



# **USER MANUAL**

Longo Bluetooth Products
LBT-1.BA1
Bluetooth Valve Actuator





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STANDARDS AND PROVISIONS: Standards, recommendations, regulations and provisions of the country in which the devices will operate, must be considered while planning and setting up electrical devices. Work on 100 .. 240 V AC network is allowed for authorized personnel only.

DANGER WARNINGS: Devices or modules must be protected from moisture, dirt and damage during transport, storing and operation.

WARRANTY CONDITIONS: For all modules LBT-1 - if no modifications are performed upon and are correctly connected by authorized personnel - in consideration of maximum allowed connecting power, warranty of 24 months is valid from the date of sale to the end buyer, but not more than 36 months after delivery from Smarteh. In case of claims within warranty time, which are based on material malfunctions the producer offers free replacement. The method of return of malfunctioned module, together with description, can be arranged with our authorized representative. Warranty does not include damage due to transport or because of unconsidered corresponding regulations of the country, where the module is installed.

This device must be connected properly by the provided connection scheme in this manual. Misconnections may result in device damage, fire or personal injury.

Hazardous voltage in the device can cause electric shock and may result in personal injury or death.

**NEVER SERVICE THIS PRODUCT YOURSELF!** 

This device must not be installed in the systems critical for life (e.g. medical devices, aircrafts, etc.).

If the device is used in a manner not specified by the manufacturer, the degree of protection provided by the equipment may be impaired.

Waste electrical and electronic equipment (WEEE) must be collected separately!

LBT-1 devices are developed considering the following standards:

EMC: EN 303 446-1LVD: EN 60669-2-1

Smarteh d.o.o. operates a policy of continuous development. Therefore we reserve the right to make changes and improvements to any of the products described in this manual without any prior notice.

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## **1 ABBREVIATIONS**

LED Light Emitted Diode

PLC Programmable Logic Controller

PC Personal Computer
OpCode Message Option Code







#### 2 DESCRIPTION

LBT-1.BA1 Bluetooth Mesh valve actuator is designed to work with various radiator and floor heating valves of different manufacturers. It opens and closes the radiator or floor heating valve to control the water flow and consequently control the temperature in the room. It's equipped with an M30  $\times$  1.5 mm ring nut connection and it's also possible to get an adapter for other connection types of radiator or floor heating valves.

LBT-1.BA1 valve actuator can only operate with Smarteh LBT-1.GWx Modbus RTU Bluetooth Mesh gateway connected to the same Bluetooth Mesh network. LBT-1.GWx Modbus RTU gateway is connected to the main control device as Smarteh LPC-3.GOT.012 7" PLC based Touch panel, any other PLC or any PC with Modbus RTU communication. Besides Smarteh Bluetooth Mesh devices, other standard Bluetooth Mesh devices can be integrated into above mentioned Bluetooth Mesh network. More than a hundred Bluetooth Mesh devices can be provisioned and can operate in a single Bluetooth Mesh network.

However, the LBT-1.BA1 valve actuator can also work as stand alone in local operation mode. In addition, protection functions like anti-freeze can be set.

NOTE: Alkaline AA type batteries (LR6) are not supplied together with the product.

#### **WARNINGS:**

#### Burns from the hot surface:

• The screw nut with which the actuator is fastened to the radiator valve may become hot. When servicing the actuator, switch off the radiator and wait to cool off.

#### Explosion due to fire or short circuit, even with discharged batteries:

- · Risk of injury due to flying parts.
- · Prevent the batteries to be in contact with water.
- · Do not damage the batteries.
- Do not heat batteries over 85°C.

#### Leakage of electrolyte:

- Handle damaged batteries only by wearing suitable protective gloves. Otherwise severe burns are possible.
- In case of contact with an electrolyte, rinse your eyes immediately with lot of water. Visit the doctor.

#### Falling objects:

Overhead installation may result in injury from falling objects.

#### Observe also the following:

- Pay attention on battery polarity (+/-)
- The batteries must be new and undamaged.
- Do not mix new and used batteries
- Store, transport and dispose of the batteries in compliance with local requirements, regulations and laws. Also observe the instructions of the battery manufacturer.
- Dispose of empty batteries in designated collection points.







#### **3 FEATURE**



Figure 1: LBT-1.BA1

#### Table 1: Technical data

Communication standard: Bluetooth Mesh is a low power wireless mesh protocol and allows device to device communication and device to main control device communication

Radio frequency: 2.4GHz

Radio range for direct connection: < 30m, depending on application and building. By using Bluetooth Mesh topology, much bigger distances can be achieved.

Power supply: 2 batteries 1.5V AA type commercially available, use alkaline batteries only (LR6). Do not use any type of rechargeable battery. Constructed for full year operation.

Also external power supply 7..30V DC is possible. When an external power supply is used, two AA batteries must be removed. Only one source of power supply at a time is allowed.

Protection degree: IP20

Temperature control range: 6 .. 30°C

Integrated ambient temperature sensor range: 0 .. 50°C, ± 1°C

Offset setting for the integrated ambient temperature sensor, see the operation parameters chapter.

Working temperature: 0 .. 50°C

Storage temperature: -20 .. 60°C

Type of casing: ABS

Valve thread connection: M30 x 1.5mm. Adapter is available for other types of radiator valves.

Actuator adaptation to the valve: Automatic

Status indicator: red and green LED

Actuator mode set in local: Contact less, by using a magnet.







## **4 OPERATION**

LBT-1.BA1 Bluetooth Mesh valve actuator can only operate with Smarteh LBT-1.GWx Modbus RTU Bluetooth Mesh gateway, while provisioned to the same Bluetooth Mesh network.

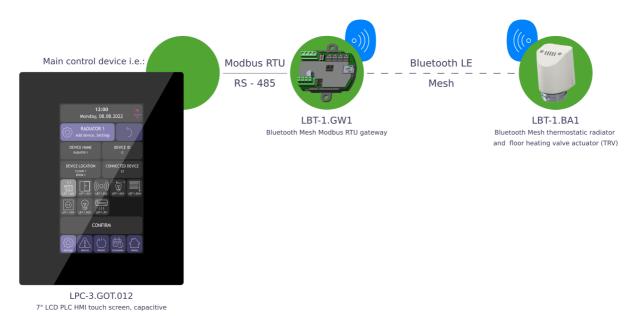


Figure 2: LBT-1.BA1 device connection

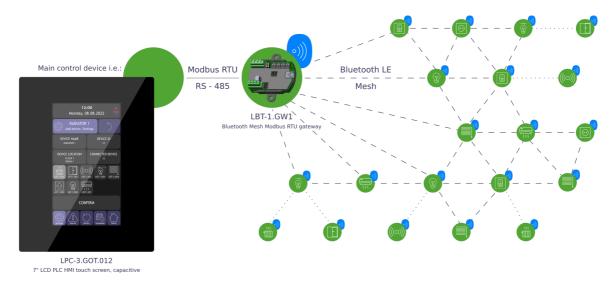


Figure 3: Bluetooth Mesh system topology







#### 4.1 Other valve actuator functions:

- Anti freeze: if the room temperature measured by the valve actuator falls below 6°C, the valve actuator will open until the temperature rises above 8°C. This will prevent the water in the pipes from freezing. Anti freeze function works only in automatic mode.
- Anti calcification: Anti calcification function can be implemented together with Smarteh main control device like LPC-3.GOT.012. When activating anti calcification function, the valve performs the opening/closing cycle to prevent the valve from calcifying. It's recommended to execute this command if the valve is not working for a longer period, for example, few weeks.
- Open window or balcony door: Energy saving function during window or balcony door opening can be implemented by using Smarteh LBT-1.B01 window sensor and main control device LPC-3.GOT.012 for example.
- Holiday function: Holiday function can be implemented together with Smarteh main control device like LPC-3.GOT.012. When activating the holiday function, all valve actuators connected to the Bluetooth Mesh network will close. The holiday function can always and only be deactivated by the main control device.
- Factory reset: This function will delete all Bluetooth Mesh network parameters stored on LBT-1.BA1 valve actuator and will restore to the conditions of the initial programming, ready for provisioning. Also plunger moves to fully open position, so it's retracted. See Table 6 for more information.
- Safe operation: If LBT-1.BA1 valve actuator loses communication with the main control device like LPC-3.GOT.012 or a similar, communication warning status should be implemented on the control device like LPC-3.GOT.012 or similar.
- Low battery: When the voltage of two installed AA batteries in series is lower than 2.2V, LBT-1.BA1 valve actuator detects low battery condition, valve actuator red LED will indicate this. The voltage level of the batteries is monitored and shown regularly on the Smarteh LPC-3.GOT.012 7" PLC based Touch panel. In case the batteries are not replaced soon, the valve actuator will switch off.
- Summer mode: The summer mode function can be implemented together with Smarteh main control device like LPC-3.GOT.012 or similar. When activating the summer mode function, the communication interval will be extended to extend the battery life cycle. The summer mode function can always and only be deactivated by the main control device.

**NOTE:** When the voltage of two installed AA batteries in series is lower than 2.2 V, LBT-1.B01 window/door sensor detects low battery condition. If the batteries are not replaced soon, the window sensor will switch off. Voltage level of the batteries can be monitored regularly i.e. on the Smarteh LPC-3.GOT.012 PLC based Touch panel or similar.







### 4.2 Operation parameters

LBT-1.BA1 Bluetooth Mesh valve actuator accepts a set of operation codes as specified in below tables 2 to 4. LBT-1.BA1 Bluetooth Mesh valve actuator is communicating with the main control device as Smarteh LPC-3.GOT.012 or similar via Smarteh LBT-1.GWx Modbus RTU Bluetooth Mesh gateway. All communication between the main control device is performed by using Modbus RTU communication. Individual Bluetooth Mesh node configuration data should be observed by using a network provisioning tool.

Reg.	Name	Description	Raw → Engineering data
10	Execute command	Execute command for Read and/or Write by toggling bit	Bit0 toggle → Write Bit1 toggle → Read
11	Destination address*	Destination node address. Can be a unicast, group or virtual address	0 65535 → 0 65535
12	Element index*	Sending node model element index	0 65535 → 0 65535
13	Vendor ID*	Vendor ID of the sending node model	0 65535 → 0 65535
14	Model ID*	Model ID of the sending node model	0 65535 → 0 65535
16	Virtual address index*	Index of the destination Label UUID	0 65535 → 0 65535
17	Application key index*	The application key index used	0 65535 → 0 65535
18	Option code**	Refer to the option code table	0 63 → 0 63
19	Payload byte length**	Refer to the option code table	1 10 → 1 10 bytes
20	Payload word[0]**	Refer to the option code table	0 65535 → 0 65535
21	Payload word[1]**	Refer to the option code table	0 65535 → 0 65535
22	Payload word[2]**	Refer to the option code table	0 65535 → 0 65535
23	Payload word[3]**	Refer to the option code table	0 65535 → 0 65535
24	Payload word[4]**	Refer to the option code table	0 65535 → 0 65535

<sup>\*</sup> Observed from network provisioning tool



<sup>\*\*</sup> User defined parameters, refer to the option code table





Table 3: 3xxxx, Input registers, Modbus RTU to Bluetooth Mesh gateway			
Reg.	Name	Description	Raw → Engineering data
10	Messages pending	Number of messages pending in receiving buffer	1 10 → 1 10
11	Destination address	Destination node address. Can be a unicast, group or virtual address	0 65535 → 0 65535
12	Element index	Sending node model element index	0 65535 → 0 65535
13	Vendor ID	Vendor ID of the sending node model	0 65535 → 0 65535
14	Model ID	Model ID of the sending node model	0 65535 → 0 65535
15	Source address	Unicast address of the node model which sent the message	$0 \dots 65535 \rightarrow 0 \dots 65535$
16	Virtual address index status	Index of the destination Label UUID	0 65535 → 0 65535
17	Application key index	The application key index used	$0 65535 \rightarrow 0 65535$
18	Option code	Refer to the option code table	$063 \rightarrow 063$
19	Payload length	Refer to the option code table	1 10 → 1 10 bytes
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Table 4: Valve actuator LBT-1.BA1 option codes			
Option code	Name	Description	Raw → Engineering data
1	FW version status	Firmware version status	0 65535 → 0 65535
2	Operation mode set	Node operation mode selection	<ul> <li>0 → Not used</li> <li>1 → Remote operation</li> <li>2 → Local operation</li> <li>3 → Recalibration</li> <li>4 → Reset</li> <li>5 → Factory reset</li> </ul>
3	Operation mode status	Node remote operation mode selection status	1 → Remote operation 2 → Local operation
6	Vandal switch alarm status	Node vandal switch status	0 → Not active 1 → Active
8	Battery voltage status	Battery voltage level	0 330 → 0.00 3.30 V
9	Wake up interval set	Node wake up from sleep mode interval	0 → Always on 1 65535 → 1 65535 sec
10	Wake up interval status	Node wake up from sleep mode interval status	0 → Always on 1 65535 → 1 65535 sec
11	Error codes status	Error codes status	015 → Bit0: Not used Bit1: Not used Bit2: Battery low Bit3: Anti freeze activated
20	Temperature status	Node temperature sensor status	0 5000 → 0 50.00°C
30	Position set	Valve position set	0 100 → 0100%
31	Position status	Valve position set status	0 100 → 0100%
32	Temp SP set	Setpoint set	0 5000 → 0 50.00°C
33	Temp SP status	Setpoint status	0 5000 → 0 50.00°C
36	Remote probe temperature set	Actual temperature set	0 500 → 0 50.0°C
37	Remote probe temperature status	Actual temperature status	0 500 → 0 50.0°C
45	P parameter set	Temperature regulation proportional par. set	0 100 → 0 100
46	P parameter status	Temperature regulation proportional par. status	0 100 → 0 100
53	Temperature offset	Temperature offset setting	-100 100 → -10.0 10.0°C
54	Temperature offset status	Temperature offset status	-100 100 → -10.0 10.0°C







## **5 INSTALLATION**

#### 5.1 Connection scheme

Figure 4: Connection scheme

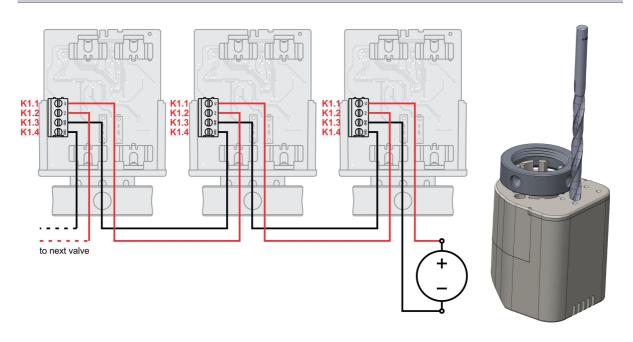


Table 5: K1		
K1.1	+	Power supply input, 7 30 V DC
K1.2	+	Power supply input, 7 30 V DC
K1.3	- /	GND
K1.4	- / 丄	GND

**WARNING:** When an external power supply is used, two AA batteries must be removed. Only one source of power supply at a time is allowed.

**NOTE:** There are a few perforated holes in the plastic enclosure already, which can be drilled with 6 mm diameter.

LBT-1.BA1 valve actuator should be powered separately from other electrical appliances. Wires must be installed separately from high power and high voltage wires in accordance with general industry electrical installation standards.







Table 6: LEDs & Inputs			
LED1: red	Error		me period = empty battery time period = network/friend lost time period = unprovisioned node
LED2: green	Status		Osec time period = normal operation. or S1 reed contact when activated with a
S1	Reed contact	Inside 5 sec time window, perform the corresponding number of swipes in a duration of not less than 200 ms with a permanent magnet close to the valve actuator reed contact position.  Following valve actuator action or mode will be set:	
		Number of swipes	Action
		3	Recalibration
		4	Reset
		5	Factory reset
			triggered if reed contact is continuously ent magnet for more than 5 seconds.
S2	Switch	Vandal switch: close = not active, open = active	

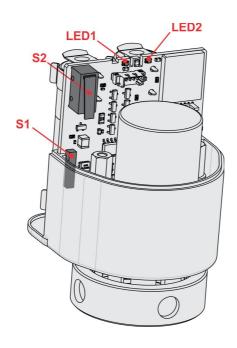
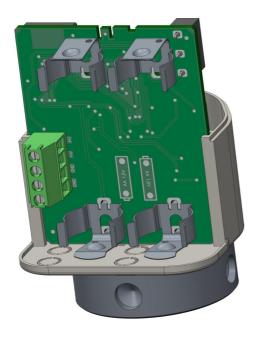


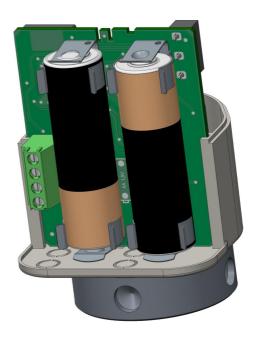






Table 7: Battery		
Bat.1	Battery	Alkaline AA 1.5 V high capacity battery, non rechargeable
Bat.2	Battery	Alkaline AA 1.5 V high capacity battery, non rechargeable





**WARNING:** When batteries are used, external power supply 7 .. 30 V DC must be removed. Only one source of power supply at a time is allowed.

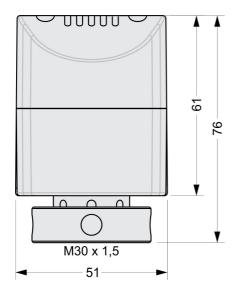






## 5.2 Mounting instructions

Figure 5: Housing dimensions





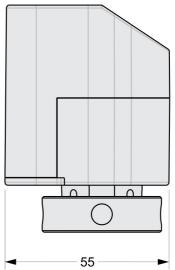


Figure 7: Side dimensions

Dimensions in millimeters.



Valve actuator mounting to the valve must be done while batteries are not installed and the valve actuator is not connected to the external power supply source.

Figure 8: Mounting positions

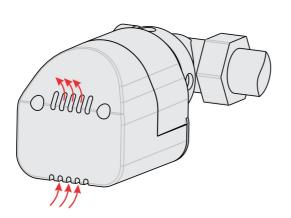


Figure 9: Recommended position

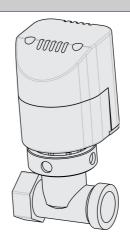


Figure 10: Not recommended position

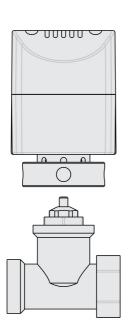
Any mounting position, when flow pipe temperature <=  $40^{\circ}$ C. The vertical position is not recommended due to the influence of the radiator temperature when the flow pipe temperature >  $40^{\circ}$ C.







Before mounting the corresponding radiator or floor heating valve, it is necessary to check, if the mounting adapter will be needed to attach LBT-1.BA1 valve actuator to the radiator or floor heating valve. The adapter is usually needed when the radiator valve is not equipped with M30  $\times$  1.5 mm thread.



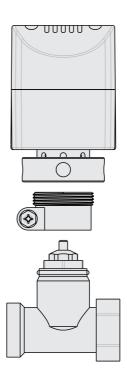


Figure 11: Mounting without adapter

Figure 12: Mounting with adapter

Before removing the actuator from the radiator valve it's recommended to set the temperature set point to the maximum in order to move the plunger to a fully open position (retracted), to make installation easier.

Unscrew the actuator valve nut from the radiator valve. The anti theft protection nut and screws prevent the actuator to be unscrewed from the radiator valve and the batteries to be removed by an unauthorized person. Use a Torx T10 screw driver to unscrew and screw the actuator valve battery cover screws. Use a hook wrench 34-36mm to screw and unscrew the valve actuator nut (see picture below).



Figure 13: Hook wrench 34 - 36mm







At first start-up, LBT-1.BA1 valve actuator automatically detects the end positions of the valve and calculates the needed stroke. The actuator uses this information for positioning between 0% - close and 100% - open position. It also detects, if the actuator is not connected to the radiator or floor heating valve or if valve is blocked. The expected stroke is between 1.5 mm to 4.5 mm.

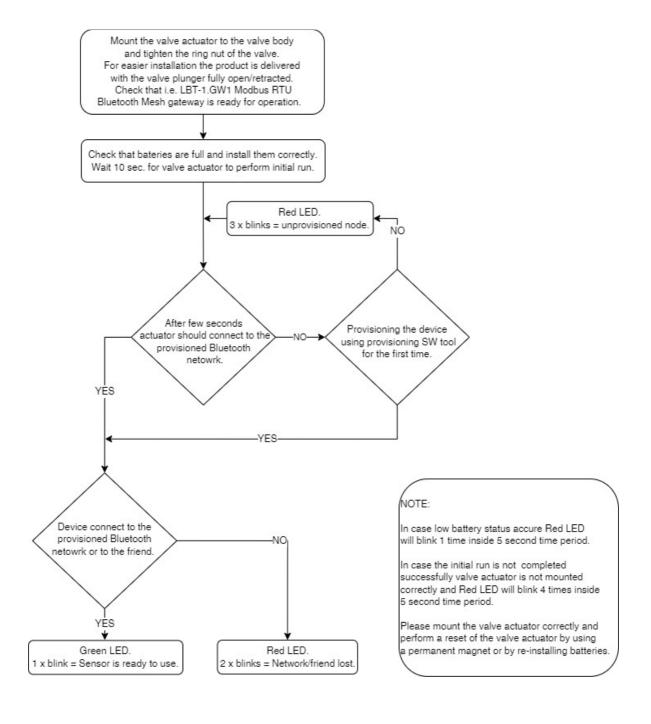


Figure 14: Installation flowchart







- 1. Mount the valve actuator to the radiator or floor heating valve body. The product is delivered with the valve plunger in a fully open position (retracted) to make installation easier. Firmly tighten the valve actuator screw nut by hand. In case the valve actuator should be protected from easy dismounting, use a hook wrench for nut diameters 34 to 36mm, tight the nut with care and not more than 10 Nm of force.
- 2. Insert two AA batteries and wait 10 sec for the valve actuator to perform the initial run.
- 3. After a few seconds green or red LED starts to blink, please see the above flowchart for details
- 4. Once adaptation is finished and if the valve actuator is already provisioned, then the valve actuator will continue to work in the normal mode of operation. Before the valve actuator can operate in the normal mode of operation, it's mandatory to mount and adapt the valve actuator to the radiator valve or floor heating valve correctly.
- 5. If the valve actuator is not provisioned Red LED will blink 3x, the provisioning procedure has to be started. Contact the producer for more details\*.
- 6. Once provisioning is finished, the sensor will continue with the normal mode of operation and this will be indicated as a green LED blinking once per 10 sec.

**\*NOTE:** Smarteh Bluetooth Mesh products are added and connected to a Bluetooth Mesh network by using standard provisioning and configuration mobile apps tool such as nRF Mesh or similar. For further information, please contact the producer for more details.



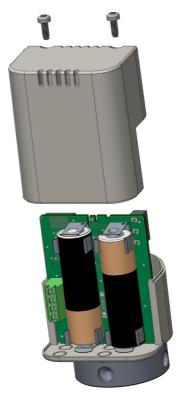




#### 5.3 Maintenance

The LBT-1.BA1 valve actuator is maintenance free. Only two AA batteries, when the valve actuator is powered from internal batteries, require replacement with new ones when empty. On the main control device i.e. LPC-3.GOT.012, the indication for replacing the batteries will become active. In case the batteries are not replaced soon, the valve actuator will switch off.

While replacing the batteries, it's recommended that LBT-1.BA1 valve actuator remains mounted on the radiator or floor heating valve. However, replacing of batteries is also possible if/when the actuator is dismounted from the valve. In this case please follow instructions from Capture 5 - INSTALLATION. Replacing the batteries requires a screw driver Torx T10 to prevent batteries to be removed by an unauthorized persons. For optimal performance, the usage of alkaline AA batteries with high capacity is recommended.



- remove two screws by using a Torx T10 screw driver and then open the cover
- · take both batteries out of the battery holder
- insert two new high capacity batteries LR6 alkaline AA, PAY ATTENTION ON POLARITY!
- close the cover and fasten both screws by using a Torx T10 screw driver
- the valve actuator will automatically start the new calibration and try to re-establish the connection if the Bluetooth Mesh network is available

Unsuccessful connecting to the Bluetooth Mesh network or adapting to radiator valve will be shown on the device itself and also on the main control device i.e. LPC-3.GOT.012 or similar. Please refer to the Mounting instructions chapter for more information.







#### **6 SYSTEM OPERATION**

#### 6.1 Interference warning

Common sources of unwanted interference are devices that generate high frequency signals. These are typically computers, audio and video systems, electronic transformers, power supplies and various ballasts. The distance of the LBT-1.BA1 valve actuator to the above mentioned devices should be at least 0.5m or greater.

#### WARNING:

- To protect plants, systems, machines and network against cyber threats, it's necessary to implement and continuously implemented state of the art security concept.
- You are responsible for preventing unauthorized access to your plants, systems, machines and networks and they are allowed to be connected to the internet only, when security measures like firewalls, network segmentations, ... are in place
- We strongly recommend the updates and usage of latest version. Usage of version that are no longer supported may increase the possibility of cyber threats.







## **7 TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

Power supply	2 high capacity batteries alkaline AA type (LR6) or external power supply 5 30 V DC. Can not be connected in parallel, only a separate connection is allowed.	
Battery life	> 1 year	
Valve thread connection	M 30 $\times$ 1.5 Contact the producer regarding adapters for other types of valve connections.	
Flow pipe temperature	75°C max	
Maximum valve pin/plunger stroke calibration range	< 5 mm	
Operating pin/plunger stroke	Typically 3 mm, minimum 1.5 mm	
Valve position adjustment speed	Typically 1 mm/s	
Pin stroke resolution	Step of 1%	
Stall force or valve positioning force	60 N	
Noise level	< 30 dB	
RF communication interval	Typically 10min	
Life cycle status and monitor capabilities	Yes	
Max. power consumption	0.5 W	
Connection type	screw type connector for stranded wire 0.75 to 2.5 mm²	
Dimensions (L x W x H)	55 x 51 x 76 mm	
Weight (with two AA batteries)	150 g	
Ambient temperature	0 to 50°C	
Ambient humidity	max. 95 %, no condensation	
Maximum altitude	2000 m	
Mounting position	Any, when flow pipe temperature <= 40°C Horizontal, when flow pipe temperature > 40°C	
Transport and storage temperature	-20 to 60 °C	
Pollution degree	2	
Over voltage category	II	
Electrical equipment	Class II (double insulation)	
Protection class	IP 20	







### **8 MODULE LABELING**

#### Figure 1: Label

#### Label (sample):

#### XXX-N.ZZZ

P/N: AAABBBCCDDDEEE S/N: SSS-RR-YYXXXXXXXX

D/C: WW/YY

#### Label description:

- 1. XXX-N.ZZZ full product name.
  - XXX-N Product family
  - ZZZ product
- 2. P/N: AAABBBCCDDDEEE part number.
  - AAA general code for a product family,
  - BBB short product name,
  - CCDDD sequence code,
    - CC the year of code opening,
    - DDD derivation code,
  - EEE version code (reserved for future HW and/or SW firmware upgrades).
- 3. S/N: SSS-RR-YYXXXXXXXX serial number.
  - SSS short product name,
  - RR user code (test procedure, e.g. Smarteh person xxx),
  - YY year,
  - XXXXXXXXX current stack number.
- 4. D/C: WW/YY date code.
  - WW week and
  - YY the year of production.

#### **Optional**

- 1. MAC
- 2. Symbols
- 3. WAMP
- 4. Other







## **9 CHANGES**

The following table describes all the changes to the document.

Date	٧.	Description
27.3.2023	2	Update.
10.02.23	1	The initial version, issued as LBT-1.BA1 valve actuator User Manual.







## **10 NOTES**

