

FPR130 Series Visual Flow Indicator with Pulse Output



INSTRUCTION SHEET

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Description: FPR130 units monitor dynamic fluid flow. The rotor reacts to turbulence, pulsation, entrained air, and other flow abnormalities induced in the flow stream by other process hardware. For optimum performance, install units where nominal flow conditions exist, with ports located at the top. Incoming flow may be placed to either port. A minimum of 8" of straight pipe on the inlet side is required.

Installation: FPR130 series sensors connect to piping via NPT mating thread forms. The following guidelines are provided to assist with installation for a leakfree seal, without damage to the unit: 1. Apply pipe thread sealant to male pipe threads. 2.Thread unit onto male pipe thread until hand-tight. 3. Tighten pipe 1 to 1-1/2 additional turns. 4. If improper seal results, continue turning pipe into unit in 1/4 turn increments. Do not exceed one additional turn. Recommended Pipe Sealant: PFA Thread Tape.

Panel Mounting: Any FPR130 series sensor may be panel mounted using holes integrated into the bodies. Two (2) mounting ears are provided at the body centerline to receive #8 self-tapping screws. NOTE: ANSI T Type 23 self-tapping screws are recommended. They may be replaced with standard machine screws if reinstallation should be reauired.

Filtration and Cleaning: 150 micron filtration is recommended. However, should foreign particles enter the FPR130 sensor, accumulation is easily cleared by removing the lens from the body. The lens is removed by turning its center rib 45° counter-clockwise and then pulling it out. To reinstall the lens, simply reverse the process. Pressure must be relieved from the system prior to sensor clean-out.

NOTES: Product must be maintained and installed in strict accordance with the National *BSPP plastic units are 4.95" Electrical Code and Omega product catalog and instruction bulletin. Failure to ob-

serve this warning could result in serious injuries or damages. An appropriate explosion-proof enclosure or intrinsically safe interface device must be used for hazardous area applications involving such things as (but not limited to) ignitable mixtures, combustible dust and flammable materials. Pressure and temperature limitations shown on individual catalog pages and drawings for the specified flow switches must not be exceeded. These pressures and temperatures take into consideration possible system surge pressures/temperatures and their frequencies. Selection of materials for compatibility with the media is critical to the life and operation of Omega flow switches. Take care in the proper selection of materials of construction; particularly wetted materials. Life expectancy of switch contacts varies with applications. Contact Omega if life cycle testing is required. Ambient temperature changes do affect switch set points, since the specific gravity of a liquid can vary with temperature. Flow switches have been designed to resist shock and vibration; however, shock and vibration should be minimized. Liquid media containing particulate and/or debris should



Min

Incoming

.25", .50" Plastic and Brass Bodies*



be filtered to ensure proper operation of Omega products. Electrical entries and mounting points may require liquid/vapor sealing if located in an enclosed tank. Flow .75" Brass Bodies switches must not be field repaired. Physical damaged sustained by the product may render it unserviceable.

Signal Output: Output signal is an on/off pulse of the DC voltage supplied to the unit. It is compatible with all digital logic families. Input voltage range is 4.5 to 24 VDC. Frequency of the output pulse is proportional to the flow rate and ranges from approximately 15 Hz at low flow to 225 Hz at high flow.

Electrical Data: Input Power and output are connected via a multiconductor. PVC-jacketed 24' cable +VDC Red

Ground

Black

Signal Output White This product is suitable for Class I and Class II applications only, per the requirements of standard EN60730 and any additional specific requirements for a particular application or medium being sensed. Class I compliance of metal bodied units requires a ground connection between the metal body and the earthing system of the installation. Class I compliance of plastic bodied units in contact with a conductive medium requires that the medium be effectively earthed so as to provide an earthed barrier between the unit and accessible areas. For Class III compliance, a supply at safety extra-low voltage (SELV) must be provid-

ed. Please consult the Factory for compliance information on specific part numbers



+VDC 12



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				Flow Range—GPM			K-Factor	
	Standard Low Flow				/ Flow	(Pulses/Gal)		
Body Material	Port Size	Part Number NPT Threads	Part Number BSPP Threads	Range	Range	Adapter Part Number	Standard	Low Flow
Polypropylene	.25"	FPR131	FPR131-BSP	0.5 - 5.0	0.1 - 1.0	152147	2196	10,900
	.50"	FPR132	FPR132-BSP	4.0 - 20.0	1.5 - 12.0	151832	611	959
Brass	.25"	FPR133	FPR133-BSP	0.5 - 5.0	0.1 - 1.0	152147	2196	10900
	.50"	FPR134	FPR134-BSP	4.0 - 20.0	1.5 - 12.0	133743	611	959
	.75"	FPR135	FPR135-BSP	5.0 - 30.0	N/A	N/A	385	N/A
	1.00"	FPR136	FPR131-BSP	8.0 - 60.0	N/A	N/A	180	N/A
Stainless Steel	.25"	FPR133-SS	FPR133-BSP-SS	0.5 - 5.0	0.1 - 1.0	152147	2196	10900
	.50"	FPR134-SS	FPR134-BSP-SS	4.0 - 20.0	1.5 - 12.0	133743	611	959
	.75"	FPR135-SS	FPR135-BSP-SS	5.0 - 30.0	N/A	N/A	385	N/A
	1.00"	FPR136-SS	FPR131-BSP-SS	8.0 - 60.0	N/A	N/A	180	N/A



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- 2. Model and serial number of the product under warranty, and
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