

# MicroFLOW SF6.100 Vol.-%

Inline NDIR gas sensor for sulfur hexafluoride measurement up to 100 Vol.-%



### **Applications**

- Leakage monitoring in high power applications,
- Monitoring of insulation gases,
- Quality assurance of insulation gases

### **Product benefits**

- Minimized deviation of pressure value and barometric changes (< 0.1 % / 10 hPa),</li>
- Industrially most used interfaces available.
- Low maintenance due to high-quality material,
- Use in battery-powered devices,
- Gas temperature in the measuring system can be monitored,
- Maintenance and cleaning possible with little effort

### **Features**

- 10 points linearization
- Pressure compensation by integrated pressure sensor
- Temperature compensation
- Digital interfaces RS232/ CAN-Bus,
- Robust design with high chemical resistance,
- Measurement of gas temperature possible,
- Modular design
- No cross sensitivity to CF<sub>4</sub>

### Additional product information

The MicroFlow sensors are highly accurate and reliable, with 10-point linearization for optimal performance. They provide long-term stability and precision for the intended measuring range. These sensors are easy to use, ready-to-measure and can be quickly integrated into the application. The IR emitter ensures optimum signal quality. The integrated pressure sensor and sample cell block reduce the sensor module's space requirement and prevent errors caused by leakage.

The smart sensor design enables easy replacement of individual components. Low power consumption allows for use in battery-powered devices. A wide operational pressure range extends the range of applications, such as systems requiring negative pressure. Our software is available for free download. This saves time because no programming effort is required.

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## Technical data

| Technical parameter                       |  | Unit         |
|---|--|--------------|
| General                                   |  |              |
| Order number                              | VKM2002985                             |              |
| Measurement principle                     | NDIR                                   |              |
| Sample cell length                        | 2                                      | mm           |
| Estimated lifetime of IR source           | 40 000                                 | h            |
| Gas flow rate                             | 0.1 - 3                                | l/min        |
| Dimensions                                | 88 x 90 x 60                           | [mm]         |
| Weight                                    | 160                                    | g            |
| Tube connection                           | 6/4 mm tube                            |              |
| Power supply connection                   | 3 pol. RS232/ 3 pol. CAN-Bus (2.54 mm) |              |
|   |  |              |
| Measurement <sup>1</sup>                  |  |              |
| Measurement range                         | 0 - 100                                | Vol%         |
| Measuring gas                             | Sulfur hexafluoride                    |              |
| Warm up time <sup>2</sup>                 | < 10                                   | min          |
| Response time (t <sup>90</sup> )          | < 5                                    | S            |
| Detection limit (³σ) ³                    | < 0.05                                 | % FS         |
| Digital resolution                        | 0.001                                  | Vol%         |
| Linearity error                           | < 0.5                                  | % FS         |
| Repeatability                             | < 0.25                                 | % FS         |
| Long term stability (zero)                | < 0.5                                  | % FS/ month  |
| Long term stability (span)                | <1                                     | % FS/ month  |
| Temperature influence (zero)              | < 0.05                                 | % FS/ 10 K   |
| Temperature influence (span) <sup>4</sup> | < 0.5                                  | % FS/ 10 K   |
| Position influence                        | < 0.5                                  | % FS/ 180 °  |
| Pressure influence                        | < 0.15                                 | % FS/ 10 hPa |



## **Technical data**

| Technical parameter                |   | Unit |
|------------------------------------|---|------|
| Electrical                         |   |      |
| Operation voltage                  | 9 30                                      | V DC |
| Operation current max.             | 45  | mA   |
| Nominal power consumption          | 1   | W    |
| Digital output signal              | RS232 or CAN-Bus                          |      |
| Output format CAN                  | MARS/ CAN-Bus                             |      |
| Output format RS232                | ASCII                                     |      |
| Data rate CAN max.                 | 10  | ms   |
| Data rate RS232 max.               | 100                                       | ms   |
|                                    |   |      |
| Operating Environment              |   |      |
| Operation temperature <sup>5</sup> | 5 45                                      | °C   |
| Storage temperature                | -20 60                                    | °C   |
| Air pressure                       | 300 - 1 200                               | hPa  |
| Ambient humidity                   | 0 95 % relative humidity (non condensing) |      |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Zero gas for measurements: nitrogen; related to  $P_a = 1020 \text{ hPa}$ ;  $T_a = 25 \text{ °C}$ ; flow = 1 l/min



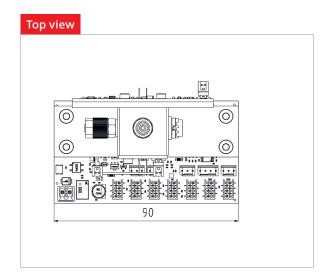
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Full specification, depends on environmental conditions

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> At zero point

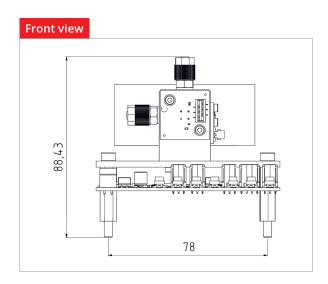
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> With span temperature compensation

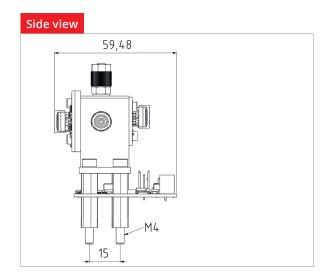
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Stable climatic conditions recomended, please check dewpoint considerations

## Mechanical drawings



→ All geometrical dimensions in mm







### **Product overview**

| Article number | Product name                 | Digital output signal | Measurement range |
|----------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|
| VKM2002977     | MicroFLOW CO2.5000 ppm       | CAN-Bus or RS232      | 0 5 000 ppm       |
| VKM2002978     | MicroFLOW CH4.select 10 Vol% | CAN-Bus or RS232      | 0 10 Vol%         |
| VKM2002979     | MicroFLOW CH4.10 Vol%        | CAN-Bus or RS232      | 0 10 Vol%         |
| VKM2002980     | MicroFLOW CO.50 Vol%         | CAN-Bus or RS232      | 0 50 Vol%         |
| VKM2002981     | MicroFLOW CO2.50 Vol%        | CAN-Bus or RS232      | 0 50 Vol%         |
| VKM2002985     | MicroFLOW SF6.100 Vol%       | CAN-Bus or RS232      | 0 100 Vol%        |

### Wi.Tec inside



- Integrated pressure sensor μP.sens
- Software MARS light
- Optimized for sample gas and gas concentration

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