthetic origin meet these requirements.

Fill the governor with about 2.1 liters (2.2 quarts) of oil, to a level visible in the oil sight glass. After the engine is started and the governor is at operating temperature, add oil if necessary. Oil must be visible in the glass under all operating conditions.

Excessive component wear or seizure in the governor indicates the possibility of:

1. Insufficient lubrication caused by:
  - an oil that flows slowly when it is cold, especially during start-up;
  - no oil in the governor.

2. Contaminated oil caused by:
  - dirty oil containers;
  - governor exposed to heating and cooling cycles, which created condensation of water in the oil.
3. Oil not suitable for the operating conditions caused by:
  - changes in ambient temperature;
  - improper oil level which creates foamy, aerated oil.

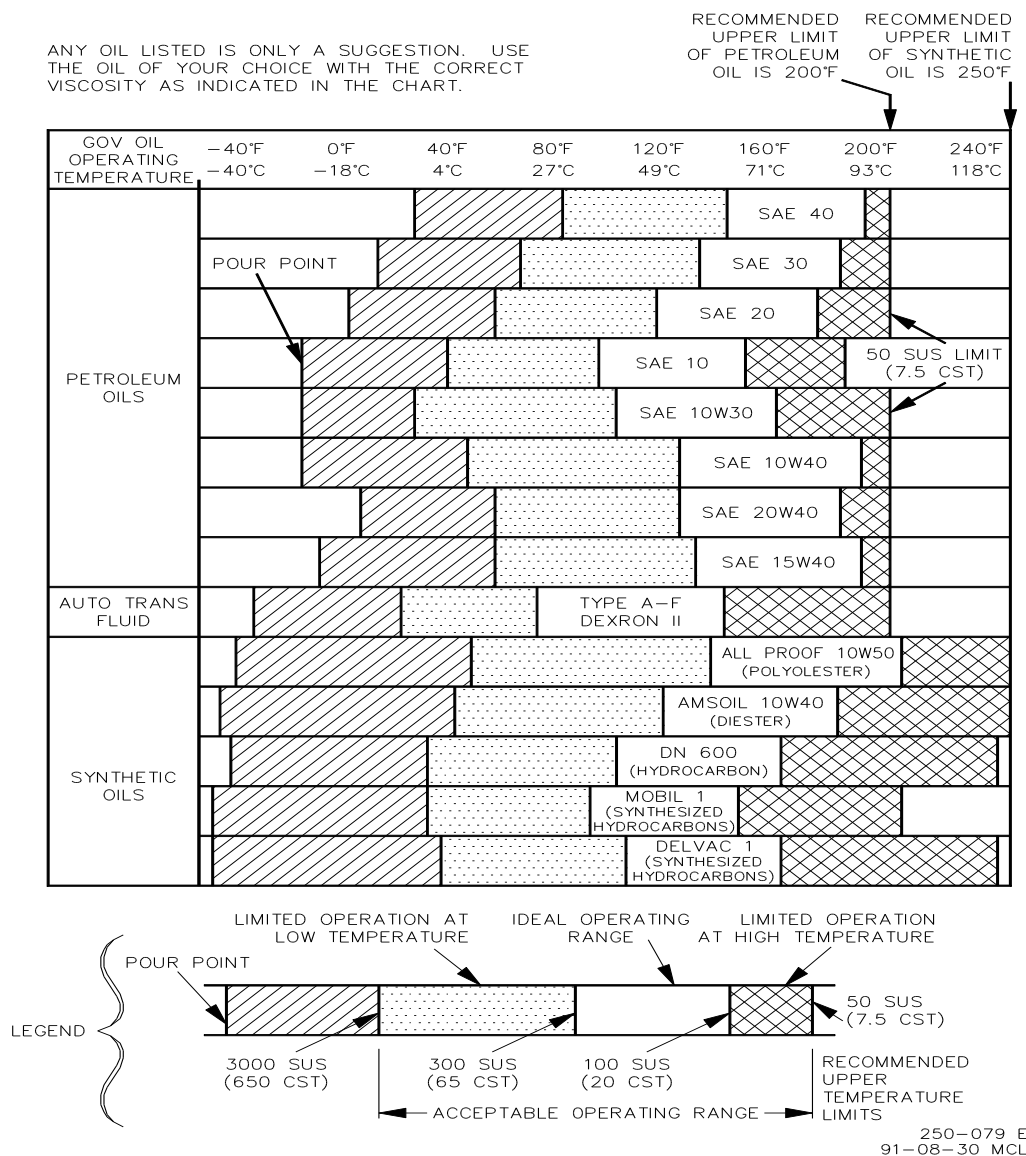


Figure 2-7. Oil Chart

Operating a governor continuously beyond the high limit temperature of the oil will result in oil oxidation. Varnish or sludge deposits on the governor parts identify this condition. To reduce oil oxidation, lower the governor operating temperature with a heat exchanger or other means, or change to an oil more oxidation-resistant at the operating temperature.





# WARNING

To prevent possible serious injury or loss of life, or damage to the engine, resulting from engine overspeed or a runaway engine, be sure to use only oil that falls within the 50 to 3000 SUS range. Using oils outside this range could cause the governor to be unable to prevent a runaway engine.

VISCOSITY COMPARISONS				
CENTISTOKES (CST, CS, OR CTS)	SAYBOLT UNIVERSAL SECONDS (SUS) NOMINAL AT 100 DEGREES F	SAE MOTOR (APPROXIMATE)	SAE GEAR (APPROXIMATE)	ISO
15	80	5W		15
22	106	5W		22
32	151	10W	75	32
46	214	10	75	46
68	310	20	80	68
100	463	30	80	100
150	696	40	85	150
220	1020	50	90	220
320	1483	60	115	320
460	2133	70	140	460

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Figure 2-8. Viscosity Comparisons

## Oil Maintenance

Replace the governor oil if it is contaminated, and change it if it is suspected of contributing to instability. Drain the oil while it is still hot. Flush the governor with a clean solvent having some lubricating quality (fuel oil or kerosene) before refilling with new oil. If drain time is insufficient for the solvent to completely drain or evaporate, flush the governor with the same oil it is being refilled with to avoid dilution and possible contamination of the new oil.

Oil that has been carefully selected to match the operating conditions and is compatible with governor components should give long service between oil changes. Check oil conditions regularly and change oil if any deterioration or contamination is suspected.

Regularly scheduled oil changes will extend the life of the governor and improve governor operation. Properly selected oil should permit annual oil changes, but more frequent changes are recommended. Too long an interval between oil changes can result in sticking of components and plugged oil passages.



# WARNING

Do not remove covers or connect/disconnect electrical connectors unless power has been switched off or the area is known to be non-hazardous.

Substitution of components may impair suitability for Class I, Division 2.



**AVERTISSEMENT**

Ne pas enlever les couvercles, ni raccorder / débrancher les prises électriques, sans vous en assurez auparavant que le système a bien été mis hors tension; ou que vous vous situez bien dans une zone non explosive.

La substitution de composants peut rendre ce matériel inacceptable pour les emplacements de Classe I, Division 2.

## Heat Exchanger

A heat exchanger for the UG-25+ is not available from Woodward.

## Recommended Service Intervals

Carefully consider the choice of governor oil with your oil supplier. Monitor the condition of the oil, especially the build-up of deposits, to ensure that the oil remains within the operating conditions defined by the oil supplier. See manual 25071 for more information on oil and oil maintenance.

To change oil, remove the drain plug and drain out the old oil. Flush the governor by filling it with fuel oil, and with the prime mover running at low speed, cycle the governor by increasing the Stability knob setting on the user interface until the governor hunts. Let the governor hunt for a minute or two, then stop the engine and drain the governor. Flush the governor once again. Refill the governor with oil (see Chapter 2, Oil Supply).

Restart the engine and reset the Stability knob.

Woodward recommends overhauling the UG-25+ governor to inspect for wear and to replace seals, bearings, etc. The overhaul interval of the UG-25+ will be dependent on application. Woodward recommends using the same interval as the engine. Units may need to be re-manufactured/overhauled before that time if there is oil leakage, parts become loose, or if the unit experiences severe operating conditions of heat or vibration.

## Chapter 3. Electrical Installation

### Introduction

This chapter provides instructions for making the proper electrical connections to the UG-25+. Detailed wiring diagrams and recommended wiring practices are given to make the electrical installation as straightforward as possible. There are several functional wiring options for UG-25+, and these are outlined in this chapter. The only input that is absolutely required is a power connection; all others are optional features. All wiring and accessories (connectors, pins, plugs, etc) are provided by the customer, but are shown in this chapter for ease of assembly.

The UG-25+ has an operating voltage range of 18 to 32 Vdc. It is reverse input polarity protected, and consumes approximately 27 W maximum power at a peak current of 1.5 A (18 V) at 25 °C. Maximum power at the UG-25+ is only realized if an internal fault occurs. Nominal operating current will be less than 500 mA at 24 V nominal.

The control system should be protected with a 6 A fuse in the voltage supply lines. The application should be configured to apply power to the UG-25+ when the engine is first cranked, or slightly before.

### Unit Grounding

The Governor housing must be electrically bonded to earth ground through the mechanical mounting interface in order to ensure proper EMC and Safety compliance. Do this using a 1" wide braided grounding strap with as short a length as possible. The ground strap can be tied to the ground post on the front of the governor, directly below the user interface panel.



Figure 3-1. Location of Ground Strap

#### **NOTICE**

Due to the hazardous location listings associated with this product, proper wire type and wiring practices are critical to operation.

Do not connect any cable grounds to "instrument ground", "control ground", or any non-earth ground system. Make all required electrical connections based on the wiring diagrams (Figures 3-2 and 3-3).

## Shielded Wiring

The use of cable with individually shielded-twisted pairs is required where indicated by the control-wiring diagram (Figure 3-1a). Cable shields must be terminated as indicated in the control-wiring diagram using the installation notes described below. DO NOT attempt to directly ground the shield at both ends or an undesired ground loop condition may occur. It is best to terminate the shield at the UG-25+, leaving the other end of the shield unterminated or electrically floating.

### Installation Notes

- Wires exposed beyond the shield should be as short as possible, not exceeding 50 mm (2 inches).
- The shield termination wire (or drain wire) should be kept as short as possible, not exceeding 50 mm (2 inches), and where possible the diameter should be maximized.
- Installations with severe electromagnetic interference (EMI) may require additional shielding precautions. Contact Woodward for more information.

Failure to provide shielding can produce abnormal conditions which are difficult to diagnose. Proper shielding at the time of installation is required to assure satisfactory operation of the product.



### WARNING

**EXPLOSION HAZARD—Do not connect or disconnect while circuit is live unless area is known to be non-hazardous.**

Substitution of components may impair suitability for Class I, Division or Zone applications.



### WARNING

External independent safety devices are always recommended by Woodward. Fuse the Power Input +(J1-30-F3) with a 6 A fuse. Fuse Boost Pressure Sensor Power Output+ (Pin J1-30-E3) with a 500 mA fuse. See Figure 3-1a.



### WARNING

This UG-25+ does NOT provide for power-loss annunciation. Woodward recommends that the device that is powered by this UG-25+ have an independent power-loss annunciation.

### NOTICE

Do not perform high-resistance insulation testing on the UG-25+ in the field, as this could damage the transient voltage protection circuitry.

### NOTICE

The control will only meet ingress protection specifications while the Cinch connector is installed in the unit. As such, the unit should not be exposed to operating environments unless the mating connector is installed. In addition, if a wire is not used for each of the 30 pins, a Cinch 581-00-00-011 Seal Plug must be used in place of each missing wire. To ensure proper connector sealing, the wiring insulation diameter must meet the sealing diameter specifications. Failure to adhere to these guidelines may result in product failure or decreased life.

### IMPORTANT

Woodward recommends safe connector mating procedures, including checking both ends of the connector system for debris that may prevent reliable connection, and also checking for proper keying of the connectors involved. Do this prior to mating the connectors.

## Electrical Connections

Prior to installation, refer to the wiring diagrams and the representative I/O interfaces schematic in this chapter. Also, review the hardware I/O specifications in Appendix B.

Use 1.3 mm<sup>2</sup> (16 AWG) stranded copper wire with insulation that meets temperature requirements in the harness design. A wiring harness stress relief within 400 mm (16") of the control's connector is recommended.

Contain the harness with wire loom or sheath to make it into a single bundle. Use grommets when passing the harness through metal panels.

### Recommended Wire Specifications

1.3 mm<sup>2</sup> (16 AWG), Minimum Insulation O.D. 1.96 mm (0.077"), -65 to +200 °C, 1000 Vrms, 19/29 Stranded Conductor, Teflon Insulation (TFE).

### Connector

The electrical connector on the UG-25+ is a 30-pin Cinch connector (581-01-30-029S). Seal plugs are required for all unused pins.

#### NOTICE

**Do not overtorque the 30-pin Cinch connector. Torque the connector to 1.7 to 2.3 N·m (15 to 20 lb-in).**

The following customer-supplied connector components are recommended for harness designs:

	<u>Woodward P/N</u>	<u>Cinch P/N</u>
Mating Connector (30 position)	1635-1082	581-01-30-029
Sockets	1602-1007	425-00-00-873
Seal Plug	1223-1006	581-00-00-011

**\*\* All of the connector components above can be purchased from Woodward as a kit by specifying Woodward Item Number 6995-1092.**

### Recommended Tools

Connector Fabrication Hand Tools Kit 6995-1009 (*available for purchase from Woodward*)

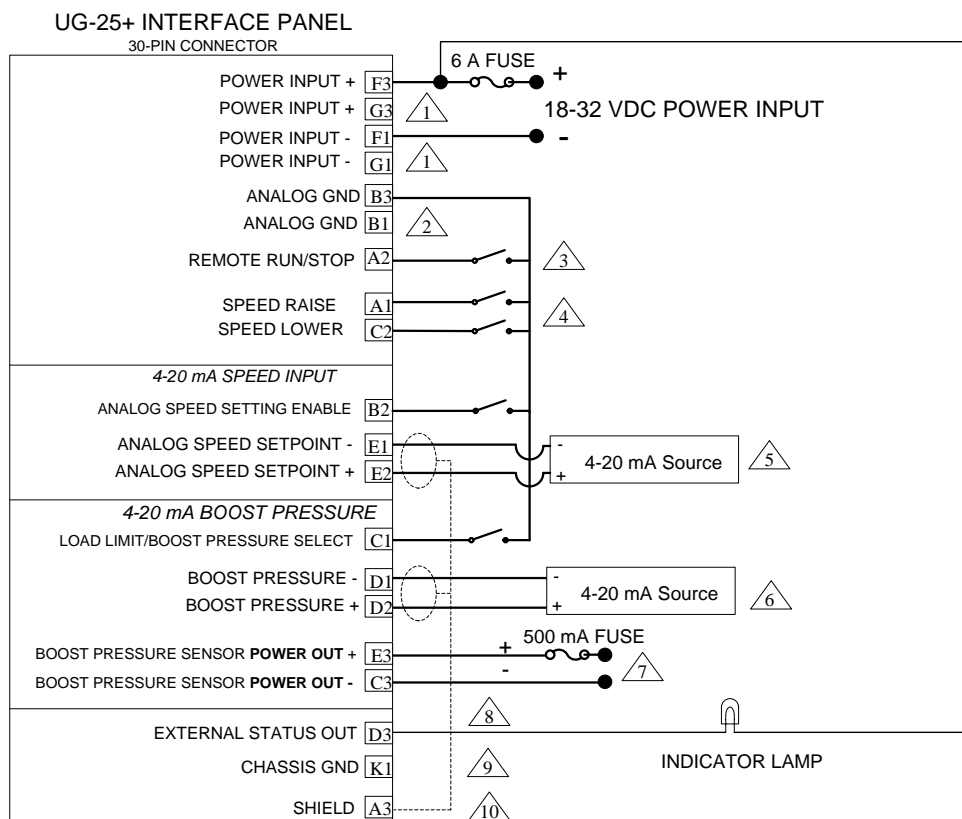
Contains the following tools:

Terminal Crimp Tool	8996-2000	599-11-11-616
Terminal Removal Tool	8996-2001	581-01-18-920
Rnd Lock Removal Tool-30 pin	8996-2002	581-01-30-916

#### IMPORTANT

**This kit also includes the lock removal tool for the 18-pin connector, but there is no need to modify connections in the 18-pin harness.**

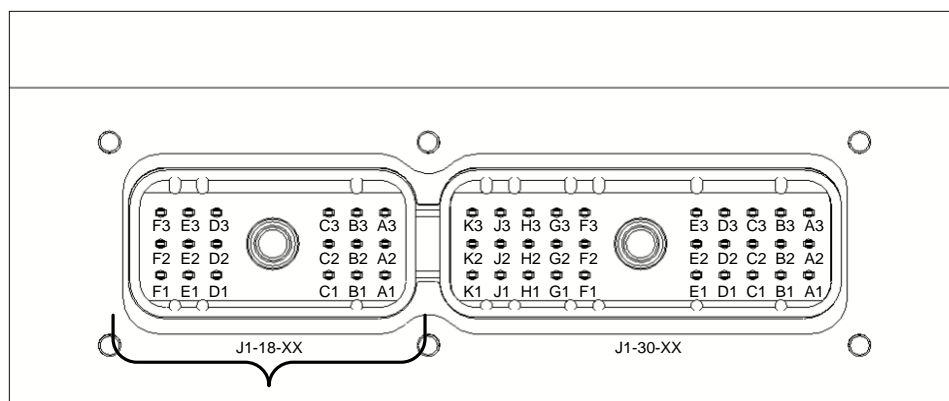
- Insert seal plugs in all empty connector wire ports.
- Customer wiring to be 16 AWG.



- 1 WHEN USING REDUNDANT POWER, CONNECT TO PIN G3 AND PIN G1 IN THE SAME MANNER AS F3, USING A 6 A STANDARD FUSE, AND F1. OTHERWISE LEAVE THESE PINS UNTERMINATED.
- 2 A REDUNDANT ANALOG GROUND IS PROVIDED.
- 3 WHEN USING REMOTE RUN/STOP, CONNECT AS SHOWN: OPEN TO RUN, CLOSE TO STOP (MOMENTARY CLOSED).
- 4 WHEN USING REMOTE SPEED RAISE/LOWER, CONNECT AS SHOWN.
- 5 WHEN USING 4-20 mA SPEED INPUT. PIN B2 MUST BE CONNECTED TO ANALOG GND.
- 6 WHEN USING 4-20 mA BOOST PRESSURE, PIN C1 MUST BE CONNECTED TO ANALOG GND. IF PIN C1 IS LEFT FLOATING THEN LOAD LIMIT IS SELECTED.
- 7 POWER FOR THE BOOST PRESSURE SENSOR IS PROVIDED, IF NEEDED. A FUSE SHOULD BE USED AS SHOWN. THIS IS AN **OUTPUT** VOLTAGE THAT FOLLOWS FROM THE POWER INPUT+ (F3 & G3).
- 8 THIS IS AN OPTIONAL HOOKUP. THIS PROVIDES FOR A REMOTE "UNIT HEALTHY" STATUS LAMP FROM EITHER F3 OR G3 OR BOTH. IF A SECOND INDICATOR LAMP IS USED, THE OTHER SIDE OF THE LAMP IS CONNECTED TO TERMINAL D3.
- 9 CHASSIS GROUND IS PROVIDED, IF NEEDED.
- 10 A SHIELD CONNECTION IS PROVIDED, IF NEEDED.

**GENERAL NOTE:** FLOATING INPUTS ON THE PINS A1, A2, B2, C1, C2 IS ACCEPTABLE BECAUSE THEY ARE INTERNALLY PULLED-UP TO +7 VDC. EXTERNAL PULL-UPS ARE *NOT* REQUIRED NOR RECOMMENDED.

Figure 3-2. UG-25+ Application Wiring



↑ This is for factory wiring only. Do not modify any connections made to this side of the connector.

Figure 3-3. UG-25+ Connector Pin Arrangement as Viewed from Top

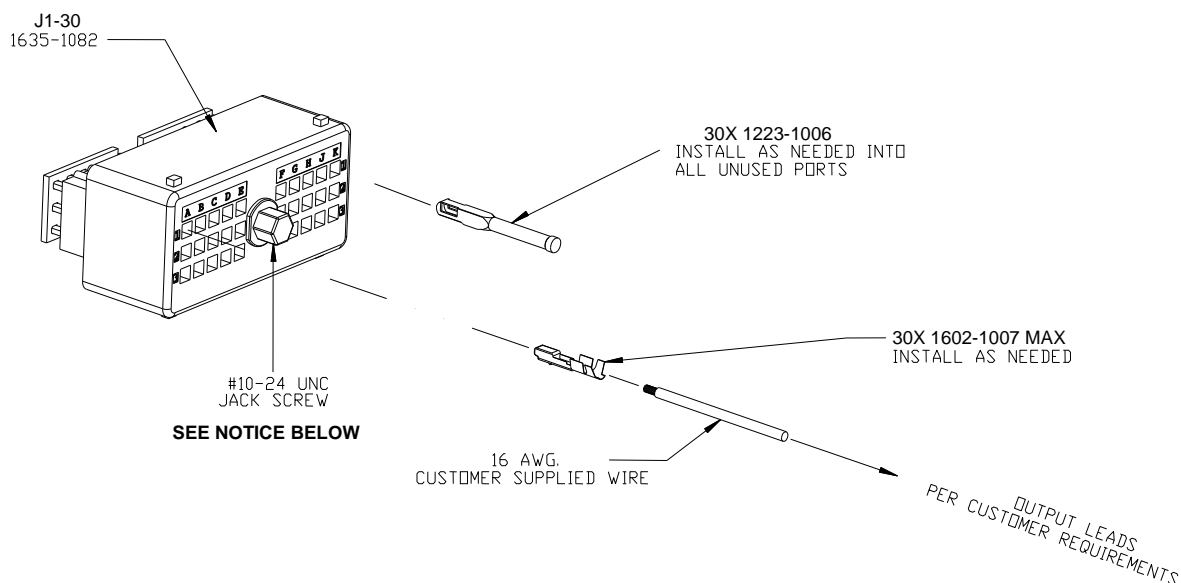


Figure 3-4. Connector Wiring Assembly

## NOTICE

Due to the hazardous location listings associated with this product, proper wire type and wiring practices are critical to operation.

Do not connect any cable grounds to “instrument ground”, “control ground”, or any non-earth ground system. Make all required electrical connections based on the wiring diagrams (Figures 3-1a and 3-1b).

Do not overtorque the 30-pin Cinch connector. Torque the connector to 1.7 to 2.3 N·m (15 to 20 lb-in).

Table 3-1. Customer I/O Pin Assignment (30-Pin Connector)

Connector Pin #	Description	Comment	Type
J1-30-A1	Remote Speed Raise	Connecting this pin to Analog Ground, B3, <i>increases</i> the UG-25+ governor speed. This pin is internally pulled-up to 7 Vdc.	Input
J1-30-A2	Remote Run/Stop	Connecting this pin to Analog Ground, B3, turns OFF (stops) the UG-25+ governor. This pin is internally pulled-up to 7 Vdc.	Input
J1-30-A3	Shield	This pin is a conditioned shield tie point. (capacitively coupled to Chassis Ground)	N/A
J1-30-B1	Analog Ground	Circuit Ground for following functions: Remote Run/Stop, Remote Speed Raise, Remote Speed Lower, Analog Speed Setting Enabled, Load Limit/Boost Pressure Select. <i>Do not connect Analog Ground to Input Power (-)</i>	N/A
J1-30-B2	Analog Speed Setting Enabled	This pin <i>must</i> be connected to Analog Ground in order to use the 4–20 mA Analog Speed Setpoint. This pin is internally pulled-up to 7 Vdc.	Input
J1-30-B3	Analog Ground	Circuit Ground for the following functions: Remote Run/Stop, Remote Speed Raise, Remote Speed Lower, Analog Speed Setting Enabled, Load Limit/Boost Pressure Select. <i>Do not connect Analog Ground to Input Power (-)</i>	N/A
J1-30-C1	Load Limit/Boost Pressure Select	When pin J1-30-C1 floats, Load Limit is selected. When pin J1-30-C1 is connected to Analog Ground, Boost Pressure is selected. This pin is internally pulled-up to 7 Vdc.	Input
J1-30-C2	Remote Speed Lower	Connecting this pin to Analog Ground <i>decreases</i> the UG-25+ governor speed. This pin is internally pulled-up to 7 Vdc.	Input

Connector Pin #	Description	Comment	Type
J1-30-C3	Boost Pressure Sensor Power Out – (Return for 18-32 Vdc supply input)	Return for Supply Power for External Boost Pressure sensor. <i>Do not connect Analog Ground to this pin.</i>	Output
J1-30-D1	Boost Pressure Input –	This is the negative input of the 4–20 mA circuitry. Pin J1-30-C1 <i>must</i> be connected to Analog Ground to use this function.	Input
J1-30-D2	Boost Pressure Input +	This is the positive input of the 4–20 mA circuitry. Pin J1-30-C1 <i>must</i> be connected to Analog Ground to use this function.	Input
J1-30-D3	External Status Output	This provides for a remote “Unit Healthy” status. See UG-25+ Application Wiring Figure 3-1a.	Output, open drain, low-side switch.
J1-30-E1	Analog Spd Setpoint –	This is the negative input of 4–20 mA circuitry. Pin J1-30-B2 <i>must</i> be connected to Analog Ground to use this function.	Input
J1-30-E2	Analog Spd Setpoint +	This is the positive input of 4–20 mA circuitry. Pin J1-30-B2 <i>must</i> be connected to Analog Ground to use this function.	Input
J1-30-E3	Boost Pressure Sensor Power Out + (Supply Power, 18-32 Vdc, 1.5 A max.)	Supply Power for External Boost Pressure sensor. This is an <i>output</i> only! Do not connect external power to this power output. This output voltage follows the Power Input(+) minus a protection diode drop.	Output
J1-30-F1	Power Input –	Return for 18-32 Vdc Supply Input.	Input
J1-30-F2	No Connection	No Connection	
J1-30-F3	Power Input +	Supply Power (18-32 Vdc, 1.5 A max.)	Input
J1-30-G1	Power Input –	Return for 18-32 Vdc Supply Input.	Input
J1-30-G2	No Connection	No Connection	
J1-30-G3	Power Input +	Supply Power (18-32 Vdc, 1.5 A max.)	Input
J1-30-H1	No Connection	No Connection	
J1-30-H2	No Connection	No Connection	
J1-30-H3	No Connection	No Connection	
J1-30-J1	No Connection	No Connection	
J1-30-J2	No Connection	No Connection	
J1-30-J3	No Connection	No Connection	



Connector Pin #	Description	Comment	Type
J1-30-K1	Chassis Ground	This pin connects to Chassis ground through the circuit board, and then to the UG-25+ metal housing.	N/A
J1-30-K2	No Connection	No Connection	
J1-30-K3	No Connection	No Connection	

## Detailed Description of UG-25+ Electrical I/O

Customer Connections

Internal Connections / Logic

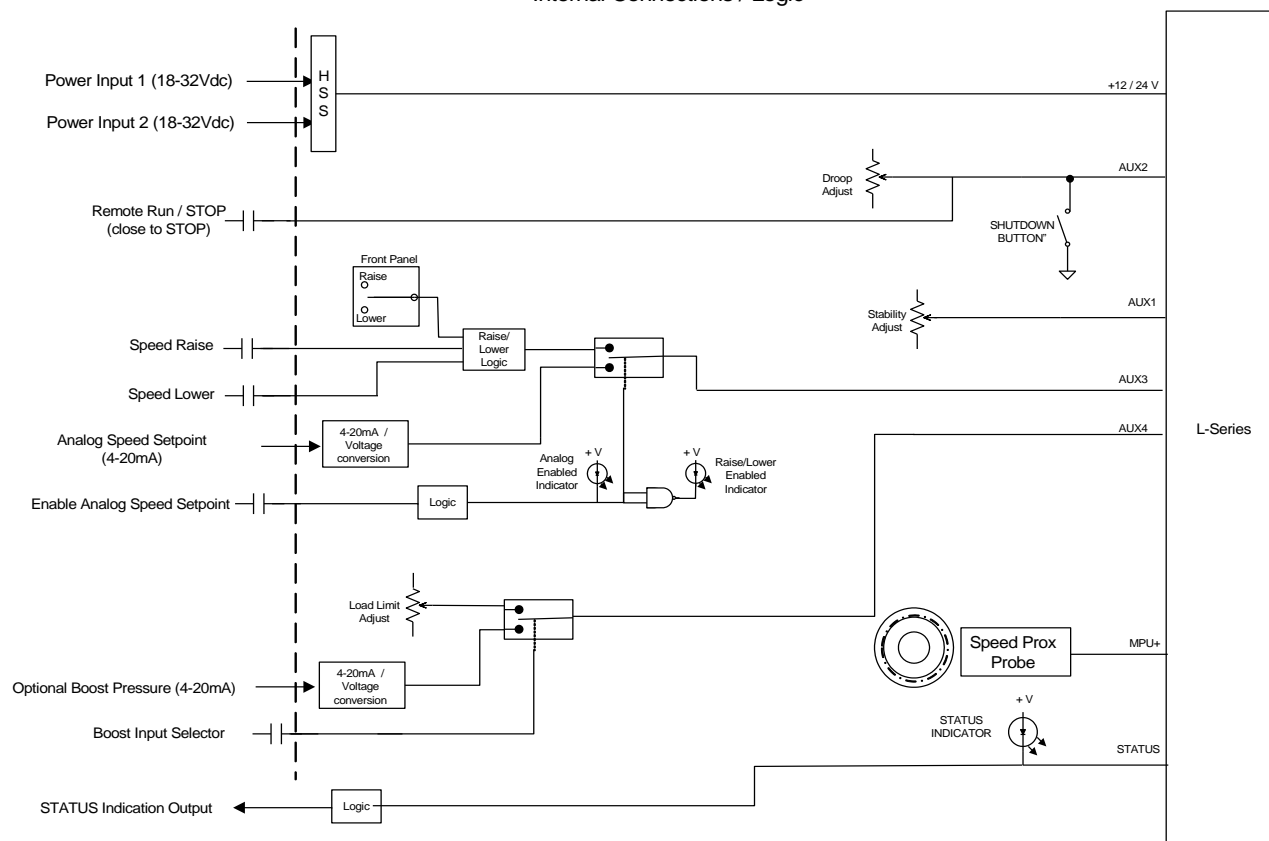


Figure 3-5. Internal Block Diagram

**Power Supply Input 1** (18–32 V at pin J1-30-F3, Power Input – at pin J1-30-F1)

**Power Supply Input 2** (18–32 V at pin J1-30-G3, Power Input – at pin J1-30-G1)

The UG-25+ will handle a voltage range of 18 to 32 Vdc, with an absolute maximum of 60 V.

The power supply terminals are reverse polarity protected, and in the case that a reverse polarity condition exists, the UG-25+ will not power-up and the output will remain at 0 Vdc.

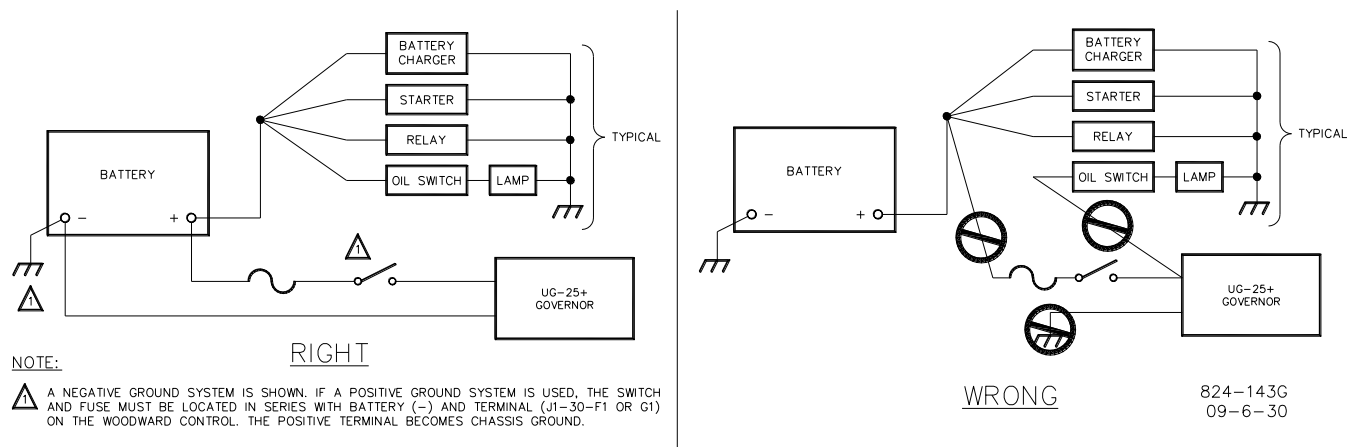
Woodward recommends using a 6 A fuse on the power supply line feeding J1-30-F3 and J1-30-G3 of the UG-25+.



**WARNING** The input power must be fused. Failure to fuse the UG-25+ could, under exceptional circumstances, lead to personal injury, damage to the control valve, and/or explosion.

## NOTICE

**If circuit ground and chassis ground are shorted together at the UG-25+, there is an increased risk of EMI susceptibility.**



### Figure 3-6. Correct and Incorrect Wiring to Power Supply

Woodward recommends using a standard 6 A fuse on the 18–32 Vdc input as show in Figure 3-1a. ***Do NOT use a slow-blow-type fuse in this application.***

## Relay Driver Output

A discrete output is provided to serve as a status indicator, mimicking the front panel Unit Health LED. This switchable discrete output is a closure to ground capable of sinking 500 mA maximum with an output voltage rise of less than 1.5 V, and it is available to power external relays for devices such as alarms or fuel shutoff solenoids. The circuit is protected internally against over-current and inductive spikes, so external clamping is not necessary.

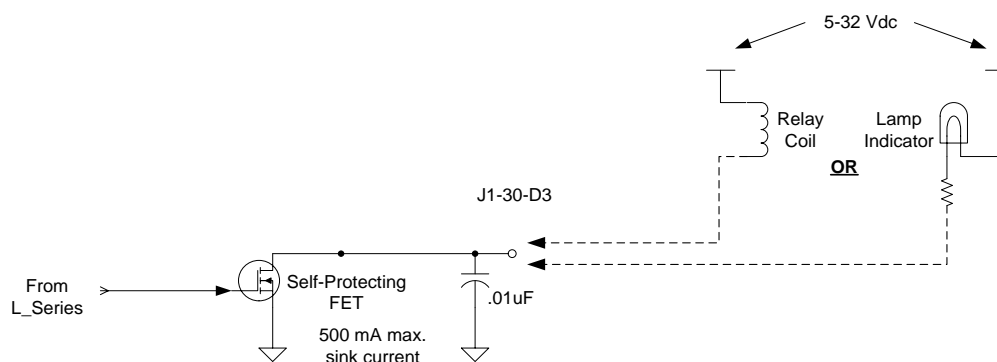


Figure 3-7. Relay Driver Output

### Analog Speed Setpoint

This input accepts a 4–20 mA current input that is proportional to a desired speed setpoint. In order to use this input, the external Analog Speed Setpoint Enable signal must be connected to Analog Ground.

## IMPORTANT

The user must provide an external means to clamp the speed bias input at 3 mA and 21 mA. An analog speed-bias input below 3 mA or above 21 mA is out of the normal 4 to 20 mA input range and may cause the analog speed bias function to become disabled even though the Analog indication LED remains on.

**Analog Speed Setpoint Enable**

The Analog Speed Setting Enable allows for remote speed settings. This input is enabled when the input is pulled to ground (0 Vdc). When this signal is not grounded, it can remain floating (no connection).

**Boost Fuel Limit Input**

This input accepts a 4–20 mA current input that is proportional to a desired boost signal. In order to use this input, the external Load Limit/Boost Pressure Select signal must be connected to Analog Ground.

**Boost Input Selector**

This external customer input allows the user to select either Load Limit or Boost Pressure. If the input floats and is not connected to analog ground, then Load Limit is selected. If the input is connected to Analog Ground, then Boost Pressure is selected.

**Speed Raise/Lower command**

The UG-25+ has both local and remote speed raise/lower capability. The local raise/lower is handled by using a magnetic proximity switch on the PCB that is actuated by a spring-loaded knob, mounted to the panel assembly. The knob can be set to either "+" or "-", but not both simultaneously.

- The remote raise/lower adjustments are made by connecting their respective connector pins to analog ground.
- There is hardware arbitration that must take place for this scheme to work.

The rules are as follows:

- 1) The local raise and lower adjustments have priority over the remote raise and lower adjustments.
- 2) If remote raise and local lower are activated simultaneously, the control will default to "lower".
- 3) If remote raise and remote lower are activated simultaneously, the control will default to "lower".

**Stop command**

The shutdown feature of the UG-25+ interface panel allows the user to force the governor to min fuel by either pushing the big red button on the UG-25+ front panel, or by connecting J1-30-A2 to analog ground (momentary closed) (in situations where the shutdown signal is to come from a control room).

**NOTICE**

To avoid EMI interference between the wire bundle and the interface panel, route the wires out of the connectors away from the panel controls. Do not allow the interface wiring to drape in front of the panel controls.

**NOTICE**

**MAGNETIC FIELDS**—During installation, avoid placing the interface panel in close proximity with any source of strong magnetic field (permanent magnet motor, magnetized tools, etc.). Strong magnetic fields can inject error into the adjustments available on the front of the interface panel.

## Chapter 4.

# Description of Operation

### General

The UG-25+ governor is a digital speed control with integral speed and position feedback. The governor output shaft provides a maximum rotation is 42 degrees for controlling diesel, gas, or dual fuel engines, or steam turbines. The speed setpoint can be adjusted with a 4–20 mA analog input or with raise/lower discrete inputs.

The UG-25+ front panel provides a convenient operating interface for the user. These functions and adjustments include:

**SHUTDOWN**—Pushing this red button forces the governor to immediately go to the minimum fuel position. The shutdown condition remains active until speed drops to zero.

**SPEED**—Selecting the (+) and (–) direction causes the speed setting to be raised or lowered. The speed setting will move toward the speed setting's upper or lower limit at the raise and lower speed setting rates for as long as the spring-loaded, return-to-center, selector switch is manually held in the (+) or (–) direction. Releasing this switch causes the speed setpoint to remain at that setting. Speed adjustment commands from this front panel switch have priority over external raise and lower commands. When raise and lower commands come from the front panel, remote raise and lower commands are ignored. This switch and external raise and lower commands are not active and will not change the speed setpoint when the external Analog (4 to 20 mA) speed-setting signal is enabled.

**ANALOG SPEED SETTING ENABLED LED**—This LED illuminates when the external Analog (4 to 20 mA) speed-setting signal is enabled. The speed setpoint can be moved with the external Analog (4 to 20 mA) speed-setting signal between Min Speed Limit (4 mA) and Max Speed Limit (20 mA). The manual front panel SPEED switch and the external raise and lower contact inputs are not active when this LED is on.

**UNIT HEALTHY LED**—This LED illuminates when there is electrical power supplied to the UG-25+ and the L-Series electronic governor internal to the UG-25+ is working properly. This LED goes off if supply power is removed or there is a fault in the L-Series electronics.

**RAISE / LOWER ENABLED LED**—This LED illuminates when either the manual front panel SPEED switch or the external raise and lower contact inputs are available to change the speed setpoint. This LED goes off if the external Analog (4 to 20 mA) speed-setting signal is enabled.

**DROOP Adjustment**—This adjustment allows the amount of output position droop (as a function of terminal shaft position) to be set between zero and to about ten percent (assuming 30 degrees of terminal shaft travel). Setting the adjustment fully CCW (counterclockwise) sets zero droop into the governor for isochronous operation.

**LOAD LIMIT Adjustment**—This adjustment limits the rotational travel of the output terminal shaft, which in turn, limits the fuel going to the engine and, therefore, the amount of load the engine can carry. The position limit setting is linear from 0% at full CCW to 100% at full CW. The use of the LOAD LIMIT adjustment must be configured when the governor is configured and the external Boost Input Selector discrete input must be open (disabled).

**STABILITY Adjustment**—This adjustment allows quick access to the governor's dynamic performance adjustments: P (proportional) and I (Integral) gain terms. The adjustment ranges from 0.5 (fully CCW) and 2.0 (fully CW) times the nominal gain settings. A multiplication factor of one is applied to the gain settings when the adjustment is set to mid position (12 o'clock).

See Figure 4-1 the location of these adjustments and indicators.



Figure 4-1. UG-25+ Front Panel Overview

Control adjustments are made from a PC using the UG-25+ Service Tool. The Service Tool is a Windows-based software tool used to configure, monitor, adjust, and troubleshoot a UG-25+ governor. It runs on a personal computer and communicates with the UG-25+ governor through an RS-232 serial connection. The UG-25+ Service Tool includes optional password protection to provide security against tampering.

The internal speed sensor input contains a filter that minimizes the effects of firing torsionals that occur normally in reciprocating engines. This filter ensures the governor will not react to speed sensor input changes produced by firing torsionals. This provides exceptionally smooth steady-state speed control and allows matching the control dynamics solely to the engine rather than detuning dynamics to compensate for firing torsional frequencies.

The control has a switching power supply with excellent spike, ripple, and EMI (electromagnetic interference) rejection. Discrete inputs are capable of rejecting EMI and variable resistance in switch or relay contacts. Analog inputs are differential type with extra filtering for common-mode noise rejection.

The control provides one discrete output, which provides a unit health indication.



## WARNING

The UG-25+ governor should not be used as the primary means of shutting down the engine.

## Principal of Operation

The UG-25+ consists of the following three main components:

- **L-Series Governor**  
Controls prime mover speed/load with proportional rotary output by using speed reference/customer inputs.
- **Hydraulic Amplifier**  
Amplifies work output of L-Series governor.
- **User Interface**  
Provides local control of droop, load/fuel limiting, stability and shutdown functions. Also provides electrical connector for power and customer inputs.

The hydraulic amplifier operation is depicted in Figure 4-2, which illustrates the working relationship of the various parts. The main elements of the hydraulic amplifier are listed below:

**Oil Pump**

Gerotor pump configuration. Pump is driven by the governor drive-shaft to provide oil pressure for the governor. The pump is fed oil from the self-contained sump.

**Relief Valve**

Set to maintain internal operating pressure at 1034 kPa (150 psi).

**Rotary to Linear Conversion Mechanism**

This mechanism converts rotary to linear motion to operate the pilot valve. It also provides enough linear motion to convert 50 degrees of L-Series travel to 42 degrees of terminal shaft rotation when coupled to the rest of the linkage in the hydraulic amplifier.

**Return Spring**

Used to provide shutdown to minimum fuel position upon loss of function of the L-Series.

**Pilot Valve Plunger**

The 3-way pilot valve directs flow to the control side of the differential area power piston or to governor drain.

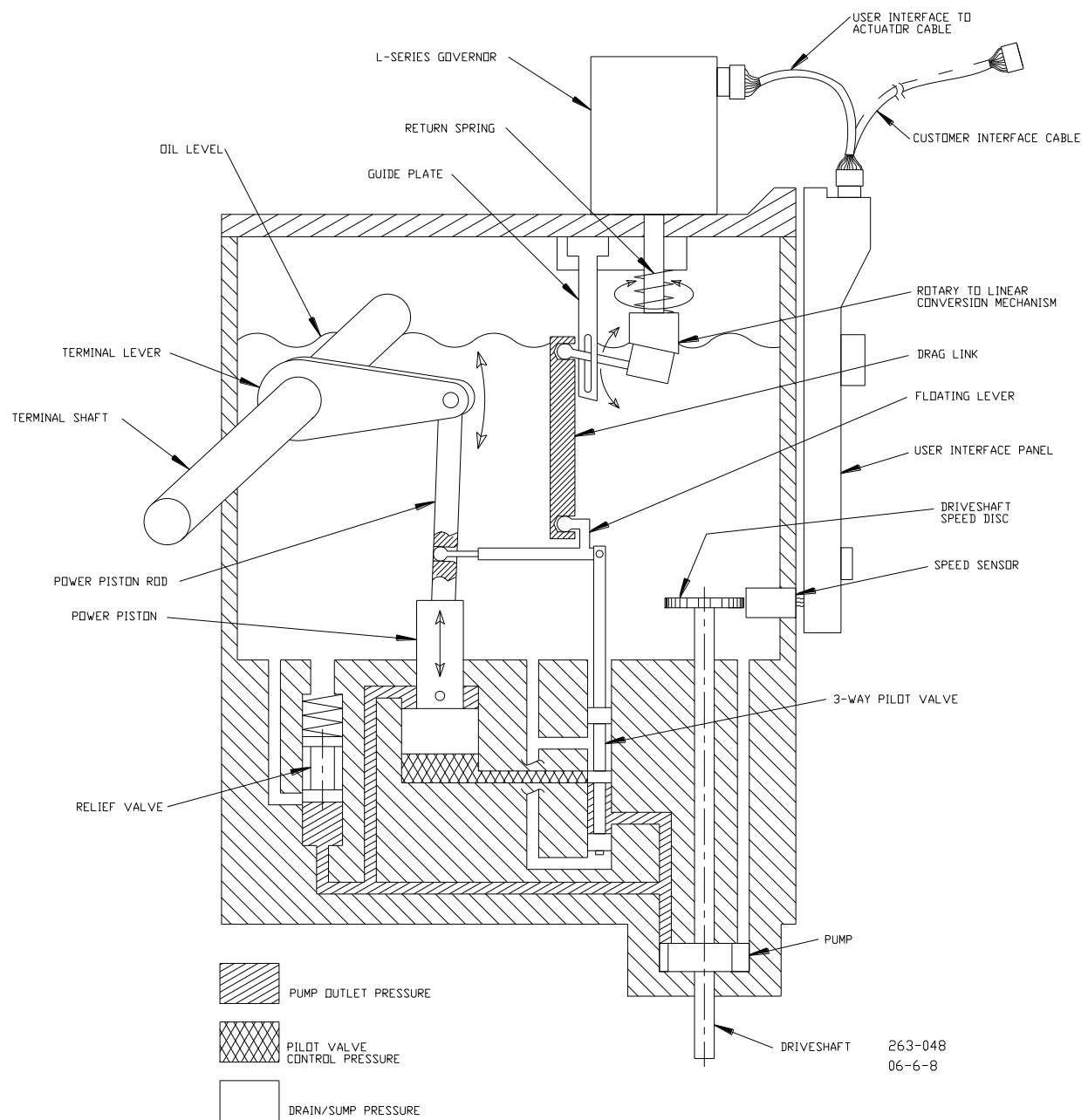


Figure 4-2. Governor Functional Overview

### Power Piston, Terminal Lever, and Terminal Shaft

The terminal lever converts the linear motion of the differential-type servo piston to rotary motion of the terminal shaft, which in turn moves the fuel linkage. The terminal-shaft position is fed back to the torque-motor beam to provide the proportional control.

### Speed Sensing Disk and Speed Sensor

Drive-shaft-driven 20-tooth gear with proximity probe speed sensor used to provide a speed signal to the L-Series governor.

### **Increase in Load or Speed Setting**

An increase in load, or speed setting, causes the L-Series governor output shaft to rotate CCW when viewed from the top on the UG-25+. This, in turn, causes the pilot valve to lift allowing control pressure to act on the underside of the power piston. This pressure underneath the power piston opposes the pump outlet pressure acting on the topside and causes the piston to rise, since the piston bottom has twice the area of the topside.

As the power piston rises, the power piston rod moves with it and rotates the terminal shaft, converting the output motion back to rotary. One end of the floating lever is directly connected to the power piston rod and this end rises correspondingly.

When the desired terminal shaft position is reached due to the correct speed or load setting being achieved, the floating lever provides a mechanical feedback/restoring signal between the power piston rod and the pilot valve. During this condition, the pilot valve will be at its "null" position. Therefore, the L-Series governor and the hydraulic amplifier are proportional devices with their positions a direct function of the load or speed setting.

### **Decrease in Load or Speed Setting**

A decrease in load, or speed setting, causes the L-Series governor output shaft to rotate CW. This, in turn, causes the pilot valve to lower allowing the control pressure acting on the underside of the power piston to flow to drain. The pump outlet pressure acting on the topside of the power piston will cause the piston to lower.

As the power piston lowers, the power piston rod moves with it and rotates the terminal shaft towards the minimum fuel direction. The floating lever then lowers its end coupled to the power piston rod and provides its position feedback/restoring feedback to the power piston and pilot valve.

### **Loss of Control Voltage**

Upon loss of control voltage, the governor terminal shaft goes to minimum fuel, thus offering a safety feature. With loss of control voltage, the L-Series governor loses torque and the force of the loading or return spring causes the center adjustment to lower. The pilot valve follows, keeping the control port uncovered. Trapped oil escapes to drain, and the servo power piston moves down until it reaches minimum fuel position.

## **Speed Governor Features Description**

The user must set up the speed input, speed setpoint/rates, start settings, and fuel limit. The user can set multiple dynamics as necessary for stable operation. The user can choose all or none of the security functions depending on the application.

The governor features include:

- Speed Control with Droop and Dynamics features
- Fuel/Load Limiter (both startup and run time)
- Jump & Rate Limiter
- Temperature monitoring
- Run / Stop
- Status discrete output



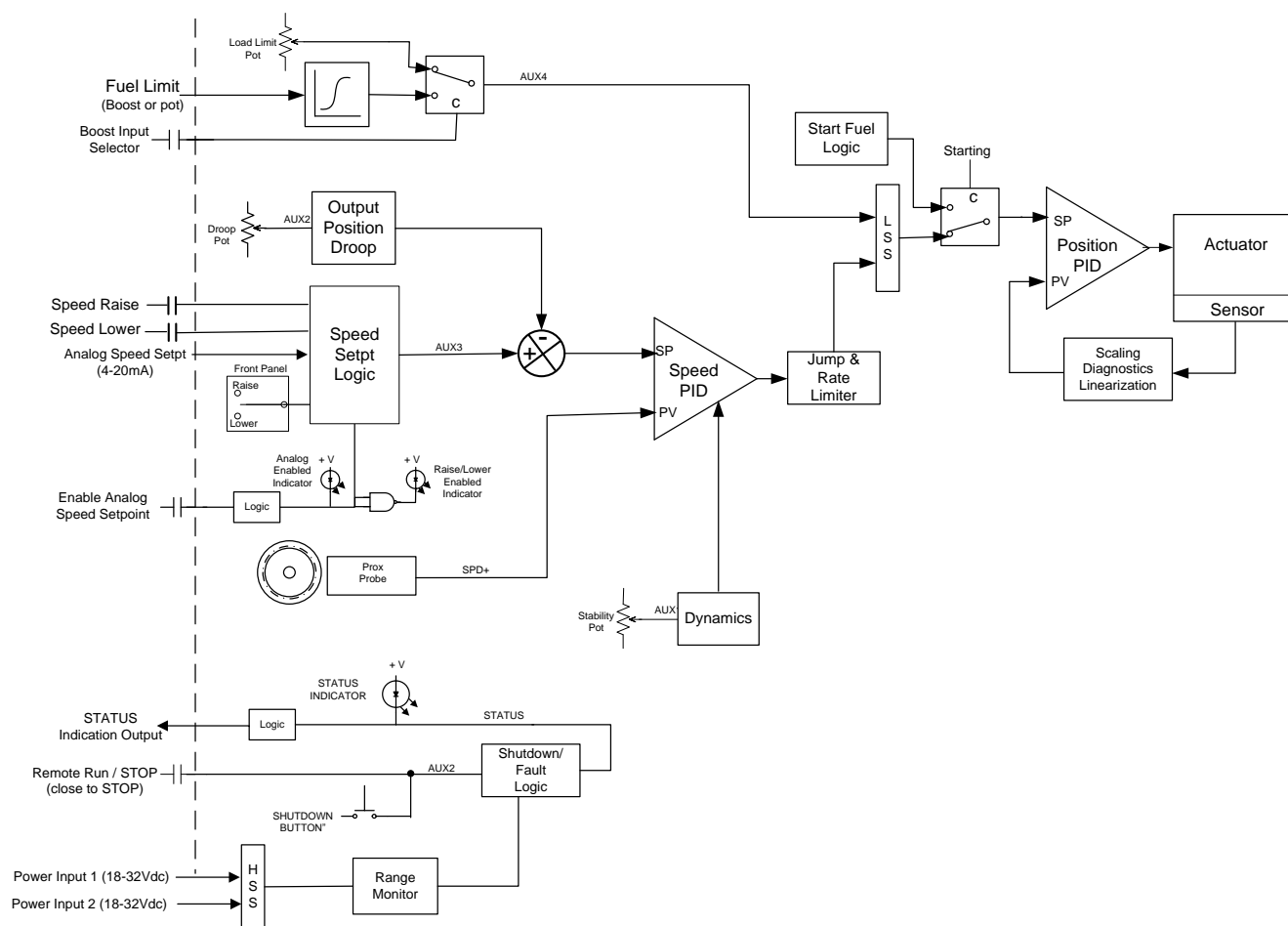


Figure 4-3. Governor Functional Overview

## Starting the Engine

The following describes a typical engine starting sequence. The Run/Stop input must be open to permit a start.

When the starter is engaged and speed increases above the Start Speed 1 Threshold, the UG-25+ will position the governor output shaft to the Start Fuel position. If two Start Fuel positions are used, the UG-25+ will position the governor output shaft to the Start Fuel 2 position setting when the permissive is met. Depending on the configuration, this is either when the speed increases above the Start Speed 2 Threshold or after the delay time expires. Once the engine speed is above the Run Speed Threshold, the output will switch from start fuel demand to the fuel demand from the speed controller PID. At this point, the UG-25+ is in speed control and will control the engine to the speed setpoint. The PID output tracks the start fuel values, during a start, providing a bumpless transfer to speed control. Once in speed control, the speed setpoint increases to the configured start target speed setting - min speed or rated speed.

If a shutdown fault is detected, the control will drive the output to the minimum position.

## Speed Control Functions

The speed controller consists of a speed input, speed setting logic, speed biasing logic, and speed dynamics options.

### Speed Input

Internally, the UG-25+ governor houses a proximity probe mounted next to a 20-tooth gear, which provides a speed signal to the control. Digital speed detection with firing torsional

filtering is used for detecting engine speed. This digital detection method senses speed very quickly for rapid response to speed changes. The input frequency is converted to engine speed based on the number of gear teeth, gear ratio, number of cylinders, and engine stroke settings configured.

### Speed Setting Options

The speed control's setpoint is adjustable with raise or lower commands through the user interface on the UG-25+ front panel or from remote contact inputs. In addition, a 4–20 mA analog input provides for remote speed setpoint control.

The speed setpoint can be in Analog or raise/lower mode. The front panel LEDs will display the active speed setpoint mode (Analog or raise/lower). When in the Analog mode, the setpoint signal comes from the UG-25+ analog speed setpoint input (derived externally by a customer supplied device). When in the raise/lower mode, the setpoint is adjusted using raise and lower commands available both on the front panel and through customer inputs.

**Analog Speed Setpoint**—The Analog Speed Setpoint input directly sets the internal speed setpoint. The maximum rate at which the analog input signal can change the speed setpoint is programmable. Firmware version 5418-3715 and newer provides separate increase and decrease rate limits. The analog setpoint is enabled with the Enable Analog Speed Setpoint discrete input. The analog setpoint scaling is based on the Min Speed Limit and Max Speed Limit settings, a 4 mA input corresponds to Min and a 20 mA input corresponds to Max.

Analog Speed Setting mode is active only when the Analog Enable input is closed and the analog input signal is above 2.5 mA. All Setpoint Raise/Lower commands are ignored when the Analog Speed Setting mode is active.

The user must provide an external means to clamp the analog speed setpoint input between 3 and 21 mA. An analog speed setpoint command input below 3 mA or above 21 mA is out of the normal 4 to 20 mA input range and may cause the analog speed setpoint command function to become disabled even though the Analog indication LED remains on.

When the Analog Speed Setpoint mode is disabled, by loss of input signal or opening the Analog Enable input, the speed control's setpoint is held at the last setting and remains there until adjusted using the Raise or Lower commands.

**Lower**—The Lower Speed discrete input and front panel Lower command act directly on the internal speed setpoint and will progressively decrease the speed setpoint down to a programmable lower limit at the programmed lower rate for as long as the input is selected (closed). When this input is not selected (opened), the speed reference will remain fixed at the last setting.

**Raise**—The Raise Speed discrete input and front panel Raise command act directly upon the internal speed setpoint and will progressively increase the speed reference up to a programmable upper limit at the programmed raise rate for as long as the input is selected (closed). When this input is not selected (opened), the speed reference will remain at the last setting.

Front panel commands have priority over external commands – when Raise or Lower is selected locally, the remote raise/lower commands are ignored. In the event of a simultaneous external Raise and Lower command, the Lower has priority over a Raise command.



It is recommended that the actual engine speed be used to externally verify that the speed command matches the command signal sent. Failure to comply with this recommendation can result in undetected system faults.

## Speed Setting Functions

The control provides run speed, min speed, max speed, and rated speed setpoints with a lower and raise limit, plus raise and lower ramps and a starting ramp. All ramp rate settings are in rpm/sec and all speed setpoint changes are ramped for smooth setpoint transition. For emergency standby applications, a very high ramp rate effectively cancels the ramp function to provide rapid starting. Starting ramp determines how fast speed is increased from run to the start target speed (Min or Rated). Raise and lower rates determine how fast speed is increased or decreased by the raise and lower command inputs. A maximum adjustment rate limit is provided for the remote speed setpoint input. See Figure 4-4 for relative speed values. For additional details on these settings refer to the Overview tab and Setpoint tab configuration settings in Chapter 6.

The Run Speed setting must be above cranking speed, but below the speed attained at ignition speed by the start fuel limit setting. The speed control activates at Run speed by grabbing the current operating speed as the initial speed setpoint then ramping the setpoint up to the start target speed setting at the start target speed rate.

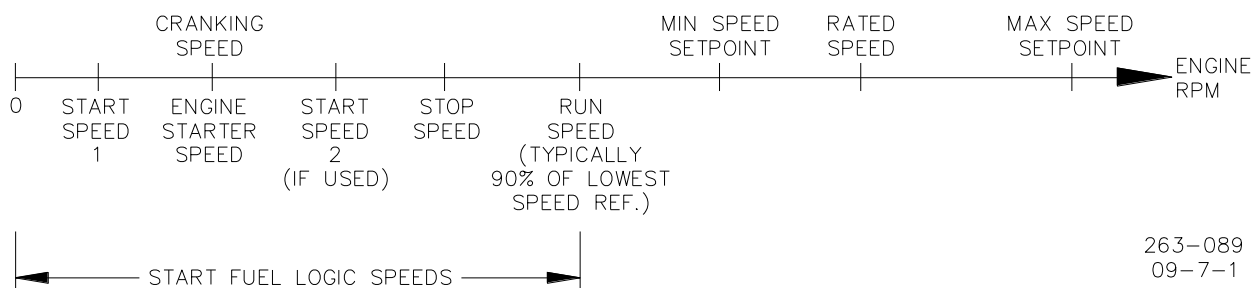


Figure 4-4. UG-25+ Relative Speed Values

If the target speed is Rated and a raise or lower command is selected during the ramp to target (Rated), the speed setpoint will halt and follow the raise/lower commands. If the halt is issued prior to reaching the Min Setpoint Limit, then the setpoint will continue up until Min prior to stopping.

### Droop

This feature allows for a change in speed setpoint with a change in load. This feature is primarily used when the generator is connected to a utility bus or paralleled with another gen-set on an isolated bus. In this situation, the utility will determine the frequency of the generator and the speed of the engine. Should the governor speed reference be less than the utility frequency, power in the utility bus will flow to the generator and motor the unit. If the governor speed is even fractionally higher than the frequency of the utility, the governor will go to full load in an attempt to increase the bus speed. Since the definition of a utility is a frequency that is too strong to influence, the engine will remain at full fuel.

Droop is one method of creating stability in a governor. Droop is also used to divide and balance load between units driving the same shaft or paralleled in the electrical system. Droop is the decrease in speed that occurs when the governor output shaft moves from the minimum to the maximum fuel position in response to a load increase, expressed as a percentage of rated speed.

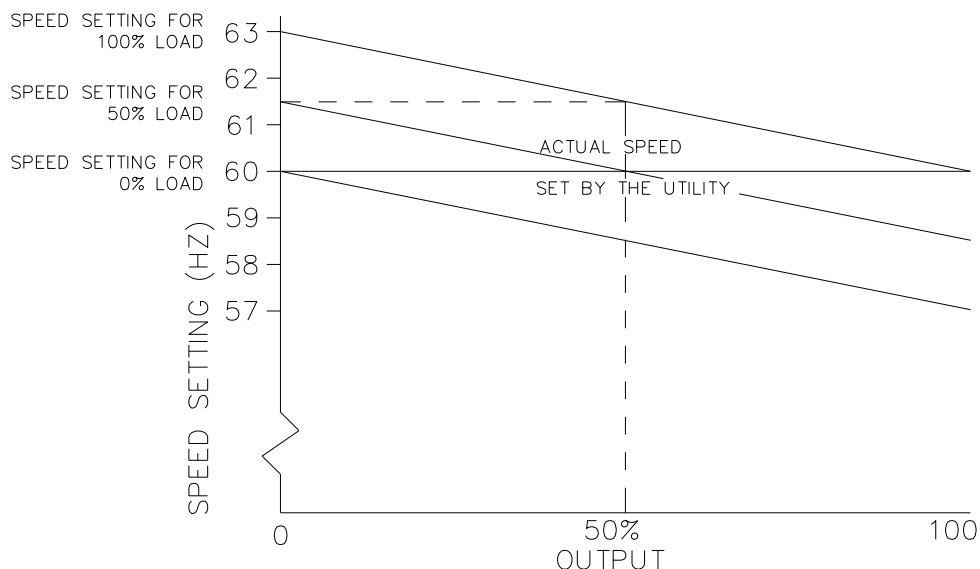
Too little droop can cause instability in the form of hunting, surging, or difficulty in response to a load change. Too much droop can result in slow governor response in picking up or dropping off a load.

Reducing droop to zero allows the unit to change load without changing speed (isochronous operation). Normally, set zero droop on units running alone. On interconnected units, set the least amount of droop possible to provide satisfactory load division. For ac generating units tied in with other units, set droop sufficiently high to prevent interchange of load between units. If one unit in the system has enough capacity, set its governor on zero droop (isochronous operation), and it will regulate the frequency of the prime mover system. If its capacity is not exceeded, this unit will handle all load changes.

Marks on the droop adjustment scale on the front panel are reference numbers only and do not represent actual droop percentages. The governor droop percentage set by the droop pot is scaled 0 to 18% of the full 42 degrees of output shaft travel, but since the typical application uses 30 degrees travel, the pot roughly corresponds to 10% at full CW position. Shaft positions must be entered for no-load and full load to correlate the speed setting to load. Configuration settings are available on the Setpoint tab for the nominal droop percentage, no load, and full load positions.

The desired engine speed reduces with the following formula:

$$\frac{\text{Rated speed setpoint} * \text{droop percentage} * (\text{actual position} - \text{no load governor position})}{(\text{full load governor position} - \text{no load governor position})}$$



FREQUENCY/SPEED IS SET BY THE UTILITY GRID.  
LOAD VARIES WITH SPEED SET POINT.

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Figure 4-5. 5% Droop Example

## Speed Control Dynamics

The control algorithms used in the UG-25+ governor are designed specifically for reciprocating engine applications. The UG-25+ offers either a single set of dynamics or a position-based curve. In addition, cold start dynamics and dual gain settings can be configured for use in more demanding applications. These options are described below. A front-panel Stability potentiometer is provided to allow quick access to dynamic performance adjustments. Refer to the Dynamics tab in Chapter 6 for configuration details. Information on tuning of the speed control dynamics is provided in Chapter 7.

### Cold Start Gain

In demanding gen-set applications that require ISO 8528-5, Class G3 performance but are also intolerant of cold start instability, the UG-25+ governor offers a cold start gain function that sets the gain of the controller to a lower-than-normal value until a programmable speed threshold is exceeded (see Start Gain and Start Gain Speed Threshold settings in Chapter 6). This gives an engine time to warm up slightly before switching to a normal gain value.

### Single Gain

If configured for Single Gain, once the Start Gain Speed Threshold is exceeded, the proportional gain remains constant as entered and does not vary with engine speed or load. These are simplest dynamics and suit most constant speed applications. A single gain setting is typically used on engines that operate continuously at rated speed or on variable speed engines that tend to be stable at all speeds with constant dynamic settings.

**Position Curve**

A Position Curve varies the proportional gain value with fuel demand (governor position). Fuel demand is roughly proportional to load but not necessarily in a linear manner. A 5-breakpoint gain curve is provided to map gain versus fuel demand. Gain is applied linearly between breakpoints. This gain curve is particularly useful for non-linear fuel systems (e.g., intake butterfly valves).

**Integral and Derivative**

The integral gain varies with engine speed. Idle Integral applies when running at the initial Run Speed. Rated Integral applies when operating at rated speed or higher. The gain varies linearly at intermediate speeds. For all dynamic configurations, the Derivative setting is constant and does not vary with either engine speed or load.

**Stability Pot**

The front panel stability pot provides a quick adjustment on the speed controller P (proportional) and I (integral) gain terms. This pot output, with a range of 0.5 to 2 X, is multiplied with the nominal gain settings to adjust the resultant performance. When the pot is at mid position, the multiplier is '1.0' and gains are at their nominal configured settings. At full clockwise position, P and I-term gains are multiplied by '2' providing increased response and at full counter-clockwise position the multiplier is at 0.5. The stability pot input and resultant gains can be monitored from the Overview tab on the Service Tool (see Chapters 5 and 7).

**Dual Gain Settings**

Gain Window and Gain Ratio settings further modify the applied gain. These Dual Gain Dynamic settings can improve both steady state and transient load performance by automatically switching between two gain settings. A low gain setting is applied during steady-state operation. A high gain setting is applied during load transients. Dual Gain Dynamics are available for all gain configurations.

During steady-state loaded operation, the control uses the primary gain setting (rated gain, idle /rated gain, etc.). In this region, gain is set to prevent the control from responding to minor speed fluctuations inherent with reciprocating engines. This essentially eliminates harmful jiggle of the governor output and the fuel system linkage during steady-state loaded operation.

During load transients, should the speed error exceed the adjustable Gain Window width, the primary gain setting is multiplied by the gain ratio setting to temporarily increase the applied gain. This higher gain produces a faster fuel response to quickly restore engine speed to the speed setting. Speed error is the difference between actual engine speed and the engine speed setting. The primary gain setting is restored once the control senses a return to steady-state operation (see Figure 4-6). Setting the gain ratio to 1 disables the function.

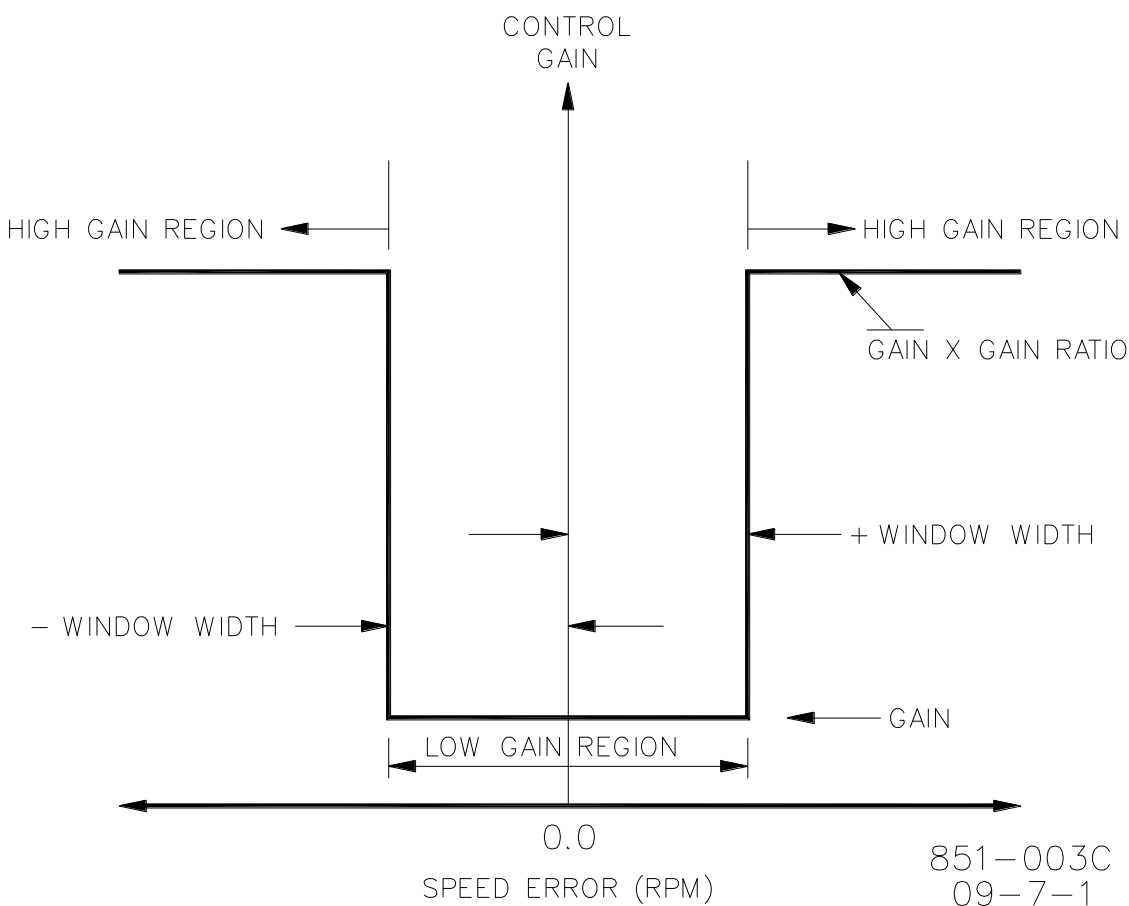


Figure 4-6. Dual Gain Settings

## Fuel Limiting

Two modes of fuel limiting are provided, one during startup (start fuel) and one during normal operation (run time).

### Start Fuel Limit Function

The Start Fuel Limit (SFL) is an adjustable limiter on the fuel demand that prevents over fueling during engine starting. Two configurable start fuel limiters are available:

- Single Start Fuel Limit
- Dual Start Fuel Limit
- Dual Limit with Time Delay

The simple Start Fuel Limit is suitable for most applications. With this configuration, the fuel demand immediately switches to the adjustable SFL1 Limit setting when the engine is cranking at the adjustable Start1 Speed setting. The SFL1 Limit is removed once the engine accelerates to the Run Speed. At the Run Speed the fuel is controlled by the speed control setpoint and ramping functions. The Run Speed setting must be set below the speed reached with the SFL1 Limit setting. See Figure 4-7.

The Dual Start Fuel Limit is appropriate for engines that need a rather high fuel setting to start the engine, but a much lower setting immediately thereafter to minimize speed overshoot, black smoke or to prevent an overspeed shutdown. The start sequence will work the same as with only one start fuel setting, but once engine speed is above the Start2 Speed setting, the fuel demand starts ramping to the SFL2 limit at the configured actuator ramp rate.

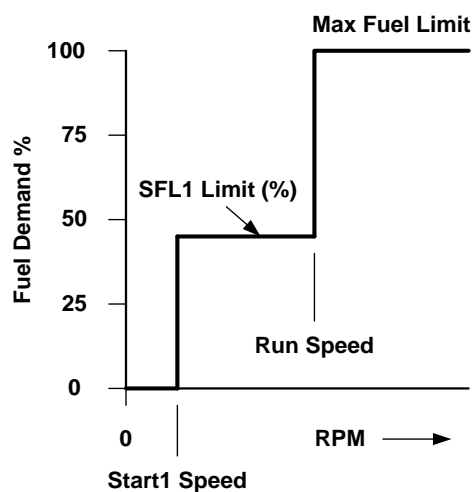


Figure 4-7. Single Start Fuel Limit

A Dual Limit with Time Delay start fuel limit option is available in firmware version 5418-3715 and newer. Using this option, if the start 2 speed threshold is not exceeded, the fuel demand starts to ramp to the start fuel 2 (SFL2) limit after the configured time delay expires.

If the ramp rate is set to its maximum value, the change to the second start fuel is nearly instantaneous. This will essentially eliminate the ramp feature. Start2 Speed must be set higher than the Start1 Speed setting. The SFL2 Limit can be set lower or higher than the SFL1 Limit setting. Otherwise, function is the same as the Start Fuel Limit described above. See Figure 4-8.

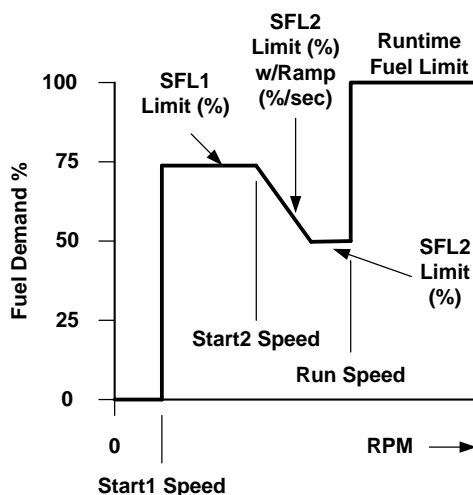


Figure 4-8. Dual Start Fuel Limiters

### Run Time Fuel Limiting

During normal operation, the fuel limit can be set by the front panel load limit pot as a function of the operating speed or through an external analog setting. The appropriate hardware jumper (see Boost Input Selector discrete input in Chapter 3) AND software configuration selection must be set for the desired input. An absolute Maximum Fuel Limit is also available. Refer to Fuel Limiting tab in Chapter 6 for configuration details.

### Maximum Fuel Limit

The Maximum Fuel Limit software setting places a fixed absolute maximum limit on the fuel demand (governor position), independent of the front panel fuel limit pot or analog input. It is generally adjusted to prevent engine overloading at rated speed or to merely limit fuel delivery to the engine for other situations (e.g., to prevent detonation). Configuring the Max Fuel Limit setting to 100% disables the function.

### Boost (Analog Input) Fuel Limit Function

The Boost fuel limit is a software adjustable five-breakpoint curve based on an external transmitter analog input signal. Manifold Air pressure (MAP) is typically used for the external fuel limiter signal. The purpose of the manifold air pressure fuel limiter is to prevent over fueling during loading to significantly reduce black smoke in diesel engine exhaust and unburned hydrocarbons in spark gas engine exhaust. On occasion, exhaust temperature or other engine parameters are used for the external fuel limiting function. A fuel demand (governor position) limit is set for each specific air manifold pressure breakpoint.

The limiting value is linear between breakpoints as shown in Figure 4-9. At the endpoints the value is limited. Below breakpoint 1 (BP1), the output is fixed at the rack limit 1 value (flat line). Likewise above the breakpoint 1 (BP5) the output is fixed at the rack limit 5 (Both sections of the slope are horizontal). The engineering units for each breakpoint are in percent. The limiter must be carefully set since excessive fuel limiting can degrade the loading response. On occasion, exhaust temperature or other engine parameters are used for the external fuel limiting function. The external fuel limiter is not active below the run speed setting.

To select this input, the Boost Analog Input must be configured and the Boost Input Selector discrete input must be closed.

In case of fuel limit signal failure due to the fuel limit signal being below 2 mA, the output from the Fuel Limit block is fixed to the value at rack limit 1. In this situation, the engine cannot be started if the rack limit set point is lower than the Start Fuel Limit. Additionally, if the rack limit set point for BP1 is set to lower than the Max Fuel Limit, the engine will not be able to load its full load if the 4–20 mA Fuel Limit signal fails while in normal engine operation. To avoid this problem, set the rack limit set point for BP1 to a value equal to or higher than the Max Fuel Limit as shown in Figure 4-9.

**IMPORTANT**

The point 1 limit setting for the Boost Fuel Limit must be set to Maximum Fuel Limit or higher to allow normal operation when the Boost input signal is failed.

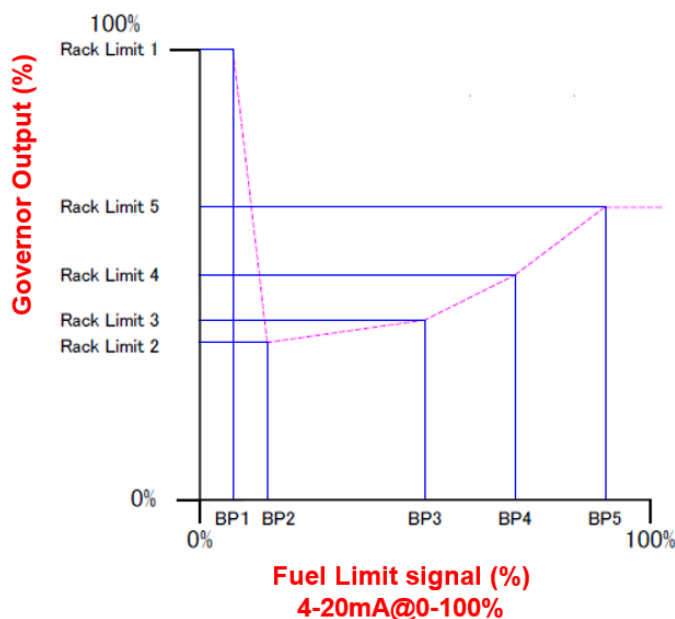


Figure 4-9. Boost (External) Fuel Limit Curve



### Fuel Limit Pot

The front panel fuel limit pot is a run time fuel limit that is set based on the position of the potentiometer. The position limit settings for this function is linear from 0%, pot full counter-clockwise, to 100% with the pot fully clockwise.

To select this input, the Front Panel Pot must be configured and the Boost Input Selector discrete input must be open.

### Speed-based Fuel Limit Function

The Speed-based fuel limit is a software-adjustable, five-breakpoint curve with the input as actual engine speed and the output as the fuel limit in percentage of full 42 degrees of travel. The limiting value is linearly interpolated between breakpoints. To use this limiter function, the speed-based curve must be configured, and the Boost Input Selector discrete input must be open.

### Jump and Rate Limiter

A jump and rate limiter is available to limit the governor output position command in the fuel increasing direction. This function provides a limit on instantaneous increases (Max Jump Up) and a limit on the rate of increasing shaft position output (Max Up Rate). Settings of 100% and 200%/sec for Max Jump Up and Max Up Rate, will disable this function. The jump rate limiter is not active below the run speed setting. Refer to Fuel Limiting tab in Chapter 6 for configuration details.

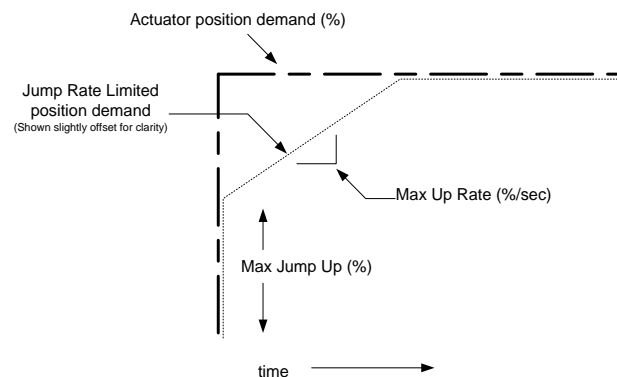


Figure 4-10. Jump Rate Limiter

### Discrete Output – Unit Healthy Indication

A discrete output is provided to mimic the front panel 'Unit Healthy' LED. When OFF, indicates a shutdown condition in the unit. The Service Tool can be used to display all faults, current and historical (logged).

### Run / Stop Functionality

The UG-25+ can be shut down from the front panel or through the external Run/Stop discrete input. When a 'stop' is commanded, the output shaft position will be commanded to minimum (0%).

## Temperature Sensing

The UG-25+ has an on-board temperature sensor to monitor board temperatures and protect the unit from over-temperature. This temperature is monitored and a fault is annunciated if the setpoint is exceeded.

## Current Limiting based on Temperature

The controller provides governor current limiting based on the electronics temperature. Dependent on board and governor thermal models, the software reduces current as necessary to avoid conditions that would damage the device due to extreme temperatures.

Current limiting based on temperature begins when the combined current and temperature environment causes board temperatures greater than 117 °C. The limit curve is a linear derate from full current at 117 °C down to zero current at 125 °C. At 125 °C, an OverTemp fault is annunciated. Depending on the current (governor torque) and ambient operating temperatures, the unit may never reach a reduced level.

## Control Modes

The Service Tool displays the state of the UG-25+ governor, the present mode of the unit. Options include:

- Stopping
- Engine Stopped
- Power-down
- Start Fuel 1
- Start Fuel 2
- Ramping
- Running Rated

### Stopping

The stopping state indicates the control has a shutdown fault and is driving the output shaft position to the closed position. Once speed has reached zero rpm, the control transfers to the stopped state.

### Engine Stopped

In this state the engine is stopped and the control is ready to begin the startup cycle if there are no shutdown's active. After the Stopped State Delay, the holding current is applied to the governor to limit the current draw and prevent battery drain.

### Power down

In this state the governor position controller is turned off and the holding current is applied to the governor to limit the current. This state is only used if the engine is stopped and the run enable discrete input is not active.

### Start Fuel 1

The Start Fuel 1 state is selected if the engine speed is higher then the Start Speed 1 threshold. In this state the governor position is set to the Start Fuel 1 value.

### Start Fuel 2

The Start Fuel 2 state is selected if the engine speed is higher then the Start Speed 2 threshold. In this state the governor position is set to the Start Fuel 2 value. This state is only used if two start fuels are selected.

### Ramping

The ramping state is used to ramp from one setpoint to another setpoint.

### Running Rated

Indicates the unit is running at the rated speed setpoint or the changed rated setpoint if raise, lower, or analog control is used.

## Fault Detection and Annunciation

The UG-25+ provides complete shutdown fault monitoring. A detected shutdown condition forces the governor to a go to the min fuel (0%) position. When the shutdown condition no longer exists, the UG-25+ is returned to a non-shutdown state. Faults are globally set as non-latching. When the condition no longer exists, the fault is automatically cleared without any reset.

### Current Faults and Logged Faults

Faults are separated into two categories: Logged Faults and Current Faults. Status of both current and logged faults is provided on the Service Tool. A Current Fault indicates a fault that is presently active/detected and a Logged fault is a fault that occurred since the last time the fault log was cleared. All logged faults are latched and written to the EEPROM. They must be cleared through the Service Tool. Each possible fault is described below.

## Shutdown and Stop Details

### Shutdown - Voltage Sense Fail

Indicates an out-of-range signal on the input power. Could indicate input power out of range or a fault in the supply voltage sense circuitry.

Failure levels: >33 V and <6.25 V

Persistence: 650 ms

### Shutdown - Temp Sense Fail

Indicates a failure of the internal on-board Temperature Sensor.

Failure levels: >150 °C and <-45 °C

Persistence: 650 ms

Hysteresis: 5 °C (<145 °C or >-40 °C to clear)

### Shutdown - OverTemp

If the on-board temperature sensor reads above 125 °C, this error will be set. The Current Limiting based on temperature will effectively make the output "limp" by reducing the drive current to zero (see Current Limiting Based on Temperature section for details).

Failure levels: >125 °C

Persistence: 650 ms

Hysteresis: 5 °C (<120 °C to clear)

### Stop - Zero Speed Detected

Loss of speed input signal.

Dedicated shutdown. The control must return to a safe condition, determined as the power-down or stopped state, prior to resuming operation.

Failure levels: < (Start Speed / 2)

Persistence: 13.0 ms

### Stop - Stop Input Command

The Stop discrete input is opened or STOP is selected from the front-panel user interface. This is a hard-coded shutdown. This shutdown remains active until the speed has dropped to zero.

Persistence: 650 ms (only in firmware 5418-3715 and newer)

### Shutdown - EEPROM Fail (internal fault)

EEPROM Fail indicates failure or corruption of the internal non-volatile memory. This is a hard-coded internal shutdown. If detected, the control output will go limp. A power cycle is required to clear this fault.

**Shutdown - Position Sense Fail (internal fault)**

This indicates a failure of the internal Position Sensor. This is a hard-coded internal shutdown. If detected, the control output will drive to the Fail Direction using current control. This fault latches and requires a reset or power cycle to clear.

Failure levels:  $>4.75\text{ V}$  and  $< 0.25\text{ V}$

Persistence: 650 ms

# Chapter 5.

## Service Tool

### Introduction

This chapter covers the process of installing and servicing the control via the UG-25+ Service Tool. It is assumed that the control has already been installed on the engine.

### IMPORTANT

Many applications are delivered pre-configured, calibrated, and tuned. These units do not require the use of the Service Tool.

### Description

The Service Tool software is used to configure, tune, and troubleshoot the UG-25+ controller. This chapter describes installation and use of the Service Tool. It identifies the parameters available that can be viewed. It also provides detailed information on configuring and setting up the UG-25+ to the customer-specific field application.

The Service Tool software resides on a PC (personal computer) and communicates to the UG-25+ through connector pins 4 and 6. An external RS-232 transceiver is necessary to make communications possible with the Woodward UG-25+ service tool. A connectivity kit can be purchased from Woodward to accomplish this (Woodward part number 8923-1061).

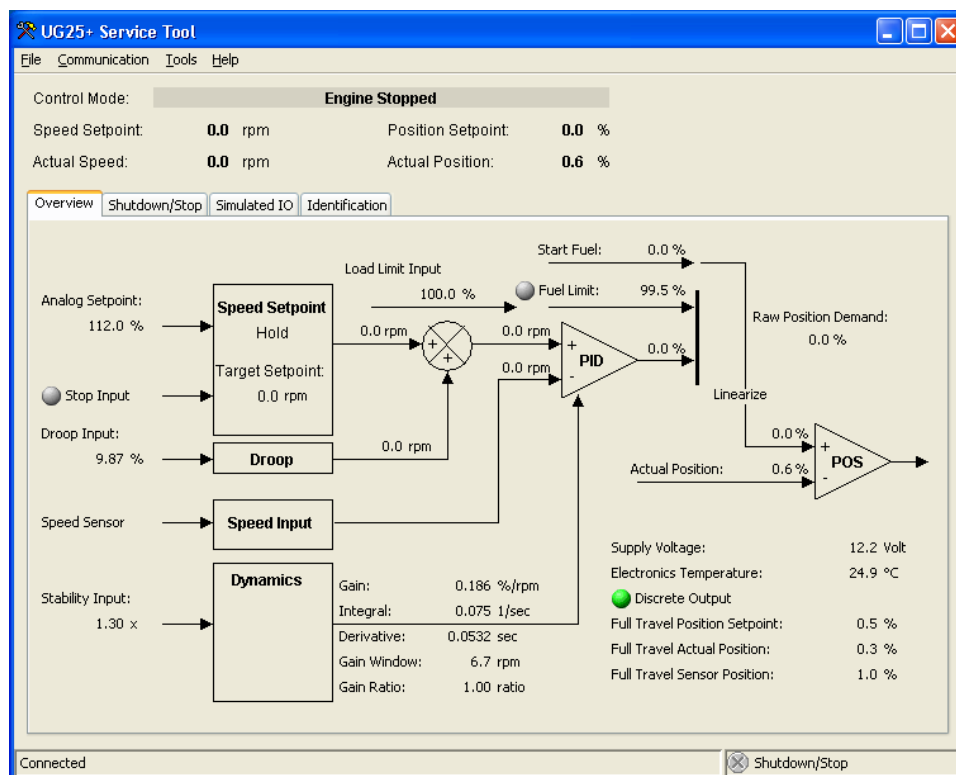


Figure 5-1. Example Service Tool Screen

The following hardware is required to work with the UG-25+ control:

- PC-compatible laptop or desktop computer\* with at least one available serial communications port, and Windows 95/98/00/NT/Me/XP as the operating system.
- Programming/datalink harness as shown in Figure 5-2.

In addition to the hardware, the following are the distributions of tool software needed to communicate with the control:

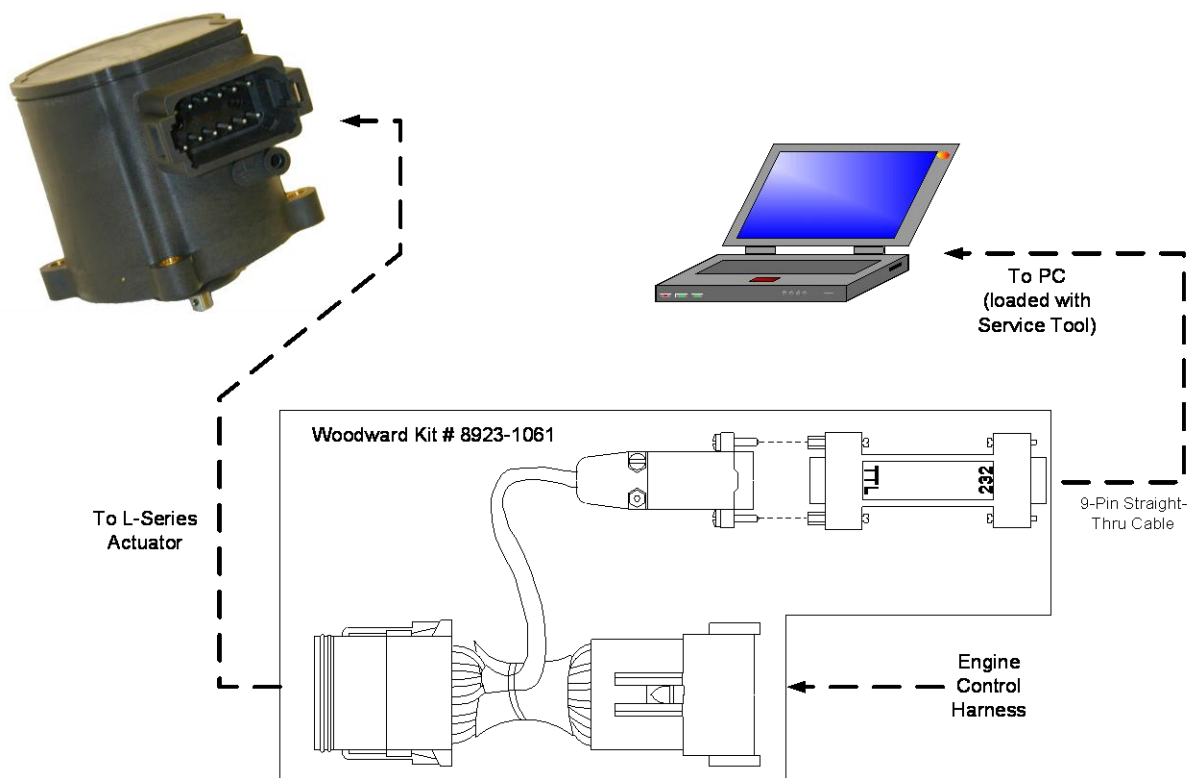
- Woodward part number 9927-1366, UG-25+ Service Tool

## NOTICE

There is a potential for serial port damage when communicating with the UG-25+ control. This is caused by a difference in ac voltage between neutral and earth ground. If the PC RS-232 port ground is referenced to ac neutral, and the UG-25+ control is referenced to battery ground (ac earth ground), a large amount of current can be experienced. To avoid this situation, we strongly recommend placing an isolation transformer between the ac outlet and the PC or using a battery-powered PC such as a laptop.



Figure 5-2a. Programming Harness Connection



Pinouts Viewed Looking into Control Connector and Computer Connector

Figure 5-2b. Typical Programming Datalink Harness Wiring

## Getting Started

### Harness Connection

The programming harness is required to communicate with the Service Tool. To install the harness, remove the connector from the L-Series and insert the harness between this connector and the L-Series (see Figure 5-2a).

#### **IMPORTANT**

Connecting the programming harness causes some hardware inputs to cease operating. These include the following commands:

- front panel raise and lower speed
- external contact raise and lower speed
- external analog (4–20 mA) raise and lower speed
- front panel load limit
- external boost pressure (4–20 mA)

Although these hardware inputs are not available when the programming harness is connected, these input commands can be simulated in software using the simulated I/O screen.

### Software Installation Procedure

The Service Tool software (entitled UG-25+ Service Tool) can be downloaded and installed from the Woodward internet site ([www.woodward.com](http://www.woodward.com)).

**What to do next**

After the software is installed, connect a serial communications cable between the RS-232 connections on the UG-25+ control and an unused serial port on your computer. Run the Service Tool program and select the appropriate communications port. Once connected to the control, the status bar will display 'connected' and the Service Tool screen will populate with monitor parameters.



**An unsafe condition could occur with improper use of these software tools. Only trained personnel should have access to these tools.**

**Service Tool Help**

More help on using Service Tool is available and included with the installation of the Service Tool product. Service Tool Help can be accessed from the Service Tool 'Contents' drop-down window selection under the Help menu located on the Main Window (see Figure 5-1).

**Software Version Identification**

The Service Tool software version can be found by selecting 'About' under the Help menu. The software version is identified as the 'Software Part Number' on the Service Tool screen. The Service Tool and Control must be connected to view this information. Refer to this version information in any correspondence with Woodward.

**Service Tool Security**

Various levels of security are available to protect application settings. One password is available that provides the ability to inhibit tampering of control settings. The individual protection settings include a general password protection on configuration reading (from the control), configuration loading (to the control), and speed PID tuning.

**Monitoring the Governor**

The Service Tool has four different tab sheets (seen in Figure 5-1) to monitor governor parameters while the engine or steam turbine is running or shut down. The tab sheet screens include:

- Overview (see Figure 5-3)
- Shutdown/Stop (see Figure 5-4)
- Simulated I/O (see Figure 5-5)
- Identification (see Figure 5-6)

Each screen will display the UG-25+ control mode, actual speed, speed setpoint, position setpoint, and actual position values.

**Control Mode**

Displays the state of the UG-25+ control, the present mode of the unit. Options include:

- Power-down
- Engine Stopped
- Stopping
- Start Fuel 1
- Start Fuel 2
- Ramping
- Running Rated

**Speed Setpoint**

Displayed value of the speed setpoint (after droop is subtracted) - in engine rpm.

**Actual Speed**

Displayed value of the actual speed – in engine rpm.



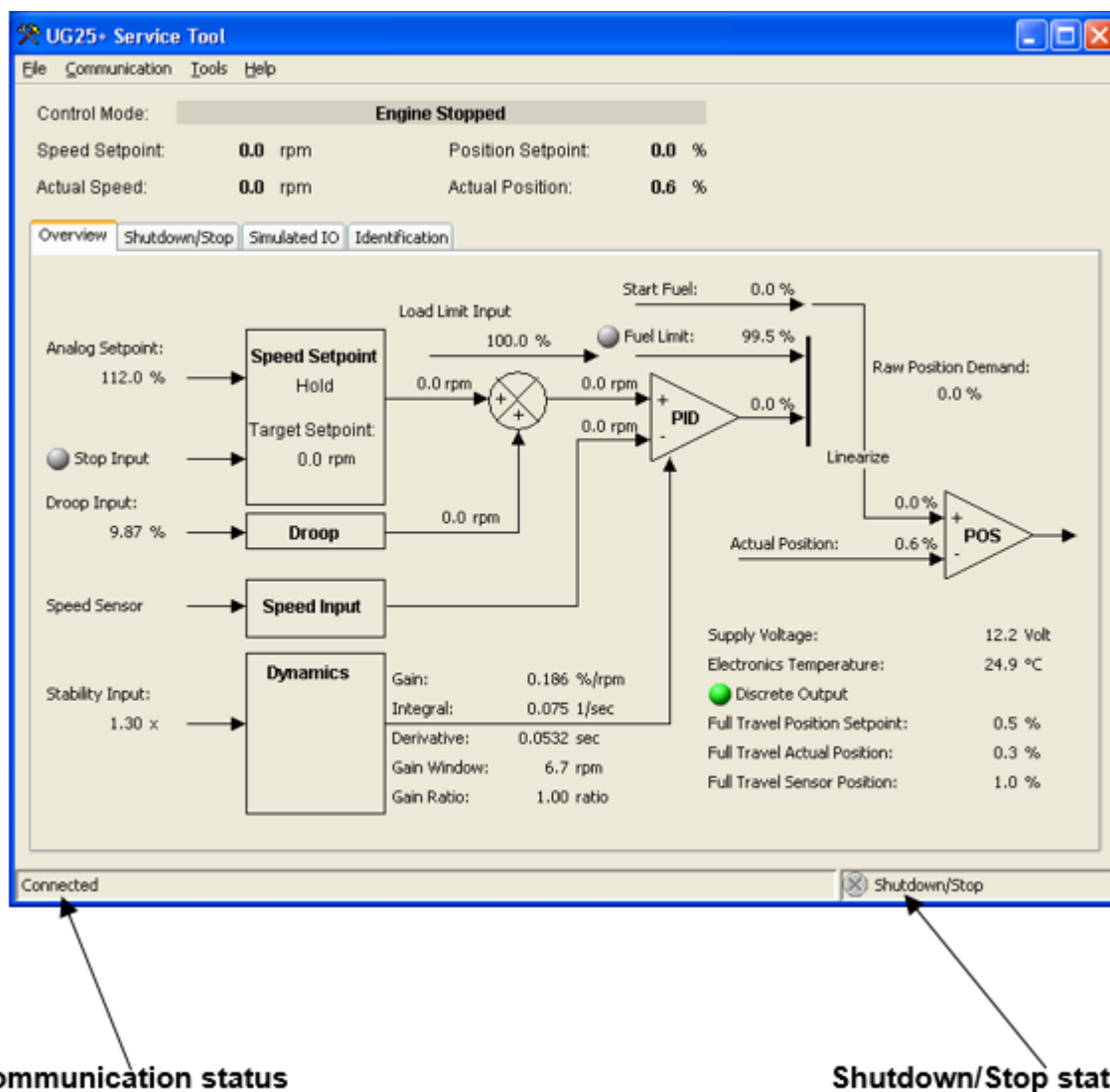


Figure 5-3. Service Tool – Overview Tab

**Position Setpoint**

Displayed value of the position demand—in percent of full travel (42 degrees).

**Actual Position**

Displayed value of the actual position—in percent of full travel (42 degrees).

**Status Bar Indications**

At the bottom of the Service Tool window is a status bar. The status bar has two sections. The bottom left section displays the communication status and bottom right section displays the shutdown status.

**Communication Status**

This section of the status bar shows the status of communication between the service tool and the device. For more information, see Establishing Communication.

- **Connected**—The Service Tool is connected to and communicating with the driver.
- **Not Connected**—The Service Tool is not connected to the driver.
- **Connecting**—The Service Tool is attempting to connect to the driver. This message is displayed when Connect is selected from the Communications menu or when attempting to re-establish communication to the driver. If the connection is lost it will continuously attempt to re-connect.

## Shutdown/Stop Status

One or more faults on the Shutdowns/Stop screen is active.

## Overview Parameters Screen

To monitor the overview parameters, go to the Overview page on the main window. This screen dynamically populates based on the unit's configuration. If a function is not programmed, then it will not appear.

## Supply Voltage

Displayed value of the input power, in volts, as read by the processor.

## Electronics Temperature

Displayed value of the electronics temperature sensor, in degrees Celsius, as read by the processor. The temperature sensor is physically located between the electronics module and the LAT motor.

## Discrete Output

On/Off status of the discrete output command. The indicator is illuminated when the channel is commanded to ON and grayed-out when the command signal is OFF.

## Full Travel Position Setpoint

Indication of the position setpoint in terms of total overall unit travel. Useful if a less than full-travel user-calibrated range is used.

## Full Travel Actual Position

Indication of the actual position in terms of total overall unit travel. Useful if a less than full-travel user-calibrated range is used.

## Full Travel Sensor Position

Indication of the position in terms of total overall unit travel before linearization. This value will match the internal Travel Position Sensor (TPS) output.

The actual real-time values of the various parameters are shown on the functional block diagram. When the engine or turbine is shut down, some of these parameters are zero.

## Shutdown and Stop Indications

The Shutdown / Stop screen displays the status of both active and logged fault conditions. The logged indications provide a history of events even after the unit has been power-cycle of run again.



Indicates a logged shutdown condition.



Indicates an active shutdown condition.

An active fault is one that is currently active or latched in the control. The latching/non-latching faults configuration setting factors into this indication. If the fault is latching, then an active fault could either be one that is still present or one that occurred but has not been reset. Latched faults can be cleared by cycling power on the UG-25+ control or by selecting the 'Reset Shutdowns' button on the Shutdown/Stop screen.

A logged fault is one that occurred but is no longer currently active or latched in the control. Logged faults are permanently cleared by selecting the 'Reset Logged Shutdowns' button on of the Shutdown/Stop screen.

## Shutdown/Stop Screen

To monitor the shutdown conditions, go to the Shutdown/Stop pages (Figure 5-4) on the main window. The values displayed on the Shutdowns screen dynamically change with the fault configuration. Refer to Chapter 4 for a complete listing and details of all the faults.

A reset command is available on this screen to clear any current faults, if they are latched on. If a fault condition occurred but is no longer present, it will remain as a logged fault until cleared. The 'Reset Logged Shutdowns' command will clear all logged faults.

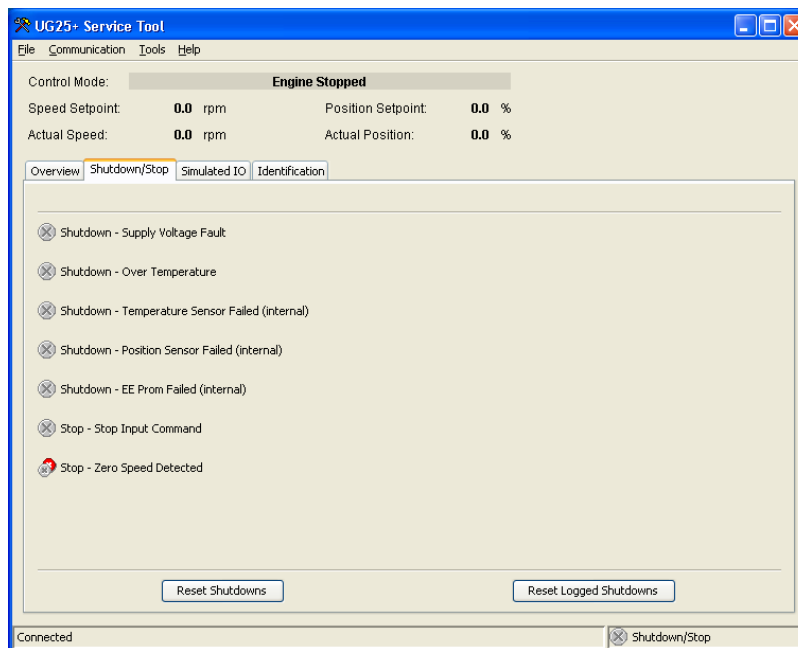


Figure 5-4. Service Tool – Shutdown/Stop Tab

## Simulated I/O Screen

While communicating to the service tool, Speed Setpoint commands (analog, raise, lower) and Load Limit inputs (Aux 3 and Aux 4) are not functional since these input pins are used for both Input and for serial communications. The Simulated I/O screen (Figure 5-5) is provided to facilitate operational testing while connected to the Service Tool.

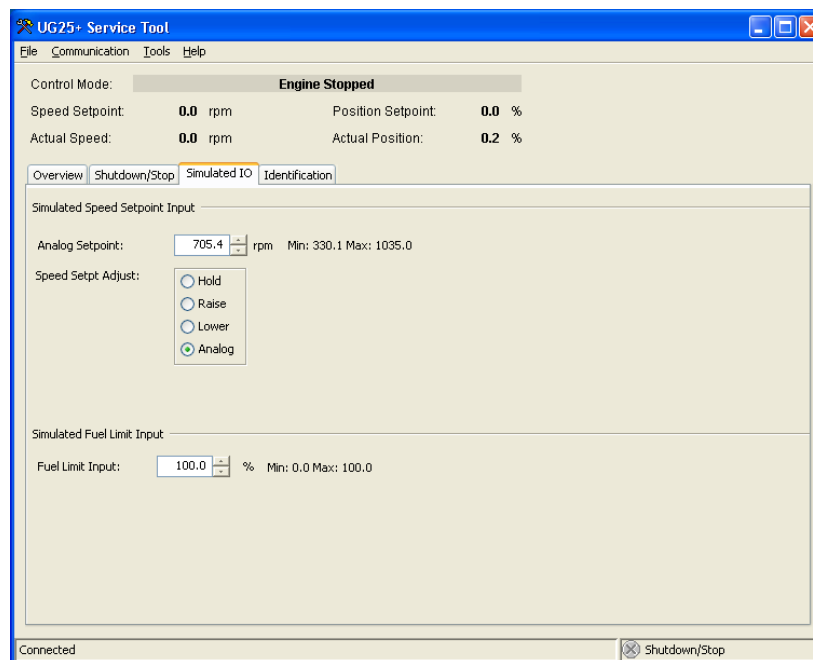


Figure 5-5. Service Tool – Simulated I/O Tab

## Identification Screen

To monitor the UG-25+ product identification, go to the Identification page on the main window. Information displayed includes the part number of the embedded UG-25+ software and the serial number of the unit.

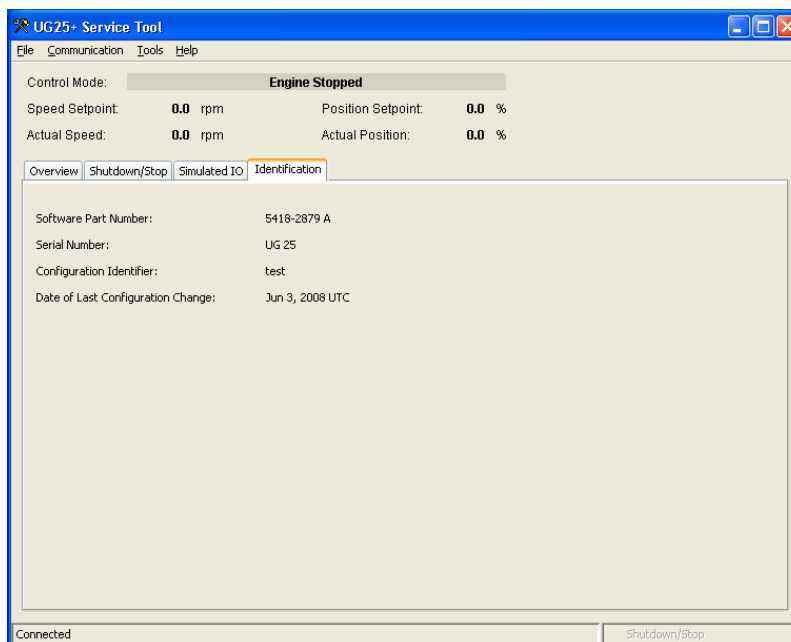


Figure 5-6. Service Tool – Identification Tab

## Chapter 6. Configuration

### Overview

The UG-25+ is configured using the Service Tool, refer to Chapter 5 for Service Tool installation and connection instructions.

The UG-25+ can be configured either on-line or off-line. On-line configuration can only be performed when the Service Tool is connected to and communicating with the UG-25+ control. Off-line configuration can be done at any time, however, settings will not take effect until they are loaded into the control.

#### **IMPORTANT**

Many applications are delivered pre-configured, calibrated, and tuned. These units do not require the use of the Service Tool.

Configuration reading and loading can be individually password protected for security purposes. If security is applied, these features will not be accessible without the password.

If using dynamics curves or fuel limiting curves, control power must be cycled after loading a new configuration before the new settings will take effect.

#### **! WARNING**

An unsafe condition could occur with improper use of these software tools. Only trained personnel should have access to these tools.

The current UG-25+ control configuration settings can be viewed at any time when connected to the control by opening the Configuration Editor (File/Open Control Configuration), assuming password protection is not active. See Figure 6-1.

### Configuring the Unit—On-Line

Unit configuration is summarized as follows:

1. Connect to the UG-25+ using the Programming Harness (see Chapter 5 for details).
2. Open the Configuration Editor Dialog by selecting 'File/Open Control Configuration'.
3. Edit the configuration settings.
4. Optionally, save the configuration to a file on your PC. Saving the configuration prior to loading it will provide an identifier in the control. Only the first 8 characters are saved in the control, so it is best to ensure these identify the application.
5. Load the configuration to the UG-25+ control by selecting "Load Configuration File to Control".

#### **IMPORTANT**

As changes are made to Configuration parameters, they are not used by the driver until a 'load' command is issued. Selecting the 'Cancel' button closes the Configuration Editor and does not make any changes to the driver.

## Configuring the Unit—Off-Line

Unit configuration is summarized as follows:

1. Open the Configuration Editor Dialog using the File/New or File/Open options.
2. Edit the configuration settings.
3. Save the configuration to a file. At a later date simply open the configuration and load it into the control. Only the first eight characters are saved in the control, so it is best to ensure these identify the application.

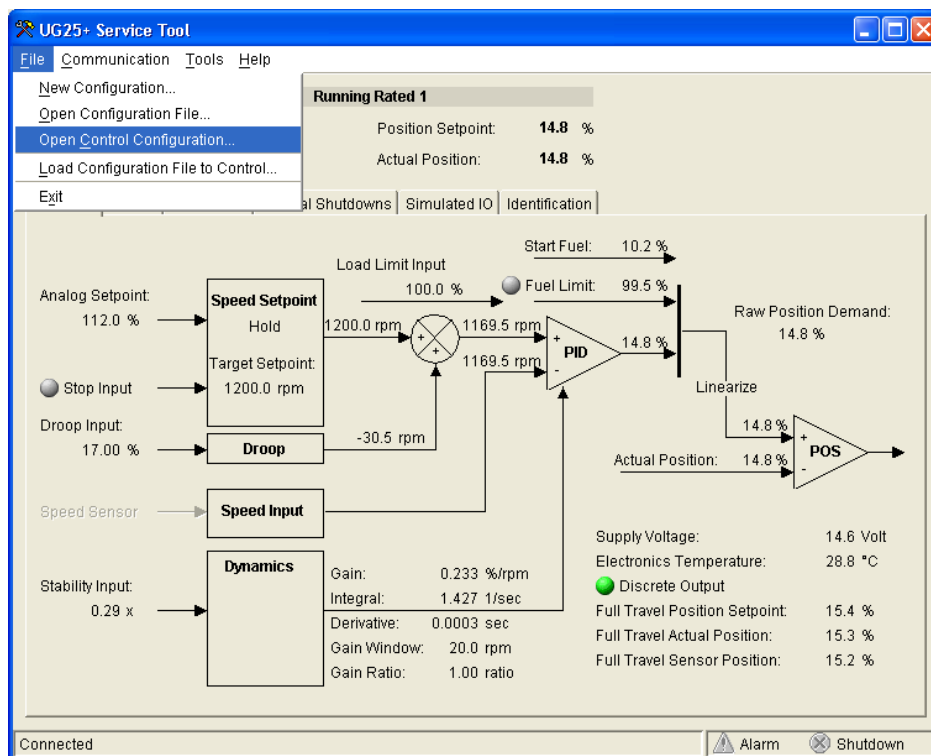


Figure 6-1. Configuration Selection Options

## Application File Data

The OEM or customer can save configuration file specific data with the service tool by selecting Properties under the File menu pull down. This is a text field and can be used to store data such as:

- Customer
- Engine Type
- Application Type
- Notes

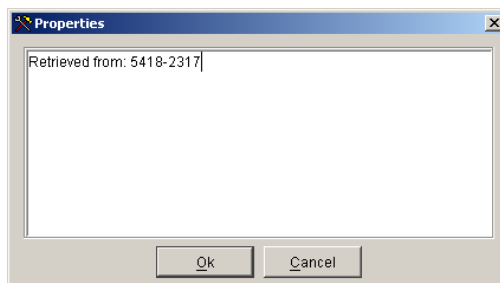


Figure 6-2. Configuration File Example

## Configuration Parameters

There are five different screens that display/set the configuration settings in the UG-25+ Speed Controller: Overview, Setpoint, Fuel Limiting, Dynamics, and Security.

### Overview Tab

The overview tab provides speed sensing and position controller configuration settings.

Figure 6-3. Configuration Editor – OVERVIEW TAB

## Speed Input Configuration Settings

### Engine Type

Set to either 2-stroke or 4-stroke.

### Speed Ratio (shaft to engine speed)

Set the governor drive ratio between UG-25+ shaft speed (governor speed) and actual engine speed. This parameter sets the relationship between the speed of the governor (UG-25+ shaft speed) and actual engine speed (governor speed/engine speed). All speed values shown on the software service tool are engine speed values. When set to '1', all speed settings will be displayed in terms of governor shaft speed. Allowed values: 0.0625 – 50.

### Number of Cylinders

Sets the number of cylinders.  
Allowed values: 1 – 20.

**IMPORTANT**

Allowed adjustment ranges are displayed in the lower left corner of the window when an adjustable parameter is selected.

### Number of Cylinders Averaged

Sets the number of cylinders to be averaged by the speed sensing algorithm. This setting is used as a filter to minimize the effects of firing torsionals that occur normally in reciprocating engines. A lower value gives less filtering for better transient response but will result in higher steady-state speed variation. A higher setting gives more filtering for transient response but will result in less steady-state speed variation. If you make changes to this setting, you will also need to re-evaluate the speed control gains accordingly. If unsure, set this to either '1' or half the 'Number of Cylinders' for a 4-stroke. On a 2-stroke engine, '1' or 'Number of Cylinders' are good choices.

For uneven firing patterns, 'Number of Cylinders Averaged' should be selected to eliminate repeating torsionals. If cylinder firings are paired, 'Number of Cylinders Averaged' should also be paired (2, 4, 6, ...). If unsure, set to 'Number of Cylinders'.

Allowed values: 1 to 'Number of Cylinders'.

## IMPORTANT

**Steam Turbine applications settings should be 2-stroke, 1:1.0 Speed Ratio, 1 cylinder, and 1 cylinder averaged. For these applications all configured and displayed speed values will be in terms of governor (shaft) speed, not engine speed.**

The UG-25+ speed settings must follow the following general order.

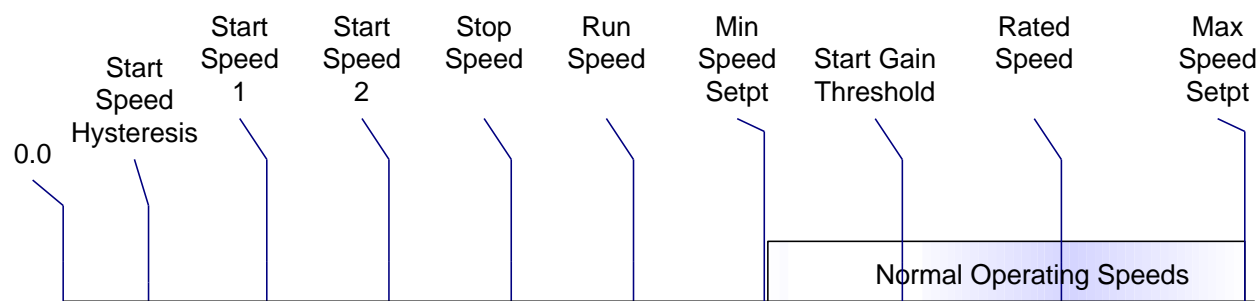


Figure 6-4. General Order of Speed Settings

## Starting the Engine

The engine starting sequence will look like this, if no errors are detected:

While stopped, make sure the Run/Stop input is in the RUN position. Start (crank) the engine. When the engine speed increases above the Start Speed 1 Threshold, the governor will go to the Start Fuel 1 position demand. If two start fuel positions are used, as the engine speed increases above the Start Speed 2 Threshold, the governor will go to the Start Fuel 2 position demand. At this point, the governor is still running open loop, the speed control PID is not controlling the governor position. Once the engine speed is above the run speed threshold, the governor will bumplessly switch from start fuel demand to the fuel demand from the speed PID. At this point, the unit is in speed control, and the UG-25+ will control the engine as determined by the speed setpoint. The speed setpoint will ramp up to the configured control speed, rated or minimum speed setpoint. From this point, the speed setpoint can be adjusted as needed using either raise/lower commands or the analog speed setpoint.

If an error is detected, the control will go to the stopping state. Once the engine speed decreases to zero rpm, the unit will be in the stopped state.





## WARNING

The UG-25\* is not equipped with an overspeed trip function. The engine, turbine, or other type of prime mover should be equipped with an overspeed shutdown device to protect against runaway or damage to the prime mover with possible personal injury, loss of life, or property damage.

The overspeed shutdown device must be totally independent of the prime mover control system. An overtemperature or overpressure shutdown device may also be needed for safety, as appropriate.

## Engine Start Settings

## IMPORTANT

All speed settings are in terms of engine speed and all position settings are in terms of percentage of full (42 degrees) shaft rotation. Speed values and adjustment increments are listed in terms of governor shaft speed with a Speed Ratio of 1.0, and will vary with the Speed Ratio setting.

### Start Fuel Selection

Set to either one start fuel setting or 2 start fuel settings with a ramp between the settings. A single start fuel is suitable for most applications. With this configuration, the fuel demand immediately switches to the Start Fuel 1 setting when the engine speed has exceeded the Start1 Speed setting. The selection of 'Two with time delay' is only available in firmware version 5418-3715 and newer.

Dual start fuel configuration is appropriate for engines that need a rather high fuel setting to start the engine, but a much lower setting immediately thereafter to minimize speed overshoot, minimize black smoke, or to prevent an overspeed shutdown.

### Start Speed 1 Threshold

Start Speed 1 Threshold is set below the starter speed. Once this threshold is exceeded, the control determines a start is in progress and opens the governor to the start fuel setting. At this point the governor state changes from 'Stopped' to 'Start Fuel 1'. Typical value is 64 rpm (engine) to detect engine cranking.

Allowed values: between 0 and 'Stop Speed Threshold' but must be less than 'Start Speed 2 Threshold' (if used). Adjustment Increment: 8 rpm (governor shaft).

### Start Speed Hysteresis

Hysteresis is provided for the start speed threshold to ensure that a normal amount of variance in engine speed while in the Start Fuel State does not cause the control to enter the Stopping state. After the control has reached the Start Fuel state, it will go to the Stopping state if engine speed drops below the (Start Speed 1 Threshold – Start Speed Hysteresis) value.

Allowed values: 50% of 'Start Speed 1 Threshold' to 'Start Speed 1 Threshold'. Adjustment Increment: 8 rpm (governor shaft).

### Start Fuel 1

Specifies the maximum permitted shaft position when the governor state is 'Start Fuel 1'. Typical value is the same as the full load governor position.

Allowed values: 0 – 100 % of full 42 degree shaft rotation.

### Start Speed 2 Threshold

Specifies the speed at which the Governor State changes from 'start1' to 'start2.' Typical value is 50% of the lowest speed reference. Only displayed if two start fuel limits are configured.

Allowed values: Must be between 'Start Speed 1 Threshold' and the 'Stop Speed Threshold'. Adjustment Increment: 8 rpm (governor shaft).

**Start Fuel 2**

Specifies the maximum permitted shaft position when the governor state is 'Start Fuel 2'. Only displayed if two start fuel limits are configured. Allowed values: 0 – 100 % of full 42 degree shaft rotation.

**IMPORTANT**

**Start fuel limiter setting should secure safety margin which allows the engine can start even when conditions change, e.g. cold temperature, fuel linkage wear, engine performance change, etc.**

**Actuator Ramp Rate**

Specifies the rate, in governor output shaft position %/second, the control will move the governor position from the Start Fuel 1 to the Start Fuel 2 position. If the ramp rate is set to its maximum value, the change to the second start fuel setting is nearly instantaneous, essentially eliminating the ramp feature. Only displayed if two start fuel limits are configured.

Allowed values: 0.235 – 200 %/second

**Stop Speed Threshold**

Specifies the speed at which the Governor State changes from 'Stopping' to 'Stopped'. If the engine is stopped by a shutdown, the control will go to the Stopping state and the engine must stop before proceeding to any other state. If the engine is stopped by the Run Enable input, the control will again go to the Stopping state. In this case, however, if engine speed is still above the Stop Speed Threshold, making the Run Enable switch active again will allow the control to go directly back to the running state. Below the Stop Speed Threshold, the control will not allow a coast-down restart of the engine.

Allowed values: Must be greater the 'Start Speed Threshold' and less than 'Run Speed Threshold'.

Adjustment Increment: 8 rpm (governor shaft).

**Run Speed Threshold**

Specifies the speed at which the Governor State changes from 'Start Fuel' to 'running.' Typical value is 90% of the lowest speed reference. If the engine speed is above the Run Speed Threshold, the control will switch to one of the running states and start using the speed control to drive the governor position demand up to the configured Start Target Speed setpoint.

Allowed values: Must be greater than 'Stop Speed Threshold' and less than 'Min Speed Setpoint'.

Adjustment Increment: 8 rpm (governor shaft).

**Start Target Speed Selection**

Sets the desired speed setpoint at the conclusion of the start sequence. The 2 options are either Rated Speed or Min Speed Setpoint – both of these are set on the Setpoint tab.

**Start Target Speed Rate**

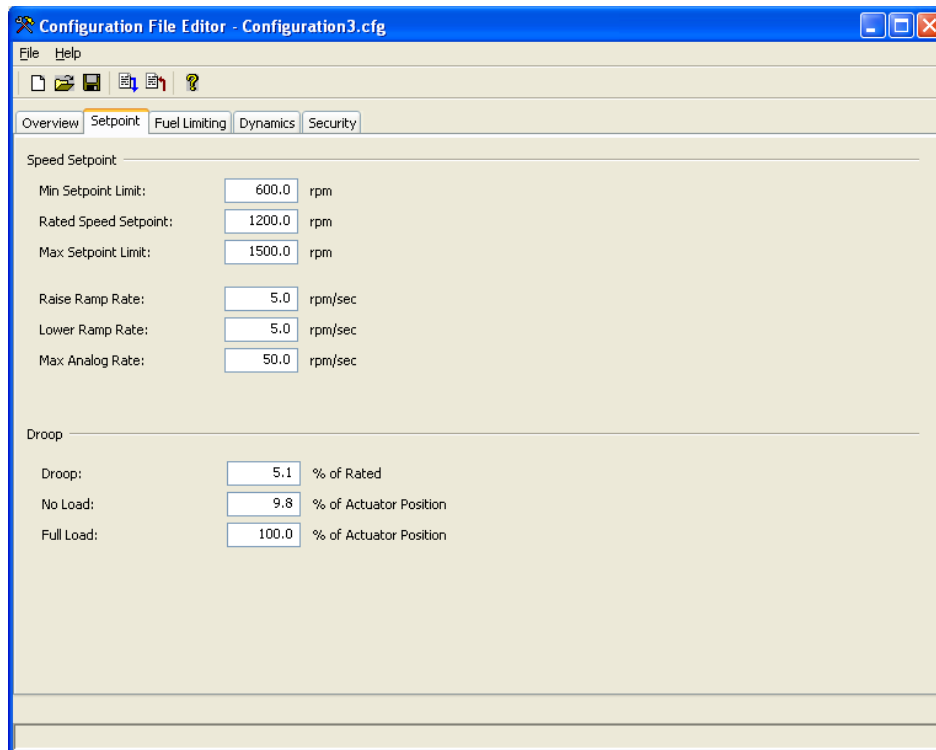
Specifies the ramping rate for the speed setpoint from Run Speed up to the specified Start Target Speed setpoint. Allowed values: 0.2 – 500 rpm/second (governor shaft).

**Start Fuel 1 Delay Time**

Sets the time delay at the start fuel 1 limit prior to ramping to the start fuel 2 limit. Only displayed if start fuel is configured as 'Two with time delay'. Allowed values: 0.1 – 429 seconds.

## Setpoint Tab

The Setpoint tab provides the speed setpoint configuration settings.



**Configuration File Editor - Configuration3.cfg**

File Help

Overview **Setpoint** Fuel Limiting Dynamics Security

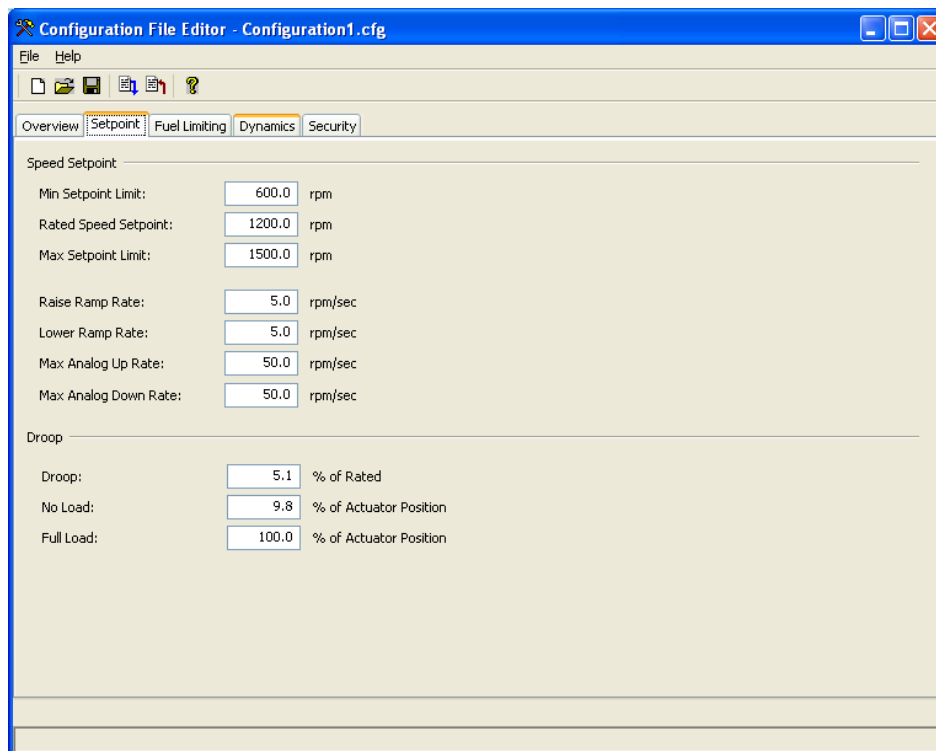
Speed Setpoint

Min Setpoint Limit:	<input type="text" value="600.0"/>	rpm
Rated Speed Setpoint:	<input type="text" value="1200.0"/>	rpm
Max Setpoint Limit:	<input type="text" value="1500.0"/>	rpm
Raise Ramp Rate:	<input type="text" value="5.0"/>	rpm/sec
Lower Ramp Rate:	<input type="text" value="5.0"/>	rpm/sec
Max Analog Rate:	<input type="text" value="50.0"/>	rpm/sec

Droop

Droop:	<input type="text" value="5.1"/>	% of Rated
No Load:	<input type="text" value="9.8"/>	% of Actuator Position
Full Load:	<input type="text" value="100.0"/>	% of Actuator Position

Figure 6-5a. Configuration Editor—SETPOINT TAB



**Configuration File Editor - Configuration1.cfg**

File Help

Overview **Setpoint** Fuel Limiting Dynamics Security

Speed Setpoint

Min Setpoint Limit:	<input type="text" value="600.0"/>	rpm
Rated Speed Setpoint:	<input type="text" value="1200.0"/>	rpm
Max Setpoint Limit:	<input type="text" value="1500.0"/>	rpm
Raise Ramp Rate:	<input type="text" value="5.0"/>	rpm/sec
Lower Ramp Rate:	<input type="text" value="5.0"/>	rpm/sec
Max Analog Up Rate:	<input type="text" value="50.0"/>	rpm/sec
Max Analog Down Rate:	<input type="text" value="50.0"/>	rpm/sec

Droop

Droop:	<input type="text" value="5.1"/>	% of Rated
No Load:	<input type="text" value="9.8"/>	% of Actuator Position
Full Load:	<input type="text" value="100.0"/>	% of Actuator Position

Figure 6-5b. Configuration Editor—SETPOINT TAB  
(version 5418-3715 and newer)

**Min Setpoint Limit**

Specifies the lowest desired speed setpoint possible that can be adjusted with the Raise/Lower Adjust or Analog functions. Allowed values: From 'Run Speed' to the 'Rated Speed Setpoint'.

**Rated Speed Setpoint**

Sets the Rated Speed Setpoint. Allowed values: From the 'Min Setpoint Limit' up to the 'Max Setpoint Limit'.

**Max Setpoint Limit**

Specifies the highest desired speed setpoint possible that can be adjusted with the Raise/Lower Adjust or Analog functions. Allowed values: From the 'Rated Speed Setpoint' up to 4080 rpm, but must be less than the factory set/installed pump speed limitation. Existing pump speed limits are 1700 and 1100 rpm (governor shaft), but are subject to change.

**Raise Ramp Rate**

Specifies the ramping rate for the speed setpoint Raise function. Allowed values: 0.2 – 500 rpm/second (governor shaft).

**Lower Ramp Rate**

Specifies the ramping rate for the speed setpoint Lower function. Allowed values: 0.2 – 500 rpm/second (governor shaft).

**Max Analog Up Rate**

Specifies the maximum rate allowed for the speed setpoint Analog adjust function in the increase direction. This setting replaces the Max Analog Rate and is only available in firmware version 5418-3715 and newer. Allowed values:  
0.2 – 500 rpm/second (governor shaft).

**Max Analog Down Rate**

Specifies the maximum rate allowed for the speed setpoint Analog adjust function in the decrease direction. This setting replaces the Max Analog Rate and is only available in firmware version 5418-3715 and newer. Allowed values:  
0.2 – 500 rpm/second (governor shaft).

**IMPORTANT**

Recommend the Max Analog Rate setting be set to a value that will prevent overshoot and possible overspeed on enabling of the Remote Input.

**Droop**

Specifies the nominal droop as a percentage of the Rated Speed Setpoint value. Allowed values: 0 – 100 % of Rated.

**No Load**

Sets the no load shaft position for the droop function. Below this shaft position the droop is zero. Allowed values: 0 – 100 %.

**Full Load**

Sets the full load shaft position for the droop function. Allowed values: "No Load" setting to 100%.



## WARNING

The UG-25+ is not equipped with an overspeed trip function. The engine, turbine, or other type of prime mover should be equipped with an overspeed shutdown device to protect against runaway or damage to the prime mover with possible personal injury, loss of life, or property damage.

The overspeed shutdown device must be totally independent of the prime mover control system. An overtemperature or overpressure shutdown device may also be needed for safety, as appropriate.

## Fuel Limiting Tab

The fuel limiting tab provides run time and boost fuel limiting configuration settings.

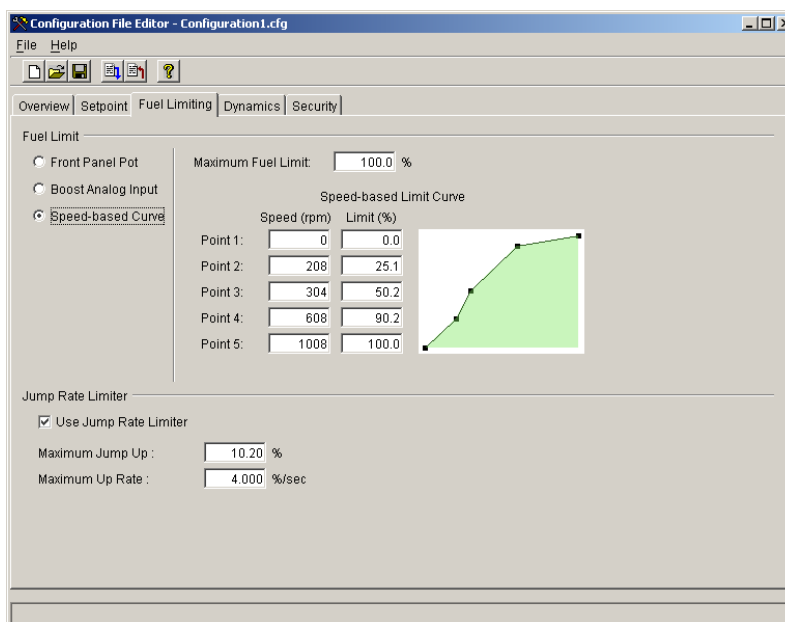


Figure 6-6. Configuration Editor– Fuel Limiting Tab

## Fuel Limiting Settings

### Maximum Fuel Limit

Sets the maximum permitted shaft position. Allowed values: 0 – 100 % of full 42 degree shaft rotation.

### Fuel Limit Input Selection

Selects between the Boost Input Curve (analog input) vs front panel Load Limit potentiometer. This selection must be done in conjunction with the wiring option to properly select the desired input (see Load Limit/Boost Pressure Select discrete input in the wiring section).

### Boost Fuel Limiting Curve Settings

These settings are only displayed when the Fuel Limit Input selection is set to 'Boost Analog Input'.

### Boost (%)

Fuel limit curve inputs. Allowed values: 0 –100 % of full analog input range (4 mA is 0% and 20 mA is 100%). Each point [5] must be larger than the previous and less than the next value, in increments of 1.2%.

**Limit (%)**

Fuel Limit curve outputs. Sets the maximum governor positions [5] based on the boost analog input. Allowed values: 0 – 100 % of full 42 degree shaft rotation.

**Speed-based Curve Settings**

These settings are displayed when the Fuel Limit selection is set to 'Speed-based Curve'.

**Speed (rpm)**

Fuel Limit curve input breakpoints, in rpm. Allowed values: 0–4080 rpm. Each point [5] must be larger than the previous value and less than the next value, in increments of 16 rpm (governor shaft).

**Limit (%)**

Fuel Limit curve outputs, in percentage. Sets the maximum governor positions [5] based on engine speed. Allowed values: 0–100% of full 42 degree shaft rotation.

**Jump Rate Limiter Settings**

The Jump Rate Limiter can be used limit the increasing fuel position output to prevent excessive emissions.

**Use Jump Rate Limiter**

Enables or disables the jump rate limiter function. If used, "jump up" and "up rate" limit are available.

**Max Jump Up**

Specifies the ramping rate for the speed setpoint Raise function. These settings are only displayed when the 'Use Jump Rate Limiter' option is selected. Allowed values: 0 – 100 % of full 42 degree shaft rotation.

**Max Up Rate**

Specifies the max governor output rate in the increasing direction. ramping rate for the speed setpoint Lower function. These settings are only displayed when the 'Use Jump Rate Limiter' option is selected. Allowed values: 0.235 – 200 %/second.

## Dynamics Tab

The Dynamics tab provides speed controller dynamics settings. The dynamic settings can also be adjusted from the Edit Speed Dynamics screen during run-time.

The 'look' of the Dynamics tab changes depending on the type of P-gain term selected; either Single Gain (Figure 6-5b) or Position Curve (Figure 6-5a).

See Chapter 7 (Speed PID Tuning) for a description of the terms used in the Dynamics tab.

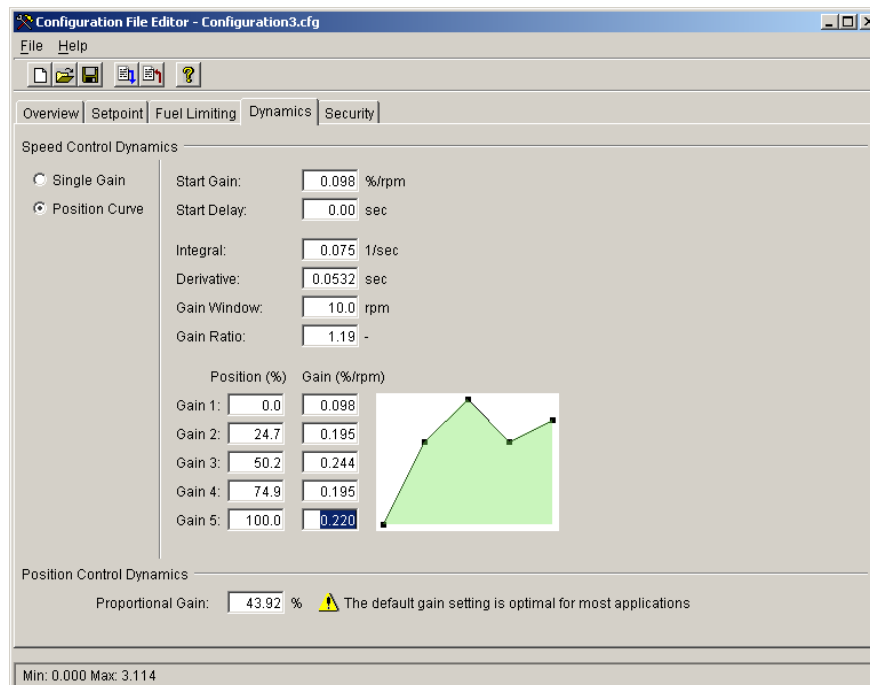


Figure 6-7a. Configuration Editor–Dynamics Tab  
(5418-2317 firmware)

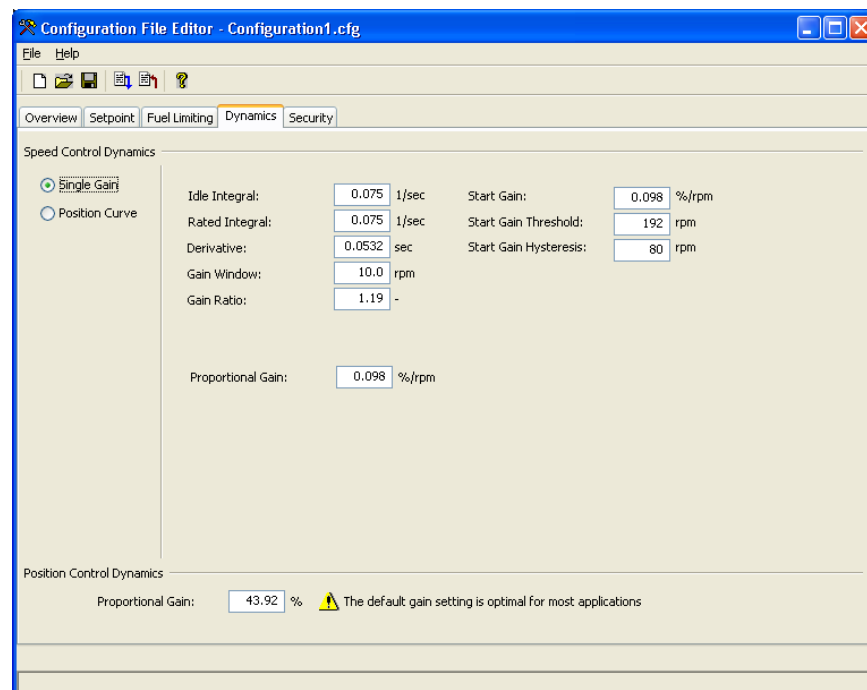


Figure 6-7b. Configuration Editor–Dynamics Tab  
(5418-2879, 5418-2970, & 5418-3715 firmware)

## Speed Controller Dynamics Settings

**Single Gain or Position Curve**—selects the type of P-gain term used in the PID.

Single Gain is a single speed gain term which remains constant and does not vary with engine speed or load. These are simple dynamics that suit most constant speed applications. Rated dynamics are typically used on engines that operate continuously at rated speed or on variable speed engines that tend to be stable at all speeds with constant dynamic settings.

Position Curve adjusts the gain term based on governor output shaft position using a 5-pt curve. Fuel demand is roughly proportional to load but not necessarily in a linear manner. A 5-breakpoint gain curve is provided to map gain versus fuel demand. Gain is applied linearly between breakpoints. A common gain setting is also provided to shift all gain curve gains higher or lower. This gain curve is particularly useful for non-linear fuel systems (for example, intake butterfly valves).

### Start Gain

Sets the gain to be used during a start. Typically this is set to a lower than normal gain value. With older (5418-2317A) firmware, a timer is used to select this gain. With the latest firmware (5418-2879 and newer), the Start Gain Threshold and Hysteresis are used to select the Start Gain. Allowed values: 0 – 3.114 %/rpm.

**Start Delay** (only available in 5418-2317 firmware)

Sets the number of seconds the Start Gain is used during a start. To disable the Start Gain, set the Timer to zero. Allowed values: 0 – 300 seconds.

**Start Gain Threshold** (only available in 5418-2879 firmware and newer)

Sets the speed threshold for the Start Gain, which is the speed controller gain used during a start. The Start Gain is active until the Start Gain Threshold is exceeded at which point it will use the configured gain (Rated or Rated Curve) based on the Single Gain or Position Curve selection. The Start Gain is re-activated if the speed drops below the Start Gain Threshold minus the Start Gain Hysteresis. Allowed values: 'Run Speed Threshold' (Overview tab) to 'Min Setpoint Limit' (Setpoint tab). Adjustment Increment: 8 rpm (governor shaft).

**Start Gain Hysteresis** (only available in 5418-2879 firmware and newer)

Sets the amount of hysteresis, in rpm below the Speed Threshold, before re-activating the Start Gain. Below this speed setting (Threshold – Hysteresis), the Start Gain is active. Allowed values: 0 to 'Start Gain Threshold'. Adjustment Increment: 8 rpm (governor shaft).

**Idle Integral** (only available in 5418-2879 firmware and newer)

Speed control nominal PID integral term at Idle (run speed threshold), in repeats per second. The integral gain value is interpolated between Idle and Rated based on the speed setpoint. In addition, the value is manipulated by the front panel Stability pot, and will be equal to the nominal setting when the pot is in mid position. The actual 'used integral gain' can be viewed on the Overview tab of the Service Tool. Allowed values: 0 – 19.15 repeats/second.

### Rated Integral

Speed control PID integral term at or above the configured Rated speed setpoint, in repeats per second. The actual 'used gain' is manipulated by the front panel Stability pot, and will be equal to the nominal setting when the pot is in mid position. Allowed values: 0 – 19.15 repeats/second.

### Derivative

Speed control PID derivative term in seconds. Allowed values: 0 – 0.1036 seconds.

### Gain Window

Speed control PID gain window, in rpm. When the speed error is greater than the window, the proportional Gain is multiplied by the Gain Ratio. Allowed values: 0 – 255 rpm.

### Gain Ratio

Speed control PID gain ratio. When the speed error is greater than the window, the proportional Gain is multiplied by the Gain Ratio. Allowed values: 1 – 15.



### Proportional Gain

Speed control nominal PID proportional gain term. This setting is only displayed when 'Rated' dynamics mode is selected. The actual 'used gain' is manipulated by the front panel Stability pot, and will be equal to the nominal setting when the pot is in mid position. Allowed values: 0 – 3.114 %/rpm.

### Position (%)

Position breakpoints for the gain curve. These settings are only displayed when 'Rated Curve' is selected. Allowed values: Each point [5] must be larger than the previous and less than the next value, in increments of 0.4%.

### Gain (%/rpm)

Sets the nominal PID proportional gain value [5] based on the position. These settings are only displayed when 'Rated Curve' is selected. The actual 'used gain' is manipulated by the front panel Stability pot, and will be equal to the nominal setting when the pot is in mid position. Allowed values: 0 – 3.114 %/rpm.

### Position Controller Dynamics – Proportional Gain (%)

Sets the Position Controller PID proportional gain value. Note that the default gain setting is optimal for most applications. Increased gain corresponds to increased PID output (higher proportional = faster response). This setting is not affected by the front panel Stability pot. Allowed values: 25.88 – 60 %.

## Security Tab

The security tab provides the security configuration settings. To use any security, the Read Configuration security must be configured for use. Once selected, the Security Password must be set (Figure 6-7). One common password is used for all security selections (password is case-sensitive). The password entry is prompted (Figure 6-8) whenever a secured function is selected by the user.

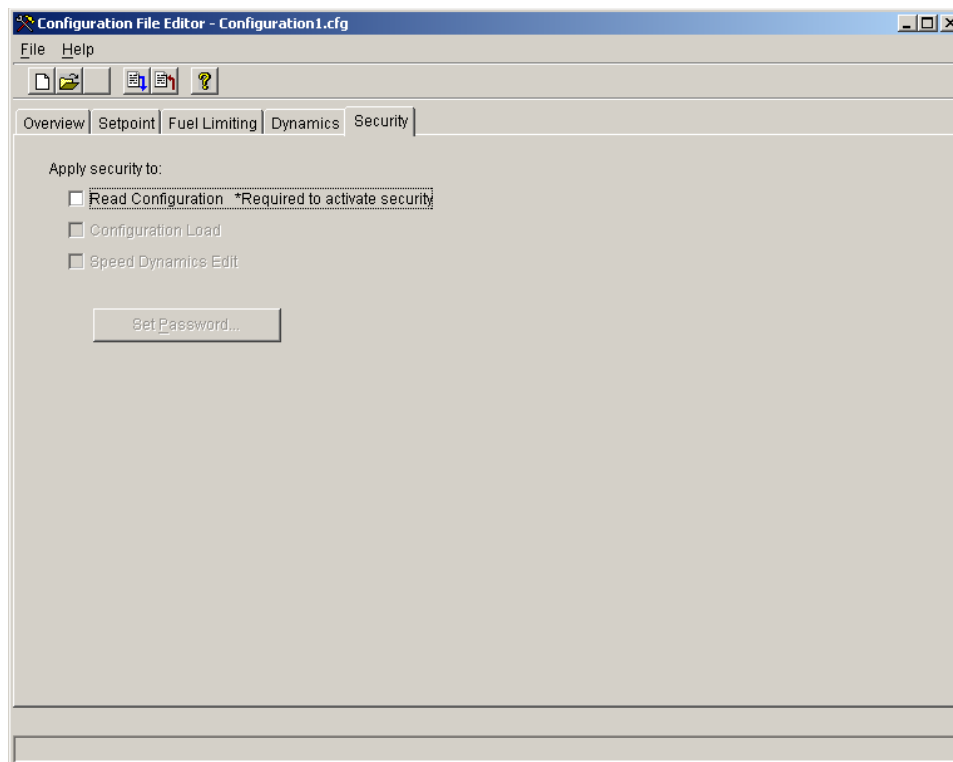


Figure 6-8. Configuration Editor– Security Tab

## Security Configurations

All checked features will have the security password enforced prior to allowing the function. Unchecked features will not be prompted with a password.

### Read Configuration

When checked, requires a password before the configuration can be read from the UG-25+ control (protects Open From Control execution).

### Configuration Load

When checked, requires a password before a configuration can be loaded into the UG-25+ control (protects Load to Control execution).

### Speed Dynamics Edit

When checked, requires a password before allowing tuning to the speed PID (protects Edit Speed Dynamics screen).

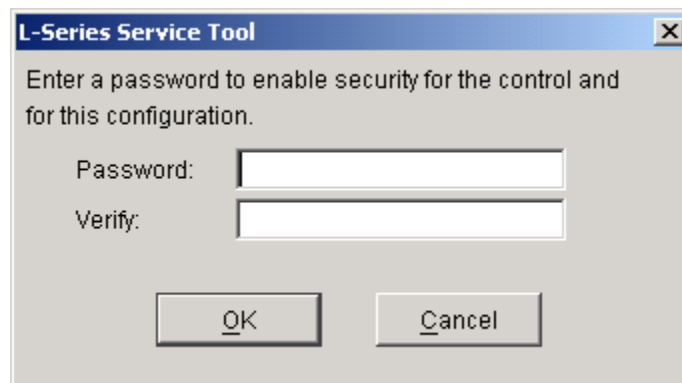


Figure 6-9. Security tab Set Password Pop-up

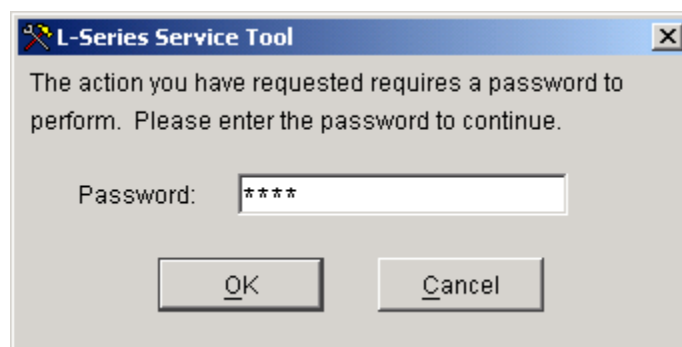


Figure 6-10. Password Entry Prompt

## Loading the Configuration (Save)

Select the File/'Load to Control' option from the menu or Blue Arrow icon on the Configuration Editor to load the changes into the control. The UG-25+ speed must be zero prior to allowing a 'Load' command. This feature can be optionally password protected.

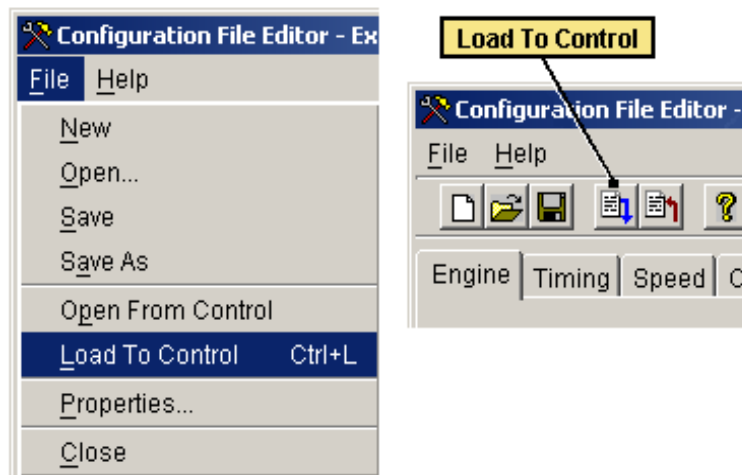


Figure 6-11. Loading Changes to Service Tool Configuration

## Load Configuration File to Control

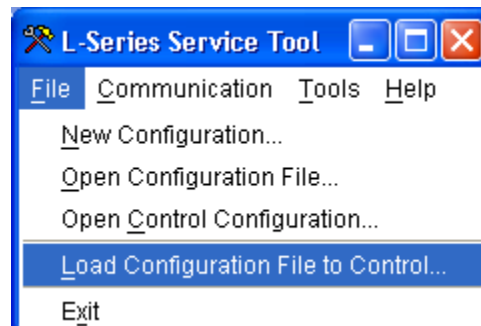


Figure 6-12. Direct Load of Configuration File

The 'Load Configuration File to Control' option under the Run screen File menu allows loading a configuration file to a control without opening it. Thus, a password protected configuration file can be downloaded without entering the password while preserving the configuration's security.

If you are downloading a configuration to a control that already contains a configuration with password protection enabled for configuration loads, you will need to use that password.

## Configuration Checks

Whenever a configuration is saved or loaded to the control, some basic checks are performed. This check cannot determine if the values are realistic, but it makes sure that values are loaded into the required parameters. If an error is found, the Service Tool will not allow the load or save function to be performed until the error is corrected.

1. **Speed range exceeds governor limits (Max Setpoint Limit setting).** The setting for Max Setpoint Limit (on the Setpoint tab) must be less than the Max Pump Speed Limit or this Configuration Error message is displayed. Since the Pump Size is based on the installed UG-25+ pump size, this check is only done when a Load to Control is selected.
2. **Run Speed > Min Speed Setpt.** The setting for Run Speed Threshold (Overview tab) must be less than the Min Setpoint Limit (Setpoint tab) or this configuration error message is displayed.
3. **Speed sensing/filtering limits exceeded.** Try reducing the Number of Cylinders Averaged . This error message is displayed when the settings exceed control limits. The limit is determined by Service Tool calculations and based on the speed input settings of stroke, gear ratio, number of cylinders and number of cylinders averaged.
4. **Start Gain Threshold exceeds Rated Speed Setpt.** The setting for the Start Gain Threshold (Dynamics tab) must be less than the Rated Speed Setpoint (Setpoint tab) or this configuration error message is displayed.

## Chapter 7. Speed PID Tuning

### Introduction

The UG-25+ is configured using the Service Tool, refer to chapter 5 for Service Tool installation and connection instructions. This chapter covers the process of tuning and servicing the control via the UG-25+ Service Tool. It is assumed that the control has already been installed on the engine.

An application requires the following setup steps. In many applications these steps have already been performed by the OEM.

Configure the UG-25+ control (configuration is covered in chapter 6).

Tune the Speed controller loop PID for each application.

In addition, jump and rate limit settings and the position controller proportional gain term can be adjusted to meet application requirements.

#### **IMPORTANT**

Setup and tuning features can be individually password protected for security purposes. If security is applied, these features will not be accessible without the password.

#### **IMPORTANT**

Many applications are delivered pre-configured, calibrated, and tuned. For most applications, the default gains do not need to be changed.

#### **! WARNING**

An unsafe condition could occur with improper use of these software tools. Only trained personnel should have access to these tools.

#### **NOTICE**

When the Service Tool programming harness is connected, the speed setpoint (raise/lower/analog) and load limit functions are no longer available. However, simulation of these functions is provided in the Service Tool software.

The Service Tool can be used to tune the Speed PID or to just trend/monitor the speed PID output. The Speed PID Dynamics screen (Figure 7-1a & b) is opened by selecting 'Edit Speed Dynamics' under the 'Tools' menu (Figure 5-1).

Pressing the Properties button pops open the Properties Window. From this window the user can adjust the trending window properties including the speed range, update rate and display range.

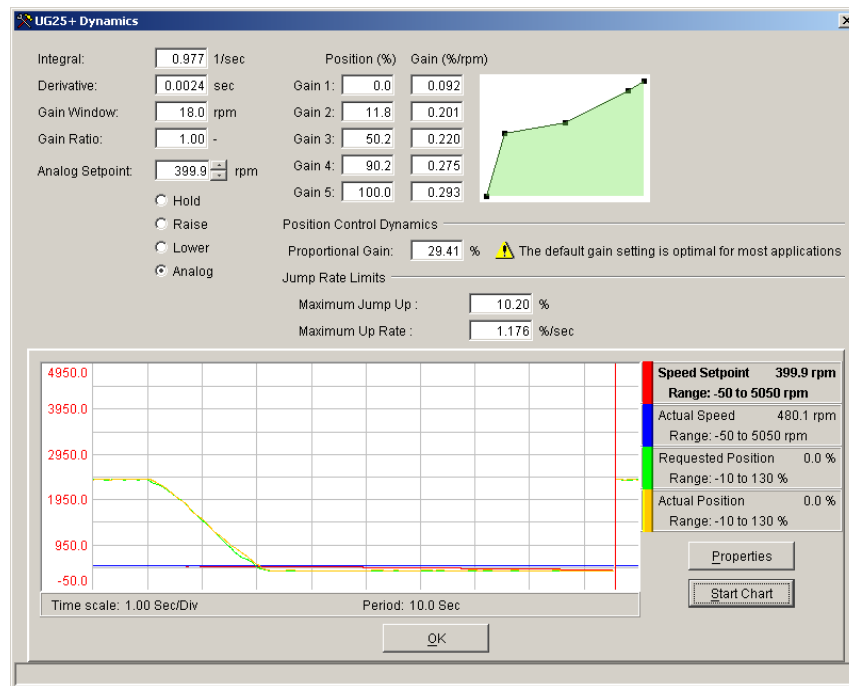


Figure 7-1a. Service Tool – Speed Dynamics Position Curve

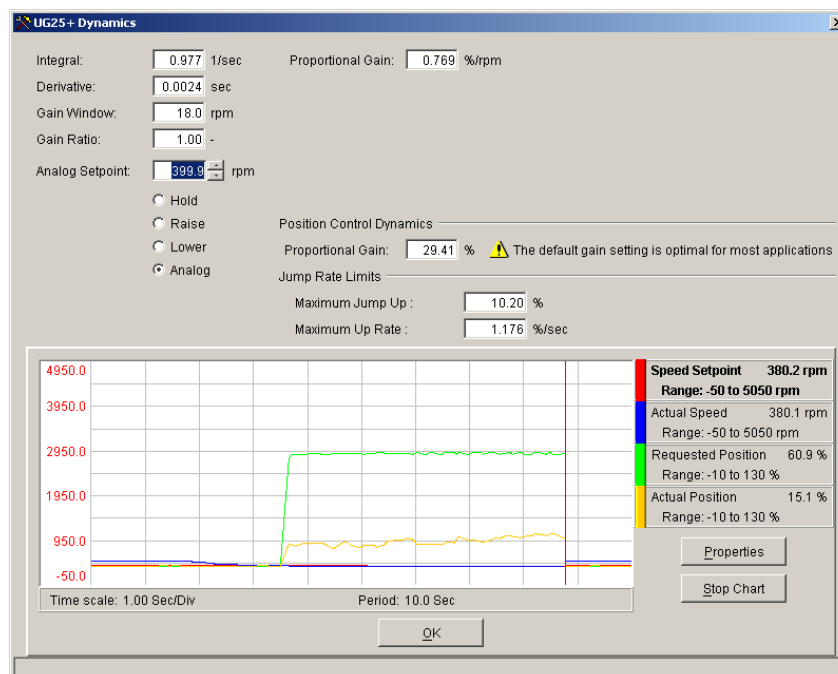


Figure 7-1b. Service Tool – Speed Dynamics Single Gain

**IMPORTANT**

If the dynamics curve inputs (position values) are changed, the values are not applied until the OK button is selected.

## Adjusting Trend Settings

Pressing the Properties button pops open the Properties Window (Figure 7-2). From this window the user can adjust the trending window properties including the update rate and display range.

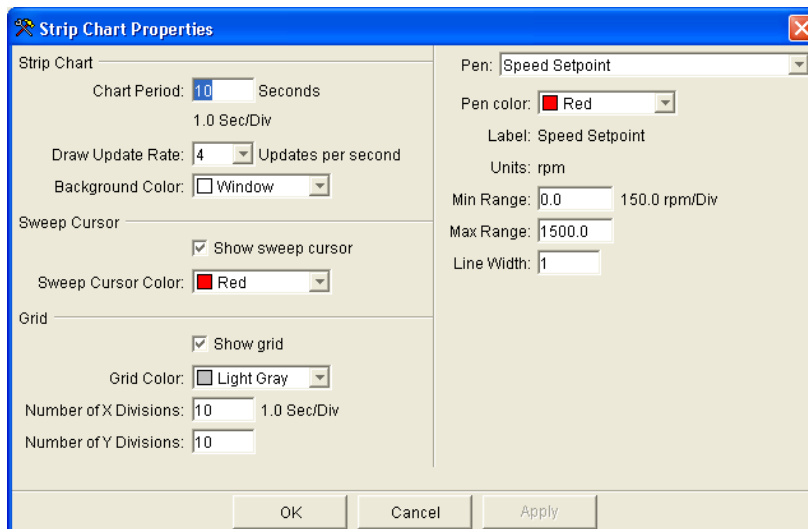


Figure 7-2. Service Tool – PID Tuning Properties Window

Each trend line, called pens, can be individually modified from the Properties window. To change the properties of a trend, select the pen from the drop-down window. The color, range, and line width of each pen can be modified.

## Speed PID Dynamic Settings

The Speed loop utilizes a PID controller. The response of this control loop can be adjusted for optimum response, however it is important to understand what a PID controller is and the effect each controller adjustment has on the controller response. Proportional gain (P), integral gain (I), and derivative (D) are the adjustable and interacting parameters used to match the response of the control loop with the response of the system.

### Proportional Control

Proportional response is directly proportional to a process change.

Analogy: Setting the throttle on an automobile to keep constant speed on a straight and level road.

Proportional control (using the same analogy) results in a certain speed as long as the automobile is not subjected to any load change such as a hill. If a throttle is set to any particular setting, the speed of the automobile will remain constant as long as the automobile remains on a straight and level road. If the automobile goes up a hill, it will slow down. Of course, going down a hill the automobile would gain speed.

### Integral Control

Integral compensates for process and setpoint load changes.

Analogy: An automobile's cruise control maintains the automobile's constant speed regardless of hills. Integral, sometimes called reset, provides additional action to the original proportional response as long as the process variable remains away from the setpoint. Integral is a function of the magnitude and duration of the deviation. In this analogy the reset response would keep the automobile's speed constant regardless of the terrain.

## Derivative

Derivative provides a temporary over-correction to compensate for long transfer lags and reduce stabilization time on process upsets (momentary disturbances).

Analogy: Accelerating an automobile into the high speed lane with merging traffic.

Derivative, sometimes called "preact" or "rate", is very difficult to draw an accurate analogy to, because the action takes place only when the process changes and is directly related to the speed at which the process changes. Merging into high speed traffic on a highway from an "on" ramp is no easy task and requires accelerated correction (temporary overcorrection) in both increasing and decreasing directions. The application of brakes to fall behind the automobile in the first continuous lane or passing gear to get ahead of the automobile in the first continuous lane is derivative action.

## Proportional Response

The amount of controller change is directly related to the process change and the Proportional gain setting on the controller; Controller output change is Proportional to the process change. If there is no process change, there is no change in output from the controller (or valve change) regardless of the deviation. This results in an undesired offset between the original desired Setpoint and the resulting drop in the Control Point.

Figure 7-3 shows the effect of Proportional gain settings on control. Starting at the top of the graph a load change is introduced. With a small Proportional gain (meaning a large process change is required to produce full valve travel), stability is good but offset is very high. With a moderate gain setting (higher number setting) stability is still good - offset is still fairly high. With a high setting, offset is considerably smaller but the stability is poor. The 0.25 ratio effects a minimum area whereby the offset is reduced to a minimum while stability is in a decaying manner at 0.25% ratio. The decay ratio used (0.25%) means that if the second cycle is 1/4 of the first cycle, then each succeeding cycle will be 1/4 of the preceding cycle until the cycle is not visible.

Since Proportional gain is adjusted to produce (only) the proper stability of a process, do not continue increasing its effect to correct offset conditions. The amount of stability and offset is directly related to the setting of the Proportional setting. Stability is of course also affected by the stability of the process. In essence, the amount of output from the controller due to the Proportional setting is from the error. If there is no error, then there is no Proportional effect.



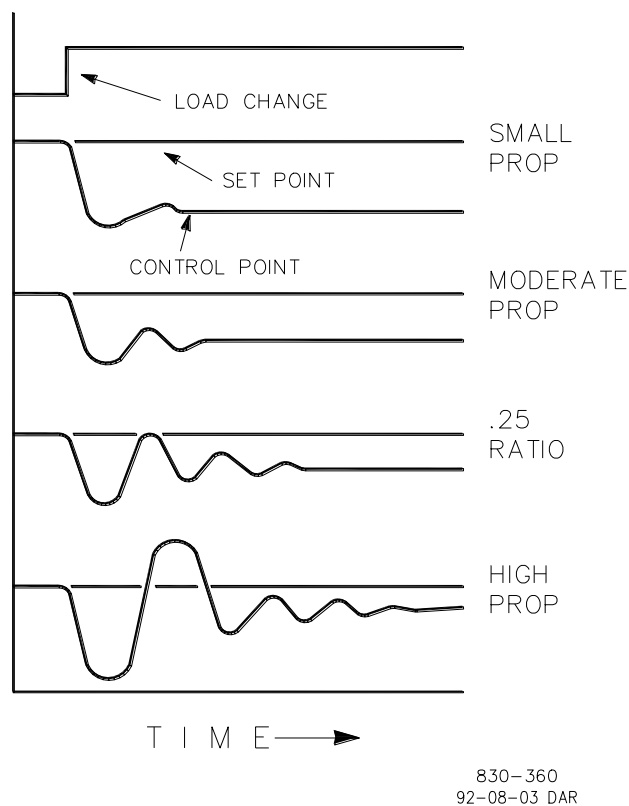


Figure 7-3. Proportional Gain Setting Effects

### Integral Response

In the UG-25+, integral gain is in units of repeats per second (or Reset Rate). Therefore, a high amount of Integral gain (high number) would result in a large amount of Reset action. Conversely, a low Integral gain (low number) would result in a slower reset action.

Integral response is provided to eliminate the offset that resulted from straight Proportional control. Figure 7-4 shows how the controller action is Proportional to the measurement change, but this results in offset. The Integral (or Reset) action is a function of both time and magnitude of the deviation. As long as an offset condition (due to load changes) exists, Integral action is taking place.

The amount of Integral action is a function of four things:

1. The magnitude of the deviation.
2. The duration of the deviation.
3. The Proportional gain setting.
4. The Integral setting.

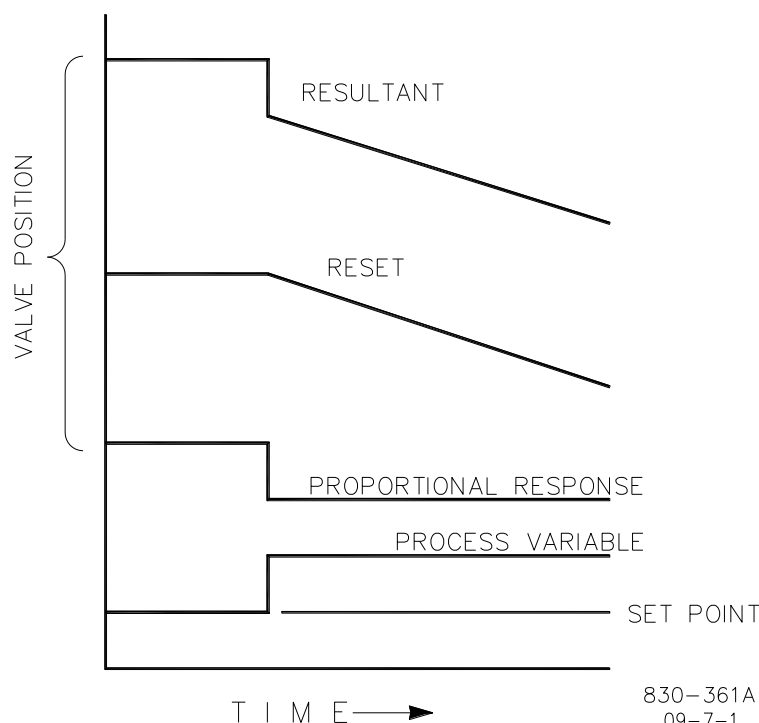


Figure 7-4. Open Loop Proportional and Integral Response

In this Open Loop figure (Figure 7-4), the Integral response is shown increasing due to the offset condition existing between the process variable (like speed) and the setpoint. The resultant action is the top curve showing the step Proportional response that ends as soon as the measurement stops changing. Then the Integral (or reset) action is added to the Proportional action in an amount equal to the Integral of the deviation. In other words, Reset action continues (in either or both directions) as long as there is a difference (deviation) between the setpoint and the process measurement. In this case, the deviation will never be eliminated (or even reduced) because the system is in Open Loop.

Figure 7-5 shows the closed loop effects of integral action. The bottom curve displays the load change. The next curve up shows the setpoint and the measured process variable. With the load change, the process variable (like speed) droops or deviates from the setpoint. The next highest curve is the Proportional action and follows the measured variable proportionately. The Integral curve adds to the Proportional curve resulting in a different output position, thereby returning the process to the Setpoint.

In Closed Loop, however (as opposed to Open Loop), as the measurement decays toward the Setpoint the Proportional action is taking place Proportionally to the measurement change, and the Integral action is decaying proportionately to the magnitude and duration of the deviation until the measurement reaches the setpoint at which time the Integral action is zero.

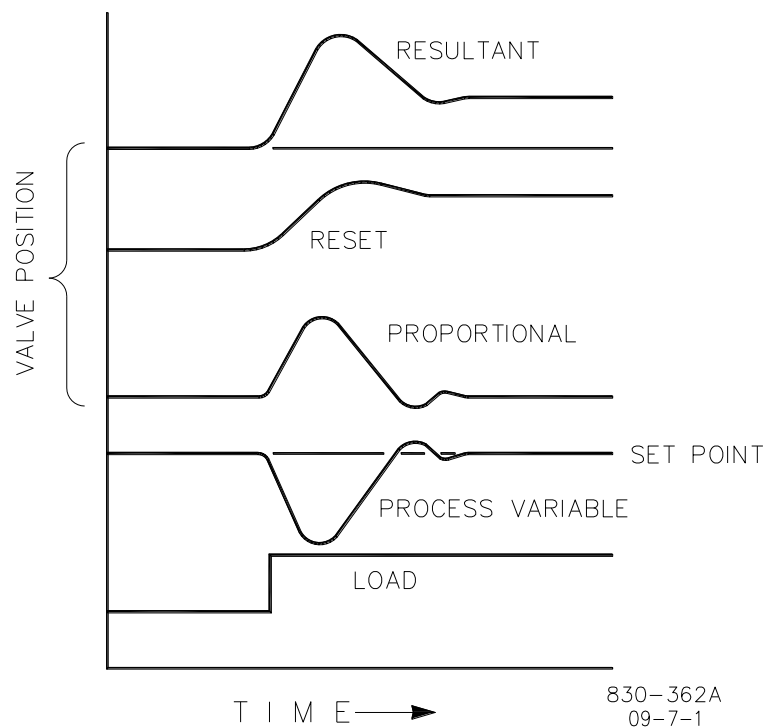


Figure 7-5. Closed Loop Proportional and Integral Response

Figure 7-6 shows the effect of fast or slow Integral action. For a given load change an offset results with Proportional response only. Since recovery time (for a given load change) is important, the Integral setting should remove the offset in a minimum time without adding additional cycling. Ideally, the process should not continue to cycle after the setpoint has been reached as in the second curve from the bottom.

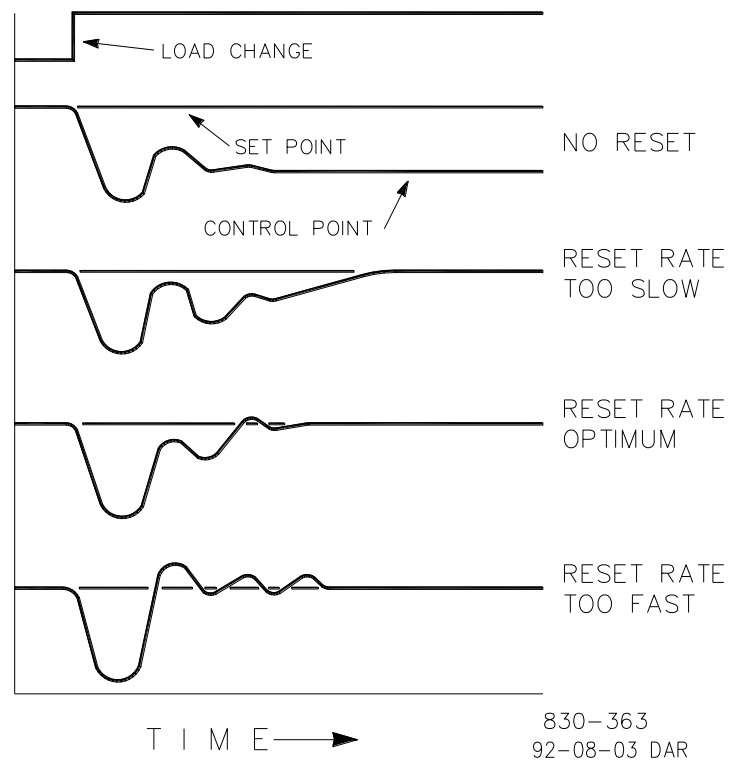


Figure 7-6. Integral Gain (Reset) Setting Responses

## Derivative Response

In a process control loop the Derivative action is directly related to how fast the process changes (rate of change). If the process change is slow then the Derivative action is proportional to that rate of change. Derivative acts by advancing the Proportional action. Derivative acts at the start of the process change, when the process changes its rate and when the process stops its change.

Derivative action takes place at only three times:

1. When the process starts to change.
2. When the rate of change takes place in the process.
3. When the process stops changing.

The net result of Derivative action is to oppose any process change and combined with Proportional action to reduce stabilization time in returning the process to the setpoint after an upset. Derivative will not remove offset.

Figure 7-7 shows how Derivative acts to oppose a change in process in either direction. The dashed line shows the Derivative action going through zero to oppose the process deviation traveling toward zero. Notice offset still exists between the desired setpoint and the drooped control point that resulted from the load change. The top curve is the resultant controller output, Proportional plus Derivative. If an upset (momentary) had occurred rather than a load change, there would be no offset.

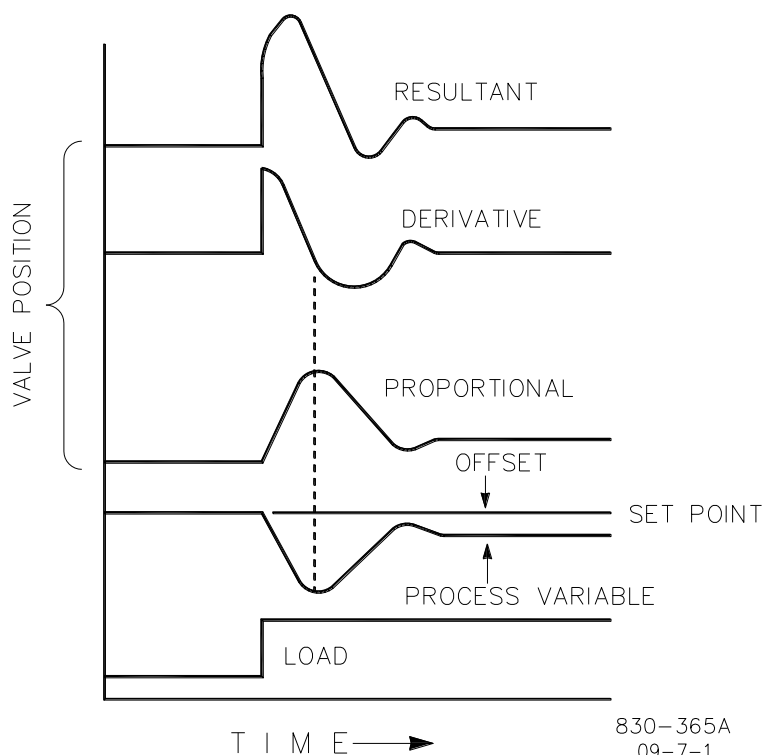


Figure 7-7. Closed Loop Proportional and Derivative Action

Figure 7-8 shows the effect of different Derivative settings. The curves are relative since it depends on what type of control is desired in order to properly adjust Derivative time. In all the above curves, the offset still exists since offset can only be eliminated by the addition of Integral (or Reset).

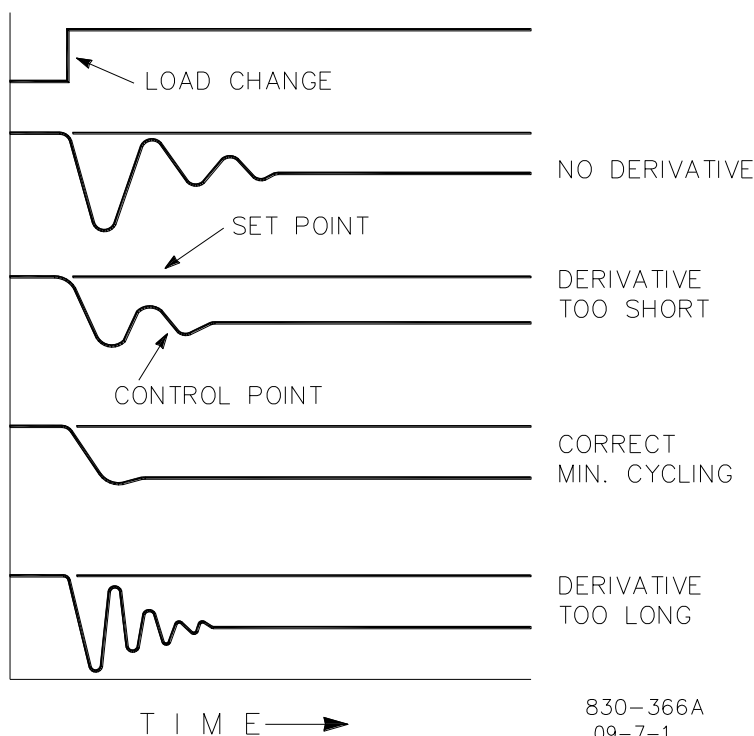


Figure 7-8. Derivative Setting Effects

Figure 7-9 shows the relationship of output position to the interaction of the PID modes of control whenever a load change takes place in closed loop. As the process variable drops due to the load change, the proportional action moves the control valve proportionately to the measurement (process variable) change. The integral gain/reset adds to the proportional action as a result of the magnitude and time (duration) of the deviation. And the derivative temporarily over-corrects based on the speed at which the measurement moves in any direction. The resultant curve (at the top) shows a similar over-correction (in this case), but in addition the valve will stay at the new position required to keep the measurement at the setpoint.

Derivative provides a temporary over-correction to compensate for long transfer lags and reduce stabilization time on process upsets (momentary disturbances).

Another possible use of the derivative adjustment is to reconfigure the controller from a PID to a PI controller. This is done by adjusting the derivative term to zero.

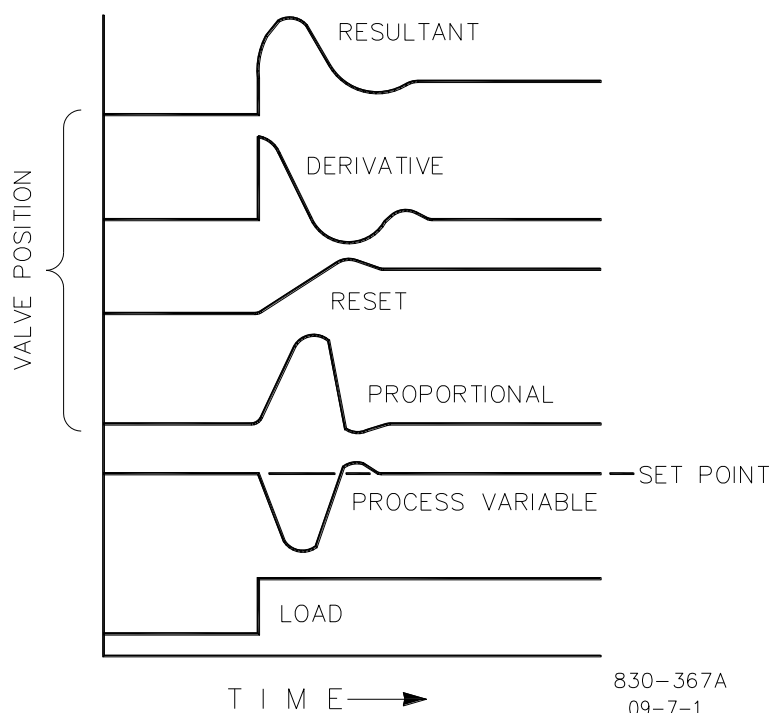


Figure 7-9. Closed Loop Proportional, Integral and Derivative Action

### General Field Tuning Guidelines

Best results are obtained when the adjustment (tuning) is done systematically. Prior training and experience in controller tuning are desirable for effective application of this procedure. The settings made for one operating set of conditions may result in excessive cycling or highly damped response at some other operating condition. The tuning procedure should be applied under the most difficult operating conditions to assure conservative settings over the normal operating range. The UG-25+ can be configured for a 5-point position curve, providing greater flexibility in dynamics settings over this range.

It is good practice to keep the average of the setpoint changes near the normal setpoint of the process to avoid excessive departure from normal operating level. After each setpoint change, allow sufficient time to observe the effect of the last adjustment. It is wise to wait until approximately 90% of the change has been completed.

### Speed Setpoint Adjustments

While the Service Tool is connected, all normal means of adjusting the speed setpoint (raise/lower, analog) are disabled. To compensate for this loss of functionality, the Speed setpoint can be adjusted from the Speed PID tuning screen (Figure 7-1) or from the Simulated IO tab (Figure 7-10).

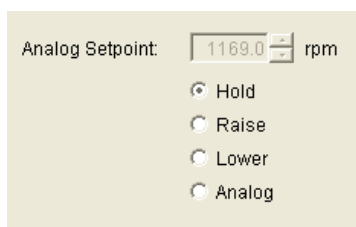


Figure 7-10. Speed Setpoint Adjustment

The default setpoint mode is 'Hold', which maintains a constant setpoint. When 'Raise' or 'Lower' is selected, the speed setpoint will increase at the Raise Ramp Rate or Lower Ramp Rate, respectively. When 'Analog' is selected, the setpoint moves to the selected Analog Setpoint at the Max Analog Rate. The analog setpoint tracks the speed setpoint to ensure bumpless mode transfers. All adjustments are limited between the normal operating range (Min Setpoint Limit to Max Setpoint Limit). Refer to the Speed Setpoint settings in Chapter 6-Configuration.

## Front-Panel Stability Pot

The front panel stability pot is active at all times and provides a multiplier on the Gain (P) and Integral (I) settings. When the pot is a mid-position, the multiplier is '1' and the gains will be at their nominal configured values (see Dynamics in Chapter 6).

The Overview tab of the Service Tool provides a display of the actual "used" values of the controller (see Figure 7-11). The displayed values take into account the Stability pot input and provides an indication of the gain curve value, when configured.

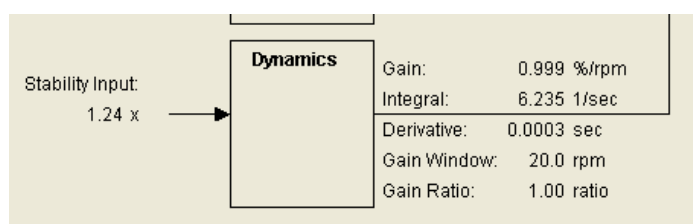


Figure 7-11. Actual PID Dynamics on Overview Tab

### If System is Unstable

If the system is unstable, make sure the speed PID dynamics is the cause. This can be checked by reducing the load limiter until it has control of the governor output. If the governor is causing the oscillation, time the oscillation cycle time. A rule-of-thumb is, if the system's oscillation cycle time is less than 1 second reduce the Proportional gain term. A rule-of-thumb is, if the system's oscillation cycle time is greater the 1 second reduce the Integral gain term (proportional gain may need to be increased also).

On an initial startup with the UG-25+, all PID dynamic gain terms will require adjustment to match the PID response to that of the control loop.

The proportional gain setting of the position controller is also available for adjustment on the dynamics tuning window. Reducing this gain will lower the overall control bandwidth. Lowering this gain term in some systems can reduce the nervousness of the output shaft. The nominal gains settings are optimal for most applications but if the speed controller dynamic adjustments do not achieve the desired results, modifying this setting may help.

## Chapter 8. Troubleshooting

### Introduction

This chapter presents several broad categories of application failures typically experienced in the field, possible causes, and some tests used to verify the causes. The exact failure experienced in the field is the product of the mechanical/electrical failure combined with the configuration file resident in the control. Ideally, the troubleshooting chart contains information about mechanical, electrical, engine, and load failures in addition to the possible governor failures.

The troubleshooting scenarios listed below assume that the user has a digital multimeter for testing voltages and checking continuity, and assume that the application has been engineered and tested thoroughly.

There are four parts to the troubleshooting section:

- General Troubleshooting
- Engine/Generator Troubleshooting
- Troubleshooting Shutdown Diagnostic Flags
- Input/Output (I/O) Troubleshooting

#### **WARNING**

The actions described in this troubleshooting section are not always appropriate in every situation. Always make sure that any action taken will not result in loss of equipment, personal injury, or loss of life.

#### **WARNING**

The UG-25<sup>+</sup> is not equipped with an overspeed trip function. The engine, turbine, or other type of prime mover should be equipped with an overspeed shutdown device to protect against runaway or damage to the prime mover with possible personal injury, loss of life, or property damage.

The overspeed shutdown device must be totally independent of the prime mover control system. An overtemperature or overpressure shutdown device may also be needed for safety, as appropriate.

#### **WARNING**

The UG-25<sup>+</sup> is used on prime movers that typically have a high noise level. Always use appropriate hearing protection while working around the UG-25<sup>+</sup>.

#### **WARNING**

The UG-25<sup>+</sup> wiring must be in accordance with North American Class I, Division 2 or Zone 2 wiring methods as applicable, and in accordance with the authority having jurisdiction.



## General System Troubleshooting Guide

The following is a general troubleshooting guide for areas to check which may present potential difficulties. Make these checks before contacting Woodward for technical assistance.

- Valves
- Is the wiring correct?
- Is the shaft direction correct?
- Is the direction of the stroke correct?
- Is the direction of the failsafe shutdown correct?
- Does the output shaft move through its proper stroke smoothly?
- Does the output travel its full stroke?
- Can mid-stroke be obtained and held?
- Does the output fully seat (close)?
- Does the output fully open?

### Oil

Keep the governor oil level to the mark on the oil sight glass with the unit operating. Dirty oil causes governor problems. Use clean, new, or filtered oil. Oil containers used must be perfectly clean. Oil contaminated with water breaks down rapidly, causing foaming, and corrodes internal governor parts.

### Preliminary Inspection

Governor problems are usually revealed in speed variations of the prime mover, but it does not necessarily follow that such variations are caused by the governor. When improper speed variations appear, the following procedure should be performed:

1. Check the load to be sure the speed changes are not the result of load changes beyond the capacity of the prime mover.
2. Check engine operation to be sure all cylinders are firing properly and that the fuel injectors are in good operating condition and properly calibrated.
3. Check the linkage between the governor and fuel racks or valve. There must be no binding or lost motion.
4. Check that the oil is clean and oil level is correct at operating temperature. The source of most problems in any hydraulic governor stems from dirty oil. Grit and other impurities can be introduced into the governor with the oil, or form when the oil begins to break down (oxidize) or becomes sludgy.

The internal moving parts are continually lubricated by the oil within the unit. Valves, pistons, and plungers will stick and even “freeze” in their bores, due to grit and impurities in the oil.

If this is the case, erratic operation and poor response can be corrected (if wear is not excessive) by flushing the unit with fuel oil or kerosene.

The use of commercial solvents is not recommended as they may damage seals or gaskets.

Change the oil and flush the governor twice a year if possible.

To change oil, remove the drain plug and drain out the old oil. Flush the governor by filling it with fuel oil, and with the prime mover running at low speed, cycle the governor by increasing the Stability knob setting on the user interface until the governor hunts. Let the governor hunt for a minute or two, then stop the engine and drain the governor. Flush the governor once again. Refill the governor with oil (see Chapter 2, Oil Supply).

Restart the engine and reset the Stability knob.

5. Check that the drive to the governor is correctly aligned and free of roughness, side loading, and excessive backlash.

Table 8-1. Engine/Generator Troubleshooting

Problem	Possible Cause	Suggested Test/Correction
Engine hunts or surges	The problem may be originating in the governor or prime mover.	<p>Block the throttle, fuel racks, or steam valve in the direction of increase fuel. (Never block the governor output shaft in the direction that would prevent a complete shutdown.) The same blocking action can be performed by using the load limit knob on the governor panel.</p> <div data-bbox="880 424 1130 483" data-label="Image"> </div> <p><b>WARNING</b></p> <p>The UG-25+ is not equipped with an overspeed trip function. The engine, turbine, or other type of prime mover should be equipped with an overspeed shutdown device to protect against runaway or damage to the prime mover with possible personal injury, loss of life, or property damage.</p> <p>The overspeed shutdown device must be totally independent of the prime mover control system. An overtemperature or overpressure shutdown device may also be needed for safety, as appropriate.</p> <p>If hunting and/or surging continues while the governor output shaft is blocked, the problem is in the prime mover.</p> <p>If, after removing the block, hunting and/or surging starts again, the problem can be in the governor or in the prime mover. Go through the dynamics adjustment procedure for the governor (see Chapter 7). If the problem is still there, replace the governor with a replacement governor. Go through the dynamics adjustment procedure for the replacement governor. If the hunting and/or surging continues, the problem is in the prime mover.</p>
	Controller gain adjustments incorrect.	Adjust the gain settings using the Service Tool (see Chapter 7).
	Oil varnish, which causes sticking of parts.	<p>Add oil to the mark on oil sight glass. If oil level decreases and no external oil leaks can be seen on the governor, check the drive shaft for oil leak.</p> <p>If foaming continues, drain oil and refill using a non-detergent type oil. See Woodward manual 25071, Oils for Hydraulic Controls.</p>

Problem	Possible Cause	Suggested Test/Correction
Engine hunts or surges (continued)	Dirty oil (sludge) in governor.	Drain oil, clean governor, and refill.
	Lost motion in engine linkage or fuel pumps.	Repair linkage and/or pumps.
	Binding in engine-to-governor linkage or fuel pumps.	Repair and realign linkage and/or pumps.
	Governor output shaft travel too short to provide full fuel.	Adjust travel until proper travel is obtained.
	Low oil pressure.	Return governor for repair.
	Fuel linkage incorrectly set. This might occur if the governor has been changed or removed and replaced. Relationship of governor travel to power output of engine should be linear.	Rework or reset the linkage from governor to unit to obtain the linear relationship.
	Faulty linkage.	Linkage should be free of binding and lost motion throughout service life of unit. Check yield links, shutdown arrangements, etc, to be sure that prime mover power changes for very small increments of governor output shaft travel. Stability and good steady-state performance will suffer unless this condition is met.
	Incorrect non-linear relationship between governor travel and power output of the prime mover. Engine may hunt with light loads and be stable with a heavy load.	Adjust linkage from governor to gas valve to obtain linear relationship between governor travel and engine output. See Figures 2-3 and 2-4. Also, see application note 50516.
	Gas or steam pressure too high.	Adjust gas or steam pressure.
	Engine misfiring (bad fuel injector or low pilot fuel on dual fuel engine).	Check pyrometer readings of each cylinder and make necessary repairs or adjustments.
Jiggle at governor output shaft	Governor dynamics/stability issue.	See Engine Unstable section below.
	Governor worn.	Return governor for repair.
	Rough engine drive or governor drive.	Inspect drive mechanism. a. Check alignment of gears. b. Inspect for rough gear teeth, eccentric gears, or excessive backlash in gear train. c. Check gear keys and nuts or set screws holding drive gears to shafts. d. Check for bent drive shaft. e. Check serrated or spline coupling for wear and alignment. f. Tighten chain between crankshaft and camshaft (if used). g. Check engine vibration damper (if used).
	Governor is not aligned properly.	Loosen governor mounting screws and move the governor slightly on its mounting pad to align the drive shaft with its coupling.
	Governor dynamics/stability issue.	See Engine Unstable section below.
Engine does not start	Stuck throttle/frozen shaft	Move throttle by hand. Assess smoothness, friction, and return spring force.
	Power not applied to control	Test for +18 to 32 Vdc between input power pin and ground pin.
	No configuration or incorrect configuration in controller.	Using Service Tool, read configuration from controller and evaluate parameters for correction.
	Fault detected in controller.	Using Service Tool, read faults from controller. Verify/correct any shutdown conditions (see fault troubleshooting below).

Problem	Possible Cause	Suggested Test/Correction
The governor is not opening the fuel control valve during engine cranking.	The control has detected a shutdown situation and has not been reset.	Reset the control by cycling power to the control or hitting reset on the Service Tool, (see fault troubleshooting below). Verify Remote Stop input is open.
	There is no power supplied to the control.	Check fuse, wiring, and battery voltage.
	The control does not read any speed. Speed sensor defect or wiring defect.	Read speed on the Service Tool to verify the governor detected speed. If incorrect, check speed input configuration settings.
	The control reads an actual engine speed below the start speed threshold.	Start speed is set too high. Lower start speed threshold.
	The Start Fuel 1 and or 2 setup is incorrectly set to zero position or set to a value too low.	Set up the Start Fuel to the correct value for this engine.
	Load limit pot not working.	Attempt to start with the Service Tool / harness connected, this bypasses the Load Limit pot.
	Load limit analog input fault.	Check voltage at L-Series pin 6 and verify voltage changes with pot position.
		Verify that boost input selector wire is connected to ground.
		Check voltage at L-Series pin 6 and verify voltage changes with analog input.
The engine will not go to rated speed.	The Control is not configured for Ramp To Rated operation.	Verify Load Limit configuration settings.
		Configure the Control for Ramp To Rated (operation if that is the correct operation mode).
		Check voltage at L-Series pin 10 and verify voltage changes with pot position.
The engine will not raise the speed setpoint.	Wiring fault in analog speed setpoint.	Verify analog speed setting input is selected and wired correctly.
	Analog setpoint mode is active.	Check Raise/Lower Enabled LED on Front Panel. Raise and lower commands are not functional when Analog mode is active.
	The Raise input wiring is defective.	See Service Tool overview screen for input open/closed status.
The engine will not lower the speed setpoint.	Analog setpoint mode is active.	Check wiring.
		Check Raise/Lower Enabled LED on Front Panel. Raise and lower commands are not functional when Analog mode is active.
		See Service Tool overview screen for input open/closed status.
	The Lower input wiring is defective.	Check wiring.

Problem	Possible Cause	Suggested Test/Correction
Engine unstable	Improperly tuned dynamics.	Using Service Tool, tune the speed dynamics.
		Turn the front panel Stability pot in the CCW direction to reduce the gains.
	If analog mode is active, device sending analog command is sending oscillating signal.	Measure input signals.
	Stability pot fault.	Check voltage at L-Series pin 8 and verify voltage changes with pot position.
Poor frequency control	If analog mode is active, device sending analog command is sending oscillating signal.	Measure input signal. Verify signal using Service Tool.
	Improperly tuned dynamics.	Using Service Tool, tune the dynamics.
		Turn the front panel Stability pot in the CW direction to increase the gains.
	Output speed not at setpoint.	Verify that linkage is free.
Unable to develop full power		Verify that load limit is not active.
	Non-indexed linkage slipped on shaft.	Manually verify full travel of throttle plate.
Unit Healthy LED is off	Fault detected in controller.	Using Service Tool, view status of fault codes. Take appropriate action for active faults.
	No power.	Verify supply voltage.
	Controller fault.	Using Service Tool, verify detected faults.
Discrete output not working	Overtemperature or internal temperature sensor failure.	Using Service Tool, verify internal temperature. Verify faults.
	Wiring fault.	Check the wiring leading to pin J1-30-D3 for open connections or misconnections.
		Verify that pin J1-30-D3 is not connected directly to input power or ground.
	Internal Governor Fault.	Verify Unit Healthy Status LED functionality. Both Discrete out and LED are driven from the same controller pin and should activate together (L-Series pin 9).
Service Tool not communicating—'Not Connected' status indicated		Verify on/off command signal to discrete out using Service Tool (overview tab).
	Wiring fault.	Check programming harness and serial cable for loose or mis-connected connections.
		Check fuse, wiring, and battery voltage.
	The Service tool is disconnected.	Verify harness setup and connections (see Chapter 4).
Service Tool not communicating—'Error message displayed on PC when trying to connect		Check that Service Tool is running.
	The wrong communication port has been selected.	Verify the port setting is correct.
		Connect the service tool by using the connect menu.
	Old version of Service Tool or file corruption or bad install.	Re-install Service Tool, get the latest version from the Woodward web site ( <a href="http://www.woodward.com">www.woodward.com</a> ).

Problem	Possible Cause	Suggested Test/Correction
Service Tool will not accept password	Caps Lock is on.	Password is case sensitive, make sure you enter the password correctly using upper and lower case.  If password is lost contact the OEM for retrieval.

Table 8-2. Troubleshooting Shutdown Faults

Error Flag	Description	Possible Source	Possible Action
Stop - Zero Speed Detected	Indicates speed sensor input pulses have not been detected.	Engine stopped.	Verify engine was stopped by some external source or command.
		Damaged, loss of speed probe or wiring. Damaged or loss connector.	Fix wiring. Return to replace connector or speed probe.
		Speed input incorrectly configured.	Check speed input and speed ratio configuration settings using the service tool.
Stop - Stop Input Command	A shutdown (stop) command is issued.	Stop command is still active.	Verify Stop input status using Service Tool.  Check wiring for bad or loss connection.
		Defective Front Panel interface or stuck Stop button.	Check Stop button. Check wiring for bad or loss connection.
		Speed did not go to zero.	A Stop command is latched-in until speed reaches zero.
Internal Shutdown	All internal shutdowns will set this flag.	The Control is defective.	Return unit for repair.
Shutdown - Temperature Sensor Failed	This error is set if the temperature inside the control is higher or lower than allowed by the specifications.	Control has been placed in an environment that is too hot or too cold.	Lower temperature by adding cooling, heat shielding, moving the unit, etc.
		The internal temperature sensor is defective. This can be determined by checking the temperature of the unit and comparing this to the service tool value of the electronics temperature.	Increase temperature, if low, by adding heat.  Verify Control detected temperature reading using Service Tool.
			Return unit for repair.
Shutdown – Over Temperature	High internal temperature.	Detection of high temperature.	Check ambient temperature around control.  Verify Control detected temperature reading using Service Tool.  If the temperatures seem normal, could indicate a problem with the internal temperature sensor.

Error Flag	Description	Possible Source	Possible Action
Shutdown - Voltage Sense Failure	The power supply voltage is higher than the diagnostic limits.	Bad or damaged battery.	Replace battery.
		Defective battery charging system.	Fix battery charging system.
	The Power supply voltage is lower than the diagnostic limits.	Incorrect setting of power supply voltage level.	Set correct voltage levels on power supply.
		Power supply wiring to long or to thin. Control will flag low voltage during higher power uses.	Make sure wiring is of the correct thickness and length according to manual.
Shutdown - Position Sensor Failure (internal fault)	If the internal position sensor is outside the diagnostic limits.	Internal failure of position sensor.	Cycle power on the unit.
			Return unit for repair.
Shutdown - EEPROM Failure (internal fault)	The software can't write to the EEPROM.	The control is experiencing problems with internal EEPROM.	Cycle power on the unit.
	The software can't read from the EEPROM.		Return unit for repair.

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### Speed Input

If the speed input is not functioning properly, verify the following:

- Check the values seen by the UG-25+ using the Service Tool and verify that it matches the input signal.
- Check the wiring. Look for loose connections and disconnected / misconnected cables/connections.
- Check the software configuration to ensure that the input is configured properly as the demand source.
- Measure the input voltage and frequency (internal 20 tooth gear is driven off governor shaft). Pin J1-18-F3 (+) to Pin J1-18-B3 (–) or Pin J2-18-11 (+) to Pin J2-18-3 (–).

### Analog Input

#### (Faulty Speed Setting or Faulty Stability Input or Faulty Fuel Limit Input)

If an Analog Input is not functioning properly, verify the following:

- Measure the input. Refer to Analog Input in Specifications section for input impedances.
- Check the values seen by the UG-25+ using the Service Tool and verify that it matches the input signal. Note that when using the Service Tool, the Load Limit and Speed Setpoint inputs are disconnected and thus the values displayed are actually set using the simulated I/O.
- Verify that there are no or minimal ac components to the Analog Input signal. AC components can be caused by improper shielding.
- Check the wiring. If the inputs are reading 0 or the engineering units that correspond to 0 V, look for loose connections and disconnected / misconnected cables/connections.

### Discrete Input

If a discrete input is not functioning properly, verify the following:

- Measure the input voltage on the terminal block. Refer to Discrete Input in Specifications section for expected ON/OFF voltage levels.
- Check the status of the input from the Overview screen of the Service Tool.
- Check the wiring, looking for loose connections or misconnected cables.
- Verify the input is properly configured.

### Shutdown Conditions

If the UG-25+ control has any shutdown conditions, refer to Chapter 4 for fault details. The Service Tool must be used to determine the cause of any shutdown condition. Refer to the Troubleshooting of Shutdown Faults earlier in this chapter.

## Discrete Output

If the discrete output is not functioning properly, verify the following:

- Measure the output voltage on the terminal block. It should be in the range of 10–28 Vdc when the output is off/false. The voltage will be in this range only if all shutdowns are false. This can be verified through the Service Tool.
- Check the wiring, looking for loose connections or disconnected / misconnected cables.

## Service Tool

If the service tool is not functioning properly, review the installation information in Chapter 4. Verify the following:

- Check the wiring, looking for loose connections or disconnected / misconnected cables (Programming harness or equivalent must be used).
- Check that Service Tool is running. Verify the Port setting is correct.
- Follow on-screen error messages. Re-install software as needed. The latest version of software is available for download from the Woodward web site ([www.woodward.com](http://www.woodward.com)).



## Chapter 9.

# Product Support and Service Options

### Product Support Options

If you are experiencing problems with the installation, or unsatisfactory performance of a Woodward product, the following options are available:

- Consult the troubleshooting guide in the manual.
- Contact the manufacturer or packager of your system.
- Contact the Woodward Full Service Distributor serving your area.
- Contact Woodward technical assistance (see “How to Contact Woodward” later in this chapter) and discuss your problem. In many cases, your problem can be resolved over the phone. If not, you can select which course of action to pursue based on the available services listed in this chapter.

**OEM or Packager Support:** Many Woodward controls and control devices are installed into the equipment system and programmed by an Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) or Equipment Packager at their factory. In some cases, the programming is password-protected by the OEM or packager, and they are the best source for product service and support. Warranty service for Woodward products shipped with an equipment system should also be handled through the OEM or Packager. Please review your equipment system documentation for details.

**Woodward Business Partner Support:** Woodward works with and supports a global network of independent business partners whose mission is to serve the users of Woodward controls, as described here:

- A **Full Service Distributor** has the primary responsibility for sales, service, system integration solutions, technical desk support, and aftermarket marketing of standard Woodward products within a specific geographic area and market segment.
- An **Authorized Independent Service Facility (AISF)** provides authorized service that includes repairs, repair parts, and warranty service on Woodward's behalf. Service (not new unit sales) is an AISF's primary mission.
- A **Recognized Turbine Retrofitter (RTR)** is an independent company that does both steam and gas turbine control retrofits and upgrades globally, and can provide the full line of Woodward systems and components for the retrofits and overhauls, long term service contracts, emergency repairs, etc.

A current list of Woodward Business Partners is available at [www.woodward.com/directory](http://www.woodward.com/directory).

### Product Service Options

The following factory options for servicing Woodward products are available through your local Full-Service Distributor or the OEM or Packager of the equipment system, based on the standard Woodward Product and Service Warranty (5-01-1205) that is in effect at the time the product is originally shipped from Woodward or a service is performed:

- Replacement/Exchange (24-hour service)
- Flat Rate Repair
- Flat Rate Remanufacture

**Replacement/Exchange:** Replacement/Exchange is a premium program designed for the user who is in need of immediate service. It allows you to request and receive a like-new replacement unit in minimum time (usually within 24 hours of the request), providing a suitable unit is available at the time of the request, thereby minimizing costly downtime. This is a flat-rate program and includes the full standard Woodward product warranty (Woodward Product and Service Warranty 5-01-1205).

This option allows you to call your Full-Service Distributor in the event of an unexpected outage, or in advance of a scheduled outage, to request a replacement control unit. If the unit is available at the time of the call, it can usually be shipped out within 24 hours. You replace your field control unit with the like-new replacement and return the field unit to the Full-Service Distributor.

Charges for the Replacement/Exchange service are based on a flat rate plus shipping expenses. You are invoiced the flat rate replacement/exchange charge plus a core charge at the time the replacement unit is shipped. If the core (field unit) is returned within 60 days, a credit for the core charge will be issued.

**Flat Rate Repair:** Flat Rate Repair is available for the majority of standard products in the field. This program offers you repair service for your products with the advantage of knowing in advance what the cost will be. All repair work carries the standard Woodward service warranty (Woodward Product and Service Warranty 5-01-1205) on replaced parts and labor.

**Flat Rate Remanufacture:** Flat Rate Remanufacture is very similar to the Flat Rate Repair option with the exception that the unit will be returned to you in "like-new" condition and carry with it the full standard Woodward product warranty (Woodward Product and Service Warranty 5-01-1205). This option is applicable to mechanical products only.

## Returning Equipment for Repair

If a control (or any part of an electronic control) is to be returned for repair, please contact your Full-Service Distributor in advance to obtain Return Authorization and shipping instructions.

When shipping the item(s), attach a tag with the following information:

- Return authorization number
- Name and location where the control is installed
- Name and phone number of contact person
- Complete Woodward part number(s) and serial number(s)
- Description of the problem
- Instructions describing the desired type of repair

## Packing a Control

Use the following materials when returning a complete control:

- Protective caps on any connectors
- Antistatic protective bags on all electronic modules
- Packing materials that will not damage the surface of the unit
- At least 100 mm (4 inches) of tightly packed, industry-approved packing material
- A packing carton with double walls
- A strong tape around the outside of the carton for increased strength

### NOTICE

To prevent damage to electronic components caused by improper handling, read and observe the precautions in Woodward manual 82715, *Guide for Handling and Protection of Electronic Controls, Printed Circuit Boards, and Modules*.

## Replacement Parts

When ordering replacement parts for controls, include the following information:

- The part number(s) (XXXX-XXXX) that is on the enclosure nameplate
- The unit serial number, which is also on the nameplate

## Engineering Services

Woodward offers various Engineering Services for our products. For these services, you can contact us by telephone, by email, or through the Woodward website.

- Technical Support
- Product Training
- Field Service

**Technical Support** is available from your equipment system supplier, your local Full-Service Distributor, or from many of Woodward's worldwide locations, depending upon the product and application. This service can assist you with technical questions or problem solving during the normal business hours of the Woodward location you contact. Emergency assistance is also available during non-business hours by phoning Woodward and stating the urgency of your problem.

**Product Training** is available as standard classes at many of our worldwide locations. We also offer customized classes, which can be tailored to your needs and can be held at one of our locations or at your site. This training, conducted by experienced personnel, will assure that you will be able to maintain system reliability and availability.

**Field Service** engineering on-site support is available, depending on the product and location, from many of our worldwide locations or from one of our Full-Service Distributors. The field engineers are experienced both on Woodward products as well as on much of the non-Woodward equipment with which our products interface.

For information on these services, please contact us via telephone, email us, or use our website:  
[www.woodward.com](http://www.woodward.com).

## Contacting Woodward's Support Organization

For the name of your nearest Woodward Full-Service Distributor or service facility, please consult our worldwide directory at [www.woodward.com/directory](http://www.woodward.com/directory), which also contains the most current product support and contact information.

You can also contact the Woodward Customer Service Department at one of the following Woodward facilities to obtain the address and phone number of the nearest facility at which you can obtain information and service.

### Products Used in Electrical Power Systems

<u>Facility</u>	<u>Phone Number</u>
Brazil -----	+55 (19) 3708 4800
China -----	+86 (512) 6762 6727
Germany:	
Kempen----	+49 (0) 21 52 14 51
Stuttgart -	+49 (711) 78954-510
India -----	+91 (124) 4399500
Japan-----	+81 (43) 213-2191
Korea-----	+82 (51) 636-7080
Poland -----	+48 12 295 13 00
United States-----	+1 (970) 482-5811

### Products Used in Engine Systems

<u>Facility</u>	<u>Phone Number</u>
Brazil -----	+55 (19) 3708 4800
China -----	+86 (512) 6762 6727
Germany -----	+49 (711) 78954-510
India -----	+91 (124) 4399500
Japan-----	+81 (43) 213-2191
Korea-----	+82 (51) 636-7080
The Netherlands--	+31 (23) 5661111
United States-----	+1 (970) 482-5811

### Products Used in Industrial Turbomachinery Systems

<u>Facility</u>	<u>Phone Number</u>
Brazil -----	+55 (19) 3708 4800
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Japan-----	+81 (43) 213-2191
Korea-----	+82 (51) 636-7080
The Netherlands--	+31 (23) 5661111
Poland -----	+48 12 295 13 00
United States-----	+1 (970) 482-5811

## Technical Assistance

If you need to contact technical assistance, you will need to provide the following information. Please write it down here before contacting the Engine OEM, the Packager, a Woodward Business Partner, or the Woodward factory:

### General

Your Name \_\_\_\_\_

Site Location \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Fax Number \_\_\_\_\_

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### Prime Mover Information

Manufacturer \_\_\_\_\_

Turbine Model Number \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Fuel (gas, steam, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Power Output Rating \_\_\_\_\_

Application (power generation, marine,  
etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

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### Control/Governor Information

#### Control/Governor #1

Woodward Part Number & Rev. Letter \_\_\_\_\_

Control Description or Governor Type \_\_\_\_\_

Serial Number \_\_\_\_\_

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#### Control/Governor #2

Woodward Part Number & Rev. Letter \_\_\_\_\_

Control Description or Governor Type \_\_\_\_\_

Serial Number \_\_\_\_\_

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#### Control/Governor #3

Woodward Part Number & Rev. Letter \_\_\_\_\_

Control Description or Governor Type \_\_\_\_\_

Serial Number \_\_\_\_\_

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### Symptoms

Description \_\_\_\_\_

*If you have an electronic or programmable control, please have the adjustment setting positions or the menu settings written down and with you at the time of the call.*

## Appendix A.

### Acronyms / Abbreviations

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<b>CCW</b>	Counterclockwise
<b>CW</b>	Clockwise
<b>CMRR</b>	Common-Mode Rejection Ratio
<b>CRC</b>	Cyclic Redundancy Count
<b>EMC</b>	Electro-Magnetic Compatibility
<b>I/O</b>	Inputs/Outputs
<b>L-Series</b>	Woodward electronic engine governor that contains both a rotary governor and a controller circuit board
<b>O.D.</b>	Outside Diameter
<b>OEM</b>	Original Equipment Manufacturer
<b>PID</b>	Proportional/Integral/Derivative
<b>ppm</b>	Parts Per Million
<b>TPS</b>	Travel Position Sensor
<b>UG-25+</b>	Universal Governor 25+

## Appendix B.

# UG-25+ Governor Specifications

### Governor

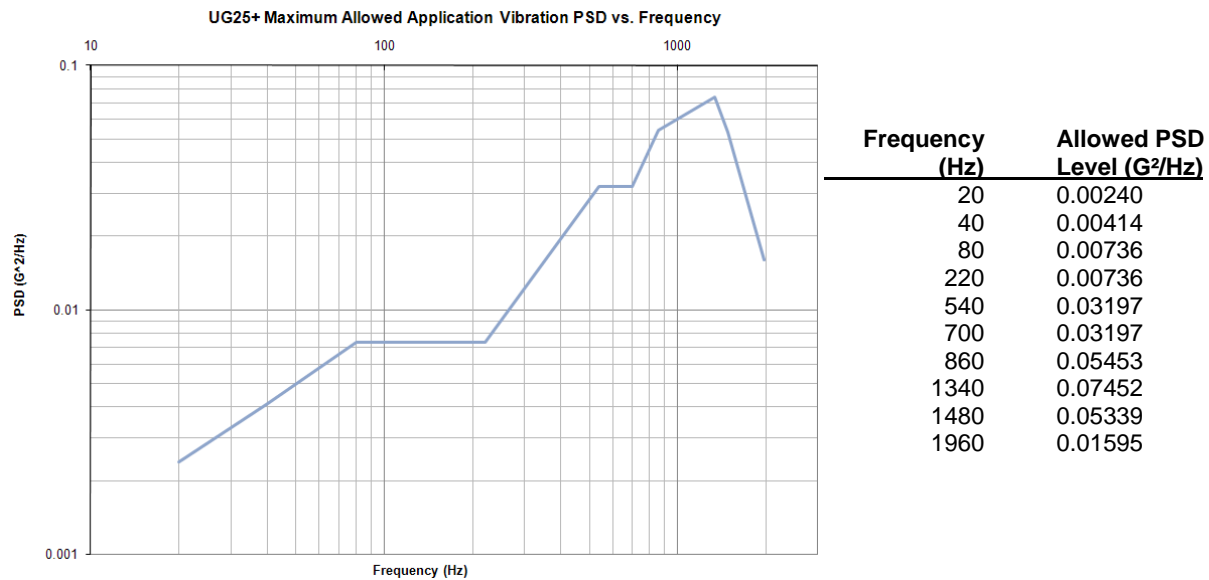
Power Supply:	18 to 32 Vdc, dual inputs at 2.5 A max. each
Power Consumption:	Reverse polarity protection, 32 W max
Torque/Work Output (minimum):	45.4 N·m (33.5 lb-ft) torque; 32.9 J (24.3 ft-lb) of work over 42 degrees (standard version, which has a 0.625 inch diameter terminal shaft) 55.5 N·m (40.9 lb-ft) torque; 40.2 J (29.6 ft-lb) of work over 42 degrees (increased output version, which has a 0.75 inch diameter terminal shaft)
Continuous Speed:	500 rpm to 1700 rpm (governor shaft speed) max (small pump); 350 rpm to 1200 rpm (governor shaft speed) max (large pump)
Hysteresis:	1.0 % or less (measured over full terminal shaft travel)
Temperature Drift	1.0 % of full terminal shaft travel between 27 °C and 77 °C (80 °F and 170 °F)
Linearity:	2.5 % or less (measured over full terminal shaft travel)
Ramp-up Rate:	Configurable from 0.2 to 200 rpm/s (governor shaft)
Steady State Speed Band:	±0.25% of rated speed (under normal operating conditions)
Weight:	28 kg (62 lb), dry weight

### Governor Drive / Hydraulic System

Input Shaft Options:	0.625 keyed drive shaft with 0.625-18 threads or 0.625-36 serrated (standard version); 0.750-36 serrated (increased output version)
Output:	42.2 ± 0.6 degrees rotary
Terminal Shaft Options:	0.625-36 serration
Drive Power Requirement:	335 W (0.45 hp) max
Internal Hydraulic Pressure:	1034 kPa (150 psi)
Oil:	Self-contained sump (2.2 qt/2.1 L capacity). See Woodward Manual 25071, Oils for Hydraulic Controls, for oil recommendations.
Drive Rotation:	Pump can be configured to operate in CW or CCW direction

### Environment

Ambient Operating Temperature:	0 to +55 °C (32 to +131 °F)
Governor Case Temperature:	100 °C (212 °F) maximum
Storage Temperature:	−40 to +85 °C (−40 to +185 °F), limited by electronics
EMC	EN61000-6-4, 2007: EMC Part 6-4: Generic Standards - Emissions for Industrial Environments EN61000-6-2, 2005: EMC Part 6-2: Generic Standards - Immunity for Industrial Environments
Humidity:	US MIL-STD 810E, Method 507.3, Procedure III
Shock:	MS1-40G 11 ms sawtooth
Vibration Validation:	Power Spectral Density (PSD) must not exceed the level or frequency as shown in the curve while the governor is running on a loaded engine, as measured at governor base.



Thermal Shock: SAE J1455, Paragraph 4.1.3.2

Ingress Protection IP45 for Entire Unit, IP56 for User Interface per EN60529 and only if proper cable glands are used as described in this manual.

### Functions

Function Options: Start Fuel Limiter; Adjustable Max Fuel Stop; Jump and Rate Limiter; Position-based Gain curve; Manifold Air Pressure Biased Fuel Limiter, Analog set-point rate limit; separate Raise and Lower Rates; Start Gain

Programming Port: Programmable with Windows GUI (Graphical User Interface) software (9927-1366) and harness

I/O: 4–20 mA analog speed setting; Analog Speed Set-point selector  
Raise, Lower, and Stop discrete inputs  
Analog Speed Set Enable discrete input

## I/O Specifications

Table B-1. Power Input (1 and 2)

Parameter	Value
Range	18–32 Vdc
Power Consumption	Nominal consumption is less than 500 mA. If internal failures occur, the device can draw 32 W maximum. (18 V @ 1.8 A)
Protection	Reverse-polarity protected
Isolation	None

Table B-2. Status (Unit Health) Output

Parameter	Value
Output Type	Low-side output driver
Max Contact Voltage (Open)	32 V
Max Current	0.5 A
Max Contact Voltage at 0.5 A (Closed)	1.5 V
Max Delay Time for Opening Contact	6.5 ms
Default at Power Up	On (conducting), if there are no faults
During Error Condition	Off
Driving Inductive Loads	Yes, internally protected low-side switch
Protection	Utilizes circuitry that will open the contact when output contacts are short-circuited. Self-resetting when fault is removed

Table B-3. Boost Input

Parameter	Value
Input Type	4–20 mA
Input Scaling	4 mA is minimum boost signal 20 mA is maximum boost signal
Max Input (Full Scale)	0 mA to 25 mA
Input type	Differential
3 db Circuit Bandwidth	30 Hz
Input Impedance	200 $\Omega$
Anti-Aliasing Filter	1 anti-aliasing pole at 0.47 ms (338 Hz)
Resolution	10 bits
Accuracy	$\pm 0.8\%$ of full scale at 25 °C
Drift	80 ppm/°C
I/O Latency	6.5 ms
CMRR	60 dB
Common-Mode Range	45 Vdc

Table B-4. Boost Input Selector

Parameter	Value
Input Type	Active-Low, discrete input
Activation	Pull this input to UG-25+ governor analog ground to allow for 4–20 mA boost signal to be used.
If unused	Floating allowed and recommended (internally pulled-up to 7 V)
Isolation	None



Table B-5. Analog Speed Setpoint

Parameter	Value
Input Type	4–20 mA
Input Scaling	4 mA is minimum speed setpoint 20 mA is maximum speed setpoint
Max Input (Full Scale)	0 mA to 25 mA
Input type	Differential
3 db Circuit Bandwidth	30 Hz
Input Impedance	200 $\Omega$
Anti-Aliasing Filter	1 anti-aliasing pole at 0.47 ms (338 Hz)
Resolution	10 bits
Accuracy	$\pm 0.8\%$ of full scale at 25 °C
Drift	80 ppm/°C
I/O Latency	6.5 ms
CMRR	60 dB
Common-Mode Range	45 Vdc
Fault Detection	< 2.5 mA, analog mode is disabled, raise/lower mode is enabled and last speed setpoint is held

Table B-6. Analog Speed Setpoint Enable

Parameter	Value
Input Type	Active-Low, discrete input
Activation	Pull this input to UG-25+ governor analog ground to allow for 4–20 mA remote speed signal to be used.
If unused	Floating allowed and recommended (internally pulled-up to 7 V)
Isolation	None

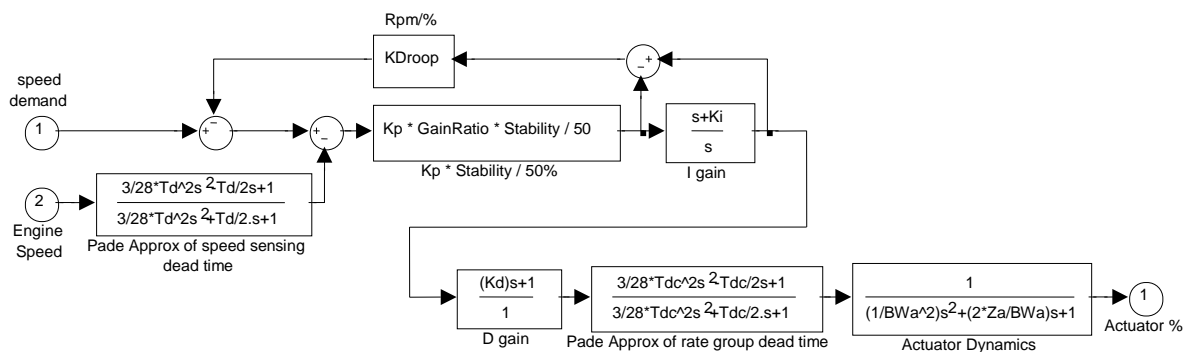
Table B-7. Remote Run/Stop Input

Parameter	Value
Input Type	Active-Low, discrete input
Activation	Pull this input to UG-25+ governor analog ground to shut down the governor.
If unused	Floating allowed and recommended (internally pulled-up to 7 V)
Isolation	None

Table B-8. Remote Speed Raise/Lower Discrete Inputs

Parameter	Value
Input Type	Active-Low, discrete input
Activation	Pull these inputs to UG-25+ governor analog ground (individually) to remotely apply speed raise or speed lower commands.
If unused	Floating allowed and recommended (internally pulled-up to 7 V)
Isolation	None

## UG-25+ Governor Transfer Function



$T_d$  = Speed Sensor delay. Depends on Speed Sensor settings and speed.

$$T_d = 15 / \text{rpm} * \text{Nstroke} * \text{CylindersAveraged} / \text{CylinderCount}$$

$\text{Nstroke} = 2$  or  $4$  (2 stroke or 4 stroke)

$\text{CylindersAveraged} = 1$  to  $\text{CylinderCount}$  (speed input setting)

$\text{CylinderCount} =$  total number of cylinders (speed input setting)

$\text{KDrop} = \text{Droop} [\% \text{ speed droop} / 100\% \text{ load}] * \text{Rated Speed} [\text{rpm}] / 100\%$

$K_p =$  Proportional Gain  $[\%/\text{rpm}]$

$\text{GainRatio} = 1$  within the GainWindow, as set in speed loop setup outside the GainWindow

$\text{Stability} =$  Proportional Gain modifier.  $50\% =$  Gain of 1.

$K_i =$  Integral Gain  $[\text{repeats}/\text{sec}]$

$K_d =$  Derivative Gain  $[\text{sec}]$

$T_{dc} =$  calc time delays, including 1.5 multiplier =  $0.011$   $[\text{sec}]$

$BW_a =$  actuator Bandwidth Depends on position loop gain.

@  $P=44$ ,  $BW_a=30$ . @  $P=36$ ,  $BW_a=25$ . @  $P=26$ ,  $BW_a=15$

$Z_a =$  actuator damping ratio. Depends on position loop gain.

@  $P=44$ ,  $Z_a=0.8$  @  $P=36$ ,  $Z_a=0.7$  @  $P=26$ ,  $Z_a=0.7$

Pade = a type of approximation for a time delay (dead time);  $\exp(-T_d \cdot s)$

# UG-25+ Governor Configuration Summary

APPLICATION \_\_\_\_\_

ACTUATOR SERIAL NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

For details on individual settings, refer to Chapter 6.

Properties \_\_\_\_\_

## Speed Input

Engine Type (stroke) 2 \_\_\_\_\_ 4-Stroke \_\_\_\_\_  
 Speed Ratio (engine to shaft) = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Number of Cylinders = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Number of Cylinders Averaged = \_\_\_\_\_

## Start Settings

Start Fuel One \_\_\_\_\_ Two \_\_\_\_\_  
 Two w/delay \_\_\_\_\_  
 Start 1 Speed Threshold = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Start Speed Hysteresis = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Start Fuel 1 = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Stop Speed Threshold = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Run Speed Threshold = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Start 2 Speed Threshold = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Actuator Ramp Rate = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Start Fuel 2 = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Start Fuel 1 Time Delay = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Start Target Speed Min \_\_\_\_\_ Rated \_\_\_\_\_  
 Start Target Rate = \_\_\_\_\_

## Speed Setpoint

Min Setpoint Limit = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rated Speed Setpoint = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Max Setpoint Limit = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Raise Ramp Rate = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Lower Ramp Rate = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Max Analog Up Rate = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Max Analog Down Rate = \_\_\_\_\_

## Droop

Droop (% of Rated) = \_\_\_\_\_  
 No Load (% of position) = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Full Load (% of position) = \_\_\_\_\_

## Fuel Limit

Mode Pot \_\_\_\_\_ Analog \_\_\_\_\_ Speed \_\_\_\_\_  
 Maximum Fuel Limit = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Input % (pt 1) = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Input % (pt 2) = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Input % (pt 3) = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Input % (pt 4) = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Input % (pt 5) = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Limit % (pt 1) = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Limit % (pt 2) = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Limit % (pt 3) = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Limit % (pt 4) = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Limit % (pt 5) = \_\_\_\_\_

## Jump Rate Limiter

Use Jump Rate Limiter? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_  
 Maximum Jump Up % = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Maximum Up Rate %/sec = \_\_\_\_\_

## Dynamics

Mode Single \_\_\_\_\_ Curve \_\_\_\_\_  
 Start Gain (%/rpm) = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Start Gain Spd Threshold (rpm) = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Start Gain Spd Hysteresis (rpm) = \_\_\_\_\_

Idle Integral Gain (1/sec) = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Rated Integral Gain (1/sec) = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Derivative Gain (sec) = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Gain Window (rpm) = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Gain Ratio = \_\_\_\_\_

Proportional Gain (%/rpm) = \_\_\_\_\_

Position % (pt 1) = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Position % (pt 2) = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Position % (pt 3) = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Position % (pt 4) = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Position % (pt 5) = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Gain %/rpm (pt 1) = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Gain %/rpm (pt 2) = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Gain %/rpm (pt 3) = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Gain %/rpm (pt 4) = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Gain %/rpm (pt 5) = \_\_\_\_\_

## Security

Read Configuration security? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_  
 Configuration Load security? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_  
 Speed Dynamics Edit security? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_  
 Password = \_\_\_\_\_

## Revision History

### Changes in Revision N—

- Updated Regulatory Compliance directives
- Updated Recommended Service Intervals (Chapter 2)
- Revised Boost Fuel Limit Function and Figure 4-9 (Chapter 4)
- Updated Start Fuel 2 description (Chapter 6)
- Added new Declaration of Conformity and Declaration of Incorporation

### Changes in Revision M—

- Clarified 'Number of Cylinders Averaged' (page 58)

# Declarations

## DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY

**EU DoC No.:** 00332-04-EU-02-01  
**Manufacturer's Name:** WOODWARD, INC.

**Manufacturer's Contact Address:** Building A, Ditantai Industrial Park, Huaihedao, Beichen High-Tech Industrial Park, Tianjin, China

**Model Name(s)/Number(s):** UG25+ Governor/UG25+ Actuator

**The object of the declaration described above is in conformity with the following relevant Union harmonization legislation:** Directive 2014/30/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 February 2014 on the harmonisation of the laws of the Member States relating to electromagnetic compatibility (EMC)

**Applicable Standards:** EN61000-6-4, 2007/A1:2011: EMC Part 6-4: Generic Standards - Emissions for Industrial Environments  
 EN61000-6-2, 2005: EMC Part 6-2: Generic Standards - Immunity for Industrial Environments

This declaration of conformity is issued under the sole responsibility of the manufacturer.  
 We, the undersigned, hereby declare that the equipment specified above conforms to the above Directive(s).

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Place

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**DECLARATION OF INCORPORATION  
Of Partly Completed Machinery  
2006/42/EC**

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**Model Names:** UG25+ Governor/UG25+ Actuator/UG25+

**This product complies, where applicable, with the following  
Essential Requirements of Annex I:** 1.1, 1.2, 1.3, 1.4, 1.5, 1.6, 1.7

The relevant technical documentation is compiled in accordance with part B of Annex VII. Woodward shall transmit relevant information if required by a reasoned request by the national authorities. The method of transmittal shall be agreed upon by the applicable parties.

The person authorized to compile the technical documentation:

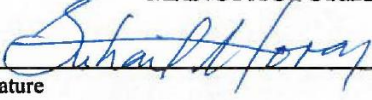
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This product must not be put into service until the final machinery into which it is to be incorporated has been declared in conformity with the provisions of this Directive, where appropriate.

The undersigned hereby declares, on behalf of Woodward Governor Company of Loveland and Fort Collins, Colorado that the above referenced product is in conformity with Directive 2006/42/EC as partly completed machinery:

**MANUFACTURER**

  
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**Signature**

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