



# Variable Area Flow Meter for low volume flow

## KDS

- Flow measuring of liquids and gas
  - Can be used in the chemical industry or in medical or laboratory engineering.
  - Precision, reliability and efficiency are the remarkable features of this device.
  - Robust mechanical system with a low rate of wear
- **NEW**  
**Analog output 4-20 mA**  
**for all measuring ranges**



## Function

The fluid flows from bottom to top through the meter tube of the flow meter. The float is lifted until an annular gap between the measuring cone and the float is produced which corresponds to the flow. The forces acting on the float are in equilibrium.

The height of the float resulting from the flow rate is transmitted by the permanent magnet in the float through the magnetic tracking system in a rotation to the pointer axis of the analog indicator unit.

The variable-area flowmeter consists of a stainless steel device with an integrated conical stainless steel measuringtube and a vertically movable float. The valve for setting the flow rate is built-in (only KDS-K/C).

## Application

The KDS meter is suitable for flow measurement of liquid or gaseous products in pipes. It shows the current flow rate in volume or mass per unit in time.

Applications: flow measurement, dosing, monitoring, adjusting and control of liquid and gaseous products.

The devices are available with additional electrical equipment for process monitoring and control.

- Design for horizontal and vertical connections available
- A variety of sealing materials
- Wall mounting possibility (KDS-C)
- Differential Pressure Flow Controller (option) (KDS-R)
- High pressure versions (option)
- Flange version (BGK)
- Analog output KDS(BGK)-E

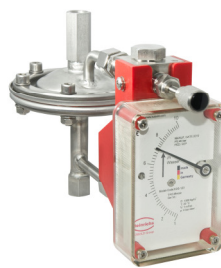
## Versions:



KDS-K/C



KDS-S



KDS-R



BGK



KDS/BGK - E (with analog output)



### Measuring Ranges:

Reference condition: water at 20°C acc. VDE/ VDI 3513

#### KDS-K, C

Range	H <sub>2</sub> O [l/h]	Air [NI/h] 1,013 bar abs.	press.loss H <sub>2</sub> O [mbar *]
A	0,1-1,0	5-50	6
B	0,25-2,5	15-80	7
C	0,6-6,0	40-210	7
D	1,0-10	60-350	10
E	1,6-16	48-480	12
F	2,5-25	75-750	17
G	4,0-40	120-1200	25
H	6,0-60	180-1800	45
I	10-100	300-3000	95

\*full open valve

#### KDS-S

Range	H <sub>2</sub> O [l/h]	Luft [NI/h] 1,013 bar abs.	press.loss H <sub>2</sub> O [mbar]
A	0,1-1,0	5-50	6
B	0,25-2,5	15-80	7,5
C	0,6-6,0	40-210	7,5
D	1,0-10	60-350	8
E	1,6-16	48-480	9
F	2,5-25	75-750	10
G	4,0-40	120-1200	11
H	6,0-60	180-1800	12
I	10-100	300-3000	15
J	16-160	480-4800	20
K	20-200	600-6000	28

#### KDS-R

Range	H <sub>2</sub> O [l/h]	Air [NI/h] 1,013 bar abs.
A	0,1-1,0	5-50
B	0,25-2,5	15-80
C	0,6-6,0	40-210
D	1,0-10	60-350
E	1,6-16	48-480
F	2,5-25	75-750
G	4,0-40	120-1200
H	6,0-60	180-1800
I	10-100	300-3000

#### BGK

Range	H <sub>2</sub> O [l/h]	Air [NI/h] 1,013 bar abs	Press.loss H <sub>2</sub> O [mbar]
A	0,1-1,0	5-50	6
B	0,25-2,5	15-80	7,5
C	0,6-6,0	40-210	7,5
D	1,0-10	60-350	8
E	1,6-16	48-480	9
F	2,5-25	75-750	10
G	4,0-40	120-1200	11
H	6,0-60	180-1800	12
I	10-100	300-3000	15
J	16-160	480-4800	20
K	20-200	600-6000	28



## Technical data

### Sensor

Materials:	Polyamid; , cover Ultramid	
Indicator housing	Stainless steel 1.4404 / 1.4571 (316L / 316TI)	
Measuring cone, float, armature:	other materials on request	
Sealing:	Valve sealing: KDS-K/C/R : PTFE	
	Conus sealing KDS-S: PTFE	
	Regulator membrane KDS-R: Viton(standard), PTFE	
Process connection:	KDS-K/S/C :standard 1/4" NPT (F), Ermeto / Swagelok: 6/8/10/12/15 mm; G 1/4 (M), G 1/2 (M) Hose connection 1/4" ( 6,35 mm) as Adapter available Special connection on request	
	BGK: flange DN 10/15/25 PN40; ANSI 1/2 / 3/4 /1" Class 150/300/600	
Nominal pressure:	(KDS-K, C,/ BGK)	PN 40
	(KDS-S)	PN 63 (optional up to 420 bar)
	(KDS-R.)	16 bar (Special versions up to PN40)
	(max. unilateral pressure rating of the membrane = 7 bar)	
Process temperature:	-40°C up to +130°C (without switch/ electronic)	
	Limit switch: NJ1,5-6,5N -25...+100°; NJ 2-11SN -40...+100°C	
	-40°C up to +100°C (c/w electronic KDS-...E)	
Ambient temperature:	-25°C up to +70°C	
Weight:	KDS-K/C/S	0,65 kg
	KDS-R	1,4 kg
	BGK	2,4 kg
Ingress protection:	IP 65 (EN60529)	

### Certification

Explosion protection: BVS 03 ATEX H/B 113

### Display

%-scale  
Measuring range scale

### Electrical outputs

1 up to max. 2 inductive limit switches, NAMUR  
(Pepperl & Fuchs NJ 1,5-6,5N); 8,2 V (R<sub>i</sub> ~1KΩ)  
(NJ 2-11-SN); 5...25 VDC (safety wiring)

Analog output (KDS-...E) 4-20 mA, 2-wire, passive; 14-30V ; burden max. 500Ω  
version non Ex or Ex (intrinsically safe)  
electrical connection via M12 plug

Ambient temperature: -25°C up to +70°C

### Accuracy

Liquid/Gas: ± 3% qG 50 acc. VDE/VDI 3513

### Certification

Explosion protection: NJ1,5-6,5N PTB 00 ATEX 2048 X II 2G Ex ia IIC T6-T4  
NJ 2-11SN PTB 00 ATEX 2049 X II 2G Ex ia IIC T6-T4  
ZELM 03 ATEX 0128 X II 1D Ex iaD 20 T...°C  
KDS-(E) II 2G Ex ib IIC T4 Gb, II 2D Ex ib IIIC T 135°C Db

CE-Marking: Explosion Protection Directive 94/9/EC, PED 97/23/EG

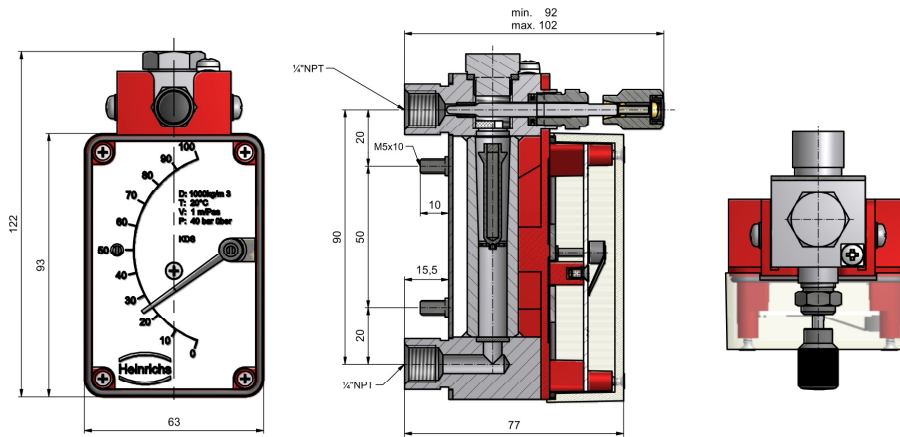
Electromagnetic compatibility for add-on electrical sensors: EMC-Directive 2004/108/EG  
EN 61326-1:2006

SIL SIL conformity acc. IEC-61508-2:2000 and IEC-61508-2:2010,  
declaration of conformity as separate document available

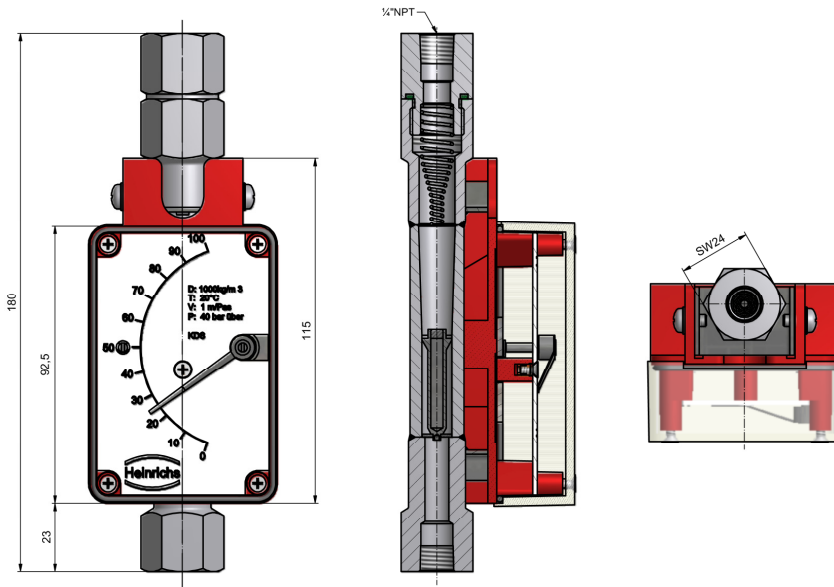


## Dimensions

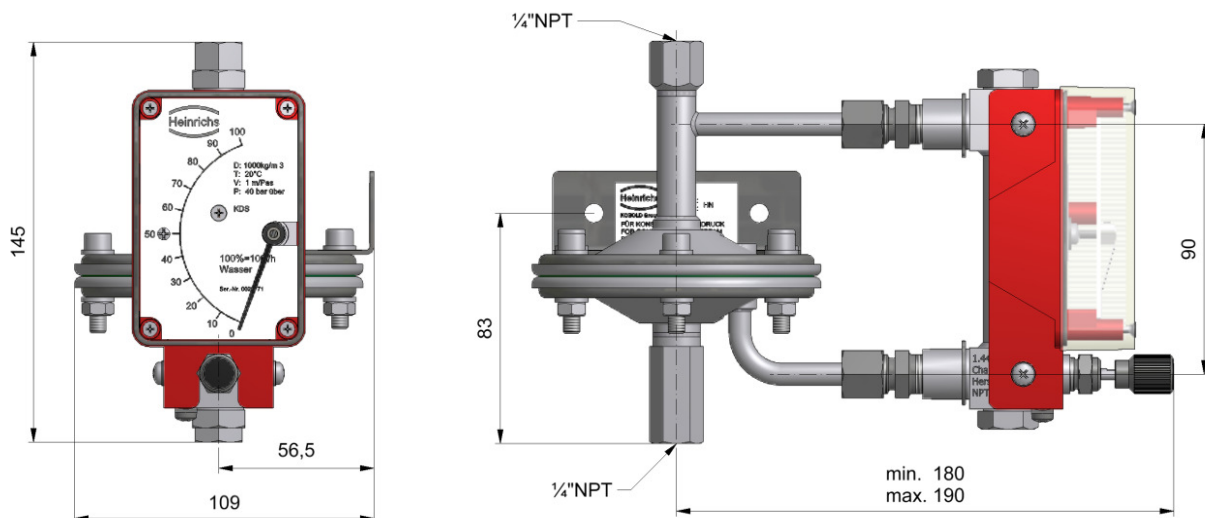
### KDS-K, C



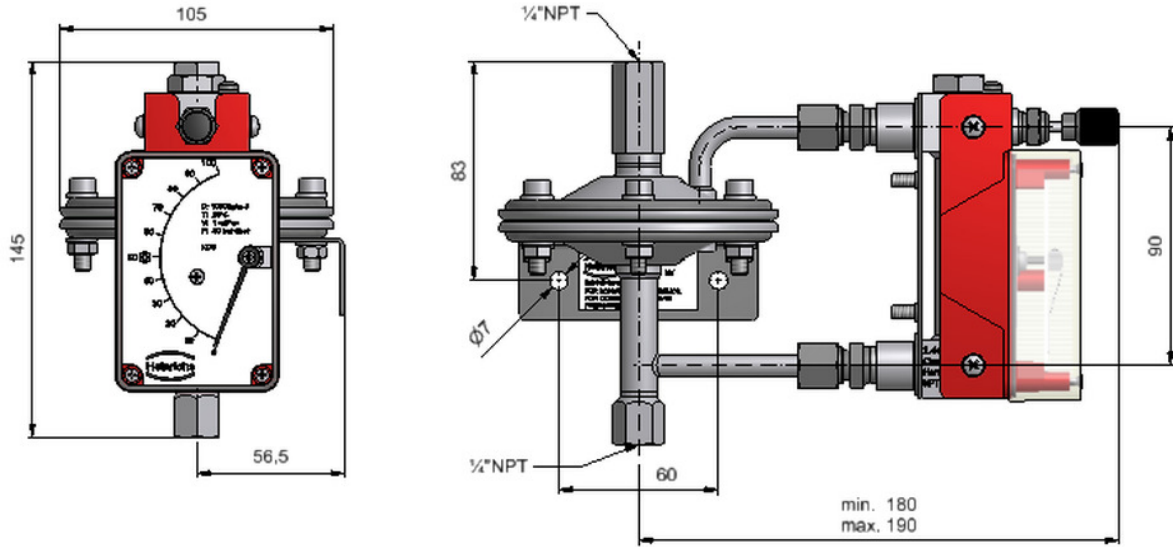
### KDS-S



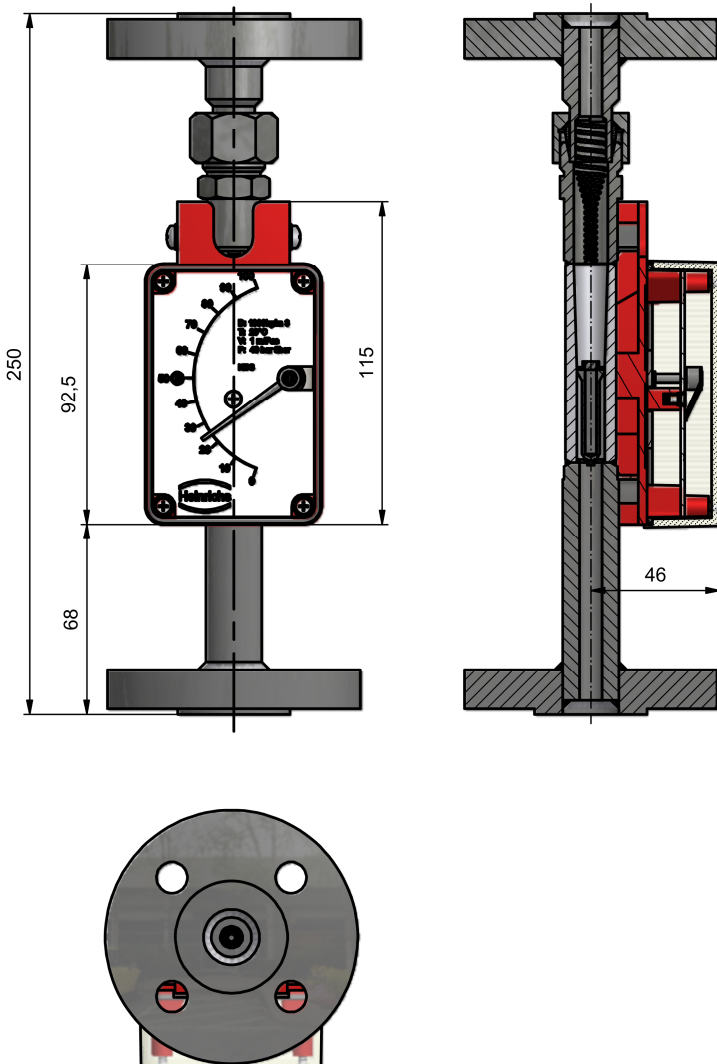
### KDS-R...-N with conn 1/4" NPT (F) version with constant outlet pressure



KDS-R...-V with conn. 1/4" NPT (F) version with constant inlet pressure



BGK





**MODEL CODE**

KDS	
-	<b>Model</b>
K	Variable Area Flowmeter, rear connection.
C	Variable Area Flowmeter, for panel mounting.
S	Variable Area Flowmeter, inline version.
-	<b>Range</b> <span style="float: right;">Air 1,013 bar abs.,</span>
A	H <sub>2</sub> O: 0,1 - 1 l/h <span style="float: right;">Air 5-50 NI/h</span>
B	H <sub>2</sub> O: 0,25 - 2,5 l/h <span style="float: right;">Air 15-80 NI/h</span>
C	H <sub>2</sub> O: 0,6 - 6 l/h <span style="float: right;">Air 40-210 NI/h</span>
D	H <sub>2</sub> O: 1 - 10 l/h <span style="float: right;">Air 60-350 NI/h</span>
E	H <sub>2</sub> O: 1,6 - 16 l/h <span style="float: right;">Air 48-480 NI/h</span>
F	H <sub>2</sub> O: 2,5 - 25 l/h <span style="float: right;">Air 75-750 NI/h</span>
G	H <sub>2</sub> O: 4 - 40 l/h <span style="float: right;">Air 120-1200 NI/h</span>
H	H <sub>2</sub> O: 6 - 60 l/h <span style="float: right;">Air 180-1800 NI/h</span>
I	H <sub>2</sub> O: 10 - 100 l/h <span style="float: right;">Air 300-3000 NI/h</span>
J	H <sub>2</sub> O: 16 - 160 l/h <b>ONL</b> <span style="float: right;">Luft 480-4800 NI/h <b>ONLY KDS-S</b></span>
K	H <sub>2</sub> O: 20 - 200 l/h <b>ONL</b> <span style="float: right;">Luft 600-6000 NI/h <b>ONLY KDS-S</b></span>
-	<b>Sealing</b>
P	PTFE
X	Special option (acc. customer specification)
-	<b>Valve</b>
3	without <span style="float: right;">Standard for KDS-S</span>
U	bottom not with el. output "E" <span style="float: right;"><b>(not for KDS-S)</b></span>
O	top (standard) <span style="float: right;"><b>(not for KDS-S)</b></span>
-	<b>Certificates</b>
0	without
1	Certificate of compliance with the order, 2.1 <span style="float: right;">(13,00 €) 2)</span>
2	Test report, 2.2 <span style="float: right;">(13,00 €) 2)</span>
B	Inspection certificate 3.1 with material certificate (DIN EN 10204:2004) <span style="float: right;"><b>(only on KDS-S)</b></span>
C	Inspection certificate 3.2 with material certificate (DIN EN 10204:2004) <span style="float: right;"><b>(only on KDS-S)</b></span>
-	<b>Scale</b> <span style="float: right;">Approval</span>
A	%-Scale (H2O) <span style="float: right;">IIC 2GD c IIC (BVS 03 ATEX H-B 113)</span>
B	Measuring Range-Scale (H2O) <span style="float: right;">IIC 2GD c IIC (BVS 03 ATEX H-B 113)</span>
C	Standard-scale (Air) <span style="float: right;">IIC 2GD c IIC (BVS 03 ATEX H-B 113)</span>
D	%-Scale (Media) <span style="float: right;">IIC 2GD c IIC (BVS 03 ATEX H-B 113)</span>
E	Measuring Range-Scale (Media) <span style="float: right;">IIC 2GD c IIC (BVS 03 ATEX H-B 113)</span>
F	Double scale acc customer specification
X	Agency approved, customer specified.
-	<b>Switches</b> <span style="float: right;">Processtemperature</span>
0	without <span style="float: right;">-40°C - +130°C</span>
1	1 x inductive switch, initiator (NJ 1,5-6,5-N) <span style="float: right;">-25°C - +100°C</span>
2	2 x inductive switch, initiator (NJ 1,5-6,5-N) <span style="float: right;">-25°C - +100°C</span>
3	1 x inductive switch, initiator (NJ 2-11-SN) <span style="float: right;">-25°C - +100°C</span>
A	KEI 1 (NJ 1,5 - 6,5 N) Harting <span style="float: right;">-25°C - +100°C</span>
B	KEI 2 (NJ 1,5 - 6,5 N) Harting <span style="float: right;">-25°C - +100°C</span>
E	Transmitter 4-20mA w/o HART <b>ATEX expected Q3 2012</b>
X	Agency approved, customer specified.
-	<b>Accessories</b>
0	without
X	with (separate specification necessary)


**BGK**

	<b>Flange connection</b>
-	
301B	DN10 PN40 Form B1 DIN EN 1092-1
305B	DN15 PN40 Form B1 DIN EN 1092-1
305D	DN15 PN40 Form D DIN EN 1092-1
309B	DN25 PN40 Form B1 DIN EN 1092-1
309D	DN25 PN40 Form D DIN EN 1092-1
201R	1/2" Class 150 RF ASME B16.5-2003
221R	1/2" Class 300 RF ASME B16.5-2003
241R	1/2" Class 600 RF ASME B16.5-2003
202R	3/4" Class 150 RF ASME B16.5-2003
222R	3/4" Class 300 RF ASME B16.5-2003
203R	1" Class 150 RF ASME B16.5-2003
223R	1" Class 300 RF ASME B16.5-2003
203J	1" Class 150 RTJ ASME B16.5-2003
223J	1" Class 300 RTJ ASME B16.5-2003
XXXX	special connection

	<b>Range</b>	<b>Air 1,013 bar</b>
A	H <sub>2</sub> O: 0,1 - 1 l/h	Air 5-50 NI/h
B	H <sub>2</sub> O: 0,25 - 2,5 l/h	Air 15-80 NI/h
C	H <sub>2</sub> O: 0,6 - 6 l/h	Air 40-210 NI/h
D	H <sub>2</sub> O: 1 - 10 l/h	Air 60-350 NI/h
E	H <sub>2</sub> O: 1,6 - 16 l/h	Air 48-480 NI/h
F	H <sub>2</sub> O: 2,5 - 25 l/h	Air 75-750 NI/h
G	H <sub>2</sub> O: 4 - 40 l/h	Air 120-1200 NI/h
H	H <sub>2</sub> O: 6 - 60 l/h	Air 180-1800 NI/h
I	H <sub>2</sub> O: 10 - 100 l/h	Air 300-3000 NI/h
J	H <sub>2</sub> O: 16 - 160 l/h	Air 480-4800 NI/h
K	H <sub>2</sub> O: 20 - 200 l/h	Air 600-6000 NI/h
-		

	<b>Certificates</b>
0	without
1	Certificate of compliance with the order, 2.1 (13,00 €) 2)
2	Test report, 2.2 (13,00 €) 2)
B	Inspection certificate 3.1 with material certificate (DIN EN 10204:2004)
C	Inspection certificate 3.2 with material certificate (DIN EN 10204:2004)
-	

	<b>Scale</b>	<b>Approval</b>
A	%-Scale (H <sub>2</sub> O)	IIC 2GD c IIC (BVS 03 ATEX H-B 113)
B	Measuring Range-Scale (H <sub>2</sub> O)	IIC 2GD c IIC (BVS 03 ATEX H-B 113)
C	Measuring Range-Scale (Air)	IIC 2GD c IIC (BVS 03 ATEX H-B 113)
D	%-Scale (Media)	IIC 2GD c IIC (BVS 03 ATEX H-B 113)
E	Measuring Range-Scale (Media)	IIC 2GD c IIC (BVS 03 ATEX H-B 113)
F	Double scale acc customer specification	
X	special acc customer specification.	

	<b>Switches</b>	<b>Processtemperat</b>
0	without	-40°C - +130°C
1	1 x inductive switch, initiator (NJ 1,5-6,5-N)	-25°C - +100°C
2	2 x inductive switch, initiator (NJ 1,5-6,5-N)	-25°C - +100°C
3	1 x inductive switch, initiator (NJ 2-11-SN)	-25°C - +100°C
A	KEI 1 (NJ 1,5 - 6,5 N) Harting	-25°C - +100°C
B	KEI 2 (NJ 1,5 - 6,5 N) Harting	-25°C - +100°C
E	Transmitter 4-20mA w/o HART	<b>ATEX expected Q3 2012</b>
X	Agency approved, customer specified.	
-		

	<b>Accessories</b>
0	without
X	with (separate specification necessary)





**KDS**

-	<b>Model</b>	
R	<b>Flow Controller, vertical connection,</b>	
A	<b>Range</b>	<b>Air 1,013 bar</b>
B	H <sub>2</sub> O: 0,1 - 1 l/h	Air 5-50 NI/h
C	H <sub>2</sub> O: 0,25 - 2,5 l/h	Air 15-80 NI/h
D	H <sub>2</sub> O: 0,6 - 6 l/h	Air 40-210 NI/h
E	H <sub>2</sub> O: 1 - 10 l/h	Air 60-350 NI/h
F	H <sub>2</sub> O: 1,6 - 16 l/h	Air 48-480 NI/h
G	H <sub>2</sub> O: 2,5 - 25 l/h	Air 75-750 NI/h
H	H <sub>2</sub> O: 4 - 40 l/h	Air 120-1200 NI/h
I	H <sub>2</sub> O: 6 - 60 l/h	Air 180-1800 NI/h
-	H <sub>2</sub> O: 10 - 100 l/h	Air 300-3000 NI/h
P	<b>Sealing</b>	
X	PTFE	
	Special option (acc. customer specification)	
M	<b>Material requirement (Block-no. 4)</b>	
X	standard	
	Special option (acc. customer specification)	
U	<b>Valve</b>	
O	without	
-	bottom not with el. output "E"	
	top	
0	<b>Certificates</b>	
1	without	
2	Certificate of compliance with the order, 2.1	(13,00 €) 2)
-	Test report, 2.2	(13,00 €) 2)
A	<b>Scale</b>	<b>Approval</b>
B	%-Scale (H2O)	IIC 2GD c IIC (BVS 03 ATEX H-B 113)
C	Measuring Range-Scale (H2O)	IIC 2GD c IIC (BVS 03 ATEX H-B 113)
D	Measuring Range-Scale (Air)	IIC 2GD c IIC (BVS 03 ATEX H-B 113)
E	%-Scale (Media)	IIC 2GD c IIC (BVS 03 ATEX H-B 113)
F	Measuring Range-Scale (Media)	IIC 2GD c IIC (BVS 03 ATEX H-B 113)
X	Double scale acc customer specification	
	Special acc. customer specification	
0	<b>Switches</b>	<b>Processtemperat</b>
1	without	-40°C - +130°C
2	1 x inductive switch, initiator (NJ 1,5-6,5-N)	-25°C - +100°C
3	2 x inductive switch, initiator (NJ 1,5-6,5-N)	-25°C - +100°C
A	1 x inductive switch, initiator (NJ 2-11-SN)	-25°C - +100°C
B	KEI 1 (NJ 1,5 - 6,5 N) Harting	-25°C - +100°C
E	KEI 2 (NJ 1,5 - 6,5 N) Harting	-25°C - +100°C
X	Transmitter 4-20mA w/o HART	<b>ATEX expected Q3 2012</b>
-	Agency approved, customer specified.	
V	<b>Flow-Controller (stainless steel)</b>	
N	Upstream pressure constant / downstream pressure variabel (HV)	Valve on outlet
	Downstream pressure konstant / upstream pressure variabel (HN)	Valve on inlet
V	<b>Diaphragm material</b>	
P	Viton (standard)	
	PTFE	
16	<b>Pressure</b>	
25	max. 16 bar	max. pressure difference 7 bar
-	max. 25 bar, Valve not closing	max. pressure difference 7 bar
0	<b>Accessories</b>	
X	without	
	with (separate specification necessary)	



For further information see device description KDS-BGK\_GB\_XX\_en.  
Subjects to change without notice.

Heinrichs Messtechnik GmbH

P. O. Box 600260  
D-50682 Cologne

Robert-Perthel-Straße 9  
D-50739 Cologne

Phone +49-221-49708-0  
Fax +49-221-49708-178

[www.heinrichs.eu](http://www.heinrichs.eu)  
[info@heinrichs.eu](mailto:info@heinrichs.eu)