

## **VSP** pressure sensor

For oil pressure applications

#### **DESCRIPTION**

One of our smallest pressure sensors, the VSP has a robust and submersible design which makes it a reliable partner for any oil pressure application in motor and commercial vehicles. The VSP is able to measure absolute or relative pressure in a nominal pressure range of up to 600 bar. The specially developed evaluation electronics make it possible to take very precise and stable measurements at temperatures of up to 150 °C, even under tough conditions. In addition, the VSP also complies with the high ESD and EMC standards applicable in the automobile industry. Our assembly machines have a wide range of flexible settings enabling a customised production of the sensor and an optimal adaption to the respective application.



#### **FIELDS OF APPLICATION**

Oil pressure applications in motor and commercial vehicles

- · Braking systems
- · Powertrain

Measurement and testing technology



KEY FEATURES	BENEFITS
Robust, minimised design	Submersible, oil-proof version available     Compatible with standard oils used in the automotive industry     Suitable for applications with limited installation space     Optionally with lightweight aluminium housing
Specially developed measurement element and evaluation electronics	<ul> <li>High-precision version available</li> <li>For use at temperatures up to 150 °C</li> <li>Reliable, stable measurements over the entire life cycle</li> <li>Automotive-tested EMC/ESD resistance</li> </ul>
Numerous electrical connections and output signals available	· Simple and flexible integration, also in existing systems



# **Technical specification**

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Pressure ranges	
Nominal pressure	0.2 50 bar, absolute 0.2 600 bar, relative <sup>1)</sup>
Pressure reference type	Relative and absolute pressure
Overpressure	2x nominal pressure
Bursting pressure	3x nominal pressure

Electrical characteristics		
Supply voltage	9 30 V 12 30 V 5 ± 0.5 V	
Supply current	typ. 10 mA	
Output signal	4 20 mA, 2 wire system 0 5 V, 1 6 V, 0 10 V 0.5 4.5 V, ratiometric	
Overvoltage protection 2)	± 30 V	
Reverse polarity protection <sup>2)</sup>	± 30 V	

Mechanical characteristics	
Measurement element	Stainless steel Silicon sensing element (also with stainless steel membrane and oil filled)
Case material	Stainless steel, aluminium
Pressure connection	HEX 19, M10x1, G1/4" male thread <sup>3)</sup>
Electrical connection	MQS plug, Packard plug, M12x1 plug <sup>3)</sup>
Installation position	Arbitrary
Weight	Approx. 30 g (stainless steel) Approx. 15 g (aluminium)

Accuracy	
Total error <sup>4)</sup> (Standard version)	± 1% FS (0 90°C) ± 2% FS (-40 125°C)
Total error <sup>4)</sup> (High-precision version)	± 0.2% FS

Environmental conditions	
Operating temperature range	-40 125°C (150°C)
Media temperature range	-40 125°C (150°C)
Media compatibility	Engine and gear oils, major- ity of liquid and gas media
ESD (DIN EN 61000-4-2) <sup>2)</sup>	± 8 kV to contacts ± 15 kV to case
EMC (ISO 11452) 2)	250 V/m 200 mA (BCI)

### Dimension



<sup>1)</sup> Initial value of -1 bar possible for relative pressure

<sup>2)</sup> Depending on the output signal and application
3) Other pressure connections and electrical connections available on request

<sup>4)</sup> Covers repeatability, hysteresis, non-linearity (TBL), calibration and temperature effects; depending on the pressure and temperature range

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