## Paddle Bellows Flow Switch




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Paddle Bellows Flow Switch Model FPS

## Description

The KOBOLD model FPS flow switch operates according to the proven paddle bellows principle. The flowing media acts upon the paddle, actuating a micro switch. The switching point may be freely adjusted and the device mated to different nominal pipe sizes by means of both the replaceable paddle and the easily accessible range screw located within the housing. The electrical switching cavity is separated hermetically from the process fluid by means of a bellows. The FPS-6000P version of the flow switch has been specially designed to accommodate lower switching values than standard. Although horizontal flow orientation is preferred, the devices may be installed in any orientation with some additional variation to the switching ranges indicated in the order details section seen below.

## Applications

- Monitoring Cooling or Lubricant Circuits
- Dry-Run Protection for Pumps
- Prevention of Low Water Levels


## Technical Details

| Brass Design: | Bellows: MS 58 Bronze <br> Paddles: $4 \times$ Stainless Steel 316L |
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| Stainless Steel Design: | Bellows: Stainless Steel 321 <br>  <br> Paddles: $4 \times$ Stainless Steel 316L |
| Process Connection: | $1^{1 " ~ N P T ~ M a l e ~}$ |
| Max. Media Temperature: | $-40 . . .250^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$ |
| Max. Ambient Temp: | $-30 \ldots 150^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$ |
| Max. Allowed Pressure: | Brass: 160 PSIG <br>  <br> Stainless Steel: 435 PSIG |



Max. Pressure Loss:
Inlet/Outlet Pipe Section: $5 \times$ Nominal Pipe Size
Electrical Details
Switch:
Switching Voltage:
Switching Current:
Electrical Connection:
Case:

Protection Type:

Approx. 0.15 ...0.44 PSIG

SPDT Contact
Max. 24... $250 V_{A C}$ Max. 8 A (Inductive Load) Max. 15 A (Resistive Load)
Cable Gland
Base: ABS
Cover: PC (Transparent) IP 65

## Electrical Connection

RED-WHITE opens with reduction in flow
RED-BLUE closes with reduction in flow

## Order Details

| Pipe Size | Standard Switching Ranges Series FPS-5... |  |  |  |  | Special Switching Ranges Series FPS-6... |  |  |  |  |
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|  | GPM <br> (Water) De-actuating* | GPM (Water) Actuating* | Max. Flow Rate (Water) | Model Number |  | GPM <br> (Water) De-actuating | GPM (Water) Actuating* | Max. Flow Rate (Water) | Model Number |  |
|  |  |  |  | Brass | St. Steel |  |  |  | Brass | St. Steel |
| 1" | 2.6...8.8 | 4.4...9.3 | 15.8 | FPS-5100P | FPS-5200P | 0.9...4.4 | 2.6...4.8 | 15.8 | FPS-6100P | FPS-6200P |
| 1-1/4" | 3.5...12.3 | 5.7...13.2 | 26.4 |  |  | 1.1...6.2 | 4.0...7.0 | 26.4 |  |  |
| 1-1/2" | 4.8...16.3 | 7.5...17.6 | 39.6 |  |  | 2.2...7.0 | 5.3...9.7 | 39.6 |  |  |
| 2" | 9.7...25.1 | 13.7...26.9 | 66.0 |  |  | 4.0...15.9 | 10.1...18.1 | 66.0 |  |  |
| 2-1/2" | 11.9...28.6 | 17.6...30.8 | 105 |  |  | 5.3..21.6 | 13.7...24.2 | 105 |  |  |
| $3{ }^{\prime \prime}$ | 18.9...47.1 | 27.3...50.2 | 158 |  |  | 9.3...32.6 | 21.6...36.1 | 158 |  |  |
| 4" | $\begin{aligned} & 50.2 \ldots 122.0 \\ & (26.9 \ldots .76 .2) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 64.7 \ldots 127.7 \\ & (35.2 \ldots . .81 .0) \end{aligned}$ | 264 |  |  | $\begin{gathered} 21.6 \ldots 75.3 \\ (14.5 \ldots 51.0) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 49.8 \ldots 84.1 \\ (33.9 \ldots . .57 .2) \end{gathered}$ | 264 |  |  |
| 5" | $\begin{aligned} & 100.8 \ldots 234.7 \\ & (41.0-111.0) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 125.1 \ldots 244.8 \\ & (56.8 \ldots 118.0) \end{aligned}$ | 413 |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 42.7 \ldots 149.7 \\ & (22.0 . .77 .0) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 98.6 \ldots 166.9 \\ & (50.6 \ldots 86.3) \end{aligned}$ | 413 |  |  |
| $6{ }^{\prime \prime}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 158.1 \ldots 360.0 \\ & (54.2 \ldots 134.7) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 189.8 \ldots 375.0 \\ & (74.0 . .144 .0) \end{aligned}$ | 528 |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 59.9...209.6 } \\ & (26.9 . . .94 .2) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 138.7 \ldots 234.2 \\ & (62.1 \ldots 105.2) \end{aligned}$ | 528 |  |  |
| 8" | $\begin{gathered} 319.7 \ldots 729.6 \\ (170.0 \ldots 400.0) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 374.7 \ldots 759.5 \\ (204.7 \ldots 414.8) \end{gathered}$ | 1056 |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 113.2 \ldots 396.7 \\ & (95.6 \ldots 243.5) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 262.4 \ldots 443.4 \\ (160.7 \ldots 272.1) \end{gathered}$ | 1056 |  |  |

[^0]Order Details Spare Parts

| Model | Description | Image |
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| FPS-PPDSS | Set of Spares Paddles for FPS |  |

## Dimensions (mm)



## Paddles




[^0]:    * Stack all paddles together for the values in brackets. The longest paddle has to be shortened accordingly for service in 4"...6" pipes.

