Measurement made easy

Flow metering solutions for Continuous Emissions Monitoring (CEMS)



Continuous measurement

 provides continuous, in-stack measurement of volume / mass flowrate and velocity

MCERTS approved

- meets the requirements of EN 14181 and EN 15267-3

Manual and automatic versions

- simple system for basic applications
- optional meter purging and automatic zero / span

Complete CEMS package available

 ABB can combine with analyzer system to offer a complete CEMS package

Optional purging feature

for solids contamination levels up to 300 mg/m³

Suitable for wide range of stack sizes and gas temperatures

- for stacks from 1 to 8 m (3.3 to 26.25 ft.) diameter and gas temperatures up to 1200 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ (2192 $^{\circ}\text{F})$

Introduction

The FPD580 series is a range of stack gas flow metering solutions that, when combined with a CEMS analyzer, forms a complete CEMS package for the measurement of mass flowrate of pollutants into the environment. The FPD580 is based on the Torbar multi-port self-averaging pitot flow meter, thousands of which have been installed into a large variety of industries world-wide over many years.

Torbar

The Torbar probe within the FPD580 series produces an averaged differential pressure (DP) signal proportional to the square of the flow rate or velocity. The DP output is fed to a multi-variable transmitter that generates an electrical signal proportional to the flow rate, compensated for pressure and temperature. The outer impact tube has a number of pressure-sensing holes facing upstream that are positioned at equal annular points across the stack diameter, in accordance with a log-linear distribution. The 'total pressures' developed at each upstream hole by the sum of the impact of the flowing medium and the static pressure are first averaged within the outer impact tube and then averaged to a second, more accurate order within the internal averaging tube. This pressure is represented at the head as the high pressure component of the DP output. The low pressure component is generated from a single sensing hole located on the downstream side of the outer impact tube, that measures the static pressure within the stack.

The Torbar is an improvement on the round sensor design due to the unique profiled flats that are positioned around the downstream hole in order to define the point at which the flow lines separate as the stack gasses pass around the outer impact tube. This feature creates a stable pressure area at the downstream pressure sensing hole, maintaining a constant flow coefficient at high velocities enabling a very wide range of flow measurement (turndown).

Each probe is designed to measure across the complete diameter of the stack. For larger diameters the probe is supplied in 2 pieces that are joined on-site using a flanged centre coupling. This approach simplifies transportation, handling and installation.

The probes are supplied in a variety of materials and are designed for attachment to the stack via a range of flanged mountings. The mountings are available from ABB (if required), or an existing fitting on the stack or a fitting supplied by the customer can be used. Larger stacks typically require a flanged fitting on both sides of the stack (end-supported) for mechanical stability and to prevent probe resonance that reduces product life. ABB's sizing program checks automatically for resonance issues and warns when they may be present, enabling selection of an end-supported variant to be made. For combinations of high temperature and long insertion lengths, the probe is designed to lock into the end support to reduce the risk of distortion of the probe material.

Interface units

In many applications an interface unit must be installed between the Torbar and the DCS. Two basic (manual) types of interface unit are available that perform one or more of the following functions:

- send outputs to the DCS (to both those required by legislation and those needed by the user)
- enable regulatory tests to be carried out without having to climb the stack
- enable the DCS to send instructions to the system for testing or purging

An automatic interface unit is also available with the following options:

probe purging (to clear sensing port blockages)

or

- automatic zero and span checks (for regulatory compliance)

or

both purging and automatic zero / span check.

The interface unit can be provided with an optional heater to avoid condensation issues when operating in low ambient temperatures.

Product variants

The FPD580 series comprises 3 versions:

FPD581 manual control system

- for the supply of systems that do not require MCERTS or purging or auto zero / span facilities
- for replacement or spare metering probes

FPD583 manual control system

- a self-contained flow metering system
- supplied with MCERTS interface unit
- for applications where blockage of the probe metering ports is not expected



Fig. 1: FPD581 sensor to work with remote transmitter (transmitter not shown)



Fig. 2: Typical stack gas flow probe with StackFlowMaster FPD583 Type A interface unit

FPD585 automatic control system

- with optional manual / automatic meter purging for particle densities of 30 to 300 mg/m³ (for concentrations above 300 mg/m³, contact ABB)
- the purge duration and frequency is programmable to keep the Torbar sensing holes clear of contaminants
- optional automatic system zero / span check
- optional MCERTS (future option)



Fig. 3: FPD585 sensor with purge interface unit

System summary

Model	Description	Interface unit type	Purge	Zero / Span check	Transmitter	MCERTS	Temperature
			(30 to 300 mg/m ³)				element
FPD581	standard system	None	No	No	Optional	No	Optional
FPD583	MCERTS system	MCERTS 'Manual A'	No	No	Yes	Optional	Optional
FPD585	automated metering system	Automatic-B	No	Yes *	Yes	Optional	Optional
		Automatic-C	Yes	Yes *	Yes	(future)	
		Automatic-D	Yes	No	Yes		

^{*} Manual (standard) or Automatic (optional)

Installation and location

Recommended upstream distances

Correct location of the measuring probe in the stack is important in order to optimize performance. Flow that is disturbed by upstream fittings such as valves / dampers, bends and may have an adverse effect on accuracy unless the measuring probe is located at least 8 stack diameters after any such fittings. Minor fittings such as extractive sampling probes (for gas analysis) may be within this distance, providing they are no closer than 3 stack diameters from the probe. If the probe is fitted within distances less than those recommended, the absolute accuracy may be downgraded but repeatability of measurement is still excellent due to the probe's inherent averaging characteristics. Where it is not possible to provide the specified distances and maximum accuracy is required, the use of a flow straightening spool piece enables shorter distances.

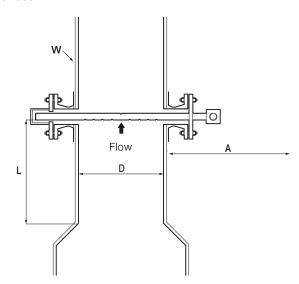


Fig. 4: Installation requirements

Key:

= Stack internal diameter (diameter of flow path)

Stack wall thickness (including any refractory lining) W

Available access

Note. Care should be taken when the stack is surrounded by a wind shield

= Upstream straight length

Orientation in stack

The measuring probe must be installed at right angles to the stack and across the stack diameter within the tolerances shown in Fig. 5.

Before installation or removal of a measuring probe it is imperative that careful reference is made to the appropriate installation instructions that are supplied with each shipment. The installation instructions are also available separately on request.

Caution. A vibrating stack can distort the output signal and affect the structural limits of the measuring probe.

Warning. Refer to the instruction manual before installing any FPD580-series.

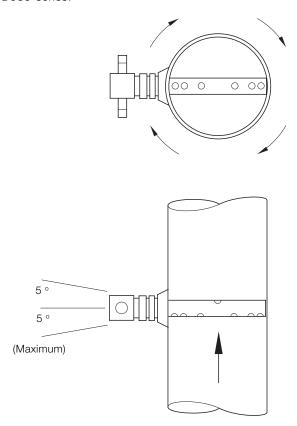


Fig. 5: Orientation

Specification - probe

Diameter

25 mm (1 in.) or 60 mm (2.36 in.)

Insertion length

1 to 8 meters (3.3 to 26.25 ft.)

Construction

- Single piece
- 2-piece with centre coupling for unsupported lengths
 ≥5 m (16.4 ft.) (optional)
- Bayonet-style lock within end support for large stacks at high temperatures (optional)

Mounting

- Flanged fittings (single or end-supported) supplied by ABB or customer
- PN10 RF in sizes DN 40, DN 50, DN80, DN 100 and DN 150
- ASME 150 lb RF in sizes 11/2, 2, 3, 4, 6 in. NB

Temperature measurement

Optional, via integral RTD or remote thermocouple (for stack temperatures >600 °C [1112 °F])

Fluid velocity

Up to 50 m/s (3 to 35 m/s for MCERTS approved systems)

Process fluid

Combustion gases

(details of the gas composition are required by ABB for sizing)

Process temperature limits

316L and 321H stainless steel probes

550 °C (1022 °F)

700 °C (1292 °F) with bayonet fitting option

UNS N06625 Gr.2 probe

- 900 °C (1652 °F)
- 1200 °C (2192 °F) *

With remote transmitter

As above, depending on probe material

With integral transmitter

180 °C (356 °F)

Process pressure limits

Up to pressure rating of mounting flange at operating/design temperature

Construction materials

Probe

- 316L stainless steel
- 321H stainless steel
- UNS N06625 Gr.2

Mountings

- Carbon steel
- A105 carbon steel
- 316L stainless steel
- 321H stainless steel
- UNS N06625 Gr.2

Nuts and bolts

- ASTM A193 B7 / ASTM A194 2H
- ASTM A193 8M / ASTM A194 8MA

Gaskets

- Asbestos-free
- Spiral wound 316 stainless steel (optional)

^{*} possible but with limited probe life

Specification - transmitter

Type

ABB multivariable transmitter type 267CS

Measuring range & span limits

Sensor	Upper range limit	Lower range limit	Minimum span			
code	(URL)	(LRL)				
A	1 kPa	0	0.05 kPa			
	10 mbar		0.5 mbar			
	4 in. H ₂ O		0.2 in. H ₂ O			
С	6 kPa	0	0.2 kPa			
	60 mbar		2 mbar			
	24 in. H ₂ O		0.8 in. H ₂ O			

Display

LCD display, plug-in and rotatable with optional back-lighting

Communications

- HART digital communication and 4 to 20 mA
- Modbus RS485

Electrical connections

- 1/2 to14 NPT
- $-M20 \times 1.5$

Electrical certification and hazardous atmospheres (FPD581 & FPD583 only)

Note. All interface units must be installed in safe area

- ATEX Ex ia, ATEX EEx d or ATEX Ex nL (upon application)
- UL (future)
- Factory Mutual (FM) intrinsically safe (future)
- Factory Mutual (FM) explosion-proof (future)
- Canadian Standard Association explosion-proof (future)

Construction materials

Process isolating diaphragms

Hastelloy™ C276

Process flange, adapter, plugs and drain/vent valves

Stainless steel

Sensor fill fluid

Silicone oil

Sensor housing

Stainless steel

Mounting bracket

Stainless steel

Gaskets

PTFE

Nuts and bolts

Stainless steel class A4-70 according to ISO 3506, conforming

to NACE MR0175 Class II

Electronics housing and cover

- Aluminum alloy with low copper content
- Baked epoxy finish
- Stainless steel

Cover O-rings

Viton™

Specification - interface unit

FPD583 MCERTS manual system

Protection

IP65 (NEMA 4) rated. Not suitable for use in hazardous area **Electrical connection**

Via 3 x M20 plastic cable glands

Thermostatic internal heater (optional)

Power supply:

- 90 (min.) to 264 V (max.)
- 100 to 240 V AC ±10 %, 50 / 60 Hz

Housing construction

Epoxy painted steel

FPD585 automatic system

Protection

IP65 (NEMA 4) rated - not suitable for use in hazardous area

Process connections

1/2 in. BSP stainless steel

Supply air connection

1/2 in. BSP stainless steel

Electrical connection

Via 4 x M20 plastic cable glands

Thermostatic internal heater (optional)

Power supply:

- 90 (min.) to 264 V (max.)
- 100 to 240 V AC ±10 %, 50 / 60 Hz

Ambient temperature

-20 to 50 °C (-4 to 122 °F) - below 0 °C requires heater option

Air supply

Max. 6 barg (87 psig)

Display

89 mm (3.5 in.) color TFT, 1/4 VGA (320 x 240 pixels)

Display backlight

White LED

Operator switches

6 keys accessible without opening the front door

Power supply

- 90 (min.) to 264 V (max.)
- 100 to 240 V AC ±10 %, 50/60 Hz

Measured components

- Operating pressure
- Operating temperature (optional)
- Differential pressure

Calculated components

- Mass flowrate
- Volumetric flowrate
- Velocity

Digital inputs / outputs

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Input Functions

- Remote purge activation
- Remote zero check
- Remote span check

Output functions

- Out of service
- Purge in process
- Zero check in process
- Span check in process
- Zero check alarm
- Span check alarm

Analog outputs

Up to 4 with retransmission of pressure, temperature, DP and flow

Type

Programmable, 4 to 20 mA

Housing construction

Epoxy painted steel

Measurement performance System accuracy

±2 %

Repeatability

 \leq 2 % of measuring range

Drift

< 0.5 % of measuring range

Data logging parameters

- Temperature
- Operating pressure
- Differential pressure
- Velocity
- Mass flow

Data storage and retrieval

Internal - SD interface

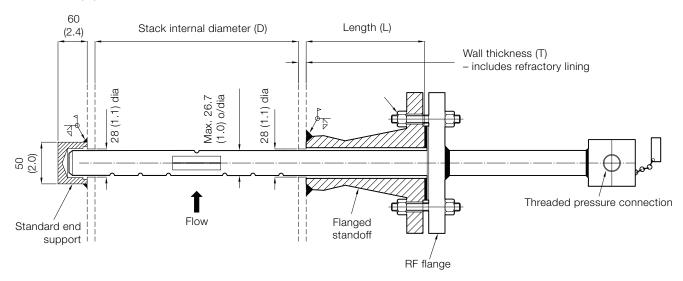
Sampling frequency

1 to 180 seconds, fully-adjustable

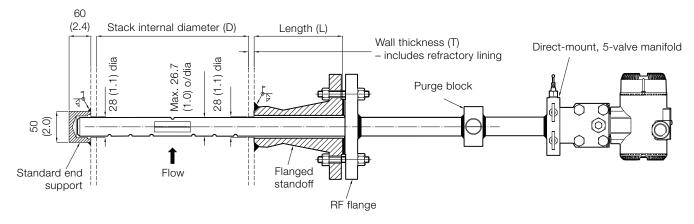
Dimensions

Probe – 25 mm (1.0 in.) diameter with weldcup end support (for remote transmitter)

Dimensions in mm (in.)

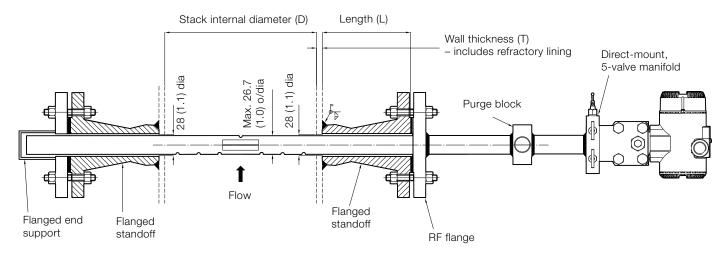


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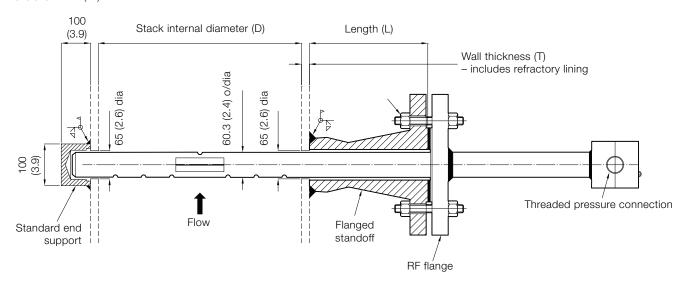


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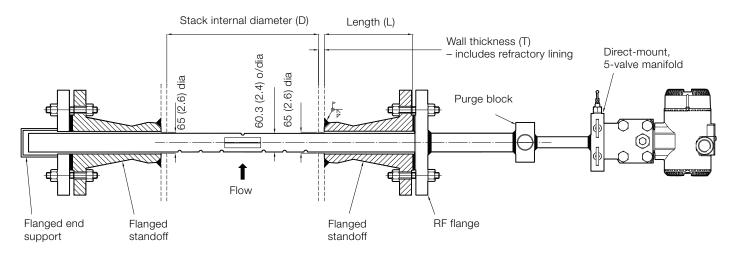


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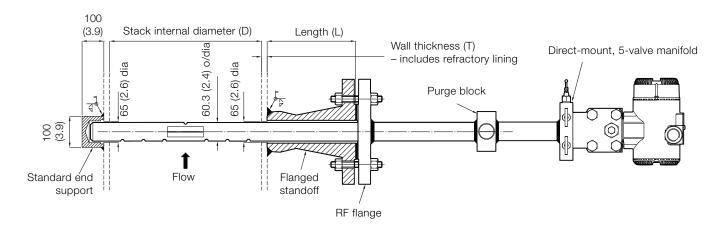


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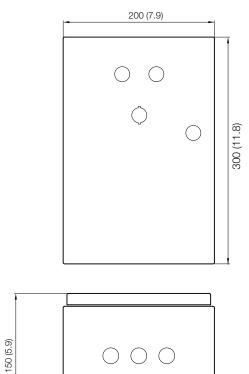


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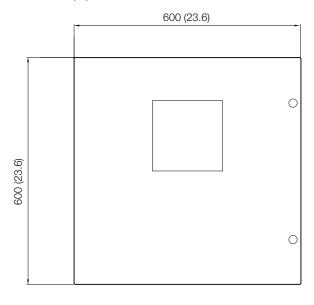


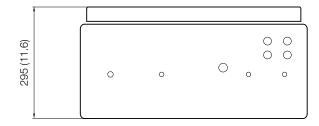
FPD583 manual interface unit

Dimensions in mm (in.)



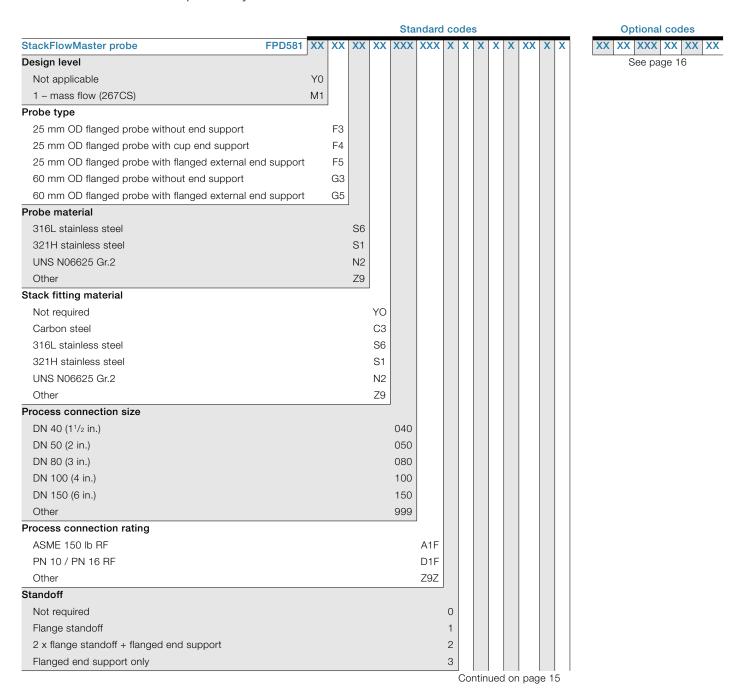
FPD585 automatic interface unit

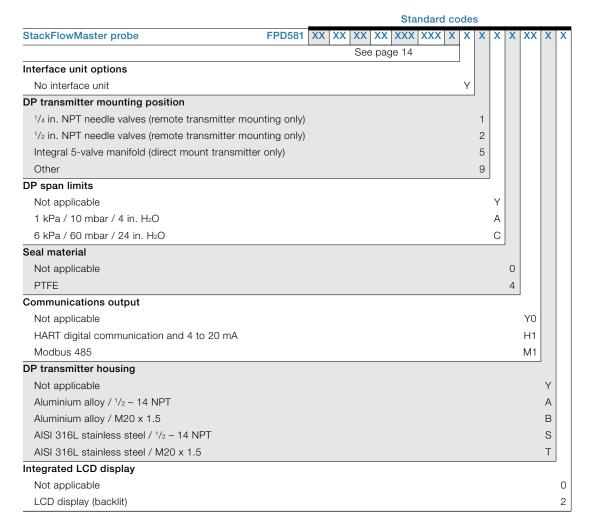




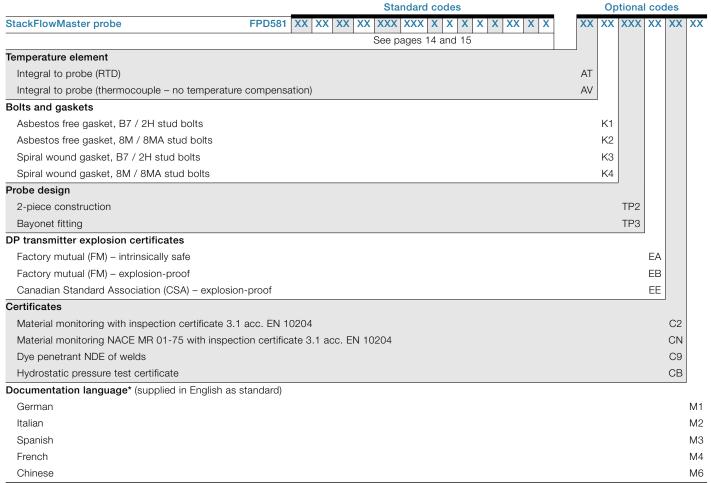
Ordering information

StackFlowMaster FPD581 - probe only









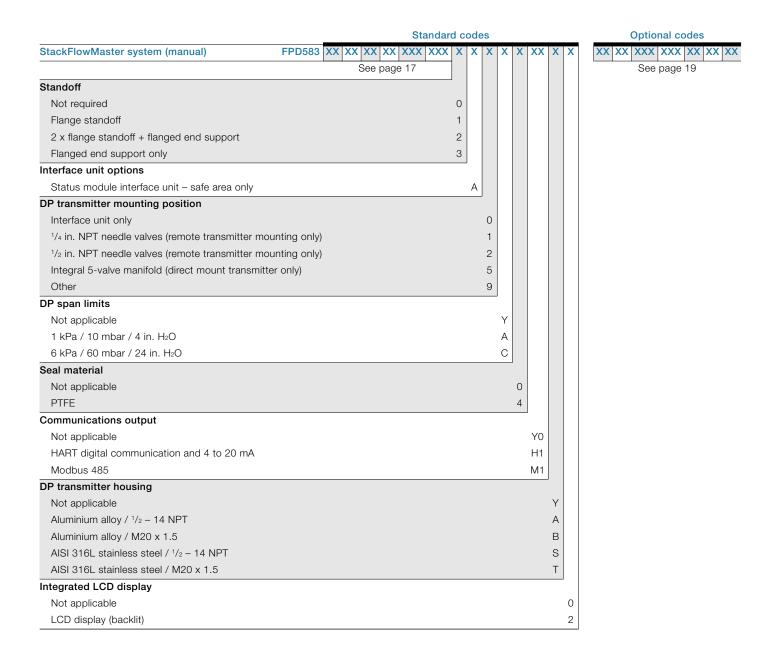
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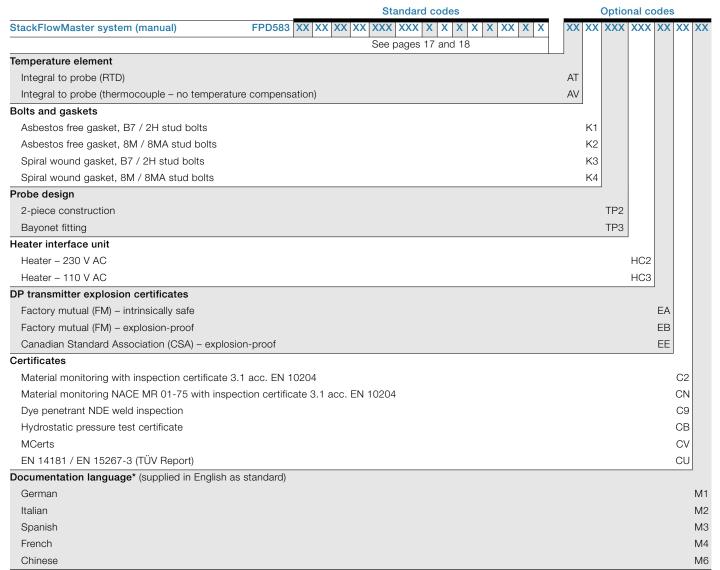
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StackFlowMaster FPD583 - manual system

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Design level															See page 16
Not applicable	Y0														
1 - mass flow (267CS)	M1														
Probe type		.													
Interface unit only		Y0													
25 mm OD flanged probe without end support		F3													
25 mm OD flanged probe with cup end support		F4													
25 mm OD flanged probe with flanged external end s	upport	F5													
60 mm OD flanged probe without end support		G3													
60 mm OD flanged probe with flanged external end s	upport	G5													
Probe material															
Interface unit only			Y0												
316L stainless steel			S6												
321H stainless steel			S1												
UNS N06625 Gr.2			N2												
Other			Z9												
Stack fitting material															
Not required				ΥO											
Carbon steel				СЗ											
316L stainless steel				S6											
321H stainless steel				S1											
UNS N06625 Gr.2				N2											
Other				Z9											
Process connection size					,										
Not required (interface unit only)					000										
DN 40 (1 ¹ / ₂ in.)					040										
DN 50 (2 in.)					050										
DN 80 (3 in.)					080										
DN 100 (4 in.)					100										
DN 150 (6 in.)					150										
Other					999										
Process connection rating						•									
Interface unit only						Y0Y									
ASME 150 lb RF						A1F									
PN 10 / PN 16 RF						D1F									
Other						Z9Z									

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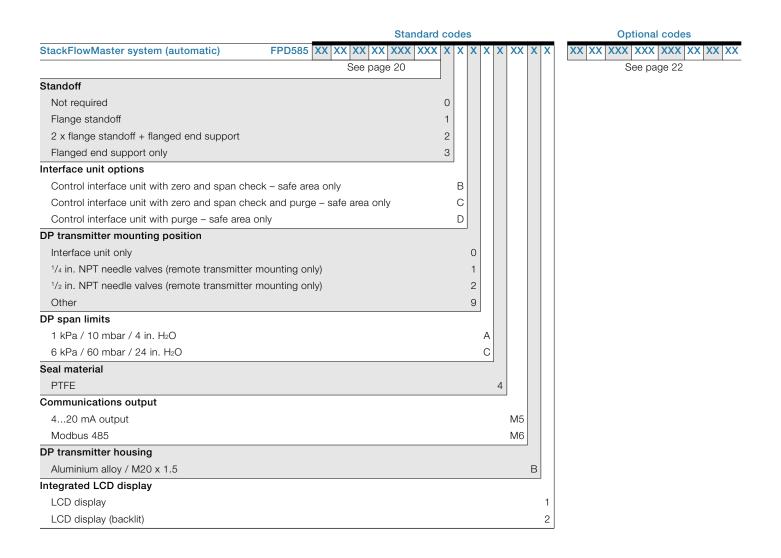


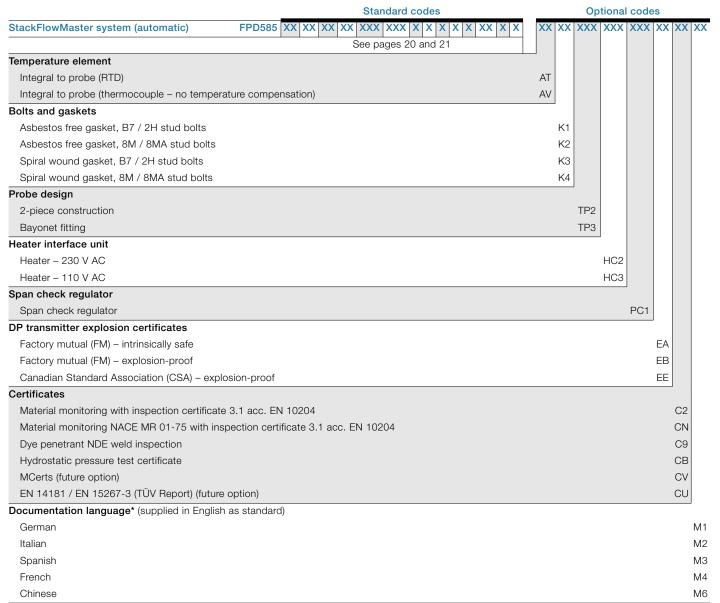
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StackFlowMaster FPD585 - automatic system

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Design level														See page 22		
1 - mass flow (267CS)	M1								Ш							
Probe type									Ш							
Interface unit only		Y0							Ш							
25 mm OD flanged probe without end support		F3							Ш							
25 mm OD flanged probe with cup end support		F4							Ш							
25 mm OD flanged probe with flanged external end su	upport	F5							Ш							
60 mm OD flanged probe without end support		G3							Ш							
60 mm OD flanged probe with flanged external end su	upport	G5							Ш							
Probe material									Ш							
Interface unit only		,	Y0						Ш							
316L stainless steel		;	36						Ш							
321H stainless steel		;	S1						Ш							
UNS N06625 Gr.2		-	N 2													
Other			Z9						Ш							
Stack fitting material									Ш							
Not required			Υ	0												
Carbon steel			С	:3					Ш							
316L stainless steel			S	6												
321H stainless steel			S	1					Ш							
UNS N06625 Gr.2			Ν	12					Ш							
Other			Z	9												
Process connection size																
Not required (interface unit only)				00	0				Ш							
DN 40 (1 ¹ / ₂ in.)				04	0											
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DN 80 (3 in.)				08	0				Ш							
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DN 150 (6 in.)				15	0				Ш							
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ASME 150 lb RF					A1	F										
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