

# Miniature flowmeters for analytical process

Installation and Operating Instructions **DK 700** 

#### Installation

Ensure materials compatibility

The temperature of the product and the allowable operating pressure must not exceed the specified maximum values (see Technical Data).

The measuring section is also permitted to be filled with flammable liquids, provided a potentially explosive atmosphere is not permanently or for prolonged periods present in the measuring tube.

The calculation of the pressurized parts is effected with allowance for corrosion, erosion through abrasion or cavitation.

## Installation in the pipeline

The variable area flowmeter has to be installed vertically (float measuring principle - flow direction from bottom to top). Before installing the flowmeter, blow or flush out the pipeline leading to the flowmeter.

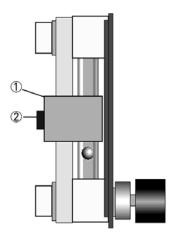
Use connectors suitable for the flowmeter version. Align the pipes axially with the bolt holes un the flowmeter without incurring stresses.

If necessary, support the pipeline on both sides of the flowmeter to prevent vibration from being transferred to the flowmeter.

#### Panel mounting

(see Dimensions and Weights)

Prepare the panel recess as shown in the drawing. Before installing, remove the clamp clip ① and Allen screw ②, 4mm Allen key, from the flowmeter. Insert flowmeter into recess and align vertically. Fasten the flowmeter with the clamp clip and Allen screw (4 mm Allen key).



#### Initial startup

Close needle valve at the flowmeter.

Open shutoff valves upstream and downstream of flowmeter. Slowly open needle valve and set the desired flowrate. Where liquids are involved, carefully vent the pipeline to avoid water hammer that may cause breakage of the glass cone.

On gas service, increase pressure slowly up to the operating pressure. Make sure the float does not accelerate to the upper stop (e.g. in conjunction with solenoid valves) as this may damage the flowmeter.

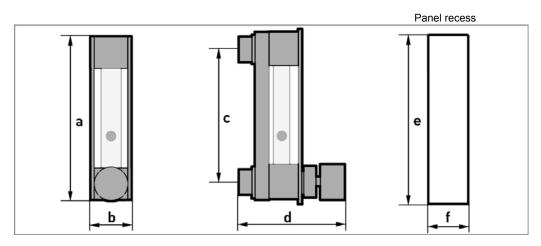
The flowrate value is read off from the top edge of the float (ball).



Technical Data							
Measuring ranges see Flow table							
Accuracy to VDI/VDE Code 3513, DK 701 DK 702	Sh. 2 (q <sub>G</sub> = 50%) 6% 4%						
Measuring cone Type Length Scale division Float shape	NG 50 60mm (2.36") flow units ball						
Operating data Max. allowable op. pressure Max. product temperature	4 bar 100°C						
Connection Standard Option Fitting dimension	G 1/8 tube connection 6 mm 75 mm						
Diameter of needle valve Flow ranges < 5 l/h water, ≤ 100 l/h air > 5 l/h water, > 100 l/h air	1,0 mm 2,5 mm						
Materials Measuring cone Float Gaskets Standard Option Valve spindle Mount Rail Front plate Top and bottom blocks	Borosilicate glass Stainless steel 1.4401, glass FKM / PTFE FFKM / PTFE Stainless steel 1.4571 (316 Ti) Aluminium anodized Polycarbonat PVDF						

#### **Dimensions and weights**

Dimensions										approx. Weight			
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mm	inches	mm	inches	mm	inches	mm	inches	mm	inches	mm	inches	kg	lbs
97	3.82	25	0.99	75	2.95	max. 65	max.2.56	94	3.70	23	0.91	0.1	0.22



### Flow table

Float material stainless steel 1.4571 (316 Ti), glass

Calibration data: Water at 20°C (68°F)

Air at 20°C, (68°F), 1.2 bar abs. (17.4 psig) (in normal state)

100% flow values Rangeability 10:1

Ball Ø		Air		Water	Water				
		DK 701 (Sc	cale on frontplate)	DK 702 Sc	cale on glass cone)	DK 702 (	DK 702 (Scale on glass cone)		
mm	inches	l/h	SCFH	l/h	SCFH	I/h	US GPM		
4	0.16	-	-	5	0.2	-	_		
4	0.16	-	-	8	0.3	-	-		
4	0.16	-	-	16	0.6	-	-		
4	0.16	-	-	25	1	-	-		
4	0.16	-	-	40	1.5	-	-		
4	0.16	40	1.5	60	2.5	2.5	0.01		
6	0.24	100	4	100	4	5	0.02		
6	0.24	150	6	250	10	12	0.05		
6	0.24	250	10	500	20	25	0.1		
6	0.24	-		800	30	40	0.16		

### **Product liability and warranty**

Responsibility for the suitability and usage to the intended purpose of these flowmeters rests solely with the operator. Improper installation or improper operation of the flowmeters may lead to the loss of warranty. In addition, the "General conditions of sale" which forms the basis of the purchase contract are applicable.

If you need to return the unit for checkout or repair, please pay strict attention to the following points:

Due to statutory regulations concerning protection of the environment and the health and safety of our personnel, KROHNE may only handle, test and repair returned flowmeters that have been in contact with liquids if it is possible to do so without risk to personnel and environment. This means that KROHNE can only service your unit if it is accompanied by a certificate confirming that the flowmeter is safe to handle. If the unit has been operated with toxic, caustic, flammable or water-endangering liquids, you are kindly requested:

- To check and ensure, if necessary by rinsing or neutralizing, that all the cavities are free from such dangerous substances.
- To enclose a certificate with the flowmeter confirming that is safe to handle and stating the liquid used.

KROHNE regret that we cannot service your device unless it is accompanied by such a certificate and thank you for your understanding.