

FOR LIQUIDS

NIVOPRESS D

HYDROSTATIC LEVEL TRANSMITTERS



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MAIN FEATURES

- 0.25% accuracy
- Gauge or absolute pressure transmitter
- Piezoresistive sensor with stainless steel flush diaphragm
- Wide pressure range selection
- Temperature compensation
- HART communication
- Plug-in display
- Wide variety of process connections
- IP 65 protection
- Ex version

APPLICATIONS

- Liquids and masses in tanks and vessels
- Chemicals with dense vapour or gas layers above the surface
- Foaming liquids
- Viscous or corrosive materials



GENERAL DESCRIPTION

NIVOPRESS D hydrostatic level- and pressure transmitters operate in 2-wire systems and convert relative or absolute pressure (input signal) into 4-20 mA (output signal). The piezoresistive sensor measures the hydrostatic pressure and it compares the water head with the actual atmospheric pressure. The sensor is protected by a stainless steel flush diaphragm which transfers the pressure value to the piezoresistive sensor through silicon oil. Intelligent electronics provides on-site programming with SAP-200 plug-in display or remote programming with HART communication. Intrinsically safe (Ex ia approved) models are available for use in hazardous environments. NIVOPRESS D hydrostatic gauge pressure transmitters are suitable for level- and pressure measurement tasks in tanks, vessels and pipes especially in food and beverages industry (for example milk and any other food dollops) applications. The flat surface of the diaphragm avoids the risk of material build up and the maximum medium temperature of 125 °C (275 °F) allows proper (CIP) cleaning required by the regular cleaning processes of the food industry and similar hygienic applications.

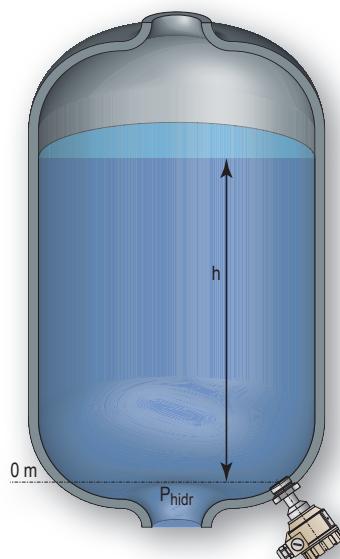
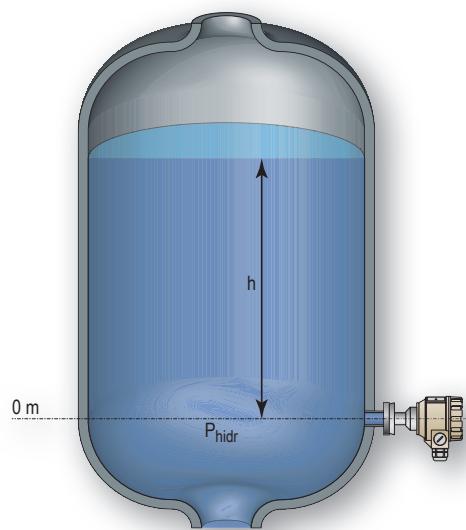
OPERATION

PRINCIPLE OF LEVEL MEASURING BY HYDROSTATIC PRESSURE:

Providing constant density the level depends on the pressure head.

$$\begin{aligned} P_{\text{hidr}} &= 10^{-5} \rho \cdot g \cdot h \\ \downarrow \\ h &= 10^5 \frac{P_{\text{hidr}}}{\rho \cdot g} \\ \downarrow \\ \text{Possible maximum value of "h": } h_{\max} &= 10^5 \end{aligned}$$

P_{hidr} [bar] = hydrostatic pressure
 ρ [kg/m³] = density of the medium
 g [m/s²] = gravitational acceleration
 h [m] = distance between middle of the diaphragm and level of the medium
 $P_{\text{hidr},\max}$ = highest pressure value set in the default



TECHNICAL DATA

Type	NIVOPRESS D-500	NIVOPRESS D-600
Measured process value		level, pressure
Sensor	Piezoresistive silicon sensor, with stainless steel flush diaphragm	
System		2-wire
Power supply		10 ... 36 V DC
Measurement range	-1 ... 400 bar bar g (-14.5 ... 5800 psi g) (as per order codes)	
Overpressure	0.5 ... 600 bar g (7.25 ... 8700 psi g) (as per order codes)	
Downscale rate		≈ 1 : 2
Zero point offset		50% of the measurement range
Accuracy (linearity error)	p > 0.4 bar g (5.8 psi g) ± 0.25 % p ≤ 0.4 bar (5.8 psi g) ± 0.5 %	
Output	Analogue Display Digital communication	4–20 mA SAP-203 - 6-digit plug-in LCD display 4–20 mA + HART
Ambient temperature	p < 100 bar g (1450 psi g): 0 °C ... +70 °C (32 °F ... 158 °F) Ex type: see „Special data for Ex certified models“ table	-30 °C ... +70 °C (-22 °F ... +158 °F), with display: -25 °C ... +70 °C (-13 °F ... +158 °F)
Range of temperature compensation	p < 100 bar g (1450 psi g): 0 °C ... +70 °C (32 °F ... 158 °F)	p ≤ 0.4 bar g (5.8 psi g): 0 °C ... 50 °C (32 °F ... 122 °F)
Medium temperature		-25 °C ... +125 °C (-13 °F ... 257 °F)
Material of wetted parts	Protection diaphragm Process connection Sealing	DIN 1.4435 (316L) stainless steel
Pressure transmitting medium		Silicon oil, on special request: food industry compatible oil
Housing material	Paint coated aluminium	Plastic (PBT)
Process connection		As per order codes
Electrical connection	2 x M20x1.5 plastic cable glands, for 6...12 mm (0.25 ... 0.5 inch) cable + Ex type: see „Special data for Ex certified models“ table	2 x NPT ½ " internal thread for cable protective pipe terminal block for 0.5...1.5 mm ² (AWG 20 ... AWG 15) wire cross section
Electrical protection		Class III.
Ingress protection		IP 65
Explosion protection	See „Special data for Ex certified models“ table	–
Weight	≈ 2 kg (4.4 lb)	≈ 1.6 kg (3.5 lb)

SPECIAL DATA FOR EX CERTIFIED MODELS

Type	NIVOPRESS D□□-500
Protection type	Intrinsically safe
Ex marking	ATEX © II 1G EEx ia IIC T6...T4
Intrinsically safe data	U _{max} = 30 V, I _{max} = 140 mA, P _{max} = 1 W, C _i = 20 nF; L _i = 0.2 mH
Operation temperature range	Without display: -40 °C ... +70 °C (-40 °F ... +158 °F); With display: -25 °C ... +70 °C (-13 °F ... +158 °F)

NIVOPRESS D IN SYSTEM WITH A PC

The instruments with HART output can be connected to a PC using an UNICOMM HART-USB modem. Max. 15 normal instruments can be connected to a single HART loop. All measured values can be visualized and/or the instruments can be remote programmed via digital HART communication. Applicable software: EView2 configuration software or NIVISION process visualization software.



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NIVOPRESS D IN HART MULTIDROP LOOP

The MultiCONT can handle a max. of 15 normal HART or max 4 Ex-proof HART capable NIVELCO transmitters. The digital (HART) information is processed, displayed and if needed it can be transmitted via RS485 communication line to a PC. Remote programming of the transmitters is also possible. Visualisation on PC can be accomplished with NIVISION process visualisation software.



DIMENSIONS

The image contains three technical line drawings of a pressure transmitter, each with dimensions and connection details:

- With threaded process connection:** Shows a top-down view of the transmitter with a threaded connection. Dimensions include a total width of 89 mm, a height of 97 mm, and a flange thickness B. Below the main body, there's a flush diaphragm with dimensions A, SW, D, and C. Thread sizes listed are 1" Ø 28, 1" Ø 42, and 1" Ø 46.
- With Tri-Clamp:** Shows a top-down view of the transmitter with a Tri-Clamp connection. Dimensions are identical to the first model: 89 mm width, 97 mm height, and thickness B. Below the main body, there's a flush diaphragm with dimension A. Thread sizes listed are 1" Ø 24, 1" Ø 32, and 2" Ø 45.
- With pipe coupling (MILCH):** Shows a top-down view of the transmitter with a MILCH pipe coupling connection. Dimensions are identical to the first model: 89 mm width, 97 mm height, and thickness B. Below the main body, there's a flush diaphragm with dimension A. Thread sizes listed are DN25 Ø 24, DN40 Ø 32, and DN50 Ø 45.

ORDER CODES (NOT ALL COMBINATIONS AVAILABLE)

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Version	Code	Process connection	Code	Range (gauge) / Overpressure	Code	Output / Ex	Code
2-wire transmitter	T	½" BSP	C ⁽²⁾⁽³⁾	-1 ... 0 bar / 3 bar	0	4-20 mA	2
2-wire transmitter + display	B	1" BSP	E ⁽⁴⁾	0 ... 0.16 bar / 0.5 bar	1 ⁽⁵⁾	4-20 mA + HART	4
		1 ½" BSP	F	0 ... 0.25 bar / 1 bar	2 ⁽⁵⁾	4-20 mA / EEx ia	6
		1" NPT	S	0 ... 0.4 bar / 1 bar	3 ⁽⁵⁾	4-20 mA + HART / EEx ia	8
		1 ½" NPT	T	0 ... 0.6 bar / 3 bar	4 ⁽⁵⁾		
		1" Tri-Clamp	L	0 ... 1.0 bar / 3 bar	5 ⁽⁶⁾		
		1 ½" Tri-Clamp	M	0 ... 1.6 bar / 6 bar	6 ⁽⁶⁾		
		2" Tri-Clamp	N	0 ... 2.5 bar / 6 bar	7		
		DN 25 pipe-coupling	O	0 ... 4.0 bar / 20 bar	8		
		DN 40 pipe-coupling	P	0 ... 6.0 bar / 20 bar	9		
		DN 50 pipe-coupling	R	0 ... 10 bar / 20 bar	A		

Accessories and auxiliary devices to order

SAP-203	Plug-in LCD display unit
UNICOMM SAT-304 / SAK-305	USB - HART / RS485 modem
UNICONT PGK-301	Ex isolator power supply module
NIPOWER PPK-331	24V DC power supply
UNICONT PDF-501	Universal loop display
SAS-303	EView2 configuration software

(1) The order code of an Ex

The order code of an Ex version should end in „Ex”

(2) Not available in Ex

(3) only for $p \geq 2.5$ bar

(4) only for $p \geq 1$ bar

(5) only with min 1 1/2 connections

(6) only with min. 1" co-

^(b) only with min 1" connection

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