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#### EchoMax XPS

##### Overview



EchoMax XPS transducers use ultrasonic technology to measure level in a wide range of liquids and solids.

##### Benefits

- Integral temperature compensation
- Low ringing effect reduces blanking distance
- Optional foam facing for dusty applications
- Self-cleaning and low-maintenance
- Chemically resistant
- Hermetically sealed

##### Application

XPS transducers can be fully immersed, are resistant to steam and corrosive chemicals, and can be installed without flanges.

The XPS series offers versions for various measuring ranges up to 30 m (100 ft) and up to a max. temperature of 95 °C (203 °F).

During operation, the EchoMax transducers emit acoustic pulses in a narrow beam. The level monitor measures the propagation time between pulse emission and its reflection (echo) to calculate the distance.

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**Technical specifications**

Input	XPS-10	XPS-15 (standard and F models)	XPS-30
Measuring range	0.3 ... 10 m (1 ... 33 ft)	<u>Standard:</u> 0.3 ... 15 m (1 ... 50 ft) <u>XPS-15F:</u> 0.45 ... 15 m (1.5 ... 50 ft)	0.6 ... 30 m (2 ... 100 ft)
<b>Output</b>			
Frequency	44 kHz	44 kHz	30 kHz
Beam angle	12°	6°	6°
<b>Environmental</b>			
Location	Indoors/outdoors		
Ambient temperature	-40 ... +95 °C (-40 ... +203 °F)	<u>XPS-15F:</u> -20 ... +95 °C (-4 ... +203 °F)	-40 ... +95 °C (-40 ... +203 °F)
Pollution degree	4		
Pressure	8 bar g (120 psi g) <u>Flanged:</u> 0.5 bar g (7.25 psi g)	8 bar g (120 psi g) <u>Flanged:</u> 0.5 bar g (7.25 psi g)	0.5 bar g (7.25 psi g) <u>Flanged:</u> 0.5 bar g (7.25 psi g)
<b>Design</b>			
Weight	0.8 kg (1.8 lb)	1.3 kg (2.8 lb) <u>Flanged:</u> 2 kg (4.4 lb)	4.3 kg (9.5 lb)
Power supply	Operation of transducer only with approved Siemens Milltronics controllers		
Material	<u>Standard:</u> PVDF <u>Flanged:</u> PVDF with CPVC flange <u>Option:</u> PTFE face with CPVC flange	<u>Standard:</u> PVDF <u>Flanged:</u> PVDF with CPVC flange <u>Option:</u> PTFE face with CPVC flange	<u>Standard:</u> PVDF <u>Flanged:</u> PVDF with CPVC flange <u>Option:</u> PTFE face with CPVC flange
Color	Blue	<u>Standard:</u> Blue <u>XPS-15F:</u> Gray	Blue
Process connection	1" NPT or 1" BSPT	<u>Standard:</u> 1" NPT or 1" BSPT <u>XPS-15F:</u> 1" NPT	1.5" universal thread (NPT or BSPT)
Degree of protection	IP66/68	IP66/68	IP66/68
Cable	2 wire twisted pair/braided and foil shielded 0.5 mm <sup>2</sup> (20 AWG) PVC jacket		
Separation	Max. 365 m (1 200 ft)		
<b>Certificates and approvals</b>	<u>Standard:</u> CE, CSA, FM, ATEX, IECEx	<u>Standard:</u> CE, CSA, FM, ATEX, IECEx <u>XPS-15F:</u> FM Class I, Div. 1, Groups A, B, C and D, Class II Div. 1, Groups E, F and G, Class III	CE, CSA, FM, ATEX, IECEx

1) EMC certificate available on request.