# Orifice plate, flow-meters **DB** Series



- For agressive liquids
- Direct reading indicator on pipes from ND 50 up to 200
- Mounting in all positions
- According standard NF X 10-102
- **Options: Flow contact; Output signal**

## **APPLICATIONS**

- Clean waters: Tap water, swimming pool water
  - Aggressive liquids (acidic or basic)

## DESCRIPTION

Wafer mounting: The orifice plate is inserted between 2 flanges. The differential pressure is between the inlet and outlet, one on each side of the plate. The differential pressure is related to the flow rate inside the main pipe. The flow indicator is part of the bypass, allowing a direct reading.

In order to obtain a proportional relation to the main flow, a BORDA nozzle is inserted before the flow indicator.

#### Option with output signal:

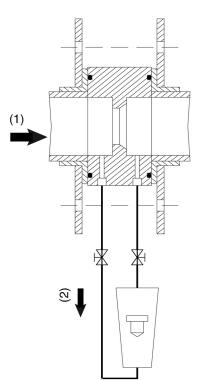
Instead of an indicator, a flow transmitter may be installed.

# **TECHNICAL FEATURES**

Flow ranges	From 2 up to 350 m <sup>3</sup> /h (water)
Accuracy	±4%
Repeatability	± 0,4 %
Scale amplitude	2 to 10
Pressure limit	10 bar (water at 20°C)
Temperature limits	PVC: 50 °C; PPH: 90 °C;
•	PVDF: 120 °C
Pressure drop	On request
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Materials:	
Orifice plate (standard)	PVC
Associated flow indicator	PVC or polysulfone
Diver	PVDF
Bypass	Same as the orifice plate
Stop valves	Same as the orifice plate
Seals	EPDM
BORDA injector	

#### **Options:**

- Reed contact: See data-sheet da731-03
- Output signal: Transmitter on request



(1): Process flow

(2) : Differential flow

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### CODE NUMBERS AND REFERENCES

Ranges indicated on the table are for DB/PDP flow indicators. These scales, are not contractual, may be modified according operating conditions. Higher flow rates, greater diameters: On request

Flow rates are indicated for pipes in PVC and PN 10.

In all events, the thickness and the real inner diameter of pipe have to be specified, so we may assure the specifications of the system.

DB Series, [ m³/h ] (water at 20 °C)					
ND	Scale N° 1	Scale N° 2	Scale N° 3	Scale N° 4	
50	210	525	-	-	
65	210	630	-	-	
80	315	630	1050	_	
100	420	630	1580	-	
125		630	1580	30150	
150		1050	20100	40200	
200		20100	40200	70350	

### **INSTALLATION REQUIREMENTS**

The respect of requirements is necessary to warrant a coherent measurement with the accuracy of the system. The straight distances upstream the plate, are the strict necessary minimum (depend on the final calculation of the system).

Number of D (diameter), see the table N ° 3 of standard NFX 10 102

6 to 23	Single elbow at 90° or a Tee (flow rate by one way)
17 to 40	2 elbows at 90°, 2 different planes
5 to 15	Reducing from 2 D to 1 D along distance of 1.5 D to 3 D
6 to 15	Valve 100 % opening (type ball valve)
2 to 4	Downstream distance

The upstream distance depends on the ratio between the inner diameter (D) of the pipe and the diameter of the orifice plate. The exact distance to respect to insure a proper accuracy is communicated with order acknowledgement.

### WAFER MOUNTING

The loose sockets will be centered with the flanges.

The inner diameter of the sockets must be exactly the same one of the pipe to avoid turbulences.





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## **DEFINITION OF THE FLOWMETER**

The DB flow-meter is manufactured in accordance with operating conditions: to provide before any quote.

Liquid	
Density	: ( kg/m <sup>3</sup> )
Pressure	:
Temperature	: ( °C)
Max. flow-rate	: ( m³/́h )
Piping	: (Ø in mm )
	: ( thickness in mm )
	: Material
Flow direction	: VA Uprising liquid
	: VD Liquid going down
	: GD Liquid flowing to the RIGHT
	: DG Liquid flowing to the LEFT
Mounting	: VB (VERTICAL pipe / bottom reading)
g	: VH (VERTICAL pipe / Top reading)
	: HB (HORIZONTAL pipe / bottom reading)
	: HH (HORIZONTAL PIPE / Top reading)

VERTICAL pipe - Uprising flow





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VERTICAL pipe - Liquid going down



Flow contact: See data-sheet da 731-03



HORIZONTAL pipe - Liquid flowing to the right

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