

Instruction Manual Differential Pressure Transducer Model P92



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Purpose of instruction manual

This instruction manual describes the features of the P 92 differential pressure transducer and provides guidelines for its use.

Improper use of this instrument or failure to follow these instructions may cause injury or equipment damage. Every person who uses the device must therefore read the manual and understand the possible risks. The instruction manual, and in particular the safety precautions contained therein, must be followed carefully. **Contact the manufacturer if you do not understand any part of this instruction manual.**

Handle this manual with care:

- It must be readily available throughout the lifecycle of the instrument.
- It must be provided to any individuals who assume responsibility for operating the instrument at a later date.
- It must include any supplementary materials provided by the manufacturer.

The manufacturer reserves the right to continue developing this instrument model without documenting such development in each individual case. The manufacturer will be happy to determine whether this manual is up-to-date.

Conformity

This device is state of the art. It complies with the legal requirements of EC directives. This is shown by the CE mark.

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1 Safety precautions

1.1 Appropriate use

In addition to differential pressure data, the P 92 differential pressure transducer also records positive and negative overpressures.

Always observe the operating requirements—particularly the permissible supply voltage—indicated on the rating plate and in the "Technical data" section of this manual.

The instrument may only be handled as indicated in this manual. Modifications to the instrument are prohibited. The manufacturer is not liable for damages caused by improper use or failure to follow these instructions. Violations of this type render all warranty claims null and void.

1.2 Shipping, assembly, electrical connections and start-up

Do not close the pressure inlets during shipping. Changes in barometric pressure may damage devices with low measuring ranges.

Assembly and the electrical connections should only be handled by professionals. They should be given proper training and be authorized by the operator of the facility.

The instrument may only be operated by appropriately trained individuals who have been authorized by the operator of the facility.

Do not carry out a function test with compressed or breathable air. This would damage instruments with low measuring ranges.

Measurement errors may occur if the instrument is not kept protected from sunlight.

Specific safety precautions are given in individual sections of this manual.

1.3 Troubleshooting, maintenance, repairs, disposal

The individual responsible for the electrical connections must be notified immediately if the instrument is damaged.

This individual must take the instrument out of service until the error has been corrected and ensure that it cannot be used unintentionally.

Always unplug the supply voltage before opening the instrument!

This instrument requires no maintenance.

Only the manufacturer may perform repairs that require the housing to be opened.

The electronic components of the instrument contain environmentally hazardous materials and materials that can be reused. The instrument must therefore be sent to

a recycling plant when you no longer wish to use it. The environment codes of your particular country must be complied with.

1.4 Symbols

The symbols given below are used throughout this manual to indicate instances when improper operation could result in the following hazards:



WARNING! This warns you of a potential hazard that could lead to bodily injury up to and including death if the corresponding instructions are not followed.



WARNING: This warns you of a potential hazard that could lead to significant property damage if corresponding instructions are not followed.



INFORMATION This indicates that the corresponding information is important for operating the instrument properly.

2 Instrument description

In addition to differential pressure data, the P 92 differential pressure transducer also records positive and negative overpressures. Process variables are converted into standardized signals. The instrument utilizes an inductive measurement principle for determining the deflection of a CuBe membrane spring; it then uses the results of these measurements to determine the pressure. The use of a microprocessor provides for a high level of precision and a great deal of flexibility. This differential pressure transducer is especially suitable for highly sophisticated applications such as pressure monitoring in clean rooms, laboratories, pharmaceutical facilities and operating rooms, and for special mechanical engineering applications.

The P92 pressure transducer is a pneumatic, electronic sensor for measuring overpressures, vacuum pressures and differential pressures. At its heart is a pressure measurement capsule with a beryllium bronze membrane spring, which is displaced by the pressure difference between the two chambers of the measurement capsule. Inductive displacement transducers measure membrane deflection without contacting the membrane. The instrument has no frictional parts or parts subject to mechanical wear.

The transducer is EMC-optimized and has a power supply input filter (for models with a metal housing).

3 Start-up

3.1 Features

The instrument automatically performs three zero-point calibrations within the first hour after connection to the power supply (i.e., while the sensor is warming up); this process is then carried out again roughly once an hour. It takes at least 1 s for the instrument to run through this cycle and set the zero-point, during which time it cannot take any measurements; output consists of the most recently measured value. Automatic zero-point calibration allows the instrument to compensate for temperature drift and positional error of the sensor. An external control input may also be used to correct the zero point (optional).

If the pressure applied at one of the inputs is larger than a permissible threshold parameter, a valve cuts off the source of the pressure from the pressure measurement capsule, thereby preventing damage to the latter. The most recently measured value is read out at the sensor output.

3.2 Overload capacity

Under zero-current conditions, the sensor is protected from overpressures of up to 200 kPa at both ports. During operation, the sensor provides overpressure protection at both ports of up to 200 times the limit of the measurement range, but no more than 600 kPa.

3.3 Analog outputs

The instrument's output signal is either root-extracted or proportional to the pressure (rotary switch allow the operator to toggle between these two options). Output may take the form of voltage (0...10 V) or current (0 / 4...20 mA); the latter can be configured to either 0...20 mA or 4...20 mA with the aid of a plug-in shorting jumper. The operator may also set eight different time constants (i.e., sensor response times). An additional jumper allows the operator to reduce the measurement range by half, i.e., at half the nominal pressure, the output will read out 10 V / 20 mA.

If the measured value is small, a root-extracted output signal may result in large deflection errors. Creep suppression makes it possible to suppress the output signal on or near the zero point. The operator can use a shorting jumper to set creep suppression to 3%, 4%, 5% or 6% of the root-extracted limit of the measurement range.

3.4 Instrument connections:

Plastic or metal housing with 24 V DC/AC power supply:



- Fig. 1 -



The ground wire must be threaded onto the ground screw for units with a metal housing.

Metal housing with 230 V / 115 V AC power supply:



- Fig. 2 -



Display-connector



4 Mounting

Although the P92 pressure transducer is highly robust, it is nevertheless a precision instrument and should be handled with care. Avoid mounting the P92 in the direct vicinity of any sources of heat or radiation. Ideally, the instrument should be mounted vertically (pressure and vacuum ports should be pointing down) and on a wall not subject to vibration.

The supply voltage should be connected at the terminal (11...13) indicated in the connection diagram on the housing cover.

Output signals are available on the signal terminal (1...4) as follows:

- Voltage output: 1 0...10 V
- 2 signal ground
- Current output: 4 0 / 4...20 mA
 - 3 signal ground

5 External zero-point correction (optional)

Connecting the round, 7-pin plug:

pin 1: earth

pin 3: floating contact or a levelof +5 V...+24 V



- Fig. 3 -

There are two operating modes for external zero-point correction:

1.) The contact is open (high level):

The zero point is set by briefly closing the contact, i.e., by generating a brief (>50 ms) low level; the zero-point setting cycle remains active, however.

2.) The contact is closed (low level):

The zero point can only be set by briefly opening the contact, i.e., by generating a brief (>50 ms) high level; the zero-point setting cycle is suppressed.

6 Configuring the analog output

The S1 switch can be used to set the time constant and mode of sensor operation (see table below):

Switch	Time	Output	Switch	Time	Output signal
position	constant	signal	position	constant	
0	none	linear	8	none	root-extracted
1	1 s	linear	9	1 s	root-extracted
2	2.5 s	linear	A	2.5 s	root-extracted
3	5 s	linear	В	5 s	root-extracted
4	10 s	linear	С	10 s	root-extracted
5	20 s	linear	D	20 s	root-extracted
6	30 s	linear	E	30 s	root-extracted
7	40 s	linear	F	40 s	root-extracted



- Fig. 4 -

The J5 shorting jumper can be used to configure the current output to between 0...20 mA and 4...20 mA.

<u>J5:</u> <u>Current output:</u>

open	420 mA
closed	020 mA



If the current output is configured to 4...20mA, please note, that the voltage output reads out 2...10 V instead of 0...10 V.

The J6 shorting jumper can be used to reduce the measurement range by half.

J6:	Measurement	range:

open	full measurement range
closed	half measurement range



The sensor element remains unchanged for both ranges, which means that halving the measurement range merely spreads the measured values. For small measurement ranges and in some special cases it is worth evaluating whether halving the measurement range is expedient.

7 Modifying creep suppression

The J3 and J4 shorting jumpers can be used to set creep suppression (see table below):

J4	J3	Creep suppression
open	open	3 %
open	closed	4 %
closed	open	5 %
closed	closed	6 %

8 Description of the RS 232C serial interface (optional)

8.1 Instrument connections

communication method	full duplex
synchronization	Start/stop system
transfer code	ASCII
data bit	8
stop bit	1
parity check	none
baud rate	9600 Bd

Pin no.	Name of signal	Signal direction (from the P92)
1	GND	
5	SD (TXD)	output
7	RD (RXD)	input



8.2 Command input

The P92 pressure transducer is ready to receive commands once the operating voltage has been switched on.

The computer sends a command to the P92 by first transmitting a command letter (capital *or* lower case are both possible) and then possibly one additional parameter (see list of commands). The command must conclude with the *CR* code (carriage return; *ODH*).

The P92 immediately returns all codes that it receives (full duplex).

After receiving a command, the P92 first transmits the *CRLF* (carriage return, line feed; *0DH 0AH*) and an acknowledgement message or the required value (see list of commands). It then transmits *CRLF* and is then ready to receive another command.

8.3 Brief overview of commands

Comm and	Description	Response:
D	request for measured value	measured value; format: thousandths of the measurement range
Z	sets attenuation of pressure transducer	if parameters are correct: O.K. if parameters are incorrect: SYNTAX
N	zero-point correction	correction successful: O.K. correction not possible: ERROR
L	linear mode of operation	0. <i>K</i> .
R	root-extracted mode of operation	O.K. if a ±pressure sensor: SYNTAX
K	no zero-point correction cycle	0. <i>K</i> .
S	zero-point correction cycle	0. <i>K</i> .



Please note:

An RS 232C or rotary switch may be used to set transducer parameters (attenuation, mode of operation, etc.). Parameters are backed up in an EEPROM; the most recently saved parameters are valid when the transducer resumes operation. If parameters are modified using an RS232C, the position of the rotary switch does <u>not</u> indicate the current transducer parameters. The rotary switch must be rotated before it can reflect the current parameters.

8.4 Alphabetical list of commands

D: requests pressure measurement value

This command is used to request a measured value from the P92 pressure transducer.

Output for sensors with **only pos. differential pressure (measurement range 0...Pa)** is given in thousandths of the measurement range.

Example:

A 0...100 Pa sensor has a measured value of 78.0 Pa:

Input: Acknowledgement:

D CR CRLF 780 CRLF

ASCII code:

44H 0DH 0DH 0DH 0AH 37H 38H 30H 0DH 0AH

For sensors with **pos. and neg. differential pressures (± measurement ranges)**, the zero point of the digital display is 500. The pos. limit of the measurement range is 1000 and the neg. limit is 0.

Example 1:

A ±100 Pa sensor has a measured value of 0 Pa:

Input:	Acknowledgement:
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D CR CRLF 500 CRLF

ASCII code:

44H 0DH 0DH 0AH 35H 30H 30H 0DH 0AH

Example 2:

A ±100 Pa sensor has a measured value of +70.0 Pa:

Input:	Acknowledgement:
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D CR	CRLF 850 CRLF

Example 3:

A ±50 Pa sensor has a measured value of -35.0 Pa:

Input:	Acknowledgement:	
D CR	CRLF 150 CRLF	

K: blocks zero-point correction cycle

This command blocks periodic zero-point correction. This may be useful if the user would like to eliminate the risk of the sensor setting the zero point at precisely the moment when a measured value is needed. No new measured values are available for approx. 1s during the zero-point correction process. When in this mode, operators are advised to first initiate a zero-point calibration via the 'manual' *N* command and only then request the actual measured value.

Input: Acknowledgement:

K CR CRLF O.K. CRLF

ASCII code:

4BH 0DH

0DH 0AH 4FH 2EH 4BH 2EH 0DH 0AH

L: linear output signal

The mode of sensor operation is linear, i.e., the output voltage, output current and output values read out over the interface are proportional to the pressure.

Acknowledgement:

After this command is executed, it is acknowledged with an O.K.

Input:

L CR CRLF O.K. CRLF

ASCII code:

4CH 0DH

0DH 0AH 4FH 2EH 4BH 2EH 0DH 0AH

N: zero-point correction

This command initiates calibration of the pressure transducer's zero point.

The instrument may not be able to run a zero-point correction, if, for instance, the sensor element has been mechanically destroyed or the zero point lies beyond the permissible tolerance range. In this case it will display the *ERROR* message and should be sent to the manufacturer for repair.

Under normal operating conditions, the instrument will display the *O.K.* message after running through the zero-point setting cycle (approx. 1 s).

Example:

Input:	Acknowledgement:
N CR	CRLF O.K. CRLF
ASCII code:	
4EH 0DH	0DH 0AH 4FH 2EH 4BH 2EH 0DH 0AH
R: root-extracted output sig	nal

The sensor is operating in root-extracted mode, i.e., the output signals will conform to the following mathematical relation:

 $U_{out} = \sqrt{10 \ V * U_{lin}}$ $I_{out} = \sqrt{16 \ mA * (I_{lin} - 4 \ mA)} + 4 \ mA \qquad \text{for } 4...20 \ mA$ $I_{out} = \sqrt{20 \ mA * I_{lin}} \qquad \text{for } 0...20 \ mA$

The serial output will conform to the following equation:

output value = $\sqrt{1000 * \text{output value}_{\text{lin}}}$

After this command is successfully executed, the instrument transmits the *O.K.* message.

This command is not accepted if the sensor is designed for positive and negative measurement ranges (e.g., \pm 100 Pa), as root extraction of negative values is not allowed. The instrument returns the *Syntax* message.

Example:

Input:	Acknowledgement:
R CR	CRLF SYNTAX CRLF
ASCII code:	
52H 0DH	0DH 0AH 53H 59H 4EH 54H 41H 58H 0DH 0AH

S: sets the zero-point correction cyc	le
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This command authorizes the zero-point correction cycle (default setting after the instrument is switched on).

Input:	Acknowledgement:
S CR	CRLF O.K. CRLF
ASCII code:	
53H 0DH	0DH 0AH 4FH 2EH 4BH 2EH 0DH 0AH

Z: time constant, attenuation

This command sets the sensor attenuation (time constant = T_{63}).

This command requires an additional parameter following the Z command letter. Possible time constants are given in the following table:

Z 1: no time constant

Z 2: 1 second

Z 3: 5 seconds

Z 4: 10 seconds

Z 5: 20 seconds

If the P92 receives a value X that differs from the permitted values (1...5), it will return the SYNTAX error message. Otherwise it will display the O.K. message.

Example:

Input:	Acknowledgement:
Z 8 CR	CRLF SYNTAX CRLF
ASCII code:	
5AH 38H 0DH	0DH 0AH 53H 59H 4EH 54H 41H 58H 0DH 0AH

9 Design of the Profibus DP (optional)

9.1 Features

Once the supply voltage has been connected, the instrument automatically calibrates the zero point, a process which it then repeats on a cyclical basis. The PROFIBUS DP parameters can be used to set the intervals at which the zero-point calibration is performed.

It takes at least 1 s for the instrument to run through this cycle and set the zero-point, during which time it cannot take any measurements; output consists of the most recently measured value. Automatic zero-point calibration allows the instrument to compensate for temperature drift and positional error of the sensor.

If the pressure applied at one of the inputs is larger than a permissible threshold parameter, a valve cuts off the source of the pressure from the pressure measurement capsule, thereby preventing damage to the latter. The most recently measured value is read out at the sensor output.

Measurement data are made available via the PROFIBUS DP interface.

9.2 Connecting the supply voltage and setting the address

The instrument is powered via a 24 V DC / 120 mA connector. The current consumption is approx. 120 mA for 24 VDC.



9.3 Modules

Several modules are available for Profibus DP communication



9.3.1 Status

The status module is used for transferring the status of the P92. The following table shows the assignment of the individual bits:

Bit	Meaning
0 (LSB)	overpressure / vacuum pressure
1	spread active
2	zeroing error; zeroing valve could not dissipate pressure
3	zeroing active
4	pressure connected; measurement values valid
5	reserved
6	reserved
7 (MSB)	reserved (teach mode active)

9.3.2 Differential pressure (I16 0...100.00%)

This module transmits the differential pressure to the master in the form of a 16-bit integer. Values fall within the range of 0 - 10000 and correspond to the differential pressure in 0 - 100.00%.

9.3.3 Differential pressure (FP)

This reads out the differential pressure as a floating-point value.

9.3.4 Flow (root-extracted differential pressure FP)

This reads out the root-extracted value of the differential pressure.

9.3.5 Control

During configuration, this module, which acts as the control unit for the P92_DP differential pressure sensor, must be integrated into data transfer so that pressure can be routed to the valve. The following table lists the corresponding bits and what they mean:

Bit	Meaning
0 (LSB)	extra; no significance
1	extra; no significance
2	extra; no significance
3	extra; no significance
4	extra; no significance
5	begin zeroing
6	activate valve, apply pressure
7 (MSB)	extra; no significance

9.4 Setting parameters

This process allows the user to set a number of pressure sensor parameters.

	Parametername	Wert	OK
4.0	Schleichmengenunterdrückung	0%	Abbrochen
4.3	Ausgabeeinheit	Pa	Abbrechen
4.5	Spreizung	inaktiv	Hilfe
4.7	Ausgangswert	Linear	
5.0	Nullierungszeitraum	15 min	
5.6	Druckgrenzwert positiv	niedrig	<u>A</u> uswahl
5.7	Druckgrenzwert negativ	niedrig	Hou
6.0	Zeitkonstante	1 s	<u> </u>
			Löschen

9.4.1 Creep suppression

If differential pressure values are less than either the amount of creep or less than 0, the root-extracted value of the differential pressure is set to zero. The user may select values between zero and five percent.

9.4.2 Output units

This allows the operator to select the units for the floating-point output.

9.4.3 Measurement range spread

This parameter is used for reducing the measurement range by a factor of 5, thereby increasing the resolution when measured values are small, which can be helpful for root-extracted output. If the measured value is more than twice that of the measurement range spread, the program activates the overpressure valve.

9.4.4 Output value

This allows the operator to select whether the floating-point value should be read out in terms of pressure or as a percentage.

9.4.5 Zeroing interval

This allows the user to select the amount of time to elapse between automatic zeroing cycles. Because the instrument warms upon startup, it automatically calibrates the zero point 15 minutes after it is switched on; this eliminates any error introduced by warming.

9.4.6 Positive (negative) threshold pressure

The user can toggle between two threshold values at which overpressure protection is activated: 1.4 * P_{nom} (low) and 2 * P_{nom} (high).

9.4.7 Time constant

The instrument includes a digital filter that can be used during pressure regulation to smooth output values, thereby suppressing brief undesired interference. This parameter allows the user to select a time constant for this filter. The larger the time constant, the smoother the measured value and the longer it takes the instrument to achieve a stable measured value. This is not always an advantage when regulating pressure.

10 Technical data

Measurement data	
measurement ranges	010 Pa to 0100 kPa or
	±10 Pa to ±100 kPa
overload capacity	when operating: 200x the measurement range limit, max. = 600kPa;
	under zero-current conditions: all measurement ranges 200 kPa
linearity	± 4 % for measurement ranges between 010 and
based on a pressure/measurement	050 Pa; ± 1 % for measurement ranges > 50 Pa and <
range of 0 100%	250 Pa
	\pm 0,5 % for measurement ranges \geq 250 Pa
	(others available upon request)
hysteresis	0.1 %
time constants	toggles between 1 s, 2,5 s, 5 s, 10 s,
	20 s, 40 s (40 s default)
	selection via Profibus DP (optional)
sensor response time	20 ms for measurement ranges ≥ □250 Pa
	50 ms for measurement ranges < □250 Pa
temperature-dependent drift in zero point	0, if periodic zero-point calibration is active
temperature-dependent drift in	0.03 % / C°
measurement range	
usable measurement range	linear: -5 % to +130 % of the final value (default)
	linear: ±130 % of the final value (Profibus)
	root-extracted: +3 % to +130 % of the final value (default)
	root-extracted: +3 % to +130 % of the final value
	(Profibus)
max. system pressure	10 kPa for measurement ranges ≤10 kPa
	for measurement ranges greater than 10 kPa \rightarrow max.
Anglight and the	nominal pressure of the sensor
Ambient conditions	
	air, all non-aggressive gases
operating temperature	
storage temperature	
Final relative numicity	080 %
EMC standards	EN 50081 part 1 and EN 50082 part 1; CSA
conformity	CE declaration of conformity available upon request
Electrical data	
power consumption	approx. 5 VA (default)
	approx. 3 VA (Profibus)
supply voltage	24 VDC +20% / -15% (with polarity reversal protection)
	115 VAC +6% / -15% 50 Hz / 60 Hz
	230 VAC +6% / -15% 50 Hz / 60 Hz
	(others available upon request)
protection class	metal housing: IP65
	plastic housing: IP54
aispiay	$3\frac{1}{2}$ or $4\frac{1}{2}$ -place LCD, character height = 13 mm
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connection to power supply	two PG9 threaded connections and screw terminal			
	up to 2.5 mm ² (default)			
	M18 connector (Profibus)			
data interfaces	7-pin RS232C socket (optional)			
	9-pin D-sub socket (Profibus optional)			
Physical data				
pressure port	Ø 6.5 mm for NW5 tubing			
	(interior tubing diameter = 5 mm)			
dimensions (w x h x d)	metal housing: 122 x 120 x 80 (LCD90)mm			
	plastic housing: 122x120x105 mm			
weight	plastic housing: 1 kg			
	metal housing: 1.5 kg			
options	- 3½ or 4½-place LCD			
	- linearity protocol			
	- special design 'high system pressure'			
	- additional control input for initiating zero point correction			
	from an external source (default)			
	- serial RS 232C and RS 485 interfaces (default)			
	- cable gland with two PG7 or two PG11 threaded			
	connections (default)			

Appendix A: Parts in contact with measurement medium

- Beryllium bronze CuBe2
- Mu metal (nickel alloy)
- Brass CuZn39Pb3
- Aluminum AlCuMgPb / AlMg3
- Silicon (tubing) optional: Viton
- Crastin (PTBP)

- Araldite CY236 / HY988
- Loctite 242e
- Carbonyl iron
- KEL (FPM: fluorinated rubber)
- Vepuran Vu 4457/51
- UHU-Plus endfest 300 binder

11 Dimension drawing







	Н	L	В	D
plastic housing	105	110	90.5	4.5
plastic housing w/ LCD	105	110	90.5	4.5
metal housing	80	106	82	6.3
metal housing w/ LCD	90	106	82	6.3





P92-HS



