

Flow Meters and Switches for very Low Flows

KDF for liquids · KDG for gases



measuring

monitoring

analysing

KDF/KDG





Flow rates: water 0.25 - 2.5 ... 16 - 160 I/h air 0,5 - 5 ... 500 - 5000 NI/h

• Accuracy: $\pm 2.5 \% q_G = 50 \%$

• p_{max}: PN 16; t_{max}: 100 °C

 Connection: ¼" NPT female or G¼ female

Material: stainless steel



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Method of Operation

The flow meters and switches for very low flows model KDF and KDG for liquids and air operate on the suspended float principle: that is, the installation position is vertical and the direction of flow is from bottom to top.

The instruments have been designed as simple and thus economical measuring systems. The float is a ball, whereby the indication point is the upper edge of the ball. A needle valve is fitted as standard.

Areas of Application

KDF- and KDG-versions

KDF-... for liquids KDG-... for gases

Technical Details

Installation position: vertical, flow from bottom

Accuracy: $\pm 2.5\% \, q_G \, 50$

±3% of full scale

(upstream pressure controller) ±5% of full scale (downstream

pressure controller)

(within 10-100% of measuring range) acc. VDE/VDI 3515 page 2

Max. pressure: PN16

Process temperature: -20 °C ... +100 °C

-20°C ... +70°C with contact

Ambient temperature: -20 °C ... +100 °C

-20°C ... +70°C with contact

Protection type: IP 65 (EN60529)
Repeatability: ±1,0% FS

(Differential pressure

regulator): ±1,5%/2,5% FS

Connection: ¼" NPT; G ¼ (female backward)
Option: hose nozzle for 8 mm hose

Weight: approx. 0.45 kg

approx. 0.8 kg with controller

Materials (in contact with the media)

Fitting: stainless steel 1.4401

Measuring tube: borosilicate glass

Float stop: Hostaflon ET

Float: stainless steel 1.4404
Gasket: FPM, option FFKM
Valve stem: stainless steel 1.4404
Valve seat: PTFE 25% C (carbon fibre)

Hose nozzle: Polyamide

ATEX approval

(on request from our sister company Heinrichs, Model: K12)

Explosion protection: (Ex) II 2GD IIC TX (for mech.

instrument)

Contacts ignition

category: PTB 00 ATEX 2128 X

II 2G Ex ia IIC T6-T4 (c/w limit switches)

Limit switches (Option)

The flow meters can be fitted with limit switches as an option. These limit switches are ring-type proximity switches. The electrical connection is via a 2 m cable or junction box.

The electrical characteristic values for all types are according to DIN 19234 (NAMUR).

Isolation switching amplifiers are necessary to operate these ring-type proximity switches (see Accessories brochure).

The following types are available:

Monostable

Are used preferably as Min. or Max. contact.

Bistable

As limit contact used at any position of the measuring tube.

Important! The contact cannot be switched at the relative upper range value from product size KDF-2239 and KDG-2257 upward.

Differential pressure controllers (Option)

Differential pressure controllers are suitable for maintaining a constant flow rate of liquid and gaseous products in pipelines. The differential pressure controller consists of stainless steel with an integrated membrane made of FPM or PTFE and a counterbalance valve of stainless steel.

The membrane of the controller is in balanced condition when the pressure conditions on both sides are equal. The pressure on the incoming side is determined by the medium pressure. The pressure on the output side is determined by the pressure loss of the adjustment valve at the flow meter.

During a one-sided pressure change on the incoming or output side, a pressure compensation takes place across the integrated diaphragm valve which holds the setted flow rate constant.

The version to use for gases for constant upstream pressure is "valve up" and for constant downstream pressure "valve down".

For liquids the valve position is without effect on the function of measuring device.

Important! The controller can only regulate the pressure fluctuations of inlet or outlet.

The pressure condition of the other side has to be stable. Min.- pressure difference between inlet and outlet side: 350 mbar.

Max.- load of membrane at one-side load: 7 bar

Two types are available:

Upstream pressure controller (KDF-/KDG- ...E, F)

Upstream pressure controllers hold the flow for gases and liquids constant with variable upstream pressure and constant downstream pressure.

Downstream pressure controller (KDF-/KDG-...A, B)

Downstream pressure controllers hold the flow of gaseous media and liquids constant with variable downstream pressure and constant upstream pressure. Preferably, these should be used for liquids.

Flow Meters and Switches for very Low Flows Model KDF/KDG



Standard with needle valve



Panel mount



with differential pressure controller



Liquids Order Details (Example: KDF-2217 NV 0 M10)

Measuring range water [I/h]	Valve seat [mm]	Pressure Drop [mbar]	Order no. stainless steel	Connection	Gasket option	Panel installation kit	Contact option	Miscellaneous options
0.25 - 2.5	1.2	10	KDF-2217	connector straight, for 8 mm hose Y = special	V = FPM T = FFKM	0 = without $S^{4/9} = \text{with}$	00 = without contact upto model KDF-2220	0 = without E = differential pres. contr. with constant outlet pressure, valve at input ¼" NPT, FPM A = differential pres. contr. with constant inlet pressure, valve at output ¼" NPT, FPM F = as 'E' however with FFKM instead of FPM B = as 'A' however with FFKM instead of FPM Y = e. g. without valve. Please specify in writing
0.5 - 5	1.2	20	KDF-2220				with 2 m cable M1 = 1 monostable contact M2 = 2 monostab. contacts	
1.2 - 12	2.8	10	KDF-2225				N1 = 1 bistable contact N2 = 2 bistable contacts	
2.5 - 25	2.8	20	KDF-2228				AT = 1 monostable contact A2 = 2 monostable contacts B1 = 1 bistable contact B2 = 2 bistable contacts from model KDF-2225 mit 2 m Kabel M3 = 1 monostable contact M4 = 2 monostable contact N4 = 2 bistable contact N4 = 2 bistable contact	
4 - 40	2.8	30	KDF-2230					
6 - 60	2.8	80	KDF-2235					
10 - 100	2.8	125	KDF-2239 ¹⁾					
12 - 120	3.4	200	KDF-2240 ¹⁾					
16 - 160	3.4	200	KDF-2241 ¹⁾					
other liquids	on request	on request	KDF-22YY					

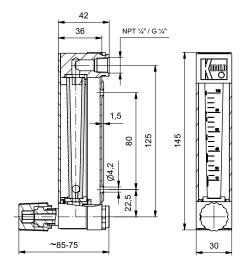
Gases Order Details (Example: KDG-2207 NV 0 M10)

Measuring range air ²⁾ [NI/h]	Valve seat [mm]	Pressure Drop [mbar]	Order no. stainless steel	Connection	Gasket option	Panel installation kit	Contact option	Miscellaneous options
0.5 - 5	1,2	15	KDG-2207			0 = without $S^{4 5 } = \text{with}$	00 = without contact	
0.8 - 8	1,2	15	KDG-2209				upto model KDG-2224	0 = without
1.6 - 16	1,2	15	KDG-2213				with 2 m cable	E = differential pres. contr. with constant outlet pressure, valve at input ¼" NPT, FPM A = differential pres. contr. with constant inlet pressure, valve at output ¼" NPT FPM F = as 'E' however with FFKM instead of FPM B = as 'A' however with FFKM instead of FPM
4 - 40	1,2	20	KDG-2221				M1 = 1 monostable contact M2 = 2 monostab. contacts	
6 - 60	1,2	25	KDG-2224				N1 = 1 bistable contact	
10 - 100	2,8	15	KDG-2229	N = 1/4 NPT			N2 = 2 bistable contacts	
25 - 250	2,8	15	1/50 0000	$R^{4)} = G \frac{1}{4}$			with junction box ³⁾ A1 = 1 monostable contact A2 = 2 monostab. contacts B1 = 1 bistable contact B2 = 2 bistable contacts	
50 - 500	2,8	15	KDG-2237	W =hose				
80 - 800	2,8	20	KDG-2242	connector				
100 - 1000	2,8	25	KDG-2246	angular, 90°,				
180 - 1800	2,8	80	KDG-2251	for 8 mm hose S = hose				
240 - 2400	2,8	125	KDG-2257 ¹⁾	connector			M3 = 1 monostable contact M4 = 2 monostabl. contacts N3 = 1 bistable contact N4 = 2 bistable contact	
300 - 3000	2,8	150	KDG-2261 ¹⁾	straight, for				
400 - 4000	3,4	200	KDG-2264 ¹⁾	8 mm hose				
500 - 5000	3,4	200	KDG-22681)	Y = special				
other gase	on request	on request	KDG-22YY]				
The limit switch is only available as a min. contact. At 1.2 bar absolute and 20 °C Not with panel installation kit Not with differential pressure controler Not with junction box							mit with junction box³) A3 = 1 monostable contact A4 = 2 monostab. contacts B3 = 1 bistable contact B4 = 2 bistable contacts	Y = e. g. without valve. Please specify in writing

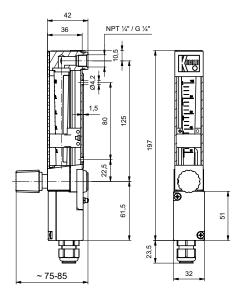


Dimensions [mm]

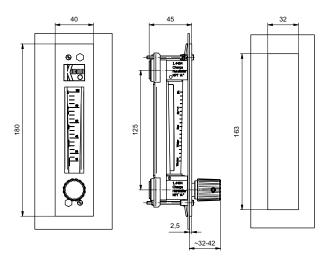
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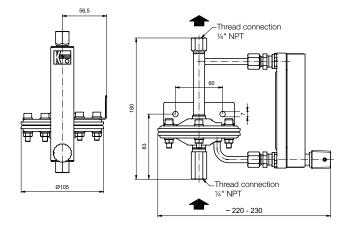
with contacts and junction box



with panel installation kit



with differential pressure controller with constant outlet pressure



with differential pressure controller with constant inlet pressure

