# Truflo® — UltraFlo® UF-500 Clamp-On Ultrasonic Flow Meter Sensor



## Ultra-Convenient, Ultra-Simple, Ultra-Versatile — UltraFlo®

- Under 2 Minute Installation Time
- No Contact with Liquid
- No Moving Parts
- Simple to Install-No Cutting of Pipe
- Works on Carbon Steel | Stainless Steel | PVC | Copper | PVDF | PFA | PTFE | PU | Aluminium -
- Pulse | 4–20mA | RS485 Output
- ✓ Flow Rate + Totalizer | Resettable
- Simple Programming
- Large Blue OLED Low Light Display

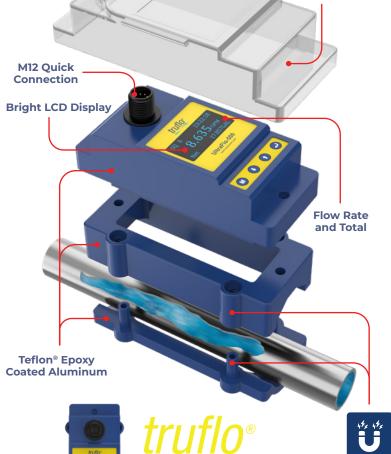


## **Convenience, Accuracy and Value** in an Ultrasonic Flow Meter

The Truflo® UF500 series clamp-on ultrasonic flow meters are easy to install with exceptional long life performance and they require no alteration to current piping configurations.

The sensor sends over 50 pulses/sec in order to provide accurate measurement of liquid flow rates in full pipes and can be used in low pressure systems.

- Wide Dynamic Flow Range of 0.3 to 15 ft/s | 0.1 to 5 m/s
- ✓ High Accuracy | ± 2.0% of Full Scale
- Lightweight
- Excellent External Corrosion Resistance
- Data Logging (day, month, year)
- Suitable for RO/DI Systems









See page 3 for a detailed display description







Teflon® Epoxy

**Coated Aluminum** 



Chemical Resistant.

**High Impact** 

**Polycarbonate** 

Cover

**Magnetic Connection** (for easier installation)

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### **General**

Operating Range	0.3 – 15 ft/s	0.1 – 5 m/s		
Pipe Size Range	1/2 – 4"	DN15 - DN100		
Temperature Range	32 – 122°F	0 – 50°C		
Repeatability	±0.8% of max. range @ 25 °C (77 °F)			
Linearity	±2.0% of max. range @ 25 °C (77 °F)			
Output	Pulse   4-20mA   RS485			

### **Materials**

Sensor Body	Teflon® Epoxy Coated Aluminum
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### **Electronics**

Power Supply	24 VDC
Connection	M12

### Display

LCD 128 \* 64 Dot Matrix

### **Totalizer Units**

6-Digit Accumulator

## **Standards and Approvals**



## **Measuring Points**



### **Other Considerations**

#### **Ensure Proper Installation**

Proper installation plays a crucial role in ensuring the accuracy of an ultrasonic flow meter. Any errors or misalignments during installation can lead to inaccurate measurements. The UF-500 is designed with ease of installation in mind. Installation time is typically less than two minutes.

#### Installation Location

Selecting an appropriate location away from disturbances such as bends, valves, or pipe irregularities is essential as it can effect flow profile.

#### Flow Profile

The flow profile refers to the velocity distribution across the pipe's cross-section. If the flow profile is not uniform, the accuracy of the ultrasonic flow meter can be compromised. Factors such as bends, valves, or obstructions in the pipe can cause variations in the flow profile. The flow meter's accuracy can be improved by ensuring a smooth and fully developed flow profile.

#### **Transducer Care**

The transducers are the key components of an ultrasonic flow meter that emit and receive ultrasonic signals. The transducer surface should be free from air bubbles, dirt, or deposits which can interfere with the ultrasonic signal.

#### Signal Interference

External factors can introduce signal interference, affecting the flow meter's accuracy. Electrical equipment, nearby machinery, or electromagnetic fields can disrupt the ultrasonic signals. Shielding the flow meter from these interferences or relocating it to a less disruptive environment can help mitigate inaccuracies caused by signal interference.

#### **Pipe Conditions and Material**

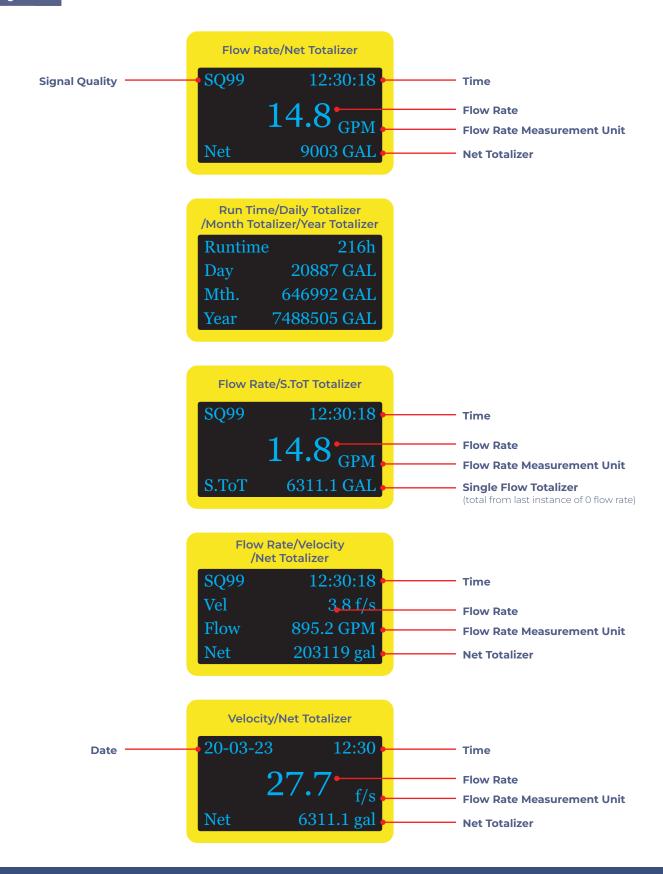
The condition and material of the pipe through which the liquid flows can impact the accuracy of the ultrasonic flow meter. Irregularities in the pipe, such as corrosion, scaling, or rough surfaces, can cause signal reflections or attenuations, leading to inaccuracies. It is important to regularly inspect the pipe and address any issues promptly to maintain accurate measurements.

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## **Display Layout**



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**OBS** Gauge

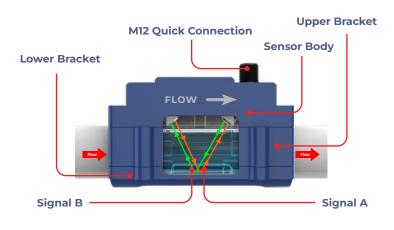
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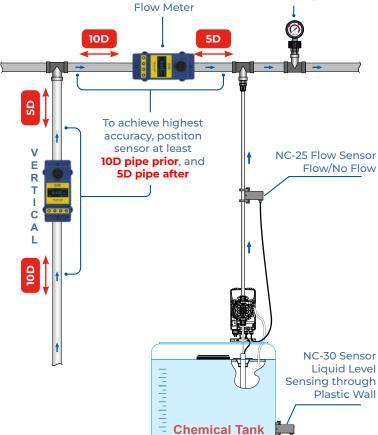
Pipe Size (mm)		OD min	16.5	23	28	35	45	58	72	80	108
		OD	20	25	32	40	50	63	75	90	110
		OD max	23	28	35	45	54	68	78	92	116
	,	ASME/ANSI	1/2"	3/4"	ן"	] ½"	1½"	2"	2½"	3"	4"
Flow Range (L/min)		0.03m/s	0.57L/min	0.88L/min	1.45L/min	2.26L/min	3.53L/min	5.61L/min	7.95L/min	11.45L/min	17.1L/min
		0.5m/s	9.4L/min	14.7L/min	24.1L/min	37.7L/min	58.9L/min	93.5L/min	132.5L/min	190.9L/min	285.1L/min
		1.5m/s	28.3L/min	44.2L/min	72.4L/min	113.1L/min	176.7L/min	280.5L/min	397L/min	572.6L/min	855.3L/min
	Í	5m/s	94.2L/min	147.2L/min	241.2L/min	376.9L/min	588.9L/min	934.9L/min	1325.4L/min	1908.5L/min	2851L/min
		0.03m/s	0.13Gal/min	0.19Gal/min	0.32Gal/min	0.5Gal/min	0.78Gal/min	1.23Gal/min	1.75Gal/min	2.52Gal/min	3.76Gal/min
Flow Range (Gal/min)		0.5m/s	2.07Gal/min	3.23Gal/min	5.3Gal/min	8.29Gal/min	12.96Gal/min	20.57Gal/min	29.15Gal/min	41.99Gal/min	62.71Gal/min
		1.5m/s	6.23Gal/min	9.72Gal/min	15.93Gal/min	24.88Gal/min	38.87Gal/min	61.70Gal/min	87.33Gal/min	125.95Gal/min	188.14Gal/min
	- '	5m/s	20.72Gal/min	32.38Gal/min	53.06Gal/min	82.91Gal/min	129.54Gal/min	205.65Gal/min	291.55Gal/min	419.81Gal/min	627.13Gal/min

## **Working Principle**

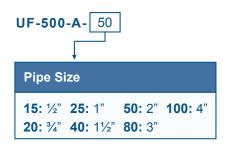
# **Application Example**

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## **Model Selection**



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