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Technical specification

FLUXUS F831

Ultrasonic flowmeters for liquids for permanent installation in hazardous areas

Features

- Two measuring channels
- Flameproof/explosion proof housing for hazardous areas
- Intrinsic safe process inputs for the integration of external pressure and temperature sensors
- More precise measurement at unfavorable measuring points through integrated disturbance correction
- Bidirectional communication and support of common bus technologies (Profibus PA, Foundation Fieldbus, HART, Modbus, BACnet)
- Certification: ATEX/IECEx zone 1, FM Class I Div. 1+2

Applications

- Chemical industry
- Petrochemical industry
- Oil and gas industry



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Transmitter

Technical data

	FLUXUS F831 (831-AA*, 831-SA*)	FLUXUS F831 (831-AB*, 831-SB*)	FLUXUS F831 (831-ANN, 831-SNN)	FLUXUS F831**-F1N
				
design	831-AA* (aluminum housing): explosion-proof field device or 831-SA* (stainless steel housing): explosion-proof offshore device zone 1 (intrinsic safety: outputs, process interfaces)	831-AB* (aluminum housing): explosion-proof field device or 831-SB* (stainless steel housing): explosion-proof offshore device zone 1 (intrinsic safety: outputs, inputs, process interfaces)	831-ANN (aluminum housing): explosion-proof field device or 831-SNN (stainless steel housing): explosion-proof offshore device zone 1	aluminum housing: explosion-proof field device FM
measurement				
measurement principle		transit time difference correlation principle, automatic NoiseTrek selection for measurements with high gaseous or solid content		
flow direction		bidirectional		
synchronised channel averaging		x (2 measuring channels necessary)		
flow velocity	m/s	measuring range: 0.01...25		
repeatability		0.15 % MV ±0.005 m/s		
fluid		all acoustically conductive liquids with < 10 % gaseous or solid content in volume (transit time difference principle)		
temperature compensation		corresponding to the recommendations in ANSI/ASME MFC-5.1-2011		
measurement uncertainty (volumetric flow rate)				
measurement uncertainty of the measuring system ¹		±0.3 % MV ±0.005 m/s		
measurement uncertainty at the measuring point ²		±1 % MV ±0.005 m/s (see also graphical representation)		
transmitter				
power supply		20...32 V DC, U _m = 120 V	• 100...230 V/50...60 Hz or • 20...32 V DC	
power consumption	W	< 4	< 8	
number of measuring channels		1, optional: 2		
damping	s	0...100 (adjustable)		
measuring cycle	Hz	100...1000 (1 channel)		
response time	s	1 (1 channel), option: 0.02		
housing material		aluminum housing: cast aluminum EN AC 44200 mod, special heavy-duty coating (C5 according to EN ISO 12944) stainless steel housing: stainless steel 316/316L (1.4401, 1.4404, 1.4432)	cast aluminum EN AC 44200 mod, special heavy-duty coating (C5 according to EN ISO 12944)	
degree of protection		IP66		TYPE 4X/IP66
dimensions	mm	see dimensional drawing		
mounting position		831-A*F (Profibus PA, FF H1), 831-S** : nameplate faces upwards	-	
weight	kg	aluminum housing: 6.5, stainless steel housing: 15.6		
fixation		wall mounting, 2" pipe mounting		
ambient temperature	°C	aluminum housing: • -40...+60 • 831-A*F (Profibus PA, FF H1): -40...+50 (< -20 without operation of the display) stainless steel housing: • -20...+60 • 831-S**F (Profibus PA, FF H1): -20...+50	aluminum housing: -40...+60 (< -20 without operation of the display) stainless steel housing: -20...+60	-40...+60 (< -20 without operation of the display)
display		128 x 64 pixels, backlight		
menu language		English, German, French, Spanish, Dutch, Russian, Polish, Turkish, Italian, Chinese		

¹ with aperture calibration of the transducers

² for transit time difference principle and reference conditions

³ outside the explosive atmosphere (housing cover open)

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explosion protection					
• ATEX/IECEx					
marking		C E 0637 Ex II2G II2D Ex db eb ia IIC T6 Gb Ex tb ia IIIC T100 °C Db 831-AAN: $T_a -40...+60\text{ °C}$ 831-SAN: $T_a -20...+60\text{ °C}$ 831-AAF: $T_a -40...+50\text{ °C}$ 831-SAF: $T_a -20...+50\text{ °C}$	C E 0637 Ex II(1)2G II(1)2D Ex db eb ia [ia Ga] IIC T6 Gb Ex tb ia [ia Da] IIIC T100 °C Db 831-ABN: $T_a -40...+60\text{ °C}$ 831-SBN: $T_a -20...+60\text{ °C}$ 831-ABF: $T_a -40...+50\text{ °C}$ 831-SBF: $T_a -20...+50\text{ °C}$	C E 0637 Ex II2G II2D Ex db eb IIC T6 Gb Ex tb ia IIIC T100 °C Db 831-ANN: $T_a -40...+60\text{ °C}$ 831-SNN: $T_a -20...+60\text{ °C}$	-
certification		IBExU20ATEX1103 X, IECEx IBE 20.0015X	IBExU20ATEX1103 X, IECEx IBE 20.0015X	IBExU20ATEX1103 X, IECEx IBE 20.0015X	-
• FM					
marking		-	-	-	 NI, Cl. I, II, III, Div. 2, GP A, B, C, D, F, G / T4A Cl. I Div. 1, GP. A, B, C, D / T6 For Group A, conduit seal of connection compartment is required within 18 inches. Cl. II, Div. 1, GP. E, F, G / T6 Cl. III, Div. 1 / T6 $T_a = -40\text{ °C} \text{ to } +60\text{ °C}$
					 NI, Cl. I, II, III, Div. 2, GP A, B, C, D, F, G / T4A Cl. I Div. 1, GP. B, C, D / T6 Cl. II, Div. 1, GP. E, F, G / T6 Cl. III, Div. 1 / T6 $T_a = -40\text{ °C} \text{ to } +60\text{ °C}$
measuring functions					
physical quantities		volumetric flow rate, mass flow rate, flow velocity			
totaliser		volume, mass			
calculation functions		average, difference, sum (2 measuring channels necessary)			
diagnostic functions		sound speed, signal amplitude, SNR, SCNR, standard deviation of amplitudes and transit times			
communication interfaces					
service interfaces		measured value transmission, parametrisation of the transmitter: USB ³			
process interfaces		intrinsic safety, max. 1 option: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HART • Profibus PA • FF H1 		max. 1 option: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Modbus RTU/RS485 • HART • Profibus PA • FF H1 • BACnet MS/TP 	
intrinsic safety parameters		Profibus PA, FF H1: $U_i = 24\text{ V}$ $I_i = 174\text{ mA}$ $P_i = 1044\text{ mW}$ $L_i = 10\text{ }\mu\text{H}$ $C_i = \text{negligible}$		-	
accessories					
data transmission kit		USB cable			
software		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FluxDiagReader: reading of measured values and parameters, graphical representation • FluxDiag (optional): reading of measurement data, graphical representation, report generation, parametrisation of the transmitter 			
data logger					
loggable values		all physical quantities, totalised physical quantities and diagnostic values			
capacity		max. 800 000 measured values			

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outputs				
The outputs are galvanically isolated from the transmitter.				
• switchable current output				
number	-		configurable according to NAMUR NE43 All switchable current outputs are jointly switched to active or passive. max. 3	
range	mA	-	4...20 (alarm current: 3.2...3.99, 20.01...24, hardware fault current: 3.2) $R_{ext} = 250\text{...}530 \Omega$, $U_{opencircuit} = 28 \text{ V DC}$ $U_{ext} = 9\text{...}30 \text{ V DC}$, depending on R_{ext} ($R_{ext} < 458 \Omega$ at 20 V) option	
Unsicherheit	-		0.04 % v. AW $\pm 3 \mu\text{A}$	
active output	-			
passive output	-			
current output in HART mode	-			
• range	mA	-	4...20 (alarm current: 3.5...3.99, 20.01...22, hardware fault current: 3.2) $R_{ext} = 250\text{...}530 \Omega$, $U_{opencircuit} = 28 \text{ V DC}$ $U_{ext} = 9\text{...}30 \text{ V DC}$, depending on R_{ext} ($R_{ext} = 250\text{...}458 \Omega$ at 20 V)	
• active output	-			
• passive output	-			
• current output				
range	mA	4...20 (alarm current: 3.2...3.99, 20.01...24, hardware fault current: 3.2)	-	
Unsicherheit	-	0.04 % v. AW $\pm 3 \mu\text{A}$	-	
passive output	-	$U_{ext} \leq 29 \text{ V DC}$, depending on R_{ext} ($R_{ext} < 458 \Omega$ at 20 V)	-	
current output in HART mode	-	option		
• range	mA	4...20 (alarm current: 3.5...3.99, 20.01...22, hardware fault current: 3.2) $U_{ext} = 9\text{...}29 \text{ V DC}$, depending on R_{ext} ($R_{ext} = 250\text{...}458 \Omega$ at 20 V)	-	
• passive output	-		-	
intrinsic safety parameters	-	$U_i = 29 \text{ V}$ $I_i = 100 \text{ mA}$ $P_i = 0.725 \text{ W}$ $C_i = 1 \text{ nF}$ $L_i = 50 \text{ nH}$	-	
• digital output				
functions		• frequency output • binary output • pulse output	• frequency output • binary output • pulse output	
type		open collector (passive)	open collector (passive)	
operating parameters		8.2 V/30 mA (NAMUR)	8.2 V/30 mA (NAMUR)	
max. values		8 mA at 29 V DC	8 mA at 29 V DC	
frequency output				
• range	kHz	2...10	2...10	
• damping	s	0...999.9	0...999.9	
• pulse-to-pause ratio		1:1	1:1	
binary output				
• binary output as alarm output		limit, change of flow direction or error	limit, change of flow direction or error	
pulse output				
• pulse value	units	0.01...1000	0.01...1000	
• pulse width	ms	0.05...1000	0.05...1000	
• pulse rate		max. 10 000 pulses	max. 10 000 pulses	
intrinsic safety parameters	-	$U_i = 29 \text{ V}$ $I_i = 100 \text{ mA}$ $P_i = 0.725 \text{ W}$ $C_i = 1 \text{ nF}$ $L_i = 50 \text{ nH}$	-	

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inputs					
		not short-circuit proof The inputs are not galvanically isolated from the transmitter.		The inputs are galvanically isolated from the transmitter.	
• temperature input					
number	-	max. 1	max. 1		
type	-	Pt100/Pt1000	Pt100/Pt1000		
connection	-	4-wire	4-wire		
range	°C	-150...+560	-150...+560		
resolution	K	0.01	0.01		
accuracy		±0.01 % MV ±0.03 K at 18...28 °C ±0.01 % MV ±0.03 K ±0.0005 %/K at <18 °C/>28 °C	±0.01 % MV ±0.03 K at 18...28 °C ±0.01 % MV ±0.03 K ±0.0005 %/K at <18 °C/>28 °C		
Kabelwiderstand	Ω	max. 1000	max. 1000		
intrinsic safety parameters	-	$U_o = 9.2 \text{ V}$ $I_o = 25 \text{ mA}$ $P_o = 0.057 \text{ W}$ $C_o = 4283 \text{ nF}$ $L_o = 57 \text{ mH}$	-		
• switchable current input					
		All switchable current inputs are jointly switched to active or passive.			
number	-	max. 2			
accuracy	-	±0.1 % MV ±0.01 mA at 18...28 °C ±0.1 % MV ±0.01 mA ±0.005 %/K at <18 °C/>28 °C			
resolution	μA	-	0.1		
active input	-		$R_{int} = 75 \Omega$, $I_{max} \leq 30 \text{ mA}$ $U_{opencircuit} = 28 \text{ V}$ (Leerlauf) $U_{min} = 21.4 \text{ V}$ at 20 mA		
• range	mA	-	0...20		
passive input	-			$U_{ext} = 24 \text{ V}$, $R_{int} = 35 \Omega$, $I_{max} \leq 24 \text{ mA}$	
• range	mA	-		0...20	
• current input					
number	-	max. 1	-		
accuracy	-	±0.1 % MV ±0.01 mA at 18...28 °C ±0.1 % MV ±0.01 mA ±0.005 %/K at <18 °C/>28 °C	-		
resolution	μA	-	0.1		
active input	-		$U_{int} < 20 \text{ V}$, $R_{int} \leq 385 \Omega$, $I_{max} \leq 40 \text{ mA}$ $U_{min} = 19.6 \text{ V} - R_{int} \cdot I$		
• range	mA	-	0...20		
intrinsic safety parameters	-			$U_o = 29.2 \text{ V}$ $I_o = 88 \text{ mA}$ $P_o = 0.64 \text{ W}$ $C_o = 73 \text{ nF}$ $L_o = 4.1 \text{ mH}$	

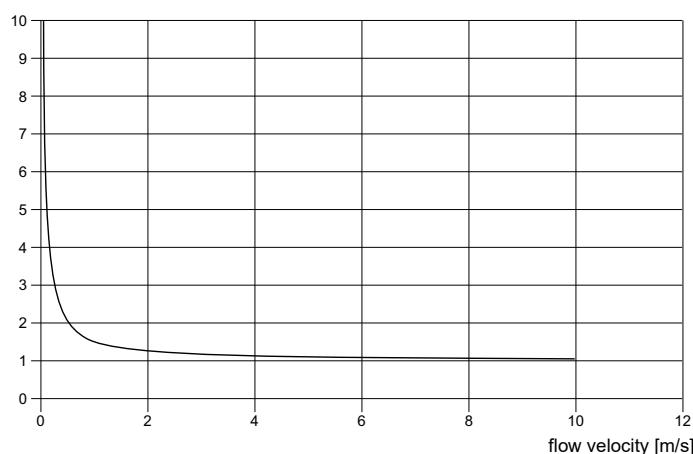
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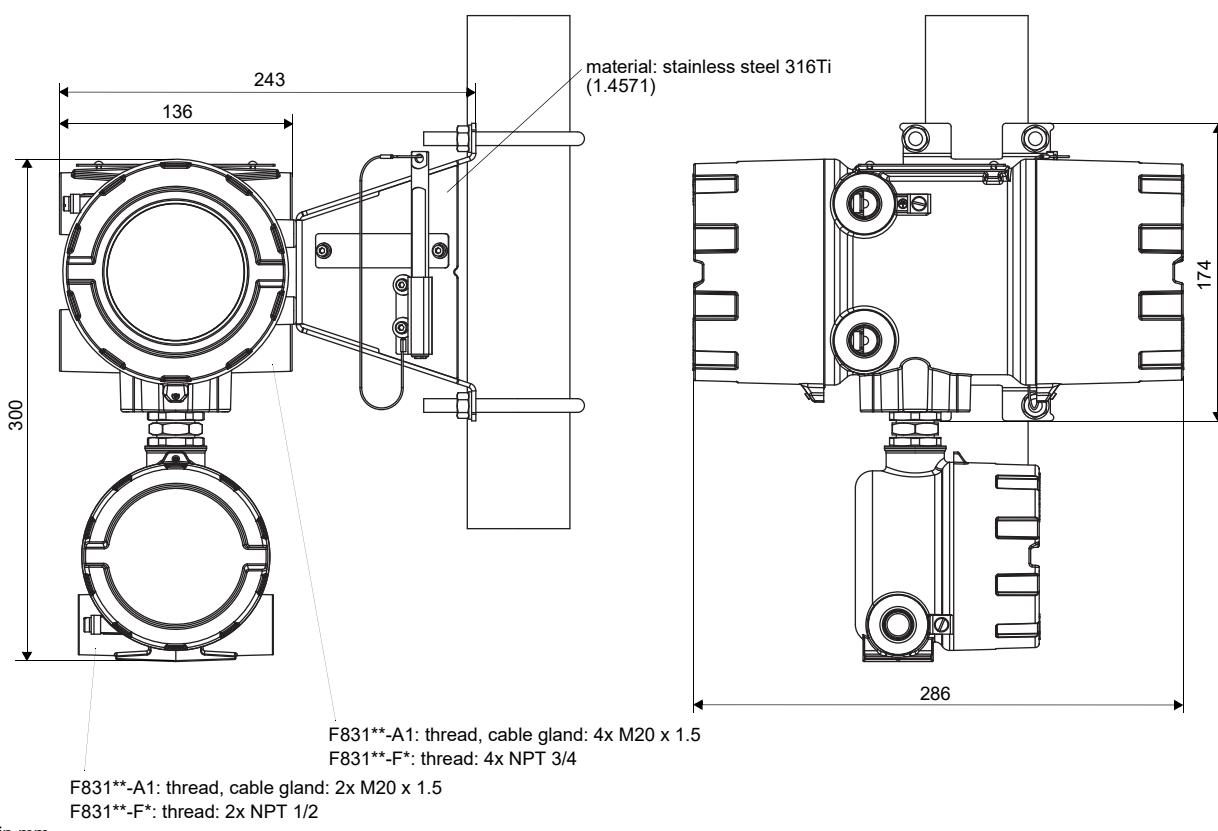
Measurement uncertainty

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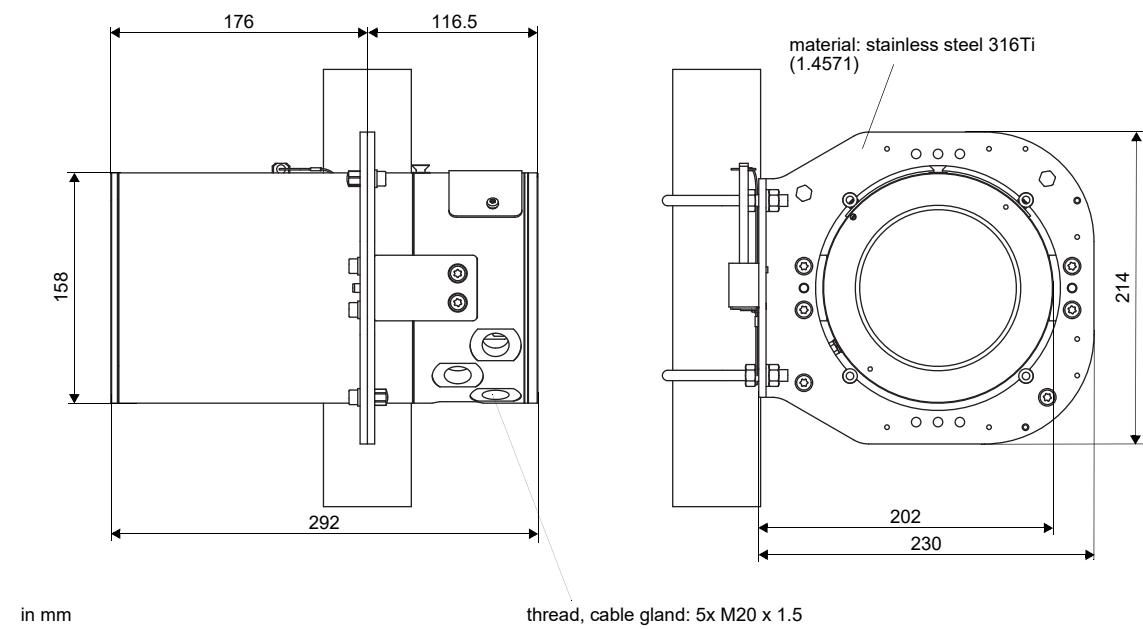


Dimensions

*831 (aluminum housing)

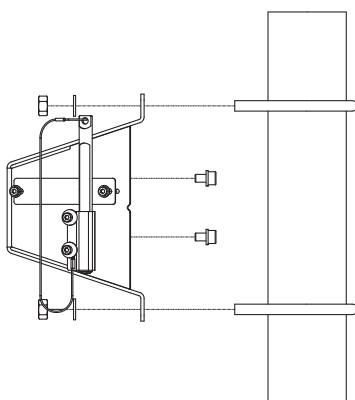


*831 (stainless steel housing)

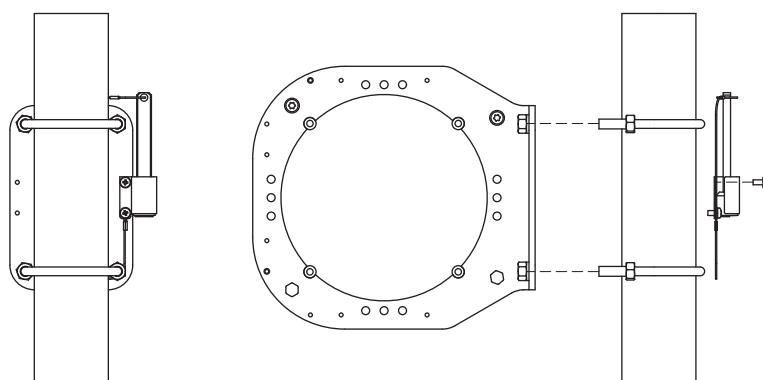


Wall and 2" pipe mounting kit

*831 (aluminum housing)



*831 (stainless steel housing)



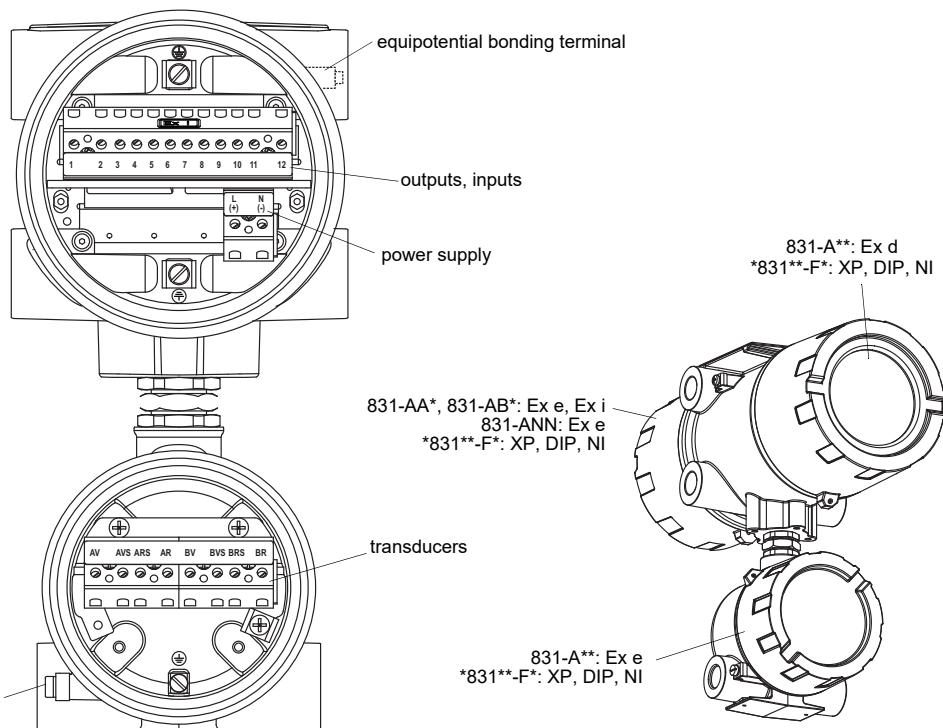
Storage

- do not store outdoors
- store within the original package
- store in a dry and dust-free place
- protect against sunlight
- keep all openings closed
- storing temperature:
 - aluminum housing: -40...+60 °C
 - stainless steel housing: -20...+60 °C

Terminal assignment

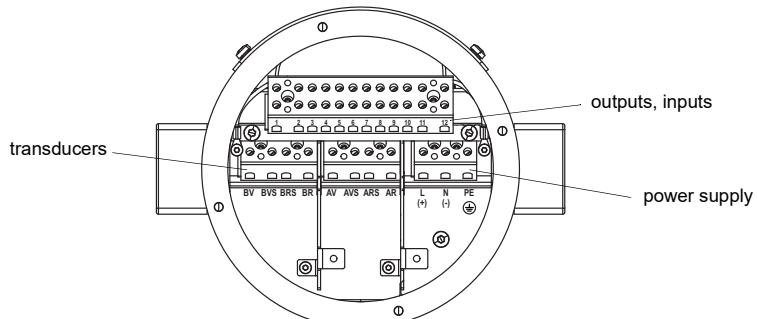
*831 (aluminum housing)

upper housing,
back view
831-AA*: 831-AB*: Ex e, Ex i
831-ANN: Ex e
*831**-F*: XP, DIP, NI



lower housing,
front view
831-A**: Ex e
*831**-F*: XP, DIP, NI

*831 (stainless steel housing)



power supply¹

AC		DC	
terminal	connection	terminal	connection
L	outer conductor	(+)	+
N	neutral conductor	(-)	-
()	protective conductor		

¹ cable (by customer): e.g. flexible wires, with insulated wire ferrules, wire cross-section: 0.25...2.5 mm²

transducers, extension cable

measuring channel A		measuring channel B		transducer
terminal	connection	terminal	connection	
AV	signal	BV	signal	
AVS	internal shield	BVS	internal shield	
ARS	internal shield	BRS	internal shield	
AR	signal	BR	signal	
cable gland	external shield	cable gland	external shield	

outputs, inputs^{1, 2}		
terminal	connection	
depending on configuration	current output, digital output, current input	
3, 4, 5, 6	temperature input	
11+, 12-	passive current output/HART	
11-, 12+	active current output/HART	
11, 12	Modbus RTU, FF H1, Profibus PA, BACnet MS/TP	
temperature probe		
terminal	direct connection	connection with extension cable
3	red	blue
4	red	grey
5	white	white
6	white	red
USB	type C Hi-Speed USB 2.0 Device	service (FluxDiag/FluxDiagReader)

¹ cable (by customer): e.g. flexible wires, with insulated wire ferrules, wire cross-section: 0.25...2.5 mm²

² The number, type and terminal assignment are customised.

Transducers

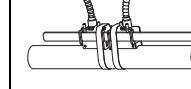
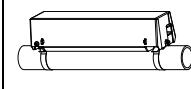
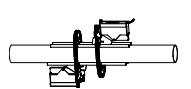
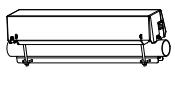
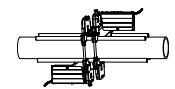
Overview

Shear wave transducers

	technical type					
	G	K	M	P	Q	S
zone 1 normal temperature range	CDG1N81 CLG1N81	CDK1N81 CLK1N81	CDM2N81 CLM2N81	CDP2N81 CLP2N81	CDQ2N81 CLQ2N81	
zone 1 IP68	CDG1L1	CDK1L1	CDM2L1	CDP2L1		
zone 1 extended temperature range	CDG1E83 CLG1E83	CDK1E83 CLK1E83	CDM2E85 CLM2E85	CDP2E85 CLP2E85	CDQ2E85 CLQ2E85	
FM Class I Div. 1 normal temperature range	CDG1N62 CLG1N62	CDK1N62 CLK1N62	CDM1N62 CLM1N62	CDP1N62 CLP1N62	CDQ1N62 CLQ1N62	
FM Class I Div. 2 normal temperature range	CDG1N53 CLG1N53	CDK1N53 CLK1N53	CDM2N53 CLM2N53	CDP2N53 CLP2N53	CDQ2N53 CLQ2N53	CDS2N53
FM Class I Div. 2 extended temperature range			CDM2E53 CLM2E53	CDP2E53 CLP2E53	CDQ2E53 CLQ2E53	
inner pipe diameter d						
min. extended mm		400	100	50	25	10
min. recommended mm		500	200	100	50	25
max. recommended mm		4000	2000	1000	400	150
max. extended mm		6500	2400	1200	480	240
pipe wall thickness						
min. mm		11	5	2.5	1.2	0.6
						0.3

for further data see Technical specification TS_F8xx-transducersVx-xXX_Leu

Transducer mounting fixture

Variofix L	Variofix C	PermaFix	transducer box WI for Wavelinjector with chains
			
	Variofix C with bolt mounting plates	PermaFix with bolt mounting plates	transducer box WI for Wavelinjector with threaded rods
			

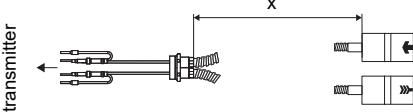
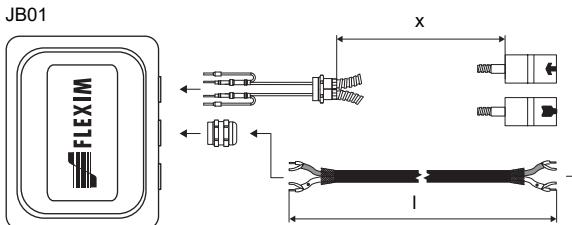
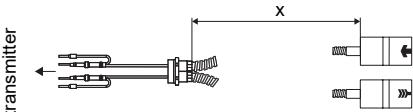
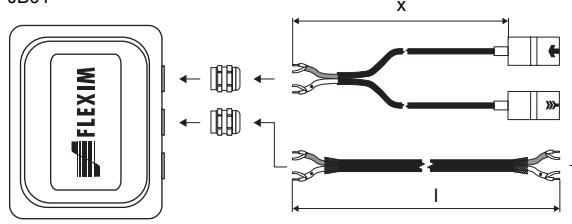
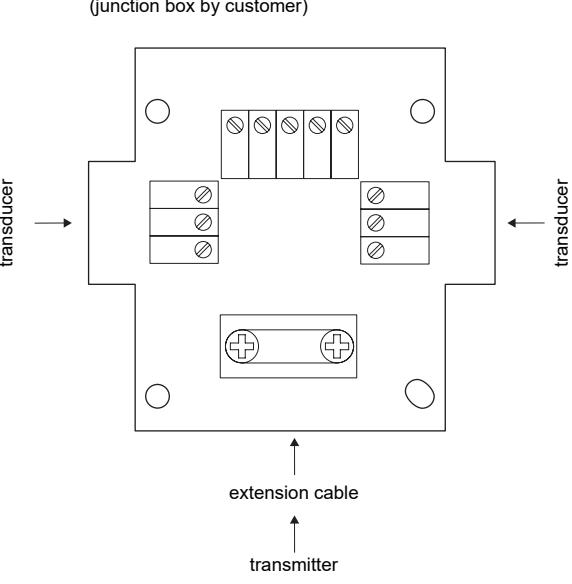
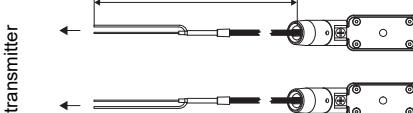
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Coupling materials for transducers

	normal temperature range	extended temperature range		WavelInjector
< 24 h	< 100 °C coupling compound type N or coupling foil type VT	< 170 °C coupling compound type E or coupling foil type VT	< 150 °C coupling compound type E or coupling foil type VT	< 200 °C coupling compound type E or H or coupling foil type VT
long time measurement	coupling foil type VT	coupling foil type VT	coupling foil type VT	200...240 °C coupling foil type TF

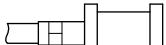
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Connection systems

connection system T1		direct connection	transducers technical type
connection with extension cable			*****53
JB01			*****8*
JB01			*****L1*
terminal board for junction box (junction box by customer)			*****62

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Temperature probes

PT12N (item number: 770415-6)	PT12N (item number: 770415-7)
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Pt100• clamp-on• -45...+230 °C• ATEX zone 0/1 (intrinsic safety)• for 831-*B*	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Pt100• clamp-on• -45...+250 °C• ATEX zone 1• for 831-*NN
	

see Technical specification TS_PTVx-XXX

Annex

Reference conditions

as available at e.g. the test facilities of Physikalisch-Technische Bundesanstalt

measurement principle	transit time difference correlation principle	
all uncertainties	%	95
fluid temperature		25 °C ±5 K
ambient temperature		25 °C ±5 K
warm-up time	min	10
flow profile at the measuring point		fully developed, rotationally symmetric
installation		installation according to specifications using the recommended transducers
Reynolds number		> 10 000
pipe diameter uncertainty	%	0.2
pipe wall thickness uncertainty	%	1
circularity tolerance		0.08 % of inner pipe diameter
SCNR	dB	> 48
SNR	dB	> 12