

SITRANS F flowmeters

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System information MAGFLO electromagnetic flowmeters

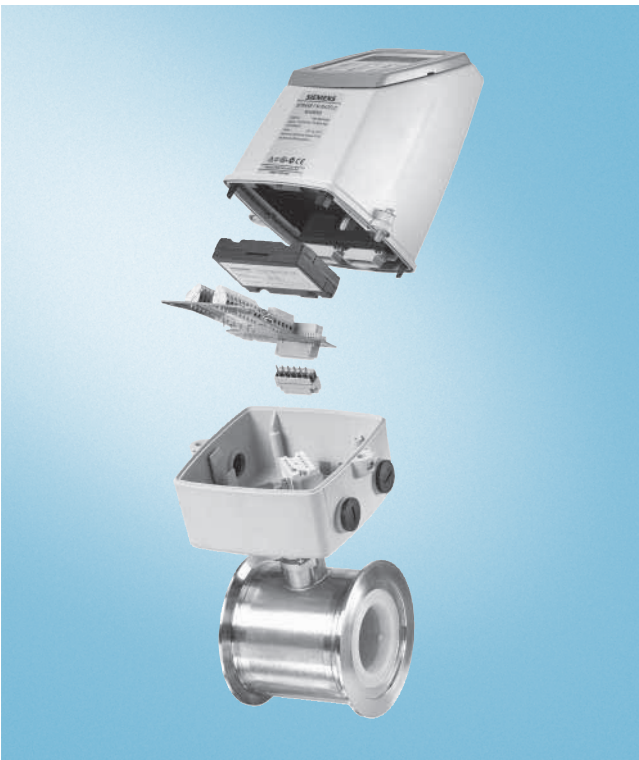
Overview



SITRANS F M family

SITRANS F M electromagnetic flowmeters are designed for measuring the flow of electrically conductive mediums.

Benefits



Greater flexibility

- Wide product program
- Compact or remote installation using the same transmitter and sensor
- USM II communication platform for easy integration with all systems

Easier to commission

All MAGFLO electromagnetic flowmeters feature a unique SENSORPROM memory unit which stores sensor calibration data and transmitter settings for the lifetime of the product.

At commissioning the flowmeter commences measurement without any initial programming.

The factory settings matching the sensor size are stored in the SENSORPROM unit. Also customer specified settings are downloaded to the unit. Should the transmitter be replaced, the new transmitter will upload all previous settings and resume measurement without any need for reprogramming.

Further, the "fingerprint" used in connection with the MAGFLO Verificator is stored during the initial sensor calibration.

Easier to service

Transmitter replacement requires no programming. SENSORPROM automatically updates all settings after initialization.

Room for growth

USM II the Universal Signal Module with "plug & play" simplicity, makes it easy to access and integrate the flow measurement with almost any system and bus-protocol and it ensures the flowmeter will be easy to upgrade to future communication/bus platforms.

Application

Electromagnetic flowmeters are suitable for measuring the flow of almost all electrically conducting liquids, pastes and slurries.

A prerequisite is that the medium must have a minimum conductivity of $5 \mu\text{S}/\text{cm}$. The temperature, pressure, density and viscosity have no influence on the result.

The main applications of the electromagnetic flowmeters can be found in the following sectors:

- Water and waste water
- Chemical and pharmaceutical industries
- Food and beverage industry
- Mining, aggregates and cements industries
- Pulp and paper industry
- Steel industry
- Power; utility and chilled water industry

The wide variety of combinations and versions from the modular system means that ideal adaptation is possible to each measuring task.

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Industry

Water / waste water	X	X	X	XXX	X	X					XX
Chemical	XXX	XXX	XXX	X	XX	XXX	XXX		XX		XX
Pharma	XX	XXX	XX	X	X	XX	XX	XXX	XXX		XX
Food & beverage	X			X	XX			XXX	X		XX
Mining, aggregates & cement	XXX			X	XX					XXX	XX
HPI	XX	XX	X	X	XX	XX	X				XX
Other	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX	XX		XXX	XX

Design

Compact	●	●		●	●	●		●	●	●	●
Remote	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Constant field (DC)	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Alternating field (AC)										●	

Nominal diameter

DN 2 (1/12")					●						
DN 3 (1/8")					●						
DN 6 (1/4")					●	●					
DN 10 (3/8")					●	●		●	●		
DN 15 (1/2")	●	●	●		●	●	●	●	●	●	
DN 20 (3/4")										●	
DN 25 (1")	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
DN 32 (1 1/4")								●	●	●	
DN 40 (1 1/2")	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
DN 50 (2")	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
DN 65 (2 1/2")	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
DN 80 (3")	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
DN 100 (4")	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
DN 125 (5")	●	●	●	●						●	●
DN 150 (6")	●	●	●	●						●	●
DN 200 (8")	●	●	●	●						●	●
DN 250 (10")	●	●	●	●						●	●
DN 300 (12")	●	●	●	●						●	●
DN 400 (16")	●	●		●						●	●
DN 450 (18")	●	●		●						●	●
DN 500 (20")	●	●		●						●	●
DN 600 (24")	●	●		●						●	●
DN 700 (28")	●	●		●							
DN 750 (30")	●	●		●							
DN 800 (32")	●	●		●							
DN 900 (36")	●	●		●							
DN 1000 (40")	●	●		●							
DN 1050 (42")	●	●		●							
DN 1100 (44")	●	●		●							
DN 1200 (48")	●	●		●							
DN 1400 (54")	●	●									
DN 1500 (60")	●	●									
DN 1600 (66")	●	●									
DN 1800 (72")	●	●									
DN 2000 (78")	●	●									

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Process connection

Wafer design					•	•	•					
Sanitary process connections								•	•			
Flanges	•	•	•	•						•	•	

Flange norms

EN 1092-1	•	•	•	•						•	•	
ANSI B 16.5 class 150	•	•	•	•						•	•	
ANSI B 16.5 class 300	•	•	•	•						•		
AWWA class D	•	•		•								
AS 2129	•	•	•									
AS 4087, PN 16	•	•	•	•								•
AS 4087, PN 21	•	•	•	•								
AS 4087, PN 35	•	•	•	•								
JIS 10K	3)									•		

Pressure rating ¹⁾

PN 6	•	•										
PN 10	•	•	•	•						•	•	
PN 16	•	•	•	•	•			•	•	•	•	
PN 25	•	•	•							•		
PN 40	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
PN 63	•	•										
PN 100	•	•										

Accuracy

0.2%												•
0.25%	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•			
0.4%												•
0.5%					•			•		•		

Grounding electrodes, incl. ²⁾

	•	•		•						(•)	•	
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Cable glands

PG 13.5										•		
M20	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
½" NPT	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•

Materials:

Liner material / max. temperatures

NBR Hard Rubber: 70 °C (158 °F)				•								
Neoprene: 70 °C (158 °F)	•	•								•		
EPDM: 70 °C (158 °F)	•	•		•						• ⁷⁾	•	
PTFE: 100 °C (212 °F)	•	•								•		
PTFE: 180 °C (356 °F)			• ⁶⁾							(•) ⁴⁾		
Ebonite: 95 °C (203 °F)	•	•										
Linatex: 70 °C (158 °F)	•	•										
Ceramic: 150 °C (302 °F)					•	• ⁵⁾		•	• ⁵⁾			
Ceramic: 200 °C (392 °F)							•					
PFA: 130 (150) °C (266 (302) °F)					•			•				
Novolak: 130 °C (266 °F)	•									•		

• = available

¹⁾ Pressure may be limited by the liner material chosen

²⁾ Not for PTFE liner and tantalum/platinum electrodes

³⁾ On request

⁴⁾ 150 °C (300 °F)

⁵⁾ Ex versions limited to 100 °C (212 °F)

⁶⁾ Also available in 130 °C (266 °F)

⁷⁾ 95 °C (203 °F)








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Materials (continued):

Electrodes

S/S AISI 316 Ti	•	•	•							•	
Hastelloy C	•	•	•	•	•			•		•	•
Platinum	•	•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	
Titanium	•	•	•							•	
Tantalum	•	•	•							•	
Monel										•	

Flange/housing material

Carbon steel	•	•	•	•						•	•
Stainless steel / carbon steel	•	•	•							•	
Polished stainless steel	•	•	•		•	•	•	•	•		

Approvals:

Custody transfer

Cold water - DANAK TS 22.36.001	•		•		•		•	•			
Cold water - OIML R 49				•							•
Cold water - PTB	•		•	•	•		•	•			•
Hot water - OIML R 75	•		•		•		•	•			
Hot water - PTB	•		•		•		•	•			
Other media than water - OIML R 117	•		•		•		•	•			
Other media than water - PTB	•		•		•		•	•			

Hazardous areas

ATEX - zone 1		•				•			•		
ATEX - zone 2 ¹⁾	•			•	•			•			
FM - class 1, div 2	•		•	•	•		•	•			
CSA - class 1, div 2	2)		2)								

Hygienic

3A								•	•		
EHDG								•	•		

Drinking water

WRAS (WRc) - (UK)	•			•							•
NSF - (US)	•			•							•
ACS (FR)	•			•							
Belgaque (B)	•			•							
KTW (D)	•			•							
DVGW-W270 (D)	•			•							

Other

GOSS / GOST (Russia)	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		
CRN (Canada)	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		•
Other national approvals, see internet	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•

MAGFLO Verificator compatible

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¹⁾ Compact MAG 6000 I

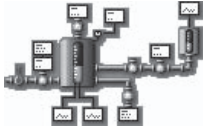
²⁾ On request







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Industry	MAG 5000	MAG 6000	MAG 6000 I	MAG 6000 I Ex d	MAG 6000 + Ex barriere	MAG 6000 + Cleaning unit	Transmag 2	MAG 8000
Water / waste water	XXX	XXX	XX	X		XX		XXX
Chemical	X	XX	XX	XXX	X			XXX
Pharma	X	XXX	XX	XXX	X			XXX
Food & beverage	XX	XXX	XX					XXX
Mining, aggregates & cement	XX	X	XX	X			XXX	XXX
HPI	X	X	X	XX				XXX
Other	XX	XX	XX	XX			X	X
Design								
Compact	•	•	•	•			•	•
Remote	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Constant field (DC)	•	•	•	•	•	•		•
Alternating field (AC)							•	
Enclosure transmitter								
Polyamide, IP67	•	•						
Die-cast aluminium			•	•			•	
Stainless steel		•						• ¹⁾
19" rack	•	•			•	•		
Back of panel	•	•			•	•		
Panel mounting	•	•			•	•		
IP67 wall mounting	•	•			•	•		
Accuracy								
0.2%								•
0.25%		•	•	•	•	•		
0.4%								•
0.5%	•						•	
Communication								
HART	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	
PROFIBUS PA		•	•	•	•	•	•	
PROFIBUS DP		•	•		•	•		
MODBUS RTU/RS 485		•	•		•	•		• ²⁾
Batching								
		•	•	•	•	•		
Electrode cleaning								
PG 13,5					•	•	•	
M20	•	•	• ⁴⁾	• ⁴⁾			•	•
½" NPT	•	•	•	•			•	
Supply voltage								
24 V	• ³⁾	• ³⁾	•	•		• ³⁾		• ³⁾⁵⁾
115 V - 230 V	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	• ⁵⁾
Battery								•

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¹⁾ IP68 for MAG 8000 enclosure

²⁾ Modbus RTU also as serial RS232

³⁾ 12/24 V AC/DC

⁴⁾ M25

⁵⁾ Main power with battery backup

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Other media than water - OIML R 117	•	•					
Other media than water - PTB	•	•					

Hazardous areas

ATEX - zone 1				•	(•)		
ATEX - zone 2			• ¹⁾				
FM - class 1, div 2	•	•	•				
UL / cUL - general safety	•	•			•	•	
Other							
C - tick (Australia)	•	•			•	•	
GOSS / GOST (Russia)	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Other national approvals, see internet							
MAGFLO Verificator compatible	•	•	pending				

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¹⁾ Compact version only

Practical examples of ordering

SITRANS F M compact installation



Example

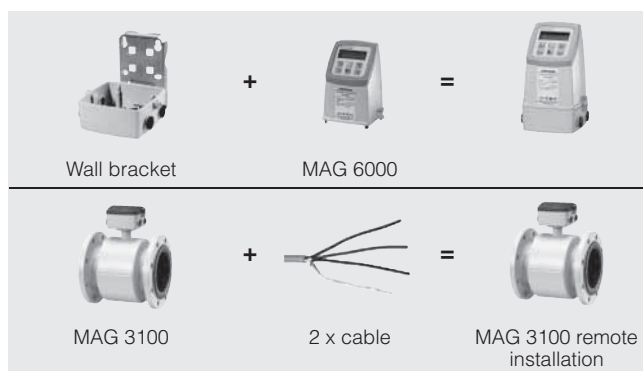
Sensor	7ME6310-3TC11-1AA1
Pipe size	DN 100
Liner	Neoprene
Electrodes	SS 316
Flanges	EN 1092-1, PN 16
Transmitter	7ME6920-1AA10-0AA0
Accuracy	0.25%
Supply	230 V AC

Note:

Transmitter and sensor are shipped in separate boxes. In order to get a compact unit, it is necessary to order transmitter and sensor separately. These will be delivered individually packed and the final assembly takes place during installation at the customer's place.

Please also see www.siemens.com/SITRANSFordering for practical examples of ordering

SITRANS F M remote installation



Example

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Pipe size	DN 100
Liner	Neoprene
Electrodes	SS 316
Flanges	EN 1092-1, PN 16
Transmitter	7ME6920-1AA10-0AA0
Accuracy	0.25%
Supply	230 V AC
Wall mounting kit	FDK-085U1018
Cable coils, 10 m	FDK-083F0121
Cable electrodes, 10 m	FDK-083F0121

Function

All electromagnetic flowmeters are based on Faraday's law of induction:

$$U_M = B \cdot v \cdot d \cdot k$$

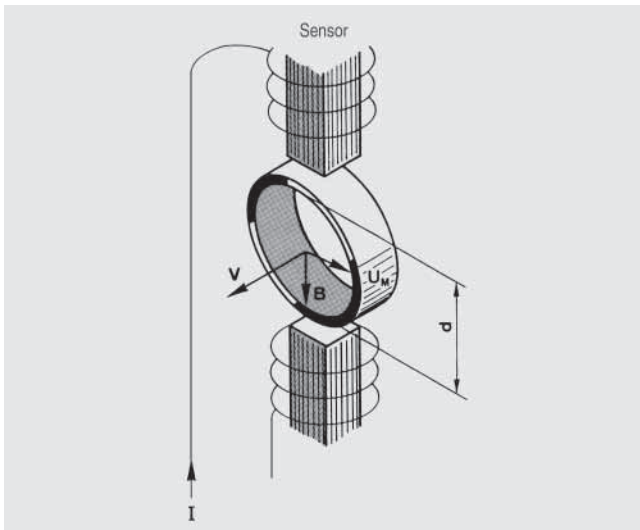
U_M = Measured voltage induced in the medium perpendicular to the magnetic field and the flow direction. The voltage is tapped at two point electrodes.

B = Magnetic flux density which permeates the flowing medium perpendicular to the flow direction.

v = flow velocity of medium

d = internal diameter of metering tube

k = proportionality factor or sensor constant



Function and measuring principle of electromagnetic measurement

An electromagnetic flowmeter generally consists of a magnetically non-conducting metering tube with an internal electrically non-conducting surface, magnet coils connected in series and mounted diametrically on the tube, and at least two electrodes which are inserted through the pipe wall and are in contact with the measured medium. The magnet field coils through which the current passes generate a pulsed electromagnetic field with the magnetic flux density B perpendicular to the pipe axis.

This magnetic field penetrates the magnetically non-conducting metering tube and the medium flowing through it, which must have a minimum electrical conductivity.

According to Faraday's law of induction, a voltage U_M is generated in an electrically conducting medium, and is proportional to the flow velocity v of the medium, the magnetic flux density B , and the distance between the electrodes d (internal diameter of pipe).

The signal voltage U_M is tapped by the electrodes which are in contact with the medium, and passed through the insulating pipe wall. The signal voltage U_M which is proportional to the flow velocity is converted by an associated transmitter into appropriate standard signals such as 4 to 20 mA.

MAGFLO diagnostics

The diagnostic functions are all internal tools in the meter:

- Identification in clear text and error log
- Error categories: function; warning; permanent and fatal errors
- Transmitter self-check including all outputs and the accuracy
- Sensor check: coil and electrode circuit test
- Overflow
- Empty pipe: partial filling; low conductivity; electrode fouling

MAGFLO Verificator

The MAGFLO Verificator is an external tool designed for all MAGFLO products to verify the entire product, the installation and the application.

The goal is to improve the operation, reduce downtime and maintain measurement accuracy as long as possible.

Thus we have developed the SIEMENS MAGFLO Verificator a highly advanced instrument to carry out the complex verification and performance check of the entire flowmeter system, according to unique SIEMENS patented principles. The whole verification test is automated and easy to operate so there is no opportunity for human error or influence. The system is traceable to international standards and tested by WRc (Water Research Council).



MAGFLO Verificator

The MAGFLO Verificator consists of:

- a stand alone Verificator to measure a number of selected parameters in the flow sensor and a transmitter which affects the integrity of the flow measurement
- a Windows based PC programme enabling printing and management of verification reports.

Verification - Steps

Verification of a SITRANS F M MAGFLO flowmeter consists of the following test routines

1. Transmitter test
2. Flowmeter and cable insulation test
3. Sensor magnetism test

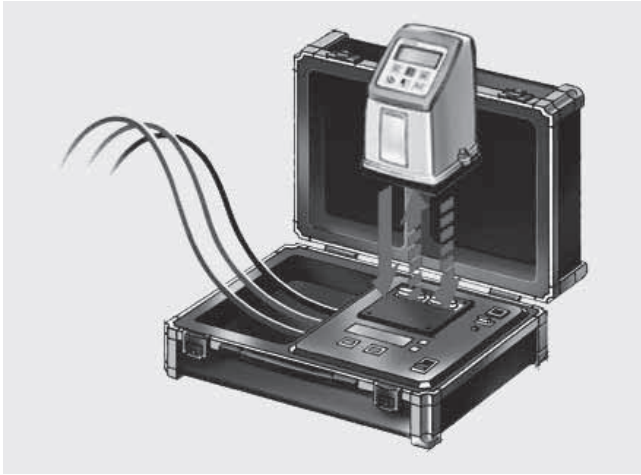
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1. Transmitter test

The transmitter test is the traditional way of on-site testing on the market and checks the complete electronic system from signal input to output.

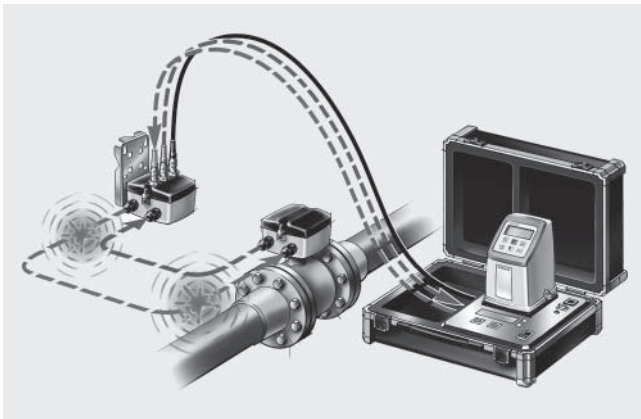


Transmitter test

Using the excitation power output, which is generated to drive the magnetic field of the sensor, the verifier simulates flow signal to the transmitter input. By measuring the transmitter outputs the verifier calculates its accuracy against defined values. Test includes:

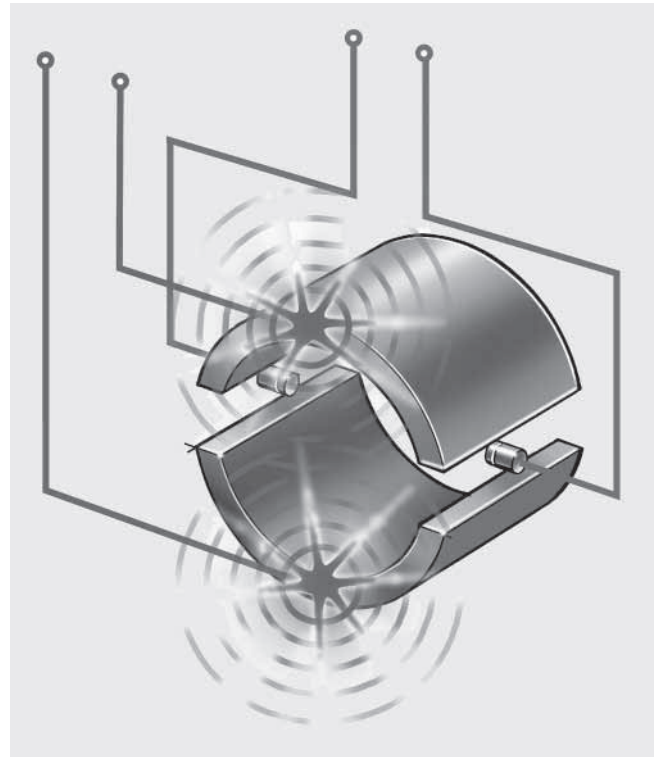
- excitation power to drive the magnetic field
- signal function from signal input to output
- signal processing – gain, offset and linearity
- test of analogue and frequency output

2. Insulation test

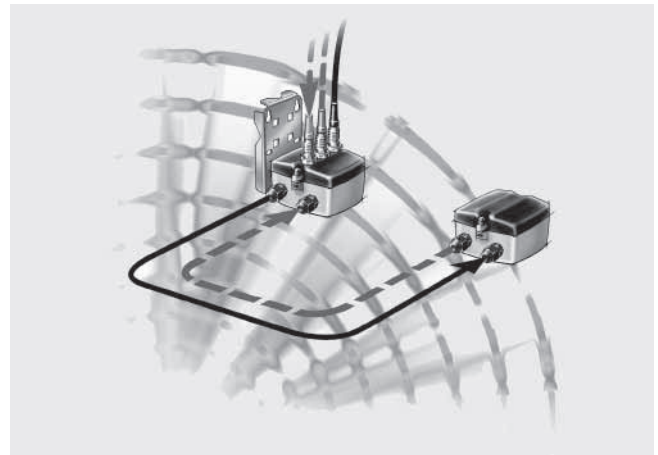


Flowmeter insulation test

The verification test of the flowmeter insulation is a "cross-talk" test of the entire flowmeter which ensures that the flow signal generated in the sensor is not affected by any external influences.



Signal disturbance coil

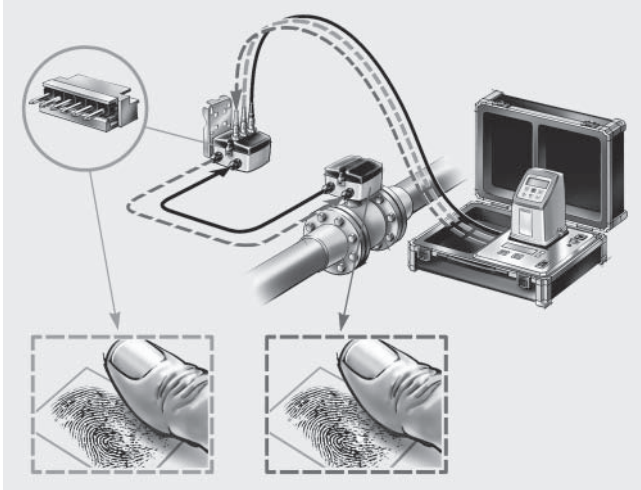


Signal disturbance outside

In the "cross-talk" test the verifier generates a high voltage disturbance within the coil circuit and then looks for any "crosstalk" induced in the flow signal circuit. By generating dynamic disturbances close-coupled to the flow signal, the flowmeter is tested for noise immunity to a maximum level:

- EMC influence on the flow signal
- Moisture in sensor, connection and terminal box
- Non-conductive deposit coating the electrodes within the sensor
- Missing or poor grounding, shielding and cable connection.

3. Sensor magnetism test



Sensor magnetism test

The verification of the sensor magnetism is a "boost" test of the magnetic field coil. The test ensures that the magnetism behaviour is like the first time, by comparing the current sensor magnetism with the "fingerprint" which was determined during initial calibration and stored in the SENSORPROM memory unit.

In the "Boost" test the verifier changes the magnetic field in certain pattern and with high voltage to get quick stable magnetic condition. This unique test is fulfilled without any interference or compensation of surrounding temperature or interconnecting cabling.

- Changes in dynamic magnetic behaviour
- Magnetic influence inside and outside the sensor
- Missing or poor coil wire and cable connection

Certificate

The test certificate generated by a PC contains:

- Test result with passed or failed
- Installation specification
- Flowmeter specification and configuration
- Vericator specification with date of calibration ensuring traceability to international standards.

SIEMENS MAGFLO® Verification Certificate									
Customer:					MAGFLO® Identification:				
Name _____					TAG No./Name 0				
Address _____					Sensor Code No. 083G4054				
Phone _____					Sensor Serial No. 089904T361				
Email _____					Transmitter Code No. 083F5003				
					Transmitter Serial No. 867022N520				
					Location _____				
Results:									
Verification file name or No. _____ File #1 _____									
Transmitter _____ Passed _____									
Sensor _____ Passed _____									
Insulation _____ Passed _____									
Magnetic Circuit _____ Passed _____									
Velocity			Current Output			Frequency Output			
Theoretical	Theoretical	Actual	Deviation	Theoretical	Actual	Deviation	Theoretical	Actual	Deviation
0.5m/s	4.800mA	4.801mA	0.08%	0.500kHz	0.500kHz	-0.01%	1.000kHz	1.000kHz	0.01%
1.0m/s	5.600mA	5.600mA	-0.02%	3.000kHz	3.000kHz	0.01%	3.000kHz	3.000kHz	0.01%
3.0m/s	8.800mA	8.796mA	-0.09%	Current Output 4-20mA			Frequency Output 0-10kHz		
Transmitter Settings:					Sensor Details:				
Basic Qmax 50.0000 m³/h					Size DN 80 3 IN				
Flow Direction Positiv					Cal. Factor 1.0				
Low flow Cut-off 1.50%					Correction Factor 1.0				
Empty Pipe OFF					Excitation Freq. 6.25Hz				
Output Current Output OFF					Vericator Details (083F5060)				
Time Constant N/A					Serial No. 017807N242				
Relay Output N/A					Device No. 83492				
Error Level _____					Software Version 1.40				
Digital Output Pulse					PC-Software Version 5.00				
Frequency Range N/A					Cal. date 2006.01.01				
Time Constant N/A					ReCal. date 2006.01.01				
Volume/pulse 1.0m³/p									
Pulse width N/A									
Pulse polarity N/A									
Totalizer 1 value before test 0.00000 m³									
Totalizer 1 value after test 0.56992 m³									
Totalizer 2 value before test 0.00000 m³									
Totalizer 2 value after test 0.56992 m³									
Operating time in days 3									
Comments									
These tests verify that the flowmeter is functioning within 2% deviation of the original test parameters. Verification is traceable to National and International Standards.									
Date and signature _____									
2006.01.01									

Description	Order No.	Symbol
MAGFLO Vericator		
• 24 V, 115 ... 230 V, 50 Hz	FDK-083F5060	
• 24 V, 115 ... 230 V, 60 Hz	FDK-083F5061	

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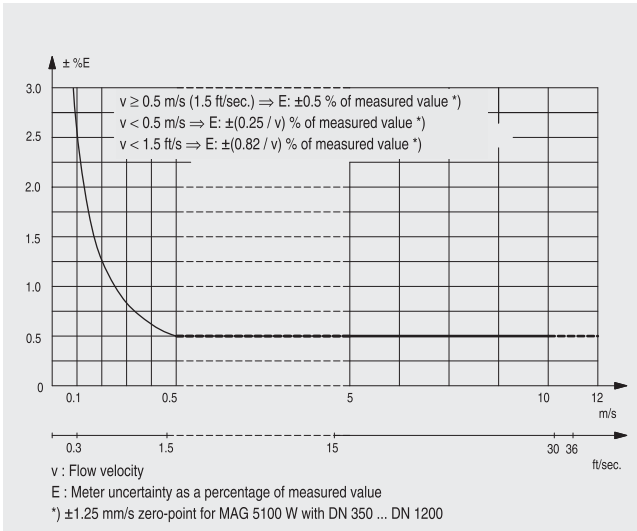
Technical specifications

Flowmeter uncertainty

To ensure continuous accurate measurement, flowmeters must be calibrated. The calibration is conducted at SIEMENS flow facilities accredited according to ISO/IEC 17025 by DANAK or UKAS.

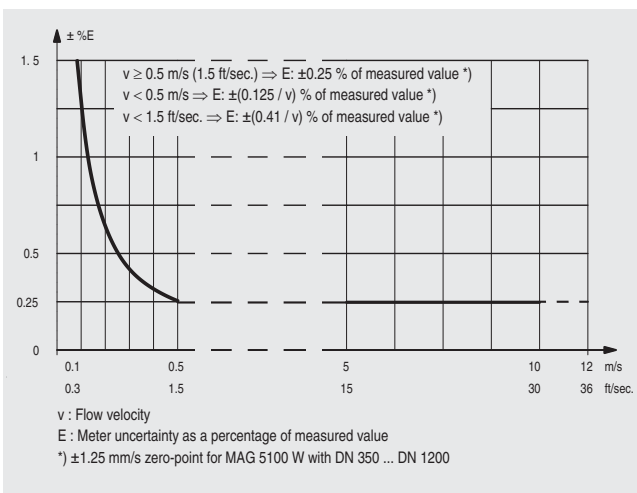
The accreditation bodies DANAK and UKAS have signed the ILAC MRA agreement (International Laboratory Accreditation Corporation - Mutual Recognition Arrangement). Therefore the accreditation ensures international traceability and recognition of the test results in 39 countries world wide, including the US (NIST traceability).

A calibration certificate is shipped with every sensor and calibration data are stored in the SENSORPROM memory unit.



Flowmeter uncertainty:

- MAG 5000,
- MAG 6000 or MAG 6000 I used with MAG 1100 PFA



Flowmeter uncertainty:

- MAG 6000 or MAG 6000 I used with MAG 3100, MAG 1100 (Ceramic) or MAG 5100 W

Reference conditions

Reference conditions (ISO 9104 and DIN EN 29104)

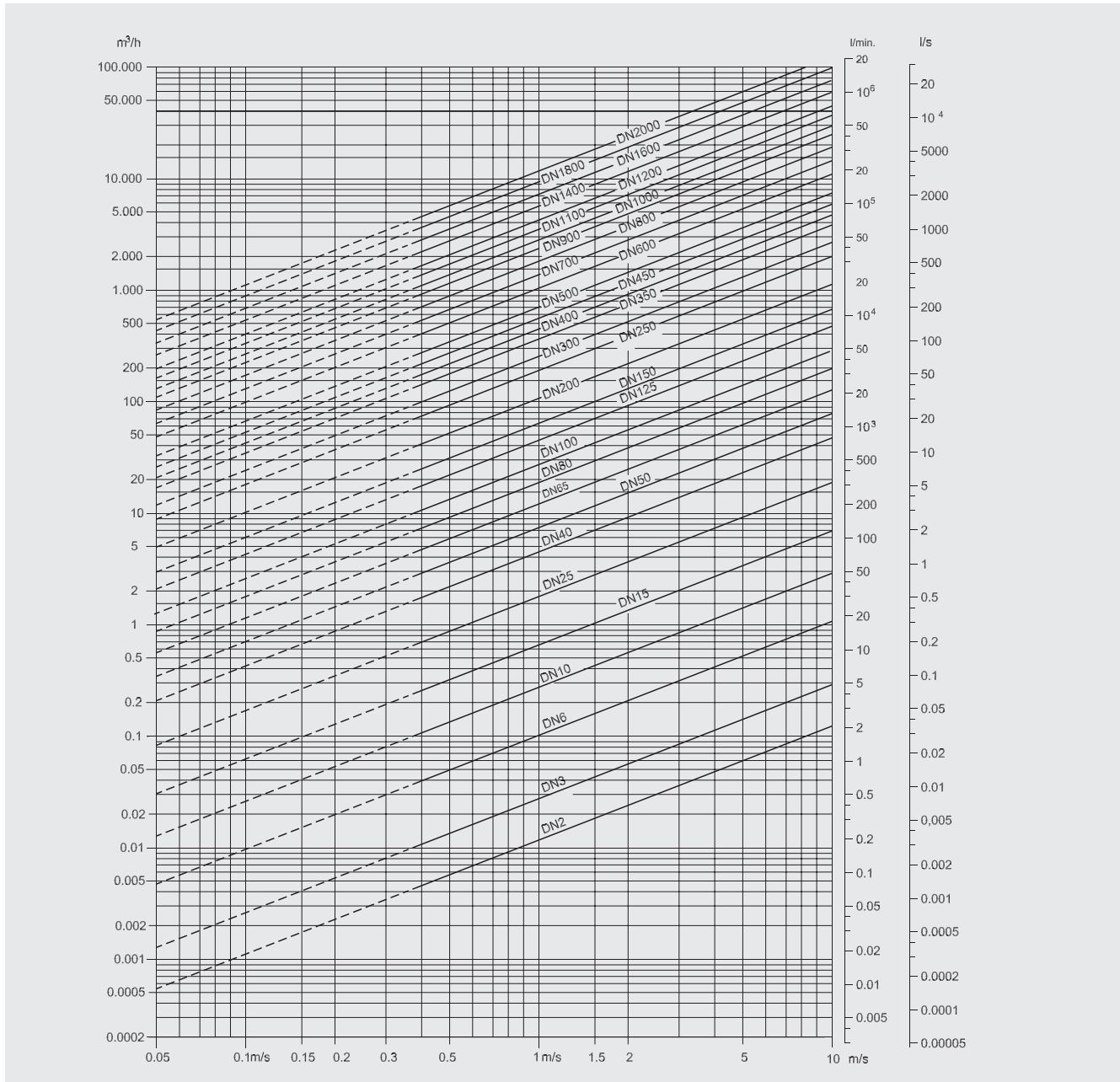
Temperature medium	20 °C ± 5 K (68 °F ± 9 °F)
Temperature ambient	20 °C ± 5 K (68 °F ± 9 °F)
Supply voltage	$U_n \pm 1\%$
Warming-up time	30 minutes
Incorporation in conductive pipe section	
• Inlet section	10 x DN (DN ≤ 1200/48") 5 x DN (DN > 1200/48")
• Outlet section	5 x DN (DN ≤ 1200/48") 3 x DN (DN > 1200/48")
Flow conditions	Fully developed flow profile

Additions in the event of deviations from reference conditions

Current output	As pulse output (± 0.1 % of actual flow + 0.05 % FSO)
Effect of ambient temperature	
• Display / frequency / pulse output	< ±0.003% / K act.
• Current output	< ±0.005% / K act.
Effect of supply voltage	< 0.005% of measuring value on 1% change
Repeatability	± 0.1% of actual flow for $v \geq 0.5$ m/s (1.5 ft/s) and conductivity > 10 μ S/cm

Selection of sensor

Metric



Sizing table (DN 2 ... DN 2000)

The table shows the relationship between flow velocity v , flow quantity Q and sensor dimension DN .

Guidelines for selection of sensor

Min. measuring range: 0 ... 0.25 m/s

Max. measuring range: 0 ... 10 m/s

Normally the sensor is selected, that the nominal flow velocity v lies within the measuring range 1 ... 3 m/s.

Flow velocity calculation formula Units

$$v = 1273.24 \cdot Q / DN^2 \text{ or}$$

$$v : [\text{m/s}], Q : [\text{l/s}], DN : [\text{mm}]$$

$$v = 353.68 \cdot Q / DN^2$$

$$v : [\text{m/s}], Q : [\text{m}^3/\text{h}], DN : [\text{mm}]$$

Link to „Sizing program“: www.siemens.com/flow-product sizing

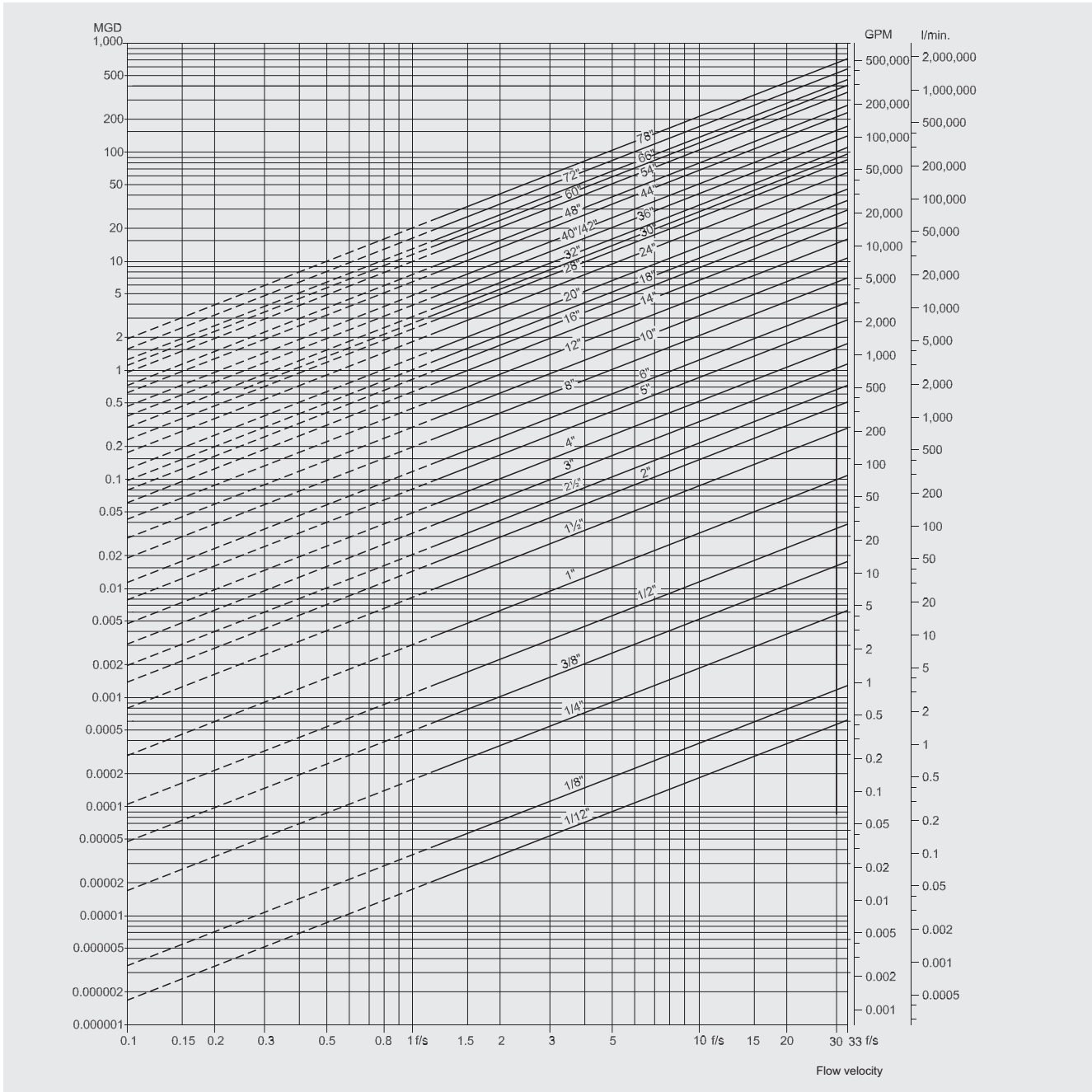
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Sizing table (1/12" ... 78")

The table shows the relationship between flow velocity v, flow quantity Q and sensor dimension size.

Guidelines for selection of sensor

Min. measuring range: 0 ... 0.8 ft/s

Max. measuring range: 0 ... 33 ft/s

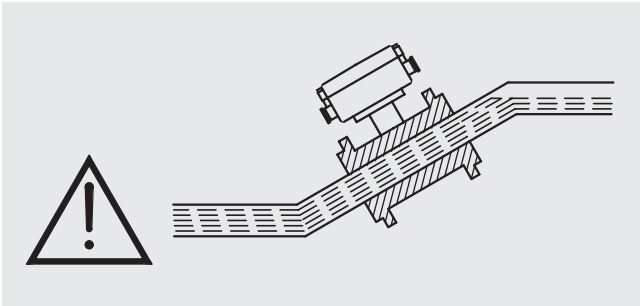
Normally the sensor is selected, that the nominal flow velocity v lies within the measuring range 3 ... 10 ft/s.

Flow velocity calculation formula	Units
$v = 0.408 \cdot Q / (\text{Pipe I.D.})^2$ or	v : [ft/s], Q : [GPM], Pipe I.D. : [inch]
$v = 283.67 \cdot Q / (\text{Pipe I.D.})^2$	v : [ft/s], Q : [GPM], Pipe I.D. : [inch]

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Installation conditions

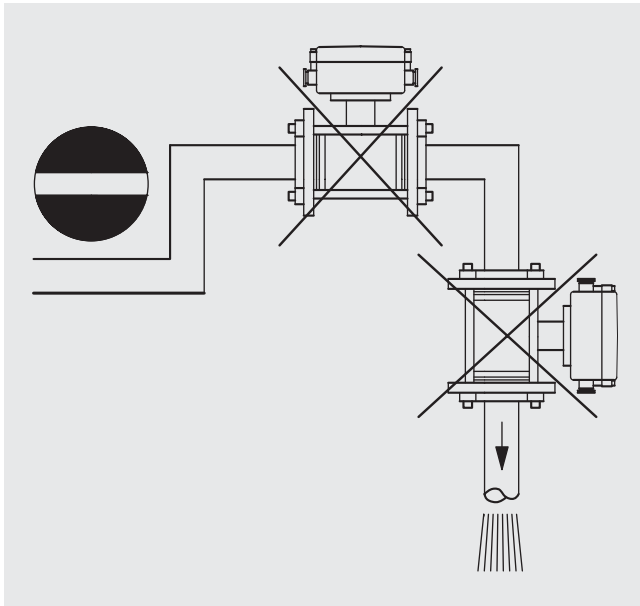
The sensor must always be completely filled with liquid.



Install in pipelines which are always full

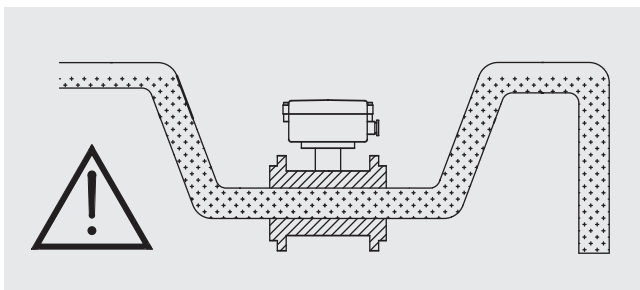
The sensor must always be completely filled with liquid. Therefore avoid:

- Installation at the highest point in the pipe system
- Installation in vertical pipes with free outlet



Do not install in pipelines which can run empty

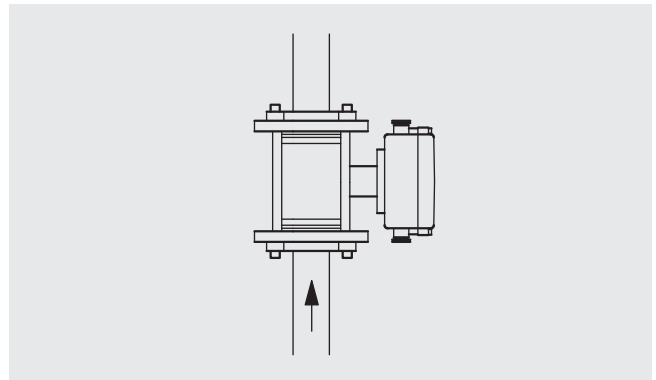
For partially filled pipes or pipes with downward flow and free outlet the flowmeter should be located in a U-Tube.



Install in U-tubes when pipe is partially filled

Installation in vertical pipes

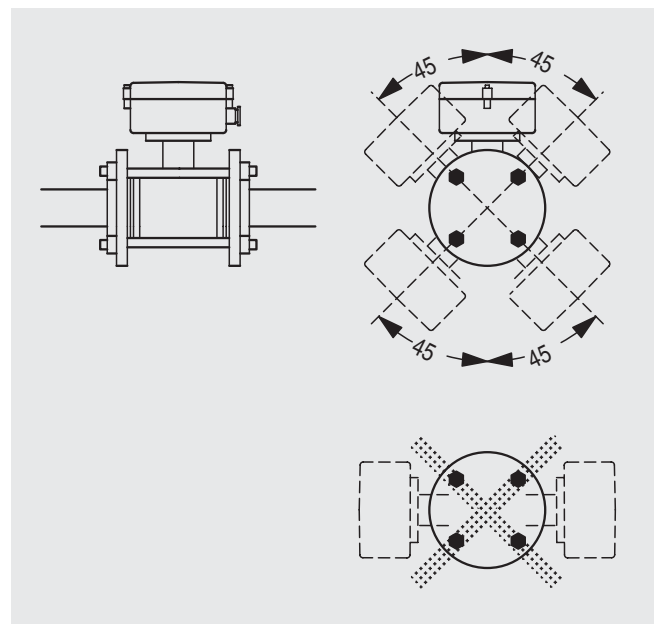
Recommended flow direction: upwards. This minimizes the effect on the measurement of any gas/air bubbles in the liquid.



Install in vertical pipes with upward flow direction

Installation in horizontal pipes

The sensor must be mounted as shown in the below figure. Do not mount the sensor as shown in the lower figure. This will position the electrodes at the top where there is possibility for air bubbles and at the bottom where there is possibility for mud, sludge, sand etc.



If using empty pipe detection, the sensor can be tilted 45°.

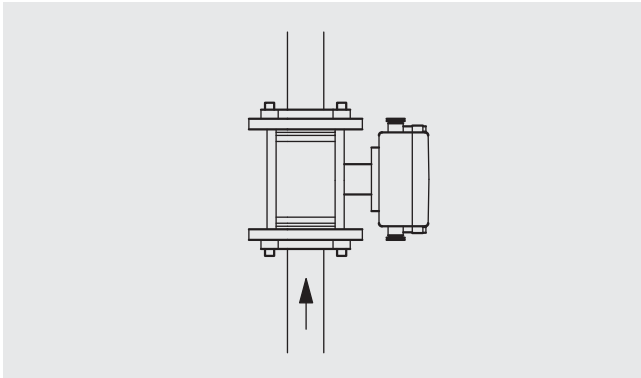
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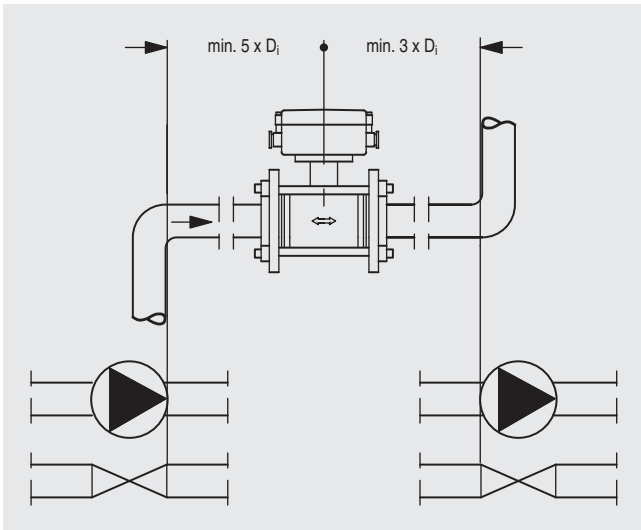
Measuring abrasive liquids and liquids containing particles

Recommended installation is in a vertical/inclined pipe to minimize the wear and deposits in the sensor.



Install in vertical pipelines with upward flow direction if measuring abrasive liquids

Inlet and outlet conditions

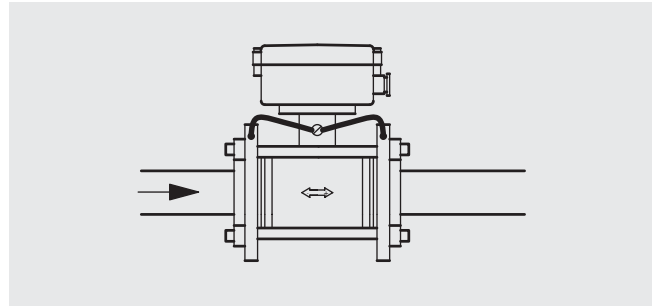


Installation between elbows, pumps and valves: standard inlet and outlet pipe sections

To achieve maximum accurate flow measurement it is essential to have straight length of inlet and outlet pipes and a certain distance between the flowmeter and pumps or valves.

It is also important to center the flowmeter in relation to pipe flange and gaskets.

Potential equalization

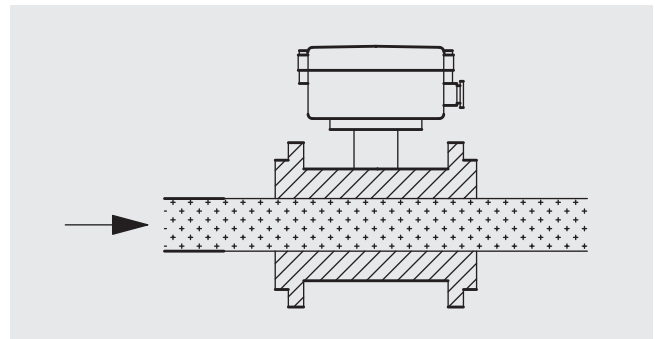


Potential equalization

The electrical potential of the liquid must always be equal to the electrical potential of the sensor. This can be achieved in different ways depending on the application:

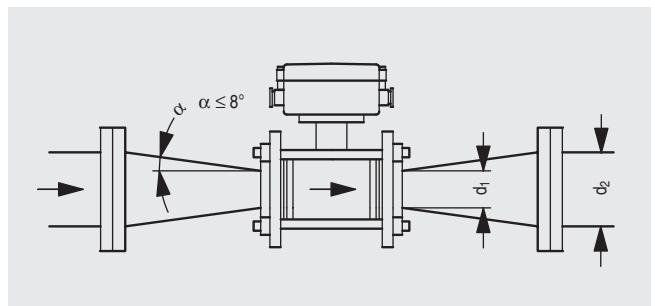
- Wire jumper between sensor and adjacent flange (MAG 1100, MAG 3100)
- Direct metallic contact between sensor and fittings (MAG 1100 Food)
- Build-in grounding electrodes (MAG 3100, MAG 3100 W, MAG 5100 W)
- Optional grounding/protection flanges/rings (MAG 1100, MAG 3100)
- Optional graphite gaskets on MAG 1100 (standard for MAG 1100 High Temperature)

Vacuum



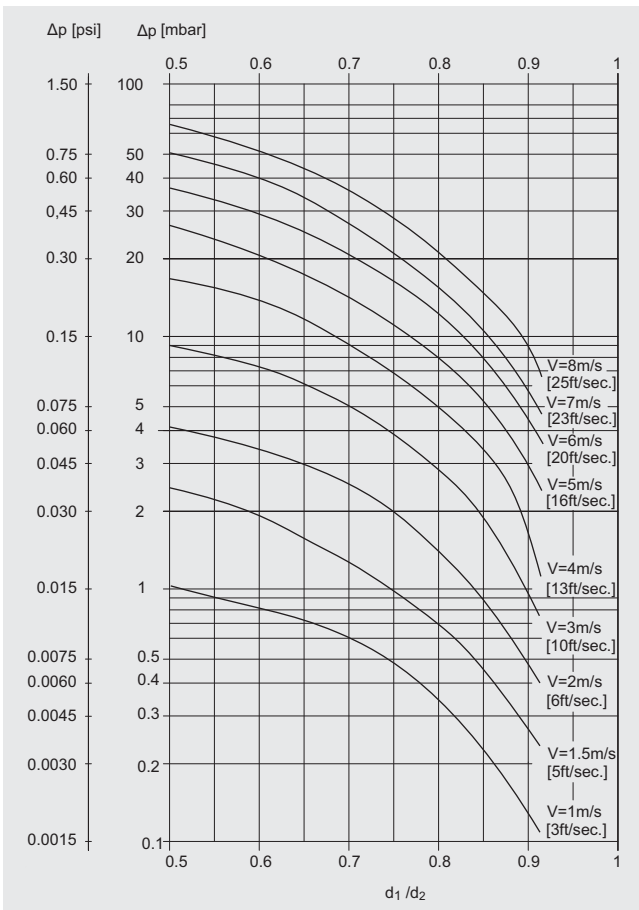
Avoid a vacuum in the measuring pipe, since this can damage certain liners.

Installation in large pipes



Reduction in nominal pipe diameter

The flowmeter can be installed between two reducers (e.g. DIN 28545). Assuming that at 8° the following pressure drop curve applies. The curves are applicable to water.

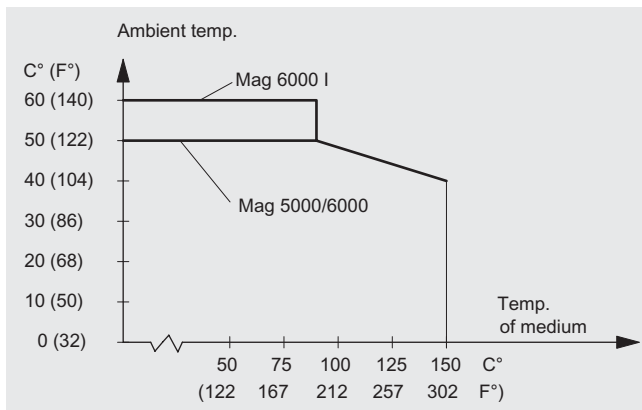


Pressure drop as function of diameter reduction between reducers

Example:

Flow velocity (v) of 3 m/s (10 ft/s) in a sensor with a diameter reduction DN 100 (4") to DN 80 (3") ($d_1/d_2 = 0.8$) gives a pressure drop of 2.9 mbar (0.04 psi).

Ambient temperature



Max. ambient temperature as a function of temperature of medium

The transmitter can be installed either compact or remote.

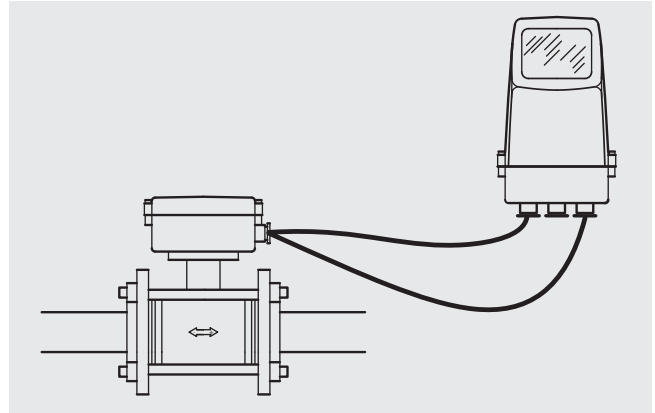
With compact installation the temperature of medium must be according to the graph.

Sensor cables and conductivity of medium

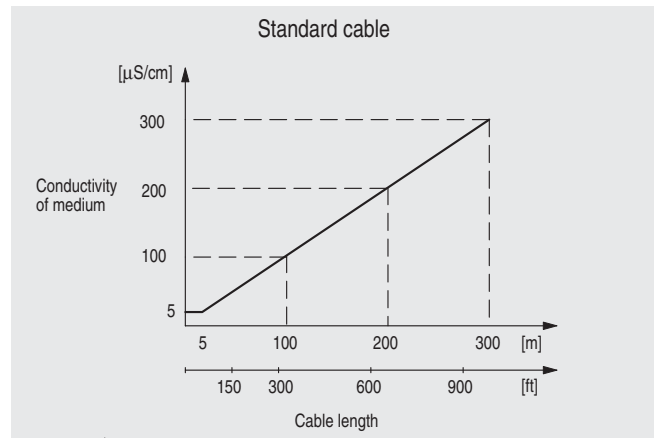
Compact installation:

Liquids with an electrical conductivity $\geq 5 \mu\text{S/cm}$.

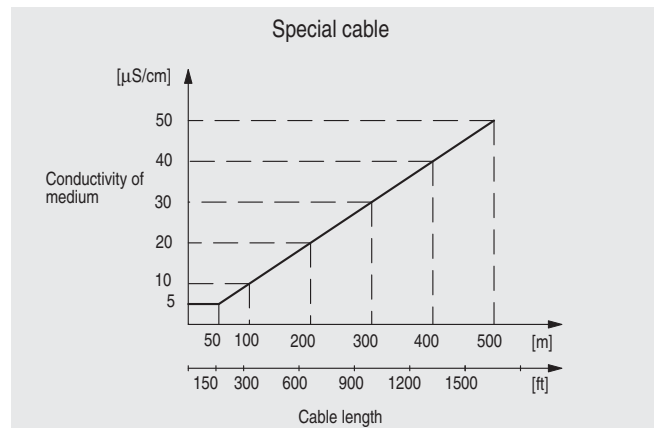
Remote installation:



Remote installation



Conductivity of medium (using standard electrode cable)



Conductivity of medium (using special electrode cable)

Note

For detection of empty sensor the minimum sensor conductivity must always be $\geq 20 \mu\text{S/cm}$ and the maximum length of electrode cable when remotely mounted is 50 m (150 ft). Special shield cable must be used.

For **DN 2, DN 3** and for remote mounting in Ex applications special cable cannot be used, empty sensor cannot be detected and the conductivity must be $\geq 30 \mu\text{S/cm}$. For remotely mounted CT installations the maximum cable length is 200 m (600 ft).

For Ex installations with safety barriers, 25 m (75 ft) of cable can be used in order to obtain $\pm 0,25\%$, and 50 m (150 ft) to obtain $\pm 0.5\%$.