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National Type Evaluation Program Certificate of Conformance for Weighing and Measuring Devices

For:

Weighing Element Flexure Lever, Load Cell Series: FB-XXX*

n: 5,000** Capacity: See Page 2 Platform: See Page 2

Accuracy Class: III

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Standard Features and Options

*Specific models and capacities are listed on page 2.

**The n_{max} of the scale is 5,000 divisions, or the n_{max} of the Class III load cell and indicator, whichever is less.

Load Cell: S beam center mounted Rice Lake Model RL20000, Artech 20210 or compatible, certified equivalent.

Deck: Steel

May be used with any compatible approved indicator.

Options:

Forklift skids Stainless steel constructed base Hot dipped galvanized coating

Temperature Range: -10 °C to 40 °C (14 °F to 104 °F)

This device was evaluated under the National Type Evaluation Program (NTEP) and was found to comply with the applicable technical requirements of Handbook 44, "Specifications, Tolerances, and Other Technical Requirements for Weighing and Measuring Devices." Evaluation results and device characteristics necessary for inspection and use in commerce are on the following pages.

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Rice Lake Weighing Systems Flexure Lever Load Cell Model: FB-XXX

Model Number	Platform Size	Capacity
FB2430-2K	24" x 30"	2,000 lb
FB3030-2K	30" x 30"	2,000 lb
FB3636-3K	36" x 36"	3,000 lb
FB4848-2K	48" x 48"	2,000 lb
FB3846-3K	38" x 46"	3,000 lb
FB3846-10K	38" x 46"	10,000 lb
FB4848-5K	48" x 48"	5,000 lb
FB4848-10K	48" x 48"	10,000 lb
FB4848-20K	48" x 48"	20,000 lb
FB4860-5K	48" x 60"	5,000 lb
FB8460-10K	48" x 60"	10,000 lb
FB4860-20K	48" x 60"	20,000 lb
FB4872-5K	48" x 72"	5,000 lb
FB4872-10K	48" x 72"	10,000 lb
FB4872-20K	48" x 72"	20,000 lb
FB6060-5K	60" x 60"	5,000 lb
FB6060-10K	60" x 60"	10,000 lb
FB6060-20K	60" x 60"	20,000 lb
FB6072-10K	60" x 72"	10,000 lb
FB6072-20K	60" x 72"	20,000 lb
FB6084-10K	60" x 84"	10,000 lb
FB6084-20K	60" x 84"	20,000 lb

Application: General purpose weighing.

Identification: The identification plate is located on the side of the weighbridge.

<u>Sealing:</u> The junction box located under the deck plate may be sealed with a lead and wire seal through two screws that have holes drilled in the heads.

<u>Test Conditions:</u> The emphasis of this evaluation was on device design and operation. Models FB4848-2K, 2,000-lb capacity and Model FB6084-20K, 20,000-lb capacity were tested. Weights of one-fourth scale capacity were placed on each corner, shift tests at one-half capacity, and a distributed weight test to capacity were conducted for each scale. Similar tests were conducted after 30 days. Additionally, the FB4848-5K, 5,000-lb capacity scale was tested using the Artech Model number 20210 load cell to increase the n_{max} of the scale. The results of these tests indicate that these devices comply with applicable tolerances.

Type Evaluation Criteria Used: 1991 Edition, National Institute of Standards and Technology, Handbook 44

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