Demand and peak demand are important measurements for large consumers of electricity. This is because the price utilities charge for electricity is related to the peak usage of the consumer over the billing period.

The Electronic Demand Meter from Texmate is ideal as a submetering system that can measure and track demand and peak demand in different parts of the factory. This information can then be used to manage the overall peak demand strategy of the factory.

If the real-time clock option is installed in the electronic demand

meter, the meter can log or print the time the peak demand occured.

One of three different techniques can be selected to measure demand.

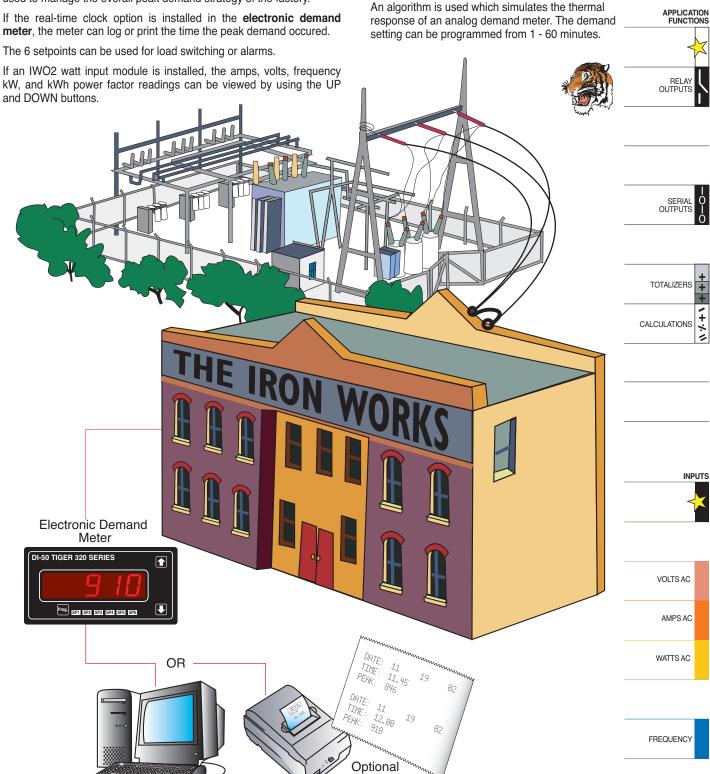
1. Fixed Time or Block Internal Demand.

In this mode, the demand is the average of the signal (normally AC current, power or apparent power) over a set time programmable from

1 - 60 minutes. 2. Sliding Demand.

This is the average of the previous 15 minutes updated every 100 msec.

3. Thermal Demand.



Output to Serial Printer or PC