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# IntelliSwitch II<sup>™</sup> Electronic Switchover

### **INSTALLATION AND OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS**

**Carefully Read These Instructions Before Operating** 

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### SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

Read these instructions carefully. Keep this document for future reference. Follow all warnings and instructions marked on the product.

## THIS PRODUCT IS NOT INTENDED FOR USE WITH TOXIC GASES, FLAMMABLE GASES OR CORROSIVE GASES.

#### NOTICE The IntelliSwitch II™ is not intended for use in medical installations. CAUTION DANGEF **WARNING** HAZARDOUS VOLTAGE Heavy object. ENCLOSED Voltage or current hazard To avoid muscle strain sufficient to cause shock, or back injury, use lifting burn or death. Disconnect aids and proper lifting and lock out power before techniques when removing or replacing. servicing.

Basic safety precautions must be followed to reduce the risk of fire, electrical shock or injury.

- Connect the IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup> to the correct line voltage. A label on the product identifies what voltage it is wired for. CONNECTION TO AN INCORRECT VOLTAGE CAN CAUSE SERIOUS DAMAGE TO THE PRODUCT AND WILL VOID ANY WARRANTY.
- Install the IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup> where the ambient temperature range is between 0° F and 140° F.
- Do not install this product in a hazardous environment.
- If product appears damaged in any way, do not use and request service from CONCOA.
- Consult the cylinder distributor for the proper use of cylinders and for any restrictions on their use (such as flow rate and temperature requirements).
- Store cylinders with valve caps screwed on, and chain cylinders to a supporting wall or column.
- Handle cylinders carefully and only with valve caps screwed on. The cap will reduce the chance that the cylinder valve will break off if the cylinder is accidentally dropped or falls over. The cap also protects the cylinder valve from damage to screw threads, which could cause leaky connections.
- No smoking should be permitted near oxygen, nitrous oxide, any other oxidizer, flammable gases, or flammable mixtures, or in areas where cylinders are stored.
- Where an oxidizer (such as nitrous oxide or oxygen) is used, the manifold and cylinders must be kept clean. No oil, grease, or combustible substances should come in contact

with oxygen or nitrous oxide storage or handling equipment. Such materials in contact with oxygen or nitrous oxide are readily ignitable and, when ignited, will burn intensely.

- Never lift gas cylinders with a magnetic lifting device.
- Never use an open flame when leak testing.
- Always open valves slowly when high-pressure gases are being used.
- Always be sure that a cylinder contains the correct gas before connecting it to any manifold.
- Always leak-test any manifold or distribution pipeline before using.
- Always be sure that the gas in a pipeline is the correct gas for the intended use.
- Always close all cylinder valves before disconnecting cylinders from a manifold.
- Always remove all empty cylinders from a manifold before connecting full cylinders.
- Always test cylinders to be sure the cylinders are full before connecting to a manifold.

All gas distribution piping systems must meet the appropriate industrial standards for the intended service and must be thoroughly cleaned before using. For the United States, some applicable safety rules and precautions are listed below:

- 1. American National Standards Institute standard Z49.1, Safety in Welding and Cutting, American Welding Society, 2501 NW Seventh Street, Miami, Florida 33125
- 2. N.F.P.A. Standard 51, Oxygen-Fuel Gas systems for Welding and Cutting, N.F.P.A., 470 Atlantic Avenue, Boston, Massachusetts 02210
- 3. N.F.P.A. Standard 51B, Cutting and Welding Processes (same address as #2).
- 4. CONCOA publication ADE 872, Safety Precautions in Welding and Cutting.
- 5. Local Ordinances
- 6. O.S.H.A. Standard 29 CFR
- 7. C.G.A. Pamphlet C-4, American National Standard Method of Marking Portable Compressed Gas Containers to Identify the Material Contained.
- 8. C.G.A. Pamphlet G-4, Oxygen Information on the properties, manufacture, transportation, storage, handling, and use of oxygen.
- 9. C.G.A. Pamphlet G-4.1, Equipment Cleaned for oxygen service.
- 10. C.G.A. Pamphlet G-4.4, Industrial Practices for Gaseous Oxygen Transmission and Distribution Piping Systems.
- 11. C.G.A. Pamphlet G-5, Hydrogen Information on the properties, manufacture, transportation, storage, handling, and use of hydrogen.
- 12. C.G.A. Pamphlet G-6, Carbon Dioxide Information on the properties, manufacture, transportation, storage, handling, and use of carbon dioxide.

- 13. C.G.A. Pamphlet G-6.1, Standard for Low Pressure Carbon Dioxide Systems at Consumer Sites.
- 14. C.G.A. Pamphlet P-1, Safe Handling of Compressed Gases in Containers.
- 15. C.G.A. Safety Bulletin SB-2, Oxygen Deficient Atmospheres.

C.G.A. Pamphlets can be obtained from the Compressed Gas Association, 1235 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA 22202-3239, (703) 979-0900. Publications: (703) 979-4341. Fax: (703) 979-0134.

### USER RESPONSIBILITY

Service to this product should only be performed by CONCOA or an authorized CONCOA agent. Requests for service may be made through CONCOA CUSTOMER SERVICE at 1-800-225-0473. Written requests may be made using CONCOA's FAX number at 1-757-422-3125 or CONCOA's E-MAIL at info@concoa.com

CONCOA accepts no responsibility for damage or injury if this product is modified in any way.

CONCOA assumes/accepts no liability or responsibility for damage to individuals or equipment that may occur when using this product.

### **DESCRIPTION OF PRODUCT**

The IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup> is a device used to monitor, control and switch the flow of gas from cryogenic or high pressure cylinders from either of two independent sources while maintaining a settable, constant delivery pressure.

It consists of two electronically controlled inlet valves controlling the flow of gas into a delivery regulator.

Pressure coming into the IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup> is monitored and displayed on two independent 4digit displays. The outlet pressure of the system is monitored and displayed on a 3-digit display. Outlet pressure adjustment is available using an adjusting screw on the delivery regulator inside the cabinet.

A series of indicator lights show the status of the system at any given time.

The status of the IntelliSwitch II<sup>™</sup> may be monitored remotely via a serial port or optional Ethernet port. In addition, the IntelliSwitch II<sup>™</sup> can interface with a CONCOA Remote Alarm.

### FEATURES

### **Operation from Multiple Gas Sources**

The IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup> is capable of operating with inlet pressure provided by 230, 350, and 500 PSI liquid cylinders, 3,000 PSI high pressure cylinders, or any combination.

#### Look Back

The IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup> switches from one bank to the other based upon the pressure supplied to the selected bank. When using liquid cylinders, if the volume of the liquid in the cylinder becomes low or the gas flow becomes particularly high, it is not uncommon for the pressure to drop below the switching point even if there is plenty of gas left in the cylinder. When a typical switchover enters such a state, two undesirable situations may occur. First, the system may switch to the reserve temporarily until pressure builds on the primary enough to cause the system to switch back. This situation often leads to depleting both sides at the same time as the system rapidly alternates drawing from both sides or even draws both sides at the same time. Second, the system may permanently switch to the reserve leaving unused product in the primary and triggering a false alarm.

To avoid either of these situations, the IntelliSwitch II<sup>™</sup> has a Look Back feature that allows the system to switch banks and wait a predetermined time period before checking the former primary cylinder. If the pressure has recovered enough, the system will switch back to the former primary cylinder. This look back time allows the pressure building circuit to recover and build sufficient pressure to supply the system and fully draw down the primary cylinder before an alarm is triggered indicating the cylinder is empty, allowing maximum utilization of cylinder contents. This feature is only activated when a liquid cylinder is selected for use. The look back time is factory set at 30 minutes.

### Switchback Delay

Using the Look Back feature alone can result in the switchover switching back several times well after the cylinder can provide a useful gas supply. To prevent this, the Switchback Delay feature keeps track of how often the IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup> switches back to a liquid cylinder that has been used and whose pressure has been restored to be used again.

If the system switches away from the priority side before the Switchback Delay timer has timed out, the system determines that all the useful gas has been extracted from the cylinder and switches to the auxiliary side and draws from it. This feature is only activated when a liquid cylinder is selected for use. The switch back time is factory set at 10 minutes.

### Hysteresis

This feature is a pressure value added to the switchover pressure value to determine the pressure at which the IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup> will switch back to a cylinder after the "Look Back" time has expired. This feature provides added protection against inadvertently drawing from the reserve bank when the primary still has gas. The Hysteresis pressure is factory set at 10 PSI.

### **Economizer Function**

When using liquid cylinders in switchover applications, it is common for the reserve cylinder to build pressure due to the vaporization of liquid within the cylinder. When this pressure reaches the set point of the relief valve on the liquid cylinder, the relief valve will open, venting gas to the atmosphere. The IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup> constantly monitors the reserve cylinder and, at a predetermined pressure, will change the valving to allow gas from the headspace of the reserve cylinder to feed the system, thus drawing down the pressure in the reserve cylinder. There are three pressure ratings for liquid cylinder relief valves, 230 PSIG, 350 PSIG and 500 PSIG; the IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup> has predetermined settings for all three types that may be selected on the front panel of the system.

### **Settable Switchover Pressure**

The IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup> can be configured to switch at pressures ranging from 100 to 500 PSI. This value is factory set but can be changed in the field. To change this value, refer to the section on changing the switchover pressure.

### Manual Bank Switching

It is possible to manually change the side that gas is being drawn from by pressing the "BANK SELECT" button provided that there is sufficient pressure on the side being switched to.

#### Selectable Units of Measure

The default units of measure for the IntelliSwitch II<sup>™</sup> are PSI. Alternate units of BAR or MPA can be selected by changing internal DIP switch settings. To change units of measure refer to the section on changing units of measure.

#### Security Lockout

The IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup> has the ability to electronically lockout the front panel buttons to discourage tampering. The factory default setting is OFF or disabled. Refer to section on Keypad Security Lockout for details.

### **Alarm Notification**

The IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup> is designed to interface with CONCOA Remote Alarms and comes with the necessary mating connector for their use. Refer to the section on connecting a remote alarm for more information.

### Ethernet Port – Web Server

The IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup> is equipped with an integral Web Server allowing for remote monitoring of functions, e-mailing, and remote configuration. For more information on the Web Server feature refer to the Web Server manual included with this product.

#### Serial Port

The IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup> is capable of communicating to peripheral equipment via configurable serial port. For more information on the serial port refer to the section on Setting Communication Mode in this manual.

### High Flow Relief Valve Overpressure Protection

The IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup> is equipped with a high flow relief valve to protect the system from extreme pressure increases and liquid withdrawal.

### **INSTALLING THE INTELLISWITCH II™**

### Understanding the application and sizing the components properly is the key to any successful system installation.

Figure 1 shows a typical installation.



The inlets and outlet on the IntelliSwitch II<sup>™</sup> are 1/2" Female NPT fittings. It is strongly recommended that two wrenches be used when tightening external devices to these fittings.

The IntelliSwitch II<sup>™</sup> uses four mounting tabs for mounting to a wall or panel. Refer to Figure 14 at the back of this manual for the dimensions of the system. Anchor the IntelliSwitch II<sup>™</sup> securely to a wall or panel at a height adequate to conveniently connect a manifold or pigtail. THE HEIGHT SELECTED MUST MEET ALL REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS

Once all mechanical connections are made pressurize the system and check for leaks.

Connect the Remote Alarm and serial device (if used) to the IntelliSwitch IITM.

Finally connect AC power to the IntelliSwitch II<sup>™</sup>. The system operates at 100-240V 50/60Hz.

### **CONNECTING POWER**

THERE IS NO ON/OFF POWER SWITCH FOR THE INTELLISWITCH II. The installer must provide any required power switching external to the product. The IntelliSwitch.

The inlet pressure readings will appear on the two 4-digit displays. If necessary use the Bank Select pushbutton to choose the side considered to be the primary gas source. The IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup> will default to the left inlet side as the primary side.

Normal operation of the IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup> can now begin. The "primary" or "active" inlet side of the system, whether left or right, will have the green Ready light ON and the In-Use light ON over the source pressure. The "secondary" side or the "in-active" side will have only the green Ready light ON.

Lighted green lights above the Source Select buttons should match the types of cylinders being used by each side.

All switching is automatic. If the primary inlet gas side drops below the set switchover point, the system will transfer to the reserve inlet gas side and the status lights will indicate the transition. The Replace status light and alarm indicate the need to replenish a bank. In the case of high pressure cylinders, the system will reset when pressure has been restored to the depleted bank. In the case of liquid cylinders, the system will reset when pressure has been restored to the depleted bank and the Reset button has been depressed.

### **OPERATING THE INTELLISWITCH II™**

Figures 3 & 4 identify the various locations of important features on the IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup>.

### Setting the Delivery Pressure

Refer to Figure 3. Delivery Pressure is set using a knob on the delivery regulator inside the enclosure, or, for older models, using a flat blade screwdriver, other flat blade device, or a hex key (Allen wrench) and inserting it into the adjusting screw on the delivery regulator. Turning the screw clockwise will increase pressure, and counterclockwise will decrease pressure.

### Selecting a Gas Source

The Source Select buttons on the front panel provide flexibility in the choices of liquid or high pressure cylinders used in an application. Further, they provide choices of liquid cylinders with different pressure ratings. There are two Source Select buttons, allowing each side to be controlled independently. Green indicator lights directly above the Source Select buttons identify which cylinder choice is currently selected for the side. Each time a Source Select Button is pressed, the indicator lights above the button will shift to the next choice.

### **Cylinder Sizes**

There are three liquid cylinder pressure ratings that can be selected. For each cylinder pressure, the IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup> has a preset value it uses to determine when the cylinder has reached an overpressure condition in order to activate the economizer feature. Table 1 provides the cylinder pressure choices and their respective economizer pressures.

Cylinder Relief Valve Pressure	Economizer Activation Pressure	Normal Value to Switch Back
230 PSI	210 PSI	190 PSI
350 PSI	325 PSI	300 PSI
500 PSI	475 PSI	450 PSI

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If a liquid cylinder's pressure rises to the "activation" pressure, the IntelliSwitch II<sup>™</sup> will redirect itself to draw the pressure down through the delivery stream. Once the pressure reaches a "normal" value, it will return to drawing from the previous side.

#### **Bank Selection**

The Bank Select button on the front panel allows for manually switching the active bank. The In-Use status indicator lights provide the feedback to indicate which side is selected.

#### Reset

The Reset button is primarily used to reset a "replace" condition when using liquid cylinders. The Replace status light can only be cleared if the side with the condition has its pressure restored to a value above the switchover (trip point) plus the Hysteresis value AND the Reset button is pushed. If the button is pushed while the condition still occurs, the system will attempt to clear the condition but will reinstate the indicators automatically. Example: Switchover (trip point) = 130 PSI. System will switch to the other side when pressure drops to 130 PSI. It will not allow switching back until the pressure reaches 140 PSI (130 PSI + 10 PSI Hysteresis pressure)

### Testing

Holding the Reset button in for 5 seconds will place the system in test mode. This diagnostic and troubleshooting tool performs 16 different tests. Each time the Reset button is pushed again, the system will perform a different test. Continuing to press the Reset button will step through all the tests after which the system will return to normal operation. If after the test mode has been entered there is no pushbutton activity for 5 minutes, the system will return to the normal display operation. Gas flow is maintained during the test mode. Refer to the Troubleshooting Section for details on testing.

### Keypad Lockout

If the keypad security lockout feature is enabled, the keypad will become inoperative after approximately 5 minutes provided there has been no buttons pressed. There will be an audible beep when the keypad goes into the locked state. If the keypad becomes locked it can be reactivated by holding the Bank Select Pushbutton for approximately 4 seconds. The system will make an audible beep when it is unlocked. To enable this feature, see Section "User Selectable Features" for explanation on enabling/disabling this feature.

### **USER SELECTABLE FEATURES**

The IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup> allows various system parameters to be set in the field. They are:

- a. Switchover Pressure
- b. Units of Measure
- c. Keypad Security Lockout
- d. Remote Alarm Configuration
- e. Enabling Remote Setup
- f. Communication Port

Figure 3





Delivery Pressure: Adjust Using a Flat Blade Screwdriver

Old Arrangement for Systems with Single Stage Pressure Delivery



Two Stage Pressure Delivery



### SETTING SWITCHOVER PRESSURE

The switchover pressure (changeover pressure) point for the IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup> is changeable up to a value of 500 PSI. Each system has a specific switchover pressure set at the factory based on the delivery pressure ordered. To change the switchover pressure from the factory set value, perform the following steps:

*Note:* In order for the DIP switches to be recognized, DIP switch SW4-3 must be OFF.

- 1. Turn power OFF to the system.
- 2. Open door by loosening the four screws holding it to the cabinet.
- 3. Using Figure 5, locate DIP switch SW1 at the bottom of the electronic circuit board on the door.



- 4. Using Table 2 or Table 3, set the desired switchover pressure.
- 5. Close system door and tighten 4 screws holding door to cabinet.
- 6. Turn power back ON. The new switchover pressure will take effect on power ON.

SWITCH	VALUE
SW1-1	1
SW1-2	2
SW1-3	4
SW1-4	8
SW1-5	16
SW1-6	32
SW1-7	64
SW1-8	128
SW1-9	256

#### Table 2 — DIP Switch Settings

Note:

The values shown in the table are additive. Example: To set switchover pressure to 130 PSI, turn on SW1-8 (128) and SW1-2 (2). These added together equal 130 PSI. **Note:** Tables 2 & 3 show values in PSI. If operating in BAR or MPA it will be necessary to convert the PSI units to the units being used in order to use the tables. To convert values to BAR divide the PSI value by 14.5. To convert the values to MPA divide the PSI value by 145.

PSI	SW1-1	SW1-2	SW1-3	SW1-4	SW1-5	SW1-6	SW1-7	SW1-8	SW1-9
75	ON	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF
100	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	OFF	OFF
125	ON	OFF	ON	ON	ON	ON	ON	OFF	OFF
135	ON	ON	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF
150	OFF	ON	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF
175	ON	ON	ON	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	OFF
200	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	OFF
225	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	ON	OFF
250	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	ON	ON	ON	ON	OFF
275	ON	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON
300	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	ON
325	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	ON
350	OFF	ON	ON	ON	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	ON
375	ON	ON	ON	OFF	ON	ON	ON	OFF	ON
400	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	ON
425	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	ON
450	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	ON
475	ON	ON	OFF	ON	ON	OFF	ON	ON	ON
500	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	ON	ON	ON	ON

Table 3 — Typical Switchover Pressure DIP Switch Settings

### SETTING UNITS OF MEASURE

The IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup> can display pressure in three different units of measure, PSI, BAR, and MPA. The factory default is PSI. To change units of measure perform the following steps:

Note: In order for the DIP switches to be recognized, DIP switch SW4-3 must be OFF.

- 1. Turn AC power OFF to the system.
- 2. Open door by loosening the four screws holding it to the cabinet.
- 3. Using Figure 6, locate DIP switch SW2 at the bottom of the electronic circuit board on the door.
- 4. Using Table 4, set the appropriate units of measure.
- 5. Close system door and tighten 4 screws holding door to cabinet.
- 6. Turn AC power back ON. The new units of measure will take effect on power ON.
- 7. The indicator lights on the front panel show the units of measure selected. If the PSI and BAR indicator lights are OFF, the system is displaying MPA units.

Comm Mode	SW2-1	SW2-2	
PSI	OFF	OFF	default
BAR	ON	OFF	
MPA	OFF	ON	

Table 4



### SETTING KEYPAD SECURITY LOCKOUT

The IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup> has a feature that allows locking out the keypad located on the front panel. When enabled, the keypad will become inoperative after approximately 5 minutes if no key presses are detected. The factory default for this feature is DISABLED. To enable this feature perform the following steps:

- 1. Turn AC power OFF to the system.
- 2. Open door by loosening the four screws holding it to the cabinet.
- 3. Using Figure 7, locate DIP switch SW4-1 at the bottom of the electronic circuit board on the door.
- 4. Turn switch to the ON position.
- 5. Close system door and tighten 4 screws holding door to cabinet.
- 6. Turn AC power back ON. The Keypad Lockout feature will take effect on power ON.

If the keypad becomes locked it can be re-activated by holding the Bank Select Pushbutton for approximately 4 seconds.

#### Figure 7



### **CONNECTING TO A REMOTE ALARM**

The IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup> is capable of interfacing to CONCOA's Altos 2 Remote Alarm. Contact your local CONCOA Distributor or call 1-800-225-0473 for information. The recommended cable for this assembly is 24 AWG, 6-conductor stranded wire (Alpha # 1216C or equivalent). The length of this cable should be limited to 1500 feet.

Using Figure 8 and Table 5 as a guide, connect the alarm wires to the terminal block. Refer to the Alarm Instruction Manual for the pin locations on the connector that mate with the alarm.



Table 5 — Terminal Block Pin Assignments for Remote Alarm Connections

Terminal Block Pin Number	Function
4	Left Inlet Status
3	+12v (provided by the remote alarm)
2	Right Inlet Status
1	Ground (provided by the remote alarm)

### SETTING REMOTE ALARM OUTPUTS

Connection to a remote alarm or alarms supplied by others is accomplished by running an appropriate cable or cables through one or both of the strain reliefs on the bottom of the enclosure (see Fig. 1, Fig. 4 & Fig. 8) up to terminal blocks on the main circuit board on the back of the system front door. With jumpers in the default position, the contacts are Normally Open (N.O.). In an alarm condition or loss of power, these contacts will open. It is possible to change the jumpers to Normally Closed (N.C.). Figure 9 shows the location of the jumpers on the Control Board. To change a contact from N.O. to N.C. follow the steps below:

- 1. Turn AC Power OFF to the system
- 2. Open front door by loosening the 4 screws holding it to the cabinet.
- 3. Locate the jumpers on the Control Board.
- 4. Using Table 6 and Figure 9, set the jumpers.
- 5. Close door and re-secure it to the cabinet.
- 6. Make the necessary connections to the alarm and plug the alarm cable into the alarm connector on the bottom of the cabinet.
- 7. Turn AC power ON.
- 8. Test Mode may be used to test the alarm installation.

Jumper	Function
J25	Left Inlet Alarm
J24	Right Inlet Alarm

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### **ENABLING REMOTE SETUP**

The IntelliSwitch II<sup>™</sup> is equipped with a feature that allows setting of system parameters remotely via the serial port or the optional Ethernet port. FACTORY DEFAULT IS ON. This feature MUST be enabled in order for the remote setup feature to work. To disable this feature perform the following steps:

- 1. Turn AC power OFF to the system.
- 2. Open door by loosening the four screws holding it to the cabinet.
- 3. Using Figure 10, locate DIP switch SW4-3 at the bottom of the electronic circuit board on the door.
- 4. Turn SW4-3 to the OFF position.
- 5. Close system door and tighten 4 screws holding door to cabinet.
- 6. Turn AC power back ON.

#### Note:

When this feature is enabled, system setup parameters are saved to internal memory in the control electronics. The DIP switches on the control board for these setup parameters will be ignored. To allow use of the setup parameter DIP switches on the control board, SW4-3 must be in the OFF position.





### SETTING COMMUNICATION MODE

The IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup> has the built in capability to communicate to externally via the Ethernet (Web Server) or a serial port using RS-232. The factory default value is Ethernet (Web Server). To change the device from Ethernet to serial communication follow the steps below.

- 1. Turn AC power OFF to the system.
- 2. Open door by loosening the four screws holding it to the cabinet.
- 3. Using Figure 11, locate DIP switch SW3 at the bottom of the electronic circuit board on the door.
- 4. Using Table 7 set the desired communication mode.
- 5. Close system door and tighten 4 screws holding door to cabinet.
- 6. Turn AC power back ON. The new communication mode will take effect on power ON.



Figure 11

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Comm Mode	SW3-1	SW3-2	
RS-232	OFF	OFF	
Ethernet	OFF	ON	default
Auxiliary	ON	ON	

### **CONNECTING A SERIAL PORT**

Provision is made within the IntelliSwitch II<sup>™</sup> for connection to a serial port. Figure 12 and Table 8 show the wiring connections for a RS-232 serial device.



Table 8				
Terminal Block	Serial Port			
Pin Number	Function			
5	CTS →			
6	RTS <del>(</del>			
7	DTR			
8	Gnd			
9	DSR			
10	RxD ←			
11	TxD →			

### CONNECTING THE WEB SERVER

The IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup> is equipped with an integral Web Server device as a standard feature. Connection to the Web Server is through an RJ45 connector located at the bottom of the IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup>. Unscrew the protective cap that covers the connector jack to insert the cable. Connect any CAT 5 or CAT 6 cable to make this connection and connect the other end of the cable to the local area network. Refer to the Users Manual for the Web Server that was included with the IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup> for instructions on interfacing it to the local area network and for its operation.

### TROUBLESHOOTING

Symptom Possible Cause		Possible Solution	
No display or status lights ON.	<ul> <li>No power to the system.</li> <li>Check that the power source is live.</li> <li>Check the system fuse.</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Restore power.</li><li>Replace electronic control board.</li></ul>	
System will not switch from one side to the other automatically.	• Check that the pressure on the destination side is greater than the switchover pressure setting.	<ul> <li>Restore pressure to proper operating level.</li> <li>Check that the switchover pressure setting is correct for the cylinder size and inlet pressures required.</li> </ul>	
There are pressure readings on both inlet displays but no delivery pressure.	<ul> <li>Internal regulator for the valve system is plugged or faulty</li> <li>Isolation valves for delivery regulator are closed</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Clean or replace internal regulator</li><li>Open isolation valves</li></ul>	
Remote alarm does not work with the system.	<ul> <li>Remote alarm is not powered.</li> <li>Wiring between the IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup> and the alarm is incorrect.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Check the remote alarm LED on IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup> front panel.</li> <li>Check alarm is powered and on.</li> <li>Check wiring between alarm and IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup></li> </ul>	
Outlet pressure from the system drops below the adjusted value.	<ul> <li>Flow demands on the system are greater than the cylinders can supply.</li> <li>Cylinder pressures are too low.</li> <li>Switchover pressure set too low for the application.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Replace or resize cylinders.</li> <li>Change switchover pressure on IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup>.</li> </ul>	
Gas from one side appears to be flowing to the other.	• Dirty or bad check valve.	Replace check valve.	
Any display shows an "Err" Code	• Refer to section on Error Codes in this manual		

### **ERROR CODES:**

The IntelliSwitch II has built in diagnostics to assist in troubleshooting problems that may occur from time to time. In certain situations and error message can appear on one or more of the displays. The error codes and an explanation of what the code means and how to fix it are listed below.

#### Err



#### Reason:

This message appears if internal communication on the electronic control circuit board is lost.

#### Solution:

Temporarily this error can be corrected by turning the AC power OFF then ON again. If the problem reoccurs it will be necessary to have the product serviced. Contact your local service representative or CONCOA at 1-800-225-0473.

### Err3 [Left Display]



#### Reason:

On Power Up, the Switchover checks the switchover pressure value to determine if it is set higher than the cylinder type selected on the left side. If it is, it is considered an invalid condition. Example: Switchover pressure set to 300 PSI and the cylinder selected is 230 PSI.

#### Solution:

This problem will most likely occur when using liquid cylinders.

To solve this problem you must first determine if the problem is the cylinder size selected or the switchover pressure setting. The switchover pressure MUST be lower than the cylinder size selected.

If the switchover pressure is set incorrectly (lower than the cylinder size) it must be increased. Turn power OFF to the system. Open the door and locate the switches at the bottom of the electronic circuit board. Referring to the Section "Setting Switchover Pressure" in this manual set the switchover pressure to a value above the cylinder size. Close door and turn power ON.

If the cylinder selection is incorrect turn power OFF to the system. Open the door and locate the switches at the bottom of the electronic circuit board. Referring to the Section "Setting

Switchover Pressure" in this manual set the switchover pressure to 0 PSI. Turn power back ON and select the correct cylinder size by pressing the left source select pushbutton.

Turn Power OFF again and open the door and set the switchover pressure to the appropriate value. Close door and turn power ON. System should operate properly.

### Err3 [Right Display}



#### Reason:

On Power Up, the Switchover checks the switchover pressure value to determine if it is set higher than the cylinder type selected on the right side. If it is, it is considered an invalid condition. Example: Switchover pressure set to 300 PSI and the cylinder selected is 230 PSI.

#### Solution:

Refer to the instructions for [Err3 left side].

#### Err9



#### Reason:

The internal temperature of the product has exceeded its normal operating temperature.

#### Solution:

Turn off and allow system to cool down or place in a cooler environment

### PERFORMING SELF TEST

Through the use of the Reset button on the front panel, a number of items can be observed or analyzed. A number 1 - 16 which is displayed on the output pressure display identifies each test. To enter Test Mode press and hold the Reset button for 4 seconds. The system will beep 3 times and then enter Test Mode. A description of the tests follows.

#### <u>Test 1</u> –Display Test

This test exercises all segments of the displays and all status lights except the power and remote alarm indication. If serial communication is selected, the system will output a code indicating that a self-test is being performed.



#### Test 2 - Date of Manufacturing

This test shows the year, month and day the product was manufactured



#### Test 3 - Software Revision

This is the revision of the software running the product.



#### Test 4 – Analog Channel Check

This checks the circuitry that is used to read the pressure transducers. It should display a value between 475 to 525 when working properly.



#### Test 5 - Display Switchover Pressure

The number on the display is the switchover (changeover) pressure value that is internally set for product operation. The value is in the units of measure selected for the product (PSI, BAR, etc.)



OUTPUT

PSI POWER

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SUPPLY

REPLACE

READY

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READY REPLACE

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#### Test 6 – Auxiliary Settings

Displays settings for Units of Measure, Communication setting, Keypad lockout, allow remote settings enable.

Refer to Table 9 to determine what is enabled

#### Test 7 – Look Back Time

This value is the number of minutes the system waits before looking back.

#### Test 8 – Switch Back Time

This is the value, in minutes, used by the system to determine when a cylinder is truly empty and incapable of supplying sufficient gas.





### Test 9 – Hysteresis

This is a pressure value used to prevent the system from inadvertently switching back and forth between inlet sides unnecessarily.



OUTPUT

Test 10 - Offset Values

These numbers (factory set) are used to calibrate the left and right inlet pressures.



Test 11 - Calibration Values

These numbers are used to calibrate the inlet channels at zero PSI.

Test 12 - Test Left Inlet Valve

This test turns ON the left inlet valve allowing gas to flow from that side while turning OFF the right inlet valve.



OUTPUT

![](_page_31_Picture_11.jpeg)

This test activates the right inlet alarm relay

<u>Test 16</u> – Keypad test This test allows the testing of each function button on the front control.

When a button is pressed, a segment will light on one of the displays.

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Test 13 – Test Right Inlet Valve

Test 14 – Test Left Inlet Alarm

<u>Test 15</u> – Test Right Inlet Alarm

contact.

contact.

This test activates the left inlet alarm relay

This test turns ON the right inlet valve allowing gas to flow from that side while turning OFF the left inlet valve.

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Table 9 (for Test 6)

NUMBER DISPLAYED	ISd	BAR	MPA	RS232	ETHERNET	AUXILIARY	KEYPAD LOCKOUT	ALLOW REMOTE
0	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF
2	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF
3	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF
4	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF
6	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF
7	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF
8	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF
10	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF
11	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF
64	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF
66	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	OFF
67	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	OFF
68	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF
70	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	OFF
71	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	OFF
72	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF
74	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	OFF
75	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	OFF
128	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON
130	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	ON
131	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	ON
132	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON
134	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	ON
135	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	ON
136	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON
138	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	ON
139	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	ON
192	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	ON
194	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	ON
195	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	ON
196	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	ON
198	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	ON
199	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	ON
200	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	ON	ON
202	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	ON	ON
203	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	ON

### **MOUNTING DETAIL**

Figure 13

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### POWER REQUIREMENTS

Input Voltage: 100-240 VAC 50/60Hz @.55A

Power Consumption: 20 watts

### SERVICE

For Service to the IntelliSwitch II<sup>TM</sup> contact your local Distributor or CONCOA Customer Service at 1-800-225-0473. Please fill in the Self Test Worksheet form included in this manual before contacting CONCOA for assistance. This will ensure a more timely response to your needs. An example of how to fill in the sheet is shown in Figure 14.

Figure 14

Test	Description	Da	ata
2	Date of Manufacture		2
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### SELF TEST WORKSHEET – Page 1

Test	Description	Data
1	Display	Display Segments OK? Yes No Indicator Lights OK? Yes No
2	Date of Manufacture	
3	Software Revision	
4	Transducer Check	
5	Switchover Pressure	
6	Auxiliary Settings	

### SELF TEST WORKSHEET – Page 2

Test	Description	Data
7	Look Back Time	
8	Switch Back Time	
9	Hysteresis	
10	Offset Values	
11	Calibration Values	

### FACTORY DEFAULT SETTINGS

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### Additional Factory Default Values

Look Back Time3Switchback Time1CommunicationEUnits of MeasureFKey Lock SecurityEAllow Remote SettingE

30 min 10 min Ethernet (Web Server) PSI Disabled Enabled

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The Intelliswitch II Series Gas Switchover System is compliant with the CE directives and standards listed below:

### Directives:

- Electromagnetic Compatibility (2004/108/EC)
- Low-Voltage (2006/95/EC)

Standards:

- EMC: EN 61326-1:2013 Industrial
- Safety: EN 61010-1:2010

This product was tested by an ISO 17025 accredited laboratory and manufactured In accordance with ISO 9001: 2008.

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