

Title (en)

Improvements in or relating to gas meters

Title (de)

Verbesserungen für und in Bezug auf Gaszähler

Title (fr)

Perfectionnements dans et relatifs aux compteurs à gaz

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Abstract (en)

[origin: EP0843288A2] An electronic gas meter is provided for delivering a quantity of gas to a consumer. The gas meter comprises a base meter unit 2 having a digital display 18 to visibly indicate the amount of gas a consumer has used, and an optical data port 20, via which access to electronic circuitry within the base meter unit 2 is provided for data communication purposes. A battery supply for powering the electronic circuitry within the base meter unit is secured behind a battery cover 14. The base meter unit is provided with latching means in the form of three recesses 22, 24, 26 whereby an add-on module 28 can be securely connected to the base meter unit 2 by way of the latching means. <IMAGE>

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