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# BARATRON® DIFFERENTIAL CAPACITANCE MANOMETER

The 226A is a differential version of the industry-standard Baratron® Capacitance Manometer. It is designed to accurately measure differential pressures and vacuum from 1000 to 0.2 Torr (133 to 0.027 kPa). This product, which operates at ambient temperature, is highly accurate and repeatable, permitting its use in industrial and electronic control systems in many different applications. The patented capacitance sensor is built entirely from Incone<sup>®</sup> nickel alloys on its measurement side, which offers superior corrosion resistance over long periods of time. Because the sensor operates by measuring the capacitance shift between a diaphragm exposed to the process and an electrode disk (rather than measuring the property of the gas), it is not sensitive to gas composition, and thus eliminates the need for gas-specific correction factors. The product can be used to measure either the true differential pressure or vacuum between two locations, or the reference side of the product can be left open to provide a true reference to local atmospheric pressure. Applications include air and gas flow measurements for filters and analytical systems, downstream pressure control in thin film processing systems, and automated leak testing systems.

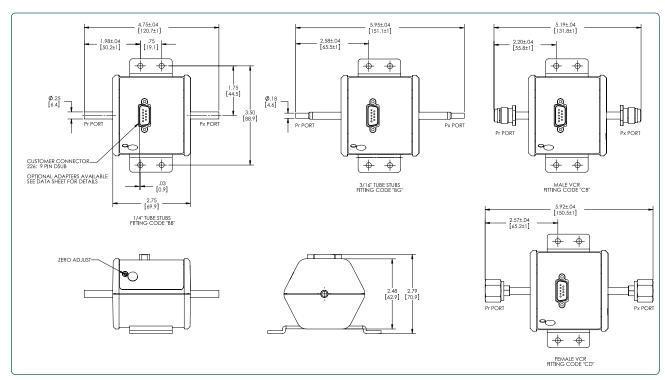
The 226A provides a high-level analog output signal that is linear with pressure. It can operate on either ±15VDC or +24VDC input voltage, and it offers four (4) different analog output signals for use in nearly any control or data acquisition system. The product can be equipped with any of twelve (12) different fittings on either the measurement or reference sides, including common industrial and semiconductor-industry standards like VCR®, NW-KF, VCO®, and NPT. The sensor and electronics are mounted in a rugged industrial-grade housing that has high immunity and isolation from RF and EM interference.



- Fully-welded Inconel diaphragm sensor offers high resistance to corrosion for use in many difficult applications - no mercury, silicone, or hydrocarbon-based fluids are used
- Direct pressure measurement is not affected by gas composition
- Differential measurement ranges from 1000 to 0.2 Torr (133 to 0.027 kPa) allows accurate, repeatable characterization of very small pressure drops and flow rates
- Input voltage of either ±15VDC or +24VDC for use in a wide variety of processing systems
- · Four different analog output signals available (0-10V, 0-5V, 0-1V, and 4-20 mA) in either unidirectional or bidirectional calibrations
- · Rugged, industrial-grade design suitable for use in applications with high levels of RF/EM interference







## Dimensional Drawings —

Unless otherwise specified, dimensions are nominal values in inches (mm referenced).



# **Specifications**

Full-Scale Ranges 0.2, 1, 2, 5, 10, 20, 50, 100, 200, and 1000 Torr and equivalents in kPa, mbar, inches H<sub>2</sub>O,

and cm H<sub>2</sub>O

**Resolution** 0.01% of Full Scale (F.S.)

Accuracy<sup>1</sup> 0.50% of Full Scale unidirectional or bidirectional standard; 0.30% of F.S. unidirectional or

bidirectional, and 0.30% of Reading (unidirectional calibrations only)

**Temperature Coefficients** 

Zero 0.1% Full Scale/°C for standard accuracy specification

0° to 50°C

Span 0.04% of Reading/°C

**Ambient Operating Temperature** 

**Maximum Overpressure** 

Measurement Side 120% of Full Scale or 20 psi (140 kPa), whichever is higher

Reference Side 120% of Full Scale

Maximum Line Pressure 40 psig (275 kPa)

**Materials Exposed to Process** 

Measurement Side Inconel

Reference Side Inconel, ceramic, palladium, stainless steel, glass

**Sensor Internal Volume** 

Measurement Side 1.4 cm<sup>3</sup>
Reference Side 9.0 cm<sup>3</sup>

Input Power ±15VDC (±5%) or +13VDC to +30VDC @ 25 mA, ripple less than 20 mV

Output Signal 0 - 1VDC, 0 - 5VDC, 0 - 10VDC<sup>1</sup> > 10 k  $\Omega$  load; or 2-wire 4-20 mA from +24VDC supply into

< 500  $\Omega$  load

**Electrical Connector** 9-pin D-subminiature standard, terminal block and flying leads optional

Compliance<sup>2</sup> CE, SEMI S2-0706

Fittings<sup>3</sup>

Standard ¼" OD (6.4 mm) tubes

Optional 3/16" OD (4.8 mm) tubes, 4 male VCR®, 4 female VCR, 4 male VCO®, 4 female VCO,

NW16-KF, 1.33" OD (33.8 mm) Conflat®, 1/8" male and female NPT, 1/4" male and

female NPT

#### Notes



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 0-10VDC bi-directional output signal not available with +24VDC input voltage.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> When used with an overall metal braided shielded cable, properly grounded at both ends.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> When equipped with standard 1/4-inch (6.4 mm) O.D. inlet and reference tubes.

# **Ordering Information**

Ordering Code Example: 226AXXXYYZZQSSTV					Code	Code	
226A Baratron Differential Capacitance Manometer					226A	226A	
Ranges (XXX)							
	Torr	mbar	kPA	$inH_2O$	cm H <sub>2</sub> O		
0.02	-	-	U2K		-		
0.1	- OT	-	.1K	.1W	- 0D		
0.2 0.5	.2T	.2M	.2K .5K	- .5W	.2R		
0.5 1	- 01T	01M	.or 01K	.5vv 01W	- 01R		
2	02T	02M	02K	02W	02R		
5	05T	05M	05K	05W	05R		11T
10	11T	11M	11K	11W	11R		
20	21T	21M	21K	21W	21R		
50	51T	51M	-	51W	51R		
100	12T	12M	12K	12W	12R		
200	22T	22M	-	-	22R		
500	- 42T	-	-	52W	- 12D		
1000	13T	13M		-	13R		
Reference Side Fitting	(						
1/4" OD tube					BB		
3/16" OD tube					BG CB		
4 male VCR 4 female VCR					CD		
4 male VCO					DC		
4 female VCO					DD		0.0
1/4" female NPT					FA		CD
1/4" male NPT					FB		
1/8" male NPT					FE		
1/8" female NPT					FF		
NW16-KF					GA		
1.33" OD Conflat	· (77)				НА		
Measurement Side Fitt	ing (ZZ)						
1/4" OD tube					BB		
3/16" OD tube 4 male VCR					BG CB		
4 female VCR					CD		
4 male VCO					DC		
4 female VCO					DD		CD
1/4" female NPT					FA		CD
1/4" male NPT					FB		
1/8" male NPT					FE		
1/8" female NPT					FF		
NW16-KF					GA HA		
1.33" OD Conflat					ПА		
Accuracy (Q)							
0.50% Full Scale (s	standard)				F		F
0.30% Full Scale	aidirectional o	alibrations on	ls.c)		K S		Г
0.30% Reading (ur		alibrations on	iy)		3		
Input/Output and Calib							
±15 VDC input/0 -					B1		
±15 VDC input/0 - 10 VDC bidirectional output ±15 VDC input/0 - 5 VDC bidirectional output					B2		
+24-32 VDC input/0 -			outout		B3 B4		
			Juipui		B5		
+24 VDC input/0 - 1 VDC bidirectional output +24 VDC input/0 - 5 VDC bidirectional output					B7		DO
±15 VDC input/0 - 1 VDC unidirectional output					U1		B2
±15 VDC input/0 -					U2		
±15 VDC input/0 -					U3		
+24-32 VDC excita					U4		
+24 VDC input/0 -					U5		
+24 VDC input/0 -		ectional outpu	ı		U7		
Electrical Connector (7	•						
9-pin D-subminiatu					A		A
Terminal block ada		on ath			T		Α
Flying lead adapte	i, ιυπ (3 m) l	ength			L		
Mounting (V)							
No bracket					0		
Mounting bracket, Mounting bracket,					1		1
					2		



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