## Vibro-Meter

# TQ 402 & TQ 412 / EA 402 / IQS 450

## **Proximity System**

#### **FEATURES**

- Non-contacting measurement system based on eddy current principle
- Certified for use in potentially explosive atmospheres
- TQ 402 conforms to API 670 recommendations
- 1 m, 5 m and 10 m systems
- Temperature compensated system
- Voltage or current output with protection against short circuits
- Frequency response:
  DC to 20 kHz (-3 dB)
- Measuring range:
- Transducer temperature range: -40°C to +180°C





#### DESCRIPTION

This proximity system allows contactless measurement of the relative displacement of moving machine elements. It is particularly suitable for measuring the relative vibration and axial position of rotating machine shafts, such as those found in steam, gas and hydraulic turbines, as well as in alternators, turbo-compressors and pumps.

The system is based around a TQ 402 or TQ 412 non-contacting transducer and an IQS 450 signal

conditioner. Together, these form a calibrated proximity system in which each component is interchangeable. The system outputs a voltage or current proportional to the distance between the transducer tip and the target (e.g. machine shaft).

The active part of the transducer is a coil of wire that is moulded inside the tip of the device, which is made of Torlon (polyamide-imide). The transducer body is made of stainless steel. The target material must, in all cases,



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be metallic.

The transducer body is available with metric or English thread. The TQ 412 version is intended for reverse-mount applications. The TQ 402/412 has an integral coaxial cable, terminated with an AMP-type connector. Various cable lengths (integral and extension) may be ordered.

The IQS 450 signal conditioner contains an HF modulator/demodulator that supplies a driving signal to the transducer. This generates the necessary

electromagnetic field used to measure the gap. The conditioner circuitry is made of high-quality components and is mounted in an aluminium extrusion.

The TQ 402/412 transducer can be matched with a single EA 402 extension cable. Optional junction boxes and housings offer mechanical protection of the integral and extension cable connectors.

The proximity system is powered by associated processor modules or a rack power supply.

#### **SPECIFICATIONS**

#### **Overall Proximity System**

#### **OPERATION**

Sensitivity

Ordering option B21
 Ordering option B22
 Ordering option B23
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 Ordering option B24
 1.25 μA/μm (31.2 μA/mil)

Linear measuring range (typical)

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Ordering option B24
 0.3 - 4.3 mm, corresponding to 15.5 mA to 20.5 mA output

Linearity : See system performance curves on page 4

Frequency response : DC to 20 kHz (-3 dB)

Interchangeability of elements : All components in system are interchangeable

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL**

Use in explosive atmospheres

EC type examination certificate
 LCIE 02 ATEX 6086 X II 2 G (Zones 1, 2) Ex ib IIC T6 to T3
 Voluntary type examination
 LCIE 07 ATEX 6079 X II 3 G (Zone 2) Ex nA IIC T6 to T3

certificate

For specific parameters of the mode of protection concerned and special conditions for safe use, please refer to the "EC type examination certificate" that is available from Vibro-Meter SA on demand.

CSA standard : Certificate 1514309 (LR 62075-5),

Class I, Divisions 1 and 2, Groups A, B, C and D Ex ia

or

Class I, Division 2, Groups A, B, C and D

#### SYSTEM CALIBRATION

Calibration temperature : +23°C ± 5°C

Target material : VCL 140 steel (1.7225)

Note: If special calibration is required, please define the alloy precisely or supply a sample of alloy

(min. Ø 50 mm / 1 cm thick)

#### TOTAL SYSTEM LENGTH (TSL)

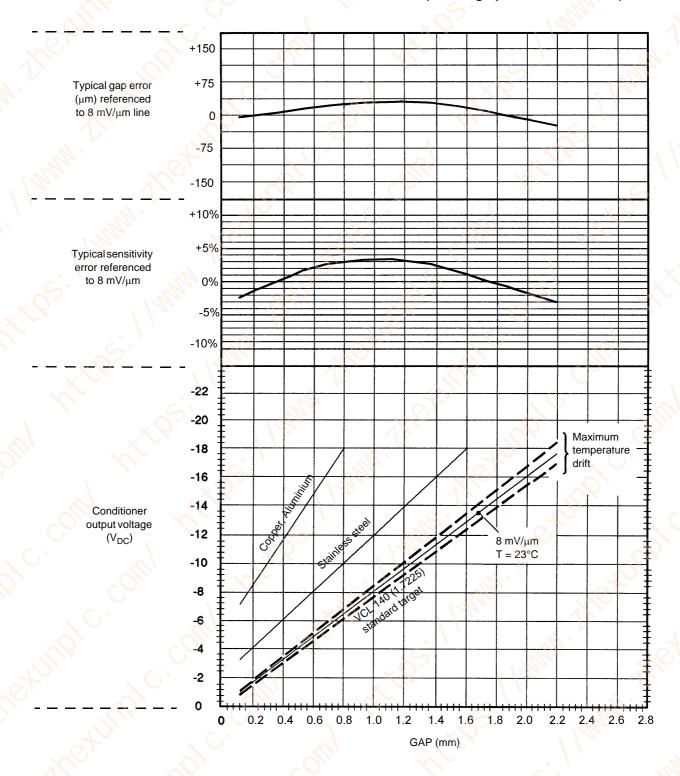
Due to the characteristics of the coaxial cable, an "electrical trimming" of the nominal length of the integral and extension cables is necessary to optimize the system performance and the transducer interchangeability.

TSL for a 1 m chain : 0.9 m minimum

TSL for a 5 m chain : 4.4 m minimum

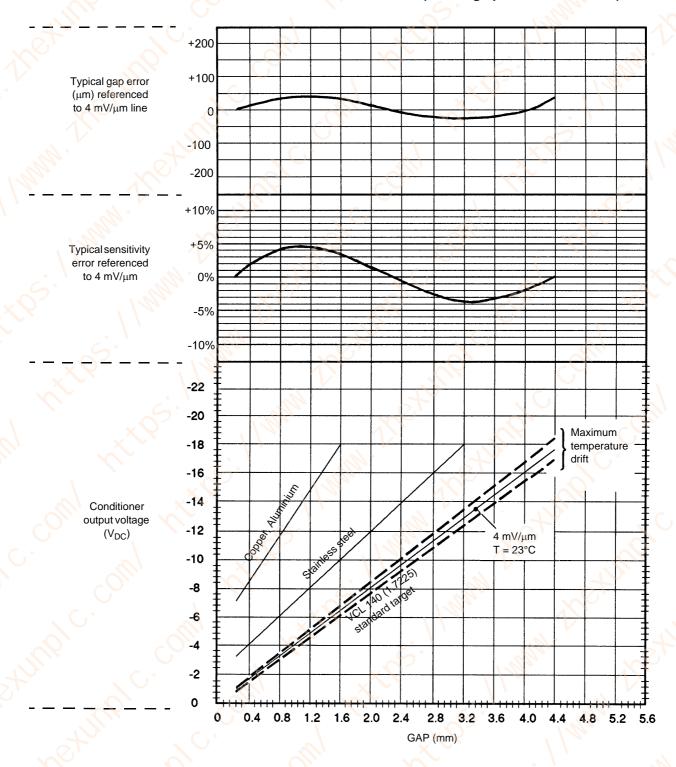
TSL for a 10 m chain : 8.8 m minimum

#### Performance Curves for TQ 402 / 412 Transducer with IQS 450 (ordering options B21 and B22)



Proximity transducer: Signal conditioner: Standard target material: Equivalent materials: TQ 402 / TQ 412 IQS 450 (ordering option B21 and B22) VCL 140 (1.7225) A 37.11 (1.0065), AFNOR 40 CD4, AISI 4137

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### TQ 402 / TQ 412 Proximity Transducer

#### **GENERAL**

Transducer input requirements : High-frequency power source via matching conditioner type IQS 450

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL**

Temperature ranges

• Transducer : -40°C to +180°C with drift < 5% (operation)

+180°C to +220°C with drift > 5% (short-term survival)

• Cable : -100°C to +200°C

• Transducer and cable : -100°C to +195°C if used in Ex zone

• Connector : -65°C to +85°C

• Heat shrinkable sleeve : -55°C to +135°C

(modified Polyolefin)

Protection class (according to IEC 529 and DIN 40050)

: The tip of the transducer is rated IP 67

The connection between the transducer body and its integral cable is rated

IP 64

Transducer construction : Wire coil Ø 8 mm, Torlon (polyamide-imide) tip, encapsulated in stainless

steel body (AISI 316L) with high-temperature epoxy glue

Integral cable : FEP covered 70  $\Omega$  coaxial cable, Ø 3.6 mm

Option : Stainless steel flexible protection tube

Note: The flexible protection tube is not leaktight and the heat-shrinkable

sleeve is splashproof only

Connector : Miniature coaxial male connector type AMP 1-330 723-0

N.B.: This should be hand-tightened only when connecting

#### **IQS 450 Signal Conditioner**

#### **OUTPUT CHARACTERISTICS**

Voltage output, 3-wire configuration

Voltage at min. GAP : -1.6 V
 Voltage at max. GAP : -17.6 V
 Dynamic range : 16 V
 Output impedance : 500 Ω
 Short-circuit current : 45 mA

Current output, 2-wire configuration

Current at min. GAP
 Current at max. GAP
 Dynamic range
 5 mA
 Output capacitance
 1 nF
 Output inductance
 1 100 μH

#### SUPPLY

Voltage output, 3-wire configuration

Voltage : -20 V to -32 V \*

• Current : 13 ± 1 mA (25 mA max.)

Current output, 2-wire configuration

Voltage : -20 V to -32 V \*
 Current : 15.5 to 20.5 mA

Supply input capacitance : 1 nF
Supply input inductance : 100 μH

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL CHARACTERISTICS**

Temperature range

• Operation : -30°C to +85°C '
• Storage : -40°C to +85°C

Humidity

Operation and storage : Max. 95% non condensing

Vibration

Operation and storage : 2 g peak between 10 Hz and 500 Hz

Protection class : IP 40

<sup>\*</sup> see section "Thermal Considerations" on page 8

#### PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Construction material : Injection moulded aluminium

#### **ELECTRICAL CONNECTIONS**

Input : Stainless steel coaxial female socket

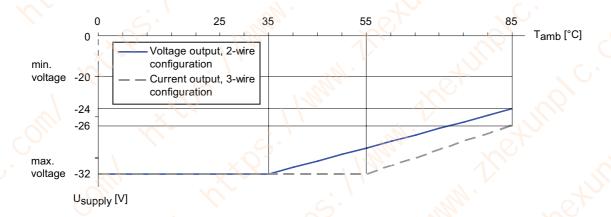
Output and power : Screw terminal strip

#### WEIGHT

Standard version : Approx. 140 g
Exi version : Approx. 220 g

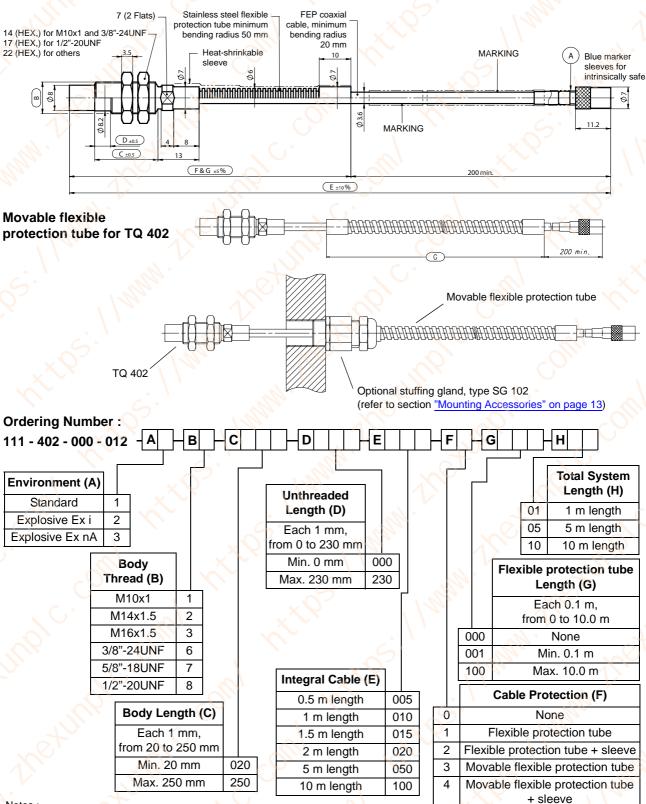
#### THERMAL CONSIDERATIONS

The IQS 450 signal conditioner will operate at ambient temperatures as high as 85°C, but to do so, it requires derating of the max. input voltage. The IQS 450 must operate between the min. supply voltage and the max. supply voltage, as shown on the following graph.



#### DIMENSIONS AND ORDERING INFORMATION

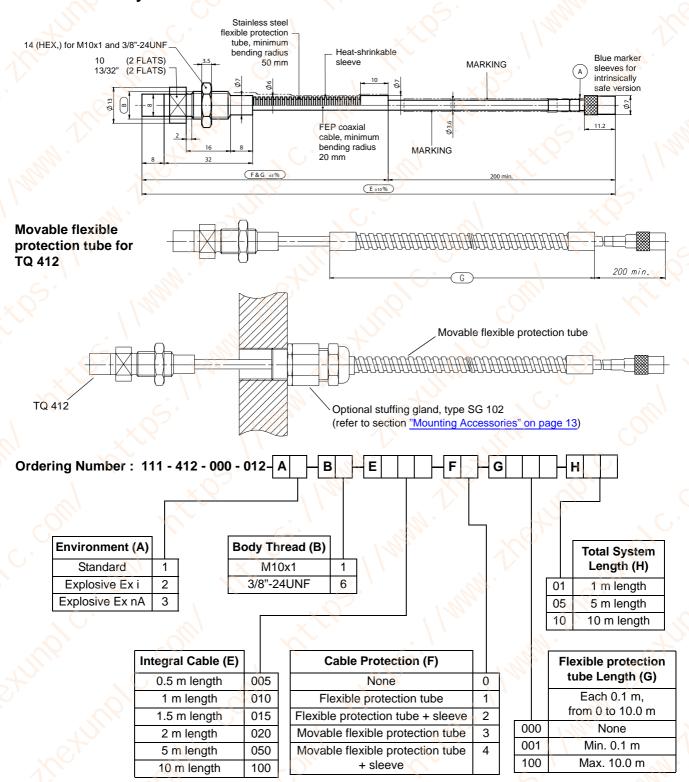
#### TQ 402 Proximity Transducer



- (1) All dimensions are in mm.
- (2) The total system length (dimension "H") is the sum of the lengths of integral and extension cable.
- (3) For details on cable length tolerances, please refer to the section "Total System Length (TSL)" on page 3.

#### **DIMENSIONS AND ORDERING INFORMATION** (Continued)

#### **TQ 412 Proximity Transducer**

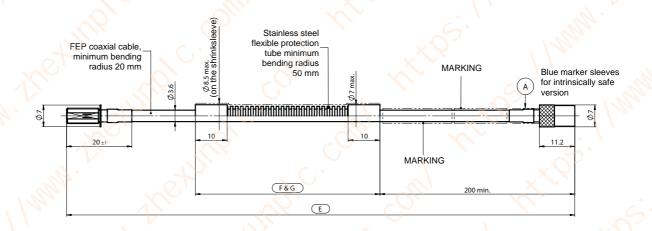


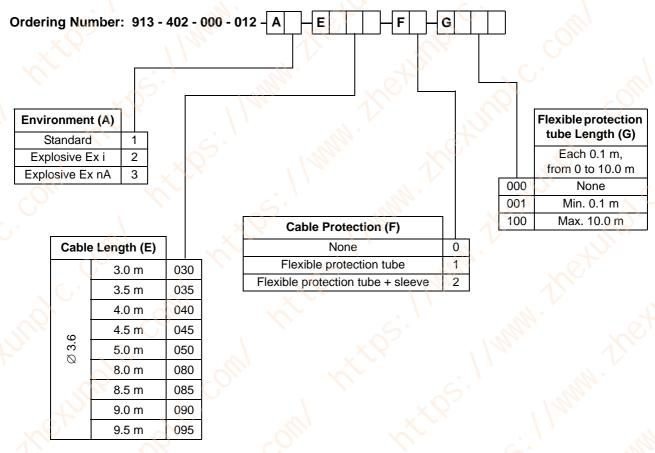
#### Notes:

- (1) All dimensions are in mm.
- (2) The total system length (dimension "H") is the sum of the lengths of the integral cable and the extension cable.
- (3) For details on cable length tolerances, please refer to the section "Total System Length (TSL)" on page 3.

#### **DIMENSIONS AND ORDERING INFORMATION (Continued)**

#### **EA 402 Extension Cable**



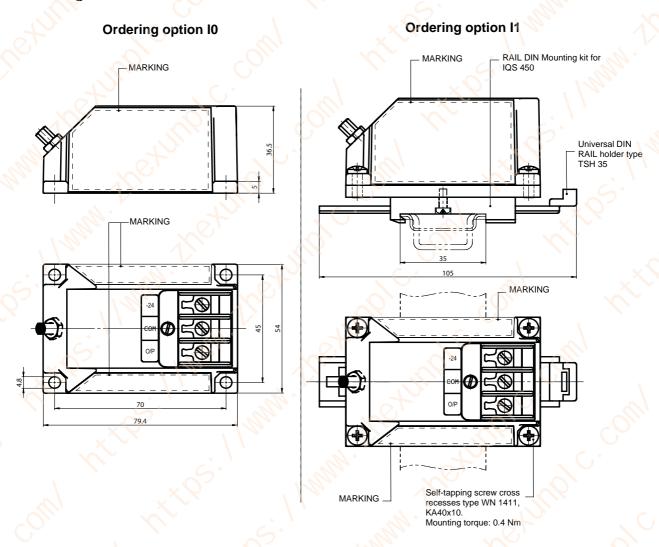


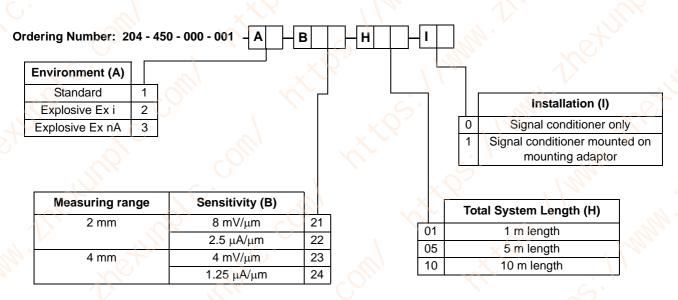
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#### **IQS 450 Signal Conditioner**



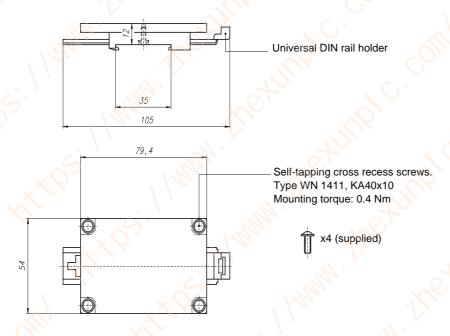


#### **MOUNTING ACCESSORIES**

JB 118	Junction box	: See corresponding data sheet
PA 151	Probe mounting adapter	: See corresponding data sheet
PA 152	Probe mounting adapter	: See corresponding data sheet
PA 153	Probe mounting adapter	: See corresponding data sheet
SG 102	Cable feedthrough	: See corresponding data sheet
ABA 15X	Industrial housing	: See corresponding data sheet
MA 130	Mounting adaptor	: See below

#### MA 130 mounting adaptor

#### Mechanical diagram



Ordering number : 809-130-000-011



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