

Short Selection Guide
Weigh Module

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# GROUP FOUR WEIGH MODULES

Group Four's Weigh modules are used in a variety of weighing applications including tank, silo, bin, and hopper weight measurement. Simply place a module underneath each leg, calibrate to an instrument, and that structure is now a scale.



#### Capacity Range:

Capacities ranging from 22lb to 220,000lb



### **Material Construction:**

Aluminum and Stainless steel



Environmental Protection:

IP67 IP69



### Options:

- Different mountingand loading sizes
- Weighingaccessories



### **Customized solutions:**

When it is not possible to match standard load cell for any application, Group Four can specially check the requirement and provide economical customized load cell solutions.

# **APPLICATIONS**



Hopper

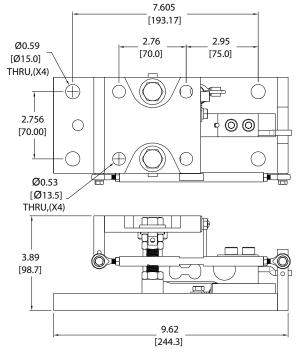
Silo

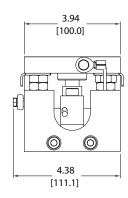




# **ZQSWM** 1000WM55









22-441lb [10-200g]

Load cell:

Stainless steel



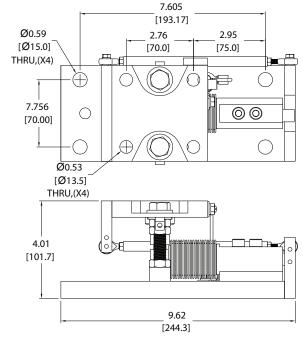


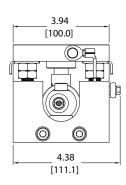




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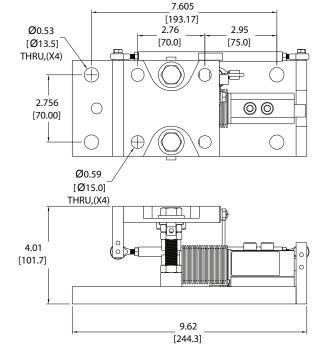


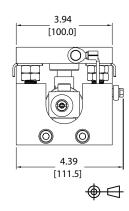




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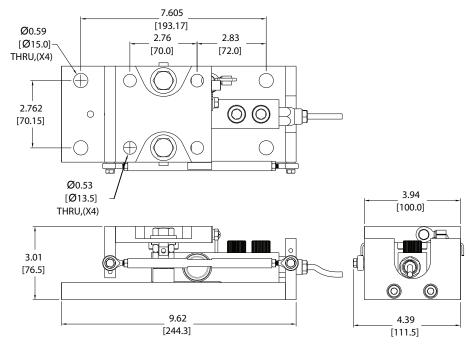


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# **RB14WM** 1000WM5













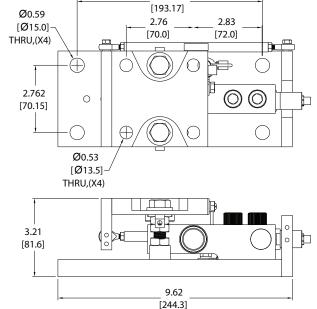




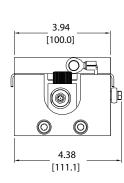
## **RB14DWM** 1000WM5







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450-4496klb [204-2039kg]





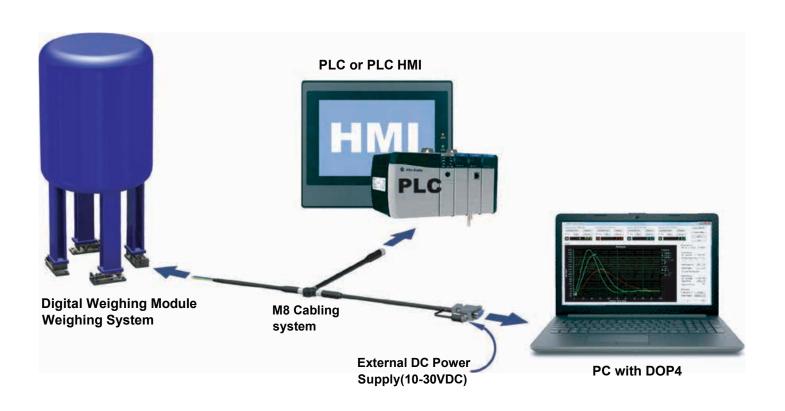
Load cell: Stainless steel



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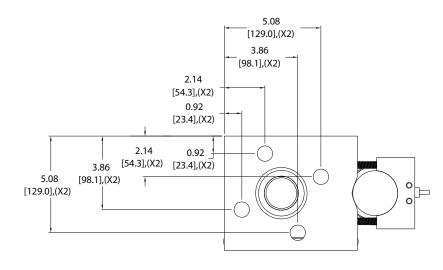
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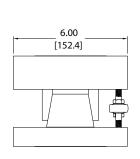


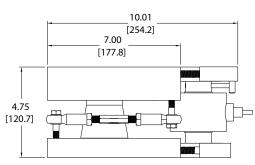
## RCWM 5000WM3

5-50t



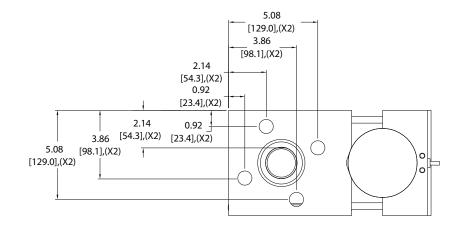


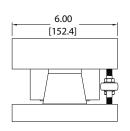


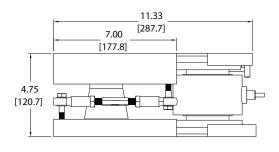


### 100t











11-220klb [5-100t]





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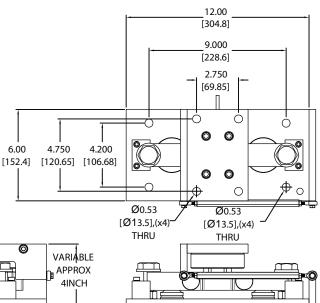
2.0 mV/V



5-50t: NL 0.03%FS, HYS 0.05%FS 100t: NL 0.02%FS, HYS 0.02%FS

# **DB**

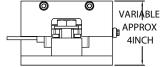


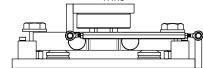




1-20klb [454-9072kg]









Load cell: Stainless steel

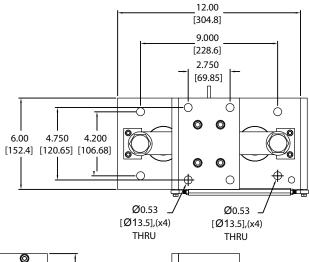


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### **DBD**

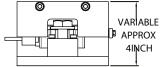


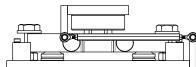




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# **RB14DWM - Dog bone weigh module**

In the real world, load cell mounting and loading conditions are far from ideal. Incorrect loading types, such as, Angular Loading, Eccentric Loading, Side Loading & Torsional/ twisting loading are by far the most common cause of accuracy problems encountered by service technicians.

These Incorrect loading types can be caused by thermal expansion/contraction, mounts that are out of level, a nonrigid foundation, structure deflection under load, the unavoidable deflection of the load cell itself, poorly designed mounting arrangements vessel dynamics (caused by mixers, etc.).

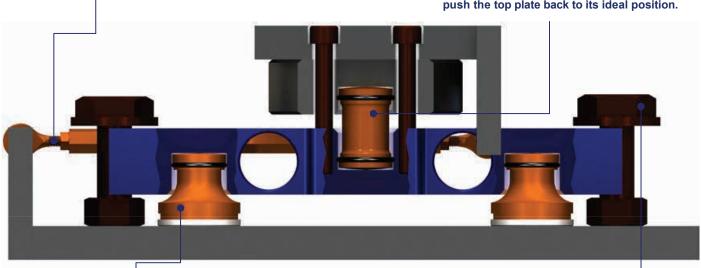
Group Four developed highly reliable Dog bone weighmodule which prevents these incorrect loading conditions automatically.

#### **Stay Rods(Constrainers)**

Stay rods are recommended for restraining the tank, while allowing thermal expansion for the structure. Stay rod restraints must always be provided for tanks with stirrers.

#### **Self-Restoring Rocker Pin**

The rocker pin introduces loads to the load cell, providing accurate weighing even when there are strong horizontal forces. As the top plate moves laterally away from its ideal position, the rocker pin provides a proportional restoring force to push the top plate back to its ideal position.



#### **Rocker Pin Foot**

Rocker pin automatically align in blind-hole load point, concentrating all vertical load at one point on the load cell. Best way of bending without causing side loads and moments. This type suspension system is more reliable and durable than threaded connection.

#### PTFE Slide Bearing

With the free-sliding module, the rocker pin foot has a flat bottom surface which is free to slide in all directions. To minimize friction, the bottom surface of the pin is made of PTFE and slides on a smooth stainless steel slider plate.

#### **Anti-Lift Off**

Anti-lift off protection is provided, if the center of gravity of the tank is above the support points and the effects of wind or other external forces cannot be excluded, the tank must also be protected against tipping or lifting.

#### **Benefits/Advantages**

- -Prevent loadcell generating distort measurement results due to thermal expantion and horizontal forces.
- -More consistent weigh measurement, Improve performance ,NL , Hys.
- -Self-centering rocker pin that ensures optimal force application and allows immediate use without needing calibration.
- -The rocker pin suspension returns the scale to a perfect setting point each time making them superior at retaining zero, calibration and expected performance, there is no binding during use.
- -Prevent damaging of load cell allowing horizontal and thermal expansion.
- -Damaged suspension components are easily replaced since they are not threaded into the cell.
- -These scales are easily maintained and last a very long time.
- -Scale calibration holds longer on these types of scales when compared to a threaded mounting type.
- -This is specifically designed to prevent system uplift, overload, and excessive side force from becoming catastrophic safety incidents.

# **SPECIAL FEATURES**

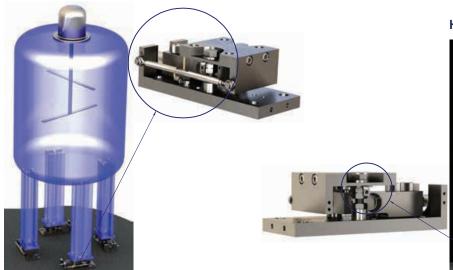
Stainless steel construction High corrosion protection



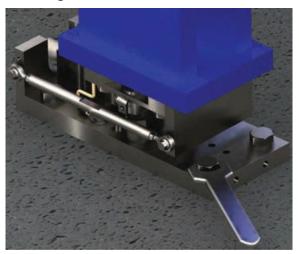
Digital ease of calibration, setup and high accuracy



Check link for tank with agitation



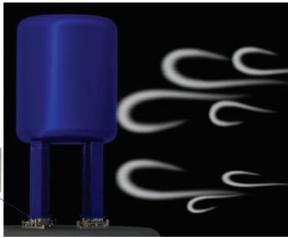
#### Mounting bolts location for ease of installation



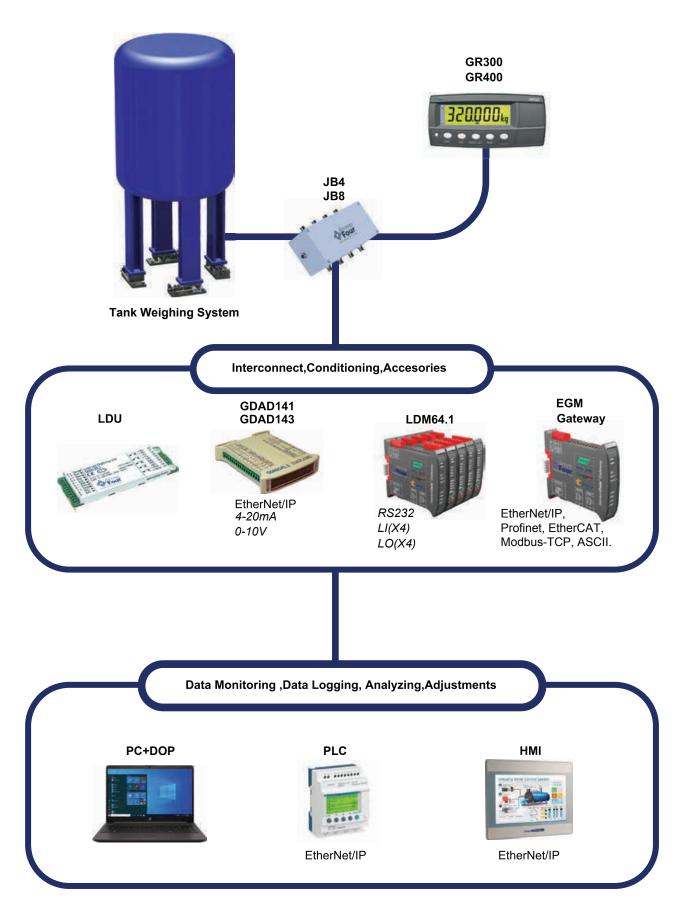
Rocker pin load introduction



Hermetic loadcells for heavy washdown



# **Measurement Chain**



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Group Four connects weigh modules and other analog systems with signal conditioners to convert, analog signals into digital signals. The Group Four process instrumentation support Ethernet/IP (AB), Profinet, EtherCAT, Modbus TCP, and other communication systems enabling high speed digital data transmissions.

Group Four's pursuit of excellence takes your measurements a step ahead into the world of digital load cells, where you will find load cells with embedded electronics thereby eliminating the need of signal amplification and conversion. You get direct digital output in RS232+CAN or RS485+RS422 format. Connect it directly to your PLC or PC, use our highly futuristic DOP4 software and leave your competition way behind.

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