

Dual Channel Scattered Light Sensor

Optek TF16

- Inline real-time process monitoring
- Dual channel color compensation
- Extremely low maintenance
- CIP/SIP-compatible
- Broad variety of line sizes, process connections and wetted materials
- Designed for high temperatures and pressures



The model TF16 is a precise dual channel, scattered light turbidimeter. This sensor is designed to provide inline control solutions for a variety of industrial processes, from sanitary CIP/SIP applications to high pressure, high temperature industrial applications.

The TF16 sensor uses light in the visible (VIS) and Near Infrared (NIR) range from 400 to 1100 nm. A precisely defined, constant light beam penetrates the process medium. Light scattered from particles (trace suspended solids, undissolved liquids or gas bubbles) in the medium is detected by eight hermetically sealed silicon photodiodes at an angle of 11°.

Simultaneously, the unscattered light is detected as a direct beam by a reference photodiode. This unique dual channel design compensates for disturbances such as background color or color changes of the carrier medium. The sensor can be calibrated in ppm, EBC or FTU and measures extremely low particle sizes and concentrations. The special optical window is made from a single crystal sapphire. This provides superior resistance to all abrasive and corrosive media. The TF16 is available with a broad variety of line sizes, process connections and wetted materials and can be adapted easily to the process. High temperature and flameproof options are also available.

Benefits

- High level of measurement accuracy and rapid response time means reliable and effective process monitoring
- Easy to use, intuitive software navigation is simple to use for line operators, flexible enough to meet the needs of technical personnel
- The color, touch-screen in a stainless steel enclosure conforming to IP65 defines a robust unit built to handle the industrial environment
- Internal diagnostics simplify trouble-shooting and issue reminders for maintenance and calibration
- Adjustable alarms and outputs provide assurance that any out of specification events are appropriately registered
- Suitable for sampling dissolved concentrations from ppb to supersaturation, and gaseous concentrations from ppm to percent level





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Technical data

Material	sensor body made of stainless steel SS 316 Ti, 1.4571 (standard)
Special materials	SS 316 L (1.4435), 1.4539, 1.4462, TFM 4215, Hastelloy [®] C4, Hastelloy [®] C22, Titanium, Tantalum, Monel [®] 400, Inconel [®] 625, PP, and others on request
Line size	¼" to 8", (DN 6 to DN 200)
Process connections	ASME Flange, DIN Flange, Varivent, JIS Flange, Tri-Clamp, BBS-Clamp, Female Thread NPT, Female Thread DIN ISO 228/1 G, Sanitary Thread (DIN 11851), and others on request
Gaskets	Viton [®] , EPDM (FDA), EPDM (USP Class VI), Kalrez [®] , Chemraz [®] , Fluoraz [®] , Buna (NBR), Silicone, Viton [®] /FEP (FDA) and others on request
Windows	Pyrex®, Sapphire
Optical path length	40 mm standard
Process pressure	10 mbar to 325 bar, (0.15 psi to 4713 psi), depending on process connection, material and design
Process temperature	values are only valid with appropriate material of sensor body and gaskets. No icing on sensor! • permanent: 0 °C to +120 °C, (+32 °F to +248 °F) • peak 15 min/day: 0 °C to +150 °C, (+32 °F to +302 °F)
Ambient temperature	 operation: 0 - 40 °C (32 - 104 °F) (elevated or reduced ambient temperatures may require restrictions to the operating temperatures stated above!) transport: -20 - 70 °C (-4 - 158 °F)
Airpurge	connectors available as standard
Light source	incandescent tungsten lamp: 5.0 V DC, 775 mA, typical life span 3 to 5 years
Wavelengths	400 nm - 1100 nm
Detector	silicon photodiodes, hermetically sealed
Calibration	basic calibration in ppm (DE), FTU, EBC
Measuring range	any measuring range between 0 - 0.5 to 500 ppm (DE) 0 - 0.2 to 200 FTU 0 - 0.05 to 50 EBC
Resolution	< ± 0.05 % of respective measuring range
Repeatability	< ± 0.3 % of respective measuring range
Linearity	specific to application, < \pm 1 % with standard solution
Protection	all optical parts protected according to IP65
Cable lengths	standard: 5, 10, 20, 35, 50 m, (16, 33, 66, 115, 164 ft.), maximum: 250 m, (820 ft.)
VA-plug-protection	special ultra-shielded cable sets, optional rigid stainless steel connector
Certificates	ISO 9001:2000, ATEX, FM, PED, CE, HP0
Use with C4000 converter!	

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