# Vibro-Meter

**CA 134** 

# Piezoelectric Accelerometer Type CA 134

# **CHARACTERISTICS**

- Vibration monitoring e.g. cryogenic applications
- Low temperature
- ARINC No 554 fixation
- Differential output
- Hermetically welded
- ATEX and cCSAus certified



# **FEATURES**

- Internal case insulation
- VC2 type crystal element
- Frequency response5 Hz to 6000 Hz
- Sensitivity 10 pC/g
- ▼ Temperature range -196°C to +500°C
- Accelerometer weight120 g



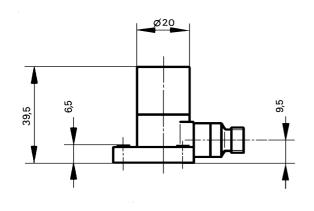


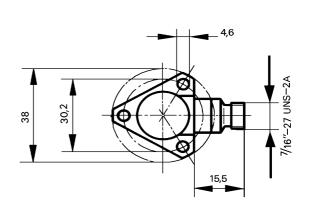
### **DESCRIPTION**

The use of VC2 type single crystal material in the CA 134 compression mode element accelerometer provides an extremely stable instrument.

The transducer is designed for long-term monitoring and measurement of vibration in severe temperature environments such as cryogenic installation, etc. The CA 134 accelerometer may be operated with either soft line or hard line cables depending on the required temperature.

# **MECHANICAL DIAGRAM**





# **SPECIFICIATIONS**

Input power requirements

: None

Signal transmission

: 2-pole system insulated from casing, charge output

Signal processing

: Charge amplifier

## **OPERATING**

(at +23°C ±5°C)

Sensitivity (at 120 Hz)

: 10 pC/g ± 5%

Dynamic measuring range

: 0.001 g to 500 g peak

(random)

Overload capacity (spikes)

: Up to 1000 g peak

Linearity

: ±1% over dynamic measuring range

Transverse sensitivity

: < 5%

Resonant frequency (mounted)

: 14 kHz nominal

Frequency response

:  $\pm 5\%$  between 0.5 Hz and 3500 Hz (lower cut-off frequency is determined by the

electronics used)

< 10% between 3500 Hz and 6000 Hz

Temperature error

: < 0.01% per °C between -70°C and +500°C (cryogenic version -196°C)

### **SPECIFICIATIONS** (Continued)

Internal insulation resistance : Min.  $10^8 \Omega$ 

Capacitance : 150 pF nominal pole to pole, 30 pF nominal pole to ground (asymmetry 1 pF

max.)

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL**

Temperature range : -54°C (-196°C) to +450°C Short term suvival temperature : -70°C (-196°C) to +500°C

Shock acceleration : < 2000 g peak (half sine 1 ms) along sensitive axis

Use in explosive atmospheres

• EC type examination certificate : LCIE 02 ATEX 6110 X II 1 G (Zones 0, 1, 2) EEx ia IIC T6 to T1 (see copy)

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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.

• cCSAus standard : Certificate No. 1636188, Class I, Div. 1, Groups A, B, C, D (see copy)

Corrosion, humidity : Inconel 600, hermetically welded

Base strain sensitivity :  $< 10^{-4} \text{ g/}\mu\epsilon$ 

Mounting : 3 Allen screws M4 x 16 with spring lock washers M4 screw torque 4.5 Nm. No

need for electrical insulation of mounting surface.

### **CALIBRATION**

Dynamic calibration at factory at 5 g peak and 120 Hz (+23°C). No subsequent calibration necessary.

### ORDERING INFORMATION

To order please specify:

Type Designation Ordering Number CA 134 Piezoelectric Accelerometer 144-134-000-2



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