#### **TANKSTAR**

260 series



# Liquid Level Transmitters for the Marine Industry

### Key features

sealed & submersible sensor construction meets rfi/emc standards marine classification 'type' approved seawater, oils & corrosive / hazardous duties versatile installation gauge or absolute versions EExia IIC T5 intrinsically safe models available





serviceability.

principle

The measuring principle of pressure sensitive diaphragm & L.V.D.T combines excellent

their stability & corrosion resistance. A wide choice of fittings and the remotely mounted amplifier maximises installation flexibility and

sensitivity and long term stability The

'Tankstar' has the sensitivity needed to accurately measure shallow tanks but will sustain a 50 times overload without damage. The all welded sensor is manufactured from high grade alloys specifically selected for



With many thousands of transmitters installed on all classes of Ships from Military vessels to Tankers, the design of the 'Tankstar' series draws on nearly 30 of years successful application experience.

Fully compliant with the latest IEC and Marine Industry standards, its rugged construction provides reliable and accurate monitoring of liquid levels in the harsh environments of shipboard tanks and draught applications, where conditions of high overload, shock, vibration, and temperature variation are common.

#### standard specifications

Calibrated spans:
Range adjustment:
Zero adjustment:

From 0 - 300mm H<sub>2</sub>O to 0 - 100m H<sub>2</sub>O 3:1 turndown of normal range  $\pm$  10% of calibrated

span

Overload: Minimum of 50 metres or 5 x nominal range

**Nominal ranges:** 1, 2, 4, 8, 16, 32, 50, 100 metres H<sub>2</sub>O

Signal output: 4 -20mA DC 2 wire Power supply: 12 - 30V DC

Maximum load: 1000 ohms at 30V

Diaphragms:

ns: Hastelloy C276

Sensor cable:

vented IP65 GRP (NEMA 4) housing: with internal RFI

screen (IP67 optional) -25°C to +95°C

Heavy duty TPE

Operating temperature:

Electronics op. -40 to +55°C

temp:

Minimum survival: Accuracy:

-50°C Better than ±0.25%

(option: -80 to

Temp. coefficient:

Less than 0.02% per °C shift zero and

## benefits

Sensors are maintenance free and contain no active electronic components. A factory sealed cable is supplied to the required length for direct connection to the amplifier. The standard sensor cable has a heavy duty outer sheath of cross linked polymers which are suitable for continuous immersion in both sea water, fuels and hydrocarbons. An optional performance cable permits use of sensor in extreme temperature limits of -50° C to +150°C.



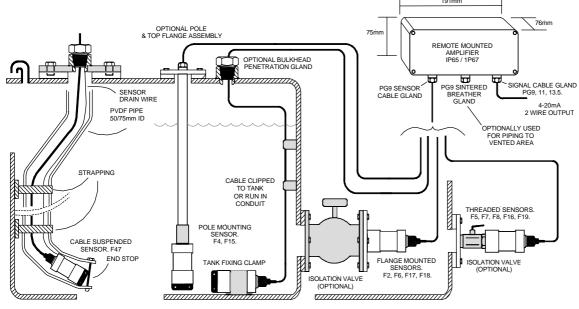
**Sensor body:** 316L stainless steel

#### typical installation of sensors

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### model designations

260 Hydrostatic Sensor in 316 St. Stl. c/w 3 metres of cable RT168A 4 to 20 mA amplifier

F47 Basic submersible sensor with drain wire adaptor F2 DN25 PN16 flange mounting Tank fixing clamp F3

Pole adaptor fitting threaded 1/2" BSP female F4 F5 Threaded process connection 1/2" BSP male

1" ANSI 150lb flange mounting to BS1560

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1/2" NPT male F8 3/4" BSP female F15 Welded pole assembly 3/4" BSP female with NRVU plunger F16

F17 DN40 PN16 flange mounting DN50 PN16 flange mounting F18

1/2" BSP female F19

### Other options include:

B-High temperature sensor (up to 120°C submersible versions, 145°C external versions) G-IP67 Amplifier enclosure K-Absolute pressure version LG-Bulkhead fitting in CS (B211B) LGS-Bulkhead fitting in SS(B211A) 9-PG9 gland for signal cable (Standard) 13-PG13.5 16-PG16

Hastelloy Diaphragm 2m H<sub>2</sub>O 4D 4m H<sub>2</sub>O 8D 8m H<sub>2</sub>O Nominal 16D 16m H<sub>2</sub>O range in 32D 32m H<sub>2</sub>O metres H<sub>2</sub>O 50D 50m H<sub>2</sub>O 100D 100m H<sub>2</sub>O 200D 200m H<sub>2</sub>Q Hytrel TPE heavy duty vented cable

Cable length in metres Drain wire length in metres (F47 model only) DW-

Transmitter set range in metres H<sub>2</sub>O

NA

Intrinsically safe certified Intrinsically safety not required



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