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BARATRON® DIFFERENTIAL CAPACITANCE MANOMETER

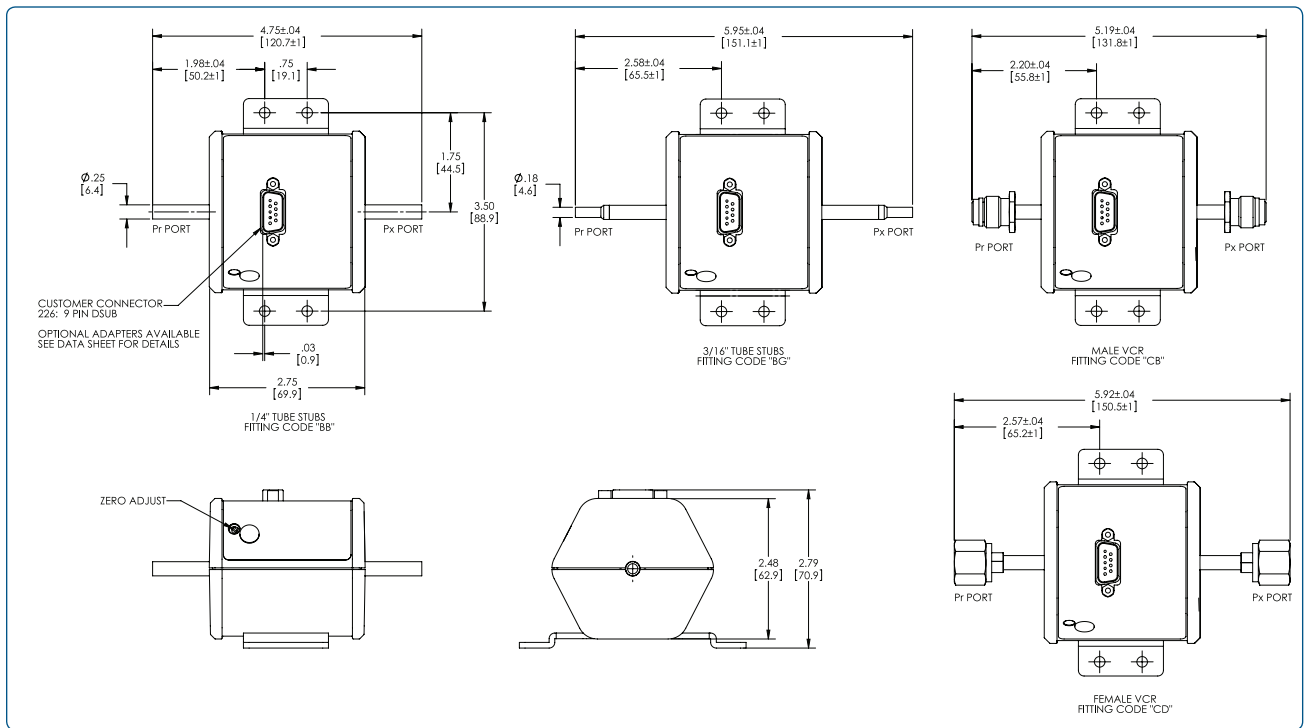
The 226A is a differential version of the industry-standard Baratron® Capacitance Manometer. It is designed to accurately measure differential pressures and vacuum from 1000 to 0.2 Torr (133 to 0.027 kPa). This product, which operates at ambient temperature, is highly accurate and repeatable, permitting its use in industrial and electronic control systems in many different applications. The patented capacitance sensor is built entirely from Inconel® nickel alloys on its measurement side, which offers superior corrosion resistance over long periods of time. Because the sensor operates by measuring the capacitance shift between a diaphragm exposed to the process and an electrode disk (rather than measuring the property of the gas), it is not sensitive to gas composition, and thus eliminates the need for gas-specific correction factors. The product can be used to measure either the true differential pressure or vacuum between two locations, or the reference side of the product can be left open to provide a true reference to local atmospheric pressure. Applications include air and gas flow measurements for filters and analytical systems, downstream pressure control in thin film processing systems, and automated leak testing systems.

The 226A provides a high-level analog output signal that is linear with pressure. It can operate on either $\pm 15\text{VDC}$ or $+24\text{VDC}$ input voltage, and it offers four (4) different analog output signals for use in nearly any control or data acquisition system. The product can be equipped with any of twelve (12) different fittings on either the measurement or reference sides, including common industrial and semiconductor-industry standards like VCR®, NW-KF, VCO®, and NPT. The sensor and electronics are mounted in a rugged industrial-grade housing that has high immunity and isolation from RF and EM interference.

Features & Benefits

- Fully-welded Inconel diaphragm sensor offers high resistance to corrosion for use in many difficult applications – no mercury, silicone, or hydrocarbon-based fluids are used
- Direct pressure measurement is not affected by gas composition
- Differential measurement ranges from 1000 to 0.2 Torr (133 to 0.027 kPa) allows accurate, repeatable characterization of very small pressure drops and flow rates
- Input voltage of either $\pm 15\text{VDC}$ or $+24\text{VDC}$ for use in a wide variety of processing systems
- Four different analog output signals available (0-10V, 0-5V, 0-1V, and 4-20 mA) in either unidirectional or bidirectional calibrations
- Rugged, industrial-grade design suitable for use in applications with high levels of RF/EM interference





Dimensional Drawings —

Unless otherwise specified, dimensions are nominal values in inches (mm referenced).



Specifications

Full-Scale Ranges	0.2, 1, 2, 5, 10, 20, 50, 100, 200, and 1000 Torr and equivalents in kPa, mbar, inches H ₂ O, and cm H ₂ O
Resolution	0.01% of Full Scale (F.S.)
Accuracy¹	0.50% of Full Scale unidirectional or bidirectional standard; 0.30% of F.S. unidirectional or bidirectional, and 0.30% of Reading (unidirectional calibrations only)
Temperature Coefficients	
Zero	0.1% Full Scale/°C for standard accuracy specification
Span	0.04% of Reading/°C
Ambient Operating Temperature	0° to 50°C
Maximum Overpressure	
Measurement Side	120% of Full Scale or 20 psi (140 kPa), whichever is higher
Reference Side	120% of Full Scale
Maximum Line Pressure	40 psig (275 kPa)
Materials Exposed to Process	
Measurement Side	Inconel
Reference Side	Inconel, ceramic, palladium, stainless steel, glass
Sensor Internal Volume	
Measurement Side	1.4 cm ³
Reference Side	9.0 cm ³
Input Power	±15VDC (±5%) or +13VDC to +30VDC @ 25 mA, ripple less than 20 mV
Output Signal	0 - 1VDC, 0 - 5VDC, 0 - 10VDC ¹ > 10 k Ω load; or 2-wire 4-20 mA from +24VDC supply into < 500 Ω load
Electrical Connector	9-pin D-subminiature standard, terminal block and flying leads optional
Compliance²	CE, SEMI S2-0706
Fittings³	
Standard	¼" OD (6.4 mm) tubes
Optional	3/16" OD (4.8 mm) tubes, 4 male VCR®, 4 female VCR, 4 male VCO®, 4 female VCO, NW16-KF, 1.33" OD (33.8 mm) Conflat®, 1/8" male and female NPT, 1/4" male and female NPT

Notes:

¹ 0-10VDC bi-directional output signal not available with +24VDC input voltage.

² When used with an overall metal braided shielded cable, properly grounded at both ends.

³ When equipped with standard 1/4-inch (6.4 mm) O.D. inlet and reference tubes.



Ordering Information

Ordering Code Example: 226AXXXYYZZQSSTV	Code					Configuration
226A Baratron Differential Capacitance Manometer	226A					226A
Ranges (XXX)						
	Torr	mbar	kPa	inH ₂ O	cm H ₂ O	
0.02	-	-	U2K	-	-	
0.1	-	-	.1K	.1W	-	
0.2	.2T	.2M	.2K	-	.2R	
0.5	-	-	.5K	.5W	-	
1	01T	01M	01K	01W	01R	11T
2	02T	02M	02K	02W	02R	
5	05T	05M	05K	05W	05R	
10	11T	11M	11K	11W	11R	
20	21T	21M	21K	21W	21R	
50	51T	51M	-	51W	51R	
100	12T	12M	12K	12W	12R	
200	22T	22M	-	-	22R	
500	-	-	-	52W	-	
1000	13T	13M	-	-	13R	
Reference Side Fitting (YY)						
1/4" OD tube	BB					CD
3/16" OD tube	BG					
4 male VCR	CB					
4 female VCR	CD					
4 male VCO	DC					
4 female VCO	DD					
1/4" female NPT	FA					
1/4" male NPT	FB					
1/8" male NPT	FE					
1/8" female NPT	FF					
NW16-KF	GA					
1.33" OD Conflat	HA					
Measurement Side Fitting (ZZ)						
1/4" OD tube	BB					CD
3/16" OD tube	BG					
4 male VCR	CB					
4 female VCR	CD					
4 male VCO	DC					
4 female VCO	DD					
1/4" female NPT	FA					
1/4" male NPT	FB					
1/8" male NPT	FE					
1/8" female NPT	FF					
NW16-KF	GA					
1.33" OD Conflat	HA					
Accuracy (Q)						
0.50% Full Scale (standard)	F					F
0.30% Full Scale	K					
0.30% Reading (unidirectional calibrations only)	S					
Input/Output and Calibration (SS)						
±15 VDC input/0 - 1 VDC bidirectional output	B1					B2
±15 VDC input/0 - 10 VDC bidirectional output	B2					
±15 VDC input/0 - 5 VDC bidirectional output	B3					
+24-32 VDC excitation/4 - 20 mA bidirectional output	B4					
+24 VDC input/0 - 1 VDC bidirectional output	B5					
+24 VDC input/0 - 5 VDC bidirectional output	B7					
±15 VDC input/0 - 1 VDC unidirectional output	U1					
±15 VDC input/0 - 10 VDC unidirectional output	U2					
±15 VDC input/0 - 5 VDC unidirectional output	U3					
+24-32 VDC excitation/4 - 20 mA unidirectional output	U4					
+24 VDC input/0 - 1 VDC unidirectional output	U5					
+24 VDC input/0 - 5 VDC unidirectional output	U7					
Electrical Connector (T)						
9-pin D-subminiature (standard)	A					A
Terminal block adaptor, 5-post	T					
Flying lead adaptor, 10 ft (3 m) length	L					
Mounting (V)						
No bracket	0					1
Mounting bracket, standard	1					
Mounting bracket, slotted	2					



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