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# **Supplementary Certificate of Approval**

# **NMI S850**

Issued by the Chief Metrologist under Regulation 60 of the National Measurement Regulations 1999

This is to certify that an approval for use for trade has been granted in respect of the instruments herein described.

Bilanciai Model D70E Digital Indicator

submitted by National Weighing & Instruments Pty. Limited 1/88 Magowar Road Girraween NSW 2145

**NOTE:** This Certificate relates to the suitability of the pattern of the instrument for use for trade only in respect of its metrological characteristics. This Certificate does not constitute or imply any guarantee of compliance by the manufacturer or any other person with any requirements regarding safety.

This approval has been granted with reference to document NMI R 76, *Non-automatic weighing instruments, Parts 1 and 2*, dated October 2015.

This approval is subject to review at the decision of the Chief Metrologist in accordance with the conditions specified in the document NMI P 106.

### DOCUMENT HISTORY

Rev	Reason/Details	Date
0	Pattern approved – certificate issued	06/10/23

#### General

Instruments purporting to comply with this approval shall be marked with approval number 'NMI S850' and only by persons authorised by the submittor.

Instruments incorporating a component purporting to comply with this approval shall be marked 'NMI S850' in addition to the approval number of the instrument, and only by persons authorised by the submittor.

It is the submittor's responsibility to ensure that all instruments marked with this approval number are constructed as described in the documentation lodged with the National Measurement Institute (NMI) and with the relevant Certificate of Approval and Technical Schedule. Failure to comply with this Condition may attract penalties under Section 19B of the National Measurement Act and may result in cancellation or withdrawal of the approval, in accordance with document NMI P 106.

Auxiliary devices used with this instrument shall comply with the requirements of General Supplementary Certificate of Approval No S1/0B.

The values of the performance criteria (maximum number of scale intervals etc.) applicable to an instrument incorporating the pattern approved herein shall be within the limits specified herein and in any approval documentation for the other components.

Signed by a person authorised by the Chief Metrologist to exercise their powers under Regulation 60 of the *National Measurement Regulations 1999*.

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#### 1. Description of Pattern

#### approved on 06/10/23

A Bilanciai model D70E digital mass indicator (Figure 1 and Table 1) which may be configured to form part of:

- A class I weighing instrument with a single weighing range of up to 6000 verification scale intervals; or
- A class I weighing instrument with a single weighing range of up to 1000 verification scale intervals; or
- A class I multi-interval weighing instrument with up to three partial weighing ranges (each with its own verification scale interval) in which case it is approved for use with up to 4000 verification scale intervals per partial weighing range; or
- A class I multi-interval weighing instrument with up to three partial weighing ranges (each with its own verification scale interval) in which case it is approved for use with up to 1000 verification scale intervals per partial weighing range; or
- A class I multiple range weighing instrument with up to three weighing ranges, in which case it is approved for use with up to 4000 verification scale intervals per weighing range; or
- A class I multiple range weighing instrument with up to three weighing ranges, in which case it is approved for use with up to 1000 verification scale intervals per weighing range.

The changeover between weighing ranges is automatic.

The instrument has an ABS enclosure with 7-segment LED display for display of the weight value.

Instruments may be fitted with output sockets (output interfacing capability) for the connection of auxiliary and/or peripheral devices (see clause 1.7 below).

#### TABLE 1 – Specifications

Maximum number of verification scale intervals	6 000 (class 🖤)
	1000 (class 🎟)
Minimum sensitivity	0.5 µV / scale interval
Excitation voltage	5 V DC
Maximum excitation current	250 mA
Fraction of maximum permissible error	pi = 0.5
Minimum load cell impedance	43 Ω
Maximum load cell impedance	1050 Ω
Measuring range minimum voltage	0 mV
Measuring range maximum voltage	15 mV
Maximum tare range	-100% Max
Operating temperature range	-10 °C to +40 °C
Load cell connection	4-wire or 6-wire shielded
Maximum value of load cell cable	
length per wire cross section (*)	3106 m/mm <sup>2</sup> (6-wire only)
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(\*) Additional connection cable between indicator and load cell or load cell junction box. In case a 4-wire connection is used, the load cells are connected directly without a junction box or lengthening the load cell(s) cable.

This approval does not include the use of the indicator as an automatic weighing instrument, unless specifically mentioned in a certificate of approval for such an instrument.

#### 1.1 Zero

A zero-tracking device may be fitted.

The initial zero-setting device has a nominal range of not more than 20% of the maximum capacity of the instrument.

The instrument has automatic and/or semi-automatic zero-setting devices with a nominal range of not more than 4% of the maximum capacity of the instrument. The automatic zero-setting device operates only when the instrument has been stable below zero for at least 5 seconds.

### 1.2 Tare

A semi-automatic subtractive tare device of up to the maximum capacity of the instrument may be fitted. A pre-set subtractive tare device of up to the maximum capacity of the instrument (or up to  $Max_1$  for multi-interval instruments) may be fitted.

### 1.3 Linearisation Facility

Instruments are fitted with a linearisation correction facility having four correction points.

### 1.4 Display Check

A display check is initiated whenever power is applied.

### 1.5 Power Supply

The power supply may be either a 12 V AC/DC mains adaptor or 6 x 1.5 V dry batteries.

Note: The AC/DC mains adaptor supplied in relation to (b) above was a daichi model TP2120010B power supply (output 12 V DC, 1 A) – the submittor should be consulted regarding the acceptability of alternative power supply units.

### 1.6 Additional Features

Instruments may be fitted with additional function (e.g. counting facility). The additional functions (other than the indications of measured mass, i.e. gross, tare, net, totals, displayed either on the indicator or on an auxiliary or peripheral device) are not approved for trade use.

Note: In particular circumstances (e.g. in regard to weighbridge or public weighbridge operation), Trade Measurement legislation or other NMI Certificates of Approval may impose requirements in regard to specific features, methods of operation, or records to be provided (and in what form).

Certain features of this instrument are able to be configured by the installer or user. Whilst NMI believes that an acceptable configuration can be achieved for typical basic modes of operation, it may also be possible for the instrument to be configured to produce unacceptable configurations, and use of some configurations may be inappropriate in different situations. It is the responsibility of the installer and user to ensure that the configuration is acceptable and meets relevant requirements for any particular situation.

### 1.7 Interfaces

The indicator may be fitted with interfaces for the connection of auxiliary and/or peripheral devices. Any interfaces shall comply with clause 5.3.6 of document NMI R76 (the basic intent of which is that it shall not be possible to alter weighing results via the interfaces).

Any measurement data output from the instrument or its interfaces shall only be used for trade in compliance with NMI General Supplementary Certificate of Approval No S1/0B (in particular in regard to the data and its format).

Indications other than the indications of measured mass (i.e. gross, tare, net, totals) displayed either on the indicator or on an auxiliary or peripheral device, are not for trade use.

Instruments may be fitted with RS-232/422 and Ethernet interfaces.

### 1.8 Verification Provision

Provision is made for the application of a verification mark.

### **1.9 Descriptive Markings and Notices**

Instruments carry the following markings:

Manufacturer's mark, or name written in full	Societa Cooperativa Bilanciai Campogalliano a.r.l., Italy
Name or mark of manufacturer's agent	
Indication of accuracy class	💷 or 🎟
Maximum capacity (for each range)	<i>Max</i> kg #1
Minimum capacity (for each range)	<i>Min</i> kg #1
Verification scale interval (for each range)	<i>e</i> = kg #1
Maximum subtractive tare	<i>T</i> = kg #2
Serial number of the instrument	
Pattern approval mark for the indicator	NMI S850
Pattern approval mark for other components	#3

- #1 These markings are shown near the display of the result.
- #2 This marking is required if *T* is not equal to *Max*.
- #3 May be located separately from the other markings.

In addition, instruments not greater than 100 kg capacity carry a notice stating NOT TO BE USED FOR TRADING DIRECT WITH THE PUBLIC, or similar wording.

Note:

For multi-interval instruments the markings shall be as above, with the exception that the 'Maximum capacity' and 'Verification scale interval' shall be marked for both interval ranges, e.g. as follows:

Maximum capacity	<i>Max</i> / kg
Verification scale interval	e =/ kg

For multiple range instruments, the maximum capacity, minimum capacity and verification scale interval for each range shall be marked, with an indication of the range to which they apply, e.g.

Range	W1	W2	W3
Max	kg	kg	kg
Min	kg	kg	kg
е=	kg	kg	kg

### 1.10 Software

The legally relevant embedded software is designated 1.9.x.x (where x.x represents the identification of the non-legally relevant software protected by a checksum 9857.

The software version and number can be seen by pressing the '2°F' key until 'FMW.VER' is displayed, then pressing the 'EN' key. The message BIL001 is displayed and then the legally relevant software version number followed by the checksum number are displayed.

### 1.11 Sealing Provision

Provision is made for access to the calibration switch within the instrument to be sealed by means of destructible adhesive labels placed over the securing screw on the access hole and over one of the securing screws in the instrument casing as shown in Figure 2.

## TEST PROCEDURE No S850

Instruments should be tested in accordance with any relevant tests specified in the National Instrument Test Procedures.

### Maximum Permissible Errors

The maximum permissible errors are specified in Schedule 1 of the *National Trade Measurement Regulations 2009*.

For multi-interval and multiple range instruments with verification scale intervals of  $e_1$ ,  $e_2$  ..., apply  $e_1$  for zero adjustment, and maximum permissible errors apply  $e_1$ ,  $e_2$  ..., as applicable for the load.



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FIGURE S850-2



Sealing of Bilanciai Model D70E Indicator

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