

Brief Instruction

MH-Series

Magnetostrictive Linear Position Sensors



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1. Introduction

1.1 Purpose and use of this manual

Before starting the operation of Temposonics® sensors read this documentation thoroughly and follow the safety information. Keep the manual for future reference!

The content of this technical documentation and its appendix is intended to provide information on mounting, installation and commissioning by qualified technical personnel 1 or instructed service technicians who are familiar with the project planning and dealing with Temposonics position sensors.

1.2 Used symbols and warnings

Warnings are intended for your personal safety and for avoidance of damage to the described product or connected devices. In this documentation, safety information and warnings to avoid dangers that might affect the life and health of operating or service personnel or cause material damage are highlighted by the preceding pictogram, which is defined below.

Symbol	Meaning
	This symbol is used to point to situation

NOTICE

This symbol is used to point to situations that may lead to material damage, but not to personal injury.

2. Safety instructions

2.1 Intended use

This product may be used only for the applications defined under item 1 and only in conjunction with the third-party devices and components recommended or approved by Temposonics. As a prerequiste of proper and safe operation the product requires correct transport, storage, mounting and commissioning and must be operated with utmost care.

- 1. The sensor systems of all Temposonics sensors are intended exclusively for measurement tasks encountered in mobile, commercial and laboratory applications. The sensors are considered as system accessories and must be connected to suitable evaluation electronics, e.g. a PLC, IPC, indicator or other electronic control unit.
- 1/ The term qualified technical personnel characterizes persons who:
 - are familiar with the safety concepts of automation technology applicable to the particular project.
 - · are competent in the field of EMC.
 - have received adequate training for commissioning and service operations
 - are familiar with the operation of the device and know the information required for correct operation provided in the product documentation.

2.2 Forseeable misuse	
Forseeable misuse	Consequence
Wrong sensor connection	The sensor will not work properly or will be destroyed
Operate the sensor out of the operating temperature range	No signal output / The sensor can be damaged
Power supply is out of the defined range	Signal output is wrong / no signal output / the sensor will be damaged
Position measurement is influenced by an external magnetic field	Signal output is wrong
Cylinder bore hole too small	Component damage due to excessive installation force required.
Cylinder bore hole after welding too small	Component damage due to excessive installation force required.
Sharp edges	Damage to cables and conductors
Rough sensor handling	Destruction of internal components
Welding after installation	High energy voltage peaks or currents are fed to the sensor, damaging housing or electronic components.
Cables are damaged	Short circuit – the sensor car be destroyed / sensor does not respond
Loose connectors	Liquid can penetrate into the sensor into the sensor hous- ing through cables or strands and cause short circuit or corrosion of electronics components
Spacers are missing or installed in a wrong order	Error in position measurement
Wrong connection of ground / shield	Signal output is disturbed / The electronics can be damaged
Use of a magnet that is not certified by Temposonics	Error in position measurement



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2.3 Installation, commissioning and operation

The position sensors must be used only in technically safe condition. To maintain this condition and to ensure safe operation, installation, connection and service, work may be performed only by qualified technical personnel. If danger of injury to persons or of damage to operating equipment is caused by sensor failure or malfunction, additional safety measures such as plausibility checks, limit switches, EMER-GENCY STOP systems, protective devices etc. are required. In the event of trouble, shut down the sensor and protect it against accidental operation.

Safety instructions for commissioning

To maintain the sensor operability, it is mandatory to follow the instructions given below.

- 1. Protect the sensor against mechanical damage during installation and operation.
- 2. Do not open or dismantle the sensor.
- 3. Connect the sensor very carefully and pay attention to the polarity of connections and power supply.
- 4. Use only approved power supplies.
- It is imperative that the specified permissible limit values of the sensor for operating voltage, environmental conditions, etc. are met.
- Check the function of the sensor regularly and provide documentation of the checks.
- 7. Before applying power, ensure that nobody's safety is jeopardized by starting machines.

2.4 Warranty

Temposonics grants a warranty ² period for the Temposonics® position sensors and supplied accessories relating to material defects and faults that occur despite correct use in accordance with the intended application. The Temposonics obligation is limited to repair or replacement of any defective part of the unit. No warranty can be taken for defects that are due to improper use or above average stress of the product, as well as for wear parts. Under no circumstances will Temposonics accept liability in the event of offense against the warranty rules, no matter if these have been assured or expected, even in case of fault or negligence of the company. Temposonics explicitly excludes any further warranties. Neither the company's representatives, agents, dealers nor employees are authorized to increase or change the scope of warranty.

2.5 Return

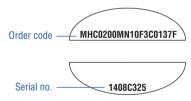
For diagnostic purposes, the sensor can be returned to Temposonics GmbH & Co. KG. Any shipment cost will be borne by the sender ². For a corresponding form, see detailed operation manual (available at: www.temposonics.com).

2.6 Maintenance & removal

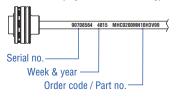
Further information about maintenance and removal is provided in the sensor specific operation manuals.

3. Identification

Nameplate (e.g. MH-Series MH CANopen)

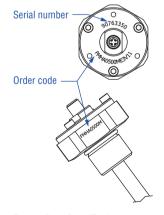


Laser etched (e.g. MH-Series Analog)



 See also applicable Temposonics sales and supply conditions, e.g. under www.temposonics.com

Laser etched (e.g. MH-Series Flexible MH Analog)



Approvals and certificates

You will find approvals and certificates in the sensor specific operation manuals.

4. Electrical connections

Placement of installation and cabling have decisive influence on the sensor EMC. Hence correct installation of this active electronic system and the EMC of the entire system should be ensured by using suitable metal connectors, shielded cables and grounding if neccessary. Overvoltages or faulty connections can damage its electronics despite protection against wrong polarity.

NOTICE

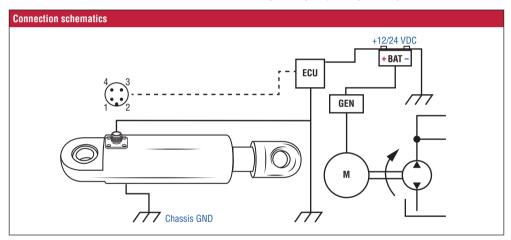
Never connect / disconnect the sensor when voltage is applied.

Cable shielding

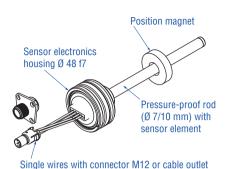
In the installed condition, the sensor is shielded sufficiently by the metal hydraulic cylinder. For this reason, no separate shielding is taken via the M12 connector. If a shielded cable is used, certain applications may require checking, if both ends of the shielding must be connected to the machine ground. When checking, the effect of any high voltage and high frequency field in the vicinity on the shield and on the signals in the cable should be taken into account.

Machine ground

To ensure proper operation of the sensor, the hydraulic cylinder must be connected to the machine ground. Grounding is often ensured by the mechanical contact between the cylinder and other machine elements. If the cylinder is connected with the machine separately, separate grounding, for example via a grounding strap directly on the cylinder must be ensured.



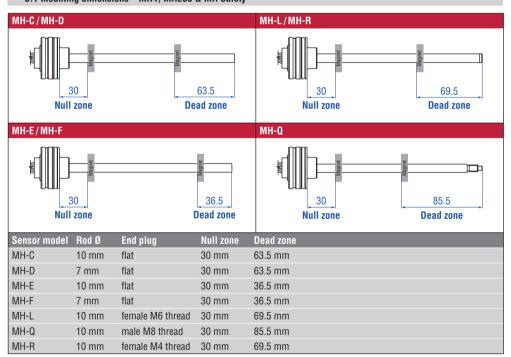
5. Temposonics® MH-Series MH4, MH200 & MH Safety



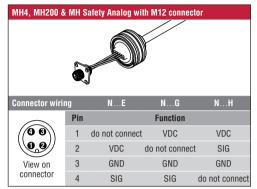
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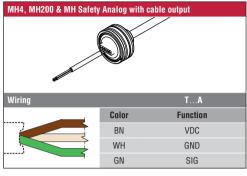
- Analog
- CANopen
- CAN J1939
- · CANopen Safety

5.1 Mounting dimensions - MH4, MH200 & MH Safety

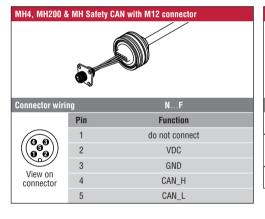


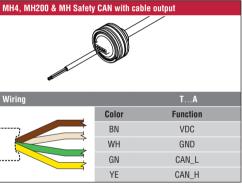
5.2 Connector wiring - MH4, MH200 & MH Safety Analog





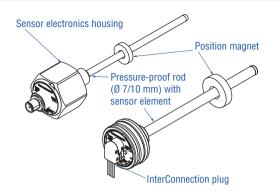
5.3 Connector wiring - MH4, MH200 & MH Safety CAN





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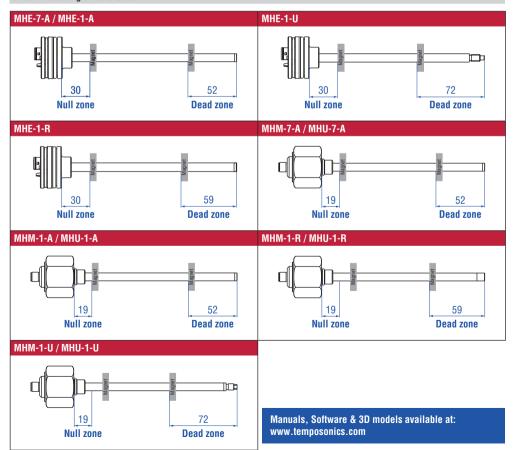
6. Temposonics® MH-Series MHRM



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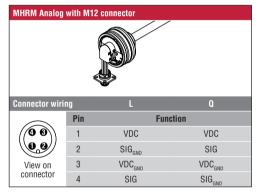
Analog

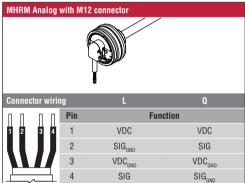
6.1 Mounting dimensions - MHRM

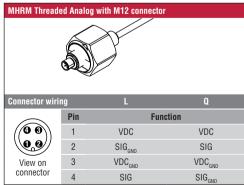


Sensor model	Rod Ø	End plug	Null zone	Dead zone
MHE-7-A	7 mm	flat	30 mm	52 mm
MHE-1-A	10 mm	flat	30 mm	52 mm
MHE-1-R	10 mm	M6 female thread	30 mm	59 mm
MHE-1-U	10 mm	M8 male thread	30 mm	72 mm
MHM-7-A	7 mm	flat	19 mm	52 mm
MHU-7-A	7 mm	flat	19 mm	52 mm
MHM-1-A	10 mm	flat	19 mm	52 mm
MHU-1-A	10 mm	flat	19 mm	52 mm
MHM-1-R	10 mm	M6 female thread	19 mm	59 mm
MHU-1-R	10 mm	M6 female thread	19 mm	59 mm
MHM-1-U	10 mm	M8 male thread	19 mm	72 mm
MHU-1-U	10 mm	M8 male thread	19 mm	72 mm

6.2 Connector wiring - MHRM Analog

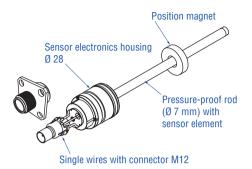






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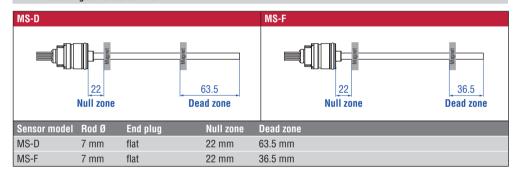
7. Temposonics® MH-Series MS



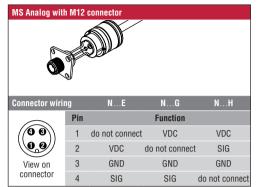
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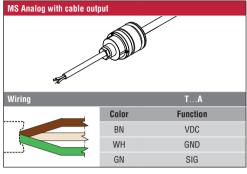
- Analog
- CANopen
- CAN J1939

7.1 Mounting dimensions – MS

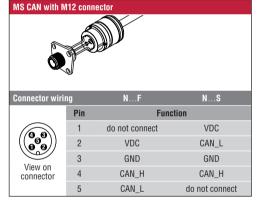


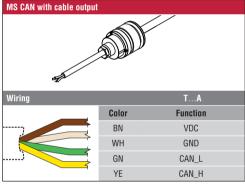
7.2 Connector wiring - MS Analog





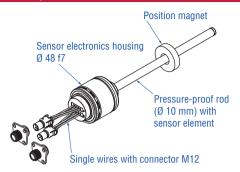
7.3 Connector wiring - MS CAN





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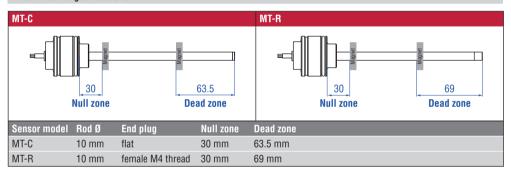
8. Temposonics® MH-Series MT



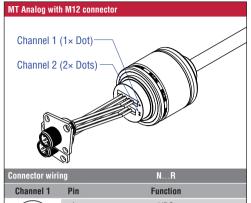
Available outputs:

Analog

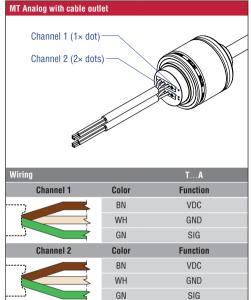
8.1 Mounting dimensions - MT



8.2 Connector wiring - MT Analog

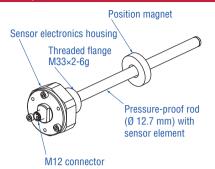


Connector wiring		NR			
Channel 1	Pin	Function			
View on connector	1	VDC			
	2	do not connect			
	3	GND			
	4	SIG			
Channel 2	Pin	Function			
View on connector	1	VDC			
	2	SIG			
	3	GND			
	4	do not connect			
	5	do not connect			



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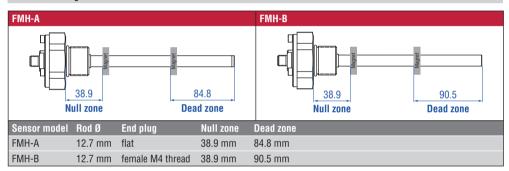
9. Temposonics® MH-Series FMH

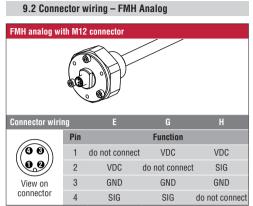


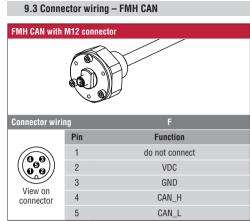
Available outputs:

- Analog
- CANopen
- CAN J1939

9.1 Mounting dimensions - FMH

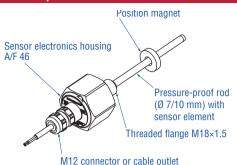






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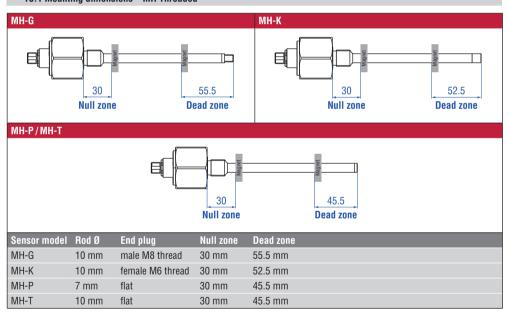
10. Temposonics® MH-Series MH Threaded



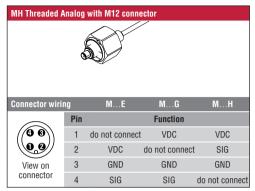
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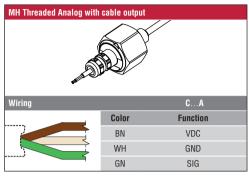
Analog

10.1 Mounting dimensions – MH Threaded

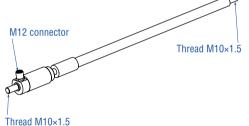


10.2 Connector wiring - MH Threaded Analog





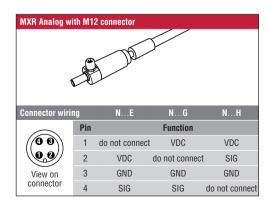
11. Temposonics® MH-Series MXR



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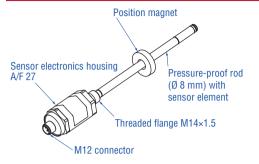
Analog

11.1 Connector wiring - MXR Analog



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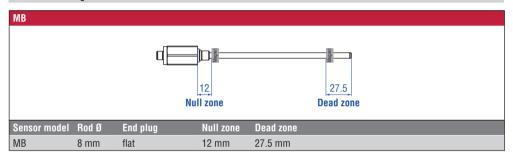
12. Temposonics® MH-Series MB



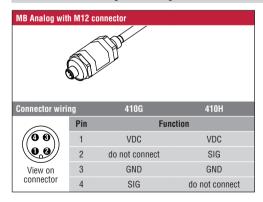
Available outputs:

Analog

12.1 Mounting dimensions - MB



12.2 Connector wiring - MB Analog

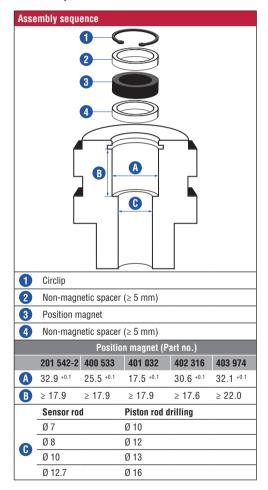


13. Magnet installation

Mounting the position magnets

Install the magnet using non-magnetic material for mounting device, screws, spacers etc.. The magnet must not grind on the sensor rod. Alignment errors are compensated via the air gap.

- Permissible surface pressure: Max. 40 N/mm²
- Fastening torque for M4 screws: 1 Nm; use washers, if necessary



NOTE

Horizontally installed sensor rods should be supported mechanically at the rod end. Without the use of a support, rod and position magnet may be damaged. A false measurement result is also possible. Longer rods require evenly distributed mechanical support over the entire length.



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