

L411 L412 L461



Data loggers

Thank you for purchasing this **L411, L412 or L461 data logger**.

For best results from your instrument:

- **read** these operating instructions carefully,
- **comply** with the precautions for use.



WARNING, risk of DANGER! The operator must refer to this user's manual whenever this danger symbol appears.



WARNING! Risk of electric shock. The voltage applied to parts marked with this symbol may be hazardous.



Useful information or tip.



Battery.



Strong magnetic field.



Equipment protected by double insulation.



Application to or removal from bare conductors at hazardous voltages not authorized. Type B current sensor according to IEC/EN 61010-2-032.



The product is declared recyclable following an analysis of the life cycle in accordance with standard ISO 14040.



Chauvin Arnoux has designed this instrument in the context of a global Eco-Design approach. A life cycle analysis was carried out to master and optimise the impact of this product on the environment. More precisely, the product exceeds the requirements of regulations as regards recycling and valuation.



The CE marking certifies that the product is in compliance with the requirements applicable in the Union European, in particular as regards Low Voltage Directive 2014/35/EU, Electromagnetic Compatibility Directive 2014/30/EU, Radio Equipment Directive 2014/53/EU, and Restriction of Hazardous Substances Directives 2011/65/EU and 2015/863/EU.



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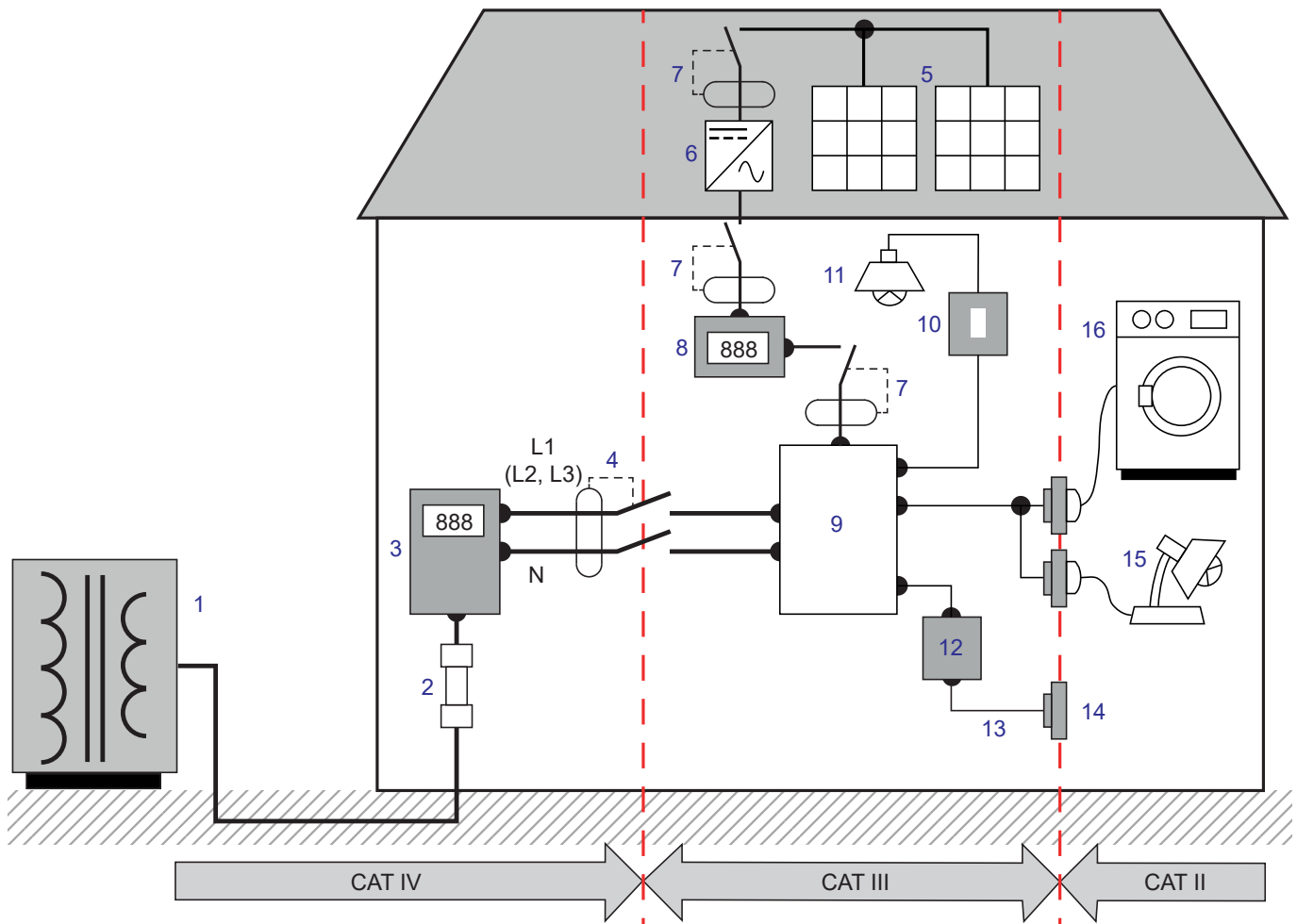
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Definition of measurement categories

- Measurement category IV (CAT IV) corresponds to measurements taken at the source of low-voltage installations.
Example: power feeds, meters and protection devices.
- Measurement category III (CAT III) corresponds to measurements on building installations.
Example: distribution panel, circuit-breakers, stationary machines or fixed industrial devices.
- Measurement category II (CAT II) corresponds to measurements taken on circuits directly connected to low-voltage installations.
Example: power supply to domestic appliances and portable tools.

Example to identify locations of measurement categories



- | | |
|--|---|
| 1 Low voltage supply source | 9 Distribution board |
| 2 Service fuse | 10 Light switch |
| 3 Tariff meter | 11 Lighting |
| 4 Mains circuit breaker or isolator switch * | 12 Junction box |
| 5 Photovoltaic panel | 13 Power socket wiring |
| 6 UPS | 14 Socket outlets |
| 7 Circuit breaker or isolator switch | 15 Plug-in lamps |
| 8 Generation meter | 16 Household appliances, portable tools |

*: The mains circuit breaker or isolator switch may be installed by the service provider. If not, the demarcation point between CAT IV and CAT III is the first isolating switch in the distribution board.

PRECAUTIONS FOR USE

These instruments comply with the following safety standards:

- L411: IEC/EN 61010-2-032 for voltages up to 600 V in category IV or 1000 V in category III,
- L412: IEC/EN 61010-2-30 and current sensors comply with IEC/EN 61010-2-032.
- L461: IEC/EN 61010-2-30 for voltages up to 1000 V_{AC} in category IV or 1500 V_{DC} in category III and the leads comply with IEC/EN 61010-031.

Failure to observe the precautions for use may lead to a risk of electric shock, fire, explosion, and/or destruction of the instrument and of the installations.

- The operator and/or the responsible authority must carefully read and clearly understand the various precautions to be taken in use. Sound knowledge and a keen awareness of electrical hazards are essential when using this instrument.
- L461: Use only the supplied or specified accessories (voltage leads, current sensors, mains adaptor, etc.).
 - When assembling an instrument with leads, crocodile clips or mains adaptor, the nominal voltage for a single measurement category is the lowest of the nominal voltages assigned to the individual components.
 - When connecting a current sensor to a measuring instrument, account must be taken of any potential feedback of voltage from the measuring instrument to the current sensor and therefore of the common mode voltage and acceptable measurement category at the current sensor secondary.
- Before each use, check the condition of the insulation on the leads, housing, and accessories. Any item of which the insulation is deteriorated (even partially) must be set aside for repair or scrapping.
- Do not use the instrument on networks whose voltage or category exceeds those mentioned.
- Do not use the instrument if it seems to be damaged, incomplete, or poorly closed.
- Use personal protection equipment systematically.
- L461: When handling leads and crocodile clips, do not place fingers beyond the physical guard.
- If the instrument gets wet, dry it before connecting it.
- All troubleshooting and metrological checks must be performed by competent, accredited personnel.

1. GETTING STARTED

1.1. DELIVERY CONDITION

L411 data logger with MiniFlex sensor

Delivered in a cardboard box with:

- three AA or LR6 alkaline batteries,
- a USB-micro USB cable,
- a USB-mains adapter (2 A, 5 V, 10 W USB-A),
- a multilingual quick start guide,
- a multilingual safety data sheet,
- a verification certificate.

L412 Data Logger with 2 current sensor inputs

Delivered in a cardboard box with:

- three AA or LR6 alkaline batteries,
- a USB-micro USB cable,
- a USB-mains adapter (2 A, 5 V, 10 W USB-A),
- a multilingual quick start guide,
- a multilingual safety data sheet,
- a verification certificate.

L461 data logger with voltage input for solar panels

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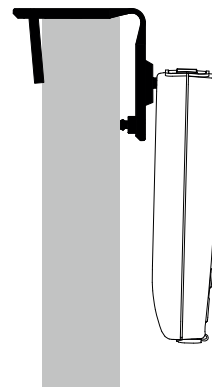
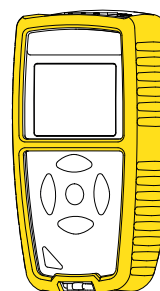
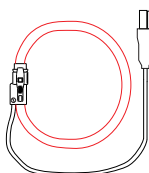
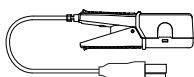
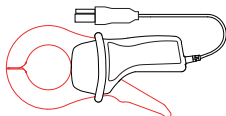
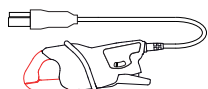
- three AA or LR6 alkaline batteries,
- a USB-micro USB cable,
- a USB-mains adapter (2 A, 5 V, 10 W USB-A),
- two crocodile clips (one black and one red) 1500 V category III or 1000 V category IV,
- two straight-straight banana-banana safety leads (one black and one red) 3 metres long, 1500 V category III or 1000 V category IV,
- a multilingual quick start guide,
- a multilingual safety data sheet,
- a verification certificate.

1.2. ACCESSORIES

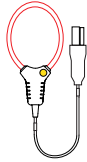
- Data Logger Transfer application software (freely downloadable see § 5)
- Dataview Application Software
- Multi-purpose mounting accessory
- Carrying bag
- Protective sheath

For the L412:

- MN93 clamp
- MN93A clamp
- C193 clamp
- MINI 94 clamp
- AmpFlex® A193 450 mm
- AmpFlex® A193 800 mm



- MiniFlex MA194 250mm
- MiniFlex MA194 350 mm
- MiniFlex MA194 1000 mm



1.3. SPARES

- A USB-micro USB cable,
- A USB-mains adapter (2 A, 5 V, 10 W USB-A),
- Set of 2 safety cables, black and red, banana-banana straight-straight and 2 crocodile clips.

For accessories and spares, check out our Website:

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1.4. INSERTING THE BATTERIES

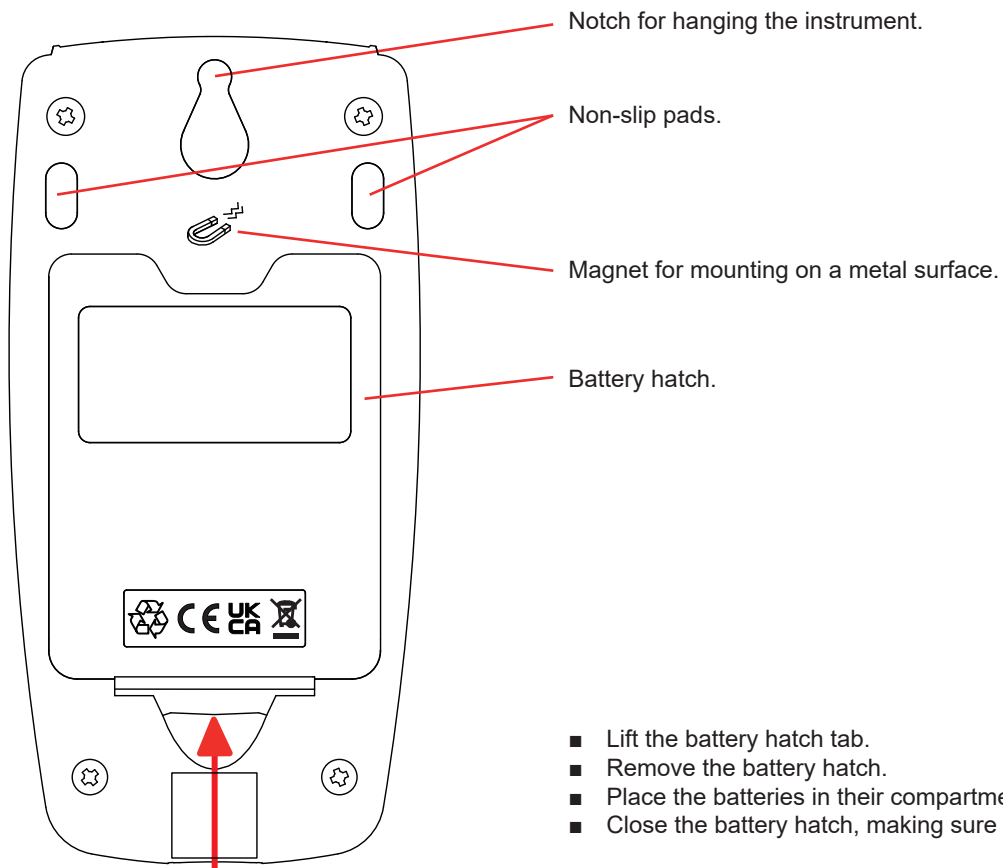


Figure 1

- Lift the battery hatch tab.
- Remove the battery hatch.
- Place the batteries in their compartment, respecting their polarity.
- Close the battery hatch, making sure that it is fully and correctly closed.

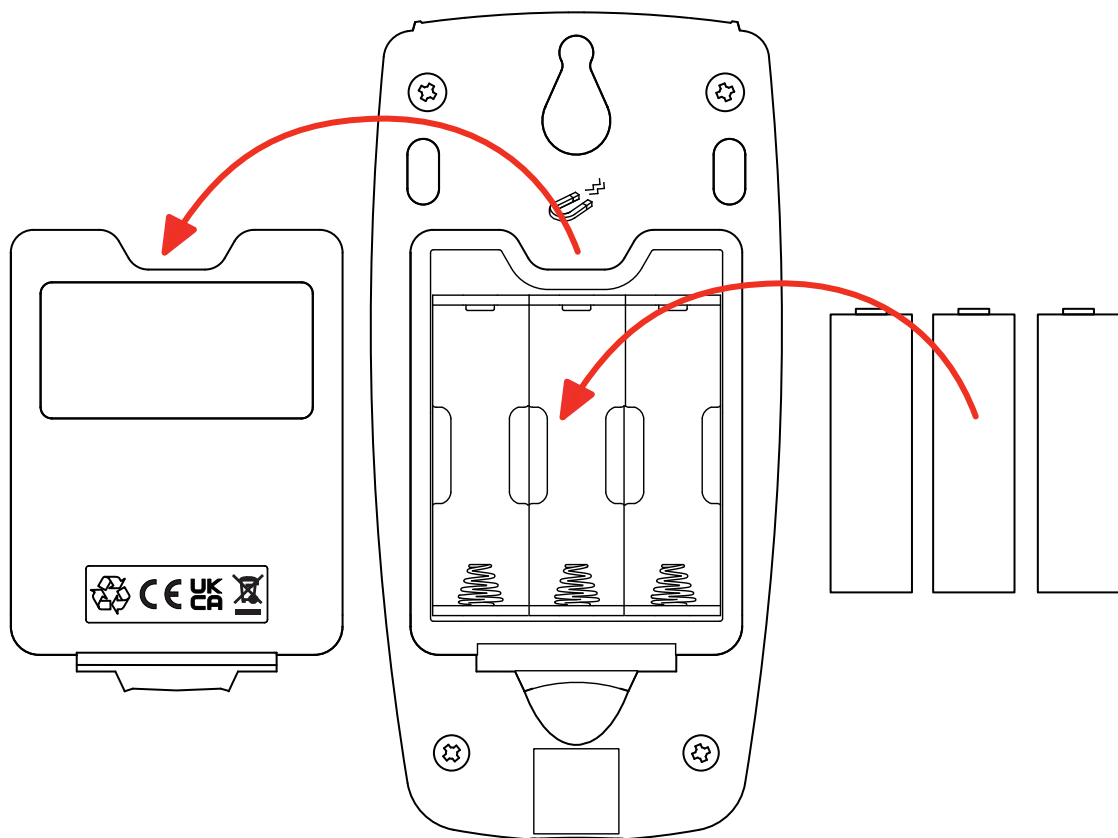


Figure 2

2. INSTRUMENT OVERVIEW

2.1. L411

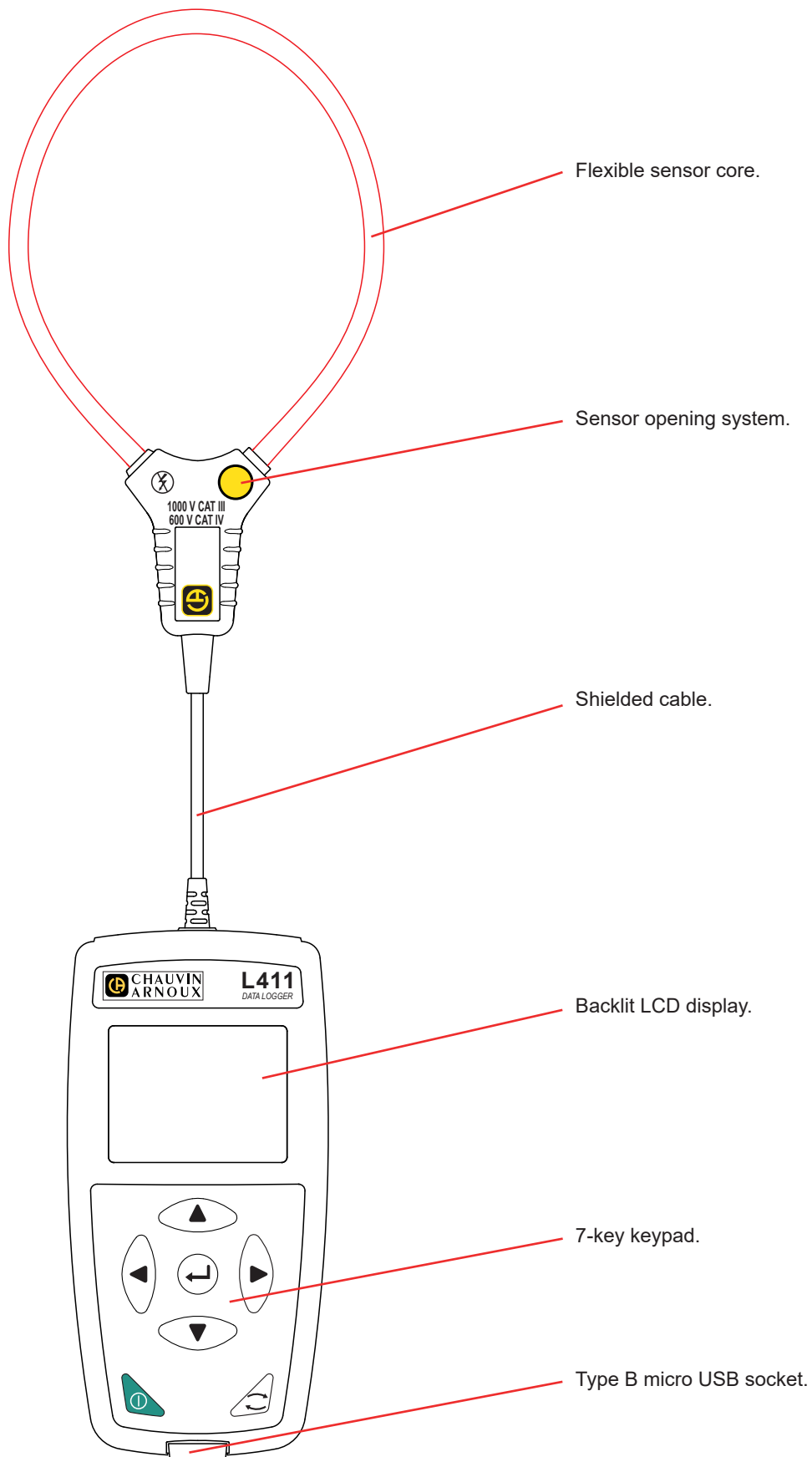
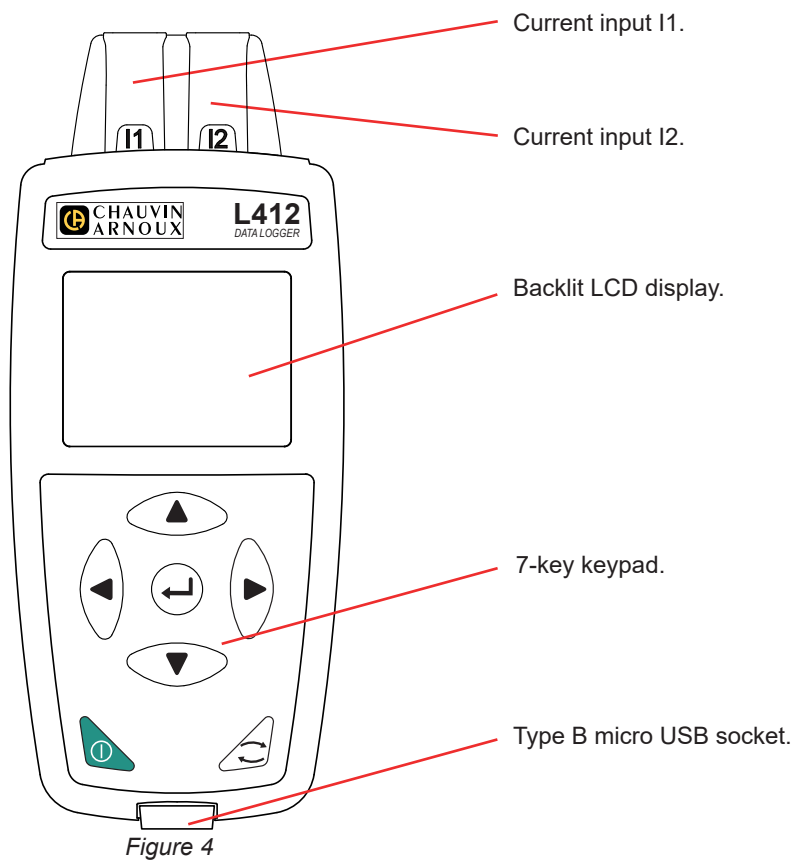
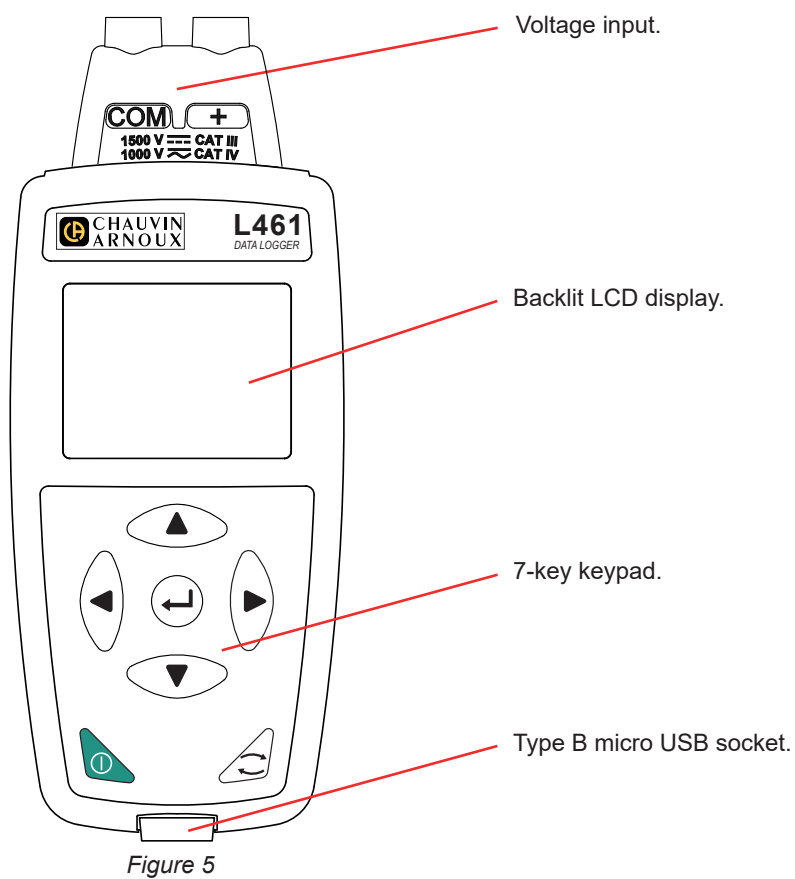


Figure 3

2.2. L412



2.3. L461



2.4. DESCRIPTION

The L411, L412 and L461 are single or dual channel data loggers. They are powered by batteries or from the mains via a USB cable. They can record up to 200 recording sessions.

The L411 can record AC currents on one channel, from 0.4 to 3,600 AAC.
The L412 can record AC currents on two channels, from 10 mAac to 25,000 AAC.
The L461 can record AC or DC voltages on one channel, from 10 to 1200 VAc and 10 to 1700 Vdc. It is particularly dedicated to monitoring distribution and solar panel voltages.

They can communicate with a PC via USB or via Wi-Fi.

2.5. KEY FUNCTIONS

| Key | Description |
|-----|---|
| | On / Off button A long press turns the instrument on or off. The instrument cannot be turned off while a recording is in progress or pending, or when the device is connected to an external power supply. |
| | Select Button This starts or stops a recording or allows the Wi-Fi mode to be chosen. |
| | Navigation keys Used to configure the instrument and browse the data displayed. |
| | Enter key In configuration mode, selects a setting to change. In select mode, starts or stops a recording. It also allows the type of Wi-Fi to be chosen. |

Table 1

Pressing any key turns on the display backlighting for 3 minutes.

2.6. LCD DISPLAY

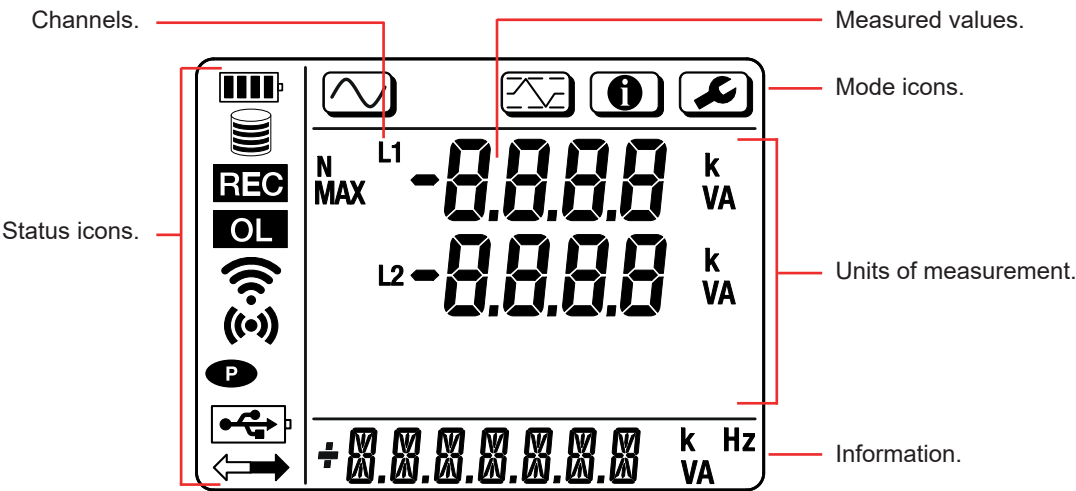


Figure 6

2.6.1. STATUS ICONS










| Icon | Description |
|---|---|
|  | Indicates battery status. When blinking, batteries need to be changed. |
|  | Indicates memory filling. |
|  | When steady, normal mode recording is in progress. When blinking slowly (once every 5 seconds), extended mode recording is in progress. When blinking rapidly (once every 2 seconds), a recording is scheduled. |
|  | Indicates an out-of-range value that cannot be displayed. When it is blinking, for the L412, it indicates that the two current sensors are not identical. |
|  | Indicates active Wi-Fi at the access point. When blinking, a transmission is in progress. |
|  | Indicates active Wi-Fi at the router. When blinking, a transmission is in progress. |
|  | Indicates the instrument's automatic shutdown function is disabled. |
|  | When on and steady, it indicates that the instrument is powered by USB. When it blinks, the USB link is active. |
|  | Indicates the instrument is being controlled remotely (by a PC, smartphone or tablet). |

Table 2

2.6.2. MODE ICONS





| Icon | Description |
|---|---------------------|
|  | Measurement mode |
|  | Maximum mode. |
|  | Information mode. |
|  | Configuration mode. |

Table 3

2.7. MOUNTING

As recorders, the instruments are intended to be installed for a fairly long period in a technical room.

They must be placed in a well ventilated room whose temperature must not exceed the values specified in § 6.8.

It can be mounted on a flat vertical ferromagnetic surface using the magnets incorporated in its housing.



The strong magnetic field of the magnets can damage your hard drives or medical devices.

2.8. EXTERNAL POWER SUPPLY

The instrument is powered by batteries but it can also be powered from the mains via a USB - micro USB cable, plugged either into a PC or into a wall outlet via a mains adapter.

- Open the elastomer cover that protects the micro-USB socket.
- Connect the supplied USB-micro USB cable to it.
- Connect the cable to the supplied USB-AC adapter.
- Plug the adapter into a mains outlet.

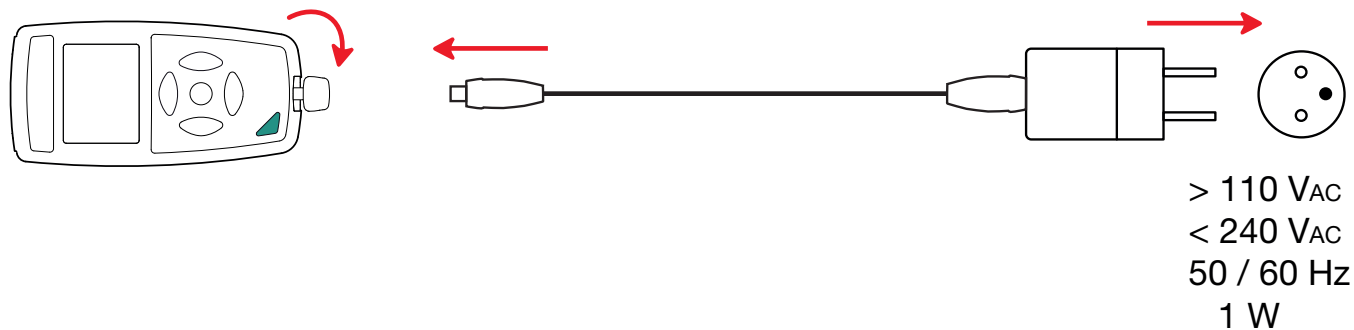



Figure 7

The  symbol is displayed.

3. OPERATION

Before recording, the instrument must be configured. This involves the following steps:

- L461: Select an AC or DC signal.
- Establish a Wi-Fi link with the PC (this link is not essential if you are using a USB link).
- L411 and L412: set the rated primary current.
- Select the aggregation period.
- Choose the type of recording.
- It is also possible to reset the configuration.

This configuration is made in Configuration mode (see § 3.2) or with the Data Logger Transfer application software (see § 5).

To connect the instrument to the PC, you can use the USB link or the Wi-Fi link (to be configured).



In order to avoid accidental changes, the instrument cannot be configured while recording or if there is a recording pending.

3.1. TURNING THE INSTRUMENT ON AND OFF

To start the instrument, press and hold the **On/Off** button.

To turn the instrument off, press and hold the On/Off button again. The instrument cannot be turned off while a recording is in progress or pending, or when the device is connected to an external power supply.

When the instrument is running on batteries, it turns off automatically after a period with no keypad activity and no recording in progress. This time is set using the Data Logger Transfer application software.


It is also possible to switch the instrument to permanent mode, with Data Logger Transfer. The **P** symbol is displayed and the appliance no longer turns off.

If there is no action by the user, the instrument switches to standby mode after three minutes, this duration can be programmed at 3, 10 or 15 minutes via the Data Logger Transfer application software. It continues to make measurements but they are no longer displayed.

The blue display backlight turns on at startup. It turns off after one minute. It turns on again when a key is pressed or when the USB is connected.

3.2. CONFIGURING THE INSTRUMENT

Several main functions can be configured directly on the instrument. For full configuration, use the Data Logger Transfer software application (see § 5).

To enter Configuration mode from the instrument, press the ◀ or ▶ keys until the  symbol is selected.

One of the following two screens will appear:

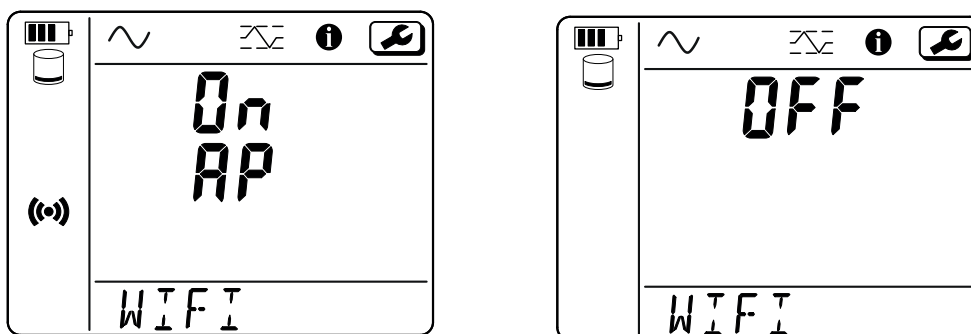


Figure 8



If the instrument is already being configured from the Data Logger Transfer software, it is not possible to enter Configuration mode on the instrument. In this case, when an attempt is made to configure it, the instrument displays **LOCK**.

3.2.1. AC/DC (L461)

For the L461, the first screen displayed is the screen used to choose the type of signal measured: AC or DC.

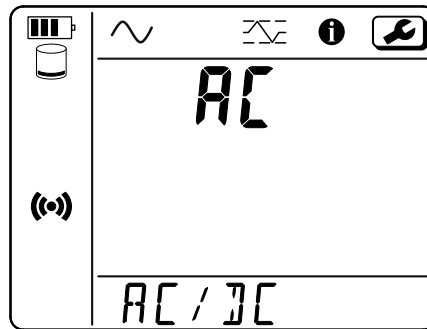






Figure 9


Press the  key to switch from AC to DC.

Press the  key to go to the next screen.

3.2.2. WI-FI











For the Wi-Fi to operate, the battery must be sufficiently charged ( or ) , or the instrument must be connected to the external power supply.

Press the  key to activate or deactivate the Wi-Fi. If the battery is too low, the instrument indicates it and activation is not possible.

The Wi-Fi connection lets you connect to your PC and then to any other instrument such as a smartphone or a tablet.

1) Wi-Fi access point connection procedure

- Press the **Select**  key first. The instrument displays **START REC. PRESS ENTER TO START RECORDING** .
- Press the  key a second time and the instrument displays:
 -  **WIFI ST. PRESS ENTER FOR WIFI ST** ,
 - or  **WIFI OFF. PRESS ENTER FOR WIFI OFF** 
 - or **WIFI AP. PRESS ENTER FOR WIFI AP** .

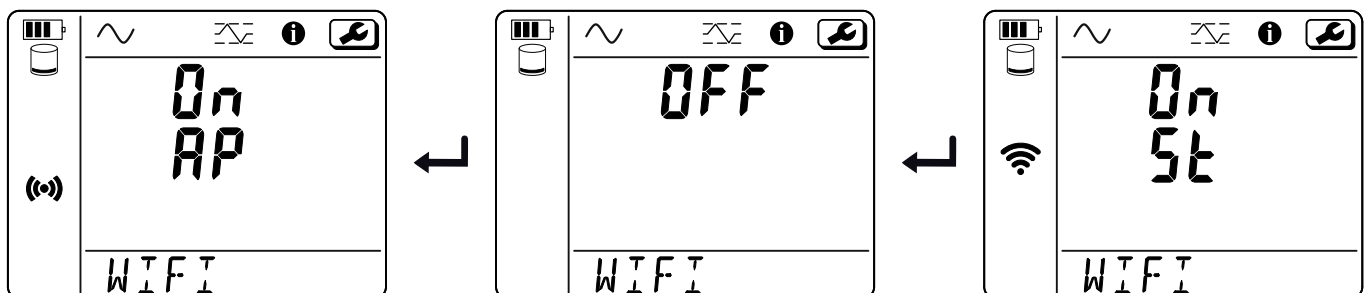


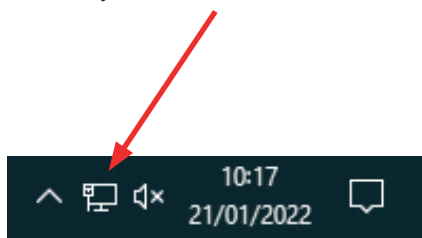
Figure 10

Change with the  key to select  **WIFI AP**.

Your instrument's IP address, shown in the information menu, is 192.168.2.1 3041 UDP.

- Connect your PC to the instrument's Wi-Fi.

In the Windows status bar, click the connection symbol.



Select your instrument from the list.

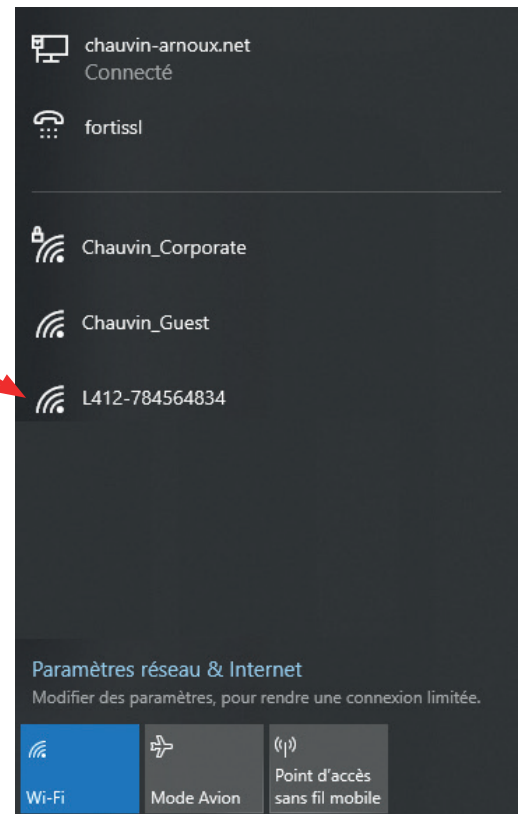


Figure 11

- Start the Data Logger Transfer software application (see § 5).
- Go to **Instrument**, **Add an instrument**, **L411**, **L412** or **L461**, to **Wi-Fi access point**.


This connection to the Data Logger Transfer software application lets you:

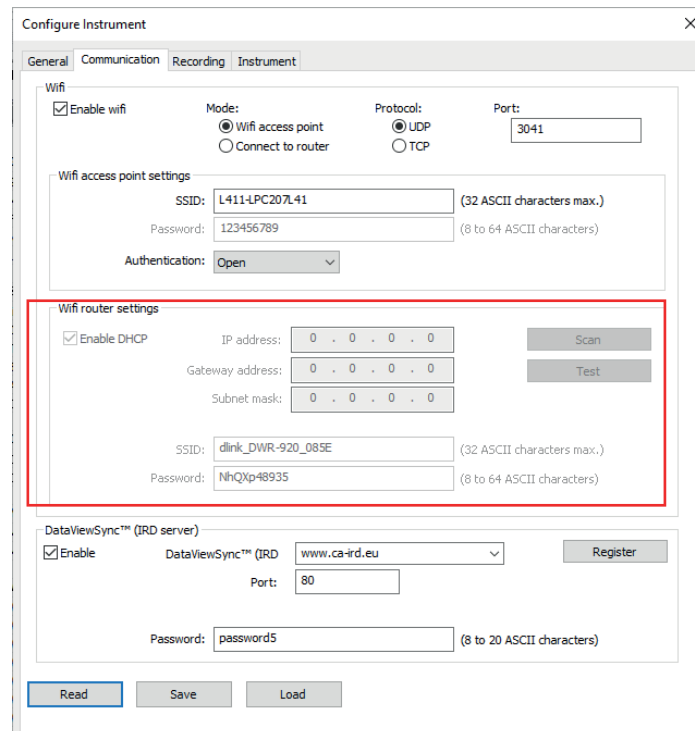
- configure the instrument,
- access real-time measurements,
- upload the recordings,
- change the access point SSID name and secure it with a password,
- enter the SSID and password for a Wi-Fi network to which the instrument can connect,
- enter the DataViewSync™ (IRD server) password, allowing access for the instrument to separate public or private networks.

If the username and password are lost, you can reset the factory configuration (see § 3.2.6)

2) Configuration of the Wi-Fi router connection





The Wi-Fi router connection will allow you to access your instrument from a smartphone or tablet, or even from DataViewSync™ (IRD server) through a public or private network.


- To do this, connect the instrument to the PC via USB. For security reasons, it is not possible to modify the Wi-Fi connection when you are in Wi-Fi.
- Go to **Instrument, Add an instrument, Data Logger, L411, L412 or L461**, in **USB**. Select your instrument and confirm.
- In Data Logger Transfer, go to the configuration menu , **Communication** tab and check **Connect to router**, port 3041, UDP protocol.
- In the **Wi-Fi router settings** box, enter the network name (SSID) and the password. The SSID is the name of the network you want to connect to. It may be the network of your smartphone or tablet in hotspot mode. To find the network, search by clicking **Scan**. Select the network. Check the connection by clicking **Test**.
- Click **OK** to confirm.




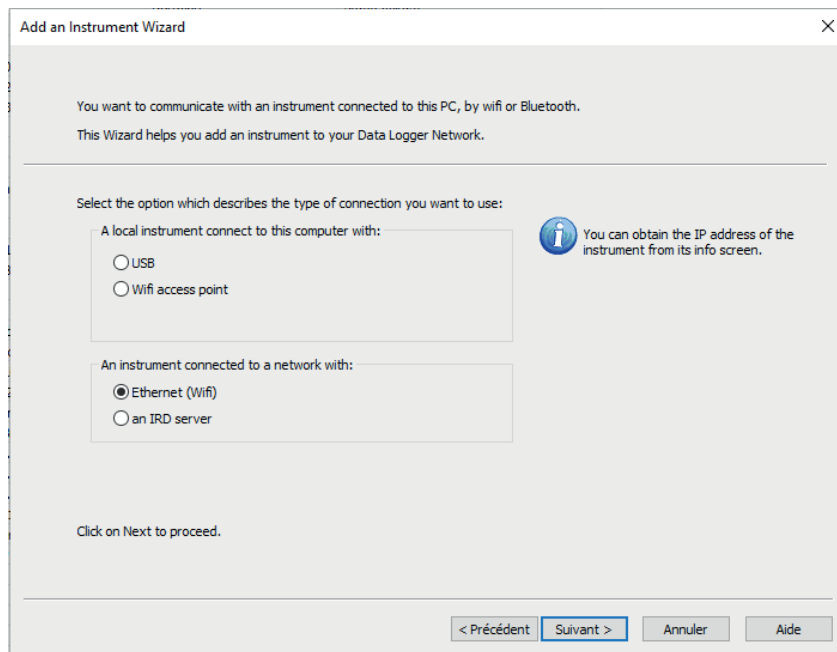
The screenshot shows the 'Configure Instrument' dialog box with the 'Communication' tab selected. The 'Wifi' section is expanded, showing 'Enable wifi' checked, 'Mode' set to 'Wifi access point', 'Protocol' set to 'UDP', and 'Port' set to '3041'. The 'Wifi access point settings' section shows 'SSID' as 'L411-LPC207L41', 'Password' as '123456789', and 'Authentication' set to 'Open'. The 'Wifi router settings' section is highlighted with a red box and contains 'Enable DHCP' checked, 'IP address', 'Gateway address', and 'Subnet mask' all set to '0 . 0 . 0 . 0', 'SSID' as 'dlink_DWR-920_085E', and 'Password' as 'NhQxp48935'. The 'DataViewSync™ (IRD server)' section shows 'Enable' checked, 'DataViewSync™ (IRD)' set to 'www.ca-ird.eu', 'Port' set to '80', and 'Password' as 'password5'. At the bottom are 'Read', 'Save', and 'Load' buttons.

Figure 12

- The instrument automatically switches to  **WIFI ST**. If this does not happen, press the instrument **Select**  button twice, then the  button twice to switch to  **WIFI ST**. Your instrument connects to this Wi-Fi network. The Wi-Fi access point connection is lost.

Once the instrument is connected to the network, you can find its IP address in information mode .

- Connect the PC to the router as explained Figure 11.
- In Data Logger Transfer, change the connection  to **Ethernet (Wi-Fi)** and enter the IP address of your instrument, port 3041, UDP protocol. This lets you connect several instruments on the same network.



Add an Instrument Wizard

You want to communicate with an instrument connected to this PC, by wifi or Bluetooth.
This Wizard helps you add an instrument to your Data Logger Network.

Select the option which describes the type of connection you want to use:

A local instrument connect to this computer with:

☐ USB
☐ Wifi access point

An instrument connected to a network with:

☒ Ethernet (Wifi)
☐ an IRD server


Information: You can obtain the IP address of the instrument from its info screen.

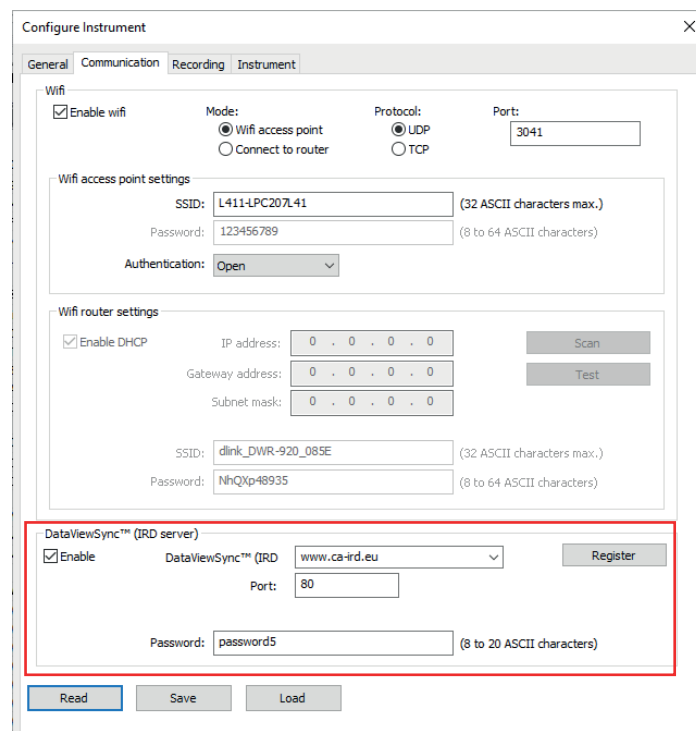
Click on Next to proceed.

< Précédent **Suivant >** Annuler Aide

Figure 13

3) Configuration of the DataViewSync™ (IRD server) connection

- To connect the instrument to the DataViewSync™ (IRD server), it must be in **WIFI ST** and the router to which it is connected must have internet access to be able to access the DataViewSync™ (IRD server).
- To configure the DataViewSync™ (IRD server), connect the instrument via USB to the Data Logger Transfer software.
- Go to the Configuration menu , **Communication** tab. Enable the DataViewSync™ (IRD server) and enter the password that will be used to connect afterwards.



Configure Instrument

General **Communication** Recording Instrument

Wifi

☒ Enable wifi Mode: ☒ Wifi access point Protocol: ☒ UDP Port: 3041
☐ Connect to router ☐ TCP

Wifi access point settings

SSID: L411-LPC207L41 (32 ASCII characters max.)
 Password: 123456789 (8 to 64 ASCII characters)
 Authentication: Open

Wifi router settings

☒ Enable DHCP IP address: 0 . 0 . 0 . 0 Scan
 Gateway address: 0 . 0 . 0 . 0 Test
 Subnet mask: 0 . 0 . 0 . 0

SSID: dlink_DWR-920_085E (32 ASCII characters max.)
 Password: NhQXp48935 (8 to 64 ASCII characters)

DataViewSync™ (IRD server)


☒ Enable DataViewSync™ (IRD) www.ca-ird.eu Register
 Port: 80
 Password: password5 (8 to 20 ASCII characters)

Read Save Load

Figure 14

- Click **Register** to confirm.

4) Connecting to the DataViewSync™ (IRD server)

- In Data Logger Transfer, change the connection by clicking on  then on **DataViewSync™** (IRD server).
- Enter the DataViewSync™ (IRD server) address (the same one chosen during setup), the instrument serial number and the password you set in the previous step.
- Click **Next** to confirm.

3.2.3. RATED PRIMARY CURRENT (L411, L412)

Press the ▼ key to go to the next screen.

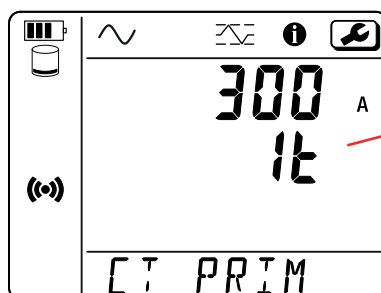



Figure 15

For the L412:

- Connect the current sensor(s).
- The current sensor is automatically detected by the instrument.
- If two current sensors are connected, they must be identical.

For AmpFlex® or MiniFlex sensors, press the  key to select 300 or 3000 A.
For the other sensors, configuration is done via Data Logger Transfer.

The rated currents of the current sensors are as follows:

| Sensor | Rated current | Choice of gain | Number of turns |
|---------------------------------|----------------|---|--|
| C193 clamp | 1000 A | ✗ | ✗ |
| AmpFlex® A193 MiniFlex MA194 | 300 or 3,000 A | ✓ | 1, 2 or 3 to be configured in Data Logger Transfer |
| MN93A clamp 5 A calibre | 5 to 25,000 A | to be configured in Data Logger Transfer | ✗ |
| MN93A clamp 100 A calibre | 100 A | ✗ | ✗ |
| MN93 clamp | 200 A | ✗ | ✗ |
| MINI 94 clamp | 200 A | ✗ | ✗ |

Table 4

3.2.4. AGGREGATION PERIOD

Press the ▼ key to go to the next screen.

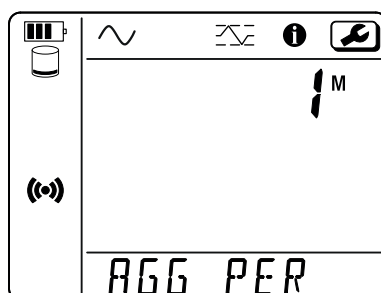



Figure 16

To change the aggregation period, press the  key: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 10, 12, 15, 20, 30 or 60 minutes.

3.2.5. EXTENDED RECORDING MODE

Press the ▼ key to go to the next screen.

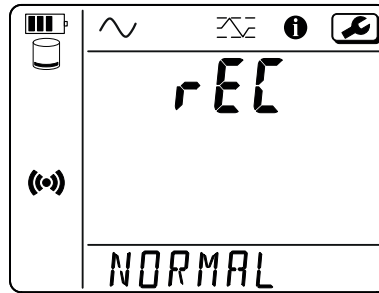


Figure 17

When the instrument is recording, it may go into standby between two measurements. This can significantly increase its battery life. In **NORMAL** mode, the instrument is never in standby.

In **EXTEND** mode, the instrument goes to sleep and wakes up a few seconds before each measurement to take the measurement but without displaying it. It makes 4 measurements per aggregation period instead of one measurement per second. Its standby time therefore depends on the aggregation period. This mode makes it possible to increase the battery life of the instrument but there are fewer measurements and a loss of information between the measurements. See § 9.1.3.

Press the ↵ key to choose **NORMAL** or **EXTEND**.

3.2.6. RESET

Press the ▼ key to go to the next screen.

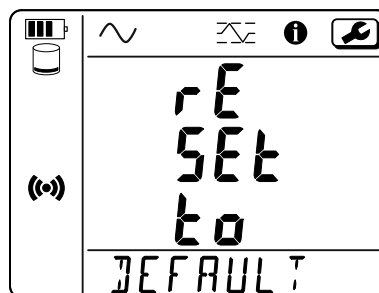


Figure 18

To reset the instrument to the default Wi-Fi configuration (direct Wi-Fi, password deleted), press the ↵ key.

The instrument asks for confirmation before performing the reset. Press the ↵ key to confirm and any other key to cancel.

3.3. REMOTE USER INTERFACE

The remote user interface runs on a PC, tablet or smartphone.

It enables:

- consulting the instrument's information,
 - establishing a Wi-Fi router connection,
 - synchronising date and time,
 - scheduling a recording.
-
- Enable Wi-Fi on the instrument. The remote user interface can work with an access point Wi-Fi link (📶) or a router Wi-Fi link (📶) but not the DataViewSync™ (IRD server) link.
 - On a PC, tablet or smartphone, connect as you would to your instrument's Wi-Fi network (see § 3.2.2).
 - In a web browser, enter http://IP_address_instrument.
For a Wi-Fi access point connection (📶), enter <http://192.168.2.1>
For a Wi-Fi router connection (📶), the address is indicated in the information menu (see § 3.4).

The following screen will be displayed (which differs depending on the instrument model):


L411

WI-FI

RMS

INFO

RECORDING



SSID :

dlink_DWR-920_085E

SSID

Password :

NhQXp48935

Password

IP Adress :

192.168.002.001

IP address


Edit

Figure 19

To enter the SSID and password, click on **Edit**.

L411

Wi-Fi Settings



SSID

dlink_DWR-920_085E

SSID

Password

NhQXp48935

Password

Submit

Quit

Submit

Quit

Figure 20

Fill in the fields then click on **Submit**.

Press the second button to view the measurements:


L411

WI-FI

RMS

INFO

RECORDING



I1:

0.0

A

F:

Hz

Figure 21

Press the third button to view the instrument's information:

L411WI-FIRMSINFORECORDING

10:51:02

2024-10-28

Location :

Serial Number :

LPC207L41

Name :

L411

Firmware Version :

2.20

Current Sensor:

AmpFLEX/MiniFLEX

Range

3000

Synchronize date and hour

Location

Serial number

Name

Firmware version

Current sensor

Measurement range

Synchronising date and time.

Figure 22

Press **Synchronize date and hour** to synchronise your instrument's date and time with your PC, tablet or smartphone.

Press the fourth button to view information about the current recording or the last recording made.

L411WI-FIRMSINFORECORDING

Recording Status :

Inactive

Session Name :

ESSAI 02

Recording Start :

1/1/2024 1:00:00

Recording End :

8/10/2024 23:06:01

Recording Duration :

221:22:6:1 (days:h:min:s)

Recording Mode :

Normal Recording

SD-Card Status :

Space available for pending or active recording

SD-Card Capacity :

7694 (MBytes)

SD-Card Free Space :

7690 (MBytes)

Program recording

Recording Status

Session Name

Start of recording

End of recording

Recording duration

Recording mode

SD card status

SD card capacity

Free space on SD card


Schedule a recording.

Figure 23

Press **Program recording** to programme a recording.

L411

Session Settings



Session name

ESSAI 02 Rec USB ALI Interrompue

Aggregation period :

1 min

Start now

☐

Start date and hour

28 / 10 / 2024 10 : 58

End date and hour

28 / 10 / 2024 11 : 13

Recording duration :

Days

0

Hours

0

Minutes

15

Activate extended recording mode

☐

Program recording

Quit

Session Name

Aggregation period

Start now

Start date and time

End date and time

Recording duration

Days Hours Minutes

Enable extended mode recording

Start recording

Quit

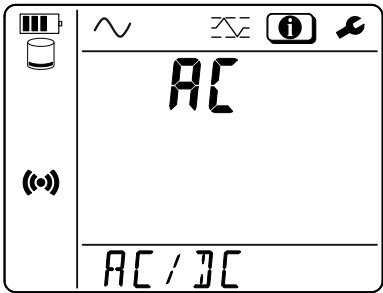
Figure 24

3.4. INFORMATION

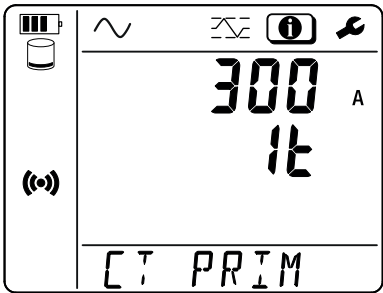
To enter Information mode, press the ◀ or ▶ keys until the ⓘ symbol is selected.

Using the ▲ and ▼ keys, scroll through the instrument information:

- AC/DC signal type (L461)

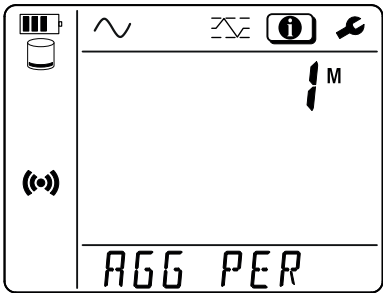


- Rated primary current (L411 and L412)

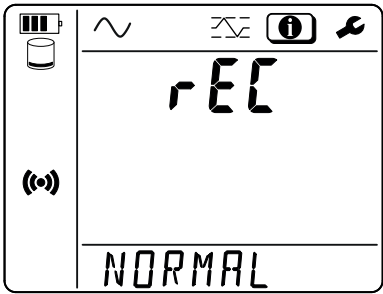


- C193 clamp 1000 A
- AmpFlex® or MiniFlex: 300 or 3,000 A
- MN93A clamp 5 A calibre: 5 A changeable
- MN93A clamp 100 A calibre: 100 A
- MN93 clamp 200 A
- Mini 94 clamp: 200 A

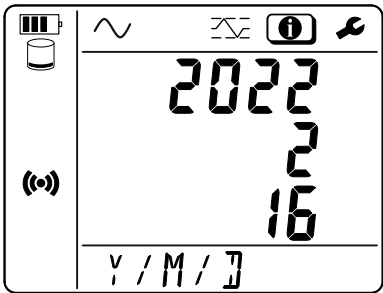
- Aggregation period



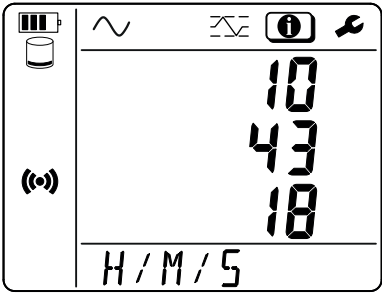
- Recording type
Normal or extended



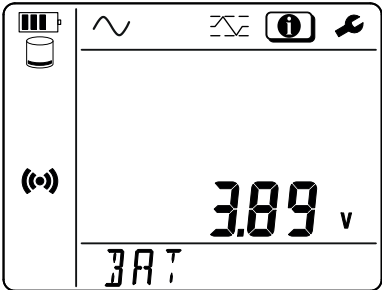
- Date
Year, month, day



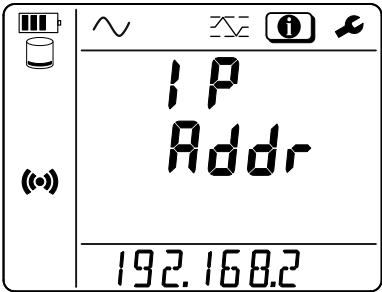
- Time
Hour, minute, second



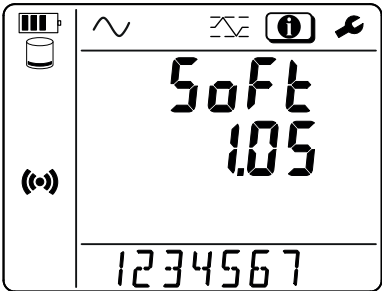
- Battery voltage



- IP address (scrolling)
192.168.2.1 3041 UDP



- Software version and scrolling
serial number.



4. USE

Once the instrument has been configured, it is ready for use.

4.1. CONNECTIONS



When you make connections to live networks, in particular type B current sensors, you must use personal protective equipment.

Current clamps and flexible current sensors are used to measure the current flowing in a cable without opening the circuit. They also isolate the user from dangerous voltages present in the circuit.

The choice of the current sensor to use depends on the current to be measured and the diameter of the cables. When installing current sensors, point the arrow on the sensor towards the load.

When a current sensor is not connected, the instrument displays - - - -.

4.1.1. L411

- Press the sensor opening system.
- Clamp the cable to be measured. As much as possible, the cable should be centred inside the core.
- Close the core. A "click" will confirm that it is closed correctly.

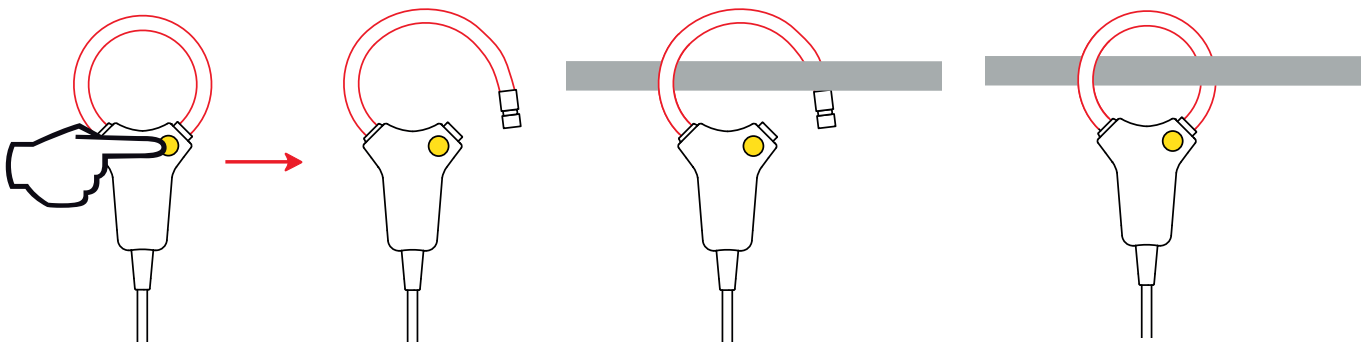


Figure 25

To remove the sensor, press the opening system. Remove the sensor from the cable to be measured and then close it again.

4.1.2. L412

- Connect the first current sensor to terminal I1.
- If applicable, connect the second current sensor to terminal I2.



If two current sensors are connected, they must be identical.

- Press the clamp tab to open the clamp's jaws.
- Then clamp the cable to be measured. As much as possible, the cable should be centred inside the clamp jaws.
- The arrow on the clamp housing should point in the assumed direction of current.
- Release the tab and make sure that the jaws are properly closed.

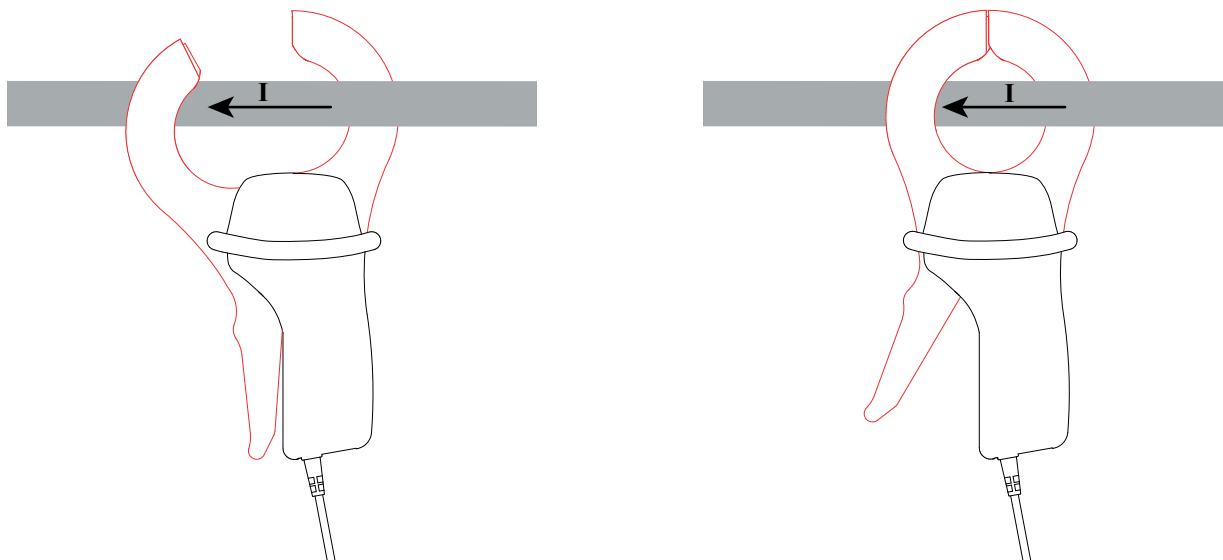


Figure 26

L461

- Connect the black safety lead to the **COM** terminal.
- Connect the red safety lead to the **+** terminal.
- Connect the leads to the voltage to be measured.

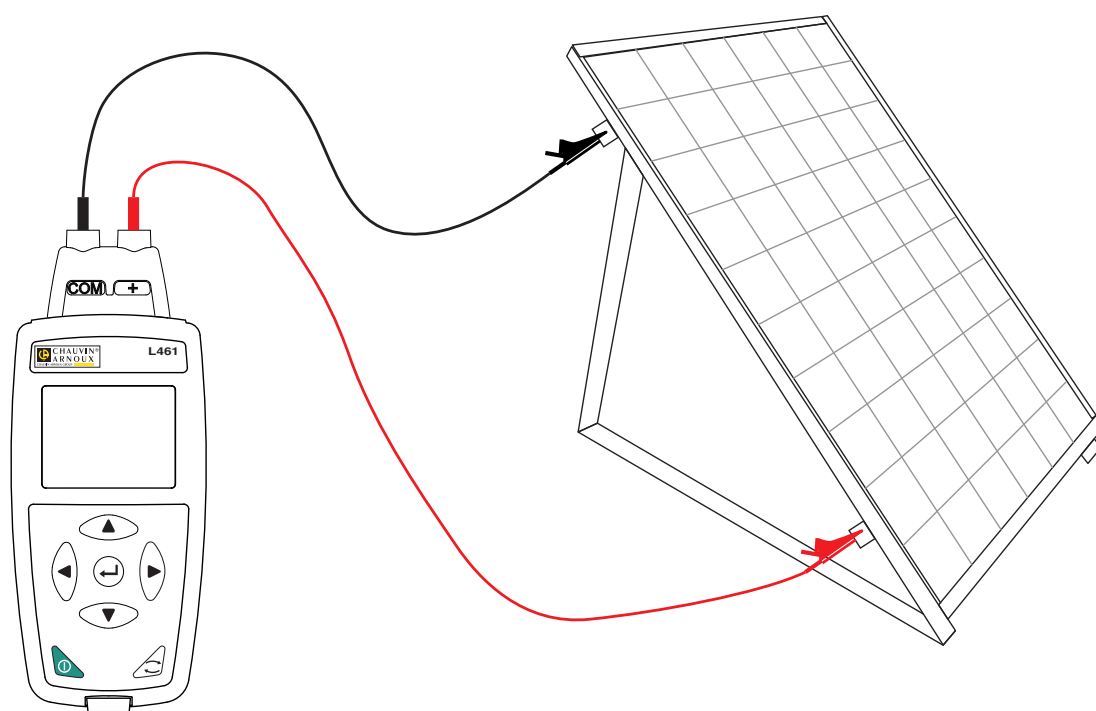








Figure 27

4.2. RECORDING

To start a recording:

- Check that there is enough space in memory (☐, ☐, ☐ or ☐ but not ☐, see § 6.14).
- Press the **Select**  key first. The instrument displays **START REC. PRESS ENTER TO START RECORDING** . If it displays **SD CARD FULL**, the memory is full and recordings cannot be made.
- Confirm with the  key. The **REC** symbol blinks for 5 seconds. Then it stays on if the recording is normal or it blinks every 5 seconds if the recording is extended.

To stop recording, follow the same procedure.

- Press the **Select**  key. The instrument displays **STOP REC. PRESS ENTER TO STOP RECORDING** .
- Confirm with the  key. The **REC** symbol disappears.

Recordings can be managed from Data Logger Transfer (see § 5).



During a recording, it is not possible to modify the configuration of the instrument.

4.3. MEASURED VALUE DISPLAY MODES

The instrument has two measurement display modes,  and , represented by the icons at the top of the display. To switch from one mode to another, use the ◀ or ▶ keys.

The displays can be accessed as soon as the instrument is turned on but the values are at zero. As soon as voltage or current is present at the inputs, the values are updated.

4.3.1. MEASUREMENT MODE

This mode is used to display the values in real time.

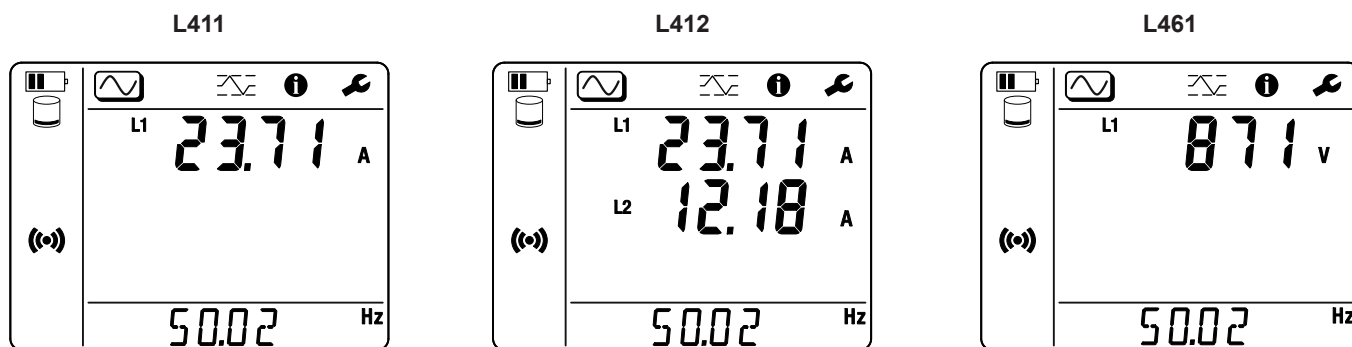


Figure 28

For the L412, if the current sensor is not detected, the measurements are not defined (displays - - -).

For the L461, if it is a continuous measurement, instead of frequency, the instrument displays **DC**.

4.3.2. MAXIMUM MODE

This mode displays the maximum aggregated values of the measurements.

Depending on the option selected in Data Logger Transfer, these may be the maximum aggregated values for the recording in progress or the maximum aggregated values of the last recording, or the maximum aggregated values since the last reset to zero.

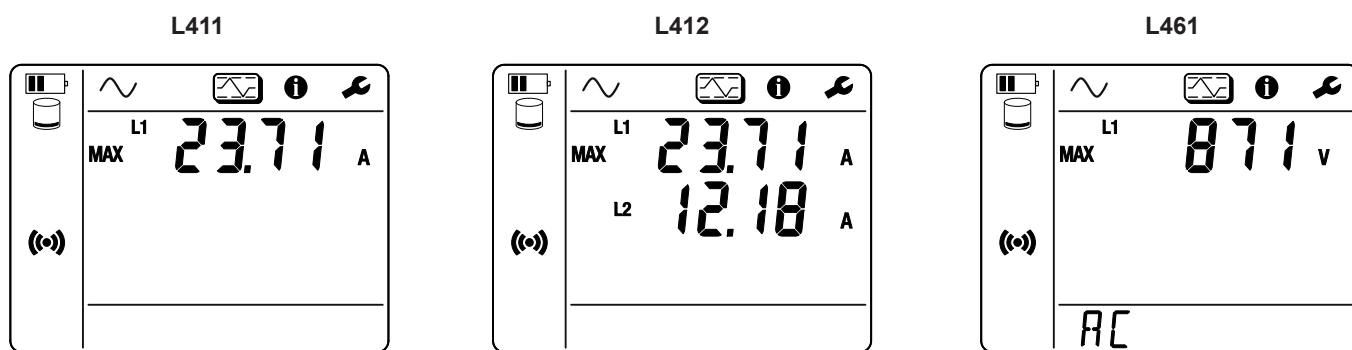



Figure 29

For the L461, the maximum DC values may be negative.

5. DATA LOGGER TRANSFER SOFTWARE

5.1. FUNCTIONS

The Data Logger Transfer application software allows you to:

- Connect the instrument to the PC via USB or Wi-Fi.
- Configure the instrument: give a name to the instrument, choose the automatic power-off time, lock the **Select**  button on the instrument, set the date and time, and format the SD card.
- Configure communication between the instrument, PC and network.
- Configure recordings: choose their names, duration, start and end date, aggregation period and the type of recording.
- Configure the instrument: choose AC/DC (L461), choose the frequency, configure the current sensors (L411 and L412), select whether MAX values are aggregated or not. This configuration can be password protected.

The Data Logger Transfer software application also allows you to open recordings, upload them to a PC, export them to a spread-sheet, view the corresponding curves and create and print reports.

It also allows the internal software of the instrument to be updated when a new update is available.

5.2. INSTALLING DATA LOGGER TRANSFER

1. Download the latest version of Data Logger Transfer from our website.
www.chauvin-arnoux.com

Go to the **Support** section and perform a search for **Data Logger Transfer**.
Download the software to your PC.
Launch **setup.exe**. Then follow the installation instructions.



You must have administrator rights on your PC to install the Data Logger Transfer software.

2. A warning message similar to the one below appears. Click **OK**.

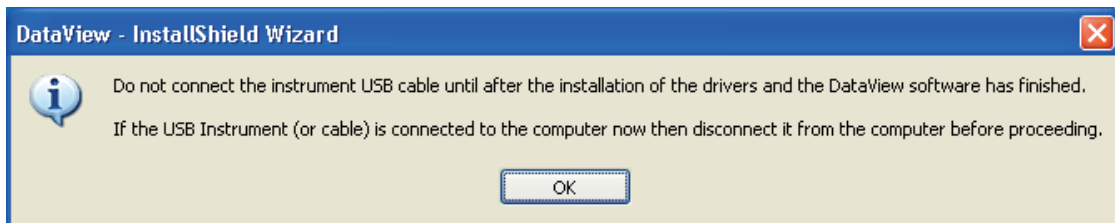


Figure 30



Installing the drivers may take some time. Windows may even indicate that the program is no longer responding, although it is still running. Wait until it is finished.

3. When driver installation is finished, the dialogue box **Installation successful** is displayed. Click **OK**.
4. The **Install Shield Wizard completed** window then displays. Click **Finish**.
5. If necessary, restart the computer.



A shortcut has been added to your desktop or in the Dataview directory.

You can now open Data Logger Transfer and connect your instrument to the computer.

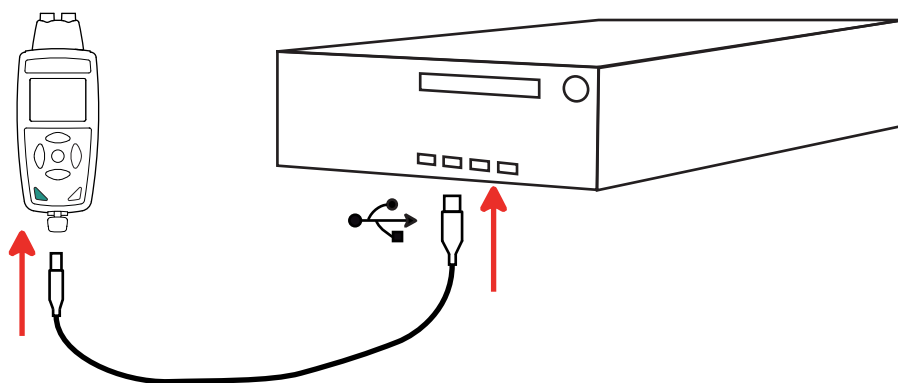


Figure 31



For background information on using Data Logger Transfer, see the software Help.

6. TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

6.1. REFERENCE CONDITIONS

| Parameter | Reference conditions |
|---------------------|---|
| Ambient temperature | 23 ± 2°C |
| Relative humidity | 45 to 75% RH |
| Preheating | The instrument must have been powered up for at least one hour. |
| Common mode | Without (the instrument is powered by batteries). |
| Magnetic field | < 40 A/m AC |
| Electric field | 0 V/m AC |
| Harmonics | < 0.1% |

Table 5

6.2. GENERAL ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Intrinsic uncertainties are expressed in % of reading (R) with an offset in number of points:
 $\pm (a \% R + b)$

$I_{nom} = I_{rated}$

6.3. ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS OF THE L411

Specific reference conditions

Frequency: 50 ± 0.1 Hz or 60 ± 0.1 Hz

No DC component

Conductor centred in current sensor, no external conductor

Current measurement specifications

| Range | 300 A | | 3,000 A | |
|-----------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Specified measurement range | 0.40 - 99.99A | 90.0 - 360.0 A | 2.0 - 99.99A | 0.900 - 3.600 kA |
| Resolution | 10 mA | 100 mA | 100 mA | 1 A |
| Intrinsic uncertainty | $\pm(1 \%R + 10 \text{ ct})$ | $\pm(1 \%R + 4 \text{ ct})$ | $\pm(1 \%R + 5 \text{ ct})$ | $\pm(1 \%R + 4 \text{ ct})$ |

Table 6

For the 300 A range, above 400 A, the instrument displays **OL**.

For the 3,000 A range, above 3,800 A, the instrument displays **OL**.

Current sensor threshold

Below the threshold, the displayed measurement is set to zero.

| Rated current | Number of turns | Threshold |
|---------------|-----------------|-----------|
| 3,000 A | 1 | 1 A |
| | 2 | 0.5 A |
| | 3 | 0.4 A |
| 300 A | 1 | 0.24 A |
| | 2 | 0.12 A |
| | 3 | 0.08 A |

Table 7

See also current sensor limitation page 34.

Frequency measurement specifications

| | |
|-----------------------------|-----------------|
| Specified measurement range | 45.00 - 65.00Hz |
| Resolution | 0.01 Hz |
| Intrinsic uncertainty | ± 0.1 Hz |

Table 8

Outside the measuring range, the instrument displays - - - -.

6.4. ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS OF THE L412

Specific reference conditions

Current: No DC component

Frequency: 50 ± 0.1 Hz or 60 ± 0.1 Hz

Conductor centred in current sensor, no external conductor

Specifications of the current sensors



Refer to the safety data sheet supplied with the current sensor or to the user's manual.

The measurement ranges are those of the current sensors. Sometimes they may differ from the ranges measurable by the instrument.

The measurement range of the L412 is [0.2% Inom; 120% Inom]

The uncertainty of the L412 is $\pm (1 \% R + 0.1 \% \text{Inom})$

where Inom: nominal current of the current sensor.

R: reading the measurement

The total uncertainty is the sum of the uncertainty of the instrument and the uncertainty of the current sensor.

6.4.1. C193 CLAMP

| | | | | |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Specified measurement range | 1.00 - 49.99 A | 50.00 - 99.99A | 90.0 - 99.99A | 0.900 - 1.200 kA |
| Resolution | 10 mA | 10 mA | 100 mA | 1 A |
| Intrinsic uncertainty | $\pm(1 \%R + 2 \text{ ct})$ | $\pm(0.5 \%R + 1 \text{ ct})$ | $\pm(1 \%R + 1 \text{ ct})$ | $\pm(1 \%R + 1 \text{ ct})$ |

Table 9

Above 1200 A, the instrument displays **OL**.

6.4.2. MN93 CLAMP

| | | |
|-----------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Specified measurement range | 0.50 - 99.99A | 90.0 - 240.0 A |
| Resolution | 10 mA | 100 mA |
| Intrinsic uncertainty | $\pm(1 \%R + 10 \text{ ct})$ | $\pm(1 \%R + 1 \text{ ct})$ |

Table 10

Above 240 A, the instrument displays **OL**.

6.4.3. MN93A CLAMP

| | | | |
|--|-----------------------------|---------------|----------------|
| Specified measurement range 100 A range | 0.200 - 99.99A | 9.00 - 99.99A | 90.0 - 120.0 A |
| Resolution | 1 mA | 10 mA | 100 mA |
| Intrinsic uncertainty | $\pm(1 \%R + 2 \text{ ct})$ | $\pm 1 \%R$ | |

Table 11

Above 120 A, the instrument displays **OL**.

| | | |
|--|-------------------------------|-----------------|
| Specified measurement range 5 A range | 0.010 - 0.249 A | 0.250 - 6.000 A |
| Resolution | 1 mA | 1 mA |
| Intrinsic uncertainty | $\pm(1.5 \%R + 1 \text{ ct})$ | $\pm 1 \%R$ |

Table 12

Above 6 A, the instrument displays **OL**.

Measurement units and range for the MN93A clamp
MN93A 5A measuring range: 5 to 25,000 A

| | | | | | | |
|-------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Measurement range | 999.9 | 9.999 | 99.99 | 999.9 | 9.999 | 99.99 |
| Unit | mA * | A | A | A | kA | kA |

Table 13

*: for Data Logger Transfer software application only

6.4.4. MINI 94 CLAMP

| | | |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Specified measurement range | 00.10 - 99.99 A | 90.0 - 240.0 A |
| Resolution | 10 mA | 100 mA |
| Intrinsic uncertainty | $\pm(0.6 \%R + 1 \text{ ct})$ | $\pm(0.3 \%R + 1 \text{ ct})$ |

Table 14

Above 240 A, the instrument displays **OL**.

6.4.5. MINIFLEX / AMPFLEX®

| Range | 300 A | | 3,000 A | |
|-----------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Specified measurement range | 0.50 - 99.99A | 90.0 - 360.0 A | 2.0 - 99.99A | 0.900 - 3.600 kA |
| Resolution | 10 mA | 100 mA | 100 mA | 1 A |
| Intrinsic uncertainty | $\pm(1 \%R + 20 \text{ ct})$ | $\pm(1 \%R + 4 \text{ ct})$ | $\pm(1 \%R + 10 \text{ ct})$ | $\pm(1 \%R + 4 \text{ ct})$ |

Table 15

The uncertainty given is the sum of the uncertainty of the L412 and the MiniFlex or AmpFlex sensor.

For the 300 A range, above 400 A, the instrument displays **OL**.

For the 3000 A range, above 3800 A, the instrument displays **OL**.

Limitation of AmpFlex® and MiniFlex (L411 and L412)

As with all Rogowski sensors, the output voltage of AmpFlex® and MiniFlex is proportional to the frequency. A high current at high frequency can saturate the current input of the instruments.

To avoid saturation, it is necessary to satisfy the following condition:

$$\sum_{n=1}^{n=\infty} [n \cdot I_n] < I_{nom}$$

Where I_{nom} is the range of the current sensor
 n the order of the harmonic
 I_n is the current value for the harmonic of rank n

For example, the input current range of a dimmer must be one fifth of the current range selected on the instrument.

This requirement does not take into account the limitation of the instrument's bandwidth, which may lead to other errors.

6.4.6. CURRENT SENSOR THRESHOLDS

Below the threshold, the displayed measurement is set to zero.

| Sensor | Rated current | Number of turns | Display threshold |
|---------------------------------|---------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| C193 clamp | 1000 A | - | 0.50 A |
| MN93 clamp | 200 A | - | 0.10 A |
| MN93A clamp | 5 A | - | 2.5 mA * |
| | 100 A | - | 50 mA |
| MINI 94 clamp | 200 A | - | 50 mA |
| AmpFlex® A193 MiniFlex MA194 | 300 A | 1 turn | 0.24 A |
| | | 2 turns | 0.12 A |
| | | 3 turns | 0.08 A |
| | 3,000 A | 1 turn | 1 A |
| | | 2 turns | 0.5 A |
| | | 3 turns | 0.4 A |

Table 16

*: this value is to be multiplied by the ratio (between 5 and 25,000A)

Specifications of frequency measurement on channel 1

| | |
|-----------------------------|-----------------|
| Specified measurement range | 45.00 - 65.00Hz |
| Resolution | 0.01 Hz |
| Intrinsic uncertainty | ± 0.1 Hz |

Table 17

Outside the measuring range, the instrument displays - - - -.

6.5. ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS OF THE L461

Specific reference conditions

Input impedance: 7 MΩ per input

Maximum continuous overload: 1800 V AC or DC

DC measurement specifications

AC component < 1% DC component

| | | |
|-----------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Specified measurement range | ±10.0 - 999.9V | ± 900 - 1700 V |
| Resolution | 100 mV | 1 V |
| Intrinsic uncertainty | ±(1 %R + 5 ct) | ±(1 %R + 1 ct) |

Table 18

Above 1800 V DC, the instrument displays **OL**.

AC measurement specifications

Frequency: 50 ± 0.1 Hz or 60 ± 0.1 Hz

Crest factor: $\sqrt{2}$

DC component < 1% AC component

Sinusoidal signal

| | | |
|-----------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Specified measurement range | 10.0 - 999.9V | 900 - 1200V |
| Resolution | 100 mV | 1 V |
| Intrinsic uncertainty | ±(1 %R + 5 ct) | ±(1 %R + 1 ct) |

Table 19

Above 1300 Vac, the instrument displays **OL**.

Voltages < 0.2 VAC are set to zero.

Frequency measurement specifications

| | |
|-----------------------------|-----------------|
| Specified measurement range | 45.00 - 65.00Hz |
| Resolution | 0.01 Hz |
| Intrinsic uncertainty | ± 0.1 Hz |

Table 20

Outside the measuring range, the instrument displays - - - -.

6.6. VARIATION IN THE OPERATING RANGE

6.6.1. L411

| Influence quantities | Area of influence: | Quantity Influenced | Influences |
|--|--------------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| Temperature | -20 to +50°C | Current | ± 400 ppm/°C |
| | | Time | 0.034 ± 0.006 ppm/°C |
| Relative humidity | 30 to 85% RH | Current | ±(1 %R + 2 ct) |
| Power supply on batteries | 3.6 to 4.8 V | Current | ±(1 %R + 1 ct) |
| Power supply over USB | 4.4 to 5.25 V | Current | ±(1 %R + 1 ct) |
| Common mode rejection AC 50/60 Hz | 0 to 1,000 V | Current | 2 mA/V |
| Non-sinusoidal signal with harmonics < 6 kHz | Phase chopping variable speed drive | Current | 1% |
| | Square | | 1% |
| | Diode bridge | | Not supported |
| Crest factor | 1.4 to 2 | Current | 1% |
| | 2 to 3 | | 1% of full scale |
| Frequency | 45 to 65 Hz | Current | ± 0.05 %/Hz |
| Adjacent external conductor carrying an AC current at 50/60 Hz | conductor in contact with the sensor | Current | > 40 dB typical |
| | conductor near snap mechanism | | > 33 dB |
| Position of conductor in the sensor | | Current | ≤ 2.5 % |
| Electric field | 10 V/m 100 MHz to 1 GHz | Current | < 2% of full scale |

Table 21

6.6.2. L412

| Influence quantities | Area of influence: | Quantity Influenced | Influences |
|--|-------------------------------------|---------------------|--|
| Temperature | -20 to +50°C | Current | ± 400 ppm/°C |
| | | Time | 0.034 ± 0.006 ppm/°C |
| Relative humidity | 30 to 85% RH | Current | ±(1 %R + 2 ct) |
| Power supply on batteries | 3.6 to 4.8 V | Current | ±(1 %R + 1 ct) |
| Power supply over USB | 4.4 to 5.25 V | Current | ±(1 %R + 1 ct) |
| Non-sinusoidal signal with harmonics < 6 kHz | Phase chopping variable speed drive | Current | 1% |
| | Square | | 1% |
| | Diode bridge | | Not supported |
| Crest factor | 1.4 to 2 | Current | 1% |
| | 2 to 3 | | 1% of full scale |
| Frequency | 45 to 65 Hz | Current | ± 0.05 %/Hz |
| External conductor | | Current | See the specifications of the current sensor |
| Position of conductor | | Current | |
| Magnetic field | | Current | |
| Electric field | 10 V/m 100 MHz to 1 GHz | Current | < 2% of full scale |

Table 22

Disturbed signals

The bandwidth of the following signals must be < 6 kHz. The current is between 5% and 50% of the rated value.

| Signal type | Sensor | Typical influence |
|-------------------------------------|--------|-------------------|
| Phase chopping variable speed drive | MN93A | < 1% |
| | MA194 | < 3% |
| Square | MN93A | < 1% |
| | MA194 | < 3% |

Table 23

Signals from a bridge rectifier with a DC component are not supported by L411 and L412.

6.6.3. L461

| Influence quantities | | Area of influence: | Quantity Influenced | Influences |
|---------------------------|----|-------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| Temperature | | -20 to +50°C | V _{DC} | ± 52 mV/°C |
| | | | V _{AC} | ± 110 ppm/°C |
| | | | Time | 0.034 ± 0.006 ppm/°C |
| Relative humidity | | 30 to 85% RH | V | ±(1 %R + 2 ct) |
| Power supply on batteries | | 3.6 to 4.8 V | V | ±(1 %R + 1 ct) |
| Power supply over USB | | 4.4 to 5.25 V | V | ±(1 %R + 1 ct) |
| Common mode rejection | AC | 0 to 1000 V _{AC} | V _{DC} | 65dB |
| | DC | -1000 to 1000 V _{DC} | V _{AC} | 65dB |
| Serial mode rejection | AC | 0 to 800 V _{AC} | V _{DC} | 47dB |
| | DC | -500 to 500 V _{DC} | V _{AC} | 47dB |
| Frequency | | 45 to 65 Hz | V _{AC} | ± 0.05 %/Hz |

Table 24

6.7. POWER SUPPLY

6.7.1. BATTERIES

The instrument is powered by 3 alkaline batteries type AA or LR6
Battery weight: Approx. 3 x 26 g

Consumption: 120 mA max

Battery life with new batteries is:

- 3 days recording without Wi-Fi
- 1 day with Wi-Fi enabled
- When recording in **EXTEND** mode without Wi-Fi:
 - 2 weeks for a 1 minute aggregation period
 - 3 weeks for a 2 minutes aggregation period
 - 10 weeks for a 10/15 minutes aggregation period

When power is off, the real time clock is retained for more than 120 days.
When the batteries are exhausted, the configuration is retained for 5 years.

The instrument can also be powered by rechargeable batteries, but the battery life will be shorter. Use NiMH type AA or LR6, 2500 mAh.

6.7.2. VIA USB

The instrument can also be powered via a USB - micro USB cable, plugged either into a PC or into a wall socket via an AC adapter.

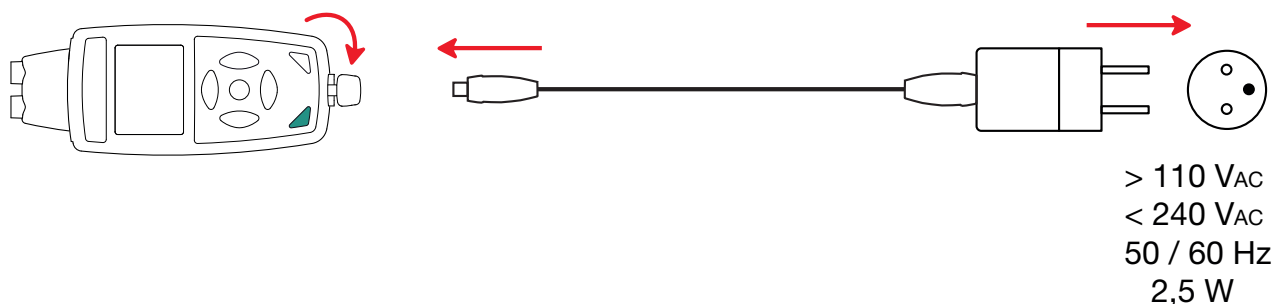


Figure 32

Operating range: 4.4 to 5.25 V
Power: 0.6 W max

6.8. ENVIRONMENTAL SPECIFICATIONS

■ Temperature and relative humidity

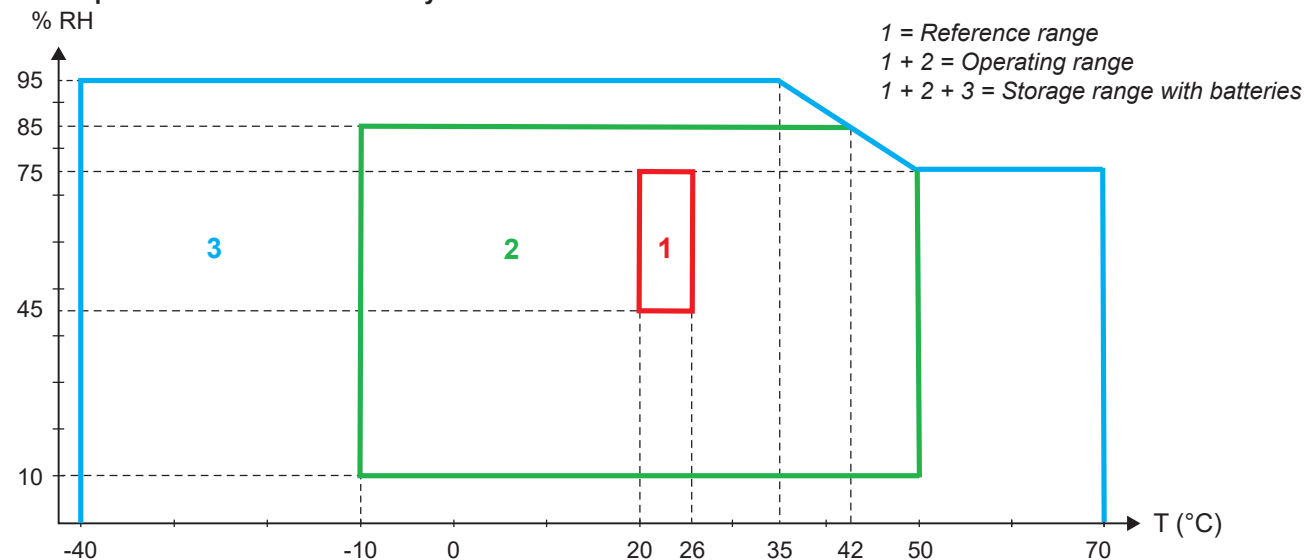


Figure 33

- For indoor use.
- **Altitude**
 - Operation: 0 to 2,000 m;
 - Storage: 0 to 10,000 m

6.9. WI-FI

2.4 GHz IEEE 802.11 B/G/N band

Tx power: +15.1 dBm

Rx sensitivity: -96.3 dBm

Security: open / WPA2

6.10. MECHANICAL SPECIFICATIONS

6.10.1. L411

- Dimensions: 147 × 72 × 34mm approx.
- Cable: 1.20 metres long
- Current sensor: 350 mm long
- Weight: Approximately 340 g
- Degree of protection provided by the enclosure according to IEC 60529
 - IP 54 for the instrument
 - IP 67 for the current sensor

6.10.2. L412

- Dimensions: 172 × 72 × 34mm approx.
- Weight: Approximately 300 g
- Degree of protection provided by the enclosure according to IEC 60529:
 - IP 54 when the instrument is not in use
 - IP 20 when the instrument is connected

6.10.3. L461

- Dimensions: 178 × 72 × 34mm approx.
- Weight: Approximately 300 g
- Degree of protection provided by the enclosure according to IEC 60529:
 - IP 54 when the instrument is not in use
 - IP 20 when the instrument is connected

6.11. COMPLIANCE WITH INTERNATIONAL STANDARDS

The instruments comply with the EN 62479 standards for EMF.

6.11.1. L411

The instrument complies with standard IEC/EN 61010-2-0322 for a voltage of 600 V in category IV or 1000 V in category III pollution degree 2.

6.11.2. L412

The instrument complies with standard IEC/EN 61010-2-030, degree of pollution 2.

6.11.3. L461

The instrument complies with standard IEC/EN 61010-2-030 for a voltage of 1000 V_{AC} in category IV or 1500 V_{DC} in category III pollution degree 2.

The leads and crocodile clips comply with IEC/EN 61010-031 for a voltage of 1000 V in category IV or 1500 V in category III pollution degree 2

6.12. ELECTROMAGNETIC COMPATIBILITY

Emissions and immunity in an industrial environment compatible with IEC/EN 61326-1 or BS EN 61326-1.

With the AmpFlex® and MiniFlex, the typical influence on the measurement is 0.5% of full scale with a maximum of 5 A.






6.13. RADIO EMISSIONS

The instruments are in compliance with directive RED 2014/53/EU and with FCC regulations.
FCC certification number for the Wi-Fi: QQQWFM200.

6.14. MEMORY

The instrument contains a micro-SD card with a capacity of 8 GB formatted FAT32. This card allows recording for 100 years, but the number of recording sessions is limited.

The memory symbol on the display indicates that it is full:

-  : number of sessions ≤ 50 ,
-  : number of sessions > 50 ,
-  : number of sessions > 100 ,
-  : number of sessions > 150 ,
-  : number of sessions > 200 ,

Recording sessions can be downloaded and/or deleted individually via the Data Logger Transfer application software.

7. MAINTENANCE



Except for the batteries, the instrument contains no parts that can be replaced by personnel who have not been specially trained and accredited. Any unapproved work or replacement of any part by equivalents may seriously compromise safety.

7.1. CLEANING

Disconnect anything connected to the instrument and switch it off.

Use a soft cloth, moistened with soapy water. Rinse with a damp cloth and dry quickly with a dry cloth or forced air. Do not use alcohol, solvents, or hydrocarbons.

Do not use the instrument if the terminals or the keypad are wet. Dry it first.

Ensure that no foreign body interferes with the current sensor snap-on system.

7.2. BATTERY REPLACEMENT

The  symbol indicates the remaining battery capacity. When the  symbol is empty, all the batteries must be replaced.

- Disconnect all connections to the instrument's measurement inputs and switch it off.
 - To avoid losing the time, power the device via USB while replacing the batteries.
 - Refer to § 1.4 to proceed with the replacement.
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Old batteries must not be treated as household wastes. Take them to the appropriate collection point for recycling.

7.3. UPDATING THE FIRMWARE

To make sure that it provides the best possible service in terms of performance and technical developments, Chauvin Arnoux offers the opportunity to update the firmware of this instrument.



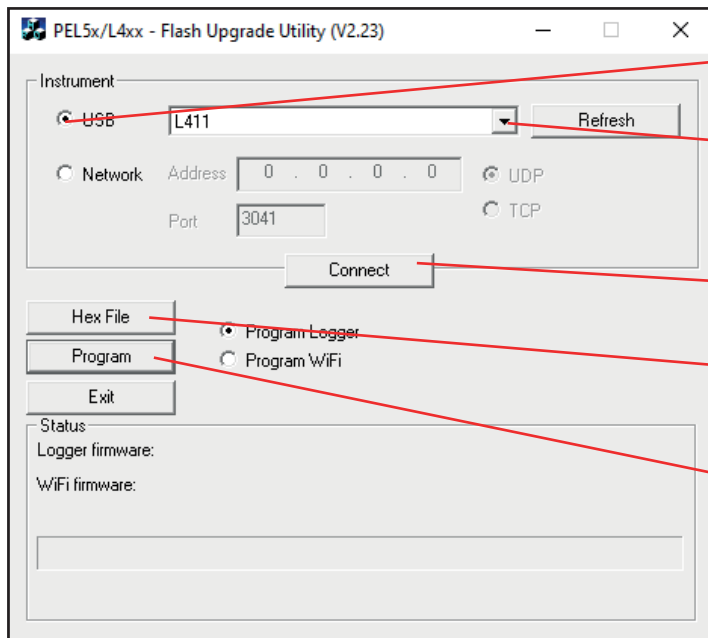
Updating firmware may reset the configuration to zero and cause loss of the date and recorded data. As a precaution, back up the data in memory on a PC before updating.

Our site:

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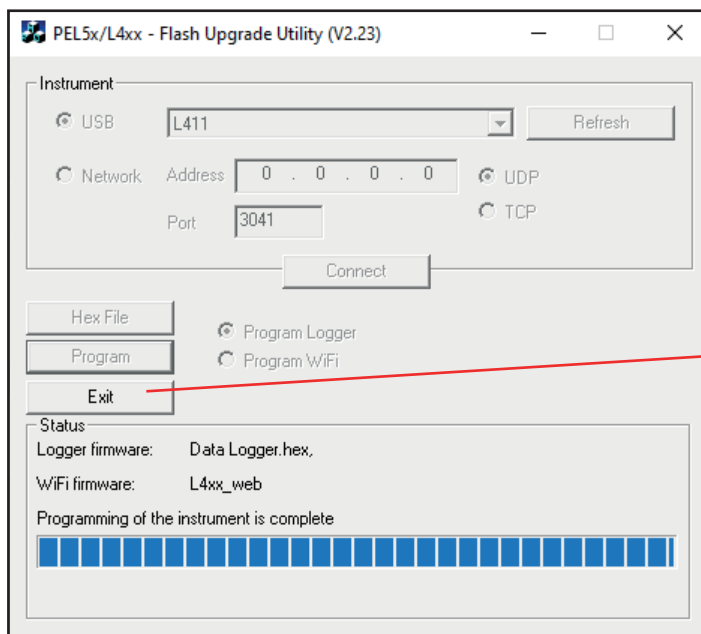
Then go to the **Support** section then **Download our software** then do a search for **L411** or **L412** or **L461**.

- Download the zip file that contains the new firmware and the FlashUp installation utility.
- Connect the instrument to your PC via the supplied USB - micro-USB cable.
- Unzip the zip file.
- Launch **FlashUp.exe**.



- Check the USB box.
- Select your instrument from the drop-down list. If you can't find it in the list, click **Refresh**.
- Click on **Connect** to connect your instrument.
- Click **HexFile** and specify the path to the **Data Logger**. **hex** file.
- Click **Program**. Writing the firmware takes about 5 minutes. The window shows the progress. The device displays **FLASHUP**.


Figure 34



- When writing is finished, click **Exit** - the FlashUp window closes. Unplug the USB cable from the instrument, switch it off and then on again.

Figure 35

7.4. REPLACING THE SD CARD

If, when you press the **Select**  key to start a recording, the instrument displays:

- **INSERT SD CARD,**
- **SD CARD WRITE PROTECT,**
- **SD CARD ERROR,**

the SD card of the instrument has encountered a problem.

If this occurs, connect your instrument to the Data Logger Transfer application software. In the configuration function, you can then format the SD card.

If this does not solve the problem, you will need to replace the SD card.

Replacing the SD card

- Disconnect all connections to the instrument and turn it off.
- Turn the instrument over and unscrew the 4 screws using a Phillips screwdriver.



Before opening the instrument, be sure to take all necessary precautions against electrostatic discharge (ESD).

- Open the instrument and lay the bottom aside

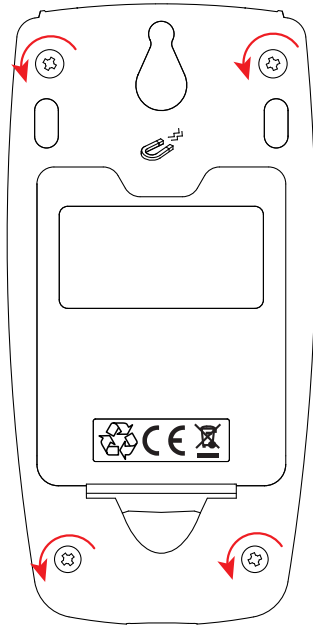


Figure 36

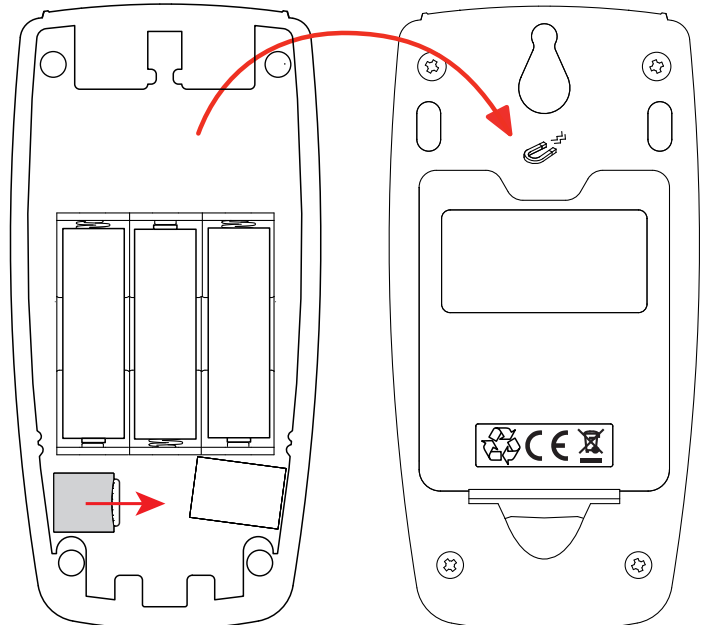


Figure 37

- Push the micro-SD card slot to the right to unlock it.
- You can then open it, and lift it and then take out the micro-SD card by sliding it upwards.
- Insert the new SD card, formatted to FAT 32, into the slot by sliding it into the guides. Foolproofing in the guides ensures that the card is inserted in the right direction. Push the card in all the way.
- Push the micro-SD card slot down then push it to the left to lock it.
- Replace the bottom of the instrument, make sure it is completely and correctly closed, and then screw the 4 screws back on.

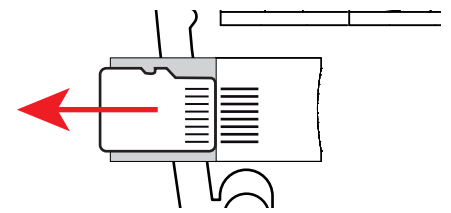


Figure 38

7.5. MESSAGES

The main messages concern Wi-Fi.

AP CONFIG TCP/IP FAILED
AP DHCP SERVER FAILED
AP MODE START FAILED
AP POWER MODE FAILED
AP SCAN FAILED
AP SET PASSWORD FAILED
AP UDP SERVER FAILED
AP TCP SERVER FAILED
CONFIG AP
CONFIG DHCP
CONFIG HTTP SERVER
CONFIG ST
CONFIG TCP
CONFIG TCP SERVER
CONFIG TCP/IP
CONFIG UDP/TCP SERVER

AP Mode: TCP/IP configuration failed
AP Mode: Failed to start DHCP server
AP Mode: Failed to start AP mode
AP mode: Max power saving mode configuration failed
AP Mode: Network scan failed
AP Mode: Failed to set AP mode password
AP Mode: Failed to start UDP server
AP Mode: Failed to start TCP server
Configures the module for operation as an access point
Configures the modules for the DHCP server
Configures the modules for the HTTP server
Configures the module for ST mode (router)
Configures TCP settings
Configures the TCP server settings
Configures the TCP/IP settings
Configures the modules for UDP/TCP server

| | |
|-------------------------|---|
| CONFIG UDP SERVER | Configures the UDP server settings |
| CONNECT SSID | Connection to an SSID server |
| DISABLED | Disabled by user |
| FLASHING Wi-Fi MODULE | Programming the Wi-Fi module |
| HTTP SERVER FAILED | Failed to start HTTP server |
| INIT FAILURE | Initialisation failed |
| NO CONFIG TCPIP RSP | STA mode: No TCP/IP response configuration |
| NO CONFIG TCPIP EVT | STA mode: No TCP/IP event configuration |
| NO GET MAC EVT | No response from MAC event |
| NO GET MAC RSP | No response from MAC address |
| NO HELLO RSP | No Hello response |
| NO OP MODE RSP | No response to set operating mode (STA or AP) |
| NO POWER MODE RSP | STA mode: No response to set maximum power saving mode |
| NO RADIO ON EVT | STA mode: No response to Radio On event |
| NO RADIO ON RSP | STA mode: No radio activation response |
| NO RESPONSE | Module did not respond to hard reset |
| NO SET MAC RSP | No response to setting MAC address |
| NO SET PASSWORD RSP | STA mode: No response to setting Wi-Fi password |
| NO SYNC RSP | No sync response |
| POWER ON | Powering up the module |
| POWER MODE AP | Set power mode for Wi-Fi AP operation |
| POWER MODE ST | Set power mode for ST Wi-Fi operation |
| RADIO ON | Activation of the radio in the module |
| RADIO ON AP | Activate radio |
| RADIO ON FAILED | AP Mode: Radio Power On failed |
| RESETTING MODULE | Resetting the module |
| SET 80211 MODE | Set 802.11 operating mode |
| SET 80211 MODE FAILED | Failed to set 802.11 operating mode |
| SET AP MODE FAILED | AP Mode: Failed to set AP mode |
| SET AP PASSWORD | Set AP mode password |
| SET PASSWORD | Set password to use when connecting to an existing SSID |
| SETTING BPS RATE | Set the BPS of the module |
| SETTING OPERATING MODE | Setting the module operating mode |
| SSID SCAN AP | Scan SSID |
| SSID ERROR | Failed to connect to specified SSID |
| START AP SERVER | Start the server in AP mode |
| START TCP AP SERVER | Start the TCP server for operation in AP mode |
| START TCP SERVER FAILED | STA Mode: Failed to start TCP server |
| START UDP AP SERVER | Start the UDP server for operation in AP mode |
| START UDP SERVER FAILED | STA Mode: Failed to start UDP server |
| START UDP/TCP AP SERVER | Start UDP/TCP servers in APs mode |
| VALIDATE FAILED | Validation failed |
| VALIDATING MAC | Checking the validity of the MAC address |
| WAITING FOR BOOT EVENT | Waiting for the module to send a boot event message |
| WAIT FOR HELLO MSG | Waiting for module greeting |
| WAITING FOR SYNC | Waiting for module synchronisation messages |

8. WARRANTY

Except as otherwise stated, our warranty is valid for **24 months** starting from the date on which the equipment was sold. The extract from our General Terms of Sale is available on our website.

www.chauvin-arnoux.com/en/general-terms-of-sale

The warranty does not apply in the following cases:

- Improper use of the instrument or use with incompatible equipment;
- Modifications to the instrument without the explicit authorisation of the manufacturer's technical department;
- Work performed on the instrument by a person not approved by the manufacturer;
- Adaptation to a particular application not anticipated in the definition of the instrument or not indicated in the user's manual;
- Damage caused by shocks, falls or floods.

9. APPENDIX

9.1. MEASUREMENT FORMULAS

9.1.1. AGGREGATION

Aggregated quantities are calculated by the Data Logger Transfer software application for a defined period according to the following formulas based on "1 s" values.

The aggregation can be an average or a quadratic average.

| Quantities | Formulas |
|----------------|---|
| AC RMS voltage | $V_L = \sqrt{\frac{1}{N} \times \sum_{x=0}^{N-1} V_{Lx}^2}$ |
| DC voltage | $V_L = \frac{1}{N} \times \sum_{x=0}^{N-1} V_{Lx}$ |
| AC RMS current | $I_L = \sqrt{\frac{1}{N} \times \sum_{x=0}^{N-1} I_{Lx}^2}$ |

Table 25

N = number of "1 s" values during the aggregation period concerned (1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 10, 12, 15, 20, 30 or 60 minutes).

9.1.2. NORMAL MODE

In normal mode, there was a "1 s" measurement every second and the aggregation covers 60 measurements, giving an accurate result.

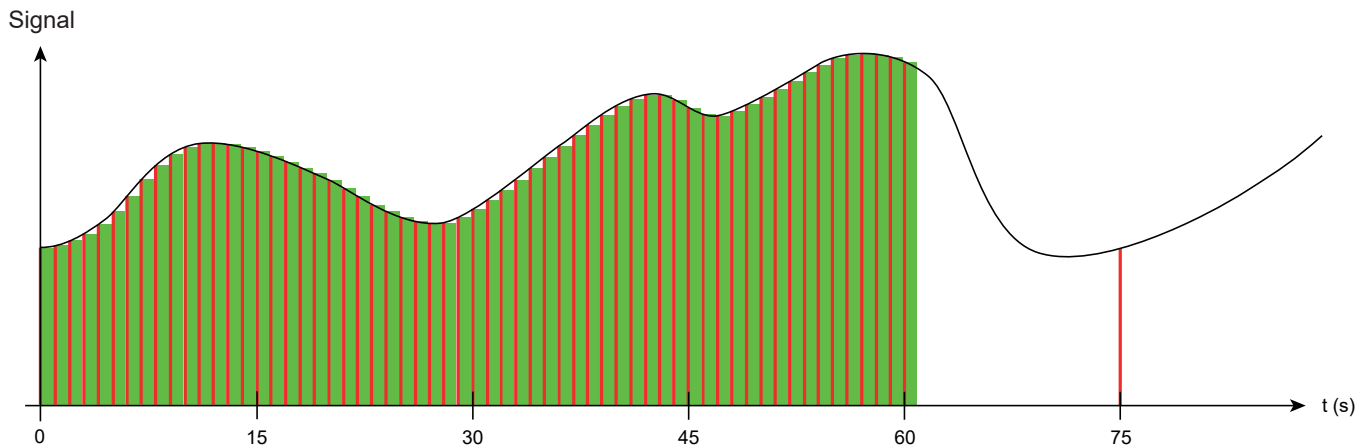


Figure 39

9.1.3. EXTENDED MODE

In extended mode, the interval between measurements, S , is a quarter of the aggregation period.

For example, for an aggregation period of one minute, the "1 s" measurement will be made every 15 seconds. The 4 "1 s" measurements will then be aggregated.

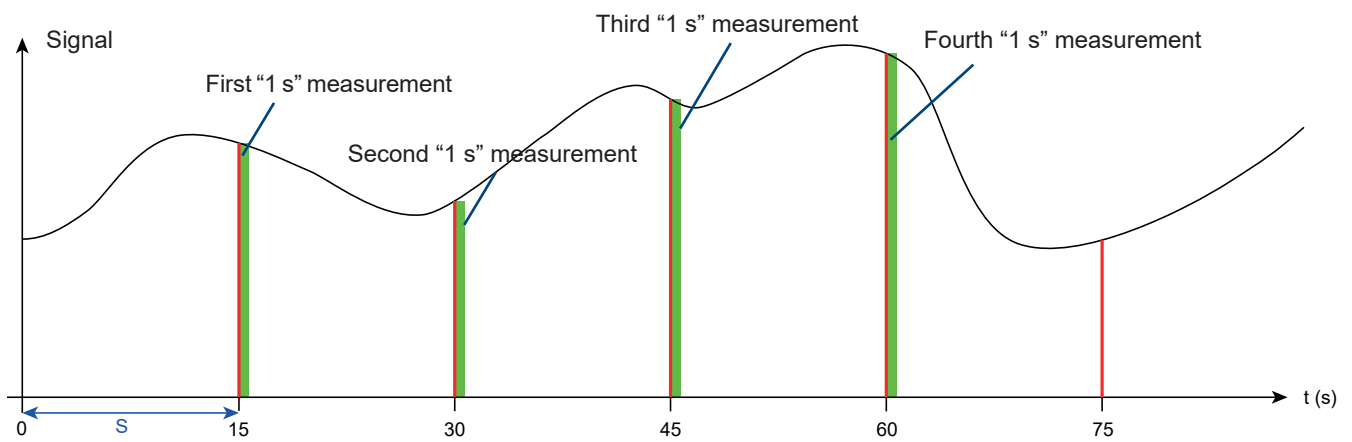


Figure 40



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