

This document illustrates the main steps involved in the installation of VibroSystM equipment.

Keep in mind that only a general overview is presented, as this document is intended for planning purposes only. Concerns about safety issues or specific installation considerations are not included.

For safe operation and to ensure that your system functions at its optimum capability, the installation and adjustment process should be handled only by VibroSystM trained service specialists.



DESCRIPTION

The Wicket-Gate Position Transducer measures the linear displacement of the servomotor stroke to know the opening position of the gates on hydrogenerators. Various models are available for different measuring ranges up to 12.7 m (500 in.); to be specified. The 4-20 mA analog output is connected to the ZOOM Processing Unit for integration of gate opening monitoring.

The transducer is attached to a fixed body (cylinder head) and the connecting cable to a moving element (end of stroke). A constant torque spring controls the cable tension while a cable extension rotates a precision potentiometer. The long-life stainless steel cable is replaceable.

WICKET-GATE POSITION

LINEAR DISPLACEMENT TRANSDUCER

APPLICATIONS

- Measurement of servomotor stroke to monitor wicketgate opening (position) on hydrogenerating machines
- Connection to VibroSystM ZOOM_® System

FEATURES

- High precision linear displacement measurement
- Various models available for measuring ranges between 0-25 cm (0-10 in.) and 0-12.7 m (0-500 in.); commonly 0-50 cm (0-20 in.) supplied; To be specified by customer
- 4-20 mA analog output
- Long-life stainless steel replaceable cable 0.38 mm (0.015 in.) diameter
- Precision hybrid potentiometer
- Accuracy: ±0.15% F.S. for ranges between 0–25 and 0–63 cm (0–10 to 0–25 in.);
 ±0.1% F.S. for ranges above 0–72 cm (0–30 in.)
- External +24 VDC power supply required via 4-20 mA signal loop

WICKET-GATE POSITION TRANSDUCER GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS

Operating

Common Ranges

Accuracy

• Ranges 0–25 cm up to 0–12.7 m

(0–10 in. up to 0–500 in.);
To be specified by customer

• Vibra

0–50, 0–76, 0–101 cm

(0-20, 0-30, 0-40 in.) ±0.15% full scale for ranges

0–25 to 0–63 cm (0–10 to 0–25 in.),

±0.1% full scale for ranges above 0–76 cm (0–30 in.)

Resolution Infinite

Output 4-20mA ±0.16mA at

set points

Power

Input Voltage
Input Current
Input/Output
Protection
14–40 VDC max.
3 to 30 mA max.
2-wire loop powered
Reversed polarity

Environmental

Operating Temperature
 Humidity
 Vibration
 -18° to 93°C (0° to 200°F)
 95% RH at 24°C (75°F)
 20 g, 20–2 kHz

Physical Characteristics

Body Anodized and powder coated aluminum

Cable Stainless steel 0.38 mm (0.015 in.) dia.

Tension Approx. 24 oz.

• Dimensions (common range models)

- Width 13.3 cm (5.25 in.) - Height 5.7 cm (2.25 in.) - Depth 6.7 cm (2.63 in.)

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