

VF2 Handbook

Guided Radar (TDR) Level Transmitter for storage and process applications





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1.1 Software history

"Firmware revision" agrees with NAMUR NE 53. It is a series of numbers used to record the revision status of embedded software (firmware) in electronic equipment assemblies. It gives data on the type of changes made and the effect that changes have on compatibility.

Data about software revisions is shown in menu 1.1.0 IDENT. For more data, refer to *Function description* on page 79. If it is not possible to refer to the device menu, record the serial number of the device (given on the device nameplate) and speak or write to the supplier for more data.



INFORMATION!

Push the [←] button for 2 seconds to go to menu 1.1.0 IDENT from normal mode.



INFORMATION!

The table that follows gives data about devices with the 4...20 mA + HART output options. For software history data about the fieldbus communication options, refer to the related supplementary instructions.

Release date	Printed circuit assembly	Firmware revision	Hardware revision	Changes and compatibility	Documentation
2012-06-18	Converter	1.06.02	4000342401k	_	VF2 manual v1
	Sensor	1.21.02	4000357001o		
	HMI (LCD display option)	1.00.02	4000487601m		
2014-09-05	Converter	1.08.03	4000342401n	_	VF2 manual v2 VF2 manual v3 VF2 manual v4
	Sensor	1.22.02	4000357001v		
	HMI (LCD display option)	1.10.02A	4000487601p		

1.2 Intended use



CAUTION!

Responsibility for the use of the measuring devices with regard to suitability, intended use and corrosion resistance of the used materials against the measured fluid lies solely with the operator.



INFORMATION!

The manufacturer is not liable for any damage resulting from improper use or use for other than the intended purpose.

This TDR level transmitter measures distance, level, mass and volume of liquids, pastes, slurries, granulates and powders.

It can be installed on tanks, silos and open pits.

1.3 Certification



DANGER!

For devices used in hazardous areas, additional safety notes apply; please refer to the Ex documentation.

CE marking



The device meets the essential requirements of the EU Directives:

- Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMC) directive
- For devices used in hazardous locations: ATEX directive

The manufacturer certifies successful testing of the product by applying the CE marking. For more data about the EU Directives and European Standards related to this device, refer to the EU Declaration of Conformity. This documentation can be downloaded free of charge from the website.

All devices are based on the CE marking and meet the requirements of NAMUR Recommendations NE 21, NE 43, NE 53 and NE 107.

SIL-approved devices agree with EN 61508.

1.4 Electromagnetic compatibility

The device design agrees with the Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMC) Directive and the related European Standard when installed in metallic tanks.

You can install the device on open-air tanks and tanks that are not made of metal. Refer also to the note that follows.



CAUTION!

If you install a device with a rod or cable probe in a non-metallic tank or open-air pit, a strong electromagnetic field near to the device can have an unwanted effect on the accuracy. Use a device with a coaxial probe for this type of installation.

This device meets the essential requirements of the related European Standard:

- Emissions: class A and class B
- Immunity: basic, industrial and controlled environments



INFORMATION!

The device agrees with these conditions if:

- the device has a single or double probe (rod or cable probe) and is used in a closed tank made of metal or
- the device has a coaxial probe.

1.5 Safety instructions from the manufacturer

1.5.1 Copyright and data protection

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1.5.3 Product liability and warranty

The operator shall bear responsibility for the suitability of the device for the specific purpose. The manufacturer accepts no liability for the consequences of misuse by the operator. Improper installation or operation of the devices (systems) will cause the warranty to be void. The respective "Standard Terms and Conditions" which form the basis for the sales contract shall also apply.

1.5.4 Information concerning the documentation

To prevent any injury to the user or damage to the device it is essential that you read the information in this document and observe applicable national standards, safety requirements and accident prevention regulations.

If this document is not in your native language and if you have any problems understanding the text, we advise you to contact your local office for assistance. The manufacturer can not accept responsibility for any damage or injury caused by misunderstanding of the information in this document.

This document is provided to help you establish operating conditions, which will permit safe and efficient use of this device. Special considerations and precautions are also described in the document, which appear in the form of icons as shown below.

1.5.5 Warnings and symbols used

Safety warnings are indicated by the following symbols.



DANGER!

This warning refers to the immediate danger when working with electricity.



DANGER!

This warning refers to the immediate danger of burns caused by heat or hot surfaces.



DANGER!

This warning refers to the immediate danger when using this device in a hazardous atmosphere.



DANGER!

These warnings must be observed without fail. Even partial disregard of this warning can lead to serious health problems and even death. There is also the risk of seriously damaging the device or parts of the operator's plant.



WARNING!

Disregarding this safety warning, even if only in part, poses the risk of serious health problems. There is also the risk of damaging the device or parts of the operator's plant.



CAUTION!

Disregarding these instructions can result in damage to the device or to parts of the operator's plant.



INFORMATION!

These instructions contain important information for the handling of the device.



LEGAL NOTICE!

This note contains information on statutory directives and standards.



HANDLING

This symbol designates all instructions for actions to be carried out by the operator in the specified sequence.

RESULT

This symbol refers to all important consequences of the previous actions.

1.6 Safety instructions for the operator



WARNING!

In general, devices from the manufacturer may only be installed, commissioned, operated and maintained by properly trained and authorized personnel.

This document is provided to help you establish operating conditions, which will permit safe and efficient use of this device.

2.1 Scope of delivery



INFORMATION!

Do a check of the packing list to make sure that you have all the elements given in the order.

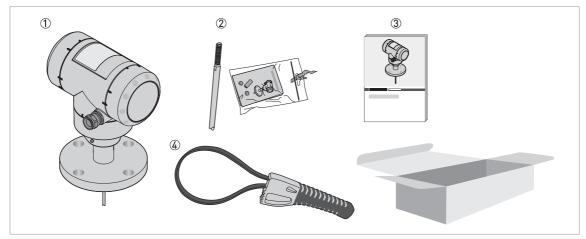


Figure 2-1: Scope of delivery

- ① Signal converter and probe.
- ② Probe segments. For the assembly procedure of the single rod probe, refer to How to assemble the single rod probe (single-piece probe) on page 32. If a single rod or coaxial probe is attached and you ordered the "segmented probe" option, only part of the probe is attached to the device. For the assembly procedure of the segmented single rod probe, refer to How to assemble the single rod probe (segmented probe) on page 36. For the assembly procedure of the segmented coaxial probe, refer to How to assemble the segmented coaxial probe on page 39.
- 3 Quick Start
- Strap wrench



INFORMATION!

No training required!



CAUTION!

Make sure that the length of the probe is correct.

2.2 Device description

The TDR level transmitter is designed to measure the distance, level, mass and volume of liquids, pastes, slurries, granulates and powders.

TDR level transmitters use a probe to guide a signal to the surface of the measured product. The device has a large choice of probes. Thus, it can measure most products in difficult conditions. For more data, refer to *Technical data* on page 126.

You can order these accessories:

- RS232 / HART® converter (VIATOR).
- USB / HART® converter (VIATOR).



INFORMATION!

For more data on accessories, refer to Accessories on page 185.

2.3 Visual check



INFORMATION!

Inspect the packaging carefully for damages or signs of rough handling. Report damage to the carrier and to the local office of the manufacturer.

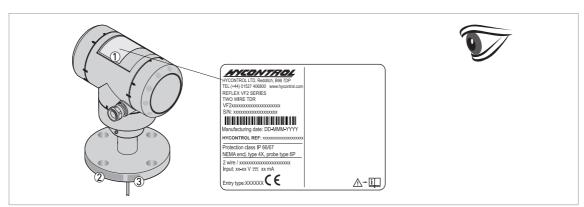


Figure 2-2: Visual check

- ① Device nameplate (for more data, refer to *Non-Ex nameplate* on page 14)
- ② Process connection data (size and pressure rating, material reference and heat number)
- 3 Gasket material data refer to the illustration that follows



Figure 2-3: Symbols for the supplied gasket material (on the side of the process connection)

- ① EPDM
- 2 Kalrez® 6375

If the device is supplied with an FKM/FPM gasket, there is no symbol on the side of the process connection.

2.4 Nameplates



INFORMATION!

Look at the device nameplate to ensure that the device is delivered according to your order. Check for the correct supply voltage printed on the nameplate.

2.4.1 Non-Ex nameplate

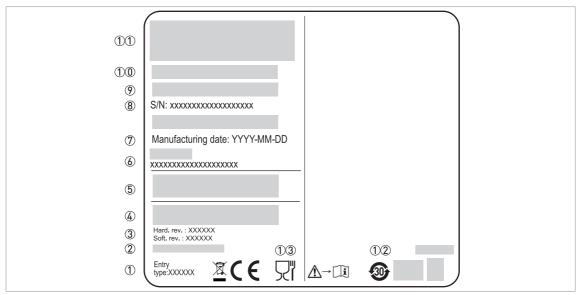


Figure 2-4: Compact version and remote version: Non-Ex nameplate attached to the housing

- Cable entry size
- ② PROFIBUS Device ID (Profile ID) only available with the PROFIBUS PA output option
- 3 Hardware revision / Software revision (according to NAMUR NE 53)
- (analog, HART®, fieldbus, etc.), input voltage and maximum current (fieldbus options: basic current)
- ⑤ Degree of ingress protection (according to EN 60529 / IEC 60529)
- 6 Hycontrol reference code
- Date of manufacture
- 8 Serial number
- Type code (defined in order)
- (1)(0) Model name and number
- ①① Company logo, name and postal address
 Company web address
- ①② Symbol to show that the device agrees with China RoHS (Chinese Government regulation to prevent contamination of the environment from materials used in the manufacture of electronic devices). The value given on the symbol is the time in years that the device is guaranteed to be environmentally safe.
- ①③ Food safe symbol. This symbol is shown if you ordered the device with the single rod probe option for hygienic applications. This symbol agrees with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No 1935/2004.

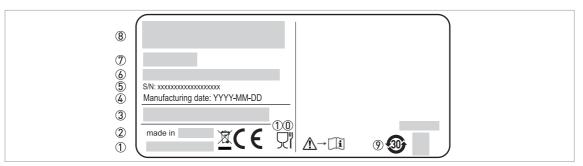


Figure 2-5: Remote version: Non-Ex nameplate attached to the probe assembly

- ① Company web address
- 2 Country of manufacture
- ③ Degree of ingress protection (according to EN 60529 / IEC 60529)
- 4 Date of manufacture
- ⑤ Order number
- Type code (defined in order)
- Model name and number
- 8 Company logo, name and postal address
- Symbol to show that the device agrees with China RoHS (Chinese Government regulation to prevent contamination of
 the environment from materials used in the manufacture of electronic devices). The value given on the symbol is the
 time in years that the device is guaranteed to be environmentally safe.
- ①① Food safe symbol. This symbol agrees with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No 1935/2004.

3.1 General notes on installation



INFORMATION!

Inspect the packaging carefully for damages or signs of rough handling. Report damage to the carrier and to the local office of the manufacturer.



INFORMATION!

Do a check of the packing list to make sure that you have all the elements given in the order.



INFORMATION!

Look at the device nameplate to ensure that the device is delivered according to your order. Check for the correct supply voltage printed on the nameplate.

3.2 Storage



WARNING!

Do not keep the device in a vertical position. This will damage the probe and the device will not measure correctly.

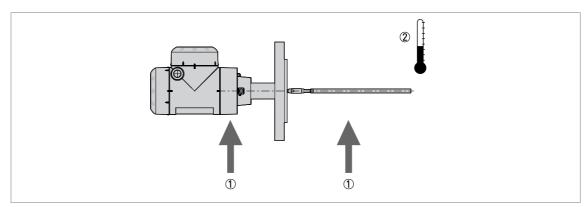


Figure 3-1: Storage conditions

- ① Do not bend rod and coaxial probes support here
- ② Storage temperature range: -50...+85°C / -60...+185°F (min. -40°C / -40°F for devices with the integrated LCD display option)
- Store the device in a dry and dust-free location.
- Store the device in its original packing.

3.3 Transport

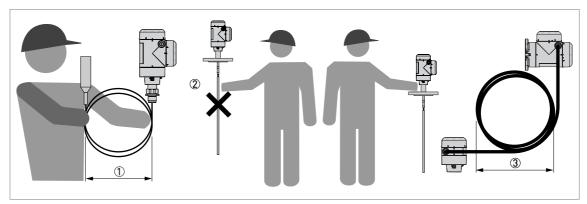


Figure 3-2: How to hold the device

- ① Wind cable probes greater than 400 mm / 16" in diameter.
- ② Do not hold the probe when you lift the device.
- ③ Do not wind the electrical cable less than 330 mm / 13" in diameter.



WARNING!

If you do not lift the device carefully, you can cause damage to the probe.

3.4 Pre-installation requirements



INFORMATION!

Obey the precautions that follow to make sure that the device is correctly installed.

- Make sure that there is sufficient space on all sides.
- Protect the signal converter from direct sunlight. If necessary, install the weather protection accessory.
- Do not subject the signal converter to heavy vibrations.

3.5 How to prepare the tank before you install the device



CAUTION!

To avoid measuring errors and device malfunction, obey these precautions.

3.5.1 Pressure and temperature ranges

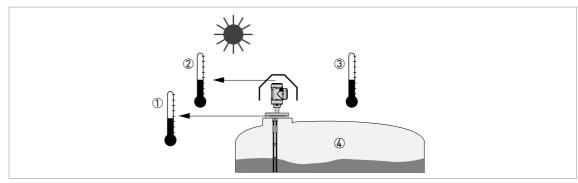


Figure 3-3: Pressure and temperature ranges

Temperature at the process connection

The temperature at the process connection must stay in the temperature range of the gasket material unless the device is a High-Temperature version. Refer to the table "Permitted temperature ranges for gaskets" that follows and to "Technical data" on page 127.

Devices with Hazardous Location approvals: see supplementary instructions

- ② Ambient temperature for operation of the display
 - -20...+60°C / -4...+140°F
 - If the ambient temperature is not between these limits, the display screen switches off automatically
- 3 Ambient temperature Non-Ex devices: min. (Compact) -36°C / -33°F, min. (Remote) -37°C / -34.6°F max. +80°C / +176°F Devices with Hazardous Location approvals: see supplementary instructions
- 4 Process pressure
 - -1...40 barg / -14.5...580 psig



WARNING

The process connection temperature range must agree with the temperature limits of the gasket material.

Permitted temperature ranges for gaskets

Gasket material	Pe	Permitted temperature ranges for gaskets			
	Standard version		High-Temper	rature version	
	[°C]	[°F]	[°C]	[°F]	
FKM/FPM	-40+150	-40+302	-40+300	-40+572	
Kalrez® 6375	-20+150	-4+302	-20+300	-4+572	
EPDM	-50+150	-58+302	-50+250	-58+482	

Compact version:

Ambient temperature / flange temperature, flange and threaded connection, in °C

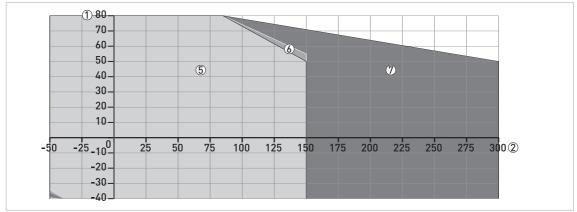


Figure 3-4: Compact version: Ambient temperature / flange temperature, flange and threaded connection, in °C

Ambient temperature / flange temperature, flange and threaded connection, in °F

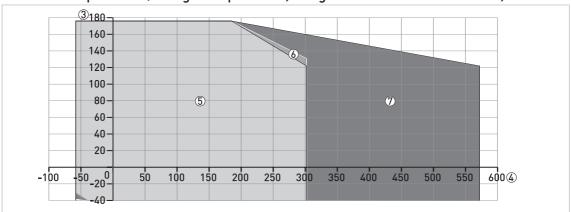


Figure 3-5: Compact version: Ambient temperature / flange temperature, flange and threaded connection, in °F

- ① Maximum ambient temperature, °C
- ② Maximum flange temperature, °C
- 3 Maximum ambient temperature, °F
- 4 Maximum flange temperature, °F
- ⑤ All probes
- 6 All versions of the 2 mm / 0.08" single cable probe
- ① High-Temperature (HT) version of the Ø2 mm / 0.08" single cable probe



INFORMATION!

When the process temperature is -50° C / -58° F and the device has an EPDM gasket, there is a de-rating for the ambient temperature:

Compact version

 $T_a = -36^{\circ}\text{C}/-32.8^{\circ}\text{F}$ for the Ø2 mm / 0.08' single cable probe

 $T_a = -39^{\circ}\text{C}/-38.2^{\circ}\text{F}$ for the high-temperature (HT) version of the Ø2 mm / 0.08° single cable probe

 $T_a = -37^{\circ}C/-34.6^{\circ}F$ for all other probes

Hygienic applications only: When the process temperature is -45°C/-49°F and the device has an EPDM gasket, there is a de-rating for the ambient temperature. $T_a = -39$ °C/-38.2°F

Remote version (probe housing):

Ambient temperature / flange temperature, flange and threaded connection, in °C

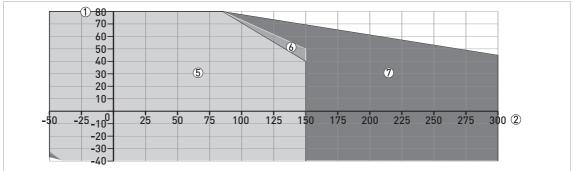


Figure 3-6: Remote version (probe housing): Ambient temperature / flange temperature, flange and threaded connection, in $^{\circ}$ C

Ambient temperature / flange temperature, flange and threaded connection, in °F

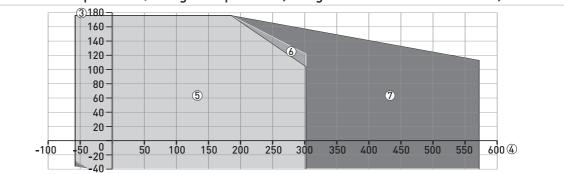


Figure 3-7: Remote version (probe housing): Ambient temperature / flange temperature, flange and threaded connection, in $^\circ F$

- 1 Maximum ambient temperature, °C
- 2 Maximum flange temperature, °C
- 3 Maximum ambient temperature, °F
- Maximum flange temperature, °F
- ⑤ All probes
- 6 All versions of the 2 mm / 0.08" single cable probe
- $\ensuremath{\mathfrak{D}}$ High-Temperature (HT) version of the Ø2 mm / 0.08" single cable probe



INFORMATION!

When the process temperature is -50°C/-58°F and the device has an EPDM gasket, there is a de-rating for the ambient temperature:

Remote version (probe housing)

 $T_a = -35^{\circ}C/-31^{\circ}F$ for the Ø2 mm / 0.08' single cable probe

 $T_a = -3\%$ C / -38.2° F for the high-temperature (HT) version of the Ø2 mm / 0.08° single cable probe

 $T_a = -36^{\circ}C/-32.8^{\circ}F$ for all other probes

Hygienic applications only: When the process temperature is -45° C $/ -49^{\circ}$ F and the device has an EPDM gasket, there is a de-rating for the ambient temperature. $T_a = -39^{\circ}$ C $/ -38.2^{\circ}$ F

3.5.2 General information for nozzles



CAUTION!

Follow these recommendations to make sure that the device measures correctly. They have an effect on the performance of the device.



CAUTION!

Do not put the process connection near to the product inlet. If the product that enters the tank touches the probe, the device will measure incorrectly.

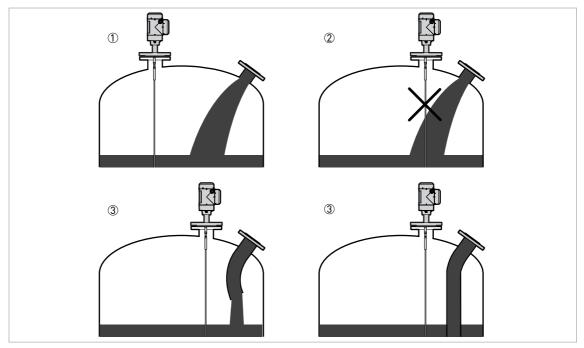


Figure 3-8: Do not put the device near to a product inlet

- ① The device is in the correct position.
- 2 The device is too near to the product inlet.
- ③ If it is not possible to put the device in the recommended position, install a deflector pipe.

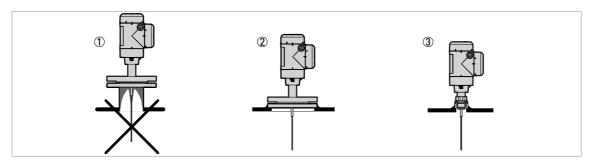


Figure 3-9: How to prevent build-up of product around the process connection

- ① If product particles are likely to collect in holes, a nozzle is not recommended.
- 2 Attach the flange directly to the tank.
- ③ Use a threaded connection to attach the device directly to the tank.

For single cable and single rod probes:

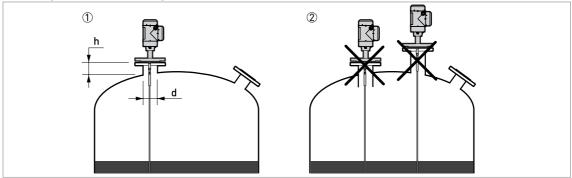


Figure 3-10: Recommended nozzle dimensions for single rod and single cable probes

- 1 Recommended conditions: h \leq d, where h is the height of the tank nozzle and d is the diameter of the tank nozzle.
- ② The end of the nozzle must not have an extension into the tank. Do not install the device on a high nozzle.



CAUTION!

If the device is installed on a high nozzle, make sure that the probe does not touch the side of the nozzle (attach the probe end etc.).

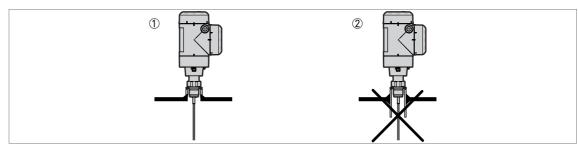


Figure 3-11: Sockets for threaded process connections

- Recommended installation
- ② The end of the socket must not have an extension into the tank

For double cable and double rod probes:

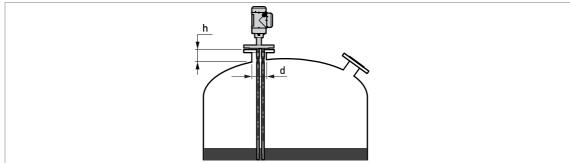


Figure 3-12: Recommended nozzle dimensions for double rod and double cable probes

 $d \geq 50 \ mm$ / 2", where d is the diameter of the tank nozzle

For coaxial probes:

If your device has a coaxial probe, you can ignore these installation recommendations.



CAUTION!

Install coaxial probes in clean liquids that are not too viscous.

3.5.3 Installation requirements for concrete roofs

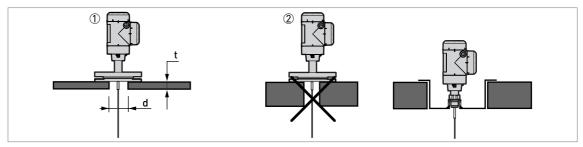


Figure 3-13: Installation on a concrete roof

- ① The diameter, d, of the hole must be greater than the thickness, t, of the concrete.
- ② If the thickness, t, of the concrete is greater than the diameter, d, of the hole, install the device in a recess.

3.6 Installation recommendations for liquids

3.6.1 General requirements

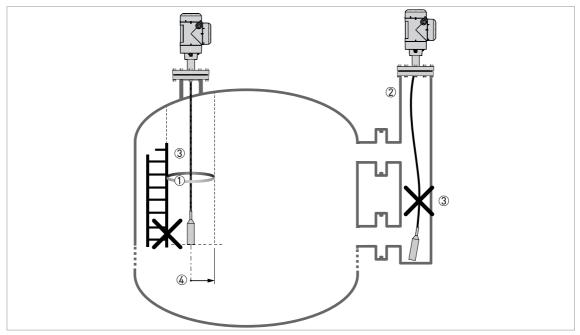


Figure 3-14: Installation recommendations for liquids

- ① The electromagnetic (EM) field generated by the device. It has a radius of R_{min}. Make sure that the EM field is clear of objects and product flow. Refer to the table that follows.
- ② If there are too many objects in the tank, install a bypass chamber or stilling well
- (3) Keep the probe straight. If the probe is too long, shorten the probe length. Make sure that the device is configured with the new probe length. For more data on the procedure, refer to *How to decrease the length of probes* on page 100.
- 4 Empty space. Refer to the table that follows.

Clearance between the probe and other objects in the tank

Probe type	Empty space (radius, R _{min}), around the probe		
	[mm]	[inches]	
Coaxial	0	0	
Double rod / cable	100	4	
Single rod / cable	300	12	

3.6.2 How to attach probes to the bottom of the tank

If the liquid is agitated or turbulent, you can attach the probe to the bottom of the tank. The procedure to attach the probe depends on the type of probe used.



CAUTION!

Keep the probe straight.

Double rod Ø8 mm / 0.32"

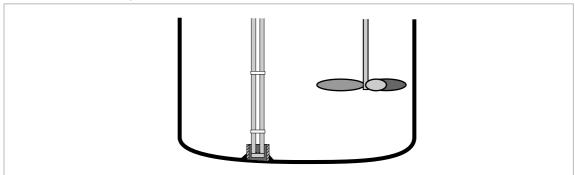


Figure 3-15: How to attach a double rod probe to keep it straight



- Weld a tube with an internal diameter of 28...30 mm / 1.1...1.2" to the bottom of the tank.
- Make sure the tube aligns with the process connection at the top of the tank.
- Lower the probe into the tank.
- Put the end of the probe into the tube.

Double cable Ø4 mm / 0.16"

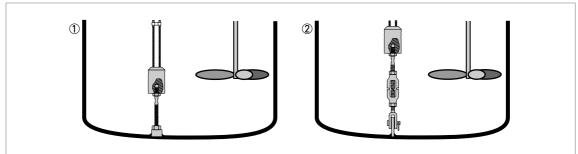


Figure 3-16: How to attach a double cable probe to keep it straight

The probe counterweight has a hole with an M8 internal thread. You can also select the appropriate options and attach:



- An anchoring rod
- ② A turnbuckle

For more data, speak or write to your supplier.

Single rod Ø8 mm / 0.32"

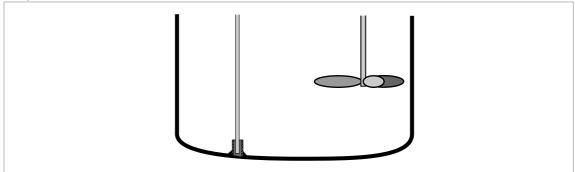


Figure 3-17: How to attach a single rod probe to keep it straight



- Weld a tube with an internal diameter of 12 mm / 0.5" to the bottom of the tank.
- Make sure the tube aligns with the process connection at the top of the tank.
- Lower the probe into the tank.
- Put the end of the probe into the tube.

Single cable Ø4 mm / 0.16"

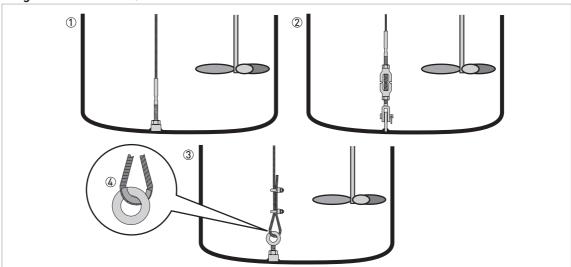


Figure 3-18: How to attach a $\emptyset 4 \text{ mm} / 0.16 \degree$ single cable probe to keep it straight

- ① Probe with threaded end
- 2 Probe with turnbuckle
- ③ Probe with chuck
- (4) If you chose a chuck to anchor the probe, we recommend that you fit a ferrule (metal sheath not supplied) at the bottom of the loop to prevent cable wear

The probe counterweight has a hole with an M8 internal thread. The other probe end options are given in the illustration.



CAUTION!

If your device has a chuck, you must recalculate the probe length. For the procedure, refer to How to decrease the length of probes on page 100. If the device is not set to the correct probe length, it is possible that the device will not measure correctly.

Single cable Ø2 mm / 0.08"

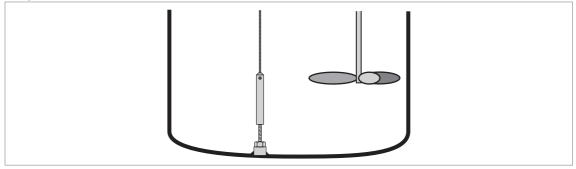


Figure 3-19: How to attach a $\emptyset 2 \text{ mm} / 0.08^\circ$ single cable probe to keep it straight

The probe counterweight has a hole with an M8 internal thread. You can attach the probe counterweight to a threaded end.

Coaxial Ø22 mm / 0.87"

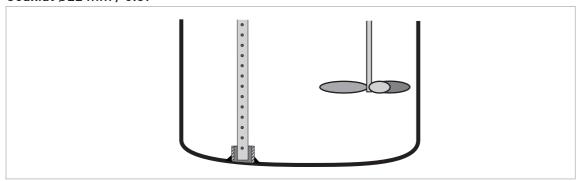


Figure 3-20: How to attach a coaxial probe to keep it straight



- **Ø22 mm / 0.87" coaxial probe:** Weld a tube with an internal diameter of 23...25 mm / 0.91...1" to the bottom of the tank.
- Make sure the tube aligns with the process connection at the top of the tank.
- Lower the probe into the tank.
- Put the end of the probe into the tube.

If this is not possible, you can attach braces to the probe.

3.6.3 Installation in standpipes (stilling wells and bypass chambers)

Use a standpipe if:

- The liquid is very turbulent or agitated.
- There are too many other objects in the tank.
- The device is measuring a liquid in a tank with a floating roof.

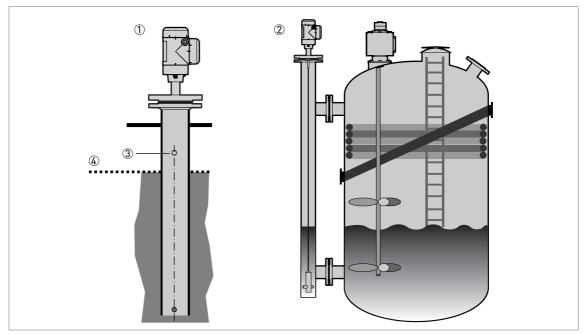


Figure 3-21: Installation recommendations for standpipes (stilling wells and bypass chambers)

- Stilling well
- ② Bypass chamber
- 3 Vent
- 4 Level of the liquid



INFORMATION!

Stilling wells are not necessary for devices with coaxial probes. But if there is a sudden change in diameter in the stilling well, we recommend that you install a device with a coaxial probe.



CAUTION!

- The standpipe must be electrically conductive. If the standpipe is not made of metal, obey the instructions for empty space around the probe. For more data, refer to General requirements on page 24.
- The standpipe must be straight. There must be no changes in diameter from the device process connection to the bottom of the standpipe.
- The standpipe must be vertical.
- Recommended surface roughness: < ±0.1 mm / 0.004".
- The bottom of the stilling well must be open.
- Adjust the probe to the center of the standpipe.
- Make sure that there are no deposits at the bottom of the standpipe which can cause blockage of the process connections.
- Make sure that there is liquid in the standpipe.

Floating roofs

If the device is for a tank with a floating roof, install it in a stilling well.

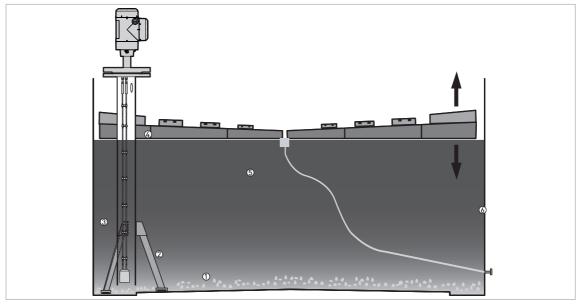


Figure 3-22: Floating roofs

- Sediment
- ② Support fixtures
- 3 Stilling well
- 4 Floating roof
- ⑤ Product
- (6) Tank

3.7 Installation recommendations for solids

3.7.1 Nozzles on conical silos

We recommend that you prepare the installation when the silo is empty.



DANGER!

Risk of electrostatic discharge (ESD): The device is resistant to electrostatic discharges of up to 30 kV, but it is the responsibility of the fitter and the user to prevent ESD.



CAUTION!

Install the device at the correct location to measure level correctly and prevent too much bending and traction. If necessary, attach the probe to the bottom of the tank.

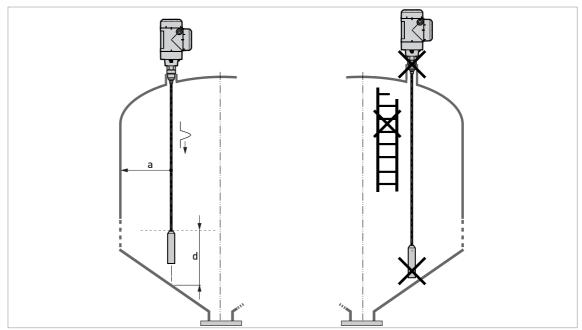


Figure 3-23: Installation recommendations for solids

a ≥ 300 mm / 12"

 $d \ge 300 \text{ mm} / 12^{\circ}$

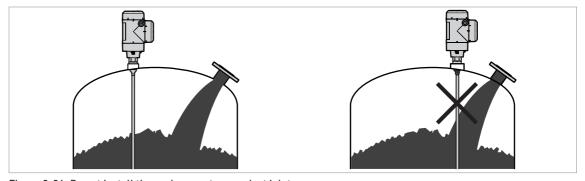


Figure 3-24: Do not install the probe near to a product inlet $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) \left(1\right$

3.7.2 Traction loads on the probe

Traction load depends on:

- The height and shape of the tank.
- The particle size and density.
- The rate at which the tank is emptied.



CAUTION

Risk of damage to the cable probe. High loads can break the cable. If the load on the $\emptyset 8$ mm $/ 0.32^\circ$ single cable probe is more than 3500 kg / 7700 lb, contact your supplier. If the load on the $\emptyset 4$ mm $/ 0.16^\circ$ single cable probe is more than 875 kg / 1930 lb, contact your supplier.



CAUTION!

Make sure that the tank roof is resistant to deformation at high loads.

Estimated traction load on the probe in kg

Material	Probe length, 10 m Probe length, 20 m		Probe length, 30 m
	[kg]		
Cement	1000	2000	3000
Fly ash	500	1000	1500
Wheat	300	500	1200

Estimated traction load on the probe in lb

Material	Probe length, 33 ft Probe length,		Probe length, 98 ft
	[(b]		
Cement	2200	4410	6520
Fly ash	1100	2200	3300
Wheat	660	1100	2650

3.8 How to install the device on the tank

3.8.1 How to assemble the single rod probe (single-piece probe)



INFORMATION!

This procedure is for devices with single rod probes that are not segmented (single-piece probes).

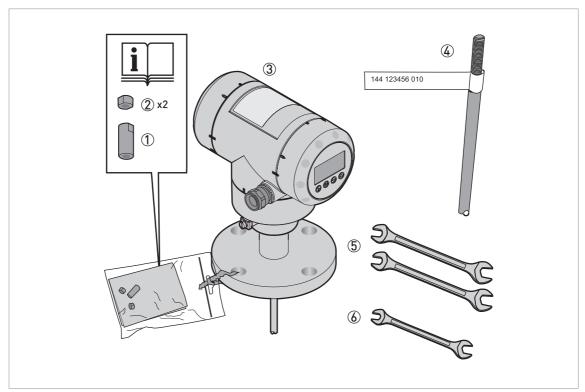
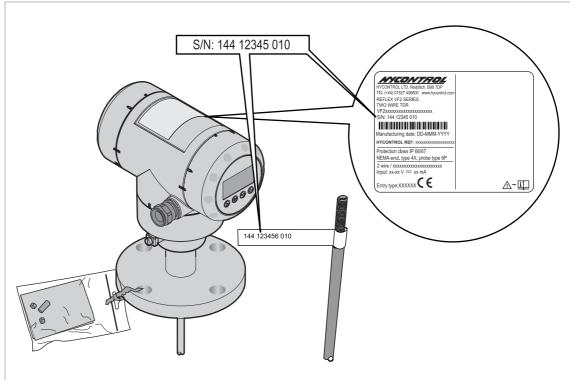


Figure 3-25: Equipment needed to assemble the device

- ① Union nut
- ② 2 locking nuts
- 3 Housing assembly
- Single rod probe
- ⑤ Tools: two 8 mm open-ended wrenches (not supplied)
- Tools: one 7 mm open-ended wrench (not supplied)

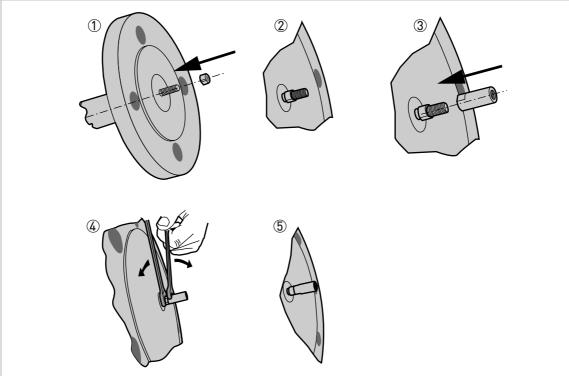


Part 1: Check the order number on each component

Figure 3-26: Part 1: Check the order number on each component



- Make sure that the housing and the single rod have the same ID numbers.
- Remove the sticker from the probe.

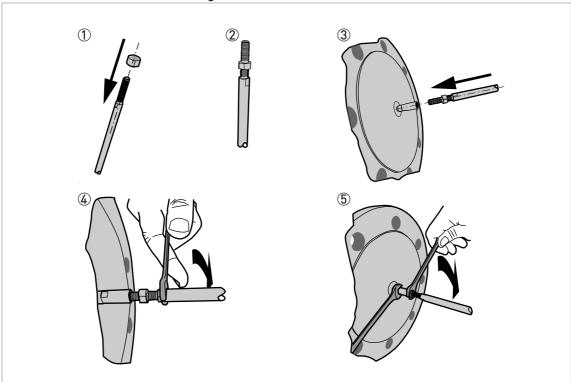


Part2: How to attach the locking nut and union nut

Figure 3-27: Part2: How to attach the locking nut and union nut



- ① Attach a locking nut to the housing assembly.
- 2 Make sure that the nut is fully engaged on the thread.
- 3 Attach the union nut to the housing assembly.
- 4 Tighten these nuts with the two 8 mm open-ended wrenches.
- ⑤ Continue the assembly procedure on the page that follows.



Part 3: How to attach the locking nut and union nut

Figure 3-28: Part 3: How to attach the locking nut and union nut



CAUTION!

Support the probe.



- ① Attach a locking nut to the single rod.
- ② Make sure that the locking nut is engaged ¾ along the length of the thread.
- 3 Attach the single rod to the union nut. Make sure the probe touches the housing assembly.
- 4 Tighten the single probe with a 7 mm open-ended wrench.
- ⑤ Tighten the locking nut against the union nut with two 8 mm open-ended wrenches.

3.8.2 How to assemble the single rod probe (segmented probe)



INFORMATION!

This procedure is for devices with single rod probes that are segmented.

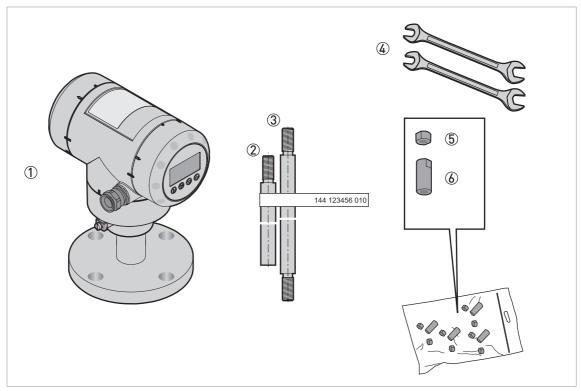


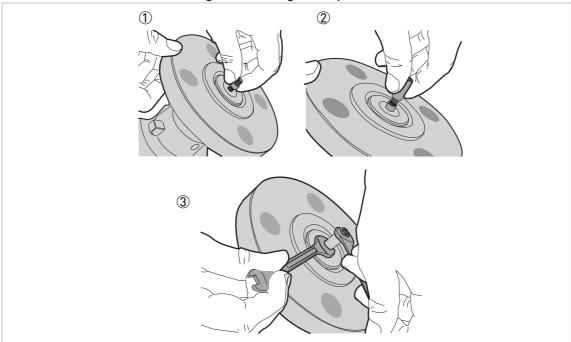
Figure 3-29: Equipment needed to assemble the single rod probe (segmented)

- ① Converter and process connection
- ② Bottom (quantity: 1) segment of the rod probe
- 3 Top and middle (if more than one) segments of the rod probe
- 4 Tools: two 8 mm open-end wrenches (not supplied)
- (5) Lock nuts (2 lock nuts per segment)
- (6) Union nut (1 union nut per segment)



CAUTION!

Make sure that the housing and the single rod have the same ID numbers.



Part 1: How to assemble the segmented single rod probe

Figure 3-30: Part 1: How to assemble the segmented single rod probe

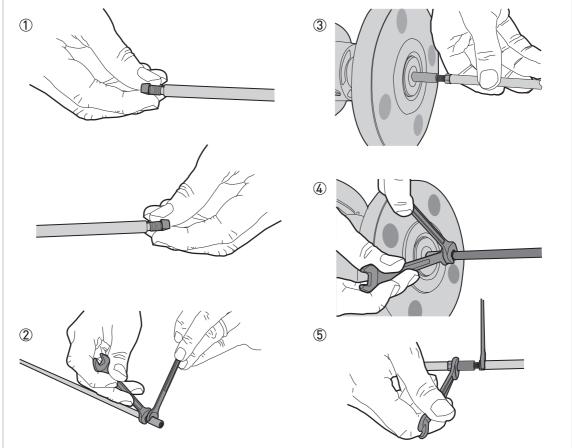


CAUTION!

Make sure that the nuts are tight and the rod probe cannot loosen.



- 1 Attach a lock nut to the threaded rod below the process connection. Turn the nut until it is $\frac{3}{4}$ along the length of the rod.
- 2 Attach a union nut to the threaded rod below the process connection.
- ③ Use two 8 mm open-end wrenches to tighten the union nut against the lock nut.



Part 2: How to assemble the segmented single rod probe

Figure 3-31: Part 2: How to assemble the segmented single rod probe



WARNING!

Put a support below the probe to prevent deformation.



CAUTION!

Make sure that the nuts are tight and the rod probe cannot loosen.



- ① Attach a lock nut to each end of the rod probe segments.
- ② Attach a union nut to the bottom end of each rod probe segment, but not to the bottom segment. Use two 8 mm open-end wrenches to tighten the union nut against the lock nut.
- 3 Attach the top segment of the rod probe to the union nut below the process connection. Use two 8 mm open-end wrenches to tighten the union nut against the lock nut on the rod probe.
- 4 Attach the middle segment of the rod probe to the union nut on the top segment (if there are middle segments). Use two 8 mm open-end wrenches to tighten the union nut against the lock nut. Repeat this step for the other segments.
- (5) Attach the bottom segment of the rod probe to the union nut on the top segment. Use two 8 mm open-end wrenches to tighten the union nut against the lock nut.

3.8.3 How to assemble the segmented coaxial probe

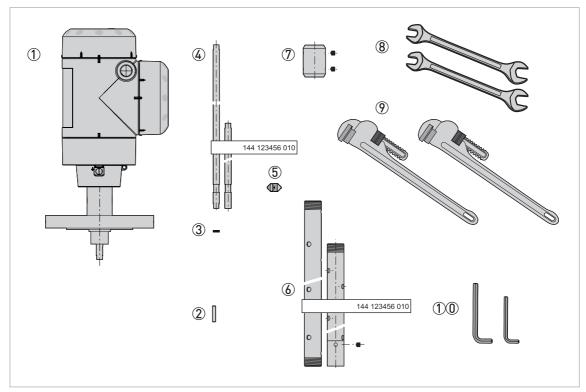


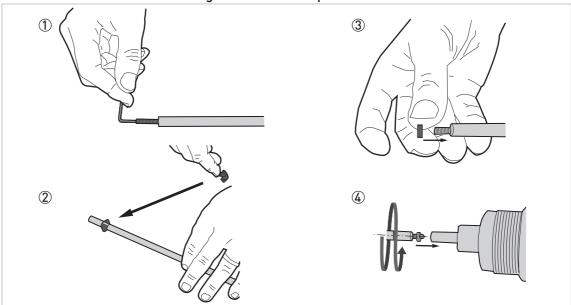
Figure 3-32: Equipment needed to assemble the coaxial probe

- ① Converter and process connection
- ② HC M4×20 screws (1 screw per probe segment)
- 3 Lock washers (1 pair of washers per probe segment)
- (a) Top (quantity: 1), middle (quantity: 1 or more) and bottom (quantity: 1 with 1 socket set screw M5×5) segments of the signal rod
- ⑤ PTFE spacer (1 spacer per probe segment)
- 6 Middle (quantity: 1 or more) and bottom (quantity: 1) segments of the coaxial tube
- ① Union nut with 2 socket set screws M5×5 (1 union nut per segment of the coaxial tube)
- Tools: two 7 mm open-end wrenches (not supplied)
- Tools: two pipe (Stillson) wrenches (not supplied)
- ①① Tools: one 2.5 mm Allen wrench and one 2 mm Allen wrench (not supplied)



CAUTION!

Make sure that the housing and the single rod have the same ID numbers.



Part 1: How to assemble the segmented coaxial probe

Figure 3-33: Part 1: How to assemble the segmented coaxial probe

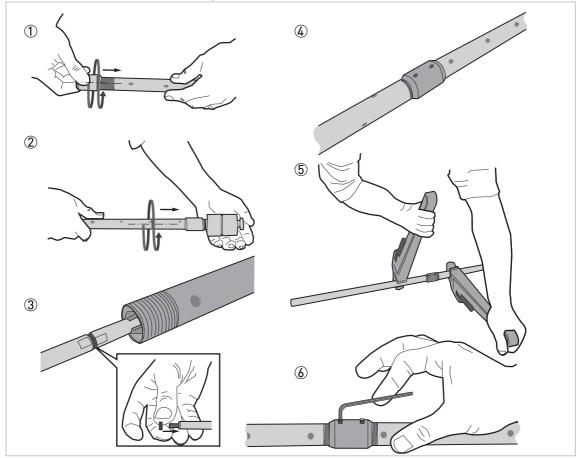


CAUTION!

Do not attach the screw to the end of the rod segment that has a groove for the attachment of a PTFE spacer.



- ① Use a 2 mm Allen wrench to attach and tighten a HC M4×20 screw at the top of each rod segment (intermediary and end rod segments)
- ② Attach a PTFE spacer to the end of each rod segment that has a groove.
- 3 Attach a pair of lock washers at the top of each rod segment (intermediary and end rod segments)
- 4 Assemble one of the middle rod segments (with a pair of lock washers on the attached screw) and the signal rod below. Use two 7 mm open-ended wrenches to tighten the assembled parts to a torque of 2...3 N·m.



Part 2: How to assemble the segmented coaxial probe

Figure 3-34: How to assemble the segmented coaxial probe: part 2



WARNING!

Be careful when you use the pipe wrenches. Make sure that the measuring tubes have no deformation.



CAUTION!

- Make sure that the screws are tight and the measuring tube cannot loosen.
- Make sure that the fitting for the lock screw is not aligned with a hole in the coaxial tube.



- ① Attach a union nut to each coaxial tube (middle and end tubes)
- ② Attach a middle tube segment to the coaxial probe stem. Do not use tools to tighten the assembled parts.
- 3 Assemble the next middle rod segment (with a pair of lock washers on the attached screw) and the top rod segment. Use two 7 mm open-ended wrenches to tighten the assembled parts to a torque of 2...3 N·m.
- Assemble the next coaxial tube segment and the top coaxial tube segment. Do not use tools to tighten the assembled parts. Do steps (9) thru (10) again until the end rod segment and end coaxial tube are attached.
- ⑤ Use the 2 pipe wrenches to tighten the coaxial tubes in the lock nuts.
- (b) Use a 2.5 mm Allen wrench to attach and tighten the two HC M5×5 screws (lock screws) to the union nut.

Part 3: How to assemble the segmented coaxial probe

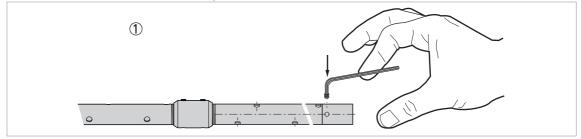


Figure 3-35: Part 3: How to assemble the segmented coaxial probe



CAUTION!

If the lock screw is not tight, the device will not measure correctly.



① Use a 2.5 mm Allen wrench to attach and tighten a HC M5×5 screw (lock screw) to the bottom segment of tube.

3.8.4 How to install a device with a flange connection

Equipment needed:

- Device
- Gasket (not supplied)
- Wrench (not supplied)

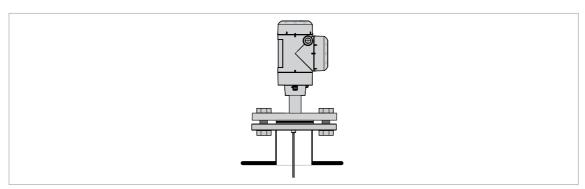


Figure 3-36: Flange connection



- Make sure that the flange on the nozzle is level.
- Make sure that you use the applicable gasket for the flange and the process.
- Align the gasket correctly on the flange facing of the nozzle.
- Lower the probe carefully into the tank.
- For more data on cable probes, refer to *How to install a cable probe in the tank* on page 46.
- Tighten the flange bolts.
- Refer to local rules and regulations for the correct torque to apply to the bolts.

3.8.5 How to install a device with a threaded connection

Equipment needed:

- Device
- Gasket (not supplied)
- 50 mm / 2" wrench (not supplied)

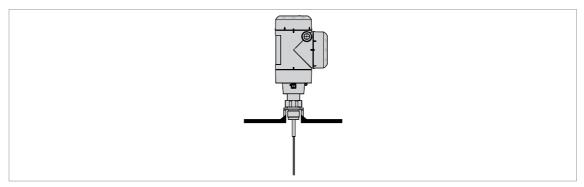


Figure 3-37: Threaded connection



- Make sure the tank connection is level.
- Make sure that you use the applicable gasket for the connection and the process.
- Align the gasket correctly.
- If the device is installed on a tank made of plastic or other non-conductive material, refer to Recommendations for pits and tanks made of non-conductive materials on page 47.
- Lower the probe carefully into the tank.
- For more data on cable probes, refer to *How to install a cable probe in the tank* on page 46.
- Use 50 mm / 2" wrench to attach the process connection to the tank.
- Tighten the nut.
- Refer to local rules and regulations for the correct torque to apply to the connection.



INFORMATION!

If there is not sufficient clearance to install the device, remove the housing. Install the probe and then put the housing back on the process connection. For more data, refer to How to turn or remove the signal converter on page 48.

3.8.6 How to install a device with a hygienic connection



CAUTION!

Make sure that you do not damage the polished parts.



INFORMATION!

To make the cleaning of the probe easier, attach the device to a short socket.

Tri-Clamp®

Equipment needed:

- Device with Tri-Clamp® adaptor
- Gasket (not supplied)
- Band clamp (not supplied)

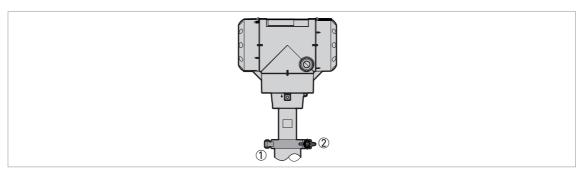


Figure 3-38: Tri-Clamp® connection

- 1 Tank socket
- ② Clamp



How to attach a device with a Tri-Clamp® connection

- Make sure that the tank connection is level.
- Make sure that you use the applicable gasket for the connection dimensions and the process.
- Align the gasket correctly.
- Lower the device with the Tri-Clamp® adaptor carefully on the tank process connection.
- Attach the band clamp to the process connection.
- Tighten the band clamp.

DIN 11851

Equipment needed:

- Device with a DIN 11851 adaptor
- Gasket (not supplied)
- DIN 11851 nut

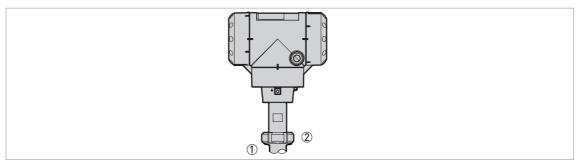


Figure 3-39: DIN 11851 connection

- 1 Tank socket
- ② Union nut for DIN 11851 connection



How to attach a device with a DIN 11851 connection

- Make sure that the tank connection is level.
- Make sure that you use the applicable gasket for the connection dimensions and the process.
- Align the gasket correctly.
- Lower the device with a DIN 11851 adaptor carefully on the tank process connection.
- Turn the nut on the device process connection to attach the device to the tank.
- Tighten the connection.
- Refer to local rules and regulations for the correct torque to apply to the connection.

3.8.7 How to install a cable probe in the tank

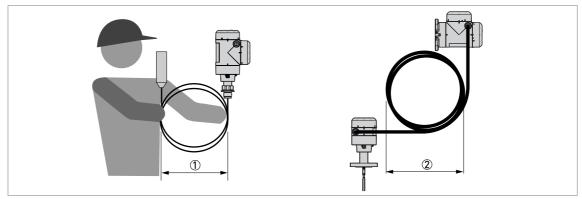


Figure 3-40: Wind cable probes and electrical cables carefully

- ① Do not wind cable probes less than 400 mm / 16" in diameter.
- ② Do not wind the flexible conduit less than 330 mm / 13" in diameter.



WARNING!

If you bend the probe too much, you will damage the device and it will not measure accurately.

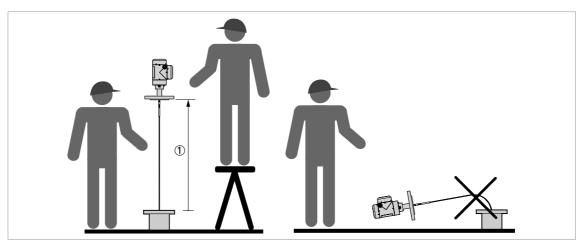


Figure 3-41: Installation of devices with cable probes

① >1 m / 3½ ft



- Use two persons to lift the housing and the probe above the process connection.
- Hold the device 1 m / 3½ ft above the tank.
- Unwind the probe carefully into the tank.

3.8.8 Recommendations for pits and tanks made of non-conductive materials



If you have a device with a single rod or a single cable probe and a thread connection, obey these instructions:

- Put a metal sheet between the device and the process connection.
- Tt must have a diameter greater than 200 mm / 8".
- Make sure that the metal sheet is in contact with the thread stop on the device.

We recommend that you use DN \geq 200 / \geq 8" for flange connections.

If you have a device with a double rod, double cable or coaxial probe, you can ignore these instructions.

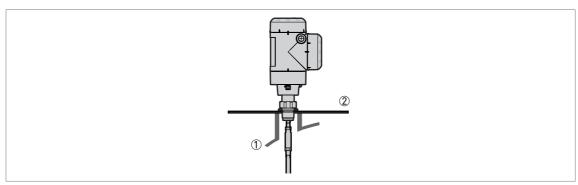


Figure 3-42: Installation in a non-metallic tank or pit with a thread connection

- ① Non-metallic (plastic etc.) tank or pit
- ② Metal sheet, $\emptyset \ge 200 \text{ mm} / 8^{\circ}$



CAUTION!

When the device is installed, make sure that the tank roof has no deformation.

3.8.9 Wall support for the remote version

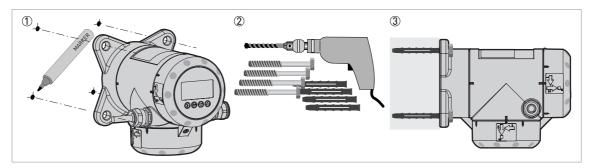


Figure 3-43: Wall support for the remote version (attached to the remote converter)



- ① Use marks on the wall to help you put the wall support in the correct position. For more data, refer to *Dimensions and weights* on page 144.
- ② Use equipment and tools that agree with health and safety regulations and good engineering practice.
- 3 Make sure that the wall support is correctly attached to the wall.

3.8.10 How to turn or remove the signal converter

The converter turns 360°. The converter can be removed from the process connection assembly under process conditions.

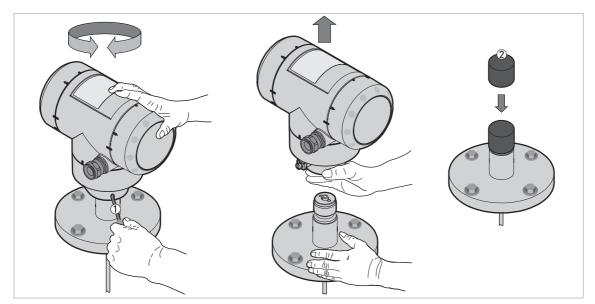


Figure 3-44: How to turn or remove the signal converter

- ① Tool: 5 mm Allen wrench (not supplied) for the lock screw on the signal converter
- ② Cover for the coaxial hole on top of the process connection assembly (not supplied)



CAUTION!

If you remove the housing, put a cover on the coaxial hole on top of the process connection assembly.

When the housing is attached to the process connection assembly, tighten the lock screw with the 5 mm Allen wrench \mathcal{D} .

3.8.11 How to attach the weather protection to the device

The device and the weather protection option are supplied disassembled in the same box. The weather protection can also be supplied as an accessory. You must attach the weather protection when you install the device.

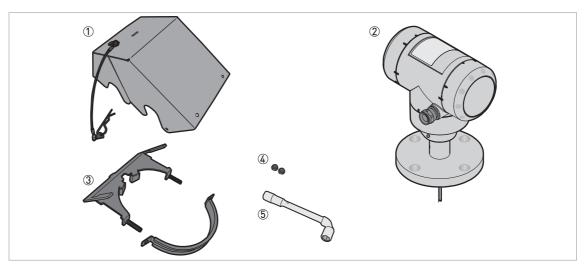


Figure 3-45: Equipment needed

- ① Weather protection cover (with an R-clip to hold the cover on the clamp)
- ② Device (with or without the optional display screen)
- ③ Weather protection clamp (2 parts)
- 4 10 mm socket wrench (not supplied)
- 5 2 locking nuts

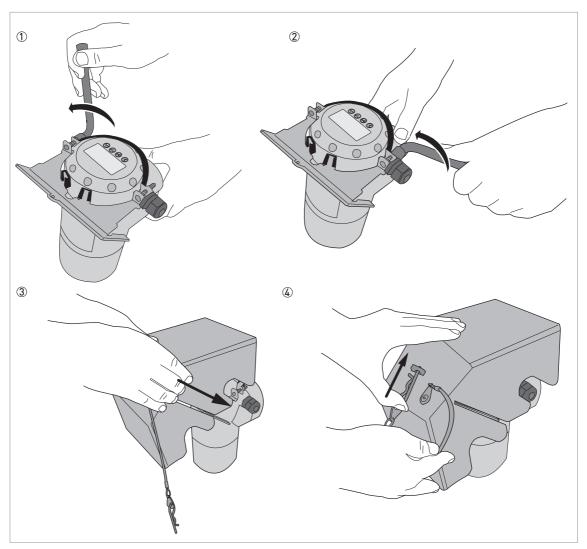


Figure 3-46: Installation of the weather protection on a vertical signal converter



INFORMATION!

Install the weather protection after you connect the device to the power supply.



- ① Put the weather protection clamp around the top of the device. Make sure that the locking nuts on the clamp are aligned with the cable entries.
- ② Attach the two locking nuts to the threads on the weather protection clamp. Tighten the locking nuts with a 10 mm socket wrench.
- 3 Lower the weather protection cover onto weather protection clamp until the hole for the lock is in the slot at the front of the cover.
- 4 Put the R-clip into the hole at the front of the weather protection cover.
- End of the procedure.

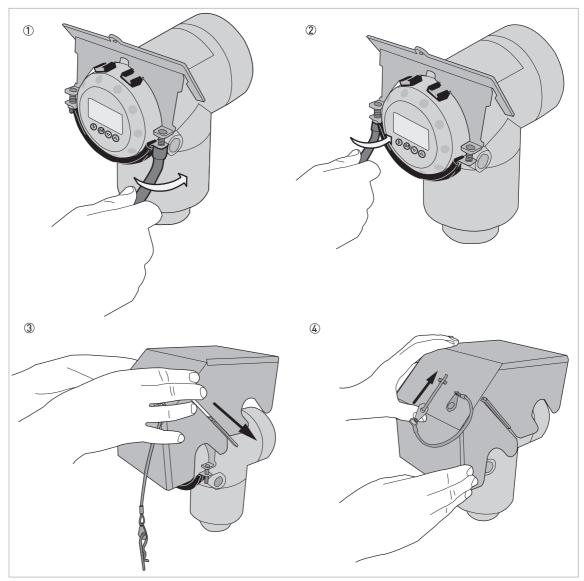


Figure 3-47: Installation of the weather protection on a horizontal signal converter



INFORMATION!

Install the weather protection after you connect the device to the power supply.



- ① Put the weather protection clamp around the front of the device (the end of the device that is nearest to the cable entry). Make sure that the locking nuts on the clamp are aligned with the cable entries.
- ② Attach the two locking nuts to the threads on the weather protection clamp. Tighten the locking nuts with a 10 mm socket wrench.
- 3 Lower the weather protection cover onto weather protection clamp until the hole for the lock is in the slot at the front of the cover.
- 4 Put the R-clip into the hole at the front of the weather protection cover.
- End of the procedure.

The overall dimensions of the weather protection are on page 144.

3.8.12 How to open the weather protection

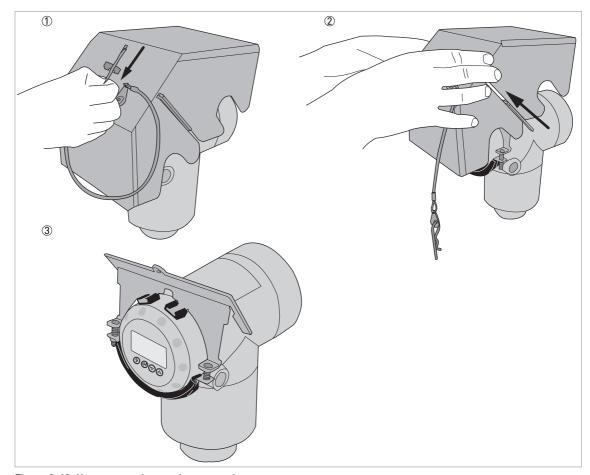


Figure 3-48: How to open the weather protection



INFORMATION!

Electrical installation: Remove the weather protection before you open the terminal compartment cover.



- ① Remove the R-clip from the hole at the front of the weather protection cover.
- 2 Remove the weather protection cover.
- End of the procedure.

4.1 Safety instructions



DANGER!

All work on the electrical connections may only be carried out with the power disconnected. Take note of the voltage data on the nameplate!



DANGER!

Observe the national regulations for electrical installations!



DANGER!

For devices used in hazardous areas, additional safety notes apply; please refer to the Ex documentation.



WARNING!

Observe without fail the local occupational health and safety regulations.

Any work done on the electrical components of the measuring device may only be carried out by properly trained specialists.



INFORMATION!

Look at the device nameplate to ensure that the device is delivered according to your order. Check for the correct supply voltage printed on the nameplate.

4.2 General notes

This chapter includes electrical connection data about devices with the 4...20 mA output and HART® communication options. These are 2-wire, loop-powered devices.



INFORMATION!

Devices with the FOUNDATION™ fieldbus output option:

For electrical connection data, refer to the "Description of FOUNDATION™ fieldbus interface" supplementary instructions.



INFORMATION!

Devices with the PROFIBUS PA output option:

For electrical connection data, refer to the "Description of PROFIBUS PA interface" supplementary instructions.

4.3 Electrical installation: 2-wire, loop-powered

4.3.1 Compact version

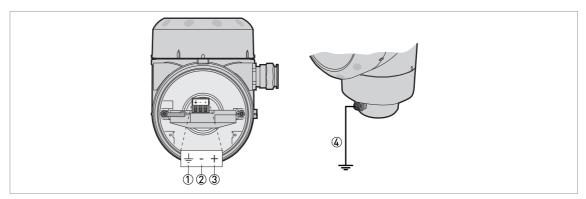


Figure 4-1: Terminals for electrical installation

- ① Grounding terminal in the housing (if the electrical cable is shielded)
- 2 Current output -
- 3 Current output +
- 4 Location of the external grounding terminal (at the bottom of the converter)



INFORMATION!

Electrical power to the output terminal energizes the device. The output terminal is also used for HART® communication.



CAUTION!

- Use the applicable electrical cables with the cable glands.
- Make sure that the current is not more than 5 A or that there is 5 A-rated fuse in the electrical circuit that energizes the device.
- Make sure that the polarity of the power supply is correct. If the polarity is incorrect, you will not cause damage to the device but the device will not operate.

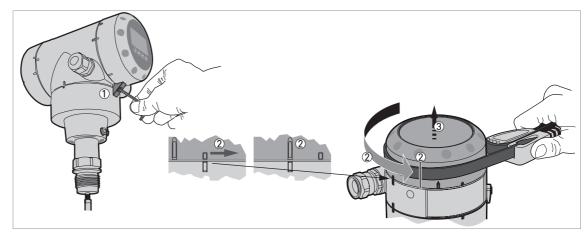


Figure 4-2: How to open the terminal compartment cover



- ① Loosen the lock screw with a 2.5 mm Allen wrench.
- ② Turn the cover counterclockwise with a strap wrench.

3 Remove the cover.

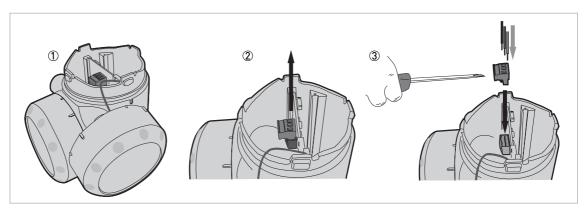


Figure 4-3: Procedure for electrical installation

Equipment needed:

• Small slotted tip screwdriver (not supplied)



Procedure:

- ① Do not disconnect the safety cord from the terminal compartment cover. Put the terminal compartment cover adjacent to the housing.
- ② Remove the connector from the circuit board.
- ③ Connect the electrical wires to the connector. Attach the connector to the circuit board. Tighten the cable entry glands.

Close the terminal compartment cover

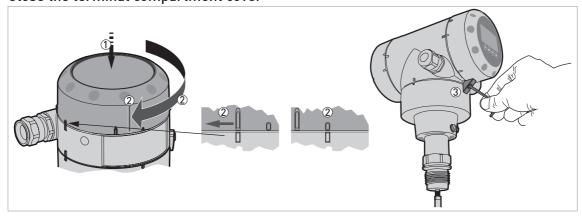


Figure 4-4: How to close the terminal compartment cover



- Put the cover on the housing and push it down.
- Turn the cover clockwise until it is fully engaged.
- Tighten the lock screw.

4.3.2 Remote version

Terminals for electrical installation

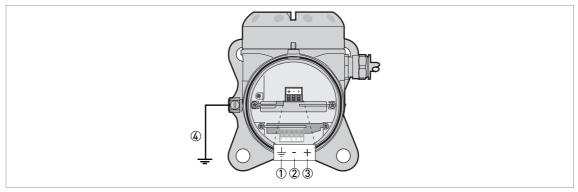


Figure 4-5: Terminals for electrical installation

- ① Grounding terminal in the housing (if the electrical cable is shielded)
- ② Current output -
- 3 Current output +
- 4 Location of the external grounding terminal (on the wall support)



INFORMATION!

Electrical power to the output terminal energizes the device. The output terminal is also used for HART® communication.

For more electrical installation data, refer to Compact version on page 54.

4.4 Remote device data

4.4.1 Requirements for signal cables supplied by the customer



DANGER!

An Ex-approved signal cable is supplied by the manufacturer with devices for hazardous locations. Use of this signal cable is mandatory.

Non-Ex devices only: The signal cable is an option for non-Ex devices. If the signal cable is not supplied by the device manufacturer, the cable must have properties that follow:

Basic properties

• Twisted cable 2 by 2, shielded or screened.

Maximum length of the signal cable

• 100 m / 328 ft

Temperature

- Use electrical cable with the applicable temperature rating for the operating conditions.
- Ambient temperature range: -40...+80°C / -40...+176°F
- We recommend that the cable agrees with UL 94V-0.

Dimensions of the insulated conductors

 Min.-max. cross-sectional area of the conductors: 4×0.326...4×2.5 mm² (22....14 AWG), shielded cable

- Use the applicable cable for the cable glands (Ø6....10 mm / 0.24...0.39").
- Use the applicable cable glands for the cable entry openings in the housing.

Electrical characteristics

- Test voltage: Insulated conductor / shield (screen) ≥ 500 VAC
- Line resistance: $< 55 \Omega/km$
- The cable must agree with EN 60811 (Low Voltage Directive) or equivalent national regulations.

4.4.2 How to prepare a signal cable supplied by the customer

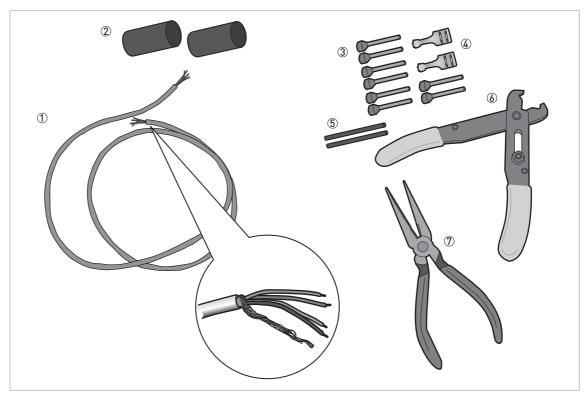


Figure 4-6: Equipment needed to prepare the signal cable

- ① Signal cable (supplied on request)
- 2 1 heat-shrinkable sleeves for the jacket (not supplied)
- 3 8 ferrules for the end of the conductors (not supplied)
- 4 2 Faston connectors for the shield wires
- 5 Shield wire insulation, 2 sleeves
- Wire stripper (not supplied)
- ⑦ Crimping pliers (not supplied)



INFORMATION!

- The Faston connector for the stranded drain wire must agree with DIN 46 228: E 1.5-8
- The wire end ferrules for the twisted pair of conductors must agree with DIN 46 228: E 0.5-8

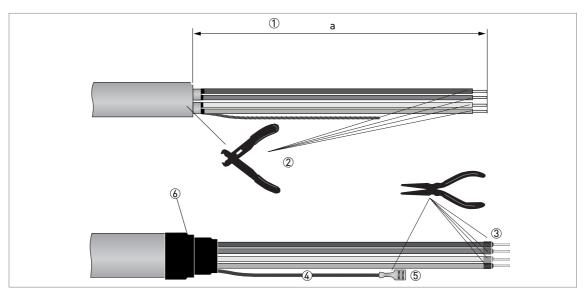


Figure 4-7: How to prepare the signal cable



- ① Remove the jacket from the wire to dimension "a". a = 50 mm / 2".
- 2 Remove the insulation from the wire. Obey national regulations for electrical wiring.
- 3 Crimp the wire end ferrules on the conductors.
- 4 Install shield wire insulation on the 2 ends of the shield wire.
- ⑤ Crimp the Faston connectors on the 2 ends of the shield wire.
- 6 Install a heat-shrinkable sleeve on the jacket.

4.4.3 How to connect the signal cable to the device



DANGER!

Cables may only be connected when the power is switched off.



DANGER!

The device must be grounded in accordance with regulations in order to protect personnel against electric shocks.



DANGER!

For devices used in hazardous areas, additional safety notes apply; please refer to the Ex documentation.



WARNING!

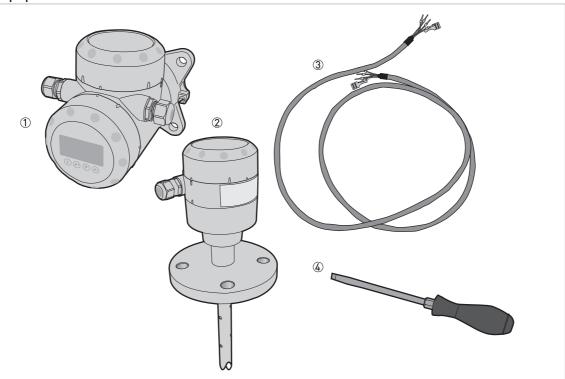
Observe without fail the local occupational health and safety regulations.

Any work done on the electrical components of the measuring device may only be carried out by properly trained specialists.



CAUTION!

Do not wind the signal cable. This configuration will prevent interference from electromagnetic fields.



Equipment needed

Figure 4-8: Equipment needed to prepare the signal cable

- Remote converter
- 2 Probe housing
- ③ Signal cable (supplied on request for non-Ex devices) for more data, refer to How to prepare a signal cable supplied by the customer on page 57
- (4) Small slotted-tip screwdriver (not supplied)

Connections between the remote converter and the probe housing

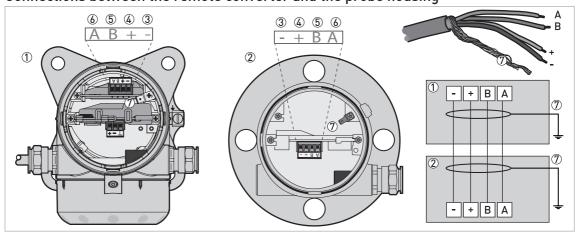
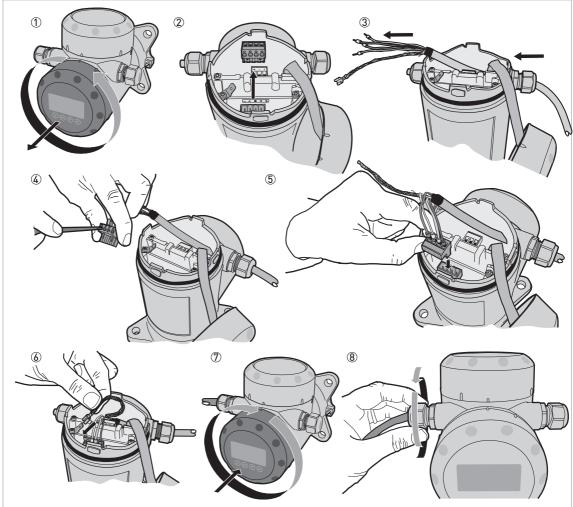


Figure 4-9: Connections between the remote converter and the probe housing

- ① Remote converter
- 2 Probe housing
- ③ Power supply: voltage in -
- 4 Power supply: voltage in +5 Signal cable B
- 6 Signal cable A
- Thielding wire (attached to Faston connectors in the housings of the remote converter and the probe housing)



How to connect the signal cable to the remote converter

Figure 4-10: How to connect the signal cable to the remote converter

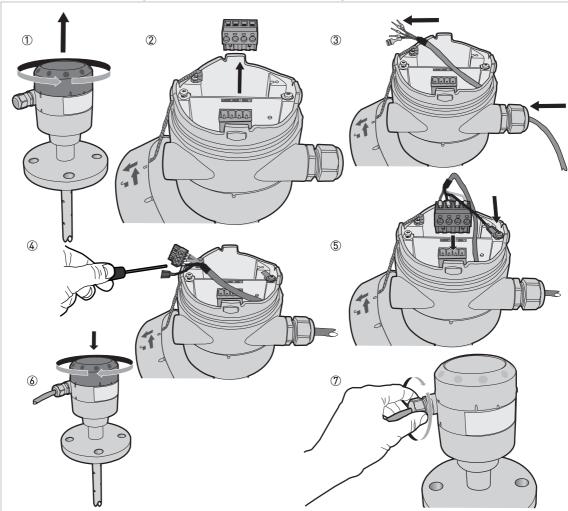


CAUTION!

Bending radius of the signal cable: ≥ 50 mm / 2"



- ① Remove the terminal compartment cover.
- 2 Remove the 4-pin connector.
- ③ Put the signal cable into the opening of the cable gland.
- 4 Put the electrical wires in the connector terminals. Tighten the terminal screws with a small slotted-tip screwdriver. Make sure that the electrical wires agree with the terminals. For more data, refer to the electrical schematic diagram in this section.
- 5 Put the connector into the 4-pin socket.
- 6 Attach the Faston connector (drain wire).
- Attach the terminal compartment cover.
- ® Tighten the cable gland. Make sure that the remote converter is correctly sealed.



How to connect the signal cable to the probe housing

Figure 4-11: How to connect the signal cable to the probe housing



CAUTION!

Bending radius of the signal cable: ≥ 50 mm / 2"



- 1 Remove the terminal compartment cover.
- 2 Remove the 4-pin connector.
- ③ Put the signal cable into the opening of the cable gland.
- ④ Put the electrical wires in the connector terminals. Tighten the terminal screws with a small slotted-tip screwdriver. Make sure that the electrical wires agree with the terminals. For more data, refer to the electrical schematic diagram in this section.
- ⑤ Put the connector into the 4-pin socket. Attach the Faston connector (drain wire).
- 6 Attach the terminal compartment cover.
- ① Tighten the cable gland. Make sure that the probe housing is correctly sealed.

4.5 Electrical connection for current output

4.5.1 Non-Ex devices

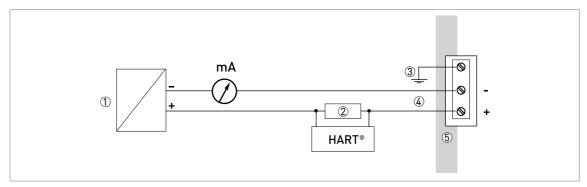


Figure 4-12: Electrical connections for non-Ex devices

- Power supply
- 2 Resistor for HART® communication
- 3 Optional connection to the grounding terminal
- 4 Output: 11.5...30 V DC for an output of 22 mA at the terminal
- (5) Device

4.5.2 Devices for hazardous locations



DANGER!

For electrical data for device operation in hazardous locations, refer to the related certificates of compliance and supplementary instructions (ATEX etc.). This documentation can be downloaded from the website.

4.6 Protection category



INFORMATION!

The device fulfils all requirements per protection category IP66 / IP67. It also fulfils all requirements per NEMA type 4X (housing) and type 6P (probe).



DANGER!

Make sure that the cable gland is watertight.

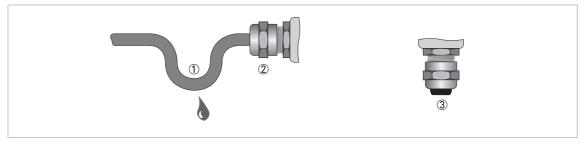


Figure 4-13: How to make the installation agree with protection category IP67



- Make sure that the gaskets are not damaged.
- Make sure that the electrical cables are not damaged.
- Make sure that the electrical cables agree with the national electrical code.
- The cables are in a loop in front of the device ① so water does not go into the housing.
- Tighten the cable feedthroughs ②.
- Close unused cable feedthroughs with dummy plugs ③.

Refer to the table that follows for the diameter of the outer sheath of the electrical cable:

Min. / Max. diameter of the electrical cable

Type of electrical cable	Approval	Min. / Max. diameter of the electrical cable	
		[mm]	[inches]
Power supply / output	non-Ex / Ex i	67.5	0.240.3
Power supply / output	Exd	610	0.240.39
Signal cable (for the remote version) ①	non-Ex / Ex i / Ex d	610	0.240.39

① This electrical cable is connected between the remote converter and the probe housing

4.7 Networks

4.7.1 General information

The device uses the HART® communication protocol. This protocol agrees with the HART® Communication Foundation standard. The device can be connected point-to-point. It can also have a polling address of 1 to 63 in a multi-drop network.

The device output is factory-set to communicate point-to-point. To change the communication mode from **point-to-point** to **multi-drop**, refer to *HART*® network configuration on page 94.

4.7.2 Point-to-point networks

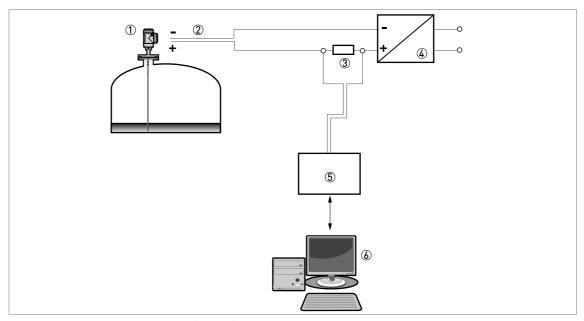


Figure 4-14: Point-to-point connection (non-Ex)

- ① Address of the device (0 for a point-to-point connection)
- 2 4...20 mA + HART®
- 3 Resistor for HART® communication
- 4 Power supply
- ⑤ HART® modem
- HART® communication device

4.7.3 Multi-drop networks

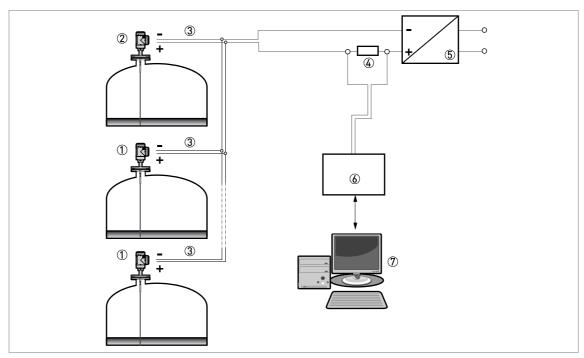


Figure 4-15: Multi-drop network (non-Ex)

- ① Address of the device (n+1 for multidrop networks)
- 2 Address of the device (1 for multidrop networks)
- 3 4 mA + HART®
- 4 Resistor for HART® communication
- ⑤ Power supply
- 6 HART® modem
- ⑦ HART® communication device

4.7.4 Fieldbus networks

For more data, refer to the supplementary instructions for FOUNDATION $^{\text{TM}}$ fieldbus and PROFIBUS PA.

FOUNDATION™ fieldbus network (non-Ex)

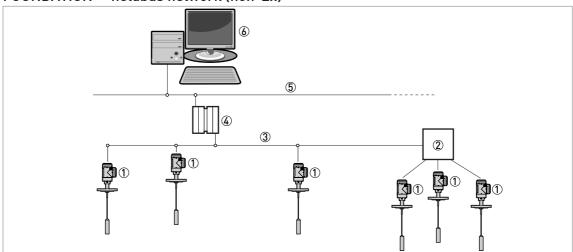


Figure 4-16: FOUNDATION™ fieldbus network (non-Ex)

- ① Field device
- 2 Junction box
- 3 H1 network
- 4 H1/HSE converter
- 5 High Speed Ethernet (HSE)
- 6 Workstation

PROFIBUS PA/DP network (non-Ex)

Figure 4-17: PROFIBUS PA/DP network (non-Ex)

- ① Field device
- 2 Bus termination
- ③ PROFIBUS PA bus segment
- 4 Segment coupler (PA/DP link)
- (5) PROFIBUS DP bus line
- 6 Control system (PLC / Class 1 master device)
- © Engineering or operator workstation (Control tool / Class 2 master device)

5.1 How to start the device

5.1.1 Start-up checklist

Check these points before you energize the device:

- Are all the wetted components (probe, process connection and gaskets) chemically resistant to the product in the tank?
- Does the information on the signal converter nameplate agree with the operating data?
- Did you correctly install the device on the tank?
- Do the electrical connections agree with the national electrical codes?



DANGER!

If the device has a Hazardous Locations approval, make sure that the device and the installation agrees with the requirements of the certificate of compliance.

5.1.2 How to start the device



- Connect the converter to the power supply.
- Energize the converter.
- Devices with the LCD display option only: After 10 seconds the screen will display "Starting up". After 20 seconds the screen will display the software version numbers. After 30 seconds the default screen will appear.
- The device will display readings.



INFORMATION!

This chapter and the start of the chapter that follows tell you what data is given on the device display in normal mode and how to change device settings in configuration mode. If you know about how this device operates, you can ignore this data. Continue with the quick setup procedure. For more data about this procedure, refer to Commissioning on page 87.

5.2 Operating concept

You can read measurements and configure the device with:

- A digital display screen (optional).
- A connection to a system or PC with PACTware[™]. You can download the Device Type Manager (DTM) file from the website.
- A connection to a system or PC with AMS™. You can download the Device Description (DD) file from the website.
- A connection to a HART® Field Communicator. You can download the Device Description (DD) file from the website.

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5.3 Digital display screen

5.3.1 Local display screen layout

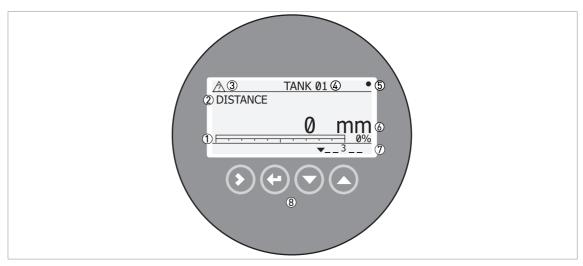


Figure 5-1: Local display screen layout in Normal mode

- ① Current output percentage (bar graph and text only shown if the current output function is the same as the measurement on the screen in normal mode)
- 2 Measurement type (in this example, distance)
- 3 Device status (NE 107 symbols)
- 4 Device tag name
- ⑤ Updated measurement data symbol (the symbol flashes each time the measurement data is updated)
- Measurement value and units
- ⑦ Device status (markers)
- Keypad buttons (refer to the table in the section that follows)

The current output percentage is only shown if the measurement type (refer to item ② in the illustration) is the same as the output function. The parameter is set in menu item 2.4.1 (OUTPUT FUNC.). For example, if the output function is set to "Level" and the device shows "Level" measurements in normal mode, the bar graph and value is shown (refer to item ① in the illustration).



Figure 5-2: Local display screen layout in configuration mode

- ① Function name
- 2 Configuration mode symbol
- 3 Menu number

5.3.2 Functions of keypad buttons

Keypad button	Function	
[Dight]	Normal mode: Enter Information menu (Enter Configuration mode)	
[Right]	Configuration mode: Move cursor to the right	
[Return / Escape]	Normal mode: Change units (m, cm, mm, in, ft)	
[Return / Escape]	Configuration mode: Exit	
Down]	Normal mode: Change measurement type (distance, level, output (%), output (mA), conversion, ullage conversion) ①	
	Configuration mode: Decrease value or change parameter	
I ₽ (Up)	Normal mode: Change measurement type (distance, level, output (%), output (mA), conversion, ullage conversion) ①	
	Configuration mode: Increase value or change parameter	

① If you have made a strapping table in menu item 2.8.1 INPUT TABLE for volume or mass measurement, "Conversion" and "Ullage Conv." will be shown in the list of measurement types

For data on keypad functions, refer to Normal mode on page 72.

5.4 Remote communication with PACTware™

PACTware™ displays measurement information clearly and lets you configure the device from a remote location. It is an Open Source, open configuration software for all field devices. It uses Field Device Tool (FDT) technology. FDT is a communication standard for sending information between the system and the field device. This standard agrees with IEC 62453. Field devices are easily integrated. Installation is supported by a user-friendly Wizard.

Install these software programs and equipment:

- Microsoft® .NET Framework version 1.1 or later.
- PACTware.

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- HART® converter (USB, RS232 etc.).
- The Device Type Manager (DTM) for the device.



INFORMATION!

The DTM for this device agrees with the FDT1.2 specification. For more data, refer to the related certificate in the Product Catalog on the FDT Group website (http://www.fdtgroup.org/product-catalog/certified-dtms).

You can download the latest version of PACTware™ and the DTM from our website.



Figure 5-3: Screen from the PACTware $^{\text{TM}}$ user interface

- ① DTM menu
- 2 Information for device identification
- 3 Configuration summary

5.5 Remote communication with the AMS™ Device Manager

The AMS™ Device Manager is an industrial Plant Asset Management (PAM) software tool. Its role is to:

- Store configuration information for each device.
- Support HART® and FOUNDATION™ fieldbus devices.
- Store and read process data.
- Store and read diagnostic status information.
- Help plan preventive maintenance to reduce a plant's downtime to a minimum.

You can download the DD file from our website.

6.1 User modes

Normal mode This mode displays measurement data. For more data, refer to Normal

mode on page 72.

Configuration mode Use this mode to view parameters, commission the device, create tables

for volume or mass measurement, and change critical values to measure in difficult process conditions. To get access to supervisor menu, refer to *Protection of the device settings* on page 93. For more data on menu items,

refer to Function description on page 79.

6.2 Normal mode

This mode shows measurement data. Use the table that follows:

• for the selection of the measurement type (level, distance, percentage and conversion) and

• for the selection of the measurement units

Some measurement types will only be available if the device has the correct parameters entered in the configuration mode.

Keypad functions

Button	Description	Function	"Hot key" function
	Right	Enter configuration mode.	_
	Return / Escape	Change the measurement units.	The device will show the firmware version numbers in menu item 1.1.0 IDENT
	Down	Change the measurement type.	_
	Up	Change the measurement type.	The display language will change when you push this button for 2 seconds. Push the button again and it will go back to the original language.

Measurement definitions

Measurement name	Description	Available units
LEVEL	This is a display and an output function option. It is the height from the bottom of the tank to the surface of the liquid or solid contents (Tank height - Distance).	m, cm, mm, in (inches), ft (feet)
DISTANCE	This is a display and an output function option. It is the distance from the face of the flange to the surface of the liquid or solid contents of the tank.	m, cm, mm, in (inches), ft (feet)
CONVERSION	This is a display and an output function option. It gives the volume or mass of the tank contents. This data is available if you prepare a volume or mass table in configuration mode. For data on how to prepare the conversion table, refer to <i>How to configure the device to measure volume or mass</i> on page 96.	kg, t, Ston, Lton, m, cm, mm, in, ft, m3, L, gal, Imp, ft3, bbl

Measurement name	Description	Available units
ULLAGE CONV.	This is a display and an output function option. It gives the empty volume or remaining mass that can be put in the tank. This data is available if you prepare a volume or mass table in configuration mode. For data on how to prepare the conversion table, refer to <i>How to configure the device to measure volume or mass</i> on page 96.	kg, t, Ston, Lton, m, cm, mm, in, ft, m3, L, gal, Imp, ft3, bbl
EPSILON R	The dielectric constant of the contents of the tank. An electrical property of the liquid or solid contents of the tank. Also known as ϵ_r , DK and relative permittivity. This gives the strength of the measurement pulse reflection. This data is shown if the menu item AUTO Er CALC (2.5.2) is used to calculate the dielectric constant value.	No unit
OUTPUT I (mA)	The current output of the device.	mA
OUTPUT I (%)	The percentage of the current output. 0% = 4 mA. 100% = 20 mA.	%

6.3 Configuration mode

6.3.1 General notes

Change the settings of your device in **Configuration** mode. Data about the menus is given on page 79. You can:

- Use the 1.0.0 INFORMATION menu to read settings, device software versions and error records. For more data about the Information menu, refer to Table 1: Info.
- Use the **2.0.0 SUPERVISOR** menu to commission the device, to run diagnostic tests, set up a conversion table for volume or mass measurement, change critical parameters for difficult process conditions, reset the device and change basic parameters (tank height etc.), output settings, HART Address etc. For more data about the Supervisor menu, refer to Table 2: Supervisor.



CAUTION!

The commissioning procedure is mandatory.



CAUTION!

SIL-approved devices: For data about critical device parameters, refer to the Safety Manual.



INFORMATION!

It is not possible to enter the 3.0.0 SERVICE and 4.0.0 MASTER menus. These menus are for factory calibration and approved personnel only.

6.3.2 How to get access to the commissioning menu



Do the steps that follow:

- Push the [>] button.
- This shows the **Information** menu. The **Information** menu is read only and does not have password security.
- Push the [🔺] button one time to scroll up to the **Supervisor** menu.
- The screen shows the text "2.0.0 SUPERVISOR".
- Push the [>] button one time.
- The screen shows a line. You must enter the password. Push the buttons under the display screen 6 times (in total and in a given order) to get access to Configuration mode.
- Type in the password. The factory-set password is [>], $[\leftarrow]$, $[\leftarrow]$, $[\leftarrow]$, [>] and $[\leftarrow]$.
- The device shows the text "2.1.0 QUICK SETUP".". Make a selection from the items in the supervisor menu.



CAUTION!

SIL-approved devices: For data about critical device parameters for SIL approval, refer to the Safety Manual (SIL approval).



INFORMATION!

HOW TO SET THE SUPERVISOR PASSWORD TO "ON" OR "OFF"

The supervisor password is set to "on" by default. If it is necessary to set this function to "off", refer to Function description on page 79, Table 2: Supervisor menu, menu item PSWD YES/NO [2.7.4].



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HOW TO CHANGE THE SUPERVISOR PASSWORD

You can change the password for the supervisor menu. For more data, refer to Function description on page 79, Table 2: Supervisor menu, menu item PASSWORD (2.7.5).

6.3.3 Menu overview

1.0.0 Info. (Information)

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2.9.0	Config/Reset	

3.0.0 Service

n/a	Password locked. Menus for factory calibration and qualified
	service personnel only.

4.0.0 Master

n/a	Password locked. Menus for factory calibration and qualified	
	service personnel only.	

6.3.4 Keypad functions



Figure 6-1: Local display screen layout in configuration mode

- ① Function name
- ② Configuration mode symbol
- 3 Menu number

This is what you see when you are in Configuration mode. The functions of the buttons are given in the table that follows:

Functions of buttons for menu navigation

Button	Description	Function
	Right	 Go down to the sub-menu level (for example, from menu 1.0.0 to sub-menu 1.1.0). Enter the menu item
	Enter / Esc (Escape)	 Go up to the menu level (for example, from sub-menu 1.1.0 to menu 1.0.0). Go to Normal mode. If you changed settings in Configuration mode, you must save or cancel your new settings. For more data, refer to the end of this section.
	Down	 Scroll down the menu list (for example, from menu 2.0.0 to menu 1.0.0). Scroll down the sub-menu list (for example, from sub-menu 2.2.0 to sub-menu 2.1.0).
	Up	 Scroll up the menu list (for example, from menu 1.0.0 to menu 2.0.0). Scroll up the sub-menu list (for example, from sub-menu 2.1.0 to sub-menu 2.2.0).

Lists of parameters in menu items

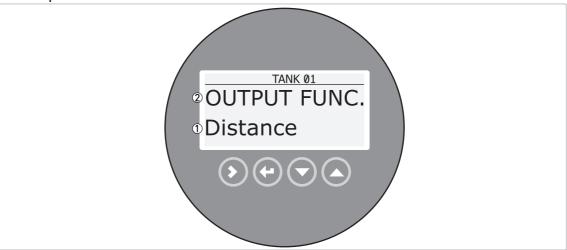


Figure 6-2: Lists of parameters in menu items

- Parameter
- 2 Menu name

This is what you see when you select a menu item that has a list of parameters. The functions of the buttons are given in the table that follows:

Function of buttons in menu items that have a list of parameters

Button	Description	Function	
	Right	n/a	
	Enter / Esc (Escape)	Select the parameter and go back to the menu	
	Down	Move down the list	
	Up	Move up the list	

Values in menu items

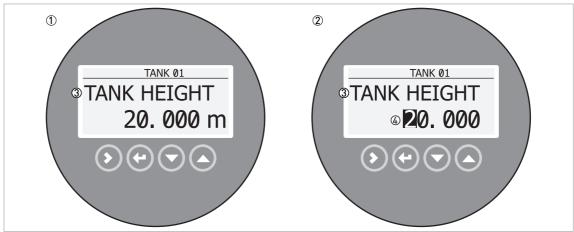


Figure 6-3: Values in menu items

- ① Menu item with values stored at this time (first screen)
- ② Push [>] again to change the values. A cursor shows on the first digit.
- 3 Menu item name
- 4 Cursor on the selected digit

This is what you see when you select a menu item that has a value. The functions of the buttons are given in the table that follows:

Function of buttons in menu items that have values

Button	Description	Function
	Right	 Enter the menu item and see the value stored at this time. Enter the menu item configuration level to change the value. Move the cursor to the next digit on the right. If the cursor is on the last digit, push [>] again to go back to the first digit.
	Enter / Esc (Escape)	Accept the value and go back to the sub-menu.
	Down	Decrease the digit value.
	Up	Increase the digit value.

How to save settings changed in the supervisor menu (menu 2.0.0)



- When you have changed parameters in all the necessary menu items, push [←] to accept the new parameter.
- Push [←] to go back to the "STORE" screen.
- The device will ask you to save or cancel your settings. Push [▲] or [▼] to select STORE YES or STORE NO. Push [←] to accept or reject the new settings.
- The display goes back to Normal mode.

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6.3.5 Function description

1.0.0 Information (Info.) menu

Menu No.FunctionFunction descriptionSelection values	n list or range of Default
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1.1.0 IDENT.

1.1.1	SERIAL NUM.	The device serial number.	Read only.	
1.1.2	CONV.FIRM.VER	The converter firmware version.	Read only.	
1.1.3	SEN.FIRM.VER	The sensor firmware version.	Read only.	
1.1.4	HMI.FIRM.VER	The HMI (device display screen) firmware version.	Read only.	

1.2.0 OUTPUT I

	1.2.1	SUMMARY I	Push [>] to read the setting at this time for the output function (OUTPUT FUNC.). Push [>] again to read the settings for the output range (RANGE I), 4 mA setting (SCALE 4mA), 20 mA setting (SCALE 20mA), and error delay (ERROR DELAY).	Read only.		
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1.3.0 HISTORY

	1.3.1	ERROR RECORD	A log of device errors. Push [▶] to read the errors. Push [♠] or [♠] to scroll up or down the list. Each error is identified by a code. Push [▶] again to show the number of incidents and the time since the last incident in days, hours, minutes and seconds. For more data about errors, refer to Status and error messages on page 101.	Read only.		
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2.0.0 Supervisor menu

Menu No.	Function	Function description	Selection list or range of values	Default
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2.1.0 QUICK SETUP

2.1.1	COMMISSION.	This starts a quick set-up procedure applicable to most applications. The supervisor can give the tank height (TANK HEIGHT), output function (OUTPUT FUNC.), current output range (RANGE I), 4 mA setting (SCALE 4mA), 20 mA setting (SCALE 20mA), error delay (ERROR DELAY) and tag name (TAG NAME).	
		CAUTION! Make sure that you do this procedure before you use the device. The settings in this procedure have an effect on the performance of the device.	

Menu No.	Function	Function description	Selection list or range of values	Default
2.1.2	SNAPSHOT	This starts a quick set-up procedure to find and filter out parasite signals that do not move along the probe. We recommend that you completely empty the tank before you do this procedure. Push "Accept" at the end the procedure and set the STORE screen to "STORE YES" to use the data. For more data, refer to <i>Snapshot</i> on page 90. If you decreased the length of the cable on site, do the procedure in menu item 2.1.3 [CALC.PROBE.L] first.		
2.1.3	CALC.PROBE.L	This starts a quick set-up procedure to correct the length of the probe if it was shortened on site. Do this procedure before you do a snapshot recording. We recommend that you completely empty the tank before you do this procedure. For more data, refer to <i>Probe length calculation</i> on page 89.		

2.2.0 TESTS

2.2.1	SET OUTPUT	This sets the analog output to a test value [mA] selected from a list. The output will change to the selected value after 5 seconds, independent of the measured value.	3.5, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20 or 22 mA	3.5 mA
2.2.2	DIAGNOSTIC	This starts the hardware test. Push [>] many times to show: the time of operation (D1), temperature of the electronic converter board (T1), loop current (I1), load current (I2), voltage 5.6 V (V1), voltage on capacitors (V2), voltage 3.3 V (V3), amplitude reference pulse (P1), amplitude level pulse (P2), amplitude probe end pulse (P3), reset counter (C1). If you push [>] again, the display goes back to the menu level.		

2.3.0 BASIC PARAM.

2.3.1	TANK HEIGHT	The distance from the tank connecting flange face / thread stop down to the tank bottom.	min-max: 080 m / 0262.48 ft	If tank height is not specified in customer order, the probe length value is used
2.3.2	BLOC. DIST.	Blocking distance. The non-measuring range at the top of the probe. It depends on the probe type and the installation. Refer to the "Default values for menu item 2.3.2 BLOC. DIST." table at the end of this section.	min.: 0 m / 0 ft max: 2.3.4 PROBE LENGTH	This depends on the probe type
2.3.3	TIME CONST.	Increasing the time constant will smoothen the integrated readings, decreasing will roughen the readings.	min-max: 1 to 100 seconds	5 seconds
2.3.4	PROBE LENGTH	Probe length is the distance from the flange face / thread stop of the device down to the bottom end of the probe (including counterweight for cable versions). If probe length has been modified, enter the new value here. For more data, refer to How to decrease the length of probes on page 100.	min-max: Probe length depends on the measuring range for each type of probe. For more data about probe length, refer to the "Technical data" section (Probe options / Measuring range).	This value is given in the customer order

Menu No.	Function	Function description	Selection list or range of values	Default
2.3.5	TAG NAME	The device has a code (tag name) to identify it. If the tag name is given in the customer order data, it will be set at the factory. A maximum of 8 characters can be used.		TANK 01
2.3.6	DETECT.DELAY	This parameter makes the device ignore reflections in a specified area immediately below the process connection. We recommend that this value is 50 mm / 2" less than the value in menu item 2.3.2 BLOC.DIST.	min.: 0 mm / 0" max.: 2.3.4 PROBE LENGTH	0 mm / 0"

2.4.0 OUTPUT I

2.4.1	OUTPUT FUNC.	The output function. Select an output function to scale the current values in relation to a given point (usually the device process connection or the tank bottom). The output current value is shown on a bar graph in normal mode if the measurement name (displayed measurement) is the same as the output function. Conversion parameters (Distance Conversion, Level Conversion) are shown if there is volume or mass data in 2.8.1 INPUT TABLE.	Distance, Level, Distance conversion, Level conversion	Level
2.4.2	RANGE I	This menu item sets the limits of the output current range to 1 of the 2 available options: standard limits (420 mA) or NAMUR NE 43-compliant limits (3.820.5 mA). It also tells the device what to do if an error occurs. If you set RANGE I to 4-20/22E and an error occurs (e.g. the tank is too full etc.), the device output current will change to an error value of 22 mA. If you set RANGE I to 4-20 and the device senses a measurement error, the value will stop at the last correct measurement.	4-20, 4-20/22E, 4-20/3.6E, 3.8-20.5/22E, 3.8-20.5/3.6E	4-20/3.6E (If the device is used in safety-related systems (SIL2), do not use the "4-20" setting)
2.4.3	SCALE 4mA	This gives a measurement value to 4 mA.	min-max: ①	2
2.4.4	SCALE 20mA	This gives a measurement value to 20 mA.	min-max: ①	2
2.4.5	ERROR DELAY	The time after which the current output changes to an error value. The error value shows that there is a measurement error. MN=minutes and S=seconds.	0 S, 10 S, 20 S, 30 S, 1 MN, 2 MN, 5 MN,15 MN	10 S

2.5.0 APPLICATION

2.5.1	TRACING VEL.	Tracing velocity. This value must agree with the maximum rate of change of the level of the liquid or solid contents in the tank.	min-max: 0.11000 m/min	10.0 m/min
2.5.2	AUTO Er CALC	Automatic dielectric constant $\{\epsilon_r\}$ calculation. When this menu item is set to "Yes", the device automatically calculates the ϵ_r value of the liquid or solid contents in the tank.	YES, NO	YES. If the probe length is unknown, then it is set to "NO".
2.5.3	GAS EPS. R	Dielectric constant (ϵ_r) of the gas in the tank. A major parameter for TDR level measurement devices. If the dielectric constant of the gas is very different from the default value (air), set 2.5.3 GAS EPS. R to the ϵ_r value of the gas.	min-max: 0.8115.00	1

Menu No.	Function	Function description	Selection list or range of values	Default
2.5.4	EPS.R CALCUL.	The calculated ϵ_r value for the liquid or solid contents in the tank. The result of the calculation in 2.5.2 AUTO EPSI. R. This menu item will not be available if 2.5.2 AUTO EPSI. R is not used.	Read only.	
2.5.5	PROD. EPS. R	Dielectric constant $\{\epsilon_r\}$ of the liquid or solid contents in the tank. If possible, type in the exact value of the product's dielectric constant. If you do not know the exact value, use 2.5.2 AUTO Er CALC. A new product ϵ_r that is too low will mean that level will read higher than its true value. This menu item is only used in TBF mode.	min-max: 1.0 to 115.00	2.3
2.5.6	LEVEL AMP.	Level amplitude. This is the amplitude of the signal (after reflection on the surface of the tank contents) compared with the amplitude of the reference pulse. This value helps you to set the measurement threshold in menu item 2.5.7 LEVEL THRESH For more data, refer to Thresholds and parasitic signals on page 98.	Read only.	
2.5.7	LEVEL THRESH.	Level threshold. If it is difficult to identify the level signal (for example: too many parasite signals), you can increase the threshold. This value is measured in thousandths (11000). A threshold of 100 is equivalent to 10% of the amplitude of the reference pulse at a distance of 1 m / 3.3 ft from the flange facing or thread stop. For more data, refer to <i>Thresholds and parasitic signals</i> on page 98. Refer to the "Default values for menu item 2.5.7 LEVEL THRESH." table at the end of this section.	min-max: 0 to 1000	This depends on the probe type
2.5.8	PROB.END AMP	Probe end pulse amplitude. This is the amplitude of the signal (after reflection at the bottom of the probe) compared with the amplitude of the reference pulse. This value helps you to set the measurement threshold in menu item 2.5.9 PROBE END TH For more data, refer to <i>Thresholds and parasitic signals</i> on page 98.	Read only.	
2.5.9	PROBE END TH.	Probe end threshold. For measurement in TBF mode. If it is difficult to identify the probe end signal (for example: too many parasite signals), you can increase the threshold of the signal. A threshold of 100 is equivalent to 10% of the amplitude of the reference pulse at a distance of 1 m / 3.3 ft from the flange facing or thread stop. For more data, refer to <i>Thresholds and parasitic signals</i> on page 98. Refer to the "Default values for menu item 2.5.9 PROBE END TH." table at the end of this section.	min-max: 0 to 1000	This depends on the probe type

Menu No.	Function	Function description	Selection list or range of values	Default
2.5.10	MEASUR.MODE	In Direct mode, the device measures the time it takes to receive a reflection of the signal from the surface of the tank contents. Direct mode is used for products with an εr≥1.6 (this depends on the probe type). Automatic mode automatically switches the measuring mode between Direct and TBF mode. TBF mode is used to measure one product with a low εr. In TBF mode, the device measures the time it takes to receive a reflection of the signal from the end of the probe.	Direct, Automatic	Direct mode: devices with a segmented probe or a cable probe (without counterweight) or devices without a probe Automatic: devices with other probe types
2.5.11	SNAPSHOT MOD.	The snapshot function operates in one of three modes. "Dynamic" mode examines signals from objects that move in the tank and filters those signals that are identified by the signal converter as parasitic signals. Snapshot function data is not saved if you de-energize the device. "Static" mode uses data from the quick setup procedure in menu item 2.1.2 SNAPSHOT. This mode identifies and filters parasitic signals from objects that do not move in the tank. Snapshot function data is saved if you de-energize the device. CAUTION! Do not set this menu item to "Static" or "Static & Dynamic" modes before you do the quick setup procedure.	Static & Dynamic, Static, Dynamic, Disable	Static & Dynamic: coaxial probe Dynamic: other probe types
2.5.12	DIST.SNAPSH.	Snapshot distance. This gives the distance along the probe where all signals are examined and parasitic signals are filtered. This value is used for the "Static" and "Dynamic" Snapshot modes. If the device is in "Static" Snapshot mode, this value is given in the commissioning procedure (max: the level of the product or (2.3.3 PROBE LENGTH - 3.1.1 COUNTERWEIGHT)). If the device is in "Dynamic" Snapshot mode, this value gives the maximum limit for the parasitic signal filter.	min.: 0 m / 0 ft max.: 2.3.3 PROBE LENGTH - 3.1.1 COUNTERWEIGHT or 20000 mm / 787.4" - 3.1.1 COUNTERWEIGHT or the level of the product	If the probe length < 20 m / 65.6 ft, DIST.SNAPSH.= 2.3.3 PROBE LENGTH - 3.1.1 COUNTER-WEIGHT If the probe length ≥ 20 m / 65.6 ft, DIST.SNAPSH.= 20 m - 3.1.1 COUNTER-WEIGHT

2.6.0 COMMUNICATION

2.6.1	HART ADDRESS	Any HART® address greater than 0 will activate HART® multidrop mode. The current output stays constant at 4 mA. If 2.6.1 HART ADDRESS is set to 0, the device will operate in point-to-point mode.	min-max: 063	0
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2.7.0 DISPLAY

2.7.1	LANGUAGE	Data can be shown in any of the languages stored in the device.	9 languages are available in 3 packs: (1) English, French, German and Italian; (2) English, French, Spanish and Portuguese; (3) English, Chinese (Simplified), Japanese and Russian	•
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Menu No.	Function	Function description	Selection list or range of values	Default
2.7.2	LENGTH UNIT	The length unit of measurement shown in normal mode.	m, cm, mm, in (inches), ft (feet)	m
2.7.3	CONV UNIT	Conversion unit. The length, volume or mass conversion unit for the conversion table and shown in normal mode.	kg, t, Ston, Lton, m, cm, mm, in, ft, m3, L, gal, Imp, ft3, bbl	kg
2.7.4	PSWD YES/NO	If it is necessary to protect your settings in the supervisor menu with a password, set this menu item to YES .	YES, NO	YES
2.7.5	PASSWORD	This changes the password for the supervisor menu. Push the buttons up to 6 times in any order. This will be the new password. To confirm the change, enter the new password a second time. For more data, refer to <i>Protection of the device settings</i> on page 93.		[>], [←], [▼], [▲], [>] and [←]
2.7.6	CONTRAST	The contrast control for the display screen. You can select a shade of grey between light grey (level 20) and black (level 54).	min-max: 2054	36

2.8.0 CONV. TABLE

2.8.1	INPUT TABLE	The device uses a conversion table (strapping table) to convert measurements to volume and mass readings. The readings are shown in normal mode. Go to this menu item and enter the entry number (0130). Then enter the level and the related volume / mass value for that entry. Push [*-] to confirm the entry values. Continue the procedure until the device has data for all the entries. For more data, refer to How to configure the device to measure volume or mass on page 96.	min. 2 entries max. 30 entries (level / volume or mass)	0 entries
2.8.2	DELETE TABLE	This menu item erases the data in the conversion table.	YES, NO	NO

2.9.0 CONFIG/RESET

2.9.3	RESTART	This menu item starts the device again.	YES, NO	N0
2.9.4	RESET FACT.	If you set this menu item to "YES", the device goes back to its initial settings (set by the manufacturer in the factory).	YES, NO	NO

① Units and range depend on the output function, length unit and volume unit selected

 $[\]ensuremath{\mathfrak{D}}$ This depends on the data given in the customer order

③ The probe length is unknown if a cable probe does not have a counterweight or the device has a probe connection but no probe attached

⁴ If the device has the LCD display option, this depends on the data given in the customer order

Default values for menu item 2.3.2 BLOC. DIST.

Probe type	Blocking	distance
	[mm]	[inches]
Ø2 mm / 0.08" single cable	350	13.78
Ø4 mm / 0.16" single cable	350	13.78
Ø8 mm / 0.32" single cable	350	13.78
Single rod	250	9.84
Coaxial	100	3.94
Ø4 mm / 0.16" double cable	200	7.87
Ø8 mm / 0.32" double rod	200	7.87
Special ①	350	13.78

① Device with a probe that is not given in this list

Probe type	Blocking distance		
	[mm]	[inches]	
Ø2 mm / 0.08" single cable	350	13.78	
Ø4 mm / 0.16" single cable	350	13.78	
Ø8 mm / 0.32" single cable	350	13.78	
Single rod	250	9.84	
Coaxial	100	3.94	
Ø4 mm / 0.16" double cable	200	7.87	
Ø8 mm / 0.32" double rod	200	7.87	
Device without a probe (spare part)	350	13.78	

Default values for menu items 2.4.3 SCALE 4mA and 2.4.4 SCALE 20mADefault values for menu items 2.4.3 SCALE 4mA and 2.4.4 SCALE 20mA

Probe type	SCALE 4mA		SCALE 20mA	
	[mm]	[inches]	[mm]	[inches]
Device with a probe	Value given in the customer order or (2.3.1 TANK HEIGHT - 2.3.4 PROBE LENGTH) ①		Value given in the customer order or (2.3.1 TANK HEIGHT - 2.3.2 BLOC. DIST 50)	Value given in the customer order or (2.3.1 TANK HEIGHT - 2.3.2 BLOC. DIST 1.97) ②
Device without a probe	0	0	9600	377.95

① This value is the first entry in the strapping table (2.8.0 CONV. TAB)

 $[\]textcircled{2}$ This value is the last entry in the strapping table (2.8.0 CONV. TAB)

Default values for menu item 2.5.7 LEVEL THRESH.

Probe type	Level Threshold
Ø2 mm / 0.08" single cable	60
Ø4 mm / 0.16" single cable	60
Ø8 mm / 0.32" single cable	60
Single rod	60
Coaxial	80
Ø4 mm / 0.16" double cable	70
Ø8 mm / 0.32" double rod	70
Device without a probe (spare part)	60

Default values for menu item 2.5.9 PROBE END TH.

Probe type	Probe End Threshold
Ø2 mm / 0.08" single cable	160
Ø4 mm / 0.16" single cable	160
Ø8 mm / 0.32" single cable	160
Single rod	160
Coaxial	300
Ø4 mm / 0.16" double cable	160
Ø8 mm / 0.32" double rod	180
Device without a probe (spare part)	160

3. Service menu

Menu No.	Function	Function description	Selection list	Default
3.0.0	SERVICE	Advanced settings. The settings in this menu are protected with a password. Only approved personnel can change the parameters in this menu. For more data, speak or write to your local sales office.		

4. Master menu

Menu No.	Function	Function description	Selection list	Default
4.0.0	MASTER	Factory settings. The settings in this menu are protected with a password. Only approved personnel can change the parameters in this menu. For more data, speak or write to your local sales office.		

6.4 Further information on device configuration

6.4.1 Commissioning

Use this procedure to change the probe length and give the top and bottom measuring limits. Values and parameters that can be changed are shown between « ... » in the illustrations that follow. Push the keypad buttons in the correct sequence:



CAUTION!

Make sure that you do this procedure before you use the device. The settings in this procedure have an effect on the performance of the device.

Procedure

Screen	Steps	Description
VMI_2 LEVEL 5000 mm	• [>], [▲] and [>].	Default screen. Enter configuration mode (2.0.0 SUPERVISOR).
VMI_2 2 .0.0	• [>], [←], [▼], [▲], [>] and [←].	Enter the password (the default password is shown). If it is necessary to change the password, refer to <i>Function description</i> on page 79, menu item 2.7.5 PASSWORD.
VMI_2 2.¶.0 COMMISSION.	• [>] and [>]	Push this button 2 times to start the commissioning procedure.
TANK HEIGHT «25000»	 [>] to change the tank height (H). [>] to change the position of the cursor. [▼] to decrease the value or [▲] to increase the value. [←] to confirm. 	H
OUTPUT FUNC. «Level»	 [▲] or [▼] for the selection of the measurement name (Distance, Level, Conversion or Ullage Conv.). [←] to confirm. 	The manufacturer sets the output function to "Level" before delivery. If it is necessary to measure volume, ullage volume, mass or ullage mass (Conversion or Ullage Conv.), refer to <i>How to configure the device to measure volume or mass</i> on page 96.
RANGE I «4-20/3.6E»	 [▲] or [▼] for the selection of the current output range (4-20 mA/3.6E, 4-20, 3.8-20.5/3.6E, etc.). [←] to confirm. 	

Screen	Steps	Description
SCALE 4 mA «Ø0000»	 [>] to change Scale 4 mA. [>] to change the position of the cursor. [▼] to decrease the value or [▲] to increase the value. [←] to confirm. 	Use this step to give the 4 mA output setting (0% limit) in the tank. Refer to the illustrations that follow. Illustration ① shows the settings for level. Illustration ② shows the settings for distance.
VMI_2 SCALE 20 mA «@3350»	 [>] to change Scale 20 mA. [>] to change the position of the cursor. [▼] to decrease the value or [▲] to increase the value. [←] to confirm. 	Use this step to give the 20 mA output setting (100% limit) in the tank. Refer to the illustrations that follow. Illustration ① shows the settings for level. Illustration ② shows the settings for distance.
ERROR DELAY «10 S»	 [▲] or [▼] for the selection of the error delay (0 s, 10 s, 20 s, 30 s, 1 mn, 2 mn, 5 mn or 15 mn). [←] to confirm. 	The time after which the current output changes to an error value. The error value shows that there is a measurement error.
TANK 01 TAG NAME «ĪANK 01»	 [>] to change the tag name. [>] to change the position of the cursor. [▼] to decrease the alphanumeric value (A, B, etc. / 1, 2, etc.) or [▲] to increase the alphanumeric value. [←] to confirm. 	
VMI_2 № 2.0.0 «STORE NO»	 3 × [←] to confirm. [♠] or [♠] for the selection of the save option (STORE NO or STORE YES). [←] to confirm. 	Set to STORE YES to save and use the data. Set to STORE NO to cancel the changes to the device settings.

6.4.2 Probe length calculation



CAUTION!

- Make sure that you do this procedure before you use the device.
- If you decrease the probe length, do the probe length calculation procedure before the snapshot procedure.
- The probe length cannot be less than 600 mm / 23.6" for coaxial probes and 1000 mm / 39.4" for other probe types.
- Make sure that the tank is empty or only filled to the minimum level.
- Make sure that there are no objects adjacent to the probe. For more data about empty space, refer to General requirements on page 24.

Do this quick set-up procedure (menu item 2.1.3) if:

- it is the first time that the device is used,
- the probe length was changed or
- the signal converter was replaced.

When you do this procedure, the device automatically calculates and records the probe length.

Values and parameters that can be changed are shown between the « ... » marks in the illustrations that follow. Push the keypad buttons in the correct sequence:

Procedure

Screen	Steps	Description
VMI_2 LEVEL 5000 mm	• [>], [▲] and [>].	Default screen. Enter configuration mode (2.0.0 SUPERVISOR).
VMI_2 2.0.0	• [>], [←], [⋆], [▲], [>] and [←].	Enter the password (the default password is shown). If it is necessary to change the password, refer to <i>Function description</i> on page 79, menu item 2.7.5 PASSWORD.
VMI_2 2.1.■ CALC.PROBE.L	• [>], [♠], [♠] and [>]	
VMI_2 Is your tank partially filled or empty? Partially Empty	• [>] for the selection of "Partially filled" or [▲] for the selection of "Empty".	Is your tank partially filled or empty? If the tank is partially filled, the procedure will not start.
VMI_2 Probe length calculation in progress		The device measures the new probe length. If the display screen shows the error message "Failure! Pulse Lost" then speak to the supplier.

Screen	Steps	Description
Save? 00517 mm YES NO	• [>] for the selection of YES or [▲] for the selection of NO.	The device shows the new probe length. Set to YES to save the data. Set to NO to erase the data.
VMI_2 ♣ 2.0.0 «STORE NO»	 3 × [←] to confirm. [♠] or [♠] for the selection of the save option (STORE NO or STORE YES). [←] to confirm. 	Set to STORE YES to use the data. Set to STORE NO to cancel the changes to the device settings.

If the probe length calculated in this procedure is much shorter than the real probe length, then do the procedure that follows:



- Go to menu item 2.3.6 DETECT.DELAY in the supervisor menu.
- Record the initial value.
- ⇒ Is the initial value the same as 2.3.2 BLOC, DIST.?
- If the initial value is different, change the value to the blocking distance in menu item 2.3.2 BLOC. DIST..
- Do the probe length calculation procedure again.
- After you complete the procedure, change the value back to its initial setting.

For more data about menu items, refer to Function description on page 79.

6.4.3 Snapshot

The snapshot procedure is very important for the performance of the device. Make sure that the tank is empty or only filled to the minimum level before you do the procedure.

Use this procedure (menu item 2.1.2) if there are objects adjacent to the probe that can cause parasitic signals. The device does a scan for objects that do not change their vertical positions in the tank (heating tubes, agitators, fuel assemblies etc.) and records the data. The device can then use this data to put the measurement signal through a filter (Dynamic Parasite Rejection).



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Dynamic Parasite Rejection (DPR) is a function that automatically puts parasitic signals through a signal filter. Parasitic signals are caused by internal vessel installations or build-up on the probe during normal operation. Use the DPR function to get the best possible performance during level measurement. To use the device with the DPR function, do the snapshot procedure (refer to menu item 2.1.2). During this procedure, the software finds, marks, and saves all parasitic signals.

When the device is in DPR mode (when menu item 2.5.11 SNAPSHOT MOD. is set to "static" or "static and dynamic"), it will automatically update this data to ignore old and new parasitic signals. Thus, it is not necessary to do the snapshot procedure again. Because the device records the data from the SNAPSHOT procedure (for "static" or "static and dynamic" modes), it is also not necessary to do the procedure again if you de-energize the device.



CAUTION!

- If you decrease the probe length, do the probe length calculation procedure before the snapshot procedure.
- Make sure that the tank is empty or only filled to the minimum level.
- Make sure that there are no objects adjacent to the probe. For more data about empty space, refer to General requirements on page 24.

Before you do the snapshot procedure, install the device on the tank. For more data about how to install the device, refer to *Installation* on page 16.

Values and parameters that can be changed are shown between the « ... » marks in the illustrations that follow. Push the keypad buttons in the correct sequence:

Procedure

Screen	Steps	Description
VMI_2 LEVEL 5000 mm	• [>], [▲] and [>].	Default screen. Enter configuration mode (2.0.0 SUPERVISOR).
VMI_2	• [>], [←], [⋆], [▲], [>] and [←].	Enter the password (the default password is shown). If it is necessary to change the password, refer to <i>Function description</i> on page 79, menu item 2.7.5 PASSWORD.
VMI_2 2.1. SNAPSHOT	• [>], [♠] and [>]	Push these buttons to start the snapshot procedure.
Is your tank partially filled or empty? Partially Empty	• [>] for the selection of "Partially filled" or [\$\times]\$ for the selection of "Empty".	Is your tank partially filled or empty? If the tank is partially filled, the device will scan for the first reflection in the tank. Continue to the subsequent step. NOTE: If you set this step to "Partially filled", but the tank is empty, the device will show the error message "Failure! Pulse Lost". Push one of the keypad buttons to go back to the start of the Snapshot procedure. If the tank is empty, the scan will start immediately. Ignore the 2 subsequent steps.
Is this value the distance to the product surface? 250 mm YES NO	• [>] for the selection of YES or [▲] for the selection of NO.	The device shows the distance to the surface of the tank contents. Set to YES if the distance is correct. The scan will start immediately. Set to NO if the distance is incorrect. The scan will start immediately, but the device will ignore the reflection found at this distance from the device.
VMI_2 Snapshot recording in progress		The device does a scan for objects that do not change their vertical positions in the tank (heating tubes, agitators, fuel assemblies etc.) and records the data.

Screen	Steps	Description
Save? YES NO	• [>] for the selection of YES or [▲] for the selection of NO.	The device completes the scan. Set to YES to save the data. Set to NO to erase the data.
VMI_2 ♣ 2.0.0 «STORE NO»	 3 × [←] to confirm. [♠] or [▼] for the selection of the save option (STORE NO or STORE YES). [←] to confirm. 	Set to STORE YES to use the data. Set to STORE NO to cancel the changes to the device settings.

6.4.4 Test

Use this procedure to test the loop current. Values and parameters that can be changed are shown between the α ... » marks in the illustrations that follow. Push the keypad buttons in the correct sequence:

Procedure

Screen	Step	Description
VMI_2 LEVEL 5000 mm		Default screen.
VMI_2 2.0.0	• [>], [▲] and [>].	
VMI_2 → 2.¶.0 COMMISSION.	 Enter the password: [>], [←], [▼], [▲], [>] and [←]. [←] 	
VMI_2 → 2.2.0 TESTS	• [▲].	
VMI_2 → 2.2.1 SET OUTPUT	• [>].	

Screen	Step	Description
SET OUTPUT «3.5 mA»	 [>]. [✓] to decrease the value or [▲] to increase the value. [←] to confirm. 	This step sets the loop current value. Make a selection from 3.5, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20 or 22 mA.
VMI_2 LEVEL 5000 mm	• [←] 3 times to go back to the default screen.	The loop current goes back to initial value. Default screen.

6.4.5 Protection of the device settings

The menu item PASSWORD (2.7.5) lets you change the supervisor menu password.



How to change the supervisor menu password

- After you enter the supervisor menu, push 6 × [▲], [>] and 4 × [▲] to go to the menu item PASSWORD (2.7.5).
- Enter the new 6-character password (push the 4 buttons in any sequence).
- Enter the new 6-character password again.
- ☐ If the second entry is the same as the first, the device will go back to the sub-menu list (2.7). If the second entry is not the same as the first, the device will not go back to the sub-menu list. Push [←] to start the password sequence again and enter the new 6-character password 2 times.
- Push [←] to go back to the "STORE" screen.
- Push [▲] or [▼] to set the screen to **STORE YES** and push [←].
- The device will save the new password and go back to normal mode.



INFORMATION!

Make a note of the password and keep it in a safe place. If you lose the password, please speak or write to your supplier.

How to set the supervisor password to "on" or "off"

The supervisor password is set to "on" by default. If it is necessary to set this function to "off", refer to *Function description* on page 79, Table 2: Supervisor menu, menu item PSWD YES/NO [2.7.4].

6.4.6 HART® network configuration



INFORMATION!

For more data, refer to Networks on page 64.

The device uses HART® communication to send information to HART®-compatible equipment. It can operate in either point-to-point or multidrop mode. The device will communicate in multidrop mode if you change the address.



CAUTION!

Make sure that the address for this device is different from others in the multi-drop network.



How to change from point-to-point to multidrop mode

- Enter the supervisor menu.
- Push [>], 5 × [▲] and [>] to go to menu item ADDRESS (2.6.1).
- Push [>] to change the value. Enter a value between 1 and 63 and push [←] to confirm (refer to the caution before this procedure).
- Push [←] to go back to the "STORE" screen.
- Push [\blacktriangle] or [\blacktriangledown] to set the screen to **STORE YES** and push [\hookleftarrow].
- The output is set to multidrop mode. The current output is set to 4 mA. This value does not change in multidrop mode.



How to change from multidrop to point-to-point mode

- Enter the supervisor menu.
- Push [>], 5 × [▲] and [>] to go to menu item ADDRESS (2.6.1).
- Push [>] to change the value. Enter the value 0 and push [←] to confirm.
- Push [←] to go back to the "STORE" screen.
- Push $[\blacktriangle]$ or $[\blacktriangledown]$ to set the screen to **STORE YES** and push $[\hookleftarrow]$.
- The output is set to point-to-point mode. The current output changes to a range of 4...20 mA or 3.8...20.5 mA (this range is set in menu item RANGE I (2.4.2)).

6.4.7 Distance measurement

The device current output agrees with the distance measurement when the output is set to "Distance". Menu items used for distance measurement are:

- Output Function (2.4.1 OUTPUT)
- Tank Height (2.3.1 TANK HEIGHT)
- Blocking Distance (2.3.2 BLOC. DIST.)

Use the flange facing or thread stop as the reference point for the 4 and 20 mA current output settings. The 4 and 20 mA current output settings are the minimum and maximum points of the measurement scale.

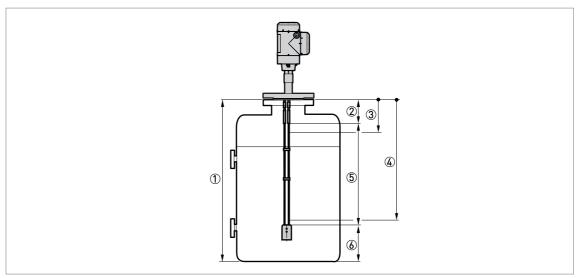


Figure 6-4: Distance measurement

- ① Tank Height (2.3.1 TANK HEIGHT)
- 2 Blocking Distance (2.3.2 BLOC. DIST.)
- 3 4 mA Setting (2.4.3 SCALE 4mA)
- 4 20 mA Setting (2.4.4 SCALE 20mA)
- (5) Maximum effective measuring range
- Non-measurement zone

For more data about the menu items, refer to *Function description* on page 79.

6.4.8 Level measurement

The device current output agrees with the level measurement when the output is set to "Level". Menu items related to level measurement are:

- Output Function (2.4.1 OUTPUT)
- Tank Height (2.3.1 TANK HEIGHT)
- Blocking Distance (2.3.2 BLOC. DIST.)

Use the tank bottom as the reference point for the 4 and 20 mA current output settings. The 4 and 20 mA current output settings are the minimum and maximum points of the measurement scale.

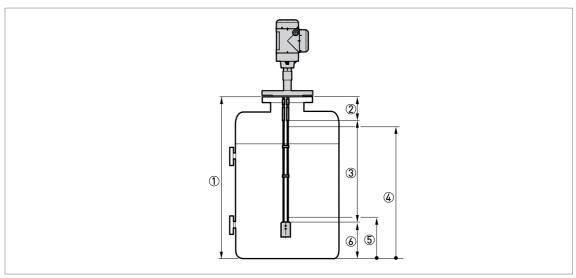


Figure 6-5: Level measurement

- ① Tank Height (2.3.1 TANK HEIGHT)
- 2 Blocking Distance (2.3.2 BLOC. DIST.)
- 3 Maximum effective measuring range
- 4 20 mA Setting (2.4.4 SCALE 20mA)
- (5) 4 mA Setting (2.4.3 SCALE 4mA)
- Non-measurement zone

For more data about the menu items, refer to Function description on page 79.

6.4.9 How to configure the device to measure volume or mass

The device can be configured to measure volume or mass. You can set up a strapping table in the conversion table (2.8.0 CONV. TAB) sub-menu. Each entry is a pair of data (level – volume or level – mass). The strapping table must have a minimum of 2 entries and a maximum of 30. The reference point for the table is the bottom of the tank (as given in menu item 2.3.1 TANK HEIGHT).



CAUTION!

Enter the data in numerical sequence (strapping table entry number 01, 02 etc.).



How to prepare a strapping table (conversion table)

- Enter the supervisor menu.
- Push [>], 6 × [▲], [>] and [▲] to go to 2.7.2 LENGTH UNIT.
- Push [▲] and [▼] to find the length unit that you will use in the table.
- Push [←] to go to the sub-menu level.
- Push [▲] to go to 2.7.3 CONV UNIT (conversion unit)
- Push [▲] and [▼] to find the conversion unit that you will use in the table.
- Push [←] to go to the sub-menu level and then [▲] and [▶] to go to the menu item 2.8.1 INPUT TAR
- Push [>] to make the strapping table. Enter the table entry number (01).
- Enter the length value and push [←].
- Enter the conversion value and push [←].
- Push [>] to enter the subsequent table entry number (02, 03, ..., 30).
- Repeat the last 3 steps to complete the table.
- Push $[\leftarrow]$ to go back to the "STORE" screen.
- Push [▲] or [▼] to set the screen to **STORE YES** and push [←].
- The device will store the data for the strapping table and go back to normal mode.

The device will give more accurate volume readings if you give more conversion data in these areas:

- Surfaces with curves.
- Sudden changes in the cross section.

Refer also to the illustration that follows:

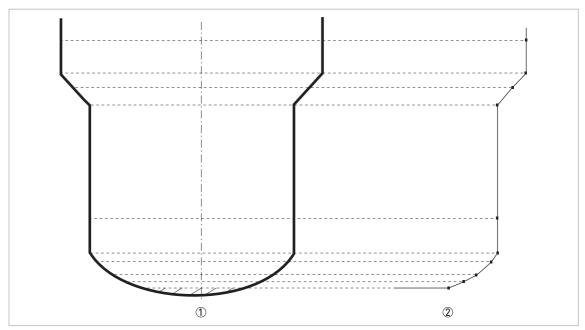


Figure 6-6: A plot of points for a volume or mass table

- 1 Tank with reference points
- 2 Tank model with plotted points



How to delete a volume or mass table

- Enter the supervisor menu.
- Push 7 × [▲], [>], and [▲] to go to 2.8.2 DELETE TABLE.
- Push [>] and [▲] to set the parameter to YES.
- Push [←] to go back to the "STORE" screen.
- Push [▲] or [▼] to set the screen to STORE YES and push [←].
- The device will delete the data for the strapping table and go back to normal mode. The "CONVERSION" and "ULLAGE CONV." data are not available in normal mode.

6.4.10 Thresholds and parasitic signals

General notes

The low-power electromagnetic signal from the device goes down the probe. The surface of the liquid or solids, and objects in the tank, make reflections. These reflections go back up the probe to the signal converter. The signal converter changes the reflections into voltage amplitudes. Reflections from objects in the tanks are interference signals (parasitic signals).

How thresholds work

Thresholds let the device ignore reflections with small amplitudes and monitor changes in level.

The device uses the menu items that follow:

- 2.5.7 LEVEL THRESH. (level threshold) to set the threshold for the reflection on the surface of the liquid or solids.
- 2.5.9 PROBE END TH. (probe end threshold) to set the threshold for the reflection on the end of the probe. If you must calculate the ε_r of the product or operate the device in automatic or TBF mode, there must be a good probe end signal.

The user can do a check of the signal amplitude after reflection on the surface of the liquid or solids:

- 2.5.6 LEVEL AMP. (level pulse amplitude). This is the amplitude of the signal after it makes a reflection on the surface of the liquid or solid in the tank and is compared with the reference pulse amplitude. It is measured in thousandths (1...1000) of the reference pulse amplitude (value= 1000). The device measures the distance from the process connection to the level signal, and the signal amplitude. The signal converter then does a mathematical conversion (that agrees with a law of signal attenuation) to show the signal amplitude at a standard distance of 1 m / 3.3 ft from the process connection. This value helps you to set the measurement threshold in menu item 2.5.7 LEVEL THRESH..
- 2.5.8 PROB.END AMP (probe end amplitude). This is the amplitude of the signal after it makes a reflection on the probe end and is compared with the reference pulse amplitude. This value is measured in thousandths (1...1000) of the reference pulse amplitude (value= 1000). The device measures the distance from the process connection to the probe end signal, and the signal amplitude. The signal converter then does a mathematical conversion (that agrees with a law of signal attenuation) to show the signal amplitude at a standard distance of 1 m / 3.3 ft from the process connection. This value helps you to set the measurement threshold in menu item 2.5.9 PROBE END TH..



INFORMATION!

For more data on menu items, refer to Function description on page 79.

How to use thresholds



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- Although the data that follows refers to the level threshold, it is applicable for the probe end threshold.
- If there is a parasitic signal above the level and the threshold is too low, the device can incorrectly use it as the level signal.

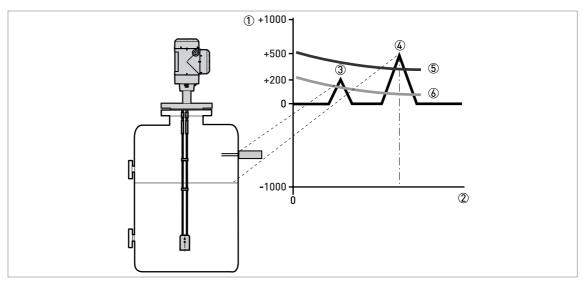


Figure 6-7: Signal intensity/distance graph: thresholds

- ① Signal intensity given as a fraction of the reference pulse (measured in thousandths)
- 2 Distance from the process connection
- ③ Parasitic signal. A signal from a level switch that is in the limits of the electromagnetic field around the probe.
- 4 Level signal of the liquid or solids
- (5) The level threshold is correct. The device ignores the parasitic signal and measures level correctly.
- (in the level threshold is too low. The device can use the parasitic signal as the level signal. Do the snapshot procedure (menu item 2.1.2) to make sure that the device ignores the parasite signal.



If the parasitic signal is smaller than the correct level, you can manually change the threshold to find the signal. This procedure tells you how to change the level threshold to find the correct signal:

- Look at the menu item 2.5.6 LEVEL AMP..
- Make a note of the amplitude of the correct level signal. Use this value to calculate the new value for 2.5.7 LEVEL THRESH..
- Go to 2.5.7 LEVEL THRESH...
- Increase the amplitude of the level threshold.
- This value must be more than the incorrect signal. We recommend that you set the level threshold at half the amplitude of the correct signal.
- Save the settings.
- The threshold increases. It ignores the parasite signal and uses the first signal it finds.

Probe end threshold

The device uses TBF mode to measure the level of products with low dielectric constants. It uses the probe end as a reference. If the reflection is very weak, change the probe end threshold to ignore parasitic signals. Refer to the procedure in **How to use thresholds** to change the probe end threshold.

For more data about the probe end threshold, refer to *Function description* on page 79 (menu item 2.5.9).

6.4.11 How to decrease the length of probes



INFORMATION!

This data is for the probe types that follow:

- Ø4 mm / 0.16" double cable
- Ø8 mm / 0.32" single rod
- Ø2 mm / 0.08" single cable
- Ø4 mm / 0.16" single cable



How to decrease the length of single rod probes

- Measure the length of the rod from the flange facing or thread stop. Use a scriber to put a mark on the rod.
- Cut the rod to the correct length.
- Enter the supervisor menu.
- Push [>], 2 × [▲], [>] and 2 × [▲] to go to menu item 2.3.4 PROBE LENGTH.
- Enter the new value. Push [←] to go back to the sub-menu level.
- Push 4 × [←] to save settings.
- Set the parameter to STORE YES and push [←].



How to decrease the length of cable probes

- Loosen the socket set screws that hold the counterweight with a 3 mm Allen wrench.
- Remove the counterweight.
- Measure the length of the cable from the flange facing or thread stop. Use a scriber to put a
 mark on the cable.
- Add the length of the counterweight and subtract the length of the cable engaged in the counterweight. This gives the total probe length. Refer to the illustration and table that follows
- Cut the cable to the correct length.
- Attach the cable to the counterweight. Tighten the socket set screws with a 3 mm Allen wrench.
- Enter the supervisor menu.
- Push [>], $2 \times [\blacktriangle]$, [>] and $2 \times [\blacktriangle]$ to go to menu item 2.3.4 PROBE LENGTH.
- Enter the new value. Push [←] to go back to the sub-menu level.
- Push 4 × [←] to save settings.
- Set the parameter to STORE YES and push [←].

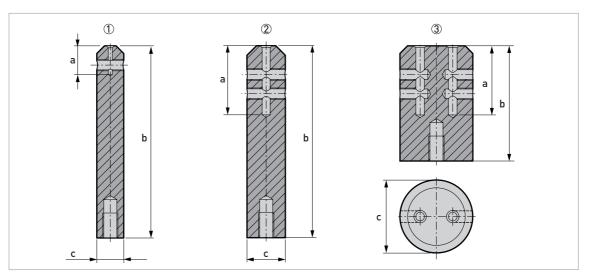


Figure 6-8: Dimensions of the counterweights

- ① \emptyset 2 mm / 0.08" single cable probe
- ② Ø4 mm / 0.16" single cable probe ③ Ø4 mm / 0.16" double cable probe

Dimensions in mm

Probe type	Dimensions [mm]		
	а	b	Øc
Single cable Ø2 mm	15	100	14
Single cable Ø4 mm	36	100	20
Double cable Ø4 mm	36	60	38

Dimensions in inches

Probe type	Dimensions [inches]		
	a	b	Øc
Single cable Ø0.08"	0.6	3.9	0.5
Single cable Ø0.16"	1.4	3.9	0.8
Double cable Ø0.16"	1.4	2.4	1.5

6.5 Status and error messages

6.5.1 Device status (markers)

If the device senses a change in device status, the display screen will show 1 or more status markers at the bottom right side of the display screen. The display screen will also show a symbol that agrees with NAMUR Recommendation NE 107 (Self-Monitoring and Diagnosis of Field Devices) and VDI/VDE 2650. This is shown at the top left side of the display screen. More data is given if you use PACTware™ software with the appropriate DTM on a PC. Error codes and data are shown on the device display screen and in the DTM.

Menu item 2.2.2 DIAGNOSTIC (Configuration mode / Supervisor menu) supplies more data. This includes internal voltages, the loop current and the reset counter (watchdog timer). You can see this data on the device display screen and in the DTM.

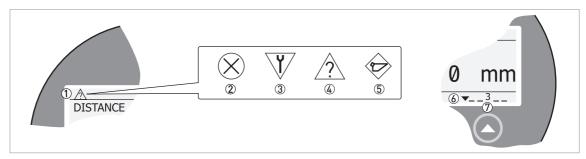


Figure 6-9: Status markers

- ① Device status (NAMUR NE 107 symbols)
- ② Symbol: Failure
- 3 Symbol: Function check
- 4 Symbol: Out of specification
- (5) Symbol: Maintenance
- 6 Status marker line (marker 3 is shown)
- (7) When the status marker is on, a number is shown

Types of error message

NE 107 status	Type of error	Description
Failure	Error	If an error message is shown in ERROR RECORD (menu item 1.3.1), the current output goes to the error signal value set in menu item RANGE I (menu item 2.4.2) after the time set in ERROR DELAY (menu item 2.4.5). For more data about menu items, refer to <i>Function description</i> on page 79.
Out of specification	Warning	If a warning message is shown, there is no effect on the current output value.
Maintenance		

NE 107 symbol shown	NE 107 Status	Description	Status marker shown	Error code (Type)	Possible errors
\otimes	Failure	The device does not operate	1	ERR 101 (Error)	Current Output Drift
		correctly. The fault message stays on. The user cannot remove the	3	ERR 102 (Error)	Temperature Out of Range
		"Failure" message from the Normal mode screen.	1	ERR 103 (Error)	Converter EEPROM
		Normat mode Screen.	1	ERR 103 (Error)	Converter RAM
			1	ERR 103 (Error)	Converter ROM
			1	ERR 104 (Error)	Converter Voltage
			2	ERR 200 (Error)	Reference Lost
			2	ERR 202 (Error)	Peak Lost (Level Lost)
			3	ERR 203 (Error)	Sensor Processing Failure
			2	ERR 204 (Error)	Overfill
			3	ERR 205 (Error)	Internal Communication
			1	ERR 206 (Error)	No Probe detected
			1	ERR 207 (Error)	Sensor EEPROM
			1	ERR 207 (Error)	Sensor RAM
			1	ERR 207 (Error)	Sensor ROM
			1	ERR 208 (Error)	Oscillator Frequency
			3	ERR 209 (Error)	Sensor Not compatible
			2, 4	ERR 210 (Error)	Empty
Y	Function check	The device operates correctly, but the measured value is incorrect. This fault message is only temporary. This symbol is shown when the user configures the device with the DTM or a HART® Communicator.	_	_	_
\triangle	Out of	It is possible that the measured	4	(Warning)	Peak Lost
\ \(\times \)	specification	value is unstable if the operating conditions do not agree with the	4	(Warning)	Overfill
		device specification.	4	(Warning)	Empty
			4	(Warning)	Temperature out of range
<i>♦</i>	Maintenance			(Warning)	Snapshot Invalid
	environmental conditions. The measured value is correct, but maintenance is necessary a short time after this symbol is shown.		4	(Warning)	Flange Lost
		4	(Warning)	Reference Position Outside Range	
		time arter this symbot is shown.	4	(Warning)	Audio Signal Offset Outside Range
			3	(Warning)	Temperature <-35°C / -31°F ①
			3	(Warning)	Temperature >+75°C / +167°F ①
_	_	_	6	(Warning)	Calc.Probe L. Not Valid

 $[\]ensuremath{\textcircled{1}}$ CAUTION! The device display screen does not operate at this temperature

If an "Out of specification" status symbol is shown, refer to menu item 2.2.2 DIAGNOSTIC (Configuration mode / Supervisor menu) for more data.

For data on errors, error records and error codes, refer to *Error handling* on page 104.

6.5.2 Error handling

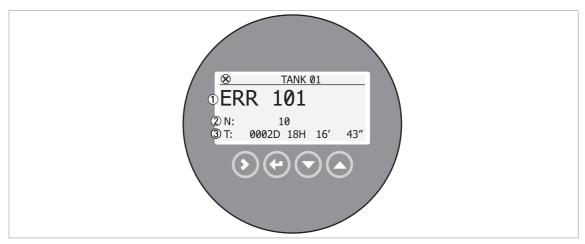


Figure 6-10: Error record data

- ① Error code for the error
- 2 Number of times the error occurred
- ③ Time since the last error record (2 days, 18 hours, 16 minutes and 43 seconds shown in this example)



How to find an error record

- Push [>] to enter configuration mode from normal mode.
- Push [>], 2 × [▲] and [>] to go to menu item 1.3.1 ERROR RECORD.
- Push 2 × [>] to look at the error list. Push [▲] or [▼] for the selection of an error.
- The error record gives the number of times the error occurred and the time since the last error message.



INFORMATION!

The time since the error occurred is measured in Days (D), Hours (H), Minutes (') and Seconds ("). It only includes the time when the device is energized. The error is saved in the memory of the device when it is de-energized. The counter continues when the device is energized again.

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Description of errors and corrective actions

Error code	Error Message	Status marker shown	Cause	Corrective action
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Back end errors

ERR 100	Device reset	1	The device detected an internal error. (watchdog timer issue)	Record the data that is in menu item 2.2.2 DIAGNOSTIC (Configuration mode / Supervisor menu). Speak or write to the supplier.
ERR 101	Current output drift	1	The current output is not calibrated.	Speak or write to the supplier to get the calibration procedure.
		1	Hardware error.	Replace the device.
ERR 102	Temperature out of range	3	The ambient temperature is outside the given range. This can cause loss or corruption of data.	Measure the ambient temperature. De-energize the device until the ambient temperature is back in the given range. If the temperature does not stay in the correct range, make sure that there is insulation around the signal converter.
ERR 103	Converter memory failure	1	The device's hardware is defective.	Replace the signal converter. For more data, refer to <i>How to turn or remove the signal converter</i> on page 48.
ERR 104	Converter voltage failure	1	The device's hardware is defective.	Replace the signal converter. For more data, refer to <i>How to</i> <i>turn or remove the signal</i> <i>converter</i> on page 48.

Sensor errors

ERR 200	Reference pulse lost	2	Reference amplitude is less than reference threshold. This fault could occur because the device hardware is defective.	Speak or write to your supplier to make sure that the electronics are still functioning correctly. Make sure that your installation has ESD protection. For more data, refer to <i>Nozzles on conical silos</i> on page 30.		
ERR 201	Sensor voltage failure	1	The device's hardware is defective.	Do a check of the power supply at the device terminals. Make sure that voltage values are in the specified limits in menu item 2.2.2 DIAGNOSTIC (Configuration mode / Supervisor menu). If the voltage is correct, replace the signal converter. For more data on how to replace the signal converter, refer to How to turn or remove the signal converter on page 48.		

Error code	Error Message	Status marker shown	Cause	Corrective action
ERR 202	Level lost error	2, 4	The device cannot find the product surface. The measurement stops at the last measured value.	Measure the level of the contents in the tank using another method of measurement. If the tank is empty (the level is below the end of the probe), then fill the tank until product level is in the measurement range. If the tank is full (the level is in the blocking distance), then remove the contents from the tank until the level is back in the measuring range. If the product was lost and the tank is neither full nor empty, wait for the device to find the level again.
		2, 4	The device cannot find the level return signal and the probe end return signal.	
				If the device has to measure a product with $\epsilon_r{\ge}1.6$, refer to LEVEL AMP. (Level Pulse Amplitude, menu item 2.5.6) and then adjust LEVEL THRESH. (level threshold, menu item 2.5.7). If the product has a low dielectric constant ($\epsilon_r{<}1.6$) and the device is in TBF mode, refer to PROB.END AMP (probe end pulse amplitude, menu item 2.5.8) and then adjust PROBE END TH. (probe end threshold, menu item 2.5.9). For more data, refer to <i>Thresholds and parasitic signals</i> on page 98.
				Make sure that the signal converter is correctly attached the probe. For more data, refer to <i>How to turn or remove the signal converter</i> on page 48.
ERR 204	Overfill error	2, 4	The level is in the blocking distance. There is a risk that the product will overflow and/or cover the device.	Remove some of the product until the level is below the blocking distance.
ERR 205	Internal Communication	3	The device's hardware or software is defective. The converter cannot transmit signals to or receive signals from the probe electronics.	De-energize the device. Make sure that the signal cable engages in the terminal and the screw connection is tight. Energize the device. If the problem continues, replace the signal converter. For more data, refer to How to turn or remove the signal converter on page 48.
ERR 206	No sensor detected	2	The device's hardware is defective.	Replace the signal converter. For more data, refer to <i>How to</i> turn or remove the signal converter on page 48.
ERR 207	Sensor memory failure	1	The device's hardware is defective.	Replace the signal converter. For more data, refer to <i>How to</i> turn or remove the signal converter on page 48.
ERR 208	Oscillator Frequency	1	The device's hardware is defective.	Replace the signal converter. For more data, refer to <i>How to</i> <i>turn or remove the signal</i> <i>converter</i> on page 48.

Error code	Error Message	Status marker shown	Cause	Corrective action
ERR 209	Sensor not compatible	1	The software version of the sensor is not compatible with the software version of the signal converter.	Go to menu 1.1.0 IDENT. in Configuration mode. Record the version numbers of the device software given in menu items
		1	Defective wiring.	1.1.2, 1.1.3 and 1.1.4. Give this data to the supplier.
ERR 210	Empty	2, 4	The level is in the bottom dead zone. There is a risk that the tank is empty.	Add some of the product until the level is above the bottom dead zone.

Maintenance (NE 107 status signal)

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_	Snapshot Invalid	5	The "static" snapshot data stored in the device does not agree with the installation. If you change the device configuration (probe length etc.), this message will be shown. The recorded "static" snapshot data will not be used by the device while this error message is shown. ①	Do the quick setup procedure in menu item 2.1.2 SNAPSHOT again.
_	Flange Lost	4	The signal converter cannot find the probe below the flange. It is possible that the probe is not correctly attached to the device.	Make sure that the probe is attached to the device. If this status does not change, speak or write to the supplier.
_	Reference Position Outside Range	4	The device's hardware is defective. ①	Replace the signal converter. For more data, refer to <i>How to</i> <i>turn or remove the signal</i> <i>converter</i> on page 48.
_	Audio Signal Offset Outside Range	4	The device's hardware is defective. ①	Replace the signal converter. For more data, refer to <i>How to</i> <i>turn or remove the signal</i> <i>converter</i> on page 48.
_	Temperature <-35°C / -31°F ②	3	The ambient temperature is less than -35°C / -31°F. This temperature is near to the minimum limit for device operation. ①	Measure the ambient temperature. If the temperature does not stay in the correct range, make sure that there is insulation around the signal converter.
_	Temperature >+75°C / +167°F ②	3	The ambient temperature is more than +75°C / +167°F. This temperature is near to the maximum limit for device operation. ①	Measure the ambient temperature. If the temperature does not stay in the correct range, make sure that there is insulation around the signal converter.

Error code	Error Message	Status marker shown	Cause	Corrective action
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Other warnings

_	Calc.Probe L. Not 6 Valid	6	This warning is shown if you decrease the probe length and it is not the same as the value used in the device settings (menu item 2.3.4 PROBE LENGTH). The recorded probe length calculation will not be used by the device while this error message is shown.	Do the procedure in menu item 2.1.3 CALC.PROBE.L again. If you decreased the probe length, you must do the procedure in menu item 2.1.2 SNAPSHOT again.
			This warning is shown if the value set at this time in menu item 2.5.3 GAS EPS. R is different from the dielectric constant of the gas in the tank. The recorded probe length calculation will not be used by the device while this error message is shown.	

- $\ensuremath{\textcircled{1}}$ This error message does not have an effect on the current output signal
- $\ensuremath{\mathfrak{D}}$ CAUTION! The device display screen does not operate at this temperature



INFORMATION!

In 4.0.0 MASTER menu, the type of error shown for error codes 102, 201 and 203 can be changed from "Error" to "Warning" (the NE 107 status signal changes from "Failure" to "Out of specification"). The 4.0.0 MASTER menu is password locked. For more data, speak or write to the supplier.

7.1 Periodic maintenance

No maintenance is necessary.



INFORMATION!

For more data about regular inspections and maintenance procedures for devices with Ex and other approvals, refer to the related supplementary instructions.



WARNING!

Do not use bleach to clean the signal converter.

7.2 Keep the device clean



Obey these instructions:

- Keep the thread of the terminal compartment cover clean.
- If dirt collects on the device, clean it with a damp cloth.

7.3 How to replace device components

7.3.1 Service warranty



WARNING!

Only approved personnel can do an inspection of the device and repairs. If you find a problem, send the device back to your supplier for inspection and/or repairs.



INFORMATION!

The converter housing (compact or remote version) can be detached from the process connection assembly under process conditions. For more data, refer to How to turn or remove the signal converter on page 48.

Servicing by the customer is limited by warranty to:

- The removal and installation of the device.
- Compact version: The removal and installation of the signal converter (with the weather protection, if this option is attached). For more data, refer to *How to turn or remove the signal converter* on page 48.
- Remote (field) version: The removal and installation of the remote converter and/or the probe housing. For more data, refer to *How to turn or remove the signal converter* on page 48.
- Replacement of signal converters of other TDR devices: The removal of a VF03, VF04 or VF7 signal converter and installation of the VF2 signal converter. For the VF04 replacement procedure, refer to *Replacement of the VF04 signal converter* on page 110. For the VF03 replacement procedure, refer to *Replacement of the VF03 signal converter* on page 116. For the VF7 replacement procedure, refer to *Replacement of the VF7 signal converter* on page 120.

For more data on how to prepare the device before you send it back, refer to *Returning the device to the manufacturer* on page 124.



7.3.2 Replacement of the VF04 signal converter



INFORMATION!

Complete the 5 procedures that follow in numerical sequence.

To get the passwords for the VF04 and VF2 Service menus, speak or write to the supplier.

Equipment needed:

- 5 mm Allen wrench (not supplied)
- 8 mm open-end wrench (not supplied)
- · Wrench for housing cover
- · Option: Bar magnet
- VF04 TDR level meter
- VF2 signal converter (without process connection and probe)
- The applicable adaptor for the process connection. You can send an order for this part only or for the VF2 signal converter with the adaptor attached. For the order code, refer to *Order code* on page 169.
- Handbooks for all devices
- Option: Workstation (not supplied) with PACTware and DTM installed
- Option: PACTware supplement (if a workstation is used to set up and monitor the device)
- Option: HART® handheld terminal (not supplied)



CAUTION!

Make sure that you also record device configuration data. This data includes basic configuration (tank height, blocking distance etc.), output, application, display, strapping table, mechanical calibration ratio and converter offset data. You can find this data in Configuration mode. The mechanical calibration speed and offset values are in the SERVICE menu. If you do not have the password for the SERVICE menu, speak or write to the supplier.



INFORMATION!

You can see the device settings on the display screen (if your device has this option), at a workstation with PC STAR software or with a HART® handheld terminal. For more data about the software, refer to the VF04 handbook.



Procedure 1: Record the parameters

- (1) Record the probe type and probe length.
- ② If you use the Hall effect sensors, it is unnecessary to remove the front cover of the signal converter. Use the supplied magnet to "push" the buttons. If you do not have the magnet, remove the cover with the supplied wrench.
- **⊃** For more data about the display screen, keypad buttons and Hall effect sensors, refer to the applicable handbook.
- 3 Energize the device.
- The device is in operation and in Operating Mode.
- 4 Push the [>] button to enter Configuration Mode.
- If the device has password protection, the display screen shows the text "CodE1".
- ⑤ If the device has password protection, enter the password (default setting: $[\blacktriangle]$, $[\blacktriangle]$, $[\twoheadleftarrow]$, $[\hookleftarrow]$, $[\hookleftarrow]$, $[\hookleftarrow]$, [], and [].
- ® Record parameters in these menu items: 1.1.1 TANK HEIGHT, 1.1.2 HOLD DIST., 1.4.9 PROBE TYPE, 1.5.3 DETE. DELAY, 1.3.1 FUNCTION.I.1, 1.3.3 SCAL.I.1 MIN, 1.3.4 SCAL.I.1 MAX and 1.7.2 INPUT.TAB. (strapping table values).

- \bigcirc Push $4 \times [\leftarrow]$ to go back to the Operating Mode.
- Push the [←] button to enter the Configuration Mode (Service).
- **○** If the device has password protection, the display screen shows the text "CodE2".
- Give the password for the SERVICE menu. If you do not have the password, speak or write to the supplier.
- ① Record parameters in these menu items: 2.5 M.CAL. SPEED. and 2.7 OFFSET.
- ①① Push 2 × [←] to go back to the Operating Mode.
- ①② De-energize the device.
- (1)3) Remove the electrical cables.
- (1)4 Attach the signal converter cover.

Procedure 2A: How to remove the VF04 signal converter (non-Ex devices)

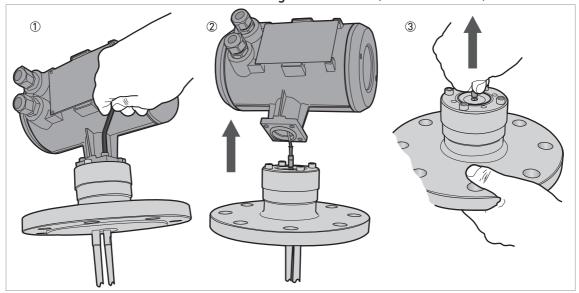


Figure 7-1: Procedure 2A: How to remove the VF04 signal converter (non-Ex devices)

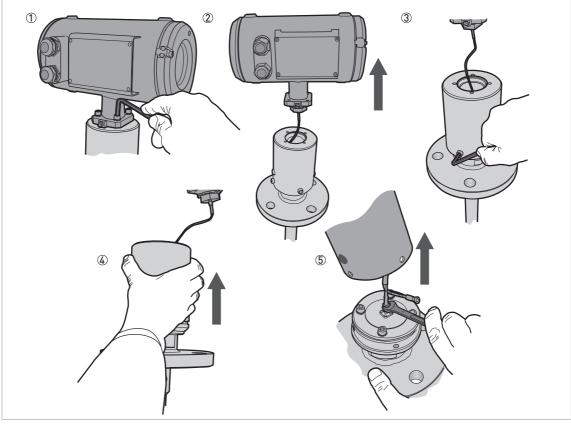


WARNING!

De-energize the device and disconnect the electrical cables before you remove the signal converter.



- ① Remove the 4 socket head screws at the bottom of the signal converter with a 5 mm Allen wrench
- 2 Remove the signal converter from the process connection. Make sure that you do not damage the 50-ohm wire.
- 3 Disconnect the 50-ohm wire connector from the process connection.



Procedure 2B: How to remove the VF04 signal converter (Ex-approved devices)

Figure 7-2: Procedure 2B: How to remove the VF04 signal converter (Ex-approved devices)



WARNING!

De-energize the device and disconnect the electrical cables before you remove the signal converter.

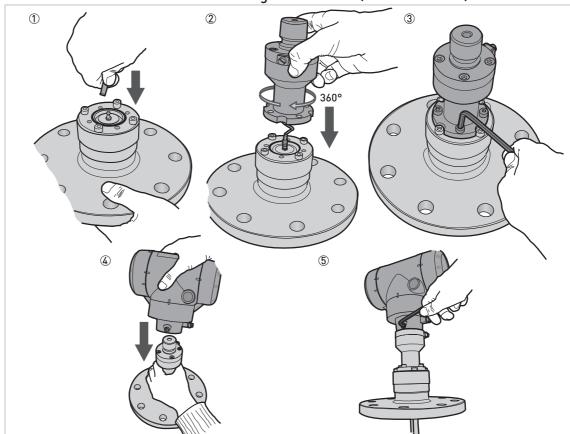


WARNING!

Make sure that you do not damage the isolating chamber seal or the 50-ohm wire.



- ① Remove the 4 socket head screws at the bottom of the signal converter with a 5 mm Allen wrench.
- ② Remove the signal converter from the isolating chamber. Make sure that you do not damage the 50-ohm wire.
- 3 Remove the 4 socket head screws at the bottom of the isolating chamber with a 5 mm Allen wrench.
- Remove the isolating chamber from the process connection. Make sure that you do not damage the isolating chamber seal or the 50-ohm wire.
- ⑤ Disconnect the 50-ohm wire connector from the process connection with an 8 mm open-end wrench.

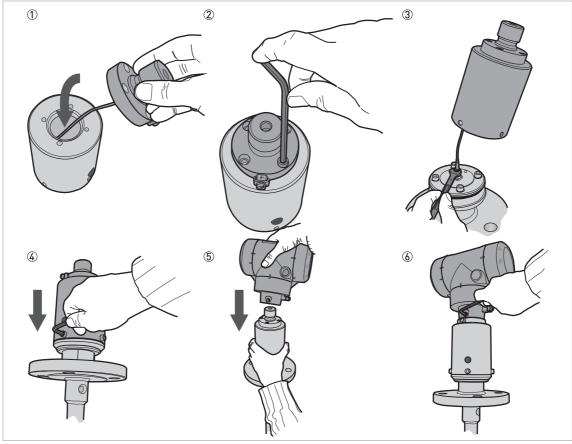


Procedure 3A: How to attach the VF2 signal converter (non-Ex devices)

Figure 7-3: Procedure 3A: How to attach the VF2 signal converter (non-Ex devices)



- ① Connect the 50-ohm wire connector to the process connection with an 8 mm open-end wrench
- ② Before you attach the adaptor, turn the adaptor 360° to prevent damage to the 50-ohm wire.
- 3 Attach the adaptor to the process connection. Tighten the 4 socket head screws with a 5 mm Allen wrench.
- 4 Put the VF2 signal converter on the adaptor. Make sure that the adaptor fully engages in the mating part (signal converter).
- ⑤ Tighten the socket set screw at the bottom of the signal converter with a 5 mm Allen wrench.



Procedure 3B: How to attach the VF2 signal converter (Ex-approved devices)

Figure 7-4: Procedure 3B: How to attach the VF2 signal converter (Ex-approved devices)



WARNING!

Make sure that mating surfaces are clean. The isolating chamber must be air-tight.



- ① Attach the adaptor to the top of the isolating chamber.
- ② Tighten the 4 socket head screws with a 5 mm Allen wrench.
- 3 Connect the 50-ohm wire connector to the process connection with an 8 mm open-end wrench.
- 4 Attach the isolating chamber to the process connection. The holes in the isolating chamber must align with the holes in the process connection. Make sure that you do not damage the 50-ohm wire. Attach the 4 socket head screws at the bottom of the isolating chamber with a 5 mm Allen wrench.
- ⑤ Put the VF2 signal converter on the adaptor. Make sure that the adaptor fully engages in the mating part (signal converter).
- ⑥ Tighten the socket set screw at the bottom of the signal converter with a 5 mm Allen wrench.



INFORMATION!

The procedure that follows calibrates the new device. You must have 2 reference points (levels) in the tank given by a different measurement solution (an approved level meter or indicator). These points are identified as reference point 1 (R1) and reference point 2 (R2). R1 is the point where the tank is approximately 20% full. R2 is the point where the tank is approximately 80% full.



Procedure 4: How to calculate the mechanical calibration speed and the measurement offset (VF2)

- 1 Install the device on the tank.
- ② Energize the device. Make sure that the display screen shows "Distance" measurements.
- The device is in operation and in normal mode. It will not measure correctly until it is correctly calibrated.
- 3 Change the level to R1.
- 4 Record D1, the distance shown on the display screen of the device.
- (5) Change the level to R2.
- Record D2, the distance shown on the display screen of the device.
- \bigcirc Calculate the ratio, A. A = (D2 D1) / (R2 R1).
- 8 Calculate the new mechanical calibration speed. New mechanical calibration speed (VF2) = Old calibration factor (VF04) \times A
- \mathfrak{G} Calculate the offset, B. B = D1 (A × R1).
- \bigcirc Calculate the new measurement offset. New measurement offset (VF2) = Old converter offset (VF04) \times A



Procedure 5: How to set the mechanical calibration speed and the measurement offset (VF2)

- ① Energize the device.
- The device is in operation and in normal mode. It will not measure correctly until new values are set in menu items 3.1.4 OFFSET MEAS. (Measurement Offset) and 3.1.6 M.CAL. SPEED (Mechanical Calibration Speed).
- ② Push [>], $2 \times [\blacktriangle]$ and [>] to go to the SERVICE menu (3.0.0).
- ③ Give the password for the SERVICE menu. If you do not have the password, speak or write to the supplier.
- ④ Push [>] and 3 × [▲] to go to menu item 3.1.4 OFFSET MEAS.
- (5) Push [>] to change the value. Enter the new measurement offset value that you calculated in procedure 4.
- ⑥ Push [←], 2 × [▲] to go to menu item 3.1.6 M.CAL. SPEED.
- Push [>] to change the value. Enter the new mechanical calibration speed value that you calculated in procedure 4.
- (8) Push 4 × [←]. Push [♠] or [▼] for the selection of the save option (STORE NO or STORE YES). Set to "STORE YES" to save and use the data.
- Push [←] to confirm.
- The device is in normal mode. The device uses the new values.



CAUTION!

You recorded device configuration data of the VF04 level meter before you attached the new signal converter. Make sure that you enter this data in the supervisor menu of the VF2.



Procedure 6: Device configuration (VF2)

• For the Quick Setup procedure, refer to *Commissioning* on page 87. For more data about device configuration, refer to *Operation* on page 72.

7.3.3 Replacement of the VF03 signal converter



INFORMATION!

Complete the 5 procedures that follow in numerical sequence.

To get the passwords for the VF03 and VF2 Service menus, speak or write to the supplier.

Equipment needed:

- 4 mm Allen wrench (not supplied)
- VF03 TDR level meter
- VF2 signal converter (without process connection and probe)
- The applicable adaptor for the process connection. You can send an order for this part only or for the VF2 signal converter with the adaptor attached. For the order code, refer to *Order* code on page 169.
- Handbooks for all devices
- Option: Workstation (not supplied) with PACTware and DTM installed
- · Option: PACTware supplement (if a workstation is used to set up and monitor the device
- Option: HART® handheld terminal (not supplied)



CAUTION!

Make sure that you also record device configuration data. This data includes basic configuration (tank height, blocking distance etc.), output, application, display, strapping table, mechanical calibration speed and offset data. You can find this data in Configuration mode. The mechanical calibration speed and offset values are in the SERVICE menu. If you do not have the password for the SERVICE menu, speak or write to the supplier.



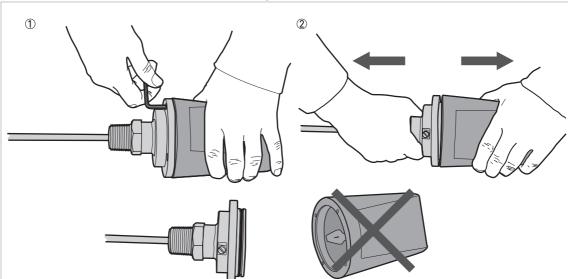
INFORMATION!

You can see the device settings on a workstation with PCSTAR 2 software or with a HART® handheld terminal. For more data about the software, refer to the VF03 handbook.



Procedure 1: Record the parameters (VF03 TDR level meters)

- Record the probe type and probe length.
- 2 Energize the device.
- The device is in operation and in Operating Mode.
- ③ Use PCSTAR 2 software or a HART® Handheld Terminal to record parameters in these menu items: TANK HEIGHT, DEAD ZONE, PROBE TYPE, DETECTION DELAY, FUNCTION.I.1, SCALE I (MIN/4 mA), SCALE I (MAX/20 mA), INPUT TABLE (strapping table values), M.CAL. SPEED. and OFFSET.
- 4 De-energize the device.
- (5) Remove the electrical cables.



Procedure 2: How to remove the VF03 signal converter

Figure 7-5: Procedure 2: How to remove the VF03 signal converter

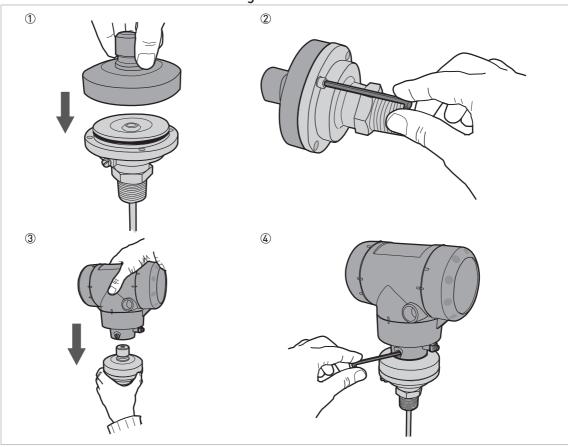


WARNING!

De-energize the device and disconnect the electrical cables before you remove the signal converter.



- ① Remove the 4 socket head screws at the bottom of the signal converter with a 4 mm Allen wrench.
- ② Remove the signal converter from the process connection



Procedure 3: How to attach the VF2 signal converter

Figure 7-6: Procedure 3: How to attach the VF2 signal converter



WARNING!

Be careful with the pin connector below the adaptor. If the pin connector is damaged, the device will not measure level correctly.



- ① Attach the adaptor to the top of process connection.
- ② Tighten the 4 socket head screws with a 4 mm Allen wrench.
- ③ Put the VF2 signal converter on the adaptor. Make sure that the adaptor fully engages in the mating part (signal converter).
- Tighten the socket set screw at the bottom of the signal converter with a 5 mm Allen wrench.



INFORMATION!

The procedure that follows calibrates the new device. You must have 2 reference points (levels) in the tank given by a different measurement solution (an approved level meter or indicator). These points are identified as reference point 1 (R1) and reference point 2 (R2). R1 is the point where the tank is approximately 20% full. R2 is the point where the tank is approximately 80% full.



Procedure 4: How to calculate the mechanical calibration speed and the measurement offset (VF2)

- 1) Install the device on the tank.
- ② Energize the device. Make sure that the display screen shows "Distance" measurements.

The device is in operation and in normal mode. It will not measure correctly until it is correctly calibrated.

- 3 Change the level to R1.
- 4 Record D1, the distance shown on the display screen of the device.
- (5) Change the level to R2.
- (6) Record D2, the distance shown on the display screen of the device.
- \bigcirc Calculate the ratio, A. A = (D2 D1) / (R2 R1).
- (8) Calculate the new mechanical calibration speed. New mechanical calibration speed (VF2) = Old calibration factor (VF03) × A
- (9) Calculate the offset, B. B = D1 $(A \times R1)$.
- \bigcirc Calculate the new measurement offset. New measurement offset (VF2) = Old converter offset (VF03) \times A



Procedure 5: How to set the mechanical calibration speed and the measurement offset (VF2)

- 1 Energize the device.
- The device is in operation and in normal mode. It will not measure correctly until new values are set in menu items 3.1.4 OFFSET MEAS. (Measurement Offset) and 3.1.6 M.CAL. SPEED (Mechanical Calibration Speed).
- ② Push [>], 2 x [▲] and [>] to go to the SERVICE menu (3.0.0).
- ③ Give the password for the SERVICE menu. If you do not have the password, speak or write to the supplier.
- ④ Push [>] and 3 × [▲] to go to menu item 3.1.4 OFFSET MEAS...
- (5) Push [>] to change the value. Enter the new measurement offset value that you calculated in procedure 4.
- ⑥ Push [←], 2 × [▲] to go to menu item 3.1.6 M.CAL. SPEED.
- Push [>] to change the value. Enter the new mechanical calibration speed value that you calculated in procedure 4.
- Push 4 x [←]. Push [♠] or [▼] for the selection of the save option (STORE NO or STORE YES). Set to "STORE YES" to save and use the data.
- Push [←] to confirm.
- The device is in normal mode. The device uses the new values.



CAUTION!

You recorded device configuration data of the VF03 level meter before you attached the new signal converter. Make sure that you enter this data in the supervisor menu of the VF2.



Procedure 6: Device configuration (VF2)

• For the Quick Setup procedure, refer to *Commissioning* on page 87. For more data about device configuration, refer to *Operation* on page 72.

7.3.4 Replacement of the VF7 signal converter



INFORMATION!

Complete the 5 procedures that follow in numerical sequence. These procedures are applicable only to devices that were made before August 2009.

To get the passwords for the VF7 and VF2 Service menus, speak or write to your supplier.

Equipment needed:

- 5 mm Allen wrench (not supplied)
- VF7 TDR level meter
- VF2 signal converter (without process connection and probe)
- The applicable adaptor for the process connection. You can send an order for this part only or for the VF2 signal converter with the adaptor attached. For the order code, refer to Order code on page 169.
- Handbooks for all devices
- Option: Workstation (not supplied) with PACTware and DTM installed
- Option: PACTware supplement (if a workstation is used to set up and monitor the device)
- Option: HART® handheld terminal (not supplied)



CAUTION!

Make sure that you also record device configuration data. This data includes basic configuration (tank height, blocking distance etc.), output, application, display and strapping table, converter offset and mechanical calibration ratio data. You can find this data in the Supervisor and Service menus. If you do not have the password for the SERVICE menu, speak or write to your supplier.



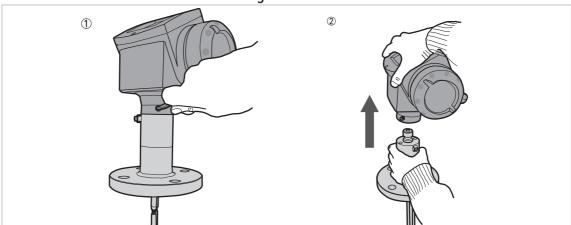
INFORMATION!

You can see the device settings on the display screen (if your device has this option), at a workstation with PACTware software or with a HART® Handheld Terminal. For more data about the software, refer to the PACTware supplement or PACTware embedded Help for each device.



Procedure 1: Record the parameters (VF7 TDR level meters)

- Record the probe type and probe length.
- ② Energize the device.
- The device is in operation and in Normal Mode.
- ③ Push [>], [▲] and [>] to enter Configuration Mode (2.0.0 SUPERVISOR).
- ④ Enter the password. Push [>], \leftarrow], $[\leftarrow]$, [>] and $[\leftarrow]$.
- (5) Record parameters in these menu items: A.1.4 Conversion (strapping table values), B.2.7 Probe Type, C.1.9 Blocking Distance, C.1.1.0 Tank Height, Detection Delay, C.3.1 Output Function (Output 1), C.3.2 4 mA Setting (Output 1) and C.3.3 20 mA Setting (Output 1).
- ⑥ Push 4 × [←] to go back to the Operating Mode.
- \bigcirc Push [>], 3 × [\blacktriangle] and [>] to enter the Service menu.
- ® Give the password for the SERVICE menu. If you do not have the password, speak or write to your supplier.
- Record parameters in these menu items: D2.1.0 Converter Offset and D.2.3.0 Mechanical Calibration Ratio.
- ①① Push $2 \times [\leftarrow]$ to go back to the Operating Mode.
- (1)(1) De-energize the device.
- (1)(2) Remove the electrical cables.
- 13 Attach the signal converter cover.



Procedure 2: How to remove the VF7 signal converter

Figure 7-7: Procedure 2: How to remove the VF7 signal converter

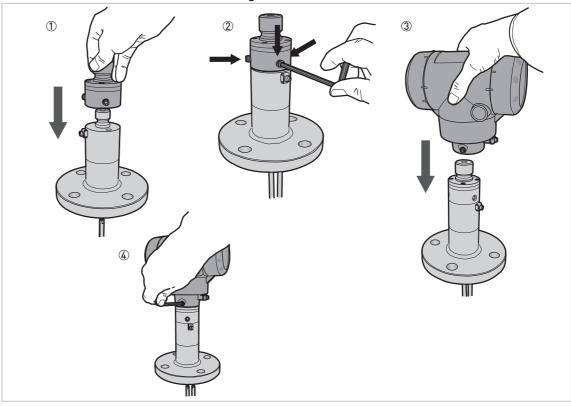


WARNING!

De-energize the device and disconnect the electrical cables before you remove the signal converter.



- ① Remove the socket head screw at the bottom of the signal converter with a 5 mm Allen wrench. Keep the screws for the subsequent procedure.
- ② Remove the signal converter from the process connection. Make sure that the gasket stays on the flange connection.



Procedure 3: How to attach the VF2 signal converter

Figure 7-8: Procedure 3: How to attach the VF2 signal converter



INFORMATION!

If the VF7 was made after 2009, do not do steps 1 thru 2.



- ① Put the adaptor on the process connection. Make sure that the adaptor fully engages in the mating part.
- ② Attach and tighten the socket head screw with a 5 mm Allen wrench.
- ③ Put the VF2 signal converter on the adaptor. Make sure that the signal converter fully engages in the mating part (adaptor).
- Tighten the socket set screw at the bottom of the signal converter with a 5 mm Allen wrench.



INFORMATION!

The adaptor is available as a spare part. Send an order for this part only or for the VF2 signal converter with the adaptor attached. For the order code, refer to Order code on page 169 [Adaptor].



INFORMATION!

The procedure that follows calibrates the new device. You must have 2 reference points (levels) in the tank given by a different measurement solution (an approved level meter or indicator). These points are identified as reference point 1 (R1) and reference point 2 (R2). R1 is the point where the tank is approximately 20% full. R2 is the point where the tank is approximately 80% full.



Procedure 4: How to calculate the mechanical calibration speed and the measurement offset (VF2)

- Install the device on the tank.
- Energize the device. Make sure that the display screen shows "Distance" measurements.
- The device is in operation and in normal mode. It will not measure correctly until it is correctly calibrated.
- Change the level to R1.
- Record D1, the distance shown on the display screen of the device.
- Change the level to R2.
- Record D2, the distance shown on the display screen of the device.
- Calculate the ratio, A. A = (D2 D1) / (R2 R1).
- Calculate the new mechanical calibration speed. New mechanical calibration speed (VF2) = Old calibration factor (VF7) × A
- Calculate the offset, B. B = D1 (A × R1).
- Calculate the new measurement offset. New measurement offset (VF2) = Old converter offset (VF7) × A



Procedure 5: How to set the mechanical calibration speed and the measurement offset (VF2)

- 1) Energize the device.
- The device is in operation and in normal mode. It will not measure correctly until new values are set in menu items 3.1.4 OFFSET MEAS. (Measurement Offset) and 3.1.6 M.CAL. SPEED (Mechanical Calibration Speed).
- ② Push [>], 2 x [▲] and [>] to go to the SERVICE menu (3.0.0).
- ③ Give the password for the SERVICE menu. If you do not have the password, speak or write to your supplier.
- ④ Push [>] and 3 × [▲] to go to menu item 3.1.4 OFFSET MEAS.
- (5) Push [>] to change the value. Enter the new measurement offset value that you calculated in procedure 4.
- ⑥ Push [←], 2 × [▲] to go to menu item 3.1.6 M.CAL. SPEED.
- Push [>] to change the value. Enter the new mechanical calibration speed value that you calculated in procedure 4.
- Push 4 × [←]. Push [♠] or [▼] for the selection of the save option (STORE NO or STORE YES).
 Set to "STORE YES" to save and use the data.
- Push [←] to confirm.
- The device is in normal mode. The device uses the new values.



CAUTION!

You recorded device configuration data of the VF7 level meter before you attached the new signal converter. Make sure that you enter this data in the supervisor menu of the VF2.



Procedure 6: Device configuration (VF2)

• For the Quick Setup procedure, refer to *Commissioning* on page 87. For more data about device configuration, refer to *Operation* on page 72.

7.4 Availability of services

The manufacturer offers a range of services to support the customer after expiration of the warranty. These include repair, maintenance, technical support and training.



INFORMATION!

For more precise information, please contact your local sales office.

7.5 Returning the device to the manufacturer

7.5.1 General information

This device has been carefully manufactured and tested. If installed and operated in accordance with these operating instructions, it will rarely present any problems.



WARNING!

Should you nevertheless need to return a device for inspection or repair, please pay strict attention to the following points:

- Due to statutory regulations on environmental protection and safeguarding the health and safety of the personnel, the manufacturer may only handle, test and repair returned devices that have been in contact with products without risk to personnel and environment.
- This means that the manufacturer can only service this device if it is accompanied by the following certificate (see next section) confirming that the device is safe to handle.



WARNING!

If the device has been operated with toxic, caustic, radioactive, flammable or water-endangering products, you are kindly requested:

- to check and ensure, if necessary by rinsing or neutralising, that all cavities are free from such dangerous substances,
- to enclose a certificate with the device confirming that it is safe to handle and stating the product used.

7.5.2 Form (for copying) to accompany a returned device



CAUTION!

To avoid any risk for our service personnel, this form has to be accessible from outside of the packaging with the returned device.

Company:	Address:		
Department:	Name:		
Tel. no.:	Email address:		
Manufacturer's order no. or serial no.:			
The device has been operated with the follow	ing medium:		
This medium is:	radioactive		
	water-hazardous		
	toxic		
	austic		
	flammable		
	We checked that all cavities in the device are free from such substances.		
	have flushed out and neutralized all cavities in the device.		
We hereby confirm that there is no risk to per device when it is returned.	rsons or the environment through any residual media contained in the		
Date:	Signature:		
Stamp:			

7.6 Disposal



LEGAL NOTICE!

Disposal must be carried out in accordance with legislation applicable in your country.

Separate collection of WEEE (Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment) in the European Union:



According to the directive 2012/19/EU, the monitoring and control instruments marked with the WEEE symbol and reaching their end-of-life **must not be disposed of with other waste**. The user must dispose of the WEEE to a designated collection point for the recycling of WEEE or send them back to our local organisation or authorised representative.

8.1 Measuring principle

This Guided Radar (TDR) level transmitter has been developed from a proven technology called Time Domain Reflectometry (TDR).

The device transmits low-intensity electromagnetic pulses of approximately one nanosecond width along a rigid or flexible conductor. These pulses move at the speed of light. When the pulses reach the surface of the product to be measured, the pulses are reflected back to the signal converter.

The device measures the time from when the pulse is emitted to when it is received: half of this time is equivalent to the distance from the reference point of the device to the surface of the product. The time value is converted into an output current of 4...20 mA.

Dust, foam, vapour, agitated surfaces, boiling surfaces, changes in pressure, changes in temperature, changes in dielectric constant and changes in density do not have an effect on device performance.

The illustration that follows shows a snapshot of what a user would see on an oscilloscope, if the level of one product is measured.

TDR measurement of level

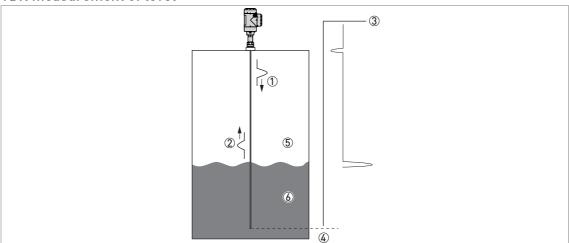


Figure 8-1: TDR measurement of level

- 1 Transmitted pulses
- ② Reflected pulse
- 3 Pulse amplitude
- 4 Time of flight
- \odot Air, $\varepsilon_r = 1$
- **6** $\epsilon_r \ge 1.4$ in direct mode or $\epsilon_r \ge 1.1$ in TBF mode

8.2 Technical data



INFORMATION!

- The following data is provided for general applications. If you require data that is more relevant to your specific application, please contact us or your local sales office.
- Additional information (certificates, special tools, software,...) and complete product documentation can be downloaded free of charge from the website.

Converter

Measuring system

Application	Level and volume measurement of liquids, pastes, powders and granulates			
Measuring principle	TDR (time domain reflectometry)			
Construction	Compact version: Measuring probe attached directly to a signal converter Remote version: Measuring probe installed on a tank and connected by a signal cable (max. length 100 m / 328 ft) to a signal converter			

Operating conditions

Ambient temperature	-40+80°C / -40+176°F Integrated LCD display: -20+60°C / -5+140°F; if the ambient temperature is not in these limits, the display switches off
Storage temperature	-50+85°C / -60+185°F (min40°C / -40°F for devices with the integrated LCD display option)
Ingress protection	IEC 60529: IP66 / IP67
	NEMA 250: NEMA type 4X (housing) and type 6P (probe)

Materials

Housing	Polyester-coated aluminium or stainless steel (1.4404 / 316L)
Cable entry	Plastic; nickel-plated brass, stainless steel

Electrical connections

Power supply (terminals)	Terminals output – Non-Ex / Ex i: 11.530 VDC; min./max. value for an output of 22 mA at the terminal	
	Terminals output – Ex d: 13.536 VDC; min./max. value for an output of 22 mA at the terminal	
Current output load	Non-Ex / Ex i: $R_L[\Omega] \le ((U_{ext} - 11.5 \text{ V})/22 \text{ mA})$. For more data, refer to <i>Minimum power supply voltage</i> on page 134.	
	Ex d: $R_L[\Omega] \le ((U_{ext} - 13.5 \text{ V})/22 \text{ mA})$. For more data, refer to <i>Minimum power supply voltage</i> on page 134.	
Cable entry	M20×1.5; ½ NPT	
Cable gland	Standard: none	
	Options: M20×1.5 (cable diameter (non-Ex / Ex i: 67.5 mm / 0.240.30"; Ex d: 610 mm / 0.240.39"); others are available on request	
Signal cable — remote version	None for non-Ex devices (4-wire shielded cable of max. length 100 m / 328 ft to be supplied by the customer). Supplied with all Ex-approved devices. For more data, refer to <i>Remote device data</i> on page 56	
Cable entry capacity (terminal)	0.52.5 mm²	

Input and output

Measured variable	Time between the emitted and received signal			
Current output / HART®	·			
Output signal	420 mA HART® or 3.820.5 mA acc. to NAMUR NE 43 ①			
Resolution	±3 µA			
Temperature drift (analog)	Typically 50 ppm/K			
Temperature drift (digital)	Max. ±15 mm for the full temperature range			
Error signal options	High: 22 mA; Low: 3.6 mA acc. to NAMUR NE 43; Hold (frozen value – not available if the output agrees with NAMUR NE 43 or the device is approved for safety-related systems (SIL))			
PROFIBUS PA	·			
Туре	PROFIBUS MBP interface that agrees with IEC 61158-2 with 31.25 kbit/s; voltage mode (MBP = Manchester-Coded, Bus-Powered)			
Function blocks	1 × Physical Block, 1 × Level Transducer Block, 4 × Analog Input Function Blocks			
Device power supply	932 VDC — bus powered; no additional power supply required			
Polarity sensitivity	No			
Basic current	15 mA			
FOUNDATION™ fieldbus				
Physical layer	FOUNDATION™ fieldbus protocol that agrees with IEC 61158-2 and FISCO model			
Communication standard	H1			
ITK version	6.1			
Function blocks	1 × Resource Block (RB), 3 × Transducer Blocks (TB), 3 × Analog Input Blocks (AI), 1 x Proportional Integral Derivative Block (PID)			
	Analog Input Block: 30 ms			
	Proportional Integral Derivative Block: 40 ms			
Device power supply	Not intrinsically safe: 932 VDC			
	Intrinsically safe: 924 VDC			
Basic current	14 mA			
Maximum error current FDE	20.5 mA (= basic current + error current = 14 mA + 6.5 mA)			
Polarity sensitivity	No			
Minimum cycle time	250 ms			
Output data	Level, distance, ullage conversion, level conversion			
Input data	None			
Link Active Scheduler	Supported			

Display and user interface

User interface options	LCD display (128 × 64 pixels in 8-step greyscale with 4-button keypad)
Languages	9 languages are available: English, German, French, Italian, Spanish, Portuguese, Japanese, Chinese (simplified) and Russian

Approvals and certification

CE	The device meets the essential requirements of the EU Directives. The manufacturer certifies successful testing of the product by applying the CE marking.
	For more data about the EU Directives and European Standards related to this device, refer to the EU Declaration of Conformity. This documentation can be downloaded free of charge from the website.

Vibration resistance	EN 60721-3-4 (19 Hz: 3 mm / 10200 Hz:1g; 10g shock ½sinus: 11 ms) For coaxial probes: <2 m / 6.56 ft, 0.5g or category 4M3 according to EN 60721-3-4 <6 m / 19.68 ft, 0.5g or category 4M1 according to EN 60721-3-4				
Sanitary	FDA 21 CFR 177.2600				
(for hygienic probe options only)	Regulation (EC) No 1935/2004, Commission Regulation (EC) No 2023/2006, Commission Regulation (EU) No 10/2011				
Explosion protection					
ATEX (Ex ia, Ex db or Ex tb)	Compact version				
DEKRA 13ATEX0193 X	II 1/2 G, 2 G Ex ia IIC T6T2 Ga/Gb or Ex ia IIC T6T2 Gb;				
	II 1/2 D, 2 D Ex ia IIIC T90°C Da/Db or Ex ia IIIC T90°C Db;				
	II 1/2 G, 2 G Ex ia/db IIC T6T2 Ga/Gb or Ex db ia IIC T6T2 Gb;				
	II 1/2 D, 2 D Ex ia/tb IIIC T90°C Da/Db or Ex ia tb IIIC T90°C Db				
	Remote version, transmitter				
	II 2 G Ex ia [ia Ga] IIC T6T4 Gb;				
	II 2 D Ex ia [ia Da] IIIC T90°C Db;				
	II 2 G Ex db ia [ia Ga] IIC T6T4 Gb;				
	II 2 D Ex ia tb [ia Da] IIIC T90°C Db				
	Remote version, sensor				
	II 1/2 G, 2 G Ex ia IIC T6T2 Ga/Gb or Ex ia IIC T6T2 Gb;				
	II 1/2 D, 2 D Ex ia IIIC T90°C Da/Db or Ex ia IIIC T90°C Db				
ATEX (Ex ic)	Compact version				
DEKRA 13ATEX0193 X	II 3 G Ex ic IIC T6T2 Gc;				
	II 3 D Ex ic IIIC T90°C Dc				
	Remote version, transmitter				
	II 3 G Ex ic [ic] IIC T6T4 Gc;				
	II 3 D Ex ic [ic] IIIC T90°C Dc				
	Remote version, sensor				
	II 3 G Ex ic IIC T6T2 Gc;				
	II 3 D Ex ic IIIC T90°C Dc				
DNV / INMETRO	Compact version				
DNV 14.0060 X (not available for hygienic probe	Ex ia IIC T6T2 Ga/Gb or Ex ia IIC T6T2 Gb or Ex ic IIC T6T2 Gc;				
options)	Ex ia IIIC T90°C Da/Db or Ex ia IIIC T90°C Db or Ex ic IIIC T90°C Dc;				
	Ex d ia IIC T6T2 Ga/Gb or Ex d ia IIIC T6T2 Gb;				
	Ex ia tb IIIC T90°C Da/Db or Ex ia tb IIIC T90°C Db				
	Remote version, transmitter				
	Ex ia [ia Ga] IIC T6T4 Gb or Ex ic [ic] IIC T6T4 Gc;				
	Ex ia [ia Da] IIIC T90°C Db or Ex ic [ic] IIIC T90°C Dc;				
	Ex d ia [ia Ga] IIC T6T4 Gb;				
	Ex ia tb [ia Da] IIIC T90°C Db				
	Remote version, sensor				
	Ex ia IIC T6T2 Ga/Gb or Ex ia IIC T6T2 Gb or Ex ic IIC T6T2 Gc;				

Other standards and approvals				
SIL — only for 420 mA output	Compact version only: SIL 2 — certified according to all the requirements in EN 61508 (Full Assessment) and for high/low demand mode operation. HFT=0, SFF=94.3% (for non-Ex / Ex i devices) or 92.1% (for Ex d devices), type B device			
EMC	Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMC) directive. The device agrees with this directive and its related standard if: — the device has a coaxial probe or — the device has a single / double probe that is installed in a metallic tank. For more data, refer to Electromagnetic compatibility on page 8. SIL 2-approved devices agree with EN 61326-3-1 and EN 61326-3-2.			
NAMUR	NAMUR NE 21 Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMC) of Industrial Process and Laboratory Control Equipment			
	NAMUR NE 43 Standardization of the Signal Level for the Failure Information of Digital Transmitters			
	NAMUR NE 53 Software and Hardware of Field Devices and Signal Processing Devices with Digital Electronics			
	NAMUR NE 107 Self-Monitoring and Diagnosis of Field Devices			
CRN	This certification is applicable for all Canadian provinces and territories. For more data, refer to the website.			
Construction code	On request: NACE MR0175 / ISO 15156; NACE MR0103			

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Probe options

Single c	, <u>, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , </u>	Single cable	Single cable
Ø2 mm /		Ø4 mm / 0.16"	Ø8 mm / 0.32"

Measuring system

Application	Liquids	Liquids and solids		Solids
Measuring range	140 m / 3.28131.23 ft	Single-piece probe (liquid, solids and hygienic applications): 14 m / 3.2813.12 ft Segmented probe (liquids): 16 m / 3.2819.69 ft	Liquids: 140 m / 3.28131.23 ft Solids: 120 m / 3.2865.62 ft	140 m / 3.28131.23 ft
Dead zone	This depends on the type of probe. For more data, refer to "Measurement limits" in this chapter.			

Measuring accuracy

Accuracy (in direct mode)	Standard (liquids and solids): $\pm 10 \text{ mm} / \pm 0.4^{\circ}$, when distance $\leq 10 \text{ m} / 33 \text{ ft}$; $\pm 0.1\%$ of measured distance, when distance > $10 \text{ m} / 33 \text{ ft}$	
	Optional (liquids and solids): ± 3 mm / ± 0.1 °, when distance ≤ 10 m / 33 ft; $\pm 0.03\%$ of measured distance, when distance > 10 m / 33 ft	
Accuracy (in TBF mode)	±20 mm / ±0.8"	
Resolution	1 mm / 0.04"	
Repeatability	±1 mm / ±0.04"	
Maximum rate of change at 4 mA	10 m/min / 32.8 ft/min	

Single cable Single rod Single cable Single cable Ø2 mm / 0.08" Ø8 mm / 0.32" Ø4 mm / 0.16" Ø8 mm /

Operating conditions

Min./Max. temperature at the process connection (also depends on the temperature limits of the gasket material. Refer to "Materials" in this table.)	-50+300°C / -58+572°F	-50+150°C / -58+302°F (Hygienic applications: -45+150°C / -49+302°F)	-50+150°C / -58+302°F
Pressure	-140 barg / -14.5580 psig		
Viscosity (liquids only)	10000 mPa·s / 10000 cP		
Dielectric constant	≥ 1.8 in direct mode; ≥ 1.1 in TBF mode		

Materials

Materials			
Probe	Stainless steel (1.4404 / 316L); HASTELLOY® C- 22® (2.4602)	Stainless steel (1.4404 / 316L); PVDF (Ø16 mm / 0.64" PVDF sheath)	Stainless steel (1.4401 / 316)
Gasket (process seal)	FKM/FPM [-40+300°C / -40+572°F); Kalrez® 6375 [-20+300°C / -4+572°F); EPDM [-50+250°C / -58+482°F] ①	FKM/FPM [-40+150°C / -40+302°F]; Kalrez® 6375[-20+150°C / -4+302°F]; EPDM [-50+150°C / -58+302°F] For hygienic applications only: FKM/FPM [-20+150°C / -4+302°F]; EPDM [-45+150°C / -49+302°F] Kalrez® 6320 [-20+150°C4+302°F] Also applicable to CIP and SIP cycles ①	FKM/FPM {-40+150°C / -40+302°F}; Kalrez® 6375 {-20+150°C / -4+302°F}; EPDM {-50+150°C / -58+302°F} ①
Process connection	Stainless steel (1.4404 / 316L); HASTELLOY® C-22® (2.4602)	Stainless steel (1.4404 / 316L)	
Other wetted parts	PTFE, PEEK	PTFE	PTFE
Surface roughness of metallic wetted parts	_	For hygienic applications only: Ra <0.76 µm	_

Process connections

Thread	For more data on options, refer to <i>Order code</i> on page 169		
Flange	For more data on options, refer to <i>Order code</i> on page 169		
Hygienic	_	For more data on options, refer to <i>Order code</i> on page 169, "Hygienic" table	_

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Double cable 2 × Ø4 mm / 0.16"	Double rod 2 × Ø8 mm / 0.32"	Coaxial Ø22 mm / 0.87
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Measuring system

Application	Liquids		
Measuring range	128 m / 3.2891.86 ft	14 m / 3.313.12 ft	0.66 m / 1.9719.69 ft
Dead zone	This depends on the type of this chapter.	probe. For more data, refer	to "Measurement limits" in

Measuring accuracy

Accuracy (in direct mode)	Standard (liquids and solids): $\pm 10 \text{ mm} / \pm 0.4$ ", when distance $\leq 10 \text{ m} / 33 \text{ ft}$; $\pm 0.1\%$ of measured distance, when distance > $10 \text{ m} / 33 \text{ ft}$	
	Optional (liquids and solids): ± 3 mm / ± 0.1 °, when distance ≤ 10 m / 33 ft; $\pm 0.03\%$ of measured distance, when distance > 10 m / 33 ft	
Accuracy (in TBF mode)	±20 mm / ±0.8"	
Resolution	1 mm / 0.04"	
Repeatability	±1 mm / ±0.04"	
Maximum rate of change at 4 mA	10 m/min / 32.8 ft/min	

Operating conditions

Min./Max. temperature at the process connection (also depends on the temperature limits of the gasket material. Refer to "Materials" in this table.)	-50+150°C / -58+302°F		
Pressure	-140 barg / -14.5580 psig		
Viscosity (liquids only)	10000 mPa·s / 10000 cP		
Dielectric constant	\geq 1.6 in direct mode \geq 1.4 in direct mode		
	≥ 1.1 in TBF mode		

Materials

Probe	Stainless steel (1.4404 / 316L)		Stainless steel (1.4401 / 316); HASTELLOY® C-22® (2.4602)
Gasket (process seal)	FKM/FPM (-40+150°C / -40+302°F); Kalrez® 6375 (-20+150°C / -4+302°F); EPDM (-50+150°C / -58+302°F) ①		
Process connection	Stainless steel (1.4404 / 316L)		Stainless steel (1.4404 / 316L); HASTELLOY® C-22® (2.4602)
Other wetted parts	PTFE, FEP	PTFE	PTFE

Process connections

Thread	For more data on options, refer to <i>Order code</i> on page 169
Flange	For more data on options, refer to <i>Order code</i> on page 169

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Process connection options: flange facing finish

Type (flange facing)	Flange facing finish, R _a (minmax)		
	[µm]	[µin – AARH]	
EN 1092-1			
B1, E or F	3.212.5	125500	
B2, C or D	0.83.2	32125	
ASME B16.5			
RF, FF, LF or LM	3.26.3	125250	
LG, LT, SF, ST or SM	≤ 3.2	≤ 125	
RJ	≤ 1.6	≤ 63	
JIS B2220			
RF	3.26.3	125250	
ISO 2852 / DIN 32676 (Tri-Clamp	o®)		
_	≤ 0.76	30	
DIN 11851			
_	≤ 0.76	30	

8.3 Minimum power supply voltage

Use these graphs to find the minimum power supply voltage for a given current output load.

Non-Ex and Hazardous Location approved (Ex i / IS) devices

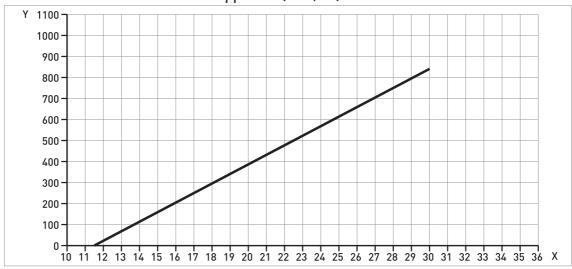


Figure 8-2: Minimum power supply voltage for an output of 22 mA at the terminals (Non-Ex and Hazardous Location approval (Ex i / IS))

X: Power supply U [V DC]

Y: Current output load R_L [Ω]

Hazardous Location (Ex d / XP/NI) approved devices

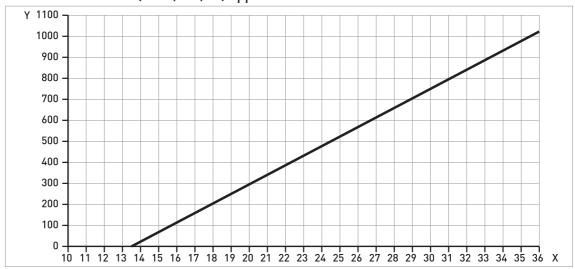


Figure 8-3: Minimum power supply voltage for an output of 22 mA at the terminals (Hazardous Location approval (Ex d / XP/NI))

- X: Power supply U [V DC]
- Y: Current output load $R_L[\Omega]$

8.4 Pressure / flange temperature graph for probe selection

Make sure that the transmitters are used within their operating limits. Obey the temperature limits of the process seal and the flange.

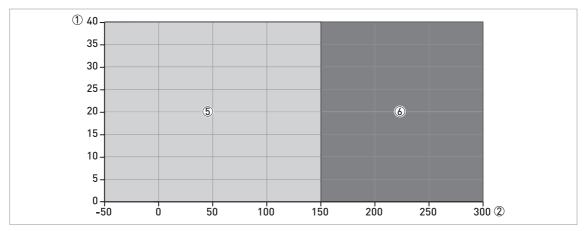


Figure 8-4: Pressure/temperature graph for probe selection in °C and barg

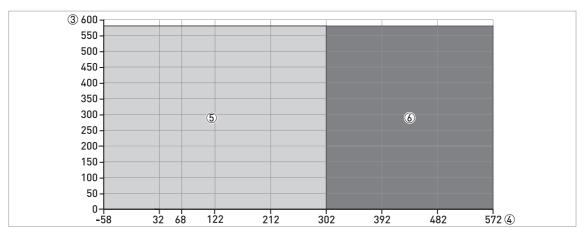


Figure 8-5: Pressure/temperature graph for probe selection in $^\circ F$ and psig

- ① Process pressure, P_s [barg]
- ② Process connection temperature, T [°C]
- \bigcirc Process pressure, P_s [psig]
- 4 Process connection temperature, T [°F]
- ⑤ All probes
- 6 High-Temperature (HT) version of the 02 mm / 0.08" single cable probe



WARNING!

The minimum and maximum process connection temperature and the minimum and maximum process pressure also depends on the gasket material selected. Refer to "Pressure and temperature ranges" on page 18.



INFORMATION!

CRN CERTIFICATION

There is a CRN certification option for devices with process connections that agree with ASME standards. This certification is necessary for all devices that are installed on a pressure vessel and used in Canada. 1" and 1½" ASME flanges are not available for CRN-approved devices.

ASME flanges for CRN-approved devices

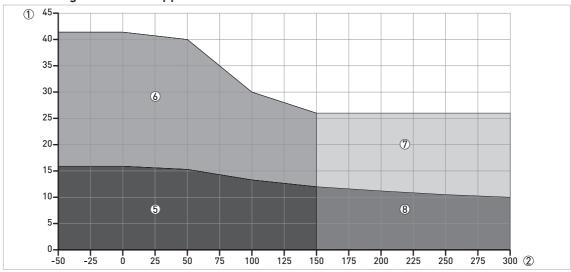


Figure 8-6: Pressure / temperature rating (ASME B16.5), flange and threaded connections, in °C and barg

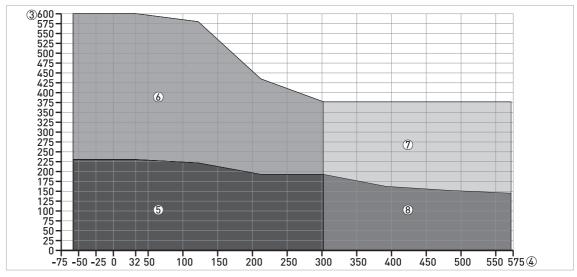


Figure 8-7: Pressure / temperature rating (ASME B16.5), flange and threaded connections, in °F and psig

- ① p [barg]
- ② T[°C]
- 3 p [psig]
- 4 T[°F]
- ⑤ Flange connection, Class 150 / Threaded connections, NPT: All probes
- ⑥ Flange connection, Class 300 / Threaded connections, NPT: All probes
- $\@ifnextchar[{\@model{T}}{\@model{T}}$ Flange connection, Class 300 / Threaded connections, NPT: High-Temperature (HT) version of the $\@ifnextchar[{\@model{Q}}{\@model{T}}$ single cable probe
- (8) Flange connection, Class 150 / Threaded connections, NPT: High-Temperature (HT) version of the Ø2 mm / 0.08" single cable probe

8.5 Measurement limits

Double cable and double rod probes

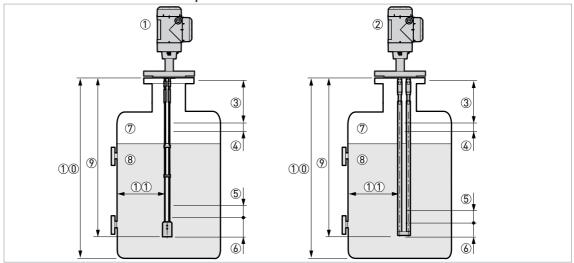


Figure 8-8: Measurement limits

- ① Device with a double cable probe
- ② Device with a double rod probe
- 3 Top dead zone: Top part of the probe where measurement is not possible
- 4 Top non-linearity zone: Top part of the probe with a lower accuracy of ±30 mm / ±1.18"
- **⑤** Bottom non-linearity zone: Bottom part of the probe with a lower accuracy of ±30 mm / ±1.18"
- 6 Bottom dead zone: Bottom part of the probe where measurement is not possible
- ⑦ Gas (Air)
- 8 Product
- 9 L, Probe length
- 10 Tank Height
- Minimum distance from the probe to a metallic tank wall: Double cable or double rod probes = 100 mm / 4"

Measurement limits (dead zone) in mm and inches

Probes		ε _r =	= 80		$\varepsilon_{\rm r}$ = 2.5				
	То	р ③	Bottom 6		Тор ③		Bottom 6		
	[mm]	[inches]	[mm]	[inches]	[mm]	[inches]	[mm]	[inches]	
Double cable ①	120	4.72	20	0.78	120	4.72	150	5.91	
Double rod	120	4.72	20	0.78	120	4.72	150	5.91	

① If the cable probe does not have a counterweight, speak or write to your local supplier for more data

Measurement limits (non-linearity zone) in mm and inches

Probes		ε _r =	= 80		$\varepsilon_{\rm r}$ = 2.3				
	То	p 4	Bottom ⑤		Top ④		Bottom ⑤		
	[mm]	[inches]	[mm]	[inches]	[mm]	[inches]	[mm]	[inches]	
Double cable ①	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	0.39	
Double rod	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	0.39	

① If the cable probe does not have a counterweight, speak or write to your local supplier for more data

80 is ε_r of water; 2.5 is ε_r of oil

Menu item 2.3.2 BLOC. DIST. is set at the factory to $200 \text{ mm} / 7.87^{\circ}$, which is higher than or equal to the largest dead zone. This value agrees with the minimum dielectric constant at which the device can measure the level of a product. You can adjust 2.3.2 BLOC. DIST. to agree with the dead zone (for this data, refer to the measurement limits table). For more data about the menu item, refer to *Function description* on page 79.



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The state and single rod probes

Single cable and single rod probes

Figure 8-9: Measurement limits

- ① Device with a single cable probe
- 2 Device with a single rod probe
- 3 Top dead zone: Top part of the probe where measurement is not possible
- 4 Top non-linearity zone: Top part of the probe with a lower accuracy of ±30 mm / ±1.18"
- **5 Bottom non-linearity zone:** Bottom part of the probe with a lower accuracy of ±30 mm / ±1.18"
- 6 Bottom dead zone: Bottom part of the probe where measurement is not possible
- ⑦ Gas (Air)
- 8 Product
- 9 L, Probe length
- 10 Tank Height
- ①① Minimum distance from the probe to a metallic tank wall: Single cable or single rod probes = 300 mm / 12"

Measurement limits (dead zone) in mm and inches

Probes		ε_{r}	= 80		ε _r = 2.5				
	Тор ③		Bottom 6		Тор ③		Bottom ⑥		
	[mm]	[inches]	[mm]	[inches]	[mm]	[inches]	[mm]	[inches]	
Ø2 mm / 0.08" single cable ①	120	4.72	200	7.87	120	4.72	240	9.45	
4 mm / 0.16" single cable ①	120	4.72	200	7.87	120	4.72	240	9.45	
Ø8 mm / 0.32" single cable, type 1 ②	120	4.72	20	0.79	120	4.72	120	4.72	
Ø8 mm / 0.32" single cable, type 2 ③	120	4.72	270	10.63	120	4.72	340	13.39	
Single rod	120	4.72	20	0.79	120	4.72	120	4.72	

- ① If the cable probe does not have a counterweight, speak or write to your local supplier for more data
- When the probe has the Ø12×100 mm (Ø0.5"×3.9") counterweight option. If the cable probe does not have a counterweight, speak or write to your local supplier for more data.
- (3) When the probe has the Ø38×245 mm (Ø1.5"×9.6") counterweight option. If the cable probe does not have a counterweight, speak or write to your local supplier for more data.

Probes		ε _r :	= 80		ε _r = 2.5				
	Top ④		Bottom ⑤		Top ④		Bottom ⑤		
	[mm]	[inches]	[mm]	[inches]	[mm]	[inches]	[mm]	[inches]	
Ø2 mm / 0.08" single cable ①	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Ø4 mm / 0.16" single cable ①	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Ø8 mm / 0.32" single cable, type 1 ②	50	1.97	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Ø8 mm / 0.32"	50	1 97	n	n	0	n	Ω	n	

Measurement limits (non-linearity zone) in mm and inches

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① If the cable probe does not have a counterweight, speak or write to your local supplier for more data

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② When the probe has the \emptyset 12×100 mm [\emptyset 0.5"×3.9"] counterweight option. If the cable probe does not have a counterweight, speak or write to your local supplier for more data.

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(3) When the probe has the Ø38×245 mm (Ø1.5"×9.6") counterweight option. If the cable probe does not have a counterweight, speak or write to your local supplier for more data.

80 is ε_r of water; 2.5 is ε_r of oil

single cable, type 2 ③

Single rod

Menu item 2.3.2 BLOC. DIST. is set at the factory to 250 mm / 9.84" (single rod probe option) or 350 mm / 13.78" (single cable probe options), which is higher than or equal to the largest dead zone. This value agrees with the minimum dielectric constant at which the device can measure the level of a product. You can adjust 2.3.2 BLOC. DIST. to agree with the dead zone (for this data, refer to the measurement limits table). For more data about the menu item, refer to Function description on page 79.



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Coaxial probe

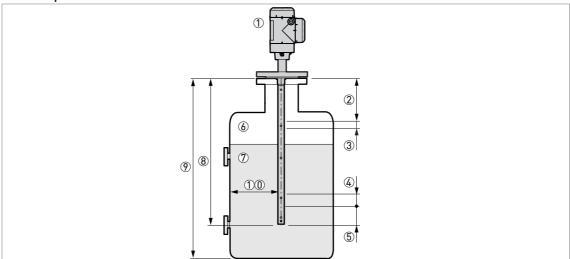


Figure 8-10: Measurement limits

- ① Device with a coaxial probe
- ② **Top dead zone:** Top part of the probe where measurement is not possible
- 3 Top non-linearity zone: Top part of the probe with a lower accuracy of ±30 mm / ±1.18"
- 4 Bottom non-linearity zone: Bottom part of the probe with a lower accuracy of ±30 mm / ±1.18"
- **⑤** Bottom dead zone: Bottom part of the probe where measurement is not possible
- 6 Gas (Air)
- 7 Product
- 8 L, Probe length
- Tank Height
- Minimum distance from the probe to a metallic tank wall: Coaxial probe = 0 mm / 0"

Measurement limits (dead zone) in mm and inches

Probe		ε _r =	= 80		ε _r = 2.5				
	То	p ②	Bottom ⑤		Top ②		Bottom ⑤		
	[mm]	[inches]	[mm]	[inches]	[mm]	[inches]	[mm]	[inches]	
Coaxial	65	2.56	20	0.79	65	2.56	20	0.79	

Measurement limits (non-linearity zone) in mm and inches

Probe		ε _r =	= 80		ε _r = 2.5				
	То	р ③	Bottom 4		Top ③		Bottom 4		
	[mm]	[inches]	[mm]	[inches]	[mm] [inches]		[mm]	[inches]	
Coaxial	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

80 is ε_r of water; 2.5 is ε_r of oil

Menu item 2.3.2 BLOC. DIST. is set at the factory to 100 mm / 3.94" which is higher than or equal to the largest dead zone. This value agrees with the minimum dielectric constant at which the device can measure the level of a product. You can adjust 2.3.2 BLOC. DIST. to agree with the dead zone (for this data, refer to the measurement limits table). For more data about the menu item, refer to *Function description* on page 79.



INFORMATION!

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8.6 Dimensions and weights

Housing dimensions

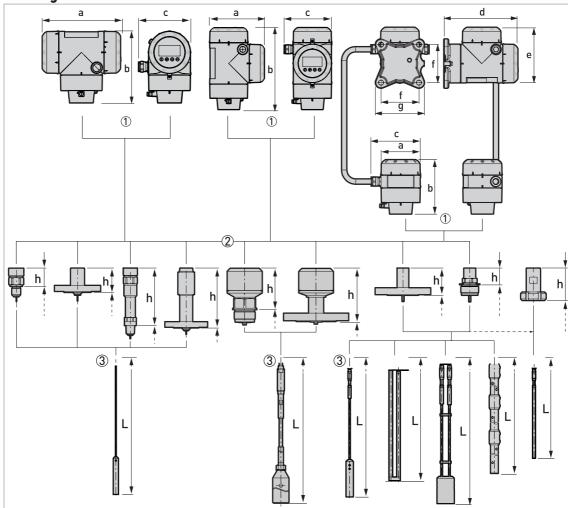


Figure 8-11: Housing dimensions

- ① Housing options. From left to right: compact converter with horizontal housing, compact converter with vertical housing, and remote converter (top) and probe housing (bottom)
- Process connection options. From left to right: threaded connection for Ø2 mm / 0.08" single cable probe, flange connection for Ø2 mm / 0.08" single cable probe, high-temperature (HT) threaded connection for Ø2 mm / 0.08" single cable probe, HT flange connection for Ø2 mm / 0.08" single cable probe, threaded connection for Ø8 mm / 0.32" single cable probe, flange connection for Ø8 mm / 0.32" single cable probe, flange connection for other probes, threaded connection for other probes, hygienic connection for single rod probe (single-piece)
- ③ Probe options. From left to right: Ø2 mm / 0.08" single cable probe, Ø8 mm / 0.32" single cable probe, Ø4 mm / 0.16" single cable probe, double rod probe, Ø4 mm / 0.16" double cable probe and coaxial (single-piece or segmented) probe, single rod (single-piece or segmented) probe



INFORMATION!

All housing covers have bayonet connectors unless it is an explosion-proof (XP / Ex d-approved) device. The terminal compartment cover for explosion-proof devices has a thread with a flame path.

Housing options: Dimensions in mm

Dimensions	Compact —	horizontal	Compact	– vertical	Remote		
[mm]	Non-Ex / Ex i / IS	Ex d / XP	Non-Ex / Ex i / IS	Ex d / XP	Non-Ex / Ex i / IS	Ex d / XP	
а	191	258	147	210	104	104	
b	175	175	218	218	142	142	
С	127	127	127	127	129	129	
d	_	_	_	_	195	195	
е	_	_	_	_	146	209	
f	_	_	_	_	100	100	
g	_	_	_	_	130	130	

Housing options: Dimensions in inches

Dimensions	Compact —	horizontal	Compact	– vertical	Remote		
[inches]	Non-Ex / Ex i / IS	Ex d / XP	Non-Ex / Ex i / IS	Ex d / XP	Non-Ex / Ex i / IS	Ex d / XP	
а	7.52	10.16	5.79	8.27	4.09	4.09	
b	6.89	6.89	8.23	8.23	5.59	5.59	
С	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.08	5.08	
d	_	_	_	_	7.68	7.68	
е	_	_	_	_	5.75	8.23	
f	_	_	_	_	3.94	3.94	
g	_	_	_	_	5.12	5.12	

Process connection and probe options: Dimensions in mm

Dimensions	Probe	Probes with threaded connections			Probes with flange connections			
[mm]	Ø2 mm single cable probe	HT Ø2 mm single cable probe	Ø8 mm single cable probe	Other probes	Ø2 mm single cable probe	HT Ø2 mm single cable probe	Ø8 mm single cable probe	Other probes
h	43	204	95	45	61	221	127	73
L	For more data, refer to "Single probes" and "Double and coaxial probes" in this section.							

Process connection and probe options: Dimensions in inches

Dimensions	Probes with threaded connections			Probes with flange connections				
[inches]	Ø0.08" single cable probe	HT Ø0.08" single cable probe	Ø0.32 single cable probe	Other probes	Ø0.08" single cable probe	HT Ø0.08" single cable probe	Ø0.32 single cable probe	Other probes
h	1.69	8.03	3.74	1.77	2.40	8.70	5.00	2.87
L	For more d	For more data, refer to "Single probes" and "Double and coaxial probes" in this section.						

METAGLAS® option

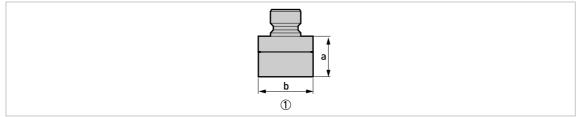


Figure 8-12: Secondary METAGLAS® seal option

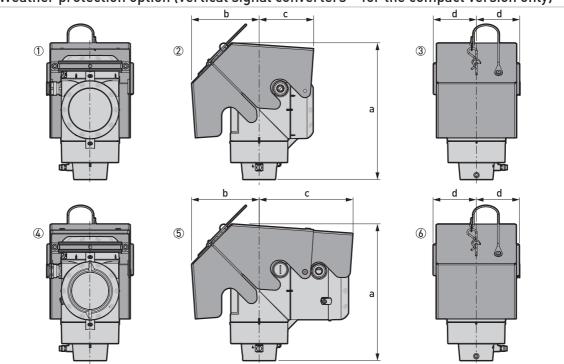
① Optional METAGLAS® (dual process sealing system for dangerous products)

Special option: Dimensions and weights in mm and kg

Options	Dimensi	Weights [kg]	
	а	b	
METAGLAS®	43	43 Ø58	

Special option: Dimensions and weights in inches and lb

Options	Dimension	Weights [lb]
	a	
METAGLAS®	1.7	1.82



Weather protection option (vertical signal converters – for the compact version only)

Figure 8-13: Weather protection option for vertical signal converter versions (compact version only)

- 1 Non-Ex / Ex i / IS: Rear view (with weather protection closed)
- ② Non-Ex / Ex i / IS: Right side (with weather protection closed)
- 3 Non-Ex / Ex i / IS: Front view (with weather protection closed)
- 4 Ex d / XP: Rear view (with weather protection closed)
- ⑤ Ex d / XP: Right side (with weather protection closed)
- Ex d / XP: Front view (with weather protection closed)

Dimensions and weights in mm and kg

Weather protection	Version	Dimensions [mm]			Weights [kg]	
		a	b	С	d	
Vertical signal converter	Non-Ex / Ex i / IS	241	118	96	77	1.3
	Ex d / XP	241	118	166	77	1.5

Dimensions and weights in inches and lb

Weather protection	Version	Dimensions [inches]			Weights [lb]	
		а	b	С	d	
Vertical signal converter	Non-Ex / Ex i / IS	9.5	4.6	3.8	3.0	2.9
	Ex d / XP	9.5	4.6	6.5	3.0	3.3

Weather protection option (horizontal signal converters – for the compact version only) 1 2 3 6 4 (5) 6

Figure 8-14: Weather protection option for horizontal signal converter versions (compact version only)

- ① Non-Ex / Ex i / IS: Front view (with weather protection closed)
- ② Non-Ex / Ex i / IS: Left side (with weather protection closed)
- 3 Non-Ex / Ex i / IS: Rear view (with weather protection closed)
- Ex d / XP: Front view (with weather protection closed)
- (5) Ex d / XP: Left side (with weather protection closed)
- **6** Ex d / XP: Rear view (with weather protection closed)

Dimensions and weights in mm and kg

Weather protection	Version	Dimensions [mm]			Weights [kg]	
		а	b	С	d	
Horizontal signal converter	Non-Ex / Ex i / IS	243	118	96	77	1.3
	Ex d / XP	243	118	166	77	1.5

Dimensions and weights in inches and lb

Weather protection	Version	Dimensions [inches]			Weights [lb]	
		a	b	С	d	
Horizontal signal converter	Non-Ex / Ex i / IS	9.6	4.6	3.8	3.0	2.9
	Ex d / XP	9.6	4.6	6.5	3.0	3.3

Single probes

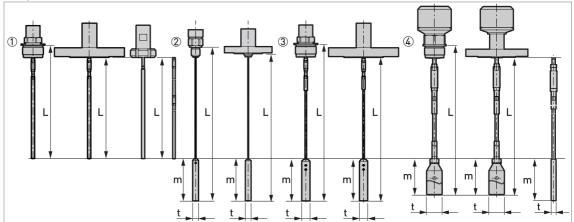


Figure 8-15: Single probe options

- \bigcirc Single rod \emptyset 8 mm / \emptyset 0.32" (thread, flange and hygienic versions the segmented probe option is shown on the right
- ② Single cable \emptyset 2 mm / \emptyset 0.08" (thread and flange versions)
- Single cable Ø4 mm / Ø0.16" (thread and flange versions)
 Single cable Ø8 mm / Ø0.32" (thread and flange versions an alternative counterweight is shown on the right side)



INFORMATION!

Probe length, L, includes the length of the counterweight.

A wide range of counterweights and anchoring solutions are available. For dimensional data, refer to the pages that follow. For installation data, refer to How to attach probes to the bottom of the tank on page 25.

Single probes: Dimensions in mm

Probes	Dimensions [mm]						
	L min.	t					
Single rod Ø8 mm ①	1000 ②	4000	_	_			
Single rod Ø8 mm (segmented) ③	1000 ②	6000	_	_			
Single cable Ø2 mm	1000 ②	40000	100	Ø14			
Single cable Ø4 mm	1000 ②	40000	100	Ø20			
Single cable Ø8 mm, type 1	1000 ②	40000	100	Ø12			
Single cable Ø8 mm, type 2	1000 ②	40000	245	Ø38			

- ① A device with this probe option must be assembled on site. For the assembly procedure, refer to "How to assemble the single rod probe (single-piece probe)" in the Installation chapter.
- ② A shorter probe length is available on request
- ③ The length of each segment is 700 mm. The length of each union nut between segments is 30 mm. A device with this probe option must be assembled on site. For the assembly procedure, refer to "How to assemble the single rod probe (segmented probe)" in the Installation chapter.

Single probes: Dimensions in inches

Probes	Dimensions [inches]						
	L min.	t					
Single rod Ø0.32" ①	39 ②	158	_	_			
Single rod Ø0.32" (segmented) ③	39 ②	236	_	_			
Single cable Ø0.08	39 ②	1575	3.9	Ø0.6			
Single cable Ø0.16"	39 ②	1575	3.9	Ø0.8			
Single cable Ø0.32", type 1	39 ②	1575	3.9	Ø0.5			
Single cable Ø0.32", type 2	39 ②	1575	9.6	Ø1.5			

- ① A device with this probe option must be assembled on site. For the assembly procedure, refer to "How to assemble the single rod probe (single-piece probe)" in the Installation chapter.
- ② A shorter probe length is available on request
- ③ The length of each segment is 27.6". The length of each union nut between segments is 1.2". A device with this probe option must be assembled on site. For the assembly procedure, refer to "How to assemble the single rod probe (segmented probe)" in the Installation chapter.

Double and coaxial probes

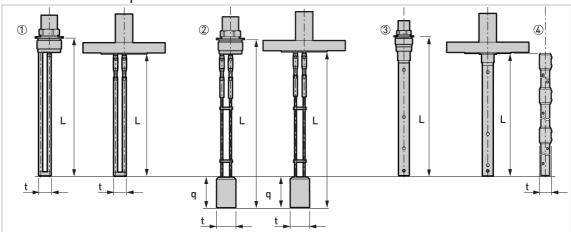


Figure 8-16: Double and coaxial probe options

- ① Double rod \emptyset 8 mm / \emptyset 0.32" (thread and flange versions)
- ② Double cable Ø4 mm / Ø0.16" (thread and flange versions)
- 3 Coaxial Ø22 mm / Ø0.87" (thread and flange versions)
- © Coaxial Ø22 mm / Ø0.87" (segmented version)



INFORMATION!

Probe length, L, includes the length of the counterweight.

A wide range of counterweights and anchoring solutions are available. For dimensional data, refer to the pages that follow. For installation data, refer to *How to attach probes to the bottom of the tank* on page 25.

Double probes: Dimensions in mm

Probes	Dimensions [mm]					
	L min.	L max.	q	t		
Double rod Ø8 mm	1000 ①	4000	_	25		
Double cable Ø4 mm	1000 ①	28000	60	Ø38		
Coaxial Ø22 mm	600 ①	6000	_	_		
Coaxial Ø22 mm (segmented) ②	600 ①	6000	_	Ø28		

① A shorter probe length is available on request

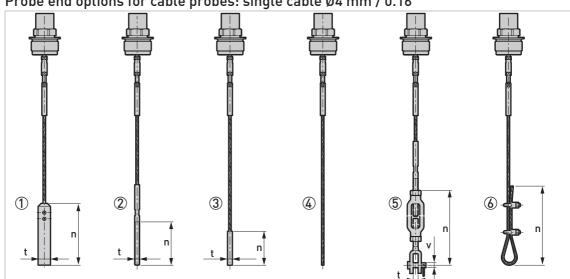
Double probes: Dimensions in inches

Probes	Dimensions [inches]						
	L min. L max. q t						
Double rod Ø0.32"	39 ①	158	_	1.0			
Double cable Ø0.16"	39 ①	1102	2.4	Ø1.5			
Coaxial Ø0.87"	24 ①	236	_	_			
Coaxial Ø0.87" (segmented) ②	24 ①	236	_	Ø1.1			

① A shorter probe length is available on request

② The length of each segment is 700 mm. A device with this probe option must be assembled on site. For the assembly procedure, refer to "How to assemble the segmented coaxial probe" in the Installation chapter.

② The length of each segment is 27.6". A device with this probe option must be assembled on site. For the assembly procedure, refer to "How to assemble the segmented coaxial probe" in the Installation chapter.



Probe end options for cable probes: single cable Ø4 mm / 0.16"

Figure 8-17: Probe end options for cable probes: single cable $\emptyset 4 \text{ mm} / 0.16^{\circ}$

- $\textcircled{1} \quad \mathsf{Standard} \ \mathsf{counterweight}$
- ② Threaded end
- 3 Crimped end
- 4 Open end
- ⑤ Turnbuckle
- 6 Chuck

Dimensions in mm

Probe end type	Dimensions [mm]				
	n	v			
Counterweight	100	Ø20	_		
Threaded end	70	M8	_		
Crimped end	55	Ø8	_		
Open end	_	_	_		
Turnbuckle	172 ①	11	Ø6		
Chuck	300	_	_		

¹ Minimum length

Dimensions in inches

Probe end type	Dimensions [inches]					
	n	V				
Counterweight	3.9	Ø0.8	_			
Threaded end	2.8	M8	_			
Crimped end	2.2	Ø0.3	_			
Open end	_	_	_			
Turnbuckle	6.8 ①	0.4	Ø0.2			
Chuck	11.8	_	_			

¹ Minimum length

Probe end options for cable probes: single cable Ø8 mm / 0.32"

Figure 8-18: Probe end options for cable probes: single cable Ø8 mm / 0.32"

- ① Standard counterweight 1
- ② Standard counterweight 2
- 3 Turnbuckle
- 4 Chuck
- ⑤ Threaded end
- 6 Crimped end
- Open end

Dimensions in mm

Probe end type	Dimensions [mm]					
	р	p t v				
Counterweight 1	100	Ø12	_	_		
Counterweight 2	245	Ø38	_	_		
Turnbuckle	293 ①	14	Ø12	_		
Chuck	300	_	_	_		
Threaded end	132	M12	_	30		
Crimped end	100	Ø12	_	_		
Open end	_	_	_	_		

¹ Minimum length

Dimensions in inches

Probe end type	Dimensions [inches]				
	р	t	v	w	
Counterweight 1	3.9	Ø0.5	_	_	
Counterweight 2	9.6	Ø1.5	_	_	
Turnbuckle	11.5 ①	0.6	Ø0.5	_	
Chuck	11.8	_	_	_	
Threaded end	5.2	M12	_	1.2	
Crimped end	3.9	Ø0.5	_	_	
Open end	_	_	_	_	

¹ Minimum length

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Probe end options for cable probes: double cable Ø4 mm / 0.16"

Figure 8-19: Probe end options for cable probes: double cable Ø4 mm / 0.16"

- ① Standard counterweight
- Threaded end Turnbuckle

Dimensions in mm

Probe end type	Dimensions [mm]					
	q r s t v w				w	
Counterweight	60	_	_	Ø38	_	_
Threaded end	60	157	70	Ø38	_	M8
Turnbuckle	60	289 ±46	172 ①	Ø38	Ø6	11

¹ Minimum length

Dimensions in inches

Probe end type	Dimensions [inches]					
	q r s t v				W	
Counterweight	2.4	_	_	Ø1.5	_	_
Threaded end	2.4	6.2	2.8	Ø1.5	_	M8
Turnbuckle	2.4	11.4 ±1.8	6.8 ①	Ø1.5	Ø0.2	0.4

① Minimum length

Converter and probe housing weights

Type of housing	Weights			
	Aluminiu	m housing	Stainless s	teel housing
	[kg] [lb]		[kg]	[lb]

One output / Non-Ex / intrinsically-safe (Ex i / IS)

Compact converter	2.8	6.2	6.4	14.1
Remote converter ①	2.5	5.5	5.9	13.0
Probe housing ①	1.8	4.0	3.9	8.6

Optional output / Explosion proof (Ex d / XP)

Compact converter	3.2	7.1	7.5	16.5
Remote converter ①	2.9	6.40	7.1	15.65
Probe housing ①	1.8	4.0	3.9	8.6

① The remote version of the device has a "remote converter" and a "probe housing". For more data, refer to "Housing dimensions" at the start of this section.

Probe weights

Probes	Min. pr	Weights		
	Thread	Flange	[kg/m]	[lb/ft]
Single cable Ø2 mm / 0.08"	G 1/2A; 1/2 NPTF	DN25 PN40; 1" 150 lb; 1½" 300 lb	0.016 ①	0.035 ①
Single cable Ø4 mm / 0.16"	G ¾A; ¾ NPT	DN25 PN40; 1" 150 lb; 1½" 300 lb	0.12 ①	0.08 ①
Single cable Ø8 mm / 0.32"	G 1½A; 1½ NPT	DN40 PN40; 1½" 150 lb; 1½" 300 lb	0.41 ①	0.28 ①
Double cable Ø4 mm / 0.16"	G 1½A; 1½ NPT	DN50 PN40; 2" 150 lb; 2" 300 lb	0.24 ①	0.16 ①
Single rod Ø8 mm / 0.32"	G ¾A; ¾ NPT	DN25 PN40; 1" 150 lb; 1½" 300 lb	0.41 ②	0.28 ②
Double rod Ø8 mm / 0.32"	G 1½A; 1½ NPT	DN50 PN40; 2" 150 lb; 2" 300 lb	0.82 ②	0.56 ②
Coaxial Ø22 mm / 0.87"	G ¾A; ¾ NPT	DN25 PN40; 1" 150 lb; 1½" 300 lb	0.79 ②	0.53 ②

 $[\]ensuremath{\textcircled{1}}$ This value does not include the weights of the counterweight or the flange

² This value does not include the weight of the flange

9.1 General description

The HART® Protocol is an open digital communication protocol for industry. It is free to use by anyone. It is included in the software embedded in signal converters of HART-compatible devices.

There are 2 classes of devices which support the HART® Protocol: operating devices and field devices. There are 2 classes of operating devices (Master): PC-supported workstations (Primary Master) and manual control units (Secondary Master). These can be used in control centres and other locations. HART® field devices include sensors, converters and actuators. Field devices include 2-wire and 4-wire devices, and also intrinsically-safe versions for use in hazardous areas.

There are 2 primary operation modes for HART-compatible devices: point-to-point mode and multi-drop mode.

If the device is used in point-to-point mode, the HART® Protocol uses the Bell 202 Frequency Shift Keying (FSK) standard to put a digital signal on top of the 4...20 mA signal. The connected device sends and receives digital signals that agree with the HART® Protocol, and sends analog signals at the same time. Only 1 device can be connected to the signal cable.

If the device is used in multi-drop mode, the network only uses a digital signal that agrees with the HART® Protocol. The loop current is set to 4 mA. You can connect a maximum of 63 devices to the signal cable.

An FSK or HART® modem is included in field devices and manual control units. It is necessary to have an external modem for PC-supported workstations. The external modem is connected to the serial or USB interface.

9.2 Software description

HART® identification codes and revision numbers

Manufacturer ID:	xxxx
Device:	0xD7
Device Revision:	1
DD Revision	1
HART® Universal Revision:	6
FC 375/475 system SW.Rev.:	≥ 2.0
AMS version:	≥ 7.0
PDM version:	≥ 6.0
FDT version:	1.2

9.3 Connection variants

The signal converter is a 2-wire device with 4...20 mA current output and HART® interface.

Multi-Drop Mode is supported

In a Multi-Drop communication system, more than 1 device is connected to a common transmission cable.

· Burst Mode is not supported

There are two ways of using the HART® communication:

- · as Point-to-Point connection and
- as Multi-Drop connection with 2-wire connection.

9.3.1 Point-to-Point connection – analogue / digital mode

Point-to-Point connection between the signal converter and the HART® Master.

The current output of the device is passive.

Also refer to Point-to-point networks on page 64.

9.3.2 Multi-Drop connection (2-wire connection)

Up to 63 devices may be installed in parallel (this signal converter and other HART® devices).

For an illustration of multi-drop networks, refer to Multi-drop networks on page 65.

For data on communication in multi-drop mode, refer to *HART*® network configuration on page 94.

9.4 HART® device variables

HART® device variable	Code	Туре
level	1	linear
distance	2	linear
conversion	3	linear
ullage conversion	4	linear

The HART® dynamic variables PV (Primary Variable), SV (Secondary Variable), TV (Third Variable) and QV (Fourth Variable) can be assigned to any of the device variables.

The HART® dynamic variable PV is always connected to the HART® current output which is, for example, assigned to level measurement.

9.5 Field Communicator 375/475 (FC 375/475)

The Field Communicator is a hand terminal from Emerson Process Management that is designed to configure HART® and Foundation Fieldbus devices. Device Descriptions (DDs) are used to integrate different devices into the Field Communicator.

9.5.1 Installation



CAUTION

The Field Communicator cannot be used to correctly configure, operate or read data from the device unless the Device Description (DD) file is installed.

System and software requirements for the Field Communicator

- System card that includes the "Easy Upgrade Option"
- · Field Communicator Easy Upgrade Programming Utility
- HART® Device Description file

For more data, refer to the Field Communicator User's Manual.

9.5.2 Operation



INFORMATION!

The Field Communicator will not give you access to the service menu. A simulation is only possible for current outputs.

The Field Communicator and the device's local display use almost the same procedures to operate the signal converter. The online help for each menu item refers to the function number given to each menu item on the local device display. Protection of settings is the same as on the device's local display.

The Field Communicator always saves a complete configuration for communication with AMS.

For more data, refer to HART® menu tree for Basic-DD on page 162.

9.6 Asset Management Solutions (AMS®)

The Asset Management Solutions Device Manager (AMS[®]) is a PC program from Emerson Process Management which is designed to configure and manage HART[®], PROFIBUS and Foundation Fieldbus devices. Device Descriptions (DDs) are used to integrate different devices into the AMS[®].

9.6.1 Installation

Please read the RFADME txt file in the Installation Kit.

If the Device Description has not been installed at this time, install the Installation Kit HART® AMS. You can download this .exe file from our website.

For installation data, refer to the "AMS Intelligent Device Manager Books Online" section "Basic AMS Functionality > Device Configurations > Installing Device Types > Procedures > Install device types from media".

9.6.2 Operation



INFORMATION!

For more data, refer to HART® menu tree for AMS on page 164.

9.6.3 Parameter for the basic configuration

Due to AMS requirements and conventions, there are differences when operating the signal converter with AMS and operating using the local keyboard. The service menu parameters are not supported and simulation is only possible for current outputs. The online help for each parameter contains its function number as a reference to the local device display.

9.7 Field Device Tool / Device Type Manager (FDT / DTM)

A Field Device Tool Container (FDT Container) is a PC program used to configure HART®, PROFIBUS and FOUNDATION™ fieldbus devices. To configure a device, an FDT container uses the applicable Device Type Manager (DTM).

9.7.1 Installation

Before you operate the device, the Device Type Manager (Device DTM) must be installed in the Field Device Tool Container. You can download this .msi file from our website. For installation and configuration data, refer to the documentation that is supplied with the Device DTM in the "Downloads" section of the website.

9.7.2 Operation

The DTM and the device's local display use almost the same procedures to operate the signal converter. For more data, refer to *Operation* on page 72.

9.8 Process Device Manager (PDM)

The Process Device Manager (PDM) is a Siemens PC program designed to configure HART[®] and PROFIBUS devices. Device Descriptions (DDs) are used to integrate different devices into the PDM.

9.8.1 Installation

Install Device Description files supplied in the Device Install HART® PDM folder. This is necessary for each type of field device that is used with SIMATIC PDM. This folder is available for download from the website.

If you use PDM version 5.2, refer to PDM manual, section 11.1 - Install device / Integrate device into SIMATIC PDM with Device Install.

If you use PDM version 6.0, refer to PDM manual, section 13 - Integrating devices.

For more data, refer to "readme.txt". You can find this file in the Installation Kit.

9.8.2 Operation



INFORMATION!

For more data, refer to HART® menu tree for PDM on page 166.

There can be differences between the names of menus in the SIMATIC PDM software tool and menus shown on the device display screen. Refer to the online help in SIMATIC PDM to find the function number of each menu item. This function number agrees with the function number in the device menus.

Use the same procedure for the protection of parameters in the supervisor menu.

9.9 HART® menu tree for Basic-DD

Abbreviations of the following tables:

- Opt Optional, depending on device version and configuration
- Rd Read only

9.9.1 Overview Basic-DD menu tree (positions in menu tree)

1 Measurements	1 Measurements		
	2 Output		
2 Configuration and Test	1 Info.	1 Identification	
		2 Output	
	2 Supervisor	1 Test	
		2 Basic Parameters	
		3 Signal Out	
		4 Application	
		5 Display	
		6 Conversion Table	
		7 Reset	
3 Diag/Service	1 Status	1 Standard Status	
		2 Device-specific Status	
4 Access Rights	1 Access level		
	2 Method Login		
	3 Method entry Code		
5 HART variables	·		

9.9.2 Basic-DD menu tree (details for settings)

1 Measurements

1 Measurements	1 Level value Rd / 2 Distance value Rd / 3 Volume value Rd / 4 Ullage value Rd
2 Inputs/Outputs	1 PV Rd / 2 PV Loop Current Rd / 3 PV % range Rd

2 Configuration and Test

1 Info.	1 Identification	1 Serial Number Rd / 2 Converter Firmware Version Rd / 3 Sensor Firmware Version Rd / 4 HMI Firmware Version Rd
	2 Output	1 Function I Rd / 2 Output Range Rd / 3 PV URV Rd / 4 PV LRV Rd / 5 Output Error Delay Rd
2 Supervisor	1 Test	1 Test I
	2 Basic Parameters	1 Tank height / 2 Time Constant / 3 Probe Length / 4 Block distance / 5 Length Unit (HART) / 6 Volume Unit (HART)
	3 Signal Out	1 Function I / 2 Output Range / 3 PV LRV / 4 PV URV / 5 Output Error Delay / 6 Current Output Calibration Cust
	4 Application	1 Tracing Velocity / 2 Auto product epsilon R / 3 Epsilon R gas / 4 Epsilon R product / 5 Watch Pulses / 6 Measurement Threshold / 7 Probe End Threshold
	5 Display	1 Language / 2 Display Length Unit / 3 Display Volume Unit
	6 Conversion Table	1 Input table / 2 Delete table
	7 Reset	1 Warm start / 2 Factory reset / 3 Reset Configuration Changed flag

3 Diag/Service

1 Status	1 Standard status	1 Device status Rd / 2 Write protect Rd	
	2 Device-specific status	1 Device failures	1 Error Rd / 2 Error Rd / 3 Error Rd
	Status	2 Device warning maintenance required	1 Warning Rd
		3 Device warning out of specification	1 Warning Rd
		4 Info	1 Info Rd

4 Access Rights

1 Access Level	(Access Not Granted)
2 Method Login	1 No Access (Log Out) / 2 Supervisor (Normal User) / 3 Service
3 Method Entry Code	

5 HART variables

1 Poll addr / 2 Tag / 3 Hardware rev Rd / 4 Software rev Rd / 5 Descriptor / 6 Date / 7 Message / 8 Manufacturer Rd / 9 Model Rd / Dev id Rd / Universal id Rd / Fld dev rev Rd / Nur req preams Rd / Num resp preams Rd / Write protect Rd / Production number Rd / Final	m
asmbly num Rd / PV is / SV is / TV is / QV is	

9.10 HART® menu tree for AMS

Abbreviations of the following tables:

- $\bullet \quad ^{\mathrm{Opt}}$ Optional, depending on device version and configuration
- Rd Read only

9.10.1 Overview AMS menu tree (positions in menu tree)

Process variables	Measurements		
	Analog Output		
Device Diagnostics	Overview		
	Fatal Errors		
	Warnings (Maintenand	e required)	
	Warnings (Out of spec	ifications)	
	Warnings (Function check)		
Methods	Access Right		
	Tests		
	Calibrate		
	Threshold Settings		
	Conversion Table		
	Master reset		
Configure / Setup	Basic Setup	Basic Parameters	
		Local Display	
		Application	
	Analog Output	Output Functions	
		Output 1	
	Units		
	Device		
	HART	ID	
		-	
	Conversion table		

9.10.2 AMS menu tree (details for settings)

Process Variables

Measurements	Level Rd / Distance Rd / Volume/Mass/Flow Rd / Ullage Volume/Mass/Flow Rd
Analog Output	Analog Output Value Rd / PV Percent of Range Rd

Device Diagnostics

Overview	Primary variable out of limits / Non-primary variable out of limits / Primary variable analog output saturated / Primary variable analog output fixed / Cold
	Start / Configuration changed / Field device malfunction

Fatal Errors	Converter EEPROM error / Converter RAM error / Converter ROM error / Sensor EEPROM error / Sensor RAM error / Sensor ROM error / Current output drift / Oscillator frequency fail. / Converter Voltage error / Sensor Voltage error / Measurement old/Communicat. Error / Temperature out of range / Sensor not compatible / Sensor processing failure / Reference pulse lost / Level pulse lost error / Overfill error / Tank empty error	
Warnings (Maintenance required)	Flange lost / Reference position outside range / Audio signal offset outside range / Temperature below -35°C / Temperature above +75°C / Automatic probe length invalid	
Warnings (Out of specifications)	Temperature out of range (warning) / Level lost (warning) / Overfill (warning) / Tank empty (warning)	
Warnings (Function check)	Local operation on the device	
Information	Epsilon R calcul frozen / Epsilon R value low / Epsilon R value high / Temperature out of range for HMI	

Methods

Access right	Log In/Log Out / Password Yes/No			
Tests	Test Output I			
Calibrate	D/A Trim			
Threshold Settings	Watch Pulses			
Conversion Table	Input table / Delete table			
Master reset	Restart Device / Reset Factory / Rst Conf. Chged flag			

Configure / Setup

Basic Setup	Basic Parameters	Tank Height / Time Constant / Probe Length / Blocking Distance / Measuring mode Rd / Tag			
	Local Display	Display length unit / Display volume unit / Language			
	Application	Tracing velocity / Auto product epsilon R / Epsilon R gas / Epsilon R product / Level Threshold / Probe end Threshold			
Analog Output	Output Functions	Function I / SV / TV / QV			
	Output 1	Output Range / Output Error Delay / LRV / URV			
Units	Length unit (HART) / Volume unit (HART) / Time constant				
Device	Descriptor / Message /	Fld dev rev / Software rev / Write protect / Date / Serial number / Converter firmware number / per / HMI Firmware version			
HART	ID	Tag / Polling address / Device ID			
	Universal revision / Fld dev rev Num / Num requ preams				
Conversion table	Number of points / Length unit Rd / Conversion unit Rd / Points (130 level-conversion pairs)				

9.11 HART® menu tree for PDM

Abbreviations of the following tables:

- $\bullet \quad ^{\mathrm{Opt}}$ Optional, depending on device version and configuration
- Rd Read only
- Cust Custody lock protection
- Local PDM, affects only PDM views

9.11.1 Overview PDM menu tree (positions in menu tree)

Overview: Menu Device

Communication Path
Download To Device
Upload To PG/PC
Update Diagnosis Status
Configuration and Test
Access Rights
watch status

Overview: Menu View

Measurements	Level Value					
	Distance Value					
Yt diagram						
Diag / Service						
Toolbar						
Status Bar						
Update						

Overview: PDM parameters

Configuration and Test	Info.	Identification
		Output
	Supervisor	Test
		Basic Parameters
		Signal Output
		Application
		Display
		Conversion Table
		Reset
Access rights		
HART variables		

9.11.2 PDM menu tree (details for settings)

Device Menu

Communication Path

Download To Device...

Upload To PG/PC...

Update Diagnosis Status

Configuration and Test

Info.	Identification	Serial Number Rd / Converter Firmware version Rd / Sensor Firmware version Rd / HMI Firmware version Rd			
	Output	Function I Rd / Output Range Rd / PV URV Rd / PV LRV Rd / Output Error Delay Rd			
Supervisor	Test	Test I			
	Basic Parameters	Tank Height / Time Constant / Probe Length / Blocking Distance / Length Unit (HART) / Volume Unit (HART)			
	Signal Output	Function I / Output Range / PV URV / PV LRV / Output Error Delay / Current Output Calibration ①			
	Application	Tracing Velocity / Auto product epsilon R / Epsilon R gas / Epsilon R product / Watch Pulses / Level Threshold / Probe End Threshold ②			
	Display	Language / Display Length Unit / Display Volume Unit			
	Conversion Table	Input Table / Delete Table			
	Reset	Warm start (function to restart the device) / Factory Reset / Reset Configuration Changed Flag			

Access rights

Access level Rd	
Method Login	
Method Entry Co	e

HART Variables

 $\begin{array}{l} 1 \ \text{Poll addr} \ / \ 2 \ \text{Tag} \ / \ 3 \ \text{Hardware rev}^{\text{Rd}} \ / \ 4 \ \text{Software rev}^{\text{Rd}} \ / \ 5 \ \text{Descriptor} \ / \ 6 \ \text{Date} \ / \ 7 \ \text{Message} \ / \\ 8 \ \text{Manufacturer}^{\text{Rd}} \ / \ 9 \ \text{Model}^{\text{Rd}} \ / \ \text{Dev id}^{\text{Rd}} \ / \ \text{Universal id}^{\text{Rd}} \ / \ \text{Fld dev rev}^{\text{Rd}} \ / \ \text{Num req preams}^{\text{Rd}} \ / \ \text{Num response} \\ \text{preams}^{\text{Rd}} \ / \ \text{Write protect}^{\text{Rd}} \ / \ \text{Production number}^{\text{Rd}} \ / \ \text{Final asmbly num}^{\text{Rd}} \ / \ \text{PV is} \ / \ \text{SV is} \ / \ \text{TV is} \ / \ \text{QV is} \\ \end{array}$

- ① Current Output Calibration is available only if the service password is used
- ② Use "Watch Pulses" to monitor the amplitude of the measured pulses

View Menu

Measurements

Measurements	Level Value / Distance Value
Output	Level value / Loop current / % Range

Yt diagram

Diag / Service

Standard Status	Device status	PV Analog Channel Saturated / Configuration changed
Device-specific status	Device failures	Oscillator Frequency Failure / Current Output Drift / Sensor ROM error / Sensor RAM error / Sensor EEPROM error / Converter ROM error / Converter RAM error / Converter EEPROM error Sensor No Signal / Sensor Not Compatible / Temperature Out of Range / Measurement Old / Sensor Voltage Error / Converter Voltage Error Reference Pulse Lost / Level Pulse Lost Error / Overfill Error / No Probe Detected
	Device Warning (Out of Specification)	Flange Lost / Level Lost Warning / Overfill Warning
	Info	First Start / EpsilonR Calcul Frozen / EpsilonR Value Low / EpsilonR Value High / Temperature out of range for HMI

Toolbar

Status Bar

Update

10.1 Order code

Make a selection from each column to get the full order code. The characters of the order code highlighted in light grey describe the standard.

Devices for storage and process applications

VF2	4	VF2 Guided Radar (TDR) level transmitter for storage and process applications:									
		Со	onverter version (housing material / ingress protection)								
		1	Со	ompact version (aluminium – IP66/67)							
		2	Со	mp	pact version (stainless steel — IP66/67)						
		3	Re	mo	te version (converter and probe housing: aluminium — IP66/67)						
		4	Re	mo	te version (converter and probe housing: stainless steel – IP66/67)						
			Ap	pro	val ①						
			0	Wi	thout						
			1	AT	EX II 1/2 G Ex ia IIC T6T* Ga/Gb + II 1/2 D Ex ia IIIC T90°C Da/Db ②						
			2	AT	EX II 1/2 G Ex ia/db IIC T6T* Ga/Gb + II 1/2 D Ex ia/tb IIIC T90°C Da/Db ②						
			4	AT	EX II 3 G Ex ic IIC T6T* Gc + II 3 D Ex ic IIIC T90°C Dc (Zone 2 and 22) ②						
			R	_	METRO Ex ia IIC T6 Ga/Gb + Ex ia IIIC Da/Db						
			S		METRO Ex d ia IIC T6 Ga/Gb + Ex ia tb IIIC Da/Db						
			Т	_	METRO Ex ic IIC T6 Gc + Ex ic IIIC Dc (Zone 2 and 22)						
					approval						
				0	Without						
				1	.2 — only available for the compact version with the 420 mA output option						
				4		N (Canadian Registration Number)					
				5	N + SIL2 — only available for the compact version with the 420 mA output option						
					Process seal (temperature / pressure / material / notes)						
					0 Without						
					1 -40+150°C (-40+302°F) / -140 barg (-14.5580 psig) / FKM/FPM (Viton) – for all probe	es					
					2 -20+150°C (-4+302°F) / -140 barg (-14.5580 psig) / Kalrez® 6375 – for all probes						
					3 1 3	-50+150°C (-58+302°F) / -140 barg (-14.5580 psig) / EPDM — for all probes					
					-40+300°C (-40+572°F) / -140 barg (-14.5580 psig) / FKM/FPM (Viton) — only for the high-temperature (HT) version of the Ø2 mm (0.08") single cable probe						
					7 -20+300°C (-4+572°F) / -140 barg (-14.5580 psig) / Kalrez® 6375 — only for the high-temperature (HT) version of the Ø2 mm (0.08") single cable probe						
					3 -50+250°C (-58+482°F) / -140 barg (-14.5580 psig) / EPDM — only for the high-temperature (HT) version of the Ø2 mm (0.08") single cable probe						
VF2	4				Order code (complete this code on the pages that follow)						

	Probe	(probe type / material / measuring range)				
		thout				
	For lic	quids only				
	2 Sir	ngle rod – Ø8 mm (0.32") segmented / 316L – 1.4404 / 16 m (3.2819.69 ft)				
	3 Sir	ngle cable – Ø2 mm (0.08") / 316 – 1.4401 / 140 m (3.28131.23 ft)				
	6 Do	ouble rod – 2ר8 mm (0.32") / 316L – 1.4404 / 14 m (3.2813.12 ft)				
	7 Do	ouble cable – 2ר4 mm (0.16") / 316 – 1.4401 / 128 m (3.2891.86 ft)				
	D Sir	ngle cable — Ø2 mm (0.08") / HASTELLOY® C-22® / 140 m (3.28131.23 ft)				
	A Co	paxial – Ø22 mm (0.87") / 316L – 1.4404 / 0.66 m (1.9719.69 ft)				
	В Со	paxial — Ø22 mm (0.87") segmented / 316L — 1.4404 / 0.66 m (1.9719.69 ft)				
	E Co	paxial – Ø22 mm (0.87") / HASTELLOY® C22® / 0.66 m (1.9719.69 ft)				
		ngle rod — Ø8 mm (0.32") / PVDF sheath Ø16 mm (0.64") — not for cFMus — IIB only / .4 m (3.2813.12 ft)				
	For lic	quids and solids				
	1 Sir	ngle rod — Ø8 mm (0.32°) / 316L — 1.4404 / 14 m (3.2813.12 ft)				
	4 Sir	ngle cable — Ø4 mm (0.16") / 316 — 1.4401 / uids: 140 m (3.28131.23 ft); solids: 120 m (3.2865.62 ft)				
	Forso	olids only				
	5 Sir	ngle cable – Ø8 mm (0.32°) / 316 – 1.4401 / 140 m (3.28131.23 ft)				
	Probe	connection without probe				
	K Pr	Probe connection (316L — 1.4404) for single rod or single cable probe — probe not included — not available for single cable Ø2 mm (0.08")				
	L Pr	obe connection (316L — 1.4404) for double rod or double cable probe orobe not included				
	Pr	obe end (probe end type / material / probe)				
	0	Without				
	1	Counterweight Ø14 × 100 mm (0.55 × 3.94") / 316L — 1.4404 / Single cable — Ø2 mm (0.08")				
	F	Counterweight Ø14 × 100 mm (0.55 × 3.94") / HASTELLOY® C-22® / Single cable — Ø2 mm (0.08")				
	2	Counterweight Ø20 × 100 mm (0.79 × 3.94") / 316L — 1.4404 / Single cable — Ø4 mm (0.16")				
	3	Counterweight Ø12 × 100 mm (0.47 × 3.94") / 316L — 1.4404 / Single cable — Ø8 mm (0.32")				
	4	Counterweight Ø38 × 245 mm (1.50 × 9.65") / 316L — 1.4404 / Single cable — Ø8 mm (0.32")				
	5	Counterweight Ø38 × 60 mm (1.50 × 2.36") / 316L — 1.4404 / Double cable — Ø4 mm (0.16")				
	8	Chuck / 316L — 1.4404 / Single cable — Ø4 mm (0.16")				
	В	Crimped end / 316L — 1.4404 / Single cable — Ø4 mm (0.16")				
	D	Open end / 316L — 1.4404 / Single cable — Ø4 mm (0.16") and Ø8 mm (0.32")				
	7	Turnbuckle / 316L — 1.4404 / Single/double cable — Ø4 mm (0.16")				
	А	Threaded end / 316L — 1.4404 / Single/double cable — Ø4 mm (0.16")				
VF2 4		Order code (complete this code on the pages that follow)				

						Pr	oce	SS C	onnection (size / pressure rating / flange finish)					
						0	0	0	Without					
						Th	rea	ded	– ISO 228					
						С	Р	0	G ½ ③					
						D	Р	0	G ¾A ④					
						Е	Р	0	G 1A ④					
						G	Р	0	G 1½A					
						Th	rea	ded	– ASME B1.20.1					
								С	В	0	½ NPTF – B1.20.3 (Dryseal) ③			
						D	Α	0	3/4 NPT (4)					
						Е	Α	0	1 NPT ④					
						G	Α	0	1½ NPT					
						EN	l 10	92-	1 Flanges ⑤					
						E	D	1	DN25 PN10 – Type B1 ⑥					
						E	Е	1	DN25 PN16 – Type B1 ⑥					
						E	F	1	DN25 PN25 – Type B1 ⑥					
						E	G	1	DN25 PN40 – Type B1 ⑥					
						G	D	1	DN40 PN10 – Type B1 ⑦					
						G	Е	1	DN40 PN16 – Type B1 ⑦					
						G	F	1	DN40 PN25 – Type B1 ⑦					
						G	G	1	DN40 PN40 – Type B1 ⑦					
						Н	D	1	DN50 PN10 – Type B1					
											Н	Е	1	DN50 PN16 – Type B1
							Н	F	1	DN50 PN25 – Type B1				
										Н	G	1	DN50 PN40 – Type B1	
							L	D	1	DN80 PN10 – Type B1				
						L	Е	1	DN80 PN16 – Type B1					
						L	F	1	DN80 PN25 – Type B1					
						L	G	1	DN80 PN40 – Type B1					
						М		1						
						М	Е	1	DN100 PN16 – Type B1					
						М	F	1	DN100 PN25 – Type B1					
		\perp				М	G	1	DN100 PN40 – Type B1					
						P	D	1	DN150 PN10 – Type B1					
						Р	Е	1	DN150 PN16 – Type B1					
							P	F	1	DN150 PN25 – Type B1				
		_				P -	G	1	DN150 PN40 – Type B1					
						R	E	1	DN200 PN16 – Type B1					
						R	G	1	DN200 PN40 – Type B1 (for non-Ex devices only)					
VF2	4								Order code (complete this code on the pages that follow)					

				AS	ME	B16	6.5 / ANSI Flanges ®
				E	1	Α	1" 150 lb RF ⑥
				E	2	Α	1" 300 lb RF ⑥
				G	1	Α	1½" 150 lb RF ⑦
				G	2	Α	1½" 300 lb RF ⑦
				Н	1	Α	2" 150 lb RF
				Н	2	Α	2" 300 lb RF
				L	1	Α	3" 150 lb RF
				L	2	Α	3" 300 lb RF
				М	1	Α	4" 150 lb RF
				М	2	Α	4" 300 lb RF
				Р	1	Α	6" 150 lb RF
				Р	2	Α	6" 300 lb RF (for non-Ex devices only)
				R	1	Α	8" 150 lb RF
				R	2	Α	8" 300 lb RF (for non-Ex devices only)
				JIS	5 B2	220	Flanges
				G	U	Р	40A JIS 10K RF ⑦
				Н	U	Р	50A JIS 10K RF
				L	U	Р	80A JIS 10K RF
				М	U	Р	100A JIS 10K RF
				Р	U	Р	150A JIS 10K RF
				R	U	Р	200A JIS 10K RF
						Alt	ernative flange faces
						2	Type B2, EN 1092-1 (surface roughness must be specified in the order)
						3	Type C, EN 1092-1 (Tongue)
						4	Type D, EN 1092-1 (Groove)
						5	Type E, EN 1092-1 (Spigot)
						6	Type F, EN 1092-1 (Recess)
						В	FF, ASME B16.5 (Flat face)
						М	
						С	LG, ASME B16.5 (Large groove)
						D	LF, ASME B16.5 (Large female)
						Е	LT, ASME B16.5 (Large tongue)
						F	LM, ASME B16.5 (Large male)
						G	SG, ASME B16.5 (Small groove)
						Н	SF, ASME B16.5 (Small female)
						K	ST, ASME B16.5 (Small tongue)
						L	SM, ASME B16.5 (Small male)
VF2	4						Order code (complete this code on the pages that follow)

	Outp	ut	
	1 2	-wire	/ 420 mA passive HART
	A 2	-wire	/ FOUNDATION™ fieldbus
	B 2	-wire	/ PROFIBUS PA
	С	able	entry / cable gland
	1	M2	0×1.5 / Without
	2	M2	0×1.5 / Plastic
	3	M2	0×1.5 / Nickel-plated brass
	4	M2	0×1.5 / Stainless steel
	Α	1/2	NPT (nickel-plated brass) / Without
	В	3 1/2 1	NPT (stainless steel) / Without
		Но	using (orientation / display / weather protection)
		1	Horizontal / No display / Without (for the compact version only)
		2	Horizontal / Display on side / Without (for the compact version only)
		3	Horizontal / No display / With (for the compact version only)
		4	Horizontal / Display on side / With (for the compact version only)
		Α	Vertical / No display / Without
		В	Vertical / Display on top / Without
		С	Vertical / Display on side / Without (not available for Ex d ia / XP-approved devices)
		D	Vertical / No display / With
		Е	Vertical / Display on top / With
		F	Vertical / Display on side / With (not available for Ex d ia / XP-approved devices)
			Display language (English is supplied with all devices)
			0 Without (if no display)
			1 English
			2 German
			3 French
			4 Italian
			5 Spanish
			6 Portuguese
			7 Japanese
			8 Chinese (simplified)
			A Russian
VF2 4			Order code (complete this code on the pages that follow)

								2	М	odul	e option
									0	Wi	thout
									2	ME	ETAGLAS® sealing
										Ор	tions for remote version
										0	Without
										6	Signal cable 10 m (32.81 ft) (non-Ex: grey, Ex: blue)
										7	Signal cable 25 m (82.02 ft) (non-Ex: grey, Ex: blue)
										8	Signal cable 50 m (164.04 ft) (non-Ex: grey, Ex: blue)
										Α	Signal cable 75 m (246.06 ft) (non-Ex: grey, Ex: blue)
										В	Signal cable 100 m (328.08 ft) (non-Ex: grey, Ex: blue)
VF2	4							2			Order code

- ① For more data, refer to the Technical data section (Approvals and certification)
- ② T* = T3 or T2
- ③ For Ø2 mm / 0.08" single cable probes only
- 4 Do not use with double rod, double cable and $\emptyset 8~\text{mm}$ / 0.32° single cable probes
- ⑤ Other flange faces are available. Refer to your local supplier for more data.
- 6 Do not use with double rod, double cable, coaxial and $\emptyset 8~\text{mm}$ / $0.32\ensuremath{^{\circ}}$ single cable probes
- $\ensuremath{\mathfrak{T}}$ Do not use with double rod, double cable and coaxial probes
- (8) Flanges with RF faces have a slip on-type design with an anti-blowout feature. Other flange faces are available. Refer to your local supplier for more data.

Devices for hygienic applications

VF2	4	۷F	2 Gı	uide	d R	adar (TDR:	lev	el t	ransmitter for hygienic liquid applications:						
		Со	nve	rter	vei	rsion (l	nous	ing	ma	terial / ingress protection)						
		1	Со	mpa	ct	versior	ı (alı	umi	niur	m – IP66/67)						
		2	Со	mpa	ct	versior	ı (sta	ainl	ess	steel – IP66/67)						
		3	Re	mot	e v	ersion	(con	iver	ter	and probe housing: aluminium — IP66/67)						
		4	Re	mot	e v	ersion (converter and probe housing: stainless steel – IP66/67)										
			Ар	prov	al	1										
			0	Wit	ho	ut										
			1	ATE	ΞX	II 1/2 G	Ex	ia II	C Té	5T* Ga/Gb + II 1/2 D Ex ia IIIC T90°C Da/Db ②						
			2	ATE	ΞX	II 1/2 G	Ex	ia/d	b II(C T6T* Ga/Gb + II 1/2 D Ex ia/tb IIIC T90°C Da/Db ②						
			4	ATE	ΞX	II 3 G E	x ic	IIC .	T6	.T* Gc + II 3 D Ex ic IIIC T90°C Dc (Zone 2 and 22) ②						
						approv	/al									
						thout										
				1						for the compact version with the 420 mA output option						
					Pr	ocess:	seal	(ter	mpe	rature / pressure / material / notes)						
					0	Witho										
				-	S					.+302°F) / -140 barg (-14.5580 psig) / FKM/FPM (Viton) ③						
				-	Т					+302°F) / -1 40 barg (-14.5580 psig) / Kalrez® 6230 (
					U					+302°F) / -140 barg (-14.5580 psig) / EPDM) ③						
									typ	e / material / measuring range)						
							itho									
						For li										
						X Si	_			Ø8 mm (0.32") Ra <0.76 μm / 316L – 1.4404 / 14 m (3.2813.12 ft)						
							_			connection (size / pressure rating / flange finish)						
							0	0	0	Without						
							\vdash	_		-Tri-Clamp® – ISO 2852 / DIN 32676						
							E	Е	S	·						
							G	Е	S							
							Н	Е	S							
							\vdash	T -		- DIN 11851						
							E	G	T							
							G	G	T							
							Н	G	T	DN50 PN40						
VF2	4					0				Order code (complete this code on the pages that follow)						

						0ι	utpu	t	
						1	2-1	wire	/ 420 mA passive HART
						Α	2-1	wire	/ FOUNDATION™ fieldbus
						В	2-1	wire	/ PROFIBUS PA
							Ca	ble e	entry / cable gland
							1	M20	0×1.5 / Without
							2	M20	0×1.5 / Plastic
							3	M20	0×1.5 / Nickel-plated brass
							4	M20	0×1.5 / Stainless steel
							Α	½ N	IPT (nickel-plated brass) / Without
							В	½ N	IPT (stainless steel) / Without
								_	using (orientation / display / weather protection)
								1	Horizontal / No display / Without (for the compact version only)
								2	Horizontal / Display on side / Without (for the compact version only)
								3	Horizontal / No display / With (for the compact version only)
								4	Horizontal / Display on side / With (for the compact version only)
								Α	Vertical / No display / Without
								В	Vertical / Display on top / Without
								С	Vertical / Display on side / Without (not available for Ex d ia / XP-approved devices)
								D	Vertical / No display / With
								Е	Vertical / Display on top / With
								F	Vertical / Display on side / With (not available for Ex d ia / XP-approved devices)
								_	Display language (English is supplied with all devices)
									Without (if no display)
									1 English
									2 German
									3 French
									4 Italian
									5 Spanish
									6 Portuguese
									7 Japanese
									8 Chinese (simplified)
						\perp			A Russian
VF2	4			0					2 Order code (complete this code on the pages that follow)

								М	odul	e option
								0	Wi	thout
								2	ME	ETAGLAS® sealing
									Ор	tions for remote version
									0	Without
									6	Signal cable 10 m (32.81 ft) (non-Ex: grey, Ex: blue)
									7	Signal cable 25 m (82.02 ft) (non-Ex: grey, Ex: blue)
									8	Signal cable 50 m (164.04 ft) (non-Ex: grey, Ex: blue)
									Α	Signal cable 75 m (246.06 ft) (non-Ex: grey, Ex: blue)
									В	Signal cable 100 m (328.08 ft) (non-Ex: grey, Ex: blue)
VF2	4			0			2			Order code

- ① For more data, refer to the Technical data section (Approvals and certification)
- ② T* = T3 or T2
- (3) All wetted part materials agree with FDA 21 CFR 177.2600, Regulation (EC) No 1935/2004, Commission Regulation (EC) No 2023/2006 and Commission Regulation (EU) No 10/2011
- 4 All wetted part materials agree with FDA 21 CFR 177.2600

10.2 Spare parts

We supply spare parts for this device. When you send an order for a mechanical spare part, use the reference numbers in the table that follows. When you send an order for an electronic spare part, refer to *Order code* on page 169 and use the VF2 order code.

Mechanical spare parts for storage and process applications

XF2 4	0	0	0	VF	2 Guided Radar (TDR) level transmitter for storage and process applications:
				Pr	ocess seal (temperature / pressure / material / notes)
				0	Without
				1	-40+150°C (-40+302°F) / -140 barg (-14.5580 psig) / FKM/FPM (Viton) — for all probes
				2	-20+150°C (-4+302°F) / -140 barg (-14.5580 psig) / Kalrez® 6375 — for all probes
				3	-50+150°C (-58+302°F) / -140 barg (-14.5580 psig) / EPDM — for all probes
				6	-40+300°C (-40+572°F) / -140 barg (-14.5580 psig) / FKM/FPM (Viton) — only for the high-temperature (HT) version of the Ø2 mm (0.08") single cable probe
				7	-20+300°C (-4+572°F) / -140 barg (-14.5580 psig) / Kalrez® 6375 — only for the high-temperature (HT) version of the Ø2 mm (0.08") single cable probe
				8	-50+250°C (-58+482°F) / -140 barg (-14.5580 psig) / EPDM — only for the high-temperature (HT) version of the Ø2 mm (0.08") single cable probe
					Probe (probe type / material / measuring range)
					0 Without
					For liquids only
					2 Single rod – Ø8 mm (0.32") segmented / 316L – 1.4404 / 16 m (3.2819.69 ft)
					3 Single cable – Ø2 mm (0.08") / 316 – 1.4401 / 140 m (3.28131.23 ft)
					6 Double rod – 2ר8 mm (0.32") / 316L – 1.4404 / 14 m (3.2813.12 ft)
					7 Double cable – 2ר4 mm (0.16") / 316 – 1.4401 / 128 m (3.2891.86 ft)
					D Single cable – Ø2 mm (0.08") / HASTELLOY® C-22® / 140 m (3.28131.23 ft)
					A Coaxial – Ø22 mm (0.87") / 316L – 1.4404 / 0.66 m (1.9719.69 ft)
					B Coaxial – Ø22 mm (0.87") segmented / 316L – 1.4404 / 0.66 m (1.9719.69 ft)
					E Coaxial – Ø22 mm (0.87") / HASTELLOY® C-22® / 0.66 m (1.9719.69 ft)
					P Single rod - Ø8 mm (0.32") / PVDF sheath (Ø16 (0.64")) - (not for cFMus) IIB only / 14 m (3.2813.12 ft)
					For liquids and solids
					1 Single rod – Ø8 mm (0.32") / 316L – 1.4404 / 14 m (3.2813.12 ft)
					4 Single cable – Ø4 mm (0.16") / 316 – 1.4401 / liquids: 140 m (3.28131.23 ft); solids: 120 m (3.2865.62 ft)
					For solids only
					5 Single cable – Ø8 mm (0.32") / 316 – 1.4401 / 140 m (3.28131.23 ft)
					Probe connection without probe
					K Probe connection (316L – 1.4404) for single rod or single cable probe – probe not included – not available for single cable Ø2 mm (0.08")
					L Probe connection (316L – 1.4404) for double rod or double cable probe – probe not included
XF2 4	0	0	0		Order code (complete this code on the pages that follow)

						Pro	be e	enc	l (pi	robe end type / material / probe)
							Wit		·	
						1	Cou	ıntı gle	erw cal	eight Ø14 × 100 mm (0.55 × 3.94") / 316L – 1.4404 / ole – Ø2 mm (0.08")
						F	Cou	ıntı	erw cal	eight Ø14 × 100 mm (0.55 × 3.94") / HASTELLOY® C-22® / ole – Ø2 mm (0.08")
						2	Cou	ıntı gle	erw cal	eight Ø20 × 100 mm (0.79 × 3.94°) / 316L — 1.4404 / ole — Ø4 mm (0.16°)
						3	Cou	ıntı gle	erw cal	eight Ø12 × 100 mm (0.47 × 3.94") / 316L — 1.4404 / ole — Ø8 mm (0.32")
						4	Cou	ıntı gle	erw cal	eight Ø38 × 245 mm (1.50 × 9.65°) / 316L – 1.4404 / ole – Ø8 mm (0.32°)
						5				eight Ø38 × 60 mm (1.5 × 2.36°) / 316L – 1.4404 / ble – Ø4 mm (0.16°)
						8	Chu	ıck	/3	16L — 1.4404 / Single cable — Ø4 mm (0.16°)
						В	Crir	mp	ed e	end / 316L — 1.4404 / Single cable — Ø4 mm (0.16")
						D	Оре	en e	end	/ 316L – 1.4404 / Single cable – Ø4 mm (0.16") and Ø8 mm (0.32")
						7	Tur	nb	uck	le / 316L — 1.4404 / Single/double cable — Ø4 mm (0.16")
						Α	Thr	ea	ded	end / 316L — 1.4404 / Single/double cable — Ø4 mm (0.16")
							Pro	ce	5S C	onnection (size / pressure rating / flange finish)
							0	0	0	Without
							Thr	ea	ded	– ISO 228
							С	Р	0	G ½ ①
							D	Р	0	G ¾A ②
							E	Р	0	G 1A ②
							G	Р	0	G 11/2A
							Thr	ea	ded	– ASME B1.20.1
							С	В	0	½ NPTF – B1.20.3 (Dryseal) ①
							D	Α	0	% NPT ②
							Е	Α	0	1 NPT ②
							G	Α	0	1½ NPT
							ΕŃ	/ D	IN I	Flanges — EN 1092-1 ③
							Е	D	1	DN25 PN10 – Type B1 flange ④
							Е	Е	1	DN25 PN16 – Type B1 flange ④
							Е	F	1	DN25 PN25 – Type B1 flange ④
							Е	G	1	DN25 PN40 – Type B1 flange ④
							G	D	1	DN40 PN10 – Type B1 flange ⑤
							G	Е	1	DN40 PN16 – Type B1 flange ⑤
							G	F	1	DN40 PN25 – Type B1 flange ⑤
							G	G	1	DN40 PN40 – Type B1 flange ⑤
							Н	D	1	DN50 PN10 – Type B1 flange
							Н	Е	1	DN50 PN16 – Type B1 flange
							Н	F	1	DN50 PN25 – Type B1 flange
							Н	G	1	DN50 PN40 – Type B1 flange
XF2	4	0	0	0						Order code (complete this code on the pages that follow)

							L		1	DN80 PN10 – Type B1 flange
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							L	_	+	DN80 PN25 – Type B1 flange
							'	-	+	DN80 PN40 – Type B1 flange
								-	+	DN100 PN10 – Type B1 flange
								_	+	DN100 PN16 – Type B1 flange
								_	+	DN100 PN25 – Type B1 flange
								-	+	DN100 PN40 – Type B1 flange
		_					F	-	+-	DN150 PN10 – Type B1 Italige DN150 PN10 – Type B1 flange
							F	_	+-	DN150 PN16 – Type B1 Italige DN150 PN16 – Type B1 Italige
							F	+	+	DN150 PN25 – Type B1 flange
							F	_	+	
								_	+	DN150 PN40 – Type B1 flange (for non-Ex devices only)
							F	_	+	DN200 PN/6 - Type B1 flange
										71 3 .
							\vdash		E B	16.5 / ANSI Flanges ⑥ 1" 150 lb RF ④
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XF2	4	0	0	U						Order code (complete this code on the pages that follow)

										Alt	Alternative flange faces								
										2	Тур	e E	32, I	ΞN	1092	2-	1 (sur	face roughness must be specified in the order)	
									3	Тур	e C), E	N 10)92-	-1	(Tong	gue)		
									4	Тур	Type D, EN 1092-1 (Groove)								
								5	Type E, EN 1092-1 (Spigot)										
									6	Тур	Type F, EN 1092-1 (Recess)								
								В	FF,	FF, ASME B16.5 (Flat face)									
										М	RJ, ASME B16.5 (Ring joint)							pint)	
									С	C LG, ASME B16.5 (Large groove)							groove)		
									D	LF, ASME B16.5 (Large female)						female)			
										Е	LT,	AS	ME	В1	6.5	(L	arge	tongue)	
										F	LM,	AS	SME	E B1	6.5	(L	_arge	male)	
										G	SG,	AS	ME	B1	6.5	(S	mall	groove)	
										Н	SF,	AS	ME	B1	6.5	(S	mall	female)	
										K	ST,	AS	ME	B1	6.5	(S	mall	tongue)	
										L	SM, ASME B16.5 (Small male)								
										0 0 0 0 2 Module option								le option	
																() Wi	ithout	
																2	2 MI	ETAGLAS® sealing	
XF2	4	0	0	0							0	0	0	0	2		0	Order code	

- ① For Ø2 mm / 0.08" single cable probes only
- ② Do not use with double rod, double cable and Ø8 mm / 0.32" single cable probes
- ③ Other flange faces are available. Refer to your local supplier for more data. Flanges with the PTFE Wave Horn antenna option have a slip on-type design with an anti-blowout feature.
- 4 Do not use with double rod, double cable, coaxial and $\emptyset 8 \text{ mm} / 0.32 \text{"}$ single cable probes
- ⑤ Do not use with double rod, double cable and coaxial probes
- (a) ASME flanges have a slip on-type design with an anti-blowout feature. Different flange faces are available. Refer to your local supplier for more data.



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XF2	4	0	0	0	VF2 Guided Radar (TDR) level transmitter for hygienic applications:														
					Pr	oce	ocess seal (temperature / pressure / material / notes)												
					0	Wi	Without												
					S	-20	-20+150°C (-4+302°F) / -140 barg (-14.5580 psig) / FKM/FPM (Viton) ①										.5580 psig) / FKM/FPM (Viton) ①		
					Т	- 2	- 20+150°C (-4+302°F) / -1 40 barg (-14.5580 psig) / Kalrez® 6230 ②												
					U	-4!	-45+150°C (-49+302°F) / -140 barg (-14.5580 psig) / EPDM) ①												
						Pr	Probe (probe type / material / measuring range)												
						0													
						Fo	r liq	uid	s or	ıly									
						Χ	Sir	ngle	roc	d — Ø	98 mr	n (0	.32"	R	?a <	0.7	6 µm	/ 316L – 1.4404 / 14 m (3.2813.12 ft)	
							0 Process connection (size / pressure rating / flange finish)									rating / flange finish)			
								0	0	0	Without								
								Flanged – Tri-Clamp® – ISO 2852 / DIN 32676								DIN 32676			
								Ε	Ε	S 1" / DN25 PN16									
								G	Ε	S	S 1½" / DN38 PN16								
								Н	Е	S	2" / [)NZ	0	D١	1 51	ΡN	116		
								Fla	ange	ed –	DIN	118	51						
								Ε	G	Т	DN2	5 P	N40						
								G	G	Т	DN4	0 P	N40						
								Н	G	Т	DN5	0 P	N40						
											0 0	0 0 0 2 Module option							
																0 Without			
																2	ME	ΓAGLAS® sealing	
XF2	4	0	0	0							0 0	(0 0		2		0	Order code	

① All wetted part materials agree with FDA 21 CFR 177.2600, Regulation (EC) No 1935/2004, Commission Regulation (EC) No 2023/2006 and Commission Regulation (EU) No 10/2011

② All wetted part materials agree with FDA 21 CFR 177.2600



INFORMATION!

The single rod probe for hygienic applications is welded to the process connection. If it is necessary change the probe then you must also order the process connection.



Other spare parts

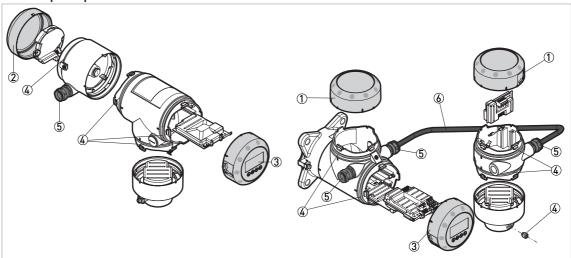


Figure 10-1: Other spare parts

- ① Cover without LCD display
- 2 Cover for Ex d module
- 3 Cover with LCD display
- 4 Set of fasteners for housing (lock screw, gaskets)
- \bigcirc Cable gland / M20×1.5
- 6 Signal cable (non-Ex: grey, Ex: blue)



Remote version: Make sure that replacement signal cables for Ex-approved devices are supplied by the manufacturer. Use of this signal cable is mandatory.

Item	Description	Quantity	Part reference
1	Cover without LCD display, aluminium	1	XF2010100
	Cover without LCD display, stainless steel	1	XF2011100
2	Cover for Ex d module, aluminium ①	1	XF2010200
	Cover for Ex d module, stainless steel ①	1	XF2011200
3	Cover with LCD display (English / German / French / Italian), aluminium	1	XF2010300
	Cover with LCD display (English / German / French / Italian), stainless steel	1	XF2011300
	Cover with LCD display (English / Spanish / French / Portuguese), aluminium	1	XF2010400
	Cover with LCD display (English / Spanish / French / Portuguese), stainless steel	1	XF2011400
	Cover with LCD display (English / Russian / Chinese / Japanese), aluminium	1	XF2010500
	Cover with LCD display (English / Russian / Chinese / Japanese), stainless steel		XF2011500
4	Set of fasteners for housing (lock screw, gaskets)	10 screws, 10 gaskets	XF2010900

Item	Description	Quantity	Part reference
(5)	Cable gland / M20×1.5; Plastic; Black; non-Ex (GP)	10	XF2030100
	Cable gland / M20×1.5; Plastic; Blue; Ex i (IS)	10	XF2030200
	Cable gland / M20×1.5; Brass; Ex d (XP)	5	XF2030300
	Cable gland / M20×1.5; Stainless Steel; Ex d (XP)	2	XF2030400
	Cable gland / M20×1.5; Brass; non-Ex / Ex i (IS)	5	XF2030500
	Cable gland / M20×1.5; Stainless Steel; non-Ex / Ex i (IS)	2	XF2030600
	Cable entry / ½ NPT; Brass; non-Ex (GP) / Ex i	5	XF2030700
	Cable entry / ½ NPT; Brass; Ex d	5	XF2030800
	Cable entry / ½ NPT; Brass; cFMus	5	XF2030900
	Cable entry / ½ NPT; Stainless Steel; non-Ex (GP) / Ex i	2	XF2031000
	Cable entry / ½ NPT; Stainless Steel; Ex d	2	XF2031100
	Cable entry / ½ NPT; Stainless Steel; cFMus	2	XF2031200
6	Signal cable 10 m / 32.8 ft (non-Ex: grey) ②	1	XF2040100
	Signal cable 25 m / 82 ft (non-Ex: grey) ②	1	XF2040200
	Signal cable 50 m / 164 ft (non-Ex: grey) ②	1	XF2040300
	Signal cable 75 m / 246 ft (non-Ex: grey) ②	1	XF2040400
	Signal cable 100 m / 328 ft (non-Ex: grey) ②	1	XF2040500
	Signal cable 10 m / 32.8 ft (Ex: blue) ③	1	XF2040600
	Signal cable 25 m / 82 ft (Ex: blue) ③	1	XF2040700
	Signal cable 50 m / 164 ft (Ex: blue) ③	1	XF2040800
	Signal cable 75 m / 246 ft (Ex: blue) ③	1	XF2040900
	Signal cable 100 m / 328 ft (Ex: blue) ③	1	XF2041000

① Ex d-approved devices only

② For the remote version

③ For the remote version. Make sure that replacement signal cables for Ex-approved devices are supplied by the manufacturer. Use of this signal cable is mandatory.

10.3 Accessories

We supply accessories for this device. When you send orders for accessories, please give the reference numbers that follow:

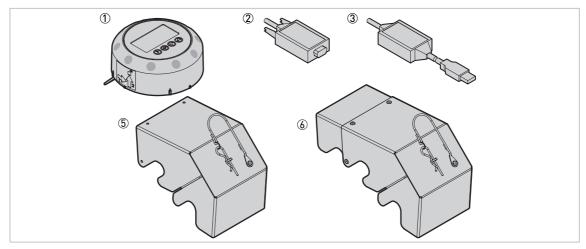


Figure 10-2: Accessories

- ① HMI service tool
- ② Viator RS232 / HART converter
- 3 Viator USB / HART converter
- Weather protection, compact converter version non-Ex or Ex i-approved Weather protection, remote converter version – probe housing
- ⑤ Weather protection, compact converter version Ex d- or cFMus-approved devices

Item	Description	Quantity	Part reference
1	HMI service tool (English / German / French / Italian), aluminium ①	1	XF2010600
	HMI service tool (English / Spanish / French / Portuguese), aluminium ①	1	XF2010700
	HMI service tool (English / Russian / Chinese / Japanese), aluminium ①	1	XF2010800
2	Viator RS232 / HART converter	1	XF2020600
3	Viator USB / HART converter	1	XF2020700
4	Weather protection, compact converter version — non-Ex or Ex i-approved	1	XF2050800
	Weather protection, remote converter version — probe housing	1	XF2051000
5	Weather protection, compact converter version — Ex d- or cFMus-approved devices	1	XF2050900

① If the device does not have the LCD display option, use this accessory to change the device configuration



CAUTION!

If it is necessary to protect the remote converter from direct sunlight, speak or write to your supplier.

10.4 Glossary

С

Cable This is a wire rope. It is used as a measurement pulse guide.

D

Dielectric constantAn electrical property of the product to be measured used in TDR

measurement. Also known as ϵr , DK and relative permittivity. This gives the strength of the measurement pulse reflected back to the device's signal

converter.

Direct modeThe device sends a signal along the probe. It receives the reflection of the

signal from the surface of the tank contents. The device uses an algorithm to convert the time it takes to receive the signal into a distance. Use of this measurement mode depends on the minimum dielectric constant limit of the probe type. For more data, refer to *Technical data* on page 127. Refer

also to TBF mode.

Discontinuities These are objects or parts of objects (including the tank) that are in the

tank, are possibly in the probe's empty space and can potentially influence the electromagnetic field around the probe. This can cause a measurement

error. Also refer to General requirements on page 24.

Distance This is a display option. It is the distance from the face of flange to the level

(1 product) or the surface of the top product (2 or more products). Refer to

the diagrams at the end of this section.

Ε

Electromagnetic compatibility Defines how much a device influences or is influenced by other devices that

generate electromagnetic fields during operation. Refer to European

standard EN 61326-1 and EN 61326-2-3 for further details.

Electromagnetic field This is a physical field that is produced by electrically-charged objects and

which may affect the behaviour of other objects near to the field.

Empty space A minimum diameter around a probe that should have no objects in it for

the device to work correctly. This depends on the probe type. Refer to

Installation for more details.

Н

Hazardous area An area with a potentially explosive atmosphere. Trained personnel can

install and use a device in this area. The device must be ordered with the appropriate options. The device requires approvals (ATEX, cFMus, etc.) related to site specifications. You can find more data about hazardous

areas in the Ex Manuals and Ex Certificates of Compliance.

L

Level This is a display option. It is the height from the bottom of the tank (user-

defined) to the surface of the top product (Tank height – distance). Refer to

the diagrams at the end of this section.

М

Mass This is a display option. It shows the total mass of tank contents. Use a

mass table or a volume table to display measurement data with mass

units.

Measurement pulse The device transmits a short, low-powered electrical pulse or wave

transmitted down a guide to the process. The process (or the probe end if

in TBF measurement mode) reflects the pulse back to the device.

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Operators Users who can choose how to display measurements. They cannot

configure the device in supervisor mode.

Ρ

Probe This is either a metallic cable or rod used to guide the measurement pulse

to the process.

Probe length Ordered length of probe, L, from the face of the flange to end of the guide. If

you ordered a cable probe, this includes the counterweight. Refer to the

diagrams at the end of this section.

S

Supervisors Users who can configure the device in supervisor mode. They cannot

configure the device in service mode.

Т

TBF mode Tank Bottom Following (TBF) mode. If the product has a low dielectric

constant, use this mode. TBF mode uses the end of the probe to indirectly

measure the tank contents.

TDR Time domain reflectometry (TDR). The principle used by the device to

measure level. For more data, refer to *Measuring principle* on page 126.

Threshold A number of limits set either manually or automatically by the signal

converter to identify the reflected measurement pulses from the level, and the probe end. For configuration data, refer to *Function description* on page

79.

Top dead zone The distance from the flange to the top limit of the measuring range. Also

refer to *Measurement limits* on page 138.

U

Ullage mass This is a display option. It shows empty mass or mass of the product that

can be put into the tank. Refer to the diagrams at the end of this section.

Ullage volume This is a display option. It shows the unfilled volume. Refer to the diagrams

at the end of this section.

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Volume Total volume of tank contents. Calculated with a volume table.

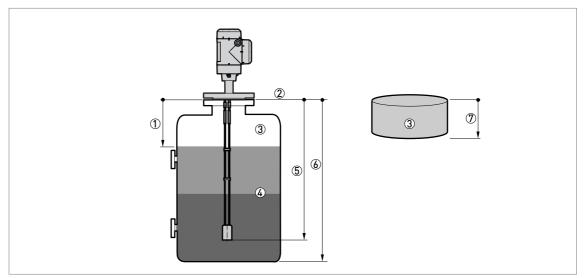


Figure 10-3: Measurement definitions 1

- ① Distance② Flange facing
- 3 Gas (Air)
- 4 Interface
- (5) Probe length, L
- 6 Tank height
- ① Ullage volume or mass

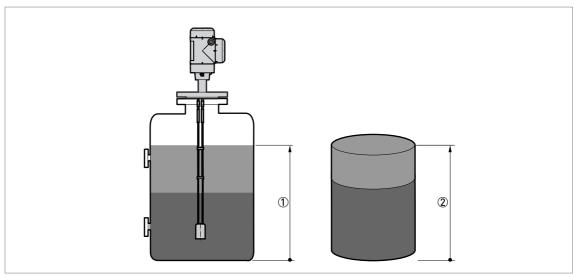
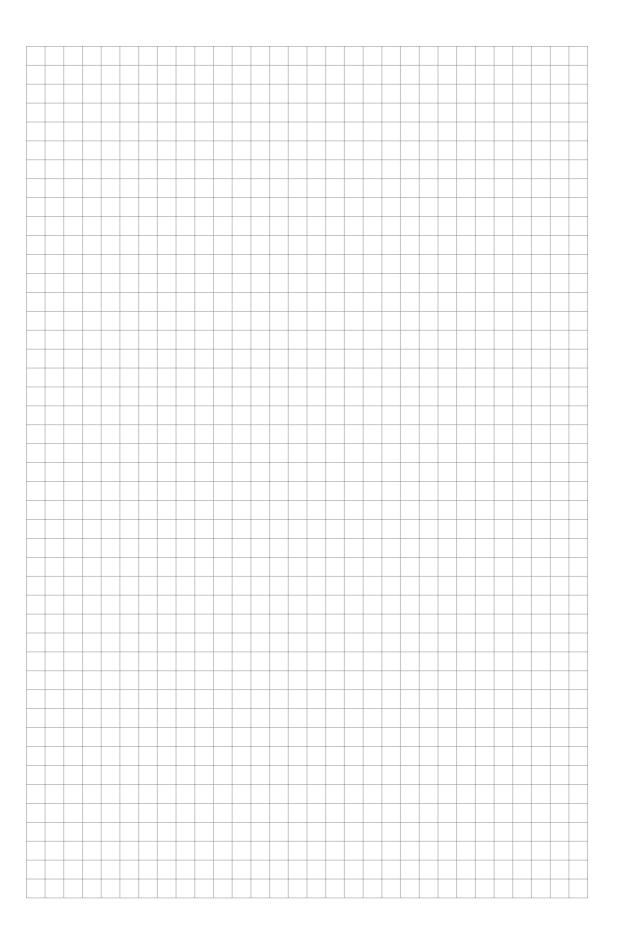
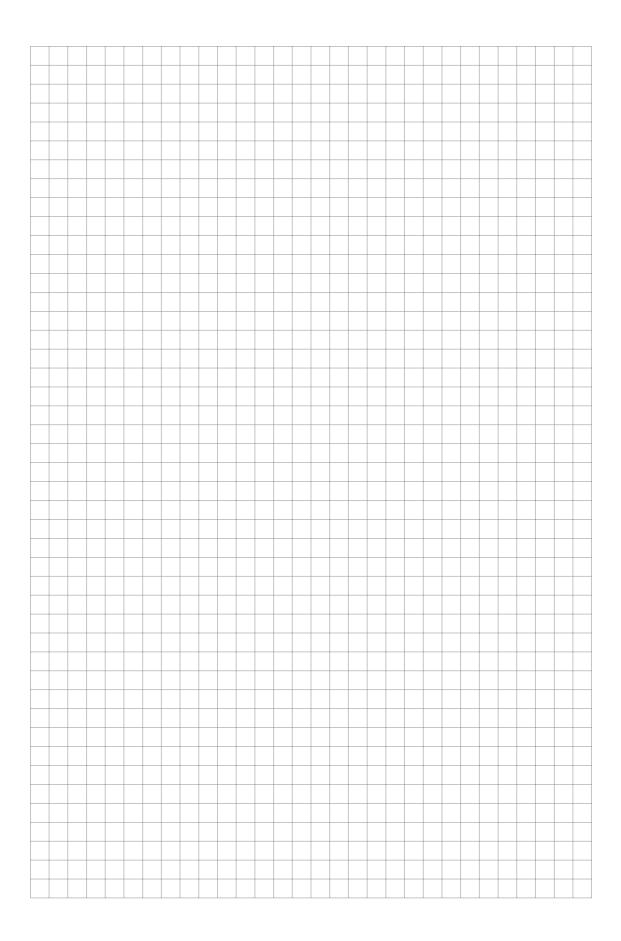


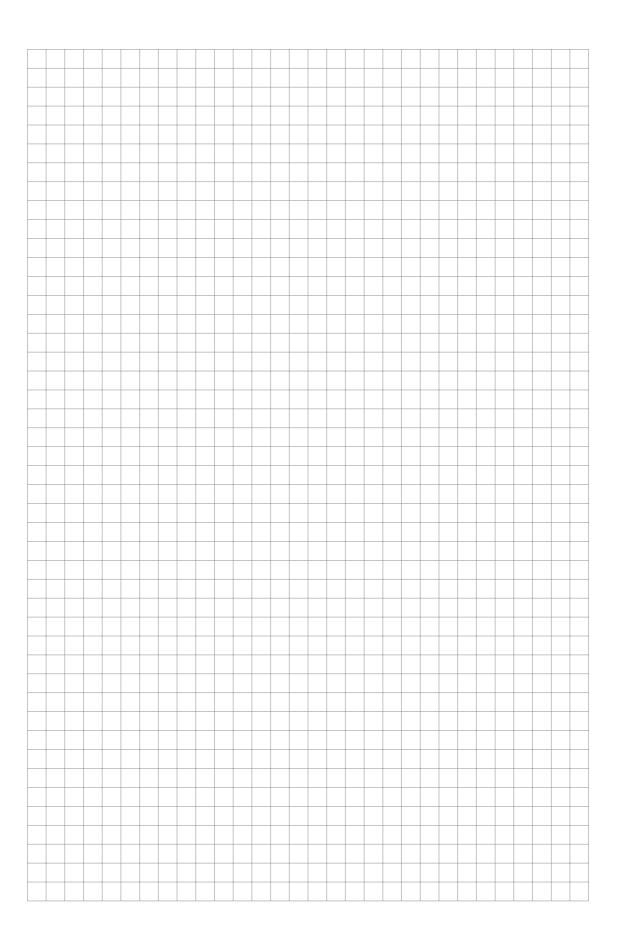
Figure 10-4: Measurement definitions 2

- ① Level
- 2 Volume or mass

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