

Flow measurement of liquids and steam at extreme temperatures

The WaveInjector extends the application range of the ultrasonic clamp-on flow measurement to temperatures of -200...+630 °C.

The patented mounting fixture thermally separates the ultrasonic transducers from the hot or cold pipe and at the same time ensures good acoustic contact. Therefore, FLEXIM's standard transducers are suitable for long-term operation even at extreme temperatures.

Because the transducers are mounted on the outside of the pipe, it is not necessary to cut into the pipe or interrupt the operation of the facility for the setup of a flow measuring point.

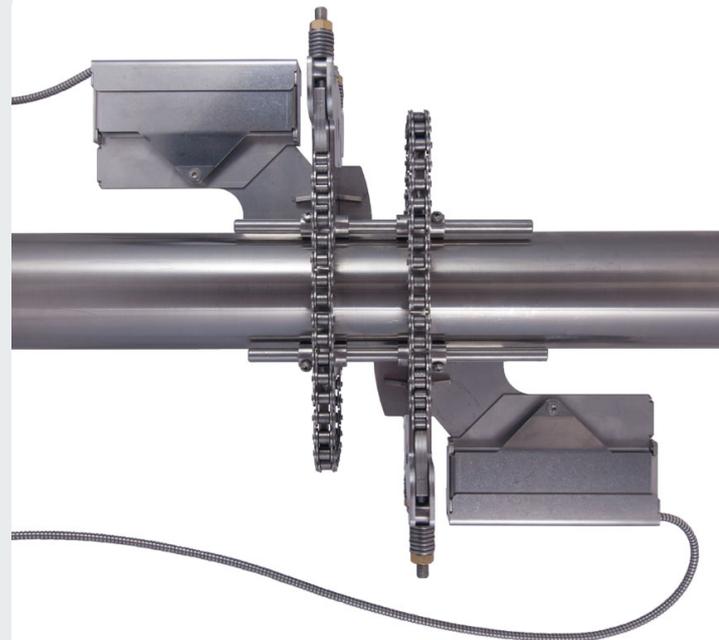
Features

- Use of FLEXIM's standard clamp-on transducers at extreme temperatures of up to 630 °C
- Transducers available for flow measurement in explosive atmospheres
- Installation without cutting into the pipe and without interrupting the production process
- Permanent and reliable coupling of the transducers to the pipe
- Operation without wear and therefore maintenance-free, no drift

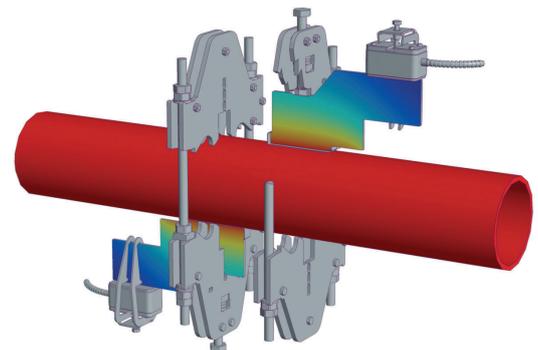
Applications

Flow measurement of fluids with extreme temperatures in power plants, chemical and petrochemical industry, e.g.:

- Pressurized water
- Steam
- Heat transfer oils
- Molten salt
- Bitumen
- Vacuum gas oils and residuals



WaveInjector with chains



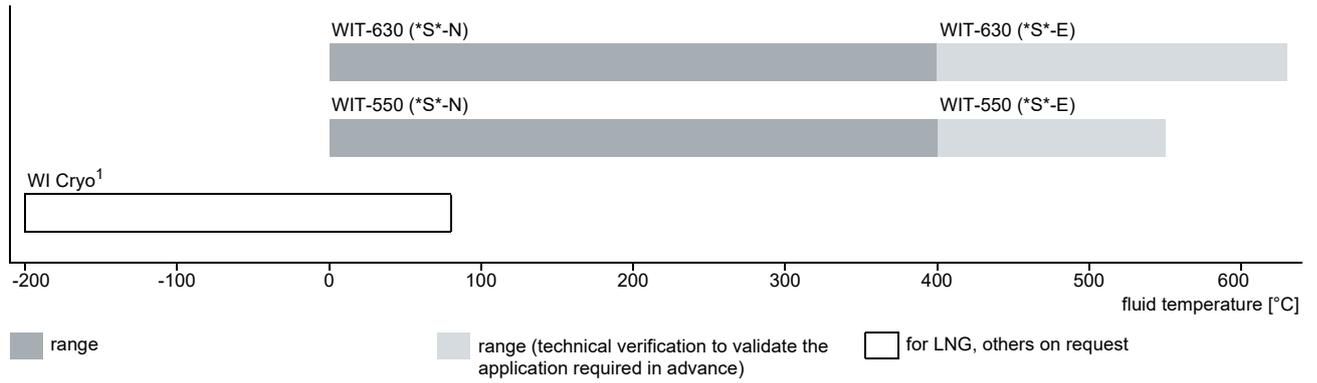
Temperature profile of WIT

Order code

1...6	7	8	9	10	11...14	15	16	17	no. of character
WaveInjector	transducer	measurement arrangement	size	fixation	outer pipe diameter ¹	coupling foil	tool	option	description
WIT-550									max. 550 °C
WIT-630									max. 630 °C
WIT-CYO									for cryogenic liquids
	K								shear wave transducers with transducer frequency G, K
	M								shear wave transducers with transducer frequency M, P (connection system TS, T1, AS)
	Q								shear wave transducers with transducer frequency Q (connection system TS, T1, AS)
	1								shear wave transducers with transducer frequency M, P (connection system NL)
	4								shear wave transducers with transducer frequency Q (connection system NL)
		D							reflection arrangement or diagonal arrangement
			S						small
			M						medium
			L						large
			V						very large
				C					chains
				T					threaded rods
					012				35...125 mm
					017				70...170 mm
					023				70...220 mm
					038				70...370 mm
					053				70...520 mm
					056				350...560 mm
					085				560...850 mm
					100				600...1000 mm
						A			coupling foil max. 280 °C
						C			coupling foil max. 280 °C and coupling foil max. 630 °C
						D			coupling foil min. -200 °C
							A		WIT-A tool
							M		WIT-M tool (pipe planer)
							O		WIT-R tool 110 V
							R		WIT-R tool 230 V
							N		without tool
								Z	special design

¹ outer pipe diameter > 1000 mm on request

Temperature ranges

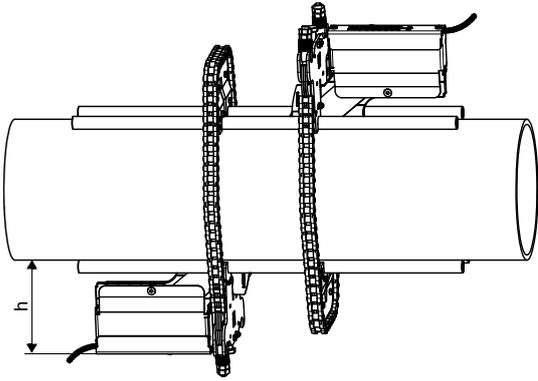
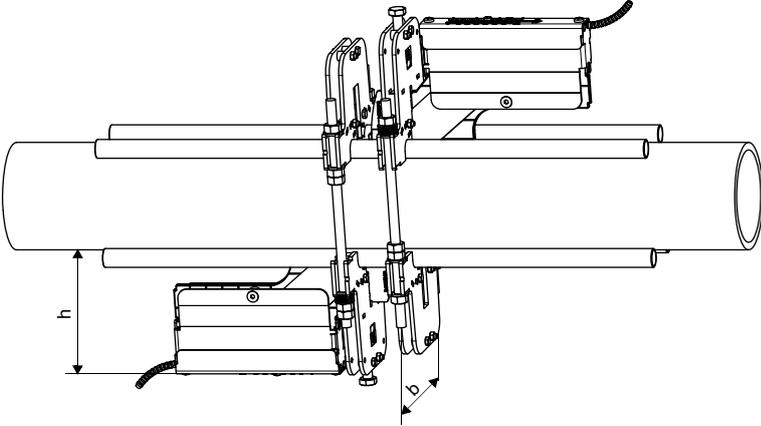


S-N: shear wave transducer, normal temperature range

S-E: shear wave transducer, extended temperature range

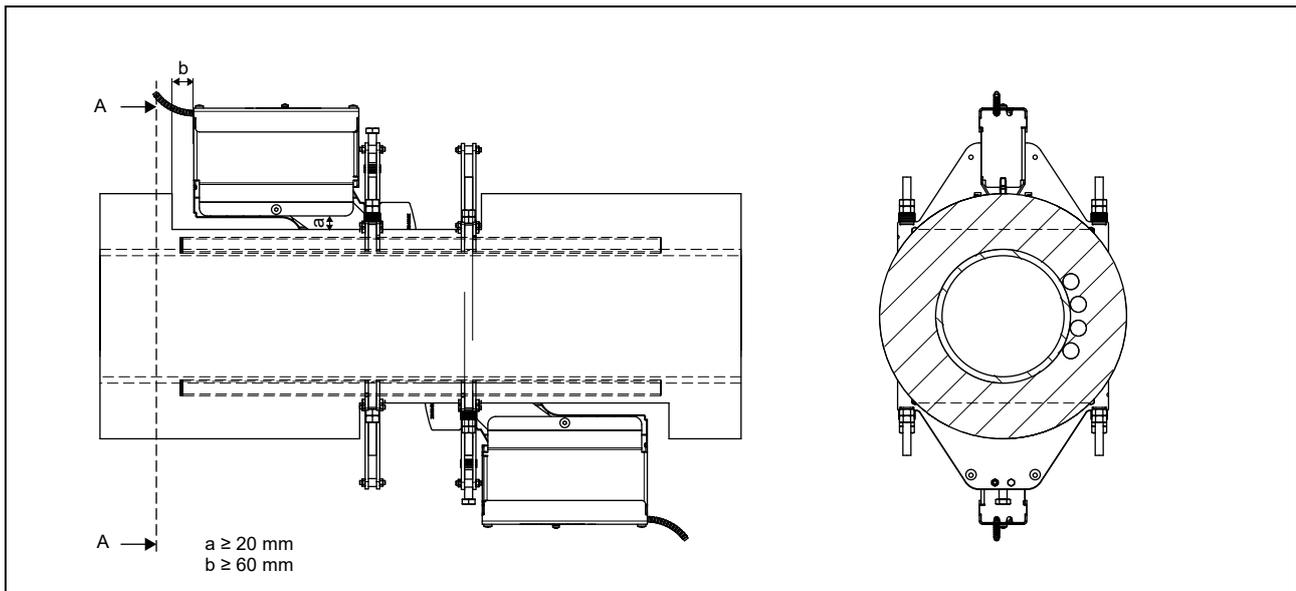
¹ see Technical specification TSFLUXUS_CYO_Vx-x

Transducer mounting fixture

<p>chains</p> 	<p>dimensions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> width: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> outer pipe diameter + 32 mm (min. 200 mm) height: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> outer pipe diameter + 2 · h WIT-550K: h = 178 mm WIT-550M, WIT-5501: h = 151 mm WIT-550Q, WIT-5504: h = 136 mm fluid temperature/material: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> max. 550 °C: stainless steel 304 (1.4301)
<p>threaded rods</p> 	<p>dimensions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> width b: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> WIT-****.*S: 170 mm WIT-****.*M: 270 mm WIT-****.*L: 420 mm WIT-****.*V: 563 mm height: outer pipe diameter + 2 · h <ul style="list-style-type: none"> WIT-***K: h = 178 mm WIT-***M, WIT-***1: h = 151 mm WIT-***Q, WIT-***4: h = 136 mm outer pipe diameter: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> WIT-****.*S: 35...125 mm WIT-****.*M: 70...220 mm WIT-****.*L: 70...370 mm WIT-****.*V: 70...520 mm fluid temperature/material: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> max. 550 °C: stainless steel 304 (1.4301) max. 630 °C: stainless steel 304 (1.4301), 309 (1.4828)

Pipe insulation (by customer)

If necessary, the work can be supervised by a FLEXIM service technician.



Weather protection (by customer)

If the WaveInjector is used outdoor, it has to be protected against rain and humidity.

The weather protection must not cover the WaveInjector completely. At least 2 sides of the weather protection have to be opened for the exchange of heat with the environment.

None of the parts within the scope of delivery of the WaveInjector must be used for the installation of the weather protection.

The weather protection can be integrated within the pipe insulation.

If necessary, the work can be supervised by a FLEXIM service technician.

horizontal pipe		
		<p>fluid temperature $\leq 400\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a $\geq 60\text{ mm}$ b $\geq 100\text{ mm}$ c $\geq 100\text{ mm}$ <p>fluid temperature $> 400\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a $\geq 200\text{ mm}$ b $\geq 300\text{ mm}$ c $\geq 300\text{ mm}$
vertical pipe		
		<p>fluid temperature $\leq 400\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a $\geq 100\text{ mm}$ b $\geq 100\text{ mm}$ c $\geq 100\text{ mm}$ <p>fluid temperature $> 400\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a $\geq 300\text{ mm}$ b $\geq 300\text{ mm}$ c $\geq 300\text{ mm}$

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