Pressure transmitters

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Overview



The pressure transmitter SITRANS LH300 is a submersible sensor for hydrostatic level measurement with a protective capability made of PPE (left), stainless steel (center) and ETFE (right).

The pressure transmitter measures the liquid levels in tanks, containers, channels and dams. The SITRANS LH300 pressure transmitters are available for various measuring ranges and with explosion protection as an option.

A cable box and an anchoring clamp are available as accessories for simple installation.

Benefits

- Compact design
- Simple installation
- Small error in measurement (typically 0.15%)
- Degree of protection IP68

Application

SITRANS LH300 pressure transmitters are used in the following fields of industry, for example:

- Shipbuilding
- Water/waste water supply
- Drinking water treatment plants
- For use in unpressurized/open vessels and wells
- Desalinization plants

Design

The pressure transmitter has a built-in ceramic sensor which is equipped with a Wheatstone resistance bridge.

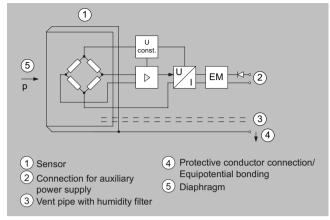
These pressure transmitters are equipped with an electronic circuit fitted together with the sensor in a stainless steel enclosure. In addition, the connecting cable contains a vent pipe which is equipped with a humidity filter to prevent the build-up of condensation.

The diaphragm is protected against external influences by a protective cap.

The sensor, the electronics and the connecting cable are housed in an enclosure with small dimensions.

The pressure transmitter is temperature-compensated for a wide temperature range.

Function



SITRANS LH300 pressure transmitter, mode of operation and connection diagram

On one side of the sensor (1), the diaphragm (5) is exposed to the hydrostatic pressure which is proportional to the submersion depth. This pressure is compared with atmospheric pressure. Pressure compensation is carried out using the vent pipe (3) in the connecting cable. The vent pipe is equipped with a humidity filter which prevents the build-up of condensation in the vent pipe.

The hydrostatic pressure of the liquid column acts on the diaphragm of the sensor and transmits the pressure to the Wheatstone resistance bridge in the sensor.

The output voltage signal of the sensor is applied to the electronic circuit where it is converted into an output current signal of 4 to 20 mA.

The protective conductor connection/equipotential bonding (4) is connected to the enclosure.

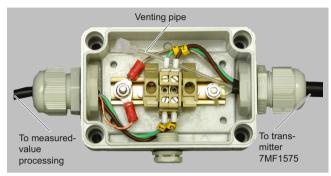
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Integration

It is generally recommended that the connecting cable of the SITRANS LH300 transmitter is connected to the cable box, which can be ordered separately, and secured with an anchoring clamp, also available separately. The cable box is to be installed near the measuring point, but outside the process medium.

Likewise, in the case of process media other than water, the compatibility with the specified materials of the transmitter, cable and seal must be checked.



Cable box 7MF1575-8AA, opened, schematic representation



Measurement location setup, in principle with cable box 7MF1575-8AA and anchoring clamp 7MF1575-8AB

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Selection and ordering data

SITRANS LH300 pressure transmitt	er		ticle IF157	e No. '5-		0	rder	code	e
measuring cell Al ₂ O ₃ ceramic (99.6% purity), wit Material of protective cap for PE cable: PPE (colo Material of protective cap for FEP cable: PPE (col	r: black). or: white)	•	•	•	• •		•	•	•
Note: Cable box and cable hanger must be order Click the article number for online configurati									H
Measuring range	Cable length (PE cable)								۲
0 1 mH ₂ O	5 m (≈ 15 ft)	1	Α						
0 2 mH ₂ O	5 m (≈ 15 ft)	1	В						
0 3 mH₂O	10 m (≈ 30 ft)	1	C						
0 4 mH ₂ O	10 m (≈ 30 ft)	1	D						
0 5 mH₂O	10 m (≈ 30 ft)	1	Е						
0 6 mH ₂ O	10 m (≈ 30 ft)	1	F						
0 10 mH₂O	20 m (≈ 60 ft)	1	Н						
0 20 mH ₂ O	30 m (≈ 90 ft)	1	K						
0 40 mH ₂ O	50 m (≈ 150 ft)	1	L						
0 3 ftH₂O	5 m (≈ 15 ft)	2	Α						
0 6 ftH₂O	5 m (≈ 15 ft)	2	В						
0 9 ftH ₂ O	10 m (≈ 30 ft)	2	С						
0 12 ftH ₂ O	10 m (≈ 30 ft)	2	D						
0 15 ftH₂O	10 m (≈ 30 ft)	2	Е						
0 18 ftH ₂ O	10 m (≈ 30 ft)	2	F						
0 30 ftH ₂ O	20 m (≈ 60 ft)	2	Н						
0 60 ftH₂O	30 m (≈ 90 ft)	2	K						
0 120 ftH₂O	50 m (≈ 150 ft)	2	L						
0 0.1 bar	5 m (≈ 15 ft)	3	Α						
0 0.2 bar	5 m (≈ 15 ft)	3	В						
0 0.3 bar	10 m (≈ 30 ft)	3	C						
0 0.4 bar	10 m (≈ 30 ft)	3	D						
0 0.5 bar	10 m (≈ 30 ft)	3	E						
0 0.6 bar	10 m (≈ 30 ft)	3	F						
0 1 bar	20 m (≈ 60 ft)	3	Н						
0 2 bar	30 m (≈ 90 ft)	3	K						
0 4 bar	50 m (≈ 150 ft)	3	L						
<u>Special designs</u>									
Measuring ranges for special designs between:									
0 1 mH ₂ O and 0 160 mH ₂ O or									
0 3 ftH ₂ O and 0 530 ftH ₂ O or									
0 0.1 bar and 0 16 bar possible.			_						_
PE cable for general applications and drinking	water applications								
Special cable length		9	Х				Н	•	
Add "-Z " to article number, specify order code an Y01: Cable length	d plain text:						+	0	
							Y	0	
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7 m (≈ 101 <i>t)</i>							Н	1	,
7 III (≈ 23 It) 10 m (≈ 33 ft)							Н	1	ľ
15 m (≈ 50 ft)							Н	1	
20 m (≈ 65 ft)							н	1	
25 m (≈ 80 ft)							н	1	
30 m (≈ 100 ft)							н	1	
40 m (≈ 130 ft)							Н	1	ľ
50 m (≈ 160 ft)							Н	1	
60 m (≈ 200 ft)							Н	1	
70 m (≈ 230 ft)							Н	1	
80 m (≈ 265 ft)							Н.	1	
90 m (≈ 295 ft)							н	1	
100 m (≈ 330 ft)							Н.	1	
125 m (≈ 410 ft)							Н	1	F

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Selection and ordering data (continued)

SITRANS LH300 pressure transmitter		Article No. 7MF1575-		Order code				
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200 m (≈ 650 ft)						Н	1	U
225 m (≈ 740 ft)						Н	1	٧
250 m (≈ 820 ft)						Н	1	W
275 m (≈ 900 ft)						н	1	Х
300 m (≈ 990 ft)						н	2	Α
350 m (≈ 1150 ft)						н	2	В
400 m (≈ 1320 ft)						н	2	С
450 m (≈ 1480 ft)						Н	2	D
500 m (≈ 1650 ft)						н	2	Е
550 m (≈ 1815 ft)						Н	2	F
600 m (≈ 1980 ft)						н	2	G
650 m (≈ 2145 ft)						н	2	н
700 m (≈ 2310 ft)						н	2	J
750 m (≈ 2475 ft)						н	2	K
800 m (≈ 2640 ft)						Н	2	L
850 m (≈ 2800 ft)						Н	2	М
900 m (≈ 2970 ft)						н	2	N
950 m (≈ 3135 ft)						Н	2	P
1 000 m (≈ 3300 ft)						Н	2	Q
Additional special cable lengths	9	х				Н	1	Y
Add "-Z" to article number, specify order code and plain text:		^				+	•	ľ
H1Y: Cable length						Y	0	1
FEP cable for corrosive process media								
Special cable length	9	Х				Н		
Add "-Z" to article number, specify order code and plain text:						+		
Y01: Cable length						Υ	0	1
3 m (≈ 10 ft)						Н	5	Α
5 m (≈ 16 ft)						Н	5	В
7 m (≈ 23 ft)						Н	5	C
10 m (≈ 33 ft)						Н	5	D
15 m (≈ 50 ft)						Н	5	Ε
20 m (≈ 65 ft)						Н	5	F
25 m (≈ 80 ft)						Н	5	G
30 m (≈ 100 ft)						Н	5	Н
40 m (≈ 130 ft)						Н	5	J
50 m (≈ 160 ft)						н	5	K
60 m (≈ 200 ft)						Н	5	L
70 m (≈ 230 ft)						Н	5	М
80 m (≈ 265 ft)						н	5	N
90 m (≈ 295 ft)						Н	5	Р
100 m (≈ 330 ft)						Н	5	Q
125 m (≈ 410 ft)						н	5	R
150 m (≈ 495 ft)						н	5	S
175 m (≈ 575 ft)						н	5	Т
200 m (≈ 650 ft)						н	5	U
225 m (≈ 740 ft)						н	5	V
250 m (≈ 820 ft)						н	5	W
275 m (≈ 920 ft)						н	5	X
300 m (≈ 990 ft)						н	6	A
350 m (≈ 1150 ft)						Н	6	В
400 m (≈ 1320 ft)						Н	6	С
						Н		
450 m (≈ 1480 ft)							6	D
500 m (≈ 1650 ft)						Н	6	E
550 m (~ 1815 ft)						Н	6	F
600 m (≈ 1980 ft)						Н	6	G

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Selection and ordering data (continued)

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650 m (≈ 2145 ft)							Н	6	Н
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750 m (≈ 2475 ft)							Н	6	K
800 m (≈ 2640 ft)							Н	6	L
850 m (≈ 2800 ft)							Н	6	М
900 m (≈ 2970 ft)							Н	6	N
950 m (≈ 3135 ft)							Н	6	Р
1000 m (≈ 3300 ft)							Н	6	Q
Additional special cable lengths		9	Х				Н	5	Υ
Add "-Z" to article number, specify order code and plain text: H1Y: Cable length Y01: Measuring range							+ Y	0	1
Material of the enclosure	Protective cap material								
Stainless steel 316L (1.4404)	Protective cap made of PPE (recommended for PE cable)			Α					
Stainless steel 316L (1.4404)	Protective cap made of ETFE (standard with FEP cable)			В					
Stainless steel 316L (1.4404)	Stainless steel 316L (1.4404)			C					
Stainless steel 904L (1.4539) for seawater applications	Protective cap made of PPE			D					
Stainless steel 904L (1.4539) for seawater applications	Protective cap made of ETFE			E					
Stainless steel 904L (1.4539) for seawater applications	Stainless steel 904L (1.4539) for seawater applications			F					
Gasket material between sensor and enclosure									
FPM (standard)					1				
EPDM (for drinking water applications)					2				
Explosion protection									
None						0			
With ATEX II1 G Ex ia IIC T4 Ga, IECEx Ex ia IIC T4 Ga and EAC Ex	explosion protection (only possible for cable length ≤ 300 m (990 ft))					1			

Options	Order code				
Quality test certificate (factory calibration) according to IEC 62828-2 (6 points upward)	C11				

Accessories/spare parts

	Article No.
Cable box	7MF1575-8AA
Anchoring clamp	7MF1575-8AB
Protective cap, PPE As spare part (pack of 10)	7MF1575-8AD
Protective cap, ETFE As spare part (pack of 10)	7MF1575-8AE
Humidity filter As spare part (pack of 10)	7MF1575-8AF
Protective cap, stainless steel 316L (1.4404) For wastewater applications	7MF1575-8AG
Protective cap, stainless steel 904L (1.4539) For seawater applications	7MF1575-8AH

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Technical specifications

Pressure transmitter SITRANS LH300 (submersible sensor) Mode of operation Measuring principle Piezo-resistive Input Measured variable Hydrostatic level Measuring range Max. permissible operating pressure • 1.5 bar (21.8 psi) (corresponds to 15 mH₂O (45 ftH₂O)) • 0 ... 1 mH₂O (0 ... 3 ftH₂O) 1.5 bar (21.8 psi) (corresponds to 15 mH₂O (45 ftH₂O)) • 0 ... 2 mH₂O (0 ... 6 ftH₂O) • 0 ... 3 mH₂O (0 ... 9 ftH₂O) 1.5 bar (21.8 psi) (corresponds to 15 mH₂O (45 ftH₂O)) • 0 ... 4 mH₂O (0 ... 12 ftH₂O) 2 bar (29 psi) (corresponds to 20 mH₂O (60 ftH₂O)) • 0 ... 5 mH₂O (0 ... 15 ftH₂O) • 2 bar (29 psi) (corresponds to 20 mH₂O (60 ftH₂O)) 2 bar (29 psi) (corresponds to 20 mH₂O (60 ftH₂O)) • 0 ... 6 mH₂O (0 ... 18 ftH₂O) • 0 ... 10 mH₂O (0 ... 30 ftH₂O) • 5 bar (72.5 psi) (corresponds to 50 mH₂O (150 ftH₂O)) • 0 ... 20 mH₂O (0 ... 60 ftH₂O) • 10 bar (145 psi) (corresponds to 100 mH₂O (300 ftH₂O)) 20 bar (290 psi) (corresponds to 200 mH₂O (600 ftH₂O)) • 0 ... 40 mH₂O (0 ... 120 ftH₂O) Special measuring ranges • Up to 100 mH₂O (0 ... 300 ftH₂O) • 20 bar (290 psi) (corresponds to 200 mH₂O (600 ftH₂O)) • Up to 160 mH₂O (0 ... 480 ftH₂O) • 24 bar (348 psi) (corresponds to 240 mH₂O (720 ftH₂O)) Measuring range • 0 ... 0.1 bar • 1.5 bar • 0 ... 0.2 bar • 1.5 bar • 0 ... 0.3 bar • 1 5 har • 0 ... 0.4 bar • 2 bar • 0 ... 0.5 bar • 2 bar • 0 ... 0.6 bar • 2 bar • 0 ... 1 bar 5 har • 0 ... 2 bar • 10 bar • 0 ... 4 bar • 20 bar Special measuring ranges • Up to 10 bar • 20 bar • Up to 20 bar • 24 bar Output Output signal 4 ... 20 mA Measuring accuracy According to IEC 62828-1 Measurement deviation at limit setting • \leq 0.15% of the measuring range end value including hysteresis and reproducibility (typical) • ≤ 0.3% of the measuring range end value (max.) ≤ 0.05%/10 K of the measuring range end value (zero point and span) Effect of ambient temperature ≤ 0.15% of the measuring range end value/year (zero point and span) Long-term stability Operating conditions Ambient conditions -10 ... +80 °C (14 ... 176 °F) · Process temperature • Storage temperature -20 ... +80 °C (-4 ... +176 °F) IP68 Degree of protection according to IEC 60529 Structural design Weight • Pressure transmitter ≈ 0.4 kg (≈ 0.88 lb)

Technical specifications (continued)

Pressure transmitter SITRANS	LH300 (submersible sensor)		
• Cable	0.08 kg/m (≈ 0.059 lb/ft)		
Maximum of freely hanging length	300 m (990 ft)		
Electrical connection	Cable with 2 wires, vent pipe and integrated humidity filters		
Material			
Seal diaphragm	Al ₂ O ₃ ceramic, 96%		
Enclosure	Stainless steel, mat. no. 1.4404/316L or 1.4539/904L for seawater applications		
• Gasket	• FPM (standard)		
	• EPDM (optional)		
Connecting cable PE (standard/drinking water application)			
	FEP (for corrosive process media)		
Protective cap	Stainless steel, PPE or ETFE		
Auxiliary power			
Terminal voltage on pressure transmitter $U_{\rm B}$	• 10 33 V DC for transmitter without explosion protection		
	• 10 30 V DC for transmitter with intrinsic safety explosion protection		
Certificates and approvals			
Drinking water approval (ACS)	17 ACC NY 055		
EAC	TC N RU Д-DE.ГА02.В.05092		
Underwriters Laboratories (UL)	ML File No. E344532, issued 2017-08-17		
Marine approval (LR)	LR_18/20074		
Marine approval (DNV/GL)	TAA00000CE		
Marine approval (BV)	56926/A0 BV		
Marine approval (ABS)	HG1881314_P		
Marine approval (RINA)	ELE067319XG		
Pressure Equipment Directive	The transmitter is not subject to the pressure equipment directive (DGRL 2014/68/EU)		
Explosion protection			
• ATEX	SEV 16 ATEX 0121		
• IEC Ex	IEC Ex SEV 16.0003		
• EAC Ex	TC RU C-DE.AA87.B.00324		
Intrinsic safety "i"			
Marking	II 1 G Ex ia IIC T4 Ga		

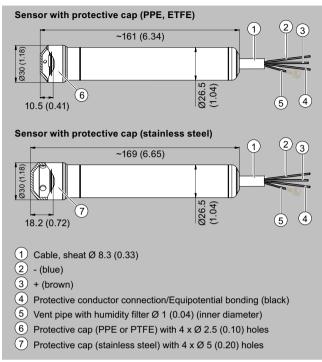
Area of application	For connecting the transmitter cable		
Structural design			
Weight	0.2 kg (0.44 lb)		
Electrical connection	2 x 3-way (28 to 18 AWG)		
Cable entry	2 x PG 13.5		
Enclosure material	Polycarbonate		
Vent valve for atmospheric pressure			
Operating conditions			
Degree of protection according to EC 60529	IP65		

	Anchoring clamp							
Area of application		For mounting the transmitter						
	Structural design							
	Weight	0.16 kg (0.35 lb)						
	Material Zinc-plated steel, polyamide							
	Terminal area	For cable with a diameter of 5.5 9.5 mm						

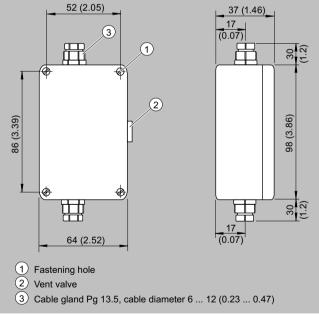
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Dimensional drawings

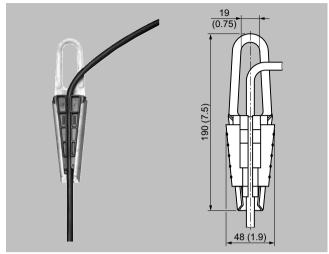


SITRANS LH300 pressure transmitter, dimensions in mm (inch)



Cable box, dimensions in mm (inch)

Dimensional drawings (continued)



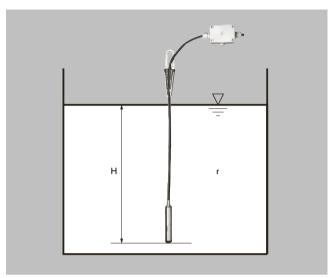
Anchoring clamp, dimensions in mm (inch)

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More information

Determination of the measuring range for water as process medium



Calculation of the measuring range:

$p = \rho \times g \times H$

with:

 ρ = density of medium

g = local gravitational acceleration H = maximum level

Example:

Medium: Water, $\rho = 1~000 \text{ kg/m}^3$ Gravitational acceleration: 9.81 m/s²

Lower range value: 0 m Maximum level: 6.0 m Cable length: 10 m

Calculation:

p = 1 000 kg/m³ x 9.81 m/s² x 6.0 m p = 58 860 N/m²

p = 589 mbar

Transmitter to be ordered:

7MF1575-1FA10

Plus, if required, cable box 7MF1575-8AA and anchoring clamp 7MF1575-8AB