

Bypass Level Indicators

Plastic Version



measuring • monitoring • analysing



- Measuring length: max. 4000 mm
- Pressure: max. 4 bar
- Temperature: max. 80°C
- Viscosity: max. 200 mm²/s
- Connection: DIN flange DN 20..50 ANSI flange ³/₄"...2"
- Material: PVC, PP, PVDF
- Resistant to acids and alkali

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Model: NBK-15 NBK-16 NBK-17 139



Description

Kobold plastic level indicators are used for continuous measurement, display and monitoring of liquid levels. The bypass tube is attached sideways to the wall of the vessel.

According to the law of communicating tubes the level in the bypass tube equals the level in the vessel. A float with embedded circular magnets in the bypass tube follows the liquid level and transfers it in a non-contacting manner to a display fitted outside the tube or to a monitoring device. The following indication and monitoring devices are available:

Magnetic roller indicator

As the float passes by, the red/white rollers are rotated in succession by 180° around their own axes. The rollers change from white to red as the level rises and from red to white as the level falls. The level is continuously displayed as a red column, even when the power fails.

Transmitter

To remotely transmit the level a transmitter with a chain of resistors can be mounted outside the bypass tube. A continuous standard signal of 4 to 20 mA is generated by means of a fitted transmitter. This standard signal can then be displayed with analogue or digital indicating devices.

Limit contacts

One or more reed contacts for limit-value acquisition or also for level control can be secured to the bypass tube.

Applications

- Storage tanks
- Aggressive media
- Mixing vessels
- Water tanks

Technical Details

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Measuring length:	200 mm to 4000 mm
Bypass tube:	Ø 63 x 3 mm
Material:	PVC, PP, PVDF
Process connection:	flange DN 20-DN 50 ANSI ¾"-2", 150 lbs, RF
Operating pressure:	max. 4 bar
Operating temperature:	PVC: max. 40°C
	PP: max. 60°C PVDF: max. 80°C
Min. density:	0.57 kg/dm ³
Seal:	O-ring, EPDM
Bypass pipe top:	pipe cap (dished boiler end DIN 2617)
Bypass pipe bottom:	threaded connection
Overall length:	depending on measuring length, see dimension drawing
Installation position:	vertical
Roller indication:	
Housing:	aluminium anodized
Indication rollers:	PBT
Front cover:	Makrolon PC
Limit contacts (NBK-RP	
Contact function:	bistable changeover contact (reed contact)
Max. switch capacity:	230 V _{AC} , 60 VA, 1 A 230 V _{DC} , 30 W, 0.5 A
Cable:	1 m PVC (NBK-RPVC) 1 m silicone (NBK-RSIL)
Protection:	IP 65
Transmitter typeW:	
Measuring principle:	Reed contact chain
Total resistance:	approx. 3 - 5 Ω
Measuring-circuit voltage:	
Measuring current:	max. 0.1 A
Resolution:	10 mm
Protection:	IP 65
Transmitter typeM: Reed contact chain with	
Output:	4 - 20 mA
Supply voltage:	11 to 30 V _{DC}
Max. load:	1000 Ω at U _B =30 V _{DC}
	700 Ω at $U_B = 24 V_{DC}$
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Ambient temperature:	-20 to +60 °C
Resolution:	10 mm
Protection:	IP 65

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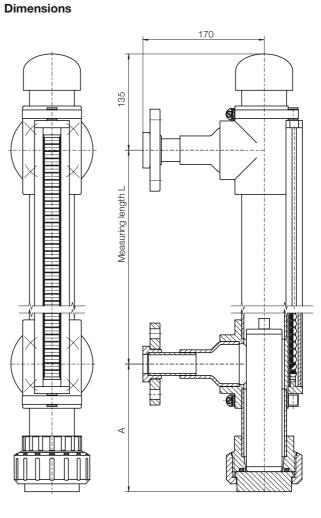


Clearance dimension A [mm]

Model	Material	Medium densities				
		0.57 kg/dm³	0.63 kg/dm ³	0.74 kg/dm ³	0.85 kg/dm³	1.25 kg/dm³
NBK-15	PVC	320	270	220	170	170

Model	Material	Medium densities				
		0.6 kg/dm ³	0.68 kg/dm ³	0.79 kg/dm ³	0.95 kg/dm³	1.3 kg/dm ³
NBK-16	PP	320	270	220	170	170

Model	Material	Medium densities				
		0.76 kg/dm³	0.85 kg/dm³	0.95 kg/dm³	1.05 kg/dm³	1.25 kg/dm³
NBK-17	PVDF	320	270	220	170	170



Order Details (Example: NBK-15 F 20 00 0)

Model	Material	Connection	Nominal size	Roller indication	Transmitter		
NBK-15	PVC		20 = DN 20, ³ / ₄ " 25 = DN 25, 1"		0 = without		
NBK-16	PP	 F = DIN flange A = ANSI flange 	32 = DN 32, 11/4" 40 = DN 40, 11/2" 50 = DN 50, 2"	00 = without RP=PBT rollers	W = chain of resistoresM = chain of resistoreswith transmitter		
NBK-17	PVDF						
NBK-RPVC	NBK-RPVC Standard limit contact (bistable changeover contact), 1 m PVC cable						
NBK-RSIL	Standard limit contact (bistable changeover contact), 1 m silicone cable						

Please specify in writing:
• measuring length

- medium density
 - pressure stage
 - (PN 10, PN 16, PN 25, PN 40)
- operating pressure (max. 4 bar)
- operating temperature



Control Devices and Relays

Pulse-Contact Protection Relays · Power Supply · Frequency Transmitter KOBOLD Bus System · Compact Chart Recorder · Sandwich AUF-Display Isolation Switching Amplifier · Display- and Control-Units · Batching System Counter and Flow Indicator · Electro-Mechanical Counters Universal Dosing Device · Universal Indicating Unit



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