190501 Velomitor CT Transducer

Datasheet

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Description

The Velomitor CT Velocity Transducer is a low-frequency version of our standard Velomitor Piezo-velocity Sensor. Its design specifically measures casing vibration velocity on cooling tower and air-cooled heat-exchanger fan assemblies that operate at or above 90 rpm (100 to 300 rpm typical).

The Velomitor CT Transducer can measure vibration amplitudes at these frequencies as well as the vibration frequencies generated by the fan motor and speed reducer.

Most common machine malfunctions (unbalance, misalignment, etc.) occur on the rotor and originate as an increase (or at least a change) in rotor vibration. For any individual casing measurement to be effective for overall machine protection, the system must continually transmit a significant amount of rotor vibration to the machine casing, or mounting location of the transducer.

In addition, be careful to install the accelerometer transducer on the bearing housing or machine casing. Improper installation may decrease the transducer amplitude and frequency response and/or generate false signals that do not represent actual vibration. Refer to the appropriate instruction manuals and Application Notes.

Upon request, Bently Nevada provides engineering services that can identify the appropriate machine housing measurements and installation assistance if needed.

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Specifications

Parameters are specified from +20°C to +30°C (+68°F to +86°F) and 100 Hz unless otherwise indicated.

> Operating the transducer outside the specified limits will result in false readings or loss of machine monitoring.

Electrical

Sensitivity	3.94 mV/mm/s (100 mV/in/s) ±5%.
Frequency Response	3.0 Hz to 900 Hz (180 to 54,000 cpm) ±1.0 dB 1.5 Hz to 1.0 kHz (90 to 60,000 cpm) ±3.0 dB
Temperature Sensitivity	-8% to +5% typical over the operating temperature range.
Velocity Range	63.5 mm/s pk (2.5 in/s pk) (see Figure 4: Operating Range for Metric Units on page 13 and Figure 5: Operating Range for English Units on page 14). Vibration components in excess of 10g pk above 1 kHz can significantly reduce this range.
Transverse Response	Less than 5% of the axial sensitivity.
Amplitude Linearity	±2% to 63.5 mm/s pk (2.5 in/s pk)
Mounted Resonant Frequency	9 kHz, minimum (stud mounted, except quick disconnect)
Output Bias Voltage	10.1 Vdc ± 1.0 Vdc, Pin A referenced to Pin B
Dynamic Output Impedance	<400 Ω typical
Broadband Noise Floor (1.5 Hz to 1 kHz)	0.229 mm/s (0.009 in/s) pk. For more information, see Figure 6: Typical Low Frequency Noise Floor on page 15.
Base Strain Sensitivity	0.43 mm/s/µstrain (0.017 in/s/µstrain).
Grounding	Internal electronics are isolated from case.
Maximum Cable Length	305 m (1,000 ft.) of cable (part number 02173006) with no degradation of signal.

> Maximum continuous length of cable available is 91.44 m (300 ft). If longer lengths are required they must be spliced or have a connector installed on them.

Environmental Limits

Operating Temperature	-40°C to +85°C (-40°F to +185°F).
Storage Temperature	-40°C to +100°C (-40°F to +212°F).
Shock Limit	5000 g pk, maximum.
Humidity Limit	100% condensing, non-submerged.
Magnetic Field Susceptibility	<0.0068 mm/s/gauss (0.268 mil/s/gauss) @ 50 gauss, 50-60Hz

Physical

Weight	<297 g (10.5 oz.), typical.
Mounting Surface	33 mm diameter (1.3 in diameter).
Height	82 mm (3.2 in).
Case Material	316L stainless steel
Connector	2-pin 316L stainless steel MIL-C-5015, top.
Mounting Torque	4.5 N-m ± 0.6 N-m (40 in-lbf ± 5 in-lbf).
Polarity	Pin A goes positive with respect to Pin B when velocity is from base to top of the transducer.
Mounting Angle	Any orientation.
Recommended Cable Length	219 m (720 ft) Assuming max vibration of 4 in/s, frequency 1 kHz, and cable capacitance 200 pf/m. For longer lengths, contact Bently Nevada Tech Support.
For more information on this product, please refer to the Velomitor CT Piezo-Velocity Transducer User Guide (document 125389).	

Ordering Information

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A: Mounting Hardware Option	
00	No stud
01	Stud 3/8-in 24 to 3/8-in 24
02	Stud 3/8-in 24 to 1/2-in 20
03	Adhesive Stud 3/8-in 24
04	Stud M6x1 with 3/8-in 24 adapter
05	Adhesive Stud M6x1 with 3/8-24 adapter
06	Stud 3/8-in 24 to 1/4-in 28
07	Plate Stud 3/8-in 24 to 3/8-in 24
08	Plate Stud 3/8-in 24 to 1/2-in 20
09	Plate Stud 3/8-in 24 to 1/4-in NPT
10	Plate Stud M6x1 to M6x1with 3/8-in 24 adapter
11	Plate Stud 3/8-in 24 to 1/4-in 28
12	Plate Stud 3/8-in 24 to M8x1
13	Quick disconnect stud
14	Adapter, 3/8-in 24 to 1/4-in 20
15	Adapter, 3/8-in 24 to 5/16-in 18
16	Adapter, 3/8-in 24 to 3/8-in 24
17	Adapter, 3/8-in 24 to 3/8-in 16
18	Adapter, 3/8-in 24 to 1/2-in 13
19	Adapter, 3/8-in 24 to 1/4-in 18 NPT
20	Adapter, 3/8-in 24 to 3/8-in 18 NPT
21	Adapter, 3/8-in 24 to 1/2-in 14 NPT
22	Adapter, 3/8-in 24 to 3/4-in 14 NPT
23	Adapter, 3/8-in 24 to 1.0-in 11.5 NPT
24	Adapter, 3/8-in 24 to 1.25-in 11.5 NPT
B: Connection Option	
00	MIL-C-5015 connection interface
99	Unit with included 32-foot cable
C: Agency Approval Option	
00	No Approvals
01 through **04**	CSA/NRTL/C (Class I, Division 1), ATEX/IECEx/CSA (Class I, Zone 0/1)

Interconnect Cable

CB2W100 - AAA

Description: Connectors: MIL-C 5015, 2 Socket, Splash Proof, Premium, isolated to blunt cut, Cable: 20 AWG, twisted pair, shielded, yellow Teflon jacket. LOCKING RING, ADAPTER SEAL, AND O-RING ARE INCLUDED.	
A: Length	
015	15 ft (4.57 m)
032	32 ft (9.75 m)
064	64 ft (19.5 m)
112	112 ft (34.1 m)
125	125 ft (38.1 m)
150	150 feet (45.7 m)
200	200 feet (61.0 m)

250	250 feet (76.2 m)

Accessories

128608-02	1/2-in NPT conduit adapter
04284020-01	Adhesive mount base kit. The adhesive mount base kit design is for machines with thin casings that do not permit drilling and tapping a mounting hole. Kit contains material (adhesive and bases) for 2 each 3/8-in 24 UNF adhesive-mount bases. One kit can outfit 2 Velomitor CT Transducers.

Spare Mounting Adapters

All mounting adapters are made from 300 series stainless steel.

Standard Studs

04365657	3/8-in 24 to 3/8-in 24 stud
87910-01	3/8-in 24 to 1/2-in 20 stud
87931-01	M6x1 to M6x1 metric stud (requires metric adapter)
87055-01	3/8-in 24 to M6x1 metric adapter
89139-01	3/8-in 24 to 1/4-in 28 stud

Hex Plate Studs

107756-01	3/8-in 24 to 3/8-in 24 plate stud
107755-01	3/8-in 24 to 1/2-in 20 plate stud
107754-01	3/8-in 24 to 1/4-in NPT plate stud
107757-01	M6x1 to M6x1 plate stud (requires metric adapter)
125094-01	3/8-in 24 to M8x1 metric plate stud
128038-01	3/8-in 24 to 1/4-in 28 Plate Stud

Quick Disconnect Components

The following three components are included with the quick disconnect mounting option for the Velomitor CT Transducer. The quick disconnect option allows you to remove the transducer without rotating it, allowing you to keep the cable connected to the transducer.

128689-01	3/8-in 24 to 1¾-in 16 quick disconnect stud base. Attached to the machine.
43055-01	1¾-in 16 mounting base nut. Interface between stud base and transducer piece.
128690-01	3/8-in 24 quick disconnect stud transducer piece. Attached to the Velomitor CT Transducer.

Fittings

Conduit fittings allow connection of flexible, metal, liquid-tight conduit or armor to the conduit adapter.

03839201	1/2-in NPT straight male conduit fitting. For connecting flexible, liquid-tight conduit to the conduit adapter or a weatherproof enclosure.
03850000	1/2-in NPT straight, male compression-type fitting. For connecting Teflon™-coated 3/8-in stainless steel armor to the transducer or a weatherproof enclosure. Fitting will fit Teflon™-coated armor with a maximum outer diameter of 13.8 mm (0.543 in) (including Teflon™ thickness).

Teflon-Coated Stainless Steel Armor

106924-AA

This part includes the Teflon-coated armor but not the cable. You will require 2 1/2-in NPT compression fittings (part number 03850000) to attach the armor to the conduit adapter and terminate it at an enclosure.

A: Armor Length Option in Feet
Order in increments of 10 ft (3.0 m)
Minimum Length: 10 ft (3.0 m)
Maximum Length: 60 ft (18.3 m)

Flexible Metal Conduit

14847-AA

A: Flexible Conduit Length Option in Feet	
Order in increments of 1 ft (0.3 m)	
Minimum Length: 1 ft (0.3 m)	
Maximum Length: 99 ft (30.2 m)	
106769-01	Terminal housing. Provides a convenient interface between the transducer signal cable and monitor signal cable.