

PIT LEVEL







Encoder Interface



Ultrasonic Pulse-Echo Sensor for Monitoring Pit Levels

- Pit volume single active pit
- Pit Volume Totaliser -Active System
- Pit volume single reserve pit
- Pit Volume Totaliser -Reserve Pits

Pit Volume Totaliser – Active and Reserve Pits

Parameter Specifications

Measuring range 0.4 – 7 m

System accuracy < 0.1% of full scale

System resolution 1 mm



Principle of Operation

Ultrasonic pulses sent out by the transducer are reflected by the mud surface. The receiver translates the time interval between the transmitted signal and its return into an electric current, representing the distance from the transducer head to the mud surface.

Maintenance

Once the system is set up and calibrated, generally no maintenance required.

Visual routine checks (daily); remove any obstructions from the field measurement, change the installation point if the readings are irregular.

Data Processing

The powerful DMS software records, visualizes and displays data on different locations on the well site.

The DMS supports the setting of individual alarms for "High" and "Low" limits for each pit.

Technical Specifications

SENSOR

Type or model Pulse echo sensor

Certified for hazardous area Intrinsically safe to EEx ia IIC T6

Certificate of conformity PTB No. Ex-97.D.2246 Operating temperature range -20 °C ... +60 °C

24 V DC

Supply voltage

Installation point Mounted over the mud pit; avoiding obstructions

Evaluation Unit TRANSMITTER / REPEATER **Ex-Barrier Amplifier with** UNIT **BUS System** Isolating amplifier - inputs Barrier Amplifier -Type or model EEx ia IIC EEx ia IIC Certificate of conformity BASEEFA No. Ex-90.C.2358X TÜV 99 ATEX 1499 X Signal output 4 – 20 mA 4 – 20 mA 24 V DC 24 V DC Supply voltage Field bus independent **Bus System:** Not applicable connectors Installation point Logging unit; plugged into 19-inch frame (DMS rack)