emonHP – Level 3 OpenEnergyMonitor Heatpump Monitoring

Pre-provisioned fully inclusive bundle for Level 3 Heat Pump Monitoring

The emonHP kit includes everything required for high accuracy (1-2% MID approved) monitoring of air-to-water air source heat pump (ASHP) or water-to-water ground source heat pumps (GSHP).

The monitoring system is web-connected with remote data access available via **emoncms.org.**

WARNING: The installation of this mains-powered electrical device should only be performed by a competent person in accordance with local electrical codes and regulations. Improper installation may result in serious injury, including electrical shock, fire, or damage to the device and surrounding property. OpenEnergyMonitor is not responsible for any damages, injuries, or liabilities arising from incorrect installation or unauthorized modifications. Always ensure the power supply is turned off before beginning any installation or maintenance work.

Kit of parts

- emonPi web-connected data-logger
- Heat meter with USB M-Bus adaptor
- Electricity Meter(s) with USB Modbus adaptor (RS485)
- Clip on CT sensor for DHW 3-port valve (optional)
- Power supply: USB-C





Heat Meter Installation

- <u>Heat meter body:</u>
 - Install on **primary pipework** before any diverter valve, volumiser or buffer
 - See **<u>sticker on meter</u>** to determine which pipe to install meter body
 - Observe direction of flow arrow on meter body
 - Avoid close proximity with other heat sources
- **Temperature sensor pocket:** install on the **opposite pipe** to the meter body away from other heat sources
- Note: Larger Axioma meters (DN25+) don't have a temperature sensor in the body of the meter, these meters require two temperature sensor pockets, the sensor marked in RED should be fitted on the primary Flow and the sensor marked in Blue should be fitted on the primary Return. These can be fitted close-by the meter body, either before or after
- See below manufacturers guidance on heat meter body installation location, take care to **install the heat meter in position 'A' or 'B'** and avoid sources of turbulence directly before or after the meter.
- If meter is installed horizontally I.e **position 'A'** ensure the **meter body is at 45**^o

3.2 Flow sensor position

- A Recommended flow sensor position.
- B Recommended flow sensor position.
- C Unacceptable position due to risk of air build-up.
- D Acceptable position in closed systems.
- E A flow sensor ought not to be placed immediately after a valve, with the exception of block valves (ball valve type) which must be fully open when not used for blocking.
- F A flow sensor must never be placed on the inlet side of a pump.
- **G** A flow sensor ought not to be placed after a double bend in two planes.
- Heat meters require minimum 1.2 bar, **recommend 1.8 bar** of system pressure.
- IMPORTANT: Take care to purge all the air out of the system, air in the system will lead in incorrect readings
- Heat meters are susceptible to dirt, ensure system if properly flushed before connecting heat meter
- Axioma and Supercal5 meters require a 240V power supply: e.g 3A FCU or feed from HP controller



Figure 1: Fitting sizes & meter location may vary



Heat Meter(s) Connections

The heat meter should be connected to the emonPi using the M-BUS to USB adaptor.

- M-BUS is a two wire bus which is **polarity irrelevant**
- The heat meter M-BUS connections should be wired to **M+ and M-**

• Multiple MBUS meters can be connected, the M-BUS connections should be connected together in star or bus topology. Each meter requires an unique M-BUS ID, this will be pre-set if purchased as a bundle

• M-BUS cable can be extended, standard 2-core flex can be used for short runs, for long runs we recommend twisted pair non-shielded (min 0.5 mm2). MBUS cable should be separated from mains 240V cables by minimum 5cm.



Electricity Meter(s) Connections

- 1st electricity meter should be installed on the circuit feeding the **outdoor unit**
- Optional: 2nd electricity meter should be installed on the circuit feeing the **indoor control unit including pump(s)** e.g NIBE and Samsung heatpumps or if secondary pumps are fitted
- Optional: A 3rd electric meter can be added to monitor a booster heater
- Additional electrical meters MODBUS (RS485) connections should be wired in star or bus topology, if multiple MODBUS meters are used each should have unique MODBUS ID, this will be be pre-set if purchased as a bundle
- The power terminals should be torqued to **1.5NM** and MODBUS connections should be torqued to **0.4NM**



- The USB > RS485 MODBUS adaptor should be plugged into the emonPi using the supplied USB extension cable
- RS485 MODBUS cable can be extended if required, standard 3core flex can be used for short runs, for long runs we recommend shielded cable e.g cat5 shielded (minimum 0.2 mm2). MODBUS cable run should be separated from 240V mains by minimum 5cm.

DHW 3-port Diverter Valve (optional)

The emonHP bundle can monitor the position of the diverter valve to determine when the heat pump is heating DHW:

- Plug the 3-pin green terminal block connector into the ADC input on the emonPi, see Fig2 >
- Connect the 240V wire of the DHW status box to the **Neutral and <u>Switched Live</u>** (usually black or brown wire) of the diverter valve. It's usually convenient to wire these connections into the same terminal on the heat pump controller



Figure 2: DHW Status sensor: emonPi ADC Input



Figure 3: Electrical Connections

emonPi Data logger Installation

The emonPi data logger reads and decodes data from both the electricity and heat meters and logs data to emoncms.org. It's essential that the emonPi has a reliable connection to the internet, **we recommend using wired Ethernet**. Install emonPi as follows:

- 1) Connect Heat Meter and Electricity Meter reader USB connection(s) to any of the 4x USB ports
- 2) Connect Ethernet cable (recommended)
- 3) Plug in and switch on 5V USB-C power supply

Wi-Fi Operation (not recommended)

If WiFi credentials were provided when the kit was purchased the Wi-Fi will be pre-provisioned and will automatically connect. If not follow the instructions below:

- 1. Using a smartphone connect to Wi-Fi Access Point 'emonPi' with password 'emonpi2016'
- 2. The captive portal should bring up the Wi-Fi configuration interface
- 3. Select "Connect to WiFi network", select your WiFi network name then enter password, then 'Connect'
- 4. After a few moments it should display 'Connected', the WiFi connection status is also shown on the emonPi LCD display, use button to scroll through options



Cloud Portal: <u>emoncms.org</u>

The emonPi datalogger is pre-provisioned to log data to the <u>emoncms.org</u> provided when kit was purchased.

To view the Heat Pump Monitor App Dashboard <u>scan the QR code on the emonPi</u> Or login to the account on emoncms.org and select Apps > MyHeatPump.

Heat Pump Monitor Website

You can choose to submit the system to **heatpumpmonitor.org** website. To do this login to the site with the same username/password as for emoncms.org and follow the instructions to add a new system. The MyHeatPump URL is the URL from the QR code.

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