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PRECISION TURBINE FLOWMETERS

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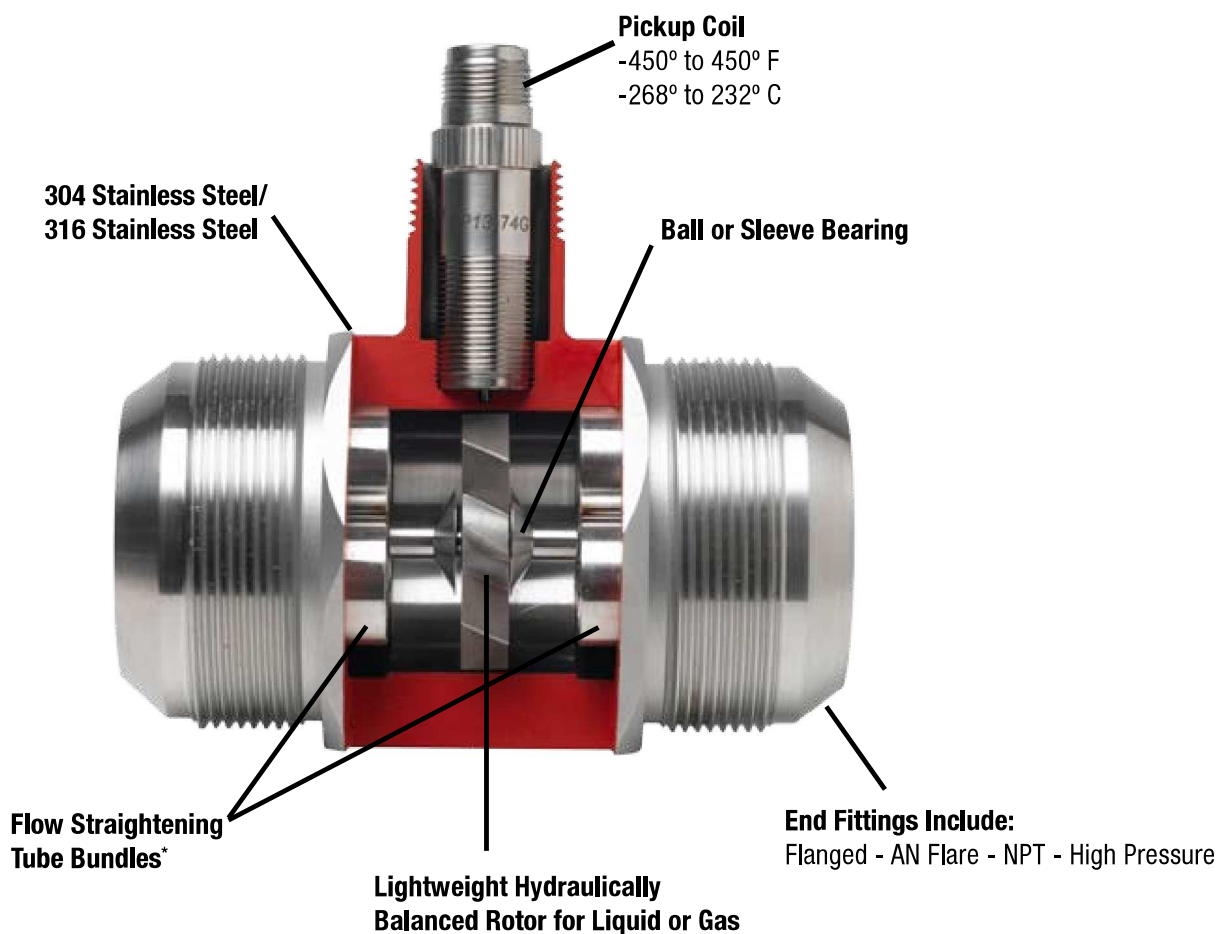
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SPONSLER PRECISION TURBINE FLOWMETERS

Sponsler precision turbine flowmeters measure volume using a precision-crafted, hydraulically-balanced rotor in the flow stream. The AC sine-wave output of the rotor is translated into useful flow rate data by Sponsler flow totalizers and batching systems. Sponsler precision turbine flowmeters are manufactured to handle a variety of applications including high pressures and hazardous liquids and gases. For more than 30 years, the compact and rugged design of Sponsler precision turbine flowmeters have set the industry standard in flow measurement for high accuracy and reliability under severe operating conditions.

Features

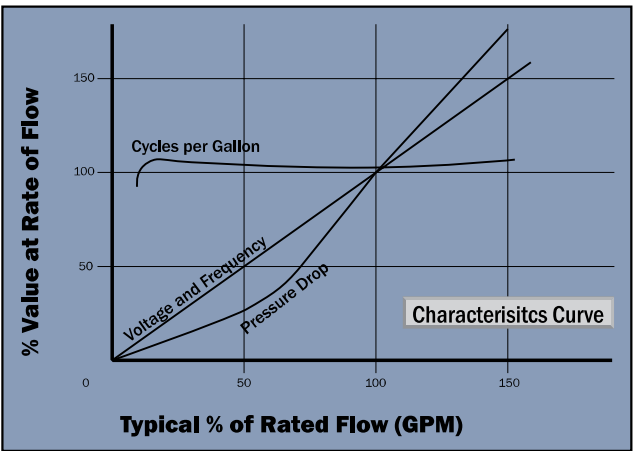
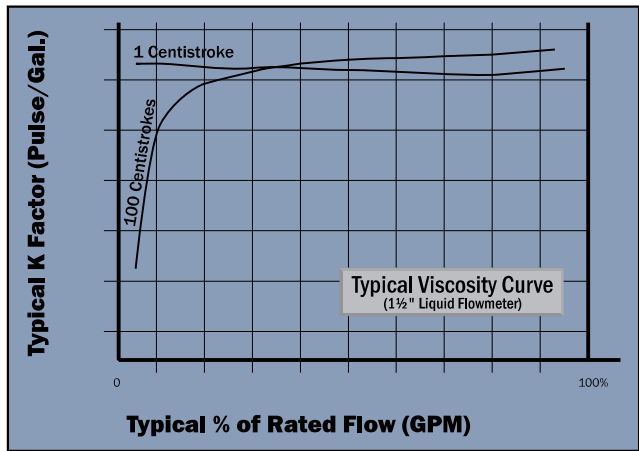


- Performs well in high pressure applications
- Wide range of materials of construction available
- Interfaces with electrical, electro-mechanical, or completely automated systems
- Manufactured in the USA
- Custom design and system engineering service
- Wide choice of bearings
- NIST approvals for solvent, gasoline, diesel, ethanol, and fuel oil (1" through 4")
- Measurement Canada approvals for solvents and gasoline (1½" through 3")

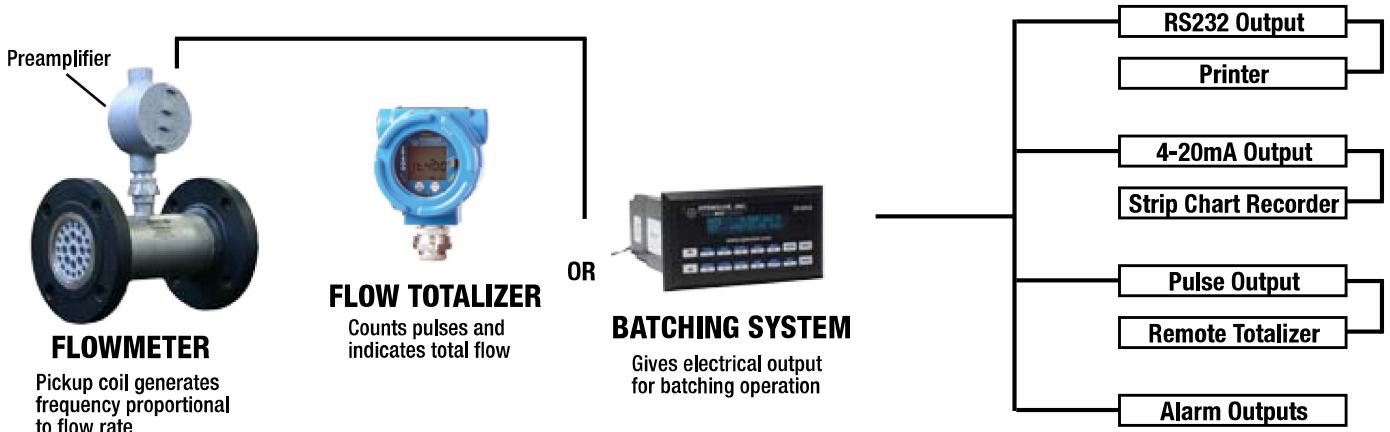
* Still requires 10D upstream and 5D downstream

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Performance Curves



Typical Arrangement of Flowmeter and Readout Instrument



Model Selection Guide

BEARING TYPE		ROTOR TYPE		ENDFITTING TYPE		MATERIAL		OPTIONS	
CB	Cryo Ball	NL	304 Nickel Liquid ¹	A	NPT	4	304SS	HT	Hi-Temp.
MB	Metal Ball	PHL	17-4 PH-SS Liquid	FA	FNPT ²	6	316SS	FB	Mod. Carr.
TS	PTFE Sleeve*	PH7	17-4 PH-SS 7 Degree	B	AN Flare			X	Mnt. Boss
GS	Graphitar Sleeve*			C	150C				
CS	Carbide Sleeve*			D	150S				
FS	Flourosint Sleeve*			E	300C				
				F	300S				
				J	600C				
				K	600S				
				H	High Pressure				

EXAMPLE: SP 3" CB NL E 4 X

3" Cryo Ball 304 Nickel Liquid¹ 300C 304SS Mnt. Boss

* Not available in 1/4"

¹ Cryogenic liquids only

² Overall lengths vary (consult factory)

LIQUID APPLICATIONS

Typical Liquid Applications

- Cryogenics
- Allyl Chloride
- Adipic Acid
- Chloride Leftovers
- Gasoline
- LPG
- Brine
- Anhydrous Ammonia
- Mercaptans
- Ethylene Diamine (EDA)
- Ethylene Dichloride
- Asphalt
- Water, Fresh
- Water, DI
- Water, Salt
- Perchloroethylene
- Carbon Tetrachloride
- Fuel Oils
- Freon
- Ethanol



Specifications

Linearity

+/- 0.5%

Premium Linearity

+/- 0.25% (over a specified range)

Repeatability

+/- 0.1%

Premium Repeatability

+/- 0.02% (over a specified range)

Temperature

-450° to 450° F (-267° to 232° C) standard, 1000°F available

Flow Ranges

0.35 to 12,000 GPM (1.32 to 45425 LPM)

Pressure Drop

4 PSI at nominal rated flow range

Materials

300 and 400 series stainless steel. A variety of other materials to satisfy most applications including CPVC for corrosive applications (See Bulletin 5003).

Electrical Output

A minimum of 30 mV peak to peak at the minimum repeatable flow.

End Fittings

Include AN series 37°, flare tube (MS-33656), NPT, and ANSI flanges. Other end fittings available on request.

Operating Pressure

Accommodates wide range of pressures depending on end fittings.

Calibration

Precision turbine flowmeters furnished with standard fluid calibration. Special calibrations available.

NOMINAL METER SIZE	NOMINAL FLOW RANGE U.S. Gallons (Liters) Per Minute				APPROX. METER FACTOR "K" Pulses/ U.S. Gallon (Liter)	APPROX. METER WT. lbs./kg
	Minimum Repeatable	Minimum Linear	Nominal Maximum	Extended Maximum		
¼" (6.4mm)	0.1 (.38)	0.35 (1.32)	3.5 (13.25)	3.5 (13.25)	14650 (3871)	2/1
⅜" (9.5mm)	0.35 (1.32)	0.75 (2.84)	5 (18.92)	7 (28.4)	6885 (1819)	2/1
½" (12.7mm)	0.6 (2)	1.25 (5)	9.5 (36)	12 (45)	6912 (1758)	2/1
⅝" (15.9mm)	0.9 (3)	1.75 (7)	16 (61)	18 (68)	4043 (1110)	2/1
¾" (19.1mm)	1.75 (7)	2.5 (10)	29 (110)	35 (133)	1684 (445)	4/2
1" (25.4mm)	3 (11)	4 (15)	60 (227)	75 (284)	726 (192)	5/2.5
1¼" (31.8mm)	4 (15)	6 (23)	93 (352)	115 (436)	324 (86)	7/3
1½" (38.1mm)	6 (23)	8 (30)	130 (492)	175 (662)	200 (53)	8/3.5
2" (50.8mm)	12 (45)	15 (57)	225 (851)	275 (1041)	149 (39)	13/6
2½" (63.5mm)	15 (57)	25 (95)	400 (1514)	500 (1893)	81 (21)	18/8
3" (76.2mm)	30 (114)	40 (151)	650 (2460)	800 (3028)	47 (12)	19/8.5
4" (101.6mm)	50 (189)	75 (284)	1250 (4732)	1500 (5678)	21 (6)	36/16
5" (127mm)	100 (379)	140 (530)	2000 (7571)	2500 (9464)	9 (2.4)	47/21
6" (152.4mm)	125 (473)	200 (757)	2900 (10978)	3600 (13627)	5.6 (1.5)	58/26
8" (203.2mm)	280 (1060)	330 (1249)	5200 (19684)	6400 (24227)	4.3 (1.1)	119/54
10" (254mm)	550 (2082)	650 (2461)	8000 (30283)	9800 (37097)	2.13 (0.6)	225/103
12" (305mm)	800 (3028)	900 (3407)	12000 (45425)	15000 (56781)	1.29 (0.3)	345/157

Typical Gas Applications

- Argon
- Nitrogen
- Oxygen
- Air
- Ammonia
- CO₂
- Ethylene
- Helium
- Hydrogen
- Methane
- Methylchloride
- Nitric Oxide
- Nitrous Oxide
- Steam (Consult Factory)
- Acetylene



SCFM to ACFM Conversions

Sponsler precision turbine gas flowmeters are designed to measure actual cubic feet or actual volume passing through the meter. Before sizing a flowmeter it is necessary to convert flow units (i.e. SCFM, LPM, etc.) to actual units. To convert to actual measured volume (ACFM) from standard volume (SCFM) use the **Application Tools** page at www.sponsler.com or use the following formula:

$$ACFM = SCFM \times 14.7/P_a \times T_a/530$$

ACFM = actual cubic feet per minute measure gas flow

SCFM = standard cubic feet per minute gas flow

P_a = operating pressure in (PSIA)

= PSIG + 14.7

T_a = temperature in degrees Rankine = F + 460

Specifications

Accuracy

+/- 1% of full scale

Repeatability

+/- 0.25%

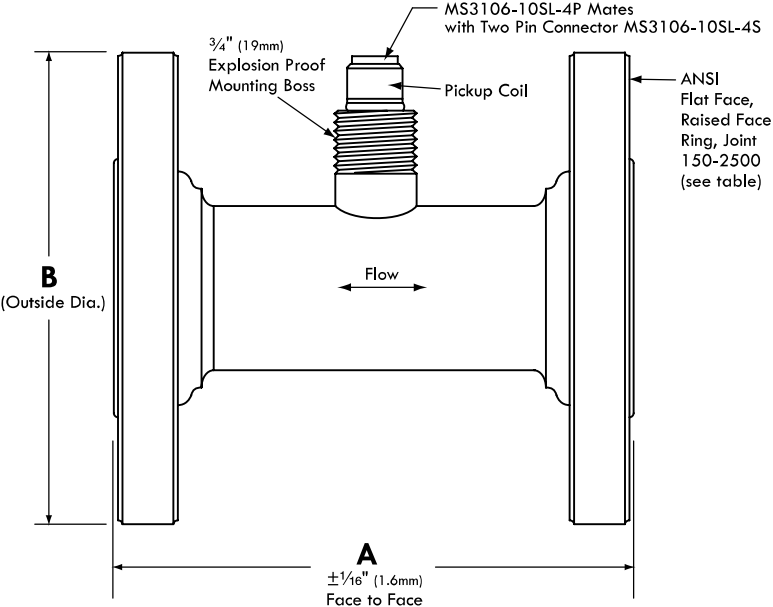
Temperature Range

-450° to 450° F (-267° to 232° C) standard,
1000°F available

NOMINAL METER SIZE	FLOW RANGE ACFM - Magnetic Pickup		EXTENDED FLOW RANGE ACFM - MC Pickup w/ SP717 Amplifier		APPROX. METER FACTOR "K" Pulses	APPROX. METER WT. lbs./kg
	Minimum Linear	Maximum Linear	Minimum Repeatabile	Maximum Repeatabile		
¼" (6.4mm)	0.35	3.5	0.2	3.5	5129	2/1
⅜" (6.4mm)	0.75	5	0.5	10	1842	2/1
½" (13mm)	1	10	0.8	12	1772	2/1
⅝" (15mm)	2	20	1.5	20	1475	2/1
¾" (17mm)	2.5	28	2.0	30	467	4/2
1" (25mm)	4	60	2.8	75	203	5/2.5
1¼" (32mm)	6	100	3.0	100	94	7/3
1½" (38mm)	8	130	5.0	150	56	8.35
2" (51mm)	15	250	11	250	32	13/6
2½" (64mm)	25	450	15	500	17	18/8
3" (76mm)	40	650	-----	-----	9	19/8.5
4" (76mm)	75	1200	-----	-----	4.6	36/16
5" (127mm)	150	1800	-----	-----	CF	47/21
6" (152mm)	250	2900	-----	-----	CF	58/26
8" (203mm)	330	5000	-----	-----	CF	119/4
10" (254mm)	650	7500	-----	-----	CF	226/103
12" (305mm)	900	12000	-----	-----	CF	345/157

INSTALLATION DIMENSIONS

End Flanged (Sizes 1/4" - 12") Stainless steel unless specified differently



Meter size based on normal inside diameter of pipe.

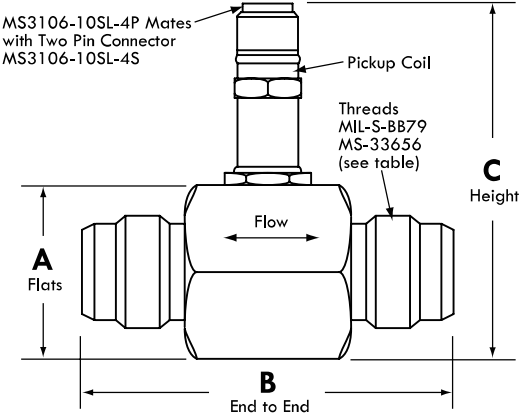
Special flanges can be provided to specification.

For hazardous areas, pickup coils with an explosion proof housing can be provided.

All flowmeters 5/8" and smaller will be provided with 1/2" end connections unless otherwise specified.

LINE SIZE	150#		300#		600#		900#		1500#		2500#	
	A	B	A	B	A	B	A	B	A	B	A	B
1/4-1/2"	5"	3 1/2"	5"	3 3/4"	5"	3 3/4"	7	4 3/4"	7	4 3/4"	7	5 1/4"
5/8"	5 1/2"	3 1/2"	5 1/2"	3 3/4"	5 1/2"	3 3/4"	7	4 3/4"	7	4 3/4"	7	5 1/4"
3/4"	5 1/2"	3 7/8"	5 1/2"	4 5/8"	5 1/2"	4 5/8"	7	5 1/8"	7	5 1/8"	7	5 1/2"
1"	5 1/2"	4 1/4"	5 1/2"	4 7/8"	5 1/2"	4 7/8"	8	5 7/8"	8	5 7/8"	8	6 1/4"
1 1/4"	6"	4 5/8"	6"	5 1/4"	6"	5 1/4"	8	6 1/4"	8	6 1/4"	8	7 1/4"
1 1/2"	6"	5"	6"	6 1/8"	6"	6 1/8"	9	7	9	7	9	8
2"	6 1/2"	6"	6 1/2"	6 1/2"	6 1/2"	6 1/2"	9	7	9	7	9	8
2 1/2"	7"	7"	7"	7 1/2"	7"	7 1/2"	10	9 5/8"	10	9 5/8"	10	10 1/2"
3"	10"	7 1/2"	10"	8 1/4"	10"	8 1/4"	10	9 1/2"	10	10 1/2"	11	12
3 1/2"	12"	8 1/2"	12"	9"	12"	9"	-	-	-	-	-	-
4"	12"	9"	12"	10"	12"	10 3/4"	12	11 1/2"	12	12 1/4"	15	14
5"	14"	10"	14"	11"	14"	13"	14	13 3/4"	14	15 1/2"	16	19
6"	14"	11"	14"	12 1/2"	14"	14"	14	15	14	15 1/2"	16	19
8"	16"	13 1/2"	16"	15"	16"	16 1/2"	16	18 1/2"	16	19	18	21 3/4"
10"	20"	16"	20"	17 1/2"	20"	20"	20	21 1/2"	20	23	22	26 1/2"
12"	24"	19"	24"	20 1/2"	24"	22"	24	24	24	26 1/2"	24	30

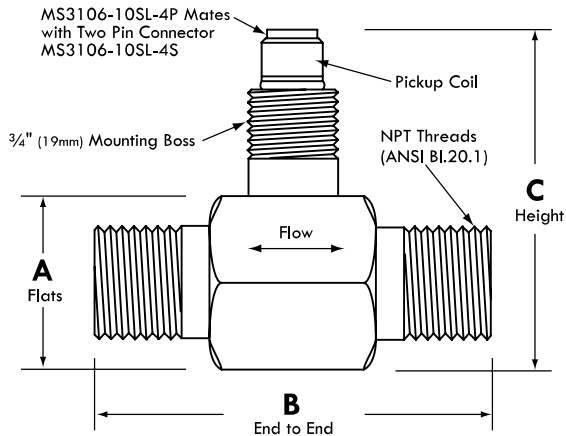
AN Flared Tube (Sizes 1/4" - 2")



LINE SIZE	DIMENSIONS (inches)			END CONNECTIONS	APPROX. WT.
	A	B	C	Flared Tube	lbs/kg
1/4-1/2"	1 1/8"	2 9/16"	3"	3/4-16 UNJF-3A	.38/.173
5/8"	1 1/8"	2 3/4"	3"	7/8-14 UNJF-3A	.75/.341
3/4"	1 5/8"	3 1/4"	3 1/2"	1 1/16-12 UNJF-3A	.75/.341
1"	1 5/8"	3 1/2"	4"	1 5/16-12 UNJF-3A	1.3/.627
1 1/4"	2	3 7/8"	4 3/8"	1 5/8-12 UNJF-3A	1.75/.795
1 1/2"	2 1/8"	4 3/8"	4 5/8"	1 7/8-8 UNJF-3A	2.31/1.05
2"	2 3/4"	4 3/4"	5 3/8"	2 1/2-12 UNJF-3A	3/1.36

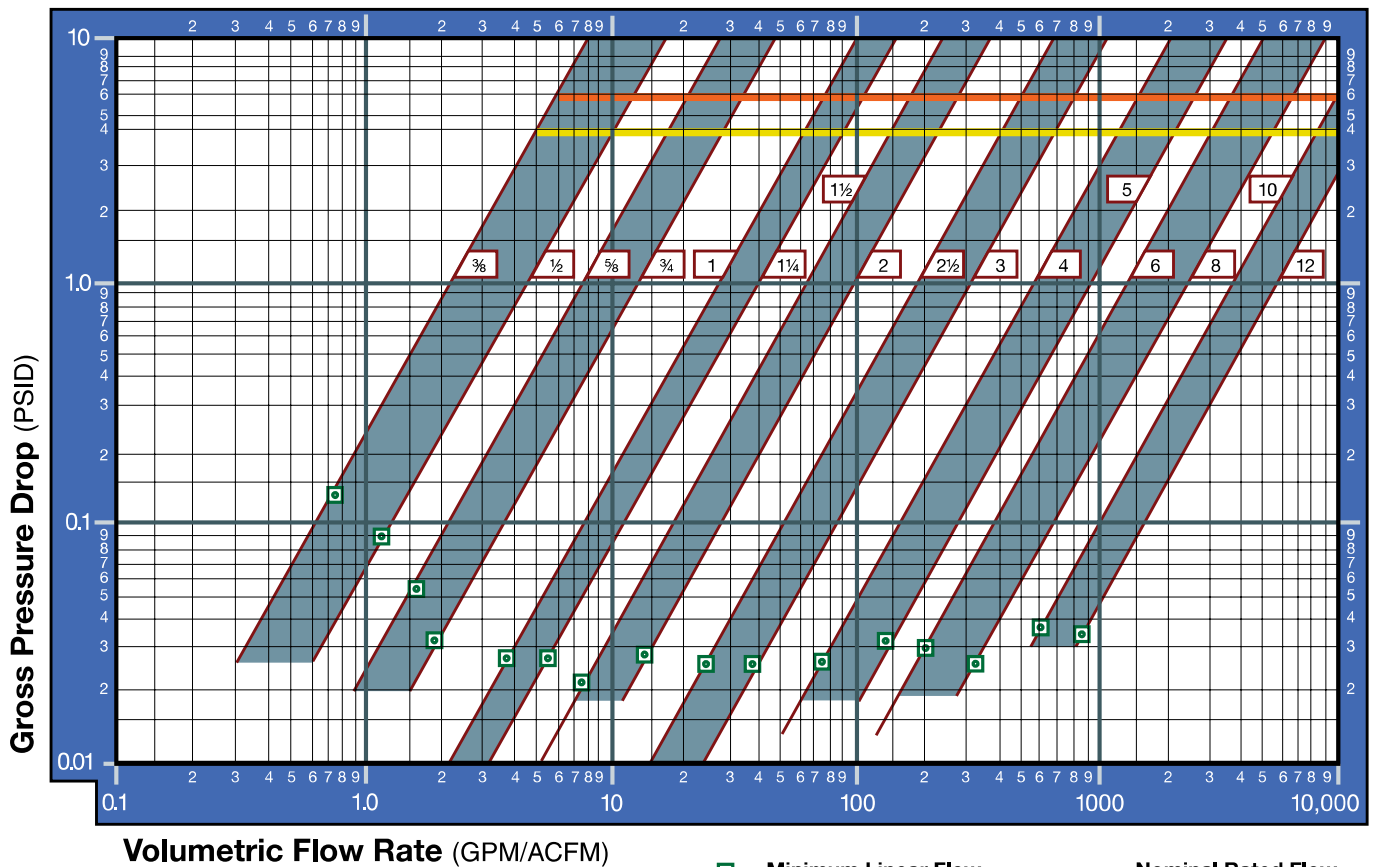
INSTALLATION DIMENSIONS AND PRESSURE DROPS

MNPT (Sizes 1/4" - 4")



LINE SIZE	DIMENSIONS (inches)			END CONNECTIONS	APPROX. WT.
	A	B	C	MNPT	lbs/kg
1/4-1/2"	1 1/8"	3"	3"	1/2"	.38/.173
5/8"	1 1/8"	3"	3"	1/2"	.75/.341
3/4"	1 5/8"	3 1/4"	3 1/2"	3/4"	.75/.341
1"	1 5/8"	3 1/2"	4"	1"	1.3/.627
1 1/4"	2"	3 7/8"	4 3/8"	1 1/4"	1.75/.795
1 1/2"	2 1/8"	4 3/8"	4 5/8"	1 1/2"	2.31/1.05
2"	2 3/4"	4 3/4"	5 3/8"	2"	3/1.36
2 1/2"	3 1/4"	6 1/16"	5 3/8"	2 1/2"	5.5/2.50
3"	3 1/2"	10"	5 5/8"	3"	10/4.54
4"	4 1/2"	12"	7"	4"	14/6.35

Gross Pressure Drop Characteristics Chart depicts characteristics of H₂O



■ = Minimum Linear Flow — = Nominal Rated Flow
— = Extended Maximum Flow ▭ = Flowmeter Size (inches)

To Estimate Liquid ΔP (at room temperature)

$$P = \Delta\mu^{1/4} \times SG^{3/4} \times \Delta P \text{ (on chart above)}$$

$$* \mu \text{ (cP)} = \nu \text{ (cSt)} \times SG$$

To Estimate Gas ΔP (at densities other than 1 lb./ft.³)

$$\Delta P = \rho \text{ (lbs./ft.}^3\text{)} \times \Delta P \text{ (on chart above)}$$

μ = Dynamic (Absolute) Viscosity • cP = Centipoise • SG = Specific Gravity • ν = Kinematic Viscosity • cSt = Centistokes • ρ = Density

The Application Tools page at www.sponsler.com contains a Liquid Pressure Drop Calculator

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