Elster® SM-RI-X

Turbine Gas Meter Sizes from DN200 to 600 (8" to 24")

Applications

Custody Transfer approved Gas Flow Measurement from low to high operating pressures.

Gas Transmission, Distribution and Industrial applications

Brief information

Honeywell Elster SM-RI-X turbine gas meters are robust meters for operation under the most demanding conditions (offshore and onshore). Over decades they have proven to be highly accurate from first calibration on to the end of their lifetime many years later. The longterm measurement stability and highest reliability of the SM-RI have made it become a standard in high volume gas measurement. These are also reasons why SM-RIs are used by recognizable calibration labs around the world as reference meters of choice.

The SM-RI-X is used for custody transfer applications along the complete gas value chain high from production, to pipeline transmission stations, down to local distribution and city gate stations. SM-RI-X turbine meters are also applied at larger industrial and commercial gas consumers where accurate gas measurement is key. Power plants are only one example.

For sizes smaller than DN200 (8") Honeywell offers the TRZ2 turbine gas meter which is available in sizes DN50 to DN150 (2" to 6").

Operating Principle

The gas flowing through the meter sets the turbine wheel in motion. The number of revolutions of the wheel is proportional to the volume passing through the meter. To optimize measurement performance the patented X4X flow conditioner eliminates flow disturbances such as swirl or asymmetric flow that are created by bends or T-pieces upstream of the meter for example.

After the flow conditioner the cross section of the meter is reduced to increase flow velocity and consequently increase the driving impulse of the medium on the turbine wheel.

The combination of flow conditioning and optimized measurement unit including the turbine wheel make it possible to measure the flow rate accurately even at low flows and pressures. The shaft on which the turbine wheel is fixed is held in place by robust ball bearings that help to maintain high performance for a long time with minimized maintenance needs. Via gears and a magnetic coupling the revolutions of the turbine wheel are transmitted to the 8-digit mechanical counter located in the pressure-less index head.

The outlet of the meter has been optimized to decrease pressure loss and create optimal flow conditions after the meter.



FEATURES & BENEFITS

- MID approval for fiscal measurement
- Conformity to EN12261, PED, ASME, ATEX and IECEx
- Lowest measurement uncertainty
- High repeatability
- Used as reference meter in major calibration facilities
- Meter sizes G650 to G16.000
- \bullet Max. measuring range 50 to 25.000 m3/h
- Nominal diameters DN200 to 600 (8" to 24")
- Operating pressure from 0 to 100 barg
- \bullet Flange rating in PN 10-100 and ANSI 150-600
- \bullet Temperature range: -25 °C to +70 °C
- ullet Compact installation with inlet pipe length L \geq 2 DN
- Thermowell built into meter housing (optional)
- Integrated HF-pulser (optional)
- Absolute ENCODER (optional)
- Direct mount of Honeywell EVC (optional)
- Designed for natural gas, town gas, butane, air, nitrogen, other gases on request



Multi-Index (MI-2)

The rugged design of the meter index (including the metal cover) has proven itself in the harshest environments and is IP67 certified. The MI-2 is equipped with an 8-digit mechanical index for continuous meter reading.

A low frequency output (reed contact) is included as a standard and can be connected to any Flow Computer or Electronic Volume Corrector.

The pulse output is equipped with inbuilt antitampering protection.

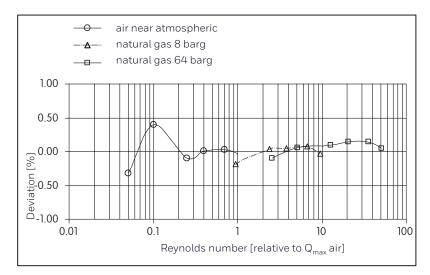


Measurement Uncertainty

The SM-RI-X turbine gas meter is designed and manufactured according to the European Standard for turbine meters EN 12261. SM-RI-X fulfills the error limit requirement as follows:

± 1.0 % for 0.2 Qmax to Qmax

± 2.0 % for Qmin to 0.2 Qmax smaller limits as an option



Material

- Meter bodies: ductile iron (GGG-40) or forged steel.
- Turbine wheel: Aluminum

Pulse outputs

The SM-RI-X can be equipped with low, medium and high frequency outputs depending on customer requirements

Low frequency (standard)

 1x LF output (type IN-S15) equipped with 1 or 10 magnets dpending on resolution requirements

Medium Frequency (optional)

- 1x MF output (type MI-2) built into the mete

High frequency (optional)

 up to 2x HF outputs (one on the turbine wheel and one on the reference wheel) with >500 Hz at Qmax (depending on size)

Options available for the MI-2:

- Mechanical instrument Type 25H7 in accordance to EN 12261
- Medium Frequency Output
- Absolute ENCODER for digital data transfer between the meter and Flow Computer / EVC



Approvals and Conformity

Elster® SM-RI-X turbine gas meters are manufactured in accordance with DIN EN ISO 9001:2008 (DIN EN ISO 14001).

They are designed, produced and tested in accordance with the following guidelines, standards and references.

General

European Standard for Turbine Meters EN 12261 OIML Provision R137-1

Metrology

EC directive 2014/32/EU (MID)

Hazardous Area

EC directive 2014/34/EU(ATEX)

Pressure Equipment

EC directive 2014/68/EU (PED)

Measuring range

		Measuring	range d	epending or	operatir	ng pressure					
				Measuring Range							
		1:20		1:30		1:50					
Diameter	Meter Size	Qmax in m³/h	Qmin in m ³ /h	Minimum Pressure in barg	Qmin in m ³ /h	Minimum Pressure in barg	Qmin in m ³ /h	Minimum Pressure in barg			
DN 200	G 650	1000	50	0 (atm)	32	12	20	30			
8"	G 1000	1600	80	0 (atm)	50	8	32	20			
	G 1600	2500	130	0 (atm)	80	8	50	20			
DN 250	G 1000	1600	80	0 (atm)	50	16	32	30			
10"	G 1600	2500	130	0 (atm)	80	4	50	16			
	G 2500	4000	200	0 (atm)	130	0 (atm)	80	8			
DN 300	G 1600	2500	130	0 (atm)	80	8	50	16			
12"	G 2500	4000	200	0 (atm)	130	4	80	8			
	G 4000	6500	320	0 (atm)	200	0 (atm)	130	4			
DN 400	G 2500	4000	200	0 (atm)	130	8	80	8			
16"	G 4000	6500	320	0 (atm)	200	4	130	4			
	G 6500	10000	500	0 (atm)	320	4	200	8			
DN 500	G 4000	6500	320	0 (atm)	200	8	130	16			
20"	G 6500	10000	500	0 (atm)	320	4	200	8			
	G 10000	16000	800	0 (atm)	500	4	320	8			
DN 600	G 6500	10000	500	0 (atm)	320	8	200	16			
24"	G 10000	16000	800	0 (atm)	500	4	320	8			
	G 16000	25000	1250	0 (atm)	800	4	500	8			

Pressure loss / Pulse data

	Press	sure loss		Pulse data				
Diameter						HF		
		[m ³ /h]	[mbar] *	$[1/m^3]*$		[Hz at Q _{max}]		
					MI-2			
DN 200	G 650	50 - 1000	1.5	0.1/1	30	770		
8"	G 1000	80 - 1600	3	0.1/1	47	1180		
Ö	G 1600	130 - 2500	8	0.1/1	46	1060		
DN 250	G 1000	80 - 1600	1.5	0.1/1	49	825		
10"	G 1600	130 - 2500	4.5	0.1/1	77	1320		
10	G 2500	200 - 4000	10	0.1/1	69	1200		
DN 300	G 1600	130 - 2500	1.5	0.1/1	26	810		
12"	G 2500	200 - 4000	5	0.1/1	42	1270		
12	G 4000	320 - 6500	14	0.1/1	39	1175		
DN 400	G 2500	200 - 4000	1.5	0.1/1	88	660		
16"	G 4000	320 - 6500	5	0.1/1	141	1055		
10	G 6500	500 -10000	13	0.1/1	121	890		
DN 500	G 4000	320 - 6500	1.5	0.1/1	72	530		
	G 6500	500 -10000	6.5	0.1/1	116	865		
20"	G 10000	800 -16000	15	0.1/1	105	770		
DN 600	G 6500	500 -10000	1.5	0.01/0.1	26	470		
	G 10000	800 -16000	5	0.01/0.1	41	720		
24"	G 16000	1300 - 25000	10.5	0.01/0.1	38	650		

^{*)}Pressure loss calculated at Qmax for natural gas at atmospheric pressure (density $0.8 \, \text{kg/m}^3$) 1D up and downstream of meter specific to single meters and shown on the calibration certificate.



Dimensions and weights													
Diameter	Meter size	Dimensions [mm]					Weight [kg]						
		А	В	С	D	L	PN pressure rates	Housing material	Weight	ANSI pressure rates	Housing material	Weight	
DN 200 8"	G 650 G 1000 G 1600	240	240	273	298	600	PN 10 PN 16 PN 25 PN 40 PN 64 PN 100	GGG-40 (Steel) GGG-40 (Steel) Steel Steel Steel Steel	70 (77) 70 (77) 89 98 125 161	ANSI150 ANSI300 ANSI400 ANSI600	GGG-40 (Steel) Steel Steel Steel	70 (91) 117 135 155	
DN 250 10"	G 1000 G 1600 G 2500	300	360	327	314	750	PN 10 PN 16 PN 25 PN 40 PN 64 PN 100	Steel Steel Steel Steel Steel Steel	90 95 108 128 156 220	ANSI150 ANSI300 ANSI400 ANSI600	Steel Steel Steel Steel	108 148 170 236	
DN 300 12"	G 1600 G 2500 G 4000	360	390	352	338	900	PN 10 PN 16 PN 25 PN 40 PN 64 PN 100	Steel Steel Steel Steel Steel Steel	120 130 150 180 240 340	ANSI150 ANSI300 ANSI400 ANSI600	Steel Steel Steel Steel	160 210 240 290	
DN 400 16"	G 2500 G 4000 G 6500	480	510	395	380	1200	PN 10 PN 16 PN 25 PN 40 PN 64	Steel Steel Steel Steel Steel	350 380 410 460 510	ANSI150 ANSI300 ANSI400 ANSI600	Steel Steel Steel Steel	400 460 490 580	
DN 500 20"	G 4000 G 6500 G 10000	600	630	445	431	1500	PN 10 PN 16 PN 25 PN 40	Steel Steel Steel Steel	550 600 640 690	ANSI150 ANSI300 ANSI400 ANSI600	Steel Steel Steel Steel	650 800 830 980	
DN 600 24"	G 6500 G 10000 G 16000	720	750	495	482	1800	PN 10 PN 16 PN 25	Steel Steel Steel	900 950 1000	ANSI150 ANSI300 ANSI400 ANSI600	Steel Steel Steel Steel	1050 1300 1350 1500	

