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LOW PRESSURE TRANSDUCER

Model RU-274/275



 100% solid state, micro-machined, glass-on-silicon, ultrastable capacitance sensor

- · Can resolve less than 0.00001"w.c. (0.00025 pa)
- Up to 10 PSID overpressure without zero shift
- · Up to 6 field selectable ranges in one unit
- Wide 12-35 VAC and 12-40 VDC unregulated supply voltage
- · Non-interacting zero and span trimmers
- · NIST traceable calibration
- Two rugged steel enclosure types NEMA 4 (IP-65) or panel mount for ease of installation
- · Short circuit and reverse polarity protected
- Conforms to EMC standards EN 50082-1/ EN55014/ EN60730-1

The RU-274/275 incorporates a new micro-machined glass-onsilicon (GI-Si) capacitance sensor. This technology revolutionizes very low pressure measurement. Temperature related zero drift, calibration shift due to overpressure, non-repeatability, non-linearity, and extremely low pressure sensitivity have been some of the problems which have plagued the controls industry. The RU-274/275 with the new GI-Si technology not only addresses all of the above shortcomings, but for the first time offers a reliable, accurate means to measure and control building/room pressure, airflow, duct pressure, filter pressure drop, or any other extremely low pressure application. Up to six field selectable direct or compound ranges, two enclosure types, field selectable outputs, fully temperature compensated NIST traceable accuracy, non-interacting zero and span adjustments, short circuit and reverse polarity protected output are some of the features which make the RU-274/275 the industry's highest performance, ultra-stable, low pressure transducer.

SUGGESTED SPECIFICATION

Accuracy: ± 1% full scale (includes non-linearity, hysteresis and

non-repeatability)

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Overpressure: 10 PSID

Supply Voltage: 12-40 VDC or 12-35 VAC

Supply Current: 10 mA max.

Enclosure: 18 gauge cold rolled steel NEMA 4 (IP-65) or panel

mount chassis

Finish: Baked on enamel-PMS2GR88B

Compensated Temp Range: 25°F-150°F (-4°C-65°C)

T. C. Error: ±0.0125%/°F (.02%/°C)

Operating Temp Range: 0°F-175°F (-18°C-80°C)

Media Compatibility: Clean dry air or any inert gas

Environmental: 10-90%RH non-condensing

Termination: Unpluggable screw terminal block

Wire Size: 12 gauge maximum Load Impedance: 1K ohms min. Weight: Enclosure 1.0 lbs. (.45 kg), Panel Mount: 0.5lbs. (.25 kg)

The RU-274/275 incorporates sophisticated integrated circuits to not only provide a high level, fully conditioned and temperature compensated output, but also to offer field selectable flexibility. The RU-274/275 offers up to six field selectable pressure ranges in one unit. The exact pressure range does not need to be known prior to selection. By merely knowing the application, a unit may be selected and then later field configured for the desired pressure range. With fixed range units, numerous units have to be kept in stock as spares to cover all ranges in case of field failure. The RU-274/275 with the field selectable pressure range feature, eliminates costly inefficiencies. A single unit can be configured to cover all the pressure ranges in a particular application thereby eliminating any possibility of incorrect range selection. Additionally, one unit can be kept in stock and can be field configured thereby eliminating the need to stock numerous fixed range units. (For a complete listing of all the ranges available, please see the ordering information section on page three.)

On VDC output units, two field selectable options are available: dual outputs 0-5 or 0-10 VDC, and dual unregulated supply voltages 12-35 VAC or 12-40 VDC. By merely moving a dip switch, one can select the desired output for the specific application. As far as supply voltage is concerned, the unit automatically configures for AC or DC and no field selection is necessary. Another feature is that the output is fully protected from short circuit to ground, or if the supply voltage is applied by mistake to the output. Past experience demonstrates that field related wiring problems do occur. Instead of denying this fact, the protection circuit is designed in to ensure trouble-free start-up. The VDC output unit is also designed to handle low impedance circuits. In fact, the unit can drive up to 1K ohms minimum. In this way, multiple controllers, indicators, or other devices can be paralleled to the output without performance degradation.

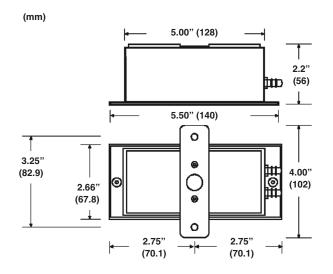
Automated NIST traceable pressure controllers and precision Barocel® pressure sensors are utilized to calibrate and certify the

RU-274/275 transducers. Calibration data on each unit is archived digitally for SPC and QC purposes. All automated calibration systems are networked and data is available on-line to numerous individuals at the same time. In this way, extremely high standards of quality and calibration integrity are maintained. Each unit is individually temperature compensated in an environmental chamber. The temperature compensation data is also digitized and archived for future reference purposes. Compensating each unit individually ensures that published specifications are adhered to.

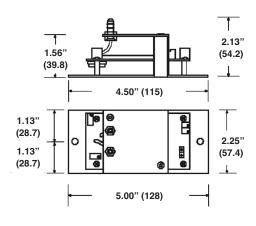
Due to the low mass of the micro-machined capacitance GI-Si sensor, the mounting orientation error for ranges higher than 1.0"wc (250 pa) is negligible. For extremely low ranges, the unit should be installed as indicated on the label, to avoid orientation error. However, due to space limitation, if the unit cannot be installed in the indicated position, the error can be easily removed by merely adjusting the zero trimmer. Since the zero and span trimmers are non-interactive, adjustment to the zero should under no circumstance affect the calibration integrity of the unit including linearity and repeatability specifications across the range.

The RU-274/275 is available with two packaging options: a NEMA 4 (IP-65) fully gasketed, dust proof and splash proof enclosure, or a lightweight but rugged panel mount chassis for ease of installation with minimum space requirement in a control panel. The NEMA 4 (IP-65) enclosure has an external mounting bracket to facilitate field installation. A 1/2" (.875"/ 22.25mm dia.) knock-out for conduit connection is also provided. A liquid tight cable connector is also supplied if the unit is not being hard wired. Once installed, the enclosure maintains its environmental rating and protects the electronics and the sensing element from condensation, corrosive contaminants and other environmental pollutants. Both packaging options also have additional features for ease of installation, including unpluggable terminal blocks, rugged brass hose barbs, easily accessible zero and span trimmers, and conveniently located dip switches for field selection.

DIMENSIONAL DETAILS



ENCLOSURE MOUNT

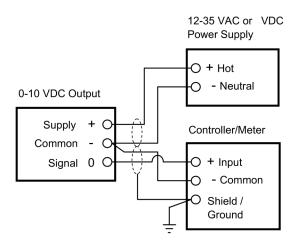


PANEL MOUNT

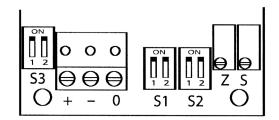
ORDERING INFORMATION

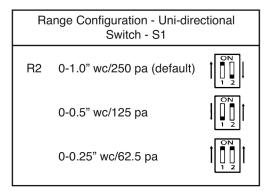
PACKAGING	RANGE			OUTPUT	
274 (NEMA 4 Enclosure) 275 (Panel Mount Chassis)	(w.c) [0.0 to 1.0] [0.0 to 0.5] [0.0 to 0.25] [-0.5 to +0.5] [-0.25 to +0.25] [-0.125 to +0.125] Field Sel	(Pa) [0 to 249] [0 to 125] [0 to 62.5] [-125 to 125] [-62.5 to 62.5] [-31.25 to 31.25] ectable	VDC	[0-5 VDC] [0-10 VDC] Field Selectable	

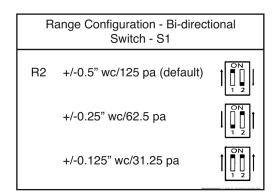
WIRING DETAIL



Dip Switch settings for field selecting pressure range







Dip Switch settings for field selecting output

