



SENS.5 USER MANUAL v1.2



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In this document

Indicates safety advice that must be strictly followed



Indicates useful information and advice



Circled numbers in the text refer to the parts described in Figure 1 (See page 4)



Acronyms

RMA Return Material Authorization



Figure 1: SENS.5 parts

- 1 Pressure sensor (membrane + electronic)
- 2 Sensor cable

Function	Ground	Supply	Output Signal
Color of the wires	white	brown	green

Table 1: SENS.5 cable

1 Introduction

1.1 Product family

The SENS.5 product family are absolute pressure sensors used as a submersible gauge to measure the liquid level. The measured pressure value is amplified and translated into an analog ratiometric voltage.

1.2 Specifications

Dimensions \emptyset 22 mm × 58 mm

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 $3 \times 0.25 \, \text{mm}^2 / 23 \, \text{AWG}$ Connections

-40°C...60°C Operating temperature

Pressure range 800 mbar...1400 mbar absolute

Total error band ±3% of full span

Cable length 5 m Operating supply voltage 5 V ±5% Output ratiometric signal 0.5 V...4.5 V Current consumption 2.5 mA

1.3 Contact information

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2 Health, Safety, Security & Environment

2.1 Qualified personnel



The protection level is guaranteed only if the SENS.5 has been installed by trained qualified technicians.

2.2 Explosion protection



SENS.5 are designed and certified for use in hazardous locations as defined in ATEX directive or IECEx standards (For details see Chapter 4.2 page 8).

2.3 Recycling



According to local laws and regulations, they should be disposed of separately from household waste. When they reach their end of life, they should be taken to a collection point specified by local authorities. Some collection points accept such items free-of-charge. The separate collection and recycling of such items at the time of disposal helps preserve natural resources and ensures that recycling is carried out in a way that protects human health and the environment.

3 Sensor mounting

3.1 Pressure sensors

A pressure sensor must be placed at the bottom of the tank for monitoring tanks with liquid products. If the tank is hermetically sealed an additional reference sensor is needed at the top of the tank. Additional tight cable glands needs to be used in order to avoid a leak of the liquid. Requirements for the sensor may vary based on the liquid to be monitored. It is, therefore, indispensable to choose the correct sensor to ensure that the installation runs reliably.

In case of a hazardous location or explosible atmosphere, the sensor must be connected to an intrinsically safe device providing a limited and know power, current and voltage. To work the sensor requires a connection to a power-supply and the output value can be measured on the ratiometric output. The color of connection of the cable is defined in the table 1. The insulation of the wires have to be stripped on the connection side in order to ensure a good contact.

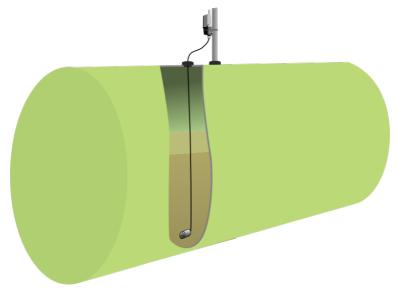


Figure 2: Sensor installed at the bottom of a tank

4 Support

4.1 Return

Only return SENS.5 under warranty after attribution of a Return Material Authorization (RMA) by Sensile Technologies SA's helpdesk. The returned SENS.5 must be clearly marked with the RMA number.

4.2 Hazardous location certification

4.2.1 Applied standards

EN IEC 60079-0:2018 EN 60079-11:2012 IEC 60079-0 Edition 7.0 IEC 60079-11 Edition 6.0

4.2.2 ATEX product classification

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4.2.3 IECEx product classification

Ex ia IIB T4 Ga

4.3 Sensor input parameters

 $U_i = 15 \text{ V}$ $I_i = 250 \text{ mA}$ $P_i = 937 \text{ mW}$ $C_i = 1.89 \mu\text{F}$ $L_i = 0 \text{ mH}$

Table 4: Sensor parameters



Before installing the sensor into a explosible atmosphere the following parameters must be compared to the entity parameters of the measuring device. Those parameters must follow the rules shown in Table 5.

Intrinsically Safe Equipment		Associated Apparatus				
U_i	\geqslant	U_o				
I_i	\geqslant	I_{o}				
P_i	≽	P_o				
$C_i + C_{cable}$	\leq	C_o				
$L_i + L_{cable}$	\leq	L_o				
Table 5: Safety parameters rules						

4.3.1 *SENS.5* marking

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Figure 3: SENS.5 for use in hazardous locations