

# **Over-Head** Level Indicators



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resistors

# Description

Kobold over-head level indicators are used for continuous measurement, display and monitoring of liquid levels. The float inside the tank is attached by means of a connecting rod to the magnet carrier in the over-head tube. The magnet fitted in the magnet carrier operates, in a non-contacting manner, the display and monitoring devices fitted outside tube.

## Magnetic roller indicator

As the float passes by, the red/white rollers are rotated in succession by 180° around their own axes. The rollers change from white to red as the level rises and from red to white as the level falls. The level in a tank or a mixer is continuously displayed as a red column, even when the power fails.

#### Transmitter

To remotely transmit the level a transmitter with a chain of resistors or a magnetostrictive transducer can be mounted outside the bypass tube. A continuous standard signal of 4 to 20 mA is generated by means of a fitted transmitter. This standard signal can then be displayed with analogue or digital indicating devices.

#### Limit contacts

One or more reed contacts for limit-value acquisition or also for level control can be secured to the bypass tube.

#### Applications

<ul> <li>Storage tanks</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Mixing vessels</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Aggressive media</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Water tanks</li> </ul>
Technical Details	
Over-head tube:	Ø 60.3 x 2 mm
Tank tube:	Ø 60.3 x 2 mm or 76.1 x 2 mm
Initial measurement:	270 mm from tube end
Material:	st. steel 1.4571
Float:	titanium
Connecting rod:	Stange or tube from titanium or VA 1.4571 (depending on medium density and measuring length)
Flange nominal size:	DIN DN 50 or 65, PN 16 ANSI 2" or 2 1/2", 150 lbs
Max. operating pressure:	PN 16
Max. operat. temperature:	to 120°C
Viscosity:	max. 200 mm²/s
Measuring length:	min. 600 mm max. 4000 mm
Total length:	depending on meas. length, see dimension drawing
Min. density:	0.43 kg/dm <sup>3</sup>
Roller indication:	aluminium section with polypropylene rollers

## Limit contacts model: ...NBK-R, NBK-RD100

Contact operation:	bistable changeover contact
Switching hysteresis:	approximately 15 mm
Housing:	polycarbonate
Protection:	IP 67
Max. switch capacity:	60 W/VA, 230 V <sub>AC/DC</sub> , 1 A 80 VA; 220 V; 1 A (NBK-RD100)
Electrical connection:	3 m PVC cable clamp connection (NBK-RD100)
Ambient temperature:	max. 75°C
Protection:	IP 67 IP 65 (NBK-RD100
Protection category:	ⓑ II 2GD EEx d II c (only NBK-RD100)
Transmitter type:T	
Principle of	
measurement:	magnetostrictive, with transducer
Supply voltage:	24 V <sub>DC</sub> , max. 150 mA
Output:	4 - 20 mA, 4-wire
Load:	max. 500 Ω
Accuracy:	±1 mm
Max. length:	4000 mm
Medium temperature:	max. 120°C
Ambient temperature:	max. 80°C
Protection:	IP 65
Transmitter type: W	

#### Transmitter type: ...W Ρ

Principle of	
measurement:	reed contact chain of res
Total resistance:	approximately 5 k $\Omega$
Measuring-circuit	
voltage:	max. 24 V <sub>DC</sub>
Measuring current:	max. 0.1 A
Medium temperature:	max. 120°C
Ambient temperature:	max. 130°C
Resolution:	10 mm (ML<2000 mm)
	20 mm (ML≥2000 mm)
Protection:	IP 65

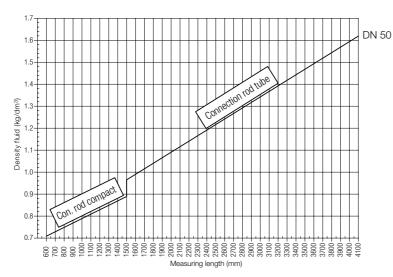
#### Transmitter type: ...M

Reed contact chain with 2-wire transmitter		
Output:	4 - 20 mA	
Supply voltage:	16-32 V <sub>DC</sub>	
Load:	(U <sub>B</sub> -9V)/0.02A[Ω]	
Medium temperature:	max. 120°C	
Ambient temperature:	max. 80 °C	
Resolution:	10 mm (ML<2000 mm)	
	20 mm (ML≥2000 mm)	
Protection:	IP 65	



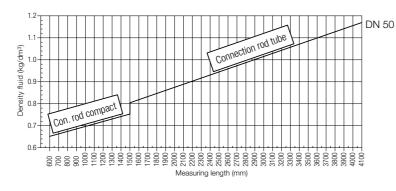
## Density/length of measuring tube diagram\*

NBK-04...8, diagram 8



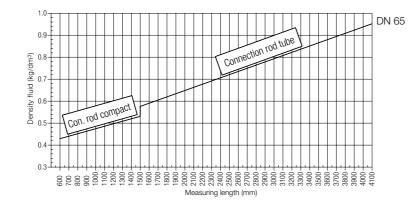
NBK-048	
Float:	titanium
Connection rod:	st. st., 1.4571
Process connection:	DIN flange, DN 50 ANSI flange, 2"
Overhead and tank tube:	Ø 60.3 mm
Min. medium density:	0.71 kg/dm <sup>3</sup>

# NBK-04...6, diagram 6



NBK-046	
Float:	titanium
Connection rod:	titanium
Process connection:	DIN flange, DN 50 ANSI flange, 2"
Overhead and tank tube:	Ø 60.3 mm
Min. medium density:	0.65 kg/dm <sup>3</sup>

# NBK-04...4, diagram 4



#### NBK-04...4

Float:	titanium
Connection rod:	st. st., 1.4571
Process connection:	DIN flange, DN 65 ANSI flange, 2 1/2"
Overhead tube:	Ø 60.3 mm
Tank tube:	Ø 76,1 mm
Min. medium density:	0.43 kg/dm <sup>3</sup>

\*The floats could be adjusted to the densities above the graph



## Order Details (Example: NBK-04 F50 00 0 8)

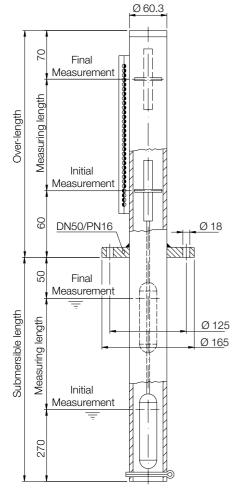
Model	Material	Connection and nominal size	Roller indication	Transmitter	Medium density and meas. length
NBK-04	Stainless steel	F50=DIN flange DN 50 A50=ANSI flange 2"	00 =without RP=PP (poly- propylene) rollers	0= without W=reed contact chain M=reed contact chain with head mounted transmitter T= magnetostrictive 6*=without transmitter, ATEX-II 2G EEx d	8=see diagram 8 6=see diagram 6
	F65=DIN flange DN 65 A65=ANSI flange 2 1/2"	00 =without RP=PP (poly- propylene) rollers	ATEX-II 1G EEx ia IIC 9*=with chain of resistors,	<b>4</b> =see diagram 4	
NBK-R	Standard limit contact (bistable changeover contact)		ATEX-II 1G EEx ia IIC (transmitter) ATEX-II 1G EEx d (Bypass tube inside) NBK-01 only		
NBK-RD-100	0 ATEX limit contact				

\* ATEX-approval in preparation, not in conjunction with PP roller indication

Please specify measuring length L, density, pressure and temperature in writing!

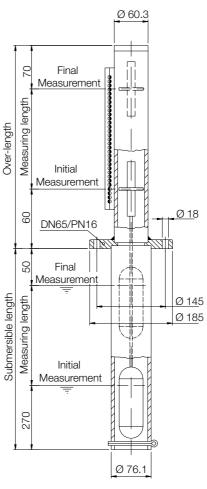
## Dimensions





Submersible length = measuring length + 320 mm.





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