Foxboro AD916AE FBM203

Installation & Commissioning Guide

Foxboro AD916AE FBM203 serves as an integrated rtd termination in the Foxboro FBM module-fieldbus path. It interfaces platinum, nickel or copper RTD input with FBM203 RTD input path and the installed field-termination connection.

PRODUCT ROLE AND VERIFIED FEATURES

Feature 1

Provides eight isolated temperature channels for the documented integrated rtd termination function.

Feature 2

Handles platinum, nickel or copper RTD input through the specified Foxboro FBM module-fieldbus path.

Feature 3

Works with FBM203 RTD input path and the installed field-termination connection.

Feature 4

Each channel accepts the documented RTD wiring arrangement for the FBM203 execution.

VERIFIED DATA SNAPSHOT

RTD channels	8 isolated RTD inputs
Wiring	2-wire or 3-wire RTD sensors
FBM203 range	0 to 320 ohms
Conversion	Resistance input converted for Foxboro DCS processing

SYSTEM RELATIONSHIP

RTD element → **Field terminals** → **RTD input module** → **Ovation controller**

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Pre-installation readiness

READINESS GATE

Identity

Compare the complete marking with the approved work order and installed record.

System match

Confirm the receiving channel, mating components and controlled configuration.

Physical condition

Inspect mounting surfaces, connectors, terminals, cable and support hardware.

Work controls

Apply authorized isolation, bypass, access and restoration procedures.

TECHNICAL PROFILE FOR THE WORK

RTD channels

8 isolated RTD inputs

Wiring

2-wire or 3-wire RTD sensors

FBM203 range

0 to 320 ohms

Conversion

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Fieldbus

Redundant 2 Mbps module fieldbus

IMPORTANT NOTICE	Resolve every unmatched interface, configuration or receiving-system condition before removal or installation.

SOURCE AND WORK CONTROLS

Manufacturer source	Schneider Electric, Foxboro DCS FBM203/b/c/d Platinum/Nickel/Copper RTD Input Modules Product Specification, PSS 41H-2S203 Rev B, May 2025.
Evidence boundary	Technical statements are limited to the identified product or applicable manufacturer family.
Selection control	Use the complete ordering string and verify the installed system before purchase or installation.

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Installation sequence

CONTROLLED WORK STEPS

01	Match the complete AD916AE FBM203 marking to the work order and installed position before removal.
02	Confirm FBM203 RTD input path and the installed field-termination connection before making or breaking any field connection.
03	Keep the assigned platinum, nickel or copper RTD input within the documented subsystem and range.
04	Record terminal designations, polarity, common and shield treatment before disconnecting conductors.
05	Inspect module seating, connector keying, terminal condition and strain relief before power is restored.
06	Restore the controlled channel configuration, range selection and alarm or timeout behavior after installation.
07	Check local indicators and controller diagnostics for internal, communication or channel faults during commissioning.
08	Prove the intended response across eight isolated temperature channels and record the acceptance result before release.

CONNECTION RECORD

As found	Photograph and label every connection and installed orientation before removal.
Mechanical	Record mounting position, support, clearance and connector engagement.
Electrical	Record polarity, common, shield, channel assignment and cable route.
Configuration	Preserve approved settings, scaling, alarm logic and acceptance limits.
As left	Record the final physical condition and any controlled deviation.

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WORK HOLD POINTS

Before removal	Identity, position, wiring, orientation and controlled settings recorded.
Before connection	Mating interfaces, condition and routing reviewed.
Before power-up	Mechanical work, wiring, shielding and configuration independently checked.
Before release	Static value, dynamic response and protection behavior accepted.

Commissioning and functional proof

COMMISSIONING SEQUENCE

Initial state

Observe status at power-up and check for unexpected fault or alarm indication.

Static value

Verify the expected bias, gap, loop, contact or channel value for the application.

Dynamic response

Apply the approved machine or test stimulus and confirm response and scaling.

Protection path

Verify the configured alarm, relay, data or receiving-system behavior.

APPLICATION-SPECIFIC EVIDENCE

Installed-base maintenance

Restores the documented integrated rtd termination position without changing the approved system architecture.

Loop or channel service

Supports verification of platinum, nickel or copper RTD input at the assigned control-system channel.

Planned replacement

Provides an exact-identity replacement path when FBM203 RTD input path and the installed field-termination connection and the field interface have been confirmed.

Commissioning support

Allows the responsible engineer to prove wiring, configuration, status and response for eight isolated temperature channels.

ACCEPTANCE RECORD

Identity	Complete marking and final installed position recorded.
Physical inspection	Mounting, connectors, terminals and routing checked.
Channel status	Expected status and configured measurement confirmed.
Functional test	Required output or protection response demonstrated.
Restoration	Bypasses removed and operating state approved.

COMMISSIONING QUESTIONS

What function does Foxboro AD916AE FBM203 perform?	It forms the integrated field-wiring interface for the FBM203 resistance-temperature input subsystem used with platinum, nickel and copper RTD measurements.
How many channels are associated with Foxboro AD916AE FBM203?	The documented configuration provides eight isolated temperature channels.

Release record and technical references

CLOSEOUT QUESTIONS

Which signal path is used by Foxboro AD916AE FBM203?	It is used for platinum, nickel or copper RTD input within the specified subsystem.
Which companion hardware must be checked for Foxboro AD916AE FBM203?	Confirm FBM203 RTD input path and the installed field-termination connection and the project-specific base or terminal arrangement.
What technical values should be verified before installing Foxboro AD916AE FBM203?	Verify 8 isolated RTD inputs; also confirm 2-wire or 3-wire rtd sensors and every applicable range or wiring selection.
What connection details should be recorded for Foxboro AD916AE FBM203?	Record terminal identifiers, polarity, common, shield termination, connector keying and the assigned channel before disconnection.
Which diagnostics should be reviewed when commissioning Foxboro AD916AE FBM203?	Review the applicable power, communication, internal-fault and channel-status indications, then compare the controller status with the expected field condition.
Can a nearby ordering code replace Foxboro AD916AE FBM203 without an engineering check?	No. Match the complete identifier, companion hardware, signal range, wiring and controlled project configuration before substitution.

RELATED MODELS FOR INSTALLATION PLANNING

Westinghouse 1C31132G01	Installation-planning reference. Review the complete ordering string before selection.
Westinghouse 1C31189G01	Installation-planning reference. Compare the required interface and system position.
Westinghouse 5X00106G01	Installation-planning reference. Confirm the execution independently for the intended task.

MANUFACTURER SOURCE AND FINAL CONTROL

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IMPORTANT NOTICE Release the equipment only after the responsible site authority accepts the recorded result.

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