



## Continental Control Systems, LLC Announces Three New Options on the WattNode® MODBUS Energy and Power Meter at AHR Expo

Boulder, Colorado – December 2011 — Continental Control Systems, LLC is pleased to announce an update to our WattNode® MODBUS meter. This update includes switching to 100% RoHs (lead free) production for all WattNode MODBUS models. We have also added new feature options and firmware enhancements.

With the release of Firmware Version 16, CCS has added three options utilizing the X (auxiliary) terminal on the MODBUS connector:

- OPTION X5 - Provides 5 VDC at up to 60 mA between C (common) and X (5V) terminals for powering external devices, such as low-powered data loggers or wireless transceivers.
- OPTION IO – Provides a digital input (level sensing and pulse counting) or output (for load shedding and other applications) on the X terminal
- OPTION SSR – Provides a solid-state relay (contact closure) output between the X and C terminals for load shedding and applications.
- See WattNode MODBUS – OPTIONS for a complete list of all available options.

### About Continental Control Systems

Founded in 1995, Colorado-based Continental Control Systems specializes in electric power metering and monitoring equipment for the measurement of energy and power production and consumption. The company's solutions are designed to provide kW and kWh information in a variety of communication protocols including BACNet, Pulse, MODBUS, and LONWorks outputs. Applications for The WattNode® meter include building automation, LEED certification, tenant submetering, performance verification/evaluation/diagnostics, and energy management. All Continental Control Systems products are listed by Underwriters Laboratories Inc. with a Dual Safety Certification for use in both the United States and Canada (cUL).

For more information on Continental Control Systems, LLC: <http://www.ccontrols.com>

For a detailed list of firmware changes, see WattNode MODBUS Firmware Version 16 <http://www.ccontrols.com>