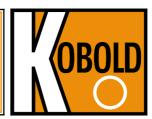


Humidity Measuring Instrument with Display

Capacitive Method of Measurement



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Description:

Type AFA-G humidity sensors are suited for measuring relative humidity in air or in other non-aggressive gases.

The sensors are based on capacitive metrology which is reasonably-priced, maintenance-free and highly accurate.

Capacitive humidity sensor elements form the basis of these sensors. An electrode system, a moisture-sensitive polymer layer and a gold layer that is permeable to vapour are situated on a small thin glass or ceramic substrate.

Since the hygroscopic polymer layer can absorb water molecules that alter its dielectric constant, this layered system acts as a moisture-dependant capacitor, whose capacitance is a measure of the surrounding relative humidity.

The change in capacitance is converted to an electrical output signal by electronics normally mounted on the humidity sensor element. Both parts form a capacitive humidity sensor that can be adjusted using humidity references. Accuracy is approximately \pm 2 % RH.

Besides providing the output signal of 4-20 mA, the measuring instrument allows the measured value to be read off a red LED display at the measuring point.

The display is supplied from the 4-20 mA signal current and thus requires no additional power supply.

The measuring instruments are also available with a programmable switching output. Sensors from the range are delivered with an aluminium sensor unit and a gauze filter. The connection is made with a right-angle plug according to DIN 43650.

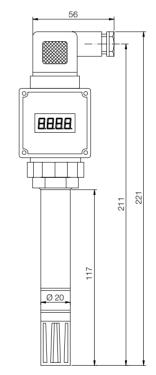
Application examples:

- Monitoring and control of air conditioning systems, drying plant, humidifiers and dehumidifiers
- Bakery technology
- Warehousing
- Ripening warehouses for food
- R & D (e.g. environmental engineering)
- Households
- Greenhouses

Technical details:

0-100% RH
±2% RH (for range 5-95% RH and 10-40°C)
< 0.1 %/K
10 s
0-60°C
-30 to +80°C
IP 30/IP 65
17-35 V DC
4-20 mA
0-800 Ω
open collector, PNP max. 90 mA
\geq 1 m/s (at right angles to the sensor)

Dimensions:



Type codes

