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#### Introduction

The SEOJIN INSTECH model SDT-420 Displacement Level Transmitter is one of the most advanced level instruments based on displacer device.

The buoyancy principle has been well known for many decades as its high reliability and stability.

The SDT-420 operates under extremely harsh environment of 200kgf/cm² of pressure and 450 deg, C.

Also interface measurement between two different liquids is possible.

The buoyancy principle of Archimedes is applied into its operation. The SDT-420 can be configured parameter values and monitored the measured values by using PC (PDM/AMS) or HART Communicator in Control

It is also possible to be adjustment, operation, and control easily by using conventional remote keypad on site.

Center where located far distance from site.

#### **Features**

- Possible to communicate with HART or SIEMENS PDM.
- Measurement range: 300~5,000mm.
- Process temperature : Wetted parts -40 ~ 450°C.
- Process pressure: 200 kg f/cm².
- Output signal: 2-Wire type 4~20mA, HART, LCD.
- Range of specific gravity: 0.5~1.5.
- Accuracy: ±0.5% of the Full Scale (Option: ±0.25% F.S)
- Possible to actuate general functions by means of using remote keypad on site.
- Installation the continuity of process and self-diagnosis function
- Displaying with the units of %, mm, inch, mA, °C, and other physical units on site.
- Possible to compensate on site by inputting the conventional values of density, temperature, and of measurement distant of process, without acquiring the real value in site.
- Designed to ASME B31.1
- Weather proof
- Explosion-proof & Frame-proof
- Weld procedures approved to KEPIC MQ and ASME IX
- Material certification to ASTM, ASME, JIS, KS Standards
- Qualified to IEEE 323-2003, and IEEE 344-2004





#### **Application**

The SDT-420 can be applied in most of level measurement application including following fields:

- HP, LP, IP Feed-water Heater Hot Well
- Condensate Drums
- Industrial Boilers
- Receiver Tanks
- Separators
- Storage Vessels
- Heavy Acids (SG=0.5~1.5) Tank

The operating temperature of SDT-420 is from -40°C to +450°C under the process pressure from full vacuum to 200 bar.

This instrument measures liquid application.

The Specific Gravity(S.G) range of applicable liquid process is from 0.5 to 1.5, and interface as low as S.G difference of 0.1 is also available. The measuring range of the SDT-420 is varied only on the element, although the 5,000mm is the maximum displacer length.

#### **Approvals**

KOSHA (The Korea Occupational Safety and Health Agency)- Approval Explosion proof Ex d IIC T6 (-20 $^{\circ}$ C  $\leq$  AMB  $\leq$  60 $^{\circ}$ C)

General Area, Weather proof type IP65

TÜV- Approval

C ← Certificate

EN-61010-1-2001

KTL (Korea Testing Laboratory)- Tested to verify the requirements of Nuclear Power Plant Quality Standards.

IEC Pub.60068 Basic Environmental Testing Procedures Explosion proof (Ex d IIC T6, IP65)

KEPIC Certificate of Registration

MN-125 & EN-255

ATEX (ATmosphere EXplosibles)
Approval INERIS11ATEX0001X
Explossion proof: Ex d IIC T6
(-20°C < AMB < 60°C)

KC Mark (Korea Certification)

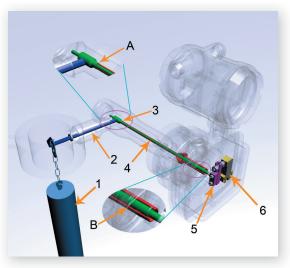
#### ISO 9001:2008/ISO 14001/2004

Seojin Instech has been assessed and approved by CREBIZ QM with respect to ISO 9001: 2008 in the designing, development, assembly and re-calibration of the precision instruments and systems for the measurement and indication of electrical signals and, level, flow and water/steam systems.

#### **Quality Assurance**

With over 35 year worldwide experience in the thermal power plant, nuclear power plant and petro-chemical industries.

Seojin Instech is able to accommodate testing, surveying and documentation requirements specified at the time of order. Inspection by customers or nominated inspection agencies can be arranged.



Since the resolution of the measurement is in proportion to both the volume of buoyancy and the sectional area of displacer(1), the out side diameter of displacer(1) is specified according to the measurement length.

#### **Operation Principle**

The shape of entire torsion bar is left-figure. As the right side figure shows, torque tube(4) and rod(3) are connected to A portion, and this A portion can be twisted according to the displacer's buoyancy.

On the other hand, B portion holds the twist movement of the A portion because torque tube(4) is fixed to main body.

When a displacer(1) is suspended on the operating rod(2), a twist stress is applied to the torque tube(4) by the weight(gravity force) of the displacer, and converted into a torque force.

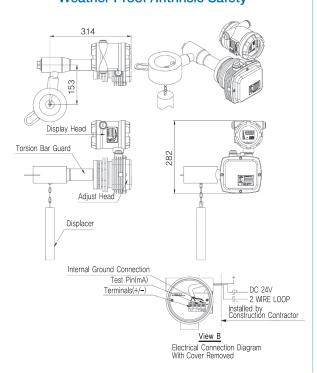
At the same time, this torque force affects load cell through a bar fixture(5).

As water level goes up, the weight of displacer(1) is decreased due to increasing of buoyant force. In this case, the torque stress of torque tube(4) is decreased, and amount of the reduced torque force is transferred into the load cell(6) connected to bar fixture(5) by the movement of relaxation stress or compression stress through the rod(3), and an electricity signal corresponded to the torque force is generated.

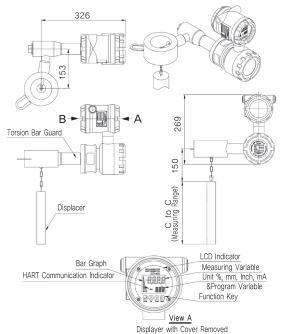
This voltages from the load cell(6) is converted into 4~20mA of current signal of 2 wires through an amplifier device within the main PCB.

#### **Dimensions**

#### Weather Proof /Intrinsic Safety



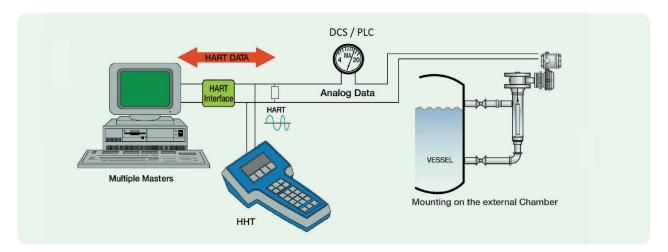
#### **Explosion Proof**



# Specification

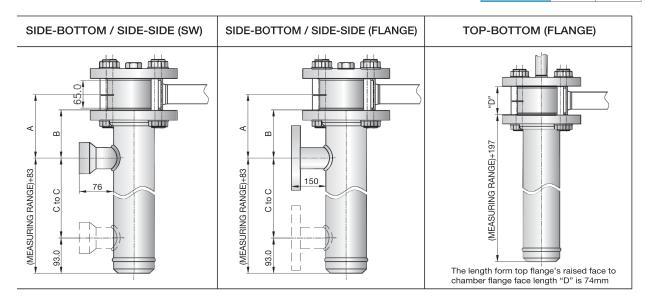
System Design		
Measurement Principle	Buoyancy-continuous displacement utilizing a precision torsion bar	
Measurement Medium	Liquid (Max. Viscosity: 1500 cP)	
Input		
Measured Variable	Level, Determined by load cell affected by buoyancy force changes on continuous displacer	
Measuring Range	Up to 5,000mm based on displacer length (Consult factory for longer ranges)	
Output		
Туре	4 to 20mA with HART	
LCD Window Display	Bar graph, mm, Inch, %, mA	
Resolution	Analog: 0.01mA,	
Loop Resistance (HART)	250 ~ 550Ω (24Vdc)	
Diagnostic Alarm	3.8, 22mA or HOLD selectable (12mA)	
Damping	Adjustable 1- 30 seconds	
Sampling Rate	Transmitter 10 times per second	
User Interface		
Keypad	4-button menu-driven data entry and system security	
Indication	Bar graph, HART Communication, 2 line x 4-charactor LCD display	
Power		
Power Supply	General Operating: 12 ~ 30V(No Load) Hart Communication: 17.5 ~ 30V	
Current	MIN: 3.9mA / MAX : 21mA	
Housing		
Material	Aluminum alloy ADC12 (KS;ALDC8, ASTM;383), 316LSS	
Cable Entry	1/2" PF (std.)	
Ingress Protection	IP67 (NEMA 4)	
Chamber		
Materials	Carbon steel 304/316/316L Stainless steel	
Wetted Parts	316/316L and Inconel (Torque Tube)	
Process Connections	Tank Top: 3", 4" ANSI Flange Chambered: 1", 1-1/2", 2" S/W, Flange	
Process Conditions		
Process Temperature Range	- 20 to 450℃	
Process Pressure Range	200kgf/cri²@ 25℃	
Environment		
Electronics Operating Temp.	-20 to 60℃	
Humidity	0-99%, Non-condensing	
Electromagnetic Compatibility	CE Requirement EN61000-6-2-2005, EN61000-6-4-2007	
Natural Frequency	42.7 (X axis), 109.6 (Y axis), 127.4 (Z axis)	
Level Performance		
Linearity	± 0.5% of full span	
Accuracy	± 0.5% of full span (Option : ± 0.25% F.S)	
Repeatability	± 0.05% of full span	
Hysteresis	± 0.05% of full span	
Warm-up Time	< 3 seconds	
Certificate	ATEX, KC, CE, KOSHA, KTL, KEPIC	

### **Installed Configuration**



#### **Overall Dimensions of Chamber**

Rating	Α	В
150/300	150	113.5
Above 400	200	163.5



#### **Dimensions of Displacer**



■ Patented displacer hook assembly.



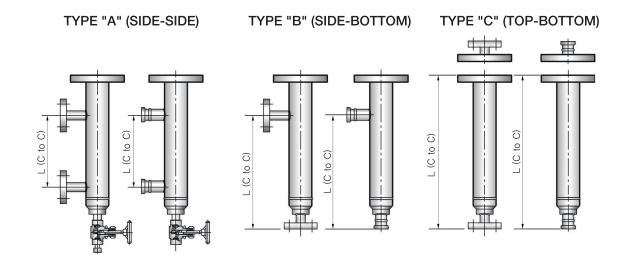
OD	
Ø60,3	
Ø48.3	
Ø42.2	
Ø33.4	
Ø26.7	
Ø21.3	
Ø19,0	
Ø15.9	

(Unit : mm)

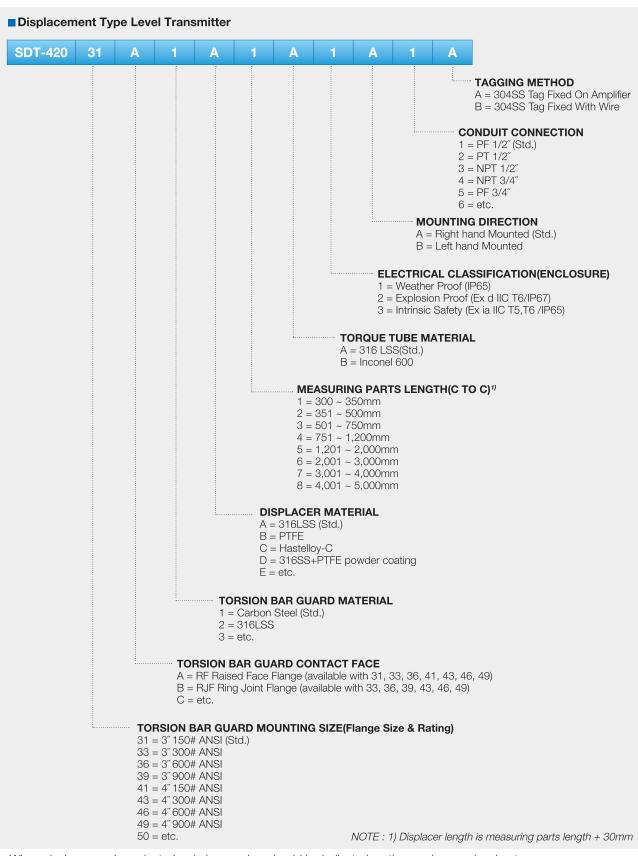
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