

Probe VA(T)40 ZG4 with flange probe guide piece SFB

Functional principle

- vortex meter for measuring flow velocity, flow rate and volume
- ultrasonic measurement of the vortex shedding



Kármán vortex street

Design

 insertion probe with probe guide piece and AS102 housing; optional with integrated transducer

Measured variables

- actual flow velocity v [m/s]
- actual flow rate [m³/h]
- conversion to standard velocity/standard volume flow with input parameters pressure and temperature

Measuring range

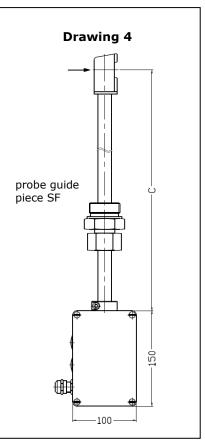
• 0.5 ... 40 m/s

Medium

- primarily single-phase gas mixtures, e.g. air, nitrogen, oxygen, methane, natural gas, ammonia, argon, carbon monoxide, superheated steam, biogas, exhaust gas, etc.
- other gases or gas mixtures on request

Advantages

- compact unit with optional integrated transducer
- optional with LCD-display in non-hazardous area
- also connectable to different separate transducers
- optional with integrated temperature measurement
- modular design with different sensor- and sealing materials
- various probe guide pieces usable
- with isolation/supply unit for use in category 1 (zone 0 and zone 20)
- low starting value (0.5 m/s)
- high turndown ratio (1:80)
- long-term stability
- no moving parts
- easy to clean
- high durability
- corrosion-resistant
- largely unaffected by gas composition
- marginal pressure loss



Probe with screw thread probe guide piece SF

Range and examples of application

 flow measurement in explosive atmospheres: air, outlet air, sludge activation air, engine intake air, natural gas, exhaust gas, process gas, biogas, car exhaust emmissions, flare gas, overheated steam, ...

Particles, humidity and condensation

- dust or fibre particles in the gas do not affect the measurement, as long as these are not abrasive or accumulate on the sensor
- measurement uncertainty remains unaffected by a relative gas humidity of less than 100 % and a slight accumulation of condensate on the sensor



Model designation	n (example)				
VA40/21,3	G	E	40 m/s	р3	ZG4
VAT40/21,3	G	E	40 m/s	р3	ZG4
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)

Types				
		•	Туре	Article No.
VA	40/21,3	GE	40 m/s p3 ZG4	B009/400
VA	40/21,3	GH	40 m/s p3 ZG4	B009/406
VA	40/21,3	GT	40 m/s p3 ZG4	B009/410
VAT	40/21,3	GE	40 m/s p3 ZG4	B009/450
VAT	40/21,3	GH	40 m/s p3 ZG4	B009/456
VAT	40/21,3	GT	40 m/s p3 ZG4	B009/460

(1) Sensor type /	Sensor diameter
VA 40/21,3	Vortex flow sensor VA40 with sensor head width across corners 40 mm and shaft \emptyset 21.3 mm for insertion in openings with a diameter greater than 40 mm
VAT 40/21,3	like above, but with additional integrated PT100 temperature sensor

(2) Medium		
G	air / gases	

(3) Materials in contact with the medium		
Design	Material	
E	stainless steel, sensor housing 1.4581, connection tube 1.4404, ceramics, silicone-free sensor	
Н	Hastelloy 2.4610 / HC4, ceramics, silicone-free sensor	
Т	titanium 3.7035 (grade 2), ceramics, silicone-free sensor	

(4) Measuring range	
Design	Measuring range
40 m/s	0.5 40 m/s
Measurement uncertainty*	< 1.0 % of measured value + 0.03 m/s
Repeatability*	\pm 0.2 % of measured value + 0.025 % FS
* Only for versions with pairs of other specifications are possib	values with linearization of characteristics; by use of the KKZ-function ly valid



Examples of measurable flow rates (s. also under '(4) Measuring range', Page 2)				
measuring tube inside diameter Di [mm]	profile factor PF* [-]	smallest measurable value [m³/h]	terminal value [m³/h]	
80	0.719	6.5	520	
100	0.738	10.4	835	
120	0.761	15.5	1240	
150	0.796	26	2030	
200	0.842	48	3810	
300	0.845	108	8600	
400	0.850	193	15400	
500	0.860	304	24300	
750	0.860	684	54700	
1000	0.860	1215	97300	
1250	0.860	1900	152000	
1500	0.860	2735	218800	

Flow rate measuring range specifications with centric positioning of sensor, non-rotational (vortex-free) inlet flow and amply dimensioned input/output sections (see 'Information for use VA Probes' U206).

^{*} The profile factor PF describes the ratio of average flow velocity in the measurement cross section and the flow velocity measured from the sensor. The aforementioned operating conditions apply.

Working temperature / seal material				
Temperature class of the	Material	working temperature	Article No.	
sensor		range of medium		
100 °C	FKM (standard)	-20 +100 °C	B009/080	
	Silicone	-40 +100 °C	B009/081	
	EPDM	-40 +100 °C	B009/082	
	KALREZ® 4079	0 +100 °C	B009/083	
	KALREZ® 6375	0 +100 °C	B009/085	
	PFA	-20 +100 °C	B009/084	
180 °C	FKM (standard)	-20 +180 °C	B009/090	
	Silicone	-40 +180 °C	B009/091	
	EPDM	-40 +160 °C	B009/093	
	KALREZ® 4079	0 +180 °C	B009/092	
	KALREZ® 6375	0 +180 °C	B009/095	
	PFA	-20 +180 °C	B009/094	
240 °C	FKM (standard)	-20 +240 °C	B009/097	
	PFA	-20 +240 °C	B009/098	

^{*} When used in hazardous areas, the media and ambient temperature are limited according to the valid operating instructions

Permissible ambience temperature *	
with integrated transducer UVA, w/o display	-25 +60 °C
with integrated transducer UVA, with option LCD-Display	-25 +60 °C
without integrated transducer UFA	-5 +60 °C

^{*} When used in hazardous areas, the media and ambient temperature are limited according to the valid operating instructions



(5) Maximum working pressure

up to 3 bar / 300 kPa overpressure

(6) Design

as in drawing 4 (Page 1)

Installation length (see Drawing ZG4, Page 1)			
	for sensor in design		
Measurement C	stainless steel ' E'	Hastelloy ' H'	titanium ' T'
	Article No.	Article No.	Article No.
250 mm	B009/050	B009/060	B009/070
500 mm	B009/051	B009/061	B009/071
750 mm	B009/052	B009/062	B009/072
1000 mm	B009/053	B009/063	B009/073
1250 mm	B009/054	B009/064	B009/074
1500 mm	B009/055	B009/065	B009/075
1750 mm	B009/056	B009/066	B009/076
2000 mm	B009/057	B009/067	B009/077

Select the installation length so that the surface temperature of the transducer housing does not exceed +50 °C!

Connection housing AS102

Dimensions L/W/H: 100/80/150 mm

Material die-cast aluminium G Al Si12 / DIN 1725

Protection class IP65, IEC 529 and EN 60 529

Connection bush for shielded cables with external diameter 5 ... 10 mm, contacting of the

overall copper shielding by the metallic screwed cable glands

Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMC)

according to EN 61 000-6-2 and EN 61 000-6-4

Installation position

any horizontal positioning is recommended if condensate on the sensor cannot be

ruled out

Option ATEX-protection		
type of protection	Comment	Article No.
for gas: CE <ex> II 1/2 G Ex ia IIC T6 Ga/Gb Categorie 1/2G (zone 0/1) for dust: CE <ex> II 1/2D Ex ia IIIC TX Da/Db Categorie 1/2D (zone 20/21)</ex></ex>	 only in conjunction with: Isolation/supply unit LDX2 and 'non-Ex evaluation unit' or compatible separate evaluation unit with Ex-input (see below) 	VAEX0 * excluded are: - VAT-sensors - temperature of medium less than -20 °C - titanium sensors
CE <ex> II 3 G Ex ec IIC T6 Gc X CE <ex> II 3 D Ex tc IIIC TX Dc X</ex></ex>	Category 3G (zone 2) Category 3D (zone 22)	VAEX2E *

* remark: media and ambient temperature according to the valid operating instructions



Output v/VA, v/VA-Ex, 4-20 mA or 0-10 V				
output sensor v/VA	Höntzsch evaluation unit ** with v/VA input is necessary for signal interpretation			
output sensor v/VA-Ex, (sensor mit 'type of protection Ex-i', see above)	Höntzsch evaluation unit** with intrinsically safe input v/VA-Ex or an evaluation unit with input v/VA together with a series connection isolation/supply unit LDX2 is necessary for signal interpretation			
output 4-20 mA <u>or</u> 0-10 V	with transducer UVA integrated in the connection housing (see below)			
	** e . g. UVA, µP Vortex, VT-VA, VP-VA or VTP-VA			

optional transducer UVA, integrated in the sensor connection housing					
(please select)	Description	Article No.			
UVA / 4-20 mA / 24 VDC	analog output flow 4 20 mA resistance max. 400 Ohm	A016/002-S01			
UVA / 0-10 V / 24 VDC	analog output flow 0 10 V impedance max. 1 kOhm	A016/005-S01			
output temperature (only for VAT sensors)	analog output temperature 4 20 mA resistance max. 200 Ohm Scaling is permanently set at the factory according to customer requirements and cannot be changed.	A016/000			
output limit value or quantity pulse	potential-free relay contact (normally open contact), max. 300 mA / 27 VDC				
PC interface	RS232				
	output signals are electrically isolated from the power supply				
self-monitoring	parameter settings, sensor interface; in case of error: analog output less than 3.6 mA or <-0.2 V				
connection	'push in' PCB terminals; no tools necessary for strand connection; disconnect strands by applying pressure with a pen or screwdriver; for strands with cross-section 0.14 1.5 mm ²				
power supply	24 V DC (20 27 V DC)				
power consumption	less than 5 W				
setting parameter	analog output, time constant, profile factor, tube inside diameter, limit value or quantity pulse (quality rating adjustable), switch from actual/standard flow with setting parameters 'working pressure' and 'working temperature'				
setting parameter with PC software UCOM and PC connection cable (see Accessories) alterable					

compatible separate evaluation units (necessary in conjunction with sensors VA40/21,3 ZG4 and VAT40/21,3 ZG4 without integrated transducer UVA)				
for non-Ex applications	UVA, μP-Vortex, VT-VA, VP-VA, VTP-VA			
for Ex applications	isolation/supply unit LDX2 in LDG16 housing in combination with evaluation units UVA, μ P-Vortex, VT-VA, VP-VA, VTP-VA in LDG housings (additional requirement: Ex-input t, p)			



Accessories (optional) **Description** Article No. LCD in housing cover*° row 1: 'instantaneous value': flow rate A010/016 or flow velocity row 2: 'quantity counter' or 'error code'; 2 x 16 digit, character height 5.5 mm working temperature range -25 ... +60 °C Calibration certificate KLB PC software UCOM*° for configuring transducers UFA and UVA A010/052 via RS232 interface, PC connection cable RJ22 / sub-D 9-pin additional requirement PC connection cable for configuring transducers UFA and UVA A010/051 RJ22 / sub-D 9-pin*° in LDG16 or AS102 housing via RS232 interface together with UCOM software; transducer connection: RJ22 PC connection: sub-D 9-pin for connecting PC to USB port and Interface converter*° A010/100 Höntzsch programming adapter to RS232 USB / RS232 PC connection: USB plug type A prog. adapter connection: sub-D 9-pin *° only in conjunction with integrated transducer UVA (see above)

Probe guide pieces* (see also Page 8) Model designation (examples)						
SFB	21.3		Е	53	G1 1/2"	ZG5
SFK	21.3	/42	Е	150	F-DN50PN16	ZG3
(S1)	(S2)	(S3)	(S4)	(S5)	(S6)	(S7)

(S1) Type				
SFB	SF with clamping bush			
SFK	SF with clamping yoke			
SFZ	SF with collet			
(S2) Diameter through hole [mm]				
21.3	21.3 mm through hole			
(S3) Diameter insertion opening for probe				
(S4) Material				
E	stainless steel			
Н	Hastelloy			
(S5) Installation length L [mm]				
(S6) Process connnection				
G	thread			
F	flange			
(S7) Design as in Drawing (ZG)				

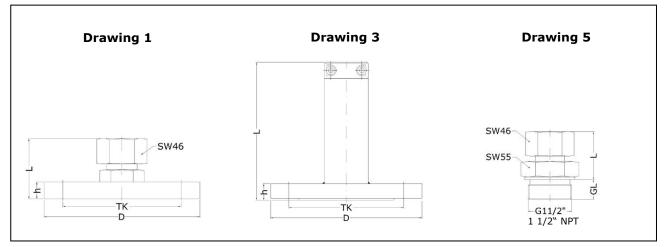


Probe guide pieces* (cont'd)		
Туре	Description	Article No.
with screw thread connection		
SFB 21.3 E-53 / G 1 1/2" according drawing 5 (see page 8)	connection: outside thread G 1 1/2" max. pressure: 3 bar / 300 kPa temperature: -20 +240 °C materials: stainless steel, FKM, PTFE fixation: clamping bush length: 53 mm thread length: 22 mm	B004/504
SFB 21.3 E-53 / G 1 1/2" with metallic sealing according drawing 5 (see page 8)	connection: outside thread G 1 1/2" max. pressure: 3 bar / 300 kPa temperature: -40 +240 °C materials: stainless steel, PTFE fixation: clamping bush length: 53 mm thread length: 22 mm	B004/511
SFB 21.3 E-53 / NPT 1 1/2" according drawing 5 (see page 8)	connection: outside thread NPT 1 1/2" ANSI/ASME B1.20.1-1983 max. pressure: 3 bar / 300 kPa temperature: -20 +240 °C materials: stainless steel, FKM, PTFE fixation: clamping bush length: 53 mm thread length: 26 mm	B004/509
with flange connection		
SFB 21.3 E-70 / F-DN50 PN16 according drawing 1 (see page 8)	connection: flange DN50 PN16 EN1092-1 max. pressure: 3 bar / 300 kPa temperature: -40 +240 °C materials: stainless steel, PTFE fixation: clamping bush length: 70 mm	B004/103
SFB 21.3 H-70 / F-DN50 PN16 according drawing 1 (see page 8)	connection: flange DN50 PN16 EN1092-1 max. pressure: 3 bar / 300 kPa temperature: -40 +240 °C materials: Hastelloy, PTFE clamping bush length: 70 mm	B004/105
SFB 21.3 E-70 / F-ANSI 2" 150 lb RF according drawing 1 (see page 8)	connection: flange 2" 150 lbs ANSI B16.5 max. pressure: 3 bar / 300 kPa temperature: -40 +240 °C materials: stainless steel, PTFE fixation: clamping bush length: 70 mm	B004/512
SFK 21.3 / 42 E-150 / F-DN50 PN16 with ball valve DN50 PN16 similar to drawing 3 (see below)	connection: flange DN50 PN16 EN1092-1 max. pressure: 6 bar / 600 kPa temperature: -20 +240 °C materials: stainless steel, 2 FKM O-rings fixation: clamp yoke length: 150 mm (ball valve) length: 155 mm (probe guide piece) Accessory: hexagon cranked wrench key SW The probe can be retracted into the probe guide piece to close the ball valve.	B004/313

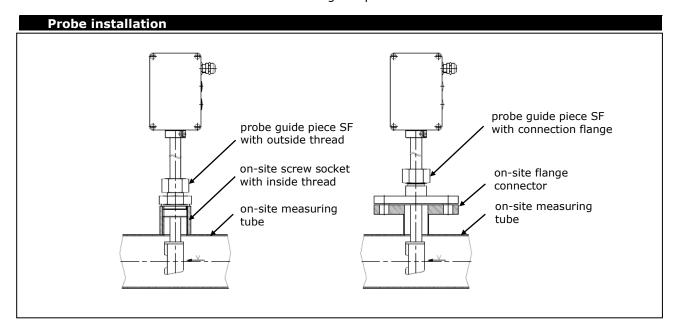


Probe guide pieces* (cont'd)		
Туре	Description	Article No.
SFK 21.3 E-150 / F-DN50 PN16 according drawing 3 (see below)	flange DN50 PN16 EN1092-1 : 6 bar / 600 kPa -20 +240 °C stainless steel, FKM O-ring clamp yoke 150 mm hexagon cranked wrench key SW5	B004/304

* Probe guide pieces are obligatory for process connection via screw socket or flange connector. They are adjustable, rotatable and permanently attached to the probe shaft. It is to be ensured that sensor length, screw socket or flange connector height as well as probe insertion depth match up. Other probe guide pieces are available on request.



Probe guide pieces SF



Probe installation with screw thread probe guide piece (left) and flange probe guide piece

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