# LEVEL MEASUREMENT



# FLOAT LEVEL SWITCH OPTICAL LEVEL SWITCH



# Applications

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# **Level Sensors applications**



Water treatment



**Machine tools** 



**Mobile hydraulics** 



**Food and Beverages** 



Chemical



**Pharmaceutical** 

# Product lines: level sensors and level switches

In order to get a precise level measurement in a wide range of different application, it's possible to choose between different measurement systems as reed contact, conductive or optoelectronic. The level sensors or level switches are also available in different materials as stainless steel, PP, PVFD, PVC or brass, in order to satisfy requirements of every industrial applications.



### Level sensor - TFC

The principle of operation is of potentiometric type, based on the gradual shutdown of a chain of resistors and reed contacts, placed inside the guiding rod, by a magnetic float. An analogue output signal in provided with a measuring resolution of 5, 10 or 20mm.

### Level switch - TFS

The principle of operation of these instruments is based on the drive of one or more magnetic reed contacts, placed inside of the measuring rod, by one or more floats. Up to 6 floats with individual switchpoints are available for comprehensive monitoring of the liquid level.

### **Optical level - TOS**

The optical sensor is located in a metallic body which includes a polysulfone prism inside of which there is inserted an infrared transceiver. As soon as the sensor is immersed in the liquid, the refraction index of the prism changes and a large part of the infrared beam is dispersed in the liquid, causing the output to change state.



### **Conductive level - TCS**

Conductive probes constitute a valid solution for controlling the level of liquid with minimum value of conductivity of  $5\mu$ S/cm. The resistance between two measuring electrodes changes by the presence or

absence of a medium. In single-rod probes, the electrically conductive tank wall serves as a counter electrode.



# TFC - Continous float level sensor

Data sheet www.trafag.com/H20040

The principle of operation is of potentiometric type, based on the gradual shutdown of a chain of resistors and reed contacts, placed inside the guiding rod, by a magnetic float. An analogue output signal in provided with a measuring resolution of 5, 10 or 20mm.

Reference

EN61326-1

### **Features**

- Measuring resolution 5, 10, 20 mm
- Analogue output 4 ... 20 mA, 0 ... 5 or 0 ... 10 VDC
- Optional temperature sensor PT1000
- Minimum degree of protection IP65

### **Standard parameters** TFCO TFCS TFCP Туре Spansil – Butadiene – Stainless steel AISI316 Floats PVDF - PP - PVC Acrylonitrile Copolymer Ambient temperature -30 ... + 55°C -30 ... +55°C -30 ... +55°C Up to 105°C, optional 120°C Up to 105°C, optional 150°C Up to 130°C (PVDF) Media temperature Up to 90°C (PP) Up to 60°C (PVC) Working pressure<sup>1</sup> 20 bar max 50 bar max 6 bar (PVDF or PVC) max 3 bar (PP) max

<sup>1)</sup> Depend of type of float.

# TFS - Float level switch

The principle of operation of these instruments is based on the drive of one or more magnetic reed contacts, placed inside of the measuring rod, by one or more floats. Up to 6 floats with individual switchpoints are available for comprehensive monitoring of the liquid level.

### **Features**

- Up to 6 switch points
- Minimum degree of protection IP65
- Optional temperature sensor PT1000 or thermostat
- Potted electrical contacts



Data sheet

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Туре	TFSO	TFSS	TFSP
Floats	Spansil – Butadiene – Acrylonitrile Copolymer	Stainless steel AISI316	PVDF – PP – PVC
Ambient temperature	-30 + 55°C	-30 +55°C	-30 +55°C
Media temperature	Up to 105°C, optional 120°C	Up to 105°C, optional 150°C or 180°C	Up to 130°C (PVDF) Up to 90°C (PP) Up to 60°C (PVC)
Working pressure <sup>1</sup>	20 bar max	50 bar max	6 bar (PVDF or PVC) max 3 bar (PP) max

<sup>1)</sup> Depend of type of float.

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Reference

EN61010-1

# TOS - Optical level switch

Data sheet www.trafag.com/H20042

The optical sensor is located in a metallic body which includes a polysulfone prism inside of which there is inserted an infrared transceiver. As soon as the sensor is immersed in the liquid, the refraction index of the prism changes and a large part of the infrared beam is dispersed in the liquid, causing the output to change state.

### **Features**

- No moving parts
- Hermetic construction, sealed electronics
- Minimum degree of protection IP65





Standard parameters		
Sensor	Infrared transceiver	
Ambient temperature	-30 +55°C	
Media temperature	-40 +85°C	
Working pressure	260 bar max (25°C) or 200 bar max (85°C)	

# TCS - Conductive level probe

Conductive probes constitute a valid solution for controlling the level of liquid with minimum value of conductivity of  $5\mu$ S/cm. The resistance between two measuring electrodes changes by the presence or absence of a medium. In single-rod probes, the electrically conductive tank wall serves as a counter electrode.

## **Features**

- No calibration required
- Coated electrodes
- Hermetic construction, epoxy resin sealed
- Minimum degree of protection IP65
- No moving parts in the tank

### **Reference EN61010-1**



Data sheet www.trafag.com/H200XX

Standard parametersMax electrodes length2000 mmElectrodes materialInox 316 SSElectrodes coatingKynar, PTFE or PolyolefinsWorking pressure-1 ... 6 barMedia temperature100°C maxDegree of protectionIP65





# Pressure and Temperature Gauges

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