



# **MES 5 / VB5,**

## Measurement of SS, turbidity and sludge blanket

### **Applications**

- Treatment of urban waste water (Input / Network (SS, Turbidity) Aeration Tank (MES), Clarifier (Sludge Blanket), Outlet (Turbidity)).
- Industrial effluent treatment (Aeration Tank (SS), Decanter (Sludge Blanket), output (Turbidity))
- Sludge treatment channels.
- Monitoring of dredging sites ...



### **Optical Technology**

The measuring principle is based on the attenuation of the IR signal through an optical slot. The sensor delivers measurement in Sludge concentration (g / I), Turbidity (FAU) and Sludge blanket in % of IR transmission. For a best accuracy, the optical measurements are temperature controlled. For a measure of Suspended Solids, the sensor is calibrated directly on the material to be measured (sludge sample). In Turbidity mode, the sensor provides measurements over a range of 0-4000 FAU (Formazin Attenuation Unit) and it is calibrated with Formazin solutions. Temperature: optical measurement and control via CTN.

#### **ADVANTAGES**

- Optical sensor based on IR absorptiometry
- Measuring ranges: SS: 0-50 g / L, Sludge Blanket 0-100% Turbidity 0-4000 FAU
- Digital communication RS-485 Modbus / SDI-12
- Robust sensor



Technical specifications		
Measures Sludge concentration, Turbidity, Sludge blanket detection		
SS Measuring principle	Optical IR (870 nm) based on absorptiometry	
Measuring range	SS: 0-50 g / L Turbidity: 0-4000 FAU, Sludge blanket: 0-100% MES	
Resolution	SS: 0.01 g / L Turbidity: 0.01 to 1 FAU, sludge blanket: 0.01 to 0.1% sludge blanket	
Accuracy	SS : <10%; Turbidity: ±5% (range 200-4000 FAU); Sludge blanket: ±2%	
Response time	< 35 seconds	
Temperature Measurement		
Measuring principle T°C	NTC	
Operating temperature	-5.00 °C to + 60,00°C	
Resolution	0,01 ℃	
Accuracy	±0.5°C	
Storage temperature	-10°C to +60°C	
Protection	IP 68	
Interface signal	RS-485 Modbus or SDI-12	
Refresh speed measurement	Maximum < 1 second	
Sensor supply	5-28 volts	
Consumption	Standby: 25 µA (5V), RS485 Average (1 measure / second): 4.5 mA (power supply 5V), SDI-12 Average (1 measure / second): 4.5 mA (power supply 5V) Pulse current 100 mA during 30 mS, Warm up time: 100 mS	
Sensor		
Weight	750 g (sensor)	
Materials in contact with the environment	DELRIN	
Maximum pressure	5 bars	
Cable / connector	9 armored connectors, polyurethane sheath, bare wires or sealed metal Fischer connector	

#### References

Digital sensor MES5 Odeon Fisher plug 3m	PF-CAP-C-00276
	PF-CAP-C-00277
Digital sensor MES5 Odeon Fisher plug 15m	PF-CAP-C-00278
Digital sensor VB5 Odeon Fisher plug 3m	PF-CAP-C-00283
Digital sensor VB5 Odeon Fisher plug 7m	PF-CAP-C-00284
Digital sensor VB5 Odeon Fisher plug 15m	PF-CAP-C-00285

Digital sensor MES5 bare wires 3m	PF-CAP-C-00279
Digital sensor MES5 bare wires 7m	PF-CAP-C-00280
Digital sensor MES5 bare wires 15m	PF-CAP-C-00281
Digital sensor VB5 bare wires 3m	PF-CAP-C-00286
Digital sensor VB5 bare wires 7m	PF-CAP-C-00287
Digital sensor VB5 bare wires 15m	PF-CAP-C-00288

