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Magnetic float switch For vertical installation Model FLS



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Applications

- Level measurement for almost all liquid media
- Pump and level control and monitoring for distinct filling levels
- Chemical, petrochemical, natural gas, offshore, shipbuilding, machine building, power generating equipment, power plants
- Process water and drinking water treatment, food and beverage industry

Special features

- Large range of application due to the simple, proven functional principle
- For harsh operating conditions, long service life
- Operating limits:
 - Operating temperature: T = -196 ... +350 °C
 - Operating pressure: P = Vacuum to 40 bar
 - Limit density: $\rho \ge 300 \text{ kg/m}^3$
- Wide variety of different electrical connections, process connections and materials
- Explosion-protected versions



Fig. left: Stainless steel version, mounting thread Fig. right: Plastic version, flange connection

Description

A float with a permanent magnet moves reliably along with the liquid level on a guide tube. Within the guide tube is fitted a reed contact (inert gas contact), which is energised, through the non-magnetic walls of the float and guide tube, by the approach of the float magnet. By using a magnet and reed contact the switching operation is non-contact, free from wear and needs no power supply. The contacts are potentialfree. Magnetic float switches are also available with multiple switch points. The switch functions always refer to a rising liquid level: normally open, normally closed or change-over contact.

Through the use of a float for a max. of 2 switch points a bistable switch operation can be achieved, meaning that the switching status also remains available, when the filling level continues to rise above or drop below the switch point.

The float switch is simple to mount and maintenance-free, so the costs of mounting, commissioning and operation are low.

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Data sheets showing similar instruments: Magnetic float switch, horizontal installation; model HLS; see data sheet LM 30.02 Magnetic float switch with permanent magnet, lateral installation; model RSB; see data sheet LM 30.03 Page 1 of 23



Further special features

Options

- Process connection, guide tube and float from stainless steel 1.4571, plastic or Buna
- Universal signal processing: connection direct to a PLC is possible, NAMUR connection, signal amplification / contact protection relays
- Works independently of foaming, conductivity, dielectricity, pressure, vacuum, temperature, steam, condensation, bubble formation, boiling effects and vibrations.
- Multiple functionality in a single instrument up to 8 potential-free contacts
- Exact repeatability of the switch points
- Magnetic float switches qualify as passive electrical equipment in accordance with DIN IEC 60079-11 and can be installed in 'Zone 1' hazardous areas without certification, so long as the equipment is operated in a certified intrinsically safe circuit with a minimum explosion protection of EEx ib

- Customer-specific solutions
- Special versions for interface layer detection Δ - $\rho \ge 100 \text{ kg/m}^3$
- Process connection, guide tube material and float from stainless steel 1.4435, 1.4539, titanium, Hastelloy (others on request)

Model overview

Float switch	Description	Approva	ıl						
model		without	Ex i	Ex d	GL	Ex i + GL	ABS	DNV	3-A
FLS-S	Magnetic float switch, standard version	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	
FLS-SX	Magnetic float switch, angled version, adjustable version, coated version								
FLS-M	Magnetic float switch, 8 mm guide tube	x	x						
FLS-P	Magnetic float switch, plastic version	x							
FLS-H	Magnetic float switch, phar- maceutical and food version	x							
	Magnetic float switch, 3-A hygienic version								x

Float switch model	Materials Stainless steel 1.4571 (316Ti)	S Stainless steel 1.4404 (316L)	Titanium 3.7035 (grade 2)	Stainless steel 1.4435 (316L)	Stainless steel 1.4571 (316Ti) / PP	Stainless steel 1.4571 (316Ti) / PA	Stainless steel 1.4571 (316Ti) / brass	PVC, PP, PVDF	Stainless steel 1.4571 (316Ti) / Buna (NBR)	Temperature range
FLS-S	x	x	x	x	х	x	х		х	-50 +350 °C
FLS-SX	х	x								-10 +100 °C
FLS-M	х	x			х		x		х	-10 +100 °C
FLS-P								х	х	-10 +100 °C
FLS-H		x		x						-20 +200 °C

Ex approvals

Explosion protection	Ignition pro- tection type	Model	Zone	Approval number
ATEX	Exi	FLS-S	Zone 0, gas	KEMA 01 ATEX1053 X II 1/2G Ex ia IIC T3 T6
	Exi	FLS-M	Zone 0, gas	KEMA 01 ATEX1053 X II 1/2G Ex ia IIC T3 T6
	Ex d	FLS-S	Zone 1, gas/dust	TÜV 13 ATEX 7399 X II 2G Ex d IIC T6 Gb / II 2 D Ex tb IIIC T80 °C Db
	Ex d	FLS-S	Zone 1, gas/dust	IECEx TUR 09.0002X -40 °C <= ta <= +55 °C Ex d IIC T6 Ex tD A21 IP 65 T80 °C
	Exi+GL	FLS-S	Zone 0, gas	KEMA 01 ATEX1053 X II 1/2G Ex ia IIC T3 T6 + GL - 96 716 - 95 HH

Type approval

Explosion protection	Model	Approval number
GL	FLS-S	GL - 96 716 - 95 HH
ABS	FLS-S	ABS-02-HG286246-2-PDA
DNV	FLS-S	DNV - A-11453
GOST	FLS-S, FLS-P; FLS-H	959333
3-A	FLS-H	3-A Sanitary Standards, 1698

Application examples



Level control (min.-max. control)



Magnetic float switch, standard version, model FLS-S

Process connection, guide tube material and float from stainless steel 1.4571 (316Ti)



	Mounting thre		Mounting thre	ad	Flange		
Electrical connection		PVCSiliconePUR	Connection housing Aluminium 64 x 58 x 34 mm, with 1 contact Aluminium 80 x 75 x 57 mm, 2 or more contacts Option: Polypropylene, polyester, stainless steel				
Process connection	Mounting thread upwards G 3/8" (others on request)	G 1/2" (others on on request)	Mounting thread downwards G 1 1/2" or G 2"		Mounting flange DIN DN 50 DN ANSI 2" 8", cla	I 200, PN 6 PN 100 ass 150 600	
Guide tube diameter	12 or 14 mm	18 mm	12 or 14 mm	18 mm	12 or 14 mm	18 mm	
Guide tube length L max.	3,000 mm	6,000 mm	3,000 mm	6,000 mm	3,000 mm	6,000 mm	
Float	Material stainless steel 1.4571 (Option: Buna (NBR), titanium) Float diameter from 44 120 mm Float selection depending on guide tube diameter and process conditions (see page 20 and 21)						
Temperature range standard	PVC cable -10 Silicone cable -30	+80 °C +130 °C	-30 … +150 °C Option: ■ High-temperature version: +150 … +300 °C Option: ■ Low-temperature version: -19630 °C				
Switching function	Alternatively norma	lly open (NO), norma	lly closed (NC) or ch	ange-over (SPDT) c	ontact - on rising leve	el	
max. number of contacts	PVC cable 6 x NO o Silicone cable 5 x N SPDT		6 x NO or NC, or 4 x SPDT				
Switch position	Dimensions L_1 , L_2 ,	$L_3 \dots$ (from sealing fa	ce, starting from top)				
Distance between switch points	Minimum 20 mm (d	epending on the sele	ction of the float and	the contacts, see pa	age 20 and 21)		
Switching power	Normally closed A	C 230 V; 100 VA; 1 A C 230 V; 100 VA; 1 A C 230 V; 40 VA; 1 A		0.5 A Please obs	erve contact protec	tion measures (see page 23)!	
	Attention: Versions without protective conductor connection - operation only at safety extra-low voltage e.g. WIKA contact protection relay or external grounding					ge e.g. WIKA contact	
Mounting position	Vertical ±30°						
Ingress protection	IP 65 per EN 60529 / IEC 60529						
Materials	Stainless steel 1.44	104, 1.4435, 1.4539, t	itanium, Hastelloy ar	nd others on request			

Magnetic float switch, explosion-protected version Ex i, intrinsically safe, model FLS-S

Process connection, guide tube material and float from stainless steel 1.4571 (316Ti)



	Option: Polyester, stainless steel								
Process connection	downwa		,				Mounting flange ■ DIN DN 50 DN 150, PN 6 PN 64 ■ ANSI 2" 6", class 150 600		
Guide tube diameter	12 or 14	l mm	18 mm			12 or 14 mm	18 mm		
Guide tube length L max.	3,000 m	ım	6,000 mm			3,000 mm	6,000 mm		
Float	Material stainless steel 1.4571 (Option: Buna (NBR), titanium) Float diameter from 44 120 mm Float selection depending on guide tube diameter and process conditions (see page 20 and 21)					ind 21)			
Temperature class Process temperature Ambient tempera- ture at connection housing	Max. Max.	T3 180 °C 60 °C	T4 130 °C 60 °C	T5 95 °C 60 °C	T6 80 °C 60 °C				
Switching function	Alternatively normally open (NO), normally closed (NC) or change-over (SPDT) contact - on rising level								
max. number of contacts	6 x NO or NC, or 4 x SPDT								
Switch position	Dimens	ions L ₁ , L ₂ ,	L ₃ (from sea	aling face, s	tarting from top)				
Distance between switch points	Minimur	Minimum 20 mm (depending on the selection of the float and the contacts, see page 20 and 21)							
Switching power	Only for	connection	to a certified i	ntrinsically s	safe circuit with Umax 3	6 V, Imax 100 mA			
Mounting position	Vertical ±30°								
Ingress protection	IP 65 per EN 60529 / IEC 60529								
Options	 Housing heightening X (state dimension X) Temperature resistance Pt100 or Pt1000 Birnetal thermal contact 40 120 °C (in 5 degree steps) 								
Materials	Stainles	s steel 1.44	35, titanium, H	lastelloy on	request				

Magnetic float switch, explosion-protected version Ex d, flameproof enclosure, model FLS-S

Process connection, guide tube and float from stainless steel 1.4571 (316Ti) or 1.4404 (316L)



Mounting position	Vertical ±30°
Ingress protection	IP 65 per EN 60529 / IEC 60529
Options	 Temperature resistance Pt100 or Pt1000 Bimetal thermal contact 40 120 °C (in 5 degree steps)
Materials	Stainless steel 1.4404 and others on request

Magnetic float switch, stainless steel and Buna, model FLS-S

Process connection, guide tube from stainless steel 1.4571 (316Ti) and float from Buna



	Mounting thread (without connection housing)	Mounting threa	d	Flange			
Electrical connection	Connection cable PVC Silicone PUR		Aluminium 80 >	x 58 x 34 mm, with 1 contact x 75 x 57 mm, 2 or more contacts /lene, polyester, stainless steel			
Process connection	Mounting thread upwards G 3/8" (others on request)	Mounting thread downwards G 1", G 1 1/2" or G 2"		Mounting flange ■ DIN DN 50 DN 200, PN 6 PN 40 ■ ANSI 1 1/2" 8", class 150 300			
Guide tube diameter	12 mm						
Guide tube length L max.	3,000 mm						
Float	Material Buna (NBR) Float diameter from 44 120 mm Float selection depending on guide tube	diameter and process	conditions (see pa	age 20 and 21)			
Temperature range standard	-10 +80 °C						
Switching function	Alternatively normally open (NO), norma	Alternatively normally open (NO), normally closed (NC) or change-over (SPDT) contact - on rising level					
max. number of contacts	PVC cable 6 x NO or NC, or 4 x SPDT Silicone cable 5 x NO or NC, or 3 x SPDT	6 x NO or NC, or 4 x S	SPDT				
Switch position	Dimensions L_1 , L_2 , L_3 (from sealing fa	ce, starting from top)					
Distance between switch points	Minimum 20 mm (depending on the sele	ction of the float and the	e contacts, see pa	age 20 and 21)			
Switching power	Normally openAC 230 V; 50 VA; 1 ANormally closedAC 230 V; 50 VA; 1 AChange-overAC 230 V; 50 VA; 1 AProtective conductor connection on requ	DC 230 V; 50 W; 0.5 DC 230 V; 50 W; 0.5 DC 230 V; 20 W; 0.5 lest	A Please obs	erve contact protection measures (see page 23)!			
	Attention: Versions without protective conductor connection - operation only at safety extra-low voltage e.g. WIKA contact protection relay or external grounding						
Mounting position	Vertical ±30°						
Ingress protection	IP 65 per EN 60529 / IEC 60529						
Materials	Stainless steel 1.4571, 1.4404, Buna (N	BR) and others on requ	est				

Magnetic float switch, angled version, model FLS-SX

Process connection, guide tube and float from stainless steel 1.4571 (316Ti)



	Mounting thread (without connecti		Mounting threa	ad	Flange		
Electrical connection		PVC Silicone PUR	Connection housing	Aluminium 80	x 58 x 34 mm, with 1 contact x 75 x 57 mm, 2 or more contacts ylene, polyester, stainless steel		
Process connection	Mounting thread lateral G 3/8" (others on requ	uest)	Mounting thread lateral G 1 1/2" or G 2"		Mounting flange ■ DIN DN 50 DN 200, PN 6 PN 40 ■ ANSI 1 1/2" 8", class 150 300		
Guide tube diameter	12 mm						
Guide tube length L max.	3,000 mm						
Float	Float diameter from 44	Material stainless steel 1.4571 Float diameter from 44 120 mm Float selection depending on guide tube diameter and process conditions (see page 20 and 21)					
Temperature range standard	PVC/PUR cable -10 +80 °C -30 +150 °C Silicone cable -30 +150 °C -30 +150 °C						
Switching function	Alternatively normally open (NO), normally closed (NC) or change-over (SPDT) contact - on rising level						
max. number of contacts	PVC cable 6 x NO or N Silicone cable 5 x NO		6 x NO or NC, or 4 x	SPDT			
Switch position	Dimensions L1, L2, L3	3 (from sealing face, start	ng from top)				
Distance between switch points	Minimum 20 mm (dep	ending on the selection of	he float and the contac	cts, see page 20 ar	nd 21)		
Switching power	Normally open AC 2 Normally closed AC 2 Change-over AC 2 Protective conductor of	230 V; 100 VA; 1 A DC 2 230 V; 40 VA; 1 A DC 2	230 V; 50 W; 0.5 A 230 V; 50 W; 0.5 A 230 V; 20 W; 0.5 A	ease observe con	tact protection measures (see page 23)!		
	Attention: Versions without protective conductor connection - operation only at safety extra-low voltage e.g. WIKA contact protection relay or external grounding						
Mounting position	Vertical ±30°						
Ingress protection	IP 65 per EN 60529 / IEC 60529						
Materials	Stainless steel 1.4571	I, 1.4404 and others on req	uest				

Magnetic float switch, version with adjustable guide tube, model FLS-SX

Process connection, guide tube and float from stainless steel 1.4571 (316Ti)



	Mounting thread (without connection housing)	Mounting thread	Flange			
Electrical connection	Connection cable PVC Silicone PUR		x 58 x 34 mm, with 1 contact x 75 x 57 mm, 2 or more contacts ylene, polyester, stainless steel			
Process connection	Mounting thread downwards G 1/2" (others on request)	Mounting thread downwards G 1 1/2" or G 2" (others on request)	Mounting flange ■ DIN DN 50 DN 200, PN 6 PN 100 ■ ANSI 2" 8", class 150 600			
Guide tube diameter	12 mm					
Guide tube length L max.	3,000 mm					
Float	Float diameter from 44 83 mm	Material stainless steel 1.4571 (Option: Buna (NBR), titanium) Float diameter from 44 83 mm Float selection depending on guide tube diameter and process conditions (see page 20 and 21)				
Nominal pressure	5 bar					
Temperature range standard	PVC / PUR cable-10 +80 °CSilicone cable-30 +180 °C	-30 +150 °C				
Switching function	Alternatively normally open (NO), norm	ally closed (NC) or change-over (SPDT) o	contact - on rising level			
max. number of contacts	PVC cable 6 x NO or NC, or 4 x SPDT Silicone cable 5 x NO or NC, or 3 x SPDT	6 x NO or NC, or 4 x SPDT				
Switch position	Dimensions L_1 , L_2 , L_3 (from sealing	face, starting from top)				
Distance between switch points	Minimum 20 mm (depending on the se	lection of the float and the contacts, see p	age 20 and 21)			
Switching power	Normally closed AC 230 V; < 50 VA; 1	A DC 230 V; 20 W; 0.5 A	serve contact protection measures (see page 23)!			
	Attention: Versions without protective protection relay or external		safety extra-low voltage e.g. WIKA contact			
Mounting position	Vertical ±30°					
Ingress protection	IP 54 per EN 60529 / IEC 60529	IP 65 per EN 60529 / IEC 60529				
Materials	Stainless steel 1.4435, 1.4539, titaniur	n, Hastelloy and others on request				

Magnetic float switch, flange, E-CTFE coated, model FLS-SX

Process connection, guide tube and float from stainless steel 1.4571 (316Ti), E-CTFE coated



	Flange (Guide tube diameter 12 mm)	Flange (Guide tube diameter 18 mm)				
Electrical connection	Connection housing Aluminium 64 x 58 x 34 mm, w Aluminium 80 x 75 x 57 mm, 2 Option: Polypropylene, polyester	or more contacts				
Process connection	Mounting flange ■ DIN DN 50 DN 200, PN 6 PN 40 ■ ANSI 2" 8", class 150 300					
Guide tube diameter	12 mm	18 mm				
Guide tube length L max.	2,000 mm	4,000 mm				
Float	Material stainless steel 1.4571 (E-CTFE coated) Float diameter from 45 121 mm Float selection depending on guide tube diameter and process conditions (see page 10)					
Temperature range	Depending on medium					
Switching function	Alternatively normally open (NO), normally closed (NC) or change-over (SPDT) contact - on rising level				
max. number of contacts	3 x NO or NC, or 2 x SPDT					
Switch position	Dimensions L_1 , L_2 , L_3 (from sealing face, starting from the sealing face) starting from the sealing face of the search of the se	m top)				
Distance between switch points	Minimum 20 mm (depending on the selection of the flo	at and the contacts, see page 10)				
Switching power	Normally open AC 230 V; 100 VA; 1 A DC 230 V; 100 VA; 1 A Normally closed AC 230 V; 100 VA; 1 A DC 230 V; 230 V; 230 V; 40 VA; 1 A Change-over AC 230 V; 40 VA; 1 A DC 230 V; 23	50 W; 0.5 A Please observe contact protection measures (see page 23)!				
	Attention: Versions without protective conductor connection - operation only at safety extra-low voltage e.g. WIKA contact protection relay or external grounding					
Mounting position	Vertical ±30°					
Ingress protection	IP 65 per EN 60529 / IEC 60529					
Materials	Stainless steel 1.4571, E-CTFE coated, option anti-sta	Stainless steel 1.4571, E-CTFE coated, option anti-static				

Magnetic float switch, special flange, model FLS-SX

Process connection from polyamide or brass, guide tube from stainless steel 1.4571 (316Ti), float from Buna or stainless steel 1.4571 (316Ti)



	Polyamide flange	Brass flange					
Electrical connection	Connector C164-232-F-4P	Connector C164-332-F-5P Connector C164-4337-F-7P					
Process connection	Polyamide flange	Brass flange					
Guide tube diameter	12 mm						
Guide tube length L max.	3,000 mm						
Float	Material Buna (NBR) or stainless steel 1.4571 Float diameter from 44 120 mm Float selection depending on guide tube diameter						
Temperature range standard	-10 +80 °C						
Switching function	Alternatively normally open (NO), normally closed (NC) or change-over (SPDT) contact - on rising level						
max. number of contacts	2 x NO or NC, or 4 x SPDT 6 x NO or NC, or 4 x SPDT Silicone cable 5 x NO or NC, or 3 x SPDT						
Switch position	Dimensions L_1 , L_2 , L_3 (from sealing face, starting	ng from top)					
Distance between switch points	Minimum 20 mm (depending on the selection of the	ne float and the contacts, see page 20 and 21)					
Switching power	Normally closed AC 230 V; 100 VA; 1 A DC 23	0 V; 50 W; 0.5 A 0 V; 50 W; 0.5 A 0 V; 20 W; 0.5 A 0 V; 20 W; 0.5 A					
	Attention: Versions without protective conductor connection - operation only at safety extra-low voltage e.g. WIKA contact protection relay or external grounding						
Mounting position	Vertical ±30°						
Ingress protection	IP 65 per EN 60529 / IEC 60529						
Materials	Stainless steel 1.4571, 1.4404 and others on requ	iest					

Magnetic float switch, 8 mm guide tube, model FLS-M

Process connection and guide tube from stainless steel 1.4571 (316Ti)



	Mounting thread Mounting thread (without connection housing)							
Electrical connection	Connection cable PVC Silicone PUR	Connection housing ■ Aluminium 64 x 58 x 34 mm	Coupler connector ■ M12, 4-pin (C164-232- F-4P)	Coupler connector M12, 5-pin (C164-332-F-5P) N6R, 7-pin (C164-4337-F-7P)				
Process connection	Mounting thread Mounting thread upwards downwards G 1/8" (others on request) G 3/4", G 1" (others on request)							
Guide tube diameter	8 mm	8 mm						
Guide tube length L max.	500 mm							
Float	Material stainless steel 1.4571 (option: Buna (NBR), polypropylene, titanium) Float diameter from 20 35 mm Float selection depending on guide tube diameter and process conditions (see page 20 and 21)							
Temperature range	-10 +100 °C (float material stainless s -10 +80 °C (float material Buna (NBF							
Switching function	Alternatively normally open (NO), norm	ally closed (NC) or change-over (Sl	PDT) contact - on rising level					
max. number of contacts	3 x NO or NC, or 1 x SPDT							
Switching power	Normally open AC 250 V; 10 VA; 0.5 A DC 250 V; 5 W; 0.25 A Normally closed AC 250 V; 10 VA; 0.5 A DC 250 V; 5 W; 0.25 A Change-over AC 28 V; 6 VA; 0.6 A DC 28 V; 3 W; 0.3 A							
	Attention: Versions without protective conductor connection - operation only at safety extra-low voltage e.g. WIKA contact protection relay or external grounding							
Mounting position	Vertical ±30°							
Ingress protection	IP 54 per EN 60529 / IEC 60529	IP 65 per EN 60529 / IEC 60529						

Magnetic float switch, plastic version, 12 mm guide tube, model FLS-P

Process connection, guide tube and float from PVC or polypropylene



	Mounting thr (without conne	ead ection housing)	Mounting thread		Flange		
Electrical connection	Connection cable	■ PVC ■ PUR	Connection housing P	Polypropylene Polyester 80 x			
Process connection	Mounting thread, ((others on request		Mounting thread, downwa 1/2" or G 2" (others on red		Mounting flange ■ DIN DN 50 DN 125, PN 10, form A ■ ANSI 2" 5", class 150 FF		
Guide tube diameter	12 mm						
Guide tube length L max.	500 mm						
Float	Float diameter from	Material PVC Polypropylene Float diameter from 44 80 mm Float selection depending on guide tube diameter and process conditions (see page 21)					
Temperature range	PVCPolypropylene	■ PVC 0 +60 °C ■ Polypropylene -10 +80 °C					
Switching function	Alternatively norm	ally open (NO), norma	lly closed (NC) or change-	over (SPDT) o	contact - on rising level		
max. number of contacts	4 x NO or NC (PP	max. 3), or 3 x SPDT (PP max. 2)				
Switch position	Dimensions L1, L2	2, L3 (from sealing fa	ce, starting from top)				
Distance between switch points	Minimum 20 mm (depending on the sele	ction of the float and the co	ontacts, see p	age 21)		
Switching power	Normally open Normally closed Change-over	AC 230 V; 100 VA; 1 / AC 230 V; 100 VA; 1 / AC 230 V; 40 VA; 1 /	A DC 230 V; 50 W; 0.5 A	Please obs	serve contact protection measures (see page 23)!		
	Attention: Versions without protective conductor connection - operation only at safety extra-low voltage e.g. WIKA contact protection relay or external grounding						
Mounting position	Vertical ±30°						
Ingress protection	IP 54 per EN 6052	29 / IEC 60529	IP 65 per EN 60529 / IEC	60529			
Materials	PVC or polypropyl	ene					

Magnetic float switch, plastic version, 16 mm guide tube, model FLS-P

Process connection, guide tube material and float from PVC, polypropylene or PVDF



	Mounting the (without conn	read ection housing)	Mounting threa	d	Flange			
Electrical connection	Connection cable	Connection cable PVC PUR Connection housing Polypropylene 80 x 75 x 55 mm						
Process connection	Mounting thread, (others on reques		Mounting thread, dow (others on request)	nwards G 2"	Mounting flange ■ DIN DN 65 DN 125, PN 10, form A ■ ANSI 2 1/2" 5", class 150 FF			
Guide tube diameter	16 mm, strengthe	ened with a metallic inne	er tube					
Guide tube length L max.	3,000 mm							
Float	■ PVDI Float diameter fro	Material PVC Polypropylene PVDF Float diameter from 44 80 mm Float selection depending on guide tube diameter and process conditions (see page 21)						
Temperature range	PVCPolypropylenePVDF	0 +60 °C -10 +80 °C -10 +100 °C						
Switching function	Alternatively norm	nally open (NO), norma	Ily closed (NC) or chang	ge-over (SPDT) c	ontact - on rising level			
max. number of contacts	6 x NO or NC, or	4 x SPDT						
Switch position	Dimensions L ₁ , L	2, L3 (from sealing fa	ce, starting from top)					
Distance between switch points	Minimum 20 mm	(depending on the sele	ection of the float and the	e contacts, see pa	age 21)			
Switching power		AC 230 V; 100 VA; 1 A AC 230 V; 100 VA; 1 A AC 230 V; 40 VA; 1 A	DC 230 V; 50 W; 0.5	A Please obs	erve contact protection measures (see page 23)!			
	Attention: Versions without protective conductor connection - operation only at safety extra-low voltage e.g. WIKA contact protection relay or external grounding							
Mounting position	Vertical ±30°							
Ingress protection	IP 65 per EN 60529 / IEC 60529							
Materials	PVC, polypropyle	PVC, polypropylene or PVDF						

Magnetic float switch, plastic version, 22 mm guide tube, model FLS-P

Process connection, guide tube material and float from PVC, polypropylene or PVDF



	Mounting thread (without connection ho	using)	Mounting thread		Flange			
Electrical connection	Connection cable PVC							
Process connection	Mounting thread, upwards G (others on request)	1/2"	Mounting thread, downwa (others on request)	rds G 2"	Mounting flange DIN DN 65 DN 125, PN 10, form A ANSI 2 1/2" 4", class 150 FF			
Guide tube diameter	20 mm, strengthened with a n	netallic inne	er tube					
Guide tube length L max.	5,000 mm							
Float	Material PVC Polypropylene PVDF Float diameter from 44 80 mm Float selection depending on guide tube diameter and process conditions (see page 21)							
Temperature range	PVC 0 +60 °C Polypropylene -10 +80 °C PVDF -10 +100 °C							
Switching function	Alternatively normally open (N	IO), norma	Ily closed (NC) or change-o	ver (SPDT) c	ontact - on rising level			
max. number of contacts	6 x NO or NC, or 4 x SPDT							
Switch position	Dimensions L1, L2, L3 (from	n sealing fa	ice, starting from top)					
Distance between switch points	Minimum 20 mm (depending	on the sele	ection of the float and the co	ntacts, see p	age 21)			
Switching power	Normally open AC 230 V; 100 VA; 1 A DC 230 V; 50 W; 0.5 A Normally closed AC 230 V; 100 VA; 1 A DC 230 V; 50 W; 0.5 A Please observe contact protection measures (see page 23)! Change-over AC 230 V; 40 VA; 1 A DC 230 V; 20 W; 0.5 A							
	Attention: Versions without protective conductor connection - operation only at safety extra-low voltage e.g. WIKA contact protection relay or external grounding							
Mounting position	Vertical ±30°							
Ingress protection	IP 65 per EN 60529 / IEC 60529							
Materials	PVC, polypropylene or PVDF							

Magnetic float switch, plastic version, angled version, model FLS-PX

Process connection, guide tube and float from PVC or polypropylene



	Mounting the	read, PVC version	Мо	unting thread, polypropylene version				
Electrical connection	Connection cable	Connection cable PVC						
Process connection	Mounting thread,	lateral G 3/8" (others on r	request)					
Guide tube diameter	12 mm							
Guide tube length L max.	1,000 mm							
Float	Float diameter fro	propylene	ameter and process con	ditions (see page 21)				
Temperature range	PVCPolypropylene	0 +60 °C -10 +80 °C						
Switching function	Alternatively norm	nally open (NO), normally	closed (NC) or change-	over (SPDT) contact - on rising level				
max. number of contacts	4 x NO or NC, or 3	4 x NO or NC, or 3 x SPDT						
Switch position	Dimensions L ₁ , L	2, L3 (from sealing face	e, starting from top)					
Distance between switch points	Minimum 20 mm	(depending on the selecti	ion of the float and the co	intacts, see page 21)				
Switching power	Normally open Normally closed Change-over	AC 230 V; 100 VA; 1 A AC 230 V; 100 VA; 1 A AC 230 V; 40 VA; 1 A	DC 230 V; 50 W; 0.5 A DC 230 V; 50 W; 0.5 A DC 230 V; 20 W; 0.5 A	Please observe contact protection measures (see page 23)!				
	Attention: Versions without protective conductor connection - operation only at safety extra-low voltage e.g. WIKA contact protection relay or external grounding							
Mounting position	Vertical ±30°	Vertical ±30°						
Ingress protection	IP 65 per EN 60529 / IEC 60529							
Materials	PVC or polypropy	lene						

Magnetic float switch, pharmaceutical version, model FLS-H

Process connection, guide tube and float from stainless steel



	Mounting thread				
Electrical connection	Connection cable PVC Silicone PUR Option connection housing				
Process connection	Mounting thread, upwards G 3/8" (others on request) Option Mounting flange per DIN or ANSI Threaded connection per DIN 11851 Clamp pipe connection per DIN 32676 Ingold sanitary fitting				
Guide tube diameter	17.2 mm (stainless steel 1.4435 or 1.4539, surface ground and polished)				
Guide tube length L max.	5,000 mm				
Float	Material stainless steel 1.4435 or 1.4539 Float diameter from 44 80 mm Float selection depending on guide tube diameter and process conditions (see page 21)				
Temperature range	■ PVC and PUR -10 +80 °C ■ Silicone -30 +150 °C				
Switching function	Alternatively normally open (NO), normally closed (NC) or change-over (SPDT) contact - on rising level				
max. number of contacts	PVC and PUR 6 x NO or NC, or 4 x SPDT, silicone 3 x NO or NC, or 2 x SPDT				
Switch position	Dimensions L1, L2, L3 (from sealing face, starting from top)				
Distance between switch points	Minimum 20 mm (depending on the selection of the float and the contacts, see page 21)				
Switching power	Normally open AC 230 V; 50 VA; 1 A DC 230 V; 50 W; 0.5 A Normally closed AC 230 V; 50 VA; 1 A DC 230 V; 50 W; 0.5 A Change-over AC 230 V; 50 VA; 1 A DC 230 V; 50 W; 0.5 A				
	Attention: Versions without protective conductor connection - operation only at safety extra-low voltage e.g. WIKA contact protection relay or external grounding				
Mounting position	Vertical ±30°				
Ingress protection	IP 65 per EN 60529 / IEC 60529				

Magnetic float switch, food version, model FLS-H

Process connection, guide tube and float from stainless steel



	Threaded pi	pe connection		Clamp pipe connection				
Electrical connection	Connection hous	Connection housing Aluminium 64 x 58 x 34 mm, with 1 contact Aluminium 80 x 75 x 57 mm, 2 or more contacts Option: Polypropylene, polyester, stainless steel						
Process connection		onnection per DIN 11851 0N 150 (others on reques		Clamp pipe connection per DIN 32676, DN 25 DN 100 or 1" 4" (others on request)				
Guide tube diameter	12 or 14	18 mm						
Guide tube length L max.	3,000 mm	6,000 mm						
Float	Float diameter fro	Material stainless steel 1.4435 or 1.4404, option electropolished Float diameter from 44 80 mm Float selection depending on guide tube diameter and process conditions (see page 21)						
Temperature range	-30 +150 °C							
Switching function	Alternatively norn	nally open (NO), normally	y closed (NC) or char	ge-over (SPDT) contact - on rising level				
max. number of contacts	6 x NO or NC, or	6 x NO or NC, or 4 x SPDT						
Switch position	Dimensions L ₁ , L	.2, L ₃ (from sealing fac	e, starting from top)					
Distance between switch points	Minimum 20 mm	(depending on the selec	tion of the float and th	e contacts, see page 21)				
Switching power	Normally closed	AC 230 V; 100 VA; 1 A AC 230 V; 100 VA; 1 A AC 230 V; 40 VA; 1 A	DC 230 V; 50 W; 0.8 DC 230 V; 50 W; 0.8 DC 230 V; 20 W; 0.8	A Please observe contact protection measures (see page 23)!				
	Attention: Versions without protective conductor connection - operation only at safety extra-low voltage e.g. WIKA contact protection relay or external grounding							
Mounting position	Vertical ±30°							
Ingress protection	IP 65 per EN 605	IP 65 per EN 60529 / IEC 60529						

Magnetic float switch, 3-A hygienic version, model FLS-H

Process connection, guide tube and float from stainless steel



Spherical floats (K)



Material	Suits guide tube Ø	ØA	В	ØC	Max. operating pressure	Max. operating temperature	Limit density 85 %	Order no.
	mm	mm	mm	mm	bar	°C	kg/m ³	
Stainless steel 1.4571	8	29	28	9	6	100	977	005454
	8	29	28	9	25	100	1069	027355
	12	52	52	15	40	300	769	005462
	12	62	61	15	32	300	597	005511
	12	83	81	15	25	300	408	005485
	18	80	76	23	25	300	679	005478
	18	98	96	23	25	300	597	005489
	18	105	103	23	25	300	533	020652
	18	120	117	23	25	300	389	021721
Titanium 3.7035	8	29	28	9	30	100	822	005522
	12	52	52	15	25	300	707	005526
	12	52	52	15	60	300	852	-
	12	52	52	15	80	300	1060	-
	12	62	62	15	25	300	505	005536
	12	83	81	15	25	300	278	005544
	18	80	76	23	25	300	665	112263
	18	98	96	23	25	300	495	-
	18	105	103	23	25	300	369	-
	18	120	117	23	25	300	329	-
Stainless steel 1.4571	12	53	53	14	25	depending on medium	745	-
E-CTFE coated	12	63	62	14	25	depending on medium	591	-
	12	84	82	14	25	depending on medium	403	-
	18	81	77	22	25	depending on medium	718	-
	18	99	97	22	25	depending on medium	675	-
	18	106	104	22	25	depending on medium	633	-
	18	121	118	22	25	depending on medium	459	-

Note: The optimum float will be selected after a feasibility test carried out by WIKA.

Cylindrical floats (Z)



Material	Suits guide tube Ø mm	Ø A mm	B mm	Ø C mm	Max. operating pressure bar	Max. operating temperature °C	Limit density 85 % kg/m ³	Order no.
Stainless steel 1.4571	8	27	31	10	16	100	787	009679
	12	44	52	15	16	300	818	009681
Titanium 3.7035	12	44	52	15	16	300	720	009744
Buna (NBR)	8	20	20	9	3	80	939	009719
	8	23	25	9	3	80	802	009721
	8	25	14	9	3	80	787	009720
	8	30	45	13	3	80	683	034047
	12	40	30	15	3	80	581	009728
	12	40	120	15	3	80	409	-
	18	50	45	19	3	80	498	009725
PVC	12	44	44	14	3	60	651	033790
	16	55	54	22	3	60	798	-
	20	55	80	26	3	60	919	-
	16	55	70	22	3	60	674	-
	20	80	79	25	3	60	573	033796
Polypropylene	8	27	29	9	3	80	755	015516
	8	35	33	9	3	80	675	100347
	12	44	44	14	3	80	478	015514
	16	55	54	22	3	80	582	033792
	20	55	80	26	3	80	669	-
	20	80	79	25	3	80	431	033795
PVDF	12	44	55	14	3	100	782	033791
	16	55	69	22	3	100	821	116235
	20	55	80	26	3	100	1140	-
	20	80	79	25	3	100	681	033797
Stainless steel 1.4571 E-CTFE coated	12	45	53	14	16	depending on medium	782	-

Note: The optimum float will be selected after a feasibility test carried out by WIKA.

Electrical connections

Reed contact			
1 switch point	1 switch point Wiring for operation with a PLC	1 switch point NAMUR circuit per DIN EN 60947-5-6	4-pin 2 WH 2 WH
blue/grey (1) brown (2) black (3)	blue/grey (1) brown (2)	blue/grey (1) brown (2) black (3)	1 BN 0 0 3 4 BK 4 BK 4 BK 5-pin (only with Ex) 1 BN 0 0 3 4 BK 5 PE 5 PE

Connection cable

Connection cable	Cross-section
PVC	4 x 0.5 mm ²
Silicone	4 x 0.75 mm ²
Armoured silicone	4 x 0.75 mm ²
LMGSG	3 x 1.5 mm ²

Colour coding per IEC 60757

Colour	Short symbol
Black	BK
Brown	BN
Red	RD
Orange	OG
Yellow	YE
Green	GN
Blue	BU
Violet	VT
Grey	GY
White	WH
Pink	PK
Turquoise	TQ
Green-Yellow	GNYE

Contact protection measures

The reed contacts should be protected against any voltage or current spikes that might occur.

Depending on the different load types different protective circuits are used.



Model KR 24

RC module

Contact protection relays	Contacts	Input	Power supply	Approval number	Order no.
KR 24	1 x change-over AC 250 V, 2 A	2 x contacts	DC 20 30 V		112941
KR 24-EX	2 x change-over AC 253 V, 2 A	2 x contacts	DC 20 30 V	II 1 GD EEx ia IIC, PTB 02 ATEX 2073	112944
KR 230	1 x change-over AC 250 V, 2 A	2 x contacts	AC 230 V		112942
KR 230-EX	2 x change-over AC 253 V, 2 A	2 x contacts	AC 230 V	II 1 GD EEx ia IIC, PTB 02 ATEX 2073	112943

RC module	Capacitance	Resistance	Voltage	Order no.
B3/115	0.33 μF	470 Ohm	AC 115 V	110446
B3/230	0.33 μF	1,000 Ohm	AC 230 V	110460



Ordering information

To order the described product the order number (if available) is sufficient.

Alternatively:

Model / Version / Electrical connection / Process connection / Guide tube diameter / Guide tube length L / Information about contact (switching function, number of switch points, switch position) / process details (operating temperature and working pressure, Limit density) / Options

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