# Round the clock: stand-alone surveillance

[Measuring Unit MG-4]



# Guard your assets - it pays!



# Select exactly what you need

Safeguard your plant stoppers and other essential machines. Measuring unit MG-4 is a standalone continuous monitoring unit, ideal for automatic surveillance of unmanned machines. MG-4 uses:

- True RMS vibration severity measurement on one or two channels.
- True SPM bearing condition evaluation on two additional channels.

More than 90% of all mechanical faults are announced by increasing vibration or shock pulse levels. Planned maintenance and condition triggered emergency shutdown prevent accidents and production stops.

# A cost-efficient package of options

Breakdown costs are always too high. MG-4 is insurance with a payback guarantee. Choose the channel combination that gives maximum safety at lowest cost. Measuring ranges, two-step alarm levels, alarm delays, and relay combinations can be programmed. Condition evaluation is automatic. There are no operating costs: install and feel safe.

Back-lighted LCD display Transducer line test

Ex proof assessories

Measuring results, 4 x 16 characters

Status display, 2 alarm levels

Automatic condition evaluation



Polycarbonate casing, IP65 Easy mounting

Easy programming: Measuring range Alarm levels Alarm delays

30 years condition monitoring experience

Signal input, TNC, 2 channels VIB, 2 channels SPM

Analog outputs 4-20 mA, alt. RS-485 port for LAN network

Relay outputs 1 x 250 V, 4 x 125 V Power supply 230 V AC, 115 V AC, 15–30 V AC/ DC

# Dependable condition monitoring

Good asset management requires preventive maintenance based on condition information.

Measuring unit MG-4 uses the two most reliable methods for automatic machine fault detection. It provides

- Shock pulse for early warning in case of poor bearing lubrication, stressed bearings, or the onset of damage.
- maintenance alert in case of a significant increase in vibration severity.

Early condition alert is the best money saver - ample planning time for maintenance, no production stop, no damage. The analog outputs can send on-line condition information to your PLC. As an alternative the MG-4 can be equipped with a RS-485 port for sending complete data on LAN (Modbus network using RTU).

# For better economy

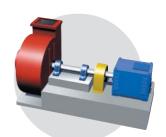
Breakdowns happen, but the big bang can be avoided. A shut down circuit, triggered by a sudden heavy increase of the vibration level, prevents

- danger to personnel and other hazards
- secondary damage to machines and surroundings
- unnecessary production stops and quality losses.

Good condition monitoring equipment has a very short payback time. Consider the downtime cost for your last machine failure, then make a sound investment.

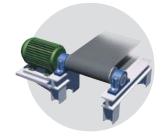
# Sound technique, fit for anything

MG-4 is easy to install on all types of rotating machinery. A wide range of transducers and installation accessories has proved reliable in many harsh industrial environments.









# **SPM Measuring Unit MG-4**

Specs and options - pick your own monitoring kit!

### **Technical specifications**

#### General

Channels: max. 2 VIB + 2 SPM

Outputs: 4 - 20 mA analog signals,

programmable ranges alt. RS-485 port for complete data via LAN network, Modbus RTU

Relays: 250 V (1) 125 V (max. 4)

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Power supply: 230 V AC, 115 V AC,

15 – 30 V AC / V DC

Temperature range: 0° to 50° C (32° to 122 °F)

Casing: polycarbonate/PVC, IP65

Display screen: LCD 4 x 16 characters,

back-lighted

Status display: green, yellow, red LED
Dimensions: 200 x 144 x 77 mm
Weight: 1150 grams

#### Vibration channel (VIB)

Measuring range: 0.5 to 49.9 mm/s RMS

0.00 to 1.90 inch/s RMS

Resolution: 0.1 mm/s

0.01 inch/s

Frequency, lower limit: 3, 10, or 100 Hz
Frequency, upper limit: 1000 or 2000 Hz
Alarm limits: 2, programmable
Alarm delay: 0 to 600 seconds

#### Bearing channel (SPM)

SPM monitoring methods: dBm/dBc or LR/HR

with SPM evaluation

Measuring range: 0 to 99 dBsv

Resolution: 1 dBsv

Alarm limits: 2, programmable
Alarm delay: 0 to 600 seconds
System security: transducer line test





Ex proof accessories available.



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### **Ordering numbers**

#### Standard configurations

MG4-1 1 channel VIB
MG4-2 2 channels VIB

MG4-12 1 channel VIB, 2 channels SPM MG4-22 2 channels VIB, 2 channels SPM

#### Transducers and measuring cables

TRV-18 Vibration transducer, 3-1000 Hz, M8 TRV-19 Vibration transducer, 3-1000 Hz, UNF 1/4"-28 TRV-20 Vibration transducer, 2-5000 Hz, M8 TRV-21 Vibration transducer, 2-5000 Hz, UNF 1/4"-28 TRX-18 Isolated installation foot for TRV-18, TRV-20 Isolated installation foot for TRV-19, TRV-21 TRX-19 40000 SPM transducer for cable length below 4 m 42000 SPM transducer for cable length 4-100 m 45011-L Cable for transducers (L = length in meters)

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