

Level Measurement

Point level measurement

Vibrating switches / SITRANS LVS100

Overview



SITRANS LVS100 is a vibrating point level switch for material detection in bulk solids.

Benefits

- High resistance to mechanical forces
- Sliding sleeve options for adjustable insertion length and ease of cleaning
- Rotatable enclosure for ease of installation and wiring
- Suitable for point level detection of materials starting at a bulk density of 30 g/l (1.9 lb/ft³)
- Customer desired extensions up to 4 000 mm (157.48 inch)

Application

SITRANS LVS100 detects high, low or demand levels of dry bulk solids in bins, silos or hoppers.

SITRANS LVS100 has a compact design and can be top, side, or angle mounted. The vibrating fork design ensures the tines are kept clean. The unique design of the fork and crystal assembly eliminates false high level readings even if tines become damaged.

A signal from the electronic circuit excites a crystal in the probe causing the fork to vibrate. If the fork is covered by material, the change in vibration is detected by the electronic circuitry which causes the relay to change state after a one second delay. When the fork is free from material pressure, full vibration resumes and the relay reverts to its normal condition.

- Key Applications: dry bulk solids in bins, silos, hoppers

Configuration

Installation

Rigid extension with sliding sleeve

Position tines vertically to avoid product build-up: use a 50 mm open-end wrench to turn the process connection until the tine orientation marking faces up or down.

Protection in case of high material loading.

Cable gland faces downward to avoid water penetration.

Tine orientation marking facing sideways.

Use angle mounting for flowing material only. If angle mounting is required with high material loading, customer-supplied protection from falling material must be in place.

| max. deviation from vertical O | max. length L |
|--------------------------------|---------------|
| 5° | 4.0 m |
| 45° | 1.2 m |
| > 45° | 0.6 m |

SITRANS LVS100 installation, dimensions in mm (inch)

Selection and ordering data

| | Article No. | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|-------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| SITRANS LVS100 Vibrating fork point level switch Level and material detection for dry bulk solids. Extension options to 4 m (13.12 ft). | 7ML5735- | ● | ● | ● | ● | ● | - | 0 | ● | A | 0 | |
| Click on the Article No. for the online configuration in the PIA Life Cycle Portal. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Input Voltage | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| DPDT Relay: 19 ... 230 V AC, 19 ... 40 V DC | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| DPDT Relay: 19 ... 230 V AC, 19 ... 40 V DC (stocked version) ¹⁾ ³⁾ | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Process temperature | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Up to 150 °C (302 °F) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Process connection | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Threaded | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| R 1½" [(BSPT), EN 10226] | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1¼" NPT [(Taper), ANSI/ASME B1.20.1] | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| R 1½" [(BSPT), EN 10226] DIN 2999 thread, sliding sleeve [min. length 500 mm (19.69 inch)] ²⁾ | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1½" NPT [(Taper), ANSI/ASME B1.20.1], sliding sleeve [min. length 500 mm (19.69 inch)] ²⁾ | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Extension length | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Stainless steel 316L (1.4404) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Standard length, 170 mm (6.69 inch) | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | | | |
| Add Order code Y01 and plain text: "Insertion length ... mm" | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Stainless steel 304 (1.4301) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 230 ... 500 mm (9.05 ... 19.69 inch) | | | | | | | | 1 | 2 | | | |
| 501 ... 1 000 mm (19.72 ... 39.37 inch) | | | | | | | | 1 | 3 | | | |
| 1 001 ... 1 500 mm (39.41 ... 59.06 inch) | | | | | | | | 1 | 4 | | | |
| 1 501 ... 2 000 mm (59.09 ... 78.74 inch) | | | | | | | | 1 | 5 | | | |
| 2 001 ... 2 500 mm (78.78 ... 98.43 inch) | | | | | | | | 1 | 6 | | | |
| 2 501 ... 3 000 mm (98.46 ... 118.11 inch) | | | | | | | | 1 | 7 | | | |
| 3 001 ... 3 500 mm (118.15 ... 137.80 inch) | | | | | | | | 1 | 8 | | | |
| 3 501 ... 4 000 mm (137.83 ... 157.48 inch) | | | | | | | | 2 | 0 | | | |
| Approvals | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| CSA/FM General Purpose, CE, RCM | | | | | | | | | | | | A |
| CSA/FM Class II, Div. 1, Groups E, F, G, Class III, ATEX II ½ D, RCM | | | | | | | | | | | | B |
| IEC-Ex Ex t IIIC T-- Da/Db IP6X | | | | | | | | | | | | C |
| EAC Ex ta/tb IIIC Da/Db | | | | | | | | | | | | D |

¹⁾ Only available with the following configurations 7ML5735-2AA11-0AA0 or 7ML5735-2AB11-0AA0.²⁾ Not available with extension length options 11 and 12.³⁾ Input voltage 2 not allowed with extension length 16, 17, 18 or 20.

| Selection and Ordering data | Order code |
|---|------------|
| Further Designs | |
| Please add "-Z" to Art. No. and specify Order code(s). | |
| Total insertion length: Enter the total insertion length in plain text description, max. (50 mm increments) | Y01 |
| Signal bulb inserted in M20 cable gland ¹⁾ | A20 |
| Factory test certificate - M to DIN 55350, Part 18 | C11 |

¹⁾ Available only with Approval option A.

| Spare Parts | Article No. |
|---|-------------|
| Operating Instructions | |
| All literature is available to download for free, in a range of languages, at http://www.siemens.com/processinstrumentation/documentation | |
| Spare Parts | |
| Replacement Electronics Module LVS100 DPDT Relay (19 ... 253 V AC, 19 ... 55 V DC) | 7ML1830-1NS |
| R 1½" [(BSPT), EN 10226] DIN 2999 thread, sliding sleeve | 7ML1830-1NT |
| 1½" NPT [(Taper), ANSI/ASME B1.20.1], sliding sleeve [min. length 500 mm (19.69 inch)] | 7ML1830-1NU |

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Technical specifications

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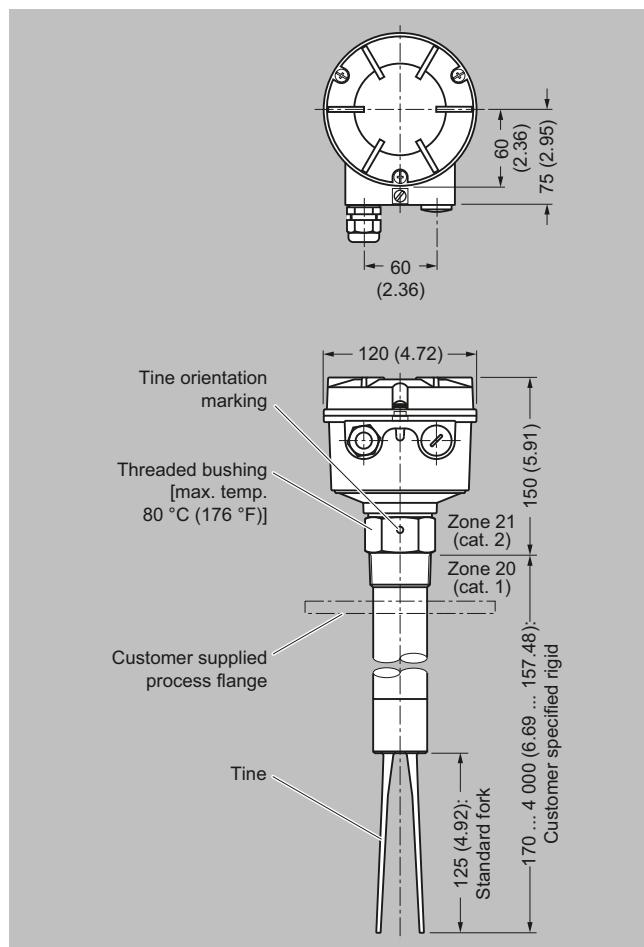
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| Mode of Operation | Vibrating point level switch |
| Measuring principle | |
| Input | |
| Measured variable | High, low and demand |
| Measuring frequency | 200 Hz |
| Output | |
| Relays | DPDT relay |
| Relay delay | From loss of vibration: approximately 1 second From resumption of vibration: approximately 1 ... 2 s |
| Signal delay | Probe uncovered to covered: approximately 1 s Probe covered to uncovered: approximately 1 ... 2 s |
| Relay fail-safe | High or low, switch selectable |
| Alarm output | Relay 8 A at 250 V AC, non-inductive Relay 5 A at 30 V DC, non-inductive |
| Sensitivity | High or low, switch selectable |
| Rated operating conditions | |
| Installation conditions | |
| • Location | Indoor/outdoor |
| Ambient conditions | |
| • Ambient temperature | -40 ... +60 °C (-40 ... +140 °F) |
| • Storage temperature | -40 ... +80 °C (-40 ... +176 °F) |
| • Installation category | III |
| • Pollution degree | 2 |
| Medium conditions | |
| • Process temperature | -40 ... +150 °C (-40 ... +302 °F) |
| • Max. threaded bushing temperature | 80 °C (176 °F) |
| • Max. enclosure surface temperature (Category 2D) | 90 °C (194 °F) |
| • Max. extension surface temperature (Category 1D) | 150 °C (302 °F) |
| • Pressure (vessel) | Max. 10 bar g (145 psi g) European Pressure Directive 2014/68/EU: Category 1 |
| Minimum material density | Approx. 30 g/l (1.9 lb/ft³) |
| Design | |
| Material | |
| • Enclosure | Epoxy coated aluminum |
| Process connection | |
| | • Thread 1 1/4" NPT [(Taper), ANSI/ASME B1.20.1], R 1 1/2" [(BSPT), EN 10226] |
| | • Thread R 1 1/2" [(BSPT), EN 10226], 1/2" NPT [(Taper), ANSI/ASME B1.20.1], sliding sleeve [min. length 500 mm (19.69 inch)] |
| | • Thread material: stainless steel 304 (1.4301) or 316L (1.4404) depending on configuration |
| Tine material | Stainless steel 316L (1.4404) |
| Degree of protection | IP66/Type 4/NEMA 4 |
| Conduit entry | 2 x M20 x 1.5 or 2 x 1/2" NPT (For FM and CSA approved versions only.) |
| Weight | Standard version, no extensions: approx. 1.7 kg (3.7 lb) |
| Power supply | |
| | • 19 ... 230 V AC, +10 %, 50 ... 60 Hz, 8 VA |
| | • 19 ... 40 V DC, +10 %, 1.5 W |
| Certificates and approvals | |
| | • CSA/FM General Purpose |
| | • CE |
| | • CSA/FM Dust Ignition Proof |
| | • RCM |
| | • ATEX II 1/2 D |

Technical specifications (continued)

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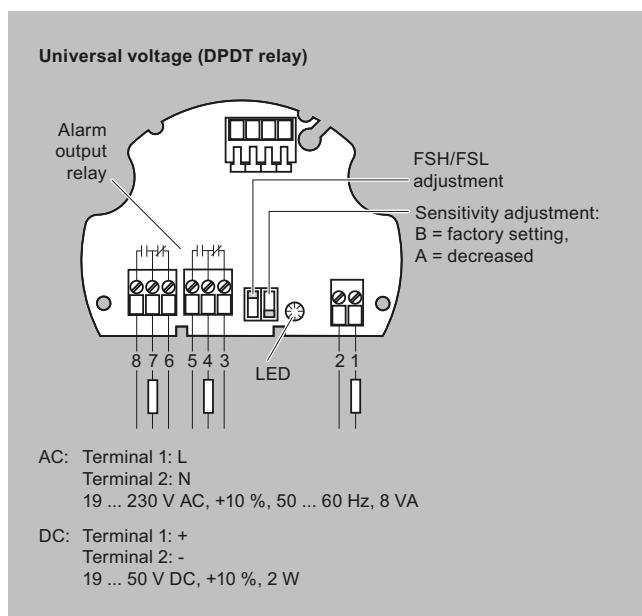
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Dimensional drawings



SITRANS LVS100, dimensions in mm (inch)

Circuit diagrams



SITRANS LVS100 connections