ULTRASONIC FLOWMETER (PORTAFLOWX)

DATA SHEET

PORTAFLOW-X is a portable type ultrasonic flowmeter utilizing transit time difference for measuring flow rates in pipes from the outside.

It is a compact and light-weight instrument incorporating the latest electronics and digital signal processing technologies, realizing high performance and easy operation.

FEATURES

1. Compact and light-weight

The adoption of the latest electronics and digital signal processing technologies has reduced the size and weight of the converter to 1/7 and 1/5, respectively, in comparison with traditional model.

2. Battery operation

This flowmeter is designed for 5 hours of continuous operation with its own built-in battery which is rechargeable in 3 hours with the supplied power adaptor.

3. Full variety of sensors

The flowmeter can be used with various types of sensors applicable for small to large diameter pipe (ϕ 13 to ϕ 6000) and low to high temperature (-40 to +200°C).

4. High accuracy

The flowmeter is designed for high accuracy $(\pm 1.0\%)$. The adoption of new sound velocity measurement system permits measurements of fluids of unknown sound velocity, and also slightly affection from fluid temperature and pressure.

- 5. Improvement in anti-bubble characteristic Anti-bubble characteristic is greatly improved by digital signal processing.
- 6. Quick response

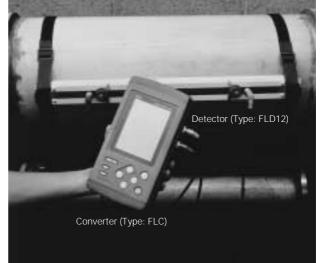
With the use of high-speed micro-processor suited for digital signal processing, the response time is at fast as 1 second or less.

7. Multi-lingual

The following languages are supported for display: Japanese (katakana), English, German and French.

- 8. Excellent performance and easy operation Large type graphic LCD and minimum number of function keys are used for page selection, allowing easy setting.
 - LCD with back light
 - Equipped with 40000 data logging function of 20 sites
 - Equipped with received wave monitoring function
 - Equipped with serial communication function
 - Easy mounting of sensor
 - Integrated type graphic printer (option)

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SPECIFICATIONS

Fluid conditions

State of flow:	Homogeneous liquids (water, sea water, oil or fluid of unknown sound velocity) capable of ultrasonic wave propagation : 10000 deg. (mg/ l) or less Axis-symmetric flow in pipe filled with fluid
Fluid temperatur	
	Small diameter sensor, – 40 to +100°C Small sensor, [Standard] – 40 to +100°C Middle sensor, – 40 to +80°C Large sensor, – 40 to +80°C High-temperature sensor, – 40 to +200°C
Velocity range:	-32 to 0 to +32m/s
Piping condi	tions
Pipe material:	Steel, stainless steel, cast iron, vinyl-
Pipe size:	chloride, FRP, asbestos, aluminum, acrylic, etc. Small diameter sensor, ¢13 to ¢100 Small sensor, ¢50 to ¢400 Middle sensor, ¢200 to ¢1200
	Large sensor, ϕ 200 to ϕ 6000
Lining material:	High-temperature sensor, <i>\phi</i> 50 to <i>\phi</i> 400 None, tar epoxy, mortar, rubber or ma- terial of known sound velocity
Straight pipe len	gth:
	Upstream side, 10D or more Downstream side, 5D or more (D: inner pipe diameter)
	Refer to Japan Electric Measuring Instru- ments Manufactures' Association's stan- dard JEMIS-032 for details.
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Accuracy

Pipe size	Flow velocity	Accuracy	
φ13 to	2 to 32 m/s	1.5% of rate	
φ50 or less	0 to 2 m/s	0.03m/s	
φ50 to	2 to 32 m/s	1.0% of rate	
\$\$\$ \$\$\$ \$	0 to 2 m/s	0.02m/s	
ø300 to	1 to 32 m/s	1.0% of rate	
<i>φ</i> 6000	0 to 1 m/s	0.01m/s	

(Note) Reference conditions are based on JEMIS-032.

Converter (Type:FLC)

Power supply: Built-in battery:	Built-in battery or power adaptor Special type Ni-Cd battery Continuous operation time, 5 hours (with- out printer, back light OFF) Recharging time, 3 hours (power adap- tor used)
Power adaptor:	Special type power adaptor 90 to 264V AC, 47 to 63Hz or 10 to 30V DC
Power consumpt	ion:
•	12W or less
LCD display:	Full dot graphic display 240 x 320 dot (with back light)
LED display:	DC IN (green), FAST CHARGE (red)
Key pad:	10 keys (ON, OFF, \triangle , \bigtriangledown , \bigtriangledown , \Diamond , \triangleleft , ESC, ENT, LIGHT, PRINT)
Power failure bac	kup:
	Memory backup with lithium battery (effective term, 5 years)
Response time:	1s or less
Output signal:	4 to 20mA DC, 1 point (load resistance,
	0 to 1kΩ)
Input signal:	4 to 20mA DC (not isolated), 1 point
Serial communic	ation:
	RS-232C (not isolated), 1 point Transmission speed: Max. 9600BPS Transmission distance: Max. 15m
Printer (option):	To be mounted on top of converter
	Thermal serial dot printing (8 x 256 dot)
Ambient tempera	
	–10 to +55°C (without printer)
	–10 to +45°C (with printer)
Ambient humidit	-
	90% RH or less
Type of enclosure	
Enclosure case: Dimensions: Mass:	Dust-proof type (IP50 or equivalent) Plastic case (color: gray) H240 x W127 x D70mm (without printer) H359 x W127 x D70mm (with printer) 1.5kg (without printer)
101000.	2.0kg (with printer)

Detector (Type: FLD)

Mounting method:

Mounting on outside of already constructed pipe

Sensor mounting method:

V or Z method

Mounting	belt	/wire:
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Small diameter sensor, plastic cloth belt Small sensor, plastic cloth belt Middle sensor, stainless wire Large sensor, stainless wire High-temperature sensor, stainless belt

Acoustic coupler: Silicone grease

Signal cable: Special type coaxial cable

Connection: Converter; BNC connector

Sensor, middle/large type; terminal screws Other; BNC connector

Ambient temperature:

-20 to +60°C

Ambient humidity:

Middle/large sensor, 100% RH or less Other, 90% RH or less

Type of enclosure:

Middle/large sensor, immersion-proof type (IP67 or equivalent) Other, drip-proof type (IP52 or equivalent)

Material:

Kind	Sensor case	Mounting bracket
Small diameter	Plastic	Aluminum alloy + Plastic
Small type	Plastic	Aluminum alloy + Plastic
Middle type	Plastic	_
Large type	Plastic	—
High temperature	304SS	Aluminum alloy + 304SS

Dimensions/mass:

Kind	Dimensions (HxWxD)	Mass
Small diameter	420 x 53 x 90mm	0.6kg
Small type	540 x 53 x 90mm	0.8kg
Middle type	72 x 60 x 40mm	0.4kg (Note)
Large type	104 x 93 x 62mm	1.4kg (Note)
High temperature	530 x 52 x 205mm	1.7kg

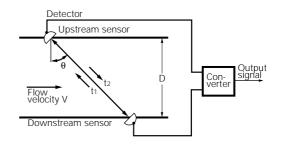
Note: mass of both sensors

Functions

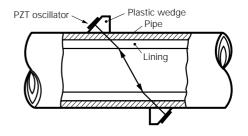
Display language	:Japanese (Katakana)/English/German/ French, selectable				
Instantaneous value display function:					
	Two of velocity, flow rate (with flow di-				
	rection) and analog input, simultaneous				
	display Unit; Metric/English system selectable				
	Metric system:				
	Velocity m/s				
	Flow rate l/s, l/min, l/h, Ml/d, m ³ /s,				
	m³/min, m³/h, Mm³/d, BBL/s,				
	BBL/min, BBL/h, MBBL/d English system:				
	Velocity ft/s				
	Flow rate gal/s, gal/min, gal/h, Mgal/d,				
	ft³/s, ft³/min, ft³/h, Mft³/d, BBL/s,				
	BBL/min, BBL/h, MBBL/d				
Total value displa	Note: Gal refers to U.S. gallons.				
Total value displa	Forward and reverse total values, simul-				
	taneous display				
	Unit; Metric/English system, selectable				
	Metric system: $m \ell$, ℓ , m^3 , km^3 , Mm^3				
	mBBL, BBL, KBBL				
	English system: gal, kgal, ft ³ , kft ³ , Mft ³				
Clock display fun	mBBL, BBL, KBBL				
Clock display fun	Time (year, month, day, hour, minute)				
	display and setting				
Damping:	0 to 99s (time constant)				
Low flow cut:	0 to 1.000m/s 0 to 3.300 ft/s				
Output setting fu					
	Current output scaling, output type, burn-				
Communication f	out setting and calibration				
communication	Velocity, flow rate, totals, analog input,				
	status, logging data transmission on re-				
	quest				
Logging function	:Site data (place, piping, fluid, sensor				
	mounting method, type of sensor) up to				
	20 places and a maximum of 40000 data				
	(time, velocity, flow rate, totals, analog input, status) can be stored in memory.				
Waveform displa	· · · · · ·				
	Display of bi-directional received wave-				
	forms				
Graph display fur					
	Display of velocity, flow rate or analog				
Drinting function	input trend graph				
Finding function:	Printout of screen, fixed cycle printout (time, velocity, flow rate, totals, analog				
	input, status), logging data, trend graph,				
	and waveforms by using integral printer				
	(option)				

MEASURING PRINCIPLE

With ultrasonic pulses propagated diagonally between the upstream and downstream sensors, flow rate is measured by detecting the time difference obtained by the flow of fluid.

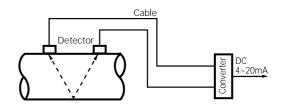


MOUNTING OF DETECTOR

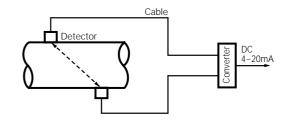


CONFIGURATION DIAGRAM

(1) Single-measuring-path system (V method)



(2) Single-measuring-path system (Z method)



CODE SYMBOLS

<Converter>

1 2 3	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8							
FLO	2			0		2	Description	
							Specification	
	5	<u></u>					Standard	
			Converter					
			1				Basic system	
2			Basic system + Printer					
				Power adapter				
	1 AC power (90 to 264V AC, 50/60Hz)							

Note: DC power adapter is optional accessories.

The product conforms to the requirements of the Electromagnetic compatibility Directive 89/336/EEC as detailed within the technical construction file number TN510423. The applicable standards used to demonstrate compliance are :-

EN 55011:1991 Conducted and Radiated emissions CLASS A

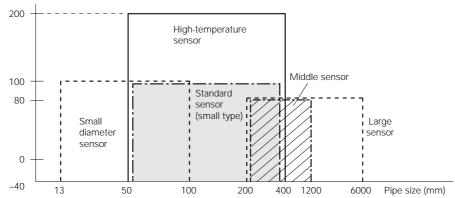
EN 50082-1 :-1992 Radiated immunity, ESD and FBT

<Detector>

1 2 3 4 5 6 7	8 9	
FLD	1 -	Description
1 2 2 2 3 2 4 1 5 1		Kind Small sensor (standard) Small diameter sensor High-temperature sensor Middle sensor Large sensor
0		Terminal mold None Provided (Middle/Large sensor only)
Y		Structure General use
	A	Coaxial cable 5m

DETECTOR SELECTION GUIDE

Fluid temperature (°C)



[Note]

1. High turbid fluid or scales sticking on the internal wall of pipes may interrupt the ultrasonic propagations.

2. In case of cast iron pipes or pipes with lining, the Large sensor is recommended rather than the Middle sensor.

SCOPE OF DELIVERY

Converter (Type: FLC)

	Name of unit	Scope of delivery
1	Basic system	 Converter unit Power adaptor Power cable (2m) Analog input/output cable (1.5m) Carrying case Manual
2	Printer	 Printer unit Roll paper (1 roll)

Detector (Type: FLD)

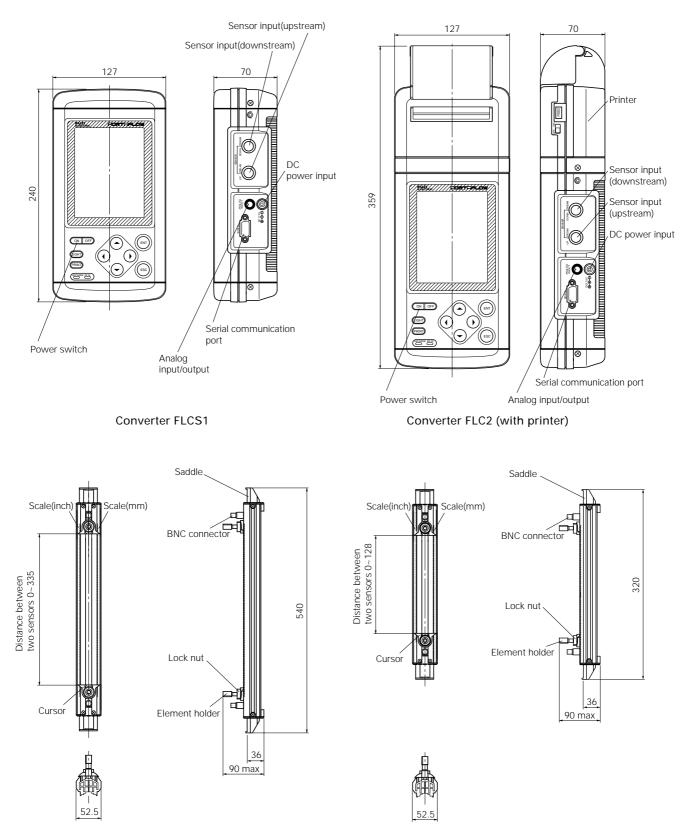
	Name of unit	Scope of delivery		
1	Small diameter/small/ middle/large/high tem- perature			

(Note) Small sensor and small diameter sensor can be put in the basic system carrying case.

OPTIONAL ACCESSORIES

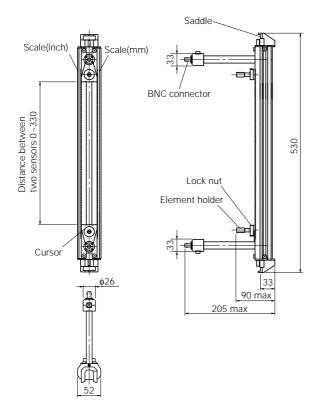
	Item	Specification	Drawing No.
1	Battery	Special type Ni-Cd battery (12V, 1200mAh)	TK7G7975C1
2	Power adaptor	Special type power adaptor, with power cable, 2m 90 to 264V AC, 47 to 63Hz 10 to 30V DC (with car cigarette cable)	TK7G7976C1 TK7G7977C1
3	Printer unit	Mounted on top of converter, with roll paper (1 roll), Thermal serial dot system (8 x 256 dot)	TK7G7978C1
4	Printer roll paper	Maker: SEIKO I Type: TP080–20LJ1 Specification: thermal roll paper, 80mm wide x <i>ø</i> 40, without core	TK7G7982C1
5	Silicone grease	Maker: Shin-Etsu Type: Standard G40M, 100g High temperature KS62M, 100g	TK7G7984C1 TK7G7983C1
6	Signal cable	Special type signal cable, 5m x 2 Middle/large sensor; BNC connector on one side Other: BNC connector on both sides	TK468664C5 TK7G7987C1
7	Extension signal cable	Special type coaxial cable with BNC connector 10m x 2 50m x 2	TK468664C3 TK468664C4
8	Analog input/output cable	4-core cable, 1.5m, with connector	TK7G7974C1
9	Mounting belt/wire	Small/small diameter sensor: plastic cloth belt Middle sensor: stainless wire Large sensor: stainless wire High-temperature sensor: stainless belt	TK7G7979C1 TK7G7980C3 TK7G7980C5 TK7G7981C1
10	Pipe thickness gauge	Maker: Kawatetsu Advantech Type: TI–50K Specification: Material; copper, cast iron, aluminum, glass, hard resin, ceramic, etc. Measuring range; 0.8 to 80mm Accuracy; ±0.1mm or 0.5% RD	TI-50K

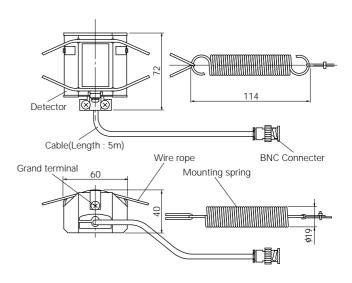
OUTLINE DIAGRAM (Unit:mm)

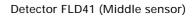


Detector FLD22 (Small diameter sensor)

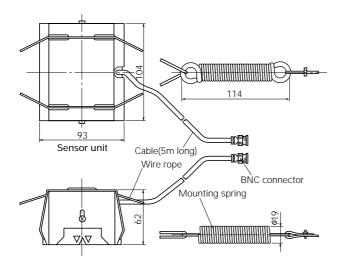
Detector FLD12 (Small sensor)







Detector FLD32 (High-temperature sensor)



Detector FLD51 (Large sensor)

EXTERNAL CONNECTION DIAGRAM

Item

Receive data

Signal ground

Data set ready

Send request

Send ready

Send data Data terminal ready

Serial communication

Pin No.

1

2

3 4 5

6 7

8

9

6 • • 9 $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ • • • 5

Symbol

RхD

T x D D T R

GND

DSR

R T S

CTS

CONNECTOR : D-SUB 9 Pin Upstream side Plug (male)

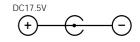
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Analog input/output

CONNECTOR : Circular connector 4 pin

Power input (power adaptor ouput)



Pin No.	Item	Color
1	Analog input +	Black
2	Analog output –	Red
3	Analog input –	White
4	Analog output +	Blue

Sensor input/output

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