

#### **Mechanical Pressure Switches**

for overpressure, vacuum pressure and differential pressure







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Connection: G 1/2

Model: SCH

#### **Pressure switches General description**

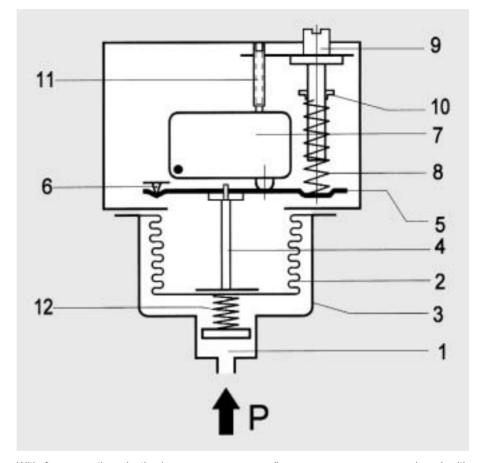


#### Mode of operation

The pressure applied in the sensor housing (1) acts on the measuring bellows (2). Pressure changes lead to movements of the measuring bellows (2) which are transferred through a pressure pin (4) to the switching rocker (5). The switching rocker is supported on hardened pivot points (6).

As the pressure increases the switching rocker (5) moves upwards and operates the microswitch (7). The spring (8), the initial stress of which can be changed by the setting screw (9) (switching point setting), acts as opposing force. The traveling nut (10) is moved by turning the setpoint spindle, and the initial stress of the spring (8) is changed. The screw (11) serves for the internal adjustment of the microswitch. The counterpressure spring (12) ensures stable switching behaviour, evewn for low setting values.

- 1 = pressure connection
- 2 = measuring bellows
- 3 = sensor housing
- 4 = pressure pin
- 5 = switching rocker
- 6 = pivot points
- 7 = microswitch or other switching elements
- 8 = setpoint spring
- 9 = setting spindle (switching point setting)
- 10 = traveling nut (switching point indicator)
- 11 = adjusting screw for microswitch
- 12 = counterpressure spring



#### Pressure sensors

With few exceptions in the low pressure range, all pressure sensors are equipped with measuring bellows, partly made of a copper alloy but mostly in high stainless steel quality (1.4571). In comparison with the permissible values, the measuring bellows are subject to low loads and move only slightly. This results in long service life with low switching point drift and high overpressure safety. The movement of the measuring bellows is also restricted by an international stop so that the forces resulting from the overpressure can not be transmitted to the switching mechanism.

The parts of the sensor in contact with the medium are welded together without additional materials and the sensor contain no seals. Cu bellows which are used for low pressure ranges are soldered to the sensor housing. The sensor housing and all parts in the unit in contact with the medium can also be manufactured completely in stainless steel 1.4571 (series DNS). The individual data sheets contain exact data on materials.

switches have two pressure connections (max. and min.) and must be connected to one

The pressure connection is designed in accordance with DIN 16288 for all pressure switches (pressure gauge connection G 1/2 A). They can also be connected optionally to the internal thread G 1/4 in accordance with ISO 228 Part 1. The centering pin must then be removed. Max. screw-down depth on the internal thread G 1/4 = 9 mm. When connected to the external thread G 1/2 with seal in the thread (i.e. without the sealing washer customary in the pressure gauge connection), the centering pin must be removed. Differential pressure

internal thread G 1/4 each.

**Pressure connection** 

#### The most important technical data



Valid for all pressure switch with microswitches of the DCM, VCM, DNM, DNS, DDC series. The technical data of the component tested units deviate partly slightly. (Please refer to type sheet)

#### **Normal version**



⟨ξ<sub>x</sub>⟩-version



Switch housing

**Pressure connection** 

Switching function and connection drawing (applies only for version with microswitch)

Aluminium diecast GD Al Si 12

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G 1/2 external thread (pressure gauge connection) and G 1/4 internal thread. Internal thread G 1/4 at differential pressure switches DDCM.

Floating change-over contact. With rising pressure switching over single-pole from 3-1 to 3-2

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8 A at 250 V<sub>AC</sub> 5 A at 250 V<sub>AC</sub> inductive 8 A at 24 V<sub>DC</sub> 0.3 A at 250 V<sub>DC</sub>

3 A at 250 V<sub>AC</sub> 2 A at 250 V<sub>AC</sub> inductive 3 A at 24 V<sub>DC</sub> 0.03 A at 250 V<sub>DC</sub>

Eex de IIC T6 tested to EN 50014/50018/50019 (CENELEC)

Adjustable on the spindle after the

Arbitrary preferably vertical See data sheet

IP 54 (on request IP 65 by ZF 351)

Plug connection (200 series) or

Vertical

IP 65

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Ex 90.C.1059

-15 to +60°C

Not adjustable

Terminal connection

terminal box is removed.

Installation position

Switching capacity

with microswitch)

(applies only for version

Degree of protection (in vertical position)

Ex degree of protection

PTB approval

**Electrical connection** 

Cable entry

Ambient temperature

Switching difference

Medium temperature

**Switching point** 

Terminal connection (300 series) Pg 11

See data sheets

Adjustable on the spindle. In switching mechanism 300 the terminal box lid must be removed.

Adjustable or not adjustable (see type overview)

Max. 70°C, briefly 85°C Max. 60°C

Higher medium temperatures are possible if the above limit values at the switching mechanism are ensured by suitable measures (e.g. siphon)

All pressure switches can operate under vacuum, the device is not damaged by this.

Vacuum

Repetition accuracy of the switching points

Vibration strength

< 1% of the working range (for pressure ranges > 1 bar)

Upto 4 g no noteworthy deviations.

The switching difference is reduced slightly at higher accelerations.

Use able 25 g not permissible.

With sinusoidal pressure application and room temperature, 10 x 10<sup>6</sup> switching cycles. The expected life depends strongly upon the type of pressure application, therefore this figure can serve only as rough estimate.

With pulsating pressure or pressure impacts in hydraulic systems, pressure surge reduction is recommanded...

Overvoltage category III, contamination class 3, reference surge voltage 4000 V. The confirmity to DIN VDE 0110 (01.89) will be confirmed.

The parts of all pressure switches in contact with the medium are oil and grease-free. The sensors are hermetically encapsulated, they contain no seals.

Mechanical life

Insulation values

Oil and grease-free

#### ZF

# Pressure switches Switch units / optional function / connection diagrams



Description

Connection diagrams

Explanation

#### **Normal version**

microswitch, single pole switching over, switching differential not adjustable



**ZF** 205

#### **Maximum limiter**

with manual reset device. Interlocking with increasing pressure.



**ZF 206** 

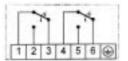
#### **Minimum limiter**

with manual reset device. Interlocking with falling pressure.



**ZF** 307

**Two microswitches,** switching in parallel or in succession. Fixed switching interval. Terminal connection case



**ZF 217** 

#### Two microswitches,

switching in succession, 1 plug adjustable switching interval.



**ZF 213** 

#### **Gilded contacts**

Cannot be supplied with adjustable switching differential.



**Switching capacity** 

max. 24  $V_{DC}$ , 100 mA min. 5  $V_{DC}$ , 2 mA

#### Adjustment according to customer's instruction:

one switching point

two switching points or defined switching differential

Specify the switching point and the direction of action

#### Adjustment and sealing according customer's instruction:

one switching point

two switching points or defined switching differential

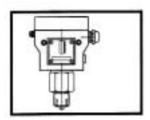
Special packing for oil- and grease-free storage

# Pressure monitoring in explosion-endangered areas





Pressure switches with special equipment can also be used in the  $\mathbf{Ex}$  area  $\geq$   $\mathbf{Zone}$  1.



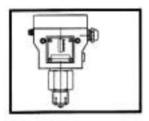
The following alternatives are possible:

#### Pressure switch with pressure-proof encapsulated switching device, degree of protection EEx de IIC T6.

The pressure switch in pressure-proof encapsulation can be used directly in the Ex area (≥ Zone 1). Maximum switching voltage, switching capacity and ambient temperature must be taken into account and the rules for the installation in the Ex area must be observed.

All pressure switches can be equipped with Ex switching mechanisms.

Special circuits as well as versions with adjustable switching differences are not possible.



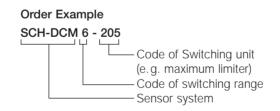
#### 2. Pressure switches in EEx-i-version

All pressure switch in normal version can be used in the Ex area ≥ Zone 1 if they are incorporated in an "intrinsically safe circuit". In principle the intrinsic safety is based on that fact that the control circuit run in the Ex area carries only a small amount of energy which is not able to generate ignitable sparks.

Isolating switching amplifiers, e.g. Type REL-6000 must be tested by the PTB and approved for Ex-installations.

Isolating switching amplifiers must be in any event installed outside the Ex zone.

Pressure switches which are intended for EEx-ia installations can be equipped with blue terminals and cable entries. Because of the low voltages and currents which are carried by the contacts of the microswitch, gold plated contacts are recommanded (additional function ZF 513).



#### Order specification:

Pressure switch

SCH-DCM-6-205

or

SCH-DCM 6 with ZF 205

#### **Component tests**



#### **V**dTÜV

Pressure 100/1

#### Steam and hot water

Pressure monitors and pressure limiters for seam and hot water in systems to DIN 4751 P2 and TRD 604.

Series DA and DWR.

#### **DVGW**

DIN 3398 T.1 and 3

#### Fuel gases CE

Pressure monitors and limiters for fuel gases in accordance with

DVGW Worksheet G-260. Series DGM and DWR.

#### TÜV

**DIN 3398 T.4** 

#### Liquid fuels

Pressure monitors and pressure limiters for liquid fuels (heating oil). Serie DWR.

#### TÜV

Pressure 100/1 + DIN 3398 T.4

#### Pressure limiters in safety emgineering

For safety-relevant pressure monitoring in liquid gas systems, chemical and processing engineering systems.

## EEx de II CT6

(pressure proof encapsulated)

#### ⟨£x⟩-versions

For Ex areas ≥ Zone 1, all pressure switches can be delivered in pressure-proof encapsulated design (Ex degree of protection EEx de II C T6). PTB approval: Ex 90. C.1059

### EEx-ia

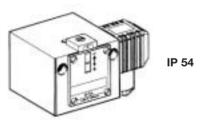
(intrinsically safe)

For intrinisically safe control circuits (Ex degree of protection EEx-ia), the pressure switches can be delivered with gold contacts, proximity switches as well as with the blue terminals and cable entries customary in the EEx-i area.

An isolating switching amplifier, which transfer the control commands of the pressure switch form an intrinsically safe control circuit (EEx-ia) into a not intrinsically safe active circuit, is required in addition to the pressure switch.

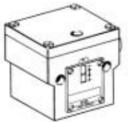
#### Switch housing with switching mechanisms

The switch housings consist of high quality and seawater-resistant aluminium diecastings. Three versions are available:



#### Housing (normal version)

Plug connections to DIN 43650 Degree of protection IP 54 Setpoint setting accessible from the outside



#### Terminal connection

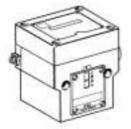
With terminal connection box Degree of protection IP 54, on request IP 65 Setpoint setting and terminal connections accessible only after removal of the terminal box lid.



#### ⟨Ex⟩-Housing (EEx-d version)

All pressure and differential pressure switches can be equipped with these switch housings and are thus approved for  $EX \ge 1$ . Degree of protection IP 65

Ex degree of protection EEx de IIC T6.





# Pressure limiters with switching status lock (restart lockout)



In limiter functions it is frequently necessary to retain and lock the shutdown status and to release the lock and switch on the system again only after the causes that led to the safety shutdown have been eliminated.

There are two possibilities for this:

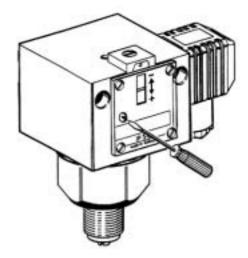
#### 1. Mechanical lock inside the pressure switch

A "bistable" microswitch is built into the limites instead of the microswitch with automatic reset.

When the value set on the scale is reached, the microswitch switches over and remains in this position. The lock must be released by pressing the unlocking button (marked by a red dot on the scale side of the switching device). According to version, the lock can be effective with rising or falling value. Unlocking can take place only if the pressure has dropped by a certain amount or in the case of locking it has risen back to the lower switching point.

When the pressure limiter is selected, a distinction must be made between maximum pressure and minimum pressure monitoring.

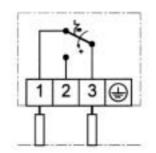
Ex-versions cannot be delivered with internal locking.



## 1.1 Maximum pressure limitation

Switching over and locking with rising pressure.
Additional function:
205, ZF 305

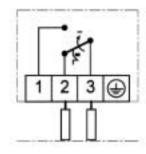
Connection to terminal 1 and 3.



## 1.2 Minimum pressure limiration

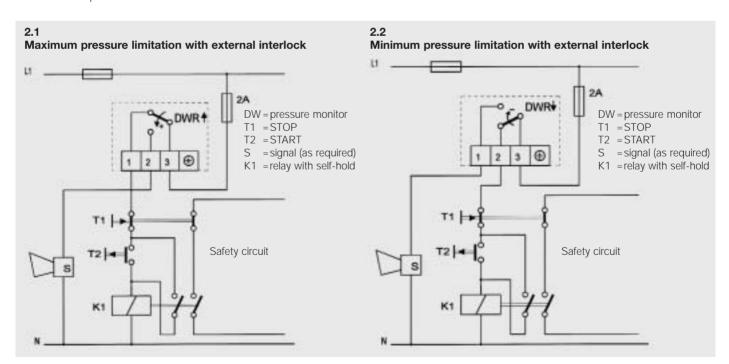
Switching over and locking with falling pressure.
Additional function:
206, 306

Connection to terminal 2 and 3.



#### 2. External electrical interlock in the switchgear cabinet

A pressure monitor (microswitch with automatic reset) can also be used as limiter if an electrical interlock in connected in series. In pressure limitation in steam and hot water boilers, the external interlock is permissible only if it is ensured that the pressure monitor is of "special construction".



When the interlock circuit shown above is used, the requirements in accordance with DIN 57 116/VDE 0116 are fulfilled if the electrical equipment such as contactors or relays of the external interlock circuit correspond to VDE 0660 or VDE 0435 respectively.

#### **SCH-HCD**

#### **Technical Data**

#### **Pressure connection**

Pressure connection for overpressure: G 1/4 internal thread. For vacuum and differential pressure: G 1/8 internal thread.

#### Switch case

Aluminium die cast Medium berührte Teile: Verzinktes Stahlblech, NBR

#### Temperature of medium

-15 up to +60°C

#### Max. admissible working pressure

See summary of types

#### Installation position

Horizontal with connecting piece pointing downwards

#### **Protection**

IP44 according to DIN 40050

#### Mounting

Either direct on pipe or with mounting bracket (is supplied as standard) onto a vertical surface.

#### Adjustment of the switching point

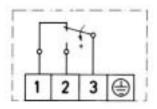
Remove cover and turn the setpoint spindle market with  $\pm$  into the relevant position. The scale indicates only standard values, for exact adjustment of the required value a manometer is necessary which can be connected at the measuring connection (pressure tapping piece 9 mm  $\varnothing$ )

#### **Electrical data**

#### **Switching function**

Single pole switching over

#### **Electrical connection**



3= com = common connection

2= no = normally open

1= nc = normally closed

Connection direct at the inner microswitch. The grounding terminal is accessible after removal of the case over.

#### **Switching capacity**

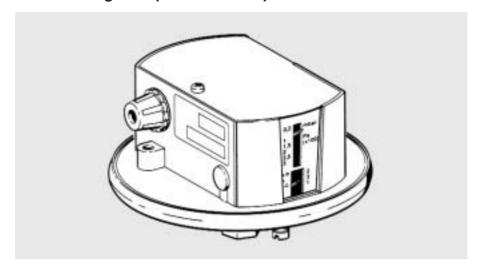
10 A/220 V (resistive load) 2.5 A/220 V (inductive load)

#### Cable entry

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# Pressure switches and Differential pressure switches For neutral gases (DVGW-tested)





The pressure switches of series HCD are suitable for neutral and non-aggressive gases. They can be used for monitoring overpressure, vacuum as well as differential pressure. For detecting overpressure, connection is made on the pressure side at the lower connecting piece G 1/4 for detecting the vacuum pressure at the upper connecting piece G 1/8 (remove locking clamp). For detecting the differential pressure, the high pressure is applied at the lower connecting piece (G 1/4) and the low pressure at the upper connecting piece (G 1/8).

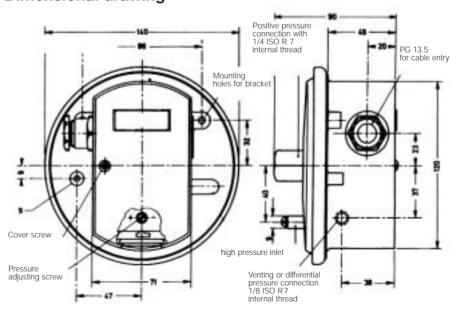
For exact adjustment of the required value a pressure tapping (9 mm  $\emptyset$ ) is available. The pressure switch is tested to DIN 3398 part 1 approved by DVGW for air and fuel gases to DVGW-standards G 260.

Model	Range of adjustment	Switching diff. (mbar) in lower in upper range range	Max. working pressure	DVGW ReNo.
SCH-HDC 6003	0.2-3 mbar	0.3 - 0.5	100 mbar	94.01c050
SCH-HDC 6010	1-10 mbar	0.3 - 1	100 mbar	94.01c050
SCH-HDC 6050	5-50 mbar	1.5 - 3	200 mbar	94.01c050
SCH-HDC 6150	15-150 mbar	4 - 10	300 mbar	94.01c050

The switching differential is not adjustable.

The low switching differentials are valid for the lower range of adjustment, the higher values for the upper ranges.

#### **Dimensional drawing**



#### **SCH-DPS**

#### **Technical Data**

#### **Pressure connection**

Plastic connection piece with 6 mm external diameter for measuring hose with 5 mm internal diameter Connection piece P1 for higher pressure, P2 for lower pressure.

#### Pressure medium

Air, as well as non combustible and non-aggressive gases

#### Switch housing

Switch housing and pressure connection P2 made from PA 6.6 Lower part and pressure connection P1 made of POM.

#### Medium and ambient temperature

-20°C to +85°C

(storage temperature -  $40\,^{\circ}$ C to +  $85\,^{\circ}$ C)

#### Max. permissible operating pressure

5000 Pa for all types

#### Installation position

Vertical pressure connections below. (In horizontal installation position with the cover facing upwards, the scale values are 20 Pa below the actual values, in horizontal installation position with the cover facing downwards, the scale values are 20 Pa higher. Vertical installation is essential for set values below approx. 50 Pa!)

#### **Protection**

IP 54

#### Installation

By means of mounting pieces integrated in the housing with 2 screws directly onto a vertical surface, e.g. the air-conditioner or the air duct. In the case of installation in the ceiling area, use L brackets if necessary.

#### Switching point adjustment

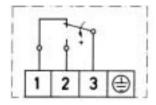
Remove the cover and set the scale to the wanted value. The set values refer to the upper switching point (for maximum pressure monitoring). In the case of minimum pressure monitoring, the switching point is less than the set value by an amount corresponding to the switching differential.

#### Weight: 160 g

#### **Switching function**

Single pole switching over

#### **Electrical connection**



Use flat connector 6.3 x 0.8 DIN 46 244 or the screw terminals supplied.

#### **Switching capacity**

1.5 (0.4) A / 250 V<sub>AC</sub>

#### Cable entry

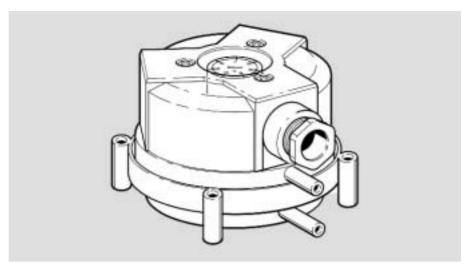
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#### **Approvals**

Switches tested and approved according to VDE 0630 for 1.5 A.

# Differential pressure switches for ventilation and air-conditioning





#### **Applications**

Differential pressure switch for filter, fan or air flow monitoring in air-conditioning and ventilation systems.

#### Type overview

Model	Setting range for upper switching pressure	Switching differential (standard values)	
SCH-DPS 400	20 Pa - 400 Pa	20 Pa	
SCH-DPS 1000	200 Pa - 1000 Pa	20 Pa	
SCH-DPS 2500	500 Pa - 2500 Pa	20 Pa	

#### Accessories supplied with the device:

2 m silicone hose, 2 connection pieces with mounting screws

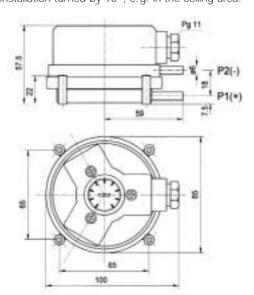
2 self-tapping screws for mounting the housing

3 screw terminals for the electrical connection

#### Optional accessory

DPSL L bracket for installation turned by 90°, e.g. in the ceiling area.

## Dimensional drawing



#### **Quotation text:**

Differential pressure switch for filter, fan and/or air steam monitoring with adjustable scale. Switching capacity 1.5 (0.4) A at 250  $V_{AC}$ .

With approvals according to VDE 0630 for 1.5 A and EN 1854.

Max. operating pressure: 5000 Pa; type of protection IP 54. Pressure and cable connections can be offset in different directions; including pressure connection accessories, consisting of 2 pressure connecting pieces, 2 m silicone hose, 3 screw terminals for the electrical connection and mounting screws.