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VORTEX FLOW SENSORS



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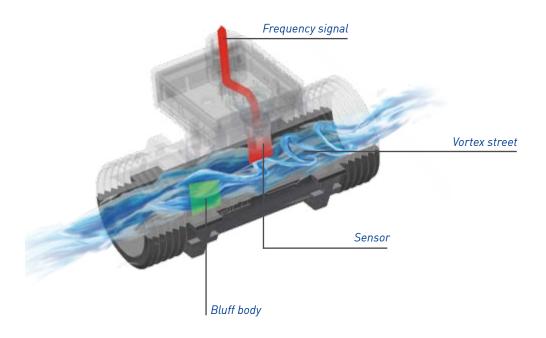
# Vortices for precise flow measurement

#### **Function**

Alternate vortices rotating in opposite directions are generated behind a bluff body immersed in a flow. The vortices detach from the edges of the bluff body and form a Kármán vortex street in the fluid stream. The distance between the single vortices is constant. The frequency of the vortices flowing past a sensor depends on the flow rate and is proportional to the flow. The sensor detects these vortices which are then converted to an electrical frequency signal.

Some of the advantages of this measuring principle

- Minimal flow obstruction  $\rightarrow$  low pressure drop
- · Wide range of applications in terms of pressure, temperature and density
- Independent of the conductivity of the medium
- High long-term stability / no zero drift





## **SIKA Vortex flow sensors**

#### **Advantages**

- Solid state flow sensor for liquids with no moving parts
  - → no mechanical wear
- Rugged glass fibre reinforced plastic ensures highest strength and performance
- Completely encapsulated piezoceramic sensor to detect the vortices
  - → thus no direct contact with the medium
- Wide measuring span (1:20)
- Temperature sensor integrated
- Output signals: an analogue voltage signal and / or pulse signal is available for the flow, and a resistance or analogue signal is available for the temperature.
- High interference resistance
- Wetted parts metal-free
- Thread connection or QuickFasten



# **Vortex flow sensors**

# Series VVX





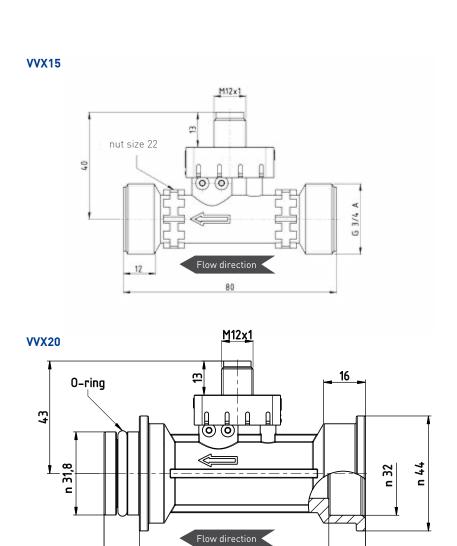
Technical data	VVX15	VVX20	VVX25				
Nominal diameter	DN 15	DN 20	DN 25				
Flow range	240 l/min	580 l/min	7150 l/min				
Process connection	G¾-ISO 228 male, optional G½	QuickFasten	G 11/4-ISO 228 male, optional G 1				
Inner diameter	Ø 13 mm	Ø 19 mm	Ø 25 mm				
Accuracy	±2 % of full scale*						
Repeatability	±0.5 % of full scale**	±0.5 % of full scale**					
Pressure rating	PN 10	PN 10					
Media temperature	Max. 90 °C	Max. 90 °C					
Materials							
Body/tube	PPS Fortron® 40 % GF						
Sensor	ETFE Tefzel®						
Cover plate	PA 6.6						
0-ring	EPDM						
Approvals							
	WIRAS Water Regulations Advisory Scheme		WRAS Water Regulations Advisory Scheme				
Option							
	Recognized component ETL according to UL & CSA standard	ds	Recognized component ETL according to UL & CSA standar				



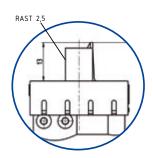
Electrical data	Pulse output	Analogue output			
Output signal flow	Square wave signal pulse duty ratio 50:50 signal current max. 20 mA	Voltage signal 0.53.5 V			
	Pulse rate	Voltage rate Scaling 0.53.5 V			
<ul><li>→ VVX15</li><li>→ VVX20</li><li>→ VVX25</li></ul> Output signal temperature	500 1/l (optional 31000 1/l) 200 1/l (optional 2800 1/l) 100 1/l (optional 1500 1/l) Pt1000 2 wire, class B NTC 10.74k, B 0/100 3450	0.07895 V/l/min 240 l/min 0.04000 V/l/min 580 l/min 0.02098 V/l/min 7150 l/min Voltage signal 0.53.5 V corresponds to 090 °C Pt1000 2 wire, class B			
	none	NTC 10.74k, B 0/100 3450 none			
Power supply	830 V DC or 5 V DC (±5 %)				
Current consumption	< 15 mA				
Electrical connection	5 pin plug M12 x 1 or RAST 2.5 plug				
Degree of protection EN 60529		→ IP 65*** → IP 20***			

- \* Test conditions:
  - $\rightarrow$  Test medium water
  - → Media temperature 20...30 °C
  - → Inlet pressure 7...10 bar
  - → Defined inlet and outlet pipes (see operating manual)
- \*\* Measuring duration: 1 second
- \*\*\* With attached cable socket

# **Dimensions**

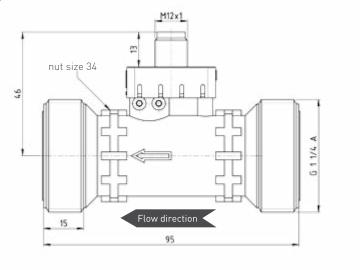


Alternative electrical connection





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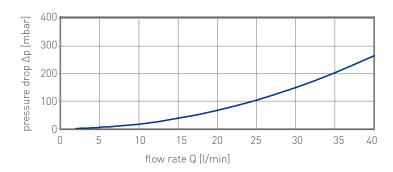
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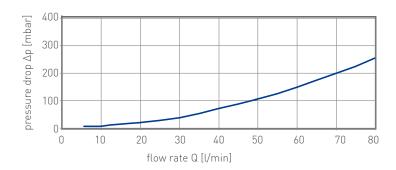


# Typical pressure drop

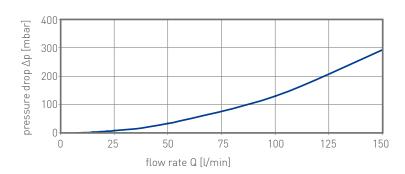
### VVX15



### VVX20



### VVX25



## Order code

### Pulse output

Order example	VVXA1S	G	A	RRRP	1	5	14
Nominal diameter							
DN 15	VVXA1S		А				14
DN 20	VVXC9S		В				2P
DN 25	VVXB2S		В				16
Power supply							
830 V DC		G			1		
5 V DC		Р			2		
Output signal temperature							
Pt1000				RRRP			
NTC 10.74K				RRRN			
none				0000			
Electrical connection							
5 pin plug M12 x 1						5	
RAST 2.5 plug						2	

### Analogue output

Order example	VVXA1SNAU1 RP 1	5	14
Nominal diameter			
DN 15	VVXA1SNAU1		14
DN 20	VVXC9SNBUC VVXC9SNBUC		2P
DN 25	VVXB2SNBU2		16
Output signal temperature			
0.53.5 V	U1		
Pt1000	RP		
NTC 10.74K	RN		
none	00		
Power supply			
830 V DC	1		
5 V DC	2		
Electrical connection			
5 pin plug M12 x 1	!	5	
RAST 2.5 plug		2	



## Accessories

Accessories	Length	Order code	
Connection cable with 5 pin cable socket M12 x 1,	1 m	XVVX 040	
angle type molded lead 5 x 0.34 mm², sheathing material PVC	2 m	XVVX 051	
(T <sub>max</sub> = 80 °C)*	3 m	XVVX 039	
	5 m	XVVX 041	
	10 m	XVVX 042	
Connection cable with 5 pin cable socket M12 x 1,	1.5 m	XVVX 065	
molded lead 5 x 0.34 mm², sheathing material PVC,			
4 pin Molex MicroBlade wire-to-board housing, (T <sub>max</sub> = 80 °C)			
PVC-Ribbon cable 5 x AWG24 with RAST 2.5 duomodul	1 m	XVVX 031	
	2 m	XVVX 021	D

 $<sup>^{*}</sup>$  Connection cable with UL approval on request

Accessories VVX15	Order code**	
Screw coupling G½, brass	BVVX1007	
Soldering coupling Ø 15 mm, brass	BVVX1008	

Accessories VVX25	Order code**	
Screw coupling R1, brass	BVVX1003	
Soldering coupling Ø 28 mm, brass	BVVX1004	
Bonding coupling Ø 25 mm, PVC	BVVX1005	
Screw coupling G 1, stainless steel 1.4571	BVVX1006	

<sup>\*\*</sup> Supplied piecewise

