

- For continuous level measurement of liquid and bulk-solid materials
- Direct mounting into containers, silos, vessels, basins, reservoirs, etc
- Variants with rope electrode or with coated electrode for aggressive and electrically conductive medium
- Possibility of linear measurements even in nonconductive and differently shaped vessels
- Variants for usage in explosive areas, high temperature performance
- Current (4 ... 20 mA) or voltage (0 ... 10 V) output



Capacitive level meters **EMKOCAP®** are designed for continuous level measurement of liquids, powders and bulk-solid materials in vessels, tanks, sumps, containers, silos, etc. EMKOCAP consists of the stainless steel housing with electronic module and the measuring electrode. The electronic part converts the capacity into the current signal (4 ... 20 mA) or voltage signal (0 ... 10 V). Sensitivity (SPAN) and initial capacity compensation (ZERO) can be fluently set.

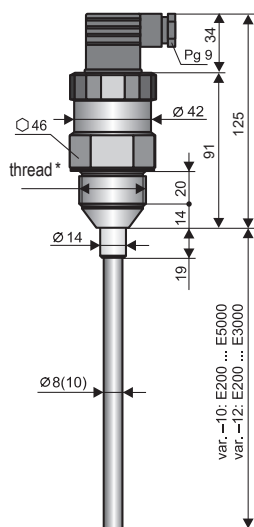
Level meters are produced in the following performances: **N** – for non-explosive areas, **NT** – high temperature for non-explosive areas, **Xi** – Explosion proof – intrinsically safe for hazardous (explosive) areas and **XiT** - high-temperature conf. for explosive environments. EMKOCAP are offered in variants with various types of process connection (thread, Tri-clamp).

VARIANTS OF SENSORS

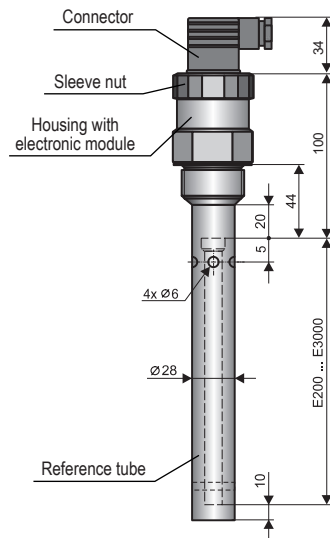
- **EMKOCAP-26_-10** With **uncoated rod electrode** for level measurement of non-conductive liquids (oils, diesel, petrol) and powder or bulk-solid materials (flour, sand, cement, plastic granulates, etc.). Electrode length from 0.2 m to 5 m (for materials with a low permittivity $\epsilon_r < 10$, the minimum electrode length is 0.5m).
- **EMKOCAP-26_-11** With **fully (PFA) coated rod electrode** suitable for surface level measurement of water and other electrically conductive liquids. Also suitable for polluted liquids in metallic storage tanks, concrete sumps, etc. Electrode length from 0.2 m to 3 m.
- **EMKOCAP-26_-12** With **fully (FEP) coated rod electrode** suitable for surface level measurement of water and other electrically conductive liquids. Also suitable for polluted liquids in metallic storage tanks, concrete sumps, etc. Electrode length from 0.2 m to 3 m.
- **EMKOCAP-26_-20** With **uncoated rod electrode and reference tube** for accurate level measurement of clean non-conductive liquids (oils, diesel, petrol). Electrode length from 0.2 m to 3 m.
- **EMKOCAP-26_-22** With **fully FEP coated rod electrode and reference tube** for surface level measurement of electrically conductive liquids, (e.g. in plastic or glass storage tanks) and where greater measurement accuracy is required. Electrode insulation from FEP material. Electrode length from 0.2 m to 3 m.
- **EMKOCAP-26_-30** With **uncoated stainless steel rope electrode and uncoated weight** for level measurement of bulk-solid materials (grains, sand, flour, cement, etc.) Shortened cable option. Electrode length from 1 m to 20 m.
- **EMKOCAP-26_-31** With **uncoated stainless steel rope electrode and coated dynamic anchorage** for level measurement of bulk-solid materials in higher silos. Electrode length from 1 m to 20 m.
- **EMKOCAP-26_-32** With **fully coated rope electrode and coated weight (rope insulation FEP, weight insulation PTFE)**, for level measurement of electrically conductive and non-conductive liquids. Electrode length from 1 m to 20 m.

DIMENSIONAL DRAWING

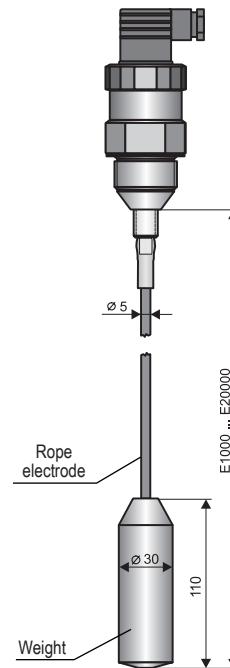
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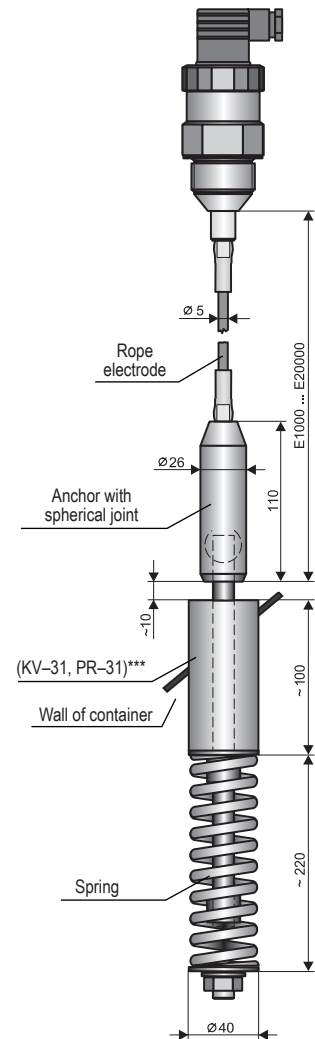
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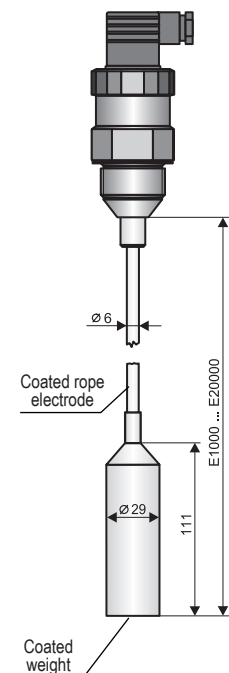
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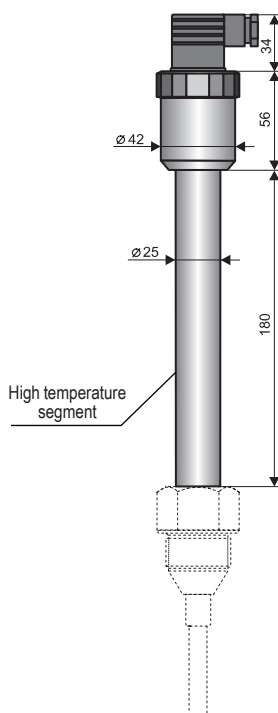
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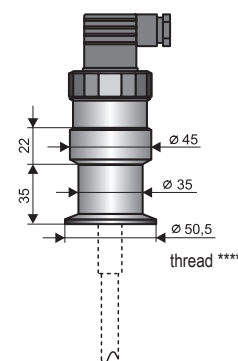
EMKOCAP-26_-32



High temperature variants
EMKOCAP-26_T



Housing with Tri-clamp
coupling



* type threads: M36x2; G 1"

** for materials with a low permittivity ($\epsilon_r < 10$) the minimum electrode length is E500.

*** Anchor welding cylinder KV-31 or Dust-tight bushing PR-31 (see accessories)

**** type of threads: Tri-Clamp CI50 (ϕ 50,5 mm)

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION (variants N, NT)		
Supply voltage	EMKOCAP – 26N(T)–__–__–I EMKOCAP – 26N(T)–__–__–U	9 ... 36 V DC 16 ... 36 V DC
Current output		4 ... 20 mA
Voltage output		0 ... 10 V *
Power consumption (off-load) EMKOCAP–26N(T)–__–__–U		approx. 8mA
Sensitivity ranges		20; 30; 50; 100; 150; 300; 500; 1000 pF
Initial capacity regulation ratio		min. 1:2
Nonlinearity		max. 1 %
Temperature error		max. 0,05% / K
Voltage error for current and voltage output		max. 0,3 µA/V and 0,1 mV/V
Internal resistance / Electric strength (Electrode – Housing)		1 MΩ / 250 V AC
Coupling capacity / Electric strength (Housing – Supply leads)		51 nF / 250 V AC
Protection class	standard Optional (Connector GAN-DADE 7A / DAEE 7A)	IP67 (Housing), IP65 (Connector) IP67
Maximal load (serial) resistance for current output (U = 24 V)		R _{max} = 750 Ω
Minimal load resistance for voltage output		R _{min} > 1 kΩ
Maximum tensile strength of the rope electrode		1400 kg
Recommended cable		PVC 2x0,75 mm ² (3x0,5 mm ²)
Weight (exclude electrode)	Version N, Xi Version NT, XiT	approx. 0,5kg approx. 1 kg

*) Upon request, a different type of output terminal can be produced (e.g. 0 - 5 V)

ELECTRICAL PARAMETERS (variants Xi, XiT)	
Supply voltage	9 ... 30 V DC
Max. internal values	U _i = 30 V DC; I _i = 132 mA; P _i = 0,99 W; C _i = 370 nF; L _i = 0,9 mH
Internal resistance / Electric strength (Electrode – Housing)	1 MΩ / 250 V AC
Coupling capacity / Electric strength (Housing – Supply leads)	26 nF / 500 V AC
Allowed temperature range in zone 0 (EN 50284)	-20 ... +60°C
Allowed pressure range in zone 0 (EN 50284)	0,08 ... 0,11 MPa

USED MATERIALS		
Sensor part	Variants	Standard material*
Housing	All types, except Tri-Clamp Tri-Clamp	St. Steel W. Nr. 1.4301 (AISI 304) St. Steel W.Nr. 1.4404 (AISI 316 L)
Insulating bushing	All types	PTFE
Electrode	EMKOCAP – 26_–10, 11, 12, 20, 22 EMKOCAP – 26_–30, 31, 32	St. Steel W.Nr. 1.4404 (AISI 316 L) St. Steel W.Nr. 1.4401 (AISI 316)
Electrode coating	EMKOCAP – 26_–12, 22, 32 EMKOCAP – 26_–11	FEP PFA
Weight insulation	EMKOCAP – 26_–32	PTFE
Weight / Anchor mechanism	EMKOCAP – 26_–30, 31, 32	St. Steel W. Nr. 1.4301 (AISI 304)
Reference tube	EMKOCAP – 26_–20, 22	St. Steel W. Nr. 1.4301 (AISI 304)

* It is always necessary to verify the chemical compatibility of the material with the measured medium. After agreement, another type of material can be selected.

PROCESS CONNECTION		
Type	Size	Marking
Metric thread	M36x2	M
Pipe thread	G 1"	G
Jointless connection (Tri-Clamp)	ø 50,5 mm	CI50

WORKING AREAS AND AREA CLASSIFICATION (EN 60079-0, EN 60079-10-1(2))

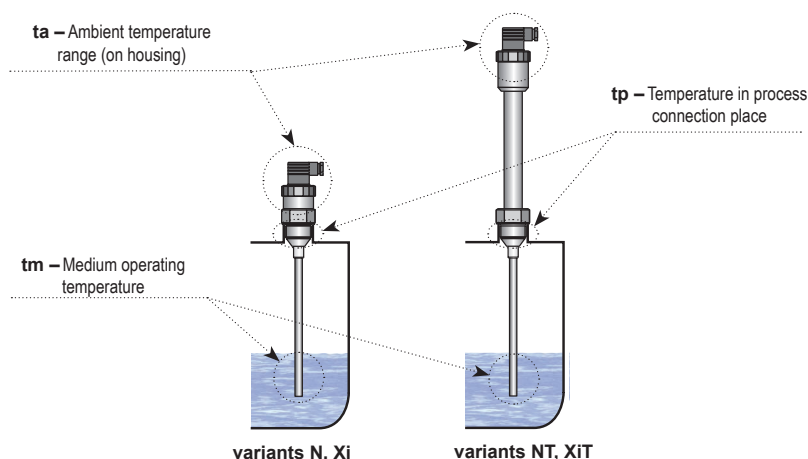
EMKOCAP – 26N	Basic performance for non-explosive atmospheres.
EMKOCAP – 26NT	High-temperature basic performance for non-explosive atmospheres.
EMKOCAP – 26Xi (10, 20, 30, 31)	Intrinsically safe explosion-proof performance for use in hazardous areas (explosive gas atmospheres or explosive atmospheres with dust) Ⓜ II 1 G Ex ia IIB T5 Ga; Ⓜ II 1 D Ex ia IIIC T83°C Da with a spark-secure power supply unit, the whole sensor zone 0 and 20.
EMKOCAP – 26Xi (11, 12, 22, 32)	Intrinsically safe explosion-proof performance for use in hazardous areas (explosive gas atmospheres) Ⓜ II 1 G Ex ia IIB T5 Ga with a spark-secure power supply unit, the whole sensor zone 0 and 20.
EMKOCAP – 26XiT (10, 20, 30, 31)	Intrinsically safe high-temperature explosion-proof performance for use in hazardous areas (explosive gas atmospheres or explosive atmospheres with dust) Ⓜ II 1/2 G Ex ia IIB T5 Ga/Gb; Ⓜ II 1/2 D Ex ia IIIC T83°C Da/Db with a spark-secure power supply unit, electrode part zone 0 and 20, head zone 1 and 21.
EMKOCAP – 26XiT (11, 12, 22, 32)	Intrinsically safe high-temperature explosion-proof performance for use in hazardous areas (explosive gas atmospheres) Ⓜ II 1/2 G Ex ia IIB T5 Ga/Gb with a spark-secure power supply unit, electrode part zone 0 and 20, head zone 1 and 21.

TEMPERATURE DURABILITY

Variants / Performance	temperature tm	temperature tp	temperature ta
EMKOCAP–26N–10, 20	-40°C ... +300°C	-40°C ... +85°C	-40°C ... +85°C
EMKOCAP–26N–11, 12, 22	-40°C ... +200°C	-40°C ... +85°C	-40°C ... +85°C
EMKOCAP–26N–30	-40°C ... +200°C	-40°C ... +85°C	-40°C ... +85°C
EMKOCAP–26N–31 (incl. PR–31)	-40°C ... +130°C	-40°C ... +85°C	-40°C ... +85°C
EMKOCAP–26N–31 (incl. KV–31)	-40°C ... +250°C	-40°C ... +85°C	-40°C ... +85°C
EMKOCAP–26N–32	-40°C ... +130°C	-40°C ... +85°C	-40°C ... +85°C
EMKOCAP–26Xi–10, 20	-40°C ... +200°C	-40°C ... +75°C	-40°C ... +75°C
EMKOCAP–26Xi–11, 12, 22	-40°C ... +120°C	-40°C ... +75°C	-40°C ... +75°C
EMKOCAP–26Xi–30	-40°C ... +105°C	-40°C ... +75°C	-40°C ... +75°C
EMKOCAP–26Xi–31 (incl. PR–31)	-40°C ... +105°C	-40°C ... +75°C	-40°C ... +75°C
EMKOCAP–26Xi–31 (incl. KV–31)	-40°C ... +105°C	-40°C ... +75°C	-40°C ... +75°C
EMKOCAP–26Xi–32	-40°C ... +105°C	-40°C ... +75°C	-40°C ... +75°C
EMKOCAP–26NT–10, 20	-40°C ... +300°C	-40°C ... +200°C	-40°C ... +85°C
EMKOCAP–26NT–11, 12, 22	-40°C ... +200°C	-40°C ... +200°C	-40°C ... +85°C
EMKOCAP–26NT–30	-40°C ... +250°C	-40°C ... +130°C	-40°C ... +85°C
EMKOCAP–26NT–31 (incl. PR–31)	-40°C ... +130°C	-40°C ... +130°C	-40°C ... +85°C
EMKOCAP–26NT–31 (incl. KV–31)	-40°C ... +250°C	-40°C ... +130°C	-40°C ... +85°C
EMKOCAP–26NT–32	-40°C ... +130°C	-40°C ... +130°C	-40°C ... +85°C
EMKOCAP–26XiT–10, 20	-40°C ... +200°C	-40°C ... +200°C	-40°C ... +75°C
EMKOCAP–26XiT–11, 12, 22	-40°C ... +120°C	-40°C ... +200°C	-40°C ... +75°C
EMKOCAP–26XiT–30	-40°C ... +250°C	-40°C ... +130°C	-40°C ... +75°C
EMKOCAP–26XiT–31 (incl. PR–31)	-40°C ... +130°C	-40°C ... +130°C	-40°C ... +75°C
EMKOCAP–26XiT–31 (incl. KV–31)	-40°C ... +250°C	-40°C ... +130°C	-40°C ... +75°C
EMKOCAP–26XiT–32	-40°C ... +130°C	-40°C ... +130°C	-40°C ... +75°C

Note: For correct function of the level meter must not be exceeded any of the temperature range (tp, tm or ta)

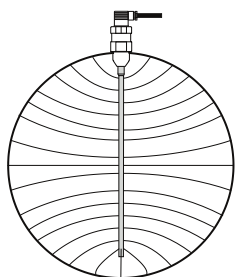
1) The temperatures are clearly explained on Fig.



PRESSURE DURABILITY

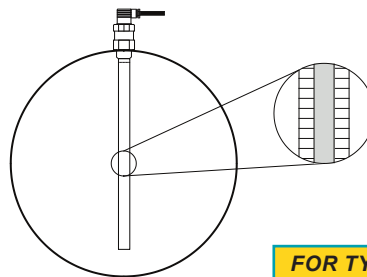
Variants / Performance	Maximal operation pressure for temperature tp				
	Up to 30°C	Up to 85°C	Up to 130°C	Up to 160°C	Up to 200°C
EMKOCA2-26N-10, 20	7 MPa	5 MPa	–	–	–
EMKOCAP-26N-11, 12, 22	4 MPa	2 MPa	–	–	–
EMKOCAP-26N-30	7 MPa	5 MPa	–	–	–
EMKOCAP-26N-31	–	–	–	–	–
EMKOCAP-26N-32	1 MPa	0,5 MPa	–	–	–
EMKOCAP-26Xi-10, 20	7 MPa	5 MPa	–	–	–
EMKOCAP-26Xi-11, 12, 22	4 MPa	2 MPa	–	–	–
EMKOCAP-26Xi-30	7 MPa	5 MPa	–	–	–
EMKOCAP-26Xi-31	–	–	–	–	–
EMKOCAP-26Xi-32	1 MPa	0,5 MPa	–	–	–
EMKOCA2-26NT-10, 20	7 MPa	5 MPa	3 MPa	2 MPa	1 MPa
EMKOCAP-26NT-11, 12, 22	6 MPa	4 MPa	2 MPa	1,5 MPa	0,3 MPa
EMKOCAP-26NT-30	7 MPa	5 MPa	3 MPa	–	–
EMKOCAP-26NT-31	–	–	–	–	–
EMKOCAP-26NT-32	1 MPa	0,5 MPa	0,1 MPa	–	–
EMKOCAP-26XiT-10, 20	7 MPa	5 MPa	3 MPa	2 MPa	1 MPa
EMKOCAP-26XiT-11, 12, 22	6 MPa	4 MPa	2 MPa	1,5 MPa	0,3 MPa
EMKOCAP-26XiT-30	7 MPa	5 MPa	3 MPa	–	–
EMKOCAP-26XiT-31	–	–	–	–	–
EMKOCAP-26XiT-32	1 MPa	0,5 MPa	0,1 MPa	–	–

INFLUENCE OF THE TANK SHAPE ON A LINEARITY OF MEASUREMENT



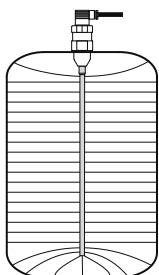
In a curved tanks (most frequently horizontal cylinder) capacity change during measuring of electrically non-conductive material is non-linear.

**FOR TYPE: EMKOCAP-26-10, 11, 12
EMKOCAP-26_-30, 31, 32**



Linearity is done by reference tube (EMKOCAP – 26_-20, 22).

FOR TYPE: EMKOCAP-26_-20, 22



In the tank with straight wall (for example vertical cylinder) and with the sensor placed parallelly with the wall capacity change is linear.

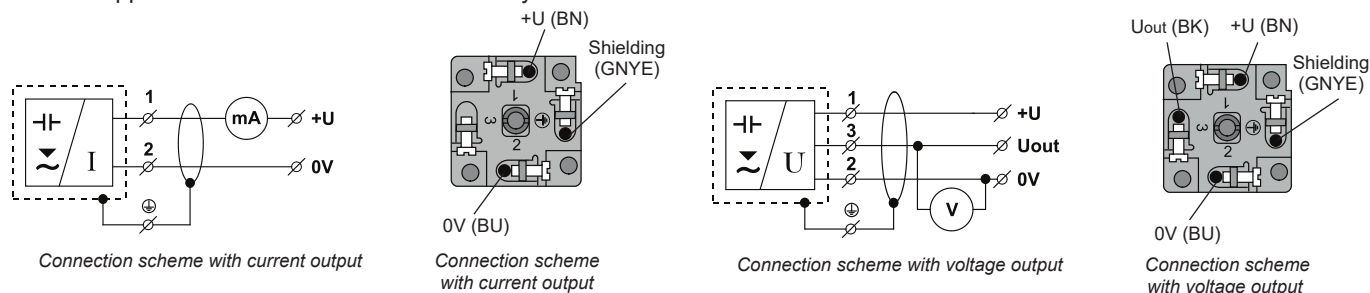
FOR TYPE: all types

RANGE OF APPLICATION

Capacitive level meters are suitable for continuous level measurement of liquid and bulk-solid materials. CLMs are resistant to any changes in the atmosphere above the surface (vacuum, pressure, vapours, dust).

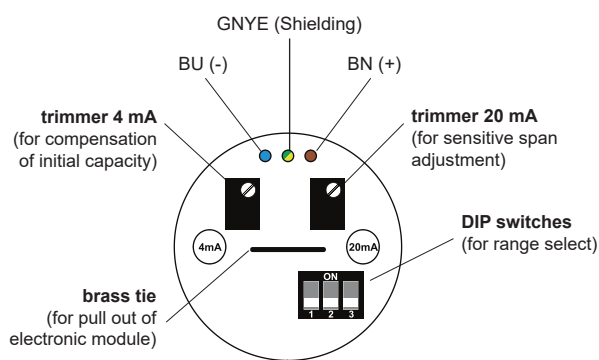
ELECTRICAL CONNECTION

The level meter is designed to be connected to supply unit or to controller through a cable with the outer diameter of $6 \div 8$ mm (recommended cross-section of cores $0.5 \div 0.75$ mm²) by means of connector which is standard part of EMKOCAP level meter. The diagram and the inside view of the connector are shown in the figures. Disassemblable connector IP67 with a 5m long PVC cable can be supplied as an above-standard accessory.

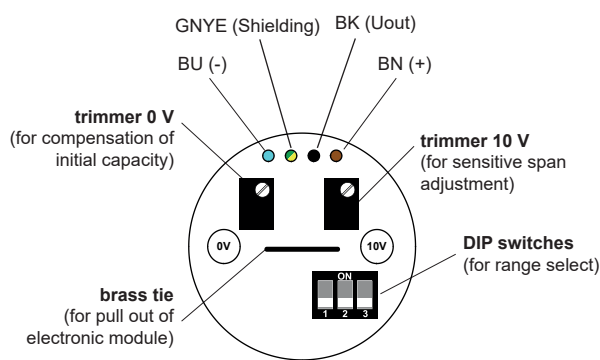


SETTINGS

The adjustment of level meter is by DIP switches and two trimmers 4 mA and 20 mA (to set min. and max. level). These adjustment elements are placed under outlet nut of level meter. For detailed information please read at the instructions.



The top view on the internal electronic module with current output (variant –I)



The top view on the internal electronic module with voltage output (variant –U)

Legend:

GNYE – green-yellow BK – black
BN – brown BU – blue

ORDER CODE

PRODUCT

EMKOCAP-26

PERFORMANCE

N	non-explosive areas
NT	high temperature performance
Xi	 for explosive environments
XiT	 high-temperature conf. for explosive environments

TYPE AND PERFORMANCE OF ELECTRODE

10	uncoated St. steel rod electrode, length 0,2 / 0,5 ... 5 m
11	fully coated St. steel rod electrode (PFA), length 0,2 ... 3 m
12	fully coated St. steel rod electrode (FEP), length 0,2 ... 3 m
20	uncoated St. steel rod electrode with reference tube, length 0,2 ... 3 m
22	coated St. steel rod electrode with reference tube (FEP), length 0,2 ... 3 m
30	uncoated St. steel rope electrode, length 1 ... 20 m
31	uncoated St. steel rope electrode with anchor, length 1 ... 20 m
32	suspension electrode with insulated cable (FEP) and insulated ballast (PTFE), length 1 ... 20 m

PROCESS CONNECTION

M	thread M36x2
G1	thread G1"
CI50	Tri-clamp (ø 50,5 mm)

OUTPUT TYPE

I	current (4 ... 20 mA)
U	voltage (0 ... 10 V)

LENGTH OF ELECTRODE

E	electrode length in mm
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EMKOCAP-26 N - 10 - G1 - I - E1000

EXAMPLE OF CODING

CORRECT SPECIFICATION EXAMPLES

EMKOCAP-26N-10-G1-I E1000

(N) normal (for non-explosive areas); (10) uncoated St. steel rod electrode; (G1) process connection thread G1"; (I) current (4 ... 20 mA); (E1000) length electrode 1000 mm

EMKOCAP-26XiT-30-G1-I E9750

(XiT) high-temperature conf. for explosive environments; (30) uncoated St. steel rope electrode; (G1) process connection thread G1"; (I) current (4 ... 20 mA); (E9750) length electrode 9750 mm.

ACCESSORIES

standard (included in the level meter price)

- 1x of seal, other seals are on request (PTFE, Al, etc.) *
- 1x connector socket
- 1x screwdriver for adjustment (each 5 pcs)

optional – for a surcharge (see catalogue sheet of accessories)

- Connector with protection class IP67 (GAN-DADE 7A) with 5 m cable (current output)
- Connector with protection class IP67 (GAN-DAAE 7A) with 5 m cable (voltage output)
- Steel welding flange ON-36x2
- St. steel welding flange NN-36x2
- St. steel fixing nut UM-36x2
- Anchor welding cylinder KV-31 (only EMKOCAP-26-31)
- Dust-tight bushing PR-31(only EMKOCAP-26-31)

* Pressure resistance - see the table in the accessories datasheet in the "seals and gaskets".

SAFETY, PROTECTIONS, COMPATIBILITY AND EXPLOSION PROOF

Level meter is equipped with protection against electric shock on the electrode, reverse polarity, output current overload, short circuit and against current overload on output.

Protection against dangerous contact is provided by low safety voltage according to 33 2000-4-41. Electromagnetic compatibility is provided by conformity with standards EN 55022 / B, EN 61326-1, EN 61000-4-2 to -6.

Explosion proof EMKOCAP-26Xi(XiT) is provided by conformity with standards EN 60079-0:2013+A11:2014, EN 60079-11:2012.

Explosion proof EMKOCAP-26Xi(XiT) is verified FTZÚ – AO 210 Ostrava – Radvanice: FTZÚ 02 ATEX 0235X.

A declaration of conformity was issued for this device in the wording of Act No. 90/2016 Coll., as amended. Supplied electrical equipment matches the requirements of valid European directives for safety and electromagnetic compatibility.

Special conditions for safe use of variants EMKOCAP-26Xi

If the apparatus is used as device of Group II and with using of an approved power supply device, which output parameters comply with required input parameters, it is necessary to have an galvanic separation.

When used in zone 0 the present explosive atmosphere of air mixture and gases, vapours of mists must comply with: $-40^{\circ}\text{C} \leq T_{\text{amb}} \leq 60^{\circ}\text{C}$; $0,08 \text{ Mpa} \leq p \leq 0,11 \text{ Mpa}$.

Design EMKOCAP-26Xi can be used in zone 0 or zone 20. With design EMKOCAP-26XiT can be used in zone 0 and zone 20 only electrode part an head with electronics can be used only in zone 1 or zone 21.

Ambient temperature: $T_{\text{amb}} = -40^{\circ}\text{C}$ to $+75^{\circ}\text{C}$

Temperature of measured medium according to design variant:

bar non-insulated electrode -40°C to $+200^{\circ}\text{C}$

bar insulated electrode -40°C to $+120^{\circ}\text{C}$

cable with insulated cable -40°C to $+105^{\circ}\text{C}$

Maximum temperature of electrodes is equal to temperature of measured medium.

Maximum input parameters: $U_i = 30 \text{ V}$; $I_i = 132 \text{ mA}$; $P_i = 0,99 \text{ W}$; $C_i = 370 \text{ nF}$; $L_i = 0,9 \text{ mH}$