

# TIDALFLUX 2300 F Handbook

Electromagnetic flow sensor for partially filled pipes

The documentation is only complete when used in combination with the relevant documentation for the signal converter.





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#### 1.1 Intended use

The TIDALFLUX 2300 F is especially designed for measuring the flow of conductive fluids, in partially filled pipes. It can only be combined with the IFC 300 PF electromagnetic flow converter.

# 1.2 Safety instructions from the manufacturer

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#### 1.2.3 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 and 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.

### 1.2.4 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 underneath icons.

### 1.2.5 Warnings and symbols used

Safety warnings are indicated by the following symbols.



#### DANGER!

This information 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.

# 1.3 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

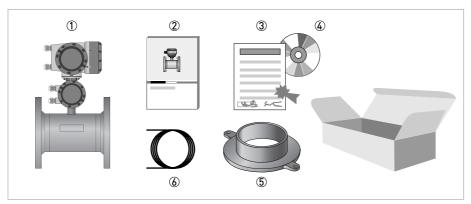


Figure 2-1: Scope of delivery

- ① Ordered flowmeter
- 2 Product documentation
- 3 Factory calibration report
- 4 CD-ROM with product documentation
- ⑤ Grounding rings (optionally)
- 6 Cable

# 2.2 Device description

This flowmeter can measure the flow of conductive liquids, even in partially filled pipes. To be able to do this, a capacitive height measurement has been integrated into a regular electromagnetic flowmeter. If both the filled fraction and the velocity of the fluid are known, it is easy to calculate the amount of fluid running through the pipe.

# 2.3 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.

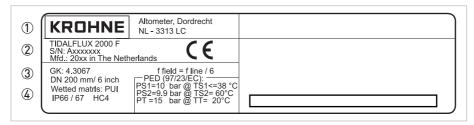


Figure 2-2: Example of nameplate

- ① Logo and address of manufacturer
- ② Type designation
- ③ GK/GKL values (measuring sensor constants); size (mm/inches); field frequency
- Materials of wetted parts; protection category

### 3.1 General notes on installation



#### INFORMATION!

Inspect the cartons 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

- Store the device in a dry and dust-free location.
- Avoid lasting direct exposure to the sun.
- Store the device in its original packaging.
- Storage temperature: -50 ...+70°C / -58...+158°F

# 3.3 Transport

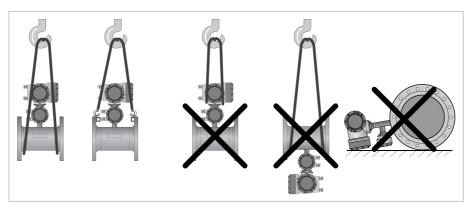


Figure 3-1: Transport

# 3.4 Pre-installation requirements

#### Make sure that you have all necessary tools available:

- Allen key (4 mm)
- Small screwdriver
- Wrench for cable glands
- Wrench for wall mounting bracket (remote version only)
- Torque wrench for installing flowmeter in pipeline

# 3.5 General requirements



#### INFORMATION!

The following precautions must be taken to ensure reliable installation.

- Make sure that there is adequate space to the sides.
- Protect the signal converter from direct sunlight and install a sun shade if necessary.
- Signal converters installed in control cabinets require adequate cooling, e.g. by fan or heat exchanger.
- Do not expose the signal converter to intense vibration. The flowmeters are tested for a vibration level in accordance with IEC 68-2-64.

#### 3.5.1 Vibration



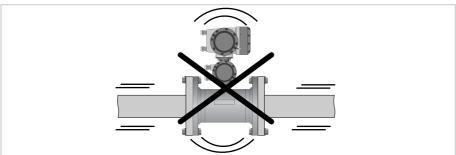


Figure 3-2: Avoid vibrations

# 3.5.2 Magnetic field

### Magnetic filed

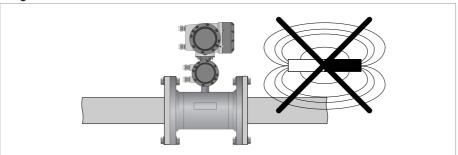


Figure 3-3: Avoid magnetic fields

# 3.6 Installation conditions

### 3.6.1 Inlet and outlet

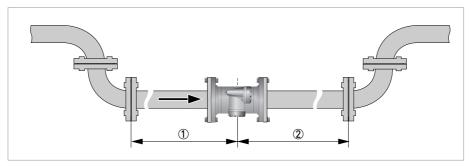


Figure 3-4: Recommended inlet and outlet sections, top view

### 3.6.2 Control valve

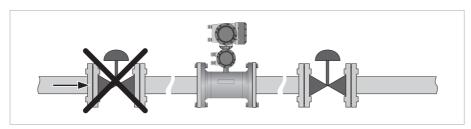


Figure 3-5: Installation before control valve

### 3.6.3 Slope



The accuracy is influenced by the slope. Stay within ±1% to get the most accurate measurements!

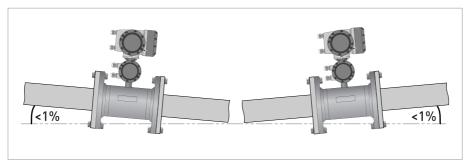


Figure 3-6: Recommended slope

# 3.6.4 Mounting advice for difficult situations

If you can not meet the installation conditions install the flowmeter between two containers. The inlet to the flowmeter must be higher than the outlet of the fluid. In this way you will have a calm flow into the flowmeter, resulting in a highly accurate measurement. The sizes of the containers must be proportional to the size of the flowmeter.

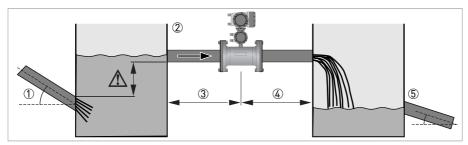


Figure 3-7: Installing in difficult situations

- ① Use a container ② if the Inlet pipe has a slope > 1%. Make sure that the outlet level of this pipe is below the inlet to the flowmeter.
- 2 Inlet container
- 3 Inlet section of 10 DN
- 4 Outlet section of 5 DN
- ⑤ Outlet container advisable if outlet pipe has a slope > 1%.



#### CALITION

Always use a free exit pipe to prevent backflow in the flow sensor and to keep the velocity at the maximum flow at least at 1 m/s.

### 3.6.5 Open discharge

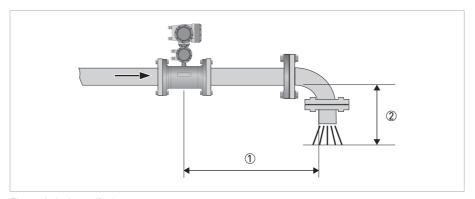


Figure 3-8: Open discharge

- $(1) \geq 5 DN$
- ② Make sure that the water level stays below the pipe outlet.

### 3.6.6 Cleaning of flow sensor

The flow sensor is highly resistant against dirt and the measurement will rarely be influenced by anything. However, it is advisable to create a possiblity for cleaning just in front or behind the sensor.

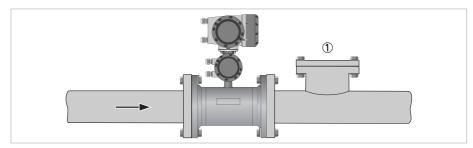


Figure 3-9: Option for cleaning of flow sensor

① Opening for cleaning

# 3.6.7 Flange deviation



#### **CAUTION!**

Max. permissible deviation of pipe flange faces:  $L_{max}$  -  $L_{min} \le 0.5 \text{ mm} / 0.02$ "

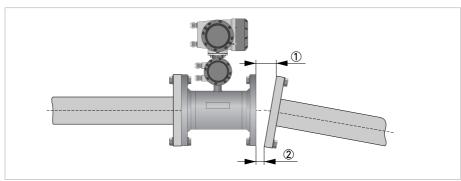


Figure 3-10: Flange deviation

- ① L<sub>max</sub>
- 2 L<sub>min</sub>

# 3.6.8 Mounting position



#### CAUTION!

Only install the flow sensor in the shown position to keep the electrodes under water. Limit the rotation to  $\pm 2^{\circ}$  to maintain the accuracy.

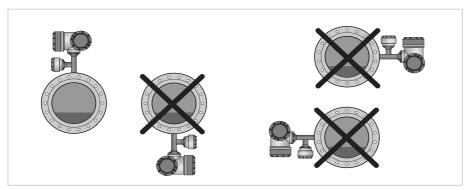


Figure 3-11: Mounting position

# 3.7 Mounting

# 3.7.1 Torques and pressures

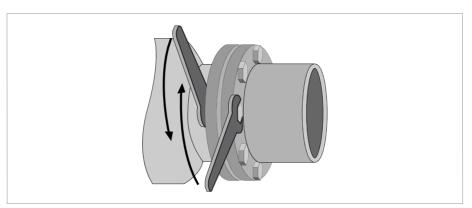


Figure 3-12: Tightening of bolts



# Tightening of bolts

- Always tighten the bolts uniformely and in diagonally opposite sequence.
- Do not exceed the maximum torque value.
- Step 1: Apply approx. 50% of max. torque given in table.
- Step 2: Apply approx. 80% of max. torque given in table.
- Step 3: Apply 100% of max. torque given in table.



### INFORMATION!

Tighten the bolts uniformely in diagonally opposite sequence.

Nominal size DN [mm]	Pressure rating	Bolts	Max. torque [Nm]
200	PN 10	8 x M 20	68
250	PN 10	12 x M 20	65
300	PN 10	12 x M 20	76
350	PN 10	16 x M 20	75
400	PN 10	16 x M 24	104
500	PN 10	20 x M 24	107
600	PN 10	20 x M 27	138
700	PN 10	24 x M 27	163
800	PN 10	24 x M 30	219
900	PN 10	28 x M 30	205
1000	PN 10	28 x M 35	261

Nominal size [inch]	Flange class [lb]	Bolts	Max. torque [Nm]
8	150	8 x 3/4"	69
10	150	12 x 7/8"	79
12	150	12 x 7/8"	104
14	150	12 x 1"	93
16	150	16 x 1"	91
18	150	16 x 1 1/8"	143
20	150	20 x 1 1/8"	127
24	150	20 x 1 1/4"	180
28	150	28 x 1 1/4"	161
32	150	28 x 1 1/2"	259
36	150	32 x 1 1/2"	269
40	150	36 x 1 1/2"	269



#### INFORMATION!

Information for bigger sizes is available on request.

# 3.7.2 Temperatures

Temperature range	Process [°C]		Ambient [°C]		Process [°F]		Ambient [°F]	
	min.	max.	min.	max.	min.	max.	min.	max.
All versions	0	60	-40	65	32	140	-40	149

# 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!



#### 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 Important notes on electrical connection



#### DANGER!

Electrical connection is carried out in conformity with the VDE 0100 directive "Regulations for electrical power installations with line voltages up to 1000 V" or equivalent national regulations.



#### CAUTION!

- Use suitable cable entries for the various electrical cables.
- The sensor and converter are configured together in the factory. For this reason, please connect the devices in pairs. Ensure that the sensor constant GK (see nameplates) are identically set.



#### INFORMATION!

For more information about the grounding of the flowmeter, refer to Grounding on page 30.

### 4.3 Connection of cables

The illustration shows the different connections and cable entries. View "p" shows (explicit) the bottom entries for signal and field current cables into the connection box on the signal converter.

The diagrams for electrical connections and connection of mains supply, will be described on the next pages.

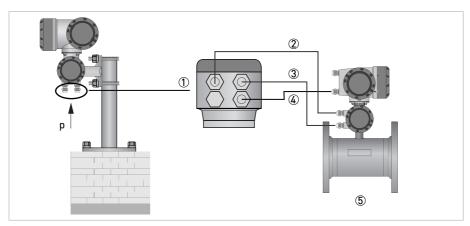


Figure 4-1: Cable entries for electrical connection

- ① View "p" of the connection box of the signal converter
- ② Field current cable
- 3 Signal cable (DS or BTS)
- 4 Interface cable
- ⑤ Flow sensor



#### INFORMATION!

The next drawing shows the situation for a signal cable type BTS. In case of a signal cable type DS, terminals 20 and 30 are not used.

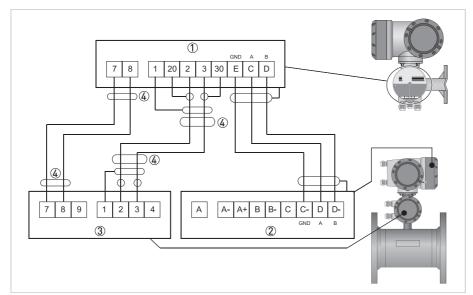


Figure 4-2: Connection diagram

- ① Connection box of converter
- ② I/O connection box of sensor
- ③ Connection box of sensor
- 4 Connect the outer screens via strain reliefs

# 4.3.1 Cable lengths



#### **CAUTION!**

The maximum allowed distance between the flow sensor and the converter is determined by the shortest cable length.

Interface cable: maximum length is 600 m / 1968 ft.

Type B (BTS) signal cable: maximum length is 600 m / 1968 ft.

Type A (DS) signal cable: maximum length depends on the conductivity of the fluid:

Electrical conductivity	Maximum length	
[µS/cm]	[m]	[ft]
50	120	394
100	200	656
200	400	1312
≥400	600	1968

Field current cable: The cross section of the cable determines the maximum length:

Cross section		Maximum length	
[mm <sup>2</sup> ]	[AWG]	[m]	[ft]
2 x 0.75	2 x 18	150	492
2 x 1.5	2 x 16	300	984
2 x 2.5	2 x 14	600	1968

# 4.3.2 Signal cable connections

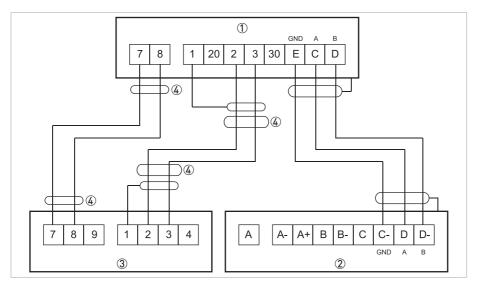


Figure 4-3: Connection diagram for signal cable type A (DS)

- ① Connection box of converter
- 2 I/O connection box of sensor
- 3 Connection box of sensor
- 4 Connect the outer screens via strain reliefs

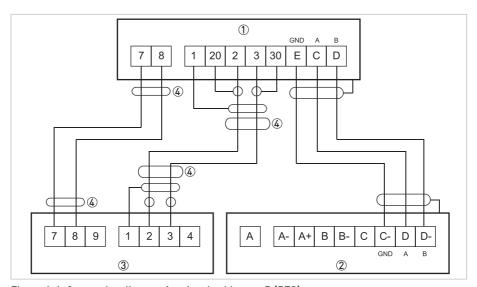


Figure 4-4: Connection diagram for signal cable type B (BTS)

- 1 Connection box of converter
- ② I/O connection box of sensor
- 4 Connect the outer screens via strain reliefs

#### 4.3.3 Connection of TIDALFLUX 2000 F

The flow sensor and the signal converter must be incorporated in the equipotential bonding system of the installation. This can be established internally by connection of the protective earth (PE) conductor of the mains supply system to the internal PE clamp, or externally, by connecting a separate equipotential bonding conductor between the two external PE-clamps (size M5). A separate bonding conductor must have a cross-sectional area of at least 4 mm<sup>2</sup>.

Keep the screw-threads free of dirt and well-greased (e.g. with PTFE grease). The grease will help to prevent the threads from locking due to corrosion.

To unscrew the covers, first release the interlocking devices (one at each cover). Therefore unscrew the M4 head screw with internal hexagon socket set using a HEX or Allen key no. 2.5 until the interlocking device can be turned. After the covers are screwed back onto the housing, make sre that the interlocking devices are properly refitted.

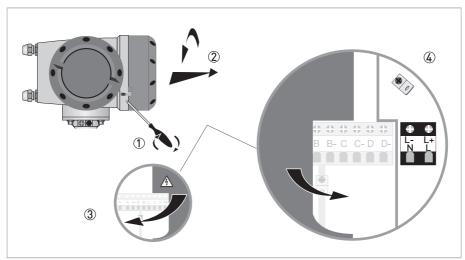


Figure 4-5: Electrical connections

- ① Unscrew interlocking head screw
- 2 Turn cover counterclockwise and remove
- 3 Open / close safety lid of mains supply section
- 4 Mains supply & signal / data terminals

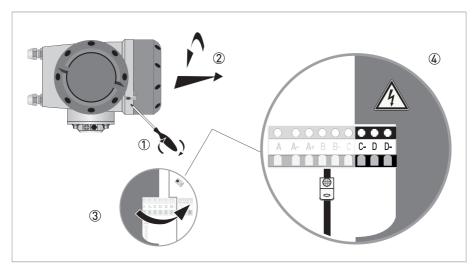


Figure 4-6: Electrical connections

- ① Unscrew interlocking head screw
- 2 Turn cover counterclockwise and remove
- ③ Open / close safety lid of mains supply section
- 4 Mains supply & signal / data terminals

### **Description of connections**

Terminals	Function, electrical data
L, N L+, L-	Connections for mains supply, Type of protection Ex e, 100230 VAC, +10%/-15%, 22 VA 1224 VDC, +30%/-10% (short-time: -25%), 12 W U <sub>m</sub> = 253 V
C-, D, D-	Connections for RS 485 circuit, Type of protection Ex ia.

#### 4.3.4 Connection box TIDALFLUX 2000

The connection box of the TIDALFLUX 2000 is positioned below the "double housing". Here the signal- and field current cables have to be lead through and the separate wires must be connected on the contacts as described in the illustration below (see table "Description of connections" also).

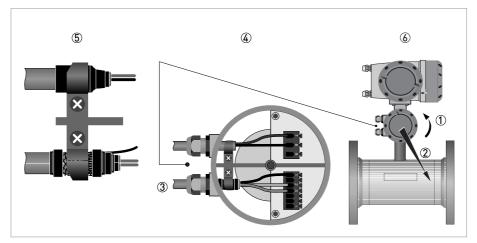


Figure 4-7: Electrical connections

- ① turn cover counterclockwise
- ② remove connection box cover
- 3 cable entries
- 4 open connection box on sensor
- (5) connection strain reliefs

### **Description of connections**

Terminals	Function, electrical data
7	Connections for signal cable
8	connection 9 = nc.
9	
1	Connections for field current cable
2	connection 4 = nc.
3 4	
nc.	

#### 4.3.5 Connection of IFC 300 F / PF

The flow sensor and the signal converter must be incorporated in the equipotential bonding system of the installation. This can be established internally by connection of the protective earth (PE) conductor of the mains supply system to the internal PE clamp, or externally, by connecting a separate equipotential bonding conductor between the two external PE-clamps (size M5). A separate bonding conductor must have a cross-sectional area of at least 4 mm<sup>2</sup>.

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To unscrew the covers, first release the interlocking devices (one at each cover). Therefore unscrew the M4 head screw with internal hexagon socket set using a HEX or Allen key no. 2.5 until the interlocking device can be turned. After the covers are screwed back onto the housing, make sure that the interlocking devices are properly refitted.

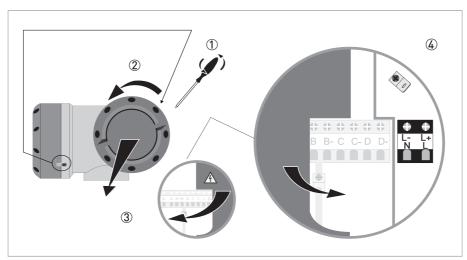


Figure 4-8: Electrical connections

- ① Unscrew interlocking head screw
- Turn cover counterclockwise and remove
- ③ Open / close safety lid of mains supply section
- Mains supply & signal / data terminals

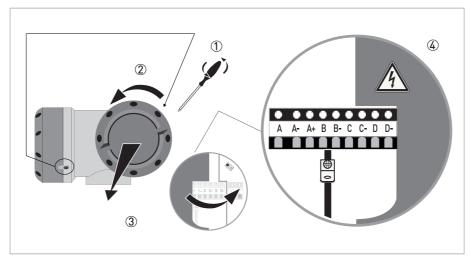


Figure 4-9: Electrical connections

- Unscrew interlocking head screw
- 2 Turn cover counterclockwise and remove
- 3 Open / close safety lid of mains supply section
- 4 Mains supply & signal / data terminals

### **Description of connections**

Terminals	Function, electrical data
L, N L+, L-	Connections for mains supply; Type of protection Ex e, 100230 VAC, +10%/-15%, 22 VA 1224 VDC, +30%/-10% (short-time: -25%), 12 W 24 VAC, +10%/-15%, 22 VA 24 VDC, +30%/-25%, 12 W U <sub>m</sub> = 253 V
A, A-, A+ B, B- C, C- D, D-	Connections for signal I/Os (PELV circuits); Type of protection Ex e or Ex ia, dependent on the specific version of the signal converter ordered. Consult the tables with CG numbers for details.

### 4.3.6 Connection box IFC 300 F / PF

The connection box of the IFC 300 signal converter is especially made with an extra cable entry. This cable entry is positioned on the right, just below the regular entries. The field current cable has to be lead through this entry and must be connected on the contacts as described in the figure below (see table "Description of connections" also).

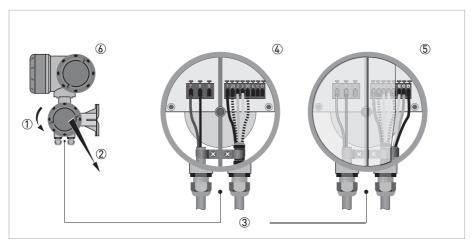


Figure 4-10: Electrical connections

- 1 turn cover counterclockwise
- 2 remove connection box cover
- 3 upper left/right & bottom right cable entries
- (a) connection field current and signal cable (depending on used cable BTS / DS 300)
- (5) bottom right cable connection (RS 485 circuit)
- 6 signal converter

Terminals	Function, electrical data
7 8	Connections for field current cable
9	connection 9 = nc.
E C D	Connections for RS 485 circuit Type of protection Ex e or Ex ia,
1	ground
2 - 20 3 - 30	Connections for signal cable (Depending on used cable BTS / BS 300)

# 4.4 Signal cable B (type BTS 300), construction

- Signal cable B is a triple-shielded cable for signal transmission between the measuring sensor and signal converter.
- Bending radius: ≥ 50 mm / 2"

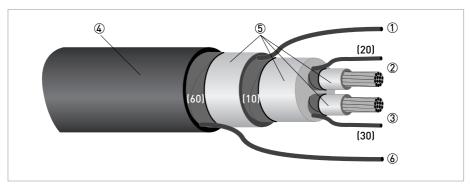


Figure 4-11: Construction of signal cable B

- ① Stranded drain wire for the inner shield (10), 1.0 mm<sup>2</sup> Cu / AWG 17 (not insulated, bare)
- ② Insulated wire (2), 0.5 mm<sup>2</sup> Cu / AWG 20 with stranded drain wire (20) of shield
- 3 Insulated wire (3), 0.5 mm<sup>2</sup> Cu / AWG 20 with stranded drain wire (30) of shield
- 4 Outer sheath
- (5) Insulation layers
- **(6)** Stranded drain wire (6) for the outer shield (60), 0.5 mm<sup>2</sup> Cu / AWG 20 (not insulated, bare)

# 4.5 Signal cable A (type DS 300), construction

- Signal cable A is a double-shielded cable for signal transmission between the measuring sensor and signal converter.
- Bending radius: ≥ 50 mm / 2"

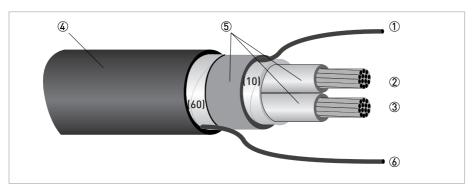


Figure 4-12: Construction of signal cable A

- 1 Stranded drain wire (1) for the inner shield (10), 1.0 mm<sup>2</sup> Cu / AWG 17 (not insulated, bare)
- 2 Insulated wire (2), 0.5 mm<sup>2</sup> Cu / AWG 20
- ③ Insulated wire (3), 0.5 mm<sup>2</sup> Cu / AWG 20
- 4 Outer sheath
- ⑤ Insulation layers
- 6 Stranded drain wire (6) for the outer shield (60)

# 4.6 Prepare signal cable A, connect to measuring sensor



#### INFORMATION!

Assembly materials and tools are not part of the delivery. Use the assembly materials and tools in compliance with the applicable occupational health and safety directives.

#### Required materials

- PVC insulating tube, Ø2.0...2.5 mm / 0.08...0.1"
- · Heat-shrinkable tubing
- Wire end ferrule to DIN 46 228: E 1.5-8 for the twisted stranded drain wires (1) and (6)
- 2x wire end ferrules to DIN 46 228: E 0.5-8 for the insulated conductors (2, 3)

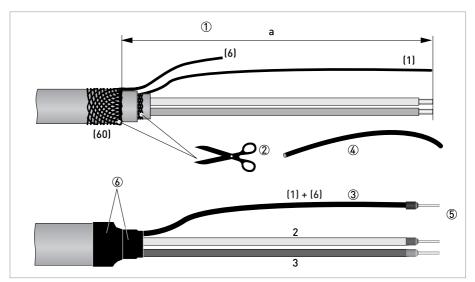


Figure 4-13: Prepare signal cable A, connect to measuring sensor

 $a = 50 \, \text{mm} / 2$ "



- ① Strip the conductor to dimension a.
- ② Cut the outer shields (60) and (10). Make sure not to damage the stranded drain wires (1) and (6).
- 3 Twist the stranded drain wires (6) of the outer shield and the drain wire (1) of the inner shield (10).
- 4 Slide an insulating tube over the stranded drain wires (1) and (6).
- ⑤ Crimp the wire end ferrules onto conductors 2 and 3 and the stranded drain wires (1) and (6).
- 6 Pull the heat-shrinkable tubing over the prepared signal cable.

# 4.7 Preparing signal cable B, connection to measuring sensor



#### INFORMATION!

Assembly materials and tools are not part of the delivery. Use the assembly materials and tools in compliance with the applicable occupational health and safety directives.

#### Required materials

- PVC insulating tube, Ø2.0...2.5 mm / 0.08...0.1"
- Heat-shrinkable tubing
- Wire end ferrule to DIN 46 228: E 1.5-8 for the twisted stranded drain wires (1) and (6)
- 2x wire end ferrules to DIN 46 228: E 0.5-8 for the insulated conductors (2, 3)

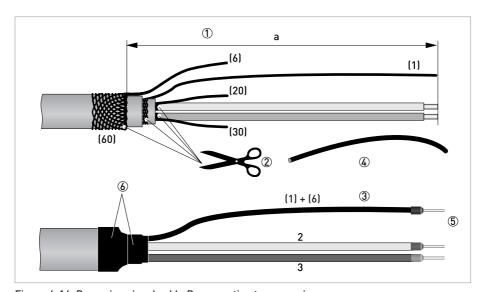


Figure 4-14: Preparing signal cable B, connection to measuring sensor

a = 50 mm / 2"



- ① Strip the conductor to dimension a.
- ② Cut the outer shields (60), (10), the shields around the insulated conductors (2, 3) and the stranded drain wires (20, 30). Make sure not to damage the stranded drain wires (1) and (6).
- 3 Twist the stranded drain wires (6) of the outer shield and the drain wire (1) of the inner shield (10).
- 4 Slide an insulating tube over the stranded drain wires (1) and (6).
- ⑤ Crimp the wire end ferrules onto conductors 2 and 3 and the stranded drain wires (1) and (6).
- 6 Pull the heat-shrinkable tubing over the prepared signal cable.

# 4.8 Preparing field current cable C, connection to measuring sensor



#### INFORMATION!

Assembly materials and tools are not part of the delivery. Use the assembly materials and tools in compliance with the applicable occupational health and safety directives.

- The field current cable is not part of the scope of delivery.
- The shield is connected in the terminal compartment of the converter directly via the shield and a clip.
- The shield is connected in the sensor via the special cable gland.
- Bending radius: ≥ 50 mm / 2"

#### Required materials

- Shielded 2-wire insulated copper cable
- Insulating tube, size according to the cable being used
- · Heat-shrinkable tubing
- DIN 46 228 wire end ferrules: size according to the cable being used

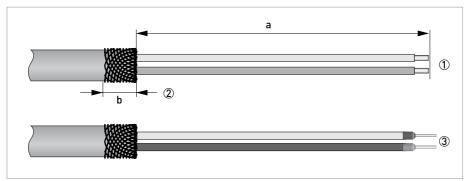


Figure 4-15: Preparation of field current cable C

a = 125 mm / 5"

b = 10 mm / 0.4"



- ① Strip the conductor to dimension a.
- ② Trim the outer shield to dimension b and pull it over the outer sheath.
- 3 Crimp wire end ferrules onto both conductors.

# 4.9 Interface cable

The data interface cable is a shielded,  $3 \times 1.5 \text{ mm}^2$  LIYCY cable.

# Preparing the interface cable

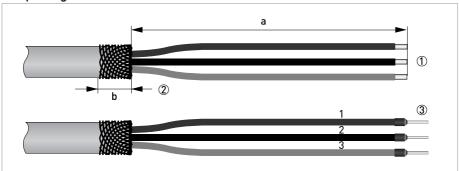


Figure 4-16: Preparing the interface cable

 $a = 100 \, \text{mm} / 4$ "

b = 10 mm / 0.4"



- ① Strip the conductor to dimension a.
- ② Trim the outer shield to dimension b and pull it over the outer sheath.
- ③ Crimp the wire end ferrules onto the conductors 1, 2 and 3.

Connect the shielding at both sides of the cable via the special cable gland.

#### At flow converter side:

Connecting shielding under clamp in connection box of converter

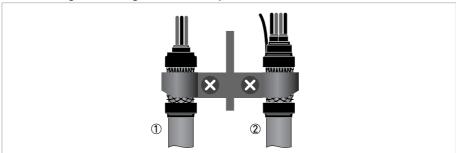


Figure 4-17: Clamping of shields

- Field current cable
- ② Signal cable

#### At flow sensor side:

Connecting shielding via special cable gland

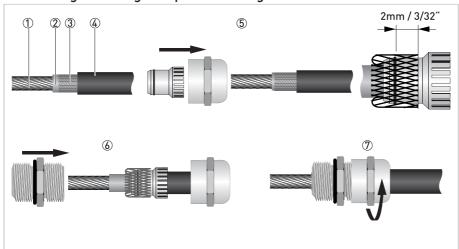


Figure 4-18: Connecting the shield within the cable gland

- ① Wires
- ② Isolation
- 3 Shielding
- 4 Isolation
- (5) Feed cable through dome nut and clamping insert and fold shielding over clamping insert. Make sure that the braided shield overlaps the 0-ring by 2 mm / 3/32".
- 6 Push clamping insert into body.
- Tighten the dome nut.

# 4.10 Grounding



#### DANGER!

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

#### 4.10.1 Mounting grounding rings



#### **CAUTION!**

In order to get a reliable height measurement it is **absolutely necessary** that the inner side of the connecting pipeline is electrically conductive and connected to ground. If not, tailor-made grounding rings with a cylindrical part can be delivered. Please contact your local agency in case of doubt.

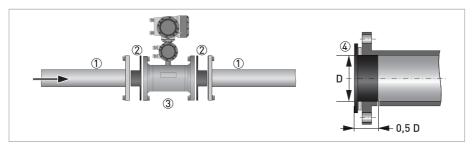


Figure 4-19: Grounding with grounding rings

- Existing pipeline
- 2 Grounding rings, custom made to inner diameter of pipeline
- 3 TIDALFLUX
- Insert the cylindrical part of the grounding ring into the pipeline. Use an appropriate gasket between the grounding ring and the flange.



#### INFORMATION!

Sizes of the grounding rings are diameter dependent and available on request.

# 4.11 Before switching on the power

Before switching on the power, please check that the system has been correctly installed. This includes:

- The device must be mechanically mounted safely in compliance with the regulations.
- The power connections must be in compliance with the regulations.
- Make sure that all electrical connections are made and that the covers of the terminal compartments are closed.
- Check that the electrical operating data of the power supply are correct.



• Switch on the power.



#### INFORMATION!

The sensor can not be programmed or changed in any way. All settable functions are included in the converter. Please see the relevant documentation of the converter for more information.

# 5.1 Spare parts availability

The manufacturer adheres to the basic principle that functionally adequate spare parts for each device or each important accessory part will be kept available for a period of 3 years after delivery of the last production run for the device.

This regulation only applies to spare parts which are subject to wear and tear under normal operating conditions.

# 5.2 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.

# 5.3 Returning the device to the manufacturer

#### 5.3.1 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.



#### CAUTION!

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 our personnel, 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.



#### **CAUTION!**

If the device has been operated with toxic, caustic, 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 is safe to handle and stating the product used.

# 5.3.2 Form (for copying) to accompany a returned device

Company:		Address:		
Department:		Name:		
Tel. no.:		Fax no.:		
Manufacturer's order no. or serial no.:				
The device has been operated with the following	owing n	nedium:		
This medium is:	wate	r-hazardous		
	toxic			
	caus	stic		
		nmable		
		e checked that all cavities in the device are free from such bstances.		
		le have flushed out and neutralized all cavities in the evice.		
We hereby confirm that there is no risk to persons or the environment through any residual media contained in the device when it is returned.				
Date:		Signature:		
Stamp:				

# 5.4 Disposal



### CAUTION!

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

# 6.1 Measuring principle

The TIDALFLUX 2000 is an electromagnetic flow sensor with an integrated capacitive level measurement system, designed for electrically conductive process liquids. The flow rate Q(t) through the tube is:  $Q(t) = v(t) \times A(t)$ , in which

v(t) = flow velocity of liquid product

A(t) = wetted area of tube section.

The flow velocity is determined on basis of the known electromagnetic measurement principle. The two measuring electrodes are located in the lower part of the measuring tube, on a level of approx. 10% of the inner diameter of the pipe in order to get a reliable measurement up from a level of 10%.

An electrically conductive fluid flows inside an electrically insulating pipe through a magnetic field. This magnetic field is generated by a current, flowing through a pair of field coils. Inside of the fluid, a voltage U is generated:

U = v \* k \* B \* D

in which:

v = mean flow velocity

k = factor correcting for geometry

B = magnetic field strength

D = distance between electrodes

The signal voltage U is picked off by electrodes and is proportional to the mean flow velocity v and thus the flow rate q. The signal voltage is quite small (typically 1 mV at v = 3 m/s / 10 ft/s and field coil power of 1 W). Finally, a signal converter is used to amplify the signal voltage, filter it (separate from noise) and convert it into signals for totalising, recording and output processing.

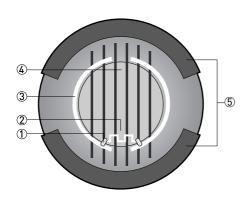


Figure 6-1: Measuring principle TIDALFLUX

- 1 Electrodes
- ② Induced voltage (proportional to flow velocity)
- 3 Capacitive plates in liner for height measurement
- Magnetic field
- (5) Field coils

The wetted area A is computed from the known inside diameter of the pipe by the patented capacitive level measurement system that is built into the measuring tube liner. The required electronics unit is accommodated in a compact housing that is mounted on top of the measuring sensor. This electronics is connected to the remote IFC 300 F converter by means of a digital communication line.

# 6.2 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 (Download Center).

### Measuring system

Measuring principle	Faraday's law		
Application range	Electrically conductive fluids		
Measured value			
Primary measured value	Flow velocity		
	Level		
Secondary measured value	Volume flow		

### Design

Features	Flange version with full bore flow tube			
	Standard as well as higher pressure ratings			
	Broad range of nominal sizes			
Modular construction	The measurement system consists of a flow sensor and a signal converter. It is available as remote version. More information about the signal converter can be found in the documentation of the signal converter.			
Remote version	In field (F) version with IFC 300 converter: TIDALFLUX 2300 F.			
	Note: Compact versions are not available.			
Nominal diameter	DN2001600 / 864"			

# Measuring accuracy

1				
Slope: 0%				
Medium: water				
Electrical conductivity: 505000 μS/cm				
Temperature: +10+30°C / +50+86°F				
Inlet section: ≥ 10 DN				
Outlet section: ≥ 5 DN				
Flow velocity at full scale: > 1 m/s / 3 ft/s				
Operating pressure: 1 bar / 14.5 psi				
Wet calibrated on EN 17025 accredited calibration rig by direct volume comparison or by master meter.				
For detailed information on the measuring accuracy, see chapter "Measuring accuracy".				
Related to volume flow (MV = Measured Value, FS = Full Scale)				
These values are related to the pulse / frequency output				
The additional typical measuring deviation for the current output is ±10 μA				
Partly filled:				
v @ Full Scale ≥ 1 m/s / 3.3 ft/s: ≤ 1% of FS				
Fully filled:				
$v \ge 1 \text{ m/s} / 3.3 \text{ ft/s} \le 1\% \text{ of MV}$				
$v < 1 \text{ m/s} / 3.3 \text{ ft/s}$ : $\leq 0.5\%$ of MV + 5 mm/s / 0.2 inch/s				
Minimum level: 10% of inner diameter				

# Operating conditions

Temperature					
Process temperature 0+60°C / +32+140°F					
Ambient temperature	Non ATEX: -40+65°C / -40+149°F				
	ATEX zone 1: -20+65°C / -4+149°F				
	Protect electronics against self-heating with ambient temperatures above 55°C.				
Storage temperature	-50+70°C / -58+158°F				
Measurement range	-12+12 m/s / -40+40 ft/s				
Vacuum load	500 mbar abs. at $T_{process} = 40^{\circ}C / 600$ mbar abs. at $T_{process} = 60^{\circ}C$				
(DN200DN1600 / 864")	7.3 psia at $T_{process} = 104  ^{\circ}F / 8.7  psia$ at $T_{process} = 140  ^{\circ}F$				
Chemical properties					
Physical condition	Conductive liquids				
Electrical conductivity ≥ 50 μS/cm					
Permissible solid content	≤ 20%				
(volume)	If process liquid is slurry: density < 1.15 kg/dm <sup>3</sup> .				

# Installation condtitions

Installation	For detailed information see chapter "Installation".			
Flow direction	Forward and reverse.			
	Arrow on flow sensor indicates positive flow direction.			
Inlet run	≥ 5 DN (without disturbing flow, after a single 90° bend)			
	≥ 10 DN (after a double bend 2x 90°)			
	≥ 10 DN (behind a control valve)			
Outlet run	≥ 3 DN			
Dimensions and weights	For detailed information see chapter "Dimensions and weights".			

### Materials

Sensor housing	Standard: sheet steel			
	Other materials on request			
Measuring tube	Austenitic stainless steel			
Flange	Standard: carbon steel, polyurethane coated			
	Other materials on request.			
Liner	Polyurethane			
Connection box	IP 67: polyurethane coated die-cast aluminium			
	IP 68: Stainless steel			
Measuring electrodes	Hastelloy <sup>®</sup> C			
Grounding rings	Stainless steel			
	Tailor made to innerdiameter of connecting pipeline.			
	Necessary if innerside of connecting pipeline isn't electrically conductive.			

### **Process connections**

Flange	
EN 1092-1	DN2001600 in PN 640 (others on request)
ASME	864" in 150300 lb RF (others on request)
JIS	DN2001600 in JIS 1020 K (others on request)
Design of gasket surface	RF (others on request)

# **Electrical connections**

General	Electrical connection is carried out in conformity with the VDE 0100 directive "Regulations for electrical power installations with line voltages up to 1000 V" or equivalent national specifications.				
Power supply	Standard: 100230 VAC (-15% / +10%), 50/60 Hz				
	Option 1: 24 VAC/DC (AC: -15% / +10%, 50/60 Hz; DC: -25% / +30%)				
Power consumption	AC: 22 VA				
Field current cable	Shielded cable must be used, no part of delivery.				
Signal cable	DS 300 (type A) Max. length: 600 m / 1950 ft (dependent on electrical conductivity).				
	BTS 300 (type B) Max. length: 600 m / 1950 ft				
Data interface cable	For transmission of measured level to IFC 300 F.				
	Shielded Liycy cable, 3 x 0.75 mm <sup>2</sup>				
Cable entries	Standard: 2x M20 x 1.5 + 2x M16 x 1.5 EMC type				
	Option: ½" NPT				

# Approvals and certificates

CE					
	This device fulfills the statutory requirements of the EC directives. The manufacturer certifies successful testing of the product by applying the CE mark.				
Electromagnetic compatibility	Directive: 2004/108/EC, NAMUR NE21/04				
	Harmonized standard: EN 61326-1 : 2006				
Low voltage directive	Directive: 2006/95/EC				
	Harmonized standard: EN 61010 : 2001				
Pressure equipment directive	Directive: 97/23/EC				
	Category I, II or SEP				
	Fluid group 1				
	Production module H				
Hazardous areas					
ATEX	Option: Ex zone 1, IECex				
Other approvals and standards					
Protection category acc. to	Standard: IP 66/67 (NEMA 4/4X/6)				
IEC 529 / EN 60529	Option: IP 68 (NEMA 6P)				
Vibration resistance	IEC 68-2-6				
Random vibration test	IEC 68-2-34				
Shock test	IEC 68-2-27				

# 6.3 Sizing



#### INFORMATION!

These tables state the flowrate in a partially filled pipe, dependant on slope, filling level, inner diameter and friction factors of the pipe. The values are calculated according the Manning-Strickler equation. The results do not consider: deposits, profile distortion, backwater, friction of air and the slightly smaller inner diameter of the TIDALFLUX.

#### Flow and velocity at 100% level, gravity fed, metric values

DN	Steel	/ PVC	Smooth	concrete	Concrete		
Nominal size			v [m/s]	Q [m3/h]			
lope 0.5%							
200	0.96	109	0.86	97	0.58	60	
250	1.11	196	1.00	177	0.67	118	
300	1.26	321	1.13	288	0.75	19	
350	1.39	481	1.25	433	0.84	29	
400	1.52	688	1.37	620	0.91	41	
500	1.77	1251	1.59	1124	1.06	74	
600	2.00	2036	1.8	1832	1.2	122	
700	2.21	3062	1.99	2757	1.33	184	
800	2.42	4379	2.18	3945	1.45	262	
900	2.62	6000	2.35	5382	1.57	359	
1000	2.81	7945	2.53	7153	1.68	475	
1200	3.17	12906	2.85	11603	1.9	773	
1400	3.51	19451	3.16	17511	2.11	1169	
1600	3.84	27794	3.45	24971	2.3	1664	
lope 1.0%							
200	1.36	154	1.22	138	0.81	9	
250	1.57	277	1.42	251	0.94	16	
300	1.78	453	1.6	407	1.07	27	
350	1.97	682	1.77	613	1.18	40	
400	2.15	973	1.94	878	1.29	58	
500	2.5	1767	2.25	1590	1.5	106	
600	2.82	2870	2.54	2585	1.69	172	
700	3.13	4336	2.82	3907	1.88	260	
800	3.42	6189	3.08	5573	2.05	370	
900	3.7	8474	3.33	7626	2.22	508	
1000	3.97	11225	3.57	10094	2.38	672	
1200	4.48	18240	4.03	16408	2.69	1095	
1400	4.97	27542	4.47	24771	2.98	1651	
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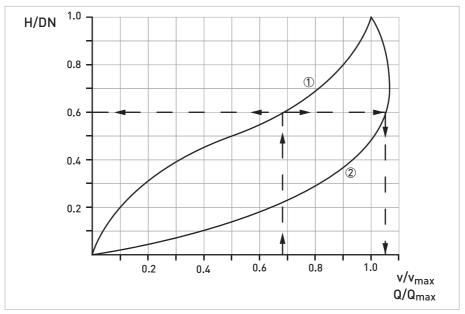


Figure 6-2: Relative flow and velocity versus relative filling level

- ① Flow Q
- Velocity v



#### INFORMATION!

 $v_{max}$  and  $Q_{max}$  are the values of v and Q if the pipe is completely filled

#### **EXAMPLE:**

Consider a maximum flow to be measured of 1200  $\mathrm{m}^3/\mathrm{h}$ . The material of the pipeline is steel and the slope 1.0%.

From the table a maximum flow has to be selected that is bigger than the flow to be measured. Selection: DN500,  $Q_{max} = 1767 \text{ m}^3/\text{h}$  and  $v_{max} = 2.5 \text{ m/s}$ .

To determine the level in the pipe at 1200 m $^3$ /h, calculated the ratio Q / Q $_{max}$  = 1200 / 1767 = 0.68. See above figure and read out the ratio's of H/DN and v/v $_{max}$ :

- ① H/DN = 0.6 or  $0.6 \times 500$  mm = 300 mm,
- ② At H/DN = 0.6, find  $v/v_{max}$  = 1.05, so  $v = 1.05 \times 2.5 = 2.63 \text{ m/s}$ .

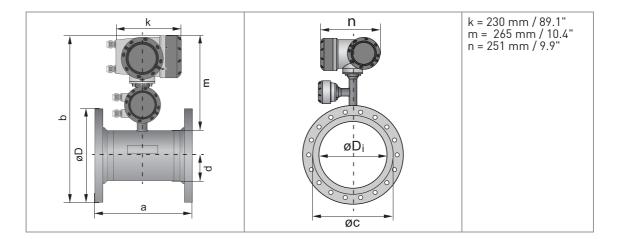


#### **INFORMATION!**

A sizing tool for various slopes is available at the website of the manufacturer.

# 6.4 Dimensions and weights

The inner pipe diameter should match the inner diameter of the flowmeter. Since the inner diameter is not a standard DN size, choose the inner pipe diameter to be just a little bit bigger than the flowmeter diameter. If a lot of sediment or fat is expected the optimal solution is to produce a diameter compensation ring on both sides to have smooth transits.





#### INFORMATION!

Detailed 2D and 3D drawings are available on the website of the manufacturer.

EN 1092-1

Nomir	nal size	Dimensions [mm]						Approx.
DN	PN	а	b	Øc	d	ØD	ØD <sub>i</sub>	weight [kg]
200	10	350	582	291	146	340	189	40
250	10	400	630	331	166	395	231	54
300	10	500	680	381	191	445	281	66
350	10	500	733	428	214	505	316	95
400	10	600	791	483	242	565	365	115
500	10	600	894	585	293	670	467	145
600	10	600	1003	694	347	780	567	180
700	10	700	1120	812	406	895	666	265
800	10	800	1235	922	461	1015	768	350
900	10	900	1356	1064	532	1115	863	425
1000	10	1000	1447	1132	566	1230	965	520
1200	6	1200	1639	1340	670	1405	1169	659
1400	6	1400	1842	1521	761	1630	1367	835
1600	6	1600	2042	1721	861	1830	1549	1659

# 150 lb flanges

Nomir	nal size	Dimensions [inches]						Approx.	
ASME ①	PN [psi]	a	b	Øc	d	ØD	ØD <sub>i</sub>	weight [lb]	
8	284	13.78	22.93	11.46	5.75	13.5	7.44	90	
10	284	15.75	24.80	13.03	6.54	16.0	9.09	120	
12	284	19.69	26.76	15	7.52	19.0	11.06	145	
14	284	27.56	30.22	16.85	9.8	21.0	12.44	210	
16	284	31.5	31.13	19.02	9.53	23.5	14.37	255	
20	284	31.5	35.21	23.03	11.54	27.5	18.39	320	
24	284	31.5	39.50	27.32	13.66	32.0	22.32	400	
28	Class D	35.43	44.71	31.97	15.98	36.5	26.22	692	
32	Class D	39.37	49.51	36.3	18.15	41.8	30.24	1031	
36	Class D	43.31	54.42	41.89	20.94	46.0	33.98	1267	
40	Class D	47.24	58.14	44.57	22.28	50.8	37.99	1554	
48	Class D	55.12	66.61	52.76	26.38	59.5	46.02	2242	
① Nominal size ≤ 24": ASME; > 24": AWWA									

# 6.5 Measuring accuracy

The measuring accuracy for partly filled pipes and completely filled pipes are different. In these graphs it is assumed that the velocity at full scale value is at least 1 m/s (is also the standard value for calibration, since it will result in the most accurate measurements).

#### Partly filled:

• v @ Full Scale  $\geq$  1 m/s / 3.3 ft/s:  $\leq$  1% of Full Scale

### Fully filled:

- $v \ge 1 \text{ m/s} / 3.3 \text{ ft/s} \le 1\% \text{ of MV}$
- v < 1 m/s / 3.3 ft/s:  $\leq 0.5\%$  of MV + 5 mm/s / 0.2 inch/s (see following graph)

### Fully filled pipes

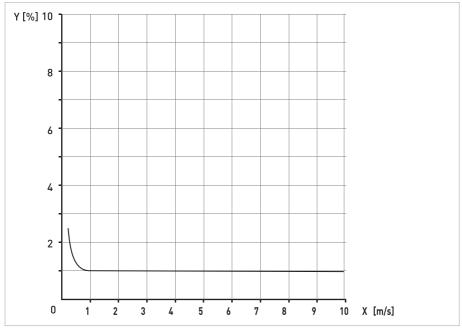
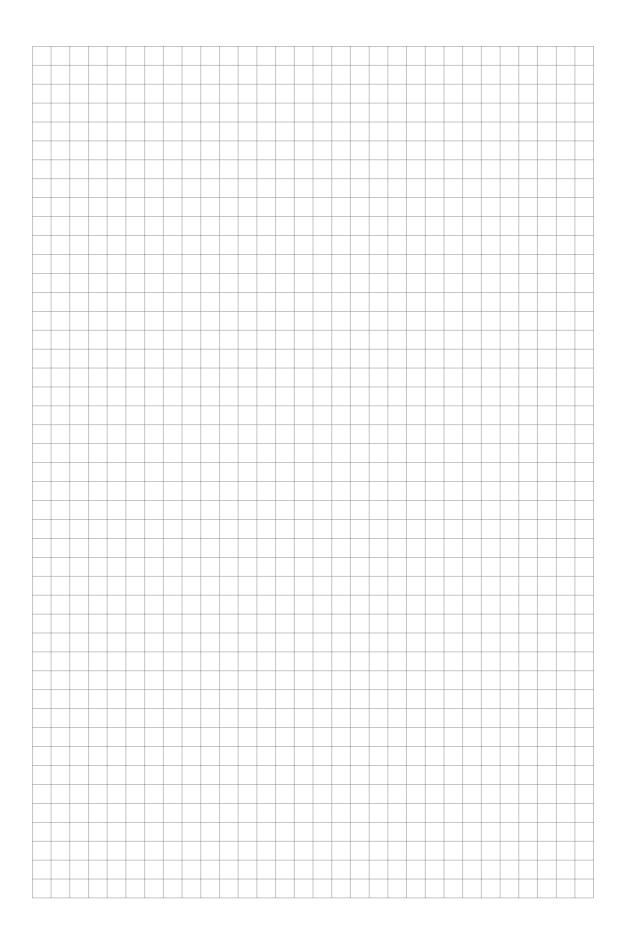


Figure 6-3: Maximum measuring error of measured value





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- Electromagnetic flowmeters
- Variable area flowmeters
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- Flow controllers
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- Pressure meters
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- Products and systems for the oil & gas industry
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