



MOLLET Vibro Level Indicators Instruction Manual

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Explosion protection information and supplement to the operating instructions.

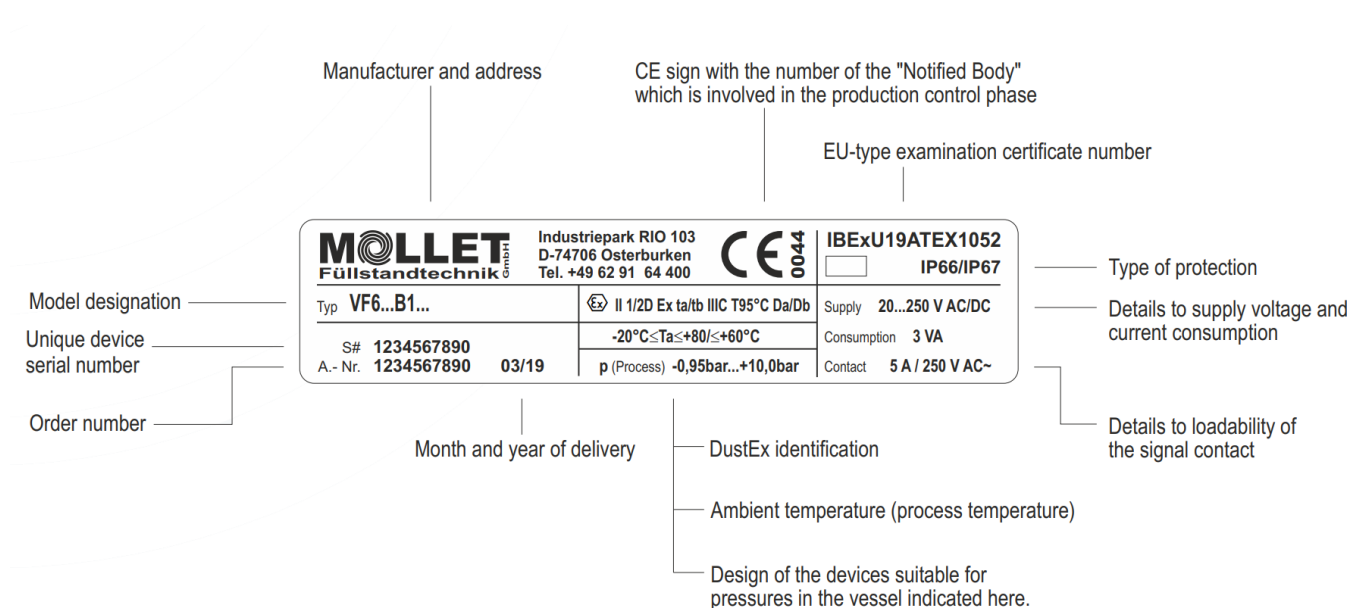
Prior to the use of the device in potentially explosive atmospheres please, read and obey the special conditions and instructions for safe application on page VF6-EID-05

Please observe rules for maximum allowed ambient temperatures shown on page VF6-EID-04.

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Type plate details with option B1 **Dust**



Marking in accordance with ATEX and DIN EN IEC 60079-0

Vibro level indicator for use at the boundary from zone 20 to zone 21.



II 1/2 D Ex ta/tb IIIC T95°C Da/Db

Equivalent to **valid ATEX-Product-Directive**

Equipment group **II** = everything except mining

Equipment category Category **1** for zone 20, 21 and 22
Category **2** for zone 21 and 22

/ = Level indicators,
which are installed on the boundary between different zones

Type of explosive atmosphere **D** = Dust

the **Ex** symbol according to DIN EN IEC 60079-0

t = Protection by enclosure

a = Device with „very high“ protection standard . . . for zone 20, 21 and 22

b = Device with „high“ protection standard for zone 21, and 22

IIIC for flammable conductive dust, flammable non-conductive dust and flammable fibres and flyings

T..°C maximum surface temperature

Type of explosive atmosphere **D** = Dust

a = Device with “very high level of protection” for use in potentially explosive atmospheres where in normal operation, foreseeable or infrequent faults/malfunctions no ignition hazard is given.

b = Device with “high level of protection” for use in potentially explosive atmospheres where in normal operation or foreseeable faults/malfunctions no ignition hazard is given.

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Marking: II 1 / 2 D

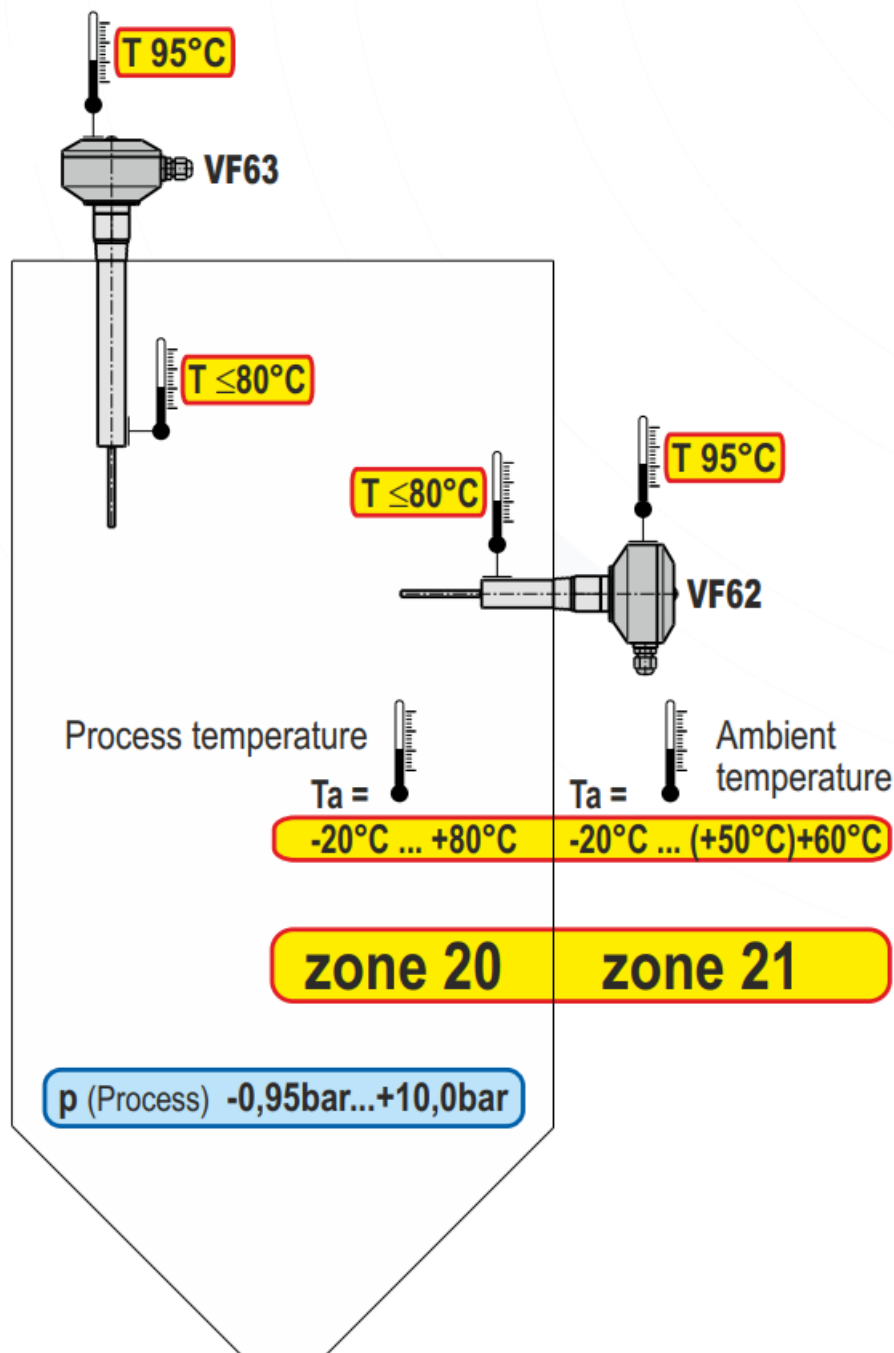
Equipment category appropriation by zones

Vibro level indicator for use at the boundary from zone 20 to zone 21.

Ambient temperatures Ta

The ambient temperature Ta defines the maximum operating temperature of the indicators. Inside the vessel this is process temperature (the air or the bulk goods temperature) nearby the device.

The maximum authorised ambient temperature / ... °C at the electronic housing is dependent from the process temperature ... °C/





(Please notice diagram at page VF6-EID-04)

Maximum surface temperature T

The maximum surface temperature T means the hottest point at the equipment.

Pressure, vacuum

Design of the devices is suitable for indicated pressures in the vessel. These pressures are outside of the range for atmospheric conditions defined in the guidance to the ATEX-Product-Directive.

MOLLET Füllstandtechnik GmbH		Industriepark RIO 103 D-74706 Osterburken Tel. +49 62 91 64 400		IBExU19ATEX1052 <div></div> IP66/IP67
Typ	VF6.A1 B1 ...	 II 1/2D Ex ta/tb IIIC T95°C Da/Db	Supply	20...250 V AC/DC
S#	1234567890	-20°C ≤ Ta ≤ +80°C / ≤ (+50°C) +60°C	Consumption	3 VA
A.- Nr.	1234567890 03/19	p (Process) -0,95bar...+10,0bar	Contact	5 A / 250 V AC~

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Marking: II 1 / 2 D

Equipment category appropriation by zones

Vibro level indicator for use at the boundary from zone 20 to zone 21.

Ambient temperatures Ta

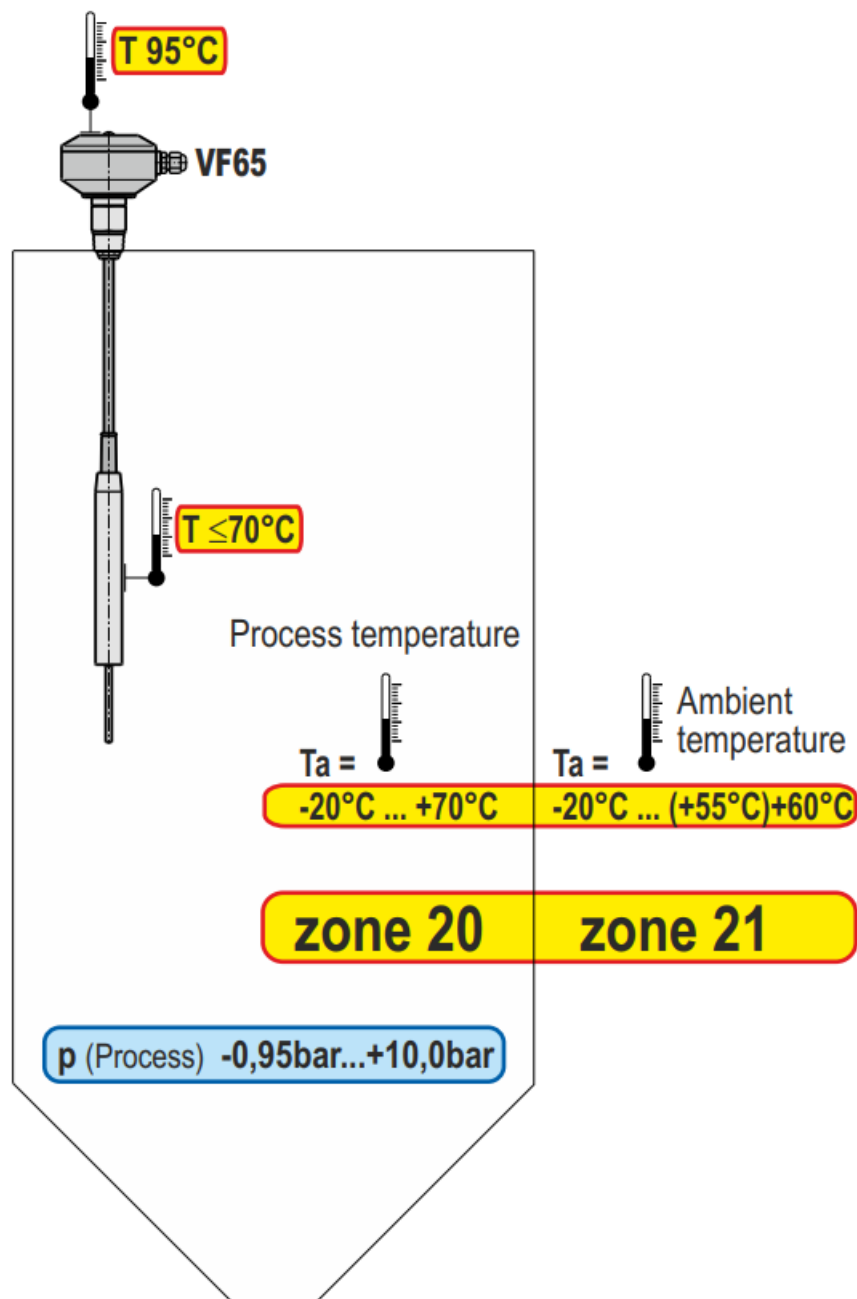
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Typ	VF65A1 B1 ...	Ex I 1/2D Ex ta/tb IIIC T95°C Da/Db	Supply 20...250 V AC/DC	
S#	1234567890	-20°C ≤ Ta ≤ +70°C / ≤ (+55°C)+60°C		Consumption 3 VA
A.- Nr.	1234567890 03/19	p (Process) -0,95bar...+10,0bar		Contact 5 A / 250 V AC~

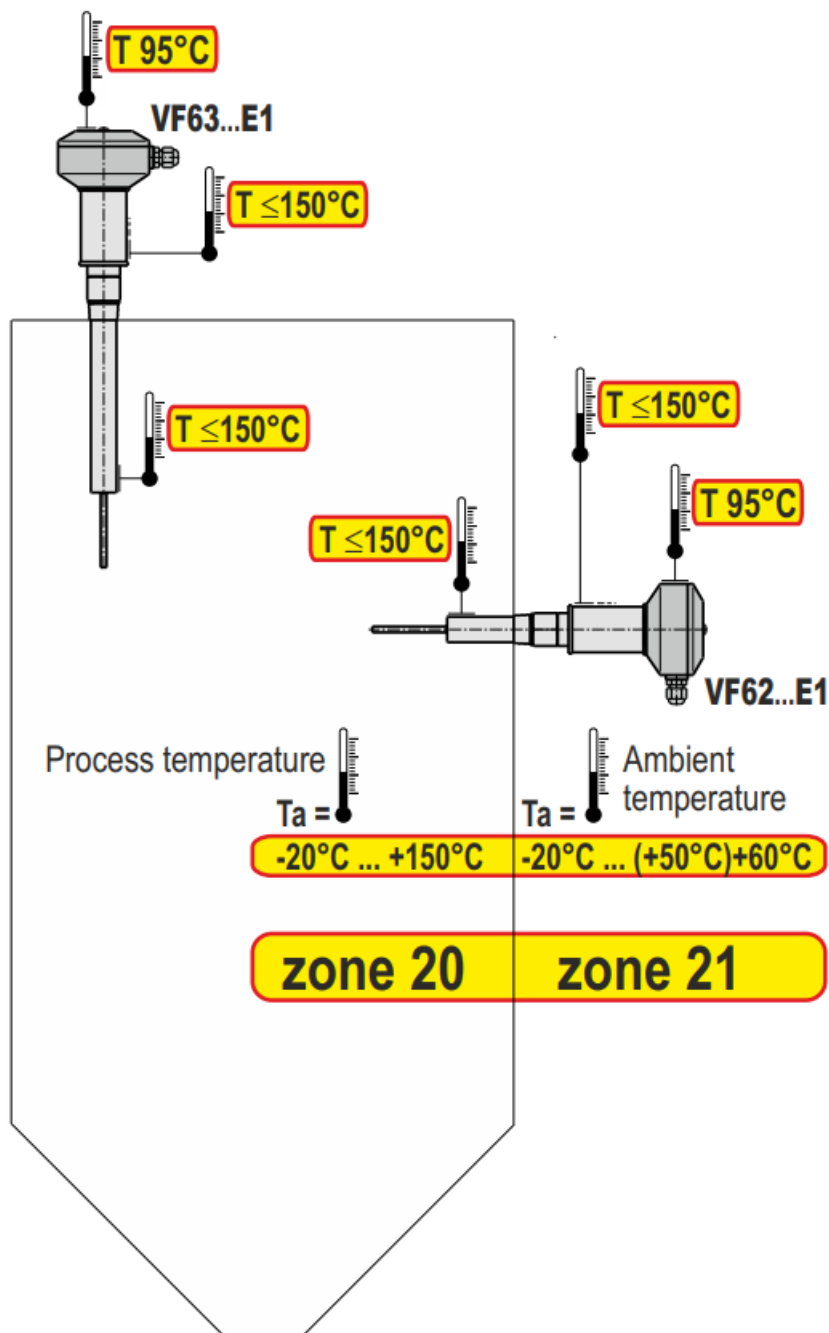
Inside high process temperature, outside ambient temperature

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Marking: II 1 / 2 D

Maximum surface temperature T

Probe and vibration rod produce no increase of temperature, but they are able to take high temperatures from inside of the vessel and forward it.



Due to this, the surface temperature has to be determined according to the process temperature (temperature of bulk solids or ambient) inside of the vessel.

The maximum authorised ambient temperature / ... °C at the electronic housing is dependent from the process temperature ... °C/.

(Please notice diagram at page VF6-EID-04)

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S#	1234567890	-20°C ≤ Ta ≤ +150°C / ≤ (+50°C) + 60°C	Consumption	3 VA
A.- Nr.	1234567890 03/19	p (Process) -0,95bar...+10,0bar	Contact	5 A / 250 V AC~

Separate electronic housing

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Marking: II 1 / 3 D

Equipment category appropriation by zones

Vibro level indicator for use at the boundary from zone 20 to zone 22.

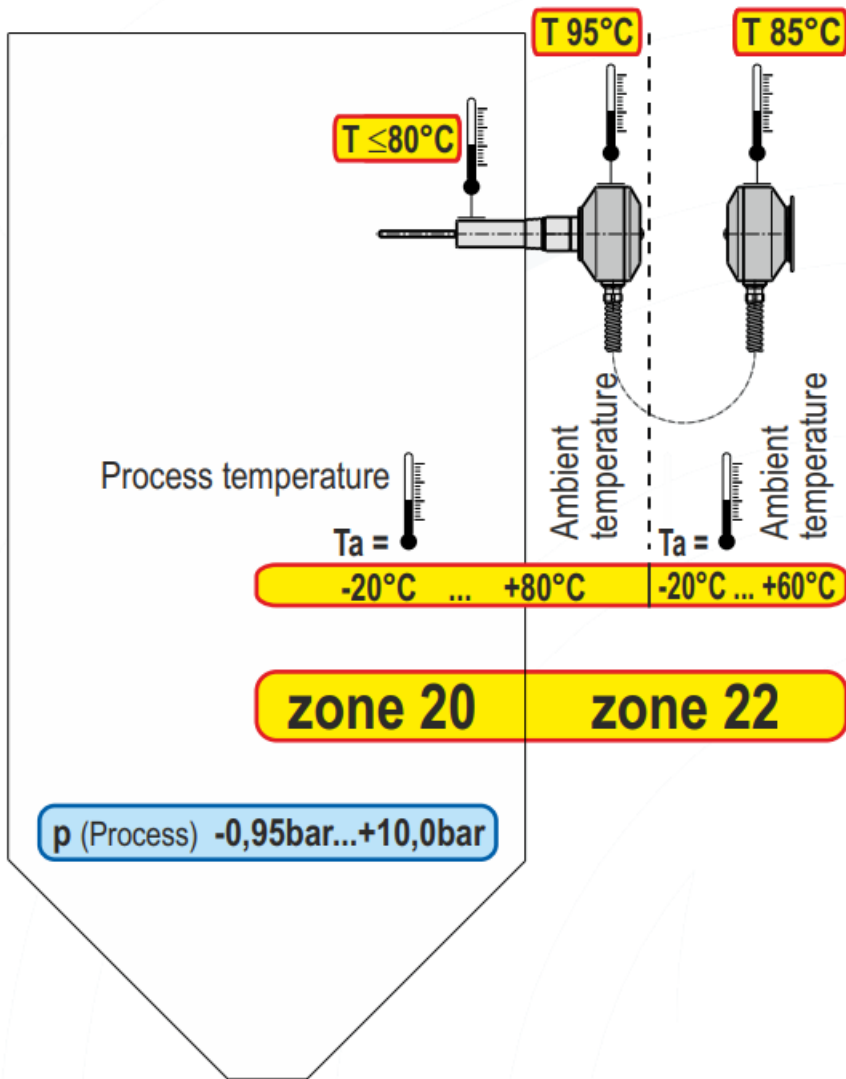
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VF62A22 or VF63A22



Pressure, vacuum

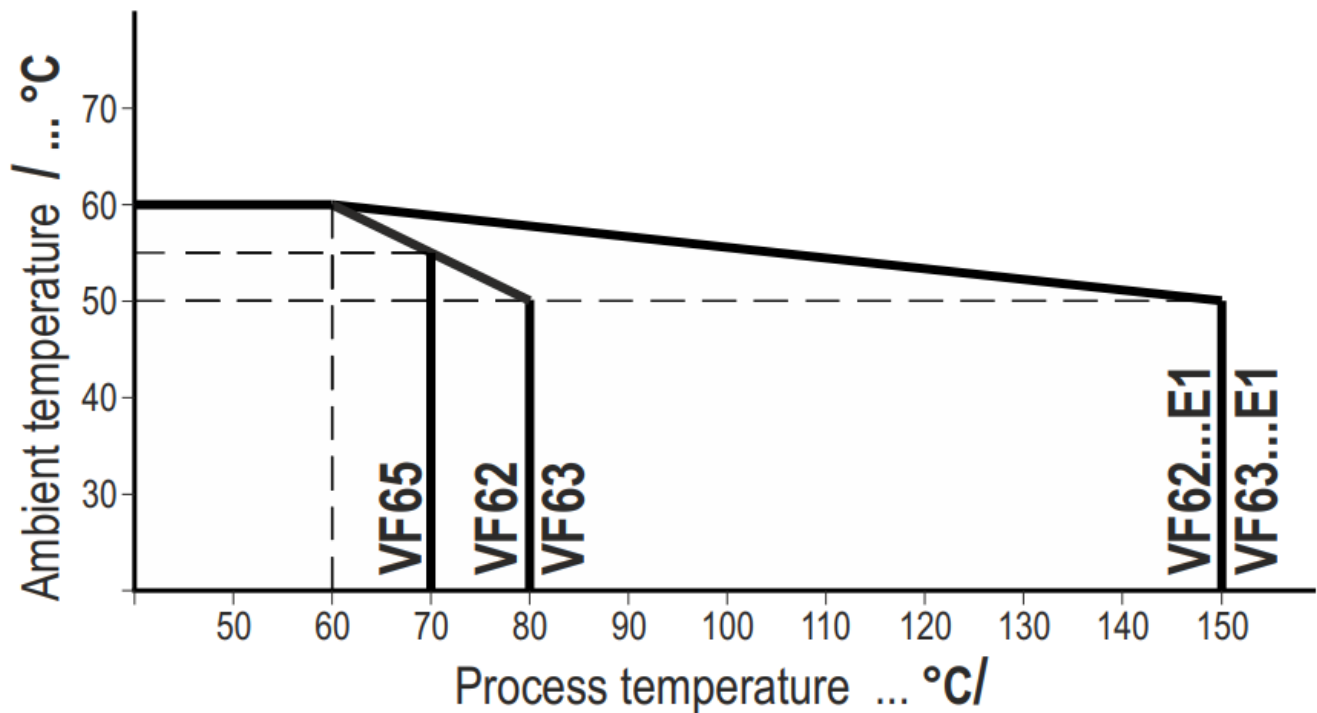
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Typ	VF6. <div>A22</div> <div>B3</div> ...		<div>Ex</div> II <div>1/3D</div> Ex ta/tc III C <div>T95°C</div> Da/Dc			Supply	20...250 V AC/DC	
S#	1234567890		<div>-20°C≤Ta≤+80/≤+60°C</div>				Consumption	3 VA
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The maximum authorised ambient temperature / ... °C at the electronic housing is dependent from the process temperature ... °C/.

(please notice diagram)



Example Ta – marking

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \text{maximum authorised} \quad \quad \quad \text{maximum authorised ambient} \\
 \text{process temperature} \quad \quad \quad \text{temperature at the electronic housing} \\
 -20\text{ °C} \leq T_a \leq \overbrace{+150\text{ °C}}^{\text{maximum authorised process temperature}} / \leq \underbrace{(+50\text{ °C})}_{\text{reduced maximum authorised ambient temperature}} \overbrace{+60\text{ °C}}^{\text{maximum authorised ambient temperature at the electronic housing}}
 \end{array}$$

Due to high process temperature
reduced maximum authorised ambient
temperature at the electronic housing

maximum authorised process temperature

$$-20\text{ °C} \leq T_a \leq \overbrace{+80\text{ °C}}^{\text{maximum authorised process temperature}} / \underbrace{\leq +60\text{ °C}}_{\text{maximum authorised ambient temperature at the electronic housing}}$$

maximum authorised ambient
temperature at the electronic housing



Special conditions and instructions for safe application


1. The installation, maintenance, initial operation, removal and repair have to be controlled resp. checked by an “authorized person” for explosion protection.
2. For the electrical connection you have to take notice of the local and statutory requirements and/or the VDE 0100.
3. Take notice of the specifications on the data plate.
4. A fuse (with max. 4A) has to be connected in series to the voltage supply.
5. Protect the signal contact from voltage peaks when inductive loads are connected.
6. As soon as the device will be brought into the explosion hazardous area it has to be mounted immediately at the intended place and a cable has to be brought into the cable gland.
7. Please check if the cable gland have loosened during mounting process or transport. When it is loosened, it has to be fixed again with a torque of 3.75 Nm.
8. To secure the type of protection, the screw nut of the cable gland has to be fixed at the installation with a minimum torque of 2.7 Nm. **ATTENTION!** If it will be fastened too strong, the IP-protection can be affected.
9. The device has to be grounded and the ground connection of the device has to be installed in such a way that mechanical damage will be excluded.
10. The device may put into operation with built-in cap-sealing and when it is closed, only.
11. Remove the dust from the housing before you open it and make sure that no dust turbulences exist.
12. Switch off the power supply, before opening the device. (touch dangerous voltage)
13. Please check position and intactness of all gaskets before you close the device.
14. Tightening torque of distance nut M6x40: 3 ... 4 Nm and of the lid screw M6x16: 3 Nm
15. The maximum authorised temperatures for process (bulk solids) and ambience have to be observed.
16. Take notice of the requirements of DIN EN 60079-14, DIN EN 60079-17 and DIN EN 1127-1, especially regarding the dust deposits and temperatures and follow the pertinent rules and regulations.

Customer Support

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Competence in explosion protection

Documents / Resources

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References

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