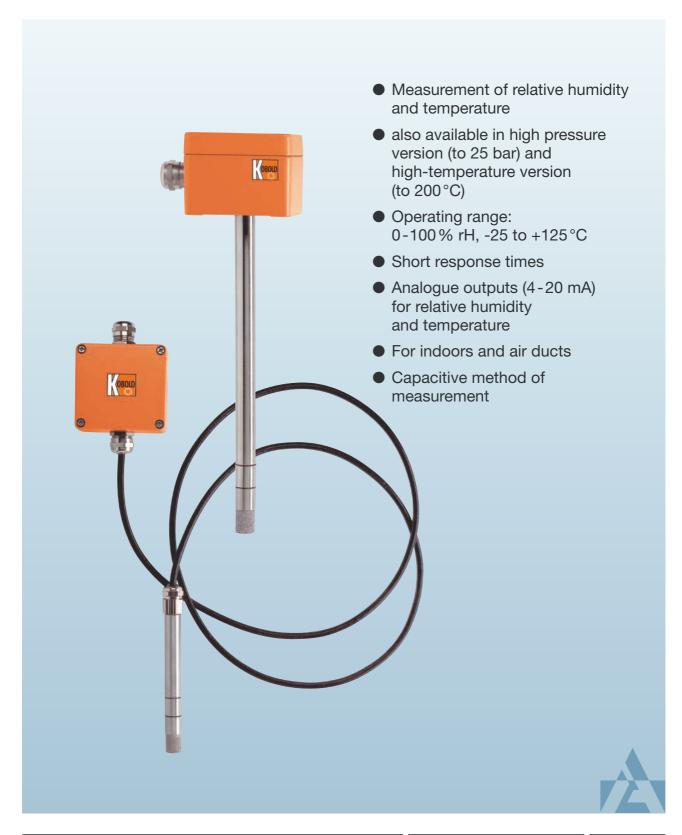


Humidity/Temperature- Measuring Instrument

Capacitive Method of Measurement







Description

The range AFK-G humidity/temperature sensors are sensors for measuring relative humidity and temperature (optional) in air and other non-aggressive gases for an operating temperature to 200 °C. The high pressure variant can be used up to a pressure of 25 bar. The sensors are thus ideally suited for measuring humidity in industrial processes.

The sensors are based on capacitive metrology which is reasonably-priced, maintenance-free and highly accurate. Capacitive humidity sensor elements form the basis of these sensors. An electrode system, a moisture-sensitive polymer layer and a gold layer that is permeable to vapour are situated on a small thin glass or ceramic substrate.

Since the hygroscopic polymer layer can absorb water molecules that alter its dielectric constant, this layered system acts as a moisture-dependant capacitor, whose capacitance is a measure of the surrounding relative humidity.

The change in capacitance is converted to an electrical output signal by electronics normally mounted on the humidity sensor element. Both parts form a capacitive humidity sensor that can be adjusted using humidity references. Accuracy is approximately $\pm~2\%$ rH.

The transmitters offer a 4-20 mA analogue output for relative humidity and a second 4-20 mA output for temperature when specified.

Application examples

- Monitoring air conditioning systems, drying plant, humidifiers and dehumidifiers
- Bakery technology
- Warehousing
- Ripening warehouses for food
- R & D (e.g. environmental engineering)
- Household

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Greenhouses

Technical Details

Humidity

Measuring range: 0...100% rH
Measuring accuracy: ±2% rH

(for range 5...95 % rH and 10...40 °C)

Additional

measurement error: 0.1%/K (at < 10 °C, > 40 °C)

Response time

 $\begin{array}{ll} \text{(T 90 at 1 m/s):} & \text{1 min} \\ \text{Analogue output:} & \text{4...20 mA} \\ \text{Max load:} & \text{1000 } \Omega \\ \end{array}$

Temperature

Measuring element: Pt 100, category B

(according to DIN IEC 751) -25...+125°C for AFK-G1

Measuring range: -25...+125 °C for AFK-G1 (standard version, duct mounting)

-25...+125°C for AFK-G3 (high pressure version) 0...200°C for AFK-G2 (high-temperature version) -20...+80°C (standard variant)

Measuring accuracy: ±0.3 K

Additional error: $(<10^{\circ}\text{C}, > 40^{\circ}\text{C}) \pm 0.07\%/10 \text{ K}$

Analogue output: 4...20 mAMax load: 1000Ω

Response time

(T 90 at 1 m/s): 1 min

General

Ambient temperature:

Transmitter: -40...+80°C

Sensor (standard,

Kanalmontage): -40...+125°C Sensor (high pressure): -40...+125°C Sensor (high temp.): -60...+200°C

Sensor (standard,

wall mounting): -40...+80°C
Ambient pressure: atmospheric

to 25 bar (high pressure version)

Operating voltage: $12...30 V_{DC}$

Power input: 24 mA each meas. channel

Degree of protection:

Transmitter: IP 54 Sensor: IP 40

Material:

Transmitter: diecast aluminium Sensor: stainless steel

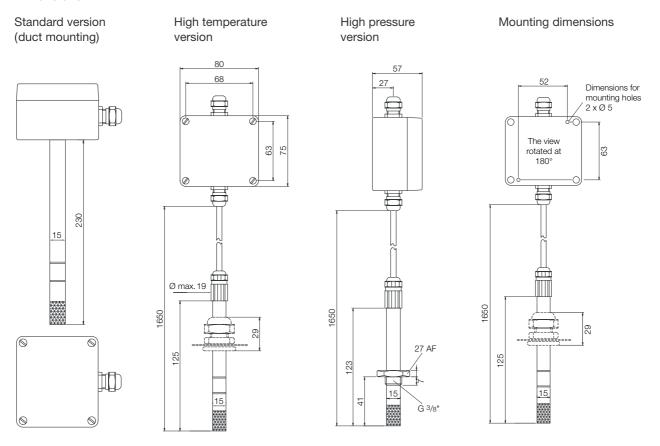
Electromagnetic compatibility:
Noise immunity: EN 50082-2

Emitted interference: EN 55011 Class B Weight: approx. 0.4 - 0.6 kg

(depending on version)



Dimensions



Order Details (Example: AFK-G 1 F)

Model	Description	Instrument version	Measuring parameter
AFK-G	Humidity measuring instrument	1 = standard version duct mounting, t _{max:} 125 °C 2 = high temperature version t _{max:} 200 °C 3 = high pressure version p _{max:} 25 bar, t _{max:} 125 °C 4 = standard version wall mounting, t _{max:} 80 °C	F = humidity T = humidity and temperature

Accessories:

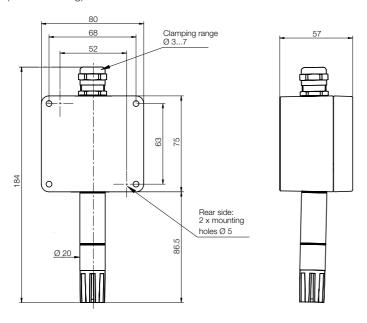
Mounting plate for duct mounting **Model AFK-GB** (Details see page 8)



Dimensions

Standard version

(wall mounting)



Accessories:

Mounting plate for duct mounting Model AFK-GB

