

FLANGED LIQUID TURBINE FLOW METER

This range of flanged flow meters will provide you with a highly accurate and economical way of measuring liquids over the range of 1 to 18000 litres/min.





Specification

Linearity:Better than +/- 0.5% of readingRepeatability:+/-0.1% of readingPressure drop:0.5 Barg at maximum flowMaximum over range:Up to 120% of the maximum flow rate for short durationsMaximum working pressure:Subject to flange ratingTemperature range:Standard pickoff -30 to 110 degC / High temp -30 to 232 degCBody connections:ANSI & PN Flanged. Others available.

Materials of Construction

- Body: Sleeve bearings: Thrust balls: Rotor: Rotor shaft: Hangers: Circlip's:
- 316 Stainless Steel
 Tungsten Carbide
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 431 Stainless Steel or Ferralium
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 316 Stainless Steel
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Application

This range of flow meters is used for liquids such as water, light oils, solvents and low viscosity chemicals. You can use them for batching, flow rate monitoring, controlling, blending and filling. The flowmeter is highly accurate and often used for testing the performance of pumps, engines, valves and other flowmeters.

In hazardous areas you can use the flow meters with the IS pick-off coil approved to ATEX II 1G Ex ia IIC T5/T4 Ga (-20C<Ta<80C/+100C). The signal can be used in the IS area or transmitted to the safe area using the intrinsically safe P5 preamplifier and suitable barriers.

Instrumentation

The signal can be used for a local display, remote display or converted for transmission to a separate control system. We have a range of instruments to suit all your requirements.

Principle of Operation

When liquid flows and the rotor turns, the sensor detects the movement of the blade tips and generates pulses. The frequency of the pulses is proportional to the flowrate.

Construction

The stainless-steel construction is durable and gives excellent corrosion resistance. The rotor is machined from solid making it virtually indestructible. The sleeve bearings provide you with highly reliable performance over long periods.

Calibration

The turbine flow meters are individually calibrated with water and are traceable to national standards. They are supplied with a test certificate for each meter showing the number of pulses per litre, which is used to set the instrumentation.

Installation

The flow meter is installed directly into the pipeline. To reduce turbulence and get the best results from your flow meter we recommend that you install it in a straight section of pipe with at least 10 pipe diameters upstream and 5 pipe diameters downstream. Control valves should be installed downstream of the flowmeter.

To prevent foreign particles blocking your line we recommend you install a filter before the flow meter.

Preamplifiers are only needed if you have very long transmission distances or an electrically noisy environment close to pumps, motors, generators, switchgear or heavy current carrying cables. Intrinsically safe systems always require an IS pick-off coil. The IS P5 preamplifier is required for transmission to a safe area through barriers.

Model Number	Flow Range litre/min	K factor [#] pulses/litre
F4/15/1	1-10	6000
F4/15/2	2-20	3000
F4/20/5	5-50	1080
F4/20/8	8-80	1080
F4/25/15	15-150	520
F4/25	25-250	362
F4/32	45-450	102
F4/40	67-670	72
F4/50	110-1100	41
F4/80	225-2250	16
F4/100	450-4500	6.6
F4/150	900-9000	2.8
F4/200	1800-18000	1.7

Model Number	Flange Size mm	L mm	Weight kg
F4/15/1	15	140	2.0
F4/15/2	15	140	2.0
F4/20/5	20	139.7	3.0
F4/20/8	20	139.7	3.0
F4/25/15	25	139.7	3.5
F4/25	25	139.7	3.3
F4/32	32	145.0	3.9
F4/40	40	152.4	8.0
F4/50	50	165.1	11
F4/80	80	250.0	21
F4/100	100	300.0	32
F4/150	150	360.0	51
F4/200	200	360.0	80

The nominal K factor is based on water at 20oC Each flowmeter is individually calibrated on water and will have a unique K factor.